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The Holt State Bank is the place to pay your taxes

C. W. Latta left for Thief River Falls last Monday for a business trip.

John Sorum left last Monday for a business trip to Crookston, and returned the following day.

FOR RENT—A quarter section farm 3 1-2 miles from Holt. Easy terms. See Holt Realty Co.

For anything in the Drug line go to Bjerkhoel's drug store, eGinu Block, Thief River Falls. (adv)

Albert Sorum of Middle River came down last Saturday to visit relatives and friends at Holt over Sunday.

Mr. Sharp, of Thief River Falls, manager of the Sharp printing Co., visited Holt between trains last Monday.

Carl Newton, our blacksmith, returned last Monday from Randen, being home with his family for some time.

Coffee—real coffee—and short order lunches that satisfy. Try the service offered at Huseth's lunch counter. (adv)

Anton Johnson, an old homesteader of East Valley, visited friends in Holt and left for Thief River Falls last Monday.

For Quick Sale of your farm, cash or trade, list with Flakne Land and Immigration Co., Flakne Minn. For bargains we will pay cash.

Joh Olberg came down from Thief Lake last Monday to visit relatives and friends, also for some business matters. He returned the following day.

Tom Olson of Elm Lake went to Middle River to make final proof on his homestead Wednesday. He had Alfred Hanson and O. Sordahl as witnesses.

FOR SALE A Columbia Graphophone, good condition, with 150 records. Worth $75, goes at only $25 May be seen and heard at offide of Chas. W. Latta any time you wish

John, Albert and Arthar Carlson came in a hurry from Thief River Falls to see Frank Carlson. They merely got there in time to say good bye to their brother and uncle before he passed away

Axel Nelson left for the County seat Monday. We do not know why maybe for securing marriage license as he put a new coat of linolium" on the floor of his homestead shanty by Green Stump Lake. It must mean something

A suprise party was given last Syturday night to [illegible] and Rudolph Reierson, son and daughter of Ole Reierson All reported a very good time, and they surely must have had it, because they did not return before daylight next morning

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Kuehne yesterday celebrated their silver wedding anniversary Owing to the recent serious illness of Mrs. Kuehne the festivities were planned somewhat on the quiet order, but the occasion was most enjoyable just the same.

Dalquist the cattle buyer from Thief River Fall, shipped a carload of cattle last Saturday According to the success of organizing a farmer's club I think the farmer's will ship their own cattle after this, and receive the middle man's profit That's right, farmer friends, go hand in hand by joining the farmer's club

Death of Frank Carlson

Frank Carlson passed away March 25th, at 3 o'clock p. m., after only one week's illness. He was 49 years of age and was born at Smoland in Sweden. He came to this country in 1890, going first to Nebraska. Two years later he moved to Red Wing, Minn., where he was married to Miss Ella Anderson. In 1896 he came to Holt, and later took up a homestead in East Valley, where he has lived up to the present time He leaves his wife and three children to mourn his loss, and a lot of other relatives and friends.

Mr. Carlson died from blood poisoning which came from scratching his hand with a rasty nail.

The funeral will be held Saturday March 28th, at 1 o'clock from the Holt church.

Mr. Carlson was a hard worker and good farmer, and will be missed very much.

On Monday evening, April 18th, the music lovers of Holt and vicinity will be afforded a rare treat when Rev. A. B. Roseland will bring his choir here from Thief River Falls to render a beautiful Easter Cantata. Mr. Roseland was here Sunday evening and delivered a splendid sermon to a large audience. At that time he mentioned his choir and the cantata and was given a most cordial invitation to bring them here at the time above stated. This choir is composed of some of the best vocal talent in the northwest and we predict that they will be greeted by a packed house on their appearance here.

Svenke Svenkeson left for Middle River to run the Johnson sawmill for a couple of weeks.

Rev. Martin T. Strom returned Wednesday after a couple of weeks absence on mission work.

The auction sale of Ed. Silbaugh was a very successfull sale. He received good prices, one cow being sold for $86.

The town board at Holt met Friday to organize, and they appointed Fred Wegge as road overseer for the town for this year

Rev. [illegible] Larson of Thief River Falls, will hold services in the Holt schoolhouse on Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. All welcome

P. G. Sorter left for [illegible] the other day to visit a friend from the old country who he had lost track of for thirty-two years, but found again thru John Hanson, who was jury man at the last term [illegible] and also Sorter's friend

E. M. Phillips, [illegible] board of education will be in Holt March 28th to explain all the matters of the expenses and benefits of consolidated schools and also to answer any questions that may be put to him. He will be well worth hearing and as there is a big mix up about consolidation in the three adjoining districts we expect a big attendance — and that's what we want. Come in all, both in favor and against. Remember the date Saturday, March 28th

ARTESIAN WELL

An artesian well is a spouting well bored down to a point, usually at great depth, where the water pressure, owing to the geological conformation, is so great as to force the water out at the surface. This is the proper meaning of the term, but it is now often applied to any very deep bored well, as for petroleum and even when pumping is necessary, as in an ordinary driven well The name artesian is derived from Artois, in France, where the first well of this kind in Europe was sunk.

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(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

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Wheat	.82
Barley d.	.36
Oats	.29
Rye	.43
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THE HANDSOME EMPIRE

[illegible] buying a cream separator, [illegible] value of the machine depends on quality. Buyers are looking for quality, too. But they don't look for it by squinting through a magnifying glass, or by feeling the parts to see if they are smooth. They try the crank to see how the machine "feels" and "sounds" when it runs. They want to know how long the machine has been on the market.

Many young farmers are buying EMPIRES today, both because they like EMPIRES and because their fathers and grandfathers used EMPIRES before them.

Come in and see the EMPIRE, or ask to have it sent out to your place.

S. S. KOLDEN & Co.

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PARCEL POST MAY REDUCE HIGH COSTS

PRODUCE EXCHANGE IS TO BE MADE FEATURE OF SYSTEM.

TO SECURE DIRECT MARKET

Postoffice to Quote Lists of Farmers Who Can Supply City Families With Products.

Washington, March 24.—Preliminary steps have just been taken by the postoffice department to perfect its plan for reducing the cost of living by having the parcel post carry the products of the farm directly to the door of the consumer.

Ten Cities Chosen.

Ten cities have been selected to begin the work of establishing direct connections between producer and consumer. Postmaster General Burleson had previously issued an order permitting the use of crates and boxes for butter, eggs, poultry, vegetables and fruit shipped by parcels post.

Orders went to the postmasters at Boston, Atlanta, St. Louis, San Francisco, Baltimore, Detroit, La Crosse, Wis.; Lynn, Mass., and Rock Island, Ill., directing them "to receive the names of persons who are willing to supply farm products in retail quantities by parcel post." Printed lists of these names, showing kind and quantity of commodity available, will be distributed among towns and city patrons.

May Get in Touch.

"By the use of the lists," said First Assistant Postmaster General Roper, "the city consumer will be able to get in touch with a farmer who will fill his weekly orders for butter and eggs and other farm produce.

"The consumer will receive the produce fresh from the country and the personal relationship established will no doubt tend to improve the quality. The farmer will be relieved of carrying his produce to market, as the rural carrier will make daily connections at the farmer's own door of these retail shipments to city consumers.

"The point has been raised that difficulty wil be experienced in the return of hampers and other containers. This problem does not appear to me to be difficult of solution. The farmer may use inexpensive hampers, whose value would not warrant their return, or he may use the higher grade hampers for which he may include and additional charge to be credited to the consumer upon the return of the hamper by parcel post.

Will Lower Living Cost.

"The postmaster general is convinced that this plan is the one thing necessary to enable the people of this country to enjoy the potential benefits of the parcel post. No one has ever questioned the possibility of reducing the cost of living by entertaining direct relations between the ultimate consumer and the original producer.

"A complete means for such direct transportation was provided for the first time by the establishment of the domestic parcel post, but there has been lacking an agency by means of which the individual producer could get in touch with the individual consumer.

"The postmaster general's plan is designated to provide this agency for the most economical distribution of those products which are consumed in the form and condition in which they are produced."

CROWDS FLOCK TO CHURCH

Announcement of Sylvia Pankhurst Brings So Many Out That She Can't Enter Herself.

London, March 24.—Sylvia Pankhurst, carried on a stretcher and surrounded by about 1,000 members of her East End People's army, attempted to attend service at Westminster abbey. She was unable to gain admission, however, as every seat in the edifice had been taken in view of the fact that she had announced her intention last Sunday to be present in the abbey.

The militant suffragette and her followers, however, held an open-air meeting in the street, in the rear of the abbey.

The vanguard of the East End contingent was lead by a Church of England clergyman, Rev. Edmund Willis, rector of a church in the Shadwell district. Clothed in full vestments, he opened the street meeting with prayer, and after the singing of "Onward, Christian Soldiers" by the members of the "army," preached a short sermon.

Cardinal Gibbons Makes Statement

Baltimore, Md., March 24.—Cardinal Gibbons commented on the Ulster situation as follows: "To my mind, it appears that the government is to blame for not taking the upper hand and restoring peace. It could do this if it went about it the right way. There is only a small proportion of the population in Ireland engaged in the present uprising and I cannot understand why the government permits it to dictate what should be done and what should not be done."

REBELS ABOUT TO ATTACK TORREON

KHAKI LINE OF VILLA'S ADVANCE SURROUNDING CITY.

ARMY IS IN HIGH SPIRITS

Villa's Men Believe Federal Troops Cannot Long Withstand Force Being Brought Against Them —The Maneuvering.

Bermejillo, Durango, March 24.—The ragged khaki line of General Villa's advance is surrounding Torreon, with the other divisions scattered along the route for 15 miles further back, but hastening to the support of the vanguard.

Villa Goes to Front.

Villa has left for the front to take personal command. While his main guard is closing in on Torreon, having driven the federals from the outposts in the smaller town to the north, other rebel columns are reported to be drawing closer to the invested city from the south and southwest.

From Gobez Palacio, a suburb three miles from Torreon, to the city itself the country is laced with irrigation ditches which the Federals are reported to have adapted for rifle trenches. At some point along these three miles a pitched battle is probable, possibly at Cerro La Pila, a mountain which the Federals are reported to have fortified.

Must Be Taken.

If this proves true the position must be taken, as the big guns have ample power to cover the three miles between the mountains and Torreon. It is said that the manning of La Pila would be a legitimate part of the defense of Torreon, although its comparative isolation would make support from other parts of the Federal defenses practically impossible. The defenders would be in danger of being absolutely cut off, and for this reason the Rebels doubt that the enemy if really there, will make more than a long range defense before falling back upon the main force.

Army In High Spirit.

The army is in high spirits and the generals are of the opinion that Torreon can not hope to hold out against the forces now being brought against it.

The first important move of the week just passed took place when General Villa, having appeared suddenly from Chihuahua, set his troops in motion early Friday morning from Yermo, which is about 100 miles north of Torreon. Fifteen miles north of this city he came upon a strong advance column of the Federals, who are believed to have been under orders to retreat upon appearance of the enemy. The appearance of the Rebels was so sudden, however, that the retreat became almost a rout.

The Federals, like the Rebels, were mounted, and the encounter became a sort of a steeple-chase, with the pursuers, smothered in the dust kicked up by their mounts, firing blindly from the saddle, not in the least impeded by the scattered bullets which the Federals sometimes turned to fire.

The fight continued at a gallop right into the streets of this little city, and here it was that most of the Federal losses occurred. The bodies of 108 were picked up by Villa's men. The Federals are believed to have carried off those who were wounded in this city, as only three were found. The Rebel loss was practically nothing.

On the heels of the cavalry came other troops, and General Benavides, with a superior force was sent, by rail, against Tlahualilo, a town northeast of Bermejillo.

At a great irrigation ditch, shortly after leaving Bermejillo, Benavides came upon a Federal force which he estimated to number 400. An hour's engagement ensued, as a result of which the Rebel commander reported to General Villa the rout of the enemy, leaving 90 dead on the field. His own loss he reported as three killed and seven wounded.

TRIPLE ALLIANCE QUESTION

Three Monarchs Will Have Conferences and Consider Question Quite Fully.

Berlin, March 24.—Emperor William is enroute for Corfu. On the way he will have conferences with Emperor Francis Joseph and King Victor Emmanuel.

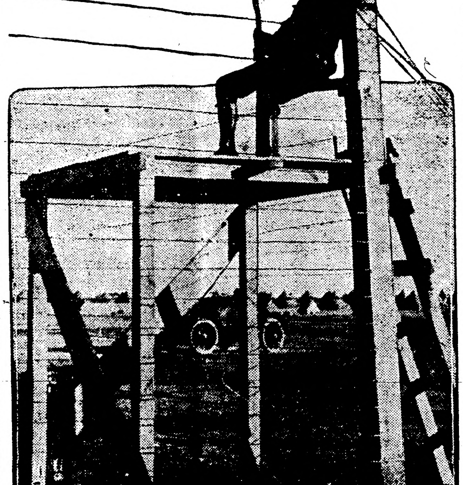
It is probable that the future plans of the Triple Alliance will be fully considered.

The emperor was present Sunday at the dedication of the Royal Library and Academy of Sciences. Ambassador Gerard represented the United States.

Great Pacific Northwest Wheat Crop.

Portland, Ore., March 24.—The Pacific northwest is to see the greatest wheat yield in her history, for estimators place the 1914 harvest for Washington, Oregon, and Idaho at 70,000,000 bushels, with a farm value running above $60,000,000. Winter wheat in Washington not only is in better condition than it has ever been, but there will be more of it. The total acreage of wheat in Walla Walla county, one of the biggest producers is approximately 280,000 acres and 85 per cent of this is in fall sown grain.

ON GUARD AT THE "BULL PEN"



The photograph shows a corner of the "bull pen" at El Paso, Tex., where the captured Mexican rebels and federals are being held by the United States soldiers.

SUFFRAGISTS SEE VICTORY IN DEFEAT

CLAIM RESULTS SHOW CAUSE IS GAINING AND ARE VERY JUBILANT.

SENATE VOTE STANDS 35-34

More Than Majority Secured by Friends of Resolution, But Two-thirds Vote Is Necessary—Southern Solons Solidly Against It.

Washington, March 21. — Woman suffrage advocates lost their fight in the United States senate for a resolution proposing an amendment to the federal constitution giving women the ballot. The vote was 35 for the measure to 34 against it, a two-thirds affirmative vote being required for passage, and when it was over suffrage leaders jubilantly pointed to the majority of one as conclusive proof that their cause had scored a triumph in defeat and was immeasurably stronger than its opponents had ever been willing to concede.

The action, following weeks of debate on the floor of the senate, during which many leaders in the suffrage movement pleaded for postponement of the final vote, marked the climax of a spirited campaign launched here the day before the inauguration of President Wilson.

Immediately after the vote, Senator Shafroth of Colorado sought to introduce a new resolution for a constitutional amendment requiring each state to vote on granting suffrage to women upon petition from 5 per cent of its voters. The senate went into executive session before the senator could get the floor, however, and the resolution will be offered later.

The resolution defeated was the first introduced in the present congress. It was presented by Senator Chamberlain of Oregon and the woman suffrage committee later authorized Senator Ashurst to report it favorably.

Though otherwise the vote virtually was nonpartisan, the southern senators, all Democrats, lined up almost solidly against the amendment. They contended it would complicate the negro question in the state. Of the southerners only Senator Ransdell of Louisiana, Sheppard of Texas, and Lea of Tennessee voted for the resolution.

Senator Vardaman led a movement among the friends of woman suffrage in the South to repeal the Fifteenth amendment to the constitution, by which the states are prohibited from denying the right to negroes to vote. With the negro question removed he said he favored the granting of suffrage to women. His proposal was defeated by 48 to 19, and a proposition by Senator Williams to give the ballot to white women only was defeated by 44 to 21.

Wants Men "Who Can Shoot"

Austin, Tex., March 23.—Reports of new disorders along the Mexican border, including the attempted kidnaping of an American citizen by five Mexicans yesterday caused Governor O. B. Colquitt to order the Ranger force recruited with "men who can shoot." "I have instructed Captain Hughes to look for more men suitable for the Ranger service. My instructions are to get men who can shoot and who will shoot when necessary," Governor Colquitt said.

ROBS EXPRESS CAR OF $14,000

LONE BANDIT BOARDS SANTA FE TRAIN AND OVERPOWERS MESSENGER.

Big Posse Searching Woods but Forest is Dense and Affords Good Shelter —Lumber Concern is Loser.

Beaumont, Tex., March 20.—After bundling the messenger, "Reb" Martin, into a gunny sack, a masked man robbed the express car, attached to northbound No. 202, of currency, estimated to aggregate about $14,000, and escaped from the train at the village of Helbig, 12 miles north of Beaumont.

Up to a late hour posses, which went to Helbig from this city in automobiles, had not found trace of the bandit, who is believed to be hiding in the dense forest about the city.

G. A. Taft, general superintendent of the Wells, Fargo Express company, estimated the amount stolen at $14,000. The money was part of a shipment made by a Houston lumber concern to be used in paying employes at camps along the road.

The train was bound from Houston to Center, Tex., and it is believed the robber secreted himself in the express car before the train left Houston. Martin heard the man, who apparently was middle aged, leap from behind a pile of baggage shortly after the train left Beaumont and demand the messenger's keys. Martin refused and was bound and thrust into the sack.

The region through which the train was passing at the time of the robbery is heavily wooded and sparsely settled. When Martin failed to appear during the stop at Silsbee, several miles north of Helbig, the train crew forced the express car, which had been locked by the robber.

U. S. GLAD TO NEGOTIATE

Renewal of Diplomatic Deliberations With Huerta Favorable to Wilson.

Washington, March 21.—The United States government will welcome a reopening of negotiations with the Huerta government or the Constitutionalists, and will be glad to consider any proposal that will tend to draw the various factions together in a plan for the restoration of peace in Mexico.

This is the attitude of President Wilson as it was revealed after reports reached here saying Senor Portillo Y. Rojas, minister of foreign affairs in the Huerta cabinet, had gone to meet John Lind, to seek a resumption of the peace parleys. Senor Rojas has been mentioned as the man who would succeed Huerta if he retired.

The president spoke in complimentary terms of the Mexican minister of foreign affairs as a man of high character.

Another Lobby Is Charged.

Washington, March 21.—Allegations that a fund of $50,000 had been raised in the interest of prison contractors to defeat the Hughes bill to regulate and restrict the interstate transportation of convict made goods, will be investigated by the senate lobby committee. Champions of the pending legislation assert that for 26 years similar bills have been blocked in congress. Four times such a bill has passed the house, only to die awaiting action in the senate. They say the present situation is similar.

ULSTER SITUATION IS CAUSING MUTINY

SEVERAL OFFICERS RESIGN AND SOME TROOPS BALK AT MARCH ORDERS.

SOLDIERS OVERRUN PROVINCE

Large Armed Forces Occupy Every City In Attempt to Crush Opposition to Home Rule.—Unionists Quiet As Yet.

Ulster Defense Ready.

Belfast.—While representatives of both the British government and the Ulster party insist that the situation is easier, the reports or resignations of army officers are confirmed, and the officers of the Ulster army continue military preparations. Uniforms were to be issued today to the special service corps of 4,000 men. This corps is composed chiefly of old soldiers and sharpshooters and it will be Ulster's chief reliance in the first attack, if hostilities are begun. The corps is designed as a mobile striking force.

London, March 23.—A mutiny of two companies of the Dorsetshire regiment stationed in Belfast is reported by the Pall Mall Gazette. The message says: "When the men of the First batalion of the Dorsetshire regiment were paraded in Belfast and notified that they were being transferred elsewhere, they threw down their arms. A sergeant stepped forward, saluted the officers, and said: 'We will have no home rule here.'" This is thought in some quarters to be an exaggerated version of the reports of unrest among the regular troops in Ulster.

Dissatisfaction Is Seen.

The outstanding feature of the news from Ireland, however, was the dissatisfaction among the officers of the regular army under orders to proceed to Ulster with their regiments.

Ahe actual number of resignations among them were problematical, although it was reported that 100 officers of the Curragh camp have offered their resignations. That the situation is serious is evident from the earnest consultations of cabinet ministers regarding the best plans of counteracting the movement.

The actual fact of this disaffection is the more discomforting to the military authorities since the army is already seriously short of commissioned officers.

Threats of a crisis in the army if a movement of regular troops was undertaken against Ulster had long been current.

A Martial Aspect.

Belfast, Ireland.—Ulster presents a martial aspect. All the towns are occupied by soldiers of the regular army, and other detachments are marching along country roads, with long trains of baggage and ammunition carts, on their way to strengthen the various garrisons. In the meanwhile, at all unionist centers, there is great animation among the "Ulster volunteers." Throughout the province a feeling of intense excitement prevails, and everybody seems waiting in anxious expectation for something to occur—they know not what.

Within twenty-four hours over 3,000 regular troops, including four battalions of infantry, with machine guns and two batteries of field artillery, all equipped for active service, arrived in the various towns of Ulster.

These troops form the advance guard of a large armed force which the military authorities are sending to the northern provinces of Ireland to prevent the assumption of local government by anti-home rulers.

Still more troops are on the way to the north from the local military camp at Curragh and from other army stations.

No Public Demonstrations.

The sudden preparations by the war office thus far have not created any public demonstration in Belfast. The leaders of the so-called unionist provisional government, however, await their anxiety lest their overenthusiastic followers precipitate riots giving their opponents the sought-for opportunity for enforcing rigorous repressive measures.

Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster Unionist leader, and his lieutenants desire the government to take the first provocative step. Sir Edward realizing the great need of preventing an undisciplined outbreak, as protest against all these troop movements again urged the Ulstermen to keep cool.

For Ambassador to Russia.

Washington, March 23.—That President Wilson has practically decided to name Representative Sharp of Ohio as ambassador to Russia in place of Henry M. Pindell, resigned, is the opinion at the White House.

G. N. Man to Denver Road.

Portland, Ore., March 23.—Word was received here that J. Russell, general superintendent of the Great Northern lines, west of Troy, Mont., with headquarters at Seattle, has been appointed general manager of the Denver & Rio Grande, with headquarters at Denver. Russell was for years head of the operating department of the Hill lines in Oregon and became general superintendent of the Great Northern on Jan. 1, last. His appointment is effective April 1.

BANK BANDIT KILLED; 3 HURT

FIVE HUNDRED SHOTS EXCHANGED IN GUN BATTLE.

Robber Had Very Coolly Driven Cashier Into Vault and Walked Off With $1,200.

Shawnee, Okla., March 23.—In a fight with a sheriff's posse near here Jose Patterson, who, it is charged, robbed the State Bank of Newalla, Okla., of $1,200, was shot and killed, and Chas. Hawk, chief of police of Shawnee, and Frank Timmons, a deputy sheriff, were wounded.

H. C. Hulse, a farmer, who was a member of the posse, also received slight wounds. The money was not recovered.

Patterson, a native of Newalla, returned there after an absence of years, and walked into the state bank. Burt Braley, the cashier, knew him and spoke to him as he entered. For answer, Patterson covered the cashier with a revolver and ordered him to "get into the vault quick."

As the door closed behind the official, Patterson reached into the cash drawer and took $1,200. Then he walked out and through the main section of town.

It was two hours before the cashier could get out of the vault and give the alarm. Then a posse was organized and pursued Patterson to the thick timber near the town. He made little effort to conceal himself from the posse.

"Come on and fight," he shouted, from behind a barricade of fallen trees.

The fight lasted three hours and 500 shots were exchanged. Patterson saved his ammunition, using it only when a member of the posse came too close. He fell with a bullet from the rifle of Deputy Timmons.

When Patterson's clothing was searched only $3 was found. It is believed he buried the money.

SECRET PAGE IS REOPENED

Escape of Alleged Swindler an Issue Since Shooting of Editor Calmette.

Paris, March 23.—Two former premiers of France Joseph Caillaux and Ernest Monis, and the chief public prosecutor of the republic, Victor Fabre, were questioned by a parliamentary committee concerning their acts and their motives in hindering the trial of the banker, Henri Rochette, who, it is averred, duped investors out of $3,000,000, and ultimately escaped punishment.

The death of Gaston Calmette, editor of the Figaro, at the hands of Mme. Caillaux caused this secret page in the judicial history of the country to be reopened.

While M. Caillaux, restless and with an air of suppressed passion, replied to the questions put to him by the members of the committee, the bells for M. Calmette's funeral were tolling. Almost all the notable literary and dramatic personages in Paris either were in the church of Saint Francis de Sales for the funeral service or followed the hearse to the cemetery.

HIRES MEN TO SPEND MONEY

Indianan Who Inherits $7,000,000 Wants Friends to Share His Riches.

Hammond, Ind., March 23.—Receiving a letter from Greece that he is heir to a $7,000,000 estate, Mathias Constante, a steel worker here, has hired five close friends at $5,000 a year apiece to help him spend his money. That is all they will have to do. Word of the estate came to Constante this week. He obtained credit for everything he wanted and exclaimed as he read the letter: "What will I ever do with so much money?"

When he went to work at $1.75 per diem he told his five warm friends of his luck. They accepted his offer to go all over the world with him and help him spend his money. The six are celebrating. They left for Chicago and the police predict that they will land in jail.

Invalids Take Music Cure.

Baltimore, Md., March 23.—Before the assembled patients of the Phipps psychiatric clinic of the Johns Hopkins hospital a string trio rendered a program of chamber music as part of the curative treatment by the clinic to cure mental disorders. The doctors have found this an effective means of taking the patients' minds off their illness. There are many pianolas, music boxes, and phonographs in the building.

Canal Action Deferred.

Washington, March 23.—Consideration of the bill to repeal the toll exemption provision of the Panama canal act will not be undertaken by the senate committee on inter-oceanic canals for several days, despite efforts of Democratic senators who favor the repeal to hurry action.

President Unbosoms Himself.

Washington, March 23.—Woodrow Wilson unbosomed himself to the members of the National Press club, telling them in a conversational way how he felt as president of the United States, how difficult it was for him to imagine himself as the chief executive with the formal amenities of the position, and how he had struggled to be as free as the ordinary individual without the restraints of his office. It was an intimate picture of Woodrow Wilson, the man.

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WHEN the food reaches the stomach it is subjected to a peculiar churning movement by the muscular walls of the stomach"—(See Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser, page 45). In the liver, kidneys and skin, the blood is purified of its waste materials—these organs act as human filters, leaving the blood pure and clear—unless liver, digestive tract and kidneys are clogged.

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Immigration figures show that the population of Canada increased during 1913, by the addition of 400,000 new settlers from the United States and Europe. Most of these have gone on farms in provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

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Mrs. Gotham—Why, the idea! I think it is time the women insisted on their rights over there.

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To allay itching and irritation of the scalp, prevent dry, thin and falling hair, remove crusts, scales and dandruff, and promote the growth and beauty of the hair, the following special treatment is most effective, agreeable and economical. On retiring, comb the hair out straight all around, then begin at the side and make a parting, gently rubbing Cuticura Ointment into the parting with a bit of soft flannel held over the end of the finger. Anoint additional partings about half an inch apart until the whole scalp has been treated, the purpose being to get the Cuticura Ointment on the scalp skin rather than on the hair. It is well to place a light covering over the hair to protect the pillow from possible stain. The next morning, shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Shampoos alone may be used as often as agreeable, but once or twice a month is generally sufficient for this special treatment for women's hair.

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Good Rule to Follow.

Half of the fun of anything is looking forward to it, and the other half is looking back at it; the climax, the event itself, is merely the point at which the two kinds of pleasure meet in the middle.

Learn to go to your good time, when you have earned it, with the full expectation of enjoying yourself; and when it is over, let the happy memory of it keep coming back to bless and sweeten the subsequent days.

To a great extent, however, you go, you bring your own happines with you. You will have the best time by giving it to others, contradictory as this may seem. You will look back with most satisfaction on the occasion, when you were "the life of the party," when you entered into the fun and made most of it yourself, and did not sit back and expect to have it made for you.

Non-Inflammable Movies.

Neptune, being the god of the Seven Seas, very properly comes to the aid of the moving picture in banishing the menace of fire, but he does not offer water—sea-weed is the thing. From this an English experimenter has found that a product called "algin" can be extracted. It is used in the manufacture of non-inflammable films and in the treatment of paper to make it waterproof, flame-proof and germ-proof.

WANTED TO KNOW
The Truth About Grape-Nuts Food.

It doesn't matter so much what you hear about a thing, it's what you know that counts. And correct knowledge is most likely to come from personal experience.

"About a year ago," writes a N. Y. man, "I was bothered by indigestion, especially during the forenoon. I tried several remedies without any permanent improvement.

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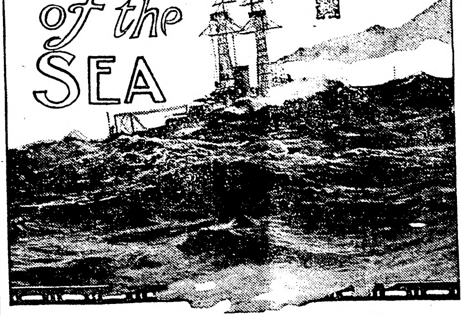
Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

IN the GRIP of the SEA



DREADNAUGHT DELAWARE IN RAGING SEA

IT WAS on the bark on which I served my apprenticeship, and we were homeward bound, says a writer in Cassell's Saturday Journal. We had swept up past the foam girt Azores and we were saying that five more days would raise the Lizard light.

As we plunged farther north the breeze freshened and grew until it seemed as though the very powers of the air were conspiring together to waft us onward at our best pace.

Still the gale increased and when at length we breasted the waters of the Bay of Biscay we found it arrayed in all its grim majesty to greet us. As far as our salt filled eyes could see there was nothing save a heaving waste of darkling, greenish-gray water, whipped across by flying sheets of solid spindrift, that ever and anon was lifted in the arms of the storm and flung aboard us in chilling wreaths. Before we could spit out the salt from our mouths the great, green combers rolled sullenly up, the low side of the vessel heeled to meet them and then, rising as a heavy squall struck down upon her, hove aboard a few hundred tons of the Atlantic ocean in one solid mass that filled the deck waist high.

So the night fell, and men looked one another in the face, and perhaps for the first time fear dawned in the eyes of some. The captain hung grimly to the weather shrouds of the mizzen and peered with staring eyes through the vibrating gloom at the overwrought main topgallant sail on which our very safety depended. It was an old sail, for we had not had time to bend the heavy weather canvas properly before these vigorous gales had commenced, and this sail was only the fine weather sheet we carried through the tropics. If that sail split, they said, nothing could save the ship. There would be one hunted heap as a sea caught her up astern, a wild swirling of down dragging water and then—the inevitable end.

Ship on Her Beam Ends.

Though the night was black with the blackness of the grave, there was a sort of ghostly sheen given off from the spray that showed us occasionally how the ship was behaving. Throughout that voyage we had bestowed every anathema in our vocabulary on the craft for her unkindliness, for she was loaded deep with niter, and was as buoyant as an iron bridge. Now she hove her streaming bows high in the air, while her squattering stern sunk down as though it would never rise again. Again, with a swoosh and a sullen roar, she buried her sharp bowsprit to the knightheads and far beyond, while the solid sea climbed up the slope of her decks to the very main hatch. The stern waggled drunkenly against the black gray sky, and we who lay there, with blinded eyes and grasping hands, hung madly to any rope that drifted our way, for dear life.

It seemed impossible that the sky could hold more potent powers than those that were now thundering about us, and yet, as long minute dragged itself away after long minute, the wind gained a velocity that was tremendous. It was more than a hurricane; it was a typhoon, a pampero, a black norther, all welded into one awful whole.

On the stroke of midnight a squall flared upon us with such a whistling velocity that, though we were lying at length on the poopdeck, we were blown like feathers hard against the lee rail. The breath was knocked completely out of our bodies and we said the end was come. The ship was thrown flat on her beam ends. She lurched wildly and a long groan from every straining plate rose above that fiendish din of the storm. A sharp cracking aloft told of something amiss, and when the next lightning flash sizzled overhead we sent our eyes to the main topgallant sail with one accord. But it still held. A dull rumbling crash forward told us where the damage was done; there was the thunder of falling spars and the fore topgallant mast went by the board.

And then, when the squall was at its height, the wind shifted like a flash. It had blown hard from the southwest, it now blew harder from the northwest. We thought no wind could blow so ferociously, but the force of the preceding breeze was as a maiden's sigh compared with what followed. By the light of the binnacle we could see the helmsman and the captain, together with both mates, laboring hard to get the helm up and the ship away before the shifted wind. Their faces gleamed ghastly and we could hear the panting of their heavy breathing where we lay helpless; but that shift of wind was just what was required to right the ship. She lifted herself with a glorious motion and shook herself like a duck; then, as the wind caught her full astern, she sprang forward like an arrow from a bow.

At half past two the weather helmsman almost fainted at his post. He had been kept up to his work by copious doses of grog, but the strain was too severe to be kept up. The next best man in the ship took the spokes, the helmsman let go and for a second the ship went on as usual. But not for long. The new man had not got the "hang" of things, and he allowed her to jibe a little. Instantly she was awash.

The whole Atlantic ocean seemed to pour aboard this time, and we in the half deck, where we had gone for temporary shelter, hearing the sullen thud, thought it was the end. One of the men sprang to the door and tried to open it, but a solid wall of water was behind it and it resisted his stoutest efforts. Another, with the sweat drops of fear shining on his forehead, jumped on the table and thrust up the skylight in the room. Immediately the place was half filled with water. The lamp went out and the horrible sound of swishing water filled our ears.

An Awful Plunge Into the Deep.

Why dwell on every detail of that awful night? Suffice it that the old helmsman was sent back to the wheel at once, that his skill made our escape possible, and that after what seemed like long years had passed, the chill dawn broke, and showed us our plight in all its gruesomeness. Not a thing remained about the decks save those solid structures that were built into the fabric's hull. Every boat we carried had disappeared, having been smashed into splitwood and then carried over side.

As we raced through the gray light a large bark appeared in sight ahead. We ranged toward her, and as we drew near the red ensign stood out. It was union down—the signal of distress.

We could not even lift a hand toward her salvation! We had not a boat that would float, and if we had had all the boats of a liner they would not have floated a second in that raging fury of the wind lashed sea. We passed on, and a low groan burst from a score of throats. Well it might! At one minute the helpless ship was high poised on the crest of a wave, at another she swerved giddily downward. We waited with bated breath for the reappearance, but we saw nothing more. She had run under.

Experience Comes First.

That age and experience as a rule count for more than youth and enthusiasm is a theme sustained vigorously by the editor of the American Machinist. To illustrate his point he cites the following experience:

A short time ago we spent a few days in a large machine shop where a man is considered young until he reaches sixty five or seventy years of age. We met a number who had seen from twenty to forty years of service with this company. When inquiries were made as to their work we were told that it was as good as and often better than that of many younger men in the company's employ.

In this shop was noticed the absence of waste motion; no 'goose steps' were seen. Often much of the hurry and bustle exhibited by the younger man is useless motion and parade action.

To the superintendent who looks only at appearances such actions might indicate a live shop, but in fact they do not get anywhere."

Woman Explorer of Arabia.

A Russian woman, Countess Moltor, has just started on an attempt to cross Arabia at its widest part, from west to east, penetrating the Desert of Roba-el-Khali. This huge desert is absolutely blank on the maps has never been entered by a European, and is practically unknown even to the natives of adjoining parts of Arabia. The countess proposes to dress as an Arab and to be accompanied only by natives.

A Warning.

"I was charmed with Miss Smith. She certainly is a lady of winning ways."

"Then you be careful how you accept her invitations to her bridge parties."

Believed in Daylight Saving.

The late King Edward practiced daylight saving on lines similar to those proposed in the daylight saving parliamentary bill. For many years and Sandringham he caused his clocks to be advanced 30 minutes during the summer months, and in the last two years of his life he caused the same rule to be observed at Windsor and Balmoral, and said that he was favorably disposed towards the bill.

Getting Eyes Closer.

"You know it is said that the proper distance between the eyes is the width of one eye," said the sweet young thing on the sofa.

"Well, move up closer, then," suggested the gentleman present.

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A Message To Women

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"I was visiting at a friend's house one day and she thought I needed Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and I have gained eight pounds, have a good appetite and am feeling better every day. Everybody is asking me what I am doing and I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. You may publish this letter if you wish and I hope others who have the same complaint will see it and get health from your medicine as I did."—Mrs. A. Hornung, 91 Stanton St., Buffalo, N. Y.

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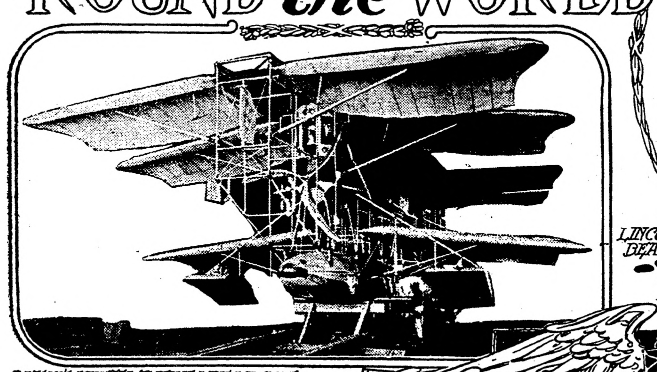

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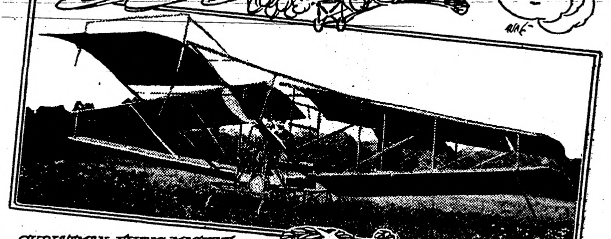

CHRISTMAN FLYING MACHINE

ROUND THE WORLD AIR ROUTE

A MAJORITY of experienced aviators believe the proposed aeroplane flight around the world this summer, while it will be a marvelous demonstration of human progress and efficiency, is nevertheless feasible. The directors of the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco are assured of the co-operation of all the great nations over whose territory the monoplanes and aeroplanes will whirl.

Feat after feat of endurance must be performed by the aviator who traverses the broad American continent, makes the great jumps from island to island of the North Atlantic, pursues the well-traveled air lanes of Europe, safely passes over the bleak and forbidding wastes of Siberia, and fringes the almost uninhabited coast line of northern Asia and Alaska.

But each of these feats has been exceeded already in the air records now on the books. Now all that is needed is the combination of them. The performance of one great air journey after another means luck, enormous luck, to a greater degree than in almost any sporting contest ever organized.

Several aviators have signified their intention of entering. They are willing to take the risks. They are not actuated by the desire for gold, for even the successful contender, who will win the $150,000 first prize and also the $50,000 offered by Lord Northcliffe for the first crossing of the Atlantic, will find his $200,000 and perhaps more eaten up by the expenses of his undertaking.

It is quite certain, however, that plenty of men of large fortunes and sporting proclivities will be found to finance this peerless air event.

The eyes of the world will be upon the brave contenders, even more than they were upon the pioneer aviation racers in that first meet at Rheims in 1908.

The attention of the close students of the race is centered upon the problem of the Atlantic. After passing due east from San Francisco across the Sierras, through Reno, Nev.; Cheyenne, Wyo.; Kansas City, St. Louis and New York, the aviators will coast along the seaboard to Belle Isle, between Newfoundland and Labrador. Here the flight across the Atlantic will begin. The flyers will probably head for Cape Farewell, Greenland, 610 miles away. From Cape Farewell to Iceland the distance is 670 miles, and from Iceland to Stornaway, in the Hebrides, is 570 miles.

Three enormous leaps—610, 670 and 570 miles. None of them insurmountable in itself. But to hit the bull's-eye three times in succession—there's the rub.

Then these seas are not always as hospitable as the Mediterranean, which Roland Garros has now crossed twice. There are fog and wind and rocky landing places.

But if a row of warships patrol the course, lent by their governments in the interests of science and human progress, the risk will not be greater (for instance) than that taken by the late John B. Moissant when he set off in an untried machine with a fog in his face to fly from Paris to London at a time when the channel crossing alone was considered almost a miracle.

Compared with the Atlantic crossing, too, the rest of the journey seems fairly simple.

The proposed route is by way of Edinburgh, London, Paris, Berlin, Warsaw, St. Petersburg, Moscow and the Trans-Siberian railway to Manchuria and then south to Vladivostok. The next lap takes the aviator across the sea to Corea.

He must then cross the Japan sea to Kobe and Tokyo, turn north to Kamchatka and travel along the coast either to East cape or to the Aleutian islands. The distance between the two continents here varies from 30 to 200 miles. From Alaska the course will be southward to Vancouver, Seattle, and home to San Francisco.

The aviators who hesitate about pronouncing the journey possible in the present stage of their are calling attention to the distance—28,000 miles. The successful flyer must travel an average of more than 200 miles a day for four months. Will it be possible to accomplish the trip in the few months of summer of the Northern regions through parts of which the course lies? Vedrines was five weeks in doing the 3,500 miles from Paris to the pyramids, flying at an average of only 100 miles daily.

This explains clearly how greatly the proposed journey would outdo anything yet accomplished. Besides the notable flights already mentioned, Oscar Bider has flown over practically every high mountain in Europe, Garros has made a flight from Marseilles to Paris without stopping, Brindejonc des Moulinais has toured the capitals of Europe, and two besides Vedrines have reached Egypt from France. Yet these journeys pale before the difficulties of the race around the globe.

It is to be noted, however, that the history of aviation is one succession of surprises. Scarcely anything of importance accomplished has not been called impossible beforehand. Aviators have done so much that one hesitates to doubt their ability to do anything.

Special aeroplanes will be constructed for the race. These will probably be swift, but not built for the maximum speed. They will make say, 60 miles an hour. Reliability will be the object. There will be accommodations for two men, both pilots, who will relieve each other at the tiller. A large supply of fuel and oil must be carried. It will be a splendid test for the machine builders, and most of the factories on both sides of the Atlantic are expected to be in the field.

In the United States the following constructors have tentatively signified their willingness to build a 'round the world plane: Glenn H. Curtiss of Hammondsport, N. Y.; Orville Wright of Dayton, O.; W. Starling Burgess of Marblehead, Mass.; Thomas Benoist of St. Louis, Emile Berliner of Washington, D. C.; the Heinrich Brothers of Baldwin, L. I; John E. Sloane of New York city, Editon F. Gallaudet of Norwich, Conn., and Ingles Uppercu of New York city.

There are now 7,000 licensed aviators in the world. Out of this field there must be several hundred who would attempt the proposed flight if the financial backing were forthcoming. The first man in America to get in his entry was Beckwith Havens. Capt. Mathew A. Batson of Savannah, Ga., a former army officer, who is the inventor of a flying boat, announces he will enter the race. Lincoln Beachey will also compete. From abroad come many expressions showing enthusiasm for the race.

The time before the start is short, however. By May 1, few could have their machines in readiness at the Golden Gate. Claude Grahame-White, the noted English aviator, thinks the exposition officials should take off the time limit entirely. He thinks the trip around the globe cannot be made this summer, but might be accomplished in 1916. He said:

"They (the exposition officials) might as well offer $10,000,000. It is as safe as in the Bank of England if the offer is to be withdrawn at the end of 1915. I do not believe you would have time now to get a machine ready even if you worked day and night.

"I think it would need to be a comparatively slow machine for the race; that is, one doing 60 miles an hour. I certainly would not have a monoplane, for I do not think monoplane construction lends itself to a big weight-lifting machine."

The London Daily Mail, Lord Northcliffe's newspaper, doubts that the feat can be accomplished. It says:

"The exhibition committee's offer indicates remarkable confidence in the future of aircraft, though there is little prospect of the feat being accomplished by the proposed date. But it is merely a question of time before an airman puts a girdle around the world."

Roland Garros said:

"They can count me in, provided oceans are eliminated, as in the case of an automobile trip, and other conditions are decently fair. I am an aviator who will not attempt the impossible. I am positive that no engine today could stand the whole journey. Without having to fly across the oceans, I believe I could accomplish the feat with one engine, provided I were allowed to repair it."

Capt. Thomas Baldwin, a veteran of the balloon field before he took up aeroplanes, said the greatest difficulty would be to cross the Atlantic ocean, and for this trip special machines with arrangements to carry provisions and fuel for 20 hours at least must be constructed.

"Except for the flight across the Atlantic," said Captain Baldwin, "the race will not be difficult. I figure that the aviators will have to travel 28,000 miles. Of course it will be necessary for two pilots to travel in each machine so that they can relieve each other.

"Motors now are made so that they are fairly reliable, and the trips across the water for stretches of 500 or 600 miles may be accomplished with comparative ease. The trip by land over Europe and Asia will be made without great difficulty, and arrangements for crossing the Bering strait will insure success for that stage of the journey."

The exposition officials expect to have at least $300,000 to offer in prizes. The first prize will probably be $150,000, although it may be $100,000 or $200,000. The race will be under the supervision of an international commission consisting of men from all the countries on the route of the race. The commission will be scientific and advisory, and its duties will be to suggest the route and offer counsel on geographic, meteorologic and scientific problems.

The commission will be named by the president of the United States, the king of Great Britain, the president of France, the German emperor, the emperor of Russia, the emperor of Japan, and the premier of British Columbia. An international fleet will be organized. Japan and the United States will be asked to patrol the Pacific ocean course with scout cruisers, and the United States, England and France to establish the same sort of a guard in the Atlantic. Russia will be requested to distribute troops over the desolate wastes of Siberia and Manchuria.

TALKED TO DEATH.

The toastmaster was in despair. Looking down the table he saw a friend, an Irishman, noted for his wit, and he thought that he might help. He called on him. With due solemnity the Irishman responded:

"I cannot say what I want to say," he began with "for we are all limited to five minutes. So I will tell you of an Irishman who came to this country. He wrote home telling of things here, and recounted that no longer were men put to death in this country by being hanged. 'The way they kill 'em here,' he wrote, 'is by elocution.'"—Raleigh News and Observer.

A REAL BARON.

"At last," exclaimed the long-haired inventor, "I have evolved the greatest practical blessing of the age!"

"Oh, tell me, Theophilus, tell me what it is," begged his wife.

"A collar button with a little phonograph inside that will call out when it rolls into a dark corner under the dresser: 'Here I am! Here I am!'"—Cleveland Leader.

HOUSEHOLD PROBLEMS.

"Housekeeping in a small flat has its problems."

"How now?"

"My wife is kicking because she has to buy 5 cents' worth of ice to preserve 4 cents' worth of milk."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

VOLUNTARY.

First Grad—My wife's gone to the West Indies.

Second G.—Jamaica?

First G.—No—she wanted to go.—Orange Peel.

PRACTICAL HINTS PICKED UP IN HOG YARD

Fine Matured Sow—The Right Sort for Breeding.

(By HENRY G. GROWN.)

For many years I have followed the method of allowing my pigs to run with the sows as long as the sows will permit them. My theory is that sows are made for that purpose, and I see no reason why young pigs should be taken away from their mother as long as she has milk for them. The more milk the pigs get, the better it is for them.

I use matured sows for breeding, and try to have them in very good flesh at farrowing time, but not fat. They do not get too thin from suckling, and very often come in season in time to breed for fall litters, before pigs are weaned.

Another thing: I feed my pigs nearly all the corn they will eat, although I know this practice is condemned by many hog raisers. When they are very young, I give them a little slop made of shorts, water and a bit of oil-meal.

I feed the pigs in an inclosure by themselves, and never give more at one time than they will clean up. I feed them a little slop all through the summer, and give them a free run of the pasture. I take care that they have all the sweet grass they can eat, clover and alfalfa.

They root up the alfalfa slightly, but I did not believe they would do any permanent damage to it until the last year or two, when I became convinced that it would not do to pasture alfalfa, and I now keep my pigs out of it. I am satisfied that pasturing alfalfa to either pigs or hogs will cause it to run out.

I begin to feed oats to the pigs as soon as harvest comes on. They eat it with a relish, and I find it one of the best foods I can use to give the pigs stamina and start them on the road to fattening.

When the corn is past the roasting ear period, I begin to feed them that very lightly at first, gradually increasing the ration, until the late corn is ripe. I always feed some oats or old corn along with the green corn, and have never had any trouble from thumps.

I consider it very important to feed the pigs in dry warm quarters, and never allow them to stray out in the cold, wet rain. I have good shade in the pasture under which they can lie during the very hot weather.

I spray my hog houses regularly twice a year, and keep them whitewashed inside and out, and have never been troubled with lice on my place. I raise from 50 to 75 hogs every year, feeding them what I raise on the farm, and always manage to make a profit.

KEEP ALL STRAW FOR STOCK FEED

With Silage, Roots or Grain It Makes Good Ration—Also Valuable Fertilizer.

Many farmers do not realize to what extent straw is valuable, or how to make the best use of it. Large quantities of straw have been burned, in the past, as the easiest method of disposal, but from now on it will be used to a great extent with silage, roots, grains and the like. In using it with silage it serves a double purpose—it helps keep certain kinds of silage from spoiling in the silo, and it is a good filler for stock feeding.

Straw is especially poor in crude protein and fat, and rich in cellulose, or woody fiber. This makes it particularly useful in the winter time for horses and cattle, as it requires a great deal of energy to masticate, digest, and pass it through the body, thus keeping the animal warm. Wheat straw is being used at the Hays experiment station at the present time, along with other feeds. The cattle are eating quite a large amount of this straw and have gained in weight. Oats straw is far more nutritious than wheat straw and is much preferred by stock.

After stock have been allowed to run to a straw pile, the straw will soon decay and contain a considerable amount of droppings from the animals, which makes it valuable as a fertilizer. Wheat straw makes excellent bedding material, as it does not break up badly, and will absorb more moisture than either oats or rye straw.

Wheat straw is often used by manufacturers for packing purposes. It is also used in the paper industry. If a farmer has a large amount of straw and has good shipping facilities, he may be able to dispose of it at a profit.

WHITEWASHING IS EXCELLENT HABIT

One of Old-Time Customs Which the Present Generation Might Profitably Follow.

The old-fashioned New England habit of whitewashing everything, from the front yard fence to the stable, at least twice a year, was a most excellent one, and is one of the old-time customs which the present generation might well adopt.

The following is the recipe for making whitewash published by the United States department of agriculture:

Slake half a bushel of unslaked lime with boiling water, keeping it covered during the process. Strain it and add a peck of salt, dissolved in warm water; three pounds of ground rice put in boiling water and boiled to a thin paste; half a pound of Spanish whiting, and a pound of clear glue, dissolved in warm water. Mix these well together, and let the mixture stand for several days. Keep the wash thus prepared in a kettle or portable furnace, and when used put it on as hot as possible with painters' or whitewash brushes.

ALFALFA PASTURE FOR LIVE STOCK

Has Higher Feeding Value When Cut at an Early Stage—Better to Feed Than Sell.

Alfalfa is invaluable as a pasture for live stock. For hog pasture it is especially so. Ten pounds of green alfalfa produces one pound of pork. Figuring on this basis, an acre of green alfalfa, weighing 20,000 pounds, will make 2,000 pounds of pork which, at five cents a pound, is worth $100. This estimate is true when corn and alfalfa are fed together.

Alfalfa has a higher feeding value when cut at an early stage of maturity, about one-tenth in bloom, than when out in full bloom. It contains more nutrient value, pound for pound, than any other forage crop, being almost equal to wheat bran in digestible nutrients. Alfalfa compares favorably with cottonseed meal, soy beans and wheat bran in amount of digestible protein. Since the price of these concentrates is higher than the price of alfalfa, it is cheaper and more profitable to feed alfalfa.

The best way for the farmer to market alfalfa hay is in the form of horses, hogs, beef, mutton or dairy products. Such products are easily taken to the market, and the manure, which may be returned to the soil, is almost equal in value to the hay itself. Under all conditions, it is better to feed alfalfa to live stock than to sell it as a marketable product. It is advisable for the farmer to sell his hay only when he has more than enough to feed his live stock.

BUILDING A RACK FOR HAULING WOOD

Use Two Pieces of Very Strong Wood and Have Blacksmith Make Standard Sockets.

(By W. H. UNDERWOOD.)

Take two 4 by 5 pieces of very strong wood not less than eleven feet long and not more than twelve and cut a notch so as to fit down over hind bolster of wagon to prevent rack from slipping backward or forward. Use four or six standards on each side and the same number of cross pieces and at the same places make sure that the standard in going down through the standard socket catches and pries against the end of the cross piece. Make standards three and one-half feet long. They may be afterwards cut off if desired. Have a blacksmith make standard sockets from old wagon tires to admit a standard one and one-half by four inches and with bolt holes for one-half inch bolts. Bolt all cross pieces firmly. Have wagon nearby when making rack and have the rack go as far forward as possible so that when it is turned so that front wheels strike the side rail on one side and the other wheel will just miss the front end of the other side rail, and also the front standard pocket. Boards may be used on the wagon to get these measurements.

NAPOLEON SMITH
Real Estate Promoter

By
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Captain Hammond passed the gate of the modest Smith residence at a good round clip, for he had his usual scant seconds to catch the eight twenty-seven. An elastic step at his side suddenly swung into perfect accord with his heel and toe rhythm, and a young voice, which nevertheless sounded like that of a "regular man," bade him a very cheerful good morning.

"Mr. Hammond, I want a job," was the next remark of the voice. Captain Hammond frowned and turned to find himself looking slightly upward, straight into the grin of young Napoleon Smith.

Now the grin of young Napoleon was the most infectious and ingratiating joy ever devised.

Meeting the grin, Captain Hammond relaxed and smiled in spite of himself.

"What can you do?" he asked.

"Hustle," stated young Smith in reply to the question.

This time Captain Hammond laughed outright.

"That's the most valuable asset you can own," he declared. "Your name's Smith, isn't it?"

Napoleon admitted that it was.

The eight twenty-seven just then whistled for Briarscot, and both men started to run.

"But about that job?" suggested young Smith again.

"Oh, yes," said the captain, and unconsciously he frowned once more. "I don't know of a thing at our place. You say you've had no business experience at all?"

"None that I care to tell about," replied the other, smiling reminiscently. "All through college I served as a correspondent for various papers, and through vacations I worked on general assignments on the Courier. I could go to work on the paper now, but the occupation doesn't seem to promise much of a future."

The captain nodded his head with a jerk.

"Choosing a profession is like making a wise investment," he said. "I understand your father's estate didn't cut up quite so well as was expected?"

"No," returned young Smith cheerfully. "It totaled to exactly nothing, and nothing to carry. You don't think, then, that there is anything in your place?"

"Not just now," said the captain. "However, I shall bear you in mind."

Captain Hammond strode into his office and fired off his usual morning question.

"Where's Bluffing?"

"Not down yet," said the girl of the straw-colored hair, slightly worried.

About half an hour later, Bluffing, a young man with a big straw hat and puffs under his eyes strolled in, smoking a cigarette, and, after a moment's deliberation, decided that he might as well work as not.

"Mr. Bluffing," said the captain, "I'd like to remind you that the address of this office is 710 Green street, and that we look forward with eager anticipation to the pleasure of your society between the hours of nine and twelve and one and five. If those hours seem a trifle inconvenient to you, you might state so in writing and I'll put the matter up to the board of directors."

"Very sorry, Mr. Hammond," said Bluffing with a wink at the straw-haired girl. "You see, we got caught in a jam at—"

"I don't give a continental what held you," responded Mr. Hammond. "The point is that we want you here at nine o'clock, with no excuse short of a broken leg."

On the second mail an excessively large order soothed the captain somewhat, and at noon the arrival of a tall, black-haired young lady with a color in her cheeks which never came from a chemist's shop, soothed him still more.

"I suppose you have a lot of old business engagements for luncheon, haven't you, daddy? Now tell me yes," she said.

"But I am going to tell you no," replied the captain, all smiles.

"Then," she informed him with a mock courtesy, "I am going to allow you to buy some eclairs and things for a stunning young lady to whom you may point with pride."

"By George, Margie," said the captain, now as gentle as any suckling lamb, "how you have developed! There is just a little bit of a pang in that last remark of yours. Some of these days it will be some other fellow's place to point with pride and fill all other male hearts with envy."

"Indeed!" she said, quite loftily, "maybe that time has already come."

He laughed and closed his eyes for a second.

"I had a queer experience this morning with young Smith, up in our suburb," he said.

"Pole Smith?" she inquired.

"Pole!" he repeated.

"Yes; Napoleon, you know we called him Pole because he was such a gangling, spindle-legged youngster when we organized the Briarscot Tennis club. Since he's grown handsome he doesn't like the name very much, so we call it to him all the time."

"You know him pretty well, then?"

"Why, he fairly haunts our front porch! Haven't you seen him there?"

"No."

"Yes, you have, I know; but you're a fine, trustful daddy, and you never put a microscope on the young men I bring around."

"What sort of a fellow is this Pole Smith?" he asked.

"Why, daddy, he's a regular, sure-for-truly, cross-my-heart, hope-I-may die fellow."

He looked at her in affectionate wonder.

"If you had all those words in your system, I am glad you got them out," said he. "By the way, I formed about the same impression of your Pole Smith that you've given me. He's good to look at, and I've been remembering that wonderful grin of his all morning. It's like a drink of good wine."

"He's a perfectly grand grinner; he invented it, I think," agreed Marjorie, and they went to lunch.

That evening, just before closing time, Hammond looked suddenly up from his memoranda and snapped:

"Bluffing, did you see about securing that adjoining tract of land for the extension of the Eureka Works?"

"Why—no," faltered Mr. Bluffing, "I haven't seen to it yet."

"You haven't!" roared Hammond, "Bluffing, I am going to pain you. Go do business with the cashier, and don't bother to come back and shake hands. Good-by."

That evening, after having accepted the angry resignation of the girl with the straw-colored hair, the captain took a train 15 minutes earlier than his accustomed one, and stopped at the gray cottage of the Smiths' on his way up to his own big stone residence at the end of the boulevard. In answer to his ring a very pretty brown-haired girl came to the door, and Captain Hammond, whose heart was growing younger through the day's experience, fairly beamed upon her.

"My goodness me! And you're one of the grown-up Smith children, too, aren't you?" he said, as one awakening to a startling discovery.

"Yes, Captain Hammond," she replied, dimpling. "I'm June."

"Where's your brother?"

"Oh, he's up at your house playing tennis, I think. We were just going up to join them," and she looked back over her shoulder and smiled, as a chubby young fellow of about twenty-two strolled out hatless and saluted the captain with a flourish of his hand.

"Hell, Peters!" said the captain; "you're a great one. I never see you twice with the same girl."

"Hush!" said Billy Peters in a careful burlesque of a confidential undertone. "I don't dare encourage any of them too much." And he gave a fine imitation of a man yawning.

"Some of these days, my boy," warned the captain, laughing, "you're going to be so hard hit that it will make a man of you. By the way, June, I'm suddenly so interested in all you young people that I forgot my errand. I understand that your brother is looking for a position."

"Oh, no!" she said, beaming with sisterly pride, "he found one this morning."

Then the captain, who usually tried to be most circumspect in the company of ladies, forgot himself.

"Hell!" he said.

Napoleon Smith had "scouted" in perhaps a dozen places before a good Samaritan led him to the offices of Forsythe and Spencer. They called themselves promoters, did Forsythe and Spencer, although they chiefly promoted real estate deals and would follow a dollar through Hades, or until they had annexed it. Forsythe's hair, face, mustache and beard were the color of a dish of ice cream, and he looked up at one through shrewd old eyes which bored down through the soul to the pockets.

"Yes, Mr. Smith," he quavered in his high-pitched and nasal voice, "we do need a man, but I'm afraid from what you tell me that you haven't had enough business experience."

"Assuming that you are correct," he said, "how much money would you be willing to pay me?"

"Ten dollars a week."

Napoleon grinned. Forsythe liked that grin; he knew it had commercial value, and he waited with concealed anxiety for the answer.

"And what would I be expected to do?"

"Anything you're told."

"No," decided Mr. Smith. [illegible] more money for that. We'll say about 25 dollars, and even then there'd have to be reservations."

Around the corners of Forsythe's mouth there came an unfamiliar twitch, and after a hard struggle the corners turned upward.

"I see," he said. "Well, Mr Smith, suppose we leave the question of salary an open one. Suppose you work with us for two weeks. At the end of that time, we'll sit down and have a good quarrel upon the matter of pay."

"I'll take you," said Napoleon, with an alacrity which almost startled the older man.

"Come in and meet Mr. Spencer," he said, grimly.

So it came about that Napoleon Smith was put out in Sunnyview and began the herculean task of selling building lots to prospective home-seekers. The first week he was well-nigh discouraged, for, in spite of all his engaging efforts and his pleasing personality, and even despite his grin, the flock of people attracted by the Forsythe and Spencer advertising came and looked at the appalling forsakenness of the place and went away; and by Saturday noon he had only sold eight lots.

"What do you think of that Smith boy?" said Forsythe, rubbing his bloodless old hands together. "He sold eight of those Sunnyview stickers. It's a record for that type of place."

"Keep him out there," advised Mr. Spencer sagely. "And tell him he'll have to do better if he's going to stay with us."

A hint to that effect on the following Tuesday, however, set Napoleon, heretofore humble, upon his defense.

"I'm doing the best I can, and hope to do better," he declared. "What ought my sales to reach?"

"Well—um—not less than 15 lots," stated Forsythe.

The younger man was silent for a moment, looking into the beady little wrinkled eyes of his employer.

"How much profit do you make on those lots?" he suddenly asked.

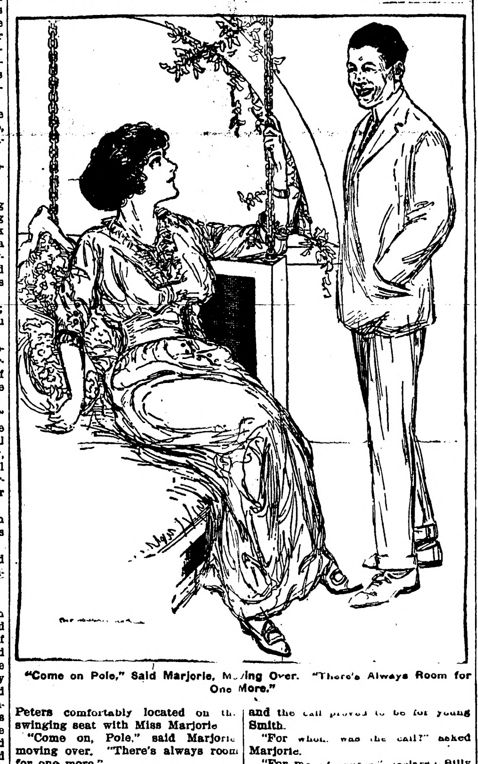
Mr. Forsythe visibly winced.

"Profits!" he exclaimed. "Um—you see, Mr. Smith, it's impossible to tell until we're all through, on account of advertising expenses, cost of selling, and other items, to say nothing of the heavy investment in the site."

The famous grin sprang into instant illumination, and scared the astute Mr. Forsythe nearly into heart disease.

"Yes," said the owner of the grin with calm joy, "I met the former proprietor of that land out at Sunnyview just yesterday, and he told me your exact investment. I think, Mr. Forsythe, that on Saturday night I am going to have more salary than I have mentioned; or else I may go on a commission basis."

Napoleon walked up on the moonlit Hammond porch and found Billy Peters comfortably located on the swinging seat with Miss Marjorie.



"Come on Pole," Said Marjorie, Moving Over. "There's Always Room for One More."

"Come on, Pole," said Marjorie, moving over. "There's always room for one more."

"Indeed there's not," declared Billy, moving squarely into the center of the remaining space. "Go away, Pole Smith, I'm making love."

Napoleon regarded him for a moment with tolerant humor.

"All right, Billy," he agreed. "Where's your father, Margie?"

"He's in the library," she replied, laughing as he had done, at Billy Peters' drawling avowal.

As he walked away, Marjorie looked after his tall figure with appreciation.

"Isn't he a certainly fellow?" she observed.

"Declared irregular," announced Billy cheerfully. "Against the rules to ask any smitten swain to praise the deadly rival."

"Billy, Billy," she laughed. "Don't you ever think of anything serious?"

In the meantime, Napoleon sought the library where Captain Hammond, then poring over his plans for the extension of the Eureka Iron mills, arose instantly with a smile of pleasure and extended his hand.

"Well, Pole," he said, "you got away from me."

"I couldn't wait," explained Pole.

"How do you like your new place?" went on the captain, offering him a cigar.

"Oh, it's interesting, though I'm not sure I'd like it for a life occupation. It's wonderful how much business can be done on a small amount of ready money. I find Forsythe and Spencer are swinging that whole Sunnyview deal on an initial cash payment of a thousand dollars, mortgage notes for the balance. They do a big business in options, too, I've found, and they make a dollar go farther than I'd ever dreamed it could reach."

"You've only known the spending dollars," returned the captain with a smile. "A single, ordinary, spending dollar is of no more use than a safety razor at a colored picnic, but a business dollar has no time for foolishness. I'd like to see you succeed, Smith. To do that you've got to appreciate that there's no sentiment or friendship in business. If there is, the business fails. Remember that, will you?"

"I'm not likely to forget it," replied Napoleon seriously. "It was because of such lovable weaknesses that my father failed."

"Yes," admitted the captain. "Your father always was a sentimentalist, and he lost many a good opportunity through it. The sooner you get out of your head, young man, that money has any emotions, the better off you'll be."

"I see," said Napoleon dryly.

"The quicker you see, the better," insisted the captain, dwelling upon the subject so strongly that one might think he had really almost need to defend himself. "Where would I have been if I had stopped for such considerations? As it is, I built the Eureka iron mills out of nothing—a little bit of a 16 by 20 shop, where we made plain castings—to its present 20-acre spread. Not only that, but we must have more room, large additions, too, right away."

"Where is your plant?" asked young Smith with growing interest.

"Out on the Cedarpong division of the L. & I., at Hammondville."

"Hammondville! Why, I pass the Hammondville station every day on my way to the Sunnyview addition, but I never noticed your plant."

"No, we haven't the business advantages that we ought to have," admitted the captain; "I'm thinking of cutting away the sand ridge which shuts off the view of our factory from the railroad."

Just then the telephone bell rang, and the call proved to be for young Smith.

"For whom was the call?" asked Marjorie.

"For me, of course," declared Billy Peters. "I'll gamble it was some one of the girls calling me up."

"No," said Napoleon abstractedly, thinking upon other matters so deeply that he had no time to reply to Billy Peters in his own banter. "It's from June. She wants me to come down and get her."

"Just what I told you," said Billy triumphantly. "I wish your sister would quit following me around. You ought to speak to her about it, Pole. But never mind; you stay here, and I'll go ahead. You may try to make love to Margie while I am gone."

"Trying to make love to Margie is rather a bromide," said Napoleon. "Everybody has the same idea." Nevertheless, he sat down most comfortably and contentedly by Marjorie's side, and allowed Billy Peters to stroll negligently after his sister.

Hammondville consisted of a station and three streets of well-populated workmen's cottages. Beyond, reached by a wagon road and a spur track, was the Eureka plant, a low-lying collection of brick buildings which sprawled in every direction. To the front was a sand ridge; to the rear, the sound, to the east, a stretch of level land; and to the west, an equal area which, however, was one-third marsh. As young Smith stepped into view around the turn of the road, workmen were removing the "for sale or lease" sign from the better tract, and Napoleon stopped to look upon this operation with a trace of annoyance.

"Quick work," he said. Then he approached the workmen. "Who's bought this place?" he asked.

"I couldn't tell you, sir," said the older man of the crew. "Mr. Panz told us to move the sign over to Greeneck."

Panz was the real estate agent whose name was on the board, and with a sigh Napoleon saw he had been correct in his surmise; that the captain had taken extraordinarily prompt action.

"A fool's errand," he told himself. He hurried back to the station, where there was a public 'phone, and called up Panz's office.

"I understand you have a tract of land for sale at Hammondville," he observed.

"I couldn't tell you about that," said the clerk at the other end. "Who's this speaking?"

"Smith, of Forsythe and Spencer's office."

"Oh! I'll find out about it right away, Mr. Smith." Then a moment later: "We no longer have control of that tract. It was sold yesterday."

"To whom?"

"To the Consolidated Hame-ring Manufacturing company, which we understand intends to erect an extensive plant there."

"Good," said Smith. "Thank you," and he rang off.

"Who owns that piece of property to the west of the Eureka iron mills?" he asked the station agent.

"Mrs. McGundy," said the lantern-jawed station agent, scraping his finger nail tenderly over his nose. "She lives in that sky-blue house just to the end of the frog pond."

Napoleon hurried away to the little blue house, where he found Mrs. McGundy to be a globular person cut into two hemispheres by an apron string.

"Mrs. McGundy," queried Napoleon, "do you wish to sell your land over here?"

"Show me the man that will buy it?" said she. "I surely could part with it without breaking my heart. Twenty years ago, when Jim bought it for a song, it was supposed that if we held on to it for 20 years it would be worth all the money in the mint, but in all that time never have I seen the man that would ever be wanting that land, unless it would be Captain Hammond. But he don't want it. Twice I have gone myself to sell it to him, and twice he gave me to understand that if he bought any land it would be the other piece. You're not representing Captain Hammond?"

"No," said Napoleon brisky. "What will you take for the land?"

"Well, there's 20 acres, and it's worth, Jim always said, 200 dollars an acre. That's $4,000. Give me that and I'll take the next steamer for Dublin."

"I can't give you the four thousand cash," said Smith, "but I'll give you one thousand cash, and a mortgage note on the balance, payable in 60 days. You can wait the two months for the collection of that note, or you can probably discount it."

"Let me understand that," said Mrs. McGundy.

He carefully explained to her about the mortgage note, and with each period she nodded her round gray head emphatically.

"It sounds well," she said, "and you seem like an honest boy. But before I say aye, yes, or no, I'll go in and see Mr. McShane of McShane and McShane. Do you know Mr. McShane?"

Mr. Smith was unfortunate enough never to have had that pleasure, and he expressed himself contritely about it.

"What time does the next train go?" he wanted to know. "Can you come to town with me right now?"

Mrs. McGundy looked him over carefully, and glanced at the clock.

"Lord love you, boy!" she said. "What a ragin', tearin' hurry you're in! Oh, well, it's been many a long day since I took a jaunting with a handsome-looking young fellow like yourself, and I think I'll treat myself to it just this once. There's a train goes in about 20 minutes. Do you go down to the station and wait, and in due time I'll come along with my best bib and tucker on."

Napoleon lost no time in getting down to the station, and lost no time, furthermore, in calling Captain Hammond by 'phone.

"This is young Smith, Captain Hammond," said he. "I want to borrow a thousand dollars."

"Oh, you do?" inquired the captain. "On what security?"

"Mortgage on our house," returned Napoleon crisply.

"When do you want it?"

"Within an hour or so, captain. I want you to let me have the check this morning and let me fix up the mortgage with you tomorrow."

"It isn't business, but I'll do it," agreed the captain after some hesitation. "But would you mind telling me what you want it for?"

"Oh, I have a little real estate opportunity."

The captain pondered a moment.

"You want to be careful about that," he warned. "Real estate deals are not always what they appear on the surface."

Napoleon Smith grinned sweetly into the 'phone.

"I'll guarantee this one to be all right," he confidently affirmed.

"All right," said the captain. "Come into the office and get your check at any time."

On the way to McShane and McShane Napoleon had Mrs. McGundy stop a moment in the lobby of the Kingston building while he ran up to Captain Hammond's office and got his check. Still on the way, he stopped and deposited that check at the bank where he had a small account, and then was ready for business. The broad-boned old lawyer would have made the deal pompous and difficult had he been left alone, but Mrs. McGundy stopped him as soon as she saw his direction.

"Stop your blatherin' and foolin' now, Terrence," she commanded. "Hurry up and finish the business with this young man. I like the cheerful face of him."

After that, Napoleon went out to Sunnyview and sold lots with particular vim and energy.

Mr. Forsythe, having sent for his new assistant in extreme haste in the afternoon of the same day, peered up at that young man with something tigerish in the expression of his white old face.

"I understand that you secured possession of a tract of land in Hammondville," said he, "and that you only purchased it this morning."

Napoleon grinned cheerfully.

"All quite true," he confessed.

"Don't you know that was most unethical?" demanded Mr. Forsythe. "Why, in our employ, and upon our time, you took occasion to do some private business for yourself in our exact line!"

"Yes, sir," admitted Mr. Smith, with no abatement of his pleasant expression. "How do you come to know about it?"

"Because Mr. Hammond called us up early this morning and commissioned us to buy that very piece of ground for him."

The grin of Napoleon was positively radiant now.

"Do you think I ought to turn it over to you?"

"Well not exactly that," said Mr. Forsythe. "But as our employe, you are bound to consult our interests. Captain Hammond has commissioned us to secure this piece of property, which he imagined could be purchased for $4,000. You have purchased it, and I presume intend to sell it to him at an increased price. Now, we might arrange to fix the price between Forsythe and Spencer and yourself, and you and us split the profits."

Napoleon paused for an extra special grin.

"No, I resign," he stated. "That's a still better scheme. Now I'll sell you that land for $6,000 cash."

In vast pain Mr. Forsythe eventually was compelled to call up Mr. Hammond, and inform that gentleman that the land for his extension would cost him the modest sum of $6,000.

"Buy it," directed Hammond.

"I might add," said Mr. Forsythe with a malignant glance at his ex-employe, "that the property in question is at present owned by young Smith, formerly in our employ, but today resigned."

"Smith!" exclaimed Hammond. "Is he in your office now? If he is, put him on the 'phone." And if Mr. Forsythe indicated the captain's desire to Napoleon, he could hear the captain, at the other end of the wire, saying to himself: "Well, I'll be damned!"

"Look here," demanded the captain of young Smith, "did you actually have the nerve to borrow that thousand dollars from me this morning to buy the very piece of property you knew I wanted, so as to compel me to pay you a two-thousand-dollar profit on the loan?"

"That's right, captain," admitted Napoleon cheerfully.

"Well, Smith, don't you think that was a little ungrateful and unfriendly? Don't you think you stepped over the bounds of both business and social ethics?"

"By no means," said Napoleon. "You told me yourself, just the other night, that business knows no friendship, and that a dollar has no sentiments or emotions. Moreover, captain, I intend to retrieve the reputation my father made with you for allowing his feelings to interfere with business. Do you want this property at six thousand?"

"Of course I do, you young ingrate," said the captain.

"All right," laughed Napoleon. "I'll be right over, thank you."

"Thank nothing!" snorted the captain. "I ought to have you arrested."

That night as the captain sat in the library, Marjorie came in to use the telephone, and paused behind her father's chair to pull his ears.

"Who's that you have with you on the porch, Margie?" he asked.

"Pole Smith," she informed him. "He's just telling me all about how well he's going to like business. He says he made $2,000 in one deal today."

"Yes, confound it, he did!" exploded the captain. "He made it out of my pocket and borrowed my money to do it with."

Her laugh upon that was delicious; so much so that the captain stopped to listen to it in positive joy, all his annoyances of the day forgotten.

"I guess I'm a lemon," he confessed, laughing with her.

"A nickel's worth of them," she agreed, twisting two corkscrews in his gray hair. "I should think that a shrewd old business tiger like you would feel humiliated to have a mere youngster like Pole Smith come along and eat him all up."

The captain smiled grimly.

"He's a fine chap, young Smith is," he said.

She slipped her arm around his neck and laid her cheek against his.

"A fine chap? Just finding it out? Daddy, daddy, daddy! You don't keep up with the news very well, do you?"

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

LEE SELECTED AT STATE CONFERENCE

SO-CALLED ANTI-MACHINE REPUBLICANS HOLD ELIMINATION MEETING.

THOUSAND DELEGATES THERE

Todd County Man Wins Out Over Iverson, Peterson, Lee and Elwell—Nomination Made Unanimous.

Minneapolis.—William E. Lee, of Todd County, was the unanimous choice for govenor of the so-called anti-machine Republicans of the state, who met here Thursday.

The vote for the candidates was as follows: William E. Lee, 555; Samuel G. Iverson, 197; James A. Peterson, 186; Senator J. T. Elwell, 11; and J. F. Jacobson, 1.

After the vote had been taken by counties, Lee was declared the unanimous choice of the convention amid deafening cheers.

Lee Thanks Delegates.

Mounting the platform, Mr. Lee said:

"I want to thank you for this honor. I would willingly have served in the ranks, but you have called me to lead. I propose to lead from now until the polls have closed.

"I accept this nomination, free to do the right thing as I see it. I am a Republican and all Republicans shall be alike to me. I recognize no individual. I shall stand by this convention until the next gubernatorial election.

"Corruptness and dishonesty may work their way into any administration, but if they stay there the fault is with the people. The people know the evils of our government, and it is for them to cure them. They can lower taxation by lowering the cost of government."

Iverson Vows Allegiance.

Following this address Mr. Iverson was called to the platform. He said: "I want to repeat what I said a short while ago. I am for the man whom you have selected. I am for William E. Lee for governor. What is more, the selection you have made today will be ratified by the people next June and November.

"There is a grand victory in sight. We are going to have an unmuzzled press, and thousands and thousands of upright men believe it is time for them to protect themselves from the enemies of good government."

Elwell Is Satisfied.

Mr. Elwell said:

"It is all over except the work. I am with you as much as I was this morning, and will be with you until after the election. We are going to elect William E. Lee next November."

The morning session was given over to speechmaking by the four candidates for the Republican anti-machine nomination for governor.

Denunciation of the "present government" of the state of Minnesota and of Governor A. O. Eberhart were contained in a vigorous series of resolutions submitted by a committee of which E. T. Young was chairman.

Delegates rallied around the county standards and practically one thousand filled the seats provided when the chairman of the conference committee called the gathering to order.

Frazee Lumber Camps Break.

Frazee.—The camps of the local lumber company are breaking up and the town is full of lumberjacks. The men are spending their money freely, but are orderly and no serious disturbance is expected. The company has had a good season, getting in many millions of feet of logs for the mill here. In about a month the sawing season will begin. As soon as the river thaws the log drive will be started. It is about ninety miles by river to the mill, the logs being driven through a dozen lakes and Otter Tail river. The mill will run night and day shifts, as usual, employing more than 400 men.

Indians File Charges.

Virginia, Minn.—Eight of the members of the Nett Lake Indian band, living on the Nett Lake reservation near this city, have returned home from a trip to Washington, D. C., where they filed charges against A. B. Regan, Indian agent on the reservation. The delegation was headed by Rev. Pequette, Indian agency minister. A special representative of the department of the interior has come.

Lower Temperatures Welcomed.

Winona.—Farmers in southern Minnesota are elated with the change in the weather conditions and welcome the lower temperatures. They believe it means ideal growing conditions when warmer weather finally becomes steady. Farmers in this section, it is argued, have had their experiences with early springs and do not long for them. Invariably when the early seeding is accomplished before the normal season arrives a killing frost comes.

STATE UPHOLDS PRIMARY LAW

Minnesota Supreme Court Holds Measure Constitutional—Candidates to be Active.

Minneapolis.—The non-partisan primary law has been held constitutional by the state supreme court. It had been attacked as unconstitutional on five separate counts.

The law makes the following changes in the present system:

All county offices and all legislative offices are made non-partisan.

The primary election is changed from September to the third Tuesday in June.

The "Bull Moose" party is legalized and can nominate candidates in the primaries. No petition will be necessary this year, the necessary 5 per cent vote having been polled last year.

Nomination by petition for non-partisan offices after the primaries is prohibited.

Provision is made for the non-partisan election of county surveyors without a primary.

The position of Minnesota is unique, in that the election of the state legislature is placed on a non-partisan basis. This provision was incorporated in the law only after a bitter fight.

Many candidates have been waiting for the decision of the supreme court. The decision is expected to stimulate political activity. More men are expected to file for the legislature and county offices. With the primaries a little over two months away no time will be lost by the officeseekers.

FERGUS FALLS BOY LUCKY

Court Holds He Is Lawful Owner of Coal Claim Which Is Worth Millions.

Fergus Falls.—News was received from Seattle that the United States land office had decided a long disputed coal claim case in favor of five claimants, one of whom is Joseph Frankoviz, a Fergus Falls boy, who will become a millionaire as a result of the decision.

Mr. Frankoviz went west five years ago and filed on a rich coal claim near Glacier, Wash. Its full value was not at that time appreciated. The tract consists of 160 acres underlaid with a fine grade of hard coal. As the time for completing title arrived, he arranged with a wealthy western man to furnish him with the money, about $3,000. The man waited until the last minute and then notified him he had decided not to go into it.

Fortunately, Mr. Frankoviz had written to his father, who is in business here, and the latter arrived on the scene in time to supply the money. Then the man who was to have furnished it filed upon the land as a timber claim, contending it was timber land, not mining land, and that Mr. Frankoviz' filing was illegal.

This led to a contest, which has been in progress ever since, and the land office now confirms Mr. Frankoviz' claim to the property.

FIGHT MOSQUITO WITH FISH

Farm School Expert Wants People of State to Co-operate in War on Pest.

St. Paul.—Don't wait to swat the mosquito; annihilate it before it attains swattable proportions.

That is the warning of C. W. Howard of the division of entomology at the university farm, chief of the section of field crop pests and parasite insects.

Prof. Howard intends to conduct a strenuous anti-mosquito campaign this spring, and he wants the public generally to co-operate. The only successful way to combat the mosquito is to fight the insect in its breeding place before it is far enough developed to do damage, says Prof. Howard.

Mosquitos are good for nothing, he declares, except to feed the fishes. Therefore, he says, propagate fish in greater numbers and stock every small stream and pond with them that they may contribute more substantially to the extermination of the winged pests.

State Land Sale at Bemidji.

Bemidji.—At the first sale of state land held here this year by Theodore Nelson of the state auditor's office, 2,025 acres were sold, bids going as high as $11.25 an acre. The total sales amounted to $12,600. The lowest price paid was $5 an acre and the average price was $6.25.

Royal Neighbors Meet.

Mankato.—The Royal Neighbors held their triennial state convention in this city, with a large attendance. They were entertained by members of the local lodge.

State Sells 5,400 Acres.

Grand Rapids.—The first state land sale for Itasca county took place here last week, Theodore Nelson of the state auditor's office being in charge. It was one of the best sales ever conducted in the county, both in point of acreage disposed of and price received. The sale price averaged $8.20 an acre, the 5,400 acres sold bringing a total of about $45,000. The highest price paid was $39.75 an acre for a forty-acre tract in the neighborhood of the new mining town of Fayton.

RICH SECTION IS TAPPED BY ROAD

NORTH MINNESOTA COUNTRY TO HAVE NEW RAILWAY IN SHORT TIME.

LAND IS DECLARED FERTILE

Red Lake Northern Will Connect Lake Itasca With Red Lake and Lake of the Woods, Also.

Bemidji.—Work is to be started soon on the Red Lake Northern railroad, which is to connect Lake Itasca with Red Lake, and Lake of the Woods, giving tourists and vacationists easy access to the beautiful Itasca state forest, and also to Red lake, the largest body of water in Minnesota.

Opens Section Up.

The road will also open for settlement one of the richest sections of northern Minnesota. What the Minnesota & International, the Greenbush branch of the Great Northern, the Duluth, Winnipeg & Pacific and the new line of the Soo have done within the past three and four years in their respective fields, the new line will do for a section of the state now all the way from ten to thirty miles from railway communication. Settlers now must "tote" in their supplies by team and move their crops the same way.

The nucleus for the proposed line is the logging road of the Red River Lumber company from Crooked Lake Junction, near Akeley, northeast to within a mile of Lake Itasca, and an abandoned spur of the same company extending south from Fletcher Junction near Shevlin, almost to the state forest.

Residents Are Promoters.

The promoters of the road who are mainly residents of Beltrami, Clearwater and Hubbard counties, but are not yet in the capitalist class, have interested J. E. Coon of Youngstown, Ohio, in their venture and expect great results. Mr. Coon has gained wealth and fame by building rural lines and placing them on their feet ready to be taken over by some large system. Of late he has devoted himself to suburban lines in Ohio and neighboring states, but he began his railroad work in Nebraska and is familiar with railroad construction in the west.

By building about ten miles of new track connecting the two spurs of the Red River Lumber company, a railroad sixty miles long and making the Itasca park accessible both from the north and the south and opening valuable farming land will be a reality.

The country is settled to some extent and several farmers in that section have prospered even without railroad conveniences.

Route of New Road.

North of Fletcher Junction the new line will enter the pine country south and west of big Red lake with its long sweep from the southwest to the northeast of thirty-five miles. For many miles the road will skirt the western shore of this large body of water and will then mount a ridge or watershed extending due north to Warroad on Lake of the Woods.

This ridge is said by those who made the preliminary survey to be ideal for railroad construction, as there are few if any streams to cross and no engineering difficulties to be solved. From Fletcher Junction to Warroad is ninety-two miles in a direct line, but the railroad will be somewhat longer.

Beyond the Red Lake district the country is gridironed with drainage ditches which are reclaiming what is declared to be the best land in the state that is still on the market. Along each ditch mile for mile there is a good road. This means that settlers, the real home builders, will swarm over the country at the first opportunity. Much of this land belongs to the state, but thousands of acres are subject to homestead entry, so the home-seeker has two ways of becoming a freeholder.

Osseo Town and Country Club.

Osseo.—A Town and Country club was organized here with ninety members. Its object is to co-operate for the best interests of the community; to better conditions socially, financially and educationally. W. A. Schmidt, formerly of the university farm school, was elected president of the club for one year. The Osseo Commercial club entertained with a banquet and smoker after the meeting.

Murder Mystery Indicated.

Winona.—The Mississippi river, in giving up the body of Patrick R. Bennett, thirty-five years old and a resident of Fulton, Ill., ended a four months search and afforded the authorities say, a murder mystery. The body was found floating in the river a few miles north of Winona on the Wisconsin side. Bennet disappeared in November when returning to his work as foreman on track construction for the Burlington road at Cachrane, Wis., after a visit at his home.

The KITCHEN CABINET

INNUMERABLE men and women have seen the kettle boil, but it occurred to only one that the force which lifted the lid might be confined and made to do human service. The man finds or makes his opportunities and in turn they help him.

—Spalding.

EARLY SPRING SALADS.

Before it is warm enough to do any work outside in the garden, a small shallow box well protected by an old window and well filled with good mellow soil may be sown with pepper grass, lettuce seed and radishes, and long before the garden produce is ready you will have tender green things for the table.

This tender pepper grass will soon reach four inches in height, and it may be used as a salad or on bread and butter for a sandwich filling. The slight pepper taste is most appetizing, and when combined with lettuce makes a delicious salad.

Utilize the flower urns and other places which cannot be planted out so early on account of frosts, but may be protected by glass, and raise any number of early things which are so good on the table in the spring.

In the early spring, when the first dandelion shows its green leaf, lay a few boards over a bed of the thickest of them, and see what a delicious salad bed of blanched leaves you can provide for your table for weeks. Dandelion is especially good for the blood, and so should be served often in the spring. The larger leaves, before the blossom comes, may be cut and cooked like spinach or with a little salt pork, then serve with vinegar for a sauce.

Mint is another early arrival, and is most delightful for a sauce with spring lamb. Cut a bunch and bruise the leaves, pour on a little boiling hot vinegar and let it steep for a while, then add a teaspoon or more of powdered sugar, and serve with the lamb.

Mint is also much relished as a mixture with other vegetables for salad. Take a bunch of mint and twice the quantity of lettuce, a few sprays of pepper grass and a few onions sliced. Cut all the greens as fine as possible without crushing, and pour over a French dressing, using three tablespoonfuls of oil and one of vinegar, a half teaspoon of salt and a few dashes of red pepper and a half teaspoon of powdered sugar. Mix well and pour over the salad.

Water cress is another most wholesome spring salad, and when one is fortunate enough to get this snappy little salad green it may be served in any number of ways, with or without other greens in combination.

King Hassan, well beloved, was wont to say,
When anything went wrong, or any labor failed,
Tomorrow, friends, will bring another day,
And in that faith he slept, and so prevailed.
—Saxe.

THINGS WORTH REMEMBERING.

When cooking vegetables, a nice change from the regular methods is to bake them. Baked turnips are really quite an appetizing dish when large and of good juicy variety. When serving, peel back the outer skin from the top and serve as baked potato.

Baked beets are a change from the usual way of boiling them. Wash and prepare them as for boiling, then put into a hot oven and bake until tender. They are so much sweeter and better flavored and may be served then chopped with butter and lemon juice for seasoning, or sliced for pickles.

Celery boiled in milk makes a pleasing variety for the table. Season well with butter, salt and a bit of red pepper or paprika, and add a white sauce or not, just as one desires.

Onions are delicious baked, either stuffed with sausage or bread crumbs and nuts. Baste, while baking, with butter and water or any good flavored soup stock.

Nasturtium seeds make a very nice relish to serve with meats. When the seed pods are young, pick them and put to soak in a strong brine for 24 hours; drain well and cover with a good vinegar. Add a little red pepper or any condiments and spices to taste. A little mace and ginger root is well liked. This makes an excellent relish for boiled mutton or lamb.

When eggs are high or scarce, frost the cakes with fondant. It may be kept for an indefinite period and used at any time by warming over hot water. To make the fondant, boil together two cups of sugar, a half cup of water and a tablespoonful of glucose to the soft ball stage when tried in cold water. Stir, when cold, until creamy, then mold and knead, and place in a dish, well covered with waxed paper, and over that a plate, to keep it from drying out.

Quince honey is a delectable preserve to serve with waffles.

When a piece of beef which was bought to broil or pan broil seems tough, let it lie in olive oil for an hour or two, then broil very quickly, to sear it well, and then cook slower until cooked as one likes it, rare or otherwise. This oil will soften the fiber and the hot fire, when cooking, keeps in the juices, so that a most desirable dish is the result.

Every tomorrow has two handles. We may choose which one we shall grasp, doubt or faith, indecision or decision, success or failure.

SEASONABLE DISHES.

Macaroni and Oysters.—Boil a half a package of macaroni in salted water until tender. Butter a baking dish and put a layer of the cooked macaroni, then a layer of oysters. Sprinkle lightly with salt and a bit of grated cheese; add another light layer of macaroni, cover with cheese and well buttered crumbs, and bake until the crumbs are brown. Add a cup of thin white sauce to the dish before the crumbs are added.

Oatmeal Bread.—Take two cupfuls of oatmeal, half a cup of molasses, two teaspoonfuls of salt, and pour over this a pint of boiling water. Let cool, then add a cake of softened yeast, two cupfuls of flour, and mix well. Put into a warm place to rise; when light form into loaves and when light, bake.

Lemon Raisin Pie.—This is a delicious pie and one which is not too expensive for occasional use. Take a cupful of large raisins, carefully seeded; add a cupful of granulated sugar, one large lemon rind and juice with the seeds removed, a tablespoonful of flour and a cupful of water. bake between two crusts.

Sponge Pudding.—Take one and a half pints of milk, add a pinch of salt add four tablespoonfuls of flour; cook together until thick. Add two table spoonfuls of sugar and, when cool the yolks of three eggs; fold in the beaten whites and bake in a well buttered baking dish until firm.

For the sauce, use a fourth of a cup of butter softened and mixed with a cupful of powdered sugar; flavor with vanilla, and add a half cup of whipped cream. Grated lemon rind may be used instead of vanilla, if so desired.

Age is no drawback. Socrates said: "It is no shame for a man to learn what he knoweth not, whatever his age, but it is a shame for him to continue in ignorance.

SUGGESTIONS AND HELPFUL HINTS.

When using early potatoes, they may be quickly prepared by using a rough piece of sacking to rub off the peel and with much less labor and time than scraping.

A fine milk bottle opener is a large horse shoe nail, placed in a convenient place. It is also a good nutpick, and has the advantage of being cheap and easy to get.

When putting up a lunch in which sauce is used, crumb a few crackers in the cupful of sauce. They will soak up the surplus juice and take the place of pastry.

When baking cookies or drop cakes, a whole recipe may be baked in the oven at one time if a pair of baking sheets are a part of the kitchen utensils. They are sheet iron made to fit the oven, and an edge to handle them by may be turned up and reinforced by a wire.

When there is kindling to carry, a fine help is a piece of strong carpet or tent cloth, 45 by 27 inches, bound, and with strong leather handles.

Water drained from cooked rice makes a fine starch for laces or fine fabrics.

A granite spoon or a granite dish may be a great source of danger. Never use a granite spoon for anything except stirring up chicken feed. The hens thrive on broken bits of glass, but our stomachs do not need such aids to digestion.

When using a granite dish, care should be taken never to strike the edge with a spoon to dislodge the contents while stirring. A wooden spoon is the ideal one for all kinds of cooking, as they are less apt to injure the surface of any enameled dish, and are easy in the hand when doing much stirring.

Nellie Maxwell.

Impressive Figures.

The following calculation is interesting: Suppose one boy, aged ten years, determines to rise at five o'clock all the year round. Another of the same age, indolent and fond of ease, rises at eight, or an average of eight, every morning. If they both live to be seventy years old the one will have gained over the other, during the intervening period of sixty years, 65,745 hours, which is equal to 2,739 and a fraction days, or just 7½ years.

Suez Canal.

The Suez canal connects the Mediterranean with the Red sea, shortening the route to India from England and America more than 5,000 miles. It was commenced in 1850 and completed in 1869. Length 100 miles; average breadth, 329 feet; depth, 26 feet. Cost in gold, $65,000,000. Distances: English channel to Calcutta, via Cape Good Hope, 13,000 miles; via canal, 8,000. New York to Calcutta, via Cape Good Hope, 11,500 miles; via canal, 9,500.

A FREE BOOK

That Teaches the People How to Avoid Catching Cold.

The thirteenth edition of the "Ills of Life" is now ready for distribution. Beginning on page three of this popular work on medicine, is an article stating in plain language how any one can avoid catching cold.

The article was written by a doctor. It was written by a doctor eighty-four years old, who is a hale and hearty man. It is his boast, founded upon fact, that he does not catch cold. He thinks he knows the reason why. He explains it in detail in this book. Every family ought to have a copy of it. Sent free by the Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. O. Fred Linstrum, 1923 University Ave., St. Paul, Minn., writes: "I contracted a severe cold several years ago. Through the use of Peruna I fully recovered. I have never had any trouble since."

Mrs. Henry Martin, La Motte, Iowa, says: "I have found Peruna to be a great remedy for coughs and colds of children. A dose at bedtime will relieve them all night."—Adv.

Another Proof.

Representative Henry, whose objection to American girls marrying earls and counts is well known, said at a recent dinner in Waco:

"Take the Cinderella story. The prince, you will remember, rejected the two old and ugly sisters, and then the beautiful Cinderella slipped on the glass slipper and the young man made her his bride."

Mr. Henry paused, then he added: "This story is but another proof that the girl who marries a title puts her foot in it."

"BOUND FOR WESTERN CANADA"

A PRAIRIE SCHOONER SLOGAN, THAT STARTED FROM NEBRASKA.

Four horses abreast attached to a red painted prairie schooner, with windows and a protruding stovepipe, with the words, "Bound for Canada," on the schooner's side, was the object of considerable interest as it passed on the way northward from Nebraska a short time ago through the towns in Nebraska, South and North Dakota. After some weeks of strenuous traveling in this way, Mr. J. F. Jensen made the overland trip from Jameson, Nebraska, and with his little family made the regular customs entry at North Portal, in the province of Saskatchewan. Their destination was Willow Bunch, a district that Mr. Jensen had selected as one in which it was possible for him to work out his fortune. He located on a good half section of land, and intended putting on it some cattle that would fatten on the wild prairie grass that grows so luxuriously in that district. In addition to this his purpose was to cultivate a portion of it and raise wheat, oats, barley or flax. In short, a life devoted to mixed farming was what he had in view and it is easy to understand that he will make a success of it, and in a year or so will attach some more land holdings.

Although his beginning may be small, it may safely be said that Mr. Jensen, like thousands of others who have begun life in western Canada on no more and with probably much less, will prosper. He will not be far from a line of railway. Schools will be close at hand and other social conditions so necessary in a new country are available.—Advertisement.

Locating a Quarrel.

"And when you were abroad on your honeymoon trip did you visit the Palace of Peace at The Hague?" asked the girl friend of the bride just home from abroad.

"Oh, yes," was the reply; "we had our first quarrel there."

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Paw—Gas and electric light bills, my son.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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Nell—I don't see any improvement.

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"Has Brown told you his last hard luck story?"

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The last person a man usually learns to know is himself.

The MARSHAL

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SYNOPSIS.

Francois Beaupre, a peasant babe of three years, after an amusing incident in which Marshal New figures, is made a Chevalier of France by the Emperor Napoleon, who prophesied that the boy might one day be a marshal of France under another Bonaparte. At the age of ten Francois visits General Baron Gaspard Gourgaud, who with Alixe, his seven-year-old daughter, lives at the Chateau. A soldier of the Empire under Napoleon he fires the boy's imagination with stories of his campaigns. The general offers Francois a home at the Chateau. The boy refuses to leave his parents, but in the end becomes a copyist for the general and learns of the friendship between the general and Marquis Zappi, who campaigned with the general under Napoleon. Marquis Zappi and his son, Pietro, arrive at the Chateau. The general agrees to care for the Marquis' son while the former goes to America. The Marquis before leaving for America asked Francois to be a friend of his son. The boy solemnly promises. Francois goes to the Chateau to live. Marquis Zappi dies leaving Pietro as a ward of the general. Alixe, Pietro and Francois meet a strange boy who proves to be Prince Louis Napoleon. Francois saves his life. The general discovers Francois loves Alixe, and extracts a promise from him that he will not interfere between the girl and Pietro. Francois goes to Italy as secretary to Pietro. Queen Hortense plans the escape of her son Louis Napoleon by disguising him and Marquis Zappi as her lackeys. Francois takes Marquis Zappi's place, who is ill, in the escape of Hortense and Louis. Dressed as Louis's brother Francois lures the Austrians from the hotel—allowing the prince and his mother to escape. Francois is a prisoner of the Austrians for five years in the castle owned by Pietro in Italy. He discovers in his guard one of Pietro's old family servants, and through him sends word to his friends of his plight. The general, Alixe and Pietro hear from Francois and plan his rescue. Francois as a guest of the Austrian governor of the castle prison inspects the interior of the wine cellar of the Zappis. Francois receives a note from Pietro explaining in detail how to escape from his prison. Alixe awaits him on horseback and leads him to his friends on board the American sailing vessel, the "Lovely Lucy."

CHAPTER XIX.

The Sacrifice.

Young Henry Hampton, thrilled to the core at this drama, bent over him, as Battista laid him on the deck, and looked up anxiously at Pietro.

"Is he living?" he asked.

He was living, though for an hour or two the devoted friends who cared for him doubted if they had not got him back only to lose him. But that last effort of the change to the ship being past, when consciousness came again he grew strong more rapidly.

"I thought—the Austrians—would nab me—as I came aboard," he whispered, smiling gaily as he gasped the words to Alixe. "It was—firm in my mind."

And Alixe laughed at him, and told him that they were far out on the Adriatic now, safe under the American flag, and the Austrians left two hundred miles behind.

"Even if they had—nabbed me," whispered Francois, "those two days with you would have paid."

And Alixe shuddered a little and told him to go to sleep and stop thinking of Austrians, for they were out of his life now forever.

"My seigneur," said Francois next day when the general took his turn at sitting by his bed, "may I ask a question?"

"Any question in the world, Francois, my son," the general growled at him, as if the tender words were a defiance to an enemy.

Francois hesitated. "About Alixe and Pietro."

The general shook his head. "Ah that! That I cannot tell you, Francois. Sometimes I believe that I have been mistaken, that—" the general as he stopped looked oddly at Francois and smiled. "Sometimes I believe that even I, even Gaspard Gourgaud, might make a mistake in trying to play the good God, and arranging lives. That might be—yes. In any case I cannot tell."

Francois, thinking deeply, hazarded another question. "He loves her?"

"I believe so, indeed," said the general. "He cares most to be with us—with her. Ah yes, I have no doubt that he loves her. But why it goes no farther—sapristi! It is beyond me—that! I would knock their foolish heads together, me—but that is not convenient."

"Does she love Pietro?"

"Mon dieu! How can a mere man say that? She is a woman. I do not know—not in the least," the general exploded at him.

"But Pietro loves her?" Francois asked again, his wistful smiling eyes searching the general's face.

"Yes—I am sure of it."

And Francois smiled.

"No one could help it," he said half to himself.

In a day more [illegible] Battista came into Francois' cabin and put clothes on him and wrapped him like a mummy in coats and rugs, and carried him in his arms up on deck, and there laid him in a hammock on the sunny side of the ship. And the salt air blew on his face and he gulped it in, and by and by Alixe brought a chair and sat by him and read to him, and Francois lay quiet and wondered if heaven could be any improvement on this.

So, on that long, bright, calm morning at sea Francois lay in the hammock and watched the million little waves glisten and break for unknown miles over the sunlit water, and listened to the voice he loved best in the world, as it told him of those others whom he loved also, and of the places dear to him; and he wondered that he had indeed come through the long nightmare of prison to this happiness.

"Mr. Hampton has been talking to me about Virginia; it must be a beautiful country," said Alixe. "I should love the free friendly life of those great domains. I believe I could leave France and Vicques for such a country as that, where there are no political volcanoes on top of which one must live. With us it is always plotting and secrecy. Always a war to look back on or to look forward to. I should like to go to Virginia."

"But," said Francois, with his great eyes glowing, "the war one now looks forward to in France will be short and glorious. And after that will be peace, for there will be a Bonaparte ruling, and that means strength—and—good government."

"How you believe in the great captain and in his blood," and Alixe smiled down at the pale face on fire with its lifelong enthusiasm.

"One must," said Francois simply, and paused, and went on. "For me—you know, Alixe, how it is. How the star of the Bonapartes has always seemed to be my star! I believe that. I believe that my life is tied to that house. Nopoleon was more than human to my mind, his touch set me aside for his uses in my cradle."

"And made you a chevalier," Alixe considered. "That was a true accolade, Francois. You would have a right to that title under another Bonaparte."

"I believe so, Alixe."

"And my father believes it. So you must hurry and get well and come back to France and be fit for work when the prince needs you, Chevalier Beaupre. My father has told you that a movement is preparing? He is reckless, my father, and it troubles me. It might be unsafe for him to live in France if his part in these plots were known."

"Then you could come to Virginia—to Carnifax," and Francois smiled.

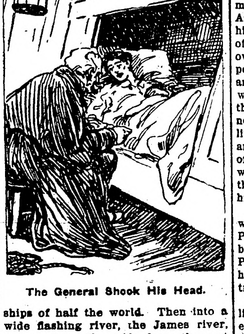
But Alixe flushed. "That is Pietro's estate, not ours," she said quickly; and then she rose and bent over the sick boy. "I must go to my father now," she said, and caught his pitiful hands suddenly in both hers. "But oh! Francois, I wish I could tell you how it changes all the world to have you back again"—and she was gone.

Francois, trembling with a rapture he could not quiet, lay, not stirring, because he feared to break the spell of the touch of her hands; feeling within him a rebel hope that yet he would not let take hold of him. Could it be? Was it true? Did she care for him and not Pietro? Was that the reason that in all these years she and Pietro were still only sister and brother? Yet, he caught and choked the thought. Even then he had no right, he could not, would not tell her what she was to him. He would be Pietro's friend always as he had promised long ago; more, a thousand times more now, when Pietro had given back to him freedom and life and hope.

CHAPTER XX.

A Social Crisis.

On a day the ship sailed into a splendid roadstead, big enough to hold the ships of half the world. Then into a wide flashing river, the James river, four or five miles wide down there at its mouth. And up and up and up the bright river, the narrowing river, between its low green banks, with now and again a glimpse of a large house and of gardens and lawns green with June, as one sailed past.



The General Shook His Head.

Harry Hampton told Francois who lived in them as they went by—Harrisons and Carters and Byrds and Randolphs — strange-sounding, difficult, English names in the ear of the Frenchman. Young Mr. Hampton knew them all, it seemed; many of them were his cousins; Francois listened, surprised, interested, to the word picture which the Virginian unconsciously drew, as he talked of every-day happenings, of a society and a way of living quite different from any the Frenchman had ever heard of.

With that they were in sight of Roanoke house—one might see the roofs of the buildings over the trees—Harry Hampton pointed it out with a touch of excitement in his grave manner. Then, as one slipped along the sparkling water, there was a sharp bend in the stream, and as they turned it the large silvery green slope of the lawn lay before them, with its long wharf and barges lying at the waterside, and a ship unloading its return cargo from England.

"It is the Sea Lady" called young Hampton. "She is in before us—and she sailed so long after."

He made a quick movement forward with his pathetic broken step—for this only son of the Hampton family was a cripple.

There were people gathering on the lawn, negroes drawn up in line; the women in bright-colored turbans, men and women both showing white teeth as they grinned with the pleasure and the excitement of watching the ship come in. Then a white light figure ran down the broad greenness, and a girl stood, golden curls on her shoulders, a straw hat with blue ribbons tying down some of the golden curls, but not all—stood and watched and waved an eager friendly hand.

"It is my cousin Lucy," Harry Hampton said, and Francois, looking at him, saw his eyes fixed on her intently.

In a few minutes more, leaving the ship with his halting careful step, Francois saw him kiss her cousinly—yet it seemed not altogether cousinly—and with that he was saying a word about "My new friend, the Chevalier Beaupre," and the girl's quick handclasp and the warm welcome in her voice of honey, made Francois feel as if a place in her friendship had been waiting for him always.

Then, from back of her, from somewhere, towered suddenly a tall man, with large features, and first seized Harry Hampton's hand and then turned to the stranger with the same air of entire pleasure and hospitality.

"My nephew's friend is welcome at Roanoke house," he said, and Francois, with his few words of English, understood enough to be warmed to the soul at his first contact with southern hospitality.

"It is my uncle, Colonel Hampton," Harry's voice was explaining.

They would not hear of his going to Carnifax—not for days, not for a month; why should he go at all?—Colonel Hampton asked. If he were to be only a year or two in Virginia, why trouble to set up housekeeping alone in that big house, when Roanoke house was here and in order, and only too glad to keep him. So Francois for a week or two stayed. And found himself, shortly, a notability. Harry Hampton, his boyish ambition for adventure and daring denied every personal outlet, because of that accident in babyhood which had started him in life hopelessly lame, was as proud of his salvage from the Austrian bird of prey as if Francois' record had been his own. Much more frankly proud, for he could talk about it, and did. Alixe had told him a great deal, and the episode of the headlong rescue of Prince Louis Napoleon, the capture and imprisonment and final theatrical escape, went like wild-fire about the countryside, and stirred all the romance of the warm-blooded southerners. Every house wanted the hero to break bread, and under young Harry's proud wing Francois went gladly to meet all these friends of his frend. As the general had said years ago his simplicity struck the finest note of sophisticated high breeding; moreover, he had lived with high-bred people in more than one country; the aristocrats of Virginia were delighted with his young nobleman, as they thought him—with his charm of manner and his stirring history, with the lines of suffering still in his thin face and the broad lock of gray—the badge of that suffering—in his dark hair, with the quaint foreign accent too, and the unexpectedness in the turns of his rapidly increasing English.

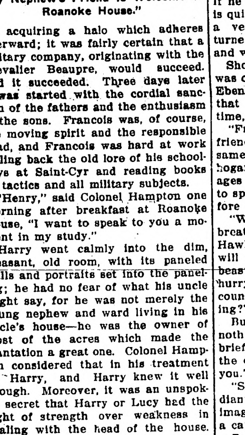
And now he had left Roanoke, and was living in the great old house on Pietro's land, the old house which had been lived in a hundred years before Pietro's father had bought it, the old house in which grandchildren of Pietro live today.

Something in his odd broken English, something in his vivacity and energy, something in the warmth of the heart which the poor souls felt in him—none quicker than negroes to feel a heart—fascinated the slaves who fell to his unaccustomed management. He had met Henry Clay and the proud aristocrats of Virginia as men and women, and given them the best of himself; he met these thick lipped, dim-souled, black people no otherwise, and gave them the same. By the crystal truth in him the first had been vanquished, and it happened not differently with these other human beings. Pietro's mishandled property grew orderly month by month; Francois, in the saddle most of the time riding from end to end of the plantation, found his hands full and his work interesting, and his health and strength coming back—though that was a slower progress.

The people who do most are likely to be the people who can do a thing more. Young Henry Hampton, ruled out of the larger part of his natural pleasures by that stern by-law of nature, which had made him lame, appealed to Francois' sympathy every day more deeply. The one thing which the lad could do was riding. "Henry," Francois spoke, as the two trotted together down a shady lane of the plantation on the way to the far fields where negroes worked in the autumn sunlight, "what would you think of organizing a mounted troop of militia?"

The boy's face flamed with excitement. What would he think of it? He would think it glorious, wonderful, half a dozen big adjectives.

There were many young men in the neighborhood; all of them rode; none of them had enough to do; Francois had a hold on them—a man may not spend five years in a dungeon because of a dashing mad act of bravery without acquiring a halo which adheres afterward; it was fairly certain that a military company, originating with the Chevalier Beaupre, would succeed. And it succeeded. Three days later it was started with the cordial sanction of the fathers and the enthusiasm of the sons. Francois was, of course, the moving spirit and the responsible head, and Francois was hard at work calling back the old lore of his school-days at Saint-Cyr and reading books on tactics and all military subjects.



"My Nephew's Friend Is Welcome to Roanoke House."

"Henry," said Colonel Hampton one morning after breakfast at Roanoke House, "I want to speak to you a moment in my study."

Harry went calmly into the dim, pleasant, old room, with its paneled walls and portraits set into the paneling; he had no fear of what his uncle might say, for he was not merely the young nephew and ward living in his uncle's house—he was the owner of most of the acres which made the plantation a great one. Colonel Hampton considered that in his treatment of Harry, and Harry knew it well enough. Moreover, it was an unspoken secret that Harry or Lucy had the right of strength over weakness in dealing with the head of the house. Obstinacy combined sometimes with weakness, it is true, but yet the two youngsters understood clearly that the colonel was the head only by a graceful fiction. So young Henry Hampton felt no alarm at the quality of his uncle's tone. The colonel sat down in the biggest chair, a chair throne-like in its dignity; he faced the lad and pulled importantly at the end of his mustache.

"This troop of cavalry about organized?" he demanded.

"Well, that's rather a big name for it, Uncle Henry, but it is going like a streak," answered Henry, junior. "We meet again today, and tomorrow I think we shall begin business."

"I approve of it," Colonel Hampton stated.

Harry bowed his head gravely. The colonel went on.

"It is a well-bred and appropriate method of amusement. A gentleman should know something of military affairs. But—ah—the ranking and—ah—arrangements? Such—details are not unlikely with gentlemen of the first families, as you all are—except one—to crystallize into a—later importance. The man who has been the leader of this company of very young men will not unlikely be the man thought of as a leader in—ah—affairs of greater moment to come. May I inquire who is the captain?"

Henry Hampton looked troubled, impatient.

"Why, nobody yet, Uncle Henry. We have not got to that. But, of course, the Chevalier—"

Colonel Hampton interrupted him. "Exactly. I thought so. That is what I wish to avoid. The Chevalier must not be the captain."

The boy caught up the words hotly. "Uncle Henry, he has done it all. We all want him."

"Exactly. But you must not have him. I am surprised at you, Henry! Do you remember that this man is peasant-born? Do you want to be led into battle by a person whose rank is not above that of our own servants?"

"Led into battle!" Young Henry laughed shortly. "Led into a corn field is more like it." And then his glance fired. "Moreover, Uncle Henry, if there were battle in the case, we should all count ourselves lucky to be led by—a hero."

"A hero!" Colonel Hampton sniffed. "A mere French peasant by his own account. Of course, I have—received him, because of your infatuation for him. And—the young man has qualities. He has been a success socially, I will not deny. I am quite surprised by his success. But when it comes to putting him in a position above men of birth, my blood revolts. I request you, Henry, to use your influence against this. I can not endure to have him give you commands. You should be the captain, because your social position has made the enterprise possible. But, yet, if—your misfortune—if some other seems more fit—" A painful color darkened the boy's face and his brows gathered. The colonel went on. "I should make no objection to that. But" again he pulled at the corners of his mustache with solemnity—"I must request you to use your influence absolutely to prevent this parvenu from being placed over you."

Harry Hampton put his hand on the table beside him and lifting himself with that aid stood before his uncle, leaning a little on the table as his lame foot made it necessary, but yet a figure full of decision and dignity.

"And I must refuse absolutely, Uncle Henry, to do anything of the kind. I am not in question. As you say, I have—a misfortune. I shall use what influence I have to see that the Chevalier Beaupre is made captain of the company he has organized and is to educate. This is fitting. I am proud to call him my friend, and I am glad that I am large-minded enough to realize that as large a mind as his is not to be measured by petty standards. If he is a prince or if he is a peasant is quite immaterial, because he is first a very great thing—himself." He turned from the astonished colonel, and with his halting step was gone.

Shortly the young master's horse was ordered and he had left word with Ebenezer, the butler, as he went out, that he would not be home till bedtime, and was off toward Carnifax.

"Francois," he began, finding his friend busy over his papers in that same library, at that same carved mahogany desk, where today lie the packages of old letters—"Francois, I want to speak to you—about something—before our meeting."

"What then? The boy is out of breath. You have been running Black Hawk again, my Henry—that horse will complain of you soon, the strong beast. What is it you are in such a hurry to say that one must race across country so of a good hour of the morning?"

But Henry was too intent to talk nothings. "It is important," he said briefly. "We must have a captain for the company at once, and it must be you."

"Sabre de bois!" smiled Francois radiantly. "The good idea! I can not imagine a fellow more beautiful to be a captain than I. Can you?"

But Henry was altogether serious-minded. "You will consent then?" he threw at him. "I did not think of it till this morning, but I see it should be done at once. We shall all want you, of course, and want nobody else."

Now Henry Hampton, not having thought of the question till this morning, had no right to make this statement in a full round voice of certainty. Yet he knew every man in the company, and he felt in himself the force to answer for them. He answered for them without a hesitation. And with that Francois' laughing face grew grave. He pushed the letters from him and got up and came across to the boy and bent and put his arm around his shoulder as he sat still and stiff. These French ways of his friend pleased Henry immensely, but they also petrified him with embarrassment. Francois was not in the least embarrassed. He patted the broad young shoulder affectionately.

"My good Henry," he said gently. "What a loyal heart—and what a reckless one! How then can you answer for all those messieurs?"

Harry flung up his head and began. "They will—if they do not I shall make them"—but Francois stopped the bold words.

"No," he said quietly yet with a tone of finality which the other recognized. "That will not be necessary. And the messieurs are my good friends; they will treat me with honor; they will be better to me than I deserve. I know that well." There were so few people in the world who did not, to Francois, seem his good friends. "But, my Henry, I will not be the captain. I have thought of that, if you have not. Look here."

He swung to the desk and slipped out a drawer, and had a long folded paper in his hands. He flapped it open before Harry's eyes. It was a formal notice to Mr. Henry Hampton, junior, that the Jefferson troop of Virginia had elected him as its captain.

Harry flushed violently and his mouth quivered with pleasure, with nervousness, with unhappiness. The other watched him eagerly. All this affair of the troop he had done to give pleasure to Harry Hampton, his friend. It was the only way in which the lame boy could be on equal terms with the other boys, and Francois had determined from the first that every joy which could be gleaned out of it he should have. To be the captain ought to be a joy.

"I!" Harry cried and then was silent—and then spoke sorrowfully. "But—it can not be!"

"Can not be?" demanded Francois. "Why not?"

There was a moment's silence, and with a painful effort the words came. "My—misfortune. I am lame."

And Francois cried out, "Henry—all that is nonsense! What of it? It is a thing you do as well as the best—riding. Who has such a seat, such hands as you? Why not then, I demand?" And went on. "It is settled. I have talked to them all—see the signatures. You are the captain, my Henry—and I am your right hand and your left hand—yes and your feet, too, whenever you need me."

"But," said Harry, dazed, "it is really your place; don't you want to be captain?" he shot at the other boyishly.

And with that Francois' arm was about his shoulder again as the two stood together, and Francois was laughing. "But yes," he said. "I should like it. That is a secret." His face was brilliant with laughter. "You only may know, my Henry, that I am vain—ah, very vain," he repeated sadly. "Never tell it. I love titles and honors and importance. I like to be called Chevalier—though indeed that is my right," he added with a quick touch of dignity. "And I should like very much to be captain of this company of fine young men, the flowers—does one say?—of the South. But it is not best." He held up his forefinger and looked enormously worldly-wise. "No. You would not mind; the young messieurs would not mind, perhaps—but the fathers—ah, the fathers!" He threw back his head and gazed at the ceiling with eyes of horror. Then with a start and a hand flung out, "And the mothers! Mon Dieu! But the mothers, Henry! They would make—what you call it—a h—l of a time, is it not?"

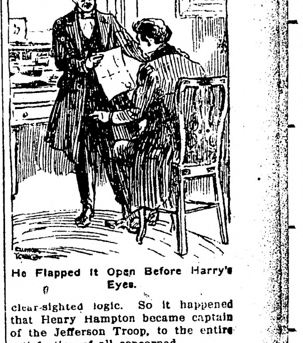
Harry roared with joy at the terrified whisper. "But I have neither father nor mother," he suggested.

"Ah, Henry," argued Francois with deep satisfaction in his tone, "that makes you so suitable."

"Suitable!" inquired Henry.

"But yes, my friend. It kills jealousy. All is grist, one says, that comes to your mill. All is fathers, all is mothers to the poor orphan—and besides that, there is Monsieur the Colonel. One sees that the uncle of the captain will be contented. And whom should I wish to content but my first host, my first benefactor in this land? I believe, indeed, he would be displeased if I should take the place. I believe he is not satisfied of my birth."

And beneath the nonsense of Francois, Henry could but acknowledge the clear-sighted logic. So it happened that Henry Hampton became captain of the Jefferson Troop, to the entire satisfaction of all concerned.



He Flapped It Open Before Harry's Eyes.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

My Lady's Mirror.

Exercise is a splendid skin tonic. A brisk walk, no matter if in the rain will freshen the complexion, even as it freshens the flowers, and a simple aperient will do wonders for a muddy skin. It remains for all women to preserve such beauty as they have and to cure the defects which are peculiar to them or that time was wrought. Every skin is different and must be treated accordingly, and it takes a reasoning woman to experiment carefully and find out the proper method of treatment for her skin.

Most women, whether they be fleshy or thin, walk far too little. The woman who tends to be fleshy should walk for at least an hour every day, and do it regularly and systematically. As she gets accustomed to the exercise she should increase the number of miles she walks a day until she is doing five miles.—Exchange.

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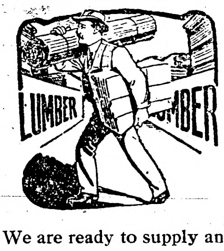

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Farmers' Contests

Silo Contest

I, the undersigned, agree to give anyone doing their trading at Holt, and being the first to build a silo in the summer of 1914, absolutely free, one $25.00 Elgin or Hampton gold watch. As soon as you have made a start report to me at once in order to be first, and as soon as you have your silo finished call and get your premium.

Yours truly,
—C. H. Gunheim.

Potato Contest

The undersigned hereby agree to give a prize to any farmers that do their trading at Holt and follows instructions given below:

You must plant at least two acres of Early Ohio potatoes, dig the same measure them correctly, with a true proof, and whoever raises the biggest amount of side potatoes will receive a $10.00 article from our store. This is done to get the farmers started in potatoe raising and to clean the fields.

—S. S. Kolden & Co.

Alfalfa Contest

To the farmers: We, the undersigned do hereby agree to give three prizes (1st 2nd and 3rd prizes) to any farmers that do their trading at Holt and follow instruction given below:

You must seed at least three acres of ALFALFA, the field to be fall plowing, ploughed over last of April, disced and kept clean to the middle of June, seeded 16 pounds to the acre without nursery crop. Three judges that understand Alfalfa will be appointed by us to look it over in the summer of 1915 that are not interested in any special parties.

The following prizes will be awarded:

1st prizes—One $15.00 suit of clothes,

2nd prize—One $4.50 pair of shoes,

3rd prize—One years subscription to the Holt Weekly News.

All that are taking part in this Contest must notify us before Nov. 1st, 1914.

—Holt Mercantile Co.
(The Big New Store)
Holt, Minn.

Corn Contest

The undersigned will give two prizes to farmers who do their trading at Holt. The first prize $10.00 worth of any articles selected from my store; second one year's subscription to our local paper, the Holt Weekly News, but you must follow these instructions:

You must plant at least five acres of corn, Minnesota 13; seed in hills from 10 to 12 kernels in each, so you can cultivate two ways. The corn must be kept clean, cut when right for fodder, stack the same in a round stack like a grain stack, but lowest in the center so that the water runs in, in place of out, and you will have a nice green fodder for your cows.

I will have two disinterested parties, judges to look over your corn, and the prizes will be awarded according to their judging. All that will take part in this contest must notify me before July first, 1914.

—R. Reierson.

The Holt State Bank will make out notices for final homestead proof free of charge. If you intend to prove up on your claim soon, be sure and call on us and have your notices properly made out.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Febuary, 1914.

Cream received	11,790 lbs
Average test	24.98
Butter fat	2,946.10 lbs
Butter made	3,633 lbs
Balance from last month	150 40
Received for butter shipped	934 78
Butter sold patrons	2 55
Cash sales at creamery	23 14
Overpaid	1 47
Total	$1,112 34
Paid patrons by check	873 61
Expense fund, etc.	95 76
To sinking fund	19 99
Balance on hand	122 98
Total	$1,112 34

Number of patrons, 59.

Price paid for butter fat, 29 1-2c.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Notice for Sealed Bids

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the undersigned until April 11th for furnishing all material and building of a church according to plans and specifications which can be seen at Holt State Bank. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for ten per cent of the amount of bid, which checks will be returned to the owners as soon as the contractor has given satisfactory bonds.

We reserve the right to reject any and all bids. All bids to be addressed to P. A. Risberg, Holt, Minn., and marked "Sealed Bids."

P. A. Risberg,
T. T. Sollom,
Arnid Carlson.

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land

ESTATE OF ERICK E. NYBERG

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Erick E. Nyberg, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Karin Nyberg, Ole Nyberg, Edward Nyberg, Bennet Nyberg, Dedrick Nyberg, Albertina Nyberg, Hilma Nyberg, Karl Nyberg, Tilda Nyberg, Elmer Nyberg and all persons interested in the mortgaging of certain lands belonging to said decedent: The petition of Karin Nyberg as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said [illegible] and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be mortgaged and praying that a license be to her granted to mortgage the same:

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Roome in the City of Warren, County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of April, 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of Said Court, this 14th day of March, 1914.

(Court Seal) PETER H. HOLM, Judge of Probate Court.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Warren, Minn. (m20a3)

Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
Feb. 24, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Cora H. Finberg, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on August 6th, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08353, for S½ NE¼ and S½ NW¼, Section 24, Township 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 7th day of April, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Claud R. Poston, Simon P. Nabben, Lars Thorson, Louis Larson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.
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Department of The Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., March 5, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Anton Rodahl, of Holt, Minn., who, on Jan. 31, 1911, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05859, for S½ NE¼, N½ SE¼, Section 35, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 14th day of April, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Ole O. Garthus, Nels Gudvangen, Albert C. Jahr, George C. Anderson all of Holt Minn.

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THERE CERTAINLY WOULD.

"There'd be fewer divorces if there were more men like Brown."

"An ideal husband, I suppose?"

"Not at all; he's a bachelor."

NOT THE ORIGINAL.

"I see that a Frenchman claims he is the inventor of the X-ray clothes."

"He's away off. Cinderella wore transparent slippers ages ago."

Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
March 5, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Olaus Rodahl, of Holt, Minn., who on Feb. 15, 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05855, for W½ NW¼, W½ SW¼ Section 35, Township 156 N. Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 14th day of April, 1914. Claimant names, as witnesses: Ole O. Garthus, Nels Gudvangen, Albert C. Jahr, George C. Anderson, all of Holt, Minn.

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March 9, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John F. Boyson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on July 16th, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08296, for NE¼ NW¼, Section 27, Township 156 N. Range 42 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 1st day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Knutson, Carl Sormo, Sven Carlson, Clarence Knutson, all of Holt, Minn.

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Local Items

Bring us the news.

For Dr. F. H. Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

The Holt State Bank is the place to pay your taxes

Cora Hanson and Anne Tharaldson made a quick trip to Thief River Falls last week.

For anything in the Drug line go to Bjerkhoel's drug store, McGinn Block, Thief River Falls. (adv)

Mr. Richardson of Thief River Falls, attended to some business at Holt between trains last Monday.

Adolph Sollom attended to some business matters at Thief River Falls last Friday returning the next day.

Coffee—real coffee—and short order lunches that satisfy. Try the service offered at Huseth's lunch counter. (adv)

Chas. W. Latta spent Tuesday attending to some business at points on the Soo Line south east from Thief River Falls.

I will be in Holt, April 3rd, with 6 good farm horses in best age. Came and see them at Kolden's Barn. P. Moreson.

Rev. M. T. Strom will have service at Andrew Engstrom's place next Sunday April 5th, at 2 o'clock. Everybody invited

For Quick Sale of your farm, cash or trade, list with Flakne Land and Immigration Co., Flakne Minn. For bargains we will pay cash.

Mr. and Mrs. Abramson from Rollis came down on Monday to visit their relatives and friends and returned home on Wednesday.

Pete Anderson ex-section foreman of Holt packed his grip last Wednesday and left to meet his family who left for Hillsbory some time ago.

Engebret Moe of East Valley went to Middle River last week to prove up his homestead, for Commissioner Knute Nelson. Martin and Ole Nelson were the witnesses.

Olaus Aggom and Ole Larson returned last Saturday from the pinery where they have been all winter. Mr. Aggom has bought some cut over land, which he has been cleaning up. He is a homesteader in East Valley.

Mrs. Nyberg and daughter Hilma left for Minneapolis last Wednesday to visit relatives and will also see a doctor as Hilma has been sickly all winter.

FOR SALE—A Columbia Graphophone, good condition, with 130 records worth $75, goes at only $25. May be seen and heard at offide of Cas. W. Latta any time you wish.

Martin Danielson returned Wednesday from Grand Forks where he has been under doctor's treatment nearly all winter. Danielson has been troubled with rhumatism.

Sven Carlson of Mud Lake drilled another well and again struck more gas than the one he drilled last fall, He struck one gas vein 47 feet and another one at 70 feet, and the other vein at 91 feet.

Justice Carlson, Deputy Sheriff of Marshal Co. was in Holt last Friday shaking hands with his friends. He came across from New Folden to catch the Great Northern train to Thief River Falls.

Hjalmer Peterson came down from Spooner last Friday to attend the funeral of his uncle, Mr. Carlson. Peterson has been working in the woods near Spooner all winter.

Those who went to Thief River Falls to witness the wrestling match are all feeling quiet down-hearted to see that Monson was defeated. But even at that he put up a good match.

We have now put in a complete line of hardware, which consists of range stoves, tinware, fence wires, etc. Come in and see our prices before buying elsewere. Holt Mercantile Co. (adv.)

Mr. I. Gulseth, a carpenter from Thief River Falls came to Holt last Monday to begin his work on the new store building for the Sollom Brothers. The new store will be a one story building 24x50 ft.

The school election of District No. 59 was quiet one sided. The bonds were carried by 3 to 1 votes so the school house will be build on the same place, where the old school house burned down.

Messrs Monson and [illegible] from Randen passed through Holt enroute to the Belthrami County seat as deligates for the hearing of the ditch matters of the Moose River ditch. Thief Lake township is quiet a bit against the ditching project, but the eastern towns are in favor of it.

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ASQUITH HIMSELF TAKES WAR OFFICE

PREMIER SUCCEEDS COLONEL SEELY AS BRITISH MILITARY MINISTER.

QUITS HOUSE OF COMMONS

Must Go Before Constituents for Reelection—Generals French and Ewart Make Their Resignations Definite.

London, March 31.—During the coming debate on the home rule bill the liberal leadership may rest entirely with Sir Edward Grey, as Chancellor Lloyd-George is reported ill at Walton-on-Thames, Surrey. The chancellor spent the week-end there playing golf and word has been received that he will not be able to appear to take part in the early debate.

Asquith Takes War Office.

Colonel Seely, secretary for war, has resigned his portfolio in the British cabinet and his resignation was accepted. Premier Asquith himself decided to take the secretaryship of war in place of Colonel Seely.

Sir John French, chief of the imperial staff of the British army, and Sir John Ewart, adjutant general to the forces, have also definitely resigned from the service.

Resignation Is Announced.

The first information received by members of parliament that Colonel Seely had definitely retired from the cabinet was when he entered the house and took a seat on the back benches instead of among his late colleagues.

Cause of Army Crisis.

The paragraph which caused the crisis were contained in a memorandum written to Brigadier General Hubert Gough and contained the following:

> "The government must retain its right to use all the forces of the crown in Ireland or elsewhere to maintain order and support the civil power in the ordinary execution of their duty, but it has no intention whatever of taking advantages of this right in order to crush political opposition to the policy or the principles of the home rule bill."

The later repudiation of these guaranties by the cabinet was taken as a rebuff by Field Marshal Sir John French, virtual commander in chief of the army, and by Sir John Ewart, the adjutant general to the forces. The two generals immediately resigned and all efforts made by the king, the premier and the other minister failed to induce them to change their minds. Their resignations have now been made definite.

Retires From House.

Premier Asquith's further announcement that he himself would take up the portfolio of secretary for war came in the nature of a surprise. Having announced his intention to take up the office he declared he would retire from the house of commons in accordance with the law, "until it pleases my constituents to sanction my return."

Mr. Asquith, having accepted "an office of profit under the crown," must now return to his constituency of East Fife, Scotland for re-election. On the last occasion he received 5,149 votes against the 3,350 of his unionist opponent.

RESERVE LIST ABOUT READY

Regional Bank Cities to Be Named This Week—Board Known Shortly

Washington, March [illegible].—[illegible] Secretary McAdoo and Postmaster General Burleson had a talk at the White House about the location of federal reserve banks.

Mr. Burleson is said to be interested in the selection of a southern city for a reserve bank. The list of reserve districts and cities in which banks are to be located probably will be announced during the present week by the organization committee.

The president is expected to name the federal reserve board soon after the organization committee makes its announcement. Several of the members already have been selected, it is said.

170,000 Miners Strike.

[illegible], Eng., March 31.—Th[illegible] thousand coal miners in the Yorkshire pits have laid down their tools demanding the introduction of a minimum rate of wages. Notices have been handed in by a further 35,000 men who will quit work Thursday. The Miners' Federation of Great Britain has given its support to the strike and a long struggle is expected. Later it was announced that another 100,000 miners had been given notice to quit work, bringing the total to 170,000.

Deadly Spotted Fever Reappears.

Butte, Mont.—Two cases of the mysterious spotted fever in the Bitter Root valley in western Montana have been reported to the state board of health. The early appearance of the disease is believed to be in consequence of the advanced warm weather. Last year there were eight cases of spotted fever, seven of which proved fatal. The disease has thus far baffled all attempts to find a remedy. The bite of a certain kind of woodtick is believed to cause the disease.

VILLA SHOT; 3,000 DEAD AT TORREON

SOLDIER FROM FRONT TELLS OF WOUNDING OF REBEL GENERAL.

CITY IS ALMOST CAPTURED

Three Barracks Remain to Be Taken By Constitutionalist Forces—Story of Deadly Fight.

Chihuahua, March 31.—General Francisco Villa has been wounded in the fighting at Torreon, according to a report received from the front. The news was brought by a soldier, one of the wounded sent here for treatment.

Rebels Near Victory.

Two thousand federals and nearly as many rebels have fallen in the desperate encounters of the last six days, according to an official message from the front. The main barracks and two smaller cuartels alone hold out against the rebels, according to the dispatches.

Since Saturday night Villa has taken Cerro de la Cruz and the Torreon foundry, the reports assert, and he is now flinging the entire strength of his force against the three points which still hold out. General Thomas Urbina is among the Rebels wounded.

Deadliest Fight Yet.

The fighting of the last six days has been as deadly as anything on record since Madero first raised the standard of revolt against Porfirio Diaz. The report of rebel losses (900 dead and wounded) is thought to have been minimized; 588 wounded have already been brought here from the front, while several hundred others have been sent to Jiminez, Parrel and Santa Rosalia.

The report that General Villa had been wounded is not confirmed in the official dispatches, but the soldier who brought the news says that he himself saw the Rebel chieftain struck by a bullet and forced to retire from the front.

Villa's Condition Withheld.

The fact was withheld from the rank of the Rebel army for moral effect, the soldier said.

A German military observer, who arrived from the front, said:

"The Federal army lured us right into Gomez Palacio, a suburb to the north of Torreon, before they opened fire. Then they let lose such a hail of rifle and machine gun shots as would have completely demoralized an ordinary Mexican army. The men fell by the score.

"One cotton bale platform by the railroad tracks was so covered with dead rebels that a person could not walk across it without stepping on a body. General Villa had such a large army that he felt he could afford to sacrifice many men to get a foothold. Almost the whole Zaragoza brigade under General Aguirre Benavides was thus wiped out, although I think General Benavides escaped.

Shock of Surprise.

"The shock and surprise to the Rebel troops, who had expected to scare the Federals and walk into Torreon with little fighting, resulted in a temporary withdrawal. Three or four days of fighting up to the time I left failed to bring about any results."

General Villa's delay in taking Torreon has revived the belief that should the Huerta forces drive him north something in the nature of a northern republic, embracing the states bordering on the United States, will be established.

Unless decisive results are achieved soon the financial affairs of the Rebel territory will reach a crisis, according to men in authority. Six million pesos in fiat money are in circulation in the states of Chihuahua, Durango and part of Zarcatecas, and this money is steadily decreasing in purchasing power, with no prospective reserve backing while more money is being issued.

15,000 to 18,000 Men Defend Torreon.

Mexico City.—President Huerta is showing concern over the situation at Torreon, but General Velasco has sent only the most meagre reports of the operations.

The attitude of the Mexican public here is wholly apathetic. The usual crowds are attending the theaters and other places of amusements.

The government asserts that General Valasco had under his command from 12,000 to 15,000 men, and, with the reinforcements under General Javier Moure and minor forces reported en route, there should be facing Villa before he can claim Torreon, from 15,000 to 18,000 Federals.

Fortune Awaits Young Man.

[illegible]ane, Penn., March 31.—A fortune of $65,000 awaits Keith Dalrymple, aged 23, of Port Alle, who disappeared from home seven years ago.

Carranza Arrives at Juarez.

Juarez, Mex., March 31.—General Venustiano Carranza, first chief of the revolution, was welcomed to Juarez Sunday. In the last few weeks the general has ridden horseback for 500 miles, and in the last two months he has traveled 2,000 miles in the same way. Carranza said that he had no occasion to modify his decree of several months ago, wherein he stated that no act or contract of the Huerta government would be recognized should the revolution succeed in capturing Mexico City.

SENSATIONAL TRAGEDY IN PARIS

The murder of Gaston Calmette (right), editor of Figaro, by Mme. Henriette Caillaux, wife of Joseph Caillaux (left), French minister of finance, has aroused Paris as it has not been aroused in years. Crowds paraded the streets crying "Down with the assassin!" The tragedy was the outcome of a bitter campaign which the editor had been waging against the minister.

ASQUITH WORKING TO SETTLE TANGLE

BRITISH PREMIER STRUGGLING HARD TO AVERT CRISIS.

RESIGNATIONS STILL TROUBLE

Strong Pressure Fails to Make Army Men Reconsider Stand—Much Depends on the Action of General Gough.

London, March 30.—Still facing the crisis which may result in disruption of the cabinet, the early calling of a general election or wholesale resignation in the army, Premier Asquith is busy with the struggle to straighten out the tangled affairs growing out of the movement against Ulster.

Resignations Not Withdrawn.

Field Marshal Sir John French and General John Spencer Ewart have re-despite tremendous pressure and much now depends on the action of General Gough, who is said to have been summoned to London from the Gurragh. General Gough, it is reported, has been asked to surrender the written guarantee signed by War Secretary Seely, French and Ewart, that his troops will not be forced to fight Ulster.

If Gough complies with this request, General French and General Ewart, it is said, will withdraw their resignations. If he refuses, then the commanding general will remain firm in their determination to retire.

Steps to Secure Document.

It will be pointed out to General Gough that the "treaty" is now void, having been repudiated by the government, and should he refuse to acknowledge its cancellation he might be ordered to surrender the document or be dismissed. Such action as this on the part of the government would certainly be followed, however, by wholesale resignations from the service, it is declared, and the calling of an early election would be certain.

Premier Asquith's determination to retain War Minister Seely in the cabinet is believed to have brought about the complications in the situation.

Gen. Paget Not Entangled.

General Paget, commanding the troops in Ireland, has so far avoided becoming entangled, but should General Gough be dismissed and other officers resign it is believed he might come into the open, possibly with a resignation and the announcement of his dealing with Colonel Seely. General Paget's treating with officers as to their willingness to serve in Ulster is plainly rebuked in the new orders issued by the war council though the entire affair which started the trouble is declared to have been due to a "misunderstanding of orders."

Earth's Core Not Molten.

Chicago, March 30.—Ancient and popular beliefs that the core of the earth is a molten mass have been investigated by scientists of the University of Chicago, who announce to the world that the planet is more rigid than steel, that it could not explode or be destroyed by a fire within itself. The results of their experiments will be published in the Astrophysical Journal and the Journal of Geology. The experiments were designed by Professor Albert A. Michelson.

Municipal Store Called F[illegible]

Chicago, March 28.—Chicago's municipal store, where the needy were to purchase supplies at cost, has done a daily average business of $9.11 since it opened, on Feb. 19, according to a statement by the city Comptroller's office. Advocates of the enterprise admit it has failed to fill any long felt want. The store does not make deliveries and a rigid investigation is made of each prospective customer. These are the reasons advanced for the lack of patronage.

JUROR AND FAMILY HUNGRY

STARVING WHILE TRIAL OF A CASE GOES ON.

Man Finally Totters Into Court, Confessing He and Family Have Not Eaten.

New York, March 30.—Just before the opening of the Hudson county court in Jersey City Leopold Wauters, a juror, tottered in and asked a court officer that he be relieved from service on the jury. As tears ran down his cheeks, Wauters said:

"I am suffering from hunger. I cannot pay attention to what is going on. There was only a little bread in the house this morning, and I left it for the children."

Judge Campbell was informed and court was delayed while Wauters enjoyed his first meal in days. The $12 due for jury services was advanced and a constable was sent with it to the home of Wauters. He found the entire family huddled in one cold room. The constable bought some food and fuel and gave the rest of the money to Mrs. Wauters. The juror resumed his place in the box.

Wauters was one of the panel of petit jurors drawn for the term and gladly welcomed his apparent good fortune, for it meant $2 a day when the courts are in session, and he was out of work and without money and had a wife and family of five children to support. He was drawn as one of the jurors who are trying an action on contract that had been going on since last Monday.

NEED VOTE FOR PROTECTION

Politics Is Woman's Only Weapon to Safeguard Her Home and Family, Says Kate O'Hare

St. Louis, March 30.—Politics is the only instrument with which a woman can protect her home, according to Mrs. Kate O'Hare, Socialist and suffragist, who was the chief speaker at the largest of six meetings held simultaneously in the libraries of the city by the Equal Suffrage league.

In writing politics for a Kansas City newspaper and working for the uplift of the factory women of New York, Mrs. O'Hare said she had seen enough of politics "to sicken her for a lifetime" were it not for her realization of its usefulness as a woman's weapon.

"If St. Louis women had the power," she said, "they would stop paying 20 cents per capita for health and 30 cents per capita for police protection, and would reverse the rates of these tax assessments.

"Women are held responsible for the food they put on their tables, for the clothes their families wear and for the condition of sanitation in their home, yet women have no power to control the production of food, the manufacture of clothing, nor have they anything to say about plumbing and building rules."

Shoplifters Are Sentenced.

Kansas City, Mo., March 30.—[illegible] Duke, 20 years old, and Mrs. Violet Geffene, 27 years old, pleaded guilty to shoplifting following a raid on Mrs. Geffene's apartments, where the police found hats, gowns and lingerie valued at $4,000, that had been stolen from Kansas City department stores. Miss Duke was sentenced to three and one-half years in the penitentiary, while Mrs. Geffene received a sentence of four years.

N. J. Election Officers [illegible]

Jersey City, N. J., March 26.—[illegible] of the charge of making false election returns while serving on the Hoboken election boards in the primary election of September, 1913, 13 election officers, eight Democrats and five Republican, were sentenced by Common Pleas Judge Mark A. Sullivan and George J. Tennant to serve not less than 18 months nor more than three years in state prison. The cases against two others were dismissed because of accidental errors.

TOLLS QUESTION IS NEAR FINAL VOTE

BILL SEEMS SURE OF VICTORY IN HOUSE WITH NICE MAJORITY.

CLARK WILL MAKE SPEECH

Speaker Will Close Debate Before Packed Galleries—Senate Will Be Real Snag for Big Question.

Washington, March 31.—The Sims bill, repealing Panama canal tolls exemption for American coastwise ships, will come to a vote in the house within a few hours, and is thought sure to pass. The majority is estimated at from 35 to 75.

Real Snags in Senate.

But while it is conceded that the real fight will come in the senate, where the measure is sure to strike many snags, exciting times are expected during the final debate and roll call on the bill in the lower house. Speaker Clark's speech, which will close the debate for the opponents of the repeal, will have the crowds fighting for seats in the galleries.

The speaker has maintained silence since his defeat on the cloture rule, when only 55 Democratic members of the house followed their recognized leaders, while some 200 of them stood by the administration, but he will break silence on the main issue of the controversy in closing the debate on behalf of opponents of toll exemption repeal.

Speech Is Guarded.

The speech has been guarded with the utmost care. Close friends of the speaker assert that there will be no bitterness, no harking back to political imbroglios, and no reflections on the opinions of others.

They predict that he proposes to discuss the merits of the issue.

On the other hand, some Democrats who have had their ears closely to the ground in the last few days hint that the speaker may surprise his friends and arouse his adversaries.

As to the party strife that has been precipitated, President Wilson has made no comment and so far as known contemplates making none. He made his plea to the congress and awaits results. Close advisers of the president insist that he bears no personal nor political ill will toward the leaders of the party who have differed with him in this crisis; and that any idea, such as has been intimated from many sources in the last few days, that he would attempt to have politically punished the party leaders who oppose him, is farthest from his thoughts.

Senate Discussion.

Meantime, in the senate, discussion will revolve around Senator James Hamilton Lewis' resolution and bill, which are intended as a sort of balm to the wounds of his party members who have thus far opposed the president in his plan for upholding the honor of the nation.

Senator Lewis' measure would give the president authority to suspend tolls whenever he should deem it in the public interest to do so. The Illinois senator will cite a long series of precedents upon which he bases the right of congress to extend such authority to the chief executive without offending any foreign nation or violating any treaty agreement.

As against the proposal of Senator Lewis, the minority leader, Senator Gallinger, will urge a resolution he introduced last week which would express it as the sense of Americans that congress has the right to do as it pleases with respect to American shipping through the Panama canal.

In the senate no cloture can be ordered and it may be weeks before the question is disposed of.

Officer Wrestles With Burglar.

Minneapolis.—A man giving the name as Harry Blenkarn was arrested by Patrolman O'Malley, after a desperate fight on roof of a rooming house. The patrolman, answering a burglar call, found Blenkarn on the roof, tampering with the skylight. Blenkarn drew a knife and there was a struggle. Finally the patrolman knocked the knife out of the man's hand and pushed him toward the stairs. A wrestling match at the head of the stairs resulted in both tumbling down the two flights, O'Malley landed on top.

'Quake Lasts Over Hour.

St. Louis, March 30.—A [illegible] earthquake, lasting one hour and 20 minutes, was recorded on the seismograph of St. Louis university here. It is the belief of officials at the university that the earthquake occurred in the southern part of Mexico or in Central America.

Boilers Delay [illegible]

New York, March 30.—The [illegible] came into port [illegible] more than four days late. Trouble with her boilers had caused the delay. A force of repair men was constantly employed during the voyage to keep enough boilers in condition to supply steam. The vessel's tardiness had caused uneasiness until Captain [illegible] reported by wireless that he had encountered heavy seas and was proceeding slowly with slightly deranged machinery.

DUAL LIFE OF WEALTHY MAN

MILLIONAIRE ALLEGED TO HAVE HAD COMMON-LAW WIFE.

Late Iron-Master, Philip Ewald, Apparently Had Mania for Secrecy—Had Adopted Children.

Louisville, Ky., March 28.—Intimate details of the life of Louis Philip Ewald, late iron master of St. Louis and Louisville, which he devoted painstaking efforts and a small fortune to keep secret, were revealed almost five years after his death, during trial of the suit brought by Ellen J. Golden, or Ewald, by which she seeks to establish dower rights in Ewalds estate, alleging she was his common-law wife.

Ewald's estate was estimated to be worth $4,000,000. He willed $15,000 each to nine brothers and sisters, most of whom live in St. Louis, and the remainder to Ellen Golden's three children, whom Ewald adopted. The woman is suing for a judgment for half the property and a widow's interest in the realty, aggregating $2,000,000.

The plaintiff on the witness stand testified that the alleged common-law marriage between herself and Ewald took place in St. Louis in March, 1890. Prior to leaving St. Louis to take her residence in an elaborate home bought for her by Ewald, in an exclusive residence section of this city, she lived in Williamsport, Pa., Pittsburgh, Washington, Chicago and Denver.

More than a hundred telegrams containing expressions of affection, purporting to have been from Ewald and addressed to the plaintiff under the name of "Mrs. E. J. Seaman," at a Detroit hotel, were read to the jury. The plaintiff admitted she was never generally known as Mrs. Ewald.

Testimony at the trial, which began Monday, has disclosed the double life led by the eccentric millionaire iron master, who apparently had a mania for secrecy.

VAUDEVILLE INTERESTS SOLD

Sullivan-Considine Circuit Changes Hands—With Properties for Over $6,000,000.

Kansas City, Mo., March 28.—Marcus Loew of New York city, representing interests of which he is the principal stockholder, signed a contract to purchase the Sullivan-Considine vaudeville circuit and properties for an amount that will exceed $6,000,000. Mr. Loew will take over the properties Aug. 1, next.

The properties, which are scattered throughout the country are owned jointly by John W. Considine and the estate of Timothy D. Sullivan of New York city. Thirty-seven theaters owned outright by the Sullivan-Considine interests, and 100 theaters which the circuit books and has interests in, were involved in the deal.

Mr. Loew announced he would combine the theaters involved in the deal with the houses he now owns. This will bring the number of theaters now controlled by him up to 200.

BEACHEY TO ENTER CONTEST

Intrepid Aviator and Fowler Decided to Take Part in Round the World Race.

New York, March 27.—Two American aviators, Lincoln Beachy and "Bob" Fowler, have announced their intention of entering the round the world race, to start from the Panama-Pacific exposition grounds in San Francisco next year, it was stated here by Arnold Kruckman, manager of the contest.

Besides these two Americans the manufacturers of three leading types of aeroplanes in Europe have informed Mr. Kruckman that they will enter aviators and machines.

AMERICAN BOAT GOES DOWN

Relayed Wireless Message Tells of Disaster Which Cost the Lives of Six.

[illegible], March 28.—[illegible] the American schooner Hattie P. Simpson of Boston with Captain Strong and nine members of the crew was reported to the navy department in a relayed wireless message from the steamship Caracas which has on board five survivors of the schooner.

For Suffrage Referendum.

Boston, March 28.—By action of the house the legislature has voted for the first time in its history in favor of referring to the people the granting of suffrage to women. The vote in the house was 168 to 35 on a resolution which had already been favorably acted upon by the senate providing an amendment to the constitution striking the word "male" from the qualifications for voters. The measure must receive favorable action in the legislature next year before it goes before the people.

Polling Begins in Sweden.

Stockholm, March 28.—After the most bitter political campaign in the history of Sweden polling has been begun for members of the new lower house of the riksdag to replace that dissolved on March 5 as the result of the alleged invasion of the rights of the people by King Gustav V. The Stockholm district is the first to vote and the polling will continue elsewhere throughout the kingdom until April [illegible]. Owing to the intense interest 90 per cent of the vote is expected to be brought out.

The Explanation.

"She says she never borrows trouble."

"No; that's a thing she prefers to give."—Judge.

MRS. WILLIAMS' LONG SICKNESS

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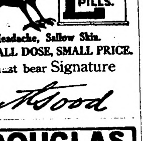
"If these lines will be of any benefit you have my permission to publish them."—Mrs. SADIE WILLIAMS, 455 James Street, Elkhart, Indiana.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record of being the most successful remedy for female ills we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., seem to prove this fact.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.



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CORN CAN BE GROWN ON CANADIAN PRAIRIES

Manitoba is now commencing to produce considerable corn, chiefly for feeding purposes. In some cases where the crop can be matured into the dough stage, silos could be used and would be a profitable investment. According to the Farm and Ranch Review, a correspondent visited a field of corn in southern Manitoba on September 28. The corn then was untouched by frost and it stood on an average eight and nine feet in height. The corn had developed into the dough stage, and the crop would easily exceed 20 tons to the acre. At many experimental farms, the same favorable showing of the corn crop has manifested itself. At the Brandon experimental farm this year several varieties, all very good yielders, matured into good silo corn.

Considering the success with which corn can be produced, and the advantages to be gained by so producing it, should not it receive the serious attention of the western agriculturist?

Corn is successfully grown in the northern part of Minnesota in similar soil and under the same climatic condition, and there does not appear to be any reason why like results should not be secured in western Canada. It is the opinion of many American farmers of experience that the corn belt is extending northward. The prairie provinces must gradually take up with mixed farming. More stock on the farms must be raised, and in consequence farming must to some extent be diverted from grain growing to other necessary crops. If crops suitable for wintering cattle and especially dairy stock are to be grown, why should not corn be one of these crops? In Ontario and in the United States we find it forms the main bulky food for wintering beef and dairy cattle. They would not be without this profitable plant. In fact, since its introduction almost twice as much stock can be retained on the same amount of land, besides considering its great value for keeping the land clean. Some may say that many crops that can be grown in Ontario and the States cannot be grown here, but not so with corn, even now we find scattered fields of corn in Alberta and Saskatchewan.—Advertisement.

Occasionally a man wins a fight because he hasn't the nerve to run away.

HEAD BEGAN TO FESTER

P. O. Box 55, Greenville, Cal.—"Last fall my baby boy, two and a half years old, fell and hit the back of his head on the door-casing, cutting quite a gash. I thought it would heal right away, so when I picked him up and washed his head I put some ——— on it and he soon was playing again. The next morning there was a scab over it, but after a few days it began to fester and other sores came near it. They commenced at his neck and gradually spread to the top of his head. The eruption was like ulcerated pimples and itched and irritated him awfully, especially at night, when he would scratch and dig his head. I had hard work to keep him from scratching them. His hair fell out where the sores were thickest.

"The sores looked red and mattered. I had all his hair cut close to his head so I could get the Cuticura Ointment on well night and morning and I washed his head well with the Cuticura Soap. After a few applications night and morning the itching stopped and no more new sores came. In two weeks it was healed nicely and in three weeks he was cured and there is not even a scar on his head." (Signed) Mrs. A. B. Welters, Dec. 17, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

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Except for his big ears a [illegible] could not appreciate his own music.

SOME BIRDS USEFUL

Character of Food They Eat Decides Economic Status.

When It Consists of Insects or Mammals Injurious to Crops or Forest Trees, That Bird Is of Service to Man and Beneficial.

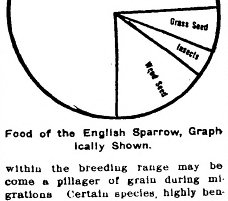
Washington.—The character of the food eaten by birds, insects or animals decides their economic status. When the food of a bird consists of insects or mammals injurious to crops, forest trees, or to other property, that bird is of service to man and, therefore, beneficial. A bird, animal or insect is beneficial or injurious to the degree that harmful or useful forms are eaten or destroyed by it.

Their mode of locomotion, together with their structural fitness for their natural functions, make birds a very important economic factor in the animal kingdom, especially from the standpoint of their usefulness to man. Endowed with the power of flight, they speedily cover great distances, thus controlling plagues of insects or rodents in widely separated sections of country.

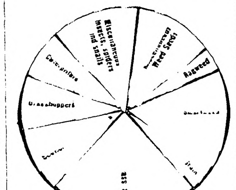
Aside from their destruction of noxious insects and animals, birds are useful as weed-seed destroyers, also as scavengers, and again are instrumental in the dissemination of the seeds of trees and other plants. The place of birds in nature is entirely unique. Each species performs a service which no other can so well accomplish. Each is structurally modified for the particular work nature demands of it. These modifications, in such species as the crossbill, spoon-bill, and others are very marked, giving them an unnautral and grotesque appearance, even to the point of deformity. In other species, various structural modifications in feet, legs, wings, necks or other parts are found.

So complex are the food habits of birds, that they are little understood, and probably never will be fully known. A species may be useful part of the year, and harmful at certain times. An active destroyer of insects within the breeding range may become a pillager of grain during migrations. Certain species, highly beneficial in normal numbers, become destructive when their numbers are greatly increased. The whole economic problem hinges on the balance that can be preserved in nature. An increased food supply would tend to increase the number of birds feeding thereon. When the supply is materially decreased the birds must look elsewhere for food, and this may result in their becoming destructive.

Birds are not always the cheery, light-hearted creatures of summer. Sometimes conditions are most adverse and for days at a time food is unobtainable. At such times, many a bird that otherwise might starve or freeze to death may be saved by feeding. The time and expense required to maintain a food shelf for the birds is trivial, but the good resulting is very great. The food shelf (there should be one or more, however, [illegible]) should be placed, if possible, in a sheltered situation with a southern side exposed, and well out of the reach of cats. A south window is a good place and permits of observation from within. Suet, cracked nuts, seeds, grains and crumbs should be furnished in goodly quantity. A suet ball (made by winding a piece of suet with cord to keep it from falling to pieces and suspended by a strong (wire) may be hung underneath the porch or suspended from a branch of a tree. English sparrows seldom, if ever, bother a piece of suet, but more or less trouble will be caused by the sparrows driving other birds from the food shelf [illegible]



Food of the English Sparrow, Graphically Shown.



[illegible] the [illegible] Relative Size of the Segments in the Circle Show the Comparative Amounts Eaten of Various Food Stuffs.

Uric Acid is Slow Poison

Unseen in its approach, hard to detect in its early stages, and cruelly painful in its later forms, uric acid poisoning is a disease too often fatal.

Bright's disease is one of the final stages of uric acid poisoning. It kills in our country every year more men and women than any other ailment except two—consumption and pneumonia. Bright's disease and uric acid poisoning usually start in some kidney weakness that would not be hard to cure, if discovered early, so it is well to know the early signs of kidney disease and uric poisoning.

When uric acid is formed too fast and the kidneys are weakened by a cold, or fever, by overwork, or by overindulgences, the acid collects, the blood gets impure and heavy, there is headache, dizziness, heart palpitation, and a dull, heavy-headed, drowsy feeling with disturbances of the urine.

Real torture begins when the uric acid forms into gravel or stone in the kidney, or crystallizes into jagged bits in the muscles, joints or on the nerve tubings. Then follow the awful pains of neuralgia, rheumatism, gout, sciatica, neuritis, lumbago or kidney colic.

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It is but a further step to dropsy or Bright's disease.

Be warned by backache, by sediment in the kidney secretions, by painful, scant or too frequent passages. Cure the weakened kidneys. Use Doan's Kidney Pills—a medicine made just for weak kidneys, that has been proved good in years of use, in thousands of cases—the remedy that is recommended by grateful users from coast to coast.

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JOKE OF ANCIENT VINTAGE

Credited Just Now to the Chinese, But It Has Been Accorded to Many Nationalities.

A joke knows no birthplace and no date of birth. Jests that are supposed to be of modern Irish, or French or German origin can be found in the writings of the ancient Greeks, who, perhaps had them from still earlier jesters. In the Chinese "Hsiao-Lin-Kuang-Chi," or Laughing Book, are jokes that even in their oriental garb are much like jokes we have heard in western tongues. The New York Tribune prints one of them:

Two men, Chung and Kung, were warming themselves before an open stove. Chung, who was remarkable for his coolness and loquacity, said to Kung, who was exceedingly quick-tempered:

"My dear Kung, there is something that I should very much like to say to you. It relates to a circumstance I have observed for a little time past. But, bearing in mind your somewhat fiery and quarrelsome disposition, I have hesitated to mention it to you. However, I have at last decided that, if I do not mention the matter to you, I shall do wrong, and I have consequently determined to ask your permission to speak to you about it."

"Well, what is it?"

"Your coat, my dear Kung," said Chung, quietly, "is on fire."

"For pity's sake!" exclaimed Kung, angrily, jumping up and finding his coat nearly burned off. "Why in the world didn't you tell me before?"

"There it goes! What a frightful temper!" Chung murmured, as he moved away. "No wonder you are called hot-headed!"—Youth's Companion.

He Did Tell.

"What's the matter, Tommie? You're dripping wet?"

"Went on the ice and it wouldn't hold me, mother."

"Can't you tell when the ice won't hold you?"

"Didn't I just tell you [illegible]?"

When the man is getting the worst of the argument he is sure to say: "Well, that's just like a woman!"

CLEVER WIFE

Knew How to Keep Peace in Family.

It is quite significant the number of persons who get well of alarming heart trouble when they let up on coffee and use Postum as the beverage at meals.

There is nothing surprising about it, however, because the harmful alkaloid, caffeine, in coffee is not present in Postum, which is made of clean, hard wheat.

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"The doctor said he could find no organic trouble but that my heart was irritable from something I had been accustomed to, and asked me to try and remember what disagreed with me.

"I remembered [illegible] coffee always [illegible] and caused me trouble from palpitation of the heart. So I stopped coffee and began to use Postum. I have had no further trouble since.

"A neighbor of [illegible] man was so irritable from drinking coffee that his wife wanted him to drink Postum. This made him very angry, but his wife secured some Postum and made it carefully according to directions.

"He drank the Postum and did not know the difference and is still using it to his lasting benefit. He tells his wife that the 'coffee' is better than it used to be, so she smiles with him and keeps peace in the family by serving Postum instead of coffee."

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The Fortunate Mr. V.

There is a theatrical magnate in New York who is up on the needs of the tired business man, but a little bit shy on general education. In his office they were discussing the prevalent hard times—theatrical and otherwise.

"Well," he said, "there's one guy in this town that I envy. He's busy all the time. Everywhere I go I see people using his machines."

"Who's that?" inquired one of the company.

"Why, this guy, Vacuum, that makes all them patent cleaners!"

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The fellow who contracts the habit of borrowing trouble is always in debt.

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"[illegible] ill for a long time with a severely sprained ankle. I got a bottle of Sloan's [illegible] and now I am able to be about and can walk a great deal. I write this because I think you deserve a lot of credit for putting such a fine liniment on the market and I shall always take time to recommend Dr. Sloan's Liniment."—*Mrs. Chas. Rouse, Baltimore, Md.*

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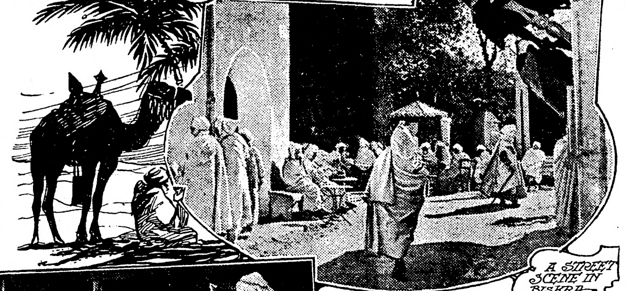
The CHARM of BISKRA

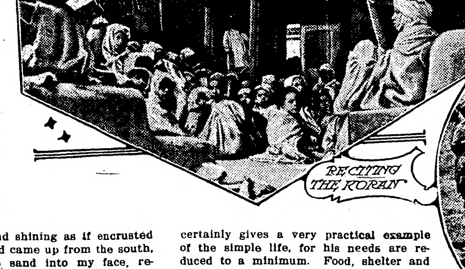
by ISABEL CLARK

IT was by way of Philippeville, one of the brightest of the smaller Algerian ports, that I journeyed to Biskra, and passed through, for the first time, the beautiful landscape of the North African Tell. It was in December, but there was little to suggest winter in the scene that met my eyes. The tracts of forest, filled with cork, ilex and olive trees and thick bushes of arbutus, were colored tenderly in shades of softest green and gray, and the endless orchards of orange and citron trees were hung with bright fruits. Great blue stars of convolvulus decorated the hedgerows and twined over the porches of the little French homesteads. Overhead, the sky was of cloudless sapphire and the mountains were sharply etched against it. It was only when I passed the wide vineyards, empty except for the stunted brown stems, that I could realize it was December. Beyond Constantine, upon the high plateaus that make a well-defined ridge between the green and fertile strip of the plains and the endless waste of desert to the south, an arid, rocky land presents itself. Scant and grudging is the pasturage offered to the flocks that move ceaselessly across the hills. Thin and meager are the crops grown upon that land so patiently plowed. Here and there a chott, or salt lake, clear as crystal, gleamed like a shield of polished steel, reflecting every detail of the mountains with faithful exactitude. Here, too, may be seen the green, scrublike growth of the alfa grass, so much exported to England, where it is used in the production of highly glazed paper. So far it has resisted all the efforts that have been made to cultivate it. Early in the afternoon the train dipped down suddenly into the oasis of El Kantara, known to the Arabs as Foum-el-Sahara—the Mouth of the Sahara. It is a place of palm trees and orange groves, watered by sweet springs, and possessing strange old Roman tombs and delicate fragments of Roman architecture. But the great marvel of El Kantara lies in that deep and narrow gorge where the huge violet sides of Djebl Metlili, riven asunder as if by the mighty stroke of an ax, disclose that abrupt and wonderful entrance into the Sahara. At its narrowest the rent is about 40 yards wide and the length is 300 yards. From the verdant and palm-clad beauty of the oasis the traveler gazes through that rent torn in the high rocks, and sees before him the illimitable white expanse of desert, silver pale and shining as if encrusted with gems. A little wind came up from the south, blowing the fine white sand into my face, reminding me of the desolate solitudes that lay beyond, the endless empty sands dipping far southward. Groves of date palms grew close to the river bank, and hedges of wild oleander still showed a few belated blossoms of fragile pink. It is thus almost dramatically that one enters the desert from the stony alfa-strewn ways of the high plateaus. No longer needed now were the fur coats and foot-warmers that had been so necessary at the hour of our early departure from Constantine. We seemed to have passed suddenly into a sub-tropical land quivering in the burning sunlight.

PREPARING COUS-COUS



A STREET SCENE IN BISKRA



RECITING THE KORAN

PITCHING THE TENT

It is the fashion to say of Biskra that she has been spoilt since "The Garden of Allah" awakened the world to her hidden beauty, made her popular to the hordes of Cook's tourists and gave a fresh impetus to the loafing profession of guide, which the Arab is always only too ready to adopt. He is, indeed, somewhat more of a pest than he used to be; he knows that he has been written about and perhaps presented in too flattering an aspect, and it has made him conceited and self-conscious. But he is really no worse at Biskra than he is in Tunis. Immense and luxurious hotels have sprung up to supersede the simpler caravanserais of former days, when the little town was a favorite but quite unfashionable resort of French people in search of simplicity and sunshine. But I am inclined to think that Biskra is unspoilable. "The Heart of the Desert," as the Arabs affectionately call her, she was the Ad Piscinam of the Romans, and the famous Third Legion sojourned in that wonderful and fertile oasis which can now be reached on the fifth day after leaving London. "Two things are necessary," says Stevenson, "in any neighborhood where we propose to spend a life—a desert and running water." Biskra possesses these essentials in abundance, and she has the additional advantage of constant, almost perpetual, sunshine. Her palm and olive and orange groves are watered by springs that have never failed. Close to her—so close, indeed, that she almost seems to mock at its parched infertility—lies the white splendor of the desert with its pallor as of a calm sea faintly touched with blue haze. The moonlight-colored city with its blanched streets lies surrounded by a fringe of perpetual verdure. Watch the dawn waking iris-hued in the eastern sky, painting the Aures mountains to a deeper rose and drawing a filmy amber veil across the sands, and I think you will agree with me that Biskra is unspoilable.

There are many simple sights that cannot fail to interest the unaccustomed visitor from the North, on account of their novelty. The Arab school, with the bright eyed, inattentive little turbaned or befezzed scholars, listlessly reciting verses from the Koran, under the aegis of the tolba, or schoolmaster; the market-place, teeming with native vendors, story-tellers and sand diviners; the groups of picturesque Arabs wrapped in their white burnouses or shabby gray haicks; the caravans arriving almost daily from the south with their loads of dates; the swaying palanquins within which the women travel on the camels' backs, hidden and mysterious; the fine garden of Count Landon, with its lovely tropical trees and flowers; the village of Old Biskra, with its clay-built huts swarming with dark-eyed children—these are but a few of the picturesque, quaint or beautiful things that Biskra offers to the visitor. The nomad camps, too, are a source of interest with their tents of camel-hair cloth, guarded often by a white Kabyle dog. The nomad certainly gives a very practical example of the simple life, for his needs are reduced to a minimum. Food, shelter and clothing of the rudest kind are all that he requires as he wanders from desert to tell with his flocks. Like the bishop of Browning's poem, he seems only to ask that

"That hutch should rustle with sufficient straw,"

but he is nevertheless said to suffer greatly from rheumatism caused by incessant exposure to all weathers, and also from ophthalmia, which is a real scourge among the natives of Algeria, and results all too frequently in complete blindness.

About a week or ten days before Christmas the "courses indigenes," or native race meeting, takes place at Biskra. This meeting is, of course, much less popular than the fashionable one which is held in the spring, but a good number of French people always attend it. There is a superstition in Biskra that this particular week is always the windiest in the year, and certainly, on the solitary occasion of which I have had experience, the reputation was justified. Even in the shelter of the stand we were thickly powdered with fine white sand that was blown in upon us by the high, strong wind. We drove out to the course in one of the shaky little carriages drawn by two swift ponies, which can be hired so cheaply in the town.

The Hippodrome d'El Alia was thronged with people, French for the most part, with a sprinkling of English and Germans, and some native Kaids gorgeously appareled. The first part, "Courses du Ministere de la guerre," consisted only of two events, the distance in each case being 1,500 meters. In the second part, "Courses de la Commune Indigene," there were three events, and the longest distance run was 2,400 meters, this race being open to horses of all ages. The horses bore such names as Boucoucha, Lamari, Salah and Mabrouk, while the jockeys figure on the program under such nomenclature as Messaoud-den-Chebha, Belgacem-ben-Mohamed and so forth. The course is of hard, white sand, upon which the flying hoofs beat with a noise like thunder.

The streaming burnouses of the Arab jockeys—red and white and blue of all shades—made patches of brilliant color. There were no rows of raucous-voiced bookmakers shouting the odds; but as the Arabs are inveterate gamblers, no doubt a good deal of quiet betting went on. Among the spectators were many French officers, wearing the pale blue tunic of the famous Chasseurs d'Afrique. Most of them were combining business with pleasure, for the Arabs from all parts of the desert bring their best horses to compete in the races, and these are frequently bought for the remount department of the African cavalry. Every effort is being made by the French government to encourage horse-breeding among the Arabs.

Close to the grand stand some of the harem carriages, with their shuttered windows, could be seen wherein the Arab ladies of quality were sitting, concealed, catching imperfect glimpses of the races and also of what probably interested them far more—the toilettes of the French women. A group of Spahis, in their bright red burnouses and high red boots, added to the picturesqueness of the gay scene. When the races were over we were invited to mount up into the judge's box to witness the fantasia. This was a thrilling and rather dramatic finale to the day's proceedings.

The men of each gourn or tribe rode past, headed by their kaid, or chief, galloping in rapid succession down that hard, white course, waving their swords and firing their guns as they went. The very smell of powder never fails to fill the Arab with maddest excitement, and the fantasia had all the appearance of a fierce cavalry charge. I retained an impression, vivid if fugitive, of kaleidoscopic colors passing swiftly by, blurred by the blue mist of the smoke mingling with the thick, white desert dust. The noise of the firing, of the beating hoofs and of the wild cheering of the multitude of spectators, the sight of the many-colored burnouses and the bronze faces under their white turbans, left a confused sense upon my mind as of something strange and fantastic, almost unreal.

Driving home, we saw the sun setting behind the groves of palms in a sky that was colored like a pomegranate blossom, with a glow that turned the very sands to flame. Djebl Ahmar-Kraddou, tallest peak of the Aures mountains, caught the reflection of it and shone as with rose-colored fire. The palm fronds were softly stenciled against the sky. Then the swift, sudden twilight of the South drew its delicate purple veil over the scene. Strange music stole out of the silences, the faint flute notes, liquid and tender, of the gazbah, the dull throbbing of tom-tom and derbouka. The moon rose over the white city of the desert and, touched by its matchless radiance, the streets looked as if they had been wrought of gleaming marble; the cold indigo shadows flung by the houses were sharply defined. And surely nowhere in the world can one see a wider expanse of sky, filled from end to end with clusters of golden stars, than that which hangs its canopy, velvet-soft, above the Heart of the Desert.

SLANGY PA.

Mother—Now, Willie, put away those drumsticks. Don't you know your father has a headache?

Willie—But, ma, when I was going into the parlor with my drum he told me to beat it."—Boston Evening Transcript.

DOING HER BEST.

"[illegible] your wife run to meet you when you come home in the gloaming?"

"Well, her gown is a trifle tight for running. She hobbles toward me as rapidly as she can."

THE LONGER THE BETTER

"I took a long walk yesterday," said [illegible], as he collapsed into a seat at Busyman's desk.

"Take another, old man," suggested Busyman; "it'll do us both good."—Puck.

WHICH IS UNGENEROUS

[illegible]—I always keep my trouble to myself.

Dix—Quite right, too! When you tell them you are taking up the time of the man who is waiting to tell you his.

GET ACTION IN MOVING PICTURES

Realism the First Thought of the Actors and Accompanying Photographers.

LET NOTHING STAND IN WAY

Recent Incident in the Blue Hills of Massachusetts an Example—Colored Scenes to Be Used in the Near Future—Millions Invested.

Along one of the thickly wooded roads through the Blue Hills the other afternoon an automobile scudded at top speed, relates the Boston Herald. In the tonneau, lying apparently lifeless on one of the seats, was a young girl, dressed, oddly enough, in a suit of rough and manly tweeds. To add to the incongruity her long hair had broken from bounds and fell in a tumble about her shoulders. Her face was white and drawn. It was evident that she had fainted.

About a hundred yards behind rushed another machine crowded with uniformed men. Every now and then there was a flash of steel and the staccato barking of a half-dozen revolvers. On and on the cars dashed through the thin sunlight of the afternoon, the second gaining visibly on the first.

To the casual observer there seemed to be little doubt that one of the most thrilling bandit chases ever seen in eastern Massachusetts was in progress. A second glance, however, revealed an intensely active individual perched perilously on the hood of the first machine. It looked as though he were manipulating a miniature gatling gun and one expected the annihilation of the little band of doughty policemen.

Nothing happened. The supposed gun clicked harmlessly with an incessant whirr and without a sign of a bullet or a wound. The race went on merrily and then the man behind the gun raised his hand. Both cars slowed down and stopped. The fainting girl revived, and pursued and pursuers stepped out and stood at the side of the road chatting amiably.

It doesn't take any very shrewd guessing to understand that the excitement was all feigned, that the fleeing and the following was all a put-up job, that the cartridges were all blanks. Anyone might hazard a wager that the whole affair was done for the sake of the "movies." And as a matter of fact, it was.

Made Pictures in Fierce Storm.

The storm which recently passed over California brought gloom to many motion picture studios, but one director at least gave thanks for the stormy aid of the elements. He had taken a large company of artists up into the high Sierras to produce a number of multiple reel features amid snow settings. The director and his cohorts arrived in Truckee, Cal., shortly before the record snowfall set in, and they soon found themselves with seven feet of snow on the level to work in. All hands immediately got busy, and some fine snowstorm scenes were secured. One morning the company awoke to find themselves literally snowed under and had to dig themselves out with shovels. After gaining their own freedom they went to the aid of the village folk, whose habitations in many instances had collapsed under the snow.

Millions Invested in Films

Talk about baseball being the national game, there are some 7,200,000 fans in the United States who daily attend the movies. It takes more than 18,000 moving picture houses to take care of these fans, and in the course of a year the American public pays something like $275,000,000 for the privilege of seeing the latest things in films.

Films for Policemen

The films which are to be shown to the Paris constables represent almost every possible incident of a policeman's duty, and have been carefully acted in the most realistic way. The young "agent de ville" will be shown how to take charge of a lost child, how to intervene in a dangerous quarrel, how to handle a drunken man. All the games of chance which are forbidden by French law will be acted on the screen; the different types of wrongdoers, with their characteristic impliments, weapons and dress will be shown. There will be a film entitled "The Story of a Crime," depicting all the processes of justice from an arrest up to the final scene in court, says the Paris Daily Mail. Finally, to inspire the young officer with emulation, he will be shown the pictures of policemen who have met death in the execution of their duty, and of those who have won the Cross of the Legion of Honor for bravery.

Colored Motion Pictures.

There are colored motion pictures that are made so by hand, each little picture being painted separately, Charles M. Seay writes in the American Boy. In making pictures "in natural colors" the film is the same as that of the ordinary motion picture. But in making it the speed is twice as fast, 32 pictures to the second. "Colored" pictures are photographed through mats or screens of colored glass. Two primary colors are used, red and green, with a sympathetic touch of blue. When the machine that makes the photograph is started, a device causes the red screen to pass before the lens as the first photograph is taken, and the green screen passes the same way as the following picture is made. They continue to do so alternately as the film continues to be exposed. The negative is developed and a positive printed, and when run through the projecting machine the color screens are used in the same way as when the negative was made, red and green pictures being flashed on the screen alternately. Those colors that are in sympathy with the red are brought out, and those that are in sympathy with the green are shown in the same way, and through the persistence of vision we do not notice the changes. Instead, they blend harmoniously to our delight.

Star Feels Lure of "Movies."

James K. Hackett, the actor, awoke in his Washington hotel a few days ago to find himself principal heir to a fortune of $2,500,000 left by his niece, Mrs. Minnie Hackett Trowbridge of New York. Mr. Hackett will quit the legitimate stage and appear in the movies.

Stuck in the Mud.

A certain film company were rehearsing a scene on a river bank, the black-hearted villain struggling with the heroine in a mad effort to kill her. Across the water swims the hero and, seizing the scoundrel's knife, he knocks him to earth with a sickening thud. Anyway, that is what was due to happen.

But during the actual filming of the event the hero discovered that the river was very shallow, and to his genuine horror he stuck fast in the mud. Frantically he tried to move forward; desperately the encounter on the bank was prolonged. All to no purpose! Producer, camera-men, and villain were finally forced to wade into the stream and release the captive hero, and even then his boots remained behind.

Worrying the Artists.

Falling over cliffs and jumping into rivers are part of a picture-actor's work, and for his salary's sake he mustn't complain. But there are inconveniences attaching to his profession about which he is entitled to murmur, and the latest of these is the too-ardent admirer. Every important picture studio is invaded nowadays by enthusiasts who want to see their favorites in the flesh and shake hands with them, under the delusion that a studio is a home of gaiety instead of a busy factory. Admirers who stay at a distance and pour forth their worship in amorous letters are welcomed by the "star," but he (and she) objects to their presence when an important scene is being photographed.

Critic Likes "Movies."

I had an awfully good time. It seemed like a new experience, with a certain piquancy to it. Nothing to do but look! Plays were there, without voices, and the very silence was enjoyable. Then one's imagination was allowed to work so agreeably. I prefer my own imagination to the "words" that are cast on the screen. Sometimes these words, banal and trite, spoil the illusion. In pictures one can imagine such a lot! I love them when they don't dot the i's and cross the t's.—Alan Dale.

To Sacrifice Her Hair.

A noted cinematograph actress, whose red tresses are five feet long, has arranged to sell three feet of her hair to a Paris dealer for £1,000. The hair is to be delivered in May. A large party of friends will be invited to witness the cutting of the locks, which will be done with a pair of golden scissors. The scissors will be presented as a souvenir of the occasion to the actress.

Cheap Movie Camera.

Kasimir de Proszynski, who has been called "the Polish Edison," is exhibiting in London a moving picture camera that takes and projects pictures with the same apparatus. Instead of an ordinary tapelike film, Mr. Proszynski has devised a wide moving band of celluloid that takes the pictures in series like the lines on a printed page. Mr. Proszynski estimates that his invention will reduce the cost of a 15 minutes' picture from $15 to 75 cents, thus bringing the cinema within the reach of every amateur.

Dead Woman's Feat.

Chatting about how critical the picture public are becoming, a well-known picture-actress recently said: "I remember a scene in which one of the characters had died and was stretched out on a couch, while I, as her grieving daughter, wept bitterly over her body. I was scheduled to cross her arms, and had got the left one in place all right, when the corpse, becoming rather restless and thinking I was slow about it, lifted the other one into place herself. We thought it would pass unnoticed on the screen. I was in a theater during the showing of the film, and when the dead body accommodatingly moved its own arm the audience broke into a roar of laughter. The public are quick to notice little things these days."

In a Small Republic.

"If you are a good boy you may become president."

"That idea doesn't go in this little republic. What you want to be is a good marksman."

The Man, the Mission and the Maid

By George Randolph Chester

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When Hal Gilman got home from college he had left all such things as youth and folly behind him. He was more conscious of this than when, after the welcome home had quieted down a bit, he strolled out and glanced at the Blanchard porch. A dazzling young lady over there was arranging her fluffy summer gown picturesquely as she sat down in one of the big rocking chairs. She was supplied with a pink book, the color of which matched her gown and her cheeks perfectly, but before she opened the book she gave the neighborhood a satisfied inspection and so saw the young man looking out upon his boyhood surroundings with the new eyes of extreme serious maturity.

"Welcome to our beautiful city!" called the girl gaily, rising from her chair.

It was Miss Blanchard after all. He had been in some doubt about it. "Pickles" he had used to call her. He shuddered at the memory of the dreadful word. A year ago, too, he would have vaulted over the picket fence that separated the two lawns, and in an instant more would have been sprawling upon the Blanchard steps. He remembered this also with a pang as he lifted his hat and made a dignified bow to her; then he walked sedately down the Gilman path and out at the Gilman gate; he walked sedately over to the Blanchard gate and opened it; he walked sedately up the Blanchard path and upon the Blanchard porch, where he deposited himself and his rigid Prince Albert carefully upon a chair, after having shaken hands most politely with the Blanchard young lady. "How you have blossomed!" he observed with a fatherly gravity that forbade any suspicion of gallantry. "I should scarcely have known you."

"We all change," she solemnly replied through lips that were full and red and most deliciously curved. "We bud, we blossom, we ripen and decay. Life—ah, life is merciless!"

"Yes," he admitted pensively, "we are always growing older."

He was twenty-two and feeling for a mustache; so the weight of advancing years lay heavily upon him. Alice Blanchard reached over to lay her pink book upon the tabourette at her right hand, and the book-mark fell out. It was a large, square, cream-tinted envelope and very fat. The address was in a man's bold chirography, and Mr. Gilman frowned as he noted it. This sort of thing was a part of the folly he had left behind him forever. Miss Alice picked up the letter, but she did not do it hastily, nor blush. She put it carefully back in the book; it was too sacred a thing to be treated flippantly. Already Alice Blanchard had met her Fate. She was a woman, now, with all the responsibilities and cares that come to a mature woman of nineteen.

Silence ensued. They looked out upon the pretty suburban street with thoughtful eyes.

"It must be fine to be a man," presently sighed Miss Blanchard; "to be able to go out in the world and fight for fame and fortune."

He turned reproachful eyes upon her.

"Fame!" he expostulated. "Fortune! There are too many of the world's greedy host after those empty honors."

Miss Blanchard was startled, but gave him instant comprehension. She, too, was just back from college.

"True," she sighed. "How true."

"As for myself," he went on, "my die is cast. I have already engaged to devote myself, after a short period of repose with the good grandparents who raised me, to the uplifting of humanity. Settlement work is to occupy my time henceforth."

His eye was calm but stern. He did not glow with enthusiasm. The cause was not one for mere boyish fervor. It was a man's serious, sober, solemn mission that he was undertaking.

"How noble!" breathed the girl.

"No!" he protested. "It is merely a debt that our family owes to humanity. Oh, you do not know, Miss Blanchard, you cannot conceive of the misery that abounds in this world!"

Miss Blanchard turned upon him large wide eyes that were deep and somber with sudden sorrow.

"Perhaps I do, though," she replied softly. "Our own burdens teach us sympathy and understanding."

Her eyes turned from him, in explanation, to the fat envelope where its edge peeped out from the book. The envelope did not interest him much and he returned to the eyes. They were remarkably pretty eyes, very blue, indeed, and full of expression. The lashes above them were long and curved. The hair clustering about her white brow was of the exact golden shade that had led him stretch a point to call it red when he was a boy. Below its shining waves the tip of a pink ear was revealed. Her cheeks were rounded and creamy. Her neck was a firm white, beautifully modeled column that supported her small head most gracefully. Pickles! To think that he had ever called her Pickles!

Grandfather and Grandmother Gilman were looking out of the side window at them.

"Look at that, now!" said Grandfather Gilman. "Honestly, I feel like I wanted to paddle that boy! There he sits, as stiff as a poker, talking to the prettiest girl in Oakdale with no more life in him than if she was a sack of potatoes. Did I, at his age, ever sit like a tailor's dummy on any girl's front porch?"

"Adam," retorted Grandma Gilman, "my distinct recollection is that at twenty-two you were the biggest fool in the county."

The mail-man came up the street. Miss Blanchard ran down to the gate and he handed her a large, fat, square, cream-tinged envelope. Mr. Gilman had followed her.

"Have you anything for me?" he asked the mail-man. "Mr. Halfred Joyce Gilman?"

The mail-man looked up with a start.

"Why, hello, Harry!" he cried heartily and held out his hand. "I didn't recognize you. How you have grown."

Mr. Halfred Joyce Gilman was too dignified to wince.

"There's scarcely any change in you, Mr. Powell," he said with lofty graciousness. "The years treat you very kindly, indeed."

"Getting gray—gray at a rat." And the mail-man jerked off his hat a moment. "Let me see. You asked about a letter. I got one here, but I hadn't any idea that Halfred Joyce Gilman could be you."

The letter he hunted out was a long, legal envelope. It bore, printed in one corner, the address of the Tenement House Sunshine league. Mr. Gilman took it with reverence, while the deep frown of concentration creased his brow.

"I shall have to ask you to excuse me," he said briskly to Miss Blanchard. "I have been waiting with some anxiety for this delayed communication. It is—well—the call of duty." He glanced at the fat envelope. "You, too, will be naturally anxious to see what Uncle Sam has brought you."

"I know beforehand," she said. "These envelopes bring me no surprises. They are my only rays of sunshine."

He smiled sadly and shook his head. He intended to devote himself solely and undividedly to humanity, and if he ever married at all it would be to some good woman who could aid him in his settlement work; even then only if he was convinced that they could do more together than they could separately.

"You must come over often," invited Miss Blanchard. "I am interested in your work."

"I should be glad indeed if I could interest you seriously in it," he assured her. "I shall consider it my duty to do so if I can."

In the pursuit of this duty he came over nearly every day and most of the evenings. Miss Blanchard did not go out much. The fat, square, cream-tinted envelopes kept her at home; made her refuse many invitations that she might have been glad to accept had she been the unsettled, frivolous girl she used to be when she was young—say, seventeen or eighteen.

It was not long until Mr. Halfred Joyce Gilman knew all about the envelopes. She told him one evening when the family had gone out and they were alone on the Blanchard porch in the moonlight.

"Mr. Gilman," she observed tremulously. "I may trust you. We have known each other all our lives, and I never knew you to betray a confidence, even when we had our worst spats. Mr. Gilman—"

"You may call me Halfred," he interrupted with quite elderly gentleness, laying his hand protectingly upon hers, where it rested upon the arm of her chair. "You have no brother. You need one."

"Thank you, Halfred," she gratefully replied. "I am going to confide in you. Halfred, my parents are bent on ruining my life. I have an attachment, a deep and lasting attachment, and they frown upon it. I have never met him but twice, but we have corresponded ever since. At first it was only the ordinary boy and girl correspondence, of course; but as it grew it deepened and ripened into something far too precious for them to understand. You, however, are a man of the world. You can, perhaps, appreciate how vital an attachment like this becomes." And she quoted four verses from the "Rubaiyat" of Omar Khayyam to prove it.

"Yes, I know, I know," replied Halfred, with dreamy emphasis. "I had also, when I was younger, an attachment that might have altered the course of my entire life, but it was nipped in the bud. She—" he choked up a little bit very successfully, "she proved faithless."

"I am sorry, brother," she said, turning her hand palm upward to clasp his strong and supple fingers with a grip of understanding. "I would not have re-opened your wound for worlds."

"It is nothing," he replied in a low voice, leaving his hand in hers. "Nothing whatever. The same devotion I would have poured out for her I now intend to pour out for the weak and the fallen."

"I am so proud, so proud, of my brother," she murmured.

After that they were no longer Mr. Gilman and Miss Blanchard; they were Halfred and Alice, and they were more together than ever, if possible. They were an ideal couple for mere brother and sister. They found so much to talk about that they scarcely needed other companionship, and even when they were with gay parties they could always be found by themselves some place, discussing the glory of self-abnegation as evidenced in settlement work, or the callousness of parents who frowned upon providentially ordained attachments.

Meanwhile, there was peace on Oak street. Grandfather Gilman became almost reconciled to Hal's stiffness, and the Blanchards began to rest somewhat easier about the cream-tinted envelopes. One evening at dinner, however, Mr. Blanchard ventured to banter his daughter about Hal.

"Father," the fair young girl sternly reproved him, "how blind you are; how utterly mistaken! Mr. Gilman—Hal—and I are brother and sister, as we have always been. You must have but little respect for your daughter if you think she can be so fickle as your remarks would seem to indicate. Only one heart, father, is attuned to each other in this world. There is but one such harmony for me."

"I didn't like his looks," replied Mr. Blanchard in a weak attempt at self-defense.

"Exactly! And you do not like him now!"

From her corsage peeped the corner of the latest fat, cream-tinted letter, and Mr. Blanchard eyed it with extreme disfavor.

"No," he admitted. "I do not like him; but I think that if I were a young man and knew this I would make it a point to come around and display my better side often enough to win confidence."

"And be insulted again," was the retort. "No, father, he will not come. I shall not permit him to do so."

And that night the sad, fair young girl wrote him that he must not come to Oakdale. Her father did not wish him to do so. In this she was not prevaricating; she merely wished to be oppressed. It was so sorrowfully and sobfully grand.

Strange enough, she did not confide this latest oppression to Brother Halfred. Of late they had referred less and less often to the cream-tinted envelopes, talking more about settlement work in place of it. It was very pleasant to discuss the hardships and distasteful features of living in slums while walking with a dear brother in the moonlight on balmy summer evenings. It was very pleasant to tuck this dainty blood-relative protectingly under an arm and take her, radiant in her beauty, to receptions and dinners and theaters.

They were very, very proud, indeed, of each other, almost more so than if they had been actual brother and sister; but, nevertheless, in the fall, just before Hal was to go away, a change came over Sister Alice. She grew abstracted, and sometimes when the square envelopes came she seemed to hesitate about opening them. Sometimes she put them away for a full half-day before she read them, and her answers to them were always delayed and always most painstakingly and laboriously written.

The result of this, at the other end of the correspondence, was but natural and logical. One day came a letter that threw her into a flutter of excitement. It made her gasp and hold her breath and turn pale and pink by turns. This thrilling letter—why it was the very apotheosis of her carefully built-up romance! The stern demand it laid upon her was a call to heroism.

They were going to Hal's last function that night, an anniversary dinner at the Wheatherlys, and her brother was her escort. About nine o'clock Grandfather Gilman and Mr. Blanchard who were chatting together, noticed Miss Alice put on her wraps and slip out of the front door. Five minutes later Hal came to bid them good-by, and Mrs. Weatherly went to the door with Hal and his grandmother. Grandfather Gilman looked at Mr. Blanchard. Mr. Blanchard looked at Grandfather Gilman. Half an hour later Alice had not come back. Grandfather Gilman and Mr. Blanchard were still talking.

"By George!" said Mr. Blanchard. "I wonder where Alice has gone!"

"Possibly to the depot with Hal," replied Grandfather Gilman with a curious hesitation. "He has gone to New York to arrange for his fool settlement work; he will be back in about ten days, he says."

"Hum," said Mr. Blanchard, and he fidgeted for just a few minutes longer. "Say, Adam, there is a train due to leave within five minutes. Suppose we hurry down to the depot. I—I scarcely like to have her come home alone."

In the meantime Mr. Halfred Joyce Gilman had telephoned for a cab to be at his door and had hurried over home to get his suit-case. He threw it in the cab and was just about to follow in when a figure flew down the Blanchard path and a voice called out to him to wait. It was Alice. He gripped her hand tensely when she came running up to him.

"You didn't come over here to say goodby again?" he asked.

"No, I am going along," she half-laughed and half-sobbed. "I'll tell you in the cab."

He noticed for the first time that she carried a suit-case. Time, however, was pressing. He handed her in and sat beside her.

"Now, tell me about it," he said, bewildered, but she had changed her mind. She could not tell him now. She only clung to his arm, herself gasping at the audacity of what she was doing. At the depot he tried to persuade her to go back home, knowing that something was wrong. She immediately became the sad, fair young friendless girl.

"You are my only friend and you must do as I say. This is the crisis of my life, Brother Hal, and I must meet it like a brave woman."

He shook his head, but she had already picked up her suit-case briskly, and was walking on with a determined step. All he could do was to take her suit-case from her and carry both.

The train was just pulling out when Grandfather Gilman and Mr. Blanchard arrived at the depot. They had no difficulty in finding out that Hal, who was known, and Alice, whom they could easily describe, had purchased tickets for New York. Grandfather Gilman and Mr. Blanchard turned as by one impulse and shook hands until their eyes watered. Nothing could have pleased them better.

"Let's go telegraph them," said Grandfather Gilman. "I know Hal's hotel. The young rascal!"

In the meantime Mr. Halfred Joyce Gilman was compelling his sister to tell him things, insisting on a brother's right in the matter.

She was eloping!

Mr. Halfred Joyce Gilman [illegible] his lips. He had a peculiar grip at his throat, and he felt very lonesome all at once. A profound distaste for settlement work, even, settled upon him. Nevertheless, he stiffened himself. If his Sister Alice was so deeply and irrevocably attached as this it was his duty to see that she attained happiness and he would do it like a man. He told her so.

They chatted very practically now. They discussed the deep and solemn sacrifice that a woman must make when she gave up her girlhood home to make a new home for a noble man. His nearness was such a support to her. She would never have had the courage to take the step if he had not been coming on this train. Never! She snuggled closer to him and wanted to cry. She didn't know why.

It was only about a three hours' ride to the city, and she grew more and more nervous as they approached it. When they had alighted from the train a young man, though considerably older than Hal, came toward them. He was not a very prepossessing young man. There were pouches beneath his eyes and his lips were thick and wide. He wore a loud tie, and a suit and overcoat of wondrously checked pattern. Alice saw him first, and she gripped Hal's arm more tightly. She did not experience the bounding joy to which she had so long looked forward when she should greet this Prince of the World. She had it upon the tip of her tongue to cry out to Hal that she did not want to elope, that she wanted to go back home, but the pride which had made her keep up the romance she had builded, even after it had lost its interest to her, and which had made her plunge into this daring escapade in spite of both her judgment and her inclination, now held her silent to meet her devouring fate.

She glanced half in terror from the approaching young man to Hal. She was startled at the change in her quasi-brother. He had stiffened himself to his full five-foot-seven of athletic height. His nostrils were dilated and his eyes were glaring, but he smiled, actually smiled, as if in the glee of coming battle. The approaching young man suddenly caught sight of young Gilman and stopped short, as if startled. Then he came on slowly, hesitatingly, looking from one to the other.

"Why didn't you tell me this fellow's name? Why didn't I ask?" demanded Hal; but he really was pleased.

There was no time for reply. The young man had come up to them. Hal turned on him savagely.

"Well, Peyson?" he inquired.

"How do, Gilman?" said Mr. Peyson with a jerky nod, and then held out his hands to Alice, with an evident intention to ignore her escort from that moment on.

Hal stepped between them.

"Peyson, I'll give you just two minutes to get out of sight," he pleasantly observed. "If you'll remember, we gave you 24 hours at college. You had things to pack up there. You haven't here!"

Mr. Peyson looked at him curiously for an instant and moistened his lips, then he suddenly wheeled, and a moment later they saw him worming his way through the crowd.

"I'm sorry, Alice, that I can't tell you the details about him," Hal said.

She was standing very stiff and straight herself.

"I don't care to hear. I know enough. I am just praying my gratitude that I am not to be linked for life to any man whom another man could make run without an explaantion."

Hal scarcely heard her. Already he was consulting a time-table. It had taken them three hours to make the trip. They had started at 9:30, and it was now 12:30. There was not another train back until three o'clock in the morning, and it would not land her in Oakdale until daylight. She had not comprehended to the full phase of it as yet. But Hal swiftly decided that whatever they did and wherever they went they could not stand there, and he bundled her into a cab.

It was not until they were rolling away from the depot that she thought with a gasp of the possible consequences of her act, and cried, "What are we to do?"

"I pass," replied the young man suddenly and briskly losing all the dignity that had weighted him down when he got his sheepskin, and reverting once more to the slang of early college days. "It looks to me as if we were in a jam. Never you mind, though. Rely on your Uncle Dudley. He'll put rouge and cold cream and violet talcum on the face of this thing, and don't forget it. Do you know anybody here that you could visit?"

"Not a soul," she wailed. "I only know one family and they are abroad."

"Never mind," he said, patting her hand where it lay trembling on his arm. "You just keep your eye on Little Willie. First of all we are driving over to my hotel, where I shall leave my suit case and send a couple of telegrams. Then we'll do a real quick-thinking stunt. Did you ever see me think? It will be a positive joy to you."

She nestled confidently up to him. His voice sounded so good and strong and she liked him so much better since he had dropped his age. She was glad, oh! so glad, that he had happened to come with her!

At the hotel Hal jumped out with his suit case. He left her in the cab, but presently he came out chuckling. He had two telegrams in his hand. One of them he had not opened, but the other he read and reread with evident appreciation.

"You'd better open this one before I show you mine," he said, handing the unopened telegram to her.

She looked at the inscription. It was addressed to Mrs. Halfred Joyce Gilman. She handed it back demurely.

"It certainly isn't for me," she said with a laugh that had a suspicion of a tear or two in it.

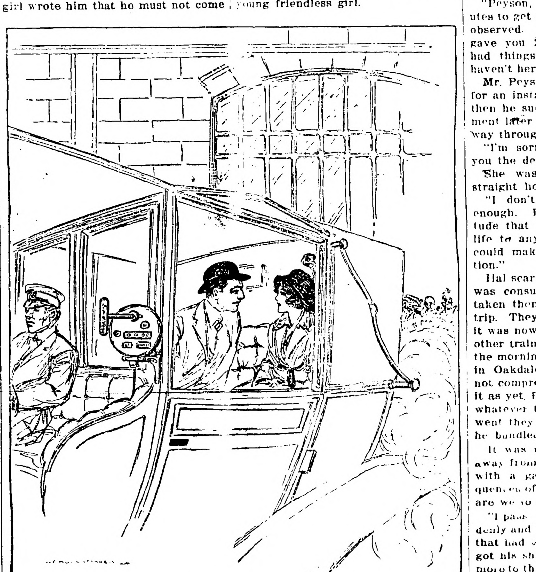
"It doesn't seem to be for anybody," he retorted, laughing a bit nervously himself, and tore it open. It was from her father.

"My dear girl," it read, "you are a very, very foolish child, but it is no trouble at all to forgive you. Come back home as soon as you can."

He handed them both to her.

"You precious young rascal," read Grandfather Gilman's message, "if you are already married when you get this, remember there's got to be another ceremony in Oakdale."

"It looks to me as if we had to make good, Pickles," laughed Hal. "I know where there is a preacher that works overtime." And giving a crisp direction, he jumped into the cab with her. Somehow or other her head happened on his shoulder. Funny that women should cry when they are happy.



"I Pass," Replied the Young Man Suddenly and Briskly Losing all the Dignity That Had Weighted Him Down

A London Ghost Story

A wonderful ghost story is agitating high society, according to the London Express. The principals are people of the highest social position.

The vicar of a Kensington church was leaving the church after his choir practice, when a lady stepped out of the aisle and asked him in agitated tones to come with her at once to an address near by.

"A gentleman is dying there," she said. "He is extremely concerned about the state of his soul, and anxious to see you before he dies."

The clergyman followed her to a waiting taxicab, and a short drive round the corner brought them to a mansion. The lady, who seemed to be extremely agitated, urged the vicar to hurry. He sprang out of the cab, rang the bell, and a butler appeared.

"Does Mr. —— live here?"

"Yes, sir."

"I hear he is seriously ill, and has sent for me."

The butler expostulated that his master was not ill, that as a matter of fact he was in the best of health.

"But this lady"—exclaimed the vicar, as he turned round, and then an expression of blank astonishment came over him.

The taxicab and the lady had completely disappeared.

The butler looked on the clergyman as either a madman or a practical joker, and was about to slam the door when his master came along the passage and inquired what it was all about.

"Are you Mr. ——?" asked the clergyman. "I heard that you were seriously ill, that you were concerned about your soul, and that you had sent for me."

He described the lady who had brought him, and the "dying" man said he could not identify her; that he had no such friend or acquaintance. They discussed this matter on the doorstep for a few moments, and then the clergyman was invited to come inside.

"It is very strange," said Mr. ——, "that you should have been sent on such an errand, in such a mysterious way. As a matter of fact, though I am perfectly well, I have been troubled lately about the state of my soul, and I have been seriously contemplating calling upon you to discuss the matter with you.

"Now that you are here let us brush aside this strange incident, and if you will give me the time we will discuss what has been on my conscience."

The clergyman stayed for an hour or so, and it was then arranged that his new acquaintance should come to the church the next morning and they would continue their discussion after service.

He did not appear at the church, and the vicar, very much interested, called to see what was the matter. He was met at the door by the butler, who told him that his master had died 10 minutes after he left the house on the previous evening.

They went upstairs to the bedroom where the dead man lay, and on a table in the middle of the room stood a portrait of the lady who had brought the clergyman in the cab from the church.

"Who is that?" asked the astonished clergyman.

"That, sir," replied the butler, "is my master's wife, who died 15 years ago."

First Aerial Spy

[illegible] Michowski, a German [illegible] attached to a Leipsic firm of aeroplane manufacturers, is now languishing in a Russian prison and is likely to become famous as the world's first flying spy. He was arrested early in February in the neighborhood of Warsaw, having, as he alleged, lost his way in a fog and been compelled to effect an emergency landing. The Russian military authorities were persuaded that his presence near important fortifications concerned espionage and he is now formally indicted on that charge. The German government has so far tried in vain to secure his release on representation that Michowski at the time of his flight over Russian territory, was engaged in an attempt to win one of the long distance prizes offered by the German national flying endowment.

Life's Hardships.

A [illegible] case occurred recently in a court of law at Amberg, Germany. A young girl who was called as a witness begged to be spared the ordeal of having to answer the usual questions with regard to her past. She had, she said, a position as cashier and had just become engaged, and she feared that she would be utterly disgraced if she was obliged to state publicly the fact that she had when very young been punished for a small theft. The court nevertheless insisted on her answering the question, and the girl thereupon opened a vein in court. She now lies in danger of death.

MINNESOTA STATE NEWS

FOREST CROPS ARE HELD ESSENTIAL

MOVEMENT TO SET ASIDE NON-AGRICULTURAL LANDS FOR GROWING TREES.

GREAT SOURCE OF REVENUE

Minnesota Forestry Association Speakers Discuss Vast Possibilities of Plan and Assert State Is Losing Millions of Dollars.

St. Paul.—A movement to set aside non-agricultural state lands for forestry purposes was started at the annual meeting of the Minnesota State Forestry association held here. A campaign for the passage of the constitutional forestry amendment which will make this possible was started. The executive secretary of the association was empowered to devote his time to the furtherance of this campaign.

The state association elected the following officers at the close of its two-day session: President, Dietrich Lange, St. Paul; vice president, E. A. Cheyney; treasurer, Phil Hanson; secretary, E. O. Buhler.

Entire Situation Discussed.

The entire situation with regard to the non-agricultural lands in Minnesota was discussed. It was pointed out that the state could make no better move than to raise trees on such lands.

The development of Minnesota's summer resort regions and the protection of the game and fish—these two topics also occupied the time of the association.

The speakers included Clyde Leavitt, forester, Canadian commission on conservation; W. T. Cox, state forester; E. G. Cheyney, director of the college of forestry at the university; J. E. Rhodes, secretary of the National Lumberman's association; Dean Woods, of the College of Agriculture; Mrs. C. L. Atwood, president Minnesota federation of women's clubs; D. Lange, superintendent of schools, St. Paul; Charles E. Johnson, of the university; J. Peters, of the department of forestry, Washington, D. C., and others.

Resolutions Adopted.

The resolutions favored soil classification; management by the state of state owned forest lands; acquirement of additional lands suitable for forest crops; the reversion to the state of lands, non-agricultural, on which taxes have not been paid; the constitutional amendment for revolving fund of $250,000 for construction of roads on state lands, establishment of factories for production of finished products from the raw materials; classification of forest lands and taxation accordingly.

"Minnesota and most of the other states have something to learn from Canada," said Clyde Leavitt, forester of the Canadian commission of conservation, in his address. "Canada has recognized the fact that forestry is essentially a government rather than a private concern, and has, with only minor exceptions, retained in government ownership the non-agricultural lands of the country."

Boosts Fishing Industry.

D. Lange, in speaking on "The [illegible] of the Woods," discussed at length the necessity of developing the fishing industry in Minnesota.

"I believe the time has come," he said, "when a careful study should be made of the fishery resources in Minnesota, in international as well as in state waters. I believe that with scientific management the production of one of the most wholesome food supplies could easily be increased ten to one hundred fold in this state."

Mr. Lange also dwelt on the possibilities of attracting tourists to Minnesota. He said that the north woods ought to be the mecca for thousands of summer vacationists from the Mississippi valley.

Mrs. C. L. [illegible] part the women of the state [illegible] to play in the setting aside of state forests, the protection of the wild [illegible] etc. She made a particular plea for the conservation of bird life.

E. G. Cheyney, of the [illegible] forestry at the university, presented figures to show that the school funds from the state would gain millions of dollars annually by devoting non-agricultural lands to forestry purposes. He urged active work on the part of everyone interested in forestry in behalf of the forestry amendment to come before the people next fall. State Forester W. T. Cox, J. E. Rhodes and many others spoke along the lines of the state forests idea.

Use Suitable Land.

"It is a crime to [illegible] settlers out onto land that [illegible] nothing but the raising of [illegible] totally unfit for agriculture," said J. E. Rhodes. "Where the land is best suited for agriculture and there are millions of acres of such lands there we should direct the settlers who come to Minnesota. But to send them to the non-agricultural spots does more harm than good. The abandoned farms in some parts of Minnesota are a glaring warning."

CLAY COUNTY LAND MEETING

Organize in Order to Aid Red River Development Association—Plans Laid.

Moorhead.—Land men of this city have held the first meeting for a permanent organization of all real estate dealers in Clay county for the purpose of backing up the recently formed Minnesota Red River Valley Development association and particularly to assist Leslie Welter, the president of the association, in perfecting arrangements needed for the entertainment of the association at the time of the annual meeting in June. It is the ambition to make the meeting the peer of any ever held in the valley.

The land men appointed a committee on by-laws and plan of organization, the committee to report at an adjourned meeting to be held on Friday. In the meantime the temporary secretary, C. A. Draeger, will send letters to all land men in the county urging them to attend the meeting and help to perfect a permanent organization.

It is the plan to co-operate with a similar organization at Crookston and with those to be formed in each of the counties affiliated with the development association.

EBERHART OUT "ON RECORD"

Governor Announces He Will Be Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Re-election.

St. Paul. — Governor Adolph O. Eberhart has announced his candidacy for renomination on the Republican ticket at the primaries June 16 and appointed George F. Authier, his secretary, as chairman of his personal campaign committee. No political headquarters will be established.

In his announcement, the governor outlines his record, says it is up to the people to determine whether they will indorse "a campaign of constructive policy" and not one "bounded by personal abuse, slander and villification of the state itself" and adds: "This constitutes the challenge submitted by the opposition, which I now accept."

Governor Eberhart's platform is brief.

"I shall seek," he says, "an indorsement upon the record of my administration, during which Minnesota has won recognition by all other states as leading all lines of true progress and achievement."

Patient Returned to Asylum.

Winona.—Charles Lowry, who has in time past terrorized the villages of Dakota and Dresbach and other places down river, and who was arrested on Saturday in Winona for an alleged burglary committed last August at the E. L. King summer home below Homer, has been taken back to the insane asylum at Whitehall, Wis., where he escaped a few days before his visit to the King home last summer. He was subsequently arrested in northern Minnesota and was then started for the Whitehall asylum, but gave the officers in charge the slip by jumping through the window of a car on which he was traveling.

Refused to Marry; $15,000 Asked.

Minneapolis.—Suit for $15,000 for alleged breach of promise to marry has been filed in district court by Mrs. Mary Pattison, 47 years old, a widow, against John Hegland, 68 years old, a widower and retired farmer, who she asserts has property valued at $25,000. In her complaint she avers that the promise of marriage was made to her last August and that she accepted after Mr. Hegland bought the wedding ring. She declares he attempted to repudiate the engagement later and for this she demands $15,000.

[illegible] Son Saves Parents.

[illegible]eapolis.—Their stairway [illegible] by flames believed to have been of incendiary origin, Addington C. Wharton and invalid wife escaped through the second story of their home only when their 18-year-old son Harold, who also was ill, climbed hand over hand down a rope of blankets and got a ladder. Several hours after the fire apparently had been extinguished and while the family was staying with neighbors, a second blaze was discovered in a front upstairs room.

[illegible] Goes to F[illegible]

[illegible]eapolis.—William [illegible], author of "The Ancient History of [illegible] Charlemagne", "Modern History", "The Ancient World" and "The History of the University of Minnesota," and whose name appears in the select catalog of notables, "Who's Who," has renounced the classroom where he has held forth for nearly two score years and become a tiller of the soil about Lake Pokegama near Grand Rapids.

[illegible] R. N. Adams [illegible]

[illegible]neapolis.—Brigadier G[illegible] Adams, for the past thirty [illegible] in charge of home missionary work for the Northwest for the Presbyterian church, is dead of apoplexy at his home in Merriam Park. General Adams was born in Greenfield, Ohio, [illegible] ago. He received his education [illegible] university. A member of the graduating class when the Civil [illegible] broke out, he left the university and as commander of the college company led his classmates in battle. He was soon promoted.

IMMIGRATION TO NORTH IS HEAVY

SETTLERS FLOCKING INTO RED RIVER VALLEY COUNTIES BY SCORES.

CLASS OF NEWCOMERS GOOD

Significant That Farmers Coming to State Are Type That Will Improve Agricultural Conditions —Alfalfa Acreage Grows.

Crookston.—To date more cars of immigrants have arrived than were recorded up to June 1 for 1913. The immigrants have not all been for Polk county by any means, but have scattered through Kittson, Roseau, Marshall, Red Lake and Pennington counties. Ada, in Norman county, reports the heaviest immigration experienced in ten years, and Mahnomen, Clay and Becker counties are not being overlooked.

Class of Immigrants.

But it is the class of newcomers even more than the number, that is significant. Morford, a farmer from Alexis, Ill., arrived recently with twenty-five shorthorns, eighteen brood pigs and a fine bunch of brood mares for the Rolsch farm, which he purchased last year. He is not an exception to the quality, but the rule.

Among the first inquiries of the newcomers is for good seed corn that is acclimated. Fortunately the corn raisers here last year anticipated the demand, and there is a large amount of good seed available.

As an indication of conditions financially, at an annual stock sale at McIntosh last week, out of a total of $5,000 worth of stock sold, all was for spot cash except $171. At a stock sale here Tuesday, grade cows sold for from $85 to $100, and spring calves brought $25 to $45. Everything was sold for cash. Grade and thoroughbred stock has been shipped in from Iowa and Illinois this spring, showing a long step forward in increasing and conserving the stock in the valley.

Alfalfa Acreage Increased.

G. J. Johnson, the Donaldson, Kittson county, banker, reports that the acreage of alfalfa on the Walter Hill farm is to be increased this spring by 1,000 acres. The farm already has several hundred acres which have produced big crops for several years.

Over 100 farmers about Donaldson are seeding from two to 100 acres of alfalfa, and the corn acreage will be greatly increased, more than doubled, says Mr. Johnson. A. E. Pfiffner, the Argyle banker, says the same is true of Marshall county. It is believed the corn acreage will be doubled throughout this entire territory, while the alfalfa acreage will be increased more than ten-fold.

Another encouraging sign is the diligence farmers generally are showing in securing the best seed grain. This is shown by the wholesale inquiries received by A. D. Van Sickle, the Marshall county world's champion oat raiser, who has won scores of prizes at farm crops shows and fairs. Hundreds of farmers have had their seed grain tested at the northwest experiment station here, and practically all are having their grain tested somewhere or testing it themselves. This shows an advanced step, the result of crop shows, fairs, school agricultural work and the general progressive tendency.

TEMPERANCE MEN ORGANIZE

Plan Campaign for Goodhue County to Promote State Prohibitory Statute.

[illegible] Temperance [illegible] here to take charge [illegible] a good campaign for the election of legislators committed to the enactment of a state wide prohibitory statute and the submission of an amendment to the constitution to make the measure irrevocable except by the voice of the people. There was not a discordant syllable and the harmony was enthusiastic.

Professor O. O. [illegible] was made permanent chairman. A get-together committee was elected, representing all organizations and all parts of the county and presented resolutions committing the gathering to a vigorous fight for candidates for legislature who are for the measure and a law enforcement county ticket.

Local questions and candidates were discussed and the session adjourned until evening when a public rally was held.

[illegible] Discuss M[illegible]

[illegible] Atwood, [illegible] was brought [illegible] here with a banquet at which 400 men were present. E. W. Peck, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and Rev. J. W. Wilson were the speakers. State Secretary Peck addressed a [illegible] meeting Sunday night on the [illegible] around the world tour in the interests of the Men and Religion Forward Movement. A service was held for the women's missionary societies of the city.

TOM LYNCH IS HAPPY AND CONTENTED

Former President Lynch of National League.

(By FRANK G. MENKE.)

In New Britain, Conn., far removed from the turmoil and strife of baseball, there's a man with a dark mustache, with soft brown eyes and hair that is graying at the ends, who smiles all day the smile that one smiles when one is happy and contented and at peace with all the world.

The man who smiles is Tom Lynch, once prexy of the National league, now proprietor of a prosperous theater in the little Connecticut town.

Tom, as many will recall, was booted out of the National league last December, after serving it for four years, because the pugnacious moguls decided they wanted "an able man to ably handle the affairs of the league."

It hurt Tom's pride a bit when he was shoved out into the cold, cruel world with nothing to warm him but his feeling of indignation toward his former bosses, but Tom hasn't minded the cold much lately. In fact, he's quite glad now that he was shoved, and thereby saved the hours of agony that Gov. John K. Tener, his successor, has endured during the past four months.

Gov. John Tener, Who Has Succeeded Lynch.

"What do you think of the present state of affairs in the National league?" Lynch was asked.

"I have no opinion to express," was the reply. "I am out of the league, and I feel, therefore, that I have no right to express my sentiments concerning what has happened since I was supplanted by Governor Tener."

"The ousting of Murphy was a good thing for the league and for baseball in general, wasn't it?"

"You'll have to excuse me," returned Lynch. "I have no statement to make. My attitude toward the National league was expressed to the magnates on the day that I was let out and Governor Tener elected in my place. At that time I told the magnates that I hoped they would conduct themselves with as much dignity as they expected from this new leader. And I also told them that I hoped they would be a help, not a hindrance, to him.

"In closing, I said that I wished the National league every success. I meant it then and I still mean it. I was in the service of the National league for many years. I owe much to the National league. That they should depose me as president and put someone else in my place is their right. Why should I feel hard toward them because they exercised that right?

"I was in baseball nearly all my life and baseball became part of my life. To be out of it is a bit hard, but I am happier now than I was for the past few years. I have no trouble or worries. I am my own boss. I do not have to take dictation from anyone, nor do I have to hear the brunt of criticism."

The National league magnates have come to the conclusion that the $25,000 annual salary they agreed to pay Governor Tener has been a wise investment. Tener is signed up for four years, but will not draw any salary for 1914, as he will be on the payroll of the state of Pennsylvania until the end of the year.

Serving the first year without pay and getting $25,000 for each of the three following years means that Tener's yearly salary for four years will average only $18,750. And the magnates feel right now that Tener's little stunt of placing the skids under Mr. Murphy and then shoving Mr. Murphy into the discard is well worth the total money they will pay Tener for the four years of his service.

Lynch's salary was $8,000 and when William Baker, president of the Phillies, proposed Tener as Lynch's successor, some of the magnates were against the idea because they figured that $25,000 was too much muchness in the way of salary. Baker, however, pleaded Tener's case, pointing out that Tener would prove to be a second Moses and would lead the league out of chaos into the promised land.

"No one will regret paying Tener the $25,000 salary," Baker argued. And now those who once opposed Baker's advocacy of Tener fully agree with him in what he said.

Evers Nearly a Fed

Speaking of the Federal [illegible], Johnny Evers said in Chicago the other day that just five minutes separated him from the new organization. "I do not care to say how much I was offered, but I will say that had not a certain proposition been accepted within five minutes of the time it was made I would have been a Federal league manager, getting more money than I am now, but it was my desire to remain in organized baseball."

Job for Monahan

[illegible] Monahan of Cam[illegible], catcher formerly with the Boston Nationals, has been appointed coach of the Boston college varsity nine. Monahan at present is a student at Boston university. Five years ago he captained the Cambridge high and Latin team. After graduation he played with Lynn and caught for the Lowell team for one year and was also captain. Last year he played behind the bat for Bridgeport.

Oregon University Plans Big Field

The University of Oregon's new athletic field at Eugene, Ore., will consist of two football fields, one of which will be used for soccer, three baseball diamonds, tennis courts and a quarter mile running track with a 220 yard straightaway on one side. It is planned to equip the field so that all the students in the university, both men and women, will use it.

HARD TO CINCH JOBS

BUSHERS HAVE TROUBLE TRYING TO LAND IN MINORS.

Ogden Player Tosses Away Glove In Disgust After His Debut—Texan Got Two Home Runs and Then Fanned 7 Times.

Recruits trying to burst into the major leagues have fairly hard times in their tryouts. But they can't compare with the initiation of a busher trying to get a job for the first time with a minor league club.

This one was told at Salt Lake City of a youngster who had an idea he would like to play with the Ogden team. His name was Lathers and his only experience prior to his tryout was with sandlot teams at Salem, Ore. The Ogden manager told him to play left field during one of the spring games and Lathers took his place.

Somebody knocked a high easy fly which Lathers got in his hands, but let drop to the ground. Two scores came in. A couple of innings later he muffed a liner in murderous fashion and the climax came in the eighth when a tall fly bounced off his head and lost the game for Ogden.

All this time he had been panned to the limit by the fans and he was getting so nervous he could scarcely walk without tripping. It was his turn to bat in the final round and he whiffed miserably. A gang of man and boys followed him from the park, jeering and laughing. Finally, in desperation, Lathers turned on them and said:

"If any of youse guys want to play left field there's my glove," and he threw a $2.50 mitt in the road. He was never heard of again in the Utah regions.

Another case was noted at San Antonio last spring while the second team of the White Sox was playing a series of exhibition games there. The Athletics had been training there and the enthusiasm of the Broncho adherents had been stirred up because of the numerous victories of their team over the world champs.

All that the Broncho manager wanted to make his team strong, according to his own notions, was a right fielder. He had been trying out his star catcher, Betts, at the place, but didn't want to weaken his backstopping department by the switch. So he welcomed a youth named Bogus, who strolled into his office the day the Sox arrived, and applied for a job.

Bogus had played in one of the smaller leagues in the great Southwest, and claimed to be a right fielder. He was tried out in the first game.

Joe Benz the butcher boy pitcher of the Sox was in the box and Bogus was the first man to face him in the second inning. He lifted a terrific homer over the short right field fence and the small crowd of fans went wild with glee. At San Antonio all home batters are trained to aim for that short fence, and Bogus seemed to have the range right off the reel.

"He's a wonder and a comer," the Broncho players exulted. And they could scarce contain their joy when Bogus hit another homer over the same fence in the fourth round, bringing Metz, the big first baseman, in home ahead of him. This made the score 3 to 2 in favor of San Antonio. Bogus certainly looked like a find and Acting Manager Doc White of the Sox looked him over carefully with a view of recommending him to Comiskey and Manager Callahan.

In the fifth, seventh and ninth innings Bogus struck out, missing the ball by a mile. But this didn't dampen the jubilation of San Antonio players or fans. "Wait till tomorrow," they said. "The kid'll show 'em again." For the Bronchos had won that initial combat, 10 to 6, and felt great.

Tomorrow came and Doc White decided to do a little pitching himself. He desired to see how Bogus would hit against a southpaw who had a change of pace. It might be mentioned Bogus was a left-handed hitter. Bogus struck out as a starter, not coming within a foot of White's tantilizing slow ball. The same thing happened in the fourth.

BASEBALL NOTES

Pitcher Monroe, secured from Chicago, has signed with Lincoln.

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Connie Mack says the [illegible] in the pennant race this season.

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The Montreal club has purchased [illegible] fielder Keller from the Tacoma, Wash., club.

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[illegible] picked up [illegible] as the successor of Fred Falkenberg.

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The [illegible] named Jack Frost [illegible] trying to land a slab job.

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The Baltimore [illegible] "birdie" in [illegible] Cree, formerly of the Yankees.

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Can you beat this? [illegible] salary was cut by the New [illegible] owners, and still he refused to jump to the Feds.

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[illegible] pitched for Syracuse [illegible] out of 27 that he pitched, has signed with the Boston Red Sox.

The MARSHAL

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SYNOPSIS.

Francois Beaupre, a peasant babe of three years, after an amusing incident in which Marshal Ney figures, is made a Chevalier of France by the Emperor Napoleon, who prophesied that the boy might one day be a marshal of France under another Bonaparte. At the age of ten Francois visits General Baron Gaspard Gourgaud, who with Alixe, his seven-year-old daughter, lives at the Chateau. A soldier of the Empire under Napoleon he fires the boy's imagination with stories of his campaigns. The general offers Francois a home at the Chateau. The boy refuses to leave his parents, but in the end becomes a copyist for the general and learns of the friendship between the general and Marquis Zappi, who campaigned with the general under Napoleon. Marquis Zappi and his son, Pietro, arrive at the Chateau. The general agrees to care for the Marquis' son while the former goes to America. The Marquis before leaving for America asked Francois to be a friend of his son. The boy solemnly promises. Francois goes to the Chateau to live. Marquis Zappi dies leaving Pietro as a ward of the general. Alixe, Pietro and Francois meet a strange boy who proves to be Prince Louis Napoleon. Francois saves his life. The general discovers Francois loves Alixe, and extracts a promise from him that he will not interfere between the girl and Pietro. Francois goes to Italy as secretary to Pietro. Queen Hortense plans the escape of her son Louis Napoleon by disguising him and Marquis Zappi as her lackeys. Francois takes Marquis Zappi's place, who is ill, in the escape of Hortense and Louis. Dressed as Louis's brother Francois lures the Austrians from the hotel allowing the prince and his mother to escape. Francois is a prisoner of the Austrians for five years in the castle owned by Pietro in Italy. He discovers in his guard one of Pietro's old family servants, and through him sends word to his friends of his plight. The general, Alixe and Pietro hear from Francois and plan his rescue. Francois as a guest of the Austrian governor of the castle prison inspects the interior of the wine cellar of the Zappis. Francois receives a note from Pietro explaining in detail how to escape from his prison. Alixe awaits him on horseback and leads him to his friends on board the American sailing vessel, the "Lovely Lucy." Francois, as a guest of Harry Hampton, on the "Lovely Lucy," goes to America to manage Pietro's estate in Virginia. Francois wins the respect and admiration of the aristocratic southerners.

CHAPTER XXI.

Hero Worship.

It had come about that Lucy Hampton was a scholar of Francois. The colonel, lamenting on a day that there were no capable teachers of French in the neighborhood, that Lucy's school-girl command of the language was fast disappearing, and an accomplishment so vital to a lady was likely soon to be lost—this saga of regret being sung by the colonel at the dinner-table. Francois had offered to teach mademoiselle his mother tongue. And the colonel had accepted the offer.

"If you are not too busy, Chevalier. And I suppose your—ah—accent—is entirely good? One can not be too careful, you know. At least we shall not quarrel about the terms, for whatever money you think right to ask I shall be ready to pay," and the colonel felt himself a man of the world and extremely generous.

"Father!" Lucy cried quickly.

Francois' eyes were on his plate but they swept up with their wide brown gaze full on the colonel's face. "I am not too busy, Monsieur the Colonel. As for my accent, I am a peasant, as Monsieur knows, but yet I am instructed. I was for years at Saint Cyr, the great military school of France. I believe my accent is right. As for money"—a quick motion, all French, spoke a whole sentence. "If Monsieur insists on that, that must finish it. To me it would be impossible to take money for the pleasure of teaching mademoiselle." He flashed at Lucy a smile all gentleness, and Lucy's eyes, waiting for that smile, met his shyly.

The colonel blustered a bit, but the lessons were arranged as Francois wished, twice a week throughout the winter he rode over from Carnifax to give them. And little by little he came to know the small mistress of the manor as few had known her. People thought Lucy Hampton too serious and staid for a young girl; no one realized that, her mother being dead and her father such as he was, the clear-headed little person had begun at ten or twelve years old to know that she must make her own decisions, and many of her father's also. At fourteen she had taken the keys and the responsibilities of the house and now, at sixteen, she was in reality the head of the whole great plantation. The colonel, who would have been most indignant to be told so, leaned on her in every detail, and it was she who planned and decided and often executed the government of the little kingdom.

All this lay on the [illegible] shoulders of Lucy Hampton, and besides all this she had begun in very childhood to hold up the hands and do the thinking of an incompetent father. It was not wonderful that she was graver and slower to frolic than other girls of sixteen. Her conscientious young brain was full of care and light-heartedness of youth had never had a chance to grow in that crowded place. Her cousin had come to live with them only the year before, when his mother had died, his father being dead long ago, and Lucy knew quite well that her father had planned that the two should marry and unite the broad acres of the Hamptons.

But the young longing [illegible] which was in her in spite of [illegible] [illegible]ing sober business of her life [illegible] [illegible]lled at this. She would not give herself as well as all her thought and effort for Roanoke. She wanted to love somebody, and be loved for herself as other girls were; she would not marry Harry because he and her father considered it a good arrangement. So strongly had this determination seized her that, looking entirely down that way of thought, she failed to see that Harry might not be classed with the colonel in his view of the plan. She failed to see that if she had not been heiress to Roanoke House, or to anything at all, Harry Hampton would still have been in love with his cousin Lucy. For Harry saw how the young life had been pressed into a service too hard for it almost from babyhood; Harry saw how unselfish she was and trustworthy; how broad-minded and warm-hearted; how she would like to be care free and irresponsible like other girls of her age, only that the colonel and the estate were always there, always demanding her time and her attention. He could do little to help her as yet, but he longed to lift the weight and carry it with her, not away from her, for the fairy of a person was not the sort to lean on others or to be happy without her share of the burden. Yet, Harry thought, "If I might only help her, and make it all a delight instead of a labor!"

But Lucy, going about her busy days, never guessed this. She thought of Harry as the boy whom she had grown up with, to be cared for tenderly always because of his misfortune, to be helped and planned for and loved indeed, because he was lame and her cousin, and because he was a dear boy and her best friend. But as the hero of her own romance to come, she refused to think of him at all. More firmly she refused such an idea, of course, because her father had hinted that it would complete both Harry's and his happiness.

Francois, with quick insight, saw as much as this, and was anxious for the boy who had been his warm and steady friend. What he did not see was that Luck was fitting his own personality into that empty notch of her imagination where an altar stood and a candle burned, ready for the image that was to come above them. That never entered his mind, for in his mind Alixe was the only woman living to be considered in such a relation. And, in spite of the seigneur, in spite of Pietro, in spite of his whole-hearted giving up of her, there was a happy obstinate corner in the depths of his soul which yet whispered against all reason that it might be that Alixe loved him, that it might be, for unheard of things happened every day, it might be yet that—with all honor, with all happiness to those others whom he loved—he might some day be free to love her. So that as he grew to care for and understand Lucy Hampton more and more, no faintest dream of caring for her as he did for Alixe came ever into his mind.

On an evening when winter was wearing away to cold spring, Francois waited in the dining room of Roanoke House for his scholar. The room had a sweet and stately beauty, a graceful stiffness like the manners of the women who first lived in it, a hundred years before. The [illegible] white woodwork over the doors was yellowed to ivory; the mantelpiece, brought from France in 1732, framed in its fluted pillars, its garlands and chiseled nymphs and shepherds as if under protest, the rollicking orange of the fire. Over a mahogany sofa covered with slippery horsehair hung a portrait of the first lady of the manor, and Francois, sitting soldierly erect in a straight chair, smiled as his gaze fell on it. It was so like, yet so unlike, a face which he knew. There was the [illegible] oval chin and straight nose and fair loose hair. But the portrait was staid and serious while Lucy's face, as this man had seen it, had kindly eyes and a mouth smiling always. He shook his head in gentle amusement at the grave dignity of the picture.

"But [illegible] you are [illegible] charming [illegible] your granddaughter," he said, addressing it aloud.

Lucy Stood [illegible] Doorway.

And then he stepped across the [illegible] to the fire, and held his hands to it and stared into it. The clock ticked firmly, the logs fell apart with soft sliding sounds, and he stared down at them—his thoughts far away—a look came into his eyes as if they concentrated on something beyond the range of sight, the characteristic look of Francois, the old look of a dreamer, of a seer of visions.

Then Lucy stood in the doorway, gentle, charming from the slippered feet, locked over the instep to the shadowy locks of light hair on her forehead.

"Good evening, Monsieur. I am sorry I kept you waiting. Hannibal hurt his foot and I must find plaster and bandage for him. But you will have enough of my talking even now. Father says I talk a great deal. Do I, Monsieur?"

Francois stood regarding her, with frank admiration in every muscle of his face. He smiled, the same gentle amused smile with which he had addressed the portrait. "You never talk too much for me, Mademoiselle. It is a pleasure to me always to hear your voice," he answered in the deep tone of a Frenchman, the tone that has ever a half note of tragedy, as of some race-memory which centuries do not wipe out. "Only," he went on speaking in French, "one must not talk English. That is breaking the law, you remember, Mademoiselle."

She answered very prettily in his own tongue, in words that halted a little. "Very well, Monsieur. I will do my best." He still gazed at her smiling, without speaking. One could understand that, to a girl of more self-contained people, this open homage of manner, this affectionate gentleness, might seem to mean more than a brotherly loyalty. The girl's pulse was beating fast as she made an effort for conversation. "What were you thinking of as you looked at the fire when I came in, Monsieur? It had an air of being something pleasant. Did I not say all that beautifully?" she finished in English.

He corrected a lame verb with serious accuracy and she repeated the word, and laughed happily.

"But you haven't said yet what you were thinking about."

The large brown eyes turned on hers. "It was of my old home in ~~France~~, Mademoiselle, when I was very little," he said simply. "A large fire of logs makes me think of that."

"Tell me about it," she begged with quick interest. "Will you? Was there always a fire at your house?"

"But no, Mademoiselle—not, of course, in the summer. It was of the winter time I thought, when the neighbors came, in the evening, and we sat about the hearth, sometimes twenty people, each at his different duty, and my brothers and sisters were there and the dear grandmere, was there and—" he stopped. "Does Mademoiselle really wish to hear how it was in that old farm-house of ours in the shadow of the Jura Mountains?"

"Indeed Mademoiselle wishes it," she assured him. "It will be a trip to Europe. I am sure I shall speak better French for going to France for ten minutes and being among the French people, your friends. Wait now, till I am comfortable." She turned a deep chair so that it faced him, and dropped into it. "Put a foot stool for me," she ordered, as southern women order the men they care for and the men they do not. And she settled back with her little feet on it and smiled at him. For a moment the man's brilliant gaze rested on her, and the girl saw it and thrilled to it. "Now, Monsieur, racontez moi une histoire," she spoke softly.

Francois Beaupre's look turned from her to the fire and the air of gazing at something far away came again. "It is a picture I see as I think of that time of my childhood," he began as if speaking to himself. "A picture many times painted in homelike colors on my brain. Many a night in the winter I have sat, a little boy, by the side of my grandmother at that great hearth and have looked and have seen all the faces, have heard all the voices and the fire crackling and the spinning wheel whirring even as I see them and hear them tonight.

"And from time to time one of the men, as he talked, rose up and strode across the room to the great oak table where lay always on a wooden platter a long loaf of black bread with a knife and always a glass and a bottle of eau de vie brandy. And I remember how manly it looked to me watching when I saw him take the loaf under his arm and hold it, and slice off boldly a great piece of the fresh rye bread and pour out a glass of brandy and toss it off as he ate the bread. The stories seemed to grow better after the eater had done that.

"And always I waited, even though the tale of the ghost and the fire-breathing hound, till the talk should swing round as it did ever toward the end to the stories of Napoleon that were fresh in men's minds in those days. It was as if I sat on needles before my bedtime came [illegible] I did not dare to be restless and move about for fear that my mother might send me suddenly to bed. But I always gave a sigh of content and always the grandmere patted my head softly to hear it, when my father cleared his throat and began:

"'There is a small thing that happened when the Emperor was marching'—and then he was launched on his tale."

A great hickory log fell, rolled out toward the hearth. The carved nymphs and shepherds seemed to frown in disapproval at this irregularity, and the girl in the deep chair smiled, but the man sprang up and put the log back in place with quick efficiency. He stood silent by the tall mantelpiece, deep yet in his reverie, as the flames caught the wood again and sparkled and spluttered.

"Did any of them ever see Napoleon—those men who talked about him?" the girl asked.

The Frenchman turned a queer look on her, and did not answer.

"Did any of your family ever see him, Monsieur?" she asked again.

The alert figure stepped backward, sat down again on the gilded chair and leaned forward consideringly. Francois nodded as if to the fire. "But yes, Mademoiselle," he said, in a whisper.

"Oh, tell me!" the girl cried, all interest. "Who was it? How was it? It couldn't be"—she hesitated—"yourself! If you, whom I know so well, should have seen the Emperor!" She caught a deep breath of excitement. This was another Lucy Hampton from the serious young mistress of Roanoke House whom the country people knew. "Quickly, Monsieur, tell me if it was yourself!"

Francois turned his eyes on her. "Yes, Madamoiselle," he answered.

"You have seen Napoleon!" she said, and then, impetuously, "Tell me about it!" But, though he smiled at her with that affectionate amusement which she seemed, of all sentiments, oftenest to inspire in him, he did not answer.

"Monsieur! you will not refuse to tell me when I want to know so much!" she pleaded, and went on. "How old were you? Did he speak to you? What did he say to you?"

And the Frenchman laughed as if at a dear child who was absurd. "Mademoiselle asks many questions—which shall I answer?" he demanded, and the tone to her ear was the tone of love, and she trembled to hear it.

"Answer"—she began, and stammered and flushed, and stopped.

Francois went on, little thinking what damage he was doing with that unconscious charm of voice and look.

"It is as Mademoiselle wishes, most certainly. I will even answer Mademoiselle's two questions at once to please her. It was when I was not quite three years old, Mademoiselle, at home in the farm-house in the valley of the Jura."

"And he spoke to you—to your own self? Are you sure?"

"But yes, he spoke to me, Mademoiselle."

"What did he say?" The smile on Francois' face went out and into its place swept an intensity of feeling. He answered solemnly. "There were but few words, Mademoiselle, but they have been much to my life. They shall lead my life if God pleases—those words shall lead it to the fate which they foretold."

"What were the words?" whispered the girl, impressed with awe.

Francois suddenly stood erect and stretched out his arm as if to hold a sword. "'Rise, Chevalier Francois Beaupre, one day a Marshal of France under another Napoleon!'" he repeated dramatically. "Those were the words the Emperor said."

CHAPTER XXII.

The Story Again.

[illegible] I [illegible] fac[illegible] [illegible] Lucy bewildered. "I don't understand."

The [illegible] "I have never told [illegible] thing," he said in a low tone.

"Ah, but it's only me," begged the girl.

"Only you, Mademoiselle." His [illegible] went on as if reflecting aloud. "[illegible] is the guiding star of my life, that story, yet I may tell it," he paused, "to only you."

Again the girl got [illegible] feeling the intensity, mistaking its meaning. "I should be glad if you would tell [illegible]," she spoke almost in a whisper, but Francois, floating backward [illegible] a strong tide to those old beloved days, did not notice.

"It may seem a [illegible], Mademoiselle, [illegible] not tell [illegible]. It has affected my life. The day [illegible] was this: Napoleon marched to Germany in the year 1813 and passed with his staff through our village. The house of my father was the largest in the village, and it was chosen to be for a [illegible] the Emperor's headquarters, and the Emperor held a council of war, he and his generals, there. I, a child of three, was sleeping in a room which opened from the great room, and I wakened with the sound of voices and ran in unnoticed. [illegible] were all bent over the table looking at the maps and lists of the mayor—and I pulled at the sword of Marshal Ney. And the marshal, turning quickly, knocked me over. I cried out, and my grandmother ran to me, and I have often heard her tell how she peeped from the door under the shoulder of the big sentry who would not let her pass, and how she saw a young general pick me up and set me on my feet, and how all the great officers laughed when he said that the sword was in contest between Marshal Ney and me. And how, then, the young general suggested that, to settle the point amicably, the marshal should draw his sword and give me the accolade—the blow of knighting. And so, Mademoiselle, to shorten the tale, it was not the marshal, but the Emperor himself who chose to do it. He made me kneel before him, I—a baby—and he struck my shoulder the blow of the accolade, and said the words which I have told you."

Francois sprang to his feet and stood as he repeated once more the Emperor's words. His voice shook.

"'Rise Chevalier Francois Beaupre, one day a Marshal of France under another Bonaparte,'" he cried, thrilled through with the words which he repeated.

The girl leaning forward watched him; with a gasp she spoke. "Then that is why you are really Chevalier Beaupre? Did the Emperor have the right to—to knight you?"

"But yes, Mademoiselle," Francois answered with decision. "I have studied the question, and I believe that the accolade—the knighting—was always a right of the monarchs of France, disused, perhaps at times, but yet held in abeyance, a right."

The glance of the brilliant eyes met hers with a frank calmness which showed that he claimed nothing which he did not feel; that this haphazard nobility had lived in his soul and grown with his growth, and come to be part of him. With a gentle humility, very winning as it sprang from his gentle pride, he went on.

"I know, Mademoiselle, that I am a peasant and that I must be content with a small place in life at the present. I know this. And even that position which I have is more than my brothers. For you must know, Mademoiselle, that the others grew up to be farmers or tradesmen." He hesitated, and then in a few words told her of General Gourgaud, the seigneur of Vicques, and how he had given the peasant boy all the opportunities which his own son could have had. And as he talked he remembered how, after his father's ruin, he had stood inside the bare, little, new cottage and watched through the window his mother standing at the gate and talking to the seigneur, who held Lisette's bridle. It seemed to him he could see the dark braided hair of La Claire, coiled around her head, and the deep point of her white neck-handkerchief as she stood with her back to him, and the big bow of the apron tied about her waist. The picture came vividly. And it opened his heart so that he talked on, and told this stranger in a strange land many things that had lain close and silent in his heart. He told her about the general's gruffness, which could not hide his good ness, and how he had come to be the child of the castle as well as of the cottage, something of Pietro also he told her, but he did not mention Alixe.

"You spoke of three children, Monsieur, who was the third?" asked Lucy.

Francois went on as if he had not heard the question. "It was a happy life, Mademoiselle," he said. "And it has been so ever since—even for the most part in prison. I have wondered at times if the world is all filled with such kind people as I have met—or if it is just my good luck."

Lucy Hampton had been [illegible] aloud to her sick black mammy that day, and some of the words of the book she had read came to her and seemed to fit. "The kingdom of God

Stretched Out His Arm as if to Hold a Sword.

[illegible] she [illegible] Francois. Then she co[illegible] [illegible] him.

"Monsieur, [illegible] may I ask you a personal question?"

"I think not [illegible]," he said [illegible] at her.

She [illegible] faith [illegible] Louis Bonaparte [illegible] years ago with the [illegible] I wonder if it by chance [illegible] had fought [illegible]."

He shook his head [illegible] happiness, Mademoiselle."

"The heir of the B[illegible] is that Prince Louis Napoleon [illegible]. Is it not?" she questioned.

"Yes, Mademoiselle."

And he made an [illegible] [illegible] of Strasburg [illegible] and was tried for it—and all that—father talked about it so much I could not help knowing a little about it, but I don't remember distinctly."

"But certainly, Mademoiselle. It was the prince."

"Then, haven't they just done something to him? Isn't there something people are interested in just now about that Prince Louis?"

The grave bright smile flashed out at her. "In truth, Mademoiselle, there is. The prince was shipped by his jailers on the frigate Andromede more than four months ago, for what port is unknown. One has not heard of him lately, and there are fears that he may have suffered shipwreck. But I do not fear. It is the hope of France, it is France's destiny which the Andromede carries. It will carry that great cargo safely. The young prince will yet come to his own, and I—and perhaps you, Mademoiselle—who knows?—will cry for him 'Vive l'Empereur!'"

The tone full of feeling thrilled through the girl. She flashed and stammered as she went on but Francois, carried away by his enthusiasm, did not think of it. "If you will let me ask just one question more, Monsieur, I will promise not to ask any after."

The flicker of amusement lighted his face. "Ask me a thousand, Mademoiselle."

"No, only one. Did that seigneur—General Gourgaud—did he have any—any daughter?"

The Frenchman rose in a business-like way, the way of a teacher of language at the end of a lesson.

"One," he answered briefly in a matter-of-fact tone. And then, "Mademoiselle has talked enchantingly well this evening, but I have perhaps talked too much. I may have tired Mademoiselle. I have the honor to wish you a good evening."

His heels together, he stood in the doorway and made his bow. "Au plaisir de vous revoir," he said and was gone.

CHAPTER XXIII.

The Prince Comes.

The glittering morning sunlight of late March flooded the eastern dining-room of Roanoke house. A fire blazed on the hearth; hot dishes steamed on the table; the girl's face, the crackling fire, the polished silver reflected from polished mahogany; the soft shod, solicitous service of a white-aproned negro; all this made the room fragrant with homeliness in spite of the fact that one could see one's breath in the air. But they were used to it—the hardy Virginians of those days of open fires and no furnaces, of many luxuries and few comforts, and in happy ignorance of world progress, they suffered cheerfully and were strong.

Colonel Henry Hampton faced a portrait of the first Hampton of Roanoke, stately with brass buttons and silver lace, set in the panels seventy-five years before. ~~Lucy had~~ concluded her broiled chicken and bacon and hot bread, and now as he, late for breakfast always, followed in her wake, he read the Norfolk and Portsmouth Herald with which a colored boy had that morning ridden out from Norfolk, eight miles away. It was before the time of daily papers except in a large city or two, and this of once a week was an event; a boy was sent to Norfolk the day before its publication that the colonel might have it at the earliest moment.

"How would you [illegible] prince, Lucy?" he inquired. "The [illegible] states that we have [illegible] not ten miles from Roanoke. [illegible] Louis Napoleon was landed [illegible] Andromede in Norfolk only [illegible]day. Poor young man, he [illegible] accordingly [illegible] I understand [illegible] he is [illegible] in a strange country with his fortune to make and no assets but a little [illegible] that will help him in the [illegible]."

[illegible] If she [illegible] he [illegible] was enchanted with her expression. She had dropped knife and fork [illegible] with her blue eyes stretched wide, her white teeth showing, [illegible] drinking in his anecdote.

"Father! Is Prince Louis in Norfolk? [illegible] Beaupre was talking to [illegible] him last night. [illegible] coming here. Surely he would have known if the prince [illegible] expected."

Colonel Hampton smiled [illegible]. "You will find that your father occasionally knows more than even Monsieur Beaupre and even on French questions. I [illegible]," he announced from a [illegible]. "But [illegible] my dear, the prince was not expected by [illegible], not even by the great Chevalier Beaupre. [illegible] was exiled from France [illegible] know some [illegible] ago [illegible] Strasburg, and was sent out on the Andromede [illegible] no one knew [illegible] until he landed on the twenty-[illegible] at Norfolk." Then the colonel got up and walked to the fireplace and stood with his back to the blaze and his legs far apart [illegible]. "I have given you [illegible] story for a [illegible]. [illegible] you going to [illegible]?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

[illegible]

"[illegible] never would [illegible] the [illegible] could [illegible] league [illegible] playing [illegible] bad children [illegible]?" "I'm," replied the little boy. "Teddy Bacon and I have been playing with a parrot his uncle sent him from Chicago."

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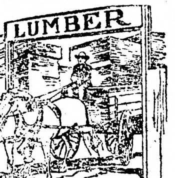

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Additional Locals

Lillian Peterson returned from Thief River Falls last Friday to visit her parents and attend the funeral of her uncle Frank Carlson. Lillian is working in that city.

Mr. John and Albert Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carlson, Mrs. Oscar Carlson and Mrs. John Branden from Thief River Falls were here between trains last Friday to attend the funeral of Mr. Carlson.

A business meeting of the Free Mission Church will be held at the Woomen hall in Holt on Sat. April 18th ,for the purpose of incorporating the same. All that is interest will be required to attend.

M. T. Strom.

The Excel Telephone Company held their annual meeting on Saturday evening March 28th, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year. M. O. Matson, President. W. A. Silbough, Secretary. Christ Saastad, Treasurer. Martin Kische, Director.

Severt K. Johnson loaded up his car and left last Tuesday for the Southern part of the state. Mr. Johnson had rented Even Johnson's farm, which now belongs to Henry Johnson. We are very sorry to see him leave, but we all wish him success in his new place.

Ed. Siltough, Albert Huseth, Clarence Kolden, John Sormo, Bert Terwillinger, Pete Anderson, Ole John and Leonard Jenson, Reinard and Selmer Reierson and Henry Oien went to Thief River Falls to witness the wrestling match between Ludvig Monson, and Otto Suter which occurred Tuesday night.

Albert Knutson left last Monday for Devils Lake, North Dakota to work. Albert says he has to go out and load up. That is right, get a lot of money and come back to Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Groner of Golden Valley left last Monday for Iowa. Mr. Groner has proved up a homestead in the town of Mud Lake, but now has sold out his stock and machinery, and there may be some time before long we will see him back again. We are sorry to loose them as we need all good farmers, and we look for more.

A stranger made a remark last Monday that he counted thirty-five teams, on the street, just the length of one block. He thought it was something unusual for a town the size of Holt, but that is nothing, we have often seen seventy-five teams and more. "Well", he said "That's no wonder that all the traveling people call Holt the little busy town."

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land

ESTASE OF ERICK E. NYBERG

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Erick E. Nyberg, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Karin Nyberg, Ole Nyberg, Edward Nyberg, Bennet Nyberg, Dodrick Nyberg, Albertina Nyberg, Hilma Nyberg, Karl Nyberg, Tilda Nyberg, Elmer Nyberg and all persons interested in the mortgaging of certain lands belonging to said decedent: The petition of Karin Nyberg as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be mortgaged and praying that a license be to her granted to mortgage the same;

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren, County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of April, 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of Said Court, this 14th day of March, 1914.

(Court Seal) PETER H. HOLM, Judge of Probate Court.

A. N. EKSTROM,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Warren, Minn. (m20a3)

Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
Feb. 24, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Cora H. Finberg, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on August 6th, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08353, for S½ NE¼ and S½ NW¼, Section 24, Township 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn. on the 7th day of April, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Claud R. Poston, Simen P. Nabben, Lars Thorson, Louis Larson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.
First Publication Feb. 27, 1914.

Notice For Publication.

Department of The Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., March 5, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Anton Rodahl, of Holt, Minn., who, on Jan. 31, 1911, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05839, for S ½ NE¼, N ½ SE ¼, Section 35, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 14th day of April, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Ole O. Garthus, Nels Gudvangen, Albert C. Jahr, George C. Anderson all of Holt Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
March 30th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Arne Nilson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on December 13th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, 07029, for NE¼, SE¼, Section 5, Township 155 N. Range 42 W. 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 4th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas Olson, of Holt Minnesota, Alfred O. Hanson of Holt, Minnesota, Edward Hanson of Holt, Minnesota, Nils Sordal, of Holt, Minnesota.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.
First publication, April 3rd, 1914

STATEMENT

Of the ownership, management, circulation etc., required by Act of August 24, 1912 of The Holt Weekly News, Successor to "The Northern Light" published weekly at Holt, Minnesota.

Name of - Post office address.

Editor, managing editor, business managers, Publisher } P A Risberg Holt, Minn

Holt Publishishing Company Holt Minn.

Known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders, holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities:

P. A. Risberg.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1914.

B. Docken, Notary Public, Marshall Co., Minn. My commission expires November 15th, 1920.

AUCTION SALE

At the Hogan Anderson farm adjoining the Townsite of Holt, on Thursday, April 9th, the following property will be sold at Public Auction:

One Sorrel horse, [illegible] years old, weight 1,100 pounds, one fine 2 year old colt; one set work harness, nearly new; One Cow, fresh in August; One 2-year-old heifer, fresh early in summer; One 14-disc drill, nearly new; one 3-horse harrow, nearly new; one truck wagon, one wide tired wagon, one pair of bob-sleighs, 2 sulky plows, one mccormick mower with flax attachment, 25 bu. oats, 270 rods barb wire, one cook stove, one gas stove, table, bed, chairs and other househeld goods and small farm implements too numerous to mention.

Sale begins One o'clock p m

TERMS:—All sums of $10 and under cash; over that amount time will be given to November 1st, 1914, on bankable paper.

Oscar Anderson, Owner
Chas W. Latta, Auctioneer
B. Docken, Clerk.

Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
March 5, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Olaus Rodahl, of Holt, Minn., who on Feb. 15, 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05855, for W ½ NW ¼, N ½ SW ¼ Section 35, Township 156 N. Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 14th day of April, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole O. Garthus, Nels Gudvangen, Albert C. Jahr, George C. Anderson, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.
First publication March 13, 1914.

Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
March 9, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John E. Boyson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on July 16th, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08286, for NE¼ SW¼, Section 27, Township 156 N, Range 42 W. 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 1st day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Knutson, Carl Sormo, Sven Carlson, Clarence Knutson, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.
First publication, March 27, 1914.

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Local Items

Bring us the news.

For Dr. F. H. Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Engebret Moe of East Valley visited at Warren last weak on some business matters.

The Erickson Bros. are drilling a well for R. L. Olson and we hear they had found water on ninety feet.

The Holt State Bank is the place to pay your taxes

Mrs. M. T. Strom went to T. R. Falls last Monday for a couple of days with her children.

Mat. Larson is on the sick list, his condition is very serious as he has heart trouble.

Misses Saastad, Johnson, Larson Shoveland left for T. R. Falls last Monday to resume their school duties.

Coffee—real coffee—and short order lunches that satisfy. Try the service offered at Huseth's lunch counter. (adv)

Mr. Wright of T. R. Falls came up Wednesday and went out with the Golden Valley mail carrier. He will stay on his homestead for sometime.

Mrs. F. Carlson went T. R. Falls last Monday to visit relatives and freinds and to get away from her home, which seems so lonely, since the loss of her husband.

We have now put in a complete line of hardware, which consists of range stoves, tinware, fence wires, etc. come in and see our prices before buying elsewere. Holt Mercantile Co. (adv.)

Whats a matter with the "Suny side" we havent seen a bit of light of the last two weeks, dat of course it has deen pretty cloudy but hoping to see some news in our paper even this week Come on Come on, and help make the paper interesting.

If you want a real bargain on shirts, come in to me. I am selling at cost and below because I'm selling out my line in shirts. Shirts from 38c and up. R. Reierson. Adv.

Gust Nelson is on the sick list Dr. Gambell was up the other day reporting him in a very serious condition as one of his lungs were nearly gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Docken and Son went to T. R. Falls wednesday partly for a visit and for some business matters. Ben says, there is something in his head which he doesn't like very well, but it has to be fixed anyway. The dentist will surely have a job but we hope he will do it right.

Kolden and Ye Editor went to Crookston last Saturday on a business trip. We got there and who do you suppose we met? Ole Matson the ex-agent of the Red Lake Falls elevator of Holt. Mr. Matson took a deep interest in finding out the circumstances of Holt. Mr. Matson sends his warmest regards to all his friends in all and surrounding country.

Mrs. C. Smith went to T. R. Falls last Sat. for a visit returning Monday.

Mrs. John Alkenbrack and Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack went to T. R. Falls last Monday for a few days to visit with the Van Vold family.

Ed. Silbaugh has sold his farm adjoining the townsite. He will probably build a new house on Alkenbrack's land.

Ole Anderson returned to St. Hilaire Monday after a weeks visit with his brother in law Ole B. Johnson and son Thomas Olson.

We have just received a suply of House and Floor Paint.

S. S. Kolden & Co.

Mrs. Roner of Arygle came to Holt last Monday to visit relatives. Mrs. Roner is an Aunt of P. A. Risberg and Mrs. E. A. Johnson.

The Free Mission Young Peoples Society will be at J. B. Alkenbrack Sunday evening Apr. 19 th. Everybody invited.

Otto Olson is on the sick list, he just got home in time, before he became sick, so that his mother may attend to him.

D. B. Backe, President of the Holt State Bank came up Wednesday to attend to the bank, while Docken is in T. R. Falls.

Mrs. Torkelson returned to Climax last Saturday. She has been staying with her daughter Mrs George Anderson all winter. Mrs. Anderson accompanied her to Climax.

Mr. M. Grondahl and John Hanson assessors of Holt and East Valley, returned from the County seat reporting they had a lot of work to do at the assesors meeting this year.

Charle [illegible] of Golden Valley [illegible] the County seat on an important business trip.

Mr. Oliver Grondahl brought a big hungry looking wolf to Holt the other day, which he had shot. Good shot Oliver, shoot again.

Otto Olson returned last Sat from Crookston, where he has been attending College all winter

When you are in need of any hardware go to the Holt Mercantile Co. When you need fence wire go to the same place, when you need kerosene go the same place and when you need gasoline don't forget the Holt Mercantile Co. Adv

David Carlson went to Thief River Falls last Thursday. He returned Wednesday as happy as ever.

Watch for the second day of East[illegible] the same weather you have then you will have for seven weeks. This is ordered and low by Risberg

Mrs. Holmgren of Golden valley returned Wednesday from the Warren Hospital, where she under went an operation. She is now getting along nicely, but be careful Mrs. Holmgren.

When you need a shave go to Huseth. When you need a hot cup of coffee go to Huseth. When you want to sweeten up go to Huseth. When you Want some fruit go to Huseth. When you want some soft drinks go to Huseth. In fact for anything in my line come and I'll treat you right.

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SEALING STEAMER SOUTHERN CROSS IS TO BE POSTED AS LOST.

STORY OF OTHER TRAGEDY

Survivors of Newfoundland Tell of Death of Comrades—Identification Scenes Are Pitiful.

St. Johns, N. F., April 7.—Hope for the safety of the sealing steamer Southern Cross, missing since last Tuesday's storm, has been practically abandoned, and the vessel is to be officially posted as lost with her crew of 173 men.

Newfoundland Survivors Talk.

The handful of survivors of the Newfoundland have just told their stories of the disaster which cost the lives of 77 of their comrades, and they hold out no hope that the Southern Cross might have weathered the gale.

The colony, plunged into mourning by the greatest tragedy in its history, has waited in vain, hoping against hope that the wireless search of the sea might bring some word from the missing vessel whose loss would deprive whole settlements of their bread winners and render more than 1,000 women and children dependent upon charity.

First Hopes Fade.

First hopes, based on the stoutness of the ship, faded when survivors of the Newfoundland told of the two days' blizzard and the condition in which it caught the Southern Cross.

Captain Martin said he parted company from her a week ago Thursday, when the Southern Cross turned homeward with 17,000 seals. She was so deeply laden that all her provisions and part of her bunker coal were stored on deck so that every available space below could be filled with her catch.

Captain Bartlett of the Terra Nova said the last he saw of the Southern Cross was a week ago Friday, when she was wallowing slowly down the coast. Other ships of the fleet sighted the steamer driving before the gale last Tuesday morning. She has not been reported since and the skippers of the fleet that came through that gale and the storm of equal severity later in the week, say every chance was against a vessel so deeply laden.

Churches Remember Dead.

In every church Sunday the disaster which overtook the Newfoundland's men on the ice was the theme of the sermon.

Messages of sympathy from the king and from the Canadian premier were read and were gratefully received.

By noon all but five of the 69 bodies of the Newfoundland's hunters, brought in Saturday by the Bellaventure, had been identified. These were shipped on a special train for Bona Vista, where most of the victims lived.

Attendants at the Greenfell institute, which was turned into morgue, said that the scene accompanying the identification of the bodies were almost beyond endurance.

One woman found two bodies clasped so tightly in death they could not be separated. They were her husband and son. The lad was wrapped in his father's arms, as if the man had been trying to shield him from the pitiless cold.

Pitiful Scenes Enacted.

The hand of another dead man was missing. One of the survivors who had lain helpless near the body for nearly 48 hours, said that his comrade, unable to stand the agony of frost bite, had sliced off the hand with his seaman's knife.

A gray haired mother supported by her two daughters, passed down the long row, looking for her sons. Attention was suddenly drawn to them when the woman fell to the floor in a faint. They had found not only the four sons and brothers but two cousins, among the dead.

Of the 35 survivors in the hospital none is expected to die but the majority will never be fit for active service again. Three lost both hands and both feet. Five lost both feet. Eight others lost a foot and 11 will lose a hand or fingers. The others will bear scars for life.

Explosion Laid to Suffragettes.

London, April 7.—An explosion in St. Martin's church, Trafalgar Square, damaged the pews and a stained window. The outrage is attributed to militant suffragettes.

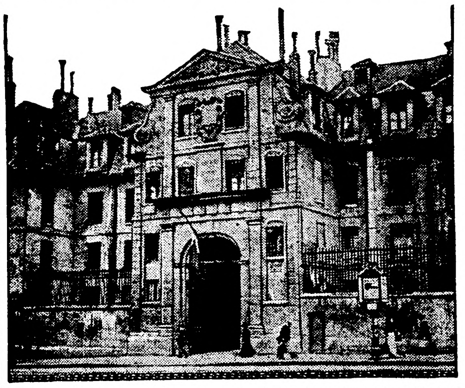
Block of N. D. Town Burns.

Bowbells, N. D., April 7.—The [illegible] opera house block, one of the largest in the city, was destroyed by fire with a loss of about $15,000.

3 Dead, 35 Hurt in Wreck.

Attica, Ind., April 7.—Three persons were killed and about 35 others injured when the Wabash passenger train No. 4, known as the Continental Limited, was wrecked when the bridge over the Wabash river just west of here gave way. The engine, a baggage car and the day coach dropped into the water. When the cars left the bridge the day coach which was crowded, fell with the rear end out of the water and though the majority of the injured were in this car, none was killed.

WHERE EDITOR'S SLAYER IS INCARCERATED



The notorious St. Lazare prison in Paris where Mme. Henriette Caillaux, wife of the former French minister of finance, the slayer of Gaston Calmette, editor of Figaro, is incarcerated. St. Lazare is one of the oldest prisons in France and is notorious for the harsh treatment meted out to prisoners.

CHIHUAHUA TRAGEDY IS BEING REPEATED

VILLA ORDERS DEPORTATION OF SIX HUNDRED TORREON SPANIARDS.

AIDED FEDERALS, IS CHARGE

Property Will Be Confiscated Unless Innocence Is Proved—Trains Are Ordered to Carry Them to the Border.

Torreon, April 7. — Six hundred Spaniards of Torreon have been ordered deported by General Francisco Villa, and their property will be confiscated, temporarily, at least, on charges that they rendered aid to the Huerta arms during the siege of the city.

Trains Given Orders.

Trains were ordered by General Villa to carry to the bord at El Paso the men affected by the order. The exodus began today.

It is the tragedy of Chihuahua repeated, and expresses the deep rooted suspicion and even hatred with which the native Mexican and particularly the peon, looks upon the Spaniard.

Villa expelled the dons from Chihuahua four months ago, and since then has repeatedly stated that other Spaniards had better get out of Mexico before he catches them. His abiding conviction that they have been working as one man against the revolution found frequent expression while he was in Juarez.

Spain Was Aroused.

The Spanish government was aroused and Washington descended on the constitutionalist chiefs with words of warning and admonition.

The expulsion is taken that all are to be held guilty until innocence is proved. Villa promised that he would investigate closely the conduct of each Spaniard and that in due course those found to have lent no aid to the enemy would be allowed to return.

To establish their innocence, while not represented before the investigators with their cases in the hands of a hostile court and themselves in a foreign land, it is said, will be an almost hopeless task, and it is believed certain that few will ever be allowed to return to their homes.

Pleading and Lament.

The order was received in a [illegible] silence, followed by passionate outbursts of pleading and lament. All asserted that they had remained neutral so far as they could, but with the military government in the hands of the Federals they were compelled at times to render such aid as was demanded, the use of houses and corrals, for instance and the forced contribution of money and food.

Mexican hatred of the Spaniard is a tradition handed down from the days of the conquest. It is still expressed in the crude ballads chanted by the peons, and in the narrative songs of the Indians. It has been a part of their lives for three centuries. Modern instances have intensified it.

Juarez, General Carranza was not consulted by Villa in ordering the deportation of the Spanish residents at Torreon, it is stated here.

Ibsen's Widow Dies.

Christiania, Norway, April 7.—Susanna Ibsen, widow of Henrik Ibsen, the Norwegian dramatic poet, is dead here.

King Gustave's Health Poor.

Stockholm, Sweden, April 7.—The condition of health of King Gustave continues to cause general anxiety. A bulletin issued by the court physicians says: "Although the health of the king has improved during the past week and although there is no ground for uneasiness the royal physicians have recommended his majesty to consult Prof. Wilhelm Fleiner, the specialist for internal diseases of Heidelberg, Germany, as there are indications of a return of his stomach trouble."

BURNS SAYS HE KNOWS ALL

CLAIMS HE HAS FOUND SLAYER OF MARY PHAGAN.

Declares Story of Atlanta Crime Will All Clear Soon—Intimates Frank Is Not Guilty.

Chicago, April 6.—William J. Burns, detective, declared here that he knew who murdered Mary Phagan, the girl for whose death Leo M. Frank is under sentence of death. Whether the murderer was Frank or someone else, in his opinion, Burns would not say, but he intimated that from his investigations, and comparing their results with the conclusions of the coroner's jury, he believed Frank is not the sort of man capable of making the attack on the girl alleged to have preceded her murder.

Burns related upon his arrival here from Kansas City the story of his investigation. He said his attention had first been called to it by a young man from Atlanta, who was a passenger on a steamer on which Burns was returning from Europe. The young man expressed his regret that Burns had not become interested in the case before the arrest and conviction of Frank.

Burns read of the trial in the newspapers and concluded, from the accounts he saw, that Frank was guilty. Later, while he was in Key West, three citizens of Atlanta, including two personal friends of Frank, saw the detective and asked him to undertake an investigation of the case.

At first, Burns said, he refused, on the ground that, if guilty, his final conclusion to that effect could only hurt Frank, while if the investigation tended to throw doubt of guilt upon him it might serve to thwart justice. Frank's friends here said they believed he was innocent of the crime, but if guilty, they wanted indisputable evidence of his guilt.

Burns then took the case. His investigation showed, he said, first that public clamor, following a "crime wave," had resulted in the police making extraordinary efforts to adduce "evidence" tending to convict Frank, and, second, that a report making out Frank a man of abnormal characteristics, was commonly circulated through the city, putting public opinion strongly against him.

His inquiries then convinced Burns that Frank was a perfectly normal man. On the other hand, the testimony of physicians was to the effect that the murderer of Mary Phagan was abnormal. Then Burns interviewed many of the witnesses who testified in the case. At the conclusion of this phase of his investigation he said he was convinced that he knew the murderer.

"There was no mystery about the murder of Mary Phagan," Burns said. "The tracks of the murderer were clear and there is no doubt as to his identity. The story will all clear up in a few days. I have made a complete report to Frank's attorneys in Atlanta, and in a few days it will be given out."

Common Law Wife Wins.

Louisville, Ky., April 6.—Compromise by which Mrs. Ellen J. Gillen, or Ewald, will receive $300,000 cash and $10,000 a year from the $4,000,000 estate of the late Louisville and Nashville railway ironmaster, L. P. Ewald, was agreed upon by opposing counsel and is expected to end the suit for $1,700,000, in which the former St. Louis woman has attempted to prove herself the common law wife of the late eccentric millionaire.

Prohibition for U. S. Navy.

Washington, April 6.—Absolute prohibition will prevail in the United States navy after July 1 next. Secretary Daniels last night made public a sweeping order which not only will abolish the traditional "wine mess" of the officers, but will bar all alcoholic liquors from every ship and shore station of the navy. Secretary Daniels said: "There should not be on shipboard, with reference to intoxicants, one rule for officers and another and a different rule for the enlisted personnel."

F. WEYERHAEUSER, LUMBERMAN, DIES AT WINTER HOME

END COMES AFTER MILLIONAIRE WAS THOUGHT TO BE OUT OF DANGER—PNEUMONIA WAS AILMENT.

MADE VAST FORTUNE BY BUYING TIMBER LANDS

Started Life As Poor Lad But Early Demonstrated His Shrewd Ability At Recognizing Money-Making Possibilities of Milling Business.

St. Paul, April 6.—Frederick Weyerhaeuser, St. Paul lumberman, one of the wealthiest men in the world, died at his winter home in Pasadena, Cal., after a brief illness from pneumonia. He was 79 years old.

Began As Poor Lad.

Beginning as a poor German immigrant boy to pile slabs in a Rock Island, Ill., sawmill at $1 a day, by industry and wonderful business foresight, Frederick Weyerhaeuser rose to be the dominating figure in the lumber world of the west, and leaves a deep impress on the business life of the Mississippi valley and the Pacific coast.

Dominated Everywhere.

Dominating everywhere, but in every field associating himself with men of capital and brains, Mr. Weyerhaeuser's interests were scattered through a score of states. The various Weyerhaeuser corporations are credited with controlling 30,000,000 acres of timber lands, valued at about $1,500,000,000, but no definite estimate of the Weyerhaeuser fortune has ever been made. Secrecy was a business rule with him, and the extent of his holdings can only be estimated.

Mr. Weyerhaeuser died just as he was thought to be on the road to recovery. Sunday noon Mr. Weyerhaeuser's body was sent aboard a limited train bound for Rock Island, Ill., the old home, for interment beside the body of Mrs. Weyerhaeuser, who died in November, 1911.

Result of Cold.

Mr. Weyerhaeuser caught cold Sunday, March 22, while attending church. On the following Wednesday his condition become so alarming that his children were sent for. Three physicians were called and remained in attendance day and night. They managed to overcome recurrent sinking spells.

His sons, John P., Frederick E., Rudolph M. and Charles A., and his daughters, Mrs. Margaret Jewett, of Chicago; Mrs. W. B. Hill, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and Mrs. S. S. Davis, of Rock Island, were at the bedside at the time.

Up to the day that he was taken ill, Mr. Weyerhaeuser had been giving active attention to more important questions connected with his business, but he had relinquished control of the business more and more to his sons and other business associates of late years, and had been spending nearly all his time in Pasadena since the death of Mrs. Weyerhaeuser.

Sons Active in Affairs.

Mr. Weyerhaeuser's four sons are actively engaged in the business in Minnesota. John P. Weyerhaeuser and Frederick E. Weyerhaeuser, of St. Paul, Charles A. Weyerhaeuser, of Little Falls, and Rudolph M. Weyerhaeuser, of Cloquet, all are interested in the various companies. The headquarters of the syndicate are in St. Paul, but Weyerhaeuser & Co., the corporation under which the offices are maintained in St. Paul, is not a holding company and has no relation directly with any of the numerous manufacturing and timber owning concerns. It is a retail lumber company owning nine yards in as many southern Minnesota towns.

The secret of the Weyerhaeuser fortune, lumbermen say, was in his far seeing faith in the possibilities of timber lands as an investment. He never paid high prices for timber lands but bought where there were no logging operations at the time and where the timber could be had for almost nominal prices, holding it patiently until the country developed and a demand arose for it. Then he would as a rule, build mills and market the lumber. From his earliest operations he bought timber as fast as he could raise the capital for it.

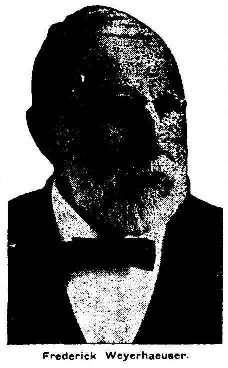
How He Lost Money.

Associates say he once was asked the question: "What do you think of timber lands as an investment?"

"Well," he replied, "I have lost a lot of money on timber lands, lots of it, but all the lands I lost money on were lands I didn't buy."

Mr. Weyerhaeuser was [illegible]

WORLD'S RICHEST MAN DIES



Frederick Weyerhaeuser.

"richer than Rockefeller" by Charles P. Norcross, a magazine writer, back in 1906 in an article. This article was declared a gross exaggeration, but the size and value of the Weyerhaeuser holdings never has been made public in any way. The Norcross article also contained an appraisal of Weyerhaeuser, the man.

Appraisal of Man.

"As silently and as patiently as one of the giant trees on his land grew to its majestic maturity, Weyerhaeuser has grown," said Mr. Norcross. "He is master of vast reaches and wonderful forests extending from the cluttered drives of Wisconsin lakes and rivers to the Pacific coast. He has behind him fifty years of unremitting toil along lines of telling organization. Patient, shrewd and far-seeing, he has given his life to bringing underneath his dominion the great forest tracts of the northwtst.

"It seems astounding that such an enormous accumulation could be effected without the whole world knowing it; but Weyerhaeuser is a man of mytesry."

In Many Corporations.

Mr. Weyerhaeuser was a heavy owner in the following corporations and, at some time or other, president of nearly all: Mississippi River Boom & Logging Company, Potlatch Lumber Company, Weyerhaeuser Timber Company, Weyerhaeuser Syndicate, Chippewa Lumber & Boom Company, Cloquet Lumber Company, Tacoma Lumber Company, Little Falls Lumber Company, Mississippi River Logging Company, Northland Pine Company, Pine Tree Lumber Company, Musser Sauntry Company, St. Croix Lumber Company, Shell Lake Lumber Company, Northern Wisconsin Lumber Company, Chippewa Valley Lumber Company, Bonners Ferry Lumber Company, Superior Timber Company, Weyerhaeuser & Denckmann, Weyerhaeuser & Rutledge Lumber Company, Duluth & Northeast Railway, Mesabe Southern Railway, Atwood Lumber Company, Rutledge Lumber Company, Nebagamon Lumber Company.

A Native of Germany.

Frederick Weyerhaeuser was born at Nieder-Saulheim, on the German Rhine, Nov. 21, 1834. His father was a thrifty German farmer, owning 15 acres of land. There were 11 children, but only Frederick and four sisters lived to maturity.

He was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Surviving Convict Explains.

Sacramento, Cal., April 7.—Fred Barnes, the only survivor of the five convicts who battered their way from their cells into Folsom prison Saturday, only to fall before a rain of bullets from the guards, declares that he and his comrades were not trying to escape. Barnes declares that the only object of the 12 "incorrigibles" in the plot was to create a disturbance that would result in their being taken back to the dungeon. Barnes is expected to recover.

TOLLS VOTE IN THREE WEEKS

Exemption Repeal Bill Cannot Be Disposed of in Shorter Period of Time.

Washington, April 7.—With the scene of activity on the issue of Panama toll exemption repeal shifted to the senate after the triumph of the administration in the house last week, plans still remain in the formative stage for the final struggle in the great controversy.

Leaders in the fight do not expect speeches to change any votes, but that there will be a flood of oratorical effort which will far exceed in length and intensity the 20 hour debate on the bill in the house.

No one in close touch with the situation will predict how long the controversy in the senate will continue, but the most optimistic proponents of repeal do not look for a vote for three weeks. The repeal bill and attendant measures will be in committee at least a week and general debate cannot begin until some sort of a report is made or a motion is offered to discharge the committee from further consideration of the bill.

Wilson-McAdoo Wedding Soon.

Washington, April 7.—The wedding of Miss Eleanor Wilson and Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo will take place in April, according to friends of Miss Wilson although the White House still declines to indicate any date.

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SPRING FEVER IS HEALTHY

It Indicates Fresh Hopes and Renewed Buoyancy of Spirit.

How wonderfully tight the spring wander-lust for the countryside grips one!

Spring fever, with all of its healthfulness, is the harbinger of fresh hopes and a buoyancy of spirit.

I noticed a passenger on a Detroit-Chicago train the other day who had started out on his trip with the evident intention of becoming deeply taken with one of the best sellers, that he might shorten the trip between the two cities. You have done the same thing yourself.

But his book had been cast aside. He had read only a few pages. His interest in it had lagged.

From the car windows he was counting the fields now bared of snow. The ditches were carrying away the water and the still less sluggish creeks were now streams bearing the overflow to the rivers. The farmer, in his shirt sleeves, was repairing the fences after the winter drifts; the cattle showing proof of a winter's stabling and now heading here and there toward the meadows, seeking the new-green patches of grass; the farm help, in field and stubble, was putting into repair this and that necessary feature, here looking after his plow and there his harrow, and on all sides were scenes which reminded the traveler that spring was here, at last!

As the train sped onward and glimpses of the painter as he worked on the weather-beaten buildings were revealed, the interest of the tourist was aroused and, when I asked him the reason, he answered: "Spring is here and I feel its blood flowing!"

The truth was, that like many others, he was planning the work he was to do the coming summer. He was going out to the farm—his farm in Western Canada. He had his wells to dig, his horses to get into shape, his grain implements to fix up, his seed grain to prepare, and other details for the land that was ready to receive it. His was what might be termed an "unrest"—to get to the farm!

Thousands in Western Canada today are making the preparations that this interested man contemplated. Their summer fallows are ready for the wheat, their spring plowing is being attended to, fences are being rebuilt or being put into repair; indeed, the entire country is one great hive of industry.

Railroads are in readiness to take care of a great rush of settlers, those charged with the reception of whom are prepared to extend every courtesy and thus meet the rush with judgment and without the least friction. Thus, the enjoyment of the opening of spring is fully met.

At many of the stations throughout many of the middle western states, trains of settlers' effects are in readiness to move to Western Canada. Not only in these states are scenes of this kind to be witnessed, but also, on either coast and throughout the eastern states there is the same activity among those going to Western Canada this spring. The crops have been heavy and all reports are that the winter was enjoyable; also, that the prospects for a satisfactory year were never better. There is plenty of land yet to be had by homesteading or otherwise. Adapted, as Western Canada is, to small grain farming, it is especially adapted to cattle raising and many of the farmers are placing small and large herds, as their individual means will permit.

The illustrated literature sent out by the Canadian government agents tells the truth clearly and the inquirer should send for a copy and if you be one of those who has an ambitious interest you may be the gainer by a perusal of such information—straight, cold facts in themselves.—Advertisement.

Gossip.

[illegible] I saw Ethel [illegible] and she had the loveliest confidential chat together.

Lucy—I thought so, she wouldn't talk to me today. [illegible]

ECZEMA ITCHED AND BURNED

Dryden, Ore.—"My eczema began by forming small blotches over my neck and shoulders also on my face and later became rough and scaly. First it appeared in blotches, then it came in pimples and lastly it appeared in a sort of a rash. It itched and burned so terribly that I scratched it and made sores. My clothing irritated my body. The eczema disfigured my face very much and itched so that I lost much sleep and couldn't work while it lasted.

"I used many medicines but none of them took any effect. The disease lasted nearly two months before I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I first washed with the Cuticura Soap, then applied the Cuticura Ointment to the parts affected. The Cuticura Soap and Ointment gave me much relief within two weeks and they proved a perfect cure in a month." (Signed) J. C. Corlett, Nov. 19, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston." Adv.

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UNREASONABLE THING TO ASK

Thirsty Tourists Inclined to Be Finicky Should Visit Ireland During the Winter Months.

Two New York men were touring Ireland last summer by automobile. On a hot July afternoon they came to an inn. Stopping, they went into the bar. A red-cheeked peasant girl was the barmaid. The travelers ordered Irish and soda. The girl served them and went on with her interrupted work of wiping the bar. One of the men tasted his drink and found it tepid.

"I say, my girl," he said, "won't you please put some ice in these drinks?"

Her mouth went wide open and the mopping cloth was poised in mid-air. Amaze held her silent for a moment. Then she found tongue in a hurry.

"Ice, is it? And who the — ever heard of ice in July?"

Whereupon she fell to polishing again.

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Largest English Cathedral.

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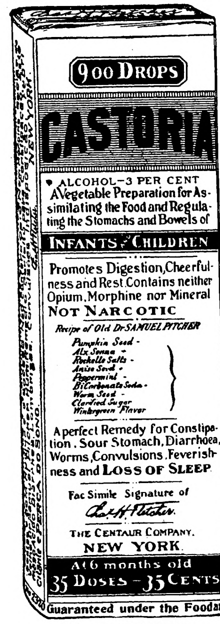
Every man is above the average—according to his own belief.



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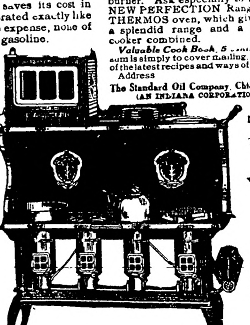

TWENTY NATIONS PLAN TO EXHIBIT

TO DATE 'FRISCO FAIR MANAGEMENT HAS ASSURANCES FROM THAT NUMBER.

TWO NOTABLE ABSENTEES

England and Germany Refuse to Participate But Many Individual Firms of These Nations Will Enter Great Exposition.

Washington, April 7.—To date twenty foreign governments have signified their intention of participating in the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco next year. Notable absentees are two countries which heretofore have been most liberal exhibitors at all American expositions, namely Great Britain and Germany, but there is every assurance that even if the governments of these two countries do not relent at the last moment and recall their declinations, there will be thousands of British and German exhibits contributed by individuals.

Countries Already Entered.

The countries which have so far notified the state department of their intention officially to recognize the fair, together with amounts of money where the appropriation for the exhibits is known are as follows:

The Argentine Republic, $95,000; Bolivia, $40,000; Brazil, $800,000; Canada; Chile, $180,000; China; Cuba (proposed), $250,000; Denmark; Dominican republic; Ecuador; France; Guatemala; Haiti; Honduras; Italy, $400,000; Japan; Liberia; Mexico (accepted invitation in 1912); Netherlands, $150,000; Panama, $50,000; Persia; Peru; Portugal; Siam; Sweden, $160,000; Turkey, Uruguay, Venezuela, $10,000.

Norway Is Doubtful.

The Norwegian government had accepted the invitation but the legislative body of that country refuses to appropriate the $50,000 estimated by the government as necessary for an exhibit.

Nine governments, including most of the great powers, have signified their intention to send naval contingents to participate in the naval parade from Hampton Roads to the Golden Gate via the Panama canal, which is expected to signalize the opening of the exposition next February.

NINE KILLED IN GAS PIT

Bridge Workers Trapped by Flames in Caisson At Memphis.

Memphis, Tenn., April 7.—Trapped in a fiery pit of blazing gas, nine caisson workers were literally cooked to death when their lamps touched off a pocket of gas in a caisson in which they were laying the foundation for a new Harahan Mississippi river bridge.

The laborers were lowered into the caisson to begin work early Monday. They had scarcely begun burrowing into the river bottom when there was a terrific explosion. Flames and natural gas filled the caisson, choking and suffocating the workmen. The flames are still burning, making the work of rescue doubly difficult.

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American Chemists Meet.

Cincinnati, O., April 7.—The forty-ninth annual meeting of the American Chemical society opened this morning with a general session of all divisions at the University of Cincinnati where the members were welcomed by Mayor Spiegel and President Dabney of the university. President T. W. Richards of the society responded, and several papers were read. For four days the chemists will mingle business and pleasure and many industrial plants will be inspected.

Airship Death Toll.

Washington, April 7.—Death records tell of 38 lives among the aviators of the world for the first three months of this year, according to records kept here from Jan. 1 and April 1. Since Lieutenant Thomas E. Selfridge, U. S. A., was killed at Fort Myer Sept. 17, 1908, the first man whose death is recorded as due to experiments with heavier than air flying craft, 462 aviators in all parts of the world have died for the cause of [illegible].

May Get Husband Freed.

St. Louis, April 7.—[illegible] who [illegible] and death [illegible] sacrificed every [illegible] and labored incessantly in her husband's behalf, probably will [illegible] the parole of Arthur P. [illegible], former St. Louis grain merchant, serving a five year penitentiary sentence for forgery. He was sentenced April 11, 1913. [illegible]

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Chew it after every meal

Be SURE it's clean, pure, healthful WRIGLEY'S. Look for the spear. 14

Canal Comment.

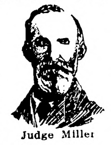
"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "they are having a great deal of agitation about the big canal, aren't they?"

"Yes."

"Don't you think it might have been better if we had been content with the old-fashioned canals where all the talking was done by the man who was driving the mule!"

JUDGE CURED HEART TROUBLE

I took about 6 boxes of Dodds Kidney Pills for Heart Trouble from which I had suffered for 5 years. I had dizzy spells, my eyes puffed, my breath was short and I had chills and backache. I took the pills about a year ago and have had no return of the palpitations. Am now 63 years old, able to do lots of manual labor, am well and hearty, and weigh about [illegible] pounds. I feel very grateful that I found Dodds Kidney Pills and you may publish this letter if you wish. I am serving my third term as Probate Judge of Gray Co. Yours truly, PHILIP MILLER, Cimarron, Kan.



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[illegible] his life? [illegible] I had [illegible] died! [illegible] lightest [illegible] fairies [illegible]

Natural.

Belle—Is that girl's hair naturally curly?

Nell—Yes; natural result of the curling iron.

MAKES ECZEMA VANISH

Resinol Stops Itching and Burning Instantly.

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Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap have been prescribed by doctors for the past nineteen years and sold by all druggists. Adv.

In the Children's [illegible]

[illegible] going to the [illegible] Yes, I don't want [illegible]

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The most economical cleansing and germicidal of all antiseptics is Paxtine

A soluble Antiseptic Powder to be dissolved in water as needed.

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Disease germs are on every hand. They are in the very air we breathe. A system "run down" is a prey for them. One must have vital force to withstand them. Vital force depends on digestion—on whether or not food nourishes—on the quality of blood coursing through the body.

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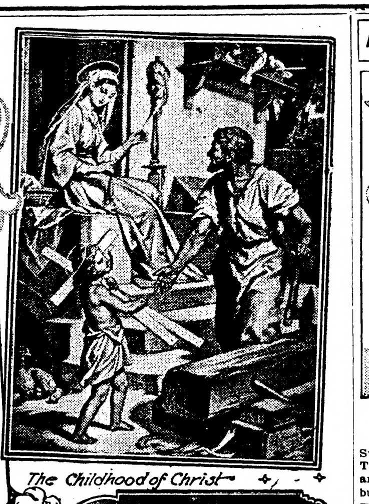
INCIDENTS IN THE LIFE OF CHRIST



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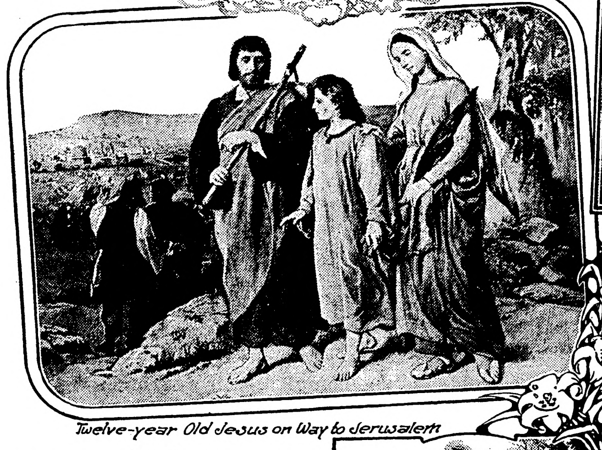
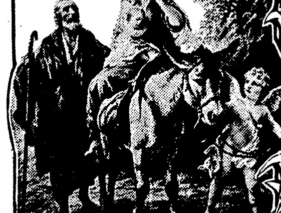


Twelve-year Old Jesus on Way to Jerusalem



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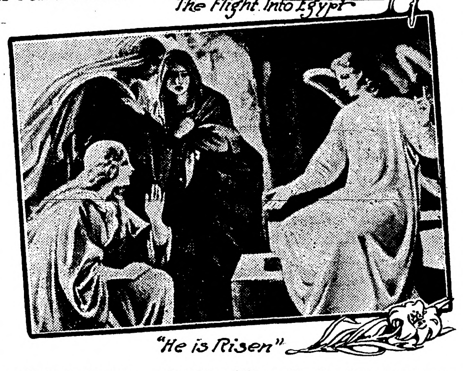


"He is Risen"

ONE day an angel came to Mary and said: "Fear not, Mary, for thou hast found favor with God. Behold thou shalt conceive in thy womb and bring forth a son and shalt call his name Jesus. He shall be great and shall be called the Son of the Highest, and the Lord God shall give unto him the throne of his father David. He shall reign over the house of Jacob foreverer." Mary and Joseph went away into a city of Judea, into the city called Bethlehem, because they belonged to the house of David. When the child was born there were many shepherds watching their flocks. When they heard of Christ's nativity many were afraid, and the angel said unto them: "Fear not, for behold I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord!" When the shepherds came to the manger they found the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes. There were angels and a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying: "Glory be to God in the highest, and on earth peace and good will toward men." The shepherds fell down before Christ and worshiped him. They then made known abroad what they had heard. Then came wise men from the East, guided by a star which stood over the young child. They opened their treasures and presented him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. Forty days after Jesus' birth his parents carried him to the temple at Jerusalem. There was one Simeon, who had long been expecting the coming of a Savior to the Jews. He took the child up in his arms and exclaimed: "Lord, now lettest thou they servant depart in peace according to thy words: For mine eyes have seen thy salvation."

Joseph and Mary remained but a short time with their child in Egypt. The death of Herod later recalled them to Palestine, and they returned to their old place of abode, the little town of Nazareth in Galilee. They did this because the angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream and said: "Take the young child and his mother and flee into Egypt and be thou there until I bring thee word, for Herod will seek the young child to destroy him." He grew strong in both body and spirit. Tradition says he wore a garment without seams, made of a kind of woven hair of a purplish brown color.

The Gospels tell us nothing of his occupation as a young man. Tradition relates, and it appears truly, that he spent the whole thirty years before he began his ministry in retirement. John was the first to announce the great work Jesus intended doing. He abandoned the solitude of the desert for the banks of the Jordan. He gathered the people together in hosts. He announced that they were to be delivered from sin and bondage, and to prepare for the Messiah's coming.

It was at Bethabara that John the Baptist saw Jesus for the first time, and looking upon him said: "Behold the lamb of God." It was here that the 12 stones were set up, marking the spot where the children of Israel had crossed the Jordan dry shod to enter the promised land. Jesus had come to be baptized, but John refused until he heard Jesus say: "Suffer it to be so now, for thus it becomes us to fulfil all righteousness." After Jesus had spoken to the people he was led into the wilderness by the spirit. Here he was tempted for 40 days by the devil. He was an hungered and the devil said unto him: "If thou be the Son of God command that this stone be made bread," and Jesus answered him, saying, "It is written that man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God." He next brought him to Jerusalem and sat him on a pinnacle of the temple and said unto him: "If thou be the Son of God cast thyself down from hence." Jesus answered, "It is said thou shalt not tempt the Lord thy God." Then the devil tempted him a third time, offering Christ the kingdom of this world if he would worship him. The answer came, "Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God and him only shalt thou serve."

The temptation is the expression of the period that intervened between Christ's private life and his public ministry. One day Jesus was walking by the sea and he saw two men—Simon, called Peter, and Andrew, his brother, casting a net in the sea. And he said unto them: "Follow me and I will make you fishers of men." They straightway left their nets and followed him. He walked on farther, when he came upon James, the son of Zebedee, and John, his brother, who were also in the ship mending their nets. He straightway called them and they left their father in the ship and followed him. Nathaniel was more doubtful about Christ's spiritual power until one day Jesus saith unto him: "Verily, verily I say unto you, hereafter ye shall see heaven open and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man." And Christ went from place to place until he had found his 12 apostles. He was unwilling to rest then. He began to give food to the hungry, sight to the blind, health to the sick and comfort to aching hearts. Among the most illustrious of his miracles was when he constrained his disciples to go on board the boat and row across the lake to Capernaum. Then he sent away the great crowd of people who were still eager that he should be their king. When they were all gone and he was left alone he went up into the mountain to pray. While he was praying in the night a great storm came up on the lake. When the storm was at its height Jesus went to his disciples walking on the water as though the sea were dry land. Then the men in the boat saw a strange figure coming near them and Jesus called out to them: "Be of good cheer; it is I; be not afraid." After Jesus had performed many miracles the people asked him to do these things to satisfy their curiosity. When he refused them they became angry and left him. Finally, Jesus turned to his 12 apostles and asked, "Will ye also go away and leave me?" But Simon Peter answered him: "Lord, to whom shall we go? For thou only hast the words of everlasting life." One day, on entering the temple, he saw that the merchants and brokers were making everything subservient to their avarice. His anger rose at his seeing these unholy doings in the temple. He did not hesitate as to what should be done. He threatened the traders with a scourge of small cords, drove them out and said to them: "Take these things hence, make not my Father's house an house of merchandise." After he left Jerusalem he went directly to Aenon, near Salem, which was the field of John the Baptist's labors. Here he spent most of his time from the Passover to the late harvest. He wished to instruct his disciples more thoroughly in his teaching.

He did not go back to Jerusalem until the feast of the Passover. It was then he healed a man who had been lame for 38 years. It was then that he told them that the bread which he was about to give them was to be the self-sacrifice of the bodily life for the salvation of mankind. Soon after Jesus left Bethabara with his disciples and came to Bethany. There he found a man named Lazarus that had been dead for four days. Martha and Mary could not be comforted concerning the death of their brother. Jesus, weeping, said: "Take ye away the stone," and cried in a loud voice, "Lazarus, come forth," and he that was dead came forth.

Then he went to the Mount of Olives, where his disciples followed him. When he came down he rode into Jerusalem, followed by a crowd of many men, women and children bearing palms. As he rode into the city all the throng was curious and asked, "Who is this?" And the multitude answered: "This is Jesus, the prophet of Nazareth." He then went to the temple time and again teaching many things and performing miracles.

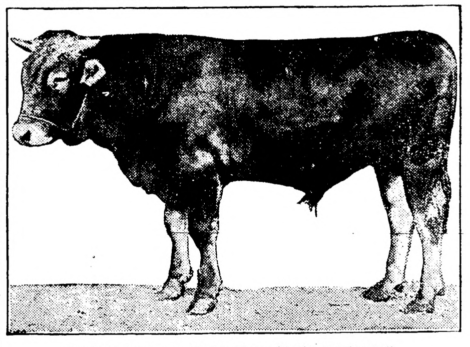
It was at this time that Jesus and his disciples partook of the last supper. While they were eating he took the bread and blessed it. Then he broke it and passed it to each one of his disciples. At the same time he said: "This is my body which is broken for you; this do in remembrance of me." Afterwards he took the cup of wine and passed it to each of his disciples with the words: "This cup is the new testament in my blood, which is shed for you."

When the feast was going on he washed the feet of all his disciples. This means that all who follow him should serve each other. While he was talking he grew sad and said: "Verily, verily I say to you that one of you that is eating with me shall betray me and give me up to those that will kill me." Then Jesus dipped a piece of bread and gave it to Judas, saying: "Do quickly what you are going to do." After he had waited a few minutes he added: "Before morning comes every one will leave me alone; yet I will not be alone, for my Father will be with me." He wanted to be alone for he knew that in a little time Judas would be there with a band of men who would seize him.

Suddenly the disciples heard the noise of a crowd. When they saw the swords flashing they knew that Judas had betrayed Christ.

Before he was seized he made a speech to his disciples and the crowd. He was then led away to Caiaphas, the high priest, and when morning was come they delivered him to Pontius Pilate and he was tried before this Roman governor, who was an enemy of Jesus, and was therefore glad of an opportunity to vex him. After Judas saw that Christ was condemned he felt remorse. In honor of the coming Passover one criminal was to be pardoned and he wished that it should be Christ. It was now too late. With two condemned criminals, Jesus himself carried the instrument of death to the place of execution. Stripped of nearly all his clothing, he was lifted up to the cross and nailed by his hands and feet. After many hours Joseph and his friends took down the body, wrapped it in fine linen, and laid it in the tomb. The body lay there from one evening of Friday, when he died on the cross, to the dawn of Sunday, which is Easter. When the women came to the sepulchre they saw that the seal was broken and the stone was rolled away. It was empty and an angel appeared and said: "Fear ye not, for I know ye seek Jesus, which was crucified. He is not here, for he is risen as he said." And afterward Jesus appeared to his disciples and they gave him food and he ate. They talked with him and he rejoiced, saying: "Peace be unto you. Receive ye the Holy Ghost." This was the fifth time Jesus had showed himself to his friends. Finally, leading his disciples out as far as Bethany, "he lifted up his hands and blessed them whilst he blessed them he was parted from them and was carried up into heaven."

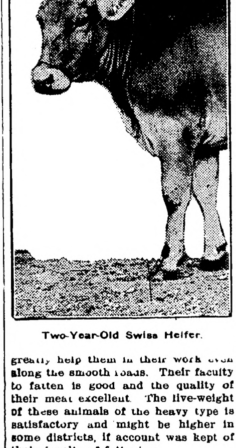
ADVANTAGES OF SWISS BREED OF CATTLE



Excellent Specimen of Swiss Type—16 Months' Old Bull.

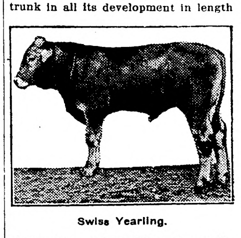
There are many ends for which the Swiss cattle are bred in Switzerland. The first objects in all cattle breeding are the products of milk and of meat, but the animals can also be used for work. In general that which is most wanted is to obtain an average live-weight, this weight being a little higher and subject to variation in the Simental breed than that of Schwyz. The heights and inclinations of more or less importance, the diversity in the composition and the fertility of the soil, and in the management and care given to the cattle, influence a great deal the live-weight and size of the cattle coming from different regions and establishments. Thus in some districts they prefer raising cattle of an average weight or of great weight, while in other regions only cattle of lighter weight are bred. In the regions where the Schwyz cattle are bred, there is a greater difference on account of the great number of different methods in the way of raising and managing the cattle. Yet the ends aimed at are the same in the two breeds with one difference only; that those animals which are of lighter weight and less well managed have much less meat and precocity. In every case, what is striven after, is to obtain healthy and strong cattle. In summer the greater part of the cattle breeders of the Mittelland send their cattle up to the Alpine pasturages, and moreover there is a great deal of exchanging between the cattle breeders of the Alps and those of the plains.

With regard to the animal's faculty to work, it must be said that since the culture of wheat has, these last twenty-five or thirty years, greatly diminished, in the plains as well as in the alpine regions, very few oxen of the Schwyz breed are seen. Instead of these they use cows and heifers for agricultural work. On the confines of the two regions where these cattle are reared, we sometimes meet with oxen of the Simental breed, which are very precocious and which become very heavy. This does not hinder the Schwyz breed furnishing animals apt to labor. Their black, strong and hard hoofs, their quick temperament, greatly help them in their work even along the smooth roads. Their faculty to fatten is good and the quality of their meat excellent. The live-weight of these animals of the heavy type is satisfactory and might be higher in some districts, if account was kept of their faculty of fattening.



Two-Year-Old Swiss Heifer.

In former times, the descriptions of the cattle, show that then white spots in the hair were rather frequently met with. Till about the middle of the last century the animals with a spot in the middle of the forehead were not excluded from cattle shows, but since then they are getting undervalued and at the present time they are not admitted at the competitions, as no animal obtains a prize with spots, unless they are found on the inferior part of the belly. Those cows that have a spot higher up than the belly or on any other part of the body, are excluded. Cattle having reddish colored hair are not readily received. Yet it must be remarked that the animals which are exposed to bad weather in the alpine districts get a dirty reddish color, but which disappears on changing the animal's way of living. With regard to the form of the body of those animals which are reared and cared for rationally, they show an elegance and purity of form which gives at the same time a high opinion of health and strength of resistance and of the animal's faculties. The head is nearly always small and refined. Long noses are often met with; broad foreheads, small turned-up horns and a large mouth are the general signs. The neck is of an average length, well covered with hair and having small rumples. You sometimes meet with animals having very narrow chests which is a consequence of bad management, but generally that part of the body is well built. The back is long and rather broad and well developed, the whole trunk in all its development in length



Swiss Yearling.

shows the good qualities of a milk-cow. The limbs are generally well made and strong, seldom coarse. Most of these animals have strong thighs with good muscles, having short shins, the knees, pasterns and hoofs are very strong. The bodies of the cows reared on the declivities of the mountains have sometimes a tendency to throw their bodies backwards, but this tendency is remedied with age.

GOOD PASTURES FOR THE SHEEP

Ewes Should Be Treated Well After Weaning to Reach Normal Condition.

If one will use common sense in giving his sheep good pasture and will raise plenty of pasture, the cost of pasturing sheep will be very low. The late summer and fall is very trying on the breeding ewes, and unless the sheep owner maintains the flock in a vigorous condition the profits are sure to be cut down to a great extent.

It is very good to have an abundance of green pasture and forage crops for the ewes to maintain and regain their strength and flesh which they have lost during the suckling of their lambs. They should be treated well after weaning, so that they will reach their normal condition by mating time. Anyone will find it a serious thing to have their ewes run down and in poor condition at the time of mating.

Take note that the ewes that produce the best lambs at weaning time are usually the best breeders, and should be treated with the best care and management. When a ewe shows a large, heavy lamb at weaning time she is usually very thin and run down. Some owners would dispose of her and think that she was too weak for a breeding ewe because she was so thin at weaning time. Right there they make a very bad mistake. After weaning the ewes can be kept in a vigorous, flesh-forming condition if put on good pastures and a small amount of grain is fed.

Cause of Rickets.

Worms, malnutrition, inadequate feeding and lack of lime salts in the feed are common causes of rickets in pigs. Stop feeding corn and substitute slop of middlings, ground screened oats, flaxseed meal and milk and add one ounce of lime water to the quart of slop or give a dram of precipitated phosphate of lime in feed twice daily.

If worms are seen in the droppings give sulphate of iron in the slop for five mornings in succession at the rate of one dram for each 100 pounds of pigs and if necessary repeat the treatment in a couple of weeks.

Weak Germs Won't Hatch.

Simply because an egg is fertile is no guaranty that it will hatch out a chick. Weak germs cannot hatch, and this weakness due to the hen's poor condition, may cause the chick to die in the shell. A hen may be in good condition today and in a bad state tomorrow.

Back to Broadway

By George Randolph Chester

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The mere fact that he was a many times millionaire and owned or controlled enough railroads to string almost twice across the continent did not help the far-famed E. H. Cash one bit in the present juncture. Indeed, his illustrious name was much more likely, if he ventured to use it, to get him into trouble than to aid him.

Impossible as it may seem, the illustrious ringmaster of the financial circus was without a cent, in a strange city, a distressingly immense distance from New York, and with absolutely no prospect of getting money unless he should earn it by manual labor, like any other homeless and penniless wanderer. Such an absurd condition was his own fault entirely, and due to two causes: his tremendous business energy and his equally notable personal carelessness.

Mr. Cash was supposed to have started upon a summer cruise in northern waters, and had ostensibly cut the cables from all his business affairs. At Quebec, however, some newspapers had been brought aboard, and in one of them he found an obscure four-line item which made him change his plans in a hurry.

"I am afraid I'll have to apply for a week's shore leave," he explained to his guests, a "stag" crowd. "You fellows don't need any help in entertaining yourselves, for you never get away from the poker table anyhow except to eat and sleep. You own the Petrel till I get back. Just lazy around wherever you like, and pick me up here a week from Monday morning, if you will."

As he hastily threw some necessities into a traveling bag, he noted that he needed a shave, but there was no time for it now. He had almost literally "jumped" into a plain traveling suit, and did not even stop to put on his watch. He found that he had enough cash on hand to pay for his transportation, berth and meals en route, and beyond that he had no worry, for his checkbook and papers were in his traveling bag.

Ashore, he caught his train with but brief minutes to spare, and was so absorbed in the deal he meant to put through that he was a hundred miles on his way before he missed his luggage, finding in place of it only the uncomfortable reflection that throughout his long 30-hour ride he would be deprived of a shave and clean linen.

He was not one given to worry, however, and when he had his final brushing up at his destination he mechanically handed a dollar to the porter, but after he had left the train he found to his dismay that he had only one solitary ten-cent piece in his pocket.

Five cents of that he used in car fare to the office of the man he had so hastily come all this distance to see, and the other five cents he used in riding back downtown. His man had been called from the city that morning, and would not be back for a week or more! Preoccupied with vexation, he walked into the nearest big hotel and scrawled his signature upon the register.

The clerk hesitated a moment, though merely out of habitual courtesy.

"Your luggage has not arrived yet, Mister Cash?" he stumbled puzzling over the register.

Mr. Cash smiled grimly and rubbed his unshaven chin.

"Lost en route," he replied.

"Very unfortunate," commented the clerk with rather a cold expression, his eyes resting casually upon the unshaven face and soiled linen. "The rules of the house, of course, require payment in advance."

The prospective guest frowned a bit haughtily.

"Cash is my name," he observed. "E. H. Cash—of New York."

"Quite so," agreed the clerk, still more coldly. "Some relation of the famous railroad operator, no doubt."

"I am that Cash," announced the other with a trace of anger, resenting the implied sneer.

"Wake up!" admonished the clerk, throwing off all his suavity. "You are asleep under the deck-awning of your yacht, the Petrel, Mr. Cash. You just steamed away from Quebec yesterday morning, bound for the Labrador coast, and are only dreaming that you are here." And before Mr. Cash's eyes he thrust a folded newspaper that had been lying at his elbow, pointing sternly to a paragraph.

"Yes, that was to have been true," said Cash, recognizing the reasonableness of the clerk's stand in the matter. "The yacht left there for a short cruise yesterday morning, with my friends aboard, but I took a run down here. I can tell you every man that was on the Petrel. There's Billy Edwards—"

"I know," the clerk interrupted him. "Here's the entire list of guests, which anybody could read. Now, drop it. In the first place, Cash has a mustache."

"The papers and their cartoonists are using the old photographs—they always do!" snapped Cash. "I have been without a mustache for over a year."

"Step out of the way!" snarled the clerk, pounding savagely upon a bell. "You're lucky I don't have you arrested."

Cash turned. The two or three men who had now come up behind him to register glared back at him in icy contempt, noting the unshaven face, the soiled collar and shirt front. For a moment he lost his poise, and a wild idea came to him of attempting to explain to these men. Even as the thought came, however, he realized the futility of it and walked out of the place, followed, too closely for comfort, by a broad shouldered porter. By the time he had gained the street he was fuming, but a blue-and-white sign a block away brought him back with a comfortable jerk, to practical affairs. The sign betokened the location of a telegraph office, and as a happy haven of refuge he hurried to it.

"Collect," he directed presently, handing in his telegram at the receiving window.

The girl in charge did not even glance at the telegram. She was looking at the man, at the unshaven face and the soiled collar.

"Are you located in the city?" she asked mechanically.

"No."

"Where are you stopping?"

"Nowhere as yet," he confessed, angry with himself that he felt a flush rising under the skin of his cheeks.

"We can send no telegrams for you collect without a deposit sufficient to insure payment," she advised him.

"Look at that telegram," he expostulated; "see to whom it is addressed, and by whom it is signed!"

Still without looking at it she shoved the yellow slip toward him.

"It don't make any difference who it is to or who it is from," she insisted. "I've got my orders." And she turned to the next customer.

He glared at her for a moment, but she remained entirely unaware of his existence, and, crumbling the telegram in his hand, he strode out with a set of emotions too varied and too much commingled to classify. An attempt at a near-by bank to draw upon his New York house of exchange came more nearly resulting in his arrest than any of the other experiments, and it was a very much stupefied man who trudged aimlessly up the street, as much a pauper in this city, where he could not think of a soul who knew him, as any tramp with whom he might brush elbows!

He turned into a dreary little park, where a few discouraged-looking trees fought to suck life from the stern gravel in which they were rooted. It was a most unattractive place, and the only thing that drew him unconsciously into it was the fact that here were benches upon which he might rest without being expected to pay for anything. He was tired and hot, and, appalling fact! hungry; moreover, he noted with aversion that every lounger upon every bench bore the same attitude of hopeless dejection as himself. He had a bad quarter of an hour, in which a great many of his impressions of the corresponding relations of human beings to each other underwent a radical change. For one thing, he began to estimate his actual value, considered merely as two hands and a brain, if thrown upon the immediate market, for it looked as if the great railroad king would have to hunt a job at unskilled labor.

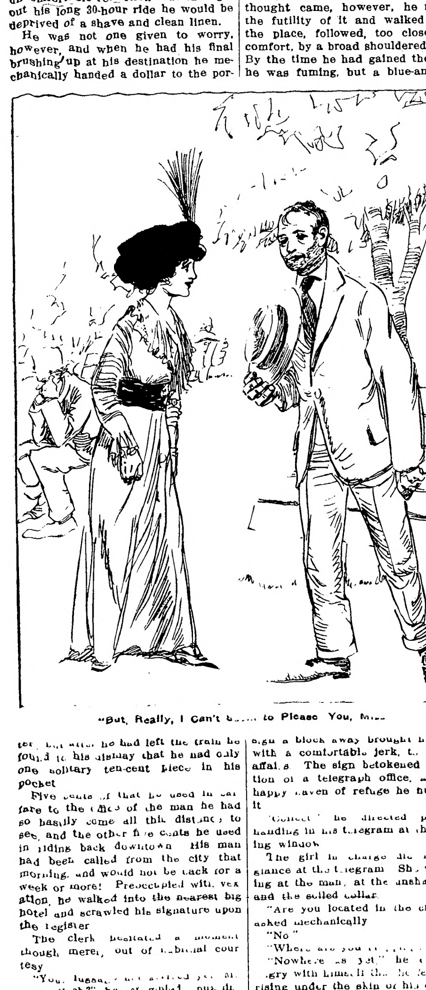
As he sat dejectedly humped over, his elbows upon his knees and his hands clasped idly together, he noticed that a brown skirt—with a draggled bit of braid at the bottom—that twice had slowly passed him, now stopped directly in front of him. Naturally he glanced up and found a very good-looking girl gazing fixedly down at him. The moment she met his eyes her face lighted with a smile of delight, and she came toward him.

"I just knew it was Mr. Cash," she began vivaciously. "My! this is a long way from Broadway, isn't it?"

No sound had ever rung more agreeably in his ears than his own name pronounced at this moment. For the last couple of hours that magic word had completely lost its power, and he began to realize how few people knew him after all. It was with a sense of positive gratitude that he answered this girl, whom he could not place, but whose face seemed pleasingly familiar.

"Indeed it is," he assented, rising and removing his hat. "I expect I am stupid, but really I cannot seem to place you, Miss—"

"Bessie Williams, but you don't know the name," she returned. "I used to manicure you in the Hotel Belveigh, don't you remember? You've had your mustache shaved off, but goodness! I'd know those hands with the mole on both little fingers if I found you down in Africa stained with walnut juice. I guess you'll think I've got a nerve for wedging in this way, but honest, anybody that was ever nice to me in little old New York looks like a long lost brother!"



"But, Really, I Can't [illegible] to Please You, Miss."

He remembered her perfectly now, and he smiled with amusement as he recalled her vivid personality. She was a girl who had struggled up from the most squalid section of the East side, and was noted on Broadway, not only for her own uncompromising rigidity of conduct, but for the number of other girls she had saved from "making fools of themselves." More especially, however, she was known for the picturesque slang which had clung to her as the only mark of her origin and for the originality with which she used it. In the present juncture he was surprised to find her suddenly hesitate and show a bit of embarrassment.

"I feel somewhat in the cold myself," he admitted, to put her at ease. "What brings you out here so far?"

"I'm my own lemon," she replied, recovering her vivacity at once and rattling on with the greatest sang froid, once she had plunged into the main topic. "Say, Mr. Cash, I'm going to be real open-faced with you about my troubles, because I know you don't make any mistakes in the dark and you don't keep the small change glued down. Every time I ever saw you there was a circle of tips rolling away from you in every direction, and once when a bell hop got his leg broke I saw you peel off a fifty before anybody could ask if he had a mother. It's this way with me. I'm so stony broke that a ten cent piece would look the size of the full moon coming up out of the water at Rockaway beach, and if you will just ship me back among the tall buildings I'll manicure the whole Cash family for a year!"

"I wish I could," he said sincerely, "but I haven't a penny upon which I can lay my hands. I'm as hard up as any loafer in this park."

"I beg your pardon," said Miss Williams with more dignity than he had expected to find in her. "I am very sorry that I made such a mistake." And she turned to go.

He could see that she was both hurt and mortified; that she had instantly come to the conclusion that he did not care to help her.

"Wait a minute," he called after her, his sympathies wonderfully quickened by his own disagreeable experience. "Come back here and sit down. I was perfectly honest when I said that I am in as much trouble as you are."

She was still incredulous, but he was so earnest in his insistence that she reluctantly came back and allowed him to seat her upon the bench beside him. He explained to her in careful detail precisely what had happened to him, and his unshaven face and soiled collar were sufficient corroboration. She laughed at his somberness when he had finished.

"Lovely!" she exclaimed with sparkling eyes. "For a minute I was afraid exchange had given me the wrong number, but I couldn't figure out how you'd joined the T. Wad family so quick. But now watch the blue trail of our gasoline. Come with your Aunt Bessie!"

She sprang to her feet and he arose uncertainly.

"Where are you going?" he asked.

"To beat it before the banks close," she exultantly replied. "Before three o'clock we'll be looking over an assorted collection of time-tables, and I won't owe you a cent for my fare to New York and a new outfit from plume to patent leathers. Now, don't ask me how I'm going to do it, or I'll giggle myself to death over how easy it is."

"If blind can lead blind I am very willing to be led," he laughingly observed as he caught step with her. "But you have not told me about your own troubles."

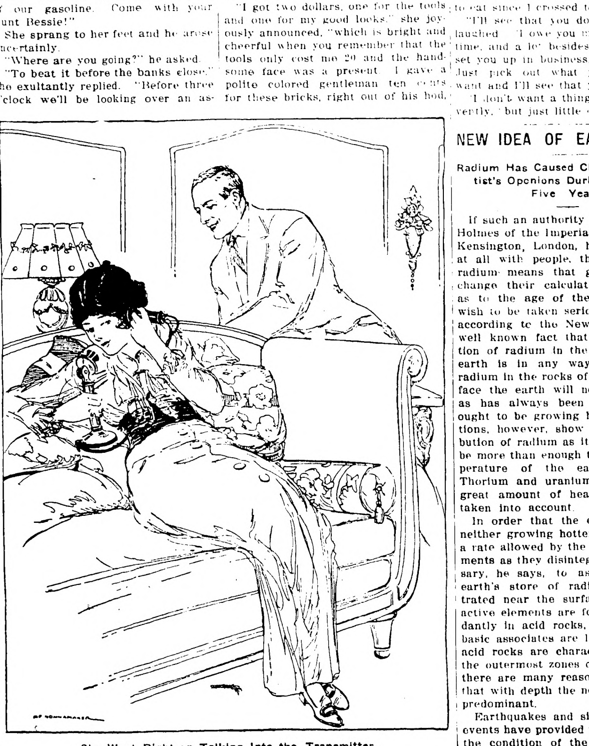
"Me!" she said with infinite disdain. "I fell a victim to my own fatal beauty and it gave me the brain storm all right. I dreamed I had a voice and a figure, and that if I just let the public know about them I'd have Patti forgotten and Melba retired on a pension. So I tried it and 'The Belle of Broadway Company' Number Forty-Two quit here. That's all. There's only seven people in this town with pink nails and there's 42 girls to look after them. If I'd send to mother for a cent she'd have to borrow a jimmy and a dark lantern to get it. If I'd send to the boss barber at the Belveigh I'd get money so quick the edges would be scorched off when it got here, but I'd have to marry Jimmy when I got back, and while starving would be quicker it wouldn't be so painful. And that starvation turn's no musical comedy either. I've got a dinky little two-by-two room paid for until tomorrow night, and then it would have been little me to somebody's kitchen with a half Nelson on a gas range. And I can't boil eggs."

They had crossed the little park by this time, and had stopped in front of one of those dingy looking houses that have the perpetual smell of mildew in the front hall. She ushered him into a dim parlor embellished with six pieces of ragged plush furniture and a collection of atrocious wax flowers on the mantel under a glass globe, and then she tripped upstairs to the third floor. In a moment she hurried back with her suit case and a bowl of water. She threw up a blind and placed the bowl on a little table beside the window.

"First of all, you've got to look the part, so dip in your hand," she directed him as she opened the suit case and produced her manicure set. She was silent only until she sat down. "When I get back to little old Broadway tomorrow night," she rattled on as she deftly and vigorously manicured him, "I'll promise never to go farther than four blocks away from the subway again as long as I live. I used to kick because I'd get called up to a room as sure as death, that the job would take an hour and a half, and that there'd be no tip to manicure some waspy woman with her hair on the table and her complexion on the dresser and her figure hanging up in a closet, and the rest of her beauty scattered on four chairs and the bed, but even that would be joy to me now. I've seen all of the country I want, and it's Bessie sit by the fire for me from this on! I'm willing to live the rest of my life with the 'L' trains rattling over my head; and when I die, if they'll just bury me any place on the Great White Way, I'll lie happy and still in my grave forever. Now you're done." A sour-visaged old lady had come to the door and glared at them, then walked away. "I don't owe her a cent, and she don't bite," observed the girl; "so just you sit here and look sassy till I get back."

She dried her manicure set and packed it in its roll of chamois and flannel and fine leather, put on her hat, and left him alone. In ten minutes she had returned, bearing a heavy package and jingling some coins in her hand.

"I got two dollars, one for the tools and one for my good looks," she joyously announced, "which is bright and cheerful when you remember that the tools only cost me 20 and the handsome face was a present. I gave a polite colored gentleman ten cents for these bricks, right out of his hod, so we've got a dollar-ninety to represent our capital."



She Went Right on Talking Into the Transmitter.

"Bricks!" he repeated with a wondering glance at the bundle. "What on earth do you want with those?"

"To put in the suit case, so it won't go straight up when a bell-hop grabs it," she replied. "There's nothing in there now but an old waist that I couldn't get a cent on. Just think! I was going to hock that nice, ready-money looking suit case the minute I got back to the room, if I hadn't met you! Now, you take this dollar-ninety. Right around the corner there's a ten cent barber shop and a gent's furnishing goods store right next door. You buy you one collar for 15 cents, one pair of cuffs for a quarter, one shave for ten cents, one shine for five cents, and a real extravagant looking 15 cent cigar, but don't light the cigar. Have you got a clean handkerchief?" Fortunately he had. "Give it to me. Now, you bring back the dollar thirty to spread around in tips, and hurry!"

When he returned, shaved and much refreshed, she had run a white thread through the hem of his handkerchief, and this she slipped up under his collar, tying it behind. So far as it was visible it looked like an immaculate white negligee shirt. She had him cut off his attached cuffs and don the clean ones.

"You look the part," she announced as she surveyed him with pride. "In a few jiffs I'll have a double extra sirloin for mine, please, but don't let me think about it or I'll faint."

Fifteen minutes later, his 15-cent cigar in fragrant evidence, he stood at the register of the best hotel in town, not the one to which he had gone before, but he did not sign himself "E. H. Cash." Instead he wrote:

O. H. Jones
Miss Gertrude Jones

"The two best suites you have," he ordered.

"Yes, sir, Mr. Jones," said the clerk deferentially, glancing at the respectable brick-laden suit-case. "Anything you want sent up?"

"A boy with some telegraph blanks and a waiter."

Presently there came down from him a telegram marked "prepaid," and to be charged upon his bill. It was addressed to Henry Cruse of Henry Cruse & Co., bankers, New York, and read like this:

"Here incog. Jiggers. [illegible] woolly. Wire $1,000 immediately to me as O. H. Jones, care Hotel Grace. Describe me but waive other identification."

The telegram was unsigned, but the private code words in the body of the telegram were better than a signature. Having sent the wire, Mr. Cash knocked at the door of Miss Williams' reception room.

"Come in," cried a cheerful voice, and he opened the door.

She was at the telephone, and her eyes were sparkling as she nodded to him, but she went right on talking into the transmitter.

"Yes, size 36; and I shall want a brunette traveling gown and a hat to match. Send over at least half a dozen for selection."

"Get a whole outfit!" he interjected as she repeated her address and hung up the receiver. "Get all the dresses you want. We take the same train out of here at seven o'clock this evening, and you shall have all afternoon to shop. Do you care to have lunch downstairs or up here, until you get better gowned?"

"Right here and right now," she replied. "You'd better have it sent up a little at a time, for fear I choke at first—but keep it coming for at least two hours. I haven't had enough to eat since I crossed to New Jersey."

"I'll see that you don't starve," he laughed. "I owe you meals for a long time, and a lot besides. I'm going to set you up in business, for one thing. Just pick out what you think you want and I'll see that you get it."

"I don't want a thing," she said fervently, "but just little old Broadway!"

NEW IDEA OF EARTH'S AGE

Radium Has Caused Change in Scientist's Opcnions During the Past Five Years.

If such an authority as Prof. Arthur Holmes of the Imperial college, South Kensington, London, has any weight at all with people, the discovery of radium means that geologists must change their calculations materially as to the age of the earth if they wish to be taken seriously. He says, according to the New Press, it is a well known fact that if the proportion of radium in the interior of the earth is in any way equal to the amount in the rocks of the earth's surface the earth will not grow colder, as has always been taught, but it ought to be growing hotter. Calculations, however, show that the distribution of radium as it is found would be more than enough to keep the temperature of the earth stationary. Thorium and uranium also supply a great amount of heat and must be taken into account.

In order that the earth should be neither growing hotter nor cooling at a rate allowed by the radio-active elements as they disintegrate it is necessary, he says, to assume that the earth's store of radium be concentrated near the surface. The radio-active elements are found most abundantly in acid rocks, and their more basic associates are less rich. These acid rocks are characteristic of only the outermost zones of the crust and there are many reasons for believing that with depth the nonacid rocks are predominant.

Earthquakes and similar terrestrial events have provided facts from which the condition of the earth's interior may be deduced with confidence. First, there is the crust zone, which has an approximate thickness of 30 miles. Then comes the stone zone, something under 100 miles thick, and, finally, the central iron core of the earth, with a density eight times greater than water. Meteorites contain radium, and Professors Strutt and Holmes say that these meteors contain the proof that no radium is found in the stone zone or inner core.

It is supposed that the earth began, of course, as a misty, nebulous mass and that it has become the great mass it is by the capture of meteors and greater masses floating in space during the ages. It is very unlikely that the earth was ever as a whole in a molten condition. It is surmised by several English savants that the internal heat probably arose in a great measure from the condensation of the mass as it grew.

The temperature would slowly rise until the fusion point of certain of the earth's constituents was reached. Then the pockets and tongues thus formed would tend to move away from the center, and the less heavy, stony substances would be squeezed outward relatively to a network of the heavier rigid metals.

Surrounding the metallic core a thick zone of sandy rocks would be formed and the radio-active materials would be concentrated in the stony layers. When the oceans and the atmospheres were produced the sediment rocks appeared for the first time, and then came the earth's crust with the rocks that contain most of the radium and other radio-active elements. Before the advent of radium geologists did not recognize the difficulties presented by the peculiar makeup of the earth's crust. Radium did not create this difficulty, but it certainly emphasized it in the attention of scientists.

It can hardly be said that radium has given a blank check on the bank of time for its discovery not only destroyed all the old measurements of the earth's heat but it necessitated a new method for getting at it. Every kind of radio-active mineral as well as radium may be regarded as a self-contained hour glass; the radio-active emanations such as helium and residues such as lead, slowly accumulate at the expense of their ultimate parent uranium.

The geologist who a few years ago was harrassed by the brevity of the time allowed to him for the evolution of the earth's crust, is now still more embarrassed by the overabundance of time that now confronts him. The recognition of radium means difficulties for the geologist and the absolute overthrow of ever acknowledged theory as to the earth's age and development. The age of the earth, according to what happens to be radium, varies from 5,000,000,000 to 3,000,000,000 years but what matters a few thousand million of years among geologists?

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MAN THEY WERE LOOKING FOR

Fortune Was Good to Youngsters Eager for the Delights of the Moving Picture Theater.

"Going in?" queried the small boy excitedly.

His question was put to the elderly pedestrian. Behind the boy came other boys, all peering eagerly into the pedestrian's puzzled face.

They hung to his footsteps until he found himself, a little further on, in the midst of a numerous crowd of youngsters. Each boy clamored for the pedestrian to accept a five-cent piece.

"What is all this?" demanded the pedestrian sharply.

"We are too young to go in alone," volunteered a ready spokesman. "If you will buy our tickets for us we can go in with you."

Then came a sudden light and the old man smiled broadly. He went to the ticket window of an adjacent moving-picture theater, where he paused to count faces.

"Nine tickets," he said.

"There is a law against children," objected the ticket man. "Are those little people with you?"

"They are," declared the old man. "Come on, boys—going in?"

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MINNESOTA STATE NEWS

DEMOCRATS PICK CONG. HAMMOND

CONFERENCE AT ST PAUL INDORSES ST. JAMES MAN FOR NOMINEE.

LAWLER TO STAY IN RACE

Friends Assert He Will Carry His Fight to State Primaries June 16—C. M. Andrist Out for Lieut. Governor.

St. Paul.—Congressman Winfield S. Hammond announces that he will heed the request of the Democratic state conference and become a candidate for governor. Charles M. Andrist, of Minneapolis, was indorsed for lieutenant governor.

Voted by Large Majority.

Hammond's indorsement was voted by the conference by an overwhelming vote, after the Lawler delegation from Hennepin had bolted, followed by part of the Ramsey delegation. The convention adopted the credentials committee report seating both the contending delegations from Hennepin, with half a vote each. The Lawler delegation refused to accept the verdict.

Friends of Dan W. Lawler, who is also a candidate for the nomination, bolted the conference and assert that they will carry the fight into the primaries June 16.

The Resolutions.

The resolutions praised the achievements of the national administration, declared opposition to intervention in Mexico, praised Hammond's work in congress, urged support of the initiative and referendum amendment to be submitted to the voters next fall, denounced Governor Eberhart's veto of the Nolan and Minnette bills and his attempt to create a public utilities commission, approved the constitutional amendment for a revolving fund for improvement of state lands, urged legislation for the employment of state convicts on public roads, opposed the use of the injunction in labor disputes and urged submission of a woman suffrage amendment.

The suffrage amendment declaration was later stricken out after a vote had been taken on it.

ORTONVILLE BUILDERS ACTIVE

The Operations This Season Will Surpass Those of Previous Years.

Ortonville.—Building operations in this city this season will surpass those of any of five previous years.

Two new banks have been organized, the Ortonville State bank and the First State bank, and work has commenced on the construction of a modern building to be occupied by the former. The organization of the two gives this city four financial institutions.

The contract for the sewerage system was let a short time ago and the work is being pushed to completion.

The plans for a $10,000 Carnegie library were submitted and arrangements are being made for its construction.

A splendid private hotel more especially for summer patronage, is being built on the lake front by Clarke Orton.

Fred [illegible] & Son have about completed the [illegible] of remodeling the creamery. At least fifteen dwelling houses will be erected.

SMALL BOYS TURN BANDITS

[illegible] Albert Lea Store and Are Captured—Sentence Is Suspended

[illegible] The p[illegible] [illegible] the Albert Lea Hardware company of nearly $60 in merchandise and $14 in [illegible] have been located. The robbers proved to be two school boys aged 11 and 14 years.

They went into the store just before closing time and secreted themselves under a counter until all employees had gone. Crawling out they robbed the cash register, gathered in what merchandise they wanted and made their escape. The boys, who were posing as "Diamond Dick" bandits, were arraigned before Judge Hammond, but promising to go to school regularly and furnish Chief of Police Sullivan with a written report each week for six months, their sentence of six months in the county jail was suspended.

Owatonna's Chief Resigns.

Owatonna.—G. G. Morehouse, [illegible] selected mayor when the saloons were voted out, appointed L. F. Fenner chief of police. However, the new chief resigned on Monday following a so-called mass meeting of the temperance faction. A second meeting was called but was cancelled after Fenner's resignation, which was accepted by the mayor. The recount which was the outcome of an effort by the liquor faction to make Owatonna a wet town again gave an additional vote for no license.

WILL STUDY HOG CHOLERA

JAMES J. HILL GIVES $50,000 TO FIGHT SWINE DISEASE.

Endowment Pledged to Rockefeller Institute to Swell Million Dollar Fund of Oil King.

St. Paul. — Science will now exert added efforts in its war on hog cholera by use of a $50,000 endowment pledged by James J. Hill to the Rockefeller institute for the study of hog cholera. Announcement of the donation is contained in dispatches from New York which state that Mr. Rockefeller himself has added $1,000,000 to the general fund which will be used exclusively for the investigation of animal diseases.

The endowment will mean a new departure in the field of the institute which has hitherto confined its studies to human diseases and biological sciences.

Mr. Hill's stipulation that his donation be used specifically for the investigation of hog cholera is timely by reason of the fact that the Northwest has suffered an estimated loss of $60,000,000 worth of swine last year because of cholera.

The hope that some similar method of rendering swine immune from cholera may be discovered by use of the Hill donation to Rockefeller institute was expressed by Dr. S. H. Ward, secretary of the state live stock sanitary board.

"The present method of treating hogs against cholera is very cumbersome. It is necessary to inject too much vaccine and this makes the treatment expensive. Also the preparation of the vaccine is cumbersome.

"The endowment by Mr. Hill if the use of it produces some more simplified method of producing vaccine and giving the treatment, will be a boon to the live stock industry of the country.

"Minnesota, with her tremendous loss due to hog cholera, can look with hope to any scientific investigations that promise much needed relief. The endowment by Mr. Hill at least gives this promise."

SHIP CROW WING COUNTY ORE

Nine Hundred Tons Per Day Being Loaded Directly Into Cars.

Brainerd.—The distinction of shipping the first ore from the Cuyuna iron rage in Crow Wing county will fall to the Rogers, Brown Ore company of Armour No. 2 mine near Ironton. Nine hundred tons of ore a day are being loaded directly into the cars.

The Kennedy mine of the Rogers, Brown Ore company at Cuyuna is expected to ship 300,000 tons this season. In the stockpile are 75,000 tons. As the pioneer producer of the range, the Kennedy has always mined and shipped a substantial tonnage each year.

The pit mines are getting active. At the Rowe pit mine at Riverton electrical machinery will be installed within a week. A steam shovel has been working all winter getting the ground in shape. As soon as warm weather comes the hydraulic plant will be placed in operation. The Pennington pit mine west of Ironton, and the Thompson pit mine of the Inland Steel company in Crosby, have steam shovels at work and crews of about 100 men each.

Now that the tonnage of the Cuyuna Mille Lacs and Cuyuna-Duluth Iron mines will be handled by an eastern furnace company, all being associated together in the American Manganese Manufacturing company, these two mines are assured of continuous activity and will do much to create prosperous times on the north range.

State Fair Program Changes.

[illegible]—Several distinct changes in the methods of conducting the speed program at the Minnesota state Fair this fall, supplemented by the usual liberal amount of purses, are certain, in the opinion of the Fair Board, to insure the best racing card ever scheduled on the Hamline track. A total of $[illegible]6,000 has been hung up by the management, to be divided among twenty harness and six running classes, a prize large enough to attract the best stables in America. Another concession is the new rule by which one half of the entrance money will be refunded on all starters which finish the race ahead of the flag but are outside of the money. In this way a fuller field is assured the race horseman. A special this year is to be the Saddle Horse Stake for a purse of $1,[illegible].

Files for State Senate.

St. Paul.—Three new candidates for the state senate filed with the secretary of state last week. [illegible] W. Smith of Sleepy Eye, a banker and member of the republican state committee, filed to succeed Frank Clague in the Brown-Redwood district. Senator Edward Rustad of Wheaton filed to succeed himself in the forty-sixth district which includes Grant, Stevens, Traverse and Big Stone counties. Alfred A. Haagenson of Barnesville filed in the forty-ninth district including Clay and Wilkin counties.

MINNEAPOLIS GETS BIG RESERVE BANK

FLOUR CITY IS CHOSEN REGIONAL CENTER FOR DISTRICT NUMBER NINE.

AREA INCLUDES SIX STATES

Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Part of Michigan Make Up Northwest Territory.

Minneapolis.—The Northwest will have a federal reserve bank, located in Minneapolis.

The federal reserve organization board announced its decision to have twelve banks, one of them to be located here.

The Minneapolis District.

The "Minneapolis district," designated as district No. 9, will comprise Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota and parts of Wisconsin and Michigan.

There are in this territory 687 national banks. The capital of the regional institution will be $4,702,864 to start.

This district has an area in square miles of 437,930; the population is 5,724,893.

Boundaries Prove Surprise.

The boundaries of the district proved a surprise. Numerous banks in Wisconsin will be included and all the national banks in northern Michigan.

P. M. Kerst, clearing house examiner for the twin city banks, has the indorsement of both the Minneapolis and St. Paul clearing houses for the position of federal reserve agent, and John H. Rich, Red Wing, is also being mentioned for the appointment as active manager of the bank.

It is thought the first thing the clearing house committee probably will do will be to send out ballots to all national banks in the district for nominations for the three places on the board that are to be filled by practical bankers.

Minneapolis Largest Contributor.

Minneapolis will represent the largest investment in the stock of the bank. The subscription that will be made by local banks under the law requiring that 6 per cent of capital and surplus be put into the stock of the new institution will be $837,000.

Ten men will probably be a sufficient number of employees to start the new Minneapolis reserve bank going and it is considered likely that it will be located in the Minneapolis federal building or in the old post-office. But should the federal reserve board decide to take over the work of collecting checks and of sending out currency to the country, it would mean that 25 to 40 men could be let out of the transit departments of each of the larger Minneapolis banks. In that event the federal reserve bank might shortly become an institution employing 200 to 300 men.

Indian Fighter Is Dead.

St. Paul.—George Laurent, 7[illegible], old, an Indian fighter who came to Minnesota sixty-two years ago, died here of infirmities, due to old age. Laurent styled himself "the last of the Indian fighters." He came to St. Paul with A. L. Larpenteur from St. Louis. The last stage of the journey from Galena was made aboard the old steamer Black Hawk. Unlike Mr. Larpenteur, Laurent followed the frontier West for several years and had a reputation for being one of the most fearless fighters in Colonel Cody's army.

Wealthy Minnesotan Ill.

Los Angeles, Calif., March 5.—Frederick Weyerhaeuser, Minnesota multimillionaire lumberman, ill at his winter home near Pasadena, was prostrated by a severe cold Wednesday. Signs of pneumonia were noted but his physician reports now that he is much improved. Some anxiety was felt for Mr. Weyerhaeuser on account of his advanced age, until the reassuring report came from the attending physician.

Mankato to Lay Concrete.

Mankato.—At a meeting of [illegible] council, the Widell company, of this city, of which Governor Eberhart is a member, was awarded the contract for paving fifteen blocks in the residence district with seven-inch concrete. This will be the first of this kind of pavement laid in the city. The Widell company's bid, $1.02 a square yard, was the lowest of half a dozen bids submitted.

Girl Blacks Thug's [illegible]

[illegible]—[illegible] a menacing [illegible] held in the hand of a masked highwayman had no terrors for Miss Rina Flattem and the bold fellow fled under a rain of highly athletic blows. Her answer to his demand for her money was met with a well directed short-arm jab. There was a desperate struggle for her purse. The robber got it but it cost him a black eye and he bears other marks by which the police hope to locate him. The purse contained $12, a pair of gloves and keepsakes.

TEMPERANCE NOTES

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

CHIEF FACTOR IN NATIONAL DEGENERACY.

A wave of degeneracy is sweeping the land, and its development threatens the physical vitality of the nation. Within a period of 50 years the population of the United States increased 330 per cent., while the number of insane and feeble-minded increased 950 per cent.

What is the cause of this degeneracy? A hundred different intermediate agencies may contribute to the undoing of the race, but back of them all stands alcohol as the chief degenerative factor. Statistics compiled by the leading insurance companies, and presented by Sir T. P. Whitaker in a report to the British parliament, show that out of every 1,000 deaths among the population at large, 440 are due to alcohol. This would mean a mortality from alcohol in the United States of 680,000 a year.

The great burden of drink is not borne by the drinker, but by the drinkers' children. In our studies among school children in New York city we find that 62 per cent. are the children of drinking parents, and that 91 per cent. of these children of drinking parents suffer from some functional or organic disease. If this percentage holds good over the entire country there are 13,000,000 children of a school age that are afflicted with functional and organic diseases, and less than two and a half millions of these are free from hereditary alcohol taint. A nation half diseased and half well cannot live, but here we show three-fifths of the rising generation mentally and physically diseased.—Dr. L. Alexander MacNicholl.

STRIKES FROM THE SHOULDER.

(From an Address of MORRIS SHEPPARD, Before the Texas Legislature After His Election as United States Senator.)

The liquor traffic is a peril to society because it undermines the health, the strength, and the integrity of man. It is a source of danger to posterity because the alcoholic taint foredooms the unborn millions to degeneracy and to disease. I shall oppose this scourge until my arm can strike no longer and my tongue can speak no more. I shall oppose it because I hear the cries of children who are hungering for bread. I shall oppose it because I see a mother's wasted face, her pale lips pleading with the besotted figure at her side. I shall oppose it because I see the staggering forms of men whose trembling hands hold but the ashes of their strength and pride. I shall oppose it because it mocks all manhood and makes of woman's virtue a commodity of the slums. I shall oppose it because I see its battle line outstretched across the globe, threatening the pure, the true, the good. I shall oppose it because its abolition will mean a new stability for the republic, a new radiance for the flag.

TROUBLE MAKER.

A Pittsburgh paper tells us that one person out of every 95 in Pennsylvania was behind prison bars in 1911. Out of 707 prisoners receiving penitentiary sentence 80 per cent. were drinkers. Out of 10,607 prisoners sentenced to serve time in jails and workhouses over 85 per cent. were drinkers. Out of 3,670 persons sentenced to the Allegheny workhouse in 1912, 92 per cent. were drinkers. Father Penn's children who are dependent wholly or in part for support upon the taxpayers outnumber the combined armies of Meade and Lee at Gettysburg in 1863. The vast majority of them are the victims of John Barleycorn. One person out of every 45 in Father Penn's dominion is dependent either as a lunatic, pauper or criminal."

The drink traffic produces criminals, paupers, dependents and undesirables generally. The state pays the bills. The twentieth century taxpayer is waking up to the situation. He—and she—is moving to "put the liquor business out of the government and the government out of the liquor business."

ONE EXCEPTION.

Legitimate industries favor[illegible] [illegible]fect each other. The liquor traffic unfavorably affects them all. The more it flourishes, the more they must decline. Its profits are taken from the merchant, and the manufacturers behind him; from the butcher, and the cattle raisers behind him; from the farmer, the miller, the baker, the builder, the shoemaker, the printer, the teamster, and the preacher. Every honest producer suffers from it. The country suffers from it. More than low tariff, or high tariff, or no tariff at all, it depreciates American industry.—A. A. Hopkins, Ph. D.

ALCOHOL AS ASHES.

In the production of al[illegible] the raw material is destroyed. Alcohol is not the outcome of a development or adaptation of food properties. It is the creature of destruction, obtainable only by the destruction of the natural properties of the subject. A log of wood may be developed, altered or adapted so as to produce a table or a case for an organ or piano. Put the log into the fire and all that will be left of it is ashes. So likewise alcohol is the ashes of the fruit, barley or corn.

WOMEN FROM 45 to 55 TESTIFY

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Westbrook, Me. — "I was passing through the Change of Life and had pains in my back and side and was so weak I could hardly do my housework. I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it has done me a lot of good. I will recommend your medicine to my friends and give you permission to publish my testimonial." — Mrs. LAWRENCE MARTIN, 12 King St., Westbrook, Maine.

Manston, Wis. — "At the Change of Life I suffered with pains in my back and loins until I could not stand. I also had night-sweats so that the sheets would be wet. I tried other medicine but got no relief. After taking one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I began to improve and I continued its use for six months. The pains left me, the night-sweats and hot flashes grew less, and in one year I was a different woman. I know I have to thank you for my continued good health ever since." — Mrs. M. J. BROWNELL, Manston, Wis.

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Haw-Haw!

City Guy—What kind of a dog do you call that?

Farmer—That's a huntin' setter.

City Guy—Whaddeya mean, huntin' setter?

Farmer—He hunts bones, and then sets and eats 'em.—Yale Record.

It is easy to distinguish cut glass from the other kind; the other kind is found on bargain counters.

Backache Warns You

Backache is one of Nature's warnings of kidney weakness. Kidney disease kills thousands every year.

Don't neglect a bad back. If your back is lame—if it hurts to stoop or lift—if there is irregularity of the secretions—suspect your kidneys. If you suffer headaches, dizziness and are tired, nervous and worn-out, you have further proof.

Use Doan's Kidney Pills, a fine remedy for bad backs and weak kidneys.

AN OKLAHOMA CASE

John T. Jones, 218 S. Pine St., Pauls Valley, Okla., says: "I was confined to bed for days with kidney trouble. I had terrible pains through my back and got dizzy and exhausted. The doctor prescribed for me, but nothing helped me. I had almost given up hope when a friend brought me a box of Doan's Kidney Pills. In three days they relieved me and four boxes made me well. I am today in the best of health."

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J. Keys arrived in the country 5 years ago from Denmark with very little means. He homesteaded, worked hard, is now the owner of 320 acres of land, in 1913 had a crop of 200 acres, which will realize him about $4,000. His wheat weighed 68 lbs. to the bushel and averaged over 35 bushels to the acre.

Thousands of similar instances might be related of the homesteaders in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The crop of 1913 was an abundant one everywhere in Western Canada.

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SYNOPSIS.

Francois Beaupre, a peasant babe of three years, after an amusing incident in which Marshal Ney figures, is made a Chevalier of France by the Emperor Napoleon, who prophesied that the boy might one day be a marshal of France under another Bonaparte. At the age of ten Francois visits General Baron Gaspard Gourgaud, who with Alixe, his seven-year-old daughter, lives at the Chateau. A soldier of the Empire under Napoleon he fires the boy's imagination with stories of his campaigns. The boy becomes a copyist for the general and learns of the friendship between the general and Marquis Zappi, who campaigned with the general under Napoleon. Marquis Zappi and his son, Pietro, arrive at the Chateau. The general agrees to care for the Marquis' son while the former goes to America. The Marquis asks Francois to be a friend of his son. The boy solemnly promises. Francois goes to the Chateau to live. Marquis Zappi dies leaving Pietro as a ward of the general. Alixe, Pietro and Francois meet a strange boy who proves to be Prince Louis Napoleon. Francois saves his life. The general discovers Francois loves Alixe, and extracts a promise from him that he will not interfere between the girl and Pietro. Francois goes to Italy as secretary to Pietro. Queen Hortense plans the escape of her son Louis Napoleon by disguising him and Marquis Zappi as her lackeys. Francois takes Marquis Zappi's place, who is ill, in the escape of Hortense and Louis. Dressed as Louis' brother Francois lures the Austrians from the hotel allowing the prince and his mother to escape. Francois is a prisoner of the Austrians for five years, in the castle owned by Pietro in Italy. He discovers in his guard one of Pietro's old family servants, and through him sends word to his friends of his plight. The general, Alixe and Pietro plans Francois' escape. Francois receives a note from Pietro explaining in detail how to escape from his prison. Alixe awaits him on horseback and leads him to his friends on board the American sailing vessel, the "Lovely Lucy." Francois, as a guest of Harry Hampton, on the "Lovely Lucy," goes to America to manage Pietro's estate in Virginia. Lucy Hampton falls in love with Francois.

CHAPTER XXIII.—Continued.

The female mind paid no attention to the disgression. Lucy had long ago, finally if unconsciously, put her father's personality into its right place.

"Father, is the prince really poor and alone in this country?"

"Poor—yes, I fancy—I am quite certain, in fact. Alone—that depends. The authorities of Norfolk received him with some distinction, the Herald states, but he is putting up at the inn—one would conclude that he was an invited guest at many of our great houses."

Lucy flew like a bird across to the fireplace. Her hands went up to either side of the colonel's face. "Father, quick! Have Thunder saddled, and ride in—quick, father—and bring the prince out here to stay with us. Give the order to Sambo, or I shall."

Colonel Hampton's eyes widened with surprise. "Why, but Lucy," he stammered. "Why—but why should I? What claim have we—"

"Oh, nonsense," and Lucy shook her head impatiently. "Who has more claim? Aren't we Virginians of the James river princes in our own country, too? Hasn't our family reigned in Roanoke longer than ever his reigned in Europe? Haven't we enough house room and servants to make him as comfortable as in a palace? But that isn't the most important. It is a shame to us all, father, that no one has invited him before, that a strange gentleman of high station should have to lodge at an inn. Why hasn't Cousin George Harrison asked him to Brandon? And the Carters at Shirley, and the people at Berkeley, what do they mean by not asking him? But we won't let Virginian hospitality be stained. We will ask him. You will ride to Norfolk at once, will you not, father dear?"

The touch on his cheek was pleasant to the vain and affectionate man, but the spirit of the girl's speech, the suggestion of the courtesy due from him as a reigning prince, to this other prince forlorn and exiled, this was pleasanter. He pursued his lips and smiled down.

"Out of the mouth of babes—" he remarked, and drew his brows together as if under stress of large machinery behind them. "My little girl, you have rather a sensible idea. I had overlooked before, that"—he cleared his throat and black Aaron, standing tray in hand across the room, jumped and rolled his eyes—"that," he continued, "a man of my importance has duties of hospitality, even to a foreigner who comes without introduction into the country."

"Aaron, tell Sambo to saddle Thunder," he ordered.

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Prince Louis, lounging at [illegible], looked at his visitor from between half-shut eyelids and measured him, soul and body. He considered the invitation for a silent moment. This was one of the great men of the country. The prince had already heard his name and the name of his historic home. It was well to have influential friends, more particularly as no letter awaited him as he had hoped from his uncle, Joseph Bonaparte, with the American introductions for which he had asked. A visit of a few days at this place of Roanoke could do no harm and might lead to good.

"I thank you very much, Monsieur le Colonel," he said gravely, yet graciously. "You are most good to desire that I visit you. I will do so with pleasure."

On they rode through the [illegible] [illegible] wind which [illegible] country [illegible] fitfully through its last winter a sap stirring already at the step of lively April on the threshold. The air was sharp, and nipped at the prince's fingers and toes, but it was exhilaration to be across a horse again, and the exile's spirit—the case-hardened heart of steel which failure and misfortune never broke till it broke forever at Sedan—grew buoyant. That "something about the outside of a horse which is good for the inside of a man" worked its subtle charm on this finished horseman and horse lover, and he was gently responsive as the colonel talked fluently on.

"Does it so happen, Monsieur le Colonel, that there is in these parts a Frenchman of—of instruction—a man whom I might use as a secretary? I shall have need tomorrow to write letters. Would you know of such a man, Monsieur le Colonel?"

Nothing pleased Monsieur le Colonel more than to be master of the situation. "Most certainly," he answered blandly and felt that the prince must notice how no demand could find Colonel Hampton at a loss. "Most certainly. My daughter's French master would be the very fellow. He is intelligent and well educated, and what is more, he is a most ardent adherent of your family, prince. He has talked to Miss Hampton with such a vehement enthusiasm that, by the Lord Harry, I believe she expects to see you fly in with wings, sir—I believe she does," and the colonel laughed loudly and heartily. It was as good a joke as he had ever made.

And before them, at that moment, rose a stately picture. A large old house, built of dark red brick brought from England, towered suddenly from out of the bare trees of its park like a monument of calm hospitality. Its steep roof was set with dormer windows; its copings and its casements were white stone; a white stone terrace stretched before it. At one front, as they came, was the carriage entrance, and the squares of a formal English garden, walled with box hedges, lay sleeping before the springtime; at the opposite side a wide lawn fell to a massive brick wall, spaced with stone pillars, guarding the grounds from the flowing of the James river. Colonel Hampton gazed at the home of his people and then at his guest, and he cast the harness of his smallnesses and stood out in the simple and large cordiality which is the heritage above others of southern people.

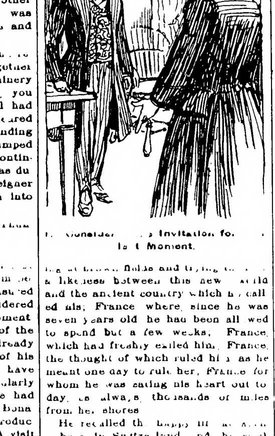
"Your are welcome to Roanoke, prince," he said.

CHAPTER XXIV.

Brothers.

Colonel Hampton's study was dark from floor to ceiling with brown oak wainscoting and was lightened by a dull brightness of portraits. An ancestor in a scarlet coat, the red turned yellow and brown with time, an ancestress in dimmed glory of blue satin and lace and pearls; a judge in his wig and gown, gave the small room importance. A broad window looked through bare branches, lacy black against sky, across a rolling country and groups of woodland.

On the morning of the first day of April, 1837, Prince Louis Napoleon Bonaparte stood at this window, staring at brown fields and trying to [illegible] a likeness between this new world and the ancient country which he called his; France, where, since he was seven years old he had been allowed to spend but a few weeks; France, which had freshly exiled him; France, the thought of which ruled him as he meant one day to rule her; France for whom he was eating his heart out today, as always, thousands of miles from her shores.



[illegible] Considers [illegible] Invitation for [illegible] Moment.

He recalled the happy life at Arenenberg in Switzerland, and the work and play and soldierly training which all pointed in the boy's mind to one end—to serve France—a service which did not at that time mean sovereignty, for the Duke of Reichstadt, Napoleon's son, was alive and the head of the house of Bonaparte. He thought of his short career in [illegible] and his well beloved brother's together with the Italian insurgents against the Austrians, and the lonely man's heart longed for his own people as he went over again that time of excitement and sorrow, ending with the older boy's death at Forli and his own illness and narrow escape from capture.

"What a mother!" he cried aloud, tossing up his hands with French demonstrativeness, as the memory came to him of the days in Ancona when he lay at death's door, hidden in the very room next that of the Austrian general, saved only at last by the marvelous mother's wit and courage. The journey through Italy to France, that was drama enough for one life. Recognized at every turn, betrayed never, and ending with—Prince Louis smiled his slow dim smile—a fitting ending indeed to days whose every minute was adventure. He thought of the landlord of the inn, the old cavalryman; the young Frenchman—Beaupre—that was the name; it was set in his memory; had been in that tenacious memory since an afternoon of 1824, when a runaway schoolboy prince had slipped over the Jura, and played with three other children, about a ruined castle; he saw Francois Beaupre take reverently in his hand the sword which Napoleon had held—and then the alarm! That was a fine sight—the dash of the youngster through the startled mob of Austrians; the flying leap to the horse; the skirmish to get free, and, at last, the rush of the chase. He had seen it all, watching quietly while his mother and the landlord implored him to hide himself. That young Frenchman—if he should be alive—if ever he should meet him again Prince Louis would not forget. It was psychological that he should have been thinking this when a knock sounded deferentially on the door of the room. But picturesque coincidences happen in lives as well as on the stage; in Louis Napoleon's there was more than one. "Entrez!" he called sharply, and then, "Come in!"

The door swung slowly and Aaron, white-aproned and white-eyeballed, stood in it.

"Marse Prince," he stated with a dignity of service which crowned heads could not daunt, "ole Marse sen' me bring you dis hyer Marse Bopray."

A light figure stepped before the black and white of Aaron, and halted, and bowed profoundly. The light from the window shone on his face and the dark immense eyes that lifted toward Prince Louis, and for a moment he stared, puzzled. Was he in the present? Surely this man was part of the past which he had been reviewing. Surely he had played a role in the prince's history—where? With a flashing thought into the years he knew.

"Mon ami!" cried Louis Bonaparte, and sprang forward and stretched out both hands, his royalty forgotten in the delight of seeing a face which recalled his youth and his mother.

Francois, two minutes later, found himself standing, bursting with loyalty and pride, with the prince's hands clasping his, and the prince's transformed face beaming on him.

"You rode like the devil," said the prince. "But the Austrians had the horses. That poor Bleu-bleu! How did you get away? Where have you been? Mon Dieu, but we looked for you, Zappi and I!"

"But no, your highness, I did not get away," smiled Francois Beaupre as if imparting a joyful bit of news. "They caught me."

And he told briefly his story of the five years in prison, of the desperate escape, of the rescue and voyage to America, of his wrecked health, not yet re-established. Through the account shone the unconquerable French gaiety. Another thing there was which a Frenchman and a Bonaparte could not fail to see, that the thought of his service to the house of Bonaparte had been a sustaining pride, and the hope of future service an inspiring hope.

Superstition and gratitude laid hold together on the prince's troubled mind. He threw himself back into Colonel Hampton's leather arm chair, throne-like in impressiveness and size, the mask of impassivity closed on his colorless features.

"Sit there, Monsieur," he ordered, "and tell me your life."

Simply yet dramatically, as was his gift, the young man went over the tale which he had told to Lucy Hampton, that and more. And the prince listened to every word. He, too, had the French sensitiveness to theatrical effect and his overwrought imagination seemed to see the hand of destiny visibly joining this story to his. Here was a legacy from Napoleon, an instrument created by his uncle which he, the heir, should use. There was a long silence when Francois had finished and Louis' deep-pitched voice broke it.

"'One day, perhaps a marshal of France under another Bonaparte,'" he repeated thoughtfully. "It was the accolade, the old right of royalty," and gazed as if reflecting at the other man's face.

Heightened color told how much it meant to Francois Beaupre to hear those words spoken by the prince.

"My prince, I will tell you, though it may be of little moment to know that it is not for my own advancement that I care. It is the truth that I would throw away a hundred lives if I had them to see the house of Bonaparte rule France. It is only so, I believe, that France can become great once more. We need heroes to lead us, we Frenchmen, not shopkeeper kings such as Louis Phillippe; if it has not a hero the nation loses courage and its interest in national life. But the very name of Napoleon is inspiration. It pricks the blood, a monarch of that name on France's throne and our country will wake with life. You, my prince, are the hope of the house of Napoleon."

With a quick step forward he threw himself on his knees before the quiet figure in the throne-like chair; he seized the prince's hand and, head bent, kissed it with passion. There was a line of color in each cheek as his face lifted, and his brilliant look was shot with a tear.

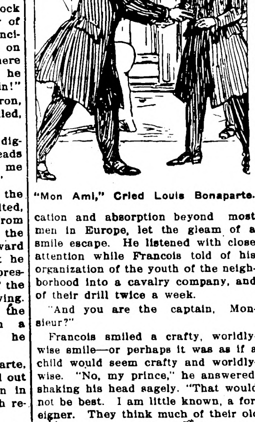
"If I may die believing that I have helped to win your throne, I shall die in happiness."

Prince Louis had his mother's warm heart, and this went to it. He put his hand on the other's shoulder, familiarly as if the two were equals, kinsmen.

The brotherly touch on Francois' shoulder was withdrawn, and with gentle dignity, with a glance, the prince lifted him to his feet, and Francois stood happy, dazed, before him. He found himself telling his plans, his methods, his efforts to fit himself for the usefulness that might be on the way.

"I have studied enormously, my prince. All known books on warlike subjects, all I could borrow or steal I have studied. Ah, yes! I know much of these things."

Louis Bonaparte, with an exhaustive military education, a power of application and absorption beyond most men in Europe, let the gleam of a smile escape. He listened with close attention while Francois told of his organization of the youth of the neighborhood into a cavalry company, and of their drill twice a week.



"Mon Ami," Cried Louis Bonaparte.

"And you are the captain, Monsieur?"

Francois smiled a crafty, worldly-wise smile—or perhaps it was as if a child would seem crafty and worldly-wise. "No, my prince," he answered, shaking his head sagely. "That would not be best. I am little known, a foreigner. They think much of their old families, the people of these parts. So that it is better for the success of the company that the captain should be of the nobility of the country. One sees that. So the captain of the company is Monsieur Henry Hampton, the younger, the kinsman of Monsieur le Colonel, and a young man of great goodness, and the best of friends to me. Everything that I can do for his pleasure is my own pleasure."

The prince turned his expressionless gaze on the animated face. "Mademoiselle Lucy likes the young monsieur?"

"But yes, my prince, she likes every one, Mademoiselle Lucy. It is sunshine, her kindness, it falls everywhere and blesses where it falls. She loves Henry as a brother."

"As a brother!" the prince repeated consideringly. "Yes, a brother. You find Mademoiselle Lucy of—of a kind disposition."

"Beyond words and most charming," Francois answered steadily and flushed a little. He felt himself being probed. With that the facile mysterious, keen mind of the prince leaped it seemed a world wide chasm. "That most winning little girl of the ruined chateau of Vicques, our playmate Alixe—you remember how she stated, 'I am Alixe,' and was at once shipwrecked with embarrassment?"

"I remember," Francois said steadily, and was conscious that he breathed quickly and that his throat was dry and that the prince knew of both troubles.

"Is she still Alixe, the same Alixe?" inquired the prince, turning ostentatiously to the window. "Has she grown up as sweet and fresh and brilliant a flower as the rosebud promised?"

Francois, hearing his own heart beat, attempted to answer in a particularly casual manner, which is a difficult and sophisticated trick. He failed at it. "They say—I think she has—oh, but yes, and I think—he—" stammered, and the prince cut short his sufferings. "Ah yes. I see that it is with you as with Monsieur Henry, a case of devoted brotherhood. You love her as a brother, you will not boast of her."

"You have done well, Chevalier Beaupre. You have done well that when the time is ripe again—it will not be long for Strasburg must be wiped out in success—that I shall send for you to help me and I shall know that you will be ready. I see that the star which leads us both is the only light which shines for you. It holds your undivided soul. [illegible] I am right?"

Francois turned his [illegible] [illegible] face toward the [illegible] [illegible] with a feeling which swept over him, for a moment he did not answer. Then he spoke in a low tone.

"When a knight of the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to [illegible]," he said, "he wore on his helmet the badge of his lady, and carried the thought of her in his heart. A man fights better so."

And the silent prince understood.

CHAPTER XXV.

How Lucy Told.

The prince was gone. There had been festivities and formalities, great dinners, gatherings of the Virginia nobility to do honor to his highness at Roanoke house and elsewhere; everywhere the Chevalier Beaupre had been distinguished by his highness' most marked favor. And Lucy Hampton's eyes had shone with quiet delight to see it and to see the effect on her father. For the colonel, confused in his mind as to how it might be true, reluctantly acknowledged that there must be something of importance about this Chevalier Beaupre, that a prince should treat him as a brother. He believed that it would be best to treat him—he also—at least as a gentleman. So the French lessons were continued and the Jefferson troop was encouraged, and Francois was asked often to Roanoke house. And as the months rolled on he tried with every thoughtful and considerate effort to express to the little lady of the manor his gratitude for the goodness of her family. It troubled him more than a little that the early friendliness and intimacy of Harry Hampton seemed to be wearing off. The boy did not come so often to Carnifax, and when he came he did not stay for hours, for days sometimes, as was his way at first. He was uneasy with his friend, and his friend wondered and did not understand, but hesitated to push a way into the lad's heart. "He will tell me in time," thought Francois, and, sure of his own innocence, waited for the time.

Meantime he was going home. Going, much against the advice of the Norfolk doctor, who warned him that he was not yet well or strong, that the out-of-door life in the mild Virginia climate should be continued perhaps for two years more, before he went back to the agitation and effort of a Bonapartist agent in France. But he could not wait; he must see his old home, his mother, his father, and all the unforgotten faces. He longed to watch the black lashes curl upward from the blue of Alixe's eyes. He longed to hear her clear voice with its boyish note of courage. It would put new life into him, that voice. It was seven years now and more since he had left them all at a day's notice to go to Pietro in Italy—to a living death of five years, to many undreamed of happenings. The fever was on him and he must go home.

There was to be a celebration for the new and very fashionable cavalry troop of which Francois was the unofficial backbone and author. In the great grassy paddock at Bayly's Folly the proud mother of eighteen-year-old Caperton Bayly—first lieutenant, and the most finished horseman in the Virginia country—had invited the gentry from miles about to feast with her and to watch her son and his friends show how the Chevalier Beaupre had made them into soldiers. They came in shoals, driving from far off over bad roads in big lurching chariots, or riding in gay companies, mostly of older men and girls and young boys, because all of the gilded youth were in the ranks that day.

When the drill was over there was to be rough riding and jumping. Hurdles were swiftly dragged out and placed in a manner of ring.

"This one is very close to the bank," said Lucy Hampton, standing by Bluebird and watching as the negroes placed the bars. "If a horse refused and turned sharp and was foolish he might go over. And the bank is steep."

"Lucy, you are a grandmotherly person," Clifford Stewart, who was another girl, threw at her. "You would like them all to ride in wadded wool dressing gowns, and to have a wall padded with cotton batting to guard them." And Lucy smiled and believed herself overcautious.

The excited horses came dancing up to the barriers and lifted and were over with or without rapping, but not one, for the first round, refusing. Then the bars were raised six inches. Six inches in midair is a large space when one must jump it. Caperton Bayly went at it first, his mother watched breathless as he flew forward sitting erect, intense, his young eyes gleaming. Over went his great horse Traveler and over the next and the next, all of them, but the white heels had struck the top bar twice; the beautiful, spirited performance was not perfect. Harry Hampton came next, all of the kindly multitude gazed eagerly, hoping that the boy to whom life had given less than the others might win this honor he wanted. The first bars without rapping, the second, and a suppressed sound of satisfaction which might soon be a great roar of pleasure hummed over the field. Black Hawk came running, snorting, pulling up to the third jump, the jump where Lucy stood. And as he came a little girl high in a carriage, a chariot as one said then, flourished her scarlet parasol in the air and lost hold of it, and it flew like a huge red bird into the course close to the hurdle. And Black Hawk, strung to the highest point of his thoroughbred nerves, saw and a horror of the flaming living thing as it seemed caught him and he swerved at the bar and bolted straight for the steep slope.

A gasp went up from all the three or four hundred people; the boy was dashing to death, no one stirred; every muscle was rigid, the spectators were paralyzed. Not all. Francois from his babyhood had known how to think quickly, and these boys were his pride and his care; he had thought of that possible danger which Lucy had foreseen, when the jumping began, mounted on his mare Aquarelle, he was posted near the head of the slope, not twenty yards from the hurdle, to be at hand in any contingency.

When Harry's horse bolted, one touch put Aquarelle into motion. Like a line of brown light she dashed at right angles to the runaway—a line drawn to intercept the line of Black Hawk's flight. There was silence over the field—one second—two seconds—the lines shot to the angle—then it came—the shock they awaited.

Black Hawk, rushing, saw the other coming and swerved at the last moment—too late. The animals collided, not with full force, yet for a moment it looked like nothing but death for riders and mounts. Harry Hampton was thrown backward to the level field. Black Hawk galloped off, frantic and unhurt, across it; Aquarelle, one saw, lay on the very edge of the drop and was scrambling to her feet with liveliness enough to assure her safety; of Francois there was no sign. In half a minute the breathless still crowd was in an uproar, and a hundred men were jostling one another to reach the scene of the accident.

It was two minutes, perhaps, before Caperton Bayly, with a negro boy at his heels, with Jack Littleton and Harry Wise and a dozen other lads racing back of him, had plunged over the drop of land where Francois had disappeared. Two minutes are enough sometimes for a large event. In that two minutes Lucy Hampton, without conscious volition, by an instinct as simple and imperative as a bird's instinct to shield her young, had slipped from her horse Bluebird and flown across the level and down over the steep bank till she found herself holding Francois' dark head in her arms and heard her own voice saying words she had never said even to herself.

"I love you, I love you," she said, and if all the world heard she did not know or care. There was no world for her at that minute but the man lying with his head against her heart—dead it might be, but dead or alive, dearest. "I love you—love you—love you," she repeated, as if the soul were rushing out of her in the words.

With that the luminous great eyes opened, and Francois was looking at her, and she knew that he had heard. And then the training of a lifetime, of centuries, flooded back into her, and womanly reticence and maidenly shame and the feelings and attitude which are not primeval, as she had been primeval for that one mad moment. She drew back as she felt him trying to lift himself, and left him free and was on her feet, and then with a shock she was aware of another presence; turning she looked up into the angry glow of her cousin's eyes. He was not looking at her, but at the man who, dazed, hurt, was trying painfully to pull himself up. Harry Hampton glared at him.

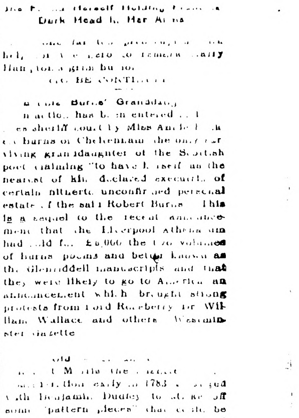
"We will settle this later," he brought out through his teeth. "I hope I can kill you." And Lucy cried out:

"Shame!" she cried. "He has just saved your life!"

"Damn him!" said Harry Hampton. "I do not want my life at his hands. I hate him more for saving me. Damn him!"

And Francois, clutching at a bush, things reeling about him unsteadily, looked up, friendly, wistful, at the boy cursing him.

With that there was an influx of population, the whole world, apparently tumbled down the steep bank,



[illegible] Herself Holding Francois' Dark Head in Her Arms

[illegible] far too preoccupied [illegible] [illegible] to remark Harry Hampton's grim humor.

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[illegible] Burns' Granddaughter.

An action has been entered in the [illegible] sheriff court by Miss Annie [illegible] Burns of Cheltenham, the only surviving granddaughter of the Scottish poet, claiming "to have herself as the nearest of kin declared executrix of certain hitherto unconfirmed personal estate of the said Robert Burns." This is a sequel to the recent announcement that the Liverpool Athenaeum had sold for £[illegible],000 the two volumes of Burns poems and better known as the Glenriddell manuscripts and that they were likely to go to America, an announcement which brought strong protests from Lord Rosebery, Sir William Wallace and others.—Westminster Gazette.

Old [illegible] [illegible].

Robert Morris, the financier of the revolution, early in 1783 arranged with Benjamin Dudley to strike off some "pattern pieces" that could be placed before congress. On April 2 Dudley delivered to Morris some pieces which were in reality the first coin struck having the name "United States coin." The particular specimens are known to numismatists as the "Nova Constellatio Patterns." They were of silver and denominated the "mark" and "quint." The first coins struck by the United States mint were some half dimes, in 1792.

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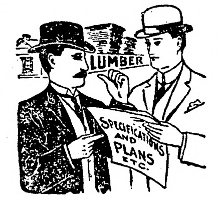

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Additional Locals

Rogna Larson and Edna Risberg left for Thief River Falls, after spending Easter Vacation to resume their school work.

Miss. Annie Erickson was an over Sunday visitor at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Carlson of Arggle is now visiting her Cousins Risbergs and Johnsons at Holt for a few days,

Mrs. Alex Strom of T. R. Falls is visiting her parents Risbergs of Holt for a couple of days.

Mr. Frank Tabor was in Holt last Monday, shaking hands with his friends, he came from Grygla where he has put in one hundred and eight days cooking in a saw mill camp. He says Grygla is "alright, but uothing like Holt." He will now rest up for couple of weeks and than start out with his new well drilling machine with Clarence Christianson in company.

GOLDEN VALLEV MURMURS

To Late For Last Week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Larson spent Sunday at the parental home.

Mr. John Mundhenke and Melvin Olson was out to Eckvoll on officia business Monday.

Mr. Chas. Homgren went to Thief River Falls Saturday and from there they are going to Warren to consult Dr. Bratrud in regards to his wife's health.

Groner and Johnson held their sale last Wednesday, in spite of the bad weather and road there was a larg attendence and every body went home rejoicing.

Groners farwell party held last Saturday night at A. S. Bernsteins was well attended and a good time was ejoyed by all.

Squire Bergum brought two graded Holstien milch cows from the Bergum farm and they brought a good price.

Elmer Odie purchased a line cow at the sale; looks conspicious.

ROLLIS

The contract for cutting right of way at the end of lateial 8 has been let to Mress. Bell, Nichols and Ryan. The work is almost combleted and when finished will be a boom to a number in that district bringing Holt 1 1-2 to 2 miles nearer to quite a few. "Bear it in mind"

John Lang was a business visitor to Holt and Middle River during the week. He intends staying permanently on his claim now. He is a capable farmer and the district needs him.

Charles Thompson is busy hauling grain, he has bought a number of cows lately and has now quite a nice dairy herd, stay with it charlie.

Easter Contata

By Rev. A. B Roseland and a choir of Twenty-four voices at the Holt Church. Monday evening, April 13 at 7:30 o'clock. The musical treat of the year. Admission 15 and 25c Everybody Welcome.

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HOLT, MINN.

Notice For Publication.

Department of The Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., March 5, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Anton Rodahl, of Holt, Minn., who, on Jan. 31, 1911, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05539, for S ½ NE¼, N ½ SE ¼ Section 35, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 14th day of April, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Ole O. Garthus, Nels Gudvangen, Albert C. Jahr, George C. Anderson all of Holt Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
March 30th. 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Arne Nilson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on December 13th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, 07025, for NE¼ SE¼, Section 5, Township 155 N. Range 42 W. 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 4th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas Olson, of Holt Minnesota. Alfred O. Hanson of Holt, Minnesota. Edward Hanson of Holt, Minnesota. Nils Sordal, of Holt, Minnesota.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
Apr. 8. 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence Larson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Febuary 24th, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05105, for SE¼, Section 15 Township 155 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Bernard Larson, Elmer Odie, Charles A. Holmgren, Obert W. Odie, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

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STATEMENT

Of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., required by Act of August 24, 1912, of The Holt Weekly News, Successor to "The Northern Light" published weekly at Holt, Minnesota.

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Holt Publishishing Company Holt, Minn.

Known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders, holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities: none.

—P. A. Risberg.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of March, 1914.

—B. Docken, Notary Public, Marshall Co., Minn. My commission expires November 15th, 1920.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
Apr. 8. 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Elmer Odie of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on Nov. 19, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05747, for N½ SW¼, Section 15, Township 156 N. Range 41 W. 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witness: Clarence Larson, Charles A. Holmgren, Bernard Larson, William Robertson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.
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Notice is hereby given that Charles A. Holmgren, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on December 24th, 1909, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05023, for NW¼, Section 15, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Obert W. Odie, Elmer Odie, Clarence Larson, Christ Norbeck, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1.44
Wheat	.78
Barley d	.34
Oats	.28
Rye	.43
Flour, Best Patent	2.55

Card Of Thanks

We hereby wish to extend our heartful thanks to our many friends and relatives showing their kindness during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father, Mr Frank Carlson, and we also wish to give our many thanks for all the pretty flowers. Mrs. Frank Carlson and Children, Alma, Oscar, Selma.

Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
March 5, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Olaus Rodahl, of Holt, Minn., who on Feb. 15, 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05855, for W ½ NW¼, W½ SW¼ Section 35, Township 156 N. Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 14th day of April, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Ole O. Garthus, Nels Gudvangen, Albert C. Jahr, George C. Anderson, all of Holt, Minn.

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Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
March 9, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John E. Boyson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on July 16th, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08286, for NE¼ NW¼, Section 27, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 1st day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Knutson, Carl Sormo, Sven Carlson, Clarence Knutson, all of Holt, Minn.

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Local Items

Bring us the news.

For Dr. F. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

C. Mastyl of Golden Valley was in Holt last Thurday on business.

Earl Paternt returned last Thursday from Dakota and went out to his claim near Golden Valley.

John Mundhenke of Golden Valley was in town last Thursday to attend to some business matters.

If you want a real bargain on shirts, come in to me, I am selling at cost and below, because I'm selling out my line in shirts. Shirts from 38c and up. R. Reirson. Adv.

Services will be held in the school house at Holt next Sunday at 11 o'clock by Rev. Larson of T. R. Falls Everybody Welcome.

Yes, that is the coffee, McFaddens Happy Day coffee. None better. Over two million packages sold every month, everybody is useing it. It's the best 35 and 40 cent coffee sold in America for 30 cents. Sold by R. Reierson, Holt, Minn., and Grive Bros. of Greenbush, Minn.

Christ Norbeck was in Holt last Thursday looking for three immigrants from Norway, but it appears that they were delayed in some way and did not arrive at the aqpointed time.

The HOLT REALTY CO. are doing a rushing business. If you want to sell see them, for real snaps they pay cash.
(adv.)

At the Commerical Club meeting held Tuesday evening initiative steps were taken to celebrate the fourth of July, at Holt, elaborate arrangements will be made to make it a grand celebration in every respect.

Yes, darling, go tell mother she does not have to send to Chicago for McFadden's Happy Day Coffee now. She can get at R. Reierson's Store, Holt, Minn. and June & Company, Strathcona, Minn.

We Should Worry.

Mud Lake boys got together Wednesday night April 8th and organized a Base Ball Team. Quite a few amateur players already signedup. Diamond will be skined just as soon as the frost goes out and practise will start.

Dance will be given at A. S Bernsteins's barn Saturday night April, 18th the proceeds for the benefit of the newly organized team for suits Every body Invited.

Good muise. We will try and show you a good time.

When you need a shave go to Huseth. When you need a hot cup of coffee go to Huseth. When you want to sweeten up go to Huseth. When you Want some fruit go to Huseth. When you want some soft drinks go to Huseth. In fact for anything in my line see me, and I'll treat you right.

Miss Lottie Ramstad and Mrs. J. Nelson of T. R. Falls visited with Dockens this week.

We have just received a supply of House and Floor Paint.
S. S. Kolden & Co.

Miss Dagny Bakke of T. R. Falls visited with Dockens last week.

The Holt State Bank is the place to pay your taxes

The Nazarets Young Peoples Society will neat at Fred Larson, Sunday April 19th at 2 o clock. All Welcome

The Free Mission Young Peoples Society will be at J. B. Alkenbrack Sunday evening Apr. 19 th. Everybody invited.

Helma Nyberg returned from Minneapolis last Thurday feeling considerable better, she says Minneapolis is alright but nothing like Holt.

When you are in need of any Hardware go to the Holt Mercantile Co. When you need fence wire go to the same place, when you need kerosene go the same place and when you need gasoline don't forget the Holt Mercantile Co. Adv

There has been more or less doubt about about getting patent to land obtained by proving up on tax title. It was said last Wednesday that the U. S. Land office at Crookston had received a lot of patent to this kind of Final Proof.

Gee, Mamma, where did you get this coffee? Why did you ask? Because it's the best coffee I ever tasted, why, that is McFadden's Happy Day coffee. Oh! that is the coffee I hear all the kids talking about at school McFadden's Happy Day Coffee their mother says it's the best coffee she ever used and it certainly is a dandy. Call for McFadden's Happy Day coffee and McFadden's Morning Blend Coffee at June & Co. Big Store at Strathcona, Minn A fancy china cup and saucer with each package of McFadden's morning coffee, also call for McFadden's morning Blend coffee at R Reierson's Store, Holt, Minn A nice china cup and saucer with each package, some packages has a sugar bowl, big meat plates, big covered potatoe dish and water pitcher All of the above coffees are for sale at R. Reierson's Store Holt Minn. June & Co., Big Store, Strathcona, Minn. Grive Bros. Greenbush, Minn. and Henry Jenings Big department Store, at Middle River, and at Thief River and all large cities.

The rumer is that the highway between Holt and Thief River Falls is to be graveled and made passable in all kinds of weather. If this is done there is no doubt that more will follow. It is needed and all should be interested in good roads

The Local Market

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Barley d	.34
Oats	.27
Rye	43
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ORDER OF ELECTROCUTIONS

Nothing to Indicate Any One of Them Confessed Before End, Although Rumor Perists "Dago Frank" Did.

BULLETIN.

Albany, N. Y.—Some of the gunmen are believed to confessed before they died. Superintendent John B. Riley, of the state prison department, said that statements would arrive here from Ossining which would show that "no injustice had been done by the executions." The statement was declared to implicate no one but the men who died Monday.

Ossining, N. Y., April 14. — Harry Horowitz, Louis Rosenberg, Frank Cirofici and Frank Seidenschner have paid the death penalty.

As the gunmen whose picturesque aliases were flung across the continent after the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, they died at dawn Monday in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison, convicted of that crime.

To relatives who bade them goodbye and to their spiritual advisers the four condemned men again declared their innocence and there is nothing to indicate that they did not deny their guilt until the end.

How They Were Dispatched.

"Dago Frank" (Frank Cirofici), was the first to die; Frank Seidenschner ("Whitey Lewis") came second, "Gyp the Blood" (Harry Horowitz) was third and "Lefty Louie" (Louis Rosenberg), last. In 40 minutes all four were dispatched. This time would have been shortened had it not been for the overcrowding of newspaper reporters. Their numbers necessitated a shifting of witnesses for each execution.

"Nearer My God to Thee."

Easter Sunday and the night that followed was almost one continuous prayer for the condemned. They were on their knees practically all of the time that they were not talking with relatives. A prisoner in a distant cell now and then blew from a battered cornet the quavering notes of "Nearer My God to Thee," and in the death house proper a phonograph played sacred music.

On the board walks in front of the prison the curious townspeople passed to and fro, whispering, and every now and then a party of city automobilists swung from their car to survey the buildings.

In the cut, just under the prison eaves, express trains roared past while a wind out of the west whipped up whitecaps on the Hudson.

Of the scenes in the death house corridors that which stood out boldest concerned the visit of two nuns. As Father Cashin, the Roman Catholic prison chaplain, led the four gunmen in prayer, two Italian Franciscan sisters, who had come from New York to see Dago Frank, whom they had taught in his boyhood, knelt outside his cell.

Raised curtains, showing the cells bare and immaculate, disclosed the four gunmen also kneeling. Suddenly the spirit of devotion spread to the whole death chamber. Every one of the 16 condemned, among them three Chinamen and Hans Schmidt, slayer of Anna Aumuller, joined in the Lord's prayer.

Last Messages Sent.

To the boys of the East Side in New York the Jewish trio of the gunmen sent a final message through Rabbi Jacob Goldstein.

"Whitey Lewis" wrote: "Keep away from bad company, is the best message I can send."

"Lefty Louis" said: "Add what I said the other day about bad company. A fellow who honestly earns $6 a week is better off than he who gets $1,000 a week, if he does not get it straight."

"I must die some time," "Lefty Louie" told his wife. "If it pleases God that I die now, I am ready.'

"Whitey Lewis" asked his brother to tell their mother that she was not the mother of a murderer.

"I have never been more than a little wild," he said.

The prisoners were not left alone for a single instant during the day or night.

At 3 o'clock the final prayers were said. Father Cashin knelt with "Dago Frank" and received his final confession. The rabbis, Goldstein and Kopkstein, prepared the other gunmen for the end.

Warships to Test Canal.

San Diego, Cal., April 14.—United States warships of the Atlantic fleet will steam through the Panama canal early in July, speed up the Pacific coast to San Diego and return to Hampton Roads by the same route, according to Franklin D. Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, who inspected San Diego harbor and made preliminary arrangements for the reception of the battleships. The purpose of this early jaunt through the canal, he said, was to prove that the big waterway was even now ready.

Snow Will Not Quench Thirst.

The water which will allay our burning thirst augments it when congealed into snow, so that it is stated by explorers of the Arctic regions that the natives "prefer enduring the utmost extremity of thirst rather than attempt to remove it by eating snow." Yet if the snow is melted it becomes drinkable water. Nevertheless, although, if melted before entering the mouth, it assuages thirst like other water, when melted in the mouth it has the opposite effect. To render this paradox more striking, we have only to remember that ice, which melts more slowly in the mouth, is very efficient in allaying thirst.

PIMPLES ALL OVER FACE

1413 E. Genessee Ave., Saginaw, Mich.—"Cuticura Soap and Ointment cured me of a very bad disease of the face without leaving a scar. Pimples broke out all over my face, red and large. They festered and came to a head. They itched and burned and caused me to scratch them and make sores. They said they were seed warts. At night I was restless from itching. When the barber would shave me my face would bleed terribly. Then scabs would form afterwards, then they would drop off and the so-called seed warts would come back again. They were on my face for about nine months and the trouble caused disfigurement while it lasted.

"One day I read in the paper of the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I received a free sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and it was so much value to me that I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment at the drug store. I used both according to directions. In about ten days my face began to heal up. My face is now clear of the warts and not a scar is left." (Signed) LeRoy C. O'Brien, May 12, 1913.

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Unfortunate Gallantry.

To his little native town a busy city man recently returned for a visit. As he had not seen the place nor its people for a long time, he was kept pretty busy greeting old friends. Among those whom he encountered was an elderly spinster, who beamed upon him with:

"Oh, Mr. Smith! I am sure you don't remember me!"

"Remember you!" gallantly exclaimed the city man, quite carried away by his wish to be friendly. "As if I could forget you, Miss Dixon! Why, you are one of the landmarks of the old town!"

Divorce Cure.

Chauncey M. Depew, discussing the change for the worse in the ideals of the American girl, said, recently: "Our young women should think less of tango teas and automobiling. They would do well to return to the ideals which prevailed when I was a lad. These ideals included the ability to manage a house properly, an intelligent supervision of children and a thorough knowledge of the kitchen. This last accomplishment, I think, should be given particular attention," Depew concluded, with a smile, "for many a good husband nowadays is spoiled in the cooking."

Home-Made Humor.

There is a judge in a certain Eastern city noted for his grouch. The most comical incident has no more effect on his frown than upon a wooden Indian. But one day a lawyer, who had tried in vain to make the judge laugh, walked into court and found the jurist doubled up with mirth. The lawyer hurried to his colleagues.

"Dinner to the man responsible for that," he said. "Who told the story?"

Another lawyer drew a sheet of paper toward him and wrote the words, "The judge."

UPWARD START

After Changing from Coffee to Postum.

Many a talented person is kept back because of the interference of coffee with the nourishment of the body.

This is especially so with those whose nerves are very sensitive, as is often the case with talented persons. There is a simple, easy way to get rid of coffee troubles and a Tenn. lady's experience along these lines is worth considering. She says:

"Almost from the beginning of the use of coffee it hurt my stomach. By the time I was fifteen I was almost a nervous wreck, nerves all unstrung, no strength to endure the most trivial thing, either work or fun.

"There was scarcely anything I could eat that would agree with me. The little I did eat seemed to give me more trouble than it was worth. I was literally starving; was so weak I could not sit up long at a time.

"It was then a friend brought me a hot cup of Postum. I drank part of it and after an hour I felt as though I had had something to eat — felt strengthened. That was about five years ago, and after continuing Postum in place of coffee and gradually getting stronger, today I can eat and digest anything I want, walk as much as I want. My nerves are steady.

"I believe the first thing that did me any good and gave me an upward start, was Postum, and I use it altogether now instead of coffee."

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Postum now comes in two forms:

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"There's a Reason" for Postum.

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VILLA'S CAVALRY PURSUING THE FEDERALS

General Villa's cavalry photographed outside Torreon as they were starting in pursuit of the survivors of the Federal garrison after the capture of that city.

FEDERALS HOLD BLUE JACKETS

PARTY OF U. S. MARINES ARE ARRESTED AT TAMPICO.

Detained Short Time, However—Apology From Huerta—San Pedro Said to Have Been Evacuated.

Mexico City, April 13.—A launch from the United States gunboat Dolphin, carrying the paymaster and a small detachment of marines, put in at Iturbide bridge at Tampico. The Americans were after a supply of gasoline. They were in uniform, but unarmed. The launch flew the American flag.

Col. Hinojosa, commanding a detachment of Mexican federals, placed the paymaster and his men under arrest. They were paraded through the streets and held for a time under detention.

Admiral Mayo made vigorous representations to the authorities and the men were released. General Ignacio Zaragoza expressed to Admiral Mayo his regret.

Although President Huerta in an official statement to Nelson O'Shaughnessy, the American Charge d'Affaires, has apologized for the unusual zealousness of the Mexican commander at Tampico, there exists here great uneasiness because Admiral Mayo is reported to have given the government authorities at Tampico until but a few hours to salute the American colors.

Say Federals Are Attacking.

An agent of the American embassy reporting from Saltillo says that General Velazco, who commanded the federal forces at Torreon during the attack by Villa, has succeeded in uniting with Generals Maas and De Moure and that the combined forces are now attacking Torreon.

Tampico Attacks Diminishing.

Vera Cruz.—An official report sent by the commanding officer at Tampico, General Zaragoza, to the minister of war, through this port, says that he had to face a severe attack from the rebels several days ago, but since then the attacks have been diminishing in force each day. He reports that only four federals were wounded and none killed, but that he is exceedingly short of ammunition.

San Pedro Is Taken.

Juarez, Mex.—San Pedro, 40 miles north of Torreon, was evacuated by the federals in the face of superior numbers, according to a report from General Villa to General Carranza.

RADIUM BILL UP TO SENATE

Senator Walsh Opens Argument on Government Control of Producing Lands.

Washington, April 13.—Debate in the senate on the bill in favor of the government control of the radium ore bearing lands of the West was opened by Chairman Walsh of the mines committee.

Emphasizing the importance of the measure, Senator Walsh said radium-bearing ores were not only to be found in Colorado and Utah, but in Montana and probably would be found in other states. He added that the bureau of mines and two eminent doctors were conducting separate experiments in the methods of producing radium, which would be given to the public if successful.

The committee's findings upon the curative properties of radium, Senator Walsh assured the senate, would be fully discussed before the bill was taken up in detail.

Woman Air Rider Killed.

London, April 13.—The aviator Reichelt carried a woman passenger with him on a flight. At a height of 200 feet the motor exploded and the monoplane shot blazing to the earth. The woman was dead when extricated. Reichelt died at a hospital. On several previous occasions Reichelt had narrow escapes from death. Once in 1913, with a passenger aboard, at a height of 6,000 feet, his motor stopped and he had to plane downward, through a heavy fog, in the darkness.

CHOICE OF RESERVE CITIES DEFENDED

REGIONAL BANK COMMITTEE ANSWERS CRITICS OF SELECTIONS.

HAD TO DISAPPOINT SOME

Thirty-seven Applicants for 12 Places—Particular Attention Paid to Complaints From Southern Cities.

Washington, April 13.—The federal reserve bank organization committee has issued a statement defending its choice of reserve bank cities and definition of reserve districts.

Answers to Criticisms.

It was the first official answer made to criticisms voiced in congress and heard from cities which sought reserve banks but failed to get them. For the first time some of the data used by the committee on reaching its conclusions was made public.

Particular attention was given to the committee's reasons for choosing Atlanta, Ga., and Dallas, Tex., in preference to New Orleans; for selecting Richmond, Va., instead of Baltimore, and for naming Kansas City instead of Denver, Col., Omaha, or Lincoln, Neb. The committee called attention to the fact that since 37 cities were applicants and only 12 named, 25 had to be disappointed.

Misunderstanding Revealed.

"With so many conflicting claims," the statement said, "somebody had to judge. Congress constituted the committee a court and gave the federal reserve board the power to review. Disappointed competitors should seek a remedy through the orderly process the law prescribes.

"Critics of the decision of the committee reveal more misunderstanding and do not know, or appear not to know, that the federal reserve banks are bankers' banks and not ordinary commercial banks; that they are to hold the reserves and to clear the checks for member banks, make rediscounts for them and engage in certain open market operations. As a matter of fact, the ordinary every day banking relations of the community, of business men and of banks will not be greatly modified or altered."

WANT PUBLIC LAND SETTLED

Western Governors Urge This With View to Complete Jurisdiction for States.

Denver, April 13.—Speedy settlement of the remaining public lands of the western states with a view to complete jurisdiction by every state of all land within its borders, was urged upon congress by the Western Governors' conference.

The governors reaffirmed in full their platform of last year in which was set forth the policy on various subjects held by the executives to be vital to the building of the West.

While the governors were preparing to close their conference with the adoption of resolutions, the irrigation conference debated ways and means of raising money for irrigation projects.

Clinton for Senate in Iowa.

Marshalltown, Iowa, April 11.—M. L. Christian of Clinton, Iowa, was nominated here for United States senator. Malcolm Smith of Cedar Rapids was chosen as the candidate for governor. The convention adopted a platform, the three principal features of which advocated the repeal of the law permitting the operation of saloons under restrictions, the resubmission of the prohibition amendment to a vote of the people of the state, and the enactment of woman's suffrage legislation.

EXPLOSION; 2 KILLED, 1 DYING

FIRE CHIEF AND ONE ASSISTANT DEAD AT DAWSON, MINN.

Four Buildings Destroyed at Loss of $60,000 in Fire Which Breaks Out as Result.

Dawson, Minn., April 14.—Two firemen were killed, one fatally hurt and two others injured as the result of fire and explosion which destroyed four buildings, forced several others out of line and shattered $4,000 worth of plate glass windows in the business part of this town. The total loss will probably exceed $60,000.

The dead are: Fire Chief Elmer Thompson and Herbert Farmen.

Marvin E. Jacobson was fatally injured.

The other injured are: Arthur Kreisel, struck in head by falling stone; John C. Hanson, wrist nearly severed by broken glass.

The explosion occurred at 2 o'clock in the morning, awakening the townspeople from their slumbers and being distinctly heard by farmers six miles away.

Flames broke out immediately following the blast and spread rapidly in spite of the best efforts of the volunteer fire department, which was early on the scene. Fire Chief Thompson was one of the first to arrive when the alarm was turned in. He was standing in front of the building occupied by the Holtan restaurant, when the explosion occurred, lifting the entire roof from the building and burying Thompson in the debris.

Herbert Farmen, another volunteer fireman, was struck in the head by a falling brick, dying almost instantly.

The flames spread rapidly to adjoining buildings and soon the whole block was in flames.

Matt Wire, the local miller, who lived in apartments over the Holtan restaurant, managed to get his wife, two daughters and a son out of the building with difficulty. The flames were then playing along the north wall of the building.

The fire department was powerless to stay the work of the flames, which soon reached the J. E. Lund Hardware store, adjoining, and from there spread to the Citizens' State bank and the Jackson & Emerson's Merchandise store. The four buildings destroyed represent a loss of $22,000. The loss on the stock and fixtures will reach $34,000, all of which is partly covered by insurance.

The cause of the fire is a matter of conjecture, but is believed to have been caused by a charge of nitro-glycerine or gun-cotton. The fire marshal's office has been notified and an investigation may be ordered.

Sparta Maneuvers Less Extensive.

La Crosse, Wis., April 13.—According to an announcement by the war department the present outline for encampment and maneuver work for the coming summer, which will be held on the national military reservation at Sparta, will not be as extensive as had been anticipated some months ago. The gathering of the regulars on the Mexican border has affected the situation.

Mrs. Taft Against Suffrage.

New Haven, Conn., April 13.—Mrs. William Howard Taft, wife of the former president, has become a member of the local Anti-Woman suffrage association, according to an announcement made by the organization.

Wilsons on Easter Vacation.

White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., April 11.—President Wilson reached here for a three-day stay, the object of which is to benefit the health of Mrs. Wilson. In the party are also the Misses Margaret and Eleanor Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bowes Sayre, Secretary Tumulty and Dr. Cary T. Grayson, U. S. N. The party traveled in a private car over the Chesapeake & Ohio railway. The president will leave here Sunday night, returning to Washington early Monday morning.

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PAYMENT OF DEBT DEFERRED

Borrower Willing to Live Up to Conditions Made, but the Time Had Not Arrived.

Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo heard all sorts of tales about the country going to the bowwows because of the decision to put out fifty million dollars in southern and western banks to help move the crops.

"To hear the tales of calamity that was to befall the United States," said the secretary, "one would think there was nothing to it. It reminds one of Tom and John.

"Tom, who had lent John five dollars, one day asked, 'John, ain't it time you paid me that five dollars?'

"'Tain't due yet,' said John.

"But you promised to pay me when you got back from New York.'

"'Well, I ain't been thar yit.'"—Sunday Magazine.

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After a Good Meal.

Hostess—Another piece of mince pie, Georgie? Just a small piece?

Georgie (reluctantly)—No, thanks, I could chew it, but I couldn't swallow it.—London Opinion.

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Have You a Bad Back?

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A Texas Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

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Booth Tarkington was asked recently for an original sentiment by way of autograph. He replied:

"If you had asked me for my autograph. I would have sent it to you gladly. But to ask for a specimen of my work, that is a little too much. Would you ask a doctor for one of his corpses to remember him by?"

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"Was his speech exegetical?"

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MINNESOTA STATE NEWS

BEGINS CAMPAIGN AGAINST CHOLERA

MINNESOTA GOVERNOR CALLS ON ENTIRE NORTHWEST TO CO-OPERATE IN WAR.

FIXES "HOG CHOLERA WEEK"

Eberhart Issues Proclamation Setting Aside Eight Days For Concerted Campaign of Education and Enlightenment.

St. Paul, April 11. — A campaign against the terrible hog cholera scourge that cost the farmers of the northwest $60,000,000 last season is to be waged this year. The movement is being gotten under way by Governor A. O. Eberhart, of this state, who hopes to secure the co-operation of the executives of North and South Dakota, Montana, Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska, Illinois, Michigan and Missouri.

Letters Sent to All.

In a letter sent to the governors of the above mentioned states, it is pointed out that experts are agreed that the disease can only be stamped out by an enlightened public after a thorough understanding of the infection has been gained. As the disease is often carried from one state to another, a concerted action is deemed advisable on the part of the entire Northwest.

Governor Eberhart intends that Minnesota shall lead the way in dealing the death blow to the disease. Consequently, he has set aside the week of April 17 to 25 as "Hog Cholera Week," with the hope that the other Northwestern states may do likewise.

The Proclamation.

The proclamation of Mr. Eberhart follows:

"During the past year the State of Minnesota, with other states, suffered a severe loss through the disease known as hog cholera. The losses in other states have been even greater, entailing a national loss of $60,000,000. A serious loss, not only to the swine breeders of the State, but a tremendous economic loss to the entire public. In view of the present shortage of meat animals throughout the United States, this fact assumes a noteworthy sifinificance which Congress has decognized through the appropriation of $500,000 for the especial purpose of combating further inroads of the disease during the coming summer and fall months. The prevention of similar losses from hog cholera in 1914 is a matter that vitally concerns all the people of the State of Minnesota and it is commonly understood that the disease can only be prevented and stomped out by an enlightened public, through a campaign of education which will give an understanding of the disease, its methods of infection and spread, and its prevention and cure.

"According to the best authorities, hog cholera, a germ disease, spreads through lack of strict quarantine regulations which, if not recognized, will eventually infect all of the hog raising sections of the Northwest. Hog cholera may also become general through lack of understanding of the use of serum-virus treatment, as the use of virus simply means taking live cholera germs to the community. There are a great many infected communities through Minnesota at the present time and it is believed that when warm weather arrives there will be other serious outbreaks of the disease unless the public generally becomes aware of the situation and takes measures to unitedly stamp it out.

How to Stamp Out Scourge.

"The best live stock sanitary authorities of the country will agree that hog cholera may be prevented and stamped out only by following three procedures.

"First, quarantine and thorough disinfection of infected farms and communities.

"Second, by the use of the serum-virus treatment in communities where the disease is known to exist and through a supervision of its use in uninfected communities.

"Third, the strict and efficient co-operation between the hog raisers and neighbors and the public.

"Without this united co-operation no effective progress can be made in fighting the disease. In this connection it is extremely important that carriers of the disease should be excluded from cholera farms and that all sources of infection should become common knowledge.

'These and other matters pertaining to hog cholera are of vital interest to the citizens of Minnesota, and all such citizens should post themselves as to methods of dealing with the present situation.

"In view of these facts, I hereby appoint the week of

APRIL 17TH to 25TH
'HOG CHOLERA WEEK

and would urge that all farmers' organizations, by whatever name they may be designated, hold local meetings, at which time they should thoroughly discuss this question and call to their aid the state experimental station, the agricultural press, the daily press, the county press and all other sources of information or means whereby the public may become generally conversant with the present situation.

"United action on the part of farmers and all co-operating agencies is of the utmost importance in dealing with any infectious live stock disease and any measures which may be taken for the enlightenment of the public, are most desirable for the effectiveness desired as a result of this statement.

"ADOLPH O. EBERHART,
"Governor

Children Cremate Baby.

Little Falls.—Three children of [illegible] Hopper, a tinsmith, playing about a couch on which a 2-year-old child had been placed, set fire to the couch and the baby was burned to death

Demand for Normal Grads

Winona.—President G. E. Ma[illegible] of the Winona normal school reports a demand for members of the June graduating class for teaching positions in Minnesota. Already twenty-five members of the class have been elected to positions. The normal school catalogue just out, calls particular attention to the special courses two and three years in length, in the fields of drawing, industrial arts, household arts, kindergarten primary education and music, just established

Eberhart Files for Renomination

Governor A. O. Eberhart, who announced his candidacy March 26, has just filed for the Republican gubernatorial renomination.

CORN AND PORK CONTEST

Murray County Leads Movement Unique in Minnesota—$540 in Prizes.

Slayton.—Murray county is pushing the better farming movement by means of a corn and pork contest which is probably unique in the state. The rules provide for no less than fifty-nine prizes of an aggregate value of $540. The smallest prize is $2 and the largest is valued at $65.00

Any boy or girl in Murray county not less than 12 and not more than 20 is qualified to compete for the prizes offered. They are required either to raise a litter of pigs from the time of farrowing until Nov. 15, keeping a careful account of the feeding and care of the hogs or to raise an acre of corn, keeping a careful record of the work and expense, or to raise both the corn and litter of pigs. The highest prize for which the contestant can compete in case only one of the two is engaged in is $15. However, if the contestant raises both corn and pork he is in line for the grand first prize valued at $65.

The leaders in this movement have been Professor R. F. Grim, director of agriculture in the Slayton high school, and J. K. Campbell, a breeder of Poland China swine. These two, respectively secretary and chairman of the organization, with F. D. Weck, the treasurer, have assumed the chief responsibility. With B. I. Weld, R. F. Lamb, P. J. Nelson, Robert B. Forrest, P. H. Harrington, Superintendent D. S. Brainerd and others, they were influenced to promote this contest because of the educational advantages of the Murray county corn contest which has ben so successfully carried on for two years. They believe in the expansion of the contest principle and the increase in the premium list from $40 to $540 must necessarily result in educational and pecuniary advantages to the community.

That the educational value is recognized is shown by the offer of the Slayton high school to grant credits to those students who enter and successfully complete this contest.

That the contest has the hearty co-operation of the entire county is demonstrated by the fact that the commissioners appropriated $100. It is also shown by the receipt of unsolicited contributions from farmers and farmers' clubs.

The contestant must report to the committee before determining the yield of corn and before weighing the pigs.

Jackson Mill Burns; $20,006 Loss

Jackson.—The large flour and feed mill of the Jackson Milling company was destroyed by fire, originating in the boiler room and not noticed until the room was a mass of flames. A large quantity of grain and flour was destroyed. The total loss is estimated at $20,000, partly covered by insurance.

$60,000 Minnesota Plant Burns

Hastings, Minn., April 8.—The southwestern section of the Brandt Manufacturing company, manufacturers of sprayers, was totally destroyed by fire with a loss estimated at $60,000 on the building and machinery, fully covered by insurance. The management will rebuild at once

Blue Grass in Wadena Co-operate

Wadena.—A co-operative creamery has been started at Blue Grass, a small station just north of Wadena with fifty patrons. New creameries and cheese factories are constantly being opened in Wadena county.

To Elude Curious Crowds

St. Paul, April 9.—Martin Flanagan and Fred Turner, former police officials of St. Paul, found guilty of accepting bribes for protection from disorderly women and sentenced to the state prison for indeterminate periods not to exceed 10 years, were not taken to Stillwater Tuesday night as was anticipated. It was stated that in order to avoid a curious crowd certain to gather to see the prisoners on their way to the penitentiary the journey would be made at night and at an unexpected hour.

"WETS" AND "DRYS" SPLIT ABOUT EVEN

DATA COMPILED GIVES NEITHER SIDE MATERIAL ADVANTAGE IN STATE.

MANY TOWNS REVERSE VOTE

St. Peter, Canby, Benson, Pipestone, Tracy, Marshall, Madison and Luverne Dry.

State Wet and Dry Vote.

Austin—Wet.
Blue Earth—Dry.
*Benson—Dry.
*Canby—Dry.
Ely—Wet.
Fergus Falls—Dry.
*Glenwood—Wet.
Hastings—Wet.
Le Sueur—Wet.
Luverne—Dry.
Madison—Dry.
Marshall—Dry.
*Pipestone—Dry.
Staples—Wet.
Sleepy Eye—Wet.
Sauk Center—Wet.
St. James—Wet.
St. Peter—Dry.
*Tracy—Dry.
Waterville—Wet.
Worthington—Dry.

*Reversed from last election.

Minneapolis.—Data compiled from municipal elections held in about fifty cities and towns throughout the state, in which the wet and dry question was the issue, show that neither side has gained any material advantage.

Claims of No-License Men.

No-license forces make the claim, however, that while they have held the liquor supporters even in most of the towns which were already dry, they have made inroads in what was previously staunch liquor territory. In support of this contention they point to the towns of St. Peter, Canby, Benson, Pipestone, Tracy, Marshall Madison and Luverne, in which the saloons were repudiated, and which have heretofore been classed as wet strongholds.

Minnesota Towns Reporting.

Montgomery.—The town election held here resulted in the election of Frank Becker as mayor.

Madison.—The no-license forces carried the election here by a majority of 117 votes. J. R. Swann was elected mayor.

Waterville.—License forces won out here in the town election by a majority of 92 votes. Mayor, A. E. Nasler.

St. Peter.—License was defeated here in the city by a majority of 49 votes, the result coming as a complete surprise. Mayor Philip Dick re-elected

Willmar.—The city election held here resulted in the election of E. C. Wellis for mayor

Hutchinson.—Present Mayor F. Zila re-elected. The license question was not voted on as the town has been dry for the past six years

Luverne.—The no-license forces won by a majority of 54 votes. Mayor, J. W. Hawkinson

St. James.—Victory for the wets by majority of 30 votes out of [illegible]77 cast. The drys captured the city administration, electing Attorney J. I. Lobben mayor

Blue Earth.—Dry forces won by 158 majority out of a total vote of 49[illegible]. Mayor, Attorney H. J. Frundt

Marshall.—Marshall voted dry by 49 votes out of a total vote cast of 507.

Worthington.—Worthington voted dry by a majority of 172 in total vote of 456. Eighth successive year in dry column

Le Sueur.—License carried here by 13 votes

Canby.—Canby went dry here by 44 votes after the hottest campaign in the history of the city. This town has been wet for 35 consecutive years except one.

Lake City.—The only contest was on city treasurer. Mayor, W. C. Squire; treasurer, R. A. Hoyt.

Austin.—Austin voted license by a vote of 948 to 764 after weeks of the hottest campaign in the history of the city.

Hastings.—The wets came out victorious, license being carried by a vote of 172. Democratic ticket was elected.

New Ulm.—L. A. Fritsche elected mayor, Gottlieb Oswald treasurer

Blue Earth Men Prosperous

Vernon Center.—Blue Earth county farmers are in a prosperous condition. W. H. Richter, cashier of the local bank, finds that during the first three months of this year the farmers doing business at the bank sold $65,000 worth of live stock, mostly western cattle that they have been fattening, more than 20,000 bushels of corn valued at $11,000, other small grain to the value of $20,000 and $6,000 worth of creamery butter. There are cattle to the value of $20,000 yet to be disposed of this month

Good Cheer Aids Digestion of Food

Dyspeptics Can Make the Rest of the Family Happy by Using a Laxative-Tonic.

The temper of the family and the good cheer around the table depend so much on the good digestion of each individual present that the experiences of some former dyspeptics who overcame their trouble should be of interest to those now suffering in this way.

The best advice one can give—but it is advice that is seldom heeded—is to eat slowly and masticate each mouthful carefully. However, if slow eating and careful mastication fail the next aid is one close to nature. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This remedy is an excellent digestant, and in addition to helping in the digestion of the food, acts gently on the liver and bowels, ridding them of the accumulation of waste that should long ago have been passed off. It is safe, reliable, pleasant-tasting, and results are guaranteed.

Maj. S. Martin, of Joplin, Mo., now 77, thinks Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has helped him to a longer and happier life. He has not felt so good in years as he has since taking this excellent medicine, and in spite of his 77 years he says he feels like a boy.

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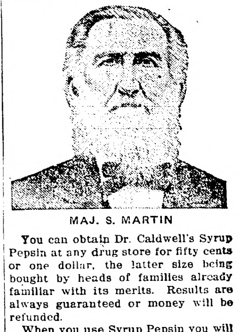

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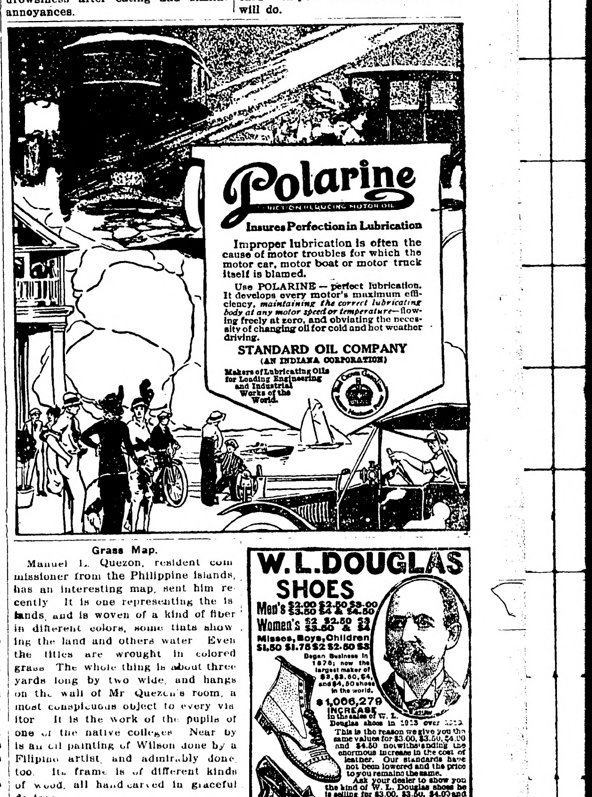

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Grass Map.

Manuel L. Quezon, resident commissioner from the Philippine Islands, has an interesting map, sent him recently. It is one representing the islands, and is woven of a kind of fiber in different colors, some tints showing the land and others water. Even the titles are wrought in colored grass. The whole thing is about three yards long by two wide, and hangs on the wall of Mr. Quezon's room, a most conspicuous object to every visitor. It is the work of the pupils of one of the native colleges. Near by is an oil painting of Wilson done by a Filipino artist, and admirably done, too. Its frame is of different kinds of wood, all hand carved in graceful designs

Witte on War

Count Witte, the famous Russian statesman, estimates that 40 per cent of the total income of the great powers is absorbed by their armies and navies. Of the consequences he writes: "When and how will it all end? Unless the great states which have set this hideous example agree to call a halt so to say, and knit their subjects into a pacific, united Europe, war is the only issue I can perceive. And when I say war, I mean a conflict which will surpass in horror the most brutal armed conflicts known to human history and entail distress more widespread and more terrible than living men can realize.'

From All Sides

[illegible] you send a dog [illegible] parcel post?"

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Golden Valley News

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Kolden went to Thief River Fall to spend a few days at the parental home.

The sociable in Dist. 145 was a success they realized $14.80 for benefit of the school.

Ed Johnson, Melvin Olson, J. Gabraelson and families and Miss Larson, spent Easter at Odie's home.

Johnson Bros. had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse last week.

Frank Brown is assisting Chas. Martyl with his work this week.

Clarence Larson reports having caught some nice pickerel in the big ditch.

Obert Odie contemplates going back to T. R. Falls this week for further treatment on his eye.

Pechie and Johnson went fishing but did not catch any. Good thing their neighbors didnt.

Whitford News

Iver Engelbritson was a business visitor to Middle River on Monday.

John Anderson has just completed a nice cottage home on his claim which is a decided improvement.

Ludwig Sagsteen and Peter Kneppe are busy these days clearing on the quarter section they have lately purchased and intend having it broken with the Norbeck-Sagsteen gasoline outfit.

E. A. Wright from Middle River is out to his claim fixing up matters for the coming season.

A mass meeting was held at Ludwig Sagstuen's last Thursday to discuss the mud Creek problem, the following plan was unaminously adopted that a petition be signed and forwarded to the county commissioners urging them to clean it and erect bridges. This creek has been the source of great trouble to homesteaders in previous years as it at present cannot take care of the volume of water which enters into it from the Rollis ditches.

Real Estate

City Property for sale or in exchange for Farm land. It may pay to see me when in Thief River Falls Phone 67 and 315 La.- Av North.

O. A. Westin. (adv.)

It is stated on the first page that the Free Mission Young Peoples' Society is to be held at J. B. Alkenbrack April 19th, but on account of sickness in the Alkenbrack family it has been posponed until Sunday Evening, March 2nd.

FOR SHERIFF

To the voters of Marshall County:-

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff of Marshall County on the Non-Partisan ticket, and respectfully solicit your influence and vote at the primary election to be held June 16th 1914. If nominated and elected I will discharge the duties of my office to the best of my ability.

Yours very truly,

OSCAR OSETH (adv.)

Kind to Father.

Dorothy (affectionately)—Father, you wouldn't like me to leave you, would you? Father (fondly)—Indeed I would not, my darling! Dorothy—Then I'll marry Mr. Lumley. He is willing to live here!

Progress.

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STATEMENT

Of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., required by Act of August 24, 1912, of The Holt Weekly News, Successor to "The Northern Light" published weekly at Holt, Minnesota.

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Editor, managing editor, business managers Publisher	P. A. Risberg,	Holt, Minn.

Holt Publishishing Company Holt, Minn.

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P. A. Risberg.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1914.

B. Docken, Notary Public, Marshall Co., Minn. My commission expires November 15th, 1920.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Elmer Odie of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on Nov. 19, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05747, for N½ SW¼, Section 15, Township 156 N. Range 41 W. 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River Minn., on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witness: Clarence Larson, Charles A. Holmgren, Bernard Larson, William Robertson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.
Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Charles A. Holmgren, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on December 24th, 1909, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05023, for NW¼, Section 17, Township 156 N. Range 41 W. 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 15th day of May 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Obert W. Odie, Elmer Odie, Clarence Larson, Christ Norbeck all of Golden Valley, Minn.

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THE DISTINCTION.

"If you marry my daughter I must insist on living with her."

"All right, as long as you don't live on me."

TOOK THEM.

"Did you take my remarks?" asked the speechmaker.

"Yes," replied the alert stenographer: "but not seriously."

HUNTING SEASON OPENS.

"Is that a man or a deer in the thicket?"

"I guess it's safe to call it a deer said the guide. "If it had been a man he would have taken a shot at us by this time."

PLENTY.

Lawyer—The cross-examination did not seem to worry you. Have you had any previous experience?

Client—Six children.

ARTESIAN WELL

An artesian well is a spouting well bored down to a point, usually at great depth, where the water pressure, owing to the geological conformation, is so great as to force the water out at the surface. This is the proper meaning of the term, but is now often applied to any very deep bored well, as for petroleum, and even when pumping is necessary, as in an ordinary driven well. The name artesian is derived from Artois, in France, where the first well of the kind in Europe was sunk

CHEERING SIGN.

"There is evidently fresh heart in the theatrical companies."

"Why so?"

"The price of eggs is prohibitive."

TURNED AROUND.

"This store advertises a revolution in men's underwear."

"I don't think I'd like underwear that buttoned up the back."

THE WINNER.

"So Miss Biffers is married at last?"

"Yes."

"And who is the happy man?"

"Her dear old dad."

Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
March 9, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John E. Boyson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on July 10th, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08286, for NE¼ NW¼, Section 27, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 1st day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Knutson, Carl Sormo, Sven Carlson, Clarence Knutson, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

First publication, March, 27, 1914.

Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
March 30th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Arne Nilson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on December 13th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, 07029, for NE¼ SE¼, Section 5, Township 155 N. Range 42 W. 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 4th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas Olson, of Holt Minnesota, Alfred O. Hanson of Holt, Minnesota, Edward Hanson of Holt, Minnesota, Nils Sordal, of Holt, Minnesota.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

First publication, April 3rd, 1914.

Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence Larson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on February 24th, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05105, for SE¼, Section 15 Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Bernard Larson, Elmer Odie, Charles A. Holmgren, Obert W. Odie, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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"	"	15.00			"	10.50
"	"	13.00			"	9.50
"	"	9.00	and	10.00	"	6.50
Boys suits		[illegible]			"	3.25
"	"	3.25			"	2.10
"	"	2.50			"	1.75
"	suits sizes 4 to [illegible]				"	1.25

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Local Items

Bring us the news.

For Dr. . H. Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Arvid Carlson was taken suddently ill last Saturday evening but recovered very rapidly.

The Holt State Bank is the place to pay you taxes.

The Northern Golden Valley Women Society will meet at Mrs. Knute Nelson April 24th.

The Nazarets Young Peoples Soceity will meet at Charle Heinze May 3th. Every body Welcome.

The "Auto" season is apparently drawing near, judgeing by appearances around Carl's Auto blacksmith shop.

E. T. Eide arrived last week from Spooner to look after after his farming interests during the coming season.

Services will be held in the school house at Holt next Sunday at 11 o'clock by Rev. Larson of T. R. Falls Everybody Welcome.

Yes, darling, go tell mother she does not have to send to Chicago for McFadden's Happy Day Coffee now. She can get at R. Reierson's Store, Holt, Minn. (adv)

P. L. Anderson and Miss Annie Tharaldson enjoyed a pleasant auto trip last Friday, calling at Olga Bjorsnes's school and at the P. Reierson home.

Mr. and Mrs P. Reierson formerly of New Folden, Minn arrived here last week to make this their future home.

They have rented appartments over Carlson's New Big Store.

Yes, that is the coffee, McFadden Happy Day coffee. None better. Over two million packages sold every month. It's the best 35, and 40c coffee sold in America for 30 cents Sold by R. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

Pettion has been circled for the purpose of calling a special telephone meeting and the president of the Holt telephone company has dicided a meeting May, 4th at 2 o'clock for the purpose of amending the by laws that may be deemed necessary at side meeting and also steps may be taken to have some person to attend to the switchboard at all hours

"Gee, Mamma, where did you get this coffee?" "Why did you ask?" "Because it's the best coffee I ever tasted" "why, that is McFadden's Happy Day coffee." Oh! that is the coffee I hear all the kids talking about at school McFadden's Happy Day Coffee their mother says it's the best coffee she ever used and it certainly is a fine.

Call for McFadden's Happy Day coffee and McFadden's Morning Blend Coffee at R. Reierson's Store Holt, Minn. You receive a nice china cup and saucer with each package, some packages having either a sugar bowl, a big meat platter, potatoe dish or water pitcher. (adv)

Andrew Bjerk went to Thief River Falls last week on business.

The Sollom Bros. new store is fast nearing completion and when finished will present a nice and attractive appearance.

We have just received a supply of House and Floor Paint.

S. S. Kolden & Co.

Racine Olson recently purchased S. S. Kolden's "Hupmobile" runabout. Now watch the little red car.

The Holt State Bank will make out your Final Homestead Proof notices, free of charge. (adv.)

The new law providing for a cash fund to be used in spliplog draging the roads, is meeting with general approval. There is no cheaper or better way to keep the roads in good condition, than by the systematic use of road drags.

Rev A. B. Roseland, of T. R. Falls will conduct English services in the Nazareth Lutheran Church next Sunday, April 26th, at 3:30 p. m. You are kindly invited to attend.

When you need a shave go to Huseth. When you need a hot cup of coffee go to Huseth. When you want to sweeten up go to Huseth. When you Want some fruit go to Huseth. When you want some soft drinks go to Huseth. In fact for anything in my line see me, and I'll treat you right.

For State Senator

To the Voters of the [illegible] Legislative District.

At the solicitation of numerous friends throughout the the district comprising Marshall, Kittson and Roseau counties, it give me pleasure to announce my candidacy for the office of State Senator.

If honored with the nomination and election I hereby pledge myself to carry out the wishes of the people irrespective of personal views or opinions, as I conceive it to be the highest duty of a representative to represent the will, not of himself, but those of who honor and trust him to do their bidding for the welfare of the district.

Primarily I [illegible] attitude on the county option question, and I recognize the right of the public to such a statement from one who seeks their support for so important and honorable a position as that of State Senator. I am in favor of County Option and if elected I will not only vote for, but will use my best efforts in furthering the adoption of such a bill, believing that to be the best solution of the liquor question.

I further pledge myself to use my best effort to further the development of Northern Minnesota and especially the counties that I shall represent

Assuring [illegible] times end[illegible] interests and [illegible] 67th Ligislative [illegible]

Respectfully,

Nel[illegible]

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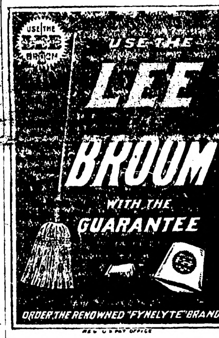
ATTENTION!

Spring is here and it is now time that every citizen, who has the welfare of the town at heart, to get busy and clean up their lots, gardens and back yards. During the winter much rubbish has accumulated and now is the time to burn it up and get rid of it. Let all who are interested in making Holt a pleasant place to live in, get busy and "Clean Up."

Holt Is Booming

That Holt is growing fast is very evident by the constant appearance of new buildings. Two new residences, one store, one large lumber shed, are among the new acquisitions to Holt, and there are more coming Sam Mickelson has already commenced the erection of an addition to his restaurant and lodging place in order to accomodate the increasing patronage accorded him. The contract has already been let for the building of the Free Eve. Lutheran Church, which will cost in the neighborhood of $2000



Holt Mercantile Co.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1.42
Wheat	.83
Barley	.34
Oats	.28
Rye	.43
Flour, Best Patent	2.55

The Best Is Here

[illegible] Farm Machinery [illegible] the best [illegible] Walking Plows, Drills, Har[illegible] Buggies [illegible]

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NAVAL STRENGTH IN MEXICAN WATERS

Washington.—Never before in the history of the nation has the strength of the navy been shown as it is in Mexican waters today. A greater percentage of fighting machines were assembled about Cuba in the war with Spain, but the navy of 1898 had not the fighting strength of the navy of today either in number of vessels, in tonnage or in gun caliber.

The war strength which the United States now has or will have in Mexican waters within a few days with which to compel compliance with the demands of this government may be summarized as follows:

On East Coast.

Battleships	15	Transport	1
Cruisers	4	Mine depot ship	1
Gunboats	2	Fuel ship	1
Destroyers	15	Hospital ship	1
Tender	1	Marine transp't	1

On West Coast.

Armored cr'sers	3	Tender	1
Cruisers	2	Supply ship	1
Destroyers	5	Fuel ship	1
Gunboat	1		

Men Available for Landing Purposes.

On East Coast.

Sailors	5,000	Marines	2,500

On West Coast.

Sailors	750	Marines	500

Additional marines have received orders to prepare for departure to Mexico. The number available are: On the east coast, 3,000; on the west coast, 1,000.

This strength, if used for landing purposes, can be reinforced by troops, 15,000 of whom are along the border.

Details of the Fleet.

North Atlantic Fleet.

Rear Admiral Charles J. Badger, commander-in-chief.

Name	Displace-ment	No. of guns
Arkansas (flagship)	26,000	37
Second division—Rear Admiral Clifford J. Boush, commander.		
Battleships—		
South Carolina	16,000	34
Michigan	16,000	34
Louisiana	16,000	46
New Hampshire	16,000	46
Vermont	16,000	46
New Jersey	15,000	39
Tacoma (cruiser)	3,200	18
Nashville (gunboat)	1,370	8
Hancock (marine transp.)	8,500	8
Fuel ships—		
Vulcan	11,230	..
Jason	19,132	..
Orion	19,132	..
Nereus	19,000	..
Under Preparatory Orders.		
Third division—Rear Admiral Frank E. Beatty, commander.		
Battleships—		
Rhode Island	14,948	40
Nebraska	14,948	40
Virginia	14,948	40
Georgia	14,948	40
Torpedo flotilla—Capt. William S. Sims, commander.		
Birmingham (cruiser)	3,750	10
Dixie (tender)	6,114	12
Destroyers — Third division — Lieut. Commander William L. Littlefield, commander.		
Henley	742	3
Drayton	742	3
Mayrant	742	3
McCall	742	3
Fourth Division—Lieut. Commander S. H. R. Doyle, commander.		
Spaulding	742	3
Ammen	742	3
Burrows	742	3
Patterson	742	3
Trippe	742	3
Fifth division—Lieut. Commander W. N. Jeffers, commanding.		
Fanning	742	3
Beale	742	3
Jenkins	742	3
Jarvis	742	3
Jouett	742	3

Now at Vera Cruz.

Name.	Displace-ment.	No. of Guns.
First division—Rear Admiral F. F. Fletcher, commander.		
Florida	21,825	30
Prairie (transport)	6,620	12
San Francisco (mine depot ship)	4,083	12
Cyclops (fuel ship)	19,360	..
Solace (hospital ship)	5,700	..
Vessels at Tampico:		
Fourth division—Rear Admiral Mayo, commander.		
Battleships—		
Utah	21,825	30
Connecticut	16,000	46
Minnesota	16,000	46
Cruisers—		
Chester	3,750	10
Des Moines	3,200	18
Dolphin (gunboat)	1,486	6

Pacific Fleet.

Rear Admiral T. B. Howard, Commander in chief.

Name	Displace-ment	No. of guns
Armored Cruisers—		
Pittsburgh	13,680	40
Maryland	13,680	40
Torpedo Flotilla—Lieut. Commander E. H. Dodd, commander.		
Iris (tender)	6,100	..
First Division—Lieut. M. K. Metcalf, commander.		
Destroyers—		
Whipple	433	10
Paul Jones	420	9
Perry	420	9
Stewart	420	9
Truxton	433	10
Vessels at Acapulco:		
California (armored cruiser)	13,680	40
At Mazatlan:		
Raleigh (cruiser)	3,183	17
At Guaymas:		
New Orleans (cruiser)	3,430	18
Glacier (supply ship)	8,325	1
Justin (fuel ship)	6,600	..
At Topolobampo:		
Yorktown (gunboat)	1,710	14
Available in Case of Need. (On the Atlantic.)		
Battleships—		
Texas	27,000	31
New York	27,000	31
North Dakota	20,000	28
Delaware	20,000	28
Kansas	16,000	46

WILSON GIVES HIS VIEWS

Following is the official statement issued as representing the views of President Wilson and the administration on Mexico:

"In discussions in official circles in Washington of the present Mexican situation, the following points have been very much dwelt upon:

"It has been pointed out that, in considering the present somewhat delicate situation in Mexico, the unpleasant incident at Tampico must not be thought of alone. For some time past the de facto government of Mexico has seemed to think mere apologies sufficient when the rights of American citizens or the dignity of the government of the United States were involved and has apparently made no attempt at either reparation or the effective correction of the serious derelictions of its civil and military officers.

Orderly Placed in Jail.

"Immediately after the incident at Tampico an orderly from one of the ships of the United States in the harbor of Vera Cruz, who had been sent ashore to the post office for the ship's mail, and who was in uniform and who had the official mail bag on his back, was arrested and put into jail by the local authorities. He was subsequently released and a nominal punishment was inflicted upon the officer who arrested him, but it was significant that an orderly from the fleet of the United States was picked out from the many persons constantly going shore on various errands, from the various ships in the harbor, representing several nations.

Official Dispatch Withheld.

"Most serious of all, the officials in charge of the telegraph office at Mexico City presumed to withhold an official dispatch of the government of the United States to its embassy at Mexico City, until it should have been sent to the censor and his permission received to deliver it, and gave the dispatch into the hands of the charge d'affaires of the United States only upon his personal and emphatic demand, he having in the meantime learned through other channels that a dispatch had been sent him which he had not received.

United States Singled Out.

"It cannot but strike anyone who has watched the course of events in Mexico as significant that untoward incidents such as these have not occurred in any case where representatives of other governments were concerned, but only in dealings with representatives of the United States, and that there has been no occasion for other governments to call attention to such matters or to ask for apologies.

"These repeated offenses against the rights and dignity of the United States, offenses not duplicated with regard to the representatives of other governments, have necessarily made the impression that the government of the United States was singled out for manifestations of ill will and contempt."

THE INSULT AT TAMPICO

Friday morning, April 10, a boat's crew of United States marines, in command of Assistant Paymaster Charles C. Copp, left the gunboat Dolphine for Tampico to get a fresh supply of gasoline.

The United States flag was flying from the stern of the whaleboat when it approached the landing in Tampico.

For no assigned cause Assistant Paymaster Copp and his men were placed under arrest as they stepped ashore.

After the Americans had been detained several hours, word of their arrest was carried to Rear Admiral Mayo, who demanded their immediate release.

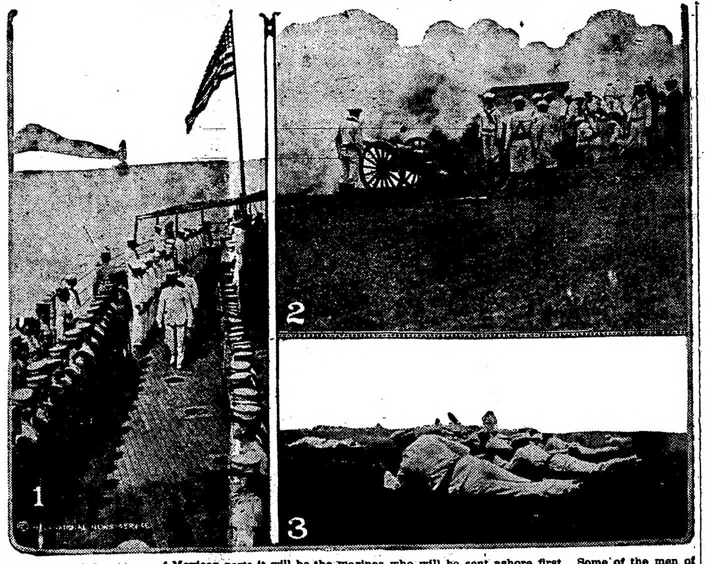
The demand was complied with, but the only reparation made was a brief expression of regret for the alleged mistake.

Mining in Korea.

Gold exists in Korea in quantities to render its mining profitable, but it has as yet given no promise of ever sensibly affecting the world's supply. Iron, coal, graphite, silver and copper are also found, but as yet they have not been sufficiently exploited to justify any estimate being formed as to their future influence on the wealth and prosperity of the country. Under their own laws the people were forbidden to engage in mining operations, and the only concession that was made was that which permitted placer mining being carried on in small areas by very limited associations, in the most primitive manner. For this heavy fees had to be paid to the government; and as the fees were certain, while the product was very much the reverse, the industry was not one which attracted either capitalists or prospectors of good repute.

A young man never judges his sweetheart by his knowledge of his own sister.

MEN WHO MAY BE LANDED IN MEXICO



In case of the seizure of Mexican ports it will be the marines who will be sent ashore first. Some of the men of this most efficient arm are here shown, being inspected on shipboard, fighting with landing guns and acting as infantry.

MAIN PLAZA OF TAMPICO, MEXICO

This is the chief plaza of the city of Tampico, the gathering place of the people, and it may be subjected to bombardment by the American warships.

ADMIRAL FLETCHER AND HIS FLAGSHIP

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Rear Admiral Frank F. Fletcher, commanding the first division of the Atlantic fleet, has been stationed at Vera Cruz. The battleship Florida is his flagship.

GENERAL HUERTA

General Huerta has refused to order the American flag saluted at Tampico and faces an invasion of the country which has been trying to govern.

Some Ages of Trees.

Observations and records as to the general age of trees have shown that the pine tree attains 700 years as a maximum length of life; 425 years is regarded as the allotted span of the silver fir; the larch lives, as a rule, about 275 years; the red beech, 245; the aspen, 210; the birch, 200; the ash, 176; the elder, 145; the elm, 130. The heart of the oak begins to rot at about the age of 300 years. Of the holly it is said that there is a specimen 410 years old near Aschaffenburg, Germany. A count of the annular rings in a gigantic California redwood tree showed that it began to grow in A. D. 550. It was 350 feet high, with a base circumference of 90 feet.

Nonsensical Question.

Jakey, the lazy and overgrown son of a resident of the Bronx, was recently haled before the magistrate in the Morrisania police court by his father, who charged him with being incorrigible, a deadly enemy of work in all its branches, staying out late at nights, smoking cigarettes and a few other habits unbecoming a boy on the threshold of manhood. The parent was mad clear through, and told the court in no soft language just what he thought his boy was coming to.

"Does he strike you?" asked the judge of the young man's father when the latter had cooled off somewhat.

"Strike?" came back the father. "Why, Mr. Judge, your honor, how can dot boy strike ven he doesn't even wok?"—New York Tribune.

WILL SEIZE PORTS WITHIN 48 HOURS

UNITED STATES FORCES WILL TAKE VERA CRUZ AND TAMPICO AT ONCE

HOUSE GIVES ENDORSEMENT

Detailed Plans For Landing Marines at Two Principal Mexican Ports Are Made at White House Last Evening

Washigton, D. C., April 21.—In forty-eight hours, possibly less, the United States government will have taken possession of Mexican customs houses at Tampico and Vera Cruz.

Detailed plans for landing marines at these two points were completed at a White House conference.

The resolution passed the house, 337 to 37. The resolution follows: A joint resolution justifying the employment of armed forces by the United States in enforcing certain demands against Victoriano Huerta.

"Resolved by the United States house of representatives, that the president of the United States is justified in the employment of armed forces of the United States to enforce the demands upon Victoriano Huerta for unequivocal amends to the government of the United States for affronts and indignities committed against this government by Huerta and his representatives."

Objection to the singling out of Huerta as an individual cropped out among the senators when they were called upon to consider the resolution, and after a lengthy conference the senate forign relations committee, to which the resolution, with the preamble amended to read: "In view of the situation presented by the president," and eliminating the individual reference to Huerta throughout the measure.

The house had adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow. President Wilson, worn out, had retired, and crowds in the senate galleries were disappointed when the senate put over final action on the resolution by recessing at 12:30 until 12 noon to-day, under an agreement to consider the resolution then.

The vote on the resolution in the house came in after a spirited debate of over two hours, which was opened by Representative Flood favoring the adoption of the resolution.

The verbal strife waged from one side to the other, the first democrat speaking against the resolution being Stephen of Mississippi.

Minority Leader Mann, closing the debate against the resolution, declared I was opposed to war because he "had served in this house through one war, I have seen the results of the Spanish war. I have seen that no one can foretell the results of war.'

Reilly aroused a storm of applause on the democratic side by reciting a dramatic poem to the flag.

Those Voting Against

Among the representatives voting against the resolution were Anderson, Davis, Steenerson, Stevens, Volstea, all of Minnesota.

The senate which, after resuming the session to consider the resolution at 9:45 o'clock this evening, recessed to await the report from the committee on foreign relations, to which the resolution was referred. 12 o'clock is set for reassembling.

In his message the president emphasized that it is not the part of a powerful nation such as the United States, to declare war on a weak neighbor and indicated clearly that should war result, the United States will not seek to add to its territorial confines, its only purpose will be the restoration of law and order in Mexico.

Secretary Garrison announced that if the army will be used in enforcing the demands of Huerta, Major General Woods will go to Texas City to take charge of the situation.

The administration's plans for further action against Mexico marked the time tonight, the pending passage of a resolution endorsing the president's proposed action.

After an hourt and a half conference at the White House, both Daniels and Garrison announced that no order will be issued tonight to Admiral Badger's fleet or to the army.

Not Anxious for War

The president, in statements to newspaper correspondents, said he had no enthusiasm for war and hoped to avoid it, but he is taking forceful steps now to stop those indignities which might lead to armed conflict He drew distinction between the Huerta faction and the great body of Mexicans, who have refused to recognize Huerta as president.

The president said: "In no conceivable circumstances will we fight the people of Mexico."

Measures "short of war" are planned by the president, such as seizure of the custom house, occupation of coast towns, taking Mexican warships and a blockade of Mexico's commerce with the United States.

TROOPS READY FOR ANY ORDER

Chicago, Ill., April 20.—Troops at the United States forts in the central west are prepared to move instantly should their services be wanted in Mexico or at the Mexican border, according to Colonel William A. Shunk, commanding the Central department of the United States army, with headquarters Chicago.

Are You Suffering From Auto-Intoxication?

The dictionary says that Auto-Intoxication is "poisoning, or the state of being poisoned, from toxic, substances produced within the body." This is a condition due to the stomach, bowels, kidneys, liver, or pores of the body failing to throw off the poisons. More than 50% of adults are suffering from this trouble. This is probably why you are suffering from nervousness, headaches, loss of appetite, lack of ambition, and many other symptoms produced by Auto-Intoxication. Your whole system needs stirring up.

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400,000 Settlers a Year

Immigration figures show that the population of Canada increased during 1913, by the addition of 400,000 new settlers from the United States and Europe. Most of these have gone on farms in provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Lord William Percy, an English Nobleman, says:

"The possibilities and opportunities offered by the Canadian West are so infinitely greater than those which exist in England, that it seems absurd to think that people should be impeded from coming to the country where they can most easily and certainly improve their position.

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HEAD ITCHED AND BURNED

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"The trouble lasted till she was a year old and I saw an advertisement of Cuticura Soap and Ointment, so I sent for some. First I washed the sore part with the Cuticura Soap and then applied the Cuticura Ointment and left it on for a while, then I washed it again with the Cuticura Soap. Cuticura Soap and Ointment cured the sore in a week without a scar." (Signed) Mrs. Otto F. Heckly, Nov. 22, 1912.

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The Same Thing.

Secretary Garrison, apropos of his bill for creating six vice-admirals, said at a luncheon in Washington:

"This bill will make things better from a diplomatic standpoint, though the actual working of the navy will remain the same. Yes, the navy itself will be like Brown.

"Brown, idle through slack times, started to tramp to Buffalo by way of the Erie canal to look for a job.

"He met on his way a good many canal boats coming up and down, and finally stopping a canal boat captain, he offered to work his passage.

"The captain took him on and set him to leading the horses along the towpath.

"He led the horses for two days, thinking hard. On the third day he had thought it all out, and he resigned.

"'By the powers,' he said, 'I might as well walk as work my passage.'"

Their Way.

"The deaf and dumb couple in the next flat are having an awful row."

"Are they?"

"Yes, indeed! You ought to see the way they are handing it out to each other."

Reason for Acquittal.

Juror—We acquitted him out of sympathy.

Friend—For his aged mother?

Juror—Oh, no; for having such a lawyer.

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PRESIDENT ASKS FOR AUTHORITY TO MEET CRISIS

READS MESSAGE BEFORE CONGRESS ASKING PERMISSION TO USE ARMED FORCE IN MEXICO.

HONOR OF UNITED STATES AT STAKE, SAYS EXECUTIVE

Thinks High Office Carries Power to Meet Situation, But Seeks Cooperation of Both Houses—Disclaims Intention of Aggression on Part of U. S.

Washington, April 21.—President Wilson laid the Mexican situation before congress in these words:

Message of President.

"Gentlemen of the Congress: It is my duty to call your attention to a situation which has arisen in our dealings with General Victoriano Huerta at Mexico City which calls for action and to ask your advice and co-operation in acting upon it. On the ninth of April a paymaster of the U. S. S. Dolphin landed at the Iturbide bridge landing at Tampico with a whaleboat and boat's crew to take off certain supplies needed by his ship and while engaged in loading the boat was arrested by an officer and squad of men of the army of General Huerta. Neither the paymaster nor any one of the boat's crew was armed. Two of the men were in the boat when the arrest took place and were obliged to leave it and submit to be taken into custody, notwithstanding the fact that the boat carried, both at her bow and her stern, the flag of the United States.

How Arrest Was Made.

"The officer who made the arrest was proceeding up one of the streets of the town with his prisoners when met by an officer of higher authority, who ordered him to return to the landing and await orders; and within an hour and a half from the time of the arrest orders were received from the commander of the Huerista forces at Tampico for the release of the paymaster and his men.

"The release was followed by apologies from the commander and later by an expression of regret by General Huerta himself. General Huerta urged that martial law obtained at the time at Tampico; that orders had been issued that no one should be allowed to land at the Iturbide bridge; and that our sailors had no right to land there. Our naval commanders at the port had not been notified of any such prohibition; and, even if they had been, the only justifiable course open to the local authorities would have been to request the paymaster and his crew to withdraw and to lodge a protest with the commanding officer of the fleet.

Admiral Demands Salute.

"Admiral Mayo regarded the arrest as so serious an effront that he was not satisfied with the apologies offered, but demanded that the flag of the United States be saluted with special ceremony by the military commander of the post.

"This incident cannot be regarded as a trivial one, especially as two of the men arrested were taken from the boat itself—that is to say, from the territory of the United States; but, had it stood by itself, it might have been attributed to the ignorance or arrogance of a single officer.

"Unfortunately, it was not an isolated case. A series of incidents have recently occurred which cannot but create the impression that the representatives of General Huerta were willing to go out of their way to show disregard for the dignity and rights of this government and felt perfectly safe in doing what they pleased, making free to show in many ways their irritation and contempt.

Other Indignities.

"A few days after the incident at Tampico an orderly from the U. S. S. Minnesota was arrested at Vera Cruz while ashore in uniform to obtain the ship's mail and was for a time thrown into jail. An official dispatch from this government to its embassy at Mexico City was withheld by the authorities of the telegraphic service until premptorily demanded by our charge d'affaires in person.

"So far as I can learn, such wrongs and annoyances have been succered to occur only against representatives of the United States. I have heard of no complaints from other governments of similar treatment. Subsequent explanations and formal apologies did not and could not alter the popular impression which it is possible it had been the object of the Huerista authorities to create, that the government of the United States was being singled out and might be singled out with impunity for slights and affronts in retaliation for its refusal to recognize the pretensions of General Huerta to be regarded as the constitutionalist provisional president of the republic of Mexico.

Other Offenses May Come.

"The manifest danger of such a situation was that such offenses might grow from bad to worse until something happened of so gross and intolerable a sort as to lead directly and inevitably to armed conflict. It was necessary that the apologies of General Huerta and his representatives should go much further, that they should be such as to attract the attention of the whole population to their significance and such as to impress upon General Huerta himself the necessity of seeing to it that no further occasion for explanations and professed regrets should arise.

"I, therefore, felt it my duty to sustain Admiral Mayo in and to the whole of his demand and to insist that the flag of the United States should be saluted in such a way as to indicate a new spirit and attitude on the part of the Huerістas.

Asks Support for New Course.

"Such a salute General Huerta has refused and I have come to you to ask your approval and support in the course I now propose to pursue.

"This government can, I earnestly hope, in no circumstances, be forced into actual strife. If we are to accept the tests of its own constitution, Mexico has no government. General Huerta has set his power up in the City of Mexico, such as it is, without right, and by methods for which there can be no justification. Only part of the country is under his control.

"If armed conflict should unhappily come as a result of his attiude of personal resentment towards this government, we should be fighting only General Huerta and those who adhere to him and give their support, and our object would be only to restore to the people of the distracted republic the right to set up again their own laws and their own government. I earnestly hope war is not now in question. I believe I now speak for the American people when I say we do not now desire to control in any degree the affairs of our sister republic.

Friendly Towards Mexico.

"Our feeling for the people of Mexico is one of deep and genuine friendship and everything that we have so far done or refrained from doing has proceeded from our desire to help them, not to hinder or embarrass them. We would not wish even to exercise the good offices of friendship without their welcome and consent. The people of Mexico are entitled to settle their own domestic affairs in their own way and we sincerely respect their right. The present situation need have none of the grave implications of interference if we deal with it promptly, firmly and wisely.

Approval to Use Armed Force.

"No doubt I could do what is necessary in the circumstances to enforce respect for our government without recourse to the congress and yet not exceed my constitutional powers as president; but I don't wish to act in a matter possibly of so grave consequence except in close conference and cooperation with both the senate and house. I therefore, come to ask your approval that I should use the armed forces of the United States in such ways and to such an extent as may be necessary to obtain from General Huerta and his adherents the fullest recognition of the rights and dignity of the United States, even amidst the distressing conditions now unhappily obtaining in Mexico.

Honor of U. S. at Stake.

There can in what we do be no thought of aggression or of selfish aggrandizement. We seek to maintain the dignity and honor of the United States only because we wish to keep our great influence unimpaired for the uses of liberty, both in the United States and wherever else it may be employed for the benefit of mankind."

Fear For Aurtrian Emperor.

Vienna, Austria.—"The health of Emperor Francis Joseph is not unsatisfactory." This was the official bulletin issued at the palace of Schoenbrunn. The guarded language of the official bulletin caused apprehension in Vienna that the emperor's condition was graver than admitted by his physicians. Fear was expressed in court circles that unless the catarrh from which he is suffering diminishes within a short time serious complica-

Tentative Market Site Selected

Fargo.—The city commission will designate the stub end of Fifth street north for the central market site. The proposition was recently indorsed by the voters of Fargo and the commissioners will put it into operation as soon as possible. Should it prove popular a larger site will be secured. The location is on the interurban and all the Moorhead street car lines and within a block of all the cars operated in Fargo.

Insane Convict Attacked Farmer

Grand Forks.—Olaf Boen sentenced to state's prison a year ago for horse stealing, is insane, and will be taken from the state penitentiary to the asylum for the insane in a few days. Boen attacked Duncan Ferguson, a farmer of Drayton, leaving him unconscious on the road and driving away with his horse and buggy.

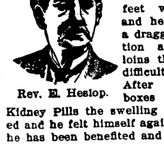
Collision in New York Harbor

New York.—The New York and Porto Rico line steamer Carolina, while coming to anchor at quarantine collided with the Hamburg American line steamer Cleveland, which had previously arrived from Naples and was at her anchorage. The Carolina's stem was twisted above the water line and the Cleveland's plates on the port side were dented for some distance above and below the water line, causing her to leak. Nearly all of the passengers were asleep.

While the world lasts, the sun will gold the mountain tips before it shines upon the plain.—Bulwer.

A CLERGYMAN'S TESTIMONY.

The Rev. Edmund Heslop of Wigton, Pa., suffered from Dropsy for a year. His limbs and feet were swollen and puffed. He had heart fluttering, was dizzy and exhausted at the least exertion. Hands and feet were cold and he had such a dragging sensation across the loins that it was difficult to move. After using 5 boxes of Dodds Kidney Pills the swelling disappeared and he felt himself again. He says he has been benefited and blessed by the use of Dodds Kidney Pills. Several months later he wrote: I have not changed my faith in your remedy since the above statement was authorized. Correspond with Rev. E. Heslop about this wonderful remedy.



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"My wife and I," he said, "have a large family of children, and whenever the colonel comes west and stops off we have a new addition to show him. That pleases him, you bet.

"The last time the colonel came to see us he was in a hurry. As he was leaving my wife said to him:

"'But you haven't seen our last baby!'

"'No, ma'am,' says the colonel, his eyes twinkling behind his glasses, 'and I never expect to!'"

Big English Incomes.

Replying to a parliamentary inquiry as to how many persons in Great Britain are assessed for super-tax at $750,000 or more, the secretary of the treasury said: "I cannot undertake to classify in separate divisions incomes exceeding $500,000 a year. The aggregate number of persons assessed for super-tax in respect to an income exceeding $500,000, according to the latest figures available, is 66."

Natural Mistake.

"I was only whispering sweet nothings in Mabel's ear," said the young man as Aunt Miriam entered the parlor in search of her glasses.

"Strange you should have mistaken her mouth for her ear," retorted the aunt as she left the room.

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From Mrs. J. D. Murdoch, Quincy, Mass.

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Additional Locals

Mrs. Folstad left for St. Hilaire last Monday for a few days visit.

Mrs. Louis Wigge and daughter was an over Sunday visitor at T. R. Falls with relatives and friends.

K. O. Sundahl of T. R. Falls, was at Holt last Monday on business. He became a subscriber of this paper

Sheriff Forsberg passed thru Holt last Monday on the Warroad local. He stepped of at Holt to shake hands with some of his friends.

Mrs. J. C. Davidson, of T. R. Falls was an over Sunday visitor at Holt. Mrs. Davidson has a lot friends at Holt who were glad to see her.

Mr. and Miss Folstad, son and daughter of our section foreman, arrived last Monday from St. Hilaire and will make Holt their future home.

Prof. Warner of the Agricultural Dept. of Thief River Falls, was at the two associated school districts near Holt last Wednesday to attend to his duties as agricultural instructor.

Emma Olson went to T. R. Falls last Wednesday to join the Royal Neighbors. It is expected that the rest of the Royal Neighbors will do the same.

Word has been received that Dr. R. L. Olson, who is now at Warren, under doctors' care, is getting along nicely. He has undergone an operation for appendicitis.

I am closing out my entire line of shirts, at less than cost. If you want a real bargain, do not fail to come in. Shirts at 38c and up. R. Reierson. (adv.)

Esther Mickelson returned from Mud Lake last Thursday where she has just finished a successful term of school. She has already accepted another position to teach a six weeks term of school, at Ringbo.

Last week A. H. Huseth purchased from S. S. Kolden the two lots on the corner of Marshall Ave. and Second St., where he contemplates the erection of a nice new dwelling in the near future.

Andrew Stenseth of Albert Lea, Minn., was in Holt last Saturday attending to some real estate business. Mr. Stenseth was an old real estate agent at Holt, but is now engaged in the same business at Albert Lea.

Emil Johnson of Alvarado journeyed across the country last week to visit his folks, Erick Johnson of Ringbo, before seeding commenced. Emil married a widow near Alvarado last winter, and is now a Snake River farmer.

Joseph Jarland of Halliday, D. who recently porchased the [illegible] Engen place at Ringbo, arrived at Holt ldst Friday with his family and household goods. He expects to make this place his future home and we wish him success in his new venture. Mr. Jarland has eight heavy horses but wishes to dispose of four of them so if you are in need of some good horses, do not fail to see him.

The Marshall county boy who wr;tes the best essay of from [illegible] to 700 words on clover, alfalfa or live stock will get a free trip and free entertainment at the state fair. The prize was won last year by Arthur Kelley, of Eastern Marshall county. We would be glad to see him or some other Eastern Marshall county boy win out again. As all essays have to be in the hands of the county superintendent by May 1st, the time is short and the boys who have passed up the opportunity so far should get [illegible]

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Elmer Odie of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on Nov. 19, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05747, for N½ SW¼, Section 15, Township 156 N. Range 41 W. 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 15th day of May 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Clarence Larson, Charles A. Holmgren, Bernard Larson, William Robertson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.
Apr. 8 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Charles A. Holmgren, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on December 24th, 1909 made Homestead Application Serial No. 05[illegible], for NW¼, Section 15, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Obert W. Odie, Elmer Odie, Clarence Larson, Christ Sorbeck, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

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Horse For Sale

I have for sale a good work horse, sound and gentle, weight about 1000 Price $125. Call or address Ed. Silbaugh, Holt, Minn.

FOR SHERIFF

To the voters of Marshall County:-

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nominationt of Sheriff of Marshall County on the Non- Partisan ticket, and respectfull solicit your influence and vote at the primary election to be held June 16th, 1914. If nominated and elected I will discharge the duties of my office to the best of my ability.

Yours very truly,
OSCAR OSETH. (adv.)

ANCIENT METAL WORK LASTS

Metallurgist's Investigation of the Nature of Old Egyptian Objects Proves Interesting.

In a paper read at the recent meeting of the (British) Institute of Metals in Ghent, Belgium, the writer described his investigations into the crystal structure of Egyptian metal objects, all more than 2,000 years old, made either of bronze or copper.

An interesting photograph reproduced in the paper is of a Roman coin which still shows cores.

The writer described the case of a bronze knife 3,500 years old, in which the original cored structure has endured until the present day and is still perfectly stable at atmospheric temperatures. The view is held that the knife was hammered cold and so the best cutting edge was obtained. The crystal grains are very small, there having been apparently no crystal growth during the ages that have passed since the metal was first worked. This shows either that recrystallization does not take place at ordinary temperatures or if it does then many times 3,500 years is required to effect the change.

WORLD'S LARGEST ORGAN

The new organ which is to be placed in the great cathedral now in course of erection in Liverpool will probably be classed among the wonders of the world, as it will be the largest organ in existence. According to the "Musical Times," the organ in the Sydney town hall now has the distinction of standing first in point of size.

The Liverpool organ will take four years to construct. It will contain 215 drawstops, speaking and mechanical, and the total number of pipes will reach the remarkable number of 10,567. It will occupy two special chambers, one on each side of the chancel. It is the gift of Mrs. James Barrow of Waterloo, near Liverpool, and will cost $450,000.

ODD POSE.

"Have those people any standing in social life?"

"No; they've [illegible] gained a their footing."

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Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
March 9, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John E. Boyson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on July 16th, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08286, for NE¼ NW¼, Section 27, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 1st day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Knutson, Carl Sorum, Sven Carlson, Clarence Knutson, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
March 30th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Arne Nilson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on December 13th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, 07029, for NE¼ SE¼, section 5, Township 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 4th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas Olson, of Holt Minnesota, Alfred O. Hanson of Holt, Minnesota, Edward Hanson of Holt, Minnesota, Nils Sordal of Holt, Minnesota.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence Larson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Febuary 25th, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05105, for SE¼, Section 15, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Bernard Larson, Elmer Odie, Charles A. Holmgren, Obert W. Odie, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

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Notice For Publication.

Department of The Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Alfred C. Olson of Holt, Minn., who, on July 30, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08331, for SE¼ SW¼ sec. 1 NE¼ NW¼, Sec. 12, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Svenke Svenkeson, Carl Anderson, Martin T. Olson, Hans Stensrud, all of Holt Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
April 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Martin T. Olson of Holt, Minn., who on Feb. 8, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05074, for E½ NE¼ NE¼ SE¼ sec 11 SW¼ NW¼ Section 12 Township 156 N. R. 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Svenke Svenkeson, Carl Anderson, Alfred Olson, Hans Stensrud, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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United states Commissioner, District of Minnesota

Final Proofs and Homestead Entries carefully attended to.

Middle River, - - - Minnesota.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 14, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Gunder Olson Haugen, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Aug. 29th, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05559, for S E¼, Section 16, Township 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet U. S. Commissioner for district of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 26th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Tharald Tharaldson, Tom Tharaldson, Tom Bakken, Gunder Brokke all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 18th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Carl L. Anderson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Feb. 23, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05097, for W½ NE¼ and NW¼ SE¼ and NE¼ SW¼, Section 11, Township 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Martin T. Olson, Alfred C. Olson, Hans Stensrud, Svenke G. Svenkeson all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

The Holt State Bank is the place to pay you taxes.

The Free Mission Ladies' Aid Society will have an auction sale at he Holt school house Saturday evening, May 9th. Everybody invited, but do not forget your pocket book.

Yes, darling, go tell mother she does not have to send to Chicago for McFadden's Happy Day Coffee now. She can get at R. Reierson's Store, Holt, Minn. (adv)

P. L. Anderson, Anne Tharaldson and Mr. and Mrs. Huseth autoed to Viking last Sunday evening to take in the cantata given by Rev. Roseland's choir. Mrs. Huseth and Miss Taraldson are members of the choir

Yes, that is the coffee, McFaddens Happy Day coffee. None better. Over two million packages sold every month. It's the best 35 and 40c coffee sold in America for 30 cents. Sold by R. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

Four of the young gentlemen of Holt made a very enjoyable auto tiip to Middle River last Saturday evening, to take in the dance. Some returned with a livery, but Pete, however, returned with his auto the following Sunday. The car presented a rather muddy appearance. There seems to be a question in some of the boys' minds as to whether they had an enjoyable time or not.

We have just received a supply of House and Floor Paint.
S. S. Kolden & Co.

The Holt State Bank will make out your Final Homestead Proof notices, free of charge. (adv.)

The Editor has just received a new Avery Gasoline Tractor, therefore it will now be business of what? To scare the crows from the school section? Andrew Sorum will be at the lead and Frithjob Risberg at the steer. Good Night!

Call for McFadden's Happy Day coffee and McFadden's Morning Blend Coffee at R. Reierson's Store, Holt, Minn. You receive a nice china cup and saucer with each package some packages having either a sugar bowl, a big meat plate, potatoe dish or water pitcher. (adv.)

TO OUR CORRESPONDENTS:

In a few words I wish to state, in a friendly way, the rules that must be kept in mind. You must send in your correspondence to reach this office not later than Wednesday. Always sign your name, not for publication, but for our own use.

We appreciate all the news from all parts of the community and will publish in our paper from week to week all that we have space for. Last week we received news from different parts which we could not publish due to lack of space, but do not be disappointed, come again, and we shall try and do our best. Just as soon as we get things in shape and secured steady help we intend to print another page of home reading which I trust will meet with the approval of our readers.

Thanking you for the assistance you have given this paper since we became owners of it and hoping to receive your further co-operation.

Editor.

When you need a shave go to Huseth. When you need a hot cup of coffee go to Huseth. When you want to sweeten up go to Huseth. When you Want some fruit go to Huseth. When you want some soft drinks go to Huseth. In fact for anything in my line see me, and I'll treat you right.

For State Senator

To the Voters of the 67th Legislative District.

At the solicitation of numerous friends throughout the district comprising Marshall, Kittson and Roseau counties, it gives me pleasure to announce my candidacy for the office of State Senator

If honored with the nomination and election I hereby pledge myself to carry out the wishes of the people irrespective of personal views or opinions, as I conceive it to be the highest duty of a representative to represent the will, not of himself, but those of who honor and trust him to do their bidding for the welfare of the district

Primarily I [illegible] attitude in the county option question, and I recognize the right of the public to such a statement from one who seeks their support for so important and honorable a position as that of State Senator I am in favor of County Option and if elected I will not only vote for, but will use my best efforts in furthering the adoption of such a bill, believing that to be the best solution of the liquor question.

I further pledge myself to use my best efforts to further the [illegible] development of Northern Minnesota and especially the counties that I shall represent.

Assuring you that I will at all times endeavor [illegible] our interests and [illegible] of the 67th Legislative district, I remain

Respectfully
Nels [illegible]

DON'T KEEP YOUR Money in the House

PUT IT IN THE BANK

When your money is BURNED up regrets won't bring it back to you. It is very unsafe and it WORRIES you a whole lot to have money in you house or in a hole in the ground. Besides "looking" time after time to see if it is safe teaches people where it is and makes it very UNSAFE.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1.42
Wheat	.83
Barley	.34
Oats	.28
Rye	[illegible]
Flour, Best Patent	2.5[illegible]

SPECIAL SALE

For One Week Only

Begins Monday, May 4th - Ends Sat., May 9th.

NOW is the time to buy your goods. Look at the following bargains and figure up and see what you can save by buying NOW.

DRY GOODS

We have about 200 yards of Remnants that go at 1-2 price. This will go fast so watch your chance.

Embroidered Flouncing in Gray and Lavender of very good quality, regular price 65c at this sale only 35c

We just received a lot of dress goods in black, red and blue that have never been sold less than 5oc and 65c, at this special sale only 39c

This is a snap

One Table full of dress goods [illegible] colors and patterns that have been sold for 35c and 25c, special sale price 17c

This is where you save money,

12 1-2c and 15c curtain goods, at this special sale, per yard 10c

Now is the time to [illegible]

CAPS

[illegible] for this special sale only 9c

35c boys caps, go at 23c

SHIRTS

[illegible] work shirts [illegible] 50c [illegible] special sale [illegible] 39c

Never before have we been able to obtain such good values in work shirts [illegible] them over and we know you will buy at least 1 2 doz.

PANTS

[illegible] pants [illegible] sold fo[illegible] at this special [illegible] 93c

When you [illegible] buy pants cheaper than overalls why not buy pants

SHOES

Big reduction in all shoes [illegible] cost.

Don't put off coming to this Special Sale, because if you do you'll get left.

THESE ARE SURE SOME BARGAINS.

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THE BIG NEW STORE

HUSETH's

There's no Place Like Home, of course

But--- Are you a patron of our Dairy Lunch Counter?

Our Goods always Fresh, Pure and Wholesome

AT HUSETH, Holt, Minn.

The Best Is Here

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Defective Page

PEACE IS ASSURED BY LATEST MOVES

Wilson Will Leave Salvation of Mexico to Rebels, Huerta Being Permanently Eliminated

GEN. FUNSTON'S TROOPS ARRIVE

European Countries Join Latin America In Bringing Pressure on Dictator To Accept Mediation--U. S. To Keep Vera Cruz Temporarily

Washington, D. C., April 27.— President Wilson Has Practically Decided to Let the Mexican Rebels Try to Work Out the Salvation of Their Country. He will Hold the Vera Cruz Custom House, However, Until They Establish a Worthy Government When He Will Turn It Over to Them and Withdraw the American Forces. Meanwhile, Unless Americans are Massacred, the Troops at Vera Cruz Will Wage no Aggressive Campaign

Washington, D. C., April 27.—The Mexican war situation has taken on a decidedly Pacific aspect. With Huerta's consent to mediation, leaving the details only to be arranged, and President Wilson's decision to wage no aggressive campaign with his troops at Vera Cruz, the probability of real war has become, within the past 24 hours, a mere possibility.

President Wilson appears to have decided to eliminate Huerta through the mediation plan by letting the Latin-American republics conduct the negotiators, and in so doing deprives Huerta of the opportunity to stir up an anti-American feeling in Central and South America in the event he is deposed. If on the other hand Huerta shows a selfish nature in impossible requests, Latin-America will readily see his objects and block them.

So pacific is the outlook that the Associated Press and other large news gathering mediums have cut off their extra service and it will not be resumed unless affairs take a sudden and unexpected turn.

Washington, D. C., April 27.—Huerta must go, despite any mediation plans. This is the possitive assertion of one of the leading diplomats at the national capital. Fear was expressed that Huerta might attach many impossible conditions to his acceptance of the mediation plan, met with the answer that his conditions did not matter. Wilson will eliminate Huerta even if he has to recognize the Constitutionalists.

Washington, April 27.—Huerta's formal acceptance of the good offices of Brazil, Chile and Argentina to attempt to bring about peace, was cabled to the Spanish ambassador, Riano, tonight by Portillo Y' Rojas, foreign minister of the Huerta cabinet.

Immediately upon receipt of Huerta's acceptance, the three South American diplomats began a conference lasting far into the night, discussing the next move of the peace plan. The text of Huerta's acceptance was not made public.

Washington, April 27.—The tenseness in the Mexican situation was relieved today as representatives of Argentine, Brazil and Chile, supported by pressure from all Latin American and from foremost powers of Europe, concentrated their efforts toward a pacific adjustment of the crisis.

The success of the first steps toward mediation, the prompt acceptance by the United States, and the announcement of the Spanish ambassador that Huerta had accepted the tender of the good offices produced a feeling of hope which was reflected in administration quarters and congress, where "war talk" gave way to a spirit of conciliation.

The three South American envoys conferred throughout the day. Pending receipt of a formal acceptance by Huerta no proposals will be submitted. It was also pointed out that no conditions from either party as to the terms that will be acceptable has yet been formally placed before the intermediaries.

Through two separate diplomatic sources Wilson and Bryan have been assured Huerta is ready to accept the good offices and is now drafting a formal acceptance.

Pressure from Germany, Great Britain and France, advising Huerta to accept and approving the attitude of the Latin-American countries emphasized that world wide influences are working to bring peace.

Both the navy and war departments meanwhile are continuing their efforts to care for the refugees and perfecting plans for any unexpected turn of events. All ship commanders are being instructed to spread the news of mediation throughout Mexico.

By this Secretary Daniels hopes the feeling toward Americans may be alleviated and refugees enabled to depart unmolested.

Advices told of the arrangements for the safe departure of Americans from Mexico City. The French ambassador gave the state department a message he had received stating that while there has been some anti-American manifestations in the Mexican capital, order now prevailed.

Bryan declared that no Americans had been killed or injured since the crisis of the last two weeks began; that though many have been detained at Aguas Calientes, Cordoba and Orizaba, efforts are being made to obtain their release. Order prevails at Vera Cruz.

Brigadier General Funston of the army is expected to be in command of the situation tomorrow.

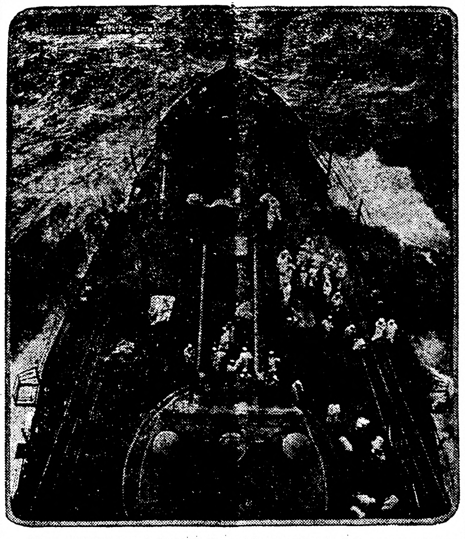
Vera Cruz, April 27.—With all ceremony the firing of a salute and a dress parade, the American flag was raised over the division headquarters of Rear Admiral Fletcher. Over the customs house the flag has been flying since the landing of the American forces, but until now there has been no ceremony indicating the formal occupation of Vera Cruz.

Transports with Brigadier General Funston's command aboard were off the port late today, but there have been no indication that the military force will be sen ashore now If the army lands, the blue jackets now on duty here will go aboard their ships but the marines will be left for land service.

Driven From City

Five Americans arrived by train from Mexico City today virtually expelled by Huerta. They were arrested at Pachuca for an unknown cause. One of them Dr. Hoskins, was treated rougher than others, but all were told to leave the country.

MISSISSIPPI HURRIES TO THE SCENE



View of the forward deck of the battleship Mississippi, commanded by Lieut. Com. W. G. Roper, which hurried from Pensacola to the Mexican coast. She is one of the vessels of the Atlantic reserve fleet and has four twelve-inch, eight eight-inch, eight seven-inch and twelve three-inch guns.

NO SUFFRAGE DECISION

HIGH COURT ADJOURNS WITHOUT TAKING ACTION.

Over 1,000 Illinois Saloons Will Have to Close, Temporarily at Least.

Chicago, Ill., April 25.—Failure of the supreme court to determine the constitutionality of the Illinois woman's suffrage act before the adjournment of the April term Thursday leaves the issue in doubt until the court reconvenes the first Tuesday in June.

The immediate result is that the 959 saloons closed by the elections of April 7 and the eight-odd closed by municipal elections last Tuesday will have to go out of business, at least temporarily. It also means local officials elected by women's votes, including six Chicago aldermen-elec, will not be disturbed for the present.

Two of the aldermanic candidates defeated by the women—T. H. Donoghue in the Twenty-eighth ward and W. F. Schofield in the Twenty-first—filed notice of contest during the day. Both attacked the constitutionality of the suffrage act. Schofield also charged the misuse of money by his successful opponent, Hugo Krause, Progressive, who was strongly supported by women of the statesmen's ward.

Mary A. Sellers, for five years stenographer in the banking department of the state auditor's office, whose resignation was demanded by State Auditor James J. Brady when the Democratic administration came into power at Springfield, must be reinstated in her position. The supreme court so decided. The ruling upholds the constitutionality of the state-wide civil-service act and places beyond the power of any political party or faction to discharge a competent employe on trumped-up charges through political prejudice. Forty-nine hundred employes are directly affected by the ruling. Their aggregate salaries amount to about five million dollars annually.

The opinion knocked down every ruling which has been handed out from Attorney General Lucey's office to the effect that the act is unconstitutional.

I. W. W. HIT SALVATION ARMY

Crowd at Seattle Street Meeting Attacks and Disperse Band of Worshipers.

Seattle, Wash., April 25.—Several street speakers of the Industrial Workers of the World and their followers objecting to the noise made by a Salvation Army band which was playing in the street, attacked the Salvationists, who retreated to their barracks. Police reserves were summoned to protect the religious workers, many of whom were women. Detectives near the scene when the trouble began held the attacking party at bay with drawn pistols until the reserves arrived from police headquarters. During the retreat of the Salvation Army many stones and clubs were hurled.

Four Are Burned to Death.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 27.—When the home of John Ploegma at Holland was destroyed by fire, three children, a girl five and boy three and an infant, were burned to death. Mrs. Ploegfma was burned and died.

Texas Militia Troops to Border.

Houston, Tex., April 27.—The Houston Light guard and troop A of the Houston cavalry, part of the state militia, were ordered by Governor Colquitt to be prepared to leave for the border at any time.

ENTOMBED PARTY SAFE

MINE SIEGE CRUX OF COLORADO STRIKE WAR.

Desultory Skirmishes Occur in Other Districts—Lists of Dead Reaches Twenty-nine.

Trinidad, Colo., April 25.—The feeling of relief over the announcement in Trinidad Thursday afternoon that all of the women and children entombed in the wrecked slope of the Empire mine had been taken out in safety was turned to gloom again by the receipt of authentic information that the Southwestern mine has been razed, and 20 more miners, their wives and children, and a number of guards have fled into the mine entrance to escape a hail of lead.

The known death list, as a result of the fighting that started on Monday and has been almost continuous since, is 29. Twenty-one lives were lost on Monday in the Ludlow battle, four employes of the Victor American Fuel company are known to have been killed at Delagua, and the bodies of four strikers, killed during the fighting in and about Aguilar, are lying in the morgue at that place.

Late today strikers had cleared away the wreckage at the mouth of the Empire mine, which was closed by explosions of dynamite, and after a parley with the entombed prisoners, conducted three women, two children, and Superintendent William Waddell, who was wounded in fighting, to a place of safety.

Desultory firing occurred in the forenoon at Ludlow. The main body of armed strikers was believed to be in the vicinity of Rugby and Primrose. A small number of guards was prepared to resist any attack at Rouse. A large body of armed men was reported marching from Trinidad against the militia at Ludlow.

Messages received at the Colorado Fuel & Iron company offices from Rouse said that Primrose was being dynamited. All of the inhabitants are believed to have left the camp.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRE

Union, Pa., April 24.—William Hamilton and Carl Hart, workmen, were killed when 2,500 pounds of powder exploded at the plant of the Dupont Powder company, near here.

Washington, April 24.—Admiral Badger today reported to the navy department that he had dispatched a supply ship to New Orleans for provisions of all kinds.

Berlin, April 24.—The small German cruiser, Karlsrhue, which was recently put in commission, has been ordered to proceed to Mexican waters to relieve the cruiser Dresden.

Washington, April 25.—Following similar action in the senate, the house adopted the conference report on the Hay volunteer army bill providing machinery for the president to raise a volunteer army in time of threatened or actual war.

Prepare for New Liquor Law.

Baltimore, Md., April 27.—Maryland's new anti-liquor shipping bill, which permits each person on the eastern shore to receive only one gallon of whisky and six bottles of beer each month, goes into effect.

Two Killed in Motor Collision.

Ottawa, Ill., April 27.—Fred Wasmer of Varna and Eugene Reeves of Indiana were instantly killed near Varna when a motorcycle on which they were riding collided head-on with an automobile.

CARRANZA'S ATTITUDE SECRET

REFUSES TO TALK CONCERNING MEDIATION.

Rebel Leader Expecting Statement From Wilson Dealing With His Note.

Chihuahua, Mex., April 28.—General Venustiana Carranza, chief of the Constitutionalists, received a telegram telling of the offer of the governments of Argentina, Brazil and Chile to use their good offices in attempting a solution of the Mexican question. Whether he was included in the offer could not be learned, nor would he tal for publication on the subject.

Carranza is expecting a statement from President Wilson dealing with his note, the note which caused consternation among all classes here and accelerated the exodus of foreigners who, with the departure of a train load Saturday night, are now pretty well out of Northern Mexico.

Officials here insist that the purport of the note was friendly and that there was no intention of conveying the threat that if the American troops did not leave Vera Cruz, as Carranza said that in common justice they should, the Rebels would take the field against the United States.

It is known that the United States has asked Carranza for a precise statement of his attitude to clear up questions arising from a possibly faulty translation of his note. While it is not known what answer he has made, it was pointed out that his brusque refusal to accept the offers of certain Federal commanders to join forces against a foreign enemy plainly indicates that he does not contemplate war with the United States.

Refugees Reach California.

San Diego, Cal., April 28.—The monitor Cheyenne, carrying 81 American refugees from Ensenda, Lower California, has just reached this port. It is believed that practically all have heeded the advice of the state department to leave the country.

Villa Leaves Jaurez.

Jaurez, Mex., April 28.—General Francisco Villa has gone to Chihuahua on a special train.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Louisville	12	8	4	.667
Milwaukee	9	6	3	.667
Indianapolis	12	7	5	.583
St. Paul	12	6	6	.500
Kansas City	12	6	6	.500
Cleveland	12	5	7	.417
Minneapolis	9	3	6	.333
Columbus	10	3	7	.300

Results.

Minneapolis, 5; Kansas City, 3.
Milwaukee, 8; St. Paul, 3.
Columbus, 6; Cleveland, 3.
Louisville, 6-1; Indianapolis, 4-7.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	10	8	2	.800
Baltimore	7	5	2	.714
Buffalo	6	3	3	.500
Brooklyn	7	3	4	.429
Indianapolis	9	4	5	.444
Chicago	10	4	6	.400
Kansas City	10	4	6	.400
Pittsburg	6	2	4	.333

Results.

Kansas City, 12; Chicago, 4.
Indianapolis, 5; St. Louis, 3.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	11	7	4	.636
Detroit	11	7	4	.636
New York	7	4	3	.571
Washington	8	4	4	.500
Boston	8	4	4	.500
St. Louis	11	5	6	.455
Philadelphia	7	3	4	.286
Cleveland	11	3	8	.273

Results.

Cleveland, 4; Chicago, 2.
St. Louis, 4; Detroit, 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	10	8	2	.800
Philadelphia	7	5	2	.714
Brooklyn	7	5	2	.714
Chicago	10	4	6	.400
St. Louis	10	4	6	.400
Cincinnati	10	4	6	.400
New York	6	2	4	.333
Boston	8	2	6	.250

Results.

Pittsburg, 6; Chicago, 4.
Cincinnati, 5; St. Louis, 2.

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, April 28.—Wheat, May, 90¾c; July, 91⅝c; No. 1 northern, 94c; No. 2 northern, 92c; No. 1 durum, 87c; No. 3 corn, 64c; No. 3 white oats, 36¼c; barley, malting, 49c; No. 2 rye, 57½c; No. 1 flax, $1.53½.

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, April 28.—Wheat, May, 92⅛c; July, 93c; No. 1 northern, 90⅛c; No. 1 durum, 87½c.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, April 28.—Cattle—Steers, $6.50@6.75; cows, $5.25@6.50; calves, $4.50@7.75; hogs, $8.25@8.35; sheep and lambs, $5.85@6.50.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 28.—Hogs, receipts, 33,000, steady to a shade above Saturday's average; bulk of sales, $8.65@8.75; light, $8.55@8.80; mixed, $8.55@8.80; heavy, $8.35@8.75; rough, $8.35@8.45; pigs, $7.30@8.50.

Cattle, receipts, 20,000; slow, generally steady; beeves, $7.10@9.40; Texas steers, $7.10@8.20; western steers, $7@8.10; stockers and feeders, $5.50@8.20; cows and heifers, $3.70@8.50; calves, $6@8.50.

Sheep, receipts, 23,000, steady; native, $5.20@6.65; western, $5.30@6.75; yearlings, $5.70@7.40; lambs, native, $6.15@8.10; western, $6.20@8.35.

Although speculators and shippers gave the hog market a little firmness at the outset, prices failed to hold. Packers held off. Most of the cattle offered seemed to be of poor quality. Choice beeves were in demand. Sheep and lambs went mainly to country buyers.

All Tampico Refugees Home.

Galveston, Texas, April 28.—The battleship Connecticut and torpedo boat convoy Dixie came into port Sunday bringing the last of the American refugees from Tampico and nearby districts. "There may be five or six Americans still in Tampico, but they would not leave," said Captain John J. Knapp of Connecticut just after the battleship had dropped anchor. There were 490 refugees on the Connecticut and 570 on the Dixie. In all, about 2,100 American refugees have landed.

LOBBY REPORT MADE

JUDICIARY BODY GIVES HOUSE FINDINGS IN N. A. M. AND McDERMOTT CASE.

MAJORITY IS FOR CENSURE

Minority Recommendation Demands Expulsion of Member From Illinois —Lobbyists Are "Informally" Condemned in Statement.

Washington, D. C., April 27.—Whether the invisible government is greater than the constituted government was the issue put squarely up to the house of representatives Friday by the members of the judiciary committee of that body.

On behalf of the majority of the committee, Representative Floyd of Arkansas, Democrat, presented a report which in its recommendations not only treats the invisible government with great consideration, but declares it immune from punishment by the constituted government.

The report by the majority of the committee recommends merely the censure of Representative James T. McDermott of Chicago for his participation in the lobby scandal. A minority report by Representative John M. Nelson of Wisconsin and George S. Graham of Pennsylvania, Republicans, recommends the expulsion of McDermott.

The majority of the committee "informally" condemns the officials of the National Association of Manufacturers' J. Philip Byrd, John Kirby Jr., and James A. Emery, and former Field Agent Martin M. Mulhall for "improper and reprehensible lobby activities and systematic secret and disreputable practises against the honor, dignity and integrity" of the house in the last congress.

But any formal punishment, even censure of this organization or of its officials, is beyond the power of the house, says the majority of the committee, because the offenses were committed during the previous congress.

That the invisible government is not immune from punishment by the constituted government is contended by Representative FitzHenry of Illinois, Democrat, who filed a minority report.

Representative Floyd announced that he would call the report up for action by the house at a later date. At that time the house will decide the issue raised by the invisible government and the constituted government.

The resolution of expulsion proposed in the minority report by Representatives Nelson and Graham follows:

> Resolved, That James T. McDermott, a representative from the state of Illinois, having been guilty of gross misconduct entirely inconsistent with his public trust and duty, be and he is hereby expelled from his seat as a member of this house.

In their dissenting views recommend the expulsion of McDermott Representatives Nelson and Graham say:

"The large purpose of any action to be taken in cases of this kind is not punishment of an individual, but the protection of the honor of the house, the maintenance of the confidence of the people in its integrity and the preservation of its self-respect before the eyes of the world.

"The undersigned in this minority report respectfully submit that a careful weighing of the evidence by the membership of the house, provided we lay aside for the moment a wholly misplaced feeling of personal sympathy and look at the contradictions, evasions, and shifts in his testimony with cold common sense and dispassionate judgment, must inevitably lead to the conviction that Mr. McDermott is guilty, to say the least, of corrupt misconduct, wholly incompatible with official honor, trust, and duty.

"His admitted transactions with the district liquor dealers' lobby; his undeniable transactions with the pawnbrokers' lobby; his peculiar relationship with the National Brewers' association; his proven transactions with Mulhall in accepting sums of money; his inexcusable action in asking the manufacturers' association for financial credit, and his soliciting campaign funds from corporations, knowing that such contributions are in violation of law, these interests being vitally concerned in pending legislation and in every instance it being clear that Mr. McDermott received these funds in his representative capacity—all these venal transactions lead imperatively to the conclusion of guilt to a moral certainty."

Spain Would Be Mediator.

Spain, it is reported, has expressed his willingness to act as arbitrator between the United States and Provisional President Huerta, if agreeable to both sides.

Mexicans Threaten U. S. Surgeon.

Washington, April 27.—Acting Assistant Surgeon Tabeor of the public health service at Puerto Mexico reported that he had been driven from his post by the threatening attitude of the Mexican people.

Adams Express Won't Quit.

New York, April 27.—W. M. Barrett, president of the Adams Express company, denied emphatically that the company intends to go out of business, as was rumored in the financial district.

WOMAN COULD NOT SIT UP

Now Does Her Own Work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her.

Ironton, Ohio.—"I am enjoying better health now than I have for twelve years. When I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I could not sit up. I had female troubles and was very nervous. I used the remedies a year and I can do my work and for the last eight months I have worked for other women, too. I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound enough for I know I never would have been as well if I had not taken it and I recommend it to suffering women."

Daughter Helped Also.

"I gave it to my daughter when she was thirteen years old. She was in school and was a nervous wreck, and could not sleep nights. Now she looks so healthy that even the doctor speaks of it. You can publish this letter if you like."—Mrs. RENA BOWMAN, 161 S. 10th Street, Ironton, Ohio.

Why will women continue to suffer day in and day out and drag out a sickly, half-hearted existence, missing three-fourths of the joy of living, when they can find health in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

What He Wanted.

"My wife insists on having a flying machine."

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"Have you one that will fly at an altitude of about ten inches?"

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No matter how long you have been tortured and disfigured by itching, burning, raw or scaly skin humors, just put a little of that wonderful resinol ointment on the sores and the suffering stops right there! Healing begins that very minute, and your skin gets well so quickly you feel ashamed of the money you threw away on tedious, useless treatments. Prescribed by doctors for nineteen years.

Resinol ointment and resinol soap also clear away pimples, blackheads, and dandruff speedily and at little cost. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

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Hemmandhaw—I thought Beanbrough was going on a month's vacation.

Shimmerpate—He was, but the boss only wanted to give him two weeks and he refused to take half a loaf.

Constipation causes and seriously aggravates many diseases. It is thoroughly cured by Dr. Pierce's Pellets. Tiny sugar-coated granules. Adv.

Once in long time a married man makes a specialty of doing things because his wife says he mustn't.

Housework Is a Burden

It's hard enough to keep house if in perfect health, but a woman who is weak, tired and suffering from an aching back has a heavy burden.

Any woman in this condition has good cause to suspect kidney trouble, especially if the kidney action seems disordered.

Doan's Kidney Pills have cured thousands of suffering women. It's the best recommended special kidney remedy.

A NORTH DAKOTA CASE

"Every Picture Tells a Story."

Mrs. C. J. Tyler, Cando, N. D., says: "For years I had kidney trouble. My feet and limbs swelled and I couldn't sleep more than two hours at a time. In the morning I was all worn out. My back was lame and I had sharp pains when I stooped. Doan's Kidney Pills have removed all this trouble."

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS will put you right in a few days. They do their duty. Cure Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion and Sick Headache

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Genuine must bear Signature

Brent Good

Pettit's Eye Salve MAKES SORE EYES WELL

State News of General Interest

MILITIA ORDERED TO BE PREPARED

MINNESOTA NATIONAL GUARD MAY BE CALLED OUT AT ANY TIME.

PLANS ARE ALL BEING MADE

Regimental Officers Directed to Have Men Ready for Quick Mobilization—Most Will Volunteer.

Minneapolis.—Colonel Erle D. Luce, of the First regiment, Minnesota National guard, in common with the other regiment commanders in Minnesota, has received orders from General Fred B. Wood of the state troops to get in touch with the other officers immediately and to get ready to mobilize at short notice.

Most Will Volunteer.

Anticipating the receipt of the order Colonel Luce met with the officers of the First regiment. At the meeting he was assured that far more than 75 per cent of the men would volunteer for service in event of a call to arms and was assured that the officers would also volunteer.

This assured the acceptance of the Minnesota troops under their present organization. Fort Snelling would be the mobilization station under the law.

Twin City Recruits.

Colonel Luce has ordered the companies to recruit above the peace footing required by the war department, though all the companies are well above the minimum required. Recruits are being taken at the armories both in Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Should a call come to the Minnesota national guard, the officers believe the three regiments would be held at Fort Snelling only long enough to innoculate the men against typhoid fever, which would take but a few days.

CADETS PREPARE FOR WAR

Equipment Comes and Plan is to Organize a Regiment for Mexico Service.

Minneapolis.—War preparations are on at the University of Minnesota. The department headquarters of the regular army on request forwarded to the university two three-inch field guns and two caissons for artillery practise. Battery F at the university has war aspirations and will utilize the guns for practise in sighting, loading and firing.

Captain Charles C. Pulin, inspector and instructor for the state militia, is forming a class to instruct officers in the war game.

The cadets will form a regiment of the present cadets and alumni if there is a general call to Mexico. The students plan to have Major E. L. Butts, Twenty-fifth infantry, U. S. A., former commandant, now in Honolulu, for colonel, and Lieutenant J. B. Woolnough, U. S. A., present commandant, as lieutenant colonel.

Active and alumni officers will be asked to command the companies.

Spanish War Veterans Eager

Duluth.—Declaring that they are in favor of peace, but not for the kind purchased at the price of daily insults to the flag, 79 members of Camp John McEwen, United Spanish War Veterans, tendered their services by wire to President Wilson. They asked the privilege of again defending the flag of their nation in the threatened war with Mexico. The resolution to the president was adopted unanimously and with much cheering.

Buffalo Girl Killed By Auto.

Montrose.—Miss Marie Pohl Buffalo, was killed almost instantly when an automobile in which she was riding with Ed Boslough, Mike Swenson and Miss Edna Varner, turned over about a mile east of Waverly The party was returning from a dance. The accident occurred at a sharp turn in the road. Boslough, who was driving, received a severe cut on the forehead. Swenson and Miss Varner escaped uninjured.

Drops Dead in Field.

Pelican Rapids.—Carl Gustave [illegible]son, an old resident of Pelican township, dropped dead while working in a field.

To Resist Second Wife's Claims

Mankato.—The funeral of J[illegible] Micke, who died in a hospital in Minneapolis several days after an operation had been performed to remove a bullet that he had fired into his head, while despondent over the disappearance of his newly wedded second wife, took place here and was largely attended. He was well known, and left an estate valued at about $40 000. Steps will be taken on behalf of his seven small children to see that the second wife does not obtain the property.

REFUGEES REACH MINNESOTA

Women, Patients at Rochester, Tell of Night Attack on Home by Villa's Men.

Rochester.—Senora de la Vega Rafaela and Senorita Maria L. Flores, Mexican refugees, are in Rochester, coming here to consult surgeons. They tell a thrilling tale of how they lost all of their possessions in the Mexican land at the hands of the forces of General Villa.

At Culiacan the Rafaelas owned a fine estate with a mansion of twenty-seven rooms. In the darkness of the night, while the family was sleeping, the rebel forces attacked the home and ordered the inmates to get out at once. All jewels and other valuables were taken.

In the flight Senora Rafaela became separated from the rest of the family and took refuge in a chicken-house, where she spent the night. Her family, thinking that she had been captured or killed, continued on their way, catching a train and crossing the border to El Paso. When daylight came, Senora Rafaela disguised herself as a peasant woman, and by this means crossed the border unharmed, and later located her family at El Paso.

The rebel band took possession of the property, driving their horses into the house and watering the animals in the bath tub.

Members of the Rafaela family are well to do and had placed money in a bank at El Paso, which has furnished them with the necessities of life since their forced abandonment of their home. They have no hope they will ever regain their property.

FARMINGTON "DRYS" WIN OUT

Temperance Men Win Contest and Three Saloons Close as a Result.

Farmington.—The Farmington election contest involving the granting of liquor licenses has been decided in favor of the "drys" by Judge Johnson. On March 10 the village voted upon the license question, and the election board found that 154 voters voted against license and 152 for license. On one ballot all the printed words had been scratched out and two ballots were folded together, both being for license, thus making the total number of ballots in the box 309.

The election board could not agree upon the disposition of the ballots and therefore reported the matter undecided, and the village council allowed the saloons to run. Thereupon the "drys" instituted an election contest. Judge Johnson decided that the two ballots which had been folded together had been voted by the same person and that neither could be counted, and also held that the scratched ballot could not be counted, and that the "wets" had failed to receive a majority of the lawful votes cast at the election, and that consequently the town was "dry." The three saloons of the town have been closed.

Alfred E. Rietz of Farmington and Lind, Ureland & Jerome of Minneapolis represented Warren A. Hansomb, the contestant, and Earl C. Wilmot of Farmington and Albert Schaller of St. Paul represented the contestee.

E. L. RAAB OUT FOR GOVERNOR

Entrance of Another Into Republican Field May Complicate Situation Somewhat.

Duluth.—Second choice votes may decide who is to be the Republican nominee for Governor because of the unexpected filing of Elwood L. Raab, of this city, for that position. With but two candidates—Governor Eberhart and William E. Lee—in the field there would be no second choice space provided on the primary ballot, but with three in the race, this is made necessary, and if the contest is close this vote may determine the result.

Mr. Raab was born at Stewartville, Olmstead county, in 1860 and moved to Duluth in 1874. He has been a surveyor and mining engineer, he says for thirty years and was one of the first to discover iron ore in the range country. He was associated with the Merritts at one time, he asserts, and aided them in locating valuable mineral deposits.

Father Performs Double Wedding.

Elysian.—A double wedding occurred at the home of Rev. Charles Albrecht here, the brides being Miss Agnes and Dorothea Albrecht and the grooms Egmund Metzek of Elmore and Rev. Victor Schroeder of Augusta, Wis., respectively. The father of the brides performed the ceremony.

Lutherans Hold Conference.

Thief River Falls.—The Park [illegible]sion special conference of the Evangelical Lutheran synod of Missouri Ohio and other states held its spring session in St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church in this city. The district, representing a constituency of over 1,000 voting members and [illegible],000 adherents, is the largest in the German Lutheran church of Minnesota. Pastors from every part of the state north of the twin cities were in attendance.

MAY COMPEL STATE AUDITOR

Game and Fish Protective Society Demand $30,000 for Fish Commission.

St. Paul.—Attorneys appointed by the Minnesota Game and Fish Protective association will appear shortly before the state supreme court in a certiorari proceeding to compel State Auditor S. G. Iverson to turn over to the state game and fish commission $30,000 received by the state from game licenses for residents. P. W. Guilford and H. G. Carleton were named by the association to act in the case, and the expense of the suit will be borne by the association.

The state commission will have a special meeting in a few days and make formal demand for the money. When refused, it will apply to the supreme court for the writ.

Mr. Iverson contends that the legislature made an appropriation to cover all expenses of game and fish protection. The commission asserts it is still entitled to the resident game license fees. The appropriation is nearly gone and unless the suit is won the commission will have to lay off all but four of its game wardens next month until Aug. 1.

SNELLING TROOPS IN MEXICO

Regiment That Went to Front First Had Been in State for Two Years.

Minneapolis.—The sending of the Twenty-eighth infantry of the United States regular army to Vera Cruz was of almost as much interest to Minneapolis residents as the departure of Minnesota troops would have been for the regiment, with a Minneapolis man as one of the commissioned officers and Colonel Edward H. Plummer, was at Fort Snelling for two years. Since early in 1913 the regiment has been at the Mexican border.

Second Lieutenant Charles Winslow Elliott, son of Judge Charles B. Elliott, sailed with the regiment. Lieutenant Elliott is a graduate of the University of Minnesota. He entered the army after taking an examination and Minneapolis friends are expecting his promotion to rank of first lieutenant in a few weeks.

The regiment since it has been on the Mexican border has been drilling and getting into shape for a rough active campaign.

JOHN LIND ORIGINATES PLAN

Minnesotan Responsible for Policy of Administration in Troublous Mexico.

Washington.—John Lind, the president's special envoy to General Huerta, virtually originated the plan pursued in Mexico by the president.

That plan, when fully carried out, means the ultimate elimination of Victoriano Huerta from the Mexican situation in order to enable the Constitutionalists to restore order, according to the belief expressed by members of congress who say they know the situation.

Mr. Lind, as a former member of the house, was in the chamber during the debate, and quietly urged members to vote for the resolution as drafted, containing a direct reference to Huerta. His reason for wanting Huerta's name to remain in the resolution is that he believes that so long as the dictator remains in charge of the so-called de facto government in Mexico City, internal strife will continue in the troubled republic.

50,000 AUTOS IN MINNESOTA

Number of Motor Cars Reach That Mark Says Secretary of State.

St. Paul.—There are 50,001 automobiles licensed in Minnesota, the 50,000 mark having been passed when A. J. Berthiaume, clerk in the office of Secretary of State Schmahl finished the work of the day.

No. 50,000 went to Arthur G. Rice, St. Paul. No. 50,001 was sent to D. C. Armstrong of Albert Lea, a banker and former president of the Minnesota State Bankers' association.

Licenses are being issued by the secretary of state at the rate of about 1[illegible] a day and it is believed that the 60,000 mark will be reached in a year. The numbers date back to January 1, 1912; Mayor Herbert P. Keller of St. Paul has No. 1.

The last legislature failed to make any provision for the extension of the state licensing system after January 1 next, and all licenses are issued to expire at that time.

Slayton Man Voluntary Bankrupt.

Mankato.—Peter M. Nelson, a hardware merchant of Slayton, has filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy in the federal court in this city.

Old Officers Reappointed.

Virginia.—At a meeting of the city council Edward F. Johnson was reappointed city engineer at a salary of $200 a month. C. Christofferson was given his old position as street commissioner. These two places have been a bone of contention with the council for a month, and other men were appointed. In the case of the engineer, the former appointee, A. E. Anderson, failed to qualify and Robert Lindsay, appointed street commissioner, could not secure confirmation.

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Research.

Mary, aged five, was watching her mother dust the Encyclopaedia Britannica—where it stood a long phalanx of volumes on the bottom shelf of the bookcase.

"What," she asked, "is an encyclopaedia?"

"An encyclopaedia," replied the mother, "is a lot of books that tell you about everything you want to know."

The next day Mary, whose recent studies at Sunday school had dealt with the Creation, was discovered seated upon the floor turning over the leaves of that volume of the encyclopaedia which bears the superscription Edw—Eva.

"What are you doing?" asked the grown-up intruder.

"I'm looking for a picture of God making the world," replied Mary.

ECZEMA ON BACK AND CHEST

Pierson, N. Dakota.—"The eczema started on my scalp. It finally went on to the back of my neck, then on to my back, arms and chest. It broke out in pimples first and then seemed to run together in some places, making a sore about the size of a dime. At times the itching and burning were so intense that it seemed unbearable. The more I scratched it the worse it became, and there would be a slight discharge from it, especially on my scalp, so as to make my hair matted and sticky close to the scalp. The hair was dry, lifeless and thin. My hair was falling so terribly that I had begun to despair of ever finding relief. My clothing irritated the eruption on my back. The affected parts were almost a solid scab.

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TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS:

In looking over our subscription list we find there are quite a few delinquent subscribers, and therefore wish to state that we would appreciate to have you pay up and renew your subscription for another year. As you are aware of this paper has changed hands and the subscription price reduced to $1.00. Inasmuch as we are greatly in need of money to help pay the running expenses of this paper, we would greatly appreciate your remittance by return mail.

It shall always be our aim to make this paper better and better but in order to make it a success we must have your assistance and we respectfully ask our friends and subscribers to aid us in getting new subscriptions and also to send in news items.

We have heard from quite a number of our subscribers stating that they are well satisfied with The Holt Weekly News, and this we surely appreciate. It shall always be our endeavor to give you a dollars worth of good reading for a dollars worth of subscription.

The Editor.

Notice to Road Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of May, 1914, at 2 o'clock p. m., of that day at the County Commissioners' room in the Court House in the City of Warren, Marshall County, Minnesota, the County Board will receive bids of dragging of the state roads as follows:

	Miles
State Road No. 1 north of Warren	6
State Road No. 1 south of Argyle	4
State Road No. 1 south of Stephen	2
State Road No. 1 north of Stephen	3
State Road No. 2 east of Warren	10
State Road No. 3 west of Warren	10
State Road No. 3 north-east Warren	8
State Road No. 4 east of Argyle	9
State Road No. 6 east of Stephen	13
State Road No. 7 south of Holt	8
State Road No. 4 west Newfolden	8

The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved.

Dated April 4, 1914.

(Seal)

A. G. Lundgren,
County Auditor,
Marshall Co., Minn.

Distribution of Pure Seed.

A report blank will be furnished by the N. W. Experiment Station to any person wishing to get pure grain for seed.

Shipment will NOT be made by the station until a report No. 1 is returned properly filled out relative to kind of soil and crop history of field where the seed will be used.

Not less than 10 lbs nor more than 30 lbs will be shipped to one person of any one variety. Any person may get one variety of one or more of the following grains:

(1) Winter Wheat, (2) Macaronia (3) Spring Wheat, (4) Early Oats (5) Late Oats, (6) Barley, 6 row, (7) Speltz, (8) Barley, 2 row, (9) Flax.

The grain will be shipped by the Experiment Station only upon receipt of blank filled out properly and money order or draft, equal to value of grain at five cents per pound, plus postage except when shipped by express collect.

A second report blank will be furnished for each variety shipped. This blank is to be filled out immediately after the grain is threshed in the fall and shall contain data asked for by the station. This data properly reported will entitle the person making same to future orders for 1915 free.

Respectfully,
O. I. Bergh,
Agronomist, N. W. Ex. Sta.
Crookston, Minnesota.

Horse For Sale

I have for sale a good work horse, sound and gentle, weight about 1000 Price $125. Call or address Ed. Silbaugh, Holt, Minn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Elmer Odle of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on Nov. 19, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05747, for N½ SW¼, Section 15, Township 156 N., Range 41 W. 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witness: Clarence Larson, Charles A. Holmgren, Bernard Larson, William Robertson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.
Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Charles A. Holmgren, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on December 24th, 1909, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05023, for NW¼, Section 15, Township 156 N, Range 41 W. 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Obert W. Odle, Elmer Odle, Clarence Larson, Christ Norbeck, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Mud Lake Murmurs.

Ole Saasted has returned to these parts and is getting his gas line tractor in trim for the busy season.

Mrs. P. A. Kolden and children are back after spending a weeks visit with friends and relatives in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Odie visited with Mrs. C. Holmgren last Thursday.

Miss Olga Larson was pleasantly surprised last Sunday evening the occasion being her birthday, by about twenty of her neighbors and friends. A delicious supper was served and the evening was spent in jokes and games till the guests departed at the wee hours of morn.

Miss Johnson arrived from Iowa on Monday for a visit with her brothers Gilbert and Martin Johnson.

Lars Lafaldi is working for Jacob Gabrielson at present.

School District No. 155 has been organized recently. School will commence the first week of May with Miss Alice Johnson of Warren as teacher.

Services will be held at T. G. Dahl's place Sunday, May 10th, at two o'clock and the Ladies' Aid Society meets with Mrs. E. C. Johnson the following Wednesday, May 13.

Grand Plain

Mrs. A. R. Hanson of Enderlin, N. D. visited with her sister Mrs. F. Coppay last week. She thinks this country is alright. She reports a very enjoyable time.

Miss Emma Jacobson visited at Holt for a few days. She returned last Sunday with her uncle F. Coppay.

FOR SHERIFF

To the voters of Marshall County:-

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff of Marshall County on the Non-Partisan ticket, and respectfull solicit your influence and vote at the primary election to be held June 16th, 1914. If nominated and elected I will discharge the duties of my office to the best of my ability.

Yours very truly,
OSCAR OSETH (adv.)

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of March, 1914.

Cream received	15,816 lbs
Average test	25.37
Butter fat	4,013.45 lbs
Butter made	48,97 lbs
Received for butter shipped	1051 03
Butter sold patrons	7 [illegible]
Cash sales at creamery	[illegible]
Total	$1,106 50
Paid patrons by check	948 74
" " " Butter	7 03
Expense fund, etc.	120 90
To sinking fund	27 50
Overpaid	1 47
Balance on hand	86
Total	$1,106 50

Number of patrons [illegible]
Price paid for butter fat 29 1-2c.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
April 28, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that George E. Olson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on June 23rd, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05875, for Lots 1 and 2 and 3 - Section 20 and lot 1 and SW¼ NW¼, Section 21, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Three Year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 3rd day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Isak Ostlund, Peter Ostlund, Rudolph Dahl, Peter Rosand, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
March 30th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Arne Nilson of Holt, Minnesota, who, on December 13th 1911, made Homestead Entry 07029, for NE¼ SE¼, Section 5, Township 155 N, Range 42 W. 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 4th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas Olson, of Holt Minnesota, Alfred O. Hanson of Holt, Minnesota. Edward Hanson of Holt, Minnesota. Nils Sordal, of Holt, Minnesota.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence Larson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on February 24th, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05105, for SE¼, Section 15, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Bernard Larson, Elmer Odle, Charles A. Holmgren, Obert W. Odle, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

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Notice For Publication.

Department of The Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Alfred C. Olson of Holt, Minn., who, on July 30, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 06837, for S E¼ S w¼ sec. 1 NE¼ Nw¼, Sec. 12, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Svenke Svenkeson, Carl Anderson, Martin T. Olson, Hans Stensrud, all of Holt Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
April 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Martin T. Olson, of Holt, Minn., who on Feb. 8, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05074, for E½NE¼, NE¼SE¼ sec 11 SW¼ NW¼ Section 12 Twnshp 156 N. R. 42 w., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Svenke Svenkeson, Carl Anderson, Alfred Olson, Hans Stensrud, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 14, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Gunder Olson Haugen, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who on June 20th, 1910 made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05650, for SE¼, Section 16, Township 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet U. S. Commissioner for district of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 26th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Tharald Tharaldson, Tom Tharaldson, Tom Bakken, Gunder Brokke all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U.S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 18th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Carl L. Anderson, of Holt, Minn., who on Feb. 23, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05097, for W½ NE¼ and NW¼ SE¼ and NE¼ SW¼, Section 11, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Martin T. Olson, Alfred C. Olson, Hans Stensrud, Svenke G. Svenkeson all of Holt, Minn.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1 42
Wheat	83
Barley	34
Oats	28
Rye	43
Flour, Best Patent	2 55

WALL PAPER

At this time of the year you will want to beautify your home by giving it a new coat of paper.

We have a good [illegible] on hand and will be pleased to have you call on us when in need of wall paper or anything else in our line.

C. H. GUNHEIM

Holt, Minnesota.

Local Items

Bring us the news.

For Dr. G. H. Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Why can't he have a base ball team this season? You base ball fans, get busy.

The Holt State Bank is the place to pay you taxes.

T. L. Melgaard of Thief River Falls, was at Holt last Thursday on business.

Carl Newton went to Thief River Falls last Monday, returning on Tuesday.

Yes, darling, go tell mother she does not have to send to Chicago for McFadden's Happy Day Coffee now. She can get at R. Reierson's Store, Holt, Minn. (adv)

Lydia and Walmer Risberg went to Thief River Falls Friday and returned on Monday.

Axel Nelson went to Warren last Thursday to attend to some court business and returned Saturday.

The Evegree Hotel is undergoing extensive remodeling and when completed will be a big improvement.

Mr. Jhalmer and Fred Peterson went to Thief River Falls last Friday partly for a visit and business.

Clerence Kolden is on the sick list. Dr. Mellby attended to him last week and reported the case to be small pox.

Yes, that is the coffee, McFaddens Happy Day coffee. None better. Over two million packages sold every month. It's the best 35 and 40c coffee sold in America for 30 cents. Sold by R. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

Mr. Ole Mattson is getting along nicely with his broken leg as well as could be expected from a man of his age.

Mrs. Docken and son went to Thief River Falls last Monday for a week visit with her parents, D. B. Bakke. They returned last Saturday

Mr. Rodolph Dahl is staying at Holt and is fixing up his gas tractor to take out to Golden Valley where he is going to turn over the soil.

Butter Pete is on the sick list. Dr. Mellby was called on and reported the fever 104. To bad Pete you can't make butter or attend to Sm.

A. H. Huseth has just installed a fine soda fountain in his confectionery. Mr. Hulseth now has an up-to-date place and as fine as any along the line.

Dr. O. F. Mellby of Thief River Falls was here on Tuesday and vaccinated a large number of people on account of the small pox scare.

P. L. Anderson, our popular butter maker, who has been on the sick list for the past ten days, is feeling much better. Here is for a speedy recovery Pete.

There is not one newspaper in Marshall county that feels sore at the county printing. What's the reason? It may be a special case which your shoe is pinching.

Dr. R. E. Olson returned last Friday from the Warren hospital where he underwent an operation. Mr. Olson states that he is feeling better than ever since the operation.

Do not fail to attend the Northern Minnesota Development Meeting at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, June 3, 4, 5, 1914. All who are interested in the betterment and advancement of Northern Minnesota should attend. Excellent speakers will be in attendance.

When you need a shave go to Huseth. When you need a lot of coffee go to Huseth. When you want to sweeten up go to Huseth. When you want some fruit go to Huseth. When you want some soft drinks go to Huseth. In fact for anything in my line see me and I'll treat you right

Mrs. C. Anderson of Mud Lake came down last Thursday for a few days visit with friends.

We have just received a supply of House and Floor Paint.
S. S. Kolden & Co.

Mrs. Ed. Selbaugh went to T. R. Falls last Tuesday for an over night visit with friends.

The Holt State Bank will make out your Final Homestead Proof notices, free of charge. (adv.)

John A. Sorum went to Thief River Falls last Thursday on business and returned the following day.

Call for McFadden's Happy Day coffee and McFadden's Morning Blend Coffee at R. Reierson's Store, Holt, Minn. You receive a nice china cup and saucer with each package, some packages having either a sugar bowl, a big meat plate, potatoe dish or water pitcher. (adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. Rodman, who recently purchased the Chas. McLean farm in East Valley, 8 miles northeast of Holt arrived here last week to make this place their future home. They are well pleased with their new home.

C. H. Nobre, of Spring Grove, arrived last Saturday with a car load of horses and farm machinery which he will take out to his 240 acre farm which he purchased recently from S. S. Kolden. He intends to move his family here also within a short time. They will occupy the W. A. Silbaugh place adjoining his farm until he can erect suitable buildings on his own place.

The candidates for office in Kittson county are announcing themselves pretty generally. There being fifteen candidates named in the last week issue of their home paper, the Karlstad Advice. That's the way, let the people know you are running for office so they will have time to pick the best men for the office. The primary election is getting close and if you do not announce yourself, we cannot vote for you. We have noticed in the local news that we have a candidate in the 5th district, but we don't know for sure, as he has not announced himself in the home paper so far as we know

For State Senator

To the Voters of the [illegible] Legislative District

At the solicitation of numerous friends throughout the [illegible] district comprising Marshall, Kittson and Roseau counties, it gives me pleasure to announce my candidacy for the office of State Senator.

If honored with the nomination and election I hereby pledge myself to carry out the wishes of the people irrespective of personal views or opinions, as I conceive it to be the highest duty of a representative to represent the will not of himself but those of [illegible] to do their bidding for the welfare of the district.

Primarily I [illegible] tude on the county option question and I recognize the right of the public to such a statement from one who seeks their support for so important and honorable a position as that of State Senator. I am in favor of County Option and if elected I will not only vote for that bill [illegible] my best efforts in furthering the adoption of such a bill believing that to be the best solution of the liquor question.

I further [illegible] my best efforts to further the advancement of Northern Minnesota and especially the counties that I shall represent.

Assuring you [illegible] times [illegible] interests and [illegible] 67th Legislature [illegible] I remain

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DON'T KEEP YOUR Money in the House

PUT IT IN THE BANK

When your money is BURNED up regrets won't bring it back to you. It is very unsafe and it WORRIES you a whole lot to have money in you house or in a hole in the ground. Besides "looking" time after time to see if it is safe teaches people where it is and makes it very UNSAFE.

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The First and Oldest Bank in Holt

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CAPITAL AND SURPLUS $12,500

Small Pox.

Dr. Greene of the State Board of Health was here last Monday and visited some of the homes out in the country. He is here to assist the authorities in stamping out the small pox which has become pretty generally spread out over the central part of the county. Several cases are reported from the following towns: Jupiter, Tegner, Davis, Norway, Percy, Hazelton and in the unorganized town east of Percy. The doctor advises the people to get vaccinated, as being quarantined with the small pox is so inconvenient. It is much better to have a sore arm for a few days than to be shut up for six weeks or so. Families infected with the disease cannot sell butter or cream off the farm. The easiest way out of an embarrassing situation seems for everybody to get vaccinated the sooner the better.—[illegible] Budget

Mrs. Karin Anderson died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. Carlson, last Friday, April 17th, at the old age of 82 years. She was born in Eidsvold, Norway, in 1832, emigrated to this country in 1890, and first located at Red Wing, Minn., and later moved to Holt with her daughter and son-in-law, F. Carlson. She leaves three daughters to mourn her death, Mrs. F. Carlson, Mrs. Gust Peterson, both of Holt, and Mrs. Engebretson, of Red Wing, Minn., and a number of other relatives and friends. The funeral services were held at Norwegian Lutheran Church the following Tuesday afternoon and the remains laid to rest in the Holt cemetery.

[illegible] Holt and vicinity. Have your family vaccinated as there is quite a number of cases of small pox around the country. Vaccination is for the benefit of yourself and the whole community at large. Small pox is not a very welcome disease, but by being vaccinated you may keep it away; should you have it, it would be in a mild form, red pimples without fever. If sickness like this or other spreading diseases should appear in your family, do not take your cream to the creamery; nor butter to the stores for by doing so you are under the penalty of the state law.

Card of Thanks

[illegible] to our many friends and relatives showing their kindness during the illness and death of our beloved mother and grandma.

Mrs. Carrie Anderson [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Pete son and Mr. Carl Engebretson

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DELEGATES TO BE NAMED AS PEACE ENVOYS DESIRE

U. S., HUERTA AND CARRANZA TO BE REPRESENTED AT MEDIATION CONFERENCES FROM NOW ON.

REBELS FORMALLY REFUSE TO AGREE TO ARMISTICE

Asserted That No Form of Treaty Can Ever Be Arranged Between Constitutionalists and Huerta—Arbitrators May Change Their Seat of Actions.

Washington, May 5.—The mediation plans of the South American envoys who are trying to straighten out the troubled affairs of Mexico, are going steadily forward, the next step in their procedure receiving most careful attention.

Delegates to Be Named.

The United States, the Huerta government and General Carranza are expected to name their delegates, as requested by the mediators Saturday night, within the next day or two.

The delegates for the United States have not yet been selected but it has became known that it will not be officials closely identified with the government.

Will Name Outsider.

As the three South American envoys are accredited to the United States this government does not wish to name a government official to deal with them, but to have an outsider who would deal with them without reference to their official relations to the United States.

This has eliminated Robert L. Lansing, counsellor of the state department, and in general all other government officials. To the names of John Bassett Moore and John Lind and Henry White, already mentioned, are now added those of Richard Olney, former secretary of state; Dr. David Jayne Hill, former ambassador to Germany, and Hannis Taylor, former minister to Spain.

De La Barra Expected.

The Huerta delegate is expected to be Francisco De La Barra, now Mexican minister at Paris, but nothing definite has been heard from Mexico City. A Mexico City dispatch, however, says Joaquin D. Casasus, former Mexican ambassador to the United States, has been hurriedly ordered to proceed to Washington from Carlsbad, where he has been taking the cure. The nature of his mission was not made public though.

Carranza Delegate Arrives.

Rafael Zubaran, personal representative of General Carranza, arrived here and is available as the Carranza delegate, although his particular mission in coming from Carranza is still to be announced and it is not yet definite that Carranza will go to the extent of naming a delegate to deal with the mediators.

When the delegates of the three parties arrive, it is expected the mediators will be ready to take up the crucial issues between the United States and Huerta at least, and, if possible, between Huerta and Carranza. Whether a plan of adjustment can be worked out is still an open question, even in the minds of the mediators. They expect the delegates from the three parties to assist them to get together on some middle ground. The mediators will continue to be the main body formulating a plan of settlement, as the delegates from the three parties will have no plenipotentiary powers and will act merely as advisers.

Carranza Refuses Armistice.

It became definitely established Sunday that General Carranza would not agree to the request of the mediators that he suspend military operations against Huerta pending the mediation proceedings and the envoys have been advised of this decision. It has been apparent for several days that Carranza intended to rush the army southward, but it was not until then that this was communicated as a finality.

It is said this will have no effect on checking the general plans of mediation, which will go steadily forward.

No Mediation Possible.

Close associates of Carranza, who have now arrived here, say that no mediation between them and Huerta is possible and that any move on the part of the three mediators to include in their program such a scheme for the general adjustment of Mexican affairs will be regarded as being outside the scope of their labors.

Carranza's refusal of an armistice with Huerta is the first adverse reply the mediators have received. On the other hand, favorable comment is made in circles close to the envoys upon the amenability Huerta has shown.

Aside from the personnel of the delegates from the three parties to the controversy, the mediators have given some informal consideration as to whether it may become desirable to go to some neutral point outside of Washington to carry forward their negotiations with the three parties concerned.

The only purpose in this would be to forestall the feeling on the part of any one of the parties that their sessions at the seat of government here might tend to a leaning toward the viewpoint of the United States.

ENEMY APPEARS TO BE HOSTILE

OVER 10,000 MEXICANS WATCHING VERA CRUZ.

Gen. Funston Reports to Wotherspoon and Garrison that Federals are Throwing Up Defenses.

Washington, May 5.—Dispatches from Brigadier-General Funston on the situation at Vera Cruz were the subject of a long conference at the war department between Secretary Garrison and Major General Wotherspoon, chief of staff of the army. It was said General Funston has asked for instructions in view of the hostile attitude of the Mexican army near the city.

Earlier the general had reported that the American outposts at Vera Cruz were being watched by the Mexicans, and there were over 10,000 troops encamped in the vicinity. These dispatches were summed up by Secretary of War Garrison in the following statement:

"I am in receipt of a dispatch from General Funston regarding the incident at the pumping plant. He says that the officer in command of the Mexican troops was Major Zapota, of the engineer corps of the Mexican army. He refers to the fact that very little dependable news about the conditions in the interior is coming in, because no more refugees are now coming into Vera Cruz.

"It is reported to him that General Maas has about 4,000 men at Soledad, and there are an unknown number, not larger, watching our lines. He understands that the Mexicans have 5,000 troops at Jalapa, and about 1,500 at Palma, where they are throwing up defenses. He says that there are many wild rumors afloat which are not worthy of credence. Some provision sellers came into the city from the north.

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UNIT OF ARMY IN VERA CRUZ

Forces Under Funston Will Be Sufficient to Advance on Mexico City After Saturday.

Galveston, Tex., May 1.—A complete unit of the United States army, prepared to advance on Mexico City, will be under command of Brigadier General Frederick Funston when the troops of the Sixth cavalry, regimental headquarters of the field artillery and the horses and mules of both the cavalry and field artillery, which sailed on the converted transport San Marcos, reach Vera Cruz Saturday.

The San Marcos carries the advance of artillery, while the 350 mules aboard will pack the mountain guns already en route to Vera Cruz. Other troops and great quantities of supplies are here ready to be sent to Vera Cruz.

Col. Lucien G. Berry of the Fourth field artillery, was senior in command on the San Marcos, which carries 17 officers, 300 enlisted men and 360 horses and mules.

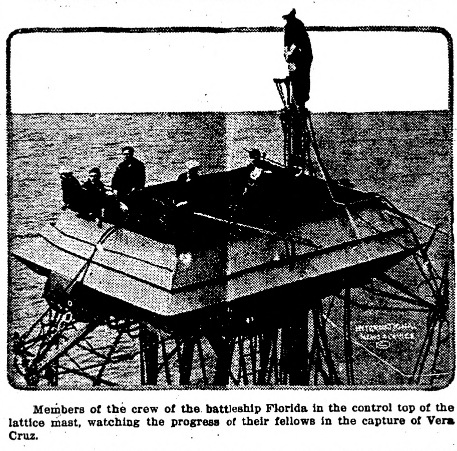
Anti-Trust Bill Approved.

Washington, May 4. — The house judiciary committee ordered favorably reported the omnibus anti-trust bill.

American to Be Executed.

Washington, May 2.—Unofficial reports reaching Washington that Dr. Edward Ryan, an American in the service of the United States government, looking after refugees, was to be executed as a spy at Mexico City, caused Secretary Bryan to make urgent representations in behalf of Dr. Ryan to the Spanish ambassador, General Huerta's representative here. Secretary Bryan said that no news of Dr. Ryan's reported plight had reached him through official circles.

WATCHING THE TAKING OF VERA CRUZ



Members of the crew of the battleship Florida in the control top of the lattice mast, watching the progress of their fellows in the capture of Vera Cruz.

'DEATH TO GRINGOS' A MEXICAN SLOGAN

REFUGEES REACHING SAN DIEGO REPORT BAD TREATMENT.

EXPECTED ASSASSINATION

U. S. Flags Trampled Upon and Finally Burned in Street—Insults of Every Kind Hurled at Americans.

San Diego, May 4.—Two hundred and fifty-nine refugees from Mexico reached here on board the German steamer Marie, which left the Mexican port of Manzanillo, April 25.

The majority are from Guadalajara and tributary territory, the others coming from Colima and Manzanillo. There are 127 men, 60 women and 72 children.

Anti-American Feeling Intense.

The feeling against Americans was so intense that the majority of the refugees from Guadalajara and Colima, were forced to seek the protection of the British consuls and were given shelter in the consulates.

Anti-American demonstrations were held at frequent intervals, the Mexican press was given over to the most alarming reports and editorials, insults were hurled at Americans in the street, and threats of wholesale assassination were made.

Antonio Del Gadillo, governor of the state of Colima, concluded a speech inciting Mexicans to take up arms with the exclamation:

"Death to the gringos."

In Guadalajara, H. L. Percy, a Los Angeles mining man, entering a store there to make purchases, was chased out by the Mexican proprietor. In the street the Mexican yelled:

"Mexicans, here is a Yankee; kill him."

Ran for Life.

A crowd started after Percy and he was forced to run for his life. He finally gained the hotel, where 100 other Americans were waiting to take the train for Manzanillo.

While refugees from Guadalajara were at the wharf a vessel, thought to be an American warship, was sighted.

Great excitement resulted and a Mexican wearing a Red Cross badge rushed into the American consulate, tore from the walls two large American flags, and carried them outside, where Mexicans tore them into shreds, spat upon them, stamped on them and then set fire to them. As they were burning, a Mexican flag was waved over them.

The wharf was cleared, preparatory to blowing it up with dynamite, and the Americans there were marched to the consulate. The refugees who arrived assert a massacre of the Americans was regarded as a certainty if the vessel had been a warship.

They declare the consulate had previously been mined. When it was determined that the ship was not a United States vessel the Americans were released.

Ready to Dynamite.

Military escorts were provided on the trains carrying refugees from Guadalajara and Colima, but the soldiers made no efforts to stop anti-American demonstrations at the stations en route. The Americans were searched by officers and all fire arms and silver money in their possession were confiscated.

Civil Guard to Defend Capital.

Mexico City, May 2.—A plan for organizing a civil guard for the defense of the federal capital was submitted to the minister of the interior by the city council and approved by him as well as by Provisional President Huerta. Sir Lionel Carden, the British minister, said he had received a report stating that the refugee train carrying over 500 Americans to Puerta Mexico had arrived safely at its destination without untoward mishap.

TONG WAR LIKELY TO FOLLOW

CHISESE IMMIGRATION OFFICER KILLED IN ST. LOUIS.

Victim Given Bouquet of Roses to Mark Him for Assassin's Gun Is the Theory.

St. Louis, May 4.—"Hoy Alley," the local Chinese quarter, extending over an area of five blocks in the downtown business section, is excited as a result of the murder of Haw Lin Shuck, a Chinese immigration officer of the United States, and the subsequent prediction by Lee Bing, "mayor of the alley," that the shots which killed Shuck would inaugurate a tong war in St. Louis, Chicago and New York.

The murder was executed with such precision as the police have not met within many years. In accordance with custom among Chinese secret societies, Shuck was warned of sudden death by a piece of red glazed paper believed to have been thrust into his vest pocket a few minutes before the crime was committe. A bunch of American Beauty roses, handed to him in the house from which he had just departed, is believed by the police to have identified the immigration agent to his slayer. Shuck was killed as he stepped from the alley with the flowers under his arm.

When the police reached the scene the "mayor" of the alley, bending over the body with a flashlight in his hand, was the only Chinaman in sight. Other residents of the alley huddled in their dens until they were raided by the police. Hundreds of white persons were attracted by the shots.

The motive for the murder, as advanced by Bing, was the desire of New York and Chicago tong men to establish in St. Louis a branch of their society, which was strongly opposed by Bing and Shuck.

75 BODIES ARE RECOVERED

Intense Heat of Burning Coal Hampers Those Who Would Drag Forth Entombed Corpses.

Eccles, W. Va., May 1.—All hope for the 178 miners entombed in the shaft of the New River Colleries company, wrecked by an explosion Tuesday, has been completely abandoned by rescuers who have penetrated to within 60 feet of the bottom of the pit without finding any sign of life.

Hampered by the intense heat and gases, the work of clearing away the debris from the mouth of the shaft proceeded slowly under the direction of government and state officers.

Thousands of persons visited the scene of the tragedy throughout the day. The eight bodies removed Tuesday from Mine No. 6 were prepared for burial. The 60 injured are all expected to recover.

Seventy-five Bodies Located.

Eccles, W. Va., May 2.—At least seventy-five blackened bodies had been located in mine No. 5 of the New River Colleries Company here and rescuers after bringing seven to the surface were searching for more victims of Tuesday's explosion.

Canada Bars Asiatic Laborers.

Vancouver, B. C., May 1.—Under a new interpretation of an order promulgated six months ago, Asiatic laborers of all kinds are forbidden to enter Canada. The new ruling is supposed to have been brought about by the sailing of a shipload of Hindus from Shanghai for Vancouver recently.

Freight Rate Hearing Concluded.

Washington, May 4—Proceedings in the advance rate case, in which the eastern railroads are asking a horizontal increase of 5 per cent in all freight rates, have been concluded. President Daniel E. Willard of the Baltimore and Ohio made the closing arguments for the roads. A decision is expected within a month. In adjourning the sitting Chairman Harlan of the interstate commerce commission made an announcement which is regarded with great significance.

RUMORS PERSIST HUERTA WILL QUIT

REPORTS SAY DICTATOR READY TO RESIGN MEXICAN PRESIDENCY AT ONCE.

WANTS SAFETY ASSURANCES

Vera Cruz Dispatch Asserts He Only Wants to Leave Country—Feeling of Mexican People Said to Be Turning Against Him.

Vera Cruz, May 5.—Persistent reports continue to circulate here that General Huerta intends to retire from the provisional presidency of Mexico on condition that he be assured a safe conduct to a port and placed on board a foreign warship.

Ready a Week Ago.

It is declared in some Mexican circles in this city that General Huerta was ready to resign a week abo, but was prevented from doing so by internal dissensions in his cabinet.

The disappearance from the Mexican cabinet of Jose Lopez Portillo y Rojas, the foreign minister, coupled with reports that there is a growing under-current of feeling in Mexico City against the Huerta government, is interpreted here as foreshadowing a change in the situation in the Federal capital.

Way May Be Cleared.

Some of the closest observers of the government's situation express an inclination to the view that Senor Portillo's resignation may clear the way eventually for the appointment of a foreign minister who, under the Mexican constitution, could succeed General Huerta as president. In these circles it is pointed out that while Venustiano Carranza declined to treat with General Huerta he might consent to enter into negotiations with his successor and thus facilitate mediation.

The effect of the continued Rebel successes in the north and the outcome of the pending attack on Tampico may, according to well informed opinion, bring about a rapid change in Mexico City.

Populace Beginning to Learn.

While the Federal capital is reported quiet, people who arrive here from the seat of government declare that the populace there are bgihning to learn that General Huerta has been deceiving the people all the time by issuing false reports of Federal successes over the Constitutionalists.

The news of the peaceful way in which the Americans are occupying Vera Cruz, it is said, has spread to the capital and has convinced Mexicans that the American invasion of the port is not for conquest or aggression. Refugees declare the inhabitants of the capital fear the coming there of Francisco Villa more than that of the American troops.

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No Hope for Madame Nordica.

Washington, May 5.—Consul Barden at Batavia, reports to the state department that the condition of Madame Nordica, the opera singer who is ill here, is hopeless.

Children Killed; Mother Dying.

Chicago, May 5.—Rose Hoffman, 6 years old, and her sister, Irene, 3 years old, were killed, and their mother, Mrs. Bessie Hoffman, cousin of Peter Hoffman, coroner of Cook county, was fatally injured when the carriage in which they were returning from church was struck by a fast train.

Fifty Burned in Chile Fire.

Valparaiso, Chile, May 5.—More than fifty lives were lost in a fire in the commercial section of this city.

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If you have eczema, ringworm, or other itching, burning, unsightly skin eruptions, try resinol ointment and resinol soap and see how quickly the itching stops and the trouble disappears, even in the severest, stubbornest cases. Resinol ointment is also a wonderful household remedy for pimples, dandruff, sores, burns, wounds, boils, piles, and for a score of other uses where a soothing, healing application is needed.

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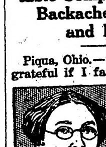

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COULDN'T GET AWAY WITH IT

Irishman Made Poor Selection of Name Under Which He Proposed to Cast Fraudulent Vote.

It was election day, and after Murphy had cast his vote he went on his way. About a block from the polling place he was approached by an old friend, who said:

"Murphy, you can get $50 by going back to the booth and voting again. Go back and vote in Ike Rosenbaum's name and you get the fifty."

"Sure, they might get me at it, and I'd land in jail."

"Not a chance. They don't know you, and they don't know Rosenbuam. So go to it."

Murphy thought a moment and then went to the polls."

"I wish to vote," said Murphy, with a decided Dublin roll.

"What is your name?"

"Ike Rosenbaum."

"That's not your name," said the clerk suspiciously.

"'Tis me name," said Murphy.

"It's not," argued the clerk.

"Ike Rosenbaum's me name and I intind to cast me vote as sich," said Murphy hotly.

A friend of Murphy in the rear jumped up and yelled:

"That's right, go on and vote, Murphy; don't let 'em bluff you."

Why?

Alden had reached the "Why" age. It isn't always easy to answer the whys. One day he lay on the floor with his eyes shut.

"Am I asleep, mother?" he asked.

"You know you aren't," said his mother.

"Well, I'm lying down; my eyes are shut, why ain't I asleep?"

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Speaking of the age of efficiency, a Toledo gentleman located it beyond the half-century mark. He calls our attention to the fact that Columbus was fifty-six when he discovered America, that Darwin, Kant, Spencer, Wagner, Haydn, and others did their greatest and best work when far past the fifty mark, and that some have persisted in great accomplishment until seventy or more years of age. This argument won't help the man who is aged and broken and tottering at fifty, will it? But it will hearten the man of forty or more who has been careful of his resources, to think that to him achievement still is a possibility—and it may find him the opportunity to achieve by convincing some master of opportunity that years do not always spell senility or loss of virility. The young man may reflect that he has the opportunity to run a long race—and he may catch sight of the fact that the man of fifty is not necessarily a "back number" merely because of his half-century.

Brothers, Eh?

A certain curate was of a painfully nervous temperament, and in consequence was constantly making awkward remarks intended as compliments—to the bishop and others.

Having distinguished himself in an unusual degree during a gathering of clergy at an afternoon tea a short while ago in the bishop's palace, he was taken to task for his failings by a senior curate, who was one of his companions on the way home.

"Look here," said Simms, the senior, decidedly, "you're a donkey. Why can't you keep quiet instead of making your asinine remarks? I am speaking to you as a brother."

Loud laughter interrupted him at this point, and for the moment he did not see the joke.

Laughter Aids Digestion

Laughter is a most healthful exertion; it is one of the greatest helps to digestion with which I am acquainted; and the custom prevalent among our forefathers, of exciting it at table by jesters and buffoons, was founded on true medical principles.—Hufeland.

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CHICAGO BOARD OF EDUCATION MEMBERS ORDERED JAILED.

Contempt of Court Growing Out of Superintendency Fight Causes Action.

Chicago, May 5.—Dean Walter Taylor Sumner and seven other members of the Chicago board of education, including its president, were sentenced to thirty days in the county jail for contempt of court for refusing to obey the order of Circuit Court Judge Foell reinstating four members of the board.

The seven members, in addition to Dean Sumner, given jail terms are: Peter Reinberg, president of the board; Julius Smietanka, Jacob M. Loeb, Charles S. Peterson, Ralph C. Otis, Harry Lipsky and Michael J. Collins.

Dean Sumner is dean of the cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul, chairman of the Chicago vice commission and interested in many sociological and educational ventures.

The situation was brought about by the disputo over the retention of Mrs. Flagg Young as superintendent of schools.

Early last winter a vote was taken in the board of education which resulted in the election of John D. Shoop as superintendent of schools, to succeed Mrs. Young. A storm of protest over the shelving of Mrs. Young arose and Mayor Harrison took action by accepting the resignations which Henry Huttmann, James B. Dibelka, Charles O. Sethness and John C. Harding, board members who opposed Mrs. Young, had filed with him before they accepted places on the school board.

Four new members were appointed by the mayor and the action ousting Mrs. Young was rescinded. The four men whose resignations had been accepted took the case before Foell, who ruled that the mayor had no right to accept resignations which were dated prior to the appointment of the officials. The court ordered the board of education to recognize as members the four ousted by Mayor Harrison.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Milwaukee	14	11	3	.786
Louisville	16	10	6	.625
Indianapolis	15	8	7	.533
Minneapolis	12	6	6	.500
Kansas City	18	9	9	.500
St. Paul	16	7	9	.437
Columbus	16	6	10	.375
Cleveland	17	6	11	.354

Results.

Minneapolis, 8; Louisville, 2.
Indianapolis, 5; St. Paul, 4.
Columbus, 7; Milwaukee, 4.
Kansas City, 7-3; Cleveland, 2-4.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	17	12	5	.706
Philadelphia	12	7	5	.583
New York	11	6	5	.546
Washington	13	7	6	.538
St. Louis	15	8	7	.533
Chicago	17	8	9	.412
Cleveland	17	6	11	.351
Boston	12	4	8	.333

Results.

Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 3.
Detroit, 9; Cleveland, 5.
No other games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	15	12	3	.800
Philadelphia	11	8	3	.727
Brooklyn	10	6	4	.600
New York	10	5	5	.500
Cincinnati	16	7	9	.437
Chicago	16	6	10	.375
St. Louis	17	6	11	.353
Boston	11	3	8	.273

Results.

Chicago, 6; St. Louis, 1.
Pittsburg, 4; Cincinnati, 1.
No other games scheduled.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Baltimore	12	9	3	[illegible]
St. Louis	15	11	4	[illegible]
Indianapolis	15	8	7	.533
Brooklyn	11	6	5	.545
Chicago	16	8	8	.500
Buffalo	11	5	6	.455
Pittsburg	12	4	8	.333
Kansas City	15	5	10	.333

Results.

Chicago, 10; Pittsburg, 3.
Baltimore, 5; Kansas City, 1.
Buffalo, 1; Indianapolis, 0.
No other games scheduled.

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, May 5.—Wheat, M. 89⅛c; July, 89¾c; No. 1 northern, 93⅛c; No. 2 northern, 91⅛c; No. 1 durum, 86½c; No. 3 corn, 65c; No. 3 white oats, 36½c; barley, malting, 5[illegible]; No. 2 rye, 58; No. 1 flax, $1.58⅛.

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, May 5.—Wheat, May, 91[illegible]; July, 92½c; No. 1 northern, 93¼c; No. 1 durum, 86¾c.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, May 6. — Cattle—Steers, $7.20@7.75; cows, $5.25@6.[illegible]; calves, $4.75@8.25; hogs, $8.15@8.2[illegible]; sheep and lambs, $3.50@5.30.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 5. — Hogs—Receipts 25,000; slow; 5@10c above yesterday's average; bulk of sales, $8.45@8.5[illegible]; light, $8.25@8.57½; mixed, $8.25@8.57½; heavy, $8.05@8.52½; rough, $8.05@8.20; pigs, $7.25@8.25.

Cattle—Receipts 17,000; steady to 10c higher; beeves, $7.25@9.50; Texas steers, $7.10@8.15; western steers, $7.1[illegible]@8.10; stockers and feeders, $5.60@8.5[illegible]; cows and heifers, $3.70@8.60; calves, $6.25@9.

Sheep—Receipts 23,000; slow; native, $4.90@5.65; western, $4.90@5.70; yearlings, $5.40@6.50; lambs, native, $5.90@7.15; western, $5.90@7.25.

General Produce.

Minneapolis, May 5.—Butter—Creamery extras, 24c; extra fresh firsts, 2[illegible]; firsts, 22c; seconds, 21c; packing stock, 16c; dairies, 20c.

Eggs—Fresh prime firsts, new cases free from rots, 18c; current receipts, rots out, case, $5.10; checks and seconds, doz, 12c; dirties, 14c.

Ranchman's Body Recovered

Laredo, Tex., May 5.—The body of Porforio Laurel, an American ranchman, who disappeared last November, has been recovered from a grave near Nuevo Laredo, Mexico. Laurel had been arrested by Mexican federals who persistently denied reports of his execution, and until the body was exhumed the mystery of the Texan's absence was unexplained. Recovery of the ranchman's body was made possible by the federal evacuation of Neuvo Laredo.

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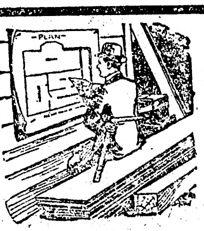

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Additional Locals

Mrs. Nyberg returned from Minneapolis last Saturday where she has been visiting her sister and other relatives for about a month. She reported a very enjoyable time. But still she feels like home is the best.

Quite a number of the Holt people went to Thief River Falls last Friday to attend the high school class play, "Why Smith Left Home." Among those who went were Cora Hanson, Anne Tharaldson, Clara and Belle Sollom, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson.

Arvid and Tony Carlson and Ben Docken made an auto trip to Thief River Falls last Friday night to take in the Elks lodge where they initiated twenty-five new members. They reported a very good time. They reached home 4 o'clock the following morning.

For Register of Deeds

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for Register of Deeds of Marshall County, and respectfully solicit the votes and support of the voters of Marshall County at the Primary Election June 16th, 1914.

Having been Deputy Register of Deeds of this County since the spring of 1906, I am thoroughly familiar with the work and if nominated and elected I shall always strive to serve the people to the best of my ability.

Chas. E. Grinder. (adv)

Oslund - Sorter

On May 3d, 1914, in the I. O. G. T. Hall at Wanaska, Minn., occured one of the largest and finest weddings that has ever been held in Roseau County, given by Mr. and Mrs. Ole Oslund, pioneer settlers of the town of Mekinock, in honor of the marriage of their daughter, Hannah Elizabeth Oslund to Ellef P. Sorter, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Sorter, of Holt, Minn.

The wedding ceremony was held at 11 o'clock in the afternoon, Rev. Wercklund officiating. There was about 200 guests in attendance. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The bridal couple were escorted to the improvised alter by Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hagen, Misses Julia Olson and Ester Oslund acting as bridesmaids and Messrs. Albin Oslund and Ed. Anderson as bridesmen. The wedding march was played by Miss Sarah Lee. The bride was dressed in white silk with veil and flowers.

After the ceremony a sumptuous and elaborate dinner was served. The dinner was prepared by Mrs. L. Jensen and was indeed proof of her exceeilent cooking accomplishments. Mr. A. O. Hagen acted as toastmaster. In the evening a dance was given which lasted till the wee hours of morning. The bridal couple received many costly and useful presents as a token of the high esteem in which they were held by their friends. Mr. and Mrs. Sorter will make their future home at River, Minn., where Mr. Sorter owns a homestead and where he has a fine home. They have our best wishes for a happy journey through life.

For Register of Deeds

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds in and for Marshall County, Minnesota, and ask your kind support at the Primary Election to be held on June 16, 1914.

J. S. Hilleboe,

Warren, Minn. (adv)

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Elmer Odie of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on Nov. 19, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05747, for N½ SW¼, Section 15, Township 156 N., Range 41 W. 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 15th day of May 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Clarence Larson, Charles A. Holmgren, Bernard Larson, William Robertson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.
Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Charles A. Holmgren, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on December 24th, 1909 made Homestead Application Serial No. 05023, for NW¼, Section 15, Township 156 N., Range 41 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Obert W. Odie, Elmer Odie, Clarence Larson, Christ Norbeck, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota.
April 20, 1914

Notice is hereby given that Axel Benson, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on August 31, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05575, for S½ SW¼ Sec. 22 and N½ NW¼, Sec. 27, Township 156 N., Range 41 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Clarence Larson, Frank Brown, Rudolph Dahl, Emil Ostlund, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Thief River Falls News.

Work is rapidly progressing on the new Citizens State Bank building.

The A. C. Rankin meeting which was held at the auditorium last Sunday afternoon was well attended by the men of the city, the auditorium being filled to its full capacity.

The senior class play "Why Smith Left Home" played to two full houses at the auditorium last Friday afternoon and evening. The players were under the instruction of Miss Theoline Goodwin, who deserves much credit for the way in which the play was rendered. The play will be repeated again and the proceeds will go toward the building of a hospital for this city.

The new Soo depot has been completed and was opened to the public last Sunday evening. The entire Soo office force moved into the second floor of the new building the latter part of the past week. The new depot was constructed at a cost of $60,000 and is one of the best on the Soo system between this city and the coast.

FOR SHERIFF

To the voters of Marshall County:-

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nominationt of Sheriff of Marshall County on the Non- Partisan ticket, and respectfull solicit your influence and vote at the primary election to be held June 16th, 1914. If nominated and elected I will discharge the duties of my office to the best of my ability.

Yours very truly,

OSCAR OSETH (adv.)

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of March, 1914.

Cream received	15,816 lbs
Average test	25.37
Butter fat	4,013.45 lbs
Butter made	48,97 lbs
Received for butter shipped	1001 08
Butter sold patrons	7 [illegible]
Cash sales at creamery	38 [illegible]
Total	$1,106 50
Paid patrons by check	948 7
" " " Butter	7 0
Expense fund, etc.	120 9
To sinking fund	27 5
Overpaid	1 47
Balance on hand	8
Total	$1,106 50

Number of patrons, 77.
Price paid for butter fat, 24c

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
April 28, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that George E. Olson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on June 23rd, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05365, for Lots 1 and 2 and 3 - Section 20 and lot 1 and SW¼ NW¼, Section 21, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Three Year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 3rd day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Isac Ostlund, Peter Ostlund, Rudolph Dahl, Peter Rosand, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
April 20th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Brown of Golden Valley Minn., who, on August 31st, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05574, for SE¼, Section 22, Township 156 N. Range 41 W. 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 10th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Emil Ostlund, Rudolph Dahl, Clarence Larson, Axel Benson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

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Department of The Interior,
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Notice is hereby given that Clarence Larson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Febuary 25th, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05105, for SE¼, Section 15 Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Bernard Larson, Elmer Odie, Charles A. Holmgren, Obert W. Odie, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice For Publication.

Department of The Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Alfred C. Olson of Holt, Minn., who, on July 30, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08331, for S E¼ S w¼ sec.1 NE¼ Nw¼, Sec. 12, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Svenke Svenkeson, Carl Anderson, Martin T. Olson, Hans Stensrud, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
April 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Martin T. Olson, of Holt, Minn., who on Feb. 8, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05074, for E½NE¼, NE¼SE¼ sec11 SW¼ NW¼, Section 12 Twnshp 156 N. R.42 w., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Svenke Svenkeson, Carl Anderson, Alfred Olson, Hans Stensrud, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 14, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Gunder Olson Haugen, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Aug. 20th, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05550, for S E¼, Section 15, Township 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet U. S. Commissioner for district of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Tharald Tharaldsen, Tom Tharaldson, Tom Bakken, Gunder Brokke all of Thief River Falls, Minn."

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.
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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U.S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 18th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Carl L. Anderson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Feb. 23, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05097, for W½ NE¼ and NW¼ SE¼ and NE¼ SW¼, Section 11, Township 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Martin T. Olson, Alfred C. Olson, Hans Stensrud, Svenke G. Svenkeson all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds in and for Marshall County, Minnesota, and ask your kind support at the Primary Election to be held on June 16, 1914.

J. S. Hilleboe,

Warren, Minn (adv)

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Local Items

Bring us the news.

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

The Holt State Bank is the place to pay you taxes.

Axel Nelson made a quick trip to T. R. Falls on Wednesday returning the next day.

We have just received a supply of House and Floor Paint.
S. S. Kolden & Co.

Ed. P. Monson and Carl T. Olson of Randon were in town on Tuesday Mr Olson is a canidate for County Commissioner from the 5th Dist.

The Holt State Bank will make out your Final Homestead Proof notices, free of charge. (adv.)

Hans C. Hanson of Viksng and canidate for Shirff for Marshal Co. was a caller at Holt on Wednesday looking after his political fences.

L. Jensen, agent for the Gt. Nor. Ry., received a message Saturday of the death of his father at St. Paul. He left at once for his home. D. Payne is acting as temporary agent.

The auction sale held last Saturday evening under the auspices of The Free Ev. Mission Ladies' Aid Society was a decided success, the net proceeds of the sale amounting to $48.06.

We wish to announce that since the Ist of April, 1914, the price of the Holt Cemetary Lots have been raised from $2 to $5 per Lot.
Holt Cemetary Assn.

Two more families arrived here last week to make this place their future home. They had two carloads of stock, machinery and household goods which they will take out to their farms east of town.

Mrs. C. L. Heinze will leave here about the 18th of May for an extended visit to Norway. She will be accompanied by her oldest son, Harry. They will visit at Christiana and other places of interest on their trip.

The baseball game played on the local diamond last Sunday between the Athletics and the White Sox was won by the former by a score of 17 to 8. Nearly errorless ball was played by both clubs.

J. R. Chapman, foreman for the Stephen's Dredge arrived here on Saturday to renew dredging Operations. They expect to complete their work this summer.

P. A. Risberg returned on Tuesday from several days sojourn at the County Seat and T. R. Falls, we expect a political announcement as the result, are we right?

For Sale—A good second-hand single buggy at a reasonable price. Inquire at R. R. Rieirson (pl)

English seavices will be held at the Holt church Sunday, May 17th, at 7:30 p. m. Rev A. B. Roseland.

There will be services held in the Ringbo St. Peter Congregation on Sunday, Mry 24th, at 3:30 p. m. and in Holt the same day, at 8:00 p. m., where the services will be held in English. All welcome. The confirmation class meets in the Holt church on Monday, May 25th, at 1:00 p. m. M. B. Ordahl, Pastor

For Sheriff

To the voters of Marshall County:

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-nomination for the office of Sheriff, and earnestly solicit the support and votes of my friends at the primary election, June 16th, 1914. I pledge myself, if re-elected to discharge the duties of the office faithfully and impartially

Build A Silo

All stock raisers know the value of the silo as a means of storing feed for stock. It is not to early for farmers to begin to think about building a silo for next winter's feed. It will first be necessary to plant fodder corn, one acre will yeild from eight to twelve tons of silage. For a 14x36 silo holding approximately 130 tons, about 13 acres should be planted. A 14x36 silo will provide feed 8 months for about 30 head of stock. Enough silage should be provided to give feed up to pasture time the following spring. Many farmers have a summer silo, also, feeding silage all year around.

There are many kinds of silos that give satisfaction. A silo of permanant material is to be preferred, however, but the main emphasis should be placed on planing to build a silo this summer, and of getting the corn ground ready now. A bulletin on silos giving an account of the two silos at the experiment station, Crookston, may be had upon application to the N. W. Experimena station. Questions regarding silo construction will be gladly answered. All interested in real development of farming will push corn an alfalfa growing, the building of silos and increasing the dairy and beef herds on Minnesota farms.

C. G. Selvig, Superintendent,
N. W. Experiment Station,
Crookston, Minn.

For Sheriff

To the voters of Marshall County:

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Marshall County on the Non Partisan ticket, subject to the will of the people at the Primary election, June 16, 1914. I pledge myself, if nominated and elected, to discarge the duties of the office faithfully and impartially and to the best of my ability.

Respectfully,

Hans C. Hanson

Viking, Minn. (adv)

For State Senator

To the Voters of the 67th Legislative District.

At the solicitation of numerous friends throughout the the district comprising Marshall, Kittson and Roseau counties, it give me pleasure to announce my candidacy for the office of State Senator.

If honored with the nomination and election I hereby pledge myself to carry out the wishes of the people irrespective of personal views or opinions, as I conceive it to be the highest duty of a representative to represent the will, not of himself, but those of who honor and trust him to do their bidding for the welfare of the district.

Primarily I wish to state my attitude on the county option question, and I recognize the right of the public to such a statement from one who seeks their support for so important and honorable a position as that of State Senator. I am in favor of County Option and if elected I will not only vote for, but will use my best efforts in furthering the adoption of such a bill, believing that to be the best solution of the liquor question.

I further pledge myself to use my best efforts to further the development of Northern Minnesota and especially the counties that I shall represent.

Assuring you that I will at all times endeavor and [illegible] your interests and to the interest of the 67th Ligislative district, I remain

Respectfully,

Nels S. [illegible]

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To the Voters of the 5th Commissioner District of Marshall County:

Having filed as a Non-partisan candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner of the 5th District of Marshall County, I hereby solicit your vote and influence.

If nominated and elected I pledge myself to conduct the affairs of the office in an honest and business-like manner.

Yours Very Respectfully,

Carl T. Olson,

Randin, Minn. (adv)

For Clerk of the District Court.

I am a candidate for re-nomination for the office of Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, and would appreciate your support at the primaries to be held June 16th, 1914.

During my incumbency of this office I have tried to be curteous and efficient. I have tried to do what was right, and have treated all persons alike. I am willing to let my record while in office speak for itself, and if nominated and elected I pledge myself to conduct the office upon business principles, and to give to the people of Marshall County the best administration of the office that I am capable of. I shall in the future, as in the past, give my personal attention to the office, and when you have business with the clerk's office, you will know that it is the undersigned that is attending to your business, and no one else.

I desire to thank the people of Marshall County for what they have done for me in the past, and trusting they will see their way clear to help me in the future, I remain,

Yours very truly,

(adv.) A. C. SWANDBY.

FOR SHERIFF

To the voters of Marshall County:-

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nominationt of Sheriff of Marshall County on the Non- Partisan ticket, and respectfull solicit your influence and vote at the primary election to be held June 16th, 1914. If nominated and elected I will discharge the duties of my office to the best of my ability.

Yours very truly,

OSCAR OSETH (adv.)

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HUERTA RESENTS SEIZURE BY U. S. OF LOBOS ISLAND

LEADING MEDIATOR MAKES CALL AT WHITE HOUSE—CONSTRUED AS PROTEST VISIT.

AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVES TO PEACE COUNCIL CHOSEN

Men Selected to Meet With Arbitrators at Niagara Falls—Retired Soldiers Called Upon to Report as to Availability for Service.

Washington, May 12.—President Wilson received at the White House Ambassador Dagama of Brazil, the ranking member of the South American mediators, who are trying to compose the Mexican troubles.

Probably to Protest.

The receipt later of a dispatch from Mexico City stating that Foreign Minister Ruiz had protested to the mediators that several United States torpedo boats with a transport and tender had landed a party on Lobos island, eight miles off the coast, and taken the lighthouse, was believed to have been the purpose of the ambassador's visit to the White House.

The mediators had held a conference previous to the ambassador's call at the White House and this indicated developments of more than ordinary importance.

Nothing Made Public.

The navy department has not made public anything concerning the operation of vessels about Lobos island. Admiral Howard cabled to the navy department that Huerta had ordered the lighthouses on the Pacific coast extinguished, so as to impede navigation by American ships.

The same order by Huerta is reported to have been made to lighthouses on the Atlantic side, so that the reported seizure of the lighthouse on Lobos island might be held to be a precaution to keep the lights burning to protect all shipping.

As such a precautionary measure, the taking of the lighthouse, it is contended, would be without significance as an occupation or territorial acquisition of the island and therefore would not justify any charge of violation of armistice.

The Island of Lobos lies eight miles off the east coast and 180 miles north of Vera Cruz and 65 miles south of Tampico. Two islands are near together, Lobos and Blanquilleo.

To Represent U. S.

Associate Justice Joseph P. Lamar of the United States supreme court, and Frederick W. Lehman of St. Louis, formerly solicitor general, will be the representatives of the United States to confer with the mediators. This became known from an authoritative source. Justice Lamar had a long talk with the president, and later he and Mr. Lehman conferred.

The war and navy departments showed more than their wonted activity. Secretary Garrison and Major General Wotherspoon, chief of staff, were at their desks for several hours, conferring over the precautionary military movements now being matured. Except to say that no additional orders had been sent for troop movements, the officials were silent on their deliberations.

At the navy department much anxiety was felt over the reports that the German steamer Kron Prinzessin Cecilie actually had discharged her arms and ammunition at Puerto Mexico.

Retired Soldiers "Sounded."

The adjutant general's office of the war department has sent out an order to all retired enlisted men which includes non-commissioned officers to report their availability "in case of emergency" and many seasoned soldiers may thus be added to the active list. The order calls upon its recipients to report at once the duties previously performed with the grades held during active service.

Much apprehension is felt in diplomatic quarters as to the fate of foreigners at Mexico City in case a sudden revolt should overthrow Huerta and permit the entry of the lawless hordes of Zapata and other undisciplined rebel bands.

Word has reached some of the legations here of savage threats Zapata has sent from time to time to leading citizens and their wives and daughters in towns near where he was operating. One message is said to have notified a prominent citizen that when the town was captured Zapata would cut off his ears and "eat them fried." Another from Zapata to the daughter of a merchant is said to have informed her in revolting language to prepare to become his wife.

The Duke of Connaught, governor-general of Canada, is taking steps to have suitable attention and courtesy extended to the South American mediators, and the delegates from the United States and Mexico, when they assemble at Niagara Falls, Ontario, on May 18.

Gopher Hunter Kills Self

Luverne, Minn., May 12.—Will Moriarity, a young man of 21 years of age, accidentally shot himself while out gopher hunting. The bullet entered his head below his chin.

FIFTEENTH CAVALRY ON THE MEXICAN BORDER

The Fifteenth cavalry, which has been stationed at Fort Bliss, is here seen on a march across the Texas desert along the border.

LARGEST WINTER WHEAT CROP

ONE-FIFTH AGAIN AS GREAT AS RECORD SET LAST YEAR.

630,000,000 Bushels Is Estimate Set Now From Present Prospects—Other Grains Estimated.

Washington, May 9.—The greatest crop of winter wheat ever grown, one-fifth again as large as the record crop grown last year and more than half again as large as that harvested in 1912, is indicated by statistics announced by the department of agriculture.

In all 630,000,000 bushels will be produced if the highly favorable conditions existing since the crop was planted last fall continue until harvest time. The acreage abandoned through unfavorable conditions of the winter amounted to only 3.1 per cent of the area planted, an unusually low area. This makes the area remaining to be harvested a record one of 35,387,000 acres.

Indications are that Kansas will have a crop of 132,000,000 bushels or 45,500,000 bushels more than last year and Oklahoma 35,500,000 or 17,000,000 more than last year.

Acreage remaining on May 1 to be harvested, condition on May 1 and estimated production in the surrounding states, follow:

States.	Acreage.	Condition.	Production
Illinois	2,576,000	97	47,500,000
Michigan	879,000	92	15,800,000
Wisconsin	85,000	89	1,600,000
Minnesota	41,000	89	700,000
Iowa	479,000	95	11,100,000
Missouri	2,549,000	99	44,200,000
S. Dak.	69,000	88	1,000,000
Kansas	7,950,000	96	132,000,000
Montana	481,000	96	12,900,000

Winter wheat, condition 95.59; area remaining to be harvested, 35,387,000 acres, or 1,119,000 acres less than planted last autumn, but 3,688,000 acres more than harvested last year.

Indicated yield per acre, 17.8 bus.

Indicated production, 630,000,000 bus.

Rye—Condition, 93.4.

Hay—Lands condition, 90.9.

Hay on Farms—7,832,000 tons

Pasture Condition, 88.3.

Spring Plowing—70.9 per cent completed.

Spring Planting 56.4 per cent completed.

THE THAW CASE IS APPEALED

Supreme Court Must Proceed to Determine Legal Status of Fugitive.

Concord, N. H., May 11.—A bill of exceptions filed by counsel for New York state in the matter of the decision of Federal Judge Edgar Aldrich's decision granting the petition of Harry K. Thaw for a writ of habeas corpus was received and allowed by Judge Aldrich.

Counsel filed a bond covering the costs of the case to the supreme court of the United States which will determine Thaw's legal status.

Thaw was not in court, but was represented by Merrill Shurtleff, an attorney of Lancaster. William T. Jerome and Franklin K. Kennedy of New York and Bernard Jacobs of Lancaster appeared for New York state.

So far as is known here Thaw will remain in Concord in custody of Sheriff Holman Drew of Coos county, pending the supreme court's decision.

Suffragists in Big Parade

Washington, May 11.—With delegations from nearly every state in the union here, the women's suffrage procession and demonstration was held, between 5,000 and 10,000 suffragists marching from the White House to the capitol to demand the passage of the Bristow-Mondell resolution proposing a constitutional amendment giving women the right to vote.

Women Oppose Territorial Conquest

Rome, May 9.—The American delegation of the International council of women, headed by Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett of Washington, adopted a resolution indorsing the statement of President Wilson at Mobile last October that "the United States never again will seek to obtain one additional foot of territory by conquest." It was decided to urge the American congress and the women of the United States to support President Wilson in this attitude.

SCORES KILLED IN ETNA EARTHQUAKE

135 KNOWN DEATHS AND MANY HUNDREDS INJURED IN SICILY.

PROPERTY LOSS ENORMOUS

Refugees Declare Catastrophe Is As Bad As Messina Disaster—Figures May Be Greatly Increased.

Catania, May 11. — An earthquake and volcanic eruption, followed by fire, destroyed many vilalges on the slopes of Mount Etna. The disaster caused the death of at least 135 persons. The number of injured is placed at 283. These figures probably will be greatly increased. Refugees declare that the property loss is as great as in the Messina disaster of 1908.

Devastation Is General.

Railroad tracks were torn up, churches razed, houses shaken to ruin and telegraph poles overturned over a radius of several miles around Catania. Terror-striken people rushed from the village into Catania, bringing stories of ruin and disaster. Their reports caused the authorities to take immediate steps to start measures of relief. The army, the navy and the civilian authorities received orders from Rome to render aid in the work of rescue. The aid of the Red Cross quickly was enlisted.

Interruption of railroad and telegraphs made it impossible to obtain any accurate details as to loss of life.

Shocks Felt For Days.

For several days past earthquake shocks had been felt at frequent intervals, accompanied by eruptions of Mount Etna. No particular attention, however, was paid to the occurrences, as the inhabitants of the district are accustomed to these agitations and the shocks were not exceptionally violent.

The center of the present terrible disturbance was at the village of Linera. Here the proportion of dead and injured was very heavy. The victims mostly were women and children. The property loss at Linera also was extremely heavy. The work of rescue was rendered difficult by the accumulation of debris.

Fire Adds Horrors.

According to the refugees fire in some places completed the work of destruction and hindered the work of rescuers.

Soldiers, firemen, sailors, priests and private individuals worked together in bringing succor. In many cases they found their way obstructed by broken bridges and ruined roads. In the village streets huge heaps of debris lay everywhere.

In the vilalge of Cosenti twenty bodies were recovered and at Santa Maria, six.

Acereale, a seaport town, is well built on a height at the base of Mount Etna, and every road leading to that city was almost choked with sobbing, praying refugees fleeing from their homes.

Linera with a population of 952 and Venerina, a town of 2,183, were completely destroyed. Hundreds of houses were wrecked in the village of Zerbati, Pennisi, Belpasso, Maria, Vergine, Mangano and Zafferanao.

Wireless Heard 8,500 Miles.

San Francisco, Cal., May 9.—Officers of the Pacific Mail liner Mongolia, which is here from the Orient, announced that on the night of April 21 the ship's wireless operator had picked up a message from Boston, 8,500 miles away.

Eggs Pay Church Expenses.

Ravenwood, Mo., May 11.—How to make the hen pay the preacher and bear all other expenses of the church and never know it has been figured out by members of the Harmony church, five miles northwest of here. The project followed Sunday's egg collection at the Harmony church when the worshipers brought the Saturday product of their hens to church instead of the usual dimes and quarters. One hundred and sixty-eight dozen eggs went into the contribution boxes.

CONGRESS TO ADJOURN JULY 10

BOTH BODIES BENDING ENERGIES IN THIS DIRECTION.

Formal Call for Democratic Caucus Issued in House—Senate Meets Hour Earlier Daily.

Washington, May 11.—Plans for an early adjournment of congress took more definite shape when the senate advanced its meeting hour from noon to 11 o'clock and house leaders issued a formal call for a Democratic caucus Tuesday night, when a legislative program will be laid out which will include adjournment as a feature. If the senate holds to the 11 o'clock meeting hour and insists upon a few night sessions leaders believe that the hope of adjournment on July 10 may be realized. Majority Leader Underwood has no doubt that the house can finish its business before that date.

The house caucus Tuesday will consider a resolution announcing it to be the sense of the party that the anti-trust, interstate trade commission and railway capitalization bills, the rural credits measures and the appropriation bills should be passed and the house then adjourn. It is not expected that there will be any opposition to its adoption. The senate changed its meeting hour in order that it might hasten passage of the agricultural bill. This bill has dragged along for more than a week with little progress and several senators are anxious that it be disposed of before other appropriation bills are reported.

There was one cloud on the adjournment horizon when talk was renewed of an attempt to reach a vote at the present session on the proposed constitutional amendment for nation-wide prohibition. The resolution proposing the prohibition amendment will be taken up in the house under a special rule to be brought in within a week, so that action may be taken promptly. There is little likelihood that the amendment will be taken up in the Tuesday caucus, but there is no intention on the part of the house leaders to stifle it. Its passage requires a two-thirds vote and leaders expect the fight to be close.

No matter what the house does at this session with the prohibition resolution the senate has its hands so full of other subjects that it is not believed it will be taken up there for the present.

CANAL TO BE READY MAY 15

Panama, May 11.—Colonel George W. Goethals, governor of the Panama canal zone, says that he will put torpedo boats through the canal at any time Secretary of the Navy Daniels desires him to do so.

He said also that he would ask Secretary of War Garrison's approval to send ships through the canal on or about May 15, as he anticipated having a 30-foot channel cut through the slide at Cucaracha by then.

American Soldiers Executed?

Vera Cruz, May 11.—According to a report received here, Private Parks, orderly for Lieutenant Colonel Elmore Taggart, who disappeared inside of Mexican lines Thursday with two of Colonel Taggart's horses was put to death by the Mexicans near Terra. This information, however, was not regarded as conclusive. A Mexican railroad man, the authority for the report, said he was told by one of Maas' soldiers, with whom he had a talk in the vicinity of the alleged execution, that Parks had been killed.

Airship Turns Turtle.

Utica, N. Y., May 11.—Percival Van Ness of this city, a licensed aviator, was killed here when his new biplane turned turtle.

Home Rule Compromise Opposed

London, May 8.—John Redmond, the Irish Nationalist leader, is understood to have opposed any negotiations for a compromise on home rule for Ireland until the bill reaches the house of lords. He had a long conference with Premier Asquith on the question of settlement and as a result of his opposition to negotiations the government agreed to hasten the final stages of the bill in the house of commons which will be completed week after next. The Irish home rule bill will thus become a law as it stands.

STRIKE BREAKERS ARE ALL BARRED

PRESIDENT ORDERS THIS ACTION AND WANTS DISARMAMENT TIME LIMIT.

PROCLAMATION TO FOLLOW

War Department to Permit Rehabilitation of Ludlow Tent Colony Under Certain Restrictions. Strike Situation.

Trinidad, Colo., May 12.—President Wilson, through the war department, has instructed Colonel James Lockett, commanding federal troops in Southern Colorado, to permit no importation of strike breakers, and further announced that a time limit would be set at once within which delivery of arms must be completed.

This statement was made by Major W. A. Holbrook. He said both subjects would be treated in proclamation later.

Colonel Lockett announced that the war department had determined to permit the rehabilitation of the strikers' tent colony at Ludlow provided the federal military officers are given a roll of the inhabitants, with the address of their former places of employment, and provided further that a union man of strong influence is placed in charge of the camp, with whom military officers may confer.

In his statement upon President Wilson's instruction concerning strike breakers, Major Holbrook said that the commanding officers here have been advised that no man shall be employed in any mine in the Colorado coal fields who has not been actually in its employ on April 22, the date when the first proclamation ordering the federal troops into the field was published.

No mine that was closed down at that time or before will be permitted to open, according to Major Holbrook's statement, but all others may be operated under full protection from the government.

Strikers, those formerly employed at certain mines, will be permitted to return to work at the specific places of their former employment if they choose and if they are desired by their former employers, according to Major Holbrook.

In connection with the president's announcement that a time limit would be set for the delivery of arms, Major Holbrook announced that the war department would probably issue an early proclamation. After that, according to Major Holbrook, forcible seizure will be begun.

In many sections many have surrendered their arms already, as a result of the previous order of Colonel Lockett.

At various meetings of locals of the United Mine Workers of America, the members were told they would be dropped from the role of membership unless they complied with the disarmament proclamation.

SHRINERS MEET AT ATLANTA

More Than Thirty Thousand Nobles Are Attending Imperial Council in the Georgia City.

Atlanta, Ga., May 12.—More than thirty thousand Nobles of the Mystic Shrine are here for the annual Imperial Council which opened today. Most of them have brought their wives and families and the city is crowded. There are prominent men from every state in the Union.

The city has been transformed for the convention. By permission of the mayor and city council the local entertainment committee, headed by Potentate Forrest Adair, of Yarrab Temple, has taken full control for the time of the whole street lighting system of Atlanta. White globes with the Shriners' emblems have been substituted for the top globes of the electric light clusters.

The elaborate social functions include a grand ball in the Auditorium armory tonight and tomorrow night. There is to be a barbecue at which tables will be spread beneath the trees for the accommodation of from 3,000 to 5,000 persons.

Californians are trying to attract the Imperial Council of 1915 to San Francisco.

There was a parade this morning at 9 o'clock, forming an official escort for the imperial potentate and members of the imperial council from the hotel to the place of meeting.

Rail Head Struck By Auto

Richmond, Va., May 12.—Decatur Axtell, vice president of the Chesapeake & Ohio railway, while crossing the street near his office was run over by an automobile. His scalp was badly cut and he suffered severe nervous shock.

Huerta Warship Blown Up

Washington, May 12.—Rear Admiral Howard, of the Pacific fleet reports that the abandoned Mexican federal gunboat Morelos was boarded, set fire to and blown up by the constitutionalists at Mazatlan. Admiral Howard further reports that the constitutionalist artillery at San Piedras island drove the Mexican transport Korrigan out of the harbor. Skirmishing between federalists and constitutionalists at Mazatlan continues. All Americans are reported safe.

AFTER SUFFERING TWO LONG YEARS

Mrs. Aselin Was Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Minneapolis, Minn.—"After my little one was born I was sick with pains in my sides which the doctors said were caused by inflammation. I suffered a great deal every month and grew very thin. I was under the doctor's care for two long years without any benefit. Finally after repeated suggestions to try it we got Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking the third bottle of the Compound I was able to do my housework and today I am strong and healthy again. I will answer letters if anyone wishes to know about my case."—Mrs. JOSEPH ASELIN, 628 Monroe St., N.E., Minneapolis, Minn.

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Fearful and Wonderful Excuses Given for Occasional Nonattendance of Their Pupils.

While the law of the land compels children to attend school up to a certain age, there is no law that makes it obligatory for them to be present at every session. They may be "excused" on the written request of parents, and we herewith present some of these reasonable excuses:

"Dier Miss Blank: Sadie had a pane in her left hart and could not come yesterday. If it goes to cuttin' up today, plese let her went home and oblidge

"Mrs. B. P. C."

"Kind Friend: Kindly excuse James for lateness. I kneaded him after breakfast."

"Dere Miss H——: Willy was not thare yesterday becaws he had to have his shoes half-souled. They was so holey his feet got wet and I was afraid he would get tonsilightous. His konstitushion aint of the best. It is some Heredditary on his pa's side him being puling. So excoose."—New York Evening Post.

Had It the Night Before.

"Well, sis," said her brother at the breakfast table as Agnes, daughter of the household, appeared at the table, heavy-eyed after she had entertained a tiresome and late-staying admirer the evening before, "you look as if you need something to keep you awake."

"I do not," she responded wearily, "I had it last evening."

That's What.

"Those fellows who won't take no for an answer generally get what is coming to them."

"Yes, they usually marry the girl."

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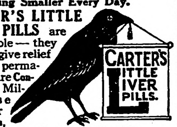

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Husband—Well, she had on one of those dresses of what-you-call-it stuff, of a kind of a mixed shade and trimmed with what's-his-names. I don't remember now whether it was cut low or not, or whether it had sleeves, but I know it had one or the other. Her hair was done up the style like you see in the pictures—you know what I mean. I don't know whether she had any ornaments or not, but I expect she had. That's about all, I think, that I noticed about her, but you can easily tell from that how she looked.

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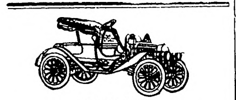

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FUNERAL SERVICES FOR SAILORS AND MARINES ARE HELD BY NATION.

ADDRESS BY THE PRESIDENT

Seventeen Bodies Brought By the Cruiser Montana Are Drawn on Caissons Through New York to Brooklyn Navy Yard.

New York, May 12.—President Wilson, congress and the nation paid tribute today to the memories of the seventeen brave American sailors and marines who lost their lives in the fighting that attended the taking of Vera Cruz and whose bodies were brought back home on the armored cruiser for burial.

The Montana arrived in New York harbor yesterday afternoon, having been met Saturday off the Virginia capes by Secretary Daniels and a party of navy department officials aboard the presidential yacht Mayflower. President Wilson came up from Washington last night, and the congressional delegation arrived early this morning.

Cortege Moves Through City.

When the Montana anchored off the Battery yesterday the bodies of the dead bluejackets and marines were landed at once and placed on caissons which were parked on the south side of the plaza in the Battery and guarded by a detachment from the cruiser.

At 9 o'clock this morning the order was given for the funeral cortege to move. It was a solemn and imposing procession, with detachments from the battleships Wyoming and Texas, the New York naval militia, the Spanish war veterans and numerous civilian bodies in line. A halt was made in City Hall plaza in Manhattan, where school children chanted a hymn in honor of the dead.

President the Only Speaker.

The funeral services were held at the Brooklyn navy yard. President Wilson was the only speaker, and his address was an eloquent and touching tribute to the bravery and patriotism of the dead, and a consoling of their bereaved relatives.

Standing back of the president were the members of congress named to attend the services. There were committees from both the senate and house.

Names of the Dead.

Following is a complete list of the sailors and marines killed at Vera Cruz, whose bodies were brought by the Montana.

LOUIS FRANK BOSWELL of Coultersville, Ill.; chief gunner's mate attached to the Michigan; born at St. Louis, Mo. Age thirty-three years.

GABRIEL A. DeFABBIO of Batavia, N. Y., gunner's mate, third class, attached to the New Jersey. Age twenty-three years.

FRANCIS P. DeLOWRY of Pittsburgh, Pa., seaman, attached to the New Hampshire. Age twenty-one years.

FRANK DEVORICK of Albia, Iowa, ordinary seaman, attached to the South Carolina. Age eighteen years.

ELZIE C. FISHER of Hays, Miss., ordinary seaman, attached to the New Hampshire. Age nineteen years.

LOUIS OSCAR FRIED of Gretna, La., ordinary seaman, attached to the Arkansas. Age nineteen years.

E. H. FROHLICHSTEIN of Mobile, Ala., ordinary seaman, attached to the New Hampshire. Born Mobile, Ala. Age nineteen years.

DENNIS J. LANE of New York City, seaman attached to the New Hampshire. Born in Ireland. Age nineteen years.

GEORGE POINSETT of Philadelphia, seaman, attached to the Florida. Age twenty years.

JOHN F. SCHUMACHER of Brooklyn, N. Y., coxswain, attached to the Florida. Age twenty-four years.

CHARLES ALLEN SMITH of Philadelphia, ordinary seaman, attached to the New Jersey. Age twenty years.

ERIC ALBIN STREAM of Brooklyn, N. Y., ordinary seaman attached to New Jersey. Age nineteen years.

WALTER L. WATSON of Boston, ordinary season attached to the Arkansas. Age twenty-two years.

United States Marine Corps

DANIEL ALOYSIUS HAGGERTY of Boston, private 8th company, Second Advance Base Regiment.

SAMUEL MARTEN of Chicago, private, 16th company, Second Advance Base Regiment.

EDWARD RUFUS PERCY of Concord, N. H., 8th company, Second Advance Base Regiment.

RANDOLPH SUMMERLIN of Willacoochee, Ga., private, attached to the Vermont.

Huerta Will Not Resign.

Vera Cruz, May 11.—Mexicans arriving here from Mexico City say General Huerta shows no intention of abandoning the presidency of Mexico. The president, they assert, popularly is credited with having made the statement that he would see the capital in ashes before he left it. Rebels in the vicinity of the federal capital, particularly the followers of General Zapata are continuing their campaign against the Huerta administration, it is reported.

SCATTER MORSELS OF CHEER

Impossible to Estimate How Much a Kind Word May Mean to Those in Misfortune.

It is often told that Eugene Field one day wandered into a basement restaurant, sat down at a table, put his chin in his hands and gazed moodily into space. A waiter came to him and after the manner of his kind enumerated the long list of dishes that were ready to be served.

"No, no," said Field, dejectedly, "I require none of those things. All I want is some sliced oranges and a few kind words."

Whether or not the incident be true, it is suggestive. Unquestionably, deeds weigh far more than words, and yet it is almost tragic to think how much happier and better this struggling world would become if kind words were more often heard. We all, every day, come in contact with those who are in Eugene Field's state of mind. They are in our own homes; mothers and fathers and children. They are behind the counters of stores; they are employes on trains; they are servants in kitchens; they are everywhere, and their name is legion. A word of appreciation would brighten the whole day and would make it easier for them to keep on trying.—Youth's Companion.

BLISTERS ALL OVER BODY

Hollene, New Mexico.—"Our little boy first broke out in little yellow blisters about the size of pin heads and they itched and hurt so badly he could not rest day nor night. In a few days they were running sores and kept spreading until they were as large as a dollar. He had them all over his body and was nearly tortured to death, as they hurt him so badly he could hardly sleep. He would scratch and cause great sores all over his face and legs.

"We tried several highly recommended remedies but they didn't seem to help him a bit. Nothing seemed to do any good until we got Cuticura Soap and Ointment. We hadn't used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment but a short time before he was completely cured without a scar." (Signed) Mrs. J. H. Northcutt, Nov. 22, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv

Getting a "Thrill" in Formosa.

The traveler who is tired of conventional journeys and who is anxious to visit an "unspoilt" country where he can enjoy the comforts of civilization and at the same time taste some of the thrills and excitement attendant upon encounters with unsubdued savage tribes should certainly make a trip to Formosa, that wonderful island lying off the coast of China which passed into the possession of Japan in 1895.

Here, along the eastern coast, he will find prosperous towns, with fine harbors and wharves, spacious streets and magnificent residences, schools and churches, electric lights and ample water supply—all the luxuries, in fact, of a European city. He can journey comfortably by train from one place to another, passing through vast tea gardens and rice fields. Everything is civilized, orderly and safe. Yet only a few miles inland, among the mountains and forests, dwell fierce, unconquered tribes, whose chief aim and ambition in life is to gather human heads.—Wide World Magazine.

Must Have Pleased Whistler

Richard A. Canfield, who has parted with his superb collection of Whistler paintings and pastels for $300,000, said the other day in New York:

"It would be a wise criticism to state my Whistler collection is the best in the world. And this reminds me of the unwisest criticism going—a criticism that a pretty English girl made to Whistler about my Whistler portrait of Count Robert de Montesquiou Fezensac.

"This pretty girl gazing at the famous portrait with enthusiastic eyes cried in a gushing voice:

"'Oh, Mr. Whistler, I do think your foreshortening of the skin tints is perfectly wonderful!'"

CAUSE AND EFFECT

Good Digestion Follows Right Food

Indigestion and the attendant discomforts of mind and body are certain to follow continued use of improper food.

Those who are still young and robust are likely to overlook the fact that, as dropping water will wear a stone away at last so will the use of heavy, greasy, rich food, finally cause loss of appetite and indigestion.

Fortunately many are thoughtful enough to study themselves and note the principle of cause and effect in their daily food. A N. Y. young woman writes her experience thus:

"Sometime ago I had a lot of trouble from indigestion, caused by too rich food. I got so I was unable to digest scarcely anything, and medicines seemed useless.

"A friend advised me to try Grape-Nuts food, praising it highly and as a last resort, I tried it. I am thankful to say that Grape-Nuts not only relieved me of my trouble but built me up and strengthened my digestive organs so that I can now eat anything I desire. But I stick to Grape-Nuts."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

MANY VISIT CAIRO

Tourists Heed the Call of Egypt's Attractions.

Present Season Promises to Be One of the Best Egyptian City Has Had for Many Years—Visitors Catered To.

Cairo.—The present season promises to be one of the best Cairo has had for several years. The hotels are nearly full and the Nile steamers are already nearly all let. Of late years the terrible Khamsin winds have not set in until late in May, and conditions generally have improved very considerably during the past few years.

One can now land at Alexandria and motor up to Cairo, where a car is today of the greatest utility for dashing out to Heliopolis for concerts, aviation and other attractions; for running over to Helouan, the suburb favored by the late khedive; for making an excursion along the Pyramids road, constructed for the opening of the Suez canal by that master organizer, Ismail Pasha, to Mena house, at the foot of the Pyramid of Cheops; for visiting the Barrage, with its medieval superstructure and its picturesque gardens, and even for taking trips along the old Suez or the Alexandria road.

The tastes of visitors and residents are amply catered to all over Egypt, especially in Cairo, which, by reason of its being the hub of the official world, is also naturally the social center of the country. A good deal of private entertaining goes on, but with the exception of the garden parties given by Lord Kitchener at the agency—which, bordering on the river, enables a magnificent view of the country and the Pyramids to be obtained—and of the private dinner parties and "at homes" which the British agent and General and Mrs. Byng give at their residences, most of the dinners and receptions are held at the various hotels.

The Blue Mosque at Cairo.

Polo forms a prominent part of the social program. On at least three afternoons every week matches are played by Ghezireh, and it has become quite the thing to retire to the pretty tea gardens to gossip and discuss the games.

WIND STAMPEDES FINE BUGS

Native Butterflies of the Death Valley Region Blown Over Mountains.

San Bernardino, Cal.—Since the recent heavy north winds there have been thousands of butterflies observed in the city, many of them of a different species than usually seen on this side of the range.

Particularly noticeable is a brown butterfly of a species peculiar to the Death Valley region and never seen this side of the mountains.

It is believed the heavy winds on the desert blew the insects over the mountains and their presence here can be accounted for in no other way.

Their appearance has been of great interest especially to men who are used to traveling the desert and who quickly recognized the butterflies.

'SCRATCHED' BY PICKLED HAM

Under Washington State Law Workman Gets Paid for Lay-Off of Ten Days.

Olympia, Wash.—Employes of the industrial insurance department declare the most novel claim presented since the law went into effect is that received from Alvodor Gernonpre, employe of a Seattle packing plant, who reported being "scratched by a pickled ham. It was the 'bone' of the ham that inflicted the damage,' Gernonpre set forth, infection setting in later. He asked and got compensation for ten days' idleness.

Recently another packing plant employe reported that he had been kicked in the mouth by a pig and the department is inclined to believe that the vicious pickled ham must have come from that ferocious porker.

With Seven Hooks Gets Eight Fish.

Libby, Mont.—George Blackwell brought to town an oddity in fish catching. This was a seven-hook set line upon which he had caught eight fish. One hook had first been taken by a charr about a foot long and later a large ling had swallowed the charr and was caught on the same hook.

A Boon to the Farm Housewife

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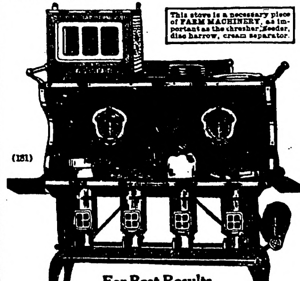

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Possibly Many of Us May Find Food for Reflection in Remark Made by Reverend Gentleman.

Perry S. Eustis, railroad passenger traffic manager, was complaining at the Traffic club dinner in Kansas City a few nights ago about the way the government pays the railroads for hauling the mails.

"I was a sweet, curly-haired child," he said. "I guess I had a sweet voice, too, for I sang in the choir of the Chestnut Hill Episcopalian church in Philadelphia. The rector, the Rev. J. Andrews Harris, always took the choir boys for a walk each Saturday, a privilege we greatly esteemed. On this particular Saturday my nose was out of joint because some one had been chosen to sing a solo the next day, and I was voicing my indignation.

"'As I understand it, your position is that you didn't get what you deserved,' said the rector.

"'Exactly,' I replied.

"'Then pray God you don't the rest of your life,' answered the Rev. Mr. Harris.'"—Kansas City Star.

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Knew What He Was Doing.

A little boy had a colt and a dog and a friend of the family took special delight in teasing him with questions such as "Won't you give me one of your pets?"

One day the boy said: "All right, I'll give you my colt."

The mother much surprised asked: "Why didn't you offer him the dog?"

"Sh," whispered the boy; "say nothing, say nothing, mother, but when he goes to get the colt I'll sic the dog on him."

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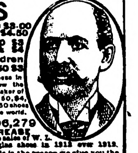

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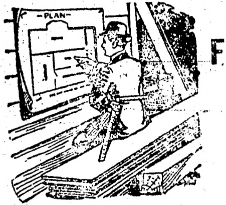

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Additional Locals

Hanson & Barzen Milling Co. of Holt has on hand a supply of seed Flax and Barley. Place your orders with Oscar Hanson, Agent for Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.

A school picnic was given by Misses Hanson and Tharaldson, our popular schoolmams, last Wednesday at the school house in Holt, in celebration of the closing of a successful term of school. The day was spent very enjoyably in playing games and other amusements, after which a delicious luncheon was served. This season's term of school has been a very successful and instuc'ive one due principally to the ability and untiring efforts of our instructors, Cora Hanson and Anne Tharaldson The pupils who finished the 8th grade and who were awarded diplomas are Amanda Mickelson, Ernest Selbaugh and Nellie Sorter.

There will be a grand opening of the new store about May 18th. Coffee and lunch will be served all day, free to all. The Sollom Bros. are expeirenced in store business and will without a doubt have as fine a store as there is in the country.

For County Attorney

I hereby announce that I filed for the nomination for the office of County Attorny on March 31st, and that I am a canidate for that office, subject to the approval of the voters of Marshal County at the Primary on June 16th.

John R. Naeseth

Warren Minn. (adv)

17th of May Celebration

There will be a grand 17th of May Celebration in T.R. Falls Elaborate arrangements have been made to make it as enjoyable and entertaning as possible. Grand parade at 2:00 p.m. Remember the day next Sunday

For County Treasurer

I desire to announce myself as a Candidate for re-nomination to the office of County Treasure of Marshall County, subject to your approval at the primaries on June 16th, 1914.

In this connection I desire to thank the taxpayers for the loyal manner in which they supported me, and their co-cperation in helping me in the discharge of my duties has been of materiel assistance to me in more ways than one.

When I first sought this office I pledged myself that if nominated and elected I would try my very best to discharge the duties of the office with the utmost fidelity. Whether I have done this or not to your entire fatisfaction it is for you to judge, and it will be my earnrst endeaver if re-nominated and elected to make still greater effort to do my full duty as a public servant.

If I have failed in any particular it is not because I have not tried to my duty conscientiously, but an honestly made failure that I have tried to remedy.

As for the duties of the office I have become perfectly familiar with every detail and am in a position to serve your interests with utmost dispatch and promptness. Thanking you for your kindly consideration and asking that you will bear my candidacy in mind at the June primary, I remain,

Yours very respectfully,

(adv) Fred Bakke, Co. Treasure.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,

Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Elmer Odie of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on Nov. 19, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05747, for N½ SW¼, Section 15, Township 156 N., Range 41 W. 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witness: Clarence Larson, Charles A. Holmgren, Bernard Larson, William Robertson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made under act of June 6th 1912.

First Publication April 10, 1914.

For Register of Deeds

To the voters of Marshall County: Having filed for nomination to the office of Register of Deeds, I hereby respectfully solicit your support and your votes at the Primary Election to be held June 16th, 1914.

Yours, Louis M. Olson (adv)

Olaf Eggum returned last Saturday from Houpt, Minn., where he has been for the last five months in the logging business.

A. H. Huseth made a business trip to T. R. Falls on Friday returning the next day.

For Representative

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of Representative to the State Legislature from Marshall County in the 67th Legislative District, at the Primaries on June 16,

Respectfully,

Geo. L. Johnson, M. D.

Newfolden, Minn. (adv)

A. D. Stephens, President of the Merchants National Bank, of Crookston, was at Holt last week. He is a stockholder in the Holt State Bank.

Mrs. D. Payne and children returned last week after an extended visit with her parents at Nielsville.

For Register of Deeds

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for Register of Deeds of Marshall County, and respectfully solicit the votes and support of the voters of Marshall County at the Primary Election June 16th, 1914.

Having been Deputy Register of Deeds of this County since the spring of 1906, I am thoroughly familiar with the work and if nominated and elected I shall always strive to serve the people to the best of my ability.

Chas. E. Grinder. (adv)

Golden Valley News

Rudolph Dahl arrived with his tractor at E. E. Pechie's place Monday and is about ready to begin breaking.

Johnson Bros. have been enjoying a visit from a sister from Cedar Falls, Ia. She departed for that point Monday.

A sister of Chris Sibelrud arrived last Thursday for a short visit.

A number of the neighbors gathered at the home of Elmer Odie Saturday evening and staid until the wee small hours of the morning and pronounced Elmer a royal entertainer.

The services at T. G. Dahl's last Sunday was well attended.

Mrs. E. E. Pechie was a caller at the Melvin Olson home Monday.

Benny Walness and Ole Trumstal left for Red Lake Falls to spend the summer.

A bouncing baby boy arrived at Clarence Larson's May 3.

For County Attorney

To the voters of Marshall County:

I take pleasure in announcing that I am a candidate for re-nomination for the office of County Attorney.

During the brief time that I have served in that official capacity, I have endeavored to enforce the laws of the State fairly and impartially and without fear or favor. I have striven, at all times, to give the public the best service possible, and if nominated and elected, that is the kind of service which the public may expect from me.

Your support is kindly solicited

Respectfully yours,

A. N. Eckstrom. (adv)

Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

April 28, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that George E. Olson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on June 23rd, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05775, for Lots 1 and 2 and 3 - Section 20 and lot 1 and SW¼ NW¼, Section 21, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Three Year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 3rd day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Isa Ostlund, Peter Ostlund, Rudolph Dahl, Peter Rosand, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,

April 20th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Brown of Golden Valley Minn., who, on August 31st, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05574, for SE¼, Section 22, Township 156 N., Range 41 W. 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 10th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Emil Ostlund, Rudolph Dahl, Clarence Larson, Axel Benson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,

Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence Larson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Febuary 25th, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05105, for SE¼. Section 15 Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Bernard Larson, Elmer Odie, Charles A. Holmgren, Obert W. Odie, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice For Publication.

Department of The Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Alfred C. Olson of Holt, Minn., who, on July 30, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08331, for S E¼ S w¼ sec. 1 N E¼ N w¼. Sec. 12, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Svenke Svenkeson, Carl Anderson, Martin T. Olson, Hans Stensrud, all of Holt Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912

First publication April 24, 1914.

Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,

April 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Martin T. Olson, of Holt, Minn., who on Feb. 8, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05074, for E½NE¼.NE¼SE¼ sec 11 SW¼ NW¼. Section 12 Twnship 156 N. R.42 w., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Svenke Svenkeson, Carl Anderson, Alfred Olson, Hans Stensrud, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

Apr. 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Charles A. Holmgren, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on December 24th, 1909, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05023, for NW¼, Section 15, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 15th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Obert W. Odie, Elmer Odie, Clarence Larson, Christ Norbeck, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made under act of June 6th, 1912.

First Publication April 10th, 1914.

Dr. J. C. R. CHARESТ

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 14, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Gunder Olson Haugen, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Aug. 29th, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05559, for S E ¼, Section 14, Township 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet U. S. Commissioner for district of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses:

Tharald Tharaldson, Tom Tharaldson, Tom Bakken, Gunder Brokke all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

First publication April 24th, 1914.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U.S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 18th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Carl L. Anderson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Feb. 23, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05097, for W½ NE¼ and NW ¼ SE ¼ and NE ¼ SW ¼, Section 11, Township 156 N., Range 42 W 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Martin T. Olson, Alfred C. Olson, Hans Stensrud, Svenke G. Svenkeson all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota.

April 20, 1914

Notice is hereby given that Axel Benson, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on August 31, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05575, for S½ SW¼-Sec. 22 and N½ NW¼, Sec. 27, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Clarence Larson, Frank Brown, Rudolph Dahl, Emil Ostlund, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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For Register of Deeds

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds in and for Marshall County, Minnesota, and ask your kind support at the Primary Election to be held on June 16, 1914.

J. S. Hilleboe,

Warren, Minn. (adv)

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1.45
Wheat	.85
Barley	.35
Oats	.30
Rye	.35
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We have just received some splendid values in Dress Goods. A call at our store will Surprise you what values you will get for your money.

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Holt, - - - - - - - Minn.

Local Items

Bring us the news.

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Mrs. C. H. Gunheim and Mrs. B. Docken gave a parcel shower Wednesday evening at the latters home, in honor of Miss Anna Hoel. The bride to be was the recipient of many beautiful and useful presents.

David Johnson, our County Superintendent, was a caller at this city last Wednesday.

The Holt State Bank is the place to pay you taxes.

One more new car in Holt this week. C. H. Gunheim being the purchaser of a new Maxwell.

T. O. Dovre was in town Monday and took out a cornplanter. He is going into corn-raising quite extensively and we trust others will follow his good example.

We have just received a supply of House and Floor Paint.

S. S. Kolden & Co.

What's the matter with the Rambler? Ask Ed.

A deal was closed last Thursday through the Holt Realty Co., whereby Anton Peterson sold his valuable farm two miles north of Holt for $5,000. Mr. Peterson expects to retire from farming for a few years at least.

The Holt State Bank will make out your Final Homestead Proof notices, free of charge. (adv.)

Ed. Silbaugh made a special trip to T. R. Falls last Friday on real estate business.

For Sale—A good secondhand single buggy at a reasonable price. Inquire at R. R. Rieirson. (pd)

What might have been a very serious fire occured at Gust Peterson's place last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Peterson and the children were cleaning up the yard and put fire to some rubbish; the wind being very strong that day, spread the fire, burning part of the wood pile, the ice house, and a set of bob-sleighs. With the assistance of the men who hurried in from the field where they were working the fire was soon put out before more damage was done.

Notice.

The parties who stole timber on my land, N. one-half of the S. W. one-half, S. 20, T. 156, R. 43, better settle for same at once or be prosecuted to the full extent of the law

C. E. Hellquist, T. R. Falls

The Sollom Bros. new store is now open to the public. They have an up-to-date and neat appearing store.

Mrs. C. L. Heinze left on Monday for an extended trip to Norway. She was accompanied by her son, Harry.

M. O. Mattson was a caller at the M. Olson home last Sunday.

Esther and Amanda Mickken made a quick trip to T. R. Falls on Saturday.

Hanson & Barzen Milling Co of Holt has on hand a supply of seed Flax and Barley. Place your orders with Oscar Hanson, Agent for Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.

A. T. Sollom, of Grand Forks, N. D., was a visitor at Holt this week. He is a brother of T. T. Sollom and Mrs. P. Reierson.

NOTICE.

Beginning June 1st I will receive cream on the following days: Monday, Wednesday and Friday. All cream must be in not later than 12 o'clock noon.

P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

Surprise Party.

Rev. and Mrs. M. T. Strom were pleasantly surprised last Sunday afternoon when a large party of their friends and neighbors arrived at their home and took complete possession. It was a perfect surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Strom, but they were soon made aware of the purpose of the visit when the word "Surprise" was chorused from the crowd.

Mr. Strom expressed his sincere appreciation of this pleasant visit. The visitors brought their lunch baskets and a delicious luncheon was served. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent by all.

Hoel-Eide Marriage.

On Thursday evening, May 24th, at the parsonage of Rev. Larson, T. R. Falls, occured the marriage of Miss Anna Hoel and E. T. Eide, both popular young people of Holt. They left the same evening for a honey-moon trip to Minneapolis and other points returning last Monday. They have our best wishes for a happy journey through life.

Dr. H. B. Newell, of T. R. Falls, was here on business last Monday.

The Nazareth Luth. Young People's Society will meet Sunday, May 24th at T. O. Dovre's place.

Mrs. T. T. Sollom left last Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Grand Forks, N. D.

Sheriff Forsberg was in town this week summoning witnesses for the grand jury.

LET LOOSE!

P. L. Anderson and Clarence Kolden are now with the bunch again after several weeks confinement with small pox.

Mr. J. H. Stair will be in Holt Saturday noon, May 23rd, to give a demonstration with Peter's Shells and Cartridges handled by the Holt Mercantile Co. Mr. Stair is an expert with the rifle and shotgun and if yon don't attend the demonstration you will miss the finest shooting you will ever see.

P. Reierson made a trip to T. R. Falls on Monday, returning on Wedday.

R. Reierson returned on Wednesday from a trip to the cities, where he went on a business trip and also to celebrate the 17th of May.

Lydia Risberg went to T. R. Falls last week for a few days stay.

Hildur Carlson, popular school teacher in District No. 20, was pleasantly surprised last Saturday evening by a party of her friends.

D. B. Bakke, of T. R. Falls, was at Holt on Wednesday, looking after his banking interests.

Lars Backe was up from T. R. Falls last Tuesday looking after banking business.

The announcement of E. A. Brekke, for County Attorney, appears in this issue,

Mrs. A. Carlson came up between trains from T. R. Falls to take her brother, Adgar Wegge, with her for a visit.

Northern Minnesota Developement Meeting.

The N. M. D. A. convention will be held in T. R. Falls, Minn., on June 3-4-5, 1914. Great preparations have been made to make it the largest and most interesting meeting ever held in that city. Prominent speakers will be there. Arrangements have been made for various amusements. Don't forget the dates.

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Rollis News.

Mr. Newman's wife and mother arrived from Missouri on Monday. Mr. Newman recently purchased a farm here and they intend to make this their future home.

A baby boy arrived at the C. Norbeck home last week.

Norbeck and Sagstuen are breaking on the Sagstuen quarter.

J. J. Kelly has contracted to do some breaking for C. B. Warner and Newman.

Alice Johnson, of Warren, arrived here last week to teach a term of school in the newly organized district in Veldt.

P. A. Kolden is doing some breaking for John Doane

The Sunnyside.

I know not what the truth may be, I tell it as 'twas told to me.

This fine spring weather has brot Sunnyside back to life.

Mrs. Ed. Furr spent Sunday afternoon at Carlson's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sorum and Mrs. Hans Knutson made a trip to Mike Sorum's, near Middle River, in John Sorum's automobile, last Sunday.

Alma and Oscar Carlson and Hjalmer Peterson spent Friday evening at Gust Peterson's.

Mrs. C. Anderson called at Louis Wegge's, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Knauf, Mrs. Kuehne and daughter, Emma, visited with Wartenberg's last Sunday.

The Misses Clara Tvede and Irene Wegge autoed to Donaldson, a distance of sixty miles, last Friday, returning Sunday.

FOR SHERIFF

To the voters of Marshall County:-

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff of Marshall County on the Non-Partisan ticket, and respectfully solicit your influence and vote at the primary election to be held June 16th, 1914. If nominated and elected I will discharge the duties of my office to the best of my ability.

Yours very truly,

OSCAR OSETH. (adv.)

The Best Is Here

We have just unloaded two carloads of Farm Machinery You know we handle only the best makes, and such items as Gang, Sulky and Walking Plows, Drills, Harrows, Disks, Cultivators, Wagons, Buggies, etc.

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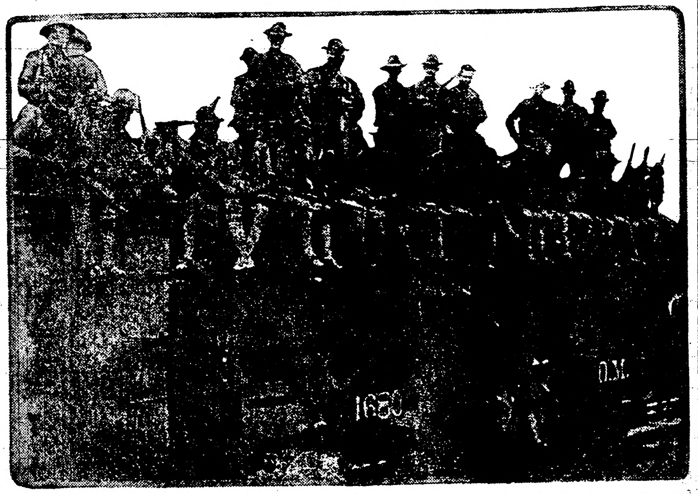


A detachment of General Funston's regulars on a freight train on their way to strengthen the guard at the waterworks near Vera Cruz, threatened by the federals.

PANAMA CANAL NOW IN USE

TRAFFIC PASSING THROUGH IS THE REPORT.

Twelve-Hour Barge Service From Atlantic to Pacific in Effect, Washington Dispatch Says.

Washington, May 15.—For the first time in the world's history waterborne traffic between the Atlantic and Pacific oceans is now passing through the Panama canal, according to the reports that have been received at the headquarters of the Panama railroad in New York, forwarded here.

Though confirmation of the report has not yet reached the Washington office of the isthmian canal, it is known that ample provision had been made by Colonel Goethals for the institution of water service, limited at first strictly to barges, beginning not later than May 10. As a matter of fact, according to the Panama railroad reports, the service actually began last Saturday and a steady stream of barges in tow is now passing through the canal.

Colonel Goethals has not yet reported to Washington just when the canal will be opened to merchant shipping, but the understanding here is that the waterway is practically finished and that even now there is a sufficient channel through the Culebra cut for almost any warship or liner.

It is understood that this barge service is to be operated on about twelve hours' schedule from the Atlantic to the Pacific, which allows about an hour's delay in each of the locks.

"NO VOTE---NO KISS" SLOGAN

Suffragist Has Novel Plan for Forcing Men to Grant Franchise to Women.

New York, May 18.—A kissing strike is the newest method in the votes for women war.

"If we women all go on strike and agree not to kiss our husbands until we get the vote," Mrs. Havelock Ellis told the members of the woman suffrage party, "and if we agreed also not to cook, or wash, or even look at our husbands, we would get it much quicker than by the present program of destroying art treasures and golf grounds.

"All we need to do is to sit still with our hands in our pockets and a noncommittal smile on our countenances, while we watch the men running to bring us the vote. Let us take as our motto, 'To break hearts rather than windows.'

"Yes, sisters, it is true that effective results would be forthcoming should we insist, with authority, upon compliance with the slogan, 'No vote—no kiss.'"

Strikers Killed While Escaping.

Denver, Colo., May 18.—Louis Tikas (Louis, the Greek), James Fyler and Frank Rebino, Ludlow strikers, were shot and killed on the night of April 20 while running from the military lines toward the burning tent colony, directly in the line of fire between the militia and strikers, according to testimony of Sergeant P. N. Cullom and Private Frank M. Mason, at the trial of Major Patrick J. Hamrock, before the general court martial. The strikers had been taken prisoners, said the witnesses.

WOMAN FAN STARTS A RIOT

St. Louis, May 16.—The principals of two public schools, acting as umpires, were stoned and the majority of 600 schoolboy spectators engaged in a general fight during a riot started by a woman at a baseball game here. The woman took exception to the ruling of one of the umpires when he called the boy at bat out on strikes. She rushed onto the diamond, yelling "Protest! Protest!" and was followed instantly by the grand stand constituents of both teams.

THIRTEEN DAYS OF AWFUL SUFFERING

FOUR SURVIVORS OF BURNED SHIP COLUMBIAN FINALLY SAVED FROM SEA.

LIMIT OF HUMAN ENDURANCE

Almost Exhausted From Starvation and Cold When Seneca Crew Sights Boat—12 Had Already Succumbed.

Halifax, N. S., May 19.—After 13 days of terrible suffering in an open boat, four survivors of the freight steamer Columbian were picked up in the north Atlantic by the United States revenue cutter Seneca.

Twelve Others Succumbed.

Twelve others of the boat's crew which left the Columbian when she was burned just south of Sable Island on May 3, had succumbed to injuries and privations and their bodies had been thrown overboard. The death toll of the lost freighter now stands at 16. Twenty-seven other members of the crew were saved by the Cunard liner Franconia and the steamer Manhattan after two days of exposure.

The men just snatched from death by the Seneca were the first officer, Robert Tiere, and Seamen Oscar Kendall and Peter Bellanger, and Fireman Michael Ludwigsen. The Seneca reached Halifax this morning.

Limit of Endurance.

The survivors had lived on only a few ship's biscuits and a cask of water which had long since been exhausted. They had gone the limit of human endurance.

Hope for this missing third boat had been abandoned after a dozen of the trans-Atlantic liners searched for five days within a wide radius of the spot where the Columbian burst into flames. To seafaring men, it seemed impossible that a small boat could pass through the series of gales that have since swept those waters, and the news that the Seneca had picked up survivors was received here almost with incredulity.

Although the survivors were too weak from their suffering to tell the story completely, the revenue cutter's officers gathered that some of the 16 who had hastily piled into the third boat had been so badly burned that they died within the first few days. It was decided to lighten the boat by casting the bodies overboard.

Some Die of Cold.

Some who had tumbled from their bunks at the first explosion and had rushed on deck half-clothed, succumbed to the cold. Others, weakened by hunger and thirst, gradually sank into lethargy that was scarcely to be distinguished from death.

Somehow the survivors managed to keep the boat head-on to the seas when the weather became rough, but for the past few days little or no effort could be made to guide the craft. Day by day the number dwindled until the four who were left sank limply to the bottom of the boat and awaited the end.

Cattle Queen of Utah Dies.

Salt Lake City, May 18.—Mrs. Elizabeth Bonnemort, known through the West as the cattle and sheep queen of Utah, died at her home here. Mrs. Bonnemort came to Utah from Scotland in 1865 at the age of 20 years and immediately engaged in the cattle and sheep business with great success. Later she became identified with the real estate business in Salt Lake which, with her cattle ventures, netted her a fortune computed at $2,000,000.

EXPLOSION KILLS THIRTEEN

ONE IS DYING AND THREE ARE FATALLY INJURED.

Blast Blows Detroit Rubber Factory to Pieces—Many Narrowly Escape.

Detroit, May 16.—Thirteen men were killed and three terribly injured in an explosion which blew the plant of the Mexican Crude Rubber company to pieces. There were about twenty-five employees working in the plant. Twelve survivors have been accounted for. Gasoline is believed to have been responsible for the explosion.

Most of the victims were skilled mechanics. One body was blown through the building. Three other bodies were burned beyond recognition. Three men were removed to a hospital and physicians said they did not expect any of the men would survive. Dozens of windows in buildings near the rubber company's plant were shattered.

There were several reports as to the cause of the explosion, but survivors said a vat containing a large quantity of molten rubber exploded. Officials of the company declined to issue a statement until they conducted an investigation.

The plant, a one-story concrete building, in West Detroit, was almost obliterated. Flying chunks of substance riddled adjoining buildings and concrete blocks weighing pounds, were found more than two blocks from the scene of the explosion.

The explosion was witnessed by scores of pedestrians and there were many narrow escapes. One man told the police he heard a roar; the concrete factory seemed to split into three huge pieces, two of which "melted away." The third, he said, shot high into the air, breaking into fragments and went whizzing in every direction.

SALTILLO ATTACK TO FOLLOW

Believed Villa Will Capture Important City Thus Completing Federal Downfall.

Torreon, Mex., May 16.—General Francisco Villa, in command of the Constitutionalist army now moving upon Saltillo, before his departure said he is prepared to meet any situation which may arise. His army is amply provisioned for 30 days and it appears he has enough ammunition for the task before it. Each man carried from 250 to 400 rounds of ammunition in his belts. It is said also there is an amply supply of artillery ammunition.

That Saltillo will be taken is confidently believed by the Constitutionalists here, although apparently the Federals will have most of the advantages.

With Saltillo in the hands of the Constitutionalists it is thought here the Huerta government will have lost all claim to control of the greater half of Mexico. The Federals must then retire upon San Luis Potosi, making it possible for the government of the North to concentrate its troops on that port without fear of being outflanked.

Picture Slasher Sentenced.

London, May 15.—Mary Ansell, the militant suffragist, who Tuesday slashed the Royal Academy portrait of the Duke of Wellington by Hubert von Herkomer, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

Run Closes Iowa Bank

Corning, Iowa, May 18.—The First National bank of Corning failed to open its doors following a run in which about $60,000 in deposits was withdrawn. The institution was closed on the order of the comptroller of the currency and W. W. Smith, of St. Louis, a bank examiner, is in charge. R. R. Newcomb is the president and B. Newcomb the cashier. The capital stock of the bank was $100,000 with deposits at $220,000. Resources not counting capital stock already placed at $280,000.

WESTERN CANADA'S PROSPECTS FOR 1914

Excellent Spring for Work and Wheat Seeding About Finished.

The writer has just returned from an extensive trip through the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, in Western Canada. The crop conditions are the very best, and no one locality seems to have an advantage over another in this respect. The uniformity in growth is remarkable, and in all parts of the three provinces spring wheat at the time of writing, May 10th, is well above the ground from two to three inches. Considerable fall plowing was done last year, and this, with the summer fallow, is already seeded, so that practically wheat seeding is over by this date. Everywhere the farmers are busy and the whole country presents one great scene of activity—three-horse, four-horse and five-horse teams are busy preparing land for barley, oats and flax. On some of the larger farms batteries of steam and gasoline outfits are at work, but in a great many districts where these have been operated in the past they are being displaced by horses, owing no doubt partially to the difficulty of securing experienced men to operate them. Anyway, there is being put into agriculture in Western Canada, greater effort with more promise than for some years past. The soil is in the best possible condition; moisture has been sufficient, there have been no winds to dry out the soil, and if the farmers have had to lay up for a day or so now and again, it was merely that the ground might have the advantage of the rain and an occasional snow, which promise so much for the growing crop. With some warm weather the grain will come along in a manner that will equal the best years Western Canada has ever had.

It must not be thought from this that the farmers are full bent on securing a grain crop alone. In nearly every district there is more and more the indication and inclination to go into mixed farming. Herds of cattle now dot the plains that up to the present had been fully given up to grain growing, hogs and sheep are in evidence. New buildings are to be seen on a great many places, these being pig houses and cow stables, although protection of cattle is not regularly required, excepting for calves and such cows as it may be necessary to house from time to time.

The growing of alfalfa and other fodder grasses is an industry that is being rapidly developed.

During this spring a splendid class of new settlers have gone in, many of them from the eastern states. These have seen what success the western and central states man has achieved in Western Canada, and are now going in in hundreds. The movement from Montana, Oregon and Washington to Canada continues without any abatement as to numbers and value of effects, while the central and eastern states are still sending an excellent class of farmers with means sufficient to begin farming on a scale that will pay from the start.

Those who contemplate visiting the Panama Exposition next year will find that one of the most interesting trips they can make will be via the Canadian West. There will be three lines of railway they can use—the Canadian Pacific, Canadian Northern and Grand Trunk Pacific, all of which will have through to coast lines completed. Thus will be given a view of prairie, woodland and mountain scenery unexcelled in America.—Advertisement.

Curtain Lecture.

Miss Polly—When I was in the city I attended a vaudeville show, and it was just grand.

Villager—What were the names of the pieces?

Miss Polly—I don't remember all but the curtain said the first piece was "Asbestos."—Buffalo Express.

HAIR CAME OUT IN HANDFULS

Hughson, Cal.—"Last winter my hair began to fall out and later my scalp began to itch terribly and my hair was full of dandruff. There were pimples broke out on my scalp, especially around the edge of my hair. Sometimes I would wake up at night and lie awake an hour or so with the itching. My hair came out in handfuls when I combed it. It was dry and lifeless and the dandruff was so thick it could be plainly seen.

"I used several different kinds of shampoo and soap but it got worse all the time for five or six months. When I had lost about half of my hair I started using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. In about six weeks my scalp stopped itching and in two or three months my hair began to come in new. My head is clear of dandruff now and new hair is coming in all the time." (Signed) Mrs. W. R. Candlish, Dec. 10, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

Natural Conflict.

"What on earth is all that racket in the next room about?"

"I guess it is because Nan is trying to put a green bow on her new orange straw hat."

Anybody can dye successfully with Putnam Fadeless Dyes. Adv.

A good dentist spares no pains to make his work satisfactory.

ENVOYS REALIZE HUERTA'S RULE IS FAST CRUMBLING

FALL OF DICTATOR IS CONCEDED BY MEXICAN MEDIATION DELEGATES, IT IS REPORTED.

ADMIT WAR WITH U. S. MAY BE PROVOKED BY FEDERALS

Fears are Entertained that Army Near Vera Cruz May Do Something That Will Lead to Resumption of Hostilities—Talk of Successor.

Washington, May 19.—Intimation of the attitude of the Huerta delegates to the mediation conference to be held at Niagara Falls Wednesday, was obtained from persons said to be in touch with the envoys. The Mexicans refused to talk of their plans before their departure.

Three are Optimistic.

That the three were optimistic regarding the chances for mediation was learned from quarters in close touch with them. They have little idea how long the arrangement of a settlement will keep them at Niagara Falls, but they are confident their trip will not have been in vain.

The Mexican delegates are said to realize that the present administration in Mexico City is fast crumbling and that the choice of some one to succeed Huerta is inevitable.

After Huerta, What?

But conceding the retirement of Huerta, the delegates are said to be most interested in the vital question of what is to follow, what guarantees are to be obtained against the possible confiscation of property by the invading Constitutionalists, protection against conditions of anarchy, and what kind of government will be stable and will obtain world-wide recognition.

On the other hand, those close to President Wilson and Secretary Bryan say that the question to be mediated is no longer the failure of Huerta to salute the flag or the offenses committed against the dignity of the United States, but the broad question of pacifying Mexico. Those who know the broad-minded view of the Washington administration declare the American troops will not be withdrawn from Vera Cruz until a stable government is established or is in sight in Mexico City.

Mexican Envoys Federals.

Persons close to the Mexican delegates emphasized that the three men who will represent the Huerta government are not "Huertaistas or the representatives of any group of any people, but were representatives of the interests of the territory controlled by the Federals."

Though technically the delegates are dealing with an international question—the differences which arose with the United States out of the Tampico incident—privately they admit that before them is the problem of the actual pacification of Mexico.

Persons close to Emilio Rabasas, chairman of the Mexican commission, and intimate adviser of Huerta, said when the time came for their answer to suggestions as to a successor for Huerta they probably would insist that no man who had gained military prominence or was obtaining power "by arbitrary force," as set forth in President Wilson's Latin-American declaration, should be permitted to take the reins of government. This would eliminate Generals Carranza and Villa, but there are other men in the Constitutionalist ranks who are looked upon as of presidential caliber who would be acceptable to the Huerta faction.

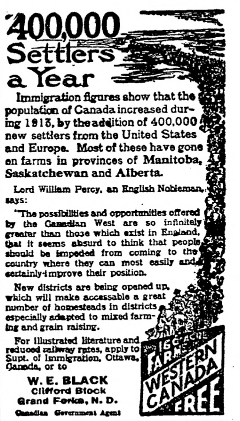
War Yet Possible.

Although General Huerta has sent the delegates here to mediate the differences and they know his viewpoint, there is a possibility—and it is admitted by representatives of all Mexican factions here—that hostilities may at any time be provoked by the Federal troops near Vera Cruz, which may generally entangle the situation and force another crisis. Huerta's whimsical moods are pointed to by even some of his friends as a dangerous aspect of the situation.

That the Huerta delegates are men of the highest ability is admitted by Constitutionalists. In settling the Mexican questions these delegates, according to their friends, will not be guided by the personal ambitions of any one man, but will recommend the things which their independent judgment of the situation will dictate.

Tell of Murder of Americans.

San Francisco, May 18.—Graphic reports of the murder of Americans, the capture by a Mexican transport of the American brig Geneva, and the imprisonment of United States Consul Clement S. Edwards of Acapulco were brought in by 150 refugees on the British steamer Cetriana from Manzanillo. According to the refugees, when news of the capture of Vera Cruz reached the west coast it was taken by the Mexicans as the beginning of war. Americans abandoned their homes and fled.



400,000 Settlers a Year

Immigration figures show that the population of Canada increased during 1913, by the addition of 400,000 new settlers from the United States and Europe. Most of these have gone on farms in provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Lord William Percy, an English Nobleman, says:

"The possibilities and opportunities offered by the Canadian West are so infinitely greater than those which exist in England, that it seems absurd to think that people should be impeded from coming to the country where they can most easily and certainly improve their position."

New districts are being opened up, which will make accessable a great number of homesteads in districts especially adapted to mixed farming and grain raising.

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Canadian Government Agent

JUST SAVED THE SITUATION

British Royalty's Narrow Escape From What Might Be Called "Simply Awful" Position.

When truth gets a fair inning she rarely fails to be much funnier than fiction. Strange to say, old England, where truth is supposed to be always dismally sober, now and then makes quite a merry record. A rector of the Church of England, in a remote parish in Wiltshire recently discovered among his parishioners a fine old figure of a woman, age one hundred and four, the widow of an innkeeper. This ancient dame has eight sons living, six of whom have served in either the army or the navy. The rector wrote informing King George of these things, and the king ordered a warm congratulatory telegram to be sent to her.

Just as the telegram was sent off, the rector, having received additional testimony concerning the "old un," wrote again, explaining that she had been twice divorced, and had not gone through the marriage ceremony at all with the man of her latest household. Another wire was promptly set at work at the king's command, ordering the postmaster at the other end to stop delivery of the royal congratulations, and that functionary had barely time to grab the coattails of the messenger with the bicycle as he was about to make delivery.

Army's Fight on Typhoid.

The efficacy of the treatment of typhoid by vaccination is established by the remarkable statistics for the United States army during last year, when only two cases of typhoid fever among the enlisted force of 80,000 were recorded. Of the two cases, one was that of a man who had not been treated with the vaccine; the other was among the troops in China. This man had been immunized in 1911, but the history of the case is in doubt.

Before the vaccine treatment was adopted the typhoid average was 3 to 1,000; in 1910, before inoculation was practised, the rate was 2.323 a 1,000; in 1911 it dropped to 0.80, and in 1912 to 0.26.—Engineering Record.

Consolation.

Yeast—It is said that one-fifth more milk will be given by a cow which is sung to as she is milked.

Crimsonbeak—After all, there seems to be some good reasons why a man should thank his lucky stars that he was not born a cow.

LIVING ADVERTISEMENT

Glow of Health Speaks for Postum.

It requires no scientific training to discover whether coffee disagrees or not.

Simply stop it for a time and use Postum in place of it, then note the beneficial effects. The truth will appear.

"Six years ago I was in a very bad condition," writes a Tenn. lady. "I suffered from indigestion, nervousness and insomnia.

"I was then an inveterate coffee drinker, but it was long before I could be persuaded that it was coffee that hurt me. Finally I decided to leave it off a few days and find out the truth.

"The first morning I left off coffee I had a raging headache, so I decided I must have something to take the place of coffee." (The headache was caused by the reaction of the coffee drug—caffeine.)

"Having heard of Postum through a friend who used it, I bought a package and tried it. I did not like it at first but after I learned how to make it right, according to directions on pkg., I would not change back to coffee for anything.

"When I began to use Postum I weighed only 117 lbs. Now I weigh 170 and as I have not taken any tonic in that time I can only attribute my present good health to the use of Postum in place of coffee.

"My husband says I am a living advertisement for Postum."

Name given by the Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum now comes in two forms:

Regular Postum—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—is a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

Supplement to

HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Friday, May 22, 1914.

Grand
FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION
AT HOLT

Watch For Particulars.

For Clerk of the District Court.

I am a candidate for re-nomination for the office of Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, and would appreciate your support at the primaries to be held June 16th, 1914.

During my incumbency of this office I have tried to be courteous and efficient. I have tried to do what was right, and have treated all persons alike. I am willing to let my record while in office speak for itself, and if nominated and elected I pledge myself to conduct the office upon business principles, and to give to the people of Marshall County the best administration of the office that I am capable of. I shall in the future, as in the past, give my personal attention to the office, and when you have business with the clerk's office, you will know that it is the undersigned that is attending to your business, and no one else.

I desire to thank the people of Marshall County for what they have done for me in the past, and trusting they will see their way clear to help me in the future, I remain,

Yours very truly,
A. C. Swandby.

Announcement for County Commissioner.

To the Voters of the 5th Commissioner District of Marshall County:

Having filed as a Non-partisan candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner of the 5th District of Marshall County, I hereby solicit your vote and influence.

If nominated and elected I pledge myself to conduct the affairs of the office in an honest and business-like manner.

Yours Very Respectfully,
Carl T. Olson,
Randin, Minn.

HENRY RINES.

Candidate for Republican omination for State Auditor of innesota

Henry Rines, of Mora, Minnesota, Candidate for the Republication Nomination for State Auditor, was County Auditor of Kanabec County, Minnesota, ten years, and a member of the State Legislature eight years. He was Speaker of the House during the session of 1913. Under his administration the House expenses were cut to $52,190.41 as compared with $74,958.47 during the previous session, and the number of House employes was reduced one-third. Mr [illegible] is a progressive Republican and has an excellent legislative record. He is an expert accountant and is recognized as an authority on Taxation. His long legislative experience has enabled him to become thoroughly familiar with the various branches of the State government. He is the author of many important laws now on the statute books, including the Gross Earnings Tax Law, increasing the railroad taxes from four to five percent, which was approved by the voters of the last election. This law is bringing over $1,000,000 additional revenue into the State treasury annually. Mr. Rines was born in Orsa, Sweden, 42 years ago, and he has resided in Minnesota for 41 years.

County Superintendent

I wish to announce to the voters of Marshall County my candidacy for the office of County Superintendent of Schools. I am a graduate of the University of Minnesota and have been in school work for seven years, hence am amply qualified for this work both in preparation and experience. At present I am principal of the Middle River Schools

Mark L. Stewart.

For County Auditor.

I have filed for re-nomination for the office of County Auditor of Marshall County, Minnesota, and desire the support of the people of the County at the primaries to be held June 16th, 1914.

As an official of the County, it has been my aim to act honestly and uprightly; it has been my aim to keep the books of the County clean and correct; and when I had occasion to act officially upon any matter I have done what I considered for the best interests of the County.

I now come before the people of the County upon my past record, and if painstaking and energetic attention to business meets with your approval, reward it by placing an "X" opposite my name when you vote.

If nominated and elected, I pledge myself to do everything I can to give the County a clean, successful and efficient County Auditor's Office.

Respectfully submitted
A C Lundgren

Terrible Tragedy

One of the most cold-blooded murders in the history of the coun- of the country occured yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, a few miles east of Germantown, when Anton Gilsol shot and killed Mrs. Ludwig Larson, Helen and Inga Olson, and wounded Mrs. O K Olson.

After committing this terrible deed the murderer disappeared but his dead body was found in a small grove a short distance from the place of the murder. It is not known for certain whether he committed suicide or was shot by the posse which quickly formed and surrounded his place of concealment. The motive of the crime is as yet unknown.

[illegible]

[illegible] Gramercy— When [illegible] your husband's pocket, do you [illegible] find letters that he has forgotten to mail?

Mrs. Park— No, but I sometimes find ones that he has forgotten to burn.

For County Attorney

To the Voters of Marshall County,

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of County Attorney for Marshall County, subject to the choice of the voters at the primaries, June 16th 1914. I respectfully ask your vote and influence and if nominated and elected it shall be my purpose to discharge the duties of that office in a fair and impartial manner.

Respectfully [illegible]
E A Br[illegible]

WRITING LETTERS IN SYRIA

Not Always an Easy Task Here, but Something to Be Dreaded in That Country.

I always dreaded writing letters when called upon to do it by my father. It was not the business part of the letter which I dreaded, because that was dictated to me; but I had to write the "preface," a chapter of fulsome salaams and laudatory phrases, extolling the recipient, and without which a letter was little short of an insult. Again, I had to ascertain "the day of the month" which, in the entire absence of calendars, was known only to a few select minds. When the question, "How much of the month is it?" was put to me my face reddened with incredible swiftness. And when I was ridiculed by the men present for my inexcusable ignorance, being a "schoolboy," my mother would come to the rescue by telling these men that they themselvese did not know how much of the month it was, and they were of much larger dimensions than I was. I was often sent to the priest to ask him what day of the month it was. He usually counted on his fingers from the last saint's day, according to the eastern calendar, and I ran home with the information lest I should forget it on the way.—Abraham Rihbany in the Atlantic.

[illegible] AND [illegible]

"I [illegible] you for my [illegible]," and the rich old gentleman [illegible] had succeeded in getting the beautiful girl to listen to him.

"But how can I [illegible] own?"

"Why, [illegible] can't you?"

"I suppose I [illegible] think, if you really [illegible] would be safe to [illegible]."—Judge's Library.

THE MERCHANT WHO WINS

EMERSON said something about an institution being the lengthened shadow of a man. The same is true of a business. A STORE, for example, REFLECTS THE CHARACTER OF ITS OWNER.

Take two typical stores. The one is enterprising, has attractive displays, advertises liberally and intelligently and reaches out for new business.

The other goes along in a humdrum fashion, advertises little, and that in a stereotyped way, makes no display of its wares and no effort to turn over its stock at frequent intervals. It follows the methods of twenty years ago. It does not reach after new customers and in consequence loses its old ones.

Which of these stores will succeed and which will fail?

WHICH PROPRIETOR READS THE PAPERS AND WHICH READS LAST YEAR'S ALMANAC?

That tells the whole story. THE PROGRESSIVE, HUSTLING, UP TO DATE MERCHANT READS THE NEWSPAPERS. He also makes others read the advertisements he places in the newspapers. Therefore he is a winner. BE A WINNER.

HAD BEEN AT THE BEACHES

She—W[illegible] to be loved.

He—Yes, I've observed, though, that you like a whole lot better to be made love to.

Sick Women Made Well

Reliable evidence is abundant that women are constantly being restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

The many testimonial letters that we are continually publishing in the newspapers—hundreds of them—are all genuine, true and unsolicited expressions of heartfelt gratitude for the freedom from suffering that has come to these women solely through the use of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**

Money could not buy nor any kind of influence obtain such recommendations; you may depend upon it that any testimonial we publish is honest and true—if you have any doubt of this write to the women whose true names and addresses are always given, and learn for yourself.

Read this one from Mrs. Waters:

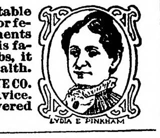
CAMDEN, N.J.—"I was sick for two years with nervous spells, and my kidneys were affected. I had a doctor all the time and used a galvanic battery, but nothing did me any good. I was not able to go to bed, but spent my time on a couch or in a sleeping-chair, and soon became almost a skeleton. Finally my doctor went away for his health, and my husband heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and got me some. In two months I got relief and now I am like a new woman and am at my usual weight. I recommend your medicine to every one and so does my husband."—Mrs. TILLIE WATERS, 1135 Knight St., Camden, N.J.

And this one from Mrs. Haddock:

UTICA, OKLA.—"I was weak and nervous, not able to do my work and scarcely able to be on my feet. I had backache, headache, palpitation of the heart, trouble with my bowels, and inflammation. Since taking the Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I am better than I have been for twenty years. I think it is a wonderful medicine and I have recommended it to others."—Mrs. MARY ANN HADDOCK, Utica, Oklahoma.

Now answer this question if you can. Why should a woman continue to suffer without first giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial? You know that it has saved many others—why should it fail in your case?

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs, it has restored so many suffering women to health.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Sure cure and positive preventive, no matter how horses at any age are infected or "exposed." Liquid, given on the tongue; acts on the Blood and Glands; expels the poisonous germs from the body. Cures Distemper in Dogs and Sheep and Cholera in Poultry. Largest selling live stock remedy. Cures La Grippe among human beings, and is a fine Kidney remedy. 50c and $1 a bottle; $5 and $10 a dozen. Cut this out. Keep it. Show to your druggist, who will get it for you. Free Booklet, "Distempers, Causes and Cures." Special Agents wanted.

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Easy Payments.

"Please, sir," said the maid to the head of the house, "there's a gentleman here to see you on business."

"Tell him to take a chair."

"Oh, he's already taken them all, and now he's after the table. He's from the installment house."—New York Herald.

Constipation causes many serious diseases. It is thoroughly cured by Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. One a laxative, three for cathartic. Adv.

Some men are troubled with temporary deafness; it all depends on who is talking and what is wanted.

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Forever Parted.

George, who lives in London, happened to meet the vicar of his native parish the other day, and eagerly asked for some of his old acquaintances.

"And old Mr. Jones?" he asked. "Have you seen him lately?"

The vicar shook his head. "I shall never see him again," he answered, slowly. "Mr. Jones has gone to heaven."

New Modern Dancing

The leading Expert and Instructor in New York City, writes: "Dear Sir:—I have used ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes, for the past ten years. It is a blessing to all who are compelled to be on their feet. I dance eight or ten hours daily, and find that ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE keeps my feet cool, takes the friction from the shoe, prevents corns and Sore, Aching feet. I recommend it to all my pupils."
(Signed) E. FLETCHER HALLAMORE.
Sample FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N.Y.

Beginning Sunday School.

"And what do you know about Moses?"

"Please, teacher, it's my first Sunday here and I don't know anybody."—Punch.

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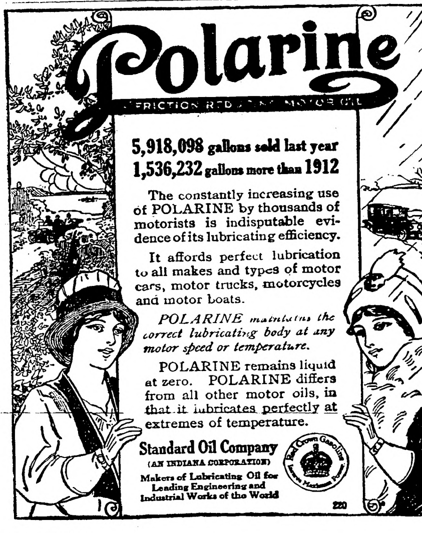

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FATAL ACCIDENT OCCURS ON MISSISSIPPI RIVER AT MINNEAPOLIS.

THREE BELONG TO A FAMILY

Man Holds Wife by Hair and Saves Sister's Child on Back While His Own Children are Whirled to Death By Eddies.

Minneapolis, May 19.—Five persons were drowned in the capsizing of an overcrowded 16-foot launch in the Mississippi river at Thirty-third avenue northeast at 3 p. m. Sunday. Four more of the party were rescued from three or four bobbing logs snagged in mid-stream onto which they had crawled after half an hour in the water whose current carried them four blocks.

Those Who Lost Lives.

Those drowned were: Mrs. Otto Justman, 2812 Harriet avenue south; Orville Justman, 7 years old; Justman baby, 8 months old; Norman Buchholz, 5 years old; Harold Buchholz, 2 years old.

The rescued included: John C. Buchholz, 1830 Marshall street northeast; Mrs. John C. Buchholz; Fred Weber, Merrill, Wis.; Helen Justman, 9 years old.

The body of Harold Buchholz was found floating at Fifteenth avenue, 18 blocks from the scene of the accident, an hour later. Too short a turn in a big eddy overturned the heavily-loaded launch as if it were a canoe.

John C. Buchholz, who drove the launch, kept his wife and his sister's daughter afloat. His own two children were drowned. Fred Weber, aged 20, of Merrill, Wis., struggled to save Mrs. Justman and failed. She and two of her children were drowned.

Man Saves Wife.

Buchholz struggled to a cluster of logs, gripping his wife by the hair and with his sister's little girl clinging around his neck. Merrill followed him. The woman and child were pushed onto the logs, Mrs. Buchholz unconscious. They clung there until three employes of the General Electric company's nearby plant took them off in a boat.

Otto Justman was fishing and not until late did he learn of the accident that took three of his family of four. Mr. and Mrs. Buchholz have no children left.

Launch Turns.

When the launch capsized, it spun over and over on its side and afforded no refuge. One of the Buchholz children was shoved onto it for an instant, then it whirled again and the child disappeared. The same whirl that drowned his child threw Mrs. Buchholz within the reach of Mr. Buchholz. In another spin the boat struck Mrs. Justman from the arms of Weber and she sank.

Boat and floundering people were carried fast down the river.

Only One Body Recovered.

Fifty men began search for bodies immediately under the direction of police of the north and east stations. The only body recovered was that of Harold Buchholz, the clothing of a two-year-old keeping him afloat. The fact that his body was found 18 blocks from the spot where the launch overturned discouraged hope of early recovery of the other bodies.

It was a family dinner party that went out for a short ride.

TROOPS ARE READY TO SAIL

Six Army Transports Waiting to Carry Men and Supplies on 5 Hours Notice.

Galveston, Tex., May 18.—Six army transports lie along side the government piers in readiness to carry troops, horses and supplies to Vera Cruz. Embarkation officers say that five hours after an order to sail has been received the transports will be loaded with soldiers and headed toward Mexico.

Within the last four days the quartermaster's department has converted the steamship Denver into a troop ship which will carry 1,400 men.

The Colorado is now a floating stable and can transport 450 horses. The freighter Kansas, due here from ports in the West Indies, will be made over into a stable ship with a capacity of 900 horses.

The regular army transports Meade, Sumner and Kilpatrick are loaded with coal, provisions for a voyage, and supplies for the troops already in Vera cruz. The newly chartered transports are expected from New York some time next week.

The army is preparing itself for a possible campaign through the Mexican mountain passes, where the nights are cold. Hundreds of boxes containing hoodless overcoats have been unloaded on the government

143,000 Visitors in Atlanta.

Atlanta, Ga., May 15. Tuesday capped the peak of the load of Atlanta's burden of entertainment for the Shriners. The early part of the week the Shriners took care of themselves. From now on they will take care of Atlanta. Stores closed until 1 o'clock to give the public the opportunity of seeing 90 Temples and 30,000 Arabs marching down Peachtree street, in a stupendous spectacle. It is estimated that 43,000 of the nobility, and 100,000 country visitors are here.

WANTS TROOPS TO REMAIN

GOV. AMMONS AND LABOR UNIONS APPEAL TO PRESIDENT.

Colorado Executive Maintains Strike Disorders are Interstate—Laborers Fear Further Outrages.

Denver, Colo., May 19.—Federal aid in bringing about a settlement of the Colorado coal miners' strike is desired by Governor Ammons even if President Wilson carries out his intimation that federal troops may soon be withdrawn from the strike districts, the governor announced.

The governor's announcement followed an interchange of telegrams with President Wilson, in which the president expressed a wish that Colorado should regulate its difficulties without United States troops.

"I am earnest in my belief we should have national aid to bring about a settlement of the strike, because it is an interstate conflict," said Governor Ammons.

"Many of the coal companies are composed of a large part of stockholders beyond our state lines and the United Mine Workers of America is a national organization whose headquarters are in the East, while Colorado is only one of three states of district 15 in this jurisdiction. Even most of the newspapers here are owned or controlled by persons beyond our borders, while many notorious ultra socialistic, if not anarchistic, leaders have taken advantage of conditions to come here and incite insurrection in defiance of constituted authority and law."

Officials of the United Mine Workers of America said if the federal troops were withdrawn the union would protest to Washington.

"We are afraid trouble might break out again if the regular troops are replaced by the state militia," said Robert G. Bolton, who is now in charge of headquarters at Trinidad.

Requesting co-operation in a demand upon President Wilson that he maintain federal troops in Colorado and close down mines where there is any controversy, the policy committee of District No. 15, United Mine Workers of America, sent a telegram to secretaries of the 29 districts of the union. "If the militia returns further massacre of our men, women and children are certain to follow," the telegram read.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Louisville	28	18	10	.643
Milwaukee	25	16	9	.640
Indianapolis	26	15	11	.577
Minneapolis	23	11	12	.478
Kansas City	32	15	17	.469
St. Paul	27	11	16	.407
Columbus	27	11	16	.407
Cleveland	28	11	17	.396

Results.

Cleveland, 4; Minneapolis, 1.
St. Paul, 4; Indianapolis, 0.
Louisville, 6; Milwaukee, 5.
Columbus, 6; Kansas City, 8.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	27	19	8	704
Philadelphia	22	13	9	591
Washington	24	12	12	500
New York	22	11	11	500
St Louis	25	12	13	480
Boston	22	10	12	455
Chicago	25	9	16	360
Cleveland	26	9	17	346

Results.

No games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	22	15	7	.681
New York	19	12	7	.631
Cincinnati	20	12	8	.600
Brooklyn	20	11	9	.550
Philadelphia	20	11	9	.550
St Louis	26	14	12	.539
Chicago	26	9	17	.346
Boston	19	3	16	.158

Results.

St. Louis, 5; Brooklyn, 4.
Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 2.
Cincinnati, 5; New York, 1.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Baltimore	20	13	7	650
St Louis	25	15	10	600
Indianapolis	22	13	9	591
Chicago	25	13	12	.520
Brooklyn	18	8	10	444
Buffalo	21	9	12	429
Kansas City	26	11	15	423
Pittsburgh	23	8	15	348

Results.

Chicago [illegible]; Pittsburgh, 2.

NORTHERN LEAGUE.

Results.

Fargo, 10; Virginia, 9.
Winona, 1; Superior, 6.
Grand Forks, 4; Fort William, [illegible]

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, May 19.—Wheat—July, [illegible]½c; Sept., 88½c; No. 1 northern, [illegible]½c; No. 2 northern, 94¼c; No. 1 durum, 88c; No. 3 corn, 67½c; No. 3 white oats, 38¼c; barley malting, 54c; No. 2 rye, 61½c; No. 1 flax, $1.56⅝.

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, May 19.—Wheat—July, [illegible]; Sept., 89⅞c; No. 1 northern, 94⅞c; No. 1 durum, 90¼c.

South St. Paul Livestock.

South St. Paul, May 19.—Cattle—Steers, $6.50@8.00; cows, $5.25@[illegible]; calves, $6.50@7.00; hogs, $8.15@8.20; sheep and lambs, $[illegible]00@7.00.

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, May 19.—Hogs—Receipts, [illegible],000; steady to 5c above yesterday's average; bulk of sales, $8.50@8.55; light, $8.35@8.60; mixed, $8.30@8.57½; heavy, $8.10@8.55; rough, $8.10@8.25; pigs, $7.50@8.45.

Cattle—Receipts, 21,000, steady to 10c lower; beeves, $7.35@[illegible]30; steers, $7.10@8.20; stockers and feeders, $6.40@8.50; cows and heifers, $3.65@8.05; calves, $7.50@10.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000, slow; sheep, $[illegible].35@6.20; yearlings, $6.00@7.25; lambs, $6.25@8.45; springs, $6.50@9.75.

General Produce.

Minneapolis, May 19.—Butter—Creamery extras, 24½c; extra firsts, 23c; firsts, 22c; seconds, 21c; packing stock, 17c; dairies, 20c. Eggs—Fresh, prime firsts, new cases free from rots, 18c; current receipts rots out, case, $5.10; checks and seconds, doz., 12c; dirties 14c. Live Pourty—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs and over 16c; thin and small, 12c; roosters 10c; hens, 15@16c; 1913 cockerels, 2 to 4 lbs., 16c; staggy cockerels, 11@12½c; geese, fat, 13c; ducks, 14c; young guineas, doz., $5.00; broilers, 2 lbs or over doz. $7.00; broilers, 1¾ to 2 lbs doz. $6.00@6.50; broilers, 1¼ to 1½ lbs doz., $5.00@6.00; peepers, doz., $2.00@3.00. Potatoes—Red, carload sacked bu. 55@[illegible]; Burbanks, round, white, carlots, [illegible]@67c; Ohios, carlots, sacked, 62@67c; small lots, sacked, bu., 75@80c; new, [illegible]4c.

Butterfly Decoration.

Many artists have employed the butterfly in decoration, but neither brush nor crayon is as effective as nature itself. No intimation, however good, can do justice to the gorgeous colors of the tropical butterfly. One might as well try to reproduce a rainbow in oils. A most effective novelty—a butterfly tray—was shown me recently by a charming North side hostess. It was made on the same principle as the tapestry tray. A glittering butterfly, the spread of whose wings must have been all of ten inches, was mounted on a stalk of milkweed. The pressed butterfly was then covered with glass and hermetically sealed in. To say that the tray was stunning is to speak very feebly of its attractiveness. With this object d'art as a centerpiece a clever hostess could easily arrange a "butterfly luncheon."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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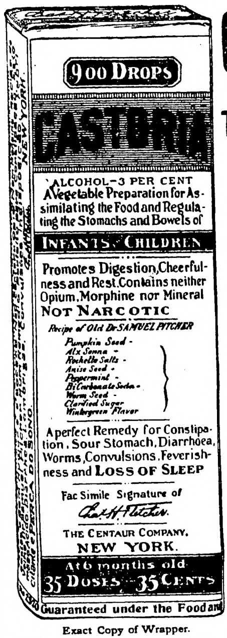

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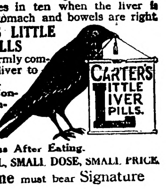
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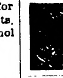

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Political Announcements.

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For County Treasurer

I desire to announce myself as a Candidate for re-nomination to the office of County Treasurer of Marshall County, subject to your approval at the primaries on June 16th, 1914.

In this connection I desire to thank the taxpayers for the loyal manner in which they supported me, and their co-operation in helping me in the discharge of my duties has been of material assistance to me in more ways than one.

When I first sought this office I pledged myself that if nominated and elected I would try my very best to discharge the duties of the office with the utmost fidelity. Whether I have done this or not to your entire satisfaction it is for you to judge, and it will be my earnest endeavor if renominated and elected to make still greater effort to do my full duty as a public servant.

If I have failed in any particular it is not because I have not tried to my duty conscientiously, but an honestly made failure that I have tried to remedy.

As for the duties of the office I have become perfectly familiar with every detail and am in a position to serve your interests with utmost dispatch and promptness. Thanking you for your kindly consideration and asking that you will bear my candidacy in mind at the June primary, I remain,

Yours very respectfully,

Fred Bakke, Co. Treasurer.

For Register of Deeds

To the voters of Marshall County: Having filed for nomination to the office of Register of Deeds, I hereby respectfully solicit your support and your votes at the Primary Election to be held June 16th, 1914.

Yours, Louis M. Olson

For Register of Deeds

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for Register of Deeds of Marshall County, and respectfully solicit the votes and support of the voters of Marshall County at the Primary Election June 16th, 1914.

Having been Deputy Register of Deeds of this County since the spring of 1906, I am thoroughly familiar with the work and if nominated and elected I shall always strive to serve the people to the best of my ability.

Chas. E. Grinder.

For Representative

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of Representative to the State Legislature from Marshall County in the 67th Legislative District, at the Primaries on June 16,

Respectfully,

Geo. L. Johnson, M. D.

Newfolden, Minn.

For County Attorney

I hereby announce that I filed for the nomination for the office of County Attorney on March 31st, and that I am a candidate for that office, subject to the approval of the voters of Marshal County at the Primary on June 16th.

John R. Naeseth

Warren Minn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
May 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Walter E. Patten of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on May 27th 1911, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 06229, for NE¼, Section 19, Township 156 N., Range 40 W. 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witness: Seymour E. Hunt, of Germantown, Minn., James O. Earp, Charles A. Parm and Harry Earl Patten, of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

Proof made under act of June 6th 1912.
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For State Senator

To the Voters of the 67th Legislative District.

At the solicitation of numerous friends throughout the the district comprising Marshall, Kittson and Roseau counties, it give me pleasure to announce my candidacy for the office of State Senator.

If honored with the nomination and election I hereby pledge myself to carry out the wishes of the people irrespective of personal views or opinions, as I conceive it to be the highest duty of a representative to represent the will, not of himself, but those of who honor and trust him to do their bidding for the welfare of the district.

Primarily I wish to state my attitude on the county option question, and I recognize the right of the public to such a statement from one who seeks their support for so important and honorable a position as that of State Senator. I am in favor of County Option and if elected I will not only vote for, but will use my best efforts in furthering the adoption of such a bill, believing that to be the best solution of the liquor question.

I further pledge myself to use my best efforts to further the developement of Northern Minnesota and especially the counties that I shall represent.

Assuring you that I will at all times endeavor and labor for your interests and for the interests of the 67th Ligislative district, I remain

Respectfully,

Nels S. Hegnes.

For County Attorney

To the voters of Marshall County:

I take pleasure in announcing that I am a candidate for re-nomination for the office of County Attorney.

During the brief time that I have served in that official capacity, I have endeavored to enforce the laws of the State fairly and impartially and without fear or favor. I have striven, at all times, to give the public the best service possible, and if nominated and elected, that is the kind of service which the public may expect from me.

Your support is kindly solicited

Respectfully yours,

A. N. Eckstrom.

For Sheriff

To the voters of Marshall County:

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-nomination for the office of Sheriff, and earnestly solicit the support and votes of my friends at the primary election, June 16th, 1914. I pledge myself, if re-elected to discharge the duties of the office faithfully and impartially.

Respectfully,

Wm. Forsberg, Warren.

For Sheriff

To the voters of Marshall County:

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Marshall County on the Non Partisan ticket, subject to the will of the people at the Primary election, June 16, 1914. I pledge myself, if nominated and elected, to discarge the duties of the office faithfully and impartially and to the best of my ability.

Respectfully,

Hans C. Hanson

Viking, Minn.

Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
April 28, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that George E. Olson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on June 23rd, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05375, for Lots 1 and 2 and 3 - Section 20 and lot 1 and SW¼ NW¼, Section 21, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Three Year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 3rd day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Isac Ostlund, Peter Ostlund, Rudolph Dahl, Peter Rosand, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
April 20th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Brown of Golden Valley Minn., who, on August 31st, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05574, for SE¼, Section 22, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 10th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Emil Ostlund, Rudolph Dahl, Clarence Larson, Axel Benson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice For Publication.

Department of The Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Alfred C. Olson of Holt, Minn., who, on July 30, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08331, for S E¼ S w¼ sec. 1 NE ¼ Nw¼, Sec. 12, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Svenke Svenkeson, Carl Anderson, Martin T. Olson, Hans Stensrud, all of Holt Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
April 8, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Martin T. Olson, of Holt, Minn., who on Feb. 8, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05074, for E½NE¼, NE¼SE¼ sec 11 SW¼ NW¼, Section 12 Twnshp 156 N. R. 42 w., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Svenke Svenkeson, Carl Anderson, Alfred Olson, Hans Stensrud, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.
May 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Charles A. Parm, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on November 8th, 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 06849, for SE¼, Section 20, Township 156 N., Range 40 W. 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Seymour E. Hunt, of Germantown, Minn., James O. Earp, of Golden Valley, Minn., Howard Gillett, of Esplee, Minn., Walter Patton, Golden Valley, Minn.

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Notice is hereby given that Seymour E. Hunt of Germantown, Minn., who, on July 25th, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08318 for Lots 3 & 4 E½ SW¼, Section 18 Township 156 N., Range 40 W., 5th Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Walter E. Patten and Charles A. Parm, of Golden Valley, Minn., John H. Clausen and Otto Taug, of Germantown, Minn.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 14, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Gunder Olson Haugen, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Aug. 29th, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05559, for S E¼, Section 10, Township 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for district of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 28th day May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Tharald Tharaldson, Tom Tharaldson, Tom Bakken, Gunder Brokke all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 18th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Carl Anderson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Feb. 23, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 6097, for W½ NE¼ and NW ¼ SE¼ and NE ¼ SW¼, Section 11, Township 156 N., Range 42 W 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 25th day of May, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Martin T. Olson, Alfred C. Olson, Hans Stensrud, Svenke G. Svenkeson all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota,
April 20, 1914

Notice is hereby given that Axel Benson, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on August 31, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05575, for S½ SW¼-Sec. 22 and N½ NW¼, Sec. 27, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Clarence Larson, Frank Brown, Rudolph Dahl, Emil Ostlund, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

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The Holt State Bank is the place to pay you taxes.

Mrs. George Anderson of East Valley was at H. C. Knutson's last Tuesday giving the girls music lessons when the storm came and she was obliged to stay until the next morning.

District No. 59 is commencing operations for building a new two-room schoolhouse on the site of the one that burned last year.

Miss Agnes Fossen's school in East Valley closes next Friday. Norwegian school begins the following Monday.

Notice.

The parties who stole timber on my land, N. one-half of the S. W. one-half, S. 20, T. 150, R. 43, better settle for same at once or be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

C. E. Hellquist, T. R. Falls.

Rev. Ordahl held services at the new church of Thief Lake last Sunday. After services they had a picnic in the grove. There was a large crowd present. The ladies served refreshments. From the reports they must have had a very pleasant day.

Theodore Johnson's daughter, Myrtle, age 8, died suddenly last week at the hospital in Manitoba, Canada, near her home. They operated on her for appendicitis and found that she had peritonetus and nothing could save her. Mr. Johnson was a merchant at Ringbo some years ago and is well known here where they have the heart-felt sympathy of their many friends.

Zios East Valley Ladies Aid met at Mrs. Eggum's lasl Wednesday. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Garthus.

Hanson & Barzen Milling Co. of Holt has on hand a supply of seed Flax and Barley. Place your orders with Oscar Hanson, Agent for Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.

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Elmer Odie's team made a lively dash through town Tuesday. Ludvig Monson broke the record catching them in a 30 rod dash. No damage was done.

O. W. Carlson of Thief River Falls, passed through Holt on Tuesday to look after his farming interests east of town.

Erik Knudson of Gatzke, was a business caller at Holt this week. While here he took the contract of leveling the ground for a tennis court of the "400."

Ed. M. Silbaugh made an auto trip to Grand Forks on Wednesday in company with Knute Nelson of Middle River. Ed is working the real estate business pretty hard and he is sure getting results.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Our stock of Groceries, Dry goods Hats, Boots and Shoes. are now about complete, and arriving daily. It is our aim to have a variety that will meet the demand of the buying public, with quality and prices worthy of your careful inspection as to the same class and quality of goods sold prior to our opening. We will give you a square deal for a round dollar, pay highest market prices for produce in exchange. Cash paid for eggs.

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OBITUARY.

On May 22, 1914, at the home of her parents, John Stensrud, in Thief River Falls, occured the death of Julia Anderson, wife of Oscar Anderson, of Holt. She passed away after an illness of the past for or five years, undergoing intense suffering from pleurisy and inflamatory rheumatism until her death.

The remains were taken to Holt and laid to rest in the Holt Cemetery, on May 25, 1914. Funeral services were held by Rev. I. T. Aastad of Thief River Falls and Rev. M. B. Ordahl of Holt.

Beautiful flowers and wreaths covered the coffin and grave, a token of the high esteem in which she was held.

The bereaved husband and relatives have the deep felt sympathy of all.

Mrs. N. Landro of Stady, N. D., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hogan Anderson, this week.

J. O. Lien of Grafton, is visiting friends and relatives in Holt this week. Stay with us John.

Another new car in town this week, Carlsons' being the purchaser of a brand new Maxwell "35." Some class.

NOTICE.

Beginning June 1st I will receive cream on the following days: Monday, Wednesday and Friday. All cream must be in not later than 12 o'clock noon.

P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

Thief River Falls, R.F.D.2

Everything is lovely. Fields are looking fine, and the trees, too, awakened after a long rest.

Ludwig Larson called at Tom Saastad's Sunday afternoon.

Wm. Wendt made a business trip to T. R. Falls Saturday.

M. O. Mattson called at M. Olson's Sunday evening.

The Misses Belle and Clara Sollom walked out to Wendt's last Monday evening. What's the matter with the car.

Miss Hildur Carlson leaves to-day for her respective home at Warren, after finishing a successful term of school in Dist. No. 20. We are sorry to see you go, Hildur, but here's hopin' we'll meet again.

O. Mattson, who has been confined to the house for the last six weeks with a broken foot is able to be around again. He spent last Sunday afternoon visiting at the home of Carl Larson.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

To the voters of Marshall County:

I am a candidate for nomination for Representative, from Marshall County, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence in my behalf.

If nominated and elected to represent you, my aim in the future will be as it has been in the past; to work for the best interests of Marshall County and the State at large. past favors, and for any assistance Thanking you most heartily for you may render me, I remain,

Yours respectfully,

Donald Robertson

For Register of Deeds

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds in and for Marshall County, Minnesota, and ask your kind support at the Primary Election to be held on June 16, 1914.

J. S. Hilleboe,

Warren, Minn. (adv)

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to extend to our friends and relatives my deep felt thanks for their kindness and assistance during the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother.

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GATZKE.

The doctor from Grygla was called to visit Barney Peterson who was taken suddenly with appendicitis. He is improving and will go to the hospital to undergo an operation as soon as he is able.

Carl Wedmeir former manager of the Rollis Co-Operative Merc. Store, left for Middle River last Wednesday where he has accepted a position in Mr. Sjoberg's store. The new manager, Mr. Wymoun, comes from Twin Valley, Minn. He expects to take charge the first of the month. Meantime Mr. Erickson and Miss Nasseth are running the store.

Mrs. Oscar Orwald of Grand Forks, N. D., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Engelstad.

Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. John Schanger last Thursday. There was a large crowd present and all had such a fine time that they have decided to meet again next week with Ms. Lars Oas.

Miss Agusta Anderson was taken to the hospital at Grygla last week to have an operation for appendicitis. She is improving.

T. A Jourland had a serious run away last Tuesday with a two-year old colt. He was not injured but his new buggy was ruined.

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GOLDEN VALLEY.

Mr. Clarence Larsen proved up on his homestead last week.

Mr. Cleve Bergem has a new gasoline outfit for breaking and cultivating. He had put in 35 acres at the last report.

Mrs. Bernstien was visiting her sister, Mrs. Del Hurston, of Rollis last Sunday.

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BECKER IS GUILTY, SECOND JURY FINDS

FIVE BALLOTS NECESSARY TO CONVICT HIM OF FIRST DEGREE MURDER.

GRANTED STAY TILL MAY 29

Only Pardon or Interference Again by Court Can Save Former New York Police Lieutenant From Chair.

New York, May 25—Twelve men decided for the second time that Charles Becker was the arch-conspirator responsible for the Rosenthal murder which nearly two years ago awoke New York to a realization of corruption in the police department and opened a new era of police reform.

First Degree Murder.

Becker, once a police lieutenant, was found guilty of murder in the first degree. Only a pardon or interference again by the court of appeals can save him from following to the electric chair the four gunmen who shot Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, early on the morning of July 16, 1912.

The jury decided that the gunmen were Becker's agents.

Five Ballots Necessary.

Five ballots were necessary to decide Becker's fate. They were taken almost immediately after the jurors returned from luncheon at an uptown hotel, where they went as soon as Supreme Court Justice Samuel Seabury finished his charge. The fifth was unanimous for conviction.

Tears streamed down the foreman's face as he announced the decision and tears stood in the eyes of several other jurymen, but sympathy did not warp their judgment. They had agreed that the corroboration which the district attorney failed to present at the first trial to support the stories of Rose, Vallon and Webber, the three accomplices who turned informers, had been furnished by the new witnesses at the second.

Week's Stay Granted.

Becker's counsel announced that he would appeal and gained a week's stay for the preparation of his future campaign.

The defendant was granted a short meeting with his wife and his brothers and then taken back to his cell in the Tombs.

Becker and his wife were talking in a room adjoining the sheriff's office when a court attendant announced that the jury had reached a verdict.

Mrs. Becker was not permitted to accompany her husband to the courtroom.

"Foreman," Clerk Penny asked, "have you reached a verdict?"

Blagden, a youngish man, blond and slim, brushed his eyes with a handkerchief, already damp.

"We have," he said softly. "We find the defendant—" he hesitated a moment and continued in a whisper:

"We find this defendant guilty as charged in the indictment; guilty of murder in the first degree."

The veins at Becker's temples swelled. His great frame swayed and drooped; then, with quick control, he became himself again.

Manton, attorney for the convicted man, told by the court he would be granted a reasonable time in which to make any motion he deemed advisable, asked for one week and received it.

"Charles Becker, you are remanded to the Tombs prison until May 29," the court announced.

OPTIMISM IN MEXICO CITY

Confidently Expected There That Mediators Will Effect Amicable Settlement.

Mexico City, May 25.—Extreme optimism is manifested in official circles over the final outcome of the peace conference at Niagara Falls on the basis of the preliminary work done there. The foreign office in particular is greatly pleased and confidence is expressed there that the difficulty between the United States and Mexico would be satisfactorily arranged.

A high official said that President Huerta, actuated by the highest patriotic motives, was willing to sacrifice himself for the good of the country and a settlement of the difficulty was now believed to be less difficult than before the conferences began. President Huerta was said to be only concerned with a settlement compatible with the decorum and dignity of Mexico.

Passengers Landed Safely.

Washington, May 23.—The destroyer Cassin which went to the assistance of the steamer Atlantis after the latter had gone ashore off the Mexican coast Wednesday brought the 90 passengers from the steamer to Tampico.

New Haven Road Hearing.

Washington, May 25—Three directors of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad have been served with notices to testify before the interstate commerce commission which is ready to resume its investigation into the affairs of the New Haven. Their names, as announced: Lewis Cass Ledyard, George F. Baker and Geo. McCulloch Miller, New Haven directors, and E. D. Robbins, former counsel of the road, it is stated, are ready to testify, also.

GANG PLANK BREAKS; 3 DROWN

THREE MISSING, TEN HURT IN NEW YORK PIER ACCIDENT.

Score Plunged Into Hudson—Man Goes Insane Failing to Rescue Friend's Little Girl.

Hoboken, N. J., May 25.—The steamer Frederick VIII was about to start on her voyage over sea when a gang plank between her main deck and the pier broke without warning to a score or more persons hurrying across. Men, women and children—visitors returning ashore, and several passengers— were precipitated into the Hudson river. A few others fell back onto the pier and were hurt.

The list of victims contains the names of three known drowned, three other persons missing, and at least ten suffering from injuries or submersion. Men with grappling hooks continue to search for those who may be lost.

The body of three-year-old Annette Feldschau was recovered.

Those in the hospital include a junkman, known as "Junk" Peterson, who went temporarily insane after failing to rescue the Feldschau girl, daughter of a friend. The child slipped from his grasp while in the water. He was dragged upon the pier, but seeing a floating box, mistook it for the child and threw himself overboard again. He is expected to die.

Mrs. Anna Edwardsen of Brooklyn, was drowned and her body recovered. Her daughter Mary, three years old, fell into the water with her and was swept off by the tide. Of those injured three were women, including a passenger on the steamship.

According to a statement by the agents of the Frederick VIII's owners, the Scandinavian-American line, the accident was caused by the overcrowding of the gang plank, which the agents said was of steel, re-enforced with wood, in perfect condition. The whistle had blown as a last warning to visitors to go ashore. As they departed, belated steerage passengers rushed aboard.

The sailing of the vessel, which had what was said to be the largest number of cabin passengers—500—that ever left for Scandinavian ports on one ship from this city, was delayed an hour until it could be learned that none of the passengers was missing.

ROOSEVELT WILL TOUR U. S.

Progressives Lay Plans to Wage Vigorous Campaign Throughout Nation.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., May 23.—What Colonel Roosevelt described as "Not exactly a literary discussion" was held at Sagamore Hill. It was perhaps the most important political conference in which he has participated since the close of the campaign of 1912. It brought together representatives of New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio, the three states in which Colonel Roosevelt probably will do his hardest fighting this fall.

At the meeting were George W. Perkins of New York, chairman of the executive committee of the Progressive party; Charles Brown, member of the national committee Clifford Pinchot, Progressive Candidate for United States senator from Pennsylvania, and E. A. Van Valkenberg of Philadelphia, one of the foremost figures in the affairs in that state.

It was decided definitely that the tentative plans for Colonel Roosevelt's campaign trip from the Atlantic to the Pacific should be adopted. This tour probably will take the former president into almost every state in the Union.

'UNCLE JOE' ANNOUNCES SELF

Will Seek to Defeat Democratic Congressman in Eighteenth Illinois District.

Danville, Ill., May 23.—Formal announcement was made by former Speaker Joseph G Cannon of his candidacy for the congressional nomination in the Eighteenth district, at a meeting of the Republican congressional committee, held at his residence After the conference he announced that he would at once begin a vigorous campaign in the hope of unseating Representative Frank T. O'Hair, the present Democratic incumbent.

Girls Smarter Than Boys.

San Francisco, May 25—Girls are smarter than boys. Standardized tests of the relative intellects of the sexes, age for age, favor the physically weaker sex. This is what Lewis M. Terman, associate professor of education at Stanford university, told the San Francisco teachers' institute Professor Terman explained that the difference was one rather of temperament and emotion than mind. He also said work that is the most rapid is the most accurate.

Divorce Law Recommendations

Chicago, May 25.—Members of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church after devoting several hours to the discussion of recommendations for new state laws for the relation of mariage and divorce referred the subject back to the committee on Christian life and work for further consideration. Before the assembly adjourns it is expected that a revised report strongly criticising the present laxity and suggesting desired legislative reforms will be adopted.

CANADA'S PLACE AS A PRODUCER

Canada Is Getting a Great Many Americans.

"Three young provinces, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta," says a New York financial journal, "have already made Winnipeg one of the greatest primary wheat markets of the world. In 1904 they raised 58,000,000 bushels of wheat. Five years later they produced 150,000,000 bushels. In 1913 the crop approximated 200,000,000 bushels. At the present rate of progress Canada must soon pass France and India, and stand third in the line of wheat producers. Ultimately it will dispute with Russia and the United States for the first position. Wheat has been the pioneer of our development. Undoubtedly it will prove the same with Canada. In the last calendar year our trade with Canada amounted to 497 million dollars. Only with two countries—the United Kingdom and Germany—is our trade greater. No vivid imagination is needed to see what the future development of Canada means to the people of the United States.

The influx of American settlers to the Canadian prairies is now in full swing. Within the past few days over 80 of those arrived at Bassano carrying with them effects and capital to the value of $100,000. Fifty settlers from Oregon arrived in Alberta a few days ago; while 15 families of settlers from the state of Colorado arrived at Calgary on their journey northwards. The goods and personal effects of this party filled 20 box cars. Of live stock alone they had 175 horses, 15 cows and 2,000 head of poultry. Another class of settler has arrived at Peers, 110 miles west of Edmonton, where no fewer than 200 German farmers have taken up land. These are from good farming families and brought with them a large amount of capital.

Then in South Western Saskatchewan, there are large numbers settling, these from the United States predominating, while in the northern and central portions of all these provinces, the settlement of new people is going on steadily. Early in April, Peter Goertz arrived in Cardiff after a six-day journey from McPherson, Kansas. Mr. Goertz who had purchased land here was in charge of a party of 38 people from the same part of Kansas and they came through with a special train which included all their stock and implements. The equipment was all Rock Island cars, and was the first full immigrant train ever sent out by that railroad. The farms purchased by the members of the party are amongst the best in the district.

When the Panama exposition opens next year any of the three transcontinental lines in Canada will make convenient means of transport for those going to visit, and in doing so agricultural districts of Western Canada can be seen, and ocular demonstration given those who have heard but not before seen, of that which has attracted so many hundreds of thousands of American settlers.—Advertisement.

Prudent Youth.

A young society woman was having a chat one evening with a young man whom she had just met. They were in the conservatory.

"Which do you admire the greater," inquired the young belle, "black eyes or blue?"

"Well, really, replied the young fellow, slowly, "the light is so dim here I can't say just now."—Monthly Magazine.

Results Wanted.

"Who is that young man that calls on you, daughter?"

"A budding poet, father"

"Well, tell him to come around when he has blossomed and is able to show the fruit of his labors."

Cigar-Box Heroes.

The Leading Opinion Molder (tearing his hair)—I can't for the life of me remember the name of that latest Mexican bandit! What in the world is it?

The Smart Office Boy—Say, th' foreman has got a lot o' slugs in old cigar boxes in de composin' room. I'll just run up an' copy a few names from de boxes for you.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

First Appearance.

"The craze for the stage is what makes all the trouble," said Mr. Growcher.

"That's a rather general statement"

"It's true The sorrows of the human race started in the Garden of Eden when Eve undertook to give a performance as a snake charmer."

Plumed.

Neighbor—Tommy, how is your little brother?

Tommy—He's been ostracized.

Neighbor—Ostracized?

Tommy—Yes, mam, he went to the zoo Sunday and an ostrich pecked him.

Palpable Proof.

"Scientists say that anger puts sugar in the blood," remarked his wife.

"I believe it, my dear You always seem sweeter when we make up after a fight."

Beginning Young.

Mrs Grammercy—Do you think she's bringing up her daughter right?

Mrs. Park—Indeed she is, my dear! She gave the little thing a stuffed bulldog to play with instead of a doll.—Judge.

UNDER FLAG OF TRUCE AT VERA CRUZ

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American and Mexican officers meeting under a flag of truce near Vera Cruz to make arrangements for the care of refugees.

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WRECKAGE AND THREE BODIES DISCOVERED OFF NOVA SCOTIA COAST.

WAS ON ITS MAIDEN VOYAGE

Ship on Way to Halifax From Scotland, Where It Had Just Been Built—All Victims Are Scotchmen.

Halifax, N. S., May 25.—The loss of the new lightship Halifax No. 19, with all of the twenty-five men on board is indicated by the discovery of wreckage and three bodies near Liscomb, 100 miles east of here.

Just Been Built.

The lightship was on its way to this port from Paisley, Scotland, where it was built.

The lightship is believed to have struck a rock while feeling its way through the thick fog that has enshrouded the coast for several days.

The wreckage was sighted and the bodies picked up by the steamer Dufferin, which reported that life belts marked "Halifax No. 19" were strapped about each of the victims.

Search For Bodies.

Upon receipt of the news of the wreck, the government marine agency here made preparations to send out steamers in search of other bodies. All of the victims are believed to be Scotchmen, who were engaged by the builders at Paisley to navigate the vessel across the Atlantic.

The lightship sailed a few days ago from St. Johns, N. F., where she had stopped for coal.

Liscomb, the supposed scene of the disaster, is a small island off the eastern coast of Nova Scotia, and is about forty miles west of Cape Canso.

PANAMA LOCKS HELD SAFE

Canal Authorities Asserts Defective Beams Were Discovered and Thrown Out.

Washington, May 25.—The great steel locks in the Panama canal are as strong and as safe as engineering skill can make them, and there is not the slightest danger to life or property in their use, notwithstanding the disclosure of attempted fraud in the supply of proper metal for their construction.

This statement was made at the Isthmian Canal offices when attention was called to criminal presentments found by the grand jury in Pittsburgh against five steel makers on a charge of conspiracy to furnish inferior material for the locks.

Major Boggs, in charge of the canal offices here, explained that the attempt to deliver defective steel castings that had not been fully treated an annealed, had been discovered by the government inspectors before the material was worked into the locks.

Thousands See Man Drown.

Alton, Ill., May 25.—As thousand looked on powerless to aid, Robert Cowan, aged 18, fell 500 feet with a balloon into the Mississippi river opposite Alton, and was drowned.

Refugee Ship Bringing 450.

Vera Cruz, May 25.—Picking up 186 Americans who had arrived there from Mexico City the steamer Monterey has sailed for New Orleans from Puerto, Mexico, according to advices received by W. W. Canada, American consul here. The Monterey carries over 450 Americans in all. She will not touch Vera Cruz again to take on board a score or more other Americans gathered here, who are anxious to return to the United States. The Monterey is the last of the chartered refugee ships in Mexican waters.

HOME RULE NEAR PASSAGE

CIVIL WAR MAY COME, AS RESULT, IN IRELAND.

Ulster and Nationalist Factions are Armed for Instant Action.

London, May 25.—In the course of a few hours, the home rule bill will pass its third reading in the house of commons, barring accidents, and in due course become a law, despite the opposition of the house of lords, whose veto under the parliament act is limited to two successive sessions.

There will be a long hard fight, however, possibly civil war in Ireland, before a parliament is set up in Dublin, for the Ulster men are determined that the Protestant portion of the province shall be excluded from the operation of the bill, and threaten to establish a provisional government as soon as the bill leaves the house of commons.

It was thought that the Ipswich election, in which C. F. G. Masterman, lately appointed chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster was defeated by the Unionist candidate, might influence the cabinet to take a different course, but this hope was dissipated by a letter from the Right Honorable Herbert Samuel, postmaster general, in which the minister, quoting the figures of 42 bye-elections since the bill was introduced in 1912, sets up the claim that 236,000 electors voted for the candidates who were pledged to home rule and 201,000 electors voted for the candidates opposed to home rule. He concludes his letter by saying.

"The eyes of England are now turning on Ulster, where arrangements have been made to assemble the provisional government and mobilize the well armed volunteers. Arms and ammunition have been distributed and plans have been completed for the calling out of the volunteers at a moment's notice. According to the orders to the commanders of the volunteers these steps have been taken to assist in keeping peace in the event of disturbances arising out of the passage of the home rule bill.

"Londonderry and Tyron are danger points, for here the Nationalists and Ulster men are evenly divided and both are armed. Nationalist rejoicings over the passage might easily lead to a clash and extra police have been drafted for service in these districts, and, if necessary, the military will be ordered to proceed to the assistance of the civil authorities in case of trouble."

Lake Huron Steamer Sinks.

Port Huron, Mich, May 25.—The steamer W. H. Gilbert, owned by the Pittsburg Steamship company, was sunk as the result of a collision with the steamer Caldera about 15 miles below Thunder Bay island, in Lake Huron. The vessels came together in a heavy fog Captain Cummings of the Gilbert succeeded in getting all of his crew on board the Caldera before the Gilbert went down. They were landed here The Caldera was badly damaged about the bow.

Kermit Roosevelt at Madrid.

Madrid, May 23.—Kermit Roosevelt, whose marriage with Miss Belle Wyatt Willard, daughter of the American ambassador to Spain, is to take place early in June, has arrived here.

Odd Ruling at Vera Cruz.

Vera Cruz, May 25.—An odd situation in which the army finds itself was set forth in a general order issued by Judge Advocate John J. Porter, in charge of the civil affairs at Vera Cruz. The order states that under the instructions of the war department the military occupation of Vera Cruz does not warrant the forcible seizure of private property without consent even though compensation be made. The occupation of private premises against the wishes of the owner also is impossible.

REMARKABLE CASE of Mrs. HAM

Declares Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Saved Her Life and Sanity.

Shamrock, Mo.—"I feel it my duty to tell the public the condition of my health before using your medicine. I had falling, inflammation and congestion, female weakness, pains in both sides, backaches and bearing down pains, was short of memory, nervous, impatient, passed sleepless nights, and had neither strength nor energy. There was always a fear and dread in my mind, I had cold, nervous, weak spells, hot flashes over my body. I had a place in my right side that was so sore that I could hardly bear the weight of my clothes. I tried medicines and doctors, but they did me little good, and I never expected to get out again. I got Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier, and I certainly would have been in grave or in an asylum if your medicines had not saved me. But now I can work all day, sleep well at night, eat anything I want, have no hot flashes or weak, nervous spells. All pains, aches, fears and dreads are gone, my house, children and husband are no longer neglected, as I am almost entirely free of the bad symptoms I had before taking your remedies, and all is pleasure and happiness in my home."—Mrs. JOSIE HAM, R. F. D. 1, Box 22, Shamrock, Missouri.

If you want special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass.

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FOR EYE DISEASES Pettit's Eye Salve

When a man's wife also talks in her sleep—well, that's the limit.

Putnam Fadeless Dyes color in cold water. Adv.

Declined With Thanks.

"I hear that Spragg, the editor, is getting very absent-minded."

"I should say he is. Why, the other day he returned his tailor's bill with a rejection slip inclosed."—Boston Daily Globe.

One of the Finest.

Policeman—What's your name, little girl?

Little Girl (who is lost)—Fanny Ellen Towne.

Policeman—But what's your name in the country?

Heard at a Reception.

"Alice is really the scrawniest girl among all our acquaintances."

"Oh, I don't know. It's really neck and neck between her and Maud Simmons, I guess"—Boston Evening Transcript.

Wants a Friend In Need.

"Say, old chap, I want you to be best man at my wedding. Will you?"

"Well, I—er—"

"So! You refuse to stand by a friend in his hour of trouble, is that it?"

Nothing Doing.

"Say, Clarence, how do you spell felicity?"

"I don't spell it!"

Mum's the Word.

Hicks—You never can tell about a woman.

Wicks—You shouldn't, anyhow.

Toastie Flavour A Winner

Every day many are finding out that

Post Toasties

are different from other "ready to eat" foods. It's in the making.

Toasties are carefully cooked bits of choicest Indian corn toasted to an appetizing, golden-brown crispness.

Care and time in toasting and the delicate flavoring make this crisp corn-food delightful.

Post Toasties—ready to eat direct from the sealed package, with cream and sugar to taste.

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Supplement to

HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Friday, May 28, 1914.

DON'T FORGET

THE GRAND

4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION

AT HOLT

For Clerk of the District Court.

I am a candidate for re-nomination for the office of Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, and would appreciate your support at the primaries to be held June 16th, 1914.

During my incumbency of this office I have tried to be courteous and efficient. I have tried to do what was right, and have treated all persons alike. I am willing to let my record while in office speak for itself, and if nominated and elected I pledge myself to conduct the office upon business principles, and to give to the people of Marshall County the best administration of the office that I am capable of. I shall in the future, as in the past, give my personal attention to the office, and when you have business with the clerk's office, you will know that it is the undersigned that is attending to your business, and no one else.

I desire to thank the people of Marshall County for what they have done for me in the past, and trusting they will see their way clear to help in the future, I remain,

Yours very truly,
A. C. SWANDBY.

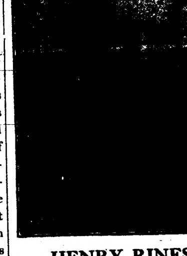
Announcement for County Commissioner.

To the Voters of the 5th Commissioner District of Marshall County:

Having filed as a Non-partisan candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner of the 5th District of Marshall County, I hereby solicit your vote and influence.

If nominated and elected I pledge myself to conduct the affairs of the office in an honest and business like manner.

Yours Very Respectfully,
Carl T Olson,
Randin, Minn



HENRY RINES.

Candidate for Republican Nomination for State Auditor of Minnesota

Henry Rines, of Mora, Minnesota, Candidate for the Republication Nomination for State Auditor, was County Auditor of Kanabec County, Minnesota, ten years, and a member of the State Legislature eight years. He was Speaker of the House during the session of 1913. Under his administration the House expenses were cut to $52,190.41 as compared with $74.958.47 during the previous session, and the number of House employes was reduced one-third. Mr. is a progressive Republican and has an excellent legislative record. He is an expert accountant and is recognized as an authority on Taxation. His long legislative experience has enabled him to become thoroughly familiar with the various branches of the State government. He is the author of many important laws now on the statute books, including the Gross Earnings Tax Law, increasing the railroad taxes from four to five percent, which was approved by the voters of the last election This law is bringing over $1,000,000 additional revenue into the State treasury annually. Mr. Rines was born in Orsa, Sweden, 42 years ago, and he has resided in Minnesota for 41 years.

County Superintendent

I wish to announce to the voters of Marshall County my candidacy for the office of County Superintendent of Schools. I am a graduate of the University of Minnesota and have been in school work for seven years, hence am amply qualified for this work both in preparation and experience. At present I am principal of the Middle River Schools.

Mark L. Stewart.

For County Auditor.

I have filed for re nomination for the office of County Auditor of Marshall County, Minnesota, and desire the support of the people of the County at the primaries to be held June 16th, 1914.

As an official of the County, it has been my aim to act honestly and uprightly; it has been my aim to keep the books of the County clean and correct; and when I had occasion to act officially upon any matter I have done what I considered for the best interests of the County

I now come before the people of the County upon my past record, and if painstaking and energetic attention to business meets with your approval, reward it by placing an "X" opposite my name when you vote.

If nominated and elected, I pledge myself to do everything I can to give the County a clean successful and efficient County Auditor's Office.

Respectfully submitted,
A C Lundgren.

FREE---

London "Tango" Necklace "Evelyn Thaw" Bracelet

These two beautiful pieces of popular jewelry are the craze among society women in New York and the largest cities. They are neat and elegant gold finished articles that will gladen the heart of every girl or woman, no matter how young or old. Very stylish and attractive.

Our Free Offer. We are advertising Spearmint Chewing Gum and desire to place a big box of this fine, healthful gum into every home. It sweetens the breath—whitens the teeth and aids digestion. It is refreshing and pleasing to all. To every one sending us but 50c and 10c to cover shipping costs we will ship a big box of 20 regular 5c packages of the Spearmint Gum and include the elegant, "Tango" necklace and "Evelyn Thaw" bracelet absolutely free.

This offer is for a short time only Not more than 2 orders to one party Dealers not allowed to accept this

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Called.

"I asked the audience to lend me their ears," said the verbose speaker, "but in three-quarters of an hour they were dozing."

"I see," replied the financier "They called the loan."—Washington Star.

For County Attorney

To the Voters of Marshall County,

I hereby announce that I am candidate for the office of County Attorney for Marshall County, subject to the choice of the voters at the primaries, June 16th 1914 I respectfully ask your vote and influence and if nominated and elected it shall be my purpose to discharge the duties of that office in a fair and impartial manner

Respectfully yours,
E. A. Brekke, [illegible]

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31x4	17.00	3 25
32x4	18 00	3 30
33x4	19 50	3 40
34x4	20 40	3 60
35x4	21 00	3 80
36x4	22 00	3 90
35x4½	26.00	5 00
36x4½	27 00	5 10
37x4½	27 50	5 15
37x5	32.60	5 40

All other sizes Non-Skids 20 per cent extra. 5 per cent discount if payment in full accompanies order and if two are so ordered, shipping charges will be paid by us C O D on 15 per cent of amount of order. Our output is limited, so we suggest early ordering We sell direct only, giving purchasers the advantage of all middlemen's profits

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Use our famous reliners, they eliminate blow outs and 90 per cent. of punctures besides giving many thousand more miles service to each tire. When in your tires you ride without worry or tire troubles.

For all 3 inch tires $1 95
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For all 4½ inch tires $2 75
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$1 Complete Shaving Outfit $1
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Six pair of our finest 35c value ladies guaranteed hose in black, tan or white colors with written guarantee, for $1.00 and 10c for postage, etc

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You know these hose, they stood the test when all others failed. They give real foot comfort. They have no seams to rip They never become loose and baggy as the shape is knit in, not pressed in They are guaranteed for fineness, for style, for superiority of material and workmanship, absolutely stainless and to wear six months without holes, or a new pair free

Don't delay send in your order before offer expires. Give correct size.

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GOOD FOR POLAR EXPLORERS

Frenchman's Invention of Much Benefit to Those Who Track Waste Places of the Earth.

Count Bertrand de Lessups, son of the famous Frenchman of Suez canal fame, has constructed an air-propelled machine which is capable of attaining a speed of from fifteen to sixty miles an hour over the snow, according to the condition of the frozen roads. The shoe-shaped chassis is attached to broad, flat metal runners, and vibration is reduced to a minimum by the addition of strong springs. The propeller behind the pilot if well guarded by a metal screen as a protection against any one approaching it closely. When snow falls wheels are placed on the propecting pins, which lift the ski from the ground, and the car will then attain a speed of nearly one hundred miles an hour. Some such machine as this is to be taken into the Antarctic regions by Shackleton with his forthcoming expedition. Abroad this form of amusement is called aeroskiing.

ERUPTION SPREAD ON FACE

810 East Elm St., Streator, Ill.—"A running sore broke out above my right eye, which spread over my entire face. It started as a small pimple. I scratched it open and the contents of this small pimple ran down my face. Wherever this ran a new sore appeared. They itched and burned terribly; I couldn't touch my face it burned so. It disfigured my face terribly and I couldn't be seen for everyone was afraid of it. It looked like a disease of some kind; it was all red and a heavy white crust on it. Everybody kept out of my way, afraid it would spread. I lost rest at night and I couldn't bear to have anything touch my face, not even the pillow. I had to lie on the back of the head. I was always glad when morning came so I could get up. It was extremely painful.

"At last I thought of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I commenced using them. It took three weeks to complete the cure." (Signed) Miss Caroline Miller, Apr. 30, 1913.

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The Biped.

"Can't you advance me five thousand marks, Isaac? My rich old uncle has one foot in the grave, you know."

"Yes, but what is he doing with the other?"—Fliegende Blattor.

Appropriate.

"Where do you suppose is the best place to give one of these dancing teas?"

"I should suppose on some coffee grounds."

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of ASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for nfants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas H. Fletcher
In Use For Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Lived by His Character.

"That man is absolutely devoid of character."

"What does he do?"

"Oh, he is a character sketch artist on the stage."

Cynical.

"What I am, I owe to my wife."

"Well, take my advice and don't pay the debt. She made a mess of the job."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels and cure constipation. Adv.

Correct.

"Riches have wings," quoted the sage.

"But poverty gets to you quicker," added the fool.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Same Thing.

"So Julia came up to the scratch without a whimper. She's a duck of a girl."

"Yes, she's game."

Once for All.

"Now Freddie, once for all, will you wash your face and hands?"

"Sure thing, if it's once for all."—Judge.

Couldn't Qualify.

He—Is your uncle good at golf?

She—Mercy, no! He's very profane.—Boston Transcript.

Good Reason.

She—I prefer dumb animals to men any time.

He—Sure, they can't talk back.

Small Measure.

She—I'm afraid young Jones is going to hide his light under a bushel.

He—Under a gill, you mean.

Naturally.

That orator is going on a [illegible] like course of lecturing."

"Yes, and with a special [illegible]."

Fame.

Fame is easier to gain than it used to be."

"Yes, but it isn't so lasting."

Its Natural Suggestions.

"Here's a good work on chiropody."

"I notice it has a good many foot notes."

New York's taxable property, city and state, is valued at $11,393,72[illegible],514.

State News of General Interest

SHOOTS 4 WOMEN; THREE ARE DEAD

CRAZED MINNESOTA HUSBAND COMMITS SUICIDE AFTER RASH DEED.

JEALOUSY IS THE CAUSE

Mother-in-Law Wounded in Affair Not Expected to Live—No Witnesses of Tragedy on Farm Near Thief River Falls.

Thief River Falls.—At the home of O. K. Olson, living about thirty miles northeast of this city, occurred a triple and perhaps a quadruple murder and suicide. Louis Gilsoul was the murderer and suicide, and his victims were Mrs. Ludwig Larson, Mrs. Gilsoul, Helen Olson, and Inga Olson, a younger sister of Helen.

Woman Threatened Him.

The murderer appeared at the home of Olson and was met at the door by Mrs. Larson, who refused him admittance and threatened him with a pair of ice tongs.

The man immediately drew a .32-caliber revolver from his pocket and shot the woman through the breast, and as she ran into the yard he followed and again fired, the second bullet penetrating her head and killing her instantly.

The man then entered the house and shot to death his estranged wife, formerly Helen Olson, and Inga Olson, a younger sister. He then turned the gun on Mrs. O. K. Olson, mother of the two girls, and fired five shots into her body. The elderly lady is still alive, but mortally hurt, it is thought. During the fusillade the murderer was attacked by the family dog and he also ended the life of the canine with the deadly weapon.

Due to Family Quarrel.

The cause of the tragedy is said to be attributable to family quarrels. About two years ago Gilsoul's first wife was adjudged insane and was committed to an asylum; soon after this he began paying marked attention to Helen Olson, and induced her to accompany him to his claim in Saskatchewan, Canada. Last February he married the girl. The report is that he mistreated her, and she wrote her cousin, Mrs. Ludwig Larson, requesting her to come for her, as she could endure the hardship no longer.

About two weeks ago Ludwig Larson and his wife went to Canada and in the absence of Gilsoul induced the girl to accompany them home, the Larsons, living with the Olsen family. Gilsoul returned, found his wife gone, and immediately followed and appeared at the house having walked out from this city it is thought.

Young Olson Appears.

There were no witnesses to the tragedy with the exception of a brother of the Olson girls, about 22, who drove into the yard just as Mrs. Larson was shot, the elder Olson having fled at the first sign of trouble. The boy immediately turned the horses and went to arm himself and notify the neighbors.

He returned shortly armed with a 30.40 rifle and while half a mile from the house met the murderer, who at sight of him, turned and ran into the brush. The son fired on the fleeing man and missed. Very soon after the assassin disappeared a shot was heard. But it was some two hours later before the brushes were entered by the posse and the dead body discovered.

The man had placed the muzzle to his head, and fired and across his breast was lying a marriage certificate on which was written: "This is to show that she was my wife." In his pocket was also found a note to his son by his first marriage in which he admonished the boy not to follow in his footsteps.

Gilsoul is reported that to have killed a negro in Beltrami county a number of years ago.

500 Out for Legislature

St. Paul.—More than 500 candidates for the legislature have filed in the sixty-seven Minnesota districts created by the new apportionment. The reapportionment and the non partizan primary law wiping out party lines in the legislature brought out an unprecedented number of candidates. There will be sharp contests in the primaries in nearly every district, but the primaries will only be an elimination for the big fight in November. Two candidates for each legislative place will be nominated June 16.

Charges Women Work Too Long

Winona.—Caroline Manning, state factory inspector, has caused the issuance of a complaint against the Ra[illegible]mer Candy company for violation of the law passed by the last legislature providing that women shall not be employed for more than fifty four hours in a week. It is charged that from April 27 to May 2, fourteen young women were each worked over the time limit. The company has been granted a week's time to answer to the complaint.

J. S. ARNESON.

A candidate for the office of railroad and warehouse commissioner, is J. S. Arneson.

MURDERED FOR HIS MONEY

Jury Finds That Aged Brainerd Shoemaker Was Struck From Behind—Two Suspects.

Brainerd.—That George Rappel, the aged shoemaker, who was found dead in his tiny shop in the heart of the business district of Brainerd, was struck on the back of his head by a blunt instrument like a hammer, which fractured his skull, was the testimony of Dr. J. A. Thabes, who with Drs. Berg and Beise performed the autopsy.

The witnesses examined included Dan Doran, who called for his shoes and found the shoemaker lying on the floor of his shop; John Wise, from whom he had bought a glass of beer two hours before the tragedy and who saw the buckskin bag in which Rappel carried his money; George Rappel, Jr., his son, who testified the old man always carried money in the buckskin bag and a flat pocketbook, and R. E. Clark, the deputy coroner, who brought the body to the morgue.

The man's pockets were turned inside out, showing that robbery must have been the motive. The coroner's jury returned a verdict that Rappel "came to his death by receiving a blow on the head by the hands of persons unknown to this jury." Two suspects are in jail.

Rappel, who was 70 years old, was harmless and inoffensive, tended to his own business, worked a little garden plot near his shoe shop, saved his money and found no greater pleasure than playing with his little grandchildren and often minding the babies of his son.

COW BREAKS STATE RECORD

Enters Class of the 25 Best Butter Producers in the United States, Also.

Minneapolis.—With 22,063.5 pounds of milk and 991.5 pounds of butter to her credit in 365 days, Lady Oak Fobes DeKol, an agricultural college cow, has established a new record for Minnesota and broken into the class of the 25 highest butter producers in America. Her year's production of butter fat was 793.2 pounds. This is far in excess of the year's record of Pieteje Maid Ormsby, owned by John B. Irwin of Minneapolis. Mr. Irwin's cow won the world's championship in 1911 for butter production in a thirty day period with a record of 145.66 pounds. This year's record of the animal, however, was only about 750 pounds of butter. This comparatively low year's record was attributed to the fact that the animal was taken from one place to another and kept on exhibition most of the time.

Members of the dairy department of the agricultural college have figured out that the milk produced by Lady Oak in one year is equivalent in food nutriment to that contained in five 1,200-pounds steers, or to twenty five 500-pound steers.

Icemen Return to Work

Minneapolis.—The local ice strike has been peacefully settled and 19[illegible] wagons which had been idle for nine days are making regular deliveries. After a long series of conferences a basis of agreement was reached which was satisfactory both to the union men and the company. The strikers obtained an advance of $2.50 a month in wages, with a commission which they estimate will yield in most cases at least $2.50 more. In addition, an arbitration plan was framed which is intended to make a similar strike practically impossible.

Red Wing Strike Is Settled

Red Wing.—The strike of the employees of the Red Wing Shoe company is over. The employees will accept the schedule of working hours from 7:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. with half a day off on Saturdays. They have the assurance of officials that the ten-hour schedule will be put in force on July 1 and it is also probable their request that the week's work be made up of ten hours a day for five days with Saturday afternoons off, will be granted.

FOREST FIRES IN THREE STATES

RAGING IN MINNESOTA, WISCONSIN AND MICHIGAN.

Much Damage is Caused by Conflagrations—Small Villages in Michigan are Destroyed.

Duluth.—Great brush and grass fires which have been burning for some time, have done considerable damage south and west of this city, according to reports, having destroyed large quantities of railroad timber, interrupted telegraphic communication, and in some cases halted trains.

Carlton, Minn., is the center of the worst part of the conflagration south of this city. Telephone and telegraph poles were burned at this city, halting communication between Duluth and the Twin Cities. Northern Pacific trains were stalled about three miles from Carlton when a huge pile of railroad ties on the right-of-way caught fire, blocking the tracks.

At Black Hoof, Minn., farmers have been fighting brush fires and have barely succeeded in keeping them in check. With a strong wind the flames will get beyond control in a short time and calls have been sent to larger towns nearby asking them to be prepared to give aid.

At Iverson, Minn., a large quantity of railroad ties and posts over 1,000 in all, were destroyed by a forest and brush fire.

North and west of Duluth fires are doing considerable damage. Towns along the eastern end of the Mesaba range all report large grass and brush fires.

It was while responding to a call from Hermantown, a few miles west of this city where a brush fire was doing considerable damage, that Assistant Chief Grantow of Duluth, struck and killed Lyda Hubert, the six-year-old daughter of Leander Hubert.

Fire that started in the dry house of the Section 30 mine at the village of Section 30 near Ely, destroyed the mine buildings and set fire to a heavy pine woods near by. This fire soon spread until it was beyond control.

A bridge was burned on the South Shore road near Nebagamon, Wis., and the South Shore trains are using the Northern Pacific tracks to get around the burned structure.

A passenger from Ashland, says that he heard when leaving there that logs estimated at 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 feet were burning near Saxon. They are the property of the Stearns Lumber company. He says there are many small fires along the Northern Pacific over toward Ashland.

Fires Well Under Control.

Duluth, May 21.—A light rain with prospects of heavier precipitation is expected to prevent any considerable amount of damage by grass and brush fires that have been burning south of here in the vicinity of Carlton, Minn., and northwest along the eastern end of the Mesaba range since early Sunday. Reports from Carlton, Iverson, Blackhoof and other small towns in that section, stated that while the fires were still burning they were well under control.

Stillwater Convict Convicted.

Stillwater.—Andrew Montpetit, a Mexican inmate of the new state prison, was tried by a jury in district court and found guilty of attempting to escape. He was given an indeterminate sentence by Judge P. H. Stolberg. It will begin when his present term expires. On Nov. 21 last Montpetit struck a guard at the new prison and jumped into an open box car as a train was leaving the prison yards. It was Montpetit's escape that caused the alleged controversy between Warden Wolfer and Deputy R. McCales that led to the latter's resignation.

Farmer and Helper Drown

Stillwater.—Frank Imholt, 45 years old, and Mack Muller, 19 years old, were drowned in the St. Croix river near the Imholt farm in Wisconsin, two miles from here. The men were recovered by the tug Edwin C. They were brought to a morgue here, where the coroner from Hudson county held an inquest. The tragedy was discovered by the crew of the Edwin C., who saw the men's clothing on the bank.

Rochester Drafts Boys

Rochester.—Mayor W. B. [illegible] has appointed thirty-one youths of the city as official inspectors in a sweeping cleanup campaign that was conducted last week. It was the duty of the boys to make an investigation of the entire city and report to the city clerk any premises that had not been cleaned up. The action was taken at the request of the Civic league. Saturday was inspection day, when the boys made the tour of the entire city.

Fire Along Tamarack River

Duluth, May 22.—Forest fires that broke out along the Tamarack river 10 miles north of Ely, Minn., threaten to sweep the Crane Lake lumber camp out of existence. Rangers from Robinson Lake and Ely were summoned to fight the flames and assistance was called from the numbers of men who have been battling the other brush fires in the vicinity, now well under control due to the rains of the last 24 hours. The Tamarack river blaze, it is thought, was started from brush fires.

Nervous Women

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Shakespeare and Bacon.

It has not been proven that Bacon wrote the plays known as Shakespeare's. The various attempts at such task have all turned out to be melancholy failures. It has been shown that there are many difficulties in the way of believing that the historical Shakespeare wrote the immortal dramas, but it has not been shown that anybody else wrote them. The Stratford man is still in possession of the glory of their authorship, and if he is not entitled to the honor it is impossible to say who is.

The Busy Man.

Peals of laughter came from the president's room as the secretary stepped out.

"Mr. Green is too busy to see you at present," said the secretary, politely.

"I'm sorry," said the man who called on business. "Will you go back and tell Mr. Green that I've got two stories just as good as the one he's heard, if he'll let me in to tell them?"

On Australian Stamps

The Kookaburra, which is to figure on the new Australian stamps, is a kind of laughing jackass of the kingfisher tribe, and about the size of a crow. He kills snakes, is an optimist by nature, laughing at sunrise and sundown.

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For County Treasurer

I desire to announce myself as a Candidate for re-nomination to the office of County Treasurer of Marshall County, subject to your approval at the primaries on June 16th, 1914.

In this connection I desire to thank the taxpayers for the loyal manner in which they supported me, and their co-operation in helping me in the discharge of my duties has been of material assistance to me in more ways than one.

When I first sought this office I pledged myself that if nominated and elected I would try my very best to discharge the duties of the office with the utmost fidelity. Whether I have done this or not to your entire satisfaction it is for you to judge, and it will be my earnest endeaver if re-nominated and elected to make still greater effort to do my full duty as a public servant.

If I have failed in any particular it is not because I have not tried to my duty conscientiously, but an honestly made failure that I have tried to remedy.

As for the duties of the office I have become perfectly familiar with every detail and am in a position to serve your interests with utmost dispatch and promptness. Thanking you for your kindly consideration and asking that you will bear my candidacy in mind at the June primary, I remain,

Yours very respectfully,
Fred Bakke, Co. Treasurer

For Register of Deeds

To the voters of Marshall County:

Having filed for nomination to the office of Register of Deeds, I hereby respectfully solicit your support and your votes at the Primary Election to be held June 16th, 1914.

Yours, Louis M. Olson

For Register of Deeds

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for Register of Deeds of Marshall County, and respectfully solicit the votes and support of the voters of Marshall County at the Primary Election June 16th, 1914.

Having been Deputy Register of Deeds of this County since the spring of 1906, I am thoroughly familiar with the work and if nominated and elected I shall always strive to serve the people to the best of my ability.

Chas. E. Grinder

For Representative

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of Representative to the State Legislature from Marshall County in the 67th Legislative District, at the Primaries on June 16,

Respectfully,
Geo. L. Johnson, M. D
Newfolden, Minn.

For County Attorney

I hereby announce that I filed for the nomination for the office of County Attorney on March 31st, and that I am a candidate for that office, subject to the approval of the voters of Marshal County at the Primary on June 16th.

John R. Naeseth
Warren Minn.

CHURCH SERVICES.

There will be services in Holt, Sunday, May 31, at 10:45 o'clock, and in Ringbo schoolhouse at 3:30 o'clock. All welcome. The Nazareth Young People's Society meets at Mrs. Hogan Anderson's place the same Sunday at 2 o'clock.

There will be services in Dist. 148 near Green Stump Lake, June 1st at 2 o'clock, and in Golden Valley Congregation at Ed. Johnson's place, June 2nd. All welcome.

Nazareth Ladies' Aid meets at Mrs. C. Anderson's place, June 3rd. All welcome.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

Rollis News.

Congratulations are in order to Mr. Mrs. Alfred Knutson. A fine baby boy arrived at their house this week.

Robt. Elwick is doing some carpenter work and painting for S. W. Groshon.

J. J. Kelly's neignbors have persuaded him to stay awhile and help them out with his oil pull instead of going to Grygla. Last Saturday night he started to break for Ed. Long. He worked night and day thru sunshine and rain and by Wednesday night he had thirty acres broke, disced and seeded. He is now discing for Mr. Bernstein. It doesn't pay to let such a hustler get out of the country.

For State Senator

To the Voters of the 67th Legislative District.

At the solicitation of numerous friends throughout the the district comprising Marshall, Kittson and Roseau counties, it give me pleasure to announce my candidacy for the office of State Senator.

If honored with the nomination and election I hereby pledge myself to carry out the wishes of the people irrespective of personal views or opinions, as I conceive it to be the highest duty of a representative to represent the will, not of himself, but those of who honor and trust him to do their bidding for the welfare of the district.

Primarily I wish to state my attitude on the county option question, and I recognize the right of the public to such a statement from one who seeks their support for so important and honorable a position as that of State Senator. I am in favor of County Option and if elected I will not only vote for, but will use my best efforts in furthering the adoption of such a bill, believing that to be the best solution of the liquor question.

I further pledge myself to use my best efforts to further the developement of Northern Minnesota and especially the counties that I shall represent

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Respectfully,
Nels S. Hegnes

For Sheriff

To the voters of Marshall County,

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-nomination for the office of Sheriff, and earnestly solicit the support and votes of my friends at the primary election, June 16th, 1914. I pledge myself, if re-elected to discharge the duties of the office faithfully and impartially.

Respectfully,
Wm. Forsberg, W[illegible]

For Sheriff

To the voters of Marshall County,

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Marshall County on the Non Partisan ticket, subject to the will of the people at the Primary election, June 16, 1914. I pledge myself, if nominated and elected, to discarge the duties of the office faithfully and impartially and to the best of my ability.

Respectfully,
Hans C. Hanson
Viking, Minn.

FOR SHERIFF

To the voters of Marshall County:-

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff of Marshall County on the Non-Partisan ticket, and respectfully solicit your influence and vote at the primary election to be held June 16th, 1914. If nominated and elected I will discharge the duties of my office to the best of my ability.

Yours very truly,
OSCAR OSETH. (adv.)

For County Attorney

To the voters of Marshall County:

I take pleasure in announcing that I am a candidate for re-nomination for the office of County Attorney.

During the brief time that I have served in that official capacity, I have endeavored to enforce the laws of the State fairly and impartially and without fear or favor. I have striven, at all times, to give the public the best service possible, and if nominated and elected, that is the kind of service which the public may expect from me.

Your support is kindly solicited

Respectfully yours,
A. N. Eckstrom.

For Superintendent of Schools.

Hereby I wish to announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of Superintendent of Schoolc of Marchall County. I also wish to thank the public for all past favors and to solicit your vote and support in this election.

Yours very truly,
David Johnson.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
May 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Walter E. Patten of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on May 27th 1911, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05229, for NE¼, Section 19, Township 156 N., Range 40 W. 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witness: Seymour E. Hunt, of Germantown, Minn., James O. Earp, Charles A. Farm and Harry Earl Patten, of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.
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Notice is hereby given that Charles A. Farm, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on November 8th, 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 06840, for SE¼, Section 20, Township 156 N, Range 40 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Seymour E. Hunt, of Germantown, Minn., James O. Earp, of Golden Valley, Minn., Howard Gillett, of Espley, Minn., Walter Patton, Golden Valley, Minn.

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Notice is hereby given that Seymour E. Hunt of Germantown, Minn., who, on July 25th, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08318 for Lots 3 & 4 E½ SW¼, Section 18 Township 155 N., Range 40 W., 5th Principal meridian has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Walter E. Patten and Charles A. Farm, of Golden Valley, Minn., John H. Clausen and Otto Taug, of Germantown, Minn

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
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Notice is hereby given that George E. Olson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on June 23rd, 1910, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05875, for Lots 1 and 2 and 3 - Section 20 and lot 1 and SW¼ NW¼, Section 21, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Three Year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 3rd day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Isac Ostlund, Peter Ostlund, Rudolph Dahl, Peter Rosand, all of Holt, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
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Notice is hereby given that Frank Brown of Golden Valley Minn., who, on August 31st, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05374, for SE¼, Section 22, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 10th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Emil Ostlund, Rudolph Dahl, Clarence Larson, Axel Benson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota,
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Notice is hereby given that Axel Benson, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on August 31, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05575, for S½ SW¼-Sec. 22 and N½ NW¼, Sec. 27, Township 156N, Range 41W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, bafore Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Clarence Larson, Frank Brown, Rudolph Dahl, Emil Ostlund, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

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After taking one year Normal work I entered the Agricultural College of North Dakota and completed the Teachers' Course. I have had 12 years' experience in teaching. If elected, I will do all in my power for the welfare of the schools.

Cordially,
Myrtle E. Groshon.

Thief River Falls R. F. D. No. 2.

Rain and mosquitos are quite numerous in this vicinity, now-a-days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Silbaugh and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Simonson, Arvid and Tony Carlson and Peter Anderson, from Holt, were Sunday visitors at J. E. Erickson's.

Harry and Gunda Moe, M. O. Mattson and Henry Wendt called at C. Larson's, Sunday afternoon.

Clara and Ragna Larson, Gunda and Harry Moe spent Sunday evening at Steinhauer's.

The Misses Clara Larson and Matilda Wendt called at Borsheim's Saturday evening.

Miss Helen Borsheim left for Thief River Falls, last Sunday, where she will teach a six weeks' term of Norwegian school.

Mrs. C. Hoffman and son, August, visited with Steinhauers' Friday evening.

M. O. Mattson shot a wolf last week with a 22 rifle. The question is: Who will get the bounty?

For Register of Deeds

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds in and for Marshall County, Minnesota, and ask your kind support at the Primary Election to be held on June 16, 1914.

J. S. Hilleboe,
Warren, Minn. (adv)

Local Items

Bring us the news.

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

P. A. VonWold of Thief River Falls, was a caller in Holt last Saturday. He was on his way out to the bog to visit his sister.

Hanson & Barzen Milling Co. of Holt has on hand a supply of seed Flax and Barley. Place your orders with Oscar Hanson, Agent for Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.

A party consisting of Mr. Arvid and Tony Carlson and P. L. Anderson made a visit to Edwin Erickson's last Sunday. On their return they were accompanied by Henry Wendt and sister.

Begin now, and plan to spend the 4th of July in Holt.

Mr. S. S. Kolden has purchased 200 acres of land three miles north east of Holt through the Holt Realty Co., they taking in the deal a 5-passenger Buick car. That's going some, and now they will go some more.

S. S. Kolden made a two days' business trip to Crookston this week.

Mrs. Ben Docken made a trip to Thief River Falls, to receive treatment for her teeth.

Mrs. B. L. Backe returned Monday from Fergus Falls, Minn., where she made a visit to her mother. On her return she was accompanied by her sister, Myrtle, who has been attending school in that city.

A very serious accident happened to Mr. Carl Newton's son, who lives on their homestead near Randine, this county. It seems that the boy had placed rubber bands about his leg and waded in the water until the circulation of the blood had stopped, causing his legs to swell in such a manner that he had to be taken to Warren and placed in the hospital for treatment.

Ferdinand Heinze, of Fergus Falls, has been visiting friends and relatives of this place the last week. Some years ago Mr. Heinze had a farm near Holt and is well known in this community.

H. A. Fosholm went to Thief River Falls on Tuesday, for a visit at the Fodstad home east of town.

H. S. Dahlen, of Thief River Falls, was a business caller at Holt on Tuesday.

K. O. Dock, of Thief River Falls, the insurance man, was a caller at Holt on Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Free Mission Young Peoples Society will meet at Elof Eide's place next Sunday afternoon, June 14, at 2 p. m. Everybody welcome.

FOR RENT.

Hay land for rent—120 acres, W half, NW. quarter, NE. quarter, NW quarter, 11-156-43. $30.00 for the season. Thos. L. Rudy, Minneapolis, Minn., care Maurice L. Rothschild.

For Shoes of Style, Quality and at a Low Price go to R. Reierson.

C. M. Lumpkin, with Merchants Nat. Bank of Crookston, was at Holt last Thursday. He expressed himself as being well pleased with the progress of the town. He is looking after the interests of the Northern Townsite Co. and while here had the ground surveyed for the new school site.

FOUND—A pair of eye-glasses was found in the main street and brot to this office. Same can be had by paying for this ad.

Ole A. Knutson received a telephone message yesterday that his son, Ole, who has been working at Bemidji, was drowned yesterday morning at that place.

The 4th of July Celebration at Holt this year will be a dandy.

GOLDEN VALLEY NEWS.

Several of the Mud Lake fans attended the game at Gatzke, Sunday. Gatzke has a team that would be hard to beat, if they had a little training and a set of rooters that would be a credit to the National League. Gilbert Johnson has decided that he can't play them alone. Score 3 to 25.

Squire Bergum is doing fine work with his new tractor.

Rudolph Dahl went to Crookston and while there purchased a new tractor.

Lars Lafilda purchased a new buggy from Sigard Vick and went for a joy ride. Everything must have went fine as we see the rim of Lars' hat is gone.

Miss Olga Larson finished a successful term of school in District No. 145.

A. S. Bernstein purchased a new cream separator from the Carlson boys. This will soon tell which cow gives the buttermilk and which cow gives the cream.

Roy and Herbert Sheffel, of Lyle, Minn., were out to visit Peshie, Thursday and returned Friday.

J. J. Kelly has a fine mosquito hatchery consisting of the Canadian Leg Horn, the Gally Nipers and the Panama Gamesters. Being a little overstocked it is said that he will sell eggs or pairs at a very reasonable price.

Mrs. Thompson, from Parkland, is visiting with her brother, Christ Sybilrudd, of Mud Lake.

Two experts were out from Thief River Falls to look over Peter Kolden's gas tractor last week. In motoring across from Golden Valley, they were stalled in the mud and had to walk until a neighbor came along and took them in. It seems that they found the machine in a rather poor condition. Mr. Kolden pulled their [illegible] out of the mud and went back to Thief River Falls again, saying [illegible] would send out another expert to try [illegible].

WHO LOST HIS SPECTACLES

Sir Evelyn Wood Retrieved Eyeglasses for Anthony Trollope, the Famous Novelist.

Sir Evelyn Wood, who met with an accident when riding last week, once came to the rescue of a distinguished man of letters in a similar plight. The distinguished man of letters was Anthony Trollope, and the story is told by T. H. S. Escott in his recently published biography. Trollope was an enthusiastic huntsman, but being something of a heavyweight he was sometimes landed in difficulties when out with the hounds. "His popularity in the field," writes Mr. Escott, "generally brought him timely relief in answer to his call for help.

"Such proved to be the case when on one occasion he had been making up lost ground after a fall in the middle of a plowed field. The fellow sportsman who answered to this cry was no less a person than the present Field Marshal Sir Evelyn Wood. 'For heaven's sake,' exclaimed Trollope, 'be careful; I am afraid to move lest I should trample on my spectacles, which have just fallen off my nose.' Quick as thought the future field marshal alighted from his horse and retrieved the glasses. Having fitted them to his nose, Trollope rejoined the hunt with as much serene steadiness as if the little contretemps had never occurred." — London Chronicle.

APPROPRIATE KIND.

"How did you know that fellow was a masher?"

"I guessed it from his soft crush hat."

SUPERFLUOUS ENERGY.

"Why should anybody try to uplift the stage?"

"Why not?"

"Hasn't it got wings of its own?"

HIS REASON.

"Why do you call your novel 'The Royal Wedding?'"

"Because I want it to draw the royalties."

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Rye	.46
Flour, Best Patent	2.75

ROLLIS.

The Warner girls came home last Tuesday, from Crookston. Miss Precilla has taken a course in nursing at the Bethesda Hospital and Miss Nadine has just completed her Freshman year in High School.

MIDDLE RIVER.

Dr. Walters was out east of here, Wednesday, examining those who have insured with the Pioneer Co. He visited Rollis, Gatzke, Johnstead, Jane and Mud Lake.

The Monroe Grammar School, Dist. No. 47, held their graduating exercises June 2nd. The room was beautifully decorated with their class colors—lavender and white with lilacs. The class consisted of eight pupils and they sure did honor to their teacher, Miss Grimstad. A large crowd was present and after the exercises refreshments were served.

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WAR WITH MEXICO IS AGAIN AVERTED

HUERTA'S PLAN TO BLOCKADE TAMPICO IS CAUSE OF NEW CRISIS.

ORDER SUDDENLY RECINDED

Mediation May Go On Uninterrupted As Result of Sudden Change in Front By Government of Dictator.

Mexico City, June 9.—The Mexican government has decided to suspend the effects of the blockade of Tampico which had been ordered by General Huerta.

Ruiz Issues Statement.

Roberta Esteva Ruiz, the Mexican foreign minister, made the following statement:

"The Mexican government, upon learning that the Mexican delegates and other mediators were taking some action in regard to the expedition of the steamship Antilla, which was reported to have sailed from an American port with arms for the constitutionalists, has decided to suspend the effects of the Tampico blockade in order not to embarrass the peace negotiations."

Crisis Is Averted.

Washington.—It seems that the rescinding order of the Huerta government has averted the latest crisis in the Mexican situation.

General Huerta brought about the new crisis by ordering his gunboats to blockade the port of Tampico, and to seize a cargo of ammunition en route there for the Mexican Constitutionalists aboard the steamer Antilla from New York flying the Cuban flag. Huerta has notified the powers of the intent to blockade the port and that he proposed to seize the cargo consigned to the belligerents against his sovereignty as contraband of war.

The purpose of the United States to suppress the attempt to blockade and prevent interference with the Antilla was indicated when Secretary Daniels issued an official statement announcing that while no new orders had been given Rear Admiral Badger, there had been no change in the policy of the government in reference to its desire that the port of Tampico shall be open to all commerce." The statement follows:

To Keep Port Open.

"The navy department has issued no new orders to Admiral Badger since the Mexican gunboats were reported to be leaving Puerto Mexico. The department has at no time contemplated furnishing a convoy to the Antilla, or any other ship, nor have any orders to that effect been issued. No word whatever has been received as to whether or not warships of other nations have been notified of the blockade, at Tampico, or what their attitude would be toward such a blockade. There has been no change in the policy of the government in reference to its desire that the port of Tampico shall be open to all commerce."

As to whether "all commerce" in this instance includes contraband of war no official of the government will discuss. So far as is known, the only orders relating to Tampico that have been issued went to Admiral Badger on May 18 in the form of a message informing him that, while it was not believed the Huerta gunboats would return to Tampico, it was deemed advisable that the commanders of American naval vessels understand that the government desired that there be no interference with commerce at that port.

The president conferred over the telephone with cabinet officials and also received important messages from the American delegates to the mediation conference at Niagara Falls. These were believed to have a bearing on the impending delicate situation at Tampico, but no announcement was made concerning the interchanges.

Tampico Anticipates Attack

Tampico.—In anticipation of an attack on the city by the Federal gunboats Zaragosa and the Bravo, the work of erecting fortifications at the mouth of the river here is being rushed. Five heavy guns already have been placed. Steps also are being taken to block the channel of the river, should such a step be deemed necessary.

Fletcher Praises Officers.

Washington, June 9.—"Resourcefulness, courage and devotion to duty of all officers of the landing force was everything that could be desired and reflected the highest credit upon our naval service," declared Rear Admiral Fletcher in a report accompanying his story of the seizure of Vera Cruz.

Twenty Fishermen Perish

Quebec, June 9.—Some forty steamers were wrecked and twenty or more fishermen lost their lives in the storm that swept the coast of northern New Brunswick and Chaleurs bay Friday night. Nearly all the boats were blown ashore on Miscou and Shippegan islands, remote points from which the news came slowly. Eight bodies have been recovered and taken to Caraquet, N. B. Property along the coast and in Chaleurs bay was damaged by the storm.

NORTHWEST MEN DISTINGUISH SELVES

FLETCHER MAKES REPORT OF BRAVE ACTS DONE AT VERA CRUZ.

THREE ARE FROM WISCONSIN

Kenosha, Milton, and Milwaukee Men Among Those Given Special Credit for Services—Minneapolis Man Also Among the Heroes.

Washington, June 9.—Narratives of the bravery of enlisted men of the navy and marine corps during the fighting at Vera Cruz on April 21 and 22 were included in Rear Admiral Fletcher's report of the Mexican port's seizure just made public by the navy department.

Northwest Men Listed.

While the report bestows praise on the entire personnel, the following men from the Northwest were mentioned for conspicuous acts:

J. H. Hendrickson, hospital attendant on the cruiser Prairie, and Lee Mahr, Minneapolis, marine private, quit their cover on the firing line, ran with a stretcher, and removed private Percy under a heavy fire, and returned at once to their places on the line.

G. E. Bancroft, Milton, Wis., seaman, battleship New Hampshire, picked up a wounded man and carried him to a nearby house under a heavy fire from the Naval Academy. Fire being opened upon him from this house, he called for assistance, stationed himself in front of this house and kept down the fire from it with his own weapons until the wounded man was carried to the rear. He promptly returned to the firing line.—Captain Anderson.

H. H. Roloff, Kenosha, Wis., coxswain, battleship Arkansas—In face of a sharp cross fire from the enemy from the roof tops along San Francisco, Canal street, Roloff brought his squad out to defend street crossing, himself leading the way, and kept them there until ordered behind shelter.—Lieutenant Commander Keating.

A. De Somer, Milwaukee, Wis., chief turret captain, battleship Utah—On the afternoon of April 21, he was placed in charge of a small squad of men and stationed at the corner of a warehouse to the eastward of the custom house. His position was subject to a severe fire from the buildings along Avenida Landeroy Y Cos. and after several hours of well directed fire he silenced it. On April 22, when a general advance began, he was sent ahead to locate and silence fire from snipers. Being an excellent marksman and notably cool, he was specially selected for this work. Later, when two sections of artillery were sent to join Captain Anderson's command, he performed similar services and was almost continually under direct fire from snipers. His services in this connection were of more value than a whole squad.—Lieutenant Castle.

Prevents Surprise Attack.

F. N. O. Overall, Jela, Kan., boatswain's mate, first-class, battleship Utah.—During the night of April 21 he, with a small squad of three men, occupied the old Benito Juarez light tower, under fire, and later patrolled the surrounding roofs in the darkness, thereby preventing a surprise attack upon the section of his company in the streets below. I consider this service of special value.—Lieutenant Castle.

PRISON HONOR SYSTEM O. K.

Two Escape at Fort Leavenworth But are Captured by Fellow Convicts

Leavenworth, Kan., June 9.—Two prisoners, members of the disciplinary battalion under the honor system in the military prison at Fort Leavenworth, who attempted an escape were captured by fellow members of the battalion and returned.

John W. Hughes and Walter Ayres, taking advantage of the opportunities offered at a prison ball game, slipped through the crowd of spectators to freedom. The other members of the battalion were filled with wrath at the breach of honor of the two, and upon volunteering their services to return the men a score of them were sent out to search the surrounding country.

After a search of several hours the fugitives were found hidden in the woods.

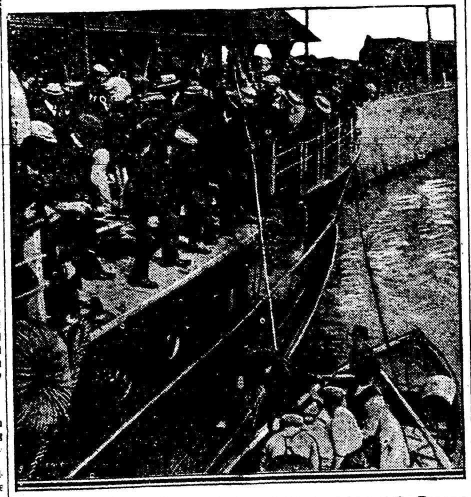
Fair and Hot This Week

Washington, June 9.—Generall, fair and hot weather is the forecast for this week east of the Rockies.

Four Injured in S. D. Tornado

Canistota, S. D., June 9.—A tornado injured four persons and did much damage to farm property in this vicinity Saturday night. It formed near Fred Henthorn's farm, traveling in a direction almost due north and swept everything in its path for about eight miles. Barns and outbuildings on the Henthorn and other farms were demolished. Mr. and Mrs. Harms and their two sons Edward and Herman, were in their house when the tornado truck. All were unconscious when found.

BRINGING THE DROWNED TO SHORE



Many of the bodies of those who perished in the sinking of the Empress of Ireland in the St. Lawrence were landed at Quebec by the Canadian government steamer Lady Evelyn. The photograph shows the transferring of the bodies.

CORRECTED DEATH LIST IS NOW 1024

FIFTY-FIVE MORE NAMES ARE ADDED TO EMPRESS OF IRELAND VICTIMS.

MORE ABOARD THAN SAID

89 Additional Reported Among Passengers Than at First Supposed—Storstad Found to Have Been Badly Battered.

Quebec, June 4.—The confusion as to the number of persons who perished in the Empress of Ireland disaster has been one of the distressing features of the tragedy, and the uncertainty was further emphasized when figures, declared by the Canadian Pacific railway steamship company to be official, raised the death list to 1,024 from 969 on Sunday—55 more.

More Aboard Ship.

The company had stated at its Montreal office that the Empress of Ireland carried 1,387 persons when she weighed anchor on her final and uncompleted voyage. It was upon that figure that the list of survivors and missing was based. Now, however, the company asserts that the Empress carried 1,476 passengers, officers and crew. As a partial off-set, the figures giving the number of rescued were raised.

Of the bodies recovered only 103 have been identified—22 first cabin, 31 second cabin, 38 steerage and 12 officers and crew.

Fourth Commission Member

The third member of the Royal commission, the official investigating body will be Lord Mersey, of England, who presided over the British government's inquiry into the loss of the steamship Titanic. The two other members are Ezekiel MacLeod, chief judge of the admiralty of the province of New Brunswick, and Justice Sir Adolph Routhier, judge of the court of admiralty of Quebec. George Vaux, of the legal staff of the British board of trade, will sit as an advisory member.

There will be two nautical assessors, a naval architect and a marine engineer appointed to assist the commission.

Collier Is Badly Damaged

Montreal.—The collier Storstad which rammed the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Ireland in the St. Lawrence has completed unloading her cargo of coal, and it is possible to make a thorough inspection of her bow, shattered by the shock of the collision.

It is seen that her stem was twisted so much to starboard that it almost formed a half circle. Some of the lowermost plates in her bow were also twisted to starboard and torn away. There is a large indentation on either side of the stem and the rivets are torn clear.

Upholds Captain's Claim

The condition of the Storstad's stem is pointed to in connection with Captain Anderson's claim that when the collision with the Empress of Ireland occurred it was impossible for the collier's stem to remain in the hole because it was twisted by the forward movement of the Empress.

The Storstad is still in the possession of the bailiff, who seized the vessel on the Canadian Pacific company's claim of $2,000,000 loss against the collier.

Much Mail Is Lost.

According to the statement of Montreal postoffice officials the heavy registered mail, something amounting to 1,903 packages, which went down on the Empress is a total loss and there will be no compensation for the senders or addressees of those packages. The postal regulations provide that the department is only to the extent of $25 for each package.

The Empress of Ireland carried 159 bags of newspapers, 51 bags of letters, eight baskets containing 301 parcels, and 1,903 registered articles.

BURY 12 OF EMPRESS' CREW

Quebec, June 6.—Twelve of the crew of the steamship Empress of Ireland who perished in the St. Lawrence disaster were buried here with fitting ceremony. The funeral procession, moving to the music of military bands, passed between double rows of sorrowing spectators. Everywhere flags were at half mast.

Ronald Ferguson, the Empress' wireless operator, had only eight minutes in which to call for assistance before the dynamos failed, according to his story.

Directly after the collision, Ferguson says, he ran to the wireless room from his cabin, to which he had retired for the night. He sent out a message to Father Point telling the operator there to "stand by, as the Empress had struck something." A second later First Officer Staid ran into the room and told him to despatch the "S. O. S." call. Father Point answered that help was coming and immediately the wireless of the Empress stopped.

Ferguson went down with the ship, but came up, and, after swimming for three-quarters of an hour, was picked up.

Montreal, June 8.—With further developments in connection with the Empress of Ireland disaster lacking the public has settled down to await the official investigation that is to be begun on June 16, with Lord Mersey as chairman of the commission of inquiry. There is confusion in the public mind as to whether the investigation is to be held at Montreal or Quebec, but Ottawa dispatches received here mention Quebec as the scene of the inquiry.

It is believed by many here that the Empress may be raised, though the Canadian Pacific railway officials have been careful not to make statements tending to confirm this belief. There is a general desire that all the bodies possible shall be recovered from the wrecked vessel. It is thought that divers may be employed to extricate the imprisoned bodies and the ship blown up after the bullion in it has been brought out.

Lloyds, the insurance underwriters of the sunken steamer, it is said here, will probably investigate the chance of floating the ship, although no official announcement to that effect has yet been made.

Arrangements are being made by the Montreal Board of Trade to open a general fund for the relief of the survivors and sufferers from the disaster.

Wisconsin Towns Threatened.

Greenwood, Wis., June 6.—With the Black river already past its greatest flood height and rising fast, this town and others in Clark county, in central Wisconsin, near the raging torrent are hourly in danger of being swept away.

The maddened waters, swollen by the heavy rains have torn the municipal light and power company's dam from its anchorage and have swept 250 feet of re-enforced concrete levee. Small building have already been washed away.

10,000 Threaten to Strike.

Pittsburgh, June 6.—According to officials of the Allegheny Congenial industrial union, an organization formed here last February, 10,000 employes of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company, the Westinghouse Machine company and the Pittsburgh Meter company will go on strike. Officials of the Westinghouse interests questioned, refused to put any credence in the strike report and said it was nothing but the talk of "a few hotheaded workmen."

OPPOSITION MELTS; TRUST BILLS PASS

THREE ADMINISTRATION MEASURES PASS HOUSE IN A HURRY.

ARE ALL BEFORE SENATE NOW

Trade Commission, Clayton Anti-Trust and Rayburn Bills Get Big Vote When Final Test Comes in Lower Body.

Washington, June 8.—All three bills on the administration trust legislation program have passed the house and are now before the senate for action there.

Voting Done Quickly.

Opposition melted away when the final test came in the lower body and the voting went through quickly and without incident.

The Covington interstate trade commission bill was passed without a record vote; the Clayton omnibus anti-trust measure received 275 votes to 54 against it and the vote on the Rayburn railroad capitalization bill was 325 to 12.

The clerk hardly had finished the last roll call before the house had settled down to consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill, one of several supply measures that must be disposed of before the session ends. The adjournment problem now is squarely up to the senate and the Democratic leaders on that side of the capitol are expected to agree upon a program in the near future.

Action Rather Unexpected.

Action on the trust bills in the house came rather unexpectedly. Three measures had been agreed to in "committee of the whole" after weeks of speech-making, consideration of the Rayburn bill as amended by the committee, being completed late this afternoon.

When the trade commission bill came before the house for a final vote Progressive Leader Murdock moved that it be sent back to the interstate commerce committee with instructions to report the Murdock bill as a substitute. This was rejected, 151 to 15, and the pending bill was passed without a roll call.

Votes in Rapid Succession.

Then the votes on the other two measures were taken in rapid succession.

Representative White of Ohio was the only Democrat to vote against the Clayton bill and all the Progressives voted for it except Representative Chandler of New York. Forty-three Republicans and 16 Progressives joined the majority in supporting the measure.

Senate Committee Reports But One.

Washington, June 8.—The senate interstate commerce committee voted to report out only the trade commission measure of the trust bills. The action was construed by many as an indication of limitation of the administration's program at the present session of congress. There was no record vote. In a general discussion, some senators opposed the motion and others declared themselves opposed even to the bill at the present time. Chairman Newlands said the committee later might take up supplemental legislation.

CANADIANS BAR "MOTHER"

Officials Refuse to Permit Mary Jones to Leave Seattle for Vancouver.

Seattle, Wash., June 6.—"Mother" Mary Jones, organizer of the United Mine Workers of America, was not permitted to board a Canadian Pacific steamer bound for Vancouver, being stopped at the gangplank by a Canadian immigration official.

"Mother" Jones, who had purchased a ticket to Vancouver, presented herself at the gangplank of the steamer and was subjected to the usual questioning by a Canadian immigration inspector. Asked if she was an American citizen, she replied:

"Yes, and proud of it."

She gave Ireland as her birthplace. The inspector looked at her ticket and said, according to Mrs. Jones:

"You're not going to Vancouver. You're going to Nanaimo to kick up a disturbance among the miners, and you can't go."

Dictator Is Very Optimistic

Mexico City, June 8.—Persons who spoke to President Huerta say that he is very optimistic over the outcome of the peace negotiations at Niagara Falls. The newspapers did not publish reports of any proceedings at Niagara Falls, but the belief was expressed that the end of the difficulty was near and that there soon would be a resumption of diplomatic relations with the United States.

Hindus Adopt Hunger Strike

Vancouver, B. C., June 6.—Led by three Hindu monks from Golden Temple of Amritsar, Hindus aboard the steamer Womagata Maru are dancing religious dances. The dance is accompanied by total abstinence from food, the Hindus having started a hunger strike as a forlorn hope. Whether the hunger strike is due to the force of circumstances or a desire to compel immigration officials to allow the Hindus to land, there is no doubt that it has commenced.

SLEUTH SAYS HE HAS "GOODS"

DETECTIVE TO RETURN TO SOLVE WINTERS CASE.

Automobile Accident Injures Sheriff and Other County Officials Interested in Case.

New Castle, Ind., June 9.—Developments in the search for Catherine Winters, the 9-year-old daughter of Dr. W. A. Winters, a dentist of this city, who mysteriously disappeared a little more than a year ago, will be only temporarily halted so far as officials here are concerned, by the automobile accident in which Sheriff Bouslog and other officials were badly injured while working on the case.

It is feared the sheriff may not recover. He is said to have been working on some promising new clues, but in the event he does not mend rapidly, his information will be turned over to others and the work continued.

Robert H. Abel, the private detective who caused the arrest of Dr. Winters, his wife, and Ross Cooper, a former boarder in their home, announces that he is coming back to New Castle to continue the fight.

In a message to Mayor Watkins, Abel announced that he "has the goods" beyond any question and that when he returns there will be no further delays.

When he departed after quarreling with the prosecuting attorney, W. R. Meyers, because the latter would not place charges of murder against Dr. and Mrs. Winters and Cooper, he took with him certain dictograph records and other evidence. Following the departure of Detective Abel, Mayor Watkins and Prosecutor Meyers held a conference and decided to drop the charges against the three accused persons.

Mr. Abel, when here a week ago, outlined the discoveries which he made in the basement of the Winters home. "After I took charge of the work at the request of Mayor Watkins and others, I soon exhausted every possible clue to the girl's whereabouts if she were alive. I thus turned attention to the home of the parents and found inside of a cement block in a partition of the cellar a red sweater, similar to the one worn by Catherine the day she disappeared. The sweater was torn, and apparently burned; as if it had been pulled from a fire.

"Next I found a red undershirt, which had evidently been worn by a one-armed man of a build corresponding to that of Cooper. Cooper has but one arm, the lost member having been replaced by a wooden arm."

N. Y. VOTING IRREGULARITIES

Dead Men Have Been Voting According to the Gotham Records, It Develops.

New York, June 8.—District Attorney Whitman's investigation of illegal voting at the special election on April 7, has, Mr. Whitman announces, disclosed the fact that in the 12th assembly district in which Charles W. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, makes his home the names of four dead men were registered as having cast votes in favor of the holding of a constitutional convention next year.

The investigation has also disclosed the fact that in the 14th assembly district the names of 15 men were voted as residents of Bellevue hospital. Detectives discovered that not one of the fifteen was known at the hospital.

The inquiry, according to the district attorney's statement, has shown that a large number of men identified with Tammany Hall who are now under indictment for irregularities alleged to have been committed at the special election, have been writing the names of illegal voters at all elections for several years.

Queen Eleanor Announces Coming.

New York, June 8.—Clayton Rockhill, honorary consul general of Bulgaria in New York city, has been advised by cablegram from Sofia, Bulgaria, that it is the intention of Queen Eleanora to visit the United States about the middle of next October. The queen planned to come to the United States last spring, but decided to defer her visit.

First Vera Cruz Pension.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 8.—Mrs. Donnie Smith of this city, mother of Charles Allen Smith, one of the two Philadelphia youths who lost their lives at the taking of Vera Cruz, was the first American to receive a pension as a result of the Mexican embroglio. Mrs. Smith received the first monthly installment of $12 from Washington.

$300,000 Powassan, Ont., Fire.

North Bay, Ont., June 8.—Twenty-five buildings were destroyed and 16 families made homeless in a fire which swept the village of Powassan Sunday, causing a loss estimated at $300,000.

Believed She Was Wife

Chicago, June 6.—Miss Mary Quinlan, who for almost a year believed herself to be the wife of James J. Brady, state auditor of Illinois, and as such was accepted by Governor Dunne's official family and by society in Springfield, has filed in the circuit court a suit for $50,000 against Brady for breach of promise. Furthermore, Miss Quinlan, who was Mr. Brady's secretary, is writing her own story of the inner workings of the state auditor's office.

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DON'T FORGET

THE GRAND

4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION

AT HOLT

For Clerk of the District Court.

I am a candidate for re-nomination for the office of Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, and would appreciate your support at the primaries to be held June 16th, 1914.

During my incumbency of this office I have tried to be courteous and efficient. I have tried to do what was right, and have treated all persons alike. I am willing to let my record while in office speak for itself, and if nominated and elected I pledge myself to conduct the office upon business principles, and to give to the people of Marshall County the best administration of the office that I am capable of. I shall in the future, as in the past, give my personal attention to the office, and when you have business with the clerk's office, you will know that it is the undersigned that is attending to your business, and no one else.

I desire to thank the people of Marshall County for what they have done for me in the past, and trusting they will see their way clear to help in the future, I remain,

Yours very truly,
A. C. SWANDBY.

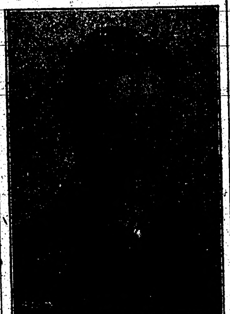
Announcement for County Commissioner.

To the Voters of the 5th Commissioner District of Marshall County:

Having filed as a Non-partisan candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner of the 5th District of Marshall County, I hereby solicit your vote and influence.

If nominated and elected I pledge myself to conduct the affairs of the office in an honest and business-like manner.

Yours Very Respectfully,
Carl T. Olson,
Randin, Minn.



HENRY RINES.

Candidate for Republican Nomination for State Auditor of Minnesota

Henry Rines, of Mora, Minnesota, Candidate for the Republication Nomination for State Auditor, was County Auditor of Kanabec County, Minnesota, ten years, and a member of the State Legislature eight years. He was Speaker of the House during the session of 1913. Under his administration the House expenses were cut to $52,190.41 as compared with $74,958.47 during the previous session, and the number of House employes was reduced one-third. Mr. is a progressive Republican and has an excellent legislative record. He is an expert accountant and is recognized as an authority on Taxation. His long legislative experience has enabled him to become thoroughly familiar with the various branches of the State government. He is the author of many important laws now on the statute books, including the Gross Earnings Tax Law, increasing the railroad taxes from four to five percent, which was approved by the voters of the last election. This law is bringing over $1,000,000 additional revenue into the State treasury annually. Mr. Rines was born in Orsa, Sweden, 42 years ago, and he has resided in Minnesota for 41 years.

County Superintendent

I wish to announce to the voters of Marshall County my candidacy for the office of County Superintendent of Schools. I am a graduate of the University of Minnesota and have been in school work for seven years, hence am amply qualified for this work both in preparation and experience. At present I am principal of the Middle River Schools.

Mark L. Stewart.

For County Auditor.

I have filed for re-nomination for the office of County Auditor of Marshall County, Minnesota, and desire the support of the people of the County at the primaries to be held June 16th, 1914

As an official of the County, it has been my aim to act honestly and uprightly; it has been my aim to keep the books of the County clean and correct; and when I had occasion to act officially upon any matter I have done what I considered for the best interests of the County.

I now come before the people of the County upon my past record, and if painstaking and energetic attention to business meets with your approval, reward it by placing an "X" opposite my name when you vote.

If nominated and elected, I pledge myself to do everything I can to give the County a clean, successful and efficient County Auditor's Office.

Respectfully submitted,
A. C. Lundgren.

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London "Tango" Necklace
"Evelyn Thaw" Bracelet

These two beautiful pieces of popular jewelry are the craze among society women in New York and the largest cities. They are neat and elegant gold finished articles that will gladen the heart of every girl or woman, no matter how young or old. Very stylish and attractive.

Our Free Offer. We are advertising **Spearmint Chewing Gum** and desire to place a big box of this fine, healthful gum into every home. It sweetens the breath—whitens the teeth and aids digestion. It is refreshing and pleasing to all. To every one sending us but 50c and 10c to cover shipping costs we will ship a big box of 20 regular 5c packages of the Spearmint Gum and include the elegant, "Tango" necklace and "Evelyn Thaw" bracelet absolutely free.

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The Wreck.

Ross—I hear a burglar got in your house while your wife was away.

Cory—Yes; I'm so glad. My wife won't know how much of the wreck is me and how much is him.—Harper's Bazar.

For County Attorney.

To the Vosers of Marshall County:

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of County Attorney for Marshall County, subject to the choice of the voters at the primaries, June 16th, 1914. I respectfully ask your vote and influence and if nominated and elected it shall be my purpose to discharge the duties of that office in a fair and impartial manner.

Respectfully yours,
E. A. Brekke, Argyle, Minn.

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32x4	18.00	3.30
33x4	19.50	3.40
34x4	20.40	3.60
35x4	21.00	3.80
36x4	22.00	3.90
35x4½	26.00	5.00
36x4½	27.00	5.10
37x4½	27.50	5.15
37x5	32.60	5.40

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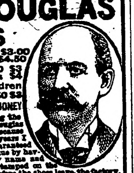

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No Insult.

Some time back, when Sir Herbert Tree was taking the waters at Marienbad he was accosted by a perfect stranger.

"Begging your pardon, sir," said the latter, "but aren't you Beerbohm Tree, the actor?"

"No, certainly not," replied Sir Herbert unblushingly.

"I'm very sorry," said the other, "but I thought you were. You look so much like the pictures I have seen of him."

"I can assure you that you are mistaken," persisted Sir Herbert.

"Well, I didn't mean to insult you, sir," observed the stranger, "but I did think you looked like him."

Gave Him the Idea.

The sweet young thing sat in the stern of the boat, unmindful of the agonies of the inexperienced oarsman, who tugged and blistered himself at the paddles.

"What do you suppose we'll have for supper in camp?" she mused sweetly.

"Floating island, I think," panted the young man grimly. "That same island has passed me, going up stream, three times since I've been trying to make it to the landing."

Even the billboard man will tell you there is quite a difference between being well posted and being stuck up.

The man who depends upon his pull to get him into heaven had better begin to practise shoveling coal.

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come from the ovens to your table in tightly sealed packages—ready to eat when opened—with cream, good milk or fruits.

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As Remarkable in Its Climate as Its Memorials.

Not Too Hot in Summer Nor Too Cold in Winter—Art Lovers of Every Degree Can Find Solace Here.

London.—There are those who tell us that Rome is glorious alike in its climate as in its memorials for all the 365 days of the year. It is not, as certain Italian cities are, too hot in the summer nor too cold in the winter, but there can scarcely be a question that it is at its brightest in the spring. Florence has been called the city of flowers but Rome also has its floral charm, and happy are they to whom it is given to enjoy the beauty of its Seven Hills at this time of the year. If the Gardens of Lucullus no longer adorn the Pincio we still have terrace upon terrace of views of unspeakable beauty.

The visitor to Rome perhaps makes his first interest the interior of St. Peter's. The exterior will disappoint him, for although the dome is higher than our St. Paul's it is so thrown back as to lack some of the distinction of our metropolitan cathedral, but the interior of St. Peter's will surpass all possible expectations. Here is a church the like of which in gorgeousness and in extent is unsurpassed in Christendom although some of the tombs of eariler popes may seem to you to be too ornate. With an assertiveness that is perhaps scarcely Christian the church records on its floor the relative sizes of other great churches of the world, including St. Paul's cathedral in London and Notre Dame.

To the lover of sculpture a great day is the visit that one pays to the Vatican galleries, sees the "Laocoon," the Vatican "Venus," and so many other treasures of world-wide fame. In one private picture gallery in the Palazzo Barberini you will see the much-talked-of "Beatrice Cenci" by Guido Reni, but wherever you go in Rome you will find wonderful works of art that have been made the subject of poem or of story. Then the ruins of an older Rome—the Rome of the ancient world—how abundant they are. Who that stands in the Forum but wishes to reconstruct that vast area as it was in the days of the Caesars?

The Palace of Nero again, is an inspiring monument, so also is the Column of Trajan, the Coliseum, the Pantheon, the Arch of Titus, the Baths of Caracalla. But some of one's most memorable hours will certainly be spent on a spring afternoon wandering about the Coliseum, where you will see little lizards jumping from step to step, for if the lion no longer holds its place in these wonderful ruins the lizard is there apparently to all eternity. Think again of the delightful drive along the Via Appia to the catacombs of St. Calixtus, a weird experience. Scarcely less noteworthy in its morbidity is that famous chapel in which the skulls and bones of innumerable monks make up the architectural design. Who that has seen all these and innumerable other wonders of the Eternal City, but will make his way to the Fontana di Trevi, that most magnificent of the public fountains of Rome, into the basin of which if you throw a copper you are certain to revisit the beautiful city on the Tiber.

Roman Flower-Sellers.

Let no visitor to Rome fail to pause in the Piazza di Spagna, where he will find at the corner just as he is about to climb the steps to view the house in which John Keats died. Keats lies buried in the Protestant cemetery just outside Rome. His simple tomb bears the melancholy inscription, "Here lies one whose name was writ in water." Of this old cemetery Shelley wrote that "it might make one in love with death to think that one should be buried in so sweet a place."

Change the Family Name.

Brunswick, N. J.—Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Goose, with six daughters and seven sons, have changed their names to Wilgoose.

MEANT TO GIVE INSPIRATION

Old Man Could Not Understand How Orator Could Make Good Speech Without a Drink.

William Jennings Bryan as a young man visited a small place in Illinois for the purpose of showing the voters exactly how to vote. Shortly before the psychological moment came for young Bryan to let loose the floods of oratory an old countryman approached him mysteriously and silently led him around to the back of the schoolhouse. There he drew from his pocket a bottle of whisky and pronounced the classic command, "Have a drink." "No, thanks," said Mr. Bryan. The old man's eyes widened, and in their depths was the shadow of fear. "Just a little," he said persuasively. "No, not even a little," Mr. Bryan declined again politely. The old man's eyes began to bulge. "Just one drop," he insisted. Mr. Bryan declined for the third time. The old man's chest grew flatter, his shoulders sagged, and he was the picture of melancholy as he said with indescribable pathos: "Well, do the best you can, anyway."

SCALY PSORIASIS ON LIMBS

Troop H, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Camp McCoy, Sparta, Wis.—"I was troubled with psoriasis for nearly two years. Portions of my arms and limbs were affected mostly with it. It appeared in scaly form, breaking out in very small dots and gradually grew larger and white scales formed when about the size of an ordinary match-head. The looks of it was horrible, which made it very unpleasant for me. It itched a little at times.

"I tried several treatments which cured me for a month, but it always broke out again. One day a friend saw the advertisement of Cuticura Soap and Ointment in the paper and I sent for a sample. They helped me, so I purchased two more boxes of Cuticura Ointment and some Cuticura Soap and they completely cured me. It took three months for Cuticura Soap and Ointment to complete my cure." (Signed) Walter Mahony, Oct. 22, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

His Ordeal.

She—I understand you are a lover of music.

He—Don't stop on my account.—Judge.

Mrs. Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt astonished the people at Newport recently by appearing with a parasol on the panels of which were painted a variety of cats.

DOCTORS UNABLE TO AGREE

Question Whether Brown Bread Is Superior to White Still Forms Subject for Argument.

White bread was said by experts, or by those who claim to be experts, to be much superior to brown bread a few months ago, and we were told that the idea of eating graham bread or any bread containing part or all of the bran of wheat and other portions of the grain which are taken out in the bolting process was old-fashioned and might lead to injury. Now come the medical inspectors of the French army, a group of very distinguished physicians and scientists, who say that bolting pushed beyond a certain limit eliminates the useful element of flour in more than one respect and does nothing but improve the color of the bread. When white bread is used exclusively they have found that the men eat and need more meat, but when the flour is only partially bolted and only the coarser particles of the bran are removed the soldiers are in better health and they eat less meat, which results in superior economy and efficiency at the same time. The method of bolting flour was invented some centuries ago, and it seems about time that the relative values of white and unbolted flour were settled, but the doctors can no more agree about it than they can about the therapeutic value of alcohol.—New York Commercial.

What He Needed.

After Jack Sullivan, the witness who charged that Becker was "framed up" by the gamblers, left the witness stand, it took him considerable time to cool off. Sullivan created an uproar in court by defying everyone and giving his answers as he saw fit. Some friends met him on the street outside the court building.

"Jack," said one, "come over at the corner and get something cool to drink."

"Not me," he replied, wiping the perspiration from his face. "If I took a drink now in my condition I'd crack a boiler. What I need is a two or three days' snooze in somebody's icehouse."

Seeing Is Believing.

Wright—But there is such a sameness about his writing.

Penman—Oh, no, there isn't. Why, he's ambidextrous—he writes with both hands, you know.

If you are going to kick at all it is perhaps just as well to do it with both feet.

WOMAN COULD HARDLY STAND

Because of Terrible Backache. Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I suffered from displacement and inflammation, and had such pains in my sides, and terrible backache so that I could hardly stand. I took six bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and now I can do any amount of work, sleep good, eat good, and don't have a bit of trouble. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to every suffering woman."—Mrs. HARRY FISHER, 1642 Juniata Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Another Woman's Case.

Providence, R. I.—"I cannot speak too highly of your Vegetable Compound as it has done wonders for me and I would not be without it. I had a displacement, bearing down, and backache, until I could hardly stand and was thoroughly run down when I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It helped me and I am in the best of health at present. I work in a factory all day long besides doing my housework so you can see what it has done for me. I give you permission to publish my name and I speak of your Vegetable Compound to many of my friends."—Mrs. ABRIL LAWSON, 126 Lippitt St., Providence, R. I.

Danger Signals to Women

are what one physician called backache, headache, nervousness, and the blues. In many cases they are symptoms of some female derangement or an inflammatory, ulcerative condition, which may be overcome by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands of American women willingly testify to its virtue.

Your Liver Is Clogged Up

That's Why You're Tired—Out of Sorts —Have No Appetite.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS will put you right in a few days.

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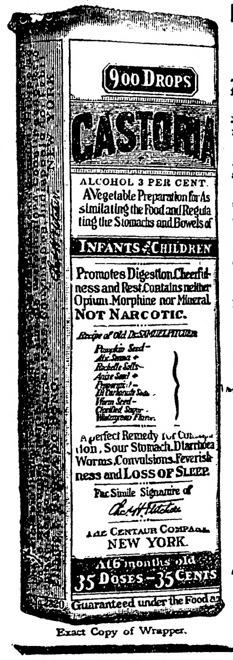
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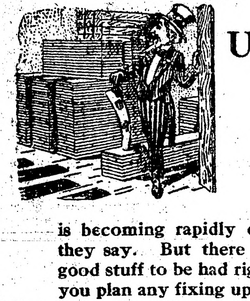

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Political Announcements.

Published in behalf of and authorized by the following and paid for by them at the regular rates.

For County Treasurer

I desire to announce myself as a Candidate for re-nomination to the office of County Treasurer of Marshall County, subject to your approval at the primaries on June 16th, 1914.

In this connection I desire to thank the taxpayers for the loyal manner in which they supported me, and their co-operation in helping me in the discharge of my duties has been of material assistance to me in more ways than one.

When I first sought this office I pledged myself that if nominated and elected I would try my very best to discharge the duties of the office with the utmost fidelity. Whether I have done this or not to your entire satisfaction it is for you to judge, and it will be my earnest endeaver if re-nominated and elected to make still greater effort to do my full duty as a public servant.

If I have failed in any particular it is not because I have not tried to my duty conscientiously, but an honestly made failure that I have tried to remedy.

As for the duties of the office I have become perfectly familiar with every detail and am in a position to serve your interests with utmost dispatch and promptness. Thanking you for your kindly consideration and asking that you will bear my candidacy in mind at the June primary, I remain,

Yours very respectfully,
Fred Bakke, Co. Treasurer

For Register of Deeds

To the voters of Marshall County:
Having filed for nomination to the office of Register of Deeds, I hereby respectfully solicit your support and your votes at the Primary Election to be held June 16th, 1914.

Yours, Louis M. Olson

For Register of Deeds

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for Register of Deeds of Marshall County, and respectfully solicit the votes and support of the voters of Marshall County at the Primary Election June 16th, 1914.

Having been Deputy Register of Deeds of this County since the spring of 1906, I am thoroughly familiar with the work and if nominated and elected I shall always strive to serve the people to the best of my ability.

Chas. E. Grinder.

For Representative

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of Representative to the State Legislature from Marshall County in the 67th Legislative District, at the Primaries on June 16,

Respectfully,
Geo. L. Johnson, M. D.
Newfolden, Minn.

For Register of Deeds.

To the Voters of Marshall County:
I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds of Marshall County and earnestly and respectfully solicit your vote and influence at the primary election to be held on June 16, 1914.

If nominated and elected I promise to discharge the duties of the office faithfully and business-like.

Respectfully yours,
Abel Anderson,
Newfolden, Minn., R. 2.

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For County Commissioner for the 5th County Commissioner District.

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Truly your servant,
P. B. Malberg.

For County Attorney

I hereby announce that I filed for the nomination for the office of County Attorney on March 31st, and that I am a candidate for that office, subject to the approval of the voters of Marshal County at the Primary on June 16th.

John R. Naeseth
Warren Minn.

For State Senator

To the Voters of the 67th Legislative District.

At the solicitation of numerous friends throughout the the district comprising Marshall, Kittson and Roseau counties, it give me pleasure to announce my candidacy for the office of State Senator.

If honored with the nomination and election I hereby pledge myself to carry out the wishes of the people irrespective of personal views or opinions, as I conceive it to be the highest duty of a representative to represent the will, not of himself, but those of who honor and trust him to do their bidding for the welfare of the district.

Primarily I wish to state my attitude on the county option question, and I recognize the right of the public to such a statement from one who seeks their support for so important and honorable a position as that of State Senator. I am in favor of County Option and if elected I will not only vote for, but will use my best efforts in furthering the adoption of such a bill, believing that to be the best solution of the liquor question.

I further pledge myself to use my best efforts to further the developement of Northern Minnesota and especially the counties that I shall represent.

Assuring you that I will at all times endeavor and labor for your interests and for the interests of the 67th Ligislative district, I remain

Respectfully,
Nels S. Hegnes.

For Sheriff

To the voters of Marshall County:
I hereby announce my candidacy for re-nomination for the office of Sheriff, and earnestly solicit the support and votes of my friends at the primary election, June 16th, 1914. I pledge myself, if re-elected to discharge the duties of the office faithfully and impartially.

Respectfully,
Wm. Forsberg, Warren.

FOR SHERIFF

To the voters of Marshall County:-
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff of Marshall County on the Non-Partisan ticket, and respectfully solicit your influence and vote at the primary election to be held June 16th, 1914. If nominated and elected I will discharge the duties of my office to the best of my ability.

Yours very truly,
OSCAR OSETH. (adv.)

For County Attorney

To the voters of Marshall County:
I take pleasure in announcing that I am a candidate for re-nomination for the office of County Attorney.

During the brief time that I have served in that official capacity, I have endeavored to enforce the laws of the State fairly and impartially and without fear or favor. I have striven, at all times, to give the public the best service possible, and if nominated and elected, that is the kind of service which the public may expect from me.

Your support is kindly solicited
Respectfully yours,
A. N. Eckstrom.

For Superintendent of Schools.

Hereby I wish to announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of Superintendent of Schoole of Marchall County. I also wish to thank the public for all past favors and to solicit your vote and support in this election. Yours very truly,

David Johnson.

For Sheriff

To the voters of Marshall County:
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Marshall County on the Non Partisan ticket, subject to the will of the people at the Primary election, June 16, 1914. I pledge myself, if nominated and elected, to discarge the duties of the office faithfully and impartially and to the best of my ability.

Respectfully,
Hans C. Hanson
Viking, Minn.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

To the voters of Marshall County:
I am a candidate for nomination for Representative, from Marshall County, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence in my behalf.

If nominated and elected to represent you, my aim in the future will be as it has been in the past: to work for the best interests of Marshall County and the State at large.

Thanking you most heartily for past favors, and for any assistance you may render me, I remain,

Yours respectfully,
Donald Robertson.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for Sheriff of Marshall County at the Primary Election to be held June 16th, 1914.

I am a pioneer farmer of Marshall county and am still engaged in the useful and noble occupation of tilling the soil, but at the earnest solicitation of neighbors and friends, I have thrown my hat in the political ring. Therefore, I respectfully solicit the support of the voters in the county and pledge myself, if successful, to discharge the duties of the office in an able and satisfactory manner.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
May 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Walter E. Patten of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on May 27th 1911, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 05829, for NE¼, Section 19, Township 156 N., Range 40 W., 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witness: Seymour E. Hunt, of Germantown, Minn., James O. Earp, Charles A. Parm and Harry Earl Patten, of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.
Proof made under act of June 6th 1912.
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.
May 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Charles A. Parm, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on November 8th, 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05849, for SE¼, Section 20, Township 156 N., Range 40 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Seymour E. Hunt, of Germantown, Minn., James O. Earp, of Golden Valley, Minn., Howard Gillett, of Esplee, Minn., Walter Patten, Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.
Proof made according to law under which entry was made.
First Publication not later than May 22, 1914.

Notice for Publication

Department of The Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
May 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Seymour E. Hunt of Germantown, Minn., who, on July 25th, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 06318 for Lots 3 & 4 E½ SW¼, Section 18 Township 156 N., Range 40 W., 5th Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Walter E. Patten and Charles A. Parm, of Golden Valley, Minn., John H. Clausen and Otto Taug, of Germantown, Minn.

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Local Items

Bring us the news.

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Gunhums', Mickelsons' and Dockens' spent last Sunday at the And. Bjerk home.

Mrs. Fred Lufkin and children of Thief River Falls, are visiting with P. O. Reirsons' this week.

Clarence Docken, of Mekinock, N. D., has accepted a position with the Holt State Bank.

Begin now, and plan to spend the 4th of July in Holt.

Guy and Alfred Anderson and Mrs. Anderson visited at the Jno. Simonson home last Sunday.

The Holt Realty Co. closed another deal last week whereby Albin Knauf disposed of his 160 acre farm east of town. This is a fine farm and will make the recent purchaser a fine home.

Moral—If you want to list your farm, list it with anybody. If you want to sell your farm, list it with us. Holt Realty Co. (Adv).

FOR RENT.

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Mrs. Carl Newton went to [illegible] on Monday to see her son, [illegible] who is at the hospital. Norman has blood poison in his leg but is said to be on the way of recovery.

Ernest Silbaugh drove to Thief River Falls last Friday to get [illegible] apparatus repaired.

B. L. Backe attended the Minnesota Bankers' convention at Minneapolis last Saturday.

Dr. Turley will be in Holt Thursday, June 25th, to do Dentistry work. All work guaranteed.

P. L. Anderson made a flying trip to Argyle in his motor boat, Saturday, to take home relatives of John Engstrom's.

FOR SALE—A Gaar-Scott separator, 28x40, complete with blower, feeder and stacker. Used ten days. Ed. K. Johnson, Holt, Minn.

Who says that Holt is not improving? A 150-foot cement sidewalk has just been completed, fronting the postoffice, Holt State Bank, Farmers' State Bank and A. H. Huseth. It is understood that work will soon be commenced on a cement walk from Reierson's corner to Evergreen Hotel. We trust that this will materialize.

S. S. Kolden and B. L. Backe made a business trip to Thief River Falls last Monday evening.

Knute Nelson, of Middle River, was a business caller at this city last Tuesday.

D. B. Backe and family autoed up from Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

Lost—Arvid's whistle.

A. J. Nelson and family, Arvid and Tony Carlson autoed out to Louis Wegge, Monday evening. Arvid and A. J. are taking lessons from Louis Wegge's sons in playing "horse-shoe."

Word has been received that Dr. M. A. Nelson, of Mud Lake, died in Minneapolis last Thursday. He will well be remembered as the first practising physician at Holt.

Guy Anderson and Ed. M Silbaugh autoed to Thief River Falls on business last Saturday evening

The commercial club of Holt are still hard at work preparing for the Fourth of July celebration. They have been successful in securing the Thief River Falls Band of twenty pieces for this occasion.

The 4th of July Celebration at Holt this year will be a dandy.

Gust Christianson, of Fertile, has been spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. A. H. Huseth, this week.

Obituary.

Beverly, Sask., June 15, 1914.

Died in Swift Current, Saturday, June 6th, Minnie Paulick, beloved wife of Rinhard Schenkey, age 23 years. They lived in Beverley, Sask.; born in Minnesota, U. S. A.; came to Canada about three years ago. She leaves to mourn her loss one child two weeks old, her husband and mother. The funeral took place from Yule's undertaking parlors, to Mount Pleasant cemetery, Monday, June 8th, at 1:30. Rev. D. G. Cameron officiated. Mr. Schenkey has our deep felt sympathy over his sudden loss.

Obituary.

Last Sunday, June 14, occurred the funeral of Ole O. Knudson. The remains were laid to rest in the Holt cemetery. The community is in deep sympathy with the bereaved parents and relatives which could be seen by the large attendance at the funeral and the many floral offerings.

In Church Circles.

The Nazareth Ladies Aid will serve "Rommegrod" at Sam Mickleson's, next Wednesday, June 24th. Price 25 cents.

The Free Mission Young People's Society will meet at B. L. Backe's residence Sunday, June 28th. Everybody welcome.

The Nazareth Young People's Society will meet at Gust Peterson's next Sunday, June 21st. Everybody welcome.

[illegible] IN CANNED MEATS

High Prices for Fresh [illegible] in France Has Been Source of Profit to America.

The steady rise in the cost of living in general and the retail price of meats in particular has brought about an increase in the importation into France of canned meats. This is not astonishing when it is considered that the present retail prices for the best cuts of fresh meats are as follows: Veal, 35 cents a pound; beef, 31 cents a pound; mutton 26 cents a pound; pork 26 cents a pound.

It is the impossibility of paying prices such as these that has led to an increase of over 30,000,000 pounds in the imports of canned meats within three years. In 1910 the imports amounted to 45,502,600 pounds; in 1911 to 55,404,800 pounds, and in 1912 to 76,883,400 pounds. These figures appear to be eloquent testimony of the steadily increasing demand and of the ever-growing opportunity for larger American exports to this country, and support is given to this statement by the large number of letters lately received at the Paris consulate general from commission houses and agents asking to be put in touch with Chicago or other packers of canned meats not yet represented in France.

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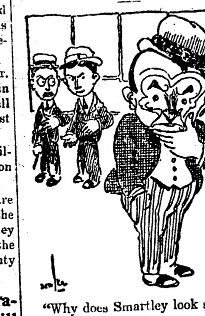

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Flax	$1.48
Wheat	.80
Barley	.36
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Rye	.45
Flour, Best Patent	2.65

UNPLEASANT TASTE.

A Chicago housewife who was preparing to put some furs and other winter clothing away for the summer placed a small bag of moth balls on the table in the dining room and went into the kitchen to look after her baking. When she returned she saw her young son making a wry face.

"What's wrong, Robert?" she inquired.

"Nothing much mamma," replied the boy, "but I do believe those marshmallows are spoiled."

CONTAMINATION.

"You believe in the curfew, do you not?"

"Sure, I do. Think of the bad manners one may acquire by coming home on the owl cars at night."

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ACTION OF HOUSE ENDS TOLLS FIGHT

BILL ONLY AWAITS SIGNATURE OF PRESIDENT WILSON TO BE EFFECTIVE.

ACCEPT SENATE AMENDMENT

By a Vote of 216 to 71 Lower Body Concurs After Final Debate Marked by Strong Feeling.

Washington, June 15.—Only President Wilson's signature is necessary to repeal the clause of the Panama canal act exempting American coastwise shipping from tolls.

House Ends Fight.

The long and bitter fight in congress came to an end when the house, after brief debate, and without the formality of a conference, accepted by a vote of 216 to 71 the senate amendment specifically reserving all rights the United States may have under the Hay-Pauncefote treaty or otherwise.

The president is expected to sign the measure at once. It was just a little more than three months ago that he addressed the house and senate in joint session, urgently asking for repeal of the exemption clause that the nation might keep its treaty obligations.

Bill Sent to Wilson.

Speaker Clark and Vice President Marshall attached their signatures and sent the bill to the White House.

Before ending the contest by concurring in the senate amendment the house voted down, 174 to 108, a proposal advanced by Representative Moss, of West Virginia, to attach to the repeal a flat declaration of the right of the United States to exempt its vessels from tolls and of the sovereignty of the United States over the canal zone.

During the discussion there were flashes of heat in the debate which characterized the original consideration of the measure. Representative Underwood, Democratic leader, although voting for the senate amendment, said that congress should never have made this "un-American surrender" and called the amendment "ineffective and negative."

Mann Likes Amendment.

Republican Leader Mann, who had vigorously opposed repeal, supported the amendment, declaring it left the entire question of the rights of this country to be determined in the future.

Representative Glass of Virginia attacked the Democratic leaders who opposed the measure. He denounced the "outrageous assaults made on the president" by the Republicans and expressed indignation "at the leaders of the Democratic side who have aspersed their own colleagues because they would not follow them into the camp of the Republican party in advocacy of a Republican doctrine."

Twenty Democrats voted against the motion to concur in the senate amendment. Thirty-seven Republicans and three Progressives joined the Democrats in support of the motion.

SUICIDE IS THEORY NOW

Man Who Saw Ella G. Winter, Baltimore Girl, Last Gives This Clue.

Baltimore, Md., June 15.—While no clue was obtained by investigation of county officers into the circumstances surrounding the death of Ella G. Winter, whose body was found late Monday in Curtis Creek, D. Meredith Reese, Jr., the last person known to have seen the girl alive, expressed the belief that she committed suicide.

Two women friends of Miss Winter also made statements in support of the suicide theory.

Reese previously had declared several times that he knew of no reason why Miss Winter should take her life. Now, however, he says that she more than once had threatened to commit suicide. His desire to protect the girl and her family, he said, caused him to refrain from advancing the suicide theory before.

Car Overturns; Girls Hurt.

Paris, Ill., June 13.—An automobile driven by Miss Lola Miller crashed over a 20-foot embankment, probably fatally injuring Miss Miller and Hazel Lowther and seriously injuring three other women. The automobile overturned, pinning four of the young women down. Miss Green was thrown clear of the wreck. She walked a quarter of a mile for assistance, but could find no men and neighboring women lifted the car from the victims.

Twenty Deaths in Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh, June 12.—Sixteen deaths due directly to heat prostration and four to drowning is the toll of western Pennsylvania to the torrid wave.

Colonel Roosevelt Leaves Spain.

Madrid, June 13.—After a strenuous day beginning with a visit to the Museo Del Prado and including the events connected with the marriage of his son, ex-President Roosevelt left for Paris. The colonel at the dance which followed the wedding stepped the Virginia reel with Senora Dato, wife of the premier. On account of the hostile attitude of the Spanish papers detectives continued to guard the embassy and were at the station when the ex-president departed.

CABINET MEMBERS JUBILANT

FAIRLY RADIATE HAPPINESS OVER PEACE PROSPECTS.

Even President Wilson Breaks Long Silence and Declares Outlook Encouraging.

Washington, June 15.—The Washington government was so optimistic over the prospects for the success of mediation in the Mexican imbroglio that members of the cabinet fairly radiated jubilation when they left the White House after a conference with the president.

President Wilson broke his long and patient silence on the subject by authorizing the declaration that the outlook for mediation was very encouraging. Not a word on the subject has come from the chief executive for many weeks.

Secretary Bryan was so enthused over the outlook for peace that he laughed with newspaper men and cabinet members as they tarried outside the executive offices. The secretary of state and Secretary Daniels traded yarns as they patted each other on the shoulder, and when pressed for more serious matters they declared that the Mexican situation was looking very hopeful from the viewpoint of the United States.

Later in the day Secretary Bryan verified reports from Niagara Falls that the Huerta delegates and representatives of the United States had had an agreement on the means by which the transmission of authority in Mexico should be conducted from Huerta to the proposed provisional government. The secretary said he did not recall the exact wording of the tentative agreement, but that a conclusion upon this first point in dispute had been reached.

Mr. Bryan declined, however, to reveal the details of the method proposed, stating that he had no authority to speak for the mediators in the first place, and secondly that he thought it unwise to make public part of an agreement until the whole plan had been determined.

General Carranza's latest note, forwarded by mail to Niagara Falls, announcing his decision to send representatives to the mediation conference, was subject of most interest at the cabinet meeting and in other official quarters here. The White House learned early in the day of this decision on the part of Carranza, learning also that the Constitutionalist chief, in reaching this decision, adhered strictly to his attitude that an armistice in the campaign against Huerta should not be required. It was also learned that the note makes no mention of any other terms upon which the Constitutionalist representatives should participate in the peace conference.

Word from Niagara Falls that the mediators would not officially receive into the conference the Carranza delegates unless they should agree to an armistice, threw no damper on the enthusiasm of Washington government officials or their hopes for ultimate peace. There were again made in official quarters references to the suggestion that Carranza's agents could be unofficially welcomed by the American and Huerta delegates to discuss plans of settlement upon which a way might be found for all to meet later before the mediators and a protocol eventually signed by the representatives of the United States, General Huerta and the Constitutionalists.

LIGHTNING HITS BIG BALLOON

Message Saying Pilot Is Hurt but Giving No Details Sent By Carrier Pigeon.

Portland, Ore., June 15.—One brief message telling of disaster to the balloon Million Population Club, is the only word received from three of the balloons that started here in a race under the auspices of the Aero Club of America. Of the fate of the Kansas City III. and the Springfield there was an ominous silence. The other balloon in the race, the Uncle Sam was wrecked in a thunder storm.

On the wings of a white carrier pigeon was brought this laconic message from the Million Population club:

"Balloon struck by lightning. Berry hurt. Come quick.

(signed) "MORRISON."

The message was written by George Y. Morrison, probably while he was in a daze, for he failed to give his location. His companion was Captain John Berry, of St. Louis, the pilot.

Every effort possible is being put forth to find the Million Population club and the other two unreported balloons.

First Wheat Shipped.

Ponca City, Okla., June 15. What is believed to be the first car of wheat of the new crop to be shipped from the big wheat country of Oklahoma left Dodock, a station south of here. The car was consigned to a Chicago firm.

Eruption Near Mt. Lassen's Peak.

Redding, Cal., June 15.—The fourth and greatest eruption of steam and smoke from the new opening near the peak of Mount Lassen at the foot of the Shasta range has just occurred. The smoke column reached an estimated height of 2,500 feet. The first outbreak at Lassen occurred May 30 and broke a hole in the side of the mountain near the peak. A second somewhat larger occurred June 1 and a third June 8. None approximated the magnitude of this latest.

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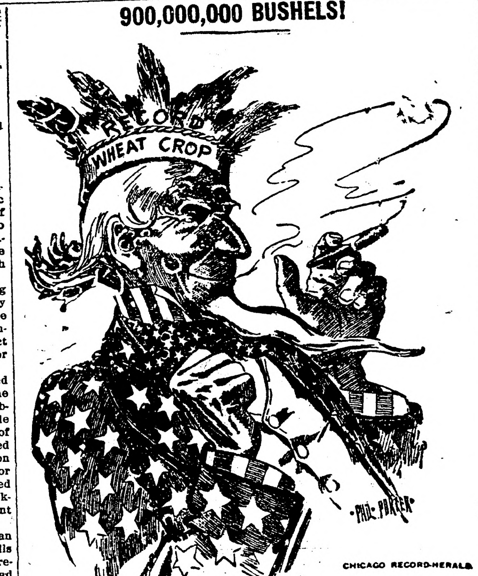

WOMEN ENDORSE FIGHT FOR BALLOT

FEDERATED CLUBS SUCCEED IN GIVING SUPPORT TO EQUAL SUFFRAGE.

MANY CRY WITH EMOTION

Resolutions Which Broke Down Constitutional Bar of Years Is Adopted Amid Stirring Scene—Much Opposition.

Chicago, June 15.—The principle of woman's suffrage was endorsed here by the General Federation of Women's Clubs. By this action a twenty years' fight by the suffragists to break down the federation constitutional bar on political and religious subjects was successful. The motion was made by Mrs. E. G. Denniston, of San Francisco, chairman of the resolutions committee.

Rush to Second.

There were seconds from all over the house, but Mrs. James Lee, of Kentucky, insisted on being heard and read a paragraph of the hymnlike woman's creed. Others would have spoken, but Miss Lutie E. Stearns, of Milwaukee, objected.

"I don't see why there should be any discussion," she said in a voice that shook with emotion. "Eight million women are waiting for us. As Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt said in her wonderful address, the women of the world are waiting for our action."

When the question was put there was a chorus of "ayes," but scattered negatives were plainly heard when Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker declared the motion carried.

Tears of Emotion.

There were tears of emotion in many eyes. Then in a distant gallery to which the Illinois delegation as hostess had consigned itself, the women raised their voices above the tumult in the "Battle Hymn of the Republic."

The refrain, "Glory, Glory, Hallelujah," was taken up in various sections of the auditorium.

This is the resolution:

"Whereas, the question of political equality of men and women is today a vital problem under discussion throughout the civilized world;

"Resolved, That the General Federation of Women's Clubs give the cause of political equality its moral support by recording its earnest belief in the principle of political equality, regardless of sex."

Wanted—Men to Fill Jobs.

Washington, June 15.—Predicting that within a month's time there will be more jobs in the United States than men, Secretary of Labor Wilson hopes to solve the problem of getting men to fill the places. His forecast is based upon the bumper wheat crop, revival of the iron trade, mining and the textile industry. The secretary already has received requests for more than 80,000 laborers in the wheat belt of the West and South and he plans to arrange with the railroads special excursions.

May Head Reserve Board.

Washington, June 13.—Thomas B. Jones, a Chicago lawyer, former member of the Princeton university trustees and a personal friend of President Wilson, has practically been selected for governor of the federal reserve board. It was said unofficially that his nomination would go to the senate Monday. The other members of the board are likely to be Paul M. Warburg of New York, W. P. G. Harding of Birmingham, Ala., A. C. Miller of San Francisco and E. C. Simmons of St. Louis.

DRAMATIC ACT OF MILITANTS

EXPLODE BOMB AS PARLIAMENT DISCUSSES THEM.

Westminster Abbey Visitors Panic-Stricken by Detonation—Part of Coronation Chair Ripped Off.

London, June 13.—The militant suffragettes staged one of the most dramatic acts of their campaign when they exploded a bomb in Westminster Abbey at the very moment that the Right Hon. Reginald McKenna, secretary of state for home affairs, was delivering an optimistic speech in the house of commons nearby regarding the government's method of dealing with "the wild women."

The bomb was placed beside the famous coronation chair in Edward the Confessor's chapel.

Although it did little damage, like previous attempts at destruction of the same kind, its report penetrated to the chamber of the house, interrupting Mr. McKenna's oration and bringing some of the members into the street to learn what had happened.

The detonation was heard for many blocks and a crowd quickly filled the square in front of the abbey. But the police immediately closed all the doors.

A statement issued by Scotland Yard gives the facts in most conservative form.

"At 5 o'clock," says the statement, "a small bomb was exploded in immediate proximity to the coronation chair. It is supposed that some members of a large party of sightseers lagged behind the rest and deposited the bomb when the others had left the chapel.

"Fortunately, the damage done was slight. A portion of the carved back of the chair was blown off and some of the stone carving of the screen of the great altar was damaged apparently by some iron nuts contained in the bomb.

"The bomb, of thin metal, nickel plated, was exploded by a fuse. A woman's feather boa, a guide book and a small black silk bag were on a chair nearby. No material damage has been done as happily the pieces blown off can be put together again. The police are making inquiries in conjunction with his majesty's inspector of explosives."

A hundred or more visitors, divided into small parties, were being conducted by vergers about the abbey when a sudden flash, like lightning, penetrated every corner. A sharp detonation set the women to screaming and running for the doors. Some said afterwards that the report was deafening.

STEAMER AND 24 MISSING

Halifax, N. S., June 13.—It is reported that the government steamer Montmagny is missing and it is feared all on board have been lost.

Word was received here that the marine department at Ottawa had sent orders to all marine signal stations in the lower St. Lawrence and the gulf to try to obtain tidings of the Montmagny. The steamer, with a crew of 24 men aboard, has not been seen or heard from since she coaled at Cape Race several days ago.

1,400 More Men Walk Out.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 15.—The strike of the members of the Allegheny Congenial Industrial union, which began last Friday with the walkout of 10,000 employes of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company, the Westinghouse Machine company, and the Pittsburg Meter company, has spread to the plant of the Union Switch and Signal company at Swissvale. Between 1,100 and 1,400 employes of the Switch and Signal company, which is one of the so-called Westinghouse industries, walked out.

GREAT DIPLOMATIC STRUGGLE SHAPING

MEDIATORS AT NIAGARA FALLS FACE BIGGEST OBSTACLE TO PEACE.

MUST NOW SELECT PRESIDENT

United States Declares Its Stand for Man Favorable to Rebels—Stated Position at Very Outset of Conference, It Is Learned.

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 16.—It is apparent that things are making for a great struggle in diplomacy between the United States and the Huerta government here during the coming week.

Most Important Factor.

While mediation has passed safely over many obstacles so far, the factor on which peace most depends—the selection of a provisional president acceptable to all factions—has brought the entire mediation body to a realization that ultimately on this mediation will succeed or fail. Many names have been suggested, but thus far none has been found suitable. The discussion of names will likely continue for several days.

There is no longer any doubt in the minds of the mediators or Mexican delegates that the American government believes the only solution of the present tangle is to place the executive power in the hands of a broad-minded Constitutionalist through a peaceful negotiation rather than to have the inevitable occur, military conquest of Mexico City with the possibility of international complications through injuries to foreigners.

Position of U. S. Revealed.

In the last few days alone has the American government's position been revealed publicly, but on the highest authority it has become known that the United States informed the mediators in unequivocal language at the very outset that it contemplated favoring a Constitutionalist for provisional president.

If Huerta delegates were not informed of this it was because the mediators thought they might dissuade the American delegates from their purpose.

The American plan finally submitted in writing to the mediators was the embodiment of what the American delegates on instruction from Washington had said in formal conversation in the two weeks prior to the presentation of their proposals.

FIRST PRIZE TO BE $100,000

Tentative Rules are Announced for Airship Race Around the World.

New York, June 16.—The tentative rules and regulations for the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Round the World Aerial race, as prepared by Guy T. Slaughter, president of the Pacific Aero club, have just been given out here.

Under the proposed rules and regulations, $150,000 will be offered by the exposition as prizes and an endeavor will be made to raise an additional $150,000 from cities over which the course of the race will lie and from individuals, which also will be given as prizes.

To the competitor finishing within 121 days from the start of the race $100,000 will be awarded. In case the first arrival in the race fails to reach the finish line within the 121 days, but does finish before Dec. 4, the first prize will be reduced by $1,000 per day for each day over the 121 days.

The race will start from the Panama-Pacific exposition grounds, San Francisco, May 15, 1915, and must be completed before noon of Dec. 4, 1915. The course will be eastward around the world.

Mexican Naval Heroes Rewarded.

Washington, June 15.—Officers and men among the American bluejackets and marines who distinguished themselves by conspicuous bravery and heroism at Vera Cruz, were formally recognized and rewarded Sunday by the navy department. Every one of the 107 singled out for mention in Rear Admiral Fletcher's reports of the occupation of the Mexican port was given official commendation in a letter from Secretary Daniels, bringing word in most cases of medals, gratuities or promotions.

Zeppelin Wrecked; One Hurt.

Diedenhoffen, Germany, June 15.—Another of the Zeppelin airships of the Germany army, the "Z 1," was badly wrecked near here. While trying to effect a landing in a rain storm, the cruiser broke at right angles behind the rear gondola. A lieutenant was injured. The accident occurred during a flight from Cologne to Metz.

Sun Turns "Fire-Bug."

Sioux Falls, S. D., June 15.—The sun's rays shining through a window glass and being focused upon some matches lying on a table ignited the matches and caused a heavy loss to Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Felton, well known residents on a Tripp county homestead. Before the blaze was discovered by one of the little girls of the household it had gained considerable headway. The flames had spread to all parts of the building, and the structure was completely destroyed, together with all its contents.

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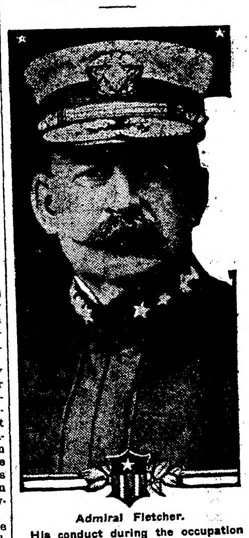

Admiral Fletcher.

His conduct during the occupation of Vera Cruz by the United States won Admiral Fletcher the command of the entire Atlantic squadron.

SECEDING UNION MEN RIOTING

REBELLION IN RANKS OF W. F. OF M. AT BUTTE.

Governor on Scene to Probe Case and Ten Companies of M. N. G. Are Held in Readiness.

Butte, Mont., June 16.—Rioting by seceding members of the local union of the Western Federation of Miners continued all Saturday night and Sunday. Ten companies of the M. N. G. have been ordered held in readiness for service here. The order was issued by Adjutant General Greenan.

With the announcement of this order and the arrival of Governor S. W. Stewart to investigate the situation, some semblance of order was restored.

After dynamiting and looting the safe of the local union Saturday at midnight, many of the 2,000 revolters against extra assessments and the card system of the union continued to parade the streets. Dynamite was exploded under the porch of the home of P. K. Sullivan, an officer of the miners' union and the seceders vowed that a new union would be formed under leadership of officers of the Industrial Workers of the World.

Although several hundred miners have returned to work, many disorderly persons kept up riotous tactics. One crowd took two prisoners from the city jail and later seized a fire truck. A false alarm of fire was turned in and the firemen tried to run the fire apparatus through the crowd of spectators that had been attracted by the disorderly doings of the rioters.

The revolting union miners scrambled on the truck and threw the fire fighters off. When the miners found that they could not operate the vehicle they returned it to the firemen with a warning not to try to run through a crowd again.

During all the disorder the unruly miners declared they would not continue the card system under which each union miner must show his union card before going to work in the mines. Many members of the local miners' union were recently disfranchised from voting at the recent union election because they refused to show their cards at the mines.

This, in addition to large extra assessments for the copper mine strike in Michigan, caused the men to secede from the union, they said.

The first act was to attack the union parade Saturday, stoning several marchers. Then the union headquarters were demolished. Disorder continued all night, the shouting of men being punctured by pistol shots and dynamite explosions.

The police are unable to find any of the insurgents reported to have taken $3,000 from the federation safe after it was dynamited.

Acting Mayor Frank Curran, who was thrown out of a window and sustained a broken leg and wrist while trying to pacify the mob which wrecked the federation's headquarters Saturday, is resting easy in a hospital.

Of the 9,000 members of the union here, the insurgents are said to control the votes of 2,000.

N. D. Chiropractic Bound Over.

Jamestown, N. D., June 16.—G. T. Strand, a chiropractic, was Saturday bound over to the district court of Stutsman county charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Marie Funda of this city. The preliminary examination brought out testimony relative to the form of treatment used by Strand, which medical physicians say was contrary to the form that should have been given in the case. The girl died a few minutes after Strand treated her, according to the evidence.

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State News of General Interest

LIND THINKS PEACE WILL BE RESTORED

WILSON'S SPECIAL ENVOY DOESN'T EXPECT TO BE CALLED AGAIN.

UP TO CONSTITUTIONALISTS

Declares Rebels Must Now Show That They Can Succeed Where Huerta Failed—No Receivership Intended.

Minneapolis, June 12. — John Lind, special representative of President Woodrow Wilson in Mexico until the outbreak of hostilities at Vera Cruz, has returned to his Minneapolis home after an absence of nearly a year.

Prospects For Peace.

"I do not expect to be called back," said Mr. Lind. "The prospects are good for a peaceful settlement of Mexico's difficulties and for settled conditions there. It is up to the constitutionalists to show that they can succeed where Huerta failed. It is not a receivership. We want Mexico to work out her own salvation, and I believe she will do it.

"My presence in Washington is no longer necessary. The president and Mr. Bryan asked me not to make any engagements that would prevent my return, if new developments came and they should wish to consult me, or to have me see others about the situation. But I think it will not be necessary. The general policy of the administration as to Mexico is well worked out, and things are progressing satisfactorily."

A Hard Customer.

Mexican papers found Mr. Lind a hard customer, and El Imparcial of Mexico City, called him "El Gran Silencioso" in a headline over the story of its failure to get an interview.

CAR HITS AUTO; THREE KILLED

Parts of Demolished Machine Tear Through Interurban Station at Brookside, Minn.

Minneapolis.—Three were killed when a Minnetonka car hit an automobile at Brookside, two miles west of the city limits. Those killed were: Charles Hendrickson, 50 years old, contractor; Otto Hendrickson, 47 years old, carpenter; John Specht, 22 years old, carpenter. The first two were Brookside residents and the last named was from Glencoe, Minn.

The three men were hurled about 150 feet. They were dead when the car crew and passengers reached them. The automobile was a tangled mass of wreckage and a part of the Brookside station was smashed as the automobile was forced through it.

Seated in the station was Samuel B. Rees, Brookside, employed by Barnott & Record company, 700 Flour Exchange. Parts of the automobile tore away the station wall less than two feet from his seat. An umbrella, held in his hand, was hurled 50 feet into an adjoining field. Seated in the station also was Joseph Lutzi, 11 years old. He was not injured.

RESORT LAW IS HELD VALID

Wallace-Fosseen Abatement Act Is Declared Constitutional by State Supreme Court.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota resort abatement law, known as the Wallace-Fosseen act, was held valid in all its essential provisions in a decision of the supreme court on appeals taken from Hennepin and Ramsey counties. Judge Joseph W. Molyneaux, who held the law valid and declared that personal rights were not restricted by the act, is sustained and Judge Frederick N. Dickson of Ramsey county is reversed in his opinion that the law was unconstitutional.

Woodmen Picnic at Benson.

Benson.—The annual picnic of the Modern Woodmen of America for the west central Minnesota district, was held in this city last week, but owing to inclement weather much of the program had to be curtailed and the attendance from outside towns was small. There was an automobile parade in which fifty machines participated. The address of welcome was made by Mayor J. N. Edwards and the response by Neighbor Stone. John L. Sundean of Minneapolis, state consul, and Governor A. O. Eberhart made addresses.

Two Indian Boys Killed.

Pipestone.—Quincy Shambo, aged [illegible], and Frank Shrau, aged 12, Indian students at the government school in the northern part of Pipestone, were killed last week in the fiercest windstorm that ever visited this locality. Several persons were injured, hundreds of fine shade trees were destroyed and small buildings were wrecked. Thousands of dollars damage was done to business buildings. The Indian boys were struck by flying boards from a barn. Both were residents of White Earth, Minn.

U. C. T. ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Grasse of Fargo Chosen Grand Counselor—Winona Next Meeting Place.

Mankato. — Officers of the grand council, United Commercial Travelers, elected to guide the membership in Minnesota and North Dakota, are: Grand counselor, W. L. Grasse, Fargo; grand junior counselor, P. F. Murphy, Stillwater; grand past counselor, O. H. Griswold, Winona; grand secretary, J. M. Dresser, St. Paul; grand treasurer, H. G. Lillyblad, Red Wing; grand conductor, G. M. Peterson, Duluth; grand page, J. L. George, Bismarck, N. D.; grand sentinel, E. C. Mahle, St. Paul; grand executive committee, G. E. Tisdale, Minneapolis; re-elected, C. A. Hitchcock, Crookston; re-elected, B. F. Ashelman, Fargo; and H. G. Blake, Minneapolis.

With the street pageant Saturday the convention, which attracted 3,000 commercial travelers to Mankato, closed.

Winona won the 1915 convention. At the business session, J. R. Tawney of Winona, cousin of former Congressman James H. Tawney, and J. R. Kinsloe, secretary-manager of the Winona Association of Commerce, led a delegation 100 strong into the convention hall to show the reasons why the Queen city of Minnesota should be selected. Special trains from Albert Lea and Owatonna added other boosters for Winona's cause.

Early in the session it was thought Bismarck might make a bid for the 1915 convention, but its campaigners admitted they were working with a view to bringing Bismarck to the front for 1916.

CIRCUS REMEMBERS SICK LAD

Parade Turns Aside so That "Shut-In" Can See Pageant at Litchfield.

Litchfield.—From his bed, drawn close to the hospital window, Guy Peters, 9 years old, watched a circus parade that had come three blocks out of its way to march before his window.

With the average boy's passion for clowns and elephants, Guy was heartbroken when the doctors said he would have to stay in bed on circus day. He has just been operated on for tuberculosis of the hip and probably will never walk again.

When the Yankee Robinson circus managers learned the story, they ordered the parade out of its scheduled route to pass the boy's window. As the procession came by the band played its loudest, the wagon drivers waved their whips to the boy in the window, the bareback riders threw him kisses and the white-faced clowns performed their funniest capers on the grass beneath the window.

Afterward several of the circus folk in full regalia visited him in his room.

Litchfield Girl Bound Over.

Chicago.—Pleas that Hazel Pollock of Litchfield, Minn., student of music and high school graduate, stole diamonds and other jewelry, while under a nervous strain, failed to move Judge Wells of the municipal court. He held her to the grand jury in bonds of $2,500. She was given until June 16 to obtain sureties. Otto Strohm of 2059 Lawrence avenue, accused of receiving jewelry that the Pollock girl had stolen, was discharged.

Politics at Road Meeting.

Le Sueur Center.—More than [illegible] farmers gathered here Saturday afternoon for the purpose of forming a county taxpayers' league. The meeting developed into an old-time political rally and when the speaker was interrupted by W. V. Brockway, a farmer, who accused him of making wrong statements in regard to the Dunn road law, it was some time before order could be restored.

Virginia Woman Drowned.

Gilbert.—Mrs. J. Ronda of Virginia, Minn., was drowned in Cedar Island lake at 11 a. m. Sunday, when a boat in which she was rowing with three young women struck a rock and capsized. The three young women managed to reach the shore, but Mrs. Ronda, who was unable to swim, sank. The body was recovered about twenty minutes later. Mrs. Ronda was 24 years old.

Minnesota Pellagra Victim.

Rochester, Minn., June 12.—Mrs. David Elliott of this city died a victim of pellagra. Mrs. Elliott's case was the first known in Minnesota, and attracted the attention of the state board of health which confirmed the diagnosis made by Dr. C. T. Granger of this city. Prior to this case, another was found in the city, but the patient was a resident of another state.

Bankers Indorse Candidates.

Minneapolis.—The Minnesota Bankers' association, at its annual convention at the Hotel Radisson, indorsed by unanimous vote the six candidates recommended for the directorate of the Minneapolis district reserve bank by the steering committee of six states, which met here last month. These candidates included E. W. Decker of Minneapolis, F. R. Bigelow of St. Paul, F. R. Hixon, La Crosse, Governor L. B. Hanna, Fargo; A. C. Bassett, Webster, S. D., and Norman B. Holter, Helena, Mont.

FIRE UNDERSWRITERS UNITE

Minneapolis Man Chosen President of Minnesota and North Dakota Association.

Osakis.—An attendance of nearly 100 fieldmen, managers and company executives, combined with an enthusiasm never seen at any previous meeting, made the twenty-ninth annual meeting of the Minnesota and North Dakota Fire Underwriters one of the most successful in the history of the association. President Joseph L. King of Minneapolis, in his annual address, traced the work of the association the past year and decried the lack of co-operation among the members, saying in part:

"When an earnest solicitation for co-operation is met with the response, 'I will put my house in order when the other fellow's premises are presentable,' is to my mind a mighty poor form of co-operation and does not tend to bring about the good feeling which should exist among our members."

He referred to the agitation relative to a reduction of rates at various points the past year and thought the public were prone to misconstrue the work done along fire prevention lines. He urged that in the future inspections should be made with no attempt to attract public attention. The Minnesota and North Dakota Fire Underwriters and the Minnesota Fire Prevention associations were combined at a joint meeting of the two organizations. Officers were elected as follows:

E. C. Bowe, Minneapolis, president; Byron K. Cowles, Minneapolis, vice president; Charles G. Stone, Minneapolis, secretary; E. C. MacDonald, Minneapolis, treasurer; executive committee, Walter A. Acres, Charles G. Bates, Minneapolis.

PEOPLE GET BACK $1,500,000

That Amount Refunded Shippers and Passengers by Minnesota Railroads.

St. Paul.—Minnesota railroads have refunded $1,500,000 to passengers and shippers of freight since Aug. 7 last, as a result of the United States supreme court decision in the Minnesota rate cases.

Commissioner O. P. B. Jacobson of the state railroad and warehouse commission announced that the commission has handled 7,224 claims, upon which it collected for the claimants $89,450.74. Thousands of other claims were sent directly to the railroads or placed in the hands of collection agencies, which solicited this business, all over the state.

The commission collected the claims filed with it at a cost for clerical and other hire of 2 7-10 cents on the dollar, while persons who employed private agencies were compelled to pay 25 to 50 per cent of their claims for fees.

Though nearly a year has elapsed since the refunding began, claims are arriving at the commission's offices at the rate of 80 to 100 daily.

RATES MAY BE INCREASED

Roads of Middle West May Seek to Boost Freight Charges 10 Per Cent.

Minneapolis.—A horizontal increase of about 10 per cent in freight rates will be announced by Middle Western roads shortly, according to a rumor current in railroad circles here.

The exact amount of the increase, it is understood, will be conditional on the action of the interstate commerce commission on the Eastern roads' request for a 5 per cent increase.

If the Eastern roads are successful, the Western lines are likely to ask for the full 10 per cent. If the commission rules against the Eastern roads, the West may modify its demands.

Municipal Topics at Herman.

Herman.—The business men of the community met at luncheon Wednesday to listen to an address by Professor Frederick H. Bass of the University of Minnesota on "The Engineer and the City." Municipal improvements that Herman, as the "model town" of the state, should adopt, were outlined. This was one of the lectures of "University week." "University week" was financially successful, more than enough tickets to pay the expenses being sold.

Lamp Explodes; Couple Burned.

Elbow Lake.—Peter Peterson died from burns received when a lamp exploded in his tailor shop. His hands were fairly cooked, his head, feet and body were also terribly burned. Mrs. Peterson was also badly burned about the face, and her hands will be crippled for life.

Home Post Graduate Course.

Winona.—In addressing the class of the Winona high school, Rev. T. S. Devitt gave the graduates some practical advice when he urged the girls to take a post graduate course in domestic science at home under their mothers, learning to clean, wash, iron and do plain sewing and cooking. In advising the boys, Dr. Devitt recommended that unless they were going to follow professions they do not go to college for in business they would be further along in four years if they entered it now.

Libby's Luncheon Delicacies

Dried Beef, sliced wafer thin, Hickory Smoked and with a choice flavor that you will remember.

Vienna Sausage—just right for Red Hots, or to serve cold. We suggest you try them served like this: Cut rye bread in thin slices, spread with creamed butter and remove crusts. Cut a Libby's Vienna Sausage in half, lengthwise, and lay on the bread. Place on the top of the sausage a few thin slices of Libby's Midget Pickles. Cover with the other slice of bread and press lightly together. Arrange on plate and serve garnished with a few parsley sprays.

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Would Not Be Recognized.

"Oh, dear me!" wailed a tenement mother, happening upon a sympathetic neighbor. "I'm in such trouble! My little Willie's got himself lost."

"Well, don't worry," consoled the neighbor. "He'll soon be found. Everybody about the place knows him."

"But not today, I'm fearing. You see, he's just been washed."

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A Real Need.

A Frenchman named Delamoy has invented an apparatus whereby you can wind your clock by opening and shutting a door, the winding machine doing its work by the action of the door.

What is really needed, however, is an invention that, attached to a door, will get rid of people inside of the room. No known method has yet been invented to accomplish this purpose. Yet is there anything which would promote greater efficiency and comfort and give more lasting satisfaction?—Life.

Why Not Armor for Every Bullet?

An ingenious New York doctor has invented a bichloride of mercury tablet in which the antidote is combined with the poison, so that a person may swallow corrosive sublimate, intentionally or accidentally, with immunity. It's a capital idea, and ought to be applied to poisons generally, and possibly Maxim might find some way of applying the principle to firearms. An automatic, self-resisting bullet, or something of that sort, would be of much greater utility than his silencer.

Useful Knowledge.

The very young lady was showing her school friend from another city about her native town. Presently the pair came to a little square adorned with a statue of the local Civil war hero.

"It isn't very much to boast of as art," said the sophisticated young chit, "but it's important to know about it because one usually asks one to meet one here."

EYE STRAIN

Relieved by Quitting Coffee

Many cases of defective vision are caused by the habitual use of coffee.

It is said that in Arabia where coffee is used in large quantities, many lose their eyesight at about fifty. Tea contains the same drug, caffeine, as coffee.

A N. J. woman writes to the point concerning eye trouble and coffee. She says:

"My son was for years troubled with his eyes. He tried several kinds of glasses without relief. The optician said there was a defect in his eyes which was hard to reach.

"He used to drink coffee, as we all did, and finally quit it and began to use Postum. That was three years ago and he has not had to wear glasses and has had no trouble with his eyes since.

"I was always fond of tea and coffee and finally became so nervous I could hardly sit still long enough to eat a meal. My heart was in such a condition I thought I might die at any time.

"Medicine did not give me relief and I was almost desperate. It was about this time we decided to quit coffee and use Postum, and have used it ever since. I am in perfect health. No trouble now with my heart and never felt better in my life.

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There is no limit to wishing, but a fellow has to hustle to land anything.

400,000 Settlers a Year

Immigration figures show that the population of Canada increased during 1913, by the addition of 400,000 new settlers from the United States and Europe. Most of these have gone on farms in provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Lord William Percy, an English Nobleman, says:

"The possibilities and opportunities offered by the Canadian West are so infinitely greater than those which exist in England, that it seems absurd to think that people should be impeded from coming to the country where they can most easily and certainly improve their position.

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When Others Boost For Holt Why Shouldn't We

The following is a reprint from the Minneapolis Journal, date of May 31st, 1914:

Holt a Thriving Village.

"Holt is a thriving little town situated in the heart of eastern Marshall county, with a population of 200. It is in the midst of a rich and well developed farming district. It has two banks, two good hotels, a weekly newspaper, four general merchandise stores, hardware stores, excellent public schools, blacksmith shop, two lumber yards, elevators, a first class creamery and livery barn. There are Lutheran and Free Mission churches. The principal industries are farming, dairying and stock raising. Fine herds of beef and dairy cattle are numerous. Since the creamery was built much attention has been given to improving the dairy stock.

"Eastern Marshall county is lavishly endowed and offers many opportunities for the home seeker. Lands vary in price according to situation and character but all—whether hay lands or grain lands—are selling at reasonable prices, at the present time. The character of the land is mostly open prairie, dotted with brush and small groves of poplar. The county is traversed by a magnificent net work of ditches assuring it perfect drainage, thus enabling spring seeding at the earliest date possible. Because of this fine system of ditches, 100 per cent of this land can be placed under cultivation. There is no portion of northern Minnesota better drained, more fertile and capable of higher development than the country surrounding Holt.

Raise No. 1 Hard Wheat.

"Wheat, oats, barley, flax and hay are the chief crops. The wheat is of excellent milling quality and some crops grade No. 1 hard. Oats yield from 50 to 90 bushels per acre, barley about 40 bushels, flax makes large yields, 150 to 400 bushels of potatoes are dug from one acre, tame hay is raised in large quantities."

"This section of country offers unusual advantages to the homeseeker who desires to secure farm lands by purchase at low prices. It is traversed by the Great Northern railroad, and offers excellent shipping facilities for grain and produce. Raw lands in this section sell at from $15 to $25 per acre, improved farms at from $20 to $40 per acre."

"'Every day knowledge of the opportunities which exist in Marshall county is spreading and every day settlers are coming in,' says a leading business man. 'Marshall county desires home seekers to come and till its uncultivated lands, to aid in developing its natural resources, to add to the strength and number of its citizens, and it offers greater opportunities to the energetic and returns greater rewards for intelligent efforts than any other section. The way to learn what Marshall county has to offer is to visit it, and he who comes will behold a panorama of activity and prosperity that no words can picture and from his own observation will draw the only possible conclusion, namely, that Marshall county is the land of unequaled opportunities.'"

WILL THEY?

"The slit skirt has something to recommend it, after all."

"Yes?"

"Sure! The women will have to carry their money in their pocketbooks after this."—Boston Globe.

WHY, OF COURSE!

"How would you describe a Chinaman dancing with a colored woman?"

"I'd call it a black and tan go."—Springfield Union.

GOLDEN VALLEY.

Ole Ellingson, from Carpenter, Iowa, was out here looking for land. He was more than pleased with the country.

Mr. Richardson, from Grand Forks, was out to Peter Kolden's place to help him repair his engine.

Ole Saastad done his seeding in a hurry. He pulled two drills with his engine, doing all his spring work in about ten hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Anderson and niece, Gladys Sorum, spent Sunday with E. E. Pechie.

Chas. Holmgren is again with the bachelor class. Mrs. Holmgren having gone away for a month's visit.

Mr. Holmgren informs the writer that he is going in the nursery business. He has some cigarette trees that has just arrived and says that if they do well he will put in some Copenhagen Snus brush.

Rudolph Dahl has his new tractor and is ready for work. He traded in his old machine which was to heavy for this country.

The bridge at Thief River has been condemned, so beware.

Mud Lake ball players had their usual jollification last Sunday. One player has a new fielder mitt that will draw a ball forty feet. Everybody is doing it now—getting ready for the Fourth at Holt.

Miss Rankins, from Middle River, visited with her sister, Mrs. Melvin Olson last week.

Mr. Elwick has made his final proof and is some—what happens.

The Ladies' Aid at Lily's was well attended. The ice cream friends were more than pleased.

PRESERVING IDEAS OF VALUE

Ingenious Contrivance Enables One to Make a Record of Thoughts That Come During the Night.

Do you ever get ideas during the night, or think of something very important that you must remember to do, and it worries you and worries you until you can't sleep, yet you just hate to get out of bed and go shivering around the room in search of a pencil and a scrap of paper? Think of the ideas that are lost in this way—brilliant ideas, sometimes, that fade away on the wings of sleep! What you should do, if your mind works overtime in this fashion, is to get one of those new, cunning little memo pads that have a tiny electric bulb attached and keep it on your dressing table at night. Then you can write it down and go to sleep.

The pad is of white paper, measuring about four by six inches, and is set in a leather frame, with a flap at the back, by which you can stand it up. The top of the pad contains an electric battery, with a miniature bulb in the center, and a pencil attached to a string is fastened at one side. You press a little metal knob at the other side, and—presto! A flood of light illumes the sheet of paper.

SKIN PECULIARITY.

Human cuticle reacts peculiarly to stimuli. The makers of billiard balls test the smoothness of the finished article by rubbing it against the cheek. Certain areas of the tongue are very sensitive to different flavors, while about an inch from the tip is a little patch which is the precise spot to dump objectionable medicine, for in that region the sense of taste is absent. If one marks on the biceps of the arm a little space, and test it with the warmed head of a pin, some spots will feel just pressure, others warmth and pressure. And if one has a little red ink on the pin he can mark out just where these "warm spots" are. In fact, the cuticle seems a mosaic of "warm" and "cold" spots. And there is said to be a place above the knee where one can drive a pin without pain.

TWO CENTENARIES.

The year 1913 will be remembered in years to come as being very prolific in centenaries of great musicians, for that year witnessed the celebrations of the two immortals—Wagner and Verdi—and also of Sir George Macfarren, and the last is that of Henry Thomas Smart, the great English organist, whose music is so much used in church service now-a-days.

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31x4	17.00	3.25
32x4	18.00	3.30
33x4	19.50	3.40
34x4	20.40	3.60
35x4	21.00	3.80
36x4	22.00	3.90
35x4½	26.00	5.00
36x4½	27.00	5.10
37x4½	27.50	5.15
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CATTY.

Mame—I think I will wear white to suit my skin.

Grace—Do. White and yellow look so well together.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.,
May 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Walter E. Patten of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on May 27th 1911, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 06229, for NE¼, Section 19, Township 156 N., Range 40 W. 5th Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Seymour E. Hunt, of Germantown, Minn.; James O. Earp, Charles A. Parm and Harry Earl Patten, of Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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May 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Charles A. Parm, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on November 8th, 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 06849, for SE¼, Section 20, Township 156 N, Range 40 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Seymour E. Hunt, of Germantown, Minn., James O. Earp, of Golden Valley, Minn., Howard Gillett, of Espelie, Minn., Walter Patten, Golden Valley, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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May 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Seymour E. Hunt of Germantown, Minn., who, on July 25th, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 08818 for Lots 3 & 4 E½ SW¼, Section 18 Township 156 N., Range 40 W., 5th Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Walter E. Patten and Charles A. Parm, of Golden Valley, Minn., John H. Clausen and Otto Taug, of Germantown, Minn.

PETER M. RINGDAL, Register.

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GOLDEN VALLEY.

Reports from election were about as expected.

John Sorum and family autoed out to Golden Valley this week, calling on [illegible] G. Dahl and Tony Anderson.

Dr. Walters, from Middle River, was out here last Saturday on professional business.

Miss Clara Larson, from near Holt, was out here visiting with her new nephew.

The Fire Warden was out rounding up the fire bugs. They say his name is Hyde, but we didn't have time to hide.

Dry Martin, from St. Ansgar, Iowa, is expected to arrive here most any time.

Mr. Christ Sybelrud, from Hardtland, Minn., is expected here with a bunch of land buyers soon.

Obert Odie is making preparations to go with Kelly to Norway.

Mud Lake and Gatzke played a fine game of ball Sunday, score being 3 to 7.

Chas. Holmgren will challenge any man in Mud Lake in anything in the line of Domestic Science.

$50 reward for the man that lost or malaciously placed a rubber ball in the bottom of the well that the Johnson Bros. are digging.

A Town Proclamation.

Friends, war is here. Your town calls you.

It is a war for a BETTER, a BIGGER, a BRIGHTER community ENLIST!

Let the live wire BUSINESS MEN and the EMPLOYEES enlist. THEY'RE needed.

Let the town CRANKS, the town KICKERS and the town SCOFFERS enlist. THEY'RE needed.

Let the SCHOOL TEACHERS and the SCHOOL CHILDREN enlist. THEY'RE needed.

Let the MINISTER and the CHURCH AIDS enlist. THEY'RE needed.

Let ALL faithful citizens of EVERY KIND enlist. They're ALL needed.

ENLIST, friends, to fight civic CARELESSNESS, civic WASTE, civic LAZINESS.

ENLIST to make this town BIGGER and MORE PROSPEROUS, to keep our MONEY here, to bring NEW BLOOD in and NEW ENTERPRISES, to put a PUNCH into our home place NEVER KNOWN BEFORE.

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I have just received a Carload of

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Local Items

Bring us the news.

For Dr. G. H. Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

One of the big things to be had at the Fourth of July Celebration at Holt will be a wrestling match between Harry Norlund, of Lancaster, and Ludwig Monson, of Holt. This promises to be one of the best matches ever pulled off in this part of the country as Mr. Norlund has thrown all comers in his class and Mr. Monson is in the best of trim ready to pin him to the mat two out of three.

Oscar Knudson, of Randen, is spending a few days in the city.

A very fine sample of alfalfa was brought to the office of the Holt Realty Co., this week, by Nils Engebretson, and which he raised on his own place, near town. This is excellent proof that alfalfa can be grown to great advantage in this part of Marshall county.

Begin now, and plan to spend the 4th of July in Holt.

Ole J. Moen, of East Valley, enjoyed a visit from his nephew last week, who is employed as a policeman in Minneapolis.

Axel Nelson, Hans Stensrud and Svenke Svenkeson are in the city this week enjoying a short vacation after several weeks of tilling and seeding a portion of that rich Mud Lake soil.

FOR SALE—A Gaar-Scott separator, 28x40, complete with blower, feeder and stacker. Used ten days. [illegible]

P. A. Risberg and family are again at home after several weeks' stay on their farm in East Valley.

O. J. Backlund is the purchaser of a brand new "Ford."

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pederson, of Jasper, Minn., were visitors at the C. H. Gunheim home this week.

Miss Anna Iverson, of Golden Valley, was a caller in this city this week.

B. L. Backe, A. H. Huseth, and Adolf Sollom made an auto trip to Theo. Sollom's claim east of Thief River Falls, last Friday, and were accompanied by Theo. on their return. On their way home when out of Thief River Falls a short ways, they were run into by another car belonging to Arnold Bjerkhoel, of that city, damaging Mr. Backe's car very badly. Fortunately no one was injured.

L. S. Kolden and family, of Nielsville, were visitors in this city last week.

P. A. Von Wold, of Thief River Falls, was a caller in this city last Monday. Mr Von Wold will take a trip to Canada this week to look over the country with the view of taking a homestead.

Mrs. H. Poppenhagen and children of Thief River Falls, are visitors at P. O. Reierson's this week.

Mrs. Arne Moe arrived from N. D. this week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

West Center Dance Company held their dance at Otto Johnson's place last Saturday night. All reported a good time.

The 4th of July Celebration at Holt this year will be a dandy.

Miss Martha Mortenson, of Warren, is a visitor at the B. L. Backe home this week.

C. L. Heinze brought in a fine sample of "Red Top" raised on his farm near town. See the display window of the Holt Realty Co.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and E. M. Silbaugh autoed to T. R. Falls last Wednesday.

Mr. & Mrs. John Alkenbrack, Mr. Culver and P. L. Anderson attended the dance at Newfolden last Saturday night, going over in Mr. Anderson's car.

In Church Circles.

The Free Mission Young People's Society will meet at B. L. Backe's residence Sunday, June 28th. Everybody welcome.

The Ladies Aid of Free Church, T. R. Falls, R. F. D. 2, will have a picnic for the benefit of the Norwegian school at Soren Moe's place the Fourth of July. Program starts at 10 o'clock A. M. Everybody come.

Wedding Bells.

Announcements are out of the marriage of Martin Olson, of Holt, to Petra Storholm, on July 21st, 1914, at the home of the bride, in Crookston, Minn.

The bridegroom is one of our popular young men, and the bride is also well known here, having resided at Holt for the past year, with her sister, Mrs. Sam Mickelson. They will be at home after July 1, 1914, 206 Nelson St., Crookston, Minn. They have our best wishes for a bright and happy future.

Special School Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting in School District No. 35 in Marshall County, Minnesota, will be held at the School House on the 27th day of June, 1914, at 7:30 o'clock, p. m., for the following purposes:

To decide on moving the school site to south of the Creamery, moving the old building or build a new two room School Building, to be either consolidated or semi-graded and rebond the district for $4,000.00 for the purpose of either build or repair.

Dated this 17th day of June, 1914.

D. Payne, District Clerk.

A Jolly Outing.

Five auto loads of jolly Holt people made a trip to Warren last Sunday, by way of Newfolden and Argyle. They left at 10 o'clock in the morning and arrived at Argyle at noon where a rest was taken and an attack made on the well filled lunch baskets and a delicious lunch was partaken of by the merrymakers. The journey was then continued on towards Warren. When out of Argyle a few miles they witnessed an accident which might have resulted in the loss of life, when a Ford car, driven by a party altogether to much under the influence of "firewater" was trying to cut the figure "8" around some of the Holt cars, and finally completely upsetting into the ditch and smashing the car very badly. As luck would have it no one was injured, except for being badly shaken up.

The journey was continued and Warren was reached about 3:30 in the afternoon, where a stop of about one hour was made, visiting the park and other places of amusement. They also paid a visit to the hospital where Norman Newton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newton, of Holt, is confined with blood poisoning of the leg, and who they found quite improved.

About 4:30 they started on their return trip arriving home about 7 o'clock in the evening. The trip was made without a mishap and was thoroughly enjoyed by all concerned. Among those making the trip were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Silbaugh, Earnest Silbaugh, Arvid Carlson, Tony Carlson, Misses Clara and Belle Sollom, Mrs. A. H. Huseth Miss Lola Huseth, Percy Huseth, Guy Anderson, P. L. Anderson, Peter and Clarence Kolden, Clarence Docken, H. J. Oien, Carl Newton, O. J. Backlund, Theo. Sollom, L. Jensen, Racine Olson and Miss Esther Mickelson.

DERIGIBLE AND AEROPLANE COLLIDE IN AIR.

Aeroplane Rams Great Austrian Army Balloon in Sham Attack

Nine aviators lost their lives on June 20th, when a mimic war in the air was suddenly turned into tragic reality by the accidental ripping of a dirigible airship by a biplane, while both were flying at a great height during the Austrian army maneuvers at Vienna.

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MINE DEATH LIST 205; FEW RESCUED

182 STILL ENTOMBED IN ALBERTA COLLIERY WHERE GREAT BLAST WRECKED MINE.

LARGE RESCUE FORCE BUSY

Twenty Taken Out Alive, However—Mine Superintendent Among the Unfortunate Men Underground.

Hillcrest, Alta., June 22.—The probable death list in the Hillcrest colliery explosion is officially placed at 205.

About 225 men entered the mine as the day shift, 20 were rescued alive and 23 bodies have been taken out, leaving 182 still entombed and probably dead.

A Mighty Explosion.

Lethbridge, Alta.—A mighty explosion, coming without a moment's warning, entombed 250 miners employed in Mine No. 20 of the Hillcrest Collieries, Ltd. Of the 43 rescued, only 20 were living. Despite the efforts of the two score mine experts laboring amid the death dealing gases and debris, hope of rescuing alive the 182 men yet in the mine is past.

At dusk silent groups of white-faced wives and mothers stood at the mouth of the mine, which had been closed by the explosion, still hopeful that the moans for help that issued from the inner workings earlier, might be repeated and aid the scientifically equipped experts in their efforts at rescue. As the night wore on, many of the women, their heads bowed, turned sadly homeward, their action expressing the general feeling that hope was lost.

Blast Shook Country.

The explosion shook the countryside for miles around, lifed the roofs from many miners' cabins and demolished numerous small buildings. A moment after the explosion a score of panic-stricken surface workers rushed from the mine, followed by a dense cloud of smoke and poisonous fumes.

Appeals for help were dispatched to many towns and in the meantime residents organized an emergency crew and turned feeble and ineffective efforts toward the work of rescue.

When the first rescue crew arrived a large force of men set about to clear the shaft, turning desperately from one point to another as the moans of the enfeebled men came feebly from the bowels of the mine. The moans became fainter and fainter and finally ceased. Thousands of tons of rock have fallen into the mine and it is feared that the men even had they escaped death from the poisonous fumes, probably were crushed to death by the falling debris.

No Cause Ascertained.

No information as to what caused the explosion has been given, but it is generally believed it was due to the forming of gases.

Thomas Quigley, superintendent of the mine, is among those entombed.

Two trains filled with expert mine workers, doctors, nurses and officials of railways arrived at the scene of the disaster and the work of rescue was begun in a systematic manner. As the experts entered the mine they found, jumbled in a chaotic mass, horses, timbers, wagons and mining paraphernalia, the scene being indicative of the force of the explosion.

Fire broke out soon after the explosion but almost immediately died out, although the gas fumes made it impossible for the men to work effectively for several hours. The explosion tore out both ends of the pit and incidentally blocked up the interior of the workings.

Most of the miners were working about 400 feet inside the mine.

A majority of the men are foreign-born, but a large number of them were English speaking.

Hillcrest a Productive Mine.

Winnipeg, Man.—The Hillcrest mine is a well known and very productive colliery. It is situated on the Crows Nest branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway, 193 miles west of Medicine Hat and is one of that group of mines which have been worked for the past ten or fifteen years and which include Frank, Blairmore, Coleman and Lundbrek. It is two miles from Frank and three from Blairmore.

200 Trapped in Belgium Mine.

Liege, Belgium, June 20.—Two hundred coal miners were entombed in the Vieille Marihaye colliery near here, when fire broke out today. Two hundred of their comrades escaped when the alarm was given. The fire was still raging late today and every effort was still being made to rescue the miners left in the pits.

Business Reported Good.

Washington, June 20.—Business conditions and their effect on the administration trust program were taken up at the cabinet meeting, Secretary Redfield of the department of commerce told the president reports received from many sources indicated that business was unusually good for this time of the year and that prospects were that it would grow better. The president was much encouraged by the reports and it was said his determination to push the trust bills had been strengthened.

WARSHIPS PROTECTING ALBANIAN CAPITAL

View of the harbor of Durazzo, Albania, with Austrian and Italian warships ready to go into action against the insurgents who are trying to depose Prince William of Wied, their new ruler.

LAUNCH CAPSIZES; 12 DROWN

BUT SEVEN SAVED AFTER OSWEGO CANAL ACCIDENT.

Boat Hits Stump as It Is Returning Loaded With Picnickers—Women and Children Die.

Syracuse, N. Y., June 22.—Twelve persons, most of them women and children, were drowned in the Oswego canal when a launch upon which they were riding struck a submerged log and capsized.

The dead are: Mrs. George H. Adams, 26, Syracuse; three girl children of Mrs. Adams, 1, 4 and 5 years old; Mrs. Harry Welsh, 25, Syracuse; Katherine Welsh, aged 1 year; John Mogg, 38, Syracuse; Florence Dainer, 12, Syracuse; Earl Dainer, 10; Charles Shultz, 22, Syracuse; Miss Mabel Tibbets, 26, Syracuse; Howard Crane, aged 3, Liverpool.

The disaster occurred south of Mud lock, near Onondaga lake, in an isolated section in the environs of Syracuse. There were 19 passengers on the little vessel and seven of these reached the canal bank safely. They were on their way home after a day spent at the lake resorts.

It was 10:30 o'clock, just 10 minutes after the launch had left the lock, when the craft capsized. Lewis Dainer, owner and navigator of the launch, said rescue work was made extremely difficult by the intense darkness.

"I had just started on my journey and was less than a quarter of a mile from the lock when the launch struck a stump," he said. "Before I knew what had happened the boat tipped over.

"I had life preservers aboard, but there was no chance to use them. There was no opportunity to rescue the women or children. It was every one for himself in the darkness."

For seven years the launch had been plying between the two points on the canal. It was a 25-foot craft.

HINDUS CONTROL JAP SHIP

Denied Admission Into Canada 376 Immigrants Mutiny—Crew Helpless.

Vancouver, B. C., June 22.—Captain Yamoto of the Japanese steamer Komagata Maru, which brought 376 Hindus to Vancouver and whose vessel with all its passengers aboard is still anchored in the Harbor, will confer with officers of two visiting Japanese warships, Asama and Adzuma.

It is planned by owners of the Komagata Maru to place a guard of white men aboard the steamship and tow her out beyond the three-mile limit off the British Columbia coast. Outside territorial waters, it is expected the Japanese cruisers will provide an armed guard to assist the crew in taking the vessel back across the Pacific.

At present the Hindus, who have been denied admission to Canada, are in absoute control of the ship and the 30 members of the crew can do nothing with them.

They will not allow the boiler room crew to get up steam and declare they will fight rather than allow the anchor to be raised.

Norwegian Bark Is Burned.

Gulf Port, Miss., June 22.—Loss at sea of the Norwegian bark Ingebjorg, which sailed from this port for Rosario, Argentina, two months ago, has been reported here. The storm-battered vessel was set on fire after Captain Hansen and the crew had been taken off by the British steamer Hawkhead, westbound for San Francisco.

Lassen Again Active.

San Francisco, June 22. — Another eruption of Mount Lassen is reported here. It was said to have features distinguishing it from other disturbances which have occurred every few days this month.

Big Excursion Boat Sinks.

St. Louis, June 22.—The river steamer Majestic, the largest excursion boat on the Mississippi river, struck the cribbing of a waterworks tower near here and sank in ten minutes. Of the thirty-three persons on board at the time of the accident, only one is unaccounted for. The collision occurred Saturday. The steamer, an hour before, had discharged 900 excursionists at Alton, Ill., and was headed down stream for St. Louis, twenty-seven miles below.

FIFTEEN GENERALS SIDE WITH VILLA

SIGN NOTE RENOUNCING CARRANZA AS "FIRST CHIEF" OF REBELS.

BREACH IS NOT YET HEALED

Reported Settlement Denied by Late Arrivals From Constitutionalist Cities—Cause May Be Injured as Result.

Larendo, Tex., June 22. — Fifteen generals of the Constitutionalist army, commanding a combined force estimated at 30,000 men renounced General Carranza as "first chief" of the Constitutionalists' movement in a note sent to his headquarters at the time General Villa resigned. Villa, however, did not sign the communication. This and other details, suppressed by a rigid censorship at Saltillo became known at the border with the arrival of travelers from Saltillo and Monterey.

Subject Only to Villa.

The communication, it was authoritatively said, informed the man who has been the leader of the Constitutionalist movement since its inception that the generals would continue to fight against Huerta, but would hold themselves subject only to General Villa's orders and would not recognize Carranza.

Before the travelers left Saltillo the breach had not been healed by the compromises since announced and leaders in the Constitutionalist movement, fearing disintegration of the force which they had built up had summoned every available man of influence to bring the factions together.

Some doubt of the effect of the dissension on the course of the Constitutionalist movement was expressed by men closely in touch with revolutionary affairs in Northern Mexico, even though the breach apparently is healed and both sides have agreed to continue against a common enemy.

The plan of Guadaloupe, on which the Constitutionalist campaigns have been based, provides that the first chief of the Constitutionalist army shall remain at the head of the movement as provisional president after Huerta has been eliminated and until an election has been held and the result voiced. Hitherto Carranza has been undisputed first chief.

To Ignore Incident.

What effect on the future of the movement the fact that the commanding officers of the largest and most powerful single unit of that army have denied him that title and authority will have cannot yet be learned, according to the travelers. They said the Carranza forces apparently planned to go ahead as though the incident never had happened.

Pablo Gonzales, it is said, will attack San Luis Potosi immediately while Villa is taking Zacatecas and then move southward according to the original plan with Villa advancing from the center and Obregon from the west.

Eagle Pass.—The naming of a Constitutionalist cabinet by General Carranza is eagerly awaited by Constitutionalists as a possible means of healing the breach between General Carranza and General Villa, according Monterey. There was a general impression at those points, according to the travelers, that General Carranza would name his official family within two or three days.

A hurried call, it is said, has been sent out from Carranza's headquarters for representative men, thoroughly conversant with the undercurrent of Constitutionalist politics, to come to Saltillo to confer concerning cabinet choices. It is well known, according to border arrivals, that considerable opposition has arisen on the part of Villa and his friends to certain men close to Carranza.

Russian Lawyers Sentenced.

St. Petersburg, June 22.—The trial of 25 lawyers on a charge of insulting the ministry of justice during the trial of Mendel Beiliss ended in the conviction of all the defendants. M. Sokoloff and M. Kereuski were sentenced to eight months imprisonment and the others to six months each. At the trial of Beiliss the lawyers alleged the ministry of justice and the court were inspired by racial and national enmity. The sentences imposed on the lawyers deprives them of their political rights.

SHANGHAIED; LOSES IDENTITY

SAILOR DRUGGED IN JAPAN AND SENT TO U. S. AS FORGER.

Thrust in Irons and Incarcerated in San Quentin for Crime He Knows Nothing About.

San Francisco, June 20. — Shanghaied on the waterfront of Nagasaki, in faraway Japan, carried in irons across the Pacific on the United States army transport Sheridan and thrust into San Quentin penitentiary to serve three years under a name he could not pronounce and for a crime he never had heard of Albert Johansen, a roundeyed, puzzled Scandinavian sailor, has been given his liberty by the United States circuit court with the cordial concurrence of the United States attorney and the warden of San Quentin.

On June 27 he must appear again for the return of a writ of habeas corpus application which was filed in his behalf but in the meantime he is free without bail.

The prisoner said he was drinking one night last month in a waterfront saloon at Nagasaki. Three strangers offered to stand him a treat. He accepted. The next morning he found himself at sea, a prisoner on the army transport Sheridan. No one understood him when he tried to make himself understood and he was duly delivered at San Quentin as James Rogers, alias Peter Grimes, to serve three years for a sentence imposed by the treaty court at Shanghai, for a forgery. His cell mate chanced to be a fellow countryman and through him he got a hearing.

Thursday Johansen was given the album of prison portraits and asked if he could find anybody in it he remembered. As soon as he came on Rogers' portrait he said:

"That's one of the men I drank with in Nagasaki."

The real Rogers served a year in San Quentin for forgery. When released he won the interest of Captain Robert Dollar, a leading merchant of San Francisco in the China trade, who sent him to China in a clerical position on one of his vessels. Soon Rogers was posing as Captain Dollar's son. He began to pass bad checks, was caught and convicted, and sentenced to three years in San Quentin. An officer of the court was to have taken him to Nagasaki where he was turned over to the Sheridan.

The belief of federal officials is that Rogers got his guardian drunk, slipped a stupifying drug into Johansen's drink and personally delivered him late at night on board the Sheridan, turning over to a petty officer of the ship the papers he had stolen from the drunken deputy and receiving in person the acknowledgement for his own delivery.

INSANITY IS ON INCREASE

Number of Demented to 100,000 Trebled in United States Within Forty Years.

New York, June 22.—Dr. A. J. Ransanoff of Kings Park hospital for the insane, in a paper read at the second annual conference of the Eugenics Research association at the Columbia university, asserted that the number of insane persons in the institutions of the United States has nearly trebled during the last 40 years.

The average per 100,000, according to Dr. Rasanoff's figures, has increased from 86.5 to 232. The most fortunate state, the physician said, was Oklahoma, in which only 67 per 100,000 of the total population are in the insane category. Massachusetts, he asserted, is in the worst condition, having 413.4 per 100,000.

Belgian Miners Rescued.

Liege, Belgium, June 20.—Two hundred coal miners had a narrow escape from death in the Vielle Marihaye colliery near here when fire broke out and penned them inside for several hours.

To Postpone Elections.

Mexico City, June 22.—The minister of the interior presented to the chamber of deputies at its session preliminary to the opening of the extraordinary session of congress a bill calling for the postponement of the presidential election, which it was intended to hold the first Sunday in July. The reason given by the minister of the interior for his proposed action is that no elections could take place before the termination of the peace negotiations at Niagara Falls.

MEDIATORS CHANGE COURSE OF ACTION

NEW PLAN DEVISED AT NIAGARA FALLS ENCOURAGES ALL.

REBELS MAY BE CONSULTED

Will Probably Confer With American Delegates Informally Without Necessity of An Armistice.

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 23.—The mediators have proposed a new course of action which not only will prolong the proceedings, but may eventually work out a solution of the Mexican problem.

Plan Closely Guarded.

The nature of the plan which is designed to prevent the deadlock between the American and Mexican delegates, from abruptly ending the conference has been more closely guarded than anything which has transpired at the conferences.

It has become known, however, that another effort is being made to bring the Constitutionalists into close touch with the purposes of mediation without formally admitting them.

The suggestion contemplates separate conferences between the American delegates and representatives of the Constitutionalists. Justice Lamar and Frederick W. Lehmann would continue their dealings with Huerta delegates through the mediation board.

No Armistice Necessary.

In this way all elements in the Mexican situation would be drawn together and there would be no necessity for the declaration of an armistice until some agreement was reached and approved by the Constitutionalists.

The plan was said to be a result of the visit of Minister Naon of Argentina to Washington, where President Wilson is understood to have emphasized the written statement of Justice Lamar that any agreement reached by the mediation board, which was not approved by the Constitutionalists would be a "paper agreement," and would not accomplish the sole purpose of the United States, which is the pacification of Mexico.

It is reported that the Washington government already has extended an invitation to General Carranza to send his representatives to Niagara Falls, N. Y., to confer with the American delegates, but confirmation is lacking.

Mediators Are Silent.

Beyond saying that a definite step has been taken, which has raised their hope the mediators are silent.

It is also said that the three diplomats have revised their original plan for the pacification of Mexico, which had been approved by the Mexicans, but which was objected to in part by the American delegates.

Optimism prevails generally in American quarters while Dr. Naon reiterates that he has a feeling of genuine hopefulness.

There is a general impression that if Constitutionalist representatives are to be received by the American delegates, the discussion of names may be taken up anew, the generalities about types being abandoned for actual consideration of individuals.

91 BODIES ARE RECOVERED

Jury Views Dead Miners at Hillcrest, Alta., and Adjourns Till July.

Hillcrest, Alta, June 23.—Although a large force of workmen continue clearing away the debris in Mine No. 20, Hillcrest Colliers, Ltd., where 195 miners were entombed by an explosion, no additional bodies have been recovered.

Ninety-one bodies, according to corrected figures have been removed. Hope of rescuing alive any of the 104 miners still in the mine, has been abandoned completely.

The jury summoned by Coroner Proctor viewed the bodies of victims and then adjourned the inquest until early in July.

A number of dead were buried Sunday. The scarcity of coffins here made necessary the ordering of a supply from Winnipeg.

Effort to Settle Strike.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 23.—A committee of the 12,000 strikers of the Westinghouse industries held a conference with H. T. Herr, vice president of the Westinghouse Machine company, in an effort to settle the trouble at that plant.

Crew of Lost Ship Arrive.

Ports Eads, La., June 23.—Captain Charles Lawrence and a crew of 12 of the schooner J. R. Allison, which foundered at sea Monday, June 15, were brought here on the pilot boat Jennie Wilson.

Exports of Gold Large.

New York, June 22.—The crest of the greatest gold movement in recent years was believed to have been reached when gold exports from the United States to Europe since Jan. 1 reached an approximate total of $75,000,000. The last of an unprecedented government consignment of $43,000,000 in gold was placed today in the New York subtreasury. New York bankers were notified that beginning today, $5,000,000 of this $43,000,000 will be available daily.

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MONARCH'S ACT SURPRISES

Old Lady Thought It Undignified That British Monarch Should Blow His Own Nose.

When King George of Great Britain came to the throne there were wild rumors that he took so little interest in horse-racing that the turf would suffer. This year, however, his majesty has attended a number of the big race meetings.

One recalls the story told of an earlier royal visit to Doncaster. An old Yorkshire woman had gone on the course for the sole purpose of seeing royalty, and she called out excitedly: "Which is the king? Which is the king?"

"There he is," said some one near. "That's him with the handkerchief in his hand."

"Ah!" gasped the old lady, a touch of reverent awe in her tone.

Just then his majesty, who had a cold in the head, performed a commonplace little operation.

"Goodness me!" the old lady exclaimed aghast. "He—he blows his own nose!"

ERUPTION DISFIGURED FACE

Lock Box 35, Maurice, Ia.—"In the spring of 1911 our little daughter, age five years, had a breaking out on her lip and part of her cheek that we took for ringworm. It resembled a large ringworm, only it differed in that it was covered with watery blisters that itched and burned terribly, made worse by her scratching it. Then the blisters would break through and let out a watery substance. She was very cross and fretful while she had it and had very little rest at night. When the eruption was at its worst the teacher of the school sent her home and would not allow her to attend until the disfigurement of her face was gone.

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Everything Lacking.

Personally we have met some men who, if weighed in the balance, would be found wanting everything, including the balance.—Galveston News.

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BUSINESS AND THE TARIFF

Secretary McAdoo Tells a Little Story to Illustrate What He Thinks Effect Will Be.

Since both the tariff and the currency bills came within the scope of the treasury department, it is natural that newspaper men should go there to query the chiefs with questions about their probable effect on business.

"Boys," said Secretary McAdoo recently, "there's nothing to it. The country has been subjected to revisions before, and always has survived them successfully. Generally speaking, the attitude of business is of receptive indifference toward the changes that have been made, because business men have made up their minds not to let such things interfere with their business. It is just like Freddy. Do you know about him?

"One day Freddy's mother said: 'Freddy, if you are not a good boy tonight you'll go to bed without your dinner.'

"'Ma,' shouted businesslike Freddy, 'what we goin' to have for dinner?'"—The Sunday Magazine.

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Recompense.

The Nomad chieftain gloomily contemplated the dreary Syrian landscape.

The wedding guests were long departed. He had but a moment since beheld his bride of a few hours remove her teeth and put them in a cup of water to soak.

"Dismiss from thy heart, good my lord," the damsel murmured, "thy vain regrets."

Upon the word the pious Moslem extended his clasped hands toward the heavens.

"Allah be praised!" he cried. "If I mistake not, her old man must ere this have discovered that the horse I gave him in exchange for his daughter is balky."

Tears of joy welled unheeded from his eyes as he gave thanks.

No More.

Mrs. Nelson O'Shaughnessy's daring presence at the wedding of Huerta's son is only another proof of a brave woman's pluck.

Mrs. O'Shaughnessy, at the Colony club in New York, derided one day the idea that woman was weak, or cowardly, or that she need ever play a limited part in the world's affairs.

"Well," said a lady of the old school, "I know one thing woman can't do. She can't reform a man after marriage."

"No?" Mrs. O'Shaughnessy said. "No? And yet I know many a married man who in his bachelor days smoked 25-cent cigars."

A Gentle Hint.

She—I wonder why the press, of all human enterprises, is so uniformly successful?

He—If you notice one working, you will see that they are always feeding it.

Grandmother Didn't Know

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State News of General Interest

STATE IS CLEARING LAND FOR SETTLERS

TRACT WILL BE PUT ON MARKET WHEN READY FOR PLOW.

BEING DONE AS EXPERIMENT

Actual Cost Will Be Kept and Data Compiled—Hoped Plan Will Aid in Settlement of Timber Land.

Grand Rapids.—The land department of the state auditors office is employing a crew of men in clearing 20 acres on three different forties about nine miles to the southeast of this town. The land is at the eastern end of Pokegama lake and will be placed on the market.

Keep Actual Cost.

The work is in charge of Superintendent A. J. McGuire of the Northeast experiment station, who is keeping account of the actual cost and will embody his findings in a report in order that farmers generally may form an idea of the expense involved in this kind of work. A power stump-puller, teams and dynamite are being used and the cost of each noted.

Last year one forty was thus reclaimed by the state. In this instance it was found that the increase in the cost of the land amounted to $17.50 an acre, the tract bringing $22.50 when sold, $5 being the appraised price of the land itself without improvements. The tracts being cleared now are so situated that a purchaser may secure eighty acres adjoining the cleared portion, and this, according to Mr. McGuire, is as much as any man should attempt to farm.

Gives Buyer Cleared Price.

These reclaimed pieces are sold to the highest bidder under the same conditions that wild lands are acquired. It is believed here the system will do more to settle the northern part of the state than anything heretofore attempted. It gives a man with a family a sizable piece of prepared ground upon which to begin raising crops for the maintenance of his family and stock.

ODD FELLOWS MAKE PLANS

Decide to Visit Minneapolis for Annual Encampment and Grand Lodge in 1915.

Northfield.—Minneapolis will entertain the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Minnesota at their annual encampment and grand lodge next year, according to a decision reached here. With the largest and most flourishing camps and lodges of the order in Minneapolis, the universal sentiment of the delegates favored the Mill City.

Reports from the several institutions owned by the Odd Fellows and other general business for the good of the order occupied the attention of the grand lodge. A closing session saw the installation of officers elected last winter as the last feature of an eventful three days' convention.

Among the grand lodge delegates were Mayor Wallace G. Nye of Minneapolis and Mayor Winn Powers of St. Paul, and Rev. Thomas Neville, deputy grandmaster of the province of Manitoba.

The Rebekah assembly received reports of committees and proceeded to the election of officers before adjournment. The annual memorial ceremony was held for past noble grands who have died the present year.

An honor guest of the Rebekahs was Mrs. Hattie Borland of Madison, S. D., grand secretary of the Rebekah assembly of South Dakota.

HALF OF WHEAT OF NATION

11,506,000 Bushels of 1913 Crop Lie in Minneapolis Storehouses.

Minneapolis.—Minneapolis holds in the great terminal elevators that fringe the city almost half of the visible supply of wheat in the United States. To be exact, the 11,506,000 bushels in store here is 48.71 per cent of the total amount of the 1913 harvest in the country.

Duluth, the other great spring wheat primary market, has 11.46 per cent of the 23,412,000 bushels in sight, making the total holdings of the Northwestern terminal elevators 60.17 per cent of the wheat available at the present time for consumption.

Exonerated for Killing Husband.

Hibbing.—Mrs. Augustus Boyaski, who resides at Aurora, was found not guilty after a deliberation of three hours by the jury. She was charged with the murder of her husband on the night of May 31. She claimed that she had been attacked by her husband and that in wrestling the gun from him, she had killed him. She gave herself up to the authorities and was taken to the Duluth jail. Trial lasted by three days, her plea of self-defense convincing the jurors.

AGED MINNESOTAN GIVES RULES FOR LONGEVITY

Hastings.—John Morey, an 1856 pioneer of Minnesota, has a philosophy of life which has carried him along in health and contentment for eighty-nine years and which he believes assures him of strength and happiness for many years to come. At the recent celebration of his natal day he counseled his friends to:

Sleep eight hours in every twenty-four.

Eat when hungry.

Abstain from intoxicants.

And not to worry.

Mr. Morey was born May 22, 1825, at Mount Bethel, Pa. In 1856 he came to Minnesota and built the first house in the Cottage Grove country. He has never been sick and still reads ordinary print without glasses. He believes in equal suffrage and says it will soon be here.

UNITED OPPOSITION DID IT

Defeat of Eberhart Due to That As He Got 20,000 More Votes Than Two Years Ago.

St. Paul.—While Governor Eberhart did much better this year as a vote getter than he did at the first state primary on September 17, 1912, he was defeated because he was opposed by one man instead of having the opposition split five ways, as it was two years ago.

In that campaign the Eberhart primary vote was 62,402, while William E. Lee, successful this year, got 40,571; Edward T. Young had 30,208; L. C. Spooner, 12,233; S. Y. Gordon, 11,927, and M. F. Falk, 6,536. The opposition totaled 101,865.

It was one of Lee's campaign arguments that two years ago the Governor was a minority candidate, and he tried to show that had the opposition been united the executive would have been snowed under. He said that with but one man in the field this year, it would work out that way, and his contention seems to have been correct.

Governor Eberhart, however, made a gain of about 20,000 over his vote two years ago, but there were more votes cast for the Republican ticket this year, the total, it is estimated, being somewhere near 175,000. This is accounted for by the fact that although the vote, generally speaking, was light, the minority parties, not having any contests, got their candidates on the ticket for the fall election without the formality of having a primary ballot under the new law and members voted the Republican ticket.

Irving A. Caswell, clerk of the Supreme Court, will have the honor of leading the ticket this year. His majority over G. D. McCubrey will approximate 60,000.

800 ENDEAVORERS ATTEND

State Convention Draws Four Hundred Delegates From Twin Cities Alone at Hastings.

Hastings.—Delegates from all parts of Minnesota gathered here to attend the Christian Endeavor union convention. About 400 delegates attended from the Twin Cities, arriving on the steamer Hiawatha.

The convention was opened formally with an address by Rev. John Pollock of Belfast, Ireland, president of the European Christian Endeavor union. His subject was "Grow," taken from the third chapter of St. John, thirtieth verse. "He must increase, but I must increase."

About 800 persons, in all, attended the sessions.

Rochester to Stage Big Rally.

Winona.—The Southern Minnesota Better Development league, the Commercial club of Rochester and the farmers' clubs of Olmsted county have become jointly responsible for the success of the midsummer meeting of the development league and the annual picnic of the farmers of Olmsted county, and the first annual picnic dinner of the people of Rochester at Mayo park, Rochester, on June 25. The development league meeting is for the counties of Wabasha, Dodge, Winona, Houston, Olmsted, Fillmore and Mower.

Mattson Chosen President.

Brainerd.—The Lutheran Free Churches of America, in convention here, elected officers as follows: President, Rev. John Mattson, Ellendale, Minn.; vice president, Rev. E. Berlie, Dalton, Minn.; secretary, Rev. E. Berntsen, Fargo, N. D. The constitution was revised to permit the reelection of the president of a standing committee.

Dentists Meet and Elect.

Rochester.—The annual meeting of the first district association of the Minnesota State Dental society was held in this city. "Local Anesthesia" was the principal theme for discussion, Dr. W. H. McNeil of Minneapolis making an address on the subject. The following officers were elected: B. A. Herrick, Red Wing, president; A. A. Thorson, Rochester, vice president; C. G. Giltam, Austin, secretary; A. P. Cox, Faribault, treasurer; B. Featherstone, Red Wing, delegate to the state society.

RUN STOLEN AUTO INTO DITCH

Two Escaped Jail-Breakers Captured by Posse After Mishap to Car.

Fergus Falls.—Clarence Bolden, James Murphy and William Paul were brought over from Bluffton and placed in the county jail here on the charge of having stolen an automobile from the livery barn of Henry Stootz there.

The trio were first arrested at Staples last Saturday on complaint of a Northern Pacific detective, who accused them of entering cars and stealing carburetors and other valuable parts from automobiles in transit and selling the parts to city dealers.

While in jail there, they saw an ax lying on a desk a few feet from their cell door. Making a cord with some material from their bedding and fashioning a hook by bending a poker, they threw the hook with the cord attached through the bars, hooked the desk and drew it over until it was within reach, took hold of the ax, and in three minutes chopped their way through the door to liberty.

They took to the woods and swamps and made their way to Bluffton, entering that village in the dead of night. Feeling that automobile traveling would be an improvement on foot travel, they stole a machine from the barn, but had gone only a short distance when they ran into a ditch and were unable to get out. A posse was organized and they were surrounded and captured, and have been bound over.

NEW WARDEN FOR PRISON

St. Cloud Reformatory Head to Succeed Henry Wolfer at Stillwater.

St. Paul.—Charles S. Reed, superintendent of the St. Cloud reformatory, will become warden of the Minnesota state penitentiary at Stillwater November 1. Henry K. W. Scott, former warden of the New Hampshire state penitentiary at Concord, will become superintendent of the St. Cloud reformatory July 1.

The resignation of Henry Wolfer as warden of the prison at Stillwater has just reached the board of control.

The resulting changes elevate to the highest position in the penal institutions of the state, a man who in less than a year's service at St. Cloud has made a strong impression with the board; bring to Minnesota another who has a record of advanced reformatory methods, and retire on his own initiative, the man who is dean of all prison wardens of the United States.

Warden Wolfer some months ago told the board of control he would resign when the new state penitentiary was completed in detail. His formal retirement was not expected till 1915.

The new warden, Mr. Reed, will go to Stillwater, July 1, to familiarize himself with the institution. Mr. Scott leaves Concord for St. Cloud Monday.

MISSING HEIR IS DEMENTED

Fortune Would Have Reverted to State Shortly Had He Not Made His Appearance.

Rochester.—William Convay, for whom a small-sized fortune has been in the hands of the clerk of court for this county, and which would in a few weeks have reverted to the state of Minnesota if unclaimed, startled courthouse officials when he stepped into the courthouse building, apparently insane. Convay immediately was placed in custody to await an examination.

Convay was one of the heirs of a good-sized estate probated five years ago, but his whereabouts were unknown until he wandered into the courthouse. Five years ago a farm belonging to the estate was sold, and the money divided among the heirs, Convay's share amounting to $1,739.58, being turned over to the clerk of court to keep in trust until he was located.

Convay inquired for the county auditor, who was out at the time, but he continued his search in the building until he reached the judge of probate's office, where the actions of the man aroused suspicion, and he was placed in the charge of the sheriff, to whom he declared he was William Convay.

Windom Tangoes Over Success.

Windom.—The last three years of prosperity have started a building boom in Windom. The business portion of the town is developing. A $15,000 garage was dedicated by a benefit dance for the Windom band. All Windom tangoed. A new theater and Odd Fellows hall and many residences are under construction.

Counties to Build Sanatorium.

Pipestone.—A meeting of county commissioners from southwestern Minnesota was held here and further steps taken to arrange for the establishment of a joint county sanatorium in this corner of the state. Representatives of Lyon, Cottonwood, Nobles, Murray and Pipestone counties were present to confer with Dr. Robinson Bosworth of St. Paul, secretary of the state sanatorium commissioners. A permanent organization was perfected, H. F Seiter of Lyon county being named president.

THOUGHT HER A FOREIGNER

Mrs. Petrowsky Was Unused to Words Employed by Volunteer Social Worker.

The trained social worker was "breaking in" a volunteer, and so she escorted her on her first round of visits.

"Ask questions about their husbands and children," she prompted, outside of Mrs. Petrowsky's door. "They can understand those, and they like to answer, and we get the information we need at the same time."

So, as soon as the preliminaries were over, the volunteer turned to the lady of the house with her best society smile.

"Has your husband regular employment at present, Mrs. Petrowsky?" she inquired.

Mrs. Petrowsky looked blank. The volunteer raised her voice, and spoke more slowly:

"Has your—husband—regular—employment—at present?" she reiterated.

"Huh?" asked Mrs. Petrowsky, stupidly.

"Has—your—husband—" began the volunteer for the third time, still more loudly.

The social worker interrupted with a friendly smile. "The lady wants to know," she explained, quietly, "has your old man got a steady job?"

Mrs. Petrowsky beamed with delight. "Oh, ya! Oh, ya!" she assented, with many nods of relief. "Steady job by railroad, ya. What land she come off, her?"—Youth's Companion.

Sitting in the Dark.

"Moving pictures now, eh?" It used to be orchestra seats at $2 a throw."

"It isn't the money. They're at the stage now when they want to hold hands."—Kansas City Journal.

Paradoxical Labor.

"Where's the poet of the family?"

"Upstairs in his den, busy on an idyl theme."

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Don't Poison Baby.

FORTY YEARS AGO almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and a FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "*A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death.*" The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician know of what it is composed. CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

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Valuable Land in Egypt.

The presence in this country of Sir William Willcocks, of Assouan dam fame, and now engaged on the flood control of the Tigris-Euphrates river, is an event of more than ordinary significance, because of its bearing upon the question of the control of flood water, says the Wall Street Journal. The Nile valley irrigation works, according to Sir William, has enabled 11,000,000 people to live on 6,000,000 acres. Land, he says, in the vicinity of the Assouan dam is worth from $750 to $1,000 an acre, and they raise five hundredweight of cotton on it, which is worth $100. His view of our methods of controlling the Mississippi is of much value because of his experience in Asia and Africa. No foreigner has more studiously read the reports of our river and harbor engineers. His main suggestions are that the levees be made wider and that relief channels be provided to mitigate the strain when waters at their maximum might be carried off as a means of safety.

Nothing Left Behind.

"Are you afraid to go away and leave your windows unlocked?"

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Conditions of Crops Great

The latter part of June finds general crop conditions in the Minnesota Red river valley in the best condition since 1895. The grain all went into the ground under ideal conditions, the fields were in the best shape they had ever been as the result of better cultivation and a better prepared seed bed. Copious showers at intervals resulted in the grain sprouting in a wonderful manner and from the time the grain peeped through the ground the fields have resembled great lawns. The weather has been ideal, sufficiently cool at start to prevent too rank a growth resulting in a deep rooting.

The grain has stooled wonderfully and has covered the ground so thickly that a splendid crop is assured even if there should not be another drop of rainfall between now and harvest time. With just the average rainfall from this time on the grain crop will be a real "bumper."

But not only the small grain but the corn crop, potato crop, etc., are showing a magnificent growth. No where in the valley has there been too much rain, with the exception of a small area in Clay county which has damaged the potato crop in a portion of the townships quite seriously. However, some of the farmers planted their potatoes over again in this comparatively small district and as the farmers in that region are all wealthy, business conditions locally will not be affected. In the north half of Clay county and, in the east portion the crops are all excellent and throughout the entire valley there is at the present time the promises of one of the most bountiful crops in the past 20 years.

Most notable of all the crops this year is the luxurious standing of alfalfa and clover. The acreage is more than tubbed this year and the catch has been wonderful. The stand of alfalfa sown last year has attracted widespread attention and the acreage is now generally scattered as it is on many farms in every township. In the ten counties, the alfalfa will in the future be regarded as one of the very important and successful crops of the Minnesota Red river valley, share equally in the attention which has been paid to corn the past few years, which is now going to be regarded as a staple crop.

Increased business activities is noted all along the line and the inquiries for valley land from the substantial farmers of Iowa, Indiana, Illinois and other corn states was never so brisk as the present time with the promises of more high class farmers locating in this section this year than for many years past.

The Making and Feeding of Silage.

Silage during the last three decades has come into general use throughout the United States, especially in those regions where the dairy industry has reached its greatest development. Silage is universally recognized as a good and cheap feed for farm stock, and particularly so for cattle and sheep, are the observations made in Farmers' Bulletin 578.

Silage is the best and cheapest form in which a succulent feed can be provided for winter use, continues the bulletin. An acre of grain can be placed in the silo at a cost not exceeding that of shocking, husking, grinding, and shredding. Crops can be put in the silo during weather that can not be used in making hay or curing fodder, which is an important consideration in some localities.

A given amount of corn in the form of silage will produce more milk than the same amount when shocked and dried. There is less waste in feeding silage than in feeding fodder. Good silage properly fed is all consumed, and in addition very palatable. Like other succulent feeds it has a benefical effect upon the digestive organs, and some stock can be kept on a given area of land when it is the basis of the ration.

On account of the smaller cost for labor, silage can be used for supplementing pastures more economically than can soiling crops, unless only a small amount of supplementary feed is required. Converting the corn crop into silage clears the land sooner than if the corn crop is shocked and husked, and because of these advantages silage, in the general opinion of dairy farmers, has increased milk production per cow and has increased the profits per acre.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

Estate of Erick E. Nyberg. State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. in Probate Court. In the Matter of the Estate of Erick E. Nyberg, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Karin Nyberg, Ole Nyberg, Edward Nyberg, Bennet Nyberg, Dedrick Nyberg, Albertina Nyberg, Hilma Nyberg, Karl Nyberg, Tilda Nyberg, Elmer Nyberg, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of July, 1914, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 23rd day of June, 1914.

PETER H. HOLM, Probate Judge.

A. N. ECKSTROM, Attorney for Petitioner.

(Court Seal) Warren, Minn.

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32x4	18.00	3.30
33x4	19.50	3.40
34x4	20.40	3.60
35x4	21.00	3.80
36x4	22.00	3.90
35x4½	26.00	5.00
36x4½	27.00	5.10
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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. June 19, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that George C. Andersen, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on January 20th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05824, for E½ NW¼ E½ SW¼, Section 35, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 1st day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Nels Fosen, Albert C. Jahr, Olaus Rodahl, Anton Rodahl, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal,

Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 22, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John O Foss, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Nov. 7th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 08568, for SW¼, Section 33, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner For District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 30th. day of July, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Rudolph Jensen, of Germantown, Minn. Charles Rossman, of Germantown, Minn. Gunder Tveit, of Golden Valley, Minn. Ole B. Johnson, of Holt, Minn.

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GATZKE.

Rev. Jgerde and Mr. John Larson left recently for Norway, where they expect to spend the summer.

The dance given at J. B. Groby's last Saturday night was well attended and a jolly good time is reported by all.

John Narseth of Warren was here visiting his uncle, Halvor Narseth. He and Chester made a business trip to Grygla on Friday.

W. H. Hoag of Thief River came out to Rollis Tuesday to look over some proposed ditches which are to be done by team work.

Prof. R. R. Narseth of Dacora, was here last week to visit his brother, H. C. Narseth. They had not seen each other for twenty years.

Miss Pear Stuvrud and Mr. Richard Chapel of Lolma, Montana, were married at the bride's home one mile west of Gatzke last week. Rev. Jgerda officiating.

They left for their home in Montana soon after the ceremony.

J. H. Mundhenke is treating his buildings to a coat of paint these days. The School house is to receive the same treatment in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. and Oliver Skindrud were welcome callors at the E. E. Peelie home last Sunday.

There was a couple of deer in the vicinity of Section 12 last Thursday morning. If they had been "dears," the bachelors would of been out. If it had been in season I know one man who would have raised the old carbine.

There was a base ball game between the bachelors and the married men. Of course the bachelors won, but, just wait 'til the women get their "rights," we will show them.

Chas. Holmgren made a trip to Thief River Falls Friday, returning Saturday.

Edwin C. Johnson is building an addition to his house.

There will be a picnic at Tyson's the Fourth.

F. A. Gilbert is digging some ditches.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Olson are the proud parents of a fine girl, who arrived at their home last Monday.

GOLDEN VALLEY

Miss Rankins of Tennessee is visiting with the Melvin Olson family this week.

Chas. Parg, W. E. Patten and Mr. Erbe returned from Thief River Falls last Saturday.

The 4th of July Celebration at Holt this year will be a dandy.

The Latest Things In Machinery

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Local Items

Bring us the news.

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

A big crowd attended the Free Mission Young Peoples' Society at B. L. Backe's last Sunday.

C. W. Latta is building an addition to his office on Main street.

Tony Carlson made a quick trip to Minneapolis this week, to attend his brother's wedding.

Lydia Risberg returned from home last week, after several weeks stay in Thief River Falls.

Notice is hereby given that those who owe M. T. Strom for services as instructor in the religious school held in Holt, may pay same at Holt State Bank.

Mrs. Carl Anderson returned Tuesday from a visit at Minneapolis and other points.

P. A. Risberg made a business trip to Warren on Monday, returning the next day.

H. B. Young of Ionia, Iowa came Wednesday to look after business interests. Mr. Young expresses himself as being much pleased with the country and the people.

Begin now, and plan to spend the 4th of July in Holt.

To Study Road Conditions In 100 Counties.

Detailed studies of local road building systems in 100 counties are now being carried on by the department in cooperation with the State highway departments and local road authorities.

The purpose of this study is to discover the points of excellence and defects in existing local methods of building and maintaining roads which will aid the State authorities to put local road management on a systematized basis. The cooperating State authorities have been asked to designate counties that present typical and exceptional features as to topography, character of road materials, methods of construction and maintenance, administrative organization, methods of road financing, and traffic conditions. From these lists 100 counties will be selected, and in these counties the Division of Road Economies will make intensive studies.

This investigation is prompted by the fact that there is at present very little knowledge as to the most effective and economical methods by which a county can develop its roads. At present the methods of financing local road improvements vary from calling on farmers for a certain number of days' labor in lieu of a road tax, or the use of county prisoners in road construction, to bond issues or maintenance of roads from dramshop license funds.

The department will study all of these systems with the view to determining what system or combination of systems works best in actual practice.

There is, moreover, at present no standard system of keeping accounts for road building and maintenance and as a result, while some counties know to a penny the purpose for which money was spent, others have no definite check or reporting system. Among various counties with the same conditions cost for excavation or other labor is anything but uniform and many counties, because of the absence of definite knowledge, fail to use local and cheap materials, and construct roads which are unnecessarily expensive for their purpose, or which will wear out before the bond issues are redeemed. The investigation will include a careful study of the use of convict labor in road construction.

In connection with the scientific study, the department's highway engineers will advise freely with local officials as to improvements, and thus give each county visited the advantage of direct cooperation in engineering supervision and assistance.

In Church Circles.

Nazareth Ladies' Aid met at B. L. Backe's residence July 1st at 2 o'clock. A large crowd were in attendance. Mrs. B. L. Backe and Adolph Solum served.

There will be services in Holt Nazareth Lutheran Church Sunday July 5th at 10:45 a. m. and Ringbo St. Peters congregation at 3:30 p. m.

M. B. ORDAHL

Lutheran Pastor

One of the big things to be had at the Fourth of July Celebration at Holt will be a wrestling match between Harry Norlund, of Lancaster, and Ludwig Monson, of Holt. This promises to be one of the best matches ever pulled off in this part of the country as Mr. Norlund has thrown all comers in his class and Mr. Monson is in the best of trim ready to pin him to the mat two out of three.

Carlson-Surmo Nuptials.

Miss Alma Carlson and Carl Surmo were married last Thursday, June 25th, at the home of the bride in East Valley. The Rev. M. B. Ordahl officiated.

The bride wore a white silk dress and flowers. Misses Christine Saastad and Carrie Peterson were bridesmaids. The groom was attended by Willie Warner and Fred Peterson.

The bridal couple left the same day for a short wedding trip returning the following Saturday. They will make their future home on the grooms farm in East Valley.

Both the bride and bridegroom have resided here for the past years and have a large circle of friends who wish them unbounded future happiness and prosperity.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of May 1914.

Cream received	22,604 lbs
Average test	20.22
Butter fat	5,927.83 lbs
Percent overrun	22.89
Butter made	7,284 lbs
Balance on hand last month	01
Received for butter shipped	1651 04
Butter sold patrons	4 70
Cash sales at creamery	22 49
Total	$1,678 24
Paid patrons by check	1454 91
" " " Butter	4 70
Expense fund, etc.	195 61
To sinking fund	42 07
Balance on hand	95
Total	$1,678 24
Number of patrons	[illegible]
Price paid for butter fat,	24 1-2c

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary

FLOOD CAUSES GREAT DAMAGE

Months of Work Are Swept Away In Half Hour on Government Dam

(Hearst Special Service.)

Minneapolis, Minn., June 30. With the water rushing in a mighty torrent through the gap made by the washing away of a part of the coffer dam late yesterday and the Mississippi still rising, government engineers today were unable even to speculate as to the exact amount of damage done to the government high dam near the Soldiers' home, or how long it would take to replace the destroyed sections of the coffer dam, a temporary structure erected to protect the work on the permanent dam.

That the labor of [illegible] of many men had been swept away in a short 30 minutes, all were agreed, but Capt. George W. Freeman, the federal engineer in charge of the work, is still confident that much of the superstructure below the water level is left and will remain safe.

From reports received today from up the river towns the federal engineers expect the river will rise probably twelve additional inches before the high level is reached.

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AUSTRIAN HEIR AND WIFE SLAIN WHILE ON TOUR

Royal Couple Escape Bomb Only to be Shot Shortly Afterwards--Both Assassins Are Youthful Servians.

Sarajevo, June 30.—Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir to the Austro-Hungarian throne, and his morganatic wife, the Duchess of Hohenberg, were assassinated while driving through the streets of Serajevo, the Bosnian capital.

Student Fired Shots.

A youthful Servian student fired the shots which added another to the long list of tragedies that has darkened the reign of Emperor Francis Joseph.

The archduke and his wife were victims of the second attempt in the same day against their lives. First a bomb was thrown at the automobile in which they were driving to the town hall. Forewarned, however, of a possible attempt against his life, the archduke was watchful and struck the missile aside with his arm. It fell under an automobile which carried members of his suite, wounding Count Van Boos-Waldeck and Colonel Merizzo.

Both Mortally Wounded.

On their return from the town hall the archduke and the duchess were driving to the hospital when the Servian, Gavrio Prinzip, darted at the car and fired a volley at the occupants. His aim was true, for the archduke and his wife were mortally wounded. With them at the time was the governor of the city, who escaped injury.

The bodies of his murdered companions collapsed across him and protected him from stray bullets.

The governor shouted to the chauffeur to rush to the palace at top speed. Physicians were in prompt attendance, but their services were useless as the archduke and his wife were dead before the palace was reached.

Bomb Filled With Nails.

The bomb was filled with nails and lead filings and the explosion was violent.

The iron shutters on many shops were pierced by flying fragments and iron railings were shattered. About a score of persons were injured, several of them being women and children.

The murders occurred with such rapidity that many persons near the scene did not even hear the shots. The street is very narrow and assassin was able to fire at close range.

The first attempt against the archduke occurred just outside the girls' high school. His car had started after a brief pause for an inspection of the building when Gabrinovics hurled the bomb. This was so successfully warded off by the archduke that it fell directly beneath the following car, the occupants of which, Count von Boos-Waldeck and Colonel Merizzo, were struck by slivers of iron.

Archduke Proceeds On.

Archduke Francis Ferdinand stopped his car and after making inquiries as to their injuries and lending what aid he could, continued his journey to the town hall. There the burgomaster began the customary address, but the archduke sharply interrupted and snapped out:

"Herr Burgomaster, we have come here to pay you a visit and bombs have been thrown at us. This is altogether an amazing indignity."

After a pause, the archduke said:

"Now, you may speak."

On leaving the hall the archduke and his wife announced their intention of visiting the wounded members of their suite at the hospital on their way back to the palace. They were actually bound on their mission of mercy, when, at the corner of Rudolf strasse and Frantz Josef strasse, Prinzip opened fire.

Couple Both Shot.

A bullet struck the archduke in the face. The duchess was wounded in the abdomen and another bullet struck her in the throat, severing an artery. She fell unconscious across her husband's knee. At the same moment the archduke sank to the floor of the car.

The assassins were interrogated by the police and both seemed to glory in their exploit. Prinzip said he had studied for a time at Belgrade. He declared he had long intended to kill some eminent person from Nationalist motives. He was awaiting the archduke at a point where he knew the automobile would slacken speed, turning into Franz Josef strasse. The presence of the duchess in the car caused him to hesitate, but only for a moment. Then his nerve returned and he emptied his pistol at the imperial pair. He denied that he had any accomplices.

Both Assassins Young.

Prinzip is 18 years old. Nedeljo Gabrinovics is 21. He told the police he had obtained the bomb from anarchists at Belgrade, whose names he did not know. He denied also that he had accomplices and treated the tragedy with cynical indifference.

Anti-Servian demonstrations followed. The crowds knelt in the streets and sang the national anthem. The mayor of Serajevo issued a proclamation to the residents of the city, denouncing the crime and declaring that by the confession of the assassin it was shown beyond all doubt that the bomb thrown at the archduke's car came from Belgrade.

It is said that after the attempt with the bomb near the Girls' high school the duchess tried to dissuade the archduke from venturing into the motor car again. To allay her fears, M. Potiorek, governor of Bosnia, said:

"It's all over now. We have not more than one murderer in Serajevo."

Whereupon the archduke decided to go on.

News Overwhelms Emperor.

Vienna.—When news of the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand was imparted to the aged emperor he exclaimed: "Terrible! Terrible! I am spared nothing."

Austrian opinion regards the tragedy the result of a well-prepared conspiracy. It is asserted that when it became known at the Servian legation here that the archduke intended to go to Bosnia he was advised not to undertake the journey, as certain Servian desperadoes were planning an attempt against his life.

Archduke Disregards Warning.

The archduke disregarded the warning and approached to Serajevo. He took up his residence at a watering place near the Bosnian capital and attended various fetes as well as army maneuvers which ended Saturday. He issued an army order expressing great satisfaction at the maneuvers.

Telegrams have been received from all parts of the kingdom announcing the immense sensation caused by the crime. All public festivities have been cancelled.

Anti-Servian demonstrations occurred outside the Servian legation and stones were thrown at the residences of prominent Servians. Troops were ordered out to suppress the disorders.

It is reported here that several Bosnians and Serbs have been arrested at Serajevo for complicity in the plot, which is said to have wide ramifications. The newspapers have issued special editions with black borders expressing abhorrence of the crime.

Ever since the publication of an imperial rescript, on Oct. 7, 1908, proclaiming the annexation of Bosnia-Herzegovina to Austria, strong opposition to Austrian rule has been displayed by the Serb and Moslem residents of those provinces.

Former in Turkish Territory.

Bosnia and Herzegovina were formerly included in European Turkey, but the Austro-Hungarian occupation was authorized in 1878 by the treaty of Berlin. The treaty, however, contemplated the evacuation of the occupied provinces after the restoration of order. In 1908 there was a reform movement in Turkey which might mean the revival of Ottoman power, and Russia, after her war with Japan, showed weakness. Events in the near East seemed propitious and, with small formality, the Austrian government added the two provinces to its territory. In this act Archduke Francis Ferdinand is said to have played an important part.

Servia was so incensed at Austria's action that she threatened war, but after several months of negotiations among the powers, capitulated and accepted the situation.

It is feared that the Serajevo tragedy will still further embitter the none too friendly relations between Austria and Servia.

Born in 1863.

Vienna, June 29.—The assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand not only complicated already troubled Austro-Hungarian succession, but also removed from the stage of international affairs one of its most secretive and romantic figures.

Born at Gratz, Styria, on Dec. 18, 1863, the son of the late Archduke Charles Louis and Princess Annunciata, daughter of King Ferdinand of the two Sicilies, his succession to the throne seemed remote. The heir apparent was Crown Prince Rudolph, son of Emperor Francis Joseph.

When Francis Ferdinand was but 8 years old his mother died, and his father gave him into the hands of Jesuit teachers, with instructions that he be brought up untainted by the wickedness of the nineteenth century. Consequently the nephew of the present ruler was not educated as a future wearer of the crown. But when the tragic end of the crown prince in 1889 brought him to the steps of the throne he began assiduously to prepare himself for the high position which seemed destined to be his.

Dissipated Early in Life.

His early youth was clouded with dissipations which threatened to result in his undoing. In fact an episode, the exact nature of which has never been disclosed, resulted in his banishment from Austria, only to be recalled after the sudden death of the crown prince.

Though various archduchesses and princesses were suggested as proper objects for the attractions of the new heir apparent, he persistently refused to act in accordance with them, and in 1900 he horrified court circles by announcing his intention to marry—not an archduchess, but a simple lady-in-waiting to an archduchess, the Countess Sophie Chotek, daughter of a diplomatist of an ancient but far from royal house.

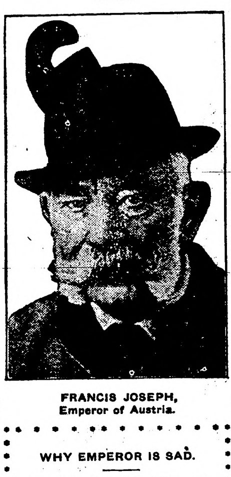
But under the law such a marriage between a member of the royal house and a subject, while binding between man and wife, was morganatic—which means that it would require the archduke formally to renounce all possible claims of his wife to royal rights and of his children to possible succession to the throne.

Francis Joseph Displeased

Francis Joseph, however, was displeased with his nephew's conduct, but he gave his imperial consent to the marriage upon condition that the archduke strictly observe the Hapsburg laws and never attempt to place his morganatic wife upon the throne or establish the right of succession for his children.

The real significance of the whole matter, however, lies in that the tragic death of the archduke and his wife before the former's ascension to the throne leaves the heir apparent to the throne, not the elder of the archduke's two sons, but his nephew, Archduke Karl Francis Joseph, son of the late Archduke Otto, brother of Francis Ferdinand.

Oldest European Ruler is Saddest Monarch of All



FRANCIS JOSEPH, Emperor of Austria.

WHY EMPEROR IS SAD.

Many family tragedies have made Francis Joseph known as "the saddest of monarchs." A list of tragedies marking his rule is as follows:

His wife, "the good Elizabeth," was assassinated in Switzerland by an anarchist.

His brother, Mixmilian, was executed in Mexico.

His only son, Rudolph, was a suicide.

His sister-in-law, the Duchess d'Alencon, was burned to death at a charity bazaar in Paris.

His favorite grandchild married against his wishes and her love ended in the shooting of her rival.

His nephew and heir-apparent, Archduke Francis Ferdinand, and his morganatic wife were assassinated.

"Equal Suffrage Sure"—Clark.

Washington, June 29. Speaker Clark told a delegation of women from the National Woman's Suffrage association that "woman suffrage is as inevitable as the rising of tomorrow's sun." "For 6,000 years," said the speaker, "men have been trying to run the world and some think they have made a bad mess of it. I hope that when you women run it you'll improve on it. The only question you folks have to consider is how most expeditiously to get what you are after.

Emperor Is Very Sad.

Vienna, June 29.—Francis Joseph is today the most lonely monarch of Europe. The tragedy which robbed him of a nephew and niece, the former his heir was only one of many that have saddened his life. Assassinations and suicides have taken from him those who were nearest and most dear. A strange fatality has pursued the house of Hapsburg and misfortunes have come in quick succession. Only the emperor himself has seemed immune.

Fletcher Home on Furlough

Washington, June 29.—After serving in Mexican waters more than a year, during which he directed the occupation of Vera Cruz, Rear Admiral Frank P. Fletcher has reached Washington aboard the dispatch boat Dolphin Secretary Daniels has chosen Rear Admiral Fletcher to succeed Rear Admiral Badger as commander in chief of the Atlantic fleet and it is expected the recommendation for the promotion will be made to the president during the officer's furlough in Washington.

WILSON PREDICTS BOOM FOLLOWING TRUST LEGISLATION

PRESIDENT DETERMINED ON ACTION AND DECLARES RESULT WILL PLEASE COUNTRY IN THE END.

WILL STOP GUESSING WHICH IS VERY FATAL

Calls the Measure "New Constitution of Freedom" for Business—Cites Fear of Enacted Legislation to Prove Nothing Harmful Will Result.

Washington, June 27. — Under a "new constitution of freedom" for business given by anti-trust legislation soon to be passed by congress, President Wilson promises the country the greatest business boom in its history.

Wilson's Final Answer.

This was the president's final answer to the opponents of trust legislation at this session of congress, and to prophets of evil times, delivered with determined expression and every word emphasized with a clenched fist.

"We know what we are doing," said Mr. Wilson, "We purpose to do it under advice, for we have been fortunate enough to obtain the advice of men who understand the business of the country; and we know that the effect is going to be exactly what the effect of the currency reform was, a sense of relief and security."

Editors Are Addressed.

The president spoke to a group of Virginia editors in the east room of the White House, but his assurances were intended for the country. A military aide in full dress uniform stood beside him and there was every indication that the speech was meant to be one of the most important of the administration. News of the failure of the H. B. Claffin company in New York had reached the White House earlier, but the president did not mention the incident. The speech in part follows:

"I think it is appropriate in receiving you, to say just a word or two in assistance of your judgment about the existing conditions. You are largely responsible for the state of public opinion. You furnish the public with information and in your editorials you furnish it with the interpretation of that information. We are in the presence of a business situation which is variously interpreted. Here in Washington, through the bureau of commerce and other instrumentalities that are at our disposal, and through a correspondence which comes to us from all parts of the nation, we are perhaps in a position to judge of the actual condition of business better than those can judge who are at any other single point in the country; and I want to say to you that as a matter of fact the signs of a very strong business revival are becoming more and more evident from day to day.

Feverish for Long Time.

"I want to suggest this to you. Business has been in a feverish and apprehensive condition in this country for more than ten years. Business men have acted as some men do who fear they will have to undergo an operation and who are not sure that when they get on the table the operation will not be a capital operation. As a matter of fact, as the diagnosis has progressed, it has become more and more evident that no capital operation was necessary; that at the most a minor operation was necessary to remove admitted distempers and evils.

"There is nothing more fatal to business than to be kept guessing

"First, there was the tariff, and business shivered. Then came the currency reform.

Dread of Trust Program.

"Then we advanced to the trust program and again the same dread, the same hesitation, the same urgency that the thing should be postponed. It will not be postponed; and it will not be postponed because we are the friends of business.

"Because, when the program is finished it is finished: the interrogation points are rubbed off the slate; business is given its constitution of freedom, and is bidden go forward under that constitution. And just so soon it gets that leave and freedom there will be a boom of business in this country such as we have never witnessed in the United States."

New High Record Temperatures.

Washington, June 26.—Terrific heat that established new June records in several cities has spread over practically all of the country eastward and southward from the Ohio valley. In Augusta and Savannah, Ga., the mercury reached 102 degrees. Other new records for June were established at Louisville and Jacksonville with temperatures of 100, and in New Orleans where the official temperature showed 98 degrees. Denver had a temperature of 92. New York was comparatively cool at 84.

GEN. FELIPE ANGELES

General Angeles, formerly secretary of war in Carranza's cabinet, is Villa's chief artillery commander and, according to reports, is also that commander's choice for the position of provisional president.

U. S. AND MEXICO SETTLE DISPUTES

LATEST PROTOCOL SIGNED AT NIAGARA FALLS RESTS ON INTERNAL PACIFICATION.

FORMAL CONFERENCES AT END

Informal Meetings Between Rebels and Federal Representatives Expected to Pick Head of New Government.

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 26.—Terms for composing all international differences between the United States and Mexico have been concluded. The conditions under which diplomatic relations will be resumed have been embodied in a protocol which has been signed by the ambassador from Brazil, the ministers of Chile and Argentina and the American and Huerta delegates.

Rebels Expected to Concur.

The character of the settlement is not expected to arouse opposition from the Constitutionalists, who will participate in and to a large degree mould the adjustment of all internal disputes.

When a new provisional government is established to succeed that headed by General Huerta the result of mediation—recognized as a triumph for Pan-American diplomacy—will become effective.

Coincidentally with the action taken, it was announced that the selection of a provisional president and the organization of a new government, which is considered a purely internal problem, will be left to an informal conference of representatives of the Constitutionalists—Dr. Luis Cabrera, Rafael Zubaran and Jose Vasconcelos—and the delegates sent by General Huerta to the mediation conference.

Mediation Sessions Over.

No formal adjournment of the mediation will be taken but there will be no sessions while the representatives of the two warring factions in Mexico endeavor to arrive at an agreement on the personnel of the new government, the agrarian and educational reforms and other internal problems.

The single outstanding provision in the protocol is that the international problem shall be declared adjusted on the establishment of the new provisional government. The protocol sets forth:

Provisions of Protocol.

That the United States and Argentina, Brazil and Chile, the mediating countries, shall recognize the new provisional government and that thenceforth diplomatic relations between the United States and Mexico shall be resumed.

That the United States demands no indemnity and does not further exact satisfaction for any of the incidents connected with the patrol of Mexican waters and invasion of the country.

That a commission shall be appointed to adjust private claims growing out of the revolution and international incidents.

Word came from President Wilson and Secretary Bryan authorizing the American delegates to sign it. The Mexican delegation had not expected so prompt a response.

The result of the mediators' work places the issue now squarely before the representatives of the two warring factions On them will rest the responsibility for failure or success of the peace plans as a whole. The mediators and American delegates will stand by to lend a helping hand and give their counsel when sought.

1 Killed, 7 Hurt in Storm.

Redwood Falls, Minn., June 25.—One man was killed and seven injured in the cyclonic gale which visited this city Tuesday night. The property loss is also heavy.

SALEM HOMELESS ARE PROVIDED FOR

MILITARY PRECISION MARKS HANDLING OF RELIEF MEASURE FOLLOWING FIRE.

LOSS ESTIMATED $12,000,000

Total Insurance Estimated at $10,000,000—Four Are Dead—Plans for Rebuilding City Are Already Being Made.

Salem, Mass., June 29.—Measures for the relief of 18,000 persons made homeless in this city's conflagration have proceeded with military precision. More than 3,500 are directly dependent upon the relief committee for shelter while 4,500 wait patiently in various bread lines for food which has streamed into the city in abundance.

Poorer Class in Tents.

Those cared for in the tent camps are of the poorer class, mostly foreigners. Nearly all the well to do have found refuge with friends and relatives elsewhere.

An insurance adjuster who went over the devastated district carefully estimated the loss at $12,000,000 of which $10,000,000 was covered by insurance. This insurance, it was stated, was well distributed, the heaviest American interest falling on any one company being $400,000.

Greatest Individual Loser.

The Naumkeg Steam Cotton company was the heaviest individual loser. The loss on its great plant was placed at $3,500,000.

Fifteen hundred employes were thrown out of work by the destruction of these mills. The total number added by the firm to the ranks of the unemployed was estimated at 9,000.

Hand in hand with the measures for relief went preparations for rebuilding the city. The Naumkeg company and some of the other large firms that were burned out announced that they would begin construction of new and better plants as quickly as possible. In the meantime the unemployed will be given work in the rehabilitation of the city or will be provided with jobs in nearby places.

Militia Directs Relief.

The active work of relief has been temporarily in the hands of the state militia, directed by Adjutant General Cole, who commanded 750 men from the Eighth and Ninth regiments. The strictest sanitary precautions are being taken. A few cases of measles and two of scarlet fever were reported and were immediately isolated.

Property holders answering inquiries of friends, announce their losses in most instances with a smile and a shrug and begin to talk of rebuilding.

One of the saddest places in the city is about the quarters of the domestic affairs department of the relief committee. Early the committee had the names of 200 men, women and children who had become separated from their families. This number has been greatly reduced.

Relief Committee Busy.

A relief committee of seven, appointed by Gov. Walsh, had a long conference with Mayor Hurley and the local relief committee.

After a survey of the situation, the committee announced:

"The principal need is money, not food or clothing. The people who were burned out managed to save all the necessary clothing and there is on hand a supply of food enough to last a week or possibly longer."

Miss Mabel T. Boardman, national relief secretary of the American Red Cross society, arrived and offered the services of the organization she represents.

So many maternity cases were reported that a number of women prominent in the wealthy North Shore summer colony organized a hospital for them in the North Church.

The list of dead as a direct result of the fire is placed at four.

The identified dead are Mrs. Jennie Cunningham and Samuel P. Withey, a Grand Army veteran.

Congress Cutting Mileage Pay.

Washington, June 27.—Five cents a mile instead of 20 cents is what the house decided members of the senate should receive for their expenses to and from Washington to attend sessions of congress. An amendment proposing the reduction was added to the legislative appropriation bill by a vote of 129 to 94. It goes back to conferences between the two houses for final action. The house mileage provision was not reached, but it is expected that it will be similarly reduced.

Great Dry Goods Firm Fails.

New York, June 26. The great dry goods house of the H. B. Claflin company has failed with liabilities of $35,000,000. The assets are estimated at $40,000,000. Two proceedings—friendly and unfriendly—threw the firm into bankruptcy and two receivers were named under bonds of $500,000 each. The shifting of the business center is given as the main cause. The failure is perhaps the most important in the history of the dry goods trade in this country.

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ECZEMA ITCHED AND BURNED

R. F. D. No. 2, Seymour, Mo.—"My scalp broke out with fine pimples at the start. They itched and burned so much that I was compelled to scratch them and they would fester and come to a head and break out again. The trouble was attended by such burning and itching I could not sleep, also when I sweat it burned the same. My hair fell out gradually and the scalp kept rough and dry with itching and burning. After about two years the pimples broke out between my shoulders. My clothing irritated them. I was troubled with that eczema five or six years.

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Origin of Visiting Cards.

Some authorities hold that the origin of the visiting card lay in the circumstance that, when Pericles first laid siege to the heart of Aspasia, he sent her a bouquet to which, fearful lest she might not guess from whom the compliment proceeded, he caused to be attached a strip of wood wherein his name was cut.

According to Bertarelli, who, among others, has been at much pains to compile the history of the card, it is difficult to say whether it was first used in Greece or in China. However that may be, it seems to be an ascertained fact that the visiting card did not really obtain to any extent in Europe until the time of Louis.

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And the Clerk Smiled

There recently went into a fashionable shoe shop the daughter of a man whose wealth has been acquired within very recent years. The young woman was disposed to patronize the clerk and rejected a number of "classy" slippers he produced for her approval. Finally she said: "I think, perhaps, I shall take these two pairs But Louis XV heels are too high for me Give me a size lower or, stay, perhaps Louis XIII will be high enough."

Normal Condition.

Is the patient light headed.

Well, she impresses me as a natural dizzy blonde."

Just So!

"[illegible] goin', Lize?"

"I isn't goin' no [illegible] been!"

SPANISH CITIES GAY

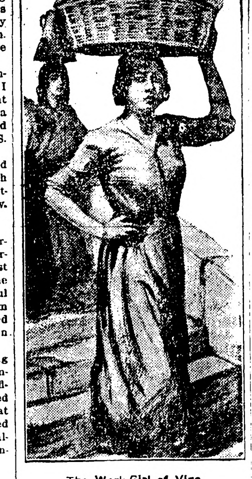
Madrid Well-Nigh as Fashionable as Paris.

Seville, Cordova, Granada, Barcelona, Valencia, Malaga and Many Other Places of Kingdom Can Boast an Up-to-Date Equipment.

London.—For the average tourist who is in search of familiar comforts in unfamiliar surroundings the great Spanish cities of today offer every inducement. Madrid today is well-nigh as gay and as fashionable as Paris. Seville, Cordova, Granada, Barcelona, Valencia, Malaga and many another city can boast an up-to-date equipment. The food is Spanish, but the cooking can be French on request. Off the main roads the comforts show a very rapidly descending scale; but against this must be put the absolute security. The Spanish brigand no longer haunts the Sierra Morena or the Guadaramas; he has become a hotelkeeper. The old-time smuggler no longer risks his life as aforetime; he considers he is defying the law sufficiently if he grows a few tobacco plants on the sly, or does a little poaching in the state forests that the guardamontes do their best to patrol.

Education is still little more than a name in Spain, but it is the most eloquent country in Europe, and many a man can make the speech he cannot read. The Spaniard takes the latest and most advanced ideas of government, accepts the most amazing theories of life and law, but, given reasonable conditions of life and fair treatment, is not hard to handle. Among the people speech tends to usurp the place of action. For the Spanish woman the outlook is not quite clear. It is said in Spain that the hold of the church upon woman's life is not as strong as it was only a few years ago, and Spanish women are beginning to think for themselves.

They are the most prolific mothers in Europe, and have the highest infant mortality. It may be symptomatic of their new state that they are tending to discard the mantilla, to regard national dress as a fancy costume, and to look to Paris for their fashions. This refers to the women of the thriving cities, the comfortable classes of Madrid, Barcelona, Seville. Spain tends to become self-conscious, to respond too freely to commercial enterprise and Paris. She is, of course, very much better off as a result of the development. The Spanish exhibition may well show a Spain that was, and that is the Spain of yesterday and today, not the Spain of tomorrow That will hardly be worth exhibiting.



The Work Girl of Vigo.

Baboon Baby Thrives.

St Paul, Minn.—The baboon born January 3 in a barn at the rear of [illegible] St. Anthony avenue is healthy and thriving, giving promise of growing to full baboonhood. Lew Herschal, an animal trainer, says that baboons born in captivity seldom live more than a few days. He is certain the animal born in St Paul is one of the few of the species born in America.

Took Print of Nose.

New York.—Armless and legless Ernest Riley stumped the police when Magistrate Folwell ordered a finger print taken As a compromise a record of Riley's nose ridges was taken

Lived in a Boiling Heat

New York.—Five Chinese stowaways were taken from the boiling hot valve compartment of an incoming steamship, where they had lived for ten days on a little rice and water

"Movies" "Cut" Ardent Love Scenes.

New York.—Motion picture censors have decreed that hereafter long drawn out love scenes "ardent beyond the dramatic requirements," will be cut out.

WESTERN CANADA'S NATURAL RESOURCES

PETROLEUM, NATURAL GAS, COAL AND FARM LANDS.

The developments that have taken place recently in the oil and gas fields of Western Canada have but added another to the many previous evidences that have been produced, showing the great wealth that has been an unknown asset for so many generations.

The latest reports from the oilfields at Calgary show that there is a production there that would appear to equal the best paying fields on the continent. Experts have been on the ground for some time. It is said that one of the wells is able to produce 2,000 gallons an hour. If this is so there are but about a dozen wells in the world of greater production. During the past week discoveries of surface indications have been made which show that oil exists over a considerable portion of Alberta and Saskatchewan, while in Manitoba there have also been showings. At Battleford, Saskatchewan, a few days ago discoveries were made which led to the filing for leases on twenty thousand acres of land, all having strong surface indications. Companies were formed to carry on immediate work, and in a couple of months, or probably less, the story will be told whether oil exists in paying quantities.

But there are also the coal deposits and the natural gas deposits that are helping to make of Western Canada one of the wealthiest portions of the continent.

With the grain fields covering these hidden riches it is no wonder that a continued range of optimism is to be seen everywhere. Early reports of seeding of all grains being successfully completed all over the country are followed by reports of excellent and strong growth everywhere. During the first week in June most of the wheat had reached a growth of from twelve to twenty inches, with the most even appearance, almost universally, that has been seen for years. Oats appeared equally well, and covered the ground in a way that brought the broadest kind of a grin to overspread the farmer's countenance.

Barley, a favorite with the hog raisers, had taken good root, and was crowding oats for a first place, as to length of shoot. Cultivated fodder grasses are getting great attention, as a consequence of the inclination to go more largely into mixed farming, and the raising of hogs, cattle and horses. The weather is reported fine, just what is needed, and if present favorable conditions continue, the grain crop of Western Canada for 1914 will be the largest average in the history of the country.—Advertisement.

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FAMOUS OLD MEXICAN CITY

Sightseers Look Upon Mitla as One of the Chief Points of Interest in the Country.

Among the many ruined cities of Mexico dating back to antiquity, is Mitla, of unusual interest to the sightseer. The name is a contraction or corruption of the Word Mictlan, meaning "the place of death." The modern village and the ancient ruins occupy the center of an arid plain or valley, surrounded on all sides by equally arid hills, on the highest summit of which are the well-preserved remains of a great fortress, whose walls are of a rough construction and without ornament of any kind. Nearly in the center of the plain five great groups of buildings stand out completely exposed. Many of them are now nearly shapeless mounds and masses of ruins. Two great groups, however, are in comparatively perfect preservation, a third is incorporated with an old church, and a fourth, the great sacrificial mound, is surmounted by the ruins of a very ancient church. The principal buildings are of stone masonry.

The Flea.

Speaking of fleas—and they are a common topic of conversation in some parts of the United States—as common a subject as mosquitoes in New Jersey or flies in other places—certain British and other scientists have lately discovered that a flea becomes old and infirm within twenty days after its birth, although some fleas have been known to live to be ninety days old when especially well-fed. Up to the fifteenth day of its career the flea is able to do a considerable amount of execution. After that length of time it becomes rather sluggish and indifferent. These are important additions to the literature of the flea. It has long been known that the flea is no respecter of persons, is, in fact, very promiscuous in its associations; that it is extremely agile; that a settlement of fleas anywhere soon becomes overcrowded; that fleas thrive on most poisons; that they can easily distract one's attention from the most important topics, and that they are meaner, much meaner than flies in their manners—are, in fact, the most impolite of insects.

Bathing Popular in Baltimore.

Nearly one hundred thousand baths were taken during May at the various indoor and outdoor stations controlled by the public bath commission, according to a report compiled by Robert F G. Kelly, acting secretary to the commission. It beat the record for May, 1913, by about twenty-five thousand.

Of the baths last month, 10,662 were taken at the three outdoor stations. At the eight indoor stations 87,530 were taken.—Baltimore Sun.

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Annoucement.

The publishers of this paper are pleased to announce that they have secured the services of H. B. Young of Ionia, Iowa, as editor and foreman. Mr. Young is an experienced and competent man and we consider ourselves fortunate in inducing him to come to Holt.

Mr. Young is also owner of a farm three miles north of the city, which is also one reason why he decided to cast his lot with us. Mr. Young will have full charge of the paper and if you have any newspaper work or job printing to be done, kindly see him.

Holt Publishing Co.

NEW SCHOOL SITE.

New School House to be Built.

At the special school election held June 27th, the voters were overwhelmingly in favor of changing the school site to south of Creamery, the vote being 38 to 7 in favor. A new election, however, will be necessary, owing to the indefinite desсription of the new school site on the ballots.

The question of bonding the district in the sum of $4,000 carried by a large majority.

The question of making this a consolidated school district was also voted on and it also carried by a vote of 28 to 17.

ELECTION RETURNS.

The official primary election returns for Marshall county are as follows:

For Representative—Johnson 619; Stevens, 879; Robertson, 782.

For Register of Deeds—Anderson, 376; Grinder, 533; Larson, 362; Hilleboe, 488; Olson, 632.

For Sheriff—Forsberg, 918; Hanson, 766; Kuhle, 326; Oseth, 380.

For County Attorney—Eckstrom, 1067; Brekke, 700; Naeseth, 682.

For Supt. of Schools—Johnson, 1638 Stewart, 587; Groshon, 376; Mundhenke, 110.

For County Commissioner 5th District—A. O. Fladeland, 145; Carl T. Olson, 137; Andrew P. Nelson, 69; Chas. Hanson, 16; Louis Hamre, 130.

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30x3	10.25	2.30
30x3½	13.50	2.80
32x3½	14.05	3.00
34x3½	15.25	3.20
31x4	17.00	3.25
32x4	18.00	3.39
33x4	19.50	3.40
34x4	20.40	3.60
35x4	21.00	3.80
36x4	22.00	3.90
35x4½	26.00	5.00
36x4½	27.00	5.10
37x4½	27.50	5.15
37x5	32.60	5.40

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 27, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Nick Baker, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on May 31, 1913, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 09103, for SW¼, Section 36, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 4th, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Martin O. Nelson, Allen Adolphson, Nels Gudvangen, Engebreth Moe, all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 24, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Elling Tollefsrud, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on April 7th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05957, for NW¼, Section 13, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 3rd, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Cleve Bergum, John Mundhenke, Sigurd Vick, Edwin C. Johnson, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

Estate of Erick E. Nyberg. State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. In Probate Court. In the Matter of the Estate of Erick E. Nyberg, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Karin Nyberg, Ole Nyberg, Edward Nyberg, Bennet Nyberg, Dedrick Nyberg, Albertina Nyberg, Hilma Nyberg, Karl Nyberg, Tilda Nyberg, Elmer Nyberg, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of July, 1914, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 23rd day of June, 1914.

PETER H. HOLM, Probate Judge.

A. N. ECKSTROM, Attorney for Petitioner.

(Court Seal) Warren, Minn.

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32x4	13.70	3.35
33x4	14.80	3.50
34x4	16.80	3.60
36x4	17.85	3.90
35x4½	19.75	4.85
36x4½	19.85	4.90
37x4½	21.50	5.10
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Final Proofs and Homestead Entries carefully attended to.

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Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. June 19, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that George C. Anderson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on January 20th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05825, for E½ NW¼ E½ SW¼, Section 35, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 1st day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Nels Fosen, Albert C. Jahr, Olaus Rodahl, Anton Rodahl, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 22, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John O. Foss, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Nov. 7th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 08568, for SW¼, Section 33, Township 156 N., Range 41 W. 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner For District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 30th. day of July, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Rudolph Jensen of Germantown Minn. Charles Rossman, of Germantown, Minn. Gander Tvett, of Golden Valley, Minn. Ole B. Johnson, of Holt, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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GOLDEN VALLEY NEWS.

John Mundebank is buidling a machine shed.

Clarence Larson and family spent the Fourth at Holt.

Elling Tollefsrud has built a nice new pasture on his farm.

Henry Palsberg has started to Norway to attend the show.

The school election in District No. 145 will be held July 18th.

Mrs. Olof Dahl and Mrs. E. E. Pechie have been doing a land office

Christ Norbeck made a business trip to Holt the first part of the week.

John Sorum and family and Peter Anderson visited with Tony Anderson last Sunday.

business in the berry patch.

P. A. Kolden, B. Lilly and Christ Norbeck were business callers the first of the week.

The Fourth of July celebration at Holt was a good one from start to finish. Generally speaking a good time was had.

Hon. J. Saugstad, state senator from Polk Co., came here Tuesday on business and to visit with C. W. Latta a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Kjelgren left for Canada, Tuesday, taking the train at Newfolden. They expect to make their future home in Saskatchewan where Mr. Kelgren has his farm.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1.47
Wheat	.81
Barley	.33
Oats	.26
Rye	.42
Flour, Best Patent	2.65

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

Ludwig Monson and sister went to Crookston, Monday.

Lars Backe, of T. R. Falls, was a visitor at B. L. Backe's last week.

Quite a hard shower fell Sunday night. Everything looks nice and crop are booming.

Edwin Docken, of Mekinock, N. Dakota, visited with his brother, B. Docken, this week.

J. B. Aklunbrock contemplates building a residence on his farm joining town, work to be started this week.

The school board of district No. 59 met Monday and decided to build a two room school house. See their notice for bids.

The Latest Things In Machinery

I have just received a Carload of

Mowers, Rakes, Binders and other Machinery.

Come in and see me before buying elsewhere

R. REIERSON

HOLT CELEBRATED

The "Glorious Fourth" IN GRAND STYLE

Commencing with the big noise at sunrise one of the largest and most successful Fourth of July celebrations was pulled off at the little busy town of Holt. The biggest gathering ever seen at Holt was in attendance, there being between one thousands and twelve hundred people present.

The town was decorated in grand style and judging from the comments from the people they were both pleased and surprised at the interest taken and the ingenuity displayed by the committees in charge.

From our neighboring town, Middle River, we had a big attendance and we will surely remember them next year if they celebrate. We are very thankful to the Middle River Pioneer for their great assistance through that paper. From Thief River Falls and Newfolden we also had a large attendance.

Mr. H. O. Kjomme of Thief River Falls was the speaker of the day. He is a very able and eloquent speaker and soon had his audience completely captured by his appropriate and fluent address.

The Boys' Band from Thief River Falls furnished music for the occasion and was greatly appreciated by many.

Mr. Chas. W. Latta had charge of the program which he handled in very satisfactory manner. The program was as follows: Horse race, trot or pace, E. E. Pechie 1st $500; running race, Chas. Schwartz 1st prize $.500; Oscar Knutson 2nd $3.00; Girls' potato race, Ida Kjelgren 1st, Emma Garfve 2nd; Boys' potato race, Herman Peterson 1st, Tony Gullickson 2nd; Men's 100 yard dash, G. Tessum 1st, Andrew Williams 2nd; Flour contest, Lawrence Tobiason; Siamese race, G. Tessum and C. Lindahl 1st, Herb and Elof Severson 2nd; Egg and Spoon race, Bernard Sundahl 1st, Clem Ellinger 2nd; Wrestling match, Munson won in two straight falls, 1st by a body hold in 26:40, on second fall Norlund had injured left shoulder and gave up when Munson secured a dangerous toe hold, time 9:32. Geo. Larson referee; Chas. W. Latta time-keeper.

A tug of war was pulled off between the town giants and the country lions which proved the greatset feat of the day. The farmers, however, were to strong for the town weaklings and took the rope at a walk-away gait as if there were nothing on the other end.

The police job was taken care of in a very satisfactory manner by the Messrs. Ole Backlund, Carl Newton and T. A. Tobiason. Although the crowd was orderly and well-behaved they still stuck to their beat.

The fireworks in the evening was a grand spectacle and thoroughly enjoyed by the audience.

The big bowery dance was sure a success there being about a hundred couple in attendance. The management was under the leader-ship of P. L. Anderson and he kept the things going until the wee hours of the morning and still the crowd wasn't played out dancing to the music of Thief River Falls famous orchestra.

Local Items

Get your meals at the hotel. adv

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Nils Engebretson made a business trip to Crookston, Monday.

Farmers: Get your meals at the Hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop. adv

Miss Ella Reep, of Thief River Falls visited at the Payne home last week.

The Misses Olberg visited with their sister, Mrs. S. S Kolden last week.

Mr. and Mrs Jonsund of Saskatchewan, Canada have been visiting at the hotel.

C. W. Latta, B. L. Backe and S. S. Kolden made a trip to T. R. Falls last Thursday.

John Davidson and family of T. R. visited at the B. L. Backe home the "Fourth."

Mr. Storkolen of Crookston was visiting his daughter, Mrs. Sam Mickelson the 4th.

John Efterland and Theo Stegen of Thief River Falls were here the first of the week looking for land.

Mrs Peter Hoglin and children of T R Falls were visiting with her sister Mrs. B Docken this week.

Christ Ytter and family moved in from Grand Plain last Wednesday. They will occupy the old Engebretson place.

D. B. Bakke and family, of Thief River Falls, were visitors at Holt last week, taking in the big celebration at the same time.

D. Payne is just through painting his dwelling, in the nortwest part of town, and it looks pretty nice. Mr. Payne also painted his big lumber sheds.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Quam of [illegible]land, N. D. visited at the home of Jahr Bros., in East Valley township, returning to Dakota Wednesday. Mrs. Quam is the mother of the Jahr Bros. Mr. and Mrs. Quam like it very much here and were well pleased with the country.

Builders' Notice!

Notice is hereby given that the school board of Dist. No. 59 of Marshall Co., Minn., will receive sealed bids at the Holt State Bank, up to 2 o'clock P. M. July 25th 1914, for building a two room school house, contractor to furnish all material.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the above bank.

Building must be ready for occupancy not later than Oct. 1st 1914.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Holt, Minn July 6 1914

By order of the School Board

Theo. Sorum, Dist. Clerk

Olga Bakko, of T. R. Falls is a visitor in Holt, this week.

Lenard Jensen of this city was an over Sunday visitor at A. Bjork's.

H. Dahlen, of Peoples State Bank T. R. Falls, was a caller at this city the 4th.

Mrs. S. S. Kolden and Mrs. Chas Hagglum were visiting with Mrs Kolden's relatives at Gatzke last Friday.

Oscar Knutson, his father Enoch Knutson and Ed Monson, of Rordein, were callers at Holt on their way to Crookston to prove up Oscar Knutson's claim.

Miss Olga Sa[illegible] returned last Friday after an extended visit with relatives and friends at Alvarado, Warren and different places in N. Dakota. She reports having an enjoyable time, but the big celebration at Holt sounded good, didn't it, Olga.

Large [illegible] of [illegible] farming land just thrown open for free settlement in Oregon. Over 200,000 acres in all. Good climate, rich soil, and does not require irrigation to raise [illegible] crops of grain, fruit and garden truck. For large map, full instructions and information, and a plat of several sections of exceptionally good claims, send $3.40 to John Keefe, Oregon City, Oregon. Three years a U. S. surveyor and timberman. An opportunity to get a good fertile free homestead near town and market. 829

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A Week of Painting

Last week everybody was doing it the painting line. Holt Merc. Co.'s "Big New Store" received a fresh coat of paint; also Sollom Bros. new store; the Free Mission Church also receving the same treatment. This is quite brightening up for the town.

Roland Olson, of Halstad, Minn. visited at Kolden's and Payne's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alkenbrack entertained visitors from Tolley, N. D. the 4th.

There will be Young Peoples Society at D. Paynes' next Sunday. Everybody welcomed.

Some work has been done at the cemetery this week which greatly improves the looks of it.

E. M. Silbaugh autoed to Warren yesterday. He was accompanied by John Ingstrom, C. Skoglund, Chas. McSain, Carl Christonon and Henry Wendt. Chas. McSain applies for his citizenship papers and Carl Christoferson expects to receive the necessary documents which will make him a full fledged citizen, the other gentlemen went as witnesses.

Mrs. S. W. Groshon, of Rollis, visited here and in T. R. Falls last week.

Mrs. B. J. Bakke and children were visiting with Dockens' this week.

The Zion Ladies' Aid will meet at G. B. Johnson's Wednesday July 15. All invited.

Mrs. W. S. Brekke and children of Nielsville, visited at the home of her friend, Mrs. D. Payne, last week.

Bob Halverson and Dagny Bakke were callers at the B. Docken home during the 4th of July celebration in Holt.

The Young People's Society of the Free Mission Church will meet Sunday July 26th at the home of August Nass. Everybody invited.

The Automobile Fiends of Holt, Middle River and Newfolden were to have an auto tour through Argyle, Stephen and Warren, next Sunday, but on account of other doings was postponed until a week from that date. The object of this tour is to get together and "boost" for Eastern Marshall County. Everybody get in the bunch.

Cultivators

We have on hand a supply of One and Two-horse Cultivators; both in Disc and Shovel Type.

If you are in the market for any implements of this kind do not fail to give us a call.

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FOUR ARE KILLED IN ANARCHISTS' DEN

NEW YORK POLICE BELIEVE BOMB PLANT HAS BEEN DESTROYED.

THINK EXPLOSION ACCIDENTAL

Friends of Victims Charge Murder, However—Much Inflammatory Literature Gives Officers Clew to Work on.

New York, July 7.—In the ruins of the Lexington avenue tenement house, wrecked Saturday by the premature explosion of a powerful bomb which killed Arthur Caron and three other persons, the authorities have found evidence that Caron's apartment was a center for the distribution of inflammatory literature which was printed there and that at the time of the explosion it was apparently a bomb factory, filled with the ingredients of death dealing missles. A small printing press, revolutionary pamphlets and circulars, an electric dynamo, two electric batteries, cartridges and bits of steel, were among the articles uncovered which tend, in the opinion of the police, to show an anarchistic plot at assassination.

Theory of Police.

That a demonstration, halted by the bungling of some one who was preparing an infernal machine for its mission, was planned against the Rockefeller family in Tarrytown, is the theory upon which the authorities are working.

Two of those killed in the wrecked apartment were prominent agitators who were to be placed on trial at Tarrytown today on charges of disorderly conduct in connection with the campaign of demonstration inaugurated against John D. Rockefeller, Jr., as a protest against his attitude in the Colorado coal mine strike.

The body of the fourth victim of the explosion has just been found. It is that of Chas. Berger, known in I. W. W. circles as "the big Swede," an associate of Caron. The other victims were Chas. Hanson and Mary Claves.

The woman lived in an apartment next to the one occupied by Caron and his associates.

Identification of Berger's body was made by Louise Berger, step-sister of Hanson, who lived in the flat where the explosion occurred.

Not An I. W. W.

Equally as interesting as the discovery of anarchistic literature and electrical machinery in the ruins of Caron's room, was the assertion by I. W. W. leaders that Caron was not a member of that organization, having recently been refused admission.

They declared that the I. W. W. had nothing to do with the explosion. Why Caron was denied a place among the workers was a point they did not make clear.

A gruesome but suggestive piece of evidence was a severed hand which clutched two small pieces of wire made ready for connections. The authorities believe that the owner of this hand was in the act of making an electric connection for one of the bombs and a battery when the explosion occurred and he was blown to pieces.

Attack on Christianity.

The search for papers and notes was minute and some note books with the names of several anarchists were found, but the police would not say any of them was important as documentary evidence of a plot. There were also pamphlets which had been sold at I. W. W. meetings. One poem, a vitriolic attack on Christianity is believed to have been on the little press.

Louise Berger declared that the three men who died in the explosion were murdered. She made this statement as she was being taken from the morgue, where she had identified Berg's body, to a police station for further questioning.

"Those boys were murdered, I know they were," she said.

Asked if she would continue her membership in the anti-militarist association, she replied:

"Why, of course. Why shouldn't I. Do they think that by killing some of our members they can destroy our organization. Well, they can't, nor will I rest until I have run down the murderers of my brother and the other boys."

Aged Woman Kills Robber.

Yorkville, Ill., July 6.—A dramatic story of a fight to the death in the dark with a masked robber who invaded their home, was told here by Mr. and Mrs Joseph Grimwood, an old couple who live on a farm two miles east of here. The robber died as she was throttling him, Mrs. Grimwood said, after he had been thrown to the floor by her husband. She is a large and powerful woman, although 65 years old.

Hunting for Revolver Used.

Freeport, N. Y., July 6.—While Mrs. Edwin Carman was in Hempstead viewing the body of Mrs. Louise Bailey, the Long Island matron killed by a shot fired through a window in Dr. Carman's office here last Tuesday night, detectives under instructions of District Attorney Smith were pumping out a cess pool and a well in the rear of the physician's residence and a cess pool in the cellar. In one of these three places the detectives expected to find a 38-calibre revolver containing one exploded shell.

AMERICANS AT TAMPICO FEAR ATTACK

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Reports from Tampico are that the Americans there are living in constant fear of attack by the Mexicans. Our illustration shows the custom house in Tampico where General Gonzales has made his headquarters since taking the city from the federals.

YEAR JUST ENDING SHOWS A SURPLUS

WILSON REGIME MAKES GOOD FINANCIAL SHOWING WHEN REVENUES ARE ALL IN.

$33,784,452 ABOVE EXPENSES

Nearly $33,500,000 Pours in on Last Day, Turning What Looked Like a Deficit Into a Handsome Surplus—The Figures.

Washington, July 3.—Treasury figures, just completed, show that the federal government went through its first fiscal year under the Wilson administration with its income exceeding ordinary expenses by $33,784,452.07.

Last Day Turns Tide.

Nearly $33,500,000 poured into the treasury Tuesday, the last day of the year, and brought the total receipts for the year up to $734,343,700.20, a million and a half above Secretary McAdoo's original estimate. What had promised the day before to be a substantial deficit turned into a surplus.

Corporation and income tax payments furnished the stream of gold at the finish. From this source came $26,161,782.82 between the opening and closing of the treasury year, and Secretary McAdoo and other administration officials are pointing proudly to the total figures as proof of their promises as to what would be accomplished under the new tariff.

Panama Canal Cost.

The treasury surplus this year, at least would be wiped out by the Panama canal expenditures, which have been paid from the general fund. During the 12 months $34,826,941 has been spent on the canal, and when this has been charged off there will be a deficit for the year of $1,010,058.81 on the books. Last year the canal expenditure amounted to $41,741,258 and the final deficit was $400,733. Last year's total receipts were only $691,140,000, but, on the other hand, the ordinary expenditures were only $654,805,000, or $45,754,248 below last year's total.

Secretary McAdoo estimates that approximately 3,500,000 in scheduled income and corporation taxes, assessments not paid in June because penalty did not accrue against these assessments until July 1 would have been a clear surplus for the year of approximately $2,500,000.

KILLS TWO IN KILLING SELF

Poquonock, Conn., July 6.—Three members of a fishing party of four men were drowned in the Farmington river here, when their boat was capsized.

According to the survivor, the tragedy was due to the determination of one of the mn to commit suicde. He leaped into the water, but was dragged back into the boat. He jumped a second time, however, and in doing so overturned the boat.

The drowned men were: Michael Mitelenonus, aged 35; John Watyusky, 22; and William Zatazatzki, 37.

Unionist Peers to Yield.

London, July 6.—The debate in the house of lords on the bill to amend the Irish home rule bill was characterized by general recognition on the part of the Unionist peers that some means of settlement must be found and that the amending bill found the only solution. The Marquis of Lansdowne, Unionist leader, already had announced that it was necessary to find a way out of the calamity which threatened, and that therefore the Unionists would give the amending bill a second reading.

VOTE SUPPORTS GEN. HUERTA

RETURNS INDICATE RE-ELECTION OF LEGISLATORS.

Mexico Faces Crisis, Says Report. Huerta-Zapata Alliance Is Rumored.

Mexico City, Mex., July 7.—President Huerta is reported to have received a virtually unanimous vote of confidence in elections held Sunday and senators, in that portion of the republic controlled by Huerta. Early indications showed him to be the favorite candidate for the presidency.

The largest vote in many years was cast both in the capital and nearby towns. The incomplete returns indicate the re-election of practically all the members of the chamber of deputies and senate.

Huerta-Zapata Alliance.

Vera Cruz.—It is rumored here that an alliance between Provisional President Huerta and Emiliano Zapata, the revolutionary leader, is to be formed soon.

Both here and in the capital the conviction exists that a crisis is imminent but only vague reasons are offered for the fear that the next few days will see a development.

Recent statements by Huerta have not been such as to indicate that he contemplated abandoning his power.

Mexicans prominent in the political, commercial and social life of the capital, have been joining in increasing strength, the army of fugitives.

Several foreigners other than British have taken the advice of Sir Lionel Carden, the British minister, to get out of what he regards as dangerous territory.

One of the theories suggested for any alliance Huerta may be able to make with Zapata is that, with the support of this chieftain, he may be able to hold back for many months the Constitutionalists from the north.

ONLY ONE PROPELLER NEEDED

Glenn Curtiss Demonstrates the Stability of America Single Motor-Carrying Tests.

Hammondsport, N. Y., July 6.—Glenn Curtiss made a test flight in the trans-Atlantic flying boat America with only one motor running. The machine flew steadily and little adjustment of the rudder and aileron was required to offset the torque of the single propeller.

It had been held by many that should one motor stop while the machine was in flight it would be necessary immediately to shut down the other in order to avoid overturning the craft, but Mr. Curtiss flew with first one propeller stopped and then the other without affecting the machine's balance enough to be noticed by the crowd watching the flight.

"She will fly strong with the pilots and 12 hours fuel," said Curtiss after the flight.

The load carried was approximately 1,500 pounds, which is equal to nearly 20 hours' fuel and the pilots.

Cup Comes to America

Henley on Thames, July 6.—The coveted Grand Challenge cup comes to the United States with the defeat of the crews of Great Britian by the Union Boat Club of Boston and the second crew of Harvard University.

"America" Carries 5,000 Pounds.

Hammondsport, N. Y., July 6.—The America, the flying boat built for Rodman Wanamaker, made several flights piloted by Glenn H. Curtiss, carrying the heaviest loads with which she has so far been burdened. The gross weight of the machine on one flight was more than 5,000 pounds. The weight of the so-called "useful load" was estimated at more than 2,100 pounds. On this flight Curtiss carried seven passengers. Dr. A. F. Zahm of the Smithsonian institution was among those given a ride.

ST. PAUL IS HOST TO N. E. A. THRONGS

CONVENTION MET SATURDAY BUT REGULAR SESSIONS BEGIN TODAY.

TO DISCUSS MANY PROBLEMS

Educators of Entire Country Bending Their Energies Towards Improving Conditions Throughout the United States—Closes July 11.

St. Paul, July 6.—Hundreds of teachers, representing every state in the union are here attending the fifty-second annual convention of the National Education association. The throngs which had poured in up to Sunday night were greatly added to today, when the regular session opened. The convention closes July 11.

The meeting of the national council took place Saturday. Educational Sunday was observed yesterday.

Convention Is Divided.

The convention is divided into departments of kindergarten, elementary education, secondary education, higher education, normal school, business education, physical education, science education, special education, school patrons and classroom teachers.

Dr. Joseph Swain, president of Swarthmore college and of the National Education association, explained what the program will include and the important question to come up.

Session for Women.

Tonight the discussion at the general session will be "The Status of Woman." In all the history of the N. E. A., Dr. Swain said, there has never been a session devoted specifically to the interests of woman. This time such problems as the training of women for social responsibilities, the social waste of sex discrimination, the humanities old and new and the preparation of women for Twentieth century life, will be discussed by four women high in educational circles.

Mrs. Lois Kimball Mathews, dean of women at the University of Wisconsin; Sophonsiba Preston Breckenridge, assistant professor of social economy in the University of Chicago; Emma M. Perkins, professor of Latin at the Western Reserve university, and Mary E. Wooley, president of Mount Holyoke college, will be the speakers.

Topic For Tuesday.

The topic of teachers' salaries and pensions will be taken up at the session Tuesday afternoon. This session will be addressed by Margaret A. Haley, business representative of the Chicago Teachers' federation, on the topic, "Present Salaries of Teachers;" Charles W. Dabney, president of the University of Cincinnati, will talk on "Salaries of College Teachers." Grace C. Strachan, district superintendent of schools, Brooklyn, N. Y., will speak on "Salaries Based on the Position and Not on the Sex of Incumbent," and Walter I. Hamilton agent for the Massachusetts board of education, will talk on "Teachers' Pensions."

Normal Temperatures This Week.

Washington, July 6.—Temperatures averaging near normal over the entire country, with local rains fairly well distributed, are forecasted by the weather bureau for this week. "A disturbance that is now over the Northwest," the bulletin adds, "will move slowly eastward, crossing the eastern states about Wednesday, attended by rising temperatures and local showers and thunder storms. This will be followed by a change to cooler weather over the Northern states east of the Rocky mountains."

HOME RULE MAY YET CAUSE WAR

ORANGEMEN AWAIT ACTION OF PARLIAMENT AND SUSPENSE GROWS TENSE.

FIGHTING FORCES REVIEWED

Leaders of Covenanters Claim National Movement Not Serious, as Volunteer Companies Are Disorganized.

London, July 7.—With every week of suspense in the settlement of the future government of Ireland the menace of the military preparations by the Ulster and the home rule volunteers increases. The present tendency among the volunteers of the south is to accept leadership by the Nationalist party which John Redmond offered them.

Hostile Armed Camps.

Thus led, there would be a clear division of the home rulers and anti-home rule men into hostile armed camps. The very dangers of a bitter civil war which such a prospect presents, furnishes the best safeguard for peace.

Correspondents of the Associated Press at Dublin and Belfast have written of the situation from the Nationalist and Ulster points of view respectively.

An Interesting Development.

The most interesting development is the plan, hitherto unpublished, of the Orangemen under Sir Edward Carson for taking charge of affairs by force if a provisional government is set up, and the fact that the commercial men of Belfast have used their influence in Ulster councils to postpone radical action until a home rule parliament has been established in Dublin. The great question which confronts the Nationalist volunteers is how far their American sympathizers are likely to come forward with funds for their arms and equipment.

Volunteer Estimates Vary.

Dublin.—Estimates of the number of the Irish Nationalist volunteers vary between 80,000, which is the Dublin Castle figure compiled by the police, and 250,000, which is the estimate given in platform speeches. Careful inquiry shows that there are 50,000 in Leinster, which takes the lead, about 45,000 in Ulster (increasing rapidly), 35,000 in Munster and 25,000 in Connaught.

The difficulty of exact estimate arises from the fact that the movement is not organized from the center. Forces have sprung up spontaneously in every parish, and so far are only loosely connected with the provisional central body. There has been a complete wiping out of all class distinctions, and the rank and file include every grade—farmers, laborers, shop assistants, clerks, doctors, lawyers, and country gentlemen. There is a very strong leaven of time-expired soldiers—old Connaught Rangers, Dublin Fusiliers and Munster Fusiliers, and their experience is proving useful in the drill.

No Central Organization.

Belfast.—The leaders of the Covenanters in Ulster profess to consider the Nationalist volunteer movement as something not to be taken seriously. These Nationalist bands in the Ulster counties drill spasmodically and are not connected with any central organization. All the local leaders act entirely on their own initiative. In some districts the volunteers are split into factions under opposing leaders, who carry on a newspaper warfare.

The Ulster leaders say that the Nationalist volunteers must fail through the impossibility of getting arms. They claim to have many letters from America showing that the Irish there are tired of contributing to home rule, and now that they consider an Irish parliament assured, they propose to let those in Ireland settle their internal questions without help. Even if American sympathizers should refill the war chest the present government measures to suppress gun running in all ports would checkmate them.

"We have two years start in the matter of arming and we mean to keep it," an official of the Ulster Unionist council said to The Associated Press.

10,000 Visit Baths Sunday.

Minneapolis.—With a temperature of 90 degrees at 4 p. m. Sunday and the mercury well above 80 degrees the greater part of the day, the coolness of Calhoun Beach waters was the Minneapolis popular spot. It was the biggest day in the history of the baths. There was a long waiting line most of the day. From 10 a. m. the beach was crowded. Various estimates place the crowd at between 10,000 and 12,000 nearly doubling the July 4 crowd.

Dramatic Author Passes Away.

London, July 6.—Sydney Grundy, the dramatic author, is dead. He was born at Manchester in 1848.

Roosevelt Locks His Gate.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 6.—The gate leading to Sagamore Hill was barred for the first time in years and Colonel Roosevelt was inaccessible from the outer world. It was learned that he cherishes the hope as strongly as he expressed it in 1912, of breaking up "the solid South" through the Progressive party. Although he has given up his trip to the Pacific coast on account of the condition of his health and has cancelled several other engagements, he agreed to go to New Orleans next month to make a speech.

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A Montana Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

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Why Have Coroners?

What good is a coroner? This frequently recurring question is again justified by the news that a wound has been found in the skull of Ella Winter, the Baltimore girl whose body was found in Curtis bay a week ago last Thursday. The coroner's inquest had dismissed the case with a verdict of death by drowning. Whether the girl was murdered or not the circumstances of her death were such as to call for careful investigation. The coroner's notion of such an investigation seems to have been characteristic of his tribe. Was she found in the water? Yes. Very well, then she was drowned. At some time, perhaps, we shall become sensible enough to abolish an office which once served a useful purpose, but has become an anachronism.—New York Times.

LARGE BALD PATCH ON HEAD

Longmont, Colo.—"About one year ago our little girl was bothered greatly with what seemed a very bad case of dandruff. Her beautiful hair got dry and dead and flew in all directions. One morning I noticed a large bald patch on her head, larger than a dollar, covered with tiny blisters surrounded with an angry red ring. They finally began running. They itched and she never rested at night.

"It was pronounced a bad case of eczema. I was given a prescription which I continued to use till my baby's head was entirely covered with sores and she had lost all her hair. She was compelled to wear a silk cap and I thought she was disfigured for life. A visitor in our neighborhood recommended Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I used the Ointment at night and gave her a shampoo in the morning with the Cuticura Soap. In less than three months my girl was entirely healed." (Signed) Mrs. G. E. Dilts, Apr. 8, 1914.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

Beauty Rules for Summer.

Avoid heavy and very rich meals; light and digestible fare is required, consisting chiefly of fish, eggs, poultry, salads, cheese and fruit, sweets made with milk, cream and eggs, and so on, mostly cold, though too many ices should not be taken. They are responsible for most summer maladies. Iced drinks should also be taken in moderation; and the refreshing lemonade or "cups" made with light wines, hock, moselle or with light sirups, are best. If spirits are taken at all it should be infrequently.

The face should only be washed with soap and water last thing at night, but it is very refreshing to spray it and the back frequently with rose or elder-flower water to which simple tincture of benzoin has been added, drop by drop, in the proportion of one teaspoonful of the tincture to a half pint of rose water. Dry with a soft handkerchief, then apply a little non-fatty face cream, smooth this off with the handkerchief and dust on a little good powder. The face wash mentioned is wonderfully cleansing, and, with the cream, provides a great protection against freckles and sunburn.

Looks That Way.

Bill—Do you believe it is possible for a person to be talked to death?

Jill—Sure! Don't you know that the average woman is said to live two years longer than the average man!

Corrected.

"I suppose Maria is going to graduate in ecstatic rapture, Mrs. Jubbs."

"Oh, no, ma'am; in white silk crepe with val lace trimming."

HIT THE SPOT.

Postum Knocked Out Coffee Ails.

There's a good deal of satisfaction and comfort in hitting upon the right thing to rid one of the varied and constant ailments caused by coffee drinking.

"Ever since I can remember," writes an Ind. woman, "my father has been a lover of his coffee, but the continued use of it so affected his stomach that he could scarcely eat at times.

"Mother had coffee headache and dizziness, and if I drank coffee for breakfast I would taste it all day and usually go to bed with a headache.

"One day father brought home a pkg. of Postum recommended by our grocer. Mother made it according to directions on the box and it just "hit the spot." It has a dark, seal-brown color, changing to golden brown when cream is added, and a snappy taste similar to mild, high-grade coffee, and we found that its continued use speedily put an end to all our coffee ills.

"That was at least ten years ago and Postum has, from that day to this, been a standing order of father's grocery bill.

"When I married, my husband was a great coffee drinker, although he admitted that it hurt him. When I mentioned Postum he said he did not like the taste of it. I told him I could make it taste all right. He smiled and said, try it. The result was a success, he won't have anything but Postum."

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State News of General Interest

MAIMED BODY FOUND IN LAKE

RAILWAY CLERK EVIDENTLY KILLED SEVERAL DAYS AGO.

Bullet Wound Through Lungs and Battered Head Give Evidence of Struggle—Robbery Possibly the Cause.

Minneapolis.—With an ugly bullet wound through the lungs and the head battered and crushed, the body of Alfred Moore, 50 years old, chief clerk of the freight department of the Dan Patch railroad, was found in Lake of the Isles, off West Twenty-first street.

Coroner Seashore conducted an autopsy at the county morgue, reserved his verdict and indicated that an inquest would be held later. City detectives working on the case report little progress.

The skull was fractured over the left ear, teeth on the lower left jaw were knocked out, front teeth of the upper jaw were loosened, and the nose and left eye were discolored and bruised. A bullet wound in the left breast would have been sufficient to cause death, Dr. Seashore said. There were no powder marks near the wound.

Moore came to Minneapolis a year ago from England, leaving his wife there until he was sure of success in this country.

Moore was last seen alive by friends Saturday noon when he left the company's offices to attend a picnic at Antlers park, given by employes of the road. He did not appear at the picnic. Relatives and friends became alarmed Monday and notified the police.

A watch found in the dead man's clothing stopped at 10:25. Mrs. E. E. Easthagen told Charles S. Barnard, police sergeant, she heard cries for help coming from the lake Saturday night.

Patrolman W. L. Hartley of the park police found Moore's purse in a vest pocket, torn almost in two, and empty. Eleven cents were in a trousers pocket. Oscar Moore said his brother had considerable money on his person.

Detectives searched for a revolver in the lake near the body, but found none. They have tried to trace Moore's movements after he left his office Saturday, but have accomplished little.

RINES ALLEGES COUNT ERROR

Prepares Petition for Recount of Votes Cast in Primary for State Auditor.

Mora.—Petition for a recount of the vote for the republican nomination for state auditor has been prepared by Henry Rines and filed in district court before Judge P. H. Stolberg.

The papers include an order to Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state, and J. A. O. Preus, certified as the nominee, to show cause why the vote should not be recounted. Judge Stolberg is to fix a date for the hearing.

Mr. Rines alleges that there were numerous errors in the official count, particularly with regard to the second choice, that many first choice votes placed in the second choice column were not counted as they should have been and that second choice votes were incorrectly tabulated.

Mr Rines has gone to the Twin Cities to make further inquiries into the vote.

SORTER HEADS DEMOCRATS

Harmony at Conference That Selects Minneapolis Man as Chairman.

St. Paul.—Harmony was the predominating feature of the Democratic state conference at the state capitol.

A. L. Sorter of Minneapolis was made chairman. Martin O'Brien was named vice chairman and R. A. Hartigan of St. Paul secretary. Former State Senator S. D. Works was named treasurer. Senator Works was active in the harmony program, which was a feature of the gathering.

Certain trouble in the Democratic ranks was early dispersed when Chairman Sorter was introduced by Martin O'Brien. Mr. Sorter, in a happy talk of 10 minutes paid his compliments to the nominee and predicted success to the state ticket. Mr. Sorter, who in a way is unknown in state politics, surprised the gathering with his telling and happy speech.

Ask Treaty Enforcement.

Bemidji.—Thirty business and professional men organized an 1855 Treaty Enforcement league, with J. J. Opsahl president and Harry Reynolds, secretary and treasurer. Funds are being raised to carry on a campaign for the enforcement of the treaty. Petitions signed by 400 residents ask that saloons be closed. These have been forwarded to the Indian department. Many women are working for the success of the movement.

Freeborn County Crop Outlook.

Albert Lea.—Weather Observer Edward Cary of this city reports that more than [illegible] inches of rainfall was recorded last month, nearly twice the amount that usually falls. In spite of this excessive rainfall the crops all over the county are looking fine. Small grain is standing well. Some of the corn has been lodged by heavy wind, but it is thought most of it will straighten up again. The potato crop, of which there is a larger acreage this season, is looking exceptionally well. Few bugs are reported.

STATE ASKS "FIRE BREAK"

Great Northern Requested to Provide Safeguard for Forests on Fosston Branch.

Minneapolis.—Following the lead of the federal government in requiring railroads to establish a "fire break" of 250 feet along their rights of way through national forests, the state forestry board will make an effort to obtain similar protective measures in the timber belt of Minnesota. The first attempt will be made on the Fosston branch of the Great Northern road to induce that line to emulate the Soo through the Minnesota national forest.

Before the Soo Line was permitted to construct its Duluth-Red Lake Falls short line through the national forest about Cass Lake, the road was required to provide a "fire break" 250 feet in width through the entire reserve.

The "break" consists of a strip of 100 feet on each side of the track kept entirely bare of trees and undergrowth and beyond this zone a strip of plowed ground on each side twenty-five feet in width.

The federal government is not in position to enforce this plan with reference to the Great Northern, which also runs through the forest as the latter road had a right of way before the national forest was created.

Although the United States is helpless, Minnesota will endeavor by moral suasion and otherwise to place the Great Northern on equality with the Soo in the matter of protecting the forest.

PASTORS OUSTED BY COURT

T. J. and H. J. Strand Will Appeal to Supreme Court, However, in Effort to Resist Dismissal.

Albert Lea.—The adjourned term of the district court was called in this city by Judge Kingsley of Austin and one of the church cases involving Rev. T. J. Strand is up for hearing.

An action to determine who were the legally elected trustees of the West Freeborn Norwegian congregation commonly known as the Manchester church, was tried last March. The court decided that the so-called anti-Strand forces constituted the congregation and that their trustees were the legally elected ones. A stay of proceedings, however, was granted until July 1. Under this stay T. J. Strand and his followers have remained in possession of the church, burial ground and parsonage.

An application was made a few days ago to extend the stay pending an appeal to the supreme court. This motion was heard. The court refused to extend the stay and judgment will now be entered ousting the Strand trustees and seating the legally elected trustees of the congregation. This ends the cases, so far as the district court is concerned, against the two brothers, T. J. Strand and H. J. Strand, pastors of the five Freeborn county churches, as both have now been ousted by the court decisions. Steps are being taken by the Strand forces to appeal.

Home Folks Honor Lee.

Long Prairie.—A sport program, addresses of congratulation and a dance concluded the celebration tendered William E. Lee, Republican gubernatorial nominee, by home folks. Addresses were made by Fred Sherman, state immigration commissioner, Charles Kroonze, Long Prairie; J. W. McKellip, Round Prairie; R. H. Gardner, Staples; E. V. Moore, Eagle Bend; ; Fred Moosman, Birchdale township. W. O. Clure, one of Lee's managers. Mr. Lee's response assured the voters of a business administration, if elected. Special trains brought large crowds to the celebration.

Eberhart on Lecture Tour.

St. Paul.—Minnesota will be without a governor at the capitol during this month and August. Governor A. O. Eberhart has accepted the offer of the Redpath-Vawter bureau to fill the Chautauqua dates arranged for former Governor Joseph D. Folk of Missouri. He will receive $3,000 for the lectures. Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith is studying the law to determine just what authority J. A. A. Burnquist, lieutenant governor, will have in the interregnum. The constitution says that the lieutenant governor becomes the chief executive of the state in the event of a vacancy.

Ortonville Crops Flourishing.

Ortonville.—The prospect for a big crop of small grain in this section, especially in Big Stone, Lac qui Parle, Swift and Stevens counties was never better. The lowlands are partially covered with water, but the acreage which will suffer will be very small. Corn will be a good crop. Rye, wheat and barley are heading out. Alfalfa, timothy and clover fields are flourishing far beyond expectation.

Old Plainsman Takes Bride.

Minneapolis.—Captain Jack Hart, former plainsman, government scout and secret service agent, is married. His bride is Miss Raye Thomas of Chicago. The ceremony was performed at the home of a Baptist minister whose name Captain Jack has forgotten. The couple began their honeymoon with a trip to a cottage on Phelps island, Lake Minnetonka. Captain Hart is 67 years old. His bride is near the same age. They have known each other for five years and have been engaged for one year.

BRAINERD CITY CLERK ROBBED

Three Desperadoes Beat Official and Rob Vault of $1,388—Search Is General.

Brainerd.—Three desperadoes who beat V. N. Roderick, city clerk of Brainerd to unconsciousness and then robbed the city vault of $1,388, are being sought by squads of police at many points throughout the state. The bandits are believed to have boarded a train for Minneapolis immediately after the crime.

Roderick was alone in the office at 10 p. m. Monday, when the robbers entered and attacked him. One man turned out the lights and the others beat him with a club.

He was stunned and knocked to the floor. He had opened the vault doors and the robbers had no difficulty in getting the cash, which was in a money drawer. Checks were thrown away.

The bandits searched Roderick's clothing, but did not take the small change they found there.

As the bandits fled from the building, Roderick regained consciousness for a few moments. He called the police and told of the robbery and then fell unconscious to the floor. The telephone operator who answered his call heard him fall.

Posses were immediately organized. Five suspects were arrested within a few hours, but none of them is believed to be of the bandit trio. Shortly after the robbery two men were seen riding on a switch engine toward the roundhouse and shops on the outskirts of the city. There the men are believed to have boarded an outgoing train for Minneapolis.

Of the amount stolen $1,130 was in bills, $220 in gold and the remainder in silver.

DAN PATCH LINE EXTENDED

Lease From Chicago Great Western Gives Electric Road 87 Miles of Additional Track.

Northfield.—The Dan Patch line is in possession today of the 50-year operating rights over the Chicago Great Western road from Northfield to Mankato and Randolph. The 40-mile length of road that the Dan Patch management operated last year, with gross receipts of $4,615 a mile, or total gross earnings of $190,000, was increased by leases to 127 miles. As rapidly as possible, new operating schedules will be perfected.

The Dan Patch line proper, on its own mileage, operates from Fifty-fourth street, Minneapolis, to Northfield, and on Great Western mileage beyond Northfield to Faribault. Its entry last year into Faribault increased its traffic materially.

The Chicago Great Western road strikes south with its main line through Randolph, which is 10 miles east of Northfield. Its line from Randolph eastward to Red Wing and the Mississippi river is not affected, but from Randolph westward, through Northfield, it has 67 miles of road to Mankato which is the portion of the Great Western system that the Dan Patch has leased.

Posts Letter, Calls Firemen.

St. Paul.—It's quite proper for any person to insert a letter in a mail box, but when some one attempts to insert a letter in a fire alarm box something is sure to be doing. Firemen had visions of a battle with flames yesterday when they sped to Fourth and Sibley streets. They found an embarrassed man near Patrolman McCormick. The man had tried to mail a letter in the alarm box.

PREDICT END OF THE WORLD

Virginia Finns See White-robed Angel and Believe It to Be a Warning.

Virginia.—The appearance of a "white-robed angel" in this city [illegible] days ago has been heralded throughout the northwest states by Finnish newspapers. Five residents say they saw the figure so clearly that the toes of its feet were discernible as it alighted on the socialist temperance hall. The Finns believe it is a warning of the second coming of Christ. Many residents firmly believe it appeared.

Egg Within an Egg.

Pipestone.—An egg that was discovered at the farm of William Roscoe, Sr., when dinner was being prepared, measured eight and three-fourths inches in circumference, and upon being opened was found to contain instead of a yolk another egg that was normal in every particular.

Sheriff Finds Hanging Body.

St. Cloud.—When Sheriff B[illegible] Schoener of this county reached [illegible] Schultz's home near Rockville to serve a warrant on the man for beating his divorced wife and driving her and the family from the house last night he found Schultz's body hanging from a tree. The man had killed himself. Schultz and his wife were divorced this month and Mrs. Schultz was given the farm. The husband was committed to the asylum a year ago but was discharged as cured.

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Secretary of Millionaire Was Just an Extreme of the Graduate of 1914 Style.

Jerome S. McWade, at a tea in Duluth, was talking about the girl graduate.

"I called on an old millionaire concerning an investment the other day," he said, "and, as I took leave, I drew the old boy out into the hall and said:

"'George, my boy—about that private secretary of yours. Excuse me, George, if I seem to overstep the bounds of decorum; but I'm a friend of yours, and—er—

"'In short, George,' I struggled on, 'I know she's a pretty girl, and too young to mean any real harm, and so forth—but there's a terribly long slit in her skirt, George; and at three o'clock the other morning she was tangoing and smoking cigarettes and drinking champagne at the Chat Mort in one of those transparent revelation gowns from Paris, and she bathed Sunday with Jaggers in a tight boy's suit like Annette Kellerman wears—skin tight and no stockings, you know, George—and so, really, since she's so young and pretty, I'm half afraid she'll break up your home. And, oh, George, what a sad, sad thing that would be for a man of your age. I guess you only employ her out of charity, yet—'

"But here the old fellow gave me a nasty laugh and interrupted me.

"'No,' he said. 'No, I don't employ her out of charity, McWade. You see, she's my daughter, just graduated from college.'"—New York World.

For Bad Burns.

Don't thrust a burned foot or hand into cold water. It relieves for a moment, only to be followed by an increase of pain, peeling off of the cuticle, and very frequently by ulceration of the wound. Don't tie up in a dry cloth; all woven material is porous and admits air. Don't drag off the clothing. Don't rub or cut off the hanging skin. Your object when called upon to treat a burn is at once to exclude air. For this purpose nothing is better than oil of some sort. Paraffin is not a bad thing, or vaseline, or common olive oil, or lard and butter, if both be entirely without salt.—First Aid for Everyday Accidents.

RESINOL CURED AWFUL ITCHING IN ONE NIGHT

New York, April 26.—"The skin on my hand got red and rough. It itched and I began to scratch it. It itched so that sometimes I could not sleep all night. I was suffering very much. I used — salve and — —, but they did not seem to help me. This went on for six or seven months. Then I tried resinol ointment and resinol soap. I used them one night. In the morning to my surprise, my hand was all well and the trouble has never returned. This is the absolute truth." (Signed) Miss Celia Kleinman, 61 Columbia St.

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Marital Reciprocity.

He—My dear, I have invited my mother to spend the week with us.

She—Oh, James, I am not prepared for company. Why did you ask her now?

He—Because I am determined you shall not have this mother-in-law joke all to yourself.

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"I noticed that vessel was tied up to the wharf."

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"Will you have the [illegible]?" "No, I've got to take it."—Judge.

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"Don't you suffer extremely from lassitude here?" asked the city visitor of a villager back in the swamp country.

"Never heerd o' nobody havin' sich a disease. Th' wust we has here is fever an' agy."—Livingston Lance.

How She Wronged Him.

"Your husband, madam, is suffering from voluntary inertia." "Poor fellow! And here I've been telling him he's just lazy."

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Bank Statement

Bank No. 1064.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on June 30th 1914.

Date of call by Supt. July 6, 1914.
Date of report by bank, July 6, 1914.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$33,154 77
Overdrafts		49 98
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,558 88
Due from Banks	4,417 81	
Cash on hand	813 21	
Total cash assets		5,231 02
Checks and cash items		50 92
Total		$41,044 57
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock and Surplus		$12,000 00
Undivided Profits, net		409 61
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		14,300 00
Deposits		$14,274 96
Total		$41,044 57
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$5281 94
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$2016 19

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, Lars Backe President, and B. L. Backe, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LARS BACKE, President,
B. L. BACKE, Cashier.

Correct Attest: S. S. KOLDEN
(Two) Directors CHAS. W. LATTA

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1914.
(Seal) NILS ENGEBRETSEN, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-15-1919.

Rollis Rumbles

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Jensen Thursday evening, a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and family of Thief River Falls autoed out to spend the Fourth with Peter Kolden, Mrs. A. is Mrs. K. sister. They returned Sunday.

A 15 lb. boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ole Christopherson last Thursday. No wonder Ole was out to the Shamrock Farm picnic to celebrate with a happy smile.

The town of Whiteford is putting in a fine grade along the west section line of 36. The people are very glad for it was almost impossible to get out with a load before. This road will join the main grade. S't. Groshon is supervising the work.

A lot of young people drove to T. Sunday June 28 for a picnic in honor of Miss Wasser, who returns to work at the hospital Tuesday. They report a fine day and lots of fun, especially on the way home, when it rained in torrents. They turned the wagon box on edge and got under it.

Note: The celebration is crowded this week, but we will try to print it in our next issue.

Dr. Henney of T. R. Falls was in town Wednesday.

S. S. Kolden Co. unloaded a car of machinery Tuesday.

Andrew Bjerk has just returned from a trip to Canada

Account of picnic at O. Johnson's too late, will be printed next week

Mrs. Moe of Glandive, N. D., has been visiting at Sollom's.

Services were held by Rev. Ordahl last Sunday, in the Nazareth Luth. church.

Mr. Seinen of Middle River stopped in town, Wednesday, enroute to Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Strom and family from T. R. Falls, were 4th of July visitors at Holt.

Clarence Christenson has just completed a dandy good well on his place at a depth of 103 feet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Semingson of Beltrami, came Tuesday to look after their claim and visit friends.

About 25 or 30 Holt Boosters, armed with shovels and spades, made a raid Thursday evening on the roads, which are now much better and will encourage said boosters to go out again.

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on June 30th, 1914.

Date of call by Supt., July 3rd 1914.
Date of report by Bank, July 6th, 1914

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$67,212 13
Overdrafts		653 87
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,715 14
Other Real Estate		$3,000 86
Due from Banks	7,210 60	
Cash on Hand	416 30	
Total Cash Assets		7,626 90
Checks and Cash Items		250 60
Total		$81,459 50
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock and Surplus		$12,500 00
Undivided Profits, net		1,008 02
Notes Rediscouted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		13,500 00
Deposits		54,451 48
Total		$81,459 50
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$7,877 50
Amt. of Reserve Requried by Law		$5,249 35

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President.
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNHEIM,
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1914.
[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

Notice of Annual School Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting in District No. 35 in Marshall County, Minnesota, for the Election of Officers and the transaction of other business required by law at the Annual Meeting, will be held at the School House on the 18th day of July 1914, at 7 to 8 o' clock P. M. To decide the question of changeing the School House site of the above district from the present site to the following described premises; to wit: Commencing from a point situated 461 feet due west from the N. W. corner of Block 8, Townsite of Holt, Sec. 33-156-43 thence North to South 290.4 feet, thence East to West 300 feet, thence South to North 290.4 feet, thence west to starting point 300 feet, containing two acres, the whole thereof being situated in the N. E. 1-4 of the S. E. 1-4 Sec. 32-156-43.

To provide for the building of a new two room School House thereon

To authorize the School Board to Advertise for bids and sell the School Buildings now located on the present School site.

To authorize the School Board to issue the Bonds of said School Dist. in the sum of four thousand dollars for the purpose of building a new two room school building on the proposed site.

That the bonds to be payable in such amounts and at such time as the legal voters of said district at such meeting shall determine.

To authorize and direct the School Board with the requirements as to School Houses, equipment, teachers, etc., that is required to a Consolidated District in order to get State Aid and that the School Board make application for such State Aid.

Dated this Eighth day of July 1914.
D. PAYNE, District Clerk.

Workmen took down the bowery Wednesday. The lumber will be sold.

John Torrison spent Saturday and Sunday at T. R. Falls, returning on Monday.

C. F. Nielson, of Mud Lake, has a flowing well, obtained at a depth of 110 feet.

P. A. Riesberg was a visitor at T. R. Falls last Sunday, returning the same day.

Christ Ythre had the pleasure of looking for his horses last Sunday, they finally being found at Rosewood Monday morning. It cost him $5.00 to redeem same.

The Zion Ladies Aid had a Fourth of July picnic at Ole B. Johnson's. A good crowd were present and all enjoyed themselves. Mrs. Olaus Eggum won first prize and Mis Inga Johnson second, in the sack race.

P. A. Von Wold, former resident of Holt, now of T. R. Falls and John Stanley of Holt, returned Sunday from an over country tour through Canada. They seemed to be very disappointed with the land and outlook of that country and are more than glad to return to the good old "U. S. A."

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, June 27, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Nick Baker, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on May 31, 1913, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 09103, for SW¼, Section 36, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 4th, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Martin O. Nelson, Allen Adolphson, Nels Gudvangen, Engebreth Moe, all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 24, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Elling Tollefsrud, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on April 7th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05957, for NW¼, Section 13, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 3rd, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Cleve Bergum, John Mundheuke, Sigurd Vick, Edwin C. Johnson, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

Estate of Erick E. Nyberg. State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court. In the Matter of the Estate of Erick E. Nyberg, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Karin Nyberg, Ole Nyberg, Edward Nyberg, Bennet Nyberg, Dedrick Nyberg, Albertina Nyberg, Hilma Nyberg, Karl Nyberg, Tilda Nyberg, Elmer Nyberg, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of July, 1914, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 23rd day of June, 1914.

PETER H. HOLM, Probate Judge.
A. N. ECKSTROM, Attorney for Petitioner.
(Court Seal) Warren, Minn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, July 1, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Johanna Malone Nelson, a widow of Martin A. Nelson, deceased, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on October 5th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05663, for N½ SW¼ & SE¼ NW¼ & NW¼ SE¼, Section 28, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 14th, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John O. Foss, Peter Ostlund, of Golden Valley, Minnesota. Thomas Sten, A. H. Huseth, of Holt Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Dr. J. C. R. CHAREST
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office in Union Block
Thief River Falls - - Minn.

CHARLES A. PITKIN
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LAWYER
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Thief River Falls, Minn.

LOANS PROBATE WORK COLLECTION
O. A. NAPLIN
Attorney-at-Law
Evenson Block
Thief River Falls, - - Minn.

KNUTE NELSON
Uuited states Commissioner, Distric of Minnesota
Final Proofs and Homestead Entries carefully attended to.
Middle River, - - - Minnesota.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. June 19, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that George C. Anderson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on January 20th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05824, for E½ NW¼ E½ SW¼, Section 35, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 1st day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Nels Fosen, Albert C. Jahr, Olaus Rodahl, Anton Rodahl, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 22, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John O. Foss, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Nov. 7th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 08568, for SW¼, Section 33, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wihelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner For District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 30th. day of July, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Rudolph Jensen, of Germantown, Minn. Charles Rossman, of Germantown, Minn. Gunder Tveit, of Golden Valley, Minn. Ole B. Johnson, of Holt, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

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The Best there is in Flour
* Every sack Guaranteed *
Our Elevator and Lumber Yard are always prepared to give the most satisfactory service.
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.,
OSCAR HANSON, Agent, - - HOLT, MINN.

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Absolute Safety Guaranteed Depositors
50 Per Cent
Increase in Business since January
LARS BACKE, President

Our friends and patrons are constantly increasing, due in a large measure to appreciative, intelligent service, courteous treatment and square business dealings.

S. S. KOLDEN, Vice-Pres. B. L. BACKE, Cashier
The Pioneer Bank Officials of Holt

FARMERS STATE BANK of Holt
Capital and Surplus $12,000.00

UNLIMITED MONEY
For Farm Loans

Something New! in Special Offers!

Beginnin To-day and Continuing until Aug. 1st we are going to make a Special Effort to get acquainted with you and your wants. To do this we will make the following Special Low Prices on COFFEE

Rio Coffee,	regular 20c,	now	17c
151 Coffee,	" 22c	"	19c
Peaberry Coffee	" 26c	"	22c
Standard Coffee,	" 28c	"	23c

In addition to these Bargains in Coffee we will give Special Low Prices on other lines of our Grocery Department. All Goods absolutely fresh.

Yours for future business
The People's Cash Store
Sollom Bros., Props. Holt, Minn.

The Latest Things In Machinery

I have just received a Carload of

Mowers, Rakes, Binders and other Machinery.

Come in and see me before buying elsewhere

R. REIERSON

Get your meals at the hotel. adv

Ed. Monson of Randen was in town Tuesday.

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Sheriff Fosberg was here on business, Tuesday.

Oscar E. Olson, of Golden Valley, was in town Monday.

Dr. G. F. Walker of Middle River was in town Wednesday.

Nels Peterson of Crookston was a Holt business visitor Friday.

Miss. Emma Olson spent Sunday with her parents on the farm.

Rev. Ordahl was in town reading with the confirmants Monday.

Mrs. Carl Newton has been visiting in the country for a few days.

Miss Clara Sollom was on the sick list for a couple of days, this week.

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

Erick Knutson and son, Oscar, of Randen were in town Monday and Tuesday.

Leonard Dahl went to Middle River Tuesday to make final proof on his claim.

John Fors returned Tuesday from about a weeks visit with relatives in Theif River Falls.

Mrs. Bray and children of Fertile, Minn. came Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. A. Huseth.

K. Newton from McIntash arrived Wednesday for a visit with his son, Carl N., and family.

Messrs. Silbaugh and Kolden accompanied by their wives autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Hon. John Saugstad took J. Lockstad and family to Ellert Sunday to attend a school festival.

C. F. Birkeland was in T. R. Falls and Warren, the first of the week, returning here Wednesday.

W.E. Patten of Golden Valley was in Holt and Thief River Falls on business Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson returned Tuesday from several days visit with relatives at Nielsville.

The Middle River Pioneer gave Holt's Fourth of July celebration a fine write-up. Thank you Bro. Carr

Mrs. D. B. Backe and Mrs. Nelson autoed up from T. R Falls last Sunday calling at the B. Docken home

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Gunheim went to Big Woods Tuesday morning by auto for a few days visit with relatives

Miss Bradley of Parkers Prairie came Saturday to visit at the home of her cousin, John Simnson, near Holt.

Messrs B. I. Bakke, S. S. Kolden, Al Huseth and Leonard Jensen made a business trip to Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Helmer Backlund from Hoffman, Grant Co. who has been visiting his brother, Ole, here for the past week went to Randin Friday to visit another brother. Ole Backlund took him in his auto as far as Gatzke.

Passenger traffic is so heavy from the south that the train is almost always late But the train going the other way is always on time. The reason for this is that travel south is light. After people get here and try it awhile, they don't care to leave

Large tract of good valley farming land just thrown open for free settlement in Oregon Over 200,000 acres in all Good climate, rich soil, and does not require irrigation to raise finest crops of grain, fruit and garden track For large map, full instructions and information and a plat of several sections of exceptionally good claims, send $5 to to John Keefe, Oregon City, Oregon Three years a U S surveyor and timberman An opportunity to get a good fertile free homestead near town and market 820

In Church Circles.

The Nazareth Lutheran Church is receiving a new coat of paint by the Johnson Bros.

The Ladies' will meet at D. Payne's, Wednesday July 29th, instead of Aug. 5th as first announced.

There will be services in Golden Valley at Olaf Dahl's place July 19 at 2 o'clock and in East Valley in the schoolhouse of Dist. 148, July 26 at 10:45. All children should meet at the schoolhouse on Saturday and Sunday, July 25 and 26.

The Young People's Society met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Payne, Sunday afternoon. A good program was rendered and was enjoyed very much by the large number in attendance. After the program a substantial lunch was partaken of by all present.

An old style 4th of July Picnic was held at the Ole Johnson's grove in East Valley under the auspices of Zion Ladies' Aid. Each family brought their dinner and common table was spread under the shady elm trees for all. After dinner a program was rendered by the children of the Norwegian School and the Zion chorous sang a few songs.

Two speeches were given, one in English on the history of the Day by the undersigned, and one in Norwegian by Lars Hallgoord on Modern Norway.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

Roland Olsen went to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

The Hinchman Bros. went to T. R. Falls, Monday.

E. E. Pechie of Golden Valley was in town on business Tuesday.

Farmers: Get your meals at the Hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop. adv

B. L. Backe took A. Huseth and his sister-in-law to Rosewood, Monday.

Mrs. Carl Newton and children returned Monday from an outing at the Chas. Swartz home.

Mrs. Bakken and granddaughter, Agnes, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden.

The dray team ran away Monday but Ludwig Monson caught them before any damage was done.

Senator J Saugstad returned to Crookston on Tuesday to attend the Northwestern Minnesota Fair.

John Sorum and P A Riesberg left Tuesday evening for Warren to serve as witnesses in a land case.

Mr. and Mrs B I Bakke, Mis Adolph Sollem and Miss Myrtle Thomas autoed to Warren Friday.

Don't fail to read Sollom Brothers new ads, two of them, this week. They are making some special prices.

Mr. and Mrs Dahlen and Mr. and Mrs. Reep, all of Thief River Falls, autod to Holt, Sunday, to attend the Young People's Society

Mr. and Mrs Adolph Sollem have moved into town where it will be handier to take care of his store. They will make their home at the hotel.

Nearly everyone in Holt went out to Charley Heinze's Friday evening and gave him the "surprise" of his life. Mr Heinze soon recovered his composure, greeted everyone cordially and heartily entered into the enjoyment of the evening. Ice cream and cookies were served

Cards received by B. [illegible] from the Carlson Huseth [illegible] show their Tuesdays trip to have been as follows.

Rosewood [illegible]
T. R Falls 7.40
St Hilaire 9.10
R. L. Falls 9.50
Fertile dinner
Mahnomen 3:50
Poor road [illegible]

FARM LOANS

This is the season for "Farm Sales", and we call your attention to the fact that we have Money to Loan on First Mortgages in Farm Lands, at reasonable rates. Do not fail to see us if you are in need of a Farm Loan.

WAYS TO SAVE

Look for Bargains. Live Simply. Get Married. Carry Life insurance. Pay the Cash. Take your Discount. Cut out Luxuries. Keep an Expense Account. BANK YOUR SAVINGS.
GOOD ADVICE? YES. CAN YOU DO IT? YOU CAN WITH OUR HELP.

$1.00 Opens an Account.

HOLT STATE BANK
County and State Depository
D. B. BAKKE, President B. DOCKEN, Cashier
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Flour! "Cremo" Flour!

"Cremo" Flour means the very BEST to be obtained in flour.

Your Money Refunded if the Flour is not as GUARANTEED.

The People's "Cash Store"
Everything in Merchandise
Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota

Cultivators

We have on hand a supply of One and Two-horse Cultivators; both in Disc and Shovel Type.

If you are in the market for any implements of this kind do not fail to give us a call.

S. S. Kolden & Co.

Boost for Holt

Theo. Sollom left [illegible] his home on the claim until fall. He says he expects to travel on the new railroad east of T. R. Falls when he returns here.

Mrs. [illegible] and children returned to their home near Thief River Falls Friday after a pleasant week's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Reierson.

Sheriff Fosberg was in town Thursday.

Thorval Kolden [illegible] Monday went east of Thief Lake Tuesday to set up some machinery for John Oldberg.

Mrs Ella Ol[illegible] and children, Blanche and Roland, came up Thief River Falls Saturday to spend Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Payne.

BRYAN DEFENDS PROPOSED TREATY

SECRETARY OF STATE ISSUES STATEMENT DISCUSSING COLOMBIA.

SAYS $25,000,000 IS JUST

Declares Southern Neighbor Is Out Several Millions in Excess of This Sum by Our Act. Replies to Critics.

Washington, July 14. — Secretary Bryan issued a statement defending the proposed treaty to settle the differences between the United States and Colombia over the separation of Panama. The treaty has met vigorous opposition in the senate, and former President Roosevelt has attacked it as a vehicle for the payment of "blackmail."

Says Loss Exceeds $25,000,000.

Mr. Bryan declared that it was necessary to discuss only the fact that an estrangement exists, and not the events which gave rise to the differences; and that regardless of whether Colombia has a just grievance against her more powerful neighbor, no one would deny that the former country sustained great financial loss, considerably more than the $25,000,000 which the United States would pay under the treaty, through the separation of Panama.

As to the expression of regret on the part of American government, to which opponents of the pending convention offer their bitterest objection, the secretary said this was almost identical with a similar expression in the Du Bois memorandum on the basis of which the Taft administration unsuccessfully sought to placate Colombia.

The Statement, in Part.

The statement, in part, follows:

"The present administration found an estrangement existing between the United States and Colombia, an estrangement that has continued for nearly 13 years. As the normal relation between nations is one for friendship, it is desirable that differences shall be adjusted and cordial relations resumed. It is not necessary to discuss the events which gave rise to this estrangement, because it does not matter which party was at fault. The estrangement exists, and this is the fact that must be dealt with.

"Colombia has all along insisted upon arbitration. If this nation were willing to arbitrate it would not be necessary to discuss terms of settlement because in the case of arbitration the parties accept the finding of the arbitrators and settle their differences according to the terms prescribed. It is not the policy of nations, however, to settle by arbitration questions like those arising between the United States and Colombia, and as arbitration is not resorted to, the settlement must be made by direct negotiations. Our nation, being much the larger nation, and having refused to arbitrate, takes upon itself the responsibility of doing justice to Colombia.

Has Sustained Loss.

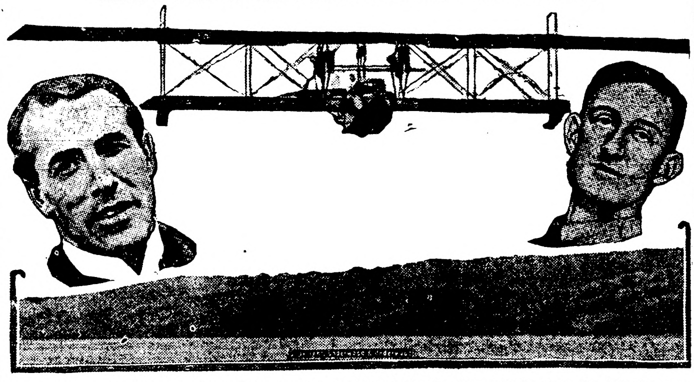
"Colombia feels that she has been aggrieved, and whatever may be said as to whether or not this feeling is justified, no one will deny that she has sustained financial loss in the separation of Panama from her. Before the separation took place this government offered Colombia $10,000,000 for canal route and $250,000 a year for 100 years. This annuity might be capitalized at about $7,500,000, so that this government's estimate of the loss suffered by Colombia could not be less than about $17,500,000. But that estimate was made upon the supposition that Colombia would retain the state or department of Panama. The retention of Panama would have given to Colombia not only the value of Panama, but the incidental benefits to be derived from proximity to the canal. We cannot deny, therefore, that the actual loss to Colombia was considerably more than $25,000,000.

Negotiations of Du Bois.

"There is no doubt that Mr. Du Bois was authorized to make known to Colombia that the United States would offer as the basis of a treaty if assured of acceptance by Colombia, $10,000,000 for the Atrato river canal route and arbitration of the reversionary interest of Colombia in the railroad. This reversionary interest was valued at about $16,000,000, which would have been the sum awarded to Colombia if the arbitration was decided in her favor. The $10,000,000 for the Atrato route and the $10,000,000 was evidently intended more as liquidated damages than as the price of the canal route, together with the value of the reversionary interest in the railroad would amount to $26,000,000.

"If cordial relations are to be restored with Colombia they must be restored on a basis that is satisfactory to Colombia. Friendships cannot rest upon force; neither can they rest upon acquiescence in the power of might even if Colombia, under protest and against the judgment of her people, accepted a less sum than that we offer, it would not restore the relations that ought to exist. We must satisfy their sense of justice, although a less sum might satisfy our sense of justice. In every settlement there must be concessions.

READY FOR THEIR FLIGHT ACROSS THE ATLANTIC



The Wanamaker-Curtiss hydroaeroplane, America, is all ready for the attempt to fly across the Atlantic ocean, starting from Newfoundland. It is here seen in the air on a test flight. Inset at the left is Lieutenant Porte, the pilot, and at the right George Hallett, his assistant.

FOUNDATIONS GET TWO HARD KNOCKS

N. E. A. TAKES FLING AT ROCKEFELLER AND CARNEGIE DONATIONS.

OAKLAND, CAL., FOR '15 MEET

Officers Elected and Women Gain Recognition With Five of Eleven Vice Presidents—Jordan President.

St. Paul, July 10.—Two hard knocks at the Rockefeller and Carnegie foundations were delivered by the National Education Association and its auxiliary body, the department of normal schools.

The association resolved that all official investigations of public education should be made through the United Sttaes bureau of education.

The normal school department "viewed with alarm the activities of the Carnegie and Rockefeller foundations in their effort to control the policies of the state educational institutions."

Jordan Unanimously Elected.

As was predicted David Starr Jordan, chancellor of Leland Stanford university, California, was unanimously elected president of the association for 1915 at the business session.

Dr. Jordan will therefore preside at the convention held in connection with the Panama-Pacific exposition. Oakland, Cal., was chosen as the place of meeting. The time is in August.

The threatened revolt of the women delegates against male domination in the convention did not materialize in the matter of nominations. A purpose to placate the women is indicated in the election of five women to vice presidencies, of which there are 11 in all.

List of Vice Presidents.

The list of vice presidents follow: Joseph Swain, Swathmore, Pa.; Miss Grace Strachan, of Brooklyn; Mrs. Helen Hefferman, Illinois; Miss Isabelle Williams, St. Paul; Mrs. Josephine Preston, Washington; Mrs. Cora G. Lewis, Kansas; Walter R. Seivers, Idaho; J. W. Brister, Tennessee; R. C. Stearns, Virginia; J. G. Collicott, Indiana; F. S. Cook, South Dakota.

The following Northwest directors were named: Minnesota, Agnes C. Doherty, of St. Paul (re-elected); North Dakota, C. C. Root; South Dakota, Oliver O. Young; Wisconsin, Milton C. Potter; Iowa, E. C. Bishop; Montana, J. K. Williams; Michigan, E. E. Scribner.

In the resolution the convention body unanimously reindorsed equal suffrage, its first indorsement having been given two years ago; and indorsed the moral self-respect and conduct of President Wilson in handling the Mexican situation. This was cheered vehemently.

The equal suffrage subject was embodied in the report of the committee on teachers' salaries, tenure and pensions. When it was presented, W. N. Sheats, superintendent of schools, Tallahassee, Fla., arose to say, sarcastically, that he didn't understand what the term political equality meant.

First Woman Commissioner.

San Francisco, July 13.—The first woman commissioner from a state to the Panama Pacific exposition, Mrs. Fred E. Sutton, of Oklahoma, has arrived here. She will attend a meeting of the Oklahoma Society of California, when plans for the ground breaking on the site of the Oklahoma pavilion will be arranged.

New Locomotives to Move Crops.

Milwaukee, July 13.—The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad has placed an order with the American Locomotive company for five of the giant super heater mikado type of locomotives designed for heavy work both in the mountains and also on the plains. The locomotives will be used in an effort to handle the bumper wheat crops of the northwest. The contract for the new machines specifies early delivery so that the railroad will do its part to help the farmers get their grain to market.

BATTLE ROYAL IS PROMISED

SENATE FACTIONS READY FOR RESERVE BOARD FIGHT.

Democrats Supporting Wilson for Jones' Confirmation—Warburg Refuses to Be Questioned.

Washington, July 13.—Democratic senators who propose to stand by President Wilson in his fight for confirmation of the nomination of Thomas D. Jones of Chicago as a member of the federal reserve board are engaged in preparation for the contest when it reaches the senate through the unfavorable recommendation voted by the banking and currency committee. It is conceded that a battle royal is ahead, in which the president will be forced to clash with some members of his own party.

As to the action of the committee in deciding to postpone further consideration of the nomination of Paul M. Warburg of New York, unless he changes his mind and decides to accept the committee's invitation to appear before it and submit to questioning, there were few actual developments. At the White House it was evident that the president had determined to champion Mr. Warburg's nomination to the end, the New York banker having agreed to let his name stand should the committee not insist on his appearance. The action last week, however, is taken as an indication that the committee proposes to insist upon his appearance and to do nothing further with regard to his nomination until he is heard from. There was a suggestion current about the capitol that an understanding might be reached as to what the committee wants to know from Mr. Warburg, and that the banker was informed that there is no desire to pry into personal affairs to an extent that might be embarrassing to his clients, but the committee merely wished to satisfy itself that there were no present obstructions to his qualification. Upon such a basis some senators thought Mr. Warburg might consent to appear.

The committee will meet again, after which Senator Hitchcock, the acting chairman, expects to submit to the senate the adverse report on the nomination of Mr. Jones. A favorable minority report will be made by Senators Lee of Maryland, Hollis, Pomerene and Shafroth. In connection with the majority report an effort may be made to introduce the testimony of Mr. Jones relating to his connection with the so-called harvester and zinc trusts, which formed the basis for opposition to his confirmation. The first test of strength may come over such an effort.

FREEPORT CASE IS POSTPONED

Mrs. Carman's Examination Not to Be Held Until July 21—Prosecutor Wants More Evidence.

Mineola, N. Y., July 13.—It will be ten days at least before Mrs. Florence Conklin Carman, accused of the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey, can hope to leave the Nassau county jail here according to an agreement reached between her counsel, George M. Levy, and District Attorney Louis J. Smith.

Mrs. Carman's examination before a justice of the peace, set for Monday, when she would go free, she had hoped because of lack of evidence against her, has been deferred until July 21. This change was asked for by the prosecutor with two ends in view: that he might present the case before a grand jury and also have more time to seek corroborative and stronger evidence. Mr. Smith said he would go before the grand jury Tuesday.

Fashion Decree for Men.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 13.—All men who profess to follow fashion's decree will wear suits of the English or form fitting models this fall and winter according to the standards approved at the opening session of the National Association of Manufacturing Clothing Designers convention. The decision of the delegates was unanimous and their decrees are accepted without question. Overcoats will have the "French" back and will be of the double-breasted, button through variety.

STORSTAD BLAMED FOR SHIP DISASTER

INVESTIGATORS FIX RESPONSIBILITY FOR WRECKING OF EMPRESS OF IRELAND.

DECLARE OFFICER NEGLIGENT

Inquiry Board Ends Probe of Disaster of May 29 in Which 1,032 Perished in St. Lawrence River.

Quebec, July 13.—The collier Storstad was held to blame in the findings reported following the investigation into the sinking of the steamship Empress of Ireland on the morning of May 29 when 1,032 lost their lives.

The Empress of Ireland was rammed by the Storstad and sank almost immediately. The report found responsibility divided on some points.

The Findings.

The board of inquiry in its report submitted by Lord Mersey found that the Storstad ported her helm and thus brought about the collision. The opinion is expressed that Captain Kendall's action in stopping his ship was good seamanship, but the suggestion is made that his failure to give a wider berth formed a contributory cause of the accident.

The inquiry into the disaster was begun in Quebec, June 16, by a commission composed of Lord Mersey, formerly presiding justice of the British admiralty court; Sir Adolpho Routhier, of Quebec, and Chief Justice McLeod, of New Brunswick. The commissioners were assisted in their work by Commander F. W. Caborne of the British Royal Naval reserve, Professor John Welsh, of Newcastle, Eng., Captain Demers, of the dominion wreck commission and Engineer Commander Howe, of the Canadian naval service.

Third Officer Held Responsible.

The colliers' third officer found responsible is Alfred Toftenes. He was on the bridge when the crash occurred.

"We regret," says the finding, "to have to impute the blame to anyone in connection with this lamentable disaster. We can, however, come to no other conclusion than that Mr. Toftenes was wrong and negligent in altering his course in the fog as he undoubtedly did and that he was wrong and negligent in keeping the navigation of the vessel in his own hands and failing to call the captain when he saw the fog."

REBEL GENERALS NOT BARRED

Efforts Made to Do So Failed, It Is Now Learned.

[illegible] Mexico, July 13.—At the Carranza-Villa conciliation conference at Torreon an effort to prevent General Carranza or any of the military leaders of the revolution from becoming candidates for the presidency or vice presidency failed of adoption, according to a lengthy official statement just issued.

The motion was made by the Villa delegates. A motion passed, however, demanding that the first chief, as president ad interim at the triumph of the revolution, should call a convention composed of delegates representing the rebel army, every 1,000 soldiers to be represented by one delegate, selected by a committee of military chiefs to be approved by the general of the division which would fix the date and arrange for the election.

Ulsterites Recapture Arms.

London, July 13.—The Londonderry correspondent of the Daily Express sends a sensational story of how 100 Ulster volunteers recaptured at the Enniskillen station a consignment of arms and ammunition which had been seized at Londonderry by the customs authorities. The consignment was being conveyed from Londonderry to Dublin under an armed guard of 10 policemen. The volunteers surrounded the guard with drawn revolvers, swiftly removed the cases and placed them in motor boats.

CARBAJAL TO TAKE HUERTA'S PLACE

DICTATOR TO QUIT THIS WEEK, SAYS MEXICAN FOREIGN AFFAIRS AGENT.

TO EMULATE PORFIRIO DIAZ

Would Save the Country From Further Bloodshed—Esteva-Ruiz Gives Out Story When Leaving Country Like Other Officials.

Vera Cruz, July 14.—To save his country from the horrors of further civil war and his capital from capture and perhaps sack by a victorious army, General Huerta intends to resign the presidency and leave Mexico.

Statement by Sub-Secretary.

This statement is made by Roberto Esteva-Ruiz, Mexican sub-secretary of foreign affairs, who reached Vera Cruz from Mexico City on his way to Europe. Huerta, he said, will surrender the government to Francisco Carbajal, the new minister of foreign affairs, who in turn will step aside when the time comes, for some provisional president acceptable to the Constitutionalists.

Just when the change will come, Esteva-Ruiz said he did not know.

"The president did not make me his confidant," he declared, "nor did I have much time to talk with him after it was determined that I should leave the cabinet."

Expects Resignation Immediately.

He was convinced, however, that Huerta would lay down his power during the coming week and it would not surprise him, he said, if his resignation were announced immediately.

Carbajal, he added, was suggested as provisional president by the American delegation at the Niagara Falls mediation conference and agreed to by Huerta's delegates and the South American mediators, while the Constitutionalists indirectly had conveyed the idea that he would be acceptable to Carranza.

"That is," explained the Mexican sub-secretary, "Carbajal would be a more provisional president than the real provisional president to be named later."

Explains Situation.

When the suggestion was first made Villa had not indicated his willingness to accept Carbajal, Esteva-Ruiz went on, and he doubted Villa's willingness to accept him now. As for Zapata he had no idea that the southern leader would recognize any provisional presidency until demands for the redistribution of lands had been complied with, and he intimated that objections to such a solution of Mexico's problem might come from certain parts of the northern states.

Unless something occurs to disarrange the present plan, Esteva-Ruiz is convinced that fighting between Federals and Constitutionalists is over. This, he said, was indicated by the evacuation of Guadalajara.

Like Porfirio Diaz, who fled from his country in the hope that his going might avert a long and costly civil war, Huerta, according to Esteva Ruiz, has decided to yield to superior numbers. Both Huerta and General Blanquet, his minister of war, know that longer resistence is futile and would mean nothing more than the slaughter of thousands and perhaps the sacking of the capital itself, with horrors perpetrated by a victorious army joined by mad mobs from the slums of the city.

Blanquet to Leave, Also.

He expected Blanquet would leave Mexico City when Huerta fled, if not before. Enrique Gorostieta, minister of justice, had offered his resignation, so he had heard, but he was not sure the report was true. He assumed, however, that Gorostieta would resign and all the old cabinet as well.

Like Adolfo De La Lama, the Mexican minister of finance, who arrived here Saturday also in flight to Europe, the sub-secretary of foreign affairs professed still to maintain his connection with the government. With his family he will sail from Vera Cruz on the steamer Alfonso XIII for Spain.

Carranza May Bar.

Laredo, [illegible] Reports from usually reliable [illegible] were current in Nuevo Laredo that General Venustiano Carranza, interrogated by Huerta agents regarding acceptability of Francisco Carbajal as provisional president of Mexico, replied he would not recognize Huerta or any one chosen in this way to succeed him.

Ship On Rocks, All Safe.

St. John's, N. F., July 13.—All the passengers on the coastal steamer Invermore, which struck on the rocks near Brig Harbor Point on the Labrador coast were landed safely.

Dies at Alfonso's Table.

Madrid, Spain, July 14.—Major Montes, a royal aide, died suddenly at King Alfonso's lunch table, aboard the royal yacht Giralda. Major Montes was an old friend of the king and Alfonso was deeply affected by his death.

Irish Clash; Shots Fired.

London, July 14.—A Belfast dispatch to the Daily Mail says shots were exchanged in a fight between Nationalists and Unionists at Kilrea, county Derry. The police succeeded in preventing serious disturbances.

Fargo Directory

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JUST MATTER OF DIPLOMACY

Father's Quick Thought Saved Baby Daughter From Being Afflicted With Fantastic Name.

Some time ago a pretty little baby girl arrived at a happy suburban home and immediately the entire family, including aunts, cousins and mothers-in-law, were busy selecting an appropriate name. "Harry," joyously cried mother, when the father returned home one evening, "I have decided on a name for a baby. We will call her Gwendolyn." For a moment the father did a hard piece of thinking. The name Gwendolyn sounded to him like a fire whistle out of tune, but he knew better than openly to oppose mother. Therefore he grew foxy. "Gwendolyn! Gwendolyn!" he musingly replied. "I like that a whole lot, dear. Long before I met you I had a girl named Gwendolyn, and she—" "Who said anything about Gwendolyn?" icily interjected wifey. "Your hearing must be defective. I said we will call the baby Mary, after my mother."

High Price for Dickens' Work.

Lovers of Dickens will be pleased to hear that a copy of "Pickwick" has just been sold in the English market for $2,475. This was a first edition, which Messrs. Sotheby put up the other day from the late Capt. R. J. H. Douglas' property. The highest previous record for a similar edition was obtained in New York, where the bidding reached $1,400. No Dickensian seems to doubt that the copy sold is the finest copy extant. It has all the points which appeal to a collector: all the parts are the earliest issue, and contains all the advertisements; all the covers of the parts are dated 1836; the plates by Seymour, Buss, and "Phiz" are all in the earliest state. Four parts contain the "addresses" by the author, and three the "addresses" by the publishers. In fact, there is not a flaw to be found. The present possessor of the edition is Mr. Robson.

What He Feared.

He was watching his neighbor's troublesome boy climb a tree, and he had a look of painful anxiety on his countenance.

"Are you afraid the lad will fall?" he was asked.

"No," he replied, "I'm afraid he won't."

Never judge a physician by the praise undertakers bestow upon him.

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Don't spend so much of your time cooking during hot weather; and your family will be healthier without the heavy cooked foods.

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They're light and easily digested and yet nourishing and satisfying. No bother in preparation—just pour from the package and add cream and sugar—or they're mighty good with fresh berries or fruit.

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GOING IN SAME DIRECTION

One Fact Doctor Was Willing to Admit to Hypochondriac Patient Who Had Become a Bore.

Once there was a hypochondriac who used to think that he was dying about three times a week. One day he was driving out in his automobile, and one of these spells came over him. On the road ahead of him he happened to see his family doctor speeding along in his roadster. He felt so sick that he applied all his power in order to catch up with the doctor as soon as possible.

But the doctor saw him coming and he used all the gas he had to get away from him. For about three miles they had a close race. Finally, however, the doctor had some tire trouble, and the hypochondriac drew up alongside.

"Doctor," he shouted, "stop a minute! I am dying. Darn it all! I'm dying!"

"You must be," grunted the physician. "I never saw anybody going so fast as you are!"

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Abe Martin on Spring Fever.

Abe Martin, the famous Indiana funny man, writes an amusing piece about spring fever. Following is an extract:

"When a feller gits spring fever he don't rush t' a doctor. He knows what t' do. He knows he needs rest an' quiet. He don't pay somebuddy t' tell him t' cut coffee and terbacker, an' he don't take t' his bed. He takes t' a settee or a bread box. Spring fever don't require no dietin' an' ther' hain't no habits t' eliminate but workin'. If ther's urgent plowin' t' be done th' patient has th' cool hours before th' sun rounds th' K. of P. hall an' after it sinks majestic'ly behind th' tile mill.

"In a little town where you don't have t' pay $60 for a cotton an' wool fiber business suit an' $50 per month fer one-half o' a double house, with your choice o' any three-cent wallpaper, a feller kin afford t' take advantage of spring fever."—American Magazine.

Affairs Reversed.

An Irish tenant farmer, returning from a somewhat distant market late one afternoon, missed his way and got into a bog hole, where he stuck fast. His landlord, who knew the locality, chancing to pass shortly afterward on horseback, noticed his tenant's dilemma, and smilingly shouted out.

"Hello, Pat! You've got fixity of tenure now!"

"Yes, begorra!" ejaculated Pat. "And I'd be moighty obliged if yer honor wud evict me."

Certainly.

"Does your wife believe everything other people tell her about you?"

"Always, unless it happens to be complimentary."

WRONG BREAKFAST

Change Gave Rugged Health.

Many persons think that for strength they must begin the day with a breakfast of meat and other heavy foods. This is a mistake as anyone can easily discover for himself.

A W. Va. carpenter's experience may benefit others. He writes:

"I used to be a very heavy breakfast eater but finally indigestion caused me such distress, I became afraid to eat anything.

"My wife suggested a trial of Grape-Nuts and as I had to eat something or starve I concluded to take her advice. She fixed me up a dish and I remarked at the time that the quality was all right, but the quantity was too small—I wanted a saucerful.

"But she said a small amount of Grape-Nuts went a long way and that I must eat it according to directions. So I started in with Grape-Nuts and cream, two soft boiled eggs and some crisp toast for breakfast.

"I cut out meats and a lot of other stuff I had been used to eating all my life and was gratified to see that I was getting better right along. I concluded I had struck the right thing and stuck to it. I had not only been eating improper food, but too much.

"I was working at the carpenter's trade at that time and thought that unless I had a hearty breakfast with plenty of meat, I would play out before dinner. But after a few days of my "new breakfast" I found I could do more work, felt better in every way, and now I am not bothered with indigestion."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

State News of General Interest

TRACTION CAR HIT; 17 HURT

ELECTRIC MOTOR AND STEAM LOCOMOTIVE COLLIDE.

But Three of Dan Patch Line Passengers in Accident at Faribault Seriously Injured.

Faribault.—Seventeen persons were injured, three of them very seriously, in a head-on collision here Wednesday afternoon between a passenger motor and a freight train on the Dan Patch line.

The seriously injured are: Charles Eberhart, St. Paul, cut about face and internally injured, condition critical; Frank Newcomber, motorman, Minneapolis, head and face cut, internal injuries; Adolf Brazie, Plainview, Minn., face badly cut.

Those only slightly injured are as follows: H. R. Hauser, traveling salesman, H. K. Mulford Drug Co., Minneapolis, face cut; Mrs. Frank Stirley, Minneapolis, face cut; John Luxem, Minneapolis, leg hurt; Joseph Bradbury, conductor of motor, Minneapolis, arm fractured, head cut; Dr. Harvey Bachrach, Minneapolis, one rib broken, face and tongue cut; W. E. Ross, St. Paul, head cut; Emma Huettner, Northfield, face cut; Fred Albers, farmer near Northfield, head cut; Mrs. Guy O. Miller, Faribault, head cut; Mrs. Fred Seith, Northfield, back cut; Herbert Schirmacher, 8 years old, Faribault, slightly cut; A. A. Culver, Mantonville, face cut; Arthur Koenig, Sioux Falls, S. D., slightly cut; son of Arthur Koenig, slightly hurt.

Every seat in the motor was torn loose; every window broken. The steel car got a big dent in its nose. The steam locomotive was badly battered, its tender crumpled up. That there were no deaths is considered directly attributable to the fact that the electric motor was all-steel. It did not leave the track. Neither did the locomotive nor any of the 20 freight cars behind it.

Injuries Fatal to Eberhardt.

Faribault.—Charles Eberhardt, 46 years old, died from injuries received in the Dan Patch line wreck Wednesday. The body was taken to St. Paul for burial.

INDIANS CROWD CASS LAKE

Catholic Indian Congress Attracts Multitude—Bishop Confirms Big Class.

Cass Lake.—More Indians were in Cass Lake last week than ever gathered here before. The occasion was the Catholic Chippewa congress, which began Wednesday evening and continued until Sunday evening.

The congress was opened with a sermon by Father Chrysostom, O. S. B., of Bayfield, Wis., who is the oldest missionary among the Chippewas. He preached in both the Chippewa and English languages. Benediction of the most blessed sacrament and the usual solemn ceremonies were given by Father Gordon of Hayward, Wis., and Father Felix of Ponsford, Minn.

Father Gordon, who is a full blood Indian priest, read solemn high mass, with Father Felix assisting as deacon and Father Thomas as sub deacon. The sermon in both the Chippewa and English languages was preached by Father Chrysostom.

Bishop McGolrick of Duluth arrived to administer the sacrament of confirmation to a large class of Indian and white children.

Head of Navigation Change.

Minneapolis.—Minneapolis will be the head of navigation for Mississippi river steamers next spring, despite the recent collapse of the cofferdam last month, according to Captain George W. Freeman, engineer in charge of the high dam, who said that the work of opening navigation to Minneapolis would be completed in the spring of 1915 as scheduled. When the cofferdam went out, June 30, it was believed that the work would be delayed many months.

Soo Still Plans Extension.

[illegible], N. D., July 8.—There is [illegible] to be a groundless fear on the [illegible] reservation that the Soo will not extend its lines across the reservation this summer. Latest advices from the Soo officials are to the effect that the line will surely be built. So certain are the representatives of the company in regard to this that they are soliciting cattle shipments and other

Fire Losses Decrease.

St. Paul.—Joint fire losses in [illegible] were only $217,599 as compared to $184,648 for the same month last year, according to a report issued by Charles E. Keller, state fire marshal.

Soo Calls for 5,340 Harvesters.

Minneapolis.—The Soo line has issued its annual call in behalf of the farmers which it serves for men to harvest the crops. The road's annual summer census shows that 5,340 harvest hands are needed between August and October in the territory its lines cover. The number of men is divided as follows: Wheat line, Kenmare, N. D., to Thief River Falls, 2,115; Winnipeg line, 75; Flaxton, N. D., to White Tail, Mont., 860; Devils Lake line, 495; Missouri river line, 645; St. Paul to Portal, N. D., 1,150.

STATE CROPS OVER AVERAGE

Condition of Small Grains in Northwest Forecasts Large Yields, Says Report.

Washington.—Conditions of Minnesota crops are well above the 10-year average, according to the forecast of the crops announced by the department of agriculture at Washington.

The increase for barley was 2 per cent, for oats 5 per cent and for spring wheat 3 per cent. Corn shows a decrease of 2 per cent.

The following table gives the condition on July 1, the 10-year average and the forecast of the acre yield and total production in bushels:

	July 1.	10-yr.	Yld.	Total Bu.
Corn.				
Minnesota	81	83	32.4	82,400,000
Wisconsin	90	85	36.9	62,700,000
Iowa	100	87	39.5	404,800,000
South Dakota	92	86	29.4	85,500,000
Spring Wheat.				
Minnesota	88	85	15.4	62,000,000
North Dakota	94	85	13.2	95,900,000
South Dakota	92	80	13.8	48,200,000
Washington	92	88	20.2	21,800,000
Oats.				
Wisconsin	95	91	36.6	84,900,000
Minnesota	91	86	36.4	110,700,000
Iowa	92	86	35.0	172,300,000
North Dakota	94	85	32.0	74,100,000
South Dakota	90	81	31.0	49,900,000
Barley.				
Wisconsin	93	90	28.8	20,100,000
Minnesota	87	85	25.7	35,400,000
Iowa	93	88	27.9	10,700,000
North Dakota	93	85	23.2	30,800,000
South Dakota	91	81	21.6	22,100,000

TO PROHIBIT BOTTLE TRADE

Liquor Dealers in "Indian Country" Hope to Stay Closing Order in This Way.

Grand Rapids.—Concerted action is to be made by liquor dealers to have the authorities of cities and villages in Indian territory affected by the recent supreme court decision pass ordinances preventing the sale of intoxicants in any other manner than by the glass and over the bar.

This means that all bottle trade would be strictly prohibited, particularly in strong spirits. Whether or not beer is to be included in the list that must be drank on the premises is not yet decided.

The move is made with the idea of heading off the closing clause in the court's decision, declaring this territory dry, it being contended that nowhere are Indians permitted to drink over the bar and that by thus prohibiting bottle trade there would be no opportunity for the red man to secure whisky.

An ordinance making this prohibition has already been passed by the city of Bemidji and the village of Park Rapids. The matter was taken up at Deer River and those having the movement in hand conferred with local saloon men.

AIR CRAFT FALLS ON AUTO

No One Badly Hurt as Result of Peculiar Accident at Mankato, However.

Mankato.—Because he forced his engine beyond its normal speed in trying to make an ascent at the fair grounds, George Carlstrom, a Canadian aviator, fell with his machine to the ground after crushing the top of an automobile and smashing through the race track fence.

The air craft was badly damaged but Carlstrom was not much hurt. Had the automobile top not been up, some of the occupants of the car might have been killed. Carlstrom laid his misfortune to the fact that the ground was too rough to make a good start.

Woman Bather Drowns.

Bemidji, Minn., July 10.—Mrs. [illegible] of Ten Strike stepped from a sand bar into a deep hole in Gall lake while bathing and drowned. Her screams attracted two sons of Henry Strehman, who rowed toward the woman. When they were almost there an oar broke and the boys were unable to reach her before she went down for the last time.

Condemn Money Donations.

St. Paul, July 9.—Proposed condemnation of alleged efforts of certain private corporations to influence by money grants the conduct of the educational institutions of the United States, presented to the N. E. A. in a resolution today, is causing much vigorous comment among the delegates.

Theft Charged at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids.—William Hensel and William Murphy, said to hail from Minneapolis, were bound over here to the grand jury on a charge of robbery. The complaining witness was Harry Armstrong, a woodsman, who said the men robbed him of $65.

English Heir Is Missing.

Duluth.—Edward La Rose, of England, is in the city trying to locate his brother Ernest, who came to Duluth a short time ago, and who is believed to be in northern Minnesota. He is joint heir with others to a large fortune left by an uncle who died in England only a few weeks ago and Edward wants to get in touch with him. The young men and their parents came to America not very long ago, and while the parents remained in New York the young men started out to see the west.

AFTER RIVER FREIGHT RATES

BARGE COMING UP RIVER MAY REVIVE STEAMBOATING.

Experts Will Measure Every Phase of Journey From New Orleans to St. Paul.

New Orleans, La., July 8.—Barge No. 5 of the Inland Navigation company has sailed from New Orleans to blaze the trail for the revival of steamboat business on the Father of Waters.

One thousand tons of freight was loaded on the barge and on board are experienced river pilots, marine engineers, army engineers, river transportation experts and newspaper men. The vessel has been chartered from the owners by John H. Barnhard and is operated by him as a personal venture.

The destination of the craft is St. Paul, which it is expected to reach in about three weeks. There a full cargo of flour will be loaded for New Orleans.

In 200 years of navigation of the Mississippi, the first attempt to derive through scientific calculation, the costs of operating craft and carriage freight will be made by the experts who are accompanying Barge No. 5. Their findings are expected to upset many established theories and practices now in use and throw into the discard a lot of obsolete methods still clung to by steamboat masters.

The cost finding experts will carefully note all of the items of expense in hauling a ton of freight from New Orleans to St. Louis or St. Paul or down stream. The resistance of the current, time consumed, fuel used, labor costs, pilotage, wharfage charges, wear and tear on the vessel itself, all will be calculated in a dollars and cents fashion.

The barge, which is built wholly of steel, with powerful engines, using a cheap grade of fuel and drawing about five feet of water under load, is of a type designed to cut freight carrying costs down to a minimum.

The cargo to be carried out of New Orleans consists of sugar, rice, cotton seed and by-products and molasses. A stop will be made at Jeffries, La., to load lumber for St. Louis. Stops on the north journey will be made at St. Louis, Keokuk, Clinton, Burlington, Dubuque, Davenport, Rock Island and St. Paul.

To Welcome River Barge.

Winona, Minn., July 9.—When the 1,000-ton Barnhard barge reaches here this month on a trip from New Orleans to the Twin Cities, the purpose of which is to demonstrate that the Mississippi is navigable the entire distance, a delegation of Winona men will meet with the officers in charge to indicate their willingness to co-operate in any movement that might have for its purpose the revival of the river traffic. There is a feeling of deep interest among the manufacturers and jobbers here.

WANT SERBS TO QUIT STATE

Farm, House and Wife Offered by Servia to Natives Who Return to Country

Duluth.—Tinto Urban[illegible], said to be an envoy of the Servian government, has been visiting Serbs working at the steel plant at New Duluth and Gary, lately in an effort to have them return to their native land.

The Servian government, it is said, is offering all Serbs who will return a piece of land and a house, with the addition of a wife to single men who will return. A meeting of Serbs residing here was held a few days ago but what they decided to do was not given out. The agent is now working in the range towns.

Thousands of Serbs are in this part of the country and many of them have left their families on the other side until they can get located or earn enough money to establish themselves at home. Men who have been in this country several years are especially sought by the home government, for it is believed that what they have learned here will be valuable to the Servian nation.

14,000 Persons at Chautauqua.

St. Peter.—It is estimated that 14,000 persons attended the second annual St. Peter Chautauqua. In spite of poor roads and several days of stormy weather, all of the sessions were well attended and the programs gave general satisfaction. A year ago, when the Chautauqua was tried for the first time, there was a small deficit. William Mallgren, the local platform manager, engaged better attractions this season, and the association not only will be able to repay the 1913 shortage, but will have a substantial sum in its treasury.

River Party Visits Winona.

Winona.—The [illegible] and barge Markatana, owned by William Butterworth of the Deere Plow company at Moline, Ill., passed through Winona on its way to St. Paul on a pleasure trip. The guests on the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson of London, England, and Miss Carpenter of Minneapolis, two Winona boys and their college chums and Miss Mc[illegible] of St. Paul. The boat left Moline July 3 and will return to Moline about July 14.

GREAT AID TO GOOD WORK

Sale of Red Cross Christmas Seals Net Much Money for Anti-Tuberculosis Campaign.

More than 44,000,000 Red Cross Christmas seals were sold last December, according to a report issued by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis and the American Red Cross. In this way $440,000 is netted for anti-tuberculosis work in various parts of the United States.

The sale in 1913 is a gain of 4,000,000 seals over 1912, or 10 per cent. It is hoped that this year the 50,000,000 mark will be reached. The seal design for 1914 has been selected and orders for the printing of 100,000,000 seals have been placed. Plans for the organization of a larger sale this year than ever before have been perfected.

New York led the country last year with a sale of over 10,500,000 seals, or one for each man, woman and child in the state. Of this number, more than 6,825,000 were sold outside of New York city. Pennsylvania came next with a sale of 3,125,000. Ohio was third with 2,800,000, Wisconsin fourth, 2,700,000, and Illinois fifth with 2,500,000. Hawaii sold the most seals per capita, the total sale being somewhat over two for each inhabitant. Rhode Island came second with a sale of two per person.

Beginning with a sale of 13,500,000 in 1908, in six seasons the revenue which these little holiday seals have brought to the anti-tuberculosis campaign has more than tripled an aggregate for the period of over $1,800,000 or 180,000,000 seals.

ITCHING SALT RHEUM

Oxford, Mont.—"My salt rheum started with little white pimples. When I scratched they would burn and itch and later on they would fill up, break and spread and get red all around. It came on my thigh. When the pimples broke, just enough fluid ran out to form scales. It seemed to enlarge the sores and they felt like saw-teeth when my clothing rubbed over them. I underwent a treatment for quite a while but I got no relief. In fact I got worse. I was getting so that it troubled me very much, as it got so I hated to move my limb for fear to crack open the sores which covered my left limb from my hip to my ankle. The sores were from the size of a pea to the size of a silver dollar.

"I got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. The very first treatment gave me ease and from then on with every treatment I could see a change. Four weeks from the time I started with the Cuticura Soap and Ointment I was entirely well without a scar." (Signed) F. L. Layton, Apr. 30, 1914.

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Evidently Something Wrong.

Little Arthur and his mother were taking a walk along a country road. There were some ducks running back and forth across the road and Arthur lagged behind his mother watching them. He became greatly interested and a puzzled look crept over his face. After a while he ran up to his mother and pointing back to the ducks, exclaimed.

"Mamma, those ducks aren't made right!"

"Why, yes, dear, why not," his mother answered.

"Well, they've got their eyes on the sides of their heads and mine are in front."

What Did He Mean.

Dr. Stanley Coulter says that the best and sweetest introduction he ever had to an audience was by a student at Cornell university. Said this young man concisely: "I do not have to speak many words to introduce Doctor Coulter, for he is too well known already."

"I never could make out just what that student meant," said Doctor Coulter.—Indianapolis News.

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Correct.

"[illegible] of nature [illegible] the whole world kin," quoted the sage.

"Yes, but 90 per cent of us continue to be poor relations," added the fool.

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One Name for It.

"That fellow from the backwoods is as bashful as can be, isn't he?"

"Yes. Sort of forest reserve, eh?"

COULD NOT STAND ON FEET

Mrs. Baker So Weak—Could Not Do Her Work—Found Relief In Novel Way.

Adrian, Mich. — "I suffered terribly with female weakness and backache and got so weak that I could hardly do my work. When I washed my dishes I had to sit down and when I would sweep the floor I would get so weak that I would have to get a drink every few minutes, and before I did my dusting I would have to lie down. I got so poorly that my folks thought I was going into consumption. One day I found a piece of paper blowing around the yard and I picked it up and read it. It said 'Saved from the Grave,' and told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for women. I showed it to my husband and he said, 'Why don't you try it?' So I did, and after I had taken two bottles I felt better and I said to my husband, 'I don't need any more,' and he said 'You had better take it a little longer anyway.' So I took it for three months and got well and strong." — Mrs. ALONZO E. BAKER, 9 Tecumseh St., Adrian, Mich.

Not Well Enough to Work.

In these words is hidden the tragedy of many a woman, housekeeper or wage earner who supports herself and is often helping to support a family, on meagre wages. Whether in house, office, factory, shop, store or kitchen, woman should remember that there is one tried and true remedy for the ills to which all women are prone, and that is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It promotes that vigor which makes work easy. The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Training in Shooting.

"Live targets," an English invention by which one may shoot at kinematograph reproductions of human beings and animals, are to be introduced into the German army and navy in consequence of experiments just carried out at Doberitz camp by the kaiser. The newspapers state that the apparatus is to be installed at the military schools and naval training ships for the purpose of improving the marksmanship of cadets. The kaiser, fascinated by the "sport," spent half an hour at the "range" fitted up at Doberitz. His majesty particularly enjoyed "shooting" deer, seals, and men and women on the tops of omnibuses and elsewhere. He said that the scheme was undoubtedly valuable for military purposes.

Inhuman.

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"You don't say so!"

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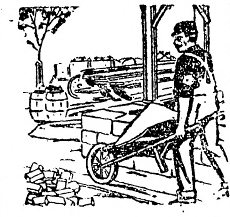

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Builders' Notice!

Notice is hereby given that the school board of Dist. No. 59 of Marshall Co., Minn., will receive sealed bids at the Holt State Bank, up to 2 o'clock P. M. July 25th 1914, for building a two room school house, contractor to furnish all material.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the above bank.

Building must be ready for occupancy not later than Oct. 1st 1914.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Holt, Minn. July 6 1914

By order of the School Board

Theo. Sorum, Dist. Clerk

Rollis Rumbles

The Fourth was celebrated in a very pleasant and unique way at the "Shamrock Farm," two miles south of Rollis, owned by D. C. Tyson. During the forenoon the people gathered and visited and rested until noon, then gathered around a table that Mr. Tyson had made for the purpose; to partake of a bountiful repast. Others gathered under the trees, in groups, for an old fashion picnic dinner.

During the afternoon the men had a ball game, the score was 5 to 7 in favor of Robinson's team.

As evening came many of the older people went home, but others came for the ball which was given in the barn, a building 32x48. It was decorated with flags and national colors and the floor was well waxed. There was a stand in the corner where the dancers could get ice cream, lemonade, and lots of other good things. Mrs. Tyson also served a midnights supper. Dahl's orchestra furnished the music, which was first class. And so everybody had a good time except a very few whose thirst lemonade could not satisfy. However we appreciate the fact that Mr. Tyson did not allow any thing which might mar the pleasure of his guests and the thirsty ones sought other society. And so the celebration ended as pleasantly as it began.

Bring us the news.

Clarence Kolden went to Crookston Wednesday to take in the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Sollom visited their sons on the farm, Sunday.

Miss Hulda Johnson came from Warren, Wednesday to visit her parents.

Miss Judith Skang is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Nels Engebretson this week.

Talk about anything being "dirt cheap," all the land around Holt is dirt cheap.

Mr. and Mrs Peter Rierson spent a couple of days on the farm the past week.

Adolph Sollom went to T. R. Falls Monday to attend the show, returning Tuesday.

John Efterlund and son of Thief River Falls were in town between trains Monday.

Oscar Vignes and Miss Lillie Efterlund of T. R. Falls were visiting in Holt Monday.

C. H. Gunheim and B. Docken made an auto trip into the country Monday evening.

When business is a little dull advertise to make it good, when it is good- advertise to make it better.

Mr Dahl and son of Mud Lake were in Holt over Wednesday night, being enroute to Warren and Crookston

Miss Anna Fahraldson and little sister Dagny of T. R. Falls were over Sunday visitors with numerous Holt friends.

Farmers don't seem to realize that in a couple of years land near Holt will be selling for $50.00 or more per acre.

There's quite a number of young men in and around Holt that should build houses—and then get married. Gentlemen—That's no way to live.

Arvid and "Tony" Carlson and Al Huseth left early Tuesday morning for an auto trip and to visit relatives of the former named gentlemen at Detroit and Minneapolis. Henry Wendt will have charge of the store and Ed. Silbaugh of the barber shop during their absence.

Notice of Annual School Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting in District No. 35 in Marshall County, Minnesota, for the Election of Officers and the transaction of other business required by law at the Annual Meeting, will be held at the School House on the 18th day of July 1914, at 7 to 8 o'clock P. M. To decide the question of changeing the School House site of the above district from the present site to the following described premises; to wit: Commencing from a point situated 461 feet due west from the N. W. corner of Block 8, Townsite of Holt, Sec. 33-156-43 thence North to South 290.4 feet, thence East to West 300 feet, thence South to North 290.4 feet, thence east to starting point 300 feet; containing two acres, the whole thereof being situated in the N. E. 1-4 of the S. E. 1-4 Sec. 32-156-43.

To provide for the building of a new two room School House thereon

To authorize the School Board to Advertise for bids and sell the School Buildings now located on the present School site.

To authorize the School Board to issue the Bonds of said School Dist. in the sum of four thousand dollars for the purpose of building a new two room school building on the proposed site.

That the bonds to be payable in such amounts and at such time as the legal voters of said district at such meeting shall determine.

To authorize and direct the School Board with the requirements as to School Houses, equipment, teachers, etc., that is required to a Consolidated District in order to get State Aid and that the School Board make application for such State Aid.

Dated this Eighth day of July 1914.

D. Payne, District Clerk.

C Jefferson's son left Friday for St. Paul

Another hard shower fell Wednesday night.

Please bring in your ads and news as early as possible.

Christ Yttre has been at Huseth's confectionery, a few days.

Mrs. Bakken and granddaughter returned to Ada, Minn. Tuesday.

The early hay is being made. A bumper crop will be harvested.

Ole Backlund is having a good business with his new auto livery.

Peter Kolden has been deviling some in this office the past week.

Albert Knutson went to N. Dak., Monday where expects to find work.

Farmers are buying lots of machinery for making the heavy crop of hay.

Ole Davidson and son Helmer left Monday for Fargo N. Dak on a business trip.

More rain Tuesday night and Wednesday, almost too much to cure a fine crop of hay.

Stella Mickelson, who has been visiting relatives at Crookston for several days, returned Tuesday

U may be Healthy, Wealthy and Wise if you pay your debts and Advertise in The Holt Weekly News

We appreciate the help received in getting out this paper and want to thank all who so kindly assisted us

Messrs Arvid and "Tony" Carlson, Peter Anderson, Al Huseth and Clarence Kolden went to T. R. Falls Sunday to see the ball game

Messrs Backe and Kolden of Holt and Erick Knutson of Randen made a business trip to T. R Falls Monday returning by the way of Rosewood, where they met Mr Huseth and his sister-in-law, who accompanied them home

Mrs Gunhil Wagedal went to St. Hilaire Friday returning Tuesday accompanied by Mrs N C Thompson of Fargo, N D., and Miss Mary Gilbertson of Dahl, who will remain for a few days visit with the Wagedall family.

Amid the busy toil of life let us not forget that passage from John 3 16, "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on Him shall not perish, but shall have eternal life."

C. W. Latta went to Thief River Falls Tuesday on business.

Miss Ella Reep came, Saturday, to attend the Young People's Society.

The new church is fast nearing completion and will soon be ready for use.

The whole northwest country has been having a very hot spell for the past week.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1.49
Wheat	.77
Barley d	.32
Oats	.26
Rye	.42
Flour, Best Patent	2.65

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 27, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Nick Baker, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on May 31, 1913, made Homestead Application Serial. No. 09103, for SW¼, Section 36, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 4th, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Martin O. Nelson, Allen Adolphson, Nels Gudvangen, Engebreth Moe, all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 24, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Elling Tollefsrud, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on April 7th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05957, for NW¼, Section 13, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 3rd, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Cleve Bergum, John Mundhenke, Sigurd Vick, Edwin C. Johnson, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior

U. S Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, July 1, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Johanna Malone Nelson, a widow of Martin A. Nelson, deceased, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on October 5th, 1910, made Homestead Entry No 05663, for N½ SW¼ & SE¼ NW¼ & NW¼ SE¼, Section 28, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 14th, day of August 1914

Claimant names as witnesses:

John O Foss, Peter Ostlund of Golden Valley, Minnesota Thomas Sten, A H Huseth, of Holt Minnesota

Proof made according to law under which entry was made

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Attorney at Law

Office in McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, - - Minnesota.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

LOANS PROBATE WORK COLLECTION

O. A. NAPLIN

Attorney-at-Law

Evenson Block

Thief River Falls, - - Minn.

KNUTE NELSON

Uuited states Commissioner, Distric of Minnesota

Final Proofs and Homestead Entries carefully attended to.

Middle River, - - - Minnesota.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. June 19, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that George C. Anderson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on January 20th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05824, for E½ NW¼ E½ SW¼, Section 35, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 1st day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Nels Fosen, Albert C. Jahr, Olaus Rodahl, Anton Rodahl, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 22, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John O Foss, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Nov. 7th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 08568, for SW¼, Section 33, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner For District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 30th. day of July, 1914

Claimant names as witnesses:

Rudolph Jensen of Germantown, Minn Charles Rossman, of Germantown, Minn. Gunder Tveit, of Golden Valley, Minn Ole B. Johnson, of Holt, Minn.

Peter M Ringdal,
Register

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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Rio Coffee,	regular 20c,	now	17c
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In addition to these Bargains in Coffee we will give Special Low Prices on other lines of our Grocery Department. All Goods absolutely fresh.

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Come in and see me before buying elsewhere.

R. REIERSON

Golden Valley.

Rudolf Dahl is plowing for Nels Fosen these days.

Olaf Dahl made a flying trip to Crookston and Warren last week.

Chas. Homgren and family have Just returned from a visit at Cresco, Iowa.

The MUD LAKE team have their new suits. The colors are wine and gold,

John Mundhenke has been laying in a good supply of sand the past week.

Mr. Prestegaard, the agent for Wards Medicines was seen on our streets last Saturdap.

E. E. Pechie and family spent Sunday at E. Skinruds. Mr. Skinrud expects to leave for Fergus Falls soon where he has a threshing rig.

Leonard Dahl was up to Middle River last week where he made final proof on his claim. He was accompanied by J. Mundhenke and Sigurd Vick.

The annual school meeting was well attended. It was an old fashioned one like they used to have when dad was a boy. The race for treasurer was a close one the vote being a tie between Elmer Odoe and P. Kolden.

A dance was given at Bernshen's Saturday night for the benefit of the MUD LAKE Ball Team. Altho the annual school meetings in the several surrounding districts detained many of the guests it was fairly well attended. The Dahl boys furnished the music. The receipts after the expenses were paid were $9.00.

Gatzka.

Clara Johnson has returned from a visit at Grand Forks.

While he was feeding Kolbensviks horse last week Ole Hall suffered a broken rib as the result of a kick.

Robert Lillie sold two colts last week One two year old and and one three months for a consideration of $200

MR. Groslron returned from Red Lake Falls last week. He has his crew out again this week building roads.

The Stork has been busy in this vicinity leaving a boy at the J. M Smith home and a girl at Ole Larsons place.

MR. AND MRS. Hustler and Mr Kelly and his daughter Alice went on a berry excursion Friday. They found lots of berries and also lots of mosquitos.

N. J. Veyum has returned to take the management of the Rollis Cooperative store. He had been detained for six weeks by the illness of Mrs. Weyum who is now on the road to recovery.

District No. 40 Progressive

School District No. 40 of Marshall county, commonly known as the Bo- ville district, held a special election last Saturday and voted $5,000 bond for the erection of a two room school building, in which will be maintained a semi-graded school. The bonds were voted unanimously, there not being a single dissenter

While the district is not a consolidated one it will be treated as one because in the matter of area, buildings, etc. it will conform to the laws governing consolidated districts It will therefor, receive $1,050 special state aid each year, and it will also receive $1,500 as aid toward the erection of the required building

The people of Dist. No. 40 are to be congratulated upon the progressive step they have taken.

—Warren Register.

Local Items

Get your meals at the hotel. adv

Racine Olson and Esther Mickelson visited at Crookston last week.

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Helmer Davidson returned from a trip to Fargo and other points last Tuesday.

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

R. L. Olson and family autoed to Thief River Falls last Monday to attend the Circus.

Mrs. Moe and two children of Lankin, N. D. are visiting at the H. A. Fosholm home this week.

Nels Engebretsen and family and Edith Skang took in the circus at Thief River Falls last Monday.

Mrs. Oscar Carlson of Thief River Falls is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wigge.

A "Charivari" party visited the Carl Surmo home last Saturday evening. A very good time is reported.

Lucy Wigge returned home last Tuesday from Mayville N. D. where she has been employed for the past six months.

E. M. Silbaugh, Oscar Anderson, Earl Johnson, Christ Yttri autoed to Thief River Falls last Monday to attend the circus.

Mrs. Ruth Backe, Myrtle Thomas, Bertel and Elmer Sollom autoed to Thief River Falls last Monday to take in the circus.

Mrs. Bale who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. H. Huseth for the past two weeks left Tuesday for her home at Fertile.

J. A. Sorum and family and Mrs. Theo. Sorum autoed to Hillsboro N. D. last Saturday for a weeks visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. C. H. Gunheim returned last Monday from a weeks visit with relatives at Fork, Minn. She was accompanied by her niece, Lily Arnes.

E. M. Silbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack and daughter made a trip to Grand Plain last Sunday calling at the John Alkenbrack home.

Oscar Hanson recently resigned his position with the Hanson Barzen milling company. He has been with the company a good many years and has built up a nice business for them here.

C. H. Gunheim and Mr and Mrs. B. Docken were callers at P. G. Sooters last Sunday. From there they autoed on to Middle River. On their way they met D. Payne and family who also made the trip.

Among the bachelors who attended the Gollmar Bros circus at Thief River Falls were Ed. Bjerk, P. L. Anderson, L. Jenson, Axel Nelson, S. G. Svenkeson, Selmer Reierson, C. Docken, and O. J. Backlund. They all returned but by various routes and conveyances.

A. R Jones of Crookston, arrived here on Tuesday to take charge of the Hanson Barson elevator and lumber yard. He will take the place of Oscar Hanson who has resigned. MR. Jones has had about 29 years experience in the grain and lumber business and is a competent man to look after their interests here.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1.60
Wheat	.81
Barley d	.31
Oats	.26
Rye	.42
Flour, Best Patent	2.65

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Found—A Dress. Owner may have same by proving ownership and paying for this notice. C. T. Nelson

Dentist: Dr J. T. Turley will be at the Hotel in Holt one day, Thursday, July 30th. Free examination of teeth; all work guaranteed.

CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES NOW SEEMS TO BE ASSURED

Union of Various Factions in Mexico Now Being Attempted---Carbajal Asks Only Amnesty for Prisoners.

Washington, July 21.—While government officials here feel that the Mexican problem is rapidly shaping itself for solution and that the Constitutionalists and the Carbajal government soon will reach an agreement for the establishment of a new administration, much apprehension is manifested over the possible operations of the Zapatista forces.

Threaten Mexico City.

Dispatches from Mexico City and Vera Cruz, which declared that the followers of Zapata were dangerously near the capital are confirmed by advices to the state department. Officials here for some time have been cognizant of the strength of the Zapata troops, but the American government has been able to exert its influence with Zapata to prevent an attack on Mexico City.

Emissaries from General Carranza are now in communication with Zapata and it is hoped through these parleys to bring the military operations of the revolution under one head.

Hurry To Set Up Government

Constitutionalist forces are being hurried southward to help maintain order at the capital. The efforts of the American government are directed toward influencing a quick settlement between Carranza and Carbajal so that a stable government may be set up without loss of time.

The Constitutionalist agency here has delivered to the mediators a note rejecting the invitation for representatives of General Carranza and General Huerta to meet in peace conferences.

It was written by Carranza before Huerta resigned, but delivery was delayed.

See Union of Factions.

Washington, July 20.—Every influence and diplomatic agency at the disposal of the United States government are working for immediate peace in Mexico.

The Washington administration is convinced that with the elimination of Huerta, for which it has been steadily pressing for more than a year, the various factions in Mexico will be drawn together quickly.

To aid in this and to assure restoration of normal conditions without further bloodshed, officials here are exerting themselves to smooth the way for a new and stable administration in Mexico which shall be recognized by the powers of the world.

Efforts Bring Results.

Already the fruits of the American effort to bring Carranza and Carbajal together are apparent. Carranza, according to Silliman's reports, has revealed a spirit of friendliness to the United States and a readiness to discuss peace with Carbajal and prevent further fighting.

Amnesty for political offenders and guarantees that the lives and property of the territory controlled by the federal government be conserved, are practically the only terms Carbajal asks.

Generally, Washington officials are highly optimistic over the favorable turn of events. Already they are predicting complete peace in Mexico in another fortnight. They were encouraged, for instance, by a telegram from General Obregon, commander of one of the three big divisions of the Constitutionalist army, saying Americans and foreigners could return to Guadalajara with assurances of safety. Obregon gave these assurances to American Consul Hostetter.

Huerta Off to Jamaica.

Puerto Mexico, Mexico.—General Huerta departed from this port on board the German cruiser Dresden for Jamaica, General Blanquet alone accompanying him. According to present plans Huerta will sail from Jamaica for Paris, where he will make his future home.

U. S. Counsels Zapata.

Not only is the American government at this moment counseling General Carranza, the Constitutionalist chief, to arrange with Francisco Carbajal, Huerta's successor, for the peaceful transfer of the government at Mexico City to the Constitutionalists without further fighting, but it became known that the administration is directly in communication with Emiliana Zapata, commander in southern Mexico.

Zapata, according to reliable reports to the state department, has 24,000 men, and though most of them are poorly equipped they would constitute a serious menace to a new government at Mexico City if they remain in revolution. Zapata, who demands agrarian reforms immediately, made common cause with the Constitutionalists and obtained supplies from them with which to fight the Huerta government. It is not known whether he will lay down his arms in favor of Carranza.

Carranza has been informed that he must conduct his triumph temperately, that there must be no excesses and no revenges when the army takes control of Mexico City and other important centers.

Wants General Amnesty.

Washington, July 18.—Francisco Carbajal, successor to General Huerta as provisional president of Mexico, to succeed General Huerta, resigned, advised the United States government informally that he intended to retire in favor of General Carranza, the Constitutionalist chief.

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VENUSTIANO CARRANZA.

Mr. Carbajal wishes only that a general amnesty be proclaimed and protection given to the property of those who opposed the Constitutionalists.

This statement of the attitude of Huerta's successor together with the announcement from Monterey that Carranza was willing to enter into negotiations with Carbajal relative to the transfer of authority at Mexico City was regarded here as practically assuring a cessation of hostilities and the restoring of peace in Mexico.

The views of Mr. Carbajal were expressed in detail to Secretary Bryan by Jose Castellot, former member of the Mexican senate, who called at the state department with a personal telegram which he had received through the Mexican embassy. It was the first communication between the American government and the Carbajal administration.

The message incidentally revealed that Generals Huerta and Blanquet are planning to go to Europe. The communication addressed to Mr. Castellot, a personal friend of the new president, was as follows:

Carbajal Letter Follows.

"I have just taken the oath of office as president of the republic. Generals Huerta and Blanquet have departed for Europe. I desire to make it known with emphasis that my only purpose is to facilitate a solution of the grave problems which weigh upon our country. I have not the slightest ambition for myself and merely wish to terminate the internal conflict of our country. Please give me your impressions of the situation in Washington.

"FRANCISCO CARBAJAL."

This message, Mr. Castellot explained, meant that Mr. Carbajal had taken office only as a means of bridging the gap from the Huerta regime to the Constitutionalists and that the new president had no desire to remain in office.

Secretary Bryan thanked Mr. Castellot for the information he brought and told him that while recognition would not be accorded Carbajal, the United States was amicably disposed toward him and would applaud his patriotic efforts to bring about peace in

President Resumes Work.

Washington, July 20.—President Wilson has completely recovered from his recent attack of indigestion. He has resumed his usual round of work and interviewed several business men, including S. R. Bertron, a banker, discussing business conditions and anti-trust legislation. Expecting a definite outcome of the fight on the nomination of Thomas D. Jones, as a member of the federal reserve board this week, Mr. Wilson is preparing to take up the case of Paul Warburg.

Two Machines Are Demolished.

Duluth, July 20.—Five persons almost miraculously escaped death, three were injured and two automobiles were demolished, one of them plunging over a ten-foot embankment. The autos, owned by D. Butler, proprietor of a Marble hotel, and A. Scanlon, a Marble liveryman, collided head on between Coleraine, Minn., and Marble. The impact was terrific and the cries of the passengers of the two cars were plainly audible some distance away.

TANGO AS A CAUSE OF CRIME

Brooklyn Judge Blames Theft by Two Youths to Nights Given to Modern Dance.

In suspending sentence in the cases of two youths who had pleaded guilty to attempted grand larceny, County Judge Fawcett in Brooklyn listed "white lights and tango nights" in the catalogue of incentives to crime.

"You can't expect to dance all night," he said, "and lie abed half the day, yet always have money for your carousals, unless you steal it. And let me tell you, our jails and penitentiaries are full of people with just such ideas. If your family had given you good beatings instead of money to spend, it would have been better for you."

The boys, John Colver, twenty years old, of 487 Hancock street, and Carlton Chapman, sixteen, of 362 Jefferson avenue, had been indicted for stealing money and jewelry from Adelaide Wiston, keeper of a furnished room house, where they lived for a time. They belong to respectable families of moderate means. Both promised the judge to go home and begin again. Chapman to return to school and Colver to work. Both wore tango pumps and silk shirts when arraigned.—New York Sun.

RASH ON FACE SPREAD

Granton, Wis.—"My sister had a very bad, deep, wet, running sore on the side of her face and it ran up to her ear. It commenced with a small blotch of pimples which turned into a kind of rash and spread rapidly. It itched and looked red and sore for some time and slightly swelled. A thin fluid dripped and ran from the sores which looked like water. Then the swelling would go down and it would keep on spreading. It bothered her during sleep and she would be restless. It was a kind of eczema.

"She treated for some time and it did not help her. It kept spreading larger and deeper. Having always used Cuticura Soap we told her to try it so she got some Cuticura Soap and Ointment and used them. It was two months when it was gone." (Signed) Miss Emma Retzloff, Apr. 7, 1914.

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The First Speaker.

The first speaker of the house of representatives of the United States was Frederick A. Muhlenberg of Pennsylvania, who was born in Trappe, Pa., in 1750, and died in Lancaster, Pa., in 1801. Muhlenberg was succeeded by Jonathan Trumbull of Connecticut, but was returned to the speaker's chair in the third congress. Among his famous successors was Henry Clay, who was speaker of six congresses; James K. Polk, Robert C. Winthrop, Schuyler Colfax, James G. Blaine, John G. Carlisle, Thomas B. Reed, David B. Henderson, Joseph G. Cannon and Champ Clark. Only one speaker of the house—James K. Polk—has ever reached the White House, defeating Henry Clay, ex-speaker.

Responsibilities.

"Didn't you ask me why I paid rent instead of owning my own home?" asked Mr. Crossiots.

"I made that inquiry?" replied the real estate man.

"Well, I'll tell you. When the roof leaks or a shutter drops off it's mighty handy to be able to ask your wife not to bother you, but to go and tell her troubles to the landlord."

His Tricks.

"I went out motoring with that popular amateur magician, and what transformation trick do you think he pulled off before we had gone any distance?"

"What was that?"

"He made the automobile turn turtle."

GOOD CHANGE.
Coffee to Postum.

The large army of persons who have found relief from many chronic ailments by changing from coffee to Postum as a daily beverage, is growing each day.

It is only a simple question of trying it for oneself in order to know the joy of returning health as realized by an Ills. young lady. She writes:

"I had been a coffee drinker nearly all my life and it affected my stomach—caused insomnia and I was seldom without a headache. I had heard about Postum and how beneficial it was, so concluded to quit coffee and try it.

"I was delighted with the change. I can now sleep well and seldom ever have headache. My stomach has gotten strong and I can eat without suffering afterwards. I think my whole system greatly benefited by Postum.

"My brother also suffered from stomach trouble while he drank coffee, but now, since using Postum, he feels so much better he would not go back to coffee for anything."

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CARRANZA DEMANDS ABSOLUTE SURRENDER

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General Carranza, here seen at Saltillo receiving the news of the victory of Guadalajara, says the army that has been supporting Huerta must surrender unconditionally to the constitutionalists.

CONGRESS WILL BE BUSY UNTIL FALL

MEMBERS SETTLE THEMSELVES TO WORK OF COMPLETING PROGRAM.

MUCH WORK TO BE FINISHED

Trust Measures Expected to Occupy Six Weeks at Least—One Predicts Work Till December.

Washington, July 21.—Members of congress who are standing valiantly by the administration in the effort to complete its legislative program despite the approaching campaign, while admitting they are weary of legislative duties and anxious to get home to their districts, have resigned themselves to the conclusion that there is little hope for adjournment before fall.

Trouble in Both Houses.

Both houses of congress are having trouble in rallying a quorum for the transaction of business, but the party whips are keeping constantly at work bringing members who have left town back to Washington and they hope to expedite what business remains as rapidly as possible. Some senators and representatives are permitted to go home from time to time to look after their political fences, but it is the aim of the Democratic leaders to keep a quorum present at all times.

Again this week the chief business of the senate will be to press the anti-trust bills, with a hope of getting a real start in the general debate on the intertrade commission bill and to complete the revision of the Clayton bill and the Rayburn securities measure in committee so that they may be submitted to the senate.

6 Weeks for Trust Bills.

At least six weeks of discussion in the senate on these trust measures is contemplated, although some Republican senators insist that it will be much longer than that before all can be passed.

There remains the probability that the three bills will be consolidated. If that is done the legislative task may not be so prolonged.

One thing that promises to delay the trust program is the difficulties which have arisen over the nominations of Thomas D. Jones of Chicago and Paul M. Warburg of New York as members of the federal reserve board.

President Wilson's desire to have the 20 new Bryan peace treaties ratified before adjournment is another matter that may prolong the session.

May Last Till December.

All these things together with uncompleted appropriations legislation serve to convince many members that congress can not get away for a long time. One Democratic senator asserted that the session would continue until the week session in December.

The Adamson general dam bill involving the government policy toward the development of water power and the improvement of navigation is the big pending business in the house this week.

The dam bill would authorize federal permits for construction of dams, or dams and locks for development of hydraulic power for service to the communities along navigable streams, the permits to run for 50 years with provision for government acquisition of the dams after that period if desirable.

N. P. Official Coming West.

New York, July 20.—Colonel William P. Clough, chairman of the board of directors of the Northern Pacific railway company, has left for the West for a week's visit.

Waterways Commission On Trip.

Winnipeg, July 20.—Members of the international waterways commission, including A. Powell of the Canadian and Senator Gardner of the American commission with A. Peters of the irrigation branch of the Canadian department of agriculture and H. Savage of the United States reclamation service, completed an exploration of the St. Mary's river country in Southern Alberta. The trip was made to get data upon which to divide the waters of the St. Mary's and Milk rivers on an equitable international basis.

HINDUS FIGHT POLICE; WIN

HURL COAL AND OTHER MISSILES AT OFFICERS.

Scores Injured by Infuriated Orientals Who Refuse Proffered Provisions.

Vancouver, B. C., July 21.—Scores among a party of 175 policemen and constables were injured, several seriously, in a battle with several hundred Hindus on board the Japanese steamer Komagata Maru in the harbor here. Showers of coal and other missiles rained from the ship on the official force which attempted to board the steamer from a tug. In the face of the fire the attacking party retreated and the attempt to board the steamer temporarily was abandoned.

The Hindus braved the stream from a big hose which the tug turned on them and mercilessly pelted the men on the decks of the tug with lumps of coals. Fire bricks and pieces of iron from what is believed to have been the wreckage of the engine room on the steamer followed. No shot were fired on either side.

Th battle grew out of an attempt to rid the harbor of the Japanese steamer on which 350 Hindus came to this port three months ago only to have the Canadian immigration officials refuse them admission to the country. Their claim of a right to land as British subjects was overruled by the courts and the steamer was ordered to sail with them on board. The Hindus had been rebellious and several times attempted to land, but were prevented.

As the steamer was without provisions the Canadian authorities a day or two ago decided to put sufficient stores on board for the voyage to the Orient, whence the Komagata Maru came. Plans were carefully matured and the tug Sea Lion put out with the provisions and what was deemed to be a sufficient boarding force to overcome any opposition. The 125 city policemen had revolvers and the special constables rifles.

The party in the tug was at the mercy of the Hindus above, as they had no orders to use their fire arms.

URGE JONES TO MAKE REPLY

Supporters of Reserve Board Nominee Want Him to Answer Charges—Caucus Possible.

Washington, July 20.—Democrats of the senate banking and currency committee who favor confirmation of Thomas D. Jones of Chicago, as a member of the federal reserve board have telegraphed Mr. Jones, urging him to answer the report of the majority of the committee, which opposed his confirmation on the ground that he is a director of the International Harvester company, which is under indictment for violation of the Sherman act.

Senators Hollis, Shafroth, Lee and Pomerene, who voted to recommend Mr. Jones' confirmation, sent the telegram and forwarded a copy of the majority report, though it has not been released by the senate. In the meantime the minority report will be delayed and this will postpone any action by the senate on the nomination. It is believed, however, that general discussion on the confirmation will begin Tuesday.

There is considerable informal talk among senators of the advisability of a Democratic caucus of the Jones case.

Mrs. Pankhurst Released From Jail.

London, July 20.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the militant suffragette leader, has again been released from Holloway jail.

Live Stock Law Violated.

Chicago, July 20.—Eight railroads were fined an aggregate of $30,000 by Federal Judge Landis for violation of the law providing that live stock in transit must be fed and watered at least once every 24 hours. The roads penalized were the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, the Chicago & Northwestern, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, Illinois Central, Baltimore & Ohio, Chicago-Great Western, Grand Trunk and the Chicago & Alton. The government brought 115 suits against these roads.

For the Sake of Shopping.

A few women get so much fun out of shopping that they really hope the articles they really buy won't last as long as the clerk promises, so that they can the sooner repeat the experience.

Matter o' Money.

"So my daughter referred you to me, eh? Well, I hardly understand it. She never consults me except in a financial way."

"Well—ah—that's just it, sir."

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FACE COVERED WITH PIMPLES—RESINOL CURED

Atlanta, Ga., April 24.—"My face was covered with pimples which defied creams, soaps and cosmetics. They were a source of constant humiliation to me. By the time I had finished a cake of resinol soap and half a jar of resinol ointment, my skin was soft as velvet, and as smooth. My friends were stunned, and everyone asked me what I had done. When I told them, I think they hardly believed it, for the transformation was simply wonderful. Since then I have been using resinol soap and shall never be without it again, for I have learned the delights of a clear, soft, beautiful complexion that may be attained by its constant use." (Signed) Miss E. P. Gaddis, 284 South Pryor St.

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His Specialty.

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The first electric plant within the Arctic circle will be erected at a mission at Point Hope, Alaska, the power being supplied by a windmill.

Women's Times of Danger

Women suffer a great deal from kidney diseases. Their indoor life, tight clothing and trying work all tend to weaken the kidneys. Woman's life also includes times of danger that are apt to leave the kidneys weak and to start attacks of backache, headache, dizziness, nervousness and urinary ills.

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BRYAN OUT FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE; HIS STATEMENT

SECRETARY OF STATE FORMALLY DECLARES HIS POSITION FAVORING FRANCHISE FOR WOMEN.

MEETS MANY ARGUMENTS OFFERED BY OPPOSITION

Nebraskan Would Ask No Political Right Not Given His Wife and Asserts Woman Has Proved Herself Equal to Every Task Imposed Thus Far.

Washington, July 18.—Secretary Bryan, in a formal statement came out for woman suffrage. He declared he would ask no political right for himself that he was not willing to grant his wife, and announced his intention of supporting the proposed state constitutional amendment extending the franchise to women to be voted upon in Nebraska next November.

Woman Proves Herself Capable.

Woman, Mr. Bryan said, has proved herself equal to every responsibility imposed upon her, and would not fail society in this emergency. Above all other arguments in favor of giving her the ballot he placed the right of the mother to a voice in the moulding of the environment of her children.

"The mother," the secretary said, can justly claim the right to employ every weapon which can be made effective for the protection of those whose interests she guards and the ballot will put within her reach all of the instrumentalities of government, including the police power."

Bryan's Argument.

The statement follows in part:

"As man and woman are co-tenants of the earth and must work out their destiny together, the presumption is on the side of equality of treatment in all that pertains to their joint life and its opportunities. The burden of proof is on those who claim for one an advantage over the other in determining the conditions under which both shall live. This claim has not been established in the matter of suffrage.

"The first objection which I remember to have heard was that as woman cannot bear arms she should not have a voice in deciding questions that might lead to war, or in enacting laws that might require an army for their enforcement. This argument is seldom offered now, for the reason that as civilization advances laws are obeyed because they are an expression of public opinion, not merely because they have power behind them.

Might Relieve Monotony.

"Second, it is urged by some that woman's life is already full of care and that the addition of suffrage would either overburden her or turn her attention away from the duties of the home. The answer made to this is that the exercise of the franchise might result in a change of thought and occupation that would relieve the monotony.

"Third, many well meaning men and women affirm that suffrage would work a harm to women by lessening the respect in which she is held. This argument would have more weight had it not been employed against every proposition advanced in favor of the enlargement of woman's sphere. This objection was once raised to the higher education of woman, but it is no longer heard.

Fears Proved Groundless

"These objections, however, honestly advanced, have proven impotent to retard woman's progress. May not the fears sincerely entertained by the opponents of woman suffrage be found to be as groundless as those that once forced the widow in eastern India to ascend the funeral pyre or as those that exclude Mohammedan women from the social benefits and responsibilities which the woman of the Christian world shares?

"And are not the second and third objections above stated refuted, to some extent, at least, by the fact that in the states which have adopted woman suffrage (and in the other nations that have adopted it) there is no agitation for a return to the system under which man has a monopoly of the right to vote? Is it not fair to assume that an effort would be made to correct the mistake if woman suffrage had really failed to give satisfaction to the people where it has been tried?

Rights of Mother Supreme

"The mother can justly claim the right to employ every weapon which can be made effective for the protection of those whose interests she guards, and the ballot will put within her reach all the instrumentalities of government, including the police power.

"Politics will not suffer by woman's entrance into it. If the political world has grown more pure in spite of the evil influences that have operated to debase it, it will not be polluted by the presence and participation of woman.

TRYING TO AVERT RAIL STRIKE

CONTENTIONS OF WESTERN ENGINE CREWS BEING HEARD.

Federal Board of Mediation Investigating Both Sides in Chicago—98 Western Roads Concerned.

Chicago, July 21.—Hearings by the federal board of mediation, conciliation and arbitration to settle the differences between the ninety-eight western railroads and their engine crews have begun here. William L. Chambers, chairman of the board, Federal Judge Martin A. Knapp and G. W. W. Hanger, assistant commissioner, are here using their good offices to obtain the consent of the carriers and their employes to arbitration.

"If the mediators are able to bring about an agreement to arbitrate, I think we can speedily adjust our differences," asserted A. W. Trenholm, chairman of the committee of general managers of the roads. "The managers are hopeful of a settlement without a strike and are willing to do everything in their power to bring it about."

Acceptance of the assistance of the federal board by the employes was to show their willingness to prevent a strike, according to their leaders. They asserted they had no intention to bind themselves in an agreement which would affect future efforts to obtain increased wages.

If the conference with the mediators develops willingness on the part of the railroads to make concessions, it is possible the men will submit the matter to arbitration, one of their officers declared. He asserted action would be taken on the strike vote unless some sort of action favorable to the employes occurs this week.

A member of the railroad managers' committee said the roads would be willing to open negotiations with the men a year from now, when, it was hoped, the carriers would be better off financially. The men replied by declaring the railroads of the west are as prosperous as those of the east, which have given engine crews increased wages and better hours.

STORM WRECKS FIVE SHIPS

All on Coast of Nova Scotia in Storm, No Lives Are Lost, However.

Halifax, N. S., July 21.—Two steamers, two large schooners and a barkentine were wrecked on the Nova Scotia coast in a violent storm which began Saturday and continued Sunday, rain, fog, thunder and lightning accompanying the gale. There was no loss of life, but it is unlikely that any of the wrecked vessels will be saved.

The Cuban steamer Cienfuegos, from Gulfport, with a cargo of hard pine for Sorel and Montreal, struck on Scattarie island on the Cape Breton coast.

The steamer Ragna of Norwegian registry, was wrecked at Balene near Louisburg, C. B. She was bound from Chester, Pa., for St. Anns, C. B., and is supposed to have missed her bearings.

The four-masted schooner, Clarence H. Venner, hailing from Dennis, Mass., went on the rocks near Cape Sable and the American schooner Harold C. Beecher, from New York for Sydney, C. B., struck on the rocks of Scatterie.

GETS THE BETTER OF I. W. W.

Demonstration Well in Hand and Police Deport Rioters—600 Are Intercepted From Entering.

Aberdeen, S. D., July 21.—Police here now have the I. W. W. demonstration well in hand and the rioters are being deported. A large force of men have been busy driving the unemployed out of the city and into the country where they are needed.

Meanwhile the agitators are held in jail and prevented from endeavoring to conduct more street meetings.

The greater number of the men are merely harvesters who have come here for work but have been stirred up to the danger point by agitators. Late Sunday afternoon the train from the south carrying close to 600 men was stopped by a force of policemen two miles out of the city and all of them made to about face and retrace their steps. Batches of twenty are being herded together and dispatched on every train leaving the city. An extra number of deputies were sworn in and the members of the local militia company were summoned to the armory, but were not called out.

Another Has Bubonic Plague.

New Orleans, July 21.—The seventh case of bubonic plague was announced here after health authorities had diagnosed the illness of Philomene Glapoin, a 15 year old girl. She had been employed by a paper company in Front street, within the original focus of the disease. Her home was several blocks away. The girl's condition was said to be serious.

French Balloon Falls; 2 Hurt.

Paris, July 21.—The balloon [illegible], a contestant in the grand prix race, organized by the Aero club of France, crashed into the trees of the Tuileries garden, injuring the pilot. Georges Blanchet, and his aid Duval and causing a panic among thousands of spectators who had gathered in the Place de la Concorde to witness the start. Several persons were slightly injured in the crush; many women fainted, and others were overcome by escaping gas. Duval was injured internally and may die.

KING TAKES HAND IN HOME RULE FIGHT

ENGLISH RULER CALLS PARTY LEADERS FOR DISCUSSION OF SUBJECT.

ALL FACTIONS TO BE PRESENT

Leaders of Opposition Accept Command and But One Warring Note Is Interjected—Conference May Start Today.

London, July 21.—Premier Asquith announces that King George, "in view of the grave political situation, has considered it right to summon a conference of the representatives of the political parties, both British and Irish, to discuss the outstanding points of the problem of Irish government."

The premier added that James Lowther, speaker of the house of commons, would, at his majesty's request, preside over the conferences.

Conference May Begin Today.

The invitations to the conference have been accepted by two representatives each of the regular oppositions, of the Ulster unionists, of the Irish nationalists and of the government.

Premier Asquith said he hoped the meetings of the conference would begin late today.

Andrew Bonar Law, leader of the opposition, on its behalf, remarked that it had "loyally accepted the command of His Majesty."

John Redmond, leader of the Irish nationalists, scarcely appeared to regard the proposed conference as attractive. He said:

"My colleagues and myself take no responsibility for the policy of calling this convention, and I do not think I am called on to express an opinion as to whether the result will prove useful or the contrary. The invitation came to John Dillon and myself in the form of a command from the king and as such we at once obeyed it."

Warring Note Interjected.

Lowrence Gillen, a nationalist member, interjected a warring note into the otherwise peaceful interlude by asking if there was any precedent for the premier advising the king to "place himself at the head of a conspiracy to defeat the wishes of the House."

The question was ignored and the house then proceeded with other business.

The king curtailed his visit to Spithead and returned quickly to London, after reviewing the fleet. He went at once to Bickinham place for the conference.

Ball Players May Strike.

New York, July 21.—Drastic action, possibly a strike or walkout of base-ball players in the American and National leagues, is contemplated by the Baseball Players' fraternity, according to a statement by President Fultz, in case the national commission refuses to accede to the terms of an ultimatum sent it by the fraternity in the case of Player Kraft of the Newark Internationals. Ban Johnson, president of the American league, asserted that if a strike order is obeyed by the players every American league ball park will close its gates, all players' salaries will be stopped and the striking players will be punished

Prohibition Worker Gone Again

Rib Lake, Wis., July 21.—Rev. Louis R. Patmont left here accompanied by Rev. C. L. Milton, of Milwaukee, but their destination will be kept a secret for the present, according to Rev. A. C. Stone, of this place, who volunteered the information. Patmont tells a story of being pursued, hounded and his life threatened while in Detroit, according to Mr. Stone. The reward of $1,000 is claimed by the postmaster of Rib Lake and a newspaper man, who claim to have identified the missing man at the same moment.

Twin City Newspaper Man Disappears.

Butte, July 21.—Chief of Police Jerry Murphy and the newspaper men of this city have been asked to aid in the search for F. C. Faude, a well known newspaper man of Minneapolis who disappeared last Friday evening while with Harry L. Knappen, formerly a Minneapolis newspaper man and former managing editor of the Sentinel of Missoula. Faude and Knappen were waitink to take a southbound Oregon Short Line train for Melrose Mont., for an outing.

Body Not Catherine Winters'.

Chicago, July 21.—Another supposed solution tot he mysterious disappearance of Catherine Winters, 9 years old, daughter of Dr. William A. Winters, of Newcastle, Ind., apparently failed when a body exhumed in the potters' field at Urbana, Ill., was identified by Nicholas Larry as his child.

Vera Cruz "Vets" Home

New York, July 21.—Officers and sailors of the battleship Florida, who took a leading part in the first day's fighting at the taking of Vera Cruz, are here enjoying their first vacation in several months.

Want Statue For Nordica

New York, July 21.—Friends of the late Madame Nordica have enlisted the aid of prominent musicians and music lovers in a plan to erect a heroic statue of the diva in Central park, according to announcement.

GET WIRELESS BY BEDSPRING

Eastern Amateur Experiments With a Novel Form of Antennae and Is Successful.

Cyrus H. Fladreaux of Peekskill, N. Y., gives the following interesting account of his experiments with a novel form of antennae for wireless telegraphy:

"There are many things used as antennae to catch the mysterious electric waves which carry our wireless messages through space, and I find that the springs of my bed serve as very efficient antennae. My room is on the second story of my house, and by using these springs as antennae I can easily read the signals sent out every night by the wireless station at Sayville, L. I., although they are not by any means so loud as when I use my outdoor antennae, which are 40 feet above ground, 60 feet long and consists of four wires on spreaders, the wires being two feet apart.

"The bedspring antennae are best for use with nearby high power stations. Sayville, L. I., is about fifty miles from Peekskill. With my outdoor antennae I continually hear the Arlington (Va.) naval station when it sends out the corrected time signals at 11:55 a. m. and at 9:55 p. m.; also the weather reports, Brooklyn navy yard; New London, Conn.; Cape Cod and others, including amateur stations too numerous to mention.

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One Hundred Years Ago.

The curious modes which women affect now began as far back as 1798, which is a period we should hardly wish to copy in most respects. A dance not at all unlike the tango was in vogue at that time, and had many exponents, who danced in loose bodices opening in a V shape from the shoulders almost to the waist. Skirts were slit and were often made of transparent gauze.

We may return to the gowns of that period, which were without waists, having simply a girdle to the bust, with skirts caught up rather short in front and slightly trained at the back. In 1800 women wore sandals and bare feet. Corset belts were only about two inches wide. Some gowns were caught up to the knee with large cameos. Soon fashion overreached itself and then came crinolines, pointed footgear and unnaturally small waists. Are we coming to this?

Died With Fortune Near.

That Benjamin Vance, prospector, whose body was found in a gully at the base of a 500-foot cliff near Palo Rito pass recently, was killed after locating a rich mineral vein is the belief of S. J. Vance of Tekemah, Neb., his brother. In the prospector's cabin were a number of high-grade ore samples, cached in a secret passageway.—Crestone (Colo.) Dispatch to Denver Post.

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Bring Tibet to Alaska.

It has been proposed by a United States official to Alaska to cross the yak of Tibet with Galloway cows for the purpose of obtaining a type of cattle suitable to the rigorous life in the Arctic county.

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London Has Ambulances.

London, which has never yet had an ambulance, has at last ordered six of them, and expects them to do all the work for the entire city. In case of past accidents the policemen have had to commandeer the nearest wagon, depending on the generosity of the driver, as they were not able to offer him anything.

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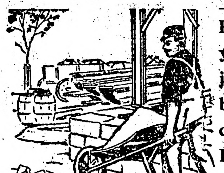

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Builders' Notice!

Notice is hereby given that the school board of Dist. No. 59 of Marshall Co., Minn., will receive sealed bids at the Holt State Bank, up to 2 o'clock P. M. July 25th 1914, for building a two room school house, contractor to furnish all material.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the above bank.

Building must be ready for occupancy not later than Oct. 1st 1914.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Holt, Minn. July 6 1914

By order of the School Board

Theo. Sorum, Dist. Clerk

Special School Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting in School District No. 35 in Marshall County, Minnesota, will be held at School House on the 31st day of July, 1914 at 7 to 9 o'clock P. M., for the following purposes:

To decide the question of changeing the school house site of the above district from the present site to the following described premises, towit: Commencing from a point situated 461 fee due West from the N W corner of Block 8 Townsite of Holt Section 33, 156—43 thence North to South 290.4 thence East to West 300 feet, thence South to North 290 .4 feet thence East to starting point 300 feet containing two acres the whole thereof being situated in the NE quarter of the SE quarter Sec. 32 —156—43. To authorize the School Board to purchase the proposed Site. Dated this 20th day of July, 1914. D. Payne,

District Clerk.

Leads In Newcommers

Minnesota left all other states far behind during the month of June in the matter of receiving immigrants according to figures given out by Fred D. Sherman, state immigration commissioner. During the month of June, Minnesota received more than twice as many emigrant cars as any other state and more than a third of the total number of cars handled by the Minnesota Transfer Railroad Company. Out of a total of 144 cars handled by the transfer company, 51 cars were left in Minn. Montana came next, with 21 cars, Canada 19, Wisconsin and N. D. each 15, and Iowa South Dakota and Washington each 3

Beachy To fly at Pennington County Fair, August 6 7.

The officers of the county fair have made arrangements with Lincoln Beachy the worlds greatest living birdman, for two areoplane flights daily at the county fair grounds on the last two days of the fair, August 6 and 7.

Beacoy at one time retired from flying and it was not until Pergault the French aviator, startled the world by looping the loop in an areoplane that Beachy re-entered the game and outrivaled the Frenchman by his dardevil up side down flying. His appearance at this years county fair will be without question, one of the greatest fair attractions ever staged in the north west,

The fair grounds have been wired and electric lighted and will be as light as electricity can make it for the after supper entertainment. From now until the opening of the fair a man will be kept busy leveling and surfacing the race track inorder to have it in perfect condition.

All attractions or stands of any kind will be kept inside of the fair grounds inclosure and the streets of the city will be kept entirely free from oestacles during the entire three days.—Thief River Falls News Press

TEACHERS EXAMINATIONS

To Be Held At Warren July 27, 28 and 29. Common School Certificates.

MONDAY, July 27th. (SECOND GRADE)
A. M. 8:00 Enrollment
~~8:30 Professional Test~~
9:30 Penmanship
10:00 Arithmetic
P. M. 1:15 Geography
2:45 Composition
3:45 Reading
4:40 Spelling

TUESDAY, July 28. (SECOND GRADE CON.)
A. M. 8.00 U. S. History
9:45 English Grammar
11:30 Music
P. M. 1:15 Physiology-Hygiene
2:45 Civics
4:00 Agriculture

WEDNESDAY, July 29th. (FIRST GRADE)
A. M. 8:00 Enrollment
8:30 Geometry
10:15 Physics
P. M. 1:15 Algebra
2:45 Physical Geography or General History.
4:45 Drawing

In Church Circles.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Oscar Hanson Friday July 31st. All welcome.

The Ladies' will meet at D. Payne's, Wednesday July 29th, instead of Aug. 5th as first announced.

There will be services in Golden Valley at Olaf Dahl's place July 19 at 2 o'clock and in East Valley in the schoolhouse of Dist. 148, July 26 at 10:45. All children should meet at the schoolhouse on Saturday and Sunday July 25th and 26th.

Southeast Of Holt.

Tellef Brokke called on S. G. Moe Tuesday.

Matilda Wendt called at Larsons Sunday eve.

C. Hoffman has constructed a new barn on his farm.

O. G. Olson called on O. O. Listol Sunday

Martin Matson made a flying trip to Holt Sunday.

Gjermund Johnson is busy harvesting his oats.

Ida Lunke is working for Mrs. F. Steinhauer now-a-days.

Engebreth Moe of Mud Lake purchased a horse from A. Klungness recently.

Mrs. G. Michaelson spent Sunday visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Listol

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lainey and daughter Myrtle visited at the home of A. Klungness Sunday.

Messrs Gilbert Michaelsen and Soren Bergland have purchased gas tractors to help increase the farm rackets.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson and daughter Victoria and Masters Floyd and Henry visited at Willie Rude's Sunday Afternoon.

This seems to be quite a good corn raising country. Corn has reached the height of about 6 feet on one of the farms in this locality.

Martin Matson, Carl Chsistopherson, Harry Manvel and Arthur Moe and Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe visited at the C. Larson home Sunday.

Messrs Homer McCarthy, Targe Sordahl, Simon Moe and Alfred Klungness, and the Misses Olga and Ida Klungness called on Olsons Sunday after noon.

A large number of people from this locality attended the Gollmar Bros. Circus in Thief River Falls, on Monday. All reported an enjoyable time.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, July 16, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ole S. Kirkelie, of Germantown, Minn., who on June 26, 1911 made homestead entry, Serial 06349. for SW quarter Section 8, Township 155N., Range 41 W., 5th principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner, for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesoto, on the 24th day of August 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson, Olaf G. Tharaldson, and Alexander Magee all of Germantown, Minn. and Salve G. Tharaldson of Holt, Minn.

Proof to be made under law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 27, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Nick Baker, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on May 31, 1913, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 09103, for SW¼, Section 36, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 4th, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Martin O. Nelson, Allen Adolphson, Nels Gudvangen, Engebreth Moe, all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 24, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Elling Tollefsrud, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on April 7th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05957, for NW¼, Section 13, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 3rd. day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Cleve Bergum, John Mundhenke, Sigurd Vick, Edwin C. Johnson, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, July 1, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Johanna Malone Nelson, a widow of Martin A. Nelson, deceased, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on October 5th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05663, for N½ SW¼ & SE¼ NW¼ & NW¼ SE¼, Section 28, Township 158 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 14th, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John O. Foss, Peter Ostlund, of Golden Valley, Minnesota. Thomas Sten, A. H. Huseth, of Holt Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

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Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota June 19, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that George C. Anderson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on January 20th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05824, for E½ NW¼ E½ SW¼, Section 35, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 1st day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Nels Fosen, Albert C. Jahr, Olaus Rodahl, Anton Rodahl, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 22, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John O. Foss, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Nov. 7th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 08568, for SW¼, Section 33, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wihelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner For District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 30th. day of July, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Rudolph Jensen, of Germantown, Minn. Charles Rossman, of Germantown, Minn. Gunder Tveit, of Golden Valley, Minn. Ole B. Johnson, of Holt, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1 71
Wheat	86
Barley	33
Oats	25
Rye	47
Flour, Best Patent	.75

AUCTION SALE

On Friday August 7, the following described property will be sold at Public Auction in Holt.

One team Good Mules with work harness.

One 14 months old Bull 3-4 Guernsey.

One 7 months old Bull 1-2 Guernsey.

One fine Milch Cow, half Guernsey, fresh in October.

About 100 Chickens, Plymouth Rock and Leghorn.

Sale will commence at 1 o'clock sharp.

TERMS: All Sums under $10 00 cash over that amount time will be given until Nov. 1st, 1914 on bankable paper.

PENNINGTON COUNTY FAIR

At Thief RiverFalls, Aug. 5, 6 and 7th. Four Areoplane Flights.

The Pennington County Fair will be held at Thief River Falls Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week. The management is putting considerable more money into premiums, purses and attractions, than ever before and the fair will this year be one of the best in the state.

The attraction of two daily flights by Beachy in his Wright areoplane should be worth many times the price of admission. Beachy proved to be the chief attraction at the Winnepeg Fair a week ago, and tho he was not engaged for the last day the management paid $1,800.00 to have him remain as they feared the final day would be a failure without him.

The officials of the Penneington County fair have followed in the footsteps of the Minnesota State fair and have designated the first day of the fair, Wednesday, August, 5th, as "Childrens Day. On that day all children between the ages of 6 and 15 years, if accompanied by parents will be admitted to the grounds free.

Thursday, August 6th, has been designated as Thief River Falls Day, and Friday as Salesmen's Day. In order to made the closing day fully as good as the two previous days special automobile and horse races have been arranged for and a base ball game between Warren and Thief River Falls.

Local Items

Get your meals at the hotel. adv

B. L. Backe has purchaced a brand new Buick.

Edna and Lydia Risberg made a trip to Argyle this week.

A. H. Huseth returned from a visit at Minneapolis last week.

For Dr. G H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Guy Anderson, Mr and Mrs. John Simonson autoed to T. R. Falls last Tuesday.

Mrs. I. Thomas, of Fergus Falls, is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

D. Payne reported the sale of thirteen claim shacks before breakfast Tuesday morning.

Elmer Johnson of the North Western Drainage Co., was a business caller here Tuesday.

Guy Anderson, his mother and Mr and Mrs. John Simonson were visitors at Gatzke last Sunday.

Louis Rux returned from Warren this week where she has been employed for several months.

John Alkenbrack and wife and J B. Alkenbrack and family visited at the E. M. Silbaugh home Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Newton went to Warren Wednesday to see her son Norman who is still confined at the hospital.

P. L. Anderson purchased B. L. Backe's "Buick" this week. Backe took in exchange Pete's "Overland" racer.

Carl Newton made a trip to McIntosh, Minn., this week, returning Tuesday. He was accompanied by his two brothers.

Vernon and Percy Huseth are on the sick list this week. Dr. Melby was in attendance and they are now getting better.

SQUATTING ON MUD LAKE

Lake Bottom Blossoms into Settlement in a Single Day.

Local Lumberman Has Plutarchic Air Since Tuesday's Business.

The sun rose on schedule time Tuesday but thot it must surely be several hours late when it took a look at the town. Instead of the scene of peaceful restfulness he expected he gazed upon a chaos. A seething turbulent mob surrounded Paynes lumber yard and Dave himself, covered with what part of his regular apparel he had managed to don between his domicile and the lumber yard looked on with a satisfied smile Book and pencil in hand he stood and as one after the other would break away from the crowd and with a couple of scantlings and a board or two on his rig head eastward, Dave would make a charge of material for "One Lake Residence" and hurriedly turn a leaf to catch the next.

By the usual rising time the town and "Goldsmith's Deserted Village" looked off the boards and the highway leading to Mud Lake would lead one to think there was a repetition of the Oklahoma land rush.

Banker merchant, hotelman, and drayman, they all had the fever and each armed with hammer, saw and a pocket full of nails hurried eastward. By sunset the wilderness of [illegible] had become a settlement. Tis maybe true that some of the structures would look somewhat out of place on Lowry Hill but the proud erectors of same would assure you of their good intentions.

The cause of it all; last fall the goverment had the Lake surveyed and the first of the week filed the plat at the Crookston Land office. This caused the report to be cirulated that it would be thrown open for settlement as free homestead and that squatters would have previous fileing privelege, thus the stampede.

The settlers along the shore had been claiming the lake bottom and had taken the matter into District Court to obtain title. When the survey was made some of the settlers found that there were instances where the actual lake shore line and the meandering line run by the surveyor did not coincide and as a result their buildings were out in the lake according to Uncle Sam As a result some of the squatters find themselves possessed for the present with land already containing buildings and fields of ripening grain. This will undoubtedly mean work for the court and lawyers for some time to come. In the mean time the squatters are at work trying to make their structures look habitable

One prospective lake bottom farmer had posted his notices and returned for building material, but when he got back found his future farm taken possession of by a young lady who sat there under a parasol with a rifle across her lap He was going to argue the matter but she impressed him with her determination to stay and he retired.

Mrs. C. L Heinze returned last Friday from Norway after several Months absence. She reports a very enjoyable visit.

John Stanley arrived from Thief River Falls to assist J B Alkenbrack in the erection of his dwelling house on his land adjoining the townsite.

Mr. and Mrs. Kolden, P. L. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe took in the Ringling Bros. circus at Grand Forks last Saturday making the trip in Backe's car

Henry Oien, Ludvig Munson Ed Davidson and E. M. Silbaugh autoed to Thief River Falls last Friday. Oien and Munson went down to look up some fixtures for their new meat market which they intend to open up in the near future.

Axel Nelson and S. J. Svenkeson returned from Mud Lake Tuesday for a few days layoff, as they could not stand the excitement now raging on the Mud Lake Bottom.

Hog cholera made its first appearance in this vicinity this week at Wandt's, Erickson's and W. A. Silbaugh. It was reported to the State Veterinary who promised relief at once.

FARM LOANS

This is the season for "Farm Sales", and we call your attention to the fact that we have Money to Loan on First Mortgages in Farm Lands, at reasonable rates. Do not fail to see us if you are in need of a Farm Loan.

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AUSTRIA BEGINS WAR ON SERVIA; POWERS ANXIOUS

FIRST BLOW BELIEVED STRUCK WITHOUT FORMAL DECLARATION BEING ISSUED.

FEARED MANY NATIONS MAY BECOME INVOLVED

Iron-Clad Censorship Causes Secrecy About All Movements—Developments Are Regarded as Very Grave—Possibility of General Conflict.

London, July 28.—Late developments appear to furnish new proofs that Austria is fully determined to make war on Servia and the possibilities of a general European war seem greater than have ever confronted the present generation. The Servian reply to the Austro-Hungarian ultimatum was an acceptance of almost all the imperious demands, except that Austrian officials shall participate in the investigation and fix the responsibility for the anti-Austrian propaganda.

Servia Proposes Hague.

Servia proposed an appeal to the powers at The Hague for the settlement of that feature. Notwithstanding this humiliating surrender, which was more than Europe expected of the proud little nation, the Austrian government gave the Servian minister his passports which may be construed as a virtual declaration of war. Austria committed an act of war by arresting the chief of Servian general staff, General Putnik, near Budapest, but he was soon released by the emperor's direct command.

A formal declaration of war is not expected because Servia is not a party to The Hague convention, which requires this. The suspension of all parliamentary and judicial institutions has been decreed in Austria and an iron-clad censorship has drawn a cordon of secrecy around the country, so that the outside world is in complete ignorance of everything happening there, except what the government wants the world to know.

War Even Now?

Even now the Austrian armies may be closed in upon Servia and launching a sudden blow, as Japan did when she sent her fleet against the Russian ships without warning.

While Austria announces "a part mobilization" the Austrian ambassador at London has issued a significant notice to all Austrians liable for military service to return home. The only possibility of averting war at the eleventh hour, which Austria recognizes is that Servia shall reconsider her reply to the Austrian note and bow to all the demands. Even then Austria proposes to exact payment for all her expenses in connection with her military measures.

Russia Is Looked To.

The question as to whether Russia will take up arms to save her Slav protege from a crushing blow is the crucial feature of the situation on which the peace of all Europe hinges.

The same degree of secrecy which Austria has imposed has been established in Russia, also, therefore it cannot be known what military preparations are in progress there. The Russian government has permitted messages to go forth quoting the St. Petersburg papers as considering intervention inevitable and demanded by the popular sentiment.

Germany has informed the other powers that she considers that the Austro-Servian quarrel concerns those nations alone. If any other power takes it up she declares, serious consequences must follow.

FRENCH DISCUSS WAR STAND

Paris, July 28.—The French cabinet took under consideration the Austro-Servian trouble, several of the 12 members present having been summoned by telegraph from the country. Prior to the meeting, the war minister, Adolphe Messimy, conferred with General Joffre, chief of the general staff, General Michel, military governor of Paris and the minister of the interior, Louis Malvy.

The war will be looked upon, if it comes, as a terrible day for hundreds of thousands of men. It is not now known whether they will receive the order for mobilization.

The question of war is the principal topic of discussion in the boulevard cafes and all classes of Parisians are taking an absorbing interest in developments.

Caillaux Trial Is Stirring.

Paris, July 27.—The chief judge challenging on of his colleagues to a duel, the reading of the "mysterious" letters which were supposed to affect the case so profoundly, and the physical collapse in court of Mme. Caillaux were the three incidents which Saturday stirred the emotions in connection with the trial of Mme. Caillaux for the murderof Gaston Calmette. A peculiarly French atmosphere was lent to the affair by the quarrel of the judges. The exact cause has not been ascertained.

COLONEL BEGINS TO PREPARE DEFENSE

ENGAGES LAW FIRM TO CONDUCT HIS CAUSE IN $50,000 LIBEL SUIT.

ALSO RENEWS HIS ATTACKS

Roosevelt's Statement on Which Complaint Is Based—Allegation of Political Leader.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 27.—Theodore Roosevelt, after renewing his attack on William Barnes, Republican state chairman, has begun the work of preparing his legal defense in the $50,000 libel suit begun against him by Mr. Barnes, as a result of the colonel's recent statement alluding to the chairman and Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany hall.

Calls It "Boss Rule."

In that statement the former president attacked so-called "boss rule," in state politics and favored the candidacy of former State Senator Harvey D. Hinman for governor.

Col. Roosevelt engaged to defend him the New York law firm, Bowers and Sands, which acted for him in the trial last year of his libel suit against the Michigan publisher who charged him with being an inebriate.

Colonel Makes Statement.

Colonel Roosevelt said he regarded the action of Mr. Barnes as the most striking proof that could be given that the bosses recognize in him personally the one enemy that the type of machine government for which they stand has to fear.

Part of Colonel Roosevelt's statement on which Mr. Barnes bases his complaint, is as follows:

"In this campaign I have a duty to the Progressives of the nation and a duty also to the state of New York. In national politics, insofar as I am able, I shall endeavor to strive for the success of the principles embodied in the Progressive national platform. Therefore I shall oppose the policies of the present administration, which I regard as deeply injurious alike to the honor and the interest of the American people.

Duty in State.

"But in this state the prime duty is a good citizens' movement—a union movement to save the state from the bipartizan control of Messrs. Barnes and Murphy, precisely like the good citizens' movement last year, when by union the city was saved from the domination of Mr. Murphy. I hope with all my heart that all independent citizens, whether Progressives, Republicans or Democrats in their national affiliations, will stand shoulder to shoulder for clean non-partizan government in the state at large this fall.

"In New York state we see at its worst the development of the state of bipartizan boss rule. The outcome of this system is necessarily that invisible government which the Progressive party was in large part founded to oppose. It is impossible to secure the economic, social and industrial reforms to which we are pledged until this invisible government of the party bosses, working through the alliance between crooked business and crooked politics, is rooted out of our government system. In New York state the two political machines are completely dominated, the one by Mr. Barnes, the other by Mr. Murphy. The state government is rotten throughout in almost all of its departments; and this is directly due to the domination in politics of Mr. Murphy and his sub-bosses, acting through such entirely subservient agents as Governors Dix and Glynn, aided and abetted when necessary by Mr. Barnes and the sub-bosses of Mr. Barnes.

Calls Two Alike.

"Mr. Murphy and Mr. Barnes are of exactly the same moral and political type. Not one shadow of good comes from substituting one for the other in the control of our government. Not one shadow of good comes from perpetuating a government seesaw with first one of them and then the other at the upper end of the plank while the function of the people of the state is limited to serving as a trestle across which the plank is laid.

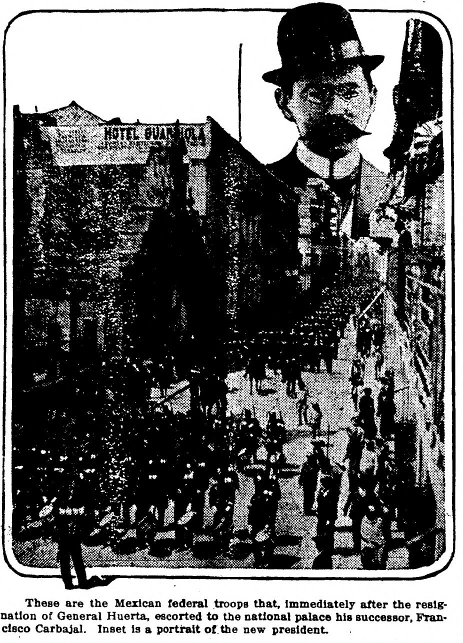
"The interests of Mr. Barnes and Mr. Murphy are fundamentally identical, and when the issue between popular rights and corrupt and machine ruled government is clearly drawn, the two bosses always will be found fighting on the same side openly or covertly, giving each other such support as can with safety be rendered. These bosses do not hold public office themselves. They act through the holders of public office whom they control. Yet they really form the all powerful invisible government which is responsible for the maladministration and corruption in the public offices of the state."

The Barnes' Complaint.

Mr. Barnes' complaint asserts the references to the plaintiff contained in the statement were libelous, false and untrue.

"The defendant published said statement maliciously, and with intent thereby to injure the plaintiff, and without lawful cause, and for the purpose of defaming and injuring the legitimate political influence and activity of the plaintiff in the performance of his duty of citizenship," the complaint adds. "By reason thereof plaintiff has been damaged in the sum of $50,000.

HUERTA QUITS, CARBAJAL IS PRESIDENT



These are the Mexican federal troops that, immediately after the resignation of General Huerta, escorted to the national palace his successor, Francisco Carbajal. Inset is a portrait of the new president.

ORDER IN MEXICO IS ASSURED

FOUR IMPORTANT LEADERS BEING BROUGHT INTO HARMONY.

Encouraging Messages Are Received by Washington of Progress Already Made.

Washington, July 27.—Official advices reveal that the Washington administration is meeting with success in bringing Provisional President Carbajal, General Carranza, General Villa and General Zapata into harmony for the restoration of peace in Mexico.

From these four leaders—representing all the factions concerned in the establishment of a stable government—came encouraging messages in answer to the counsel and advice which the United States has been lending through its numerous consular and diplomatic agents to smooth the way to a complete agreement.

General Zapata, about whom little has been known hitherto, answered a communication sent indirectly to him, promising to co-operate with the Constitutionalists in the work of pacification. It became known also that two emissaries from General Carranza to General Zapata were due in Vera Cruz and would explain to the southern military leader the concessions and reforms planned by the Constitutionalist chief.

Officials were confident an amicable understanding would be reached and did not attribute any significance to the activity of the roving Zapatista bands in the vicinity of Mexico City.

General Carranza, through the American consuls accompanying him, sent renewed assurances of his friendliness for the United States and indicated that he would make satisfactory arrangements concerning the amnesty and guarantees desired by the Carbajal government.

HINDUS ARE AGAIN IN REVOLT

Seize Vessel, Drown Crew and Hold Immigration Officers Hostages.

Vancouver, B. C., July 21.—There are rumors afloat that the Hindus have again taken possession of steamer Komagata Maru, that they have gotten rid of the crew and that four members of the crew have been drowned. Up to the present there had been no means of verifying these statements.

It is further stated that two immigration officials are aboard the Komagata Maru, whose names cannot be ascertained and that they are being held as hostages.

The Sixth Regiment has been called out and is now patrolling the wharves, while the inlet is being patrolled and search lights played around on the waters.

Huerta Now in Jamaica.

Kingston, Jamaica, July 25.—General Huerta and the party of fugitives from Mexico accompanying him, arrived here on board the German cruiser Dresden, from Puerto Mexico.

Roosevelt Will Hurry Suit.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 25.—The reply of Colonel Roosevelt to the $50,000 libel suit of William Barnes was an attack on the Republican state chairman and a promise to help the suit forward. Colonel Roosevelt said he would not be deterred from attacking Mr. Barnes by the suit, but on the contrary would assail him the harder. He expressed the hope that he would have the opportunity to take the stand against Mr. Barnes before election.

"I'll do all I can to help hurry it," he said.

4 KILLED, 60 HURT IN DUBLIN AFFRAY

SEVEN MORE WILL DIE AS RESULT OF SOLDIERS FIRING INTO CROWD.

ARMS SHIPMENT IS CAUSE

Regulars Sent to Intercept Consignment of Munitions—Meet With Resistance—Bottles and Stones Hurled By Mob—Nationalists Are Wildly Excited.

Dublin, July 27.—Three men and one woman are dead and more than 60 persons are in the hospital, wounded as the result of a battalion of the King's Own Scottish oBrderers firing into a mob in the streets of Dublin. Seven of the wounded are expected to die. Among them are three women and a boy of ten.

Cause of Affray.

The affray was the result of a gun running exploit of the Nationalist volunteers who were being aided by a mob composed largely of women and youths. A consignment of rifles, said to number 10,000 rifles, was landed at Howth, nine miles from Dublin, from a private yacht.

The Nationalist volunteers cut the telegraph wires and stopped travel on the Dublin roads and, according to reports, sent away most of the rifles, together with 70,000 rounds of ammunition in motor cars.

Ordered to Capture Arms.

A battalion of the King's Own Scottish Borderers was ordered to capture the arms when the authorities heard the volunteers were bringing them into the city.

The soldiers encountered a detachment of volunteers at Clonmell bridge and an outbreak resulted, but there was no shooting. Soon a great crowd collected and followed the troops jeering them and cheering for John Redmond, the Nationalist leader, and home rule.

Finally the mob began throwing bottles and stones, injuring several soldiers. To this attack the battalion replied with a scattered fusillade. In an instant the street was covered with wounded, while terrified men, women and children ran in all directions.

Battle Near Hospital.

St. Juras hospital is situated only 200 yards from the scene of the affray and the wounded were quickly taken there, where four of them died. The soldiers and police seized 100 rifles from the volunteers.

Excited crowds filled the streets of Dublin, some of the men carrying rifles. The Borderers are confined to barracks to prevent the people from attacking them.

Prominent Man Hurt.

Among those seriously wounded is M. J. Judge, a prominent officer of the Nationalist volunteers.

Won't Recognize S. D. Law.

Washington, July 25.—The Richards primary law, designed by the South Dakota legislature to "let the people rule," and select their own postmasters, will not be recognized by Postmaster General Burleson. At the White House today the postoffice head said that he did not consider the law anything other than an experiment and that he could not recognize its provisions. The appeal made to the president by the South Dakota postmasters has been forwarded to the postmaster general.

SAME AS DECLARATION OF WAR

SERB MINISTER ASKED TO QUIT VIENNA.

Russian Ambassador to Act Instead—First Encounter Near Semendria.

Vienna, July 28.—No declaration of war has been issued and it is believed that none will be since Servia never subscribed to The Hague convention.

Equivalent to Declaration.

The sending of his passports to the Servian minister, M. Jovanovitch, by the Austrian foreign office, however, is deemed equivalent to a declaration of war. This action was taken Sunday the report that the Servian minister had left Vienna Saturday having been incorrect.

M. Jovanovitch left immediately. In his absence the Russian ambassador will take charge of Servian interests.

There were patriotic demonstrations throughout the day, although a heavy rain was falling.

Great crowds gathered in front of the war office and cheered the officers who appeared. Processions with flags flying, filled the streets.

A general mobilization in Montenegro is reported.

Italy Makes Announcement.

Italy has informed Austria that in event of armed conflict with Servia she will adopt a friendly attitude in accordance with her relations with the triple alliance.

Proclamations have been posted ordering partial mobilization.

The Austro-Hungarian bank has raised the bank rate from 4 to 5 per cent and the committee of the bourse has decided to close the bourse today. The committee explains that its decision was actuated by regard for the public interests, to prevent an unwarranted disturbance of industrial interests and to counteract disquieting reports.

The Neue Freie Presse says the minister of finance will raise $6,000,000 for the government's immediate requirements and adds that negotiations between the powers for the localizing of the conflict will continue.

Imperial Decree.

The imperial decree issued Saturday gives the government enormous powers to ensure the secrecy of its measures. The authorities are entitled to open all letters. Only telegrams approved by the censor can be dispatched to any point.

Newspapers publishing details of military preparations or movements can be suppressed. All the railways are guarded by sentries with orders to use their arms on any person who fails to stop when commanded.

The prospect of war is not regarded here as child's play. The Servians put 400,000 men into the field during the Balkan wars. Both officers and men are passionately patriotic.

According to a Semlin rumor the first encounter between Austria and Servia has occurred near Semendria on the Danube, 24 miles southeast of Belgrade.

Some vessels conveying Austrian infantry were said to have been fired on from the Servian side of the Danube and to have returned the fire.

MOBILIZE RESERVISTS IN U. S.

Austrian Envoy Thinks 200,000 Countrymen Here Will Respond to Call to Colors.

Manchester, Mass., July 28.—Dr. Constantin Theodor Dumba, ambassador from Austria-Hungary, to the United States, yesterday instructed consuls in this country to order all Austro-Hungarian reservists whose whereabouts are known, to prepare to return to the army, in event war is declared with Servia. The ambassador, who is at his summer home here, expressed the opinion that war was imminent.

To Order Mobilization.

"I am now expecting official notice," he said, "that war has been declared. When this comes I shall order a general mobilization of all my countrymen up to the age of 42 in the United States for their return to Austria. I think there are about 200,000 Austrians and Hungarians in the United States.

"The only instructions I have received were that Servia's answer to our demands was unsatisfactory and that diplomatic relations had been severed."

5,000 Mile Burro Trip.

Mitchell, S. D., July 27.—On a trip de luxe on the hurricane deck of a Mexican burro, W. E. Barnard, afflicted with tuberculosis, of Fullerton, Cal., is expected to reach his former home in Mitchell in May or June of next year. "Barney," as he is better known in both his native city of Mitchell and his California home, is making a 5,000 mile journey. It will be camp life for him for the next 13 or 14 months.

Lake Steamer Strikes Rock.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., July 27.—From meagre dispatches received here it is learned that the steamer Huron, plying during the tourist season between Toledo, Ohio, and Sault Ste. Marie, by way of the Georgian bay route, struck a rock near Little Current, and is slowly sinking. Her passenger list was full this trip, but all were safely put ashore. Arrangements are being made to transfer them by rail to Sault Ste. Marie and thence by steamer to Lake Erie. The Huron left the Soo Thursday night.

Libby's Luncheon Delicacies

Dried Beef, sliced wafer thin, hickory smoked and with a choice flavor that you will remember. Vienna Sausage—just right for Red Hots, or to serve cold. Try them served like this: Cut rye bread in thin slices, spread with creamed butter and remove crusts. Cut a Libby's Vienna Sausage in half, lengthwise, lay on bread. Place on top of the sausage a few thin slices of Libby's Midget Pickles. Cover with other slice of bread, press lightly together.

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More Likely.

"I am married, but I think that marriage is a failure."

"I'm married, but I don't. Difference of opinion, eh?"

"No, difference of wives, I fancy."

WHAT TO DO FOR HOT WEATHER SKIN TROUBLES

With hot weather comes the worst skin suffering for some folks. Eczema, hives, heat-rash, insect-bites, poison oak or ivy, sunburn, chafing, and a dozen other troubles make life unendurable. But YOU needn't worry. That soothing, antiseptic resinol ointment stops itching and burning instantly, allays inflammation, and soon restores the skin to perfect health, even in severe, stubborn cases. Doctors have prescribed resinol ointment for 19 years. At all druggists'.—Adv.

His Wife the Hand Laundry.

The hungry tramp told his tale. It touched the kind heart of the lady of the house. He ate the food she gave him and started wearily on his way.

"And how," said she, sympathetically, "did the hand laundry you were managing come to fail on you?"

He glanced around, it might be as if he suspected the dog were within call. Then passing out and closing the gate, he said: "She quit and went home to her mother."—Kansas City Star.

In Lunnon.

Mr. Dennis Drew, a well-known actor-barytone, was telling the other day a story of the Wells-Carpentier fight, which, it will be remembered, lasted exactly 73 seconds.

Two "nuts" met at the club. Said one: "Were you at the fight last night?"

"Oh, yes," drawled the other, "but I was rather bored, and I did not stay to the end."

Kerosene for the Hands.

Kerosene will clean your hands better than anything else after blacking a range or stove. Pour a little in the water, wash your hands in it, then wash them in tepid water, and finally with plenty of soap and a stiff nail brush in hot water. Finish up by rubbing the hands with lemon juice, rosewater or glycerine.

Envied Him.

"My wife is a mind reader."

"Lucky dog. My wife is a mind speaker."—Boston Evening Transcript.

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State News of General Interest

WOULD BREAK PASTOR'S WILL

Action Started in Scott and Rock Counties—Undue Influence Is Charged.

Belle Plaine.—Action has been started in Scott and Rock county courts to break the will of Monsignor Thomas C. Kennedy, pastor of the Church of the Sacred Heart at Belle Plaine, for forty-five years.

The estate of the priest, valued at $350,000, is bequeathed to his brother-in-law, Dr. Gerald R. Meloney, who, for forty years, was a practising physician at Belle Plaine.

The only other bequests are:

The House of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul, $1,000.

Little Sisters of the Poor, St. Paul, $500.

Little Sisters of the Poor, Minneapolis, $500.

Trustees of St. Benedict academy, Stearns county, $500.

St. Thomas college, $1,000.

The complainants are Frank and Kate Kennedy, Luverne; Bridget Loughman, Hollyford, Ireland; Margaret and George Voyer, Louise Kennedy, Ellen and C. R. Bancroft, Anaconda, Mont.; Mary and Francis Harper and Hannah Kennedy, Tinley Park, Ill.; Frank and Ellen Kennedy, Los Angeles; Thomas and Lena Kennedy, San Francisco and several other heirs living in Ireland.

The charge is that undue influence was exercised by the doctor upon Monsignor Kennedy.

A RECORD FOR ATTENDANCE

Miss Julia Rue of Rushford Hasn't Missed Day at School in 14 Years.

Rushford.—Miss Julia Rue has made a remarkable record for school attendance, and one believed to be without an equal, not only in Minnesota, but in the United States.

Miss Rue commenced school when 6 years of age, being at that time unable to speak a word of English. She went through all the grades, the high school here, and then took up work at the Winona normal for two years, afterwards teaching two years at Warren, Minn., and in all that time, fourteen years, has never missed a day.

It has been said that she had never been tardy during the fourteen years; however, Miss Rue explains that this is not the case. She admits, even glories in having been tardy once or twice during that time. Miss Rue is now 20 years of age. She is an instructor in the Warren school.

Miss Rue holds the record, so far as can be ascertained, for school attendance. Miss Ethel Wicks of Waukegan, Ill., was a few years ago proclaimed as the champion student, attending school through the grades and high school and never missing a day, but Miss Rue goes her "a few better," having a fourteen-year record.

KILLED WITH STONE; NO CLUE

Unidentified Man Is Found Murdered in Field Near Town of Melrose.

Melrose.—A dead man was found in a pasture two and a half miles west of Melrose. The body bore evidence of foul play. The skull was crushed. A bloody stone nearby is supposed to have been the weapon used. It was the only clue found.

The murder is believed to have been committed several days before. There was nothing on the body to identify the murdered man. He was about 40 years of age wore a blue suit, gray cap, was 5 feet 2 inches tall and had black hair. He is supposed to have been a man seeking work in the harvest fields.

A piece of expensive toilet soap wrapped in a Sunday magazine was the only thing found on his person. The body was buried immediately following the coroner's inquest.

MINNESOTA LABOR MEN ELECT

Federation Also Adopts Resolution Against Prohibition and County Option.

Duluth, Minn., July 24.—E. G. Hall of Minneapolis was re-elected president of the Minnesota State Federation of Labor at the closing session of the annual convention here last night.

G. W. Lawson, Duluth, was elected secretary treasurer and Winona was chosen as the next meeting place.

The resolution against prohibition, which was returned to the committee for reconsideration after a stormy debate, was introduced again, still retaining the stand against national and state prohibition and county option. It was passed by a decisive majority, the big fight expected on it failing to materialize.

Gophers Take Many Prizes.

Fargo.—Minnesotans shared generously in the live stock awards at the North Dakota state fair. Lewis Hansen of Kragness, Minn., took third place for stallions four years or more. With twenty-two Berkshires on exhibition, the Farmer farm of Farmington, Minn., captured five firsts, five seconds, four thirds and four fourths. H. A. Berenthal of Wyckoff, Minn., had thirty-six head of Chester Whites on exhibit, and his entries took twelve firsts, eight seconds, four thirds and two champion ribbons.

POPULATION OF STATES GIVEN

Federal Department of Commerce Says 109,021,922 People are Living Under Flag.

Washington.—The population of Minnesota July 1 is estimated at 2,213,919; that of North Dakota, 686,986; Wisconsin, 2,446,716; Montana, 432,614; Iowa, 2,221,755; South Dakota, 661,583.

The above information is in a bulletin of the United States department of commerce just issued. This is a gain of 138,211 since the federal census of 1910 or nearly 6.3 per cent.

There were 109,021,922 persons living within the territory embraced by the United States on July 1, 1914, the bulletin states.

The population of the United States in 1910 was 101,748,269, so there has been a gain in population estimated at more than 7,000,000 in the last four years.

The population of the forty-eight states of the union and the District of Columbia in 1914 is given as 98,781,324, whereas in 1910 it was 91,972,266.

The estimated population of northwestern states on July 1, 1914, and the population on April 15, 1910, are given in this table:

	Population estimated July 1, 1914	Census Apr. 15, 1910
Idaho	395,407	325,594
Iowa	2,221,755	2,224,771
Michigan	2,876,030	2,810,173
Minnesota	2,213,919	2,075,708
Montana	432,614	376,053
Nebraska	1,245,874	1,192,214
North Dakota	686,986	577,056
Oregon	783,239	672,765
South Dakota	661,583	583,888
Washington	1,407,865	1,141,990
Wisconsin	2,446,716	2,333,860
Wyoming	166,736	145,965

SHIPS TURN ASIDE; SAVE DOG

Three Lake Superior Steamers Go Out of Course to Rescue Pet From Drowning.

Duluth.—Scott Worden is the master of the lake steamer W. K. Bixby, and his dog, a pedigreed bull terrier, came up for a trip on the voyage ending here Wednesday. On the steamer was the owner, Maurice McMillan and his wife, and the dog, named Tige, was a prime favorite. While the Bixby was in White Fish Bay, headed for Duluth, Tige fell overboard. Before the swiftly moving vessel could be turned it had forged two miles ahead, but came around and headed back to the rescue.

Some distance behind the Bixby was the steamer T. F. Cole, also upbound, and fearing that the Cole might run the dog down, Captain Worden signalled the Cole to swing out, which she did, going away to the south.

A Northern Navigation company's passenger steamer, headed down, was also signalled to turn and she went north. The passengers thought that a man had fallen overboard and crowded the rail to see the rescue.

The Bixby presently sighted Tige, swimming bravely but nearly exhausted. A boat was lowered and sailors lifted the fighting dog to safety. Then the steamers tooted and proceeded.

FAIR FREE TO OLD SOLDIERS

G. A. R. Buttons or Badges Will Admit Them to State Show.

Hamline.—A G. A. R. button or a badge will admit free at any gate and any day at the coming Minnesota State Fair. The officers of this Association have so decided.

Thursday, Sept. 10, will be "Grand Army" and "Old Settlers' Day." The 27th annual reunion of the State Veteran Association will occur at this time in the Art building at 2 p. m. A roster will be kept at the Old Log Cabin," where veterans will register. Comrades from other states are welcome.

BOLT KILLS UNKNOWN MAN

Severe Bemidji Electrical Storm Does Considerable Property Damage.

Bemidji.—At the height of one of the severest electrical rain storms ever experienced here, an unidentified young man who sought shelter in the lake dock bandstand, was struck by lightning and killed Wednesday. On his body was found a notebook bearing the name "James Dale."

The rainfall in three hours' time amounted to 4.15 inches. The storm crippled the electric light plant.

The house of Andrew Dahl on the lake shore was struck and plastering was torn off and other damage done.

Spreader Crushes Out Child's Life.

Redwood Falls.—Florence Olsen, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Olsen of this city, fell beneath the wheels of a manure spreader which Chris Peterson, a farm hand was driving. Her head was crushed and she died instantly.

SON KILLED AS WAS FATHER

Mahnomen Man Struck by Lightning as Was Sire Two Years Ago.

Mahnomen.—John Flicek, 25 years old, was killed by lightning while working on the road.

One of his horses was knocked down and the shoes torn from its feet, but neither horse was injured.

Flicek's father was killed by lightning at New Prague two years ago.

CELEBRATE NEW DIRECT LINE

Minneapolis Business Men Get Acquainted With Those Along Dan Patch Extension to Mankato.

Mankato.—That the business men of Minneapolis, Mankato and intermediate towns might become better acquainted, and at the same time celebrate the establishment of a thorough and direct line of communication between Minneapolis and those cities, an excursion to Mankato was made Thursday, under the auspices of the trade extension committee of the Minneapolis Civic and Commerce association over the Dan Patch line.

Up until July 1, when the Dan Patch line took a lease of the tracks of the Great Western railway from Faribault to Mankato, there was no direct route to this city, the fourth largest in the state, Madison Lake, Elysian, Waterville and Morristown except via St. Paul. As a result of this, freight rates from Minneapolis to the points named, were from nine-tenths of 1 cent to 3 cents per hundred pounds higher than the rates from St. Paul to the same destinations, by reason of the longer haul. The rates are now on a parity with those of St. Paul.

It was to celebrate the opening of this new artery of trade that the excursion was made.

Committees in Northfield, Faribault, Madison Lake, Elysian, Waterville, Morristown and Mankato entertained and welcomed the visitors.

SUFFRAGISTS WILL ADVERTISE

Movies Will Be Novel Method at State Fair for Booming Cause.

Hamline.—Motion pictures are to be called into service by suffragists of Minnesota to advertise their cause and raise funds for advancing its interests. They will install and conduct a movie show on the pike at the Minnesota State Fair here in September.

The Women's Welfare League of St. Paul will assist the Minnesota Woman Suffrage association in the venture.

The State Fair board has given the space for the show, with the understanding that 35 per cent of the gross receipts will be given to the fair. It will cost $400 to open and operate the "votes for women" entertainment.

The program will include a suffrage play, "What Eighty Million Women Want," the only film story in which Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst has ever appeared, based on a story of New York politics; moving pictures of the St. Paul and Minneapolis suffrage demonstrations on May 2 and one other woman's rights play.

The women will distribute literature in the audiences, get signed memberships for organizations, and signatures for a petition to be presented to the legislature.

Women in automobiles with megaphones will tour the grounds, advertising their attraction.

GAME PROTECTION DISTRICTS

Commission Divides the State for Supervision Purposes—Forty-Five Wardens Appointed.

St. Paul.—Minnesota is now divided into five game protection districts, each district in charge of a member of the state game and fish commission. The object of the new plan is to bring the commissioners into more intimate touch with the actual work of their body and to exercise more careful supervision of the activities of the game wardens.

The commission, at its meeting yesterday appointed forty-five game wardens, who will be placed on the payroll Aug. 1. The funds of the commission are exhausted, but an appropriation of $80,000 will be available.

The monthly payroll of the wardens amounts to $3,150.

TAXES SHOW BIG DECREASE

Drop in Returns Shown by Winona County Rolls in Spite of New Statute.

Winona.—Definite figures are not available, but at the Winona county auditor's office assessments have been so far reviewed that it is certain there will be heavy decreases in both real and personal tax returns.

The personal property assessment outside the city of Winona increased $17,000, as compared with last year, but this will be wiped away with the personal returns from the city, which will show a decrease of $160,000. In the city the decrease on real estate is $170,000, as compared with 1913.

In the townships and villages the decrease also will be heavy.

Minnesota Congressman Sails.

Washington.—As a national delegate to the international interparliamentary union, to be held at Stockholm, Sweden, on Aug. 19, Representative Steenerson of Minnesota, accompanied by his wife, has just sailed from New York on the steamer Celtic. As a member of the committee on postoffices of the house, Mr. Steenerson may conclude to go to Madrid, Spain, in September, to attend the session of the Universal Postal union, before he returns to this country.

U. S. AGAIN TO AID IN CROP MOVEMENT

$34,000,000 IS FEDERAL FUND SET ASIDE FOR THIS PURPOSE.

MORE IF DEEMED NECESSARY

Money Will Be Deposited in Country's National Banks This Fall—Replies Received Show Promise of Business Improvement.

Washington, July 28.—Money from the federal treasury will be deposited in National banks throughout the country again this fall to facilitate the movement of crops and promote business generally.

McAdoo Makes Announcement.

Secretary McAdoo announces that he will put out approximately $34,000,000 and that he stands ready to increase the amount to any extent necessary to meet the country's needs.

The secretary's estimate of what will be needed is based upon replies from five thousand National banks to a recent treasury department circular asking whether any unusual demand for money was expected this year and for what purposes.

Inaugurated Last Year.

Last year the department inaugurated the custom of distributing funds in the crop handling centers, depositing about $35,000,000 of the $50,000,000 Secretary McAdoo had decided to use for the purpose.

A statement from the department says, in part:

"These replies (from the national banks) have been carefully analyzed and fully confirm the optimistic bulletins of the prospects for unusually large crops. They also indicate a decided promise of greatly improved business conditions and enlarged business activities throughout the country.

Consensus of Opinion.

The consensus of opinion of the bankers is that it will be of great benefit to the crop movement and to business generally if the secretary will deposit government funds in the leading cities of the country as was done last year.

"The replies indicate that government funds will not be needed in the New England and Eastern states and in certain states in the West and Northwest and in California.

Bankers in the following cities expressed the opinion that no government deposits will be needed in their localities during the crop moving season:

Won't Need Funds.

"Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati, Ohio; Indianapolis, Ind.; Minneapolis and Duluth, Minn.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Portland, Ore.; San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal.; Tacoma, Wash.; Salt Lake Cit, Utah; Jacksonville and Tampa, Fla., and Mobile, Ala.

"Some of these cities asked for and received crop moving allotments last year. If it should develop later that they, or any of them, require deposits, their applications will be given consideration.

"Interest at the rate of two per cent per annum will be charged and the government will accept as security government bonds at par, state, municipal, railroad and other bonds, acceptable to the secretary at 75 per cent of the market value; approved commercial paper, acceptable to the secretary, at 75 per cent of its value.

Change From Last Year.

"The secretary will not require as he did last year, that 10 per cent of the deposits shall be secured by government bonds.

"All collateral offered as security must be approved by a local committee appointed by the clearing house in each city and by a representative of the government chosen by the secretary. In sub-treasury cities the assistant treasurer of the United States, in addition to the government's special representative will be a member of the local committee.

"In apportioning the funds among the banks in each city consideration will be given to the character of business done by the applicant bank and the extent to which it is lending money to its country correspondent banks. Particular consideration will be given to the willingness of the banks receiving government deposits to lend to their country correspondent banks at reasonable rates of interest."

Boy Stole Stamps; Imprisoned.

Washington, July 28.—An Illinois committee consisting of Senator Niels Jnuls, George S. Wilson and Judge Henry Neil, has startled Washington by discovering that a 14-year-old lad, Charles Perry, of Five Oaks, Va., is serving a sentence of five years at the national training school at Bladensburg, Md., for stealing a two-cent postage stamp.

U. S. Will Not Interfere.

Washington, July 28.—President Wilson said in answer to inquiries whether the United States would try to bring about peace in Europe, that he had not considered the subject, but that the traditional policy of the United States was not to mix in European affairs. The gravity of the European situation was reflected in an official dispatch from St. Petersburg saying the Russian minister of war had said he considered war between Russia and Austria almost inevitable.

LITTLE MOTHER WORRIED

Problem Confronting Her Was One That Might Have Puzzled a Much Older Head.

She was the smallest and youngest of the daily parade of those who take baby out for an airing on Washington Heights, a novice among perambulator propellers, relates the New York Evening Post. The pram itself was a fair give-away, unspecked by use, newer even than baby. A first airing beyond a doubt.

She stopped and marched around in front of the pram, the better to get a view of him or her. It was asleep. You could tell it by the mother's smile. But a cloud of worriment chased the smile from her face and worriment grew. It was the misery of doubt and inexperience. Presently she struggled with tears.

There was baby lying, asleep, mouth wide open like an O, sucking in the breezes from the river. The motherly and experienced one came by just as the mother's anguish welled over.

"Oh," she exclaimed in tears, "I'm dreadfully afraid of germs! And—" pointed to the open mouth—"oughtn't I to close it?"

ECZEMA ITCHED AND BURNED

R. F. D. No. 4, Box 55, Holland, Mich.—"My child's trouble began by getting red and sore around her neck, and her face, behind her ears, under her arms, and different parts of her body were affected. The eczema appeared in a rash first. It was wet and looked as if it was sweaty. It seemed to itch and burn so that she could not sleep or rest. It got so bad at last that behind her ears was one crust or sore so that I had to cut her hair. There was a hard crust covering her neck. She could not have her clothes buttoned at all. I could hardly change her clothes. It caused an awful difigurement for the time. She would cry when I had to wash her.

"We had her treated for some time but without success. I got one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment and I had not used more than half of what I bought when she was all cured." (Signed) Mrs. G. C. Riemersma, Mar. 21, 1914.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

Berlin a Seaport.

Germany proceeds steadily with the development of her canal system, and in the near future a number of important extensions will be open for traffic. The Berlin-Oder canal is a noteworthy engineering feat. It starts on the west side of Berlin and runs in a rough semi-circle to Olderberg, where it falls into the river. It is about six miles long, and has cost something over £2,000,000 to build. It connects the capital of the empire with the greatest Prussian port; it binds Berlin and Stettin. Berlin and Oder have, of course, been united for some considerable time by the Finow canal, but that waterway, with its score of old-fashioned locks, and the fault of narrowness, has long been out of date. The new canal will carry cargo vessels of 600 tons, and that vessels of such size will now go direct from Stettin to Berlin really means the opening of a new epoch in German internal traffic development. It makes Berlin virtually a seaport.

What's in a Name.

"What is the name of your automobile?"

"I don't know."

"You don't know? What do your folks call it?"

"Oh, as to that, father always says 'The Mortgage;' brother Tom call it 'The Fake;' mother, 'My Limousine;' sister, 'Our Car;' grandma, 'That Peril,' the chauffeur, 'Some Freak,' and our neighbors, 'The Limit.'"—Life.

The devil always gets the most active recruits from the great army of the unoccupied.

PRIZE FOOD.

Palatable, Economical, Nourishing.

A Nebr. woman has outlined the prize food in a few words, and that from personal experience. She writes:

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"We sometimes tried other advertised breakfast foods but we invariably returned to Grape-Nuts as the most palatable, economical and nourishing of all.

"When I quit tea and coffee and began to use Postum and Grape-Nuts, I was almost a nervous wreck. I was so irritable I could not sleep nights, had no interest in life.

"After using Grape-Nuts a short time I began to improve and all these ailments have disappeared and now I am a well woman. My two children have been almost raised on Grape-Nuts, which they eat three times a day.

"They are pictures of health and have never had the least symptom of stomach trouble, even through the most severe siege of whooping cough they could retain Grape-Nuts when all else failed.

"Grape-Nuts food has saved doctor bills, and has been, therefore, a most economical food for us."

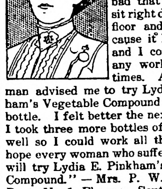
Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

IN SUCH PAIN WOMAN CRIED

Suffered Everything Until Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Florence, So. Dakota.—"I used to be very sick every month with bearing down pains and backache, and had headache a good deal of the time and very little appetite. The pains were so bad that I used to sit right down on the floor and cry, because it hurt me so and I could not do any work at those times. An old woman advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I got a bottle. I felt better the next month so I took three more bottles of it and got well so I could work all the time. I hope every woman who suffers like I did will try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound." — Mrs. P. W. LANSENG, Route No. 1, Florence, South Dakota.



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For thirty years it has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has restored the health of thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, etc.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Those New Gowns.

Gaby Desleys said in New York of the 1914 fashions in gowns:

"These revelation gowns, evil as they are—for everybody says they're evil, so it must be true—these revelation gowns on a beautiful woman are, alas, unquestionably becoming.

"But they're unhandy things, too. A bootmaker showed me the other day a slipper with a tiny purse-pocket hidden in the heel.

"'An absolute necessity,' he said, 'for the present-day gown affords no chance for the purse's concealment on any other part of the person.'"

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What Puzzled Him.

Little Raymond, although youthful, is a thinker.

"Mother," he said the other day, "what do cows eat and drink?"

"They eat and drink water."

"But, mother, how can they drink water and lay milk?"

Why He Fell.

Kathlyn—Jack Huggins just fell at my feet the moment he saw me.

Kittye—Stumbled over them, I suppose?

Alonzo, a girl isn't necessarily stone blind just because she doesn't care for diamonds.

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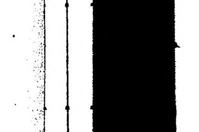

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Special School Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting in School District No. 35 in Marshall County, Minnesota, will be held at School House on the 31st day of July, 1914 at 7 to 9 o'clock P. M., for the following purposes:

To decide the question of changeing the school house site of the above district from the present site to the following described premises, towit: Commencing from a point situated 461 feet due West from the N W corner of Block 8 Townsite of Holt Section 33, 156—43 thence North to South 290.4 thence East to West 300 feet, thence South to North 290.4 feet thence East to starting point 300 feet containing two acres the whole thereof being situated in the NE quarter of the SE quarter Sec. 32 —156—43. To authorize the School Board to purchase the proposed Site. Dated this 20th day of July, 1914. D. Payne,

Misses Blanche Olsen and Mable Lund came up from Theif River Falls Wednesday for a few days visit at the D. Payne home.

Arvid and Tony Carlson returned last Wednesday from a two weeks visit at Minneapolis and other points They returned with a coating of regular Indian tan and a well fed and contented lood to back up their assertions of an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Docken made a trip in their auto to Grand Forks and Mekinock, N. D. the first of the week for a visit with friends and relatives. They also took in the Ringling Shows at Grand Forks on Saturday and report a most enjoyable trip.

P. L. Anderson made a flying trip to Mud Lake last Sunday with the intention of becoming a long wiskered farmer but after wandering around in the Fox Tail awhile "Pete" got tired and was heard to moan, "Oh I wish I was home and My dog was here."

Portraits By Moonlight

Bob Gesslier who has spent the past fortnight in this locality, developing the peoples sense of the artistic in the portrait line, is experimenting with effects to be obtained by moonlight. He claims to have obtained some extraordinary results but so far has not shown his proof of same.

HOW TO RISE IN THE WORLD

THE clerk who keeps his mind bright, who is quick and up to date, need not always be a clerk. Some day he will be an employer himself.

By READING, THINKING AND INFORMING HIMSELF he becomes worthy of better things.

Every employee, no matter what his position, makes himself more valuable to his employer and himself by reading the press.

IT IS MIND THAT WINS NOWADAYS. The man who knows and acts on his knowledge is the man who gets there.

DON'T WATCH THE CLOCK. WATCH THE NEWS THROUGH THIS, YOUR HOME PAPER.

Golden Valley.

Lot of people came to pick blue berries last week but we haven't heard of anydody finding any. It seems that the frost took them this year.

Peter Kolden is building a large barn on the north end of his farm just a half a mile from where he lives He is going to move his house and the rest of his buildings over to the new location.

Robert Lille is building a well house 14 x 14. He has made three trips to Middle River this week hauling lumber. Mr. Friberg is head carpenter.

Rollis Rumbles

Crops are looking fine; The best ever. Winter rye harvest is on full blast,

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nelson and Mr. Ebrehams family of Rollis were guests of Mr. Lille's of Mud Lake Sunday.

The new school district in Whitford is advertising for bids to build their school house.

Mr. Doane is making preperations to move his house near the north grade where he has excuvated for a cellar. They will build an addition to the house.

Mrs. C. B. Warner and daughter Rosamond went to New Rockford N. D. last Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Burke. Mrs. Warner will return some time next month but Rosamond will remain to attend school,

Southeast Of Holt.

John Ose made a business trip to Holt on Monday.

The Moe Brothers are busy haying on the old Adolphson farm.

Thom Bakken called on S. G. Moe Sunday evening.

Ragna Larson spent Sunday at the C. Saastad home.

Alma Gutterud spent Sunday visiting her mother.

Chr. Reichilt is reported as beeng on the sick list.

John Ose and Tyler Wold called on Torbjon Skomedal Sunday evening

Quite a large number of friends and relatives spent Sunday afternoon at Tallac Ose's.

Nels Cunderson came down to his farm in Agdar to commence hayng on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Olsen and daughter Signey visited at the O. Olsen Listol home Sunday.

Ben Nyberg, Lars Ose, Ludwig and Lena Olsen and Olga Klungness spent Sunday at Gutternde's.

George Greibrok, Tallac and John Ose, and Charley Stenerson are busy haying on the McGinty and Greene farm.

John Chapman and son LeGrand Homer Carter, Harry Moe, and Adolph Tjorsheim and Margret Thora Ida Bergland and Gunder Moe visited at Quindlogs Sunday afternoon.

Miss. Ella Olberg of Theif Lake is visiting at the S. S. Kolden home.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 22, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John O. Foss, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Nov. 7th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 08568, for SW¼, Section 33, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claims to the land above described, before Wihelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner For District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 30th. day of July, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Rudolph Jensen, of Germantown, Minn. Charles Rossman, of Germantown, Minn. Gunder Tveit, of Golden Valley, Minn. Ole B. Johnson, of Holt, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of June 1914.

Cream received	36,067 lbs
Average test	27.67
Butter fat	9,982.44 lbs
Percent overrun	21.74
Butter made	12,153 lbs
Balance on hand last month	95
Received for butter shipped	2884 43
Butter sold patrons	14 47
Cash sales at creamery	22 16
Total	$2,921 91
Paid patrons by check	2509 59
" " " Butter	14 37
Expense fund, etc.	313 56
To sinking fund	70 67
Balance on hand	13 72
Total	$2,921 91

Number of patrons, 109
Price paid for butter fat, 25 1-2c
T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 27, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Nick Baker, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on May 31, 1913, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 09103, for SW¼, Section 36, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 4th day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Martin O. Nelson, Allen Adolphson, Nels Gudvangen, Engebreth Moe, all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 24, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Elling Tollefsrud, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on April 7th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05957, for NW¼, Section 13, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 3rd, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Cleve Bergum, John Mundhenke, Sigurd Vick, Edwin C. Johnson, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, July 1, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Johanna Malone Nelson, a widow of Martin A. Nelson, deceased, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on October 5th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05663, for N½ SW¼ & SE¼ NW¼ & NW¼ SE¼, Section 28, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 14th, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John O. Foss, Peter Ostlund, of Golden Valley, Minnesota. Thomas Sten, A. H. Huseth, of Holt Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
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Final Proofs and Homestead Entries carefully attended to.
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Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. June 10, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that George C. Anderson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on January 20th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05824, for E½ NW¼ E½ SW¼, Section 35, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 1st day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Nels Fosen, Albert C. Jahr, Olaus Rodahl, Anton Rodahl, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, July 16, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ole S. Kirkelie, of Germantown, Minn., who on June 26, 1911 made homestead entry, Serial 06849. for SW quarter Section 8, Township 155N., Range 41 W., 5th principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final Conmutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner, for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 24th day of August 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Salmon Larson, Olaf G. Tharaldson, and Alexander Magee all of Germantown, Minn. and Salve G. Tharaldson of Holt, Minn.

Proof to be made under law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
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For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Straw hats now only half price at Gunheim's. (Adv).

Lars Backe of Thief River Falls visited his son, B. L. Backe Wednesday.

Olga Furr arrived from Fargo, N. D., this week for a visit with her folks.

P. L. Anderson and Agnes Gunderson were Sunday visitors at G. P. Sorter's.

A number of our people have been in attendance at the fair in Thief River Falls this week.

Axel Nelson and S. G. Svemkeson blew into Holt Monday evening for a load of supplies and ammunition.

Miss Rudman went to Thief River Falls this week to take the teachers examination held there this week.

Sheriff Fosberg stopped here a short time Wednesday. Mr. Fosberg was on his way to Beaudette on business.

Tom Severson returned Tuesday from Park River, N. D., where he had been attending a wedding of his brother.

B. L. Backe, Aldoph Sollom and A. H. Huseth and families autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday to attend the fair.

Agnes Gunderson of Crookston was here this week giving lessons in music. She expects to be here every two weeks.

Arvid and Tony Carlson and Fosholms made an auto trip to H. A. Fodstad's east of Thief River Falls last Sunday.

R. L. Olson took Mrs. Bottom to Rosewood Wednesday from which places she went to Warren to consult a physician.

Mrs. Erick Johnson and daughter, Mabel, attended the fair in Thief River Falls Wednesday and also had dental work done.

A little rain at this time would prove beneficial. Heretofore we have had plenty but now thers seems to be a little shortage.

A company of Thief River Falls autoists consisting of four cars serenaded through Main St. Tuesday evening. Come again.

This paper is only one dollar a year if paid strictly in advance Otherwise we shall be obliged to make the price one twenty-five.

The local squatters on the Mud Lake bottom are still busy hauling out homestead paraphernalia to their claims preparing to stand pat until the government opens this land for filing.

We wonder how many of our subscribers realize that it takes money to run a paper and that we need what is due us to meet our accounts. Please bear this in mind when next you are in town.

H. B. Young accompanied by his wife returned from Ionia, Iowa, last Tuesday, where he went the latter part of last month to pack up his household goods and closing up his other affairs preparatory to making this his permanent home.

The young men of Holt will act as hosts at an entertainment and luncheon to be held under the auspices of the Young Peoples Society, in the Free Evangelical Mission church on Sunday afternoon, August 16th, 1914. Everybody welcome, everybody come.

Large tract of good valley farming land just thrown open for free settlement in Oregon. Over 200,000 acres in all. Good climate, rich soil, and does not require irrigation to raise finest crops of grain, fruit and garden truck. For large map, full instructions and information, and a plat of several sections of exceptionally good claims, send $5.00 to John Keefe, Oregon City, Oregon Three years a U. S. surveyor and timberman. An opportunity to get a good fertile free homestead near town and market. 829

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

Several new ads this week that you want to be sure to read.

Carload of feed just received at Rierson's. Prices low. (Adv).

F. W. Taber commenced drilling a well Tuesday for E. S. Moe.

Tonues Nelson of Newfolden was here Tuesday buying cattle.

Mrs. C. L. Anderson of East Valley was a caller in town on Monday.

D. Payne and family were callers at the G. P. Sorter home on Sunday.

Ludvoic Larson and sisters visited relatives in Golden Valley the past week.

Christ Yttri made a business trip to Mud Lake Tuesday for B. L. Backe.

Attorney J. J. Olson of Warren stopped in town Wednesday being enroute to Warroad.

Miss Olberg of Middle River is visiting with her sister, Mrs. S. S. Kolden, this week.

The Misses Newton, of McIntosh are visiting with their brother, Carl Newton, this week.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl and family and Borsheims were Sunday callers at the Rustad home.

Miss Mary Lein of Crookston is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. C. H. Gunheim, this week.

Peder Arneson of Kelly's, N. D., visited with Clarence Knutson, his son-in-law, last week.

Judge of Probate, Peter H. Holm of Roseau county stopped in town a short time Wednesday.

H. Gullickson and J. O. Lien of Warren, Minn., are visiting with C. H. Gunheim's this week.

A. J. Oien of Shelley, Minn., autoed up here for a visit with his brother, H. J. Oien, over Sunday.

Edna Risberg returned Monday from a visit with friends and relatives at Warren and Argyle.

Gunheims, J. O. Lein and Mr. Gullickson were visitors at the J. E. Erickson home on Sunday.

There will be a Commercial Club meeting next Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Everyone kindly attend.

The Squatters on the Mud Lake bottom are having a busy time at present holding down their claims.

Sam Hasby, Theodore Stigen and Engel Housker of Thief River Falls were in town on business Wednesday.

The European "Dogs of War" are loose and one of the most terrible wars of modern times is now in progress.

Carl Newton and family went to McIntosh Wednesday, where Mr. Newton will spend some time looking after business.

Wanted—High grade samples of all kinds of farm products. Bring them to my office in Holt. Chas. W. Latta. (Adv).

Johnny Lein of Grafton, N. D., is visiting with friends and relatives this week, and to look after his farming interests here

Rev. A. L. Larson of Thief River Falls will preach in the school house in Holt next Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock. Everybody invited.

Racine Olson is laid up with a game foot this week, caused by stepping on a nail during the rush for some of that Mud Lake bottom land.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bakke and Willie Bakke of Radium, were callers at the B. Docken home last Sunday They came over in their auto.

P. L. Anderson and Johnny Lein and the Misses Lein and Miss Agnes Gunderson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday evening to take in the dance given at the skating rink.

Rodahl Brothers are building a cement sidewalk for R. Rierson, in front of his store and the printing office. They will also build walks for S. S. Kolden and C H Gunheim and probably east to the street running north and south.

Deputy Sheriff Coslon was in this vicinity Wednesday looking for the insane man who has been the cause of so much excitement. It is reported that the unfortunate man has been in vicinity of Viking, where he fired two shots at a boy Tuesday evening.

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We have on hand a supply of One and Two-horse Cultivators; both in Disc and Shovel Type.

If you are in the market for any implements of this kind do not fail to give us a call.

S. S. Kolden & Co.

John Alkenbrack has started a new dray line.

Clarence Larson of Golden Valley was in town Wednesday

Politians are out fixing up their fences before the autumn rush of voters takes place

Some correspondence came this week as we were about ready to go to press Such letters should be sent in Tuesdays.

Correspondents Wanted.

We wish to secure correspondents for The Holt Weekly News from as many neighboring townships and postoffices as possible. Anyone who are interested should write to this office at once for further particulars. We will make it both interesting for you and worth your while. Represent your district by telling the newspaper what the people are doing.

Read the ads.

Defective Page

GERMANY DECLARES WAR AGAINST RUSSIA; TROOPS INVADING FRANCE

KAISER'S FORCES MARCHING TOWARD FRENCH CAPITAL

PLAN TO VANGUISH FRANCE IN INTERVAL BEFORE RUSSIA CAN CREATE SERIOUS TROUBLE ON NORTHERN FRONTIER.

GERMANS ARE REPULSED AT CIREY WITH HEAVY LOSSES

Movement Made Without Formal Declaration of War—Kaiser Unable to Answer England as to Respecting Belgium's Neutrality.

London, Aug. 4.—German forces have begun the invasion of France without so far as is known, a declaration of war having been made. Two German detachments entered French territory moving in the direction of Paris.

Army Crosses Frontier.

One German force crossed the French frontier near the village of Cirey, between Nancy and Strassburg, and another German detachment, probably the Twenty-ninth infantry, Saturday night, invaded the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg, neutral territory between Belgium and Germany, and continued its march on the French fortified town of Longwy. A dispatch from Brussels said there was good reason to believe that this force, later in the day, entered France.

Germans Are Repulsed.

The German force which came into France near Cirey, which is 40 miles from Nancy, is reported to have been repulsed with heavy losses, but this has not yet been confirmed.

Apparently the Germany army is duplicating the first movement of the Franco-Prussian war. It was on Aug. 2, 1870, that the French and Germans clashed in the first battle of that war at Saarbrucken where the Prince Imperial, under the orders of the emperor, received his famous "Baptism of fire."

It appears that Germany is taking the fullest possible advantage of her supposed superiority in rapid mobilization over France.

The plan of the German emperor, according to military observers here, is to vanguish or attempt to vanguish France in the interval before Russia will be able to create serious trouble on her northern frontier. It is supposed that Russian mobilization will take about three weeks.

All telegraphic and telephonic communication between Brussels and Luxemburg has been severed.

Invade Neutral Territory.

By the treaty of London, signed in 1867, the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg was declared neutral territory. Its integrity and independence were guaranteed.

Longwy is a fortified town of France on the Belgium frontier, 40 miles northwest of Metz in Germany.

A train full of German soldiers arrived at the station at Luxemburg during the night. The troops seized the station and the bridges on the Treves and Trois Vierges line in order to insure the regular passage of military trains across the Grand Duchy.

Encounter French Forces.

According to an evening newspaper published at Liege, 20,000 German troops crossed the French frontier this morning near Nancy. They encountered French forces and were repulsed with heavy losses. This news, however, lacks confirmation.

A telephone dispatch from Brussels says it was reported that Germany had declared war on France and that the French ambassador, Jules Cambon, had left the German capital. This report could not be confirmed.

France Issues Statement.

The French embassy yesterday issued the following statement:

"French territory has been invaded at Cirey and German troops are marching on the fort at Cirey. This act has been committed without a declaration of war. The German ambassador is at present in Paris."

Germany declared today that she was unable to answer the question put by the British ambassador at Berlin as to whether she is prepared to respect the neutrality of Belgium.

This statement appeared in a communication issued by the French embassy.

The neutrality of Belgium has been guaranteed by Great Britain and she is bound to protect Belgium for her own safety as Belgium under German rule would be a never ending menace to England.

War Was Result Expected.

London, Aug. 4.—Events in the European crisis developed with startling rapidity. The German ultimatum to Russia, demanding that Russia cease the mobilization of her army, expired and a few hours later the German emperor signed a mobilization order.

The German ambassador at St. Petersburg, Count Von Pourtales, delivered a declaration of war in the name of his government to the Russian government and the entire staff of the embassy immediately left St. Petersburg.

After the warlike speeches delivered by the German emperor and the imperial chancellor at Berlin, no other result could be expected. Hopes that the dreaded event might be averted had been raised by the intervention of King George in St. Petersburg and the fact that the German reichstag was not to be convened until Tuesday. Hence the actual declaration of war had not been expected for another day or two.

Now the die is cast and Europe is to be plunged into a general war which has been the apprehension of European statesmen for generations.

Placards were posted in Paris calling for general mobilization and the German ambassador, although he had not been handed his passports, was preparing to leave the French capital.

Germans and Russians Clash.

The first shots in the Russo-German war were exchanged between patrols yesterday afternoon near Prostken, 120 miles to the southeast of Konigsberg.

The only redeeming feature of the darkest prospect with which Europe has been faced for half a century, is that Italy has declared her neutrality. But how long that neutrality can be maintained is an exceedingly debatable question.

Great Britain's position already has been defined by Premier Asquith in the British parliament. He declared that she is under no formal obligation to go to the assistance of France in the event of an European war.

American Tourists Trapped.

London, Aug. 4.—Hundreds of marooned Americans are arriving tonight from the continent. All are anxious to get home, but few have been able to secure accommodations. They report hundreds of Americans still in France and Germany and absolutely unable to get away from these nations. According to the stories told by the Americans arriving here the Europeans have taken advantage of their plight to gouge out of them every possible dollar.

Barbaric Warfare in Servia.

Washington, Aug. 4.—If the experience of the recent past is any guide to the immediate future, the war between Austria-Hungary and Servia will produce revolting scenes of barbarity and savagery. During the Balkan wars the Carnegie Peace endowment sent an international commission to the countries engaged in conflict. This commission's report pictured ghastly conditions and condemned the conduct of Bulgarians, Greeks and Servians, to say nothing of the Turks.

Bankers Would Avert War.

London, Aug. 3.—That the powerful financial interests both here and on the continent, are bringing into play every possible line of persuasion to prevent the general war, has developed.

England Mobilizing Forces.

Washington, Aug. 4.—Official dispatches received here report England mobilizing forces along the North Sea.

AUSTRIAN CAVALRY ON THE MARCH

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GENERAL WAR CRISIS.

One hundred thousand German troops cross the duchy of Luxemburg and are concentrating on the frontier of France. Twenty-five thousand Germans are engaged in constructing earthworks at the concentration point.

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Four European powers, Austro-Hungary, Russia, Germany and France are now actually engaged in warfare. Germany and France appear to be trying to throw the onus and responsibility for a formal declaration of war on each other.

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Great Britain's policy in the crisis will be announced by Premier Asquith today. In the meantime all England is undergoing the greatest suspense it has known in a century.

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Russian forces invade German territory at several points. One patrol is repulsed at a bridge over the Farthe and another destroys the postoffice at Bilderweitschen.

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Two squadrons of Cossacks are moving toward the frontier of East Prussia.

HOLLAND MOBILIZING ARMY

Queen Wilhelmina's Order Arouses Dutch Cities—Signs of Military Preparations on All Sides.

Amsterdam, Aug. 4.—That Holland is in the midst of war is evident here. On all sides there are signs of military preparation.

The mobilization ordered by Queen Wilhelmina was so readily answered that the operation was soon completed. The peaceful streets of the sleepy Dutch cities presented an unwonted aspect. Troops are constantly moving and are being lodged in the public buildings.

The mobilization decree caused a panic among the poorer classes. There was a frantic run on savings banks; crows beseiged the shops for food supplies and the excitement increased when the postoffice, railways and commercial houses refused to give coin for notes.

A bill has been presented to parliament authorizing the mayors in the various towns to seize supplies and sell them to the public and thus avoid their being held up and prices raised.

AMERICAN BANKS PREPARED

Secretary McAdoo Plans to Minimize Financial Burdens Caused by European War.

Washington, Aug. 4.—The machinery of the federal government has been turned toward fortifying the American banking system so that this nation's share in the financial burden of European war will be distributed on many shoulders and its direct effects minimized.

Conferences at the White House and treasury department, culminated late yesterday in the departure for New York of Secretary McAdoo and Comptroller of the Currency Williams. These two men have authority to put in operation the plan which congress designed years ago for such situations as the present by which the national banks of the country can obtain $500,000,000 in currency under the Aldrich-Vreeland act with which to face any condition and meet any obligation.

Other Steamers Suspend Service.

New York, Aug. 3.—The transatlantic service between New York and continental Europe was suspended by the Cunard line and the International Mercantile Marine Company, which controls the White Star, Red Star, American, Leyland, Dominion and Atlantic transport lines. Sailings for British ports via these lines were not interrupted. Hundreds of persons had engaged passage via these lines for Mediterranean and Sandinavian ports.

Chicago 'Change Stays Open.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Armour's millions rescued the wheat trade from panic. Instead of chaos resulting from a settlement day in the midst of a war market, with possibly scores of firms embarrassed, and a virtual certainty that bankruptcies, few or many, would ensue, the Chicago Board of Trade was enabled to maintain the record of never having closed. The chief reason was that 75 entangled firms and individuals on 'change were freely given aid by Armour & Co.

Want Wilson to Settle War.

Brussels, Aug. 3.—The international bureau of peace sent an appeal to President Wilson to offer his mediation in the European conflict. The bureau also asked the German emperor to use his efforts to settle the controversy, reminding him that the twenty-fifth anniversary of his reign had been celebrated amid peace. President Poincare of France, Emperor Nicholas of Russia and Pope Pius were among others appealed to in the interest of peace.

LONDON REMAINS CALM IN FACE OF IMPENDING WAR

DECISION OF BRITISH CABINET IN INTERNATIONAL CRISIS IS ANXIOUSLY AWAITED BY GREAT CROWD.

POSITION OF THE COUNTRY WILL BE ANNOUNCED TODAY

That War Party Is Now in the Ascendency Is the General Opinion—Throngs Wonder Whether Great Britain Will "Fight or Flunk."

London, Aug. 4.—The Daily Chronicle publishes a rumor that Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria has been assassinated. This has not been confirmed.

London, Aug. 3.—London is maintaining her calm to the last moment. A great crowd assembled around the government offices at Whitehall awaiting the decision of the cabinet as to whether Great Britain would take part in the war, but when it was found no statement was to be made, the crowd melted away, only a few groups remaining to discuss whether the cabinet, as some put it, "had decided to flunk or fight."

To Announce Position Today.

Premier Asquith will announce Great Britain's position in the house of commons today. Prior to this announcement another cabinet meeting will be held.

The general impression is that the war party in the cabinet is in the ascendency, but not a ward was allowed to leak out of the cabinet chamber concerning the proceedings. It was said that Viscount Morley, lord president of council and Viscount Haldane, lord high chancellor, led the peace party and that Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, threatened to resign if the government did not stand by its unwritten agreement to support France against German attack.

t is known that the Lancashire Liberals are putting strong pressure on the government to keep out of the conflict at all costs, and it is said that Premier Asquith is somewhat influenced by this. But the average Englishman is saying that the government has no alternative, after the neutrality of Luxemburg has been disregarded by Germany and after Germany's refusal to say what her attitude would be with regard to Belgium.

Socialists Are Protesting.

The Socialists held a big meeting in Trafalgar square last night to protest against war. James Keir Hardie, independent labor and Socialist member of parliament, who was the chief speaker, declared that Italy, although bound by treaty, remained neutral and there was no reason why Great Britain should not do likewise. He announced his intention of calling a national strike against the war.

The railway stations are crowded with German, French and other reservists returning to their respective countries.

The board of agriculture has issued a statement that there is sufficient wheat in the country to supply the whole population for four months, allowing for normal consumption, irrespective of imports.

Many Americans in London.

Not even at the height of the tourist season were there more Americans in London than last night. In addition to those who are spending a holiday here and the crowds coming from the continent to get away from the inconveniences of war, there is another contingent which arrived yesterday, consisting of tourists who, armed with passports from the American embassy, started for the continent in the last few days but found it impossible to get further than Calais, Dieppe and other coast towns. As a consequence steamers from France and Belgium are crowded with what might be termed refugees.

A dispatch from Amsterdam says a report has reached there that the Russian ambassador to Berlin has demanded his passports.

Fleeing From Paris.

The flight from Paris has become almost a panic. One of the Americans who arrived from the French capital yesterday said the train which left Paris at 9 o'clock Saturday night was jammed with Americans. Many of them went to the station as early as 3 o'clock in the afternoon and stood for hours waiting for a chance to get aboard. The heat was intense and there was much suffering among the women and children, but nobody would give up his place.

When the train was drawn up there was a frantic rush for the cars and what is described as almost a pitched battle took place, the strongest gaining the victory and climbing into the cars. Baggage was abandoned in the rush and some of the passengers arrived in London without even a change of linen.

To Postpone Cup Race.

London, Aug. 3.—Sir Thomas Lipton declared he had definitely decided not to race at Sandy Hook next September for the America's cup if England becomes engaged in war.

HOPES TO AVERT RAIL STRIKE

PRESIDENT BRINGING ENGINEMEN AND MANAGERS TOGETHER.

Latter Are Warned of Calamity That Walkout Might Bring to the Nation.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Unofficial reports that the managers of the 98 western railroads involved in the threatened strike of 55,000 engineers and firemen will heed President Wilson's plea for peace are current among men in close touch with the situation. The president is understood to be confident that a strike will be unnecessary.

Appeals to Managers.

The committee of managers to whom the president appealed is to tell Mr. Wilson whether they will accept the settlement proposed by the federal board of mediation, which suggested the arbitration of wage differences.

The president called in Charles P. Neill, former commissioner of labor, and had him take a message to the railroad managers again urging on them the necessity for adopting the proposed plan of settlement.

Might Bring Great Calamity.

The railroad managers were asked to remember that a great calamity might come to the country if a strike is declared by the engineers and firemen, thus holding up the movement of the crops of the West.

DISCUSS POSITION OF JAPAN

Washington Diplomats Talk Over Possibilities of Such a Move.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The possibility that Japan might become involved in a general war should her ally, England, be drawn into the threatened vortex in Europe, was discussed in diplomatic circles here. The treaty of alliance between Great Britain and Japan, signed in 1905 and renewed in 1911, provides that the countries shall support each other in the event of an attack or aggressive action against either in eastern Asia or India by another power.

From time to time there have been rumors of secret clauses, greatly extending the scope of the convention and making it apply to hostilities conducted outside of the Far East, but the existence of any such extra provisions is unknown to the state department or to the Japanese embassy here.

Japan's being drawn into any war that might involve Great Britain with Germany or Austria or Italy is believed to hinge entirely upon naval developments in the Far East.

HALF MILLION SEATTLE FIRE

Grand Trunk Pacific Pier and Coleman Dock Destroyed in Heart of Water Front.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 1.—Fire destroyed the Grand Trunk Pacific pier and damaged the Coleman dock, two of the largest passenger wharves in the heart of the Seattle water front, causing a loss estimated at $500,000, mostly covered by insurance. Eight persons were injured, four seriously, but all will recover.

The greatest loss was sustained by the Grand Trunk Pacific Steamship company, owners of the Grand Trunk pier, which was valued at $350,000. The damage to the Coleman dock is estimated at $50,000. The rest of the loss is distributed among occupants of the Grand Trunk pier and included several hundred tons of freight stored in the warehouse.

NOTED SOCIALIST CHIEF SHOT

Jean Leon Jaures Is Assassinated in Paris While Seated at Table in Restaurant.

Paris, Aug. 3.—Jean Leon Jaures, the noted Socialist leader, was assassinated while dining in a small restaurant near the Bourse. The assassin was arrested, but refused to disclose his identity.

Later he was identified as Raoul Villan, 29 years old, and said to be the son of a clerk of the civil court at Rheims.

The minister of the interior, Louis Malvy, on learning of the crime, left the meeting of the council and ordered precautions to be taken to prevent demonstrations.

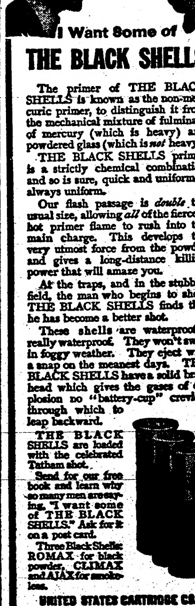
The reports of the shots startled the diners and passersby and the assassin was seized. In his pocket was another loaded revolver. The police rescued him from the crowd, which shouted, "Assassin—Death to the assassin!" The body of the noted deputy was placed in a city conveyance which, surrounded by weeping comrades and friends, proceeded to his home, followed by a detachment of Republican guards.

Odessa Bourse Is Closed.

Odessa, Aug. 1.—The bourse has been closed for three days. The greatest activity prevails in the corn market.

Carranza And Carvajal Agreeing.

Washington, July 30.—General Carranza and Provisional President Carbajal have agreed on a base for the arrangement of peace in Mexico, according to a message receivd here by Jose Castellot, personal representative of Carbajal. With respect to amnesty and guarantees, General Carranza, it is understood, will promise immunity to all except those directly responsible for the overthrow of Madero. Practically all those said to be guilty fled Mexico, and that exception will not be opposed.



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"Sure!" said the boy, taking the reins.

Just then the locomotive whistled and the horse rearing suddenly, started at full speed up the road.

The boy started after the fleeing animal, and, as the owner appeared, exclaimed with relief:

"It's a good thing you came now, sir, for I couldn't have watched him much longer."

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Most people who enjoy a frequent drink of beer or liquor fail to realize it's weakening effect on the kidneys.

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In the early stages kidney weakness can be corrected. Doan's Kidney Pills tone and strengthen weak kidneys and are used with success all over the civilized world. There's no other kidney remedy so well recommended.

A North Dakota Case

Robert W. English, farmer, Jamestown, N. D., says: "While pitching hay, I was taken with a severe pain in the small of my back and I couldn't stoop over. The kidney secretions became too frequent and painful in passage. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me in a short time and for several years I have had no further trouble. I am now in good health."

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BRIGHT SAYINGS OF CHILDREN

Little One Knew Who Were the Dwellers in the Garden of Eden—Grandpa in Heaven.

Sunday School Teacher—"Can you tell me who dwelt in the Garden of Eden?" Little Mary—"Yes, ma'am—the Adamses."

"What is an amateur, Bobby?" queried his small sister. "An amateur," replied Bobby, "is anything that isn't nature."

"Mamma," queried little Myra, "do you think grandpa has really gone to heaven?" "Yes, dear," was the reply. "Well," continued Myra, "I'll bet he sneaks outside once in a while to smoke his pipe."

In the lesson mention had been made of the cant hook that is used in rolling logs. "Can you tell me what a cant hook is, Tommy?" asked the teacher. "Sure," replied Tommy. "It's a cow that hasn't any horns."

ECZEMA LIKE HIVES

617 N. Gibbs St., Pomona, Cal.—"My eczema began when I was five years old. It started like hives all over my body and later it troubled me principally on my face and left ear. It was very rough and red and the itching and burning were so intense that I lost much sleep.

"I tried several kinds of salves and blood medicines but to no avail. I had been bothered with eczema for over eight years. Then I bought two cakes of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. When finished with them my cure was complete." (Signed) Miss Mildred Sweet, Mar. 6, 1914.

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Faithful Unto Death.

"One of the bravest acts I witnessed during the whole war," said an officer of the Army of Northern Virginia, "was that of a young soldier, who was probably not over sixteen. We had thought of him as only a boy, although he went with the regiment on all of its marches, and lived with it in all its encampments.

"One day there was a fierce engagement. In the midst of it a bullet struck this boy in the breast, and he fell. Our colonel ordered his men to dismount, and as he himself sprang from his horse, the boy called out in a weak voice, 'I will hold your horse, colonel!'

"Stopping in the midst of the storm of bullets to gaze in pity on the white, boyish face, the colonel said, 'But you can't do that, lad—you are dying.'

"'I know I am, colonel,' the gallant boy replied. 'But I can hold the reins when I am dead.'

"The colonel placed the bridle in the trembling hands and went forward. When the fight was over, he hurried back, and found the boy lying dead, the bridle reins still wrapped tightly round his limp right hand."—Youth's Companion.

Is Positive Proof.

Some little uptown boys were playing "judge," a game invented by the daddy of two of the boys. They think it's lots of fun. One of the boys in the game impersonates a judge, another the district attorney, another a criminal, while others are the foreman of the jury, a policeman, a jailer and the attorney for the defense. Any that remain are jurymen. After one of the youngsters commits a "crime" he is arrested and brought to trial with all the legal formalities the children can remember.

This time one of the youngsters was supposed to have killed another, but he protested his innocence vigorously. Then up rose the "victim."

"Of course you did it!" he said. "Can't you see I'm dead?"—New York Tribune.

NEW IDEA
Helped Wisconsin Couple.

It doesn't pay to stick too closely to old notions of things. New ideas often lead to better health, success and happiness.

A Wis. couple examined an idea new to them and stepped up several rounds on the health ladder. The husband writes:

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ALL GREAT EUROPEAN POWERS ARE MOBILIZING THEIR TROOPS

ENGLAND HAS NOT DECIDED WHAT ACTION TO TAKE IN PRESENT WAR—EARL EDWARD GREY ISSUES HIS STATEMENT OF SITUATION

GERMANY ATTEMPTING TO INDUCE ENGLAND TO REMAIN NEUTRAL, AND IN RETURN PROMISES TO KEEP AWAY FROM WEST COAST

Brussels, Aug. 3.—The Burgomaster of Antwerp announced tonight that the Germans had invaded Limburg, Holland, and that the province has been placed under martial law. Limburg has a population of nearly a quarter of a million.

Berlin, Aug. 3.—The German emperor sent orders tonight to the German ambassador in Paris to demand his passports.

Berlin, Aug. 3.—German border troops from Lublinitz, Silesia, today, after a short skirmish with the Russians, took possession of Czenstochowa, in Russial Poland. Bendzin and Kalisz, in Russian Poland, also are occupied by Germans. Czenstochowa is a city of 50,000 inhabitants. It is noted chiefly for its manufactures of woolen and cotton cloths and paper. Bendzin is a coal and zinc mining center, with a population of 20,000. Kalisz is the most westerly city in Russian Poland; its population is 20,000.

Melbourne, Australia, Aug. 3.—The government and the commonwealth of Australia today offered in the event of war, to furnish an expeditionary force of 20,000 men to go to any destination desired by the imperial government at the entire expense of the commonwealth.

New York, Aug. 3.—The Rochambeau, one of the largest of a French line's fleet of steamships, due here tonight from Havre, today was requisitioned by the French government. The French consul notified the agents of the line here that she is to be turned over to him immediately upon arrival. The Rochambeau has accommodation for 1,600 persons in the steerage, and 450 in the cabin. It is said the Rochambeau probably will be used to transport French reserves back to France.

Montreal, Aug. 3.—The port of Montreal is virtually closed tonight for the first time in history. Today a tug fleet patrolled the lower harbor and a force of 200 men was sworn in this evening to exclude all landsmen from the wharves. No vessel will be permitted to come into port or leave without an express writ being granted.

London, Aug. 3.—All European powers, except Italy, and most of the secondary powers, are mobilizing with all their energy.

Mobilization has not as yet reached the stage where any armies have met in battle. Italy, which declared her neutrality, will begin to mobilize officially tomorrow, although the process is probably well under way. Great Britain's mobilization is nearly completed, but she has not announced she will join in general war.

Tonight war officially existed between Austria and Germany, on one side and Russia, Servia and Montenegro on the other. There has been no official declaration of war between Germany and France on either side, but tonight the German ambassador in Paris received orders to demand his passports. The most important event in the past 24 hours was Germany's demand upon Belgium in the form of a 12-hour ultimatum, that German troops be permitted to cross Belgium to the French frontier, coupled with a promise that Belgian integrity would remain unimpaired to the end of the war and that Belgian is to be compensated. To this Belgium refused to accede on the grounds of her rights and honor.

Great Britain has mobilized her forces and awaits events. Today she is neither a belligerent power, nor a neutral one. The government has given France assurance that the British fleet will not permit the German fleet to attack the French coast. It has not yet pledged itself to contribute an army to a continental war.

The British government regards with deepest distrust Germany's violation of Belgium's neutrality, but makes no declaration regarding whether she considers that measure a provocation for war.

OVER $1,000,000,000 IN CURRENCY TO BE ADDED TO UNITED STATES' CIRCULATING MEDIUM

Washington, Aug. 3.—New York bankers have arranged with the state and treasury departments tonight to send $3,500,000 to Europe to relieve American tourists stranded there, unable to get cash for their checks and letters of credit.

The use of a United States warship to carry to Eurpoe $3,500,000 in gold for the relief of stranded American tourists, was proposed by New York bankers today. Benjamin Strong, Jr., president of the Bankers' Trust company, left for Washington to make the suggestion to President Wilson. The gold is now ready.

The financial position of this country in all appearances is appreciably better tonight than was the case 24 hours ago.

Washington, Aug. 3.—President Wilson and congress moved promptly today to afford relief to Americans stranded in the war zone of Europe, and to preserve the financial equilibrium of this country in view of the disorganization of the credit systems abroad.

In a special message early in the day, the president asked for $250,000 to care for Americans in Europe. Both houses promptly passed the appropriation and will vote more if necessary.

The house passed the bill suggested by the president, waiving the restrictions on American registry for foreign ships to assist in trans-Atlantic commerce. It will be acted upon by the senate tomorrow. The president appealed to the people of the country through Washington correspondents not to become alarmed over developments in Europe, is this country is well prepared to withstand any financial crisis.

Representatives of the Mercantile marine will discuss with Secretary Bryan tomorrow the question of obtaining ships for Americans to leave Europe in.

Americans abroad who have letters of credit, travelers checks and other forms of money credit will be assisted by the American embassies in having them cashed. Friends and relatives abroad can deposit with the state department any sum they choose and an embassy check for an equivalent amount will be issued in Europe.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Over a billion dollars in currency is to be added to the circulating medium in the United States by action of congress today, to meet the situation resulting from the European crisis. This new money, backed by the prime assets of national banks, may be issued under the modification of the bank law passed in both house and senate, then compromised in conference, and approved by the administration for final action in both houses tomorrow.

The treasury department continued to give its mental and physical support to the banks of the United states today. It responded to requests from National Currency associations in various parts of the country, put in the hands of Express companies, millions in Aldrich-Vreeland emergency currency. Shipments were made to several large cities in the middle west. As soon as possible all subtreasuries will be supplied with sufficient currency to meet the demands by banks in their territory.

Fine Dairy Cow Ration.

Late sweet corn puts forth many suckers which should be promptly jerked off to give the plants a better chance to grow, the detached suckers forming a fine ration for the dairy cow.

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While silage is an excellent feed for dairy stock, it should be combined with some other leguminous feed, such as clover, cow peas, or alfalfa, owing to its insufficient productive quality.

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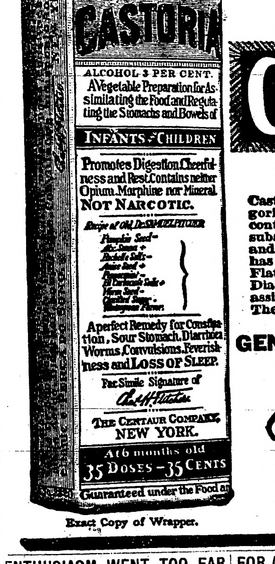
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Managaing Editor's Bright Idea Might Have Displeased Some of His Irish Readers.

Charles Edward Russell in "These Shifting Scenes" tells many amusing anecdotes of a managing editor named Goodman to signalize the Pigott disclosures which defeated the case that the London Times and the English Tories had worked up against Parnell. Mr. Russell writes:

On the night when Parnell's vindication became overwhelming and complete, Mr. Goodman issued an order that every article and every item in the whole paper, big or little, should end with the exclamation: "A Great Day for Ireland!" It was tempting fate to do such a thing, and, of course, the inevitable happened.

"One Hennessey, the janitor of a public building in Brooklyn, playing on the top floor with his children, fell over the railing of the air well and was killed. 'A Great Day for Ireland!'"

"William Mulrooney, a Widely known philanthropist of the East side, choked to death on a chicken bone. 'A Great Day for Ireland!'"

The editor-in-chief Col. John A. Cockerill, saw the proofs in time to prevent a riot and extra compositors were called in to take out the offending lines.

Way the Moon Changes.

It was the tenth week after the honeymoon. The great round moon rolled up above the trees.

"Jack," she said, romantically, "do you remember how the moon used to affect you when you were calling on me? Why, every time it went under a cloud you used to kiss me. You don't do it now."

"No," yawned Jack, as he lit his pipe, "the moon affects the tides, but not the tieds. The honeymoon ends all moon nonsense."

And then she said he was the meanest man in town and went over to call on the neighbors.

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FOR A TUBERCULOSIS CENSUS

Arrangements Made to Have It Taken in Churches Some Time During September.

A tuberculosis census of thousands of churches in various parts of the country will be taken in September, under the direction of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. The census will be part of the preparation for the fifth annual Tuberculosis day to be observed during the week of November 29.

The ministers of several thousand churches will be asked to report on the number of deaths from tuberculosis in the last year, the number of living cases in their parishes on September 1, the number of deaths from all causes, and the number of members or communicants. These figures will be made the basis of an educational campaign, which will culminate in the Tuberculosis day movement, for which occasion sermon and lecture outlines and other forms of tuberculosis literature will be distributed free to ministers.

Last year nearly 75,000 churches, schools and other bodies took part in the Tuberculosis day observance. The movement had the endorsement of leading church officials of every denomination. More than 1,200 anti-tuberculosis societies scattered all over the country will work this year to make Tuberculosis day a success.

Warning.

"Constant vigilance is the price of enduring beauty," said Lillian Russell.

"Diet, exercise, sun baths, massage—constant vigilance," she repeated, "is the price of enduring beauty. Many splendid beauties pass their youth recklessly killing time. Then, before they're forty time turns round and kills them."

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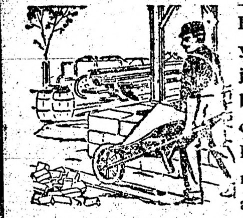

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AN INTERESTING SILAGE TRIP.

A Number of Clay County Farmers Take Interesting Trip Inspecting Silos.

"Can I afford to build a silo?" "What kind of silo shall I put up?" These and numerous other questions the farmers of one community of Clay county were asking and they were answered on the afternoon of July 7th, in a very unique method of studying the value of silage and the relative merit of various type of silos. Mr. P. E. Clement, county agent of Clay county invited the farmers of this section of the county who were interested in silos to join in an automobile tour and visit one each of the various kinds of silos in the locality.

Though corn cultivation needed to be done on every farm, thirty farmers joined in the excursion which proved to be more successful than was anticipated for not only did it help answer the questions of the men intending to build silos, but in getting the experience of each silo owner those who already owned silos learned better how to make and use silage. The tour simply made general the experiences of every owner in the community.

The first silo visited was a wood stave on the farm of L. S. Thom about two miles northeast of Moorhead. The passage way between the silo and the barn but held the crowd, and the men simply surrounded Mr. Thom, asked him about every conceivable question about his silo, and whether he knew it or not like every man visited, he made a splendid speech on the subject. His silo has been built two years, has never been damaged by the wind, and has given no trouble whatever. It is 14x36 feet and has a four foot pit, thus holding about 135 tons. Its cost complete was about $400 Mr. Thom stated he would build the same kind of silo again, and wouldn't be without it if he had to borrow the money to contruct it, as he believes a silo rapidly pays for itself. He now has twelve feet of silage and is feeding it regularly to his cows, horses, hogs and chickens. Some one questioned hogs eating silage, but Mr. Thom quickly had a shovelful, and in less than fifteen seconds about two dozen young shoats were making a very luscious sound chewing the juicy silage, and the chickens came running to help them.

Within fifteen minutes of travel the tourists were at the farm of Frank Kimm, who has a panel silo, 16x36 feet which will hold about 150 tons. This silo also has been up two years and has never been empty. Mr. Kimm likewise feeds silage to all kinds of stock. He considers he could not get along without a silo and believes so thoroughly in it that he would recommend a renter to put one up if he has a long lease and the permission to move it. He is now feeding silage two years old and finds it in good condition. Mr. Kimm expressed himself well satisfied with his silo and believes other types of silos quite serviceable too. Complete, his silo cost about $500. At his farm some fine Guernsey calves were seen and alfalfa seeded this spring with barley as a nurse crop stands a foot high.

On the way to the next silo to be visited a short stop was made at the farm of Theo. Skree, who won the cement stave silo offered on the sweepstakes corn exhibited at the Farm Crops show held at Crookston last winter. Mr. Skree is glad he is to soon have a silo. It is hardly necessary to say he is endeavoring to grow some more championship corn. He has some fine potatoes and his progressiveness is further evidenced by the fact that he is growing alfalfa. A very neat and attractive farmstead was seen here.

Mr. Skree's neighbor, Mr. Levi Thortvedt, a year ago put up a cement stave silo, 14x35 feet with a three foot pit having a capacity of about 125 tons. The cost of this silo was slightly over $400. Mr. Thortvedt also feeds silage to all kinds of live stock and is feeding now though he has considerable pasture. He cited a recent situation which well emphasizes one of the many points of value of a silo, namely the availibility of feed when for some reason there is a shortage. His farmstead is on the bank of the Buffalo river and for two weeks this spring the water was so high that his herd of cattle could not get to pasture, and there was only an acre and fraction on the side of the river with the buildings. During this time the cattle were well kept on nothing but silage.

The party journeyed for a few miles along the Buffalo river where with a rich sandy loam soil and good drainage immense crops of every kind were growing. Suddenly a halt was made at a forty acre alfalfa field of Mr. G. S. Barnes. One crop has already been taken off and the second was standing eight to ten inches high. Everyone was quickly examining the roots to find whether or not the plants were inoculated. Just across the road were the buildings of this farm among which was a large dairy barn containing about 80 head of pure bred Holstein and their ration included silage and alfalfa hay. Mr. Barnes has a wood stave silo similar to the first visited, constructed about four years ago.

Interest ran high as the party landed at the farm of E. C. Schroeder located at the station of Watts, a few miles east of Moorhead. Here an immense dairy barn houses a famous herd of nearly 100 head of pure bred Holstein cattle. Many individuals in the herd have extraordinary milk production records among which are world champions. There are twin silos of the panel type in connection each 16 by 40 feet with a seven foot pit having a combined capacity of practically 300 tons. These were built in 1911 though another type of silo was on the farm earlier. Silo filling machinery is owned by this farm alone and the silos are refilled and sometimes twice each year. Mr. Schroeder says if he were without cows, as his practice is not to pasture his animals, and to quote him he feeds silage "365 and 366 days each year." In his winter feeding some of his cows are fed from 45 to 65 pounds of silage per day. There were so many things of interest and value at this farm to see that it is difficult to leave on the schedule planned.

Many silos were passed on the trip of the same kind as had been visited but the party journeyed about five miles west to the farm of Arthur Souers where a cement block silo was inspected. Great care evidently had been taken in the construction of this silo as it presented a very attractive appearance. This silo is 14 by 32 feet and has six feet of foundation, thus holding practically 120 tons. It was built a year ago but Mr. Souers built another on a neighboring farm three years ago that is also giving very satisfactory service in every respect.

The last silo visited was Monolithic or solid wall concrete on the farm of E. Sanders. It is 16x42 feet with a two foot pit and will hold about 190 tons, and has been up two years. This man considers the silo the most important building on the farm, and when a neighbor who has just a shed barn talked of building a new one, Mr. Sanders induced him instead to erect a silo. On Mr. Sanders farm but little hay is made, so silage is fed instead to all stock, and he believes from his results that silage is practically equal ton for ton to good wild hay.

When the inspection of this silo was finished it was then after six o'clock but all were glad to stay longer and listen to Supt. A. D. Wilson of the State Agricultural Extension Division who in a short talk summed up the observations of the tour. As he stated everybody who has a silo believes in it and in feeding silage. Practically every man visited said he would build the same type of silo when building again, though there were five distinct types visited. Therefore what is the best kind of silo? Mr. Wilson's answer is: any kind of common type well built is good. The type of silo to build may be a matter of personal choice but the availability of material and mechanical help should be considered as these are factors of cost. The questions of neighborhood purchase of silos was urged to secure better prices and it als make possible co-operation in purchase of machinery and in silo filling.

The men visited were well agreed in their general experience in the making and using of silage, and they were ready with sensible and reliable answers for every question put to them. They all willingly told of some of their mistakes in early use of the silo. All of them have now learned to handle the matter of silage freezing, namely, keeping the top of the silo as tightly closed as possible, not leaving frozen silage about the walls and keeping the silage in the silo covered with a canvas in the severest wether.

As the party broke up, it was evident that those who had silos were more enthusiastic for the silo because of what they had learned from the men visited, and the men who did not have silos were no longer questioning as to whether they should build: they were talking about the kind they expected soon to build.

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T. T. Sollom and wife moved to Mud Lake Tuesday.

D. B. Bakke visited at the Docken home the first of the week.

Special School Election A Success.

The special school election held last Friday to vote on moving the school site from its present location to south of Creamery was carried by a large majority. The district was bonded for $400 for the erection of a two room building. Work will commence as soon as possible on the erection of the new building in order to have it complete for the opening of school this fall.

Wild or Insane Man at Large.

Sheriff Forsberg was here Monday looking for a supposedly wild or insane man reported to be in this vicinity. Last Saturday while the boys of A. W. Thompson were working around the barn at their place this man approached within a couple of rods carrying a rifle and deliberately took aim and fired at one of them. The bullet just grazed the boy's cheek inflicting a small wound but he was not hurt very seriously. He is a small man, with quite heavy light colored mustache and grey beard, light hair, well clad, in dark clothes. According to the sheriff's version who questioned the boy very closely there seems to be no doubt that he is a dangerous character and is still at large. Last Sunday he was seen in the neighborhood of Hoel's but after that all trace of him seems to be lost.

BUILDERS' NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the school board of Dist. No. 61, of Marshall County, Minn., will receive sealed bids at the Holt State Bank, up to 2 o'clock p. m., August 20th, 1914, for building a one room school house, contractor to furnish all material.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the above bank.

Building must be ready for occupancy not later than Oct. 1st, 1914. If bidders consider this time to limited they may state in their bids the shortest time in which they can finish school house.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Holt, Minn., August 5. 1914.

By order of School Board.

August Nase,
Dist. Clerk.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land office at Crookston, Minnesota, August 4, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Olga C. Larson, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who on June 4th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08035, for Lots 1 and 2, Section 17, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 8th day of September, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Bernard Larson,
Oscar Odie,
Clarence Larson,
Jacob Gabrielson all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Dr. J. C. R. CHAREST
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office in Union Block
Thief River Falls - - Minn.

CHARLES A. PITKIN
Attorney at Law
Office in McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, - - Minnesota.

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LAWYER
Office in McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.

LOANS PROBATE WORK COLLECTION
O. A. NAPLIN
Attorney-at-Law
Evenson Block
Thief River Falls, - - Minn.

KNUTE NELSON
United states Commissioner, Distric of Minnesota
Final Proofs and Homestead Entries carefully attended to.
Middle River, - - - Minnesota.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, July 16, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ole S. Kirkelie, of Germantown, Minn., who on June 26, 1911 made homestead entry, Serial 06349. for SW quarter Section 8, Township 155N., Range 41 W., 5th principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner, for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 24th day of August 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson, Olaf G. Tharaldson, and Alexander Magee all of Germantown, Minn. and Salve G. Tharaldson of Holt, Minn.

Proof to be made under law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, July 1, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Johanna Malone Nelson, a widow of Martin A. Nelson, deceased, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on October 5th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05663, for N½ SW¼ & SE¼ NW¼ & NW¼ SE¼, Section 28, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridan has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 14th, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: John O. Foss, Peter Ostlund, of Golden Valley, Minnesota. Thomas Sten, A. H. Huseth, of Holt Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

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Every sack Guaranteed
Our Elevator and Lumber Yard are always prepared to give the most satisfactory service.
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.,
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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS
Successor to "The Northern Light"
VOL IV HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY, AUGUST 14, 1914 NO. 5

Absolute Safety Guaranteed Depositors
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Increase in Business since January
LARS BACKE, President
Our friends and patrons are constantly increasing, due in a large measure to appreciative, intelligent service, courteous treatment and square business dealings.
S. S. KOLDEN, Vice-Pres. B. L. BACKE, Cashier
The Pioneer Bank Officials of Holt
FARMERS STATE BANK of Holt
Capital and Surplus $12,000.00
UNLIMITED MONEY
For Farm Loans

Farmers! Get your meals at the hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop.

Holt needs several more residences and a building for a drug store.

The Panama canal will be opened for vessels of commerce, tomorrow.

Read the new Ads. and patronize those who help your home paper.

Chris Yettri returned Wednesday from Glen Plain where he had some work done on his claim.

Mrs. Ralston of Maple Bay and Mrs. Gilbertson of Alexandria were over Sunday visitors at the S. S. Kolden home.

Miss Ida Dahlman from Alvarado has been visiting with her aunties Mrs. C. O. Saastad and Mrs. Herman Heinse the past week.

Chas. Radtke of Nerstrand, Minn. was here Wednesday looking over the country with the view of making some investments here.

John Alkenbrack sold a fine horse to Rodahl Bros., Wednesday, for the neat little sum of $175.00. It pays well to raise heavy draft horses.

Miss Anne Sorter returned home from Crookston, Wednesday, accompanied by Miss Agnes Gunderson, whose guest she was for a few days.

The auction sale of Ole O. Nelson called out a good crowd and every thing brought good prices. C. W. Latta cried the sale and B. Docken was clerk.

The International Harvester Co. has been declared a monopoly in restraint of trade, and was ordered dissolved by the U. S. district court in St. Paul one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Backe and the latter's sister and Mrs. Huseth and children went to Mud Lake Tuesday. Mrs. Huseth will visit a few days at the K. O. Flakne home.

Correspondents Wanted.

We wish to secure correspondents for The Holt Weekly News from as many neighboring townships and post-offices as possible. Anyone who are interested should write to this office at once for further particulars. We will make it both interesting for you and worth your while. Represent your district by telling the newspaper what the people are doing.

Commercial Club meets Tuesday evening Aug. 25 at 8 o'clock sharp.

Read the ads.

Several new ads this week that you want to be sure to read.

B. Docken, Arvid and Toney Carlson autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

P. L. Anderson made a flying trip to the Pennington county seat, on Wednesday a. m.

Mrs. M. A. Nelson of Minneapolis came Wednesday to make the final proof on her claim.

The Ladie's Aid meets with Mrs. Docken next Wednesday Aug. 19th all ladies invited.

Miss Olga Saastad returned from Thief River Falls on Monday after a weeks visit with friends.

Mrs. B. Docken returned Monday fyom several bays visit with her parents at Thief River Falls.

Ed. M. Silbaugh has sold his auto to parties in Thief River Falls and bought another of B. L. Backe.

Several ladies met Tuesday evening to prepare a program for the opening of the Free Mission Church.

Misses Dagny and Olga Bakke and Halverson of Thief River Falls were guests at the Docken home Monday.

M. O. Nelson took out a load of lumber Tuesday for Chris Bjerkland. Mr. Bjerkland is building a small house to replace the one burned last Friday.

The sympathy of the nation is extended to Pres. Wilson in his hour of sorrow and a prayer goes up from the hearts of the christian people that he may be given strength to bear his sorrow.

The commercial club met Tuesday evening in the Woodman hall. Considerable business in relation to the celebration was transacted and a committee appointed to raise the balance of the funds needed. Committee were also appointed to try to secure a place for a booth for the northwestern telephone and to try to get the county commissioners to build the bridge across Thief River at once. Also arrangements were made for the butcher shop to handle all of the meats when they get started but the merchants will sell lard. The meeting adjourned till 8 oclock Tuesday evening Aug. 25th

Local Items

Get your meals at the hotel. ad

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Straw hats now only half price at Gunheim's. (Adv)

Oscar Anderson went to [illegible] N.D. Tuesday to work during the threshing season.

B. L. Backe, Al Huseth and Albert Mattson autoed to Thief River Falls, Wednesday.

C. W. Latta's new building helps to make a good showing on the south side of main street.

Miss Mary Lein who had been a guest at the Gunhein home, returned to Crookston Saturday.

O. N. Lind, state scale inspector was in town Monday testing the scales in the stores and elevators.

Matheson Bros. of McIntosh came Monday to repair their threshing rig and get ready for the season's work.

Ole J. Vaule and son of Crookston were in town Monday and Tuesday enrout home from a trip north.

Wanted—High grade samples of all kinds of farm products. Bring them to my office in Holt. Chas. W. Latta. (Adv)

Racine Olsen went to Crookston Tuesday, near which place he will run an engine during the threshing reason.

Al Bronsberg of Gary visited Al Huseth Tuesday going from town to visit at the home of his father-in-law K. F. Knutson.

Remember the Ladies Aid meeting at the B. Docken home Wednesday Aug. 19th and that you are specially invited to attend.

You can't expect praise while living, or a good obituary when the final summons comes unless your subscription is paid in advance.

A. R. Jones has done considerable carpenter work, painting and re-arranging and the office of the Hanson & Barzen Milling Co., presents a "spic and span" appearance.

The new butcher shop will be ready for occupancy in a short time, and we are sure a meat market will be appreciated here and well patronized. Here's success to the boys.

Dr. Hills of Gary was here Tuesday looking for a location and while favorably impressed with the prospects here, there is small chance of his comming, on account of there being no houses for rent.

Al Huseth has been putting on steel siding and ceiling on the interior of his confectionery store and barber shop. Ernest Kiene has been doing the work which insures Mr. Huseth a good job.

Nels S. Hegnes of Argyle candidate for state senator was in town on business Wednesday and made this office a pleasant call. He is a very pleasant gentleman to meet and we pre dict he will prove to be a splendid vote getter.

Ed. M. Silbaugh has purchased a lot on the south side of main street between Sollam's and Carlson's store and expects to build there a store building with living rooms above. Let the good work go on, Holt needs more buildings to take care of its rapidly increasing business.

Many of our people returned Friday from a day to several days attendance at the fair in Thief River Falls. Several more were at Mud Lake and a couple of days the town was about deserted. But Friday's sale brot them back and since then the ebb and flow has been about normal.

In Church Circles.

There will be services in the Holt Lutheran Church Sunday Aug. 16th at 11 o'clock and confirmation class at 1 o'clock on Monday the 17th.

Ladies Aid at Mrs. Docken's 19th of August. All welcome.

There will be services at Grondahl's Aug. 16th at 3:30 P. M., and all Ringbo Young People are invited.

There will be a picnic at Miss Hinchman's place, Aug. 23, by the Golden Valley Ladies' Aid.

M. B. ORDAHL
Lutheran Pastor

Opening of the New Church

The young ladies do the buying and the serving of the lunch and the young men pay the bills, for their meeting at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon, in the new church.

Rev. A. L. Larson will preach in English and a good program will be given and everyone will be welcomed. An enjoyable meeting is assured. Turn out and help make the opening of the new church a success.

Please consider this as being a personal invitation for you to attend the opening of the new Free Mission Church.

Farm House Burned

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the farm house of Chris Bjerkland last Friday forenoon. The house was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Nelson, and as none of the family were in the house at the time, both house and contents were burned. It is a complete loss to both parties, as neither of them carried any insurance.

The community sympathises with these people in their loss and hope they will soon be comfortably settled in their new house.

John Lein returned to Grafton N. D. Monday.

Read the war news on the inside pages of this paper.

Leonard Jensen spent Sunday at the Andrew Bjerk home.

Selma Saastad was an over Sunday visitor at Thief River Falls.

Racine Olson made an auto trip to Gatske Sunday.

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

Carload of feed just received at Rierson's. Prices low. (Adv).

Mrs. L. Wigge was entertained at the Docken home a short time Wednesday.

Adolph Sollom has built a cement sidewalk 10 feet wide in front of the "People's Cash Store."

Henry Oien took in a load of flax Wednesday. That is longer than the average farmer holds it.

Alfred Hanson and Allen Adolphson unloaded a new threshing seperator and took it out to their farm Monday.

P. A. Riesberg has bought of S. S. Kolden a binder that cuts an eight foot swath. This is the largest binder ever sold in Holt. Mr. Riesberg will hitch his gas tractor to the binder and expects to cut lots of grain.

Large tract of good valley farming land just thrown open for free settlement in Oregon. Over 200,000 acres in all. Good climate, rich soil, and does not require irrigation to raise finest crops of grain, fruit and garden truck. For large map, full instructions and information, and a plat of several sections of exceptionally good claims, send $3.40 to John Keefe, Oregon City, Oregon Three years a U. S. surveyor and timberman. An opportunity to get a good fertile free homestead near town and market. 829

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We have on hand a supply of One and Two-horse Cultivators; both in Disc and Shovel Type.
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All kinds of Light and Heavy Hauling and Team Work done Promptly and at Reasonable Prices.
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AUSTRIAN AND GERMAN TROOPS MARCH ON ENEMY
FRENCH AND ENGLISH ARMIES JOIN IN BELGIUM

GERMANS OCCUPY TOWN OF LIEGE; FORTS HOLD OUT

BRITISH AND FRENCH JOIN FORCES IN BELGIUM—KAISER'S TROOPS ADMIT AMMUNITON EXHAUSTED.

GERMANS THREATEN TO EXECUTE THE HOSTAGES

Governor and Bishop of Province of Liege Are Held Prisoners by Invaders—British Admiralty Reports Cruiser Squadron Attacked by Germans.

London, Aug. 11.—The admiralty has announced that one of the cruiser squadrons of the main fleet was attacked by German submarines. None of the British ships was damaged. One German submarine was sunk. No details were given as to the place at which the fighting took place.

Brussels, Aug. 10.—Via London.—It was admitted here that the town of Liege had been occupied by the Germans.

Brussels, Via London, Aug. 11.—The following statement has been issued by the general staff:

"The position of the German troops has hardly changed since Saturday. Their advance detachments are retreating under the irresistible pressure of the French troops, who are in considerable force in all the country south of the Meuse, which they are clearing of German troops.

"The enemy's offensive movement has been completely stopped. The French and Belgian troops will take the offensive simultaneously, in accordance with concerted plans."

The Russian emperor has telegraphed to King Albert his congratulations and best wishes for the continued success of the Belgian arms.

German Troops Pushed Back.

An official dispatched issued by the Belgian general staff said the advanced German troops were being pushed back and that the German offensive movement had ceased.

A junction of Belgian, British and French troops in Belgium is reported to have been effected, and a clash between German and French cavalry south of Namur is said to have taken place.

Athens dispatches say large Turkish forces are being concentrated on Bulgarian territory by agreement with Bulgaria.

Kaiser Joins Troops.

Emperor William is reported to have left for the Alsatian frontier to join the German general staff.

France has requested the Austrian ambassador to explain Austria's intentions in an alleged movement of Austrians across Germany to the French frontier.

Cholera is said to have broken out among the Austrian and Servian troops.

Paris dispatches say the Germans in Belgium are short of provisions.

A cablegram from Pekin says serious "conversations" are proceeding between the Tokio and London governments concerning whether Japan will participate in an attack on the German colony of Tsing-Tau.

The French and Belgian governments have directed that the resources of the two countries shall be the common property of France and Belgium.

Wires to Berlin Open.

London, Aug. 10.—Notwithstanding the fact that freer communication was permitted over land wires and cables, very little actual news of the war trickled through. Communication was restored between Berlin and the outside world, but while this permitted the German capital to receive proffers of mediation from the president of the United States and protests against the forcible detention and harsh treatment of Americans and other noncombatants, and against indiscriminate floating of mines in localities where they may destroy peaceful merchant vessels and their heavy loads of refugees, nothing of importance relating to the great clash of arms came out of Berlin.

Germans Occupy Liege.

Admission finally comes from Brussels that the Germans have occupied Liege, although the forts are still intact. The city was entered through a comparatively safe path between the Exignee and Fleron forts, 10,000 German troops of various arms getting inside the city. General Emmich, the German commander, immediately issued a proclamation warning civilians not to fire on his soldiers, announcing that if such offenses were reported he would bombard the city. The burgomaster has cautioned civilians not to carry arms and not to provoke the invaders in any way.

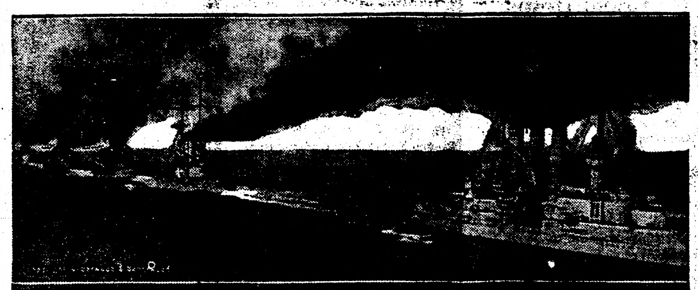
Ammunition About Exhausted.

For several hours the populace remained in hiding, but yesterday they began to come out and mingle with the Germans. The latter have taken up quarters in the university and other public buildings. They have not intruded into private dwellings and are conducting themselves very peaceably, paying well for everything they can buy in the few shops that are open. Communication with Liege is so open that many persons who went from Brussels were able to return before midnight. The Germans admit their ammunition was about exhausted and that they had fought two days without food.

Austrians Shoot Down Czechs.

Paris, Aug. 10.—Many Czech soldiers were lined up and shot by Austrians because they refused to go to the front, it was officially announced at the war office here. The Czechs were attached to Bohemian regiments which were ordered to the Russian border. They attempted a mutiny and were shot down in front of their regiments.

GERMAN DREADNAUGHTS IN BATTLE FORMATION



Here is a portion of Germany's powerful fleet of battleships steaming in battle formation in the North sea.

CAUSES OF WORLD CONFLICT.

June 28.—Archduke Ferdinand, heir to Austrian throne, and his consort assassinated at Sarajevo, Bosnia, by Servian members of the anti-Austrian propaganda.

July 22—Austria demands reparation. Servia's reply declared unsatisfactory.

July 22—Austria sends ultimatum to Servia to make final answer, by six o'clock, July 25.

July 24—Russia asks extension of time for Servia.

July 25—Servia agrees to all demands save that of permitting Austria to try Servian offenders.

July 26—Servian minister at Vienna given passports. Servian army mobilized. Czar sends warning to kaiser.

July 27—England proposes mediation by Germany at Vienna. Greece promises Servia aid.

July 28—Austria declares war against Servia and begins hostilities.

July 29—German troops massed at Russian frontier. Russians preparing to mobilize. Kaiser warns czar not to move troops. Austria invades Servia.

July 30—Kaiser sends czar proposal to mediate at Vienna.

July 31—Kaiser again demands Russian mobilization cease. Martial law throughout Germany. Czar replies it is "technically impossible" to suspend military operation.

August 1—Germany declares war on Russia. Italy declares neutrality. Kaiser mobilizes. France issues a decree of mobilization. Czar declares martial law.

August 2—Russians enter Germany. Germany sends troops through neutral Luxembourg to reach France.

August 3—Kaiser moves three German armies against France. Belgian king prepares to resist the German advance, refuses proffer of kaiser's protection and appeals to England. German troops take three Russian towns.

August 4—Great Britain sends ultimatum to kaiser. Germany declares war on France. France makes like declaration. Kaiser asks war appropriation of $1,250,000,000. German warship bombards French station in Algeria. England declares war on Germany.

August 5—Germans attack Fort Fleron, the chief defense of Liege.

August 6—Belgian reports of the battle between German and Belgian troops at Liege give the German casualties as 8,000 and those of the Belgians as relatively small.

August 8—Army of 100,000 Germans renews its attack on Liege with redoubled fury and takes two of the Belgians' outer forts. The Belgians are hard pressed, though fighting desperately.

TERRIFIC CLASH IS IMMINENT ON SWISS FRONTIER

AUSTRIAN ARMY OF 40,000 CONCENTRATES NEAR BASEL, WHILE GERMANS EVACUATE SANKT LUDWIG.

STRONG AUSTRIAN FLEET IS NEAR POLA, AUSTRIA

Invasion of Lower Alsace by French Troops Under General Joseph Jaffro Arouses Enthusiasm —Battle Will Occur in German Territory.

London, Aug. 11.—A dispatch to the Times from Berne, Switzerland, says 40,000 Austrian troops have concentrated near Basel and that German and French troops also are near the Swiss frontier so that a big battle may occur at any moment.

The Daily Mail's Rome correspondent adds that according to dispatches from Basel, Switzerland, the Germans have evacuated Sankt Ludwig, in Alsace, four miles to the northwest of Basel and that a battle is imminent on the Franco-Swiss frontier.

The foreign office has received a telegram from the British vice consul at Venice, saying that the Austrian merchantman, Igzlad, which arrived at Venice Friday, reported a strong Austrian fleet off Pola, Austria, and that the lights in the lighthouse of the Austrian coast of the Adriatic had been extinguished.

Invasion Awakens Enthusiasm.

Paris, Aug. 11.—The invasion of lower Alsace by a French army under the command of Geenral Joseph Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, has awakened great enthusiasm throughout France.

French military authorities, while recognizing that the occupation of Altkirch and Muelhausen by the French troops is not of high strategical importance, believe that the successful advance of the French army far across the German frontier will have considerable moral effect. It is also unofficially reported that Kolmar, further to the north, has fallen into the hands of the French.

None of these three places was strongly fortified and all of them lie outside the line of real German defense, being regarded as outposts of the strongly fortified cities. Their German garrisons were numerically fairly strong, but it was understood that in case of attack they would merely have to hinder the French advance before falling back on to their supports.

Neu Breish, whither they are said to have retired, lies to the east of Kolmar and is strongly fortified, while Strassburg, situated some distance to the north, is the center of a great aggregation of German troops, is strongly fortified and supposed to be prepared for a long siege.

Official reports of the fighting between the French and German troops states that the French losses were "not excessive," while those of the Germans are declared by the French to have been "very severe."

The Alsatian inhabitants are said to have been so overjoyed at the appearance of the French army that they tore up the frontier posts.

Reports of the arrival of an Austrian army corps on the Swiss frontier, near Basel were the object of close attention by the French military authorities. It was said that several more Austrian army corps were being organized in the Tyrol whence they would later be sent toward the French frontier.

In view of this the French government asked the Austrian-Hungarian ambassador to France, who still remains at his post, to explain the intentions of Austria-Hungary in regard to France.

Before retreating from Muelhausen the German troops are said to have set fire to numerous buildings in that city, especially the warehouses where food and forage were stored and the forest of Hard, near Kolmar, is said to have been razed.

To Protect Canadian Ports.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 10.—The Grand Trunk Pacific steamship, Prince George, was requisitioned by the Canadian government as a transport and left Seattle for Vancouver to enter the government service. It is supposed she will carry troops to Prince Rupert and other northern British Columbia ports which might be attacked by a roving German cruiser. The Prince Rupert, of the same line, will arrive here and tie up until needed by the British government as a transport.

EUROPEAN WAR SPOTLIGHTS.

Official Belgian reports declare that 10,000 Germans entered the town of Liege Saturday morning but that the forts still hold out.

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The Germans are said to be holding as hostages the bishop and governor of Liege province, declaring that they will be put to death if the forts resume firing. This is said to account for the cessation of hostilities for the past 24 hours.

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The French troops continue their energetic campaign in the recapture after 44 years waiting of points in Alsace-Lorraine.

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Cholera is reported to have broken out among Austrian and Servian troops.

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German soldiers in Liege admit that their ammunition is about exhausted and that they fought for two days without food.

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French and British troops who have been rushing to the aid of the Belgians have now effected a junction with them at or near Liege.

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Naval battle reported in Adriatic sea between British fleet and German cruisers.

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German and Austrian troops are expected to join in battle against French soldiers on the Swiss frontier within a day or two.

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French and British troops have effected a junction with the Belgian army along the Belgian frontier, according to official Belgian reports.

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A Brussels report says the greater part of Luxembourg has been cleared of German invaders by the advancing French army.

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At Antwerp four German officers, wearing Belgian uniforms, were arrested yesterday.

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Oscar S. Straus of New York, now in London, sends message to American people declaring the present war will wipe out all European monarchies. He also says that the United States has a great opportunity to gather in the trade heretofore enjoyed by Germany and England.

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War experts in London give several reasons why the present conflict must be of short duration. The experts claim that it will be impossible for Germany to withstand a long war as she will be unable to obtain foodstuffs and that her army and people will be literally starved out.

NO GREAT BATTLE SO FAR FOUGHT IN EUROPE'S BIG WAR

BOTH COMBATANTS CLAIM VICTORY AT LIEGE--BELGIANS HOLD FORTS--GERMANS IN CITY

Military Men Regard All Estimates of Belligerents as Great Exaggerations--North Sea Now Closed to Fishers

London, Aug. 11.—No great battle has yet been fought on land or sea in the war of the seven nations, unless the German assaults upon the fortresses at Liege eventually will assure proportions of a battle in history. Both combatants claim victory there, with the Belgians still holding the forts, and the Germans, occupying the city, the situation is unique. There is no confirmation to the Daily Mail's report that the French have engaged the Germans and cut off their retreat, inflicting a loss of 8,000. The Belgians assert they have taken 8,000 prisoners on Belgian soil but military men regard all estimates by the belligerents as great exaggerations.

Apart from Liege, the fighting of the first week, when resolved to a proper perspective eventually, doubtless will be considered insignificant.

Brussels, Aug. 10.—The commander of the forts at Liege, according to official announcement, reports that all the forts are intact. The soldiers manning them are in good health and spirits, amply supplied with provisions and munitions. There is no cause for alarm.

London, Aug. 11.—The North Sea again is closed to fishing fleets. The harbormaster at Scarborough received a message from the admiralty today instructing him to tell masters that fishing vessels shall not go out until further notice.

The Dutch steamer Alcor of 2,000 tons, has been sunk here. She was bound from Rotterdam for Cronstadt, Russia. There is nothing to show whether she truck a mine or was hit by shell.

German Crew Held

A hundred and twenty Germans among the crew of the Red Star steamer Lapland, anchored insolvent, were taken off the vessel by the government tug and transferred to Portsmouth. Fifty Belgians among the crew also left the steamer returning to Belgium.

One of the most important developments in the eyes of experts is the general testimony that the German infantry formation is obsolete and ineffective against the weapons of today, and means enormous slaughter if retained.

Germany Plans to Crush France

France and Austria finally are officially at war, the ambassadors having left their respective capitals. The French government broke off diplomatic relations with Austria on the grounds that Austrian troops are reinforcing the Germans. Austria appears to have abandoned her advance on Servia for the time being and is apparently cooperating with Germany in the supposed strategy of attempting to crush France before Russia can mobilize. Financial conditions in England are returning to normal.

French Advance on Alsace

The French are advancing on Alsace, but against what opposition is not known.

The Belgian official view on the situation at Liege is that it is quite satisfactory. Strong forces guard all approaches to Brussels.

The Austrians before Servia are still bombarding Belgrade, while part of the Servian army has taken to the offensive in Bosnia. But a small part of the army, however, is believed to be engaged in these quarters. The German cruiser Karlsruhe, which arrived at San Juan, Porto Rico, reported an engagement Friday night off Bahamas with four British and one French cruiser.

Suffragettes Released

The French government forbids the publication of the French casualties list, so the Germans may not know of the movement of the French troops.

As a result of the war King George has ordered the release of all militant suffragettes serving terms in prison for breaches of peace. This announcement was made in the house of commons.

Paris, Aug. 10.—It was officially announced tonight that France has broken off diplomatic relations with Austria-Hungary. The French ambassador at Vienna has left the Austrian capital, and the Austro-Hungarian ambassador at Paris has asked for his papers.

In announcing the severing of relations, the French foreign office stated:

"Contrary to assurances given by Austria to the French minister of foreign affairs that no Austrian troops are taking part in the Franco-German war, the French government has ascertained beyond any possible doubt, that certain Austrian troops at present are in Germany outside of the Austrian frontier. These troops, which set free certain German troops destined to be employed in fighting the French, ought indubitably defacto and dejure to be considered as acting against France. In these circumstances the French ambassador has been ordered to leave Vienna.

"The Austrian ambassador at Paris on being informed of France's decision, asked for his passports."

It is reported from Belfort, that in view of the execution of French subjects by the Germans, seven prominent residents of German towns just over the frontier, have been taken by French soldiers and are being held as hostages.

New York, Aug. 10.—While incoming ocean liners have brought confirmation that foreign warships are cruising off the American-Atlantic coast, the strict censorship over cables leading from Bermuda perhaps kept hidden from public knowledge the fate of the North German Lloyd steamer Kranprinz Wilhelm which took 6,000 tons of coal out of this port under cover of darkness last week before battleship Florida began its enforcement of the neutrality laws.

Kronprinz Wilhelm Taken

The British cruiser Essex has captured the Kronprinz Wilhelm, and is taking her as a prize of war into Hamilton, Bermuda, according to wireless messages, declared to have been overheard at sea.

Port authorities have put into effect a more rigid enforcement of the neutrality laws almost simultaneously with the arrival of the Atlantic transport liner Minnetonka with her story of a warship, nationality unlearned, which pursued her during the closing hours of her voyage to American waters.

An embargo has been placed on wireless apparatus on every foreign ship in New York harbor. This step was taken after the authorities began to suspect that foreign cruisers at sea might be communicating with ships of their nationality in port.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Americans in Europe have about stopped clamoring to return home, according to today's reports to the state department from Ambassador Page at London. The ambassador cabled that while the steamers sailing Saturday for the United States carried 5,000 Americans, since the treasure cruiser started across the Atlantic, banks have begun advancing cash on demand, and many of those who first besieged the embassy with appeals for transportation express a willingness to remain indefinitely.

Secretary Garrison tonight estimated that the number of Americans stranded in Europe and really desiring to return home has dropped to 30,000. Garrison now is doubtful that it will be necessary to send vessels as the commercial lines appear able to care for all.

BELGIUM COVERED WITH NETWORK OF GERMAN SPIES

Brussels, Aug. 10.—Belgium has been covered with a network of German spies. Six hundred already have been arrested; a hundred spies were shot today. Some of these were captured wearing uniforms of gendarmes, civic guards, soldiers and officers of the Belgian army. Many were armed with bombs and revolvers; some were riding in automobiles bearing false numbers.

The war minister has issued a proclamation that every German and Austrian not declaring himself within 24 hours, will be considered as a spy. Since the Flanders provinces were placed under martial law two days ago over two thousand spies have been arrested.

London, Aug. 10.—The French ambassador at Vienna has asked for his passports, according to the London Daily Telegraph.

Paris, Aug. 10.—The Austrian ambassador, Count Szecsen von Temerin, left Paris tonight.

War Riot at Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 8.—Roused to a pitch of enthusiasm by the parading of troops and warlike speeches of street orators, a mob composed principally of young men, stoned the German and Austrian consulates and the German club here, shattering windows and doing considerable damage to interior furnishings. Police were called out and a guard placed about the Austrian consulate, but the German consulate and German club were closed indefinitely late last night.

Germans Die in Amphion Disaster.

London, Aug. 8.—The admiralty has issued the following: "In the course of reconnoitering the cruiser Amphion struck a mine. The fore part of the British ship was shattered by the explosion, and practically all of the loss to the crew ensued from this cause. All not killed by the explosion were taken off by the boats of the destroyers before the Amphion went down. Twenty German prisoners of war who were confined in the fore part of the ship were killed."

Austrians Bombard Antivari.

Rome, Aug. 10.—Austrian cruisers bombarded Antivari, Montenegro, destroying the wireless station, according to advices brought to Bari, near Brindisi by steamer. Two Austrian cruiser, it was stated, were engaged in the bombardment and besides the wireless several factories and the port warehouse were destroyed. The cruisers also directed their fire at a mountain where Montenegrins had taken refuge. Later they departed toward Cattaro.

Canada Ousts German Consuls.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug 10.—As a means to prevent information of war preparations leaking out of the country, the Canadian government ordered German and Austrian consuls and aliens of their nationality to leave the dominion. German reservists in Canada are being placed under arrest. It is said they will be assembled under guard in a camp and held until the close of the war. Armed guards have been assigned for the protection of all the railroad bridges of the country.

Laredo, Tex., Aug. 10.—Carranza today left San Luis Potosi for Queratarc to take command of the entire constitutionalist army, according to a report from San Luis Potosi.

Mexico City, Aug. 10.—Indications today pointed to a speedy end to the anomalous situation in which Mexico has found herself since the enforced resignation of Huerta.

The reins of government, it is believed, will be peacefully transferred to the constitutionalist government, while the federal army of over 40,000 men march out of the capital to a southern city, there to await developments after offering their services to the new government in exchange for guarantees. If the latter is not forthcoming, federal army leaders insinuate they will combat the new administration.

To carry out the new plan, provisional President Carbajal will turn over the government to Eduardo Iturbide, governor of the federal district and head of the rurales.

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"Never again," was the conclusion of a story told by a young bridegroom of a month, after he related his efforts to please his bride by fulfilling her every wish.

Sitting in his office a few days after the wedding he received a telephone call which was something like this: "Dearie, I do so hate to trouble you, but I have run out of lace for that dress I was making, and I can't finish it until I have another yard. Can't you stop at the store and get some as you come home—Oh, I can tell you what it is like—just four leaves, then a sprig, then four leaves, then a sprig, and so on—it's just two threads over an inch wide."

He hung up the receiver and mopped his brow. He walked by the store twice, finally entered and approached the lace counter. She was pretty, but he had been married only a week and was busy repeating in his mind: "four leaves, then a sprig."

"Well, after looking at 500 samples of lace, I got it, but—"—Indianapolis News.

Where It Counts.

"Aunt Dinah, are you going to have 'obey' eliminated from the ceremony?"

"No, chile; but I sho is gwinter hab it 'liminated from de matrimony."—Puck.

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NATIONS' POWER IN AIR COMPARED

Supremacy of European States in Newest Fighting May Be Decided.

FIGURES ARE OF INTEREST

France and Russia Said to Outclass Austria and Germany, to Say Nothing of Great Britain, Sure to Be Factor.

AERIAL WAR STRENGTH OF NATIONS OF WORLD.

	Dirigibles.	Aeroplanes.	Aero-hydroplanes.	Total.
France	15	745	35	795
Russia	15	680	25	720
Germany	13	540	20	573
Great Britain	1	85	140	226
Italy	12	210	45	150
Austria	8	130	12	150
China	..	43	6	49
Roumania	..	45	..	45
Greece	..	40	5	45
Spain	3	36	7	46
Belgium	4	39	2	45
Japan	3	24	8	35
United States	1	19	16	30
Turkey	2	18	..	18
Servia	..	18	..	18
Sweden	..	5	10	15
Norway	..	11	2	13
Holland	1	11	1	12
Denmark	..	4	7	11
Brazil	..	4	7	11
Bulgaria	..	8	..	8
Chile	..	7	..	7
Mexico (Const.)	..	6	..	6
Argentina	..	6	..	6
Portugal	..	4	..	4

The first war of the air is to be fought in Europe. The supremacy of Europe, perhaps of the entire world, may be decided for many years to come before the conflict ends, writes E. Percey Noel, editor of Aero and Hydro. In this the aeroplane and the dirigible will play spectacular parts. To say that, combined, they can swing victory into defeat, or defeat to victory, would probably not be too extravagant, yet the real value of aero equipment of the most complete and efficient kind available remains to be learned by actual service. Which nation's aerial forces will prove the strongest can only be guessed.

Numerically, France and Russia combined are stronger aerially than Austria and Germany united. The great air battles will, undoubtedly, be between these countries: France and Germany opposed, Russia opposed to Austria and Germany, with Servia's small equipment on the defense against Austria. Great Britain's aero-hydroplanes, land machines and dirigibles probably will not cross the channel for land fighting.

England to Be a Factor.

In the naval battles we shall see the aerohydros of France and England united against the smaller equipment of Germany and Austria, with Russia's principal hydro equipment close to her own shores on coast defense duty.

France is, undoubtedly, supreme as far as her numerical strength of land machines is concerned. She could, within a few months, add to her present quota of 745 land machines, 250 to 400 others and the pilots to man them. But Russia's equipment of 680 land machines could not be increased by privately owned planes, as aeroplane ownership in Russia is a government monopoly. Germany could add 200 machines and pilots to her total of 450 land machines within a short time; but little increase could be made in Austria's 130.

Total Strength of Three, 1,443.

The total strength of France, Russia and Servia combined in land machines is at the present 1,443. Germany's and Austria's is less than one-half as great—670. It must be borne in mind that these figures include all flyable machines owned by the government, and many of them are old rebuilt machines that were new from three to four years ago, but they are none the less serviceable for some purpose. There are more old machines in the French equipment than in any other country. Russia's equipment being the newest.

Germany's dirigible strength is the greatest, and Austria's is very important. Ten Zeppelins were recently ordered by the latter country, but have not been delivered. Combined the dirigible forces of Austria and Germany total at least 26. These include two Zeppelins in Austria and eight in Germany, varying in cubic meter capacity from 17,700 to 22,000.

French Dirigibles Fast.

France has an excellent fleet of dirigibles, however, some of them being exceedingly fast, and besides holding the dirigible speed record, French military dirigibles hold the world's duration record—35 hours and 19 minutes. This record was recently made by the 9,000 cubic meter L'Adjutant Vincenot, breaking the record of 34 hours 59 minutes previously held by a Zeppelin of 22,000 cubic meters' capacity.

But France lacks the weight carrying dirigibles of Germany, having but one of the Zeppelin type—the Spiess.

Just how powerful the combined airship fleet of Germany and Austria will prove can only be a matter of conjecture, but the first spectacular event of the war, the destruction of a Zeppelin by Roland Garros, the pilot who flew in Chicago in 1911, augurs ill for the success of these monster dirigible balloons in actual warfare.

Needless to say, no one knows—even nations whose spies are supposed to get the information—how many military machines of one form or another are now in commission for actual war service. The only really practical way to estimate the aero strength of nations is to follow the aero-military progress of each country as close as possible through every available source of information for three or four years, week to week and day to day.

It is impossible to give the figures baldly after a few days' research. And it is very amusing to read the various statements on this gripping subject, and to note the guesses made in various quarters.

If we sum up the qualities of the various aeroplane fleets, we will find that France has the largest, but that a number of old machines are included.

On the other hand we find in Germany an unusually high percentage of up-to-date machines in the aeroplane corps. The pilots are well trained, hardened men, if we are to judge them by their exploits and the tests that they must pass to obtain their brevets.

Russia has an equipment consisting of fully 90 per cent of machines, not more than two years old, and her daring officer-pilots fly like veritable Cossacks of the air.

Austrian aviators have recently distinguished themselves and won much credit for their excellent work, which previous to the Vienna meeting, was not highly appreciated. Yet Austria's pilots and aeroplane equipment are not considered to be of the highest class, but that they will prove potent in the present emergency is, however, certain.

GERMAN WAR BALLOONS FOLLOWING ARMY

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Selfish American Woman Has $3,000 for Passage Home and Demands Conveyance.

Paris.—There has perhaps been no better indication of the unselfishness and charity with which Americans generally have accepted the hard lot imposed on them than the exceptonal conduct of one woman at the embassy and the retort which Major Henry felt himself justified in making to her.

The woman, of middle age and well dressed, stormed into the embassy and loudly demanded that some means be found immediately for her conveyance home. She announced that she had 15,000 francs in cash and insisted on it being used to insure her transportation.

"Very well," said Major Henry, "you can take your 15,000 francs and go outside and share it with those Americans who have not even the money to buy a piece of bread."

FIRST LADY OF THE LAND DIES AT WASHINGTON

END COMES TO MRS. WOODROW WILSON WHILE FAMILY SURROUNDS BEDSIDE LATE IN THE AFTERNOON.

PRESIDENT COMPLETELY UNNERVED BY THE SHOCK

All Washington Silenced and Wheels of Government Cease for Awhile —Both Branches of Congress Adjourn — First Death at Mansion in 20 Years.

Washington, Aug. 7.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the president of the United States, died at the White House. Death came after a brave struggle of months against Bright's disease, with complications.

President's Grief Heartrending.

The president was completely unnerved by the shock and his grief was heartrending. He bore up well under the strain, however, and devoted himself to his daughters.

A Turn for the Worse.

The end came while Mrs. Wilson was unconscious. Her illness took a turn for the worse shortly before 1 o'clock in the afternoon and from then on she grew gradually weaker.

Kneeling at the bedside at the end were the president and their three daughters, Dr. Carey T. Grayson, U. S. N., and a nurse were in the room and just outside a door where Secretary McAdoo and Francis B. Sayre, Mr. Wilson's sons-in-law, and Mr. Tumulty, his secretary.

Houses of Congress Adjourn.

Both houses of congress adourned when Mrs. Wilson's death was announced and for a brief time the wheels of the government practically stopped while everyone paid respect to the loss of the president.

The beginning of the end came at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, when Dr. E. P. Davis of Philadelphia, who had been called in for consultation, realized that the time for hope had passed. He took the president into the Red room of the White House and there, in a broken voice, told him the truth. Mr. Wilson's face blanched, but he bore the shock well. He was informed the end was only a question of hours.

President Informs Family.

Mr. Wilson then took his daughters, Mrs. McAdoo, Mrs. Sayre and Miss Margaret Wilson, aside and told them of their mother's condition. Until then they had thought there was a chance for her recovery. From that time on the president and his daughters remained constantly at Mrs. Wilson's bedside. The president held his wife's hand and the three daughters were grouped nearby. Until she became unconscious, Mrs. Wilson frequently nodded to one or the other and smiled cheerfully.

"Promise me," she whispered faintly, "that if I go you will take care of my husband—" It was the same touch of devotion which she had so many times repeated—her constant anxiety having been that the president might not worry about her or be disturbed in his official tasks.

Many Telegraph Sympathy.

Three telegraph operators were kept busy at the White House last night receiving telegrams of sympathy from all parts of the country. The messages came from men prominent in politics, business and official life and from many who had no personal acquaintance with the president or Mrs. Wilson, but wanted to express their sorrow over his bereavement.

News Kept From Public.

The news of the seriousness of her illness was kept from the public until Wednesday when it was admitted that her chances of recovery were slight. Her condition continued to grow worse. Dr. Grayson gave out a statement in which he described her illness as "alarming."

Dr. Grayson gave out another statement in which he said that Mr. Wilson had had two sinking spells during the morning and that she was unconscious but growing weaker. This was the last word to come before her death.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.

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Pat was servant of a farmer, and in his charge was a donkey which was kept to amuse his employer's children.

The donkey was following the farmer's wife round the yard one day, and the farmer, turning to Pat, said:

"I think that donkey is taking a liking to my wife."

"Och," said Pat, "shure and it's not the first donkey that's took a liking to her, sir."

Some Weather.

College boys who put money in their purses by toil in Kansas wheat fields will not be discouraged by this story: "I think I smell burning meat," said the farmer, as he paused for a moment in the harvest field to mop his brows. "You do," said the raw harvest hand, wearily, as he stooped to get a couple more sheaves of golden grain. "The burning meat you smell is my liver frying. It is overdone." And with that the young fellow spat on a grasshopper and scalded it to death."—Atlanta Constitution.

Found Task a Hard One.

Whether a boy's ears belong to his face or his neck has always been a matter of washing convenience to the boy. One of two boys on a street car evidently had been told to wash his face, for his companion remarked: "You're all dirty back of your ears."

"Aw, I ain't either," remonstrated the accused.

"Well, you don't have to believe me," said the other; "you just look and see."

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For violations of the law that prohibits the confinement of live stock for more than 28 hours without unloading for feed, water, and rest one railroad has been fined $4,700. This total represents the penalties in 21 cases against the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Co. In addition, costs of $30.20 had to be paid by the railroad for two of the cases.

In addition to the above announcement, the Department of Agriculture has just issued notice of a total fine of $1,250 in six cases against the Pennsylvania Co. for violation of the same law. The total costs in the six cases were $29.70.

The Church Gaines on Booze.

In 1906, brewery and distillery activity was more than two and a half times as great as church building activity. In 1912 church building activity was five times as great as that of its rival. While in four months in 1913, ten times as much money went into new churches as into breweries. Let us thank God and take courage to press the fight to a finish.—The Minnesota White Ribbon.

And that's what we are doing in Mnnesota NOW, with the splendid White Ribboners leading the onslaught. The "Minnesota Dry NOW" slogan is setting the prairies afire with enthusiasm in the good old North Star state. On this issue, candidates for the legislature will be elected or defeated. The votes in November will tell the tale. If the people of Minnesota mean what they say when they shout for a dry state, they will have to prove it at the ballot box in votes for legislative candidates who will pass a statutory Prohibition bill. The Minnesota house and Senate will be the scenes of battle next winter on this issue.

When you finish looking over the paper this week and throw it down in disgust because there is nothing in it and then cuss the editor for his lack in furnishing you local news as he is supposed to do, just stop to think of the matters of interest you could have written about. Perhaps there are many interesting events transpiring the past week, but if there has been it is impossibible to find out about them. We have buttonholed every one we met and begged and pleaded for news items only to be told that "there's nothing doing." Farmers are to busy to come to town, merchants are sitting around rejoicing that the farmers are busy, knowing that it means good times in the fall and other citizens are busy trying to keep cool. There is only one birth to record and it is too hot for anybody to die or get married. Social activities are at a standstill and everything is so dull that a dog fight would be of interest.—Fairchild Observer.

We have been enjoying some very cool weather the past week.

P. C. Rosand of Mud Lake was a pleasant caller at this office, while in town, Tuesday.

We appreciate the money received on subscriptions and could use some more to advantage.

God must love the common people for He has made so many of them. —Abraham Lincoln.

Now is a good time to cut and pull the weeds that ornament our streets and alleys and a few of the highways leading into town.

Both elevators are fixing up and getting ready for the fall trade. Mr. Jones has also been doing some grading and other work in and around the lumber yard of Hanson & Barzen.

The young men of Holt will be hosts at an entertainment and luncheon to be held under the auspices of the Young Peoples Society, in the Free Evangelical Mission church on Sunday afternoon, August 16th, 1914. Everybody welcome, everybody come.

Rollis Rumbles

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert of Veldt visited the Warner's last Sunday.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Micheal Leirn a week ago last Saturday.

The barley harvest has commenced and the shocks are so thick you can scarcely drive between them.

J. J. Kelley was a Grygla visitor last week. Billy Junior and C. Frisco are running an oil pull for him in that part of the country.

Misses Kelley, Warner and Batterson were out berrying with Mr. Glacken this week. They found lots of red raspberries but no blue berries.

The Owney Bros, who have contracted for the ditch between the towns of Mud Lake and Whiteford have completed the first half mile. They are moving their camp from Lewie Shagtum's to Robert Stilles' land this week. Jacob Anderson has contracted for one half mile of the above ditch.

The school board of Dist. No. 151 of Whitford let a contract to Charles Hanson for erecting a new school house. The consideration is $2045. It is to be built according to the state plan No. 2 and is to be ready for use by Oct. 1. The site was purchased of John Anderson aud Axel Thompson, and consists of two acres, one from each farm.

Southeast Of Holt.

Oscar and Arthur Gutterud visited with the Moe boys Sunday.

O. G. Olsen spent Sunday with his uncle, Christian Reichilt.

A number of young people spent Sunday evening at Larson's. They report an enjoyable time.

Miss Ida Dahlman of Alvarado has been visiting friends and relatives in this locality for a few days.

Several people are seen out berry-picking now-a-days. The cherries seem quite plentiful this year.

Bernhard Larson of Golden Valley is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Quindloy and daughters Helga and Agnes, John Chapman and his son L Grand spent Sunday at Gutterud's.

Harvesting is in full blast these days. During the warm weather the rust seems to have done quite a lot of damage to some of the grain.

Matilda Wendt called at Larson's Sunday.

Oscar Gutterud spent Sunday P. M. at Schuarts.

John Fasthouse called on Carl Gutterid Sunday afternoon.

Miss Olgo Larson made a business trip to T. R. Falls Monday.

Farmers in this locality are making preparations for the harvest season.

Mrs. Thomas Saastad and Lou Christian of Ringbo spent Sunday at Larson's.

Miss Ida Guttenid spent Sunday visiting her sister Alma at the Steven's dredge.

Mrs. S. Moe and children (Gunda, Marvel and Arthur) called at Gutterud's Sunday P. M.

The Ladies Aid of the Free church will meet at the Knute Ose home on Thursday Aug. 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hansen and children spent Sunday at the C. Larson home of Golden Valley.

The Misses Clara and Ragna Larson went to Golden Valley last Tuesday for a visit with relative.

Clarence Larson of Golden Valley passed through here enrout to Crookston on a business trip the last of the week.

The "squatting" on the Mud Lake bottom seems to be of great interest to people on Route No. 2. and vicinity.

Carl Christophersen has resigned his possession on the Steven's Dredge and is residing as one of the "squatters" on the Mud Lake bottom.

This paper is only one dollar a year if paid strictly in advance. Otherwise we shall be obliged to make the price one twenty-five.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1.50
Wheat	.94
Barley d	.48
Oats	.31
Rye	.62
Flour, Best Patent	3.30

Take this paper, only one dollar a year.

The country people can save coin by trading in Holt.

Bring us just all the news you possibly can. It will be appreciated.

For Holt first, last and all the time, should be the slogan of everybody.

Ed. M. Silbaugh commenced work, Wednesday, on the cellar for his new store building, which will be 24x38 16 foot posts.

Several new binders have been taken out by the farmers this week and there are still more going to be bought.

Several weeks ago we advised the old bachelors to get married. Had they token our advice they would now have some one to hold down their Mud Lake claim.

We wonder how many of our subscribers realize that it takes money to run a paper and that we need what is due us to meet our accounts. Please bear this in mind when next you are in town.

A stranger here, by the name of Ben Anderson, had a runaway late last Thursday night. The horses were stopped before any damage was done but the lady with him fainted from fright.

BUILDERS' NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the school board of Dist. No. 61, of Marshall County, Minn., will receive sealed bids at the Holt State Bank, up to 2 o'clock p. m., August 20th, 1914, for building a one room school house, contractor to furnish all material.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the above bank.

Building must be ready for occupancy not later than Oct. 1st, 1914. If bidders consider this time to limited they may state in their bids the shortest time in which they can finish school house.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Holt, Minn., August 5, 1914.

By order of School Board.
August Nase,
Dist. Clerk.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land office at Crookston, Minnesota, August 4, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Olga C. Larson, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who on June 4th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08035, for Lots 1 and 2, Section 17, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 8th day of September, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Bernard Larson,
Oscar Odie,
Clarence Larson,
Jacob Gabrielson all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Dr. J. C. R. CHAREST
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office in Union Block
Thief River Falls - - Minn.

CHARLES A. PITKIN
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LOANS PROBATE WORK COLLECTION
O. A. NAPLIN
Attorney-at-Law
Evenson Block
Thief River Falls, - - Minn.

KNUTE NELSON
Uuited states Commissioner, Distric of Minnesota
Final Proofs and Homestead Entries carefully attended to.
Middle River, - - - Minnesota.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, July 16, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ole S. Kirkelie, of Germantown, Minn., who on June 26, 1911 made homestead entry, Serial 06349, for SW quarter Section 8, Township 155N., Range 41 W., 5th principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner, for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesoto, on the 24th day of August 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson, Olaf G. Tharaldson, and Alexander Magee all of Germantown, Minn. and Salve G. Tharaldson of Holt, Minn.

Proof to be made under law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, July 1, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Johanna Malone Nelson, a widow of Martin A. Nelson, deceased, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on October 5th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05663, for N½ SW¼ & SE¼ NW¼ & NW¼ SE¼, Section 28, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridan has filed notice of intetition to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 14th, day of August, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:
John O. Foss, Peter Ostlund, of Golden Valley, Minnesota. Thomas Sten, A. H. Huseth, of Holt Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

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Every sack Guaranteed
Our Elevator and Lumber Yard are always prepared to give the most satisfactory service.
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.,
A. R. JONES, Agent, - - HOLT, MINN.

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Successor to "The Northern Light"
VOL. IV. HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY, AUGUST 21, 1914 NO. 5

The Bank Of Consistent Assistance!
We are now favored with 65 per cent of the volume of banking business transacted, season of 1913 and our business is steadily growing. The time for serious reflection is at hand and we urge caution in the selection of your banking connection for the coming season. It is wise and proper that you place yourself in the path of opportunity by identifying yourself with this Bank while the moving is good. Safety guaranteed and highest interest paid depositors.
We Play No Favorites
We play no favorites among our patrons but we aim to be helpful to all. When you become a depositor of this bank you are assured of the same banking advantages as the richest man who is on our books, your interests watched with the same conscientious care. To assist you is our policy. In addition to offering you the best of banking facilities we make personal financial service a confidential feature of our work. If we know what you want to accomplish we are on the lookout for ways to help you and are ready and willing at all times to advise you on all financial matters.
Farmers' State Bank of Holt.
LARS BACKE, President
S. S. KOLDEN, Vice President - B. L. BACKE, Cashier
The Pioneer Bank Officials of Holt

Southeast Of Holt.

Silas Torgerson called on Jacob [illegible], Sunday.

Myrtle Nelson of Thief River Falls is working for Mrs. H. P. Peterson.

[illegible] home Sunday afternoon.

Gunder Brokke is working for Tallao Ose, during the harvest season.

Ludwig Olsen visited at the Gilbert Michaelson home Sunday afternoon.

Ethel Nustuold spent a few days visiting friends in T. R. Falls last week.

Mrs. Herman Wang and daughter Katharine of Grand Forks are guests at the home of her parents, G. Skomedahl and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Olsen Listol and children Hjalman and Selma, spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olsen.

Several people from this locality attended the Young People's Society which was given at the new church in Holt Sunday afternoon.

Allen Adolphson and Alfred Hansen are breaking, for Peter Michaelson, with their gas tractor. That's right, make this country look more [illegible].

Mrs. Carl Christopherson and children of T. R. Falls spent a few days visiting with friends and relatives in this locality the latter part of last week.

Correspondents Wanted.

We wish to secure correspondents for The Holt Weekly News from as many neighboring townships and postoffices as possible. Anyone who are interested should write to this office at once for further particulars. We will make it both interesting for you and worth your while. Represent your district by telling the newspaper what the people are doing.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1.47
Wheat	.96
Barley d	.47
Oats	.32
Rye	.64
Flour, Best Patent	3.20

Mud Lake Bottom To Be Opened?

Elsewhere we publish a notice about Mud Lake bottom being opened for homestead entry, and give herewith [illegible] to our readers, as follows:

That when any of the agricultural lands on said reservation not allotted under this act nor reserved for the future use of said Indians have been surveyed, the Secretary of the Interior shall give thirty days' notice through at least one newspaper published at Saint Paul and Crookston, in the State of Minnesota, at the expiration of thirty days, the said agricultural lands so surveyed, shall be disposed of by the Uneted States to actual settlers only under the provision of the homestead law: Provided

That each settler under and in accordance with the provisions of said homestead laws shall pay to the United States for the land so taken by him the sum of one dollar and twenty-five cents for each and every acre in five equal annual payments, and shall be entitled to a patent their for only at the expiration of five years from the date of entry, according to said homestead laws, and after the full payment of said one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre therefor, and due proof of occupancy for said period of five years; and any conveyance of said lands so taken as a homestead, or any contract touching the same, prior to the date of final entry, shall be null and void: Provided —That nothing in this act shall be held to authorize the sale or other disposal under its provision of any tract upon which there is a subsisting valid, pre-emption or homestead entry, but any such entry shall be proceeded with under the regulations and decisions in force at the date of its allowance and if found regular and and valid, patents shall issue thereon etc.

The Holt Mercantile Co. is having dirt hauled to fill in the cellar below their store. They will put a cement floor in the basement and have a doorway leading directly from the store into it, Crockery stoneware and many other things will be kept in the basement, which will virtually make it a store of two floors.

Local Items

Get your meals at the hotel. adv.

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Dr. R. L. Olson autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

C. F. Bjerkland of Mud Lake was here on business, Wednesday.

Sam Mickelson is siding the addition to his restaurant building.

A. R. Jones was an over Sunday visitor of his family at Crookston.

Mrs. Greslee of Middle River visited Mrs. Sam Mickelson, Tuesday.

The G. N. is plowing its right of way to protect the farmers from fire.

Ernest Silbaugh went to Dakota Saturday to work during the threshing season.

N. Engebretson looked after some business in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

A storm Monday morning blew down several of the shacks on Mud Lake bottoms.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Rierson went to Hendrum Saturday for a short visit with relatives.

Henry Olen took in a load of rye, of the new crop, from P. G. Satter on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Eric Johnson returned from Thief Tiver Falls Tuesday where she had dental work done.

[illegible] for T. R. Falls, Tuesday, where she had some dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden went to Maple Bay Saturday for an over Sunday visit with relatives.

Oscar Hanson, Henry Oien, and Clarence Kolden made a flying trip to Mud Lake Sunday Afternoon.

Little Ida Rierson returned Saturday from an extended visit with her sister Mrs. Andrew Ness east of Thief River Falls.

Miss Agnes Gunderson returned to Crookston Monday after a few days pleasant visit with friends in and near Holt.

Sollom Bros. and C. W. Latta are building a sidewalk in front of the vacant lot, lying between the store and butcher shop.

John Alkenbrack went to Grand Plain Saturday evening, returning here Sunday accompanied by his wife, who will visit at the home of J. B. Alkenbrack.

Mrs. John Folstad went to Saint Hiliare Tuesday, and their daughter Miss Nellie, accompanied by three young lady friends, came up here to keep house for her father.

A new harvest hand arrived at the home of Mr. anh Mrs. J. M. Ryan on Monday morning Aug. 17th all are doing well and congratulations are extended to the fond parents.

Theodore Monson of Gatzke visited his brother, Ludwig and family, Sunday. Miss Bessie Monson who had recently returned from a visit at Crookston, accompanied her brother to Gatzke.

Axel Nelson of Mud Lake accompanied by S. Swenkeson autoed into town Tuesday evening and transacted business here Wednesday. They report crops as being fine out in their country.

A son-in-law of Ed. Warner's recently shipped him a fine bull dog from Canada. The duty was $5.00 and the express almost as much, but Mr. Warner thinks the dog is worth that and more too.

In Church Circles.

A big crowd turned out to attend the Ladies' Aid at Ben Docken's on Wednesday.

Rev. M. B. Ordall preached Sunday fornoon in the Lutheran church to a good size crowd.

Preaching services at Eric A. Johnson's Sunday Aug. 23rd at 3 o'clock in the afte noon by M. T. Strom.

Commencing Sunday Aug. 30th. Sunday School will be held in the Free Mission Church at 10-30 o'clock every forenoon.

The Ladie's Aid of the Free Mission Church will meet in the basement of the church on Friday Afternoon Aug. 28th Mrs R. L. Olson will entertain. Every body invited.

Free Mission Church Opening

Last Sunday Aug. 16th occurred an event which young and old have looked forward to with great anticipation, (The opening of the Free Mission Church.) After hard work and sacrifices on the part of young and old, their hopes have materialized in the form of a modest and commodious edifice for the preaching of the gospel. The day was a perfect one and people from Holt and vicinity responded to the invitation to come and enjoy the fruits of their labors. The services were opened by congregational singing, followed by prayer by M. T. Strom, afterwhich the choir rendered a fine selection. Rev. Larson preached in English from a text found in the gospel of St. John which he handled [illegible] After [illegible] services a short program was given by the young people consisting of selections by the choir, a solo by Mrs. Huseth, a reading by Miss C. Saastad and a song by six little girls, all of which was enjoyed and appreciated by every one present.

The congregation consisting of about 150 people were then conducted with chairs in hand to the basement of the church to partake of a repast, prepared by the young men and assisted by the young ladies of the town and vicinity. The menu consisted of two kinds of sandwichs several kinds of cake, coffee and ice cream. This was also enjoyed by all which not only satisfied the inner man but gave a heart satisfaction because of the fact that this little army of young people were desirous of promoting and maintaining an institution which stands for progress and righteousness. We hope this little church will grow and prosper, and it will as long as brotherly love and good will prevails.

Elmer Sollom drove to Mud Lake Tuesday, with Mesdames M. A. Nelson, E. M. Silbaugh, Adolph Sollom, B. L. Backe and her mother Mrs. Thomas and sister Miss Myrtle Thomas.

Can anyone tell us why the war should raise the price on any kinds of foodstuffs, exceppt sugar? President Wilson has appointed a commission to enquire into these things, with the result that prices are already weaking.

Large tract of good valley farming land just thrown open for free settlement in Oregon. Over 200,000 acres in all. Good climate, rich soil, and does not require irrigation to raise finest crops of grain, fruit and garden truck. For large map, full instructions and information, and a plat of several sections of exceptionally good claims, send $3.40 to John Keefe, Oregon City, Oregon Three years a U. S. surveyor and timberman. An opportunity to get a good fertile free homestead near town and market. 829

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Everything in Merchandise
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Some business men make the claim it does not pay to adverjise because the people don't read advertisements. However we beleive that everyone will know inside of 24 hours, that this space is for sale at 20 cents an inch, because they will read This Advertisement as You have done.

New Dray Line!
All kinds of Light and Heavy Hauling and Team Work done Promptly and at Reasonable Prices.
John Alkenbrack - Holt, Minn.

Japan Ready to Declare War; Germany Still the Aggressor

JAP ULTIMATUM TO GERMANY TO RESULT IN WAR

KAISER TOLD TO EVACUATE FAR EAST BEFORE SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, OR ACTION WILL BE TAKEN TO ENFORCE DEMANDS.

"FORCED TO ACT" CONTENDS INSPIRED TOKIO REPORT

Position of Great Britain Is Upheld by Ally—Seizure of English Merchant Vessels in Seas of Eastern Asia by Germans Are Arguments Offered to Justify Action Taken.

Tokio, Aug. 18.—Japan has sent an ultimatum to Germany demanding the withdrawal of German warships from the Orient and the evacuation of Kiau-Chau and giving Germany until Sunday, Aug. 23, to comply with the demand. Otherwise, the ultimatum states, Japan will take action.

War Is Expected.

The general expectation here is that the ultimatum will be followed by war.

Takaaki Kato, the Japanese foreign minister, simultaneously with the dispatch of the ultimatum, conferred with George W. Guthrie, the American ambassador and made to him a broad statement calculated to assure the United States that American interests in the Far East would be safeguarded and the integrity of China upheld.

Sent by Six Channels.

Owing to doubts whether communications with Berlin were assured, Japan, in order to insure the arrival of the ultimatum, forwarded it to Berlin by six channels, including Washington, London and Stockholm. The government also notified Count Von Reed, German ambassador to Japan, and likewise retarded the time limit for a reply until Aug. 23.

Count Okuma, the Japanese premier, invited the peers, the newspaper men and the leading business men of Tokio to come to his office at noon, at four, and at six o'clock in the afternoon, respectively, when he might make known to them the terms of the ultimatum and announced that he would give out the negotiations in connection with the alliance.

The Ultimatum.

The ultimatum follows:

"We consider it highly important and necessary in the present situation to take measures to remove the causes of all disturbances of the peace in the Far East and so safeguard the general interests as contemplated by the agreement of alliance between Japan and Great Britain.

"In order to secure a firm and enduring peace in eastern Asia, the establishment of which is the aim of the said agreement, the imperial Japanese government sincerely believes it to be its duty to give the advice to the imperial German government to carry out the following two propositions:

"First—To withdraw immediately from Japanese and Chinese waters, German men-of-war and armed vessels of all kinds and to disarm at once those which cannot be so withdrawn.

"Second—To deliver on a date not later than Sept. 15. to the imperial Japanese authorities without condition or compensation the entire leased territory of Kiau-Chau with a view to the eventual restoration of the same to China.

August 23 Date Set.

"The imperial Japanese government announces at the same time that in the event of it not receiving by noon on Aug. 23, 1914, an answer from the imperial German government signifying its unconditional acceptance of the above advice offered by the imperial Japanese government, Japan will be compelled to take such action as she may deem necessary to meet the situation."

Inspired utterances express regret at the inability to maintain neutrality, but say that Great Britain, the ally of Japan, is compelled to defend herself against the aggressions of Germany. Moreover, it is pointed out that Germany is making preparations day and night at Kiau-Chau where it is storing provisions, while its warships are scouring the seas of eastern Asia to the great detriment of commerce and that its converted cruisers are seizing English merchant vessels.

Such actions, it is argued, are directly calculated to disturb the peace of eastern Asia and accordingly, after full and frank communication with Britain, Japan has found herself compelled to send an ultimatum to Germany.

FRENCH RESERVISTS LEAVE NEW YORK

Scene at New York as the liner La Lorraine sailed away with 1,100 French reservists. Above, some of the young men saying farewell to their sweethearts.

WAR SEEN IN BRIEF.

Japan sends ultimatum to Germany demanding that Germany withdraw her warships from the Orient and evacuate Kiau-Chau by August 23 or she will take action. War between these nations seems inevitable.

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Japan assures the United States she has no desires for territorial aggrandizement and that American and Chinese interests will be safeguarded. Japan further proposes to return to China Tsing-Tau.

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British troops in China have been instructed to hold themselves in readiness for transportation.

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Diplomatic circles at Washington learn that the allies have given Japan practically a free hand to clear the Pacific and Far East of Germans.

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Despite the repeated repulses which they have suffered, the German batallions continue to move forward on the great line of battle.

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The invaders are sweeping along the valley of the Meuse, south of Namur and have reached Dinant, where part of a strong French force, which is established behind that town, took the offensive and defeated them.

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Late dispatches report an offensive movement by the French from Luneville to Saareburg, but this is considered as yet merely an outpost affair.

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Russia has demanded that Turkey grant unrestricted passage to her Black sea fleet through the Dardanelles. Passage through the Dardanelles has long been denied to the warships of any nation by treaty.

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The Netherlands are determined to enforce strict neutrality.

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The German government has tendered to the United States a Hamburg-American liner to fly the stars and stripes, to bring the American refugees now in Germany, home.

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Reports reaching England of probable purchase by Americans of a great German fleet of merchant ships causes worry to the allies. It is said that citizens of the United States would solve the food problem for Germany.

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A state of siege has been proclaimed in Bulgaria.

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The United States cruisers Tennessee and North Carolina, bearing gold for the relief of Americans in Europe, have arrived at Falmouth.

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The Dutch steamer Kinderijk collides with a British torpedo boat and is damaged. Some of her crew were hurt and others are reported missing.

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Servian victories over the Austrians are reported particularly at Nish and along the Danube river, where the Austrians tried to pierce the Servian lines.

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It is predicted at Washington that the expected struggle between Japan and Germany will be a military one rather than a naval.

JAPAN SENDS NOTE TO U. S.

ASSURES AMERICAN INTERESTS WILL BE SAFEGUARDED.

Promises "Eventual Restoration to China" of Kaiu Chau Territory—a Grave Development.

Washington, Aug. 18.—The Japanese ambassador, Baron Chinde, delivered to Secretary Bryan the written announcement of Japan that an ultimatum had been addressed to Germany requesting the latter's withdrawal from her field of activity in China.

At the same time he communicated the assurances of Japan to the United States that the utmost endeavor would be exercised to safeguard the interests of this country and all others not immediately concerned in the present operations.

The United States, it became known after Baron Chinda's call on Mr. Bryan, does not intend to be drawn in any way into the controversy, regarding it as a matter purely between Germany and Japan. The American government considers satisfactory the promise of Japan of "eventual restoration to China" of the territory of Kaiu Chau.

Baron Chinda's conference with the secretary of state was held at Mr. Bryan's residence. The ambassador presented a communication from the foreign office at Tokio, which embodied the substance of the ultimatum and added a strong statement concerning Japan's purposes of maintaining the territorial integrity of the Chinese Republic by restoring to her the territory of Kaiu Chau, originally taken from China by Germany as an act of reprisal for the killing of German missionaries.

While the statement made no direct reference to the United States, it gave assurance in general that the interests of all powers interested in maintaining the territorial status-quo in the Far East would be protected to the utmost.

The news of Japan's ultimatum to Germany was received by officials here as one of the gravest developments in the war situation, bringing for the first time the great military power of the Far East into a range of conflict heretofore held within Europe.

The situation in the Far East has, for several days, been regarded by officials as a delicate one.

BIG RUSSIAN BATTLE IS NEAR

London, Aug. 17.—Reports are coming in of fierce skirmishing on the Russo-German frontier. The Austrians are said to have been badly defeated in Northeastern Galicia.

These events indicate that the huge eastern armies of Germany and Austria will soon be at death grips with Russia's mighty forces.

The sooner the eastern conflict commences the better it will be for the allies in the West, where the main German advance is developing into a great flanking movement in Belgium, which, despite repeated repulses by the heroic defenders, would seem to threaten Antwerp and Brussels.

FRENCH VICTORY; GERMAN ARMY IS PUSHING AHEAD

REPORT OF BATTLE OF DINANT, BELGIUM, IS OFFICIALLY CONFIRMED BY PARIS AND LONDON DISPATCHES.

LOCATES FRENCH ALLIES FOR THE FIRST TIME

Kaiser's Forces on March in Valley of Meuse Prepare for Extensive Operations and Preliminary Skirmishing Continues—French Move Forward All Along Line.

Paris, Aug. 18.—An official note issued by the war office confirms the report of a battle Sunday at Dinant, Belgium. It says:

Report of Battle.

"A division of German cavalry, supported by some battalions of infantry attacked Dinant. The French cavalry repulsed the German troops, who retired in disorder.

"The French troops captured some hundreds of German cavalry horses which were immediately sent to the rear to serve as re-mounts, for the French cavalry.

"The high spirits of the French troops greatly encouraged the Belgians."

Discovers Exact Location.

The war office announces that the news of the victory for the French discovers for the first time the exact location of the French allies in Belgium.

Hundreds of the Uhlans horses were captured in the engagement which was marked by a display of brilliant courage on the part of the French.

The Bavarian forces, according to the same war office's statement, have been pushed back across the border to German territory, losing every position they had gained previously in this

Take Several Positions.

The French troops have taken several new positions notably in the vicinity of Demen and the upper Bruche valley. They have retaken others which they were forced to abandon, forcing the enemy to avacuate Blamont and Cirey.

As reported, they have reoccupied the town of Thann in upper Alsace, which is just before Muelhausen, which is certain to be soon reconquered, it is thought.

On the line from Thienville to Verdanville, near Luxemberg, the Germans still hold the region around Briey and Longwy.

German Prisoners in France.

An official announcement by the French war office says the French troops took over 500 German prisoners on Friday when they occupied several mountains around Donon, also known as Rougemont, on the border of German Lorraine.

Action of German Forces.

London, Aug. 17.—The German forces are pushing forward through the valley of the Meuse, and still more extensive operations are in progress along the Alsace-Lorraine frontier where the French and German armies are in contact.

A Reuter dispatch from Paris announces that it is officially stated that the offensive movement along the line from Sarrebourg on the Franco-German frontier at Luneville in the department of Meurthe-et-Moselle continues.

News of Dinant Victory.

Reuter's correspondent in Brussels telegraphs that the French legation there confirms the report of a victory by the French at Dinant. He says the German troops appeared in force with several quick-firing guns and attacked the French position.

A brisk fight ensued in the course of which the French artillery decimated the German troops. At the end of the fighting, the French occupied both banks of the river.

Forward Movement of French.

Paris.—The following official statement was issued:

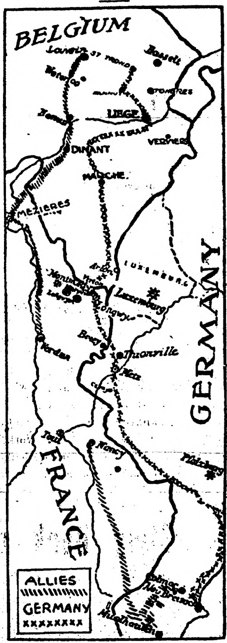
"A forward movement developed all along the front from Reichscourt (Rixingen), in Lorraine, 11 miles southwest of Saarebourg, to Sainte Marie-Aux-Mines. We carried the latter and advanced into the region of Saint Blaise.

"The French troops who occupied Donan continue to advance, their progress being especially rapid in the Schiermeck valley. We have taken 1,000 prisoners in addition to the 500 on Friday. Large quantities of equipment had been admitted by the Germans. We also captured this. We pushed as far as Lorquin Height, capturing a convoy belonging to a cavalry division, consisting of 19 automobiles and lorries."

Reserve Board Active.

Washington, Aug. 12.—The federal reserve board, entrusted with control of the great banking system created by the new currency law, actually came into existence when the five members appointed by President Wilson took the oath of office at the treasury department. Plans for taking over the system set up by the organization committee and opening the reserve banks for business within the next few weeks, already are under way, though the first formal meeting of the board will not be held until Thursday.

War Area in Light of Latest Dispatches



CARRANZA IS NOW PRESIDENT

NAMED PROVISIONAL HEAD OF MEXICO IN AGREEMENT.

Constitutionalists to Fill Offices Until Election Is Held—Many Refugees in Vera Cruz.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Venustiano Carranza was named provisional president of Mexico in the agreement signed outside of Mexico City by General Obregon and representatives of Federal Governor Iturbide, according to an announcement by the Constitutionalist agency here.

The Federal garrison evacuating Mexico City, it was said, will form in groups of not over 5,000 along the railroad to be disbanded and disarmed by Constitutionalist commissioners while the Federal garrisons in certain towns near Mexico City and fronting the troops at Zapata remain at their posts until relieved by Constitutionalist forces. Garrisons in the southern states are to lay down their arms and the Federal navy is to be turned over to the provisional president.

Mexico City Quiet.

Mexico City, Aug. 15.—The capital passed an expectant but absolutely quiet day awaiting the incoming Constitutionalist army. The plan for the dissolution of the Federal army calls for the delivery of all arms and munitions to the Constitutionalists, which seemingly indicates that if it is complied with there will be no fear of a counter revolution on the part of the Federal army.

It is probable the cabinet of General Carranza will be as follows:

Foreign minister, Isidro Fabela; minister of the interior, General Alvero Obregon; minister of war, General Eduardo Hay; minister of public works, Alberto J. Bani.

Orders closing all Catholic churches were issued by the archbishop, who will not permit them to reopen until the new regime is established.

Many clergymen are leaving for Spain.

Flee to Vera Cruz.

Vera Cruz, Aug. 15.—Official estimates fix the number of refugees who have fled from Mexico City to Vera Cruz at 15,000. Several army officers, including General Gustava Maas, who defended Vera Cruz against the Americans, joined the refugees.

WILSON OBJECTS TO LOANS.

President Disapproves of Americans Furnishing Funds to Belligerent Countries.

Washington, Aug. 17.—President Wilon formally disaproved of the plan of American bankers floating loans in the United States for the benefit of belligerent countries of Europe, but expressed no objections to loan made to neutral countries.

Berlin Is Reported Quiet.

Washington, Aug. 15.—The American Association of Commerce and Trade of Berlin, through Ambassador Gerard, has requested the state department to make public the following telegram:

"We would ask the American Press and America in general to be careful in giving credence to war reports, now circulating in the United States, concerning conditions in Germany. The city of Berlin is perfectly quiet. Food prices are normal. Foreigners, especially Americans, are fully protected."

GERMANY OFFERS SHIP FOR U. S. USE

WILL AID IN GETTING AMERICANS OUT OF WAR-RIDDEN EMPIRE BY LOAN OF VESSEL.

OTHER NATIONS MAY FOLLOW

Washington Officials Are Optimistic and Believe Task of Rescuing Refugees May Be Simplified—Transports May Not Be Sent to Europe.

Washington, Aug. 18.—A new avenue of exit for Americans stranded in Europe was opened when the German government offered to place at the disposal of the United States a Hamburg-American line steamer which would fly the American flag to bring home refugees.

Will Accept Offer.

There is every indication that Secretary Garrison, chairman of the government board of relief, will accept the offer and the opinion is expressed that some of the other nations involved in the European conflict will divert liners for the transportation of the American refugees.

How many of the steamers of the nations at war will be available or offered for the refugee service has not been determined, but there are possibilities that sufficient facilities will be found so that the plan of sending United States transports abroad might be abandoned.

Transports for Work.

Several transports now are on their way to Newport News to be outfitted for that service.

A message from Secretary Garrison, asking if some of the German liners now lying idle at New York, could be used to bring home refugees evidently crossed the offer of a ship cabled by the German government. As there are 27 German vessels at New York, Mr. Garrison expresses belief that there will be no difficulty in bringing all Americans in Germany home with despatch. He thinks his request to other countries that refugee ships be regarded as neutral will promptly be granted.

Route Is Suggested.

While the Berlin government has suggested that any German ships employed sail around the north coast of Scotland for German ports, it appears probable that an attempt will be made to agree on a Mediterranean route that would take the ships to French and Italian ports, where the refugees might gather.

By that means all danger of encountering mines would be avoided. Mr. Garrison said the United States would preserve the strictest neutrality of all passenger ships. He asked the American embassies at Berlin and Vienna to determine the number of Americans in Austria and Germany who want to come home.

There are about 10,000 in Switzerland alone who seek transportation.

INVESTIGATE PRICE FIXING

President Wilson's Campaign Against Increase in Food Costs Bears Early Fruit.

Washington, Aug. 15. — President Wilson's campaign against "rapid and unwarranted increase in prices of foodstuffs upon the pretext of conditions in Europe," bore early fruit.

Preliminary reports from United States district attorneys and department of justice special agents, declaring many price increases speculative, unjustifiable and some bearing elements of illegal conspiracy subject to anti-trust law prosecution, began to pour in by telegraph upon the attorney general.

Within a week or ten days Attorney General McReynolds expects to be able to present the report requested in the president's letter whether immediate recourse to the courts shall be taken or a further investigation shall be made jointly by the departments of justice, commerce and agriculture.

A grand jury investigation of increased food prices in the District of Columbia was begun in the federal courts here, directed by the United States district attorney. Local heads of packing companies, the big central markets, wholesale grocers and hotel proprietors were subpoenaed.

To Issue No More Bulletins.

Brussels, Aug. 17. — (via Paris.)—The Belgian general staff states that there had been no engagement near Diest. The number of Germans in Limburg province is declared to have been exaggerated, and the general military situation is described as excellent but for the strategic reasons the general staff says it will issue no more bulletins.

Relief Boats Chartered.

Paris, Aug. 17.—American Ambassador Myron T. Herrick, on behalf of the United States government contracted with the French Compagne Generale Trans-Atlantique for the steamship Espagne to sail on Aug. 19 from Havre for the United States with 950 Americans aboard. Four hundred of these passengers were placed by the American relief committee. Mr. Herrick also arranged for the liner Rochambeau to leave Havre on Aug. 28 with 1,200 Americans.

Did Not Cause Big War.

London. Aug. 15.—The Exchange Telegraph Rome correspondent sends the outline of an official communication from the Vienna government to Rome notifying the Italian government of Great Britain's declaration of war on Austria. The Austrian note says: "Austria's war against Servia, an independent state, and for a cause which did not affect international politics, cannot be considered as the cause for the present European war."

French Driven From Germany.

Berlin, Aug. 14.—(By direct wireless from Nauen, Germany, to the Goldschmidt Wireless Company's station at Tuckerton, N. J.)—The German troops took 120 French officers and 1,110 French soldiers prisoners in the fighting at Muelhausen, Alsace. They also captured four French cannon.

Another 1,000 French officers and men were taken prisoners by the Germans in the fight near Longwy.

German soil is now entirely cleared of French troops.

Gifford Pinchot Married.

New York, Aug. 17.—Miss Cornelia E. Bryce, daughter of Lloyd Steven Bryce, former minister to the Netherlands, and Gifford Pinchot, former chief forester of the United States, were married in the Episcopal church at Roslyn, Long Island. On account of the illness of Mr. Pinchot's mother, only relatives and a few intimate friends were present. A reception followed at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryce at Roslyn.

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Group of Surveyors Really Had No Right to "Peck" at Couple Far Out on the Lake.

Far out on Lake Erie, nearly a mile from Edgewater park beach, there was a speck of black on the water.

Nearer shore there were other and larger specks. Close in the specks became boats, containing fishermen and other people. There must have been a hundred, all told.

On the hill that borders the park beach a party of city engineers were at work.

Resting for a moment, an engineer looked out over the lake. He saw the farthest tiny speck.

"I wonder what that boat is doing way out there," he mused. And he remarked to the others about him.

So they brought one of those things surveyors look through to ascertain distance and straighten a line. They trained it on the speck, and, taking turns at looking, they saw as plainly as if the boat rested only a few hundred feet away.

A man wearing a white shirt and a girl wearing a white waist were in that boat. They sat together on the center seat. An arm of each embraced the other.

A stir. The girl used her other arm to reach into the man's pocket. She extracted a cigarette, lighted it, and then blew smoke in the man's face.

"Oh, let's quit and be gentlemen," said the surveyors. "They wouldn't enjoy it at all if they knew somebody was looking."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Cook.

Little Lillian's parents were well to do and kept several servants. She was allowed to go for a visit to a friend's house whose family did their own housework. When Lillian returned home, she was telling her mother about the good time she had.

"But, mother, dear," confided the child, solemnly, "they do one thing that is very dreadful! I hate to tell you about it, for it is really kind of cruel, and I'm afraid you won't let me go there again."

"Why, Lillian," urged the mother, in some alarm, "you must tell me, dear."

"Well, mother," replied the child, in a shocked whisper, "they use their own grandmother for a cook!"—Harper's Magazine.

ERUPTION OVER CHILD'S BODY

Route No. 3, Box 67, Little Falls, Minn.—"Our little boy was taken sick with a fever and after the fever he broke out with a sore eruption all over his body. We could get nothing to help him. The sores were large and red and bleeding. They started with blisters as if he were burned and when they broke they would bleed and they itched so that he could not sleep for some time. We had him all tied up with bandages and then we had to soak them off every day.

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Polo for Women.

Englishwomen were ever splendid horsewomen, so one wonders why it has been left to American women to be first in the field with polo for women. Many a hard match has been played in the United States during the last twelve months by mixed teams, sometimes consisting of three men, captained by one woman, and by women's teams. As one thinks of the wonderful pluck of our women here who ride to hounds, their dash and enthusiasm, it naturally occurs to one that they are born for polo if ever women were.—London Daily Mail.

Passing the Time.

Spokane wants to change from western to mountain time in order to gain an hour in the evening. Why go to all this trouble when, by getting up earlier in the morning, the Spokanites can gain all they want and have an interesting hour in the garden?—Tacoma News.

Historic Demonstration.

"What did Columbus prove when he stood an egg on end?"

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U. S. NOT TO INTERFERE WITH PLANS OF JAPANESE IN ORIENT

UNCLE SAM WILL KEEP HANDS OFF IN CONTROVERSY BETWEEN JAPAN AND GERMANY

Entry of Mikado's Nation Into European War Situation Commands Wide Attention—May Extend Conflict to Far East

London, Aug. 18.—(3:30 A. M.)—The Daily Express says: "There is little doubt that a great battle is now occurring between the Germans and the Belgian and French allies. Our correspondent, in a cryptic dispatch from Ghent, indicates that the Germans are advancing on the historic battleground of Waterloo, and that events of the greatest importance are in progress."

London, Aug. 18.—A Brussels dispatch to the Daily Mail says that sharp fighting has been in progress since Monday morning.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Japan's sudden entry into the European war situation as a factor that might quickly increase the range of the great conflict to the Far East, commanded wide attention, both among officials of the Washington government and diplomats generally.

The attitude of the United States, it became clear, will be one of non-interference in the controversy between Japan and Germany. This was reflected in the studied reticence of both the president and Secretary Bryan. The president refrained from expressing an opinion on the merits of the ultimatum or Japan's attitude. Published reports to the effect that the "president expressed himself as satisfied with Japan's course," was promptly denied by Secretary Tumulty tonight at the president's direction.

"The president feels it encumbent on himself," said Tumulty, "as the head of a neutral nation, to express no opinions whatsoever, on the attitude of Japan or any other country."

Washington, Aug. 18.—Further improvement in the facilities for the removal of American refugees from English ports was reported today to the government relief board, but the board still faces the problem of finding ships for the thousands of tourists unable to leave Germany, Austria, Switzerland and Italian ports.

The acceptance of Germany's offer to place at the disposal of the United States several liners to fly the American flag, has been deferred pending the result of exchanges with other governments over the recognition of neutrality of relief ships. Administration officials are confident, however, the government's offer will solve the problem.

Ambassador Page, at London, reported that all British steamship lines have been ordered to resume service with full compliment of vessels.

London, Aug. 18.—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Maine says the German emperor, accompanied by three of his sons, including Crown Prince Frederick William, has arrived there.

A Paris correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph learns that the Russian emperor will sign a proclamation soon, giving the Jews in his dominion equal civil and political rights with his other subjects.

Berlin, via Copenhagen and London, Aug. 18.—The German government in note to the Belgian government intimated the Belgians had so brilliantly proved their honor in arms that the German government, after taking Brussels, would be willing to conclude any arrangement compatible with the conflict between Germany and France and would evacuate Belgium as speedily as war conditions permitted. The Belgian government replied on Aug. 13, again refusing the German proposition.

London, Aug. 18.—(Tuesday)—A Brussels report indicates the Germans are forcing their way through Belgium. A British war counsel decided to exclude correspondents from the forces in the field and announced the French war department intends to take the same action. It is probable the war correspondents in Belgium will be ordered from the state.

The Brazilian government has instructed its minister at Berlin to ask for an explanation and the punishment of those guilty of an alleged attack by German soldiers on Bernardino Campos, ex-president of the state of Sao Paulo, and wife, who it is reported were beaten and forced across the Swiss frontier.

The British official news bureau says the French fleet in the Mediterranean has made a clean sweep up of the Adriatic as far as Cattaro. Four Austrian warships are reported sunk. British military and naval movements are still shrouded in mystery.

A Paris dispatch to the Daily Telegraph says: "It is reported an engagement between British and German warships occurred off the Canary Islands. It is stated a German cruiser has been sunk, also that a British cruiser captured a German ship collecting munitions of war."

The British official news bureau has no information concerning these reports.

A Reuter dispatch from Rennes, France, says: "Madame Guillon, a wealthy resident of Combourg, a town a short distance southeast of Saint Malo, has arrived here. She tells how her husband and baby were killed by a mob in Hanover, Germany. She says:

"'On arriving in Hanover my husband and myself were arrested as spies and stoned by a mob, despite the protective efforts of the police. My husband, unfortunately, lost his self-control and cried, "Long live France; long live England," whereupon he was shot.

"'Two friends who tried to intervene also were killed. Our baby, wearing a cap bearing the word 'France,' was torn from me, dashed to the ground and killed.'"

Paris, Aug. 18.—American Ambassador Herrick has accepted the offer by the government to supply free transportation on a special train leaving Annemasse, in the department of Haute Savoie, in order to permit Americans in Switzerland to reach French sailing ports.

The United States cruiser North Carolina is expected to reach Cherbourg Wednesday, bringing gold for the American refugees.

New York, Aug. 18.—The steamer Nieuw Amsterdam, of the Holland American line, arrived in quarantine this evening from Rotterdam and Plymouth with 2,000 Americans, who temporarily had been marooned abroad on account of the war.

Rio Janeiro, Aug. 18.—The British cruiser Glasgow has captured the Hamburg American steamship Santa Catharina which sailed from New York July 25 for South American ports. When the Santa Catharina left New York, she had a million dollar cargo. The ship is 350 feet long; it was built in 1907.

Rome, via London, Aug. 18.—Confirmation of a naval fight in the Adriatic sea is given in a dispatch from Cettinje to the Corriere d'Italia, which says the Austrian battleship Zrinyi, and three other ships, names unascertainable, were sunk by the French fleet. A great number of French and English warships are said to be patrolling the coast.

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Dr. Hilary Roberts Mason of Portland, the well-known authority on eugenics, said on the Atlantic City boardwalk:

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"This woman is too heavy-hipped and too narrow-chested. That man protrudes where he shouldn't—in the chest. And so it goes. Among all these thousands not one perfect specimen."

Dr. Mason ended with an angry laugh:

"The survival of the fittest may be a true doctrine, but, dear me, what a lot of escapes there's been!"

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Proves Arctic Was Hot.

Corroborating the report of soundings in the Arctic sea made by the Karluk expedition that revealed the presence of coral is a recent note in science that the fossil flora of that icy climate show the presence of abundant and luxuriant ferns and palmlike plants produced by the tropical conditions of late paleozoic and middle cenozoic geologic time. F. H. Knowlton of the United States geological survey has published a description of such plants found about Cape Lisburne, 100 miles north of the arctic circle on the western coast of Alaska.

Proper Handicap.

A well-known comedian who is noted, among other things, for his ability to stow away highballs without outward evidences of the same was standing before a New York bar stirring the ice in his glass.

Another actor, who cannot take many drinks without showing the effects, drifted in.

"Hello, Hank," he hailed. "How about you and I taking a drink or so together?"

"Charley," said the other, "I'll spot you five."—Saturday Evening Post.

Possibly Both.

If amateur golf players are to be considered as jeopardizing their status because they write newspaper articles describing their game, golf literature will suffer a serious eclipse—or should it be called a reform?—New York World.

The Bold Fisherman.

"So you went fishing again?"

"Yes."

"Catch anything?"

"Yes. Biggest catch of the season. I had the ten, jack, king and ace of diamonds and caught the queen."

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The grasshopper knocked humbly at the door of the ant's prosperous-looking home.

"What do you want?" said the ant, in a thin, hard voice.

"A little food, and shelter from the cold winds," replied the grasshopper. "I can feel the icy hand of winter clutching at my throat."

"And, may I ask," said the unsympathetic ant, "how comes it that you have wasted the summer?"

"The sun shone bright. Everything was gay and I did naught but dance from morn till night."

"Why didn't you tell me that before?" said the ant, smiling her sweetest smile. "Come right in and make yourself at home. I've been too busy to learn the new dances, and, if you'll teach me, you can name your own price."—Puck.

Chinese Forest Reserves.

The Chinese national conservation bureau is considering reforestation at the headwaters of the Yellow river. The government report shows that this will ameliorate the torrents and cause a more regular flow from the now denuded uplands. It is acknowledged, however, that this reforestation may not have an appreciable effect within the lifetime of the present generation.—Popular Mechanics.

One of Nature's Laws.

"According to what law do germs propagate and destroy human life?"

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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Miss Rose Miller of Grand Plain was in town Tuesday.

Farmers! Get your meals at the hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop.

Subscribe for THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS $1.00 per year. Take it now.

A silo and a machine shed are two as good investments as a farmer can make.

Rinehart Rierson bought a horse, Tuesday, of Gilbert McCarlson for $120.00.

For the newest pattern in umbrellas, call on Pete Anderson and Leonard Jensen.

There is so much work to be done in town that both dray lines have to have extra help.

Mrs. Arthur Carlson of T. River Falls is visiting at the home of home her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wigge.

Supplies are already being received for the new butcher shop, which will be ready for in a day or two.

Knute Nelson, the U. S. Land Commissioner of Middle River, looked after some business here Tuesday.

We had a good rain Friday night and some more Monday so farmers are sure of good pastures this fall.

E. M. Silbaugh commenced work on the foundation for his store building, Monday. Sam Mickelson and Alfred Olson are the boss mechanics.

LONGEST PATROL ON RECORD

Three Thousand Three Hundred Miles Through the Far North Made by Mounted Police.

Six hundred and forty-nine officers and men compose the Royal Northwest Mounted police. The other day four of them—Inspector E. A. Pelletier, Corporal Joyce and Constables Walker and Conway—got off a train at Regina, their headquarters. It is a raw, unfinished prairie city about a hundred miles north of the border line.

These men, says the Wide World Magazine, had just completed the longest patrol on record—3,347 miles through the wildest and most desolate regions of the far north, a great part of which had never before been traversed by the foot of a white man. Yet there was no crowd to meet them to ride in.

They attracted no particular attention, though they had accomplished one of the most remarkable and daring journeys in the annals of travel and exploration, and had helped considerably to fill in the blank spaces on the map. They did not even receive a mention in the local newspapers, but what was regarded by them as far more gratifying than newspaper applause was the thanks of the prime minister.

When the next map is issued from Ottawa these men could, if their modesty would allow them, point out certain things which have never appeared before and say, "We discovered that—and that—and that."

"BUT WE CAN'T FIRE HIM."

"Well, we were scooped on that murder at Chico," thundered the news editor, as he sternly confronted the coast editor of a San Francisco morning paper.

"You see, it was like this," began the youth who presides over the coast desk, "our—"

"Cut that out," shouted the vigilant chief of the news department. "Fire the Chico correspondent by wire."

"But you can't fire him."

"Why?" demanded the news editor.

"Because the murdered man was our correspondent."

Strange as it may seem, this story is true.

For Sale

A good young Jersey cow, now giving milk, will be fresh in Feb.

Sam [illegible]

For Sale

English and Llewellin Setter pups $5.00 each, if taken at once.

W. A. Silbaugh

Wood Wanted

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received, by the undersigned, up to and including Sept. 3, 1914, for furnishing 12 cords of four foot wood, cut into stove lengths, at least three cords to be delivered by Sept. 19th 1914.

Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. M. J-hr, President
School Dist. No. 148, Marshall Co.

P. L. Anderson autoed to Thief R. Falls, Tuesday.

Ole Osthlay was here last Friday to look after his farm interest.

H. K. Joenson of Warren was a business caller one day last week.

Leonard Jenson was an over Sunday guest at the Gerof home in Badger.

The Holt Realty Co. have recently erected a new and very attractive sign.

The Misses Hilda Rosland, Dora and Celia Olson went to Dakota Monday.

Nils Engebretson went to Thief River Falls Sunday after Rev. L. A. Larson.

John Alkenbrack bought a horse of Ed Bjerk one day last week for $165.00

Ed. Warner sold a fine yoke of oxen to a Thief River Falls butcher for $200.00.

Mrs. D. B. Backe and son Willie of Thief River Falls visited at Docken's on Wednesday.

Olat Hanson, was a passenger to Badger last Saturday, where he went to consult a physician.

Lars Backe of Thief River Falls was a caller at the home of his son, B. L. Backe and wife, Monday.

Arvid and "Tony" Carlson autoed to Thief River Falls, Tuesday, the former having dental work done.

Elling Tallefsrud and Sigard Fick have purchased an Avery tractor and plows to use on their farms near Golden Valley.

Henry Olen has repaired the driveway of the elevator so it will hold up the big loads of grain he will soon be getting in.

A load of door and window frames for the new school house in Dist. 59 was shipped here Wednesday from T. R. Falls, by the contractor.

During a rain and electrical storm Wednesday afternoon, lightning struck a telephone wire and ran into Rierson's store. The phone was burned out, several lamp chimney's broken and those in the store somewhat shocked.

Time is Money

You Better Advertise Before it is Too Late

This paper is only one dollar a year if paid strictly in advance. Otherwise we shall be obliged to make the price one twenty-five.

Take this paper, only one dollar a year.

Sale or public auction bills printed at this office.

The county board meets in Warren, Monday Sept. 14th.

Try to be so busy that you hav'nt time to knock the other fellow.

Clover, alfalfa and corn in the silo, will soon start a bank account for the farm.

The matter of providing more hitching posts should be brought before the commercial club at the meeting next Tuesday evening Aug. 25th. Plan for this and be sure to attend.

NOTICE For PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Aug. 17, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ernest Pechie, of Golden Valley, Minnesota who on September 26th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05641, for S. W. 1-4, Sec. 12, Township 156 N. Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of Sept. 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Rudolph Dahl, Chas. A. Holmgren and T. G. Dahl all of Golden Valley, Minnesota and J. J. Kelly, of Rollis, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land office at Crookston, Minnesota, August 4, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Olga C. Larson, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who on June 4th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08035, for Lots 1 and 2, Section 17, Township 155 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 8th day of September, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Bernard Larson,
Oscar Odie,
Clarence Larson,
Jacob Gabrielson all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Aug. 18th 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Johanna Malone Nelson, a widow of Martin A. Nelson, deceased, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on October 5th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05663, for N½ SW¼ & SE¼ NW¼ & NW¼ SE¼, Section 28, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridan has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22 day of Sept., 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Peter Ostlund, John O. Foss, Thomas Sten, all of Golden Valley, Minn., and, Albert H. Huseth, of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Dr. J. C. R. CHAREST

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Final Proofs and Homestead Entries carefully attended to.

Middle River, - - Minnesota.

Commercial Club meets Tuesday evening Aug. 25 at 8 o'clock sharp.

Department of the Interior

United States Land Office

Crookston, Minn., Aug. 15, 1914.

We are directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office to inform you, as a matter of news, that Mud Lake bottom, Township 156 N., Ranges 41 and 42 W., 5th principal meridian, will be opened for homestead entry under section 6, act of January 14, 1889, and that no rights can be gained until notice is given by the Secretary of the Interior as provided in said section.

Further particulars, including date, of opening will be announced later.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register
James P. O'Connell, Receiver

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, July 16, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ole S. Kirkelie, of Germantown, Minn., who on June 26, 1911 made homestead entry, Serial 06849, for SW quarter Section 8, Township 155N., Range 41 W., 5th principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner, for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 24th day of August 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson, Olaf G. Tharaldson, and Alexander Magee all of Germantown, Minn. and Salve G. Tharaldson of Holt, Minn.

Proof to be made under law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

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Farmers' State Bank of Holt.

LARS BACKE, President

S. S. KOLDEN, Vice President B. L. BACKE, Cashier

The Pioneer Bank Officials of Holt

Rollis Rumbles

Mr. Lillie painted his well house a tango brown and trimed it in white.

Mr. and Mrs. Everingham visited Mr. and Mrs. Lillie of Mud Lake Sunday.

[illegible] has painted his new [illegible] with white trimings.

Miss Emma Kleven left last Friday for N. D. where she will take charge of a cook car.

Mr. Hanson and his crew are making rapid progress on the new Whitford school house. The frame work is completed and they are laying the first floor.

Thrashing began at Rollis last week. Mr. Williams thrashed 200 bu. of oats from twelve acres on the B. C. Warner place. People were very much surprised from the amount of straw they expected more than doubled that amount of grain.

Southeast Of Holt.

Ole Ose is working at Oslo during thrashing.

Julia Ose visited at Moe's Sunday afternoon.

Albert Klungness is breaking for Targe Boigen.

Adolph Larson made a business trip to Middle River Friday.

Mrs. S. Moe called at the Klungness home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. P. T. Michaelsen called on Mrs. G. A. Spiney Thursday afternoon.

Miss Annie and Tillie Ose and Tillie Austad left for N. Dak. last week.

Quite a lot of rain is falling in this locality which will make the plowing more easy, but hard for the farmers to get their harvesting and thrashing done.

Sale or public auction bills printed at this office.

The Grygle Eagle says that the laterals in the town of Rollis will be dug this fall. We learn from the same paper that preparationr are under way for lowering the water in Thief Lake about three feet.

Golden Valley News.

Mrs. Wright was over from Eckroll to visit Mrs. Doane last Thursday.

Norwegian school will soon begin at Mud Lake. It will be held in mr. Sybilrudd's house.

Bertel Friberg went to Kitson Co. last week to thrash. Crops are reported to be very heavy there.

Leiverts was here from Iowa to visit his daughter Mrs. Bernstien and Mrs. Huartson. He returned last week.

The picnic at Blue Grove Sunday was a success in spite of the weather there were about 75 people present. Mr. Larson run a stand the proceeds to be used for benefit of the Norwegian school.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1.48
Wheat	$1.05
Barley	.48 to .54
Oats	.36
Rye	.81
Flour, Best Patent	3.40

R. Rierson went, Wednesday, to T. R. Falls on business.

Melvin and Arthur Bakke of T. R. Falls visited at O. S. Hoel's the past week.

Chris Yttri has bought a resident lot of A. H. Huseth and will soon build a house thereon.

The work on Silbaugh's store building, though hindered by rain, is now progressing nicely.

George Anderson and Julius Olson have been doing some papering and carpenter work on A. H. Huseth's residence.

The M. W. A. meet Saturday eve at 8 o'clock, to attend to some important business and therefore a good attendance is desired.

A. R. Jones tells us that he has delivered all the lumber to Dist. No. 59 and they expect to soon have the school house ready for use.

Rodahl Bros., have made cement steps for Kolden's and Gunheim's stores and a floor in the basement of Carlson's store, the past week.

Local Items

Get your meals at the hotel. adv

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

P. L. Anderson has built a shed for his auto.

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. adv

There was a show in town Monday and Tuesday evenings.

Miss Edna Riesberg was a passenger to T.R. Falls Wednesday.

S. Kolden made a business trip to Grand Forks N. D. Wednesday.

D. B. Backe has been in town for several days this week, on business.

Fred Ewald made a business trip to Thief River Falls, returning home Wednesday.

Is your subscription paid up? We need all money due us, please bear this in mind.

Ladies' Aid meets this afternoon, basement of the new church, and you are invited, come.

Thief River Falls is to have a new postmaster on account of "To the victors belong the spoils."

J. B. Alkenbrack has been plastering his new house and will soon have it ready to move into.

Ed. M. Silbaugh has decided to add 20 feet unto his building and use the lower floor for a hall.

Alfred Lufkin came up from T. R. Falls Sunday for his family who were visiting at the Peter Rierson home.

Lester Silbaugh, who is employed at Barnesville, came Monday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. M. Silbaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Reep of Thief River Falls and F. Tifsather of Plaza N. D., visited at D. Payne's Thursday and Friday.

P. L. Anderson, S. S. Kolden H. J. Oien and L. A. Jensen were in Thief River Falls on business last Friday evening.

Our merchants tell us they are paying twenty cents a dozen for eggs. T'would seem to us it would pay to raise more poultry.

F. W. Taber recently drilled a well for I. Moe at Mud Pake, 115 ft. deep, and is now working on one for Ole Chistenson.

The storm last week Monday, destroyed a large barn belonging to Wm. Watson, near Grygla and killed a fine team, the total loss being about $2000,00 with no insurance.

Thorvald Kolden and Elmer Heglen drove to Newfolden Friday where they met Will and Arnold Hole and together they journied to Park River N. D. to work during the threshing season.

A. Ryme and wife came from southern Minnesota Saturday to visit at the home of Peter Rierson and T. T. Sollom. Mr. Ryme returned home Tuesday, his wife remaining for a longer visit.

R. Rieson has a corn binder set up which he has sold to a company of farmers composed of Iver Borsheim, Edwin Erickson, Alfred Anderson and Mr. Rierson retains a fourth interest himself.

In order to make THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS a success we must have the help of the people of this community. We believe that a newspaper in a town of this size is a great asset and should be supported by everyone. Can we not enter your name on our subscription list? Send us a dollar now.

In Church Circles.

The Nazareth Ladies' Aid meets with Mrs. C. H. Gunheim next Wednesday Sept. 2nd.

Commencing Sunday Aug. 30th. Sunday School will be held in the Free Mission Church at 10-30 o'clock every forenoon.

The Ladie's Aid of the Free Mission Church will meet in the basement of the church on Friday Afternoon Aug. 28th Mrs R. L. Olson will entertain. Every body invited.

Rev. E. J. Nordlander of Worcester, Mass., will preach in the Free Mission Church on Saturday evening Sept. 12th at 8 o'clock, in English, and on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Swedish, and at 8 o'clock on Sunday evening in English. Remember the dates, Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 12th and 13th. Rev. Nordlander preaches to large congregations every Sunday and is well worth hearing.

Farmers! Get your meals at the hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop.

D. B. Bakke and son looked after some business here Friday.

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A. H. Huseth has been painting the interior of his store, the past few days.

Jim Hill and Bill Lee both speak at the county fair in Warren Sept. 14--16.

Being unable to thresh, account of rain, Racine Olson came back from Warren Tuesday afternoon.

Ben Docken made a business trip, last week Thursday, to Golden Val[illegible]

The Ladies' Aid meets next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. C. H. Gunheim. Everybody invited.

Chris Yttri went to Lander N. D. Saturday to attend the funeral of an uncle. He returned home Wednesday.

Mesdames Olson and Miss Hoff of Middle River attended the meeting of the Ladies' Aid at Docken's, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rierson and her sister Mrs. Ryme visited in Thief River Falls Tuesday and Wednesday.

P. A. Riesberg had a break down on his tractor Monday. An expert from Crookston went out Wednesday to repair it.

Henry Oien took in his first load of wheat, for the season, Friday. The quality and weight were good but the kernel small.

Sigard Vick who has been here here plastering for J. B. Alkenbrack, unloaded a gas tractor here Tuesday.

His partner, Elling Tollefsrud was also here to help take the engine to their farms in Golden Valley.

We are endeavoring to publish a good newsy paper for our readers but in order to make it a success we must have your help, and you can help us by sending in your subscriptions at an early date, as subscriptions must be paid in advance.

Large tract of good valley farming land just thrown open for free settlement in Oregon. Over 200,000 acres in all. Good climate, rich soil, and does not require irrigation to raise finest crops of grain, fruit and garden truck. For large map, full instructions and information, and a plat of several sections of exceptionally good claims, send $3.40 to John Keefe, Oregon City, Oregon Three years a U. S. surveyor and timberman. An opportunity to get a good fertile free homestead near town and market. 829

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HALF DOZEN BATTLES ARE BEING SIMULTANEOUSLY FOUGHT IN BELGIUM

EUROPE'S DESTINY NOW TREMBLING IN THE BALANCE

AT LEAST 2,000,000 MEN LINKED IN DEATH GRAPPLE IN BELGIUM AT THE PRESENT TIME.

FIGHTING LINE EXTENDS FROM MONS TO LUXEMBURG

Hundred Miles of Battle Front Makes Great Struggle far Surpass Any Recorded in History—Million Germans Face to Face With Great Army of Allies.

London, Aug. 25.—Along 100 miles of fighting line at least 2,000,000 men are linked in a death grapple in the first pitched battle of the war.

The struggle is being waged from Mans on the southern edge of Belgium to the Luxemburg frontier.

The British expeditionary force has at last emerged into the open and is fighting at the side of the French. One million Germans of the kaiser's army are face to face with the allied troops and with cavalry charge and cannonade and hand to hand encounter of the infantry, the destiny of Europe is trembling in the balance.

No Details Emerge.

No details of how the issue of the strife goes are permitted to emerge from behind the curtain that envelopes the scene. It will be days and may be weeks before a decisive result has been attained and the world is permitted to know.

Half a dozen battles are simultaneously being fought, any one of which dwarfs Gettysburg or Waterloo by comparison.

At Mons, at Givet, along both banks of the river Meuse, down at Neuf Chateau and along toward Arlon the embattled powers are struggling with varying successes.

Bloody Battle at Luttre.

At Luttre, in Hainsult province where Mons is also located, a bloody battle is in progress. One would say it was the left wing of the allies army that is here engaged, since Luttre is but 10 miles from Mons to the northeast and but five miles distance from Charleroi.

Again between Charleroi and Namur another great struggle is going forward with the French on the offensive, it is declared, and meeting with success.

Bombardment at Namur.

All the while a tremendous bombardment of the Namur fort is under way, the roar of the siege guns shaking the earth beneath the feet of the millions battling for supremacy.

From Namur to Charleroi is another 15 miles. Along this line the contest rages to halt the German advance toward Dinant, but six miles from the French frontier.

Apparently the Germans, having diverted their original plans for the sally north into Brussels, have now suddenly returned to the original plan of campaign and are pouring southward in two main columns converging on Mons, where a union will be made with the German forces which have advanced through Luxemburg.

The German lines are said to extend from Tamise near Antwerp southwest through Puere and Zele, and thence southeast to Gosselies and Charleroi.

Trap Was Laid.

If the adove deduction is correct, it was at Charleroi later in the day that the junction was made with the troops which advanced through Luxemburg, thus completing the battle line from Mons to the Luxemburg frontier, which is now raging.

It will remain for the developments of the next few days to determine whether the trap which the allies claim to have laid for the Germans has been effective.

Paris Official Announcement.

Paris, Aug. 24.—The following official announcement was issued last night:

"A great battle is now in progress along a vast line extending from Mons to the frontier of Luxemburg. Our troops in conjunction with the British have assumed everywhere the offensive. We are faced by almost the whole German army, both active and reserve.

"The ground, especially on our right, is thickly wooded and difficult. The battle is likely to last several days.

Forts at Liege Intact.

"The forts at Liege still hold. Fort Chandefontaine has been the scene of an act of heroism which affirms once more the brilliant valor of the Belgian army."

London, Aug. 24.—A News agency dispatch from Rome says it has been officially announced at Nish that in a battle at Shabatza the Austrian force alone was estimated at 300,000. The Servians were victorious everywhere. They turned the Austrian left wing and the losses of the latter were fully 20,000, whole regiments being wiped out and thousands taken prisoners.

ONE OF GERMANY'S COMMANDERS

Count von Haessler, field marshal of the German army.

AGED AUSTRIAN RULER REPORTED TO BE DYING

Condition of Francis Joseph Such as to Cause Great Alarm in Kingdom.

London, Aug. 25.—A Rome dispatch to the Exchange Telegram company, reports that Emperor Francis Joseph is in a grave condition and may die at any moment.

Paris Gets Report.

Paris.—A dispatch received here from Rome quotes the Messagero of that city to the effect that Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria is dying.

A dispatch to the Havas Agency from Rome says the correspondent has learned from an authoritative source that the Prince of Wied has not left Durazzo, Albania, but that two of his sons have departed.

Japan to Confine Activity.

Washington, Aug. 25.—Viscount Chinda, the Japanese ambassador here, has formally notified the United States that Japan had declared war on Germany. The American government was immediately asked to care for Japan's interest in Germany. Assurances recently given by the British government to the United States that Japan's activity would be confined to the China seas and Eastern Asia were repeated by Viscount Chinda. The position of the United States has met with the approval of Japan.

Details of Ship's Sinking.

London, Aug. 24.—Official news from Paris gives further details of the encounter in the Adriatic about a week ago, which resulted in the loss of the Austrian battleship Zrinyi, a vessel of over 14,000 tons, and a crew of 357 men. The Zrinyi was truck by a shell from a French warship. This projectile exploded in the magazine and damaged the warship so badly that it foundered in a few minutes.

EUROPEAN WAR SITUATION.

The French and British troops are facing the greater part of the German army along a battle line which extends from Mons to the Luxemburg frontier. The allied armies, which have been concentrating at strategic points for the past two weeks, are believed to be strongly entrenched, with powerful forts to lend them support in holding back the invaders.

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Reports are current that Emperor Francis Joseph is dying. These reports have been denied, but they are being reiterated.

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Japan formelly declares war on Germany when no reply is received to her ultimatum at expiration of the time limit. The Tokio government, following an imperial rescript, orders the opening of hostilities at once on land and sea.

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The kaiser orders the governor of Kiao-Chow to defend the German possession to the utmost. The governor declares that preparations are complete for the reception of the invaders.

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Ostend is again frightened about the entry into the city of the Germans.

Refugees in Ostend from Brussels say it took seven hours for the German troops to pass through Brussels. They estimate there were 35,000. The Germans are moving toward France. Antwerp is, for the present at least, being neglected.

The Germans are leaving the administration of Brussels to the civil authorities.

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An open rupture in diplomatic relations between Italy and Austria is hourly expected. Paris and Malta reports even predict that Italy will declare war on Austria within a few days. Italy has ordered her troops mobilized by Aug. 27.

It is said Greece is sending troops to the assistance of Servia.

While the Liege forts are said to be holding, a telegram from the French government tells of the blowing up of Fort Chandefontaine by the Belgian commander, after it had been razed by the German guns.

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The Servians are apparently driving out the Austrians.

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Japan will confine activities to China seas and eastern Asia only.

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Return of Kiao-Chow to China declared intention of the Japanese government.

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Germans claimed to have checked Russian advance against the eastern frontier of the Fatherland.

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Further accounts of the reported Servian victory over the Austrians say that in the fighting along the Drina river the Austrian casualties were between 20,000 and 25,000, while 10,000 prisoners were taken. The fighting lasted three days. The Servian artillery did effective work against the enemy. Nish declares officially that a part of the Servian army has invaded Bosnia and that another battle is expected soon.

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Half a million Russians reported 20 miles within Germany. Teutons declared retreating before the advancing Cossacks.

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A war tax of $40,000,000 is said to have been levied on the city of Brussels by the German commander.

JAPAN DECLARES WAR; HOSTILITIES BEGIN AT ONCE

OPERATIONS BOTH ON LAND AND SEA ORDERED BY MIKADO FOLLOWING DIPLOMATIC BREAK.

KAISER ORDERS DEFENSE OF FAR EAST HOLDINGS

Austrian Warship Hastily Leaves Kiao-Chow, Indicating That Country Will Not Participate in New Entanglement—Tokio Citizens Fired by War Spirit.

Tokio, Aug. 25.—The emperor of Japan has declared war upon Germany. This action was taken at the expiration of the time limit of Japan's ultimatum to Germany demanding the surrender of Kiao-Chow.

Operations Have Begun.

The Japanese government has ordered the beginning of operations on land and sea.

The imperial rescript declaring war was issued Sunday evening. It officially inaugurates hostilities in the Far East as a result of Germany's failure to the Japanese ultimatum.

People Are Thrilled.

The proclamation of the emperor sent a thrill through the country. Japan's entrance upon the fulfillment of her obligations to her ally, Great Britain, responds to the popular will from one end of the land to the other. Cheering crowds assembled before the buildings occupied by the department of foreign affairs and the administration of the navy. There were lantern processions through the streets Sunday night. The popular manifestations, however, do not approach the enthusiasm which preceded the war with Russia.

Count Von Reed, the German ambassador, has been handed his passports. George W. Guthrie, the American ambassador, will represent Germany.

Diet Is Convoked.

The diet has been convoked in special session for Sept. 3.

The Austrian cruiser Kaiserin Elizabeth, which latterly was at Tsing-Tau, the seaport of Kiao-Chow, is reported to have sailed. [illegible] port and disarm. It is believed this action will keep Austria out of the war in the Orient, although unforeseen circumstances may force Japan to change this policy. No action yet has been taken relative to Austria, and the foreign office has explained that Japan will remain friendly unless Austria adopts an attitude which it regards as offensive.

Wilson's Course Pleases Japs.

It is reported here that Germany has been trying to transfer the German railroad in Shantung, China, to America. Tokio believes, however, that the United States, pursuing the policy of neutrality outlined by President Wilson, will not accept. President Wilson's announcement of neutrality has greatly pleased the Japanese.

The newspapers express surprise at the extent of American suspicion regarding Japan's motives in issuing the ultimatum, but leading writers express a firm confidence that a better understanding will be had with the people of America.

Premier Okuma states that documentary evidence will show that England not only requested Japan's assistance, but approved of her entire program.

China Is Satisfied.

A dispatch from Pekin says the German minister and Chinese foreign office were about to sign an agreement regarding Tsing-Tau, when Japan's decision was announced, whereupon the Chinese foreign office decided not to proceed.

Other dispatches say President Yuan Shi Kai is satisfied with Japan's attitude and pledges.

Speaking at Karuizawa Kyu, Sauro Shimada, a member of the opposition in parliament, said he believed Japan had no desire to keep Kiao-Chow. He asserted that it was Japan's policy to prevent a stir up in China.

"The retaining of Kiao-Chow," he said, "would mean the danger of a revolution in China and incurring the ill-will of America. Japan is appreciative of Germany's contribution to Japanese civilization, but is resentful because the kaiser first raised the cry of 'Yellow peril' and Germany directed a combination to oust Japan from Port Arthur in 1895."

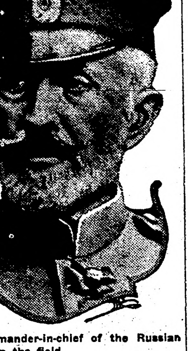
The German emperor sent a message to the governor on Aug. 19, ordering him to defend Tsing-Tau to the utmost.

Kaiser Orders Defense.

Tsing-Tau, China.—German preparation on the defense of Tsing-Tau and the territory of Kiao-Chow is complete. News of German victories in Europe has been circulated and has increased the confidence of the defending forces. The governor of Kiao-Chow, Meyer Waldeck, has issued a proclamation, saying:

"If the enemy wishes Tsing-Tau he must come and take it. He will find us at our post. We look confidently into the future and are well prepared to receive the enemy."

GRAND DUKE NICOLAS



Commander-in-chief of the Russian army in the field

WELCOME FOR GEN. CARRANZA

ENTERS MEXICO CITY AT HEAD OF HIS TROOPS.

Not Slightest Disorder Marks Event—Villa Remains in Northern Mexico With 40,000 Men.

Mexico City, Aug. 22.—General Venustiano Carranza, the supreme chief of the Mexican revolution, and now provisional president of the republic, has just entered the capital. He was given an enthusiastic reception by the crowds on the streets.

It is estimated that more than 150,000 persons crowded the line of march of the new president and his followers, which extended from the village of Atzcapotzalco to the national palace, a distance of six miles.

There was not the slightest disorder as General Carranza and his staff passed through the cheering crowds which showered them with flowers and confetti and from which came cries of "Long live Carranza; long live the Constitutional government."

General Carranza was mounted on a superb horse, and accompanied by his staff, and the generals of the northwest, the central and northeast divisions of the constitutionalist army, left Atzcopotzalco, escorted by a squadron of cavalry and the Fourth Sonora battalion of infantry, which acted as the guard of honor. On reaching the city limits the column was met by the mayor and the city council of the capital, who delivered to General Carranza the keys of the city.

After this ceremony the cavalcade proceeded to the historic Chapultepec castle, where two batteries of artillery fired a salute in honor of the new chief executive.

When the procession reached the national theater it halted that the chief executive might receive at the hands of the workmen the flag President Madero dropped at that very spot on the fateful ninth of February, 1913, the date of the Huerta-Diaz uprising.

The president promised a new era of real Constitutional government.

40,000 Men Under Villa.

Washington.—Official reports to the Washington government estimate the number of troops in command of General Villa in northern Mexico at no less than 40,000 men. This is a much larger number than had been supposed and is the result of several weeks of recruiting during the lull which followed Huerta's abdication.

Germans Sink British Ship.

New York, Aug. 24.—News was received in shipping circles that the crew of the British steamer, Hyades, had been landed at Rio Janeiro and had reported that the Hyades was sunk by the German cruiser, Dresden, after the warship's sailors had taken out all the coal aboard. The Hyades, 3,350 tons, placed between British and South American ports. Dispatches from Rio Janeiro also reported the capture of the German steamer Santa Katharina, en route from New York to Brazil, by the British cruiser Glasgow.

Rigid Japanese Censorship.

San Francisco, Aug. 24.—Evidence that Japan is imposing a rigid censorship on dispatches leaving the empire is contained in Honolulu newspapers reaching here.

British Loan Belgium $50,000,000.

London, Aug. 24.—Great Britain has decided to make a loan to Belgium of $50,000,000. The money will be raised by treasury bills, for which tenders have been called.

Says Philippines Are Safe.

London, Aug. 22.—Oscar Strauss, veteran American diplomat and member of the permanent court of arbitration at The Hague, discussing the situation in the far east, said: "Some Americans seem to be unduly excited about Japan's action concerning Kiao-Chow. I do not think the United States has anything to be apprehensive about. Japan has no designs on the Philippines and would not have them. They are not suited to her use. The climate is too hot for the Japanese."

ITALY MAY JOIN ALLIES; ARMY IS BEING MOBILIZED

OPEN BREAK WITH AUSTRIA IS NEAR—GREECE TROOPS GO TO AID OF SERVIANS, IS REPORT.

AUSTRIA QUITS SERVIAN CAMPAIGN TO AID GERMANY

Declared Cossacks Are Invading Kaiser's Domain to Such Extent That Further Defense Is Necessary Russian Victories Are Claimed.

Rome, Aug. 25.—Open rupture of the relations between Italy and Austria is hourly expected. Mobilization of Italy's army probably will be completed on Aug. 27.

Both Sides Active.

Austrian pressure to force Italy to support actively the two belligerent nations of the Triple Alliance is being redoubled and France in an effort to counteract Austria's solicitations have sent respectively Theophile Delcasse and Count Witte, their most distinguished diplomats, to Rome.

Dispatches received here report that a naval engagement has been fought in the Adriatic and that several Austrian warships have been lost.

Greek troops are reported to have entered Servia to fight the Austrians.

Influential Italians living at Malta are said to declare they have good reason to believe that Italian intervention in the war in favor of Great Britain, France and Russia is only a question of days.

Austria Hastens to Aid.

London.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Udine, Italy, says that at Vienna it is announced that the Austrian operations against Servia on the river Drina have been abandoned. The Austrians are uniting their effective forces with those of Germany in order to oppose Russia in the east.

Great Russian Victory.

St. Petersburg.—Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief of the Rusian army, issued the following statement:

"Battles in East Prussia on Aug. 17, 18, 19 and 20 were fought with the utmost desperation. The spirit of the troops is excellent. Our battle front extends for a distance of over 40 versts (about 26 miles).

Germans Routed, He Says.

"The Russian troops occupied Goldapp and Ayres. The retreat on Aug. 20th of the German army corps near Lyck resembled a rout. The money confiscated in the treasury amounts to 50,000 marks ($10,000). The enemy's troops are evacuating the frontier in the vicinity of Willenberg. The German population is abandoning the villages and fleeing northward.

"On the Austrian frontier up to Aug. 20 no serious condition occurred. The Russians forced an Austrian battalion to evacuate Burgade and Ravarusse.

"On Aug. 20 the Germans near Gumbinnen engaged three army corps and tried to envelop the Russian right wing where the fighting was intensely fierce. The Russians took the offensive in the center and captured many guns. The enemy demanded an armistice in order to bury their dead, but this demand was refused. On Aug. 21 victory crowned the efforts of the Russian army. The Germans, having suffered enormous losses, are falling back, pursued by the Russians.

Report Is Confirmed.

London.—A Times dispatch from St. Petersburg, confirming the report that the Russians have completely enveloped the remnants of the Germans, leaving the lake region and the line of the German retreat toward the river Angerapp, in East Prussia, and the Marus lakes in Russian hands, says that the Russians are even now sweeping the environs of Insterburg and have occupied Darkehmen, and thus the line between Thorn and Dansic is now within the sphere of Russian operations.

Ostend Again Frightened.

London, Aug. 24.—Ostend is again frightened about the entry into the city of the Germans, reports being current there that they are determined to capture all three wireless stations on the Belgian coast and cut off communication with England. John MacKenzie, an Englishman, who had been in Belgium for six weeks, came from Ostend to London and said of the situation there: "When I left Ostend at 11 o'clock this morning the populace was much frightened. The British consul had departed and tourists had been warned to leave."

To Indict Price Boosters.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Attorney General J. C. McReynolds expects several indictments to be returned within the next few days as the result of the investigation ordered by President Woodrow Wilson of the increase in food prices since the outbreak of the war in Europe. Mr. McReynolds has been in frequent communication with the White House since the investigation was started and expects to make his formal report soon. The president has directed that prosecutions be pressed

German Vessel Clears U. S.

Philadelphia, Aug. 24.—Loaded to the limit with coal and food supplies, the North German Lloyd steamship Brandenburg is steaming away bound for Bergen, Norway, according to its clearance papers. The captain says the journey will require about two months. Despite the protests of the British ambassador in Washington, who declared that the Brandenburg is an auxiliary cruiser of the German navy, local customs authorities granted the clearance papers.

Americans Abroad Get Money.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Arrangements have been virtually completed by the national board of relief to transfer to Americans in England the total of all funds deposited to their credit at the state and treasury departments. Negotiations by cable led to an announcement that the Bank of England will make payments in gold to Americans with proper credentials and that these payments will be drawn against deposits made with its branch in Canada.

Supply and Demand Blamed.

New York, Aug. 22.—Local representatives of Chicago beef packers, who testified before Chief Magistrate McAdoo in District Attorney Whitman's John Doe inquiry into the higher cost of food since the war in Europe, placed the blame for advance in meat prices on conditions of supply and demand. They say there was a shortage of beef on the hoof and that competition was keener than at any previous time.

MOTHER OF SCHOOL GIRL

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Daughter's Health.

Plover, Iowa.—"From a small child my 13 year old daughter had female weakness. I spoke to three doctors about it and they did not help her any. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had been of great benefit to me, so I decided to have her give it a trial. She has taken five bottles of the Vegetable Compound according to directions on the bottle and she is cured of this trouble. She was all run down when she started taking the Compound and her periods did not come right. She was so poorly and weak that I often had to help her dress herself, but now she is regular and is growing strong and healthy."—Mrs. MARTIN HELVIG, Plover, Iowa.

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SETTING THE CAPTAIN RIGHT

Wife Astonished That Husband Didn't Know That Osteopath Was Not a Fish.

When Mark Twain was at York Harbor, Me., an old fisherman, named Captain Brooks, became one of the humorist's best friends. One day Mark dropped in on the old tar and said: "Captain Brooks, do you know whether there is an osteopath at the harbor?"

"Wal," said the old captain, "the' mebbe, but I ain't never ketched one yet, and I've been fishin' here nigh onter 40 years."

"Well," said Mark, "I guess I'll go and inquire at the drug store."

That evening when Captain Brooks reached home, he told his wife about it, and she said:

"You're a bright one, Jed Brooks; that ain't no fish; it's a bird."

FACE FULL OF PIMPLES

4240 So. California Ave., Chicago, Ill. —"About a year ago my face was full of pimples and red spots. To sleep one night without itching was almost impossible. Some of the pimples would get big and red and if I touched them they would pain, while others would get white heads on them and when they broke open some matter came out. They would burn and itch and I scratched them so that sometimes they would break and bleed. That always caused them to be worse.

"I bought all kinds of salves and creams and I found out that they did me no good. I noticed the Cuticura Soap and Ointment advertisement and I sent for a free sample. I went to the drug store and bought a cake of Cuticura Soap and some Cuticura Ointment and I found the pimples were drying out. In two months I was well." (Signed) Chas. J. Peck, May 7, 1914.

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Teaching by Example.

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PIUS X DEAD--WORLD MOURNS

Aged Pontiff Succumbs to Long Illness—Sketch of His Career.

Rome.—Following a long illness, Pope Pius X. gave up his battle with the grim reaper. Death came to the aged pontiff after many months of intense suffering.

The streets of Rome, usually gay and filled with clamoring throngs, are quiet. The noise of the market places is hushed. Everywhere eyes are turned respectfully toward the golden dome of St. Peter's, which appeared to have lost its glitter in the dark pall of grief that hangs over the eternal city.

Hundreds of visitors crowded the wide streets leading to the massive gates of the Vatican, where the papal guard stood on silent watch. With bared heads and eyes glistening with tears, the throng gazed at the place where lay the "peasant pope," as he was affestionately called by his Italian countrymen.

Has Reigned Nine Years.

The pontiff, for whom a world is mourning, passed away in his seventy-sixth year, in the ninth year of his reign. Although his rule was brief, his lovable personality made him one of the most illustrious occupants of the throne of St. Peter, and even the followers of the Socialist Mayor Nathan of Rome, by their presence before the Vatican, showed their desire to pay homage to the Catholic pontiff.

The quietness and fortitude, which have marked Pius' actions during his reign were never so evident as in the last hours before his death.

All that medical skill could do was enlisted to battle against the diseases which racked his frame, but the handicap of the pontiff's advanced age could not be overcome.

Drs. Petacci and Machiafava were in constant attendance upon his holiness and were assisted by Dr. Amici.

Couriers Carry Sad News.

The news of the papal sovereign's death spread through the city like the murmur of the wind through the forest. When the tidings were first breathed at the Vatican gates to the silent throng, anxiously awaiting word from the sick chamber within the stern walls, they stood for a moment as if transfixed.

Then, silently, they dispersed and within half an hour the news was on every lip in Rome. Men greeted each other with:

"Pius, the peasant pope, is dead."

Couriers and messengers mounted hastily to carry the news to the surrounding country, while the telegraph and cable offices clicked incessantly as the information was borne over Europe and beyond the seas.

Pius X. Was Born June 2, 1835.

Pope Pius X. was a native of the little village of Riese, in the Venitian province of Trevisco, which, in 1303, gave to the church a pontiff in Niccola Boccasini, who assumed the triple crown under the name of Benedict XI.

Born June 2, 1835, to a poor and humble family of the name of Sarto, Pius X. was christened Guiseppe (Joseph) and known throughout life by the dialect equivalent of Guiseppe, "Beppo."

On Sepetember 18, 1858, the young seminarist received his priest's orders in the Cathedral of Castel-France. That year was a memorable one for Italy. The question of Italian liberation had been forced to the front by the attempt of Orsini to assassinate Napoleon III.

The diplomats of nations assembled, but the youngest priest was not concerned in the movement. He turned his back on the world and took up his duties as curate in the village of Tombelo.

Became Parish Priest in 1867.

He was promoted as parish priest of Salzano in 1867, only a year after the cession of Venezia (Venice) to Italy.

The able discharge of his office recommended the pastor of Salzano to the notice of Monsignor Zinelli, at that time the bishop of the diocese, who nominated him to a canonry in the Cathedral of Treviso. This promotion was supplemented by bestowal of the deanery on Father Sarto and his appointment as Episcopal chancellor. To him also was confided the delicate and important charge of spiritual director of the Seminary of Trevisco, in which college he was likewise given a professor's chair and an examinership.

Nor did his activities end here, for he was chosen as a judge in the Capitular Ecclesiastical court, and finally was appointed vicar-general of the diocese.

After such an apprenticeship it was not surprising that when the important see of Mantuc became vacant, in 1884, Leo XIII. choose Guiseppe Sarto to fill the place.

Severe in personal taste, Signor Sarto showed himself zealous in maintaining the gorgeous ritual traditions of his church, and in 1886 the nine hundredth solemn centenary of St. Anselm was celebrated under his auspices, while in 1891 he presided at a like function in commemoration of St. Louis Gonzaga.

Two years later Pope Leo recognized Bishop Sarto's merits by raising him to the Sacred College, with the title of San Bernardo alle Temme, at a consistory held June 15, 1893.

At the same time he was chosen out of all the Venetian prelates to fill the patriarchate of Venice.

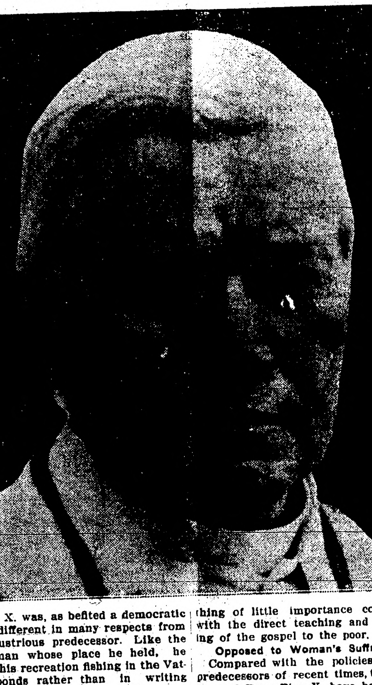
Won Support of the Radicals.

In his nine years' residence in the "seagirt" city the pope of the gondoliers was beloved and a familiar figure.

He gave proof of extraordinary tact in dealing with the civil authorities, and he succeeded in winning the support of radicals as well as clericals. Too, he became a favorite with King Victor Emanuel and Queen Helena when they visited Venice, and it is an open secret that the news of his election to the pontificate was joyfully received by the king.

It was no light inheritance to succeed such a pontiff as Leo XIII., for in many ways Leo symbolized the old order, incarnating, as he did, the aristocratic ideal of the scholar and the diplomat.

Elected as Compromise Candidate.



Pius X. was, as befited a democratic pope, different in many respects from his illustrious predecessor. Like the fisherman whose place he held, he found his recreation fishing in the Vatican ponds rather than in writing Latin verses. To his saintliness of character and moral worth, independently of all lesser and worldly consideration, memory doubtless will pay homage.

When balloting began to choose a successor to Pope Leo XIII., the name of Guiseppe Sarto was hardly considered at first. As balloting continued, however, the roll of votes in his favor increased. He was then regarded as a compromise candidate, and, finally, on the sixtieth ballot he was elected August 4, 1903, and five days later he was crowned in St. Peter's cathedral, Rome, with all the magnificence and brilliance of ceremonies that distinguishes the coronation of each successor to the apostolic throne.

From the post of spiritual head of gondoliers and peasants, a work that he loved, to the throne in the Vatican was the career of Guiseppe Sarto, Pope Pius X.

Loved the Simple Life.

And he never had been ambitious to be the head of the Catholic church and the successor of St. Peter. He loved the simple life among his friends, his relatives, and his proteges in the parish he first held. The grandeur, the pomp, the great power of the Vatican did not appeal to him.

Pope Pius' policy was the simplest His election resulted because a majority of the cardinals had wearied of diplomacy and its barren results, and longed for a pontiff who would build up the units of organization—that is, the dioceses they ruled by bishops. In France, Italy and Spain those units were either paralyzed or directed by the hostile or indifferent states.

There was a show of life, but not such teeming and varied life as is seen in the dioceses of America, Canada and Ireland. It was known that Pius would desert diplomacy and try to make all dioceses as they are in English-speaking countries.

That diplomacy found no place in Pius' mind was evidenced by many of his acts. His action toward the French government was perfect indifference. Therefore, France had all the the trouble and the pope was out of it.

Brought Church and State Together.

As to Italy, he increased the cordial understanding between church and state, which was not thought wise by Italian churchmen. However his action resulted in an uplifting of the church in Italy.

The dioceses had been in a most deplorable condition because of the long conflict between church and state.

There was evidence of miserable conditions existing in the Italian emigrants. They have little or no instruction in their religion and paid no attention to it in this country, on the supposition that the Catholic religion did not exist here.

The pope pursued this matter to the proper outcome.

When the trouble between the church and state broke out in France and the concordat was dropped, the world looked to the pope, speculating what course he would take. What he did seemed to be the only right thing according to the American idea. He ignored the nation.

One great reform Pope Pius accomplished, and it promises to be ever remembered in history. He proved that diplomacy in church matters is a thing of little importance compared with the direct teaching and preaching of the gospel to the poor.

Opposed to Woman's Suffrage.

Compared with the policies of his predecessors of recent times, the leanings of Pope Pius X. have been held to be ultra-orthodox in purely ecclesiastical principles and ultra-conservative in temporal relations.

An instance of his well-known uncompromising attitude against advanced tendencies was afforded in his opposition to woman suffrage as voiced by the pope upon the occasion of his reception of a delegation of Italian Catholic ladies.

His now famous Apostolic constitution was considered as embodying the most sweeping reform ever attempted by a Roman pontiff since the celebrated council of Trent.

By virtue of one of his documents, known as the "Sapienti Consillio," the congre composing the Roman Curia of the Catholic church have been completely reformed and the American hierarchy has been accorded a recognized voice in the government of the church. In fact, all Catholics outside Italy have been granted a new political standing by the order here under 200 bishops. 25,000 priests and 30,000,000 Catholic laymen in the English speaking countries will have their affairs examined and passed upon according to the general law of the church and by ten different congregations, instead of one, as heretofore.

Another reform was that effected by the papal bull requiring the return of sacred music in use by the Roman Catholic churches throughout the world to its aurtere and suave purity.

WERE EAGER FOR FIRST AID

Moving Picture Man With Knowledge of Medicine Suddenly Found His Hands Full

A touching incident of the visit to the Holy Land occurred during the course of the trip to the Sea of Galilee. Sickness and poverty are perhaps as common there today as in Bible times, and anyone who can give medical aid is implored to lend assistance. In the crowd of natives who pressed about to watch the operation of the moving picture machine one day was a man whose hand had been badly lacerated by cactus thorns. The moving picture operator, Mr. Hollister, who had a good knowledge of first aid to the injured, produced his medicine case and cleansed and bound up the wound. Instantly scores of sufferers from a variety of ills pressed forward imploring his attention. Meanwhile the news spread rapidly and the crowd of suppliants increased to a small mob. Soon the sheiks or head men appeared and explained through the interpreter that the "doctor" must remain to attend the sick in the town, there being no physicion. It was useless to argue. A conference was called and the moving picture apparatus was soon hastily packed up and the party left the town to escape the throngs of sufferers for whom they could do nothing.—Christian Herald.

The August sun shines too much alike on the kind and the unkind.

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HAD HAZY IDEA OF AMERICA

Irishman Evidently Imagined the Back Yard of New York and San Francisco Adjoined.

"I was strolling along a street of Killarney week before last," said a New Yorker. "As I passed a cobbler's shop an old man looked up from a bench near the door and smiled pleasantly.

"'The top o' the morning to ye, sorr,' he said. I returned his salutation in kind, and sat down to talk to him.

"'It's from Ameriky ye'll be, I take it, sorr,' he said. 'And from what part?'

"'From New York,' I replied.

"He nodded. Just then his wife came out and spoke to me.

"'It's a great counthry,' went on the cobbler, 'I have two b'hys over there. One's in a place called Worcester. I forget the name of the place where the other is, but it's near by the other.'

"''Tis San Francisco, Patrick,' the wife prompted.

"'Sure, and it is,' said the cobbler. 'I nivver could remember the name. but I knew it was near by!'"

Distinctly Suspicions.

It was during the maneuvers, a British weekly tells us, that a soldier was being tried for shooting a chicken on prohibted ground.

"Look here, my man," said the commanding officer to the farmer who brought the accusation, "are you quite certain that this man shot your bird? Will you swear to it?"

"No, I won't do that," replied the canny farmer, "but I will say he's the man I suspect of doing it."

"That's not enough to convict a man," retorted the officer, considerably nettled. "What raised your suspicions?"

"Well, sir, replied the sturdy farmer, as he slowly mopped his forehead with his bandanna, "I saw 'im on my property with a gun; then I heerd the gun go off; then I saw 'im putting the chicken into his knapsack; and it didn't seem sensible somehow to think the bird committed suicide."—Youth's Companion.

Had Enough of That Diet.

"I had my dyspepsia almost cured once," said Crabbe.

"But you couldn't stand the diet, eh?" asked Flabbe.

"Well, it was this way," explained Crabbe. "Doctor Pilter advised me to eat chopped oat cakes. I ordered a box, and after eating them for a week I felt fine. When Bridget said the cakes were gone I had her bring me in the box so that I could get the name and order more, but I never placed the order."

"Why not?" inquired Flabbe. "The cakes were helping you."

"I found," said Crabbe, looking sick at the recollection, "that I had been eating dog-biscuit."

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Emerson as a Vocalist.

As a student at Harvard, Ralph Waldo Emerson did not give much promise of his future greatness. His dissertation was spoken of as "a very good one, but too long to give much pleasure to the hearers." He was class poet, but only after seven others had been successively elected, and had successively declined the honor. A story told by Mr. Arthur Stanwood Pier, in "The Story of Harvard," goes to show that Emerson's musical efforts were even less appreciated.

Singing in the yard was a popular diversion, and early in his freshman year, Emerson, wishing to have a share in the fun, went to the singing master, who said to him, "Chord."

"So I made some kind of a noise," said Emerson, "and the singing master aid, 'That will do, ir; you need not come again.'"—Youth' Companion.

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Bathe your face for several minutes with resinol soap and hot water, then apply a little resinol ointment very gently. Let this stay on ten minutes, and wash off with resinol soap and more hot water, finishing with a dash of cold water to close the pores. Do this once or twice a day, and you will be astonished to find how quickly the healing, antiseptic resinol medication soothes and cleanses the pores, removes pimples and blackheads, and leaves the complexion clear and velvety. All druggists sell resinol soap and resinol ointment.—Adv.

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"How was your tour of Egypt?"

"I enjoyed it immensely."

"I guess you saw the pyramids, the Sphinx and all the other sights?"

"Well, yes, but they didn't make much of an impression on me. I fell in with an old gentleman from Pine Bluff, Ark., who could tell such funny stories that I hardly knew whether I was touring Egypt or Arkansas."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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Little Girl—Please, Mr. Murphy, muvver says, if it's fine tomorrow, will you go beggin' with 'er?—Punch.

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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Three hundred six thousand hogs died from disease, in this state, last year.

The chicken season opens Sept. 7th, but some can hardly wait that long.

Wm. E. Lee announces he has not changed his views on county option, as is being reported by some.

This state uses over two million cords of wood, annually, valued at more than ten million dollars.

In what way is a dogs tail like the heart of a tree? It is the fartherest from the bark, see?—Ex.

Thief River Falls is making a kick to the rail road commissioner about the G. N. station at that place.

Last week we advertised a space for sale and closed a deal for it in less then a day after the paper was out.

Thief River butchers are going to make their customers pay cash. Better kill a chicken either tame or wild.

We must give the people on the farm the same educational advantages for their children as the cities have.

There are fifty thousand bachelors in Minnesota and about as many widows. Let's see, when does leap year come again?

It was so rainy and chilly the first of the week that many of our people set up their stoves and got ready for autumn weather.

The meat producing animals of the U. S. have decreased over four million in the last year. No wonder meat is going up.

This office has been turning out "a good bit" of job work the past week for The Holt Realty Co., and The D. Payne Lumber Co. Who's next?

The farms of Minnesota employ 108,000 laborers and the average monthly compensation is $28.90 and board, or $41.00 if the man boards himself.

We would suggest that Marshall Co. be divided. Then perhaps this section would get some of the political and official plums they are entitled to.

Mattson Bros. started out early Monday morning with their rig, but the rain soon put a stop to all threshing, which otherwise would have commenced in earnest, the first of the week.

There are 847,000 horses on the farms of this State and they are valued at $105,875,000. There are 20,963,000 in the U. S., worth over two million dollars, an average of a little over $109 each.

We wish to correct a statement published in the Middle River Pioneer regarding one Pete Backland of Holt. There is no such man living here nor has he ever lived here according to our best knowledge.

Hard cash is what counts. If merchants want the trade that mail order houses are getting, they must do as others have done, keep a mail order catalog, meet their prices and advertise to that effect, everlastingly advertise.

S. M. Severtson of Crookston, auditor for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., accompanied by his bookkeeper visited Holt, Middle River and Strathcona last Saturday and found all their elevators doing a good business especially the one here in charge of Henry Oien.

For Sale!

A good young Jersey cow, now giving milk, will be fresh in Feb.

Sam Mickelson

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Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received, by the undersigned, up to and including Sept. 8, 1914, for furnishing 12 cords of four foot wood, cut into stove lengths, at least three cords to be delivered by Sept. 19th 1914.

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J. M. Jahr, President
School Dist. No. 148, Marshall Co.

Golden Valley.

(Written for last week)

Mr. Bernstein purchased a team of bay drivers from J. B. Grosby, last week. Consideration $365.00.

W. R. Hoag and son William were in Whiteford and Mud Lake, Thursday and Friday, on business.

Mr. Jensen made a trip to Plumer last Saturday to visit his son Cornelius. He returned Sunday bringing home a fine thoroughbred Jersey red sow, he purchased while there.

Mr. Hanson, who contracted for the new school house in Whitford, has a crew of five men. They are camping in John Anderson's old house, and are now laying the cement foundation, while the lumber is being hauled.

Ten Rollis and Mud Lake ladies went on an excursion looking for berries last Thursday. They found a nice little patch and became so interested in filling their pails, they forgot all about their team, which got loose and went half way to Middle River. The pickers returned late at night, tired but happy

Take this paper, only one dollar a year.

Agnes Gunderson came Tuesday from Crookston.

If you know any item of news will you kindly tell us.

Nazareth Ladies' Aid next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Gunheim

Meat is bound to be high and the prudent farmer will raise more cattle, hogs, sheep and poultry,

Now is the time to plan a proper rotation of crops. Rotation, clover and barn yard manure will keep up the fertility of the soil.

Minnesota has 12,000 pensioners, drawing over two million dollars every year. What about Europe when their terrible war is over?

Timothy hay is very little better for milch cows than oat straw, and is hard on land. Clover, alfalfa and corn silage build up, both,

Rev. E. J. Nordlander of Worcester, Mass., will preach in both English and Swedish, on Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon and evening, Sept. 12th and 13th.

A report issued by the Federal Bureau of Education shows that there are twenty one commercial schools and business colleges in Minnesota. The 1913 enrollment was 6839 pupils, It is estimated that more than half this number completed commercial courses and a large number are now employed in Minnesota business institutions.

In the entire nation there are 618 business colleges and commercial schools and they acomodate 160,557 students annually. This is an average annual attendance of 290 pupils per school.

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LION NOT TO BE CHEATED

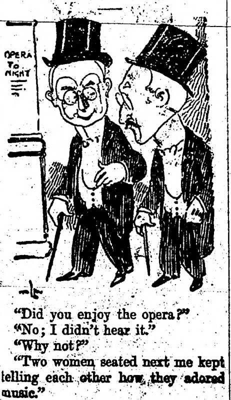
Captain Stigand Tells Story of Beast's Perseverance in Its Quest for a Meal.

At a village near Fort Mangoche, also in Nyasaland, a man was sitting one night at the door of his hut drumming, while his wife was cooking food inside. The hut was an isolated one, being several yards from the rest of the village.

Suddenly the woman heard the man cry out, "A lion has got me." She took a burning fagot from the fire, ran out and smacked the lion in the face. The astonished animal let go, and she dragged her husband into the hut and hastily put up the poles which form the door. The man died a few minutes after and the woman sat there with the dead body.

Presently the lion returned and scratched gently at the door. This he repeated several times till it got on the woman's nerves. At last she could stand it no longer, so she took another fagot from the fire, unbarred the door and fled to the village, leaving the dead man. The lion then walked into the hut and took him.—From Capt. C. H. Stigand's "Hunting the Elephant in Africa."

WE KNOW THEM



"Did you enjoy the opera?"

"No; I didn't hear it."

"Why not?"

"Two women seated next me kept telling each other how they adored music."

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NOTICE For PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Aug. 17, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ernest Pechie, of Golden Valley, Minnesota who on September 26th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05641, for S. W. 1-4, Sec. 12, Township 156 N. Range 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of Sept. 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Rudolph Dahl, Chas. A. Holmgren and T. G. Dahl all of Golden Valley, Minnesota and J. J. Kelly, of Rollis, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Aug. 18th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Johanna Malone Nelson, a widow of Martin A. Nelson, deceased, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on October 5th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05663, for N½ SW¼ & SE¼ NW¼ & NW¼ SE¼, Section 28, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridan has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22 day of Sept., 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Peter Ostlund, John O. Foss, Thomas Sten all of Golden Valley, Minn.; and Albert H. Huseth of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land office at Crookston, Minnesota, August 4, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Olga C. Larson, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who on June 4th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08035, for Lots 1 and 2, Section 17, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 8th day of September, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Bernard Larson,
Oscar Odie,
Clarence Larson,
Jacob Gabrielson all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
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R. Rierson, Holt, Minn.

Next Monday is Labor Day and a legal holiday.

Ole Davidson drove to Thief River Falls on business, first of the week.

Rev. Nordlander is a scholar and preacher of great ability. Hear him Sept. 12th and 13th.

Mrs. M. A. Nelson has returned to her home in Minneapolis after spending a couple of weeks on her claim and with friends in Holt.

The new Star Hall is quite an imposing structure and one that all the people can justly be proud of. The building is 24x50 with 16 foot posts. A hard maple floor will be laid in the hall and everything will be right up-to-date. The second floor will have 8 living rooms, of which four will be occupied by Mr. Silbaugh and family and the others will be rented. THE NEWS is sure all Holt will appreciate the efforts made to furnish them a good hall.

Wanted.

At The Farmers' Home Restaurant a girl to wait on table and do general house work. Good wages paid to the right one.

Sam Mickelson, Prop.

Correspondents Wanted.

We wish to secure correspondents for The Holt Weekly News from as many neighboring townships and postoffices as possible. Anyone who are interested should write to this office at once for further particulars. We will make it both interesting for you and worth your while. Represent your district by telling the newspaper what the people are doing.

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COMMON DISEASE.

"He's got the foot and mouth disease."

"Never heard of it, what's it like?"

"Whenever he opens his mouth he puts his foot in it."

LITERAL.

"When you said you'd give a penny for my thoughts, did you think there were ideas in them?"

"No; it was just cent-I-meant."

THAT'S IT.

"What is the stuff that dreams are made of?" asked the boob.

"Welsh rabbits," replied the cheerful idiot.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

ANTI-EUGENICS.

"Here's another slap at eugenics."

"What now, for heaven's sake?"

"Oh, nothing; just another couple has eloped."—St. Louis Republic.

Public Auction this afternoon of Chris Yttri.

Local Items

Get your meals at the hotel. adv

For Dr. G. H. Gambell, Phone 1[illegible]. (ad-tf)

Miss Gunderson returned to Crookston, Tuesday.

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

John Lein came Tuesday to visit at the Gunheim home.

Paul March of T. R. Falls was business visitor in town Tuesday.

Miss Lydia Riesberg came, Friday from Thief River Falls to visit home folks.

Racine Olson left for Warren Monday to resume threshing operations.

Despite the rain there was a good attendance at the Ladies' Aid, Friday afternoon.

P. L. Anderson was a pleasant visitor at the G. P. Sorter home Monday evening.

Mrs. E. M. Silbaugh returned Saturday from a visit at Mud Lake with Mrs. M. A. Nelson.

Miss Esther Rierson went to Silverton, Friday, to visit her cousin, Mrs. Andrew Nass.

Mrs. Alex Strom and children have been visiting at the Riesberg home the past week.

Mrs. B. J. Bakke and children of Thief River Falls visited at the Ben Docken home this week.

[illegible] Mrs. John Johnson, Wednesday morning Sept. 2nd. Congratulations.

Miss Carrie Peterson came from Warren, Monday, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Peterson.

D. Payne has been having some carpenter and mason work done in and around his hen house and barn.

Carl Engebretson, and wife were entertained Sunday, at the pleasant home of his brother, Nils Engebretson.

Miss Anna Nass went to Thief River Falls, Friday. She expects to attend school there, commencing on Monday of this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sollom, a sweet little baby girl, Monday August 31st. Congratulations are extended to the happy parents.

A goodly number attended the ladies aid at Gunhein's Wednesday. The next meeting will be held at Chas. Hagglunds the first Wednesday in October.

W. F. Bonar and wife, who have been visiting her brothers Walter and Earl Patten, returned to Bisbee, N. D. Monday where he is a teacher in the public schools.

B. L. Backe accompanied by his father, Lars Backe of T.R. Falls, and Adolph Sollom autoed over to Rosewood last week Thursday, returning home in a fine (?) rain storm.

Mrs. Bray and children came from Fertile, Tuesday to make her home in Holt. Mrs. Bray is a sister of Mrs. A. H. Huseth and the News joines the people of Holt in extending a cordial welcome to this little family.

Arvid and Anthony Carlson accompanied by Misses Bella and Clara Sollom attended the Elk's picnic in T. R. Falls. Arvid Carlson was the successful competitor in the fat man's race and received as a prize a cigar some what smaller than a cord wood stick. Miss Bella Sollom occupied the pitcher's box in the ladies ballgame, and her playing was well spoken of.

In Church Circles.

Sunday School 10:30, Free mission church.

Rev. Nordlander will preach here Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 12 and 13. He comes from a large church and city and is well worth hearing.

Rev. A. L. Larson of T. R. Falls will preach in the Free Mission church at three o'clock next Sunday afternoon and all will be cordially welcomed.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl will preach in the Lutheran church at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at Ringbo 3:30 in the afternoon and at Middle River at 8 o'clock in the evening.

The young people of Ringbo held their second meeting, since organizing, at Ed. Erickson's place last Sunday evening. A goodly number were in attendance and a profitable meeting was held.

There was a good attendance at the Young People's meeting at the Andrew Bjerk home, last Sunday. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year; Ole Johnson, President; B. Docken, Treasurer, Iver Borshein Secy. Mesdames Chas. Heinze and B. Docken and Miss Dovre, Program Committee.

Peter Kolden drove to Thief Lake Tuesday.

S. S. Kolden returned Friday from Grand Forks.

Miss Ewald was a passenger for Holloway Tuesday.

Mrs. Ole Davidson is visiting in T. R. Falls this week.

Ole Backlund was a Newfolden business visitor Wednesday.

Farmers! Get your meals at the hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop.

Dr. R. L. Olson was a professional caller in Ringbo Tuesday forenoon.

C. W. Latta was in T. R. Falls Tuesday and Wednesday on business.

Walter and Earl Patten left Monday for the Dakota threshing fields.

Henry Hesby of Thief River Falls was seen on our streets, Tuesday.

Miss Mary Knutson returned home Tuesday, from Winnepeg Canada.

Julius Olson was added to the force, Tuesday, now working on the new Star Hall.

Chris Yttri was a business visitor at Mud Lake Monday where he bought some cattle.

Mrs. F. Lundahl of Thief River Falls has been a guest at the P. A. Riesberg home for a few days.

Henry Oien and Alfred Olson visited Mud Lake and at Clarence Larson's in Golden Valley, Sunday.

Basket Social in the new school house in Dist. No. 59, near T. O. Dovre's, benefit of school. Everybody welcome.

B. L. Backe and wife, Mrs Thomas and dauhter, and Adolph Sollom and wife, all visited in Thief River Falls and Mud Lake Saturday afternoon and Sunday.

Carlsons autoed out to P. P. Rierson Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Rierson and Mrs. Ryme, the three latter remaining for a few days visit on the farm.

E. E. Pechie, the accomodating mail carrier from Golden Valley, is the proud possessor of a brand new Ford auto. We bet he will hate to take it out in the mud.

On account of the slowness of the firm in getting out the refrigerator and the best of the season being over, Holt will not have a butcher shop this fall. However we hope to have one by spring any way, unless meat is sky high by that time.

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Germans Making Daily Advances Toward Paris, Though Right Wing Is Checked—Canadian, Indian Australian and South African Troops Hasten to Aid the British

Washington, Sept. 1.—Great Britain, France and Russia today advised the United States informally that they would look with disfavor on the purchase by this government of German merchant steamers to relieve conditions from the European war, and also to build up an American merchant marine. The chief objection is that the transaction would establish a large gold credit in the hands of Germany.

London, Sept. 1—Taken at its face value, the French official announcement this afternoon, which mentions the progress of the German right wing had forced the allies to yield further ground, seems to indicate that the Germans, notwithstanding repulses, are making daily advances toward Paris.

The statement Sunday by Field Marshall French, commander of the British troops, however, spoke of fighting on the French left, but this, according to one report, resulted in the German right being slightly turned.

If silence means there is nothing doing, French's statement Sunday that the British have not been molested since Wednesday, still holds good. Nothing is known by the public in London of new fighting either in northern or eastern France.

From Canada, India, Australia and South Africa, the British army soon will receive reinforcements. Some of these troops are reported already landed in France.

Paris, Sept. 1—An official statement tonight summarizes the war situation to date as follows:

"On our right after partial checks, we have taken the offensive and the enemy is retiring before us.

"In the center we have had alternative checks and successes, but a general action now is being fought.

"On our left by a series of circumstances which turned in favor of the Germans despite lucky counter attacks, the Anglo-French forces have been obliged to give way. As yet, our armies, notwithstanding a few incontestable checks, remain intact. The morale of our troops is excellent despite considerable losses which also are being rapidly filled from regimental depots."

London, Sept. 1—A long official statement by the French war office, reviewing the operations in Belgium, and on the French frontier, records a new retirement by the allied forces, while at the same time the statement is optimistic with reference to the opposition with reference to the opposition which the French and British are offering to the German advance.

No definite details are forthcoming regarding the general battle, which apparently is in progress all along the line.

Washington, Sept. 1.—The moving of the seat of government from Paris to Bordeaux is under consideration by France, official advices state. Neutral diplomats convey the information that 70,000 Britishers for three days checked 200,000 Germans. The place of the battle is not given.

Chartered by the American Red Cross, the steamer Hamburg of the Hamburg-American line, to be renamed "Red Cross," will sail for Europe Saturday.

New York, Sept. 1.—The British steamship Holmwood has been sunk by a German cruiser, off the coast of South America, according to a cablegram received here by the owner from the Katherin Park, which has the crew of the ship aboard. The cablegram, which is from Rio Janeiro, does not state the time nor the place of sinking, ror give the name of the German cruiser.

The Holmwood, a vessel of 4,223 tons gross register, was on her way from Newport, England, to Bahia Blanco, having left the latter port July 29.

Washington, Sept. 1. — Winston Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, through the embassy at London, today requested the state department to transmit the following message to Grand Admiral von Tirpitz of the German navy through the American ambassador at Berlin:

"Your son has been saved and has not been wounded."

London, Sept. 1.—The correspondent of the Express at The Hague wires his paper that Emperor William has gone to the Russian front.

London, Aug. 31.—According to the Times St. Petersburg correspondent, Russia's appeal to the Poles to reunite against the common Teutonic foe, has had an extraordinary effect among the Slav soldiers in the German service.

Information received in St. Petersburg, it is stated, indicates that the Polish soldiers belonging to the Sixth Breslau army corps, serving on the western frontier, mutinied and killed their officers.

The Slav regiments in the Austrian service are also declared to be notoriously disaffected.

CANADA'S HUGE GRAIN BINS

Port Arthur Paper Is Peeved at the Mention of Kansas City Elevators.

From the Port Arthur (Canada) Evening Chronicle

Kansas City gains the attention of the New York Evening Post and is given five inches of space in that admirable newspaper by reason of increasing the capacity of a grain elevator there. The Evening Post says:

"When the additions and alterations to its huge grain elevator at Kansas City now under way are completed the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain railroad will have one of the largest plants of its kind in the world."

The present capacity of the Kansas City product is one million bushels. When it gains its promised stature and becomes "one of the largest in the world" it will have a capacity of 2,133,000 bushels.

At the mention of grain elevators the twin ports at the head of the lakes prick up their ears and take notice. The name of Lloyd-George at a Tory garden party, or of President Wilson at a bankers' convention catches attention no quicker than the word "elevator" in the hearing of a Port Arthur-Fort William man. Toronto prides itself on its churches; Pittsburgh specializes on millionaires; Chicago has its pork and Boston its pork and beans—as for us, we rise to fame on the bins of our elevators, and he who says "one of the largest" about any old two-million-bushel outfit in Missouri must withdraw the statement or name the place and weapons.

If the Evening Post had said "one of the largest in Missouri," or in the general but expressive American phrase had said "some elevator," we wouldn't have minded it so much, but when it describes this stunted Missouri receptacle as "one of the largest grain elevators in the world" then it is time to kick. Why, two-million-bushel elevators are so common hereabouts that the secretary of the board of trade does not point them out to distinguished visitors. Nothing could show clearer than that what we think of two-million-bushel elevators.

When we have pointed to the 9,500,000-bushel C. N. R. elevator and the 7,800,000-bushel C. P. R. elevator and the 6,500,000-bushel G. T. P. elevator; then to the 3,500,000-bushel Dominion Government elevator which is only the first unit of what is to be a 30-million-bushel plant, by that time the air is so full of millions that the listener would be annoyed if we bothered him with mention of a mere two-million-bushel affair. So we just lump the balance together and describe the grand total of 45-million-bushel capacity already standing at the head of the lakes.

Upon the basis upon which Kansas City got five inches of space in the Evening Post we claim a complimentary writeup of at least three columns and in the article we would state that in one respect we are like Kansas City—when it is a question of big elevators we also are from Missouri.

Maria Could.

She kept boarders for their living. One day, at the dinner hour, she had been longer than usual in waiting upon the table. Finally, her husband said:

"Well, Maria, can't you sit down?"

And Maria answered: "I could the last time I tried."—National Food Magazine.

Forbidden? Yes, But—

The sailor had been showing the lady visitor over the ship. In thanking him she said:

"I see that by the rules of your ship tips are forbidden."

"Lor' bless year 'eart, ma'am," replied Jack, "so were the apples in the garden of Eden."

SISTER'S TRICK

But It All Came Out Right.

How a sister played a trick that brought rosy health to a coffee fiend is an interesting tale:

"I was a coffee fiend—a trembling, nervous, physical wreck, yet clinging to the poison that stole away my strength. I mocked at Postum and would have none of it.

"One day my sister substituted a cup of piping hot Postum for my morning cup of coffee but did not tell me what it was. I noticed the richness of it and remarked that the 'coffee' tasted fine but my sister did not tell me I was drinking Postum for fear I might not take any more.

"She kept the secret and kept giving me Postum instead of coffee until I grew stronger, more tireless, got a better color in my sallow cheeks and a clearness to my eyes, then she told me of the health-giving, nerve-strengthening life-saver she had given me in place of my morning coffee.

"From that time I became a disciple of Postum and no words can do justice in telling the good this cereal drink did me. I will not try to tell it, for only after having used it can one be convinced of its merits."

Ten days' trial shows Postum's power to rebuild what coffee has destroyed.

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Postum comes in two forms:

Regular Postum—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

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The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

SITUATION VERY GRAVE AT BUTTE; MILITIA CALLED

CRISIS COMES AS RESULT OF DYNAMITING OF MINE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—CITY THROWN INTO PANIC.

MINERS MAY ATTEMPT TO "CLEAN UP" STATE TROOPS

Business Men Striving to Get Aid From U. S. Government—Renewed Riots Are Anticipated and Bloodshed Can Hardly Be Avoided.

Butte, Mont., Sept. 1.—Mines of the Anaconda Copper Mining company and of other large companies operating in this district, were placed under guard as a result of the dynamiting Sunday of the employment office at the Parrot mine, operated by the Anaconda company.

No News of Mobilization.

News of Governor Samuel V. Stewart's order mobilizing at Helena the state troops for duty at Butte, was withheld from the local public, for fear the miners would attempt reprisals. The miners had heard rumors of the troops coming, but they have heard such reports before and do not consider the report of the militia mobilization at Helena is true. They based their confidence that this latest report was groundless upon the belief that Governor Stewart would not risk sending so small a force as 600 militiamen against the miners, who number, according to the roster of the Butte Mine Workers' union, 800. It is said upon apparently good authority, that many outside "gunmen" are in Butte.

State Troops Arrive.

The state troops are expected to arrive late today, but in the meantime, there is reported to be in the city a large number of peace officers from nearby cities. The guards at the stores have been strongly reinforced since the dynamiting.

Plans for the entry of the militia into Butte are being kept secret, as it is feared that if the approach of the trains containing soldiers becomes known, mines will be laid. Miners have long been open in their threats against the militia, whom they profess to believe they would have no trouble "in cleaning up."

Federal Troops Wanted.

Business men and the mining officials are making every effort to procure the presence of federal troops in Montana. Numerous telegrams were sent last night to Montana's delegation at Washington, urging that they prevail upon President Wilson to send regulars either to Fort Missoula or Fort Harrison at Helena, to be ready to cope with the situation in Butte.

The city has been quiet but the streets crowded. The feeling is tense.

Renewed Riots Anticipated.

The reopening of the miners' jurisdictional quarrel that involved the city in riots and bloodshed last June, has been anticipated since the Mine Workers' union, the organization that is seeking to overthrow the Western Federation of Miners in this district, made the announcement that only members of the new union may work underground. Sine the new organization began to enforce that decree, Butte has virtually experienced a reign of terror that culminated Sunday

Two Killed in Auto Mishap.

Minneapolis, Aug. 31.—Mrs. Robert Roberts and Raymond Speaker were killed, and three injured, one seriously, when an automobile driven by Robert Roberts, carrying five persons, plunged over a 15-foot embankment two miles north of Bush lake and four miles southwest of the city limits Sunday afternoon. The machine turned over in a swamp. The injured were Robert Roberts, said to be seriously hurt; Hazel Roberts, his daughter, cut and bruised and Gladys Speaker, sister of Raymond, slightly bruised. The party was traveling toward the city when their car skidded on a sharp sandy curve.

English Take German City

London, Aug. 31.—The official information bureau announced that Apia (a seaport of Upolu, Samoan islands and capital of the German part of the group), surrendered on the morning of Aug. 29 to a British force from New Zealand. Germany's Samoan territory has been considered her most strategic possession in the Picifis. Apia, seized by the British, is the commercial metropolis of the group, contains numerous fine churches, schools and residences.

Cities Reported Taken.

London.—Germans have occupied the French cities of Lille, Valencienens and Roubaix, according to a dispatch from Ostend, Belgium. The French war office denies that Lille has been occupied, however.

Try to Embroil Spain.

Madrid, Aug. 28.—Efforts of a certain portion of the political leaders to stir up sentiment that will force Spain to cast her lot with the allies against Germany are being sternly frowned on by the king.

Tires at Before-War Prices

Goodyear Prices

It is Folly Today to Pay More

30 x 3 Plain Tread	$11.70
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These leading tires—built of extra-fine rubber, in the same way as always—are selling today at June prices.

You will find today a very wide difference between most tire prices and Goodyears.

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Men could see no way to pay for rubber abroad, and no way to bring it in. We, like others—in that panic—were forced to higher prices. But we have since gone back to prices we charged before the war, and this is how we did it:

We had men in London and Singapore when the war broke out. The larger part of the world's rubber supply comes through there. We cabled them to buy up the pick of the rubber. They bought—before the advance—1,500,000 pounds of the finest rubber there.

Nearly all this is now on the way to us. And it means practically all of the extra-grade rubber obtainable abroad.

Today we have our own men in Colombo, Singapore and Para. Those are the world's chief sources of rubber. So we are pretty well assured of a constant supply, and our pick of the best that's produced.

We were first on the ground. We were quickest in action. As a result, we shall soon have in storage an almost record supply of this extra grade of rubber.

And we paid about June prices.

Now Inferior Grades Cost Double

About the only crude rubber available now for many makers is inferior. In ordinary times, the best tire makers refuse it. Much of it had been rejected. But that "off rubber" now sells for much more than we paid for the best.

The results are these:

Tire prices in general are far in advance of Goodyears. And many tire makers, short of supplies, will be forced to use second-grade rubber.

Be Careful Now

In Goodyears we pledge you the same grade tire as always. And that grade won for Goodyears the top place in Tiredom—the largest sale in the world.

And, for the time being, our prices are the same as before the war. We shall try to keep them there.

We accept no excessive orders, but dealers will be kept supplied. And we charge them, until further notice, only ante-bellum prices.

That means that Goodyears—the best tires built—are selling way below other tires.

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With All-Weather Treads or Smooth

REWARDS OF VALOR

Crosses of Honor Will Be Won in the European War.

England, France and Germany Bestow These Testimonials of Deeds of Daring Performed by Officers or Privates.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—Some of the soldiers of England, France and Germany in the present war unquestionably will win the crosses of honor which are the most coveted decorations which governments give for acts of conspicuous personal gallantry in the face of the enemy.

To Americans perhaps the French Cross of the Legion of Honor and the Victoria Cross of England are more familiarly known than are the decorations given by Germany. In the United States we have the Congressional Medal of Honor which is given by congress for individual deeds of daring in the field. The intrinsic value of any of these badges is about one cent, and yet for the privilege of wearing them soldiers seem always ready to tread Gray's "paths of glory."

The French decoration was first granted under Napoleon in the early part of the present century; the Victoria Cross was instituted during the Crimean war and the American medal of honor was first struck off to reward acts of heroism performed during the Civil war. The French cross may be won by civilians; the English and American crosses are pinned only upon the breasts of soldiers and sailors. In the armies of all three nations officer and private, peasant and prince, have equal chances of wearing that which nothing but attested bravery can buy.

The first Victoria Cross granted for bravery in the South African war was given to Col. Ian Hamilton of the Gordon Highlanders for conspicuous gallantry at the battle of Elandslaagte.

A perusal of the Gazette list which tells something of the deeds for which the Victoria Cross has been awarded shows that fully one-half of the most striking exhibitions of heroism have been shown by men whose shoulders bore no insignia of rank. One English publication states that with perhaps one exception the bravest thing ever done by a British soldier was the act of a drummer boy.

That drummer boy, if living, is now a man seventy-two years old, and for 57 years of that time he has been wearing the Victoria Cross, and has had the right to write V. C. after his name. This boy in the year 1857, amid a shower of shot and shells, fastened bags of gunpowder on the gates of Delhi. He carried death in his arms that day and met it in other forms all along his way. Others helped him and were killed; he lived and wore the cross.

It was another British drummer boy who, while acting as a field bugler for Lord Napier of Magdala in the Abyssinian war, left the general's side and dashed first into the stronghold of "Theodore the Tyrant."

Bird of a Threat.

"My next-door neighbor sent word to me to oil my lawn mower."

"And did you do it?"

"Yes; he said if I didn't he'd bring home a parrot."—Boston Transcript.

BATTLE-TORN STANDARDS OF BELGIANS

Photograph of Belgian cavalry during the fighting about Liege, showing standards torn to ribbons by the Germans.

BEYOND THE ORIENTAL MIND

Present Craze for Dancing Is Something Indians and Japanese Do Not Understand.

A feature of the London season is the revival in dancing; people are now interested not only in watching the professional stage dancer of either sex but in dancing themselves. Indians and Japanese alike express their astonishment at the European practice of rushing about in ballrooms.

To the Oriental mind dancing is something that should be done professionally, to amuse the host and guests looking on. They cannot comprehend men and women dancing together as partners, except as a scheme for flirting.

The Japanese artist Yoshio Markino recounts that he was frankly amazed when his host, who was "an old man of about sixty," told him that he was going to a ball, and that he was going because he loved dancing.

"And with whom do you dance," the Japanese inquired, "with your own wife or with some other old man?"

To which the English gentleman replied: "Not quite necessarily," and explained that he preferred dancing with girls, whereupon the Oriental comments:

"What a madly flirting nation they are, these English! They flirt until they die!"

Women are always ready to kiss and make up—but they usually make up before they kiss.

WOMEN WHO ARE ALWAYS TIRED

May Find Help in This Letter.

Swan Creek, Mich.—"I cannot speak too highly of your medicine. When through neglect or overwork I get run down and my appetite is poor and I have that weak, languid, always tired feeling, I get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it builds me up, gives me strength, and restores me to perfect health again. It is truly a great blessing to women, and I cannot speak too highly of it. I take pleasure in recommending it to others."—Mrs. ANNIE CAMERON, R.F.D., No. 1, Swan Creek, Michigan.

Another Sufferer Relieved.

Hebron, Me.—"Before taking your remedies I was all run down, discouraged and had female weakness. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and used the Sanative Wash, and find today that I am an entirely new woman, ready and willing to do my housework now, where before taking your medicine it was a dread. I try to impress upon the minds of all ailing women I meet the benefits they can derive from your medicines."—Mrs. CHARLES ROWE, R. F. D., No. 1, Hebron, Maine.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

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The Movies.

Teacher (meaning the scholars to answer about the moon and stars)—Now, children, what is it we can see in the darkness that we cannot see in the daytime?

A very small voice—Please, teacher, the moving pictures.—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

In Time of Domestic Stress.

Knicker—What does your wife do when words fail her?

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Steps are sometimes taken for a divorce at public balls.

I Want Some of THE BLACK SHELLS

THE BLACK SHELLS primer gives a hotter and more *uniform* flame than any other—because it has none of the ordinary mercury and ground glass. Mercury is heavy—glass is light. Judge the difficulty of combining them evenly, so that each tiny cap load shall be uniform. A big per cent of your misses has been due to varying primers and to nothing else. Our priming mixture is a strictly chemical combination and *must* be uniform. Again, ground glass absorbs 16% of the heat, while our primer materials are all combustible and so increase the heat.

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SAY WILSON WANTS LONG REST

FRIENDS DECLARE PRESIDENT IS READY FOR ADJOURNMENT.

Executive Will Take No Part in Coming Campaign, as Had Been Planned—Is Under Nervous Strain.

Washington, Aug. 31.—Close friends of President Wilson say that he is now anxious that congress shall adjourn as soon as possible and that contrary to the plans he made several weeks ago he will take little or no part in the congressional campaign of this fall. The president is said to be under severe mental and nerve strain because of the events of the European war and the death of his wife, and he is hoping for a long rest. He will probably not make more than one or two speeches in the campaign.

The fact that Mr. Wilson is now anxious to have congress get away is shown by the intimation through his friends that congress may let the railway securities bill go over till the next session.

Senate Democrats will caucus on a program and it is expected will agree to lay aside the railway securities bill.

With the railway securities bill dropped, this leaves as indispensible for the action of congress, before adjourning, an agreement on the trade commission bill which is in conference and on the Clayton bill, which will pass the senate sometime next week; also certain emergency legislation arising from the war will be passed.

This emergency legislation includes the war tax bill. The war risk insurance bill, which has been passed by the senate, will be hurried through the house. While it is possible that such legislation will keep congress here all fall, the opinion of most of the members is that adjournment will be possible late in September or about Oct. 1. This would give time for members to go home and take a hand in the fall campaign.

NORWEGIANS SEE SEA FIGHT

Steamer Caught During Recent Naval Battle But Escapes With No Fatalities—Description of Fray.

Stockholm, Aug. 31.—The officers and men aboard the Norwegian steamer King Guttorm, bound from Krageroe to Bremerhaven, witnessed the sea fight at Helgoland.

There were about 25 vessels on each side. When the fleets drew close the cannonading sounded like the continuous roar of the thunder and the sea was in great commotion. The most advanced of the battle lines were only a quarter of a mile apart.

Before getting away the King Guttorm was completely surrounded by the battling fleet and her terror-stricken crew found themselves in the midst of a shower of shells. The crew believed that their last hour was near.

The steamer's stern was struck by a projectile which penetrated her hull without, however, going through. Several of the crew were wounded. The crew saw many Germans killed.

WINNIPEG HAS WAR MEETING

Urge 100,000 Men for Field Service and Suggest Mounted Police Be Increased.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 29 Mayor Deacon called citizens of Winnipeg to a "war meeting." Nearly 10,000 responded and unanimously expressed determination to do their full duty in the defense of the empire and the carrying on of the war.

Mayor Deacon presided and after many speakers had told of the cause of the war, and of the empire's part in it, two resolutions were passed, one requesting the government to undertake the organization of an additional force of active militia of 100,000 men, in order to be enabled to send successive divisions to support or augment the army in the field, this to be in addition to the regular militia. The other resolution requested the government to increase the Northwestern Mounted police to at least 3,000 men for service between the Great Lakes and the Pacific.

Montreal Boy Sentry Killed.

Montreal, Aug. 29.—Sixteen-year old Gordon Betts, private in the Fifth Royal Highlanders, was shot in the eye and killed by an unseen assailant while on sentry duty at the canal at Soulanges. Since the outbreak of the war a guard has been placed over all canals in the Dominion to prevent their being injured by dynamite. Soldiers at Soulanges, guarding the canal, have been fired on repeatedly during the last few days.

Germans Burn City

London, Aug. 29.—The war office officially confirmed the report that Louvain, Belgium, has been completely destroyed by the Germans as a military measure.

Russian Prince a Hero

London, Aug. 31.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg recites a daring act credited to Prince Eristoff, a colonel in the Russian horse artillery. When the Germans were retreating from Stallupoehnen, a town of east Prussia, the prince ordered his men to unhitch their horses from tehir own guns, mount them and gallop after the Germans. Under a heavy fire the Russian cavalrymen, led by the prince, went forward, captured the German guns and brought them back to their lines.

BECOMES ASSOCIATE JUSTICE

JAMES C. M'REYNOLDS.

Washington, Aug. 31.—The senate has just confirmed the nomination of Attorney General McReynolds to be an associate justice of the supreme court. Senators said the vote was "very decidedly" in favor of the confirmation. The senate later confirmed Thomas W. Gregory to be United States attorney general. The vote on the McReynolds confirmation was 44 to 6. The principal speech in opposition was made by Senator Norris, of Nebraska.

CORN CROP WILL FALL SHORT

BIG CROPS WILL KEEP ROADS BUSY, HOWEVER.

Special Preparations Made to Care for Movement From West—Lifting Embargo Will Benefit.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—Reports received by the big granger railroads centering in Chicago indicate that the expected 3,000,000,000 bushel corn crop will not be realized, but that the crop will be large enough to furnish traffic for all the cars which will be available. Special preparations to care for the corn movement is being made by each of the lines, with those reaching the southwest showing most activity.

The Chicago & Northwestern road reports that recent rains have benefited corn, vegetables and pasture along its lines. General conditions are good. In Nebraska the corn is reported to have been damaged by high temperatures.

Reports made by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway pay less attention to corn as that grain furnishes a smaller proportion of its traffic than is the case with the other systems to the south.

Reports of all lines indicate a decided slump in the grain traffic. There has been fair tonnage of other kinds moving during the past month, but the drop in grain offered has caused most of the roads to show less traffic moving during August, 1914, than was the case a year ago. Traffic is expected to be improved following the lifting of the embargo and at the gulf ports and all of the granger lines will accept grain for shipment to the sea board, indicating that terminal problems have been solved and that sufficient ships have cleared to handle such grain as had been blocking terminal yards.

Kaiser's Fall Foretold.

London, Aug. 31.—It is recalled at this stage of the European conflict that a long time ago German newspapers gave an account of a supposed interview of the kaiser with a gypsy. "Germany," she told him, "will have a great war in 1914, and," she added, ominously, "Germany will 'go under' when it is ruled by an emperor who mounts his horse on the wrong side. His heir will perish on the scaffold." It is significant, if one be at all superstitious, that the kaiser, owing to his lame arm, has to mount his horse on the off side.

Belgian Congo Attacked.

Paris, Aug 29.—A dispatch to the Havas Agency says that Libreville in Belgian Congo has been attacked by German troops. The Belgian administration, in accord with Great Britain has taken defensive measures and has informed the French government of its action.

Japanese Boats Draw Fire

Tsing-Tau, China, Aug. 31.—Two small Japanese cruisers drew the fire shots from the Tsing-Tau fortifications. Several shots dropped around one of the cruisers, whereupon the vessel fired one shot in reply and withdrew. It is reported that one German shell found its mark.

Belgians Threaten Reprisal.

Antwerp, Aug. 31.—Reports of a wanton destruction of Louvain by the Germans have aroused Belgians to such an extent that threats of reprisals are being freely made. This "act of barbarism," as it is described in the official reports, "coming on top of the scores of instances of violation of the laws of nations," has aroused all Belgium. The foreign minister personally visited the neutral representatives here and asked that they bring the matter to the attention of their respective governments.

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WANTED TO EXCHANGE SEATS

Man Sitting In Draft Had Reason for Inquiring as to Presence of Christian Scientist.

Dr. Henry Moskowitz, president of the New York civil service commission, tells this story.

It happened at the state convention of the Progressives at Syracuse.

"A quiet-spoken man near one of the doors arose and inquired if there happened to be a Christian Scientist among the assemblage.

"In answer to his question a lady left her seat and wended her way to the man.

"'I am a Christian Science teacher,' she said. 'What can I do for you?'

"'If you do not mind changing seats with me, I would appreciate it very much,' hesitatingly replied the man. 'This draft is not very good for my cold.'"

DANDRUFF SCALED OFF SCALP

P. O Box 395, Berkeley, Cal.—"My hair was dry and falling out and my scalp scaly. At times there were pimples on my scalp. The pimples were small and red, would fester, dry and itch. My hair would grow a certain length and break off and fall out. The falling out was always preceded by the breaking out of the pimples and itching. Dandruff scaled off my scalp and could be seen in my hair.

"I saw Cuticura Soap and Ointment advertised in the newspaper so I wrote asking for a free sample. I applied the Ointment and let it remain over night. In the morning I washed the scalp thoroughly with Cuticura Soap and water. I then bought some Cuticura Soap and Ointment from my druggist. I treated my scalp for nine months. Now the scaly crust and pimples are gone and I have a new growth of thick, dry, brown hair." (Signed) Mrs. E K. Mcllvaine, Apr. 8, 1914.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

Another Pestering Contributor.

What is the best place to get planked shad? Hungry.

On the seaboard, of course.

It is said that distance lends enchantment to the view but not to a man's view of the almighty dollar.

18-Carat Cynicism.

Simms—You're a poor sort of a club member. I very seldom see you around at the clubhouse.

Timms—Why, I get around once or twice a week.

Simms—Well, look at me—I'm there every night.

Timms—Yes, but you're married and I'm single.

Doubtless there is an excess of lawyers, because no one lawyer could possibly know all the laws.

Water Is Good Medicine

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Rev. Nordlander, Sept. 12 and 13.

The State Fair commences Sept. 7th,

Minnesota iron ranges are yielding more ore than all the rest of the U. S.

B. L. Backe and A. H. Huseth autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday morning.

Annual meeting minnesota Crop Improvement Assn. at Brainerd Dec. 1—4

Miss Iverson went to Warren Monday to make out the final papers on her homestead.

Even the bird dogs are getting anxious to go hunting. Can the men and boys be blamed?

An expert was here Monday to make some repairs on the engine belonging to Ole Davidson.

Grain has commenced to come in to the elevators. All grain is a good price and farmers ought to be happy.

In planning a rotation of crops, be sure to include a few acres of corn. It will give your land a rest from small grain and furnish lots of feed.

Flour was rather a scarce article in our little burg last week. Since then a car has been received and now everybody is well supplied and happy.

A company of five farmers got a corn binder of Kolden & Co. and took it out monday. We believe the day is coming when corn binders will be quite generally used.

Nile Engebretson cut his third crop of alfalfa Wednesday. He tells us all the crops have been good and that this one is especially fine. Samples can be seen at this office.

Ole Garthus of East Valley hauled a load of oats in the bundle for Carl Surmo, the past week, that threshed out 62 bushels machine measure. That sounds pretty good to us Mr. Farmer.

Henry Hennemuth of Crookston, repair man for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., was here Friday and Saturday and put a water tank in the engine room and made some minor repairs about the elevator.

Rag chewing over Lee and Hammond will not make votes for either of them. The people are too intelligent to be deceived by such tactics. T'is better to deal in facts, and facts alone, for that is what really counts in summing up the worthiness of a man or party.

Olson & Jorgenson, who are farming 7 miles south in town of Esplee threshed oats, last Friday the 21st, from about 25 acres which yielded 1000 bushels or 40 bushels per acre, machine measure, they weigh out about 50 bushel. The best we have heard of this year.—Grygla Eagle.

The Holt public school opens Sept. 14th with Misses Cora Hanson and Dagny Bakke, of Thief River Falls, as instructors. Miss Hanson will have charge of the upper grades and the old school house will be used. It is probable the Woodman hall will be used for the lower grades.

Rev. E. J. Nordlander of Worcester, Mass., will preach in the Free Mission Church on Saturday evening Sept. 12th at 8 o'clock, in English, and on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Swedish, and at 8 o'clock on Sunday evening in English. Remember the dates, Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 12th and 13th. Rev. Nordlander preaches to large congregations every Sunday and is well worth hearing.

Southeast Of Holt.

M. Lunke and wife visited at the home of A. Klugness Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Mary is working for I. Wold, now-a-days.

mr. and mrs. T. Troisness and John Ose visited at the home of Knute Ose Sunday afternoon.

miss Gunda moe is working for mrs. O. Ose during threshing.

mr. and mrs. T. Olson and daughter myra, and mr. and mrs. John Olson visited at the home of Ole Olson Listol, Sunday.

miss Thora moe who has been staying with her sister, mrs. c. larson of Golden Valley, since the 4th of July returned to her home last Wednesday.

mr. and mrs. n. gunderson and family visited at the home of N. Sordahl Sunday afternoon.

Kids are beginning to get married in this vicinity. It certainly is funny they cant wait until they are grownups.

Alfred Klugness called on Nathan Soiney, Sunday.

Harry and Gunda moe visited with relatives in Golden Valley last week.

mr. and mrs. Ed. Hanson and sons Ralph and Joseph and the misses Ida and Jennie Klugness and Thora moe visited at the home of G. A. Soiney, Sunday.

Jacob Klugness called at mustuold's, monday forenoon.

Harry moe made a business trip to S. Torgerson's and Nels Gunderson's early monday morning.

S. Torgerson and wife visited at the home of A. Asland, Sunday afternoon.

Sam Grouen called at the home of S. Torgerson, Sunday afternoon.

The Ladies Aid of The Free Church will meet with mrs. O. G. Olson on Thursday Sept. 10th.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co, at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1.43
Wheat	$1.06
Barley	44 to 50
Oats	.39
Rye	.76
Flour, Best Patent	3.50

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesot, Aug. 31, 1914.

Notice is here given that Christopher Yttri, of Holt, Minnesota, who on June 14, 1913, made Homestead Entry, No. 09149, for SE 1-4, Section 5, Township 155 N, Range 41 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 5th day of October, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson, Ole S. Kirkelie, Albert Johnson, Alexander McGee all of Germantown, Minnesota. Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

NOTICE For PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Aug. 17, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ernest Pechie, of Golden Valley, Minnesota who on September 26th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05641, for S. W. 1-4, Sec. 12, Township 156 N. Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of Sept. 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Rudolph Dahl, Chas. A. Holmgren and T. G. Dahl all of Golden Valley, Minnesota and J. J. Kelly, of Rollis, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage containing a power of sale, duly executed and delivered by F. A. Ladwig and Clara Ladwid, his wife, Mortgagors, to Oscar A. Trytten, Mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of April, 1913, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of May, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 369, such default consisting in the non-payment of the sum of Eighty one and 20-100 Dollars, ($81.20) interest on the principal of the note secured by said Mortgage, which interest became due and payable on the 28th day of April, 1914, according to the terms and conditions of said note and Mortgage; and, Whereas, the undersigned, the Mortgagee and present owner and holder of said mortgage, has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount, principal and interest of the note secured by said mortgage to be due and payable; and, Whereas, the undersigned has been compelled to pay the sum of $60.40 interest on a prior mortgage on the premises hereinafter described, such interest being in default; and, Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said interest paid on the said prior mortgage, is the sum of Thirteen Hundred Forty and 26-100 Dollars ($1340.26), and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter (NW 1-4 SW 1-4) and the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter (SW 1-4 NW 1-4) of Section Seventeen (17), and the East half of the Southeast quarter (E 1-2 SE 1-4) of Section Eighteen (18), all in Township One Hundred and Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Fortyfour (44) West, of the 5th Principal Meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said marshall county at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of October, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Thirteen Hundred Forty and 29-100 Dollars ($1340.26), and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) Statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 27, 1914.

Oscar A. Trytten, Mortgagee.

H. O. Kjomme, Attorney for Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Commencing Sunday Aug. 30th. Sunday School will be held in the Free Mission Church at 10-30 o'clock every forenoon.

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Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Aug. 18th 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Johanna Malone Nelson, a widow of Martin A. Nelson, deceased, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on October 5th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05063, for N½ SW¼ & SE¼ NW¼ & NW¼ SE¼, Section 28, Township 156 N. Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridan has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22 day of Sept., 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Peter Ostlund, John O. Foss, Thomas Sten all of Golden Valley, Minn, and Albert H. Huseth of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6,1912

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land office at Crookston, Minnesota, August 4, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Olga C. Larson, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who on June 4th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08035, for Lots 1 and 2, Section 17, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 8th day of September, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Bernard Larson,
Oscar Odie,
Clarence Larson,
Jacob Gabrielson all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

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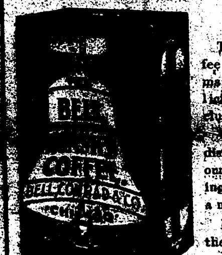

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Local Items

For Dr. G. H. Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

John Lein was a T. R. Falls passenger Saturday.

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

R. A. Burkett was a passenger for Thief River Falls, Friday.

Dr. R. L. Olson was taken suddenly sick Tuesday night.

Oscar Hanson and little son were in Middle River between trains Monday.

Nils Engebretson and Hans Dybdale autoed to T. R. Falls the first of the week.

Mrs. Ed. Skgolveld and children went to Stratchona Saturday to visit relatives.

L. S. Kolden and daughter, Mrs. Payne and little Lillian, autoed to T. R. Falls, Friday.

A. L. Ellison and wife of near Germantown were in town on business the first of the week.

Miss Selma Dovre, Bettie Johnson and Anna Nass went to T. R. Falls Monday to attend school.

Ole Nesett of Thief River Falls was a Sunday guest at the pleasant home of Dr. R. L. Olson.

Henry Rustad of Winnepeg, Canada visited his brother C. E. and family Tuesday and Wednesday.

Misses Olga and Nellie Saastad went to T. R. Falls, Monday. Miss Nellie will attend school there this term.

Hans Dybdale was a guest at the home of his daughter Mrs. Nils Engebretson and family the first of the week.

Bernard Paulsrud of Dickinson, N. D. visited D. Payne's and George Anderson's people, Thursday and Friday.

Arvid, Anthony and Ruben Carlson were entertained at the Louis Wigge home Sunday and dined on turkey.

Mrs. Clayton Russell and little child came Wednesday to visit at the home of her sister mrs. A. H. Huseth.

Mrs. Matt Larson went to Thief River Falls Friday, where she had some dental work done and returned home Saturday.

Rev. Nordlander preaches this Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon and evening. Both evening services will be in english.

Miss Lydia Riesberg accompanied by the children of her sister Mrs. Alex Strom, returned to T. R. Falls the first of the week.

Mr. Storholm came Saturday from Crookston for an extended visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Sam Mickelson and family.

Ruben Carlson came Saturday from Minneapolis to visit his brother Tony and uncle Arvid, and to enjoy the fine hunting in these parts.

Lars Backe visited his son B. L. Monday and Tuesday and accompanied by Adolph Sollom, the three gentleman had a big chicken hunt.

Mrs. H. W. Montgomery and two little girls returned Friday to their home in Fargo, N. D., after a pleasant two months visit at the home of her father, E. J. Warner and family.

Rudolph Dahl of Golden Valley was a passenger for Crookston Tuesday, where he went to get some repairs for his engine. Mr. Dahl reports the best oats he has threshed yielded forty five bushels to the acre.

ESTRAY

Three light red heifer calves and one steer calf, the largest has a white stripe on its back and the two smallest have some white spots. The calves are about 6 and 8 months old and they left my place August 25th. Reward paid for information as to their where abouts. Please notify mrs. John Bux, Holt minn.

Get your meals at the hotel. adv

C. W. Latta went to T. R. Falls Saturday.

Christ Yttri has commenced work on his new house.

Chris Sheveland was a passenger for T. R. Falls Monday.

Farmers! Get your meals at the hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop.

B. O. Vaagodahls have been entertaining comyany a few days.

Miss Mabel Haggland has resigned her position in Huseth's store.

Dr. Anderson was called Tuesday to see Ole Johnson who is very sick.

Miss Hannah Knutson returned Saturday from a visit at T. R. Fall.

Last week Thursday Matt Larson threshed his oats, which yielded him 35 bu. to the acre.

Mr. Mortenson and family are entertaining a daughter and her children from Benson, this week.

Andrew Moe threshed 6 1-2 acres of oats Friday from which he got over 600 bushels. That's not so bad for an off year.

Mrs. Ludwig Monson and baby and Master Henry Monson returned [illegible] stay at Mud Lake.

E. A. Miller, Supt. of Construction for the G. N. was here from Crookston last week Thursday on business for the railroad.

Clyde Ellison and Henry Rowe returned to Logan, Iowa Monday, after an extended visit at the home of A. L. Ellison near Germantown.

J. B. Alkenbrack was employed by Mr. Chapman, last week, to help put in a dam below the floating dredge, which is now working near Steiner.

D. Ward King of Missouri was the first man to use a road drag. He used a split log for the work, which was always done just as soon as it quit raining. Nearly all road drags are called king drags, in honor of the Missouri man.

E. J. Warner did a part of his threshing Monday and Tuesday. He had 20 acres of oats which yielded forty-six bu. per acre, and 10 or 12 acres of winter rye that went 32 bu. to an acre. We think this is fine and wonder if anyone can beat it.

P. E. Baumgardner, vice president of Deposit Bank of Winona was here Wednesday and Thursday of last week. B. Docken took him on an auto trip over the country and Mr. Baumgardner expressed himself "as will pleased with this part of the state."

L. S. Kolden and wife came Thursday from Nielsville for a few days visit with the families of S. S. Kolden and D. Payne. Their two little granddaughters, Edna and Lillian Payne, accompanied them home and will attend school there the coming year.

Last week our genial postmaster received a letter from a lady in Colorado, stating she had been reading about a young lady, in this country, holding down a claim with a shot gun and that there was no use of it as there was plenty of land in other places, etc. So it seems the rush for the Mud Lake lands is known far and wide. It pays to advertise.

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Reney Warner's team broke loose from a hitching post, in town Friday and upset the hay rack onto the ground but were caught before any damage was done

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Middle River, - - - Minnesota.

Mr. VonWold of Mud Lake recently visited relatives in Thief River Falls, returning home Tuesday.

GERMAN ADVANCE MEETS MUCH RESISTANCE; RUSSIANS CRUSH AUSTRIAN FORCES AT LEMBERG

ALLIES PREVENT ATTACK ON PARIS FOR THE PRESENT

GERMANS FALL BACK AND BEGIN GREAT TURNING MOVEMENT IN SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION, IT IS REPORTED.

TEUTONS EVIDENTLY TRYING TO CRUSH ALLIED ARMY

Siege of Capital of France Not Likely to Be Attempted Until Fighting In Open Assures Kaiser of Less Resistance From the Fortifications of Objective City.

Paris, Sept. 8.—The allied forces are in contact with the German line of invasion at four points scattered along the front. In two engagements, the most important at present, the fighting has resulted in successes for the allies and in the other two no definite result has been reached.

Maubeuge Holds Out.

Aside from this activity the allies are engaged in the defense of Maubeuge which holds out heroically.

On the left wing of the allies the right wing of the enemy was struck on the banks of the Grand Merin and after considerable fighting the position of the French and British forces was reported to be good.

German Right Falls Back.

The allies continued to press back the flank of the advanced guard of the German right to the northeast of Paris in an engagement which has endured some time, with the result that the Germans have been forced across the Ourcq. The advance of the allies met with no marked resistance. The allies plainly had the advantage of this movement and their situation appears to be good as a whole.

Situation Elsewhere Unchanged.

On the center and on the right in Lorraine and in the Vosges the situation remains unchanged, according to the war office statement, both the allies and the Germans being more concerned with the movement about Paris and that on the eastern frontier which are the vital strategical theaters of action in the present situation.

Abandon Advance on Paris.

The Germans have been forced to abandon their advance upon Paris and their fore army of invaders have commenced a gigantic turning movement in a southerly direction from the points they occupied in the east and northeast of Paris.

Apparently the German movement is being carried out because of the fear that the German forces may be forced into a defensive position. Or it may be a maneuver to extricate the enemy about Paris from threatened attack from the northwest.

Joffre Has Million Men.

The four German armies, against which is arrayed a force of 1,000,000 men under General Joffre, divided into seven armies, were distributed as follows before the southern movement began:

The first army had reached La Ferte and Bontmirail; the second was at Chantilly; the third occupied and was to the south of Rheims and the fourth rested on the Ourcq river, tributary of the Marne.

Cannot Besiege Paris.

General Cherfils of the French army declares it would be impossible for the Germans successfully to besiege Paris.

"Our army is as strong as that of Germany; it is concentrated, and our lines are intact," he said.

Despite the proximity of the German lines and the source of supply thus cut off, there is no scarcity of food in Paris. The markets are well supplied with fish, fruit and vegetables, and potatoes are selling for $1.60 a hundredweight. Seventy-five oxen were slaughtered Sunday.

Paris Official Statement.

Paris.—This official communication was issued: "First, the allied armies have again come into contact on our left wing, under good conditions, with the right wing of the enemy on the banks of Grand Morin.

"Second—Fighting continues on the center and right in Lorraine and the Vosges. The situation remains unchanged."

"Situation Appears Good."

"Third—Around Paris the engagement begun Saturday between the allied army and the flank of the advance guard of the German right has extended. We have advanced to the river Ourcq without great resistance. The situation of the allied armies appears good as a whole.

"Fourth—Maubeuge continues its heroic resistance."

England Makes Move.

Washington, Sept. 8.—German and Austrian consular officers have been ordered by British authorities to leave Egypt at once.

Roumania With Italy.

Roumania has announced officially that if she abandons her position of neutrality, it will be to follow the course taken by Italy.

Great Britain has informed the United States that she would look with favor on the sending of American warships to Turkish ports to care for Christians in case there was a Mohammedan uprising against them.

Conveyed to U. S.

These developments in the highly critical situation, brought about by the feeling of the Triple Entente that Turkey is certain to join the conflict on the side of Germany and Austria were conveyed to official dispatches to the United States government.

Great Britain's expulsion of German and Austrian consular officers were taken here to mean that she had determined to put an end to the pro-German propaganda which she believes these consular officials have been circulating since the outbreak of hostilities.

Affairs of Egypt.

The affairs of Egypt, a semi-sovereign state, under the suzeranity of the sultan, have been practically administered by Great Britain ever since the bombardment of Alexandria and the suppression of the Arabic insurrection, 32 years ago. The natives have never entirely lost their aversion, however, for the intruders and Britain believes Germany has, for a decade, been busy fomenting anti-British feeling.

Charges of France.

France has openly charged, in her communications with the American government, that German propaganda is busily astir inciting Mohammedan uprisings, not only in Egypt, but in India and Turkey.

Look for U. S.

England, France and Russia have reiterated that they wished to do nothing which might aggravate Turkey to abandon her position of neutrality. All three nations, therefore, are now looking to the United States to protect their subjects in case the expected Mohammedan uprising develops.

The North Carolina's Course.

While the cruiser North Carolina has been sent on a mission of relief, it is generally understood she will rendezvous in eastern Mediterranean waters for the salutary effect of her presence. There is even talk of sending the Tennessee with her so as to be ready for an emergency in Egypt.

Austrian Rout Complete.

London, Sept. 6.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Rome says a message received there from Petrograd states that the Russians have completely routed the Austrians near Tomazew and that two generals are among the Austrian dead.

Russians Move Northward.

The Rome correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company says dispatches from Vienna announce that following its success at Lemberg, the Russian center has suddenly begun a movement northward against the flank of the armies under the Austrian Generals Aufenburg and Dankel, who have been successfully operating against Lublin and Zjamohac.

Czar Is Notified.

A Petrograd special to the Reuter Telegram company says the commander-in-chief has notified the emperor of the occupation by the Russians of Lemberg, the capital of Galicia, and also Haliez, after severe fighting and completely routing the Austrian forces. The commander-in-chief's message was as follows:

"With the extreme joy and thanking God I announce to your majesty that the victorious army under General Russky has captured Lemberg. The army of General Brussiloff has taken Haliez."

Staff Gives an Account.

The Russian general staff yesterday issued the following account of the fighting which led to the capture of Lemberg:

Crossed Frontier Aug. 20.

"Our troops in the Lonthk, Dubno and Proskuroff districts crossed the frontier on Aug. 20, and marched on Lemberg for the purpose of thwarting the Austrian covering movement and acting against the flank of the enemy.

"In the period between Aug. 17 and Sept. 3, the Russian left wing advanced 220 versts (about 147 miles, fighting all the time. The bulk of the hostile forces entrenched in powerful positions at Kamenka and Dalitch, offered battle and were thoroughly defeated in a desperate contest.

Austrians Lose 12,000.

"Between Aug. 31 and Sept. 1, in one district of the upper course of the Guila Lipa alone, where the enemy's line was broken, the Austrians lost 12,000 men in killed or wounded.

"The retreat of the enemy after his defeat at Lemberg assumed the character of disorderly flight and panic, and the Russians took 200 guns, together with the baggage and tens of thousands of prisoners. It is believed that the remnant of the second Austrian army is now no longer of any military value."

GERMAN VICTORY.

London, Sept. 3.—On the eastern war stage, Russia frankly confesses to disaster to two army corps with the loss of three generals. A dispatch from Berlin announces that German and Austrian troops have occupied Lodz, the largest manufacturing center in Russian Poland.

Will March On Berlin.

The Russians size the situation up as follows:

"The operations in eastern Prussia, while subordinated to the general campaign to crush the Austrian resistance, will be continued in force. The fortress of Konigsberg is now completely invested and a part of the city is held by the Russians. The Germans have been very heavily reinforced from the western armies and are now in great strength all along the lines of their first fortifications. Despite this fact, however, the march on Berlin will be begun just as soon as the Austrian army is annihilated."

U. S. Ambassador Remains

Paris, Sept. 4.—The president and members of the government and all embassies of the allied nations have gone to Bordeaux, where they will remain during hostilities.

U. S. Ambassador Herrick, who has taken charge of the archives and embassies of all the belligerent powers, will remain in Paris with First Secretary Bliss and the second secretary.

Orders have been issued for the removal of the wounded from Paris to Rennes and Nantes.

The United States is now represented in Bordeaux by John W. Garratt, U. S. ambassador to Argentine, who went with the government, accompanied by Third Secretary Sulzeton.

Proclamation Explains Removal

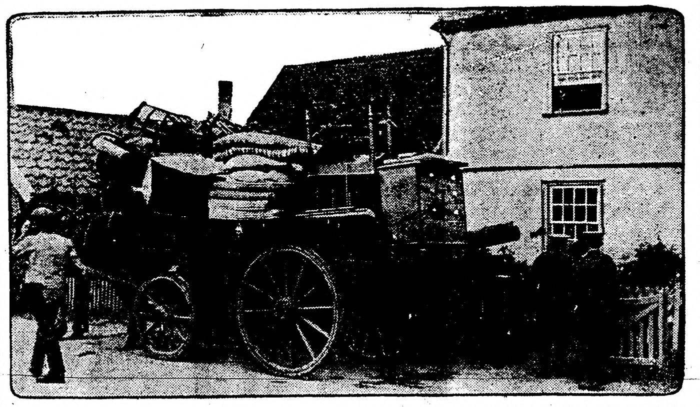
The removal of the seat of the French government to Bordeaux followed almost immediately upon the issuance of the proclamation by the minister of the interior who explained the reasons for the transfer. The proclamation said that the military authorities were responsible for the removal, having decided that the fortifications of Paris while not positively certain to be attacked, undoubtedly would be the pivotal point of the field operations of the opposing armies

Big German Victory.

The official statement of a big German victory against the Russians at Allenstein attracted wide attention. Military observers pointed out that if the number of Russians taken prisoners had been correctly estimated at 70,000 there must have been great casualties.

The text of the German dispatch begins:

"Official report of the victory at Allenstein shows that it was even greater than known before. Three Russian army corps were annihilated. Seventy thousand prisoners were taken, including two commanding generals, 300 officers and the complete artillery of the Russian army."



FLEEING FROM THE ADVANCING TEUTON

As the armies of the kaiser slowly push their way through northeastern France, the inhabitants flee from their path, with such of their possessions as they can carry with them. In many cases they destroy their own homes before abandoning them.

WAR SEEN IN BRIEF.

The Germans are reported to have been forced to abandon their advance upon Paris and to be now attempting a gigantic turning movement towards the southeast where a Berlin dispatch says the kaiser and his general staff are personally directing an attack upon the forts of Nancy.

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The allies have been in contact with the invading Germans at four points. The two most important engagements are reported to have resulted successfully for the allies. The results of the other two engagements are not yet known.

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One million men under the command of General Joffre are declared to be now arrayed against the Germans. Great Britain has sent her fifth army across the channel.

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London is confident the German plan of advance on Paris has been checked temporarily at least while there is also the belief in some quarter of the British capital that Paris may never be besieged.

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An army of 150,000 Russians has been brought from Archangel and landed in Belgium to attack the Germans' rear according to an American writer who has just arrived in New York. He says he saw detachments of Cossacks marching to the English ports to take the cross-channel transports for the continent.

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The British cruiser Pathfinder and the liner Runo have been sunk in the North Sea by German mines. Two hundred and thirteen of the 238 passengers on the latter vessel were rescued

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The British losses in the fighting of the past week are placed at 15,000 by the London war bureau

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The Russians claim to have severely defeated the Austrian army, seizing Lemberg and capturing 12,000 prisoners and a year's supply of provisions for the army

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German and Austrian consular officers are ordered by British authorities to leave Egypt at once

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Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander-in-chief, has ordered the captured territory in Austria-Hungary administered by the Russian general in command in that country.

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Austrians said to have lost 100,000 men in a series of battles culminating with the surrender of Lemberg to the czar's troops.

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European war paralyzes trade in foodstuffs, with South America republics turning to the United States as the only possible solution to the problem.

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Three vessels, a Danish steamer and two trawlers, have been lost in the North Sea, two striking mines and one trawler being sunk by German warship.

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The people of Paris witness fight in midair between German and French aeroplanes. Three German airships hover over city, and two French machines sent up to engage them. One of the German ships separated from others, but flew to higher level and was saved.

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French capital removed to Bordeaux, which lies 358 miles southwest of Paris and not far from the Atlantic coast. The embassies of the allied nations accompany the president and other state officials, but U. S. Ambassador Herrick remains in Paris to care for American interests.

100,000 ARE REPORTED DEAD

Copenhagen Correspondent of London Daily so Estimates—French Loses 100,000 in One Army.

London, Sept. 5.—The Copenhagen correspondent of the Standard says: "The Germans are mourning one hundred thousand dead."

The Standard's Paris correspondent in a telegram says that the losses of the French northern army which has been operating in Belgium and between Paris and the Franco-Belgian frontier, are estimated at about 100,000 killed, wounded and missing. It is assumed that the majority of the missing are dead and the total number of dead is said to exceed 30,000.

St. Petersburg Now Petrograd.

Petrograd (St. Petersburg), Sept. 2.—Czar Nicholas by an imperial edict, has renamed the Russian capital city, and St. Petersburg, capital of the Russian empire since 1712, will henceforth be known as Petrograd. This change eliminates the Teuton construction in the name by which the chief city of Russia has been known since it was founded by Peter the Great in 1707.

WORK ON WAR REVENUE BILL

DEMOCRATS EXPECT TO PASS MEASURE VERY SOON.

Would Raise $100,000,000 Fund and Avoid Political Pitfalls—Some of the Suggestions Being Made.

Washington, Sept. 8.—Interest in war revenue legislation overshadows everything else in congress and administration leaders are moving cautiously, eager to submit within a few days a measure to assure $100,000,000 in additional revenue and also to avoid political pitfalls.

Democratic members of the ways and means committee are confronted this week by the problem of raising $25,000,000, all having agreed on means to procure $75,000,000 of the estimated deficit due to the falling off in customs receipts. Increased levies on beel, malt liquors, domestic wines, proprietary preparations, soft drinks and like commodities have been decided upon. In many other available sources of internal revenue, however, Democratic leaders find themselves confronted either with economic or political objections.

A score of suggestions are under consideration by the committee. Automobiles, amusement tickets, moving picture films, magazines and weekly publications, circulations, railroad transportation, gasoline, whisky and other distilled liquors, inheritance, incomes, tobacco and many other sources have been suggested for taxation. Distilled liquor and tobacco are giving the Democrats considerable concern. Tobacco as a material of extra tax is opposed because it is already heavily burdened.

Distilled liquors may be taxed slightly, though there is great opposition to this also. Distillers have been anticipating a heavy tax, it is said—probably as high as 50 cents a gallon, and have been making heavy sales, many of them on long time payments. Information to this effect has come to the committee from many sources. If it is true, Democrats argue, money could not be realized quickly on distilled liquors.

FIFTH BRITISH ARMY IS SENT

Censors Conceal Strength of Latest Force Which Has Gone to Reinforce the French.

London, Sept. 8.—Great Britain has sent her fifth army across the channel to reinforce the French.

The censor conceals its strength and destination.

It is learned also that British East India troops have reached the front.

A great squadron of aeroplanes is being dispatched to the continent by Britain to assist the allies in the critical movements about Paris.

A dispatch to the Times from Paris says the aim of the German army is now clear.

"The Germans clearly realize that a siege of Paris and even occupation of the city would avail little while the allied army remains unbroken. Devoting themselves to the costly task of an assault upon the defenses of the capital, they apparently intend to make another attempt to inflict so crushing a defeat on the French and English forces that further resistance would be impossible."

POLISH UPRISING EXPECTED

Russians Hope Occupation of Lemberg Will Have Far-Reaching Effect—Official Report.

London, Sept. 4.—The Russian occupation of Lemburg, the capital of Austrian Galicia, may have a far-reaching effect on the campaign in eastern Europe, apart altogether from the loss of Austrian prestige through the fall of the city. More than three-quarters of the population are Poles and the Russians anticipate that their entry to the city will contribute toward the hoped-for Polish uprising against Germany.

Nine Neutral Vessels Sunk.

Washington, Sept. 8.—Nine neutral merchant ships have been destroyed by German mines according to British foreign office advices to the British embassy here. The message says: "The following neutral merchant vessels are known by the admiralty to have been destroyed by German mines, in most cases with loss of life among the crews: Five Danish, two Dutch, one Norwegian, one Swedish."

News Kept From Berlin.

Rotterdam, via London, Sept. 8.—The news of the capture of Lemberg by the Russians has been carefully kept from the German public. Some of the newspapers had the story but they either were stopped from printing it or the editions containing it were suppressed before they got on the street.

Belgian Town in Flames.

Ghent, Sept. 8.—Termonde is reported in flames as a result of the German bombardment.

Berlin Issues Statement.

London, Sept. 8.—The following German official statement was received last night by the Marconi wireless telegraph company: "In the eastern theater of war the Austrian attack on Lublin continues and the armies commanded by Generals Dank and Auffenberg are still engaged in dispersing the enemy so as to obtain the fullest advantage from their glorious victories at Kranik and Zamoso. Those victories, which were achieved after three days of bitter fighting, resulted in the flight of the enemy."

Doctors Gave Him Up

A Music Teacher Saved From A Catarrhal Disease By Peruna.

Prof. W. L. Perkins, Waynesboro, Va., writes:

"I was under the care of a doctor for four months, but did not improve at all. At last he gave me up to die of bronchial catarrh. So I thought I would try a bottle of Peruna. I began to feel better at once. Now I feel as well as I ever did in my life. I want to thank you, Dr. Hartman, for your advice. I shall always praise your Peruna for catarrh of the lungs."

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"We are running our factory with three shifts of men, twenty-four hours a day. So long as we remain in this fortunate position on rubber, we shall supply tire users at before-war prices to the limit of our capacity."

The Psychology of It.

Stuyvesant Ogden, a San Francisco millionaire, said in Washington the other day:

"The present business depression—if, indeed, there be a business depression—is psychological. There is, I mean, no smallest excuse for it. It is born of the nightmare fears of men's minds. In a word, it reminds me of a music hall girl.

"The stage manager of a music hall rushed to the proprietor the other night and said:

"'Turn 14 refuses to go on with her trained mice. She says she's been completely unnerved ever since that young student was eaten in Chicago.'"

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Popular Fallacies.

1. That mosquitoes only bite once.
2. That mosquitoes only live one day.
3. That mosquito bites won't itch if you don't scratch 'em.
4. That if you hold your breath you can catch a mosquito and slay it.

My experience is that mosquitoes only bite once (in the same place); that they only live one day (at a time); that their bites won't itch if you don't scratch 'em (but rub 'em with sandpaper and the edge of a buzz saw instead); and that if you hold your breath you can catch a mosquito and slay it (provided you have a shotgun in each hand and are a good shot).

PIMPLES ON HEAD ITCHED

Tell City, Ind.—"My baby's head was covered with sores and the top was a solid scab. It began with pimples and he would scratch his head until it would bleed and then scab over and keep spreading. He would claw his head and fret, it itched and burned so and I was afraid he would never have any hair on top of his head again.

"A friend recommended Cuticura Soap and Ointment to me. I asked our family doctor and he said, 'Yes, go right ahead and use them.' We got one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment and they healed him from the first. In a few days his head did not seem to itch or bother him in the least and before we had used one set he was healed and he has a fine growth of hair." (Signed) Mrs. Rosa M. Hanks, Jan. 26, 1914.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

Rare Minerals in Tasmania.

The number of rare minerals found to exist in Tasmania is constantly being added to, and the latest addition is molybdenite, which is used in the manufacture of "molybdenum steel," to which it gives a special hardness and toughness that makes it suitable for use in propeller shafts, guns and boilers. It is also used, to lesser extent, in the making of pottery glass and other things. The price of molybdenite is now $2,500 a ton, or nearly four times the present price of tin.

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WILSON TO STAY ON JOB DURING FALL CAMPAIGN

PRESIDENT DECLARES "UNLOOKED FOR INTERNATIONAL SITUATION" MAKES THIS NECESSARY.

"AMERICA GREATER THAN PARTY," SAYS EXECUTIVE

Points to "Fruitful" Session of Congress and Asserts Great Constructive Program Has Been Carried Through Upon Which to Make an Appeal.

Washington, Sept. 8. — President Wilson has announced he will not make a speech during the coming campaign. He declared his intention of "staying on the job" because of the "unlooked for international situation."

Information in Letter.

The president made known his intentions in a letter to Representative Doremus of Michigan, chairman of the Democratic congressional committee, who had written him asking whether he would make a speaking campaign this fall. The correspondence was made public at the White House.

Days Big for Destiny.

"America is greater than any party," the president wrote. "America can not properly be served by any man who for a moment measures his interest against her advantage. The time has come for great things. These are days big for destiny for the United States as for the other nations of the world.

"A little wisdom, a little courage, a little self-forgetful devotion may, under God, turn that destiny this way or that. Great hearts, great natures will respond. Even little men will rejoice to be stimulated and guided and set an heroic example.

Let Men Forget Selves.

"Parties will fare well enough without nursing if the men who make them up and the men who lead them forget themselves to serve a cause and set a great people forward on the path of liberty and peace."

Despite his determination to make no speeches, Mr. Wilson "will take occasion as opportunity offers to state and perhaps restate to the country in the clearest and most convincing terms I can command, the things which the Democratic party has attempted to do."

Asks Congress to Remain.

The president asked that congress "Remain to do their work of necessary and pressing service and bring it to a successful conclusion."

He said, however, that he saw nothing to keep congress in session after the emergency work is finished.

The president had been asked to speak in Iowa, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Maine, and other states. He had previously told those who asked him that he would make no promises until he saw what the general situation was.

Calls This Fruitful Session.

The letter opens as follows:

"The close of a very extraordinary session of congress is at hand which has, I venture to say, been more fruitful in important legislation of permanent usefulness to the country than any session of congress within the memory of the active public men of our generation. A great constructive program has been carried through, for which the country has long waited, and has been carried through with the approval and support of judicious men of all parties; and we have abundant reason to congratulate ourselves upon the record that has been made during the busy 17 months we have devoted to our legislative task. Certainly, in ordinary circumstances, if we were free to disengage ourselves for the purpose, we would be warranted in now directing our energies to a great campaign in support of an appeal to the country to give us the encouragement of its indorsement at the autumn elections."

War Costs $50,000,000 Daily.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—The European war to date has cost the countries involved the vast total of $1,870,000,000. This total is based on the figures of $55,000,000 loss a day, estimated by the most eminent French and English statisticians. The daily estimate of $55,000,000 includes lost earning power, economic loss, loss by destruction of warships, destruction of ammunition, loss by normal bombardment of towns, economic loss through casualties, loss in animals and industrial and commercial loss. It does not include such abnormal losses as the destruction of Louvain, which was approximately $100,000,000.

Germans Neglect Paris Now

Paris, Sept. 5.—The war office at Bordeaux sent the following communication to the press bureau here: "On our left, the enemy appears to neglect Paris to pursue its turning movement. It has reached La Ferte-Sous-Jouarre (department of Seine and Marne, 11 miles east of Meaux) passed Rheims, and descended on the west bank of the river in Argonne. On our right, in Lorraine and in Vosges, the fighting proceeds with alternative fortunes. Maubeuge, which is being violently bombarded, resists."

U. S. BANKS TO OPEN OCT. 1

RESERVE SYSTEM TO BE ORGANIZED AT ONCE.

All-Day Conference of Clearing House Delegates and Board at Capitol Results in This Decision.

Washington, Sept. 7.—After an all day conference with clearing house delegates from many large cities the federal reserve board announced it would proceed immediately with the organization of the 12 reserve banks provided for by the new currency system. Although predictions were lacking it is generally accepted that the system can be put in operation about Oct. 1. The actual opening may be delayed, but it was said the 12 banks would be ready for business within the next six weeks.

According to members of the board there was little hostility shown at the conference to the early opening of the new system, and government officials hope all opposition by bankers will be overcome before the time of opening arrives.

The conference was confined closely to the question of opening and to a discussion of the foreign and domestic exchange situation. Delegates furnished such information as they possessed, but left the board without much concrete knowledge as to the exact situation throughout the country. A committee was named to consider foreign and domestic exchange and formulate a plan by which American obligations to Europe could be adjusted without taking gold out of the country.

In consequence of the meeting there will be no effort on the part of the reserve board to name the Class C directors for the reserve banks for some time. Every other step which must precede the opening of the banks will be laid out before the directors are announced.

PALMER CHOSEN G. A. R. HEAD

Detroit, Sept. 5.—Comrade David C. Palmer of Washington, Iowa, member of the Eighth and Twenty-fifth Iowa regiments in the Civil war, was elected commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic at the closing session of the forty-eighth annual encampment which has been in session here for a week. Washington, D. C., was unanimously chosen for the encampment place next year.

Although there were several candidates in the race for commander-in-chief, most of them withdrew at the last minute and Mr. Palmer had no serious opposition. Other officers elected were:

Senior vice commander-in-chief, J. B. Griswold of Grand Rapids; junior vice commander-in-chief, F. W. Conners of Dallas, Texas; surgeon general, L. S. Pilcher, Brooklyn, N. Y., and chaplain in chief, Orville J. Nave of California.

Say Paris May Surrender.

London, Sept. 5.—In a dispatch from Rouen, France, a correspondent of the Chronicle says he has learned that the French authorities in Paris are considering the surrender of the city to the Germans in order to avoid the destruction of property from artillery fire This will only be done, the correspondent declares, in case the outer line of the defenses of Paris are passed by the invaders. British, French and Belgian wounded are being transferred from Paris to other cities, and the great exodus of the populace south continues.

Papal Secretary of State.

Rome, Sept. 5.—It is officially announced that Cardinal Dominic Ferrata has been appointed papal secretary of state. Cardinal Dominic Ferrata, the newly appointed papal secretary of state, was born in 1878 at Montfiascone, Italy. His work as papal nuncio at Paris and as a prefect of the congregation of bishops in Rome stamped him as a finished diplomat. In 1901, when the late Cardinal Rampolla resigned as papal secretary of state, Cardinal Ferrata was mentioned as a probable candidate.

Refugees Present Sad Spectacle

Paris, Sept. 3.—Mrs. Herman Harjes, wife of the Paris banker, who with other American women has been deeply interested in relief work, visited the North railroad station and was shocked by the sights she saw among the Belgian refugees. "The station," said Mrs. Harjes, "presented the aspect of a shambles. It was the saddest sight I ever saw. It is impossible to believe the tortures and cruelties the poor unfortunates had undergone."

German Boats Crippled.

London, Sept. 5.—Seven German torpedo boats have arrived at Kiel badly damaged. It is understood others have been sunk in the vicinity of the canal. This is official.

British Claim Command of Sea

Washington, Sept. 8.—The British view of the first month of the war is set forth in the following cablegram to the British embassy: "At the end of the first month of the war the command of the sea is left unchallenged in the hands of Great Britain and her allies. The main German and Austrian fleets remain in their harbors under shelter of their mines and batteries. Four German cruisers, one auxiliary cruiser, two destroyers and a submarine and an Austrian cruiser have been sunk."

GERMAN ARMIES ARE CHECKED AT HANDS OF ALLIES

WHAT IS SAID TO BE ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT BATTLES OF THE WAR IS RAGING ON LINE 120 MILES LONG

PART OF GERMAN FORCES ARE FORCED TO RETIRE

Russian Successes in Austria Continue, Austrian Losses Being Enormous—Germany Rejects Austria's Request for Loan—Reported Annihilation of Troops Under German Crown Prince

Paris, Sept. 8.—The following official communication was issued today:

"First—The allies have advanced their left wing without energetic opposition from the enemy."

"Second—The situation is unchanged on our center, and in the region of Verdun. Our forces are alternately advancing, and retiring. There have been some partial successes on our right in Vosges.

"Third—The advancing troops of the allies, defending Paris, have have several combats on Ourcq river with results in favor of the allies."

Petrograd, Sept. 7.—The following official announcement was given out today:

The Austrian army corps is between the River Vistula and the River Bug, retreating with enormous losses.

The resistance of the enemy has been broken. There are evidences of a possibility of famine in Austria.

London, Sept. 7.—A Boulogne dispatch to the Evening News says a telegram has been received from General Pau announcing a victory by the allied forces at Precy Sur Ois. The imperial guard under Crown Prince Frederick William is reported to have been annihilated by the British force which oposed him.

Paris, Sept. 7.—From official communications given out here today it is learned that the engagements which began Saturday and Sunday to the east and northeast of the French capital, developed today into one of the most important battles of the campaign.

The armies of the allies are opposing the German advance over a front extending about 120 miles from Nanteuil-Le-Haudouin, 25 miles northeast of Paris, to the great fortress of Verdun, in the department of Meuse and 20 miles west of the German frontier.

The number of men engaged is not generally known. The French troops are strongly supported by the British soldiers, who passed through Paris several days ago.

The position chosen by the allied forces to give battle to the advancing invaders is declared to be most favorable, having near its center, a strongly entrenched camp at the Chalons-Surh-Marne.

The allies have conducted their operations so successfully that a portion of the German forces have been forced to retire. The Germans had reached a region around the Coulommiers and La Ferte-Gaucher, respectively between 30 and 40 miles from Paris when detachments covering the flanks of the main German army, encountered the advance detachments of the allies, who drove them back.

The wounded began coming into Paris this afternoon Lieutenant Colonel Rousset, military critic of La Liverte said the German armies had placed themselves in a position, to the east, and northeast of Paris, which might become hopeless in case they suffered a check.

A Havas agency dispatch from Zurich, Switzerland, says the newspapers there announce that Germany has rejected Austria's request for a loan, and that bankers there have taken similar action.

Bordeaux, Sept. 8 (via Paris)—A soldiers' newspaper issued by the government for the benefit of the army, contains an article by Rev. Emile Wetterle, a member of the Reichstag from Alsace-Lorraine, declaring the 1,500,000 people in Alsace-Lorraine are waiting for the French soldiers to rescue them "from under the heel of a pitiless despot."

Paris, Sept. 8 (via London).—It is officially announced that the Germans are retreating from the line of Nanteuil Le Hardouin to Verdun after vigorous action with French and British troops.

London, Sept. 7.—An Exchange Telegraph company's dispatch from Volona, Albania, says a complete Turkish government has been installed there today. Genad Adin Bey, former Turkish official, will replace the provisional government, which took charge of affairs when Prince William of Weid withdrew from his kingdom.

An Evening News dispatch says: "A telegram has been received from General Pau announcing a victory by allied forces under Field Marshall Sir John French commanding the British, and General D'Amade at Precy Sur Ois, about 25 miles north of Paris.

"The allies had drawn across the northern line with the center at Precy. The English troops were on the left, the French on the right. The former had in front of them the imperial guard under Crown Prince Frederick William.

The British official bureau has received no confirmation of this message.

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Statistics of the Prevalence and Possible Spreading of Tuberculosis Will Be Ascertained.

A tuberculosis census of thousands of churches in various parts of the country will be taken in September, under the direction of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. The census will be part of the preparation for the fifth annual Tuberculosis day, to be observed during the week of November 29. The ministers of several thousand churches will be asked to report on the number of deaths from tuberculosis in the last year, the number of living cases in their parishes on September 1, the number of deaths from all causes, and the number of members or communicants. These figures will be made the basis of an educational campaign, which will culminate in the Tuberculosis day movement, for which occasion sermon and lecture outlines and other forms of tuberculosis literature will be distributed free to ministers.

Last year nearly 75,000 churches, schools and other bodies took part in the Tuberculosis day observance. The movement had the indorsement of leading church officials of every denomination. More than 1,200 anti-tuberculosis societies, scattered all over the country, will work this year to make Tuberculosis day a success.

An Optimist.

Ex-Police Commissioner Rhinelander Waldo, who established a policemen's public library that has been a great success, praised, at a luncheon in New York, New York's police system.

"It has especially been good since Mayor Gaynor's day," Mr. Waldo said, and then, in response to an objection:

"Oh, that's nothing. Be an optimist. Don't mind trifles. Look, like the henpecked husband, on the bright side of things.

"'By gosh,' a henpecked husband said, 'I hear some chaps kicking because their wives always have the last word. Now, for my part, to give my wife the last word never bothers me a bit.'

"'It don't!'

"'No, on the contrary, I always feel thankful when she gets to it.'"

Decidedly Unsuitable.

Parson Johnson—Why don't yo' come to church, Sam?

Sam Shinn—Nothin' suitable to wear, parson.

Parson—The Lord won't notice yo' clothes, Sam.

Sam—No, but Deacon Butts might recognize his shirt, and bre'r Simpson his umbrella.—Puck.

Out of a Job.

"I used to be well off before the war started."

"Poor man, is that so? And what was your business?"

"I was a lecturer for international peace."—Detroit Free Press.

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PSYCHOLOGY OF THE KISS

Learned English Authority Has Divided Osculation Into Two Distinct Classes.

In a learned disquisition on kisses Sir Ray Lankester divides them into two classes. "One class takes the form of nose-rubbing—each kiss giver rubbing his nose against that of the other. The second kind, which is that familiar to us, consists in pressing the lips against the lips, skin or hair of another individual and making a short, quick inspiration, resulting in a more or less audible sound. Both kinds are really of the nature of 'sniffling,' the active effort to smell or explore by the olfactory sense. The kissing of one another by grown-up men was abandoned in this country in the eighteenth century; but we have most of us witnessed it abroad, and perhaps been unexpectedly subjected to the process, as I once was by an affectionate scientific colleague. The Russians are the most profuse and indiscriminate of European peoples in their kissing. I have seen a Russian about to go on a journey devoured by the kisses of his relations and household retainers, male and female."

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Golden Valley News.

Peter Kolden is down by Grygla, plowing.

Vick & Tulesrude's new engine is doing fine work.

Miss Iverson returned from Warren last Thursday.

Nels Umberg was up from Thief River Falls playing nimrod.

B. Docken was seen out this way last Thursday trying the good roads.

Mrs. Peter Kolden is expecting her mother for a visit in the near future.

The Norweigan school which has been in session for three weeks, will close, Friday.

E. E. Pechie and family and Clarence Larson and family autoed to T. R. Falls, Sunday.

Ruhalph Dahl is doing fine work work, threshing, and is about thru with the shock work.

B. S. Bernstein informs us that he expects a teacher from Ynlen for the school in Dist. No. 145.

The Ladies' Aid meets with Mrs. J. G. Gabierlson Wednesday Sept. 9th. Everybody be sure to come.

The German army is about to take the city of Paris, but we suppose the residents will still have a squatters rights.

The N. W. drainage company is building a floater five miles east of the range line, which will finish the ditches in these parts.

John Sorum was up in the vicinity of Golden Valley, Sunday and was trying the one sided road thru the lake. Tony Anderson accompanied him back.

Mrs. B. J. Bakke returned to T. R. Falls monday after a weeks visit at the home of her aunt Mrs. Holt.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Aug. 18th 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Johanna Malone Nelson, a widow of Martin A. Nelson, deceased, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on October 5th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05663, for N½ SW¼ & SE¼ NW¼ & NW¼ SE¼, Section 28, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridan has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22 day of Sept., 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Peter Ostlund, John O. Foss, Thomas Sten all of Golden Valley, Minn., and Albert H. Huseth of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6,1912

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesot, Aug. 31, 1914.

Notice is here given that Christopher Yttri, of Holt, Minnesota, who on June 14, 1913, made Homestead Entry, No. 09149, for SE 1-4, Section 5, Township 155 N, Range 41 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 5th day of October, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson, Ole S. Kirkelie, Albert Johnson, Alexander McGee all of Germantown, Minnesota. Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

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Herb Severson got his right arm caught in an engine last Friday and had the tendons considerably injured. He returned from T. R. Falls Tuesday where he had been to consult a physician, and is getting along nicely now.

NOTICE For PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Aug. 17, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ernest Pechie, of Golden Valley, Minnesota who on September 26th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05641, for S. W. 1-4, Sec. 12, Township 156 N. Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of Sept. 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Rudolph Dahl, Chas. A. Holmgren and T. G. Dahl all of Golden Valley, Minnesota and J. J. Kelly, of Rollis, Minn.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Flax	$1.37
Wheat	$1.03
Barley d	45 to 51
Oats	.40
Rye	.75
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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage containing a power of sale, duly executed and delivered by F. A. Ladwig and Clara Ladwid, his wife, Mortgagors, to Oscar A. Trytten, Mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of April, 1913, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of May, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 369, such default consisting in the non-payment of the sum of Eighty one and 20-100 Dollars, ($81.20) interest on the principal of the note secured by said Mortgage, which interest became due and payable on the 28th day of April, 1914, according to the terms and conditions of said note and Mortgage; and, Whereas, the undersigned, the Mortgagee and present owner and holder of said mortgage, has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount, principal and interest of the note secured by said mortgage to be due and payable, and, Whereas, the undersigned has been compelled to pay the sum of $60.30 interest on a prior mortgage on the premises hereinafter described, such interest being in default; and, Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said interest paid on the said prior mortgage, is the sum of Thirteen Hundred Forty and 26-100 Dollars ($1340.26), and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northwest quarter of the Southeast quarter (NW 1-4 SW 1-4) and the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter (SW 1-4 NW 1-4) of Section Seventeen (17), and the East half of the Southeast quarter (E 1-2 SE 1-4) of Section Eighteen (18), all in Township One Hundred and Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Fortyfour (44) West, of the 5th Principal Meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall county at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of October, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Thirteen Hundred Forty and 29-100 Dollars ($1340.26), and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) Statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in, and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 27, 1914.

Oscar A. Trytten, Mortgagee.
H. O. Kjomme, Attorney for Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

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Local Items

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Herb Severson was a passenger to Thief River Falls Friday.

Henry Monson returned Tuesday to his home in Rendien.

Valmar Riesberg came home Saturday from T. R. Falls.

Miss Olava Sollom is teaching the school in the old home district.

Miss Edna Riesberg visited relatives in Thief River Falls, Tuesday.

Miss Mabel Haggland returned Friday from a short visit at T. R. Falls.

Mrs. Ed. Skjorsvold and children returned home Saturday from Strathcona.

D. B. Backe attended to business here last week, returning home Friday.

Carlson's are putting in an inside stairway for making easy access to their new basement.

Alfred and Guy Anderson and S. S. Kolden and wife autoed to T. R. Falls Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Chris Saagstad visited Thief River Falls the first of the week, returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. K. T. Kuntson returned home Tuesday from an extended visit with relatives at Gary.

W. Sullivan returned Wednesday to Grand Forks, after an extended visit with relatives and friends.

A trained nurse came from Fargo N. D. Saturday, to help care for Ole Johnson, who is still very sick.

Fred Heberle of Crookston who recently purchased Albin Knauf's farm, was here Friday. on businees.

Arthur Bratten of Moose Jaw, Can., came Tuesday to visit at the home of his uncle, R. Rierson and family.

Miss Amanda Mickelson left for Crookston Wednesday to spend the winter with her grandparents and attend the college there.

The Misses Cora Hanson and Dagny Bakke came from T. R. Falls Saturday to take up their work in the public school.

Mrs. Mickelson accompanied her father to Crookston Saturday. She remained there for a short visit and returned home Tuesday.

Miss Emma Backe returned to T. R. Falls the first of the week after a pleasant visit at the home of her brother, B. L. Backe and wife.

For Sale:- Well built house 16x[illegible] and barn 14x34, on sec. 33 Whiteford twp. Call on or address

Chas. Thompson, Rollis, Minn.

The Ladies' Aid of the Free Mission Church will meet in the basement of the church on Friday afternoon Sept. 25th. Mrs. Chris Saastad entertains and everybody is invited.

Rev. Nordlander preached here as announced, and also on Tuesday evening, and his sermons were much enjoyed by all present. He left Wednesday for Cambridge Minn. where he preaches next Sunday.

S. H. Nora and family moved here Friday from the southern part of the state and will live on the farm they recently purchased of S. S. Kolden. The News joins our good people in giving this family a cordial welcome.

Dr. Turley, the dentist, will be at the hotel in Holt, Monday Sept. 21st.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 10:30.

M. T. Strom will preach next Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Everybody invited.

Ladies' Aid meeting in the basement Friday P. M. Sept. 25. Mrs. C. Saastad entertains. All invited.

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Ole Backlund drove over to Newfolden, Wednesday.

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Charles Thompson of Rollis was a pleasant business caller, Tuesday.

Julius and Alfred Olson and L. A. Jensen spent Sunday in Mud Lake.

Mrs. Swanson of McHenry, N. D. visited Mrs. Adolph Sollom Tuesday.

LOST: A gauntlet glove. Finder please leave at this office or with E. E. Pechie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Huseth entertained a company of young men for dinner Sunday.

We appreciate the news items sent in and hope our friends will keep on with the good work.

Arvid Carlson and H. B. Young were county seat business visitors the first of the week.

B. D. Backe, Adolph, Kettle, and Theodore Sollom autoed out to the claims of the former three, on Tueaday.

Peter Anderson, Lester Silbaugh, Clarence Kolden and Leonard Jensen autoed to Warren Tuesday afternoon to attend the fair.

Carl Steiner is building a two story house 18x28 with full size basement. [illegible] Bros. are the boss carpenters and D. Payne sold the lumber bill.

Dentist: Dr. J. T. Turley will be at the Hotel in Holt for one day, Monday, Sept. 21st. Free examination of teeth. All work guaranteed.

Ruben Carlson returned to his home in Minneapolis Sunday evening. Arvid and Tony Carlson took him in their auto to Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim entertained D. Payne and B. Docken and their families and the Misses Cora Hanson and Dagny Bakke, at supper Sunday evening.

Mrs. I. Thomas visited her daughter in T. R. Falls Tuesday and left here Wednesday for Fargo N. D. where she has employment in the culinary department of the Concordia College.

John Alkenbrack and wife drove to Rosewood Monday evening to meet her mother, Mrs. Culver, who came from Tolley, N. D. for a visit. Tuesday, they all went out to the formers claim at Gulden Valley.

Francis Coppay returned Saturday from Thief River Falls where he had an operation. The operation was performed by Drs. Grambell and Heath and Mr. Coppay is getting along quite well, we are glad to report.

School commenced Monday with an enrollment of 16 in the High School and 24 in the lower grades, the latter being installed in the Woodmen Hall. This country has the best public school system of any on the face of the globe, and we hope every scholar will improve the many opportunities offered them for obtaining a good education.

We have just received information that the Herrick Seed Co. of Rochester, N. Y. wants lady or gentlemen representatives in this section to sell all kinds of Roses, Shrubs, Trees and Seeds. They inform us that without previous experience it is possible to make good wages every week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice.116

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INVASION OF FRANCE IS BELIEVED BLOCKED

Germans Fall Back--Russians Defeat Austrians.

Claimed Germany Has Withdrawn Support From Her Ally in East to Strengthen Own Frontier and Help Defeat Soldiers in France.

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German Support Withdrawn.

Petrograd, Sept. 15.—The Austrian army on the eastern frontier has been utterly demoralized by the overwhelming defeats administered by the Russians who have captured to date 120,000 Austrians, including 800 officers.

Germany has withdrawn her support from her ally because of her reverses in France. The Germans are again moving their troops from the east to the west.

With these successes already chronicled there now comes a report that two of the Austrian armies are surrounded and their surrender is imminent. Already from these armies 60,000 more prisoners have been taken, including 1,100 officers.

Many Captures Reported.

Of the captures included in the general total the first Austrian army under General Von Auffenberg constituted 300 officers, 28,000 soldiers and 400 guns, while the second Austrian army of 70,000 men and 600 officers were captured.

It is interesting to note that this flood of Russian successes comes during the festival in honor of the memory of Saint Alexander Nevsky, the Russian warrior who first conquered the Germans.

Invading Austrians Imperiled.

The Austrian army invading south Poland has been completely defeated by the Russians as a result of the fighting about Lemberg and its retreat is imperiled by the capture of Tomaszow by the Russians.

As soon as these operations are completed, it is reported, a huge Russian army will take up its march on Germany, according to General Sukhomlinoff, the Russian minister of war.

Fighting Still Rages.

Petrograd, Sept. 14.—German troops brought to east Prussia from the west have concentrated on the Alle. They have begun to advance and large columns have crossed the line of the Mazurian lakes. The Russian advance guard, while delaying the German advance has retired eastward.

In Poland General Dankl's army is still being forced back by the Russians beyond Kronik and this part of the Lublin district is almost free from Austrian troops. On the line from Tomazow and Rawa Ruska to the Dniester river fighting is still raging fiercely.

Reports Are Conflicting.

London, Sept. 14.—Matters are getting a little more interesting in East Prussia, where for a while Russia is said to have had things virtually her own way. The Germans are reported now to have moved some of their best troops into this section of the theater of the war and the Russians are said to have been compelled to withdraw.

Petrograd says its only retirements have been by its advance guards, who are keeping in touch with the German advance, but the Germans claim to have scored another victory over the Russians, who are said to have received a rather severe check between Aug. 25 and 27.

It is possible the Austrians have kept the Russians busy in Galicia just long enough to enable Germany to get her troops into East Prussia before the Russians were able to dispose of the Austrians and sweep down on Silesia, Posen and Prussia.

Cracow Has Fallen.

Petrograd, Sept. 12.—Cracow, the strongest Austrian post in Galicia, and one which obstructed the advance of the huge Russian center army upon Breslau, its next objective, is reported to have fallen before the furious attack of Russian cavalry and infantry under cover of the disastrous fire of the heavy siege guns.

The forts to the east and north of the city were shelled incessantly until finally the Austrian guns were silenced and the city was occupied by the Russian troops.

Only Obstacle to Breslau.

Cracow is the capital of Austrian Poland and lies on a broad plain on the left bank of the Vistula. It is only 30 miles from the German border and between it and Breslau little fortified resistance is offered.

With Przemyl and Jaroslav invested by the Russians and the way for the advance toward Breslau practically cleared, the investment of the latter city, which is only 190 miles from Berlin, is imminent.

Claim 40,000 French Taken.

Berlin, Sept. 10.—(By wireless via Sayville, L. I.)—Official announcement was made at army headquarters that the French fortress of Maubeuge on the Sambre river, has fallen.

The Germans took 40,000 prisoners, including four generals. Four hundred guns also were captured. The German military railway lines are now clear of troops.

Japs Favor Russian Alliance.

Petrograd, Sept. 14.—Japanese officials have declared, according to a Russian journalist, that the whole of Japan is in favor of an alliance with Russia. Travelers returning from Constantinople and Sofia bring the report that there is a famine in the Turkish capital. Reports reching here say that Berlin is trying to give little importance to the German retreat. Political circles in Vienna are much depressed because of the inability of the German army to give further assistance to Austria.

SCENE ON THE DOCKS OF ANTWERP

SERVIA OVERJOYED BY VICTORY

TAKE CITY OF SEMLIN FROM AUSTRIANS.

Capture Stronghold Across River From Belgrade—Had Long Been Planned—Serbs Hid in Hills.

Nish, Servia, Sept. 10, via London, Sept. 14.—The Servians occupied Semlin, across the river from Belgrade, Thursday morning after a bloody battle.

Details of Capture.

Rome, Sept. 14, via Paris.—The capture of Semlin by the Servians had long been planned and the operations were conducted with great ability, according to a dispatch received here by the Servian minister.

"Several Servian divisions," the dispatch says, "camped on the hills extending from Tophider to Resnick, occupying all the heights about Mount Avala. The Austrian garrison in Semlin did not suspect the presence of the Servians and continued the bombardment of Belgrade daily without causing great damage, until the Servians surprised them.

"The audacity of the Servian movement as, in order to reach Semlin the Servians were compelled to cross the Save and Danube rivers on pontoons built during the night. They also took heavy artillery with them."

Great Enthusiasm Follows.

London.—Reuter's Rome correspondent sends the following message received in Rome from Nish, Servia:

"The taking of Semlin has caused great enthusiasm throughout Servia. The people are proud that their army, after seven weeks of war, not only has prevented a powerful enemy capturing Belgrade, but has inflicted humiliation upon them by forcing them to evacuate their base of operations against Servia. The victory has had a most wonderful moral effect upon the army and the people."

American Hospital "Magnificent."

London, Sept. 14.—"The American hospital at Neuilly is a magnificent example of what can be done in a few weeks with the help of ample funds," says the Paris correspondent of the Daily Telegraph.

French Claim Muelhausen Again.

London, Sept. 14.—Dispatches from Basel, Switzerland, state that the French have recaptured Muelhausen, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Rome.

Cossacks Invade Hungary.

Bucharest, Sept. 11.—Roumania Sept. 10.—Roumanian frontier guards have notified the government that Russian troops have begun an invasion of Hungary by sending a large force of Cossacks and infantry through Borgo Pass.

Americans Ordered From Paris.

Paris, Sept. 10.—Ambassador Herrick, Wednesday, ordered all Americans, whether visitors or residents, to leave Paris.

Austria Can't Make Peace.

Copenhagen, Sept. 14 via London.—The Vossische Zeitung of Berlin declares that previous to the outbreak of the war Germany and Austria-Hungary agreed, as now have the parties to the triple entente, not to make peace separately.

8,210 on Latest Casualty List.

Copenhagen, Sept. 14.—The 21st German casualty list has been issued in Berlin. It contains the names of 8,210

DIPLOMATS OF U. S. SEEKING EXCHANGE OF PEACE TERMS

FACT KAISER'S REPLY TO AMERICAN SUGGESTION IS DELAYED RENEWS HOPE AT WASHINGTON.

WILSON AND BRYAN ALERT FOR SLIGHTEST OPENING

Pointed Out That Willingness of Germany to Arbitrate Might Influence the Allies, Though They Seek Decisive Victory, as Reported.

Washington, Sept. 15.—The knowledge that Emperor William has been considering for several days a message from the United States government inquiring, in effect, if Germany was desirous of discussing peace measures, has set official and diplomatic Washington on the alert for a possible exchange of peace terms between the belligerents.

Seek Kaiser's Attitude.

It had not been a matter of general knowledge that beginning with the dinner in New York a week ago, attended by Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, and Oscar Straus, American member of The Hague Peace Tribunal, an informal movement has been under way to learn Germany's attitude toward peace.

Diplomatists and officials discussed among themselves the details of the seven days of peace parleying and there was a noticeable absence of the indifference with which talk of peace was regarded several days ago. This was due, it was believed, largely to the apparent turn in the tide of battle in France and the feeling among diplomatists of the allied powers that the German troops soon would be forced back to the borders of France and Belgium.

Might Change Aspect.

Notwithstanding the vigorously phrased statements throughout the news channels last week that Great Britain, France and Russia would not make peace until they had decisively defeated Germany, it was admitted in many quarters here that a favorable answer from Emperor William to the American government's inquiry might change the entire aspect of the situation.

U. S. Officials on Alert.

One thing has become apparent to close observers of the situation—President Wilson and Secretary Bryan are keenly alert for the slightest opening in the diplomatic situation abroad which might encourage them to press the powers for an acceptance of mediation.

It is considered likely now that the president may not wait for the powers to take the initiative and that if an indication arises from an apparently authoritative quarter of a willingness on the part of the belligerents to discuss peace terms, the American government will be quick to take advantage of the opening.

Peace Must Be Permanent.

Both Great Britain and France have stated unequivocally to the American government that they were always willing to talk peace but must know definite terms declaring with emphasis their belief that the peace of Europe obtained through the present war must be permanent and not temporary truce.

The allied powers have informed the American government that owing to Germany's disregard for the treaty which guaranteed the neutrality of Belgium, they would be inclined to doubt the value of effectiveness of whatever treaty of peace might now be signed unless German militarism were totally crushed.

German Soldiers Slept Soundly.

Paris, Sept. 12.—During the third day's fighting in the battle on the Marne a detachment of the French, which had chased the enemy out of a village, was hailed by an old woman, who led them to a barn where there were still 30 Germans, telling them to make no noise as they were asleep. A man crept noiselessly into the barn and found the Germans sleeping so soundly that it took half an hour and a tremendous shaking to wake them. One explained that he had not slept for three days.

German Cruiser Sighted.

Mobile, Ala., Sept. 12.—Captain A. G. Dribbel of the torpedo boat Sommers, which arrived here, reported that en route two days out of Key West he saw the German cruiser Dresden being coaled by merchantmen off Pensacola and so advised the navy department.

Art Treasures in Armor.

Paris, by mail to New York, Sept. 12.—Unique among the protective and defensive measures which Paris has adopted are those by which the city hopes to save some of her most famous art treasures. The Louvre has been completely done over. Great steel plates have been fixed about the ceilings and walls of a room which now shelters the famous Venus de Milo, the "Winged Victory" and La Gioconda. The famous Grecian room, containing priceless statutes by Phidias, is filled with sacks of earth.

MORE DESPERATE ENCOUNTERS ARE YET TO FOLLOW

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Kaiser Reported to Be Making Supreme Effort at Verdun to Defeat Enemy and Retain Advantages Gained—Many Cities Retaken by French and English.

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Fall Back Along Line.

Opposite the French center the German forces have evacuated Revigny-aux-Vaches, a little to the north of east, and 20 miles from Vitry-le-Francois, on the Marne, and Brabant-le-Roi, three miles north of Revigny. The abandonment of these positions evidently is the result of the vigorous forward movement of the French on this part of the line.

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All military experts are now freer in the expression of their views. They unanimously praise General Joffre for the magnificently prepared plan which has landed the German troops in the most unfavorable country, exhausted from their superhuman effort of the last six weeks.

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Work Weakens the Kidneys

Many occupations weaken the kidneys, causing aching backs, urinary disorders and a dull, drowsy, discouraged feeling. Work exposing one to chills, dampness or sudden changes; work in cramped positions; work amid the fumes of turpentine; constant riding on jolting vehicles, is especially hard on the kidneys.

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Red, it appears, is the most exciting and stimulating of all colors and has a special effect on the activity of the brain. Blue, which so many people in an age of great nervous strain and tension find soothing, is so in reality. Unless you are in a depressed and melancholy state sea blue curtains at your bedroom windows have a beneficial effect, especially if you face south and get the morning sun.

Color, indeed, especially in flowers, has an extraordinary effect on the mental condition. The sight of crimson, pink and amethyst rhododendrons growing in the open air has a curiously uplifting and joyous effect.

SKIN TROUBLE ON LIMBS

Moclips, Wash.—"My trouble first started on my arms and soon it extended to my body and legs. The first I noticed of it was red spots, itching spots some larger than a pin head. My clothing irritated them and I scratched. My sleep was disturbed by the clothes scratching. It had bothered me for about ten days and I began to use the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I only purchased one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment and they effected a cure." (Signed) Sid Strawn, May 19, 1914.

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Training a Cook.

An Irish servant is, of all people in the world, the most anxious to please, and she even desires to do exactly as she is told, even when the commands laid on her are unreasonable. In "The Lighter Side of Irish Life," Mr. G. A. Birmingham gives an amusing instance of this trait.

A young housekeeper once undertook to train a cook. One day, it happened that there were whiting for dinner. She exlained carefully the proper way of cooking whiting, and, with a view to achieving elegance in the serving of the dish, added that these particular fish are usually sent up to table with their tails in their mouths.

The fish appeared on the dinner table, not seductively curled after the pleasant habit of whiting, but lying rigidly straight on the dish. Each of them, however, had its tail cut off and neatly inserted into its mouth. The inexperienced cook had most conscientiously obeyed what must have struck her as a merely vexatious order.—Youth's Companion.

Supreme Test of Friendship.

An invitation to breakfast was, in Macaulay's opinion, one of the supreme tests of friendship. "You invite a man to dinner," he wrote to Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, "because you must invite him, because you are acquainted with his grandfather, or because you wish to see him. You may be sure if you are invited to breakfast that there is something agreeable about you."

Unkind Suggestion.

"My youngest boy is always thinking of bright and clever things" said Mr. Bliggins.

"I've often heard you say so," replied Miss Cayenne as she moved wearily on. "You ought to get him to tell you a few of them some time."

LEARNING THINGS

We Are All in the Apprentice Class.

When a simple change of diet brings back health and happiness the story is briefly told. A lady of Springfield, Ill., says:

"After being afflicted for years with nervousness and heart trouble, I received a shock four years ago that left me in such a condition that my life was despaired of.

"I got no relief from doctors nor from the numberless heart and nerve remedies I tried, because I didn't know that coffee was daily putting me back more than the doctors could put me ahead.

"Finally at the suggestion of a friend I left off coffee and began the use of Postum, and against my expectations I gradually improved in health until for the past 6 or 8 months I have been entirely free from nervousness and those terrible sinking, weakening spells of heart trouble.

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W. E. LEE DEFINES CAMPAIGN ISSUES

PLEDGES A BUSINESS MAN'S ADMINISTRATION OF EFFICIENCY WITHOUT EXTRAVAGANCE.

TO URGE COUNTY OPTION BILL

Candidate Would Banish Brewery Control and Declares For Broad Policy of State Development.

Marshall, Minn., September 14th.—Wm. E. Lee, Republican candidate for Governor delivered his key-note speech in this city tonight. More than two thousand enthusiastic followers of the candidate packed the local auditorium to the last seat and hundreds remained standing that they might hear Mr. Lee discuss the issues of the campaign and define the principles upon which he stood.

The address was along constructive lines and every sentence a part of a story that told of a better governed, a more opulent and a more progressive Minnesota. Mr. Lee came out squarely and unequivocally for the passage of a county option bill and the end of brewery control in the state. In promising a business administration the candidate endorsed the work of the efficiency commission, declaring that parsimony was undesirable and that extravagance must end. Mr. Lee pledged himself to work for a lower tax rate; home rule of public utilities; conservation of the State's natural resources, good roads and small town development. He praised the State's school system, declared for free and open markets and the rigid enforcement of the State's law. Mr. Lee said:

In this, my opening speech in this campaign, I can say little that is new. The issues are clear and definite, and my position upon them is well known. The issues enunciated by me nearly three years ago are the issues today, and will be the issues upon which the result of this campaign must be determined.

There are numerous matters of importance which need attention, but which of themselves will make but small advance unless settled in conjunction with other and greater problems. Three momentous questions are demanding solution. They are:

(1) The reorganization of the administrative departments of the state government along modern business lines so as to secure efficiency without extravagance.

(2) Securing to the people their inherent right to determine the laws under which they prefer to live, and providing the machinery to enable them to do so.

(3) Protecting the people and the law making body from the demoralizing effect of the "brewery in politics," to the end that men and measures may be considered upon their merits.

Endorses Efficiency Commission.

My declaration in 1912 that Minnesota had a complicated and antiquated governmental organization and that there was imperative need of a complete overhauling and reorganization of the administrative machinery of the state government, at first discredited, was developed to a point where public opinion demanded some action; and as a result, a Commission was created which has taken up the whole question of reorganization. Its preliminary report shows beyond any question that my contention was right and the alarm was sounded none too soon.

The high personnel of this Commission commands respect for its work. They have been and are working diligently on the problem, and will prepare bills providing for a complete reorganization of the administrative departments of our state government, which bills will be among the most important measures to come before the next legislature. In its preliminary report the Commission recommends a consolidation and unification of the now unrelated boards and administrative offices under responsible departments that will be related to each other and can efficiently and economically carry on the business affairs of our state. The budget and an effective civil service system are also included. All this is in accord with what I have advocated for years, and I shall urge its adoption by the legislature.

Business Administration Needed.

What the condition of Minnesota needs and the people of the state demand, is reforms without frills and government without red tape—just a plain business organization such as you will find in any successful private undertaking. I will ask no man to work harder nor longer hours than I do myself, but I will guarantee there will be no one on the payroll who is not earning his salary.

One of the sources that has contributed to the pernicious system of legislative trading and log rolling is the multitude of lobbyists who swarm about the state capitol during every session of the legislature. It will be my purpose to put forth every effort to assist the legislature of ridding itself of this incumbrance.

Parsimony Undesirable.

Economy must come chiefly by careful consideration of appropriaton requests, and I shall urge the legislature that the general appropriation bills be reported out of the committee early in the session, so that they may stand on "general orders" long enough to enable the public, as well as every member of the legislature, to become familiar with all their provisions. Parsimony is undesirable, but extravagance must be stopped.

Standing appropriations are the cause of much extravagance. I believe in annual appropriations and fully concur in the recent action of the legislature in discontinuing many standing appropriations. I shall recommend that such elimination be extended. I need not repeat what I have often said about the unwarranted increase in state taxes; all are familiar with the fact. There must be no further increase, and a substantial reduction should be made.

Favors Public Improvement.

A heavy burden of taxation rests upon all our citizens because of the vast areas of unproductive lands within our borders. Present and potential wealth lies dormant. Millions of acres lie fallow. Willing tillers of the soil are denied a home among us. Consumers are deprived of a rich source of supply, and the state is deprived of revenue. Conditions make development by private enterprise impossible, and the state should therefore take the initiative in developing these lands. The last legislature submitted an amendment to the constitution, known as amendment No. 3, which provides a revolving fund out of the proceeds of the sale of state lands for the purpose of constructing roads, ditches, and fire brakes through and around unsold state school and swamp lands. This amendment should be adopted.

Conservation and Good Roads.

I believe in the conservation and development of all our natural resources; by continued public ownership and protection of all remaining timber and mineral lands and waterpower; by reforestration and reclamation; and by control and development of the waterways of the state.

Good roads are necessary to the development of any country. I favor a road policy that takes into consideration, first and foremost, the needs of the farmers and which will make more accessible the numerous local centers of the different communities of the state. Roads are primarily a local utility and I believe should therefore be under direct local control and supervision as far as compatible with a broad policy of state improvement.

Would Encourage Schools.

Minnesota holds a foremost place educationally in the sisterhood of states. Our normal schools are yielding a splendid product. We have a high school system which culminates in our great and growing University, second to none in the country. Our agricultural college is doing a great work, and should have the most generous treatment. We need more young men who can teach agriculture, and farm scientifically.

Our first concern, however, should be for the masses who will not in the ordinary course of things be instructed beyond the rudiments of the common school.

Money invested in the common schools brings the greatest dividends, but special state aid should be extended to stimulate local interest. I shall give my best self to further the education that is convertible into farms, factories, stores, and offices, into homes, and into the power of virtue, patriotism, and philanthropy.

Small Town Opportunities.

Closely allied to the subjects of farming, schools, and road improvements, is that of the development of the smaller towns and villages in the state. The continued prosperity and happiness of our large rural population can best be secured by making it possible for them to be in fairly close touch with a growing town or village. A town with good roads connecting the surrounding country, and good schools adds to the value of every farm lying tributary to it.

The people of the state are interested in free and open markets. All fair-minded persons will agree that no unnecessary burden or expense should attach to the product of the farm, the factory, or the shop, on its way from the producer to the consumer.

Would Better Labor Conditions.

I am in full accord with the world movement to better protect the lives, health and welfare of the people by prohibiting excessive hours of labor and improving conditions under which labor is performed, with rigid restrictions of hours and conditions of employment of women and children. The minimum wage and workmen's compensation laws are movements in the right direction and should be so developed that exact justice will be done. I know from experience what it is to earn by the sweat of my brow, and I can be depended upon to use my influence to better the condition of labor.

The enforcement of the law is of the first importance. The duty of the governor in this regard is clearly defined, and he is given no discretion; the laws of the land must be executed and upon him rests the responsibility of seeing that they are enforced, and I pledge to you that they will be enforced if I am governor of Minnesota.

Favors Home Rule.

The state should administer all laws that affect state-wide questions and should have the necessary authority to regulate all state-wide utilities, but the state cannot regulate nor interfere with, beyond furnishing needed information, any purely local governmental question. Our local public utilities and all other matters incident to the daily life, association and business relation of the people must be regarded and administered by them.

No more important question can be submitted to the people than that of changing the constitution of our state, and I urge upon every voter the importance of acquainting himself with the proposed amendments and of voting for or against everyone of them on election day. Amendment Number One, is in my judgment of the first importance, as it provides for the initiative and the referendum.

The Secretary of State has issued a circular giving a very full and clear explanation of each amendment which I trust every voter will procure and read before casting his ballot.

Another question which the people ought to have the privilege of determining is that of the elective franchise for women. No one should object to permitting the people to express their will upon this question. The legislature should submit the necessary constitutional amendment.

Believes in County Option.

I believe in county option and I believe that a majority of the people of Minnesota believe it to be the next logical step in dealing with the saloon question. This question has been before several legislatures and has been thoroughly discussed by the people of the state. It ought to be disposed of without further delay to enable the legislature to spend its time on other important questions, and I shall urge upon the legislature the importance of enacting a county option law at the earliest possible date of the session. I shall also call the attention of the legislature to the need of a law to prevent the sale of beer or liquor by breweries or wholesale liquor dealers to any but regularly licensed retailers, thus doing away with "blind pigs" and other illicit places whose existence depends upon the illegal sale of liquor. In connection I urge upon the people the necessity of electing to the legislature men who will stand firmly with me in carrying out this program.

Will Urge Law.

It is said that county option is purely a legislative question. In a sense it is—so are all these questions before the people. But a governor or even a candidate for governor has large influence which he can exercise affirmatively or negatively. Silence is negative. For years I have urged the passage of a county option measure and I shall continue to do so until it becomes a law.

Topping all other issues in importance and far reaching consequences is the question of "forcing the brewery out of politics." It is a question of whether this collosus shall longer be permitted to dictate the environment of your wives and mothers, your sons and daughters; dictate your candidates and officers, your legislation, your taxes, and even your right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. If I become governor I pledge you that the breweries will be out of politics so far as that part of the government I control is concerned, and I shall exert my utmost strength to kill its influence in every other department.

Would End Brewery Power.

No force has been more persistent than has been the brewery organization in its opposition to me. If a candidate ever earned the support of the friends of clean and efficient government because of the character of the enemies he has made, I am that candidate. The voter who is tired of brewery domination and brewery-made legislation and feels that his duty lies in casting his ballot against this enemy of good government will have no trouble in locating its candidates.

These then are the issues. They were developed out of my experience of years as a public official, and added years of examination and study of the problems of government, not only in Minnesota, but in many other states and countries.

The success of any program must of necessity depend upon the character, qualifications and affiliations of the men elected to carry that program into action.

Qualified for the Office.

The people of Minnesota are about to employ a general manager to look after their public business, and institute certain reforms. If I were applying to any private business establishment for the position of manager I would recite in detail the opportunities I had had to qualify myself for the position. I therefore think it proper that I should refer to the experience I have had in the management of pubic business and make you acquainted with my qualifications to fill the position I am asking you to give me.

I have lived in Minnesota fifty-seven years. Aside from carrying on my private business of merchandising, manufacturing, and banking, which has met with a fair measure of success, I have filled the following public positions: I was Register of Deeds of Todd County for four years. I have served three terms in the legislature, one term as Speaker of the House of Representatives, which enabled me to acquire some knowledge of legislative procedure. I served a term on the State Normal School Board, and through that service became somewhat acquainted with the educational system of the state. I served as Superintendent of the Minnesota State Reformatory, and became acquainted with the management of state institutions; I served six years on the State Fair Board, which enabled me to become better acquainted with the products and the possibilities of our state. I was called by Governor Van Sant to assist in the organization of the first Board of Control, and through that work became acquainted with the administrative department of the state. The system inaugurated by the Board at that time has proved so satisfactory that it has never been changed in any particular.

I invite the closest scrutiny of my qualifications and my record, and comparison with that of other candidates, and I now pledge to the people of Minnesota whatever of ability, experience, and equipment I may possess to the faithful discharge of the public duties incident to the office to which I am now asking them to elect me.

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3. Hanover, Pa.—"The doctor advised a severe operation, but my husband got me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I experienced great relief in a short time. Now I feel like a new person and can do a hard day's work and not mind it."—Mrs. Ada Wilt, 196 Stock St., Hanover, Pa.

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5. Cleveland, Ohio.—"I was very irregular and for several years my side pained me so that I expected to have to undergo an operation. Doctors said they knew of nothing that would help me. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I became regular and free from pain. I am thankful for such a good medicine and will always give it the highest praise."—Mrs. C. H. Griffith, 7305 Madison Av., Cleveland, O.

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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Mr. Parker returned home from T. R. Falls Friday.

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

We will soon wonder what a life of carelessness and sin—amounts to.

Those who have tried it, claim the soil here is just right for alfalfa and clover.

Holt is making a splendid growth this season. May it continue to do so is our wish.

What has become of the new road dragging law that Minnesota used to brag so much about.

A couple of teams tried to get away from their drivers while in town Friday, but were stopped before any damage was done.

Try to put up with the clouds of disappointment of to-day— perhaps to-morrow the sun may be shining its very brightest, for you.

Cattle buyers were compelled to drive thirty-five head to Newfolden, Saturday, owing to the failure of the G. N. to get a car here in time.

A man was here from Fargo Saturday looking for a Mud Lake claim but there was none for him. Another proof that it pays to advertise.

Misses Olga and Nellie Saastad left the first of last week for Thief River Falls where the former will be employed for some time and Nellie will attend the high school there.

After waiting for a long time the Holt Mercantile Co. have succeeded in getting a lease of the G. N. for a warehouse which will be located just south of D. Payne cement warehouse.

We wonder just how well the road dragging law is being enforced. One thing is certain that a lot of the roads need working, and a vigorous use of the road drag is all that many of them require.

P. A. Riesberg, E. A. Wright, Nels Goodvangen and Ole Garthus have all hauled out lumber, from D. Payne's, for building granaries. This is only one incident that shows the country is improving and the farmers making money.

Cattle buyers were here last week and shipped out a car Saturday, from this station. It is a good thing to think twice before selling your cattle these days. Whether the war is prolonged or not, the ravages have been terrible, and Europe must look to us for food and that means higher prices for everybody, everywhere.

Bank Statement

Bank No. 1004.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on Sept. 12th 1914.

Date of call by Supt. Sept. 15, 1914.

Date of report by bank, Sept. 15, 1914.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$30,144 03
Overdrafts		05
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,538 88
Due from Banks	1,090 06	
Cash on hand	1,365 18	
Total cash assets		2,455 24
Checks and cash items		402 21
Total		$31,570 42
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock and Surplus		$13,000 00
Undivided Profits, net		41 79
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		13,700 00
Deposits		$15,828 [illegible]
Total		$31,570 42
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$2,867 45
Am't of Reserve Required by Law		$1,7[illegible] 48

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Marshall }

We, Lars Backe President, and B. L. Backe Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Lars Backe, President.
B. L. Backe, Cashier.

Correct Attest: S. S. Kolden
(Two) Directors Chas. W. Laffa

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Sept. 1914.

(Seal) Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.00
Wheat No. 2	.96
Wheat No. 3	.90
Wheat No. 4	.80
Flax	1.35
Oats	.40
Barley	.39 to .45
Rye	.78
Flour, Best Patent	3.65

ESTRAY

Three light red heifer calves and one steer calf, the largest has a white stripe on its back and the two smallest have some white spots. The calves are about 6 and 8 months old and they left my place August 25th. Reward paid for information as to their where abouts. Please notify Mrs. John Rux, Holt Minn.

Golden Valey News.

G. Christoferson lost a valueable horse last week.

One hour between Golden Valley and Holt via the Ford.

Mr. Homgren has four flowing gas wells, but no sign of water.

Mr. Wright returned to his home near Middle River after harvesting his crop on his claim in Mud Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kelley expect to spend the winter on the Pacific slope, for the benefit of Mrs. Kelley's health.

Miss Olga Larson is teaching in the Tyson district. They are very fortunate for Miss Larson is a fine teacher. There is only one scholar from Mud Lake, so far.

Lars Backe came Friday on business.

Mr. Powell was here Saturday from Warren.

Fred Johnson was in T. R. Falls Thursday and Friday.

Sam Rierson was in Middle River between trains, Tuesday.

Henry Iverson of Middle River was a business visitor Friday.

A. H. Huseth has had carpenters at work siding his store building.

Ole Mattson's daughter from S. D. came Saturday to visit her people.

Albert Knutson is very sick with typhoid fever at the hospital in Crookston.

Carl Nelson and wife of Golden Valley were passengers for T. R. Falls Wednesday.

A. W. Holt unloaded an emigrant car here, the first of the week, and moved out near Golden Valley.

Mr. Wright, who had come from his claim at Mud Lake, went to his home in Middle River, Saturday.

Geo Anderson' father and brother came Friday from Turtle Lake to visit and hunt chickens for awhile.

S. S. Kolden recently sold C. H. Heinze a fine manure spreader. It is a low down machine and very easy loaded and is something that every farmer should have.

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 800.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Sept. 12, 1914.

Date of call by Supt., Sept. 12, 1914.

Date of report by Bank, Sept. 16, 1914

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$57,251 19
Overdrafts		131 31
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,772 04
Other Real Estate		$2,800 88
Due from Banks	8,041 00	
Cash on Hand	1193 20	
Total Cash Assets		9,234 20
Checks and Cash Items		3,800 37
Total		$85,989 97
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock and Surplus		$12,500 00
Undivided Profits, net		1,222 38
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		11,500 00
Deposits, [illegible]		60,767 50
Total		$85,989 97
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$13,034 57
Am't of Reserve Required by Law		$5,214 20

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Baker, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Baker, President.
B. Docken, Cashier.

Correct Attest: [illegible] Ulsheim,
(Two) Directors. R. Rierson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this [illegible] day of Sept. 1914.

(Seal) —Nils Engebretsen Notary Public
My commission expires June 25, [illegible]

For Register of Deeds.

Having received the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds of Marshall County Minnesota, at the Primary Election on June 16th, I hereby announce to the voters of Marshall County, that I am a candidate for the office, and will appreciate your support and vote at the General Election on November 3rd.

My past record of eight years as Deputy in the office I now seek suffices me to state that I am well qualified for the duties involved, and if elected, I promise to faithfully discharge the duties of the office, in as competent a manner as they have been during the past eight years of my connection with the office.

Respectfully soliciting your kind support and vote, I am

Yours truly,
CHAS. E. GRINDER.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesot, Aug. 31, 1914.

Notice is here given that Christopher Yttri, of Holt, Minnesota, who on June 14, 1913, made Homestead Entry, No. 09149, for SE 1-4, Section 5, Township 155 N, Range 41 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 5th day of October, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson, Ole S. Kirkelie, Albert Johnson, Alexander McGee all of Germantown, Minnesota. Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

NOTICE For PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Aug. 17, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ernest Pechie, of Golden Valley, Minnesota who on September 26th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05641, for S. W. 1-4, Sec. 12, Township 156 N. Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of Sept. 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Rudolph Dahl, Chas. A. Holmgren and T. G. Dahl all of Golden Valley, Minnesota and J. J. Kelly, of Rollis, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Aug. 18th 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Johanna Malone Nelson, a widow of Martin A. Nelson, deceased, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on October 5th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05663, for N½ SW¼ & SE¼ NW¼ & NW¼ SE¼, Section 28, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridan has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22 day of Sept., 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Peter Ostlund, John O. Foss, Thomas Sten all of Golden Valley, Minn., and Albert H. Huseth of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, duly executed and delivered by F. A. Ladwig and Clara Ladwid, his wife, mortgagors, to Oscar A. Trytten, mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of April, 1913, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of May, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Book 69 of mortgages, on page 369, such default consisting in the non-payment of the sum of Eighty one and 20-100 Dollars, ($81.20) interest on the principal of the note secured by said mortgage, which interest became due and payable on the 28th day of April, 1914, according to the terms and conditions of said note and mortgage; and, Whereas, the undersigned, the Mortgagee and present owner and holder of said mortgage, has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount, principal and interest of the note secured by said mortgage to be due and payable; and, Whereas, the undersigned has been compelled to pay the sum of $60.40 interest on a prior mortgage on the premises hereinafter described, such interest being in default; and, Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said interest paid on the said prior mortgage, is the sum of Thirteen Hundred Forty and 26-100 Dollars ($1340.26), and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter (NW 1-4 SW 1-4) and the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter (SW 1-4 NW 1-4) of Section Seventeen (17), and the East half of the Southeast quarter (E 1-2 SE 1-4) of Section Eighteen (18), all in Township One Hundred and Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Fortyfour (44) West, of the 5th Principal Meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall county at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of October, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Thirteen Hundred Forty and 26-100 Dollars ($1340.26), and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) Statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 27, 1914.

Oscar A. Trytten, Mortgagee.
H. O. Kjomme, Attorney for Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Commencing Sunday Aug. 30th. Sunday School will be held in the Free Mission Church at 10-30 o'clock every forenoon.

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Grand Opening!

Star Hall

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Big Dance

Good Music and a good time guaranteed.

Oyster Supper

A car load of apples were here on track a few days and many people improve the opportunity to buy some of the fruit.

Some of the curious ones are wondering what it was that caused one of our fair maids to exceed the speed limit while endeavoring to meet the train(?) Tuesday afternoon.

Olaf Johnson, at last reports was slowly gaining we are pleased to say.

Mrs. O. Hoel accompanied her sister as far as T. R. Falls, on her return home Tuesday.

Clyde Groner who had been visiting relatives at Golden Valley returned Friday to his home in Carpenter Ia.

The state engineer and some other officials from St. Paul were in this vicinity Wednesday examining the state ditches.

Tony Carlson, Tom Severson and Hjalmar Doare made a two days hunting trip to Whiskey and Kuriko lakes, returning with 25 mallards.(?)

Dr. Turley, the Dentist will be at the holel, in Holt, Monday Oct. 5th.

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For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Thorval Kolden drove to Randein Sunday.

Oscar Knutson went to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Ernest Kiene went to T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Oscar Knatson of Randein visited in town Tuesday.

C. M. Wilson was here from T. R. Falls. on business Wednesday.

Arnold Bjerkold of T. R. Falls was here on business Monday.

We understand Oliver Davidson is still very sick with typhoid fever.

There will be a dance in the new Star Hall Saturday evening.

C. T. Nelson and wife went to Thief River Falls on business Friday.

S. S. Kolden now rides in a Buick auto, recently purchased of B. L. Backe.

Miss Matilda Wendt left Monday for West Bend, Wis. to visit her sister.

M. Carlson and wife of Thief River Falls visited friends Monday and Tuesday.

Attend the Garnd Opening of the Star Hall at the big dance Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson returned Tuesday from a brief visit to Thief River Falls.

Five auto loads of Holt people attended the Young Peoples Society at Gunder Sorter's last Sunday.

Arnold Rux returned Saturday from Maddock N. D. where he had been working during the threshing season.

~~Misses Myrtle Thomas and Louise~~ Erickson came up from T. R. Falls Friday for a short visit at the B. L. Backe home.

Mrs. Christenson and daughter Verna came from Fertile Saturday to visit her daughters here Mesdames Huseth and Bray.

M. T. Strom preached near Middle River last Sunday forenoon and afternoon. The meetings were held in the town hall and school house.

The Ladies Aid social Friday afternoon, was qnite well attended, the next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Matt Larson on Friday Oct. 30

Albert Knutson returned home Tuesday from Warren where he had been sick in the hospital for some time with both appendicitis and typhoid.

Mr. and Mrs. Docken and Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bakke of T. R. Falls autoed over to Newfolden Tuesday. While there they attended the Ladies Aid at N. Skangs.

Theodore Sollom accompanied by h. sisters Gunhild and Clara left Friday for his home near Goodridge.

Miss Gunhild will teach the fall term of school there. Miss Clara returned home Saturday.

B. L. Backe and Adolph Sollom went to Grand Forks Tuesday. Mr. Backe bought a 1915 model Buick there and they proceeded on their way by auto to Glenfield, N. D. where Mr. Sollom had business.

L. M. Olson of Warren, candidate for Register of Deeds was calling on friends in this vicinity last week Thursday and Friday, and while here called at this office and left the copy for his announcement which appears in this week's paper.

We have just received information that the Herrick Seed Co. of Rochester, N. Y. wants lady or gentlemen representatives in this section to sell all kinds of Roses, Shrubs, Trees and Seeds. They inform us that without previous experience it is possible to make good wages every week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice 116

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 10:30.

Preaching at 11 o'clock by Rev. A. L. Larson. Every body invited.

M. T. Strom will preach at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the home of Oswald Hoel's and at 7.30 in the evening at New Solum.

The Young people's Society will meet at the church at 8 o'clock Saturday evening Oct. 10th. A good program will be given and every body is invited.

Truman M. Herber of Thief River Falls will preach at 7.30 Sunday evening Oct. 11th. The sermon will be in English and all are invited. Parents bring your children, children bring your parents.

Nazereth Lutheran Church.

Confirments meets Saturday Oct. 3rd at 1 oclock.

There will be Services in the Lutheran church Oct. 4th, at 11 o'clock.

The Young People Society will meet at the home of Louis Wigge Sunday at 2 o'cock.

The Nazereth Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. C. Hagglund Wednesday Oct. 7th All Welcome.

For Rent

The Farmer's Home Resturant furnished or unfurnished. This is a good location, but we are both getting too old for the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mickelson.

Both elevators are kept pretty busy every day now.

R. Rierson was a T. R. Falls passenger Tuesday.

O. P. Ness of T. R. Falls was here the first of the week.

Oscar Anderson was a passenger for T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. Follstad returned to St Hilaire, the first of the week.

Miss Edna Riesberg returned home Saturday from Crookston and T. R. Falls.

Mrs. Huseth and her mother were in Middle River between trains Tuesday.

E. E. Pachie, Clarence Larson and A. H. Huseth autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

A. L. Sagstuen threshed 16 acres of oats Tuesday that yielded over thirtysix bushels to the acre.

Dr. R. L. Olson and Chas. W. Latta autoed to the Pennington county metropolis on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kolden and son Peter, accompanied by Mrs. B. L. Backe, autoed to Germantown and Grygla Wednesday.

Jno. Whlan and wife returned to their home in Welcome, Friday after a pleasant visit at the home of her sister Mrs. Ed. Horlen.

Mat Larson did his threshing last week. He had 20 acres of flax that yielded thirteen bu. to the acre and his barley went twenty bu. per acre.

Mrs. Pat Rierson accompanied her sister, Mrs. Rime as far as T. R. Falls Friday, the later being on her return to her home near Rochester.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Marshall Co. and earnesly solicit your vote and influence. I have lived in Marshall Co. since childhood, have experienced both ups and downs in life, within the County and now ask you to inquire of my neighbors and acquaintances as to my character and behavior. I have nothing to say about myself only that if you elect me to the office of Sheriff, I shall discharge the duties impartially and to my best ability.

I remain Respectfully Yours.

Hans C. Hanson

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STATEMENT

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Name of— Post-office address.
Editor, H. B. Young. Holt, Minn.
Managing Editor, H. B. Young. "
Business Manager, B. Docken. "
Publisher, Holt Publishing Co. (not inc.) "
Known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders, holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities: none.
B. Docken. Business Manager.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of October 1914.
—N. Engebretson. Notary Public. Marshall Co., Minn. My commission expires 6-15-1919.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$ .95
Wheat No. 2	.92
Wheat No. 3	.88
Wheat No. 4	.81
Flax	1.25
Oats	.35
Barley	.28 to .36
Rye	.72
Flour, Best Patent	3.25

Southeast of Holt.

Tom Senem is working at the Stevens dredge.

The Ladies Aid of the Free Church will meet with Mrs. T. Ose Oct. 8th

Mrs. J. Michelson is visiting with Mrs. G. Olson at Thief River Falls.

Pete Michaelson and Nels Sordahl were in Holt with cattle on Friday.

Ben Brokkee spent Sunday at the home of his sister Mrs. M. Sampson.

Oscar Moe who has been plowing for John Ose returned home last Monday.

Carl Guttened and Ole K. Ose have left for Climax Minn. where they will pick up potatoes.

Martin Sampson who has been working in Dakota this summer has now returned to his home in Agder.

Mrs. G. A. Soiney, Mrs. Ed. Hansen and Mrs. Pete Michaelson visited at the home of R. Klungnes Sunday.

Messrs Allan Adolphson and Alfred Hanson are busy threshing in this locality. Those who have employed them, report they are fine threshers.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness are the proud parents of a baby girl, born to them Sept. 24th. Mother and child are doing well, and it is hoped that the father will recover.

Rev. A. Breadson of Thief River Falls held services Sunday at the Clarence Larson home at Golden Valley. He was accompanied by S. E. Moe, returning home the same day.

For Representative.

I was made one of the nominees for Representative for Marshall county at the June primaries, my vote being greater than that given to any of the other candidates for that office.

I came to Warren in 1883; have been editor of the Warren Register since 1894; was admitted to the bar in 1892; city recorder of Warren, 1900--1; clerk of taxes and tax laws committee of state senate, 1901; delegate to Republican National convention of 1912; secretary of board of education of Warren since 1909

I favor a square deal to everybody; am opposed to all legislation in behalf of special interests; favor county option and all other legislation that makes for temperance; favor all legislation tending to make our educational system more efficient; favor conservation and developement of state's natural resources; believe a representative owes it to his constituency to do more than merely answer to his name when the roll is called.

I respectfully solicit your support and votes on November 3, 1914, assuring you that, if elected, I shall serve you and your interests to the best of my ability.

Charles L. Stevens.

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of July 1914.

Cream received	28,276 lbs
Average test	27.74
Butter fat	7,844.71 lbs
Percent overrun	22.74
Butter made	9,628 lbs
Balance on hand last month	13 72
Received for butter shipped	2344 44
Butter sold patrons	14 47
Cash sales at creamery	23 68
Total	$2,418 15
Paid patrons by check	2034 28
" " " Butter	14 58
Expense fund, etc.	302 51
To sinking fund	56 02
Balance on hand	10 76
Total	$2,418 15

Number of patrons, 102

Price paid for butter fat, 26 1-2c

E. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

We want the Ladies From Holt

to take advantage of our Free Rail Road Fare offer, This Week.

We just received another fine Shipment of Ladies, Suits, Coats, Skirts and Furs. Also the newest in Fall Silks, Dressgoods, and Linens.

We know once you see our beautiful new showing of those fine fall shades, you'll be Just as enthused over them as we are.

Make arrangements to come this week.

We shall expect you.

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Thief River Falls

Song of Europe.

Sing a song of Europe,
Higly civilized,
Nearly all the nations
Wholly hypnotized.
When the battle opens
The bullets start to sing,
Isn't that a silly way
To act for any king?
The kings are in the background
Issuing commands.
The queens are in the parlor,
Per etiquette's demands.
The bankers in the counting house,
Are busy multiplying.
The common people at the front
Avoiding all the dying.

Benie A. Werner.

For Register of Deeds.

Having received the highest number of votes in the June primaries, for the nomination to the office of Register of Deeds for Marshall county, I wish to announce to my friends and the voters of the county that I am in the race to stay and will appreciate your support in the election Nov. 3rd next.

I have been a farmer, taxpayer and resident of the county since a young man, experienced the struggles of the early settler and according to means and ability have taken my share in the developments of the comunity. Based upon my record as a Public Official, especially that of the office of Register of Deeds which trust I held for four years and to which I now ask you to elect me, I deem myself amply qualified for the duties envolved and if elected I promise to devote my time and energies in the discharge of such duties and the substance of my platform is, A SQUARE DEAL FOR EVERYBODY.

Respectfully

Louis M. Olson.

For County Attorney

To the voters of Marshall County.

Having been favored as a candidate for re-election for the office of County Attorney, I wish to thank you for the liberal support which you gave me in the recent Primary Election, and I hope that I may again have your vote and support at the General Election to be held November 3rd 1914.

If re-elected, I shall continue to perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability. My aim has always been to give the people an economical and efficient administration and in this I feel that I have been successful. I am willing to stand on my record.

Your influence and support will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully yours,

A. N. Eckstrom

To neglect paying a visit to the Carlson's Basement, is simply cheating one's self of a great opportunity to view the many, many articles now on sale dirt cheap. The large basement is something of which a merchant may well be proud. It not only affords more ample room for a display of goods, but also increases the efficiency of the firm.

For Register of Deeds.

Having received the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds of Marshall County Minnesota, at the Primary Election on June 16th, I hereby announce to the voters of Marshall County, that I am a candidate for the office, and will appreciate your support and vote at the General Election on November 3rd.

My past record of eight years as Deputy in the office I now seek suffices me to state that I am well qualified for the duties involved, and if elected, I promise to faithfully discharge the duties of the office, in as competent a manner as they have been during the past eight years of my connection with the office.

Respectfully soliciting your kind support and vote, I am

Yours truly,

CHAS. E. GRINDER.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesot, Aug. 31, 1914.

Notice is here given that Christopher Yttri, of Holt, Minnesota, who on June 14, 1913, made Homestead Entry, No. 09149, for SE 1-4, Section 5, Township 155 N, Range 41 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 5th day of October, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson, Ole S. Kirkelie, Albert Johnson, Alexander McGee all of Germantown, Minnesota. Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal,

Legal Notice.

Estate of Peter Backland

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court,

In the Matter of the Estate of Peter Backland, Decedent,

The State of Minnesota to John Backland, Sigrid Lindstrom, Ingeborg Lindstrom, John Johnson, Peter Johnson, Carl Johnson, Betty Johnson, Sally Johnson, Arthur Johnson, Olga Johnson, Lilly Johnson, Alabe Johnson and Myrtle Johnson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of John Backlund having been filed in this court, representing that Peter Backland, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 10th day of December, 1913, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Ole J. Backlund of Holt, Minnesota: and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, YOU, and EACH of You are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have: before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of October 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court; this 19th day of September 1914.

Peter H. Holm,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge
Julius J. Olson, Attorney for Petitioner
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Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, duly executed and delivered by F. A. Ladwig and Clara Ladwig, his wife, mortgagors, to Oscar A. Trytten, mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of April, 1913, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of May, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 869, such default consisting in the non-payment of the sum of Eighty one and 20-100 Dollars, ($81.20) interest on the principal of the note secured by said mortgage, which interest became due and payable on the 28th day of April, 1914, according to the terms and conditions of said note and mortgage; and, Whereas, the undersigned, the Mortgagee and present owner and holder of said mortgage, has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount, principal and interest of the note secured by said mortgage to be due and payable; and, Whereas, the undersigned has been compelled to pay the sum of $60.40 interest on a prior mortgage on the premises hereinafter described, such interest being in default; and, Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said interest paid on the said prior mortgage, is the sum of Thirteen Hundred Forty and 26-100 Dollars ($1340.26), and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter (NW 1-4 SW 1-4) and the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter (SW 1-4 NW 1-4) of Section Seventeen (17), and the East half of the Southeast quarter (E 1-2 SE 1-4) of Section Eighteen (18), all in Township One Hundred and Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Fortyfour (44) West, of the 5th Principal Meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall county at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of October, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Thirteen Hundred Forty and 26-100 Dollars ($1340.26), and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) Statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 27, 1914.

Oscar A. Trytten, Mortgagee.
H. O. Kjomme, Attorney for Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

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My official record is open to the closest scrutiny and it is on that record that I ask the support of the voters of Marshall Co. on Nov. 3.'14.

Respectfully,

William Forsberg.

For County Commissioner.

To the Voters of the fifth Commissioner District of Marshall Co. Minn.

Having received the nomination for the Office of Co. Commissioner, at the Primary Election on June 16th., I hereby announce to the voters that I am a Candidate for the office and will appreciate your vote and support at the General Election Nov. 3rd.

Standing for a Square Deal for everybody I am Yours Truly,

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Randen, Minn.

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School House Notice

Sealed bids will be received by the School Board of District No. 35 of Marshall Co. Minn., up to the 23rd day of Oct. 1914, for the construction of a two room Consolidated School Building with full basement and Steam Heating Plant and Plumbing complete, according to plans and specifications now on file.

Seperate bids for the school building or heating and plumbing will be received or bids for doing both may be included in one.

Building to be completed by Jan. 15th 1915.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for ten per cent of the amount of bids, which will be returned as soon as satisfactory bond is given by the successful bidder.

Bids will be opened at one o'clock P. M. Friday Oct. 23. 1914.

The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.

Dated this 7th day of Oct. 1914.

D. Payne, Clerk,
District No. 35, Marshall Co. Minn.

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Miss Matilda Furr left Monday for Fargo, N. D.

Mrs. Fred Johnson visited in T. R. Falls Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Lydia Riesberg returned home Tuesday from several months stay with her sister in T. R. Falls.

Even Knutson of T. R. Falls was here Tuesday and purchased a quarter section of Marshall Co. soil of B. L. Backe.

Ole Sollom and wife of Grand Forks visited a few days at the home of his brother, T. T. Sollom and family at the hotel.

For Sale:- Well built house 16x24 and barn 14x34, on sec. 33 Whiteford twp. Call on or address

Chas. Thompson, Rollis, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Huseth entertained company at their pleasant home Sunday evening. A delicious three course dinner was served, and a very enjoyable evening was spent by those present.

Adolph Sollom is having a residence built on the lot back of his store building. For weeks Holt has kept tune to the hammer and saw and we hope the refrain will be kept up until many more residences will be erected.

Thru the kindness of C. H. Gunheim and his good wife, the editorial family were enabled to attend the Young People's meeting at Lewis Wigge's Sunday afternoon.

There were eight auto loads from Holt alone, beside people from the country and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 10:30.

The Young people's Society will meet at the church at 8 o'clock Saturday evening Oct. 10th. A good program will be given and every body is invited.

Truman M. Herber of Thief River Falls will preach at 7.30 Sunday evening Oct. 11th. The sermon will be in English and all are invited. Parents bring your children, children bring your parents.

For Rent

The Farmer's Home Resturant furnished or unfurnished. This is a good location, but we are both getting too old for the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mickelson.

Free

Your real estate taxes are due Nov. 1st. Pay them at Holt State Bank, free of charge.

Farmers! Get your meals at the hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop.

Miss Esther Mickelson who is teaching in Gatzke, spent Sunday with her parents.

A horse, buggy and harness worth $160.00, will be sold for $125, cash or bankable paper.

David Johnson, Co. Supt., was in this vicinity a few days, visiting schools and talking politics.

Rev. Ordahl and wife were entertained over Saturday night at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe.

A. H. Huseth has been about laid on the shelf the past week, with a boil on his hand, but he is now able to do shaving again.

E. M. Silbaugh went to Thief River Falls Friday and while there traded his auto for a practically new one of the Maxwell make.

M. O. Nelson has been hauling out the lumber for a house which C. F. Birkeland is building on the farm occupied by the former.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard and Sheriff La Bree of T. R. Falls were here Tuesday. The two former visited at the Huseth home a short time.

Ole Backlund autoed to Middle River Monday with Chris Yttri, who proved up on his claim. As some of Mr. Yttri's witnesses failed to put in an appearance, they went to Germantown after them, so were unable to get home until the next day.

We have just received information that the Herrick Seed Co. of Rochester, N. Y. wants lady or gentlemen representatives in this section to sell all kinds of Roses, Shrubs, Trees and Seeds. They inform us that without previous experience it is possible to make good wages every week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice. 116

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MEXICAN FACTIONS WILL LIKELY PICK CALDERON AS HEAD

CARRANZA-VILLA PEACE MEETING IS TO BE HELD AT AGUAS CALIENTES OCT. 10.

CONFERENCE MUST DECIDE IF PEACE IS TO BE RESTORED

No Importance Attached to Fact Resignation of Carranza Was Refused Saturday—Attack on Naco, Sonora, Continues—American Town Suffers.

Mexico City, Oct. 6.—Representatives of Venustiano Carranza and Francisco Villa will meet in a general peace conference at Aguas Calientes Oct. 10. This decision was reached by unanimous vote at a session of the chamber of deputies.

Washington Sees Agreement.

Washington.—The conference at Aguas Calientes between representatives of Carranza and Villa must decide whether or not peace is to be restored in Mexico, is the opinion of officials here. Administration officials believe that an agreement will be reached providing for the selection of Fernando Iglesias Calderon as provisional president and setting at rest other perplexing questions.

In the absence of official reports from Mexico, information as to developments in Mexico City was lacking. Neither administration officials nor Constitutionalist representatives, however, attached much significance to the action of the conference of southern chiefs in Mexico City Saturday in refusing to accept the resignation of General Carranza as first chief.

Couldn't Accept Resignation.

It was pointed out that had the resignation been accepted, it would have left the government without any official head and seriously complicated the situation.

That Fernando Iglesias Calderon, despite his refusal to accept the "provisional government in the manner in which the divisions of the north offered it to him," would assume that office was firmly believed.

Will Reconsider Resignation.

It was predicted that the peace convention, scheduled to convene Oct. 10, would in all probability reconsider Carranza's resignation and select Calderon as provisional president.

The latter has agreed to accept the post if offered by representatives of both factions and observers here believe he is the only man whose name has been considered so far whose standing with the supporters of both Villa and Carranza is such as to insure their co-operation in preparing the distracted republic for a general election.

American City Suffers.

Naco, Sonora, Mexico.—Scattered, ineffective fire from both sides, constituted the day's program in Governor Maytorena's attack on Naco, where Benjamin Hill has been entrenched for a week, awaiting the assault. Hill's casualties were one killed and three wounded, but by his own fire.

Naco, Arizona, adjoining the besieged town across the American border, is almost as much of a sufferer as this place. Bad marksmanship has made the American streets hazardous, and sightseers have been stopped a mile outside the town. The Ninth United States cavalry border patrol is keeping back the wounded Mexicans, who constantly seek to cross the line and also striving to prevent American curiosity from being fatal to its possessors.

A trooper of the border patrol was wounded by a stray bullet.

Posse Finds Child Asleep in Woods.

St. Cloud, Minn., Oct. 5.—After 18 hours' search, in which hundreds of men took part, the two-year-old son of Frank Ellers, Clear Lake, was discovered asleep in the woods near his home. The sheriff from Mankato arrived with bloodhounds and the dogs found the child.

Bulgaria Calls Officers Home.

Rome, via Paris, Oct. 3.—M. Rizoff, the Bulgarian minister to Italy, has been instructed by his government to order all Bulgarian officers in Italy and Switzerland to return home immediately and also to privide them with money for the journey.

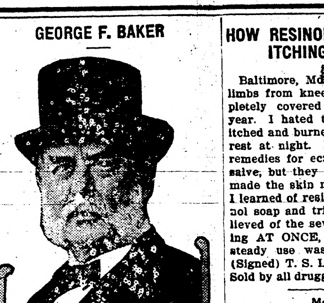
Cholera Reported in Germany.

London, Oct. 5.—The North German Gazette admits the apperance of cholera in Germany as well as in Austria, says a Rome dispatch.

People Flee Into Antwerp.

Amsterdam, Oct. 5, via London.—A dispatch to the Telegraaf from Antwerp says: "The population of all the villages between the first and second rings of forts surrounding the city are fleeing into Antwerp, but there is no panic here. The inhabitants feel certain that help will come. Fifty thousand refugees have arrived from Ghent, 5,000 from Bruges, 3,000 from Coutrai and 2,000 from Ostend. Behind and in the enemy's lines Belgian volunteers have been very active."

GEORGE F. BAKER


INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE

George F. Baker, the noted banker of New York, who returned recently from Europe, declares emphatically that "we need have no fear for America and her future" because of the great war.

TO PROBE LABOR CONDITIONS

WORLD-WIDE INVESTIGATION OF INDUSTRIAL AFFAIRS.

Former Minister of Labor in Canada Named to Direct Work—Declared Most Urgent of Modern Times.

New York, Oct. 2.—The Rockefeller foundation announces that it has decided to make a far-reaching investigation of industrial conditions in this country and that it has retained the services of W. L. Mackenzie King, former minister of labor in Canada, as director of the investigation.

The announcement was made in a statement issued here by Jerome D. Green, secretary of the Rockefeller foundation.

"In facing the problem of industrial relations the Rockefeller foundation is deliberately attempting to grapple with what it beleives to be the most complicated and at the same time the most urgent question of modern times, and it is precisely for this reason that the investigation has been instituted.

"In no sense will the investigation be local or restricted or carried on with particular reference to any existing situation or, for that matter, with reference to conditions in any one country. The experience of the several countries of the world will be drawn upon.

"In going to another country and selecting as the person to have the direction of tihs most important work one whose public services have gained for him an outstanding position as a leading authority on industrial problems, the trustees have shown their desire to free the foundation from any suspicion of interest or prejudice in the investigation of the most controversial of all problems."

Battle Is Reported.

Amsterdam, Oct. 2.—A Budapest dispatch to The Newspaper Korrespondenz states that the Austrian government is sending fresh troops into northwestern Hungary to stem the Russian advance which has already penetrated the Carpathians.

It is unofficially reported in the Hungarian capital that a battle was fought between Austrian and Russian soldiers near Malomszeg Tuesday.

Jubilation Among Staff.

Paris, Oct. 2.—Supreme confidence prevails at military headquarters. The battle of the Aisne is already claimed as a sweeping French victory.

There is on disguising the jubilation among the members of General Gallieni's staff. But there is still no deviation in the official communique, which bruskly declares "there is no change."

Hold 2,000 Russian Officers.

Berlin, Oct. 3.—(By wireless to Sayville, L. I.)—A statement given out in Berlin says that there are about 2,000 Russian officers, including 18 generals, at present being held as prisoners of war in the various detention camps in Germany.

Says Reinforcements Saved Von Kluck

Bordeaux, Oct. 5.—Minister of War Alexandre Millerand declared that only the steady arrival of heavy reinforcements had averted complete disaster for the army of General von Kluck and the entire right wing of the German army.

Snow Falls in Alberta.

Winnipeg, Oct. 5.—Considerable snow fell Saturday in Alberta. The country appears to be in for wintry weather. The temperature is falling.

Ireland Furnishing Troops.

Dublin, Oct. 5.—Via London.—The number of new recruits for the British army obtained in Ireland amounts to about 26,000. More than 8,000 of these are from the Dublin district, 4,000 from Cork district and the remainder from Belfast. Not all the Belfast recruits are Unionists, nor are all the southern recruits Nationalists. The Belfast Nationalists claim to have furnished 5,000 of the Belfast recruits which number, relative to their total population, is larger than the proportion supplied by the Unionists.

HOW RESINOL CURED ITCHING SKIN TORMENT

Baltimore, Md., May 23, 1914: "My limbs from knee to ankle were completely covered with eczema for a year. I hated to go in company, it itched and burned so badly. I had no rest at night. I tried a good many remedies for eczema, both liquid and salve, but they did me no good, only made the skin more rough and scaly. I learned of resinol ointment and resinol soap and tried them, and was relieved of the severe itching and burning AT ONCE, and after a month's steady use was completely cured." (Signed) T. S. Lewis, 1821 Summit St. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

More of It.

"Juno was an ox-eyed beauty."

"I guess if she lived in these days she would be a peroxide one, too."

A CLERGYMAN'S TESTIMONY.

The Rev. Edmund Heslop of Wigton, Pa., suffered from Dropsy for a year. His limbs and feet were swollen and puffed. He had heart fluttering, was dizzy and exhausted at the least exertion. Hands and feet were cold and he had such a dragging sensation across the loins that it was difficult to move. After using 5 boxes of Dodds Kidney Pills the swelling disappeared and he felt himself again. He says he has been benefited and blessed by the use of Dodds Kidney Pills. Several months later he wrote: I have not changed my faith in your remedy since the above statement was authorized. Correspond with Rev. E. Heslop about this wonderful remedy.

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Do you know just how Europe recently got that $125,000,000 in American gold. Well, here is the way it was done: Europeans hold great amounts in American securities, which is to say they have bought bonds issued in this country. When the war crisis came they saw the need of actual money in place of these bonds. They cabled to their American brokers to sell at the market price. They took whatever they could get, but there was always something offered, so the sales were heavy.

The purchasers of these bonds gave their checks. These the brokers cashed at their banks and got currency. This currency of the United States is made good by the deposit of gold in the treasuries. For every gold certificate in existence there is the actual metal in the treasury. So the brokers, getting the currency from the banks, went to the sub-treasury in New York and asked for the actual gold. They received it and sent the gold to their customers abroad.

Good Reason.

It was a very youthful class in physiology.

"Why," asked the teacher, "is it best to eat soup first when one is very hungry?"

The pupils stared at her blankly. Then Jamie enlightened them from the depths of his own experience.

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Do You Drink It?

A minister's wife had quite a tussle with coffee and her experience is interesting. She says:

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"After three of four years of coffee drinking, I became a nervous wreck and thought that I simply could not live without my coffee. All this time I was subject to frequent bilious attacks, sometimes so severe as to keep me in bed for several days.

"After being married, Husband begged me to leave off coffee for he feared that it had already hurt me almost beyond repair, so I resolved to make an effort to release myself from the hurtful habit.

"I began taking Postum, and for a few days felt the languid, tired feeling from the lack of the coffee drug, but I liked the taste of Postum, and that answered for the breakfast beverage all right.

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VIOLENT OFFENSIVE ON GERMAN RIGHT ADMITTED IN PARIS

ASSERTED ALL EFFORTS OF TEUTONS ARE DIRECTED TO SAVE VON KLUCK'S DIVISION FROM DESTRUCTION.

DOUBT AS TO OUTCOME OF GREAT STRUGGLE IN FRANCE

Situation Along Most of Aisne Line Remains Same With French and British On Offensive at All Points Except Above Mentioned.

London, Oct. 6.—The German offensive against the allied left wing continues with increasing violence. This was the significant admission in the French war office statement.

Reinforcements Pour In.

That this should be so is not surprising. The Germans continue to drain their other fighting units to pour reinforcements into the lines of Generals von Boehm and von Kluck. They are fighting there to keep their offensive alive. When they are forced to retreat—and every British and French military official declares that they eventually must give way or be annihilated—they will have to retire entirely from France.

Offensive Declared Resumed.

London, Oct. 6.—Having repulsed the German attacks, presumably in the vicinity of Roye, the French, according to the official communication at Paris, have resumed the offensive at several points, while other positions on their left have been appreciably maintained.

Offensive Move Believed.

The great effort of the allies, to envelope the German right, may, therefore, be said to be again in operation, and it is believed that the whole French column from Roye northward to Arras is moving eastward against the German positions.

It is the same operation that has been tried repeatedly for the last three weeks in an attempt to reach the German lines of communication and encircle the German army forming the right wing or force it to fall back to Belgium or Luxemberg. The Germans have had a long time in which to make their position secure, so there is a lot of hard fighting ahead for both the attacking forces and the defenses. The defensive role is now apparently being assumed by the Teutons.

Waiting in Center.

In the center, from the Oise to the Argonne, the two well intrenched armies are still watching each other, ready at a moment's notice to meet attacks or, on the advice of aerial observers, to move to some point where the line is threatened.

While there have been many of these movements, there is little, according to the French report, to recount. In other words, the situation remains virtually as it was.

Germans Reported Repulsed.

In the Argonne district, where the crown prince's army attempted an advance a few days ago, there has been additional fighting with the result that the Germans are said to have been pushed back northward. In Southern Woevre the French are "making progress, but very slowly" against the Germans, who crossed the Meuse at St. Mihiel, but later were forced back over that river.

In Lorraine on the Vosges there is no change in the positions of the armies.

German Trenches Claimed.

Paris, Oct. 6.—The official announcement issued by the French war office reports progress in the region of Soissons, where several of the German trenches have been taken.

The battle on the left wing is in full swing without any decisive result having been attained, the communication says.

Comparative Calm Reported.

On the Battle Front (via Paris), Oct. 6.—After the determined attacks and counter attacks of the past few days, here has been more or less calm along the western front since Saturday afternoon, except on the most extreme wing near Arras, where the fighting has continued incessantly.

Both armies, however, have kept up desultory firing at nearly all points, although they did not come into action.

The French soldiers were greatly surprised Sunday to see their British comrades, after the long spell in the trenches, retire to some distance in the rear and inflate several footballs and begin lively games.

Petition Italy to Act.

Rome, Oct. 6, via Paris.—Italians from Trent, in Austria, who reside in Italy, have petitioned the Italian parliament to complete the work of freeing Italy, begun by King Victor Emmanual and Garibaldi. They request that Italy unite to the kingdom the Austrian provinces inhabited by Italians. The petitioners are headed by Signor Battisti, a socialist deputy from Trent. Signor Battisti addressed a large and enthusiastic meeting in Milan and said that he was much touched by the imposing demonstration.

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Sterling, Conn.—"I am a girl of 22 years and I used to faint away every month and was very weak. I was also bothered a lot with female weakness. I read your little book 'Wisdom for Women,' and I saw how others had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and decided to try it, and it has made me feel like a new girl and I am now relieved of all these troubles. I hope all young girls will get relief as I have. I never felt better in my life."—Miss BERTHA A. PELOQUIN, Box 116, Sterling, Conn.

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Girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion, should immediately seek restoration to health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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SMALL WARS MEAN BIG POEMS

Greatest Battle Hymns Have Not Been Inspired by Titanic Struggles Like the Present One.

The greatest poems have been written about little wars. The Iliad was written around a siege carried on by a handful of barbarian chieftains against a city of the second class. The battle of Chevy Chase was a border skirmish following upon a cattle-stealing expedition. And Kipling's imperial muse is at her best when she sings of petty wars with colored tribesmen. Britain's far-flung battle line was far flung against Dervishers and Afridis; it was seldom brought into collision with field intrenchments and siege artillery. Little war, or else big wars in anticipation of retrospect, these are the rich soil for the poet.

A great war in the actual, the fate of an empire truly at stake, may make poets out of the common crowd, but subdues the poet to the level of the common crowd. There is a solemn tone about Kipling's latest verse which has its effect. Only it is not exhortation we wanted, but exultation; not an appeal, but a clarion call. When an entire nation is aflame the poet is apt to find his mission rather perfunctory.

PICKED OUT THE RIGHT TIME

Schoolboy a Good Deal More Thoughtful Than Most Youngsters We Ever Heard Of.

A popular member of a certain school board tells a good story of a certain schoolboy who enjoys the unique distinction of having attended one school for 11 years without being once absent or late. In evidence of this, the youth is the proud owner of 11 medals. When the eleventh medal was conferred the boy's mother was asked whether her son ever had any illness.

"Oh, yes," she replied.

"Measles?"

"Yes."

"Whooping cough?"

"Yes."

"How is it, then, that he has been able to make so remarkable a record at school?"

"Well, he generally had 'em in his holidays," was the proud mother's interesting reply.

PIMPLES RUINED COMPLEXION

724 E. N. Ave., Olney, Ill.—"When my trouble first began I noticed little pimples coming on my face. They itched and burned so badly that I had to scratch them and that only made them worse. About a week later my face was so badly covered with pimples and blackheads that I was ashamed. My complexion was ruined. The pimples would sometimes bleed and fester.

"I bought a box of complexion cream and used it but without effect. One day I heard of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I decided to give them a trial. So I got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment, washed my face with the Soap and applied the Ointment and in two weeks I was completely well." (Signed) Chas. E. McGinn, May 5, 1914.

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Approaching, But Not Close.

"When I left Havre on my way back to England," says Representative Gardner of Massachusetts, "600 French soldiers lined up on the dock and sang 'God Save the King' in English." By the nine gods of war! as our own General Bingham would say, this incident, taken in connection with the Belgians stepping to the front chanting, "It's a Long Way to Tipperary," seems to indicate the approach of the much-teuted brotherhood of man."

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Do the elevators in a department store come under the head of shoplifters?

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save a majority of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. Castoria operates exactly the reverse, but you must see that it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Castoria causes the blood to circulate properly, opens the pores of the skin and allays fever.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

NEW FRENCH EXPLOSIVE KILLS EVERYTHING WITHIN 400 YARDS

London.—"One wonders what kind of shells the French must have been using to cause a regiment of German infantry to die in their trenches, standing bolt upright and still holding their rifles in firing attitude," remarked a London paper the other day, and another correspondent quotes an American member of the Crois Rouge as having seen "the German trenches as the French guns had left them, but with dead in such a posture as the world had never seen since the destroying angel passed over the Philistine camp in that avenging night of Scripture, a silent company of ghosts."

But there is no secrecy about what is now an open secret, "Turpinite," the latest French "hell-producer," is the invention of M. Turpin, the "parent" inventor of melinite and lyddite, which latter is merely so named because the first experiments were made by Lydd, in Kent, in presence of the French inventor. How far this turpinite has been or is being used by the French artillery is not known, and may not be exactly known till after the war, but one of the salient features of this novel terror is that it cannot be fired from an ordinary field gun, and for its use guns of particular and difficult construction are required. The handling of these guns is at present confined to specialists. Had the successful experiments carried out at Chalons-sur-Marne taken place earlier, the result of this war, in so far as its primary stages were concerned, might well have been different.

So lethal in its effect is the new shell on explosion that, should its use become widespread, whole armies, indeed, entire nations, would be completely exterminated in the course of a few weeks.

Offered to France.

M. Turpin is not only a remarkable man, he is also a man who for many years nursed a serious grievance, and who considered that he had been deeply wronged in connection with the discovery of his previous inventions, melinite and lyddite. He became resentful and suspicious, and determined to discover some new explosive that would completely throw into the shade his previous discoveries, which had been "improved" by official French technicians.

For years he worked in his quiet country home some twenty miles from Paris, and it is not long ago since the French government made him the "amende honorable." This mollified him considerably, and he offered his new discovery to his country, but France, at the imperious demand of her democrats, had for many years been cutting down her military expenditure, while Germany had been steadily increasing hers. In such circumstances there was little money to spend on experiments with explosives, and the outbreak of war found France not nearly so prepared with artillery, in munitions, in reserve forces, as was Germany.

M. Turpin, however, used as he was to war office procrastination, had had a special gun and shells made "on his own," and conducted experiments on the Atlantic coast before carefully selected and invited officers.

A man who witnessed one of these early demonstrations of the possibilities of "turpinite" sends to the Daily Express a description of its terrific effects:

"On a stretch of sand 500 yards from high water level a temporary sheepfold had been erected, about four hundred yards square, and railed off with wooden hurdles. In this space were some dozen sheep and a couple of aged and worn-out horses.

"One of the horses was contentedly munching away at some hay in a trough, the other was rubbing himself against one of the hurdles, while the sheep were huddled together in one corner.

As if Petrified.

"This was what I saw through my glasses when, from behind a ridge some twenty-five hundred yards away, there came a sharp, loud thud and the shrieking sound of a small shell, just as if somebody had taken a piece of silk and rapidly torn it in two. It was the same tearing sound, only louder.

"There was an explosion in the open space in the middle of the improvised sheep pen. The sheep were still all huddled in a corner some distance off, one of the old horses was apparently leaning up against the railing, while the other, the one that had been munching hay at the trough, lay on his side.

"When, ten minutes later, I reached the pen, the sheep looked for all the world as if they had been suddenly petrified. They were mostly standing up one against the other.

"Three or four were lying down, but all were dead, with their eyes open and lower lips hanging.

"It was absolutely ghastly. Yet of all the animals only the old horse that had been munching hay was hit by a fragment of the shell. The other old horse was half falling, half leaning up against the fence, his fore legs stretched out forward, his hind feet doubled up on the sand beneath him. Both had been killed instantly.

"There was a faint odor in the air which I can only describe as that given off by methylated spirits yet mixed with a pungent smell of menthol.

"There was no wind at the time, the air being practically still. I should like to have seen the gun, but this, as well as the shells, was surrounded by a canvas screen. That the experiment made a deep impression on those present was quite obvious, and I was not surprised therefore to hear that the experiments had been repeated on a much larger scale at the French permanent camps of Chalons and Mailly.

Behind Locked Doors.

"I am told that the experiments got to the ear of the German general staff, for it appears that various plausible people, self-styled journalists, business agents, and others, began to call upon M. Turpin. After the war broke out a special guard was placed outside M. Turpin's residence to warn off all unauthorized persons. Within the last few weeks, however, Mr. Turpin has taken up his quarters at a magneto factory in a populous Paris suburb, where a number of men have been engaged in preparing the component parts of the turpinite shells, which are finished off in a private laboratory by Mr. Turpin and two assistants, who work with the doors locked.

"For special reasons, which it would be unfair to divulge at the present moment, I am strongly of opinion that these shells have not been used to any extent by the French armies in the field. Probably an actual test under battle conditions has been made once or twice, but no more. A number of people, however, have got wind of the matter, and imagination has done the rest.

"That this terrific explosive will, however, be used in case of such an eventuality as, say, an attempt to take Paris by storm I have no doubt, but I am convinced that, despite the thousands of bombs now prepared and the special apparatuses that are being cast, this explosive, a single 56-pound shell of which is able to kill—so to speak—to 'petrify' every living thing in a space of 400 square yards, will not be used unless in very desperate circumstances, and only with the full consent of France's allies."

HALF WORKS WHILE OTHER HALF SLEEPS

London.—The secret of the tremendous German dash through Belgium and on the outskirts of Paris now appears to be explained, according to a British officer who has returned wounded to England. The German army was organized as are the workers in a factory or a coal mine. That is, they worked in two shifts. Throughout the advance from Liege half the army was sleeping while the other half was attacking or advancing, and by these tactics they kept the allies constantly awake and wore them out by sheer want of sleep.

The fall of Namur was almost entirely due to the two shift tactics of the German army. The bombardment of that town, it will be remembered, was coninuous for three days—from Thursday, August 20, until five o'clock on the following Sunday afternoon.

It is obvious that the German attackers must have worked two shifts to have carried on such a bombardment. Even if the gunners were beyond the range of Belgian fire and safe from attack, they could not have kept it up for 70 consecutive hours. In the garrison of Namur sleep would have been impossible under such a terrific cannonade, and want of sleep is a stronger engine of war than even the German 11-inch howitzers.

From Namur right down through the northwestern part of France the German advance was conducted on the "two shift" principle, which means that twice a day when the "shift' that has just slept, comes up to the front to relieve the "shift" whose time for sleep has come, the firing line is reenforced to the full strength of the army and vast attacks can be launched. These, it will be observed, have been the tactics employed for the great German dashes have not been continuous, although the general movement forward during that stage of the war was.

Only soldiers who have fought through arduous campaigns can realize that sleep is a thing to which the bravest soldiers must eventually succumb. It is a struggle to beat off the healthy approach of sleep only for 24 hours; 70 hours is longer than most human beings can resist it, and by that time it is so strong that it outweighs other consideraions.

CARRY GERMANS OFF FEET IN LONG FIGHT

Paris.—A fine story of heroism is told about a certain infantry regiment which was fighting near Soissons for three days. The regiment made incessant assaults on the enemy's positions, but time after time was compelled to retire under the heavy German fire.

Toward nightfall on the third day the regiment gained the position at the point of the bayonet and swung around a height which was an important position to the German force.

The French general in command obtained re-enforcements of fresh troops and ordered them to capture the hill while the regiment which had been fighting he told to take a much-needed rest.

This announcement caused much disappointment to the men of the fighting regiment, and they sent a petition to their colonel asking that they be allowed to complete their work. The request was granted and the regiment carried the hill.

Found He Was Mistaken.

A man from the country, in charity one will say from the country, although he may have been a Bostonese, entered a New York restaurant the other evening, and while waiting to be served, gave his attention to an electric fan revolving just above his head. It was a high pressure fan, noiseless, and almost, if not quite, invisible because of its rapid motion. The stranger gazed at it for some considerable time and was heard to mutter: "I don't believe there is anything there at all." With that he put up his hand to confirm his belief. Immediately there was a yell that almost threw the place into a panic. The man sprang into the air, rushed out of the door and, as he disappeared, was heard to say: "I monkeyed with the buzz-saw, all right."

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Try this recipe:—

Asparagus with Eggs—Salt and pepper well one can of Libby's Asparagus. Beat four eggs just enough to break up the yolks, add a tablespoonful of melted butter, pepper and salt, and pour upon the Asparagus. Bake eight minutes in a quick oven, and serve immediately.

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C. F. Bjerkland was a passenger for the south, Monday.

Henry Offerdahl of Middle River was an over Sunday visitor with Holt friends.

Mr. Fuller, of the Hanson & Barzen Milling Co., was here from T. R. Falls, Monday.

John Sorum hauled some large and small culverts to Gatzke, Wednesday. Chas. Martell assisted with his team.

M. T. Strom will preach at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the home of Arnold Folden in the township of Newfolden.

J. P. Lein of Warren visited a few days at the home of his daughter Mrs. C. H. Gunheim, returning to his home Tuesday.

D. Payne has recently sold lumber for granaries to Ole Rierson and H. Fosholm. THE NEWS is pleased to see these evidences of prosperity on the part of the farmers.

Two Thousand Men.

Two Thousand Men with X's are wanted for Nov. 3rd. next, to attack the right wing of Marshall County's official ballot. If you believe in Peace, bury your X opposite the name of Lewis M. Olson for Register of Deeds. The pencil will be mightier than the sword that day-use your pencil right.

Yours for Marshall County Home and Children.

Lewis M. Olson.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Marshall Co. and earnesly solicit your vote and influence. I have lived in Marshall Co. since childhood, have experienced both ups and downs in life, within the County and now ask you to inquire of my neighbors and acquaintances as to my charącter and behavior. I have nothing to say about myself only that if you elect me to the office of Sheriff, I shall discharge the duties impartially and to my best ability.

I remain Respectfully Yours.
Hans C. Hanson
Viking., Minnesota.

For County Attorney

To the Voters of Marshall Co:-

Having been nominated at the June primaries as a candidate for the office of Co. Attorney, I wish to announce to the voters of Marshall Co. that I am seeking the election to that office at the General Election Nov. 3rd: 1914.

I respectfully ask your vote and influence, and if elected, it shall be my purpose to conduct that office with efficiency and fairness and with the least expense to the county.

Your vote and influence in my behalf will be highly appreciated.

Respectfully yours,
E. A. Brekke.

For Representative.

I was made one of the "nominees for Representative for Marshall county at the June primaries, my vote being greater than that given to any of the other candidates for that office.

I came to Warren in 1883; have been editor of the Warren Register since 1894; was admitted to the bar in 1892; city recorder of Warren, 1900--1; clerk of taxes and tax laws committee of state senate, 1901; delegate to Republican National convention of 1912; secretary of board of education of Warren since 1909

I favor a square deal to everybody; am opposed to all legislation in behalf of special interests; favor county option and all other legislation that makes for temperance; favor all legislation tending to make our educational system more efficient; favor conservation and developement of state's natural resources; believe a representative owes it to his constituency to do more than merely answer to his name when the roll is called.

I respectfully solicit your support and votes on November 3, 1914, assuring you that, if elected, I shall serve you and your interests to the best of my ability.

Charles L. Stevens.

We want the Ladies From Holt
to take advantage of our Free Rail Road Fare offer, This Week.

We just received another fine Shipment of Ladies, Suits, Coats, Skirts and Furs. Also the newest in Fall Silks, Dressgoods, and Linens.

We know once you see our beautiful new showing of those fine fall shades, you'll be Just as enthused over them as we are.

Make arrangements to come this week.

We shall expect you.

Loken's Dept. Store
Thief River Falls

Eighty five numbers were sold for the dance Saturday night. Good order was maintained and Mr. Silsbaugh assures us that he is going to keep good order at all of his dances.

For Register of Deeds.

Having received the highest number of votes in the June primaries, for the nomination to the office of Register of Deeds for Marshall county, I wish to announce to my friends and the voters of the county that I am in the race to stay and will appreciate your support in the election Nov. 3rd next.

I have been a farmer, taxpayer and resident of the county since a young man, experienced the struggles of the early settler and according to means and ability have taken my share in the developments of the comunity. Based upon my record as a Public Official, especially that of the office of Register of Deeds which trust I held for four years and to which I now ask you to elect me, I deem myself amply qualified for the duties involved and if elected I promise to devote my time and energies in the discharge of such duties and the substance of my platform is, A SQUARE DEAL FOR EVERYBODY.

Respectfully
Louis M. Olson.

For County Attorney

To the voters of Marshall County

Having been favored as a candidate for re-election for the office of County Attorney, I wish to thank you for the liberal support which you gave me in the recent Primary Election, and I hope that I may again have your vote and support at the General Election to be held November 3rd 1914.

If re-elected, I shall continue to perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability. My [illegible] has always been to give the [illegible] economical and effjcient administration and in this I feel that I have been successful. I am willing to stand on my record.

Your influence and support will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully yours,
A. N. [illegible]

For Register of Deeds.

Having received the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds of Marshall County Minnesota, at the Primary Election on June [illegible], I hereby announce to the voters of Marshall County that I am a candidate for the office, and will appreciate your support and vote at the General Election on November 3rd.

My past record of eight years as Deputy in the office I now seek suffices me to state that I am well qualified for the duties involved and if elected, I promise to faithfully discharge the duties of the office in as competent a manner as they have been during the past eight years of my connection with the office.

Respectfully soliciting your kind support and vote, I am
Yours truly,
CHAS. [illegible]

Legal Notice.

Estate of Peter Backland

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Peter Backland, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to [illegible] Backland, Sigrid Lindstrom, Ingeborg [illegible], John Johnson, Peter Johnson, [illegible], Betty Johnson, Sally Johnson, [illegible] Johnson, Olga Johnson, Lilly Johnson, [illegible] Johnson, and Myrtle Johnson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of [illegible] Backland having been filed in this Court, representing that Peter Backland, then a resident of the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the [illegible] day of December, 1913, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Ole [illegible] Backland of Holt, Minn, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, You, and each of You are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the [illegible] day of October 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this [illegible] day of September 1914.

(Court Seal) Peter P. Holm, Probate Judge
Julius J. Olson, Attorney for Petitioner
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Rev. Foseland preached a fine sermon in the Free Mission church Sunday evening and there was a big crowd out to hear him. Messrs Seramme and Schia[illegible] accompanied Rev. Foseland.

New
Dray Line!
[illegible]

Ed. Horien finished his threshing Saturday. His speltz yielding forty bu. to the acre, oats 35, barley 25 and flax eleven bu.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, duly executed and delivered by F. A. Ladwig and Clara Ladwig, his wife, mortgagors, to Oscar A. Trytten, mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of April, 1913, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of May, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Book 69 of mortgages, on page 369, such default consisting in the non-payment of the sum of Eighty one and 20-100 Dollars, ($81.20) interest on the principal of the note secured by said mortgage, which interest became due and payable on the 28th day of April, 1914, according to the terms and conditions of said note and mortgage; and, Whereas, the undersigned, the Mortgagee and present owner and holder of said mortgage, has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount, principal and interest of the note secured by said mortgage to be due and payable; and, Whereas, the undersigned has been compelled to pay the sum of $60.40 interest on a prior mortgage on the premises hereinafter described, such interest being in default; and, Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said interest paid on the said prior mortgage, is the sum of Thirteen Hundred Forty and 26-100 Dollars ($1340.26), and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter (NW 1-4 SW 1-4) and the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter (SW 1-4 NW 1-4) of Section Seventeen (17) and the East half of the Southeast quarter (E 1-2 SE 1-4) of Section Eighteen (18), all in Township One Hundred and Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Fortyfour (44) West, of the 5th Principal Meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall county at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of October, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Thirteen Hundred Forty and 26-100 Dollars ($1340.26), and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) Statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 28, 1914.

Oscar A. Trytten, mortgagee.
H. O. Kjomme, Attorney for Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, minnesota.

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The Best there is in Flour
Every sack Guaranteed
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Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.,
[illegible] HOLT, MINN.

Defective

E. A. Wright of Middle River was in town Saturday.

Racine Olson autoed to Gatzke Friday afternoon.

Fred Ewald's nephew and niece returned here Tuesday.

D. B. Bakke autoed here from T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. August Klene was an over Sunday visitor in T. R. Falls.

Oscar Anderson has returned from several months stay in Dakota.

L. M. Olson was looking after political interest Tuesday and Wednesday.

Senator Sundberg was looking after his political fences around here Wednesday.

Several more candidates have their announcements in the paper this week. Dont fail to read them.

Peter Kolden left Saturday for Ada Minn. where he will live with his aunt Mrs. Ella Olson, and attend school.

Mrs. Anderson and sons Guy and Alfred, and little granddaugeter Hazel were entertained at dinner by C. H. Gunheim and wife, Sunday.

Mrs. C. E. Russell of T. R. Falls visited at the home of her sister Mrs. A. H. Huseth, a short time Saturday. Her mother Mrs. Christenson and daughter Verna returning home with her on the afternoon train.

[illegible] Valley News.

[illegible]

[illegible] took Mr. [illegible] to T. R. Falls Monday.

Mrs. Graham came from Columbus Ohio, Thursday to visit friends.

W. J. Patten came from N. D. Saturday, where he had been working for sometime.

W. J. Holt came Saturday from Minneapolis.

Miss Selma Dovre went to T. R. Falls Monday.

The gun club held a meeting in the Star hall Tuesday evening.

C. H. Gunheim was a Golden Valley business visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Alfred Sollom visited in town with relatives and friends Monday.

Peter Kolden autoed to T. R. Falls Friday, accompanied by A. Huseth.

Dr. Olson brought us a sample of his rutabagas, and they are dandies.

Lars Backe was in town on business at the Farmers Bank Wednesday.

T. A. Tobiason has been supplying the town trade with wood the past week.

S. S. Kolden, A. H. Huseth and F. W. Faber, autoed to Flakne Moneay.

You can't afford to miss the Y. P. meeting at the new church, to-morrow evening.

John Simonson went to Bemidji Tuesday, called there by the sad news of his brother's death.

Ed. Silbaugh, Ed. Davidson and Mr. Larson went to T. R. Falls Monday, in the formers' new auto.

A Young People's meeting at the Mission Church Saturday evening Oct. 10th. Don't miss it.

Albert Halverson and Jean MacDonald of T. R. Falls were over Sunday visitors of Miss Dagny Bakke.

Mrs. Halson Anderson of T. R. [illegible]

[illegible] Sunday. Oscar Skoglund, Arvid and Toby Carlson autoed north and east of Middle River last Sunday on a partridge hunt.

B. L. Backe autoed to Mud Lake Saturday with T. T. Sollom and his brother, Olaf and wife. The latter gentleman was well pleased with the country and seemed surprised to find such good land there.

Miss Elsie Johnson went to T. R. Falls, Monday.

Miss Teckla Smith is now employed at Mickelson's restaurant.

Matt Larson went to Fargo N. D. Thursday to visit his daughters.

B. L. Backe and Adolph Sollom spent Tuesday night out on their claims.

O. Holland of Norman Co. visited friends in and near Holt a few days, returning home Friday.

Messrs Evenson and Hamre of T. R. Falls accompanied by their wives were here on business Tuesday.

Racine Olson returned from Warren last Thursday evening. He reports crops as being good there.

Mr. and Mrs. Kolden visitedat the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Oldberg near Middle River Sunday.

There will be English preaching in the Free Mission church Sunday evening and you are cordially invited to attend.

Among the good reports coming from the school is one that little Miss Ruth Tobiason won a prize for good behavior.

The Misses Cora Hanson, Agnes Gunderson and Dagny Bakke, P. L. Anderson and Clarence Docken autoed to T. R. Falls last Friday.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. at close of business [illegible] Thursday.)

[illegible]	[illegible]
Wheat No. [illegible]	.83
Durum No. 1	.90
Durum No. 2	.80
Flax	1.18
Flax, rejected	1.05
Oats	.35
Barley	.33 to .41
Rye	.71
Flour, Best Patent	3.25

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SUNDBERG

For Senator

What Leading Men of the State Say of B. E. Sundberg:

"It is my judgement that he has been on the side of the people and for the best interests of the state on every issue."-Ex-Gov. John Lind.

"On railroad and other transportation questions, economy in public expenses and low taxation his voice and votes has always been on the side of the farmers, the producers."-State Auditor S. G. Iverson.

"I understand that the liquor and brewery interests of the state have made a combination with other corporate interests in your district to defeat you for re-election this fall."-Hon. J. F. Jacobson.

"His efforts to a large degree brought about the reduction of freight and passenger rates in Minnesota, also reduction of the express rates. He fought hard for an open market for grain."-Senator T. E. Cashman.

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Local Items

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Don,t forget to bring us your news items.

Farm for rent. Enquire at this office.

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

A. R. Jones spent Sunday with his family in Crookston.

Fred Johnson has sold his farm to Ernest of Hollis, Ill. Consideration $5600.

Oscar Brandon of Middle River was here the first of the week on business.

Lars Backe spent a few hours in our pleasant little town this week Tuesday.

Mrs. Ludwig Monson and baby returned home from a visit at Strathcona accompanied by her sister Mrs. Henry Bjerk.

There was a good attendane at the young people meeting Saturday evening. About $15.00 was cleared above all expenses, which will be used towards buying an organ for the church.

We have just received information that the Herrick Seed Co. of Rochester, N. Y. wants lady or gentlemen representatives in this section to sell all kinds of Roses, Shrubs, Trees and Seeds. They inform us that without previous experience it is possible to make good wages every week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice. 116

Dr. Turley, the Dentist will be at the hotel, in Holt, Monday Oct. 26.

THEO. QUALE

LAWYER

Office in McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Free Mission Church.

Young People's meeting at Ole Riersons Saturday evening Oct. 24th

English Sunday School will commence next Sunday. Every body come so we can start out right, and see how many supplies we will need. Remember the hour 10.30 and that teachers will be provided. Come and have a good time.

Free

Your real estate taxes are due Nov. 1st. Pay them at Holt State Bank, free of charge.

For County Commissioner.

To the Voters of the fifth Commissioner District of Marshall Co. Minn.

Having received the nomination for the Office of Co. Commissioner, at the Primary Election on June 16th., I hereby announce to the voters that I am a Candidate for the office and will appreciate your vote and support at the General Election Nov. 3rd.

Standing for a Square Deal for everybody I am Yours Truly,

Carl T. Olson.
Randen, Minn.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Marshall Co. and earnesly solicit your vote and influence. I have lived in Marshall Co. since childhood, have experienced both ups and downs in life, within the County and now ask you to inquire of my neighbors and acquaintances as to my character and behavior. I have nothing to say about myself only that if you elect me to the office of Sheriff, I shall discharge the duties impartially and to my best ability.

I remain Respectfully Yours.

Hans C. Hanson
Viking. Minnesota.

The following figures are given by a cencus recently taken of Marshall Co., showing that we have 3091 homes within our borders. Two thousand and eighty are farm homes, of which 282 are occupied by renters and 1022 are mortgaged. There are 1011 urban homes of which 380 are occupied by renters.

Vote For

N. S. HEGNES

For State Senator

Stands For:

County Option

Honest Representation

"A Square Deal"

"Endorsed By His Home People"

For County Attorney.

To the Voters of Marshall Co:-

Having been nominated at the June primaries as a candidate for the office of Co. Attorney, I wish to announce to the voters of Marshall Co. that I am seeking the election to that office at the General Election Nov. 3rd. 1914.

I respectfully ask your vote and influence, and if elected, it shall be my purpose to conduct that office with efficiency and fairness and with the least expense to the county.

Your vote and influence in my behalf will be highly appreciated.

Respectfully yours,

E. A. Brekke.

Get your meals at the hotel. adv

Farmers! Get your meals at the hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop.

Ernest Klene was a business caller at T, R. Falls Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Solom will move into their new home this week

A cattle buyer took in lots of cattle Tuesday, shipping a car load Saturday.

Take a little time to post up for the election, which is less than four weeks away

This week we present the pictures of some of the good looking candidates for office.

Peter Bjorna of The Lancaster Herald was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday.

Sam Hesby and son [illegible] of T. R. Falls were here on business the first of the week

Dr. R. J. Olson and Olaus Rodahl left Wednesday for Nielsville Minn making the trip in Mr. Olson's car

Several more candidates have their announcements in the paper this week. Dont fail to read them.

Miss Follstad accompanied the Misses Branum and Loberg of St. Hilaire visited in Middle River Tuesday

The [illegible] Granite and Stone Works, of T. R. Falls, Minn is a recently organized incorporation, for the purpose of manufacturing of artistic monuments, interior marble and tile work, building Cut Stone, etc. They have a splendid territory in which to operate and we predict them [illegible] success.

School House Notice

Sealed bids will be received by the School Board of District No. 35 of Marshall Co. Minn., up to the 23rd day of Oct., 1914, for the construction of a two room Consolidated School Building with full basement and Steam Heating Plant, and Plumbing, complete, according to plans and specifications now on file.

Seperate bids for the school building, or heating and plumbing will be received or bids for doing both may be included in one.

Building to be completed by Jan. 15th 1915.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for ten per cent of the amount of bids, which will be returned as soon as satisfactory bond is given by the successful bidder.

Bids will be opened at one o'clock P. M. Friday Oct. 23. 1914.

The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.

Dated this 7th day of Oct. 1914.

D. Payne, Clerk,
District No. 35, Marshall Co. Minn.

New

Dray Line!

All kinds of light and heavy hauling and team work, done Promptly and at Reasonable Rates.

John Alkenbrack
Holt Minn.

Two Thousand Men.

[illegible] Thousand Men with X's are wanted for Nov. 3rd next, to attack the right wing of Marshall County's official ballot. If you believe in [illegible] X opposite the name of Lewis M. Olson for Register of Deeds. The pencil will be mightier than the sword that day use your pencil right.

[illegible] Marshall County Homes and Children.

Lewis M. Olson.

For [illegible] Well built house 16x24 and [illegible] on sec. 33 Whiteford twp. Call on or address

Chas. Thompson, Rollis, Minn.

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IDEAL BREAD
PRICE
TRADE MARK
FOR SALE BY ALL GROCERS
The IDEAL COOK BOOK of HOME MADE RECIPES
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Yes, given away—that's exactly what we mean. This 6-piece set of beautiful Colonial Silver Teaspoons—best make of the renowned firm of Rogers 1847—in fancy case.

ANY LADY

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Learn full details as to how these splendid spoons are given away. Just ask your grocer for a 5c package of **Ideal Yeast.** Inside you will see a valuable coupon—it will tell you more about this handsome genuine Rogers Silverware and how it is possible for you to have it in your own home without cost. Here's a fortunate opportunity which every intelligent woman will welcome. We advise you to order at once a package of

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"The Great White Leavener"

32 New Tried Ideas in Progressive Cookery—sent FREE Upon Postcard Request.

SECRETS of THE ORIENT—hidden away in this wonderful Yeast, work out for you lightest, pleasantest tasting bread you ever enjoyed baking

Try a 5c Package and you and all your house will clamor for bread, rolls and cakes made with this reliable, new, pure-food, Ideal Yeast

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Absolutely Sanitary free from adulteration or germs—"Ideal Yeast makes ideal bread"—nutritious, wholesome and entirely free from ill effects.

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—manufactured under sanitary conditions which assure purity. Imparts a nutty flavor that captivates young and old. Superiority of IDEAL YEAST guaranteed.

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BELGIUM AGAIN CENTER OF FIGHTING

Antwerp Is Occupied--See-saw Battle on French Border.

APPEARANCE OF FRANCO-BRITISH FORCE IN NICK OF TIME SAVES RETREATING BELGIANS.

By International News Service.

London, Oct. 13.—The Germans cheated of their chance of cutting off the retreating Belgian and British army of defense in its flight from Antwerp by the severe check administered in the surprise attack by Franco-British forces at Quatrecht, near Termonde, are now advancing rapidly on Ostend in the hope of capturing King Albert and the entire Belgian government.

Belgian Army at Ostend.

The Belgian field army, assisted valiantly by large detachments of British cavalry and infantry and the British naval brigade which eluded the German flanking movement near Selzeate, has made good its orderly retreat and the main body has succeeded in reaching Ostend safely and intact. It is now in a position to effect a consolidation with the allies. As soon as this junction is a fact the Belgians, the British and the French will form a new battle line to the south and east of Ostend.

Refugees Flock to Ostend.

Refugees from Bruges and Eecloo, including many women and children, are flocking into Ostend fearful of the coming of the Germans. They report large bodies of Uhlans scouting in the vicinity of these two cities and spreading terror as they advance.

Berlin dispatches report that the 200,000 troops who formed the besieging army before Antwerp, together with the heavy artillery used in the bombardment, will be immediately transported to France and that Antwerp will be made to serve as a base for a new campaign against England in which mines and submarines will play an important part.

Enormous Supplies at Antwerp.

"We took enormous quantities of supplies of all kinds," says the official German statement, "that the German military commander of Antwerp has warned the people against committing overt acts against the Germans, which will be punished according to the laws of war, and," he adds, "may lead to the demolition of your beautiful city."

Personal protection and immunity from property loss are promised those who abstain from hostile acts.

Enormous War Fine.

Germany has, it is reported, imposed a fine of £20,000,000 ($100,000,000) on Antwerp as war indemnity.

The losses sustained by the Germans in the battle near Termonde, where they were forced to cross the Scheldt under heavy fire, were enormous. This is probably the first instance since the beginning of the war in which a surprise attack has been carried to a successful conclusion. The presence of the French and British allies in great force in this vicinity has been successfully hidden, even from the scouting aviators.

May Threaten Holland.

It is reported here that Germany is preparing to force its war demands against Holland and that it will lay claim to the mouth of the Scheldt on the ground that it is necessary as an emergency war measure against Great Britain. The Scheldt, which makes Antwerp one of the greatest ports in the world, is a neutral waterway because of the fact that it flows through Holland to the North Sea.

Holland has an army of 250,000 men on the active list, with a reserve force of 100,000, which it can call upon to enforce its demand that its neutrality be respected. Utilization of the Scheldt for war purposes may draw Holland into the conflict.

The French Statement.

London Oct. 12.—A dispatch from France to the Daily Mail says that the Germans have been driven back ten miles and have lost 12,000 men in a fierce battle which has been raging at Arras since Friday.

The French communication deals only with the battle, or rather series of battles, which have been in progress for four weeks from east to west in France with an ever extending line which now reaches northward from the elbow of Noyon to and across the Belgian border at Armentieres.

Allies Reported Holding

The statement says that the allies have held their positions everywhere and that German cavalry, which was attempting to envelope the allies' left wing and had seized certain points of passage on the River Lys, to the east of Aire, was defeated and retired to the northeast into the Armentieres district.

At the same time, the Germans, it is claimed, delivered a vigorous attack on the right bank of the Ancre river, between Arras and the Oise, without making any progress.

Cavalry Range Large.

This indicates that the battle in Picardy, comprising the department of the Somme and part of Oise, Pas De Calais and Aisne, in which the cavalry is participating on a scale not seen in previous modern wars, extends over a very considerable area. Here are many miles of open country, where horse-

Another Verdun Attack Likely.

A Berlin report says that the heavy German siege guns have been sent to France. If this is so, probably the Verdun forts along the French frontier, which are hindering the German advance, are to be attacked with them. In this case, however, there is a big field army behind the forts, so that while the destruction of them would make progress easier for the Germans, it would not absolutely insure their advance.

Bombs Dropped on Paris.

Paris, Oct. 13.—A score of bombs, launched on different quarters of Paris by two German aviators Sunday, killed four civilians and injured 20 others. The damage done to property was small.

Altogether 20 bombs fell. The Germans flew at a very low altitude. After they apparently had exhausted their supply of missiles French aeroplanes ascended and pursued them toward the east.

Reported Russian Activities.

London, Oct. 12.—The Przemysl fortress in Galicia, it is reported here, is undergoing a somewhat similar experience as the fortress at Antwerp, for the siege there continues. The Russian ambassador at Rome, in a report, declares the whole town is on fire and that the capitulation of the stronghold is imminent.

The Russians claim to have sent an army of invasion into Hungary, while another army is waiting for an attack of the Austro-German forces in Southwest Poland. A third Russian force is advancing towards Posen and Thorn, East Prussia, and General Rennenkampf's forces, which have done a lot of fighting since the war began, are trying to get into East Prussia.

Austrians Make Claims.

From the East Prussian frontier the only news received was from a Russian source which reported that the Russians had reached Lyck.

The Austrians claim to have driven the Russians from Hungary with immense casualties and that the Russians have been cleared from the greater portion of the Carpathians.

The Austrians also say they have forced the enemy out of Bosnia and that they have had successes here and there on the Drina. A Rome report has it that the Austrians are preparing to remove their capital from Vienna to Innsbruck.

Troops Suffer With Cold

Rome, via Paris, Oct 12.—A dispatch received here from Cetinje, Montenegro, says the troops are suffering severely, especially at night, owing to the cold. Snow already covers the peaks of the mountains.

Several detachments of Austrians, the dispatch adds, have been compelled to retire, unable to resist the weather.

Russians Stopped on Border

London, Oct 10.—The big battle line between the combined Austro-German armies and the legions of Russia extends from the Galician frontier, near Tarnow, north to the East Prussian border. Another Russian force is besieging Przemysl in Galicia, and still another is invading Hungary.

On the East Prussian frontier, the fighting appears to have come to a standstill for the present. The Russians having driven the Germans back, after their advance to the Niemen river, found, on getting to the German border, that reinforcements had been brought from Koenigsberg and their farther progress was arrested.

The Germans, in fact, claim to have defeated the Russians near Suwalki and to have taken 2,700 prisoners and nine machine guns.

Fighting on a large scale soon will be resumed, and it will then be decided whether the Germans are to reinvade Russia in this region or the Russians are to overrun Prussia.

Berlin Brands Story Lie.

Washington, Oct. 10.—The German embassy received the following wireless from Berlin:

"Official headquarters says that the report of an advance of Russian forces across the Niemen river in the district of Suwalki, Russia, is a lie. The battle took place near Augustowo, where the Germans, on Oct. 1 and 2, completely defeated two Russian army corps, made 3,500 unwounded prisoners, and took 20 guns, of which one was a heavy battery gun, and a number of machine guns. (Here part of the message was lost in transmission.)

Tokio Report Received

New York, Oct. 9.—The East and West news bureau announced that it had received a cable message from Tokio, as follows.

Tokio.—The war department has issued the following official announcement.

"After examining the reports received from various sources it is inferred that among the enemy's war ships in the bay of Kiao Chow, in addition to the Kormoran, two other gunboats have been sunk, as nothing has been seen of them since October 3.

"On October 6 a Japanese regiment made an advance along the Shan Tung railway as far as Chinan. There about 30 locomotives and 700 passenger and freight cars fell into the hands of the Japanese soldiers."

Will Return Seat to Paris.

London.—The French government will return to Paris at once, according to the Paris correspondent of the Express, who makes this announcement on high authority. The visit of President Poincare to army headquarters is considered a good omen.

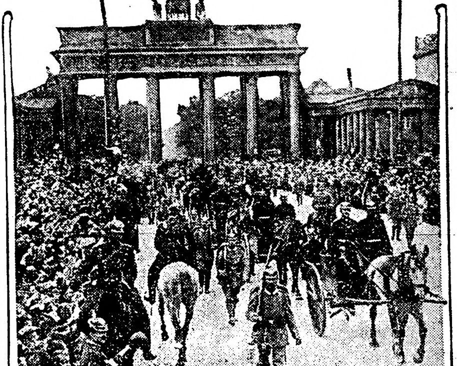
Torpedo Boats Sink.

London, Oct. 12.—A Reuter dispatch from Toulon says that the French torpedo boats, the 338 and the 347, collided off the isles of Porquerolles in the Mediterranean, and sank. The crews of both vessels were saved but salvage of the ships will be impossible.

German-Jewish Officers.

Rome, Oct. 12.—Heretofore, while there is no law prohibiting Jews from entering, no Hebrew officer enlisted in the Germany army. Since the war began, according to news received here, more than one hundred and fifty Jews have been promoted to officers' positions in the German army.

BERLIN SEES CAPTURED FRENCH GUNS



Captured French guns being brought into Berlin through the famous Brandenburg gate, to the delight of the populace.

Raid Zeppelin Hangars Again

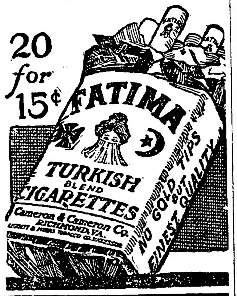
London, Oct. 10.—According to a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam, another aerial raid has been made by the allies on Cologne and Dusseldorf, both important German Zeppelin airship bases. The telegram follows: "A dispatch from Cologne states that hostile aeroplanes threw bombs at the Zeppelin hangars at Cologne and Dusseldorf. The Cologne hangars were uninjured, but damage was inflicted at Dusseldorf."

Air Attack Strikes Terror.

Antwerp (via The Hague and London, Oct. 9.)—The condition of panic among the populace was increased by the appearance of German Zeppelins, which dropped bombs, destroying seven houses and killing a score of persons. On account of the Zeppelin's successful attack the large avenue leading to the railroad station quickly became black with a struggling mass of persons eager to escape from the city, seized with an unreasoning fear of bombardment.

Another of Kaiser's Sons Hurt.

London, Oct 9.—The second son of the German emperor, Prince Eitel Frederick, is reported to have been injured by a fall from his horse in a recent battle. Already two other sons of the emperor have suffered physical ailments as a result of their arduous campaign, Prince Joachim having received a bullet wound and Prince Oscar having been stricken with heart affection after an exhausting engagement.



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In some subtle manner a mother molds her daughter from babyhood in the style of her clothing, and it is a very important molding, too. For if clothes do not make the man they do go a long way in giving a true impression of a woman.

Every new dress that a mother buys for her little girl is a small stone in the foundation of style and taste that will guide her daughter in future years.

I was taking tea with a well-known public woman recently, and she called my attention to two young business girls who were sitting at another table in the restaurant. From the hat of one hung a faded-looking rose, her low-necked blouse was not improved by her soiled coat collar, and above her cheap-looking patent shoes showed tawdry openwork stockings. The other wore a smart, perfectly plain hat, neat, well-fitting costume, and was tastefully booted.

"Different mothers!" said my companion briefly.—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

Out of the Mouths of Babes.

Little Julia's mother had just returned from a visit to the hairdresser with her hair all fluffy.

"Oh, mamma," cried Julia, "who fricasseed your hair?"

"Listen, Elva," said the fond mother, "and I'll read to you about heaven and its beautiful golden streets."

"Never mind, mamma," replied the little miss, "I'd rather wait until I get there and be s'prised."

Clara, aged five, was hurrying to bed, being very weary after a long journey, when her mother reminded her that she had forgotten to say her prayer. Dropping on her knees by the side of her cot and folding her hands she said:

"Please, Lord, what I said last night goes tonight. Amen."

American Goods in Australia.

Australia has been making steady increases in her purchases of goods from the United States in the five year period following 1909. The total in 1912 was more than $52,000,000.

Breakfasts of "Other Days"

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CONGRESS WINDING UP WORK

HOPE TO GET AWAY BY SATURDAY NIGHT.

National Legislators Assured by the President Return Will Not Be Necessary Before Dec. 7.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Administration leaders in Congress are making every possible effort to wind up the long session by Saturday night with assurances from the president that it will be unnecessary to return until the first Monday in December, yet the prospect is that it will be Oct. 20 before Congress can adjourn.

"We will expedite the war revenue bill in the senate as rapidly as possible, said Senator Simmons, chairman of the finance committee. "Democrats are not disposed to change the measure as it came from the caucus."

Republican senators now are inclined not to prolong debate as many of them are anxious to get into the campaign. Several attacks on the measure already have been made and others will follow, the Republicans maintaining that there would have been no necessity for a revenue measure, but for the alteration of the tariff and appropriations.

Democratic leaders hope that the Alaska coal land leasing bill may be adjourned in conference in time for adjournment.

In the house the bill to pave the way for ultimate Philippine independence probably will be passed within a day or two. Following that the house will mark time awaiting senate action on the war revenue measure.

BOSTON WINS IN ELEVENTH.

Takes Third Game From Philadelphia—Need But One More.

Fenway Park, Boston, Oct. 13.—Before one of the greatest crowds that ever witnessed a world's series combat, the Braves beat the Athletics five to four in the eleventh inning the third game for championship of the world.

Victory for the Braves meant that they needed but one more game to dethrone the supposedly invulnerable Philadelphia team.

Bush pitched for Philadelphia and Tyler was on the mound for the Braves. Schang and Gowdy were behind the bat.

Cholera Spreads in Austria.

Venice, via Paris, Oct. 13.—Cholera is spreading rapidly to the remotest district of Austria. A case has been discovered at Feldtkirch, province of Vorarlberg, near the Swiss frontier. The Austrian troops in Galicia are being vaccinated against the disease. The cold weather has caught the Austrian soldiers in Galicia unprepared. Owing to the increase in the price of flour the Vienna Bakers' Association has announced that its members will make only big loaves of the so-called war bread and that they will sell only for cash.

Auto Wreck; Three Collegians Killed.

Minneapolis.—Reginald Field, university student, died at the city hospital, the third persons to succumb to injuries received in the automobile accident Saturday night. His death was due directly to concussion of the brain. The victim never regained consciousness from the time of the accident four hours previously. The other fatally injured were Katherine C. Bright and Evelyn Spafford, both society girls of Minneapolis and students. Hope is entertained for the recovery of the other victims.

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Oct. 13.—Wheat, December, $1.08½; May, $1.14¼; No. 1 Northern, $1.09½; No. 2 Northern, $1.07; No. 1 durum, $1.05¼; No. 3 corn, 67c; No. 3 white oats, 43½c; barley, malting, 60c; No. 2 rye, 85c; No. 1 flax, $1.33¼.

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, Oct. 13.—Wheat, December, $1.09⅛; May, $1.15; No. 1 northern, $1.09⅛; No. 1 durum, $1.06¼.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Oct. 13.—Cattle: steers, $4.65@7.50; cows, $5@6.75; calves, $4.50@8.25; hogs, $7.25@7.70; sheep and lambs, $2@7.10.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Hog receipts, [illegible]000; slow at Saturday's average; bulk, $7.45@8.10; light, $7.90@8.40; mixed, $7.30@8.40; heavy, $7.05@8.30; rough, $7.05@7.20; pigs, $4.75@8.15. Cattle receipts, 22,000, weak; beeves, $6.45@11; steers, $6.10@9; stockers and feeders, $5.30@8.30; cows and heifers, $3.35@9.10; calves, $7.50@11.25. Sheep receipts, 45,000; unsettled; sheep, $4.75@5.85; yearlings, $5.40@6.40; lambs, $6@7.80.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Minneapolis, Oct. 13.—BUTTER—Creamery extras, 29½c; extra firsts, 27c; firsts, 26c; seconds, 24c; dairies, extra firsts, 24c; packing stock, 20c. EGGS—Fresh prime firsts, free from rots, 24½c; dirties and checks, doz, 24½c, current receipts, rots out, $6.75; checks and seconds, doz, 16½c; dirties, candled, per doz, 17c. LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs and over, 16c; thin and small, 12c, roosters, 9c; hens, 4 lbs and over, 12½@13c; hens, 3½ lbs and under, 10½@11c; geese, fat, 10c; ducks, white, 12c; colored, 10c; young guineas, doz, $5; spring chickens, lb, 12½@13c.

U. S. to Mobilize Submarines

Washington, Oct. 13.—Tentative plans are being worked out for the assembly some time next winter in the Mexican gulf or West Indian waters of the largest fleet of American submarines ever brought together. The opening of the Panama canal will make it possible to bring into Atlantic waters submarines attached to the Pacific fleet and with vessels now nearing completion there will be probably 25 or 30 under water fighters mobilized.

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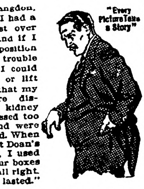

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Auction Sale!

Do not fail to attend the big auction sale on the Anton Pederson farm 2 miles straight north of Holt on Oct. 24th 1914 at 11 o'clock sharp.

C. H. Gunheim and wife autoed to T. R. Falls last Thursday.

Mrs. B. Docken and Misses Cora Hanson, Dagny Bakke and Agnes Gunderson, visited at T. R. Fall on Friday and Saturday last week.

A good steady shower started in early last Thursday evening and continued all night preparing the ground in fine condition for fall plowing.

Clarence Kolden, P. L. Anderson, Ole Johnshn, A. Husth and B. Docken autoed to T. R. Fall last Friday to attend the big banquet given in the Synod Church.

Through the kindness of Mrs. B. L. Backe, Mesdames Silsbaugh, Solom, Young and Miss Cora Hanson, enjoyed an auto trip out to the Ole Rierson's farm home Tuesday P. M.

T. E. Ellstad of Elgin N. D. returned home Monday after a few days visit at the home of his sister Mrs. O. H. Nohre. Mr. Ellstad has rented the old R. L. Olson farm and will move here some time in Nov.

J. E. Silsbaugh arrived in town Saturday and will remain a few days visiting at the home of his brothers, E. M. and W. A. Mr. Silbaugh's home is in Ismay Mont. but he came here from Wisconsin where he had been visiting relatives

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For Register of Deeds.

Having received the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds of Marshall County Minnesota, at the Primary Election on June 16th, I hereby announce to the voters of Marshall County, that I am a candidate for the office, and will appreciate your support and vote at the General Election on November 3rd.

My past record of eight years as Deputy in the office I now seek suffices me to state that I am well qualified for the duties involved, and if elected, I promise to faithfully discharge the duties of the office, in as competent a manner as they have been during the last eight years of my connection with the office.

Respectfully soliciting your kind support and vote, I am

Yours truly,

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American & Simpson Calico, per yd	.05
Amoskeg apron gingham, per yard	.08
36 in 64 count percale pr yd	.10
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For Register of Deeds.

Having received the highest number of votes in the June primaries, for the nomination to the office of Register of Deeds for Marshall county, I wish to announce to my friends and the voters of the county that I am in the race to stay and will appreciate your support in the election Nov. 3rd next.

I have been a farmer, taxpayer and resident of the county since a young man, experienced the struggles of the early settler and according to means and ability have taken my share in the developments of the comunity. Based upon my record as a Public Official, especially that of the office of Register of Deeds, which trust I held for four years and to which I now ask you to elect me, I deem myself amply qualified for the duties envolved and if elected I promise to devote my time and energies in the discharge of such duties and the substance of my platform is, A SQUARE DEAL FOR EVERYBODY.

Respectfully

Louis M. Olson.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Oct. 12, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence Knutson, Holt, Minnesota, who on Feb. 16th 1909, made Homestead Entry, No. 01511, for S 1-2 N W 1-4 and S 1-2 NE 1-4 Section 27 Twp. 156 N. Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to estalish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 16th day of Nov. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John H. Knutson, Carl Surmo, Ole M. Larson, Nels A. Fosen all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal.
Register.

Two Thousand Men with X's are wanted for Nov. 3rd. next, to attack the right wing of Marshall County's official ballot. If you believe in Peace, bury your X opposite the name of Lewis M. Olson for Register of Deeds. The pencil will be mightier than the sword that day-use your pencil right.

Yours for Marshall County Home and Children.

Lewis M. Olson.

Southeast of Holt.

Miss Clara Larson commence a term of school in dist. 20 on Monday Oct. 5th.

Harry Moe called on Allen Adolphson on Sunday afternoon.

Mr, and Mrs. Ed. Hanson and children spent a pleasant afternoon at the G, A, Soiney home on Sunday.

A six months term of school opened in dist. no. 112 on Monday Oct. 5th with Miss Saastad as teacher

Gundah Moe returned to her home on Monday last, after working at the Ose home for a few weeks.

Christine Saastad spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Christ Saastad of Holt.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steinhaner last week.

Miss Matilda Wendt is visiting with friends and relatives in West Bend, Wisconsin.

The Stephen's dredge has completed its contract of deeping the Thief River and will now take machine apart ready for shipment.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.00
Wheat No. 2	.97
Wheat No. 3	.93
Wheat No. 4	.86
Durum No. 1	.97
Durum No. 2	.95
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Flax, rejected	1.07
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If re-elected, I shall continue to perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability. My aim has always been to give the people an economical and efficient administration and in this I feel that I have been successful. I am willing to stand on my record.

Your influence and support will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully yours,

A. N. Eckstrom

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale duly executed and delivered by F. A. Ladwig and Clara Ladwig, his wife, mortgagors, to Oscar A. Trytten, mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of April, 1913, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of May, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Book 69 of mortgages, on page 369, such default consisting in the non-payment of the sum of Eighty one and 20-100 Dollars, ($81.20) interest on the principal of the note secured by said mortgage, which interest became due and payable on the 28th day of April, 1914, according to the terms and conditions of said note and mortgage; and, Whereas, the undersigned, the Mortgagee and present owner and holder of said mortgage, has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount, principal and interest of the note secured by said mortgage to be due and payable; and, Whereas, the undersigned has been compelled to pay the sum of $60.40 interest on a prior mortgage on the premises hereinafter described, such interest being in default; and, Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said interest, paid on the said prior mortgage, is the sum of Thirteen Hundred Forty and 26-100 Dollars ($1340.26), and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter (NW 1-4 SW 1-4) and the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter (SW 1-4 NW 1-4) of Section Seventeen (17), and the East half of the Southeast quarter (E 1-2 SE 1-4) of Section Eighteen (18), all in Township One Hundred and Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Fortyfour (44) West, of the 5th Principal Meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall county at the front door of the Court House in the city of Warren in said County, and State, on the 20th day of October, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Thirteen Hundred Forty and 26-100 Dollars ($1340.26) and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) Statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 27, 1914.

Oscar A. Trytten, mortgagee.

H. O. Kjomme, Attorney for mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Oct. 6. 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Henry F. Erickson, of Germantown, Minn., who, on Nov. 23, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 06789, for N W. 1-4 Sec. 13, Twp. 155 N. Range 42 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Musicipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 21st day of Nov. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Louis Larson, Lars Thorson, John Ristau and George Posten, all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Young People's meeting at Ole Riersons Saturday evening Oct. 24th

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I favor a square deal to everybody; am opposed to all legislation in behalf of special interests; favor county option and all other legislation that makes for temperance; favor all legislation tending to make our educational system more efficient; favor conservation and developement of state's natural resources; believe a representative owes it to his constituency to do more than merely answer to his name when the roll is called.

I respectfully solicit your support and votes on November 3, 1914, assuring you that, if elected, I shall serve you and your interests to the best of my ability.

Charles L. Stevens.

Fred Johnson has sold his farm to Ernest Hollis, of Ill. Consideration $5600.

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Ernest Silsbaugh has returned home from Dakota..

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Mr. Cairns of Crookston's Milling Co. autoed over to Holt Friday.

Elmer Sollom is enjoying his vacation on the old homestead this week.

N. S. Hegnes of Argyle, candidate for state senator, was out this way Wednesday.

Sheriff Fosberg was fixing up the broken placer in the political fences here Thursday.

Matt Larson returned Thursday from a visit at the home of his daughter in Dakota.

Hagen Jensen of Marsjo Canada has been a guest at the R. Rierson home a few days.

Ole Backland's team became frightened Friday and run away, altho no damage was done.

C. Yttri has now completed his residence and will move into his new home this week.

B. L. Backe and Ole Rierson autoed to Mud Lake and staid on their claims Wednesday night.

J. A. Bergquest, the buttermaker of Middle River creamery, was a business caller in town Wednesday.

The Miller Bros. from Monica Ill. arrived in Holt Monday with a car load of horses which will be sold to the farmers around here.

B. L. Backe and wife autoed to Thief Riler Falls Monday night and took in the play "That printer of Udell's" which they enjoyed very much.

Rev. Ordahl started Monday for Sioux Falls S. D. to attend the Synod meeting at that place. He was accompanied by his family as far as Minneapolis.

Adolph Sollom has had a new chimney built on his store building this week, which is not only a necessity, but no doubt, a thing of joy these frosty mornings.

R. Rierson went out to his farm at Mud Lake Saturday and remained until Tuesday. He made arrangements with Chris Norbeck to break up 50 acres on his farm there.

Frederick Olm died Monday in Thief River Falls and the funeral was held in Spruce Valley Wednesday. Sympathy is extended to those who are called to mourn his death.

The friends of Mrs. Ordahl in Holt and vicinity, presented her with a substantial gift in the form of dollars and cents. Mrs. Ordahl accompanied Rev. Ordohl as far as Mineapolis where she will visit relatives.

There will be a Benefit Dance and Basket social at the Star Hall in Holt Saturday evening Oct. 17th for the benefit or Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newton's son, Norman who has been in the hospital for six months suffering from blood poiring.

We have just received information that the Herrick Seed Co. of Rochester, N. Y. wants lady or gentlemen representatives in this section to sell all kinds of Roses, Shrubs, Trees and Seeds. They inform us that without previous experience it is possible to make good wages every week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice.110

Auction Sale!

On the Ole Davidson farm 3 1-2 mi. north and 2 1-2 mi. east of Holt and about 7 miles south of Middle River. Do not fail to attend.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned desire to extend heartfelt thanks for the many kindnesses rendered during the illness & death of our beloved father Fredrick Olm, especially to Arvid and Anton Carlston for the beautiful floral offering.

Mrs. L. Wegge, Brothers and sisters.

Dear Friends of Holt and Vicinity:

We all reached our destination in safety. Mr. Ordohl taking the straight road from St. Cloud to Sioux Falls S. D. where the Synod meeting will be held. Questions of importance to the Norwegian Church, as Church Union, will come up.

Greetings to you all from Mrs. Ordohl, Hildred and Valleary.

For Sheriff

At the June primaries I was Nominated for re-election to the office of Sheriff. During my incumbency of the office, I have performed my duties faithfully and impartially and to the best of my ability, as I shall continue to do if re-elected.

My official record is open to the closest scrutiny and it is on that record that I ask the support of the voters of Marshall Co. on Nov. 3 '14.

Respectfully,
William Forsberg.

Get your meals at the hotel. adv

Farmers! Get your meals at the hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop.

English Sunday School will commence next Sunday. Every body come so we can start out right, and see how many supplies we will need. Remember the hour 10.30 and that teachers will be provided. Come and have a good time.

Dr. Turley, the Dentist will be at the hotel, in Holt, Monday Oct. 26.

Donald Robertson

Seeks election as Rrepresentative on the following PLATFORM.

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Legislation with a view to suppress tuberculosis, and liberal appropriations to properly care for the unfortunates who are afflicted with this dreaded disease.

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During my residence of over thirty one years in Marshall Co., I have always endeavored to act on the square, and contribute my share to the upbuilding of the County and the improvement of the conditions therein, and shall continue to do so in the future.

Sincerely yours,
Donald Robertson.

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PROVIDENCE, R. I.—"For the benefit of women who suffer as I have done I wish to state what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I did some heavy lifting and the doctor said it caused a displacement. I have always been weak and I overworked after my baby was born and inflammation set in, then nervous prostration, from which I did not recover until I had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The Compound is my best friend and when I hear of a woman with troubles like mine I try to induce her to take your medicine."—MRS. S. T. RICHMOND, 199 Waldo Street, Providence, R. I.

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M'ADOO CRITICISES PLAN FOR FEDERAL AID FOR PLANTERS

SECRETARY OF TREASURY DECLARES SCHEME TO BOLSTER COTTON CROP IS NOT FEASIBLE.

ASSERTS OTHER SUFFERING INDUSTRIES AS DESERVING

Democratic Policy of "Equal Rights to All, Special Privileges to None" Involved, Cabinet Official Holds in His Letter to Congressman Henry.

Washington, Oct. 12.—The plan for direct federal aid to cotton growers to the extent of $400,000,000 was the subject of sharp criticism in a letter to Representative Henry of Texas, made public by Secretary McAdoo. The letter is in reply to recent statements to the house by Mr. Henry.

Calls Scheme Impractical.

Mr. McAdoo announces that the proposal to sell $250,000,000 of Panama canal bonds to bolster the cotton crop is not practicable. He calls atention to the fact that those who deal in tobacco, naval stores, copper, silver and other commodities, have sought government aid.

"If we disregard every suffering interest except cotton," he said, "and make it the sole beneficiary of government favor, what becomes of the Democratic principles of 'equal rights for all, special privileges to none'?

Would Have to Aid All.

"If we enter upon the course you suggest you must help every distressed industry impartially."

Representative Henry introduced in the house a compromise loan proposition which would reduce the proposed loan to $250,000,000.

While Mr. McAdoo was writing his letter, the committee of St. Louis jobbers and bankers, headed by F. J. Wade, was in conference with a committee of the federal reserve board over the proposed $150,000,000 cotton loan fund to take care of the surplus cotton crop. No decision was reached.

Much Aid Already Extended.

Mr. McAdoo's letter to Mr. Henry went exhaustively into the aid so far extended by the treasury to national banks in the cotton states, showing that it has issued to them since the war begun $68,000,000 in currency; that its crop funds there amount to $11,337,000; that its regular deposits in the South total $16,065,000, and that there is available for southern banks in compliance with law, $151,000,000 more in additional national bank currency.

Inquiry Held Irretrievable.

"What is really wanted," said the letter, "is a restored market for cotton. The value of cotton has been injured this year by the European war. This injury cannot be retrieved nor the market restored by legislation any more than the injury to corn which was caused by drought last year in the great corn states of the West could have been repaired by legislation."

WILSON GETS GOOD REPORTS

Hears That Business Is Improving Generally—Democrats Will Use This as Campaign Argument.

Washington, Oct 12. Business conditions throughout the country are improving, according to reports reaching President Wilson and Democratic speakers are to be instructed to dwell on this fact during the fall campaigns in answer to the expected charges by Republicans and Progressives that the new tariff has brought financial disaster.

The president was informed many orders for American goods were being received from abroad and that the first bad effects of the European war on American industry had passed.

As a part of the Democratic campaign, the president probably will issue a statement when he signs the Clayton anti-trust bill, now before him, calling attention to the completion of the program of trust legislation started with the passage of the trade commission bill.

War Office and Press Bureau Clash.

London, Oct. 10.—The British official press bureau announces reports stating Canadian trooops had heached England were inaccurate. In this connection there are rumors of a clash between the press bureau and the war office. Earl Kitchener is said to have given the press bureau officials a jolt by informing them that they were telling too much about troop movements.

U. S. Assists 10,000 in London.

London, Oct 12.—During the past two weeks, the American relief committee has given financial assistance to 241 persons, making a total of 9,595 to date. During this period something like 6,000 Americans embarked from these islands for the United States, bringing the total of departures up to 10,000 since war was declared. "It is evident that the American tourists have pretty well returned home," said H. C. Hoover, chairman of the committee.

COUNT MACCHI DI CELLERE

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Count di Cellere is the new Italian ambassador to the United States. He arrived in Washington recently with the countess and their little son and daughter and has taken the beautiful Thomas Nelson Page home. The count, who comes of a very old and wealthy family, is a man of brilliant diplomatic attainments and in Italy is spoken of as a probable future minister of foreign affairs.

TO PROTECT AMERICAN BORDER

WARLIKE PREPARATIONS ARE MADE BY U. S.

Carranza and Villa Delegates to Conference Can't Agree on Purpose of Assembling at Aguas Calientas.

Naco, Ariz., Oct. 10.—Warlike preparations are being made in the camp on the American border to protect the neutrality of the boundary.

The siege of Naco, Sonora, where General Benjamin Hill is entrenched with his Carranza troops, and Governor Maytorena, the Villa partisan, has for six days amounted to a practical bombardment of the Mexican town. Colonel Guilfoyle, Ninth United States cavalry, states that at one time his troops evidently were mistaken for the enemy by both of the fighting factions.

Barricades have been thrown up by the American troops. A string of American flags now marks the international line.

Col. C. A. P. Hatfield, Thirteenth United States cavalry, from Douglas, Ariz., is in charge of the American troops, Colonel Guilfoyle commanding the Ninth and Colonel Brown the Tenth cavalry.

The troops comprise about 1,800 men with a machine gun platoon.

Further reinforcements are expected.

No Agreement Between Leaders.

El Paso, Tex.—While no definite reports came from the south regarding the pending conference at Aguas Calientas, it was apparent from the expressions of local officials of both factions that the Carranza and Villa delegates had not yet agreed upon the matters to be discussed or the actual status of the meeting.

The Villa faction held that the convention was to have been a meeting of all chiefs to decide on the matter of who should serve as provisional president until the holding of elections.

The Carranza agents insisted the five delegates sent north from Mexico City merely formed a permanent peace commission, which would treat with Villa only regarding his insubordination to the Constitutionalist commander-in-chief, that the Mexico City conference already had decided the matter of the provisional presidency by rejecting Carranza's resignation.

Senate Votes Mediators Medals.

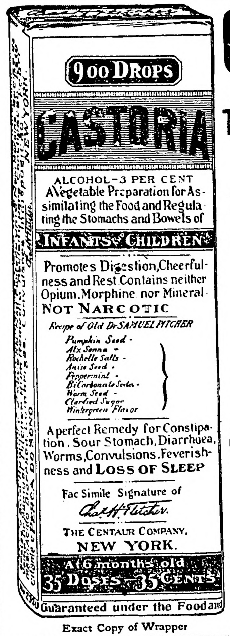
Washington, Oct 12. A joint resolution extending the thanks of congress to the South American diplomats who acted as mediators between the United States and the Huerta government in Mexico, was passed by the senate. The resolution provides also for an appropriation of $3,000 for the purchase of gold medals to be presented to the three mediators, Ambassador da Gama, representing Brazil; Minister Naon of Argentina and Minister Suarez of Chile.

Talk Commission for M[illegible]

Washington, Oct 12. A commi[illegible] form of government for Mexico until order is restored and the resumption of full constitutional functions by the people is possible, has been suggested at the informal discussions at Aguas Calientes, preceding the formal meeting between representatives of Carranza and Villa. This was reported to the state department here and met with prompt recognition as a possible solution of the vexing problems of the southern republic.

American High Record B[illegible]

San Diego, Cal, Oct 10. Flying an American aeroplane driven by an American made motor, Captain H. LeR. Muller of the First Aeroplane corps, U. S. A. broke the American altitude record here, when he ascended to a height of 17,441 feet. Captain Arthur S. Cowan, in command of the corps, who is a representative of the Aero Club of America on the Pacific coast, read the barograph on Captain Muller's machine and announced that the army officer had broken the record of 15,137 feet.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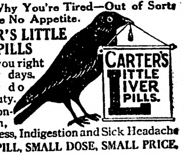

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THE ELEVEN
Proposed Amendments
to the Constitution of the STATE OF MINNESOTA

Submitted by the Legislature at Its General Session, 1913, Together With a Statement of the

PURPOSES AND EFFECTS,

Prepared by Hon. Lyndon A. Smith,

Attorney General of Minnesota.

Addressed to

Julius A. Schmahl

Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, ST. PAUL.

April 25, 1914.

Honorable Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State,
Capitol.

SIR: As required by Section 46, General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, I have the honor to furnish you herewith a statement of the purposes and effects of the respective amendments proposed to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota by the Legislature of 1913, and which are to be submitted to the electors of said State at the general election in 1914.

FIRST PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The first proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 584 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

PURPOSE: By this amendment it is sought to enable the electors to submit by petition to the Legislature constitutional amendments and likewise to propose legislation, and in the event the Legislature fails to submit any such constitutional amendment or fails to enact any such proposed law, then such amendment or proposed law may be submitted directly to the voters; also to permit the electors to cause any law or laws enacted by the Legislature to be submitted to the electors and if a majority of the votes cast thereon be opposed to such law, the same shall be repealed.

This is an amendment to Section 1 of Article 4 of the Constitution, which law reads as follows:

"Section 1. The legislature shall consist of the Senate and House of Representatives, which shall meet biennially at the seat of government of the State, at such time as shall be prescribed by law, but no session shall exceed the term of ninety (90) legislative days; and no new bill shall be introduced in either branch, except on the written request of the governor, during the last twenty (20) days of such sessions, except the attention of the legislature shall be called to some important matter of general interest by a special message from the governor."

and substitutes therefor the following:

"Sec. 1. TWO HOUSES—SESSIONS.—The Legislature shall consist of the senate and house of representatives, which shall meet biennially at the seat of government of the state, at such time as shall be prescribed by law, but no session shall exceed the term of ninety (90) legislative days, and no bill shall be introduced in either branch, except on the written request of the governor, during the last twenty days of such session, except the attention of the legislature shall be called to some important matter of general interest by a special message from the governor; but the people reserve to themselves direct power, as follows:

"a. CONSTITUTIONAL INITIATIVE.—When at any time prior to the commencement of any session of the legislature, there shall have been filed with the secretary of state a petition proposing an amendment to the constitution signed by two per centum of the electors of the state, the secretary of state shall transmit the same to the legislature not later than ten days after the commencement of the session. If the amendment so proposed be not submitted to the electors by the legislature at such session, or if it be submitted in an amended form, then upon a further petition or petitions, each signed by eight per centum of the electors of the state, filed with the secretary of state within six months after the adjournment of the legislature, the amendment proposed in the first petition, or one or more amended forms thereof, shall be submitted to the electors for their approval or rejection at the next general or special state-wide election, occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of any such further petitions. Any amendment proposed by initiative petition and, in its original or in an amended form, submitted to the electors by the legislature or by a further petition, shall become a part of the constitution, if approved by a majority of the electors voting at said election, or by four-sevenths of the electors voting on the proposed amendment; provided not less than three-sevenths of the electors voting at said election voted for the proposed amendment. This section shall be construed as a means in addition to Section one, Article fourteen of the State Constitution for amending the same.

"b. STATUTORY INITIATIVE—When at any time prior to the commencement of any session of the legislature, there shall have been filed with the secretary of state a petition proposing a law, signed by two per centum of the electors of the state, the secretary of state shall transmit the same to the legislature not later than ten days after the commencement of the session. If the law so proposed be not passed by the legislature at such session, or if it be passed in an amended form, then upon a further petition or petitions, each signed by six per centum of the electors of the state, filed with the secretary of state within six months after the adjournment of the legislature, the law proposed in the first petition, or one or more amended forms thereof, shall be submitted to the electors at the next general or special state-wide election, occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of any such further petition or petitions, and if approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon, the same shall become law and go into effect thirty days after such election, and shall supersede any amended form of such law which may have been passed by the legislature. No law proposed by initiative petition and approved by the electors shall be subject to the veto of the governor. The authority of the people to enact laws, as provided in this subdivision, shall extend only to laws authorized by the provisions of the constitution.

"c. THE REFERENDUM.—If within ninety days after the final adjournment of any session of the legislature, a referendum petition, signed by six per centum of the electors of the state, shall be filed with the secretary of state against any law, or any part of a law, passed by the legislature at such session, such law, or such part of a law, shall be submitted to the electors at the next general or special state-wide election, occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of said petition. If a majority of the vote cast thereon be in the negative, such law, or such part of a law, shall thereby be repealed. Provided, that if a referendum petition is signed by fifteen per centum of the electors of the state, the law or part of a law, against which such petition is filed shall be suspended pending the referendum vote thereon.

"Any law providing for a tax levy or appropriating money for the current expenses of the state government or state institutions, any act of the legislature submitting a constitutional amendment or other question to the electors of the state, or any emergency law necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety shall go into effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the governor, and such laws, except emergency laws, shall not be subject to a referendum vote. All other laws shall go into effect ninety days after the adjournment of the legislature. A bill proposing an emergency law shall contain a preamble briefly setting forth the facts constituting the emergency. A separate vote shall be taken upon the preamble of such bill by a call of the yeas and nays, and if the preamble be adopted by a two-thirds vote of all the members of each house, it shall be an emergency law.

"d. GENERAL PROVISIONS.—All petitions provided for in this section shall contain a title indicating the subject and purpose of the proposed law or constitutional amendment, or the law, or part of a law, to be referred, and if a change is proposed in an existing constitutional provision or statute, in addition to referring to the same, it shall state the general effect of the proposed change, and also the full text of the proposed law or amendment to the constitution or of the law, or part of a law, to be referred. Any initiative or referendum petition may be signed in separate parts, but each part shall conform to the provisions herein contained. All petitions shall be signed and verified before a person authorized to administer an oath, and shall be in such form that a person signing a petition thereby states under oath, the date of his signature his residence, that he is a qualified elector, that he has not previously signed any part of such petition, and that he has signed the petition with knowledge of the contents thereof. To each part of such petition shall be attached the affidavit of the person before whom the same was signed, which affidavit shall contain a statement of the number of signers thereon, that each of the signatures attached to such part was made in the presence of the affiant, that to the best of his knowledge and belief each signature is the genuine signature of the person whose name it purports to be, that he believes the persons who have signed such petition to be electors, that they signed such petition with knowledge of the contents thereof, and that each person signed the same on the date stated opposite his name. The circulation of the petitions provided for herein, or the prohibition of the circulation thereof, may be regulated by law, and in case the circulation of any petition is prohibited by law, the percentage of signers required on any petition provided for in this section shall be one-half of the percentage specified in subdivisions A, B and C of this section.

"The percentage in any case shall be based upon the total number of votes cast for governor at the next preceding election. All petitions provided for in this section shall contain the signature of not less than one-half of the designated percentage of the electors in not less than one-fourth of the counties of the state. In initiating a law or constitutional amendment, electors who have signed the first shall be qualified to sign the second petition. The sufficiency of all petitions shall be decided by the secretary of state subject to review by the court. If the secretary of state decides that any petition is insufficient, he shall permit a reasonable time for making corrections or for filing additional signatures. In the event of legal proceedings in court to prevent giving effect to any such petition on account of insufficiency, or any other ground, the burden of proof shall be upon the person attacking the petition. No law or amendment to the constitution initiated and approved by the electors as herein provided, shall be held unconstitutional, or void on account of the insufficiency of any initiative petition, nor shall the repeal of any law submitted by referendum petition be held invalid for such insufficiency.

"All initiative laws and constitutional amendments shall be so submitted to the electors as to permit an affirmative or negative vote upon each measure submitted. If conflicting proposed laws or conflicting proposed amendments to the constitution be approved at the same election, the one receiving the highest number of affirmative votes shall prevail as to conflicting provisions.

"The style of all legislative measures and amendments to the constitution initiated by the people under this section shall be: 'Be it enacted by the people of the State of Minnesota.'

"The provisions of this section may be enforced by appropriate legislation, but until such legislation has been enacted, this section shall be self-executing."

EFFECT: The effect of this amendment, if adopted, will be to give to the electors the privilege of submitting directly to the voters constitutional amendments, proposed legislation and the right to suspend and annul laws enacted by the Legislature.

SECOND PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The second proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 585 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

PURPOSE: The purpose and object of this amendment is to add two Associate Justices to the Supreme Court; to require the concurrence of five Justices of the Supreme Court before any law shall be declared unconstitutional by such court, and make the office of Clerk of the Supreme Court appointive, and is an amendment of Section 2 of Article 6 of the Constitution, which law reads as follows:

"Sec. 2. The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and two associate justices, but the number of the associate justices may be increased to a number not exceeding four, by the legislature, by a two-thirds vote, when it shall be deemed necessary. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction, in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions. There shall be chosen, by the qualified electors of the State, one clerk of the supreme court, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and until his successor is duly elected and qualified, and the judges of the supreme court, or a majority of them, shall have the power to fill any vacancy in the office of clerk of the supreme court until an election can be regularly had."

and substitutes therefor the following:

"Sec. 2. The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and six associate justices. Five shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of at least four shall be necessary to a decision, but no statute shall be declared unconstitutional unless five members of the court shall concur in the decision. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions, and a clerk of the supreme court."

EFFECT: The present constitution provides that the number of Associate Justices of the Supreme Court shall not exceed four in number, while the amendment, if adopted, will increase the number to six. A majority of the Supreme Court may now declare a law unconstitutional, but if this amendment is adopted, it will require the concurrence of five members. The office of clerk of the Supreme Court is now elective, but if this amendment is adopted, the clerk of the Supreme Court will be appointed by the court.

THIRD PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The third proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 586 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

PURPOSE: By this amendment it is sought to authorize the State to construct roads, ditches, fire breaks through and around unsold state school and swamp lands, and a $250,000 revolving fund, realized and kept up from the sale of such lands, is to be set apart for such purpose. This is an amendment of Section 2 of Article 8 of the Constitution, which law reads as follows:

"Section 2. The proceeds of such lands as are or hereafter may be granted by the United States for the use of schools within each township of this State shall remain a perpetual school fund to the State; and not more than one-third (⅓) of said lands may be sold in two (2) years, one-third (⅓) in five years, and one-third (⅓) in ten (10) years; but the lands of the greatest valuation shall be sold first; provided, that no portion of said lands shall be sold otherwise than at public sale. The principal of all funds arising from sales or other disposition of lands or other property, granted or entrusted to this State in each township for educational purposes, shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished; and the income arising from the lease or sale of said school lands shall be distributed to the different townships throughout the State, in proportion to the number of scholars in each township, between the ages of five and twenty-one years and shall be faithfully applied to the specific objects of the original grants or appropriations.

"Investment of Funds.—Suitable laws shall be enacted by the legislature for the safe investment of the principal of all funds which have heretofore arisen or which may hereafter arise from the sale or other disposition of such lands, or the income from such lands accruing in any way before the sale or disposition thereof, in interest-bearing bonds of the United States, or of the State of Minnesota, issued after the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty (1860), or of such other state as the legislature may, by law, from time to time direct.

"Swamp Lands.—Division of proceeds. All swamp lands now held by the State, or that may hereafter accrue to the state, shall be appraised and sold in the same manner and by the same officers, and the minimum price shall be the same, less one-third (⅓), as is provided by law for the appraisement and sale of the school lands under the provisions of title one (1) of Chapter thirty-eight (38) of the General Statutes. The principal of all funds derived from sales of swamp lands, as aforesaid, shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished. One-half (½) of the proceeds of said principal shall be appropriated to the common school fund of the state. The remaining one-half (½) shall be appropriated to the educational and charitable institutions of the State in the relative ratio of cost to support said institutions."

and adds thereto the following:

"A revolving fund of not over Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($250,000) may be set apart from the funds derived from the sale of school and swamp lands, to be used in constructing roads, ditches and fire breaks in, through and around unsold school and swamp lands, such fund to be replenished as long as needed from the enhanced value realized from the sale of such lands so benefited."

EFFECT: The effect of this amendment, if adopted, will be to permit the State to improve the school and swamp lands of the State out of moneys derived from the sale of such lands, and to bring the State into line with the conditions of the Swamp Land Grant as to drainage of such lands, by providing a revolving fund therefor, pending the ultimate application of the avails of such grant to the common school fund of the State and the educational and charitable institutions thereof.

FOURTH PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The fourth proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 587 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

PURPOSE: By this amendment it is proposed to repeal the provisions of Section 11 of Article 9 of the Constitution, which section now reads as follows:

"Section 11. There shall be published by the treasurer, in at least one newspaper printed at the seat of government, during the first week in January in each year, and in the next volume of the acts of legislature, detailed statements of all moneys drawn from the treasury during the preceding year, for what purpose and to whom paid, and by what law authorized; and also of all moneys received, and by what authority and from whom."

EFFECT: The Constitution requires the treasurer to publish yearly a detailed statement of the moneys drawn from the treasury during the preceding year, giving the names of the persons to whom paid and the purposes for which it was expended. It also requires a like statement of the names of the persons, and the sources, as to money received, and in both cases a statement of the law under which payments were made, or money paid into the treasury. The effect of this amendment, if the same be adopted, will be to repeal the section of the Constitution mentioned and insofar relieve the treasurer from such publication and the State from the expense thereof. This change in the Constitution, however, would not prevent the Legislature from directing by law that such, or a different publication, of the same or other information, should be made by the treasurer.

FIFTH PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The fifth proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 588 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this amendment is to permit the permanent school, and university funds of this State to be invested in first mortgage loans upon improved and cultivated farm lands of the State. This amendment would change Section 6 of Article 8 of the Constitution, which now reads as follows:

Sec. 6. The permanent school and university fund of this state may be invested in the bonds of any county, school district, city, town or village of this state, but no such investment shall be made until approved by the board of commissioners designated by law to regulate the investment of the permanent school fund and the permanent university fund of this state; nor shall such loan or investment be made when the bonds to be issued or purchased would make the entire bonded indebtedness exceed fifteen (15) per cent of the assessed valuation of the taxable real property of the county, school district, city, town or village issuing such bonds; nor shall such loans or indebtedness be made at a lower rate of interest than three (3) per cent per annum, nor for a shorter period than five (5) years, nor for a longer period than twenty (20) years, and no change of the town, school district, city, village or of county lines shall relieve the real property in such town, school district, county, village or city in this state at the time of the issuing of such bonds from any liability for taxation to pay such bonds."

and substitute therefor the following:

Section 6. The permanent school and university fund of this state may be invested in the bonds of any county, school district, city, town or village of this state, and in first mortgage loans secured upon improved and cultivated farm lands of this state. But no such investment or loan shall be made until approved by the board of commissioners designated by law to regulate the investment of the permanent school fund and the permanent university fund of this state nor shall such loan or investment be made when the bonds to be issued or purchased would make the entire bonded indebtedness exceed 15 per cent of the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the county, school district, city, town or village issuing such bonds; nor shall any farm loan or investment be made when such investment or loan would exceed 30 per cent of the actual cash value of the farm land mortgaged to secure said investment; nor shall such investments or loans be made at a lower rate of interest than three per cent per annum, nor for a shorter period than five years, nor for a longer period than thirty years, and no change of the town, school district, city, village or county lines shall relieve the real property in such town, school district, county, village or city in this state at the time of issuing of such bonds from any liability for taxation to pay such bonds.

EFFECT: The present Constitution authorizes the investment of the permanent school and university funds of this State in the bonds of any county, school district, city, town or village of this State. This amendment, if adopted, will permit in addition to the foregoing investments, said school and university funds to be invested also in first mortgage loans secured upon improved and cultivated farm lands of this State. The present Constitution provides that no investment shall be made for a longer period than twenty years, while the proposed amendment extends the period to thirty years.

SIXTH PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The sixth proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 589 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this amendment is to make the term of office of the Judge of Probate four years. This is an amendment of Section 7 of Article 6 of the Constitution, which now reads as follows:

"Section 7. There shall be established in each organized county in the State a probate court, which shall be a court of record, and be held at such time and places as may be prescribed by law. It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of two years. He shall be a resident of such county at the time of his election; and reside therein during his continuance in office; and his compensation shall be provided by law. He may appoint his own clerk where none has been elected; but the legislature may authorize the election, by the electors of any county, of one clerk or register of probate for such county, whose powers, duties, term of office and compensation shall be prescribed by law. A probate court shall have jurisdiction over the estates of deceased persons and persons under guardianship, but no other jurisdiction, except as prescribed by this Constitution."

and substitutes therefor the following:

"Section 7. Probate Court—Judges to be Elected—Jurisdiction. "There shall be established in each organized county in the state a probate court, which shall be a court of record, and be held at such time and places as may be prescribed by law. It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of four years. He shall be a resident of such county at the time of his election, and reside therein during his continuance in office; and his compensation shall be provided by law. He may appoint his own clerk where none has been elected; but the legislature may authorize the election by the electors of any county, of one clerk or register of probate for such county, whose powers, duties, term of office and compensation shall be prescribed by law. A probate court shall have jurisdiction over the estates of deceased persons and persons under guardianship, but no other jurisdiction except as prescribed by this Constitution."

EFFECT: The present Constitution provides that the office of Judge of Probate shall be two years and if this amendment is adopted the term of such office will be four years.

SEVENTH PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The seventh proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 590 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

PURPOSE: The purpose of said amendment is to fix and limit the number of State Senators.

Section 2 of Article 4 of the Constitution now reads as follows:

"Section 2. The number of members who compose the Senate and House of Representatives shall be prescribed by law, but the representatives in the Senate shall never exceed one member for every 5,000 inhabitants, and in the House of Representatives one member for every 2,000 inhabitants. The representation in both houses shall be apportioned equally throughout the different sections of the State, in proportion to the population thereof exclusive of Indians not taxable under the provisions of law."

It is proposed to substitute therefor the following:

"Section 1. That Section 2 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 2. In the next and succeeding reapportionments of Senators and Representatives, the Senate shall be composed of sixty-three (63) members and the House of Representatives shall be composed of such number of members as may be prescribed by law. The representation in both Houses shall be apportioned as nearly as practicable, throughout the different sections of the states in proportion to the population thereof, exclusive of Indians not taxable under the provisions of law. Provided, however, that a County may be divided into several legislative districts, but no County or any of the parts thereof shall ever constitute or be a part of more than seven (7) Senatorial Districts and not more than seven (7) Senators shall ever be apportioned to any one County."

EFFECT: The object of this amendment is to limit the State Senate to sixty-three members and to prevent any one county having more than seven senators.

EIGHTH PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The eighth proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 591 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this amendment is to encourage the planting, cultivation and protection of useful forest trees and it is proposed to add an entirely new section to Article 9 of the Constitution, to be known as Section 17A, and which shall read as follows:

"Section 1. The following amendment to Article Nine (9) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, is hereby proposed to the people of the State of Minnesota, for their approval or rejection, which amendment, when adopted, shall be known as Section 17a of said Article Nine (9), that is to say:

"'Section 17a. For the purpose of encouraging the planting, cultivation and protection of useful forest trees in this state, laws may be enacted providing for the payment by the State of an annual bounty of not more than Two Dollars and Fifty Cents ($2.50) per acre, for a term, in each case of not more than Ten (10) years, and not exceeding Ten (10) acres, to any one person who shall plant, cultivate and protect useful forest trees upon his own land'."

EFFECT: This amendment, if adopted, will permit the Legislature to enact laws providing for the payment by the State of a limited bounty for a limited term, to persons who shall plant, cultivate and protect useful forest trees upon their own land.

NINTH PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The ninth proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 592 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

PURPOSE: By this amendment it is proposed to add an entirely new section to Article 8 of the Constitution to be known as Section 7 and which shall read as follows:

"Section 1. The following amendment to Article eight (8) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota is hereby proposed to the legal voters of said state for their approval or their rejection, which amendment when so approved shall be known as Section seven (7) of said Article eight (8) and shall read as follows:

"'Such of the school and other public lands of the state as are better adapted for the production of timber than for agriculture, may be set apart as state school forests, or other state forests as the legislature may provide, and the legislature may provide for the management of the same on forestry principles. The net revenue therefrom shall be used for the purpose for which the lands were granted to the state'."

EFFECT: The effect of this amendment, if adopted, will authorize the Legislature to set apart for state school forests or other state forests, state public lands which are better adapted for timber than for agriculture, and to manage the same upon forestry principles.

TENTH PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The tenth proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 593 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

By this amendment it is proposed to add to Article 7 of the Constitution an entirely new section, providing for a recall, which shall read as follows:

Section 1. That Article Seven (7) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota shall be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto, at the end of said Article, a new section, which shall be numbered Section 10 of said Article Seven (7) and which shall read as follows:

"Section 10. Every public official in Minnesota, elective or appointive, shall be subject to recall from office by the electors of his official or electoral district as herein provided. A petition demanding his recall setting forth the reasons therefor, signed by such number of electors in his district as shall be provided by law, which number shall not be less than twenty per centum or more than thirty per centum of the total number of votes cast for governor in such district at the last preceding election, shall be filed in the office where petitions for nomination to such office are filed, or in such other office as may be provided by law, and the officer in whose office such petition is filed, shall order a special election for such recall. If such official shall resign within five days after such petition is filed, the vacancy thereby created shall be filled as may be provided by law; but if he shall not so resign, such special election, to be held within twenty-five days after the filing of the petition, shall be called to determine whether such official shall be recalled. On the official ballot at such election shall be printed, in not more than two hundred words, the reasons for demanding the recall of such official as set forth in the petition, and in not more than two hundred words such official's justification of his course in office. Such official shall continue to perform the duties of his office until the result of such election shall be officially declared. No such petition shall be signed or filed against any official until he shall have held office six months; and no petition shall be signed or filed for the recall of any judicial official within sixty days of the decision, ruling or act complained of in the petition. Such additional legislation as may aid in the operation of this section and proceedings thereunder shall be provided by law. At such election no person shall be voted for, and the only proposition submitted shall be the recall of such official. Any person recalled, as provided in this section, shall be ineligible to fill the vacancy caused by his recall."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this amendment is to enable a certain number of voters to petition and cause to be submitted to a vote the question of removing from office any elective or appointive public official.

ELEVENTH PROPOSED AMENDMENT

The eleventh proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 594 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

By this amendment it is proposed to add an entirely new section to Article 9 of the Constitution, to be known as Section 18, which shall read as follows:

"Section 1. The following amendment to Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota is hereby proposed to the people of the State for their approval or rejection, which amendment, if approved, shall be known as Section 18 of Article 9 of the Constitution and shall read as follows:

"'Section 18. Laws may be enacted providing for the taxation of dogs on a basis other than the value of the dog, and from the fund derived from such tax, authorizing payment of the damages sustained by the owners of other domestic animals by reason of injuries caused by dogs.'"

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The present basis for taxing dogs is upon actual value. The proposed amendment, if adopted, will permit the Legislature to enact laws changing this basis. It is proposed to create a fund out of which owners of domestic animals may be reimbursed for loss sustained by reason of injuries caused by dogs.

Yours respectfully,
LYNDON A. SMITH,
Attorney General.

St. Paul, May 6, 1914.

Mr. Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State.

Dear Sir: Referring to proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 4 would say: As state expert printer I have given the publications involved in this proposed amendment special thought, and am of opinion both these publications are entirely superfluous. The extensive annual publication "in a daily newspaper published at the capital city" attracts absolutely no attention. The annual report of the state treasurer is published in book form, and to an extent that makes it easy for every person specially concerned to secure a copy. To conform strictly with the law as it is at present, means the expenditure, under reasonably favorable printing contracts, of approximately $5,000, a sum which can be used to excellent advantage under conditions which ordinarily suggest the greatest care and economy upon the part of those under whose direction the printing fund is expended.

Yours respectfully,
J. T. MANNIX,
State Expert Printer.

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Dr. Turley, the Dentist will be at the hotel, in Holt, Monday Oct. 26.

C. L. Stevens of Warren speaks in the hall to night at 7 o'clock. Come.

The Haggland boys have rented the old Nils Engerbretson farm and have moved thereon.

Miss Clara Backe visited at the home of her brother, B. L. Backe and wife, between trains Friday.

Dr. Clark and Mr. Gates of Fergus Falls were looking over the country here the first of the week.

About $60.00 was taken in at the dance and social Saturday evening for the benefit of Norman Netwon.

To the Men and Women Voters of Marshall County

I wish to thank all my friends for the splendid support given me at the Primary Election. To serve you with the greatest possible efficiency shall be my aim in the future as it has been in the past if retained in the office of Superintendent of Schools. I solicit your support on General Election Day, November 3, 1914.

Very truly yours,

DAVID JOHNSON

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Obituary.

On the 12th of October at the home of his son Herman in Thief River Falls occured the death of Frederick C. Ohm. Frederick Ohm was born at Ravenstein, Germany, December 19, 1842. In 1867 he married Wilhelmina Steinberg and in 1881 he removed to America with his family. He settled at Paynesville, Minn., where he remained six years. In 1887 he came to the town of Spruce Valley where he took a homestead. Here, in 1909, occurred the death of his wife. He remained on his homestead until his death. He was buried beside his wife near the Immanuel church in the town of Spruce Valley. He leaves six daughters and four sons to mourn his death.—Con.

The Sunnyside.

Have you missed the Sunnyside, friends? Absence makes the heart grow fonder.

School opened in Dist. 59, October 5, with Misses Erickson and Tvede as teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Surmo spent Sunday at Mrs. F. Carlson's.

Miss Marie Erickson spent the week end at her home in Thief River Falls.

Hans Knutson's and Matt Lunke's went berry picking Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horien and little son Edgar visited at L. Wegge's on Sunday afternoon.

Stina Brita had her picture taken Sunday. If the Sunnyside would like to see it she is willing to have it published.

Miss Clara Tvede autoed to Thief River Falls Friday, returning Saturday.

There will be a baskes social in the new school house in District 59, Saturday October 31st, the proceeds to be used for an organ for the school. Everybody welcome.

Hallowen social Saturday Oct. 31

Ole Backland autoed to Gatzke on business Monday.

P. O. Rierson and wife returned Monday from Goodridge.

Diedrick Nyberg did some black smithing in town Monday.

A. Arnevik was in Middle River between trains Saturday.

Herman Ohm and wife [illegible] to T. R. Falls Thursday.

E. M. Silabaugh has [illegible] a new chair for his barber shop.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Pechie [illegible] shopping in Thief River Falls Friday.

Mattson Bros. finished the season threshing Saturday and have stored the rig in the [illegible] by the creamery.

B. L. Backe closed a deal [illegible] Kolden on his Mud Lake [illegible] which he sold to Ole Ellingson, $2800.

Mrs. Anna [illegible] ille and Fred Ohm of Fargo N. D. were here last week to [illegible] their father's funeral.

Come and [illegible] Medal flour [illegible] just [illegible] and pay your twine bill [illegible] ther accounts before Oct [illegible] save the penalty. [illegible]

The teachers [illegible] Holt public school have [illegible] for a Hallowen box social [illegible] benefit of the school, Saturday [illegible] ing Oct. 31st. A cordial [illegible] is extended to the public.

Both [illegible] and [illegible] invited to attend [illegible] at 10:30. Classes [illegible] in both Norwegian and [illegible] bible [illegible] and [illegible] given [illegible] choice [illegible] the [illegible] Now [illegible]

Wedding Bells.

Miss Elsie Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson, was married last week Wednesday in Warren, to Mr. Momberg, a young farmer of Alvarado. A wedding party was given them at the home of the bride's parents, Sunday.

Southeast of Holt.

Rev. Bredeson will hold services in the Free Church on Sunday Oct. 25th at 2.30 P. M.

Miss Ragna Larson who is attending high school in T. R. Falls, made an over Sunday visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson.

The Ose Bros. has finished their threshing for this season. They pulled their rig home on Saturday.

Mr. Foss of T. R. Falls held services in the school house Dist. 112 on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs Ole T. Ose are the proud parents of a baby boy born to them on Sunday Oct. 11th.

Olga Saastad assisted Mrs. C. Larson during Threshing.

Tyler Wold and John Ose visited at the S. G. Moe home on Sunday.

Inga Peterson is working for Mrs. Ole Ose now-days.

Albert Matteson has finished his threshing for the season and had his rig pulled into Holt on Saturday afternoon.

The Misses Jula and Tillie Ose left for Fargo N. D., on Saturday, where they will attend school at the Oak Grove Seminary.

Ole K. Ose is attending the Augsburg Seminary at Minneapolis.

Peter Sorter went to T. R. Falls Sunday.

Gerald Ryan was taken sick in school Monday and was taken home by Dr. Olson.

J. S. Chapman has finished his drainage work near here and soon leaves for his home in York State.

C. Martell has moved into town and expects to run a feed barn and feed mill, having bot the feed mill of Mattson Bros.

Donald Robertson

seeks election as Representative on the following PLATFORM

I am in favor of:

County Option and [illegible] legislation as will promote [illegible] among the people.

Giving the women [illegible] vote the same the men.

Legislation with a [illegible] tuberculosis, and liberal [illegible] tions to properly [illegible] unates who are [illegible] dreaded disease.

An economic [illegible] administration [illegible] ganization of State Departments.

Initiative and referendum.

Open market [illegible] tigation of [illegible] our terminal markets [illegible] viding for state [illegible] erning the sale of grain [illegible] products of the farm at [illegible] nals, with [illegible] producer [illegible] ducts.

Liberal [illegible] and Industr[illegible] lic Schools.

Conserva[illegible] ment.

During [illegible] one years [illegible] always [illegible] square, and [illegible] the uphold[illegible] the impo[illegible] therein. [illegible] in the [illegible]

If You Want to Fight
Join The Army

If you have money put it in the bank. There is a time and a place for everything. Now is the time to save your earnings by putting them

In This Bank

You may never become extremely rich but you can avoid being extremely poor. Sieze the opportunity as our hosts of patrons have done and be on the road to success.

We Welcome You Here.

Holt State Bank

Capital $10,000.00 ** Surplus $2500.00
D. B. BAKKE, President B. DOCKEN, Cashier
The Bank of Security-Service-Courtesy

Flour! "Cremo" Flour!

"Cremo" Flour means the very BEST to be obtained in flour.

Your Money Refunded if the Flour is not as GUARANTEED.

The People's "Cash Store"
Everything in Merchandise
Sollom Brothers, Proprietors
Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota

For State Senator

Nels S. Hegnes

Stands for

County Option

Honest Representation

and a "Square Deal"

V-I-V-O

The Best Flour [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] ys pre-
pared [illegible] service.

Hanson & B[illegible] Milling Co.
[illegible] MINN.

GREAT BATTLES NOW RAGING IN BELGIUM AND POLAND

TWO IMPORTANT SUCCESSES ARE CREDITED ALLIES

ASSERTED ARMENTIERES HAS BEEN RE-OCCUPIED AND ADVANCE ON DUNKIRK CHECKED.

GERMAN REINFORCEMENTS ARE BEING BROUGHT UP

May Be Used for Purpose of Resuming Offensive Action in Attempting to Capture Calais—Reports Concerning Russia's Movements Disagree Very Much.

London, Oct. 20.—Two important successes in the battle of Dunkirk and Calais, for the possession of which the Germans are striving, are credited to the allies in the official communication issued in Paris.

Two Reported Victories.

The French are said to have reoccupied Armentieres, an important railroad junction on the Belgian frontier northwest of Lille, and to have repulsed an attempt of the Germans to cross the River Yzer, which flows through that little corner of West Flanders, which is all of Belgium that remains in Belgian hands.

This would mean a check to the German attempt to reach Dunkirk by the coast route. The French are said to have pushed back still further the German army which is advancing along the Belgian Frontier to the coast. The battle, which culminated in Armentieres again coming under French influence, lasted for a week, during which the fighting was hard and continuous.

Importance of Town.

The town was seized by the Germans a week ago owing to its importance as a railway center, lines diverging from it in all directions. Besides, it is on the road to Lille, which the Germans still hold, despite reports to the contrary.

The battle opened with cavalry fighting, which gradually developed into a general battle, which indicates the French are advancing in force towrd Lille.

The allies also have made an advance north of the La Basse canal, between that line and Arras, and at certain points between Arras and the Oise. This latter is a rather long front, but the claims in the French official communication are taken here to mean that the German movement westward has been checked.

For German Reinforcements.

The Germans, however, are bringing up reinforcements, seemingly determined to resume the offensive either toward Calais or at some other point of the long front

In the center and in the Vosges the situation is stationary. This is not taken to mean that no fighting is taking place and it is considered likely that the battle on the Alsace frontier which has been going on for some days has yet to reach its end.

Russians Claim Repulses.

Again the Russians and the Austrians flatly contradict one another as to the progress of events in the east. The Austrians claim that the operations are progressing favorably for them, while an official report from Petrograd says that attempts by the Austrians to cross the river San failed and that in the fighting south of Przemysl, which took the form of bayonet charges, they captured 15 Austrian officers and 1,000 men.

It would appear from reports of correspondents at Petrograd that the Germans made repeated attempts to cross the Vistula at Josefow, but were driven back with heavy casualties. The correspondents say this fighting was part of the general attack on the Russian positions on the Vistula and that they proved a failure.

Teutons Plan Siege of Belfort

From the Battle Front, Oct. 20, via Paris.—What in previous wars would have been called great battles were fought on the eastern wing of the fighting line stretching from the Belgian coast to Switzerland. In this great battle of nations, however, these fights are regarded merely as incidents.

Sanit-die, on the Meurthe, 32 miles northeast of Epinal, was the center of the attac which resulted in a repulse for the Germans with heavy casualties.

The Germans have brought up 19 inch mortars, supposedly for an intended siege of Belfort.

Servians Defeat Austrians.

Paris, Oct. 20.—Austrians again have been defeated in Servian territory near the Drina, says a Havas agency dispatch from Nish. "They attacked the Servian right with infantry and artillery on Mount Goutchevo, but were met by a terrible fire and retired. They came back three times. Finally, the Austrian infantry was in part annihilated and the remainder put to rout.

Fire Proves Annihilating.

"A column of their infantry in the ravines of the Save river fell under a cross fire from the Servian artillery and perished. At the same time the Servians, taking the offensive to the north, threw the enemy back on the Drina. Many were drowned and 600 were taken prisoners."

Appearance Excites Commotion.

London, Oct. 19.—The entrance of the Germans into Ostend is described by the Daily Mail's correspondent who left that port at the moment of the German occupation.

"Their appearance excited a tremendous commotion among the hundreds of refugees who had been unable to get away and stood panic-stricken on the quays," says the correspondent. "There was an outburst of groans and hoots mingled with scream and cries."

Alarm at Bordeaux.

Bordeaux, Oct. 19.—The war situation on the northern frontier of France is understood to be viewed with increased apprehension in well informed circles. It is reported that the Germans are extending their control of the north coast toward Dunkirk and Calais.

With its battle line from the German frontier to the English channel thus shortened, the German front will gain in weight, and as the French army has been unequal to the task of turning the Germans' flang when thinly extended, it is now feared that the entire German line may eventually advance successfully on Paris

Pressure Not Relieved.

London, Oct. 19.—Fulfillment of the promise that pressure would be taken off France and Belgium when the big battle commenced in the East again has been delayed. The Germans are before Warsaw—in fact fighting has taken place only eight miles from that city.

Germans Retrieve Austrian Losses

While their advance to the Niemen was a failure, the forces of Emperor William apparently have retrieved some defeats of the Austrians in Galicia and advanced as far as Jarozlau, 17 miles northwest of Przemysl. The German plan seems to be to have two armies advancing along the left bank of the Vistula river while two other armies swing around on the right bank to take the defenders of Warsaw on their flank.

This, according to Russian accounts suits the Russian general staff, who are said purposely to have withdrawn to the Vistula so that they would have the railways at their back while the Austro-German forces would have to advance great distances on roads which at this time of the year are little more than quagmires.

Both Claim Advantage

Both sides claim to have gained advantages in the preliminary fighting, but these victories and defeats can have little effect on the general result of the battle in which it is estimated that nearly 5,000,000 men are engaged. The Russians, it is said, have 2,500,000 men and the Austro German force is declared to total nearly 2,000,000. The armies cover a front of nearly 300 miles.

Russia Explains Withdrawal

London, Oct. 15.—Advices received from Petrograd assert the withdrawal of the czar's troops into the Warsaw region was for strategical reasons to lure the Germans into positions favorable to the Russian army before giving battle. The German army is now said to be in possession of all of Poland with the exception of the territory immediately surrounding Warsaw.

Germans Occupying All Belgium

This final change followed quickly upon the German westward advance which was begun immediately after the fall of Antwerp. Success in taking the chief port of Belgium opened the way for a new plan of campaign which embraces the occupation of the whole of Belgium, including the coast town and, if possible, some of the northern French ports. In accordance with this plan, the German invaders have begun to sweep across northern Belgium

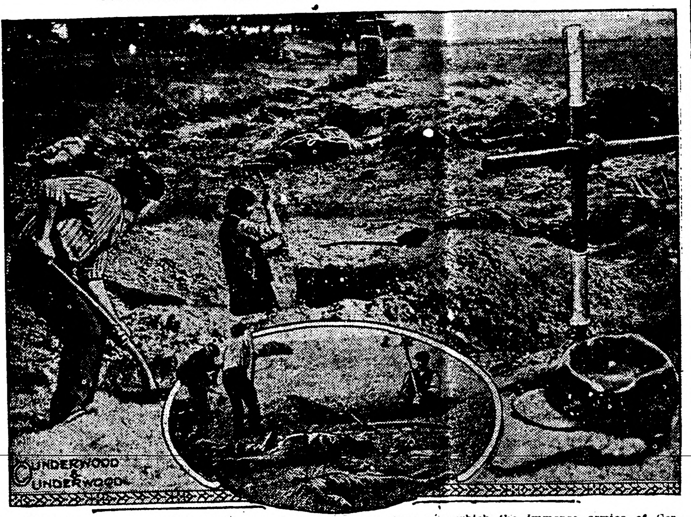
Great Aerial Exploit

By International News Service.

Paris, Oct. 16.—The most daring exploit of the French airmen since the beginning of the war was the complete rout of a division of German cavalry which they shelled from the air. The official communique says the aviators pursued the cavalrymen all day, ceaselessly pouring bombs upon them and inflicting heavy losses

reached here from the north show that the Germans had crossed the frontier and were advancing towards the Hazebouch region when they were met by a stronger French force. The preliminary skirmishes went in favor of the French, and the Germans, seeing the road absolutely barred, began an orderly retreat.

GATHERING THE HARVEST OF DEATH IN EUROPE



All along the valley of the Marne and the country round about over which the immense armies of Germany and the allies fought as the former advanced toward Paris and then fell back the French peasants have been busy with the grim task of burying the dead soldiers. Scenes like those in the illustration were repeated endlessly. At the right is seen the simple cross marking the grave of a French soldier, his cap and scarf at its foot.

IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS

The official Paris statement claims two important successes for the allies. It was reported the French had re-occupied Armentieres and the allied armies had repulsed the Germans attempting to cross the river Yser. These, together with further advancement along the Belgian frontier, claimed in the French communique, are declared to check the German coast advances toward Dunkirk and Calais.

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Berlin reports that Belgian soldiers interned in Holland now number 30,000.

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Field Marshal Sir John French, commander of the British expeditionary force, has sent two highly interesting reports to the war department relative to the battle on the Aisne and other matters connected with the operations of his troops in France. He describes the valiant work of his generals and incidentally tells of severe British losses. An idea of these can be obtained in the figures which he gives, showing that during the period between Sept. 12 and Oct. 8, 561 officers and 12,980 men were among the killed, wounded and missing.

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The steamer Brindilla, flying the American flag, but a former German hull, has been seized by British ships and conducted into Halifax. It is claimed she carries contraband of war.

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Throughout their sphere of operations, Servia reports says, the Servians are sweeping everything before them. It is not believed here, however, that very serious fighting has been taking place there recently, as the weather and condition of the roads must have been against it.

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In the eastern theater of war the Germans are reported within eight miles of Warsaw, but late reports do not tell of any notable battles. It is claimed that the Russians have purposely fallen back to have the railroads at their backs, while the Austro-German troops must advance over veritable quagmires.

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The death of the Marquis di San Guiliano, Italy's foreign minister, will not, it is announced at Rome, affect the government's foreign policy. The prime minister will administer the affairs of the late minister temporarily.

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Commandants of the [illegible] north of Bloemfontein in [illegible] support in British movement to crush rebellion led by Colonel Maritz

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A German force of cavalry advanced towards Hazel Rouck is forced to retire by a superior French force. The retreat was orderly until the French airmen took up the chase, pouring down bombs upon Teutons. The retirement became a rout, the airmen pursuing the Germans until nightfall, inflicting heavy losses.

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The Belgian government has moved for the third time, this time from Ostend to Havre, France, where Belgian officials were received with military honors.

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British newspaper man brings startling reports from Berlin that great fleet of Zeppelins is waiting at Kiel for opportune moment to attack England.

BRITISH SHIP AND 400 LOST

GERMANS SCORE ANOTHER VICTORY IN NORTH SEA.

Hawke Struck Amidships By Torpedo Is Immediately Destroyed—Full Particulars Withheld.

London, Oct. 17.—Great Britain has lost another cruiser through the activity of the German submarine fleet. The cruiser Hawke, utilized for scouting purposes off the German naval base in the North sea, has been torpedoed and sunk with a loss of from four to five hundred officers and men.

The disaster took place at a point in the North sea whose location is withheld by the admiralty. The Hawke was steaming along when it was struck almost amidships by a torpedo sent by a submarine and almost torn to pieces.

The admiralty has given out the following announcement concerning the loss of the Hawke:

"His majesty's ship, Theseus, Captain Hugh Edwards, was attacked by a submarine in the northern waters of the North sea yesterday but was missed. His majesty's ship, Hawke, Captain H. P. E. T. Williams, was attacked about the same time and was sunk.

"The following officers with 49 men of the crew have been landed at Aberdeen from a trawler: Boatswain Sydney Austin, Gunner James Dennis and Acting Gunner Harry Evitt. The remaining officers and men are missing.

"Further particulars will be published as soon as available.

"The Hawke was a cruiser built in 1889."

PLEDGE SUPPORT TO BRITISH

FREE STATE COMMANDANTS WOULD CRUSH UPRISING

Boers Reported to Have [illegible] Maritz's Revolt as Blot on Honor of Country—Action Considered Significant

London, Oct. 19.—"At a [illegible] of commandants representing all the Free State north of Bloemfontein held at Kroonstad," a dispatch to the Reuter Telegram company from Pretoria says, "a resolution was unanimously adopted denouncing as a blot on the honor of the Free State the rebellion started in the northwest of the cape provinces by Colonel Maritz. The resolution pledged the fullest support of the commandants to the government and requested a mobilization of the burghers to crush the rebellion.

"General Jan Christian Smutz, minister of defense, thanked the commandants for their tender of support. He said, however, a mobilization was unnecessary as it would put more men in the field than needed

"The action taken by the Kroonstad meeting is considered significant, as heretofore the people of the Congo Free State were lukewarm concerning the campaign against the Germans."

Attack Germans in London

London, Oct. 19.—Anti-German rioting here seems to have been more general than was at first supposed. Seventy bakeries, butcher shops and saloons were wrecked. The police were called out and 20 arrests were made.

JAP STEAMER IS SUNK; 271 PERISH --OTHER DISASTERS

MINE IN KIAO-CHOW BAY RESPONSIBLE FOR WRECKING OF MIKADO'S VESSEL.

"UNDAUNTED" REPORTS ANOTHER SEA VICTORY

Cruiser Claims Capture of German Mine Layer in Disguise—Austrian Submarine Sunk—Berlin Side of Loss of Four Submarines.

Tokio, Oct. 20.—It is officially announced that the Japanese cruiser Takachiho was sunk by a mine in Kiao-chow bay on the night of Oct. 17.

271 Lose Lives.

The Takachiho was on patrol duty outside Tsing-tau when she fouled the mine. Japanese destroyers heard the explosion and saw the flames that resulted. They hurried to the assistance of the cruiser, which, however, disappeared quickly, and in the darkness it was possible to rescue only 12 men. Twenty-eight officers, 54 non-commissioned officers and 189 seamen perished.

The cruiser Takachiho was built in 1885 and refitted in 1900. It was a vessel of 3,700 tons and was 300 feet long and had 46 feet beam. Its main battery consisted of eight six-inch guns, and its speed was about 18 knots.

Mine Layer Reported Captured.

London.—The Central News has sent out a dispatch from Harwich in which the correspondent says he has learned upon good authority that the British cruiser, Undaunted, accompanied by two torpedo boat destroyers, has captured a German mine layer in the North Sea. The Undaunted is the cruiser which, with four destroyers, sent four German torpedo-boat destroyers tot he bottom of the North sea in Saturday's naval battle off the coast of Holland.

The mine layer, the dispatch says, was disguised as a hospital ship. The Undaunted is bringing her prize into Harwich.

Austrian Ship Is Sunk.

Cettinje, Montenegro, via London.—An Austrian submarine was sunk in the Adriatic by a French cruiser. Two submarine vessels went out from the Bay of Cattaro to attack the French fleet which was making its way along the Dalmatian coast. They were quickly sighted by the French lookouts and a well-directed shot sent the leader to the bottom. The other submarine escaped. The French fleet subsequently recommended the bombardment of the forts of Cattaro.

Berlin Account of Mishap.

Berlin, via Amsterdam, Oct. 20.—Preferring wreck and death to capture by the British, the commanders of the German torpedo destroyers, S-115, S-117, S-118 and S-119, drove their vessels upon the coast of the North seat on Saturday when cornered by the English cruiser Undaunted, according to a statement issued at the admiralty. The four destroyers were completely wrecked.

The crews of the vessels numbered 224 men and nearly all of them are believed to have been lost.

Meat Famine Threatens World

Chicago, Oct. 20.—A shortage of meat faces the world as a result of the European war, George I. McCarthy, of New York, secretary of the American Meat Packars' Association, asserted before the ninth annual convention of the association here. "Europe will soon exhaust its own food supply and then will drain the world to feed its huge armies and helpless populations," Mr. McCarthy said. "The results will be felt the world over. Inasmuch as this countrys is extremely short of food animals, the prospects for an abundant supply abroad are not encouraging."

Hunters Murder Wisconsin Farmer

Kenosha, Wis., Oct. 20.—John Luss, a wealthy farmer living a few miles north of here, was shot to death by a party of Italian hunters whom he had ordered off his place. Ten suspects were arrested by posses of farmers and deputy sheriffs. James Lucci of this city was identified by a housekeeper at the Luss farm as the man who fired the fatal shot.

Fire in Liner Kills One

Portland, Ore., Oct 20. The Grace line steamer Santa Catalina, en route here from New York via San Francisco, took fire in the Columbia river near St. Helena and was beached with the loss of one life, that of a fireman.

McReynolds Is Assigned Field.

Washington, Oct. 20.—Justice McReynolds, the new associate justice of the supreme court, has been assigned by Chief Justice White to the Seventh circuit, comprising Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin.

Thaw Trial Dec. 7

Washington, Oct. 20.—The supreme court has advanced the Harry K. Thaw extradition case for early hearing out of its regular order. Argument on the case was set for Dec. 7 by the court.

A NURSE TAKES DOCTOR'S ADVICE

And is Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Euphemia, Ohio.—"Because of total ignorance of how to care for myself when verging into womanhood, and from taking cold when going to school, I suffered from a displacement, and each month I had severe pains and nausea which always meant a lay-off from work for two to four days from the time I was 16 years old.

"I went to Kansas to live with my sister and while there a doctor told me of the Pinkham remedies but I did not use them then as my faith in patent medicines was limited. After my sister died I came home to Ohio to live and that has been my home for the last 18 years.

"The Change of Life came when I was 47 years old and about this time I saw my physical condition plainly described in one of your advertisements. Then I began using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I cannot tell you or any one the relief it gave me in the first three months. It put me right where I need not lay off every month and during the last 18 years I have not paid out two dollars to a doctor, and have been blest with excellent health for a woman of my age and I can thank Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for it.

"Since the Change of Life is over I have been a maternity nurse and being wholly self-supporting I cannot over estimate the value of good health. I have now earned a comfortable little home just by sewing and nursing. I have recommended the Compound to many with good results, as it is excellent to take before and after childbirth."—Miss EVELYN ADELIA STEWART, Euphemia, Ohio.

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It is possible to get a reputation for being a good listener without doing much listening.—Albany Journal.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets first put up 40 years ago. They regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated tiny granules. Adv.

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YOUR OWN DRUGGIST WILL TELL YOU Try Murine Eye Remedy for Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids; No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Write for Book of the Eye by mail Free. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

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Bathe your face for several minutes with Resinol Soap and hot water, working the creamy lather into the skin gently with the finger-tips. Wash off with Resinol Soap and more hot water. Finish with a dash of cold water to close the pores.

Do this once or twice a day, and you will be astonished to find how quickly the healing, antiseptic Resinol medication soothes and cleanses the pores, removes pimples and blackheads, and leaves the complexion clear fresh and velvety.

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THE ELEVEN Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the STATE OF MINNESOTA

Submitted by the Legislature at Its General Session, 1913, Together With a Statement of the PURPOSES AND EFFECTS,

Prepared by Hon. Lyndon A. Smith, Attorney General of Minnesota.

Addressed to Julius A. Schmahl Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, ST. PAUL.

April 25, 1914.

Honorable Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State,
Capitol.

SIR: As required by Section 46, General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, I have the honor to furnish you herewith a statement of the purposes and effects of the respective amendments proposed to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota by the Legislature of 1913, and which are to be submitted to the electors of said State at the general election in 1914.

FIRST PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The first proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 584 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

PURPOSE: By this amendment it is sought to enable the electors to submit by petition to the Legislature constitutional amendments and likewise to propose legislation, and in the event the Legislature fails to submit any such constitutional amendment, or fails to enact any such proposed law, then such amendment or proposed law may be submitted directly to the voters; also, to permit the electors to cause any law or laws enacted by the Legislature to be submitted to the electors and if a majority of the votes cast thereon be opposed to such law, the same shall be repealed.

This is an amendment to Section 1 of Article 4 of the Constitution, which law reads as follows:

"Section 1. The legislature shall consist of the Senate and House of Representatives, which shall meet biennially at the seat of government of the State, at such time as shall be prescribed by law, but no session shall exceed the term of ninety (90) legislative days; and no new bill shall be introduced in either branch, except on the written request of the governor, during the last twenty (20) days of such sessions, except the attention of the legislature shall be called to some important matter of general interest by a special message from the governor."

and substitutes therefor the following:

"Sec. 1. TWO HOUSES—SESSIONS.—The Legislature shall consist of the senate and house of representatives, which shall meet biennially at the seat of government of the state, at such time as shall be prescribed by law, but no session shall exceed the term of ninety (90) legislative days, and no bill shall be introduced in either branch, except on the written request of the governor, during the last twenty days of such session, except the attention of the legislature shall be called to some important matter of general interest by a special message from the governor; but the people reserve to themselves direct power, as follows:

"a. CONSTITUTIONAL INITIATIVE.—When at any time prior to the commencement of any session of the legislature, there shall have been filed with the secretary of state a petition proposing an amendment to the constitution signed by two per centum of the electors of the state, the secretary of state shall transmit the same to the legislature not later than ten days after the commencement of the session. If the amendment so proposed be not submitted to the electors by the legislature at such session, or if it be submitted in an amended form, then upon a further petition or petitions, each signed by eight per centum of the electors of the state, filed with the secretary of state within six months after the adjournment of the legislature, the amendment proposed in the first petition, or one or more amended forms thereof, shall be submitted to the electors for their approval or rejection at the next general or special statewide election, occur ing not less than ninety days after the filing of any such further petitions. Any amendment proposed by initiative petition and, in its original or in an amended form, submitted to the electors by the legislature or by a further petition, shall become a part of the constitution, if approved by a majority of the electors voting at said election, or by four-sevenths of the electors voting on the proposed amendment; provided not less than three-sevenths of the electors voting at said election voted for the proposed amendment. This section shall be construed as a means in addition to Section one, Article fourteen of the State Constitution for amending the same.

"b. STATUTORY INITIATIVE—When at any time prior to the commencement of any session of the legislature, there shall have been filed with the secretary of state a petition proposing a law, signed by two per centum of the electors of the state, the secretary of state shall transmit the same to the legislature not later than ten days after the commencement of the session. If the law so proposed be not passed by the legislature at such session, or if it be passed in an amended form, then upon a further petition or petitions, each signed by six per centum of the electors of the state, filed with the secretary of state within six months after the adjournment of the legislature, the law proposed in the first petition, or one or more amended forms thereof, shall be submitted to the electors at the next general or special state-wide election, occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of any such further petition or petitions, and if approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon, the same shall become law and go into effect thirty days after such election, and shall supersede any amended form of such law which may have been passed by the legislature. No law proposed by initiative petition and approved by the electors shall be subject to the veto of the governor. The authority of the people to enact laws, as provided in this subdivision, shall extend only to laws authorized by the provisions of the constitution.

"c. THE REFERENDUM.—If within ninety days after the final adjournment of any session of the legislature, a referendum petition, signed by six per centum of the electors of the state, shall be filed with the secretary of state against any law, or any part of a law, passed by the legislature at such session, such law, or such part of a law, shall be submitted to the electors at the next general or special state-wide election, occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of said petition. If a majority of the vote cast thereon be in the negative, such law, or such part of a law, shall thereby be repealed. Provided, that if a referendum petition is signed by fifteen per centum of the electors of the state, the law or part of a law, against which such petition is filed shall be suspended pending the referendum vote thereon.

"Any law providing for a tax levy or appropriating money for the current expenses of the state government or state institutions, any act of the legislature submitting a constitutional amendment or other question to the electors of the state, or any emergency law necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety, shall go into effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the governor, and such laws, except emergency laws, shall not be subject to a referendum vote. All other laws shall go into effect ninety days after the adjournment of the legislature. A bill proposing an emergency law shall contain a preamble briefly setting forth the facts constituting the emergency. A separate vote shall be taken upon the preamble of such bill by a call of the yeas and nays, and if the preamble be adopted by a two-thirds vote of all the members of each house, it shall be an emergency law.

"d. GENERAL PROVISIONS.—All petitions provided for in this section shall contain a title indicating the subject and purpose of the proposed law or constitutional amendment, or the law, or part of a law, to be referred, and if a change is proposed in an existing constitutional provision or statute, in addition to referring to the same, it shall state the general effect of the proposed change, and also the full text of the proposed law or amendment to the constitution or of the law, or part of a law, to be referred. Any initiative or referendum petition may be signed in separate parts, but each part shall conform to the provisions herein contained. All petitions shall be signed and verified before a person authorized to administer an oath, and shall be in such form that a person signing a petition thereby states under oath, the date of his signature, his residence, that he is a qualified elector, that he has not previously signed any part of such petition, and that he has signed the petition with knowledge of the contents thereof. To each part of such petition shall be attached the affidavit of the person before whom the same was signed, which affidavit shall contain a statement of the number of signers thereon, that each of the signatures attached to such part was made in the presence of the affiant, that to the best of his knowledge and belief each signature is the genuine signature of the person whose name it purports to be, that he believes the persons who have signed such petition to be electors, that they signed such petition with knowledge of the contents thereof, and that each person signed the same on the date stated opposite his name. The circulation of the petitions provided for herein, or the prohibition of the circulation thereof, may be regulated by law, and in case the circulation of any petition is prohibited by law, the percentage of signers required on any petition provided for in this section shall be one-half of the percentage specified in subdivisions A, B and C of this section.

"The percentage in any case shall be based upon the total number of votes cast for governor at the next preceding election. All petitions provided for in this section shall contain the signature of not less than one-half of the designated percentage of the electors in not less than one-fourth of the counties of the state. In initiating a law or constitutional amendment, electors who have signed the first shall be qualified to sign the second petition. The sufficiency of all petitions shall be decided by the secretary of state subject to review by the court. If the secretary of state decides that any petition is insufficient, he shall permit a reasonable time for making corrections or for filing additional signatures. In the event of legal proceedings in court to prevent giving effect to any such petition on account of insufficiency, or any other ground, the burden of proof shall be upon the person attacking the petition. No law or amendment to the constitution initiated and approved by the electors as herein provided, shall be held unconstitutional, or void on account of the insufficiency of any initiative petition; nor shall the repeal of any law submitted by referendum petition be held invalid for such insufficiency.

"All initiative laws and constitutional amendments shall be so submitted to the electors as to permit an affirmative or negative vote upon each measure submitted. If conflicting proposed laws or conflicting proposed amendments to the constitution be approved at the same election, the one receiving the highest number of affirmative votes shall prevail as to conflicting provisions.

"The style of all legislative measures and amendments to the constitution initiated by the people under this section shall be: 'Be it enacted by the people of the State of Minnesota.'

"The provisions of this section may be enforced by appropriate legislation, but until such legislation has been enacted, this section shall be self-executing."

EFFECT: The effect of this amendment, if adopted, will be to give to the electors the privilege of submitting directly to the voters constitutional amendments, proposed legislation and the right to suspend and annul laws enacted by the Legislature.

SECOND PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The second proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 585 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

PURPOSE: The purpose and object of this amendment is to add two Associate Justices to the Supreme Court; to require the concurrence of five Justices of the Supreme Court before any law shall be declared unconstitutional by such court, and make the office of Clerk of the Supreme Court appointive, and is an amendment of Section 2 of Article 6 of the Constitution, which law reads as follows:

"Sec. 2. The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and two associate justices, but the number of the associate justices may be increased to a number not exceeding four, by the legislature, by a two-thirds vote, when it shall be deemed necessary. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions. There shall be chosen, by the qualified electors of the State, one clerk of the supreme court, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and until his successor is duly elected and qualified, and the judges of the supreme court, or a majority of them, shall have the power to fill any vacancy in the office of clerk of the supreme court until an election can be regularly had."

and substitutes therefor the following:

"Sec. 2. The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and six associate justices. Five shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of at least four shall be necessary to a decision, but no statute shall be declared unconstitutional unless five members of the court shall concur in the decision. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions, and a clerk of the supreme court."

EFFECT: The present constitution provides that the number of Associate Justices of the Supreme Court shall not exceed four in number, while the amendment, if adopted, will increase the number to six. A majority of the Supreme Court may now declare a law unconstitutional, but if this amendment is adopted, it will require the concurrence of five members. The office of clerk of the Supreme Court is now elective, but if this amendment is adopted, the clerk of the Supreme Court will be appointed by the court.

THIRD PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

The third proposed amendment is contained in Chapter 586 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

PURPOSE: By this amendment it is sought to authorize the State to construct roads, ditches, fire breaks through and around unsold state school and swamp lands, and a $250,000 revolving fund, realized and kept up from the sale of such lands, is to be set apart for such purpose. This is an amendment of Section 2 of Article 8 of the Constitution, which law reads as follows:

"Section 2. The proceeds of such lands as are or hereafter may be granted by the United [illegible] for the use of schools within [illegible] township of this State [illegible] a perpetual school fund to the [illegible] not more than [illegible] lands may be [illegible] one-third (⅓) [illegible] in ten [illegible] of the greatest valuation [illegible]; provided, that no portion of [illegible] lands shall be [illegible] otherwise than [illegible] public sale. The principal of all funds arising from sales or other disposition of lands or other property [illegible] or entrusted to this State in each township for educational purposes, shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished; and the income arising from the lease or sale of said school funds shall be distributed [illegible] townships throughout the State in proportion to the number of scholars in each township, between the ages of five and twenty-one years and shall be faithfully applied to the specific objects of

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Vote For

SUNDBERG

For Senator

What Leading Men of the State Say of B. E. Sundberg:

"It is my judgement that he has been on the side of the people and for the best interests of the state on every issue."-Ex-Gov. John Lind.

"On railroad and other transportation questions, economy in public expenses and low taxation his voice and vote has always been on the side of the farmers, the producers."-State Auditor S. G. Iverson.

"I understand that the liquor and brewery interests of the state have made a combination with other corporate interests in your district to defeat you for re-election this fall."-Hon. J. F. Jacobson.

"His efforts to a large degree brought about the reduction of freight and passenger rates in Minnesota, also reduction of the express rates. He fought hard for an open market for grain."-Senator T. E. Cashman.

For Sheriff

At the June primaries I was Nominated for re-election to the office of Sheriff. During my incumbency of the office, I have performed my duties faithfully and impartially and to the best of my ability, as I shall continue to do if re-elected.

My official record is open to the closest scrutiny and it is on that record that I ask the support of the voters of Marshall Co. on Nov. 3 '14.

Respectfully,
William Forsberg.

How is your subscription account?

It pays to trade with those who advertise.

Miss Annie Nygaard is working for Mrs. C. H. Gunheim.

B. L. Backe made a business trip to Grand Forks Saturday.

John Mudhand of Mud Lake was a Middle River visitor Monday.

Sam Mickelson has been painting his restaurant building this week.

Henry Amble of T. R. Falls was here Monday looking after his farm.

Donald Robertson of Argyle was interviewing the voters here Saturday evening.

The Holt merchants are still shiping a goodly amount of eggs. Each case of eggs is a small gold mine these days.

Minnesota Public Library

Free to all. See Cora Hanson, Librarian.

Auction Sale!

Do not fail to attend the big auction sale on the Anton Pederson farm 2 miles straight north of Holt on Oct. 24th 1914 at 11 o'clock sharp.

Auction Sale!

On the Ole Davidson farm 3 1-2 mi. north and 2 1-2 mi. east of Holt and about 7 miles south of Middle River. Do not fail to attend this sale on Friday Oct. 30th. Free lunch at noon.

Miss Esther Mickelson spent Sunday under the parental roof.

Farmers! Get your meals at the hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop.

Young People's meeting Saturday evening at Ole Rierson's. Come.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mickelson were Warren business visitors Saturday.

The new Star Hall is about completed and is a fine looking building. The south side is now almost a solid block of business places.

Mrs. S. S. Kolden and Clarence, Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Monson and Arthur Brotten all autoed to Silverton Sunday and visited at the Andrew Nass home.

Local Items

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

Mrs. Ole Knutson visited relatives in T. R. Falls over Sunday.

Senator B. E. Sundberg of Hallock visited friends in Holt, Sunday.

Dr. R. L. Olson returned Saturday night from a business trip to Neilsville.

The Farmer's State Bank of Holt collects and remits for taxes at minumen charges.

S. S. Kolden went to Saint Paul Saturday, with a car of cattle, he bot of the farmers.

Arvid and Anthony Carlson autoed to Thief River Falls on business Tuesday morning.

C. H. Gunheim has been painting and otherwise improving his large double store front.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Strom of T. R. Falls were over Sunday guests of both of their parents here.

Miss Olga Hanson returned from Grand Forks, last week Thursday, and is now employed at the hotel.

Clarence Kolden, A. R. Jones and Henry Oien made a pleasure trip to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Jacob Nelson of Crookston visited Chas. Hagglund a few days, returning home Monday. Mr. Nelson was looking over the county and may decide to locate here.

Ole Ellingson has the frame up for a new house he is building east of the Synod church. Thus Holt is bound to have a steady growth and will be a good sized town in the near future.

Dr. Turley, the Dentist will be at the hotel, in Holt, Monday Oct. 26.

Free Mission Church.

Young People's meeting at Ole Riersons Saturday evening Oct. 24.

Both old and young are cordially invited to attend the Sunday School at 10:30. Classes are being formed in both Norwegian and English, for bible study and everyone will be given their choice. Come and bring the children. Now don't forget it.

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Cedar Rapids, Iowa

For Representative.

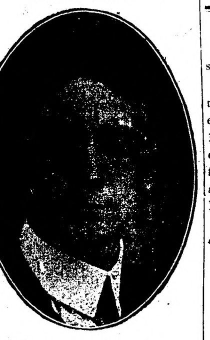
I was made one of the nominees for Representative for Marshall county at the June primaries, my vote being greater than that given to any of the other candidates for that office.

I came to Warren in 1883; have been editor of the Warren Register since 1894; was admitted to the bar in 1892; city recorder of Warren, 1900--1; clerk of taxes and tax laws committee of state senate, 1901; delegate to Republican National convention of 1912; secretary of board of education of Warren since 1909.

I favor a square deal to everybody; am opposed to all legislation in behalf of special interests; favor county option and all other legislation that makes for temperance; favor all legislation tending to make our educational system more efficient; favor conservation and developement of state's natural resources; believe a representative owes it to his constituency to do more than merely answer to his name when the roll is called.

I respectfully solicit your support and votes on November 3, 1914, assuring you that, if elected, I shall serve you and your interests to the best of my ability.

Charles L. Stevens.



For Register of Deeds:

Having received the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds of Marshall County Minnesota, at the Primary Election on June 16th, I hereby announce to the voters of Marshall County, that I am a candidate for the office, and will appreciate your support and vote at the General Election on November 3rd.

My past record of eight years as Deputy in the office I now seek suffices me to state that I am well qualified for the duties involved, and if elected, I promise to faithfully discharge the duties of the office, in as competent a manner as they have been during the past eight years of my connection with the office.

Respectfully soliciting your kind support and vote, I am

Yours truly,
[illegible]INDER.

Albert [illegible] returned [illegible]urday from a business trip to [illegible].

B. L. Backe and Adolph Sollom were in T. R. Falls Friday evening.

Chris Ytt[illegible] drove to Mud Lake on Saturday with Mr. Nelson of Crookston.

Martin [illegible] is a recent addition to the [illegible] section force.

C. H. [illegible] neighborhood [illegible] business, Tuesday.

H. [illegible] grand new [illegible] he purchased [illegible]

H. [illegible] was here Friday looking [illegible] near this threshing [illegible]

C. W. [illegible] visitor at the [illegible] Pennington Co., Friday [illegible]

Vote For

N. S. HEGNES

For State Senator

Stands For:
County Option
Honest Representation
"A Square Deal"

"Endorsed By His Home People"

For County Commissioner.

To the Voters of the fifth Commissioner District of Marshall Co. Minn.

Having received the nomination for the Office of Co. Commissioner, at the Primary Election on June 16th., I hereby announce to the voters that I am a Candidate for the office and will appreciate your vote and support at the General Election Nov. 3rd.

Standing for a Square Deal for everybody I am Yours Truly,

Carl T. Olson.
Randen, Minn.

For County Attorney.

To the Voters of Marshall Co:-

Having been nominated at the June primaries as a candidate for the office of Co. Attorney, I wish to announce to the voters of Marshall Co. that I am seeking the election to that office at the General Election Nov. 3rd. 1914.

I respectfully ask your vote and influence, and if elected, it shall be my purpose to conduct that office with efficiency and fairness and with the least expense to the county.

Your vote and influence in my behalf will be highly appreciated.

Respectfully yours,
E. A. Brekke.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Marshall Co. and earnesly solicit your vote and influence. I have lived in Marshall Co. since childhood, have experienced both ups and downs in life, within the County and now ask you to inquire of my neighbors, and acquaintances as to my character and behavior. I have nothing to say about myself only that if you elect me to the office of Sheriff, I shall discharge the duties impartially and to my best ability.

I remain Respectfully Yours.

Hans C. Hanson
Viking Minnesota.

Don't forget to bring us your news items.

We have just received information that the H[illegible] Seed Co. of Rochester, N. Y. wants lady or gentlemen representatives in this section to sell all kinds of Roses, Shrubs, Trees and Seeds. They inform us that without previous experience it is possible to make good wages every week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice. 116

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For County Attorney

To the voters of Marshall County,

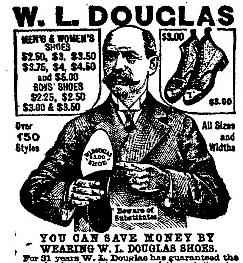
Having been favored as a candidate for re-election for the office of County Attorney, I wish to thank you for the liberal support which you gave me in the recent Primary Election, and I hope that I may again have your vote and support at the General Election to be held November 3rd 1914.

If re-elected, I shall continue to perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability. My aim has always been to give the people an economical and efficient administration and in this I feel that I have been successful. I am willing to stand on my record.

Your influence and support will be greatly appreciated.

Respecfully yours,
A. N. Eckstrom

Get your meals at the hotel. ady



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On the Job.

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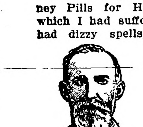
"That's him over there."

"Who?"

"The game scenter—my pointer."—Baltimore American.

JUDGE CURED, HEART TROUBLE.

I took about 6 boxes of Dodds Kidney Pills for Heart Trouble from which I had suffered for 5 years. I had dizzy spells, my eyes puffed, my breath was short and I had chills and backache. I took the pills about a year ago and have had no return of the palpitations. Am now 63 years old, able to do lots of manual labor, am well and hearty and weigh about 200 pounds. I feel very grateful that I found Dodds Kidney Pills and you may publish this letter if you wish. I am serving my third term as Probate Judge of Gray Co. Yours truly,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FINANCING OF BIG COTTON CROP NOW SEEMS ASSURED

$150,000,000 FUND APPARENTLY MADE CERTAIN BY PLAN PERFECTED BY PLANTERS AND NEW YORK BANKERS.

FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD IS TO DIRECT LOANING

Secretary McAdoo Said to Have Indorsed This Course—New York Financiers to Subscribe $50,000,000 Upon Condition That Country Take Remainder.

New York, Oct. 16.—The raising of a $150,000,000 fund by bankers and representatives of Southern cotton planters to finance the country's cotton crop is virtually assured, it is announced here, and the federal reserve board at Washington will be called upon to manage the fund and direct the loaning of it.

New York Raises $50,000,000.

New York bankers at a conference with cotton planters' representatives here during the day, agreed, it is stated, to furnish $50,000,000, if the rest of the county would supply $100,000,000 or more under conditions agreed to at the conference.

Festus J. Wade, president of the Mercantile National bank of St. Louis, and a member of the St. Louis Clearing House association, issued a statement announcing the plan. Mr. Wade said that "the task put upon the federal reserve board, while onerous, was readily accepted by Secretary McAdoo, who recognized the gravity of the situation."

Mr. Wade attended the conference and later went to Washington to discuss the plan with members of the federal reserve board. Several prominent St. Louis business men, who came to New York with Mr. Wade, accompanied him to Washington.

A Definite Conclusion.

Mr. Wade set forth that a definite conclusion was reached between the St. Louis committee and New York bankers.

"By the action of the New York bankers," the statement says, "it may be safely assumed that the fund undoubtedly will be raised within the next few days.

"The difficulty encountered was to determine how the syndicate could be managed and money loaned at the least possible expense to the borrower, and after many conferences and telephonic communications between Washington and New York it was finally concluded to turn over the entire fund to the federal reserve board at Washington, who would act as managers of the same and direct the loaning of the fund. The outline of the plan agreed upon is as follows:

The Plan in Brief.

"Organize $150,000,000 cotton fund throughout the United States, which fund shall be turned over to and managed by the federal reserve board at Washington and loaned to the national currency association or to the federal reserve banks. All loans to be made payable on or before one year at the option of the borrower, with the right to the federal board to extend any or all such loans made for two periods of six months each, interest on such loans to be at the rate of 6 per cent per annum.

"All loans to be made at not to exceed 6 cents per pound, middling basis, to be secured by approved warehouse receipts for cotton property insured.

Fund Called For As Needed

"The fund to be called for by the federal reserve board in such installments as may be necessary.

"New York financial institutions will subscribe $50,000,000 under above conditions toward such fund provided the balance of the country subscribes not less than $100,000,000

"The details are to be worked out by a committee to be appointed by the federal reserve board which will unquestionably have the support of every part of the country.

"It is recognized that the caring for the surplus cotton crop is a national problem, one which interests all manufacturing industries commercial establishments agricultural resource transportation companies and financial interests, and which undoubtedly will receive universal support throughout the nation."

Progressive Editor Slays Man

San Bernardino, Cal Oct. 16 H... ..d E. Davis, secretary of the Progressive county central committee and editor of the Evening Index, shot and killed Ben Emerson, a local sportsman Davis says Emerson attacked him.

Canal Blocked Over Week

Panama, Oct. 19 Colonel G... W. Goethals, governor of the Panama canal zone, said it would be ten days before the canal would be ready again for traffic, which has just been suspended as a result of the landslide on the east side of the waterway, north of Gold hill. Colonel Goethals said he would have the channel ready for 30-foot draft ships by Oct. 27, barring accidents. It is planned by then to have the channel 100 feet wide and 30 feet deep along the west bank, where channel was least affected.

CALLIE HOKE SMITH

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Miss Callie Hoke Smith, daughter of the senator from Georgia, is aiding the campaign to help the cotton raisers of the South by giving prizes to the three school children who write the best essays on cotton.

WOUNDED BROUGHT TO U. S.

THOSE INJURED AT NACO TRANSFERRED ACROSS BORDER.

American Government Permits Removal After Carranza Makes Pledge—Feared Atrocities. Atrocities.

Naco, Ariz., Oct. 20.—Two hundred and fifty Mexicans, wounded during the attack on Naco, Sonora, were brought to this city through special permission from the Washington government. The Carranza government has promised they will be attended without expense to the Ameircan state or national government.

This action came as a result of an appeal made through Governor Hunt, in which it was asserted that if the Mexican town was taken by Governor Maytorena's Indians the wounded would be killed.

Only 47 patients were allowed to remain, the permission for their reception conveying only those seriously wounded. The examination by the American army surgeons caused the rejection of most of the cases. One of those received died later. His body was returned to Naco, Sonora, for burial.

Three of the patients are Yaqui Indians, whose execution was prevented by a Mexican nurse.

It was planned to send the wounded to Douglas, where there are better hospital facilities, but so far authority to do this has not been given.

Provost Marshal Captain Cowan has taken charge of the hospital in the Naco opera house.

Both sides during the prolonged battle have been threatening to execute the wounded.

WOMEN'S CLUBS ARE MERGED

Seventeen National Organizations United Memorial to Late Wife of President.

Pittsburg Pa, Oct 19 Delegates representing 17 national organizations of women decided on the permanent organization of a national central body to be known as the Council of National Organizations of Women.

The organization will be completed at Washington in November of next year. It will take the place of the National Council of Women of the United States and will include more organizations than the present council.

Mrs. Archibald Hopkins of Washington asked the delegates to have their organizations give financial support to the movement for a memorial in Washington to Mrs Woodrow Wilson, late wife of the president.

The memorial will take the form of a block of sanitary dwellings with an interior playground and model park

Aid for "Christmas Ship."

Washington Oct 19 American railroads may transport free of charge, if they decide to do so gifts made by the children of the United States for presentation on Christmas day to the children made orphans by the European war. This ruling was announced by the interstate commerce commission to aid the sending of a "Christmas ship, abroad.

Carman Murder Trial On.

Mineola N Y, Oct 19 Mrs. F... ..ce Conklin Carman, wife of Dr. Edward Carman of Freeport, was placed on trial in the supreme court here, charged with the murder on June 30 last of Mrs. Louise Bailey. Forty-three witnesses have been subpoenaed In her cell Mrs. Carman held a final conference with her attorneys and with her husband in whose office Mrs. Bailey was shot and killed. Mrs. Carman said she was anxious, awaiting the opportunity to tell her story.

WILSON PREDICTS PARTY WILL WIN FALL ELECTIONS

PRESIDENT WRITES LETTER TO MAJORITY LEADER UNDERWOOD IN LIEU OF CAMPAIGN SPEECHES.

PRAISES CONGRESS FOR MANY ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Change of Power Now, Says Executive, Would "Set Clock Back, Not Forward"—Avers Legislators Have "Served People as Never Before."

Washington, Oct. 20.—President Wilson made public a letter to Majority Leader Underwood of the house in which he reviewed the achievements of his administration, outlined the program for the next session of Congress, and declared "the Democratic party is now in fact the only instrument ready to the country's hand by which anything can be accomplished."

In Lieu of Speeches.

The president wrote the letter as an indorsement of all Democratic members of Congress in lieu of speeches he said he would like to make in every congressional district. He predicted victory for his party in the elections because "every thoughtful man sees that a change of parties just now would set the clock back, not forward," and because "a practical nation is not likely to reject such a team—full of the spirit of public service—and substitute, in the midst of great tasks, either a party upon which a deep demoralization has fallen, or a party which has not grown to a stature that would warrant its assuming the responsible burdens of state."

The Results Claimed.

The legislative program begun during the present Congress was declared by the president to have been begun "to destroy private control and set business free." He said that the people of the country had been served by this Congress as "they have never been served before."

Outlining the work already accomplished, Mr. Wilson mentioned the reform of the tariff, the passage of the new currency bill, the anti-trust bills, and the handling of foreign problems. He said he doubted if "there has ever been a finer exhibition of team work or of unhesitating devotion to the fulfillment of party pledges."

Points to Tariff Act.

Praising the new tariff bill, the president asserted that "private control had shown its sinister face on every hand in America, had shown it for a long time, and sometimes very brazenly, in the trusts, and in the virtual domination of credit by small groups of men." He said that high prices did not spring directly from the tariff, but out of the suppression of competition, which flourished more easily under the protection of a high tariff He declared that the panic which opponents of the new bill predicted had not come, and that despite the European war, there had been sufficient time to prove the success of the act

The trade commission bill and the Clayton anti trust bill were spoken of as designed "to make men in a small way of business as free to succeed as men in a big way, and to kill monopoly in the seed." He added that "monopolies are built up by unfair methods of competition," which would be eliminated by the new legislation "Monopoly is to be cut off at the roots," he declared

Justice Done Laborer

Justice has been done the laborer declared the president, and his labor is no longer to be treated as if it "were merely an inanimate object of commerce disconnected from the fortunes and happiness of a living human being, to be dealt with as an object of sale and barter

Of the currency bill Mr. Wilson said, "we have created a democracy of credit such as has never existed in this country before"

Demands of Future

Speaking of the program for the next session of Congress, the president mentioned legislation for building up the American merchant marine and the "completion of a great program for the conservation of our natural resources and the development of the water power of the country."

"Without a Congress in close sympathy with the administration," wrote the president, "a whole scheme of peace and honor and disinterested service to the world cannot be brought to its full realization"

R. W. Sears Left $17,000,000

Waukegan Ill Oct 17 The will of the late Richard W. Sears, founder of Sears, Roebuck & Co of Chicago, has been filed in the Lake county court, showing an estimated valuation of $17,000,000. His widow, Anna, is made executrix of the estate without bond and is also made the sole heir. The home of the Sears is shown to be Gray's Lake They have a fine summer home on Gage's Lake also. The will was filed for probate Oct. 9. The inheritance tax will be large.

Poor Little Orphan.

Alice Joyce, star in motion pictures, had an experience with a little negro girl a few days ago which brings a chuckle whenever it is repeated.

Miss Joyce was on her way home after an arduous day's work. A little colored girl crying against a telegraph pole aroused her sympathy. The charming star approached the girl and inquired the cause of the trouble. The child replied that her aunt had just driven her from the house.

"Where is your father?" asked Miss Joyce.

"Nevah had no pappy," was the reply.

"Well, where is your mother?"

"Daid," was the laconic answer."

Miss Joyce was touched. "Dead," she replied pityingly.

"Yaih! She done died befo' Ah was bo'n!"

Chinese Republic.

The population of the Chinese republic is 312,400,590; its area, 4,277,170 square miles. Its area exceeds that of the United States proper by 1,150,381 square miles.

Peruna Cured This Man Of Catarrh.

Mr. J. B. Reese, Habnab, Maryland, writes: "Two years ago I became a sufferer with catarrh, which continued to grow worse and made me miserable. I could scarcely smell at all, and my taste had almost left me. My head ached constantly, and at times had high fever and bleeding at the nose. I was a perfect wreck.

"I tried several doctors, but derived no relief. I read in one of your little booklets, called 'Ills of Life,' of Peruna being a remedy for catarrh, and procured a bottle at once. After the use of one bottle I felt some better, so I tried the second and the third, and now I am a well man."

Nervous Emotional Dizzy Depressed ?

Mrs. Addie Curtsinger of Cedar St., Cairo, Ill., writes Dr. R. V. Pierce as follows:

"I send 31 cents for your 'Common Sense Medical Adviser' for my daughter who has recently married and I know the book will be of much value to her. I have read and used for 25 years the valuable treatments contained in the 'Medical Adviser' and have taken many bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and have been restored to health each time I used it. It is a great remedy for women as a strength builder, fine for the nerves and general health."

WOMEN who are restless, with constant change of position, "fidgetiness," who are abnormally excitable or who experience fainting or dizzy spells, or nervous headache and wakefulness are usually sufferers from the weaknesses of their sex.

DR. PIERCE'S Favorite Prescription

is the soothing, cordial and womanly tonic that brings about an invigorating calm to the nervous system. Overcomes the weakness and the dragging pains which resemble the pains of rheumatism. Thousands of women in the past forty years can bear witness to its benefits.

Your dealer in medicines sells it in liquid or sugar-coated tablet form; or you can send 50 one-cent stamps for a trial box of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription tablets. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets Regulate and Invigorate Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Sugar-Coated Tiny Granules.

Preferred His Grouch.

A landlord, returning home after an absence of several weeks saw one of his tenants sitting on a stone wall, whistling merrily. The moment that he greeted him, however, the man scowled and began abusing him.

"Why, what's the matter, Pat?" he asked.

"Matter is it?" was the answer. "Matter enough, when your stheward is afther evicting me, bad luck to him!"

"Evicted you? What for?"

"The old liar pretended me cabin wanted repairing, and as Oi wouldn't let him, shure he put me out."

"Never mind," said the landlord, "I hear the cottage you have always wanted is vacant, and I'll let you have that at the same rent."

"No, thanking your honor," said Pat. "I couldn't think of it."

"But why not? What is to hinder you?"

"No, your honor," was the reply, "Oi'd rather have me grievance."

South America.

"The people of South America are people of great and brilliant possibilities. The leading man, perhaps, in the last Hague conference was a Brazilian. Among the common people there are immense possibilities of undeveloped character and service," so declares a religious leader

"Where in the world will you find a more patriotic people?" he continues.

"Where in the world will you find a people who have been as willing as the South American people have been for 100 years to die for great ideas and for great causes and for great personal loyalties?

"They lie at our door today these forty million people, awaiting at our hand the help that is to make of them great and powerful nations, and to enable them to discharge their duty of service to the world"

FOUND OUT

A Trained Nurse Discovered Its Effect

No one is in better position to know the value of food and drink than a trained nurse

Speaking of coffee a nurse in Pa. writes: "I used to drink strong coffee myself, and suffered greatly from headaches and indigestion

"While on a visit to my brothers I had a good chance to try Postum, for they drank it altogether in place of coffee After using Postum two weeks I found I was much benefited and finally my headaches disappeared and also the indigestion

"Naturally I have since used Postum among my patients and have noticed a marked benefit where coffee has been left off and Postum used.

"I observe a curious fact about Postum when used by mothers It greatly helps the flow of milk in cases where coffee is inclined to dry it up, and where tea causes nervousness.

"I find trouble in getting servants to make Postum properly but when it is prepared according to directions on package and served hot with cream, it is certainly a delicious beverage"

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RASH DISFIGURED FACE

San Martin, Cal.—"I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment on my child's face for a bad rash, also on his scalp which was very scaly. The rash disfigured him for the time being. It itched and caused the child to scratch it. He also had an eruption on his scalp. When putting him to bed I would wash his face and scalp with Cuticura Soap and then use the Cuticura Ointment. He slept well after the treatment and there were no signs of the eruption after a few months." (Signed) Mrs. I. E. Clark, May 14, 1914.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

Unfortunately all classical music doesn't have the accent on the class.

The Cause Laid Bare

Tea and coffee drinkers often notice backache, headache, rheumatic pain, dizziness, drowsy, tired feelings, disturbed urination and other signs of kidney weakness. The constant use of narcotic or alcoholic drinks is very apt to irritate the kidneys, and weak kidneys need prompt help to avert all danger of dropsy, gravel or fatal Bright's disease. Avoid the use of stimulants, drink more water, get more rest, fresh air and exercise. To tone and strengthen the tired kidneys, use Doan's Kidney Pills, the most successful and highly recommended kidney remedy

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. Frank Falter, Park River, N. D., says: "For many years my back ached almost constantly; I often had to go to bed for a couple of days. I got dizzy and had a great deal of trouble with the kidney secretions. My head ached, too. After trying remedies and doctors' prescriptions without benefit I used Doan's Kidney Pills. They soon relieved me and whenever I have taken any since I have had fine results."

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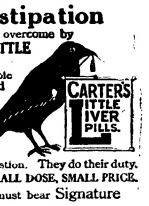
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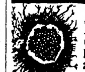
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Free

Your real estate taxes are due Nov. 1st. Pay them at Holt State Bank, free of charge.

Get your meals at the hotel. adv

Jesse Marvin came from Minneapolis Monday.

S. S. Kolden returned Wednesday from St. Paul.

Mrs. Matt Olson returned Tuesday from Crookston.

B. L. Backe sold a quarter section near Gatzke, Saturday.

Miss Clara Offerdahl returned to Middle River Monday.

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

Hallowen box social, Star Hall Saturday evening Oct. 31, benefit of The Holt Public School. Come.

P. L. Anderson, Lester Silbaugh and Misses Agnes Gunderson and Dagny Bakke autoed to Warren on Sunday.

Mrs. B. L. Backe, Miss Myrtle Thomas, and Mr. and Mrs. Huseth autoed to T. R. Falls Sunday and attended the ceremony at the Bethany church east of there.

Albert Johnson and family of Germantown visited her brother, C. Yttri Friday, Mrs. Johnson and children leaving here for Sheldon N. D. to visit her sister Miss Bertha Yttri.

A. H. Huseth went to Thief River Falls Monday afternoon. Guy Anderson autoed there in the evening with Messrs. Adolphson and Godvanden, and Mr. Huseth returned home with him.

Come in and see us and pay your twine and any other account you may have before Oct. 26th. as we must have all due us at once. Car Gold Medal flour just received.

R. Rierson, Holt, Minnesota.

For Sheriff

At the June primaries I was Nominated for re-election to the office of Sheriff. During my incumbency of the office, I have performed my duties faithfully and impartially and to the best of my ability, as I shall continue to do if re-elected.

My official record is open to the closest scrutiny and it is on that record that I ask the support of the voters of Marshall Co. on Nov. 3 '14.

Respectfully,
William Forsberg.

Minnesota Public Library

Free to all. See Cora Hanson, Librarian.

Auction Sale!

Do not fail to attend the big auction sale on the Anton Pederson farm 2 miles straight north of Holt on Oct. 24th 1914 at 11 o'clock sharp.

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American & Simpson Calico, per yd	.05
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36 in 64 count percale pr yd	.10
Linings all shades per yd.	.05
Challies all kinds per yd.	.05
Cotton thread 2 spools for	.05
Pearl buttons 2 dozen "	.05
Hair nets, 5 elastic nets for	.10

It will pay you to take a trip to Thief River Falls and visit this great store.

Loken's Dept. Store

Don,t forget to bring us your news items.

We have just received information that the Herrick Seed Co. of Rochester, N. Y. wants lady or gentlemen representatives in this section to sell all kinds of Roses, Shrubs, Trees and Seeds. They inform us that without previous experience it is possible to make good wages every week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice. 116

For Register of Deeds.

Having received the highest number of votes in the June primaries, for the nomination to the office of Register of Deeds for Marshall county, I wish to announce to my friends and the voters of the county that I am in the race to stay and will appreciate your support in the election Nov. 3rd next.

I have been a farmer, taxpayer and resident of the county since a young man, experienced the struggles of the early settler and according to means and ability have taken my share in the developments of the comunity. Based upon my record as a Public Official, especially that of the office of Register of Deeds which trust I held for four years and to which I now ask you to elect me, I deem myself amply qualified for the duties envolved and if elected I promise to devote my time and energies in the discharge of such duties and the substance of my platform is, A SQUARE DEAL FOR EVERYBODY.

Respectfully
Louis M. Olson.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Oct. 12, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence Knutson, Holt, Minnesota, who on Feb. 16th 1909, made Homestead Entry, No. 01511, for S 1-2 N W 1-4 and S 1-2 NE 1-4 Section 27 Twp. 156 N. Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to estalish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 16th day of Nov. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John H. Knutson, Carl Surmo, Ole M. Larson, Nels A. Fosen all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.03
Wheat No. 2	1.00
Wheat No. 3	.96
Wheat No. 4	.91
Flax	1.19
Oats	.39
Barley	.35 to .44
Rye	.78
Flour, Best Patent	3.35

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Auction Sale!

On the Ole Davidson farm 3 1-2 mi. north and 2 1-2 mi. east of Holt and about 7 miles south of Middle River. Do not fail to attend this sale on Friday Oct. 30th. Free lunch at noon.

Box social Saturday eve Oct. 31.

How is your subscription account?

It pays to trade with those who advertise.

Miss Belle Sollom visited in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Young People's meeting at Ole Riersons Saturday evening Oct. 24th

Arvid and "Tony" Carlson attended the Elk's meeting in T. R. Falls Friday night.

Three men were here Saturday from Loma, N. D., looking for Mud Lake bottom land, but they returned home greatly disappointed.

Guy Anderson autoed to Middle River Friday with his sister Mrs. N. N. Landro, who remained there visiting until the next day.

P. L. Anderson, Clarence Docken and the Misses Agnes Gunderson, Cora Hanson and Dagny Bakke autoed to Middle River, Thursday eve to attend a play.

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Farmers! Get your meals at the hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop.

Young People's meeting Saturday evening at Ole Rierson's. Come.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Marshall Co. and earnesly solicit your vote and influence. I have lived in Marshall Co. since childhood, have experienced both ups and downs in life, within the County and now ask you to inquire of my neighbors and acquaintances as to my character and behavior. I have nothing to say about myself only that if you elect me to the office of Sheriff, I shall discharge the duties impartially and to my best ability.

I remain Respectfully Yours.
Hans C. Hanson
Viking, Minnesota.

For Representative.

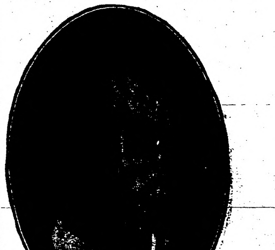
I was made one of the nominees for Representative for Marshall county at the June primaries, my vote being greater than that given to any of the other candidates for that office.

I came to Warren in 1883; have been editor of the Warren Register since 1894; was admitted to the bar in 1892; city recorder of Warren, 1900--1; clerk of taxes and tax laws committee of state senate, 1901; delegate to Republican National convention of 1912; secretary of board of education of Warren since 1909

I favor a square deal to everybody; am opposed to all legislation in behalf of special interests; favor county option and all other legislation that makes for temperance; favor all legislation tending to make our educational system more efficient; favor conservation and developement of state's natural resources; believe a representative owes it to his constituency to do more than merely answer to his name when the roll is called.

I respectfully solicit your support and vote on November 3, 1914, assuring you that, if elected, I shall serve you and your interests to the best of my ability.

Charles L. Stevens.



B. L. Backe, Adolph Solem and A. H. Huseth were Middle River visitors Thursday evening.

D. B. Bakke was here on business a few days last week, returning home Friday P. M. accompanied by his daughter, Miss Dagny and Miss Cora Hanson.

Andrew Nass, of Silverton, recently had his hand badly crushed while working around the blower of a threshing machine, but it is thought all of the fingers will be saved.

D. Payne has just sold a bill of lumber to Iver Borsheim for a barn 16x32 which he is building on his Mud Lake claim. Mr. Borsheim will also have a well drilled there and make some minor improvements.

Hagen Jensen, who has been visiting at the home of his brother-in-law R. Rierson, returned to Moose Jaw, Canada, last week Thursday. Mrs. R. Rierson accompanied him for a visit with her sister there.

Ole Mebust of Viking was here on business Tuesday.

Ed. Sorenson of the city of Viking was a Holt business visitor on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Strom did a good job of cleaning the church on Tuesday.

Co. Atty. Eckstrom was interviewing the voters in these parts, Tuesday.

J. B. Alkenbrack is taking advantage of this nice weather and is giving his house a coat of paint.

Elmer Ellingson of Thief River Falls was a week end business visitor.

Miss Betty Johnson left Monday for Thief River Falls to take up her school duties.

Both elevators are shipping lots of grain and have to have extra help these fine days.

Guy Anderson accompanied by his mother and sister autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday evening for a short visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Sollom, Ed. M. Silbaugh and son Ernest and P. L. Anderson were business visitors in T. R. Falls last Thursday P. M.

Chas. E. Grinder of Warren was looking over the political map of eastern Marshall Co., last Friday.

Dr. R. L. Olson and C. W. Latta drove to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Henry J. Oien and Racine Olson drove to Thief River Falls Monday evening in the former's new Buick.

B. L. Backe, A. H. Huseth, Julius Olson and Christ Yttri drove to Warren on business Tuesday morn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Oct. 6. 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Henry F. Erickson, of Germantown, Minn., who, on Nov. 23, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 06789, for N W. 1-4 Sec. 13, Twp. 155 N. Range 42 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 21st day of Nov. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Louis Larson, Lars Thorson, John Ristau and George Posten, all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

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To the Men and Women Voters of Marshall County.

I wish to thank all my friends for the splendid support given me at the Primary Election. To serve you with the greatest possible efficiency shall be my aim in the future as it has been in the past if retained in the office of Superintendent of Schools. I solicit your support on General Election Day, November 3, 1914.

Very truly yours,
DAVID JOHNSON.

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Has Leg Broken

Saturday noon while Fridjof Riesberg was feeding his father's mules, one of them became frightened and jumped, knocking the boy down and stepping on his leg breaking it below the knee. It is a slanting break, and one that is hard to set, but at this writing the boy is resting well and is as comfortable as can be expected.

New School House Started.

C. M. Wilson of Thief River Falls was $52.00 lower than any other bidders for the Holt public school building, and was awarded the contract for $6127.00, which does not include the heating plant. The excavating for the basement is done and the work will be pushed by a large force of workmen.

Mrs. Kolden visited over Monday night in T. R. Falls.

A. H. Huseth and C. Martell went to T. R. Falls Monday.

Miss Amanda Mickelson was home from Crookston college for an over Sunday visit.

B. L. Backe, A. R. Jones, C. Rustad and A. Sollom autoed to Mud Lake Sunday.

Don't forget the public school box social at the Star Hall to-morrow at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

E. A. Brekke of Argyle, candidate for county attorney, was interviewing the voters here Tuesday evening.

Miss Emma Olson and Martin Mattson were married at the home of the brides brother, in Crookston on Wednesday October 21st.

There is a place for you in the Sunday School and for your neighbor if you are less than ninty nine years old, seperate places will be made for those over that age.

There will be a basket social in the new school house in District 59, Saturday October 31st, the proceeds to be used for an organ for the school. Everybody welcome.

Rev. Roseland, Mr. and Mrs. Saythre and Mr. and Mrs. M. Evenson and daughters Ruth and Margaret and son David, Mr. and Mrs. Hamre were entertained at the Huseth home Sunday evening.

Word was sent here Friday morning that Wm. E. Lee would go through here on the train and he would give us a short speech. The crowd gathered, but alas, the big man of the G. N. was aboard and he said "nixy."

The teachers and pupils of the Holt public school have made plans for a Hallowen box social for the benefit of the school, Saturday evening Oct. 31st. A cordial invitation is extended to the public. Star Hall

We have just received information that the Herrick Seed Co. of Rochester, N. Y. wants lady or gentlemen representatives in this section to sell all kinds of Roses, Shrubs, Trees and Seeds. They inform us that without previous experience it is possible to make good wages every week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice. 116

For Sheriff

At the June primaries I was Nominated for re-election to the office of Sheriff. During my incumbency of the office, I have performed my duties faithfully and impartially and to the best of my ability, as I shall continue to do if re-elected.

My official record is open to the closest scrutiny and it is on that record that I ask the support of the voters of Marshall Co. on Nov. 3 '14.

Respectfully,
William Forsberg.

A Terrible Accident.

Wednesday P. M. as the way freight was going north at the rate of about twenty five miles per hour they struck an auto on the crossing between the elevator and depot. It was a closed auto and they were going west at a moderate speed and did not see the train and could'nt hear them as they did not whistle or ring the bell. The auto was driven by the owner J. B. Grobey and H. A. Hall and Arthur Olson were with him, all of them were residents of Middle River. The back part of the auto was struck and was thrown and turned completely around, wrecking the car and throwing the occupants from 30 to 60 feet from the engine. Mr. Grobey had a bad scalp wound and may have internal injuries. Mr. Hall was terribly bruised and his scull was almost crushed, there being very little hopes for his recovery. How Mr. Olson escaped injury is almost a miracle, but he appears to be alright after recovering from the shock.

Agent Jensen promply wired the company surgeons in Thief River Falls and they were soon on the scene and did all they could to relieve the sufferings of the injured men. Mr. Hall was carried to the hotel and his wife and children sent for. They have since taken him to the hospital at Warren, where he may receive skilled treatment.

Hallowen Box Social

Saturday evening Oct. 31.
Star Hall - Holt, Minn.
Benefit Public School

Everyone should attend and help along a good cause. Don't forget it

Leonard Houske of Hallstad, creamery imspector, came Tuesday and together with P. L. Anderson is organizing a cow testing association. All entries are free and efforts are being made to have premiums offered. Any farmer can get full information of P. L. Anderson. Contest opens Dec. 1st and all farmers should join.

Hallowen social Saturday Oct. 31.

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Miss Gunderson returned Saturday to her home in Crookston.

Farmers! Get your meals at the hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop.

Our nice fall weather has taken a slight cold but is expected to soon recover.

Mrs. E. O. Ostby of Thief River Falls visited with friends the first of the week.

Miss Lydia Riesberg visited in T. R. Falls and Middle River Friday and Saturday.

Miss Josie Phillips of Middle River came Saturday to visit Mrs. N. N. Landro at the Anderson home.

Ernest Silsbaugh left Saturday for Thief River Falls where he will attend school during the winter months.

Post up before going to vote next Tuesday, and remember that— Men and Measures— count for more than mere party prejudices.

Carl Newton returned Saturday and is giving his blacksmith shop a general overhauling. Mr. Newton's family will not come until a little later.

P. L. Anderson, Alfred Olson, Leonard Jensen and Lester Silbaugh took advantage of the nice weather(?) to make a pleasure trip to Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

If You Want to Fight
Join The Army

If you have money put it in the bank. There is a time and a place for everything. Now is the time to save your earnings by putting them

In This Bank

You may never become extremely rich but you can avoid being extremely poor. Sieze the opportunity as our hosts of patrons have done and be on the road to success.

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Holt State Bank
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The Best there is in Flour
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Always Furnishes Reliable Service
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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.
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Machine and Auto Repairing a Specialty
All Work Guaranteed.

FEED MILL
We grind all kinds of feed and sell a Good grade of Flour.
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Your Building Work!

BUILDING MATERIAL
YARD ENTRANCE
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Your Building Work will be satisfactoay-everything else being equeal-if you specifiy our material-lime, cement, brick, fire brick, sewer and drain pipe hair, plaster and everything else we handle. We buy and sell large quantities (tho we fill small orders as well), and are in a position to quote very low prices. Quality and reliability are our key words. Phone connection. Prompt delivery.
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Holt, Marshall County Minn.

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Auction Sale!

On the Ole Davidson farm 3 1-2 mi. north and 2 1-2 mi. east of Holt and about 7 miles south of Middle River. Do not fail to attend this sale on Friday Oct. 30th. Free lunch at noon.

Dr. Turley will be here Monday Nov. 16th.

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week. ad

C. F. Bjirkland was a business visitor in T. R. Falls the first of the week.

John Luckstad had a fine Gurnsey bull-calf shipped here Tuesday from Halstad.

Mrs. Nels Gudvangen and children went to Fertile Monday to visit relatives.

Hallowen box social, Star Hall Saturday evening Oct. 31, benefit of The Holt Public School. Come.

The Holt State Bank has put in a machine which prints in raised figures the dollars and cents of checks and drafts and is a perfect safe guard against their being raised or in any way changed from the original amount.

Estray.

A white sheep came to my place about four weeks ago. Owner may have same by paying for this notice and expense of keeping.

Andrew Hanson.
Sec. 18 Holt Twp.

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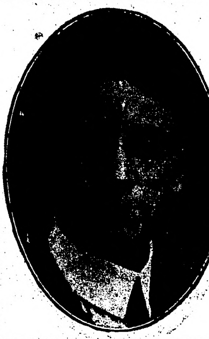

For Register of Deeds.

Having received the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds of Marshall County Minnesota, at the Primary Election on June 16th, I hereby announce to the voters of Marshall County, that I am a candidate for the office, and will appreciate your support and vote at the General Election on November 3rd.

My past record of eight years as Deputy in the office I now seek suffices me to state that I am well qualified for the duties involved and if elected, I promise to faithfully discharge the duties of the office, in as competent a manner as they have been during the past eight years of my connection with the office.

Respectfully soliciting your kind support and vote, I am

Yours truly,
Chas. E. Grinder.

Loken's
Coats, Coats Coats,
Another fine express shipment just in of the very latest belt and belt effect ladies fine coats.
Those new coats are also a trifle longer than our coats bought earlier in the season.
Those new coats are simply great. See them now. Special great values $12.50, $18.50 and $22.50
Loken's Dept. Store
Thief River Falls

Southeast of Holt.

Quite a heavy rain fell in this locality last Thursday night which delayed threshing until Monday.

Miss Olga Saastad is spending a few days at N. Tordahl home visiting with her sister Christine who is boarding at that place while teaching school.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rude on Wednesday Oct. 21st.

Julia Greibrok is ieaching school at the Russel school house.

Nels Larson and Halvdan Olson called at the S. G. Moe home on Thursday.

Axel Nelson and Skenke Swenkeson are busy threshing on farms on the east side of Thief River.

Ned Swenkeson came down from his home in Canada recently for a visit with his brother Swenke.

Mr. R. Strom of Virginia Minn. came up to this vicinity on Tuesday last for a weeks visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Arno Steinhaner, Misses Martha Senum and Elice Travaten, Geo. Senum and children Edward and Caroline spent Sunday afternoon at the S. G. Moe home.

Dan Rynestad has returned from N Dak. where he has been working for some time.

H. P. Boyd, wife and baby of Bassett, Ia. visited over Sunday at the home of her uncle, H. B. Young and wife.

Both old and young are cordially invited to attend the Sunday School at 10:30. Classes are being formed, in both Norwegian and English, for bible study and everyone will be given their choice. Come and bring the children. Now don't forget it.

For Register of Deeds.

Having received the highest number of votes in the June primaries, for the nomination to the office of Register of Deeds for Marshall county, I wish to announce to my friends and the voters of the county that I am in the race to stay and will appreciate your support in the election Nov. 3rd next.

I have been a farmer, taxpayer and resident of the county since a young man, experienced the struggles of the early settler and according to means and ability have taken my share in the developments of the comunity. Based upon my record as a public Official, especially that of the office of Register of Deeds which trust I held for four years and to which I now ask you to elect me, I deem myself amply qualified for the duties envolved and if elected I promise to devote my time and energies in the discharge of such duties and the substance of my platform is, A SQUARE DEAL FOR EVERYBODY.

Respectfully
Louis M. Olson.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.02
Wheat No. 2	.99
Wheat No. 3	.95
Wheat No. 4	.91
Flax	1.17
Oats	.37
Barley	.33 to .43
Rye	.79
Flour, Best Patent	3.35

Local Items

How is your subscription account?

Don,t forget to bring us your news items.

It pays to trade with those who advertise.

Ole Starholm returned to Crookston Monday.

Carsten Sagstuen returned home Tuesday from Rollis.

Rev. Roseland was in town between trains Friday.

Mr. Thompson and sister from Wisconsin came last Thursday to visit at Flaknes.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretson were Sunday visitors at the home of his brother Carl, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Pechie have been visiting his brother and family at Golden Valley the past week.

S. S. Kolden and wife and son Clarence and Mrs. A. L. Larson and little child, autoed to Thief Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs John Iverson and little son returned last Thursday to Fessenden N. D. after a very pleasant visit at the home of T. O. Dovre and family.

Take Notice

A public auction of 16 head of horses, 18 head of cattle, machinery and household goods will be sold on my farm in sec. 18 town of Rollis, known as the Whitcomb ranch.

J. B. Grobey. Prop.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Marshall Co. and earnesly solicit your vote and influence. I have lived in Marshall Co. since childhood, have experienced both ups and downs in life, within the County and now ask you to inquire of my neighbors and acquaintances as to my character and behavior. I have nothing to say about myself only that if you elect me to the office of Sheriff, I shall discharge the duties impartially and to my best ability.

I remain Respectfully Yours.
Hans C. Hanson
Viking. Minnesota.

For Representative.

I was made one of the nominees for Representative for Marshall county at the June primaries, my vote being greater than that given to any of the other candidates for that office.

I came to Warren in 1883; have been editor of the Warren Register since 1894; was admitted to the bar in 1892; city recorder of Warren, 1900--1; clerk of taxes and tax laws committee of state senate, 1901; delegate to Republican National convention of 1912; secretary of board of education of Warren since 1909

I favor a square deal to everybody; am opposed to all legislation in behalf of special interests; favor county option and all other legislation that makes for temperance; favor all legislation tending to make our educational system more efficient; favor conservation and developement of state's natural resources; believe a representative owes it to his constituency to do more than merely answer to his name when the roll is called.

I respectfully solicit your support and votes on November 3, 1914, assuring you that, if elected, I shall serve you and your interests to the best of my ability.

Charles L. Stevens.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

Dr. J. C. R. CHAREST
Physician and Surgeon
Office in Union Block
Thief River Falls - - Minn.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Aug. 1914.

Cream received	24,031 lbs
Average test	28.33
Butter fat	6,799.21 lbs
Percent overrun	24.41
Butter made	8,459 lbs
Balance on hand last month	10 76
Received for butter shipped	2314 69
Butter sold patrons	16 50
Cash sales at creamery	32 98
Total	$2,374 93
Paid patrons by check	2077 10
" " " Butter&milk	16 50
Expense fund, etc.	160 59
To sinking fund	48 23
To other sourcees	30 50
Balance on hand	52 01
Total	$2,374 93

Number of patrons, 100
Price paid for butter fat, 31c
T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Oct. 12, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence Knutson, Holt, Minnesota, who on Feb. 16th 1909, made Homestead Entry, No. 01511, for S 1-2 N W 1-4 and S 1-2 NE 1-4 Section 27 Twp. 156 N. Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to estalish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 16th day of Nov. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John H. Knutson, Carl Surmo, Ole M. Larson, Nels A. Fosen all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Oct. 6. 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Henry F. Erickson, of Germantown, Minn., who, on Nov. 23, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 06789, for N W. 1-4 Sec. 13, Twp. 155 N. Range 42 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 21st day of Nov. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Louis Larsen, Lars Thorson, John Ristau and George Posten, all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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The Bank Of Consistent Assistance!
We are now favored with 65 per cent of the volume of banking business transacted, season of 1913 and our business is steadily growing. The time for serious reflection is at hand and we urge caution in the selection of your banking connection for the coming season. It is wise and proper that you place yourself in the path of opportunity by identifying yourself with this Bank while the moving is good. Safety guaranteed and highest interest paid depositors.
We Play No Favorites
We play no favorites among our patrons but we aim to be helpful to all. When you become a depositor of this bank you are assured of the same banking advantages as the richest man who is on our books, your interests watched with the same conscientious care. To assist you is our policy. In addition to offering you the best of banking facilities we make personal financial service a confidential feature of our work. If we know what you want to accomplish we are on the look out for ways to help you and are ready and willing at all times to advise you on all financial matters.
Farmers' State Bank of Holt.
LARS BACKE, President
S. S. KOLDEN, Vice President - B. L. BACKE, Cashier
The Pioneer Bank Officials of Holt

The Big Sale!
The Big Sale is in full force and everything is marked in plain figures and is so low that it will pay to buy your merchandise for a year ahead.
Yours for a big business,
Holt Mercantile Co.
The Big New Store
3600 Square Feet of Floor Space

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Election is now over and we hope everybody is satisfied.

Estray.

A white sheep came to my place about four weeks ago. Owner may have same by paying for this notice and expense of keeping.

Andrew Hanson.
Sec. 18 Holt Twp.

Swan Carlson has a young team of heavy geldings or a young team of mares for sale. See his ad.

Local Items

J. B. Grobey's sale Nov. 10th.

Of course it had to storm "lection day."

Farmers! Get in line for the cow contest.

Henry Wendt was a passenger for Crookston, Monday.

Drs. Heiber and Charest were in town last week on professional business.

The Ladies' Aid will have a big sale next Saturday evening. Come early and avoid the rush.

Messrs. Ed. Thoran and J. B. Turanwald and wives came up from Thief River Falls, Sunday, to hear Rev. Larson and to visit friends.

Henry Oien, Henry Wendt, Alfred Olson, Racine Olson, Clarence Kolden and Ludwig Monson autoed out to their claims in Mud Lake, on Sunday.

On account of the accident whereby he nearly lost his life, J. B. Grobey, has postponed his sale until the 10th of Nov. It is a big sale and it will pay to attend it.

There were three preaching services here Sunday forenoon, Revs. Ordahl and Larson preaching in the two churches and the German Lutherans holding theirs in the M. W. A. hall.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. VonWald of T. R. Falls visited over Sunday at the home of her parents, J. B. Alkenbrack and family. Mr. VonWald recently returned from Dakota where he was threshing, and he reports much of the crop damaged by rust.

A. R. Jones went to Crookston on Tuesday afternoon for a short visit with his family and to attend a banquet of the Knights Templar lodge, one of the many branches of Masonry. Mr. Jones is well up in Masonic circles and always enjoys their meetings.

We have just received information that the Herrick Seed Co. of Rochester, N. Y. wants lady or gentlemen representatives in this section to sell all kinds of Roses, Shrubs, Trees and Seeds. They inform us that without previous experience it is possible to make good wages every week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice. 116

B. Docken was pleasantly surprised last Sunday when his brother O. Docken and O. I. Hensrud of Mekinock, N. D. and C. A. Heen of Grafton N. D. and H. A. Heen of Grand Forks N. D. autoed over to pay them a short visit. They returned to N. D. the same day, and expressed themselves as well pleased with this vicinity.

Mrs. C. O. Saastad and two smallest children Hermia and Herold left last Saturday for Alvarado where they will visit friends and relatives for some time.

Pete Anderson ran over a jack rabbit with his car Friday night and killed it.

About $3[illegible].00 was taken in at the public school social Saturday evening.

Mesdames Backe, Sollom, Hu[illegible]h and Silbaugh attended the Ladies Aid at Jno. Ndstrands last week Wednesday.

A Dance will be given in the Star Hall Thursday Evening, Nov. 12th by The Thief River Falls Orchestra. Come and dance to all the latest dance hits of the season. We guarantee You the Best of time. Popular price of $1.00 per couple. Come.

Albert Nelson and family loaded a car Tuesday and moved to southern Minnesota.

For Sale!

A Good Young team of heavy geldings and a young team of mares of medium weight. Buyer may have his choice of teams. Will take live stock for one half of the purchase price.

Swan Carlson
Sec. 23 East Valley

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A public auction of 16 head of horses, 18 head of cattle, machinery and household goods will be sold on my farm in sec. 18 town of Rollis, known as the Whitcomb ranch, on Tuesday Nov. 10th, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Free Lunch at the noon hour. Come.

J. B. Grobey. Prop.

Ain't you glad you did'nt run for office?

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

D. Payne unloaded a car of coal Wednesday.

Charley Horien was in Thief River Falls, Monday,

Otto Kuehne went to Thief River Falls, Monday, on business.

Farmers! Get your meals at the hotel. T. T. Sollom, Prop.

Swan Carlson has a good young team for sale, which he is advertising.

Chris Skjveland looked after business in T. R. Falls last week Friday and Saturday

It is now time to square up your subscription or the editor will both starve and freeze.

Do your cows make money for you? Join the contest and find out. It is the biggest thing ever offered the farmer.

Found: A razor, between town and the school house. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

Victor Rustad

If relatives or friends visit you, we will take it as a favor, if you tell us about it. Please remember that the editor is not a mind reader.

As an instance that the Holt merchants are selling goods at right figures, one of them recently sold 25 boxes of apples to a Grygla merchant at the regular retail price.

Carlson's took in nearly $1400.00, cash, and their sales totaled nearly $1600.00 on the opening day of their big sale, which still continues without interruption. This is only another proof that it pays to advertise.

The work on the school house has been delayed on account of the base of the foundation not being wide enough nor according to the specifications. Monday workmen tore up what had been done and have since did the work over again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Grobey returned to their home in Middle River, Monday, Mr. Grobey is very slowly improving and was hardly in condition to be moved, but was anxious to be getting ready for his sale on Nov. 10th.

At last reports from the Warren hospital H. A. Hall was slowing gaining, the operation releiving the pressure on the brain and he being perfectfully rational again.

Our popular school marms Misses Cora Hanson and Dagny Bakke attended the Teacher's convention at Crookston on the 4th, 5th, and 6th. this week. Miss Hanson is on the program for a short speech on Friday afternoon.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Latta, last Friday night.

Mrs. Nels Berg and son Elrie came from T. R. Falls Saturday for a short visit at the Dr. R. I. Olson home.

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We Welcome All
To Trade At Our Store
Regardless of the fact that we have already had a big trade on all kinds of Winter Goods our Stock in all Departments is still Complete.
Mens and Boys Suits at Big Reductions
We have a big assortment of Overcoats, Sweaters, Over shoes and Rubbers.
All Goods Guaranteed to Give Satisfaction or Money Refunded.
C. H. Gunheim

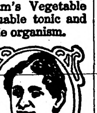
THE CHARM OF MOTHERHOOD

Enhanced By Perfect Physical Health.

The experience of Motherhood is a trying one to most women and marks distinctly an epoch in their lives. Not one woman in a hundred is prepared or understands how to properly care for herself. Of course nearly every woman nowadays has medical treatment at such times, but many approach the experience with an organism unfitted for the trial of strength, and when it is over her system has received a shock from which it is hard to recover. Following right upon this comes the nervous strain of caring for the child, and a distinct change in the mother results.

There is nothing more charming than a happy and healthy mother of children, and indeed child-birth under the right conditions need be no hazard to health or beauty. The unexplainable thing is that, with all the evidence of shattered nerves and broken health resulting from an unprepared condition, and with ample time in which to prepare, women will persist in going blindly to the trial.

Every woman at this time should rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism.



In many homes once childless there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

CURED!
And it only cost me $1.00
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ANTWERP GETTING BACK TO NORMAL AFTER WEEKS OF TERROR AND PANIC

Antwerp.—Antwerp gradually is returning to normal conditions. About 150,000 of the city's 350,000 inhabitants, most of whom fled when the Germans occupied it, have returned to their homes.

Some bakeries, meat shops and grocery stores are opening in the poorer section of the city, and a few old women with dog carts are offering apples and vegetables in the once busy markets. The German flag flies from the tower of the cathedral of Notre Dame, but Belgian priests are reading mass as usual.

The streets virtually are deserted except for the gray German automobiles which dash along at mad speed carrying officers clad in smoke gray uniforms.

No War Tax Levied.

No tribute has been levied on the city as yet, except that the Germans have demanded supplies for their army. General von Huehne is governor general of the military government. Maj. Gen. von Bodenhausen, commander of the fortress of Antwerp, will be installed shortly as civil governor.

General von Huehne has given assurance that Belgians will not be forced to dig intrenchments or do other work for the Germans if they return to the Belgian cities. Every consideration is being shown the Belgians by the invaders, but this kindness makes the Belgians suspicious, as they believe, they say, that a trap is being laid.

Thousands of Natives Return.

Over twelve thousand Belgians returned to Antwerp, and probably half that number from Holland. All of the Holland border towns are filled with frantic Belgians, who move about anxiously seeking relatives and are afraid to return to their native land. The country about Antwerp is desolate.

It is estimated that about three hundred buildings were destroyed in Antwerp by bombs, most of these structures being residences. The Hotel de l'Europe and the Taverne Royale on La Place Verte were among 25 large buildings destroyed by fire caused by bombs.

La Mier and other leading business streets are untouched, but all the large business houses are still closed, despite the efforts of the Germans to restore normal conditions.

Argentine Consul Killed.

About sixty persons were killed during the bombardment of the city.

Theophile Lemaire, Argentine consul at Antwerp, was the most prominent victim. He was killed in the cellar of his home by a bomb which came through the roof and floors and struck him.

Consul Diederich and the American vice-consul, Harry Sherman, both narrowly escaped death during the bombardment. They lived on the south side of the city, where the shelling occurred. The operators of a Zeppelin dirigible balloon dropped a bomb within 200 feet of Mr. Sherman's home, and the house adjoining Mr. Diederich's residence was completely wrecked by a bomb.

FOES' HIDDEN IN TRENCHES FIGHT DAY AND NIGHT

By KARL H. VON WIEGAND.

(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

St. Mihiel, France.—Fighting day and night from deep trenches whose wonderfully effective entanglements of barbed wire, steel sharp-pointed rods and sharp-pointed stakes almost touch, the thousands of men comprising the German left and the French opposing wing seldom see each other.

Probably never before has there been staged a battle so theatrically set as is the present. The line of battle runs wave-shaped for miles through dense forests, over and around high hills and across deep valleys traversed with fast-running streams of water.

The French stubbornly contest every attempt of the Germans to advance. Lines of trenches are extended a foot at a time. The thousands on each side dig themselves in like field moles. They cover their every movement. Even the guns are hidden and their location cannot be ascertained by the opposing forces, as their smokeless powder leaves no trace.

Visible to Aviators.

And in the open country the trenches are so constructed as to be invisible to an aviator unless he flies very low. When he does fly low he seldom returns to report. But there are always volunteers on both sides to attempt it. They go out and most of them are killed. A few are captured alive and they are treated with the consideration their daring demands.

The Germans have occupied St. Mihiel and are holding it and the territory adjoining, although they are still subjected to a heavy artillery fire. The children, however, play about the streets and the inhabitants go about their duties in an unconcerned way. They express no curiosity. Familiarity with danger has in this case bred a feeling of utter contempt for it.

Now Seek Verdun Forts.

The reports that the Germans were making an assault in force on Toul and Nancy are erroneous. For the present their chief objective is the smaller line of forts along the Meuse line from Toul to Verdun. These are Troyon, Genecourt, Les Paroches, Camp de Romains, Lionville, Gironville and Jury-sous-les-Cotes. The first to fall was St. Mihiel, and several of the others are reported in difficulties. In addition, the bombardment of Verdun continues, and some of the outer works have already been reduced.

Aviator Escapes Death.

While passing through Vervinay I witnessed a daring piece of work by a French aviator. Under cover of a fog he had swooped down on the German trenches and had located a number of them before he was discovered. Although the German artillery fairly rained shrapnel around his fleeing plane he mounted almost straight up and finally escaped to his own lines.

I was able to spend on entire day in the German trenches which have been constructed to prevent the French armies with headquarters at Toul and Nancy attempting a flanking attack. In one of the trenches the soldiers had organized a singing society. The whole scene was wonderfully picturesque. A thick fog hid the French trenches 800 yards away. The ghostlike figures of the greenish gray-clad figures in the trenches were strangely silhouetted in the mist. Occasionally the thunder of the guns would punctuate the choruses. The singing was remarkable, as many of the soldiers had trained voices. Some stood at attention. Others had their hands tightly clasped in the attitude of prayer. They sang, "It's the Day of the Lord" and "My Vaterland; Beloved Vaterland," chiefly.

FIELDS ARE CHOKED WITH BODIES OF SLAIN SOLDIERS

By LUCIEN ARTHUR JONES.

Dunkirk.—I am writing this dispatch to the sound of heavy rifle firing in the streets of this town. A German Taube just now was flying above us and receiving its customary salute of bullets. It finally disappeared in the direction of Ostend without doing or receiving any damage.

This is the second aerial call the Germans have paid Dunkirk today. About nine o'clock this morning a Taube hovered over the town for a considerable period. The aviator paid dearly for his temerity, for his machine was badly damaged by shot and he was forced to descend outside the town, only to find himself and the machine immediately captured.

The Taube has been led in triumph through the streets of the town.

Naval Guns Repulse Germans.

It now appears certain that the Germans have been shelled out of their positions at Ostend. Small parties, however, were reported to be in the town itself this morning.

The bombardment by the British and French naval guns of the German right wing resulted in clearing the coast from Nieuport to Ostend of the enemy for a distance of several miles.

In the interior the Germans are reported to be demoralized and the reply of their artillery for once is sadly ineffectual.

Splendid work has been done here by the British Red Cross detachment, which formerly was at Ghent in charge of Dr. Hector Munroe.

German Dead Cover Field.

A member of the staff has told me that the fields in the neighborhood of Furness and Dixmude were choked with German dead. So desperate has the fighting been that the Germans left in a hurry without a thought of burying their dead or assisting their wounded.

While he was in Dixmude a German shell struck the house in which were resting 27 Belgians and not one of them escaped death.

Wolf Packs Attack Soldiers.

Rome.—A dispatch from Cetinje says: "A close watch at night is necessary at the military camps, not only because of the fear of the enemy, but on account of the dread of wolves, which, when the first snow covered the mountain tops, began to descend and wander in rapacious bands attacking the living if they cannot find dead."

Read Only German Poets.

London.—The Berlin Vorwaerts announces that a boycott is to be placed on foreign poets. Among the first to be boycotted are D'Annunzio and Maeterlinck. It has been discovered that neither is a man of any particular genius.

"YOUR SKIN WORTH AS MUCH AS MINE," KING TELLS SOLDIER

London.—King Albert still is leading his troops in the small southwest corner of Belgium that is not in possession of the Germans. His bravery inspires his men to almost superhuman feats of daring. The king shows a fearlessness in battle that moves his staff to continuous, but unheeded, protest. A shell burst near King Albert while he was directing his troops and when he was urged to retire to a safer position, the king replied:

"My skin is of no more value to my country than is yours. My place is on the fighting line."

He stayed in the exposed positions and the Belgians, in a charge of unexampled spirit, drove the Germans from their trenches.

While the Servians may have captured Vlasenitza it is not likely to enter into general conversation.

Distinguished Political Career.

Elbridge Gerry Lapham, who represented New York in the United States senate in the early '80's, was born in the town of Farmingham, N. Y., 100 years ago. In early life he followed the profession of a civil engineer. Later he studied law and in 1844 was admitted to the bar. He was a member of the constitutional convention of New York in 1867; a representative in congress from 1875 until 1881, in which latter year he was elected to the United States senate to take the place of Roscoe Conkling, who had resigned. Senator Lapham was a Republican in politics. He died at Canandaigua Lake, N. Y., in 1890.

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Virginia Governor's Mansion.

The spirits of history, of sentiment and of beauty rise to form a triple alliance in protest against the proposal to remodel the first floor of the governor's mansion. To them it is almost an act of vandalism to break the splendid sweep of the central hall with a stairway, to obstruct the view from the entrance, to obliterate the effect of space given by the wide interior entrances to right and left, to instill a cramped feeling into all who enter, to make any changes in an interior the most distinctive historically and architecturally of all the state executive mansions. There are improvements to be made in the rooms of the upper floor, and probably in other parts of the house. Smaller and more bedrooms, for instance, are needed. But the first floor can only be ruined by the contemplated "improvements." Rich in history, beautiful in design and comfortable in arrangements, it should not be touched.

Mamma's Kiss.

This pretty child story is from the French:

A mother tells her little girl that because she has been naughty she will not kiss her for a week. Before two days have gone by the child's lips hunger so for her mother's kiss that she begs her not to punish her any more.

The mother says: "No, my dear. I told you that I should not kiss you, and I must keep my word."

"But, mamma, mamma," says the little girl, "would it be breaking your word if you should kiss me just once tonight when I'm asleep?"

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"I had really been at times very anxious concerning my mother's condition, but we noticed that after using Postum for a short time, she felt so much better than she did prior to its use, and had little trouble with her heart, and no sick stomach; that the headaches were not so frequent, and her general condition much improved. This continued until she was well and hearty.

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ITALY STIRRED BY WAR SPIRIT; BALKANS ON VERGE

Greece Likely to Fly to Arms With Broadening of Scope of Conflict—Portugal Really Considered in Struggle at Present—Turks Invading Egypt.

By International News Service.

London, Nov. 3.—The ambassadors of Russia, Great Britain and France have received their passports and have quit Constantinople, and Italy is reported now to be aflame with the war fever, demonstrations in favor of entering the great conflict becoming so violent in a number of cities that troops had to be called out to surpress the riotous scenes.

Uneasiness in Balkans.

These, together with the growing uneasiness and speculation as to the probable action of the Balkan states—Bulgaria, Roumania and Greece—are the most startling developments of the newest phase of the international struggle which now threatens not only to involve practically all Europe but also to drag in Asia, Indian and Egypt.

Negatively there are two features of the situation which are important. These are the continued failure of any power officially to declare war as the next step after the official announcement that diplomatic relations have been ruptured between Russia and Turkey and the absence of a reply from Turkey in response to the demand for an explanation of her naval activity in the Black Sea, made by the Triple Entente powers.

Peace Still Possible.

These are significant in that they still hold out hope for peaceful solution of the Turko-Russian questions, thus avoiding further extension of hostilities.

Dispatches from Rome declare that the Italian people are almost unanimously with the war party and are clamoring for the immediate entry of Italy into the war to protect the nation's interests.

The resignation of the entire cabinet in a body after a stormy session, in which the ministers failed to agree upon a military program because of the strong representation of the peace party, has brought the situation to an acute stage.

Million Italians Mobilized.

The army is now mobilized to a strength of 1,000,000 men and the fleet is ready for action. It is only left for the war cabinet, which is considered certain to be appointed, to decide that Italy cannot longer remain neutral, in face of the situation in Albania. Italy would be seriously threatened if Austria or Turkey were to attempt to seize Albania, and if Italy were caught unprepared, the war advocates urge, the damage that would be inflicted before she could recover from the shock of the attack would be far more extensive than could be indemnified by the amount of the war appropriations sought.

Egypt Being Invaded.

Activity of Turkey on land is reported from Cairo. Large bodies of troops bent on invading Egypt for the purpose of re-establishing the control of the Ottoman Government are reported to be moving. Bedouins have crossed the Sinai frontier in great numbers from Akabah and Gaza to mobilize with several armp corps at Mosus and Damascus.

A dispatch from Rome to the Express says a report has reached there that 400,000 Turks are massed on the Caucasian border and that 300,000 are waiting at Beyreut, Jaffa and other ports for transhipment to the Sinai peninsula. The ports, it is said, are well guarded by the British and French fleets.

Giving Sultan Time.

Although Turkey's preparations are generally accepted as an act of war, Britain is willing to give the sultan time to reflect before beginning active hostilities herself.

Meanwhile, the British are fortified in impregnable positions along the Suez and if the Moslem hordes do attempt an invasion they will be met with effective resistance.

Russia and Britain Prepared.

London, Nov. 3.—Turkey has definitely thrown in her lot with Austria and Germany, and if Portugal is counted there now are 11 powers at war, with prospects of three more—Greece, Bulgaria and Roumania—being drawn in.

14 Russian Boats Reported Sunk.

Berlin, via Amsterdam and London, Nov. 3.—A dispatch to the Tageblatt from Constantinople says that the Turkish fleet, when it bombarded Novorossysk on the Black Sea, sank 14 Russian transports and destroyed several warehouses, oil reservoirs and a wireless station. The Russian artillery both at Novorossysk and at Odessa, it is declared, proved ineffective. At Odessa the Turkish shells set afire five oil tanks and damaged five transports.

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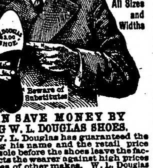

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Russia and Fatherland Alone May Purchase $100,000,000 Worth—Pointed Out Proposed Transactions Do Not Clash With Views of Wilson.

Washington, Nov. 2. — Viewing credit loans to belligerent countries as private transactions, the Washington administration will not attempt to interpose its influence against such transactions on the part of the American bankers.

Germany Seeking Loan.

This was learned on the highest authority after it became known that German financiers were contemplating the establishment of a credit loan in this country similar to the $10,000,000 credit fund negotiated by the National City bank of New York and other bankers for the French government.

The decision of the Washington administration may lead to the purchase in the United States of about $50,000,000 worth of supplies by Russia and an equal if not a greater amount by Germany. Details of the expected transactions are lacking here.

President's Views Considered.

High officials of the Washington administration insist that President Wilson has not changed his view announced at the outbreak of the war that the loaning of money to belligerents would be "inconsistent with the true spirit of American neutrality." A distinction was drawn by officials, however, between the loans referred to at that time—such as bond issues offered for public sale and credit transactions intended as a checking account against the purchase by belligerents of foodstuffs and supplies from American firms.

The president realizes that this government has no legal right to oppose loans of any character nor is there any obligation of international law forbidding them. During the Russo-Japanese war, loans were floated for Japan in the United States through public bond issues. The president is understood, however, to be opposed to that form of loan as liable to stir up ill-feeling and prejudice.

Position of Government Embarrassing

Officials have unanimously decided to refrain from discussing the subject of loans as the position of the government in the circumstances is an embarrassing one.

Under what is known as credit loans there is no intention, it is understood, to export gold from the United States. Large funds will be established by the belligerent countries with their financial agents here who will pay the bills of the European nations to American dealers in munitions of war and supplies. The bankers will be given short time notes by the belligerent governments with a much better rate of interest, it is said, than ordinarily could be obtained. In return for these considerations European governments will agree to spend large sums of money in the United States for supplies.

Chicago Bankers Interested.

Chicago.—Chicago bankers who are taking part in the negotiations of some of the belligerent nations of Europe for supplies in this country, said purchases for cash have reached a large volume and there is every reason to believe the demand will continue. Chicago alone is said to have come in for $7,000,000 or $8,000,000 of this business to date and more large orders are pending. Great Britain is taking large quantities of supplies here, but that country is not a buyer in a cash sense, payments being made through the workings of the trade balance exchange plan.

Arrange to Deport Chinese

Washington, Oct. 31.—Immigration officials at Honolulu were instructed to arrange with the Japanese consul for deporation of the Chinese included among the crew of the German schooner Aeolus, who were landed after the vessel was captured by the Japanese battleship Hizen.

Russian-Turk Sea Fight On.

London, Nov. 2.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Rome says: "It is reported from Constantinople that a battle between Turkish and Russian fleets is in progress off Odessa."

Endorse Congressional Blacklist

Chicago, Nov. 2.—Two wrangling sessions of the Illinois Equal Suffrage Association, which for a time threatened to disrupt the organization, ended with the adoption of a resolution indorsing the work of the congressional committee of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, of which Mrs. Medill McCormick is chairman, in issuing a blacklist of Congressional candidates opposed to equal suffrage. Action was accepted by friends of Mrs. McCormick as a victory over the administration.

MISS JULIA CALHOUN

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Miss Julia Calhoun, daughter of Col. and Mrs. John C. Calhoun of New York and great granddaughter of the famous American statesman of that name, is soon to marry Baron de Nagell, attache of the Netherlands legation at Washington. The baron has been in the diplomatic service for five years and has been popular in society at the national capital.

FORMER HEAD U. S. ARMY DIES

GENERAL CHAFFEE SUCCUMBS AT CALIFORNIA HOME.

Veteran of Civil War, Indian Fighter and Hero of Spanish Conflict—Advanced From Private in 1863.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 3.—Lieut. Gen. Adna R. Chaffee (retired), former chief of staff of the United States army, died at his home here. His body will be taken to Washington for interment in Arlington National cemetery.

General Chaffee had been suffering from typhoid pneumonia for a month.

Mrs. Chaffee and her daughter, Mrs. John Hastings Howard, wife of an army officer, were at the bedside when the end came. Two other children, Mrs. George French Hamilton, wife of an army captain, and Adna R. Chaffee, Jr., a lieutenant in the army, are in the Philippines.

General Chaffee rose from the rank of private. He was wounded three times.

Enlisted in First Days of Civil War.

Washington.—Lieut. Gen. Adna Romanza Chaffee was one of four officers of his rank ni the United States army, all of them being on the retired list. He enlisted as a private in Troop K, Sixth Cavalry, soon after the civil war began, and during a career of more than forty years of distinguished service attained the highest rank, finally serving as chief of the general staff.

He fought throughout the civil war, winning a commission as second lieutenant in 1863, and later being brevetted lieutenant and captain for gallant and meritorious service.

Fought Indians in Southwest.

After the war he saw fighting against the Indians in Arizona and Texas and had risen to the rank of lieutenant colonel when at the outbreak of the Spanish war he was sent to Cuba as a brigadier general of volunteers. Going back to the regular establishment after attaining distinction, particularly in the Santiago campaign, he was made colonel of the Eighth Cavalry and three years later was promoted to the rank of major general.

Head of Army When Retired.

In 1904 General Chaffee became a lieutenant general and he was serving as chief of staff when retired at his own request in 1906. He had lived at Los Angeles since that time.

General Chaffee was born at Orwell, Ohio, April 14, 1842. He was educated in the public schools of Ohio, and in 1875 married Miss Annie Frances Rockwell of Junction City, Kas.

Cholera Toll 100 Per Day

Venice, Nov. 2.—Reports received here from Austria say cholera is increasing to an alarming extent throughout Austrian-Hungary and that there is not a single crown land in Austria and scarcely any in Hungary where fresh cases are not reported daily. The epidemic is said to be worst in Galicia, where about 100 deaths are said to occur daily among the troops in the field.

Schools Closed; Teachers Fight.

London, Nov. 2.—A dispatch from Amsterdam says the usual course of instruction in the schools of Germany cannot be continued, as 40 000 teachers are at the front.

Jurors Out Nine Days.

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 2.—Although they have been out for over nine days, members of the Pegram murder jury are still hopelessly deadlocked. John P. Thomas, the foreman, has sent a letter to Judge Edwards, who was on the bench at the trial, asking that the jurors be discharged as there was no possibility of an agreement. William Pegram, the negro defendant, was tried on a charge of murdering Mary Quinn, a white woman, twelve years ago.

Menace.

The Akooned of Swat had 20,000 men. He marched them up a hill one day, and that done he marched them down again.

The great powers were not asleep. "If this isn't mobilization, what is it?" they demanded tensely.

The Akooned of Swat hastened to point out that when his men were up they were up, that when they were down they were down, and, finally, that when they were only halfway up they were neither up nor down.

"No temporizing!" thundered the great Powers and forthwith fell upon one another with the utmost ferocity.

For while the great Powers were Christian, Swat was a heathen nation, and so a constant menace to the peace of the world.—New York Evening Post.

Astronomy vs. Art.

Professor—Has anything ever been discoverd on Venus?

Student—No, sir, there has not, if the pictures are correct.—Judge.

Peruna Did Wonders For My Boy

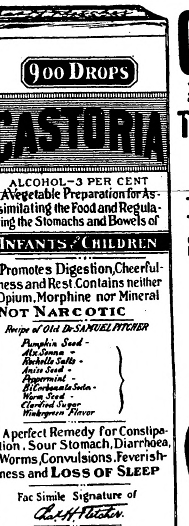
Mrs. Nellie Courter, 86 Franklin Ave., Norwalk, Conn., writes: "Peruna has done wonders for my boy. I cannot praise it enough.

"I think it is the best medicine on earth. Let me tell you why I think so.

"My son has been afflicted with catarrh since he was a baby five months old, so that for years I had to watch him all night long, and keep his mouth open so he could breathe, as he could not breathe through his nose.

"He has always been very delicate.

"Since he commenced taking the Peruna I can go to bed and sleep all night."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"What of that?"

"The girls may wear pockets, but I'll bet they still carry their junk all jumbled up in a handbag."

ECZEMA SPREAD OVER BODY

1127 Market St., Chehalis, Wash.—"My little nephew was cross and cried and complained of itching. The eczema broke out with a rash, reddish looking. It spread until it was all over his body, and it came on his face and caused disfigurement. His hands had to be tied to keep him from scratching. His clothing aggravated the trouble and made the breaking out worse. He was so covered with eruptions he didn't look natural. There was such an itching and burning sensation he could not sleep and kept someone with him continually. Weeks and months passed by and we had almost given up in despair.

"One day I read about Cuticura Soap and Ointment being good for eczema and all skin troubles. I sent for a free sample and immediately we discovered a change for the better. Before the sample was used up there was such a remarkable change that I bought a box of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. The eruptions healed, the burning and itching ceased and by the time the Cuticura Soap and Ointment were used up he was a well boy." (Signed) Mrs. J. L. Steelman, Apr. 8, 1914.

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Probably.

"The new maid is stealing a nap."

"I guess it is the one she took on the parlor carpet."

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Minn. Elects Dem. Gov. N. S. Hegnes Elected

The following county offiecrs were elected.

C. L. Stevens	Representative.
C. E. Grinder	Register of Deeds.
H. C. Hanson	Sheriff.
A. N. Eckstrom.	Co. Atty.
David Johnson	Co. Supt.
Carl T. Olson	Co. Com.

We herewith give the vote of the township on county officers:

Representative
D. Robertson 37, C. L. Stevens 22
Senator
B. E. Sundberg 29, N. S. Hegnes 34
Register of Deeds
C. E. Grinder 40, L. M. Olson 20
County Sheriff
Wm. Forsberg 17, H. C. Hanson 41
County Attorney
A. N. Eckstrom 28, E. A. Brekke 35
County Superintendent
David Johnson 44, Stewart 17
County Commissioner
Olson 35, Malberg 16, Fladeland 5

Holt Public School Notes

There are now 18 pupils enrolled in the upper grades. The primary room have an enrollment of 30.

Those receiving the highest mark in spelling last month were:-

Inez Alkenbrack	A Class	100
Merrell Latta	B Class	90
Kenneth Latta	C Class	100

Our Motto for this week:

Attempt the end and never stand
To doubt,
Nothing's so hard but truth will
Find it out.

We have now two more scholars Frank Heinze and Llyod Knutson.

A spelling contest is given every Friday. The school is divided into two divisions, Mabel Haggland leader of one side and Stella Mickelson of the other. Great interest is shown as at some future time the loosing side will entertain the winners.

There was no school on Thursday and Friday as there was teacher's convention at Crookston.

The restaurant is about to change proprietors, Jacob Nelson of Crookston, has rented it and is expected here to day or to morrow. The Mickelson family will move into the Iverson residence when they give up the restaurant work.

Miss Inga Fostad went to St. Hilaire Friday.

A. R. Jones has recently sold a bill of lumber to C. Rustad for an addition to his barn and lumber for a barn 26x40 to Nils M. Ness, also he furnishes a part of the lumber for the new school house, his firm supplying the balance from Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Sollom entertained a little company at a Halloween supper Saturday evening.

C. M. Wilson's bid for the new school house was $732.00 lower than his nearest compcitor, A. T. Larson of Calledonia, N. D. The difference of $52.00 we mentioned last week was on bids for plastering instead of steel ceiling which was later decided on.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.05
Wheat No. 2	1.01
Wheat No. 3	.97
Wheat No. 4	.93
Flax	1.29
Oats	.37
Barley	.37 to .45
Rye	.82
Flour, Best Patent	3.35

The Sunnyside.

Mrs. C. Anderson went to Thief River Falls Friday and returned Saturday, accompanied by her daughter Clara.

Miss Lydia Bjerk came home Thursday to spene a few days.

Mrs. L. Wigge called on Mrs. Lysne Friday.

Miss Bertha Erickson came up from T. R. Falls Saturday to visit her sister and to attend the basket social. She returned Sunday.

Miss Mae Tvede "Forded" over from Donalson Saturday to pay her sister a call, returning the same day.

Miss Selma Dovre came up from T. R. Falls Saturday to visit her parents.

The basket social in District 59 was a success, Quite a large crowd was present, and over thirty dollars were cleared.

Rinhard Ohm of Larimore N. D. visited at L. Wigge's Thursday last week.

How is your subscription account?

Good board and rooms at the hotel by the day or week, ad

Mrs. H. E. Thornton and daughter May who are holding down a claim in the Mud Lake district, visited Mrs. Jno. Alkenbrack Friday, taking the afternoon train for Marietta Ohio where they will spend the winter.

B. L. Backe, Adolph Sollom, and the Misses Myrtle Thomas, Dovre and Erickson autoed to T. R. Falls Sunday evening after enjoying a big turkey supper at the former's home.

H. P. Olen and grandson Selmer Aarestad both of Shelly Minn. visited the former's son, Henry Oien, Saturday.

Dr. Bratrud and his assistant were here from Warren Friday to see J. B. Grobey.

Iver Engerbretson has moved his family here from Rollis. They will occupy H. B. Young's farm house this winter.

P. A. Riesberg has been giving his house the third coat of paint.

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Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 10:30 and you are invited.

The Ladies Aid of the Free Mission church will have an auction sale in the church on Saturday evening Nov. 7th at 8 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited.

McIntosh, Minn. Oct. 28.

Mr. Editor: We wish to thank one and all who so kindly contributed for the benefit of our son Norman. May God bless you all for the good you may do. Yours sincerely,

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newton.

Notice!

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the school house of District No. 35 of Marshall Co., Minnesota, at the school house on the 13th day of Nov. 1914 from 6:30 o'clock P. M. to 8:30 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said municipality in the aggregate sum of $3000.00 bearing interest at the rate of (4) four per centum per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purposes: $3000.00 for completeing the new school house and for plumbing and heating the new school house, to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the Clerk,

Dated October 31st, 1914.

D. Payne, Clerk.

District No. 35, Marshall Co. Minn.

Don't miss the time of your life at he big dance Thursday Nov. 12th.

Three auto loads from Holt attended the Ladies Aid Society at S. Borsheim Wednesday afternoon.

Several of those who have claims on the Mud Lake bottoms, went out there and to East Valley Tuesday to vote.

Get your meals at the hotel. adv

Notice To The Farmers!

Do you realize you have in your herd of "Cows" what we call Boarders? A Cow that does'nt pay for the feed she consumes. Possibly some make a very small profit but not enough to pay for the work. Others may be paying you a good profit over feed, care, etc. To find out which ones are boarders, join the Testing Association. Contest begins Dec. 1 and if you join with the many who will keep a "Daily Record" of their cows to Dec. 1, 1915, you will be in a position to know which one to sell, when a buyer comes and offers you big prices for a cow he happens to want and trys to make you believe she is not a good milker. Don't believe it. No man can tell a good profit making cow without weighing and testing her milk. Find out your best cows and keep them. Sell the boarders. Remember the dairyman is a winner every time—wars and hard times affect him less than other people.

These are some of my patrons who will begin keeping a daily record on Dec. 1. 1914: P. T. Olson, Chris Sheveland, O. A. Thompson, T. B. Folden, Chas. Heinze, T. O. Dovre, Elvin Arickson, Erick Johnson, G P. Sorter, John Engstrom and Louis Wegge. Let us all join

P. L. Anderson.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Nov. 3, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ole M. Larson of Holt, Minn. who on Nov. 22nd 1910 made Homestead Entry No. 05754 for N 1-2SW 1-4 Sec. 27 Twp. 156 N Range 42 W 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 7th day of December. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Olaus Rodahl, Clarence Knutson, Albert C. Jahr and Geo. C. Anderson all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

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Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Aug. 1914.

Cream received	24,031 lbs
Average test	28.33
Butter fat	6,799.21 lbs
Percent overrun	24.41
Butter made	8,459 lbs
Balance on hand last month	10 76
Received for butter shipped	2314 69
Butter sold patrons	16 50
Cash sales at creamery	32 98
Total	$2,374 93
Paid patrons by check	2077 10
" " " Butter&milk	16 50
Expense fund, etc	150 59
To sinking fund	48 23
To other sources	30 50
Balance on hand	52 01
Total	$2,374 93

Number of patrons, 100

Price paid for butter fat, 31c

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Oct. 12, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence Knutson, Holt, Minnesota, who on Feb. 16th 1909, made Homestead Entry, No. 01511, for S 1-2 N. W 1-4 and S 1-2 NE 1-4 Section 27 Twp. 156 N. Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 16th day of Nov. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: John H. Knutson, Carl Surmo, Ole M. Larson, Nels A. Fosen all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Oct. 6. 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Henry F. Erickson, of Germantown, Minn., who, on Nov. 23, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 06789, for N. W. 1-4 Sec. 13, Twp. 155 N. Range 42 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 21st day of Nov. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Louis Larson, Lars Thorson, John Ristau and George Posten, all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

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Local Items

Go to the polls this evening and vote for the school bond issue.

Ladies' Aid meets next Thursday Nov. 19 with Mrs. Chas. Smith.

Alfred Olson and Arnold Rux left Tuesday for Roseau Col to hunt deer.

Henry Oien and A. H. Huseth autoed to T. R. Falls Monday evening.

Chas. W. Latta has started a short order Lunch Room in his new building.

Tom Severson is moving onto S. S. Kolden's farm, which he has rented.

Mr. and Mrs. Kolden went to Thief Lake Tuesday to visit relatives and look after business.

Swan Carlson has a young team of heavy geldings or a young team of mares for sale. See his ad.

Try the New Lunch Room next time you are in Holt.

C. W. Latta Prop.

A. Sollom was a passenger for T. R. Falls Monday, returning home in the evening with B. L. Backe.

Elmer Davidson, Oliver and Henry Groundahl left Monday for the Rapid River country to hunt moose.

B. T. Tyson of N. D. unloaded his household belongings here Saturday and moved out near Golden Valley.

Mrs. R. Rierson returned home last week Thursday from Moose Jaw Canada, accompanied by her niece Miss Mary Brotten.

Mrs. N. N. Landro returned Monday to her home in Stady, N. D. after a pleasant visite at the home of her mother Mrs. H. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunheim, John Lein, Mrs. H. Furr and family were Sunday guests at the pleasant home of Mrs. H. Anderson and family.

The winter R. F. D. schedule goes into effect next Monday and hereafter the carrier will leave the postoffice at seven o'clock in the morning.

Hans Stensrud, Swenke Swenkeson Fred Stensrud and a couple of men from Dak. left Tuesday to hunt for moose in the Rapid River district.

P. A. Riesburg was a business caller at T. R. Falls and Warren a couple of days this week looking after a heating plant for the new house school.

We are going to have a fine school house that will add much to the value of our town and farm property and all interested should vote for the bond issue to night as additional money is needed to complete the building.

A boy came to the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Payne Monday morning, and he likes it so well that he has decided to stay at least twenty one years and that is the reason that the genial lumberman now has the smile that wont rub off.

Axel Nelson has commenced the building of an addition to his residence which is occupied by the Docken family. He will build on one more room on the ground floor and raise all of the building another story, making a nice comfortable eight room residence.

THEO. QUALE

LAWYER

Office in McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Dr. Turley, the Dentist will be at the hotel, in Holt, Monday Nov. 16.

Southeast of Holt.

Mr. Willard Silsbaugh is busy plowing in Mud Lake.

Everybody is making ready for winter now as it will soon be here.

Mrs. C. Saagstad and children returned home Wednesday from Alvarado.

Iver Borsheim has moved with his stock to Mud Lake where he will reside on his claim.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson made a business and pleasure trip to Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Toreerson and sons Melvin, Norman, and Carl spent a very pleasant afternoon at the homeof Mr. and Mrs. E. Hanson.

Tom Olson made a business and pleasure trip to the John Ose home Monday.

Miss Ragna Larsen who is attending normal school in T. R. Falls, spent Sunday visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Larson.

Louise Mickleson is visiting with her sister and mother.

Mr. Harry Moe spent a very pleasant afternoon at the home of Carl Larson Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Hanson went to T. R. Falls on Monday to have some dental work done.

L. Larson went to Golden Valley on Friday to have his crop threshed.

A bunch of young people spent Sunday afternoon at the home of A. Klungress.

Agnes and Annie Hanson visited at the home of S. F. Moe Sunday.

John Bergland visited at the home of Adolphson's Monday.

The Sunnyside.

"Laugh and the world laughs with you."

Mrs. F. Carlston and daughter Selma and Mrs. Surmo called at Andersons Sunday.

Miss Gladys Sorum visited with Mrs. Tony Anderson from Wednesday till Sunday.

Miss Irene Wigge went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to visit her sister Mrs. A. L. Carlson returning Monday.

The Misses Clara Tvede and Marie Erickson went to Crookston Wednesday to attend the teacher's convention.

The jolly bunch surprised Mr. and Mrs. G. Anderson Saturday evening, and presented them with a gas lamp.

Dr. Turley will be here Monday Nov. 16th.

Running a business without advertising is like trying to keep warm without a fire.

Remember the poor newspaper man has to eat and have a fire these cold days, but we are afraid he will have a mighty poor Thanksgiving, unless some of you fellows pay up.

Hon. H. Steenerson

Steenerson Expresses Appreciation for the Vote in the Ninth District.

To the people of the 9th Congressional District;

As the returns indicate my re-election by a large majority I take this opportunity to tender to the people my sincere and grateful thanks for this evidence of their continued confidence and esteem, and to assure them that this appreciation of my efforts to serve them in the past will be an incentive to hightest efforts in the future. Respectfully:

H. Steenerson

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Add to your earning capacity a little each day, but subtract at least one-fourth of each dollar you earn and place it in a bank account. By so doing you multiply present contentment and future comfort by every deposit you make.

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We Welcome You Here.

Holt State Bank

Capital $10,000.00 Surplus $2500.00

D. B. BAKKE, President B. DOCKEN, Cashier

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Flour! "Cremo" Flour!

"Cremo" Flour means the very BEST to be obtained in flour.

Your Money Refunded if the Flour is not as GUARANTEED.

The People's "Cash Store"

Everything in Merchandise

Sollom Brothers, Proprietors

Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Oct. 31. 1914.

Date of call by Supt. Nov. 4. 1914

Date of report by Bank. Nov. 5. 1914

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		[illegible]
Overdrafts		448 12
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,585 79
Other Real Estate		2,800 86
Due from Banks	9,162 65	
Cash on Hand	2427 18	
Total Cash Assets		11,589 83
Checks and Cash Items		1,880 51
Total		$56,124 03

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock and Surplus	$12,500 00
Undivided Profits, net	1,682 08
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)	[illegible]
Deposits	[illegible]
Total	$56,124 03
Amount of Reserve on Hand	$12,970 34
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law	[illegible]

State of Minnesota ⎫
County of Marshall ⎭ ss

We, D. B. Bakke President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President.
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNHEIM
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Nov. 1914.

[SEAL] Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919

Carlsons autoed over to Newfolden Tuesday

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs C. Yttri last week Thursday

Alfred Sollom returned Saturday from Canada. Elmee and Tilda Nyberg came back with him

The Sunday school have some new English song books now, the gift of a friend. Come Sunday and see how you like them

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 1004.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on Oct. 31th 1914.

Date of call by Supt. Nov. 6, 1914.

Date of report by bank. Nov. 7, 1914.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$37,025 38
Overdrafts		36 55
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		3,561 38
Other Real Estate		700 00
Due from Banks	2,650 88	
Cash on hand	944 41	
Total cash assets		3,604 29
Checks and cash items		1045 62
Total		$44,973 22

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock and Surplus	$12,000 00
Undivided Profits, net	226 11
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)	15,000 00
Deposits	$17,747 11
Total	$44,973 22
Amount of Reserve on Hand	$4,649 91
Amt of Reserve Required by Law	$2,137 18

State of Minnesota ⎫
County of Marshall ⎭ ss

We, Lars Backe President, and B. L. Backe Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LARS BACKE, President,
B. L. BACKE, Cashier.

Correct Attest: S. S. KOLDEN
(Two) Directors ARNOLD BJERKHOEL

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Nov. 1914.

(Seal) NILS ENGEBRETSEN, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-15-1919

Dr. J. C. R. CHAREST

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

Office in Union Block

Thief River Falls - - Minn.

Read our new Ads. this week.

Mrs. Bray visited in Fertile a few days, the guest of her mother, returning home Monday.

THE choicest and mildest of tobaccos—a wholesomeness most acceptable! FATIMA the Turkish-blend cigarette.

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If you cannot secure Fatima Cigarettes from your dealer, we will be pleased to send you three packages postpaid on receipt of 50c. Address Fatima Dept., 212 Fifth Ave., New York, N.Y.

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20 for 15¢

FATIMA
TURKISH BLEND CIGARETTES
Cameron & Cameron Co. Richmond, VA.
NO GOLD TIPS BUT FINEST QUALITY

LIMITED CHOICE OF VIANDS

Guest Who Didn't Care for Salmon Was in Fair Way to Have Hot Breakfast.

In some parts of the Canadian back country the recurrence of boiled salmon, broiled salmon, salmon cutlets, and salmon steak at every meal becomes, after a few weeks, a trifle monotonous. To the native palate, brought up on it, this constant reappearance of the selfsame dish is a matter of course; but to the newly arrived tourist it grows at last into a feeble joke.

"Is there nothing else for breakfast?" said one such victim of colonial hospitality, as a whole fish and a pot of mustard were laid before him on the table."

"Nothing else!" replied the host, in surprise. "Why, there's salmon enough there for six, aint' there?"

"Yes," responded the guest, mildly; "but I don't care for salmon."

"Well, then, fire into the mustard," was the rejoinder.

Mighty Handy.

Some negroes are insatiable "jiners," and their favorite organizations are those which assure an ostentatious funeral.

A mistress was remonstrating with her servant about belonging to one of them.

"Donnibel, don't you think it is mighty foolish to pay the 'Friends and True Mourners society' twenty-five cents every month?"

"Naw'm, Miss Ma'y, I don't. You see, dee ain't like some of de s'cities; dee acts liberal, and don't skimp on nothin'. Dee gives you de finest kind of coffin, en makes a way for ev'rybody to git to your burial. En den, 'sides dat, dee gives you thirty dollars at the grave, en you know thirty dollars comes in mighty handy."

Its Kind.

"This man threw a lamp at his wife."

"Then indict for him for light assault."

Generally.

"Where was that big sea fight of which you were speaking?"

"On the front page, I think, my dear."

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"Surpassing others in greatness, goodness, extent or value of any quality."—*Century Dictionary.*

That's the definition, and that's why Post Toasties are called the

Superior Corn Flakes

—the surpassing, delicate Indian Corn flavour being sealed in by skillful toasting with sugar and salt.

Post Toasties

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Ready to serve direct from the package.

To secure the Superior Corn Flakes, ask for

Post Toasties

—sold by Grocers.

JAPS URGED TO AID WEST ARMIES —TAKE TSING-TAU

BATTLE IN SAND DUNES GOES ON —MUSCOVITES ASSERT FORCES HAVE EASTERN SITUATION IN HAND.

FRENCH AND BRITISH HAVE DECLARED WAR ON TURKEY

Muscovites Say Kaiser's Men Have Fallen Back Across Frontier Into Their Own Domain—Berlin Reports Plan to Crush Army of Czar With 3,000,000 Men.

BY GEORGE A. DORSEY.
By International News Service.

Pekin, Nov. 10.—Enticing offers have been made to Japan by agents of the allies in China to induce the Mikado to throw 200,000 of his seasoned troops into the Eureopena Theater of war.

Allies Exert Pressure.

Following the fall of Tsing-Tau, which releases Japanese troops and warships, and removes German menace to Japan's prestige in the Orient, the allies are exerting every effort to bring Japan into the western conflict.

A guarantee of a freer hand in the affairs of China is the price offered for the Mikado's troops. The younger statesmen are said to have welcomed the proffer with enthusiasm, but the more conservative are dubious.

Effect on Tsing-Tau.

The effect of such a move on the status of Tsing-Tau is problematical. Japan has insisted that her only intention is to restore the territory to China, but this, it is learned, will be done only under a rigid agreement that China shall cede no more territory to any European power.

Failing this undertaking from China, Japan will proclaim her title to Tsing-Tau in perpetuity. Japan's announcement following the fall of Tsing-Tau made no admission of British influence in the future of the province.

A Herculean Task.

To carry 200,000 troops to the Russian battle front by way of the trans-Siberian railroad, Japan would have to perform the Herculean task of transporting them nearly 800 miles across the Sea of Japan to Vladivostock and then 5,500 miles over a single track railroad. This movement will have to be made in the dead of the Siberian winter and would require at least until the late spring to accomplish.

To reach France the Japanese would have to use the Panama canal, to which she has a right for transporting soldiers or warships under the treaty.

Claim Russians Advance.

London, Nov. 9.—The German and Austrian armies are on the defensive both in the East and West. They have at least for the present given up their efforts to break through the allied lines around Ypres, in Belgium, where the British and French have taken the offensive and, according to the reports from French headquarters have commenced to advance, and in the East they have fallen back to and over their own frontiers in East Prussia, and in Poland have crossed the border, while the Russian cavalry has penetrated Silesia, to the north of Kalisz, and cut the German railway

The Russians are following up their advantage in Galicia and, it is said, have succeeded in cutting the retreating Austrians off from Cracow, and the German army is retiring through Poland. In fact, at only one point on the two battle fronts do the Germans claim success. That is to the west of the Argonne region, where the German emperor's forces have succeeded in taking from the French an important height near Vienne-Le-Chateaux.

Elsewhere the French troops have made progress and retaken the positions which they had lost during the course of the week. This is notably so in the Aisne valley around Soissons, where they have regained the ground which the Germans, by fierce assaults, had taken from them.

Belgians Claim Progress.

The Belgians, who are holding the line reaching to the coast, also have made progress and it would thus seem the Germans are waiting for additional reinforcements before renewing their attempt to smash through to the French seaports.

While the reports of the allies' offensive in the West have given hope in London that the Germans will fall back to a line further removed from the sea, all uneasiness has not passed, for they have shown wonderful recuperative powers. The presence of the Russians in East Prussia and Silesia, however, although the latter are only cavalry, it is believed here, will prevent the Germans from sending any more troops to the West, for it does not then compel them to withdraw some of their troops from that front.

Greece Near War.

Nothing of first class moment has occurred up to the present in the near east, but Turkey is being attacked in isolated spots by the Russians and British, and the Turks apparently are coming very close to war with Greece, that situation having been aggravated by the sinking of a Greek steamer by the Turks and the threatening of Greeks in Asia Minor.

Neither Bulgaria nor Roumania has made any move as yet.

The Union defense force continues to round up the rebels in South Africa.

Would Destroy Russian Army.

London, Nov. 9.—"It is asserted in Berlin that Germany and Austria-Hungary now have concentrated about 3,000,000 soldiers on the line from Thorn to Cracow and this is considered sufficient to crush the Russian forces," says a dispatch from Copenhagen to the Times.

London, via Paris, Nov. 7.—The French government has followed Britain's initiative by declaring that a "state of war exists between France and Turkey," according to the Bordeaux correspondent to the Havas agency. He says that the foreign office issued the following note:

Action Is Explained.

"The hostile acts of the Turkish fleet against a French steamer, causing the death of two Frenchmen and serious damage to the ship, not having been followed by the dismissal of the German naval military missions, the measure whereby Turkey could disclaim responsibility, the government of this republic is obliged to state that as a result of the action of the Ottoman government a state of war exists between France and Turkey."

No Decision in Flanders.

No decision has been reached in the battle in the sand dunes of west Flanders, and the opposing armies now stand virtually as they have stood for many days. While the Germans keep hammering away at the allies around Ypres, which route they chose for their march to the coast after they had found the road along the sea barred to them, and the allies are making an effort to move northward to Ostend, neither side has gone very far.

The Belgians and those supporting them have found that the floods which they created to stop the German advance are a hindrance to their own movements, although they have been able to occupy some villages, including Bixschoete, which had been in the possession of the Germans.

Allies Say Germans Fail.

Around Ypres the German offensive, according to the accounts of the allies has met with no success. In fact, it seems that along the line there has been merely a repetition of artillery duel and of infantry attacks and counter attacks, which sometimes succeed, but more often do not.

On the frontier in the East more wide sweeping movements are being made by the opposing armies.

The Russians, from all reports, have driven back the German center to the River Warthe in Russian Poland, have held back a German offensive movement from East Prussia, and now are straightening out their line for a more vigorous offensive against the Austrians, who have been trying to beat their left wing in Galicia.

British Look to East.

It is to the battles in these regions that the British military men are looking, for they declare that if the Russians can keep up their successful fighting against the Austrians and Germans relief will come to the allied armies in the West, because of the necessity for a withdrawal of German army corps from France and Belgium to protect Silesia and East Prussia.

Berlin Blames Floods.

London, Nov. 5.—That the German army has abandoned its attempt to push its way along the Belgian coast to Calais is agreed by all the official reports. A combination of inundated country, the remnant of the Belgian army under King Albert and the activity of the British warships seemingly all contributed toward ending the costly struggle.

A Berlin official report states that failure of the German movement is due entirely to the flooded state of the country where the water in places is over a man's head, but it declares that the army of Emperor William withdrew in good order and without losses. After nearly three weeks of desperate fighting the brunt of the attack now has shifted to the Ypres region.

In the Ypres district the British army of Field Marshal Sir John French reinforced by Indians and territorials apparently must meet another onslaught. To the scene of this contemplated battle, according to reports, Emperor William has gone to give encouragement to his men by his presence.

British Smash Turk Base.

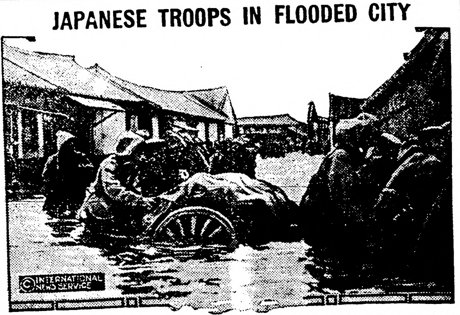
The British cruiser Minerva has smashed the Turkish base of operations against Egypt at the head of the Gulf of Akabah. The Turkish ambassador in London has as yet made no arrangements to leave and the embassy still maintains a conciliatory attitude.

The closing of the North Sea to all shipping except that which places itself under the protection of the British fleet, is recognized as the first stroke of Admiral Baron Fisher, the new first sea lord of the admiralty, and as one of the most important events of the war.

All cargoes destined for German or Austrian consumption must now run the gauntlet of British inspection in the English channel, the Straits of Gibraltar or the Suez Canal.

The making of the North Sea a military area already has brought adverse comments from Germany. The Cologne Gazette claims that Great Britain virtually has proclaimed a blockade of the North Sea which its fleets will be unable to enforce.

JAPANESE TROOPS IN FLOODED CITY



Just before the arrival of the Japanese troops in the leased territory of Kiauchau there were heavy rains that inundated the country. The picture shows Japanese soldiers pulling a light field gun through the flooded streets of a Chinese town.

U. S. INTERNS GERMAN SHIP

Cruiser and Supply Ship Stay at Honolulu to Escape Japanese Craft Waiting at Sea.

Washington, Nov. 9.—The little German cruiser Geier, which has been undergoing repairs at Honolulu while a Japanese squadron waited outside the harbor for her to reappear on the high seas has been interned for the war at Honolulu as the time set by the American government for her to intern or leave port had expired.

A small supply ship which accompanied the Geier also was interned. The case of the Geier, a craft of 1,600 tons, aroused much interest. Soon after she dropped anchor in the harbor of Honolulu, about three weeks ago, after a voyage from the Far East, a big and powerful Japanese cruiser, the Hizen, appeared off the Hawaiian coast and anchored outside the three-mile limit. Later another Japanese cruiser joined the Hizen and they seemed determined to wait as long as necessary for the enemy.

Kaiser Decorates Seamen.

London, Nov. 9.—A wireless dispatch here by the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company from Berlin says: "Admiral Craddock's fleet has been annihilated in the Pacific by the Germans. The losses on our side amounted to only a few wounded and the material damage to our ships was insignificant. On the recommendation of the commander of the cruiser Karlsruhe, Emperor William has conferred the Order of the Iron Cross upon the commanders and all officers, warrant officers and 50 non-commissioned officers and members of the crew of that cruiser."

No Proof of Second Battle.

Valparaiso, Chile, Nov. 9.—No confirmation has been received here of the reports that have been prevalent for the last few days that naval battles have taken place off the coast of Peru and off Coquimbo, Chile. Both reports are considered baseless.

Turkish Fleet Is Active.

Berlin, via Amsterdam, Nov. 7.—An official dispatch from Constantinople states that the Turkish fleet has bombarded the Russian port of Batoum on the Black Sea and caused damage. Batoum is the chief Russian port of Trans-Caucasia. It was ceded by Turkey to Russia in 1878. Turkish naval authorities have seized in the harbor of Constantinople thirty-six French vessels, eight Russian vessels and one Belgian steamer.

Idaho Generous; Aids Belgians.

New York, Nov. 7.—Officials of the Rockefeller foundation say that they will in a few days announce a plan for receiving contributions of food supplies for relief of Belgian war victims. The decision of the foundation to accept contributions followed the receipt of the following telegram from the Idaho Falls, Idaho, Club of Commerce: "Would you receive 3 to 10 carloads of noted Idaho potatoes gratis for Belgian relief? Upper Snake valley towns would gladly load them."

British Submarine Sunk.

London, Nov. 5.—The British submarine D5 was sunk in the North Sea by a mine which was thrown out by a German cruiser retreating before the British cruisers. Two officers and two men of the submarine were saved.

Persia Announces Neutrality.

London, Nov. 7.—An official statement here says that Persia has presented to all the powers a note announcing her strict neutrality.

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ACCURATE, CLEAN, SURE

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DEFENDS POPULAR REMEDIES

Speakers Says Newspaper Should Investigate Merits of Medicines Before Barring Advertisements.

That an organized attempt has been made to blacken the reputation of the popular family remedies of this country, and to mislead the newspaper publishers into rejecting the advertising of such medicines, was the charge made by Carl J. Balliett, of Buffalo, N. Y., at the convention of the Advertising Affiliation at Detroit.

Mr. Balliett is a director of the Proprietary Association of America, which includes in its membership two hundred firms which make the popular prepared medicines of America.

Mr. Balliett pointed out that it is the duty of the newspaper publisher to refuse the advertising of any fake or fraudulent medicine, just as it is his duty to refuse any fake or fraudulent advertising, but it is not right to shut down on all medical advertising because there have been some fakers, any more than it would be right to refuse to publish all department store advertising because certain stores have made a practice of lying about bargain sales.

Disease and death are mysteries. People who are perfectly well are skeptical. They laugh at the time-worn patent medicine joke, just as they laugh again and again over the many variations of the operation joke —"The operation was a success but the patient died." This so-called humor has perhaps hurt the medicine business with well people, but when the hitherto healthy man feels a severe pain or illness, he immediately wants medicine, and will bless the cure whether it be at the hands of a regular doctor, a homeopath, an osteopath, a Christian Scientist or patent medicine. There is nothing more deadly than disease; nothing more honorable than to cure it.

Mr. Balliett refuted the idea sought to be spread about that patent medicines are unpopular by showing that from 1900 to 1912 the amount of prepared medicines consumed in America increased from $100,000,000 to $160,000,000 annually. He showed that, although the American Medical Association is trying as an organization to exterminate so-called patent medicines, the family doctor, individually, is not fighting them but prescribing them. He estimated that 40% of the prescriptions written by doctors today include proprietary medicines.

The writings of Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, he said, have also aimed to destroy confidence in proprietary medicines; but that Dr. Wiley's ideas are not infallible is shown by cases where his analyses were entirely wrong. Mr. Balliett mentioned a case where, with all the power of the Government, he fought a preparation as being dangerous to health, and was ingloriously walloped.

There has been spread the idea that a clever faker can mix a few useless ingredients and, by smart advertising, sell tons of it and win sudden wealth; whereas, as a matter of fact, the medicine business is notoriously difficult, and, where there has been one success at it, there have been a hundred failures. Any medicine which has no merit cannot live, because persons who are duped into buying it once will not buy it again, and the profit from advertising a medicine can only come from repeat sales to the same, satisfied people. Therefore, any medicine which has been on the market for a number of years, and is still advertised, must have merit behind it to account for its success.

In conclusion Mr. Balliett declared that no newspaper is doing justice to its readers in the matter of medical or other advertising, unless it investigates, not only the wording of the advertisement offered for publication, but the merits of the article advertised. He pointed out that the few newspapers who have been deluded into the policy of barring out medical advertising have adopted this general policy, rather than to form an investigation bureau of this kind which could, in a constructive and useful effort, investigate and decide what is a good product and what is a fraud, in not only the medicine business, but in every other business which advertises its wares to the public.

The audience seemed to agree with Mr. Balliett's ideas on the subject and the chairman decided the question at issue in his favor.

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Military service is not compulsory in Canada but there is an unusual demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for service in the war. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Superintendent Immigration, Ottawa, Canada; or to

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Benj. Davies, R. 6, Dunn Blk., Great Falls, Mont.
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Pattern of a No. 1 Hide.

Leper Asylum.

The Kwnanju asylum, Korea, has grown from an old tile-kiln where the first leper patient was housed five years ago. She had been found on the roadside, almost dead, with worn and bleeding feet, and was taken into the warm tile-kiln and fed and taught. Then followed a little wooden building of three rooms which the missionaries paid for from their own pockets. This has been displaced now by a suitable asylum, the gift of the Mission to Lepers. It will care for 100 patients. Doctor Wilson writes: "I am taking them out of the snow every day now, and we shall soon reach the 100 limit."

EASY WAY TO CLEAR BAD COMPLEXIONS

Pimples and blackheads disappear, red, rough, blotchy complexions become clean, clear and velvety, and hair health and beauty are aided by the regular use of Resinol Soap and a little Resinol Ointment. They do their work easily, quickly and at little cost, even when other methods fail.

Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap stop itching instantly and speedily heal skin humors, sores, wounds and chafings. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

Heredity.

"That gambler's son is a chip of the old block."

"I see. A poker chip."

A mouse scares a woman almost as badly as a milliner's bill scares a man.

Don't Persecute Your Bowels

Cut out cathartics and purgatives. They are brutal, harsh, unnecessary. Try CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

Purely vegetable. Act gently on the liver, eliminate bile, and soothe the delicate membrane of the bowel. Cure Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache and Indigestion, as millions know.

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ALLIES INVADING FATHERLAND AT 3 DIFFERENT POINTS

ASSERTED GERMANS HAVE FAILED TO BREAK DEFENSE LINE IN FRANCE AND BELGIUM UP TO PRESENT TIME.

RUSSIANS REPORT ADVANCES AND RETREAT OF TEUTONS

Muscovites Say Kaiser's Men Have Fallen Back Across Frontier Into Their Own Domain—Berlin Reports Plan to Crush Army of Czar With 3,000,000 Men.

London, Nov. 10.—At three points in the area of hostilities—in Silesia, in East Prussia and in Alsace—forces of the allies are now reported on German soil, and for the first time since the outbreak of hostilities conditions seem to presage, in the opinion of British military observers, a reversal of the roles of the contending armies.

200 Miles of Berlin.

Up to the present time, Germany has been fighting, generally speaking, in the territory of its enemies, but now it would appear to be more or less seriously menaced from the east by the victorious armies of Grand Duke Nicholas, the advance guards of which are less than 200 miles from Berlin.

The Russian advance, unless checked, may have an important bearing upon the fighting in the west, possibly compelling Germany to withdraw troops from France and Belgium.

Claim Russians Advance.

London, Nov. 10.—The German and Austrian armies are on the defensive both in the East and West. They have at least for the present given up their efforts to break through the allied lines around Ypres, in Belgium, where the British and French have taken the offensive and, according to the reports from French headquarters have commenced to advance, and in the East they have fallen back to and over their own frontiers in East Prussia, and in Poland have crossed the border, while the Russian cavalry has penetrated Silesia, to the north of Kalisz, and cut the German railway.

The Russians are following up their advantage in Galicia and, it is said, have succeeded in cutting the retreating Austrians off from Cracow, and the German army is retiring through Poland. In fact, at only one point on the two battle fronts do the Germans claim success. That is to the west of the Argonne region, where the German emperor's forces have succeeded in taking from the French an important height near Vienne-Le-Chateaux.

Elsewhere the French troops have made progress and retaken the positions which they had lost during the course of the week. This is notably so in the Aisne valley around Soissons, where they have regained the ground which the Germans, by fierce assaults, had taken from them

Belgians Claim Progress.

The Belgians who are holding the line reaching to the coast also have made progress and it would thus seem the Germans are waiting for additional reinforcements before renewing their attempt to smash through to the French seaports

The fighting Sunday was carried on in a fog, which interfered with the work of the airmen and likewise the artillery

While the reports of the allies offensive in the West have given hope in London that the Germans will fall back to a line further removed from the sea, all uneasiness has not passed, for they have shown wonderful recuperative powers The presence of the Russians in East Prussia and Silesia, however, although the latter are only cavalry, it is believed here, will prevent the Germans from sending any more troops to the West, for it does not then compel them to withdraw some of their troops from that front

The Austrians apparently have sent a stronger force against Servia and have driven the Serbs out of Slavonia. Of what is going on in Bosnia, which the Servians and Montenegrins invaded almost to the capital, Sarajevo, nothing has been disclosed for weeks, but the operations against their northern border must have had an effect on the Servian plans in Bosnia.

Greece Near War.

Nothing of first class moment has occurred up to the present in the near east, but Turkey is being attacked in isolated spots by the Russians and British, and the Turks apparently are coming very close to war with Greece, that situation having been aggravated by the sinking of a Greek steamer by the Turks and the threatening of Greeks in Asia Minor.

Neither Bulgaria nor Roumania has made any move as yet

The Union defense force continues to round up the rebels in South Africa

Would Destroy Russian Army

London, Nov 10 "It is asserted in Berlin that Germany and Austria-Hungary now have concentrated about 3,000,000 soldiers on the line from Thorn to Cracow and this is considered sufficient to crush the Russian forces," says a dispatch from Copenhagen to the Times

GENERAL SHIFTING OF WORKING ORDER IN LOWER HOUSE

MANY CHANGES IN ORGANIZATION AS CONSEQUENCE OF REDUCED MAJORITY WILL BE FORCED ON DEMOCRATS.

SHIFT OF 12 VOTES WOULD GIVE MINORITY CONTROL

Republicans Likely to Gain Larger Representation on Committees and Progressives Lose What They Had, Due to Election Changes —"Uncle Joe" to Be Back.

Washington, Nov. 7.—Many changes in the organization of the house of representatives will be made when Champ Clark and "Uncle Joe" Cannon once more face each other across the center aisle at the beginning of the next congress. The dwindling of the Democratic majority, which will drop after the close of the December session from 40 to 24 will necessitate a general shifting of the working order in the house.

Perfect Organization Necessary.

With their slender majority, the Democrats, while able to re-elect Speaker Clark and retain control of the committees will be forced to maintain an almost perfect organization. With a full attendance in the house a shift of 12 votes would thrown the control to the minority side.

Practically complete returns give the Democrats 229, Republicans 196, Progressives 7, Socialists 1, Independents 1, and doubtful 1. This would give the Democrats a plurality of 33 over the Republicans and of 24 over the combined opposition.

This narrow margin will probably result in a rearrangement of committee representation, the Democrats now holding overwhelming majorities in all of the standing committees. The falling off of the Progressives from 19 in the present house to 7, probably will cut their committee representation materially, and even may lose them the few important places they hold in the present house.

Kitchin Probable Leader.

Democratic leadership in the House will undergo great changes. Representative Underwood was elected to the Senate and will leave the House at the close of the December session. Representative Kitchin of North Carolina, the ranking Democrat on the ways and means committee, will claim the Democratic leadership by right of seniority and is expected to have the support of southern Democrats generally.

Representative Mann of Illinois undoubtedly will retain the Republican leadership, facing the Democrats with formidable support. His ranks will include, besides former Speaker Cannon, numerous other Republicans who have recaptured the places they lost in the 1912 campaign.

Five Tariff Framers Out.

The election will vacate five of the fourteen Democratic places on the ways and means committee, which framed the Underwood tariff law. Representative Underwood goes to the Senate Representative Hammond was elected governor of Minnesota Representative Mitchell of Massachusetts, who succeeded Representative Peters on the committee when the latter became assistant secretary of the treasury, was defeated at the polls.

Representative Palmer of Pennsylvania surrendered his seat to run for the Senate and was defeated and Representative Stanley of Kentucky sought the senatorial nomination in Kentucky and lost his place. Representative Murdock of Kansas, the Progressive leader and member of the committee, lost his seat in an effort to go to the Senate

Other Committee Changes

Two Democratic members of the rules committee will not return. The labor committee lost two Democrats Four Democratic members of the banking and currency committee failed to be re-elected The Democrats also lost five members who were on the military affairs committee, the Republicans one and the Progressives one. The judiciary committee will be practically unchanged

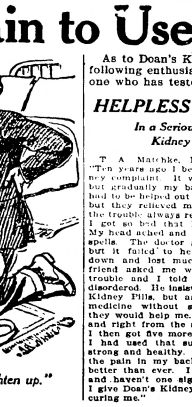
In the Senate the indicated increase in the Democratic majority was welcomed by administration leaders, who have been hampered during the present Congress by the narrow margin of their control.

U. S. Acts For Turkey

Washington, Nov 6 The United States embassy has taken charge over Turkish affairs in London

Kansas City Pens Destroyed

Kansas City, Nov 9 Twenty acres of cattle pens, one third of the local stock yards, were destroyed with a loss estimated at three quarters of a million dollars by a fire that was still burning today Three men were injured by burns and falling timbers While it was impossible then to determine the full extent of the damage it was apparent that the local yards would be seriously crippled in handling the unusually heavy shipments of stock expected here as the result of the quarantine of the Chicago yards



Put That Pain to Use

The network of nerves in your body, like the network of wires in a burglar alarm system, gives quick warning when anything is going wrong inside. Looking at it in this way a pain is a useful alarm. Now, kidney weakness is a dangerous thing—a condition not to be neglected—and it is wise to know and pay attention to the early alarm signals of sick kidneys.

Backache is a common warning of congestion or inflammation in the kidneys. It may be dull, nagging pain, or a sharp twinge when stooping or lifting. There are likely to be disorders of urination, dizziness, headaches, and drowsy, despondent, tired feelings.

It is very hard to strengthen weak kidneys at first, but neglect invites rheumatic or neuralgic attacks, gravel, dropsy, and fatal Bright's disease.

As a special medicine for weak kidneys Doan's Kidney Pills have been used for years all over the civilized world, and surely are considered reliable. The patient can always help the medicine immensely, however, by dieting lightly, using little or no liquor, tea or coffee, keeping regular hours and drinking lots of pure water.

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In a Serious Plight from Kidney Disorders

T. A. Matchke, Hillsboro, N. D., says: "Ten years ago I began to suffer from kidney complaint. It wasn't very bad at first, but gradually my back got so lame that I had to be helped out of bed. I wore plasters, but they relieved me only temporarily and the trouble always returned worse than ever. I got so bad that I couldn't do anything. My head ached and I had dizzy and nervous spells. The doctor gave me some medicine but it failed to help me. I was all run down and lost much weight. One day a friend asked me what seemed to be the trouble and I told him my kidneys were disordered. He insisted on my taking Doan's Kidney Pills, but as I had tried so much medicine without success, I didn't think they would help me. I got a box, however, and right from the start they benefited me. I then got five more boxes and by the time I had used that supply my kidneys were strong and healthy. The headaches left me, the pain in my back was cured and I felt better than ever. I now weigh 181 pounds and haven't one sign of kidney complaint. I give Doan's Kidney Pills all the credit for curing me."

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SOME TERRIBLE WAR BILLS

That of the United States Government Heads the List in Point of Size.

The wars of Napoleon in 13 years cost France $1,000,000,000 writes Wendell Phillips Dodge in Leslie's. Our Civil war expenditures of the Civil government amounted to $3,400,000,000, or nearly thirteen times as much a year as Napoleon's. The Franco-German war cost France $1,580,000,000, besides an added war indemnity of $1,000,000,000. This same great war, which lasted only 190 days, cost Germany $450,000,000 for an average fighting force of 1,250,000 men. The other big European war of the past half century, the Russo-Turkish war, cost Russia $786,140,000, but she had two years' fighting for her money. The war in the far East cost Japan $650,000,000 and Russia $723,000,000, not counting lost ships. Only toward the end had either side anything like a million men in the field. Italy's little war with Turkey cost $400,000 a day, allowing for a mere 60,000 fighting men; and the Boer war, in which England's army averaged 200,000, cost $1,055,000,000 in two and a half years.

Cub's Faux Pas.

This may be a base libel on an honored profession, but it is told by the man who perpetrated the faux pas. He was a reported for a Baltimore paper—or had been one for about an hour, this being his first experience in newspaper work—when the city editor send him out to see Cardinal Gibbons. The "cub" rushed down to the modest white house where the venerable prelate lives, says the Philadelphia Evening Ledger, and rang the bell. A man servant opened the door.

"Is the cardinal at home?" asked the reporter.

"No, sir."

"Oh, Mrs. Gibbons will do," ejaculated the "cub."

Have Best War Hospital

The Red Cross hospital of 200 beds near Torquay, established by American women, is said to be the best arranged war hospital in England, according to Sir Frederick Treves, the distinguished surgeon The organization, which has at its head wealthy Americans like Mrs John Astor, Lady Paget and others, has appropriated $25,000 for motor ambulances Funds are ample to maintain the hospital for another year it is said

A REBELLION
Food Demanded

The human body will stand [illegible] abuse, but sometime it will surely rebel and demand proper food in place of the pasty, starchy, greasy stuffs on which it has been made sick

Then is the time to try Grape-Nuts the most scientific and perfect food in the world

A lady of Washington says: "Three years ago I was very ill with catarrh of the stomach and was given up to die by one doctor I laid in bed four months and my stomach was so weak that I could not keep down medicine or hardly any kind of food and was so weak and emaciated after four months of this starvation that my daughter could easily lift me from bed and put me in my chair.

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"I am now strong and in better health than for a great many years and am gradually growing still stronger. I rely on Grape-Nuts for much of the nourishment that I get The results have certainly been wonderful in my case and prove that no stomach is so weak it will not digest Grape-Nuts

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His Better Half.

"Here, my dear," said the husband, producing his purse, "here is $50 I won playing cards over at Brown's last night. You may have it to buy that dress you wanted."

Reluctantly the conscientious wife took the money; then said, with an expression of rigid recititude:

"I simply shudder at the thought of using money gained in such a way. Henry, promise me that after you have won enough for me to buy the hat to go with the dress you will never again touch those awful cards. I don't want my husband to become a gambler."

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It helps the human system in the constant manufacture of rich, red blood. It helps the stomach to assimilate or take up the proper elements from the food, thereby helping digestion and curing dyspepsia, heart-burn and many uncomfortable symptoms, stops excessive tissue waste in convalescence from fevers; for the run-down, anæmic, thin-blooded people, the "Discovery" is refreshing and vitalizing.

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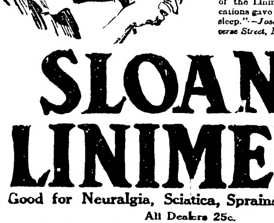
Read Chapter VII on Circulatory Organs in the "Medical Adviser"—A French cloth-bound book of 1008 pages sent on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps, address as above.



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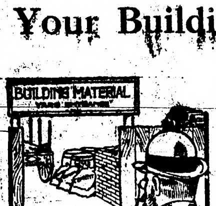

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B. Docken, Business Manager.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of October 1914.

—N. Engebretson, Notary Public, Marshall Co., Minn. My commission expires 6-15-1919.

Estray

A white sheep came to my place about four weeks ago. Owner may have same by paying for this notice and expense of keeping.

Andrew Hanson.
Sec. 18 Holt Twp.

Found:- Auto lamp. Prove property and pay for this notice.

Elmer Sollom has returned to his duties in his brother's store.

H. M. Olson's sale is next Monday morning at Martell's barn.

Miss Ella Olberg of Middle River is visiting her sister Mrs. S. Kolden.

This is the time to buy cattle and horses, as they will be high in the spring.

Clarence Erickson of Randen visited Thorval Kolden, Friday and Saturday.

C. W. Christianson and family of Albert Lea are moving onto the old Skibley farm which he purchased.

The Torey and Oscar Bottom families were Sunday visitors at the T. A. Tobiason home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hanson of Enderlin, N. D. are visiting at the Frank Coppay home.

Henry Oien, Alfred Olson and Clarence Kolden autoed over to Newfolden Saturday evening.

Peter Anderson, Lester Silbaugh, Ludwig Monson, Arthur Brotten and Leonard Jensen autoed to Newfolden Saturday evening.

Ernest Silbaugh enjoyed a few days vacation at home last week while his instructors took in the convention at Crookston.

M. T. Strom left Monday for Grand Forks, Thompson and other points in Dak. and Minn. He expects to be gone a couple of weeks.

Miss Jacobson has returned from Germantown where she had been visiting for the past week. She reports having a most desirable time.

B. L. Backe sold a quarter section a little over two miles from town, on Saturday, to C. Aubal of St. Hilaire. We understand Mr. Aubal intends to make his home here in the near future.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.05
Wheat No. 2	1.01
Wheat No. 3	.98
Wheat No. 4	.94
Flax	1.28
Oats	.37
Barley	.36 to .44
Rye	.88
Flour, Best Patent	3.35

South East of Holt written for last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Spiney and children Joseph, Effie, and Myrtle, spent a very pleasant afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson.

Messrs Anderson and Paul Kisch- spent Sunday visiting with their sister Mrs. Arno Stienhaur.

Oscar Moe spent Sunday at the home of C. Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Larson visited with their daughter Ragna Sunday last,

Christ Saastad visited at the home of M. Sordahl on Monday.

Mike Johnson had the misfortume of loosing a horse last week.

Oscar Moe who has been working for A. Steinhaur for a week, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. S. Moe and daughter Gunda and sons Arthur, Simon and Manual were pleasant visitors at the home of C. Larson of Golden Valley Sunday, Gunda will remain with her sister Mrs. Larson, for some time.

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

It is now time to square up your subscription or the editor will both starve and freeze.

Something over $50.00 was taken in by the Ladies' Aid at their auction Saturday evening.

There will be a dance in the Star Hall Wednesday evening Nov. 25th. Good music will be furnished and all are invited. 20

The frame work for the first story of the new school house, was raised Monday and the work is being pushed with all possible vigor, this nice weather,

Do your cows make money for you? Join the contest and find out. It is the biggest thing ever offered the farmer.

H. M. Olson will sell his personal property at public auction, at Chas. Martell's barn in Holt. Sale commences at 11 o'clock Monday forenoon, November 16th 1914. Come.

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Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 10:30 and you are invited.

The Ladies' Aid of the Free Mission church will meet Thursday Nov. 19th, at the Chas. Smith home.

A free dinner will be served in the basement of the Free Mission Church on Thanksgiving Day. Several Ministers will be present and there will be services all day.

Auction Sale!

The auction sale of H. M. Olson will be held next Monday Nov 16th commencing at 11 o'clock A. M., at Martell's barn in Holt. Mules, Colts, Cows, Machinery and articles too numerous to mention, will be sold at regular terms.

Notice!

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the school house of District No. 35 of Marshall Co., Minnesota, at the school house on the 13th day of Nov. 1914 from 6:30 o'clock P. M. to 8:30 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said municipality in the aggregate sum of $3000.00 bearing interest at the rate of (4) four per centum per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purposes: $3000.00 for completeing the new school house and for plumbing and heating the new school house, to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the Clerk.

Dated October 31st, 1914.
D. Payne, Clerk.
District No. 35, Marshall Co. Minn.

Holt Public School Notes

Record of the Primary Department for the month of October.

Neither absent nor tardy.

Pearl Reierson Louis Hanson
Carl Hanson Martin Olson
Walmer Risberg Vermon Huseth
Arnold Huseth Bennie Heinze
Johnnie Sollom

New Pupils

Martha Newton Norman Newton
Clifford Newton

100 in Spelling

Emma Tobiason Elevina Sollom
Myrtle Sollom
Ruth Tobiason (99 per cent)

Jno. Lein was an over Sunday guest at the Gunheim home.

Carl Newton moved his family here from McIntosh Monday They occupy rooms over the printing office.

Jacob Nelson was here from Crookston between trains Tuesday. He expects to move here the first of next week and run the restaurant.

This fall Smeby & Aasen have sold 25 manure spreaders, 19 Clover Leaf and 6 box spreaders have gone out to do good service.—Newfolden Review. How did they do it? They are regular advertisers and believe in printers ink.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Nov. 3, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ole M. Larson of Holt, Minn. who on Nov. 22nd 1910 made Homestead Entry No. 0575[illegible] for N 1-2 SW 1-4 Sec. 27 Twp. 156 N Range 42 W 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson. U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 7th day of December. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses.

Olaus Rodahl, Clarence Knutson, Albert C. Jahr and Geo. C. Anderson all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Swan Carlson has a good young team for sale, which he is advertising.

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Attorney-at-Law
Evenson Block
Thief River Falls, - Minn.

CHARLES A. PITKIN
Attorney at Law
Office in McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, - - Minnesota.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Aug. 1914.

Cream received	15,616 lbs
Average test	28.94
Butter fat	4,520.43 lbs
Percent overrun	23.30
Butter made	5,574 lbs
Balance on hand last month	52 01
Received for butter shipped	1443 19
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 15
Cash sales at creamery	33 28
Total	$1,534 63
Paid patrons by check	1338 62
" " " Butter & milk	6 15
Expense fund, etc.	101 54
To sinking fund	31 30
Balance on hand	57 02
Total	$1,534 63

Number of patrons, 89
Price paid for butter fat, 30c
T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Nov. 4, 1914. Notice is hereby given that Ludvig Rudrud of Newfolden Minn, who on Jan. 28th 1908 made Homestead Entry No. 24658 Serial No. 02184 for SE1-4 NW1-4 Sec. 7. Twp. 156 N. Range 44 W. 5th P. M has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Thief River Falls, on the 15th day of Dec. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Carl Soreson, Ole Niflot, Gust Ekmand and Andrew Ekmand all of Newfolden, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Oct. 12, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence Knutson, Holt, Minnesota, who on Feb. 16th 1909, made Homestead Entry, No. 01511, for S 1-2 N W 1-4 and S 1-2 NE 1-4 Section 27 Twp. 156 N. Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 16th day of Nov. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses;

John H. Knutson, Carl Surmo, Ole M. Larson, Nels A. Fosen all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Oct. 6. 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Henry F. Erickson, of Germantown, Minn., who, on Nov. 23, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 06789, for N W. 1-4 Sec. 13, Twp. 155 N. Range 42 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 21st day of Nov 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Louis Larson, Lars Thorson, John Ristau and George Posten, all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

VOL IV. HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER, 20, 1914 NO [illegible]

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We are now favored with 65 per cent of the volume of banking business transacted, season of 1913 and our business is steadily growing. The time for serious reflection is at hand and we urge caution in the selection of your banking connection for the coming season. It is wise and proper that you place yourself in the path of opportunity by identifying yourself with this Bank while the moving is good. Safety guaranteed and highest interest paid depositors.

We Play No Favorites

We play no favorites among our patrons but we aim to be helpful to all. When you become a depositor of this bank you are assured of the same banking advantages as the richest man who is on our books, your interests watched with the same conscientious care. To assist you is our policy. In addition to offering you the best of banking facilities we make personal financial service a confidential feature of our work. If we know what you want to accomplish we are on the lookout for ways to help you and are ready and willing at all times to advise you on all financial matters.

Farmers' State Bank of Holt.
LARS BACKE, President
S. S. KOLDEN, Vice President - B. L. BACKE, Cashier
The Pioneer Bank Officials of Holt

KNUTE NELSON
United states Commissioner, Distric of Minnesota
Final Proofs and Homestead Entries carefully attended to.
Middle River, - - Minnesota.

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Be sure to see our stock of Christmas Goods and Toys and get our Prices before placing your orders.
The Kind of Christmas Goods and Toys that will give great happiness and contentment to the Children.
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Fancy Patent Flour
Every Sack Guaranteed
None better sold in Holt
Made exclusively for
Holt Mercantile Co

Local Items

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Miss Ella Olberg is clerking in Sollom's store.

Edgewood school, dist. 28, have a basket social to-night, Nov. 20th.

Dr. Turley, the dentist, will be at the hotel, again, Monday Dec. 7th.

Try the New Lunch Room next time you are in Holt.
C. W. Latta Prop.

We are informed the Synod church people have given up the auction, previously planned for Thanksgiving Day

A partition has been put in the M. W. A. hall so as to make it easier to heat the room for the primary pupils.

There will be a dance in the Star Hall Wednesday evening Nov. 25th. Good music will be furnished and all are invited. 20

Misses Emma Dahlman and Annie Lindstrom of Alvarado visited a few days, the past week, at the Chris Saastad home.

The noise of the new feed mill is good music to both town and country people and is another industry added to our town.

B. L. Backe and Jno. Alkenbrack went to Warren Friday after a Buick auto which Mr. Backe sold to Mr. Alkenbrack.

The contract for furnishing the steam heating plant for the new school house has been let to [illegible] Johnson of Warren for $2867.00.

Don't forget to attend the basket social in Dist. No. 112, on Saturday evening November 21, Miss Saastad, Teacher. Everybody welcome.

Be careful and do not eat too much turkey next Thursday, and be thankful for the blessings that God in his wonderful love and mercy has given you.

Jacob Nelson and family moved here Monday from Crookton and took charge of the restaurant at once. The Mickelson family have moved into the Iverson house for the winter months.

A number of young folks gave a surprise party at the pleasant home of Fred Ewald, last Saturday evening. Everyone enjoyed themselves until the wee hours of the morning, and then returned home with drowsy eyes, but "we should worry."

Messrs C. H. Gunheim, [illegible] Johnson and E. R. L. Rodman and their families were Sunday guests of the Gunder Sorter family. An enjoyable time was had by all present not departing for their respective home until night.

Among the many things you can be thankful for is one that you live under a government for the people, of the people and by the people and that no crowned head can declare war and cause you to fight, whenever he takes a fancy or has a quarrel.

There will be a basket social and entertainment in the East Valley School, District No. 148, Saturday, Nov. 28. The proceeds to be used for the benefit of the school. Everybody welcome.

Teacher, Agnes [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs B Docken entertained a little company of friends at a turkey supper Tuesday evening in honor of their little son [illegible]'s first birthday. A very enjoyable evening was spent and the guests departing at almost midnight voted Mr and Mrs Docken as hospitable entertainers.

Southeast of Holt.

Winter is here again with its cold sharp weather.

The Ladies Aid of the Free Church will have their sale on Thanksgiving day Nov. 26th at the home of S. G. Moe. Parcels will also be sold and lunch served. Sale commences at 1.30 P. M. All are welcome.

Mr. G. Michaelson made a business trip to Middle River on Thursday.

Harry Moe made a trip to T. R. Falls last Thursday to have some dental work done.

Mr. Hoff of Middle River who broke one hundred acres of land on the Gobler farm in town of Agdar, had his rig pulled home on Thursday of last week.

There will be a basket party in N. Sordahl school house Dist. 112 on Saturday evening Nov. 21 Everybody is cordially invited.

Mr. Paul Quindlog called at the home of G. Mickaelson last Tuesday.

Gunda Moe returned to her home on Monday after a two weeks visit with her sister Mrs. Clarence Larson of Golden Galley.

Gilbert Michaelson and family are busy moving into the Ole Nelson's house where they will reside during the winter.

Thanksgiving Ball in the Star Hall, Wednesday evening Nov. the 25th. Come one, come all and enjoy the ball.

Fur coats are in evidence these frosty morns.

Ole Ellingson has completed his new house and moved his family into it the first of the week.

Mrs. Adolph Sollom was an over Sunday guest of her sister, Miss Myrtle Thomas at T. R. Falls.

Only eighteen votes were cast at the school election Friday evening but they were all for the bond issue.

The man or woman who is always busy, does not have time to watch for the faults of their neighbor's.

The frame work for the second story of the school house has been raised and inclosed and the work is being pushed as rapidly as possible.

The tail end of a snow storm and a cold wave seems to have struck this country and we have received warning that winter will soon be here.

More cattle [illegible] shipped out from here of late but we hope none will be shipped in until the terrible foot and mouth disease which has been raging in several states, has been wiped out.

Roy Von D[illegible] has been employed here on the section for a short time moved his family here from T. R. Falls the middle of the week. They will occupy the smaller of the section houses.

We noticed a dealer advertising coal all summer. Some are now advertising corn binders. If business men would advertise seasonable merchandise and change their ads frequently they would have no kicks coming.

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RUSSIANS AGAIN HOLD CENTER OF STAGE

TREMENDOUS BATTLE DEVELOPING THERE AS RUSSIANS ARE PUSHING GREAT ENVELOPING MOVEMENT.

Entente Hope Teuton Reinforcements Will Be Dispatched from West to Eastern Germany—Vienna Admits Evacuating Eastern Galicia Before Czar's Army.

London, Nov. 17.—After four weeks of most desperate fighting there is a lull in the battle in Flanders. With this lull, however, has come little relief for the men in the trenches, as the artillery and rifle fire, to which they have been subjected with hardly any intermission, has been replaced by one of those severe storms which so often accompany November in this latitude.

Proportions of Blizzard.

In some parts of England the storm has reached the proportions of a blizzard; on the sea a heavy gale rages and the battlefields are getting their full share of wind and rain. For the most part the opposing armies have been content to shell each other at long range, but the Germans have made several attacks around Ypres which, according to the French general staff, have been repulsed with heavy losses.

Despite these losses it is not believed the Germans have any intention of giving up their attempt to reach the French coast, and the allies are making elaborate preparations to block any further advance in force.

Defense Works Pushed.

Extensive defense works have been erected along the Yser canal, and the French armies are holding that line from the Belgian border south to the River Oise and pushing forward approach works which place them in a better position for either defense or offense.

The Germans report they have taken a few hundred British and French prisoners, but that the unfavorable weather has impeded their progress.

Concerning the fighting around Dixmude, the public must rely on unofficial reports. Here, it is said, the Germans are finding the destroyed village a death trap. They have been unable to debouch from this point in the daytime as all the approaches are commanded by the allies' guns and night attacks have met with disaster.

Neither Side Can Advance.

The fact is apparent that neither side has been able to make any sensible advance, both being so well entrenched that neither artillery nor infantry can move them.

The Germans are turning Belgium into a fortress, which means that if they do not succeed in advancing they intend to be prepared for a winter in Belgium. The whole coast from Ostend to the Dutch border has been placed in a state of defense, and civilians are rigorously excluded from that area.

Fighting in East.

Fighting continues in east Prussia and other regions in the eastern area between the Russians and the Germans and Austrians, but without any decisive result, acording to the Berlin official statement.

A battle of some proportions is going on between the Russians and the Turks at Koprukeui, in the Caucasus, the result of which may have a marked effect on the war in that part of the world. Elsewhere in the near east there has been no engagement of importance.

Bulgaria also has set at rest the report that she had an agreement wth Turkey, and has issued a statement that no such agreement exists.

Great Battle Developing.

London, Nov. 16.—While the battle in west Flanders continues to hold public attention because of the desperate character of the fighting, the numbers of men engaged and the territory at stake, military men now look upon east Prussia as the center of gravity of the war.

In the latter field of operations a tremendous battle is developing. The Russians are pushing vigorously a great enveloping movement. They are engaged with the Germans along a wide curve of 150 miles from Stalluponen, in the northeast, through Goldap and Kruglanken, which is well within the tangle of lakes, down to Soldau in the southwest.

Military observers say the Germans apparently have checked their retreat in Poland and by counter attacks are endeavoring to create diversion. They say, however, that the Russians are not to be turned from their plan, which is believed to be an attack on Danzig. They argue that the Germans either must allow east Prussia to be overrun a second time or bring up reinforcements and that they can hardly weaken their army along the Polish frontier, for that would leave Posen and Silesia open to invasion.

Allies Hope for Sacrifice.

The allies naturally are hoping an effort will be made to relieve east Prussia at a sacrifice to the German armies in Belgium and France.

In any fighting in their own country the Germans will have the advantage over the Russians as they have a network of strategic railways to move their troops quickly and they use motors to a larger extent than their opponents. Military men are watching operations in this region with deepest interest.

Vienna admits the Austrians have evacuated eastern Galicia, but as an offset to this says the Servian resistance has been broken and the Austrians have crossed the Danube, driving the Servians back into their own country.

Vienna also reports that the Austrians have turned their attention to the Montenegrins and are endeavoring to force them back. According to a Montenegrin report they have failed. Accounts from this part of the world are so contradictory, however, that the only thing clear is that the Austrians, by sending up reinforcements virtually have cleared their country of the enemy.

War Costly for Britain.

Great Britain is beginning to learn the cost of the European war. A White Paper, just issued, shows that the government intends to ask parliament for $1,125,000,000, which, with the $500,000,000 voted at the last session, is expected to be Great Britain's bill for the fiscal year ending March 31. Of this sum, however, a small part has been lent to Belgium and Servia, and some will be used to assist the dominions and the allies to make their financial arrangements.

May Be Turn of War.

Paris, Nov. 14.—The high tide of battle on Belgian field has passed, according to information from French official sources. German might has failed as yet to win the way to the English channel. The statement from the Bordeaux war office announces that the fighting from the French border to the North sea has become less violent, a circumstance which previously marked the passing of each of the successive battles.

Particular interest was attached to the French announcement for the reason that the battle in Belgium was considered by both sides as probably marking a definite turn in the general course of the war.

The French statement asserted that all attempts of the Germans to cross the Yser canal were checked. These attempted advances were made at the western outlet from Dixmude.

Russians Still Winning.

The Germans, according to Petrograd dispatches, have suffered a more serious defeat in East Prussia than the official statements have disclosed. Advices from the Russian capital said that in the recent fighting there the Russians captured more than 20,000 prisoners, together with quantities of guns and munitions.

The Russian army, under General Rennenkampff, is fighting its way into east Prussia and has taken Johannisburg, which is on the railway from Lyck to Soldan, both of which towns are in Russian hands. This gives to Russia the control of an important railway line, which skirts the frontier in German territory and several branch railways running into the interior.

The central army, which drove the Germans back from the Vistula, has had only unimportant engagements, but it is known to be pushing forward to the borders of Posen and Silesia, which the Germans are crossing.

The Russian left wing has followed the Kielce railway to the Austrian frontier, and is within a few miles of Cracow, the siege of which is imminent.

The southern army, under General Ruzsky, is at Rzeszow, between Przemysl and Cracow, and its crossing of the San river is being opposed by the Austrians. Another detachment continues the siege of Przemysl, while another is operating against the Austrians who are holding the passes of the Carpathians.

The army of Armenia, whose base is on Kars, Transcaucasia, is approaching the Turkish fortress of Erzerum.

The manner in which Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander-in-chief, is wielding these armies and the mobility they are showing is the subject of admiration on the part of military men here.

Austrians Divisions Annihilated.

A message from Bucharest, according to an Exchange Telegraph company dispatch from Rome, says two Austrian divisions have been annihilated along the river Pruth.

Conclusion of Military Men.

As a matter of fact, military men here believe the Germans, as soon as they saw it was impossible to carry out their design of capturing Warsaw, dispatched troops from that region to the west, not imagining that the Russian pursuit could be carried out with the rapidity with which it has been.

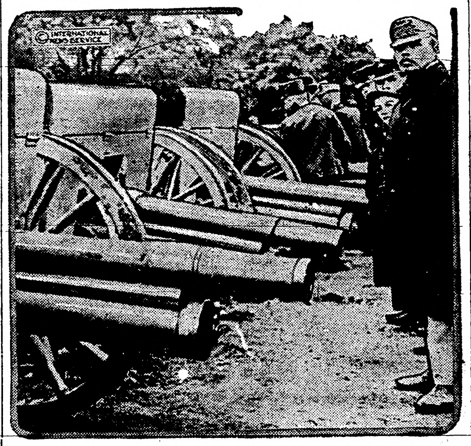
Marks Invasion of England?

London, Nov. 13.—The official press bureau announces that H. M. S. Niger has just been torpedoed by a German submarine in the Downs and foundered. All her officers and crew were saved. Four men were injured.

The sinking of the Niger is declared to mark the opening of the threatened attack on the English coast by German submarines. The Downs is a section of the Kentish coast just south of the headlands that guard the entrance of the river Thames. It is a protected harbor, made so by the Goodwin Sands and is the nearest point on the British coast line to the French port of Calais.

The Niger was a comparatively unimportant unit in the British fleet. Classified as a torpedo gunboat she was used with her sister ships Circe, Hebe, Jason, Leda, Speedy and Antelope in mine sweeping fisheries protection. She was of 810 tons register, 230 feet long and drew only 12½ feet. She carried two 4.7 inch guns and four 3 pounders and was fitted with three 18-inch torpedo tubes.

CAPTURED RUSSIAN GUNS IN VIENNA



CRUISER AUDACIOUS SUNK

Third Largest and One of Newest Ships of English Fleet Hits Mine Off Coast of Ireland.

New York, Nov. 17.—Reports of disaster to the British super-dreadnought Audacious, which have persisted ever since the White Star liner Olympic, diverted from its course, arrived at Lough Swilly on Oct. 29, are confirmed in mail advices received by the Associated Press from a point in Ireland.

Less Than Two Years Old.

After a career of less than two years the Audacious, costing $10,000,000, of the King George V class, third in tonnage and armament of his majesty's warships, lies at the bottom of the ocean off the north coast of Ireland. It was hit by a torpedo, or more probably disabled by a mine, just before 9 a. m., Oct. 27.

With the possible exception of one or two men, the crew of 800 officers and men was rescued by small boats from the Olympic.

Knit Socks at Theater.

Washington, Nov. 12.—Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, widow of the Colorado mining millionaire, and Mrs. Garrison, wife of the secretary of war, are acclaimed as leaders of a new fad for society. Last night they sat in a box at a local theater and armed with knitting needles, spent the intermissions making the needles click in knitting socks and mufflers for Belgian war refugees. The other women of the relief corps here are urging women to so use their spare time.

Yale Mourns Campus Policeman.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 13.—Impressive funeral services for James E. Donnelly, Yale's popular campus policeman for 20 years, were held in Battel Chapel. Rev. Anson Phelps Stokes, secretary of Yale Corporation, conducted the services. Every seat in the chapel was filled, the undergraduates attending in a body. Former President William H. Taft, former President Timothy Dwight of Yale, President Arthur T. Hadley and faculty members also were in attendance.

Reserve Bank Rates Fixed.

Washington, Nov. 16.—After a long consideration the Federal Reserve Board decided that the rates to be charged by the Federal Reserve banks for the rediscounting of commercial paper should be not greater than 6 per cent. They can be changed by the board later if they prove unsatisfactory. The rates will not be uniform in the twelve districts. It is understood that the rate will be lower in districts where money is easy, possibly in New York, Boston and Chicago.

Competitors the Only Ones That Complain About the Use of White of Egg in Baking Powder.

A number of unscrupulous Baking Powder Manufacturers vigorously complain about the use of albumen—white of egg—in the production of Calumet Baking Powder, veiling the **real** reason for their malicious attack beneath a contention that the dried white of fresh hens' eggs is an adulterant.

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At the Squag House.

Simeon Ford, hotel man and humorist, said in New York the other day:

"New York's hotels are the best in the world. They put even the hotels of London, Paris and Riviera to blush.

"In fact, after a New York hotel, other hotels seem like the Squag house, where a guest rang in the middle of the night and said:

"'Landlord, the roof's leaking. I'm drenched.'

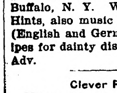
"'Very good, sir.'

"The landlord retired and in a moment was back again with a large washtub.

"'Here you are, sir,' he said. We'll just put this on your chest. When she's full, ring again or yell, and I'll have an empty one ready.'"

SUFFERED FOR FOUR YEARS.

Mr. J. M. Sinclair of Olivehill, Tenn., writes: "I strained my back, which weakened my kidneys and caused an awful bad backache and inflammation of the bladder. Later I became so much worse that I consulted a doctor, who said that I had Diabetes and that my heart was affected. I suffered for four years and was in a nervous state and very much depressed. The doctor's medicine didn't help me, so I decided to try Dodds Kidney Pills, and I cannot say enough to express my relief and thankfulness, as they cured me. Diamond Dinner Pills cured me of Constipation."



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Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or **Dodds** Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Write for Household Hints, also music of National Anthem (English and German words) and recipes for dainty dishes. All 3 sent free. Adv.

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Mike, Begorra, an' I had to go through the woods the other night where Casey was murthered last year, an' that they say is haunted, an', bedad, I walked backward the whole way.

Pat—An' what for wuz ye after doin' that?

Mike—Faith, man, so that I could see if anything wuz comin' up behind me.—London Tit-Bits.

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Explained.

Mistress—Are you married?

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3 MORE BRITISH CRUISERS CLAIMED DISABLED; 1 LOST

HOUSE OF COMMONS HEARS RUMORS OF DISASTER TO BATTLESHIP CANOPUS, A HIGH POWERED VESSEL.

ADMIRALTY SCOUTS REPORT, BELIEVING SHIP IS SAFE

Berlin Declares Falcon, Brilliant and Rinaldo Have Been Put Out of Commission Temporarily By German Guns On Coast of Belgium.

By International News Service.

London, Nov. 17.—Reports that the British battleship Canopus had met with disaster were scouted by Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, in replying to questions put to him in the House of Commons. Mr. Churchill declared that he believed the Canopus to be safe.

Inquiries As to Canopus.

At the time of the recent British defeat off the Chilean coast many inquiries were made as to why the Canopus had ont been with the Good Hope and Monmouth.

The Canopus has a displacement of 12,950 tons, a draught of 26 feet, 13,500 horsepower; her keel was laid in 1897 and it was completed in 1900 at a cost of $3,466,064. Her admament consisted of four 12-inch guns, twelve 6-inch guns, twelve 12-pounders and eight 3-pounders. She also carried four torpedo tubes, was capable of 18 knots and hour and had a complement of 700 men.

British Cruisers Disabled.

Berlin, Nov. 17.—A dispatch from Geneva reports that the British cruisers Falcon, Brilliant and Rinaldo have been disabled by German guns on the Belgian coast.

Russia Bars All Liquor.

Petrograd, Nov. 17.—Prohibition, not only of vodka, but of light wines and beer, has become absolute in Russia. Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander-in-chief, has overridden the decision of the council of ministers favoring the sale of beer and light wines and has now ordered that wherever martial law prevails, the sale of alcoholic drinks of any kind shall be forbidden. This decision was taken because drinking among officers quartered at remote places had not ceased.

Holy War Plea Stirs Moslems.

Berlin, Nov. 17.—Press dispatches received in Berlin describe the proclamation at Constantinople of a holy war as arousing great enthusiasm in the Turkish capital. Huge processions are reported to have paraded the streets, the people making sympathetic demonstrations before the German and Austrian embassies. The news dispatches say it is expected in Constantinople that he Moslems in all countries will make common cause with Turkey in the war.

Russians Almost Upon Cracow.

Petrograd, Nov. 17.—Cracow is momentarily expecting the arrival of the Russian troops, and the Austrian emperor has dispatched an appeal to the Germans to send reinforcements at all costs. Non-combatants have been removed from the fortified area and the inhabitants generally are fleeing from the country. The Russians are now within one march of Cracow from the east.

All Moslems Called to Arms.

Constantinople, Nov. 17.—The sultan has issued a proclamation to the army and navy in which he accuses Great Britain, France and Russia of having instigated the war upon Turkey. He adds: "Not only the fate of our country, but the future existence of 300,000,000 Moslems, depend on your victory." The statement ends with a call to all Moslems to take up arms.

Berlin Claims Argonne Victories.

Berlin, Nov. 17.—(By wireless to London)—An official announcement given out in Berlin says that the German attacks in Flanders are progressing slowly, but that in the Argonne the Germans have obtained further important successes.

War Costly For Britain.

London, Nov. 17.—Addressing the house of commons in moving for an additional vote of credit, Premier Asquith declared that up to Saturday the war had cost between $4,500,000 and $5,000,000 a day over normal expenditures.

Khedive to Lead Egypt Invasion.

Berlin, Nov. 17 (via wireless to London).—According to reports reaching here from Constantinople, the khedive of Egypt will leave the Turkish capital shortly to assume command of the Turkish operations against Egypt. He will be accompanied by a suite of 50 persons. Abbas Hilmi, khedive of Egypt, has been in Constantinople since the outbreak of hostilities. He owes spiritual allegiance to the sultan as the head of the Mohammedan faith. It is said the British government had ordered him not to return to Egypt.

Pelvic Catarrh

I Would Not Do Without Peruna.

Miss Emelie A. Haberkorn, 2251 Gravois Ave., St. Louis, Mo., writes: "For over two years I was troubled with catarrh of the pelvic organs. I heard of Dr. Hartman's book, 'The Ills of Life.' I read it and wrote to the doctor, who answered my letter promptly. I began taking treatment as soon as possible. Tongue cannot express how I suffered. I feel grateful for what the doctor has done for me, and would not do without Peruna. I now enjoy as good health as ever. I find it has improved my health so much that I will recommend it to any one cheerfully."

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CAR GOES 28.7 MILES ON GALLON OF GASOLINE

Red Crown Shows Remarkable Test.

Judged by C. A. C. Committee.

Surprising results were obtained Tuesday in Chicago, when, in a distance test on the boulevards, a 1915 big six went 28.7 miles on a gallon of Red Crown gasoline. The test was made to demonstrate the fuel economy of high test gasoline, by the technical committee of the Chicago Automobile Club.

Red Crown gasoline, 58 test, was decided upon by the judges and drivers as the best gasoline to be used. All through the trip the clutch was not slipped, except when traffic congestion made it necessary. The dash adjustment on the carburetor was disconnected, and in order that the test be a fair one, the fan was in operation throughout the run.

Next came the acceleration test. With the carburetor adjustment the same as during the economy run, the car was driven from standing start to thirty miles an hour in 12 4-5 seconds. The flexibility test saw the car run at four miles an hour, then speeded up to forty-four.

The test proves that the six is not an excessive fuel consumer, where the best gasoline is used.

Lots of people are criticized because they don't love their neighbors as the neighbors love them.

DOCTOR KNEW

Had Tried It Himself.

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Marching Orders.

An old Irishman, long desirous of official dignity, was finally appointed marshal in a parade on Memorial day. Veterans, bandmen and school children were lined along the streets of the town patiently waiting the signal to start.

Suddenly Mike, on a prancing charger, dashed up the street. After inspecting the dignified procession he gave his horse a quick clip. Then, standing up in his saddle, he yelled with a voice filled with pride and authority:

"Ready, now! Every one of yez, kape shtep with the horse!"—Everybody's Magazine.

Deadly.

Knicker—Has Smith a new war idea?

Bocker—Yes; mount 'em on roller skates.—New York Sun.

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CARRANZA HAS COMPROMISE

WILLING TO QUIT MEXICO IF VILLA WILL LEAVE ALSO.

Agents of Latter Protest Announced Intention of U. S. to Evacuate Vera Cruz.

Mexico City, Nov. 17.—General Obregon received a dispatch from Cordoba saying that General Carranza had made an offer to General Eulalio Gutierres to turn over the military forces to General Gonzales and leave for Havana, to arrive there not later than Nov. 25, if General Francisco Villa would turn over his command to General Gutierrez and be in Havana the same date. The Aguas Calientes convention must meetin Mexico City the day Generals Villa and Carranza arrive in Havana, according to General Carranza's offer.

Villa Protests Evacuation.

Vera Cruz.—General Francisco Villa's agents continued to send messages to their northern chief and to influential members of their faction in protest against the early evacuation of Vera Cruz by the United States forces, alleging that such a step would be manifest support by the United States of General Venustiano Carranza.

The hotels here are filled with refugees. Women and children of the better class are becoming a common sight in their corridors. Many families, once wealthy, but ruined by the warfare, are compelled to remain in Vera Cruz as they are without money to pay their passage abroad.

Just beyond the American lines General Candido Aguilar has only a few men on his outpost positions. Scrupulous care appears to be taken to prevent any friction with the Americans, to speed whose departure Aguilar is said to have begged General Eulalio Gutierrez to join him in an agreement not to begin hosilities until they had departed.

General Higenio and Benjamin Argumendo have not succeeded in capturing Puebla, but have interrupted traffic to that place.

General Carranza's strength at Tampico appears to have been increased by the arrival there of the gunboat Zaragoza and the declaration of Captain Malpica, commanding the vessel, that he was for Carranza. The gunboat was detained by the Constitutionalists at the entrance to the river and her commander compelled to declare for which side he would fight.

All Assurances Given.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Monday, Nov. 23 has been fixed as the date for the evacuation of Vera Cruz by the American forces. Secretary Bryan issued this announcement:

"Both General Carranza and the convention at Aguas Calientes having given the assurances and guarantees we requested, it is the purpose of the administration to withdraw the troops of the United States from Vera Cruz on Monday, Nov. 23.

"All the persons there for whose personal safety this government has made itself responsible have left the city. The priests and nuns who had taken refuge there and for whose safety fears were entertained are now on their way to this country."

PACIFIC BATTLE IMMINENT

German Fleet in Waters off Chile Signifies Engagement Is Near.

Valparaiso, Nov. 16. The "Japanese fleet" reported to have been seen off the Chilean coast appears now to have been a German squadron which is cruising near Valparaiso. The report that Japanese warships had been seen near Punta Carranza was denied officially.

German naval officers deny absolutely that another action besides the battle which occurred between German and British warships on Nov. 1 has taken place off Chile. It is expected here, however, that the British and German fleets may meet again at any moment.

The taking on of provisions by the German cruisers Leipzig and Dresden, which steamed into Valparaiso, was delayed for a short time because of a protest made by British officials to the Chilean authorities. The German minister made satisfactory arrangements with the government and the warships continued to replenish their supplies.

Lorimer Asks Immediate Trial

Chicago, Nov. 14.—Former Senator William Lorimer, under indictment for participation in the wrecking of the La Salle street bank, of which he was part owner, appeared before Judge Kersten and demanded an immediate trial.

Much South American Grain

Washington, Nov. 16.—Argentina, one of the world's principal sources of grain supply, will have a bountiful crop to export the coming year, according to the Argentine ambassador here from Buenos Aires.

Bomb in Tombs Court Room

New York, Nov. 16.—A bomb, somewhat similar in construction to the one that wrecked the entrance to the Bronx county court house last Wednesday night, was found in the Tombs court room, just under the district attorney's offices occupied by Governor-elect Whitman. The bomb contained gunpowder, slugs and bullets. Its fuse was partly burned. George L. O'Connor, policeman, saw smoke from the burning fuse of the bomb, ran to the spot, picked up the missile, and tore off the fuse.

GENERAL HUGH SCOTT

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GEN. SCOTT HEADS U. S. ARMY

BECOMES CHIEF OF STAFF TO SUCCEED WOTHERSPOON.

Latter's Place to Be Filled by Funston, Now Commanding at Vera Cruz —General Bliss Also Advanced.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Brigadier General Hugh Scott has been selected by President Wilson to be chief of staff of the United States army upon the retirement today of Major General Wotherspoon.

The vacancy of major general created by General Wotherspoon's retirement will be filled by the nomination of Brigadier General Frederick F. Funston, now in command at Vera Cruz.

Brigadier General Tasker H. Bliss will become chief of the mobile army division and upon the retirement of Major General Murray on April 20, 1915, General Scott will be appointed a major general.

General Scott, who became assistant chief of staff when General Wotherspoon succeeded General Wood as chief, graduated from the Military academy in 1875. He has spent all of his military life in the cavalry branch, with the exception of periods when he was engaged in staff or special service.

More closely than any officer of his rank in the army he has been identified with the Indians and semi-civilized wards of the government and a remarkable measure of success has attended his administration.

General Scott spent 17 years in the grade of first lieutenant at lonely western army posts, during the stagnation in promotion which attended the old practice of regimental promotion. This trying experience proved of great benefit to him because through his association with the Indian tribes he became an adept in their various tongues, especially in the Indian sign language.

This special qualification brought him much delicate and difficult service to the great credit of his record. Only about two years ago he earned the great gratitude of the administration by going single-handed into a swarm of angry Indians in Arizona intent on the war path and bringing them to ways of peace.

Most Unique Political Record.

Carrolton, Mo., Nov. 14.—Hundreds of visitors were here yesterday to witness the unveiling of the monument of the state of Missouri to General James Shields in the court house square here. General Shields was the first territorial governor of Oregon, he served a full term as United States senator from Illinois, he was one of the first two senators from Minnesota and he served out an unexpired term as senator from Missouri.

American Nearly Albanian King

Boston, Mass., Nov. 16.—If George Fred Williams, late minister to Greece, had posted $25,000 he would have been king of Albania today. In fact, Mr. Williams asserts that the people begged him to become their ruler. Mr. Williams arrived in Boston Saturday. He wants it understood that he resigned from his office of his own free will and was not in any way asked to quit his job by the United States authorities.

Want More Canadian Troops.

Winnipeg, Nov. 16.—Great Britain has sent another call to Canada for troops. Word received here announces that 6,000 additional men will be sent with the second contingent, which sails in January, bringing the strength up to 21,000, sintead of 15,000 as originally intended. There are 10,000 soldiers drilling here at present.

Millionaire Brewer Killed; Nurse Held

San Antonio, Texas, Nov. 14.—Miss Emma Burgemeister, a trained nurse, at whose home Otto Koehler, millionaire president of the San Antonio Brewing Association, was shot and killed, and who is under arrest, is believed to be in no danger from the wound in her wrist which she is said to have inflicted after the death of Koehler. She is said to have made a statement that the shooting of Koehler was to protect herself and Emma Daschiel, another trained nurse who lived with her.

ACTUAL OPERATION OF NEW CURRENCY SYSTEM IS BEGUN

RESERVE BANKS NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS AFTER YEAR OF PLANNING BY ADMINISTRATION.

TOTAL CASH RESERVE IS $243,000,000 TO START

Main Aim Is to Give Great Elasticity to Money Market of Country in Order That Panics Such as That of 1907 May Be Impossible.

Washington, Nov. 17.—With the opening of the twelve federal reserve banks, the nation has begun actual operation of its new currency system designed to provide an elastic circulation medium, based upon modern ideas of finance and economics.

Year for Details.

It has taken the reserve banks organization committee and the federal reserve board almost twelve months to work out details of organization to the point where an opening date was chosen. Notwithstanding the careful deliberations which preceded every preliminary step, the twelve banks will not for many weeks take up and exercise all the functions bestowed upon them by congress.

Such evolution as will result from an old national banking system of necessity will in most respects be slow. The reserve board, the guiding spirit of the new system, is itself feeling its way over strange ground and the men in charge of the twelve banks probably will feel the same desire to work slowly and with sureness rather than be venturesome.

Really a Compromise.

The new system is generally conceded to be a compromise between a central bank and the present system with its thousands of units, scattered reserves and fixed limits of currency. Its chief attraction and value, those who interpret it find in the elasticity it will give to recognized paper currency.

Under the present law national bank currency is almost a fixed quantity, based upon national bank capital, issued upon United States bonds and unresponsive to the chill of hard times or the exultation of boom days. Its use led, the experts say, to unrestricted loans and speculation in the days when money was easy and to a hoarding of resources and a tightening of the purse strings of credit when they were hard. It is said to have bred the panic of 1907 when solvent banks with large credits in reserve, and central reserve cities, were helpless and could get back to their own counters none of the millions they had placed with their larger and stronger correspondents.

The New System.

Under the new system the federal reserve notes, which, in time, probably will entirely replace the national bank notes, now so familiar, will be issued upon commercial paper, arising out of actual business transactions. It seems plain that they will rise and fall in amount as the tides of business rise and fall, and that there will be no plethora of money to lie idle. They will be obligations of the United States government, which national bank notes are not and will have back of them a large reserve of gold in the regional banks. Through them the reserve banks are expected to come to the aid of any needy member bank which has plenty of good paper, but needs cash. To further insure the flow of money reserve banks themselves may be required to rediscount the discounted paper of other reserve banks.

More than $250,000,000 of the new notes have been ordered by the comptroller of the currency for the twelve banks. They are in $5, $10, $20, $50 and $100 denominations, and are to be accepted by all member banks and for all customs taxes or other dues. The federal reserve agent of every bank in the system, who is the government's representative there, has these notes in custody ready for the application of member banks.

Reserve of $243,000,000

As it stands, the twelve banks start out with a total cash reserve of about $243,000,000.

The reserve banks are not to do a banking business, except with member banks. They are empowered however, to engage in open market transactions in the buying or selling of cable transfers and bankers' bills of acceptance and bills of exchange.

In the future the clearings of the banks of the country are expected to be made through these regional banks.

Ostriches Stampede; Cause Panic

Phoenix, Ariz., Nov. 14.—Three hundred ostriches stampeded from an ostrich ranch near here and swarmed over a carriage driven by Mrs. L. D. Rosseal, instantly killing the woman and both of the horses she was driving. The huge birds became frightened at something in their stockade. A panic followed on the ranches in the neighborhood and families of ranchmen fled in terror. An alarm was sent out and all the cowboys in the vicinity on fast horses are trying to lassoo and round up the birds.

WESTERN CANADA'S STRONG POSITION

"THE WHEAT GRANARY OF THE WORLD," A WELL APPLIED TERM.

Western Canada occupies a stronger position today than it ever has occupied. Taking one year with another, the efficiency of its lands to produce has been well proved. It has not been said of it that year in and year out there were bumper and bounteous crops. If such a condition existed it would be phenomenal in the history of any country. With an extensive territory producing grain, hogs, cattle and sheep, of some 800 miles wide and 1,000 miles long, it is easy to conceive of a wide variation in temperature and climate; there is variation in rainfall and snowfall; every section is not the best in the district—some are better than others and some worse, but as a general thing, the great percentage is "better." This past year has shown that some portions are not altogether immune from periods of drought. The same may be said of adjoining states to the south. But this year has also shown that in the greater portion of Western Canada drought does not appear, but even in the drought-stricken area of this year, past years have shown that the soil produces wonderfully well and even this year, with modern methods, known as "dry-farming," good crops were harvested. The large number of Americans who during the past sixteen years have been attracted to Canada have not gone simply because of the advertising of that country, but because their friends and their old-time neighbors have done well there, and with careful and judicious farming almost everyone has done well.

As a result of the great influx of immigration the open or prairie homesteading area is being rapidly taken up. The fact that this is so is evidence that Western Canada lands are productive, and on these open plains today are to be seen the homes of successful farmers from almost every state in the Union. They have earned their patents, and now own outright their 160 acres of land, together probably with an adjoining 160 acres, which they have purchased or preempted, all of which is worth from $25 to $30 per acre. They originally started by growing grains altogether, but they found that they could secure a better price for much of their grain by feeding it to hogs and cattle, and the most successful ones are those who have followed this course.

But to meet the wants of the newcomer a new homestead area has been opened up, known as the "park country." In this park country are to be found beautiful groves of poplar and willow, small lakes and streams, with sufficient open area to enable one to go into immediate cultivation of crop, and in due time when they wish more land to be put under cultivation, they may at small cost cut down some of the groves, which in the meantime have been valuable in providing fuel and in giving shelter to cattle.

Notwithstanding the high character of the open prairie lands and the fact that farmers there have realized in a splendid way, there is the opinion backed up by a lot of experience that this parklike country contains soil even better than that of the open area referred to.

The opportunities therefore, for money making are as great today as they ever were. The opportunities for carrying on farming successfully are fully as great as they ever were. Of this park area we have an immense quantity of land yet to be settled. It is true that the railroads have not yet penetrated these districts to the extent that they have the open area, but this will come and as settlements advance, so will railroads build. For the present there is a temporary lull in railroad building, but it is always the case that where there is a demand there will come a supply, and it will not be long before the park country will be penetrated by railroads that will give sufficient accommodation for all needs, but to those who prefer it there are lots of opportunities for purchasing land nearer towns and villages and at low prices and on easy terms.

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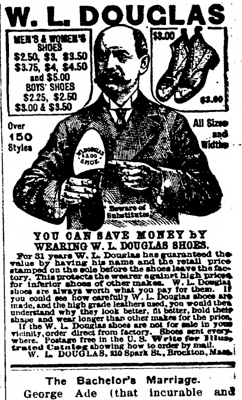

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Feed Barn.
Stalls for teams at reasonable rates.

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Your Building Work!

BUILDING MATERIAL
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Your Building Work will be satisfactoay-everything else being equeal-if you specify our material-lime, cement, brick, fire brick, sewer and drain pipe hair, plaster and everything else we handle. We buy and sell large quantities (tho we fill small orders as well), and are in a position to quote very low prices. Quality and reliability are our key words. Phone connection. Prompt delivery.

D. Payne Lumber Co.
Holt, Marshall County Minn.

The Holt Weekly News
Successor to and Continuation of
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By The
Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday at Holt. Marshall County, Minnesota.

~~Subscription Price: $1.00 per year~~ strictly in advance.

Entered as second-class matter Sept-22, 1911, at the post office at Holt. Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Estray.

A white sheep came to my place about four weeks ago. Owner may have same by paying for this notice and expense of keeping.

Andrew Hanson
Sec. 18 Holt Twp.

Holt Public School Notes

Harry Heinze commenced school Monday morning.

Selma Saastad has returned to school after a few days illness.

The snow seems to be keeping some of the pupils at home.

It being to cold to play outside, games are played inside conducted by different pupils, new games are taught each day.

Rosie Heinze, Ida Hagglund and Gladys Hagen have a half-holiday for attending school every day last month.

Our motto for this week:

"It is not just as we take it
This wonderful world of ours
Life's field will yield as we make it
A harvest of thorns or
of flowers.

Jacob Gabrielson was a T. R. Falls business caller the first of the week.

Swan Carlson has a young team ~~of heavy geldings or a young team of~~ mares for sale.

Running a business without advertising is like trying to keep warm without a fire.

The cold and snow has somewhat delayed the work on the new buildings being erected.

Do your cows make money for you? Join the contest and find out. It is the biggest thing ever offered the farmer.

Remember the poor newspaper man has to eat and have a fire these cold days, but we are afraid he will have a mighty poor Thanksgiving, unless some of you fellows pay up.

Why is it that we announce from week to week the numerous basket socials that are being held? Because teachers and pupils realize the value of advertising, which some of the business men of Holt, do not.

All but one man has been laid off on both sections and they are compelled to look elsewhere for work, and that too with winter coming on. The railroads company seems to have a faculty of laying off men or keeping them just as they choose and yet some people wonder at the spead of socialism.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.07
Wheat No. 2	1.04
Wheat No. 3	1.00
Wheat No. 4	.96
Flax	1.32
Oats	.38
Barley	to .46
~~Rye~~	~~.89~~
Flour, Best Patent	3.35

How dear to our heart is the
steady subscriber.
Who pays in advance at
the birth of each year,
Who lays down the money
And does it quite gladly,
And cast round the office,
A halo of cheer.

He never says " Stop it, I
cannot afford it,
I'm gitting more papers now
then I can read,
But always says " Send it, our
people like it
In fact, we all think it a
help and a need."

How welcome his check when
It reaches our sanctum.
How it makes our heart throb,
How it makes our heart dance.
We outwardly thank him,
We inwardly bless him
The steady subscriber who
Pays in advance

New Dray Line!

All kinds of light and heavy hauling and team work, done Promptly and at Reasonable Rates.

John Alkenbrack
Holt - Minn.

Minnesota Public Library
Free to all. See Cora Hanson, Librarian.

Wanted: A dozen good business men with good, healthy advertisements, two hundred new subscribers each with the price of a year's subscription and five hundred of the old ones to get on the right side of the ledger.

Are
You
Going
To
Make
The
News Paper Man
Thankful?

V-I-V-O

The Best there is in Flour
Every sack Guaranteed

Our Elevator and Lumber Yard are always prepared to give the most satisfactory service.

Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.
A. R. JONES, Agent, - - HOLT, MINN.

Synod Church.

There will be preaching service at 11 o'clock next Sunday morning, Nov. 22, in Holt. The class of confirmants will meet at 1 o'clock P. M. the same day.

M. B. Ordahl.
Lutheran Pastor

Free Mission Church.

~~Sunday School at 10:30 and you~~ are invited.

The Young People's Society will have an auction sale in the church on Saturday evening Dec. 12th Everybody invited.

A free dinner will be served in the basement of the Free Mission Church on Thanksgiving Day. Several Ministers will be present and there will be services all day.

For Sale!

A Good Young team of heavy geldings and a young team of mares of medium weight. Buyer may have his choice of teams. Will take live stock for one half of the purchase price.

Swan Carlson
Sec. 23 East Valley

~~It pays to trade with those who~~ advertise.

Are you beginning to wonder what has become of your summers wages?

Pull to-gether for a bigger and better Holt. Now! All to-gether-Pull! Pull! Pull!

For Sale:- Well built house 16x24 and barn 14x34, on sec. 33 Whiteford twp. Call on or address

Chas. Thompson, Rollis, Minn.

We have just received information that the Herrick Seed Co. of Rochester, N. Y. wants lady or gentlemen representatives in this section to sell all kinds of Roses, Shrubs, Trees and Seeds. They inform us that without previous experience it is possible to make good wages every week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice.116

Notice To The Farmers!

Do you realize you have in your herd of "Cows" what we call Boarders? A Cow that does'nt pay for the feed she consumes. Possibly some make a very small profit but not enough to pay for the work. Others may be paying you a good profit over feed, care, etc. To find out which ones are boarders, join the Testing Association. Contest begins Dec. 1 and if you join with the many who will keep a "Daily Record" of their cows to Dec. 1, 1915, you will be in a position to know which one to sell, when a buyer comes and offers you big prices for a cow he happens to want and trys to make you believe she is not a good milker. Don't believe it. No man can tell a good profit making cow without weighing and testing her milk. Find out your best cows and keep them. Sell the boarders. Remember the dairyman is a winner every time— wars and hard times affect him less than other people.

These are some of my patrons who will begin keeping a daily record on Dec. 1. 1914: P. T. Olson, Chris Sheveland, O. A. Thompson, T. B. Folden, Chas. Heinze, T. O. Dovre, Elvin Arickson, Erick Johnson, G. P. Sorter, John Engstrom and Louis Wegge Let us all join

P. L. Anderson

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Nov. 3, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ole M Larson of Holt, Minn. who on Nov. 22nd 1910 made Homestead Entry No. 05754 for N 1-2SW 1-4 Sec. 27 Twp. 156 N Range 42 W 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 7th day of December. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Olaus Rodahl, Clarence Knutson Albert C Jahr and Geo. C. Anderson all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Swan Carlson has a good young team for sale, which he is advertising.

LOANS PROBATE WORK COLLECTION
O. A. NAPLIN
Attorney-at-Law
Evenson Block
Thief River Falls, - - Minn.

CHARLES A. PITKIN
Attorney at Law
Office in McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, - - Minnesota.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Aug. 1914.

Cream received	15,616 lbs
Average test	28.94
Butter fat	4,520.48 lbs
Percent overrun	23.30
Butter made	5,574 lbs
Balance on hand last month	52 01
Received for butter shipped	1443 19
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 15
Cash sales at creamery	33 28
Total	$1,534 63
Paid patrons by check	1338 69
" " " Butter & milk	6 15
Expense fund, etc.	101 54
To sinking fund	31 30
Balance on hand	57 02
Total	$1,534 63

Number of patrons, 89
Price paid for butter fat, 30c
T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Nov. 4, 1914. Notice is hereby given that Ludvig Rudrud of Newfolden Minn, who on Jan. 28th 1908 made Homestead Entry No. 24658 Serial No. 02184 for SE1-4 NW1-4 Sec. 7, Twp. 156 N. Range 44 W. 5th P. M has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn, at Thief River Falls, on the 15th day of Dec. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Carl Soreson, Ole Nifot, Gust Ekmand and Andrew Ekmand all of Newfolden, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Oct. 12, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence Knutson, Holt, Minnesota, who on Feb. 16th 1909, made Homestead Entry, No. 01511, for S 1-2 N W 1-4 and S 1-2 NE 1-4 Section 27 Twp. 156 N. Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 16th day of Nov. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: John H. Knutson, Carl Surmo, Ole M. Larson, Nels A. Fosen all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Oct. 6. 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Henry F. Erickson, of Germantown, Minn., who, on Nov. 23, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 06789, for N W. 1-4 Sec. 13, Twp. 155 N. Range 42 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 21st day of Nov. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Louis Larson, Lars Thorson, John Ristau and George Posten, all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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The Bank Of Consistent Assistance!

We are now favored with 65 per cent of the volume of banking business transacted, season of 1913 and our business is steadily growing. The time for serious reflection is at hand and we urge caution in the selection of your banking connection for the coming season. It is wise and proper that you place yourself in the path of opportunity by identifying yourself with this Bank while the moving is good. Safety guaranteed and highest interest paid depositors.

We Play No Favorites

We play no favorites among our patrons but we aim to be helpful to all. When you become a depositor of this bank you are assured of the same banking advantages as the richest man who is on our books, your interests watched with the same conscientious care. To assist you is our policy. In addition to offering you the best of banking facilities we make personal financial service a confidential feature of our work. If we know what you want to accomplish we are on the look out for ways to help you and are ready and willing at all times to advise you on all financial matters.

Farmers' State Bank of Holt.
LARS BACKE, President
S. S. KOLDEN, Vice President - B. L. BACKE, Cashier
The Pioneer Bank Officials of Holt

KNUTE NELSON
United states Commissioner, Distric of Minnesota
Final Proofs and Homestead Entries carefully attended to.
Middle River, - - - Minnesota.

~~Do your cows make money for~~ you? Join the contest and find out. ~~It is the biggest thing ever~~ offered the farmer.

A. H. Huseth transacted business in T. R. Falls last Thursday.

The teachers visited relatives in T. R. Falls Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Ellison the Germantown auctioneer, was in town on business the first of the week.

C. Martell will have a dance in the Star hall Nov. 28th,

Clarence Kolden very kindly remembered the editor with a nice piece of venison and now we feel like going hunting ourselves.

Adolph Sollom returned Saturday evening from a brief visit in Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken visited her parents Saturday and Sunday.

H. G. HIEBER
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
PHONE 244
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Don't forget to bring us your news ~~items.~~

Farmers! Get in line for the cow contest.

Fridjof Riesberg is now able to get about the house on crutches.

Holt is to have a shoe repairer locate here.

Estray: A yearling bull. Owner may have the same by proving property, paying for his keeping and this ad. S. W. Groshon, Rollis, Minn.

Ole Backlund shipped in a car of wood last week, for which he found ready sale.

Dr. R. I. Olson went to Thief River Falls, Monday, on business.

Mrs. B. L. Backe visited relatives in T. R. Falls a couple of days last week.

Dr. Turley, the dentist, will be at the hotel, again, Monday Dec. 7th.

How is your subscription account?

Brand New! Yes! Brand New!
Rubbers and Overshoes!

German Sox, Moccasins and Woolen Hosiery that will keep your feet warm and dry and save Doctor Bills.

Everything is Brand New. No old [illegible] shoddy goods in our Store. Come and look [illegible]

Christmas Goods!
Be sure to see our stock of Christmas Goods and Toys and get our Prices before placing your orders.

The Kind [illegible] Christmas Goods and [illegible] give great happ[illegible] and contentment to th[illegible]

Sollom Bros. - Holt

Local Items

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Arvid Carlson was in T. R. Falls Friday, on business.

Miss Inga Johnson visited her parents in East Valley, a couple of days last week.

A. C. Lang of Benwood was here Saturday looking after business interests.

Mrs. A. H. Huseth, Percy and Lolo spent Thanksgiving with her folks at Fertile.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Severson had the misfortune, Saturday night, to loose an infant child.

Don't forget that good coffee you used to drink at Huseth's. We are serving the same kind now. Try a cup. A. H. Huseth.

Chris Yttri closed a deal Monday for Chas. Martell's house and feed barn. Mr. Martell keeps the feed mill, we are informed.

A Great Big Dairy Convention will be held in Crookston Dec. 9th and 10th by the Red River Valley Assn. Farmers are urged to attend.

S. S. Kolden and P. A. Riesberg went to Grand Forks Monday on business.

Clarence Kolden returned Saturday from Roseau county, having killed the deer that he went after.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engerbretson were guests of the Andrew Hanson family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken, Misses Cora Hanson, Dagny Bakke and P. L. Anderson enjoyed a very pleasant visit at the M. O. Mattson home, on Friday evening.

A. R. Jones ate turkey with his family Thursday, in Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Sollom and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe spent Thanksgiving with friends and relatives in Thief River Falls.

Thorval Kolden and Ludwig Munson autoed to Mud Lake Tuesday to butcher a steer for the former's father. During the process of butchering, Monson had the misfortune to cut his hand, just back of the thumb, clear to the bone.

Remember the basket party and entertainment in the East Valley school house, Dist. 148, Saturday evening, Nov. 28 Entertainment to begin at 8 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited. Miss Fosen, Teacher.

Mrs. Andrew Nass came from the new town of Silverton Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Rierson and other relatives.

Mrs. E. A. Lufkin came from T. R. Falls Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving with her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Rierson and other relatives.

John [illegible] commenced work on Friday morning on his new dwelling house, which he is building on a plot of ground south of J. B. Aitenbrack, of whom he purchased the land.

For S[illegible] Poland China [illegible] sows and a full blood Poland China boar. Address S. W. Groshon sec. 136 Whiteford town, Rollis, Minn.
18 S. W. Groshon.

We [illegible] made a mistake in announcing the preaching service of Rev. Ordahl. They were held on Thanksgiving day [illegible] of Sunday. The editor would very much appreciate it [illegible] all church notices are written as they are given us, as we [illegible] not care to be responsible for mistakes which [illegible] liable to happen.

The Sunnyside.

Keep on the sunny side,
Keep on the sunny side,
Keep the sunny side of the road

Bill Warner drove up from Thief River Falls Sunday to spend the day at Gust Peterson.

Miss Carrie Peterson called at T. Carlson's Monday.

Miss Selma L. Wegge returned home Friday from N. D. where she has just completed a successful term of school.

A number of young people from this vicinity attended the basket social at Miss Saastad's schoolhouse Saturday night.

Somebody forgot to shake hands with an old friend the other day.

Mrs. Dovre and daughter Nora called on Mrs. Lysne Sunday afternoon.

Miss Marie Erickson spent Sunday afternoon at L. Wegge's

Edgar Wegge visited friend at Ole Lunks Sunday.

Stina Brita is so busy getting ready for Christmas that her evenings are all occupied. Ish-ka-bibble.

What is the longest word in your vocabulary? (Smiles) because there's a mile beuween the s's. Ask Miss Tvede, who just received a chair for her schoolroom last Monday,

Guy Anderson was a guest at the H. Furr home Sunday.

Jessie Sorum went to Thief River Falls last Thursday.

A certain young lady of this community, is very fond of doughnuts.

Oscar Knutson spent Sunday afternoon at Ole Lunke's.

Here's hoping you all get enough turkey.

Handpower Printing Plant, Complete
For Sale - Cheap
Suitable for country newspaper.
H. B. Young, Holt, Minn.

Southeast of Holt.

Oscar Rydberg of Canada is visiting with friends and relatives in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Michaelson spent Sunday P. M. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rude

Even Ose make a business trip to Grygla the first part of the week.

The basket social in the N. Sordahl school house was well attended and a most enjoyable time was spent by all.

A bunch of [illegible] on the Thief River Sunday afternoon.

Ed. [illegible] Gilbert Michaelson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. [illegible] on Thursday [illegible] visit at the home of her sister Mrs. Peter Michaelsen

The Local Market

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co at close of business every Thursday)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1 07
Wheat No. 2	1 04
Wheat No. 3	1 01
Wheat No. 4	96
Flax	1 32
Oats	38
Barley	46
Rye	89
Flour [illegible]	3 35

Addition + Substraction Multiplication x

Add to your earning capacity a little each day, but subtract at least one fourth of each dollar you earn and place it in a bank account. By so doing you multiply present contentment and future comfort by every deposit you make.

March in and Do It Now!

We Welcome You Here.

Holt State Bank
Capital $10,000.00 Surplus $2500.00
D. B. BAKKE, President B. DOCKEN, Cashier
The Bank of Security-Service-Courtesy

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"Cremo" Flour means the very BEST to be obtained in flour.

~~Your Money Refunded if the Flour is not~~ as GUARANTEED.

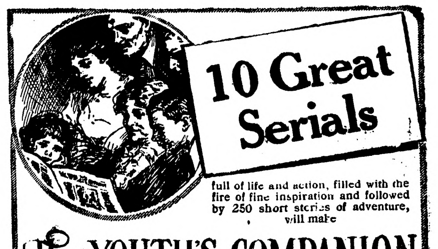
The People's "Cash Store"
Everything in Merchandise
Sollom Brothers, Proprietors
Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota

THEO. QUALE
LAWYER
Office in McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn

The Sunday School have some new English song books now, the gift of a friend. Come Sunday and see how you like them.

It is now time to square up your subscription or the editor will both starve and freeze.

Dr. J. C. R. CHAREST
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office in Union Block
Thief River Falls - - Minn.



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"I think two can live as cheaply as one, sir."

"You can't edge into my family on that theory, young man. I'm willing to keep on supporting my daughter, but you'll have to pay board."

HOW TO HEAL SKIN AND SCALP TROUBLES

A Baltimore doctor suggests this simple, but reliable and inexpensive, home treatment for people suffering with eczema, ringworm, rashes, and similar itching skin and scalp troubles.

At any reliable druggist's get a jar of resinol ointment and a cake of resinol soap. With the resinol soap and warm water bathe the affected parts thoroughly, until they are free from crusts and the skin is softened. Dry very gently, spread on a thin layer of the resinol ointment, and cover with a light bandage. This should be done twice a day. Usually the distressing itching and burning stops with the first treatment, and the skin soon becomes clear and healthy again.—Adv.

Conscience.

Maid (knocking in the morning)—Madam, I've forgotten whether you wanted to be waked at seven or eight.

"What time is it now?"

"Eight."—Lustige Blaetter.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Time to Match.

"Did you go in your auto ride at lightning speed?"

"Yes, and had a thundering good time."

YOUR OWN DRUGGIST WILL TELL YOU Try Murine Eye Remedy for Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids; No Smarting—Just Eye comfort. Write for Book of the Eye by mail Free. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

Man a man gets a reputation for being good-natured because he is too lazy to take his own part.

You never can tell. Many a woman with a high instep can come down flat-footed.

Sprains, Bruises Stiff Muscles

Sloan's Liniment will save hours of suffering. For bruise or sprain it gives instant relief. It arrests inflammation and thus prevents more serious troubles developing. No need to rub it in—it acts at once, instantly relieving the pain, however severe it may be.

Here's Proof

Charles Johnson, P. O. Box 105, Lawton's Station, N. Y., writes: "I sprained my ankle and dislocated my left hip by falling out of a third story window six months ago. I went on crutches for four months, then I started to use some of your Liniment, according to your directions, and I must say that it is helping me wonderfully. I threw my crutches away. Only used two bottles of your Liniment and now I am walking quite well with one cane. I never will be without Sloan's Liniment."

All Dealers, 25c.

Send four cents in stamps for a TRIAL BOTTLE

Dr. Earl S. Sloan, Inc.
Dept. B. Philadelphia, Pa.

SLOAN'S LINIMENT Kills Pain

FIRING BY TURKS ON LAUNCH OF U. S. HELD NOT HOSTILE

CAPTAINS OF TENNESSEE AND NORTH CAROLINA IN WESTERN MEDITERRANEAN WIRE ASSURANCES.

WARSHIPS WILL NOT BE WITHDRAWN FROM REGION

Vessels to Remain in Vicinity, Ready to Protect Americans in Turkish Cities—No Steps to Be Taken Without Instructions From U. S.

Washington, Nov. 23.—The firing of a shot across the bow of the launch of the United States cruiser Tennessee while it was attempting to enter the harbor of Smyrna, Asiatic Turkey, was not a hostile act in the opinion of the captain of the cruiser. This was made plain in a statement issued by Secretary to the President Tumulty.

Despite the statements of Captain Decker, the entire matter is to be fully investigated and the Turkish government has been asked for its version.

No Additional Information.

Washington Nov. 23.—Secretary Daniels received messages from Captain Decker of the cruiser Tennessee and Captain Omar of the cruiser North Carolina, according receipt of his order that no action be taken by either ship in Turkish waters without specific instructions from Washington.

Neither commander supplied additional information concerning the shots that were fired at the Tennessee's launch at Smyrna several days ago and the state department also still was without advices from Ambassador Morgenthau.

Secretary Daniels said he thought Captain Decker had sent as much information about the incident as was available to him and probably now was waiting to get into communication with Ambassador Morgenthau before sending a complete report. Close examination of Captain Decker's first message reveals that when the launch was fired upon from shore it immediately turned back to the ship, which was several miles away, near Vourlah. From that point it is now supposed Captain Decker reported to Mr. Morganthau what had occurred and took the Tennessee to Grecian waters, 50 or 60 miles distant at the request of the ambassador while the latter endeavored to get in communication with the consul-general at Smyrna to learn the exact cause of the firing.

Whereabouts of Cruisers.

For the present the Tennessee is being held at Chios, while the North Carolina is at Beirut, Asia Minor. The captain of the latter ship, however, sent his message to the Navy Department from Alexandria, Egypt. Both commanders had been asked to acknowledge receipts of Secretary Daniels' orders as officials here were particularly anxious that the naval commanders take no action of their own initiative, the naval regulations giving officers wide discretion ordinarily under such circumstances.

The Tennesse and North Carolina will not be withdrawn from the Western Mediterranean, it was stated at he Navy Department, no matter where the responsibility for the firing lay. The vessels will be kept within easy reach of Turkish ports to afford every possible assistance to Americans.

CALLS AMERICANS GENEROUS

Belgian Attache Just Arriving Declares Big-Heartedness Will Never Be Forgotten.

New York, Nov. 23.—Charles Maskens, recently appointed secretary of the Belgian legation at Washington, arrived aboard the steamship Philadelphia from Liverpool. Mr. Maskens said that when he left Belgium early in November the outlook for the people in his country was anything but favorable for the winter.

"While I am not officially authorized to speak on the subject," he said, "informally I was requested by my government to extend its thanks to the people of America for the prompt and generous response to the cry of a starving people. America's big heartedness never will be forgotten, and the food that is arriving will save many a life."

Mrs. Stonewall Jackson Ill

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 23.—Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, widow of the famous Confederate general, is critically ill at her home in this city. Se is in her eighty-fourth year.

Explorers Go to Egypt

Philadelphia, Nov. 23.—The University of Pennsylvania has dispatched an exploring expedition to Egypt under the leadership of Dr. Clarence S Fisher, curator of the Egyptian section of the institution. Fear had been felt that, because of the European war, it would not be well to start the expedition at this time, but advices from Egypt were to the effect that there would be neither difficulty nor danger in prosecuting the work. The work of digging probably will start early in January.

EIGHT PERISH IN SUPERIOR

BARGE ANNIE M. PETERSON GOES DOWN.

Fate of Two Other Ships Unknown and Fear Is Expressed—Eight Bodies Washed Ashore.

Grand Marais, Mich., Nov. 23.—Eight persons are known to have perished in the wintry gale which has been sweeping over Lake Superior for the last few days and grave fears are felt that there may have been greater loss of life.

The lumber barge Annie M. Peterson has been wrecked and the steamer C. F. Curtis and the barge S. K. Marvin have not been heard from since the three vessels left Baraga early Wednesday morning for Tonawanda, N. Y. Eight bodies, those of six men and two women, were found on the shore, eight miles from the life-saving station here. As the Peterson carried a crew of anly seven it is believed her consorts also may have met disaster. Storm warnings were displayed and a heavy northwest gale was blowing when the Curtis, towing two barges, left Baraga. That was the last heard of the boats until wreckage from the Peterson came ashore last Thursday night.

Life saving crews in power boats immediately started out to search for more wreckage, but none has been found. There is no indication of other damage to shipping as far east as White Fish point.

The bodies were found about two miles nearer Grand Marais than where the wreckage washed ashore. They will be brought here.

GIRL'S SLAYERS FREE NOW

Last of Trio Who Outraged Then Murdered Paterson Mill Hand Given Liberty.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 23.—Walter C. McAlister, who, with Andrew Campbell, George Kerr and Walter A. Death, was convicted of drugging and murdering Jennie Bosecheiter in Paterson in 1901, has just been liberated from the New Jersey state prison by the board of prison inspectors. McAlister is the last of the quartet to leave the prison.

Kerr turned state's evidence and received 15 years in prison and he served his full time, taking out the time for good behavior. The other three men were sentenced to 30 years each, but were paroled.

The crime for which the men were convicted was a most brutal one and aroused national interest. Miss Bosscheiter was a mill hand in Paterson. After meeting the men in a saloon in that city it was brought out at the trial that the girl had been drugged and outraged.

DIES SAVING HER PUPILS

Teacher Fatally Burned While Running to Rescue Children in Wyoming Forest Fire.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Nov. 23.—Bertha Rheinhart, a school teacher, is dead from burns received in rescuing her pupils from a prairie fire which menaced the school near Horse Creek.

Realizing that the blaze, driven by a high wind, was rushing straight for the school, the teacher sent the children to a hill near by and fought the flames by burning off a strip of prarie in front of the main fire. She diverted the blaze, but several of the children went out into the path of the fire and Miss Rheinhart, running to save them, received burns which caused her death. The fire then swerved from its course and the children escaped.

To Aid Latin-American Trade

Memphis, Nov. 23.—As a preliminary step in a campaign to promote trade between the United States and Central and South America, the first International Trade Conference of the Mississippi Valley and Central West yesterday authorized organization of a banking corporation to further exchange of credits and a co-operative trading company for the exchange of commodities. The proposed banking corporation would be financed by merchants and manufacturers of seventeen Southern and Central Western states.

Christmas Ship About Due

London, Nov. 21.—The sending of a shipload of Christmas gifts by children of America to the young inhabitants of countries suffering from the ravages of war, has aroused much interest here. The United States navy collier Jason, which is bringing the gifts, is expected at Falmouth in a few days. The Belgian minister has requested the American Relief commission to take charge of the presents.

England Stops Tea Exportation

London, Nov. 21.—Great Britain has prohibited the exportation of tea to all continental ports, except those of the countries of the allies and of Spain and Portugal

Votes Decide 12 Must Hang

Phoenix Ariz., Nov. 23.—Complete official returns from the recent election shows that Arizona defeated the initiative measure abolishing the death penalty. Twelve men under sentence of death who were reprieved by Governor Hunt, so that the people might decide their fate, must, therefore, hang. The vote on the measure was: Yes, 18,183; no, 19,529, causing its defeat by 1,146 votes. Governor Hunt, it is understood, will reprieve the convicted men until after Christmas and then scatter the dates.

THE WHEAT LANDS OF WESTERN CANADA AN ATTRACTION

THE EUROPEAN WAR MAKES THE GROWING OF WHEAT EXCEPTIONALLY REMUNERATIVE.

One result of the European War has been to reduce the volume of business done by many of the manufacturing institutions of the United States, commercial enterprises have been affected, business of many kinds have been hampered, and a financial stringency has been forced on almost every community. It is not only because it has brought these things about, and created a lot of hardship, but there is the outstanding fact of the terrible loss of life, the great destruction of property, and the disruption of everything near and dear to those whose countries are involved in the war that makes the whole affair highly regrettable. The heart of the entire world goes out in sympathy to those within the area of the trouble. Arrangements have been made to relieve the distress by money and other means. But there is one great thing—wheat and flour—that the European countries will need. The wheat-producing countries are no longer producing, and there is the gravest reason to fear that they will not be for some years. In this case, it would be fully as beneficial and charitable to make provision to meet the loss of Europe's grain crop by encouraging a greatly increased growth on this continent.

The wheat-growing sections of the United States have about reached their limit of production, and this source cannot be depended upon to meet a great deal of the demand that there will be for some years. The only country that is in a position to meet it is—Canada—that portion known as Western Canada. Here there are millions of acres of land, capable of producing from 20 to 40 bushels per acre. All this land is excellent for wheat, and very much is still in the hands of the Dominion Government, and 160 acres of it can be had by the payment of a ten dollar entry fee.

Another vast area is that held by railway and reliable land companies, held at from $10 to $25 per acre. Improved farms are slightly higher in price. Information regarding these lands may be had of any Canadian Government Agent.

The fact that Canada offers such a splendid opportunity should be accepted with a wide-spread appreciation, and not met with attempts on the part of some to spread misleading statements. The Dominion Government has not taken steps to deny many of the false statements circulated by those who evidently are more interested in injuring Canada than benefiting those who would be benefited by taking up farms in Canada, but in order to correct a highly erroneous impression that conscription is carried on in Canada, that compulsory military service is employed and that there is restraint as to the movement of those not Canadians, the necessity is felt of giving as much publicity as possible to a denial of these statements.

An item to which special exception is taken is one which says:

"They are sending them away as rapidly as possible; but the young men are not permitted to leave Canada. All the citizens and those who have taken up homesteads are subject to military duty."

In direct refutation of this, we beg to quote from a recent editorial in the Rochester, N. Y., Herald:

"There is no legal process by which Great Britain can command a single Canadian soldier to enter the field in her aid or even in her most needful defense. Great Britain cannot legally take a dollar of Canada's money for this or any other war without Canada's consent. All must be given voluntarily, if it be given at all. Yet men and dollars are given to the limit of Canada's power to give, just as if Great Britain had both physical and legal power to exact them. Indeed, it is possible that they are given more freely in this way, for what a man gives because he wants to give is likely to be greater than what he gives under force.

"All in all it is a noble picture of devotion to her motherland which Canada offers to the gaze of her admiring and unenvious neighbors."

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Small Matter Overlooked.

"Doctor," complained Sim Dorkins, "I can't see nothin' through these here specs."

"They were all right for the first day or two, were they not?" asked the oculist, after a glance at the spectacles.

"Ya-as," admitted Sim. "But they kept a-gittin' wuss and wuss, till I couldn't hardly see at all."

"They will do as well as ever," said the doctor dryly. "If you will wash them."—Judge.

Ought to Have Been.

"I wonder if there was a h[illegible] last night."

"Where?"

"At Smith's house-warming."

Any man might conquer the [illegible] if he had half as much perseverance as a female book agent.

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Mrs. Frank B. Willis is the wife of the Republican governor-elect of Ohio, and his admirers profess to believe that she will some day find herself the mistress of the White House.

OFFICIALS GIVEN POWER TO ACT

U. S. COMMANDERS IN MEDITERRANEAN GET NEW ORDERS.

May Use Discretionary Power in Protecting Americans and Interests in Turkey.

Washington, Nov. 24.—Secretary Daniels has cabled Captain Decker of the cruiser Tennessee and Captain Oman of the cruiser North Carolina in the Eastern Mediterranean giving them discretionary authority to deal with emergencies that may arise in protecting American citizens and their interests in Turkey.

The secretary rescinded the order he sent last week directing both commanders to take no action whatever, pending an investigation of the firing on a launch from the Tennessee at Smyrna.

Although an official explanation from the Turkish foreign office has not been received, assurances from the Ottoman ministers of the interior and war to Ambassador Morganthau that the shots were fired as a friendly warning to inform the launch, as was customary, that the harbor of Smyrna was mined and closed, have been accepted as the forerunner of a formal statement by the grand vizer to the same effect.

Secretary Daniels thought it advisable to place the American naval commanders again under the navy regulations which had been temporarily suspended, but cautioned them in the use of their discretionary authority. The regulations particularly gave the naval commanders in isolated parts of the globe the authority to take any measures deemed necessary to prevent loss of life to Americans. They might even bombard a town in an extreme case.

Mr. Daniels cabled Captains Decker and Oman that they should keep in close touch with the navy department and the American embassy at Constantinople, making comparative reports on conditions as they found them.

Secretary Daniels' orders to the two officers indicate that notwithstanding the explanation from the Turkish government of the firing on the Tennessee's launch, the United States has no intention of withdrawing its vessels, and will continue to keep them within easy reach of Americans in coast towns of Turkey.

No further word has come from Ambassador Morgenthau concerning the Smyrna incident. Just where the responsibility for the incident lies will not be known until more complete reports are received, but high officials of the administration here think some arrangement should have been made for the entry of the Tennessee's launch.

200 Workmen Escape Death

Gary, Ind., Nov. 24.—Warned by a leak in an oil tank that an explosion might be expected, 200 workmen employed at the Aetna powder mill, four miles from here, fled from the plant a few minutes before a quantity of nitroglycerin blew up, doing heavy damage to the plant and breaking hundreds of window panes in Gary.

50,000 Poles Flee Cracow

Petrograd, Nov. 24.—The military governor of the Austrian fortress of Cracow has published a decree warning civilians that if they do not quit the city they will be court-martialed and shot. The decree says: "As the active population of Cracow is not obeying with sufficient punctuality the order for the evacuation of the city, the government warns those who are slow in obeying that they will suffer the death penalty." As a result approximately 50,000 Poles took flight.

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BALANCE KEPT BY NATURE

Increase of the Human Race Seems to Be Regulated by Wars and Other Devastations.

Every year, according to scientists who attempt to keep the general records, at least 80,000,000 human beings are born on this earth nad 60,000,000 or 70,000,000 die. This indicates a dail birth rate of about 220,000 and a death rate of 180,000. The daily increase in population therefore is about 40,000. The total population of the globe is estimated at 1,800,000,000.

The ravages of war do little to impede the increase. Far more effective have been the upheavals of nature. The Franco-Prussian war killed about 130,000 in seven months. The death roll of the Russo-Japanese reached about 200,000. A single earthquake (1737, in India) has been estimated to have caused 300,000 deaths. The fatalities of the Messina earthquake in 1908 cannot have been far short of 100,000. A tidal wave in 1896 drowned 27,000 persons in Japan, causing a greater loss of life than the whole war with China in 1894. The earthquake in Japan in 1703 is said to have killed 200,000 people. The Lisbon earthquake in 1755 destroyed 50,000 human lives, while 40,000 were lost in the same year in earthquakes in Persia.

Antagonizes Them.

"Has Bella many friends?"

"Oh, yes, but she is the sort of girl who is bound to make a few enemies among the members of her own sex."

"Why so?"

"She has such a good natural complexion."

It takes a woman to point out the faults of other women.

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The Government this year is asking farmers to put increased acreage into grain. Military service is not compulsory in Canada but there is a great demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for service. The climate is healthful and agreeable, railway facilities excellent, good schools and churches convenient. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Superintendent Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.
Benj. Davies, R. 6, Dunn Blk., Great Falls, Mont.

Canadian Government Agents.

"—By Wire."

Louise Randolph smilingly confirms this tale told of her the other day:

She was in her dressing room preparing to go "on" when the call boy announced that she was wanted at the telephone.

The boy returned shortly, slightly embarrassed.

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Not to Be Thought of.

"Now let us put our heads together and see if we can't arrange matters."

"Put our heads together? That would hardly do, Maude. Your green wig and my purple hair won't harmonize."

It Happened in Boston

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FOUND TIME FOR AMENITIES

How British and Boers Exchanged Compliments During the Long Siege of Kimberley.

During the Boer war Mr. Rhodes was shut up in Kimberley, and the Boers constantly shelled the town with long-range artillery. They were not very successful, for with 300 big shells they only killed 12 people.

Meantime, Mr. Rhodes accomplished the extraordinary feat of getting a cannon built at his works inside the town. It was a regular modern rifled gun, and fired shells—also homemade—on each of which was stamped, "With compliments of C. J. Rhodes."

The Boers themselves were not without a sense of humor. During Christmas, 1899, they were besieging Ladysmith, and on Christmas eve they fired ten plugged shells into the town each with a piece of plum pudding inside, and each bearing the words, "With the season's compliments."

Two of the shells were found by the garrison, and it was discovered that, like Mr. Rhodes', they were homemade, having been cast in a foundry at Johannesburg.

Just Mother's Way.

Robbie (from the depths of a bedtime cuddle)—Mother, you 'member you told me today that no one could possibly love dirty, noisy little boys?

Mother—Yes, dear. What about it?

Robbie—Then what for are you huggin' me so tight?—Judge.

Isn't it funny that the things we like to do most are the things we are told we shouldn't do?

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STARS AND STRIPES HAULED DOWN; VERA CRUZ IS EVACUATED

AMERICAN ARMY QUITS MEXICAN PORT SEIZED IN RETALIATION SEVEN MONTHS AGO.

IS PROOF U. S. SEEKS NO TERRITORIAL EXPANSION

Five American Battleships on East Coast and Pacific Fleet to Remain, However—Neither Faction Recognized in Withdrawal of Force.

Washington, Nov. 24.—Brigadier General Funston's infantry and marines, numbering about 3,000 men, today hauled down the Stars and Stripes which have been flying over Vera Cruz since last April and are evacuating the Mexican port in accordance with instructions from President Wilson.

Warships to Remain.

The five battleships at Vera Crus and Tampico and the string of vessels on the west coast will remain indefinitely. No orders have been issued by Secretary Daniels to the fleet. They will continue to afford protection to Americans.

It was just seven months ago that the bluejackets and marines, under Rear Admiral Fletcher, seized Vera Cruz by orders of the Washington government as an act of reprisal in retaliation for affronts to the American flag at Tampico, where a boatload of American bluejackets were arrested. General Huerta, who controlled the forces at Tampico, had refused to comply with the demand of Admiral Mayo for a salute of twenty-one guns.

Will Be Example.

President Wilson is hopeful that the evacuation of Vera Cruz will be an enduring demonstration to Central and South American countries of the policy of the United States, enunciated in his Mobile speech a year ago, to seek no territorial aggrandizement south of the Rio Grande. The original purpose of the occupation of the port—to gain satisfaction for an affront to the flag—having been accomplished, he believes continued presence of American troops on Mexican soil would be misinterpreted by Latin-America.

In withdrawing from Mexican soil the United States government has taken pains that no faction shall be recognized. All elements united in requesting the American forces to evacuate, pledging the guarantees requested by the Washington government. General Funston has no specific orders to give the possession of Vera Cruz to General Aguilar or any other chief. He has no instructions whatsoever from the State Department, being given blanket authority by the War Department simply to pack his possessions and withdraw his men, bringing away any Mexicans who feared to remain, as well as all the customs money collected during the American occupation and copies of the port and municipal records.

Customs Money Held

The $1,000,000 or more in customs duties will be held until a government is formally recognized by the United States.

A view that many of the officials take and which is shared to some extent by Carranza adherents is that Carranza ordered the evacuation of Mexico City in order that he might concentrate his forces at Orizaba and continue the parleys for a compromise provisional president. He is understood to be hopeful that when the convention reassembles in Mexico City some one other than General Gutierrez may be chosen provisional president.

Another view of the situation held in Mexican quarters is that while the Mexican capital has been evacuated there are large forces to the north and east which will continue to threaten the Villa columns.

Villagers Are Very Liberal

Washington, Nov. 21.—The town of Dublin, N. H., has taken the lead for per capita contributions to the Red Cross European war relief. With a population of 600 persons, Dublin has subscribed $1,800, $3 for each inhabitant. In addition Dublin has given $1,000 to the Belgian relief committee and much clothing and supplies.

Million More Troops Voted

London, Nov. 21.—The house of commons formally passed the vote for the supplementary army estimate, which provides for an additional army of 1,000,0000 men.

Excess Baggage Rates Upheld

Washington, Nov. 20.—Existing excess baggage rates were held by the Interstate Commerce Commission to be not unreasonable. Charges, however, for baggage of excess value were held to be excessive and a rate was established by the commission at 10 cents for each $100 or fraction thereof above the agreed upon maximum value. The minimum charge for increased valuation will be 10 cents. The case was brought to the commission originally by commercial travelers.

JAPAN IS READY TO SEND LARGE ARMY TO EUROPE

READY AND WILLING TO ADD HALF MILLION MEN TO ALLIED FORCES IN TWO MONTHS' TIME.

KING ALBERT OF BELGIUM SHOOTS HIS CHAUFFEUR

Latter Was Attempting to Deliver Ruler Into Hands of Germans—American Relief Supplies Reach Rotterdam on Way to Belgium.

London, Nov. 23.—Arthur Diosy, founder of the Japan society and an authority on Anglo-Japanese affairs, says Japan is ready to furnish a large army if found necessary to increase the Allied forces in Europe. "The Japanese army is in a state of readiness," says Mr. Diosy, " and if necessary to increase the Allied forces in Europe Japan is willing and ready to supply immediately a large, admirably equipped and highly efficient army. The Trans-Siberian railway and an ample supply of Japanese steamships would make transportation of half a million men in two months easy."

King Kills Chauffeur.

New York, Nov. 23.—Etienne Gouraud, who has arrived on the Cameronia from Glasgow, said he was with King Albert of Belgium when the latter shot his chauffeur for an attempt to deliver him to the German army.

Gouraud, who lived in Ironton, Mich., was a Belgian reservist who became one of the king's bodyguard.

"We were going in one of the royal automobiles from one point in the Belgian lines to another," he said, "when the king realized we were on the wrong road, nine miles from the lines.

"The king stood up in the car, and pointing his revolver at the chauffeur, ordered him to stop. Then we searched the chauffeur and found in his pocket a check for 50,000 marks drawn on the Reichbank in Berlin.

"The chauffeur admitted the check had been given to him to get the king within the German lines, and that payment had been promised on it when he accomplished his treachery. King Albert then shot him dead and we sped back to safety."

Demonstration in Palestine.

Berlin, Nov. 23., (Via The Hague)—A dispatch from Jaffa, Palestine, says great war demonstrations were held in that town November 19. Prayers were offered at the Omar mosque for the success of Turkey, Austria and Germany and their rulers. Later there were manifastations in the barracks, says the message and there were demonstrations of sympathy at the Austrian and German consulates.

Heavy Fight in Poland.

Petrograd, Nov. 23.—The German column between the Warta and Vistula rivers, according to today's official reports from Russian Poland, comprises six army corps and presents a front 56 miles in extent. The two rivers prevent flanking by either side hence the fighting consists of straight frontal attacks in which the losses to both armies are heavy, but neither side has been able to gain a market advantage

The Germans, military observers contend, cannot advance farther in this region since the Russian concentration, which was delayed by bad roads and lack of railroads is now now complete. Dispatches received in Petrograd from Tiflis, Trans-Caucasia, explain that the halt in the Russian advance toward Kopry[illegible]io was due to the discovery of the fact that the entire Turkish army was massed at Erzerum, the Russians contenting themselves, it is said, with holding their positions while awaiting reinforcements

London, Nov. 23.—Artillery activity by Germans marked the day in the Flanders, France, fighting while in the eastern theatre the Russians and Germans continue to hurl tremendous forces at each other between the Warta and Vistula rivers in a vain endeavor to pierce each other's line.

Capture Turkish Vessel

An Athens dispatch says that British destroyers captured a Turkish sailing vessel on which two German officers were disguised, proceeding to Smyrna. It adds that the Anglo-French squadron fired on some Turkish torpedo boats in the Dardanelles, but the latter disappeared.

Ypres Bombarded.

Paris, Nov. 23.—The following official communication was issued tonight: "Today there was a violent bombardment of Ypres, during which the market place and the town hall were destroyed. In the region of Soissons and Vailly there was rather strong cannonading.

London, Nov. 23.—The Relief Foundation food ship Massapequa, which left New York November 3 with provisions for the starving Belgians, arrived at Rotterdam late today. The Rotterdam representative of the American Relief Commission took charge of the vessel and began the discharge of her cargo, which will be on its way to the Belgians in canal boats tomorrow.

The report of the activities of the commission to date shows it delivered in Rotterdam during the first four weeks of its existence 23,000 tons of foodstuffs.

MADE THE VICTORY CERTAIN

Gunner's Announcement Naturally Brought Joy to the Heart of Artillery Captain.

With a ringing cheer the enemy advanced to attack the intrenchments.

"Fire!" hoarsely shouted the artillery captain, and the roar of the guns responded, but without checking the steady advance of the enemy.

One piece remained undischarged.

"Why don't you fire?" demanded the captain.

"I—I don't know if it's loaded," responded the gunner.

A gleam of joy lit up the stern features of the commander.

"Then victory is ours!" he shouted. "Fire it and let's find out!"

The discharge mowed down the advancing column and the assault was repelled.

'Twas ever thus.

The golden calf used to get a lot of worship that is now devoted to the silken calf.

WHY CATCH COLD

One-half of the Deaths and Two-thirds of the Sickness is the Direct Result of Catching Cold.

Nothing could be of greater vital interest to the family than to know how to avoid catching cold.

COLDS THAT KILL

If it be true, as one famous doctor says, that catching cold can be avoided, think what it means. Two-thirds of the sickness that now oppresses the people would be avoided. Serious interference with business. The anguish of anxious parents. The blasting of many brilliant dreams. All these things would be largely done away with if people knew how to avoid catching cold. Catching cold is a very common experience in numerous households. People have come to believe that there is no way to avoid it.

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The Amundsen and Scott expeditions were greatly hindered through losing much of their gasoline, a loss that, in fact, had much to do with the disaster that befell Captain Scott. Mr. B. T. Brooks of the Mellon Institute of Industrial Research thinks he knows what caused the loss. At low temperatures, he says, ordinary tin tends to pulverize. At 54 degrees below zero it pulverizes quickly and may pulverize, although more slowly, at a higher temperature. Now hard solder usually contains a large percentage of tin, and so, of course, disintegrates in the same way. Consequently the gasoline cans are likely to leak at the soldered seams. Mr. Brooks suggests that polar explorers carry their supplies of gasoline in containers made of glass or of some metal unaffected by extreme cold.—Youth's Companion.

The Tip

"[illegible] a child's character," [illegible] in Washington. "Note his proclivities. Then choose a trade or a profession for him accordingly.

"I sent a little boy out the other day with a quarter to make a small purchase for me. On his return he told me the article I desired was out of stock, and handed back my quarter in the form of two dimes and a nickel."

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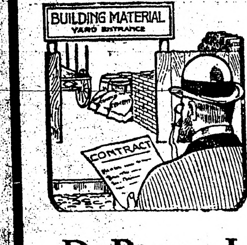

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Holt Public School Notes

Victor Rustad was absent Monday and Tuesday.

There will be no school Thursday and Friday,

But let the good old crops adorn
The hills our fathers trod,
Still let us for this golden corn
Send up our thanks to God.

A Literary Society has been organized in the higher grades

The officers were elected:

President Inez Alkenbrack.
Vice President Mable Haggland.
Secretary Stella Mickelson.
Sergeant-at-Arms. Merrill Latta.

Programs will be given every two weeks. A program is planned for Wednesday afternoon.

C. E. Russel called on A. H. Huseth last Friday.

Jno. Alkenbrack and E. M. Silbaugh autoed to T. R. Falls, Tuesday.

R. Rierson was in Warren Tuesday, on business.

Henry Oien and Leonard Jensen autoed to Middle River Tuesday.

Mrs. Bergum went to Warren on business, Tuesday.

Over 47,000,000 of the population of the United States live under the prohibition laws of several states.

Russia would like to have Turkey for a great Thanksgiving dinner.

Ten steel bridges were unloaded here Saturday by a Minneapolis firm. They will span the ditches of the country to the east of Holt and will be a great improvement to the roads.

Mrs. Olaf Dahl returned home on Tuesday from a couple of weeks visit with friends in Iowa.

Ole Mockstad of Mud Lake was in one day last week and bought a bill of lumber for a house, of D. Payne.

The Farmer's Telephone Co. held a business meeting, Monday.

M. T. Strom returned home Tuesday from a couple of weeks preaching tour.

The town board met Tuesday and appointed Dr. Malbey health officer for Holt township.

Miss Clara Furr has returned home from a visit with friends in Thief River Falls.

Peter Kolden who has been attending school at Ada Minnesota returned home Wednesday to spend thanksgiving with home folks.

Miss Stella Mickelson who has been attending school at Crookston came Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving at home.

Swan Carlson has a good young team for sale, which he is advertising.

Somebody's Lonesome

Way down deep within their hearts
Everybody's lonesome.
Deep within their secret parts
Everybody's lonesome.
Makes no difference how they smile,
How they live or what their style;
Once in every little while,
Everybody's lonesome.
People first in big affairs—
Even they are lonesomer.
Maybe like to put on airs:
Just the same, they're lonesome,
Men for whom existence blends
Every good, who gain all ends,
Still reach out their hand for friends;
Everybody's lonesome.
Woman, silk-clad, jeweled fine,
Yes they too, are lonesome.
When their gems the brightest shine,
They are just as lonesome.
Some must serve and some command;
All still seek, with groping hand,
Love, and friends who understand,
Everybody's lonesome.
Though your gift of friendship's small
Everybody's lonesome;
It may answer someone's call,
Someone who is lonesome.
Give, and give with might and main;
Give your hands, and join the chain;
And your gift will be your gain,
Sometime when your're lonesome.

New Dray Line!
All kinds of light and heavy hauling and team work, done Promptly and at Reasonable Rates.
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Holt - Minn.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 10:30 and you are invited.

The Young Peoples' Society will have an auction sale in the church on Saturday evening Dec. 12th Everybody invited.

Man's First Wings.

The first effort to equip man with wings that he might fly through the air, says the American Boy, seems to have been made by Watson E. Quinby, a Delaware inventor, who patented a flying machine many years ago. The inventor used the bat as the model in designing the wings. Previous flying machines had been constructed, on the balloon principle, but Quinby's apparatus consisted of wings 12 feet in diameter and semi-circular in form. The wings were attached to the limbs of the person flying, and the motions used were very similar to those used in swimming. The wings refused to work, however, and no one ever succeeded in flying with their aid.

How a Vampire Works.

The vampires of New Guinea are fairly large bats, and alight on any projecting part of the body, in preference the toes, into which they bite a small hole, from which they proceed to suck the blood. They fan the wound with their wings—to deaden the pain, the natives say—and the victim seldom awakens before much harm is done. These horrible creatures suck as much blood as they can, fly away and disgorge it, and then return for more. I have several times, says a writer in the Wide Awake Magazine, seen men in their hammocks covered with blood, and so weak that they could not get up for days.

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THE PATRIOTIC DOLLAR

CONGRESS DECREES DOLLARS INDULGING IN LUXURIES MUST FIRST SALUTE THE FLAG.

War Revenue Tax of $105,000,000 Levied—Beer Bears Brunt of Burden.

Congress has levied a war tax of $105,000,000 to offset a similar amount of loss on import revenue due to the European disturbances and of this amount beer is the heaviest contributor, having been assessed approximately $50,000,000; a stamp tax on negotiable instruments, it is estimated, will yield $31,000,000; a tax on the capital stock of banks of $4,300,000 and a tax on tobacco, perfumes, theater tickets, etc., makes the remainder.

Congress has decreed that the brewer, the banker and the investor must shoulder the musket and march to the front; that milady who would add to her beauty must first tip Uncle Sam, and a dollar that seeks pleasure must first salute the flag; that Pleasure and Profit—the twin heroes of many wars—shall fight the nation's battles and by an ingeniously arranged schedule of taxation congress has shifted the war budget from the shoulders of Necessity to those of Choice and Gain, touching in its various ramifications almost every line of business.

All hail the dollar that bleeds for its country; that bares its breast to the fortunes of war and risks its life to preserve the stability and integrity of the nation's credit.

The market place has always been a favorite stand for war revenue collectors. The trader is a great financial patriot. His dollar is the first to rally around the star-spangled banner and the last to hear the coo of the dove of peace. He is called upon to buy cannon; to feed and clothe the boys in blue and each month cheer their hearts with the coin of the realm. Men can neither be free nor brave without food and ammunition, and money is as important a factor in war as blood. Many monuments have been erected in honor of heroes slain in battles, poems have been written eulogizing their noble deeds and the nation honors its soldiers while they live and places a monument upon their graves when they die, but very little has been said of the dollar that bears the burdens of war.

Honor to the Dollar that Bears the Burdens of War.

All honor to the dollar that answers the call to arms and, when the battle is over, bandages the wounds of stricken soldiers, lays a wreath upon the graves of fallen heroes and cares for the widows and orphans.

All honor to the industries that bend their backs under the burdens of war; lift the weight from the shoulders of the poor and build a bulwark around the nation's credit.

All honor to those who contribute to the necessities and administer to the comforts of the boys who are marching; cool the fever of afflicted soldiers and kneel with the cross beside dying heroes.

A dollar may fight its competitor in business, industries may struggle for supremacy in trade and occupations may view each other with envy or suspicion, but when the bugle calls they bury strife and rally around the flag, companions and friends, messmates and chums, all fighting for one flag, one cause and one country.

The luxuries in life have always been the great burden-bearers in government. We will mention a few of them giving the annual contributions to the nation's treasury: Liquor, $250,000,000; tobacco, $103,000,000; sugar, $54,000,000; silks, $15,500,000; diamonds, $3,837,000; millinery, $2,479,000; furs, $2,024,000 and automobiles, $870,000. We collect $665,000,000 of internal and custom revenue annually and $450,000,000 of this amount classifies as luxuries, and to this amount we should add the $100,000,000 war tax now levied.

The war tax is immediately effective. Tramp! Tramp! Tramp! the industries are marching $100,000,000 strong and beneath the starry flag they will fill the treasury again while they shout, "Hurrah for Uncle Sam!"

In every field of human activity the demand for more competent men and women is growing every day. Especially so in agriculture.

Home pride is a mighty valuable asset, and the farmer who has none is carrying a heavy handicap on the road to success.

Work is the salve that heals the wounded heart.

Correct Vibrations of Health.

The Indian in his natural state has no diseases as we know them. He lives in the open air and hunts and fishes enough to make his blood circulate fast; his lungs exercise enough to keep his blood pure. Human beings sit in the house and do not exercise their lungs, and in due time they run down a vibration sufficiently low to enable the disease germs to take hold on the tissue cells of the body and poison or destroy them.—Elizabeth Towne in Nautilus.

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Nov. 4, 1914. Notice is hereby given that Ludvig Rudrud of Newfolden, Minn, who on Jan. 28th 1908 made Homestead Entry No. 24659 Serial No. 02184 for SE1-4 NW1-4 Sec. 7, Twp. 156 N. Range 44 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Thief River Falls, on the 15th day of Dec. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Carl Soreson, Ole Niflot, Gust Ekmand and Andrew Ekmand all of Newfolden, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Nov. 3, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ole M. Larson of Holt, Minn. who, on Nov. 22nd 1910 made Homestead Entry No. 05754 for N 1-2SW 1-4 Sec. 27 Twp. 156 N Range 42 W 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 7th day of December 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Olaus Rodahl, Clarence Knutson, Albert C. Jahr and Geo. C. Anderson all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Notice To The Farmers!

Do you realize you have in your herd of "Cows" what we call Boarders? A Cow that does'nt pay for the feed she consumes. Possibly some make a very small profit but not enough to pay for the work. Others may be paying you a good profit over feed, care, etc. To find out which ones are boarders, join the Testing Association. Contest begins Dec. 1. and if you join with the many who will keep a "Daily Record" of their cows to Dec. 1, 1915, you will be in a position to know which one to sell, when a buyer comes and offers you big prices for a cow he happens to want and trys to make you believe she is not a good milker. Don't believe it. No man can sell a good profit making cow without weighing and testing her milk. Find out your best cows and keep them. Sell the boarders. Remember the dairyman is a winner every time— wars and hard times affect him less than other people.

These are some of my patrons who will begin keeping a daily record on Dec. 1. 1914: P. T. Olson, Chris Sheveland, O. A. Thompson, T. B. Folden, Chas. Heinze, T. O. Dovre, Elvin Arickson, Erick Johnson, G. P. Sorter, John Engstrom and Louis Wegge. Let us all join.

P. L. Anderson.

We have just received information that the Herrick Seed Co. of Rochester, N. Y. wants lady or gentlemen representatives in this section to sell all kinds of Roses, Shrubs, Trees and Seeds. They inform us that without previous experience it is possible to make good wages every week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice. 116

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A HOME BANK
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When the farmers in this section market their grain, the checks received in payment may be brot to this bank and deposited for credit.
We will accept his deposits so that he can write checks against his account,—or
We will issue a Certificate of Deposit payable in six or twelve months and drawing six per cent interest from date of deposit, or
His deposit may be divided,— part of it subject to check and the remainder at interest.
Farmers' State Bank of Holt

Nels Gudvangen has rented his farm and will sell at public auction Saturday Dec. 5th commencing at 11 A. M., 5 Cows, 4 Calves, 7 mts. old Heifer, 3 good Oxen, 2 Wagons and Buggies and a lot of good Machinery, on the farm 3 mi. east, 1 mi. south of Holt

KNUTE NELSON
United states Commissioner, Distric of Minnesota
Final Proofs and Homestead Entries carefully attended to.
Middle River, - - - Minnesota.

Estray.

Estray: A yearling bull. Owner may have the same by proving property, paying for his keeping and this ad. S. W. Groshon, Rollis, Minn.

How is your subscription account?

Dr. Turley, the dentist, will be at the hotel, again, Monday Dec. 7th.

To monkey with the tariff during prosperity is on a par with monkeying with a buzz saw and not expecting to get hurt.

D. Payne unloaded two cars of coal the first of the week. One was the long expected hard coal and the other Pocahontas.

A Great Big Dairy Convention will be held in Crookston Dec. 9th and 10th by the Red River Valley Assn. Farmers are urged to attend.

H. G. HIEBER
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
PHONE 244
Thief River Falls, Minn.

For Sale!

For Sale: Two Poland China brood sows and one full blood Poland China boar. Address S. W. Groshon, sec. 136 Whiteford town, Rollis, Minn. 18 S. W. Groshon.

We had another touch of winter weather this week.

If county option is not a cure for the drink evil, it might be a forerunner of something better.

The war tax went into effect Tuesday and we believe some of those who thought the European war would not affect this country will have occasion to change their minds.

Albert Bjerk bet Edwan Nelson that he was past 18 years of age. When it comes to court it will be found Mr. Nelson is only 17 years old. Somebody made easy money there.—Con.

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Local Items

For Dr. G. H. Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

The Sunday School is planning for a Christmas tree.

Rev. Wilson of Warren held services here Sunday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim entertained friends at supper Sunday evening.

Fridjof and Wolmer Riesberg visited their sister in T. R. Falls from Friday to Monday.

Jno. Lein has been a guest at the home of his sister Mrs. C. H. Gunheim for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Monson are moving into the house on the old Nils Engerbretson farm.

Ernest Silbaugh returned to T. R. Falls Saturday to resume school work after a short holiday vacation.

Rev. A. L. Larson will preach in the Free Mission Church at 11:30 next Sunday morning Dec. 6th.

Some new ads this week and are expecting some more next week. It's only three weeks to Christmas.

Nels Gudvangen has rented his farm and will sell his personal property at public auction, Sat. Dec. 5.

Don't forget that good coffee you used to drink at Huseth's. We are serving the same kind now. Try a cup. A. H. Huseth.

Eighty-one counties in Kansas out of 105 have no insane. 54 counties have no feeble minded and ninety-six have no inebriates.

The Ladies' Aid of the Free Mission Church will meet in the basement of the church Thursday afternoon Dec. 17th. Mrs. P. A. Riesberg entertains.

T. B. Folden accompanied his uncle, Leonard Nelson, to T. R. Falls Monday and from there the latter went to Michigan to visit his brothers,

Messers Swenke Swenkeson and Hans Stenstrud returned Wednesday from a hunting expedition. The trophies brought home were two fine moose.

The basket social Saturday evening in the East Valley school house was well attended. The net sum of thirty-eight dollars and ninety cents was collected.

Farmers will be required to weigh milk and save samples for testing, only three days in each month, and all should take hold of the work and be progressive.

The young people of Holt and vicinity who are attending school in other places, spent Thanksgiving at home, returning to their studies on Monday or before,

Carl Johnson is very sick with typhoid fever and his uncle has not fully recovered from the same disease. A trained nurse came Tuesday to help care for the young man.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe and A. R. Jones entertained a little company of friends at a turkey supper Sunday evening, at the pleasant home of the former named.

The new Federal Reserve banks are now in full operation and have already begun the issuency of their new currency. Ben Docken, cashier of the Holt State Bank, received the other day from St. Paul Bank a few of the new bank notes.

Dr. Turley, the Dentist will be at the hotel, in Holt, Monday Dec. 7

Nils Engebretsen Reappointed P. M.

Having successfully passed the examination taken in July, Nils Engebretsen received notice this week of his appointment as postmaster at Holt, to succeed himself. Mr. Engebretsen is an efficient and capable man for this position and his appointment meets with the general approval of the people of this community. He has been our postmaster for the past 14 years and first received his appointment through the recommendation and kindness of D. B. Bakke, president of the Holt State Bank, and the first intimation he had of his reappointment came through Mr. Bakke, which was rather a pleasing coincidence to him.

Notice! Notice!

Ed. M. Silbaugh has opened up a barber shop in his new building (the Star Hall) and would be glad to have you call on him.

Notice the sanitary conditions of his shop—room 24x50 and a clean towel and hot water with every shave. Come and See!

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 10:30 and you are invited.

A. L. Larson preaches at 11:30 next Sunday morning. All invited.

Children and all are requested to be early at Sunday School so as to get through the lesson before time for the sermon.

The Young Peoples' Society will have an auction sale in the church on Saturday evening Dec. 12th Everybody invited.

About $60.00 in cash and pledges was raised for the building fund of the Free Mission Church at their Thanksgiving services. Many were in attendance from a distance among whom the following were noticed: Rev. Wilson of Warren who gave the people a strong sermon, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Nyhus, Mr. and Mrs. Moland, Mr. and Mrs. Rindal, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kroon, Gim Tarmal, Miss Brudde, Mrs. Lofkin, Ole and Hans Sande all of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Tunheim and children, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmusen, Lars Bjareness and Pit Martrud of Newfolden, Ole Moen of Middle River, Emil Simson and Otto Larson both from the state of New York.

E. T. Eide has moved to Spooner where he will run a feed store this winter.

Alfred and Julius Olson returned from Strathcona, Saturday, where they bagged some big game.

J. P. Lein of Warren visited a few days with Mr. and Mrs C. H. Gunheim, returning home Monday.

Henry Johnson of Henning N. D visited his cousins Mesdames A Sollom and B. L. Backe, Friday.

Miss Mabel Haggland from Dugdale visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nelson, last week.

Ole [illegible] came Wednesday from the pineries to visit his folks. He brought with him a fine [illegible] which he killed while hunting.

Carl [illegible] shoe repair [illegible] of S. [illegible] Kolden [illegible] glad to have you call and try his work.

[illegible] Monday. Mr. Huseth [illegible] to Fertile to [illegible] children.

Martin [illegible] of Minneapolis visited his parents last week. He saw many changes in the country in the four or five years he's been away.

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Add to your earning capacity a little each day, but subtract at least one-fourth of each dollar you earn and place it in a bank account. By so doing you multiply present contentment and future comfort by every deposit you make.
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POLAND BATTLE MAY LAST MANY DAYS

MUSCOVITE WAR OFFICIALS GIVE OUT LITTLE NEWS OF BIG VICTORY IN POLAND.

MANY OF KAISER'S TROOPS REPORTED TAKEN PRISONERS

Little Fighting in Progress Between Allies and Germans in France and Belgium—Lord Kitchener Makes a Report.

London, Dec. 1.—While deprecating the exaggerated reports of Russian successes in the battle in Northern Poland, where the German Emperor has joined Field Marshall von Hindenburg to offer his advice and to encourage his troops, the latest available reports from Russian headquarters state that the advantage in the fighting still lies with the Russian army.

Losses Are Enormous.

It is also said enormous losses have been inflicted on the Germans, but no mention is made of the way certain German divisions have been separated from the main army as claimed by the Petrograd correspondents of London and Paris papers. To offset this is the German official report which says the Russian attacks have been repulsed and the German counter attacks have been successful.

Trying to Break Through.

Some days must elapse before this battle, which promises to prove the most decisive of the war, is concluded. All that is definitely known is that the German advance has been brought to a standstill. Some of the German troops have been partly or wholly surrounded but they are still fighting stubbornly to break their way through the Rusian lines, apparently to the northward, where they hope to join re-enforcements sent from Thorn.

Russians Take 30,000 Prisoners

In the battle before Cracow the Russians claim decisive success. During the last week they took 30,000 Austrian and German prisoners in this region. This victory is taken in Petrograd to mean Cracow will not bar the Russian advance in Silesia from the south, but that with the Austrian army beaten, it will be necessary only to mask the fortress.

Announce Success in Austria.

The Russians likewise announce success on the Austrian side of the Carpathians and against the Turks in the Caucasus, although in both regions the worst of weather has prevailed.

In the western arena the Germans, although making an occasional infantry attack, seem at present content to bombard the Allied positions, but with somewhat lighter guns than they have been using. This may mean either that they are sending troops and artillery to the east to use against the Russians, or that they are preparing a new attack against the Allies.

That the enterprise that failed in Flanders will not be repeated for the present seems probable, as the Allies have been allowed to capture some points of vantage around Ypres, which were previously considered necessary to the German plans. There has been a minor attack near Arras, but not in strong enough force to suggest the Germans have decided to try to get to the coast by direct route from the east.

Try to Outflank Germans.

An interesting report from Field Marshal Sir John French, covering the period of the battle in Flanders and the days immediately preceding it, shows this battle was brought about first by the Allies' attempts to outflank the Germans, who countered, and then by their plans to move to the northeast to Ghent and Bruges, which also failed. After this, the German offensive began with the French coast ports as the objective, but this movement, like those of the Allies, met with failure.

Field Marshal French, doubtless in response to the demands of the British public, tells what the various units of the expeditionary force have been doing—those that failed and were cut off, and those who, against superior numbers, held the trenches for a month. He gives it as his opinion that the German losses have been thrice as great as those of the Allies, and speaks optimistically of the future.

Tribute to Belgians.

London, Nov. 28.—"The Russians have defeated the Germans with the heaviest losses yet suffered; the Germans have made no advance since I last addressed the house," and "The British are in touch with Turkish forces thirty miles east of the Suez Canal," were salient points of a speech made by Field Marshal Earl Kitchener in the House of Lords, summarizing the military operations.

Earl Kitchener paid a tribute to the gallantry of the Belgian army and to the King of the Belgians who, he declared, had no intention of quitting Belgian territory. He said the losses of the allies were great, but at the same time were slight compared with those of the enemy, and that the allied troops were in excellent spirits and confident of success.

Regarding recruiting, Earl Kitchener said he still had room for men and he was confident that the men would answer the country's call and see that the war was brought to a successful conclusion. He said that about 30,000 recruits were enlisting weekly.

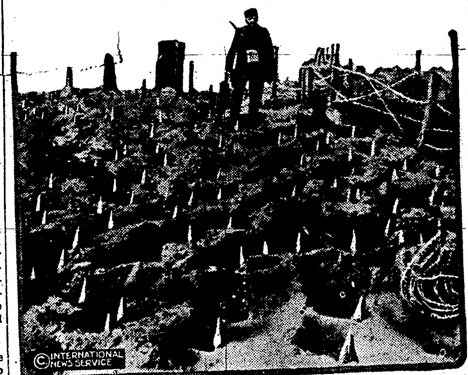
"The time will come when we shall require many more and I will then make it thoroughly well known," the field marshal said, and added that in the meantime all the gaps in the British forces on the Continent had been filled.

Expect 10,000 Men Ready Soon.

London, Nov. 27.—Portugal has taken the final plunge into the European war. The Portuguese Congress decided the country should co-operate with the allies when it considers the step necessary. The minister of war will issue a decree for partial mobilization.

A dispatch has been received from Lisbon to that effect. It did not state when the Portuguese troops would be available for field duty at the front, but it was believed in official circles here that it would be but a short time when 10,000 men would be sent forward to the allies' battle line in France and Belgium.

SPIKED PITS AND BARBED WIRE



This piece of ground, dotted with pits with spikes in them and crossed with barbed wire entanglements, prepared by the Belgians to impede the advance of the Germans, gives some idea of the fields over which the troops in the war zone are expected to charge.

SEES END OF YPRES TO ARMENTIERES FIGHTING

London, Nov. 30.—Field Marshal Sir John French, commander in chief of the British forces in the field, speaks in an optimistic vein concerning the position of the Allies in a report issued by the official press bureau. The report covers in a general way the activities of the British troops from Oct. 11 to Nov. 20.

Last Stages of Battle.

Summing up the situation in his report, Field Marshal French says: "As I close this dispatch signs are in evidence that we are possibly in the last stages of the battle from Ypres to Armentieres. For several days past the artillery fire of the enemy has slackened considerably and his infantry attacks have practically ceased.

Fighting Embraces Large Area.

"In remarking upon the general military situation of the Allies, as it appears to me at the present moment," General French continues, "it does not seem to be clearly understood that the operations in which we have been engaged embrace nearly all of the central part of the continent of Europe from the east to the west. The combined French, Belgian and British armies in the west, and the Russian army in the east, are opposed to the united forces of Germany and Austria, acting as combined armies between us.

Germans Throw Weight in West.

"Our enemies elected at the beginning of the war to throw the weight of their forces against our armies in the west and to detach only a comparatively weak force composed of very few of the first line troops and several corps of second and third line troops to stem the Russian advance until the western forces could be completely defeated and overwhelmed. Their strength enabled them from the outset to throw greatly superior forces against us in the west. This precludes the possibility of our taking vigorous offensive action except when miscalculations and mistakes are made by their commanders, opening up special opportunities for successful attacks and pursuits.

BRITISH WARSHIP DESTROYED

SINKS 20 MILES FROM OUTSKIRTS OF LONDON.

Vessel Goes Down Almost Instantly, Giving Men No Fighting Chance —Band Playing at Time.

By International News Service.

London, Nov. 28.—The British battleship Bulwark was blown up and sunk in the estuary of the Medway river. Between 700 and 800 men were lost, including Captain Guy Belater, her commander, and all her officers.

But 12 of Crew Saved.

Only twelve of her crew were saved. It is announced officially that the explosion was internal and originated in the ship's magazine.

The disaster is the most appalling the British navy has suffered in the war. It is even more of a shock than the loss of the Aboukir, Cressy and Hogue at the hands of a single submarine on the North Sea, for the Bulwark was destroyed from within, destroyed utterly and instantly. The men aboard her had not a fighting chance for their lives.

Band Playing at Time.

The band was playing aboard the Bulwark. Near her were anchored several other ships. The morning was calm and but for the presence of the battleship swinging at her anchor chains there was nothing to suggest anything but peace. Alongside the Bulwark was a lighter. From it were being loaded over the side of the 15,000-ton battleship fresh ammunition stores for her 12-inch and 6-inch guns. The Bulwark sank in three minutes from the time of the explosion.

A vice admiral and a rear admiral of the Royal navy, who were at Sheerness, investigated immediately and reported that it was their conviction that it was an internal magazine explosion that rent the ship asunder.

The explosion was so violent that debris from the battleship was scattered over the coal fields in Essex county, littering the towns and countryside. At Southend-on-Sea, on the Essex coast, the concussion of the explosion was plainly felt and likened by the inhabitants to a severe earthquake. Buildings in the vicinity of Sheerness were shaken to their foundations.

Although twelve years old and no longer in the first fighting line of the navy, the Bulwark still was a useful unit.

Considering the size of her navy, Great Britain has been singularly free from disasters of this character. Nevertheless when the French warship Jena was destroyed by an internal explosion in 1907, all cordite ammunition was taken from all the British ships and carefully examined. Refrigerators were installed in the ships to keep the powder cool.

The Bulwark cost $5,000,000.

Cossacks Capture Aeroplane.

Petrograd, via London, Nov. 27.—A German aeroplane with two aviators has been captured by Cossacks 24 miles north from Plock, Russian Poland. The airmen had dropped several bombs in Plock.

Victoria Crosses for British.

London, Nov. 27.—Eight Victoria crosses have been awarded for conspicuous services in battles in France. Five of these were given to privates and three to officers.

Sinking of Ship Arouses Italy.

Bari, Italy, Nov. 30.—Another mine, which had floated from its moorings, exploded near here, destroying a fishing boat and killing four men. The explosion of this mine, which is said to have been one of those planted in the Adriatic by Austria, has aroused another storm of indignation among the Italian people along the Adriatic coast. The Italian government recently protested to Austria concerning drifting mines which were endangering shipping.

Medal for Madame Poincare.

Bordeaux, via Paris, Nov. 27.—The Bar Association has presented Madame Poincare, wife of the president of France, a specially designed medal as a mark of admiration at the example she set by working as a nurse in a hospital organized by the association. Madame Poincare, who early in the war qualified for duty in the Red Cross by completing a course in nursing volunteered her service as soon as she arrived at Bordeaux when the seat of government was moved here.

Greatest Loan in Britain's History.

The greatest loan in Great Britain's history—£350,000,000 ($1,750,000,000)—has been floated successfully by the Bank of England, both large and small buyers being among the investors. The country awaits the announcement by the chancellor of the exchequer as to the amount of the subscriptions with the belief that they will exceed considerably the amount of the loan and that the colossal transaction will have an impressive effect upon Great Britain's enemies.

WESTERN CANADA'S OFFER IS AMERICA'S OPPORTUNITY

GROW GRAINS IN WESTERN CANADA, ENJOY AN EXCELLENT CLIMATE AND MAKE MONEY.

With the European wheat fields desolated, and the farming population more than decimated, there will be for a number of years a demand for food products that has not been experienced in the memory of the present generation. Everyone regrets the horrible war that has brought this about. Its effects are felt not only in Europe, but in every part of the American continent. Many lines of business have been hurt, but only temporarily it is hoped. Financial stringency is being talked of. There is a way of overcoming these things; and Western Canada offers the solution in its immense agricultural area, when the possibility of retrieving losses, making assured gains, and at the same time becoming a factor in providing the world with the one great requisite—wheat—is so pronounced that it cannot be overlooked.

There are several ways in which excellent farming lands can be secured in the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta, and also British Columbia.

In the first place the offer of the Dominion Government of 160 acres of land free to the settler is something not given by any other country. Conditions of settlement are easy. Live upon the land six months in each year, for a period of three years, cultivate about thirty acres, and erect a habitable house. Instead of cultivation, the keeping of a certain number of head of cattle will carry with it the same value. Many of these homesteads may be had in the open prairie area, where every acre can be put under cultivation, but to the man with limited means, in the park area, lying north of the central portion of three of the provinces named, there is afforded the best chance. In this park country are beautiful groves of poplar and willow, small lakes and streams, and sufficient open area to enable one to go into immediate cultivation for crops of wheat, oats, barley and flax, any one of which does wonderfully well, giving prolific yields. In due time when more land is required for cultivation, these groves may be cut down at small cost. In the meantime, however, they have been valuable in providing fuel and shelter for cattle, which thrive wonderfully on the wild grasses that grow in abundance.

Another plan is to purchase from some of the railway companies who hold large tracts, or from some responsible land company. The prices asked are exceedingly low and the terms easy. Whether one may decide to locate in the open prairie area or in the park country the land will be found to be of the same general texture, a rich black or chocolate colored loam or a clay subsoil.

Again attention is drawn to the fact of the great opportunities for farming that are offered in Western Canada. Already a number of holders of tracts of land there, who are residents of the United States—business men, merchants, lawyers, bankers—men of foresight and keen knowledge of business, have decided to cultivate the lands they have been holding for speculation and wait no longer for a buyer to turn up. They are acting wisely.

Canadian laws are as fair and just as can be found in the civilized world. Military service is not compulsory, nor is there one ounce of coercion used. Anything that is given to Great Britain whether in money or men is entirely voluntary. There is no draft-ing nor conscription of any kind. Already over sixty thousand of the young men of Canada have volunteered for service, and thirty-five thousand have gone forward, many of these having left their farms in their love for Great Britain and a desire to fight for their country. As a consequence, many farms may be left untilled. Therefore Canada invites others to come in and take their places. This then is the opportunity for the American who wishes to better his own condition.—Advertisement.

When the Curfew Tolls.

Curfew memories are revived by these new official orders for "lights out" in London. There are places where the new decree will seem less drastic, because the old law of early Norman times is still observed, so far, at least, as the ringing of the curfew bell. The little Surrey village of Chertsey, for instance, still re-echoes to the ringing of curfew at sundown from September 29 to March 25. Londoners, though few of them seem to know it, may hear curfew tolled every night at nine o'clock in Lincoln's inn. And Canterbury bells still ring out the curfew as they did centuries ago.—London Chronicle.

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TO SETTLE MINE TROUBLES

WILSON NAMES BODY TO HANDLE COLORADO STRIKES.

Operators' Failure to Aid Mediation Disappoints President—Grievance Committee Is Favored.

Washington, Dec. 1.—President Wilson has announced the appointment of Seth Low of New York, Charles W. Mills of Philadelphia, and Patrick Gilday of Clearfield, Pa., as a commission through which future differences between operators and miners involved in the present Colorado coal strike may be settled.

The commission, officials explained, was not appointed to deal with the existing differences which have caused rioting and bloodshed in Colorado. Hywell Davies and W. R. Fairly, the conciliators who have been attempting to settle the strike for several months, will continue in their efforts to have the operators and miners agree on a settlement of the present strike.

In a statement announcing the appointment of the commission, the President expressed "the very earnest and sincere hope that the parties may see in it not merely their own good, but a duty which they owe to the communities they serve and to the nation itself, to make use of this instrumentality of peace and render strikes of the kind which has threatened the order and prosperity of the great State of Colorado a thing of the past."

The appointment of such a commission was contemplated in the plan for temporary settlement of the strike which the President proposed several months ago and which was accepted by the miners, but rejected by the operators. One of the chief objections of the operators to the plan was the naming of the commission.

The President announced in his statement that the commission will place themselves "at the service alike of the miners and the operators of the mines of Colorado in case controversy between them should in the future develop circumstances which would render mediation the obvious fay of peace and just settlement.

U. S. REJECTS DECLARATION

Refuses to Accept Piecemeal Adoption of London Restrictions During European War.

Washington, Nov. 27.—The decided stand taken by the United States government in refusing to accept piecemeal adoption of the principles of the Declaration of London as a guide to commercial restrictions to be imposed during the European war, was made clear at the State Department when the text of a cablegram sent to Ambassador Gerard at Berlin, Oct. 24 last, was made public.

The ambassador had cabled a preliminary notice that Germany intended to protest to this government against violation of the declaration by Great Britain and France. The German ambassador, Count Bernstoff, called at the State Department to lodge the formal complaint.

The text of the reply cabled to Mr. Gerard, copies of which went to all American diplomatic representatives abroad, was then made public. It follows:

"Please inform the German Government that the department's suggestion made to the belligerent countries for the adoption for the sake of uniformity of the Declaration of London as a temporary code of naval warfare for use in the present war, has been withdrawn because of the unwillingness of some of the belligerents to adopt the Declaration of London without modification. The United States government, therefore, will insist that its rights and duties and those of its citizens in the present war, be defined by the existing rules of international law and the treaties of the United States with the belligerents, independently of the provisions of the Declaration, and this government will reserve the right to enter a demand or protest in every case in which the rights and duties mentioned above and defined by existing rules of international law are violated or their free exercise hindered by the authorities of the belligerent governments."

The message was signed by Counsellor Lansing, then acting secretary of state.

AMERICAN SHIP FIRED UPON

Captain Reports Vessel Apparently Failed to Heave-to Quickly Enough to Suit Britisher.

Panama, Nov. 30.—The American steamship St. Helens, Captain Odland, which sailed from New York Oct. 17 for San Francisco, arrived at Colon and reported that she had been fired upon by the British cruiser Berwick.

Captain Odland said that his ship was hailed, but apparently failed to heave-to as quickly as was expected, with the result that the British cruiser fired two shots across the stern of the vessel. The incident occurred Thursday at a point 90 miles northwest of Colon.

Aged Woman Made Rich.

Michigan City, Ind., Nov. 30.—Mrs. Amelia Humbel, 85 years old, was doing her washing when a telegram came announcing the favorable decision of a will contest case in New York city awarding her Manhattan real estate worth $50,000. The estate involved was that of Mrs. Magdalena Herman, sister of Mrs. Humbel's first husband. By the terms of the original will her nephews, George and Edward Herman of this city, sons of Mrs. Humbel, were given the bulk of the estate.

GOT THE PHRASES MIXED

Small Boy's Idea of Occasion Would Have Been a Surprise to His Teacher.

He was a Muncie boy of six years who was "serving" his first term in school. The honor was thrust on him to ride in a gayly decorated float in the Disease Prevention day parade, given under the auspices of the Muncie city officials.

As he was hurrying away from home after his noon meal, anxious to be early on the school grounds in order that he might not miss anything, a playmate shouted at him: "Hi, Willie—what's your hurry?"

Willie, his chest inflated, strutted up to the other with all possible dignity and replied: "W'y, don't you know the teacher 'pointed me t' be in the health prevention parade?"—Indianapolis News.

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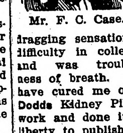

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How Sun Repels Comets' Tails.

A new theory to explain the tails of comets is advanced by the French physicist, M. Houllevigue, in the Revue Scientifique. It is natural to suppose, he says, that the incandescent nucleus of a comet is throwing out electrons into the extremely rarefied atmosphere that surrounds it. The observations of George Ellery Hale, the American astronomer, prove that the sun behaves like a negatively electrified body. Therefore he repels electrons, which are negatively electrified bodies. These particles so repelled would be driven to that side of the comet which is farthest from the sun, and by contact with the molecules of the gaseous and rarefied atmosphere would produce just the luminous appearance that we call a comet's tail.

Every comet's tail always extends away from the sun. Arrhenius, the Swedish astronomer, believed that the particles of the tail were repelled by the light of the sun.

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Baltimore, Md., May 23, 1914: "My limbs from knee to ankle were completely covered with eczema for a year. It commenced with several small water pimples, which burst when I scratched them, until they developed into sores, and oozed a yellowish fluid. I hated to go in company, it itched and burned so badly. I had no rest at night. I tried a good many remedies for eczema, both liquid and salve, but they did me no good, only made the skin more rough and scaly. I learned of resinol ointment and resinol soap and tried them, and was relieved of the severe itching and burning AT ONCE, and after a month's steady use was completely cured." (Signed) T. S. Lewis, 1821 Summit St. Resinol soap and resinol ointment are sold by all druggists.—Adv.

Great Journal.

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"I certainly did not know. I shall at once write to Washington for my share."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

In Style.

Mrs Crabshaw—I see that many of the American tourists, in their rush to get home, were obliged to leave most of their clothing behind them.

Crabshaw — Umph! I don't think that would embarrass you women very much.—Puck.

All That Interested Her.

"My dear, you ought to pass up frivolous things and take an interest in deep subjects. Take history, for instance. Here is an interesting item. Gessler, the tyrant, put up a hat for the Swiss to salute."

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PLAN TO EXCLUDE BATTLESHIPS FROM AMERICAN WATERS

SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES START MOVEMENT TO BAR BELLIGERENT NATIONS.

SEEK CO-OPERATION OF U. S.; POWERS ARE BEING SOUNDED

Safeguarding of Pan-American Trade Is Aim and Diplomatic Conferences Have Already Commenced—Great Britain Is Reported Agreeable.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The United States government has been asked by the principal nations of South America to co-operate with them in negotiations with the belligerent powers of Europe to bringing about the exclusion of all belligerent warships from the waters of the two Americas and safeguard the the trade of Pan-American countries with each other.

Several Already Have Acted.

Argentina, Chile, Peru and Uruguay have laid their suggestions before the Washington government, while the Brazilian government is considering the advisability of taking a similar step. Practically all the Central and South American countries have been circularized by some of the principal nations, resulting in a series of diplomatic conferences in Washington and the capitals of South America, which now are in progress.

While the proposals are different in character and scope, they all seek the same end—the restoration of trade between North and South America, paralyzed by the European war. The movement also has for its object the removal of possible causes of serious friction between the countries of this hemisphere and the European belligerents on questions of neutrality.

Trouble Appears Already.

Already Chile, Ecuador and Colombia have had serious difficulties with the belligerents over the use of the wireless and the coaling of foreign warships, whose presence in the Atlantic and Pacific is growing obnoxious to South American countries.

None of the nations which have made suggestions is committed to any particular plan, but all seek the co-operation of the United States. The impetus that will make any plan effective, it is recognized by the diplomats of South America, rests with President Wilson.

Various Plans Outlined.

The various plans thus far formally communicated to the United States are as follows:

(1) The establishment of neutral zones on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of North and South America, within which the belligerents shall be asked to agree not to engage in hostilities or interference with commercial vessels. A meridian would be designated as the limit in each case.

(2) The convocation of a general conference of diplomatic representatives and commercial delegates of all the countries of this hemisphere with powers to vote on steps which can be taken to protect and restore Pan-American trade.

(3) The appointment by the Pan-American Union of a commission to recommend steps that would remove dangers to Pan-American trade.

(4) Prohibition by all nations of the two Americas of the privilege heretofore exercised by belligerents of coaling in neutral ports or the issuance of only a sufficient quantity of coal to enable a belligerent vessel to reach the nearest port of another country.

Powers Are Sounded.

Already some of the powers of Europe have been sounded on these propositions and it is understood that Great Britain is ready to deny her warships entry into Central and South American ports to coal if the United States approves the proposal and other belligerents agree.

While many diplomats who have carefully investigated the effects of restriction of coaling privileges, believe such a prohibition alone would not be effective in keeping belligerent warships from American waters, the fact that Great Britain, with her sea power, looked with favor on measures that would assist the South American countries in preserving their neutrality and restoring their trade has been a source of much encouragement to the diplomatists here.

The entire movement is in a formative state and depends for its progress very largely on the attitude of the United States.

30 Hurt in Missouri Wreck.

Mexico, Mo., Nov. 30.—Thirty persons were injured, one of them probably fatally, when Burlington Alton passenger train No 22, east-bound from Kansas City to St. Louis, left the rails three miles east of Clarks. Steve Preston, negro porter, injured internally, probably will die. The others, several of them seriously hurt, suffered bruises and internal injuries. Some of the injured men were rushed to near-by towns in motor cars, but the majority were brought to this city on a special

CONVENTION FORCES CONTROL

PART OF VILLA'S ARMY ENTERS MEXICO CITY.

Another Mexican Governor Declares Allegiance to Gutierrez—Rail and Wire Connections Resumed.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 30.—A part of General Villa's forces have entered Mexico City, but Villa remains at Tula. A train, the first in many weeks, left Mexico City for Juarez. This was learned when rail and wire communications were opened between the national capital and the border.

An official Villa report said that General Caballero, the Carranza leader, whose troops hold Tampico, had recognized the Convention party.

Villa Joins Zapata.

Washington.—While no definite advices have been received as to the situation in Mexico City, administration officials credit reports that General Villa's troops had joined the Zapata forces there.

The last dispatch to the state department reported the Zapata men and agents of General Villa as in control of the city. All official dispatches say order is being maintained in the capital, the only looting mentioned being that of a ranch owned by an American named Hill in the outskirts of the city.

In the same section, the Spanish ambassador told Mr. Bryan, several Spaniards have been reported killed. The Spanish envoy's advices were from Madrid, and while Mr. Bryan immediately telegraphed an inquiry to the Brazilian minister in Mexico City and American Consul Silliman, he thought the facts would have been reported by the department's representatives if the report were true.

In view of the arrival of General Carranza at Vera Cruz, Secretary Bryan wired Mr. Silliman to remain in Mexico City. He said he had originally ordered Mr. Silliman to join Carranza when the latter was at Orizaba, where the department had no representative.

American Consul Canada, at Vera Cruz, will handle negotiations of the American government with Carranza.

Vera Cruz.—General Lucio Blanco, the last of the Constitutionalist leaders to evacuate the capital, is reported to have been arrested by his own officers and to be on the way to Vera Cruz.

TRANSPORTS CARRYING FUNSTON'S ARMY DOCK.

Galveston, Tex., Nov. 28.—Five army transports bringing Major General Frederick Funston and more than 4,000 soldiers of the United States expeditionary force from Vera Cruz have docked, greeted by saluting guns and cheering. The chartered steamer Antilla brought 330 American and Mexican refugees.

With the flagship Cristobel, flying the two-starred banner of the major general, were the transports Kilpatrick, McClellan, Kansas and Sumner.

Among the refugees were many customs house employes from Vera Cruz. A clerical party was headed by Bishop Vincent Castellanes of the Roman Catholic diocese of Campache, with eighteen priests and twenty-one nuns. Owing to the flooded condition at the army camp site, nearly 4,000 soldiers will remain on the transports for several days. On the flagship Cristobel, guarded by a detail of men, is $1,000,000 gold, representing customs money collected at the port of Vera Cruz by the army.

STARVING POPULATION GROWS

American Commissioner Finds Thousands More Than Expected Must Be Fed.

London, Nov. 30.—"The population of Belgium which must be fed during the winter, probably will be many thousands more than seemed likely a very short time ago."

This is the conclusion reached by a special commissioner delegated by the American commission for the relief of Belgium to make an investigation. The commissioner sent a telegraphic report from Rotterdam to Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of the American commission.

Speaking of the Belgian refugees in the south of Holland the commissioner said large numbers, most of whom belonged to the agricultural element, had returned to Belgium or were going to return, with the result that there would be an enormous addition to the starving populace, as it was impossible to get work.

At Bergen-On-Soom there are 3,000 refugees living in tents. Most of the tents shelter two families. With the ground like a quagmire and the cold almost unbearable, the refugees sit huddled around a small fire by day and sleep on straw at night.

Kaiser Goes to Poland.

Berlin, Nov. 30, (Via Amsterdam and London.)—It was announced at military headquarters that Emperor William was with the German army in the east.

Argentina Dreadnaught Sets Sail

Boston, Nov 28—The Argentine dreadnaught, Rivadai, has taken leave of Massachusetts bay, on the shores of which she was built and sailed for New York on her way to the South American republic. She was manned by Argentina sailors, in command of Captain Joseph Moneta. At the Brooklyn navy yard arrangements have been made for her to go into dry dock, where her hull will be cleaned before she leaves for Buenos Aires, the middle of next month.

GERMANY ADMITS RUSSIAN ADVANCE IN EAST PRUSSIA

BERLIN STATEMENT DECLARES TEUTONS REPULSED SURPRISE ATTACK ON FORTIFICATIONS.

KAISER IS IN POLAND; NO DECISIVE RESULTS

Muscovites Begin Siege of Cracow, While Suburb of City Is Fired By Shells—Allies, Not Germans, Are On Offensive in Belgium, Says Dispatch.

London, Dec. 1.—Germany acknowledges that the Russian northern army has penetrated into East Prussia to a distance of 15 miles southwest of Gumbinnen, which is about 20 miles west of the German border. In Belgium, says the French official statement, it is the allies and not the Germans who are on the offensive. These two points stand out in news from the battlefields of Europe.

The German official statement says that strong Russian forces attempted a surprise attack on the fortifications of Darkehmen, in East Prussia, and that they were repulsed. Semi-official information from Petrograd is that operations along the East Prussian front are turning to the advantage of the Russians and that the Germans are retiring in disorder.

Poland Battle Continues.

Meanwhile the great battle in Russian Poland, between the Vistula and Warthe rivers, continues without definite result. The German war office states that the Russians were defeated in a battle south of the Vistula and that 4,500 men were captured. Farther south, in Galicia, the Russians are said to have reached Cracow and to have begun the siege of the city.

According to the French official statement the German forces in Belgium are on the defensive and the allies have made progress "at certain points." Fighting continues in the Argonne, where, the French statement asserts, German attacks were repulsed.

German Invasion Checked.

References to the Russian success in north Poland have become somewhat chastened since the cautionary report issued by Grand Duke Nicholas, commander of the Russian forces in the field, was made public. Nevertheless, the military critics in the capitals of the allies, according to dispatches reaching London, remain convinced that the German invasion of Russian Poland has suffered a check which only the most strenuous efforts of the German commanders can save from degenerating into disaster.

Strategy Without Precedent.

A news report from Petrograd sets forth that the Germans, apparently ignorant of the extent of the Russian opposition along the Vistula, or holding this opposition in contempt, threw heavy force against the Russian center, leaving only thin lines of communication between their wings. This created a situation said to be without precedent in military strategy. In the meantime the resumption of the Russion offensive resulted in a wedge, dominated by Lodz, being thrust into the German center.

If the Germans can hold their lines of communication with their wings intact, the invaders may be able to withdraw, in the view of the British observers, without suffering disaster.

Russians Besiege Cracow

Milan, Dec. 1. The siege of Cracow has begun according to a correspondent of the newspaper, Corriere Della Sera, who is with the Muscovite army. He wires that the Russians are bombarding the forts with their heavy siege guns, and that one of the suburbs of the city is reported to be in flames.

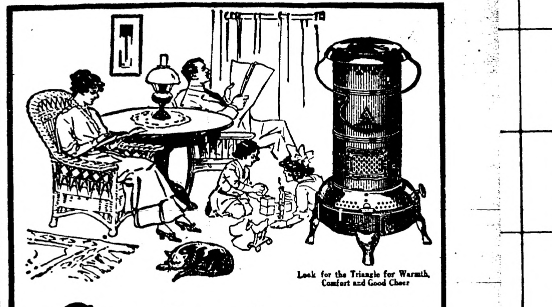
In the battle before Cracow the Russians claim decisive success. During the last week they took 30,000 Austrian and German prisoners in this region.

May Be Stranded in Vera Cruz

Vera Cruz, Dec 1. To check as far as possible the stranding of Americans at Vera Cruz, Consul Canada has decided to ask the state department at Washington to make public the fact that there is no reliable communication with Mexico City and that there is not likely to be any for some weeks. Some of the Americans who are arriving on every ship are not well supplied with funds and the consul fears they are likely to become charges

Wilson Declines to Speak.

Washington, Dec 1. President Wilson has declined to address the annual meeting of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress which will convene in Washington on Dec 9 for the purpose of urging the passage of a tremendous river and harbor appropriation bill at the short session of Congress. The President is considering the advisability of designating some cabinet officer to attend the meeting, to make known the administration's policy on waterways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Fair Proposition.

She—Papa preaches on 'Love One Another' this evening. Shall we go and hear him?

Her Beau—No, let's stay at home and practice what he's preaching.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Judicial Tribulations.

A defendant in Whitechapel county court called witness a liar, and Judge Cluer ordered him out of court.

When he apologized, Judge Cluer said:

"If people in this court, when they hear an untruth, call out 'It is a lie,' there will be such a noise that we shall not hear the trains go by."

His predecessor at the court was once told by a woman that she would fall down if she heard an untruth.

"Madam," Judge Bacon replied, "if it affected me in that way I should always be lying on the floor of this court."—London Tit-Bits.

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There is a world where all are equeal
We are hurrying towards it fast
And we shall meet upon the level
there
When the gates of death are
passed.—Sel.

Get ready for Christmas,

Otto Kuhene went to Thief River Falls Friday on business.

The roof is on the school house and the work is progressing nicely.

Mrs. Geo. Anderson accompanied her mother to Climax Monday.

Dr. Olson was circulating a subscription paper, Wednesday, for the Christmas tree.

Mrs. E. G. Werner and daughter, Esther, visited in T. R. Falls the first of the week.

Miss Agnes Bakke of T. R. Falls visited her sister Mrs. B. Docken a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Suter from Anamoose N. D. came Thursday to visit his mother Mrs. C. Swartz.

Axel Nelson has his house enclosed and is working fast as possible this nice weather.

E. T. Eide shipped five cars of hay, feed and household goods to Baudette, Monday.

Oliver Skinrud moved up from Fergus Falls, one day last week, and located at Mud Lake.

R. A. Skarsten of Fossen visited old friends Tuesday.

Dr. R. L. Olson autoed to Rosewood Monday morning with Rev. Wilson.

Mrs. Martin Strom called on Mrs. Carl Newton while in town, Monday.

R. Rierson was in T. R. Falls on business Friday.

Herb Severson visited in Thief River Falls last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stenhauer went to St. Hilaire Friday.

The Thanksgiving services in both churches last Thursday were well attended.

Theodore and Ghunild Sollom ate turkey with their parents, returning to Goodridge Monday.

Mrs. Huseth and children returned home from a visit with relatives at Fertile Wednesday.

Erick Knutson and son Oscar of Randen were business callers in Holt the first of the week.

The Misses Ambel of St. Hilaire visited at Chas Smith Thanksgiving.

A bunch of Holt young ladies enjoyed a sleigh ride and visited at the home of Ed. Nyberg Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson went to Alvarado Friday to visit relatives.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.07
Wheat No. 2	1.04
Wheat No. 3	1.01
Wheat No. 4	.97
Flax	1.32
Oats	.37
Barley	30. to .44
Rye	.82
Flour, Best Patent	3.35

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 25, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas Anderson of Holt, Minn., who on Sept. 26, 1911 made Homestead Application serial No. 06597, for N1-2SE1-4 SE1-4SE1-4 Sec. 30, Twp. 156 N. Range 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 5th day of Jan. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

C. F. Birkeland, Martin Nelson, Oscar Anderson and Engebrith Moe all of Holt, Minn.

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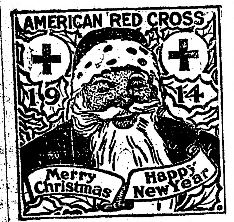
Miss Inga Johnson and Mrs. Larson visited relatives at Mud - Lake Sunday.

A whist club was organized Tuesday night.

Miss Mary Dover who teaches at Strandquist, spent Thanksgiving with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dovre,

Mrs. Carl Sorenson of Newfolden is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Rierson.

S. S. Kolden was a business caller at Gatzke Tuesday.



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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Oleson on Tuesday Nov. 24th a baby boy.

Mrs. Thom Tharaldson and daughter Linda has recently returned from Grand Forks after spending the past two weeks visiting with friends and relatives at that place.

Thora Skomedohl who is attending high school in T. R. Falls spent Thanksgiving with her folks, returning to her school duties Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Moe spent Sunday visiting with friends at Germantown.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson are now residing in the Old Mike Johnson house.

Messrs Ludvic Larson and Willie Steinhaner and the Misses Cora and Rawna Larson and Ida Lunke spent Sunday P. M. at the S. G. Moe home.

A party was given at the Steinhaner home on Thanksgiving day.

Miss Ragna Larson spent Thanksgiving with her folks, returning to Thief River Falls again on Monday morning to resume her studies in the High School.

Mrs T. Michaelson and daughter Marie visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Michaelson Sunday P. M.

A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Constantine Hoffman Sr. on Saturday evening. The party being given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Constantine Hoffman Jr. who were recently married in Albany Minn. Mr. Hoffman is the local mail carrier on Route 2 and his marriage was quite a surprise to his friends and neighbors. Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman will make their future home in T. R. Falls.

A very large croud attended the Ladie's Aid sale at the S. Moe home on Thanksgiving day. All report an enjoyable time.

Ole Dakle of Bemidji is visiting with friends in this locality.

The Sunnyside.

Here we are again to tell you every thing we know and maybe a little more.

Miss Marie Erickson spent the thanksgiving holidays at her home in Thief River Falls.

The Misses Mary anc Selma Dovre came home last week for Thanksgiving.

Charley Horien has been on the sick list for a few days.

The Rodahl brothers have been working at L. Wegge's this week making some changes on the house.

A number of little friends gathered at Ole Lunke's Sunday to help Miss Josie celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. A. Bjerk returned from a visit at Grand Forks Saturday accompanied by her daughter Lydia.

A bunch of Sunnyside young folks attended the entertainment and basket social at the East Valley schoolhouse Saturday night. The program was very much enjoyed by all. Ask:

Ludwig about his rubbers.
Selma about the onion.
Marie about the orange peelings.
Lydio about the cabbage head.
Ole about the pumpkin.
Ed about the paper.
Lucy about her escort home.
Oscar if he is going to start school Saturday,
Irene about her feather
Clara about the coffee.
Hjalmer how to play peek-a-boo.

Miss Ingborg Nelson came from Dugdale last week to spend the winter with her parents Jacob Nelson and wife at the restaurant.

Rev. Aastad and and Mr. Loken were here Monday from T. R. Falls looking at land.

Dr. Walters of Middle River was a Holt business visitor Monday.

T. E. Ellestad and family of Elgin N. D. have moved onto the old R. L. Olson farm, the past week.

P. A. VonWald drove up from T. R. Falls Monday and visited at J. D. Alkenbrack's.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Nov. 4, 1914. Notice is hereby given that Ludvig Rudrud of Newfolden Minn, who on Jan. 28th 1908 made Homestead Entry No. 24658 Serial No. 02184 for SE1-4 NW1-4 Sec. 7. Twp. 156 N. Range 44 W. 5th P. M has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Thief River Falls, on the 15th day of Dec. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Carl Soreson, Ole Niflot, Gust. Ekmand and Andrew Ekmand all of Newfolden, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 3, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ole M. Larson of Holt, Minn. who on Nov. 22nd 1910 made Homestead Entry No. 05754 for N 1-2SW 1-4 Sec. 27 Twp. 156 N Range 42 W 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 7th day of December. 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Olaus Rodahl, Clarence Knutson, Albert C. Jahr and Geo. C. Anderson all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Notice To The Farmers!

Do you realize you have in your herd of "Cows" what we call Boarders? A Cow that does'nt pay for the feed she consumes. Possibly some make a very small profit but not enough to pay for the work. Others may be paying you a good profit over feed, care, etc. To find out which ones are boarders, join the Testing Association. Contest begins Dec. 1 and if you join with the many who will keep a "Daily Record" of their cows to Dec. 1, 1915, you will be in a position to know which one to sell, when a buyer comes and offers you big prices for a cow he happens to want and trys to make you believe she is not a good milker. Don't believe it. No man can tell a good profit making cow without weighing and testing her milk. Find out your best cows and keep them. Sell the boarders. Remember the dairyman is a winner every time— wars and hard times affect him less than other people.

These are some of my patrons who will begin keeping a daily record on Dec. 15. 1914: P. T. Olson, Chris Sheveland, O. A. Thompson, T. B. Folden, Chas. [illegible], T. O. Dovre, Elvin Arickson. Erick Johnson, G. P. Sorier. John Engstrom and Louis Wegge. Let us all join.

P. L. Anderson.

[illegible] information [illegible] of Rochester, N. Y., [illegible] gentlemen [illegible] in this section to sell all kinds of [illegible], Shrubs, Trees and [illegible] that without [illegible] it is possible [illegible] week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice. 116

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The business of this Bank is confined to strictly sound, legitimate enterprises. In safeguarding the best interests of the stockholders they are also giving the same protection to each depositor.

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All kinds of light and heavy hauling and team work, done Promptly and at Reasonable Rates.

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Office in McGinn Block
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Dr. B. R. Lund, Dentist
Norsk Tandlæge
Thief River Falls - Minn.

Santa Claus! Santa Claus!

Santa Claus will arrive at our store Monday, Dec. 21st, at 4 o'clock A. M. and will be in the store for three days

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

Be sure and bring the children to see Santa.

Holt Mercantile Co.

Local Items

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Look over the new ads we have this week.

Sunday school at 2 o'clock P. M. again next Sunday.

Dr. R. L. Olson was a Crookston business visitor Wednesday.

Ernest Silbaugh visited his parents between trains, Saturday.

P. A. Riesberg visited relatives in T. R. Falls Monday and Tuesday.

The plumbers came Monday to do the work in the new school house.

P. L. Anderson returned Friday from the dairy convention in Crookston.

Mrs. B. Docken visited her parents in T. R. Falls, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. P. O. Rierson visited relatives in T. R. Falls, Thursday and Friday.

The Holt public school closes today for a vacation of two or three weeks

Christmas services in the Free Mission church at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Miss Hilda Johnson arrived home from Warren Monday for a visit with home folks.

Miss Annie Knutson came from Rosewood, Saturday, to visit at the home of her uncle, Otto Johnson.

If your shoes need mending take them to Carl Christoferson. He has started a shop in S. S. Kolden's store.

Axel Nelson, Ed. Bjerk and Miss Lydia Bjerk attended the dance at A. C. Jahr's in East Valley Saturday evening.

Oscar Anderson and Julius Olson circulated a subscription paper and raised the sum cf $16.25 for Fridjof Riesberg.

Mrs. John Alkenbrack went to Tolley, N. D. Friday to visit her mother and other relatives for about two weeks.

The boiler for the heating plant of the new school house arrived Monday and was unloaded and put in the basement.

Don't forget that good coffee you used to drink at Huseth's. We are serving the same kind now. Try a cup. A. H. Huseth.

A Christmas Program will be given by the pupils of the Holt School Friday evening Dec. 18th. Everybody Welcome.

Herbert Von Wold and bride spent a few days on her claim in Mud Lake, departing last Thursday for their home in Canada.

All the children are invited to meet at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon Dec. 19th, at the Free Mission church, to practice for Christmas

John Johnson moved his family into their new home Friday and Samuel Anderson and bride moved into the house vacated by the former named.

German Lutheran services in the Holt Synod church at 10:30 next Sunday morning. Preaching and communion by Rev. F. J. Seltz of Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Nordlum of Middle River and Oliver Nordlum and sister Miss Clara, both of Beltrami, Minn., were Sunday guests at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Huseth and family.

We wish to thank all who so kindly gave us their help at our wedding and for the many beautiful presents received.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Anderson.

Editorial Notice!

As our press day comes on Christmas, this year, we wish to issue the paper one day earlier than usual, therefor all copy intended for next week's paper should be sent in by Tuesday.

Deidrick Nyberg was a passenger for T. R. Falls Monday.

Ernest Kuhene was a Crookston visitor Tuesday afternoon.

Arvid Carlson went to T. R. Falls Monday to have dental work done.

Winter is here in earnest and those whose who were prepared are lucky.

Mrs. Adolph Sollom went to T. R. Falls Wednesday for a short visit with her sister.

C. W. McDaniel, a real estate broker of T. R. Falls, was here Monday, on business.

S. S. Kolden and Adolph Sollom were in T. R. Falls on business Monday and Tuesday.

Christmas tree and program Saturday evening Dec, 26, Free Mission church and you are invited.

B. Docken left Tuesday for Fargo where he attended a convention of the Pioneer Life Insurance Co.

The Nazareth Young People Society realized the sum of $16.30 from their mitten social Tuesday evening.

The dwelling house of Axel Nelson is fast nearing completion and is a big improvement to that side of the street.

The Free Mission Young People's Society took in about $34.00 at the sale Saturday evening. They presented Mr. Strom with the neat little sum of $10.00 as a Christmas present.

Masquerade Ball Dec, 19, at the Star Hall, in Holt. Prizes will be given for most beautiful costumes of ladies and gents and for the most comical costume. Everybody welcome. Supper at the restaurant.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich
Physician and Surgeon
Deutscher Arzt
Office Scandia Block Phone 520
Thief River Falls Minnesota

Lutefisk and Lefse Supper Every Saturday

At the Restaurant
Jacob Nelson, Prop.

Synod Church.

German services at 10:30 Sunday morning at which time Lord's Supper will be observed.

The Ladies' Aid of the Synod Church will meet with Mrs. Andrew Bjerk, for election of officers, the first Wednesday in January.

The Ladies' Aid of the Synod Church will have an auction sale at the restaurant Tuesday Dec 29th. They will also serve a lutefisk and lefse dinner, (same place), for 25c.

Free Pants!

With a Suit, Coat and Pants or Overcoat order during the month of December. Don't Miss it

Sollom Bros. Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank

Cordially extends to you
Christmas Greetings and Best Wishes
And sincerely hopes the year
May bring you happiness and success

D. B. BAKKE, President B. DOCKEN, Cashier

The Bank of Security-Service-Courtesy

Flour! "Cremo" Flour!

"Cremo" Flour means the very BEST to be obtained in flour.

Your Money Refunded if the Flour is not as GUARANTEED.

The People's "Cash Store"
Everything in Merchandise
Sollom Brothers, Proprietors
Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota

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As the season of 1914 is now drawing to a close, we wish to extend to our many customers and friends a Merry and Joyous Christmas, and Happy and Prosperous New Year. We also wish to thank our many customers for their past patronage, and trust that prices and quality have been such, that we may be favored with a good portion of your future business.

S. S. Kolden & Co.

Godt Nyt Aar

Reduction Sale!

These Prices Good until Christmas

Men's regular $4.00 Shoes at only $3.50
Ladies' regular $3.00 Shoes at only $2.25
Boys and Girl's regular $2.00 and $2.25 Shoes at only $1.50
All other Shoes Reduced in the same proportion
[illegible] Low Prices on All Rubbers and Overshoes

Dress Goods regular 25c and 30c at only 20c

R. Rierson - - Holt, Minn.

KAISER'S TROOPS REPULSED IN WEST

ONSLAUGHT AGAINST BRITISH HOLDING LINE EAST OF YPRES IS MOST PRONOUNCED.

FRENCH CLAIM SIGNAL SUCCESS OVER GERMANS

Notable Success Over the Teutons in the Forest of LePretre Is Told in Official Statements Issued From War Office—Heavy Losses Are Inflicted.

Paris, Dec. 15.—The Germans have been checked in two violent attacks on the extreme ends of the battle front. Most pronounced was the onslaught against the British forces holding the line extending eastward from Ypres. The other was directed against the railway station of Aspach, west of Muelhausen, which the French captured on Friday.

The desperate efforts of the Germans to retake this advantageous position like their attempt to break through the British lines in the north, resulted in failure, the allies maintaining themselves sturdily in their trenches while inflicting heavy losses upon the attacking forces.

French Are Successful.

Reports received from the front and made public in the official statements issued from the war office during the day, told of a notable success of the French arms over the kaiser's forces in the forest of LaPretre. The battle has been raging in that section of eastern France for several days, with the French steadily advancing in spite of the determined resistance of the Germans.

The French threw the full force of their columns against the Germans, driving them to the north, and compelling them to evacuate positions of great strategical values.

The aggressive campaign of the French on the forest of LaPretre forms a vital portion of the general plan of two closely related purposes—one the isolation of the German army corps at St. Mihiel and the other the gain of vantage points for the continuation of the march toward Metz.

Take Offensive in Alsace.

Supplementing the official statement is a report received in a dispatch from Geneva and published in Le Echo of Paris concerning the fighting in Alsace. The dispatch says:

"The French have taken the offensive in Alsace and are marching on Altkirch. They have seized the villages of Bisel, Largitzen, Hartsebec and Carspach, while near Pfettenhaven they have captured a number of German trenches. In these operations the losses suffered by the French were only four killed and twelve wounded."

Intermittent cannonading was the only evidence of activity on the part of the Germans, with the exception of that division of their forces which is facing Ypres. Here three desperate infantry assaults were attempted, supported by a heavy fire from their field artillery, but each of them was met and repulsed by the British defenders. The losses sustained by the attacking force were considerable.

The Vosges region, particularly in the vicinity of Senones, where the French have established themselves in great force, was again the scene of attacks, first by one side, then the other. The sum of this fighting has been the retention by each of their respective fortified positions.

Germans Are Repulsed.

Several attacks have been directed by Germans against the post of La [illegible] Henri, northwest of Senones, [illegible] the kaiser's troops particular[illegible] [illegible] because of its excellent command of the French supporting positions, but each time the venture has been made the Germans have been driven back. In the latest attacks it appeared that their energy had been greatly spent.

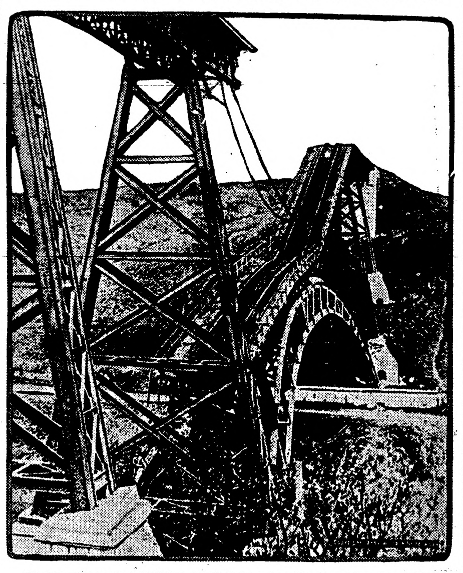
With the return to Paris of President Poincare and the greater number of the government officials, and with the revival of commerce, which is gaining momentum daily, the capital is rapidly resuming its normal aspect. Except for the arrival of wounded soldiers from the fighting front and the aeroplane patrols in the skies above the city, there are no outward signs in Paris that the nation is engaged in a great struggle for its existence.

Make Attack in Rainstorm.

London, Dec. 12.—Half a dozen German submarines made an attempt to enter the admiralty harbor, according to a Dover dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company, and for half an hour the batteries kept up a furious fusillade, firing at least 200 shots. It is reported that two or three of the submarines were sunk, but no confirmation of this can be obtained. The attempt was made under cover of early morning darkness and during a heavy rainstorm. The first alarm, says the dispatch, was given by the firing of a naval gun, and soon all the batteries were in action.

The admiralty, to whom this dispatch was submitted, said it had not received confirmation of the reported attack.

GREAT BRIDGE DESTROYED BY AUSTRIANS



During the recent fighting in Galicia, when the Russians were driving the Austrians before them, the Austrians destroyed this magnificent bridge to retard the progress of the enemy.

LATE WAR DEVELOPMENTS

Two desperate German attacks at the extreme ends of the battle line through France and Belgium were repulsed by the allies, and according to the official French statement, the French made considerable progress in the forest of La Pretre.

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A dispatch from Geneva Switzerland, states that the French are now marching on Altkirch in Alsace after capturing several towns and gaining numerous advantages over the German troops in that part of the western theater of war.

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The battles in Poland and the eastern arena are still progressing, it is reported from all sources, without indication of a decisive result as yet.

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The condition of Emperor William is reported from Berlin to be much improved although in Switzerland it is said he will have to undergo an operation as soon as sufficiently strengthened.

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The fate of the German cruiser Dresden is now declared to be a matter of conjecture as a late report says she has arrived in the Straits of Magellen after having been reported aground off Puerto Galleros Saturday.

Few British Casualties.

London, Dec. 11.—A British squadron under command of Vice Admiral Sir Frederick Sturdee, chief of the war staff, engaged a German squadron under Admiral Count von Spee off the Falkland Islands in the South Atlantic and won a victory which is being acclaimed throughout England.

The armed cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau and the protected cruiser Leipzig, three of the German warships which had been menacing British shipping and part of the squadrons which sank the British cruisers Good Hope and Monmouth in the Pacific on Nov. 1, were destroyed, while the German cruiser Dresden and Nurnberg made off during the fight and are being pursued. Two colliers were captured.

Boer War Hero Dies.

Capetown, Union of South Africa, Dec. 14, (via London).—The death was announced yesterday of Major General Sir Edward Yewd Brabant, who gained fame as the commander of a division of colonials, known as Brabant's horse, in the oBer war. He was born in 1839.

Noted French Physician Dies.

Paris, Dec. 14.—Charles Perier, president of the French Academy of Medicine, is dead. He was born in 1836.

NO LET-UP IN POLAND BATTLE

BOTH RUSSIANS AND GERMANS ANNOUNCE SUCCESSES.

Austrians Preparing to Leave Belgrade, Says Report—Servians' Recovery Marvelous.

London, Dec. 15.—The battles in Poland continue almost without intermission, and while both Russians and Germans announce successes and the capture of prisoners and guns, apparently no decisive result has been reached in any series of contests. The Germans are still delivering heavy blows at the Russian center, where they assert they took 11,000 prisoners and 40 machine guns, while to the south of Cracow, where the Russians are on the offensive, Grand Duke Nicholas records the capture of 4,000 prisoners, four guns and seven machine guns.

Another Russian force is holding the passes of the Carpathians, and is thus preventing the Austrians from sending relief to their army in Galicia. There is no news of the German troops who are advancing south of Mlawa with the object of attempting to turn the Russian right, since Petrograd reported a partial success over them.

Wonder at Servian Recovery.

The marvelous recovery of the Servians and their defeat of four Austrian army corps which had penetrated half way across Servia remains the wonder of military men. The crown prince, in his address to his troops, told them they had beaten and pursued with a rapidity unheard of in military history.

The shattered Austrian right wing crossed the Drina into Bosnia, where it was attacked by the Montenegrins near Vishegrad, and had to leave another toll of prisoners, killed and wounded and war material. The pursuing Servians also picked up another 5,000 prisoners and some guns and munitions.

Austrians May Leave Belgrade.

The Austrian army from Belgrade has again essayed attacks against the Servian right wing, but, meeting with no success, retired. It is officially reported the Austrians are preparing to leave Belgrade.

That the former German cruiser Goeben, now owned by Turkey, was not so seriously damaged in her brush with Russian cruisers as has been reported, is shown by the fact she took part in the recent attack on Batum, the Russian seaport, which, according to the Turks, resulted in a serious fire, but which the Russians say caused little damage.

Bulgaria, according to a Paris report, has expressed to the powers of the triple entente her desire to remain neutral. This means Roumania, if she so wished, would be able to join the allies without fear of being attacked by Bulgaria.

Blames Germany and Austria.

Amsterdam, via London, Dec. 12.—Dr. Karl Liebknecht, the Socialist member of the Reichstag, who was the only one to vote against the war credit at the recent session of the Reichstag, explains his action in an article just published in Berlin. He says: "This war was not desired by any of the peoples affected, nor was it kindled to promote the welfare of the Germans or any other people. It was created by the common action of the German and Austrian war parties."

Declare Scandinavian Ships Prizes.

London, Dec. 14.—A German prize court at Swiftemunde has declared as prizes two Danish and 24 Norwegian steamers. The newspapers throughout Denmark, Norway and Sweden express the greatest indignation at these seizures, the correspondent adds. The National Committee of Norwegian Ship Owners met at Bergen and passed a resolution urging the foreign office to act promptly to obtain a change in the sentence of the prize court.

Cut River-Harbors Appropriation.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The reduction from $35,000,000 to $20,000,000 of the rivers and harbors appropriation by last summer's session of Congress was the vital topic of interest when delegates from every state in the Union gathered to attend the eleventh annual convention of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress.

The members of the Rivers and Harbors Congress look upon the measure as about the most important one which Congress is called to act.

ONE DEAD; MANY HURT IN WRECK NEAR FARIBAULT

BROKEN RAIL CAUSES ROCK ISLAND TRAIN NO. 63 TO LEAVE THE RAILS.

NORTHFIELD TEACHER MEETS INSTANT DEATH

Five Coaches Are Derailed After Tearing Up the Track for Five Hundred Feet—Baggage Car Thrown at Right Angles to Road.

THE DEAD.

Miss Edith Wheeler, instantly killed.

THE INJURED.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson, 2431 Third avenue south, Minneapolis.
Vernadin Hinds, 3 years old, Landour Hotel, Minneapolis.
Frank Cushman, Broadview, Mont.
Mrs. Frank Cushman, Broadview, Mont.
Mrs. McDonald, Rosemount, Minn.
Mrs. Fred Cody, Northfield, Minn.
Dr. Grunez, Albert Lea, Minn.
Joseph Duffina, St. Paul.
F. A. Anderson, St. Paul.
Charles Stine, New York City.
J. H. Oberle, Marshalltown, Iowa.
Win Haas, Fall Creek, Wis.
Mrs. H. V. Moran, Albert Lea, Minn.
R. J. Grant, Faribault, Minn.
Clara Huseth, Owatonna, Minn.
C. J. Phelps, Watertown, S. D.
J. R. McLawin, Ellsworth, Iowa.
Edward Feason, Brooklyn, N. Y.
William A. Friedman, New York City.
Sister Esther, St. Clair's College, Cinsinawa, Wis.

Faribault, Minn., Dec. 15.—One person was killed and twenty others more or less seriously injured in the wreck of north-bound Rock Island passenger train No. 63, eight miles north of here, while speeding at the rate of thirty miles an hour.

A broken rail is believed to have caused the accident.

Miss Edith Wheeler of Farbault, who taught school in Northfield, was instantly killed.

Coaches Are Derailed.

The train of five coaches left the track after tearing up the track for 500 feet. The engine stayed on the rails and the mail coach was derailed, but remained upright. The baggage car was thrown at right angles to the roadbed, but remained attached to the mail coach.

The smoker, on which a number of people were riding, lay across the roadbed on its side. The day coach was swung around at right angles to the track and two other coaches were overturned before the train could be brought to a stop.

Thrown Almost Through Window.

It was in one of these that Miss Wheeler was killed. She was thrown across the car and partly through one of the windows just as the car turned over on its side. A relief crew from here broke a hole through the top of the coach, but it was found necessary to dig away the ground before the body could be removed, which was brought here in an ambulance.

Train No. 59, due here at 1:47, did not arrive until an hour and a half after No. 63 had left. It was planned to send it out as a relief train, but in the meantime the engine of the wrecked train had made the run to Northfield and secured coaches in which the injured were rushed to the Northfield hospital.

It was impossible to ascertain how seriously the survivors were injured, but it is believed all will recover. The injured were cared for by physicians from Northfield and Faribault, who were rushed to the scene of the accident on the relief train and in automobiles.

Soldiers Receive Victoria Cross.

London, Dec. 14.—The granting of ten Victoria crosses within the last few weeks brings the total number of those awards during the present war up to twenty-one. The cross is the highest reward given to the British army "for some signal act of valor or devotion performed in the presence of the enemy." The medal is in the form of a maltese cross of bronze, bearing in the center the royal crown, surmounted by the lion, and below on a scroll, the words "For Valor."

New York Editor Very Ill.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 14.—Arthur Brisbane, editor of the New York Evening Journal, became seriously ill at a local hotel.

Bars Navy Tonnage Figures.

Washington, Dec. 11.—In order that the United States may observe strict neutrality in the European war the Navy Department will not issue this month the usual comparative statement of the warship tonnage of the principal naval powers of the world, hitherto issued in December and July of each year. Instead of attempting to put out a statement corrected to date, the Intelligence Office of the Department reissued the statement of last July when all of the nations now at war were at peace.

WOULD DEVELOP TIMBER SECTIONS TO YIELD RETURNS

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE RECOMMENDS CHANGE IN METHODS OF ADMINISTERING FORESTS.

DAIRYING HAS BECOME AN IMPORTANT BRANCH

Progress of Agriculture Reveals Itself More Particularly in Diversification, in the Rise of Minor Crops, Than in Increased Production of Staples.

Washington, Dec. 11. — David F. Houston, secretary of agriculture, in his report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1914, recommends a change in the methods of administering the national forests in undeveloped sections, so that they will yield at once revenue that can be applied to local development which will further assist communities and aid in the settlement of the territory. Under this plan the department instead of waiting until timber is actually sold before the unsettled counties gain any revenue from this form of public domain, will, if congress grants the necessary authority, underwrite its proportion of expenditure for local improvement, especially for road construction, and charge this against the counties' shares of timber sales when the timber is opened for commercial cutting. The theory underlying the department's proposal in this matter is that the forests in these sections constitute a large part of the lands and prospective public income of the territory, and that the forests, therefore, should bear their share of the pioneering expense.

In the present report the secretary of agriculture has confined his discussion almost exclusively to the pressing problems of increasing the food supply of the nation and of bettering rural life.

Crop Production.

Dealing with the general crop production of the country, the report finds:

"The progress of agriculture reveals itself more particularly in its diversification, in the rise of minor crops to large proportions, than in the increased production of stable products. For example, dairying in the last generation has become an exceptionally important branch of the agricultural economy, the annual production including more than one and a half billion pounds of butter, a half billion pounds of condensed milk, and a billion pounds of cheese, having a value of approximately $600,000,000. The production of orchard fruits exceeds 216,000,000 bushels a year, with a value of more than $140,000,000. The value of the annual production of vegetables is in excess of $400,000,000. The production of hay and forage approximates 100,000,000 tons, with a value in excess of $800,000,000; the poultry products of the nation have reached a point where their annual value is about one-half that of the cotton crop at normal valuations, and marked increases are noted in the quantity and value of the cereals."

Products Show Marked Increase.

The secretary's report includes a table giving the census figures for 1899 and 1909, showing that in all products except corn and meat animals there has been a marked increase in production during the ten-year period. Continuing, the report says:

"We know that the wheat crop of 1914 of approximately 892,000,000 bushels is the greatest ever produced in our history, and that the crops of oats, barley, rye, potatoes, tobacco, and hay are unusually large. The cotton crop, forecast in October at 15,340,000 bales, is the second largest. The apple crop, estimated at 259,000,000 bushels, is the greatest ever harvested. The total production of six leading cereals is estimated to have been nearly 5,000,000 bushels, or about 428,000,000 bushels in excess of the crop of 1913. For the country as a whole the crop yield per acre was 2.3 per cent better than the average for the last ten years. The average yield per acre of all staple crops was 9.4 per cent greater than 1913, and except for corn, oats, and flaxseed, greater than the ten-year average."

British Advance in France.

London, Dec. 12.—Reuter's Boulogne correspondent, who has just returned to Boulogne from Armentieres, says that Tuesday the Germans were driven out of Armentieres by the British and hurled back beyond artillery range.

Of Little Faith.

The children were "playing church" and Johnny, mounted on an upturned pail, was "parson." "Youse people," he declaimed, "you ain't got no faith. Here's me been prayin' for rain for the last six weeks, and youse people ain't even bought a single rain coat."

The Retort Courteous.

Britannia—It will be a cold day when I cease to rule the waves.

Germania—The kind of day you meet the enemy in Chile waters?—Baltimore American.

WHY pay money for fancy boxes when what you really want is high-grade cigarettes?

FATIMA; the Turkish-blend cigarette. "No Gold Tips, but finest quality"—20 for 15c.

'Distinctively Individual'

If you cannot secure Fatima Cigarettes from your dealer, we will be pleased to send you three packages postpaid on receipt of 50c. Address Fatima Dept., 212 Fifth Ave., New York, N.Y.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

20 for 15¢

FATIMA TURKISH BLEND CIGARETTES

FIND TIME FOR KINDNESSES

Two Stories of Courteous Conductors Who Looked After Their Passengers.

"Once I was down in Louisiana," a traveler began, "on a little railroad that runs from Franklin to Week's Island. It took five hours to go 20 miles. The most amazing thing to me was that the conductors stopped the train anywhere he was asked to, and if there were no one to meet a woman passenger with innumerable bags and the inevitable baby, he helped her across a plowed field or sent a brakeman to carry her traps to her own gate and the train waited until he came back."

"Nothing surprising about that," returned a born New Yorker. "The Madison avenue cars stop every day for reasons quite remote from a regular schedule. I was on a car this afternoon and a little boy dropped his mother's umbrella out of the window. The conductor stopped the car and ran back a block and a half, got the umbrella, delivered it to the woman and incidentally advised her not to let her son have it again.

"Besides, I've known of more than one eye being punched out of a careless baby with such a plaything."—New York Times.

Like Bread on Water.

He—I gave a poor man a dollar yesterday and told him to come around and let me know how he was getting on.

She—That was good of you; like casting your bread upon the waters.

He—Yes, something like that. Anyway, he came back this morning "soaked."—Boston Transcript.

A Doubtful Frame of Mind.

"Do you believe in unpreparedness for war as a powerful influence for peace?"

"I'm not sure about that," replied Senator Sorghum. "I can't see any evidence to the effect that no monarchy would have the heart to shoot up an unarmed nation."

It isn't always love that makes a man attentive to his wife. Maybe he is afraid of her.

MESMERIZED

A Poisonous Drug Still Freely Used.

Many people are brought up to believe that coffee is a necessity of life, and the strong hold that the drug, caffeine, in coffee has on the system makes it hard to loosen its grip even when one realizes its injurious effects.

A lady writes: "I had used coffee for years; it seemed one of the necessities of life. A few months ago my health, which had been slowly failing, became more impaired, and I knew that unless relief came from some source I would soon be a physical wreck.

"I was weak and nervous, had sick headaches, no ambition, and felt tired of life. My husband was also losing his health. He was troubled so much with indigestion that at times he could eat only a few mouthfuls.

"Finally we saw Postum advertised and bought a package. I followed directions for making carefully, and added cream, which turned it to the loveliest rich-looking and tasting drink I ever saw served at any table, and we have used Postum ever since.

"I gained five pounds in weight in as many weeks, and now feel well and strong in every respect. My headaches have gone, and I am a new woman. My husband's indigestion has left him, and he can now eat anything."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Postum comes in two forms:

Regular Postum—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—is a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

Are Your Kidneys Weak?

Do you know that deaths from kidney troubles are 100,000 a year in the U.S. alone? That deaths from kidney diseases have increased 72% in 20 years? If you are run down, losing weight, nervous, "blue" and rheumatic, if you have backache, sharp pains when stooping, dizzy spells and urinary disorders, act quickly, if you would avoid the serious kidney troubles. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. There's no other medicine so widely used, so successful or so highly recommended.

A North Dakota Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

N. M. Danrot, carpenter, 511 Seventh St., Bismarck, N. D., says: "For five years I suffered terribly from sharp, shooting pains through the small of my back. The kidney secretions passed too frequently and I often had to get up at night on this account. There was sediment in the secretions and they looked unnatural. After I used several remedies without benefit I got Doan's Kidney Pills. They helped me right away and before long made a complete and lasting cure."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

Biggest Talker in the British House.

Mr. Lloyd-George, the chancellor of the exchequer, is the greatest talker in the British parliament.

The chancellor spoke 170 columns of "Hansard," while the prime minister comes sixth down the list with 108 columns. The member who asked the most questions was Mr. Fred Hall of Dulwich, who put 359.

In one sort of contest Mr. Will Hall is easily beaten by Mr. Will Thorne, the socialist. The ordinary rate of speaking is 100 to 150 words a minute. Mr Will Thorne puts his questions to the government at the rate of about six hundred words a minute. Mr. Hall cannot do better than a mere 450 words a minute.

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THE CHRISTMAS STAR

By JEAN DOUGLAS.

THE twilight of Christmas eve crept slowly over the city, disguising the harsh outlines of the housetops with a soft gray blanket.

The spirit of Yuletide filled the air, and since you could not help breathing it, the joyous song of "Peace and good-will" flooded the inner being as well.

In the dormer window of an attic chamber overlooking the city stood a little child. She was thin and pale, but even these ravagers of beauty could not rob her features of their loveliness. Great blue eyes and golden curls enhanced the fairy-like delicacy of her face, and though ill clad she possessed the bearing of a princess. Now and again she left her post at the window and, opening the door, listened as if expecting to hear familiar footsteps ascending the stairs.

When it was almost dark and lights began to appear here and there over the housetops, like will-o'-the-wisps in a marshy bog, she drew a chair beneath the hook driven in the closet door from which an exceedingly shabby coat and weather-beaten hat were suspended. By this means she was able to reach the garments and was soon attired for the street. Running back to the window she scanned the city and the heavens. Just above the horizon gleamed a single star of wondrous brilliancy, and the child, enraptured by its beauty, forgot that she intended to go out and remained motionless watching the resplendent glory of heaven's jewel. The room was flooded with a soft shimmering light, and the child gave a sob of joy as she suddenly realized that the star moved. As far as she could see the same silvery radiance flooded the sky. The great soul within that tiny body sang with happiness and she softly whispered: "It is the star of Bethlehem. I must follow it, like the three wise men!"

She hastened from the room and down the flights of steps to the street. The star moved on and on, unfalteringly, and the tiny figure trembled in every limb as it followed the wondrous light.

Beyond the boundary of the city, over frozen roads and frost-whitened fields, the tireless little feet, ill protected by their worn shoes, hastened after the star.

At last she came to a tiny house nestled among a group of fir trees. From the windows came paths of yellow light, whose warmth and cheeriness drew her on to the door.

She did not pause to knock, but lifted the latch and entered. The room was scantily furnished, but a glowing log fire bathed the homely surroundings with a glorified beauty.

Seated in front of the fireplace was a woman who bent lovingly over an infant. Grouped about her were three children, while the father of this happy family stood somewhat back of the mother hanging a branch of evergreen above the mantel.

As the little stranger entered and hesitated, the children rushed forward to greet her.

"Come in, child," said the mother.

The tired little girl moved eagerly forward. "Have I found the king?" she asked.

"The king?" questioned the proud mother. "Yes, we think baby is a king." And she placed the soft, pink face of the infant close to that of the child, who reverently kissed its cheek.

"I have brought him a gift," she whispered, shyly, offering a little bead purse. The mother stooped and imprinted a warm kiss on the lips of the tiny gift bearer.

"He will love it, and would thank you if he could. See, he reaches for it now." The chubby fingers, attracted by the brightly colored beads, tried their best to grasp the purse.

"You have given him his first Christmas gift," said the father. "Draw near the fire—you are cold—while I get a bowl of bread and milk."

The child removed her hat and coat, seated herself on the hearth stool and was soon enjoying the simple fare.

"How did you find us?" the woman asked.

"I followed the star," she replied.

Chance for Burbank.

"Here's something for Burbank to try his hand on," said a man to his neighbor.

"What's that?"

"Training a Christmas tree to sprout its own presents."

Giving of Presents.

It was the custom among Romans to exchange gifts at their winter festival, and this custom may have descended to us from antiquity. But Christians like to feel that it was because the wise men brought gifts to the infant Jesus, and because of the gift of God to the world. Gifts to the poor seem from the earliest Bible times to have been an expression of a thankful heart.

The Day of the Child

By WILBUR D. NESBIT

THE tree shines with the candle glow,
The trinkets glitter jewel-wise,
And we would that our souls might know
The joy told in the children's eyes.
Such sheer delight as this of theirs—
A wondrous happiness it is!
And every word the message bears:
This is the children's day—and His!

LET us come, as the Wise Men came
Those nineteen centuries agone,
Led by the Star's eternal flame
That bade them rise and hasten on.
They brought rare frankincense and myrrh,
They brought rich gems and graven gold,
They knelt, adoring, near to Her,
And all their marvelings they told.

AYE, as those Men of long ago,
Today we too, may see the Star,
May see its mystic heavenly glow
Flash out o'er Childland fair and far;
And from our hands now fall the gifts
And we know why the Wise Men smiled
With gratefulness; and each heart lifts
Its chant of worship of the Child.

MANITOBA'S AGRICULTURAL INDUSTRY

REMARKABLE DEVELOPMENT IN THAT PROVINCE DURING THE PAST FEW YEARS.

The past year has shown that the Province of Manitoba, the Premier Province of Western Canada, stands out prominently in point of wealth in her agricultural productions. Manitoba had an excellent yield of wheat in 1914, the oat crop was not so good, and with the high price received, every farmer was placed in a good financial position.

For some years, as is probably the case in all new countries, Manitoba went largely into the growing of grain, and while this paid well for a time, it was found that having to purchase his meat, his milk and a number of other daily requisites, the farm did not pay as it should. Now, there is another side to it. Fodder crops are grown, cattle are being raised, cheese factories and creameries are established, and the result is that the financial position of the farmers of Manitoba is as strong as that of those in any other portion of the continent. Scarcely a farmer today but has realized that the growing of grains alone has a precarious side, and that positive security can only be assured by diversified farming, and securing the latest modern and most economic methods. Therefore timothy, clover, alfalfa, rye grass and fodder corn are universally grown. Most wonderful success meets the efforts of the farmers in the cultivation of these grasses, and the yields compare favorably with those of many older countries, while in many cases they exceed them.

It is worth while recording the acreage of these crops this season as compared with last, because the figures reflect the remarkable progress that is being made in dairying and in the beef and pork industry. In 1913 brome grass was sown on 24,912 acres, rye grass on 21,917 acres, timothy on 118,712 acres, clover on 5,328 acres, alfalfa on 4,709 acres and fodder corn on 20,223 acres. In 1914 the respective acreage under those crops were 25,444 acres, 27,100 acres, 165,990 acres, 7,212 acres and 10,250 acres and 30,430 acres. Alfalfa particularly is coming into its own, the acreage having been more than doubled last year.

It is simply the natural process of evolution from the purely grain farming which Manitoba knew as the only method twenty years ago to the more diversified forms of agriculture that is responsible for the development along these other lines in this Province. Alberta is coming to it at an earlier stage than did Manitoba. Saskatchewan, too, is following rapidly in the same direction.

Then, as her fodder crop and root crop acreage indicate, there have been increases in the holdings of all kinds of live stock during the past twelve months, according to the correspondent for the Toronto Globe. Beef cattle number 42,000 head this year, as against 37,000 last year; milch cows are 160,474 head, as against 157,963 head; pigs number 325,000, as against 248,000; sheep number 75,000, as against 52,000; and there are 325,000 horses, as compared with 300,000 at this time last year. These are the latest Provincial figures, and they show that despite the great efflux of live stock to the United States since the opening of that market to Canada, the capital amount of live animals has increased instead of having decreased through the extra demand.

Dairying the Principal Industry.

Dairying is the industry, however, which is making dollars for the Manitoba farmer. It is developing at a rapid rate in this Province for that particular reason. The output of creamery butter last year was 4,000,000 pounds, at an average price of 27.5 cents per pound, which was an increase over the previous year of a million pounds. The output of dairy butter was recorded last year at 4,288,276 pounds. The Government department says that again this year a substantial increase in the dairy output will be shown from this Province. From this same source of information one finds that through the splendid growth in winter dairying, Winnipeg now, for the first time in years, is able to obtain a sufficient supply of milk and sweet cream from its city dairies to satisfy its demand throughout the year without having to import large quantities of these products from the United States as was done not longer than two years ago.—Advertisement.

Coinage.

In the fifteenth century a skilled coiner, of whom there were but few, might be able to turn out by hand fifty or sixty coins a day, a result totally inadequate to cope with the vast quantity of treasure, chiefly silver, that shortly began to arrive from America. To multiply coiners was to multiply forgers, and thus the coining machine bcame a necessity of state. A laminating mill and screw coining press was invented in Italy, 1547; Spain, 1548; France, 1553; England, 1561, reign of Elizabeth. After several trials and abandonments the mill and press were established permanently under Charles II, whose golden guineas, struck in 1662, were the first regular issues of machine coins made north of the channel.

No News.

"Did you ask little Jimmy Wombat about the fight over at his house the other night?"

"Yes."

"And what did you get out of him?"

"Not very much. His mother is evidently an exceedingly strict censor."—Judge.

Self-Satisfaction Explained.

He—I like simple things best.

She—I've noticed how self-possessed you are.—Boston Transcript.

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For Sale: Two Poland China brood sows and one full blood Poland China boar. Address S. W. Groshon, sec. 136 Whiteford town, Rollis, Minn.
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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.09
Wheat No. 2	1.06
Wheat No. 3	1.03
Wheat No. 4	1.00
Flax	1.43
Oats	.38
Barley	.35. to .43
Rye	.92
Flour, Best Patent	3.35

Merry Christmas to all.

Reduction sale now on, at Rierson store, see his bargains.

Miss Annie Rierson is working for Mrs. S. S. Kolden.

The Holt teachers visited relatives in T. R. Falls, Friday and Saturday.

Miss Inga Johnson was an over Sunday visitor at the home of her parents at Mud Lake.

Program
Holt Public School
In the old School House
Eight O'Clock
Friday Evening December 18

1	Song	By School
2	While Shepherds watched	Gladys Ellestad
3	Xmas Greetings	Martin Olson and Alvina Sollom
4	Xmas Thoughts	Frances Coppay
5	Piccola	Selma Saastad
6	What makes Christmas	Robert Rustad
7	Star of the East	Gladys Hagen
8	Song Away in a Manger	Primary Grades
9	Mouse's Mistake	Everret Latta.
10	A Terrible Threat	Ida Rierson and Frank Heinze
11	Stocking Brigade	Primary Grades
12	Recitation	Ada Latta
13	Christmas Worry	Pirla Reierson
14	Thats Just me	Carl Hanson
15	Coming	Primary Grades
16	Song Santa's Coming	Primary Grades
17	Mrs. Randy's Xmas	
18	Santa Claus Acrostic	
19	Recitation	Myrtle Sollum
20	A Little Child	Clifford Newton and Lenoard Ellstad
21	I love you All	Louis Hanson
22	Song- Looking for Santa Claus	Primary Grades
23	A Secret	Lola Huseth and Hazel Anderson
24	Santa Clausing	Vernon Huseth
25	Xmas-	Myrtle and Alvina Sollum and Ruth Tobiason
26	Song, Christmas Secrets	
27	The New Christmas	
28	Song Bethlehem Babe	
29	Wake; And tune your Youthful Voices	By School

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Christmas tree and program 7:30 Saturday evening Dec. 26th. Everybody invited.

Christmas services Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Services in both Norwegian and and English.

The children meet to practice for the Christmas program, Saturday at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. All are invited to come and help.

Next Sunday Dec. 20th the Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock in the afternoon instead of in the morning. This change is made to give more time to practice for the Christmas program. All are invited to come and help get up a good program.

Estray.

Estray: A yearling bull. Owner may have the same by proving property, paying for his keeping and this ad. S. W. Groshon, Rollis, Minn.

J. P. Lein of Warren is visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. H. Gunheim this week.

Jno. E. Erickson has been entertaining a brother from Germantown this week.

The carpenters working on the school house have been obliged to take a few days vacation while waiting for the arrival of the windows.

Santa Claus is going to be at Carlson store three days next week and they have their Christmas department nicely trimmed up and arranged for him.

Card of Thanks

To all who so kindly visited me when in bed. I am now already in school but on crutches. Fathermore I thank you all for the money gathered for me. I never felt more happy in my life, then when I received the seventeen dollars. I have bought myself a warm over coat, and with the balance I will buy something that will always remind me of all my friends in and around Holt.

Fritjof Risberg

H. G. HIEBER
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
PHONE 244
Thief River Falls, Minn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 25, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas Anderson of Holt, Minn., who on Sept. 26, 1911 made Homestead Application serial No. 06597, for N1-2SE1-4 SE1-4SE1-4 Sec. 30, Twp. 156 N. Range 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 5th day of Jan. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

C. F. Birkeland, Martin Nelson, Oscar Anderson and Engebrith Moe all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

AMERICAN RED CROSS
19
14
Merry Christmas
Happy New Year

Merry
Christmas
To all our readers

WATCH SHOULDERS OF CHILD

If Allowed to Become Round in Early Life the Condition Is Hard to Remedy Later.

The general appearance of one afflicted with round shoulders and flat chest is quite familiar to the observer. The head projects forward, the shoulders droop and the chest is narrow and flat. The shoulder blades stick out prominently and the abdomen protrudes. Children with round shoulders are as a rule below the average in muscular development and lack vigor, are clumsy in their movements, and walk heavily.

There are three kinds of round shoulders, the ordinary round back, the round hollow back and the round back due to forward displacement of the shoulders. During the years of growth, posture will usually take care of itself, if constant changes are allowed. Change is instinctive and automatic in the child and the varied activities are sufficient to lead it along normal lines. If, from inherent weakness or the confinement of school life without the relief of games and play, this normal development be hindered, the result will soon show in the spine.

The causes of round shoulders are those general conditions which produce muscular or constitutional weakness, like rapid growth, overwork, bad air in schools or the home, acute illness, unhygienic surroundings, or general lack of exercise. It is probable that a weakness of the will is a more important cause than weakness of the muscles.

Round shoulders are not likely to be outgrown, as the victims usually become permanently and structurally set in the faulty position, with flattened chest walls and distorted figure. —Dr. William J. Cromie, in Woman's World.

NOT THE SAME SWEET ALICE

Probably Ben Bolt Would Find It Hard to Recognize His Sweetheart in Modern Maid.

Oh, don't you remember sweet Alice, Ben Bolt, when her hair was a beautiful brown? You never in the world would know her as she looks today with a cane and a trouserette gown. Her Paris-made curls are the new purple tint; when I called I could scarce trust my eyes, for she wore a little nightcap, the lastest Paris hint, with rosebuds and pink ribbon ties.

Sweet Alice is now on the stage, Ben Bolt; she began at the end of the row. She smiled with delight at the public each night, and now she's the hit of the show. She dances a tango that sets them a-whirl, with a dip and a kick and a glide. You'd never believe 'twas the same little girl that the song wrongly stated had died.

She's a cigarette case on the end of a chain, where the old fashioned one wore a fan; has a flat and a maid and Pomeranian pup; her motor is olive and tan. And down at the theater place where she plays, her pictures are hung by the score, and they've fitted a slab with about a thousand electric lights and sweet Alice's name up over the door.—Kate Masterson, in Life.

Monastery at Disentis.

The Alpine monastery of Disentis was founded by an Irishman. But British mountaineers know it chiefly as the home of Father Placidus a Speacha, an eighteenth century pioneer at climbing, whose great ambition was to ascend the highest local peak, the Todi (11,887 feet). His brother monks suspected him as an atheist because of his scientific tastes, as a French spy because of his climbs and maps. When the invading French demanded 100,000 francs from them and Placidus secured a reduction of 20,000 they held his Jacobinism proved. The French burned the monastery, and his MSS. perished. The Austrians imprisoned him. Finally, aged seventy-two and no longer able to climb so high himself, he wistfully watched the chamois hunters conquer the Todi for him.

Scotch Not to Blame.

The harp was the Highlander's instrument before the bagpipe. That point was insisted upon by a Scotchman of fifty years ago, the lord advocate of the time, who was anxious to disclaim his country's responsibility for the bagpipes, and to show that they were "English, essentially English." He appealed to Shakespeare, who often mentions the pipes, but not once in "Macbeth," his only Scottish drama; it is in Lincolnshire and Yorkshire that he localizes the instrument. James IV's accounts contain an item for "Inglis pyparis," while our Edward I had his court pipers, and from his time on to Elizabeth's mention of such officials constantly recurs. Most Englishmen are thankful to have given the pipes safe conduct across the border.—London Chronicle.

Excelsior.

An old colored man was relating to a crony his experiences during a drive down the mountain after dark. He had seen two wild-cats fighting.

"Dey fought and dey fought," he said, "an' all de time dey wuz a-climbin' up in de air, till by'm by dey wuz clean ovah de treetops."

"What wuz dey a-holdin' on tu all de time dey wuz a-climbin', Rastus?" asked the skeptical listener.

"Holdin' on tu!" exclaimed Rastus scornfully. "Wy, de top one wuz a-holdin' on to de bottom one, an' de bottom one wuz a-holdin' on to de top one, of course!"

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Christmas Greetings!

May the Day bring forth its share of the Good Things of Life and Happiness and real Content. Above all, may it be a day spent among those you Love the Best and who Love you. May that which was unprofitable and unpleasant during the Nineteen Hundred Fourteen disappear with the old year, and may Good Health, Good Fortune and Happiness be your companions for 1915.

For 1915!!

RESOLVE,— you and I— to do better in 1915 than we did in 1914,—better for ourselves, for our families, for our friends,— for all humanity. So that when another January first rolls 'round we can truly say, "I have just closed the best year of my life." Here's hoping we can all say just that.

Farmers' State Bank of Holt

Merry Christmas
Happy New Year
To all of Our Friends and Customers

May you have a bright and joyous Christmas and a happy New Year, and may you be richly blessed with Health, Wealth, Happiness and Prosperity.

Our business for 1914, far exceeded our fondest expectations, and we shall endeavor to merit a continuance of the same.

Thanking one and all for the liberal patronage given us,
We remain, Respectfully Yours

Sollom Bros. - Holt, Minn.

We heartily Wish You all a Very MERRY CHRISTMAS and a Happy and Prosperous NEW YEAR!

With the expiration of another year we wish to thank you one and all for the liberal patronage given this Store, and our hope is that we have made all, both Old and New Customers Satisfied.

Satisfied Customers not only makes business a pleasure, but is one of the best advertisements a Store can have, this has been our Motive in the past and will be in the future.

C. H. Gunheim
Holt - - - Minnesota

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Local Items

For Dr. G. H. Gambell. Phone 140. (ad-tf)

A. R. Jones spends Christmas at Crookston with his family.

Henry Wendt has been clerking at Carlson's during their pre-inventory sale.

Miss Esther Mickelson who teaches at Gatzke is spending the holidays with her folks.

Christmas services, both churches, the hour of preaching is announced in their columns.

Clarence Docken departed for Mekinock N. D., Tuesday, to spend the holidays with his folks.

Let us all begin the new year with determination to think right, to live right and to use our neighbors right.

Miss Myrtle Thomas came Saturday to visit her sisters Mesdames Adolph Sollom and B. L. Back[illegible]

[illegible] your shoes need mending take them to Carl Christoferson. He has started a shop in S. S. Kolden's store.

J. M. Ryan shipped one car of timothy and two cars of upland prairie hay to Minneapolis [illegible]

Miss Burndette H[illegible] Saturday from Easton [illegible] she has been staying [illegible] year.

Mrs. E. T. Eide de[illegible] week for [illegible] where [illegible] had previously moved their house holds.

Oscar Anderson has sold his Mud Lake quarter section farm to S. S. Kolden, the deal being closed Saturday.

Grondahl Bros. will give a dance in the Star hall, Jan. 2nd., the proceeds to go towards buying the latest music.

Don't forget that good coffee you used to drink at Huseth's. We are serving the same kind now. Try a cup. A. H. Huseth.

We had a light fall of snow Sunday and the ground is covered with "the beautiful," the weather is cold and winter is here to stay.

Miss Mabel Fosen who is teaching at Cambridge came Saturday to visit her mother Mrs. Rachel Fosen and sister Miss Agnes at East Valley.

Mr. & Mrs. L. S. Kolden and their little granddaughters, Lillian and Edna Payne, are expected to arrive to-day (Thursday) from Nielsville.

A surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmar Dovre Saturday evening. A big crowd was present and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Monday was the shortest day of the year, and as the days begin to lengthen, the cold begins to strengthen, and makes one wonder what has become of their summers wages.

The gas tractor formerly belonging to Cleve Bergam was sold Friday at a foreclosure sale to Fred Ewald for $500 and he paid $41 for the 24 inch breaking plow that went with the engine.

The Christmas program given by our school Friday evening was well attended and was a credit to both teachers and pupils, as everything was well rendered and greatly enjoyed by all.

S. S. Kolden closed a deal Monday with Abel Anderson of Lockhart Minn., whereby the latter purchased Mr, Kolden's 200 acre farm northeast of town. Mr. Anderson will move his family here next spring and become a permanent resident.

Synod Church.

The Ladies' Aid of the Synod Church will meet with Mrs. Andrew Bjerk, for election of officers, the first Wednesday in January.

The Ladies' Aid of the Synod Church will have an auction sale at the restaurant Tuesday Dec. 29th. They will also serve a lutefisk and lefse dinner, (same place), for 25c.

Christmas services at 10:45 in the Holt church Friday Dec. 25th, 3:30 in Ringbo, 8 P. M. in Middle River, and Sunday Dec. 27th, 10:45 A. M. in Thief Lake and 3:30 in Golden Valley.

Christmas tree Thief Lake Dec. 30th 8 P. M.

New Years service at 10:45 A. M. Jan. 1st, Ilag, and Christmas tree at midway camp.

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Thief River Falls Minnesota

Mr. Nason of T. R. Falls was a Holt business visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Sollom visited in Thief River Falls, last Friday.

The Sunday School will not meet again until the second Sunday in January.

C. L. Heinze and son Frank went to Milwaukee Wis. Tuesday to visit relatives.

Ole Johnson transacted important business in T. R. Falls Friday and Saturday.

Christmas services in the Free Mission church at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The teachers and pupils in Dist. 59 gave a Christmas program Tuesday evening.

Albert Halverson of Thief River Falls was a Sunday guest at the B. Docken home.

Ernest Silbaugh and Peter Kolden returned home Saturday for the holiday vacation.

R. Rierson was a business caller in Thief River Falls last week Thursday and Friday.

The bridge crew are hauling out the plank and timbers for the bridges to be built east of Holt.

Halvor Hagen and son Olum of Dakota visited at the Dr. R. L. Olson home the past week.

Ed. Monson and son Theodore of Randen visited relatives and friends here the first of the week.

Miss Clara Norlum of Beltrami was a guest at the Jacob Nelson home Friday and Saturday.

Christmas tree and program Saturday evening Dec. 26, Free Mission church and you are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Monberg of Alvarado came Tuesday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson.

Master Raymond Hanson of T. R. Falls visited his sister Miss Cora Hanson Friday and Saturday.

The young people have returned home from their school duties for a couple of weeks holiday vacation.

Henry Oien goes to Shelly to-day (Thursday) for a weeks visit with his people there and at other points.

Miss Cora Olson of Greenbush, accompanied by her friend Miss Elizabeth Dock, came Saturday for a short visit at the home of her cousin, B. Docken and family.

The Holt school teachers went to their homes in T. R. Falls, Sunday, for a couple or three weeks vacation, which the pupils are also enjoying while waiting for Santa Claus.

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REPORT BRITISH DREADNAUGHT IS SUNK BY MINES

EIGHT MEN WITNESS SINKING OF WARSHIP IN THE NORTH SEA, ACCORDING TO CHICAGOAN.

CREW HURRIES TO SCENE TO RESCUE SURVIVORS

Thirty-five Men Taken From Steamship by British Authorities at Plymouth and Detained for Eight Days Pending Investigation as to Their Being Spies.

New York, Dec. 22.—A report that the British dreadnaught Thunderer was sunk in the North Sea on Nov. 7 by coming into contact with a mine or being hit by a torpedo was brought here by George Rottweiler of Chicago, a passenger on the steamship St. Louis from Liverpool.

According to Mr. Rottweiler, the sinking of the dreadnaught was witnessed by eight men, members of the crew of a small Swedish sailing ship called the Soefjord, that put into Liverpool with survivors from the dreadnaught on board.

Said Thunderer Blew Up.

"These men were taken in charge by British officers and were kept under surveillance at an out-of-the-way sailors' mission," said Mr. Rottweiler. "I heard of the report in a roundabout way and through a friend I managed to talk with one of the crew. He told me the Thunderer blew up and sank in full view of himself and his mates on the Soefjord. The crew hastened to the scene and a dozen or so of men were picked up from the water."

Mr. Rottweiler said he is the European representative of the Western Metals Products company of Chicago. He was a passenger on the steamship Noordam, leaving New York for Rotterdam the early part of September.

He and thirty-five others were taken from the ship by British authorities at Plymouth and detained for eight days, pending investigation as to their being Germans, but they were released on proof of identity. He spent ten days in Germany and since that time has been in England with indorsements, indicating that he visited many of the prominent cities of England and on the continent.

The Soefjord is not listed in the maritime register, but, this may be due to her being a small boat, as indicated by the small number of the crew.

F. W. Pethick Lawrence, husband of the widely known suffragette leader, also was on the St. Louis. He said he came to New York to meet his wife.

"I fully support the views of Mrs. Lawrence," he said. "I intend to talk, however, on the subject of peace and what I believe will be the outcome of the war. I predict a closer union of the nations of the world, an universal language, and eventually disarmament."

Rottweiler Not Known in Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—George Rottweiler, who told a story in New York of the sinking of the dreadnaught Thunderer, is known to the Western Metal Products company of Chicago only by name. The company name had been taken by Fred Bauer, manufacturers' agent, who had rented a small downtown office. Frequently mail addressed to the Metal Products company was found to be meant for Rottweiler, who also acted as agent for metal manufacturers, and Bauer surmised, had stumbled onto the same trade name.

The Auburn Ignition company of Auburn, N. Y., recently made efforts to locate Rottweiler, according to Bauer and a few months ago wrote they had heard Rottweiler was detained in London. They asked whether he was held as a prisoner of war or for some criminal offense.

The first of November, several letters addressed to Rottweiler in Berlin were delivered to Bauer's office, with a stamp showing they had been forwarded by the United States consul at Berlin.

Rottweiler for a time occupied desk room in an office building here, it was said. His name does not appear in the city or telephone directories.

Blame Black Cat for Mishap.

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 21.—The black cat, blamed by the crew of the big freighter Isthmian for the mishap which nearly sent the big boat to the bottom of the sea, has been summarily executed and the body thrown overboard.

New Sultan of Egypt.

London, Dec. 21.—A British protectorate over Egypt has been proclaimed. Prince Hussein Kemal has been appointed sultan and has accepted that position. He is an uncle of Hilma, until now khedive. The French government has recognized the British protectorate over the country in which France formerly had such important interests and in return the British government has given notice that it adheres to the Franco-Moorish treaty of 1912, which gave France a protectorate over Morocco.

JAMES MARK SULLIVAN

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James M. Sullivan, the Brooklyn lawyer who is now American minister to the Dominican Republic, has asked for an investigation of the numerous charges that have been filed against him, and President Wilson has directed Secretary Bryan to conduct an inquiry into Mr. Sullivan's official conduct.

RULERS REACH AGREEMENT

SCANDINAVIAN MONARCHS TO PRESERVE NEUTRALITY.

Express Their Hopes That Conference Would Have Good and Happy Results for Three Peoples.

Stockholm, via London, Dec. 22.—King Christian of Denmark, King Gustave of Sweden and King Haakon of Norway, who, with their foreign ministers, met in conference at Malmo to formulate a plan designed to combine their respective interests during the war, reached an agreement on the special questions raised.

The statement is made in an official communication issued here. The communication in substance follows:

"The meeting of the three monarchs was inaugurated with a speech by King Gustave, who alluded to the unanimous desire of the kingdoms of the north to preserve their neutrality and pointed to the desirability of limited co-operation between the kingdoms as a safeguard to their common interests. He said that when he invited the monarchs of Norway and Denmark to meet him he was impressed with a deep sense of the responsibility which would be incurred in relation to the present and the future if any measure which would contribute to the welfare of the three pepoles were neglected."

Kings Haakon and Christian replied, testifying their sincere joy at the initiative of King Gustav and expressing their hopes that the conference would have good and happy results for the three peoples.

The deliberations of the monarchs and ministers consolidated the good relations among the three kingdoms and also enabled an agreement to be reached on the special questions raised. It finally was agreed to pursue the co-operation so happily begun and to arrange, when circumstances should occur, for fresh meetings between representatives of the three governments.

COUNTRIES READY TO CLASH

Greece and Turkey Are at Swords' Points—Germany Tries to Prevent War.

Athens, Dec. 21.—Germany is making every effort to prevent a rupture between Greece and Turkey. Relations between the two countries are now strained to the utmost as a result of the arrest of the naval attache of the Greek embassy at Constantinople by the Turks. The naval officer was sentenced to death as an alleged spy. The German ambassador at Constantinople has been ordered to prevent the proposed execution.

Casualties of British Officers.

London, Dec. 21.—During the week ended Dec. 7, 92 British officers were killed in France, 153 were wounded and 20 were reported missing. The Indian contingent evidently has been active, for 29 British officers attached to the Indian forces were killed and 49 wounded. The total casualties of officers since the war began follows: Killed, 1,058; wounded, 2,071, missing, 602.

Kaiser to Return to Front.

Berlin, Dec 18.—The kaiser's health is improving and he will be able to return to the front in a day or two, at most, says an official announcement.

Business Boom Predicted.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—A business boom of wide proportions and far-reaching effect, with steel mills and factories running full blast and thousands of men now idle back to work, is the prospects of a result in the increase of rates granted eastern roads. Bankers, railroad men, car builders and representatives of railroad labor unions united in predicting that railways will at once restore their normal working forces and place orders for millions of dollars' worth of supplies.

NEW FIGHT FOR POSSESSION OF POLISH CAPITAL

ANOTHER BIG BATTLE IS IN PROGRESS ALONG THE BZURA RIVER, SOUTH OF RAWA.

RUSSIANS RETIRE AND DESTROY ALL BRIDGES

Field Marshal Von Hindenburg Expects Stern Resistance, Which the Strongly Reinforced Russian Army Is Certain to Offer—Allies' Operations Resisted.

London, Dec. 22. — Field Marshal von Hindenburg's army, which is advancing on Warsaw over a wide front, between the Vistula and the Pilica rivers, and which occupied Lowicz a few days ago, has reached the new Russian positions along the Bzura river and southward to Rawa, with the result that another big battle is in progress.

The Russians retired across the Bzura river, destroying the bridges behind them and two German detachments which followed over a partly burned bridge were attacked and are said to have been annihilated, 50 survivors being taken prisoners.

Battle for Warsaw Begins.

This is only the beginning of the great battle for Warsaw, from which the Germans are now only thirty miles or less. Field Marshal von Hindenburg, however, expects stern resistance, which the strongly re-enforced Russian army is certain to offer his further advance, protected as it is by the Vistula river, which the Germans have been unable to cross.

The Russians are continuing their operations against East Prussia, as though the capital of Poland were not threatened, and by counter-attacks are attempting to throw off the Austro-German attacks in Galicia. An Austrian sortie in force from Przemysl, according to the Russian official statement, has entirely failed, and there, as well as at other points, prisoners and guns were taken.

Germans Resist Allies' Advance.

The offensive operations of the allies in the west are being carried out under conditions of siege warfare and are being stubbornly opposed by the Germans who, in their intrenchments, and surrounded by wire entaglements, make an advance of even a few yards a costly matter for the attacking forces.

In Flanders a little ground has been gained at considerable cost, despite the fact that along the coast the allies have the assistance of warships which continually bombard the German positions. The advance has been more marked from the Belgian border south of the River Oise, where the ground is not as wet as in the flooded regions of Flanders.

Along the Aisne and in the Champagne district, the French artillery, which is now probably stronger than the German, has been busy keeping the Germans on the move, but in the Argonne region it is the Germans who are on the offensive, and they claim to have made a slight advance.

Germans Have More Guns.

The general opinion of military men here is that some time must elapse before the allies can expect to make any very marked progress. Besides being in fortified positions, which could only be taken after being thoroughly searched out by the artillery, the Germans still have more machine guns than the allies, and, as has been proved in previous battles, these, so long as they can be successfully operated, make infantry attacks too costly to be attempted.

The Servian and Montenegrin armies have again joined hands after the defeat of the Austrians who invaded Servia, and are now making their second advance toward Sarajevo, capital of Bosnia. The two armies, the supplies of which have been replenished by captures from the Austrians, have formed a junction near Vishegard, which the Montenegrins have occupied. They expect to be before Sarajevo before three or four days.

Polish Legion to Join Russians.

Warsaw, Russian Poland, Dec. 21, via Petrograd and London.—By authority of Grand Duke Nicholas, a Polish legion has been organized. The Russian army contains2 many Polish volunteers, but the legion will be the first Polish contingent flying a distinctive flag, to be accepted. Four thousand Poles are enrolled in the legion and will be ready to go to the front in six weeks.

Belgium One Long Breadline.

New York, Dec. 18.—"Tragic misery, the like of which the world has never seen," was the term applied to conditions in Belgium by Theodore Waters, secretary of the Christian Herald, who went to Belgium last month to supervise the distribution of the food cargo of the Dutch steamer Jan Block among the starving noncombatants, and who returned on the Transylvania. Belgium, he said, is one long breadline of starving men, women and children.

LATE WAR DEVELOPMENTS

The German forces moving against Warsaw have come in contact with the new Russian positions along the Bzura River, precipitating still another battle of enormous proportions for the possession of the Polish capital. Petrograd claims to have gained a preliminary success over the Teutons when the latter attempted to cross the river, and Berlin says officially that the Slavs are offering fierce resistance and cannot yet be considered as demoralized.

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In the west the allies continue their offensive and claim to be gaining ground, but slowly and at considerable cost. The guns of the British fleet are assisting in the advance in Belgium, yet the biggest gains are reported to have been achieved south of the Belgian frontier.

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In the south where a short time ago the Austrians drove their enemies before them, but were suddenly turned upon and themselves forced to retreat, the Servians and Montenegrins have now reformed a junction and are re-entering Bosnia expecting to be before Sarajevo, the capital, again inside of three or four days.

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Rulers of three Scandinavian nations resolve to combine their respective interests to safeguard their neutrality.

ROADS GET RATE INCREASE

ADVANCES OF 5 PER CENT ON FREIGHT TARIFFS GRANTED.

Interstate Commerce Commission Gives Opinion—Means $30,000,000 Increase Annually to Railways.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Increases in freight rates, approximately 5 per cent, on all the railroads between the Atlantic seaboard and the Mississippi, north of the Potomac and Ohio rivers, were granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission in a divided opinion, excepting upon certain heavy commodities, which comprise a large bulk of the traffic.

The increases will further apply to those railroads west of Buffalo and Pittsburgh, that were granted partial advances in the decision of last August, which denied them altogether to the roads east of those points. It is estimated the advanced rates will increase the annual income of the roads about $30,000,000.

Confronted With Emergency.

The commission made its decision upon the showing of the railroads that in addition to conditions from which they previously asked relief, they now are confronted with an emergency because of the war in Europe.

With Commissioners James S. Harlan and Judson C. Clements dissenting, the majority of the commission declared:

"Whatever the consequences of the war may prove to be, we must recognize the fact that it exists; the fact that it is a calamity without precedent, and the fact that by it, the commerce of the world has been disarranged and thrown into confusion. The means of transportation are fundamental and indispensable agencies in our industrial life, and for the common weal should be kept abreast of public requirements."

Report Gives Three Causes.

Summarizing the basis of its decision, the majority report of the commission said:

"The facts disclosed, and occurrences originating subsequent to May 29, 1914, as presented at the further hearing, may be summarized under three heads—first, completed returns for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, and returns for succeeding months; second, the war in Europe and, third, results of the original order.

"When these cases were originally submitted, as also when the original report was prepared, the revenue and expenditure account for June, 1914, and the property investment account for that fiscal year were not available, the war was unforseen and the results of our order were, of course, yet to come. Collectively, they present a new situation."

To Give Ten Days' Notice

The commission issued this order:

"It is ordered that respondents herein be, and they are hereby authorized to publish and file, by not less than 10 days' notice to the Interstate Commerce Commission and to the general public, in the manner prescribed in section 6 of the act to regulate commerce, schedules of rates which do not exceed the limits or transgress the limitations stated and prescribed in said report.

"It is further ordered that the permission hereby granted does not waive any of the requirements of the commission's published rules relative to the construction and filing of tariff publications, nor any of the provisions of the act to regulate commerce, as amended, except as to the notice to be given."

Consider U. S. Coast Defense.

Washington, Dec. 21.—Headed by Assistant Secretary Breckenridge, a special board of army officers of high rank has been in session at the war department for several days considering the state of the coast defenses of the country, and particularly the military situationi n the Canal Zone. Proceedings of the board are secret, but the fact that it was sitting has become known. It is expected evidences of its work will soon be visible through recommendations to Congress for funds.

STATE INCREASE OF RATE IS WAY TO PROSPERITY

BUSINESS MEN DECLARE RULING BY COMMISSION WILL TEND TO RESTORE PUBLIC CONFIDENCE.

MEANS REEMPLOYMENT TO THOUSANDS OF MEN

Belief Is General That It Will Stave Off Feared Avalanche of American Securities From the Warring Countries—Railroad Credit Strengthened.

Washington, Dec. 21.—The results of the granting of a 5 per cent freight rate increase to Eastern railroads by the Interstate Commerce commission are estimated, in official quarters, as follows:

Increases the gross revenues of 37 railway systems according to estimates to $30,000,000 annually.

The total mileage affected in the eastern classification is 64,690 miles, or approximately 24 per cent of the country's total.

Of the increase 1.6 per cent will go into wages, which item at present represents 44.5 per cent of the "railroad dollar;" 4.62 per cent into dividends and surplus; .06 per cent into capital and the remainder toward operating expenses, maintenance, etc.

The elimination of an increase in coal, coke and ore rates cuts the increase which had been asked by $6,400,000.

Coal and Iron Excepted.

Increases approximating 5 per cent must be paid on all products and goods, excepting bituminous coal and coke, anthracite coal and iron ore and on articles the rates of which are held by unexpired orders of the commission on all lines in the territory between the Atlantic seaboard and the Mississippi north of the Potomac and Ohio rivers.

No increases are granted on rail-lake-and-rail, lake-and-rail and rail-and-lake traffic.

The increase in rates on cement, starch, brick, tile, clay and plaster, not allowed in the decision of Aug 1, are allowed.

Will Restore Public Confidence.

Heralded by bankers, railroad men and business men as tending to restore public confidence.

Millions of dollars worth of steel and equipment "resting orders" contingent upon such a decision, now expected to come into the market, meaning re-employment to thousands.

Predictions that every line of business will be sentimentally affected.

Credit of railroads strengthened, which means that the $537,000,000 of refinancing necessary to be done in the next two years will be easier, this in addition to other financing in that period.

A return of confidence on the part of investors, not only in the future of railroad securities but of the other industries of the nation.

The belief that it will stave off the feared avalanche of American securities from the warring countries.

BULLETS FALL ON U. S. SOIL

Five Pass Close to Army Bombproofs—Troops Establish Two Flank Camps.

Naco, Ariz., Dec. 21.—Many bullets from the Mexican side are falling on United States territory in the siege of Naco, Sonora, by Villa troops.

Five passed close to the army bombproofs. The United States army forces now have established two flank camps, one on the east and the other on the west side of Naco, to further assure border neutrality.

George C. Carothers, special agent of the American state department, visited Governor Jose Maytorena, commanding the Villa forces, and broached the subject of the coming visit of Brigadier General Hugh L. Scott. It is understood Maytorena favored meeting General Scott at the international boundary, opposite the Maytorena headquarters, east of here.

Entertain U. S. Belgian Society.

London, Dec. 21.—The members of the American commission for relief in Belgium were entertained by American business men at the Luncheon club. In introducing Herbert C. Hoover, the chairman, Ambassador Page gave high praise to the work of the commission. He said it was the only existing link between the great belligerent nations and the farmer of the Mississippi valley.

Recognizes French Protectorate.

London, Dec. 21.—Great Britain has recognized the French protectorate over Morocco and declared her adhesion to the Franco-Moroccan treaty of March, 1912. The Franco-Moroccan treaty of 1912 instituted a French protectorate over Morocco, with a French resident general who exercises civil and military powers under the sovereignty of the sultan. The treaty proclaimed religious freedom of the people and gave France the right to enter into military occupation of any points for the maintenance of order.

MOSES ALEXANDER

Moses Alexander, elected governor of Idaho in November, is the first Jew to be chosen chief executive of any state. He was born in Germany but came to America in his boyhood, living first in Missouri and then moving to Idaho. Ten years ago he was elected mayor of Boise City, serving two terms.

THAW TO RETURN TO NEW YORK

WILL BE EXTRADITED FROM NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Must Answer Indictment Charging Conspiracy to Escape from Matteawan Insane Asylum.

Washington, Dec. 22.—Harry K. Thaw has lost his fight in the Supreme Court of the United States against being extradited from the state of New Hampshire to the state of New York.

In a brief decision by Justice Holmes, which was the unanimous decision of the Court, it was held that Thaw should be turned over at once to the New York authorities to answer an indictment charging conspiracy to escape from Matteawan Asylum for the Insane.

Whether his escape from the asylum while, as his counsel contended he was insane constituted a crime and other questions the Court dismissed with the comment that they could not enter into a habeas corpus proceeding and that they were proper questions for the State of New York to decide.

Actually the celebrated Thaw case—the killing of Stanford White — was not before the Supreme Court. Merely the question of returning Thaw on the conspiracy indictment was up for decision.

What other moves, if any, were open to Thaw's counsel to prevent his return to the state where he was twice tried and had made many futile efforts to be released, those familiar with the legal procedure were at a loss to forecast. As to those who have followed the case it seemed that the fight against returning to New York was lost and that nothing remained but for the sheriff of Cook County, New Hampshire, to turn Thaw over to New York officers upon the extradition granted by the Governor of New Hampshire, but stayed by the decision of Justice Aldrich, which has just been reversed.

ZIMMERMAN DIES SUDDENLY

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Former President of C. H. & D. R. R. and Wealthy Financier Passes Away at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 22.—Eugene Zimmerman, former president of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad and wealthy financier of this city, died suddenly at a club here from hemorrhage of the lungs.

Mr. Zimmerman was the father of the Duchess of Manchester.

The death of Mr. Zimmerman was unexpected, although his health has not been of the best for the past few weeks. When he was seized by the fatal attack he was engaged in studying records of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad, preparatory, it is believed, to testifying before Commissioner Hall, of the Interstate Commerce Commission, who is conducting an investigation of the sale of that road and the Pere Marquette to J. P. Morgan and Company.

Germany to Intern French.

Berlin, via London, Dec. 22.—Following the enforcement of a similar measure against Britishers, the German government will intern all French males between the ages of 16 and 60 who are residing in Germany. They will be taken to a camp near Holseminden.

Detroit Editor Dies.

Detroit, Dec. 22.—John M. Hall, founder and president of the Bay View Reading circle, a national literary organization, and for many years editor of the Bay View Magazine, died at his home in Detroit yesterday. He was 60 years old.

Allies Bombard Forts.

London, Dec 22. — An Athens dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company reports that the allied fleet bombarded the interior forts of the Dardanelles.

State News

Important Doings of Past Few Days Throughout Minnesota. Edited & Arranged for Our Readers.

WORK FOR 1,000 UNEMPLOYED

Taking of Census of Minnesota at This Time Would Relieve Many Skilled Workingmen.

Minneapolis, Dec. 17.—It is provided by the Constitution of the State of Minnesota that during the year about to be born—1915—the state shall take a census.

It is estimated that such a census would cost anywhere from $100,000 to $200,000, and would require the work of some 1,000 men. This offers so magnificent an opportunity to land political jobs and construct a political machine that already there are many candidates and many plans.

But now there steps to the front J. G. Callahan, young Minneapolis attorney, who last month was chosen by the people of the Twenty-eighth legislative district to represent them in the next state senate. And Senator Callahan proposes that if the state is to take a census at the cost of $100,000 or $200,000, the state, through its labor department, should employ the idle workingmen on this job and not allow the expenditure to be made the vehicle for distribution of patronage and the upbuilding of a political machine.

As it is in the power of the legislature to designate whom it desires to have charge of the census taking and as the powers of the legislature are so broad in this respect that it even can name all the census enumerators, the idea of Senator Callahan is declared to be entirely feasible legally.

Senator Callahan says that he would be the author of a bill providing for the work to be done in the manner outlined by him and that he felt sure all organized labor would back him in asking both houses of the legislature to pass it immediately, so that the census work might begin at once, thereby relieving in many instances skilled working men and their families who are in distress. He would not wait until summer.

CROOKSTON FARM CROP SHOW

Development Association Officers Make Plan for Annual Exhibit to Be Held February 16-19.

Minneapolis.—C. G. Selvig and N. S. Davies of Crookston, officers of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association, conferred here with officers of the West Central Development association and members of the agricultural committee of the Minneapolis Civic & Commerce association regarding plans for the annual Farm Crops Show to be given by the Valley organization in Crookston Feb. 16 to 19.

F. W. Murphy of Wheaton and M. H. Harrison of Morris, president and secretary, respectively, of the West Central body, attended the conference.

Secretary Davies of the up-state association lined up about one thousand dollars worth of prizes for the coming show through interviews with Minneapolis business firms.

The Minnesota Red River Valley Development association comprises ten counties from Kittson to Becker. Three counties, Beltrami, Clearwater and Hubbard, outside the area, have been taken in, on request, as participants in the Farm Crops Show.

FARIBAULT PLANS CORN SHOW

Annual Poultry Exhibit to Be Held at Same Time in the Armory Building.

Faribault.—Arrangements are being made to hold a three days' corn show in Faribault under the direction of Ben Cole, instructor of the agricultural department of the high school. The annual poultry show of the Cannon Valley Poultry association will also be held at the same time. The armory has been secured for the double bill.

Hurt by Salmon Explosion.

St. Paul.—Mrs. Eugene Peterson received injuries last night which may result in blindness. The explosion of a can of salmon which Mrs. Peterson was heating caused her injury. She was preparing supper and had placed the can of salmon in a pan of boiling water. She left the kitchen and the water evaporated. When the can was taken off the stove the contact with the cooler air caused the explosion. Mrs. Peterson was burned severely on the face and hands.

Find Profit in Flax Straw.

Crookston.—Work in the plant of the Crookston Cordage company is progressing rapidly and 1,000 tons of flax straw have already been purchased of farmers. This is clear profit, the straw having formerly been burned. Farmers have netted from $4 to $6 an acre from their flax land in addition to the profits from seed. The new plant at present will manufacture only tow and okum, but will later add a flax straw twine plant. The concern is financed by home capital.

ACCUSED OF CLAUSON MURDER

GENTRY SMITH AND WIFE HELD FOR INVESTIGATION.

Ben Curtis, Alias L. Blackey, Whom Police Suspect of Firing Fatal Shots, Is Missing.

Minneapolis, Dec. 16.—Gentry Smith was charged with the murder of Claus Clausen after being a prisoner at police headquarters for more than 24 hours without being "booked" or formally accused. Later Frances Smith, his wife, was "held for investigation." An order to appear before Judge Hale in habeas corpus proceedings, to show cause why Mrs. Smith should not be released, was served upon Captain Galvan, acting chief of police.

Meanwhile Ben Curtis, alias L. Blackey, whom the police suspect of firing the fatal shots, is missing, and the police admit they don't know where he is. The entire police force is searching for Curtis.

Stories circulated by the police that Smith had confessed to complicity in the crime were denied by Smith through his attorney, A. W. Cary, although the accused man admits he was at Clausen's residence at 1912 Tenth avenue south the night of the murder.

Smith declared he was "double-crossed" by Curtis and that he thought their visit to Clausen's home was to complete a deal for a restaurant. Mr. Cary says Curtis told Smith that Clausen was to have advanced the money for this deal to Curtis.

Smith's version of the affair was that Curtis intended to rob Clausen, knowing the former candidate for alderman of the Fifth ward carried large sums of money at times. Mr. Cary declares Smith was an innocent party to the plan and that when Curtis and Clausen started the struggle that ended in Clausen's death, Smith became frightened and ran. He went direct to his home at 1125 First avenue north and remained there.

When detectives failed to find Smith on Saturday night it was because they did not know where he lived. They were within a block of the place twice, but did not know it. Smith was at home when Detectives Brunskill and Crummy arrived and he accompanied them to police headquarters without protest.

Police records show that Smith and his wife were thrown into jail cells without being told what were the charges against them, and even without the formality of a police booking. They were arrested at 4 p. m. Sunday afternoon and it was 5:30 p. m. yesterday before their names appeared on the jail records.

Enthusiastic Dairy Meeting.

One of the most enthusiastic dairy meetings held in this city for years opened here. Over 150 dairymen from Freeborn and adjoining counties were present to hear addresses by W. F. Schilling of Northfield, breeder of Holstein cattle, and Superintendent A. D. Wilson of the state agricultural extension department. At noon the Business Men's league gave a lunch to all present. Miss Blegen, teacher of the domestic science department of the high school, had charge of the cooking and was assisted by Miss Fiegel, one of the short course teachers and several school girls. The lunch was served buffet style in the courtroom.

Heads Albert Lea Nine.

Albert Lea.—The officers and directors of the Albert Lea Baseball association held a meeting in President Charles E. Paulson's office and appointed Tony Nystuen of Macon City manager of the team for the 1915 season, succeeding Joe Lynch, who has held that position for three seasons. He has been Albert Lea's star first baseman for two seasons. Nystuen is already deluged with letters and applications from ball players who would like to join the aggregation. He has several good men on his list but says it is too early to decide on his team.

Schools Close for Holiday.

Minneapolis.—The public schools closed for the holidays and will not reopen until Monday, Jan. 4. In several districts toy collections for poor children was the event of chief interest. Children in the Douglas District brought a huge assortment of playthings to school and after certain poor children in that school had selected toys to their liking, the remainder was sent to other schools. One lot went to a Syrian kindergarten and others were sent to a teacher in another public school who distributed them.

Two Minneapolis Houses Burn.

Minneapolis, Dec. 17.—Two houses burned to the ground. One belonged to E. C. Bacon, at 623 Sixteenth avenue south. The loss was $1,200. The farmhouse of August Engel, on the France avenue road, three miles from the city limits, burned with a loss of $1,500. A Minneapolis fire engine company saved other buildings on the farm.

Bankers of State Meet.

Minneapolis.—Consideration of burglary and fidelity insurance problems and of convention dates for associations next year will engage representatives of state bankers associations of Minnesota and all neighboring states at a meeting in the offices of the Minnesota Bankers' association, 611 Northwestern Bank building. An attempt will be made to agree on a scheme for convention dates that will preclude conflicts and enable bankers in each state to attend conventions in any of the other states.

The OLD YEAR and the NEW by Harry Irving Greene

To all—good-by. My task is done.
I've swung the circle of the sun.
I've given all that Life bestows,
I've dealt Fate's cards to friends, to foes.
I've touched you each with joy and care,
Drawn wrinkles here, smoothed wrinkles there.
And if I've frosted temples gray,
I've made warm lips to kiss away
The chill. Tho' Death, tho' strife
I've visited—I've granted *Life.*

I'm Time. I've robbed your cradle dear,
Yet I ask you—your dying Year,
Have I not filled it? Answer free,
If I've robbed you have not you cheated me?
Have not you sought to kill *me—Time?*
Have not you wasted me—God's gift sublime?
Misspent me, mocked me, wished me on my way,
Loathed and reviled me—prayed another day,
And when I granted it, mocked that one, too,
Are we not quit at evens—I and you?

'Tis Kismet—Fate. Old World, good-by,
My cycle's done—I faint—I die.

Oh, World! dear World—at last my dream is true,
Through all eternity I've longed for you,
Impatient of the years I had to wait,
Each nerve aquiver, lest I be too late.
And now I'm here—and all of you are mine
For my brief reign. Yet, also, I am thine
For use—abuse—but treat me as you may
Remember this—I'll give and take away.
And but this moment born—but half awake,
I'll tell you now what I'll both give and take.

I'll take a life from out you here and there.
I'll give—a lover true—a sweetheart fair.
Half of your fondest hopes I'll steal away,
I'll grant a grain of wisdom day by day.
And tho', perchance, I should take Peter's all,
With lavish hands I'll shower it on Paul,
I'll smite some of you with an iron glove,
I'll nurse some others with my tenderest love,
I'm both your queen and slave. I now make way.
This night is yours. Tomorrow you'll repay.

Bring forth the jesters. Fill the cup of cheer.
You've waited me forever. World, I'm here.

The 1915 Boy.

"I will not put pins in my dear teacher's chair." (Tacks will hurt just as much, anyway.)

"I will not quarrel and fight with my big brothers in 1915." (What have I got a little brother for?)

"I will not play hookey from school to go fishing or swimming." (That is, in the winter time.)

"I will be a regular attendant at Sunday school." (At Christmas time and just before the summer excursion, of course.)

"I will not take mother's currant jelly from the pantry without permission." (Her raspberry jam is good enough for me.)

"I will be kind to dumb animals, such as tigers, lions and elephants." (Stray cats and dogs, however, had better keep out of this neighborhood.)

"I will not (Oh, gee, that's enough. They say the good die young, and I want to live until I catch that red-headed boy on the next block who stuck his tongue out at me yesterday!)

MAN IS BURIED ALIVE IN WELL

Pennsylvania Farmer Imprisoned Under Arch of Tons of Earth and Stone.

DIRECTS OWN RESCUE

Strain of Spending 18 Hours Under 35 Feet of Fallen Wall Prove Too Great for Chapman and His Heart Fails.

Wheatsheaf, Pa.—Imprisonment for 18 hours under tons of earth in an old 32-foot well so seriously affected William Chapman of Wheatsheaf that he died a few minutes before he was dug out, after directing the efforts of rescuers for several hours. Physicians worked for an hour with a pulmotor and oxygen, but failed to revive Mr. Chapman. It is believed his heart failed when he felt the hand of the first rescuer to reach him and that death followed instantly.

Mr. Chapman was a farmer and was also employed as engineer in the workings of the Penn Sand & Gravel company of Tullytown. He was a sturdy man of middle age, in excellent health.

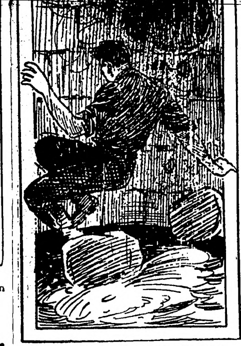
Well Caves In.

Because of recent rains, Mr. Chapman was unable to work in the Penn quarries and determined to make some repairs in the well on the farm he had rented. He was descending the slippery wall when two large stones slipped from their places in the wall of the well and precipitated him to the bottom, following which the sides caved in on him. Mrs. Chapman, who was in the house, heard the crash and rushed to the well.

It is believed that when the wall of the well collapsed the stones formed an arch, thus saving Mr. Chapman from instant death. In his narrow prison he obtained air through crevices in the rocks and was able to make such sounds that his relatives and friends knew he was alive.

Men Worked Frantically for Hours.

For 18 hours men worked in relays of four hours each removing earth and stones from the well. Several times they were driven from their task by cave-ins caused by heavy rains. Finally they were within a few feet of Mr. Chapman. He directed their efforts, took nourishment through a tube, spoke words of comfort to his wife and appeared to be both rational and sound.



Precipitated Him to the Bottom.

Soon the workmen reached the last layer of stone. Some worked at the stone while others slipped their hands through crevices and supported Chapman. Even then he appeared to be able to help himself, but when the last rocks were removed and Chapman was taken from the well he was dead, having succumbed just as assurances of safety reached him.

HAIR CUT OFF AS SHE SLEPT

Girl Awakes to Find Her Tresses, the Family's Pride, Gone—Act of Revenge.

Orange, N. J.—When Mary Carnova, the thirteen-year-old daughter of Antonio Carnova of 12 Forest street, Orange, awoke one morning recently she found that her long black hair, which was of exceptional beauty and the pride of the family, had been cut off. She did not know how or when she had been despoiled.

The police arrested Polo Cripsy, aged fifty-one, a boarder at the Carnova home, but Carnova would not believe Cripsy was guilty, and the charge against him was dismissed. Chief of Police Drabell believes that the hair was cut off for revenge by some enemy of the girl's father

Wife Killed Babies and Herself.

Thayer, Kan.—Mrs. Lee Moore, who had been deserted by her husband, killed her two small children and then committed suicide. The bodies of all three were found in a well.

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ALL THEY COULD HOPE FOR

Under the Circumstances Almost Endless Entertainments Should Have Been in Order.

There is a certain Chicago man of a remarkably cheerful and optimistic turn of mind. His wife, on the other hand, takes things very seriously, and has no small difficulty in accommodating herself to the peculiarities of his friends when, as not infrequently happens, they differ from her own.

"Henry," said she to her husband one evening, when she had returned home more or less agitated by something. "What do you think they say about Mrs. Eaton, the baker's wife?"

"I'm sure I don't know," said the husband. "Nothing serious, I hope."

"They say they can tell when she's going to have callers by her washing the children's faces! Now, you're a pretty sanguine man, Henry, but what on earth can you hope for a woman like that?"

"Well," said Henry, "I suppose all we can hope for is that she entertains a good deal."

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Overheard by Mr. Mills.

At lunch, a Western Union office girl was reading a letter from a chum to the other girls. Describing a new dress the letter said: "It is certainly fin de siecle."

"Fin de sickle," repeated one of the girls, "what does that mean?"

"I don't know. Fin sounds like a fish. Maybe it means it was trimmed with fish net."—New York Sun.

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Right There.

"What fad has the club on hand now?"

"I believe it's palmistry."

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Soldiers' wives find themselves in many cases in receipt of much more money than they were when their husbands were at home.

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At Last Accounts She Was Dead.

The Colonel—Is it true, Sogback, that your wife is dead?

Brother Sogback—Yassah, t'anky, sah; or, leastways, she was yiste'dy.

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Southeast of Holt.

Andrew, the three weeks old child of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson died at their home on Dec 15th after an illness of two week. Death being due to inflamation of the brain and spine. The remains were laid to rest in the Free Church Cemetery on Thursday.

A very large crond was in attendance at the xmas tree and program given in the Manor school Dis. 20 on Saturday eve.

Ragna Larson came down from T. R. Falls on Saturday to spend the Xmas vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson.

Mr. Nohre took a few turkeys to Holt on Friday which he sold to R. Rierson.

Bernard Larson came down from his home near Golden Valley for a few days visit with his parents.

Olaf Johnson and Oscar Rydberg came down from Thief River Falls on Saturday evening to take in the program given in the Manor school, also to visit with friends.

Allen Adolphson was in Holt on business Friday.

The items below were written for last week.

A Merry Christmas to all.

There was a Christmas tree and program in the N. Sordal school house, Dist. 112, on Wednesday eve Dec. 23.

The Ladies' Aid of the Synod church met with Mrs. Guttrud on Thursday of last week.

Hans Peterson is reported as being quite sick and confined to the bed, in the hospital at Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rude and son spent a few days visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isac Isacson and Mrs. Rude, last week

A parcel social was held in the Groven school house Saturday evening Dec. 19th.

Harry and Gunda Moe visited at the Senum home in the town of Silverton, last week Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Free church met with Mrs. Ole Olsen on Tuesday.

AMERICAN RED CROSS
1914
Merry Christmas
Happy New Year

The Sunnyside.

Miss Lillie Peterson came home from St. Hilaire last week

Mrs. Lysne spent Friday afternoon at L. Wegge's.

Miss Carrie Petterson returned from Thief River Falls Monday.

Misses Marie Erickson and Clara Tvede left Wednesday to spend the Christmas holidays.

A Merry Christmas to all.

(The other Sunnyside items were set before this letter was received and they will be found elsewhere in our columns. Ed.)

Lutefisk
and
Lefse
Supper
Every Saturday
At the Restaurant
Jacob Nelson, Prop.

Merry Christmas to all.

Look over the new ads we have this week.

Chas Horien spent Friday at Thief River Falls.

Jno. Lein returned here Saturday for a short sojourn.

Hjalmer Peterson was in T. R. Falls Friday and Saturday.

John Alkenbrack departed Thursday for Tolley S. D. where he will join his wife to celebrate the festive season with relatives.

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Punkinville Items
(r Our Irregular Correspondent)

A little nonsense, now and then, is relished by the best of men.

What is the matter with Ernest? He looks so sad. Cheer up Ernest, Christmas will soon be here.

We are told that POP corn is a favorite with the young ladies.

Good advice— Never fly higher than you can roost.

The next joke may be on you. It is well to be careful.

How much are you worth to relatives and friends? Would they shed many tears for you?

Ed. made an extra trip east, Saturday night, after the dance.

You may be a joker from Jokerville, but every mam meets his match some day.

They say there is just as good fish left in the sea as those which have been caught.

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Free Mission Church.

No Sunday School again until the second Sunday in January.

Christmas tree and program 7:30 Saturday evening Dec. 26th. Everybody invited.

Christmas services Friday aftenoon at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Services in both Norwegian and and English.

The yearly meeting of the Ladies' Aid for the election of officers, reports and general business, will be held in the church at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of Thursday Jan. 7th.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.14
Wheat No. 2	1.11
Wheat No. 3	1.08
Wheat No. 4	1.05
Flax	1.45
Oats	.39
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 25, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas Anderson of Holt, Minn., who on Sept. 26, 1911 made Homestead Application serial No. 06597, for N1-2SE1-4 SE1-4SE1-4 Sec. 30, Twp. 156 N. Range 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 5th day of Jan. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

C. F. Birkeland, Martin Nelson, Oscar Anderson and Engebrith Moe all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

HEN'S WORK ALL LAID OUT

Average Biddy Should Lay Six Hundred Eggs Before She Retires Honorably or Otherwise.

"There is water a-plenty in a fresh laid egg, but no more air than there is in a hammer," said a dealer in eggs. "So long as you can keep air out of the egg it will remain sweet and fresh, but no one has ever succeeded in keeping it out by fair means more than six days. The oxygen is bound to find its way through an eggshell's pores, and the only way to save that egg then is to eat it. It sounds funny, but the moment you give an egg fresh air that moment you ruin its health.

"A good, healthy hen—not speaking of any particular star breed, but just hen—does not fulfil her destiny until she has accomplished 600 eggs—50 dozen. That's what nature has fitted up the hen to do in the way of just uncoached and unstimulated egg production, and she gives the hen eight years to do it in.

"The hen divides the 50 dozen stunt up among those eight years. Some years she may not turn out more than a couple of dozen, but when the eight years are up she will have managed her annual output so that the total has come out all right. Then the hen has ended her career as an egg producer, and too often, if she is in the hands of a thrifty owner, begins another career, short and delusive—this time as the summer boarder spring chicken."

VOYAGER NATIVE OF CORSICA?

Paris Newspaper Claims to Have Proof That Columbus Was Born in That Island.

The Eclair of Paris states that it has received a number of documents tending to prove the Corsican origin of Columbus.

In the first place, it was only in 1844 that the well-known statue of the discoverer of America was erected in Genoa, whereas since 1530 there has been abundant evidence relating to the Colombo family at Calvi, including numerous notarial acts and deeds.

A street there, called Colombo, formerly was named Del Filo, and it is a historical fact that Columbus' father was a weaver.

To explain his detestation of the population of Calvi the celebrated Corsican leader Paoli always used to say that it was because he had abandoned his respect for Columbus, and the Abbe Casanova declares that he fears no contradiction when he says that Napoleon, like Paoli, knew perfectly well the origin of Columbus.

The emperor, when talking to other Corsicans, habitually used the expression "the illustrious son of our island" when speaking, as he was fond of doing, of Columbus.

Butter by the Yard.

In Cambridge, England, butter is sold by the yard, not by the pound. The dairymen of that town have for many years rolled their butter into lengths, a length being a yard and weighing one pound. Neatly wrapped in strips of clean white cloth, the cylindrical rolls of butter are packed in long, narrow baskets made for the purpose and so taken to market. The Cambridge butter dealers have, therefore, no need of weights or scales for determining the quantity of their wares. Constant practice and an experienced eye enable them with a stroke of the knife to divide the butter into halves or quarters with almost mathematical precision.

This yard-long butter finds its chief purchasers among the people of the university. It appears that this butter is peculiarly adapted to the special needs of the students in the daily commons. Cut into conveniently sized pieces and accompanied by a loaf of wheaten bread, a stated portion is sent every morning to the rooms of the undergraduates for use at breakfast and tea.

Biffing the Bathtub.

It comes as a shock to the innumerable hosts who believe that "cleanliness is akin to godliness" when, as is now the case, a health reformer declares that the bathtub is insanitary. It was bad enough when the public drinking cup, the public towel, and other things of common usage were put under a ban, but the attack on that sacred institution, the bathtub, is the most outrageous of all the outrages that have been perpetrated by the health faddists. If it had happened in England, where the lord and master of the household would sooner do without his breakfast than his every morning "tub," there would be an outbreak as desperate as those in which the militant suffragettes figure, but as it is an American who makes the attack, his countrymen vent their fury in hurling epithets and jeers at him.

Cats.

Wild cats, such as have been caught in Argyllshire, Scotland, are now rarities in Europe, though formerly they were comparatively common in most parts of the continent. The few survivors occur mostly in Hungary and occasionally in Spain and Greece. In Spain, by the way, the animals build nests in trees or among tall bamboos for the rearing of their young, though generally they prefer a crevice in rocky country in which to make a lair. Our domesticated cat is not derived from the untamable European animal, but was introduced ready tamed from Egypt.

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Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Monday
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Local Items

For Dr. G. H Gambell, Phone 140. (ad-tf)

Edwin Nelson went to Dugdale Monday to visit his sister.

Miss Betty Johnson returned to her school in T. R. Falls Monday.

P. L. Anderson attended the party at L. Wegge's Friday evening.

A dance was given at the home of E. J. Warner Saturday evening.

E. T. Eidie has been shipping hay to Spooner this last week.

Mrs. R. Van Deviner has been on the sick list.

H. G. Dobner of St. Paul was here on business one day last week.

Kettle Sollom has sold his farm west of town to Fred Ewald.

Miss Gunhild Sollom returned to her school duties at Goodridge Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Anderson went to Goodridge Monday to visit friends.

Miss Emma Backe of Thief River Falls visited at the B. L. Backe home Thursday.

Herman Rux came from Minneapolis Friday to visit friends and relatives.

C. L. Heinze and son Frank returned from their visit in Wisconsin Monday.

Thomas Steen of Canada has been visiting friends in and around Holt.

Miss Olava Sollom and her two [illegible] visited in T. R. Falls Monday and Tuesday.

A few young men of Holt enjoyed the hospitality of the Huseth home Sunday evening in helping to celebrate the birthday of A. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hoglin, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bakke and son Edwin, Mrs. B. J. Bakke and children all of Thief River Falls enjoyed New Years Day with B. Docken and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg and Mr. and Mrs. J. Egstrom returned from their visit at Goodridge Monday, much pleased with the town because of its remarkable growth as it is only two or three months old and is almost as large as Holt.

The public school teachers and pupils of Holt will return to their duties again next Monday in the same buildings as previously occupied, as the new school house will not be ready for occupancy until later.

Don't forget that good coffee you used to drink at Huseth's. We are serving the same kind now. Try a cup. A. H. Huseth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alkenbrack returned from their visit at Tollev N. D. Wednesday.

Ed. M. Silbaugh was in Middle River on business Monday.

K. O. Flakne went to Crookston Wednesday, where he expects to stay several days on business.

Mrs. Couch daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bjerk, returned to her home in Grand Forks Monday, after enjoying a pleasant visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe were guests at the Davidson home in T. R. Falls New Years Day.

Mrs. L. S. Kolden came Saturday for a short visit at the D. Payne home, returning to Nielsvill Monday accompanied by Lillian and Edna Payne.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Rev. F. A. Gustofson, for twenty years a Missionary in China, will preach at 7:30, Wednesday evening, Jan. 13th.

Mr. Backe Interviewed

As 1914 will stand conspicuous in the annals of history as the year of the great European conflict, said Mr. Backe of the Farmers' State Bank of Holt, the fervent wish of the world is that 1915 will mark its end and the beginning of a lasting peace.

The most important fact to be considered now that the destructive crisis of last August has been passed is that we are nearer the time when the period of constructive labor can be anticipated. In this country we are slowly adjusting things to the normal and each month measures progress.

The countrys foreign trade is expanding steadily. The November excess of exports over imports was $22,000,000 greater than in October and $62,000,000 larger than in September; in August there was an excess of imports over exports. The December figures promise to show a still greater increase.

While Europe continues to take large quantities of our foodstuffs at high prices, the important feature of the December foreign trade report promises to be the increase in cotton exports; the one article of commerce that has suffered most by the war. The declaration of the belligerants that cotton will be considered a noncontraband of war is permitting a broader market and ships have already left this side bound for German ports with their cargoes guaranteed free from seizure.

The December crop report of fall sown wheat showed the greatest area ever sown by 11.1 per cent. While the condition was 2 per cent below the ten year average, condition means as little in December as it means everything in July. Beneficial snows have fallen in the South west providing moisture and protection to the plants. The feature of the government report was the notable increase of the wheat acreage in the Southern States which have put considerable cotton land into the cereal. The South is to learn the value of diversified crops.

Seasonable weather and the holiday demand have benefited trade. The surplus agricultural states which have had a big demand at high prices for their products are experiencing a great measure of prosperity under existing conditions.

The South with its record cotton crop and its limited market is slowly working toward the normal but a developement which indicates improvement in the cotton belt is the falling off in what is called "distressed" selling of holdings implying that the corner has been turned in the depression.

The opening of the New York stock exchange, the increase in freight rates, the feeling that business baiting is to cease have contributed to the growing confidence and optimism in the future.

If your shoes need mending take them to Carl Christoferson. He has started a shop in S. S. Kolden's store.

Mrs. T. O. Dovre received the sad news of the death of her brother in N. D. Thrsday, on Friday she departed for Dak. to attend the funeral.

Mesdames T. and Adolph Sollom and P. O. Rierson attended the missionary auction sale at the school house north west of town Saturday.

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It will be the biggest dollar you ever owned for it will mark the beginning of your success

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A few dimes in bank will save a repetition of that experience. You'll enjoy building an account.

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FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Adv.

NOT THE TIME FOR A SMOKE

Old Lady, Filled Up With "Cartridges," Was in Natural Fear of an Explosion.

A robust old woman in the mountains of north Georgia was ill for the first time in her life and a doctor was sent for. Partly by persuasion and partly by force, the physician induced his patient to swallow some big quinine capsules—a simple enough operation, which, however, scared the old woman almost to death. She was soon able to sit up and her daughter thought she would give the convalescent a treat. She took her mother's corncob pipe from the "shelf" or mantel, filled it with tobacco, and picking up a live coal between two sticks, started with it toward the bed.

"Ma," she said brightly, "jes' look what I got fer ye."

"Git away from me, Sary," she screamed in terror. "Take away dat fire! Take hit away! Don't yer know I's done plum filled up wi' cartridges?"—Chicago Ledger.

OVERWORK and KIDNEY TROUBLE

Mr. James McDaniel, Oakley, Ky., writes: "I overworked and strained myself, which brought on Kidney and Bladder Disease. My symptoms were Backache and burning in the stem of the Bladder, which was sore and had a constant hurting all the time—broken sleep, tired feeling, nervousness, puffed and swollen eyes, shortness of breath and Rheumatic pains. I suffered ten months. I was treated by a physician, but found no relief until I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. I now feel that I am permanently cured by the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

J. McDaniel.

Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Write for Household Hints, also music of National Anthem (English and German words) and recipes for dainty dishes. All 3 sent free.—Adv.

No Room for a Third.

Ex-President Taft was on one occasion in consultation with Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania. Now, as everybody knows, Mr. Taft is gigantic and the senator is taller and weighs more than any other member of the senate.

While the two were in earnest conversation an aggressive politician endeavored to enter the room, but an alert secretary politely interfered.

"What are they doing in there?" asked the politician, inquisitively.

This pertinent question nettled the secretary and he answered tersely:

"Holding a mass meeting, I presume."

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Inside Criticism.

"So you're going to be married, Mary?"

"Yes, ma'am, and I'll be leaving you next Tuesday."

"Well, I hope you are getting a good husband."

"If he ain't any better than the one you've got I won't keep him long."

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The pioneer practitioner at Fargo. Graduate under the founder of Osteopathy. Acute and Chronic Diseases successfully treated without drugs. Pioneer Life Building, Fargo, North Dakota. Adv.

It is hard for a woman to hold her husband's love when she can't even hold her tongue.

"Peace at any price" is a man's motto. A woman wants it at bargain rates.

EUROPE'S WORST WINTER IN YEARS HALTS STRUGGLES

FLOODS PREVENT ANY OPERATIONS ON LARGE SCALE ON WESTERN AND EASTERN BATTLE FRONTS.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE AUSTRIAN POSITIONS

Seizure Near Nzook Pass Should Open Another Entrance for Czar's Troops Through Carpathians Into Hungary—Turks Cross Border in Caucasus.

London, Jan. 5.—The extremely rainy winter, the worst Europe has experienced in years, causing floods in the river valleys of the continent as well as those of England, has prevented any operations on a large scale on the western battle front and has interfered seriously with those in the east.

There have been heavy artillery engagements from the sea to the Swiss border and occasional attacks by the infantry of the opposing armies, which when not repulsed have added a few yards to the territory in the possession of the attacking force, but always have proved costly ventures.

French Gain Near Albert.

The French have gained a little ground between Albert and Roye, just north of the point where the line turns eastward and to the east of Rheims and southwest of Verdun, where the attempts to make the German positions at St. Mihiel on the Meuse untenable, are proceeding slowly. They have also made some advances in Alsace, but have suffered a repulse to the northwest of St. Menehould.

In the east the Germans have captured the important Russian position at Borjimow, but elsewhere they have been unable to make any headway against the Russians, who, as defenders of well fortified positions, are aided by the wet weather and muddy roads, which hinder the German movements.

The Austrians claim to have checked the Russian advance near Gorlice, on the South Galician railway, west of Jaslo, but apparently the battle here has not yet been concluded.

Russians Take Austrian Position.

The Russians, on the other hand, have taken the Austrian positions near Nzook Pass, which should open another entrance for them through the Carpathians into Hungary, while the Austrian retreat in Bukowina is described by the Russians as a rout.

The Turks have crossed the Russian border in the Caucasus, and according to their own account have defeated the Russian garrison at Ardahan. They are, however, displaying anxiety for their remaining possessions in Europe by feverishly fortifying the whole coast line. What they fear is not disclosed, for it is considered hardly possible for the allies to land a sufficient force to prove a menace to them. It is possible that they expect an invasion from another source.

Balkan States May Fight.

Indications point to the possibility of the Balkan States, which are now neutral, taking a hand in the war.

The Greek Minister of Finance has declared that Greece is making preparations to maintain the new territories which she gained in the Balkan wars from Turkey and Bulgaria, but that she has more to fear from Bulgaria than Turkey.

It is not thought that Roumania can look on calmly while the Russians are advancing toward Transylvania, and it is expected that she will join with Russia and try to get the much-coveted Eastern Province of Austria-Hungary.

Throughout the British Empire and in the British churches in foreign countries intercession services were held for the success of the allies' arms. Many of the sermons embodied exhortations to the young men to join the army. King George attended services in the village church at Sandringham.

British Statesman Dies.

London, Jan. 4.—Percy Holden Illingworth, chief Liberal whip in the House of Commons, and parliamentary secretary to the Treasury, died of typhoid fever. He was born at Bradford in 1869. Mr. Illingworth served in the South African war with the Yorkshire yeomanry. In August, 1912, he was appointed chief Liberal whip, succeeding Lord Murray of Elibank.

U. S. Minister to Argentina Arrives.

Buenos Aires, Jan. 4.—American Ambassador to Argentina, Frederic J. Stimson, arrived here and was welcomed by representatives of the republic, the ministers of foreign affairs, and others.

New York Welcomes New Year.

New York, Jan. 2.—New York City welcomed the New Year in traditional manner, the celebration proving one of the most demonstrative on record here.

The uptown streets where the celebrators usually gather were jammed with laughing, singing crowds, unusually large, even for this event of events in the city's calendar. The tens of thousands were so orderly in their merry-making, however, that the police reserves found little to do except to keep the throngs moving.

KAISER ENCOURAGES ARMY

URGES SOLDIERS AND SAILORS TO KEEP UP FIGHT.

Asks Them to Face New Year Unflinchingly and Look Forward to New Victories.

Berlin, via London, Jan. 4.—Emperor William, in a New Year's message to the army and navy, asks them to face the new year unflinchingly and look forward to new deeds and new victories for the beloved fatherland. The message, which was made public at main headquarters here, follows:

"After five long months of heavy and hot fighting we enter the new year.

"Brilliant victories have been gained and great successes achieved by the German army almost everywhere on the territory of the enemy. While repeated attempts of our opponents to swarm on German territory have failed.

"My ships have covered themselves with glory on sea and the crews have proved not only that they know how to fight victoriously, but to die like heroes when overwhelmed by superior forces.

"Behind the army and the fleet the entire nation stands in unexampled harmony, prepared to sacrifice its heart's blood for the sacred domestic hearth which we are defending against outrageous invasion. Although the times may be serious and the task before us a heavy one we look forward into the future with the firmest confidence.

"Next to God's wise guidance, I trust to the matchless bravery of the army and navy and know myself to be as one with the entire German nation. Therefore let us face the new year unflinchingly, looking forward to new deeds and new victories for our beloved fatherland.

(Signed) "Wilhelm."

CALLS ENGLAND FRIENDLY

Page Says Reply to American Note is Promised Within a Few Days.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Ambassador Walter Hines Page, in a long report from London, following his conference with high officials there, described the general attitude of the British government and the people toward the American note of protest concerning shipping as entirely friendly. He said a reply had been promised within a few days.

The ambassador detailed the British press criticism, whose tone he regarded as on the whole reasonable and amicable. In some quarters, not among officials, he found a disposition to search for a motive behind the American note, some Englishmen suggesting that the Washington administration had been compelled to yield to pressure from members of congress representing constituencies vitally affected by the interruption of trade. This portion of English public opinon seemed to think the American note was intended to some extent for home consumption.

M'ADOO OPENS EXPOSITION

Secretary of Treasury Formally Dedicates Panama-California Show at San Diego.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 4.—The Panama-California exposition opened to the world by the touching of an electric button by President Wilson in Washington, was formally dedicated by the president's personal representative, Secretary of the Treasury William McAdoo.

Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury, presided at the ceremonies, and the list of speakers included Mr. McAdoo, President Davidson of the exposition, Count Del Valle de Salazar, representing the king of Spain; John Barrett, of the Pan-American Union, and Charles C. Moore, president of the Panama-Pacific exposition of San Francisco. The governors of nine states were present.

Foreigners Quit Constantinople.

Athens, via London, Jan. 4.—According to Constantinople advices which have reached here the Austrian and German embassies in the Turkish capital are transferring their archives to Asia Minor, fearing that action is imminent by the British and French fleets against the Dardanelles and the capital. Foreigners, it is stated, also are preparing to quit the capital for the interior.

To Employ More Men.

Reno, Nev., Jan. 4.—The Southern Pacific shops at Sparks, Nev., will resume operations with a full force. For six weeks the shops have been operated by a force of 125 men, and with the increased operations the men employed will total over 600. This announcement was made by John P. Jones, master mechanic of the Sparks plant.

Zionists Start Meetings.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 4.—With delegates from almost every state in the Union in attendance, the eighteenth annual convention of the Knights of Zion was opened here. Nathan D. Kaplan of Chicago presided. The business included the president's report, the appointment of committees and the reports of standing committees. Louis D. Brandeis of Boston, will address the convention on Sunday. The aim of the Zionist movement is to re-establish Palestine as the home of the Jewish race.

"CASCARETS" ACT ON LIVER; BOWELS

No sick headache, biliousness, bad taste or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box.

Are you keeping your bowels, liver, and stomach clean, pure and fresh with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days with Salts, Cathartic Pills, Castor Oil or Purgative Waters?

Stop having a bowel wash-day. Let Cascarets thoroughly cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will make you feel great by morning. They work while you sleep—never gripe, sicken or cause any inconvenience, and cost only 10 cents a box from your store. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never have Headache, Biliousness, Coated Tongue, Indigestion, Sour Stomach or Constipation. Adv.

AND WHAT WAS HE TO DO?

Almost Any Married Man Will Appreciate the Situation Poor Hubby Got Himself Into.

"What a beautiful new hat and coat!" she cried, as soon as he came home that afternoon.

"Isn't it? I mean, aren't they?" he said proudly. "Bargains too. The overcoat was $16, reduced from something, and the hat was $4, but they're going to raise the price next week."

His young wife crowed with delight. "Herman, you look stunning!" she exclaimed. "Let me put them on, to give you some slight idea of the general effect. You can never tell on yourself, you know."

And she put them on. The coat was a nobby plaid Balmacaan and the hat was a Nile green felt, very swagger.

"By Jove, Cecile," he cried, "if I look half as good in 'em I'm satisfied!"

She walked to the pier glass.

"You look very fine in them, dear," she said hesitatingly, but—truth compels me to say they're more than twice as becoming on me. You know the women are wearing men's hats and coats this winter. Don't you think you could get yourself another outfit tomorrow—something in colors a little more becoming to you, perhaps? We have fried chicken and waffles for dinner, just the way you like them."

And—but what's the use?

IF HAIR IS TURNING GRAY, USE SAGE TEA

Don't Look Old! Try Grandmother's Recipe to Darken and Beautify Gray, Faded, Lifeless Hair.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and abundant with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant. Adv.

Density of Population.

By density of population is meant the number of persons to each square mile of land area. Excluding the District of Columbia, Rhode Island, with 508.5 persons per square mile, is the most densely populated state in the Union, closely followed by Massachusetts, New Jersey and Connecticut, in the order named, the only states which have more than two hundred persons per square mile.

RESINOL WILL SURELY STOP THAT ITCHING

What blessed relief! The moment resinol ointment touches itching skin, the itching stops and healing begins. That is why doctors have prescribed it successfully for nineteen years in even the severest, stubbornest cases of eczema, ringworm, rashes and many other tormenting, unsightly skin diseases. With the help of warm baths with resinol soap, resinol ointment restores the skin or scalp to perfect health and comfort, quickly, easily and at little cost. At all druggists.—Adv.

The Prospect.

"You don't seem anxious to get home to your dinner."

"I don't care for the menu I'll get."

"What is it?"

"When my wife finds out I forgot to mail her letter the first course will be tongue served up with hard sauce."

FRENCH CAPTURE STEINBACH AFTER HEAVY FIGHTING

BERLIN ADMITS TAKING OF TOWN IN ALSACE, BUT SAYS DESPERATE CONFLICT CONTINUES IN THE STREETS.

WOUNDED ARE SUFFERING BUT CANNOT BE AIDED

Soldiers of Republic Destroy Line of German Trenches by Literally Demolishing Them With High Explosives—Germans Withdraw But Retake Positions.

London, Jan. 5.—Both the German and French headquarters agree that the one feature standing out in the western theater of war is the fiercely contested fighting in the Alsace region with Steinbach as the chief prize.

For nearly a week the results on this point have been of a seesaw nature. First one side, then the other would hold it. Berlin admits the capture of the village but says resperate fighting in the town still continues.

Both sides are bringing up new forces while those on the ground continue their fighting which at times is of the hand-to-hand variety.

The village has been wellnigh wiped off the face of the earth. The country surrounding it is a shambles, covered with dead and wounded.

No Aid for Wounded.

The latter are suffering horribly. Nothing can be done to aid them and they are forced to lie on the cold ground facing death. If it were possible for the doctors to attend them, many would be saved.

The French are bombarding the German positions in the vicinity of Thann and fighting of a bittery contested nature has taken pace aong the heights of the Meuse, to the west of Senneheim village.

The French destroyed a line of German trenches in this vicinity by literally demolishing them with high explosives. The Germans withdrew but returned to the assault under cover of darkness and retook the positions.

The losses in the fighting in upper Alsace have been very large, but the French, being on the offensive, have naturally lost far more heavily than the Germans, who for the most part have had the protection of their trenches.

DROPS GREETINGS FROM SKY

German Aviator Pays Visit to Dunkirk During Christmas Week, Hurling Cards Only.

Dunkirk, France, Jan. 5.—A German airman paid a visit to Dunkirk during Christmas week, but he dropped no bombs, only peaceful Christmas greetings. His somewhat hazardous trip from the German lines was undertaken at the request of a Prussian colonel, who wanted to know where his son, killed at Soissons, was buried, and the parcel of letters and cards which the aviator dropped into the principal square of the city contained a letter asking for this information, together with letters from several French airmen, prisoners in the hands of the Germans.

The cards were signed by the aviator himself and bore the conventional greetings of the season, together with a message that he had been led to undertake the mission by his admiration for the gallantry of the captured French airmen.

ARMY NOW NUMBERS MILLION

Britain's Home Defense Corps Grow to Immense Proportions in Less Than Three Months.

London, Jan. 5.—Almost unobserved Britain's home defense army—whether it be called "the volunteer training corps" or the "national guard" or the "special constabulary"—has grown to a membership of more than a million men in less than three months.

Occurrences like the German naval raid on Hartlepool and Scarborough in mid-December sent hundreds of the male population hurrying to take their places in this civil guard.

Two Drown When Ice Breaks.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Two boys were drowned and a third may die as a result of their sled breaking through the ice in a lagoon in Washington park. William Jacques, 6, and Joseph Du Pres, 8, were being pushed toward the center of the pond by William Russell, 10, when the ice gave way. The Russell boy was resuscitated an hour later, but his recovery is doubtful.

New York Healthy City.

New York, Jan. 5.—New York's death rate for the year just closed was 13.40 per 1,000 of population, according to the figures just made public by the city's department of health. This, the department's report states, marks the lowest death rate ever attained in this city and has "definitely placed this city among the most healthful of the largest cities of the world." The number of deaths during 1914 was 74,803. The year witnessed the greatest number of births in the history of the municipality.

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Willie Knew.

Some time ago the teacher of a public school was instructing a class in geography, and when it came time to hand out a few questions she turned to Willie Smith.

"Willie," she said, "can you tell me what is one of the principal products of the West Indies?"

"No, ma'am," frankly answered Willie, after a moment's hesitation.

"Just think a bit," encouragingly returned the teacher; "where does the sugar come from that you use at your house?"

"Sometimes from the store," answered Willie, "and sometimes we borrow it from the next-door neighbor."

The Real Thing.

Little Lemuel—Say, paw, what is persistency?

Paw—Persistency, my son, is the trait a woman develops when she attempts to remove a wrinkle.

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Tomdix—Your wife is certainly outspoken, isn't she?

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Backache is one of Nature's warnings of kidney weakness. Kidney disease kills thousands every year.

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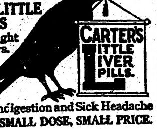

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TURKISH TROOPS WIN BIG VICTORY OVER RUSSIANS

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TURKS AND PERSIANS WIN IN BATTLE WITH RUSSIANS

Conscription May Be Resorted to for Recruiting of English Army and Navy—Allies Claim Gains on Western Battle Front.

Constantinople, Jan. 4.—The Turkish war office says: "Our troops took Ardahan, a Russian fortified town in Trans-Caucasia 45 miles northwest of Kars, Jan. 1. Ardahan was defended by General Zachen with 8,000 infantry, 1,000 Cossacks, six field guns and two machine guns. The battle for the town which began Dec. 29 ended in the flight of the Russians who lost heavily.

Our troops, in conjunction with the Persian tribesmen, completely defeated 4,000 Russians who had over 10 cannon, ten miles northwest of Saonjbulak. Four hundred Russians were killed. They lost six cannon. According to reports from Ezerum, Turkish Armenia, great transports of Russian prisoners from the latest battles are on the way there.

Capture Many Prisoners.

Petrograd, Jan. 3.—The following statement has been issued by Russian army headquarters:

On the Bzura and Rawka rivers we are continuing our successful repulse of the German attacks in spite of the enemy's heavy artillery fire and bomb throwing. On the road to Wloszozowa in the Kielos region, at the village of Lopuszno on Dec. 31, the German troops after a stubborn battle took possession of a portion of our trenches but later a counter attack forced the enemy to abandon all trenches previously occupied. During this affair we captured several hundred prisoners and nine machine guns.

In western Galicia fighting continues in the region of Gorlice. In the region of Colujok we have occupied the Austrian positions where we took 1,000 prisoners. The Austrian retreat in Bukowina before the drive of our troops has taken the character of a great rout.

May Draft Men.

London, Jan. 4.—The hint that the British government contemplated the introduction of conscription for increasing the army and navy was dropped by Thomas J. MacNamara, Parliamentary secretary to the admiralty, while speaking at Browning settlement this afternoon. Referring to the fact that there are many thousands of young men in the United Kingdom without dependents, who had not answered the call to colors, MacNamara said: "If they think they are going to enjoy a life of freedom at the other fellow's expense they won't enjoy it much longer." The recruiting boom which commenced after the holidays continues.

Statement From Berlin.

Berlin, Jan. 3.—An official statement by the German army headquarters says:

"In the western theatre, some of the enemy's ships accompanied by torpedo boats appeared of Westende (Belgium) yesterday afternoon without firing.

On the whole of the western front artillery fights took place. From Oise to Meuse, on the plateau of Louvant, our heavy artillery demolished several fortifications from which the enemy was harassing our sappers. Spirited artillery duels have taken place to the west and east of Craonne, near Perthesle Hurlus we progressed about 800 meters.

Near Boausejour there has been infantry fighting in which we inflicted serious losses on the enemy. The Germans launched two attacks without success in the forest of La Grurie. On all this portion of the front the artillery fire has shown great activity. In the region of Verdun, on the heights of Meuse, there has been an artillery duel. We again gained a little ground in the forest of Bouchon, northeast of Troyon and in the forests of Lepretre (northwest of Pont-a-Kousson). In the Vosges we occupied one of the enemy's trenches. Artillery engagements have taken place in Ban de Sapt and in the valley of Fave. In upper Alsace our former gains in the region of Thann have been maintained. We have bombarded a German train in the railway station of Altkirch and caused some damage on the railway between Carspach and Bierspach to the southwest of Altkirch.

Amsterdam, Jan. 3.—At a meeting of Belgium burgomasters to provide for raising the German levy an extraordinary outburst of enthusiasm for Belgium was witnessed.

No Change in Situation.

Paris, Jan. 3.—"The following was officially issued tonight:

According to latest advices received here there has been no alteration in the situation. The weather continues to be very bad on almost the whole front.

To Release American Ship.

Washington, Jan. 3.—The State department learned today that the American tank steamship Brindilla, after its seizure off the coast of Scotland, was taken to Brest and made protest to the British government. Unofficial advices say that it will be released promptly.

STOP EATING MEAT IF KIDNEYS OR BACK HURT

Take a Glass of Salts to Clean Kidneys if Bladder Bothers You—Meat Forms Uric Acid.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney disease.—Adv.

ARMORED CAR IN WARFARE

European Armies Have Found It of the Greatest Value in Their Operations.

Although an engine new to warfare, the armored motor car has proved extremely useful, especially for outpost and scouting duty. Fast, silent, and mobile, it covers a vast amount of ground on the splendid roads that crisscross the field of war in western Europe. Most of the cars are incased in a light frame of tough steel plate that ranges in thickness from three-sixteenths of an inch to a quarter of an inch, and that is impervious to rifle and machine-gun fire. All the vulnerable parts of the motor, such as the radiator and steering gear, and in some of the newest cars the wheels, are protected by the steel covering. The wheels, both wood and wire, are said to withstand the roughest sort of usage. Accidents to the tires are much less common than anyone would expect. The cars carry a light armament—one or two machine guns so mounted that they can be swung through a complete circle—and a large supply of ammunition. The crew, which may number from four to eight or more men, are armed with rifles and revolvers. Some of the cars have a steel superstructure that rises from the chassis frame high enough to enable the crew to stand upright, and that is capped with a domed roof, from which bullets and shrapnel usually fly off at a sharp angle without even denting the steel.—Youth's Companion.

All There Was for Him.

A poor shoemaker's apprentice was sent to his master's home with some work. It was early in December, and when the lad arrived at the house he found the good wife engaged baking the special bread ready for Christmas.

The smell was delicious, and, sniffing strongly, the apprentice exclaimed heartily:

"Eh, missus, but your spice loaf smells grand."

"Ah, well, lad, thee mun tak some good smells, for it will be all thou will get."—Tit-Bits.

Transients All.

Mrs. Exe—How many servants do you keep?

Mrs. Wye—None. My record for the year, so far, is twenty-two I didn't keep.

STICK TO IT

Until Coffee Hits You Hard.

It is about as well to advise people to stick to coffee until they get hit hard enough so that they will never forget their experience.

A woman writes and her letter is condensed to give the facts in a short space:

"I was a coffee slave and stuck to it like a toper to his 'cups,' notwithstanding I frequently had severe attacks of sick headache; then I used more coffee to relieve the headache, and this was well enough until the coffee effect wore off.

"Finally attacks of rheumatism began to appear, and ultimately the whole nervous system began to break down and I was fast becoming a wreck.

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BUSINESS OUTLOOK FOR NEW YEAR IS ROSEATE ACCORDING TO SECRETARY REDFIELD.

COUNTRY SLOWS DOWN BUT IT NEVER STOPS

Federal Official Declares Nothing Is the Matter With a Grouch Except An Absentee Heart and Missing Nerve—War's Over Yonder.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Heartened by months of close study of the business outlook of the nation Secretary Redfield of the Commerce Department wrote a New Year's greeting to the merchants and manufacturers of the country, bidding them in characteristic language to reach out for the prosperity he sees within their grasp.

There is no warrant, Mr. Redfield declares, for gloom or despair. The ill effects of the European warfare on American enterprise are passing and new vistas ofr commercial ventures are opening with each new day. His message follows:

To Bring Prosperity Now.

"If you want prosperity do your own share to bring it and do it now. Get that addition to your shop going; it will cost you less today than six months hence. Is trade a bit dull in the works? Get those improvements begun. Prices are low and likely to rise. You've been thinking of that contract work, better start it yourself before things get the start of you.

"This country slows down a bit now and then, but it never stops growing and it always moves up and not down. We don't know what it means in most of the United States to have real general distress. Think of Belgium and Poland, O, man with a grouch, and slink into your hole and pull it in after you. There think of your sins and your blessings and come out with your courage in working order.

"There are lots of good American examples of pluck. Do you remember San Francisco and Galveston and Chicago—Boston, Charleston, Baltimore and Dayton and many others like them? Remember Thomas A. Edison and lots of others of your fellow citizens who showed pluck when things went hard?

Quit Talking Misery.

"Nothing is the matter with the man with a grouch except an absentee heart and missing nerve. Cheer up, go to work, do your level best, quit talking misery. The war's over yonder, not here—men are slaughtered yonder, they are living here. All clouds there, all clear day here. Get out and sell some goods. Plant some more acres, do more work than you planned. Talk cheerful talk and you'll find this country of ours a pretty good place after all."

To support the secretary's hopeful views are the figures gathered by his department as to American foreign commerce since the outbreak of the great war. Since August, when the monthly trade balance of the nation showed a deficit of imports over exports, the situation has been completely changed. For December alone it is estimated the export excess will reach $100,000,000 or more, with one exception the highest mark of the last two years.

CUTS JOHN DIETZ' LIFE TERM

Governor McGovern Commutes Sentence to Twenty Years—Release in Four Years.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 1.—The life term of John F. Dietz, the outlaw of Cameron Dam, convicted in 1911 of murdering Oscar Harp, a deputy sheriff of Sawyer county, has been commuted to 20 years by Governor McGovern. Under the parole law, Dietz may now be released in four years. Petitions have been coming from every state asking for his pardon.

Dietz shot Harp when defending himself against arrest by a posse of deputies sent to his cabin on the Thornapple river to arrest him. The dam, he alleged, was the property of Mrs. Dietz, by virtue of a deed to the land surrounding it. The courts did not uphold this contention.

Seizes American Copper.

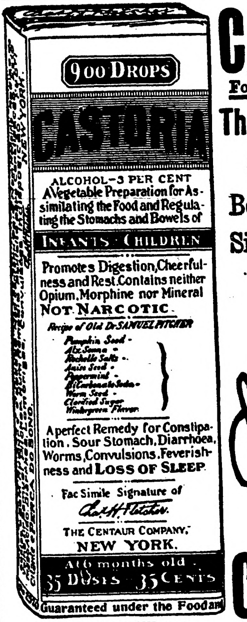
Copenhagen, Denmark, via London, Jan. 2.—A large cargo of copper, which is said to have been shipped to Denmark by a German-American, in an attempt to smuggle it through this country to Germany, by means of a false bill of lading, was seized by Danish authorities.

Kentucky Counties Go Dry.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 4.—Nine counties in Kentucky have become "dry," liquor having been voted out last September with licenses expiring now. Only fifteen counties out of 120 in Kentucky are now in the so-called "wet" column.

Chancellor's Son Slain.

Berlin, Jan. 4.—The Lokal Anzeiger says it has learned that the eldest son of Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the imperial chancellor, was killed in action in Poland on Dec. 9.



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The Size.

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"Mamma, I'm taking Jackie with me to measure by."

You seldom hear of a man marrying a woman to reform her.

Should Tarry.

"The Climblys tell me they are going to move into a better neighborhood."

"That's queer."

"Why so?"

"They haven't made good yet in the neighborhood they're leaving."

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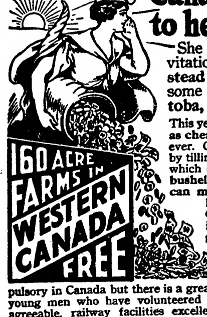

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Carl Christoferson visited friends in the country a few days last week.

Guy Anderson had the good fortune to kill a wolf one day last week.

Hans Monson and Johnson Bras of McIntosh passed through here Sunday for Roseau Co. where they will build shacks on their homesteads.

Misses Celia Olson and Inga Roseland visited in T. R. Falls Monday and Tuesday.

Several new patrons were received at the creamery Monday and their output is slowing increasing each week.

E. A. Wright returned to Middle River Tuesday, after spending a few days on his farm near here.

Miss Clara Tvede and Anna Erickson returned Tuesday from T. R. Falls.

Ed. M. Silbaugh has closed his barber shop and will devote his time to the real estate business.

Thomas Anderson, accompanied by his father, Ole Anderson of St. Hilaire, C. F. Birkeland and Martin Nelson went to Middle River Tuesday to make final proof on his claim.

Eight men and woman came in on the train Saturday to attend the religious meetings at the Fred Johnson and Herman Heinze homes. Meetings were held several evenings and were quite well attended by the young people from here.

Dr. Charest was called Saturday to see the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Rierson, who has been sick but is considerably better now.

Miss Mabel Fosen went to Litchfield Friday for an over Sunday visit with her sisters there before returning to school duties in Cambridge.

The bridge men have moved their camping out fit out east to the ditches, but a few of the crew remain here doing some construction work.

The Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon.

Clarence Docken returned to his work in the Holt State Bank, Wednesday after enjoying a couple of weeks vacation

Miss Ella Olberg went to T. R. Falls Friday for a weeks visit.

Miss Mary Dovre returned to Strandquist Saturday where she is teaching.

Peter Kolden returned to Ada Minn. Monday to resume school work.

It snows just a trifle every few days, just to remind us that it is winter.

Miss Amanda Mickelson returned to her school duties in Crookston Monday.

Our merchants are busily engaged invoicing and have'nt time to write ads.

B. L. Backe accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dovre autoed to T. R. Falls Thursday.

Dr. Turley, the Dentist will be at the hotel, in Holt, Monday Jan. 11.

Southeast of Holt.

Martin and Ida Anderson of Union, North Dakota are visiting with their aunt Mrs. Albert Klungress,

Agnes, Annie, Ralph, and Joseph Hanson and Alma, Clara and Walter Soiney spent Sunday afternoon a the home of S. G. Moe.

A party was given at the home of Mrs. Gutterud on Sunday evening a good time was reported by all present.

Mr. Iven Ose visited at the home of S. G. Moe on Thursday afternoon.

Olaf Dahle of Bemidji, came up last week to visit with friends and relatives in this locality.

The Ladies Aid of the Free church will meet with Mrs. Thom Olson on Gjermond Johnsons place on Thursday Jan. 14th Everybody is welcome to attend.

The Sunnyside.

The Jolly bunch were entertained at J. A. Sorum's Saturday evening. A very good time was had by all.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bjerk spent Sunday at Gust Peterson's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sollum spent Sunday afternoon at Nels Lysne's.

Miss Clara Tvede returned from Donal[illegible] Tuesday.

Mrs. R. Kantz spent a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Bjerk.

Miss Christine Saastad was a guest at the Peterson home for a few days.

Wonder why Jesse is taking trips up to Peterson's so often? Whats going to happen next Jesse?

School opened in District No. 59 on Wednesday Jan. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wegge and two sons Edgar and Raymond spent Sunday at Nels Lysnes.

The Misses Wegge entertained a number of their friends New Years day. The following were present: Misses Lydia Bjerk, Lillie Peterson Burnedette Horien, Messrs. Ed. Bjerk, P. L. Anderson, Charles Horien, Jesse Sorum, Fred and Hjalmar Peterson.

Cheer up Oscar, the worst is yet to come.

Stina Breta wishes everybody a happy and prosperous New Year.

Oscar Knutson was out wolf hunting, but we think he must have run across a dear track as he did not return until after dark.

"Who Is She?"

Miss Marie Erickson returned on Tuesday from T. R. Falls.

Bill Anderson from Minneapolis is spending the winter with his brother George Anderson.

Wonder what was the matter with Albin Monday evening.

H. Peterson made a business trip to T. R. F. on Saturday.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.26
Wheat No. 2	1.23
Wheat No. 3	1.20
Wheat No. 4	1.15
Flax	1.55
Oats	.42
Barley	40. to .48
Rye	.98
Flour, Best Patent	3.65

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 809.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Dec. 31, 1914.
Date of call by Supt., Jan. 5, 1915.
Date of report by Bank, Jan 6, 1915

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$65,845 64
Overdrafts		174 93
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,952 70
Other Real Estate		$2,913 35
Due from Banks	2,740 45	
Cash on Hand	1505 01	
Total Cash Assets		4,245 46
Checks and Cash Items		1,726 03
Total		$77,858 23
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock and Surplus		$12,500 00
Undivided Profits, net		3,765 53
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		12,700 00
Deposits		48,892 70
Total		$77,858 23
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$5,971 49
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$4,869 42

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss.

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Bakke, President.
B. Docken, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. Gunheim,
[Two] Directors. R. Reierson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Jan. 1915.
[Seal] Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919

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Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Nov. 1914.

Cream received	7,574 lbs
Average test	25.32
Butter fat	1,918.19 lbs
Percent overrun	22.52
Butter made	2,350 lbs
Balance on hand last month	25 11
Received for butter shipped	638 15
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 16
Cash sales at creamery	37 40
Rec'd from other sources	
Total	$706 82
Paid patrons by check	619 30
" " " Butter & milk	
Expense fund, etc.	57 26
To sinking fund	13 61
To other sources	
Balance on hand	16 58
Total	$706 82

Number of patrons, 54
Price paid for butter fat, 32 1-2cts
T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

THEO. QUALE
LAWYER
Office in McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.

EUROPEAN WAR SHATTERS KING COTTON'S THRONE

FLEECY STAPLE MUST PAY RANSOM INTO THE COFFERS OF WAR.

Nation Rings With Cries of Stricken Industry.

By Peter Radford
Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

King Cotton has suffered more from the European war than any other agricultural product on the American continent. The shells of the belligerents have bursted over his throne, frightening his subjects and shattering his markets, and, panic-stricken, the nation cries out "God save the king!"

People from every walk of life have contributed their mite toward rescue work. Society has danced before the king; milady has decreed that the family wardrobe shall contain only cotton goods; the press has plead with the public to "buy a bale"; bankers have been formulating holding plans; congress and legislative bodies have deliberated over relief measures; statesmen and writers have grown eloquent expounding the inalienable rights of "His Majesty" and presenting schemes for preserving the financial integrity of the stricken staple, but the sword of Europe has proved mightier than the pen of America in fixing value upon this product of the sunny south. Prices have been bayoneted, values riddled and markets decimated by the battling hosts of the eastern hemisphere until the American farmer has suffered a war loss of $400,000,000, and a bale of cotton brave enough to enter a European port must pay a ransom of half its value or go to prison until the war is over.

Hope of the Future Lies in Co-operation.

The Farmers' Union, through the columns of the press, wants to thank the American people for the friendship, sympathy and assistance given the cotton farmers in the hour of distress and to direct attention to cooperative methods necessary to permanently assist the marketing of all farm products.

The present emergency presents as grave a situation as ever confronted the American farmer and from the viewpoint of the producer, would seem to justify extraordinary relief measures, even to the point of bending the constitution and straining business rules in order to lift a portion of the burden off the backs of the farmer, for unless something is done to check the invasion of the war forces upon the cotton fields, the pathway of the European pestilence on this continent will be strewn with mortgaged homes and famine and poverty will stalk over the southland, filling the highways of industry with refugees and the bankruptcy court with prisoners.

All calamities teach us lessons and the present crisis serves to illuminate the frailties of our marketing methods and the weakness of our credit system, and out of the financial anguish and travail of the cotton farmer will come a volume of discussion and a mass of suggestions and finally a solution of this, the biggest problem in the economic life of America, if, indeed, we have not already laid the foundation for at least temporary relief.

More Pharaohs Needed in Agriculture.

Farm products have no credit and perhaps can never have on a permanent and satisfactory basis unless we build warehouses, cold storage plants, elevators, etc., for without storage and credit facilities, the south is compelled to dump its crop on the market at harvest time. The Farmers' Unions in the cotton producing states have for the past ten years persistently advocated the construction of storage facilities. We have built during this period 2,000 warehouses with a capacity of approximately 4,000,000 bales and looking backward the results would seem encouraging, but looking forward, we are able to house less than one-third of the crop and warehouses without a credit system lose 90 per cent of their usefulness. The problem is a gigantic one—too great for the farmer to solve unaided. He must have the assistance of the banker, the merchant and the government.

In production we have reached the high water mark of perfection in the world's history, but our marketing methods are most primitive. In the dawn of history we find agriculture plowing with a forked stick but with a system of warehouses under governmental supervision that made the Egyptians the marvel of civilization, for who has not admired the vision of Joseph and applauded the wisdom of Pharaoh for storing the surplus until demanded by the consumer, but in this age we have too many Josephs who dream and not enough Pharaohs who build.

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A HOME BANK UNDER STATE SUPERVISION

Runaway Expenses

At one time or another, all of us have had the unpleasant experience of having expences exceed the speed limit, -- run away.

And when expenses run away, you've probably noticed that they always run UP-never down.

A Checking Account at this bank and a Check-book in your pocket is a sure curb on expense. The stubs in your Check-book flash a warning when over-spending starts. Begin your Account today and keep expenses normal.

Farmers State Bank
"HOME of CHECKING ACCOUNTS"
Holt - - - Minn.

At the commercial club meeting Tuesday evening arrangements were made to try to have the town incorporated. This is a move in the right direction and we trust every one will work for it, as a town can be kept up much better and improved faster if it is incorporated.

A party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Heinze last Sunday evening at which the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Backe, Edna, Lydia, and Fridjof Risberg, Dagney Bakke, Cora Hanson, P. L. Anderson, L. Jensen, Clarence Docken, Ole Johnson, and Clarence Kolden. The evening was spent in playing games and singing. A dainty lunch was served later, all departing for their homes at midnight wishing a party like that could be had real often.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Company of Holt, Minn. will be held at the Creamery on Saturday the 23rd day of Jan. 1915, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing Officers and to transact any other business that may be brought before said meeting.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y

We have made arrangements with our Dairy and Food Inspector to be here for our Annual Meeting and he will give us a talk on "Quality" and this is a very important subject and I wish you would all turn out and hear him.

Your Buttermaker.

We learn from the Roosevelt Reporter that a fire there New Years eve burned five buildings, the loss being about $6000.00.

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Farmers State Bank Elects Officers

At a meeting of stockholders held Jan. 12th, the following were elected Directors: Lars Backe, S. S Kolden, B. L. Backe, Fred Ewald, and A. R. Jones. Officers: Lars Backe, Pres., S. S. Kolden Vice Pres., B. L. Backe, Cashier, Bertil Sollom, Ass't Cashier.

During the past eventful season of Nineteen Fourteen, business was transacted for over one hundred thousand dollars by the bank. The Earnings and steady progress made was very pleasing and beyond expectations of stockholders present.

The fact that a second Bank at Holt, within its first year's business career, contracted sufficient business to produce earnings in excess of twelve percent, against countless obstacles and opposition, was a feat considered impossible by those who had grave doubts as to the desirableness of having bank competition at Holt. The bank's steady growth and future success is now assured.

Local Items

Photographer Strandberg of Alexandria, will be at the hotel in Holt, Saturday Jan. 23rd, prepared to take Photos.

The Free Mission Ladies' Aid re-elected all of the old officers at the annual meeting last week Thursday.

Allie Werner was on the sick list a couple of days last week.

Don't forget that good coffee you used to drink at Huseth's. We are serving the same kind now. Try a cup. A. H. Huseth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Swartz visited friends in Grygla several days the past week.

If your shoes need mending take them to Carl Christoferson. He has started a shop in S. S. Kolden's store.

Elmer Ode of Mud Lake has been visiting at R. Rierson's this week.

C. L. Heinze and son Harry were in T. R. Falls last Friday.

John A. Sorum was in Warren, on business for several days last week.

D. B. Bakke, the popular president of the Holt State Bank, gave a "smoker" to the men of Holt Wednesday evening at the Star Hall. There were about fifty gentleman present and the first part of the evening was spent in playing progressive Whist at the same time each enjoying the fragrant Havana. Several cash prizes were to be given to the winners which not only promoted an intense interest in the game, but stimulated in each a determined effort to be the champion. The following persons received prizes: 1st prize D. Payne. 2nd. P. L. Anderson, 3rd C. H. Gunheim, 4th. Jacob Nelson, 5th, A. H. Huseth, 6th D. B. Bakke, 7th. O. J Backland, 8th Axel Nelson. The ladies who had received an invitation at the eleventh hour, came in a body to the hall and surprised the gentleman. The well prepared floor was cleared for action and old and young tripped the fantastic toe to the strains of the piano and violin. After a half hour of this fasinating recreation, the company headed by the host proceeded to the Hotel where a dainty lunch was served. The gentlemen of Holt will long remember with pleasure their first introduction to a "smoker" in Holt.

Mr. Business Man: If you want to be healthy, wealthy and wise, Buy some new goods and advertise. This paper will bring good results.

Bank Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Holt State Bank was held on last Wednesday, Jan. 13th at their banking room in Holt. Stockholders present were D. B. Bakke, C. H. Gunheim, R. Reierson, John A. Sorum, G. P. Sorter, John Engstrom, P. A. Risberg H. Loken and B. Docken. The statement of the condition of the bank rendered by Cashier B. Docken proved the bank to be in a prosperous condition. The bank's total resourses are now over $80000.00, showing a gain of about $14000.00 over last year's statement.

A dividend of twenty per cent was declared, and $500.00 was put to Surplus. Undivided Profits $1060.00

The new board of directors elected for the ensuing year are, D. B. Bakke, R. Rierson, C. H. Gunheim, A. D. Stephens and T. L. Melgaard.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are, D. B. Bakke, President, A. D. Stephens, Vice President, B. Docken, Cashier, Clarence Docken Asst. Cashier.

The stockholders and directors present expressed themselves as well pleased with the showing of last year's business and progress of the bank.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Ole Moen of Spruce Valley will preach in the Free Mission church Sunday evening at 7.30

East Valley News

Lars Ring is busy grinding feed now days.

Ed Furr has been hauling wood for our school.

J. K. Knutson sawed wood at the school house last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jahr entertained company Sunday.

Peter Mickelson and family visited at the O. B. Johnson home Sunday.

George Anderson has been entertaining his brother since Christmas.

The Zion Ladies' Aid meets at Mrs. N. Gudvanger Wednesday Jan. 20th

Miss Palma Johnson of Golden Valley is staying with Mrs. M. B. Ordahl.

Peter Haugen of Grand Forks, N. D. arrived Saturday and is visiting at the home of his daughter Mrs. C. H. Knutson.

The new bell and bookcase for the school house were received last week. Mr. A. C. Jahr brought them out from Holt.

Ole Anderson who has been visiting relatives and friends here the past week returned to his home at St. Hilaire on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Quam departed Monday for their home at Portland N. D. after spending a week with his brothers J. M. Jahr and A. C. Jahr.

Miss Inga Johnson accompanied by her brother George, went to St. Hilaire on Tuesday to attend the wedding of their cousin Miss Nellie Enstrude.

Miss Dinah Eggum left Tuesday for Fergus Falls where she will attend school and study music. Her mother Mrs. O. [illegible] accompanied her and will be gone two weeks.

Jacob Nelson and sons have rented the Fred Johnson farm, which the boys will work and their father will cotinue the restaurant business.

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SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED AT THIS OFFICE

GERMANS MAKE FURIOUS NIGHT ATTACK ON FOE

ENDEAVOR TO BREAK THE FRONT OF ADVANCING FRENCH LEGIONS ALONG THE AISNE RIVER.

TEUTONS LOSE 2,000 IN BATTLE IN SINGLE DAY

Battles of Greatest Savagery Are Now Raging for Possession of Two Towns of Highly Strategic Value — Steinbach and Burnhaupt in Alsace.

London, Jan. 12.—A dispatch to the Daily Express from Boulogne asserts that confirmation has been obtained of the rumors that the Germans have evacuated Lille and that the city is now virtually in the possession of the British.

Paris, Jan. 12.—Spirited night attacks by the Germans, interspersed with terrific cannonades, in an effort to break the front of the advancing French legions in the most furious fighting of the entire line, along the Aisne, in Champagne and in the Argonnes were recorded in the official statement just issued by the French war office.

Surrender by the Germans of a field fort to the north of La Ferte de Beausejour, in Champagne, with the capture by the French of a line of trenches from which the Germans were routed in a violent engagement to the west of the fort, was the most important success reported in the statement.

Germans Lose 2,000.

The Echo de Paris states that General von Heeringen, commanding the German center, lost 2,000 in killed, wounded and prisoners in the battle of Perthes les Hurlus in one day. Since then the German counter attacks have been equally furious and it is believed their losses by this time may have reached double that number.

The Germans continue their efforts to regain their lost ground on the Plateau of Vregny, to the north of Soissons, along the Aisne, but their counter attacks were futile. They repeated their bombardment of the town of Soissons when driven back from the entrenched positions.

Attempts during the night to drive the French back from their advanced positions in front of Perthes and to the north of Le Ferte Beausejour were repulsed, while in the Argonne region the kaiser's troops made a drive at Fontaine Madame and at St. Hubert, but both efforts were repulsed. In this same region the German gunboats bombarded Le Four de Paris, but the reply of the French was doubly effective. Not only were the German guns silenced but a blockhouse occupied by their sharp shooters was demolished.

Stop Counter Attacks.

Counter attacks delivered by the Germans against Hill Number 263 to the west of Boureuilles have ceased so far as active operations of their infantry is concerned, but a lively cannonade was maintained throughout the night, not only against the height but also against the canal of Meurissons upon the banks of which the French maintain strong defensive works.

Artillery activity is still pronounced in Belgium and the northeastern corner of France, but the rains and the floods due to the breaking of the Lys from its banks have made impossible any extensive operations of foot troops. Near Rheims in the Argonne, on the heights of the Meuse and in the forests of Apremont artillery duels continue with the advantage generally on the side of the French Creusot guns.

Savage Battle in Alsace.

Alsace still holds attention as the source of greatest interest in the operations on this front. Any gains here arouse the greatest enthusiasm among the population of Paris which is watching with keen anxiety the progress of General Pau in reclaiming the "Lost Province."

Battles of the greatest savagery are now raging for the possession of two towns of highly strategic value—Steinbach and Burnhaupt. Both towns have been won and lost several times and reinforcements have now been brought up by both commanders for the supreme effort which shall determine the mastery of this difficult situation.

Former Steel Magnate Dies.

Johnstown, Pa., Jan. 11.—Charles S. Price, 62, former president of the Cambria Steel company, died at his home here.

Celebrate Peace Centenary.

New Orleans, Jan. 11.—The unveiling on Chalmette battlefield, the scene of the last encounter between the United States and Great Britain, of a monument to General Andrew Jackson, was the climax of the first day's celebration here of the centenary of peace between English speaking nations. Andrew J. Peters, assistant secretary of the treasury and personal representative of President Wilson, and H. T. Hunt-Carew, British consul here, representing King George, participated in the ceremonies.

BELGIANS BEG U. S. FOR FOOD

DECLARE AMERICA SAVED THEM FROM STARVING.

Inhabitants Will Pay Back in Industry After the War, Asserts Louvain Burgomaster.

Brussels, via London, Jan. 9.—"If the United States had not come to our aid it would have meant starvation for most of us," said Alfred Nerinex, provisional burgomaster of Louvain.

"We are willing to work, but we cannot when the doors are closed to exports. We cannot buy food, even if we have the money, when the doors are closed to imports. It is no fault of ours if we starve. Feed us now and we will pay you back in industry when the war is over.

Bread Americanizes Belgians.

"We are paying back now in gratitude for the lives America has saved—gratitude which will endure as proof that human affection is stronger than any treaty alliance.

"Here in the midst of the ruins of my town I do not lose heart. I know we shall rebuild all, if only we can have food to keep us alive. The most powerful army in the world cannot Teutonize Belgium; but America, armed with bread, is Americanizing Belgium. My worst fear is that there will be bread riots if the relief stops."

M. Nerinex said the population of Louvain was only 3,000 less than before the German occupation. The people whose homes had been burned are living with their neighbors. The burgomaster said he was giving work to the idle by having them clean the streets and repair houses which can be made habitable.

MEETS MEXICAN OFFICIALS

General Hugh L. Scott Confers With Villa and Maytorena on Border Situation.

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 11.—General Hugh L. Scott, General Francisco Villa and Governor Maytorena of Sonora met in a conference preliminary to a series of conferences, planned in an effort to reach a solution of the problem of protecting residents of American border towns from the bullets of belligerents on the Mexican side.

The United States army chief of staff and the Mexican leaders met in the United States immigration station at the American end of one of the international bridges spanning the Rio Grande between El Paso and Juarez. No official statement was given out except that the first meeting was "cordial," and that it would be continued soon.

Villa was accompanied to El Paso by his entire staff and Scott by his chief of staff, Lieutenant Colonel R. E. L. Michie; George C. Carothers, representing the state department, acting as interpreter.

General Villa and Scott chatted for less than an hour. The meeting was accomplished as secretly as possible.

ROADS PLAN IMPROVEMENTS

Railways to Spend $10,000,000 for Locomotives and Cars, as Result of Rate Increase.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Equipment plans embracing orders placed or pending for seventy-two locomotives, 195,000 tons of steel, and 8,500 cars of various types have been announced by three railroads. The estimated expenditure is approximately $10,000,000.

It is said that the proposed improvements are the direct result of the recent freight rate increase allowed by the Interstate Commerce Commission and that other orders for new equipment will follow shortly.

The Baltimore & Ohio the Pennsylvania, and the Chicago, St. Louis & New Orleans, are the roads now placing orders or receiving bids.

The Baltimore & Ohio has placed contracts for 2,000 freight cars, involving an expenditure of between $1,500,000 and $2,000,000. Options have been taken on an additional 2,000 freight cars and the road is said to be in the market for 25,000 tons of steel.

Forts Face Italian Frontier.

Geneva, Switzerland, via Paris, Jan. 11.—A dispatch from Innsbruck says a German army corps has arrived at Salzburg and that Austria had begun to fortify the line of Brixon-Meran-Bozen-Trente, facing the Italian frontier. A number of batteries have been brought from Innsbruck and cement platforms are being laid down and roads re-made under the supervision of German and Austrian army officers.

Sends Protest to Italy.

Milan, via London, Jan. 11.—The Secolo asserts that Count Leopold von Berchtold, Austrian minister of foreign affairs, has sent a note to Italy protesting against the Italian occupation of Avlona, Albania, and that Baron Sydney Sonnini, Italian minister of foreign affairs, has sent a firm reply.

Women Elect Saloonkeeper.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Members of the women's Democratic club of the Second ward, who recently advertised in newspapers for an aldermanic candidate of "constructive ability, a clean respectable citizen, a friend of woman suffrage, a leader, not a follower, and a possessor of horse sense," have elected a saloonkeeper as their choice. Albert Russell, the candidate awarded the support of the club, already had received the indorsement of the men's Democratic organization of the ward.

TALK ON WESTERN CANADA.

You Don't Have to Lie About Canada—The Simple Truth Is Enough.

The natural resources of the country are so vast that they cannot be told in mere figures. Man can only tell of what tiny portions have done. He can only say, "I am more prosperous than I ever expected to be." And yet if a farmer expects to succeed on land that he has been forced to pay $50 to $100 an acre for he ought to feel assured of attaining prosperity when he finds the richest prairie soil at his disposal absolutely free. If he has a little capital, let him invest it all in live stock and farm implements—he will find himself ten years ahead of the game. Some day such a chance will not be found anywhere on the face of the globe. But now the same opportunities await you as awaited the pioneer and not one hundredth part of the difficulties he encountered and overcame. Success in Canada is made up of two things, natural resources and human labor. Canada has the one and you the other. A postal card stands between you and the Canadian government agent. If you don't hold these two forces and enjoy the fruits of the result it is your own fault.

Debt and Canada Will Not Stand Hitched.

You want a cozy home, a free life, and sufficient income. You want education for your children, and some pleasure for your wife. You want independence. Your burden has been heavy, and your farm hasn't paid. You work hard and are discouraged.

You require a change. There is a goal within sight, where your children will have advantages. You can get a home in Western Canada, freedom, where your ambitions can be fulfilled. If the Prairie Provinces of Canada are full of Successful Farmers why should you prove the exception? Haven't you got brains, experience, courage? Then prove what these are capable of when put on trial. It is encouraging to know that there is one country in the world where poverty is no barrier to wealth; own your own car; own yourself; be somebody.

For facts write to any Canadian government agent. Advertisement.

Another Luxury.

Payton—We hear a great deal lately about the high cost of living, and loving.

Parker—Yes, and the high cost of loafing ought not to be sneezed at, either.—Life.

IS CHILD CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative" and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask at the store for a 50 cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Paw Knows Everything.

Willie—Paw, what is the difference between a chef and a cook?

Paw—About $75 a month, my son.

LOOK YOUR BEST

As to Your Hair and Skin, Cuticura Will Help You. Trial Free

The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. These fragrant super-creamy emollients preserve the natural purity and beauty of the skin under conditions which, if neglected, tend to produce a state of irritation and disfigurement.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Seven by the Average.

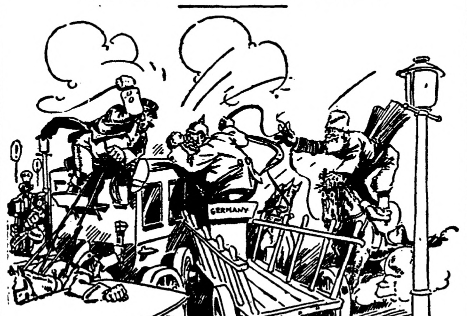
Knicker—How big is your boy?

Bocker—He takes a ten-year-old suit and a four-year-old car seat. He averages seven.

YOUR OWN DRUGGIST WILL TELL YOU Try Murine Eye Remedy for Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids; No Smarting—just Eye comfort. Write for Book of the Eye by mail Free. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

Most men can't understand a bank statement, but you can't fool them when it comes to a box score.

NEEDED—TRAFFIC REGULATION



INDIANAPOLIS NEWS.

GREAT BRITAIN TO INTERFERE ONLY WHEN NECESSARY

FRIENDLY NOTE IS STRUCK IN PRELIMINARY REPLY TO COMMUNICATION FROM UNITED STATES.

DOCUMENT MADE PUBLIC BY MUTUAL AGREEMENT

Officials of Washington Government Construe Statement as Conceding Principles Expressed by American Note Were Upheld by International Law.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Great Britain's reply to the note from the United States government requesting an improvement in the treatment of American commerce by the British fleet, has been made public here and in London by mutual agreement between the State Department and the British Foreign Office. The communication concurs in the view of the United States that commerce between neutral nations should be interfered with only when imperatively necessary.

United States Principles Upheld.

Officials of the Washington government construe this statement as conceding that the principles expressed by the American note were just and upheld by the previously accepted usages of international law. The only formal comment made was contained in a brief statement issued by Secretary Bryan. He said:

"This answer being preliminary and not intended as a complete reply, we will postpone comment until the full answer is received."

England to Make Redress.

Briefly, the British note, while conceding the principles of the American government's contentions, points out difficulties in actual practice, refers to alleged fraudulent practices by shippers, and cites statistics showing an increase rather than a decrease in certain neutral commerce in support of Great Britan's suspicion that Germany and Austria have been indirectly obtaining contraband through neutral countries.

The note promises that Great Britain will make redress whenever the action of the British fleet "may unintentionally exceed the limits" of international law.

HOLDS SOLDIERS FOR MURDER

Canadian Authorities Arrest Militiamen in Connection With Shooting of American Hunters.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 11.—A provincial constable, a corporal and two privates have been arrested at Fort Erie on warrants issued at the instance of the attorney general of the Province of Ontario, charging them with manslaughter in connection with the death of Walter Smith and the wounding of Charles Dorsch, American citizens at Fort Erie, on Dec. 2 last. The men were held without bail.

Honor Liege Defender.

Paris, Jan. 11.—A bust of General Leman, the defender of Liege, who is now a prisoner of the Germans, was crowned with a wreath of laurel in the presense of representatives of the French and Belgian government and 5,000 spectators in the Trocadero.

Bread Prices May Go Up.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Department of Justice officials have expressed interest in reports that the price of a loaf of bread was about to jump from 5 to 6 cents in New York and other large cities. No complaints had reached the department, however, and no action is in immediate prospect. Attorney General Gregory has kept a close watch upon any efforts to raise the cost of living through combinations in any line, and it is considered certain that a rise in bread would be looked into at once.

U. S. PROSPERITY INCREASES

WAR PROVIDES CASH MARKET AT HIGHEST PRICES.

Hopeful Feature of Situation Is Placing of Heavy Shipment Orders by Railroads.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—The Chicago Herald prints the following:

Signs continue to multiply that business and industrial activity in the United States is steadily mounting on a material basis. The European war, of course, is the principal cause, in that it provides a cash market, at highest prices, for everything, except luxuries, that the United States has to sell.

Aside from this steady and growing demand for foodstuffs, clothing, all forms of leather, steel, copper, horses and mules, the most hopeful feature of the situation is the placing of heavy equipment orders by the railroads. Since the Eastern rate increase was granted, orders for rolling stock, rails and other supplies aggregating $6,670,000 have been placed and bids are in the market for approximately $10,000,000 additional. In connection with this sign of business revival, comes the announcement from various directions of the re-employment of more than 40,000 men in steel mills, railroad shops and kindred industries.

Cotton Exports Increase.

Lumber and cotton, the two industries which suffered severely during the depression, have also shown marked improvement. Sales of the former for export amounting to more than $2,000,000 are reported in Kansas City. Exports of cotton are increasing and the fact that the $100,000,000 loan fund has been called upon to do duty only in the most insignificant proportions would indicate that the South is rapidly solving its own financial problems.

Exportations of grain and other food stuffs keep up to the recent high levels and the call for war supplies continues large, despite the fact that many things have been added to the list of contraband.

The trade balance with Europe is growing rapidly in favor of this country, all pressing foreign indebtedness has been liquidated and gold is at our command for the asking.

All Sections Gain in Confidence.

Letters received from various sections of the country last week tell of gaining confidence and gradual growth of business, although the element of caution predominates in practically all of these communications.

Throughout the great West where farmers have derived huge returns from bountiful crops and high prices, there is unprecedented cheerfulness, and this sentiment is beginning to permeate the spots where less optimism has prevailed.

Money is abundant and growing cheaper all over the country. Credits at the banks are open to the business men and their limitations are wide, while the reserve system allays all fear of monetary stringency in the future.

The Pennsylvania Railroad company has arranged to bring out a $100,000,000 bond issue in March. The St. Paul railroad offering of $29,141,300 bonds reflects a substantial program of new construction.

Pittsburg steel found no difficulty in selling $5,000,000 bonds, which is another indication of easier finances.

Robbers Kill Policeman.

St. Louis, Jan. 11.—Michael Gibbons, a policeman, was shot and killed by two men whom he interrupted robbing the interurban station of the Wabash railroad station. The robbers blew open the safe and escaped with $4.

Rout Villa Forces.

Laredo, Texas, Jan. 9.—In a battle near Victoria, capital of Tamaulipas, Villa forces were put to flight, leaving many dead and wounded on the field, according to Constitutionalist advices from Neuvo Laredo, Mex.

Spain Has Big Deficit.

Madrid, via Paris, Jan. 9.—The financial statement of the government for 1914 shows a deficit of 157,000,000 pesetas ($31,400,000). The deficit is due to the shrinkage of revenue during the five months of the war.

What Do YOU Pay?
Some men, thinking to economize, pay 5 cents for cigarettes. They might enjoy real quality, if they realized that 20 FATIMAS would cost them only 15 cents.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

20 for 15¢
FATIMA
TURKISH BLEND CIGARETTES
NO GOLD TIPS
FINEST QUALITY

POTATO LOW PRICES
Salzer's Pedigree Potatoes helped put Wisconsin way on the top with its enormous potato yield. We can do same for you. BIG SEED CATALOG FREE.
John A. Salzer Seed Co., Box 715, La Crosse, Wis.

Highest Cash Prices
Paid For CHICKENS, VEAL, CREAM
WRITE FOR SPECIAL PRICE LIST.
THE R. E. COBB CO., 14. 3rd Street, St. Paul, Minn.

WANTED to hear from owner of good farm for sale. Send description and price. Northwestern Business Agency, Dept. A, Minneapolis, Minn.

But the male of the species is never too hoarse to sing his own praise.

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
In Use For Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Sheep to Fight Spotted Fever.

Spotted fever is spread by a species of tick, which will attack sheep and other domestic animals as well as men. In order to free the Bitter Root National Forest of Montana of these ticks, which are very numerous there, a flock of 2,500 sheep is to be turned loose on the reservation. It is expected that great numbers of the ticks will attach themselves to the sheep, and these will be destroyed by dipping the sheep from time to time in a solution that is deadly to the insects.

Panhandler Failed.

This is a panhandle story that failed. Douglass Fairbanks, the actor, was "touched" today for 35 cents by a man who said he wanted to get to New Rochelle to see his sick wife. The actor gave up willingly. Shortly after he met the panhandler on Sixth avenue inviting a couple of bums in to have a drink. "I thought you were going to New Rochelle to see your sick wife?" questioned the actor. "I guess I made a mistake," replied the young man. "No you didn't," said Mr. Fairbanks. "You're going to New Rochelle." He took the man in a nearby cafe and spying an athletic young fellow hired him to take the panhandler to the Grand Central depot and put him on a train for New Rochelle, using the 35 cents to buy the ticket. "And knock his block off if he doesn't go," were Mr. Fairbanks' parting instructions to the athletic one.—New York Times.

The Meat of Wheat

The average yearly consumption of wheat in the United States is nearly six bushels for every man, woman and child.

But—

Much of the nutriment of the wheat is lost because the vital mineral salts stored by Nature under the bran-coat are thrown out to make flour white.

In making

Grape-Nuts FOOD

of choice wheat and malted barley, all the nutriment of the grains, including the mineral values necessary for building sturdy brain, nerve and muscle, is retained.

Everywhere Grape-Nuts food has proven a wonderful energizer of brain and brawn, and you may be sure

"There's a Reason"

"CASCARETS" FOR SLUGGISH BOWELS

No sick headache, sour stomach, biliousness or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box now.

Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out to-night and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels or an upset stomach.

Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach; remove the sour, fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great.

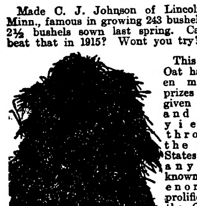
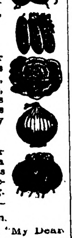
A Cascaret to-night straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean, healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken. Adv.

Age of Compactness.

Dealer—A diary for 1915? Perhaps this new style will suit you.

Customer—Rather small, isn't it? Why it stops with January 15.

Dealer—Yes, it is very compact—does away with the unnecessary bulk of paper that you find in the old-fashioned diaries.



Salzer's White Bonanza Oats.

Made C. J. Johnson of Lincoln Co., Minn., famous in growing 243 bushels from 2½ bushels sown last spring. Can you beat that in 1915? Wont you try?

This great Oat has taken more prizes and given bigger and larger yields throughout the United States than any Oat known. It's enormously prolific. Just the Oat for Iowa, Minn., Wis., Ill., Ind., Mich., Ohio, Neb., Pa., N. Y., Kansas and Missouri.

We are America's headquarters for Alfalfa and Potatoes Timothy, Clovers and Farm Seeds.

For 10c in Postage

We gladly mail our Catalog and sample package of Ten Famous Farm Seeds, including Speltz, "The Cereal Wonder;" Rejuvenated White Bonanza Oats, "The Prize Winner;" Billion Dollar Grass; Teosinte, the Silo Filler, etc., etc.

Or Send 12c

And we will mail you our big Catalog and six generous packages of Early Cabbage, Carrot, Cucumber, Lettuce, Radish, Onion—furnishing lots and lots of juicy delicious Vegetables during the early Spring and Summer.

Or send to John A. Salzer Seed Co., Box 715, La Crosse, Wis., twenty cents and receive both above collections and their big catalog.

Little Billy Again.

Mother had been singing "My Dearest Heart," one line of which is, "The grave is cruel, the grave is cold."

"Oh, mother," exclaimed little Billy, as she finished, "why was the gravy cold?"

SALTS IF BACKACHY OR KIDNEYS TROUBLE YOU

Eat Less Meat If Your Kidneys Aren't Acting Right or If Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers You.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is a life saver for regular meat eaters. It is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink.—Adv.

You may think you are different from others but you bore a lot of people, just the same.

FOURTEEN BILLS INTRODUCED; ONE ON COUNTY OPTION

SENATE SETTLES DOWN TO ITS WORKADAY STRIDE AND ACCOMPLISHES DAY'S WORK.

NOLAN BILL APPEARS IN DISGUISED FORM

Calls for Regulation of State and Local Public Service Corporations —Census Measure Would Provide Employment for Men Who Are Idle.

IN THE HOUSE.

Met at 11 a. m.

Passed resolution authorizing speaker to appoint committees.

Speaker appointed committees on legislative expense and mileage.

Passed resolutions of sympathy for the death of two former members.

Representative Lewis C. Spooner spoke on resolution proposing joint committee of house and senate to hold hearings on efficiency and economy bill.

First introduction of bills of session.

Adjourned at 11:45 a. m. until 8 p. m. Monday.

IN THE SENATE.

Met 10:30 a. m.

First introduction of bills of session.

Adoption of report of rules committee providing for abolishment or merger of number of standing committees.

Senator F. H. Peterson spoke against adjournment until Monday.

Rules committee leaders held first informal conference.

Adjourned at 12 noon until 8 p. m. Monday.

St. Paul, Jan. 8.—With the introduction of fourteen bills, one of which called for county option, though not recognized as the "official" county option bill, and the presentation of the report of the rules committee, the senate settled down to its workaday stride and accomplished a day's work.

Explaining that his bill was not the "official" bill providing for county option, Senator F. H. Peterson of Moorhead introduced a measure which called for an election on county option on the petition of 25 per cent of the voters of any county. He said he came from a town where the "wets" predominated and the bill was introduced entirely on his own responsibility.

To Vote When Not at Home.

Endorsed in his action by commercial travelers' associations, Senator William A. Campbell of Minneapolis introduced as the first senate bill of the present session a measure which if pased will allow more than 25,000 traveling men in this state the power to vote while away from home. The bill provides for registration and voting at the primaries on the same day and for the issuance of a statewide certificate for voting at the elections. Three other bills were introduced by the Minneapolis senator.

The Nolen bill vetoed by former Governor Eberhart appeared in a new guise, sponsored by Senator Campbell. It calls for the regulation of state and local public service corporations and delegates to local councils of the different cities the power to regulate public service corporations whose franchise has expired.

Senator J. G. Callahan, in introducing a bill for the taking of the sixth decennial census in the state, drew attention to the fact that his measure would provide for the employment of a number of men at present unemployed and would make the labor commissioner superintendent of the census. In the cities, he said, the labor commissioner was closely in touch with the unemployed. Preference would be given to old soldiers and men out of employment.

The bill provides for the taking of the census in February of this year.

Representative Lewis C. Spooner of Morris introduced in the house a resolution proposing that a committee of nine members of the house and five members of the senate be appointed to "Receive, consider and hold public hearings on the efficiency and economy commission bill, which will be introduced in the near future."

After speaking at length regarding the resolution, Representative Spooner made a motion that the resolution be laid on the table until Monday, that members of the house and of the senate might confer on the matter. The motion was passed.

The resolution proposed that the committee have "power to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents."

Both houses adjourned to 8 p. m. Monday.

Charged With Threatening [illegible]

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. [illegible].—Jesse Spana of Youngstown, Ohio, who, Captain John E. Washer, United States secret service operator, charged wrote a threatening letter to President Wilson demanding money, has been brought to Cleveland and placed in the county jail. Spana denies the charge. He was arrested in Youngstown. Captain Washer said he could not reveal the contents of the letter. Spana will be given a hearing in a few days before a United States commissioner.

UNITE ON REORGANIZATION

Members of House Declare They Will Support Economy and Efficiency Program.

St. Paul, Jan. 9.—Members of the house of representatives say they will unite in supporting the economy and efficiency program which was dwelt upon by retiring Governor Adolph O. Eberhart and incoming Governor Winfield Scott Hammond before the joint session of the legislature.

Although many members of the house are uncertain as to the exact meaning of a number of points incident to the reorganization, it seemed the opinion that there would be no vigorous opposition to the general plan when it is brought forward to be voted upon and after it has been thoroughly thrashed out on the floor.

"I believe I express the opinion of a majority of the house members when I say that the general plan for efficiency and economy has met with almost unanimous favor in the house," said Iver J. Lee of Glenwood. "While there are many details that will require close study before the plan could be approved the program as a whole has been favorably received."

Several other members expressed similar views.

"I am in favor of the economy and efficiency plan as, I believe, is every other member of the house," said P. H. Frye of Willmar. "Of course the details of the plan will have to be gone over very thoroughly. It will require the extended services of an expert accountant to ascertain exactly whether there will be a material saving by reducing the number of officials."

Discussion of the economy and efficiency program was heard on every hand. The possibility of opposition to the plan was said to be so slight that it is being given little consideration at this time. Leaders in the Gordon ranks, as well as those who were active in the speakership campaign in behalf of Mr. Flowers, are strong advocates of the plan.

Views as to harmony were expressed by many members, all of whom declared that the line between the Gordon and Flowers adherents which became so tightened the last few days preceding the election of a speaker, had been almost entirely eliminated and that the house had forgotten politics and settled down to the vast amount of work which it must accomplish in the remaining eighty-odd days of the session.

Rules Committee Slated.

St. Paul, Jan. 8.—Shortly before the gavel fell at 11 o'clock Speaker Flowers announced that the two additional members of the rules committee would not be made known until next week. Those already slated are:

Thomas H. Girling, Robbinsdale.
L. A. Lydiard, Minneapolis.
George C. Sudheimer, St. Paul.
~~H. J. Miner, International Falls.~~
H. W. Haislet, Butterfield.
Levi M. Davis, Long Prairie.
Carl G. Malmberg, Forest Lake.

A resolution authorizing the appointment of a rules committee by the speaker was passed.

Lewis C. Spooner of Morris then introduced his efficiency and economy resolution and requested that it be laid on the table until next week, that members of the senate and of the house might confer on the matter.

Resolutions of condolence for the death of M. J. Sullivan, member of the lower house of the legislature in 1909-11-13, and the death of William H. Thielen, from the Thirty-eighth district in 1913, were adopted.

A motion that all bills be laid on the table until the rules committee has been appointed was passed. Then adjournment until Monday night at 8 o'clock was taken.

Hammond Is Kept Busy.

St. Paul, Jan. 9.—Governor Hammond is not finding the position of chief executive of the state altogether a bed of roses. A stream of office seekers kept vigil in the gold room and were received by the governor in order. Each man or delegation was given a card and they were disposed of in this fashion. "Since coming to St. Paul for my inauguration," said Governor Hammond, "the only time I have been alone is when I retire for the night. They have even invaded my room when I was dressing in the morning." Relative to appointments, Governor Hammond said that what he had to give out in the way of plums would be done after due consideration of the situation.

Plan for Fish Breeding.

Minneapolis, Jan. 8.—The legislature will be asked by a strong representation of Hennepin delegates to appropriate sufficient funds to defray the cost of installation of an aquarium surrounded by fish breeding lagoons, same to be located somewhere in that narrow strip of land which separates Lakes Calhoun and Harriet.

The original idea is that of Eben Cobb, superintendent of state fish hatcheries, who says the location is geographically ideal. The task of obtaining the appropriation necessary is in the hands of Chairman L. A. Lydiard of the Hennepin delegation.

Minneapolis Art Institute Opens.

Minneapolis, Jan. 8.—A dream of years, one that the city has cherished since early days, will be realized in the dedication of the Minneapolis Institute of Arts. From near and far men widely known in the field of fine arts will come to rejoice with Minneapolis. Dedicatory exercises will be held at the Auditorium. In the evening there will be a reception at the museum and an exhibition valued at more than $3,000,000 will be opened to the general public.

ZEPPELIN RAIDS ARE ANTICIPATED IN TWO CAPITALS

LIGHTS TO BE DIMMED IN PARIS—UNWONTED VIGLIANCE IS BEING MAINTAINED IN LONDON.

RUMANIA IS EXPECTED TO JOIN ALLIES SOON

Obstacles, Which Hitherto Blocked Full Mobilization, Have Been Removed With Arrival of Supplies for Equipment and Provisioning of 600,000 Men.

BATTER DARDANELLES FORTS.

Athens, Jan. 12.—The fort at Chanak Kalessi, guarding the south side of the entrance to the Dardanelles, has been demolished by the continued bombardment of the allies' warships, and has been evacuated by the Turkish garrison, according to a dispatch received from Salonika. Forts Elles and Seddil have been badly damaged, but were still holding out. Techanak Kalessi is known as "Castle of Asia."

Paris, Jan. 12.—That a German raid of Zeppelins on Paris is planned has just been learned. Minister Millerand held a conference with President Poincare, at which preliminary plans were considered. It was agreed that lights should be further dimmed in the city and an address to the people, reciting steps to be taken in the event of an aerial bombardment, was prepared. It will be issued later.

Hostile aeroplanes have again bombarded Dunkirk. Several buildings were badly damaged and five civilians were killed and several wounded.

A German aeroplane flying over Amiens has been brought to the ground by a French machine. The French airman went aloft the moment the German was seen approaching. He opened fire on his antagonist with the result that the German machine fell within the French lines. One of the German pilots was killed.

Dunkirk and its environs were also bombarded by a dozen aeroplanes Sunday. Thirty bombs were thrown by the airmen, but owing to the precautions that have been taken there were few victims. The material damage was unimportant.

England Anticipates Raid.

The Times asserts that 16 German aeroplanes were seen over the English channel on Sunday morning.

Evidently they contemplated a raid on England, according to the Times, but apparently the pilots found the conditions too bad to continue the journey, for they turned their machines and steered in the direction of Dunkirk.

A vigilant aeroplace patrol is being maintained along the English coast.

London is maintaining unwonted vigilance and the authorities are preparing to meet any emergency that might arise in case of an attack by German dirgibles.

Roumania Expected to Fight Soon.

London, Jan. 12.—There are increasing indications of the early participation of Roumania in the war, thus bringing into play another party of the combination against the Teutonic powers contemplated by Great Britain, France and Russia.

Difficulties confronted the allies in the earlier stages of the war in furnishing munitions, equipment and other necessities of war beyond those required for their own immediate needs.

These difficulties now have been surmounted, and the obstacle which hitherto has blocked full Roumanian mobilization has been removed with the arrival in that country of the requisite supplies for the equipment and provisioning of the 600,000 men which it is able to put into the field. Arrangements have been completed also, for the financing of these operations.

Admitting for the first time that the allies have gained a foothold in their trenches north of Soissons, the German war office declared the battle at this point continues with the allies unable to make any further gains. To offset these admitted reverses, the German troops are declared to have made gains in the Argonne region and also to have recaptured the trenches recently lost to the east of Perthes.

Murderer Is Sentenced.

Champaign, Ill., Jan. 12.—[illegible] Stone, who killed his wife and four children last fall, entered a plea of guilty in Champaign County Circuit Court and was sentenced to imprisonment for life.

Betrayed by Sweetheart.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 12.—Jesse [illegible], the 16 year old boy under arrest, charged with the murder of his step mother, Mrs. Ollie Coggins, was betrayed to the police by his 1[illegible] year old sweetheart, according to a report circulated here. Coggins has confessed the crime and a warrant for murder probably will be issued at once. Coggins' sweetheart is said to have told the police that Jesse hated her just prior to the murder and that she was betraying him from motives of revenge.

Women as Inventors.

It is probably not generally known that a woman invented the paper bag. Away back in 1870 a patent was granted Miss Margaret Knight, who died only a short time ago at the age of seventy-five. There are said to be 310 woman owners of incorporated establishments in St. Louis, who, besides managing the business, can do the actual manual labor required.

SAGE TEA DARKENS GRAY HAIR TO ANY SHADE. TRY IT!

Keep Your Locks Youthful, Dark, Glossy and Thick With Garden Sage and Sulphur.

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is mussy and troublesome. For 50 cents you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use tonic called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant. You will also discover dandruff is gone and hair has stopped falling.

Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and look years younger. Adv.

Let's Hope So.

Bill—This paper says the invention of an Englishman is a machine to permit a singer to hear his own voice just as an audience hears it.

Jill—Do you suppose that will make certain people who sing more merciful?

A TREATMENT THAT HEALS MOST SKIN-DISEASES

Don't stand that itching skin humor one day longer. Go to the nearest druggist and, for about 75c, get a jar of resinol ointment and a cake of resinol soap. Bathe the eczema patches with resinol soap and hot water, dry and apply a little resinol ointment.

It's almost too good to be true. The torturing, itching and burning stop instantly, you no longer have to dig and scratch, sleep becomes possible, and healing begins. Soon the ugly, torturing eruptions disappear completely and for good.—Adv.

The Wise Fool.

"There is a time to work and a time to play, but you can't combine them," remarked the Sage.

"But suppose you are a musician?" asked the Fool.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

An ideal may be all right; but a square deal is usually better.

Good Cause for Alarm

Deaths from kidney diseases have increased 72% in twenty years. People overdo nowadays in so many ways that the constant filtering of poisoned blood weakens the kidneys.

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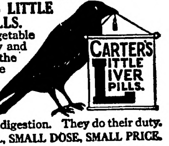
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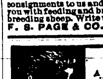
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Wonderful Case of Mrs. Crusen, of Bushnell, Ill.

Bushnell, Ill.—"I think all the trouble I have had [illegible] marriage was caused by exposure when a young girl. My work has been housework of all kinds, and I have done milking in the cold and snow when I was too young to realize that it would hurt me. I have suffered very much with bearing down pains in my back and such miserable pains across me, and was very nervous and generally run down in health, but since I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my back never hurts me, my nerves are stronger, and I am gaining in health every day. I thank you for the great help I have received from your medicine, and if my letter will benefit suffering women I will be glad for you to print it."—Mrs. James Crusen, Bushnell, Illinois.

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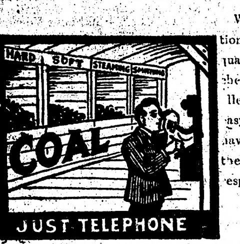

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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 8, 1879.

Commercial Club Meeting.

A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of the club was held Tuesday evening at the Star Hall, and various matters of importance were discussed. New officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, P. A. Riesberg; Vice-President, Ed. M. Silbaugh; Sec'y, B. Docken; Treas. P. L. Anderson; Board of Directors, P. A. Riesberg, Ed. M. Silbaugh, D. Payne, C. W. Latta, B. Docken; Membership Com. A. H. Huseth, Tony Carlson, B. L. Backe.

The matter of incorporating the village was thoroughly discussed and the sentiment seemed to be greatly in favor of incorporating and P. A. Riesberg was appointed to take a census. A committee of three members, P. A. Riesberg, D. Payne and Ed. M. Silbaugh were elected to take preliminary steps and to take charge of the incorporation.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Warner and son Bartley visited at E. J. Warner's last Monday.

C. Martell has been on the sick list for a few days past.

We have a good letter this week for our readers, from East Valley.

Mrs. Richard Ruphreckt and children of Thief River Falls, arrived Monday for a few days visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Werner.

Mrs. Matt Larson went to Fargo N. D. Monday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Poppenhagen and little child of Thief River Falls came Saturday to visit, her parents Mr Mrs. P. O. Rierson and other relatives.

Mrs. Martin Benson came from T. R. Falls Saturday for an over Sunday visit with relatives.

P. P. Rierson and Mr. and Mrs. Poppenhagen visited relatives in Newfolden Monday.

Christ Von Wold returned to Golden Valley Tuesday after an extended visit with his son and family in T. R. Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. M. Silbaugh were visitors at the J. B. Alkenbrack home Sunday evening.

Theodore Sollom returned to his claim near Goodridge Monday.

P. A. Von Wold came from Golden Valley Saturday where he had been moving some buildings for his his sister and visited over Sunday at the Alkenbrack home.

Miss Olava Sollom returned Tuesday from visiting her sister at Goodridge.

Miss Ella Olberg returned Tuesday from visiting friends in T. R. Falls.

Mrs. Gust Peterson left Tuesday to visit her daughter Mrs. Bill Warner in T. R. Falls.

Mrs. Clarence Knutson returned to Grand Forks Tuesday with her father Mr. Haugen.

We were misinformed about a dance being held at the E. J. Warner home, for Mr. Warner tells us he has never had a dance at his place in the twenty-eight years he has lived here. We are very sorry that the item was published and wish to apoligize, to Mr. Warner and family, for the mistake we made in doing so.

The Sunnyside.

A number of young people enjoyed a pleasant evening at H' Furr's Friday.

Lily and Hjalmer Peterson spent Sunday evening at A. Bjerk's.

The Jolly Bunch gathered to surprise Mr. G. Peterson Saturday night in honor of his fifty-eighth birthday. Everybody reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Peterson spent Sunday afternoon at Nels Lysne's.

Oscar Knutson made a business trip to Middle River Monday.

Ida and Julia Lunke visited at H. Knutson's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. Anderson called at F. Carlson's Monday.

Hjalmer Dovre and C. W. Christianson speat a social evensig at Ed. Horien's Sunday.

If the driver had not been otherwise occupied than in watching the road, this tale would not be told: the horses being left to follow their own inclinations, they might not have chosen to go so near the ditch and a certain sleighload of young people would not have found themselves suddenly wrong side up last Saturday night. If you would like to know where it happened, look for a spot where the grass won't be growing next summer. If you want to know what the driver was doing ask Ed.

"Lou, Lou, I still love you,
For the sake of 'Auld Lang Syne,
And I call you when I fall asleep to
dreaming, That old girl of mine.'

Southeast of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson and children Floyd, Victoria, and Henry spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rude.

Thoro, Oscar, and Manvel Moe spent Sunday afternoon at the home of E. Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungress and daughters Jennie, Clara, Ida and Martin Anderson spent Sunday visiting at the home of Ole Johnson.

Mrs. and Pete Michaelson and children Oliver, Esther, Norman, and Mrs. J. Michaelson spent Sunday afternoon visiting at the home of Christ Berkland.

Messrs. Alfred Klungness, Olaf Dahle, Targie Sordahl and Martin Anderson spent Sunday evening at the home of C. A. Soiney.

Gunda and Harry Moe returned home from Fosston on Wednesday arter a two weeks visit with relatives at that place. They report having had an enjoyable time.

The Synod Ladies' Aid held their annual meeting with Mrs. A. Bjerk, Wednesday Jan. 7th, and elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Adolph Sollom; Vice President, Mrs. C. H. Gunheim; Treas. Mrs. B. L. Backe; Sec'y, Mrs. Ben Docken.

Send The News to your friends and a dollar for your own at the same time.

The Sande Bros. who have been holding revival meetings at different places, returned to Thief River Falls Monday.

Frank Stanley of Whitefish Mont. came Saturday and visited at the home of his sister Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack until Tuesday when he left for T. R. Falls to visit at the P. A. Von Wold home.

The following were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Engstrom last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Risberg and son Walmer, Mr. Tony Carlson and Clara, Mr. Arvid Carlson and Bella. Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Rodman. A very enjoyable time was had by all returning home in the wee hours of the morning. —C.

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Dr. B. R. Lund, Dentist

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Thief River Falls - Minn.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Jan 12, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that William E. Rude of Holt, Minnesota who on June 20th, 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 06312, for Lots 11 12 13 14 Section 1, Twp. 155 N, Range 42 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 15th day of Feb. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Allen Adolphson, Alfred Hanson, Nels Gudvangen and John M. Jahr all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.27
Wheat No. 2	1.24
Wheat No. 3	1.22
Wheat No. 4	1.17
Flax	1.70
Oats	.42
Barley	to .52
Rye	1.00
Flour, Best Patent	3.75

Bank Statement

Bank No. 1004.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on Dec. 31th 1914.

Date of call by Supt. Jan. 7, 1915.
Date of report by bank, Jan. 7, 1915.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$35,985 15
Overdrafts		126 43
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,561 38
Other Real Estate		700 00
Due from Banks	6,482 20	
Cash on hand	450 54	
Total cash assets		6,932 74
Checks and cash items		765 95
Total		$46,371 65
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock and Surplus		$12,000 00
Undivided Profits, net		784 44
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		15,900 00
Deposits		$17,687 21
Total		$46 371 65
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$7,098 69
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$2,251 14

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, Lars Backe President, and B. L. Backe Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Lars Backe, President,
B. L. Backe, Cashier.

Correct Attest: S. S. Kolden
(Two) Directors Arnold Bjerkhoel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Jan. 1915.

(Seal) Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
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MARKETING WORLD'S GREATEST PROBLEM

WE ARE LONG ON PRODUCTION, SHORT ON DISTRIBUTION.

By Peter Radford

Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

The economic distribution of farm products is today the world's greatest problem and the war, while it has brought its hardships, has clearly emphasized the importance of distribution as a factor in American agriculture and promises to give the farmers the co-operation of the government and the business men the solution of their marketing problem.

This result will, in a measure, compensate us for our war losses, for the business interests and government have been in the main assisting almost exclusively on the production side of agriculture. While the department of agriculture has been dumping tons of literature on the farmer telling him how to produce, the farmer has been dumping tons of products in the nation's garbage can for want of a market.

The World Will Never Starve.

At no time since Adam and Eve were driven from the Garden of Eden have the inhabitants of this world suffered from lack of production, but some people have gone hungry from the day of creation to this good hour for the lack of proper distribution. Slight variations in production have forced a change in diet and one locality has felt the pinch of want, while another surfeited, but the world as a whole has ever been a land of plenty.

We now have less than one-tenth of the tillable land of the earth's surface under cultivation, and we not only have this surplus area to draw on but it is safe to estimate that in case of dire necessity one-half the earth's population could at the present time knock their living out of the trees of the forest, gather it from wild vines and draw it from streams. No one should become alarmed; the world will never starve.

The consumer has always feared that the producer would not supply him and his fright has found expression on the statute books of our states and nations and the farmer has been urged to produce recklessly and without reference to a market, and regardless of the demands of the consumer.

Back to the Soil.

The city people have been urging each other to move back to the farm, but very few of them have moved. We welcome our city cousins back to the soil and this earth's surface contains 16,092,160,000 idle acres of tillable land where they can make a living by tickling the earth with a forked stick, but we do not need them so far as increasing production is concerned; we now have all the producers we can use. The city man has very erroneous ideas of agricultural conditions. The commonly accepted theory that we are short on production is all wrong. Our annual increase in production far exceeds that of our increase in population.

The World as a Farm.

Taking the world as one big farm, we find two billion acres of land in cultivation. Of this amount there is approximately 750,000,000 acres on the western and 1,260,000,000 acres on the eastern hemisphere, in cultivation. This estimate, of course, does not include grazing lands, forests, etc., where large quantities of meat are produced.

The world's annual crop approximates fifteen billion bushels of cereals, thirteen billion pounds of fibre and sixty-five million tons of meat.

The average annual world crop for the past five years, compared with the previous five years, is as follows:

Crops—	Past Half Decade.	Previous Half Decade.
Corn (Bu.)	3,934,171,000	3,403,655,000
Wheat (Bu.)	3,522,769,000	3,257,526,000
Oats (Bu.)	4,120,017,000	3,508,315,000
Cotton (Bales)	19,863,800	17,541,200

The world shows an average increase in cereal production of 13 per cent during the past decade, compared with the previous five years, while the world's population shows an increase of only three per cent.

The gain in production far exceeds that of our increase in population, and it is safe to estimate that the farmer can easily increase production 25 per cent if a remunerative market can be found for the products. In textile fibres the world shows an increase during the past half decade in production of 15 per cent against a population increase of three per cent.

The people of this nation should address themselves to the subject of improved facilities for distribution.

Over-production and crop mortgage force the farmers into ruinous competition with each other. The remedy lies in organization and in co-operation in marketing.

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Puzzle

A square diagram of seven rows cross ways and seven rows up and down contains forty-nine squares. Figures from one to seven are to be written in all the squares of each row. No figure shall appear more than once in any row cross ways, up and down or at an angle.

Sollom Bros. - Holt

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Monday

February 1st 1915

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Local Items

W. S. Brekke of Nielsville visited D. Payne between trains last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Warner went to visit relatives at T. R. Falls Friday.

Ole Moen will preach again Sunday evening at 8 oclock and all are invited to attend this service.

Mrs. B. Docken and little son Adrian went to T. R. Falls Tuesday for a few days visit with her parents.

If you want to sell your land this year, now is the proper time to list it with Chas. W. Latta, Holt, Minn.

Photographer Strandberg of Alexandria, will be at the hotel in Holt, Saturday Jan. 23rd, prepared to take Photos.

Miss Esther Johnson and Miss Tabla Smith returned from T. R. Falls Monday after a few days visit with friends.

Mrs. T. O. Dovre who departed for Dakota a few weeks ago to attend her brother's, funeral returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Helnke and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wegge were the guests at the home of D. Payne Sunday.

Don't forget that good coffee you used to drink at Huseth's. We are serving the same kind now. Try a cup. A. H. Huseth.

Christ Yttri and Carl Christenson went to Warren Monday to [illegible] A. H. Huseth went as one of Mr. Yttri's wittnesses.

One of the pleasing features of the banquet last Wednesday night and unintentionally ommitted in our write up of last week, was a solo beautifully rendered by Mrs. A. H. Huseth.

B. Docken, the faithful cashier in the Holt State Bank was voted a generous raise in salary at their annual meeting. We are glad to note this recognition of the valuable services of a worthy and efficient official.

A bunch of young people from Holt attended the masquerade dance at Middle River Friday evening. On the way over the sleigh tipped over causing the ladies considerable fright but nothing serious happened. All however reported a good time.

Try the Coffee at the new Lunch room in Holt. You'll come again.

Chas. W. Latta, Prop.

Willie Rux sustained a very serious accident one day last week. While chopping wood, the ax slipped cutting off three of his toes. A doctor was hastily summoned and a number of stiches were taken. At last reports the young man was resting comfortably and getting along all right.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Company of Holt, Minn. will be held at the Creamery on Saturday the 23rd day of Jan. 1915, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing Officers and to transact any other business that may be brought before said meeting.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y

We have made arrangements with our Dairy and Food Inspector to be here for our Annual Meeting and he will give us a talk on "Quality" and this is a very important subject and I wish you would all turn out and hear him.

Your Buttermaker

Synod Church.

The Holt Ladies' Aid will meet at Mrs. Otto Johnson's Wednesday Feb 3rd.

The Dorcas Sewing Society for the little girls will meet with Mrs. Adolph Sollom at three o'clock Saturday afternoon Jan. 30th.

There will be preaching services at Thief Lake Sunday Jan. 24th at 10-45 There will also be a meeting of the Ladies Aid and members of the church in the basement Jan. 23rd at 2 P. M.

They will be services held in Holt the first Sunday in every month at 10-45 A. M. commencing Feb. 7th. Other services per announcement. Ringo will be included in the first Sunday in every month at 3-30 P. M.

There will be preaching services at Ed. Johnson's place near Golden Valley Jan. 22nd. at 2 o'clock. There will be a meeting of the members after the services.

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One set of light sleighs and one bob with box and springs

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East Valley News

O. B. Johnson delivered stock at Holt Friday.

C. F. Birkeland went to T. R. Falls on Tuesday.

Miss Caroline Johnson spent a part of last week with her sister Mrs. J. Anderson of Rollis, who has been sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Anderson, Bill Anderson and Ole Larson attended the surprise party at H. Knutson's last week.

Inga and Geo. Johnson returned Saturday from St. Hilaire.

Mr. Pechie our mail carrier has found a new mail route, and will travel on the ice in the big ditch the remaining part of the winter.

Josephine and May Jahr, Thea and Olga Johnson, Lillian, Alice, and Eveline Jahr and Norman Rodahl have been present every day since school began last fall. Mildred Jhar and Julia Johnson have been absent two days.

Everett Jefferson had the misfortune of freezing one of his ears last Saturday.

I just received a letter from Mr Geo. L. Austin of Fergus Falls, stating that he will be glad to come up for your Annual Creamery meeting Jan. 23rd and give us a talk on some topic in the Dairy line. Mr. Austin was with us a year ago and also addressed our meeting, and I hope you all will turn out to hear him again which I know will be of benefit to you all.

P. L. Anderson

Mrs. Kuehne and Miss Erickerson were business callers at T. R. Falls Monday returning home the next day.

The Saturday's way freight from the north was so delayed, that it did not arrived in Holt until Sunday. The first Sunday train Holt has had for some time

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Take a Glass of Salts at Once If Your Back Is Hurting or Kidneys and Bladder Trouble You.

The American men and women must guard constantly against Kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water beverage, and belongs in every home, because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney flushing any time.—Adv.

Limited Dissipation.

A small, henpecked little man was about to take an examination for life insurance.

"You don't dissipate, do you?" asked the physician, as he made ready for tests. "Not a fast liver, or anything of that sort?"

The little man hesitated a moment, looked a bit frightened, then replied in a small, piping voice: "I sometimes chew a little gum."—Collier's Weekly.

The Attraction.

Bacon—I understand in many of the Chilean cities women are employed as street car conductors.

Egbert—Now I can understand why men want to crowd the back platforms.

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs"

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

The Hyphen Explained.

Mrs. Dearborn—You say that is Mrs. Burke-Martin?

Mrs. Wabash—Yes; Burke was her name and Martin was her husband's name.

Mrs. Dearborn—But why does she use the hyphen between the names?

Mrs. Wabash—To show that she is separated from her husband.

Alfalfa PUREST ON EARTH

More than 30 years ago Salzer's Catalog boomed Alfalfa, years before other seedsmen thought of its value. Today Salzer excels! His Alfalfa strains include Grimm, (Montana Liscom, Agr. College inspected). Salzer's Dakota Registered No. 30—all hardy as oak.

For 10c in Postage

We gladly mail our Catalog and sample package of Ten Famous Farm Seeds, including Speltz, "The Cereal Wonder;" Rejuvenated White Bonanza Oats, "The Prize Winner;" Billion Dollar Grass; Teosinte, the Silo Filler, Alfalfa, etc., etc.

Or Send 12c

And we will mail you our big Catalog and six generous packages of Early Cabbage, Carrot, Cucumber, Lettuce, Radish, Onion—furnishing lots and lots of juicy delicious Vegetables during the early Spring and Summer.

Or send to John A. Salzer Seed Co., Box 715, La Crosse, Wis., twenty cents and receive both above collections and their big catalog.

The Bore.

"I hate to ask Jinks about his health."

"Why?"

"He promptly tells me all about it."

ITALY ALARMED BY NEW SHOCKS IN QUAKE ZONE

BUILDINGS CRACKED AND TOTTERING FROM EFFECTS OF FIRST DISTURBANCE ARE RAZED.

PEOPLE LEAVE SHELTER; TAKE REFUGE IN OPEN

Rain and Extremely Cold Weather in Some Parts of the District Hamper Badly the Work of Rescue —Many Believed Still Living Beneath Debris.

Still Alive Under Ruins.

Paris, Jan. 18.—The correspondent of the Excelsior in Rome wires that he learns officially that 35,000 persons were killed and 45,000 injured in the earthquake.

Rome, Jan. 19.—A renewal of seismic disturbances has served to add to the terror of the people in parts of the district that was visited by the heavy earthquake of last Wednesday.

Although the shocks were light, buildings which had been cracked and were tottering from the effects of the first disturbance were completely razed.

In Avezzano and Sora, the towns which suffered most from the disaster, the people left the temporary shelter in which they are living and took refuge in the open places.

Cold Hampers Rescue Work.

Rain and extremely cold weather in some parts of the district are hampering badly the work of rescue. This is particularly true of Sora, where a cold rain has been falling.

In many of the towns thrown down by the earthquake, it is feared there are still living persons beneath the debris and that unless they are extricated soon they will perish.

Reports Increase Casualties.

Latest reports received from Rome increase rather than decrease the aggregate of the casualties and the extent of the damage done. In the department of the Abruzzi alone, it is estimated that 30,000 persons met death.

The Italian government has appropriated $1,000,000 for the relief work and King Victor Emmanuel has donated $60,000 for the aid of children abandoned by their parents or made orphans by the disaster. Relief supplies are pouring into the stricken districts, and it is believed that shortly there will be sufficient food supplies everywhere to alleviate temporarily the distress of the people. Trainloads of lumber also are being dispatched to the destroyed towns for the erection of huts.

UNABLE TO REMAIN NEUTRAL

Persia Declares She Should Not Be Held Accountable for Turks' Menacing Russia.

Petrograd, via London, Jan. 18.—That Persia should not be held accountable for her inability to prevent the Turks from menacing Russia through violation of Persian neutrality, was the assertion made by Isaac Khan, Persian minister to Russia and at one time minister to Washington. He declared his country had placed her dependence upon foreign troops for protection. The minister explained th Persian situation as follows:

"We solemnly declared our neutrality and intended to adhere to that declaration. The integrity of our territory was gauaranteed to us by Great Britain and Russia. Last Monday Emperor Nicholas, reiterating this promise, said, 'I wish you to tell your government that we shall not take a single foot of your territory.'"

Germans Take 5,200 Prisoners.

Berlin, by wireless to Sayville, L. I., Jan. 18.—The German main army headquarters announces that as a result of the three days' fighting northeast of Soisoons about 5,200 prisoners, 14 guns, six machine guns and some revolver guns were captured.

"The further announcement is made that the French suffered heavy losses, from 4,000 to 5,000 dead French soldiers being found on the battlefield."

Allies Buy 50,000 Horses.

San Antonio, Texas, Jan. 18.—Fifty thousand horses are to be furnished the British and French governments within six months under a contract just signed by a local firm. The first shipment of not less than 5,000 is to be made by Feb. 1. Of the animals 40,000 are to be saddle horses, while 10,000 are to be for artillery.

Turks to Deliver Persians.

Amsterdam, Holland, via London, Jan. 16.—There has been received here an official communication given out at Constantinople, by the Turkish authorities as follows:

"Assisted by Persian troops our army is steadily advancing in Azerbaijan province, Persia, in order to deliver the country from the Russian yoke.

"We have had further notable success, occupying advanced positions of the Russians in the vicinity of Tabriz.

SOLDIER HAS 50 WOUNDS.

London, Jan. 15.—As many as 1,000 injured soldiers sometimes land in Southampton in one day, declared Dr. Howard N. Beal of Worcester, Mass., chief of the hospital at Paignton, England, established by the American Women's War Relief Fund.

Dr. Beal cited the mortality in the hospitals in the vicinity of Dunkirk, where the worst cases have been taken, as 40 per cent.

Among the injured recently received at the Paignton hospital, he said, was a boy of 19, who had 50 shrapnel wounds in his back and both of whose arms had been cut by fragments of shells.

AVEZZANO LIKE CEMETARY

CITY IS FILLED WITH DEAD AND WOUNDED.

Desperate Appeals for Help Are Heard From Those Under the Wrecked Buildings.

Avezzano, via Rome, Jan. 16.—Avezzano is filled with dead and wounded and wrecked houses. It is like the ruins of a cemetery. Those who escaped the destruction caused by the earthquake went heroically to work to reach those pinned under the fallen walls. They could not seem to understand the delay in dispatching aid to them from Rome and other centers, forgetting that more than 12 hours passed before knowledge of the gravity of the disaster reached the outside authorities.

Nearly all the civic officials of Avezzano perished, including the mayor, the under prefect, the judges, the commander of the caribiniers, parish priests, monks and nuns. The college, with more than a hundred girl students, collapsed. The governor of prisons, jailers and the doctors and patients in the hospitals were carried down in the wreckage. The only notable person who survived was the head of the police, Sig. Ottavi, who, though wounded, has labored since the overthrow to give succor to the injured.

Cry Out for Help.

Desperate appeals for help are heard on all sides from those under wrecked buildings, but the efforts of Ottavi and the few hundred survivors have availed little, for they lacked the implements with which to effect a general rescue. But about fifty persons, all of them wounded, were taken out with great difficulty. They lay without shelter and without their wounds being dressed owing to a lack of medical supplies. Later doctors arrived and operated on some of the injured by the light of blazing torches.

They were taken to the station where they were made as comfortable as possible in trucks.

Assistance came at last from Arsoli and Aquila and large rescuing parties arrived from Rome and Pescara.

Thirty thousand soldiers have been distributed throughout the earthquake district and already large quantities of provisions and clothing together with wood for the construction of huts have arrived.

MILLION ALIENS COME YEARLY

Interesting Figures in the Annual Report of the Commissioner General of Immigration.

Washington, Jan. 16.—"Immigration, judged by the results of the year, has apparently reached the million mark permanently, and unless some affirmative action is taken by the federal government to restrict it, or steps are taken by European and other nations to reduce the steady stream of persons leaving the various countries of the old world, we need hardly expect that the number annually entering the United States will hereafter fall far below 1,000,000."

So says Commissioner General of Immigration Caminetti in his annual report, just made public. Of the number of aliens applying for admission, 33,041, or 2.3 per cent, were excluded, but Mr. Caminetti says many more should be shut out if the laws were reasonably enforced. The funds and men available, he asserts, are wholly insufficient to meet the situation. Arguing for more liberal appropriations, he declares: "Every penny spent for the support of the immigration service comes out of the pockets of the immigrants, and there is now accumulated in the treasury (or ought to be if it has not been used for purposes other than that for which collected) about $10,700,000, some of which should be used to bring about a proper enforcement of the law in the future."

About 48 per cent of all the aliens rejected during the year, or 15,745, were debarred because deemed likely to become public charges. The number excluded because of mental or physical deficiency was 14,582.

British Take African Town.

London, Jan. 18.—The forces of the Union of South Africa have occupied Swakopmund, German Southwest Africa, according to the Pretoria correspondent of Reuters' Telegram company.

England to Hold Up Letters.

London, Jan. 18.—Great Britain has decided to hold up letters destined for countries with which she is at war if they are enclosed in letters being forwarded to neutral countries unless the envelope is unsealed.

"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath, Sour Stomach and constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now.

No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels —you always get the desired results with Cascarets.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets to-night; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All stores sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a cleansing, too. Adv.

FARMERS NEED THE BIRDS

For Purely Selfish Reasons the Destruction of Feathered Songsters Should Be Stopped.

Birds are the chief protectors of our trees. Who ever heard of codling moth and San Jose and other scales when the orchards were full of birds? Now that these feathered helpers have been driven out of wood and field, man is compelled to resort to all sorts of vexatious and difficult struggles against the enemy of fruit and tree.

The birds are the very best destroyers of weeds. Native sparrows, finches, grosbeaks, redpolls, longspurs, cowbirds feed hungrily upon the fall weed seeds at a time when the crops have been gathered and they can do no harm to it.

The best helper a farmer can have is a host of birds. But instead of recognizing these efficient helpers, so generously provided by nature, we wantonly slay them by the hundreds for fun.—Kendallville News-Sun.

SAGE TEA AND SULPHUR DARKENS YOUR GRAY HAIR

Look Years Younger! Try Grandma's Recipe of Sage and Sulphur and Nobody Will Know.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is mussy and troublesome.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy." You will get a large bottle for about 50 cents. Everybody uses this old, famous recipe, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look years younger. Adv.

Magnificent Volume.

The most sumptuous copy of Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" in existence was recently sent from England to a purchaser abroad. The value of the book is between $5,000 and $7,500. It has been reproduced as an illuminated manuscript on vellum, and the volume is notable as being the entire work of one artist, Alberto Sangorski, who was engaged upon it for 18 months. The title is in pearls set in gold, and the cover is embellished with 214 rubies and 36 amethysts.

CARE FOR CHILDREN'S

Hair and Skin With Cuticura. Nothing Easier. Trial Free.

The Soap to cleanse and purify the skin and scalp, the Ointment to soothe and heal rashes, itchings, redness, roughness, dandruff, etc. Nothing better than these fragrant supercreamy emollients for preserving and purifying the skin, scalp and hair.

Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Austria Protects Workers.

In order to prevent the wholesale dismissal of employees of private firms, the Austro-Hungarian ministry of war has directed that army contracts will only be given to those firms who have maintained their staffs at the ordinary full number, and without any reduction in wages. Manufacturers acting in a contrary manner will be rigidly excluded from all further contracts, and they may also expect to have existing contracts canceled.

A gentleman doesn't have to go around assuring people that he is one.

And when the children are at play many are called but few answer.

RUSSIANS TAKE KIRLIBABA PASS IN CARPATHIANS

MUSCOVITES MAKE FURTHER PROGRESS ALONG BANK OF VISTULA TOWARD GERMAN FRONTIER.

BRISK FIGHTING AT POINTS IN THE WEST

French Claim to Have Made Advance Along Coast of Flanders—Attacks and Counter-Attacks Also Prevail in the Region of Arras and Aisne.

London, Jan. 19.—A Petrograd dispatch to the Central News says: An official communication just issued says the Eleventh Turkish army corps has been exterminated near Kara-Urgan.

London, Jan. 19.—While the main Russian army has been busy repelling what Grand Duke Nicholas, in his official report, describes as a series of violent attacks by Field Marshal von Hindenburg to break his way to Warsaw, the other Russian forces have stormed and taken Kirlibaba pass, on the borders of Transylvania, and have made further progress in their advance along the right bank of the Vistula toward the German frontier.

Germans Take Trenches.

The Germans, in force, have delivered seven successive attacks which developed into desperate bayonet fighting on the Russian lines on the left bank of the Vistula and have succeeded in the taking of the Russian advance trenches.

Further south there have been similar attacks, in each case preceded by heavy artillery engagements. The Russians have succeeded in silencing the heavy Austrian guns, which from the banks of the Dunajec have been bombarding the town of Tarnow.

Will Hasten Action.

The capture of Kirlibaba pass, through which roads lead into the heart of Transylvania, is likely to have a political as well as a military effect. It possibly will hasten the action of Roumania and may compel the Germanic allies to send troops for the defense of eastern Hungary.

With the retirement of Count von Berchtold, the former Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, who is said to have favored another expedition against Servia, and because of the greater influence of the Hungarians in the councils of the empire by reason of the appointment of Baron Stephan Burian as the head of the foreign department, the troops which were destined for the Servian operations are likely to be diverted to meet the new Russian threat against Hungary.

Brisk Fighting in West.

In the west, there has been some brisk fighting at many points. The French claim to have made further progress along the coast of Flanders, but not to the extent which they have been credited with by unofficial reports. Attacks and counter attacks have also prevailed in the region of Aras and in the Aisne valley, south of Laon, but apparently without either side making any advances.

The French progress, however, according to their statement, continues east of Rheims and in the Vosges, despite a heavy snow storm. In the Argonne the Germans claim to have improved their position.

An official German statement estimates the losses of the allies since they commenced their offensive, four weeks abo, at 150,000, including 20,000 killed and more than 17,000 prisoners.

Earl Grey, the former governor general of Canada in reviewing a brigade of the Canadian contingent told them they would soon be sent to the front.

Train Hits Buggy; Two Dead.

Minneapolis, Jan. 19.—Within a half hour after they left morning services in the Presbyterian church at Howard Lake, thirty-five miles west of Minneapolis, a family of five were run down by a Great Northern fast train. One child was killed outright, another died on a special train taking her to St. Paul, and a third is dying at St. Joseph's hospital, St. Paul. Both legs of the father, A. D. McLean, a farmer, were broken, and he probably will not survive.

McLean and his children were in a buggy drawn by one horse.

Marine Law Authority Dies.

London, Jan. 19.—The Right Honorable Lord Justice Sir William R. Kennedy died suddenly. He was an authority on marine law. He was born in 1846.

No Peace Prize for 1914.

London, Jan. 19.—The official announcement has reached here that the Nobel committee has decided not to award the peace prize for 1914 and that no decision has been reached regarding 1915.

Rockefeller's Associate Dies.

Holister, Cal., Jan. 19.—L. V. Harkness, an early associate of John D. Rockefeller in the oil business, is dead. He was 64 years old. Mr. Harkness was said to pay the largest income tax west of Chicago.

WOMAN REFUSES OPERATION

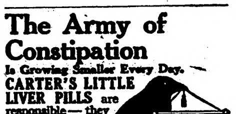
Tells How She Was Saved by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Louisville, Ky.—"I think if more suffering women would take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound they would enjoy better health. I suffered from a female trouble, and the doctors decided I had a tumorous growth and would have to be operated upon, but I refused as I do not believe in operations. I had fainting spells, bloated, and could hardly stand the pain in my left side. My husband insisted that I try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am so thankful I did, for I am now a well woman. I sleep better, do all my housework and take long walks. I never fail to praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for my good health."—Mrs. J. M. RESCH, 1900 West Broadway, Louisville, Ky.

Since we guarantee that all testimonials which we publish are genuine, is it not fair to suppose that if Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has the virtue to help these women it will help any other woman who is suffering in a like manner?

If you are ill do not drag along until an operation is necessary, but at once take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



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Is Growing Smaller Every Day.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are responsible — they not only give relief — they permanently cure Constipation. Millions use them for Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Sallow Skin.

SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.

Genuine must bear Signature

Brent Good

Proof Positive.

Visitor—The dear baby has got its grandmother's nose.

Aggrieved Papa—No, it hasn't, for she was around here this morning poking it into our business.

DON'T ITCH! USE RESINOL

Just put on a little of that soothing, antiseptic resinol ointment and the itching and burning stop at once. Soon all trace of eczema, ringworm, rash, or other tormenting skin trouble is gone. Every druggist sells resinol ointment and resinol soap. Prescribed by doctors for 20 years.—Adv.

Good Advice.

"So you want to be somebody, do you? There's only one way you will ever make a noise in the world."

"What is that?"

"Join a brass band."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use For Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

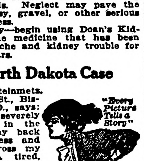
Not Supplying the Two.

The Angry One—For two cents I'd knock your block off!

The Calm One—Well, you won't get your working capital from me.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Close relatives can be very distant if they are rich.


"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Stop That Backache

There's nothing more discouraging than a constant backache. You are lame when you awake. Pains pierce you when you bend or lift. It's hard to rest and next day it's the same old story.

Pain in the back is nature's warning of kidney ills. Neglect may pave the way to dropsy, gravel, or other serious kidney sickness.

Don't delay—begin using Doan's Kidney Pills—the medicine that has been curing backache and kidney trouble for over fifty years.

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. H. Steinmetz, 117 Second St., Bismarck, N. D., says: "I suffered severely from pain in the small of my back with lameness and soreness across my kidneys. A tired, languid feeling clung to me and though I tried almost everything I knew of, I didn't get relief. Finally I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they cured me. I have never had a sign of kidney trouble during the years that have since passed."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

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An Ohio Druggist

Wm. Vogel, 867 May St., Akron, Ohio, writes:

"Through cold and exposure and improper food during the flood, I was taken with appendicitis and acute intestinal catarrh. In June and July my life was despaired of, but recovered sufficiently to be up and around. My bowels seemed paralyzed. Could eat no solid food.

"The first of last December I decided to try Peruna. My appetite improved, and very soon solid foods could be taken. In two months time I gained 18 pounds. Now I am heavier than I ever was before. When I began to use Peruna my bowels commenced to move at once."

Those who object to liquid medicines can now procure Peruna in Tablet form.

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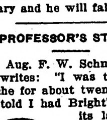
The Better Method.

The deacons of a church were discussing possible ways of ridding themselves of an undesirable pastor who paid no heed to pointed suggestions that his resignation would be acceptable. Finally one of the deacons said:

"If we make a large reduction in his salary it would probably have the effect of making him resign."

"I know a surer way than that," said the other deacon. "Let us double his salary and he will fall dead."

THE PROFESSOR'S STATEMENT.



Prof. Schmitz.

Prof. Aug. F. W. Schmitz, Thomas, Okla., writes: "I was troubled with Backache for about twenty-five years. When told I had Bright's Disease in its last stages, I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. After using two boxes I was somewhat relieved and I stopped the treatment. In the spring of the next year I had another attack. I went for Dodd's Kidney Pills and they relieved me again. I used three boxes. That is now three years ago and my Backache has not returned in its severity, and by using another two boxes a little later on, the pain left altogether and I have had no trouble since. You may use my statement. I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills when and wherever I can." Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

Winter Picnics.

"Do you enjoy winter picnics?"

"Oh, yes, indeed, but they hardly seem like picnics without spiders."

Many a great man is never heard of 20 miles from home.

Rheumatism For Young and Old

The acute agonizing pain of rheumatism is soothed at once by Sloan's Liniment. Do not rub—it penetrates to the sore spot, bringing a comfort not dreamed of until tried. Get a bottle today.

RHEUMATISM

Here What Others Say:

"I highly recommend your Liniment as the best remedy for rheumatism I ever used. Before using it I spent large sums of money trying to get relief of the misery and pains in limbs and body, so I tried your Liniment both internal and external and I found quick relief, and now am well and strong again."—*Geo. Curtis, 225 N. 15th St., Springfield, Ill.*

Here's Proof

"I wish to write and tell you about a fall I had down fourteen steps, and bruised my neck and hip very bad. I could not sleep at all. I sent my wife for a 25 cent bottle of your Liniment and in two days' time I was on my feet again."—*Charles Hyde, 1325½ Prairie Ave., St. Louis, Mo.*

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SUFFRAGE BILL IS FAVORED; SENATE TO HEAR REPORT

MEASURE PROPOSING AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION WINS OUT IN COMMITTEE MEETING.

VOTE IN UPPER HOUSE LIKELY WILL BE CLOSE

Proposition of Senator Peterson of Moorhead for Organic Law Convention Is Defeated—Bjornson Introduces Copy of Peterson Bill in House.

Senate.

Senate met at 10:30 a. m.

Special message from Governor Hammond asking that appointments made by him be confirmed received. Appointments confirmed.

Six bills introduced and referred to committees.

Resolution of Senator John D. Sullivan asking for board of control report on administration of state architect's department, held over from previous day's session, was adopted.

Resolution introduced by Senator R. T. Buckler of Crookston asking that the governor take the leadership in appointing a commission to collect the surplus of the potato crop in several states and forward it to Belgium, held over for debate.

House.

Not in session.

St. Paul, Jan. 18.—The bill proposing an amendment to the constitution giving the elective franchise to women will be reported favorably by the committee on election of the Minnesota senate. A vote has been taken by the committee. Those favoring suffrage were O. A. Lende of Canby, chairman; Frank E. Putnam of Blue Earth; E. P. Peterson of Litchfield; W. A. Campbell of Minneapolis, and Ole O. Sageng of Dalton. Those opposed were A. J. Rockne of Zumbrota and E. B. Collester of Waseca.

Senator Sageng was the author of the bill. It is likely that the committee report will be made to the Senate and that a vote will be taken during the week.

It is difficult now to determine the fate of the measure in the upper house. The vote admittedly will be close. If the bill passes the senate it will encounter serious opposition in the house, but might pass that body with the prestige of senate approval.

Convention Plan Defeated.

At the same meeting the committee voted down the proposition of Senator F. H. Peterson of Moorhead for the enactment of a law submitting to the people the question of calling a constitutional convention to revise the organic act of the state. Those favoring this measure were Lende, Sageng and Campbell. Those opposed were Peterson, Collester, Rockne and Putnam.

Unlike other propositions submitted to the people by the legislature, the measure calling for a vote on the question of holding a constitutional convention requires two-thirds majority in both houses. Constitutional amendments, such as woman's suffrage, can be submitted by a majority vote.

In the house Gunnar B. Bjornson of Minnesota has introduced a copy of the Peterson bill. From sentiment as it exists now the probability of success in that body is very remote.

Auto Bill Out.

The measure introduced by Senator Frank L. Palmer of Minneapolis, Jan. 12, regulating the licensing of automobiles, transfer of licenses, examination of chauffeurs and other measures of interest to automobile owners, was discussed at the meeting of the committee on general legislation. Secretary of State Julius Schmahl furnished additional information regarding the automobile bureau in his office, and several suggestions advanced by him were incorporated in the bill. The bill indorsed by the State Automobile association was reported out of committee favorably and was read a second time.

Two resolutions introduced by Senator John D. Sullivan of St. Cloud at the previous day's session, and held over for debate, were adopted. They called on the board of control to furnish an explanation why, as it was declared, state-produced materials had not been used in the construction of various state buildings. These resolutions are the outcome of considerable agitation on the part of the St. Cloud quarry interests.

Want Road Bill Repealed.

Of the six bills introduced and read for the first time, the most important was that fathered by J. L. Vermilya of Dover, calling for the repeal of the Elwell road bill of 1911.

Following adjournment until 11 a. m. Tuesday, which was taken at 11 a. m., the committee on cities of the first class held their first meeting. It was agreed by members of the committee that when any measure came up for consideration which applied directlb to Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth, the matters will be referred to the delegation of members from that particular city, and the committee will accept their decision in reporting on the measure.

SPEAKER NAMES COMMITTEES

St. Paul, Jan. 16.—H. H. Flowers, newly elected house speaker, has announced his committee appointments.

John Larimore, L. A. Lydiard, Thomas Girling, James Dwyer and John M. Harrison were among the Hennepin members who carried away the important committee chairmanships and other assignment.

The Thirtieth is represented by Edward Condon and Frank Nimocks, and both these men received important committee assignments.

Assignments for Gordon.

Sam. Y. Gordon, Mr. Flowers' opponent, received excellent committee assignments and was made chairman of the very committee he is said to have wanted most. This is the census committee, very important this year because the state is to take a census.

Gunnar Bjorason, chairman of the state Republican committee and powerful in the cause of Mr. Gordan, also was honored by some splendid appointments. He was named chairman of the committee on elections, which it is understood was the committee he most wanted.

In fact, many of the men who signed up with Mr. Gordon and held fast to his cause even when they knew that defeat must be theirs, were surprised at the liberality of the speaker. Some had the idea that because their man lost they would be almost entirely ignored. Farley Dare of Walker, who withstood herculean attempts to get him to cancel his pledge to Mr. Gordon, confessed last night that he looked for little in the way of committee assignments from the victor, but he was assigned to every committee he desired.

Flowers Rewards Supporters.

This is not to say that Mr. Flowers did not first reward the men who stood most loyally by him in his long fight, for he did. But he did not give them everything. It is understood that some of the Gordon men who were practically ignored received this treatment because they became bitterly personal during the speakership fight and said harsh personal words about Mr. Flowers or his chief supporters. Others, it is understood, were ignored, not because they voted against Mr. Flowers, but because the new speaker did not look upon them as men of signal abilities.

L. C. Spooner of Morris is one of the country members who received great honors. Not only is he chairman of the efficiency and economy committee, which is to handle the measure of that name, but he was made chairman of the committee on appropriations.

Sixteen of the fifty-six chairmanships were accorded Gordon supporters.

St. Paul, Jan. 15.—A drastic prohibition bill was introduced in the senate by Senator E. E. Lobeck of Douglas county, one of the state Prohibition leaders.

The bill would prohibit the advertising, manufacture, sale, barter, gift or transportation of alcoholic liquors for purposes of beverage. It applies the same principle of abatement to the traffic that the Wallace-Fosseen law does to resorts.

The bill seeks to make it the duty of the sheriff to watch for violations and place his findings before the county attorney, who must then proceed to abate the nuisance. The owner of property is made liable to a fine of from $150 to $1,000.

The wife, parent or child injured in person or property can recover for damage from intoxication from the liquor dealer.

Persons selling or giving away intoxicating liquors are subject to imprisonment for 90 days under provisions of the bill.

Sponsors Nolan Bill.

Senator W. A. Campbell of Minneapolis sponsored the Nolan bill which reappeared in the senate. By the terms of this measure, power to regulate public service corporations whose franchises have expired is delegated to city councils of any city where such public service corporations operate.

To Make Amending Easier.

St. Paul.—With the purpose of making it less difficult to amend the state constitution, Representative Paul W Guilford of Minneapolis, introduced a resolution in the house providing that proposed constitutional amendments shall be adopted if they have two-thirds of the vote cast on the measure.

To Prevent War Exports.

St. Paul, Jan. 13.—A resolution calling upon congress to take more rigid measures to prevent the exportation of arms and ammunition to the warring nations of Europe will be introduced in the house of representatives by Representative J. H. Hynes of St. Paul.

"The resolution will urge congress to use every means to bring about a cessation of hostilities" said Representative Hynes.

Will Study Every Bill.

Minneapolis, Jan 13.—Every bill introduced in the legislature this winter will be carefully studied by members of the legislative committee of the Civic and Commerce association in order that its effect on Minneapolis may be determined. The committee held its first meeting at the Athletic club. Particular attention will be paid to bills which affect Minneapolis directly. There will be bills dealing with changes in building restrictions that the committee will have drafted

TEUTONS CLEAR BANK OF AISNE; TAKE 6 TOWNS

INFLICT HEAVY LOSSES ON THE FRENCH IN REGION OF SOISSONS—PARIS WAR OFFICE IS SILENT.

HUNDREDS ARE KILLED WHILE CROSSING RIVER

As French Troops Retreated Across Swollen Stream They Were Continually Under Fire of German Guns—Both Banks Lined With Bodies.

London, Jan. 18.—The German war office's claim that the kaiser's troops have entirely cleared the north bank of the River Aisne, in the region of Soissons, of French troops, capturing six towns formerly occupied by the French and inflicting heavy losses, has been met by the Paris war office with silence. The French statement simply says there is nothing of importance to report.

That the check suffered by the French troops in the battle of Soissons is important is admitted here by British military critics, though all agree they cannot determine the object of the German drive except as it furnishes a diversion, relieving the pressure in Flanders and in Alsace.

French Lines Imperilled.

The violent German attack, conducted under the direction of the kaiser and the German general staff by General von Kluck, is easily the most striking news from the western theater.

Strong re-enforcements, drawn from the right and left flanks of the German center army, combined with the intervention of the flood stage of the River Aisne, which imperilled the lines of communication of the French, preventing them from bringing up added forces to meet the increased superior strength of the invaders, made possible the German success, say British students of the progress of the revival of the Aisne battle.

Dead Fall Into River.

The German statement asserts that by continuous fighting they were able to take the towns of Cuffies, Crouy, Bucy-le-Long, Missy, Vauxret and Vallerie, all to the north and northeast of Soissons. These captures indicate that the French were driven in order from one after another of all their positions on the three roads leading to the north from Soissons and from the river road which parallels the Aisne.

As the French retreated across the swollen Aisne they were continually under the fire of the German guns and the crossing, perilous at best, owing to the rushing torrent which carried bridges and trees before it, was doubly disastrous. Hundreds of dead fell into the river and were carried down the stream. Both banks were lined with the bodies of French soldiers.

It will take weeks for the French to repair the loss of the bridges, even if they are able to hold the Germans to the north bank of the stream.

Germans Take Trenches.

London, Jan. 19.—While the main Russian army has been busy repelling what Grand Duke Nicholas, in his official report, describes as a series of violent attacks by Field Marshal von Hindenburg to break his way to Warsaw, the other Russian forces have stormed and taken Kirlibaba pass, on the borders of Transylvania, and have made further progress in their advance along the right bank of the Vistula toward the German frontier.

The Germans, in force, have delivered seven successive attacks which developed into desperate bayonet fighting on the Russian lines on the left bank of the Vistula and have succeeded in the taking of the Russian advance trenches.

Further south there have been similar attacks, in each case preceded by heavy artillery engagements. The Russians have succeeded in silencing the heavy Austrian guns, which from the banks of the Dunajec have been bombarding the town of Tarnow.

Will Hasten Action.

The capture of Kirlibaba pass, through which roads lead into the heart of Transylvania, is likely to have a political as well as a military effect. It possibly will hasten the action of Roumania and may compel the Germanic allies to send troops for the defense of eastern Hungary.

Marine-Law Authority Dies.

London, Jan. 18.—The Right Honorable Lord Justice Sir William R. Kennedy died suddenly. He was an authority on marine law. He was born in 1846.

River Seine Overflows.

Paris, Jan. 18.—The River Seine is rising rapidly. At Troyes it already is out of its banks and passenger boat service has temporarily suspended. At various places the tributaries are out of their banks.

English Boats Collide.

Madrid, via Paris, Jan. 18.—A dispatch from Cape Finistere says the Britishsteamers Massilia and Funoeh collided in a fog. The Funoeh sank, but the Massilia rescued all her crew and continued on to Gibraltar.

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Young Wife Had Done Her Best, But Probably the Cook Book Was at Fault.

Reginald loved his wife tenderly and devotedly, but he had to acknowledge in the inmost recesses of his heart that the hand that wielded the powder puff lost its art in the pudding basin.

"What pudding would you like tonight, love?" she cooed at breakfast time.

"Oh, anything!" he whispered desperately.

"Anything?" she reiterated in a pained tone.

"Well, you know, old girl; anything light—only don't tire yourself out."

"You shall have your favorite—custard, dear," she promised.

Toward seven o'clock Reginald returned, but the sound of weeping and gnashing of teeth greeted his trained ear.

"Whatever is it, my dear girl?" he implored, as he rushed into the kitchen.

"O-o-o-oh!" she sniveled on his waistcoat, "I've been making you custards all the afternoon and—"

"And what, pet?"

"They all t-t-turned out sponge cakes!"

Parson Knew Better.

Uncle Jim Sugarfoot killed a fine rabbit for the entertainment of Parson Heavegrace, who was expected to dinner, but as rabbits were out of season he thought to avoid what might prove an embarrassing situation by making the parson think it was chicken he was eating.

"Brother Heavegrace," said Uncle Jim, when it came time for a second helping, "what part of de bird would you like now?"

With a merry twinkle in his half-closed eyes, Parson Heavegrace replied:

"If you all don' mind, Ah think Ah'll take de gizzard."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

The wideawake man doesn't wait for opportunity to knock at his door; he meets her at the gate.

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Caused by Coffee

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Woman Royalties Made Army Officers.

For the first time in English history four royal women have been gazetted as colonels in chief of English regiments.

Heretofore several of them, including Queen Mary herself, have held German army titles, and Queen Victoria naturally was the head of the British army, but now Queen Mary has been appointed colonel in chief of the Eighteenth Hussars of historic fame, while the Queen Mother Alexandra is associated with the Nineteenth Hussars.

If One's Sufficient, Why Proceed?

"A word to the wise is sufficient, and—" began the village bore.

"Then let it go at that," snarled J. Fuller Gloom, who is blessed with a mean disposition.

The Chances.

"Do you think the chances of the hobble skirt are promising?"

"I think they are very slim."

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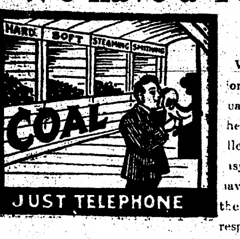

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Iver Engerbretsen went to Middle River Wednesday on business.

There will be a dance in the Star hall Jan. 30, so we understand.

Guy Anderson, the faithful mail carrier has a dandy sleigh to convey him over his route this winter. It is enclosed and affords a fine protection from the wind and storms.

Svenke Svenkeson went to T. R. Falls on business, Tuesday.

The restaurant has blossomed out with a new sign and it is a dandy. Mr. Nelson has an eye for business and will undoubtedly succeed.

Send The News to your friends and a dollar for your own at the same time.

Little Lola Huseth accidentally fell head long down an open cellar-way one day last week, striking her head severely and nearly breaking her leg. We are glad to report no bones were broken, and that she has fully recovered from the shock. We advise Lola not to repeat the stunt as it may prove disasterous next time.

Master Kenneth Latta is suffering from a severe burn on the face. The News hopes he will soon recover and that his face may be free from any scars.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Huseth and family Mrs. Bray and son Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Young were entertain at the B. Docken home Sunday evening. Aftea enjoying a most delicious ssread, the evening was pleasantly spent in music and conversation.

Caal Christoferson was in T. R. Falls and Warren a couple of days this week on business.

A new game law that should be passed by all states would contain the following: "Book agents may be shot between October 1 and September 1; spring poets from March 1 to June 1. automobile speed demons from January 1 to January 1 road hogs from April 15 to April 15; amatuer hunters from September 1 to February 1 war talkers—no closed season: Any man who accepts a paper for two years and then, when the bill is prisented, says, 'I never ordered it'' may be killed on sight be buried face downward in quick lime so as to destroy the germs and prevent the spread of the infection. —Ex.

A new whist club has been organized, which meets Wednesday evenings in the Star hall.

Jno. Stanley came from T. R. Falls Saturday to visit at the J. B. Alkenbrack home.

The committee having in charge the taking of the census, found that Holt had 205 inhabitants, so a petition asking that the town be incorporated was circulated and will be presented to the county board to act upon at an early date.

Fridjof Risberg went to T. R Falls for medical advice Tuesday.

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Southeast of Holt.

The Ladie's Aid of the Free church had their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. T. Olson last Thursday and the following officers were elected President, Mrs. Andrew Joppru Vice Pres. Miss Gunvor Skomedal Treasurer, Mrs. Edward Hanson.

A number of young people spent Sunday at the home of S. G. Moe. Those present were the Misses Ida Anderson and Olga an[illegible] Klungness and the Misses Targie Sordahl Ludvic Olsen, Martin Anderson and Alfred Klungnessr

Miss Ida Guttrud is working at the hotel in Holt.

Mr and Mrs. G. A. Soiney spent Sunday P. M. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Gunderson, Carl Guttrud, Albert Klungness and Fred Peterson visited at the Nels Sordahl home Sunday.

Arne Sordahl made a business trip to Warren the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G Moe and son Arthur, spent Sunday and Monday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs Clarence Larson and Mrs. K. Knutson.

Silas Torgerson made a business trip to Viking last week.

Mr. Cairns was here from Crookston Monday.

Mrs. Carl Newton was taken suddenly sick about 1 o'clock Thursday P. M. and is very critically ill.

Ernest Kuehne cut his wrist quite seriously Thursday afternoon.

The school board served notice on C. M. Wilson Monday, to tear down some of his work on the school house and build it according to contract. The matter was finally patched up and the board put Mr. Boyce, the forman, in charge of the completion of the school house.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM LAND

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Co. Supt. Johnson visited the Holt public school Wednesday.

Carl Newton our popular black smith, went to Crookston Wednesday on business.

Miss Johnson, who has been visiting at the home of her uncle A. Bjerk, returned to St. Hilaire Wednesday.

Mrs. Adolph Sollom and Mrs. B. L. Backe were guests at the Ole Rierson home Friday.

Mrs. Chas. A. Holmgren of Golden Valley is on the sick list.

Racine Olson was a business visitor at Warren Friday and Saturday.

D. B. Bakke of T. R. Falls came on business Tuesday, returning home the same day.

Miss Mabel Christenson returned to her home near Mud Lake Monday.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Jan 12, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that William E. Rude of Holt, Minnesota who on June 20th, 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 06812, for Lots 11 12 13 14 Section 1, Twp. 155 N, Range 42 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 15th day of Feb. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Allen Adolphson, Alfred Hanson, Nels Gudvangen and John M. Jahr all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.28
Wheat No. 2	1.24
Wheat No. 3	1.22
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THE RURAL CHURCH

THE FARMERS THE CUSTODIANS OF THE NATION'S MORALITY

Co-operation of Church, School and Press Essential to Community Building.

By Peter Radford
Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

The church, the press and the school form a triple alliance of progress that guides the destiny of every community, state and nation. Without them civilization would wither and die and through them life may attain its greatest blessing, power and knowledge. The farmers of this nation are greatly indebted to this social triumvirate for their uplifting influence, and on behalf of the American plowmen I want to thank those engaged in these high callings for their able and efficient service, and I shall offer to the press a series of articles on co-operation between these important influences and the farmers in the hope of increasing the efficiency of all by mutual understanding and organized effort. We will take up, first, the rural church.

The Farmers Are Great Church Builders.

The American farmer is the greatest church builder the world has ever known. He is the custodian of the nation's morality; upon his shoulders rests the "ark of the covenant" and he is more responsive to religious influences than any other class of citizenship.

The farmers of this nation have built 120,000 churches at a cost of $750,000,000, and the annual contribution of the nation toward all church institutions approximates $200,000,000 per annum. The farmers of the United States build 22 churches per day. There are 20,000,000 rural church communicants on the farm, and [illegible] per cent of the total membership of all churches reside in the country.

The farm is the power-house of all progress and the birthplace of all that is noble. The Garden of Eden was in the country and the man who would get close to God must first get close to nature.

The Function of a Rural Church.

If the rural churches today are going to render a service which this age demands, there must be co-operation between the religious, social and economic life of the community.

The church to attain its fullest measure of success must enrich the lives of the people in the community it serves; it must build character; develop thought and increase the efficiency of human life. It must serve the social, business and intellectual, as well as the spiritual and moral side of life. If religion does not make a man more capable, more useful and more just, what good is it? We want a practical religion, one we can live by and farm by, as well as die by.

Fewer and Better Churches.

Blessed is that rural community which has but one place of worship. While competition is the life of trade, it is death to the rural church and moral starvation to the community. Petty sectarianism is a scourge that blights the life, and the church prejudice saps the vitality, of many communities. An over-churched community is a crime against religion, a serious handicap to society and a useless tax upon agriculture.

While denominations are essential and church pride commendable, the high teaching of universal Christianity must prevail if the rural church is to fulfill its mission to agriculture.

We frequently have three or four churches in a community which is not able to adequately support one. Small congregations attend services once a month and all fail to perform the religious functions of the community. The division of religious forces and the breaking into fragments of moral efforts is ofttimes little less than a calamity and defeats the very purpose they seek to promote.

The evils of too many churches can be minimized by co-operation. The social and economic life of a rural community are respective units and cannot be successfully divided by denominational lines, and the churches can only occupy this important field by co-operation and co-ordination.

The efficient country church will definitely serve its community by leading in all worthy efforts at community building, in uniting the people in all co-operative endeavors for the general welfare of the community and in arousing a real love for country life and loyalty to the country home and these results can only be successfully accomplished by the united effort of the press, the school, the church and organized farmers

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Where Did Money Go A Month Ago?

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February 1st 1915

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Local Items

Ernest Kuehne went to T. R. Falls Friday.

Are you boosting for Holt and the country round about.

Forty-two below Wednesday at 7 A. M. Thats some winter.

E. M. Silbaugh was in T. R. Falls a couple of days last week.

Try the Coffee at the new Lunch room in Holt. You'll come again.
Chas. W. Latta, Prop.

L. S. Kolden of Nielsville came Monday for a short visit with relatives here.

Dance postponed until Feb. 6th, account conflicting dates. Star hall, everybody invited.

Alfred Newton of McIntosh accompanied his brother Carl home Friday for a short visit.

Clarence Kolden was the first to solve Sollom Bros.' puzzle and receive a fine pair of shoes as the prize.

E. T. Eide of Spooner was here a couple of days this week, visiting relatives and looking after business.

If you want to sell your land this year, now is the proper time to list it with Chas. W. Latta, Holt, Minn.

Mrs. Peterson of McIntosh was called here Thursday evening by the illness of her sister Mrs. Carl Newton.

Ole Backland drove to Golden Valley last Saturday with the doctor who was called to see Mrs. Chas. Holmgren.

Miss Annie Newton of McIntosh came Thursday evening and re[illegible] Newton home.

Don't forget that good coffee you used to drink at Huseth's. We are serving the same kind now. Try a cup. A. H. Huseth.

The state road engineer, Oswald Lind, was here three days last week, surveying the state road between here and Middle River. We understand this road will be graded next spring and put in good condition for travel.

All of the old officers were reelected at the annual creamery meeting as follows: Sec'y, T. B. Folden; Treas., Nels Engebretson; Directors, Louis Wegge, Theo. Sorum and H. A. Fosholm. Their annual report is in another column.

Who sells land? Why thats easy BILL the Holt Realty Co. does, so if you want to sell your land list it with them. We are well prepared to do some extensive advertising and can no doubt bring you a buyer. Office in Holt State Bank.

Holt Public School Notes

Those perfect in attendance for month ending Jan. 22nd, are: Gladys Ellestad, Ida Hagglund and Inez Alkenbrack.

Average in Spelling for Month

A Class	Inez Alkenbrack	100
B Class	Rosie Heinze	90
C Class	Gladys Ellestad	100

Fridjof Risberg is absent on account of illness.

A candy party was given last Friday afternoon from three to four in honor of the "Winners" in the spelling contest. All had a good time. The "Loosers" say they will study up and be the "Winners" next time. Let us hope so!

Let us hope for a better attendance next month. Pupil being absent from school must bring a written excuse from Parent.

"Character is what you are; reputation, its what people think you are."

Synod Church.

The Holt Ladies' Aid will meet at Mrs. Otto Johnson's Wednesday Feb 3rd.

The Dorcas Sewing Society for the little girls will meet with Mrs. Adolph Sollom at three o'clock Saturday afternoon Jan. 30th.

There will be services held in Holt the first Sunday in every month at 10-45 A. M. commencing Feb. 7th. Other services per announcement. Ringo will be included in the first Sunday in every month at 3-30 P. M.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Rev. A. L. Larson, of T. R. Falls, will preach at 11 o'clock A. M. Sunday Jan. 31st. Everyone welcomed.

Ole Moen will preach at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and at 8 in the evening of Sunday Feb. 7th. A part of each service will be in English and an effort will be made to have some English songs. Everybody come and help to have good meetings. Come.

For Sale

One set of light sleighs and one bob with box and springs.
Guy Anderson, Holt.

For Sale

A 650 lb. capacity U. S. Cream Seperator as good as new. Would sell for $25.00 cash or trade for feed.
Nels Gudvangen

Auction Sale!

Public sale 8 miles east and two south of Holt, commencing at 11 o'clock Wednesday Feb. 3rd. Horses, Cows, Chickens, Machinery (some good as new inc' Sleds,) Fence Posts, Etc. Francis D. Bricker, Prop.

East Valley News

J. M. Jahr visited school Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. H. Knutson returned from Grand Forks last Thursday.

Roy and Murnet Eggum have been staying at A. C. Jahr the past week.

Thomas Anderson went to Crookston Friday to consult the doctor.

Mrs. O. Eggum returned from Fergus Falls Saturday.

May Jahr had the misfortune of spraining her ankle one day last week.

Messrs Flaknes, Nordbeck, and Gabrielson called on O. Rodahl Sunday.

The Zion Ladies' Aid will hold its annual sale at Olaves Rodahl, Wednesday, Feb 17th, beginning at 1 o'clock P. M. There will be a parcel post sale in connection with it. Ladies are requested to bring a parcel and a lunch for two. Everybody welcome.

Mrs A C Jahr called on Mrs. O. Eggum Sunday

Ed Monson returned to Randen Tuesday after a couple of weeks work hauling sand for the new buildings which will be erected on Ole Estby's farm next spring.

Legal Notice.

To R[illegible] Berkett:

You are hereby notified to appear before Justice John Clark, in the village of Middle River, Minn., at 2 o'clock P. M. on Saturday Feb. 20, 1915 and show cause, if any, why a certain bill for board Jue Sam Mickelson of Holt, Minn., shall not be paid. You are further notified that if you fail to appear that judgement will be entered against you.

John Clark, J. P.
Sam Mickelson, Claimant

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STATE NEWS

Resume of Important Happenings of Past Few Days.

INDEPENDENTS GAIN POINT

Sixty-three State Companies Gain Admission to Association Over Old Members' Protest.

Minneapolis. — Independent telephone companies of Minnesota favoring conciliation and co-operation with the American Telephone & Telegraph company, led by J. H. Shoemaker of Cedar Falls, Iowa, "public relations engineer" for the Northwestern Telephone Exchange company, have gained their point after a stormy session of the Minnesota Independent Telephone association at the Dyckman Hotel.

The state association is a branch of the Independent Telephone Association of America. Sixty-three state companies desirous of harmonious physical connections with the Bell system and who had formed a new organization called the Minnesota Telephone association last September, secured admission to the Minnesota Independent Telephone association at the end of sharp and prolonged discussion.

A distinct split between the applying companies and members of the old association was visible and the new concerns were admitted only after bitter argument. Action on each application was begun, but later the rules were waived as midnight approached and the entire group was allowed entrance. On the voting in of eighteen other companies of the state the number of members reached 153.

"This association has been the football of the Northwestern and the Tri-State companies," Dr. A. R. Gates, phone company proprietor of Kenyon, charged. "The Bell has been in control in the past and the Tri-State people are 'in' now. The Tri-State officers are here engineering every move of the convention now."

Tri-State officials present declared that the Bell people were working under cover to crush competition and had induced the sixty-three new applications to create dissension in the Independent association to their own advantage.

In an address before the Independent Telephone Association of America C. B. Randall of St. Paul, secretary of the Tri-State Telephone & Telegraph company, denounced the Bell system for the alleged violation of their pledge to the United States department of justice in December, 1913.

That the Bell system endeavors only to promote peaceful and fair relations between themselves, the public and the independent companies, was the statement of Mr. Shoemaker. He announced himself in favor of state regulation.

R. R. COLLISION IS DUE TO FOG

Engineer Hurt When Minneapolis and St. Louis Train Hits Caboose Near Hartland, Minn.

Albert Lea.—Owing to a dense fog northbound passenger No. 7 on the Minneapolis & St. Louis road leaving Albert Lea at 5 a. m. overtook a freight train one mile south of Hartland, crashing into a caboose.

A telephone message to this city reported that Fred Hefter of Minneapolis, engineer on No. 7, was slightly injured by jumping.

The caboose was thrown from the track and it was necessary to pull it over the embankment to open traffic. Trains were delayed three hours. Other than a shaking up, no passengers were injured.

New Bishop of St. Cloud.

St. Cloud.—Rt. Rev. Joseph F. Busch of Lead, S. D., has been appointed bishop of the St. Cloud diocese of the Catholic church to succeed Bishop Trobec. who has resigned and will retire from active church work. The new bishop is 50 years old and was born in Red Wing where his mother still lives. He has been bishop of Lead since 1910 and is a noted pulpit orator.

Belle Plaine's First Resident Dies.

Belle Plaine.—Mrs. R. A. Irwin, Belle Plaine's earliest resident, died here at the age of 77. She was a daughter of the late Judge Chatfield, and came with her parents, from New York to Belle Plaine in the winter of 1853, and resided here continuously since. Her marriage to R. A. Irwin in 1856 was the first marriage celebrated in Belle Plaine. Her husband died in 1891.

Granted Divorce at Train.

St. Cloud.—Court work en route is a new system that has been successfully attempted by Judge John A. Roeser. While returning from Long Prairie the judge was met at Sauk Center by the plaintiff in the case of Parker vs. Parker, a divorce case. Evidence was taken showing that Mrs. Parker had eloped with another man some time ago and evidently had no intentions of returning to live with her husband. The divorce was granted as the conductor called "all aboard."

NEW POSTOFFICE IS OPENED

Minneapolis Building, Begun Three Years Ago, Is Now Ready for Business.

Minneapolis.—Thousands of Minneapolitans have begun using their new $1,250,000 postoffice. Although a few treaded their way through the 22 Corinthian columns that ornament the main entrance on Third avenue south, the vast majority of those who visited the structure passed through the doors on the Washington avenue south side. This arrangement made the utilitarian design of the building seem somewhat askew. In spite of the wide publicity given the opening of the new building, patrons flocked to the old building at an average of 50 every ten minutes.

When the last employe left the old postoffice at Third street and Marquette avenue, boards were nailed across windows and letter chutes bearing this scribbled message:

"Do your mailing in the street letter boxes; this office is closed."

Such was the obituary of the old postoffice after a quarter century of service.

The final detail of moving was completed when seven vanloads of supplies valued at $800,000, were transferred to the steel room of the new building under armed escort. Ballasted with firearms that they had taken from under their pillows or borrowed from neighbors, six officials guarded the treasure on its trip. The gun toters were Charles W. Kerr, assistant postmaster; W. S. Marles, inspector; John Wesley, cashier, and Edward Murnane, Joseph Carter and C. J. Hammer, assistant to the cashier. The hour of departure had been kept secret so that only the half dozen knew of the plans.

The first load consisted of stamps in denominations of 1 cent to $1 and the cargo was appraised at $500,000. Six loads after that were valued at $300,000. The transfer was made and the supplies placed under bolt and lock without mishap.

READS NEWS OF OWN DEATH

Railroad Engineer Upsets Arrangements for Funeral for Second Time —Listed Among Killed.

Minneapolis, Jan. 22.—For the second time in his life Sidney J. Benjamin, a Minneapolis railroad engineer, who lives at 730 East Franklin avenue, has read the story of his own death in a daily newspaper. And for the second time he upset the arrangements made for his funeral.

The first time was on Jan. 5, 1904, when he was in a railroad wreck near Kansas City. He was listed among the killed in the early editions of the Kansas City papers. He arrived there on the relief train to find that he was supposed to be dead. He was living in Kansas City at the time.

Later a letter, written at Wichita Falls, was received saying that the doctors there had ordered Mr. Benjamin to be brought back North at once, as he could not stand the southern climate. Neuritis was the ailment. The family here was then undecided as to whether he was dead or whether they were bringing him back according to the orders of the physicians.

STARTING IN AGRICULTURE

United States Is Only a Beginner in Farm Education, Says Federal Department Secretary.

Minneapolis, Jan. 20.—"The United States is just getting started in agriculture and in agricultural education and if every farmer worked his land as well on the average as the best of them do now, it would work an industrial revolution." This was the message of the United States secretary of Agriculture to members of the Civic and Commerce association at a dinner given for him at Donaldson's tea rooms.

David Franklin Houston, Mr. Wilson's cabinet member who saw and was seen by Minneapolis, learned to believe what added confidence some of the things which were said about the city a year ago when its citizens were pleading before him for a federal reserve bank. He left convinced that this city really is "the center of the surrounding country."

State Dairymen Elect Officers.

Owatonna.—The State Dairymen's association has elected Chris Heen, Osakis, president; F. D. Currier, Nicollet, secretary, and J. M. Jack, Northfield, treasurer.

Resolutions pledging the support of the association to the National Dairy union were adopted.

"The corn show was one of the best for quality of corn ever held in the state," said C. P. Bull of St. Paul, who judged the show.

Sweepstakes prizes for the ten ear corn samples went to C. L. Blanchard of Sherburne. Sweepstakes for a single ear went to H. P. Hanson, Albert Lea.

Steele county corn won about one-third of the prize money.

The thoroughbred Holstein bull calf given by Representative George M. Flynn was awarded to Malcolm Lonergan of Berlin.

High School Students to Compete.

Red Wing.—On Feb. 26, three students of the Red Wing high school will compete with the same number of students from each of the schools of Rochester and Hastings for honors in presenting declamations, orations and humorous readings. The event will be held at the gymnasium of the Industrial building. Three expert out-of-town judges will preside No prizes will be awarded. It is not known just how the three participants will be chosen to represent the local schools.

U. S. DEFENDS ITS ATTITUDE AS TO NEUTRALITY ACTS

DOCUMENT PREPARED BY WILSON, SECRETARY BRYAN AND COUNSELLOR LANSING MADE PUBLIC.

DENIES UNFAIRNESS TO TEUTON ALLIES

Declares It Is the Business of a Belligerent Operating on the High Seas, Not Duty of a Neutral, to Prevent Contraband Reaching Foe.

Washington, Jan. 26.—The United States government has issued a lengthy defense of its interpretation of the rights and duties of a neutral in the European war.

A document 5,000 words long prepared by President Wilson, Secretary Bryan and Counsellor Robert Lansing, of the State Department, after several days of consultation was made public in the form of a letter from the Secretary of State to Senator Stone of Missouri, chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations.

Not Unfair to Teutons.

While the letter is a reply to an inquiry from Senator Stone for information as a result of a complaint made in the press and in letters from various parts of the country charging the Washington government with unfairness to Germany and Austria, it also is intended as a pronouncement of policy of some questions of neutrality previously unexplained.

After answering 19 separate and and specific charges and calling attention to the fact that the United States has promptly taken to task Great Britain as well as Germany, and every government which in any way infringed on the rights of this country, the letter concludes with the following declaration of the much discussed question of the exportation of war munitions:

Naval Power Inferior.

"If any American citizens, partisans of Germany and Austria-Hungary, feel that this administration is acting in a way injurious to the cause of those countries, this feeling results from the fact that on the high seas the German and Austro-Hungarian naval power is thus far inferior to the British. It is the business of a belligerent operating on the high seas, not the duty of a neutral, to prevent contraband from reaching an enemy. Those in this country who sympathize with Germany and Austria-Hungary appear to assume that some obligation rests on this government, in the performance of its neutral duties, to prevent all trade in contraband, and thus to equalize the difference due to the naval strength of the belligerent. No such obligation exists; it would be an unneutral act, an act of partiality on the part of this government, to adopt such a policy, if the executive had the power to do so.

Markets Open to All.

"If Germany and Austria-Hungary cannot import contraband from this country, it is not, because of this fact, the duty of the United States to close its markets to the allies. The markets of this country are open on equal terms to all the world, to every nation, belligerent or neutral."

$1,000,000 MART IN NEW YORK

Great Terminal to Be Erected by New York Central Railroad for Distributing Foodstuffs.

New York, Jan. 26.—A great market terminal costing $1,000,000, the first of a dozen or more planned for receiving and distributing foodstuffs in New York City with a view to reducing the high cost of living, will be erected here by the New York Central Railroad company. The project was announced by John J. Dillon, commissioner of the new state department of foods and markets.

Under Commissioner Dillon's plan this and other similar market terminals will be leased by the co-operative companies organized and conducted under rules laid down by his department. The profits of these companies will be limited to 6 per cent a year.

whole city block. t

This first terminal will cover a whole city block. Train loads of perishable farm products will enter there and discharge their loads directly into distributing wagons.

Country's Oldest Sculptor Dies.

Boston, Jan. 26.—Anne Whitney, said to have been the oldest sculptor in this country, died at the age of 93 years.

Five Killed by Blast.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 26.—Three engineers were killed and five others injured at the British Columbia Transport company's quarry, Pitt River, 20 miles from here. A blast so shook the four acres of ground on which the company's wharf and machinery stood, that they slid off the banks into the river. More than a score of men were caught. Three still are missing. Where the company's office formerly stood is now more than 30 feet of water.

SYRUP OF FIGS FOR A CHILD'S BOWELS

It is cruel to force nauseating, harsh physic into a sick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on — castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Adv.

Claim Prophecy Fulfilled.

A conference of Bible students held recently at Keswick, N. J., revived an ancient prophecy concerning Egypt, the literal fulfillment of which, they asserted, has been borne out in history. The prophecy is found in Ezekiel 29:13-15 and 30:13. Part of it reads as follows: "It shall be the basest of kingdoms, neither shall it exalt itself any more above the nations, for I shall diminish them that they shall no more rule over the nations . . . and there shall be no more a prince of the land of Egypt; and I will put a fear in the land of Egypt." Since this prophecy was written, said one of the speakers, Egypt has been ruled by the Babylonians, the Romans and the Turks, and now it has passed under the absolute sway of England. Yet Egypt once was the greatest and richest of the world's nations.

A GLASS OF SALTS WILL END KIDNEY-BACKACHE

Says Drugs Excite Kidneys and Recommends Only Salts, Particularly If Bladder Bothers You.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.—Adv.

It's an Ill Wind, Etc.

"Poor Mr. Hennypeck!" exclaimed Brownson, sympathetically. "It wasn't enough that his wife should own and operate him, body and soul, Mrs. Hennypeck has now joined the suffragettes."

"Don't breathe a word," replied Smithson, "but Hennypeck is tickled to death. His wife speaks at all the outdoor meetings and is so hoarse when she gets home that she can't raise her voice above a whisper."—Puck.

HOW TO HEAL THAT RAW, ITCHING, SCALY SKIN

If you are suffering with eczema, ringworm, rash or similar tormenting skin disease, try resinol ointment and resinol soap. You will be surprised how quickly the itching stops and the skin becomes clear and healthy again. Prescribed by doctors for 20 years. All druggists sell resinol oinment (50c and $1.00), and resinol soap (25c).—Adv.

American Indians.

There are about 125,000 Indians in the Dominion of Canada. In the United States the Indians number 305,000, more than a third of them being in the state of Oklahoma.

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Some persons never miss the water 'till the booze gives out.

TEUTON AIRMEN DROP BOMBS ON DUNKIRK, FRANCE

KILL SIX AND INJURE FOURTEEN OTHERS—FRENCH AND BRITISH CHASE GERMAN AEROPLANES.

ZEPPELIN REPORTED LOST IN NORTH SEA

Dutch Fishermen Assert They Saw Large Airship Founder, but Were Unable to Assist the Aircraft—British Airman Hurls Explosives on Bruges.

Paris, Jan. 25.—A semi-official note just issued says that a number of German aviators attacked Dunkirk, throwing eighty bombs. The victims numbered twenty, six ofw hom are dead. A large warehouse was set afire by one of the bombs.

French and English aviators, who chased the German aeroplanes, brought down one at Bray-Dunes, on the Belgian frontier. Its two occupants were made prisoners.

Kill Two German Aviators.

London, Jan. 25.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Havre, in his report on the aeroplane attack on Dunkirk, says:

"Several German aeroplanes dropped bombs on Dunkirk. One of them was brought down at Great Dunes, between Dunkirk and Furnes, and the two German airmen this machine contained were killed. Then unexploded bombs still were attached to the aeroplane."

Drops Bombs on Bruges.

Amsterdam, via London, Jan. 25.—A British airman dropped bombs on the important Bruges, Belgium, docks, according to news which has reached here. The result of the attack is not yet known. The aviator escaped unhurt, although he was attacked by the Germans.

Zeppelin Flies Over Ostend.

Dover, via London, Jan. 25.—It is reported here that a Zeppelin was seen over Ostend.

Zeppelin Lost in North Sea.

London, Jan. 25.—Dutch fishermen arriving at Noordwijk, Holland, asserted that they saw a large airship men, dispatches add, were unable to assist the aircraft. The description of the vessels given by the men indicates that it was a Zeppelin. Noordwijk is a watering place of The Netherlands, seven miles northwest of Leyden.

London, Jan. 25.—Although the reports of another Zeppelin raid on England seem to have been false there has been a striking renewal of aerial activity on the continent. The Germans have raided Dunkirk in force and British airmen launched an attack upon Bruges.

The German raid on Dunkirk resulted in considerable loss of life and damage to property. One account says ten aeroplanes took part in it. British aeroplanes assumed the defensive and succeeded in bringing down one of the visitors.

Other Raids Expected.

This method of defense is regarded by English experts as more likely to prove effective than the anti-air craft guns with which the defenses of Dunkirk bristle. It is believed here that the British raid on Bruges will be followed up by other attacks, as the Bruges docks are the head of the Zeebrugge ship canal system, which the Germans are using for transportation of the men, munitions and even heavy artillery.

Germans Mass Troops.

Air raids are not the only indication of renewed activity in the western arena of the war. The Germans are massing troops in the neighborhood of LaBassee evidently in preparation for a new struggle between Ypres and Courtrai, and the allies are further strengthening their forces all along the lines in northern France and in Flanders.

For the past twenty-four hours it has been give and take, each side admitting minor reverses offset by minor successes.

Super-Submarine a Success.

London, Jan. 25.—The Daily Mail's Copenhagen correspondent says he learns from Hamburg that one of the new German super-submarines has just finished trial runs in the Bay of Helgoland and that she proved well suited for the purpose for which she was constructed. This giant submarine, the correspondent adds, is of the type that carries supplies for three months, and is not under the necessity of putting into a port or having recourse to the parent ship.

Anarchy in Mexico City.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Anarchy, panic and disorder are said to reign in Mexico City by dispatches from Vera Cruz to the Carranza agency here. Rafael Zubaren, Carranza's minister of interior, charges many women in the capital are near death from their treatment at the hands of Villa troops. Eulalio Figuerra, one of the brothers of that name, is reported to have abandoned Villa and applied for admission to the Carranza ranks. General Obregon denies Puebla has been attacked.

For Five Years

I was Troubled with a Chronic Disease. Peruna Cured me Sound and Well.

Mrs. Maggie Durbin, 209 Victory St., Little Rock, Ark., writes: "I was troubled for five years with a chronic disease. I tried everything I heard of, but nothing did me any good. Some doctors said my trouble was catarrh of the bowels, and some said consumption of the bowels. One doctor said he could cure me; I took his medicine two months, but it did me no good. A friend of mine advised me to try Peruna and I did so. After I had taken two bottles I found it was helping me, so I continued its use, and it has cured me sound and well. I can recommend Peruna to any one, and if any one wants to know what Peruna did for me if they will write to me I will answer promptly."

LOGIC AS HE UNDERSTOOD IT

Arthur Could Marshal Many Good Reasons Why He Should Not Attend School.

As young Arthur was now six, his parents decided that it was time he went to school. Arthur had other views on the subject, and these views were in direct opposition to those held by the older people.

In short, Arthur refused pointblank to go within a mile and a half of any school.

Father threatened dire punishment; mother held out a dreary prospect of jamless meals, even grandmother—the most kindly of mortals and a great friend of Arthur's—even she deserted him and talked about discontinuing the weekly bag of sweets. This was a great blow to the young rebel, but he stuck to his guns.

At last grandmother decided to make one last effort to soften his heart.

"Now, Arthur dear, why can't you be a nice, sensible boy and go to school like the other children?" she asked.

"I'll tell you why, grandma," he retorted, indignantly. "I can't read an' I can't write; I can't draw an' I can't sing! So what's the good of me going to school, I should like to know."

Latter-Day Romance.

Miss Up to Date (breathlessly)—Have I arrived in time?

Mr. Adorer (suitor)—Eh? In time for what?

Miss Up to Date—I hear that you and Mr. Lovem are going to fight a duel.

Mr. Adorer—We are.

Miss Up to Date—And it's about me?

Mr. Adorer—It is.

Miss Up to Date—It must not be.

Mr. Adorer—One or the other must die. We can't both marry you.

Miss Up to Date—No, but you can compromise.

Mr. Adorer—How?

Miss Up to Date—Play poker till one or the other gets all the money, and then I will marry the winner.—New York Weekly.

Why They Were Attentive.

A clergyman preaching in a country church for the first time was delighted to find the congregation very attentive and told the verger so after the service. The verger replied:

"Lor' bless you, sir, we was all looking for you to disappear."

"Why, what do you mean?" said the clergyman.

"Well, sir, you see, the pulpit is rotten, and hasn't been preached in this ten year or more."

THREE REASONS

Each With Two Legs and Ten Fingers.

A Boston woman who is a fond mother writes an amusing article about her experience feeding her boys.

Among other things she says: "Three chubby, rosy-cheeked boys, Bob, Jack, and Dick, respectively, are three of our reasons for using and recommending the food, Grape-Nuts, for these youngsters have been fed on Grape-Nuts since infancy, and often between meals when other children would have been given candy.

"I gave a package of Grape-Nuts to a neighbor whose 3-year-old child was a weazened little thing, ill half the time. The little tot ate the Grape-Nuts and cream greedily and the mother continued the good work, and it was not long before a truly wonderful change manifested itself in the child's face and body. The results were remarkable, even for Grape-Nuts.

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It must be admitted by every fair-minded, intelligent person, that a medicine could not live and grow in popularity for nearly forty years, and to-day hold a record for thousands upon thousands of actual cures, as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, without possessing great virtue and actual worth. Such medicines must be looked upon and termed both standard and dependable by every thinking person.

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Thoughts and Words.

"I always think twice before I speak," said the loquacious person.

"I should think," replied Miss Cayenne, "that you would have to think oftener than that in order to think of so many different ways to say the same thing."

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Old-Fashioned.

"You said she is old-fashioned?"

"Oh, hopelessly so. She is still making a collection of picture postcards!"

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Colds, fevers and germ diseases are pretty sure to overwork the kidneys and leave them weak. In convalescence, in fact, at any time when suspicion is aroused by a lame, aching back, rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness or disordered urine, the use of Doan's Kidney Pills is a stitch in time that may avoid serious kidney disease.

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CENSUS MEASURE CAUSES HEATED DEBATE IN HOUSE

BILL INTRODUCED BY SAMUEL Y. GORDON IS AN ECHO OF THE SPEAKERSHIP FIGHT.

OPPOSE RESOLUTION ON APPROPRIATIONS

Many Members Are Opposed to Holding Expenditures to the 1911 Figures on Ground That It Would Tie the Hands of the Appropriations Committee.

St. Paul, Jan. 26.—As an echo of the speakership fight Samuel Y. Gordon introduced in the House a bill directing the secretary of state to take the sixth decennial census. The bill carries an appropriation of $100,000.

It is understood that during the speakership fight Mr. Gordon had an understanding with Secretary of State Schmahl regarding the census. Mr. Schmahl was reported at that time to have interested himself in behalf of the candidacy of Mr. Gordon. It was denied at that time that there was any understanding.

The bill introduced by Mr. Gordon sets a flat rate of $2 per 100 persons in cities of 5,000 or more inhabitants, and $2.25 per 100 in districts of 500 to 5,000. In all other districts enumerators will be paid at the rate of 2½ cents for each person included in the census. It provides for chief enumerators at no stated compensation and would give the secretary of state an additional $500 for his trouble.

Kills Callahan Measure.

If this measure is passed it will kill the bill introduced by Senator J. G. Callahan of Minneapolis. When the speakership fight was on Senator Callahan heard that Mr. Gordon intended to put through a census bill which would place the census taking under the direction of the secretary of state. He was advised that the secretary by its terms could name the chief of the census takers, the various assistants and the enumerators, and that the census taking would be made the vehicle for the building up of a strong political patronage machine.

Legislature to Determine.

The state constitution provides that the state shall take the census every ten years, but leaves it for the legislaure to determine who shall be in charge and who shall be employed. When word of the Gordon plan for taking the census first was announced the names of Henry Rines, W. O. Clure and James Arneson were mentioned as prominent candidates for the post of chief director. The Gordon bill does not set any stipend for the chief director, who is to be named by the secretary of state.

The Gordon bill was referred to the census committee, of which Mr. Gordon is chairman.

Heated Debate in House.

St. Paul, Jan. 26.—By a vote of 64 to 51, with many failing to respond to their names on roll call, the House returned to its author for correction and amplification the resolution asking the Legislature to hold appropriations to the 1911 figures. The resolution was fathered in the House by Representative P. W. Guilford of Minneapolis and was suggested by Gov. Hammond.

The debate on the resolution became acrimonious at times and some criticism was made of Governor Hammond for suggesting the matter to the Legislature. The matter came up when Mr. Guilford introduced an amendment to his resolution which he offered last week.

The amendment would charge the instructions to the Appropriations Committee from a direct demand to a request to "make every effort to remain within the 1911 figures."

Several members were drawn slowly into the debate, many of them opposing the resolution on the ground that it would tie the hands of the Apprpriations Committee, while still others declared it was an insult for the Governor to make such suggestions, in view of the rapid growth of the state.

Debate became most heated when Representative Devold, Socialist, took the floor and said that "we should spend all the money necessary in making this an ideal state in every sense of the word."

"God save the Queen," chanted Representative H. H. Harrison sarcastically. He had just spoken in favor of rigid economy.

"If the gentleman will repeat his remark I will make reply," roared Mr. Devold, amid confusion.

Leaping to his feet, Mr. Harrison pointed toward the Socialist member and stormed:

"I said, "God save the Queen and the country

"I'm not interested in the Queen," retorted Devold.

"Nor in the country," continued Harison. "Well, you should be."

Must Provide For Institutions.

"State institutions have to be provided for, and regardless of 1911 expenditures there must be no tieing of the hands of the appropriations committee," asserted Representative C. L. Sawyer of Minneapolis.

TELEPHONE TRIUMPH

COMPLETE CIRCUIT FROM NEW YORK TO SAN FRANCISCO.

FIRST MESSAGE BY INVENTOR

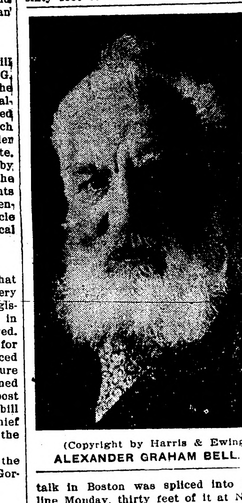
Line Officially Opened Jan. 25, 1915, 3,400 Miles in Length. Transmission Clear and Distinct.

New York.—From the fifteenth floor of a New York skyscraper, in the office of Theodore N. Vail, president of the American Telephone and Telegraph company, Alexander Graham Bell Monday afternoon telephoned to Thomas A. Watson in San Francisco, sending the first message ever telephoned across the continent.

Although engineers and scientists have worked for nearly forty years perfecting transmitters, receivers, lines, cables, switchboards and various telephone apparatus that all combined made transcontinental telephoning possible, John J. Carty, chief engineer of the Bell Telephone System, insisted that the inventor of the telephone should have the honor of sending the first ocean to ocean message, and thus it was that Dr. Bell and Mr. Watson were at either end of the line Monday afternoon.

In a little workshop in Boston, June 2, 1875, it was Alexander Graham Bell who spoke and Thomas A. Watson who heard the first message ever sent by telephone. "Come here Watson, I want you," were the first words ever conveyed over a wire. That wire was only sixty feet in length. The line used Monday is 3,400 miles long.

A bit of sentiment that entered into the celebration of the opening of the transcontinental line was that the sixty feet of wire used in the first talk in Boston was spliced into the line Monday, thirty feet of it at New York and thirty feet at San Francisco.



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ALEXANDER GRAHAM BELL.

Ever since the telephone was discovered, America, the land of its birth, has kept the lead, using more telephones than all the rest of the world. More than twenty-one million miles of wire in this country now unite nine million telephones in 70,000 cities, towns and villages. All the rest of the world has less than five million telephones.

In 1876 the longest telephone line in the world was from Boston to Cambridge, two miles; in 1884 it was extended to New York, 235 miles. Chicago and New York were connected in 1895, and in 1911 New York could say "Hello" to Denver.

In the forty years since the telephone was invented nearly a hundred types of transmitters, and numerous repeating instruments and other devices have been used and discarded for something better, but it is asserted that no single new discovery has been responsible for this latest and greatest achievement in the telephone art.

In the two circuits of the transcontinental line there are approximately six million pounds of copper wire, or about two hundred carloads. This wire is stretched on 130,000 poles, which if they were loaded on railroad cars would make twenty trains of thirty cars each.

The route of the transcontinental telephone line is from New York to Pittsburgh, thence to Chicago, Davenport, Des Moines, Omaha, Lincoln, Denver, Salt Lake City and to San Francisco.

It is understood that the rate will be about $21.00 for a three-minute talk from New York to San Francisco.

Stationed along this great stretch of telephone line the day it was opened were repairmen every few miles, in the big centers, in the little towns, on the prairies, in the mountains, and out on the desert, ready to splice the wires in case they were torn down by sleet or wind, to solder a break or replace an insulator broken by a storm or a mischievous boy. Like soldiers on picket duty, these repairmen will be kept on constant vigil, night and day, in good weather and in bad for it is advertised that this line is soon to be opened to the public for constant use.

TALK ON WESTERN CANADA

Facts Don't Lie—Western Canada Is Full of Facts—Here Are Three of Them.

1. C. T. Moore, Underhill, Man. Came from Bruce County, Ontario, 1882, with a capital of $2.00. Homesteaded quarter section. Now owns 2,800 acres for which he paid average of $20.00—worth today $40.00 per acre.
2. James Steel, Battleford, Saskatchewan. Came from Perthshire, Scotland, 1904. His fare advanced to bring himself and family to Canada. Took up homestead, which he sold later $25.00 per acre, buying 1,000 acres at $15.00 per acre. Has been very successful in mixed farming. Values land now at $40.00 per acre, and is worth $60.00. "If I had remained in the Old Country my gray hairs would have been a passport to the poor house," he says.
3. H. J. Smith, Clover Bar, Alberta. Came from North Michigan, 1893, without capital. Now farming 800 acres, valued at $200 per acre. Purchased originally at $15.00 per acre. Engaged in mixed farming. Cows average him $150.00 a year.

All this talk about the exploitation of labor by capital, class distinction, living wage, high cost of living, and so forth, doesn't hold the slightest interest for the Canadian farmer. Why? Because he has proved that you can't begin too poor to become rich in Canada; that free homesteads preclude the possibility of being robbed of freedom and independence; that the high cost of living can't hurt the man who grows most of his own necessities; that his labor brings reward in exact and just proportion to time and intelligence invested.

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If one could behold the scope of the work of the life-savers in a single glance he could see that these 2,000 men meet at a thousand stations on dark and lonely shores and exchange brass checks and bring these brass checks with them on their return to their life stations as evidence that they had patrolled the coast. Never has one of these faithful servants failed to come back promptly with the check of the patrol, unless he was halted by a case of distress, and even then his fellow patrol comes on to meet him. Scores of men give their lives to the devouring sea to save life and millions of property. There are now 290 stations on the sea and lake coasts of the United States. There are men in the service that have saved as many as 300 lives and literally every man in the service has been an actor in one or more of its 10,000 hero stories. In 1912 rescue service was rendered to 1,671 vessels, carrying 6,800 passengers, the total value of these vessels and their cargoes being $11,000,000,000.

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That iron was found in large quantities in the epic age in India is evidenced by the fact that it was then employed in making massive statues. In the third or fourth century before Christ, the Hindus were apparently adepts in preparing steel. In the literature of the times, one comes across elaborate descriptions of various surgical instruments for most delicate surgical operations.

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She Made Up a Mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to Bring Back Color, Gloss, Thickness.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is mussy and troublesome. Nowadays, by asking at any store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of the famous old recipe for about 50 cents.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy.—Adv.

Its Unpleasant Suggestion.

"My friend, the real estate agent, thought he had landed a big political agent as a tenant for a desirable property, but, unfortunately, he scared him off."

"How?"

"By inadvertently mentioning it had exposures all around."

Anyway, it's none of a man's business how old a woman is.

His Fatal Mistake.

"My poor brother," said the retired bank burglar, "made a mistake in the selection of a vocation and finally starved to death."

"That was tough," rejoined the ex porch climber. "By the way, what was his line?"

"He made a specialty of snatching purses from lady shoppers," answered the other with a deep, broad sigh.

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Holt Creamery Meeting Creates Trouble and Confusion

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Farmer's Co-Operative Creamery of Holt, officers were elected amid much confusion and bitterness. While two members will be called upon to account for certain charges made against B. L. Backe, the meeting itself was held with utter disregard for proper procedure and fairness. A motion was made and seconded that the stockholders vote on bank as depository for the creamery funds for the ensuing year, which motion Mr. Wegge refused to submit to a vote, although asked repeatedly to do so. This attitude on the part of Mr. Wegge is not only unfair but makes the meeting actionable. When asked why he would not take this motion to a vote, he replied "that he did not have to." Among other irregularities of the meeting were the disorderly conduct of certain members present, noise and confusion. Speeches made were false and misleading facts, with intent to hurt the standing of the Farmer's State Bank. Finally, with no exception, the officers and directors who served in 1914 were reelected, not so much as that they were really the choice of the members present, but to maintain harmony. The choice as to Bank depository is still undecided. In this matter I am sure that this bank will not receive fair treatment, and unless asked to do so, will not submit any bid for depository of creamery funds. I want to make a brief public explanation as to remarks made by Chas. Schwartz that "If you put your money in the Farmers State Bank they will charge you three dollars for cashing your check."

While I was connected with the Holt State Bank, Mr. Schwartz brought in a certain check, which I did not cash, stating that the party failed to deposit funds to cover. Mr. Schwartz thereupon left the check for collection and I notified the party to make a deposit to cover. He stated that he could not make any deposit and wanted to give a note temporary until he could get the money. I offered this note to Mr. Schwartz which was refused, stating that he would make it warm for this check writer. I had the party come into the bank a second time, but he still had nothing with which to pay. I thereupon decided, to avoid any trouble, to take the note myself, and as I fully realized that its value was only problematical and that I stood fully as good a show on losing it as to make collection thereof, I felt that I had done Mr. Schwartz a genuine favor and made the nominal charge mentioned. Mr. Schwartz came in the following day, said I was crooked, swore and cursed and was kind enough to invite me to come on his side of the counter. To show Mr. Schwartz that I was a better man than he was, I returned this charge. I see now that the only mistake I made was in not having him arrested as my attorney advised. I was also informed that to my back, certain parties freely stated that I had raised a check on the State Bank of Middle River from 75 cents to 75 dollars. At the time this check was deposited by Mr. Kolden, I happened to be at the window, and in checking over the various items as they appeared on his deposit slip, I mentioned to Mr. Kolden that he had made a mistake on his slip. He laughed and replied that the check was written incorrectly. Later in the day, our bookkeeper in making up his remittance letter for the day, listed this check as it was written. The error was discovered some time later and corrected. It is considered by a certain few that these dirty methods are warranted and satisfactory in order to obtain certain results, but I am pleased to observe that the followers and stockholders of this bank are men of better judgement and broader views. I want to take this opportunity of thanking my friends, who have so loyally stood by this bank, The Farmers State Bank of Holt.

B. L. Backe

Dated at Holt, Jan 23rd, 1915. (adv)

Middle River is to have a new school house next spring.

The M. W. A. met Saturday evening and installed all the officers present.

Ole Moen held meetings in the Free Mission church last week Wednesday, also Sunday evening. The meeting was well attended Sunday evening and he promised to return here for Sunday Feb 7th and hold meetings both afternoon and evening. We understand arrangements will be made to try to have both services in the English language.

Miss Carrie Nordgaard of S. D. assisted by her singer Miss Clara Tarsta held meetings the fiast three evenings of the week in the Free Mission church. Miss Nordgaard is a fine speaker in either the English or Norwegian language, and she easily held the attention of her audiance. Considerable interest was manifested and we are in hopes she may return soon and continue the good work.

The Sunnyside.

Miss Selma Wegge went to Thief River Falls Thursday, returning Monday.

Miss Alma Dovre returned to Oslo last Thursday.

The Jolly Bunch enjoyed a very pleasant evening at John Sorum's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Wegge spent Sunday afternoon at E. Horien's.

Miss Clara Furr went to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Stina Brita wants to learn the "grapevine."

Dehard, Tina and Engval Johnson visited at E. Horien's Sunday afternoon.

Anton Peterson spent Saturday and Sunday at F. Carlson's.

Ask Hjalmer if he got cold feet last Monday.

Hjalmer Dovre's entertained a number of friends Sunday evening.

Jesse Sorum returned from T. R. Falls Thursday.

"When the whole world goes back
on you,
Come to me, come to me."

(Written for last week)

Miss Emma Kuehn called at Dovre's Sunday.

Mrs. N. Lysne and son Standly called at F. Carlson Sunday afternoon.

Msss Lillie Peterson left Monday for St Hilaire where she will work.

Charley and Burndette Horien visited at E. Johnson Sunday.

Mr. Jesse Sorum went to Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. L. Wegge called at C. Anderson's Monday afternoon.

Miss Minnie Johnson from St. Hilaire, came up to visit with her uncle A. Bjerk.

North and East of Holt.

Olaf and Carl Johnson ran a race to the granary a week ago and weighed themselves. Both are fast on the gain.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wegge and boys, Dehard and Stena Johnson, Walter Wegge and Rudolph Anderson visited at the Ed. Horien home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmar Dovre entertained C. Christianson and family, Mrs. C. Anderson and family, Ed. Horien and family, Dehard and Stena Johnson and Walter Wegge, Sunday evening. All kinds of games were played until 12 o'clock, then a splendid lunch was served, after which both old and young danced until 3 A. M.

Send The News to your friends and a dollar for your own at the same time.

SCANDIA BLOCK TRI-STATE PHONE 51
Dr. B. R. Lund, Dentist
Norsk Tandlæge
Thief River Falls - Minn.

Mrs. Poppenhagen returned to her home at T. R. Falls last week Thursday. Her mother Mrs. P. P. Rierson accompanied her for a few days visit.

Annual Statement

Farmers' Co-Operative Creamery Co. of Holt, Minn. for the year 1914.

Cream received	203894 lbs
Per cent Test	26.97
Butterfat	55005.79 lbs
Per cent overrun	22.91
Butter made	67611 lbs
Average price rec'd for Butter	28.23
" " Paid for Butterfat	27.31
Cost of making 1 lb. of Butter	.02.48
RECEIPTS	
Bal on hand beginnig of year	$57.95
Rec'd for Butter Sold	$19092.08
Total	$19150.03
DISBURSEMENTS	
Paid Patrons for Butterfat	$15022.57
Freight and Commission	2054.73
Expense fund	1679.16
To Sinking Fund	385.44
Balance on hand	8.13
Total	$19150.03

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

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Claimant names as witnesses:
Allen Adolphson, Alfred Hanson, Nels Gudvangen and John M. Jahr all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.32
Wheat No. 2	1.29
Wheat No. 3	1.26
Wheat No. 4	1.22
Flax	1.76
Oats	.47
Barley	.52. to .60
Rye	1.09
Flour, Best Patent	3.85

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Holt - Minn.

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THE CHURCH AS A SOCIAL CENTER

A Broader Sphere for Religion—New Field for the Rural Church.

By Peter Radford
Lecturer National Farmers' Union

The social duty of the rural church is as much a part of its obligations as its spiritual side. In expressing its social interest, the modern rural church does not hesitate to claim that it is expressing a true religious instinct and the old-time idea that the social instincts should be starved, while the spiritual nature was overfed with solid theological food, is fast giving way to a broader interpretation of the functions of true religion. We take our place in the succession of those who have sought to make the world a fit habitation for the children of man when we seek to study and understand the social duty of the rural church. The true christian religion is essentially social—its tenets of faith being love and brotherhood and fellowship. While following after righteousness, the church must challenge and seek to reform that social order in which moral life is expressed. While cherishing ideals of service, the rural church which attains the fullest measure of success is that which enriches as many lives as it can touch, and in no way can the church come in as close contact with its members as through the avenue of social functions.

The country town and the rural community need a social center. The church need offer no apology for its ambition to fill this need in the community, if an understanding of its mission brings this purpose into clear consciousness. The structure of a rural community is exceedingly complex; it contains many social groups, each of which has its own center, but there are many localities which have but one church and, although such a church cannot command the interest of all the people, it is relieved from the embarrassment of religiously divided communities.

Social Needs Imperative.

The average country boy and girl have very little opportunity for real enjoyment, and have, as a rule, a vague conception of the meaning of pleasure and recreation. It is to fill this void in the lives of country youth that the rural church has risen to the necessity of providing entertainment, as well as instruction, to its membership among the young. The children and young people of the church should meet when religion is not even mentioned. It has been found safest for them to meet frequently under the direction and care of the church. To send them into the world with no social training exposes them to grave perils and to try to keep them out of the world with no social privileges is sheer folly. There is a social nature to both old and young, but the social requirements of the young are imperative. The church must provide directly or indirectly some modern equivalent for the husking bee, the quilting bee and the singing schools of the old days. In one way or another, the social instincts of our young people must have opportunity for expression, which may take the form of clubs, parties, picnics or other forms of amusement. One thing is certain, and that is that the church cannot take away the dance, the card party and the theatre unless it can offer in its place a satisfying substitute in the form of more pleasing recreation.

Universal Instinct for Play.

In providing for enjoyment the church uses one of the greatest methods by which human society has developed. Association is never secure until it is pleasurable; in play the instinctive aversion of one person for another is overcome and the social mood is fostered. Play is the chief educational agency in rural communities and in the play-day of human childhood social sympathy and social habits are evolved. As individuals come together in social gatherings, their viewpoint is broadened, their ideals are lifted and finally they constitute a cultured and refined society.

It is plain, therefore, that the church which aims at a perfected society must use in a refined and exalted way the essential factors in social evolution and must avail itself of the universal instinct for play. If the church surrounds itself with social functions which appeal to the young among its membership, it will fill a large part of the lamentable gap in rural pleasures and will reap the richest reward by promoting a higher and better type of manhood and womanhood.

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Why Invite Loss?

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Think of SAFETY FIRST.

A Safe Deposit Box in our Vaults is the safest place for such papers. The cost is small, the security, positive.

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The Holt Mercantile Co. are having their front rooms up stairs remodeled preparatory for occupancy in the near future.

To the batchelor friends of Holt take the hint, and do thou likewise.

Southeast of Holt.

Charley Steenerson visited at the Greibrok home Sunday.

A large crowd was in attendance at the spelling contest given in the Skomedahl school house last Friday [illegible]

H. S. Moe made a trip to Thief River Falls Monday.

Harry and Gunda Moe spent Sunday afternoon visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ole T. Ose.

Olav Dale spent a few days visiting at the home of the Ose brothers last week.

Tarkel T. Ose called at the N. Sordahl home on Monday forenoon.

Peter Flo of Montana who has been visiting with friends in this locality, leaves for home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness entertained a large number of their friends on Sunday.

T. J. Wold called at the Klungness home last Saturday.

Tina Haugen spent Sunday afternoon visiting with her sister Gunda who is staying at the Hammond home.

A. R. Jones went to Crookston Tuesday P. M.

For Sale! Horse, harness, buggy and cutter. Sam Mickelson.

Mrs. R. L. Olson went to T. R. Falls Friday to have dental work done.

Miss Cora Hanson visited her parents in T. R. Falls Friday and Saturday.

Messrs. Larson and Simonson came Tuesday and went out to Alfred Sollom's where they held services that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Silbaugh entertained B. Docken, G. H. Gunheim, and D. Payne and families Sunday afternoon and evening.

Ole Christenson of East Valley loaded a traction engine Saturday and shipped it to Bandette where he will use it for sawing lumber.

Thirty-eight county poor houses in Kansas are empty. Sixty-five counties have no prisoners in the state penitentiary and there are only 600 paupers in the state and two hundred million dollars in the banks, yet their soil is no more fertile than ours.

Married.

A quiet wedding took place Wednesday afternoon of last week, at the home of Otto Johnson near Mud Lake, when their daughter Clara was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Gilbert O. Johnson of Holt, in the presence of relatives and a few friends. Rev. Ordahl of the Synod church performed the ceremony.

The groom is a prosperous young man, living 2 miles north of Holt.

The best wishes of their many friends both here and at Mud Lake, go with them for a long and happy married life.—C.

Local Items

There is no excuse for not attending church next Sunday.

Dr. R. L. Olson went to T. R. Falls Monday on business.

Try the Coffee at the new Lunch room in Holt. You'll come again.
Chas. W. Latta, Prop.

This office has turned out bills announcing a dance in the Star hall Feb. 6th.

Mrs. Carl Newton is able to be around the house and do the most of her work.

The Alkenbrack families were entertained at the Huseth home Sunday afternoon and evening.

Miss Clara Sollom went to Goodridge Monday for several days visit with her brother and sister there.

If you want to sell your land this year, now is the proper time to list it with Chas. W. Latta, Holt, Minn.

Work on the new school house has been delayed on account of disagreements between workmen and contractor.

Don't forget that good coffee you used to drink at Huseth's. We are serving the same kind now. Try a cup. A. H. Huseth.

Svenke Svenkeson accompanied Ole Christenson to Baudette Wednesday where he will assist the latter in sawing lumber.

M. T. Strom left Tusday for Alvarado, Adams, Grand Forks, Thompson and Reynolds, N. D., where he will hold meetings for a couple of weeks.

A. H. Huseth and Chris Yttri left Monday for Wisconsin to visit relatives. Mr. Huseth expects to visit his people at Mt. Horeb, Evansville and Madison and Rev. Roseland at Eau Claire, and Mr. Yttri will visit at La Crosse.

The school board had an architect here from Crookston Friday and upon his recommendation the foundation of the school house was condemned and a brick wall was advised. It is hard to tell what the outcome will be.

Who sells land? Why thats easy BILL the Holt Realty Co. does, so if you want to sell your land list it with them. We are well prepared to do some extensive advertising and can no doubt bring you a buyer. Office in Holt State Bank.

Fire! Fire! Extinguishers!

We have taken the agency for the eastern half of Marshall Co., for

Richmond Chemical Fire Extinguishers!

We can sell you cheap, any size Fire Extinguisher, and as many as you wish. They never fail and are always ready. Cheaper than a fire insurance policy

Jacob Nelson, Holt, Minn.

Synod Church.

The Dorcas Sewing Society for the little girls will meet at the restaurant at two o'clock Saturday Feb. 13th, 1915.

There will be services held in Holt the first Sunday in every month at 10-45 A. M., commencing Feb. 7th. Other services per announcement. Ringo will be included in the first Sunday in every month at 3-30 P. M.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

The annual meeting of the church will be held Thursday Feb. 25.

Miss Carrie Nordgaard will preach in English and Ole Moen in Norwegian at two o'clock Sunday afternoon and at eight in the evening. Miss Clara Tarsta will have charge of the singing which will be in both languages.

The Sunnyside.

Mrs. F. Larson and children spent Sunday at F. Carlson's.

Ask Ed. if Selma knows how to tease.

Mrs. C. Anderson called at T. O. Dovre's Monday afternoon.

The Misses Wegge, Klara Tvede, Hjalmer and Fred Peterson, Ole Backland and Albert Bjerk spent a very pleasant afternoon and evening at A. Bjerk's Sunday.

We regret to state that Stina Brita lost her heel Sunday so she has given up the idea of learning the "grapevine."

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Surmo visited at F. Carlson's Sunday.

We would like to know where Fred Peterson was Saturday night so we could put it in the "news."

Mrs. A. Bjerk returned from St. Hilaire last Thursday.

Mrs. Hans Knutson, Oscar and Alma spent Sunday at Geo. Anderson's.

Vernon Grover went to Middle River Friday.

Northeast of Holt.

Miss Tina Johnson called on Lizzie Hanson Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson called on Mrs. E. Johnson Friday afternoon.

The Misses Selma, Lucy, Irene and Evelyn Wegge, Miss Clara Tvede and Ed. Bjerk spent Friday evening at the Ed. Horian home.

Miss Betty Johnson arrived Saturday from Thief River to spend Sunday at her home.

The Merry Makers spent Saturday evening at C. W. Christianson's. All who were present report a good time.

Miss Burndette and Charles Horian, Miss Tina and Dehard Johnson spent Sunday afternoon at the Nyberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Dovre spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Dovre's parents.

Creamery Notice

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of The Holt Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Assn will receive sealed bids up to 2 o-clock P. M. of Monday Feb. 15th for filling their ice house from the car, also for furnishing thirty cords of tamarack or thirty-five cords of poplar wood.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

The Dorcas Sewing Society met with Mrs. A. Sollom Jan. 29th, and elected officers as follows: Mabel Hagglund, President; Stella Mickelson, Treasurer; Ingeborg Nelson, Secretary.

Don't Put All Your Eggs Into One Basket

In other words, farmers of Holt and vicinity, diversify your crops! Experience proves the wisdom of not depending entirely upon wheat or any other one crop. We urge our customers and others to get into stock raising and to plant corn and potatoes. Give up some of your land to grass and pasturage. You will be better off in the end just as you will be if you cultivate your balance and acquaintance at this strong bank.

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RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS
World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Illinois.
Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912.

You don't save money when you buy cheap or big-can baking powder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's more economical—more wholesome—gives best results. Calumet is far superior to sour milk and soda.

An Ominous Selection.

A Baltimore man tells a story of a minister who, rising to address his congregation, announced that the subject of his discourse would be "A Man's Wife."

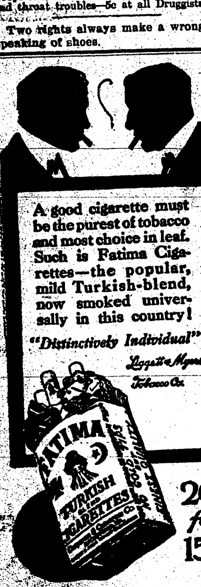
"And now," he added, "we will first sing the hymn, beginning:

"'From every stormy wind that blows,
From every swelling tide of woes,
There is a calm, a sure retreat—
'Tis found beneath the mercy seat.'"

And he couldn't imagine why the wives of the congregation present all looked daggers at him.—Baltimore American.

Nothing equals Dean's Mentholated Cough Drops for Bronchial weakness, sore chests, and throat troubles—5c at all Druggists.

Two rights always make a wrong—speaking of shoes.



A good cigarette must be the purest of tobacco and most choice in leaf. Such is Fatima Cigarettes—the popular, mild Turkish-blend, now smoked universally in this country!

"Distinctively Individual"

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RUSSIANS DEFEAT TURKS IN PERSIA; CAPTURE TABRIZ

ENTER CAPITAL OF PROVINCE OF AZERBAUM—TAKE MANY FIELD GUNS AND MILITARY SUPPLIES.

MUSCOVITES MENACED IN THE CARPATHIANS

Austro-German Concentration in Mountains Threatens Czar's Armies in Bukowina—Russian Front in East Prussia Only Fifty Miles From Konigsberg.

London, Feb. 1.—The Paris correspondent of Reuter's Telegram Company telegraphs that he learns that the Russians have routed the Turkish troops in Persia and have entered Tabriz, capital of the Province of Azerbaum, which the Turks occupied early in January.

Russians Capture Army Supplies.

Petrograd, Feb. 1.—Success by the Russians in the vicinity of Tabriz, Persia, is indicated in the official communication issued by the general staff of the army in the Caucasus. The statement says:

"In the valley of Alashkert we came in contact with the enemy and after a stubborn battle captured their colors, guns and military supplies. The enemy himself retired toward Tabriz, abandoning on the battlefield many hundreds of killed."

Speaking of other fighting in the Caucasus the statement says:

"In the region around Tchorokh, south of Batum, a column of troops of the enemy were repulsed in the village of Baschkiol. They retreated precipitately.

"On the front near Sari Kamvsh there has been no important changes. On January 28 the Turkish artillery cannonaded energentically a part of our front, but with no success."

Teutons Menace in Carpathians.

London, Feb. 1.—Two conditions call particularly for comment by British observers of the war: The Austro-German concentration in the Carpathians, which is regarded as a menace to the Russian armies in Bukowina; and the Russian activities in East Prussia, which have been characterized as a threat to the German forces in this territory. Thus at the extreme end of the immense eastern front military operations of the greatest importance are now devoloping.

As to the western battle front, another big battle in the vicinity of Soissons is confidently expected, as is a bitter conflict near LaBassee, where for some time the Germans have been piling up reinforcements.

Russians Threaten Konigsberg.

Russia's new invasion of East Prussia is becoming well defined in British eyes as an outflanking movement. For some time past this frontier district has been in Russian hands without attracting much attention, but now the invaders have begun a series of slight western advances along the 50-mile front from Tilsit southward almost as far as Angerburg. This front is only about 50 miles to the east of the Prussian fortress of Konigsberg.

Fight in Snow.

Many miles to the south the combined Austro German armies and the forces of Russia are battling in the snow in the Carpathian mountain passes, but as is usual with mountain fighting the situation is confused, each side maintaining that the tide of battle is running in its favor. It will be hard to form a clear picture of the situation until either the Russians emerge in force on the Tungarian plains or the Austro-Germans hammer them back to the mountain passes, perhaps causing at the same time a Russian retreat in Bukowina. One effect of this struggle has been to bring the Austro-German troops so near the Russian frontier as to fan the war flame in that country, a fact which may have an important bearing on deciding when Rumania will enter the conflict.

C. O. Jenks Succeeds W. D. Scott.

Superior, Wis., Feb. 1.—C. O. Jenks of this city, general superintendent of the lake district of the Great Northern railroad, has been appointed to succeed W. D. Scott, general manager of the Spokane, Portland & Seattle railroad, who died several days ago.

Mr. Jenks received a wire to this effect from L. C. Gilman, president of the S. P. & S.

Considers Naval Appropriation Bill.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The house met to begin consideration of the naval appropriation bill carrying about $148,000,000. Indications were that the measure would provoke lively debate.

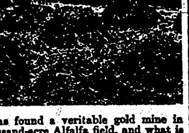
Miners Agree to Arbitrate.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 1.—Agreement to arbitrate the wage controversy which has kept 15,000 coal miners in the Ohio field out of work since April was practically arrived at at the session of the joint conference attended by United States conciliators, mine operators and mining organization officers. It became known that the mine officials have changed their attitude since arriving here two days ago. At first they declined to listen to any compromise, but were gradually brought around.

THE COLONEL'S GOLD MINE

Out in Gregory County, South Dakota, lives Colonel Johnson, the famed Alfalfa King of that great section.

About thirty years ago he left Wisconsin for that domain. All he had was willing hands, a clear brain and a bright vision. Today he is the owner of thousands of acres, president of several banks.



He has found a veritable gold mine in his thousand-acre Alfalfa field, and what is of particular interest to you and me is that his first Alfalfa Seed, twenty-five years ago or more, was purchased from the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis.

The Colonel says: "The best paying crop in hay, or grass, or pasture food is Alfalfa. It outranks everything in money value."

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We gladly mail our Catalog and sample package of Ten Famous Farm Seeds, including Speltz, "The Cereal Wonder;" Rejuvenated White Bonanza Oats, "The Prize Winner;" Billion Dollar Grass; Teosinte, the Silo Filler, Alfalfa, etc., etc.

Or Send 12c

And we will mail you our big Catalog and six generous packages of Early Cabbage, Carrot, Cucumber, Lettuce, Radish, Onion—furnishing lots and lots of juicy delicious Vegetables during the early Spring and Summer.

Or send to John A. Salzer Seed Co., Box 715, La Crosse, Wis., twenty cents and receive both above collections and their big catalog.

Byplay Minstrels.

"Mister Interlocutor, can you tell me the difference between an Irish soldier and a Scotch soldier when fighting in the trenches with the allies?"

"No, Mr. Bones, I cannot. Will you elucidate the difference?"

"One says he is kilt with the cold and the other says he is cold with the kilt."

IF HAIR IS TURNING GRAY, USE SAGE TEA

Don't Look Old! Try Grandmother's Recipe to Darken and Beautify Gray, Faded, Lifeless Hair.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and abundant with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant. Adv.

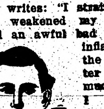
Quite Obvious.

Tramp—It is needless to ask the question, madam. You know what I want.

Lady—Yes, I know what you want badly, but I've only one bar of soap in the house, and the servant is using it. Come again some other time.—London Tit-Bits.

SUFFERED FOR FOUR YEARS.

Mr. J. M. Sinclair of Olivehill, Tenn., writes: "I strained my back, which weakened my kidneys and caused an awful bad backache and inflammation of the bladder. Later I became so much worse that I consulted a doctor, who said that I had Diabetes and that my heart was affected. I suffered for four years and was in a nervous state and very much depressed. The doctor's medicine didn't help me, so I decided to try Dodds Kidney Pills, and I cannot say enough to express my relief and thankfulness, as they cured me. Diamond Dinner Pills cured me of Constipation."



Mr. J. M. Sinclair.

Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Write for Household Hints, also music of National Anthem (English and German words) and recipes for dainty dishes. All 3 sent free. Adv.

Passed Up.

"How did the poker scene in the play go?"

"Never got a hand."

Bad If He Couldn't Kick.

Church—How is your gout?

Gotham—Oh, I can't kick.

"Oh, is it as bad as that?"

MRS. HAVELOCK ELLIS

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Mrs. Havelock Ellis, a distinguished English authoress, is lecturing in the United States on eugenics and other subjects.

AUSTRIA MAY SUE FOR PEACE

DUAL MONARCHY REPORTED TO BE IN PLIGHT.

Urges German Emperor to Consider Seriously Possibility for Tolerable Terms at Once.

London, Feb. 2.—The Copenhagen correspondent of the Daily Mail, asserts that Baron Burian, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, at his recent meeting with the German emperor, drew a doleful picture of the plight of the dual monarchy and urged that the time had arrived for the Germanic powers to consider most seriously the possibilities for a tolerable peace.

The Daily Mail attaches great importance to the dispatch, which is dated Thursday, and was delayed in transmission. The dispatch says:

"From a most trustworthy and well-informed source in Berlin I received the following statement regarding the nogotiations between the German statesmen and Baron Burian, who recently visited the German chancellor in Berlin and Emperor William at the army headquarters in France.

Situation Is Precarious.

"Baron Burian represented to the Germans that the situation in Austria was precarious and that if the Russian advance toward Budapest is not stopped the effect may very probably be the downfall of Austria and the complete collapse of Hungary, which must later entail, as a logical sequence, also the downfall of Germany.

"Therefore, Baron Burian urged that the Russians must, at all costs, be repulsed and that Germany must send large re-enforcements to Hungary to prevent a catastrophe. In any case, he said, it was doubtful if it would be possible for them to resist the Russians and Serbians, and perhaps also the Roumanians. Therefore it was necessary seriously to examine into the question of peace.

Would Cede Territory.

"A definite defeat would mean a debacle for Austria-Hungary and the partition of the empire. His advice to Germany was to consider most seriously the possibilities of a tolerable peace. He advised Germany not to reject fundamentally the thought of peace on the grounds of a probable disarmament of Europe. If Germany were disposed to treat on such terms, he believed the other conditions would be tolerable. Perhaps it would be necesary to leave the French part of Alsace to France and to give up some Polish provinces to the new Poland, but if Russia would reliquish a province and Austria a part of Galicia to Poland, no real sacrifice for Germany would be entailed.

"Austria would then leave the rest of Galicia to Russia and Bukowina to Roumania, and, if necessary, a part of Bosnia and Herzegovina to Serbia and Montenegro."

British Admiral Dies.

London, Feb. 2.—Rear Admiral The Honorable Victor A. Montagu died here. Rear Admiral Montagu was 73 years old. He served with the fleet in the war with Russia in 1855; in the China war of 1857 and with the naval brigade in the Indian mutiny of 1858. He was retired in 1886.

Congressman Elect Dies.

New York, Feb. 2.—William M. Brown, representative elect in congress from the Twenty-fourth district of Pennsylvania and former lieutenant governor of that state, died here of pneumonia. Mr. Brown's home was in New Castle, Pa.

U. S. Awaits Shipping Decision.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The United States government does not intend to to be drawn into any negotiations with foreign governments as to whether it has the right to buy belligerent ships, until the bill pending in the senate is enacted into law and there is a decision as to where the purchases are to be made. Believing that no foreign power has any ground for supposing that in purchasing ships any unneutral act would be committed, no protests are expected in advance of action by the American government.

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GOD ALWAYS IN HUMANITY

Impossible to Imagine the Time When He Will Withdraw His Presence From Us.

So long as there be in the human heart one fiber to vibrate at the sound of that which is true and just and honorable, so long as the instinctively pure soul prefers purity to life, so long as there be found friends of truth ready to sacrifice their peace in the cause of science, friends of righteousness to devote themselves to holy and useful works of mercy, womanly hearts to love whatever is good, beautiful and pure, artists to render it by sound and color and words of inspiration—so long God will dwell within us.

It could only be when egoism, meanness of soul, narrowness of mind, indifference to knowledge, contempt for human rights, forgetfulness of that which is great and noble, invaded the world—it could only be then that God would be in humanity no more. But far from us be thoughts like these! Our aspirations, our sufferings, our very faults and temerities, are the proof that the ideal lives in us. Yes, human life is still something divine! Our apparent negations are often nothing more than the scruples of timid minds that fear to pass beyond the limits of their knowledge. They are a worthier homage to the Divinity than the hypocritical adoration of a spirit given over to routine. God is still within us, est Deus in nobis.—Renan.

She Concentrated in General.

An editor of the Ohio State Journal went to see a vaudeville performer who does a dozen or more interesting stunts in an almost perfect way. Then he returned, the editor returned, to his sanctum and wrote an excellent little sermon for the young on the beauties of concentration.

This recalls the story of the Chicago woman who told Author Arnold Bennett that his famous chapter on "Concentration" had greatly aided her.

"Why," she said, "I never knew what it was to concentrate before."

The author was interested.

"And on what have you concentrated, madam?" he asked.

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"Rome wasn't built in a day."

"That just goes to show how much more powerful than human agencies the forces of nature are."

"Explain."

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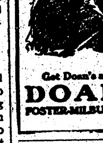
Don't Give Up!

Nowadays deaths due to weak kidneys are 72% more common than 20 years ago, according to the census. Overwork and worry are the causes. The kidneys can't keep up, and a slight kidney weakness is usually neglected.

If you have backache or urinary disorders, don't mistake the cause. Fight the danger. More care as to diet, habits, etc., and the use of Doan's Kidney Pills ought to bring quick relief.

A North Dakota Case



Mrs. C. J. Tyler, Cando, N. D., says: "My feet and limbs were swollen and I couldn't sleep well. Mornings I was tired and weak and my back was awfully lame. If I moved suddenly, needle-like pains darted through me. Doan's Kidney Pills rid me of all these ailments and made my health much better in every way."

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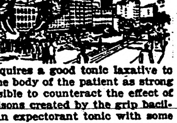
WHY GRIP IS DANGEROUS.



It requires a good tonic laxative to keep the body of the patient as strong as possible to counteract the effect of the poisons created by the grip bacillus. An expectorant tonic with some laxative qualities is the safest remedy. Such is Peruna.

Mrs. Gentry Gates, 8219 First Ave., East Lake, Ala., writes: "I had a bad case of grip. I tried Peruna and it cured me. I can safely say it is a fine medicine."

Mr. George E. Law, 13½ N. Franklin St., Brazil, Ind., writes: "I am satisfied that Peruna is a wonderful remedy for grip, and I do most heartily endorse and recommend it."

Conservative Estimate.

Jem Snedeker, an East Tennessee farmer, would only admit that the sun had a bright side by speculating that the other side was probably dark. The preacher, looking over Jem's farm, said that the wheat crop looked fine and plentiful. But Jem put it this way:

"It's a pretty good crop, what there is of it—an' there's right smart of it, sech as it is!"

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FORMS COCAINE HABIT IN STORE

Sixteen-Year-Old Boy Is Wreck as Result of Use of Drugs.

TOTTERS INTO COURT

Judge Comments on His Pitiable Condition and Sends Him to an Institution Where He Will Be Cured.

New York.—Magistrate Appleton, in Yorkville court, saved from prison Joseph Ryan, sixteen years old, a cocaine victim, who lives with his parents at 1414 Second avenue. The boy was sent to the Central Islip hospital, to be cured of the drug habit.

"This is most pitiable," said Magistrate Appleton, as the boy, thin and tottering, was led before him. "What on earth are you trying to do, young fellow? Are you trying to commit suicide?"

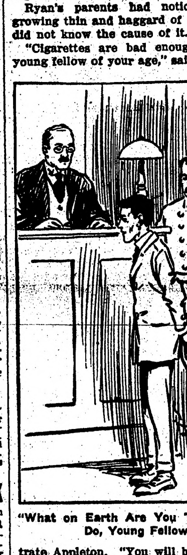
The boy did not answer. He had been employed in a drug store in Broadway, and there, he confessed to the police, had fallen into the habit of pilfering cocaine and using it. He told also of going to the East Seventy-fourth street dock, which is a rendezvous, he said, of boys with whom he shared his drugs.

Detective John J. Kilroy of the Second branch detective bureau said he had been watching the boy's odd actions for three weeks and suspected he was using a girl of his own age as a go-between in the drug trafficking.

Ryan's parents had noticed him growing thin and haggard of late, but did not know the cause of it.

"Cigarettes are bad enough for a young fellow of your age," said Magistrate Appleton. "You will be able to overcome this awful habit just as you can give up cigarettes. Instead of sending you to prison, I will send you to the hospital at Central Islip, L. I., where you will be cured and helped along."

The boy thanked the magistrate before he was led out of court.



"What on Earth Are You Trying to Do, Young Fellow?"

LOST BOY IS WITH INDIANS

"Jo-Jo," Aged Seventeen, Thinks He Is John Jones, Stolen When Young.

Los Angeles, Cal.—"Jo-Jo" once was a white boy. Then he became an Indian, and now Probate Officer Sigler of Los Angeles is trying to make him a white boy again.

The boy is seventeen and has the most peculiar history of any youth ever taken before the juvenile court.

"Jo-Jo's" true name is John Jones—he thinks. The Indians who took him when he was a small boy couldn't pronounce the name, so they did the next best thing. They made an attempt, and "Jo-Jo" was the result.

The difficulty encountered by the boy in recovering his status as a full-blooded white boy is a malformation of the mouth, due to lack of attention to his teeth while he was with the Indians. This the probation officer believes has made him backward mentally. It is believed, however, this can be corrected.

Washes to Help Church.

Junction City, Kan.—Mrs. Annie Petty decided that her church should have its own building, and not a rented room. She therefore took in washing, earned enough money to buy a lot, and then donated largely to the erection of the recently completed building.

Jokes as He Dies.

New York.—Samuel Boyle, fifty years old, weighing 350 pounds, fell from the fifth story of the Victoria hotel to the roof of a one-story extension. "Get a derrick," said he very calmly, when efforts were made to lift him. He died in half an hour.

QUIT MEAT IF KIDNEYS BOTHER AND USE SALTS

Take a Glass of Salts Before Breakfast if Your Back Is Hurting or Bladder Is Irritated.

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authority who tells us that meat forms uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush off the body's urinous waste get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acids of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink.—Adv.

The Asylum's Advantage.

At the orphan asylum the childless Mrs. Hathaway, who had selected an infant for adoption, suddenly showed trepidation.

"Will I have to keep the baby if it doesn't suit my husband?" she asked, hesitatingly.

"Of course you won't have to keep it," responded the accommodating matron. "You can bring the kid back and exchange it any time. We're not arbitrary, like the stork."

NO BAKING POWDER MORE WHOLESOME THAN ALUM POWDERS.

Washington, D. C.—Alum baking powders are no more harmful to a person than any other baking powders.

Such is the conclusion of the referee board of consulting scientific experts of the department of agriculture as the result of experiments to determine the influence of aluminum compounds on the nutrition and health of man. The report gives the results of three sets of extensive experiments on human subjects conducted independently by members of the board and was in response to questions put to it by the department of agriculture. The board's report was unanimous and was signed by Ira Remsen, president of Johns Hopkins university, Chairman; Russell H. Crittendon, professor of physiological chemistry in Yale university and director of the Sheffield Scientific school; John H. Long, professor of chemistry in Northwestern university; Alonzo E. Taylor, professor of physiological chemistry in the University of Pennsylvania, and Theobald Smith, professor of comparative pathology in Harvard.

Requisite for Optimism.

"What are the qualifications for membership in your international optimist club?" asked the philanthropist's friend.

"Well, in the first place, you've got to speak English with an American accent."

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His Idea.

Bill—This paper says that the first electric locomotive ever used on an English railroad will be imported from Germany.

Jill—Perhaps they're going to carry it over in a Zeppelin and drop it.

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Too Old to Learn.

"Sweet are the uses of adversity," quoted the confirmed quoter.

"I believe it," retorted the dissatisfied one, "but, somehow or other, I don't seem to be able to cultivate a taste for it."

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And many a man's so called dignified silence is due to the lamentable fact that he doesn't know what to say.

PROPERLY BAKED HAM

SOMEWHAT LENGTHY PROCESS, BUT WORTH WHILE.

Expert Gives Explicit Directions for Preparation of Dainty—May Be Soaked in Claret or Cider, as Is Preferred.

An old ham is best, but any thoroughly smoked, sound ham will do, writes Martha McCulloch Williams. Scrape it all over with a blunt-edged knife, then sprinkle well with a good washing powder and scrub in tepid water with a coarse cloth. Wring the cloth dry and wipe the ham, then rinse it in clear cold water and put it to soak over night. The next morning scrape it afresh if any superfluous matter has been loosened, rinse, and put it, skin side down, to cook in cold water, having a rack or plate in the bottom of the boiler to prevent scorching. Bring the ham to a brisk boil, then throw in a pint of cold water and let it stand two or three minutes; skim off the scum, then throw into the pot a dozen whole cloves, as many allspice and black peppercorns, a small pod of red pepper, slit lengthwise, and a blade of mace. Watch closely, and when boiling begins lessen the heat so that there will be bare simmering. The water must stand two inches above the meat—fill the boiler up as it wastes away. Keep on the lid, but loosely, and let the ham simmer until it is very tender—the time depends upon the age, weight and hardness of the ham. When the haunch bone shows a little through the meat the ham is likely to be done. Let it cool in the water in which it was boiled, take it out, drain well and trim off the rusty fat from the edges, and a little of the smoke darkened flesh underneath. (The hock had better be sawed off before boiling, but if that has not been done, loose the projecting bones and cut to a neat end.) Skin carefully. Then stick all over the fat portion whole cloves in a lozenge pattern, after which dust thickly with black pepper and paprika, sprinkle lightly with soft sugar, and fit the ham into a deep agate or earthenware vessel. Pour in sound claret or sweet cider and let it soak six hours. Then put on a low rack in an agate pan, pour the soaking liquor around and bake very slowly from one to two hours, according to size. Baste with the liquor in the pan two or three times each half hour; as the liquor evaporates add either cold water or more wine or cider. If the ham is very fat cool the pan after taking it up, and remove most of the grease on top; then add a dash of boiling water, a light seasoning of herbs and ten drops of onion juice; cook for three minutes, stirring constantly, and then pour into your gravy boat. Pass with the ham; else use the savor stews and minces.

It is, perhaps, worth while to add that in judging a ham, dry, black-green mold upon the flesh side is ranked by epicures the hallmark of excellence, highly desirable.

To approximate fairly the famous French concoction, jambon au madere, you should pour the boiling water off the ham while it is still hot; after the ham is done, then let it simmer for an hour in enough of either claret or cider to float it, turning the ham from time to time and letting it cool in the liquor.

Some Oyster Hints.

All styles of panned, creamed or stewed oysters should be cooked over an open fire or live steam, because they should start to cook the moment the heat strikes the pan or chafing dish and continue at a forced rate until finished.

The cooking of oysters can be greatly improved by the use of the chafing dish instead of the saucepan in connection with the recipes where the latter is mentioned.

Oysters most easily secured and mostly desired are Saddle Rocks, Rocks, Rockaways, Lynn Haven Bays, Shrewsburys, Blue Points, Cotuits, Lynnhavens, Cape Cods, Buzzards Bay, Norfolk, Cape May Salts, Cherry Stones, Chincoteagues and Oak Creeks.

Chocolate Pancakes.

This makes a delicious dessert for luncheon and one that is quickly prepared: Mix together two eggs, yolks and whites, with two heaping tablespoonfuls of sweetened chocolate that has been grated (if unsweetened brand is used, then the mixture must be sweetened to taste), half cupful of milk, half cupful of flour. Beat all together well. Fry like ordinary pancakes, brown on both sides and roll them, lay on a hot platter, sprinkle with powdered sugar and serve immediately.

Tagging the Piece Bag.

Here is a sensible way of tagging the contents of a piece bag: On the outside of the bag fasten the largest procurable safety pin. When dressmaking is over attach samples to this pin of every remnant that goes into the bag. A great amount of time and patience is saved by this simple device, for one can see at a glance just what the bag contains.—Racine Journal.

Cream Cheese Tarts.

Make tart shells of pastry, and fill them with a cream cheese, half a cupful of cream, a cupful of currants, three eggs beaten well and two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Bake for about half an hour.

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Read this one from Mrs. Waters:

CAMDEN, N.J.—"I was sick for two years with nervous spells, and my kidneys were affected. I had a doctor all the time and used a galvanic battery, but nothing did me any good. I was not able to go to bed, but spent my time on a couch or in a sleeping-chair, and soon became almost a skeleton. Finally my doctor went away for his health, and my husband heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and got me some. In two months I got relief and now I am like a new woman and am at my usual weight. I recommend your medicine to every one and so does my husband."—Mrs. TILLIE WATERS, 530 Mechanic Street, Camden, N.J.

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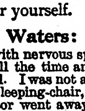

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Proverb Didn't Apply.

Mrs. Brown was in the kitchen helping Nora, the cook, prepare supper.

"It's an old saying," she remarked to Nora, "that 'too many cooks spoil the broth.' What do you think?"

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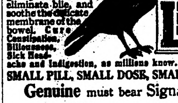

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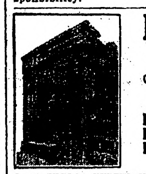

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Who Raised The Check

In an article in the last week's issue of this paper signed by B. L. Backe, of the Farmers State Bank of Holt, he states that someone, on his back, is circulating stories to the effect that he raised a check from75c to $75.00 As I am the party who made out this check in the first place and am partly responsible for making some of the statements that it had been raised by someone, I wish to say a few words in explanation and will leave to you readers to judge if I have not some cause for complaint. On Dec. 7th, 1914, I gave a check for 75c to S. S. Kolden, of Holt, for 5 stovepipes purchased for the school district of which I am treasurer, drawn on the State Bank of Middle River. A short time afterwards I received a letter from the bank stating that I was overdrawn some over twenty dollars. This was very much of a surprise to me as according to my books I should have about a $50.00 balance. However, in this letter they stated that a check had just come that seemed to them had been changed or altered in some way from 75c to $75.00 I found upon investigation that this was the check that I had issued to S. S. Kolden for 75c, which had been raised by someone to $75.00. I had written the check thus, "Seventy Five Cents." In the space where the amount on a check is written in figures I had it written thus, $75--100 This can be corrobrated by two witnesses. I did not take special precaution to have these parties as witnesses when I wrote this check, but, as I my good luck would have it, they happened to observe me when I made it out. I now have the check in my possession and upon receiving it from the bank I opened the letter in presence of several witnesses. I found that the words "cents" had been erased making it read "Seventy-five Dollars. Where I had written 75--100 I found that the figures 100 was erased leaving the figures 75.

The question now arises, who raised the check flom 75c to $75.00? I have Mr. S. S. Kolden's own statement that he brought it to the Farmers State Bank of Holt reading "Seventy five Cents" and received credit for only 75c. That this check was raised after leaving Mr. S. S. Kolden's hands and before it left the Farmers State Bank of Holt is beyond a doubt. B. L. Backe seem to be making a special effort to make me a liar in this matter but I wish to call the readers attention to the fact that I have resided in this vicinity for the past twelve years. I have always tried to be fair and square in all my dealings and I think the other banks and merchants of this vicinity will bear me out in this statement. The party who raised this check, whoever he is, is in my opinion, not a man of very good character and is certainly not fit to hold a position in any bank or office of public trust.

Christ Norbeck.

Dated at Holt Feb. 1st 1915. (adv)

North and East of Holt.

Mrs. C. Gronvold called at Erick Johnson Monday afternoon.

C. W. Christianson has his new barn finished.

The Synod Ladies Aid met at Mrs. M. Grondahl on Wednesday, quite a crowd attended.

Walter and Fritz Wegge are busy hauling wood, rather cold these day.

Tom Severson is busy sawing wood and grinding feed, you can hear the pop of the engine early and late.

Mrs. E. Johnson called on Mrs. E. A. Johnson Wednesday afternoon.

Hilda Johnson returned home from Thief River Falls on Monday.

Lizzie Hanson called on Tina Johnson Tuesday afternoon.

Burndette, Leo, and Charles Horian and Dahard Johnson spent Wed. evening at C. W. Christianson.

On Sunday last Burndette and Charles Horian, Lizzie Hanson, Hilmea Davidson, Walter Wegge, Rudolph Anderson spent the afternoon at E. Johnson home.

Erick Johnson has been on the sick list for a few days but is better at this writing.

Another Version Of Holt Creamery Meeting

An article appeared in the last week's issue of this paper signed by B. L. Backe, of the Farmers State Bank of Holt, with reference to the annual meeting of the Farmers Co-op. Creamery Company of Holt, in which he make, in our opinion, some rather untrue and misleading statements.

His version of the proceedings of the meeting must indeed seem very laughable and ridiculous to the stockholders who were present, and, why he takes upon himself to publish such a report is beyond our comprehension. With reference to the statement he makes, "that the officers and directors were elected amid much confusion and bitterness" we wish to say that we were present at the meeting and as far as we could see everything went along nicely and smoothly until it came to the election of treaurer. Now, we all know that B. L. Backe was particularly anxious to land this office and practically tried to "bull" his way to get it. The "confusion and bitterness" started when he was nominated for candidate as treasurer against Nils Engebretesen, when a loud and prolonged chorus of "Nos" rang out through the creamery room objecting to his nomination. What confusion and bitterness occurred at the meeting was caused altogether by his own tactics. To prove this, the counting of the election ballots showed, with one or two exceptions, that the stockholders present voted unanimously in favor of Nils Engebretsen as treasurer. He makes the statement that 'Finally', with no exceptions, the officers and directors who served in 1914 were reelected, not so much as they were the choice of the members present, but to maintain harmony." To the stockholders who were present and voted at the meeting it certainly must occur to them that this is another absurd and very foolish statement, and, we believe that no person, who was present and took in the proceedings of the meeting, and who has one ounce of gray matter in his head, would make public such a statement. That the members present were in harmony was proven very conclusively by their almost unanimous vote for Nils Engebretsen as treasurer against B. L. Backe. They were in harmony allright, but not in such a way as to quite suit B. L. Backe. We will leave it to the readers to judge if this is much of a credit to Mr. B. L. Backe or not. His contention that the meeting was held with utter disregard for proper proceedure and fairness, is in our opinion, another misleading statement. As to designating a depository for the company's money it was decided by the members present that this matter should be left to the board of directors. As it was the contest was between the farmers on one side and B. L. Backe with about 15 "Proxies" on the other side. In summing up the whole situation we can come to the only conclusion that the confusion was caused entirely by B. L. Backe, himself, in trying to force his way into the management of the Farmers Creamery company, an institution that should really be managed by the farmers only. (Adv)

There will be preaching services in both churches next Sunday.

Dance postponed until Feb. 6th, account conflicting dates. Star hall, everybody invited.

When you get mad at the other fellow, read the 13th. chapter of 2nd. Corinthians.

Flour went up 30 cents a hundred Friday afternoon. Who said the war would not affect this county.

Send The News to your friends and a dollar for your own at the same time.

J. B. Alkenbrack has been confined to the house for several days by a badly sprained foot and an injured back caused by jumping from a sled. Mr. Alkenbrack was riding in the back of a sled when it "sloughed" and he had to jump to keep from falling.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM LAND
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NATION'S LABOR PROBLEM

OVER A MILLION AND A HALF WOMEN WORK AS FARM HANDS IN THE UNITED STATES.

By Peter Radford
Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

Our government never faced so tremendous a problem as that now lying dormant at the doors of congress and the legislatures, and which, when aroused, will shake this nation from center to circumference, and make civilization hide its face in shame. That problem is—women in the field.

The last federal census reports show we now have 1,514,000 women working in the field, most of them south of the Mason and Dixon line. There were approximately a million negro slaves working in the fields when liberated by the emancipation proclamation. We have freed our slaves and our women have taken their places in bondage. We have broken the shackles off the negroes and welded them upon our daughters.

The Chain-Gang of Civilization.

A million women in bondage in the southern fields form the chain-gang of civilization—the industrial tragedy of the age. There is no overseer quite so cruel as that of unrestrained greed, no whip that stings like the lash of suborned destiny, and no auctioneer's block quite so revolting as that of organized avarice.

The president of the United States was recently lauded by the press, and very properly so, for suggesting mediation between the engineers and railroad managers in adjusting their schedule of time and pay. The engineers threatened to strike if their wages were not increased from approximately ten to eleven dollars per day and service reduced from ten to eight hours and a similar readjustment of the overtime schedule. Our women are working in the field, many of them barefooted, for less than 50 cents per day, and their schedule is the rising sun and the evening star, and after the day's work is over they milk the cows, slop the hogs and rock the baby to sleep. Is anyone mediating over their problems, and to whom shall they threaten a strike?

Congress has listened approvingly to those who toil at the forge and behind the counter, and many of our statesmen have smiled at the threats and have fanned the flame of unrest among industrial laborers. But women are as surely the final victims of industrial warfare as they are the burden-bearers in the war between nations, and those who arbitrate and mediate the differences between capital and labor should not forget that when the expenses of any industry are unnecessarily increased, society foots the bill by drafting a new consignment of women from the home to the field.

Pinch no Crumb From Women's Crust of Bread.

No financial award can be made without someone footing the bill, and we commend to those who accept the responsibility of the distribution of industrial justice, the still small voice of the woman in the field as she pleads for mercy, and we beg that they pinch no crumb from her crust of bread or put another patch upon her ragged garments.

We beg that they listen to the scream of horror from the eagle on every American dollar that is wrung from the brow of toiling women and hear the Goddess of Justice hiss at a verdict that increases the want of woman to satisfy the greed of man.

The women behind the counter and in the factory cry aloud for sympathy and the press thunders out in their defense and the pulpit pleads for mercy, but how about the woman in the field? Will not these powerful exponents of human rights turn their talent, energies and influence to her relief? Will the Goddess of Liberty enthroned at Washington hold the calloused hand and soothe the feverish brow of her sex who sows and reaps the nation's harvest or will she permit the male of the species to shove women—weak and weary—from the bread-line of industry to the back alleys of poverty?

Women and Children First.

The census enumerators tell us that of the 1,514,000 women who work in the fields as farm hands 409,000 are sixteen years of age and under. What is the final destiny of a nation whose future mothers spend their girlhood days behind the plow, pitching hay and hauling manure, and what is to become of womanly culture and refinement that grace the home, charm society and enthuse man to leap to glory in noble achievements if our daughters are raised in the society of the ox and the companionship of the plow?

In that strata between the ages of sixteen and forty-five are 950,000 women working as farm hands and many of them with suckling babes tugging at their breasts, as drenched in perspiration, they wield the scythe and guide the plow. What is to become of that nation where poverty breaks the crowns of the queens of the home; despair hurls a mother's love from its throne and hunger drives innocent children from the schoolroom to the hoe?

The census bureau shows that 155,000 of these women are forty-five years of age and over. There is no more pitiful sight in civilization than these saintly mothers of Israel stooped with age, drudging in the field from sun until sun and at night drenching their dingy pillows with the tears of despair as their aching hearts take it all to God in prayer. Civilization strikes them a blow when it should give them a crown, and their only friend is he who broke bread with beggars and said: "Come unto me all ye that are weary and heavy laden and I will give you rest."

Oh, America! The land of the free and the home of the brave, the world's custodian of chivalry, the champion of human rights and the defender of the oppressed—shall we permit our maidens fair to be torn from the hearthstone by the ruthless hand of destiny and chained to the plow? Shall we permit our faithful wives, whom we covenanted with God to cherish and protect, to be hurled from the home to the harvest field, and our mothers dear to be driven from the old arm chair to the cotton patch?

In rescuing our citizens from the forces of civilization, can we not apply to our fair Dixieland the rule of the sea—"women and children first?"

There must be a readjustment of the wage scale of industry so that the women can be taken from the field or given a reasonable wage for her services. Perhaps the issue has never been fairly raised, but the Farmers' Union, with a membership of ten million, puts its organized forces squarely behind the issue and we now enter upon the docket of civilization the case of "The Woman in the Field" and demand an immediate trial.

RAILROADS APPEAL TO PRESIDENT

The Common Carriers Ask for Relief—President Wilson Directs Attention of Public to Their Needs.

The committee of railroad executives, headed by Mr. Frank Trumbull, representing thirty-five of the leading railroad systems of the nation, recently presented to President Wilson a memorandum briefly reviewing the difficulties now confronting the railroads of the country and asking for the cooperation of the governmental authorities and the public in supporting railroad credits and recognizing an emergency which requires that the railroads be given additional revenues.

The memorandum recites that the European war has resulted in general depression of business on the American continent and in the dislocation of credits at home and abroad. With revenues decreasing and interest rates increasing the transportation systems of the country face a most serious crisis and the memorandum is a strong presentation of the candle burning at both ends and the perils that must ultimately attend such a conflagration when the flames meet is apparent to all. In their general discussion the railroad representatives say in part: "By reason of legislation and regulation by the federal government and the forty-eight states acting independently of each other, as well as through the action of a strong public opinion, railroad expenses in recent years have vastly increased. No criticism is here made of the general theory of governmental regulation, but on the other hand, no ingenuity can relieve the carriers of expenses created thereby."

President Wilson, in transmitting the memorandum of the railroad presidents to the public, characterizes it as "a lucid statement of plain truth." The president recognizing the emergency as extraordinary, continuing, said in part:

"You ask me to call the attention of the country to the imperative need that railway credits be sustained and the railroads helped in every possible way, whether by private co-operative effort or by the action, wherever feasible of governmental agencies, and I am glad to do so because I think the need very real."

The conference was certainly a fortunate one for the nation and the president is to be congratulated for opening the gate to a new world of effort in which everyone may co-operate.

There are many important problems in our complex civilization that will yield to co-operation which will not lend themselves to arbitrary rulings of commissions and financing railroads is one of them. The man with the money is a factor that cannot be eliminated from any business transaction and the public is an interested party that should always be consulted and happily the president has invited all to participate in the solution of our railroad problems.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.41
Wheat No. 2	1.38
Wheat No. 3	1.35
Wheat No. 4	1.31
Flax	1.69
Oats	.48
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Rye	1.13
Flour, Best Patent	4.25

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. Jan. 12, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that William E. Rude of Holt, Minnesota who on June 20th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 06812, for Lots 11 12 13 14, Section 1, Twp. 155 N, Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 15th day of Feb. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Allen Adolphson, Alfred Hanson, Nels Gudvangen and John M. Jahr all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

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Holt - Minn.

Please remember that all copy for ads and correspondence of all kinds should reach this office Tuesdays. Perhaps it would'nt be necessary to mention that part concerning the former, but it is fashionable.

Southeast of Holt.

Mr. S. G. Moe went to Grafton N. Dak. on Monday to visit his brother and other relatives and friends.

Tyler Wold and John Ose called on John Skomdahl Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson and children Miss Victoria and Master Floyd visited at the Bricker home on Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Ruppreet on Jan. 25 a baby girl.

John Ose had the misfortune of loosing his watch on Saturday. We hope he will soon find it.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Klungness entertained a number of friends on Sunday.

Northeast of Holt.

Miss Betty Johnson returned to Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. Tom Severson had the misfortune to fall and severely injured his back Monday morning while working around the gasoline engine.

Dehard Johnson was assistant miller at the Severson mill the forepart of the week.

Hjalmer Dover started hauling for a dredge company last Wednesday morning, Charles Horien is driving a team for him.

Leo Horian is chore boy at the H. Dovre home these days.

Mrs. Carlson called at Tom Severson's Thursday afternoon.

How is the sunny side, are they still teasing each other?

Mrs. C. W. Christianson is confined to her home with a severe cold.

Miss Blanche Horian spent Saturday night with Mrs. O. H. Dovre.

A crowd of young folks gathered at the home of Mrs. C. Anderson Saturday evening and made merry until the wee small hours of the morning.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Free Evangelicial Mission Church of Holt, Minn. will be held Thursday, Feb. 25th 1915, at 1 o'clock P. M. in the church. All members are requested to attend. T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

St. Valentine's day is near.

Local Items

T. A. Tobiason will have a public sale March the first.

Ed. Silbaugh looked after business in T. R. Falls Friday.

C. W. Latta was on the sick list a few days the first of the week.

For Sale! Horse, harness, buggy and cutter. Sam Mickelson.

A big crowd attended the moving picture show Monday evening.

Try the Coffee at the new Lunch room in Holt. You'll come again.
Chas. W. Latta, Prop.

B. L. Backe returned home Monday from a business trip to the twin cities.

Herman Heinze returned Monday from a visit with relatives in Wisconsin.

For Trade: Five passenger auto, will trade for good horses. Enquire at this office.

Elmer Brink of St. Hilaire has been running the barber shop during A. H. Huseth's absence.

R. Rierson has greatly improved the interior of his store by putting on steel ceiling, painting etc.

If you want to sell your land this year, now is the proper time to list it with Chas. W. Latta, Holt, Minn.

Arvid and Tony Carlson attended the Elks lodge in T. R. Falls Friday evening.

John L. Hagberg of Dugdale has been visiting the Jacob Nelson family at the restaurant the past week.

Guy Anderson is enjoying his annual vacation and his brother Alfred is running the mail route for fifteen days.

We received a good school report of Dist. 112, too late for this week, so it will be published in the next issue of this paper.

Miss Carrie Nordgaad and Clara Tasta have been holding meetings this week in the Free Mission church and the services have been very helpful. There will be a service to night (Friday) at eight o'clock to which all are invited.

Don't forget that good coffee you used to drink at Huseth's. We are serving the same kind now. Try a cup. A. H. Huseth.

P. A. Riesberg and D. Payne went to Warren Monday on business relating to the new school house. We understand they were advised to await the action of the bond company as they had done all that could be done so far. It is expected that work will soon be resumed and the building completed without further delays.

E. W. Smith of Parkers Prairie, Minn., a farm institute lecturer, addressed a goodly number of our people in the Star hall Wednesday afternoon, on potato raising. Considerable interest was manifested and several are contemplating planting a few acres of potatoes this spring, as it is considered that much of the soil here is particularly adapted for growing a fine grade of potatoes.

Fire! Fire! Extinguishers!

We have taken the agency for the eastern half of Marshall Co., for

Richmond Chemical Fire Extinguishers!

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Jacob Nelson, Holt, Minn.

Synod Church.

The Dorcas Sewing Society for the little girls will meet at the restaurant at two o'clock Saturday Feb. 13th, 1915.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Carl Olson will preach at 10:30 A. M. and 3:00 P. M. next Sunday.

Mrs. T. T. Sollom will entertain the Free Mission Ladies' Aid, at the hotel, Thursday Feb. 25.

The Young People's Society will meet at eight o'clock Sunday evening Feb. 14th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson. A program will be given. Everybody welcome.

For Rent

The S1-2 W1-2 SE1-4 Sec. 25 156 44 and Lot 1 Sec. 30-156-43, 1-2 mile north and about 2 miles west of Holt. Will rent for one year. Good buildings. Holt State Bank.

Creamery Notice

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of The Holt Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Assn will receive sealed bids up to 2 o'clock P. M. of Monday Feb. 15th for filling their ice house from the car, also for furnishing thirty cords of tamarack or thirty-five cords of poplar wood.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

The Sunnyside.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sorum and children spent Sunday afternoon at Nels Lysnes.

Oscar Carlson visited with his sister Mrs. Carl Surmo, Sunday.

The Misses Burndette and Blanche Horien, Tena, Mabel and Alida Johnson, Messrs. Dehard Johnson, Leo and Frank Horian spent Sunday at M. Udstrands.

Misses Irene and Lucy Wegge and Marie Erickson spent Sunday at Lysnes.

Remember St. Valentines' Day, Sunday, and don't forget to send Stina Breta a valentine.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Anderson and Bill Anderson spent Sunday at A. Bjerk's.

A number of young folks were pleasantly entertained at C. Anderson's. Everybody went home with a smile. "Ask Mabel."

Walter Johnson came up from Minneapolis to visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson.

Messrs. Hardy Bjerk, Walter Wegge and Joseph Johnson spent Sunday at C. Anderson's.

A certain young lady is wondering if Ed. met the ghost Sunday evening.

Mrs. N. Lysne called at L. Wegge's Monday.

Miss Selma Wegge left for Strathcona Thursday where she will visit Miss Christine Spjut and Mrs. A. Spjut. The latter formerly Miss Ellen Johnson who taught in Dist. No. 59.

Miss Clara Tvede spent Saturday afternoon at F. Larson's.

School House Notice!

Notice is hereby given that the school board of District No. 152 of Marshall Co., Minn., will receive sealed bids, up to 2 o'clock P. M. of Saturday, Feb. 27th 1915, for building a one room school house.

Plans and specifications on file with the district clerk, sec. 8, Town of Mud Lake.

Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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Don't Put All Your Eggs Into One Basket

In other words, farmers of Holt and vicinity, diversify your crops!

Experience proves the wisdom of not depending entirely upon wheat or any other one crop. We urge our customers and others to get into stock raising and to plant corn and potatoes. Give up some of your land to grass and pasturage. You will be better off in the end just as you will be if you cultivale your balance and acquaintance at this strong bank.

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No sick headache, sour stomach, biliousness or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box now.

Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out to-night and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels or an upset stomach.

Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach; remove the sour, fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great.

A Cascaret to-night straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean, healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken. Adv.

ETIQUETTE OF THE DROSHKY

Being Allowed Selection of Companion One Can Imagine Mode of Travel Enjoyable.

The Siberian method of riding in a droshky requires an etiquette all its own, which, although sometimes surprising to the English traveler who encounters it for the first time, is based upon practical considerations. The danger of being thrown out has determined the prevailing usage, says Mrs. John Clarence Lee in "Across Siberia Alone."

If a gentleman escorts a lady, it is his task to hold her in the carriage—not an easy occupation. He accomplishes it by putting his arm around her waist. A man who fails to do so is considered as lacking in courtesy. When you have become acquainted with the custom, it seems entirely sensible and comfortable, but it seems strange at first to find yourself settling back into a stranger's arms.

An American, who had lived in Russia and whom we met in China, told us that he was driving with a woman physician, a Russian, middle-aged, and of the rotund Russian type. He knew nothing about his duty toward her, and they thrashed round that three-by-five droshky until the woman turned angrily toward him.

"Have you been brought up in the back woods that you don't know enough to hold me in this droshky?" she said.

He immediately put his arm round her waist as far as it would go, and held on hard.—Youth's Companion.

Not a Real Article.

The last minstrel stopped at a back door and said to the housewife who greeted him:

"Give me something to eat, fair dame, and I will tickle your ears with a merry tale of romance."

"But why not tell me the tale first?" the dame suggested.

"No, I must have the food and drink before I talk."

Thereupon the dame slammed the door with the tart reply:

"You're not a merry minstrel; you're an after-dinner speaker."

Natural history neglects to inform us that the female elephant requires a larger trunk than the male.

The meek may inherit the earth some day, but the other fellow has a mortgage on it right now.

"I Eat Grape-Nuts the Year Round

and it agrees with me," writes a doctor, "better than any breakfast food on the market—unless there is one I have not tried."

Grape-Nuts is scientifically prepared to agree with both strong and weak digestions. Long baking—about 20 hours—partially pre-digests the starch cells for quick, easy assimilation.

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"There's a Reason" for Grape-Nuts

—sold by Grocers.

ENGLAND AROUSED BY TEUTON THREAT TO BLOCKADS SEAS

GERMAN ADMIRAL CAUTIONS NEUTRAL SHIPPING AGAINST APPROACHING WESTERN COAST OF FRANCE.

U. S. REGARDS GERMAN THREAT AS SERIOUS

British Foreign Office Statement Indicates Government Authorities Take Threat as One Requiring Prompt Counterstroke—Plan to Sweep Seas Free of Submarines.

Berlin (by wireless to Sayville), Feb. 6.—The chief admiral of the staff of the German navy has issued the following official communication:

"England in on the eve of shipping numerous troops and large quantities of war material to France. Against these English transports we will proceed with all the means of warfare at our disposal.

"Neutral shipping is earnestly cautioned against approaching the northern or the western coast of France, as in these waters such vesels would run the serious danger of being confounded with ships whose purposes are warlike.

"The best route for the North sea is around Scotland."

A Most Serious Development.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Germany's declaration of a naval war zone around Great Britain and Ireland, including the English Channel and the northern passage of the Shetland islands, is regarded here as one of the most serious developments of the war.

It was regarded as highly possible, for one thing, that it would hasten the movement begun by the Latin-American countries for a speedy conference of neutral states to devise means to reduce losses to neutral commerce to a minimum. This movement, it is expected, will have the support of the European neutrals.

At first there were some intimations in administration circles that the declaration might be the subject of a protest by the United States, but the officials view developd that there was little or no ground for that.

England Is Stirred.

London, Feb. 6.—Although referring sarcastically to Germany's threat to bottle up the British Isles by means of submarines as a "paper blockade," England is stirred by this latest development as it seldom has been since the outbreak of hostilities.

The press unanimously subordinates all other war news, not excepting the Turkish attempt to cross the Suez canal, to give prominence to the dispatches from Berlin, while the foreign office statement, following quickly the publication of the German decree, indicates that the government authorities take the German threat as one requiring a prompt counterstroke.

The German press hails this newly announced policy of the navy with great satisfaction.

Some English newspapers declare that the German announcement should, in the end, benefit England, in that it rightfully entitles the British government to declare contraband all foodstuffs destined for Germany.

To Order Destroyers Home.

The British statement says the authorities are considering "more stringent measures against German trade."

It is reported on good authority that orders for part of a British flotilla of destroyers to detach itself from the North sea fleet and report for duty in waters nearer home will be issued.

Call German Threat a Bluff.

Part of this destroyer fleet, it is expected, will be assigned the task of sweeping the seas free of German submarines. Others will be detailed to convoy merchantmen after Feb. 18, when the German admiralty decree becomes effective, until such time as the admiralty is positive that the German undersea terrors no longer menaca shipping. It is possible that a few British cruisers of the Royal type will be assigned to convoy duty to allay the fears of timid shipowners.

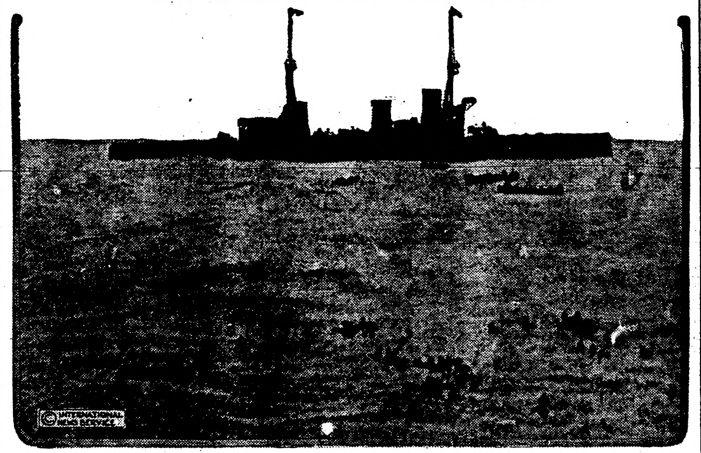
Admiralty shipowners frankly declare the latest German threat a bluff. Neither admiralty officials nor representatives of the big shipping interests would concede for the moment that Germany could carry out its threat to shut off England's food supplies.

Britain turned its eyes toward America. What the United States will say to the German admiralty's announcement that neutral ships may be endangered by German submarines was considered only second in importance to the German proclamation itself.

German Dynamiter in Jail.

Vanceboro, Me., Feb. 6.—Werner Horn, who says he is a German officer, and in that capacity tried to blow up the international railway bridge here, has been removed from here to serve a sentence of thirty days at Machias for the damage the explosion caused on this side of the Canadian border. The case is now ended so far as the state is concerned. The next move, it is expected, will be by the federal authorities, who are concerned with the application of the extradition of the dynamiter to Canada.

FINAL SCENE IN GREAT NAVAL BATTLE



This remarkable photograph, taken from the crow's nest of the British warship Invincible, shows the final scene in the battle between the English and German fleets off the Falkland islands. In the foreground are the survivors of the German flagship, and boats from a British dreadnaught are seen starting out to pick them up.

ATTITUDE OF U. S. AS TO WAR ZONE TEXT UNCERTAIN

PRESIDENT WILSON AND CABINET COME TO NO DECISION AS TO WHETHER THERE WILL BE A PROTEST.

HOISTING OF U. S. FLAG BY BRITISH DISCUSSED

Raising of Stars and Stripes on British Steamer Lusitania, After Charge by Germany That Neutral Flags Had Been Used, May Cause Inquiry.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Although the text of Germany's official memorandum explaining the admiralty's proclamation of a submarine campaign against enemy merchant ships has been delayed in transmission and did not reach the State Department from Ambassador Gerard, publication in the press of the text of the document produced a profound impression on officials and diplomats in the national capital.

As the memorandum revealed that German naval commanders had been given orders "to avoid violence" to neutral ships, it was regarded as much more reassuring than the brief proclamation, though there was some uneasiness over the suggestion in the memorandum that efforts to torpedo enemy merchant ships might unintentionally strike neutral vessels.

Comes to No Decision.

President Wilson and his cabinet have come to no decision as to whether there will be any protest from the United States government, but it is believed that some inquiry might be made to determine what steps are planned to take off passengers and crew from enemy merchant ships as well as neutral vessels, the former because of the great number of American citizens accustomed to travel to Europe on passenger steamers belonging to belligerent powers. The declaration of London provides that all persons aboard an enemy merchant ship must be saved before the vessel is destroyed.

Officials generally were non-committal as to what the position of the United States government might be, but if assurances are given that merchant ships will not be summarily destroyed without giving an opportunity for persons aboard to be saved, it was regarded as certain that the American government, observing strict neutrality, would not protest against the proclamation of the sea zones.

Hoists American Flag.

It was apparent among high officials that the hoisting of the American flag on the British steamer Lusitania immediately after the charge had been made in the German admiralty's proclamation that neutral flags had been ordered used by Great Britain, introduced a phase of the situation which is more likely to call forth diplomatic discussion than the proclamation itself.

Begins Fiftieth Year in Bed.

New York, Feb. 5.—Miss Mollie Fancher, 67 years old, Brooklyn's famous invalid, has begun her fiftieth year in bed and received and answered messages from friends all over the country. In June, 1865, Miss Fanches sustained the injuries that have made her an invalid and an object of interest to physicians. On Feb. 3, 1866, she became helpless and resigned herself to a life in bed. Despite her affliction Miss Fancher has been happy and contented during all these years.

RULERS ARE EYE-WITNESSES

RUSSIAN EMPEROR WATCHES STRUGGLE FOR WARSAW.

Kaiser Joins German Generals in Poland and Visits Trenches—Furious Battle Rages.

London, Feb. 9.—With the German and Russian emperors as eye-witnesses, the armies of Russia and Germany still are contending for the positions which protect the Polish capital of Warsaw from the invaders. The Russian emperor has been at Russian headquarters for several days, and the German report announces that the German emperor has joined his generals and has actually visited some of the troops in their trenches.

Nothing has been disclosed as to the progress of the battle which, when the last reports were received, was raging with unabated fury.

The Russians, according to the official statement, had strengthened their positions on the western bank of the Bzura river, which they had crossed near its mouth, and captured another German vantage point.

They also captured a long line of German trenches near Borjimow, which has been the center of most desperate fighting.

New Battle in East Prussia.

In East Prussia another big battle is developing.

With regard to all this fighting the German official report simply says:

"No essential events have taken place."

The fighting in the west is merely a retpetition of that of the preceding days.

There have been lively artillery duels and a few infantry attacks, in which both sides claim to have gained some ground.

The Italian report of the return of Baron Burian, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, from his visit to the German emperor, says that the Austrian cabinet found the results satisfactory, but were not inclined to give Trentino to Italy and part of Transylvania to Roumania as the price of continued neutrality on the part of those countries.

Turkey has at last given Italy satisfaction for the Hodaida incident. The British consul has been released and the Italian flag saluted.

BODY IS FOUND IN THICKET

Death of Alonzo G. Gardner of Baltimore Caused by Shot in Back—Brother Is Missing.

Welaka, Fla., Feb. 8.—The body of Alonzo G. Gardner of Baltimore was found in a dense palmetto thicket along the banks of Raft creek, near Georgetown, Fla. Death had been caused by a shot in the back of the head. Gardner and his brother, Horace, of Springfield, Mass., have been missing for three weeks.

No trace of Horace Gardner has been found, but the authorities believe he, too, is dead. It is thought both men were killed for the purpose of robbery. The pockets of the brother just found had been turned wrong side out. Both are said to have carried considerable money.

Search for the men was begun immediately after a negro pilot returned here alone Jan. 22 with a yacht the brothers had engaged for use on a hunting trip up the Ocklawaha river. The negro soon afterward disappeared and efforts to find him have failed.

To Hear Case of Dynamiter.

Washington, Feb. 6.—State Department officials say that the next step in the case of Werner Horn, who attempted to destroy a railroad bridge at Vanceboro, Me., would have to be taken by Canadian authorities before a United States commissioner in Maine. Until the hearing is completed and all the evidence gathered there no action will be taken on the formal application for extradition made by Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, on behalf of the Canadian government.

AMERICAN FOOD SAVES BELGIUM FROM STARVING

IF SUPPLY IS DIMINISHED, INHABITANTS WILL DIE, CABLES CONGRESSMAN SCOTT FROM LONDON.

CARDINAL DELIGHTS IN DILEMMA OF GERMANS

Mercier's Eyes Twinkle as He Tells of Communication Asking Him to Deny Statements That He Had Been Deprived of Personal Liberty.

London, Feb. 9.—"The situation remains acute. If the supply of food is diminished Belgium will starve."

This message was cabled by former Congressman Charles F. Scott of Kansas, who is returning from an inspection of relief work in Belgium and France, to former Governor Walter R. Stubbs of Kansas.

While at Malines, Mr. Scott called upon Cardinal Mercier. He was accompanied by Pessain, the printer, who was fined for printing the now famous pastoral letter of the archbishop. Describing his interview with the prelate, Mr. Scott said:

Cardinal's Palace Shelled.

"Cardinal Mercier lives in a fine old palace. The throne room has a big hole in the roof and this, with other holes in the walls, to say nothing of broken windows, tells the story of stray shells which fell around the palace. No German soldiers were seen on guard.

"The Cardinal obviously enjoys the dilemma in which he has placed the Germans. His eyes twinkled as he told the story of his latest adventure. At 6 o'clock one morning, said the archbishop, a German officer and two soldiers brought a communication from the commander asking him to deny statements that he had been deprived of his personal liberty. The denial which had been prepared consisted of four or five typewritten sheets.

"Cardinal Mercier said he requested his callers to return in the evening for an answer, but the officer declared they must await a reply in the cardinal's room. At the archbishop's request, telephonic confirmation of this order was received. Describing his subsequent experience the cardinal said:

Grateful to Americans.

"'It is true no manacles were used to restrain me, but I was to have performed a service in Antwerp and was not permitted to go there. For three days I was restrained in my palace. Two days later I was asked to modify my letters nad wrote another. If the Germans are clever they will publish my first pastoral.'

"The archbishop smiled as he made the final statement. Asked if he had any message for Americans, he said:

"'Nothing except to give the people of your great country assurances of our gratitude. We would have starved had it not been for you. The work of your relief commission has been very efficient.'

Will Not Blockade German Ports.

London, Feb. 6.—Although the Morning Post and other London daily newspapers frequently have urged a blockade of German ports, thus cutting off all cotton and foodstuffs, the British foreign office repeatedly has declared that such a step is not contemplated and announces that its policy is the same as in the past. It is added that the British government has no thought of antagonizing neutral countries whose shipping would be stopped by the closing of the Baltic Sea.

IS CHILD CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

No Criterion.

James Larkin, the Dublin syndicalist, says in his picturesque and figurative way to a New York reporter:

"Never judge a newspaper by its ads, my boy. Never judge a girl by her looks. Above all, never judge a man by his clothes, for the handsomest uniform will invariably be found farthest from the firing line."

Salzer's White Bonanza Oats.

Made C. J. Johnson of Lincoln Co., Minn., famous in growing 243 bushels from 2½ bushels sown last spring. Can you beat that in 1915? Wont you try?

This great Oat has taken more prizes and given bigger and larger yields throughout the United States than any Oat known. It's enormously prolific. Just the Oat for Iowa, Minn., Wis., Ill., Ind., Mich., Ohio, Neb., Pa., N. Y., Kansas and Missouri.

We are America's headquarters for Alfalfa and Potatoes Timothy, Clovers and Farm Seeds.

For 10c in Postage

We gladly mail our Catalog and sample package of Ten Famous Farm Seeds, including Speltz, "The Cereal Wonder;" Rejuvenated White Bonanza Oats, "The Prize Winner;" Billion Dollar Grass; Teosinte, the Silo Filler, etc., etc.

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And we will mail you our big Catalog and six generous packages of Early Cabbage, Carrot, Cucumber, Lettuce, Radish, Onion—furnishing lots and lots of juicy delicious Vegetables during the early Spring and Summer.

Or send to John A. Salzer Seed Co., Box 715, La Crosse, Wis., twenty cents and receive both above collections and their big catalog.

Not Agile.

"Why don't you do the modern dances?"

"Oh, I know all the holds, but I can't slip into them quick enough.—Yale Record.

WHEN KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE GLASS OF SALTS

Eat Less Meat If Kidneys Hurt or You Have Backache or Bladder Misery—Meat Forms Uric Acid.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Adv.

When a man feels like kicking himself he doesn't want anybody else to help.

THIS WOMAN'S SICKNESS

Quickly Yielded To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Bridgeton, N.J.—"I want to thank you a thousand times for the wonderful good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I suffered very much from a female trouble. I had bearing down pains, was irregular and at times could hardly walk across the room. I was unable to do my housework or attend to my baby I was so weak. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did me a world of good, and now I am strong and healthy, can do my work and tend my baby. I advise all suffering women to take it and get well as I did."—Mrs. FANNIE COOPER, R.F.D., Bridgeton, N.J.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record of being the most successful remedy for female ills we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., seem to prove this fact.

For thirty years it has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has restored the health of thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, etc.

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Prompt Relief—Permanent Cure

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS never fail. Purely vegetable — act surely but gently on the liver. Stop after dinner distress—cure indigestion, improve the complexion, brighten the eyes.

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A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

An Unpleasant Subject.

"You say there are no mosquitoes in summertime in your village?"

"None to speak of," replied the suburbanite coldly.

And he obstinately declined to continue the conversation.

SOFT WHITE HANDS

Under Most Conditions If You Use Cuticura. Trial Free.

The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. Nothing better or more effective at any price than these fragrant supercreamy emollients. A one-night treatment will test them in the severest forms of red, rough, chapped and sore hands.

Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

They'd Like to Run.

Bill—I see new shackles for convicts permit a man to walk, as usual, but lock should he bend his knees far enough to try to run.

Jill—That must be hard on the poor fellows when the dinner bell rings.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas H. Fletcher

In Use For Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Proof.

Hokus—What makes you think he is a vegetarian?

Pokus—I have smoked his cigars.—Judge.

For the treatment of colds, sore throat, etc., Dean's Mentholated Cough Drops give sure relief—5c at all good Druggists.

The man who does things can afford to let his wife do all the talking.

Sore Eyes

Granulated Eyelids, Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggist's 50c per Bottle. Murine Eye Salve in Tubes 25c. For Book of the Eye Free ask Druggists or Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago

THOUSANDS FALL; LITTLE PROGRESS MADE IN POLAND

GERMANS FAIL TO MAKE GAP IN RUSSIAN LINES WHICH WOULD OPEN THE WAY TO WARSAW.

RUMANIAN NEUTRALITY VIOLATED, SAYS REPORT

Austrian Invasion in Direction of Important Strategic Position Is Met by Strong Rumanian Force—Austrians Defeated and Driven Back, Says Report.

London, Feb. 9.—Premier Asquith, speaking in the House of Commons, said that British casualties in all ranks in the western arena of the war, from the beginning of hostilities to Feb. 4, amounted to approximately 104,000 men. This includes killed, wounded and missing.

London, Feb. 9.—The German attack in Central Poland thus far has failed to make a gap in the Russian lines, which would open the way to Warsaw and apparently the only result of the battle has been heavy losses on both sides. Petrograd has announced the capture of several German positions, but the general alignment of the opposing armies has not been changed materially. Minor victories there and in northern Poland are reported by the Russian war office.

There is no slacking of activity in the Carpathians, where the Austrians, assisted by German reinforcements, are struggling with the Rusians for mastery of the mountain passes which gave access to northern Hungary. Important successes for the Russians in several engagements are announced officially at Petrograd. It is said that Austrian attacks broke down and that, in addition to inflicting heavy losses on their opponents, the Russians captured 2,500 prisoners.

Rumanians and Austrians Clash.

A private dispatch from Nish, Serbia, describes a battle between Rumanian and Austrian troops which is said to have resulted from an Austrian invasion of Rumanian soil, in the direction of an important strategic position which controls the only Serbian position on the Danube permitting communication with Rumania. According to this dispatch the Austrians were defeated and driven back. There is no confirmation, however, of the Nish report.

The news of the arrival at Liverpool under the American flag of the Cunard line steamer Lusitania is given much space in the English papers. The information was received too late to permit of much editorial comment as yet, but enough has been printed to show that the incident is regarded as one of great importance. It is not generally expected, however, that the British government will take further action unless Washington requests an explanation.

REPORTS ON LUSITANIA CASE

Ambassador Page Reviews Alleged Use of American Flag by British—Developments Awaited.

London, Feb. 9.—Walter Hines Page, the American ambassador in London, has forwarded to the state department at Washington a report on the Lusitania flag incident. The ambassador in his report informally reviews the alleged use of the American flag by the Cunard liner on entering Liverpool harbor Saturday morning, as was related to the members of the embassy staff by Americans who had crossed the Atlantic on the vessel.

It was also expected in official quarters that the British admiralty statement on the incident might come to the state department later in the form of an official communication. While the incident was discussed with interest in official and diplomatic quarters there was no indication of what development it might take.

MEN TO WEAR GAYEST COLORS THIS SPRING.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Suitings of the gayest colors are to be worn by the American man of fashion for spring and summer, according to styles to be displayed at the annual convention of the National Merchants Tailors Association. Not a garment to be shown at the convention will have any suggestion of the war. Suits made of Japanese silk in natural tans, white and other light and bright colors will be worn much during the summer, it was predicted.

Paris Honors Italian Patriot.

Paris, Feb. 9.—General Rioclotti Garibaldi, son of the Italian patriot, arrived in Paris, accompanied by his wife. They were greeted at the station by their four sons. General Garibaldi, who walked with crutches, was deeply touched by the enthusiastic demonstration by the large crowd that gathered. He thanked them for their sympathy. It is understood that General Garibaldi is to consult with the French authorities regarding the standing of Italian volunteers.

ROCKEFELLER AND CARNEGIE DEFEND THEIR FOUNDATION

TESTIFY BEFORE COMMISSION ON INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS—NEITHER BELIEVES INSTITUTIONS A MENACE.

DESIRE TO PROMOTE THE WELFARE OF MANKIND

Steel Magnate Reveals That Donations Total $324,657,599—and Declares His Business Is to Do All the Good He Can in This World.

New York, Feb. 8.—John D. Rockefeller, Sr., and Andrew Carnegie have testified before the Federal commission on industrial relations. They defended the foundations which they have endowed with their wealth and neither would say he believed the institutions constituted a menace to the religious, political or educational liberty of the people of the United States. A desire to promote the welfare of mankind and that alone, they said, prompted them to establish the foundations which bear their names.

Widely different was the manner in which these two men faced the commission and the audience, composed largely of representatives of labor, Socialists, individualists and members of the Industrial Workers of the World. Mr. Carnegie went to the witness stand from a seat in the audience.

Mr. Carnegie enjoyed that. When he left the stand he said he had not spent such a pleasant afternoon in many years.

Gifts Total $324,657,599.

In his testimony Mr. Carnegie revealed that up to the close of last year his donations totalled $324,657,599. His present business, he said, was to do all the good he could in this world. He sketched the growth of his steel business and said "he never had such a good time in his life" as when he was talking to his employes. The men liked him too. "When they call you 'Andy' instead of Andrew or Mr. Carnegie, you know the boys are your friends," said he.

Mr. Carnegie referred to an article which he published in 1888, in which he expressed the opinion that "the man who dies thus rich, dies disgraced." In this article Mr. Carnegie wrote that the day was not far distant when the man who died leaving behind him millions of available wealth, which were free for him to administer during life, would pass away "unwept, unhonored and unsung," no matter to what use he might leave his fortune.

True Gospel of Wealth.

"Such, in my opinion," Mr. Carnegie said, "is the true gospel concerning wealth, obedience to which is destined some day to solve the problem of the rich and the poor and to bring 'peace on earth, among men good will.'"

Since the Carnegie pension fund was founded by himself and the United States Steel corporation, retired employes of the corporation have received in pensions $1,575,021, Mr. Carnegie testified. Last year the total disbursements from the fund amounted to $511,967. There were 2,521 beneficiaries.

"The hero fund, which I was privileged to found," Mr. Carnegie continued, "has always interested me most deeply, perhaps because the idea came to me through personal experience. I could not rest until I had founded hero funds with a capital of $11,790,000.

Rockefeller Testifies.

Mr. Rockefeller was assisted to the witness stand by members of his personal staff.

Seating himself with much difficulty he started to read his answers but his voice was scarcely audible.

Mr. Rockefeller appeared to have aged considerably since he last gave testimony in public. He spoke very slowly and calmly. He declared that his sole motive was to devote a portion of his fortune to the services of his fellow men. He said he regarded the right to rescind the charters of the foundations as sufficient guarantee against abuse of the funds. He told about his meeting with J. F. Welborn, president of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, and W. L. Mackenzie King at a time when there was labor trouble in Colorado.

He told how he directed his business enterprises and the part he played in the administration of the foundations. He said he would accord all men the right to organize, workingmen and business men as well, providing they kept within the proper limitations with respect to the law and the safeguarding the general interests of the public.

Mr. Rockefeller said he would be happy to surrender his holdings either in whole or in part and let the workers have a voice in the board of directors just as well as all other stockholders do, thus giving them of the profits of their labor. He would be very happy, he said, to see the workers be his partners in business.

As for the $100,000,000 he had given to the Rockefeller Foundation reverting to himself or his heirs in the event of the legislature rescinding the charter of the foundation, Mr. Rockefeller said he "Had never allowed himself to worry about that."

$13,000,000 FOR STATE EXPENSES ASKED IN HOUSE

BILL CARRYING APPROPRIATIONS OF $6,284,648 FOR INSTTUTIONS INTRODUCED BY L. C. SPOONER.

SPEEDWAY FIGHT IS CARRIED TO SENATE

Lease of State Fair Grounds for This Purpose Is Urged in Bill Introduced—House Is Asked to Investigate Fire Marshal's Office.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—A number of bills carrying appropriations amounting to more than $13,000,000 to cover fiscal expenses of various state departments were introduced in the house by Representative L. C. Spooner, chairman of the appropriations committee. For the state auditor and state land department $187,260 is provided. Maintenance of the National guard and naval militia and the adjutant general's office calls for an appropriation of $248,580. For improvement of state institutions and new buildings $6,284,648.36 is provided, and $142,200 is stipulated for the attorney general's department. The state historical society asks $46,000 for biennial expenses.

Public schools, libraries and the department of education will need $2,400,900 to cover the fiscal expenses, according to one bill. The executive department of the state government asks $25,400.

For promotion of uniformity of legislation in the United States $1,000 per annum would be set aside to be used under the direction of the state board of commissioners.

Salaries for members of the supreme court and the court attaches and other expenses will be $123,360.

To care for civil war veterans, wives and widows of the Anoka cottages $3,500 yearly would be set aside.

Asks Fire Marshal Probe.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—Investigation of the affairs and management of the state fire marshal's office by the committee on public accounts and expenditures is asked in a resolution introduced in the house by Representative Rodenberg of St. Paul. Notice of debate was given and the resolution went over. After an investigation the committee, in complianc with the resolution, would submit a report on the advisability of placing the office under the direction of the commissioner of insurance. Charges of extravagance in the office resulted in the proposal for an investigation.

Appoints School Investigators.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—The committee to investigate the affairs of the State School for the Deaf at Faribault, in compliance with the resolution introduced by Representative L. C. Spooner, was announced by Speaker H. H. Flowers.

The members are Representatives P. H. Konzen, Hallock; W. J. North, Duluth, and A. F. Teigen, Montevideo. It is probable that the services of an interpreter not connected in any way with the school will be obtained that the testimony of inmates will not be colored in any manner.

Approves Rate Increase Probe.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—The resolution recently introducel by Representative J. G. Gerlich of Mankato authorizing the railroad and warehouse commission to join with the railroad boards of other states in conducting an investigation of the proposed increase in freight and passenger rates in western classification territory, was adopted by the house after considerable debate.

Committee Has Option Bill.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—The F. H. Peterson county option bill, which passed the senate Thursday and came to the house Saturday, was referred to the house temperance committee, of which Representative James Dwyer of Minneapolis is chairman. It was the general opinion that the bill would not be voted on in the house until the middle of next week.

Hearing on Labor Bills.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—The labor committee of the house will hold a public hearing on the compulsory arbitration bill, the bill regulating hours of labor of women, and the measure compelling employers to pay the wages of a discharged employe at the time of dismissal.

Speedway Fight Reaches Senate.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—The fight which has been waged for months between different groups of promoters for the advantage in the financing and construction of a proposed motor speedway between St. Paul and Minneapolis was carried into the State Senate when Senator Frank L. Glotzbach of Faribault introduced a bill authorizing a twenty-year lease of the Minnesota State Fair Grounds for this purpose. Introduction of this measure promises to crystalize and bring into the open the struggle for supremacy.

CANADA ONE OF THE WORLD PROVIDERS

Although Canada's real start in national development as pointed out by the Buffalo Commercial, came slowly and late, as compared with that of the United States, it is now well under way, and very soon there will be a marvelous expansion in agriculture, mining and manufacturing.

The paper above mentioned says that "heretofore the development of Canada, like that of the United States, has been Westward, but unlike this country, the Dominion has a great territory to the North, which has been regarded as all but uninhabitable, but in which recent research has proven there are possibilities of development almost inconceivable." After making complimentary reference to the resources of the country tributary to the Hudson Bay, which will be opened up when the railroad now under construction is completed, the Commercial further says "there are those living today who will see our neighbor on the north a great and powerful nation, and a not insignificant industrial and commercial rival of the United States. The war may retard, but it cannot destroy, Canada's future. And in this expansion no one will more heartily rejoice than the people of the United States, because the prosperity of the Dominion is bound to increase our own."

Herein is the spirit that dominates the Dominion Government when it extends an invitation to Americans to assist in developing the resources that Canada possesses, whether they be mineral, forest, industrial, commercial or agriculture. Both countries will benefit and the United States will be a gainer by having as a neighbor a country whose resources are as great and varied as are those of Canada.

In comparing the United States along with other nations of the world in producing and importing foodstuffs, the Agricultural Outlook published by the United States department of agriculture says:

The United States in recent years has been as large an imperter of foodstuffs as exporter; therefore she cannot be classed as a surplus producer of foodstuffs. This is contrary to popular impression. It is true that she is an exporter of certain articles, but she is an equally large importer of other articles. In this classification tea and coffee are included with foodstuffs. In edible grains the production is 23 per cent more than the amount retained; the production of meats is six per cent more—that is, exports of meat equal six per cent of that retained in the United States for consumption; the production of dairy products is 20 per cent more than consumed; the production of poultry is just about equal to consumption; of vegetables, one per cent less.

An investigation into the production, imports and exports of food products of various countries indicates that England produces about 53 per cent of her food requirements, and imports (net) about 47 per cent; Belgium produces 57 per cent, and imports 43 per cent; Germany produces 88 per cent, and imports 12 per cent; France produces 92 per cent, and imports eight per cent; Austria-Hungary produces 98 per cent, and imports two per cent; Russia produces 110 per cent of her requirements, and exports an equivalent of about 10 per cent; Canada produces 23 per cent more than she consumes; Argentina produces 48 per cent more than she consumes; the United States produces practically no more than she consumes (i. e., exports and imports of foodstuffs almost balance).

With this information before the reader, it is not a difficult matter to direct attention to the fact that Canada stands in a pre-eminent position in the matter of grain and cattle production, and with a large territory yet unoccupied she will always maintain it.—Advertisement.

From the Battlefield

During the recent fighting along the banks of the Aisne a man was badly wounded. The ambulance corps tenderly placed him on a stretcher.

"Take him to the hospital," said the man in charge.

"Slowly the wounded man opened his eyes and whispered faintly.

"What's the matter with the canteen?"—London Tit-Bits.

ASHAMED OF HER BAD COMPLEXION

Many a nice, and otherwise attractive, girl is a social failure because of her poor complexion. If you, too, are embarrassed by a pimply, blotchy, unsightly skin, resinol will probably clear it. Just try resinol soap and resinol ointment regularly for a week and see if they do not make a blessed difference in your skin. Sold by all druggists. Prescribed by doctors for 20 years for most skin troubles. Adv.

Awful Thought.

Yeast—This paper says that 50,000 combinations are possible with a new combination padlock.

Crimsonbeak—Just imagine one of those things on your front door when you got home late at night?

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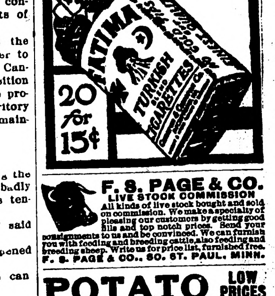
Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and look years younger. Adv.

A woman will forgive a man almost anything—except the fact that he beat her at her own game.



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BEST MARKET for POULTRY—VEAL—CREAM HIDES—EGGS—BEANS Write us for Price List and Tags. THE R. E. COBB CO., 14 E. 3rd Street, St. Paul, Minn.

Virginia Farms and Homes FREE CATALOGUE OF SPLENDID BARGAINS. R. B. CHAFFIN & CO., Inc., Richmond, Va.

WANTED to hear from owner of good farm for sale. Send description and price. Northwestern Business Agency, Dept. A, Minneapolis, Minn.

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Holt, Marshall County Minn.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Dec. 1914.

Cream received	5,299 lbs
Average test	24.91
Butter fat	1,320.18 lbs
Percent overrun	22.12
Butter made	1,612 lbs
Balance on hand last month	16 56
Received for butter shipped	417 63
Butter and milk sold patrons	2 04
Cash sales at creamery	59 24
Rec'd from other sources	10 00
Total	$505 47
Paid patrons by check	434 62
" " " Butter & milk	2 04
Expense fund, etc.	42 01
To sinking fund	8 67
Charges to patrons	10 00
Balance on hand	8 13
Total	$505 47

Number of patrons, 41

Price paid for butter fat, 34 cts

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

We wish to thank the many friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness of Mrs. Newton and want you to know that we appreciate your help and sympathy more than words can express.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newton

East Valley News

Mrs. O. Garthus visited her mother, Mrs. Otto Johnson of Holt a couple of days last week.

Axel Ringo is working for Anton Rodahl.

Bernhard Ordahl who has been attending school here this winter, leaves for his claim in Moose River Township this week.

Sunday School is being held at Rev. Ordahl's.

Geo. Johnson is on the sick list this week.

(Written for last week)

Ole Larson hauled hay last week from Rollis.

J. H. Knutson has sawed wood for Swen Carlson and Carl Surmo.

C. F. Birkeland went to T. R. Falls on business Tuesday returning Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs A. C. Jahr and family and Ole Larson visited at O. Rodahl's Sunday.

The auction at F. B. Bricker was well attended and everything was sold at a fair price.

Ole Garthus attended the wedding of his brother-in-law, Gilbert Johnson, on Wednesday evening of last week at the home the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. August Johnson.

Knute Flakne, Christ Norbeck, and Jacob Gabrielson, school board of district no 152, were over to see our school house one day last week and expressed themselves well pleased with it. They expect to build a new school house in the spring.

John F. Tapper has returned after a two years at Stillwater and has resumed his residence on his claim, on east shore of Mud Lake.

School News

The attendance at school has been very good in spite of the cold weather the past two weeks.

The average daily attendance is nineteen pupils for the first half of the term.

The second grade received new Arithmetics Monday.

The fourth grade made product maps of North America this week.

Oscar Garthus was absent three days last week on account of sickness.

The town will soon vote on incorporating. We expect an election notice for next weeks paper.

We received a letter from Ringbo which we cannot publish because the writer did not sign their name. We do not require correspondents signatures for publication but for our protection and as a guarantee of good faith.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM LAND

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THE RURAL PRESS

The Local Paper a Most Useful Agency on the Farm—The Press, Pulpit and School a Trinity of Influence That Must Be Utilized in Building Agriculture.

By Peter Radford
Lecturer National Farmers' Union

A broad campaign of publicity on the subject of rural life is needed in this state today to bring the problems of the farmers to the forefront. The city problems are blazoned upon the front pages of the metropolitan dailies and echoed in the country press, but the troubles of the farmers are seldom told, except by those who seek to profit by the story, and the glitter of the package oftentimes obscures the substance. A searching investigation into the needs of the farmers will reveal many inherent defects in our economic system that can be easily remedied when properly understood and illuminated by the power of the press.

The rural press, the pulpit and the school are a trinity of powerful influences that the farmer must utilize to their fullest capacity before he can occupy a commanding position in public affairs. These gigantic agencies are organized in every rural community and only await the patronage and cooperation of the farmers to fully develop their energy and usefulness. They are local forces working for the best interests of their respective communities. Their work is to build communities. Their work is to build and their object is to serve. They prosper only through the development and prosperity of the community.

Every farmer in this state should subscribe for the local paper, as well as farm periodicals and such other publications as he may find profitable, but he should by all means subscribe for his local paper, and no home should be without it. The local paper is part of the community life and the editor understands the farmer's problems. It is the local press that will study the local problems and through its columns deal with subjects of most vital importance to local life of the community.

A Noble Task.

In too many instances the country papers mimic the city press by giving prominence to scandals, accidents and political agitation. The new rural civilization has placed upon the rural press renewed responsibilities, and enlarged possibilities for usefulness. It cannot perform its mission to agriculture by recording the frailties, the mishaps and inordinate ambitions of humanity, or by filling its columns with the echoes of the struggles of busy streets, or by enchanting stories of city life which lure our children from the farm.

It has a higher and nobler task. Too often the pages of the city dailies bristle with the struggle of ambitious men in their wild lust for power, and many times the flames of personal conflict sear the tender buds of new civilization and illuminate the pathway to destruction. The rural press is the governing power of public sentiment and must hold steadfast to principle and keep the ship of state in the roadstead of progress. The rural press can best serve the interests of the farmers by applying its energies to the solution of problems affecting the local community. It must stem the mighty life current that is moving from the farm to the cities, sweeping before it a thousand boys and girls per day. It has to deal with the fundamental problems of civilization at their fountain head. Its mission is to direct growth, teach efficiency and mold the intellectual life of the country, placing before the public the daily problems of the farmers and giving first attention to the legislative, co-operative, educational and social needs of the agricultural classes within its respective community.

The Power of Advertising.

The influence of advertising is clearly visible in the homes and habits of the farmers, and the advertising columns of the press are making their imprint upon the lives of our people. The farmer possesses the things that are best advertised.

The farmer is entitled to all the advantages and deserves all the luxuries of life. We need more art, science and useful facilities on the farms, and many homes and farms are well balanced in this respect, but the advertiser can render a service by teaching the advantages of modern equipment throughout the columns of the rural press.

The farmers are in need of personal leadership. They have political leaders, but they need local industrial community and educational leaders.

THE COUNTY FAIR

By Peter Radford
Lecturer National Farmers' Union

The farmer gets more out of the fair than anyone else. The fair to a city man is an entertainment; to a farmer it is education. Let us take a stroll through the fair grounds and linger a moment at a few of the points of greatest interest. We will first visit the mechanical department and hold communion with the world's greatest thinkers.

You are now attending a congress of the mental giants in mechanical science of all ages. They are addressing you in tongues of iron and steel and in language mute and powerful tell an eloquent story of the world's progress. The inventive geniuses are the most valuable farm hands we have and they perform an enduring service to mankind. We can all help others for a brief period while we live, but it takes a master mind to tower into the realm of science and light a torch of progress that will illuminate the pathway of civilization for future generations. The men who gave us the sickle, the binder, the cotton gin and hundreds of other valuable inventions work in every field on earth and will continue their labors as long as time. Their bright intellects have conquered death and they will live and serve mankind on and on forever, without money and without price. They have shown us how grand and noble it is to work for others; they have also taught us lessons in economy and efficiency, how to make one hour do the work of two or more; have lengthened our lives, multiplied our opportunities and taken toil off the back of humanity.

They are the most practical men the world ever produced. Their inventions have stood the acid test of utility and efficiency. Like all useful men, they do not seek publicity, yet millions of machines sing their praises from every harvest field on earth and as many plows turn the soil in mute applause of their marvelous achievements.

FARMER RADFORD ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE

The home is the greatest contribution of women to the world, and the hearthstone is her throne. Our social structure is built around her, and social righteousness is in her charge. Her beautiful life lights the skies of hope and her refinement is the charm of twentieth century civilization. Her graces and her power are the cumulative products of generations of queenly conquest, and her crown of exalted womanhood is jeweled with the wisdom of saintly mothers. She has been a great factor in the glory of our country, and her noble achievements should not be marred or her hallowed influence blighted by the coarser duties of citizenship. American chivalry should never permit her to bear the burdens of defending and maintaining government, but should preserve her unsullied from the allied influences of politics, and protect her from the weighty responsibilities of the sordid affairs of life that will crush her ideals and lower her standards. The motherhood of the farm is our inspiration; she is the guardian of our domestic welfare and a guide to a higher life, but directing the affairs of government is not within woman's sphere, and political gossip would cause her to neglect the home, forget to mend our clothes and burn the biscuits.

RURAL SOCIAL CENTERS

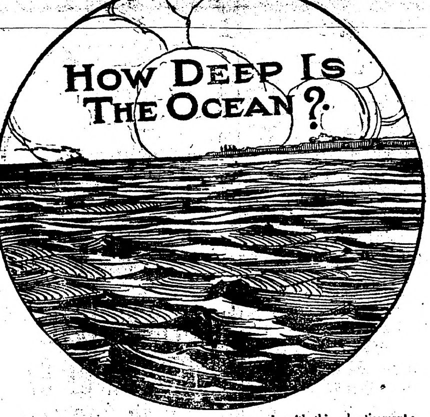
We need social centers where our young people can be entertained, amused and instructed under the direction of cultured, clean and competent leadership, where aesthetic surroundings stir the love for the beautiful, where art charges the atmosphere with inspiration and power, and innocent amusements instruct and brighten their lives.

To hold our young people on the farm we must make farm life more attractive as well as the business of farming more remunerative. The school house should be the social unit, properly equipped for nourishing and building character, so that the lives of our people can properly function around it and become supplied with the necessary elements of human thought and activity.

Education is a developing of the mind, not a stuffing of the memory. Digest what you read.

Old men have visions, young men have dreams. Successful farmers plow deep while sluggards sleep.

The growing of legumes will retard soil depletion and greatly add to its power to produce.


HOW DEEP IS THE OCEAN?

You wonder what the above question has to do with this advertisement:

JUST THIS—Thousands of simple but very interesting questions like this arise continually, to say nothing of the more serious kind as, for instance, questions about crop productions, national reform legislation, athletic records, the year's important news events and many other vital subjects; and—perhaps not one in every hundred persons you know can answer a single question accurately.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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VOL. IV. HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY, 19, 1915 NO. 32

Local Items

Chris Yttri returned home from Wis. last week Friday.

Found: A bracelet. Prove property and pay for this notice.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelgren returned home Monday from Canada.

Mrs. Anna Larson went to Elm Lake Monday to visit relatives.

For Trade: Five passenger auto, will trade for good horses. Enquire at this office.

A. H. Huseth returned Monday from a couple of weeks visit with relatives in Wisconsin.

Don't forget that good coffee you used to drink at Huseth's. We are serving the same kind now. Try a cup. A. H. Huseth.

Miss Mabel Knutson returned Wednesday from Crookston where in company with one of her pupils, she attended the spelling contest.

The Misses Cora Hanson and Dagny Bakke visited at the A. C. Kvennes home in Middle River Saturday and Sunday and attended the dance Saturday evening.

The Holt Telephone Co. met on Monday and elected Lewis Wegge, President; A. L. Carlson, Sec'y; and B. Docken, Treas. They voted to charge 10c for each call for a month instead of making an assessment.

J. B. Alkenbrack has sold an acre of land, between his residence and John Johnson's to Mrs. Harriet E. Thornton of Marietta, Ohio, and she will build a residence thereon early in the spring. Consideration $50.00.

The school board served three days notice on C. M. Wilson Monday to quit the school house job on account of his failure to put in a new foundation, as party agreed on sometime previously. They also notified the bond company by registered mail Tuesday of their action. It is possible, the bond company may complete the school house in order to protect themselves.

The Sunnyside.

The Sunnyside was snow ed in so deeply last week that it has scarcely emerged to the surface yet.

Miss Lydia Bjerk went to St. Hilaire Friday to visit her cousin Miss Minnie Johnson.

Herman Ohm of T. R. Falls visited over Sunday at L. Wegge's.

Yes "Merrymakers" the "Jolly Bunch" are still teasing each other and according to present indications will continue to do so for some time.

Miss Selma Wegge returned from Strathcona Thursday.

Frank Horn of T. R. Falls spent the week end at Ed. Horien's.

The Sunnyside earnestly hopes that the Ringbo correspondent will not fail to sign his name next time.

Miss Marie Erickson went to T. R. Falls Thurday returning Saturday.

An issue of greatest importance to Sunnyside and Ringbo than the war: Who is Stina Brita?

A horse, several calves, and lot of farm machinery and a couple of cook stoves will be sold at public auction by T. A. Tobiason March 1st

Mr. and Mrs. Docken and the two teachers attended the play in T. R. Falls Friday evening by the Antlers club entitled the Court of King Cole, a musical comedy.

Ed. Bjerk visited relatives in St. Hilaire Friday.

The ladies club were entertained Monday evening by Mesdames J. B. John Alkenbrack.

Miss Amanda Mickelson came home from Crookston Friday and visited until Tuesday.

Come to the prayer meeting at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. Speaking and singing in both languages.

Last Friday was the birthday of the savior of our nation and Monday is the birthday of the father of our country. These men were true patriots such as we need in this day and age.

Notice To Dragging Contractors.

Bids will be received by the Co. Board of Marshall County, at 2 P. M., March 16, 1915 for dragging State Road No. 7 during 1915, from the Pennington Co. line to the SW corner of section 9, Holt Twp, a distance of 11 1-2 miles.

Specifications for above work on file in the County Auditor's office.

By order of the Board.
A. G. Lundgren
(Seal) County Auditor.
3-5

Fire! Fire! Extinguishers!

We have taken the agency for the eastern half of Marshall Co., for

Richmond Chemical Fire Extinguishers!

We can sell you cheap, any size Fire Extinguisher, and as many as you wish. They never fail and are always ready. Cheaper than a fire insurance policy.

Jacob Nelson, Holt, Minn.

School House Notice!

Notice is hereby given that the school board of District No. 152 of Marshall Co., Minn., will receive sealed bids, up to 2 o'clock P. M. of Saturday, Feb. 27th 1915, for building a one room school house.

Plans and specifications on file with the district clerk, sec. 8, Town of Mud Lake.

Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Julia Flakne, Clerk
Flakne, Minn.

New Jewell Hotel
1519 E. FIFTH ST.
ST. PAUL, MINN.
OPPOSITE CITY HALL
MODERN EUROPEAN PLAN

LOCATED IN HEART OF BUSINESS DISTRICT
RATES: Rooms with detached bath and shower bath—
One person 75c, $1.00 and $1.50 per day.
Two persons in same room, 50c extra.
ROOMS with private baths and toilets—
One person $1.50 and $2.00 per day.
Two persons in same room, $1.00 extra.
Send postal card for colored blotters.
WE AIM TO PLEASE

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mrs. T. T. Sollom will entertain the Free Mission Ladies' Aid, at the hotel, Thursday Feb. 25.

Prayer meeting at 3 o' clock in the afternoon. Speaking and singing in both languages. Everybody invited.

For Rent

The S1-2 W1-2 SE1-4 Sec. 25 156 44 and Lot 1 Sec. 30-156-43, 1-2 mile north and about 2 miles west of Holt. Will rent for one year. Good buildings. Holt State Bank.

East Valley News

Miss Inga Johnson returned to her home last Saturday after several months spent in Holt.

Nels Larson and sisters Anna and Mabel visited at A. C. Jarh's Sunday.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl will preach at the Rosand school house next Sunday at 11 A. M. and at the East Valley school house 3 P. M.

A valentine box was had at the school house Monday and was very much enjoyed by all the pupils. Norman Rodahl presided as Post Master.

The storm last Sunday left the roads in a bad condition.

There was no school on Wednesday so as to let the teacher and pupils attend the Ladies Aid annual sale at Rodahl's.

Mrs. Reisberg and Mrs. Adolph Sollom gave a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening Feb. 16 —15 at the home of Mrs. P. A. Reisberg, in honor of Miss Bella Sollom who is to become a bride in the near future. The color scheme was carried out in red and white and the pretty red hearts which was in evidence, indicated that Cupid had conspired and won out. The evening was pleasantly spent in various games and contests which all enjoyed. Mrs. Huseth and Miss Edna Reisberg favored the ladies with music which was beautifully rendered and appreciated by all. Several poems of well known authors were read by different ones, and Miss Lyda Reisberge also read the singer's climax which every one enjoyed. A delicious luncheon was served, the guests departing to their homes at a late hour, after spending a most delightful evening.

A Simple Test

James J. Hill has said— If you want to know whether you are destined to be a success or a failure in life, you can easily find out. The test is simple and it is infallible:

Are You able to Save Money?

If not, drop out. You will lose. You may think not but you will lose as sure as sure as you live. The seed of success is not in you.

HUNDREDS OF PERSONS are on the road to success through the aid of a savings account with this bank.

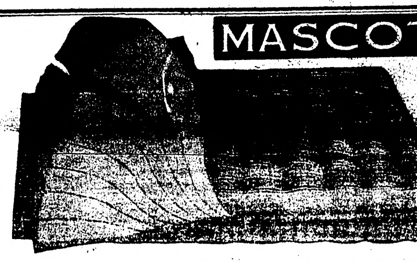
Your First Deposit May be $1

Holt State Bank

D. B. Bakke, President

A. D. STEPHENS, Vice-President B. DOCKEN, Cashier

The Bank of Security-Service-Courtesy



A. E. I. O. U. & X., $5 to $20

Northwestern Bedding & Mfg. Co.
St. Paul, Minn.

Please send me FREE your Mascot catalog.

Name

Town

State

COUPON

Spot Light Sale!

Beginning Saturday Feb. 20

Continuing All Next Week

A Glance at this ad will convince you that we are offering many timely and necessary Staples at Prices heretofore Considered Impossible. During this Sale we will show in our store many other big Values not appearing in this ad. Come and look for the Yellow Tags, they will save you money.

Men's Overcoats, Regular Price $6.00 to 17.00 now only

Half Price

Boy's and Young Men's Over-Coats regular price $4.00 to 8.00

Half Price

Mens Flannel Shirts Reg. Prices $1.00 to 3.00, now one third off

Cotton Flannel

We are overstocked on above and must make room for Spring Goods that will soon be here.

Regular	15c	Flannel,	now	11c
"	12 & 12-2c	"	"	9c
"	10c	"	"	7c
"	8c	"	"	5c

Boy's Flannel Shirts Reg. Prices 60c to $1.00 now one third off

Sale Starts Saturday Feb. 20th, and ends Saturday Feb. 27th

This Sale will be for Cash, only.

Produce same as Cash

C. H. Gunheim, Holt, Minn.

Public Sale!

Horse, Calves,

Farm Machinery, Cook

Stoves, Etc. Etc.

March the first

T. A. Tobiason, Prop.

New Dray Line!

All kinds of light and heavy hauling and team work, done Promptly and at Reasonable Rates.

John Alkenbrack
Holt Minn.

V-I-V-O

The Best there is in Flour

Every sack Guaranteed

Our Elevator and Lumber Yard are always prepared to give the most satisfactory service.

Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.,

A. R. JONES, Agent, - - HOLT, MINN.

Do we owe you, or you owe us?

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Physician and Surgeon
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Thief River Falls Minnesota

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Office in McGinn Block
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Alfalfa PUREST ON EARTH

More than 30 years ago Salzer's Catalog boomed Alfalfa, years before other seedsmen thought of its value. Today Salzer excels! His Alfalfa strains include Grimm, (Montana Liscom, Agr. College inspected). Salzer's Dakota Registered No. 30—all hardy as oak.

For 10c in Postage

We gladly mail our Catalog and sample package of Ten Famous Farm Seeds, including Speltz, "The Cereal Wonder;" Rejuvenated White Bonanza Oats, "The Prize Winner;" Billion Dollar Grass; Teosinte, the Silo Filler, Alfalfa, etc., etc.

Or Send 12c

And we will mail you our big Catalog and six generous packages of Early Cabbage, Carrot, Cucumber, Lettuce, Radish, Onion—furnishing lots and lots of juicy delicious Vegetables during the early Spring and Summer.

Or send to John A. Salzer Seed Co., Box 715, La Crosse, Wis., twenty cents and receive both above collections and their big catalog.

Limits in Literature.

"You've read 'The Heavenly Twins?'" asked an Englishman of an Irishman.

"Yes, I have."

"And the 'Sorrows of Satan?'"

"Yes."

"And you have read 'Looking Backward?'"

"How the divil could I do that?" asked Pat.

SAGE TEA AND SULPHUR DARKENS YOUR GRAY HAIR

Look Years Younger! Try Grandma's Recipe of Sage and Sulphur and Nobody Will Know.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is mussy and troublesome.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy." You will get a large bottle for about 50 cents. Everybody uses this old, famous recipe, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look years younger. Adv.

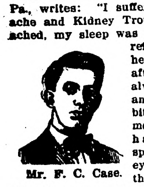
An Old Contention.

"How did she happen to decide that he was her soul mate?"

"He was demonstrating a new dance at her house and broke a costly vase."

"I don't see how she figured that out."

"Neither do I, but there is a great deal in the philosophy of women that can't be figured out."



A GRATEFUL ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mr. F. C. Case of Welcome Lake, Pa., writes: "I suffered with Backache and Kidney Trouble. My head ached, my sleep was broken and unrefreshing. I felt heavy and sleepy after meals, was always nervous and tired, had a bitter taste in my mouth, was dizzy, had floating specks before my eyes, was always thirsty, had a dragging sensation across my loins, difficulty in collecting my thoughts and was troubled with shortness of breath. Dodds Kidney Pills have cured me of these complaints. Dodds Kidney Pills have done their work and done it well. You are at liberty to publish this letter for the benefit of any sufferer who doubts the merit of Dodds Kidney Pills."

Mr. F. C. Case.

Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Write for Household Hints, Dainty Recipes; also music of National Anthem. All 3 sent free. Adv.

No Doubt About It

"Does Wombat own or rent his house?"

"Rents it."

"How do you know?"

"I know all right. He scratches the matches on the paint."

IS EPILEPSY CONQUERED?

New Jersey Physician Said to Have Many Cures to His Credit.

Red Bank, N. J. (Special).—Advices from every direction fully confirm previous reports that the remarkable treatment for epilepsy being administered by the consulting physician of the Kline Laboratories, of this city, is achieving wonderful results. Old and stubborn cases have been greatly benefited and many patients claim to have been entirely cured.

Persons suffering from epilepsy should write at once to Kline Laboratories, Branch 48, Red Bank, N. J., for a supply of the remedy, which is being distributed gratuitously.—Adv.

Perplexed.

Inquisitive Incubator Chick—"Say do they figure your birthday from the day you're laid or the day you're hatched?"—Puck.

TWO BIG BATTLES RAGE AT EXTREMES OF RUSSIAN LINE

CZAR'S FORCES WITHDRAW BOTH IN EAST PRUSSIA AND IN BUKOWINA BEFORE THE AUSTRO-GERMANS.

RHEIMS AGAIN SUFFERS FROM HEAVY BOMBARDMENT

St. Mihiel on the Meuse, Which Germans Have Held Many Weeks, Comes Under Fire of French Guns—No Fighting Reported in Egypt.

London, Feb. 16.—Two big battles it is believed already have begun or soon will begin on the Russian side of the East Prussian frontier and on the River Sereth in Bukowina. The Russian forces have withdrawn both in East Prussia and in Bukowina in the face of superior German and Austrian armies, so that they might concentrate and come into closer touch with their lines of communication.

The official reports make only the briefest references to the operations at these two extremes of the eastern front, but what they do say indicates that the Russians already have reached the lines on which Grand Duke Nicholas has decided to give battle.

Germans Claim Victory.

The rest of the campaign in the east, even the fighting in the Carpathians, which is proceeding under the worst weather conditions, is overshadowed by these greater events, on the result of which both sides are staking so much.

The Germans claim to have won a big victory over the Russians in East Prussia, and the Austrians announce the Russian retirement in Bukowina with elation, but apparently Petrograd views these incidents without misgiving.

In the west there has been a continuation of heavy artillery bombardments in which Rheims has again suffered, and several infantry attacks on different parts of the line, in which both sides claim to have been successful.

From unofficial sources comes the news that St. Mihiel on the Meuse, which the Germans have held so long, has come under fire of French guns, which shows that the French either have made an advance in this region or have brought up heavier guns in an effort to dislodge the Germans.

In Egypt, the Caucasus and in Mesopotamia, there has been no fighting or only engagements which the belligerents do not consider worthy of mention in the official dispatches.

AIR RAID FEARED IN OTTAWA

Three Aeroplanes Reported Flying Toward City—Lights Turned Out —Excitement Prevails.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 16.—Premier Sir Robert Borden received a telegram from Brockville stating that three aeroplanes were seen flying over that place, headed in the direction of Ottawa.

Brockville is about sixty miles due south of Ottawa. The message caused considerable excitement here.

The Brockville message came from the chief of police of that town and stated that three or four aeroplanes had been observed to cross the St. Lawrence river from a point in New York state near Morristown.

The authorities had the street lights of Ottawa turned out and at the same time the lights on the parliament buildings were obscured by the drawing of window blinds.

Lights at Rideau hall, the residence of the governor general, were also turned out. The Duke of Connaught, the governor general of Canada, is on an official trip to Winnipeg to inspect the garrison troops, but the Duchess and the Princess Patricia are at home.

For the first night in its history the royal mint was also in darkness.

FIRST BAYONET CHARGE ON SKIS.

Geneva, via Paris, Feb. 16.—What is said to be the first bayonet charge on skis during the present war was made in the Vosges mountains near Col du Bonhomme. Forty Alpine chasseurs with two officers were cut off by the Germans and were ordered to surrender. They refused and charged down the snow covered slope on their skis into the German trenches where a terrible struggle took place before the French soldiers were overcome.

Snow Storm Grips North Dakota.

Grand Forks, N. D., Feb. 16.—North Dakota is in the grasp of the most severe snow storm of the winter, snow having fallen for the last 12 hours steadily, driven by a fierce northwest wind, has almost completely blockaded country roads, delayed trains for hours and in many localities completely isolated towns from the outside world by damage to telephone and telegraph wires. The storm caught many unprepared and in some localities there is a great shortage of fuel.

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs"

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

When the Laws Met.

The Laws sat about the long green table. All the fundamentals were there save one. Even the decrepit Salic Law was present, dozing between the Mosaic Laws and the Law of Primogeniture.

The chairman, the Law of the Land, called the meeting to order.

"Are we all present?" he asked.

It was the Blue Laws who responded.

"I don't see nothin' of the Law of Nations," he squeaked.

"The Law of Nations has been abolished," the chairman sharply replied. "The business of the convention will now proceed."

TAKE A GLASS OF SALTS WHEN BLADDER BOTHERS

Harmless to Flush Kidneys and Neutralize Irritating Acids—Splendid for the System.

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in avoiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it, because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs which then act normally again.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by uric acid irritation. Jad Salts is splendid for kidneys and causes no bad effects whatever.

Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink, which quickly relieves bladder trouble.—Adv.

The Only One.

"There goes Rev. Dr. Fourthly, one of our most prominent ministers. He stands on a pinnacle alone."

"Because of his great sanctity?"

"No. He's the only minister in town who hasn't preached an antitango sermon."

DISTRESSING PIMPLES

Removed by Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Trial Free.

Smear them with the Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water and continue bathing for some minutes. Repeat on rising and retiring. These fragrant supercreamy emollients do much for the skin, and do it quickly.

Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Speaking of the War.

Patience—I certainly am a foolish girl.

Patrice—What now?

"Why, I followed that advice 'See America First,' and now there's hardly anything left in Europe to see!"

Free to Our Readers

Write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, for 48-page Illustrated Eye Book Free. Write all about your Eye Trouble and they will advise as to the Proper Application of the Murine Eye Remedies in Your Special Case. Your Druggist will tell you that Murine Relieves Sore Eyes, Strengthens Weak Eyes. Doesn't Smart, Soothes Eye Pain, and sells for 50c. Try It in Your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes for Scaly Eyelids and Granulation. Adv.

In the last 25 years the population of Germany has increased from 48,000,000 to 66,000,000.

The clamping head of a new [illegible] can be adjusted at any angle in relation to the handle.

TONE OF U. S. NOTE IS UNWARRANTED DECLARES BERLIN

PROTEST AGAINST SUBMARINE BLOCKADE OF BRITISH ISLES GREATLY COMPLICATES INTERNATIONAL SITUATION.

TEUTONS CANNOT CHANGE POSITIONS, SAYS OFFICIALS

Kaiser Wilhelm and Advisors Agree That It Is Vital That England's Commerce Must Be Checked—Scandinavian Nations Also Object to Proclamation.

PLAN NEW DASH FOR WARSAW

London, Feb. 15.—Emperor William received Field Marshal von Hindenburg on the Eastern battle front and it was decided to make a renewed dash for Warsaw this week, according to a dispatch from Amsterdam to the Exchange Telegraph company.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Following America's lead, it has been learned that Norway, Sweden and Denmark have protested to Germany against its war zone decree. Though less vigorous than the Washington note, the Scandinavian communications were said to stand firmly behind the principle enunciated by the former. It was understood Holland and, perhaps, Italy would protest also.

Berlin, Feb. 15.—(Via wireless.)—It is acknowledged that the German foreign office considers the American note protesting against the proposed submarine blockade has greatly complicated the international situation. The imperial chancellor has gone over the outlines of the note with the foreign secretary. The position already assumed is that the American demand has greatly embarrassed the imperial government and that it will have to be made the subject of a cabinet council.

No reply will be made at present. It is understood that the text of the message has been communicated to the kaiser, who is at the eastern front, and that the chancellor will leave at once to confer with him.

Germany Cannot Change.

Although recognizing the possibilities presented by this latest message sent by the United States, it is insisted in the highest official circles that Germany cannot change her position. It is vital, the emperor and his advisers have agreed, that Great Britain's commerce must be checked and the blockade will be enforced commencing Thursday.

Berlin newspapers, acting, it is believed, under direct orders from the foreign office, have begun a campaign against the "superpatriots" who have been responsible for several demonstrations recently against foreigners, especially Americans. The Lokal Anzeiger prints an editorial which it says is semi-official, severely criticizing all responsibility for the recent demonstration at a theater while the American ambassador, James W. Gerard, was present.

It declares that the "insult was unwarranted," calls attention to the fact that Americans are protecting Germans and German interests in all of the hostile countries and declares that Americans must be given "the utmost courtesy and hospitality."

The newspapers all declare that the acts complained of have been the work of a "few misguided individuals" and are not in any way typical of Germany.

The few officials who have knowledge of the text of the note frankly declare that they believe its tone is not warranted by the circumstances. Officials generally insist that inasmuch as England is "plainly trying its best to starve out Germany, including its civilian and non-combatant population," an act of retaliation will be justified. It is declared that recent assurances given to all neutrals that Germany will "protect all neutral shipping to the utmost of her power" is, in itself, an answer to the demands of the United States.

Fund for Jewish War Sufferers.

New York, Feb. 15.—An appropriation of $200,000 for the relief of Jewish war sufferers has been made by the American Jewish relief committee for sufferers from the war, according to an announcement just made public. The amount will be divided equally between Russian and German Poland.

Wheat Drops Ten Cents.

Minneapolis, Feb. 15.—Wheat made a precipitate drop of nearly 10 cents on the local market. When it reached the low point, $1.41½, which was 9⅝ cents below the close of the previous day's market, it rallied to $1.45⅝ at the close.

Claim Shells Made in U. S.

Berlin, Feb. 15.—For the first time the claim that American manufactured ammunition is being used by the allies, is made in an official statement. The report declares: "On our west front artillery shells were found which doubtless were manufactured in the United States. All the attacks of the enemy on our front have been repelled, and in the fighting east of Souan our prisoners were increased by 44 officers and 468 men. In addition 200 dead were found."

"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath, Sour Stomach and constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now.

No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels—you always get the desired results with Cascarets.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets to-night; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All stores sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a cleansing, too. Adv.

Very Much So.

"Didn't you think the operatic prima donna had an unusually high voice?"

"I should say she had! My seat cost me five dollars."

SKIN DISEASES QUICKLY YIELD TO THIS TREATMENT

If you have eczema, ringworm or other itching, burning, unsightly skin-eruption, try resinol ointment and resinol soap and see how quickly the itching stops and the trouble disappears, even in a severe, stubborn case. Resinol ointment is also an excellent household remedy for pimples, dandruff, sores, burns, wounds, chafings, and for a score of other uses where a soothing, healing application is needed. Every druggist sells resinol ointment and resinol soap. Adv.

A "Flying" Malady.

The doctors are puzzled concerning a strange malady that has broken out at more than one aeroplane works, and has in one case ended fatally. The malady in some respects resembles yellow jaundice, and it is, rightly or wrongly, attributed to contact with an aeroplane "dope," or to inhaling its odor.

Further particulars need not at the moment be indicated, but it has been suggested that the source of the trouble may be amyl acetate, which is used as a "dope" solvent. Some mystery attaches to the affair, the precise nature of the malady not having yet been determined, in spite of close examination and analysis; and, of course, until success is attained in this direction no satisfactory precautions or remedy can be devised.

At Last It's Reached.

Father Vaughan tells a good story of a certain minister who was preaching on "Perfection." "Did you ever know anyone to be perfect?" he asked. "Did you ever read of any man or woman who was quite perfect?"

As he paused and looked around among his audience, a pale-faced woman rose up and said: "Yes, from all accounts, my husband's first wife was perfect."

Sure Enough.

Bacon—It is stated that it takes an average of 5,867 bullets to kill a single man in the present war.

Egbert—Why, where in the world are the innocent bystanders?

KNOW NOW

And Will Never Forget the Experience

The coffee drinker who has suffered and then been completely relieved by changing from coffee to Postum knows something valuable. There's no doubt about it.

"I learned the truth about coffee in a peculiar way," says a California woman. "My husband who has, for years, been of a bilious temperament decided to leave off coffee and give Postum a trial, and as I did not want the trouble of making two beverages for meals I concluded to try Postum, too. The results have been that while my husband has been greatly benefited, I have myself received even greater benefit.

"When I began to drink Postum I was thin in flesh and very nervous. Now I actually weigh 16 pounds more than I did at that time and I am stronger physically and in my nerves, while husband is free from all his ails.

"We have learned our little lesson about coffee and we know something about Postum, too, for we have used Postum now steadily for the last three years and we shall continue to do so.

"We have no more use for coffee—the drug drink. We prefer Postum and health."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Postum comes in two forms.

Regular Postum—must be well boiled 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—is a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers

WOMAN WOULD NOT GIVE UP

Though Sick and Suffering; At Last Found Help in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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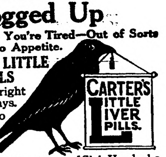

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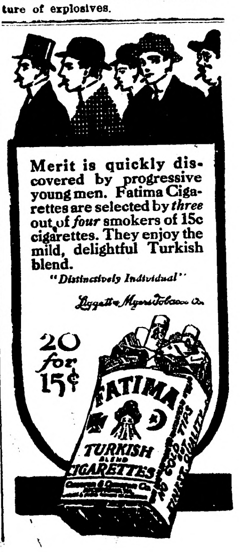
Last year in the United States 133 men lost their lives in the manufacture of explosives.



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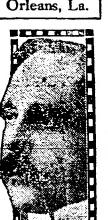

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A story is going the rounds in Washington about Secretary of the Navy Daniels which may or may not reflect credit on that official, according to the point of view. According to this story the secretary was one morning conferring with an officer and in the middle of his conference interrupted the proceedings to say: "This is the second morning that I have smelled whisky on your breath, sir!"

To which the officer is said to have replied: "I beg your pardon, Mr. Secretary, it was whisky yesterday, but it is gin this morning."

No name has been allowed to leak out in connection with this story, and it may be that there is more fiction than fact in it.—Boston Transcript.

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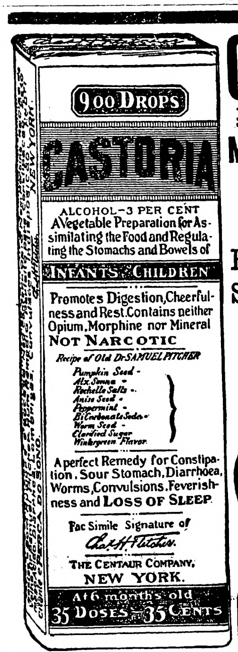

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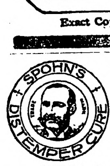

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SPEEDWAY FIGHT IS CARRIED TO SENATE

Lease of State Fair Grounds for This Purpose Is Urged in Bill Introduced—House Is Asked to Investigate Fire Marshal's Office.

St. Paul, Feb. 10.—A number of bills carrying appropriations amounting to more than $13,000,000 to cover fiscal expenses of various state departments were introduced in the house by Representative L. C. Spooner, chairman of the appropriations committee. For the state auditor and state land department $187,260 is provided. Maintenance of the National guard and naval militia and the adjutant general's office calls for an appropriation of $243,580. For improvement of state institutions and new buildings $6,284,648.36 is provided, and $142,200 is stipulated for the attorney general's department. The state historical society asks $46,000 for biennial expenses.

Public schools, libraries and the department of education will need $2,400,900 to cover the fiscal expenses, according to one bill. The executive department of the state government asks $25,400.

For promotion of uniformity of legislation in the United States $1,000 per annum would be set aside to be used under the direction of the state board of commissioners.

Salaries for members of the supreme court and the court attaches and other expenses will be $123,360.

To care for civil war veterans, wives and widows of the Anoka cottages $3,500 yearly would be set aside.

Asks Fire Marshal Probe.

St. Paul, Feb. 10.—Investigation of the affairs and management of the state fire marshal's office by the committee on public accounts and expenditures is asked in a resolution introduced in the house by Representative Rodenberg of St. Paul. Notice of debate was given and the resolution went over. After an investigation the committee, in compliance with the resolution, would submit a report on the advisability of placing the office under the direction of the commissioner of insurance. Charges of extravagance in the office resulted in the proposal for an investigation.

Appoints School Investigators.

St. Paul, Feb. 10.—The committee to investigate the affairs of the State School for the Deaf at Faribault, in compliance with the resolution introduced by Representative L. C. Spooner, was announced by Speaker H. H. Flowers.

The members are Representatives P. H. Konzen, Hallock; W. J. North, Duluth, and A. F. Teigen, Montevideo. It is probable that the services of an interpreter not connected in any way with the school will be obtained that the testimony of inmates will not be colored in any manner.

Approves Rate Increase Probe.

St. Paul, Feb. 10.—The resolution recently introduced by Representative J. G. Gerlich of Mankato authorizing the railroad and warehouse commission to join with the railroad boards of other states in conducting an investigation of the proposed increase in freight and passenger rates in western classification territory was adopted by the house after considerable debate.

Committee Has Option Bill.

St. Paul, Feb. 10.—The F. H. [illegible] county option bill, which passed the senate Thursday and came to the house Saturday, was referred to the house temperance committee, of which Representative James Dwyer of Minneapolis is chairman. It was the general opinion that the bill would not be voted on in the house until the middle of next week.

Hearing on Labor Bills.

St. Paul, Feb. 10.—The labor committee of the house will hold a public hearing on the compulsory arbitration bill, the bill regulating hours of labor of women, and the measure compelling employers to pay the wages of a discharged employe at the time of dismissal.

Speedway Fight [illegible]

St. Paul, Feb. 10.—The fight which has been waged for months between different groups of promoters for the advantage in the financing and construction of a proposed motor speedway between St. Paul and Minneapolis was carried into the State Senate when Senator Frank E. Glotzbach of Faribault introduced a bill authorizing a twenty year lease of the Minnesota State Fair Grounds for this purpose. Introduction of this measure promises to crystallize and bring into the open the struggle for supremacy.

COUNTY OPTION BILL PASSED

Is Carried in Senate by Vote of 36 to 31—Consequences of Passage Declared to Be Far Reaching.

St. Paul, Feb. 6.—For the first time in history county option has passed one house of the Minnesota legislature. After an afternoon of oratory, mutually conceded to be wasted, the vote was 36 to 31. The house has not acted on the bill yet.

The consequences of the passage of the measure by the senate were declared to be far-reaching. Extraordinary as it may seem the passage of the county option bill likely will result in dividing St. Louis county into two counties, and, equally as extraordinary, is also likely to result in passage of a tonnage tax bill.

St. Louis Senators Decide Issue.

Two St. Louis county senators, Adams of Duluth and Griggs of Virginia, put the result of the vote on county option beyond doubt before the senate went into session at 2:30 p. m. These two senators whispered the word to friends that they had made up their minds to vote for the bill.

To understand how the vote on county option might reach out to tonnage tax and division of St. Louis county, it must be recalled that in the many years in which tonnage tax has been fought by the St. Louis county delegations they have always been aided by the anti-county option faction. It is this faction which time and again defeated tonnage tax.

Tonnage Tax May Suffer.

St. Paul, Feb. 6.—Following the passage of a county option bill by the Minnesota senate, Governor W. S. Hammond has issued a statement asking the house to dispose of the question at once. In his statement the governor says that his attitude on the bill was made clear in his Red Wing campaign speech, where he said he would sign any measure concerning public policy passed by the legislature. His statement is taken by members of the legislature to mean that he will sign the bill if it is passed by the house.

Interest in the legislature centered in the rumor that in retaliation for the passing of the bill, which was supported by two St. Louis county senators whose votes were considered doubtful, brewery interests will throw their active support to the passage of a tonnage tax bill.

Many of the senators who voted against the bill declared they would resent any attempt on the part of the brewery interests to take a hand in the ore tonnage tax.

EFFICIENCY REPORT MARCH 2

Introduction of Resolution on Time Limit Causes Bitter Debate in the House.

St. Paul, Feb. 8.—The special committee of the house which has been holding public meetings on the efficiency and economy bill must submit its report not later than March 2, in compliance with resolutions adopted after a protracted and at times bitter debate.

When the resolution introduced by Representative E. E. Adams of Fergus Falls instructing the committee to report not later than Feb. 15 came up, Representative Charles Warner of Aitkin offered an amendment changing the date to March 2.

The resolution of Sam Y. Gordon to appoint a separate committee to investigate the "so called needless departments" of the state was drawn into the debate.

SPECIAL FISH AND GAME FUND PROPOSED IN SENATE

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—Through the haze of discriminate and indiscriminate efficiency and economy talk in the legislature there stands revealed one state department scheduled for an appropriation increase commensurate with its requirements. It is the game and fish department.

Throughout all Minnesota there is an awakened public sentiment in favor of game and fish protection which not only promises an adequate legislative appropriation but a more effective enforcement of the game laws.

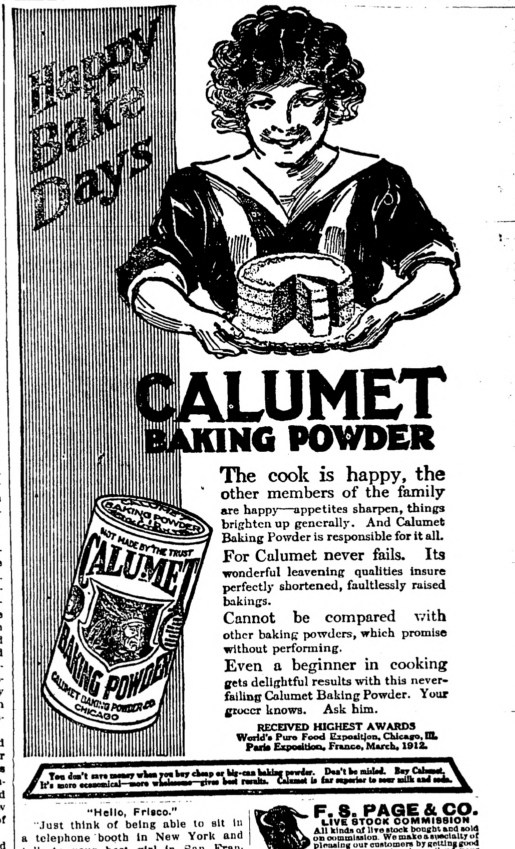
Senator John H. Baldwin of Frazee arose in the senate chamber and asked that his bill providing that all moneys received from game and fish licenses, approximately $65,000 a year, be turned into a special fund to be known as the game and fish fund and that this fund be devoted to the protection of game and fish.

On motion of Senator Rockne chairman of the finance committee, the bill went temporarily to the finance committee for consideration but Senator Rockne and senators from many portions of Minnesota expressed themselves as favorable to an entirely adequate appropriation for this state department.

Senator Baldwin explained that this bill expresses the desires of the sportsmen's organizations of the state, that it is but devoting to proper game and fish protection the moneys which hunters and fishermen turn into the state treasury for the privilege of these sports at proper seasons.

Debate [illegible]

St. Paul, Feb. 6.—A [illegible] session of the Minnesota house of representatives was suddenly [illegible] when the joint resolution memorializing congress to grant greater political freedom to civil service employes came up for debate. After long debate, during which personalities were hurled across the chamber by Representative H. H. Harrison of Stillwater and Representative A. O. Devold of Minneapolis, author of the proposal, the resolution was indefinitely postponed.



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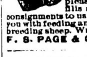

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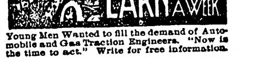

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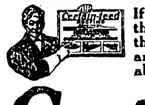

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Southeast of Holt.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Soiney on Sat. Feb. 13th

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Larson and son Chester came down from Golden Valley for a visit with relatives on Saturday.

Engebreth Moe of Mud Lake spent Sunday and Monday at the S. G. Moe home.

Olav Dale who has been visiting at the Sordahl home for some time left for Bemidji on Wednesday of last week where he is employed in a saw mill.

Alfred Klunganess and Targie Sordahl have been busy grinding feed and sawing wood lately.

Our local school maam attended a dance at St. Hilaire last week.

A. Klungness is enjoying a visit with a relative from S. Dak.

Mrs. Carl Christopherson and children and Miss Anna Johnson of T. R. Falls visited at the Skomedahl home.

A party is gitting ready to "shiveree" Arvid in the near furture.

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Northeast of Holt.

Gunder Sorter lost a valuable cow one day last week.

A party of young people spent Sunday afternoon at M. Unstrand's

The Young Peoples Society met at the E. A. Johnson home Monday evening instead of Sunday, on account of the storm.

A large crowd attended the meetings at Herman Heinzes Thursday.

Mrs. Erick Johnson and daughter Tina called on Mrs. Ole Davidson Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson called on Mrs. O. H. Dovre Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Erick Johnson called on Mrs. Henry Erickson one day last week.

Mrs. Tina Johnson visited Miss Lizzie Hanson Monday afternoon.

A large crowd attended the picture show in Holt.

Quite a number of our people attended the meeting at Knutson's Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Erick Johnson visited her sister Mrs. R. L. Olson, the first of the week and attended the meetings at the Free Mission church in Holt.

Frank Horn of T. R. Falls is visiting at the home of his sister Mrs. Ed. Horien for a couple of weeks.

C. W. Christianson hauled oats for Gunder Sorter one day last week.

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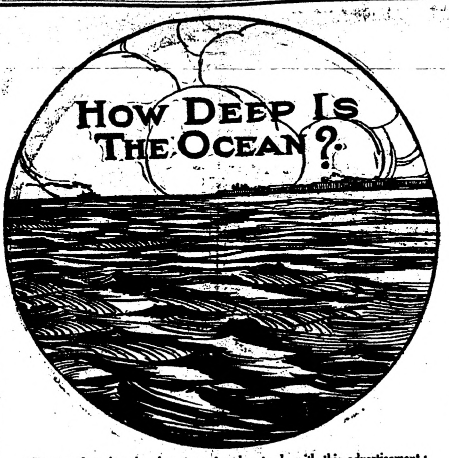
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To the Hon. Co. Board of Marshall Co.

To the Honorable County Board of Marshall County, Minnesota;

We, the undersigned, legal voters residing within the territory hereinafter described, do respectfully petition your Honorable body to call an election for the purpose of incorporating the said territory as a Village, according to the Laws of the State of Minnesota, said Village to be known and designated as the Village of Holt. The territory prosed to be incorporated is as follows:

The Townsite of Holt;

The East Half of Section thirty-two (E1-2 sec. 32) and the West Half (W1-2) of section thirty-three (33), All in Township one hundred fifty-six North (156 N.) Range forty-three West (43 W.), in said County of Marshall and State of Minnesota,

And in support of this petition we respectfully submit the following facts;

(1) The said Townsite of Holt is included in the territory proposed to be incorporated and has been duly platted into lots and blocks and the plat thereof has been duly and legally certified according to the laws of the State of Minnesota and filed in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the said County of Marshall.

(2) The said East Half of Section thirty-two, township 156 N., Range 43 W., adjoins the said Townsite of Holt on the west and is so conditioned as to be properly subjected to village government.

(3) The said West Half of section thirty-three, township 156 N., Range 43 W., adjoins the said townsite of Holt on the south, the east and the north, and is so conditioned as to properly be subjected to village goverment.

(4) The boundries of the said territory so proposed to be incorporated are as follows;

On the south, the south line of said sections thirty-two and thirty-three, begining at the quarter stake on the south line of said section thirty-two and thence east to the quarter stake on the south line of said section thirty-three; on the east by a line beginning at the quarter stake on the south line of said section thirty-three thence north through the center of said section and ending at the quarter stake on the north line of said section thirty-three; on the north by the north line of said sections thirty-three and thirty-two, beginning at the quarter stake on the north of said section thirty-three and thence west terminating at the quarter stake on the north line of said section thirty-two; on the west by a straight line running through the center of said section thirty-two, beginning at the quarter stake on the north line of said section and thence south terminating at the quarter stake on the south line of said section thirty-two.

(5) That on the 16th day of January we caused to be taken an accurate census of the above described territory proposed to be incorporated as a village, and found the total number of persons then resident therein to be two hundred five (205).

(6) The quantity of land embraced within the above described territory proposed to be incorporated is six hundred forty acres, more or less according to the survey thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County of Marshall, State of Minnesota.

(7) No portion of the above described territory is now, nor ever has been, incorporated as a village.

Dated at Holt, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, this 30th day of January 1915.

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Nils Engebretson

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

We the undersigned do solemly swear that we have read the foregoing petition for incorporation of the village of Holt in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, and that we know the statements therein contained to be true; That we personally took the census described in said petition as being taken on the 16th day of January 1915, and that we found the number of persons actually resident within said territory to be two hundred five (205).

P. A. RIESBERG
D. PAYNE
E. M. SILBAUGH

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of Jan. 1915.

B. DOCKEN

Notary Public, Marshall Co., Minn.
(Notarial Seal) My commission expires Nov. 15, 1920.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That at the front room on the ground floor of the building known as Star Hall on lot twenty-one (21) in block eight (8) in the townsite of Holt, in Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 9th day of March 1915, an election will be held at which the electors resident in the territory described in the foregoing and attached petition may vote for or against the incorporation of Holt as a village as therein prayed for. The polls will remain open from the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon to the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

BY ORDER OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF MARSHALL COUNTY MINNESOTA.

O. Enge, Chairman.

ATTEST:

A. G. Lundgren,
County Auditor.

(SEAL).

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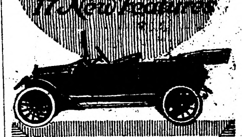

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.36
Wheat No. 2	1.33
Wheat No. 3	1.28
Wheat No. 4	1.24
Flax	1.67
Oats	.44
Barley	49. to .57
Rye	1.07
Flour, Best Patent	4.25

Ringbo Rumbles

Mrs. Helgren from Canada visited her sister Mrs. E. Johnson on Friday.

Tina Johnson and Hilma Nyberg called at H. Erickson Thursday.

E. A. Johnson called at Louis Johnson Saturday afternoon.

Martin Palm has quit C. Martell and moved to Geo. Gusa. How do you like your new bording place Martin?

The Ringbo Owls took in the dance 5 miles northeast of Middle River Saturday night. Everybody had a good time.

Julius Erickson left for Alvarado last Monday.

We are sorry to note that the Sunnyside was snowed in last week, but the Ringbo Owls managed to keep on top as they took in the raffle at Middle River last Saturday night.

Mrs. Ed. Erickson and children visited at Matt Larson Sunday.

A bunch of young folks attended the pray meeting at T. O. Saastad Sunday evening.

I wonder if the Owls won't carry away John Gustrands wood-pile this spring for nesting.

Say Henry who did you take out for a slay ride Sat. night.

Cheer up Pete, Sofie will be coming home pretty soon.

Eddie Davidson was seen going out east Monday. We all wonder where you went.

Oliver Grondoll and Hilmer Davidson called at C. W. Cristenson Wed. evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Oslund from Wanaska have been visiting at R. G. Sorter for some time.

Coupon books are more popular now adays then the hobble skirts have ever been. We wonder what the next fashion craze will be, maybe, "Send to Savage."

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MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM LAND

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CONTRACTS, FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGES BOUGHT

Card parties are getting to be something fierce

Local Items

Found: A bracelet. Prove property and pay for this notice.

Arvid Carlson left Monday for a short sojourn in the twin cities.

Oscar Bottom has been filling the creamery ice house the past week.

Miss Bella Sollom and brother Elmer went to T. R. Falls, Tuesday.

J. M. Ryan has been shipping hay to E. T. Eide at Spooner this week.

Mrs. P. P. Rierson visited relatives in and near Newfolden over Sunday.

Master Merrill Latta was on the sick list for a few days the past week.

A good five passenger auto to exchange for good horses. Enquire at this office.

Dr. R. L. Olson returned Saturday from a professional trip to Baudette and Spooner.

Mrs. A. Lindblad of T. R. Falls, was a guest of the Riesberg family the past week.

Henry Oien and Leonard Jensen were business visitors at T. R. Falls Monday afternoon.

Ole G. Skjelgren left Tuesday for Canada where he will look after business for a few weeks.

The Dorcas Sewing Society, for the little girls, will meet at Sam Mickelson's Feb. 27, 1915.

A. H. Huseth has asked us to announce that he has discontinued the serving of coffee and lunches.

D. Payne sold a bill of lumber Tuesday for a house and barn to Mrs. Graham of Golden Valley.

We understand our local whist players are seriously considering the issuance of a challenge to Steiner.

There was no school on Washington's birthday (Monday) so teachers and pupils enjoyed a short vacation.

Come to the prayer meeting at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. Speaking and singing in both languages.

Miss Lydia Riesberg is clerking in Carlson's store in the place of her sister who has been ill for several days.

Andrew Larson of Warren was in town Tuesday after the plumbers tools he had been using on the school house here.

M. T. Strom returned home Tuesday from a three weeks trip of holdings meetings at different points in this state and Dakota.

A horse, several calves, and lot of farm machinery and a couple of cook stoves will be sold at public auction by T. A. Tobiason March 1st.

The school house has been turned over to the Bond company for completion and it is earnestly hoped that all trouble and delays are now over with.

Misses Betty Johnson, [illegible] Dovre, Nellie Saastad, Myrtle Thomas and Lester Silbaugh enjoyed short vacations at their respective homes, returning to school duties at T. R. Falls, Monday.

The Commercial Club met [illegible] and Saturday evening and drafted a set of resolutions against the passage of the drainage bill which effects ditch No. 11 also petitions are being circulated against said bill.

If correspondents will [illegible] leave two or three blank lines between each local it will be appreciated by the editor and make the work lots easier for the help of the office.

J. B. Alkenbrack received the sad news last Friday of the death of his son James Henry, at his home in Fulton N. Y. on Tuesday Feb. 16th. after several months illness. Mr. Alkenbrack Jr. was 37 yrs. old, and leaves a wife and three children. Sympathy is extended to Mr. Alkenbrack and family in their time of sorrow.

Notice To Dragging Contractors.

Bids will be received by the Co. Board of Marshall County, at 2 P. M., March 16, 1915 for dragging State Road No. 7 during 1915, from the Pennington Co. line to the SW corner of section 9, Holt Twp. a distance of 11 1-2 miles.

Specifications for above work on file in the County Auditor's office.

By order of the Board.

A. G. Lundgren
(Seal) County Auditor.
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School House Notice!

Notice is hereby given that the school board of District No. 152 of Marshall Co., Minn., will receive sealed bids, up to 2 o'clock P. M. of Saturday, Feb. 27th 1915, for building a one room school house.

Plans and specifications on file with the district clerk, sec. 8, Town of Mud Lake.

Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Julia Flakne, Clerk.
Flakne, Minn.

Middle River Has Some Whist Players

The famous whist players of Holt were again for the second time selected for a defeat when the Middle River delegation of 22 strong invaded our town Tuesday evening for a series of whist games. Although Holt lost by only a score of 17 in the last setting, the defeat of last week gives our worthy Middle River players a lead of 70 points.

Our boys, however, take consolation in the fact that they are losing to a very gentlemanly and sociable lot of fellows and the general good feeling and sociability manifest throughout the series more than made up for the defeat our boys suffered.

After the series a sumptous and elegant lunch was served by mine host Silbaugh. Speeches were delivered by Messrs. Carr and Risberg. A very enjoyable time was had by all present and after the lunch the crowd went home rejoicing and no doubt with the impression that it was an evening well spent.

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3 o'clock Prayer Meeting

Rev. A. L. Larson will preach at 11 o'clock A. M. in Norwegian and at 8 P. M. in English, Sunday Mar. 7th.

For Rent!

The N E 1-4 26- 156- 43, cash or share rent. Enquire at Holt State Bank.

For Sale!

Reasonable, a Cutaway Bush and Bog Disc. H. R. Hinchman
19 Golden Valley, Minn.

Notice!

Some one wanted to seed the S W 1-4 Sec. 25, Holt twp. in with timothy. Enquire at Holt State Bank.

Wanted!

One Mare, 1300 to 1400 lbs., buy or trade 31-32 grade Holstein bull 8 months old. Give age and price. H. R. Hinchman, Golden Valley,
5 Minnesota.

For Rent

The S1-2 W1-2 SE1-4 Sec. 25 156 44 and Lot 1 Sec. 30-156-43, 1-2 mile north and about 2 miles west of Holt. Will rent for one year. Good buildings. Holt State Bank.

For Sale!

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H. R. Hinchman, Golden Valley
19 Minnesota

East Valley News

Miss Palma Johnson, who has been staying with Mrs. M. B. Ordahl returned to her home near Golden Valley Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Larson of Holt visited her mother Mrs. Adolphson a few days last week.

Billy Anderson who has been visiting the past two months with his brother Geo. Anderson returned to his home at Forest Lake Minn. on Wednesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Anderson accompanied him as far as T. R. Falls.

The Zion Ladies Aid sale at Rodahl's was well attended considering the bad roads, the proceeds of the sale were about $30.00

Rev. M. B. Ordahl was at Crookston this week. He was also in attendence at a meeting at Goodridge the later part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Johnson of Holt visited at O. Garthus Thursday.

Mrs. [illegible] Anderson of Minot N. D. arrived Friday and is visiting her sisters Mrs. A. C. Jahr and Mrs. O. Eggun.

Services were conducted Sunday at the East Valley school house by Rev. Ordahl. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Johnson was christened Sunday, receiving the name Murnet.

A. C. Jahr and J. M. Jahr left Wednesday to attend the teacher's and school officer's convention to be held at Warren the 25th. and 26th.

Several from here attended the services at the [illegible] school house Sunday.

The [illegible] readers on Monday.

The fourth and second grades received new arithmetic this week.

Geo. Johnson still continues to be absent from school on account of illness.

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[illegible] News!

U. S. VESSEL LADEN WITH COTTON SUNK IN THE NORTH SEA

STEAMER EVELYN BOUND FOR BREMEN IS BLOWN UP OFF COAST OF GERMANY—CREW SAVED.

SUBMARINE OR MINE IS BELIEVED CAUSE

Secretary Bryan Instructs Ambassador Page at London and Ambassador Gerard at Berlin to Make Exhaustive Inquiry As to the Facts.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The United States government has been officially advised of the destruction of the first American vessel on the high seas since the outbreak of the European war. American Consul Fee at Bremen cabled that the steamer Evelyn and her cargo of cotton bound for Bremen had been "blown up at Borkum" just off the coast of Germany, but that the crew had been saved. The cause—submarine or mine—was not given in the dispatch.

After a conference with President Wilson, Secretary Bryan cabled Ambassador Page at London, and Ambassador Gerard at Berlin to make an exhaustive inquiry as to the facts, and if the crew was landed at either of their respective jurisdictions to furnish every care and convenience to Captain Smith and the men, so that they might return home safely.

Zones Not Exactly Defined.

Although the extent of the sea zones of war proclaimed by Germany was never defined exactly, the Borkum islands are considered far distant from the danger areas of submarines, although the waters of that vicinity are filled with mines for defensive purposes, through which Germany always has piloted incoming ships. At the German embassy it was pointed out that the accident must have been caused by a mine, as Germany, sorely in need of cotton, would have no object in topedoing a vessel laden with such a cargo for German consumption.

Early press dispatches from Berlin, announcing the loss of the vessel by a mine, caused somewhat of a sensation in this capital, where the tension has been more or less pronounced over the situation in the war zones since the dispatch of warning notes by the United States to both Great Britain and Germany. It was practically conceded that if the cause of the accident was proved to be a mine, there probably would be no ground for diplomatic action by the United States, as the laying of mines is not prohibited by any international convention now in force.

American Consul Cables.

American Consul Fee's cablegram, forwarded from Bremen through the American consul general at Rotterdam, Holland, gave the State department meager information. It said:

"Steamer Evelyn, Captain Smith, agents Bull & Company, New York, blown up at Borkum. Crew saved. Ship and cargo lost."

Secretary Bryan repeated the American consul's telegram immediately to Ambassador Page at London and Ambassador Gerard at Berlin, with instructions to learn all possible facts concerning the occurrence and give every care to the crew if landed in their respective jurisdictions.

It was generally taken for granted that the vessel was blown up by a mine, but the omission of any mention of cause introduced an element of speculation.

It practically had been decided by the Washington government to make no reply either to the British or German notes concerning the use of neutral ensigns, or possible attacks by submarines on neutral vessels in the new sea zone of war.

Added significance was attached generally to this policy because of the implication that the strong warning sent to both Great Britain and Germany might now be followed by a crisis in the relations of this government with the belligerent if, through their practices, American vessels or lives were lost.

Newspaper Plant Destroyed.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 22.—The building and entire plant of the Register and Leader, morning, and Des Moines Tribune, afternoon newspapers here, were destroyed by fire. The loss exceeds $200,000, about three-fourths of which was covered by insurance.

Gardner Cowles, publisher and principal owner of the two papers, said the plant would be rebuilt immediately. The cause of the fire is unknown

No U. S. Mail Lost.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Although United States mail is constantly going directly or indirectly to every country in the world, so far not one bag has been lost through the activities of the war fleets of the European belligerents. Postmaster General Burleson said he expected no interference with the mail service to result from Germany's sea war zone proclamation. It was pointed out that the mail steamers are fast vessels, carrying passengers and little cargo of the kind belligerents would seek to destroy.

ONE DAY'S TOLL IN THE GREAT NAVAL WARFARE

VESSELS SUNK.

Evelyn, American steamer; sunk by mine off Borkum island in North Sea; captain and twenty-seven of crew saved.

Downshire, Irish coasting steamer; sunk by submarine off Calf of Man in Irish Sea; crew saved.

British transport (?), with troops; reported in Berlin as sunk.

British steamer (?), accompanying transport; reported in Berlin as sunk.

Minesearcher of allies reported by Berlin as sunk by mine near Nieuport.

VESSELS DAMAGED

Saturno, Italian fishing boat, damaged by Austrian torpedo boats in Adriatic Sea near Antivari; none of crew injured.

Gesu, Italian fishing boat; fired on by Austrian torpedo boats in Adriatic Sea near Antivari; none of crew injured.

LONDON AGAIN THREATENED

AEROPLANE DROPS MISSILES 50 MILES FROM CITY.

Hostile Aviator Causes Damage to Houses at Colchester—Machine Makes Off to Sea.

London, Feb. 23.—A Braintree dispatch says that at about 8:30 o'clock at night a hostile aeroplane dropped missiles supposed to be incendiary bombs on the fields close to Braintree, but they did no damage. At 8:40 o'clock an aeroplane passed over Colchester, which lies about fifty miles northeast of London.

It dropped a bomb which buried itself in a garden, where it exploded, doing damage to the rear of a house and smashing the windows of other houses. No one was hurt.

The aeroplane, said to be a German, which dropped bombs at Marks Bay, six and one-half miles west of Colchester, and near Coggeshall, but no serious damage resulted. The machine was last reported as making off to sea.

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TWO BRITISH SHIPS ARE REPORTED SUNK

Berlin, by wireless to Sayville, L. I., Feb. 22.—The report of the sinking of a British transport with troops and the accompanying steamer reached Berlin too late for comment by the morning papers. All of the papers, however, feature the report in the first page headlines, together with reports of the sinking of other vessels by submarines or mines.

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LAST OF JAMES GANG IS DEAD

Unparalleled Career of Crime During Civil War Kept Dozen States in Terror.

Excelsior Springs, Mo., Feb. 20.—Frank James, one of the last surviving members of the notorious James gang, died on his farm near here. James, who was 74 years old, had been in ill health several months and was stricken with apoplexy early yesterday.

One of the last members of a notorious robber band, whose unparalleled career of crime during the Civil War and the unsettled period that followed, kept the people of a dozen states in terror, Frank James had been living the life of a quiet farmer for more than thirty years.

GERMAN SUBMARINE SINKS IRISH STEAMER

London, Feb. 22.—The small Irish coasting steamer Downshire was sunk by a German submarine off Calf of Man, an island in the Irish sea. The Germans gave the crew five minutes in which to leave their ship. The crew landed at Dundrum, County Down, Ireland.

The submarine which sank the Downshire was the U-12. The Germans fired three shots at the steamer before her captain hove to. After the crew of the Downshire had taken to the boats, the Germans placed a bomb amidships of the steamer and exploded it, and the Downshire sank in a few minutes.

KAISER WILL DIRECT SUBMARINE BLOCKADE

London, Feb. 19.—The Daily Mail correspondent says he learned from Hamburg that the belief prevails there that Emperor William is going to Helgoland personally to direct Germany's submarine blockade. The wheat shortage in Germany, the correspondent adds, was concealed until the last moment for fear of discouraging the people. It is much greater than has hitherto been believed. Germany will only escape famine by a narrow margin.

Turkey Yields to Greece

London, Feb. 20.—Turkey has acceded to the demand for satisfaction made by Greece because of the insult offered an attache of the Greek legation at Constantinople. The director general of police of Constantinople has visited the Greek legation in that city and in the presence of all the members of the staff he formally expressed his regret at the insult offered the Greek naval attache. He promised further that an official communication to this effect would be published in the press

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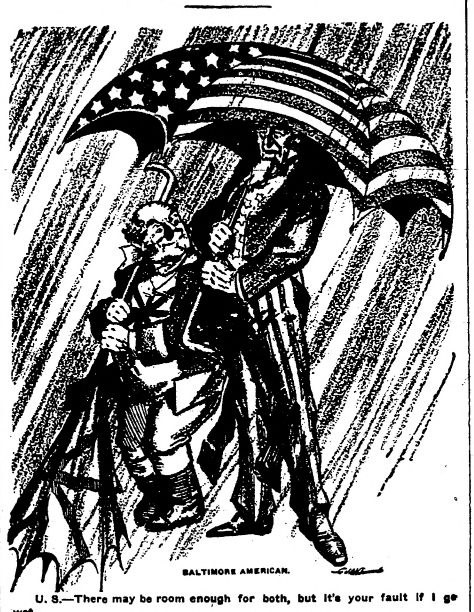
BALTIMORE AMERICAN.

U. S.—There may be room enough for both, but it's your fault if I get wet.

ALLIED WARSHIPS BOMBARD FORT OF THE DARDANELLES

FRENCH AND BRITISH BEGIN SERIOUS ATTEMPT TO FORCE WAY FOR CAPTURE OF CONSTANTINOPLE.

DREADNAUGHTS ASSISTED BY AIRCRAFT MAKE ATTACK

Big Guns Silence Two Forts, According to British Admiralty Report—English Steamer Cambank Is Sunk Off Holyhead by German Submarine.

London, Feb. 22.—The British steamer Cambank was torpedoed and sunk off Holyhead by a German submarine.

London, Feb. 22.—Late Athens dispatches declare that in the bombardment by the allied fleet of the forts at the entrance to the Dardanelles the fire of the Asiatic forts was finally silenced and that most of them have been practically destroyed. There is great activity about the admiralty, and it is stated that the present bombardment marks the beginning of a serious attempt to force the Dardanelles and prepare the way for the capture of Constantinople.

London, Feb. 22. The combined British and French fleet, composed of dreadnought battleships, battle cruisers and smaller vessels, assisted by aeroplanes and seaplanes, has begun its grand assault to force the passage of the Dardanelles. The entire British Mediterranean squadron is engaged.

The fleet, it was officially announced, bombarded the forts of the Dardanelles with noticeable effect, two forts being silenced. The bombardment was renewed with seaplanes and aeroplanes co-operating.

The text of the official announcement just issued by the British admiralty says:

At 8 a. m. a British fleet of battleships and battle cruisers, accompanied by flotillas and aided by a strong French squadron, the whole under the command of Vice Admiral Sackville H. Carden began an attack upon the forts at the entrance to the Dardanelles.

Forts Are Outranged.

"The forts at Cape Helles and Kum Kale were bombarded with a deliberate long-range fire. Noticeable effects were produced on two of the forts. Two others were frequently hit, but, being open earthworks, it was difficult to estimate the damage. The forts, being out-ranged, were unable to reply to our fire.

"At 2:45 p. m. a portion of the battleship force was ordered to close in and engage the forts at closer range with their secondary armament

PLAN TO ACCUSE RUTH SOPER OF CONSPIRACY

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 22. Ruth Soper of Owatonna, Minn. may accompany the Rev. James Morrison Darnell in the list of indicted by the coming federal grand jury if United States District Attorney Goff has his way, for he is now said to be planning to accuse her of conspiracy under a recent United States supreme court decision in accompanying Darnell in the preacher's alleged violation of the Mann white slave act.

BIG EXPOSITION IS OPENED

PRESIDENT FLASHES SIGNAL TO SAN FRANCISCO.

Elaborate Ceremonies Mark the Inauguration of the Magnificent Panama-Pacific World's Fair.

Washington, Feb. 22. — Standing amid a group of California's "native sons," President Wilson pressed an electric button placed exactly in the center of the capitol rotunda and thus sent a telegraphic flash to the Golden Gate which formally opened the Panama-Pacific International exposition.

Besides the president many diplomatists, legislators and other prominent men were guests of the Californians. By an ingenious plan the flash which the president sent to the exposition at the same time lighted up in electric flame the message, "The exposition is now open," in many cities throughout the country, and this mesage was also sent to all the territories and possessions of the United States, including Alaska, the Philippines, Porto Rico, Hawaii, Guam and the Panama Canal zone.

Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, is in San Francisco at the opening ceremonies as the personal representative of the president.

Gala Day in San Francisco.

San Francisco, Feb. 22.—A flash from President Wilson in Washington formally opened the Panama-Pacific exposition.

Not only the magnificent two and a half mile stretch of the exposition grounds along the bay, but the whole of San Francisco is gay with flags and other elaborate decorations, while the crowds in the streets are unprecedented.

Exposition Has Cost $50,000,000

The exposition consists of 250 buildings in three main groups lying in garden plots and sunken pools. It stretches in a glittering band half a mile wide along the southern shore of San Francisco bay

It has cost $50,000,000. Of this $12,500,000 was raised by this city, $5,000,000 by the state of California, and $2,500,000 by the 58 California counties. The foreign and state participation represents $10,000,000, the amusement zone $10,000,000, and the outlay by individual exhibitors another $10,000,000.

There are 80,000 individual exhibitors represented, with displays ranged along 47 miles of exhibit aisles in eleven of the main exhibit palaces.

U. S. DECLARES BLOCKADE VIOLATION OF TREATIES

Washington, Feb. 22.—In a note drafted by the cabinet at a momentous meeting at the White House, President Wilson has prepared to tell Germany that her "war zone" decree is in violation of solemn treaty stipulations entered into with the United States.

Norwegian Steamer Sunk.

Nakskov, Denmark, Feb. 22. (via London),—The Norwegian steamer Bjarka struck a mine and sank. Its crew was saved.

ACCUSE CALIFORNIAN OF PLOT AGAINST MEXICANS

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb 22 Harry Chandler, millionaire land owner and son-in-law of General Harrison Gray Otis, owner of the Times, was indicted by the federal grand jury on a charge of having conspired to violate the neutrality of the United States. He and six other men indicted are accused of having recruited soldiers in the United States to serve in an invasion of the Mexican territory of Lower California.

DECLARES TRIPLE ENTENTE FORCED TURKEY TO FIGHT

GRAND VIZIER ASSERTS ALLIANCE WITH ENGLAND, RUSSIA AND FRANCE WOULD HURT COUNTRY.

TIRED OF HYPOCRISY ACTUATING THE POWERS

Claims Ottoman Government Was Made the Object of Many Falsehoods by the Entente—Turkish People Want Chance To Work Out Destiny.

Constantinople, via London, Feb. 23.—Prince Said Halim, the grand vizier of Turkey, in the first interview he has ever given, has outlined Turkey's reasons for entering the war. He explained the abolition of the capitulations and pointed out the advances made during the past six years.

"We have rejected the triple entente's offer to guarantee Turkey's integrity for thirty years," said the grand vizier, "because acceptance would have been detrimental to Turkey's sovereignty. Turkey's experience with the promises make by the powers forming the triple entente (Great Britain, France and Russia), has not been favorable to the promotion of confidence.

Russia Is Old Enemy.

"Turkey knew that to enter into relations with Great Britain, France and Russia would have been a harmful factor in respect to the country's interest. Russia, moreover, is our hereditary enemy, from whom we could not expect lasting effects of a change of heart. Had the past actions of these powers been definite, the page of history which is now being written might have read differently.

"We were tired of the hypocrisy actuating the powers of the triple entente when dealing with Turkey, so we did what provocation forced us to do—went to war.

"Turkey was made the object of many falsehoods by the entente. Now, the allies assert that the government lacks the support of the people. Could we make such a good military showing after the recent wars and other troubles if the government had not obtained the hearty co-operation of all Ottomans?

"We are not a barbaric people, not savage, not black, but brown, not yellow, but white with every right of the other white races, a people willing to invest its wealth and blood in the opportunity to 'make good,' as Americans say.

TWO NATIONS TO PROSECUTE

Canadian and American Governments Announce Moves in Case of Alleged Dynamiter.

Boston, Feb. 23.—Two official moves apparently entirely distinct, have been announced in the case of Werner Horn, who attempted to blow up the International bridge over the St. Croix river near Vanceboro, Maine, Feb. 2.

The federal district court will begin an investigation here this week to determine, it is understood, whether the law against transportation of dynamite was violated by Horn in his preparations for blowing up the bridge.

Fourten witnesses have been summoned to testify. The announcement was made in Portland, Maine, that action had been begun by a representative of the Canadian government for Horn's extradition. An application was filed in the federal court here, asking that a warrant be issued to bring Horn before the court at the expiration of the sentence of thirty days he is serving in jail at Machias, after pleading guilty to the technical charge of injuring property at Vanceboro.

The destruction of railroad property by setting off an explosive is the basis of the extradition proceeding.

Horn has announced that he will fight extradition on the ground that his act was one of military expediency.

To Visit Austrians.

Berlin, via London, Feb. 23. Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg's forthcoming visit to the Austrian headquarters will be for the purpose of discussing personally with high officials of the dual monarchy the most important questions pending between the triple alliance powers, according to a Berlin dispatch to the Frankfurter Zeitung.

Zeppelin Kills Four

Paris, Feb. 23. A Zeppelin airship crossed the allied lines near Nieuport and dropped bombs upon Calais, killing four persons.

Allege Butte Miners Paid Million

Butte, Mont., Feb. 23.—An answer filed in the district court to the suit of President Charles H. Moyer and other officers of the Western Federation of Miners against officers of the Butte local, to regain control of the local, alleged that Moyer hired gunmen when he came to Butte last June and that the local organization was forced to pay them It was also alleged that the miners in Butte had paid more than $1,000,000 to the Western Federation since May, 1893, without receiving benefit.

MEAT CLOGS KIDNEYS THEN YOUR BACK HURTS

Take a Glass of Salts to Flush Kidneys if Bladder Bothers You—Drink Lots of Water.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys, they become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Adv.

Time Wasted.

"Dinah, did you wash the fish before you baked it?"

"Law, ma'am, what's de use ob washin' er fish what's lived all his life in de water?"

RESINOL A HEALING HOUSEHOLD OINTMENT

The same soothing, healing, antiseptic properties that make resinol ointment a standard prescription for skin-eruptions, also make it the ideal household remedy for burns, scalds, cuts, wounds, sores, chafings, pimples, blackheads, irritations, and a score of other troubles which constantly arise in every home, especially where there are children. That is why resinol ointment should be on your medicine shelf, ready for instant use. Sold by all druggists. Adv.

Can't Teach an Old Dog New Tricks.

"Funny things happen, even on street cars," stated old Dad Bing. "Tuther day I got on one that was entirely empty, and at the next corner it stopped and let another gent on. He was a middle-aged person with a far-away look in his eye, and instead of taking his choice of seats he grabbed a strap and hung there, swaying and flopping like a fresh-caught fish.

"'I don't aim to be inquisitive, podner,' says I, 'but if it's a fair question, why don't you set down?'

"'Why—why—' says he, 'I could do that, couldn't I? But no—alas! it is too late to change the habits of a lifetime. I never saw an empty seat before!'

"So saying, he clung and swayed clear downtown, and I went along, just to look at him."—Kansas City Star.

Important Discoveries Near.

Sir William Crookes announces at the recent anniversary meeting of the Royal society, of which he is president, that "we are on the brink of striking developments in our knowledge of the structure of the elusive atom." Provisionally this has been its definition: A nuclear positive charge of electricity—exceedingly small compared with the sphere of action of the atom, and consisting of a number of unit charges—surrounded by an external shell in which a number of separate negative electrons are distributed.

THE DOCTOR'S WIFE
Agrees With Him About Food.

A trained nurse says. "In the practice of my profession I have found so many points in favor of Grape-Nuts food that I unhesitatingly recommend it to all my patients.

"It is delicate and pleasing to the palate (an essential in food for the sick) and can be adapted to all ages, being softened with milk or cream for babies or the aged when deficiency of teeth renders mastication impossible. For fever patients or those on liquid diet I find Grape-Nuts and albumen water very nourishing and refreshing.

"This recipe is my own idea and is made as follows: Soak a teaspoonful of Grape-Nuts in a glass of water for an hour, strain and serve with the beaten white of an egg and a spoonful of fruit juice for flavouring. This affords a great deal of nourishment that even the weakest stomach can assimilate without any distress.

"My husband is a physician and he uses Grape-Nuts himself and orders it many times for his patients.

"Personally I regard a dish of Grape-Nuts with fresh or stewed fruit as the ideal breakfast for anyone—well or sick."

In stomach trouble nervous prostration, etc. a 10-day trial of Grape-Nuts will usually work wonders toward nourishing and rebuilding and in this way end the trouble. Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Look in pkgs. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

SYRUP OF FIGS FOR A CHILD'S BOWELS

It is cruel to force nauseating, harsh physic into a sick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on — castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Adv.

The Queer Sex.

Mary—Do you and Marguerite still decline to speak as you pass by?

Hazel — Oh, no; we are friends again.

Mary—Kissed and made up, did you?

Hazel—Yes—that is, we kissed—she was already made up.

SELF SHAMPOOING

With Cuticura Soap Is Most Comforting and Beneficial. Trial Free.

Especially if preceded by touches of Cuticura Ointment to spots of dandruff and itching on the scalp skin. These supercreamy emollients meet every skin want as well as every toilet and nursery want in caring for the skin, scalp, hair and hands. Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Scooping It Out.

"So Miss Goldie married a rake, eh?"

"By the way he is getting rid of her money I should call him a shovel."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

In spite of the fact that money talks, it doesn't seem particularly garrulous with some of us.

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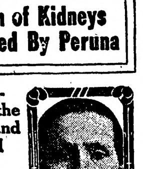
"I had Catarrh of the Kidneys and Bladder. I Am Very Thankful For Peruna. I Feel Well, My tongue is clear, I have no bitter taste in my mouth. I am glad to say I do not need Peruna any longer, I am perfectly well. I have Peruna in the house all the time. When I have a cold or when I do not feel well I take Peruna. We were all sick with the grip last winter. We took Peruna and it helped us. Peruna is the best medicine for grip or colds."

Mrs. Gus. H. Carlson, Box 801, Ortonville, Minn.



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Can quickly be overcome by CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Purely vegetable —act surely and gently on the liver. Cure Biliousness, Headache, Dizziness, and Indigestion. They do their duty.

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SUFFRAGE FIGHT TO COME BEFORE SENATE FEB. 25

VOTE ON MEASURE PROBABLY WILL BE TAKEN NEXT THURSDAY—SENATOR SAGENG RETURNS TO DESK.

COUNTY OPTION BILL IS MADE A SPECIAL ORDER

Prospect Is for Full Attendance in the House for the Vote Next Wednesday—Flurry Prevails When It Is Learned That Spooner May Be Absent.

St. Paul, Minn.—A vote on the woman's suffrage bill in the senate will probably be taken Thursday, Feb. 25. Senator O. O. Sageng, absent because of illness for a week, has returned to his desk and announced that he would probably call the bill up for debate that day at 2 p. m.

"I want to talk to some of the suffrage leaders before I ask for a special order for the bill," he said, "but I shall probably ask for the order Tuesday."

Suffrage leaders and anti-suffragists have been hard at work for the last week and a lively fight is expected.

The F. H. Peterson county option bill was made a special order in the house for Wednesday, Feb. 24, at 11 a. m., on recommendation of the temperance committee.

A flurry prevailed for a while among the county optionists on the discovery that L. C. Spooner, who had been counted for the bill, had an engagement to speak in Granite Falls Wednesday night, making it necessary for him to leave early Wednesday. After the supporters of the bill had tried in vain to get a postponement of the special order to Feb. 25, Gunnar B. Bjornson called up Granite Falls by long distance and obtained a postponement of Mr. Spooner's speech.

The prospect is for a full attendance in the house for the county option vote.

FIGHT TO KEEP BILL FROM BEING RECALLED

An effort of Senator Lende to recall from the house Senator G. H. Sullivan's butterfat bill, passed by the senate Wednesday failed in the senate. When Senator Lende made the motion to recall S. F. 216, Senator Sullivan seconded it.

"What is the bill?" Senator Sullivan asked.

"The bill reducing the percentage of butterfat from three and one-fourth per cent to three per cent," replied Senator Lende.

The senate went into uproarious laughter and Senator Sullivan started the fight to keep the bill from being recalled.

The resolution was debated for half an hour.

On the roll call eight senators voted to recall it and 49 voted against it.

REPEAL OF CIVIL SERVICE LAW INDICATED IN HOUSE

The house has indicated its ability to pass the Dwyer bill repealing the Minneapolis Civil Service law, and its intention so to do. After a spirited two hours of debate the House adopted a motion to recommend the Dwyer bill for passage. The vote was 55 to 48.

While it requires 66 votes to pass a bill, those determined to repeal the Civil Service Law say that among the absentees there were fully a score who are opposed to civil service as it exists in Minneapolis. They predict they will have no trouble in obtaining the additional 11 votes when the bill comes up for final passage. This is conceded by those who oppose the repeal bill, but they say this bill will be killed in the Senate

Agitate for County Division.

Residents around Perham in Otter Tail county are agitating for county division again. They want to set off 18 townships in the northeastern part of the big county, with Perham as the county seat. This is the "wet" section of Otter Tail county and under county option the new county might vote "wet," but it is likely to be dried up soon by the Indian bureau. Alex Nelson of Perham, former house member, was down this week working to have the St. Louis county division bill amended so Otter Tail can take advantage of it. This bill allows a division by petition, without holding any election.

Solons Visit Girls' School.

A party of legislators went to Sauk Center to visit the state school for girls. From Sauk Center the party will leave for Morris, the home of Representative Lewis C. Spooner of Stevens county, where a banquet will be tendered Speaker H. H. Flowers by the citizens of Morris. Those comprising the party include Representatives Gunnar B. Bjornson, George W. Burrows, Knud Wefald, Carl A. Wold, J. H. Boyd, Frank E. Minnette and A. R. Hinds and Senator Pierce A. Hilbert.

SAYS BILL IS MERELY A PROTECTIVE MEASURE

St. Paul, Minn.—Efficiency and economy was the subject of protracted debate in the house of representatives when Sam Y. Gordon succeeded in securing adoption of his resolution for the appointment of a committee to investigate and report to the house on the so-called needless state departments and employes.

As the resolution originally stood, Mr. Gordon had appointed his own committee. When the matter came up again he offered an amendment providing for the appointment by the speaker of two members from each congressional district.

The amendment was quickly adopted.

Spooner Against Resolution.

An "S. O. S." call was sent out for Representative L. C. Spooner, chairman of the house efficiency and economy committee, who was absent from his seat. He hurried into the chamber and took a strong stand against the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Gordon during the debate said that it was very apparent that the efficiency and economy bill would not be adopted at the present session, and that his resolution merely was a protective measure.

BILL WOULD ABOLISH HIGHWAY COMMISSION

The state highway commission will be abolished and road building will be placed in the hands of county boards if a bill introduced in the house by Representative John H. Boyd of Crookston becomes a law. Supervision of the distribution of funds would be in the hands of a commission composed of the secretary of state, the state auditor and the state treasurer, who would serve without additional compensation.

A similar bill was introduced in the senate by Senators J. H. Baldwin, C. L. Swenson, F. A. Duxbury, S. B. Nelson and J. A. Gandrud.

With several minor amendments attached to it, the bill recently introduced by Sam Y. Gordon authorizing political party conventions, reappeared in the house.

An eight-hour working day bill was introduced by Representative A. O. Devold, J. W. Woodfill and A. L. Lennon.

MINNETTE BILL LACKS CONTROL OF STOCK SALE

The Minnette state control telephone bill, recommended for passage by the House telephone and telegraph committee, again is lacking a section regulating issuance of stocks and bonds.

The present Minnette bill places the regulation of telephone companies under the state board of railroad and warehouse commission. In broad terms, it gives the railroad and warehouse commission the same powers over telephone companies operating in Minnesota as it has over the railroad and express companies.

Seek Relief From Cashman Act.

Workings of the Cashman distance tariff law have imposed a serious handicap on many villages in the state, according to Representative Ivor J. Lee of Glenwood, who has introduced a bill to amend the act and permit "long line" roads to meet competition of the "short line" roads at local points. Introduction of the Lee bill presages a struggle for relaxing some of the iron-clad conditions of the Cashman act which are being complained of in communities that are fairly fighting for their lives under conditions that now obtain.

Bill Provides For Party Conventions

A bill that its authors will ask to have substituted for a former one, providing for party political conventions, was introduced in the Senate by Senators Edward Rustad and A. J. Rockne. The bill allows members of the State Committees to determine the number of delegates from each precinct in the various Congressional and County Conventions. The bill introduced into the House by Representative S. Y. Gordon placed the number of delegates at five

Tax on Fire Premiums

Asserting that the state fire marshal's office reports have not shown how the money it has received during the last year had been spent Senator A. J. Rockne put an amendment on the bill requiring the tax on fire insurance premiums to be paid into the state treasurer's office. The bill was passed as amended by the senate. It had formerly provided that the money would be paid direct to the state fire marshal's office.

Bill Seeks Fees From Wards.

Senator H. M. Benson's bill requiring a fee of $10 a month to be paid from the estates of persons committed to the public institutions of the state whenever those estates can afford to make such payments or from their relatives, if able to pay, was recommended for passage by the Senate Committee on Public Buildings.

Favor Appropriation for Prison.

The bill authorizing the state board of control to set aside $57,000 out of the Stillwater prison fund for the construction of a woman's prison building, two barns and the purchase of a dairy herd, was recommended to pass by the house appropriations committee.

The committee also recommended the bill appropriating $5,000 to complete the Mustinka state ditch.

An appropriation of $1,000 for a commission to suggest uniform legislation met with disfavor and was killed.

Winter Chills Bring Kidney Ills

A spell of cold, damp weather is always followed by a fine crop of kidney troubles and backache.

Colds and chills damage the kidneys. Other troubles common to winter weather are just as bad. Grip, tonsilitis, quinsy, pneumonia or any other infectious disease hurts the kidneys by overloading the blood with poisons. The kidneys get worn, weak and inflamed trying to work it off.

It isn't hard to strengthen weak kidneys though, if you act quickly. At the first sign of backache, dizzy spells, headaches, loss of weight, nervousness, depression and painful, irregular kidney action, start using Doan's Kidney Pills. Rest the kidneys by simple eating, avoidance of overwork and worry, and getting more rest and sleep. A milk diet is fine.

This sensible treatment should bring quick benefit and prevent serious kidney diseases like dropsy, gravel and Bright's disease.

Clip this advertisement and mail it to the address below for a free trial of Doan's Kidney Pills, the best recommended kidney remedy in the world. You'll decide it worth a trial, when you read this enthusiastic testimony.

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

"I'd be all right only for my back."

Miserable and Discouraged

Health All Run Down—Doctor's Medicine Failed

T. A. Matchke, Hillsboro, N. D., says: "About ten years ago I began to suffer from kidney complaint. It bothered me in many ways at first. Later on, my back got very lame so that I had to be helped out of bed. I got so bad I couldn't do anything. I had headaches and dizzy spells and was nervous. I was all run down, weighed only one hundred and forty pounds and was discouraged. I tried plasters, but they relieved me only temporarily and then the trouble returned worse than ever. I went to the doctor and he told me I had kidney trouble, and gave me some medicine. I used it all as he directed, but still I got no better. One day a friend asked me what was the trouble and I told him. He insisted on my getting Doan's Kidney Pills and I did. I used five boxes and by that time, my kidneys were as strong as ever. The headaches left, my back was cured and I felt better than ever. I now have no sign of kidney trouble."

"When Your Back Is Lame—Remember the Name"
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Sold by all Dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., Proprietors

THE EMBARGO ON WHEAT

The United States Wheat Production Admits of 100 Million Bushels for Export.

The talk in the press some little time back of placing an embargo on wheat, brought forcibly to the minds of the people of the United States a condition that may at some time in the near future face them. 100 million bushels of an export of wheat means a splendid revenue to the country as well as to the farmer, and if this were assured year after year, there would be reason for considerable congratulation. But last year's magnificent and abundant crop, which was estimated at 891 million bushels, cannot be expected every year. With a home consumption of 775 million bushels, and a production in many years of little more than this, the fact is apparent that at an early date the United States will have to import wheat. It will be then that the people of the United States will be looking to other markets for a supply. And it is then that the value of Western Canada lands will be viewed with considerable favor. The great area of wheat lands in Canada will then be called upon to provide the greatest portion of the old world's supply, and also, in the opinion of the writer, that of the United States as well. At present there are only about 12 million acres of these lands producing wheat. There are five times that many acres that can be brought under successful cultivation. Apart altogether from the value of these lands as wheat producers there is an increased value to them from the fact that the soil is especially adapted to the growing of many other kinds of grain as well as all manner of cultivated grasses while the native grasses are a wonderful asset in themselves. The climate is especially favorable to the raising of live stock such as horses, cattle, sheep and hogs. All these bring into the limelight the adaptability of the soil, the climate and all other necessary conditions to the carrying on of dairy farming in a most profitable way.

There is no question that high prices for all that the farmer can grow or raise will continue for some years and this is the great opportunity time to take advantage of what Western Canada offers. Lands may be had as a free grant. These are mostly located some little distance from railways at the present time but sooner or later will be well served by railways that are projected into these districts. Land may also be secured by purchase at reasonable price and on easy terms from holders of same. In many cases farms partly improved may be rented. A Winnipeg paper said recently: "Canada wants American immigrants. They make good Canadian citizens. And then speaking of the erroneous impression that has gained some publicity in a portion of the United States press, says "It cannot be too forcibly impressed upon the American mind that in coming to Canada they place themselves under the freest democracy the world knows. No citizen of this country, whether native or naturalized, can be compelled to military service. The only compulsion is the compulsion of conscience and patriotic duty. That is the motive that has prompted thousands of Canadians to offer their lives. They are fighting as free men. Advertisement

Diamonds in Arkansas.

During the year 1913 in Arkansas one diamond washing plant was operated about three months, and recovered several hundred diamonds, and the construction of another plant was practically completed.

BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK "CASCARETS"

Gently cleanse your liver and sluggish bowels while you sleep.

Get a 10-cent box.

Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Adv.

Self-Protection.

I always take my wife with me when I buy a new hat"

"That's considerate"

"No it isn't If I buy one by myself she blames me for the way I look in it. If she goes along, I blame her"

GRANDMA USED SAGE TEA TO DARKEN HER GRAY HAIR

She Made Up a Mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to Bring Back Color, Gloss, Thickness.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is mussy and troublesome Nowadays, by asking at any store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of the famous old recipe for about 50 cents

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy.—Adv.

One Definition.

Willie—[illegible] What's a [illegible]

Papa—Willie, it's the fellow who borrows money of you and then kids you about it whenever you meet.—Puck.

They [illegible] Dean's Mentholated Cough Drops stop coughs quickly. A pleasant remedy—5c at all good Druggists

And [illegible] little taste of success makes him long for all he can swallow.

Never Had.

A saloon keeper who has a reputation for being a "tight-wad" was recently tried for selling liquor illegally. Among the witnesses was a former patrolman of that particular district, who would know if similar charges had ever been preferred against the prisoner.

"When you were on the force," asked the lawyer, "did you ever have anything on Mr. Schmidt?"

"Never," answered the witness earnestly, "not even a beer."

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Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
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Hampered.

She—Before we were married you said that you would go to the end of the earth for me.

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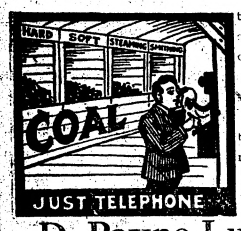

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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Editor Carr of The Middle River Pioneer, made this office a pleasant call Tuesday P. M.

Mrs. Alex Strom and children of T. R. Falls have been visiting at the Riesberg home the past week.

The County Option bill passed the lower house of the Minnesota legislature, Wednesday P. M., by a vote of 66 to 62.

For years the great nations of Europe allowed Turkey to massacre the Armenians, and now they are butchering each other. Where is their much boasted of civilization?

Southeast of Holt.

Mrs. Clarence Larson and son Chester left for their home at Golden Valley on Monday after a weeks visit at the Larson and Moe homes. Mrs. Larson was accompanied home by her brother Harry Moe.

The Misses Alma and Ida Guttrud and Christine Saastad, the Messrs Carl and Oscar Guttrud called at the Moe home on Wed. evening of last week.

Clara and Ragna Larson, Alma and Martha Soiney visited at the S. Moe home on Sunday.

Mrs. C. Larson visited with Mrs. Thom Olson on Friday afternoon.

Thora Skondahl made an over Sunday stay with her folks.

Miss Ida Guttrud returned to her home on Wed. last after working at the hotel in Holt for some time.

Mr. Halvor Tistoe has sold his old farm to John Klungness of South Dakota.

Christine Saastad visited at the Guttrud home on Sunday.

Arne Sordahl called on Albert Klungness Sunday evening.

Mud Lake Ripples

We will now try and send in some news from Mud Lake.

We have been having nice weather now for a week, the snow has been melting so fast that if it keeps on much longer, it will all be gone.

Clarence Larson went to Holt last Friday.

Frank Brown and Axel Benson called on Ole Magstad one evening last week.

The wood hauling from the "Tamarac" has come to a quick stop on account of the snow going off. Of course those that don't have very far to drive are keeping on.

Benson & Brown have been busy digging a well.

The bridge between Secs. 21 and 20 is now being built.

Some of the shoppers at the Golden Valley store last Saturday were: S. Wick, F. Brown, C. Holmgren, O. Maakstad, J. Tapper, A. Benson, B. Larson and O. Odie.

Last Sunday Pastor Ordahl preached in the Amory school house in the forenoon and at Green Stump Lake in the afternoon.

Some of those who attended the meeting in the Amory school house last Sunday were: Mrs. Dahl and son Rudolph, Mrs. Odie and son Oscar, Mr. and Mrs. Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Rosand and family, Mr. and Mrs. Olson and family, E. C. Johnson and children.

Elmer Odie made a trip to Holt last Saturday.

Pastor Ordahl will hold services in the school house, east of Olof Dahl's, Palm Sunday (March 28th).

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Feb. 23, 1915

Notice is hereby given that John M. Jahr of Holt, Minn. who on Dec. 19th 1911 made Homestead Entry No. 07071 for S 1-2 S E 1-4 Sec. 35, Twp. 156, N, R. 42 W and Lot 4 Sec. 1 and Lots 1 and 2 Section 2 Township 155 N, Range 42 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 29th day of March 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Nels Gudvangen, Geo. C. Anderson, Olaus Rodahl and Ole Garthus all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Northeast of Holt.

Miss Lydia Bjerk returned home Tuesday from a few days visit at St. Hiliare.

Ed. Bjerk is busy hauling wood from the tamarack these days.

Mrs. Erick Johnson and daughter Tina and Miss Hilma Nyberg called at Henry Erickson Tuesday.

Mrs. C. Gromold called at H. Erickson Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Tina Johnson and Hilma Nyberg called at John Engstrom Tuesday evening and on the way home they heard the howling of the wolves which was something fierce.

Wanted: Information, who's Mabel?

Mrs. Erick Johnson and daughter Tina and Miss Hilma Nyberg called at C. W. Christianson Wednesday evening.

A crowd of young folks went to the Nyberg home Saturday evening returning home Sunday forenoon. All present reported a good time.

Miss Hilma Nyberg returned home Thursday, after spending a few days with hea cousin Tina Johnson.

Hjalmer Dovre and Charles Horian returned home Wednesday.

Messrs Wegge, Christianson, Dehard, Johnson and C. Horian called at Hjalmer Dovre's Friday evening.

The merry Makers spent Saturday evening at C. W. Christianson.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson and family, Mrs. Olo Davidson and daughter Hazel, Burndette, Leo, and Charles Horien, Rudolph Anderson, and Walter Wegge spent Sunday afternoon at E. Johnson's.

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School Notes District 112

A large number of Valentines were distributed among the pupils and Miss Saastad on Monday afternoon.

The fourth grade completed their Balwin and Bender reader on Friday, they have now started "Aunt Martha's Corner Cupboard."

The seventh grades are beginning to enjoy analyzing of sentences. We were all glad to hear it.

The children from the youngest to tne very oldest are dodging snowballs and even teacher is too now a- days, and we all enjoy it very much.

The first, second and third grades are learning the poem "Winter Time" but would rather not recite it while we have spring weather.

Alfred and Ida Klungness, Effie and Alma Soiney have been absent for a number of days on account of work.

Part of the first recess on Monday was sdent in cleaning away a snow drift near the middle south window in order to let the light and sunshine in.

The editors are so very busy that it is hard to get the notes on time but we will do our best this time.

To the Hon. Co. Board of Marshall Co.

To the Honorable County Board of Marshall County, Minnesota:

We, the undersigned, legal voters residing within the territory hereinafter described, do respectfully petition your Honorable body to call an election for the purpose of incorporating the said territory as a Village, according to the Laws of the State of Minnesota, said Village to be known and designated as the Village of Holt. The territory proposed to be incorporated is as follows:

The Townsite of Holt:

The East Half of Section thirty-two (E1-2 sec. 32) and the West Half (W1-2) of section thirty-three (33), All in Township one hundred fifty-six North (156 N.) Range forty-three West (43 W.), in said County of Marshall and State of Minnesota,

And in support of this petition we respectfully submit the following facts:

(1) The said Townsite of Holt is included in the territory proposed to be incorporated and has been duly platted into lots and blocks and the plat thereof has been duly and legally certified according to the laws of the State of Minnesota and filed in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the said County of Marshall.

(2) The said East Half of Section thirty-two, township 156 N., Range 43 W., adjoins the said Townsite of Holt on the west and is so conditioned as to be properly subjected to village government.

(3) The said West Half of section thirty-three, township 156 N., Range 43 W., adjoins the said townsite of Holt on the south, the east and the north, and is so conditioned, as to properly be subjected to village goverment.

(4) The boundries of the said territory so proposed to be incorporated are as follows:

On the south, the south line of said sections thirty-two and thirty-three, begining at the quarter stake on the south line of said section thirty-two and thence east to the quarter stake on the south line of said section thirty-three; on the east by a line beginning at the quarter stake on the south line of said section thirty-three thence north through the center of said section and ending at the quarter stake on the north line of said section thirty-three; on the north by the north line of said sections thirty-three and thirty-two, beginning at the quarter stake on the north of said section thirty-three and thence west terminating at the quarter stake on the north line of said section thirty-two; on the west by a straight line running through the center of said section thirty-two, beginning at the quarter stake on the north line of said section and thence south terminating at the quarter stake on the south line of said section thirty-two.

(5) That on the 16th day of January we caused to be taken an accurate census of the above described territory proposed to be incorporated as a village, and found the total number of persons then resident therein to be two hundred five (205).

(6) The quantity of land embraced within the above described territory proposed to be incorporated is six hundred forty acres, more or less according to the survey thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County of Marshall, State of Minnesota.

(7) No portion of the above described territory is now, nor ever has been, incorporated as a village.

Dated at Holt, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, this 30th day of January 1915.

P. A. Risberg
D. Payne
E. M. Silbaugh
Arvid Carlson
P. L. Anderson
Joseph Nelson
C. S. Kolden
P. O. Reierson
Adolph Sollom
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H. J. Oien
S. S. Kolden
Nils Engebretson

A. R. Jones
Jacob Nelson
Chas. W. Latta

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We the undersigned do solemnly swear that we have read the foregoing petition for incorporation of the village of Holt in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, and that we know the statements therein contained to be true; That we personally took the census described in said petition as being taken on the 16th day of January 1915, and that we found the number of persons actually resident within said territory to be two hundred five (205).

P. A. RIESBERG
D. PAYNE
E. M. SILBAUGH

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of Jan. 1915.

B. DOCKEN
Notary Public, Marshall Co., Minn.
(Notarial Seal) My commission expires Nov 15, 1920.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That at the front room on the ground floor of the building known as Star Hall on lot twenty-one (21) in block eight (8) in the townsite of Holt, in Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 9th day of March 1915, an election will be held at which the electors resident in the territory described in the foregoing and attached petition may vote for or against the incorporation of Holt as a village as therein prayed for. The polls will remain open from the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon to the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

BY ORDER OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF MARSHALL COUNTY MINNESOTA.

O. Enge, Chairman.

ATTEST:

A. G. Lundgren
County Auditor.

(SEAL)

Miss Edna Riesberg went to T. R. Falls Monday.

John Stanley returned here from T. R. Falls Saturday.

Prayer meeting at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Speaking and singing in both languages. Everybody invited.

A bunch came down from Middle River Tuesday evening to play cards. A supper was served in the Star hall after the games.

A representative of the bond company was here Friday and Saturday trying to make a settlement with the school board but no agreement could be made between them. Upon the advice of the county attorney, a little later, the school house was left to the bond company to complete.

The Sunnyside.

Anton Peterson spent Sunday afternoon at Wegges's.

Walter Wegge went to T. R. Falls Monday.

Selma Dovre came up from T. R. Falls Saturday for a short visit with her parents.

Mrs. F. Larson called at G. Peterson Sunday.

The Jolly Bunch were entertained at John Sorum's Saturday.

Ola and Stina Brita went to church Sunday.

Miss Marie Erickson went to T. R. Falls Saturday, returning Monday.

O you Ed! What next?

Burndette and Charlie Horien spent Sunday afternoon at Erick Johnson's.

Wonder what Hjalmar was thinking about when he kissed the lamp chimney.

Mrs. C. Anderson visitor at Carl Larson Sunday.

Miss Clara Furr returned from Fargo Monday.

Mrs. L. Wegge called on Mrs. E M. Silbaugh Monday afternoon.

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Local Items

Fred Johnson is shipping hay to T. R. Falls.

Theodore Sollom came up from Goodridge Saturday.

T. B. Folden was a passenger for T. R. Falls Wednesday.

There is no better flour than the Gold Medal which is sold cheap by R. Rierson.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one.

A. H. Huseth.

Miss Bertha Nelson returned home Monday from Honeyford N. Dak. where she has been visiting with her sister Mrs. Lloyd Adams.

The Huseth and Bray families and Mr. and Mrs. John Alkenbrack, were entertained at the J. B. Alkenbrack home, Sunday afternoon and evening.

As Fred Johnson has sold his farm, he will move to T. R. Falls in the near future, so he will dispose of his personal property at public auction March 10th.

Walter Johnson, who has been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson, for two or three weeks, returned to his home in Minneapolis last week Friday.

A jolly party of Holt young people went to Middle River Saturday evening to take in the Yeoman Ball. Those in attendance were: Misses Riesberg, Bakke, Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. John Alkenbrack and Messrs Anderson, Docken, [illegible]

P. A. Riesberg drove to Rosewood Monday morning with his uncle and cousin, C. G. Turnland and son Peter, of Radium. The latter named gentlemen had been in attendance at the funeral of Hans Hanson Holm, the aged father of Judge Holm, at Roseau, and stopped off here for a [illegible] Sunday visit with the Riesberg family.

Miss Gunhild Sollom spent Sunday with her parents.

Found: A bracelet. Prove property and pay for this notice.

Elmer Brent of St. Hilaire visited friends the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Osval Hoel was an over Sunday guest of relatives in T. R. Falls.

The best flour made is sold at reasonable prices at R. Rierson's store.

H. A. Fosholm, A. L. Sagstuen H. O. Ekerdalen left Wednesday for Goodridge.

Clarence Kolden took in the auto show at Grand Folks last Friday and Saturday.

Rev. Larson will preach in English at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening, in the Free Mission church.

Mrs. John Kollarang from Decorah Iowa visited her aunt Mrs. Jacob Nelson Monday and Tuesday.

All of the old officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Free Mission church last week Thursday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden last week Friday morning. Congratulations are extended to the happy parents.

Several friends met at the John Alkenbrack's home Tuesday evening and gave Mrs. Alkenbrack a birthday surprise party.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mickelson and Mrs. Andrew Bjerk went to Goodridge Tuesday as delegates from the Holt Synod church to a convention held there.

Mrs. B. Docken and little son went to T. R. Falls Saturday to visit [illegible] returning home Monday accompanied by her little niece Eleanor Huglin.

The last game in the whist contest between the married and single men, was played Monday evening. The benedicts won by a score of 180 points and now it is up to the single men to entertain them with a big supper.

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The Sunnyside.

Miss Emma Kuehne went to Steiner Saturday, returning Monday.

Mrs. Carlson, Oscar and Selma spent Sunday afternoon at G. Peterson's.

The temperance lecture at the school house Sunday night was well attended.

Miss Lucy Wegge called on Mrs. Lysne Thursday afternoon.

This bright sunshiny weather must be hard on the eyes of the Ringho owls or they would have seen that the Sunnyside has long since emerged from the snow.

Miss Marie Erickson spent Sunday evening at Ed Horien's.

Mrs. H. Swenson an old resident of this section died in T. R. Falls Sunday, after suffering over a year from cancer.

Charlie Horien and Walter Wegge called at L. Wegge's Thursday evening.

Mrs. Carl Surmo went to T. R. Falls Monday.

Mrs. Lysne spent Tuesday afternoon at F. Larson's.

Last Saturday night the Jolly Bunch gathered at F. Larson's. A very good time was reported by all present.

Oh, Ed, what I know about you
Something that I wouldn't do!
Now don't you deny it, 'cause I overheard,
But, honest to goodness, I won't say a word.

Walter Johnson spent Wednesday evening at L. Wegge's.

Bernhard Ohm and Vernon Grover visited at the latter's home Sunday.

Albert Bjerk spent Sunday at home.

The year book, which is given away with either the St. Paul Pioneer Press, or Dispatch, contains a whole gold mine of facts, brot right up to the close of 1914, and is something that every man and woman should have. We can tell you how to get it free.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday Services
1:00 P. M. Children meet to practice
2 o'clock Sunday School
3 o'clock Prayer Meeting
8 P. M. Rev. A. L. Larson will preach an English sermon, to which all are invited.

The parents and families of the Sunday School pupils are invited to meet at the church at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening March 9th. A sacred program will be given, also a picnic luncheon including hot coffee, sandwichs, cake and pickles will be served and all are requested to bring a generous lunch basket.

For Rent!

The N E 1-4 26- 156- 43, cash or share rent. Enquire at Holt State Bank.

For Sale!

Reasonable, a Cutaway Bush and Bog Disc. H. R. Hinchman
19 Golden Valley, Minn.

Notice!

Some one wanted to seed the S W 1-4 Sec. 25, Holt twp. in with timothy. Enquire at Holt State Bank.

Wanted!

One Mare, 1300 to 1400 lbs., buy or trade 31-32 grade Holstein bull 8 months old. Give age and price.
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5 Minnesota.

Wanted!

By two gentlemen: Lady partners for Saturday evening dance and oyster supper.

The right is reserved to accept or reject any or all bids.

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The S1-2 W1-2 SE1-4 Sec. 25 156 44 and Lot 1 Sec. 30-156-43, 1-2 mile north and about 2 miles west of Holt. Will rent for one year. Good buildings. Holt State Bank.

Notice!

Great Blow Up Saturday night, I want to be there too, and I hope all you men with whiskers, will come in early and get them put on paper.

Sincerely
A. H. Huseth.

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Public Auction!

Fred Johnson will sell 2 horses, 2 colts, 3 cows, a calf, some small pigs and shoats, about 50 chickens, a new coal stove and a lot of farm machinery at public auction Wednesday March 10th, commencing at 11 o'clock A. M. Free lunch at noon.

Notice To Dragging Contractors.

Bids will be received by the Co. Board of Marshall County, at 2 P. M., March 16, 1915 for dragging State Road No. 7 during 1915, from the Pennington Co. line to the SW corner of section 9, Holt Twp. a distance of 11 1-2 miles.

Specifications for above work on file in the County Auditor's office.

By order of the Board.
A. G. Lundgren
(Seal) County Auditor.
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Neck and Nut.

Mrs. Youngbride—I want to get a hat for my husband. It's to be a surprise for him.

Clerk—What size, madam?

Mrs. Y.—Really, I forgot to find out. But he wears a 15 collar, so I suppose he'd want 20 or 22 in a hat, wouldn't he?

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A well-known druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant. Adv.

What Interested Him.

Sir Arthur Pinero, the dramatist, tells an amusing story of a conversation he once heard while watching one of his own plays in the stalls of a West end theater.

A lady and her little boy were sitting near him, and as the curtain went down on the second act the fond mother turned to her son and said: "Well, dear, are you enjoying it?"

"Oh, yes, mamma," replied the youngster, gleefully; "do you know, there are sixty-nine men in this theater who have bald spots on the tops of their heads! I counted them five times!"

After that the lady enjoyed the rest of the play without asking her young hopeful any more questions.—Pearson's Weekly.

The Doctor's Prescription.

Physician—What your husband needs is absolute rest. He must give up all physical and mental labor for a time.

Wife—But I'm sure he will never consent to remain idle.

Physician—Oh, I'll fix that all right. I'll get him a political job at the city hall and he can draw a salary under the impression that he is actually working.

Bridget's Axiom.

"Why, it is only one o'clock. I thought it was two," said Mrs. Bronson as the clock struck one.

"Naw, mum," said Bridget "It's niver lather than wan at this toime uv day."—Harper's Bazaar.

Appropriate Place.

"I hear an aviator's society is having a meeting in this hotel."

"Yes, sir; in the sky parlor, sir."

MAY BE COFFEE

That Causes all the Trouble

When the house is afire, it's about the same as when disease begins to show, it's no time to talk but time to act—delay is dangerous—remove the cause of the trouble at once.

"For a number of years," wrote a Kansas lady, "I felt sure that coffee was hurting me, and yet I was so fond of it, I could not give it up. At last I got so bad that I made up my mind I must either quit the use of coffee or die.

"Everything I ate distressed me, and I suffered severely most of the time with palpitation of the heart. I frequently woke up in the night with the feeling that I was almost gone—my heart seemed so smothered and weak in its action. My breath grew short and the least exertion set me panting. I slept but little and suffered from rheumatism.

"Two years ago I stopped using the coffee and began to use Postum and from the very first I began to improve. It worked a miracle! Now I can eat anything and digest it without trouble. I sleep like a baby, and my heart beats strong and regularly. My breathing has become steady and normal, and my rheumatism has left me.

"I feel like another person, and it is all due to quitting coffee and using Postum, for I haven't used any medicine and none would have done any good as long as I kept drugging with coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

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"There's a Reason" for Postum —sold by Grocers.

FLAGS OF FRENCH AND BRITISH FLY OVER TURK FORTS

FLEET OF 40 VESSELS PENETRATE DARDANELLES STRAITS AS FAR AS HORTARI—DESTROYS FORT INTEPE.

PRESENT ATTACK IS VERY SERIOUS UNDERTAKING

Real Necessity of Releasing Huge Supply of Wheat on Shores of Black Sea Realized—Mine Sweepers Go to Work Within Straits.

London, March 2.—According to diplomatic information received in Rome," says the Daily News' correspondent in the Italian capital, "the decision of the Turks to transfer their capital to Broussa, Asia Minor, was in direct opposition to Germany, which wished the transfer made to Adrianople.

"The prophet's mantle, together with all the important relics and treasures, already have been removed to Broussa, where the Sultan's harem also has been sent.

"The allies have disembarked detachments of artillery near the destroyed Dardanelles forts and British and French flags are now flying over them."

Athens, March 1.—An allied fleet aggregating 40 warships has penetrated the Dardanelles straits as far as Hortari and destroyed Fort Intepe, on the Asiatic side, according to reliable information reaching here. Various Turkish encampments also were bombarded. A French squadron is cruising under the forts at the entrance to the straits, which are now entirely dismantled.

London, March 1.—A fleet of British and French warships continues to hammer away at the doors of the Dardanelles, the straits which close Russia's rich grainery, and the very real necessity of releasing the huge supply of wheat on the shores of the Black sea, causes the general belief that the present attack on the Dardanelles forts is a serious undertaking, and not merely a demonstration.

Official announcements declare that after the reduction of the four outer Dardanelles forts mine sweepers went to work within the straits under the protection of the guns of the fleet, while press dispatches from Athens and Rome assert that at least one French warship has penetrated the passage 14 miles.

Russ Resume Offensive.

Germany announces a renewed Russian offensive in the east, while Austria-Hungary declares that Austrian and German forces are holding their own in the Carpathians and in eastern Gallicia.

Petrograd reports a repulse of German attacks in north Poland, with heavy losses. As a result of the desperate fighting of the past few days the Russian general staff claims to have forced back the Germans along a front of 25 miles in the Przasnysz region.

HELD AS BLACKMAIL SCHEME

Stegler Passport Case Is Taken Up by German Embassy—Statement Issued by Ambassador.

Washington, March 1.—A statement issued by the German embassy, in the name of Count von Bernstorff, the ambassador, announced that the main facts in the Stegler passport case, with which the name of Captain Boy-Ed, naval attache of the embassy, had been attached, had been communicated to the state department.

It added that "the whole matter looks very much like an attempt at blackmail, which failed."

The ambassador, who is in New York, telegraphed instructions for the issuance of the statement.

So far, the passport investigation in New York had been before the state department only in an informal way, through unofficial conferences between representatives of that department and of the department of justice, and, according to a high official of the government, nothing has developed requiring action.

Correspondents at Front.

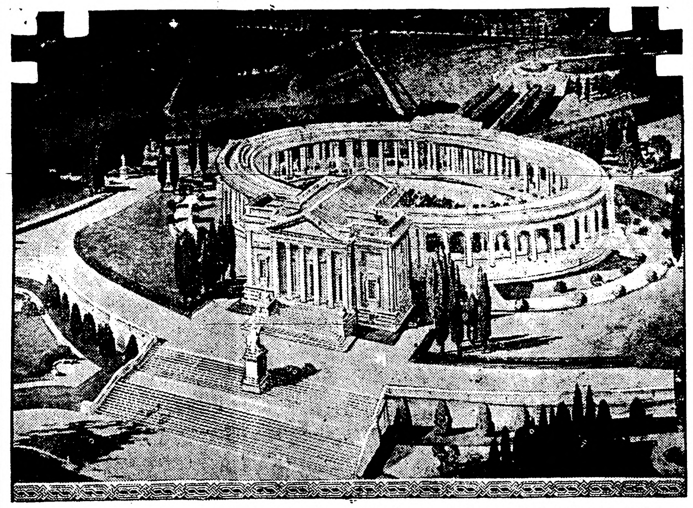
Ottawa, March 1.—A message from the British war office to the Canadian government indicates that the war correspondent is soon to have a limited opportunity of seeing fighting. The cablegram just received reads:

"It has been decided to permit small batches of war correspondents to proceed to the front in a series of tours of about six days each, beginning March 1."

Socialists Protest Food Cost

London, March 1.—A big Socialist-labor demonstration was held in Trafalgar square to protest against the prevailing prices of food and coal. A resolution was adopted expressing indignation and disappointment at the government's refusal to take "effective measures to deal with the alarming increase in the cost of food and fuel." The resolution demands government control of carrying ships and the fixing of maximum prices for the necessities of life.

NATIONAL MEMORIAL AT ARLINGTON



This is a perspective view of the design for a national memorial that will be built soon in the national cemetery at Arlington.

AMERICAN LEGION FORMED TO INSURE U.S. PREPAREDNESS

FORMER MEMBERS OF ARMY, NAVY AND MILITIA FORM ORGANIZATION READY FOR INSTANT SERVICE.

NEUTRALITY TREATIES TO BE BACKED BY FORCE

Plan Is Indorsed by Major General Wood and Former President Roosevelt—First Reserve of Between 250,000 and 300,000 Ready for Emergency.

New York, March 2.—Formal announcement has been made here of the formation of an organization of first reserves to be known as the American Legion, to be composed of former members of the army, navy and militia, which will better insure the nation's preparedness in case of war.

Captain Gordon Johnston, aide de camp to Major General Leonard Wood, commanding the department of the east, made the announcement on behalf of a group of army and navy men who, in an unofficial capacity, are acting with civilians in promoting the movement. Captain Johnston said it is planned to establish within a short time a first reserve of between 250,000 and 300,000 former army and navy militiamen for instant call in case of emergency

General Wood Indorses Plan

Major General Wood already has given the plan his unofficial indorsement and former President Roosevelt has written a letter approving the proposal. Other public men have indorsed the project and a statement by the promoters says that former secretaries of war and of the navy have indicated their willingness to act in an advisory capacity.

Asserting that he and his four sons will become members of the legion, Colonel Roosevelt in a letter to the organizers says that in the event of war he intends to ask Congress for permission to raise a division of cavalry. Mr. Roosevelt's letter in part follows:

"I and my four sons gladly will become members. I very earnestly hope and pray that there will be no war; but the surest way to avert war is to be prepared for it, and the only way to avert disaster and disgrace in war is by preparation, both military and naval, in advance."

Ready for Instant Service

Colonel Roosevelt says he will gladly serve as chairman of the legion's board of honorary advisers. He says "it is idle for us to trust to arbitration and neutrality treaties until backed by force. Let us act justly toward others and let us also be prepared with stout heart and strong hand to defend our rights against injustice from others."

THREE ALLIED WARSHIPS ARE REPORTED DAMAGED

London, Feb 27.—Three warships of the Anglo French fleet which bombarded the Dardanelles are said by the Turkish authorities, in a statement issued at Constantinople, to have been damaged. The statement does not refute specifically the British claim that all of the outer forts of the Dardanelles were reduced, but conveys a contrary idea, asserting that the fleet withdrew after a bombardment of 7½ hours.

RURAL CREDITS BILL PASSED

AMENDMENT TO AGRICULTURAL BILL SECURED BY COUP.

North Dakota Senator Turns Democratic Administration Wrong Side Out by Alertness.

Washington, March 1.—Senator Porter J. McCumber of North Dakota has submarined the Democratic administration forces in senate and house.

By securing the passage of an amendment to the agricultural appropriation bill, providing for rural credits, the North Dakota senator turned the Democratic administration program wrong side out.

There were angry mutterings in the house and senate, threats of an extra session, of a presidential veto of the entire agricultural bill, and other measures of a retaliatory character.

The situation is complicated by the apparent inconsistency of Democratic record and Democratic protestations on the subject.

To add to the embarrassment of the administration, Representative Buckley of Ohio, Democrat, proposed to amend the senate rider by attaching to it the provisions of the Bulkley-Hollis bill, a measure which embodies the principle of government aid, a principal that is disapproved by Mr. Wilson.

All of this was brought about by the alert action of the North Dakota senator, who has apparently been watching his chance. Most of the Democratic senators accepted dinner invitations and those that remained during the consideration of the agricultural appropriation bill were apparently asleep. For when Senator McCumber offered his amendment to the agricultural bill for the establishment of a farm credit bureau in the department of agriculture to grant loans on land mortgages and providing a fund of $10,000,000 for the purpose, no one objected and there was not even a record vote.

TO MAKE ALL FOOD FOR GERMANY CONTRABAND

London, March 1.—There is every reason to believe that Great Britain fully intends to make all foodstuffs for Germany absolute contraband, thus cutting off the movement of ships to German ports.

Washington, March 1.—An indication of the British government's attitude towards the American government's informal proposals to Great Britain and Germany for the removal of dangers to neutral shipping, officials here thought, would be forthcoming shortly. At any rate, an answer is expected in a few days. The German government's attitude on the issue is already known to be favorable to making concessions and as supplying the basis for negotiations between the nations involved.

Ministers Not to Discuss War

New York, March 1.—The Church Peace Union, founded a year ago by Andrew Carnegie, has made public here a message which the union has addressed to "the churches and clergy of America," cautioning ministers and church people against partisanship in discussing the European war and protesting against the present agitation for increased armaments. Twenty-nine prominent clergymen and church men, representing all denominations, have signed the message.

U S. Collier Jason Returns

Avonmouth England, via London, March 1.—The United States naval collier Jason, which brought Christmas presents from American children to the children in countries suffering from the war, sailed with exhibits from England and other European countries for the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco. Some of the exhibits were left on the dock, as the captain of the Jason had received orders from the navy department at Washington to expedite his departure.

BLOCKADE LIKELY TO INVOLVE MANY QUESTIONS OF LAW

PROPOSED DECLARATION BY ALLIES CREATES WIDESPREAD INTEREST AMONG DIPLOMATS AT CAPITAL.

BRITAIN MAY STOP SHIPS BOUND FOR GERMAN PORTS

Foreign Envoys at Washington Particularly Interested in Intimation England Does Not Intend to Blockade the German Coast But to Halt All Vessels.

Washington, March 2.—Inasmuch as the United States government has not been advised either through Ambassador Page or the British embassy here of the reported notification to neutrals of Great Britain's intention to hold up all shipping to and from Germany and Austria, officials are unable to express any opinion upon this latest development.

From the brief press reports of Great Britain's plans it was thought in official quarters that a blockade of an unprecedented character was in prospect, likely to involve many complicated questions of law.

International Law Involved

It was pointed out that no question has been the subject of more controversy in international law than that of blockade, and officials said until the text of Britain's declaration was received and carefully examined, it would not be possible to say whether the United States would recognize it as binding with regard to American vessels.

The proposed declaration by the allies created widespread interest among diplomats. Some of the foreign envoys from neutral countries were particularly interested in the intimation that Great Britain did not intend to maintain a blockade of the German coast, but would hold herself at liberty to stop all shipping, no matter where encountered on the high seas, it bound to or from Germany.

Blockade by England

There is no exact precedent for such a policy, but it was considered likely in diplomatic circles that discussion as to its validity would be based on the theory that a "blockade" was being attempted. International law has several rules as to the maintenance of a naval and commercial blockade, many of which have been incorporated in convention ratified by the present belligerents as well as treaties between the United States and some of the European powers.

DARNELL INDICTED FOR VIOLATING MANN ACT

Milwaukee, March 1.—Rev. James Morrison Darnell, charged with violating the Mann act, has been indicted by the Federal grand jury, according to announcement from the United States district attorney's office

Amended Ship Bill in Congress

Washington, March 1.—The commerce committee has reported the ship purchase bill to both house and senate. Administration leaders have decided to delay final action on it until next week. It will come up in the house, which probably will adopt the conference report under a special order limiting debate to one hour. Then its suporters will make a last desperate attempt to get it through the senate before March 4. As amended it was believed the bill would suit the Progressive Republicans.

FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Adv.

Was a Surprise.

Officer (instructing recruit in signaling)—Didn't you get that message?

Recruit—Yes, sir: "Three taubs and a Zeplin comin' hover the 'ill."

Officer—Then why the deuce didn't you send it on?

Recruit—Well, sir, Hi couldn't 'ardly believe it.—London Punch.

IF BACK HURTS CLEAN KIDNEYS WITH SALTS

Drink Lots of Water and Stop Eating Meat for a While if the Bladder Bothers You.

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment; the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive; harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases.—Adv.

Making It Plain.

"You are putting the cart before the horse."

"I don't understand what you mean by this figure of speech."

"Well, I'll frame it differently. You are putting the tonneau before the wind shield."

TRY THIS EASY WAY TO HEAL YOUR SKIN

If you are suffering from eczema, ringworm or similar itching, red, unsightly skin affection, bathe the sore places with resinol soap and hot water, then gently apply a little resinol ointment. You will be astonished how instantly the itching stops and healing begins. In most cases the sick skin quickly becomes clear and healthy again, at very little cost. Resinol ointment and resinol soap also clear away pimples, blackheads, and dandruff. Sold by all druggists. Adv

Between Seasons.

"I enjoy this time of year."

"Why so?"

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Seems Reasonable.

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"I expect the wedding bells got sunburned."

All Boys and Girls

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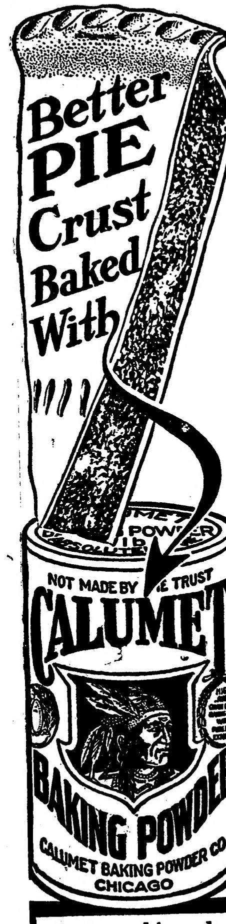
People who continually mourn past days are the veritable human chestnuts.



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TURKS LOSE 5,000 IN BOMBARDMENT BY ALLIED FLEET

WESTERN DEFENSES OF CONSTANTINOPLE ARE SMASHED BY POWERFUL PROJECTILES OF DREADNAUGHTS.

MONOPLANES FLY OVER PLAIN OF ANCIENT TROY

Ottoman Capital Is in Terror According to Dispatches from Cairo—Campaigns in Caucasus and Along Suez Canal Abandoned—Allies to Sieze Isthmus.

London, March 2.—Fifteen miles inside the Dardanelles, the greatest fleet ever assembled for a bombardment is smashing the western defenses of Constantinople into ruins. A lighthouse south of Fort Killa Bahr, on the European side, has been demolished. Hurling 1,950-pound projectiles, the mammoth dreadnaught Queen Elizabeath already has inflicted severe damage on the fort itself, one of the strongest in eastern Europe.

Turkish losses in the bombardment thus far total 5,000 dead and wounded, according to a cablegram from Saloniki. Troop trains from Constantinople are clogging the railways on the European side, and the Turkish wounded lie behind the forts without medical attention. A powder magazine of one of the inner forts was blown up.

Fly Over Plains of Troy.

Mahomet's centuries-long hold on the Dardanelles is being slowly loosened. French monoplanes are darting over the plains of ancient Troy on reconnoitering expeditions. Fighting between landing parties and Turkish infantry is occurring within a mile of Achilles' tomb.

Unconfirmed reports published here assert the allies will seize the isthmus at its narrowest part, near Bulair, and cut the European forts off from communication with Constantinople. One report had it that this feat actually has been accomplished by landing parties in the Gulf of Seros. Military experts, however, did not credit it. They pointed out that large bodies of Turks on the European side of the strait could cut their way through the isthmus by weight of numbers.

Newest Dreadnaughts in Fleet.

Other reports received here said not only the Queen Elizabeth, but at least one of its sister fighting monsters is training 15-inch guns upon the sultan's fortifications. The admiralty refused to confirm this. For many weeks nothing has been known of the whereabouts of the newest dreadnoughts.

The Turks are reported to be sinking merchant ships in an attempt to block the straits.

From Athens and Cairo came dispatches indicating that the Ottoman capital is in terror. The Turkish general staff has summarily halted the Turkish campaigns in the Caucasus and along the Suez canal. A dispatch to a London newspaper from Cairo said that the Turks are evacuating Sinai peninsula, abandoning some of the guns they dragged across the desert for an assault upon the canal

WIDOW OF HUTCHINSON FOUNDER PASSES AWAY

Hutchinson, Minn., March 2.—Mrs. Ellen M. Harrington, one of the last of the pioneer settlers, died in her home here. Mrs. Harrington was the widow of Lewis Harrington, who was one of the founders of Hutchinson, with the famous family of singers. She was a member of the Territorial Pioneers of Minnesota, as she came to Hutchinson from New Hampshire in 1857, and thereafter figured prominently in the affairs of this community.

In 1862, when many of the men had proposed fleeing to Minneapolis from the perils of attack in the Indian massacre, Mrs. Harrington and two other women rallied the settlers to remain and defend the town in a stockade fort. Ever since then her leadership had been no less vigorous, and the fact that she was known to all here as "Aunt Ellen Harrington" is taken as a token of the affection in which she was held by all.

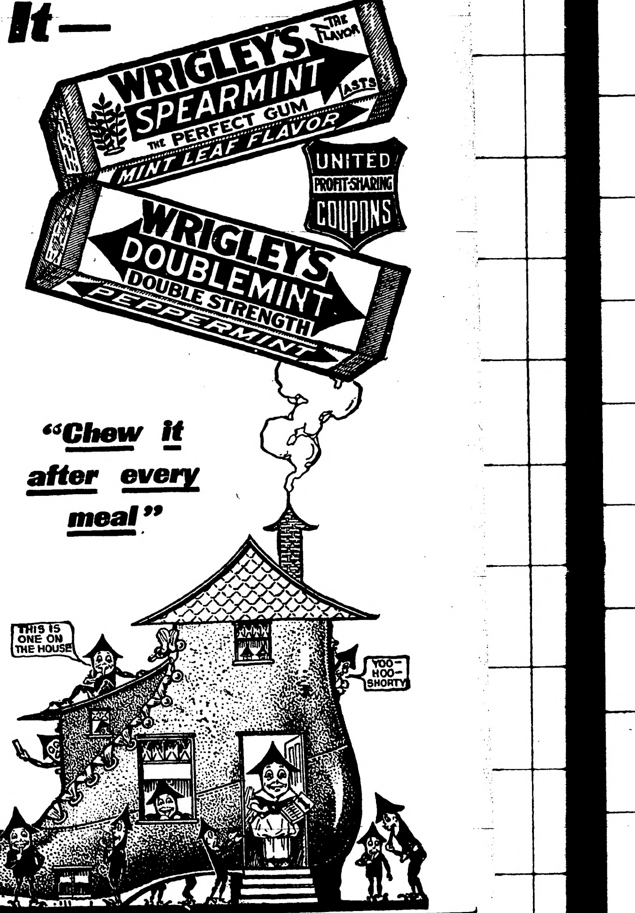
Her daughter, Mrs. H. I. Merrill, wife of the president of the Minnesota Educational association, and her son, W. E. Hutchinson, president of the Citizens bank of Hutchinson, survive her.

Wilson May Intervene

Washington, March 2.—President Wilson may be asked to intervene directly in the eastern Ohio coal strike. Representative Francis told the President he might later ask him to take steps to restore industrial peace in that region.

Schaller on Supreme Bench

St. Paul, March 2.—Albert Schaller, former state senator, named by Governor Hammond to succeed the late P. E. Brown of the supreme court, has been formally inducted into office. The ceremonies attending the swearing in of Justice Schaller were simple. The other judges and the two court commissioners gathered around him in the consultation room and Chief Justice Brown administered the oath prescribed by the constitution. At noon Justice Schaller visited Governor Hammond and paid his respects



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Frank.

"Pa, how do you pronounce ..."

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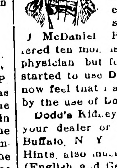
OVERWORK and KIDNEY TROUBLE

Mr. James McDaniel, Oakley, Ky., writes: "I overworked and strained myself, which brought on Kidney and Bladder Disease. My symptoms were backache and burning in the stem of the Bladder, which was sore and had a constant hurting all the time—broken sleep, tired feeling, nervousness, puffed and swollen eyes, shortness of breath and Rheumatic pains. I suffered ten months. I was treated by a physician but found no relief until I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. I now feel that I am permanently cured by the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills."



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GENERAL VON HEERINGEN AT THE FRONT

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General von Heeringen (with helmet), one of Germany's ablest strategists, at the front in the western war area.

SNAPS FOES' TRENCH

French Officer With Kodak Is Welcomed.

Tells Remarkable Story of His Experience in Getting Picture of the Germans—Men Seemed Quite Happy.

Paris.—L'Illustration, France's leading pictorial weekly, recently contained a remarkable story and a remarkable photograph of an incident which occurred in the famous forest of the Argonne. Both picture and narrative are the work of a French junior officer, who writes:

The general one morning said to me: "I want you to make your way to our first line, and if possible photograph the German trenches 20 yards away. Mind you, keep your wits about you, for the enemy shoots the first kepi he sees and the moment he hears a sound!"

Amid a mass of branches I perceived our lads. A lieutenant, warned by telephone, was expecting me. In a penetrating whisper he said: "Hist! they're only fifteen meters off." I soon reached a faggot hedge, and peeping through, with the aid of a field-glass, I could distinguish a heap of fresh soil ahead. It was the German trenches.

"Don't look too long," said the lieutenant, "or a bullet will whip that periscope from your hand. What we'd like to know is whether they're 'bad boys' or 'good boys.'"

By "bad boys" he meant the Prussians, who fling grenades, bombs, or minenwerfer shells morning, noon, and night; and by "good boys," the Saxons, who are lazier, and leave us in peace for hours at a stretch.

We kept as still as mice all the while, watching intently. Suddenly the lieutenant began to whistle a popular German song:

Drunten im Unterland,
Ei! da ist's so wunderschoen,
In the valley below
How glorious the life!

He stopped. We never moved a muscle. Then from the trench opposite came the concluding couplet, whistled in the same key:

Ei da ist's so wunderschoen,
Da moecht' ich Jaeger sein!
How glorious the life
With the huntsmen you know!

I could hardly believe my ears. At my side a soldier exclaimed: "Look, there's a German. That's the first we've seen alive since the war began."

"Hold your tongue! Do you want to be bombarded?" This from the lieutenant.

"Heavens!" pursued the soldier, whom artillery had made deaf, "there's a couple, one with a green cap and something shining on it."

With my glass I could easily see two German heads just appearing above their parapet of earth—a sharpshooter and a Bavarian infantryman.

They saw the blue kepi of our impudent "piou-piou." In genial tones they called out, "'n Morgen Kamarade." (Good morning, comrade.) Then other heads appeared. I counted five; one belonged to an officer. This seemed to be the psychological moment to get a useful and curious record. So I handed the lieutenant the camera and he held it above the trench and cried out "Photographiren?"

"Ja, Ja," called back the Germans, whose round faces broke into a broad smile.

I quickly scaled our trench, and getting possession of the kodak I stretched myself flat on the loose soil and focussed the German trench. "Click," and with a salute to the enemy I dropped back into the trench, just as a cheery "Dank" came across the intervening space.

They seemed quite happy. One of them went so far as to throw us a packet of cigarettes. A bough stopped it, and instantly a German came out of his trench, apparently with the object of picking it up and handing it to us. But the lieutenant, with a grim smile, pointed a revolver at him; the Teuton returned, and the cigarettes stayed where they were.

PEN PICTURE OF EMPEROR

Glimpse of William II as He Appeared Recently at Eastern Battle Front.

Amsterdam.—An interesting pen picture of Emperor William appeared in the Kreuz Zeitung, an army organ published in Berlin, from its correspondent on the eastern front. It says:

"The emperor appeared with General von Mackensen, passing along a line of troops. For the moment I had an impression that he had grown terribly gray, but that was an error arising from the fact that the head protector he was wearing to keep off the terrible cold was gray.

"As a matter of fact the emperor appeared extraordinarily fresh and elastic, though there was an added seriousness noted in his features and a certain bitterness in his voice which formerly was not there."

FIRST GIRL IN 120 YEARS

Heirs of Cunningham Family Have All Been Boys Until This Baby Arrived.

San Antonio, Tex.—The first girl to be born in a family for about four generations, or about one hundred and twenty years, was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cunningham, 627 West Russell place, recently. They have christened the baby Mary Elizabeth.

Mr. Cunningham and his brother, John H. Cunningham, belong to an old Tennessee family and have made their home in San Antonio for about nine years. In each generation for the last century and more sons have been born into the family, and have carried the name of Cunningham into many states. The birth of the first daughter was an event of no little importance in the family of Cunningham.

MAN, 75, TO HUNT LOST MINE

Plans to Lead an Expedition Into Far North In Search of Old Claim.

Princeton, B. C.—Col. Robert Stevenson, veteran mining man and explorer, is at work on the Gladstone mine, near Allison, and has some fine ore. Although seventy-five years old, he is planning to lead an expedition to the far North in search of a lost mine, which was worked in the Cariboo placer days by two men, Rose and Johnson, both of whom were killed in a quarrel about their discovery.

Colonel Stevenson was acquainted with the men and has information which leads him to believe he can recover the ground, which is on a tributary of Antler creek.

TOWN ENTIRELY TOO GOOD

Hoosier Marshal Quits In Disgust When Only One Arrest Is Made In Two Years.

Hammond, Ind.—Two years ago Oddy Crouch was inducted into the office of town marshal of Nashville with great acclaim. His salary was to be $1 a week and $5 for every arrest he made. Oddy thought he was going to make a fortune. Recently he resigned in disgust. In the two years he had been marshal of Nashville he had made one arrest, netting him $5.

"They are too danged good in Nashville," said Oddy. "I'm going to Chicago to be a detective. Them's the boys that get the money."

HAS HIS OWN WAR

Gunner With Traction Engine Plays Lone Hand.

British Officer Tells of "Funny Old Cove" Who Travels About With Field Piece and Fires When He Is Ready.

London.—While it is said that modern warfare does not give to the individual many chances to distinguish himself, a British cavalry officer in a letter to the London Times tells of a gunner who carries on a little war of his own. Going about on a traction engine, towing his gun behind him, he unlimbers, fires a few shots and goes on his own way. That his work, no matter how amusing, is effective is told by the officer, who says:

"There is one incident I must cite; it amuses us mightily. Some time ago, when closer to the lines, we were out exercising one fine morning when the funniest old outfit came along—some old guy gunner with a big gun towed by a sort of traction engine. He was a funny looking old chap. He stopped his caravan, consulted some notes, and swung around into position and let off a couple of shots. The first one over, second short, and it appears he was quite satisfied with the next four, for he started packing up again.

"He had a kind of aeroplane with him, too, on a lorry, also in tow. He was the funniest looking old cove you ever saw; seemed to be running a little show of his own. Last we saw of him was around the corner with his traction engine half mired in the ditch. But it appears he knew what he was about, for he put one of the enemy's guns out of action with the four shots.

"Those little motorcycles—we call them wasps, for they it is that sting us into action. You're snugly between blankets and you hear the snorting and buzzing of one coming up the road. You hope he goes on—but no, he stops outside headquarters. You hold your breath. If he proceeds at once it's an ill omen, as he wants no reply but his receipted envelope, and it's 'turn out,' full parade marching order, first line transports and all.

"He waits, and after five minutes wriggles on his road, coughing and snorting and sparking, and it's all right and you can go to sleep again. The wasps—the beggars always get you on the hop—those are the dispatch riders, through which all our orders come.

"There was a park of flying men near our last billet. They brought down a taube with rifle fire from two of our planes that went up after him. They have one very fast biplane there. I heard one very great yarn of a big observer. While he was flying over the German lines and returning against a strong head wind the machine gave a heavy jerk and dip and sent his gun, map case, etc., overboard. Some seconds after the pilot felt a great bump. It was his pal coming back into his seat, from which he had been absent much too long for his own comfort.

"The wings of the machine were riddled with shrapnel and the pilot and observer had to sit tight over their sheets of armor plate. I think they are worthy of the greatest praise. The only thing we envy them is the impossibility of their being turned out at night. They can work only by day."

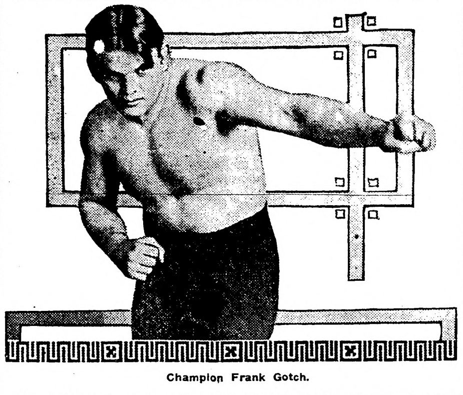
COLONIALS IN EGYPT

The men of the Colonial division which is encamped near the pyramids in readiness to defend the country against threatened Turkish invasion have quickly settled down to make the most of life in the desert. The picture shows an officer of the Colonial troops riding an unaccustomed steed.

Small Girl Fast Typesetter.

Nashville, Ind.—Margaret Allison, aged eight, is one of the youngest printers in the state. Each evening, on her way home from school, she stops at the Democrat office, where she makes from fifty to seventy-five cents setting type at 20 cents a thousand. One galley of the type she set by hand in three hours. Mr. Allison, father of Margaret, is one of the fastest compositors in this part of the state.

WRESTLING GAME IN COMATOSE CONDITION



Champion Frank Gotch.

The once-popular but sadly mistreated sport of wrestling was in a comatose condition during 1914.

While the faking management of the game was largely responsible for its recent downfall, after a strong revival, the European wars, both Balkan and all-Europe, had a lot to do with its demise.

Of recent years, nearly all the excitement that could be scared up was created through the importation of terrible Turks, horrible Greeks and pests of various other nations.

These large, uncouth apparitions were taken round the country, on carefully arranged tours, "meeting" and "defeating" a flock of home-grown wrestlers, who were sent a jump ahead of the European "champions," and who met them again and again—always the same inner circle, of course, with no rash outsiders or really ambitious youngsters permitted to cut in.

Frank Gotch, who used to come out of his cage and leisurely flop the horrible Bulturkians, after they had been sufficiently advertised, grew tired of it, and hasn't emerged for quite a while. And then—the war finished up.

The terrible matmen of Europe, of course, are large, husky—far bigger and stronger than the average. They had no chance to escape the eagle eye of the recruiting officers.

Give them credit for a match that wasn't "framed"—those who had to return to the colors, as a rule went back gallantly, and tackled an opponent who wouldn't "lay," wouldn't stall, and wouldn't even stand for a draw.

Those who didn't feel like returning to the flag were mostly induced to do so, anyhow, and right now there are very few European wrestlers at liberty to wrestle anybody but the gents in the other uniforms. Many of them have fallen in battle, and by the time they can cross over here again the survivors will probably find that the whole wrestling game has been forgotten.

COSTLY MISTAKE IN NAMES

Waivers Are Asked on Grover Cleveland Alexander When His Brother Was Player Intended.

Waiver on Grover Cleveland Alexander! This caused more excitement recently than the time when Larry McLean stole second. Clubs looked at the waiver notice in amazement and then demanded to know whether President William F. Baker had suddenly gone locoed.

Grover Cleveland Alexander.

Here's the story: The Phils decided to waive on R. S. Alexander, a brother of the famous Grover, who was permitted to drill with the other tossers in the morning last summer. When the notice reached National league headquarters they changed the name to Grover C. Alexander, because they never had heard of his brother.

A rain of wires reached the Phils' office and President Baker had to answer every one of them and explain the mistake.

No Echoes for Heinie.

Christy Mathewson declares that Heinie Zimmerman is a mighty hard man to beat on a golf course.

"I was playing with Heinie one day," said the pitcher of the Giants, "when he sliced his ball into an abandoned quarry. He went down into the pit and was gone for some time. After he came up I asked, 'How many did you play, Heinie?'

"'Three,' he answered.

"'Hold on there,' I interrupted. 'I distinctly heard six strokes.'

"'Oh,' Heinie answered, 'the other three were echoes.'"

Moakley Used to Championships.

Coach Jack Moakley of the Cornell university has developed winning squads in eastern intercollegiate races 19 times, having won the cross-country title 14 times and the track and field championships five times, including last year, which gave them possession of the valuable silver cup.

WHY NOT THIS?

Trotters and pacers always have their marks after their names; so why not transmit the idea to baseball? Thus:

Ty Cobb, .368, may omit the Southern training trip.

Hans Lobert, .275, is spending the winter in Cuba.

Connie Mack has sold Eddie Collins, .344, to Chicago.

Boston parts with a bundle and gets Sherwood Magee, .314.

Heine Zimmerman, .296, declares that he will get Johnny Evers, .279, the first chance that offers.

Charles Deal, .210, wanted more coin and got 23.

The Phils failed to swap Milton Stock, .263, for Heine Groh, .288.

SPORTING WORLD

Charlie Swain, who with Seattle last year set a new world's record for home runs by making 34, surpassing Ping Bodie's old coast mark, has recently had his right leg amputated after an accident.

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Jack Lelivelt, the former New York outfielder who figured in the trade for Roger Peckinpaugh, has been sold to Kansas City A. A. by the Cleveland Americans.

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Heine Pietz, the old time National league favorite, who played with Kansas City last season, has signed to umpire in the Central circuit.

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Umpire Billy Evans says there are not enough good players to keep up the standard of two major leagues; that there is no room for a third circuit.

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Big Frank Metz, first baseman of the Indianapolis Athletic association team last season, is reported to be flirting with the Feds.

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Tom Halpin offers no alibis for being beaten by Meredith in the quarter mile at the Milrose games. But why offer alibis when the guy that passed you came within one-fifth of a world's record?

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Wizard Jake Moakley at Cornell is busy grooming another championship team. If his captain and sprinter is able to compete despite injuries sustained in an accident last summer.

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Al Wagner, a brother of the famous Hans, has been engaged to coach the basketball and baseball teams of Carnegie Tech.

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Dob Doran of Chicago has entered his power-boat in the San Francisco regatta.

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The Omaha Gun club contemplates constructing a clubhouse to cost $10,000.

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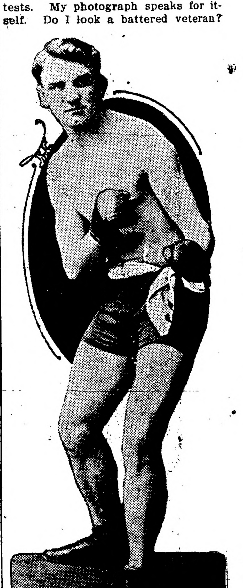
Wall street is determined to conceal the real business crisis of the country. They do not even mention Tom Sharkey leaving New York.

CHAMPION PUGILISTS TODAY

Boxer Is Somewhat Different From His Beetle-Browed Predecessor—Must Possess Brains.

"The boxer of today," writes Freddie Welsh in Strand, "is not the beetle-browed and scarred veteran of the past. He must, if he hopes to approach championship class, be a man possessed of brains, a man with a capacity for thinking all the while a contest is in progress. He must be cool and level headed. Once he loses the command of his temper all is lost. He becomes wild and erratic, he loses touch with the finer points of the sport altogether, he becomes just a target for the gloves of his opponent. They tap him from all quarters with irritating frequency, the points are scored up against him at a lightning rate, and, although he may be strong and well at the end of the final round, he is the loser.

"Take any of the modern champions, and what do we find? Just that they have come out of their contests practically unmarked. Speaking for myself, during my career in the ring I have taken part in 113 contests. My photograph speaks for itself. Do I look a battered veteran?



Freddie Welsh, Champion Lightweight.

I know I would not win any prize beauty championship, but I am just driving home a point that a man need not carry the marks of the fray about with him. In nearly ten years of boxing with 113 opponents and 1,000 sparring partners, I have never yet had a black eye."

PRIZES TEMPT THE AMATEUR

Valuable, Yet Useless Trophies, Lead Winners to Realize In Cash—Bronze Is Suggested.

The recent agitation concerning the amateur standing of a champion athlete makes sport followers wonder if the clubs are not largely responsible for the class of semipros which undoubtedly is growing larger all the time. An amateur is a man who competes solely for glory, without thought of financial gain. If an amateur refuses to enter a meet unless the prizes have a considerable cash value, what do the men in charge of that meet suppose he is going to do with any prize he may win? They must at least suspect, and they must close their eyes on suspicion.

Under the present rules a man is forbidden to sell his prizes. Such as he wins he must keep, but, to quote Goldberg, after he's got 'em, what is he going to do with 'em? The best he can do is to say to someone, "Come on up and look at my medals." He can't wear them without being taken for the president of a South American republic.

The majority of real amateur athletes are persons of limited means. Is it fair for the clubs to deliberately put temptation in their way? A man with one suit of clothes and seven gold watches has a natural inclination to pass the time. Suppose, instead of watches, diamond rings and solid gold and silver trophies, only bronze medals were offered as prizes. A bronze medal could be so handsomely worked out that it might cost a good deal of money, and yet it would have very little real cash value. Then the men who depend upon the money they can make out of their skill on field and track would be forced into the open and the temptation to secretly transgress amateur rules would be largely removed.

Keep Four-Mile Crew Race.

Definite decision that the varsity event in the intercollegiate regatta on the Hudson should remain at four miles was reached by the board of stewards of the Intercollegiate Rowing association at the annual meeting. The date for this year's regatta was fixed as Monday, June 28.

TAKING GERMAN CAPTIVES TO HEADQUARTERS

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Gemans who were made prisoners when the French took a trench are seen being led to staff headquarters for cross-examination.

KING GEORGE REVIEWS THE CANADIAN TROOPS

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Above, Canadian artillery marching past the reviewing stand at Salisbury Plain. Below, an infantry brigade from Canada. In both photographs King George and Lord Kitchener are to be seen in the reviewing stand.

LIPTON TAKES RED CROSS FORCES TO SERVIA

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Sir Thomas Lipton with the British Red Cross and St. John's society members whom he took to Servia on board his yacht Erin. The photograph was taken on board the yacht after it had left Marseilles.

OLD COSSACK STILL FIGHTS

Ivan Trufanoff, aged sixty-two years, is the oldest volunteer in the armies of the czar. He is a Cossack and has taken part in three previous wars.

Next After God.

After God there is nothing, oh, my friend, so sweet as a friend.—Eugenia de Guerin.

FUNERAL OF GERMAN PRISONER

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At South-End-on-the-Sea, at the mouth of the Thames, large numbers of captured Germans are kept on liners. The photograph shows the funeral of one of these prisoners. He was buried with full military honors and the other prisoners were allowed to act as pallbearers and join in the cortege.

HOW AMBITION LED YOUNG GIRL

Miss Fannie Hurst's Long and Hard Apprenticeship in Story-Writing.

PERSISTENCY WON AT LAST

Interesting But Not Always Pleasant Experiences Working in Stores, Restaurants and Sweatshops to Gather Material for Yarns.

By RICHARD SPILLANE.

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Usually it is poverty that gives spur to ambition and plenty that dulls it. Money, ease and recognition are the beacons that crown the heights of success. The more distant they may be, the more brilliant they seem.

There was no spur of poverty in the case of Fannie Hurst. She had money and she had ease. Her father was wealthy. Her home was charming. Tens of thousands of young girls would have thought themselves blest if they were in her place. She probably would have been perfectly happy and never been heard of had not ambition somehow taken root in her brain and started her to do things wealthy girls rarely attempt.

Fannie Hurst's home is St. Louis. Her parents gave her every educational advantage. After her regular schooling she went to Washington university, and then in 1909 she went to New York to take a postgraduate course at Columbia.

While she was in Washington university she had two desires that are not unusual with girls. She wanted to be an actress and she wanted to be a great writer. Her parents smiled at her talk of the stage and smiled when she talked of writing. She dreamed of the day when she would be an actress, but contented herself for the time being with writing things which she thought would set the world afire.

She had lots of ideas. She had a keen and observant eye. There is a publication in St. Louis to which she sent some of her productions. She sent others to the newspapers. At first most of them came back. A few were printed. She never has known greater joy than she felt the first time she saw in print something she had written. There was an added joy when she got money, real money, in payment for it. She went and saw the editor. He was more than kind to her. He made suggestions that were of great value. He explained wherein some of her work was crude, pointed the way to good writing, and cheered her with the statement that she had promise. Then he gave $10 to her for one of her yarns.

She wrote and she wrote and she wrote. The editor printed some of these stories, and when the spirit moved him he put some bills in an envelope and sent the money to her through the mail. Even the newspapers paid her for what they accepted. She made enough out of her writings in six months to almost pay her candy bill.

New York Editors Were Chilly.

In New York she found the editors colder than in St. Louis. She was to put in two years in Columbia. She was to attend three lectures a week. She had to devote a good many hours to study but she had some spare time. She improved the opportunity by doing a little writing. Most of the stuff she wrote was short, the sort of matter that is called fillers. She sent this stuff to the Sunday newspapers. Most of it came back. A little of it was printed. She thought if she could see one of the editors and talk with him she could make him understand the value of what she was writing, and possibly open the columns to her. She went to the office nine times and sat in an anteroom until even the office boy felt sorry for her. It is hard for a newcomer to get audience. It is not the editors' fault. Most of the editors are overrun with visitors. If they saw all the people who go to newspaper offices they would have no time for their work.

She lost hope about this time of ever making an impression as a writer and her thoughts were turned toward the stage. As a matter of fact, the stage always had been uppermost in her mind. Writing was only a secondary consideration. She determined on a theatrical career. After a lot of trouble, she got an engagement. It was a small part in "The Concert," which play was put on by David Belasco. She was to get $15 a week. She appeared in two consecutive performances. The second night after the show was over and she was leaving the theater, a gentleman met her at the stage door. He was her father. He had come to New York on business and had gone to see the play. When his daughter appeared in the cast he was astounded. He hurried out of the house, and when the show was over he talked to her as only a father can. Then he took her to St. Louis. She remained there for two months, and was permitted to return to New York only on her promise that she would give up all thoughts of the stage.

She resumed her studies at Columbia, and again took up writing. Most of the stories she turned out were fiction. Nearly all of her productions came back. Every time the postman rang her bell her heart sank. The maid would come in with a bulky envelope in her hand and with the announcement: "Here's another one come back, Miss Fannie," would hand it to her.

But one day the postman brought, not a rejected manuscript, but a check for $30. A second or third-class magazine had accepted one of her stories, entitled "The Seventh Day." She was so joyous that she kissed the check, figuratively hugged herself, danced about the room and acted as only a girl can act when greatly excited.

That one acceptance revived all her hopes. One of her friends who knew the editor of a magazine took her down to that gentleman's office and introduced her. He was very kind, but didn't waste words.

"What have you to submit?" he asked. She had gone to him empty-handed.

"Go home and write something and bring it in," he told her.

She did. He read the manuscript. Then he gave it back to her.

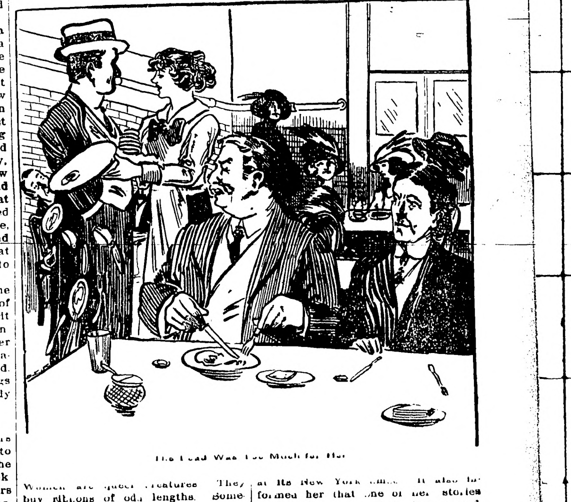
"Young lady," he said, "you can write, but you do not know how to handle a story yet."

Then he made a lot of rapid-fire suggestions. She rewrote that story three times. The third time the editor accepted it. He accepted two other stories, but he made her rewrite them, and rewrite them and rewrite them.

Going After Material.

To get material for stories she did some astonishing things. She wanted to develop a field of her own. She did. She wanted to know at first hand about the shop girls. She applied for a job in a big department store. It took her six weeks to get an engagement. She had her heart set on being assigned to the ribbon counter. As luck would have it, that is the work to which she was assigned. She was to get $6.50 a week.

If anyone thinks the girl at the ribbon counter has an easy thing of it, he will be disillusionized by Miss Hurst. With all her education she never has mastered mathematics. The first day at the ribbon counter was one of terror to her. Some of the stores sell their ribbons at all sorts of odd prices. Some of it is ten cents a yard, some 17½, some 22½, and so on.



The Load Was Too Much for Her

Women are queer creatures. They buy ribbons of odd lengths. Sometimes they want 7½ yards, sometimes 12½ yards. When a lady would order 7½ yards of 17½-cent ribbon, Miss Hurst would have a terrible time. She couldn't figure out 7½ times 17½ in less than half an hour, and then nine chances out of ten the result would be wrong. All the salesgirls keep a book of their sales. Miss Hurst was short in her accounts that first day. She was short in her accounts the second day, and the third day, and the fourth day, and the fifth day. At the end of the fifth day the floor manager called her aside and informed her that she was discharged.

When she got home she didn't know whether to laugh or to cry. She believes she never would have been discharged if it were not for the abominable custom of selling things on the fractional plan. She made a lot of acquaintances in the store. None of the girls had an idea of what she was there for. Some of them are her friends today. They do not know she is a writer.

After her ignominious dismissal she sought some more experience. She got a job in a popular cheap restaurant. She was to get seven dollars and a half a week. Incidentally, there was a chance for tips. She wasn't a success as a waitress. She tried to do as the other girls did but she didn't have the ability. She never could master the art of racking up plates, saucers, cups, knives, forks and spoons in great pyramids on her left arm and marching serenely down the aisle. She did the best she could, but her best was very poor. Several times the load was too much for her, for she had not been skillful in stacking the stuff up, and she let the pile fall.

She served men and she served women. She never got a tip from a woman. Maybe it was because she was such a bad waitress. She got tips from the men, however. Maybe they sympathized with her. In that restaurant she met a man whom she considers the kindest, politest and most generous human being she has ever met. His clothes were shabby and his linen was frayed. It was worse when he departed than when he came in, for she spilled coffee down his left arm, onto his collar and onto his neck. The poor man didn't scold her, or didn't even frown. He mopped the coffee off his coat sleeve and off his collar, and he wiped his neck. And after that he gave her a five-cent tip.

She didn't remain in that restaurant long. It was not her fault. She was fired. She went out then and looked for another job. So far as she knows, no one had recognized her, but in the department store two or three persons from St. Louis looked at her sharply, and she believes they recognized her, or thought they did.

In a Sweat Shop.

Her third job came through an advertisement. The ad called for rippers. That is a trade term in the tailoring business. She got an engagement in a sweat shop in Allen street. Of all the congested sections of New York there is none that is worse than Allen street. The shop in which she got employment was a wretched one. Most of the employees knew no English. Nearly all spoke Yiddish or a Polish dialect. She went to work by the piece. A good ripper could earn 50 cents a day. Miss Hurst was no better as a ripper than she was as a ribbon girl or waitress. She earned her car fare and a little over. She probably was considered as a hopeless subject. The boss discharged her.

After leaving the sweat shop she plunged into writing. She had gathered a lot of material. She had kept her eyes and her ears open, not only in the department store, the restaurant and the sweat shop, but on the streets, in the subway, in the "L" trains, everywhere. She was gathering impressions, studying life, thinking of people, creating situations. She wrote story after story, and sent the articles out. She sent various manuscripts to a publication that has the largest circulation of any in America. They came back regularly. She sent them elsewhere. Occasionally she sold one. She was sure that she was going to succeed sooner or later. One day she got a letter from this publication of great circulation. It asked her to call at its New York office. It also informed her that one of her stories which she had called "Power and Horse Power" had been accepted. She went to the office considerably exercised. She had made up her mind that she would ask a big price for that story. She would insist on getting a hundred dollars. The gentleman was very polite. He told her the editor was very much impressed with her work, that he had been watching her for a long time and that she had been showing steady improvement. The publication wanted her to submit all her stories from that time forward, he said.

"Now what do you think your work is worth?" the gentleman inquired.

She tried to say one hundred dollars, but the words would not come. She hesitated and hesitated, and finally said:

"I'll leave it to you."

"Well," he said, "suppose we start at three hundred dollars an article."

She nearly fainted.

That was two years ago. She has been writing, writing, writing ever since. She gets far more than three hundred dollars a story now. She is one of the highest priced story writers in America. If she keeps on as she is doing at present, she is in danger of becoming disgracefully rich on her own account. Half a dozen magazines have offered more money to her than she is getting from the one to which she contributes regularly. Play producers have been after her to dramatize various of her stories. Book publishers have wanted to put her stories in book form. She has turned a deaf ear to all of them. She works harder now than she did at the beginning. Writing to her is not easy. Some days she works five or six or eight hours over a paragraph. She has written and rewritten a story twice or three times; has put it in an envelope ready for mailing, and then has torn it up and rewritten it again.

She is not altogether convinced that she would not have been a success as an actress. But she is pretty well satisfied with her success as a writer.

Uric Acid in Your Food

Even dogs can eat too much meat. Certainly, many people "dig their graves with their teeth." Few get enough exercise to justify a meat diet, for meat brings uric acid. The kidneys try hard to get rid of that poison, but often a backache, or some other slight symptom will show that the kidneys need help. The time-tried remedy, then, is Doan's Kidney Pills.

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Contrary Qualities.

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WHAT IS CHIROPRACTIC?

(Ki-ro-prak-tik)

Chiropractic is a scientific method of removing the cause of disease (acute or chronic) without the aid of drugs, surgery or appliances.

Chiropractors do not claim to cure, treat or heal disease—Nature alone is able to do that. Chiropractic consists of spinal adjustments to remove pressure from impinged nerves, thus giving Nature a chance. George A. Newsalt, D. C., Fargo, N. D., Fargo's Pioneer Chiropractor.—Adv.

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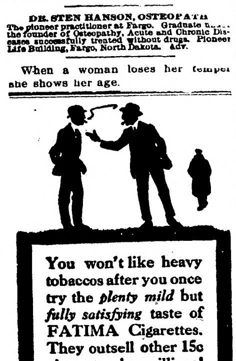

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MINNETTE'S BILL PASSES HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS VOTE

TELEPHONE MEASURE WHICH WAS VETOED BY EBERHART IS ADOPTED—SEVEN ARE ABSENT.

ANTI-TIPPING BILL FACES LEGISLATURE

Would Make It a Misdemeanor, Punishable by Fine of From $10 to $25, or Imprisonment Not to Exceed Thirty Days, to Accept or Offer Money.

St. Paul, Minn.—The unprecedented vote of 123 to 0 passed Frank E. Minnette's telephone bill in the house. Only seven members were absent or not voting.

The measure is the same which former Governor A. O. Eberhart vetoed two years ago.

The bill was taken up as a special order, and much time was spent in discussing details of its operation, under which the state railroad and warehouse commission would regulate telephone charges and compel physical connection between different systems.

One amendment was adopted regarding the admission of a competing telephone company to do business in a town where another is established. This may be done if 65 per cent of the people of the town so vote at a special election. The bill was amended to provide that if 25 per cent of the voters petition the railway commission that body may investigate the feasibility of admitting the competing company and offer its advice to the voters.

ANTI-TIPPING BILL BEFORE LEGISLATURE

The legislature has before it an anti-tipping bill. It was introduced and inspired, it is related, by the precarious existence country members have led in avoiding the ever out-stretched palm of the bell hop, the waiter, the lavatory crew, the porter, the barber, the check room boy, the check room girl, and the balance of the "tip" brigade.

The bill would make it a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of from $10 to $25, or by imprisonment not to exceed thirty days, for any person to accept or offer a tip.

The bill is made to apply to those who offer the tips on a thrice-fortified theory, first, that he who tips is unfair to him who can not afford a tip, second, that so long as tips are offered so long will they be accepted, and third, that when persons cease to offer tips proprietors of places where the expectant tip taker has his hunting ground will begin to pay living wages to those now dependent upon tips.

For Distributing Hog Serum.

Without a dissenting vote the Minnesota house passed the bill carrying an appropriation of $30,000 for the extension of the hog cholera serum plant at the state agricultural school and for the establishment of a working fund for manufacturing and distributing the serum to the farmers at cost.

The bill appropriating $250,000 from the school and swamp lands funds as a revolving fund to be used in the construction of roads, bridges and firebrakes in and about unsold school lands and for clearing the lands, was passed by a vote of 71 to 36.

Date of Elections Not Changed.

The bill passed by the house changing the date of the state-wide primary elections from June to September was killed in the senate committee on elections when action on it was indefinitely postponed. Representative Anton Borgen was the author of the bill. Senator W. A. Campbell's bill to changed the two house legislative system to a one body was also killed by its being postponed indefinitely.

Oppose Elwell Law Repeal.

That the Civic & Commerce Association has been working to prevent the repeal of the Elwell road law by the present state legislature is made one of the features of the February Bulletin of the association, which has just been issued.

President Decker of the association wrote to 600 editors of the state calling attention to the importance of the matter and emphasizing, among other things, the part good roads will play in attracting summer automobile tourists to the state.

"Healers" Bill Is Dropped.

Because of the sentiment aroused, Representative C. L. Sawyer's so called "healers" bill, which would compel all persons acting as professional healers to obtain licenses, the bill has been withdrawn.

Works Prepares Bill.

Commissioner of Insurance [illegible] Works has prepared a bill for introduction in the legislature providing that all promissory notes given in payment for insurance premiums shall be non-negotiable, and that the same shall have printed or written across the face thereof the words: "Not negotiable." The purpose of this bill is to prevent unscrupulous insurance agents taking promissory notes for insurance premiums and disposing of the same free from the defenses of fraud or misrepresentation.

AMENDMENT WILL GIVE SALOONISTS MORE TIME

St. Paul, Feb. 26.—County option has been passed by the Minnesota House. The optionists did not have so much as a vote to spare. The bill passed is the same as that passed two weeks ago by the Senate, with the exception of two amendments adopted unanimously by the House.

One of these amendments makes a slight technical correction and the other is comparatively trivial in character. It gives the saloon men, when a county has voted dry, six months instead of 60 days to get out of business.

Two Amendments.

These two amendments make it necessary to send the bill back to the Senate for repassage, but there is no question but that the Senate will concur in these two minor amendments and pass the measure along to the governor who, it is generally understood, will sign it.

The final vote on option was 66 to 62. Two members did not vote. John H. Boyd of Crookston is ill in the hospital. He is an anti-optionist. A. O. Devold, Minneapolis Socialist, spoke against the bill, but did not vote on final roll call.

Both these votes cast against the bill would not have saved it for the optionists had managed to muster 66, which is the majority of all house members required by law, and the 66 stood pat on the final roll call.

For the most part the debate was rather friendly, although Leavitt Corning of St. Paul introduced some remarks about the anti-option members and about Governor Hammond that later on were keenly resented on the floor of the house.

How Members Voted.

The vote on county option was as follows:

For: Adams, Anderson, Bendixen, Bernard, Bjorge, Bjorklund, Bjornson, Boehmke, Christianson, Corning, Dare, Dealand, Erickson, Flinn, Frye, Gill, Gordon, Grant, Guilford, Harrison, J. M., Hauser, Hogenson, Holmes, Hompe, Hulbert, Johnson, T. J., Johnson, M., Kneeland, Knutson, Konzen, Larson, Lattin, Lee, Madigan, Marschalk, Marwin, Morken, Nordgren, Norton, Ollen, Parker, Peterson, A., Peterson, A. M., Pikop, Pratt, Putnam, Sanborn, Searls, Sorflaten, Southwick, Spooner, Stenvick, Stevens, Swanson, Teigen, A. F., Teigen, L. O., Thompson, A. L., Thompson, H. O., Tollefson, Vasaly, Warner, Wefald, Weld, Wilson, Wold, Woodfill. Total, 66.

Against: Baker, Baldwin, Barten, Bessette, Borgen, Bouck, Brown, Burrows, Carmichael, Condon, Davis, Dunleavy, Dwyer, Ferrier, Gerlich, Gilman, Girling, Greene, Hafften, Haislet, H. H. Harrison, E. R. Hinds, J. H. Hynes, Indrehus, Kuntz, Larimore, Lennon, Leonard, Lydiard, McGrath, McLaughlin, Malmberg, Miner, Minnette, Moeller, Mueller, Murphy, Nelson, Nietzel, Nimocks, North, Novak, Papke, Pendergast, Pless, Ribenack, Rodenberg, Sawyer, Seebach, Schrooten, Scott, Sliter, Smith, Steen, Stoetzel, Sudheimer, Swenson, Syverson, Thornton, Welch, Wilkins, Speaker Flowers. Total, 62.

FAILURE TO VOTE MAY BE MADE MISDEMEANOR.

The Minnesota legislature may make it a gross misdemeanor for the qualified voter to fail to cast his ballot unless he has some very good excuse. A bill to provide a penalty for failure to exercise the right of franchise was introduced in the house by L. A. Lydiard of Minneapolis.

If such a law went on the statute books and Minneapolis citizens were as careless of their power of franchise as in elections past, better than half the qualified voters of the city would be subject to arrest and punishment.

The last federal census shows better than 100,000 voters in Hennepin county, but politicians call it a good vote when 50,000 register their preference at the pools on a general election day.

It is said that in the smaller cities a higher percentage of the total possible vote is polled, but in Minneapolis, and the same probably is true of St. Paul and Duluth, less than half those who have the legal right to cast a ballot do so.

SEMI-MONTHLY PAY BILL AGAIN BEFORE SENATE.

The senate has recommended for passage the railroad employes' semi-monthly pay measure, which already has passed the house.

This long-fought law, passed in the house at three different sessions and defeated in the senate, was the subject of a somewhat heated debate, when the measure came up in general orders.

Senator George A. Gardner of Brainerd was the first member to take up an emphatic argument for the semi-monthly law. He declared that many railroad employes constantly are in debt because of the present system of wage payment.

Senator John W. Andrews of Mankato, who spoke against the bill presented petitions from shop workers and others employed in the railroad shops in his district purporting to show satisfaction with the present wage payment system.

Grain Dealers Oppose Teigen Bill.

Announcement by the resolutions committee that a resolution would be offered opposing the enactment of Representative Teigen's bill prohibiting dealing in options by grain dealers, and Representative Mangus Johnson's demand, made on the floor, that he be allowed to address the convention on the resolution, was the first indication that last year's great fight might be renewed at this session of the Minnesota Farmers and Grain Dealers' association, now in session at the West hotel.

STATE NEWS

Resume of Important Happenings of Past Few Days.

TRAINS COLLIDE; 7 INJURED

Engineer May Die as Result of Accident on Milwaukee Road—Snow Storm Is Cause.

Albert Lea.—David Jones of Austin, engineer, was probably fatally crushed and seven persons were more or less injured when a double-header passenger train on the Milwaukee road crashed into a freight train three miles west of here during a snow storm.

The injured are: David Jones, Austin, chest crushed, will die; Hiram Wells, Austin, brakeman, rib fractured, chest bruised; Lawrence Lascovitch, section hand, Armstrong, Minn., three fractured ribs; S. M. Swenson, Austin, left shoulder bruised; William Wallace, salesman, Albert Lea, ribs fractured, bruised about head; Charles Mataju, right ankle sprained; A. J. Hanton, Austin, leg and shoulder injured; Mrs. H. A. Wik, Stettler, Canada, head injured, arm hurt.

The approach of the trains was concealed by the drifting snow. All firemen and trainmen jumped except Jones, who was running the second locomotive of the passenger. When the trains struck the two engines of the passenger train were telescoped.

The passenger train was running about 25 miles an hour. Physicians were called from here by a passenger who walked to a farmhouse telephone. The injured were brought to a hospital here.

'DRYS' CLAIMING MORE TOWNS

Say Spring Elections Will Place Additional Villages in Prohibition Column—Petitions Circulated.

Owatonna.—Residents of Claremont, just east of this city in Dodge county, have obtained the necessary number of signers to a petition to submit the license question at the coming election. Last year the village went "wet" by only one vote and since that time has commanded a liberal patronage from Owatonna, this city being arid. This has caused much criticism and the "drys" are confident.

Blooming Prairie, a village of 1,000 inhabitants, also appears likely to go "dry," according to reports. The Faribault ministerial association is preparing for a hard fight to make that city a part of the dry desert together with Owatonna.

With Claremont, Blooming Prairie and Faribault all oases for Owatonna thirsty ones, in the "dry" column, heavy passenger traffic from this city west to Waseca, the only town where the "wets" seem sure of holding their trenches, will result.

FOUR HELD AS WHITE SLAVERS.

Two Men and Two Women Arrested for Alleged Violation of Mann Act.

Minneapolis, Feb. 26.—Three men and six women were arrested by the Minneapolis police on the request of federal officials for the alleged violation of the Mann white slave act. They were arrested at 307½ Washington avenue south.

Anna Moline, it is charged, brought four girls to Minneapolis from outside the state. She and a man named Harry Allen, who is said to have been posing as her husband, will be charged with transporting women from one state to another for immoral purposes.

Lee Allen, a brother of Harry and his wife, Frankie Allen, may be charged with the same offense. The four girls under arrest will be held as witnesses, together with Peter Silverblade, who was found in the place and employed as a servant. The arraignment will be before United States Commissioner Howard Abbott.

To Discuss Union Station Bill.

Minneapolis, Feb. 26.—A mass meeting of the full membership of the Civic & Commerce association to be held early next week is the principal development following the discussion of the union station bill which arose between J. E. Myers, Douglas A. Fiske and others at the noonday luncheon meeting of that organization.

Veteran Dies at Sauk Rapids.

St. Cloud.—Edward Clifton, 80 years old, a veteran of the Civil War, is dead at his home in Sauk Rapids. Thomas Clifton and Mrs. Mary Parker of St. Paul are surviving children.

"Drys" Wait for County Option.

Caledonia.—Caledonia will not vote on the license issue at the annual election on March 9. The surprise will come in 1916. Working quietly but efficiently the anti-saloon organization is making a canvass and the sentiment shows a majority in this county against saloons. Caledonia and Brownsville are the only towns in the county that are "wet." The village of Spring Grove has never had a saloon, while the village of Houston has been "dry" two years. The opinion is the county will be voted "dry."

PUZZLES TAX COLLECTORS

Million Dollar Ante-Mortem Gift of Securities May Come Under Inheritance Tax Law.

Duluth.—A "Million Dollar Mystery" has been put up to Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith to solve.

The mystery originated in Duluth on the death of Joseph Sellwood, banker and mining magnate. He died February 25, 1914. The case involves the taxability of $1,000,000 in securities left as an ante-mortem gift to his son, Richard M. Sellwood, and daughter, Mrs. La Rue S. Mershon, under the inheritance tax law.

Here is the mystery:

Why did Mr. Sellwood hide from the world the $1,000,000 securities in a safety deposit vault? Did he intend to defeat the inheritance tax law?

Attorney General Must Decide.

W. J. Stevenson, attorney general in charge of inheritance tax matters, is working on a solution of the matter. He must decide whether the securities were made gifts to the children in anticipation of death and therefore are subject to the same tax as inheritance, or that the property only was set aside for his children and that the ownership did not pass to them until death.

PREDICT RISE IN GEM PRICE

Minnesota Jewelers, in Convention, Declare Diamonds Will Feel Effect of European War.

Minneapolis, Feb. 25.—Marked increase in the price of all jewelry within sixty days will follow a 30 per cent increase in the cost of doing business, according to visiting delegates at the opening session of the Minnesota Retail Jewelers' association convention at the West hotel. Diamonds, especially, will feel the effect of the European war and the destruction of the diamond industry in Belgium, the delegates say.

"Jewelers haven't the nerve to charge what their goods are now worth," said John L. Shepherd of New York. "To the cost of the goods we should add the cost of doing business and then another 10 per cent for ourselves," said J. H. Lepper, president of the Iowa Retail Jewelers' association. Other speakers said the cost of labor was up 60 per cent over the figures of ten years ago and other costs of doing business have increased.

WINONA IS OPPOSED TO LAW

Manufacturers and Jobbers May Start Campaign for Repeal of the Cashman Act.

Winona.—The question of the advisability of starting a campaign for the repeal of the Cashman distance tariff law, enacted two years ago, is being considered by the manufacturers' and jobbers' committee of the Winona Association of Commerce.

Winona commercial and manufacturing interests opposed the law from the start on the ground that it would be detrimental to this city and would injuriously affect other communities in the state.

It is said even friends of the measure are ready to admit it might be amended to advantage. A subcommittee has been appointed to report recommendation to the general committee at an early date.

Farmers' Club Has 250 Members.

Owatonna.—Nearly 250 farmers are members of the Steele County Farmers' club, recently organized by W. V. Gousseff, Owatonna high school agricultural director. Meetings are held weekly and an average attendance of 100 listens to agricultural experts. Owatonna will be the mobilization point for the Second regiment when it leaves on June 24 for its annual encampment at Lakeview. All but three of the 13 companies, as well as the field and staff officers, will gather here. The Minneapolis Symphony orchestra will make its fifth annual appearance in this city on the evening of April 15 at the new Company G armory. Students of the high school will present an operetta next month. Miss Johnson, vocal instructor, and the Misses Vale and Howard, English teachers, will direct.

RATHS TO BE APPOINTED POSTMASTER AT ST. PAUL

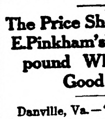
Washington, Feb. 27.—Postmaster General A. S. Burleson said after the cabinet meeting that he would appoint Otto N. Raths postmaster at St. Paul, following the recommendation of Congressman-elect Carl C. Van Dyke. It is expected that the nomination will go to the senate early next week.

Pioneer Grain Elevator Man Dies.

St. Paul, Feb. 26.—George W. Van Dusen, pioneer grain merchant and one of the men who first conceived the idea of line elevators, died after a long illness at his residence, 1900 Vine place. Mr. Van Dusen was 89 years old. He had been in the grain business from 1852 until he retired in 1900.

Club Holds Annual Banquet.

Sleepy Eye.—The second annual banquet of the Sleepy Eye Commercial club was attended by about 150 citizens. W. R. Hodges was toastmaster and the principal address was made by Joseph Reynolds of Mankato. Other speeches were made by Judge Olson of New Ulm, Professor Sprenger of Zumbro Falls and Ernest Lundeen of St. Paul. The commercial club has a membership of 140, having grown from 75 in a year. The club has been instrumental in bringing about many improvements for the town.



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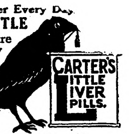

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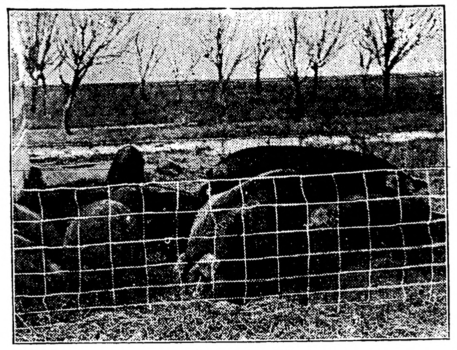
MOST NATURAL FOOD FOR BROOD SOW



Pure-Bred Poland China Hogs.

Grass and vegetable matter are the most natural food for pigs, although they will eat, and can digest, a great variety of things. The nearer a sow can be kept to grass or vegetable diet, the healthier she will be; and this system is preferable to dry, rich foods, consisting mainly of grain, pulse or meals.

Bran is most useful when grass is not available, but where it is not possible to give cows a grass run, lucerne, tares and other green forage crops can sometimes be substituted.

Roots (except that mangels must not be given at all freely as farrowing approaches, or the pigs are almost certain to be born dead) are useful, and where there is a large garden, it will provide a great deal of vegetable stuff that can be advantageously employed for in-pig sows, stuff, too, that would otherwise be wasted.

Large quantities of dry grain, and especially corn and barley, must be avoided as too heating; and hotel waste, butcher's offal, slaughter-house refuse—indeed animal matter in any form—are also bad, and may, it is said, be an exciting cause of cannibalism.

When at grass, or getting green-forage or garden stuff, a few old beans, or some dry corn, may be given once or twice a week.

The food for the in-pig sow for the last week or so of her time should be as nearly as possible that on which she will be fed for three or four weeks after she has farrowed. A well-known breeder says:

"We have ceased to give barley or other meal to our suckling sows until the pigs are at least a month old. Our newly farrowed sows are fed sharps, or what is locally termed thirds, middlings, etc., and a varying amount of bran, determined by the richness of the sharps, the number of the litter, and the age of the sow, also condition."

His recommendation for feeding the in-pig sow is: Vegetable food, with a little dry grain, beans, peas or corn until within a week of farrowing.

DAMPNESS IS THE CAUSE OF DISEASE

Good Dry, Warm Hog House Promotes General Health and Development of Herd.

(By M. A. COVERDELL.)

How many of us give our hogs a little bedding now and then during the winter months, rarely ever changing it for clean, dry nesting?

Some of us think that dampness is an unknown quantity at this season, but moisture is sure to collect in the hog house as the animals sleep in it, and dampness is the root of rheumatism.

Where the hog house is snug and warm it will, of course, admit no dampness from the outside, but with the hogs confined in it through the long winter nights, the alternate heating and cooling of the bed will cause the formation of dampness.

Proper ventilation will reduce the amount thus collected, but the bedding should be changed often to insure no damaging results.

On the other hand, if the hog house is open enough, even for the snow and sleet to sift in through cracks, the amount thus admitted, while not noticeable to the eye, will form dampness by becoming melted and settling in the bed.

Hogs also carry considerable dampness to their bedding on their feet, especially during the snowy weather, so that the farmer has ample need of ventilating the snug, warm hog house, getting busy with some strips on the one that has cracks in it, and frequently changing the bedding in both.

It will add materially in promoting general health, comfort and rapid development of the herd, at the same time adding to the profits derived from them.

OAT STRAW HELPS PIECE OUT RATION

Farmer Should Have Supply for Carrying Sheep Through the Winter Months.

It is an excellent plan for every sheep farmer to put up every fall a quantity of oat straw, to help out in carrying the sheep through the winter. Wheat straw will answer the purpose, but it is not as good as oat straw.

Of course straw is not an ideal feed for sheep. It contains a little nutriment, but not much, and a great deal of wood fiber, but clean oat straw fed sparingly, in connection with roots or other succulent feed, helps out wonderfully.

Placed in the rack with clover hay it will be pretty well eaten up every day, and it undoubtedly saves some grain.

Where a farmer has plenty of grain and little roughage, oat straw will help to piece out the ration admirably.

If fed in large quantities, and alone, it will almost certainly produce stomach trouble, and this should always be avoided.

GOOD DOG IS BIG HELP TO A FARMER

Worthless Curs That Roam at Night, Doing Much Damage, Should Be Shot.

(By HOWARD HACKEDORN, Missouri Experiment Station.)

There have been many discussions in the agricultural press in regard to the relation of dogs and the live stock. Many of the articles take an extreme stand, either for or against the dogs.

Many of us can remember with pleasure the first dog our father brought home to us. It was our faithful childhood friend. When we were in a bad humor we took our spite out on Rover or if we wished to play, Rover was always a willing playmate. The family dog keeps the children amused and gives the much-worked mothers time to rest a bit or catch up the odds and ends. It is no wonder the dogs have many friends. And they rightfully should have. No one loves a dog better than myself.

None of us would like to feel that we were the direct cause of injury to our neighbor. Yet unconsciously we allow such to go on. Is your dog chained at night? Does he run your neighbor's stock and your own stock? Surely not, you think. He is here at night when we retire and is always waiting for us at daylight. Did you ever get into an argument with your friend and didn't you answer, "My dog is a good watch dog. He always stays at home?" There is only one sure way to keep him home and that is to tie him at night, and give your neighbor privilege to shoot all dogs unaccompanied by their masters.

A lot of dogs are no one's friend, have no homes and could be soon disposed of. A few bad good-for-nothing dogs, like bad boys, give their associates a bad reputation. Are you willing to give your neighbor a square deal? Will he give you as much? The sheep breeders and the feeders do not pose as an enemy to the dog. It is the worthless "curs" that roam at night and do the damage. Kill off the "curs," but let all who wish, keep a good dog, they are a great help to the stock farmer and the hunter, and we wish them no harm as long as they keep their place.

Exercise the Jack.

A jack is harder to exercise than a stallion, but if you will give him a paddock about the eighth of an acre that he can be turned into (by himself of course) he will keep in good health. Watch his feet, they are inclined to grow fast and the hind feet may get badly out of shape, if not looked after. Get a good blacksmith to trim them down—both front and hind feet—if they get too long and let the jack go barefoot.

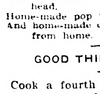
Applying Manure.

The increase in yield of crops from light applications of manure, say six to eight tons per acre, is much greater per ton of manure applied than where large quantities are used at a single application, and the farmers who apply lighter applications at shorter intervals receive better results from a given amount of manure than those who make heavier applications at long intervals.

The KITCHEN CABINET

Who hath not met with home-made bread,
A heavy compound of putty and lead—
And home-made wines that rack the head,
Home-made pop that will not foam
And home-made dishes that drive one from home. —Hood.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT.



Cook a fourth of a cupful of soft crumbs with a fourth of a cupful of cream until smooth and thick; cool and add an egg yolk and a third of a cupful of pecans cut in pieces. To two cupfuls of hot riced potatoes add three tablespoonfuls of cream, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one-eighth teaspoonful of pepper, a few drops of onion juice and a beaten egg yolk, shape in nests, fill with the nut mixture and cover with potato, dip in crumbs, egg and crumbs and fry in deep fat. Arrange on a hot plate with parsley for a garnish.

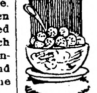
Celery, Cheese and Red Pepper Salad.—Cut celery in two-inch pieces and put into ice water to curl. Dry thoroughly and mix with a tablespoonful of chopped red pepper, and sprinkle with a grating of cheese, put mayonnaise on top and serve.

Chicken With Corn.—A most appetizing dish which may be prepared any time of the year, but is better with fresh corn from the cob, is the following: Scrub and clean a fowl in water in which a tablespoonful of soda has been dissolved. This removes any soil that is on the skin. Cut the chicken in pieces as for frying, roll in flour, brown in a little hot fat in a frying pan, then add enough milk to cook the chicken well, simmering or cooking slowly in a moderate oven for two hours or longer, depending upon the age of the fowl. Season when about half cooked and add a cup or two of corn. Serve the chicken with the gravy and corn poured around it.

Chantilly Potatoes.—Mound well-seasoned, light, mashed potatoes on a platter. Have beaten stiff one cupful of thick cream, add a half-cupful of soft cheese, and season with salt and paprika. Spread this over the top and set on the top grate of the oven to brown.

Apple Balls.—Cut balls with a vegetable cutter from firm, nice apples, drop them in water and vinegar to keep from discoloring and mix with pineapple and other fruit. Put in cups and pour over it rich lemonade or lemon sirup. Serve as a cocktail.

MORE GOOD THINGS.



Pies are the universal American dessert, and they are less objectionable to the digestive tract when properly made.

Prune Pie.—Line a pie tin with good, rich pastry and fill with stewed prunes, cut in bits. Sprinkle with one-half cupful of powdered sugar and enough cinnamon to flavor or a grating of lemon rind. Bake and just before it is well done cover with a meringue made from two beaten whites of eggs and three tablespoonfuls of sugar, a tablespoonful of lemon juice. Return the pie to the oven and finish baking until the meringue is brown.

Celery and Pineapple Salad.—Shred pineapple with a fork and add chopped celery in equal quantities, mix with mayonnaise dressing and serve on lettuce leaves.

Broiled Halibut.—Slice the fish, season with salt and pepper and brush with melted butter and let stand for an hour. Roll in flour and broil over a clear fire for twelve or fifteen minutes. Place on a dish with a garnish of parsley.

Tomato and Peanut Salad.—Peel the tomatoes carefully and remove the centers so as to form a cup. Fill with chopped cabbage and chopped peanuts, well mixed. Add French dressing. When serving, top with a spoonful of mayonnaise.

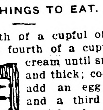
Fricasseed Potatoes.—Slice a small onion, fry brown in a saucepan with butter, paprika, salt and pepper. Cut the potatoes into half-inch squares and place on top of the onion and pour boiling water over to cover. Cook until all the water is boiled away and the potatoes mealy and tinted from paprika and butter.

Fruit Bread Sponge.—Pour over two cupfuls of small cubes of bread hot fruit juice until it is all absorbed. Let stand in a cool place several hours and when ready to serve turn from the mold and pour whipped and sweetened cream over.

Then Time to Stir.

Thomas Edison once set [illegible] invent a perfect coffee machine. It [illegible] able to use in camps or on hunting trips. Asking the advice of a former guide as to the requirements of such a thing, the man, who was a Swede, gave him this recipe: 'Der ban only von vay to cook coffee. Tak von trip into voods up on Flambeau river; build fire vid pitchpine knots, put von quart water and two handful coffee in coffee pot and sit on cover so she can't boil over. Ven cover get too hot for pants coffee she done.'

SWEETS AND SALADS.



A simple and most tasty dessert may be made by scooping the center from a deep sponge cake, filling with jam, put on the lid and serve sliced with whipped cream and sugar. Filled with whipped cream and a few tablespoonfuls of jam mixed with the cream is a most delicious combination also.

German Salad.—Cook salt herring in boiling water 15 minutes; drain and cool and separate into flakes. Add an equal quantity of cold boiled potato cut in cubes and one-fourth the quantity of hard-cooked eggs chopped. Marinate with French dressing and serve with a dressing made as follows: Beat a fourth of a cupful of cream until stiff, add two tablespoonfuls of canned red pepper, put through a sieve; then add an equal quantity of good boiled dressing. Serve the salad on lettuce with the dressing.

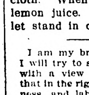
Corn and Rice Salad.—Take equal quantities of cooked corn, well drained, and rice cooked until soft; mix and season with salt, pepper, and add stiff mayonnaise dressing. Serve on lettuce leaves.

Mexican Tomato Salad.—Rub a salad bowl with a cut clove of garlic. Line the bowl with lettuce and lay in a few slices of tomato, cover with chopped green pepper, a teaspoonful of onion and a dozen chopped olives. Pour over a French dressing of a tablespoonful of vinegar to three of oil, season with salt, pepper and a dash of celery salt. Serve well chilled. Cucumbers may be added in place of the olives if so desired.

Spanish Cream.—Take a quart of milk and soak half a box of gelatin in it. Beat the yolks of three eggs light, add a cupful of sugar, stir in the scalding milk and cook until the egg is thick. Strain through a cheesecloth. When nearly cold flavor with lemon juice. Pour into a mold and let stand in cold water to stiffen.

I am my brother's keeper; therefore I will try to solve the problems of life with a view to his welfare, knowing that in the rightful adjustment of business, and labor, and society, and life in its truest expression, my brother's welfare is my own, and mine is his.

GOOD DESSERTS WITH EGGS.



During the months when eggs are high we are glad to hunt up some foods which will be palatable without them.

Bird's Nest Pudding.—Peel and slice enough apples to fill a deep pie plate. Make a rich biscuit and mixture, rather soft and pour over the apples. Bake until the crust is brown and the apples tender. Turn upside down on a plate, spread generously with butter, sprinkle with sugar and grated nutmeg and serve as one does pie.

Apple Pone.—Pare and chop fine one pint of sweet apples. Pour a cupful of boiling water into a pint of white corn meal, beating hard to make light. When cool add one cupful of sweet milk, and a half teaspoonful or more of salt. Stir in the apples, a grating of nutmeg and bake in a covered dish. Serve with hard sauce or cream and sugar.

Grape Sago.—Wash a cupful of sago, cover with cold water and let soak over night. Next morning cook until transparent. Add a cupful of grape juice. When cool turn into a glass dish and put aside to get cold. Serve with cream and sugar.

Chocolate Blanc Mange.—Put two ounces of broken bits of chocolate into a double boiler and when melted add a pint of warm milk. Stir well and add four tablespoonfuls of sugar. Moisten three tablespoonfuls of cornstarch with a little cold milk, add it to the hot milk and cook until thick and smooth. Remove from the heat, add a teaspoonful of vanilla, beat well and pour into a glass dish to serve when cold. Serve with sweetened cream.

Chocolate Tapioca.—Wash a cupful of tapioca, cover with a pint and a half of water and soak for two hours. Put four ounces of chocolate in a double boiler and when melted add a half cupful of sugar. Cook until the tapioca is transparent, stirring often when done, remove and flavor with vanilla. Serve with sugar and cream. A sprinkling of nuts or bits of jelly over the top for a garnish adds to the appearance of either, a tapioca or sago pudding.

Nellie Maxwell

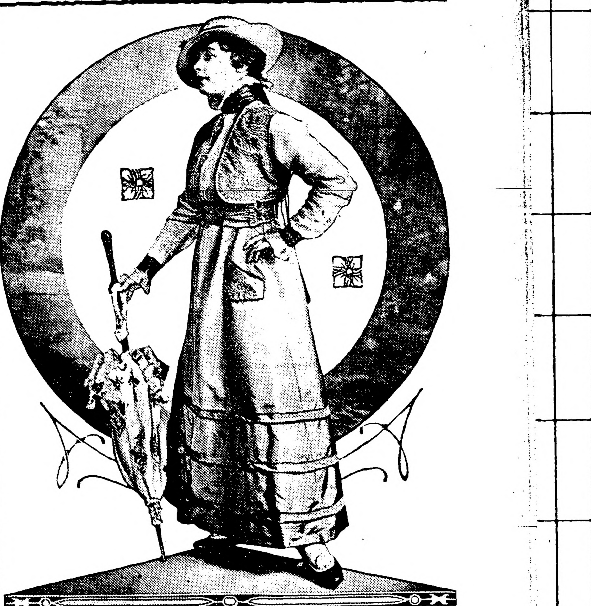
Daily Thought.

Nine-tenths of the good that is done in the world is the result not of laws, however wise, or of resolutions however strong, but of the personal influence of individual men and women.—Sir Samuel Chisholm.

Wanted a Diagram.

"That young wife was [illegible] buying her first turkey." "She was," said the dealer, "and she was greatly surprised that no book of instructions went with it."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Among the New Spring Gowns



BECOMING lines are exemplified in this new spring gown of taffeta, which is simple enough for the home dressmaker to undertake and pretty enough for the most fastidious of women to enjoy. Taffeta lends itself to the new, wide skirts, the horizontal tucks and other quaint features in the new gowns, borrowed from a period more than a half century behind us. The days of the crinoline are recalled by the utterly feminine and fascinating demureness of this modest gown.

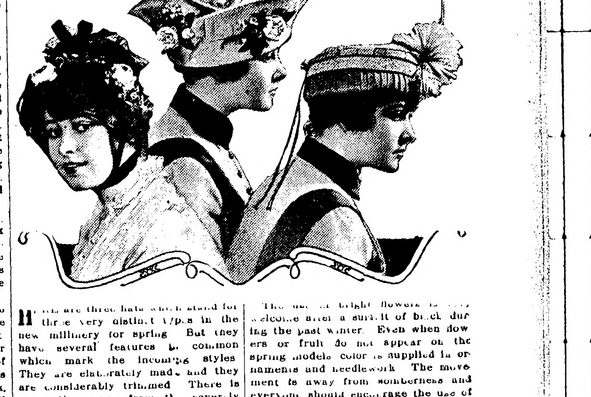
The wide tucks running around the skirt with a fullness of three to four yards in the width, combine to make the flare that is to be achieved in this particular style. The fullness is disposed of at the top partly by cutting and partly by shirring or plaits into which the material is laid. Many of the new spring skirts, cut with the requirements of the plump figure in mind, fit smoothly about the hips and are widened gradually toward the bottom, where they ripple at the hem.

Another feature of spring styles is the revival of the suspender dress. And very appropriately accompanying this comes the prominence given to pockets on skirts for street wear. In these fine tailoring plays a most important part. They are all cut ankle length, and the attention given to snappy footwear is not less than that bestowed upon the skirt. Separate skirts are worn with tailored waists of crepe-de-chine.

In either tailored or afternoon gowns there are short jackets and long coats to choose from. The short waist line hardly admits a rival in popularity, and perhaps this accounts for the lack in number of designs which were expected to feature military ideas.

The short jacket that completes the pretty gown pictured here is covered with braiding in self-color. It is just the touch required to enrich the design. Worn over a lacy bodice and with a flower-trimmed hat the toilette leaves nothing to be desired. It is developed in a medium shade of blue with a grayish cast and the hat and parasol correspond.

Millinery in Diverse Styles



Here are three hats which stand for three very distinct types in the new millinery for spring. But they have several features in common which mark the incoming styles. They are elaborately made and they are considerably trimmed. There is a reaction away from the severely plain hats with a single and sometimes minute decoration such as grew tiresome during the past winter.

At the left of the group is a quaint and picturesque bonnet made of black horsehair braid. Narrow black velvet ribbon and clusters of garden roses and forget-me-nots are used for the trimming. You cannot imagine anything which completes the costume more harmoniously, when it is one of those wide-skirted, colonial looking affairs that are so prettily developed in taffeta.

At the right is a pretty street turban made of braid in satin straw, and having a soft silk crown. An embroidered band about the coronet is bordered with very narrow velvet ribbon and short streamers fall from a diminutive flat bow at the back. At the front a big silk pompon supports a long slender feather which fronts the weather with amazing audacity.

One of those models which is expected to do duty both for street and other wear is shown at the center of the group. It is made of crepe draped over a light frame. The brim is cleverly managed so that an outline of four points results. Midway between these a little bouquet of roses and small flowers is set in a cluster of leaves. This is one of those rare hats that are suited to older as well as younger matrons.

The use of bright flowers is very welcome after a surfeit of black during the past winter. Even when flowers or fruit do not appear on the spring models color is supplied in ornaments and needlework. The movement is away from somberness and everyone should encourage the use of lovely color.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

Materials for Coats.

The heavy coatings that bid fair to hold a prominent place this spring are, of course, higher in price, but then they are not so expensive after all, for they are very wide, and only a small number of yards is necessary to complete a garment. The rich oriental colors still hold their own in these materials, and for outing wear they are lovely. Even the conservative dresser does not hesitate to don one of these lovely colorful top coats when spending a time at a southern resort or in the country. Dress stuffs are only a trifle less colorful, and at first one might get the impression that white had been excluded in the dress goods plan. This is by no means so, and almost any weave that is found in color is also to be had in plain white. There is this to be said, however, that almost every white gown, unless one is in mourning, has a liberal touch of color introduced in the way of trimming.

With Quaintness of Bygone Days.

A harbinger of the mode is this frock of rose taffeta, which exemplifies the double skirt or the appearance of it, the peplum bodice and the popular absence of trimming.—Vogue.

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Married!

Arvid Carlson and Miss Bella Sollom were united in marriage, at the home of the groom's brother in Minneapolis on Sunday Feb. 28th Hearty congratulations are extended to the happy couple, who arrived home bright and early yesterday morning and surprised everybody.

School Notes District 112

Whew! whew! whew! Listen to cold March wind.

The Seventh Graders have finished their compositions on The Life of George Washington.

The fifth Graders are learning the poem, The Wreck of the Hesperus.

Alfred and Ida Klunghes, Lesa and Tillie Olson, and Walter Soiney were absent on Monday.

We are all sorry that the snow is so hard that we cannot snow-ball.

Dr. Turley, the dentist, will be at the hotel in Holt Mar. 15th.

John Lein is clerking in Gunheim's store.

The young people gave Lester Silbaugh a surprise party Wednesday evening in honor of his 19th birthday.

Jacob Nelson went to T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Iver Engebretsen was in T. R. Falls on business Tuesday.

Thorval Kolden returned home from Thief Lake Friday.

Vote for incorporation next Tuesday and help along a good cause.

Miss Bella Sollom left Saturday for Minneapolis.

East Valley News

The Zion Ladies' Aid was entertained by Mrs. Adolphson Wed. of last week.

A. C. and J. M. Jahr, members of our school board attended the school officers' and teachers' meeting at Warren last week.

The Ring Bros. finished sawing the wood at the school house Monday.

A. C. Jahr visited school Tuesday afternoon.

George Johnson was at Holt Friday to have his eyes tested.

Mrs. Anna Larson came out from Holt Saturday for an over Sunday stay with her mother Mrs. Adolphson.

C. L. Ring spent a few days at Holt last week.

Mrs. O. Eggum departed for Fergus Falls Saturday to bring back her daughter Dinah who has been staying with relatives there the past two months.

Gust Nelson is home after spending the past three months at Mrs. Oronwold's.

A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gudvangen Saturday evening.

Mr. Silbaugh has been hauling lumber to his claim in Mud Lake. He expects to build a barn in the near future.

A certain young man was seen going east Saturday evening but was very much disappointed on reaching his destination to find that some one else was there ahead of him.

J. H. Knutson sawed wood for Edd. Furr last week.

The seventh grade has been taking tests in arithmetic this week.

The fourth grade received new arithmetices Thursday.

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Oliver Grondahl and Hilmer Davidson called at C. W. Christianson one evening last week.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson and Lizzie called on Mrs. C. H. Dovre Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Erick Johnson attended Ladies Aid Society at Mrs. T. Sollom Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Christianson called at O. H. Dovre's Thursday evening.

Mr. Frank Horn left last week for Rochester, Minn. where he will undergo an operation.

Miss Betty Johnson made an over Sunday visit at her parental home.

Certain parties are wondering who the "Joy Riders" are.

Ed Horian had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Dovre spent Sunday afternoon at the former's parental home.

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CONTRACTS, FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGES BOUGHT

We understand a car of seed potatoes will soon be shipped in here.

Ole Johnson has resigned his position in Gunheim's store.

Now is a good time to plan that corn field and look up your seed. Don't forget the potato field either.

The Early Ohio is the potato for this northern country. If all farmers would plant pure Early Ohio seed and acreage enough so that the potatoes could be shipped in car lots, a ready market can be found for them.

'Tis a wise man that knows just when to keep still.

Do you make the world any better by your life on earth?

Land can be bought as cheaply in the state of New York and the New England states as in Northern Minnesota. Many of them have good improvements too but the farmers failed to practice rotation.

Come to the prayer meeting at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. Speaking and singing in both languages.

We understand the play "Back to the Farm" will be given in the Star hall Saturday evening March 13th.

T. Reep of T. R. Falls was in town Monday on business and pleasure.

August, the 6 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Tobiason, died last night after only a few days illness. A few days ago the little fellow seemed to be injured while wrestling with brother and since then he with others of the family had been ill with lagrippe. His death was quite unexpected and a terrible shock to the family. The funeral will be held at the house at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon and the interment will be made in the village cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobiason and family have the heartfelt sympathy of the whole community in their bereavement.

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Jan. 1915.

Cream received	8,567 lbs
Average test	25.20
Butter fat	2,159.19 lbs
Percent overrun	24.5[illegible]
Butter made	2,689 lbs
Balance on hand last month	8 13
Received for butter shipped	730 2[illegible]
Butter and milk sold patrons	[illegible]
Cash sales at creamery	11 8[illegible]
Rec'd from other sources	38 16
Total	$796 96
Paid patrons by check	670 [illegible]
" " " Butter & milk	2 56
Expense fund, etc.	105 53
To sinking fund	14 38
Charges to other sources	2 50
Balance on hand	1 03
Total	$796 96

Number of patrons, 61

Price paid for butter fat, 31 1-2cts

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Southeast of Holt.

Gjennund Johnson is visiting his brother at Smiley.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Listol entertained a few friends on Sunday afternoon.

After residing at various places in the N. S. for the past 24 years Mr. C. P. Nordmark has left to make his future home in Sweden. All his friends wish him success in his Journey.

Arne Sordahl visited at the Moe home on Saturday evening.

A few young people from this locality took in the doings at Holt on Saturday evening.

Ludvic Olsen, Oscar, Manvel Thora and Gunda Moe enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon at the G. A. Soiney home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Torgerson entertained a few of their friends on Sunday.

The Ladie's Aid of the Free church will meet with Mrs. John Skomedahl on Thursday March 11th

A party was given at the home of N. Gudvangen on Saturday evening.

Ingvald Wold purchased several loads of wood from N. Sordahl last week.

S. G. Moe returned from a three weeks visit at Grafton N. Dak. on Saturday evening. He reports having had a very enjoyable visit.

N. Sordahl took in the teachers convention at Warren last week.

Don't forget the election on Mar. 9th.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Feb. 23, 1915

Notice is hereby given that John M. Jahr of Holt, Minn. who on Dec. 19th 1911 made Homestead Entry No. 07071 for S 1-2 S E 1-4 Sec. 35, Twp. 156, N, R. 42 W and Lot 4 Sec. 1 and Lots 1 and 2 Section 2 Township 155 N, Range 42 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Emma Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 29th day of March 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Nels Gudvangen, Geo. C. Anderson, Olaus Rodahl and Ole Garthus all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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GREAT BARGAINS

On Monday March 15th

We will open our

Cash Bargain Basement

Every man and lady in this country should visit our Cash Bargain Basement at all times. We will carry a full of

Shoes, Clothing, Dry Goods, Notions, Hardware

In this department at prices that will make Catalog Houses take a back seat and still we pay the freight.

We have 300 pair of Men's and Ladies' Shoes that range in price from 69c a pair up to $2.98.

It is the biggest Shoe Bargain you have ever seen.

Don't forget to look at the extra big Bargains in Dry Goods

Our Cash Bargain Basement will be open every day this year and always will be Chuck full of Bargains.

~~Monday March 15th is the day we open up so bring the family.~~

Holt Mercantile Co.

THE BIG NEW STORE

WHITE PINE "& plenty of it."

RIGHT HERE IN OUR YARDS

Ready To Put On Your Job Quick!

NORWAY PINE "& plenty of it."

WHITE PINE—"THE WOOD AMERICA IS MOSTLY BUILT OF" and "THE LEADER IN THE MARKETS FOR 250 YEARS." (U. S. GOVT. REPT.)—is still the most potent factor in the building world and will be for generations to come.

We sell WHITE PINE—for all uses—also that good old "Norway"—(equal to White Pine for most purposes) and are prepared to take care of your orders *promptly*—for a carload or a scantling. It's nice, clean, well-seasoned lumber — straight from Minnesota and Wisconsin where the best comes from—and will be welcomed by those who thought WHITE PINE was "so hard to get."

SEND IN YOUR ORDERS— and we'll "show" you action in a hurry.

We carry a full and complete line of Reliable Building Materials of all kinds—and want to figure on your job, *EVERY TIME.*

Even if we don't land the order *every time*, we are anxious to have a try for it. We're determined to *deserve* your business anyhow.

You'll find us prompt, and you'll like the way we fill orders that come over the wire.

NORWAY PINE

D. Payne Lumber Co.

Holt - Minn.

WHITE PINE

Free Mission Church.

Sunday Services

2 o'clock Sunday School

3 o'clock Prayer Meeting

The Ladies Aid will meet in the basement of the church Thursday March 25th, Mrs. O. K. Kjalgren will entertain.

For Sale

House, barn and 3 lots, or will trade.

Chris Yttre
Holt Minn.

For Rent!

The N E 1-4 26- 156- 43, cash or share rent. Enquire at Holt State Bank.

For Sale!

Reasonable, a Cutaway Bush and Bog Disc. H. R. Hinchman
19 Golden Valley, Minn.

Notice!

Some one wanted to seed the S W 1-4 Sec. 25, Holt twp. in with timothy. Enquire at Holt State Bank.

For Sale

Seed potatoes and Swedish select oats. 2 1-2 miles south east of Holt.

August Hoffman
Holt Minn.

For Rent

The S1-2 W1-2 SE1-4 Sec. 25 156 44 and Lot 1 Sec. 30-156-43, 1-2 mile north and about 2 miles west of Holt. Will rent for one year. Good buildings. Holt State Bank.

For Sale!

Holstein Bull Calves, 31-32 and 15-16 grades, ages 8 months. Also spring calves while they last. Sired by pure bred bull. Records 800 lbs butter fat per year.

H. R. Hinchman, Golden Valley
19 Minnesota

Home Talent Play

Members of the South Newfolden Farmer's Club will present the play "Back to the Farm" in three acts by ten characters Will be given in the hall at Holt Saturday March 13th 1915 at 8 o'clock P. M.

Act I

The Merrill Farm. Midautumn 1906. Morning.

Act II

The University of Minnesota. Five years later At the fraternity ball.

Act III

Merton's study at the Merrill Farm. Two years later Morning.

Ole Johnson returned Friday from several days sojourn in T. R. Falls.

Miss Edna Riesberg is able to resume her duties as clerk in Carlson's store.

There is no better flour than the Gold Medal which is sold cheap by R. Rierson.

Fred Johnson and Anton Peterson have loaded their household goods in a car and are moving to Thief River Falls.

Mrs. C. Anderson has been on the sick list for a few days Her daughter is expected home from Dak this week to help care for her mother.

A. R. Jones recently purchased the S. W. 1-4 Sec. 20 Town of Newfolding of parties in T. R. Falls. This farm lies 1-2 mile north and 2 1-2 miles west of Holt Mr. Jones is to be congratulated in being so fortunate as to get a farm so well located and we confidently predict that he will be able to make a considerable sum of money off of it.

Holt State BANK

Holt - - Minnesota

Capital, $10.000

Surplus and Profits $5,000.00

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Vice-Pres. A. D. Stephens

Cashier B. Docken

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RATES: Rooms with detached bath and shower bath—
One person 75c, $1.00 and $1.50 per day.
Two persons in same room, 50c extra.
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Two persons in same room, $1.00 extra.

Send postal card for colored blotters.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

Ringbo Rumbles

G. P. Sorter called at P. G. Sorter Sunday.

Some of the young folks spent Sunday evening at E. R. Rudman.

John Hanson is busy hauling grain to town now days.

Mrs. G. P. Sorter called at Louis Johnson Monday.

C. Martell and Geo. Gusa are busy sawing lumber.

Ole Hegelund and family called at Ole Davidson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lerson called at I. O. Saastad Sunday.

Louis Johnson and Joe Jarlson were over at Tom Siverson grinding feed Monday.

Tom Johnson left for [illegible] Friday. Suppose you are lonesome now Walter.

Some of the Owls took in the dance at Holt Saturday night. A good time is reported.

M. Udstrand called at John [illegible] strand Sunday.

Some certain young man was heard running around Sunday eve crying like a "chick" hen looking for her little "chick".

[illegible] Grondahl was out hunting wolves Sunday. We wonder why it is that you always go out east along the swamp Henry.

[illegible] incorporation [illegible] against the proposition.

Knute M[illegible] family of southern Minnesota are the new occupants of [illegible] Peterson's farm.

Mud Lake Ripples

Hello, here we are again.

We are having a little colder weather these first days of March.

Ole Maakstad made a trip to Holt last week.

Ludwig [illegible] and B. Ranum hauled [illegible] at the former's place.

[illegible] Olson made a trip to his [illegible] near Middle River last week.

[illegible] made a visit to Holt the [illegible] last week.

[illegible] made a trip to Golden Valley Friday last week, he also was over to Ostlund to get some feed ground.

Mrs. [illegible] returned last week from an extended visit to Crookston and [illegible].

Ole [illegible] was hauling hay Monday.

Ole Maakstad made a trip to Holt Monday. He also took in the auction sale at Tobiason.

P. C. Rosland hauled a load of wood for Pastor Ordahl last week.

"Back to the Farm" Mar. 13th.

Dr. Turley, the dentist, will be at the hotel in Holt Mar. 15th.

IS CHILD CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Literally Lived on the Fat.

The conversation had turned to the many men who had met success.

"There, for instance," said one man, pointing down the street, "goes a man who began life in poverty, and now lives on the fat of the land."

McFee looked.

"Yes, I know him," he replied. "He's an agent for the antifat concern."

RESINOL BEGINS TO HEAL SICK SKINS AT ONCE

You don't have to WONDER if Resinol Ointment is doing you good. You KNOW it is, because the first application stops the itching and your tortured skin feels cool and comfortable at last. Why don't YOU try this easy Resinol way to heal eczema or similar skin eruption? Resinol clears away pimples, too, and is a valuable household remedy for cuts, sores, burns, chafings, etc. It has been prescribed by doctors for 20 years and contains nothing that could irritate or injure the tenderest skin. Sold by all druggists. Adv.

Went in That Direction.

Ryan used to be assistant blaster at the quarries. On the day he disappeared he must have been standing on top of an exploding charge. We never recovered enough of him for a funeral. Subsequently a mate, who had not heard of the accident, was inquiring after Ryan. Murphy was the informant.

"Where's Bill Ryan?" queried the friend.

"Gone!" volunteered Murphy.

"Has he left for good?" asked the stranger.

Murphy embraced his facial herbage, gazed skyward, and said:

"Well, he wint that way, anyhow."

The Test Supreme.

"You say that women haven't the endurance of men?"

"They haven't."

"That they cannot successfully resist unusual mental strain or physical fatigue—that they lack nerve and patience and endurance?"

"Yes."

"Do you see that little woman over there?"

"Yes."

"You have never known a man who could endure what she has endured."

"Eh! Why, what is she?"

"She's the reader of the love stories submitted to a popular magazine."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Their Name Is Legion.

"I usually take the late train home."

"I know; but which one?"—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

STRENGTH.

Without Overloading The Stomach.

The business man, especially needs food in the morning that will not overload the stomach, but give mental vigor for the day.

Much depends on the start a man gets each day as to how he may expect to accomplish the work on hand.

He can't be alert with a heavy fried-meat-and-potatoes breakfast, requiring a lot of vital energy in digesting it.

A Calif. business man found a food combination for producing energy. He writes:

"For years I was unable to find a breakfast food that had nutrition enough to sustain a business man without overloading his stomach, causing indigestion and kindred ailments.

"Being a very busy and also a very nervous man, I had about decided to give up breakfast altogether. But luckily I was induced to try Grape-Nuts.

"Since that morning I have been a new man; can work without tiring, my head is clear and my nerves strong and quiet.

"I find that Grape-Nuts with a little sugar and a small quantity of cold milk, makes a delicious morning meal, which invigorates me for the day's business."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

MULTIPLICITY OF LIQUOR BILLS IS BEFORE SOLONS

PASSAGE OF COUNTY OPTION MEASURE FAILS TO BRING EXPECTED RELIEF — SITUATION IS CONFUSING.

TO SUBMIT PROHIBITION QUESTION TO PEOPLE

John Larimore Proposes Constitutional Amendment—Westlake Bill Exempts Cities from Provisions of County Option Act—Excepts Beer.

St. Paul, Minn.

County option is out of the way of the legislature, but instead of bringing the expected relief from the liquor problem the legislature will go back into session with a muliplicity of liquor bills to confront it.

Some of these were introduced before option was adopted by the two houses, duly signed by the governor, and sent on its way to take its place in the pages of "The Laws of 1915." Others have been prompted by the passage of option. Others are only now in course of construction.

Amazing Number of Bills.

But there are so many of them and they have followed so fast on the heels of each other that only those in close touch with the situation at the capitol pretend to have a definite idea of the existing situation. Here is a list of the amazing number of liquor bills, most of which made their appearance just as the legislature was in the midst of a sigh of relief at getting option out of the way:

The Senator E. E. Loebeck bill, providing for statutory prohibition, which means enactment of a law making the state absolutely dry, without referring the question to the people.

For State-Wide Prohibition.

The John Larimore proposed constitutional amendment. This would submit the question of state-wide prohibition to the people to be voted on at the general election in November, 1916.

The Senator E. J. Westlake bill, which would exempt Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth from the provisions of the option bill. Should Hennepin vote dry Mimneapolis would not go dry under the terms of this bill, which is aimed to modify the option bill.

Would Except Beer.

The Senator George Gardner bill, which would preclude from sale, manufacture or gift all liquors but beer.

The Representative Syverson bill, introduced Saturday, prohibiting the retail sale of liquor by any but licensed retail liquor dealers. This was recommended by William E. Lee.

In addition to this lineup there is on foot a proposal to amend the Larimore constitutional amendment bill to exempt beer and light wines from its provisions.

HOUSE PAYS TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF MRS. HIGBEE

As a tribute to the memory of Mrs. C. G. Higbee, who died in the house retiring room after making a strong appeal for a state reformatory for women, the Minnesota house of representatives attempted to pass under suspension of the rules the bill authorizing the state board of control to dispose of the old state prison at Stillwater and use the money in the construction of a women's reformatory.

Opposition developed, and statements were made that if Mrs. Higbee were on the floor of the house she would be reluctant to have the body hasten through a bill of such great importance, and a lively debate finally terminated in an agreement to make the bill, together with the bill by Representative J. A. Larimore, special orders for next Wednesday morning.

Bridge Probers Appointed

Speaker H. H. Flowers has announced the committee which has been authorized to make a complete investigation of an alleged combination of public bridge contractors.

The committee will hold hearings, summon witnesses and take testimony. The committee will be composed of Representatives Charles Warner of Aitkin, author of the joint resolution; Representatives J. E. Madigan of Maple Lake and L. A. Lydiard of Minneapolis.

SEMI-MONTHLY PAY BILL PASSES IN STATE SENATE

The semi-monthly pay bill requiring all public service corporations to pay their employes twice a month was passed in the Minnesota senate by a vote of 34 to 30. Debate on the bill had lasted for two hours. A motion to reconsider was lost.

Hearing on Forestry [illegible]

A public hearing on the bills before the house appropriations committee reducing the annual appropriation for the Minnesota state forestry department, will be held next Tuesday evening, Representative L. C. Spooner chairman of the committee, announced. Persons interested in the department will be given an opportunity to explain why the appropriation should not be decreased. The appropriations committee also will hold a meeting Tuesday afternoon at which several bills probably will be acted upon.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE LOST IN SENATE BY ONE VOTE

St. Paul, March 6—The main door of of the Minneapolis senate chamber was pushed open shortly before 3 p. m. A man stepped inside and proceeded unconcernedly down the center aisle.

Some thousand of pairs of eyes were focused on the newscomer. Not a breath was stirring. He seemed unconscious of it. The clerk of the senate looked up, recognized the newcomer and called:

"Campbell, A. S."

"No," responded the man advancing down the aisle. And then—pandemonium.

That single word that passed the lips of the newcomer denied woman suffragists the right to submit the question of suffrage to the voters of Minnesota.

Vote Was Tie.

The clerk had called the roll on the suffrage bill. Of the 67 senators who constitute the upper house 66 had answered "yes" or "no."

The clerk had cast up the total "yeas" and "nays." The result had been found a standoff, 33 to 33. If the suffrage amendment to the constitution was to pass it needed the vote of the single absentee.

That absent one was Senator Alex S. Campbell of Austin, Mower county. The sergeant-at-arms was sent to find him. And, in the meanwhile, suspense in the senate chamber, packed to the last niche with be-flowered suffragists and anti-suffragists, threatened to break into hysterics.

Hunt Missing Senator.

The missing senator was in a telephone booth. Senate officers dashed back and forth through the corridors in quest of him, but none looked in the booth.

When the senator from Mower had completed his telephone conversation he strayed back to the senate chamber. He did not know that upon his word rested all. Nor did he meet en route any of the messengers who had been sent to find him.

All unaware of the tense atmosphere within he pushed open the big doors and entered. A dramatic fraction of a moment, and the clerk had called the name and Senator Campbell had answered "No."

Had he answered in the affirmative the suffrage bill would have carried in the senate and the suffragists say the house would have been easy sailing. Suffrage would have been submitted to the voters.

TURMOIL STARTS OVER THE GRAIN SCALES BILL

A lively session of the house grain and warehouse committee suddenly was terminated after George Loftus, manager of the Equity Exchange, vigorously resented statements by J. H. McHugh, secretary of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, to the effect that the committee was being used as a "catspaw" in an advertising scheme superintended by the Equity Exchange.

A four-hour discussion of the bill by Representative Magnus Johnson, compelling the installation of track scales at terminal points and abandonment of hopper scales, came to a climax after Mr. McHugh had spoken but a moment.

"Through the medium of this committee Loftus is attempting to strike a knife into the Chamber of Commerce," McHugh said.

Loftus leaped to his feet.

"Mr. Chairman," he exclaimed, "I insist that the gentleman discontinue his statements reflecting upon me. And if he does not abide by my wishes I shall take care of him after this meeting."

Amid an avalanche of motions, one to adjourn, another to go into executive session and still another to take immediate action on the bill, Representative J. M. Harrison of Minneapolis moved that the bill be laid over until the next meeting. After several roll calls on other motions, this suggestion prevailed.

The meeting, for the most part was devoted to charges and counter charges of unfairness.

Advocates of the measure insisted that farmers of the Northwest are losing thousands of dollars yearly because of inaccurate weighing on the hopper scales.

"Fifty-seven elevators and mills in Minneapolis today are weighing grain in hopper scales to the disadvantage of the farmer," Mr. Loftus declared.

Sharp division among the committee members was apparent, but those in favor of the bill are believed to be in a majority.

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RED ROSES AND YELLOW JONQUILS

St. Paul, March 6.—Red roses and yellow jonquils bloomed in the lapel of almost every senator's coat when the suffrage bill came up in the legislature. Miss Rita Kelly, a prominent anti-suffragist, stood at the door of the senate chamber and pinned a rose on every senator who would commit himself on that side, as he entered.

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Would Require Labels [illegible]

[illegible] Senator Henry M. [illegible] introduced into the senate, [illegible] law, all jams, jellies and marmalades manufactured or sold in the state will bear labels that will let the buyer know what are the percentages of each kind of fruit used. The bill provides that the labels shall be printed in type not smaller than eight point gothic. No preservatives of any kind, coloring matter or injurious drugs may be used. A similar bill was offered by Representative I. J. Lee in the house.

"CASCARETS" FOR SLUGGISH BOWELS

No sick headache, sour stomach, biliousness or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box now.

Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out to-night and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels or an upset stomach.

Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach; remove the sour, fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great.

A Cascaret to-night straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean, healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken. Adv.

Right Kind of Pride.

An honest pride will be our defense for many a danger. You are too proud to be seen in questionable company. You remember your place in the world and would as soon think of drowning yourself as you would of allowing yourself to become part of anything questionable. It is not the really vicious that causes the trouble. That we are wise enough to shun. But it takes pride to resist what many allow. When pride becomes a monitor to your conscience you are on safe ground. Be sure you do not sidestep your advantage.

The man with the right kind of pride never fishes for sympathy. He may tell you of his struggles but never in a tone of complaint. Though the last crumb were on the table you would never know it from his face. He can keep a smile in spite of the pinch of need. But as a rule he is the last man to need sympathy. Unless fortune is very fickle he is the man that forges to the front. His very nature makes way for him. It is the kind of pride that spells success. It's pride worth having.—Pennsylvania Grit.

SAGE TEA DARKENS GRAY HAIR TO ANY SHADE. TRY IT!

Keep Your Locks Youthful, Dark, Glossy and Thick With Garden Sage and Sulphur.

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is mussy and troublesome. For 50 cents you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use tonic called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant. You will also discover dandruff is gone and hair has stopped falling.

Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and look years younger. Adv.

Sylvia and Sylvia.

How beautiful Sylvia looked that morning! The clear Virginia sunlight played upon her, and her brown hair seemed almost golden. Her great gray eyes, twin stars, looked straight into mine, and I wondered what thoughts they hid. Nearer and nearer I drew to Sylvia, and I could feel her breath, sweet as a clover field in June on my warm brow. We were alone.

A harsh voice rang out:

"You want to be keerful o' that there Sylvia," it said, "'cause she kicks wus than any cow I ever milked."—Harvard Lampoon.

Beautiful Recipe Book for Every Woman.

We have been asked by the Calumet Baking Powder Company of Chicago to announce through the columns of this publication that they have just gotten up one of the best Recipe Books ever published, 16 pages of which are beautifully illustrated, showing in the colors a lot of dainty dishes and good things to eat that can be prepared with Calumet Baking Powder.

In addition to this there are 65 valuable recipes and numerous household hints prepared by the most noted Domestic Science teachers and Cooking Experts.

We know you will find this a very valuable book, as you will have use for it almost every day.

All you have to do to get one is to take the slip that you find in a pound can of Calumet Baking Powder, fill in your name and address according to the instructions on the slip and mail it to the Calumet Baking Powder Company, Chicago, Ill.

If you are not already using Calumet Baking Powder, we would suggest that you try it today. You will find it wholesome and economical to use.

You will find it a Baking Powder of unusual merit and the recipe book one of the most beautiful and useful books of this kind that you have ever possessed.—Adv.

The man who is carried away by his own enthusiasm sometimes expects somebody else to carry him back.

[illegible] women th[illegible] [illegible] other if you can afford to make enemies of both.

U. S. INTERVENTION IN MEXICO AGAIN BEING DISCUSSED

ONLY THE POSSIBLE SUCCESS OF FACTION LED BY VILLA, IT IS THOUGHT, CAN AVERT IT.

GRAVITY OF PROBLEM GENERALLY CONCEDED

Growing Public Sentiment to the Effect That the Outrageous Conditions in Mexico Cannot Always Be Endured—Government May Be Forced to Act.

UNITED STATES WARNS MEXICO.

Washington, March 9.—New and urgent representations amounting practically to a warning have been sent by the United States to General Carranza, demanding an improvement in conditions in Mexico City.

Diplomatists familiar with the contents of the note which American Consul Silliman has been instructed to present to General Carranza interpret it as an entire change of policy on the part of the Washington government toward the Mexican situation.

The communication to Carranza which was drafted after conferences between President Wilson, Secretary Bryan and Consular Lansing was guarded with secrecy, pending some word from Carranza as to his attitude.

It was said by some officials that the note contained the strongest representations that ever have been made to Carranza and indicates that the American government is rapidly losing patience with his indifference to the objectionable acts of General Obregon at Mexico City.

Washington, March 9.—The American government is again approaching a grave crisis in the Mexican situation. Only the possible success of the Mexican faction led by General Villa, it is thought, can avert it and this success is likely to be a prelude only of further anarchy, murder and destruction. While administration circles, struggling with the European situation, are minimizing the gravity of the Mexican problem, this much is generally conceded.

Favor Intervention.

While the sympathetic approval of the country goes out to the president in his effort to steer clear of any foreign entanglements at this dangerous time, there is gradually growing a sentiment in favor of eventual intervention in the affairs of Mexico, based on apparent necessity which is plainly evidenced by the statements made by public men here in the Caprivat conversations.

United States May Act.

The attitude of the administration, while difficult to understand at times, is sufficiently clear to indicate that almost any outrage will be endured before intervention is resorted to, yet men in touch with affairs do not hesitate to say that the administration's hand is more than likely to be forced.

A significant feature of the situation is the fact that there is a growing public sentiment to the effect that the outrageous conditions in Mexico cannot always be endured and this realization may result finally in a sentiment which will compel government action and national policy. This is coming about in the face of an almost unanimous desire to keep out of the Mexican trouble if it is possible.

There have been times in the past two years when the government was on the point of action, in fact did act in the occupation of Vera Cruz. It is recognized that if it should again be necessary to sacrifice American lives, as was done in Vera Cruz, American sentiment would never tolerate a second withdrawal with nothing to show for that sacrifice.

Cruiser Dresden Believed Hiding

London, March 9.—A dispatch to the Times from Santiago, Chile, reports the activity of German steamers with coal cargoes in South American waters. The correspondent considers that this activity supports the reports of the proximity of German cruisers in these waters. He says there are persistent rumors that the cruiser Dresden is hiding in one of the inlets in southern Chile.

Two Nations May Fight

Berlin, via London, March 9.—The morning papers here devote much space to the consideration of possible future developments in Greece and Italy, which, the editorials say, are likely to be determined largely by the course of the Dardanelles operations.

Berlin Copies Michigan Plan

[illegible] March 9.—Governor [illegible]'s "potato patch plan" tried by the Michigan governor many years ago is being copied in Berlin. A movement supported by many women of high position to utilize all available garden plots as truck farms for the raising of vegetables, has been set on foot. The present war requires some such step. It is proposed to enlist the aid of all available truck farmers and agricultural experts and to get them to give instruction in vegetable raising.

STOP COUGHING

Mr. Andor Kiss, No. 318 Clinton Place, Kansas City, Mo., writes: "I cannot thank you enough for being cured. For seven long years I doctored steadily for my catarrh and cough, which cost me hundreds of dollars. But my catarrh grew worse all the time. Even though I was under the treatment of some of the most famous doctors, I still had a terrible cough and thought sometimes that I would choke. I could get no air. I then bought a bottle of Peruna, and that evening and all night my wife gave it to me according to the directions, and I felt better the following day already. Three days later I felt much improved, and today, after the use of the fourth bottle, I feel entirely cured. I can conscientiously recommend this grand medicine to every citizen."

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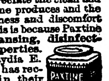

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The Eternal Feminine.

A crowd of negroes, clad in their Sunday best, had gathered at the station in Richmond, Va., to await the arrival of a colored excursion from the neighboring town of Petersburg. One fat, gaudily dressed colored woman caught sight of a friend arrayed to match and called out:

"Howdy, Mandy, what you doin' down hyar all dressed up? Whar you gwine, sister?"

"I ain't a-gwine nowhar fum hyar. I cum to see and be seed uv."

DRINK LOTS OF WATER TO FLUSH THE KIDNEYS

Eat Less Meat and Take Salts for Backache or Bladder Trouble—Neutralize Acids.

Uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish, ache, and feel like lumps of lead. The urine becomes cloudy; the bladder is irritated, and you may be obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night. When the kidneys clog you must help them flush off the body's urinous waste or you'll be a real sick person shortly. At first you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizziness, stomach gets sour, tongue coated and you feel rheumatic twinges when the weather is bad.

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Was Pale Looking.

[illegible]—The tea is quite exhausted, ma'am.

Mistress—I noticed that it seemed very weak last time.

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So Pleasant.

It was a club dinner, and Mrs. Anderson, a social climber, was seated next to Mrs. Murgridge, a society woman of prominence. Wishing to engage in conversation with the social leader, Mrs. Anderson remarked:

"I understand that you have a son who is studying music, Mrs. Murgridge."

"Yes, my son is a great musician," replied the social leader, rather coldly. "He is now studying in the Paris conservatory."

"Really! How nice!" replied the social aspirant. "It must be so pleasant to be able to sit among flowers all day and not disturb anyone with the practicing."

Among Those Present.

"Did Blinks exhibit at the horse show?"

"Well, he made an ass of himself."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Similar Result.

"Did you nail Jims on that story?"

"I did, and found he was on the wrong tack."

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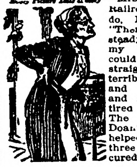
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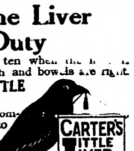

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Resume of Important Happenings of Past Few Days.

FAVOR AMERICAN RESERVES

Minneapolis Veterans to Assist in Formation of Legion of Former Soldiers and Sailors.

Minneapolis. — Many Minneapolis men prominent in military affairs have announced their intention of assisting in every way possible the formation of an American legion or organization of first reserves, to be composed of former members of the army, navy and militia.

A reserve of 300,000 is expected by Captain Gordon Johnston, aide-de-camp to Major General Leonard Wood, commanding the department of the east, who made the announcement in New York. Most of the members of the legion from Minneapolis would be former guardsmen, of which there are about 1,500 in the city.

It is expected that within a week plans will be under way to form a Minneapolis branch of the national legion.

Edward Falk, major and adjutant general of the first brigade, national guards, said that the formation of such an organization would appeal strongly to the large number of former guardsmen in Minneapolis and the Twin Cities.

Colonel Frank Rowley of the first regiment heartily endorsed the plan.

Former Guardsmen Interested.

Former First Sergeant Wiltberger of Company A, said that all former guardsmen would be interested in the scheme. The Company A Veterans' association, composed of former members of the company, will doubtless take some action in the matter, thinks Mr. Wiltberger.

Lieutenant Frank Pettigrew of the Thirteenth Minnesota, battalion quartermaster and commissary, said that the plan would receive the commendation of all Philippine veterans.

Lieutenant Arthur Johnson of the First Regiment, former captain of the Minnesota scouts, praised the idea and said that steps to form a local legion would soon be under way.

Captain C. E. Metz, Major Roy Pearse and Major Don S. Fitzgerald also commended the plan, as did E. W. Sloan of the signal corps.

While none of the Minneapolis guardsmen interview are anxious for a war, they feel that an extra 200,000 well trained men, ready to fight if necessary, will not be a small factor in the defense of the country.

SPRING CRUSADE AGAINST AUTO SPEEDERS PLANNED

Minneapolis.—A systematic spring crusade against offending automobile and motorcycle drivers will be started in earnest March 10, according to orders issued to Oscar Martinson, superintendent of police, by Mayor Nye. After that date a special detail of seven policemen will be assigned to the work of trapping speeders in different sections of the city.

Special attention will be given to the following offenses, under orders from the mayor: Driving in excess of lawful rate; running with muffler open; passing street cars when gates are open; failure to slow down at crossings; failure to carry lights after dark; failure to display 1915 license tag, and driving on wrong side of street or cutting corners. Officers will be held responsible for traffic conditions on their beats and will be asked to explain should complaints be made.

A detail of six men with a sergeant in charge will be assigned to the work of trapping speeders and they will be so stationed as to obtain the necessary evidence to insure prompt arrests and convictions.

UNION STATION BILL IS HEARTILY ENDORSED

Minneapolis, March 8.—If the fate of the proposed new union station bill, now before the legislature, were to be decided by the enthusiasm in its favor shown by most of the 600 men who attended the Civic & Commerce association dinner at the West hotel it would pass both bodies under suspension of the rules and would receive the gubernatorial approval in the shortest possible time.

That an overwhelming majority of the men present both approved a new union station and the particular bill under discussion was abundantly proved. Standing votes taken both on the general station proposition and on the bill as presented, or as it may be amended by the representatives of the association, carried unanimously.

First Arrest Under New Game Law

Fergus Falls.—D. A. [illegible], deputy game inspector swore out a warrant charging J. Stuart of East Little Lake with having violated the new national game law which forbids the shooting of game birds before sunrise. The offense is alleged to have been committed during the hunting season recently. He was bound over to the coming term of United States court here, bail being fixed at $250. This is the first prosecution in western Minnesota under the federal migratory bird law.

FAILS TO PAY $4 ALIMONY; INVENTOR GOES TO JAIL

Minneapolis.—Continued failure to pay $4 a week sent an inventor to the alimony prisoner's cell in the county jail.

The inventor was John A. Morrison, formerly an employe of the Heywood Box Manufacturing company. A little more than a year ago he was granted a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Inez Morrison, the husband agreeing to pay $4 a week for the support of their child.

Two weeks ago William Donahue, attorney for Mrs. Morrison, obtained a bench warrant from Judge Leary summoning Morrison to court to show why he should not be punished for failure to pay the alimony. Donahue was summoned by telephone.

Instead of appearing in court he took the next train for Milwaukee. He admitted that he disposed of royalties coming to him from a patent box-making machine.

Stricken with apparent remorse, he came back from Milwaukee and, weeping copiously, asked Deputy Sheriff Joseph Schutta to lock him up.

When Morrison appeared in court his period of repentance was over. He refused to pay alimony, insisting that he had no money. When he admitted that he had transferred the royalties on his invention after being summoned to court Judge Leary ordered him to the county jail.

WESTERN COUNTIES GET READY FOR OPTION FIGHT

Minneapolis.—Already six counties, Mower, Carver, Wilkin, Clay Koochiching and Kanabec, have begun preliminary work for holding local option elections early this spring, according to Dr. George B. Safford, superintendent of the Minnesota Anti-Saloon league. Temperance workers in these counties have written the league for petition blanks and other material necessary to begin their campaign. At least 10 other counties in the western part of the state will begin within a few days, according to Dr. Stafford, and it is probable that elections may be called in more than 20 counties by June 1.

"In my opinion the whole of the western part of the state, from Koochiching county on the north to Martin county on the south, and the double tier of counties clear across the southern part of the state should be in the 'dry' column this year," Dr. Safford declared. "The great trouble is curbing the desire of many of our friends to start in the fight before they have time to organize. I am advising them to 'make haste slowly' and not to get into the actual fight until they have perfected their county organizations."

SHERIFF TO BRING BACK PRISONER FROM AFRICA

St. Paul, Minn.—Sheriff John Wagener of St. Paul has been notified that Peter J. Le Reoux, driver for the Adams Express company of St. Paul, who disappeared Oct. 20, 1914, with $5,000 which he was supposed to deliver at the St. Paul union station, had been run down by the agents of the bonding company, as sureties for the express company, in Johannesburg, South Africa.

Le Reoux's case will be brought before the Ramsey county grand jury March 10, and after his indictment a warrant for his return to Ramsey county will be issued by Governor Hammond.

Sheriff Wagener says he probably will make the trip to South Africa himself, and there is much rivalry among the deputies over the privilege of accompanying the sheriff on the journey.

Clay Organizes No License League

Moorhead.—A No-license Law and Order league has been organized and the following officers elected: President, Rev. D. F. Mowrey; vice president, A. H. Wije; secretary, O. J. Mortenson; treasurer, Elof Fridlund; trustees, George E. Perley and Dr. D. C. Darrow. As soon as the officers of the league are certain of the methods to be pursued, a petition for submitting the county option question to a vote will be circulated. It is the plan to secure the necessary 840 signatures and file the petition in the next 10 days in order to have the election held in April.

Hastings Short Course Opens

Hastings.—The farmers' short course has opened with a large attendance. The speakers were Professor A. J. McGuire and Professor E. C. Davis from the state university agricultural extension division, Mrs. Hazel C. Cavanor of Minneapolis and Miss Juanita Sheppard of St. Paul. Live stock was sent from the state university farm for demonstration purposes. Professor P. S. Jordon, agriculturist of the Hastings high school, and Professor R. C. Pollock, county agent were in charge of the short course.

Churches Conduct Union Meeting

Osakis.—The churches here have united for evangelistic meetings for three weeks. Rev. G. I. Barker is in charge.

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[illegible] in recognition of faithful service, Frank J. and George F. [illegible] have announced the entrance of two of their clerks into the business. Adam Pren[illegible], for 1[illegible] years connected with the firm, and Harry G. Ziebo[illegible], employed in the store for 10 years, were presented with a block of stock each when the company incorporated. Each has been promised an opportunity to buy further holdings of stock.

FARMERS WHO SUCCEED IN WESTERN CANADA

Those Who Exercise Thrift, Practice Due Economy, and Adopt Reasonable Methods Are Sure to Prosper.

Those who are interested in developing the agricultural resources of Western Canada in bringing to the notice of those whom they desire to take part in this development present only the facts. There has never been given the impression that farming in Western Canada could be carried on without effort or labor, but it has been successfully stated that better results can be secured with less outlay of capital, either in money or labor, than anywhere else on the continent. This has been proven time and time again. Hundreds of cases could be cited where men have taken up farms, either a homestead, or purchased from railways or land companies, and with little capital at the start have acquired a competence, have established good homes for themselves, and provided a sure future. They have comfortable homes and all their surroundings are comfortable, speak of the reward that their thrift has accomplished.

Carl Dickan, of Russian Poland lived in Pittsburgh, Pa., for fourteen years, and saved up $900. In 1903 he took the $900 with him to Alberta. His own story is that he bought a quarter section, for which he agreed to pay $1,200. "In 1904 I had thirty acres of crop, threshed 900 bushels. In 1909 I bought another quarter. I now have one hundred acres under cultivation, and have never had a crop failure. Have threshed forty-seven bushels of wheat per acre, but the average has been about forty. My oats for the eleven years that I have been here averaged forty-seven bushels to the acre. I now have 9 horses, 47 head of cattle, 33 hogs, which I consider worth $3,600. I have a thousand dollars worth of farm implements and my land is worth $8,000. This is all clear of debt. I have every reason to consider this a first-class mixed farming, dairying and poultry raising country, as I think that it is apparent that I have had some success. The only help that I had was my oldest boy, who was 8 years old when I arrived in Alberta."

About fifty miles west of Wetaskiwin there is a partially timbered district lying between Buck Lake and Pigeon Lake. All this land is ready for homesteading, and judging from a letter received by a resident there, this would seem to be an ideal place for a farmer who desired such surroundings. This settler lives on the shore of Buck Lake, his land is willow brush, which is easy to clear. Some of the lumber is good saw timber, and lots of good logs for buildings can be had, as well as rails for fencing. For wheat growing the soil is excellent. Water is easily secured, fishing is good and plentiful and game is anything but scarce. The settlers are mostly from the United States and Canada.—Advertisement.

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Probably a fool thinks people who act as if they had good sense don't know much.

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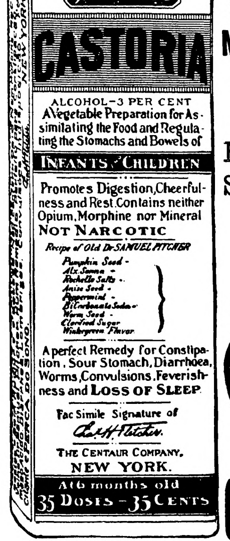
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"But I have led so many, I cannot remember," said the valiant.

"But," returned Sir Gregory, "this is still remembered. It was for a suit of clothes you had from Snip, the tailor, some two years since, and the charge still appeareth on the book."

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Phyle—He is welcome to it. I'd rather take my chance with a nest of hornets in Mexico.—Youngstown Telegram.

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Indigestion never plays fair. It always hits below the belt.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Easing the Stress.

"Why do you keep looking over the weather map?"

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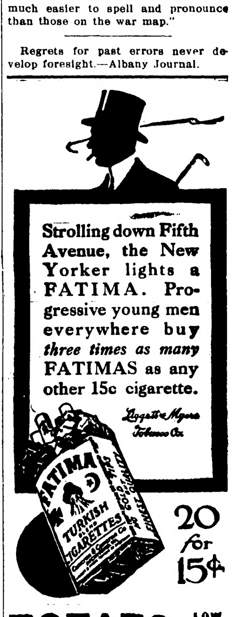
Regrets for past errors never develop foresight.—Albany Journal.



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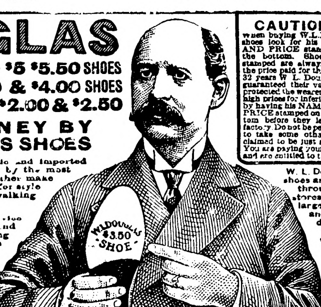

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When buying W. L. Douglas shoes look for his NAME AND PRICE stamped on the bottom. Shoes thus stamped are always worth the price paid for them. For 32 years W. L. Douglas has guaranteed their value and protected the wearer against high prices for inferior shoes by having his NAME AND PRICE stamped on the bottom before they leave the factory. Do not be persuaded to take some other make claimed to be just as good. You are paying your money and are entitled to the best.

W. L. Douglas shoes are sold through 80 stores in the large cities and shoe dealers everywhere.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Monday

March 15, 1915

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50

Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00

Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free

When Plates or Bridges are Ordered

Always Come In Early

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Auto Livery Right Prices

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Always Furnishes Reliable Service

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THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.

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General Blacksmith and Machine Shop

HOLT, - - MINN.

Machine and Auto Repairing a Specialty

All Work Guaranteed.

Ringbo

Chas. McClair and family visited at John Engstrom Sunday.

Chas. S. Rogelund and Hilmer Erickson made a business trip to Middle River Saturday.

The Ladies Aid at Ed. Erickson last Wednesday was well attended and a pleasant time is reported by those who were present.

Henry Offerdall went down to Thief River Falls Monday.

Eli Sostad left for Minneapolis last Monday to join the navy, we wish you success.

Every body is after the wolves so I guess it will be safe for Tina and Hilma to go out calling again, When grass seed grows grass. What?

Hulda Johnson left again Thursday after a months stay with her folks.

Mrs. E. Johnson and daughter called at Matt Laraon's Tuesday afternoon.

Alma Olson and Alice Johnson called at Chas. S. Roglund Sunday.

Davidson Bros. and Grondahl Bros. called at G. P. Sorter Sunday evening.

Elling Wagedall is shining two Esther's now days we wonder who is going to win out.

Henry Ericksons left for Alvarado Wednesday to visit his son Theodore.

Gunda Sorter and family visited at Ole Hegelund Saturday evening.

Lagal Notice.

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } SS.

District Court
14th Judicial District

Holt State Bank, a corporation
Plaintiff
vs.
H. L. O. Wiborg, Defendant

The State of Minnesota, to the above named Defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint is filed in the office of the Clerk of District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the City of Warren, in Marshall County, Minnsota, within twenty (20) days after the services of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgment against you for the sum of thirty-six ($36.00) dollars with interest thereon from the 18th day of November 1913, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and for the costs and disbursements of this action.

Dated February 11th 1915.

A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for the Plaintiff,
Warren, Minnesota.

Southeast of Holt

Adolph Larson visited with John Dahl for a few days last week.

T. Borgen purchased a buggy from John Easthouse this week. Don't forget to take the girls out for a ride.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson entertained a few of their relatives on Friday P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Tarkel Froisnes called on Mr. and Mrs. John Olsen on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thom Olson and daughter Myrna visited at the N. Sordahl home on Wednesday evening.

A charming young couple was seen walking in the direction of Holt last week. Guess Fred.

Gunda Moe visited with Mrs. Arno Steinhaner on Monday.

John Gudvangen came down from his home at Fertile Minn. Saturday to make his home on the farm which he recently purchased from T. Olson

Chas Schwartz has recently had a wind mill put up on his farm.

Harry Adlof of St. Hilaire has visited at the Steinhauers home for a few days, returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorvold Guttrud and daughter of T. R. Falls is visiting at the home of Mrs. A. N. Guttrud.

Say Borgen if you are in need of rivits call on Tom. Guess he has some.

Mr. and Mrs. Soiney and children George and Nathan visited at the A. Klungness home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Oleson entertained a few of their friends on Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. O. Q. Listol and children, Mrs. N. Sordal and Arne, Gunda and Harry Moe all report an enjoyable time.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one.

A. H. Huseth.

Mr. Johnson of Strathcona is the new clerk in Gunheim's store.

Meeting of Holt Tel. Co. will be held on Thursday Mar. 18 1915 at 1 o'clock P. M. at the Evergreen Hotel Holt. All the members of the local telephone companies are requested to attend.

John H. Larson from Southern Minn. has moved onto the Mathias Hanson place 5 miles west of Holt which he purchased last Fall.

Mr. Kelley of Rollis will sell 20 horses, 40 head of cattle and all kinds of machinery Mar 24th.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hagglund, a baby boy Thursday March 11th

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.36
Wheat No. 2	1.33
Wheat No. 3	1.28
Wheat No. 4	1.12
Flax	1.73
Oats	.46
Barley	to .59
Rye	.97
Flour, Best Patent	4.10

New Dray Line!

All kinds of light and heavy hauling and team work, done Promptly and at Reasonable Rates.

John Alkenbrack
Holt - Minn.

Northeast of Holt.

Mrs. E. Johnson and Mrs. C. Anderson called at Matt Larson's Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. Erickson and Mrs. C. Gronvold called at E. Johnson's Friday afternoon.

Mrs. E. Johnson and daughter Tina called at C, W. Christianson Wednesday afternoon,

Miss Hjalmer Dovre called at C. W. Christianson Friday afternoon.

Rudolph Anderson, Chas. Horian and Dehard Johnson spent Thursday evening at Hjalmer Dovre's.

Mrs. Tom Severson returned from T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Miss Tina Johnson left Saturday for an indefinite stay with her sister Mrs. G. Munberg at Alvarado. Good bye Tina come back soon.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Feb. 23, 1915

Notice is hereby given that John M. Jahr of Holt, Minn. who on Dec. 19th 1911 made Homestead Entry No. 07071 for S 1-2 S E 1-4 Sec. 35, Twp. 156, N, R. 42 W and Lot 4 Sec. 1 and Lots 1 and 2 Section 2 Township 155 N, Range 42 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 29th day of March 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Nels Gudvangen, Geo. C. Anderson, Olaus Rodahl and Ole Garthus all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

The best flour made is sold at reasonable prices at R. Rierson's store.

Ernest Silbaugh has returned home from attending school at T. R. Falls.

Take THE NEWS, $1.00 per year.

It never helps a town or community to be always croaking. Get in the band wagon and be a booster.

A Marshall county farm boy, between 16 and 19, who writes the best essay on corn, clover, alfalfa or live stock will be able to attend the great Minnesota fair, with all of his expenses paid. For particulars write to David Johnson, Co. Supt. Warren Minn.

Do you ever think of the day when you will no longer be able to earn your daily bread?

All kinds of farm produce are bound to be high for at least the next few years.

LOKEN'S

Spring Opening Saturday Mar. 13.

On Saturday March 13th our complete early showing of Spring and Easter Ladies Suits, Coats, Dresses, Waists, Petticoats and Millinery will be completely ready. It will pay you to visit our store on this Date or some Day the following week.

The earlier you come the better of course as the selections are never better than when our new stock is heavy and complete.

Free To every lady purchasing a suit coat or dress any day between **Free** March 13th and March 20th on this weeks sale only, for cash amounting to $15.00 or more, we will present absolutely free to you your choice of any shade of our 27 inch messaline silk a 2 1-2 yard waist Pattern or any new lawn or lingerie waist or any silk petticoat up to $2.50 in value.

Special Opening Sale Values

Dollar 27 in messaline Silk yd.	59c
Pure silk Petticoats (limit one to a customer with at least $1.00 purchase)	99c
$3.50 Tango pure silk divided petticoats	.38c
$1.00 Petticoats in all shades	68c
$2.00 Crepe de Meter Silk at yd.	$1.69

When in Thief River Falls Visit Our Bargain Basement

Calicos and Prints yd. 3 1-2c

Dainty sheer lawns 3 1-2c

Dollar No. 3 Cotton Batting each 58c

Pearl buttons doz. 2c | Shoestrings pr. 1c

Canvas Gloves pair 5c

36 in Plain Dress Goods 25c value, per yard	9c
Window shades each	18c
36 in bleached or unbleached muslin yd.	5c
48 in Best oil cloth in dark patterns yd.	10c
Men's and Ladies good black hose pr.	7c
25c Children's Bear Brand Hose pr.	12c

It will pay you to trade at this store.

Loken's Department Store

Thief River Falls, Minnesota

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Card of Thanks

To all who so kindly assisted us, during the illness and death of our dear little boy, we wish to extend our heartfelt thanks. We also wish to thank the primary teacher, pupils and others for the beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Tobiason.

The Sunnyside.

We were sorry to cause so much disappointment last week but the Sunnyside correspondent was laid up with rheumatism.

The Misses Marie Erickson and Emma Kuehne, and Fred Peterson called at Knauf's Sunday.

Hjalmer Peterson spent Sunday at Carl Surmo's

Mrs. C. Anderson called at L. Wegge's Tuesday afternoon.

Ed. Bjerk visited at N. Lysne's Sunday afternoon.

A number of the Sunnyside boys attended the play "Back to the Farm." and all spoke very highly of it.

Albert Bjerk spent Sunday at John Sorum's.

Joseph and Engval Johnson and Oscar and Bernhard Anderson went down to the river to try the ice Sunday.

Mrs. Ed. Horien went to T. R. Falls Wednesday, returning the next day.

New Dray Line!

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John Alkenbrack
Holt - Minn.

Ringbo Rumbles

John Engstrom and family called at Joeland Sunday afternoon.

Algot Skogelund called at John Enstrom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Sorter called at P. G. Sorter Sunday.

Sofie Johnson returned home Sunday after two months stay with her sister Mrs. Swanson. Did that cheer you up any Pete?

Elef Sorter is busy painting his house.

Mrs. E. Johnson and Mrs. K. Grondvold called at C W. Christenson Sunday afternoon.

Davidson Bros. and H. Grondahl called at G. P. Sorter Sunday evening.

Martin Palm had the misfortune of cutting one of his fingers off in the saw mill and Ola was next to doing the same.

Ole and Hilmer Davidson and Theodore Shanky was over to Erick Johnson Thursday buying hay.

Deheard Johnson left for Alvarado Friday to work during the Spring months.

Hilmer Davibson has been on the sick list for a few days. Hope you will soon be better.

Rudolph Anderson called at Ole Davidson Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Erickson called at Joe Jarland Sunday.

H. P. Bean arrived from Iowa last Wednesday with a carload of horses and machinery. He is going to move on the Jens Offerdahl farm.

Henry Grondahl and Ed Davidson was up in Germany Sunday evening.

Victoria Johnson called on Alice Johnson and Alma Olson Sunday.

Chas. McClain bought a team of horses at the Fred Johnson sale.

Julius Erickson returned Tuesday from Alvarado.

Mrs. K. Grondvoll called on A. Movik Wednesday.

Take THE NEWS, $1.00 per year.

East Valley News

Town election was held Tuesday of last week at A. C. Jahr's.

Mrs. O. Rodahl was quite sick last week, but is better at this writing.

The Ladies' Aid met at Mrs. Geo. Anderson Wednesday.

Miss Inga Johnson is working at O. Rodahl's.

Carl Surmo has disposed of his tractor to Lars Ring.

Mr. C. Jefferson lost a valuable horse last week.

Esther Adolphson and Dinah Eggum have returned to school after a couple of months absence.

George Johnson, who has been on the sick list for some time, went to Crookston Monday to consult a doctor.

State examination will be conducted at our school next week.

Northeast of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Souther who have peen visiting at the Kuehne and Knauf homes, have returned to Canada.

Several from this vicinity attended services at the Ringbo church Sunday forenoon.

Mrs. C. Anderson made a short call at Tom Severson's Monday forenoon.

Hjalmer Dovre entertained the wood sawers for a few hours Monday.

Gunder Sorter [illegible] Middle River Monday.

Dehard Johnson left Wednesday for the west.

Mrs. Erick Johnson and Mrs. C. Gromwold called at Tom Severson's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Dovre and family spent Sunday afternoon at Tom Severson's.

Nils Ness sawed wood for C. W. Christianson Monday afternoon

For Sale

House, barn and 3 lots, or will trade.

Chris Yttre
Holt Minn.

For Sale!

Reasonable, a Cutaway Bush and Bog Disc. H. R. Hinchman
19 Golden Valley, Minn.

Notice!

Some one wanted to seed the S W 1-4 Sec. 25, Holt twp. in w. 1 timothy. Enquire at Holt State Bank.

For Sale

Seed potatoes and Swedish select oats. 2 1-2 miles south east of Holt.

August Hoffman
Holt Minn.

For Sale!

Holstein Bull Calves, 31-32 and 15-16 grades, ages 8 months. Also spring calves while they last. Sired by pure bred bull. Records 800 lbs butter fat per year.

H. R. Hinchman, Golden Valley
19 Minnesota

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Of The Village Of Holt

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at the front room of the ground floor of the building known as Star Hall on lot twenty-one (21) in block eight (8) in the village of Holt, in Marshall county, Minnesota, on the third day of April, 1915, an election will be held at which the resident voters will meet for the organization of the village of Holt and the election of village officers. The following officers are to be elected, to-wit:- A Treasurer, and a village council, composed of a President, a Clerk, and three (3) Trustees, all for the term of one (1) year. Also two (2) constables and two (2) Justices of the Peace, all for the term of two (2) years. The polls will remain open from the hour of nine (9) o'clock in the forenoon to the hour of five (5) o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

P. A. Kisberg, D. Payne, B. Docken
Inspectors of Election.

Mrs. H. Anderson is still quite sick.

Be sure to read both sides of the supplement.

Albert Bjerk has resigned his job on the dray line.

A. R. Jones spent Sunday with his family at Crookston.

Adolph Sollom went to Nielsville last week Thursday.

Mrs. Bray and little son went to Fertile, Friday to visit her parents.

Miss Lydia Riesberg returned home Monday from a few days visit at T. R. Falls

Messrs. [illegible] and Larson [illegible] Monday for Crookston where the latter will have an operation for appendicitis.

There [illegible] Gold Medal [illegible] sold cheap by R. Rierson

L. S. [illegible] Wednesday to visit relatives and look after business interests

Mrs. M. [illegible] and little grand daughter Alta went to T. R. Falls Monday to visit relatives.

Soda Water and Ice [illegible] running in good shape. Come in. Have one.

A. H. Huseth

The little [illegible] old [illegible] girl of Mr. and Mrs. Martin [illegible] gaard, died Sunday night. The funeral was held Wednesday, Rev. M. B. Ordahl officiating, and interment was made in the village cemetery

Holt State Bank

Holt - - Minnesota

Capital, $10.000

Surplus and Profits $5,000.00

Pres. D. B. Bakke

Vice-Pres. A. D. Stephens

Cashier B. Docken

IT SO EASILY MIGHT HAVE BEEN

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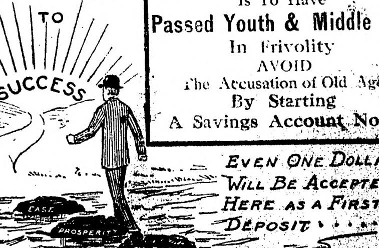
MAKE A BANK ACCOUNT WITH US THE STEPPING STONE TO



EVEN ONE DOLLAR WILL BE ACCEPTED HERE AS A FIRST DEPOSIT

Bank Statement.

Bank No. [illegible]

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Mar. 4, 1915.

Date of call by Supt., Mar. 8, 1915.

Date of report by Bank, Mar. 9, 1915.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$33,147 00
Overdrafts		352 45
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,500 00
Other Real Estate		$2,[illegible]
Due from Banks	5,117 47	
Cash on Hand	690 77	
Total Cash Assets		5,808 24
Checks and Cash Items		1,0[illegible] 66
Total		$56,[illegible]
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock and Surplus		$15,000 00
Undivided Profits, net		[illegible] 43
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		12,[illegible] 00
Deposits		50,3[illegible]
Total		$[illegible]
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$7,4[illegible] 50
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$3,[illegible]

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief

D. B. BAKKE, President
B. DOCKEN, Cashier

Correct Attest: C. H. [illegible]
[Two] Directors R. RIERSON

Subscribed and [illegible] to before me this [illegible] day of Mar 1915

[SEAL] Nils [illegible] Notary Public
My commission expires [illegible]

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

Feb. 20, 19[illegible]

[illegible] given that [illegible] of Holt, Minn., [illegible] June 25, 1910, made homestead entry, No. [illegible] for Lot 1, [illegible] and Lot [illegible] Twp. [illegible] Range [illegible] W [illegible] has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michels, U. S. Commissioner for the District of [illegible] at Thief River Falls on the [illegible] of Apr. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Nils Foss, Ole [illegible] Moe and [illegible] all of [illegible] Minnesota

Proof made [illegible]

[illegible] Ringdal, Register

[illegible] decided to stay [illegible] for 21 years.

Legal Notice.

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } SS.

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14th Judicial District

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Plaintiff
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Dated February 11th 1915.

A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for the Plaintiff,
Warren, Minnesota.

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LAWYER
Office in McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn

Dr. H. W. Froehlich
Physician and Surgeon
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We carry a full and complete line of Reliable Building Materials of all kinds—and want to figure on your job, *EVERY TIME.*

Even if we don't land the order *every time*, we are anxious to have a try for it. We're determined to *deserve* your business anyhow.

You'll find us prompt, and you'll like the way we fill orders that come [illegible]

NORWAY PINE D. Payne Lumber Co. WHITE PINE

Holt - Minn.

Defective Page

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs"

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Shifting Places.

"Scientists now state that there is no anatomical reason why a girl should not throw a baseball as well as a boy."

"And I suppose, as a correlative theory, that there is no anatomical reason why a boy should not wash dishes as well as a girl."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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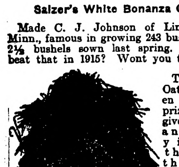
Made C. J. Johnson of Lincoln Co., Minn., famous in growing 243 bushels from 2⅓ bushels sown last spring. Can you beat that in 1915? Wont you try?



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And we will mail you our big Catalog and six generous packages of Early Cabbage, Carrot, Cucumber, Lettuce, Radish, Onion—furnishing lots and lots of juicy delicious Vegetables during the early Spring and Summer.

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Getting Even.

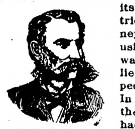
The Judge—Seems to me I have seen you somewhere before, prisoner!

The Culprit—You have, your honor. I am the barber that shaved you day before yesterday.

The Judge—Er—twenty years at hard labor.

THE PROFESSOR'S STATEMENT

Prof. Aug. F. W. Schmitz, Thomas, Okla., writes: "I was troubled with Backache for about twenty-five years. When told I had Bright's Disease in its last stages, I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. After using two boxes I was somewhat relieved and I stopped the treatment. In the spring of the next year I had another attack. I went for Dodd's Kidney Pills and they relieved me again. I used three boxes. That is now three years ago and my Backache has not returned in its severity, and by using another two boxes a little later on, the pain left altogether and I have had no trouble since. You may use my statement. I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills when and wherever I can." Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv.



Prof. Schmitz.

Useful, Indeed.

Teacher—What is the use of the eustachian tube?

Pupil—So you can hear [illegible] talk.

The Mean Thing.

"I've been losing quite a [illegible] hair lately."

"You should lock it up, dear."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

In the bright lexicon of the [illegible] the word "enough" doesn't show up.

SENATE VOTES TO AMEND MINNETTE TELEPHONE BILL

COMMITTEE MAKES CHANGES IN TWO IMPORTANT FEATURES—HOUSE PASSED BILL BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

REFERENDUM PROVISION STRUCK OUT OF MEASURE

Act Provides for Granting of Franchise to Competing Company Only by State Railroad Commission—Applicant Must Show "Public Necessity" at Hearing.

St. Paul, Minn.—In a session from which reporters were at first barred, but later admitted, the senate committee on public service corporations amended the Minette telephone bill passed unanimously by the house a few days ago, in two important features. Senator George H. Sullivan, who is leading the opposition to the bill in the upper huse, moved the "executive session" and newspaper men were excluded from the room during the first part of the committee's discussion of the measure. They were later admitted and it was explained their dismissal was a "mistake." The bill is to be a special order in the senate next Wednesday.

One of the amendments adopted strikes out the referendum features of the bill, under which a competing telephone system may be given a permit in a municipality on a 65 per cent vote of the people. This was done by a vote of 5 to 2, Senators C. N. Orr and Edward Rustad voting to retain the referendum feature, and Senator Jas. A. Carley, Geo. H. Sullivan, W. S. Dwinnell, F. D. Vibert and J. A. Rystrom voting to cut it out.

Must Show Necessity.

As amended, the bill provides that a competing company cannot be granted a franchise in a community except by the state railroad commission after a public hearing, at which a "public necessity" must be shown. Those favoring the referendum say that if it is left to the state commission, judging by the experience of other states, competing companies never will be allowed to get in.

The other amendment changes the section under which applications are made for physical condition of toll lines. The bill provided that when such application was made, it should be presumed that a public necessity existed. This put the burden of proof on the company resisting the application. The amendment provides that the railroad commission shall first determine whether a public necessity exists. If the commission so decides, the company objecting must show in court that the order is unfair. The amendment shifting the burden of proof to the applicant was carried four to three, Orr, Rustad and Dwinnell voting no.

Senator Carley fought for another amendment, requiring the consent of the railroad commision before any extensions of toll lines shall be built. This was defeated, however, Senators Orr, Rustad, Dwinnell and Rystrom voting no.

LEGISLATORS CRITICISE "U" FARM EXTENSION WORK

Attacks on the county agent system and on the agricultural extension work of the University of Minnesota were made at a public hearing on university matters before the house committee on public accounts and expenditures. County agents, who are assisted by the state to the extent of $1,000 each, were branded as "nuisances" by C. A. Wold, Magnus Johnson and other members. President George E. Vincent and Dean A. F. Woods defended the system, saying it is the university's idea to go to the people. John Lind, former president of the board of regents, urged the legislature not to go to extremes.

Condemn "Blue Milk" [illegible]

Condemnation of the proposed "blue milk" law which would reduce the minimum butterfat content of milk from 3¼ to 3 per cent was voiced by speakers before the Civic Improvement league at a meeting in the West hotel. Resolutions demanding that the "blue milk" measure and another permitting cities to demand labeling of milk be killed were unanimously adopted.

Appoints Reformatory Committee.

Speaker H. H. Flowers appointed Representatives J. A. Larimore, L. C. Spooner and J. R. Sanborn a committee to draft a bill for the construction of a state reformatory for women. This was in line with action taken when the reformatory bills came before the house as a special order.

Divided on Election Date [illegible]

Two reports from the senate elections committee on the house bill changing the primary election date from June to September threatened a clash in the senate, which was postponed by laying both bills on the table to be taken up later. The majority of the committee, including Senators O. A. Lende, A. J. Rockne, O. O. Sageng and F. E. Putnam, recommended indefinite postponement of the bill, while Senators E. B. Collister, E. P. Peterson and W. A. Campbell asked that it be passed.

PROHIBITION BILL IS DEFEATED IN SENATE

Statutory prohibition was engulfed in the wake of triumphant county option. The senate killed the E. E. Lobeck statewide "all dry" bill by a vote of 50 to 17. It was not even close. Many of the senators who voted for option balked on casting a vote for statutory prohibition.

When the vote was announced Senator Lobeck, the lone Prohibitionist in the senate, arose smilingly:

"I was told," he said, "that if I voted for county option I would be aiding in the defeat of my own bill. But I voted for option and I guess I did vote against my own bill when I cast that option ballot."

Approves Civil Service Provisions.

St. Paul, Minn.—Enactment into law of the efficiency and economy bill drawn by the efficiency and economy commission is urged in the first special message of Governor W. S. Hammond, sent to the Minnesota legislature. The message says that some amendments to the bill are necessary and to that extent recedes from the unequivocal indorsement of the commission's draft which the governor gave in his inaugural address.

Appended to the message were four letters to the governor from state officials, approving of the efficiency and economy bill in a general way, but with important amendments recommended by Attorney General L. A. Smith.

Mr. Smith wrote that the proposed recombination of different departments in the majority of cases will procure a better co-ordination of work. He approves the civil service provisions and declares some amendments will be necessary to make the proposed law constitutional. He hints at the possible creation of a political machine unless certain safeguards are adopted.

A letter from State Auditor J. A. O. Preus approves the main provisions of the bill and particularly the proposed consolidation of leading state departments. One from C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education, indorses the chapter on education. Carlos Avery, executive agent of the state game and fish commission, approves the merit system as applied to that department and adds that it undoubtedly would result in greater efficiency, though he cannot say that it would produce economy.

Governor Hammond says in his message that the proposed new system would "substitute business efficiency and system for unbusinesslike practices."

Forestry Problem Up to House.

After strong arguments had been made before the house appropriations committee in favor of a liberal appropriation for the forestry service, the committee voted to send the bills out for action by the house, merely recommending that they be made a special order. The forest service asks for $150,000 a year. It now gets $75,000 a year, and the senate finance commitee has cut the allowance to $40,000.

There are areas in northern Minnesota where the fire hazard is greater than it was at the time of the disastrous Hinckley and Baudette forest fires, State Forester W. T. Cox told the committee. There are more settlers and greater property values to be protected in the cut-over region than ever before, he said, and while the fire hazard has been reduced 40 per cent by the operations of the forest service, great danger still exists.

COMMITTEE TO SUBMIT REPORT ON DEAF SCHOOL

Members of the state board of control were questioned by the house committee investigating the affairs of the State School for the Deaf at Faribault regarding the amount of money appropriated for the upkeep of the institution. In order to obtain a fair idea of the sum appropriated the committee planned to go over the books of the department.

Supt. J. N. Tate and other officials of the school contend that the institution has been operated as efficiently as is consistent with the money provided.

PROPOSED INCREASE IN RAILROAD FARES

Railroad passenger fares of [illegible] cents a mile are proposed in a bill introduced by Senator E. J. [illegible] of Minneapolis, accompanied with a statement by the author, showing that operative expenses of roads have increased approximately 50 per cent and cost of equipment nearly 100 per cent since the 2-cent fare law was passed in 1907.

Substitute Measure Passed.

A substitute resolution calling on the speaker of the house to appoint a committee of seven members to investigate the affairs of the state university and report to the house, was presented in the house by Representatives Malmberg, Lydiar and Greene. The resolution carried none of the drastic charges embodied in the original resolution.

Revolving Drainage Fund.

[illegible] house committee [illegible] recommended to pass the bill [illegible] a revolving drainage fund.

The insurance committee indefinitely postponed the bill establishing a state bonding department in the office of the commissioner of insurance.

Representative G. B. Bjornson introduced a resolution in the house for the appointment of a committee of 11, one member from each congressional district and one at large, to select bills to be made special orders on March 31 and April 2.

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He'd Change His Wooing.

"If you had it to do over again, would you marry?"

"Yes, I think I would."

"The same girl?"

"Yes, the same girl."

"Then you have no regrets whatever?"

"I wouldn't say that exactly. If I had it to do over again, I shouldn't be so reckless during my courtship days with promises of the things I would buy for her after marriage. I'd have more common sense and fewer electric motor cars and fur coats and servants and unlimited charge accounts in my wooing."

KIDNEYS CLOG UP FROM EATING TOO MUCH MEAT

Take Tablespoonful of Salts if Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers—Meat Forms Uric Acid.

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well-known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to free the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging pains in the back or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleeplessness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in urine so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders.

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Actors Fight Well.

The large number of actors [illegible] the field for Germany is indicated by a recent remark of the emperor while on one of his flying trips to Berlin. Bent on a visit to Staff Physician Dr. von Ilberg, his majesty encountered a well-known playwright and Gustav Kadenburg, the actor. Summoning them to him he announced that many others of their profession were at the front, including two famous actors who have received the Iron Cross. "I am very well satisfied with them," the kaiser declared. "They fight very well, indeed."

NO DOUBT THAT RESINOL DOES HEAL SICK SKIN

When you know physicians have prescribed resinol for 20 years in the treatment of eczema and other itching, burning, unsightly skin eruptions, and have written thousands of reports saying: "It is my regular prescription for itching," "Resinol has produced brilliant results," "The result it gave was marvelous in one of the worst cases of eczema," etc., etc. doesn't it make you feel that "this is the treatment I can rely on for MY skin trouble?"

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The charity that begins at home usually travels in a circle—the family circle.—Deseret News.

Marriage license clerks [illegible] sell lottery tickets unmolested.

ANARCHY REIGNS IN COAST TOWN; U. S. SHIPS NEAR

CONSTITUTIONALIST TROOPS UNABLE TO MAINTAIN ORDER AT MANZANILLO—FOREIGNERS APPREHENSIVE.

CARRANZA ORDERS PROGRESO CLOSED

Carranza Dispatches Gunboat Zaragoza to Enforce Blockade Orders—Mexico City Situation Said to Be Improving—Food Supply Is Replenished.

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MEXICANS FIRE ON U. S. CRUISER, SAYS REPORT.

Washington, March 16.—A rumor which could be traced to no definite source is current here that a Mexican gunboat fired on the United States cruiser Des Moines off Progreso. At the navy department no such report had been received.

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Washington, March 16.—Demand by the United States government that Gen. Carranza abandon his blockade of Port Progreso, Mexico, backed up by the presence of the cruiser Des Moines, which had orders to enforce the opening of the port, brought a message to the state department from Rear Admiral Caperton that the blockade has been raised.

Carranza's gunboat, the Zaragosa, which was preventing ships from leaving or entering Progreso, has left for Vera Cruz. The Zaragosa had stopped one American ship with a shot across its bows, had held up another and interferred with British shipping.

Washington, March 16.—Situations fraught with difficulty have arisen at Progreso, on the Atlantic coast of Mexico, and at Manzanillo, on the Pacific coast, according to word reaching the State Department. The Mexico City situation it was said, has improved, and the water and food supply of the capital is being replenished by the Zapata forces there.

Wireless reports from the American Consul at Manzanillo state that a condition of anarchy prevails there. Carranza troops in possession of the city are unable to maintain order, it was said, and foreigners are apprehensive. The food supply is decreasing, while the Villa-Zapata troops are investing the approaches to the town.

To Take Foreigners Away.

Admiral Howard, commanding the Pacific fleet, is understood to be preparing to take foreigners away from Manzanillo if conditions do not improve. Several American ships are in the vicinity.

Progreso, the port from which is shipped 90 per cent of the sisal hemp required for binding the wheat crop of the United States, has been ordered closed to foreign commerce by General Carranza. He has dispatched the gunboat Zaragoza and is preparing to send the armored tug Ocampo to enforce the blockade orders.

The cruiser Des Moines is at Progreso under orders from the Navy Department to see to it that there is no interference with American commerce, as, in accordance with international precedent, the right of a de facto government to close a port not in its possession is not recognized.

MINNEAPOLIS HAS FIRE CAUSING $50,000 DAMAGE

Minneapolis, March 16.—Fire in the Old Colony building, Fourth street and Fourth avenue south, caused an estimated loss of $50,000.

Miss Hazel Nell, a chemist, was carried from a second floor window just before an explosion tumbled firemen from ladders and shattered windows on the Fourth street side. Miss Nell was trapped in the Howard Wheat & Flour testing laboratory on the second floor. Flames swept the one stair way. She was calling for help when firemen arrived. Captain Charles Loss of Truck No. 1 rescued her. She lives at the Leamington hotel and is chief chemist for the Howard company.

The explosion, which was heard for several blocks, was followed by a dense cloud of smoke that poured from the second floor. Several short explosions followed.

German Headquarters Moved.

London, March 16.—"It is reported that the German general headquarters moved from Lille across the Belgian border to Tournai," says a dispatch to the Daily Express from a correspondent in Northern France.

Chinese Order German's Arrest.

Pekin, March 16.—The Chinese government has lodged a protest with the German legation concerning the activities of Captain Rabe Von Pappenheim, German military attache at Pekin, and has ordered his arrest.

At the Russian legation it was said that Captain von Pappenheim, who went to Manchuria some time ago ostensibly on a hunting expedition, in reality was endeavoring to incite the natives to cut the Trans Siberian railway.

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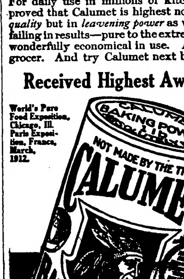

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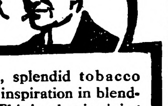

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Patrice—Come in handy for the women who say they won't touch a card during Lent.

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"Have you ever eaten any turtle soup?" he was asked.

"Nope," confessed old Dad Bing. A moment later he added: "But I've been where it was at."

But you never have to go halfway in order to get in bad.

It's Foolish to Suffer

You may be brave enough to stand backache, or headache, or dizziness. But if, in addition, urination is disordered, look out! If you don't try to fix your sick kidneys, you may fall into the clutches of kidney trouble before you know it. But if you live more carefully and help your kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills, you can stop the pains you have and avoid future danger as well.

A North Dakota Case

Fred Neumann, tailor, Ellendale, N. D., says: "My work and colds weakened my kidneys. If I tried to straighten, knife-like pains darted through my back. I had headaches and dizzy spells and lost much weight. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me after other medicines failed and now I don't suffer at all."

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Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy." You will get a large bottle for about 50 cents. Everybody uses this old, famous recipe, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look years younger. Adv.

Hunters' Paradise.

Sportsman—Is the hunting good here?

Guide—Yep. Better than the findin'.—Columbia Jester.

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No Hay.

As is usual on Monday mornings, a stream of offenders against the lesser laws passes in and out of the police court dock. Nothing happened to lighten the gloom of the proceedings until a rather battered woman took her place behind the rail.

"Name?" queried an official.

"Meddow, sir."

"How do you spell it?" said the magistrate.

"Hem-He-D-D-Ho-W, sir!"

"Ah, I see! There is no 'hay' in your meadow!"—Answers (London).

Soldier Poet Wins Dainties.

Sergt. Max Schwertfeger, attached to one of the regiments in Flanders, says the Frankfort correspondence of the Associated Press, offers remarkable evidence of the fact that the power of poetry is not on the wane. When, recently, he broke into verse in an appeal for dainties to vary the monotony of military fare, the poem, which was published in a local paper, prompted such a number of contributions of packages and boxes of delicatessen that Sergeant Schwertfeger was fairly swamped with them. By the time of the kaiser's birthday, January 26, he had received 1,027 bundles, containing so many varied eatables that he was able to share them with about a thousand members of his battalion.

When, however, the stream showed no signs of stopping, he was obliged to appeal once again, this time asking that the dainties be sent to other soldiers on other battle fronts.

CHILDREN SHOWED IT
Effect of Their Warm Drink in the Morning.

A year ago I was a wreck from coffee drinking and was on the point of giving up my position in the school room because of nervousness.

"I was telling a friend about it and she said 'We drink nothing at meal time but Postum, and it is such a comfort to have something we can enjoy drinking with the children.'

"I was astonished that she would allow the children to drink any kind of coffee, but she said Postum was not coffee but a most healthful drink for children as well as for older ones, and that the condition of both the children and adults showed that to be a fact.

"I was in despair and determined to give Postum a trial, following the directions carefully. It was a decided success and I was completely won by its rich delicious flavor.

"In a short time I noticed a decided improvement in my condition and kept growing better month after month, until now I am healthy, and do my work in the school room with ease and pleasure. I would not return to nerve-destroying coffee for any money."

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STATE NEWS

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Resume of Important Happenings of Past Few Days.

MINNESOTANS ABOARD FRYE

Three Natives of North Star State Tell of Capture by German Cruiser.

Washington, March 15.—Three Minnesotans participated in the thrilling adventures of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich, the German commerce destroyer now at Newport News, Va., and have exciting stories to tell of their adventures on the sea. They are Adolph Miller, formerly of Duluth; E. P. Matson, an Elmore boy, who were members of the crew of the ill-fated American grain boat William P. Frye, and O. S. Sorenson, who hails from Luverne and who was one of the crew of the Ivercoe, a British bark.

Adolph Miller, who obtained his first experience in navigation on the Great Lakes and later drifted to salt water, is 24 years of age and looks upon his adventure as a matter of course. His story shows the imminent danger in which Americans were placed by being compelled to take passage on a boat whose safety rested upon the fact that she was not sighted by the warships of the other belligerent nations.

Miller says:

"On the whole, the Americans were treated remarkably well by the Germans. Three consecutive times the danger to the Americans was extremely great. British warships were in the vicinity and the decks of the cruiser were cleared for action. The Americans, like all the other refugees, were compelled to go below. We could look from the portholes."

$600,000 IS INVOLVED IN ST. PAUL TRANSACTION

St. Paul.—A Robert street deal involving a land purchase and new buildings aggregating $600,000 was announced by J. F. Sperry of the Sperry Realty company.

The new building, according to the announcement, includes a seven-story hotel to cost $250,000, a three-story produce building, $125,000; an automobile salesroom and garage, $50,000, and a three-story commercial building, $30,000.

The property for the new buildings embraces the entire frontage on the east side of Robert street from Ninth to Tenth street. It faces 300 feet on Robert street and runs back 160 feet to a dead line. It was purchased by Sperry, Henry E. L. Habighorst and Charles W. Van Orsdol from Joseph Elsinger of the Golden Rule for $150,000.

Mr. Sperry said that the new hotel would be seven stories and would be built at Ninth and Robert streets. It will contain 150 rooms with a private bath connected with every room. The hotel will be 80x80 feet. Plans for the hotel have been prepared.

LAWYER IN HUNTER CASE IS ACCUSED BY WITNESS

Minneapolis, March 13.—Pointblank charges made in open court that Frank D. Larrabee, attorney for Dr. Charles Hunter, on trial in district court before Judge Jelley, had attempted to induce Arthur Liesch, principal witness for the state, to testify falsely in the case, and Mr. Larrabee's vehement denial of the accusations, furnished a sensation in the Hunter trial here.

Throughout most of the morning session Mr. Larrabee objected to Liesch's testimony regarding conversations with Lena Kummers on the occasions when, he said, he accompanied her to Doctor Hunter's office. In the afternoon Judge Jelley overruled Mr. Larrabee's objection and Liesch told of his talks with the girl.

To Extend Mining Bureau.

Hibbing.—Appropriations for [illegible] for the state mining bureau will include one of from $22,000 to $40,000 for a new building at Hibbing, according to advices here. F. A. Wildes, state mine inspector, recently reported to legislators the need of more money and better facilities to increase the efficiency of his department. They promised to do everything they could to help him. At present the department is dependent upon mining companies for blue prints and plans.

Juror Arrested for Forgetting.

Minneapolis, March 12.—Isaac [illegible], 2930 Cedar avenue, is a prisoner in the county jail because he forgot. He was to be a juror in Judge Molyneaux' court. When he failed to appear a bench warrant was issued. He was arrested. "I forgot," was [illegible] explanation.

Raths Bears No Ill Will.

St. Paul, March 13.—Otto M. [illegible], a moving picture theater proprietor, appointed postmaster of St. Paul, gave out a statement that he bears no ill will against those Democrats who protested his selection. Mr. Raths was the choice of Congressman Van Dyke.

Mr. Raths said that he has had no opportunity to formulate a policy. He does not know of any changes that will be made. In speaking of the fight to block his nomination he said he believed the opposition had decided to forgive and forget.

BIG MINES PREPARE TO OPEN

Range Companies and Railroads Anticipate Heavy Shipments—Employment for Hundreds.

Hibbing.—If the ore is available, the Great Northern railroad will ship 6,000,000 tons from its properties on the range this season, according to its officials. Last year, when the properties were leased to the Oliver Mining company, nearly 6,500,000 tons were removed from its mines. Nearly twice this amount was handled by the railroad for independent shippers.

With the opening of the Grace and Laura mines here, activities have increased and indications are that before the first part of April or maybe not later than the last week in March, Hibbing ore shipments will begin. Until the price is fixed, however, ore dispatchers declare, the relative amount to be shipped from the range this season will be indefinite. The price, it is expected, will not be announced until the early part of next month. All the railroads are looking forward to a big year. Stripping companies have repaired their machinery and have purchased new shovels in prospect of a heavy season.

Will Strip Big Mine.

The Scranton mine, one of the state's largest properties, located within the village limits here, will be stripped this season. Although mine officials refused to give out any information as to what time this work will begin, they informed village officials not to construct an electric high tension line on the west side of the Alice road, on which side the mine is, as the removal of the surface of the property would make the line unsafe.

Steel plants at Pittsburgh and other eastern cities are crowded with export orders, it is said, so that ore will be in great demand in the east.

Operations preparatory to shipping ore have been started by mining companies in other parts of the range, too. At Buhl the machinery of several of the mines has been remodeled, while it is possible that several mines may be stripped. Stripping usually requires the employment of hundreds of men and takes from one to five years, depending upon the size of the job. It is said that the proposed work at the Scranton mine will take nearly six years.

SAY APARTMENT HOUSES CAUSE OF RACE SUICIDE

Minneapolis.—Large apartment houses without sufficient ground space for the tenants encourage race suicide in the opinion of F. G. Smith, member of the real estate board, who spoke before a special council committee in favor of a housing bill now pending in the legislature. The council has been asked to endorse the bill.

"I know of one flat building which houses 42 families," Mr. Smith said, "and there are only two children in that whole apartment house. There is no place for them to play, no ground at the side or the rear of the building for the little ones to get out and enjoy themselves.

"Such conditions, which it will be possible to remedy if the proposed bill passes, encourage race suicide for the people living in such places, many of them, know they will live in flats all their lives and that such buildings are not proper for the bringing up of children."

W. A. Eggleston of the Civic & Commerce association also spoke for the bill, declaring Minneapolis in 25 years would have 1,000,000 residents and that some provisions to avoid the creation of slum districts should be taken at this time. Others who asked the committee to indorse the bill were Otto W. Davis and David P. Jones of the Civic & Commerce association, Fred Mann of the Architects' board, Lynn Thompson, of the Trades and Labor Assembly and the Socialist party, Dr. C. E. Dutton, health commissioner and J. G. Houghton, building inspector.

Practically every organization familiar with present housing conditions in the city has gone on record as favoring the passage of this bill, which is designed to insure sanitary and healthful housing conditions in Minneapolis. The committee voted to indorse the bill after asking the city attorney to report to the council on the legality of certain provisions. Another meeting will be held to go over new building ordinances prepared by Mr. Houghton and to revise the present city building code.

Amateurs to Stage Comedy.

Owatonna.—"Fi Fi of the Toy Shop," a three-act farce comedy, will be presented at the Metropolitan opera house here by local talent. The training of the actors is under the direction of H. H. Keven of Chicago and the play will be given under the auspices of the women of the local Presbyterian church.

J. Adams Puffer, head of the bureau of vocational guidance of Boston, Mass., has promised to deliver the principal address at the thirty-ninth annual commencement of the Owatonna high school before the class of 1915. The school board has re-elected every member of the teaching staff of the local public schools.

Car Street Car [illegible]

Minneapolis.—St. [illegible] wondering if a street car [illegible] loop-the-loop just before one of the St. Paul-Minneapolis street cars crossed a railroad viaduct [illegible] car under the street car bridge [illegible] and smashed into the timbers of the viaduct support [illegible]. The street car track formed a letter "U." The car was unable to stop and went down into the bowl of the "U." The trolley stayed on the wire and the car by its own power ascended the other side. None were injured.

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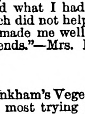

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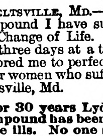

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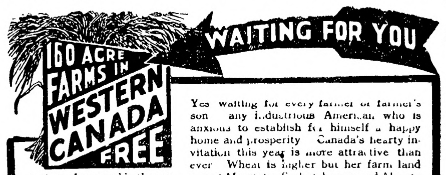

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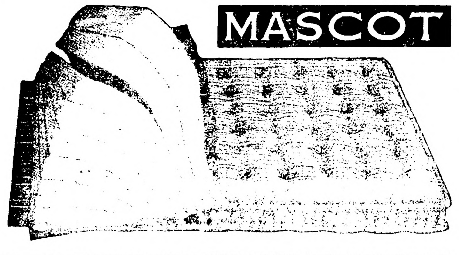

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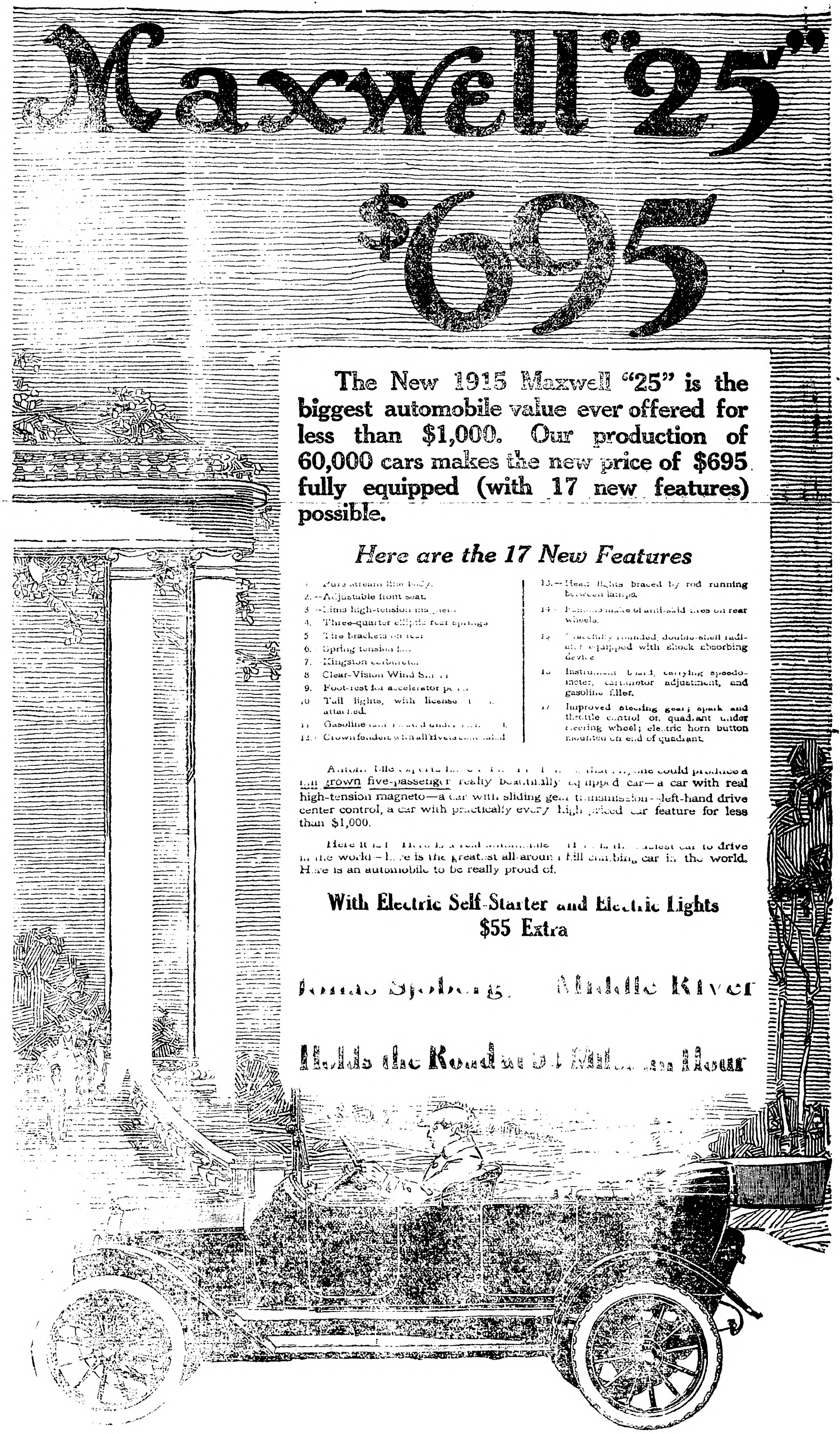

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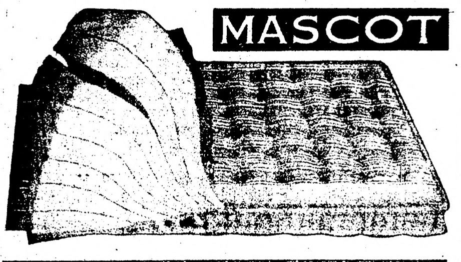

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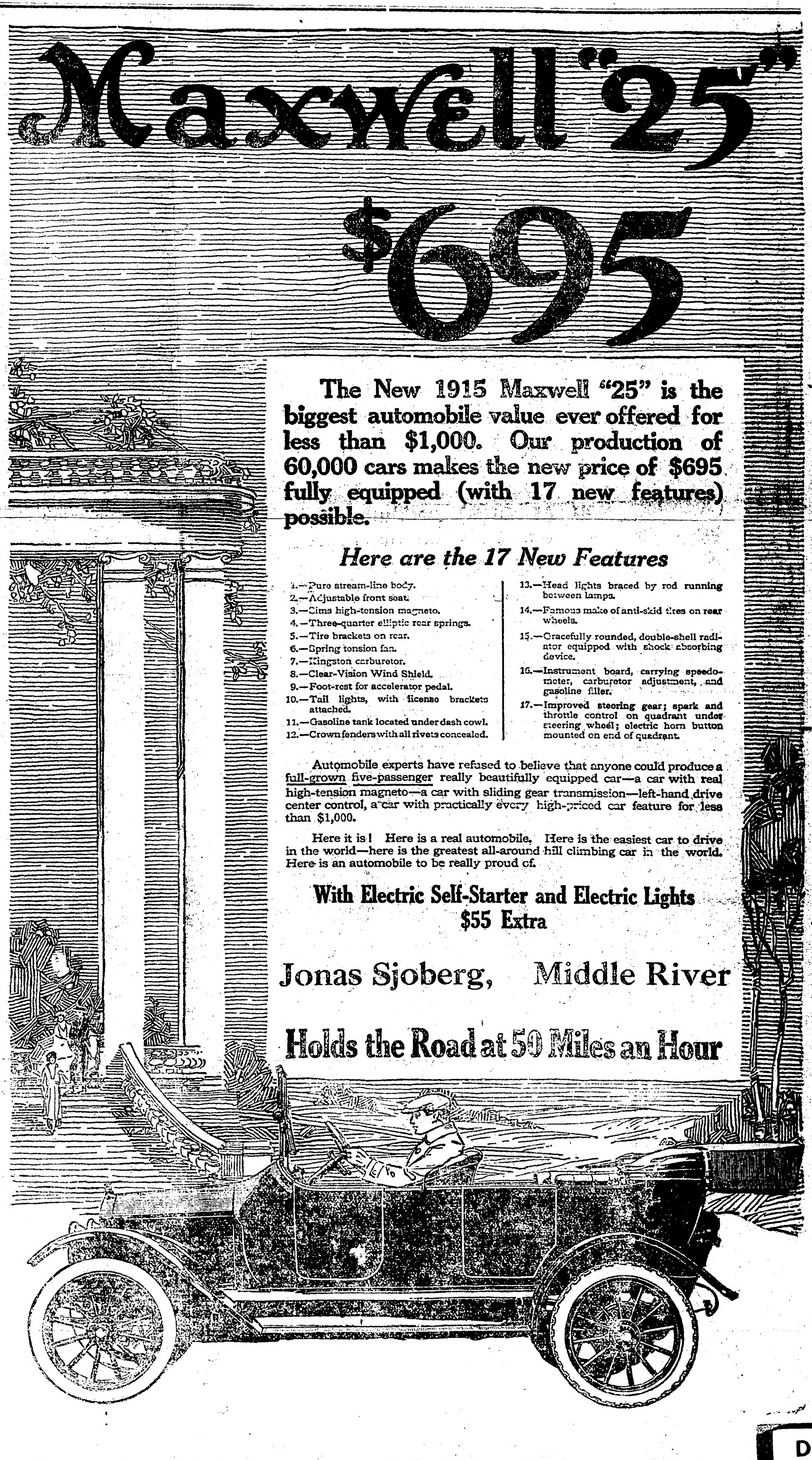

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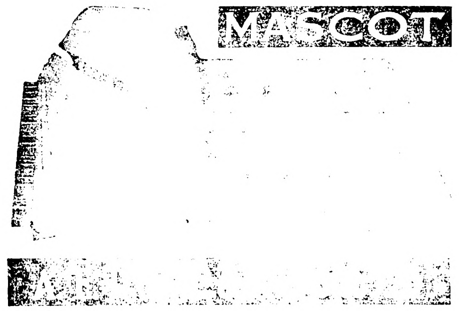

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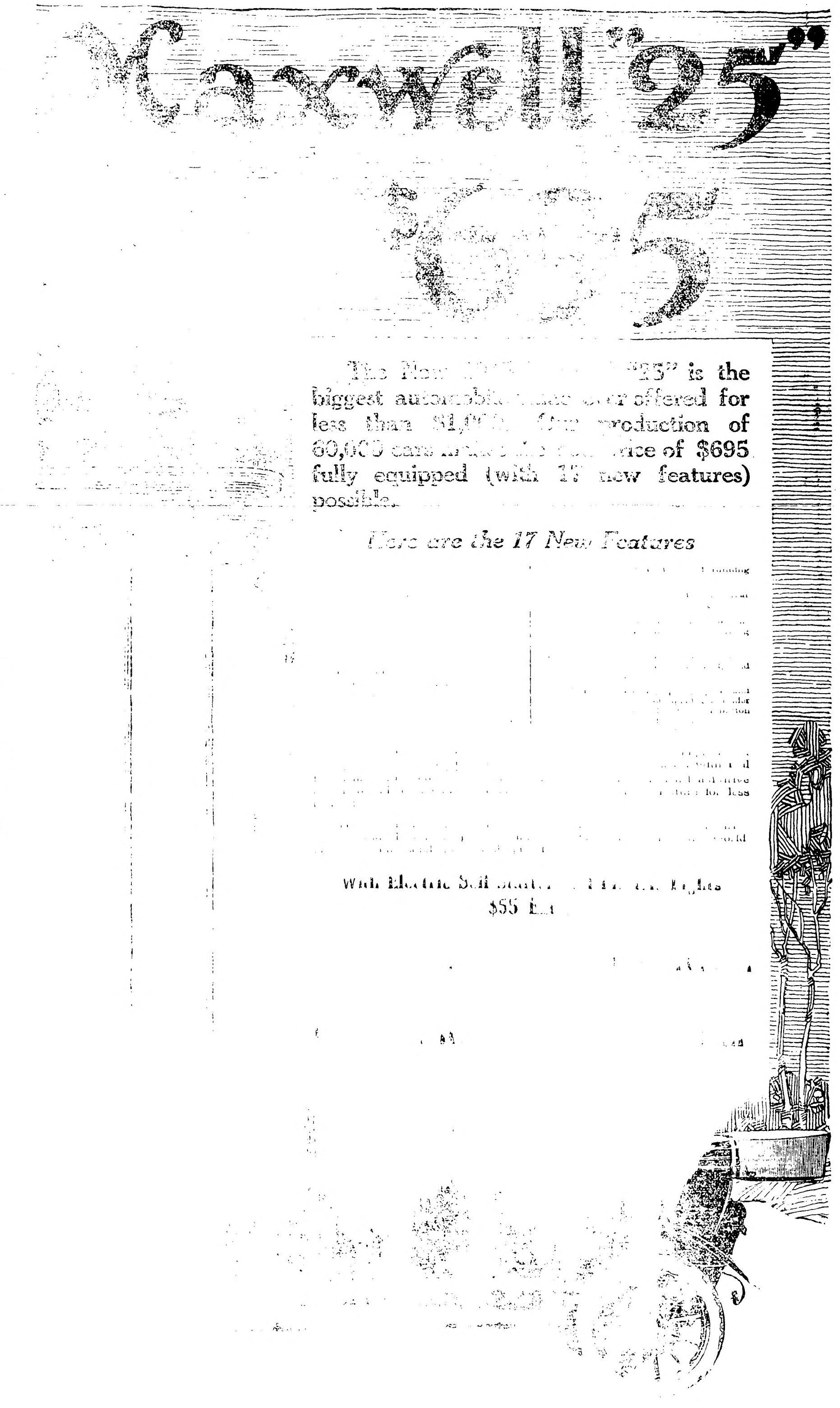

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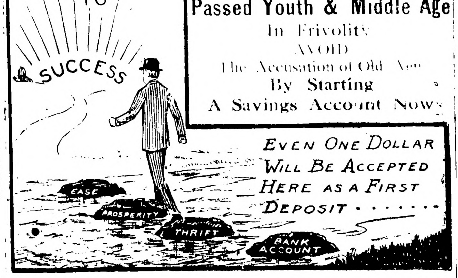

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[illegible] L. Anderson was called to St Hilaire Friday by the death of his sister. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon and Mr. Anderson returned here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abrahamson of Rollis who have been visiting relatives in Iowa and Wisconsin, arrived here Saturday and went out to visit at the home of her father S [illegible]

Despite the petition sent in against legalizing the illegal doings on the big ditch in the Mud Lake district the legislature has passed the act and that too knowing (if they read the petition) that such a law would be a hardship on the settlers there

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Arthur Knutson has been on the sick list this week

The pupils of the East Valley school are practicing for the "Parents' and Friends' Visiting Day", which will be held Wednesday, March 31. All are invited.

Elmer Adolphson went to T. R. Falls Saturday, returning the same day

The Sunnyside.

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The Misses Irene Wegge and Burndite Hork[illegible] visited school last Thursday

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Anton P[illegible] and [illegible] Hardy [illegible] called at E. Johnson's Sunday.

Wanted: To know where [illegible] [illegible] Sunday afternoon

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[illegible] Judicial District

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The State of Minnesota, to the above named Defendant:

"You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint is filed in the office of the Clerk of District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the City of Warren, in Marshall County, Minnsota, within twenty (20) days after the services of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgment against you for the sum of thirty-six ($86.00) dollars with interest thereon from the 18th day of November 1913, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and for the costs and disbursements of this action.

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Let Missiles Fall on Compiegne, Ribecourt and Dreslincourt, but Without Serious Result—French Aeroplanes Rise to Attack Germans.

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Missiles also were dropped at Compeigne, Ribecourt and Dreslincourt, but without serious result. Paris remained calm while the aerial invasion was in progress and residents of the city exhibited more curiosity than fear as to the results. Trumpets gave the signal that all lights must be extinguished as soon as warning was received of the Zeppelins' approach.

Aeroplanes Make Attack.

Searchlights were turned upon the clouds, anti-aircraft guns opened fire, and aeroplanes rose to attack the Germans, but their operations were hampered by a heavy mist.

An official communication regarding the raid declares it served only to show how well the defensive arrangements would work out when put to the test. The statement was as follows:

"Between 1:15 and 3 o'clock in the morning four Zeppelins started toward Paris from the direction of Compiegne, following the valley of the Oise. Two were compelled to return before reaching Paris, one at Ecoven (10 miles north of Paris), the other at Mantes (on the Seine, 36 miles from Paris). The other two were attacked by anti-aircraft guns and only passed over outlying districts of the northwestern part of Paris and neighboring suburbs. They withdrew after having dropped a dozen bombs, some of which did not explode. The damage done was unimportant. Seven or eight persons were injured, but only one seriously.

Guns Open Fire.

"The different stations for anti-aircraft defense opened fire upon the Zeppelins, which were constantly kept illuminated by searchlights. One appeared to have been hit. The aeroplane squadron took part in the action, but mist hampered pursuit.

"Summing up, the Zeppelin raid on Paris was a complete failure. It only served to demonstrate how well the defensive arrangements work. The population was calm. On their way back the Zeppelins dropped a dozen incendiary or explosive bombs on Compiegne, doing only unimportant damage. Three bombs were dropped on Ribecourt and Dreslincourt, to the north of Compiegne, without result."

YACHT WITH MILLIONAIRE OWNER ABOARD AFIRE

Los Angeles, Cal., March 23.—The gasoline yacht La Sota, with her millionaire owner, Morgan Adams, his bride of a month, and ten friends aboard, all of this city, burned six miles off San Pedro. The party took to the lifeboats and were picked up within an hour by the motorboat Sally S., from Catalina.

Back-firing of the engine caused the blaze. When it was seen that there was no chance to check the flames the women aboard were put over the side into two tenders. The men in the party and the crew followed them into the boats with as much luggage as they could rescue from the cabins.

Adams and his bride were on their honeymoon.

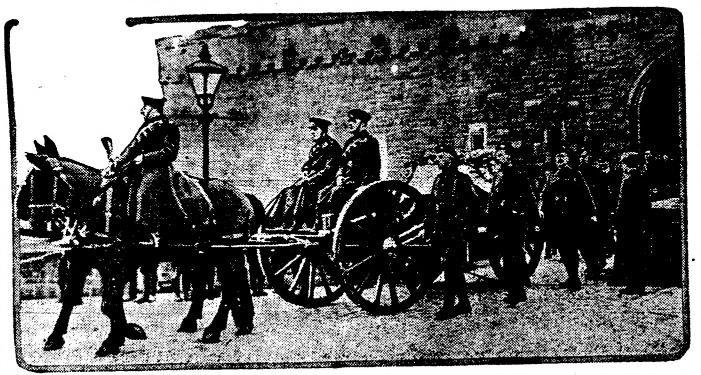
THUMB TIED IN BANDAGE ARRESTED AS A BURGLAR

Winona, March 22.—When the police were called to the Milanowski billiard hall, following a burglary there, they found the print of a right thumb in blood stains in many places. A window had been broken out in gaining entrance. The theory was that the intruder had cut his thumb in forcing his way into the place. Accordingly, a quiet hunt was instituted for a person with an injured thumb. Emil Rozek appeared at the rooms with his thumb bound in a bandage The police arrested him. He denies his guilt.

Mueller Case May Be Dropped

Seattle, March 22.—Arraignment of Wilhelm Mueller, German consul at this post, and his secretary, on charges of violating a state conspiracy law, was continued until Tuesday in the supreme court at the request of Mueller's counsel. Prosecuting Attorney Lundin announced that he had arranged to confer with Doctor Mueller next Tuesday, and if the German consul could convince him the charges on which he was technically arrested were groundless he would dismiss the case.

BLUCHER'S CAPTAIN HONORED IN BRITAIN



Captain Carl Erdman of the German battleship Blucher, which was sunk in the North sea battle, was buried with full military honors.

FRENCH WARSHIP SUNK BY TURKISH FORTS IN STRAITS

DREADNAUGHT BOUVET IS SENT TO THE BOTTOM WHILE BOMBARDING POSITION IN THE DARDANELLES.

BRITISH BATTLESHIP IRRESISTIBLE BLOWN UP

Ottoman Warships Shell Russian Torpedo Boat Base West of Theodosia in Crimea, Setting Fire to Many Buildings and Damaging Russian War Craft.

London, March 22.—The British battleships Irresistible and Ocean, and the French battleship Bouvet, were blown up by floating mines while engaged with the remainder of the allied fleet in attacking the forts in the narrows of the Dardanelles.

Bouvet's Crew Lost.

The crews of the British ships were virtually all saved, having been transferred to other ships under a hot fire, but an internal explosion took place on board the Bouvet after she had fouled the mine and most of her crew were lost. The Bouvet sank within three minutes of the time she hit the mine.

Explosives Set Adrift.

The waters in which the ships were lost had been swept of mines, but the British admiralty asserts that the Turks and the Germans set floating containers of explosives adrift and these were carried down by the current to the allied ships gathered inside the entrance of the straits.

Constantinople, via Berlin and Marconi wireless to London, March 20.—The French battleship Bouvet, bombarding the Dardanelles forts, has been sunk by the guns of the Turkish forts, the war office announced in an official statement.

The official statement declares that the Bouvet was sunk inside the strait. The allied fleet, the war office stated, opened a heavy fire upon the Dardanelles forts, swinging in at close range and hurling shells at intervals of less than a minute.

The forts returned the fire and shelled the Anglo-French warships with great effectiveness. Official reports said that several of the enemy's warships withdrew from the battleline, badly crippled, before the Bouvet suddenly tilted over and began to go down.

May Abandon Attempt.

Following the disaster to the Bouvet, the allied fleet, steaming out of sight off Tenedos island. Rumors were circulated here that the attempt to force the Dardanelles may be abandoned.

Turkish warships, the war office also announced, have bombarded the Russian torpedo boat base west of Theodosia in Crimea, setting fire to many buildings and damaging Russian warcraft. This was the first official confirmation of reports circulated two weeks ago that the Turkish fleet has withdrawn from the Dardanelles strait and is operating in the Black Sea

Only part of the Turkish fleet participated in the bombardment of the Russian torpedo boat base, according to the official announcement The bombardment lasted but a few minutes, but the Turkish fire was unusually well directed

AMERICAN IS BELIEVED TO BE WORKING FOR PEACE

Berlin, March 22, via London Col. E. M. House of New York and Texas reached Berlin from London Friday morning and at once went into a long conference with James W. Gerard, the American ambassador. Colonel House will be the ambassador's guest while in Berlin. It is generally believed that Colonel House is working in the interest of possible peace. F. G. Lawry, attached to the American embassy in London, is in Berlin.

U. S. GUNS STOP GERMAN SHIP

FIRE SHOTS AS STEAMER LEAVES SAN JUAN.

Halts Steamer Odenwald as She Attempts to Pass Out Without Clearance Papers.

San Juan, Porto Rico, March 23.—The German merchant steamer Odenwald, which attempted to leave port without obtaining clearance papers, was stopped as she was passing out of the entrance to the harbor by two shots across her bow from a 5-inch gun and a dozen shots from a Maxim. She then returned and was taken in charge by the collector of customs.

Permission to sail was refused the Odenwald by the collector, pending instructions from Washington. The Odenwald has been at San Juan since Aug. 6. She was bound for European ports from the West Indies with freight and passengers and sought refuge here. Three days ago she began coaling and taking on provisions.

Failing to obtain the necessary clearance papers, her commander apparently decided to risk the attempt to put to sea. A heavy gun on Morro castle sent two shots across her bows by way of warning, but it was not until the machine gun opened a direct fire that the steamer stopped and headed back to port.

JAPAN AND U. S. FRIENDLY

Admiral Dewa and Secretary Bryan Exchange Expressions of Sincere Good Wishes.

Washington, March 22.—Secretary Bryan has given out the messages exchanged between him and Admiral Dewa, official representative of Japan at the Panama-Pacific exposition, who is preparing to return home.

The message from Admiral Dewa, who is at San Francisco, said:

"I am about to depart from your country. However, before I do so, permit me to express my deep gratitude to you and through you to the president and other officials and the people of America for the kindness and cordiality shown to me. I will return with the message of your good will toward Japan with a full assurance that it will cement the friendly relations between your and my countries."

To this Secretary Bryan replied:

"Your kind telegram just received. Your visit to the United States gave renewed assurance of the cordial friendship existing between our two countries and we are gratified to learn from you that your stay among us has given you pleasure. Allow me to say in return that our people have been favorably impressed by your personality and by the speeches you have made. Your coming has given additional proof of the advantage to be derived from an exchange of visits.

"May you have a safe and prosperous voyage home. Accept my sincere good wishes for yourself and countrymen."

Nevada Makes Gambling a Felony.

Carson City, Nev., March 22.—After rushing through a gambling law the legislature adjourned. The law makes all gambling a felony except poker, whist, solo and five hundred, when no percentage is taken. When a percentage is taken they are felonies. Pari-mutuel betting on race tracks of licensed associations is permitted.

Mrs. Angle Found Not Guilty.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 22.—Mrs. Helen M. Angle was found not guilty of manslaughter by a jury in the criminal superior court here. She was accused of having caused the death of Waldo R Baldou at Stamford on the night of June 23 last.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE

London, March 20.—The British steamer Glenartney of Glasgow was torpedoed off Beachy Head by a German submarine, which gave no notice of her intention. In the scramble for boats one of the crew was drowned, the others, numbering 4, several of whom were injured, were picked up by a steamer and landed at New Haven. The Glenartney, which was of 3,305 tons register, was bound from Bangkok, Siam, for London, loaded with 8,000 tons of rice.

ITALY SAID TO BE READY TO FIGHT AGAINST AUSTRIA

TEUTON SUBJECTS ADVISED BY THEIR CONSULS TO LEAVE ITALY AT ONCE SAYS ROME DISPATCH.

GERMANY'S EFFORTS ARE SAID TO HAVE FAILED

Endeavor to Secure Continued Neutrality of Italy by Inducing Austria to Cede Trent Does Not Meet With Success—First Line Italians Called.

London, March 23.—The relations between Italy and Austria are believed to have reached an acute stage. A dispatch from Rome says Austrian and German subjects have been advised by their consuls to leave Italy in the shortest possible time and that a number of Germans who recently arrived in Italy are being watched because of the suspicion that they are military spies.

There have been reports for some days that Germany's efforts to secure the continued neutrality of Italy by inducing Austria to cede Trent and other territory to her were not meeting with success. Italy, it was said, was demanding that the territory be handed over to her at once but that the Teutonic allies desire to make the transfer after the war.

Italians Called to Colors.

Following this came reports that Austria had commenced strengthening her southern frontier, and, according to a dispatch received at Paris from Rome, Italian officers of all arms belonging to the first line, who have been on half pay, have been called to the colors.

In military circles here this order is considered significant, it being contended that these officers belong to the public administration, from which they would not be called until the situation was serious. No Austrian news on the subject is available in London, the censor in that country having, it is said, prohibited any comments.

Greece Makes Ready.

There also are reports that Greece is preparing to adopt a more active attitude. Following a series of prolonged cabinet meetings at Athens, the Greek minister of marine is quoted as having said that the Greek government had received all guarantees and to have indicated that the country was about to engage in some enterprise.

As the chief objection to former Premier Venizelos' policy for helping the allies against Turkey was declared to have been that Greece had no guarantees that she would receive adequate compensation this statement of the minister of marine is considered in high circles in London as an intimation that the new Greek government is now satisfied with the allies' guarantees.

Arrested as German Spies.

Port Arthur, Ont., March 22. Carl Schmidt and Gustoff Stephens were placed under arrest on their arrival here, on suspicion of being German spies. In their possession when arrested were loaded revolvers, fuses and typewritten time tables regarding train movement. It is said they crossed into Canada at Detroit, Mich

Pastor Charged With Arson.

Newark, N. J., March 20.—Rev. Louis H. Patmont, under indictment for arson in this county, has been arrested here and is being held in bonds of $1,500 for his appearance.

Under the indictment, Patmont is charged with having set fire to the Polish Christian Baptist church, this city, five years ago, when he was pastor of the church.

Patmont denies his guilt and states that all his troubles are due to those who are wilfully trying to wrong him

PRZEMYSL FALLS; 50,000 SURRENDER TO RUSSIAN HOST

CAPTURE OF AUSTRIAN FORTRESS COMES AT THE END OF A SIEGE OF SEVERAL MONTHS.

RELEASES RUSSIAN ARMY FOR CAMPAIGN IN POLAND

Only Important Fortified Town in Galicia Which Is Still in the Hands of the Austrians Is Cracow, Close to German Border—Petrograd Celebrates.

Petrograd, via London, March 23.—It is announced officially that the Galician fortress of Przemysl has surrendered to the Russians. The garrison has laid down its arms to the forces under Gen. Radko Dimitrieff.

Capture of the Austrian fortress came at the end of a several months' siege.

It automatically releases a Russian army of nearly 160,000 for action in Poland and along the Carpathian front and constitutes perhaps the greatest victory for Russian arms since the beginning of the war. The Austrian garrison that surrendered to General Dimitrieff is reported to number 50,000.

Under Continuous Siege.

Przemysl has been under almost continuous siege since Sept. 20, 1914, when the Russians first began shelling the Galician outer forts. A month later a German-Austro force advanced northward through the Carpathians, relieved the besieged city and drove the Russians back to the north.

Within a fortnight a new Russian force appeared before Przemysl and resumed the siege. Since that time four Russian army corps, the Seventh, the Ninth, Tenth and Eleventh, under Gen. Radko Dimitrieff, a former Bulgarian army officer, have been battering in at the defenses to the fortress itself.

Austrians Hold Only Cracow.

With the fall of Przemysl the only important fortified town in Galicia which is still in the hands of the Austrians is Cracow, in northwestern Galicia, close to the German border.

In the early days of the war, the Russian offensive campaign, as outlined unofficially, contemplated the invasion of Germany through East Prussia on the north, and simultaneously into Silesia from Galicia. The Russians succeeded in penetrating Galicia, but the success of the Austrians in holding Przemysl and Cracow blocked attempt to invade Germany across the Silesian border.

Petrograd Is Enthusiastic.

The news of the fall of the fortress evoked the wildest scenes in Petrograd since the beginning of the war. Crowds massed in the street and before the government building, cheering wildly.

A Te Deum of thanksgiving was celebrated at the Russian army headquarters when the fall of Przemysl was announced, the ceremony being participated in by Emperor Nicholas, Grand Duke Nicholas and the members of the general staff.

FIRE ON DARDANELLES HALTS

Unfavorable Weather Conditions Interrupt Operations—Many Dangers Encountered by Fleet.

London, March 23.—The admiralty has made the following announcement:

"Unfavorable weather has interrupted the operations in the Dardanelles and as seaplane reconnaissance has been impossible the amount of damage done to the fortifications by the bombardment on the 18th cannot be ascertained.

"No great expectations should, however, be based on this, as owing to the losses caused by drifting mines, the attack was not pressed to its conclusion on that date.

"The power of the fleet to dominate the fortresses by superiority of fire seems to be established. Various other dangers and difficulties will have to be encountered, but nothing has happened which justifies the belief that the cost of the undertaking will exceed what has always been expected and provided for.

"The British casualties in the personnel are 61 men killed, wounded and missing.

"Admiral De Robeck has telegraphed to the admiralty as follows: 'I desire to bring to the notice of your lordships the splendid behavior of the French squadron. Their heavy loss leaves them quite undaunted. They were led into close action by Rear Admiral Guepratte with the greatest gallantry.'"

Election Fraud Case Continues.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 23.—The government is barely half through with its side in the Terre Haute election fraud case, being heard in the United States district court here, it was said.

It is believed the government will require about two more weeks to complete its case

No intimation has been given as to the number of witnesses that will be used by the defense or how long the defendants will be in presenting their side.

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"Why are you crying?"

The teacher laughed and said, "The naughty old school board isn't nice to me!"

Dorothy took hold of the teachers hand with both hers and said very seriously, "Don't you cry any more. When we get the vote we women will correct such things!"—The Sunday Magazine.

Was a Bit Skeptical.

Uncle Rastus was sitting in his home reading a newspaper when he suddenly glanced up and addressed Aunt Dinah.

"I hab jes read in dis yeah papah, Dinah," he remarked, "dat dem people what fly in dem flyin' machines kin do anything what a bird kin."

"Yes, sah," was the prompt rejoinder of Aunt Dinah, "dey hab jes got dat t'ing down so fine dat dere hain't no bird what has got anything on 'em."

"Am dat so?" reflectively returned Uncle Rastus. "Well, whenevah yo' see one of dem flyin' machine men setting fast asleep holdin' on to de limb ob a tree wid his feet jes yo' call me ter come an' take a look."

Necessarily Slow.

A California youngster had been permitted to visit a boy friend on the strict condition that he was to leave there at five o'clock and his mother was very angry. The youngster insisted, however, that he had obeyed his orders and had not lingered unnecessarily on the way.

"Do you expect me to believe," said his mother, "that it took you two hours to walk a quarter of a mile?" She reached for the whip. "Now, sir, will you tell me the truth?"

"Ye-es, mamma," sobbed the boy. "Charlie Wilson gave me a mud turtle and I was afraid—to carry it—so I led it home."

A "neutrality meeting" is a dangerous place for any man on the other side.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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SIMPLY SPELLING HIS NAME

Peculiar Combination of Letters Led to Court Clerk's Rather Natural Mistake.

"Spell your name!" said the court clerk sharply.

The witness began: "O, double T, I, double U, E, double L, double—"

"Wait!" ordered the clerk; "begin again!"

The witness repeated: "O, double T, I, double U, E, double L, double U, Double O—"

"Your honor!" roared the clerk, "I beg that this man be committed for contempt of coaurt!"

"What is your name?" asked the judge.

"My name, your honor, is Ottiwell Wood, and I spell it O, double T, I, double U, E, double L, double U, double O, D."—Ladies' Home Journal.

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"What is it?"

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AUDITOR'S REPORT ITEMIZES SAVINGS BY ECONOMY BILL

ESTIMATES SAVING OF $80,000 A YEAR IN STATE ADMINISTRATION IF MEASURE BECOMES A LAW.

NEW LEAGUE OPPOSED TO CHARTER RENEWAL

Minneapolis Body Organizes to Fight Proposed Street Railway Legislation—Statement Says It Is Too Soon to Begin Negotiations With Traction Company.

Three of the big railroad men of the Northwest, with James J. Hill in the stellar role, have laid bare to a legislative committee some intimate information regarding railroad affairs in support of the bill which would raise passenger rates from 2 to 2½ cents a mile.

No effort was made to show that the railroads are pauperized by present passenger and freight rates, but it was strongly emphasized that the present rates afford so meager a return on the investment that only a belief in the future of this state warrants the railroads in so much as entertaining for a moment the thought of future extensions.

St. Paul, Minn.—A resolution has been prepared and may be introduced in the house Monday to create a legislative commission of five senators and seven representatives to investigate anew the subject of efficiency and economy in the state government, after the present legislature adjourns, and report to the 1917 legislature. Friends of the economy bill, which will be a special order in the house Monday at 2 p. m., privately admitted there is little chance of its passage.

State Auditor J. A. O. Preus sent in his report to the state senate responding to the G. H. Sullivan resolution asking what saving in state expenditures would result from passing the efficiency and economy commission bill. As stated previously, Mr. Preus estimates a saving of about $80,000 a year in state administration if the bill passes. His reasons for this estimate are:

Consolidations of commissions, bureaus and departments in six departments should lessen the number of state employees, reduce clerical labor, enable the directors to standardize expenses of the state in printing reports, salaries and reduce the cost of examination of 47 boards, he says, would reduce the expenses of the state for travelling and otherwise.

Abolishment of 47 boards, he says, would reduce the expenses of the state for traveling and otherwise.

Abolition of the boiler inspection department and the continued collection of fees by the labor department for such inspection would bring revenue into the state.

The Preus report figures that under the present law the administrative departments would cost $4,120,890 for the coming two years. He estimates that under the reorganization plan they could be run for $3,959,770.

Minneapolis Citizens Organize.

Twenty Minneapolis citizens, styled the executive committee of "The Public Franchise League of Minneapolis," have issued a statement "to the Citizens of Minneapolis," in which they oppose any negotiations at this time looking toward a new franchise for the street railway company. The statement declares the time inopportune for negotiations and asserts that the question should be discussed in a municipal campaign before being considered by the council.

WOULD THRUST STATION PROBLEM ON VILLAGES

While Minneapolis and St Paul have been having their Union Station difficulties, Dr J. W. Andrews of Mankato has introduced a bill in the senate that would give every village and city in the state the same Union Station problem.

Senator Andrews's bill provides that whenever two or more railroads enter a city, village or town, the Railroads and Warehouse Commission may order the construction of a Union station.

"Whenever public convenience demands and it is practicable, the railroads shall build Union Stations," the bill reads.

Costs $5,000 to Pass Each Bill.

Appraising the legislature's work up to date by the bills that have reached final passage, it has cost the state about $5,000 for each measure placed on the statute books. The session has cost $162,267 so far, and 32 bills have been deposited with the secretary of state. Aside from the county option act, the new laws are of little importance.

Roads Could Charge 3 Cents.

Representative C. M. Bendixen's bill amending the 2-cent passenger rate law was advanced from general orders to the calendar, after an attempt by the author to obtain final action.

The supreme court interpreted the present Bendixen law to mean that a railroad could charge 3 cents a mile for the first five miles of any trip instead of 3 cents a mile for trips not exceeding five miles, as was intended by the bill.

The amended bill would correct this feature.

APRIL 22 LAST DAY OF PRESENT LEGISLATURE.

Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith ruled that April 22 is the last day on which the present legislature can convene and transact business. In his letter to the house and senate he also held that no bills can be introduced after March 29 without a special request signed by the governor.

RAILWAY FRANCHISE MEASURE INTRODUCED

St. Paul, March 17.—By a vote of 68 to 57 the house of representatives adopted an amendment to the University investigation resolution eliminating the section calling for a special committee, and instructing the public accounts and expenditures committee to continue its inquiry. The vote came after the most stormy session since the opening of the present legislature, during which personalities were hurled across the chamber and it was suggested that two members retire to a committee room and decide their personal questions by physical combat.

The result of the vote was considered a victory by friends of the University, who put forth a most vigorous fight against the Malmberg-Greene-Lydiard resolution.

Six Hennepin county senators offered in the senate a street railway franchise bill applicable to Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth, designed to take the place of the Dengre-Orr bill, of which much criticism has been made in Minneapolis. The measure gives the city council of any of the cities mentioned the power to grant a 30-year franchise subject to approval on a referendum to the voters and with provisions for an option to purchase by the city at 10-year periods.

FRIENDS OF NOLAN BILL WIN PRELIMINARY FIGHT

Friends of the so-called "Nolan bill," introduced by Senator W. A. Campbell and identical with the bill vetoed by Governor A. O. Eberhart two years ago, which would give municipalities the right to regulate electric lighting companies, won a preliminary victory in the senate.

The bill had been amended in the committee on public service corporations so as to apply only to Minneapolis and reported without recommendation. The understanding was that Senator W. A. Campbell would move to refer it to the Hennepin delegation, it still to retain its place on general orders.

Senator E. J. Westlake spoke in favor of Senator Sullivan's motion.

FROG PROTECTION BILL IS POSTPONED IN SENATE.

The lowly frog has no friends on the senate committee on general legislation. That committee voted to indefinitely postpone the bill Representative P. H. Frye introduced in the house and had passed protecting that amphibious animal from extinction, as the Representative told the committee. The bill provided that frogs might be killed or caught and offered for sale only for the purpose of bait.

The same committee also killed Representative Steven's bill passed by the house, providing for a constitutional amendment abolishing the taking of the state census. Representative Leavitt Corning's bill providing that newspapers should be required to allow candidates, attacked in their columns, the right to answer through their columns within forty-eight hours after the attack had been printed was also indefinitely postponed The bill passed the house and was the subject of long debates there arising out of the representative's campaign fight in St Paul

Elwell Road Law Upheld

One day after the Elwell road law was repealed in the house the supreme court declared the law constitutional.

St Paul, Minn. The Elwell road law enacted by the Minnesota legislature of four years ago was repealed when the house by a vote of 79 to 42 passed Senator Vermilya's bill, which passed the senate two weeks ago.

Debate continued for more than two hours. Northern Minnesota it was pointed out, is in favor of the law, while southern sections of the state are vigorously opposed to it.

The bill will be returned to the senate for concurrence in Representative Wardner's amendment which stipulates that petitions already granted shall not be affected and also that contracts pending shall not be affected

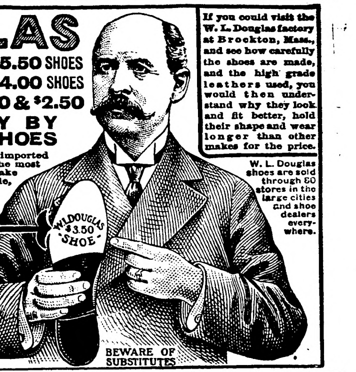
House Far Behind in Work.

The lower house of the Minnesota legislature is so far behind in its work that there is every indication that only half as many laws will be passed this session as were put on the books by the legislature of 1913.

In 1913 there were adopted 461 laws. With two-thirds of the session of 1915 gone, less than 50 bills have weathered the various legislative hazards and reached the statute books.

Would Require Bond of Contestants.

An election contestant would be compelled to file a bond of $500 with the clerk of the district court to be used in paying the expenses of his victorious opponent if a bill introduced by Representative Frank E. Nimocks of Minneapolis becomes a law. It is claimed by the author that the state would save $5,000 annually, as the contestant hereafter would pay the expenses instead of the state. The house passed bills reimbursing to the amount of $2,600 members of the house whose seats had been contested.



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A vicar of a certain English parish was sitting in his study one morning when in burst the verger in a great state of excitement.

"Mr. ——," mentioning the curate's name, "wants you at once, sir," he exclaimed. "He has married two couples and married the two men to the wrong women, and he does not know what to do."

"Have they signed the register?" inquired the clergyman.

"No," was the verger's response.

"Then they can be married again," said the vicar. "Tell Mr. —— I will be at the church in a minute or two to perform the ceremony."

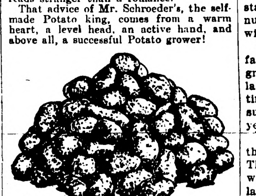
In due course the incumbent made his way to the church and found the parties gathered at the entrance. Before he could say anything one of the bridegrooms approached and said:

"We have been talking it over, sir, and we have made up our minds to remain as we are." And they did so.

A POTATO ROMANCE

"If I were a farmer boy, or a boy without capital, and wanted an early competency, I'd start right out growing Potatoes," said Henry Schroeder, the Potato king of the Red River Valley, whose story in the John A. Salzer Seed Co.'s Catalogue reads stranger than a romance.

That advice of Mr. Schroeder's, the self-made Potato king, comes from a warm heart, a level head, an active hand, and above all, a successful Potato grower!



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We gladly mail our Catalog and sample package of Ten Famous Farm Seeds, including Speltz, "The Cereal Wonder;" Rejuvenated White Bonanza Oats, "The Prize Winner;" Billion Dollar Grass; Teosinte, the Silo Filler, etc., etc.

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And we will mail you our big Catalog and six generous packages of Early Cabbage, Carrot, Cucumber, Lettuce, Radish, Onion—furnishing lots and lots of juicy delicious Vegetables during the early Spring and Summer

Or send to John A. Salzer Seed Co., Box 715, La Crosse, Wis., twenty cents and receive both above collections and their big catalog

Hard Work.

"So you have a government clerkship have you?"

"Yes."

"Don't [illegible] pose?"

"I don't [illegible] warrant [illegible] cashed."

WONDERFUL HOW RESINOL STOPS ITCHING AT ONCE

To those who have endured for years the itching torments of eczema or other such skin-eruption, the relief that the first use of resinol ointment and resinol soap gives is perfectly incredible. After all the suffering they have endured and all the useless treatments they spent good money for, they cannot believe anything so simple, mild and inexpensive can stop the itching and burning INSTANTLY! And they find it still more wonderful that the improvement is permanent and that resinol really drives away the eruption completely in a very short time Perhaps there is a pleasant surprise like this in store for you. Resinol ointment and resinol soap are sold by all druggists Adv

Principle.

Mrs. [illegible]—Do you [illegible] keeping?

Weary Willie—[illegible] work [illegible]

Another Echo of That Song.

An old negro who had his savings in a Birmingham bank that recently suspended was telling his troubles to a business man.

"Don't worry," said the business man. "I understand the suspension is only temporary."

"But, Boss," said the old negro, still perturbed, "de white folks say it's er long, long way ter temporary."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

INDICATIONS OF AN EARLY SPRING

Great Prosperity Ahead for Western Canada.

The most recent advices from all points in Western Canada report that conditions are apparent for an early spring. Farmers are going over the implements, getting their seeders ready for operation, the plows in shape for extended breaking, and there is a general optimism. A great many new settlers have already arrived, and the reports from Canadian Government agents in the United States point to the fact that in a few days there will begin the usual emigration from various of the Central and Western states. From the Eastern states the number of farmers going to Canada will be greater than in any past year.

There has been a fairly large snowfall during the winter, which will greatly add to the precipitation of last fall, which in the opinion of old-timers was in itself sufficient to insure a good crop during the present year.

There will be very little tilled land that will be without a crop this year. The authorities, though, are pleading with the farmers to seed only such land as has had careful preparation, for rich as is the soil of Western Canada, it is no more fitted to produce good crops uncultivated than is that of any other land anywhere else. There have been accounts of failures in some portions of the agricultural districts of Western Canada, and also reports of small yields in some districts. A good deal of this is accounted for from the fact that notwithstanding the advice of men of experience, there are farmers who will persist in seeding land not properly prepared. This may be done this year, but those who cultivate on reasonable and logical methods will be certain of a paying crop. There is every reason to believe that the high prices of all kinds of grain will continue.

With thousands and thousands of acres of land waiting for the husbandman to bring it forth with a crop, it is no wonder that Western Canada is continuing to prove such an inviting field for the agriculturist

Seventy million dollars is a conservative estimate of orders which came to Canada as the direct result of the war Governments of the allies have been placing large orders in Canada and buying huge quantities of supplies for cash

The total value of exports to Europe from Canada has jumped about 15 per cent since the war started, while in certain lines the increases have been enormous

Therefore the results of the demand of the allies for war and other material is beginning to be felt in the financial life of the Dominion There is a marked activity in many commercial lines, and conditions are fast becoming normal.

Western Canada is receiving a relative benefit to the East Advertisement

Unfriendly Tricks.

"I [illegible] ght you were a [illegible]"

"I used to be."

"And now?"

"I had to give [illegible]"

"Why?"

"To even [illegible] ent that has [illegible] any friend, who might be interested in their proposition, he insisted on giving my name."

Open Game.

"[illegible] make the songs [illegible] the one who makes its laws."

"Well, a very Many people seem to think there's room for improvement in both just now."

[illegible]

When Like Meets Like.

The caller at the teller's window was very bald, but the teller inside had him beaten by a hair's breadth. There was still a straggling fringe around the outer border of the caller's head, while the teller's had long reached the stage where he brushed his head with a towel.

The caller had evidently imbibed rather freely that day.

He took a long look at the teller, smiled a smirking, quizzical smile, then reached into his vest pocket and extracted a fat cigar.

"Shay, old feller," he mumbled, thrusting the cigar between the window bars, "have one on me. Anybody that's as baldheaded as you deserves a treat!"

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Why Living Is High.

"Farm products cost more than they used to."

"Yes," replied the farmer. "When a farmer is supposed to know the botanical name of what he's raisin' an' the entomological name of the insect that eats it, an' the pharmaceutical name of the chemical that will kill it, somebody's got to pay."—Anderson (N. C.) Intelligencer.

The Cough is what hurts, but the tickle is to blame. Dean's Mentholated Cough Drops stop the tickle—5c at good Druggists.

There is no rainbow that looks as beautiful as the gold mine stock certificate just purchased.

Housework Is a Burden

It's hard enough to keep house if in perfect health, but a woman who is weak, tired and suffering from an aching back has a heavy burden.

Any woman in this condition has good cause to suspect kidney trouble, especially if the kidney action seems disordered.

Doan's Kidney Pills have cured thousands of suffering women. It's the best recommended special kidney remedy.

A North Dakota Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story."

Mrs. W. E. Crawford, 123 W. Sixth St., Devil's Lake, N. D., says: "I was in misery from a bearing-down pain in the small of my back and felt tired and worn out. When suffering intensely I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they acted as a tonic to my whole system, making me feel one hundred per cent better For quite awhile now I have been entirely free from kidney ailments."

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Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Feb. 23, 1915

Notice is hereby given that John M. Jahr of Holt, Minn. who on Dec. 19th 1911 made Homestead Entry No. 07071 for S 1-2 S E 1-4 Sec. 35, Twp. 156, N, R. 42 W and Lot 4 Sec. 1 and Lots 1 and 2 Section 2 Township 155 N, Range 42 W, 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 29th day of March 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Nels Gudvangen, Geo. C. Anderson, Olaus Rodahl and Ole Garthus all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.
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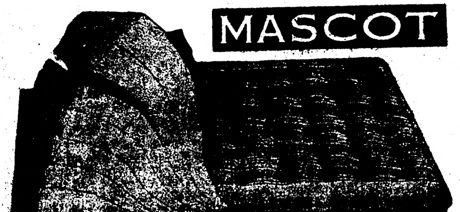

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All Work Guaranteed.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.38
Wheat No. 2	1.35
Wheat No. 3	1.27
Wheat No. 4	1.24
Flax	1.74
Oats	.46
Barley	46. to .54
Rye	.97
Flour, Best Patent	4.15

D. B. Backe visited relatives and looked after business interests Wednesday.

Miss Louise Rux was married at T. R. Falls Tuesday evening, to a Mr. Colseth of Warren.

Ludwig Monson has been in Crookston for the past week, training for a wrestling match.

Bently Nelson left Monday for Crookston and from there he expected to go to Dakota to work.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Sollom visited over Sunday with their son Theodore and daughter Gunhild near Goodridge.

Mrs. Knutson who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Otto Johnson for a few days, left Tuesday for Dak.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one.

A. H. Huseth.

Don't buy any Hat, Shoes, Dry goods, Clothing or Hardware before you look at Holt Mercantile Co's Bargain Basement.

Svenke Svenkeson and Ole Christenson returned from Warroad Wednesday, where they have been sawing lumber for the last two months.

Southeast of Holt

Hans P. Peterson, a prominent resident of the town of Excell, died at the home of his son-in-law, Henry Jensen of Thief River Falls, on Tuesday March 16. Mr. Peterson was operated upon at the Warren hospital recently but was unable to recover. He was 49 years of age. Funeral services were held from the Peterson home on Friday afternoon, Rev. B. L. Bjornsen officiating.

The entire community wishes to extend their deepest sympathy to the bereaved family in their loss of a loving husband and father.

Miss Ethel Nustvold came down from T. R. Falls, on Saturday for a couple days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Nustvold.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Ose and son have gone to make their future home on their farm near Kratka.

Olga Saastad of Holt, made an over Sunday stay with her sister Christine, who is teaching school in District 112.

Arthur, Clara and Ragna Larson called at the home of S. Moe on Sunday afternoon.

Willie Steinhaur made a pleasure trip to Thief River Falls on Sunday.

Carl Larson is on the sick list.

Mrs. Henry Jensen came down from Thief River Falls to attend the funeral of her father, Hans Peterson, also for a short visit.

A bunch of young people spent Sunday afternoon at the Gutterud home.

Simon Moe left for Grafton, N. Dak., Friday, where he will work during the summer.

Confirmation services were held in Silver Creek Congregation of the Synod church on Sunday. Those confirmed were: Julia Easthouse, Tina Haugen, Sena Johnson, Amanda Klungnes, Emil Johnson and Oscar Gutterud.

Mrs. Julia Christianson and son of Swift, Minn., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Olsen and daughter Myrna spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olsen.

A surprise party was given at the home of Mike Johnson Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. J. Christenson. All present had a very nice time.

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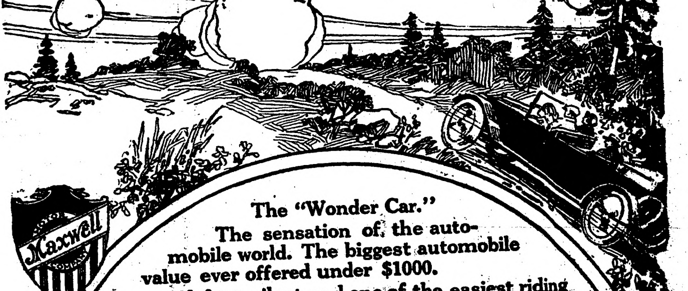

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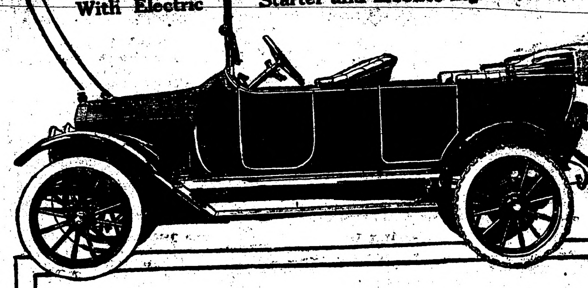

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John Alkenbrack
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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
PHONE 244
Thief River Falls, Minn.

R. Rierson went to Middle River Tuesday and from there went out to the Kelley sale at Rollis Wednesday.

While the United States of America is preparing for a big harvest of crops this season, almost the whole of Europe is preparing a harvest of death for all who are able to bear arms.

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF OFFICERS
Of The Village Of Holt

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at the front room of the ground floor of the building known as Star Hall on lot twenty-one (21) in block eight (8) in the village of Holt, in Marshall county, Minnesota, on the third day of April, 1915, an election will be held at which the resident voters will meet for the organization of the village of Holt and the election of village officers. The following officers are to be elected, to-wit:- A Treasurer, and a village council, composed of a President, a Clerk, and three (3) Trustees, all for the term of one (1) year. Also two (2) constables and two (2) Justices of the Peace, all for the term of two (2) years. The polls will remain open from the hour of nine (9) o'clock in the forenoon to the hour of five (5) o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

P. A. Kisberg, D. Payne, B. Docken
Inspectors of Election.

Kill all the large blow flys, their breeding season will soon be here. Swat the fly early.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Feb. 26, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that John F. Tapper, of Holt, Minn., who, on June 23, 1910, made homestead entry, No. 05376, for Lot 1, Sec. 19, and Lots 1 & 2 E1-2 NE1-4 Sec. 30, Twp. 156 N. Range 41 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Thief River Falls, on the 20th day of Apr. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Nils Fosen, Ole Johnson, Ingebright Moe and Emil Ostlund, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

SCANDIA BLOCK TRI-STATE PHONE 116
Dr. B. R. Lund, Dentist
Norsk Tandlæge
Thief River Falls - Minn.

If you are busy you hav'nt time to talk about your neighbors.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Northeast of Holt.

Mrs. E. Johnson and Mrs. C. Anderson called at Ed Erickson Saturday last.

Mrs. Tom Severson called at Mrs C. Anderson Sunday afternoon.

Hardy Bjerk, Joseph Johnson, Arthur and Oscar Anderson, Louis Knutson, Leo Horien, Emanuel Larson, and Oliver Davidson called at M. Udstrand Sunday afternoon. All report a good time.

Mrs. C. Grondold called at E. Johnson Sunday evening.

Emanuel Larson and Hilmer Udstrand left for Alvarado Monday.

Ask Oliver if he had a hard time getting his rubbers on Sunday.

Joseph Johnson called at C. W. Christianson Monday evening.

Ask Arthur and Walter if they had a good time in Holt Saturday night.

Pete and Elef Sorter are busy drilling wells.

Joseph Johnson and Oscar Anderson are taking a rest from school duties.

Wonder what the attraction is in Thief River? Maybe W. W. knows.

Eddie and Oliver Davidson intend to leave Tuesday for Alvarado, better wear your high top boots boys.

What's the matter with Germany? Nothing at all, they can show you a good time.

Ask Arthur Anderson how he likes his hair cut.

The boys all seem to hit the trail,
And most all of them ride or sail
For Alvarado.

There surley must a reason be
Whate'er it is, I can not see,
A great attraction it must be,
In Alvarado

Holt is good enough for me
Why they leave I can not see,
But some attraction there must be
In Alvarado.

For Sale!

New two storyhouse, 16x24.
Chris Yttre, Holt, Minn.

Newfolden Garage

Overhauling and car rebuilding a specialty. No matter what shape your car is in, I make it right if you have the pieces.

Tractor and steam boiler work, machine and instrument repairing of all kinds.

Call and see me for a friendly chat and find out that we can always agree.

Mutually Yours,
Wm. S. Dufke.

For Sale

Eight ton of good fair wild hay, and pigs of all sizes.

R. E. Grover.

Kettle Sollom went out to Mud Lake Tuesday to do some work on his claim.

Before buying Nails, Fence Wire and Hog Wire be sure to get Holt Mercantile Co's prices as they have just received a carload.

The fake land buyer, who had worked the farmers near Middle River, was in the vicinity of Holt last week and bought a couple of farms, but as usual he failed to close the deals. He claimed to have deposits in banks at Middle River and Warroad but he is a fake and is working the farmers for all the dinners possible.

The Cooperative Creameries that paid the highest prices for 1914 are the ones that had a business of over fifty thousand dollars. Are you helping to increase the business of your home Creamery, or are you helping to decrease it? Remember that the good Book says "He who is not with me is against me." If you are not helping the Creamery you are hurting it. The Creamery can pay higher prices when you patronize it.

Synod Church.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl will hold Easter services in the Holt church at 10:45 A. M. and at Ringbo in the afternoon of April 4th. All invited.

Easter Services Golden Valley congregation April 7th at 11 o'clock at John Anderson and East Valley schoolhouse April 8 at 2 o'clock.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl.

For Sale

House, barn and 3 lots, cheap.
Chris Yttre, Holt Minn.

Racine Olson drove to Gatzke Saturday.

Julius Olson has returned from a stay of several weeks at Strathcona.

The ladies' club meet with Mrs. Arvid Carlson Wednesday evening.

Guy Anderson was a business caller in T. R. Falls Satudray, returning home the same day.

Miss Myrtle Thomas visited her sisters Mesdames Adolph Sollom and B. L. Backe, Saturday.

Lester Silbaugh and Thorval Kolden left Monday for Devil's Lake N. D. where they expect to find work.

Theodore and Gunhild Sollom came up from Goodridge Saturday to attend the wedding reception at the hotel.

Before buying Nails, Fence Wire and Hog Wire be sure to get Holt Mercantile Co's prices as they have just received a carload.

John Alkenbrack drove to T. R. Falls early Monday morning with B. L. Backe, the latter going to Goodridge on business.

Gustave Christenson returned to his home at Fertile Tuesday after spending a pleasant visit with his sister Mrs. Huseth and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Anderson departed for N. Dak. with the intention of looking the country over and possibly rent a farm before returning home.

Free Mission Church.

2 o'clock Sunday School

The Prayer Meeting will be omitted this Sunday.

8 o'clock Special music and Easter recitation. Easter services in both languages. Everyone invited.

Sam Reierson was a passenger for T. R. Falls, Monday.

B. Docken attended to some business in T. R. Falls, Monday.

E. A. Wright of Middle River was in town Thursday.

For Sale! New 16 disc drill. Can give time if desired. T. A. Tobiason

L. S. Koldeu came from Nielsville Monday to look after business interest.

The best flour made is sold at reasonable prices at R. Rierson's store.

Miss Olava Sollom went to T. R. Falls Friday, returning home the next day.

Misses Cora Hanson and Dagny Bakke went home Thursday for the Easter vacation.

Reasonable prices on Gold Medal, the best flour made. Sold by R. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

Mrs. H. Anderson's condition does not seem to improve any at this writing, we are sorry to say.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Olaf Johnson, northwest of town, Wednesday April 7th.

For Sale; Team, wagon, harness and buggy. Will sell seperately.

E. M. Silbaugh.

Christ Yttre drove to Mud Lake Saturday with his brother-in-law to show the latter, the country there.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one.

A. H. Huseth.

The R. F. D. schedule was changed April 1st carrier Guy Anderson now leaves the postoffice at 12.30 P. M.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Folden March 24th, a son. Congratulations are extended to the fond parents.

Miss Esther Mickelson closed a very successful term of school at Gatzke Friday and returned home Saturday.

Fred Dragni returned to his home in Viroqua, Wis., Monday, after a few days pleasant visit at the Chris Yttre home.

Before buying Nails, Fence Wire and Hog Wire be sure to get Holt Mercantile Co's prices as they have just received a carload.

A. R. Jones and C. W. Latta accompanied D. Payne and A. L. Carlson to T. R. Falls Monday and saw them take in some of the mistries of the A. F. and A M.

Work on the new school house is pushed. Some painting is being done, the foundation is about finished and it is expected the work will be completed this month.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Sollom gave a wedding reception at the hotel Saturday evening in honor of Mr. Mrs. Arvid Carlson. The dinning room was very prettily decorated for the occasion and after the guests were seated at the tables and before partaking of the bounteous feast of good things, Mrs. A. H. Huseth rendered a beautiful piano solo which was enjoyed by all, as was also the supper by the large crowd in attendance. The groom gave a dance in the hall which was attended by a large number of young people. The bride and groom were the recipients of many beautiful presents from numerous friends.

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Something of A Competence
Is To Have
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In Frivolity
AVOID
The Accusation of Old Age
By Starting
A Savings Account Now

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East Valley News

Mrs. E. Carlson visited her daughter, Mrs. Carl Surmo Sunday.

Mrs. Laren Knutson is staying with Mrs. H. Anderson near Holt, who is very ill.

Martin Olson left Monday for Hannaford N. D. where he expects to spend the summer.

Mr. Huseby has been spending the past week at Rev. Ordahl's

Lars Ring spent a few days at Holt last week.

Hazel Knutson was absent from school all last week.

Rev Ordahl will conduct Easter services at the East Valley school house Thursday April 8th. at 2 P. M.

Ole and Hjalmar Garfor of Newfolden visited with Nels Fosen from Tuesday until Thursday of last week.

George Johnson returned from Crookston one day last week. while there he had an operation perfomed on his head. We all hope he will soon recover perfect health.

A large crowd of people attended the services at Carl Sarmo's Sunday. After the services, Mr. and Mrs. Surmo served coffee sandwiches and cake to all present.

Mr J M Jahr went to Middle River Monday to make final proof on his homestead. He was accompanied by O Garthus and N. Gudvangen.

The following from here were at Holt Monday. O. B. Johnson, O. Garthus, A. C. Jahr, O. Rodahl, Geo. Anderson, E. Moe, S. Carlson, J. M Jahr and N. Gudvangen.

Plant the pure Early Ohio potatoes and ship with your neighbors.

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Mr. Flakne tells us that their new school house is shingled and rapidly nearing completion.

Mrs. Bray who has been visiting relatives at Fertile for the last two weeks, returned to Holt Tuesday.

Miss Esther Mickelson went to Crookston Tuesday to visit her sister Amanda who is attending school there.

Hugort Johnson left last week Thursday for Minot N. D. where he expects to have employment this season.

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NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What Is Going On at Washington and in Other Sections of the Country.

WAR NEWS.

Italy has stopped railway freight traffic with Germany by way of Switzerland, according to a news agency dispatch

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It is said that the Russian in the six month siege of the Przemysl fortress lost in killed and wounded over 150,000 men.

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A semi-official communication from Germany asserts that there are now in that country as prisoners 801,000 enlisted men and over 9,000 officers.

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Swiss mothers have been seen to half strip their own children in the railway station at Schaffhouse in order to give needed articles of clothing to French boys and old men and women arriving there.

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Two hundred thousand Russian troops and many batteries of new artillery were released for the Cracow and Hungarian campaigns by the surrender of Przemysl, when 119,602 Austrians laid down their arms.

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British air raiders, according to an official statement from London, succeeded in damaging two submarines under construction by the Germans at Hoboken, near Antwerp, and to have done damage also to the plant, which formerly was the property of a British company.

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A dispatch from Cracow says that in Galicia alone 800,000 horses, 500,000 cattle and all provisions have been taken by the Russians, who destroyed 250 villages and damaged 6,000 others. In Poland, the Cracow correspondent estimated the Russians destroyed 200 cities and 9,000 villages.

GENERAL.

A United States warship will carry money to Yucatan to finance the movement of the Mexican hemp crop.

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The United States court of appeals upholds the prison sentences of Maury Diggs and F. Drew Caminetti of San Francisco under the white slave law.

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Fifty-six dead and twenty-two injured was the latest official estimate made of casualties in the avalanche disaster at the miners' camp at the Britannia mines, limited, on Howe sound, twenty-five miles north of Vancouver, B. C.

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"I'm back in old Omaha to stay until they plant me," said former Senator John M. Thurston, famous Nebraska orator, politician and lawyer, who returned to Omaha after twenty years in Washington.

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C. B. Oldfield, railway mail clerk, charged with having stolen $25,000, of which $2,000 in $20 bills were scattered when the roof was blown off a Leavenworth building. Oldfield's purchase of a $6,000 home resulted in his arrest at Kansas City

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Governor George A. Carlson of Colorado has received from Governor John H. Morehead of Nebraska a protest against the Colorado quarantine prohibiting the shipment of live stock into Colorado from Mexico, Canada and Eastern states.

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"Greed is the cause of the present war in Europe. Greed is all to blame for child labor," declared Congressman Charles O. Lobeck in an address before members of the Nebraska child labor committee at their annual meeting at Omaha where the exhibit of the national child labor organization is on display.

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Women opposed to woman suffrage in the states of New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania passed a resolution at a conference held at New York, calling upon women in the four states "to bend every effort to so decisively defeat votes for women at the polls this autumn that the citizens of these states will be relieved of this annoying agitation."

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Edward J. Williams of Chicago who was chief disbursing officer of the Panama canal, has accepted the appointment as assistant treasurer of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, it was announced at New York.

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Judge Berney, in the law and equity court of Mobile, Ala, granted the application of the state for an injunction against the Mobile Item, an afternoon newspaper, restraining it from publishing any kind of liquor advertising, in accordance with the Denson anti-liquor advertising bill

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The New York senate passed the assembly bill amending the workmen's compensation laws so as to empower employes and employers to settle injury claims between themselves.

Tse-Ne-Gat, leader of Piute uprising, turned over to United States marshal in Utah, will be tried at Denver for Murder of a Mexican sheep herder.

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About $1,000,000 to reimburse farmers for ravages of the foot and mouth disease among their cattle is appropriated by the terms of a bill introduced in the lower house of the Illinois legislature.

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The total attendance at the Panama-acific exposition at San Francisco, as announced for the first four weeks, was 1,859,824, an average of approximately 66,400 a day. This is said to exceed the attendance at any previous exposition.

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The Japanese steamship Kakushika Maru is due at Seattle from Kobe in a few days with the first full cargo of Manchurian corn ever borne across the Pacific, amounting to 5,000 tons. It will be used in the manufacture of stock food.

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Cold, barefooted children of southern Colorado miners are crying for bread as the result of their fathers' protest against conditions under which they formerly worked, said President McLennan of the Denver mine workers' union.

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Dynamite bombs, placed by Carranza agents, were exploded under a train load of Villa's advance guard, near Forlon, on the road between Monterey and Tampico, and forty men were killed, according to a message received at Los Angeles. The injured numbered several hundred.

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Verne Alphonze Lewis murdered Mrs. Mary Balding and three of her children and attempted to kill the other two children on the night of March 14, at Terre Haute, Ind., because he "loved them so" and did not wish to see them "go away," according to a confession that police say Lewis made.

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Superior Judge L. R. Works upheld the contention of the city of Los Angeles that its $25,000,000 Owens river aqueduct system furnishes pure water, excellent for human consumption, and denied injunctions to two plaintiffs who sought to prevent distribution of the aqueduct water on the ground that it was polluted.

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A good illustration of the prosperity being enjoyed in the middle west is shown in the list of new buildings assured for Omaha this year. Nine new buildings are to be erected at a cost of over three million dollars. The First National bank building, a twelve story structure, to cost $500,000 is one of the largest.

WASHINGTON.

Premiums have been paid to the government war risk insurance bureau to date amounting to $750,000, and the losses aggregated only $670,663, according to an announcement.

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Chairman Simmons of the senate finance committee took issue with prospects of a large treasury deficit in a statement saying his investigations at the treasury have convinced him the deficit will not exceed $26,000,000.

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Attorney General Gregory has instructed the United States district attorney of Porto Rico to institute libel proceedings against the German steamship Odenwald, which attempted to leave San Juan harbor without clearance papers.

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President Wilson declared recently that the only definite thing that could be said at this time on the Japanese-Chinese negotiations was that the United States had addressed an inquiry to Japan concerning her demands on China.

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American breadstuffs worth $337,091,823 were shipped abroad during the eight months ending Feb. 28 last, as compared with $115,215,881 for the same period of the preceding year. Figures given out by the Department of Commerce showed the greatest increase was in wheat exports.

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President Wilson has ordered that after North and South Dakota have made certain selections 39,000 North Dakota and 47,000 South Dakota acres of the Standing Rock Indian reservation be opened to entry under the homestead laws.

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Senator Pomerene of Ohio who has been one of the active advocates of prompt passage of a presidential primary bill in order that the candidates in 1916 might be chosen under it, announced recently that he had reached the conclusion "with very great regret" that congress has no power to provide for a presidential primary and that the constitution must be amended or the subject left entirely to the states

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Another investigation to determine whether American shipyards are building submarines for European belligerents, has been ordered by Secretary Daniels Naval officers stationed on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts were directed to make inquiries and report to Washington

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Secretary Daniels at a conference with representatives of Sisal importers said he would send a warship to Progreso if no other means could be devised to transport money to move the Sisal hemp crop.

TO PROBE CHARGE OF EXTRAVAGANCE IN RANGE TOWNS

LEGISLATURE WILL MAKE ITS OWN INVESTIGATION IN DISTRICT IF SCOTT RESOLUTION IS PASSED.

HOUSE REJECTS TEIGEN ANTI-FUTURES MEASURE

Votes 68 to 52 Against Bill on Final Reading—Rural Members Oppose on Ground That Hedging Would Be Prohibited—Was Taken Up as Special Order.

St. Paul, Minnesota.—It is possible that the legislature will make its own investigation of the many charges of gross extravagance in the government or iron range mining towns. In an effort to prevent action by the house on Representative J. M. Harrison's bill, which would curb expenditures in these towns, Samuel Scott of Hibbing, introduced a resolution calling for an investigation of these expenditures and appropriating $2,500 to cover the cost. He withdrew it a few moments later, but promised that he would ask the attorney general to assist him in drawing another for presentation at once.

The Harrison bill fixes a maximum cost per capita of $25, exclusive of school expenses. This is approximately five times the average cost per capita prevailing in cities, towns and villages in Minnesota. Mr. Harrison moved that his bill be made a special order for March 30.

It requires a two-thirds vote of all members of the house to set a special order, and a minority of thirty is sufficient to defeat the motion, which polled eight affirmative votes. There were twenty members absent and it would have required eighty-seven votes to carry the motion.

Representatives and senators from the range country indicated that they would not oppose the bill, as they considered $25 per capita as a limitation which they could well live within.

Kills Anti-Futures Bill.

Decisive defeat was meted out by the house to A. F. Teigen's bill to prohibit trading in grain futures. It was taken up as a special order on motion of its author, put on its final reading and lost, yeas 52, nays 68.

The argument that the bill would prohibit hedging was used effectively against the measure by farmer members.

It was Mr. Teigen's third attempt to get action on his bill, the house having twice defeated similar motions. Oscar Swenson urged that the bill be taken up, declaring that if it were not the author would renew his motion every day till the end of the session.

"Bankers have assumed the role of lobbyists for the grain brokers," said Mr. Teigen in defense of his bill

Extra Session Likely.

More rumors of an extra session of the legislature crystallized when Fred Bessette of Gheen, house member, announced that he intended introducing at once a bill which would provide financial compensation and additional railroad transportation to reimburse members for time and expense of an extra session.

Many members believe that an extra session of the legislature will be found necessary. It is the opinion of those who hold this view that such a session would come immediately upon the expiration of the legal time limit of the life of the present session which is due to pass into history on April 22.

Sullivan Fears Flood of Talk

A resolution to allow state department heads the privilege of seats and debate in the senate when it is acting as a committee of the whole, was referred to the senate committee on drainage. Senator E. J. Westlake introduced the resolution and asked that it be referred to the committee on rules. Senator G. H. Sullivan moved that it be referred to the drainage committee.

Compensation Law Amended

For two whole hours Senator Richard Jones, Socialist member from St. Louis county, held up the passage of the bill amending the employees' compensation law while he presented amendment after amendment to the bill. He presented eight amendments and each was voted down.

Remove Land Buying Limit

Senator I. H. Nord's bill throwing open northern Minnesota lands to extensive development, by taking off the present 320-acre restriction, passed the senate by a vote of 36 to 20, after a debate of two hours.

APPROPRIATION FOR "U" IS URGED BY OFFICIALS

Dr. George E. Vincent and department heads of the University of Minnesota appeared before the senate finance committee to urge the passage of the bills appropriating $3,887,450 for the use of the university for the next two years. They told the committee the appropriation was a decrease of nearly $100,000 over what was appropriated two years ago and a decrease of more than $410,000 from what was appropriated in 1911

"BLUE MILK" BILL MEETS DEATH IN LOWER HOUSE

The so-called Sullivan "blue milk" bill, which passed the senate by a large vote sometime ago, met with an overwhelming death when the house in committee of the whole voted to indefinitely postpone the measure. It would reduce the percentage of butterfat in milk from 3½ to 3 per cent.

Senator Sullivan advanced his milk label bill in the senate. The bill was introduced after women's organizations and civic bodies had attacked his "blue milk" bill.

When Senator Sullivan heard that his "blue milk" bill had been defeated in the house, he moved that the label bill be indefinitely postponed. It was done.

To Carry on Work.

St. Paul, March 26.—A vicious blow was dealt the efficiency and economy bill for the reorganization of the civil administration of the state government when the house passed six of Representative Sam Y. Gordon's special committee bills.

Then the original bill died a quiet death so far as the present session of the legislature is concerned when a resolution was introduced authorizing the appointment by the speaker of a committee of seven members to carry on further investigation of one year and submit its recommendations to the next legislature. A resolution which bore the names of Representatives Thomas H. Girling, Theodore Christianson and W. I. Norton was laid over for two days.

An appropriation of $15,000 to carry on the work is included in the resolution.

Governor May Veto Gordon Bills.

Passage of six of the Gordon committee bills by the house clinched the fate of the efficiency and economy commission's bill at this session, and also created a chilly atmosphere between the lower house of the legislature and the office of Gov. W. S. Hammond. It is known that Governor Hammond intends making the commission's bill a political issue next year, and on good authority it was reported that he will veto the Gordon committee bills if they reach him, with the possible exception of the budget measure.

HOUSE RECOMMENDS LARSON SUFFRAGE BILL

Woman suffrage scored a victory in the house when the majority report of the elections committee, recommending for indefinite postponement A. S. Larson's bill which would extend the franchise to women in presidential elections, was overridden and the minority report, recommending the bill for passage and placing it on general orders, was adopted by a vote of 65 to 44 after more than an hour of debate.

Proponents of woman's suffrage were elated and declared that they now see a possibility of forcing the bill through the house and to the senate. It is probable that an effort will be made early next week to have the measure made a special order in the house.

ST. LOUIS COUNTY DIVISION MEASURE KILLED IN HOUSE

St. Paul, March 25.—The charges of gross extravagances made against the range mining towns are credited with causing the defeat of the St. Louis county division bill, which was killed in the house by a vote of 84 to 32.

The opponents of the division bill recited that the range towns are controlled by officials who exact great sums of money in the form of taxes from the mining companies and spend this money in the most riotous manner.

The proponents of division answered that Duluth wished to continue in control of St. Louis county government to use a majority of the county funds for roads and other improvements in the Duluth end of the county. Also it was charged that the steel company now has control of the county government and resists every effort made to wrest it away.

BILL AIMED AT ELOPERS IS RECOMMENDED TO PASS

Favorable recommendation was given the bill prohibiting common law marriages by the house judiciary committee.

The measure, fathered by C. F. Southwick of Wells, would compel a lapse of five days between the time of marriage and the issuance of a license. This feature is directed at elopers.

A sworn statement as to physical condition of applicants for licenses also would be necessary

Provides for New Judge

A bill to give Minneapolis a new district judge was introduced in the senate by Senator James Callahan. A companion bill has been introduced in the house.

Liquor Bill Is Postponed

Senator P. A. Ganrud's bill providing for a constitutional amendment prohibiting the sale of liquor was shelved by the senate committee on temperance

Small Sum for State Institutions

The senate finance committee conceded the small amount of $12,000 additional for maintenance of state institutions, after hearing a plea from Chairman C. E. Vasaly of the board of control. This increase is to cover expenses of two years The total allowed the board is still $160,000 less than was appropriated two years ago.

"The board of control will refuse to assume responsibility for decreased efficiency in state institutions because of the cut in the appropriation," said Chairman Vasaly.

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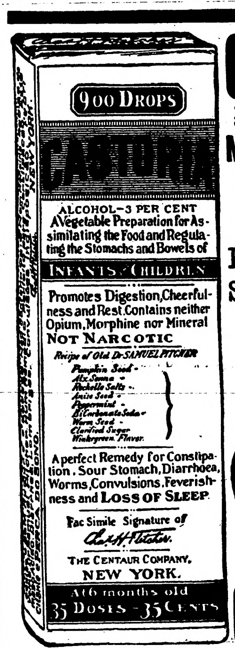

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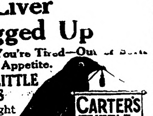

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CRUISER EITEL MAY LEAVE

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Time Allowed Commander to Make Repairs Before Putting to Sea Is Nearly Expired.

Washington, March 30.—Although officials both here and at Newport News refused to discuss the situation, an atmosphere of tense expectancy surrounds the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich, which took refuge in Newport News after her unprecedented privateering cruise through the Pacific and Atlantic oceans. The Eitel lays at anchor with smoke issuing from both her stacks. Until the last few days there has been smoke from only one stack.

Throughout the stay of the Eitel here officials have kept secret the time allowed her commander to make repairs on his ship before putting to sea again. Internment for the period of the war is the penalty for over-staying this period and it is known that the time is nearly expired.

In view of the fact that British and French warships now are believed to be waiting outside the three-mile limit off the Virginia capes, it is declared, the Washington authorities deem it essential to prepare for strict enforcement of neutrality within the waters of American jurisdiction.

ITALY CALLS ALPINE TROOPS

Forces Are Organized Especially to Defend Mountain Passes Leading Into Country.

Rome, March 30.—All the Alpine troops of the first category born in 1883, have been called to the colors by the Italian war department for forty-five days. The official military journal also calls to the colors all artillery and engineer reserve officers for sixty days from April 1.

The Alpine troops are frontier forces organized especially to defend the mountain passes leading into Italy. This force consists of eight regiments (28 battalions) of Alpine infantry, and two regiments of 36 mountain artillery batteries. In addition to these, there are two regiments of heavy artillery of 10 batteries each, one regiment of horse artillery of eight batteries and 10 regiments of fortress artillery.

The artillery arm of Italy's land forces consists of 265 batteries, 110 companies and 51 depots.

PRESIDENT'S DAUGHTER SINGS TO AID SUFFERERS IN EUROPE.

Washington, March 30.—Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the president, just has concluded recording "The Star Spangled Banner" on a phonograph record. She will turn over her royalties to the international board of relief, an organization working in the war stricken cities of Europe. Miss Wilson's income from her voice on this one record will help relieve several hundred families.

PRESIDENT WILSON WRITES LETTER TO CENTENARIAN

Utica, N. Y., March 30.—President Wilson and Governor Whitman have sent congratulatory letters to Orvel S. Dorman of Rome, N. Y., who has just reached his 100th birthday. He was born at Coldbrook River, Conn., March 29, 1816. A cousin, Henry Dorman, of Liberal, Mo., lives to be 115. Orvel S. Dorman's three children are living.

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, March 30.—Wheat—May, $1.43¾; July, $1.38⅝; No. 1 Northern, $1.48⅞; No. 2 northern, $1.46⅝; No. 1 durum, $1.53; No. 3 corn, 66c, No. 3 white oats, 54⅛c; barley, malting, 63c; No. 2 rye, $1.08½; No. 1 flax, $1.96.

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, March 30.—Wheat—May, $1.46⅞; July, $1.42⅛; No. 1 northern, $1.50⅞; No. 1 durum, $1.52

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, March 30.—Cattle—steers, $6.00@7.40; cows, $4.50@6.35; calves, $4.00@8.00; hogs, $6.50@6.70; sheep and lambs, $7.90@9.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 30.—Hogs—Receipts, 26,000; slow; 5c above Saturday's average; bulk, $6.70@6.85; light, $6.65@6.87½; mixed, $6.60@6.90; heavy $6.40@6.85, rough, $6.40@6.55; pigs, $5.50@6.50.

Cattle—Receipts, 16,000, unsettled; native steers, $6@8.75; western, $5.50@7.40; cows and heifers, $3@7.76, calves, $7@10.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000, steady, sheep $7.15@8.25; yearlings, $7.90@9.25, lambs $7.50@9.85.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry

Minneapolis, March 30.—Butter, cream'ry extras, 27c; extra firsts, 25c; firsts 24c; seconds, 23c; dairies, extra firsts, 22c; packing stock 17c.

Eggs—Fresh prime firsts, new cases, dirties and checks out, 15c; current receipts, rots out, case, $5.10; checks and seconds, doz., 12c; dirties, doz., 14c.

Live Poultry—Turkeys, fat 10 lbs. and over 14c; thin and small, 8c; cripples and culls, unsalable; roosters, 9c; staggy cockerels, 13c; 1914 cockerels, medium weight, 15c; hens, 4 lbs and over, 15@16c; hens, 3 to 4 lbs, 11@12c, hens, 3 lbs. and under, 9c; geese, fat 10c; ducks, 13c; guinea, doz $5; springs, lb, 12½c.

Masses Attended by 16,000

St. Paul, March 30.—Crowds estimated at more than 16,000 persons attended the five masses at the informal opening of the Catholic cathedral of St. Paul. The church seats 2,700 worshipers and the aisles were thronged at each of the services. Archbishop John Ireland, who has pushed the cathedral building project for ten years, celebrated the first mass at 6 a. m. A crowded church greeted the celebrant at the beginning of the services. The archbishop congratulated the early comers.

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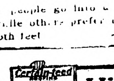
Some people go into a thing ... first, while others prefer to get there with both feet



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A grain expert who has been watching the grain markets and the world's grain fields for a number of years, says:

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"During the three years following the declaration of peace the farmers of all neutral wheat producing countries will have ample opportunity to market their wheat at good prices, and it may safely be assumed that the demand will be heavy Canada has an unusual opportunity in that she has the natural environment for wheat production, she is under the protection of the British flag and she will not be molested upon the water to any great extent she can increase her acreage and greatly enhance her production In other words she can become a far greater wheat producing country than she is at the present time"

If the ... of this expert be correct is there not the very best reason for the continued effort that is being made by the Government of the Dominion of Canada to secure settlers on the ... productive vacant lands of the country? Not only are these lands capable of producing high class wheat in large quantities but cattle, pigs, sheep and horses also do well The climate is admirably suited Advertisement

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Official Denial

No War Tax on Homestead Land in Canada

The report that a war tax is to be placed on Homestead lands in Western Canada having been given considerable circulation in the United States, this is to advise all enquirers that no such tax has been placed, nor is there any intention to place a war tax of any nature on such lands. (Signed) W. D. Scott, Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, March 15th, 1915.

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Canadian Government Agents.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Mar. 27, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Oluf O. Eggum, of Holt, Minn. who on Mar. 22 1913, made Homestead Entry No. 08942, for SW1-4 NE1-4 Sec. 22, Township. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U.S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 3rd day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Knutson, Albert C. Jahr, Swan Carlson all of Holt, Minn. and E. E. Pechie of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.38
Wheat No. 2	1.35
Wheat No. 3	1.29
Wheat No. 4	1.26
Flax	1.71
Oats	.45
Barley	46. to .54
Rye	.98
Flour, Best Patent	4.15

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

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Hardware Store Sold

A deal was closed Wednesday evening which transfers the hardware, furniture, harness stocks and good will of S. S. Kolden & Co. to T. T. Sollom and Sollom Bros. The new firm will remain in the same building for the present and will be glad to meet all the customers of the old firm and many new ones. They expect to soon build an addittion to Sollom Bros. store and move the stock there and add to it and it will then be known as The People's Cash Department Store. We wish them success.

S. S. Kolden & Co. retain the implement business and will close it out as fast as possible.

R. Reierson was in T. R. Falls on business, Tuesday.

P. A. Riesberg is building an 8 foot basement under his house.

Mrs. Kuehne and her daughter, Mrs. Albin Knauf were over Sunday visitors in T. R. Falls.

Miss Edith Udstrand who has been employed at the restaurant for some time left for Argyle Monday.

Mrs. Huseth went to T. R. Falls Wednesday to visit her sister who has been quite sick, but is some better at present.

Miss Gunhild Sollom who has finished a successful term of school at Goodridge, is now teaching this week for her sister Olava who is on the sick list.

Caucus Nominees

The village caucus meet Monday evening per published call and organized by electing S. S. Kolden, chairman and P. L. Anderson, sec'y. The candidates nominated are as follows:

For TREASURER
(vote for one)
Ben Docken
B. L. Backe

For CLERK
(vote for one)
D. PAYNE
A. L. CARLSON

For PRESIDENT
(vote for one)
D. PAYNE
P. A. RIESBERG

For TRUSTEES
(vote for three)
C. H. GUNHEIM
ARVID CARLSON
S. S. KOLDEN
H. J. OIEN
R. L. OLSON
R. REIERSON

For Justice of Peace
(vote for two)
C. W. LATTA
B. L. BACKE
J. B. ALKENBRACK
P. L. ANDERSON

For CONSTABLES
(vote for two)
O. J. BACKLUND
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R. L. OLSON
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April 12, 1915

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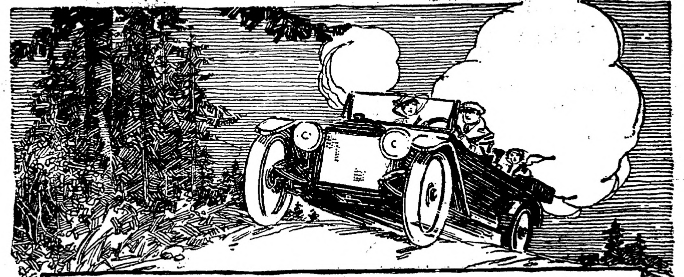

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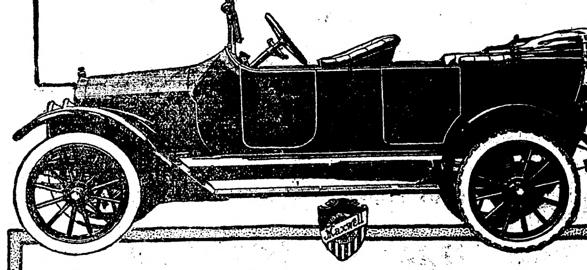

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Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Feb. 1915.

Cream received	11,253 lbs
Average test	25.45
Butter fat	2,864.69 lbs
Percent overrun	23.25
Butter made	3,530 lbs
Balance on hand last month	1 93
Received for butter shipped	876 37
Butter and milk sold patr	4 54
Cash sales at creamery	22 61
Rec'd from other sources	2 38
Total	$906 93
Paid patrons by check	791 67
" " " Butter & milk	4 54
Expense fund, etc.	90 48
To sinking fund	19 73
Charges to other sources	48
Balance on hand	03
Total	$906 93

Number of patrons, 70

Price paid for butter fat, 28cts

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

W. R. Hoag of T. R. Falls was in town, Tuesday.

L. S. Kolden returned to Neillsville Thursday.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Feb. 26, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that John F. Tapper, of Holt, Minn., who, on June 23, 1910, made homestead entry, No. 05376, for Lot 1, Sec. 19, and Lots 1 & 2 E1-2 NE1-4 Sec. 30, Twp. 156 N. Range 41 W. 5th P. M has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Thief River Falls, on the 20th day of Apr. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Nils Fosen, Ole Johnson, Ingebright Moe and Emil Ostlund, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

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Dr. B. R. Lund, Dentist

Norsk Tandlæge

Thief River Falls - Minn.

If you are busy- you hav'nt time to talk about your neighbors.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

VOL. IV. HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY, APRIL, 9, 1915 NO. 39

For Rent!

House and barn, possession given April 15th. Chris Yttre, Holt.

Free Mission Church.

2 o'clock Sunday School

8 o'clock Prayer Meeting to which all are invited.

BASEBALL?

Why couldn't Holt have a baseball team this season and play the neighboring towns, who already have teams in the field? It is three years since Holt had a team and if the people show the spirit now, which they showed then, they will be able to support a winning team. All persons interested in a baseball team and the future welfare of Holt will please meet next Monday evening in Holt.

One good thing follows another, new school house, incorporation, and lastly a BASEBALL TEAM.

WHITE PINE
"& plenty of it."

YES, WE HAVE IT! "& PLENTY OF IT"

White Pine is one of the *"White Hopes"* that never had to *"Come back!"* (It's an *"always was"* and an *"is yet!"*) Been all sorts of 'Bear' stories about this original [illegible] ("The Wood of the Forefathers") having been all used up. *Not so.* You will need some—and the best of it is that YOU CAN GET IT—ALL YOU WANT OF IT—AND OF AS FINE A quality AS YOUR ANCESTORS BOASTED OF. So *this* time—for new work or old, just remember

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The Sunnyside.

Absence makes the heart grow fonder.

Mrs. F. Carlson called at Mrs. C. Anderson's Wednesday.

Herman and Leonard Peterson spent Sunday afternoon at L. Wegg's.

Miss Burndette Horien went to T. R. Falls Friday.

Mrs. C. Anderson and daughter Helen visited Erick Johnson Sunday.

Blanch, Frank and Edgar Horien spent Sunday afternoon at M. Udstrand's.

Lucy and Edgar Wegge went to T. R. Falls Monday.

Standly Lysne spent Saturday afternoon at L. Wegge's.

Miss Marie Erickson went to T. R. Falls Thursday, returning Monday.

Have you seen Stina Brita's ten cent smile?

Ed. Bjerk and Hjalmer Peterson went to T. R. Falls Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Wegge visited with Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson Sunday.

Southeast of Holt

Farmers in this locality have started their spring work.

Ben Brokke will work for T. Rynestad during the spring and summer.

Several people from this locality attended the Easter services in the Sam Groven school house, which were conducted by Rev. Larson on Sunday.

John Klungness is now residing on the farm which he recently purchased from Halvor Listol

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Michaelsen entertained a number of their friends on Sunday.

Tellef Johnson returned to his home in Smiley Monday after an extended visit with his brother Gjermund who accompanied him home.

Mrs. H. R. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs Albert Klungness and daughter Clara were pleasant visitors at the Jacob Klungness home Friday afternoon.

Messrs Walter Adolphson, Targe Sordahl, Ludvig Olson left for Kilso N. Dak. last Thursday where they expect to find work.

Annie Senum is reported as being quite ill and was recently confined to the hospital at Warren.

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Mutually Yours,
Wm. S. Dufke.

A. R. Jones spent Easter with his family at Crookston.

Go to R. Reierson for your Gents and Ladies Hats, Boots and Shoes.

Lars Backe of Thief River Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe Tuesday.

Amanda Mickelson who is attending school at Crookston came home for Easter.

H. E. Heberle of Crookston was in this vicinity Tuesday and Wednesday on business

Jacob Nelson went to Dugdale Tuesday being called there by the sickness of his brother.

P. A. Riesberg, B. Docken and Ole Backland were business callers in Newfolden Wednesday.

S. S. Kolden and Ed. Silbaugh were in Middle River between train, Friday on business.

Mrs. John Alkenbrack is again able to attend to her household duties after several weeks illness.

Mrs. P. Reierson has returned home from several weeks stay at the home of her daughter in Newfolden.

Rev. Eckstrom of T. R. Falls was here Tuesday and preached in the Free Mission church in the evening.

C. L. Heinze was in T. R. Falls last week doing some brushing on a ten acre piece of land he recently purchased there.

Basket Social, benefit new school house, Saturday evening April 17th. Everyone invited to come and help along a good cause.

Miss Inez Alkenbrack visited her sister Mrs. P. A. Von Wold in Thief River Falls several days last week, returning home Monday.

Harry Gerancsen and family of Sauk Center moved here Wednesday and will live on Dr. Brandenburg farm which they have rented for this season

Mr. and Mrs. Samual [illegible] returned from Dakota Wednesday. They expect to move there some time next week where they will have work on a farm.

Ludwig Monson, Arthur [illegible] and Rheinhart Reierson visited at the home of Andrew Nass in [illegible] Sunday. They report farmers as working in the fields there and some wheat has been sown.

We understand that satisfactory arrangements could not be made with the Tri State Telephone Co. to handle the business of the Holt Telephone Co and that the latter will build in the near future.

Ben Eide arrived here Friday from Spooner. He drove thru with four horses and traveled some new roads without accident, but came near having one about half a mile north of town, when his team became frightened at a train.

The [illegible] large [illegible] recommend the planting of [illegible] sota No. [illegible] Northwestern Dent, and [illegible] Minnesota No. [illegible] the North [illegible]

Official News Of The Village

The following officers were selected at the village election Saturday: President, D. Payne; Treasurer, B. Docken; Clerk, A. L. Carlson; Trustees, S. S. Kolden, C. H. Gunheim and Arvid Carlson; Justices, C. W. Latta and B. L. Backe; Constables, Ole Backlund and R. L. Olson.

Below is the vote for each candidate nominated by the caucus: President, D. Payne 36, P. A. Riesberg 5; Treasurer, B. Docken 29, B. L. Backe 10; Clerk, A. L. Carlson 34, D. Payne 3; Trustees, C. H. Gunheim 33, Arvid Carlson 17, S. S. Kolden 34, H. J. Oien 16, R. L. Olson 5, R. Reierson 16; Justices, C. W. Latta 36, B. L. Backe 22, J. B. Alkenbrack 10, P. L. Anderson 12; Constables, O. J. Backlund 32, John Alkenbrack 14, R. L. Olson 23, E. M. Silbaugh 12,

The council met Tuesday evening and appointed a committee to draft a village ordinance.

Free For The Farmer

The time has come when the farmer must manage his farm as systematically as does the manufacturer or retailer in his business. Growing competition and progressivness demands that the farmer shall know just where his money is going to and what returns it brings him. If by keeping a single record, he can see just what crop yields the biggest comparative profit he can devote his time to that particular crop, and thus increase the earning capacity of his farm. If, at any time, he can compute his finincial status he will be safely guided as to any investment which he is contemplating. For this purpose we have a Book arranged and the system which it requires is at once effective and simple. By making a few entries each day the farmer can determine his exact finiancial standing, not only at the end of the year, but on each day. The task of making these entries is extremely simple and requires only a few minutes daily. We have one of these books for every farmer tributary to Holt, and they are yours absolutely free. Next time you are in town call in and get one.

D. Payne Lumber Company

Mrs N. N. Landa who is now in Thief River Falls was taken sick with typhoid fever when her twin babies were only 3 or 4 weeks old, but is gaining slowly now tho' quite weak yet

The [illegible] and his good wife are the proud parents of an eight pound girl, born Tuesday evening April 6th. Congratulations.

The above is the first birth reported to the village clerk

Miss Etta Christenson [illegible] Falls visited her sisters Mesdames Huseth and Bray between trains Monday. Her little niece Lucile Russell, who had been here a few days, returned home with her

Mrs Martin Kulseth, nee Miss Louise Rux, came from Warren Saturday to visit her mother and family. A wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs Kulseth was held at the Rux home Wednesday evening which was attended by a large circle of friends of the bride

On Wednesday [illegible] of last week Stella [illegible] was pleasantly surprised by a number of her schoolmates [illegible] her fifteenth birthday [illegible] spent [illegible] games. At 10 o'clock a delicious luncheon was served and at midnight the young people departed wishing Stella many more birthdays.

Holt State Bank

Holt - - Minnesota

Capital, $10.000

Surplus and Profits $5,000.00

Pres. D. B. Bakke

Vice-Pres. A. D. Stephens

Cashier B. Docken

BUT FEW ARE SO SITUATED THAT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO SAVE SOMETHING.

MAKE A BANK ACCOUNT WITH US THE STEPPING STONE TO
SUCCESS
EASE
PROSPERITY
THRIFT
BANK ACCOUNT
EVEN ONE DOLLAR WILL BE ACCEPTED HERE AS A FIRST DEPOSIT

We Konw of but One Man Who Could Not Do So-

Our Historic Friend, Robinson Crusoe

Marooned On An Island Where

A Savings Account

Could Not Be Started In Any Amount

You Live On the Main Land!

Ed. Bjerk is working in the blacksmith-shop.

Ben Eide is shipping hay to his brother E. T. Eide at Baudette.

John L. Hagberg of Dugdale is here working on the school house.

Go to R. Reierson for your Gents and Ladies Hats, Boots and Shoes

Emil Knutson came from Alvarado Wednesday to visit his parents.

Mr. Stearns of the Tri State Telephone Co. was in town Tuesday

Ole Backland was an over Sunday visitor of his people at [illegible]

For Sale! New 10 disc drill. Can give time if desired. F. A. [illegible]

Peter Kolden who is attending school at Ada Minn. came home to spend Easter

[illegible] Hotel [illegible] Holt, Monday [illegible] twelfth

Saturday evening April 17th [illegible] will be held in the [illegible] Hall for the benefit of the new school house

[illegible]

[illegible] windows [illegible]

Before buying [illegible] and Hog Wire [illegible] Mercantile Co [illegible] just received a carload

S. S. Kolden left Wednesday for St. Paul.

Miss Olga Bakke came Monday to visit her sister Mrs. B. Docken.

Adolph Sollom left Tuesday on a business trip to the twin cities.

Albert Knutson commenced work for Ole Backlund on the dray line April first.

Before buying Nails, Fence Wire and Hog Wire be sure to get Holt Mercantile Co's prices as they have just received a carload.

The Cooperative Creameries that paid the highest prices for 1914 are the ones that had a business of over fifty thousand dollars. Are you helping to increase the business of your home Creamery, or are you helping to decrease it? Remember that the good Book says "He who is not with me is against me." If you are not helping the Creamery you are hurting it. The Creamery can pay higher prices when you patronize it.

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Physician and Surgeon

Deutscher Arzt

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Thief River Falls Minnesota

Defective Page

FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

The German bombardment of the Russian positions at Ossowetz, in Russian Poland, has been definitely abandoned.

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A concentration of Turkish troops at Adrianople, the nearest important Turkish town to the Bulgarian frontier, is interpreted in Sofia as a Turkish precautionary measure in the event of war with Burgaria.

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Twenty great battle ships, eight powerful cruisers and a land force, estimated at from 40,000 to 50,000 are concentrating at the entrance of the Dardanelles for a grand assault upon the Ottoman defenses, according to Athens dispatches.

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All the Alpine troops of the first category, born in 1883, have been called to the colors by the Italian War department for forty-five days. The official military journal also calls to the colors all artillery and engineer reserve officers for sixty days from April 16.

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Germany has agreed to throw open her military prison camps for an inspection by an American commission. United States Ambassador Gerard announced. England is understood to have accepted the same offer, and the trips of inspection are to begin immediately upon the arrival of the commission in Europe.

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So seriously has the liquor traffic interfered with the successful prosecution of the war that King George of England has offered to cease the use of any alcoholic liquors and to forbid drinking in the royal household, if the government considers that his example would have any effect upon British workmen.

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Fast and powerful submarines of the German navy have torpedoed two more British steamers in the waters adjacent to the British coast. Both steamers, the Falaba and Aguilla, took to flight at the sight of the submarines, but were speedily overhauled, with the result that both vessels were sent to the bottom, with a loss of life estimated at between 140 and 150.

GENERAL.

Chile and Urugay have signed a peace treaty.

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Three thousand union painters and decorators of Chicago are on strike.

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Former Governor Hodges of Kansas will lecture on prohibition in Australia in 1916.

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An uprising in Nicaragua fomented by Gen. Julian Irias, minister of war under the Zelya regime, has been put down by the government.

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More than 6,000 Polish relief badges were sold on the streets of Omaha by fifty-two young women. The "tag day" netted $770 for the relief of the war sufferers in Poland.

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Officials of the New York Central railroad announced that the Chicago-Gary clearing yards, described as "the largest railroad yards in the world," and designed to handle 35,000 cars, will be built at Miller, Ind., just east of Gary.

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The nomination of Colonel William Hayward of New York, formerly of Nebraska, as a member of the Down-State Public Service commission, was sent to the New York senate at Albany by Governor Whitman and referred to the finance committee.

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When Cornelius Valkhoff went out to his rabbit hutch in Los Angeles, to procure a hare for a birthday dinner he stepped into a water puddle as he touched the latch of the hutch gate and fell dead. An electric cable leading to a nearby crematory had broken during the night and turned its 2,200-volt current into the wire fence surrounding the hutch. Later two others were killed and three injured.

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The Young nonpartisan bill which would eliminate party lines in state elections, was passed by the California assembly at Sacramento. The measure is urged by Governor Johnson. It now goes to the senate.

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Nearly 10,000 men are now working in the steel mills of Chicago Heights for the first time this year. Several hundred more were put to work at Gary and South Chicago. Eighty factories and locomotive works have resumed work on a normal scale.

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United States troop reinforcements at Brownville, Tex., will be necessary because the Villistas and Carranzistas fighting at Matamoras plan to use artillery, which will endanger American property and lives.

The state of Texas is suing Chicago packing houses, charging violation of anti-trust laws.

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Chile has accepted the invitation to take part in the pan-American financial conference in Washington.

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The Standard Oil company of New York announced a further reduction of 10 points in refined petrolium.

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The centennary of the birth of Prince von Bismarck, Prussia's famous statesman, was celebrated with the utmost enthusiasm in the German capital.

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General Victoriano Huerta, former provisional president of Mexico, and his family have sailed from Cadiz, Spain, for Buenos Ayres, Argentina, according to a dispath from the Fabra agency at Madrid.

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Thomas H. Matters, found guilty on nineteen counts in connection with the wrecking of a national bank at Sutton, Neb., was sentenced to six years in the Leavenworth, Kas., federal prison by Judge Frank A. Youmans at Omaha.

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Two robbers entered the manufacturing jewelry establishment of W. Bershtein in the center of Philadelphia, covered the proprietor and his brother with revolvers and took more than $3,000 worth of jewelry. They escaped in an automobile.

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A plan to raise a $1,000,000 fund in 1917 in celebration of the four hundreth anniversary of the beginning of the reformation by Martin Luther was formulated at York, Pa., at a conference of clergymen and laymen of the Lutheran church.

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Three Chicago girls, Ruth Harsley, Maude Brideson and Ethel Rockwell, who left Chicago on March 19 to walk to the San Francisco exposition, left Cedar Rapids, Ia., for Belle Plain after spending the night with the police matron at Cedar Rapids.

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"Freshmen and sophomore years in college should be given to the high schools, thus cutting the college courses to two years," Prof. Charles H. Judd of the University of Chicago told 200 Kansas high school teachers at their annual meeting at the University of Kansas.

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Alexander Robertson was appointed vice president of the Missouri Pacific Iron Mountain system, in charge of operations. He succeeds E. J. Pearson, who has resigned to accept a similar position with the Texas & Pacific. He started his railway career as a brakeman in 1885.

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A telegram was received by Governor Johnson of California from Secretary of State Bryan containing representations from the British ambassador concerning claims that British subjects, school teachers in California, had been denied their salaries because of non-citizenship.

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In accordance with a letter from Governor Willis, the Ohio State Tax commission at Columbus removed all officials in charge of the taxation machinery in the eighty-eight counties of the state. Those removed are all democrats who were appointed under the administration of Governor Cox.

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By a vote of 92 to 32 the lower house of the legislature at Springfield, Ill., defeated the Kurtis joint resolution which provided for submission to the electors of a proposition for the holding of a constitutional convention. The defeat means the postponement of the question for at least two years.

WASHINGTON

Tariff rates on most articles imported into Russia have been raised 10 per cent, while rates on certain cotton fabrics and cotton yarns have been increased from 30 to 50 per cent.

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Attorney General Gregory has decided that the new seamen's law affecting lifesaving apparatus and other equipment on ships, will become effective for American ships on November 4, 1915, and for foreign ships on March 4, 1916.

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Express rates on strawberries and cherries in carload, from points in Washington and Oregon to Helena, Butte, Great Falls and Billings, Mont., were found unreasonable and discriminatory by the interstate commerce commission.

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Two cents instead of 5 cents will be the posting rates on letters, beginning April 1, between the United States and the British colonies of Barbadoes and the Leeward islands in the British West Indies, the postoffice department announced.

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With the hope of securing permanent protection for the 25,000 foreigners in Mexico City, the United States government has proposed to both factions that the Mexican capital be declared neutral and outside the field of operations hereafter in Mexico's civil war.

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Continued large increases in exports to France and Great Britain and the principal European neutrals, were shown in an analysis of foreign trade for February, issued by the Department of Commerce.

WILLARD IS NEW WHITE CHAMPION

KNOCKS OUT JACK JOHNSON IN TWENTY-SIXTH ROUND AT HAVANNA.

NEGRO LAUGHS AT OPPONENT

Smiles as Willard Misses Blows in Early Rounds—Crowd Late in Arriving, is Angered at Delay of Fight.

Ringside, Miramar Race Track, Havana, April 6.—Youth met experience for the heavyweight championship of the world beneath skies momentarily threatening rain. More than 10,000 assembled to watch the battle of the mastodons—Jess Willard, Kansas cowboy and white hope, 247 pounds of Caucasion brawn, against John Arthur Johnson, title holder with 225 pounds of ebonied muscle.

Willard knocked out Johnson in the twenty-sixth round.

THE FIGHT BY ROUNDS

Round 1.—Johnson came out confidentially. The white man wore a serious look. Johnson rushed Willard at the start, forcing the white man back into his corner. They clinched and in the breakaway Johnson tapped lightly to Willard's kidneys. Johnson was smiling. Willard made Johnson lead, fighting viciously. Willard landed a left to the negro's jaw, swinging the champion's head slightly. Johnson countered with a right to Willard's jaw. They exchanged lefts to the body. Round even.

Round 2. Johnson laughed as Willard missed a left to the head. A second later Willard repeated the same drive and landed a hard left. Willard feinted with his left and shot a hard right to the body. Johnson lost his golden smile momentarily and began rushing the white man. Willard stood his ground and fought the negro off. There was a spirited exchanbe of blows in the center of the ring. Johnson landed a right and Willard countered with a left to the negro's jaw. Willard's round.

Round 3. The negro again tried to rush Willard at the start of the third round. The Kansan blocked him with surprising cleverness, sending a stiff left to the body. Johnson grew cautious but did not drop his smile. He worked into a clinch. In the breakaway the fighters exchanged light taps. Willard blocked another attempted rush but the champion had the best of the exchanges. Willard kept working his left at the negro's head, landing several times. None of the blows, however, was a stiff one. They mixed it in a real set-to in the center of the ring and Johnson landed a left jab to the body. He went at Willard like a whirlwind and drove him to the ropes. Willard blocked a left to the body and right to the jaw. Round even.

Round 4. Johnson came out laughing, holding out his stomach. Willard failed to fall for the trick that helped send Jim Jeffries out. He sent back a laugh. They went into a clinch. There was a sharp exchange in the breakaway with no damage. Both blocked lefts. Willard become more confident. He laughed as he blocked another of Johnson's attempted rushes. Johnson rushed Willard into the ropes, landing two hard punches. Willard bled slightly around the lops. Johnson's round.

Round 7. Johnson was fighting hard and with grim determination on his face. Apparently he was trying his hardest to win. Willard blocked all rushes nicely. Johnson missed a vicious right to the body and then landed a left jab that was only a tap. Johnson evidently was playing for the white man's stomach. Willard covered his abdomen. The negro landed a left to the face and followed this up with a hard right swing to the body. The negro ran into a clinch. There was another vicious exchange as they broke away. Willard's round.

Round 8. The fighting in this round was fierce. Willard was on the aggressive from the bell and landed a right to the head that rocked the negro. Johnson clinched and held on. Following the breakaway Johnson tried rushing tactics again. He tried to rush the Kansan to the ropes but Jess stood his ground and blocked cleverly. There was another fierce exchange, Willard having all the best of it, raining blows to the negro's head and body. Johnson was looking weary during the fast and furious milling and was puffing badly. Just before the bell he again tried to rush Willard, but was again blocked. Willard's round.

Round 9. Willard assumed the aggressive. Johnson started one of the cowboy's ears bleeding. The champion landed frequently, but his blows appeared to lack their old-time power.

Amidst feinting the crowd shouted, "Kill the black bear." Johnson immediately started a rally by driving three hard hooks to Willard's stomach. A left by Willard started the negro's mouth bleeding. The latter slugged the white man to the ropes.

The twelfth and thirteenth round went to Johnson and the next five rounds were even.

Willard got the best of the mix up from the nineteenth to the twenty-second round.

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DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
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Literary Note.

Scribble—Milton got ten dollars for "Paradise Lost."

Bibble—What a cinch!

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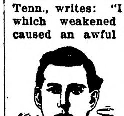
Gruesome Glee.

"Did you see where a train somewhere has a trunk on it filled with gun cotton?"

"Sure, I did. Ain't that going to be a good joke on some baggage smasher?"

SUFFERED FOR FOUR YEARS.

Mr. J. M. Sinclair of Olivehill, Tenn., writes: "I strained my back, which weakened my kidneys and caused an awful bad backache and inflammation of the bladder. Later I became so much worse that I consulted a doctor, who said that I had Diabetes and that my heart was affected. I suffered for four years and was in a nervous state and very much depressed. The doctor's medicine didn't help me, so I decided to try Dodds Kidney Pills, and I cannot say enough to express my relief and thankfulness, as they cured me. Diamond Dinner Pills cured me of Constipation."



Mr. J. M. Sinclair.

Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodds Dyspepsia Tablets for Indigestion have been proved. 50c. per box.—Adv.

Our Girls.

To bring up a girl in absolute dependence, goor-for-nothing, selfish in her aims and exacting in her demands, is a sin against her and against society. To begin at her birth and economize and retrench in every department for the accumulation of money in order that this monstrous perversion of her life may be accomplished and maintained is grotesque and heathenish. Girls thus trained will fail to attain a high order of womanhood. Their aims will be petty, their ideals low, and nothing satisfactory can be expected of them in wifehood or motherhood. While we carefully guard whatever is womanly in our daughters, let them be trained to more fiber and firmness. Educate them to self-denial, if pecuniary circumstances demand it, and not to self-indulgence. Accustom them to be of service in the household, to regard economy as praiseworthy and even heroic, and to add to their accomplishments a practical knowledge of work, and the possession of some lucrative vocation or industry by which they can support themselves. Such girls, when portionless, will carry to their husbands dowries in themselves. —Exchange.

Perfect Candor.

"Whenever I make a speech to my home folks," said Senator Sorghum, "I feel as if they were laughing in their sleeves."

"Pshaw!" exclaimed the hearty citizen; "we wouldn't laugh in our sleeves at you, senator. We'd jes' go ahead an' laugh out loud."

THE WAY OUT

Change of Food Brought Success and Happiness.

An ambitious but delicate girl after failing to go through school on account of nervousness and hysteria, found in Grape-Nuts the only thing that seemed to build her up and furnish her the peace of health.

"From infancy," she says, "I have not been strong. Being ambitious to learn at any cost I finally got to the High School but soon had to abandon my studies on account of nervous prostration and hysteria.

"My food did not agree with me, and I grew thin and despondent. I could not enjoy the simplest social affair for I suffered constantly from nervousness in spite of all sorts of medicines.

"This wretched condition continued until I became interested in the letters of those who had cases like mine and who were being helped by eating Grape-Nuts.

"I had little faith, but procured a pkg and after the first dish I experienced a peculiar satisfied feeling that I had never gained from any ordinary food. I slept and rested better that night and in a few days began to grow stronger.

"I had a new feeling of peace and restfulness. In a few weeks, to my great joy, the headaches and nervousness left me and life became bright and hopeful. I resumed my studies, and later taught ten months with ease—using Grape-Nuts every day. I am now the mistress of a happy home, and the old weakness has never returned."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

MAY BRING EARLY END TO STRUGGLE

BATTLE FOR POSSESSION OF CARPATHIAN PASSES APPROACHING DECISIVE STAGES.

PREPARING FOR LONG SIEGE

Nearly Half Million Austro-Germans Encamped Along Battle Front—Russian Left Wing Making Advances Under Difficulties.

Petrograd, April 5.—The great battle for the possession of the Carpathian passes is approaching the decisive stages. Along a 20-mile line reaching from Vola Michova eastward to the River Sen great armies are locked in death struggles on the icy hills. The invasion of Hungary with a possible early ending of the European war may hinge on the result.

Enthusiastic reports of Russian successes have reached here from correspondents at the front. The war office, while optimistic, does not share the belief that the battle has been won. Important victories have been scored by the Slavs, but the gigantic clash from the Uzsok Pass is yet to begin.

500,000 Teutons Encamped.

Nearly half a million Austro-Germans, it is now estimated, are encamped along the Carpathian battle front, either north of the mountains at the passes themselves, or are defending the railway at Mezo Laborc, south of the Lupkow Gap. Behind them are endless chains of trenches and fortified positions that must be forced before the great body of Russian troops pass down the heights and into Hungary.

From Vola Michlova to Smolnik, the Russian left wing is making slow but steady progress. Perhaps no army in the history of the world advanced under more tremendous difficulties. A recent thaw melted the snow and covered the mountains with tiny rivulets. Then a sudden dash of zero weather converted the paths and sides into glaring sheets of ice. To these natural obstacles, the Austrians, under German direction, built almost impregnable defenses high in ridges.

WOULD HANG RESPONSIBLE GERMANS AT END OF WAR.

London, April 5.—"Hang von Tirpitz, and other responsible German officers at the close of the war," was the suggestion of the London Daily Chronicle, in a fresh outburst of indignation at the torpedoing of three English fishing vessels, expressly exempted from attack by The Hague convention of 1907. The other London newspapers, though more conservative in their denunciations, were equally bitter in charging Germany to reverting to barbarous warfare.

"We cannot at present prevent the Germans from committing any atrocity that seems good to them," said the Chronicle, "but we must insist upon a day of reckoning. The German government says the submarine crews now in our hands acted upon orders. It will be interesting to know what was responsible for those orders."

Curfew to Ring in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, April 5.—A curfew will be established in this city early this week for children under 15 years of age, according to an announcement made by George D. Porter, director of public safety. Such children found on the streets after 11 o'clock will be taken into custody by the police and kept at the House of Detention over night. Their parents will then be called upon to explain the reason for the children being out so late at night the announcement stated.

Sham Detectives Steal $1,000.

Chicago, April 5.—Under pretense that they were detectives searching for a missing person four robbers entered the home of George Brooks and stole $1,000 and valuable jewelry. The victims did not realize that they had been imposed on until the loss of the money was discovered half an hour after the men had left.

Kaiser Directs Army in West.

London, April 5.—From new headquarters, established near the Belgian city of Dinant, the kaiser is now directing a German army of nearly 1,500,00 men in the operations preliminary to the opening of the spring campaign, according to a Copenhagen dispatch.

Sarah Bernhardt Coming to U. S.

Paris, April 5.—Mme. Sarah Bernhardt confirms the report that she will assist Pierri Loti at a forthcoming charity performance. She will go to the United States in September, "where," the interviewer remarked, "you will receive a triumphant welcome."

To Oust Panama Teachers.

Panama, April 5.—President Porras has signed a decree that will force practically all of the foreign teachers in the schools here out of the service, including the American teachers and the director of the National Institute. The decree conforms with a law passed by the national assembly which requires the minister of public instruction to employ only Panama teachers except under prescribed conditions. The decree excepts the foreign teachers who can show a diploma from recognized foreign universities.

NO WAR TAX ON CANADIAN LANDS

Untruthful Reports Circulated by Interested Parties.

Defaming a neighbor at the expense of the truth does not help those who are guilty of the practice, and it may be said that those spreading false reports about Canadian lands, in the hope that they may secure customers for their own, will certainly fail of their purpose. False statements so maliciously circulated will sooner or later be disproved. And, as in the case of the lands of Western Canada, the fertility of which is now so well known to people of every state in the United States, the folly of this work shows an exceeding short sightedness on the part of those guilty of the practice.

The present war has given some of these people the opportunity to exercise their art, but in doing it they are only arousing the curiosity of those who read the statements and a trifling investigation will only reveal their untruthfulness.

A very foolish statement has recently appeared in a number of papers, reading in part as follows:—

"It is believed that as a result of the war tax on land imposed by the Canadian Government a number of former Dakota farmers who went to the British Northwest will be compelled to return to the United States. Information has been received that the tax will amount to about $500 for each farm of 160 acres, which in the case of many of the former residents of the two Dakotas would practically amount to confiscation."

To show that the public has doubted, hundreds of inquiries have been made the Government at Ottawa, Canada, only to bring out the most emphatic denial. A full-fledged lie of this kind has, of course, only a short life, and will tell in the end against those who forge it and spread it, but, as a Winnipeg paper points out, it is most complimentary to the agricultural possibilities of Western Canada to find that rival farming propositions need audacious mendacity of this description to help them.

What is the truth? The Saskatchewan Government has authorized a levy of $10 per quarter section on uncultivated lands owned by non-residents. The Alberta Government has imposed a Provincial tax of 10 mills on the assessed value of all uncultivated lands. There are some special applications of these taxes, but the main provisions are as above. Those vacant lands held by non-residents in Western Canada form a grave problem. They are making for poor communities, poor schools and poor social and economic conditions generally. By having them cultivated the owners as well as the districts in which they are located will benefit alike. It is for this reason that the Government has recently asked the co-operation of the non-residents. The high price of grain for some years to come, and the general splendid character of Western Canada land will make the question well worth consideration.—Advertisement.

Their Kind.

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OLSSON EMPLOYMENT CO.,
Fargo, N. D.

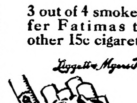
Fishing for husbands or fish is much the same. The big ones get away.

Pick out the most critical smoker you know. Ask him to try one of your Fatima Cigarettes.

It would be a strange taste that didn't like the mild, delightful Turkish blend of Fatimas!

3 out of 4 smokers prefer Fatimas to any other 15c cigarette.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.



WOMEN FROM 45 to 55 TESTIFY

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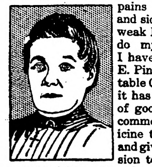

Westbrook, Me.—"I was passing through the Change of Life and had pains in my back and side and was so weak I could hardly do my housework. I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it has done me a lot of good. I will recommend your medicine to my friends and give you permission to publish my testimonial."—Mrs. LAWRENCE MARTIN, 12 King St., Westbrook, Maine.

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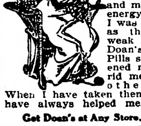
An Extreme Case.

"A romantic soul, you say?"

"Very. I've known him to quote Keats to a box of talcum powder."



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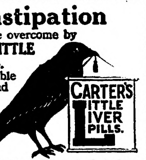

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In the local treatment of woman's ills, such as leucorrhoea and inflammation, hot douches of Paxtine are very efficacious. No woman who has ever used medicated douches will fail to appreciate the clean and healthy condition Paxtine produces and the prompt relief from soreness and discomfort which follows its use. This is because Paxtine possesses superior cleansing, disinfecting and healing properties.

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WOULD ABOLISH ADVISORY BOARD

BILL TO GIVE DUTIES OF TUBERCULOSIS COMMISSION TO HEALTH BOARD PASSED.

OFFICERS SCORED IN DEBATE

President and Secretary of Sanatorium Board Are Bitterly Arraigned by Author of Measure—Claims Annual Saving of $48,000.

St. Paul, March 31.—Opponents of the state tuberculosis advisory commission triumphed in the house, passing, by a vote of 75 to 23, a bill by Representative Theodore Christianson to abolish the commission and give its duties to the state board of health. Dr. H. Longstreet Taylor of St. Paul, chairman of the commission, and Dr. Robinson Bosworth, its secretary, were severely scored by the author of the bill and by Representative L. C. Spooner in the course of the debate.

The bill was passed after suspending the rules, which was done by a vote of 89 to 14.

"As a measure for efficiency and economy, this bill will achieve a saving of $48,000 per annum," said Mr. Christianson. "More important than that, it will end an intolerable condition. One of the members of this advisory commission, Dr. H. L. Taylor of St. Paul, is a stockholder in a private sanatorium for the treatment of tuberculosis and it is charged that he has sent patients to the private institutions when they should have been sent to the state institution at Walker."

Bill Aimed at Physicians.

Should Senate File 866, which was introduced in the senate by Carl Wallace of Minneapolis by request, become a law, Minnesota will be the first state in the Union to compel physicians to write their prescriptions in English. The bill also regulates the use of vaccine in a manner that would make the physicians and veterinarians of the state primarily liable for mistakes of administration or evil after-effects.

The bill has been referred to the committee on public health, of wihch Senator Andrews of Mankato is chairman. This is the committee to which has been referred other bills affecting the manufacture of proprietary medicines.

Vote on Twenty Appropriations.

The house committee on appropriations is charged with distribution of some $20,000,000 of state money. At the conclusion of its meeting members frankly admitted that they knew not where they stood or whither they are drifting.

In a disinterested sort of manner the committee voted for passage of sime 20 miscellaneous appropriation bills, but some of the members, in the same breath, expressed the opinion that the house will only toss these bills back at the committee, thereby adding further to the general confusion.

House Wants Grand Total.

A week ago the house sent back to the committee a long list of miscellaneous appropriation bills, voicing the sentiment that it would not vote for appropriation bills until informed of the grand total of the budget of appropriations. That day a special subcommittee of five was appointed by Lewis C. Spooner, chairman of the appropriations committee, to devote special attention to the great work of making the biennial appropriations.

This subcommittee has been diligently at work ever since and its members were expressing some hope of bringing order out of chaos when John A. Larimore, its chairman, discovered that this subcommittee had been supplanted without notice by another subcommittee, this latter one of seven members.

This knowledge came to Mr. Larimore, he says, when he sought to confer with Senator Rockne, chairman of the senate finance committee.

Would Abolish Highways Commission.

Senator R. T. Buckler of Crookston has re-introduced his bill which would abolish the state highway commission. The Highway Home Rule association backs the senator in this bill. The first bill he introduced to this effect was side tracked by the senate committee on roads and bridges. This second bill went to the same committee and the author assumes that it likely will suffer a like fate.

In many counties the Highway Home Rule association has established county organizations, says Senator Buckler. All are affiliated with the state association.

The members advocate the abolishment of state interference in road and bridge building and hold that the county commissioners are fully capable of expressing the road policies of their respective counties.

Change Game License Law.

Mr. Farmer, if he would a hunting go, must hie himself to the proper official and produce $1 for a license. Leastwise he will have to do so if the senate concurs in a bill passed by the house. The present law requires that a hunting license is necessary only for the person who would hunt beyond the confines of his own county. The amendment adopted requires every hunter more than 21 years of age to obtain a license unless he is hunting on his own lands or the lands of a near relative.

UNIVERSITY APPROPRIATIONS CUT BY SENATE COMMITTEE

Three-quarters of a million dollars in round figures was lopped off the University of Minnesota's request for funds to maintain it for the next two years by the senate finance committee acting with the house committee on appropriations.

Extension courses of the institution were hit the hardest, the agricultural extension course having suffered a cut of $40,000 and the university extension courses having suffered a decrease of $35,000.

The board of regents of the university asked for $3,887,450. The senate and house committees allowed the budget with a decrease of $773,140, making the total amount appropriated for the next two years to improve and maintain the university $3,114,310.

SENATE KILLS BILL TO RAISE RAILROAD RATES.

Railroads of Minnesota will not get their rates raised at the hands of this legislature. The bill giving them an increase in rates was killed in the senate railroad committee. Even the author, when he learned the trend of the committee, voted to postpone the mill indefinitely.

The committee went into the bill thoroughly, having held two public hearings at which James J. Hill, Edmund Pennington, president of the Soo line, and W. A. Gardner, president of the Omaha and Northwestern roads, presented arguments favoring a raise in rates to 2½ cents a mile. Attorneys for the various roads presented their arguments at another hearing.

BILL AIMED AT ELOPERS IS RECOMMENDED TO PASS

Favorable recommendation was given the bill prohibiting common law marriages by the house judiciary committee.

The measure, fathered by C. F. Southwick of Wells, would compel a lapse of five days between the time of marriage and the issuance of a license. This feature is directed at elopers.

A sworn statement as to physical condition of applicants for licenses also would be necessary.

Bill Creates New Office.

St. Paul, Minn.—Many measures were submitted on the last day that bills could be introduced during the remaining 20 legislative days of the present session.

When the house met, a motion prevailed to change the order of business to permit immediate introduction of bills and to permit their introduction throughout the day.

More than a score of measures were submitted and referred to committees.

A total of 1,115 bills were introduced in the house.

The bill creating the office of public defender in Minneapolis was passed without a dissenting vote by the house under suspension of the rules. Representative A. L. Lennon of Minneapolis introduced the bill.

The office of state supervisor of public safety would be created under a bill introduced in the house by Representative George Rorenberg of St. Paul.

Duties of the supervisor would include inspection of all public buildings owned by the state and submission of a report on their condition to the board of control. He also would teach fire prevention to employes of public buildings and would serve at a salary of $1,500 a year.

To Require Bond of Contestants.

Representative Frank E. Nimocks' bill compelling contestants for legislative seats to file a bond to cover expenses of the contest was passed under suspension of the rules. Under its provisions the contestants would pay their own expenses instead of imposing the costs upon the state.

The amendment to the workmen's compensation act, which recently passed the senate, were made a special order for Thursday in the house on motion of Representative John Sanborn of St. Paul, chairman of the house committee which reported out the amendments last week. Two bills touching on the same subject will be taken up at the same time.

Postpone Erection of Reformatory.

A bill that would postpone the building of the women's reformatory, was introduced in the senate by Senator A. J. Rockne and J. D. Sullivan. The bill appropriates $10,000 and directs the state board of control to acquire a site for the proposed reformatory and prepare plans for such an institution to be submitted to the legislature of 1917.

The bill is to be substituted for the bill appropriating $57,000 for the erection of such an institution.

Remove Land Buying Limit.

Senator I. H. Nord's bill that would open northern Minnesota lands to intensive development, by taking off the present 320 acre restriction, passed the senate by a vote of 36 to 20, after a debate of two hours.

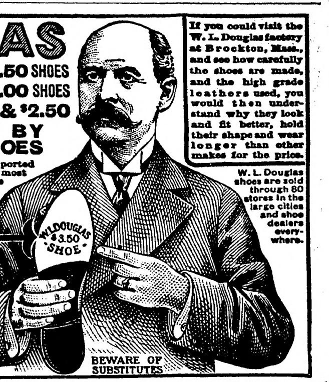
Liquor Bill Is Postponed.

Senator P. A. Gandrud's bill providing for a constitutional amendment prohibiting the sale of liquor was shelved by the senate committee on temperance.

Senate Bill Aimed at Law Students.

Senator James D. Denegre's bill providing that all law school graduates be compelled to take the state bar examination met with a hot fight on the floor of the senate. The present law allows students of the University of Minnesota law school to practice without such examination.

Senator A. J. Rockne moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed, which was lost by a vote of 17 to 31. The bill was then advanced to the calendar with a recommendation for passage.



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"How far a bit of gossip travels!"

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The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. Daily shampoos with Cuticura Soap and occasional applications of Cuticura Ointment gently rubbed into the scalp skin will do much to promote hair-growing conditions.

Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

To the Point.

An Indianapolis man has a sister in a Canadian town, he had long ago placed in the list of old maids, who, largely if not wholly from filial devotion, are content to remain at home to comfort the parents. She was climbing rapidly to forty. He was dumfounded the other day to get a letter from her announcing that she had consented to tie up for the rest of her days with a man of high repute in her community. He wrote her thus:

Dear Sister:
(1) Well!
(2) He's lucky.

He has her answer:

Dear Brother:
(1) Sure!
(2) So am I.

—Indianapolis News

The Whole Truth.

Magistrate—Why did you beat your wife so unmercifully?

Prisoner—Well, yer honor, she aggravated me by sayin' she'd have me up before that baldheaded old fool, meanin' you, yer honor.

Magistrate—You're discharged.

Tuff Luck.

She—I hope you found all your friends well.

He—Yes; even my rich relations.

One Exception.

"Nearly all country sites are desirable, are they not?"

"No; not the summer parasites."

SOME HARD KNOCKS

Woman Gets Rid of "Coffee Habit"

The injurious action of coffee on the hearts of many persons is well known by physicians to be caused by caffeine. This is the drug found by chemists in coffee and tea.

A woman suffered a long time with severe heart trouble and finally her doctor told her she must give up coffee, as that was the principal cause of the trouble. She writes:

"My heart was so weak it could not do its work properly. My husband would sometimes have to carry me from the table, and it would seem that I would never breathe again.

"The doctor told me that coffee was causing the weakness of my heart. He said I must stop it, but it seemed I could not give it up until I was down in bed with nervous prostration.

"For eleven weeks I lay there and suffered. Finally husband brought home some Postum and I quit coffee and started new and right. Slowly I got well. Now I do not have any headaches, nor those spells with weak heart. We know it is Postum that helped me. The Dr. said the other day: 'I never thought you would be what you are.' I used to weigh 92 pounds and now I weigh 158.

"Postum has done much for me and I would not go back to coffee again, for I believe it would kill me if I kept at it. Postum must be prepared according to directions on pkg., then it has a rich flavor and with cream is fine."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Postum comes in two forms:

Regular Postum—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

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Both kinds are equally delicious and cost per cup about the same.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers

Answered.

He doesn't belong to the ranks of the unemployed, and one feels certain that he is not financially embarrassed, but the way he turned down a man who tried to get him for a customer might have indicated that he was in either predicament.

"Wanna buy some horseradish?" asked a peddler who entered his place of business.

"Haven't any meat," he replied.

This statement was too much even for the peddler's gift of salemanship, and he immediately left the store without bandying words.

WHAT IS CHIROPRACTIC?

(Ki-ro-prak-tik)

The science of Chiropractic is based upon a correct knowledge of the brain, spine, spinal cord and nerves emanating therefrom. Pressure on a nerve at the opening where it leaves the spine, will cause disease in that organ or tissue in which the nerve ends. The Chiropractor, after locating the place of the pressure (by vertebral palpation and the tracing of the tender nerves) adjusts, by hand, the subluxated (displaced) vertebrae which removes the pressure and enables "Nature" to restore normal conditions—HEALTH. Geo. A. Newsalt, D. C., Fargo's Pioneer Chiropractor, Fargo, N. D. Adv.

Appearances.

"A great many highly intellectual people smoke cigarettes," said the young man.

"Of course, they do," replied Miss Cayenne. "In fact, I don't believe anybody who isn't well known for intellect is warranted in taking the risk of looking foolish."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

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Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

The War Tax.

The traveler had just handed a bellhop a 15-cent tip.

"Excuse me," said the hop obsequiously, "but since the war tax went into effect there's one cent added to all tips of fifteen cents or over."

ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE for the TROOPS Over 100,000 packages of Allen's Foot Ease, the antiseptic powder to shake into your shoes, are being used by the German and Allied troops at the Front because it rests the feet, gives instant relief to Corns and Bunions, hot, swollen aching, tender feet, and makes walking easy. Sold everywhere, 25c. Try it TODAY. Don't accept any substitute. Adv.

Its Kind.

They are going to make a list of sending provisions to Germany by the parcels post."

"I see. A case of mailed fist."

DR. STEN HANSON, OSTEOPATH, pioneer practitioner at Fargo. Graduate under the founder of Osteopathy. Acute and Chronic Diseases successfully treated without drugs. Pioneer Life Building, Fargo, North Dakota. Adv.

Too many men spend their money before getting it.

Poor Henry.

"It is quite clear that Mrs. Peck is the ruling power in that household."

"Yes, indeed. Poor Peck isn't even recognized as a belligerent."

When a man begins to go downhill his neighbors usually get busy and push.

Official Denial

No War Tax on Homestead Land in Canada

The report that a war tax is to be placed on Homestead lands in Western Canada having been given considerable circulation in the United States, this is to advise all enquirers that no such tax has been placed, nor is there any intention to place a war tax of any nature on such lands. (Signed) W. D. Scott, Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, March 15th, 1915.

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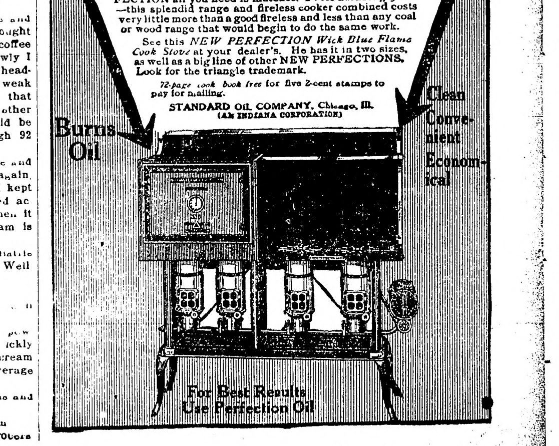

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Mar. 27, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Oluf O. Eggum, of Holt, Minn. who on Mar. 22 1913, made Homestead Entry No. 08042, for SW1-4 NE1-4 Sec. 22, Township. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U.S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 3rd day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Knutson, Albert C. Jahr, Swan Carlson all of Holt, Minn. and E. E. Pechie of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern		$1.38
Wheat No. 2		1.35
Wheat No. 3		1.29
Wheat No. 4		1.21
Flax		1.67
Oats		.45
Barley	45.	to .53
Rye		.96
Flour, Best Patent		4.15

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April 12, 1915

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Southeast of Holt.

(Written for last week)

A real estate deal was closed in this locality lately when Mr. Nohre purchashed a farm of 80 acres from W. Silbaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Tarkel Froisness and daughter Lillie enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Olsen Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Olson and daughter Myrna called at the Moe home on Monday afternoon.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Andrew Joppen on Thursday April 8th.

Mr. S. G. Moe and daughter Gunda spent a few days visiting at Golden Valley last week.

Albert Swanson called at the house of S. G. Moe Sunday afternoon.

Harry Moe took a load of potatoes to Golden Valley on Monday.

Tom Bakken was seen around this locality in his "oxomobile" selling pork last week. Yes Mr. Bakken can raise hogs alright.

Northeast of Holt.

Mesdames C. Anderson, Matt Larson, C. Grondold, and F. Carlson called on Mrs. E. Johnson Tuesday afternoon.

Several from the neighborhood attended the meeting at Erick Johnson's Thursday evening.

Miss Betty Johnson arrived Friday from Thief River Falls, to spend her Easter vacation at the parental home.

Mrs. E. Johnson called at Mrs. C. Anderson's Sunday afternoon.

Miss Marie Erickson returned Monday from T. R. Falls.

Go to R. Reierson for your Gents and Ladies Hats, Boots and Shoes.

Miss Anna Nass came from Thief River Falls, Monday, to visit her folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Silbaugh, Sunday.

All the young people of Holt who are attending school elsewhere came home for Easter.

Clarence Kolden took a bunch of joy riders to T. R. Falls last week Thursday evening.

Ole C. Brenna and Knute Nelson of Middle River were business callers in town Saturday.

Misses Edna and Lydia Riesberg were over Sunday visitors in St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls.

Ed. Motterud the Newfolden butcher, and bride, formerly Miss Hilda Stokke, were in town Saturday.

Several new settlers have moved in this winter and spring and all indications point to a boom for this country.

Clover, corn and cows, are raised by the most successful farmers, and right here is the best country in the world for clover.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Huseth and children, Mrs. Bray and little son were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden.

The year book, which is given away with either the St. Paul Pioneer Press, or Dispatch, contains a whole gold mine of facts, brot right up to the close of 1914, and is something that every man and woman should have. We can tell you how to get it free.

STATEMENT

Of The Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc. Required By The Act Of August 24, 1912, of THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS published weekly at Holt, Minnesota, for April 1st 1915. Editor and Managing Editor, H. B. Young, Holt, Minn. Business Managers, B. Docken, Holt, Minn. Publisher, Holt Publishing Co., Holt, Minn. Owners: P. A. Riesberg, Arvid Carlson, A. L. Carlson, Axel Nelson, O. J. Backlund, R. Reierson, C. H. Gunheim, Oscar Hanson, D. B. Bakke, B. Docken, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders; holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities: None.

B. Docken, Business Manager

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of April, 1915.

Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public,
[SEAL] Marshall Co. Minn.
(My commission expires June 15, 1919.)

A show has been in town all the the week.

Henry Wendt is clerking in Carlson's store.

Farmers have been doing some work in the fields this week.

Mrs. Kolden's grandfather has been here visiting for a few days.

A. H. Huseth is having an ice box built in his confectionery store. Claud Rodahl is doing the caapenner work.

R. Reierson has reshingled the room in the rear of the printing office.

New Dray Line!

All kinds of light and heavy hauling and team work, done Promptly and at Reasonable Rates.

John Alkenbrack

Holt - Minn.

B. Docken went to Crookston Tuesday on busness,

Will be in Holt, Monday April 12 Dr. J. T. Turley, Dentist,

Alfalfa is steadily growing in favor, but the price of the seed is not.

Ole Davidson and Charley Martell were passengers for Thief River Falls Monday.

The Early Ohio is the potato for this northern country. If all farmers would plant pure Early Ohio seed and acreage enough so that the potatoes could be shipped in car lots, a ready market can be found for them.

Not a Full Explanation.

The manifestation called heat is with humans and most other animals a sensation indescribable. From the time of Democritus and Epicurus, and far back of that, the mystery of the source of heat was hotly discussed. As time flew on and on the mystery was segregated into learned words, and Sir Humphry Davy explained it all by saying that heat was merely the vibration of corpuscles of the body. He did not tell of the origin of the corpuscles or why they vibrated.

Quiet Shoes.

To make nice sick-room shoes in which you can step about softly, cut from old felt hats sole and heel pieces. Glue these on and you have a quieter shoe than those sold as nurses' shoes. The patter of little feet, so hard on some people's nerves, is easily deadened by the same method, also helping to keep the little feet warm when playing on a cold floor.

The Fishing Banks.

Newfoundland would be nothing without the great submarine plateau known as the "banks," on which all the fishing is done. At a small station within the edges of the great bank that the cod loves so well the sea is quite smooth. It is usual for vessels fishing on the banks to inquire from those that have arrived from the c[illegible] as to what sort of weather [illegible] —Exchange.

Maxwell

New 1915 Model

$695

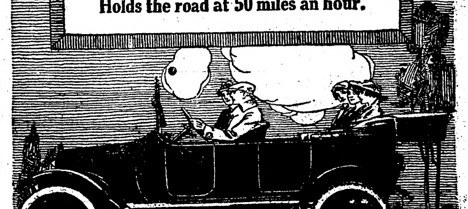
17 New Features

The biggest automobile value ever offered for less than $1000

A powerful, fast, full grown, 5-passenger, really beautiful and fully equipped automobile; a car with a real high tension magneto, sliding gear transmission, left hand drive center control, anti-skid tires on rear.

A car that has practically every high priced feature of high priced cars.

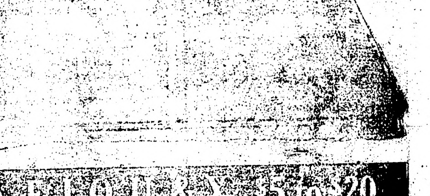
Holds the road at 50 miles an hour.



Jonas Sjoberg

Middle River, Marshall County, Minn.

MASCOT



A FLOOR A [illegible] 5 to 20

Northwestern Bedding & Mfg. Co.

St. Paul, Minn.

Please send me FREE your Mascot catalog.

Name________________

Town________________

State________________

COUPON

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota April 1st, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Ole J. Moen of Holt, Minn. who on May 18th 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 07982 for SW 1-4 SW1-4 Sec. 12 Twp. 156 N, Range 44 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 20th day of May 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Christenson, [illegible] Anderson, Svenke [illegible], [illegible] all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made [illegible]

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

Feb. 26, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that John F. Tapper, of Holt, Minn., who, on June 23, 1910, made homestead entry, No. [illegible], for Lot 1, Sec. 19, and Lots 1 & 2 E1-2 NE1-4 Sec. 30, Twp. 156 N. Range 41 W. 5th P. M has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn, at Thief River Falls, on the 20th day of Apr. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Nils Fosen, Ole Johnson, Ingebright Moe and Emil Ostlund, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

[illegible] Block TRI-STATE PHONE 515

Dr. B. R Lund, Dentist

Norsk Tandlæge

Thief River Falls - Minn.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

VOL. IV. HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY, APRIL, 16, 1915 NO. 40

Free Mission Church.

2 o'clock Sunday School

3 o'clock Services in Norwegian and English. Special Music for the occasion. The public invited.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Oscar Hanson, at her home, Thursday April 29th. All invited.

WHITE PINE

plenty of it.

YES, WE HAVE IT! "& PLENTY OF IT"

White Pine is one of the "*White Hopes*" that never had to "*Come back!*" (It's an "*always was*" —and an "*is yet!*")

Been all sorts of 'Bear' stories about this original Leading American Wood— ("The Wood of the Forefathers") having been all used up. *Not so.*

You will need some—and the best of it is that YOU CAN GET IT—ALL YOU WANT OF IT—AND OF AS FINE A quality AS YOUR ANCESTORS BOASTED OF.

So *this* time—for new work or old, just remember

WE'RE "IT" for WHITE PINE, and "that good old Norway," too.

We carry a general line [illegible] shingles, roofing materials, etc., lime and cement and make a specialty of giving

Prompt Attention to ORDERS — whether in person, by mail or telephone

"You tell us, We do the rest."

D. Payne Lumber Company

Holt, Minnesota

Ernest Silbaugh is working for J. Alkenbrack on the dray line.

The front of the Farmers Bank has received a fresh coat of paint.

R. Reierson has put new shingles on the east side of his store building.

Misses Cora Hanson and Dagny Bakke spent Sunday with their parents in T. R. Falls.

Farmers are busy in their fields and considerable wheat will be sown this week, if it does'nt rain.

Notice To Bridge Builders!

Notice is hereby given that the Town Board of the Town of East Valley, Marshall Co. Minn., will receive bids at one o'clock P. M. May 8th 1915, at Town Clerk's office of said Town, for the following purpose:

To build a thirty foot steel bridge over Thief River between sections 10 and 15. Plans and specifications on file at Town Clerk's office. Town to furnish all material. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of The Town Board.

4-30 J. A. Sorum, Clerk.

The local fishermen are now enjoying that fasinating sport.

Carlson's have moved their auto shed to the rear of their lots.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Silbaugh drove to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

P. A. Riesberg went to Theif River Falls, Tuesday, on business.

Peter Kolden returned to Ada, Monday, to resume school duties.

Miss Myrtle Thomas returned to school duties in T. R. Falls, Sunday.

Go to R. Reierson for your Gents and Ladies Hats, Boots and Shoes.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newton autoed to Thief River Falls, Monday evening.

Ben Eide has moved onto the Albert Nelson farm, which he has rented.

Theodore Sollom was at Goodridge the last of the week, returning here Monday.

Chris Yttre bought the lot, just west of his residence, Tuesday, of A. H. Huseth.

A. R. Jones' son, G. C. of Duluth, visited his father several days the past week, departing Monday for Crookston to visit his mother and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Anderson departed Saturday for Minot, N. D. Mr. Anderson will work on a farm and his wife will keep house for the farmer and his help.

Don't buy your Spring Hats before seeing Holt Mercantile Co.'s. We have about a hundred hats in our Bargain Basement, regular $2.50 $2.75 and $3.00 Hats at $1.98.

The town council met Tuesday evening and appointed S. S. Kolden, D. Payne and A. L. Carlson to act as a committee to go to Middle River and look over their ordinances, etc., and get all the information possible that would be of help in organizing this village.

Huseth's Confectionery!

The very Best in

Candies Nuts Fruits

Cigars Tobacco Pipes

Post Cards

Stationary

Ice Cream Soda Water

Ciders Welch Grape Juice

Hair Tonic Face Cream

Toilet Soap of the Best

Get Shaved Early

A. H. Huseth, Prop.

Free Traveling Library

Minnesota Public Library books may be had at Holt State Bank free to all. Call and examine the books.

Newfolden Garage

Overhauling and car rebuilding a specialty. No matter what shape your car is in, I make it right if you have the pieces.

Tractor and steam boiler work, machine and instrument repairing of all kinds.

Call and see me for a friendly chat and find out that we can always agree.

Mutually Yours,
Wm. S. Dutke.

A. H. Huseth went to T. R. Falls Monday on business.

Go to R. Reierson for your Gents and Ladies Hats, Boots and Shoes.

Bank Examiner O. J. Brandvold of Fergus Falls was here Tuesday.

Henry and Hans Stensrud were business callers in T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Ole Backlund, S. S. Kolden, D. Payne and A. L. Carlson autoed to Middle River Wednesday forenoon.

$1.50, 1.75, $2.00 and 2.25 Hats at the Holt Merchantile Co's Bargain Basement for only .98 cents each.

D. Payne, B. Docken, A. L. Carlson, A. R. Jones and C. W. Latta autoed to T. R. Falls Monday evening.

Before buying Nails, Fence Wire and Hog Wire be sure to get Holt Mercantile Co's prices as they have just received a carload.

Basket Social, benefit new school house, Saturday evening April 17th. Everyone invited to come and help along a good cause.

Mrs. A. H. Huseth and two children, Percy and Lola, visited several days the past week at the K. O. Flakne home, returning home Tuesday.

Support your home paper and help build up the community.

Southeast of Holt.

Christine Saastad finished a very successful term of school in Dist. 112 on Friday, and returned to her home Saturday

Miss Gunda left for Grafton N. Dak. on Wednesday where she will work during the summer.

Tom Bakken left last Wednesday for T. R. Falls, where he expects to work on R. Oen's farm near the city.

John and Nels Gudvangen purchased a tractor and threshing machine from Allen Adolphson last week.

Adolph Larson is working for G. Johnson.

Gunda Moe, Mrs. Tom Olson and daughter Myrna called at the Sordahl home Wednesday P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nustvold and family were pleasant visitors at the S. G. Moe home Sunday.

Ned Swenkeson is working for John Ensrud during spring work.

Mrs. P. Peterson had an auction sale at her farm last Thursday. Henry Jenson has now rented her farm, also a farm belonging to Rev. Aastad. He will be assisted during the summer by Ingvard Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs O. G. Olson and family has left to make their future home at Grand Forks.

Miss Alma Gultred left for Park River N. Dak on Wednesday, where she will work during the summer.

New Home For "The News"

The Holt Publishing Co. held a meeting last Friday evening and voted unamiously to put up a building for their printing plant. The Holt Telephone Co. had previously decided to build and it was agreed on to build next to them and make a party wall of the partition. The two companies have bought a 25 foot lot south of the postoffice and will erect a building 24 feet square, one story high. The south half of the lot will be deeded to The Holt Publishing Co. and the only partnership there will be with the telephone company, will be the partition wall in the middle of the building.

Sam Mickelson took the contract for the work of both companies for $80.00 and will commence work on the building at once.

Hilmer Johnson went to Strathcona Tuesday for a short visit.

Go to R. Reierson for your Gents and Ladies Hats, Boots and Shoes.

Miss Olava Sollom was able to resume teaching, the first of the week.

Mrs. Helquist and children of T. R. Falls visited Mrs. Adolph Sollom Monday.

Mrs. Jacob Nelson entertained the ladies club, at the restaurant, Wednesday evening.

Ole Backlund, A. H. Huseth and Chris Yttre autoed out to the latter's claim, Wednesday afternoon.

$1.50, $2.00 and 2.25 Hats at the Holt Mercantile Co's Bargian Basement for only .98 cents each

Jacob Nelson returned Saturday from Crookston where he had accompanied his brother to the hospital.

Mrs. Docken and little son Adrian went to Thief River Falls Tuesday for a short visit with her parents.

Ole Backlund has rented Chris Yttre's little house and big feed barn and has taken possession of same.

Miss Mabel Flakne returned home Saturday from Crookston where she has been learning the millinery trade.

Miss Christine Saastad returned on Saturday after completing a very successful term of school in District No. 112.

Ed. Nyberg purchased a nice span of horses from Carl Engebretsen the other day, for the snug little sum of $350.00.

Carl Christoferson has sold his shoemakers tools to Ed. Svensrud who will keep the shop in the rear of the hardware store.

Hans Hanson and Nels Gudvangen were in town several days repairing their engine. They left Wednesday for Stump Lake to do plowing.

W. A. Silbaugh was in Saturday and informed us he had moved to his claim on the Mud Lake bottoms and desired the address of his paper changed.

Don't buy your spring hats before seeing Holt Mercantile Co's. We have about a hundred hats in our Bargain Basement, regular $2.50, 2.75 and $3.00 Hats at $1.98.

Six Turks came Tuesday from St. Paul to work on the section. They will live in the house formerly occupied by Roy Vondeventer who moved to T. R. Falls the first of the week.

The Holt Mercantile Company have commenced work on their new ware house which is located on the railroad grounds just south of the D. Payne Lumber Company's coal shed. Rodahl Bros. are doing the carpenter work.

Holt State Bank

Holt - - Minnesota

Capital, $10.000

Surplus and Profits $5,000.00
Pres. D. B. Bakke
Vice-Pres. A. D. Stephens
Cashier B. Docken

BUT FEW ARE SO SITUATED THAT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO SAVE SOMETHING.

MAKE A BANK ACCOUNT WITH US THE STEPPING STONE TO

SUCCESS
THRIFT
BANK ACCOUNT

We Konw of but One Man Who Could Not Do So-

Our Historic Friend, Robinson Crusoe Marooned On An Island Where

A Savings Account

Could Not Be Started In Any Amount

You Live On the Main Land!

EVEN ONE DOLLAR WILL BE ACCEPTED HERE AS A FIRST DEPOSIT

Northeast of Holt.

Hjalmer Dovre, C. W. Christianson and Arthur Anderson made a business trip to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

If this nice weather continues, the farmers will soon be busy in the field.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Olson called at Erick Johnson Wednesday.

Mrs. Matt Larson called on Mrs. C. Anderson Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Erick Johnson and daughter Betty spent Thursday afternoon at C. W. Christianson.

Hjalmer Dovre called at C. W. Christianson's Thursday evening.

Walter Weggo and Leo Horian spent Sunday last at C. Anderson.

Miss Burndette Horien left for T. R. Falls Friday.

Ed. Horian made a trip to Middle River Friday.

Hjalmer Dovre called at Jarland Friday afternoon.

Where did you locate that corn field? By all means rotate and give the corn a chance by planting on fairly dry ground.

Albert Halverson of T. R. Falls visited at the home of B. Docken Sunday.

Chris Yttre has added a porch to his residence. Sam Mickelson did the carpenter work.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one.

A. H. Huseth.

Saturday evening April 17th a basket social will be held in the Star Hall, for the benefit of the new school house.

Carlson's store has made several changes in the bargain basement to give them much needed room for the display of the stock therein.

The experiment station at Crookston warns farmers not to plant too large or late varieties of corn. They recommend the planting of Minnesota No. 23, Northwestern Dent, and flint corn, but give Minnesota No 13 a wide berth in this Northern country.

The year book, which is given away with either the St. Paul Pioneer Press, or Dispatch, contains a whole gold mine of facts, brot right up to the close of 1914, and is something that every man and woman should have. We can tell you how to get it free.

The Cooperative Creameries that paid the highest prices for 1914 are the ones that had a business of over fifty thousand dollars. Are you helping to increase the business of your home Creamery, or are you helping to decrease it? Remember that the good Book says "He who is not with me is against me." If you are not helping the Creamery you are hurting it. The Creamery can pay higher prices when you patronize it.

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Thief River Falls, Minn

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Physician and Surgeon

Deutscher Arzt

Office Scandia Block Phone 526

Thief River Falls Minnesota

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM LAND

MACKEY J. THOMPSON FARM MORTGAGES ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

CONTRACTS, FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGES BOUGHT

FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

Austria has officially denied that negotiations have been opened with Russia for a separate peace.

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The independent labor party in annual convention at Norwich, England, cheered a suggestion that there be a truce between Great Britain and Germany with the object of settling the war.

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Germany is sending troops into Hungary, and strong support of this kind is likely to have an encouraging effect on the Austrians, whose resistance has been described as most determined.

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Commander Max Thierichens, of the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich, asked the United States government through port authorities at Newport News, Va., to intern his ship and crew for the war.

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The sultan of Turkey is convinced that the allies will not be able to force the Dardanelles. "Although they bend every effort and use every means at their disposal they will be unable to achieve their purpose," the sultan said in an interview.

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The Dutch government has notified the United States that any foreign ship which misuses the Dutch flag or in any other way pretends to be of Dutch nationality will not be permitted to leave or pass through waters governed by The Netherlands.

GENERAL.

Chile has accepted the invitation to take part in the pan-American financial conference in Washington.

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Two masked bandits held up stage between Rainbow mine and Durkee, Ore., and escaped with $7,000 gold bullion.

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An uprising in Nicarague, fomented by Gen. Julian Irias, minister of war under the Zelya regime, has been put down by the government.

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As result of argument over Johnson-Willard fight, Arthur Haller of Philadelphia was fatally shot by unknown assailant.

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Major General Leonard Wood has completed his inspection of the Panama canal defenses and, having reviewed the infantry regiments in their camps, will depart for New Orleans, to Washington.

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The nomination of Colonel William Hayward of New York, formerly of Nebraska, as a member of the Down-State Public Service commission, was sent to the New York senate at Albany by Governor Whitman and referred to the finance committee.

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Three Chicago girls, Ruth Harsley, Maude Brideson and Ethel Rockwell, who left Chicago on March 19 to walk to the San Francisco exposition, left Cedar Rapids, Ia., for Belle Plain after spending the night with the police matron at Cedar Rapids.

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King George's order-in-council forbidding trading with the Germans and Austrians caused the failure of Bawo & Dotter, Limited, an English corporation in New York, dealing in and manufacturing chinaware in Germany and Austria.

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Robbers murdered Otto Zinn, a restaurant proprietor of 56 Third avenue, New York, and two of his employees, with meat cleavers after trying to crack his safe. Blood was spattered everywhere about the little restaurant, and hardened police were sickened at the sight.

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The Panama-Pacific exposition issued a statement of its operations from the opening day, February 20, to March 21, which shows a net income for the period of $85,410.64. The statement shows a total income of $823,882.07, and total expenditures of $738,471.43. The total admissions for the period were 2,024,704.

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National prohibition in the United States within five years, if not sooner, will result from England's movement for prohibition while the war lasts, said Senator Shepard.

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Seventy lives were lost and property worth several million dollars was destroyed during the terrific storm which swept the Atlantic coast recently. A score of vessels are known to have sunk and many more are missing. The coast is strewn with wreckage.

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While a crowd cheered the completion of the 1,000-foot waterworks well at Hebron, O., a workman struck a match to light his pipe and in the gas explosion that followed seventeen persons were injured.

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The state of Texas is suing Chicago packing houses, charging violation of anti-trust laws.

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The Standard Oil company of New York announced a further reduction of 10 points in refined petrolium.

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The New Jersey senate bill designed to abolish capital punishment in New Jersey, was defeated in the house.

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Wallace Whitaker, Washington bank teller, ignored a boy's warning, picked up a live wire and was instantly killed.

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A convention of women delegates from every state where women have been enfranchised will be held in San Francisco in September.

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Fred Chambers, white blacksmith, weighing 135, of Dallas, Tex., sends a 225-pound negro to hospital when black declares, "They didn't whip Jack Johnson fair."

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The American government has informed Japan, according to Tokio reports, that if Japan insists on the right to be consulted by China in the selection of foreign advisers, it might be a violation of the sovereignty of China.

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Gifford Pinchot, ex-chief forester of the United States, who, it is understood, has been acting special agent for the state department at Washington in th eEuropean war zone, has been expelled from Belgium by the German authorities.

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Two robbers entered the manufacturing jewelry establishment of W. Bershtein in the center of Philadelphia, covered the proprietor and his brother with revolvers and took more than $3,000 worth of jewelry. They escaped in an automobile.

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The sanitary troops of the Nebraska National guard will be sent to Sparta, Wis., for training and instruction for a period of ten days, sometime between July 12 and September 1. Expenses will be paid by the federal government.

SPORTING

Jack Dillon of Indianapolis outfought Billy Murray of Los Angeles in a ten-round no-decision bout at Hudson, Wis.

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Sam Langford, the Boston heavyweight, outpointed Battling Jim Johnson of Galveston, Tex., in eight rounds of a ten-round bout at New York.

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Jess Westergaard proved to be a toy in the hands of Joe Stecher in the wrestling bout at Lincoln and the Dodge phenom easily won in straight falls.

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Jess Willard, the Kansas cowboy, defeated Jack Johnson in the twenty-sixth round for the heavyweight championship of the world, at Havana, Cuba.

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Kid Willaims, the bantam weight champion, was knocked down twice and took the count for seven and nine in the second round of a six-round bout with Louisiana at Phidalphia.

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Moving pictures of the heavyweight championship fight between Jack Johnson and Jess Willard will not be shown in the United States. A federal law, recently enacted, prohibits the importation of films of prize fights into this country.

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A pass to all the games in the Federal league was sent to President Wilson by James A. Gilmore, president of the league. Although Washington has no club in the Federal organization, Gilmore wrote that he hoped the president would find occasion to use the pass in other cities.

WASHINGTON.

Postmaster General Burleson has issued an order permitting city letter carriers to wear cooler summer uniforms which they can procure at less cost than they have heretofore paid.

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Needs of farm women in the United States are being systematically studied by the department of agriculture. A week ago Secretary Houston issued a statement outlining for farm women in Nebraska and other states.

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Construction of the government railroad in Alaska will be carried on by the Alaskan engineering commission, which surveyed possible routes, rather than under the engineering commission. Secretary Lane so announced.

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Prospects of the winter wheat crop, planted last fall on the greatest acreage in the country's history, were that 619,000,000 bushels would be produced. This estimate by the department of agriculture, is based on the condition of the growing crop on April 1.

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Representatives of American textile manufacturers, headed by former Congressman Metz, told state department officials that "the end is in sight" for operations of American textile mills unless the government can do something to bring dyestuffs out of Germany.

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American railroads with annual operating revenues exceeding $100,000 employed 1,695,483 workers during the fiscal year 1914, or 119,756 less than in 1913, according to interstate commerce commission figures

PLAN FOR FUTURE PEACE OF WORLD

THIRTY DELEGATES FROM PRINCIPAL NATIONS MEET AT THE HAGUE.

DRAFT PROGRAM FOR ACTION

Object of Conference Not to Suggest Steps to Bring Present War to End—Short Record of Work Done.

The Hague, via London, April 13.—For three days there has been a private discussion of peace here by a conference consisting of about 30 delegates from the United States, Holland, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Sweden, Norway, Great Britain, Belgium and Switzerland.

The conference came to an end with the drafting of a program for action in the various countries. Only a short record of the work of the conference has been issued, as follows:

"The object of the meeting was not to suggest steps to bring the war to an end, but to consider by what principles the future peace of the world would best be guaranteed. After a full discussion, a minimum program was adopted.

For a Durable Peace.

"The action to be initiated in the different countries ultimately will be supplemented by an international propaganda. A central committee for a durable peace has been created as a link between the national organizations.

"The committee of the Dutch antiwar council, supplemented by members from other countries, will serve as the executive committee."

Mrs. Fanny F. Andrews of Boston was the American delegate.

INVITES FOE INTO THE OPEN

Villa Asks Obregon to Fight North of Celaya to Save the Non-Combatants.

Washington, April 13.—General Villa has telegraphed his agency here that he has sent a communication through foreign consuls to General Obregon inviting him to come into the open country north of Celaya to fight or else permit the non-combatants of that city to withdraw before he begins the bombardment.

The message, dated Villa's headquarters at Iraquato, was as follows:

"The recent engagements with Alvaro Obregon's column at Celaya resulted disastrously for the enemy, who have suffered enormous losses in killed. I have heard from reliable sources that six trainloads of Carranzistas wounded in this engagement have left Celaya for Queretaro.

"The enemy have destroyed two kilometres of railroad to the north of Celaya, which shows that they will try to retreat or reorganize their troops, who are in a most critical condition."

EPIDEMIC HITS RED CROSS

Typhus Contracted by American Doctors and Nurses in Serbia Now Fighting Disease.

New York, April 13.—Of the contingent of six doctors and twelve nurses sent to Serbia by the American Red Cross society since the European war begun, all but four have contracted typhus, the disease they have been combatting, according to Dr. M. P. Lane of New Orleans, a Red Cross doctor who arrived here on the steamship Finland from Mediterranean ports

Doctor Lane was accompanied by two Red Cross nurses, Miss Margaret Tulloss and Miss Claire Sensher, both of Kansas City. They were ordered home by Dr. Ernest P. Magruder, head of the Serbian contingent, who has since died, to recuperate after they had themselves been confined to the hospitals, victims of the scourge.

Germany Answers Dutch Note.

London, April 13.—Replying to the Dutch note protesting against the sinking of the Dutch steamer Medea by a German submarine and the seizure by a submarine of the Dutch steamers Batavier V and Zaanstroom, Germany has expressed the opinion that the action of her submarines was in accordance with the terms of the declaration of London, says Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent.

Pope's Brother Passes.

London, April 13.—The Marquis Jules Della Chiesa, a brother of Pope Benedict, is dead, according to Reuter's Genoa correspondent.

Dr. Arthur Little Dies

Newton, Mass., April 13. Dr Arthur Little, a widely known Congregational minister, is dead.

Hindenburg Does Not Fear New Army.

Berlin, via wireless to Sayville, April 13.—General von Hindenburg, hero of the Mazurian lakes battles, told a neutral correspondent that he has absolutely no fear of Lord Kitchener's new army massed along the Franco-Flanders battle line. "Kitchener has a million soldiers, but not a real army," said von Hindenburg. "He has just uniformed crowds. These officers and noncoms lack the experience of German officers who have generations of military training behind them."

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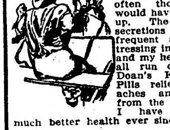

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Official Denial

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The report that a war tax is to be placed on Homestead lands in Western Canada having been given considerable circulation in the United States, this is to advise all enquirers that no such tax has been placed, nor is there any intention to place a war tax of any nature on such lands. (Signed) W. D. Scott, Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, March 15th, 1915.

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WISCONSIN SOLON LEAPS TO DEATH

ASSEMBLYMAN PAULUS JUMPS FROM TENTH FLOOR OF BANK BUILDING.

HUNDREDS ARE PETRIFIED

Body Narrowly Misses Group of Ten—Legislator Was Candidate for Speakership of House—Mind Believed to Be Affected.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 12.—Assemblyman Christopher Paulus leaped from the tenth floor of the First National bank building and was instantly killed.

Paulus prepared for his leap with a deliberation that petrified hundreds of persons in the street below. He was seen to climb to a window ledge and stood upright for fully a minute, his back to the street. He attracted only slight attention at first, as it was believed that he was a window washer.

Then he turned carefully around, poised for an instant facing the street and leaped.

Strikes on His Head.

He turned completely over twice and struck on his head. The body narrowly missed a group of 10 who were entering the bank and one leg struck a bicycle which a messenger had just parked at the curb.

Paulus is said to have recently exhibited signs of mental aberration and steps were to be taken to have a commission investigate his sanity. He recently became involved in financial difficulties.

In the campaign for legislative offices he was a candidate for the speakership of the house and made an active canvass for the office, but his candidacy played little part in the organization of that body. He was elected to the assembly last fall.

He leaves a widow and two children.

Stampede on Stock Exchange.

New York, April 12.—Scenes of wild excitement attended the renewal of operations on the Stock Exchange. The trading floor was crowded with members and the visitors' gallery was lined with spectators, many of them women. Overnight buying orders and a further stampede of the short interests lifted prices throughout the list, gains extending from 1 to 3 points in speculative favorites and specialties. United States Steel, the leader of the spectacular movement, was again the chief feature, opening with a block of 15,000 shares at 57⅛@57¾ and soon advancing to 59. Bethlehem Steel was the only prominent stock to hold back, declining 2 points. Rock Island was the most erratic issue, rising almost 4 points and soon losing all its advance. Trading during the first half hour was on the largest scale for the period in the recent history of the exchange. Recessions ranging from a fraction to 2 points ensued soon after the initial outburst on heavy profit-taking.

Colorado Assembly Orders Probe.

Denver, Col., April 12.—A thorough probe of wholesale charges of corruption will be undertaken by a special committee of five members of the legislature just appointed. The committee was given $25,000 to prosecute its investigation and will be ordered to report back to the next legislature, although Governor Carlson in a special message read at the last meeting, declared he would call an extraordinary session to hear the committee's report and enact its recommendations governing lobbyists.

Governor Philipp Would End War.

Milwaukee, Wis., Arpil 12.—Emanuel L. Philipp, governor of Wisconsin, advocated the closing of American ports and the placing of a ban on shipment of supplies, even of food, to belligerents, if that is necessary to stop the European war, in an address before 400 guests of the E. B. Wolcott Post, G. A. R., at the Auditorium of the Public Museum. The occasion was the fiftieth anniversary celebration of Grant's victory at Appomattox.

Allies Take German Mail.

Basle, Switzerland, via Paris, April 12.—British and French cruisers, according to advices received here, have taken from Italian mail steamers 2,300 bags of German mail addressed abroad and containing letters, postcards, money, checks and small packages. Bags coming from abroad intended for Germany will be treated in the same way and confiscated.

Even Movies Must Be Dry.

Topeka, Kas., April 12. Even the movies must be dry in prohibition Kansas. The visitor in the state is not to have his appetite stirred by the sight of a bar in action in a movie show. Commencing this week, movies in Kansas will be censored.

Train Kills Father of Eight.

Fargo, N. D., April 12.—D. Sherlock of Harwood, 47 years old and father of eight children, was struck by a Northern Pacific train between Glyndon and Stockwood and suffered injuries that may prove fatal.

English Scholar Dies.

New Haven, Conn., April 12. Thomas R. Lounsbury, professor emeritus at Yale University and one of the best known English scholars in the country, died here suddenly. He had been in poor health for some time.

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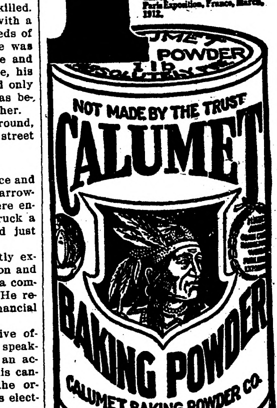

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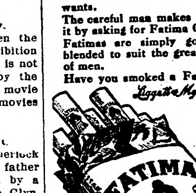

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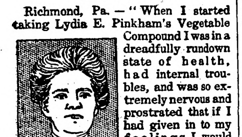

"After taking the second bottle I noticed that the headache was not so bad, I rested better, and my nerves were stronger. I continued its use until it made a new woman of me, and now I can hardly realize that I am able to do so much as I do. Whenever I know any woman in need of a good medicine I highly praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound." — Mrs. FRANK CLARK, 3146 N. Tulip St., Richmond, Pa.

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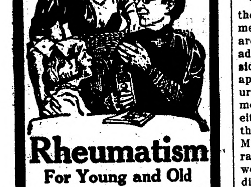

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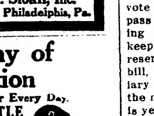

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BILLS TO INVESTIGATE ALLEGED UNFAIR COMBINATION ADOPTED BY THE HOUSE.

WOULD AMEND CASHMAN LAW

Senate Railroad Committee Reports Commission's Bill in Spite of Appeal—Defines Twin Cities Freight Terminal Status.

Amid scenes of considerable tumult the house passed Representative James Dwyer's civil service repeal bill. The bill now goes to the senate for action and both sides claim the majority there.

The repeal bill, if it becomes a law, would abolish the Minneapolis civil service commission and the merit system of employment and promotion in effect in Minneapolis since the legislature of two years ago adopted the bill which created the commission and the system.

St. Paul, Minn.—Two bills prepared by the special house committee appointed to investigate an alleged unfair combination of public bridge contractors were passed by the house with but few dissenting votes and the report of the committee was also adopted.

One bill would authorize the state highway commission to act as agent for any town, village or county in the purchase of bridge material and in letting contracts for the erection of the bridge.

The commission would let the contract to the lowest responsible bidder, retaining the privilege, however, to reject one or all bids.

The other bill would compel the governing body of a town or county to advise the commission at least 3 weeks before time fixed for receiving bids.

The bill providing for industrial training in public schools was passed by the house.

To Amend Cashman Tariff Law.

In spite of an appeal by the state railroad commission to allow it more discretionary power, the senate railroad committee reported the commission's bill amending the Cashman distance tariff law with a clause added defining the status of the Twin City freight terminal. At present under the Cashman law, shipments to Minneapolis and St. Paul take different rates. The purpose of the amending act is to make the Twin City terminal, from Hopkins to South St. Paul, a single point. The added clause restores the old rule that the distance from any station to either of the Twin Cities is governed by the distance to the nearer city.

The bill has passed the house, and there was opposition to the amendment on the ground that it might jeopardize final action on the bill. It was adopted in committee and then reconsidered for a further hearing. Minneapolis business men were on hand to urge its adoption. Without the amendment, they said, it would be possible either for the railroad commission or the courts to make the distance to Minnesota Transfer the measure of rates to Twin City terminals. This would add five miles to every existing distance and increase rates to and from the Twin Cities all over the state.

May 6 Designated "Clean-up" Day.

Governor Hammond has designated Thursday, May 6, as clean-up day. "The annual loss of property by fire in the state is appalling," says Governor Hammond in his proclamation. "This loss arises very largely from carelessness. In designating May 6 as Clean-up Day, I recommend that mayors, fire marshals and all public officers use all diligence in calling to the attention of the people within their jurisdiction the importance of putting their premises in order against the danger of fire."

Governor Hammond further urges that the schools of Minnesota both public and private, recognize May 6 by having fire drill exercises and discussions of the best methods of protecting property and life. All civic organizations are also urged to observe the day.

Indorse Bank Bill Report.

After a long debate the house adopted the majority report of the judiciary committee, which held that a majority vote of the house would be sufficient to pass the bill introduced by the banking committee compelling banks to keep their reserve in banks having a reserve of $25,000 or more. Another bill, which was referred to the judiciary committee for consideration as to the number of votes necessary to pass, is yet to be taken up

No Passes to Land Agents.

By a vote of 29 to 36 the senate voted down the bill proposing railroad passes for land agents. Senator E. P. Peterson of Litchfield, arguing against the minority report, declared that passage of the land agent's transportation bill would throw down the bars as regards anti-pass legislation in Minnesota. Senator D. P O'Neil of Thief River Falls, favoring the minority report, declared the rapid development of northern Minnesota and other sections of the state depended greatly on the giving of railroad passes to agents.

COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE MAYO FOUNDATION PROPOSAL

St. Paul, Minn.—Bearing the names of Senator Frank E. Putnam of Blue Earth and Senator Oluf Gjerset of Montevideo, a resolution calling for a senatorial investigation of the proposed affiliation of the University of Minnesota medical department and the Mayo Foundation of Rochester, has been adopted unanimously by the senate.

The resolution has the backing of Senator William S. Dwinnell of Minneapolis and other members of the senate, who desire to have full light thrown on the agreement by which it is proposed to establish this foundation.

Lieutenant Governor J. A. A. Burnquest at once named Senators Oluf Gjerset of Montevideo, Carl L. Wallace of Minneapolis and J. W. Andrews of Mankato as members of the committee.

Conflicting Statements.

The resolution adopted by the senate reads as follows:

"There is now pending in the senate a bill involving the proposed affiliation of the University medical department with the Mayo Foundation at Rochester, and conflicting statements are made as to the real agreement upon which it is proposed to establish such affiliation.

"Senators F. E. Putnam and Oluf Gjerset therefore move that a senate committee of three be appointed to visit the university and ascertain the exact facts and agreement upon which it is proposed to establish such affiliation, and to report the same to the senate."

APPROPRIATION OF $5,213,397 ASKED BY HOUSE COMMITTEE

St. Paul, Minn.—The house appropriations committee has introduced its departmental appropriation bill. The total recommended for the department is $5,213,387 for the biennial period, as against $5,327,290 granted two years ago.

Even so, the house departmental bill is approximately $200,000 in excess of the similar bill introducel some time ago by the senate committee. One of the chief differences is in the appropriation for the foresty department. This department now is receiving $75,000 a year, which the senate cut to $40,000 a year. The house bill carries $75,000 per year, the same as now received. The house also gives the board of health a larger appropriation than does the senate committee, which granted $71,300 per year, while the house granted $106,000.

The house bill also provides a $25,000 appropriation for a waterways commission. This is not included in the senate bill.

The house committee bill does not mention the state immigration department. The senate committee granted $25,000 per year. There is pending in the house a bill to abolish this department.

BILL TO INCREASE MAYORS' SALARIES PASSED BY SENATE

St. Paul, Minn.—After a fight, during which unsuccessful efforts were made to amend the measure radically, Senator John A. Healy's bill providing an increase in salaries and extension of terms of office for municipal officials in villages of more than 5,000 population, was passed by the senate by a vote of 46 to 5.

The measure, known as the "Range Towns Mayors' Bill," was fought by Senator Richard Jones of Duluth, who submitted an amendment to make the salaries of mayors $300 per annum instead of $1,2000 as provided in the bill.

This amendment was lost on a roll call, 36 to 14.

The senate then passed the bill as it stood.

Senator Healy said the bill had the approval of the Hibbing Commercial club and other public organizations in the Range towns.

WOULD BE FIRST STATE TO CONTROL INSURANCE RATES

When Governor Hammond affixes his signature to Senate File 558, which he is expected to do at once, Minnesota will be the first state in the Union to assume jurisdiction over and control of fire insurance rates.

Senate File 558 is the product of the State Insurance Department of which S. G. Works is the head. It gives Commissioner Works supervision over the making of rates for fire insurance companies. It provides that the commissioner may examine any and all rate making bureaus in the state and ascertain their methods of procedure in matters of rate-making.

Teachers' Pension Bill Passed

The teachers' pension bill was passed by the house by a vote of 82 to 39 after a warm debate and fruitless efforts to amend it.

It provides for a compulsory contribution of $5 a year for five years and $10 a year thereafter by all teachers.

Approves Franchise Bill

Minneapolis, April 9. The Hennepin house delegation has placed its seal of approval on the bill which would permit the Minneapolis city council to enter into negotiations with the street railway company relative to franchise renewal.

House Takes Up Insurance Bills.

The house took up as a special order 13 insurance bills. Among them was a bill by Representative Theodore Christianson of Dawson, providing for state insurance on public buildings

SPRINGS NEW ONE IN HOTEL ROBBERY

Sends to Office for $100 Change and Leaves Bearer Locked In.

IN ROOM 50 MINUTES

New York Hotel Is Loser on New Scheme—Guest Beats, Ties and Robs Bellboy, Who Brings Him Change.

New York.—A 50-minute guest at the Hotel McAlpin robbed the management of $100 after knocking unconscious and binding a bellboy who had been sent to the room with the bills as change. Then he tumbled the stunned boy on to the bed, locked him in and escaped.

At 3:34 o'clock a swarthy, well dressed man, apparently in his thirties, registered as "N. C." or "N. G Grey, Washington" (the management preferred to believe it was "N. G.") and a $4-a-day room on the fourth floor, Thirty-second street side of the hotel, was assigned to him.

Asks Change for $100.

Just 50 minutes later Grey telephoned down to the cashier to please send him up change for $100, preferably in small bills.

Nineteen-year-old Joseph Abbundi of 34 East Twenty-ninth street, a trusted boy who has been with the hotel since it was opened, was sent to the room with the money in a sealed envelope.

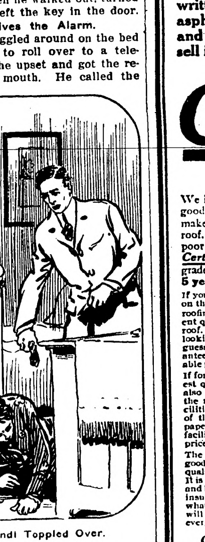
Grey received him with a smile took the envelope and then seemingly dropped a quarter as if by accident.

"That's for you," he said. "Pick it up."

As the boy was leaning over, the man whipped a revolver out of his pocket and struck him over the back of the head, inflicting a slight cut. Abbundi toppled over, but did not lose consciousness. Grey flourished his gun and threatened to shoot if there was an outcry and then tumbled Abbundi on to the bed and bound him with blankets, pillow slips and strips of sheets. Then he walked out, turned the lock and left the key in the door.

Boy Gives the Alarm.

Abbundi wriggled around on the bed and managed to roll over to a telephone, which he upset and got the receiver in his mouth. He called the office and H H Bascombe a house officer, went up with a bellboy. At the hotel hospital Dr Ross McPherson, the hotel physician, said his injuries were not serious.



Abbundi Toppled Over.

Detective Sussillo of the second branch detective bureau was unable to find anybody who saw Grey leave the hotel

The robber had a cheap new suit case in which were found four or five shirts with the laundry marks cut out. The shirts were 14½ size, obviously too small for him. The suitcase also contained a hammer, two screw drivers, a roll of sandpaper, a pair of 8½ "sneakers" and a pair of 8½ shoe trees.

Grey was five feet ten inches tall and weighed about 165 or 170 pounds. He had a prominent nose He wore a brown suit, an alpine hat and a dark overcoat.

Lucius M Boomer managing director of the McAlpine, said the plan of robbery was a new one in the hotel business and he couldn't blame any hotel employee for being caught by it.

Will Provides for Pets

Elizabeth, N J Mrs Mary B Wright's will requests that her pet cats and dogs be given full use and occupancy of the home in which she lived at East Summit, that the home be kept heated and the pets fed regularly.

Result of First Smoke

Newark, N J Harry Addison, seven, may lose his right leg as a result of his first smoke Harry got dizzy while smoking a cigar, fell under a wagon and his right leg was crushed and broken

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The game of the politician is to promise everything. Many of them ought to be prosecuted for fraud on account of the difference between what they promise and what they deliver. They're worse than the business man who over-advertises the quality of his goods. Let the business interests, from the laborer to the superintendent, from the office boy to the president, from the hired man on the farm to the owner of the farm, remember that they have a common interest in good business and a square deal in business. Stop listening to the fakers and let's boost ourselves back into good times. It can be done. No more knockers and false prophets are wanted. We are going to be too busy to listen to any except those who promise "good business" legislation.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Mar. 27, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Olaf O. Eggum, of Holt, Minn. who on Mar. 22 1913, made Homestead Entry No. 08942, for SW1-4 NE1-4 Sec. 22, Township 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U.S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 3rd day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Knutson, Albert C. Jahr, Swan Carlson all of Holt, Minn. and E. E. Pechie of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.44
Wheat No. 2	1.41
Wheat No. 3	1.35
Wheat No. 4	1.25
Flax	1.75
Oats	.46
Barley	50. to .58
Rye	.96
Flour, Best Patent	4.15

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Foreign Unclaimed Letters, Holt P. O.

For the week ending April 15th, which will be held here 2 weeks from date, and if not called for will be sent to the Dead Letter Office at Washington D. C.

No. 1 Karl Hove
No. 2 Martin Anderson
No. 3 Fru Tehodore Eriksen
No. 4 Harry Arvaniten

Holt, Minn. April 15, 1915.

Nils Engebretsen, P. M.

East Valley News

The Easter services conducted by Rev. M. B. Ordahl on Thursday April 8th. was well attended.

Esther Adolphson has been on the sick list for more than a week.

Nels Johnson near Holt has been visiting his sister Mrs. Garthus a few days.

The Zion Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. A. C. Jahr on Wednesday April 21st. All are welcome.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl has been having some painting done.

Quite a few in this vicinity have started spring work.

L. Handegard will begin a term of Norwegian school Monday April 19th. at the East Valley school house.

Quite a number in this vicinity have been sick with the grip the past week.

Mrs. E. Larson, an old lady who has been making her home at Olaves Rodahl's this winter, returned to her home at Neilsville Monday April 12th. She was accompanied by O. Rodahl.

School Notes

Olga Johnson and Alice Jahr of the second and third grades have received the most headmarks in spelling during the term.

The East Valley school will close on Friday April 16th.

The following pupils have been present every day during the entire term of 160 days: Thea and Olga Johnson, Alice and Evelyn Jahr. Those who have been present 159 days are: May and Josephine Jahr, Norman Rodahl, and Lillian Jahr, Mildred Jahr and Julia Johnson have been present 157 days.

The pupils of the East Valley school sprung a complete surprise on their teacher, Miss Agnes Fosen Sunday afternoon. A very pleasant time was had by all present and a nice sum of money was left as a remembrance. Besides the children the following were present: Mesdames O. B. Johnson A. C. Jahr, J. M. Jahr, Miss Inga Johnson and the Messrs. Axel Nelson and Ole Larson.

The Parents and Friends' Visiting Day was well attended. Those present were as follows: Mesdames A. C. Jahr, J. M. Jahr, O. Garthus, Geo. Anderson, C. H. Knutson, O. Eggum, Adolphson, Forkelson, Fosen Jefferson, and Gudvangen, Miss Inga Johnson, Messrs A. C. Jahr, J. M. Jahr, O. Garthus, Geo. Anderson, C. H. Knutson, O. Rodahl Engebret Moe, Elmer and Allen Adolphson, Alfred Hanson, Nels Fosen, Boyson, E. Johnson and J. Gudvangen.

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RATE INCREASE NECESSARY

FARMERS' UNION OFFICIALS THINK RAILROADS ARE ENTITLED TO MORE REVENUE.

Products of Plow and Farmer Who Lives at Home Should Be Exempt From Increase.

By Peter Radford.
Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

The recent action of the Interstate Commerce Commission in granting an increase in freight rates in the eastern classification of territory; the application of the roads to state and interstate commissions for an increase in rates, and the utterances of President Wilson on the subject bring the farmers of this nation face to face with the problem of an increase in freight rates. It is the policy of the Farmers' Union to meet the issues affecting the welfare of the farmers squarely and we will do so in this instance.

The transportation facilities of the United States are inadequate to effectively meet the demands of commerce and particularly in the South and West additional railway mileage is needed to accommodate the movement of farm products. If in the wisdom of our Railroad Commissions an increase in freight rates is necessary to bring about an improvement in our transportation service, and an extension of our mileage, then an increase should be granted, and the farmer is willing to share such proportion of the increase as justly belongs to him, but we have some suggestions to make as to the manner in which this increase shall be levied.

Rates Follow Lines of Least Resistance.

The freight rates of the nation have been built up along lines of least resistance. The merchant, the manufacturer, the miner, the miller, the lumberman and the cattleman have had their traffic bureaus thoroughly organized and in many instances they have pursued the railroad without mercy and with the power of organized tonnage they have hammered the life out of the rates and with unrestrained greed they have eaten the vitals out of our transportation system and since we have had railroad commissions, these interests, with skill and cunning, are represented at every hearing in which their business is involved.

The farmer is seldom represented at rate hearings, as his organizations have never had the finances to employ counsel to develop his side of the case and, as a result, the products of the plow bear an unequal burden of the freight expense. A glance at the freight tariffs abundantly proves this assertion. Cotton, the leading agricultural product of the South, already bears the highest freight rate of any necessary commodity in commerce, and the rate on agricultural products as a whole is out of proportion with that of the products of the factory and the mine.

We offer no schedule of rates, but hope the commission will be able to give the railroad such an increase in rates as is necessary without levying a further toll upon the products of the plow. The instance seems to present an opportunity to the Railroad Commissions to equalize the rates as between agricultural and other classes of freight without disturbing the rates on staple farm products.

What Is a Fair Rate?

We do not know what constitutes a basis for rate making and have never heard of anyone who did claim to know much about it, but if the prosperity of the farm is a factor to be considered and the railroad commission concludes that an increase in rates is necessary, we would prefer that it come to us through articles of consumption on their journey from the factory to the farm. We would, for example, prefer that the rate on hogs remain as at present and the rate on meat bear the increase, for any farmer can then avoid the burden by raising his own meat, and a farmer who will not try to raise his own meat ought to be penalized. We think the rate on coal and brick can much better bear an increase than the rate on cotton and flour. We would prefer that the rate on plows remain the same, and machinery, pianos and such articles as the poorer farmer cannot hope to possess bear the burden of increase.

The increase in rates should be so arranged that the farmer who lives at home will bear no part of the burden, but let the farmer who boards in other states and countries and who feeds his stock in foreign lands, pay the price of his folly.

Correct Vibrations of Health.

The Indian in his natural state has no diseases as we know them. He lives in the open air and hunts and fishes enough to make his blood circulate fast; his lungs exercise enough to keep his blood pure. Human beings sit in the house and do not exercise their lungs, and in due time they run down a vibration sufficiently low to enable the disease germs to take hold on the tissue cells of the body and poison or destroy them.—Elizabeth Towne in Nautilus.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota April 1st, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Ole J. Moen of Holt, Minn. who on May 18th 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 07982, for NW 1-4 SW1-4 Sec. 12 Twp. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioer for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 20th day of May 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Christenson, Carl L. Anderson, Svenke Svenkeson, Frank Erickson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

Feb. 26, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that John F. Tapper, of Holt, Minn., who, on June 23, 1910, made homestead entry, No. 05876, for Lot 1, Sec. 19, and Lots 1 & 2 E1-2 NE1-4 Sec. 30, Twp. 156 N. Range 41 W. 5th P. M has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Thief River Falls, on the 20th day of Apr. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Nils Fosen, Ole Johnson, Ingebright Moe and Emil Ostlund, all of Holt, Minnesota.

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Definitions.

Husband: a maker of excuses. Wife: a skeptic.—Smart Set.

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Free Mission Church.

2 o'clock Sunday School

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Oscar Hanson, at her home, Thursday April 29th. All invited.

Martin Seim who has been visiting his mother Mrs. Bertha Seim for the past three weeks left Tuesday for St. Paul and later will go to Stoughton Wis. where he is in the employment of the Moline Plow Co. Mr. Sein reports having a very enjoyable visit and as being well pleased with the country.

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To build a thirty foot steel bridge over Thief River between sections 10 and 15. Plans and specifications on file at Town Clerk's office. Town to furnish all material. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of The Town Board.

4-30 J. A. Sorum, Clerk.

We are indebted to friends for several nice messes of fish. Thank you.

F. W. Taber is drilling a well for W. A. Silbaugh, on his claim in the Mud Lake district.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Silbaugh visited at the W. A. Silbaugh home in Mud Lake, Sunday.

Mrs. I. Thomas came last week to visit her daughters, Mesdames A. Sollom and B. L. Backe.

Miss Agnes Fosen went to Malcolm, Sunday, where she will teach school for a couple of months.

Eli Saastad, who is in the U. S. navy, came Monday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dovre.

"Billy" Tripp of Warren, was in here Monday looking over the State road between here and Middle River

Mrs. D. B. Backe and son Willie and Albert Halverson of T. R. Falls were Sunday visitors at the D. Backen home.

The two Alkenbrack families autoed to Thief River Falls and St. Hiliare Sunday, visiting relatives at the former place.

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Nelson and children and Grandma Nelson, all of Middle River, visited at the Carl Nelson home, Sunday.

Four auto loads from here enjoyed a ride to Newfolden, Middle River and back home, Sunday afternoon. They report the roads as being in fine condition.

A few of the young people who had been practicing for the play, enjoyed a spread at the Riesberg home Sunday afternoon. All present report a dandy good time.

R. Reierson went out to his farm north of Golden Valley, Saturday. He will have a barn and granary built there, the work being done by John Johnson, Ludwig Monson and Arthur Brotten, who accompanied him there.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

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WAR NEWS.

In the eight months of fighting from August to April 11, the total casualties among the British forces were 139,347 men.

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Two Zeppelin airships visited the east coast of England, dropping bombs on several towns, doing considerable damage to property.

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Germany denies intention to extend the age limit, now 45, saying large numbers of able-bodied men under 45 are still available for the army.

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The independent labor party in annual convention at Norwich, England, cheered a suggestion that there be a truce between Great Britain and Germany with the object of settling the war.

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Germany is sending troops into Hungary, and strong support of this kind is likely to have an encouraging effect on the Austrians, whose resistance has been described as most determined.

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The German auxilliary cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm, following the example of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich, has slipped into Newport News with the record of having sunk fourteen vessels since last August.

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British steamer Wayfare, a 6,000-ton vessel, which had been in the Liverpool-Galveston trade for ten years and had recently been requisitioned by the British government, has been towed into Queenstown and beached, with a great rent in its side caused by a German torpedo.

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German Zeppelin airship has raided the Tyne district of North-umberland. The Zeppelin crossed the North Sea and dropped bombs on a number of small towns and villages, but no reports have been received as to the extent of the damage done, if any.

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Official report from Field Marshal Sir John French, in command of the British forces on the continent, places the British losses in the fighting which ended in the occupation of Neuve Chapelle, at 12,811, of whom 2,527 officers and men were killed and 8,733 officers and men were wounded.

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Great Britain, in answer to a protest by the Chilean government against the sinking of the German cruiser Dresden in Chilean territorial waters by a British cruiser squadron, has acknowledged the charge and offered a "full and ample apology" to Chile.

GENERAL.

Three hundred Japanese are reported to have been drowned by the collapse of undersea galleries in the Ube coal mine in the Shimonoseki district.

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"Billy" Sunday is to be asked to go to England to wage a prohibition campaign among the working men of that country, according to the New York Tribune.

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William T. Elam, the St. Joseph physician, who, November 13, 1913, shot and killed W. P. Cramer of Chicago, a magazine man, in a Kansas City hotel, was granted a divorce from Alice Bertha Elam at St. Joseph.

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Chief Gunner's Mate Frank Crilley went 288 feet under water at Honolulu and walked along the top of the submarine F-4, which disappeared March 25. The depth is said by naval officers to be a world's diving record.

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Rear Admiral William S. Cowles urged greater preparedness of the navy for war at a meeting of the New York Geneological and Biographical society. Admiral Cowles suggested that every young man in the United States should be obliged to spend a few days each year in the service of the navy.

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Trial of Matthew Schmidt and David Caplan on a murder charge in connection with the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building October 1, 1910, was set at Los Angeles for September 1.

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Announcement was made at Philadelphia that the American Humane association has designated the week of May 17 to 22 as "kindness to animals week," during which the organization purposes to interest people throughout the country in the more humane treatment of animals.

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Despite the protest of labor leaders, the New York state senate passed the bill designed to increase the hours of labor for women and minors in canning establishments from sixty-six to seventy-two hours a week.

William R. Burbank, president and managing director of the new Hotel Fontenelle, Omaha, died suddenly.

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General Victoriano Huerta, deposed and exiled dictator of Mexico, has arrived at New York on the steamer Antonio Lopez, direct from Spain.

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The bill prohibiting any kind of boxing in Cuba, which has been before the legislative bodies of the republic since the Willard-Johnson fight, has been passed by the senate.

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The Iowa senate has passed a bill giving city councils power to force jitney owners to take out licenses, establish routes and schedules and put up indemnity bonds.

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Torrents from the melting snows of the White mountains in Arizona overwhelmed two reservoir dams on the Little Colorado river near St. Johns and drowned eight persons.

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Four hundred and ninety-six ships passed through the Panama canal between August 15, 1914, and February 14, 1915, according to National Chamber of Commerce figures issued. Tolls were $2,126,832.

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G. Y. Baker, a forest ranger, the son of Justice Darius Baker of the Rhode Island supreme court, was found dead in his room at the Seattle Athletic club, having shot himself through the heart. He had been in poor health.

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Select and common councils of Philadelphia decided to allow the historic liberty bell to be sent to the Panama-Pacific exposition. Resolutions providing for its trip across the continent were unanimously adopted by both branches.

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Announcement that the Lehigh railway will soon award contracts involving an expenditure of almost $1,000,000 as a result of "improved business conditions at this time" was made in a letter to President Wilson from E. B. Thomas, president of the road.

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To the inexperience of a student motorman is charged the death of fourteen persons, ten of them women, who were killed in a collision between a street car and a freight train on the tracks of the Detroit, Toledo & Iron Mountain railroad in Detroit. WASH

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"I knew from experience that whiskey and ammunition makes trouble, and I wished to close those saloons so as to remove the one thing that might make trouble," said ex-Governor Oswald West of Oregon, on the witness stand in the Baker, Ore., circuit court, in explaining his action in closing the Copperfield saloons over a year ago.

SPORTING

Joe Jeanette of New York defeated Sam Langford in Boston in a twelve-round bout. The negro heavyweight mixed freely but Langford's apparent lack of condition gave his opponent an advantage.

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President Wilson, several members of his cabinet and a huge crowd saw Washington defeat New York, by a score of 7 to 0, in the opening game of the American league base ball season at Washington.

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Objections to the shortness of the school season and the securing of suitable grounds has caused the University of Omaha Athletic board to give up the idea of putting a baseball team in the field this season.

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A racing bill has been introduced in the Illinois legislature. The measure would legalize racing in Illinois and would create a state racing commission to be composed of three members of the state highway commission.

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Jack Welsh, who refereed the Johnson-Willard fight at Havana, Cuba, April 5, when Willard won the world's heavyweight championship, said upon his return to San Francisco that Willard could have won the fight in the eighth round.

WASHINGTON.

President Wilson announced that the route of the government's Alaska railroad is to be from Seward, on Resurrection bay, to Fairbanks, on the Tanana river. Operations will be started at once.

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President Wilson is planning to make his delayed trip to the San Francisco exposition as soon as his foreign affairs permit. His advisers are anxious for him to make a number of speeches in different parts of the country before the opening of the next congress.

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The government war risk insurance bureau has paid its first claim for losses due to the European war. A treasury warrant for $401.000 was drawn in favor of the Harris-Irby & Vose of New York, owners of the American steamer Evelyn, sunk off the coast of Holland February 20.

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Two cases of bubonic plague and one death at Havana were reported to the public health service. The official bacteriologist of the Cuban government has been placed in charge of the situation.

AVIATOR GARROS IS TAKEN BY GERMANS

FAMOUS FRENCH AIRMAN CAPTURED IN BELGIUM, SAYS BERLIN REPORT.

IS WELL KNOWN IN AMERICA

Lieutenant Flew in Many Competitions in this Country.—His Latest Exploit Was at Dunkirk Three Days Ago.

Berlin, April 20.—The report on the progress of hostilities given out by German headquarters relates that Lieutenant Roland G. Garros, the famous French aviator, has been made a prisoner by the Germans at Maelmunster, Belgium, seven miles north of Courtrai.

Lieutenant Garros is well known in the United States, having flown in many competitions in this country.

Most Daring Airman.

Since the beginning of the war he has been among the most intrepid and daring of the French military airmen. His latest exploit was at Dunkirk, three days ago, when he shot dead, in the air, the aviator and the observer of a German aeroplane. He went out against this machine alone, and as his machine was the faster, he was able to gain an advantageous position, from which he fired, with fatal precision.

Two of Garros' bullets took effect and the German machine crashed to earth. Both the aviator and the observer had been shot dead.

Garros was born of French parents at Capetown, Union of South Africa, in 1885. He is a graduate of the Universities of Paris and of the Law University of Paris, and for a time practiced his profession in the French capital.

Breaks Aviation Records.

The exploits of Garros have made him a prominent figure in aviation circles throughout the world.

Among the aviation records broken by Garros were his flight made on Dec. 11, 1912, when he ascended to a height of 19,032 feet and established a world's altitude mark; his flight from Tunis to Sicily in December, 1912, when he traveled for a distance of 160 miles entirely over water, and his flight across the Mediterranean from St. Rapheal to Bizerta. This latter feat was accomplished by Garros in 7 hours and 53 minutes, in which time he traveled 558 miles.

TURKS REPEL ALLIED SHIPS

Force British Battleships in Dardanelles to Withdraw—German Aviators Shell Steamers.

Constantinople, via Wireless to Berlin and London, April 20.—The following Turkish official statement regarding recent operations at the Dardanelles was given out here.

"On the afternoon of April 14 the British battleship Majestic bombarded a land position near Baba Tepeh on Saros Bay. The fire was returned and the Majestic was forced to retire.

"On the following afternoon the Majestic attacked our advanced batteries, but was struck three times. The warship retired and was replaced by the British battleship Swiftsure, which continued the bombardment without result.

"On the nights between the 13th and 15th of April, enemy torpedo boats tried to penetrate the Dardanelles. They were easily repulsed. German aviators dropped bombs which struck and exploded on enemy coal steamers.

"Main headquarters reported that Saturday an enemy hydroplane was damaged by Turkish fire and fell into the sea. A second hydroplane attempted to save it and was sunk by our fire. An English armored cruiser, which lugged away the damaged machine was sturuck by our shells. The cruiser with the hydroplane withdrew."

WAR GAME STARTS IN TEXAS.

Texas City, Tex., April 20.—Ten thousand United States troops belonging to the Second division have started an extensive war game here. Many visitors are coming here long distances to see the maneuvers.

All of the service—infantry, cavalry, artillery and hospital corps—are represented. The division has been subdivided into two armies. The commander of each side will know of the movements of the "enemy" only as he learns of them through his scouts. Umpires have been appointed who will report the game fully to Washington. Full field equipment of rations, arms and ammunition will be carried by the troops. Battles will be fought, towns and villages attacked and defended, trenches dug and forced marches made. The game will last 12 days, terminating April 30.

McAdoo Returns for Bank Suit

Chicago, April 20.—That the Administration sees political danger in the Riggs National Bank's suit against the treasury was evidenced by reports that Secretary McAdoo of the treasury was expected to resume his official duties this week, after a long siege following an appendicitis operation and general breakdown.

There is a strong impression that McAdoo has shortened the period of his convalescent to get into the bank's fight against his associates.

GRAND DUKE SHOT, IS TEUTON REPORT

SICKNESS OF RUSSIAN COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF ACCOUNTED FOR BY GERMAN PAPER.

HEATED COLLOQUY OCCURS

General Sievers Given Box on Ear by Grand Duke When Summoned to Explain Defeat of Russian Tenth Army—Shooting Follows.

Berlin, April 19.—By Wireless to Sayville, N. Y.—The General Anzeiger of Duisburg Rheinish Prussia, says it learns "from an absolutely unimpeachable source" that the reported sickness of Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholvitch, commander in chief of the Russian forces, was due to a shot in the abdomen fired by the late General Baron Sievers of the defeated Russian Tenth Army.

The General Anzeiger says General Sievers was summoned by the Grand Duke to explain the defeat of the Russian Tenth Army. A heated colloquy took place, the newspaper says, and the Grand Duke gave General Sievers a box on the ears. The latter, thereupon, drew a revolver and wounded the Grand Duke, subsequently turning the weapon upon himself.

Commanded Tenth Army.

The fact that General Sievers had committed suicide, the General Anzieger continues, was learned at the time of his funeral, but the news that Grand Duke Nicholas had been wounded has only just become known.

General Sievers was the commander of the Russian Tenth Army which, in the middle of February, met with a severe defeat at the hands of the Germans in the Mazurian Lakes region of East Prussia. The report that the general had committed suicide appeared in the Frankfurther Zeitung on March 12. The newspaper said it had received a dispatch from Petrograd intimating that the Russian officer had ended his life. The authority for this inference, however, seemed to rest on the fact that reports had been in circulation concerning a mourning service in which was held for the general in a Lutheran church and the report was not confirmed from any other source.

FIRE ROUTS EIGHTY GUESTS IN MINNEAPOLIS HOSTELRY.

Minneapolis, April 19.—Fire routed 80 guests and caused injuries to two persons swept through the Alton hotel, on the second, third, fourth and fifth floors of 800-802 Nicollet avenue, and damaged the quarters of several adjoining business concerns at an early hour, causing an estimated loss of $26,000. The blaze started from an unknown cause in the stockroom of the C. M. Davies Stationery company, located on the corner below the hostelry, and gained great headway among piles of paper before it mounted to the upper floors.

The fire department was not notified until an alarm, by a strange freak, was sprung automatically by a burglar alarm system in the A. E. Paegel jewelry store, when flames burst into that place. Detectives summoned to the scene by this burglar alarm system notified the fire department. Then they set to work to assist those trapped in the building, who were just being aroused by hotel employees.

Mrs. Potter Palmer as Gardener.

Chicago, April 19.—Mrs. Potter Palmer, wealthy leader of Chicago society, who is known on two continents, is in a fair way to become the world's most renowned market gardener. Last week 68 carloads of asparagus left Sarasota, Mrs. Palmer's estate in Florida, for the New York hotels. Grapefruit and lemons have been coming up regularly from Sarasota for several years, and friends of Mrs. Palmer, all over this country and in Europe as well, have had presents from her of crates of grapefruit.

German Taube Flies Over Selby.

London, April 19.—A German taube flew over Selby in Yorkshire, fourteen miles from York, on the fourth aerial "invasion" of England in the last sixty hours. Selby is 160 miles northwest of London and owes its principal claim to fame to the historic Benedictine Abbey located there. First dispatces to London indicated that the taube flew in from the North Sea from the direction of Hull, but contained no report of any damage.

Austrian Zeppelin Falls Into Sea.

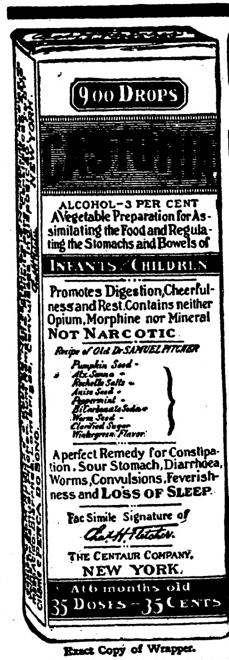
Paris, April 19.—One of the two Zeppelins Germany gave Austria fell into the Adriatic while maneuvering off Pola, according to dispatches received here. Every member of her crew perished.

Railroad to Spend $20,000,000.

Philadelphia, April 19.—The Pennsylvania Railroad company will go into the market for approximately $20,000,000 worth of new equipment and for new material for cars and locomotives, which it will build in its own shops.

Ten Killed at Amiens by Bomb.

Amiens, France, April 19.—Several bombs have been dropped by a German taube aeroplane in the vicinity of the cathedral here. Ten persons were killed or wounded. The material damage done was slight.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"The count was absent minded. That was his undoing. The girl's father gave a dinner for him in the Paint Rock castle overlooking Paint Rock, and at the dinner's end the count got up to light a cigarette, and then, by jove, started to remove the plates.

"The guests watched him in an open-mouthed silence. His napkin slung over his arm, he had got nearly all the plates removed when his millionaire host said to him gently:

"'Wake up, George. You're not waiting in the beanery now, you know. You're pretending you're a count in Paint Rock. Wake up, man, for gracious sake!'"

Drawing Qualities.

Blondine—Winnie Waggle told the manager her music teacher predicted a great future for her.

Brunetta—What did the manager say?

Blondine—He said there were greater opportunities in the theatrical profession for a woman with a past.

More.

Cobb—Is it a privelege to know Short?

Webb—Yes; an expense, also.—Judge.

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"Then I tasted it critically, for I had tried many 'substitutes' for coffee. I was pleased, yes, satisfied with my Postum in taste and effect, and am yet, being a constant user of it all these years.

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Which, to Be Decided Later.

She—But if I can't live on my income and you can't live on yours, where would be the advantage of our marrying?

He (thoughtfully)—Well, by putting our incomes together, one of us would be able to live, at any rate.

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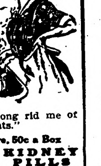
A Montana Case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Home, Sweet Home.

Wife—What, going out again to-night?

Husband—Yes, dear. Going out occasionally, you know, heightens the pleasure of staying home when one gets the chance to.

Wife—But you go out so often.

Husband—Well, it's a pleasure that really requires a great deal of heightening.

Why He Went to a Concert.

Josef Hofmann has a story which illustrates the attitude of many people toward recitals of piano music.

A pianist was to give a concert, and as the audience was filing in the ticket taker stopped a man who presented two tickets.

"You can't go in," the official said. "You're not in fit condition."

"Didn't I pay for my tickets?" questioned the would-be auditor. "Aren't they in order?"

"They're perfectly in order," was the reply, "but the truth is you're drunk."

"Drunk? Drunk?" mused the other, solemnly placing the passports in his pocket. "Of course I'm drunk. If I weren't drunk would I come to a piano recital?"

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INCREASES APPROPRIATIONS

House Adds $5,000 to Departmental Omnibus Bill for Maintenance of Wage Commission—Motion to Cut Highway Allowance Lost.

St. Paul, Minn.—

In a session marked by turmoil and bitter dissension, the house of representatives completed consideration of and passed, with only four dissenting votes, the department omnibus appropriation bill, which had been under consideration for two days.

Apparently tired of what was characterized as "needless horseplay" the house then got down to business and in less than 30 minutes agreed upon the institutional omnibus bill carrying an appropriation of $4,783,533.

Adds to Appropriation Bill.

The house added $5,000 to the departmental omnibus appropriation bill for yearly maintenance of the minimum wage commission, the vote being 89 to 16. A motion to strike out the $100,000 annual allowance for the state highway commission was defeated.

Working on the department appropriation bill, the house approved the item of $75,000 a year for the state forestry service. This is the same as the allowance for the last four years, but the state senate committee has cut it to $40,000 a year. The item of $25,000 a year for the immigration department was restored. This is a cut of $10,000 a year, but corresponds with the senate committee action.

The state board of health appropriation was cut on motion of P. W. Guilford, reducing the $10,000 for collecting vital statistics to $5,000, and the $25,000 for preventable diseases to $15,000. The house added $10,000 a year to the $100,000 appropriated for the tuberculosis sanatoriums.

Favors Joint Economy Board.

A joint commission on efficiency and economy is proposed in a resolution passed by the senate and sent to the house for concurrence. The commission is to be of 11 members, four appointed from the senate by the lieutenant governor, four from the house by the speaker, and three by the governor, either from the legislature or from the citizenship of the state at large.

The original resolution by James A. Carley provided the 11 members should all be appointed by the governor. When it was called up, F. H. Peterson offered an amendment making it six house members and five senators. F. A. Duxbury offered the substitute which was adopted.

Senator Peterson stood up for a strictly legislative commission, and called attention to the fact that numerous commissions of citizens have proven failures, their work being uniformly rejected by the legislature. C. W. Gillman of Windom opposed the whole proposition, saying "the late lamented commission of 30 did an enormous amount of work, which amounted to nothing at all." The bill demoralized the house, he said, and the whole thing proved a farce. He didn't believe anything better could be expected from a new commission.

Senate Passes Omnibus Bill.

By a vote of 49 ayes to 9 nays, and without debate, the educational omnibus appropriation bill, carrying a total of $7,122,760 for the two-year period ending July 31, 1917, was passed by the senate.

The main plant at the University of Minnesota is given $1,846,500. The university farm school at St. Anthony Park is given $383,000. The items for general school aid throughout the state total $3,830,000.

Capital Control Bill Postponed

By a vote of 45 to 18 the Senate indefinitely postponed the Sam Y. Gordon bill, which had been passed by the House, proposing to take from the Governor and place in the hands of the State Board of Control, management of the Capitol building and grounds. The measure was urged by Senator Wm. S. Dwinnell of Minneapolis; Ole O. Sageng of Dalton and others as a practical step toward efficiency and economy.

Gordon's Census Bill Defeated

Representative Sam Y. Gordon's bill carrying an appropriation of $90 000 for the taking of the sixth decennial census of the state, was defeated by the house of representatives. A companion bill has been killed by the senate. The vote in the house was 56 ayes and 43 nays.

Boxing Bill Strikes Snag

Efforts to advance H. F. 450 the Moeller 10 round boxing bill—passed by the house in the Minnesota senate, met with failure when Senator O. O. Sageng of Dalton raised objections. The bill takes the regular course with reference to committee. The house passed the senate bill amending the game law so as to prohibit shooting of ducks from a motor boat. The bill will be returned to the senate for concurrence in an amenament eliminating a provision that a hunter cannot carry more than twenty-five decoys.

BILL TO LEGALIZE 10-ROUND BOXING MATCHES IS PASSED.

St. Paul, Minn. —The bill by Representatives A. L. Lennon and George Moeller, legalizing 10-round no decision boxing bouts in Minnesota, was passed by the house of representatives by a vote of 75 to 47, after three amendments had been adopted, one of them limiting the operations of the act to cities of 50,000 or more. Friends of the bill expressed confidence that it will be passed by the senate.

One amendment adopted will raise from 7 to 10 per cent the amount of gross receipts which would go to the support of state tuberculosis sanatoria. Another amendment reduces from $3,500 to $1,200 the amount to be paid for the expenses of the boxing commission.

The Lennon-Moeller bill is patterned largely after the law now in effect in Wisconsin.

Children's Code Planned.

Senator Henry N. Benson of St. Peter, chairman of the senate committee on education, introduced a resolution providing for a comprehensive investigation by a senatorial commission of all statutes pertaining to children and for codification of all these children's laws for report to the 1917 legislature.

The Benson resolution, which under the rules lies over one day, provides for the appointment by the lieutenant governor of a commission of seven members, of which at least three shall be members of the senate.

The resolution provides $3,000 for the expenses of the committee, but the members are to serve without pay.

Such a study and codification of statutes relating to children has been championed by Judge Waite of the Hennepin county juvenile court and other social workers.

Puts Bar on Hypnotism.

Public exhibition or teaching of hypnotism, except in recognized schools, was disapproved by the house committee on judiciary which recommended passage of Senator W. S. Dwinnell's bill prohibiting such practices. Protracted naps in store show windows and the breaking of large stones on the stomachs of frail boys by the stage hypnotists would be forbidden if the bill is enacted into law.

Suffrage Is Defeated Again.

Woman suffrage flared up in the house of representatives again, but met defeat on a motion to suspend the rules and pass Representative A. S. Larson's bill granting women the privilege of voting at presidential elections. The vote to suspend the rules was 75 years and 49 nays, a two-thirds vote of the entire house being necessary.

Would Give State $1,000,000 Revenue.

Knul Knudson's bill to lay a tax of 1 cent on every $100 consideration in any trade in futures in grain or stocks was suddenly jumped from its repose in the hands of the grain and warehouse committee to the head of the house calendar. In its new position this measure, which is of high importance to the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce and the Duluth Board of Trade, probably will be reached in a day or two and put upon its passage. It is expected to pass the house, and may be substituted in the senate for a similar measure pending there.

No Bible Reading in Schools.

The senate committee on education reported indefinite postponement of S. F. 636—permitting the reading of the Bible in the public schools. The report of the house roads committee recommending for indefinite postponement the bill proposing amendments to the Dunn good roads law, was adopted after an attempt to override the committee action and place the bill on general orders.

Roadhouse Bill Becomes Law.

Senator O. O. Sageng's anti-road house bill became a law when it was signed by Governor W. S. Hammond. As fast as their licenses run out, saloons outside of cities and villages will be put out of business by the new law. A test case in the courts probably will follow the enforcement of the act.

Compensation Bill Repassed.

The senate repassed the workmen's compensation law, the house having receded from its amendment, making the period of waiting after an injury one week instead of two weeks, and repassing the bill. The measure now goes to the governor for approval.

Trolley Bill Pased in House.

The house has passed the Minneapolis street railway franchise enabling act by a vote of 76 to 44, amended to provide that the city shall reserve the right to authorize suburban lines to use the tracks of the street railway company.

Banking Board Bill Passed?

The banking board bill was given 79 years and 41 nays and declared by the speaker to have passed. Some members insisted that a two-thirds vote was necessary and that it had not passed.

End of Session Approaches

Governor Hammond will have a fine chance for "pocket votes" on the work of this legislature. He has three days after any bill reaches him before he needs to sign it. If the legislature is in session, a bill becomes a law without the governor's signature if he fails to act within three days. But if the time limit expires after the legislature adjourns, the bill dies without the governor's approval. He does not need to write a veto message in that case.

"LIFE, LIBERTY AND PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS"

A Western Canada Farmer Writes as to Conditions.

A G Hansen is a farmer living near Clavet, Sask., and as an old resident of Minnesota, takes strong exception to some of the articles appearing in American papers disparaging the true conditions in Western Canada. The "Cottonwood Current" of Cottonwood, Minn., an important weekly paper in the southwestern part of the state, recently published a letter from Mr. Hansen, which is interesting reading In his letter Mr. Hansen makes a splendid case for Western Canada against those who seek to deter farmers in the States from settling in Canada. He says:

"The district in which we live is a fair comparison to any other district in the country, made up mostly of settlers from the States. The majority here consists of Americans from Minnesota, Iowa and the Dakotas, with a few Canadians and an odd Englishman We have been here eleven years, ever since this part of the country was settled, and the majority have done well. If they have not, it is certainly not the fault of the country.

"There has not been a crop failure in this district since settled. This year was the poorest, caused by lack of rain, although a fair estimate of wheat is about twelve bushels per acre, average, and oats about ten. Some farmers got as much as twenty-five bushels of wheat per acre, and we all got good prices.

"The laws of Canada are nearly the same as those of Minnesota, and we enjoy the same privileges.

"So far as the European war is concerned, we suffer to a certain extent as all the world does. Canada is giving a helping hand to her Mother Country, and we American-Canadians firmly believe it is Canada's duty to do so. I have not heard one American-Canadian who has expressed a different opinion. Canada is not compelled to send her soldiers. The service rendered is all voluntary service.

"The accusation that old settlers are considered undesirable citizens and are forced out of business, even in danger of being 'mobbed at their own fireside,' is all false, a mere fabrication in the mind of badly informed correspondents. There are a few who have been discovered carrying letters, others papers and plans to prove them spies, and whose object is to conspire against the government. These have justly been arrested. Such a class of people cannot be considered good citizens, whether living in Canada or in the United States.

"Some people are failures wherever they are, and as an excuse for failure in their country it may seem easy to put the blame on the Canadian people and the Canadian government. Fact is, thousands of people from the United States are emigrating to Canada at the present time, which shows they are not afraid of the Canadian government.

"The government is giving away, free of charge, provision through the winter to farmers in certain districts affected by the drought, and is also sending seed grain to those in need of help. This is very different from driving settlers away from their own homes.

"I have always observed that the people who love their Mother Country most are those who make the best citizens of their adopted country. The glorious 'Stars and Stripes' will always stand for what is good and noble to us, though we live in a neighbor country where we also enjoy 'life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.'"—Advertisement.

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"I have been to consult a beauty doctor about my complexion."

"Does he hold out any hope?"

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From Mrs. Maria Irwin, Peru, N.Y.

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From Mrs. Jane D. Duncan, W. Quincy, Mass.

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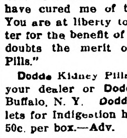
"Yes, Billy," said he, "dentistry is about the easiest new job you could tackle. You know how to work the chair already, so the rest ought to come easy enough."

A GRATEFUL ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mr. F. C. Case of Welcome Lake, Pa., writes: "I suffered with Backache and Kidney Trouble. My head ached, my sleep was broken and unrefreshing. I felt heavy and sleepy after meals, was always nervous and tired, had a bitter taste in my mouth, was dizzy, had floating specks before my eyes, was always thirsty, had a dragging sensation across my loins, difficulty in collecting my thoughts and was troubled with shortness of breath. Dodds Kidney Pills have cured me of these complaints. You are at liberty to publish this letter for the benefit of any sufferer who doubts the merit of Dodds Kidney Pills."



Mr. F. C. Case.

Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodds Dyspepsia Tablets for Indigestion have been proved. 50c. per box.—Adv.

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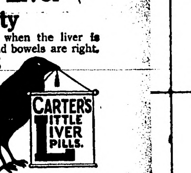
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No War Tax on Homestead Land in Canada

The report that a war tax is to be placed on Homestead lands in Western Canada having been given considerable circulation in the United States, this is to advise all enquirers that no such tax has been placed, nor is there any intention to place a war tax of any nature on such lands. (Signed) W. D. Scott, Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, March 15th, 1915.

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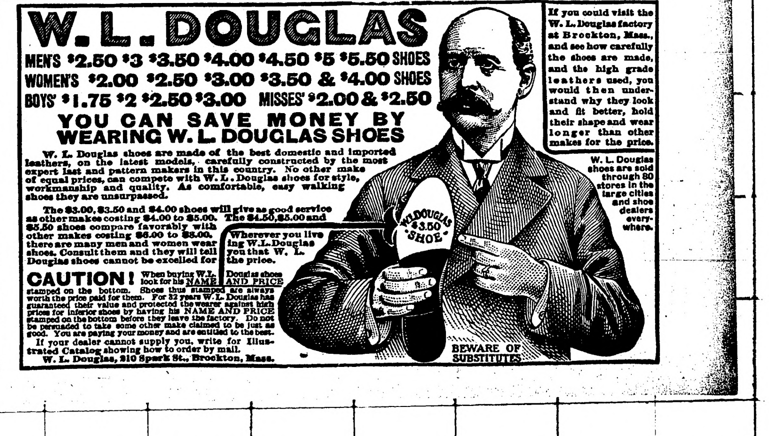

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Mar. 27, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Oluf O. Eggum, of Holt, Minn. who on Mar. 22 1913, made Homestead Entry No. 08942, for SW1-4 NE1-4 Sec. 22, Township. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U.S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 3rd day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Knutson, Albert C. Jahr, Swan Carlson all of Holt, Minn. and E. E. Pechie of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake-Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.47
Wheat No. 2	1.44
Wheat No. 3	1.38
Wheat No. 4	1.28
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Runaway Accident

Hilmer Davidson was thrown from a buggy by a runaway team Saturday and had his arm broken. The unfortunate young man was taken to T. R. Falls that evening and had his arm set and is now gettig along as well as could be expected.

Rodahl's Bros. are building a cistern for D. Payne this week.

Messers Fuller and Baker of T. R. Falls were in town Saturday on business.

Mrs. Grindeland and daughter of Warren were in town Saturday on a pleasure trip.

C. H. Gunheim is putting up a shed on Mr. Alkenbrack's place, for his threshing machine.

P. A. Riesberg, Ole Davidson and Ole Sandberg autoed to Warren Tuesday on official business.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one.

A. H. Huseth.

Sam Rierson and Ole Johnson accompanied by their lady friends drove to the Mud Lake district Sunday.

Miss Effie Christenson came from T. R. Falls Saturday for several days visit with her sisters Mesdames Huseth and Bray.

For the best seed and fodder corn go to the Holt Merc. Co. They are are agents for Northup, King & Co. The best seed raised.

The ladies' club met at the home of Mrs. B. Docken Wednesday evening. The teachers Miss Hanson and Miss Bakke entertained.

Wheat seeding is finished and the farmers are now seeding oats and doing other field work. A light rain Wednesday night is making the grass fairly jump.

Arnie Flatland County Commissioner from Grygla, called on Carl Newton while in town Thursday. He came from Warren where he purchased a new Ford Auto.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden and Mr. Haggland went to Thief Lake Saturday to visit Mrs. Kolden's parents. They returned Monday bringing with them about 150 lbs. of fish.

Mrs. F. Burns will be in Holt Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 26th. 27th. and 28th. day of April with a full line of Ladies' and Childrens' Hats. Call at the Evergreen Hotel.

The Ladies Aid of the Synod church will give a picnic at the home of C. L. Heinze, a half mile north of Holt, on Sunday May 2nd. The ladies will serve lunch. Everybody welcome.

Guy Anderson autoed to Warren Monday with his mother, who was taken to the hospital for treatment. They were accompanied by the nurse Mrs. Phillipson, Mrs. Sam Mickelson and B. L. Backe.

Work is progressing on the new building for the printing office and telephone "central." The wall was finished Monday evening, the sills and joists were laid Thursday and the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

The commercial club met Wednesday evening and appointed a committee to solicit funds with which to send a representative to St. Paul to work for the state road east of here. This road means much to Holt and the move should be given the support it deserves.

WHAT A YANKEE CAPTAIN DID

Cape Codder Sailed Into Rio Janeiro Amidst Shot and Shell, and "Bob" Evans Approved.

Capt. Henry Blachford was one of those old New England sea captains who "lived better stories than the novelist can make up," as somebody has said. Captain Blachford's death at the age of eighty-three at West Yarmouth reminds me of an incident in his career that was typical of the old Yankee mariners of past generations, a writer in the Boston Post states.

On one voyage he arrived at Rio Janeiro while a rebellion was going on, and while a rebel fleet was blockading the port. He was notified that if he tried to enter he would be sunk. Three hundred other vessels lay outside, overawed by the same threat; but the Cape Cod mariner refused to be bluffed.

Hoisting an American flag at each masthead he started to enter the harbor. A shot was fired across the ship's bow, but Captain Blachford sailed steadily on.

He triumphantly entered the harbor; the other vessels followed; the blockade was ended; that ended the rebellion, and "Fighting Bob" Evans, who had witnessed the affair, personally visited Captain Blachford to congratulate him. They were men after each other's hearts, that Cape Cod mariner and that naval hero.

WELL TO PRAISE SOMETIMES

Constant Criticism and Fault-Finding Will Destroy Self-Confidence in a Child.

Unattractive, cheerless homes, and harsh, unsympathetic parents are responsible for a large part of the misery, the unhappiness, wretchedness and crime of the world, and the frightful conditions of the submerged class.

There is many a poor wretch in the failure army today who can trace his failure and disappointment to early discouragement. If a father wants to get the most out of his child, he cannot do it by cramping him, by watching him all the time, or by criticizing him. Children become so discouraged by being constantly denounced, scolded and perpetually reminded of their shortcomings, that they lose confidence completely in themselves, and even their self-respect.—Orison Swett Marden, in Nautilus.

Bitter Pill.

The night was pitchy dark; and Robinson seemed to have been driving his car round and round in circles for some hours and hours. He hadn't the foggiest notion where he was; in fact, had lost his way completely. The hour was midnight, and now it had just begun to rain.

Robinson felt very bitter toward the world. At length he came upon what appeared to be a signpost; though what was written on it, try as he would, he could not see. He shook the post, and swore at it. But that helped him not at all.

So, taking off his shoes, he fumbled in his pockets and eventually brought out a box of matches. Luckily it contained a match—just one match and no more.

Slowly and with much labor, Robinson proceeded to climb the post; and at the top, anxiously and carefully, he struck the match.

What he said then cannot be printed. The flickering glare of the match showed these three words:

"Try Tinker's Tablets."

Crushed Again.

It thrills us to see any act of politeness, from the poor boy, who timidly raises his cap and gives his seat to a woman in a street car to the Kentuckian who hands his friend the bottle and turns his back, but we are not in it with other four-by-nine countries.

During a long ceremonial given by the sultan of Morocco at Fez in honor of the resident general, General Lyautey noticed that none of the clocks was running, and hinted that he would like to present the sovereign with a timepiece that would go. The sultan smiled.

"They were stopped by my orders," he said. "During your excellency's too brief stay with us why be reminded of the flight of time?"

Malicious.

At German seaside places they have a way of assigning each bather a number. These numbers are conspicuously displayed on beach chairs, tents, and bathing dresses. The two young women in the swimming suits who had been drawing the eyes of all beholders were very agreeably posed as a group, when they caught sight of a third young woman coming toward them across the sands.

"My," said the one in the red cap, "but Laura is wearing a big number on her suit. What is it—75,000?"

"Oh, don't you know?" giggled the nymph in green. "That isn't really Laura's number. That's the figure of her dowry."

Wanted Information.

Apartment houses in New York are prisons to small children who have been accustomed to roaming at large and doing what they pleased in the country. One boy in Harlem has discovered that whenever he jumps from a chair to the floor he is sure to be told, "You mustn't do that. There is some one below." One Sunday, he was being taught about heaven. "If I go there," he asked, "will I be told all the time to keep quiet because there is some one below?"

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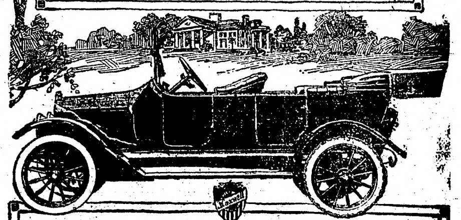

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota April 1st, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Ole J. Moen of Holt, Minn. who on May 18th 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 07982, for NW 1-4 SW1-4 Sec. 12 Twp. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioer for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 20th day of May 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Christenson, Carl L. Anderson, Svenke Svenkeson, Frank Erickson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Daily Thought.

Sympathy is the safeguard of the human soul against selfishness.—Carlyle.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Apr. 19, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Ole M. Larson of Holt, Minn., who on Nov. 22, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05754, for N1-2 S W1-4 Sec. 27, Twp. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 24th day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: A. C. Jahr, Axel Nelson, John Knutson, Clarence Knutson all of Holt, Minnesota.

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Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Will Not Stick.

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Free Traveling Library

Minnesota Public Library books may be had at Holt State Bank free to all. Call and examine the books.

Free Mission Church.

2 o'clock Sunday School

Preaching services and Confirmation at 11 o'clock Sunday morning May 2nd, by Rev. A. L. Larson of Thief River Falls. Everybody is invited.

The Salvation Army will be here to-night (Friday) and will hold a preliminary meeting on the street at 7:30 and a little later will go to the church. Four or five soldiers, perhaps more, will be here and a good meeting is assured. Everyone invited.

S. S. Kolden is putting up a building for his auto.

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Notice To Bridge Builders!

Notice is hereby given that the Town Board of the Town of East Valley, Marshall Co. Minn., will receive bids at one o'clock P. M. May 8th 1915, at Town Clerk's office of said Town, for the following purpose:

To build a thirty foot steel bridge over Thief River between sections 10 and 15. Plans and specifications on file at Town Clerk's office. Town to furnish all material. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of The Town Board.

4-30 J. A. Sorum, Clerk.

Southeast of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Arno Steinhaur are the proud parents of a baby son born to them last week.

Miss Amanda and Constance Klungness and Mrs. Kipjs were visitors at the P. Michaelson's home Sunday

Mrs. A. N. Gutteued made a business trip to T. R. Falls on Saturday.

Messrs Henry Moe, Frank and Waldemore Wendt and Theresa Wendt spent Sunday at Larson's.

A surprise party was given on Anna Hoffman on Sunday evening. A large crowd was in attendance and an enjoyable time was spent by all present. Miss Anna will leave for North Dak. where she will work during the summer months.

For Sale!

Horse, harness and buggy. Enquire of Sam Mickelson, Holt, Minn.

Miss Annie Knutson went to N. Dakota, Tuesday.

Adolph Sollom looked after business in T. R. Falls, Tuesday.

Mrs. H. Furr and son Oscar came back from Theif River Falls, Wednesday.

John A. Hamre of Crookston was in town Tuesday and Wednesday on business.

The larger pupils have been enjoying "examination" this week, and some others a short "holiday" vacation.

S. S. Kolden returned Saturday from a few days visit with his brother at Neilsville, also a business trip to Fargo, N. D.

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Holt Wins State Highway

Messrs Latta and Sorum returned yesterday from St. Paul where they were as a committee to represent the Commercial Club of Holt and the farmers east of the river on behalf of the state road east from Holt to the southeast corner of East Valley township, which was laid out as a state road over a year ago, and which the county board in February passed a resolution to discontinue.

A letter received by Mr. Latta from the State Highway Commission yesterday states that that body had decided not to approve of the proposed change. This means that the state road stands as before and that a bridge will be built across the Thief River on the town line between East Valley and Agder.

Northeast of Holt.

Joseph Johnson called at C. W. Christianson's Thursday.

Hilmer and Oliver Davidson called at G. Sorter's Sunday afternoon.

Martin Dannelson called at Christianson's Tuesday last.

Hazel Davidson visited Sunday with Mabel and Alinda Johnson.

Gea and Pearl Johnson spent Sunday afternoon with Evelyn Christianson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Christianson visited at G. Sorter's Sunday afternoon.

Percy and Melvin Sorter called at Christianson's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Furr returned home Tuesday from T. R. Falls.

Oscar Bottom had the good luck last Sunday, to find a nest of nine young wolves.

John Erickson and P. A. Riesberg went to Warren Thursday after the assessors books.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. L. Wegge, Wednesday May 5th. All invited.

Geo. Anderson went to Warren on Wednesday to get the assessors books for East Valley township.

Mr. Strom received a fine guitar Wednesday, a gift from the good people of Reynolds, N. D.

A. H. Huseth is building an addition 20x22 10 feet high, on the back of his confectionery store.

A. R. Jones, D. Payne, B. Docken and A. L. Carlson went to Theif River Falls, Monday afternoon.

The Salvation Army will be here to-night, but they won't be armed with the U. S. regulation army rifle.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one.

A. H. Huseth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Reierson went to Minneapolis, Monday, to consult a physician regarding the latter's health.

Miss Beatha Nelson went to Honeyford, N Dak., Saturday to keep house for her sister Mrs. Loyd Adams who went to Grand Forks for an operation.

The Ladies Aid of the Synod church will give a picnic at the home of C. L. Heinze, a half mile north of Holt, on Sunday May 2nd. The ladies will serve lunch. Everybody welcome.

A large grader was unloaded here Monday, which will be used on the State road, No. 7. This is one of the five graders purchased by the county, one for each Commissioner's district, and it is a good machine.

Local Items

Ole Garfe returned Tuesday from Dakota.

J. P. Lein returned to Warren on Monday afternoon.

Emil Ostlund went to Warren, Tuesday, on business.

This section of country has had lots of rain the past week.

Elmer Erickson and Ed. Davidson went to Theif River Falls, Monday.

Mr. Hamre came from T. R. Falls Tuesday with a couple of land seekers.

Olaf Eggum came from Flukely, Tuesday, where he had been "logging."

R. Reierson looked after business in Thief River Falls, the first of the week.

Miss Christine Saastad went to T. R. Falls Friday, returning home the next day.

The "clean up fever" has struck most of our people and some big changes are being made.

Ernest Kuehne returned Monday from a short business trip to Crookston and Thief River Falls.

John Larson of Spring Grove, Minn., came Saturday to visit his old neighbor, O. H. Nolre.

R. Reieron has improved the looks of the interior of his store by putting on a fresh coat of paint.

The Council met Tuesday evening and passed on the ordinances which will be published next week.

John Lein came Saturday for a short visit at the Gunheim home, departing Monday for Grafton, N. Dakota.

Miss Olga Furr went to Theif River Falls, Monday, to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law Carl Frederickson.

Alfred Anderson autoed to Thief River Falls, Monday, with Ed. and Oscar Furr to attend the funeral of Carl Frederickson.

M. T. Strom returned home Saturday from Thief River Falls and Warren where he preached Thursday and Friday evenings.

It is hard to tell at this writing just when the new school house will be ready, as the work moves so slowly on the finishing touches.

Miss Effie Christenson returned to T. R. Falls, Friday, accompanied by her nephew, Master Vernon Huseth, who visited there until Monday.

Ludwig Monson, John Johnson and Arthur Brotten returned Friday night from Mud Lake, having finished the buildings for R. Reierson.

Rev. M. T. Strom will commence teaching the Norwegian School, next Monday, in the New Solum school house, five miles southwest of Holt.

The interior of the creamery is being freshened up with paint and whitewash on ceiling and walls. This is housecleaning time for Pete.

P. A. Riesberg shipped in a car of Early Ohio seed potatoes Monday, which was distributed to several of the farmers, Mr. Riesberg keeping enough to plant about 20 to 30 acres.

Mrs. Jacob Nelson received the neat little sum of $900.00 from her fathers estate Saturday. We understand they expect to buy a little place around here in the near future.

Olaf Nelson of [illegible] loaded a car of potatoes [illegible] this week, for shipment to Baudette. The potatoes were of all varieties and even at that brought the farmers [illegible] cts. per bushel.

The Loss of Property

By Fire in the U. S. During a Recent Year Amounted to $215,084,709

It was remarkably evenly divided between the Urban & Rural Population, the Loss in Cities & Towns Amounting to $107,093,283

In the Rural Districts $107,991,426

No Matter Where Your Residence A Fire Insurance Policy Is a Wise Provision!

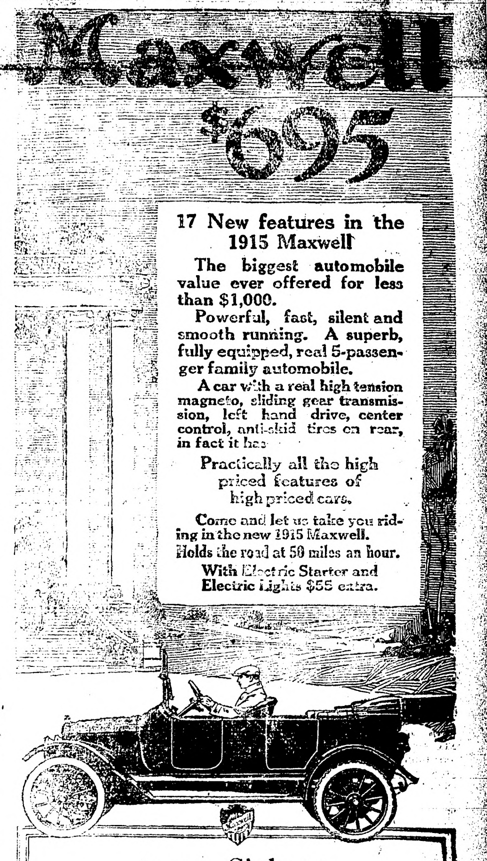
The Farmer's Assurance Lies In Fire Insurance

For lack of protection on the farm may be the cause of greatest harm.

SEE US For Farm Insurance and Farm Loans

Holt State Bank

Maxwell $695



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The biggest automobile value ever offered for less than $1,000.

Powerful, fast, silent and smooth running. A superb, fully equipped, real 5-passenger family automobile.

A car with a real high tension magneto, sliding gear transmission, left hand drive, center control, anti-skid tires on rear, in fact it has

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Come and let us take you riding in the new 1915 Maxwell. Holds the road at 50 miles an hour. With Electric Starter and Electric Lights $55 extra.

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Thief River Falls - Minn.

FOR THE BUSY MAN

NEWS EPITOME THAT CAN SOON BE COMPASSED.

MANY EVENTS ARE MENTIONED

Home and Foreign Intelligence Condensed Into Two and Four Line Paragraphs.

WAR NEWS.

A French aviator shelled Freiburg, Germany, killing six children, a man and woman.

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Two Zeppelin airships visited the east coast of England, dropping bombs on several towns, doing considerable damage to property.

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Germany denies intention to extend the age limit, now 45, saying large numbers of able-bodied men under 45 are still available for the army.

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Germany is sending troops into Hungary, and strong support of this kind is likely to have an encouraging effect on the Austrians, whose resistance has been described as most determined.

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The German auxilliary cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm, following the example of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich, has slipped into Newport News with the record of having sunk fourteen vessels since last August.

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British steamer Wayfare, a 6,000-ton vessel, which had been in the Liverpool-Galveston trade for ten years and had recently been requisitioned by the British government, has been towed into Queenstown and beached, with a great rent in its side caused by a German torpedo.

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German Zeppelin airship has raided the Tyne district of North-umberland. The Zeppelin crossed the North Sea and dropped bombs on a number of small towns and villages, but no reports have been received as to the extent of the damage done, if any.

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Official report from Field Marshal Sir John French, in command of the British forces on the continent, places the British losses in the fighting which ended in the occupation of Neuve Chapelle, at 12,811, of whom 2,527 officers and men were killed and 8,733 officers and men were wounded.

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Great Britain, in answer to a protest by the Chilean government against the sinking of the German cruiser Dresden in Chilean territorial waters by a British cruiser squadron, has acknowledged the charge and offered a "full and ample apology" to Chile.

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A prominent British official with knowledge of the situation is the authority for the statement that the British troops so far put in the field, including Canadian, New Zealand, Australian and Indain units—regulars, territorials, volunteers and all—probably amount to 2,500,000 men.

GENERAL.

"Billy" Sunday is to be asked to go to England to wage a prohibition campaign among the working men of that country, according to the New York Tribune.

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Chief Gunner's Mate Frank Crilley went 288 feet under water at Honolulu and walked along the top of the submarine F-4, which disappeared March 25. The depth is said by naval officers to be a world's diving record.

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Trial of Matthew Schmidt and David Caplan on a murder charge in connection with the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building October 1, 1910, was set at Los Angeles for September 1.

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It is estimated that 125,000 wage earners in Chicago were made jobless when the building trades ordered a lockout and strike and tied up operations on $30,000,000 work. Besides the total of 60,000 unionists of various branches of the building trades at least 60,000 more men and women in shops and mills that furnish material for buildings were laid off.

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Nelson W. Aldrich, for thirty years United States senator from Rhode Island and republican leader whose name was stamped upon tariff and currency legislation of his party, died at New York.

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G. Y. Baker, a forest ranger, the son of Justice Darius Baker of the Rhode Island supreme court, was found dead in his room at the Seattle Athletic club, having shot himself through the heart. He had been in poor health.

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Four hundred and ninety-six ships passed through the Panama canal between August 15, 1914, and February 14, 1915, according to National Chamber of Commerce figures issued. Tolls were $2,126,832

William R. Burbank, president and managing director of the new Hotel Fontenelle, Omaha, died suddenly.

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General Victoriano Huerta, deposed and exiled dictator of Mexico, has arrived at New York on the steamer Antonio Lopez, direct from Spain.

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Three hundred Japanese are reported to have been drowned by the collapse of undersea galleries in the Ube coal mine in the Shimonoseki district.

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The bill prohibiting any kind of boxing in Cuba, which has been before the legislative bodies of the republic since the Willard-Johnson fight, has been passed by the senate.

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The Iowa senate has passed a bill giving city councils power to force jitney owners to take out licenses, establish routes and schedules and put up indemnity bonds.

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Thomas A. Corbett, brother of James J. Corbett, the former world's heavyweight boxing champion, and himself widely known in the sporting world died at San Francsico.

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It cost Chicago $6,985.904 to arrest 116,985 persons during 1914, according to the annual report of the polie department. The report shows more arrests than in any previous year.

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Torrents from the melting snows of the White mountains in Arizona overwhelmed two reservoir dams on the Little Colorado river near St. Johns and drowned eight persons.

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A bill intended to not only stop lobbying before the general assembly, but to make professional lobbying a criminal offense punishable by a penitentiary sentence was introduced in the lower house of the Illinois legislature at Springfield.

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"I knew from experience that whiskey and ammunition makes trouble, and I wished to close those saloons so as to remove the one thing that might make trouble," said ex-Governor Oswald West of Oregon, on the witness stand in the Baker, Ore., circuit court, in explaining his action in closing the Copperfield saloons over a year ago.

SPORTING

The Illinois Athletic club swimming team won the National Amateur Athletic union water polo championship at Chicago, by defeating the New York Atheltic club team, 5 to 2.

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Joe Jeanette of New York defeated Sam Langford in Boston in a twelve-round bout. The negro heavyweight mixed freely but Langford's apparent lack of condition gave his opponent an advantage.

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President Wilson, several members of his cabinet and a huge crowd saw Washington defeat New York, by a score of 7 to 0, in the opening game of the American league base ball season at Washington.

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A racing bill has been introduced in the Illinois legislature. The measure would legalize racing in Illinois and would create a state racing commission to be composed of three members of the state highway commission.

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Motion pictures of foot ball games played last season was the first course prescribed for candidates for the 1915 foot ball eleven at Indiana university when Coach C. C. Childs began his spring training season at Bloomington.

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Jack Welsh, who refereed the Johnson-Willard fight at Havana, Cuba, April 5, when Willard won the world's heavyweight championship, said upon his return to San Francisco that Willard could have won the fight in the eighth round.

WASHINGTON.

Judge McCoy of the District of Columbia supreme court signed an order postponing until May 12 the injunction case of the Riggs National bank against Secretary McAdoo and Comptroller of the Currency Williams.

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President Wilson is planning to make his delayed trip to the San Francisco exposition as soon as his foreign affairs permit. His advisers are anxious for him to make a number of speeches in different parts of the country before the opening of the next congress.

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A hearing in the case of the Omaha Commercial club against the Anderson & Saline River railway was ordered by the interstate commerce commission, to be held in Omaha before Examiner Dow, May 12. The case involves lumber rates from southern producing points.

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Announcement that the Lehigh railway will soon award contracts involving an expenditure of almost $1,000,000 as a result of "improved business conditions at this time" was made in a letter to President Wilson from E. B. Thomas, president of the road.

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President Wilson announced that the route of the government's Alaska railroad is to be from Seward, on Resurrection bay, to Fairbanks, on the Tanana river. Operations will be started at once.

LEGISLATURE ENDS; APPROPRIATION CUT

GRAND TOTAL VOTED IS $17,910,000—$2,000,000 LESS THAN IN 1913.

ANTI-MAYO BILL UNTOUCHED

House Also Fails to Act on Bill to Limit Expenditures of Mesaba Range Towns—Agreement Reached on Referendum.

St. Paul.—The 1915 Legislature has adjourned sine die.

There stands out foremost of all of the events of the last day and night that which should cheer both the heart and the pocketbook of the taxpayer. For the legislature of 1915, if it has no other claim to fame, at least has called a halt to increased appropriations, it has turned the current of the river of state expenditures.

Appropriations Less Than in 1913.

The grand total of appropriations voted for the biennial period to come is considerably less than the grand total made by that prince of legislative spenders—the body of 1913. This legislature can be marked as the first in a great many years which can boast that it voted less money than its predecessor.

An official statement issued by State Auditor Preus just before adjournment showed total appropriations of $17,910,000. Two years ago this total was $19,094,168.

Light Direct Taxation.

Of the amount appropriated for the coming biennial period it is estimated that $14,180,000 will come from gross earnings taxes, inheritance taxes and other such sources while it will be necessary to raise for the two years only $3,730,000 by direct taxation. A levy of 1.4 mills is calculated to produce this as against 2.3 mills set two years ago.

The house did not touch the bill which would prohibit the affiliation of the University medical school with the Mayo Foundation. It never was mentioned during the day. If this bill, passed by the senate, reached the house at all it was not spoken of.

Range Town Bill Untouched.

The house also failed to act on the bill which would limit the expenditures of Mesaba range towns. For several weeks the house has filibustered to keep away from that bill.

The house agreed with the senate amendments on the initiative and referendum constitutional amendment and this measure, defeated at the polls last fall, once more will be submitted to the people. Frank Nimocks did some lobbying in the senate and with the help of Senator Pauly managed to get through the senate the bill authorizing another $100,000 bonds for Bassett's creek. The Minneapolis high school bonds also went through at $375,000.

Woman's Reformatory Bill Passed.

During the day a conference committee agreed on the woman's reformatory bill and this was passed. It appropriates $30,000 and leaves selection of a site to the board of control. The senate passed the house bill abolishing the game and fish commission but leaving the special agent as directing head.

APPROPRIATIONS MADE BY MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

For the two fiscal years ending July 31, 1916, and July 31, 1917:

State Government and Miscellaneous	$6,001,707
State Charitable and Penal Institutions	4,783,533
State Educational Institutions	7,124,760
Total	$17,910,000
Estimated receipts 1916-1917	14,180,000
Balance	$3,730,000

To be raised by tax levy of one and four-tenths mills on all taxable property.

1913 legislature tax was two and three-tenths mills.

BOXING BILL UP TO GOVERNOR

St. Paul, Minn.—By a vote of 72 to 30, the House of Representatives repassed the Moeller-Lennon bill legalizing ten-round no-decision boxing matches in the Twin Cities and Duluth, after concurring in the two amendments made by the Senate.

One of the Senate amendments would strike out the appropriation of $1,200 for the boxing commission, and the other would prohibit more than twelve bouts in any one of the three cities in one year.

When the bill came over from the Senate, Representative George Moeller of St. Paul moved that the house concur and that the bill be placed upon final passage.

It now goes to the Governor for his signature.

Alleged Swindler Arrested.

Minneapolis, April 23.—Hans Schroeder, said to be a former business man of Detroit, who became a large scale swindler after disastrous financial reverses, was arrested by the police and private detectives. Carl Benderann, living at the Bellevue hotel, was locked up as a confederate. According to the police and Charles F. Trotter, Minneapolis head of a detective agency, the two successfully worked swindles based on forgery that netted more than $3,000 from merchants.

WHAT THE LEGISLATORS DID

Many Important Bills Are Enacted Into Law During the Session of 1915.

Passed a county option law.

Provided for a budget system of making appropriation estimates before legislature meets.

Passed Minnette bill giving state railroad and warehouse commission power to regulate telephone rates and service.

Created women's reformatory as a new state institution.

Passed "road house" bill prohibiting issuance of saloon licenses outside cities and villages.

Repealed the Elwell road law applying to roads outside cities.

Amended workmen's compensation law as agreed to between representatives of capital and labor.

Amended Dunn road law in minor particulars.

Required public service corporations to pay employes semi-monthly.

Passed enabling act permitting negotiations for a new Minneapolis street railway franchise.

Submitted initiative and referendum amendment to the voters again.

Resubmitted "revolving fund" amendment to state constitution.

Gave insurance commissioner supervision of fire insurance rating bureaus and right to change rates found unfair or discriminatory.

Passed state-wide teachers' pension law.

Abolished "second choice" feature of primary election law.

Amended presidential preference primary law to give direct vote on candidates for president.

Revised schedule for state aid to public schools.

Created game and fish commissioner with full power over department, superseding former commission of five.

Submitted amendment increasing supreme court to seven members.

Passed a stringent law governing the sale of narcotics.

Abolished fees for inspection of weights and measures by state.

Amended Cashman distance tariff law, making twin cities one terminal.

Created an interim commission on efficiency and economy.

Reduced the state tax levy.

Appropriated $17,910,000 for various purposes.

Eliminated supreme court from new historical society building and permitted selection of new site.

Legalized 10-round boxing contests under supervision of a state athletic commission.

BILLS THAT FAILED TO PASS

Efficiency and Economy Bill, Woman Suffrage Amendment, and Prohibition Measure Killed.

Efficiency and economy commission's bill reorganizing state civil administration.

Woman suffrage amendment to the state constitution.

Prohibition, statutory and constitutional.

Restoration of capital punishment as first degree murder penalty.

State census.

St. Louis county division into two counties.

Constitutional convention to revise organic law.

Recall amendment to the state constitution.

"Blue sky" legislation to regulate sale of securities.

Bill aimed at trading in grain "futures" in Minnesota.

Legalizing party conventions to recommend candidates for primaries.

Bill amending the Minneapolis union station act passed by 1913 legislature.

Abolishing state tuberculosis sanatorium commission.

Abolishing state fire marshal's office.

Abolishing the oil inspection department of the state government.

Placing care of capitol buildings under state board of control.

Bill to prohibit linking of university medical school with Mayo foundation.

Repeal of Minneapolis civil service law, killed in senate.

Amendment of Minneapolis civil service law, lost in house.

Anti-tipping bill.

Minneapolis housing act, desired by Civic and Commerce association.

Abolishing hotel inspection department. (Vetoed.)

"Blue milk" bill, reducing butter fat standard of milk.

Limiting extravagant expenditures of iron range cities.

To Increase Supreme Justices.

The house passed the bill increasing the number of justices of the supreme court from five to seven and abolishing two commissioners. The vote was 68 to 3. The bill already had passed the senate. It will be submitted to the people at the next general election as a constitutional amendment. The measure provides also that the clerk of the supreme court shall be appointed by the court instead of elected.

The bill imposing a tax on grain sales for future delivery was passed, 68 to 30.

Dwyer Repeal Bill Killed.

Civil service will continue as a feature of Minneapolis government. Its principle has resisted the most determined attack imaginable. The senate refused to pass the Dwyer civil service repeal bill which Mr. Dwyer put through the house last week.

On final roll call there were recorded 34 negative and 26 affirmative votes. Seven senators did not vote and they were allowed to escape when those advocating the bill saw 34 votes, constituting a majority registered against it.

CANADIANS LOSE 1,000 NEAR YPRES

TEN OFFICERS DEAD — FIRST LISTS ARE RECEIVED IN WINNIPEG.

SURROUND BULLETIN BOARDS

Wives and Mothers of Soldiers Wait for News of Fate of Sons or Husbands—King George Congratulates Canada.

Berlin, April 27.—In the official statement just given out it was announced that more than 1,000 Canadians had been captured in the fighting around Ypres, Belgium. The statement says:

"The Germans hold Lizerns, on the west bank of the canal, which the French pretend to have conquered. Also on the east of the canal the conquered terrain remains in the possession of the Germans.

Northwest of Zonnebake the German attacks continue. More than 1,000 Canadians were taken prisoners. The total number of prisoners rose to 5,000."

King George Sends Message.

Ottawa,Ont., April 27.—King George has sent a mesage to the Duke of Connaught congratulating Canada on the behavior of her troops in the fighting around Ypres.

Winnipeg, April 27.—Winnipeg is in mourning and thousands of its citizens are steeling themselves for news of the worst as the Canadian casualty lists from the fields of the engagements at Langemark, Belgium, come in.

Canada must brace itself to the realization that at least 1,000 of her sons are killed, wounded or missing.

Three Winnipeg men are already known dead and many are known to have been wounded.

Casualties Placed at 1,000.

As it becomes certain here that there were at least 1,000 Canadian casualties in the Lanngemark battles, in which the valor of the Canadian regiments was praised by General French, anxious wives and mothers surround the bulletin boards, waiting with what fortitude they can for the first news of the fate of their sons or husbands.

FIGHTS POSSE; KILLS SELF

Discharged Farm Hand Returns With Revolver and Drives Out Former Employer.

Joliet, Ill., April 27.—George Yarema, a farm hand who was discharged by Matson Clark, a Wilmington farmer, returned to Clark's home, drove Mr. and Mrs. Clark out with a revolver, barricaded himself within, and after an all-day battle with a sheriff's posse, set fire to the house and shot himself.

Clark was awakened at midnight by Yarema, who stood over him with a revolver.

"I've come back to kill you," he said, according to Clark, but seemingly lacked the nerve, for he stood at the bedside threatening his former employer until 6 o'clock, Clark said. He then permitted Clark and his wife to leave the house. "Go and do the chores," he said, "and come back so I can kill you after breakfast."

Telephones for Sheriff.

Sheriff Scholl of Will county and a posse responded to Clark's telephone call. Yarema began shooting when the posse arrived. His aim was bad and he was so well concealed that the officers failed to hit him when they returned the fire.

Just before sundown, the house was fired. Yarema, with his clothes almost burned from his body, appeared in a window and fired four shots into the crowd. He then pressed the muzzle of the revolver to his ear and fired. His charred skeleton was taken from the ashes.

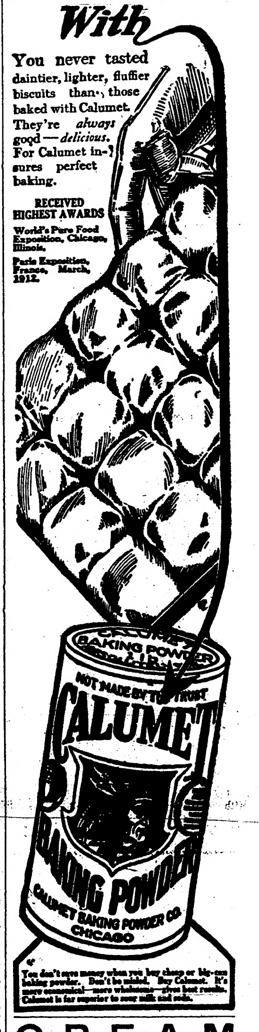
Swindlers Solicit Relief Funds.

Parish, April 27.—An exhaustive inquiry conducted by the judicial authorities of Paris as the result of complaints made by the public has revealed, the Matin says, that out of 147 charitable organizations formed since the war began 76 are swindles. Thirty-five of them are reported to be conducted by men who were released from prison just before or after mobilization.

Two of these "philanthropists" in particular attracted the attention of the investigators. While they were destitute when the war began they now have handsome town and country residences, luxurious automobiles and are the hosts of sumptuous dinners. The receipts of their "charities" are said never to have fallen below 2,000 francs ($400) a day since they began operations in September.

AMERICAN SENTENCED TO DEATH IN MEXICO

Washington, April 27.—Philip E. McCleary, an American newspaper correspondent at Vera Cruz, has been imprisoned and sentenced to be shot by Carranza authorities for having sent out uncensored news dispatches. Secretary Bryan received an appeal for aid from John W. Roberts, another American correspondent there, and instructed Consul Silliman to take the question up at once with General Carranza. No official report on the affair had reached the department.



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Deduced.

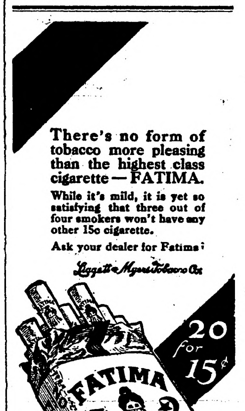
"I suppose, after all, Irene has her faults."

"So you don't love her any more, eh?"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Dubious.

"Have you any use for an astronomical expert on your staff?"

"Well, we do need a star reporter?"



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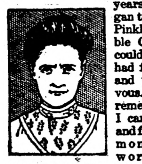

Ironton, Ohio.—"I am enjoying better health now than I have for twelve years. When I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I could not sit up. I had female troubles and was very nervous. I used the remedies a year and I can do my work and for the last eight months I have worked for other women, too. I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound enough for I know I never would have been as well if I had not taken it and I recommend it to suffering women."

Daughter Helped Also.

"I gave it to my daughter when she was thirteen years old. She was in school and was a nervous wreck, and could not sleep nights. Now she looks so healthy that even the doctor speaks of it. You can publish this letter if you like."—Mrs. RENA BOWMAN, 161 S. 10th Street, Ironton, Ohio.

Why will women continue to suffer day in and day out and drag out a sickly, half-hearted existence, missing three-fourths of the joy of living, when they can find health in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Her Patience Wearing Out.

Little Lola had been censured for some mischief she had been engaged in. After thinking it over for some time she exclaimed: "Oh, I do wish I had a baby brother!"

"Why do you wish that?"

"'Cause," she replied, "this thing of being scolded for everything that happens around this house makes me tired."

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Fascinated.

Bill—Is she a good dancer?

Jill—Well, she looks good to me when she dances.

A fatal flirtation is one that ends at the marriage altar.

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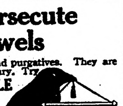
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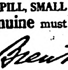

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MANY LIVES LOST IN TEXAS FLOODS

FIFTEEN KNOWN DEAD AT AUSTIN—PROPERTY LOSS ESTIMATED AT $1,000,000.

DALLAS SUFFERS HEAVILY

Lightning Strikes Oil Warehouse causing Loss of $120,000—Tanks Containing Oil Ignited Near Taylor, Texas.

Austin, Texas, April 26.—With the bodies of fourteen persons drowned here recovered, eleven persons missing, and rescuing parties still at work among the ruins of 200 homes that were swept away by the rain and wind storm, the citizens of Austin have begun a systematic plan for the relief of the sufferers. Property loss is estimated at $500,000. Temporary headquarters were provided for all whose homes had been swept away or are not habitable and food and clothing is being furnished.

Austin, Texas, April 24.—Floods that swept down Waller and Shoal creeks here took a toll of 15 or 20 lives, according to late estimates. Houses were jammed in masses against the bridges and the high water flooded many business houses. Heroic work was done by citizen rescue parties and by the fire and police departments.

Of eight persons in one house which was swept down Waller creek, all but one are believed to have perished.

COMMUNICATION BY RAIL AND WIRE INTERRUPTED

Dallas, Texas, April 24.—Twenty persons, perhaps more, it was estimated met death in a rain, electrical and wind-storm general over nearly all Texas and eastern Oklahoma. Resultant floods have interrupted communications by rail and wire. In some parts of the storm area, the wind and rain continues. Austin felt the greatest fury of the tempest, which in places reached cyclonic proportions.

Austin Death Toll 15.

The death toll at the state capital is expected to be at least 15.

The storm was especially severe at Austin, and that city was in darkness during the night. It was said about 20 houses had floated to and were packed against a bridge theartening the structure. Rescue squads were busy all night taking endangered persons to higher ground while the rain continued to fall in torrents.

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The Thrall oil field, near Taylor, Texas, tanks containing 150,000 barrels of oil, were set on fire. The loss, it is estimated, would be $75,000. Lightning is believed to have started the blaze.

Lightning started a fire in an oil warehouse in Dallas, causing a loss of $120,000.

FIGHTING HAS NOTHING ON FOOTBALL, WRITES CANADIAN

Minneapolis, April 24.—Fighting in the trenches in France has nothing on football so far as the nervous effect on combatants is concerned, according to one British soldier who has written a letter to a sister living in Minneapolis. This soldier, who is captain of a gun team, writes his sister that he felt more nervous before football games and regattas than he did before going into the trenches for the first time. And it was soccer football at that, a parlor pastime alongside the American gridiron sport.

This soldier is Richard Whetter, of the Royal Highlanders of Canada. His sister is Mrs. A. G. White, wife of the Rev. A. G. White, 417 Fifth avenue southeast.

Chicago Carpenters to Fight.

Chicago, April 24.—A statement defining the position of the union carpenters now conducting negotiations with their former employers seeking to end a strike and lockout, was made public by the state board of arbitration, which announced its own withdrawal from the effort to bring peace. The statement called attention to eighteen other building trades which, with a maximum of 75 and a minimum of 65 cents an hour, an average of 71 cents an hour is paid, one cent more than the wage demanded by the carpenters.

Aberdeen Dry July 1.

Aberdeen, S. D., April 24.—Board of city commissioners canvassed the votes of Tuesday's election, making no changes in the count. Aberdeen was officially declared dry after July 1, the vote being tie, 1,335 each side, whereas a majority of all votes cast on the proposition is required to carry the license.

Shipping to Holland Stopped.

Amsterdam, via London, April 24. The following official statement was issued here in behalf of the British government: "All shipping between Holland and the United Kingdom is stopped for the time being. No ships will leave the United Kingdom for Holland. Ships from Holland will not be admitted to the United Kingdom after this date.

"It is hoped to resume limited cargo and passenger traffic. Special arrangements have been made for the transfer of mails."

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BRAINERD MAN ON EVE OF OPERATION

E. A. Spohn Finds Relief With First Dose of Remarkable Remedy for Stomach.

E. A. Spohn of Brainerd, Minn., R. F. D. No. 2, was so dangerously ill that his physician declared he could not live unless he was operated upon.

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After he had gained back his strength he wrote:

"I thought I would let you know how I was benefited by Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. I took it some time ago. It did all that you claimed it would do. I was so bad that the doctors told me I could not live without an operation, but I did not have one and I don't think I shall ever need one now. I have felt no signs of gall stones since I took your treatment."

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How "Sam" Registered.

Not far from Lexington lives a young farmer, "Sam" Woolridge, who found occasion to stop at the Phoenix, in Lexington. Just before Mr. Woolridge registered, James B. Haggin of New York, owner of the beautiful Elmendorf stock farm, walked to the desk and wrote, "James B. Haggin and Valet, New York."

Mr. Woolridge was the next to register, and this is what he wrote: "Sam Woolridge and Valise, Versailles."

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Selfish Automobilist.

In an argument about world politics—welt politik—Senator Lodge said the other day in Boston:

"The morality of too many governments seems as frankly selfish and as frankly unjust as the man Smithers.

"As Smithers, Havana in mouth, came out of an expensive rêstaurant and started to get into his automobile a creditor held him up.

"'I tell you what it is, Mr. Smithers,' said the creditor, 'you wouldn't go riding round in a fine automobile like that if you paid your debts.'

"'Ha,' said Smithers, 'quite right! My point of view exactly! Glad to know you're in agreement with me. The golf club, Alphonse.'"

Plan Humane Sunday in May.

The American Humane association, a federation of societies and individuals for the prevention of cruelty, requests clergymen of all denominations throughout the country to observe Sunday, May 23, as Humane Sunday, calling attention to the need for protection for suffering and helpless children, and also for unfortunate animals.

Dr. Wm. O. Stillman, president of the association, Albany, N. Y., will send literature to all persons interested in the work of humane societies.

Couldn't See Any Face.

An old friend, whose name I won't mention, told me this one: "I was born and brought up on a farm, and I had the habit of going around with my mouth wide open, especially if there was anything unusual going on. One day an uncle whom I had not seen for years paid us a visit.

"'Hulla, uncle!' said I, looking up at him with my mouth opened like a barn door.

"He looked at me for a moment without answering, and then said:

"'Close your mouth, sonny, so I can see who you are.'"

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"What does he know about the newspaper game?"

"Well, he can handle the shears all right."

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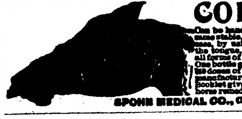

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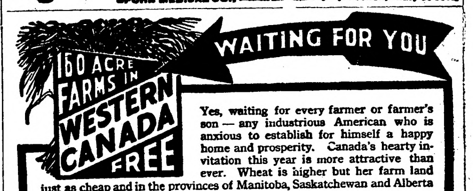
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Mar. 27, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Oluf O. Eggum, of Holt, Minn. who on Mar. 22 1913, made Homestead Entry No. 08942, for SW1-4 NE1-4 Sec. 22, Township 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U.S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota at Middle River, Minn. on the 3rd day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Knutson, Albert C. Jahr, Swan Carlson all of Holt, Minn. and E. E. Pechie of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under act of June, 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.50
Wheat No. 2	1.47
Wheat No. 3	1.41
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Legal Notice.

Estate of Gronvald Minors.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court:

Guardianship in the Matter of the Estate of Henry Milo Clifford Gronvald, Carl Helin Gronvold, Peter Oliver Gronvold, Clara Helen Gronvold and John Helen Gronvold, Wards.

The State of Minnesota to Karoline Gronvold, Henry Milo Clifford Gronvald, Carl Helin Gronvald, Peter Oliver Gronvald, Clara Helen Gronvald and John Helin Gronvald, and all persons interested in the mortgaging of certain lands belonging to said wards. The petition of Karoline Gronvald as representative of the above named wards, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said wards described therein be mortgaged and praying that a license be to her granted to mortgage the same;

NOW, Therefore, You and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the city of Warren, County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of May, 1915, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

[COURT SEAL] Witness, The Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 23rd day of April 1915.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate Court
A. N. Eckstrom, Att'y for petitioner
Warren, Minnesota.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota April 1st, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Ole J. Moen of Holt, Minn. who on May 18th 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 07982, for NW 1-4 SW1-4 Sec. 12 Twp. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioer for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 20th day of May 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Christenson, Carl L. Anderson, Svenke Svenkeson, Frank Erickson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Apr. 19, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Ole M. Larson of Holt, Minn., who on Nov. 22, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05754, for N1-2 SW1-4 Sec. 27, Twp. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 24th day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: A. C. Jahr, Axel Nelson, John Knutson, Clarence Knutson all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 27th 1915.

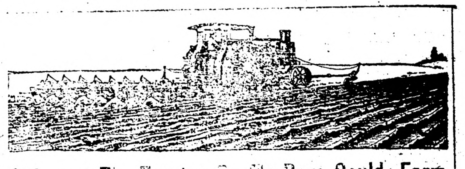
Notice is hereby given that Frank W. Erickson of Holt, Minn., who, on August 25th 1911 made Homestead Entry, No. 06495, for NW1-4NE1-4 & S1-2NE1-4 & Lot 1, Sec. 12, Twp. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 31st day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole J. Moen, Edward Erickson, Svenke Svenkeson and Axel Nelson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Daily Thought.
Sympathy is the safeguard of the human soul against selfishness.—Carlyle.



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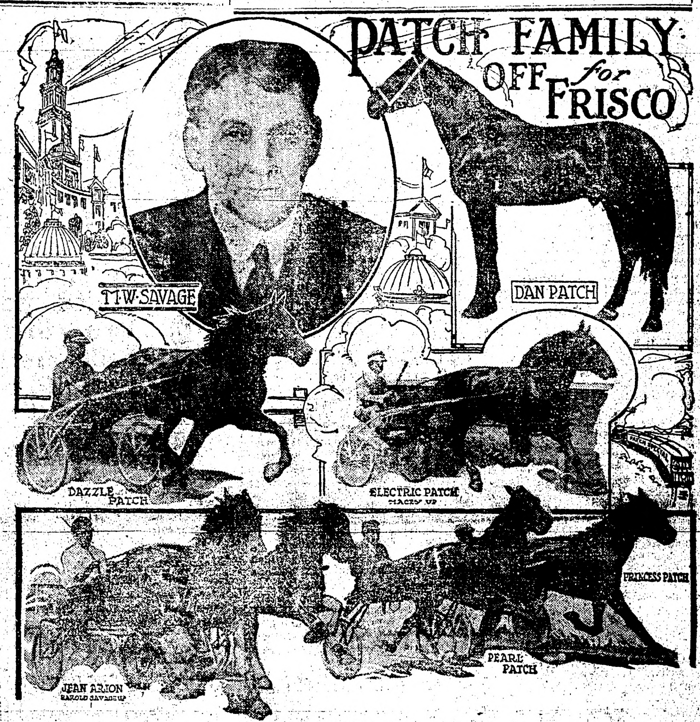

MINNESOTA'S EXHIBIT AT THE WORLD'S FAIR

M. W. SAVAGE OF MINNEAPOLIS SHIPS FAMOUS FAMILY TO FRISCO.

Dan Patch's Colts Will Carry Minnesota Colors in Panama-Pacific Stakes.

Minnesota will be represented at the Panama-Pacific Exposition. The legislature refused to appropriate the money necessary for a model farm home, and the attempt at raising funds from private sources failed. Nevertheless, the North Star State will be heard about by hundreds of thousands of San Francisco visitors from June to September.

Instead of one star there will be a galaxy that will be known as the Savage-Patch Constellation. To be exact, there will be eleven stars, and it is predicted, a meteor or two.

M. W. Savage, at the head of big business enterprises in Minneapolis, and incidentally owner of the best equipped horse breeding farm in America, has taken it upon himself to see that Minnesota is on the exposition map. The premier, Dan Patch, and other world champions have helped to make the farm and its owner known around the world, and the Panama-Pacific visitors will all know they are Minnesota products.

Mr. Savage is a member of the advisory board of the horse department of the world's biggest exposition, and is in close touch with the racing plans. Nearly a year ago he entered some of Dan Patch's most promising colts in the twenty thousand dollar stakes.

Just now he has decided to enter nine more, and take a stable of eleven horses to Frisco. They were shipped in a special car by fast express on March third. Raley Macey, head trainer, will have charge, and with a dozen caretakers, and a truck load of harness, bikes and racing paraphanalia, the Minnesota emigration to California was a considerable one.

"We might as well do it up right," said Mr. Savage to a friend a few days ago. "Minnesota ought to have some exhibit out there, and I'm sending a hundred thousand dollar one. I am going out myself in April, and I hope to be able to arrange an attractive place where our friends from Minnesota and the Northwest can meet each other, and make headquarters."

The horses that will start in the $135,000 worth of races in June and September, are, with one exception, sired by the only Dan Patch. In fact, it will be a regular Patch party, and horse lovers from all over the world will attend.

Minnesota's representatives in the big races are:

SAVAGE STABLE THAT WILL RACE AT SAN FRANCISCO.

DAZZLE PATCH 2:09¾ (trial 2:02½). Pacer. Entered in the $20,000 stake for 2:06 pacers at both the June and October meetings. Six years old. Paced a half in 59 seconds as a two-year old, one in 58 seconds as a three-year-old, and in 56¾ seconds as a four-year-old, at which age he also paced his trial mile of 2:02½ noted above.

ELECTRIC PATCH (3) 2:09¼. Trotter. Entered in the $20,000 stake for 2:10 trotters at both the June and October meetings. Four years old. Trotted a half in 1:05 as a two-year old, and a quarter in 30¼ seconds, a 2:01 clip. Raced last year as a three-year-old, winning eight races without losing a single heat.

PRINCESS PATCH 2:06¾. Pacer. Entered in the $5,000 event for 2:08 pacers. Seven years old. Was separately timed in a race at Cleveland, Ohio, as a four-year-old in 2:05¾. Took an official record of 2:08¼ in 1913, which she lowered in 1914 to 2:06¾, in which time she paced several heats in races.

MARY E. PATCH 2:17¾. Trotter. Entered in the $2,000 event for 2:2? trotters, to which she is eligible on account of the fact that her record was not made in a winning race. As a three-year-old this mare was second to Jack Swift at Milwaukee in 2:10¼, and was one of the fastest trotting colts of that age that Dan ever sired. Since then she has been held over to mature her for hard racing, but was started educationally a couple of times last season.

JEAN ARION 2:08¼. Trotter. Entered in the $5,000 free-for-all trot. Eight years old. Took her record in the second heat of a race at Milwaukee in 1912. Started only once in 1913, winning a race at Cleveland. Last year was held over. Looks capable of trotting a mile in 2:06. Is one of the steadiest and gamest trotting race mares.

POWER PATCH (4) 2:09¼. Pacer. Entered in the $2,000 event for 2:20 pacers. Five years old. Record made against time in 1914, which leaves him eligible to all the slow classes. Is a fast, level-headed pacer, and as his dam was the famous race-mare, Effie Powers 2:08¼, is looked upon as an unusually high-class speed prospect.

BUZZ PATCH (3) 2:12. Pacer. Entered in the $2,000 event for 2:17 pacers. Four years old. Record made against time in 1914 leaves her eligible to all the slow classes. Could have paced a mile last year better than 2:10 as a three-year-old, and has such a flight of speed that she is expected to pace around 2:05 this season.

AGNES PATCH (2) 2:24. Pacer. Entered in the $3,000 stake for three-year-old pacers. Took her record as a two-year-old last year, and shows remarkable speed promise, besides being a show-mare of the first rank.

DRIFT PATCH (2) 2:21. Pacer. Entered in the $3,000 stake for three-year-old pacers. Took his record as a two-year-old last season, and is a young stallion of magnificent conformation and extreme speed.

JUDITH PATCH. Pacer. Two-year old filly by Dazzle Patch; dam, Hal Raven 2:03¾. First colt by Dazzle Patch. Entered in the $2,000 stake for two-year-old pacers. Has shown unusual speed in early training this spring, is level-headed, and acts very much like her sire. This is one of the most beautiful fillies in the world.

FAY PATCH. Trotter. Two year old filly by Dazzle Patch; dam, by Baron Wilkes. Entered in the $2,000 stake for two-year-old troters. A large, strong filly of magnificent conformation and one that with a little handling has shown so much speed at the trot that she is looked upon as a splendid colt performer.

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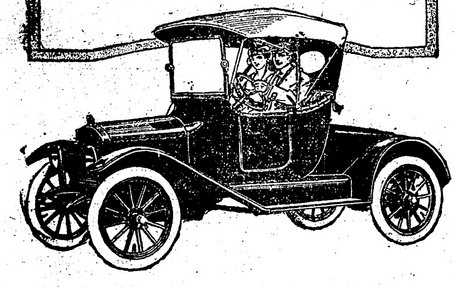

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Local Items

Carlson's are improving the interior of their store with a fresh coat of white paint.

Mrs. A. L. Carlson of T. R. Falls came Monday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. Wegge.

Mesdames R. Reierson and Ludwig Monson went to Silverton, Saturday, to visit Mrs. Andrew Nass.

Miss Alma Dovre, who has been staying in Oslo for some time, came home Friday to remain indefinitely.

Ole Johnson left Monday for Badger where he has employment in the Co-Operative store. We wish him success.

The new building for the telephone and printing offices, is enclosed and will be finished as soon as possible.

Mrs. Carl Frederickson and children came from Theif River Falls, Monday, to visit her mother Mrs. H. Furr and family.

The carpenter work on the addition to A. H. Huseth's store, is being pushed as fast as possible, and it will soon be finished.

For your Automobile Casings, Inner Tubes and Accessories go to Holt Merc. Co. as they have a big supply on hand. All size Casings and Tubes.

Mrs. A. J. Nelson and children, of Elbow Lake, Minn., came Saturday to visit Mrs. D. Payne. The Nelson family will soon move to Thief R. Falls, where Mr. Nelson is employed as relief agent for the "Soo."

Ole Backlund took a telegram out to Elm Lake, Monday, for Alfred Hanson, stating his brother was very sick with diphtheria in Fargo, N. D. Mr. Hanson left the same day for Fargo to be at the bedside of his brother.

The squatters on the Mud Lake bottoms are watching their claims pretty closely, some staying there and others going back and forth, etc. There is a rumor that the land will be open for entry in about 90 days. A Crookston paper claims Congressman Steerenson received the above information from the Interior Dept.

Miss Clara Tobiason, who has been the efficient assistant in the post office for about two years, resigned her position May first. Miss Tobiason has been faithful, courteous and obliging in that capacity, and it is with regret that the public looses so valuable a helper. Miss Hilma Nyberg has taken her place and we wish her success in her new work.

Mrs. Carl Newton received a telegram from McIntosh Monday, telling of the sad death of her sister-in-law Mrs. John Enerson who leaves beside her husband, five small children, the oldest being only eleven years old. The Newton family autoed to McIntosh Tuesday to attend the funeral Wednesday. After the funeral Mrs. Newton will accompany Norman to the hospital at Warren, where he will undergo an operation for the removal of a dead bone from his leg.

C. H. Gunheim was called to Warren early Sunday morning by the serious illness of his brother Ralph who had an operation in the hospital there the day before. Ralph Gunheim whose home is in Fork Minn., went to Warren for treatment and doctors diagnosed his case as cancer of the stomach and advised an operation at once. When Mr. Gunheim left Warren Sunday evening his brother had rallied from the operation but his case is a very serious one.

New School House Occupied.

The Public School discontinued their stay at the old stand to continue their school duties in the New School House Thursday. This event has been looked forward to with keen interest both by the school and parents alike, and while it gives great pleasure to at last enjoy this well equipped modern school house of which any town may well be proud, yet it is with disappointment to both teacher and pupil that their stay in the new school house has been limited to about ten days of this school year.

John Sorum was a passenger for Theif River Falls, Monday afternoon.

There is a pretty good prospect for some June weddings in this part of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Sollom went out to their Mud Lake claim the latter part of last week and remained there over Sunday.

Ole Backlund took Chas. Haggland and family to Ringbo Sunday, to visit his brother, Ole Haggland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alkenbrack, Mrs. E. M. Silbaugh, and son Ernest and Ernest Kuehne autoed to Theif River Falls, Saturday afternoon.

A. H. Huseth has been making some improvements on his residence property of late, such as seeding in a big lawn, building a poultry house, etc.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson, Miss Clara Sollom, Messrs. A. L. Carlson and Henry Wendt were pleasantly entertained at the John Engstrom home, Sunday.

Mrs. Ole Reierson who has recently consulted a physician at Minneapolis in regard to her health, has received encouragement from the doctor. Her many friends hope she will soon be entirely well again.

S. S. Kolden closed a deal yesterday with Mrs. Jacob Nelson whereby the latter becomes the owner of 11 acres of land lying south of C. L. Heinze's forty and east of the R. R. track. Consideration $50.00 per acre.

A. L. Carlson and Pete Anderson entertained the Ladies' club Wednesday evening at the home of A. L. and Arvid Carlson The young men were onto their job and each proved to be an ideal Host Ice cream and cake were served which was enjoyed by all. Before departing for home, each participated in an "old fashion sing" which was enjoyed immensely.

A bunch of ladies, well supplied with good things to eat, silently left their homes and made a raid on the Mickelson home Tuesday evening. Good Mother Mickelson was surprised and when the ladies presented her with a nice birthday present, she realized what the gathering meant. The evening was pleasantly spent in music and conversation and after a fine luncheon, the ladies departed for their homes, wishing the Lady of Honor many happy returns of the Day.

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John Hagberg has received word of the arrival of a 10 pound boy on Monday, May 3rd at his home in Dugdale Mother and baby are doing well

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 27th 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Frank W. Erickson of Holt, Minn., who, on August 25th 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 06495, for NW1-4NE1-4 & S1-2NE1-4 & Lot 1, Sec. 12, Twp. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 31st day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole J. Moen, Edward Erickson, Svenke Svenkeson and Axel Nelson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota April 1st, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Ole J. Moen of Holt, Minn. who on May 18th 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 07982, for NW 1-4 SW1-4 Sec. 12 Twp 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioer for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 20th day of May 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Christenson, Carl L. Anderson, Svenke Svenkeson, Frank Erickson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

SCANDIA BLOCK TRI-STATE PHONE 88
Dr. B. R. Lund, Dentist
Norsk Tandlæge
Thief River Falls - Minn.

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Apr. 19, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Ole M. Larson of Holt, Minn., who on Nov. 22, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05754, for N1-2 S W1-4 Sec. 27, Twp. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 24th day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

A. C. Jahr, Axel Nelson, John Knutson, Clarence Knutson all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.50
Wheat No. 2	1.47
Wheat No. 3	1.41
Wheat No. 4	1.34
Flax	1.77
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Barley	to .58
Rye	1.04
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Entered as second-class matter Sept-22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Carlson's have just got in a new supply of automobile tires.

Ludwig Mouson went out to his claim in Mud Lake last Friday.

Lars Backe visited at the home of his son, B. L. and family Tuesday.

Henry Oien and Alfred Olson went out to their Mud Lake claims, Saturday.

The Holt Merc. Co. have finished their warehouse and filled it with oil and gasoline.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one. A. H. Huseth.

Wheat and rye is looking fine and prospects are good for a bountiful crop this year.

C. F. Nelson was a business caller in Middle River and Theif River Falls, last week Thursday, returning home Friday.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will have an auction sale, of useful articles, May 15th. The ladies will serve lunch in the basement.

It looks as though a building boom was going to strike Holt pretty soon. It would be a good thing as we are greatly in need of more residences.

Chris Yttre and his brother-in-law Albert Johnson went to Middle River Tuesday, the latter to make final proof on his claim in Grand Plain.

Workmen finished painting the new school house, Tuesday, but there is considerable work-odd jobs to be done in and around the building.

A. J. Nelson came up from T. R. Falls, Tuesday, for a short visit with D. Payne, departing the same day, with his family, for Tolley, N. D. where he has work for a couple of months.

Legal Notice.

Estate of Gronvald Minors.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court:

Guardianship in the Matter of the Estate of
Henry Milo Clifford Gronvald, Carl Helin Gronvold, Peter Oliver Gronvold, Clara Helen Gronvold and John Helen Gronvold, Wards.

The State of Minnesota to Karoline Gronvold, Henry Milo Clifford Gronvald, Carl Helin Gronvald, Peter Oliver Gronvald, Clara Helen Gronvald and John Helin Gronvald, and all persons interested in the mortgaging of certain lands belonging to said wards. The petition of Karoline Gronvald as representative of the above named wards, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said wards described therein be mortgaged and praying that a license be to her granted to mortgage the same;

NOW, Therefore, You and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the city of Warren, County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of May, 1915, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

[COURT SEAL] Witness, The Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 23rd day of April 1915.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate Court

A. N. Eckstrom, Att'y for petitioner
Warren, Minnesota.

For Sale!

Horse, harness and buggy. Enquire of Sam Mickelson, Holt, Minn.

Free Mission Church.

2 o'clock Sunday School

3 o'clock Prayer Meeting. Both young and old are cordially invited.

Auction Sale of the Ladies' Aid Saturday evening May 15th, at the church. Special music for the occasion. The ladies will serve lunch in the basement. Everyone invited.

The Young People's Society will meet at the P. A. Riesberg home on Saturday evening May 8th. Officers will be elected at this meeting and every member is urged to be present. A good program is being prepared and everyone is cordially invited to attend and help make this meeting a success in every way.

Mrs. Rustad is on the sick list this week.

Elmer Brink of St. Hilaire visited friends in town Sunday.

Otto Kuehne went to Theif River Falls Monday on business.

Chas. Ljden of Golden Valley looked after business in Thief River Falls, Tuesday.

A large crowd attended the picnic at C. L. Heinze Sunday and a good time is reported.

Ole Reierson went out to his Mud Lake claim Tuesday to make some improvements thereon.

Common bracken fern laid down in places frequented by cockroaches will drive them away.

Miss Anna Reierson was confirmed at the Free Mission church Sunday, Rev. Larson officiating.

Olaf Eggum, A. C. Jahr and John Knutson went to Middle River Monday to make proof on the former's claim.

The Young People's Society will meet to-morrow night (Saturday) at the P. A. Riesberg home & U R invited 2 B there 2. Come! Come!

Sollom Bros. have the sand hauled for the foundation of the addition to their store building, on which the work was commenced Wednesday.

H. G. HIEBER

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

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Dreams.

It is a common saying that one dreams of that which one has been thinking most about. This is the exception and not the rule. The dream may be of something that one thought of at some time, but possibly not for years, that would not be recalled in waking hours, which had lain dormant in the mind, to be prosaically rehearsed through some operation of physical functions, such as impeded respiration, feverish conditions, some posture of the body, a late supper, possibly ended with a dessert of mince pie, stomachic distress, clogging of the circulation or some bodily pain.

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WE AIM TO PLEASE

Southeast of Holt.

Several people from this vicinity attended the confirmation at Holt on Sunday, which was conducted by Rev. Larson of T. R. Falls. A number also attended the picnic at C. L. Heinze's.

Gjermund Johnson was disking for G. A. Soiney on Saturday.

Adolph Ringham of Golden Valley was at S. Moe on Monday after a load of potatoes for Clarence Larson.

Ralph Hansen is working for Gilbert Michaelson.

Ragna Larson visited at Golden Valley last week.

Ludovic and Clara Larson visited at the home of Mike Johnson on Saturday evening.

Miss Ida Gutterud who is working for Mrs. Henry Jensen visited at her home on Sunday.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. N. Sordahl on Thursday May 13th. Everybody invited.

S. Moe was to Steiner with a load of wheat Monday.

Andrew Sorum purchased a motorcycle last week.

Targie Brokkee of T. R. Falls came down Sunday to look at his land.

C. Martel has bought a well drilling machine.

Albert Johnson of Grand Plain visited Chris Yttre, a couple of days this week.

Henry Amble is having a well drilled on the old Anton Peterson farm, which Knute Moen is working this season.

A. R. Jones is building a barn 12x16 with 12 foot posts, on the lot south of the lumber shed. Mr. J. will use it for stabling his driving team.

Clarence Kolden, Clarence Docken, L. A. Jensen, Misses Edna and Lydia Riesberg and Ella Olberg autoed to Theif River Falls, Saturday evening.

S. S. Kolden has cleared off and broken up 12 lots, north of the Synod church property, and has them in fine shape for a garden or for residence lots.

Northeast of Holt.

Mrs. Ole Davidson called on Mrs Erick Johnson last Thursday.

Mrs. C. Anderson spent Sunday afternoon at T. Severson's.

Joseph and Ingvald Johnson called at C. W. Christianson's Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Matt Larson called at Erick Johnson's one day last week.

Mabel Johnson visited with Blanche Horien Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson attended confirmation exercises at the Free Mission church Sunday forenoon

C. W. Christianson called at G. P. Sorter's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Olson of Holt.

Mrs. Hjalmar Dovre and Mrs. C. Anderson drove to Holt last Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Hanson returned Tuesday, after a two weeks visit with relatives at Strandquist.

Miss Olga Furr returned from Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Nils Engrebretsen is painting his post office building this week.

The paraphernalia of the old school houses were moved into the new one Wednesday.

Fifty-three cases of eggs and 28 tubs of butter were shipped from this station, Saturday.

Ole Backlund took Dr. Heine of Theif River Falls, out to the Olaf Eggum farm Saturday on professional business.

Racine Olson has resigned his position in the blacksmith shop and has painted the interior of the restaurant and will do some painting for R. L. Olson soon.

Clean Up Notice!

Notice is hereby given to all owners and occupants of property within the village of Holt, that all garbage, rubbish, manure or anything that will cause a stench, must be removed from all lots, streets and alleys on or before the 15th day of May 1915.

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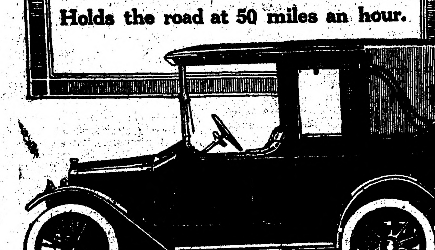

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Local Items

P. A. Riesberg visited in Thief River Falls, Friday.

The Holt public school will close next week Tuesday.

Anton Sagstuen went to Thief River Falls, Wednesday.

A. H. Huseth has repaired the roof of his confectionery store.

Hans and Henry Stensrud were in Thief River Falls, Friday, on business.

Miss Jessie Grondahl went to Strachcona Saturday for an over Sunday visit with her parents.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Gust Peterson, Wednesday May 19th. Everyone invited.

A picked up nine of Holts crack ball players went down to defeat on the battle ground at Anita, Sunday.

The Erickson boys struck water on the old Anton Peterson farm, at a depth of 125 feet and got a 95 foot raise.

Carl Newton and family returned home from McIntosh Monday evening-just in time to escape a hard rain which fell that night.

Arvid and "Tony" Carlson attended a meeting and banquet of the Elks lodge in Thief River Falls, Friday night and report a Big time.

Mr. Sneting of near Glenwood was in Holt Monday looking for a location for a butcher shop and was well pleased with the prospect here.

The new building for the printing office and the telephone exchange is about completed and we will probably move into our new office sometime next week.

The partition wall in the rear of the Holt State Bank has been moved to the west, thereby making a much larger and better private office for the bank officials.

A good crowd attended the Young People's meeting at the Riesberg home Saturday evening and had an enjoyable time. The following officers were elected:
President, Arvid Carlson; Vice-President, Henry Wendt; Treasurer, Martin Mattson; Secretary, P. L. Anderson; Program Committee, Miss Edna Riesberg, Clarence Docken and A. L. Carlson.

There was a good attendance at the mass meeting called for Tuesday evening. Everyone favored fire protection and the majority were largely in favor of wells and storage tanks and a fire engine. Many favored bonding the town and putting in a good system of fire protection and putting up a town building large enough for all uses of the village. It will take sometime to do all this and the council is going ahead in a business like way about the matter, will investigate the different systems before investing in them.

Sunday forenoon, while John Alkenbrack and his father were returning home from K. T. Knutson's, the front axle of his car broke, and the machine dropped to the ground without any other mishap. The breakdown occured between the homes of Mrs. Rux and Oscar Hanson, on the ridge road, where there were some mud holes made by the recent rains. Mr. Alkenbrack had just passed thru one of these mud holes and was running very slowly when the accident occured, otherwise they might have been severely injured. Upon investigation it was found that the axle had previously been cracked and it was a narrow escape from a terrible accident.

Notice to Road Contractors!

Notice is hereby given that the Town Board of Holt will meet at Gust Peterson's place, on Tuesday May 18th 1915 at 10 o'clock A. M. to contract out some road work between Secs. 35 and 36, 23 and 24, 28 and 26.

Dated this 8th day of May 1915.

By Order of Town Board.
T. B. Folden, Town Clerk.

D. B. Backe was up from T. R. Falls between trains Wednesday.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one. A. H. Huseth.

Mesdames R. Reierson and Ludvig Monson returned yesterday from several days visit with relatives at Silverton.

B. L. Backe took his wife's mother, Mrs. Thomas, to Grygla Monday, where she is to teach a term of Norwegian school.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken are the owners of a fine player piano which they received Monday and placed in their pleasant home.

P. L. Anderson, A. H. Huseth, Clarence Kolden, L. A. Jensen and Hans Folstad autoed to Thief River Falls, Sunday, on a pleasure trip.

John Johnson and Arthur Brotten went out to the Ole Ostby farm Monday where they will build a large house and barn for the owner.

Mrs. Carl Frederickson and children returned to Thief River Falls, Monday, after a few days visit with her mother, Mrs. H. Furr and family.

During the electrical storm Tuesday evening a telephone pole near the T. R. Folden farm, was struck and the wire either broken or burned in two, at five different places.

Stensrud Bros. have purchased a new gas tractor and took it out to their farms Monday. It is a new style machine and much lighter in weight than the ordinary gas tractor but no doubt will do good work.

The foundation of the addition to the store of Sollom Bros. is completed and the carpenters have commenced work on the frame. The addition is 24x50 with 12 foot posts and it will make a good store room.

Twin girls were born to Mr. and Mrs. Olaus Rodahl last week, Friday May 7th. Mother and babies are getting along fine, largely due to the professional services of Dr. Gamble. Congratulations are extended to the happy parents.

Little Lillian and Edna Payne returned home Saturday from Nielsville where they have been attending school the past year They were accompanied by their grandmother, Mrs. L. S. Kolden, who visited a few days at the Payne home.

John Hagberg went to Dugdale Saturday to visit his family and interview that new son of his. Mr. Hagberg returned to his work here Monday, bringing his two oldest girls who will visit Grandma Nelson at the restaurant for a short time.

Mrs. P. O. Reierson returned last Sunday afternoon from several days visit at Newfolden. Her daughter Mrs. J. C. Sorenson and children, came with her and will visit here for sometime, as her husband and Mr. Shaveland of Newfolden will go on an auto trip to Montana to look for a claim.

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Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
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The Loss of Property

By Fire in the U. S.

During a Recent Year

Amounted to

$215,084,709

It was remarkably evenly divided between the Urban & Rural Population, the Loss in Cities & Towns

Amounting to

$107,093,283

In the Rural Districts

$107,991,426

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The Farmer's Assurance

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"& PLENTY OF IT"

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LAWYER

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Thief River Falls, Minn

Miss Olga Thoreson of Rosewood is working for Mrs. B. L. Backe.

Rev Aastad and H. Loken of T. R. Falls were here Tuesday on business.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 27th 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Frank W. Erickson of Holt, Minn., who, on August 25th 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 06495, for NW1-4NE1-4 & S1-2NE1-4 & Lot 1, Sec. 12, Twp. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 31st day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole J. Moen, Edward Erickson, Svenke Svenkeson and Axel Nelson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 1st, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Ole J. Moen of Holt, Minn. who on May 18th 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 07982, for NW 1-4 SW1-4 Sec. 12 Twp. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 20th day of May 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole Christenson, Carl L. Anderson, Svenke Svenkeson, Frank Erickson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

SCANDIA BLOCK TRI-STATE PHONE

Dr. B. R. Lund, Dentist

Norsk Tandlæge

Thief River Falls - Minn.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM LANDS

MACKEY J. THOMPSON

FARM MORTGAGES

ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

CONTRACTS, FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGES

EPITOME OF EVENTS

PARAGRAPHS THAT PERTAIN TO MANY SUBJECTS.

ARE SHORT BUT INTERESTING

Brief Mention of What Is Transpiring In Various Sections of Our Own and Foreign Countries.

WAR NEWS.

The Austrian submarine U-F has torpedoed and sunk the French cruiser Leon Gambetta in the Ionian sea. Reports say nearly the entire crew of over 700 were drowned.

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A German aeroplane has attacked Nancy, France. Three bombs were dropped in the center of the city. Three persons were killed and a number of others were injured seriously.

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The British government by an order in council has commandeered the whole meat carrying capacity of all British steamships trading between Europe and the Argentine and Uruguayan republics.

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American oil tank steamer Gulflight, bound for a French port, has been torpedoed off the Scilly islands. The captain died of heart failure as a result of the shock and two seamen jumped overboard and were drowned.

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The German auxiliary cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm, which put into Newport News, Va., on April 11, after a notable commerce-destroying cruise will be interned until after the war at the Norfolk navy yard near her sister raider, the Prinz Eitel Friedrich.

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The British chancellor of the exchequer has introduced in the house of commons his measures for controlling the liquor traffic. These consist of proposals for doubling the duty on spirits, quadrupling the duties on wines and an increase in the tax on beer.

GENERAL.

Senator Duncan U. Fletcher of Florida was re-elected president of the Southern Commercial congress at Muskogee, Okla.

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A legal contest by the owners of the Willard-Johnson fight films to bring the films into this country has begun at Newark, N. J.

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The Philadelphia Automobile club has notified the Omaha Automobile club that all trans-continental tours suggested by the club had been mapped through Omaha.

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China has replied to the Japanese demands in a note, which while complying with some of the demands, definitely refuses to accede to others, including the most important embodied in what is known as group five.

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The Interoceanic Canal company, incorporated in 1900 with the object of connecting the Atlantic and Pacific by a canal through Nicaragua, filed a certificate of dissolution at Trenton, N. J. The company was a $100,000,000 corporation. Its outstanding capital stock was $7,000.

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Eighteen labor leaders and eighty-two individuals and corporations are involved in eight indictments charging restraint of trade through interfering with interstate shipments which were returned before Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis in the United States district court at Chicago.

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Work has been started on the monster motordrome and sports amphitheater which has been proposed and discussed for New York for the last five years. This project, which is expected to rival the Brookland track of England and the Indianapolis Auto Speedway. It will accomodate about 200,000 people.

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The Dallas-Celilo canal was opened at Big Eddy to navigation. It was completed after ten years of work at an expenditure of $4,850,000 by the federal government and opens the Columbia river to steamer traffic from the Pacific ocean to Priest Rapids, Wash., a distance of 450 miles, and to Lewiston, Idaho, on the Snake river, a tributary of the Columbia, 475 miles.

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Professors from the principal colleges and universities of the United States, attended the dedication at St. Louis of the three new buildings of the medical college of Washington university.

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Frank A. Vanderlin, president of the National City bank, New York, at the annual meeting of the American academy of political and social science in Philadelphia, said that the United States has not yet felt the full financial effect of the European war.

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W. J. Nichols, former member of the North Carolina legislature, lost his fight to prevent his return from Kansas to South Carolina on a federal indictment in connection with operation of a farm loan scheme.

Bucket shops in the United States will make $10,000,000 this year if they continue at the present rate, according to the report of a special committee of the New York stock exchange.

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Judge John W. Anderson of Sioux City set June 1 as the date for pronouncing sentence on George Pierce, former police chief, who was convicted of conspiracy to allow resorts to operate in the city without police molestation.

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Dr. Simon Lexer, director of the Rockefeller institution, said in an address at the St. Louis City club that the time would come when city, state and nation would have to contribute to the support of institutions of medical research.

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Jose Maytorena, Villa chieftain in Sonora, established an embargo on the export of all foodstuffs from Sonora. At the same time he ordered merchants at Nogales, Sonora, to sell bread for Villa currency on a parity with the price demanded in gold.

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The report of T. R. Henahan, Colorado commissioner of mining, issued at Denver, shows that the mineral production of Colorado for the year 1914 aggregates $34,258,779.19. The production of gold was $21,233,174.07; silver, $4,617,402.36; the total production of mineral in 1913 was worth $34,839,577.49.

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After describing the workings of the European cartel system of trade organizations to members of the Industrial club of Chicago, at a banquet at Chicago, Joseph E. Davies, chairman of the Federal Trade commission, said: "It would be a confession of unfitness if this country should be unable to meet conditions such as these in the world trade."

SPORTING

A bill legalizing horse racing in Illinois with bookmaking included, was favorably reported in the Illinois state senate.

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Sidney Hatch of the Illinois Athletic club won the annual marathon of the Missouri Athletic association at St. Louis.

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Nebraska was literally swamped in the annual track and field meet between the Huskers and the Ames Aggies at Lincoln. Ames winning, 83 to 31.

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Including the prize money which is offered this year for the 500-mile auto race over the Indianapolis speedway on May 31, there will have been awarded $250,000 in prizes.

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Umpire Rigler and Manager Herzog of Cincinnati fought on the St. Louis National league field and later caused each other's arrest upon charges of peace disturbing.

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Only Governor Ferris' signature is needed to make a law of Senator Paul's bill legalizing boxing contests in Michigan under control of a state commission. The house of representatives passed the bill 55 to 40.

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Bob Burnham won the 200 mile southwest sweepstakes automobile road race at Oklahoma City, Okla., for a purse of $5,000. His time was 2 hours and 56 minutes, 3-5 seconds. Dave Lewis was second and John Raimey third.

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The Chicago Americans sold Outfielder Larry Chappell to the Milwaukee American association base ball team for a price said to be $5,000. Chappell was bought from Milwaukee two years ago, the price being reported to be $18,000.

WASHINGTON.

The agricultural department has removed all foot and mouth restrictions through considerable Illinois, Iowa, Kentucky, Michigan and Wisconsin areas.

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The war department announced that army officers, weary of duty on the Mexican border, will no longer be able to obtain transfer to Philippine service out of turn.

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To create a petroleum reserve for the navy, secretary of the navy Daniels recommended to the president that he set aside 40,000 acres in Natrona county, Wyoming.

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Secretary Daniels has announced the appointment of Captain William S. Benson to the newly-created post of chief of operations of the navy. Captain Benson now is commandant of the Philadelphia navy yard.

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The resignation of William E. Andrews of Hastings, Neb., as auditor of the treasury, has been accepted and Sam Patterson of Arapahoe was named as his successor, according to reports.

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The department of agriculture announced that the prices of meat animals, hogs, cattle, sheep and chickens to producers of the United States on April 15 averaged about $6.59 per hundredweight. A year ago the average was $7.40.

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The Interior department has rendered a decision adverse to McCutcheon brothers, who claim 160 acres of oil land in the Marcopa, Cal., field, estimated to be worth $900,000. The ruling is expected to affect claims aggregating many millions.

ZEPPELINS MAKE RAID ON ENGLAND

DROP ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE BOMBS ON TOWNS FORTY MILES FROM LONDON.

DAMAGE TO PROPERTY HEAVY

South End, Leigh-on-Sea and Canvoy Island In Thames Suffer—One Woman Killed and Several Persons Injured.

Sunderland, Scotland, May 11.—The steamer Wilhelmina, owned by the A. H. Hull Steamship company, of 1,696 tons, has been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine.

London, May 11.—Zeppelins and aeroplanes dropped bombs within 40 miles of London. They flew over South End and its suburb, Westcliff, at the mouth of the Thames. Many bombs were dropped and extensive property damage was done, many buildings either being demolished or set on fire.

Woman Is Killed.

Two persons were seriously injured. A woman known to have been killed was Mrs. Agnes Whitwell, who jumped from a window. The authorities report to the officials here that 38 bombs fell around Queen Mary's hospital, but fortunately none hit the structure.

The raid took place early when the residents of the two towns were in bed. It is stated that the aircraft came from the direction of the North sea, but their course afterward is not yet known.

The raiders proceeded as far as Ben Fleet and then turned seaward, heading back to Germany.

Warning of the approach of hostile air craft was given South End at an early hour. Several machines took part in the raid.

Several Shops Burned.

It is reported that several shops were burned at Leigh, a town near South End. Four Zeppelins are said to have dropped 40 or 50 bombs there.

It is estimated 100 bombs were dropped at South End and vicinity and 25 at Leigh-on-Sea. Eight buildings were set on fire at South End. The forts at the mouth of the Thames fired a fusillade of shells at the aircraft, finally driving them off. The gas works at Leigh-on-Sea was the object of the attack there, but it failed utterly.

The troops were ordered out, and the special military constables who have been sworn in for just such emergencies were soon on hand to quiet the people and receive the injured.

English Aircraft Pursues.

A British airoplane went in pursuit and drove the hostile aircraft to the sea.

A number of bombs were dropped on Canvoy island, in the Thames, where high explosives are stored, but no damage was done. Bombs were also dropped without result on the marine parade grounds and near the gas works.

South End is a municipal borough and popular seaside resort of England, in Essex, at the mouth of the Thames on the north side near Sheerness and 40 miles from London. Its population is about 30,000. West Cliff-on-Sea is a less crowded suburb of South End.

Finds Kaiser Guilty of Murder.

Kinsale, Ireland, May 11.—The coroner's jury which has been investigating the deaths attendant upon the loss of the Lusitania, returned the following verdict:

"The jury finds that this appalling crime was contrary to international law and the conventions of all civilized nations and we therefore charge the officers of the submarine and the German emperor and the government of Germany, under whose orders they acted, with wholesale murder."

Mme. Depage Among Dead.

Queenstown, May 11.—The body of Mme. Marie Depage, wife of Dr. Antoine Depage, medical director of the Belgian Red Cross, is among the identified dead. Mme. Depage recently lectured in the United States on conditions in Belgium and collected funds for the suffering of her country.

Says Germany Was Justified.

New York, May 11. — Dr. Bernard Dernburg, former colonial secretary of the German empire, in a talk with representatives of the press here, reiterated and emphasized statements he made in Cleveland holding that the German government was justified in its action of sinking the Cunard liner Lusitania.

Victoria Under Martial Law.

Victoria, B. C., May 11.—Victoria is under martial law as a result of renewed attacks upon German establishments by mobs bent upon revenging the sinking of the Lusitania.

Debaters To Seek Peace.

New York, May 11.—Representatives of the Carnegie endowment for international peace have announced that the endowment will undertake during the next few months a campaign to disseminate throughout the United States international information in the interest of peace. Special efforts will be made to cover the southern and middle western states. Skilled debaters have been engaged to deliver peace addresses from 1,600 Chautauqua platforms to audiences which it is estimated will aggregate 4,000,000 persons.

WILSON WILL ACT WITH FIRMNESS

KNOWS PEOPLE WISH RIGHT ACTION TAKEN IN LUSITANIA MATTER.

115 AMERICANS LOSE LIVES

Government Learns Ill-Fated Liner Was Not Armed and Therefore Not Liable to Attack Under Law.

Washington, May 10. — President Wilson, on whom the eyes of the world are focused at the present moment, is studying in quiet seclusion the aspects of law and fact in connection with the sinking by a German torpedo of the British liner Lusitania, with a loss of 115 American lives.

The great human tragedy, coupled with the responsibilities of the hour, caused the president to deny himself to all callers, even to members of his official family, while he turned over in his mind the course to be pursued by the United States government in one of the most serious crises in its history.

Wilson's First Word.

The only glimpse of the workings of the President's mind was given when the White House isssued its first formal comment on the disaster. The announcement was made that the President realized the country expected him to deal with the situation "with deliberation as well as firmness."

After a conference with the President at the White House, Secretary Tumulty said:

"Of course, the President feels the distress and the gravity of the situation to the utmost and is considering very earnestly, but very calmly, the right course of action to pursue. He knows that the people of the country wish and expect him to act with deliberation as well as with firmness."

Carried No Arms.

One important fact was definitely ascertained by the Washington government from the port authorities at New York, who gave clearance to the Lusitania—that she carried no guns, either mounted or unmounted, in accordance with the caution of the tate department and the British government early in the war.

This disposed, in the minds of officials, of the claim that the German submarine had a right to attack the Lusitania because she was an auxiliary or a converted cruiser. Officials of the Cunard line are understood to have stated that the Lusitania was not convoyed.

No Excuse Under Law.

These facts, in the opinion of law officers of the American government, left the German submarine no excuse under law or reason for an attack without warning on a ship with hundreds of noncombatants aboard, including neutral men, women and children.

The position of the United States has been that the presence of contraband—even arms and ammunition—according to the rules of international law, including the declaration of London, which Germany has upheld, cannot warrant the sinking of a merchantman without the previous exercise of the right of visit and search and the removal of noncombatants to a place of safety.

Germany Was Warned.

The government stated this in its last note to Germany and at the same time issued a warning that the imperial German government would be held "to a strict accountability" by the United States for any loss of American vessels or lives.

The suggestion that the warnings by the German embassy in newspaper advertisements should have been sufficient to deter Americans from traveling aboard ships flying the British flag was widely commented upon among diplomats.

No Official Notice.

At the State department, Secretary Bryan revealed that the embassy's warning had never been officially communicated to the State department, and that since the announcement by the German admiralty in February of its proclamation of a war zone, the American protest and the reply from Germany saying the government would disclaim responsibility for accidents to neutrals, the subject for several weeks had not been officially mentioned between the Berlin and Washington governments.

Italian Troops to Front.

London, May 10.—A Copenhagen correspondent sends the following: "A private message from Berlin states that Italy yesterday called to the colors all infantry classes from 1876. Many trains loaded with troops are proceeding to the front."

MRS. CARMAN ACQUITTED ON CHARGE OF MURDER

Mineola, L. I., May 10.—A verdict of acquittal was returned after a short deliberation by the jury trying Mrs Florence C. Carman on the charge of murdering Mrs. Louise Bailey at Freeport on the night of June 30 last.

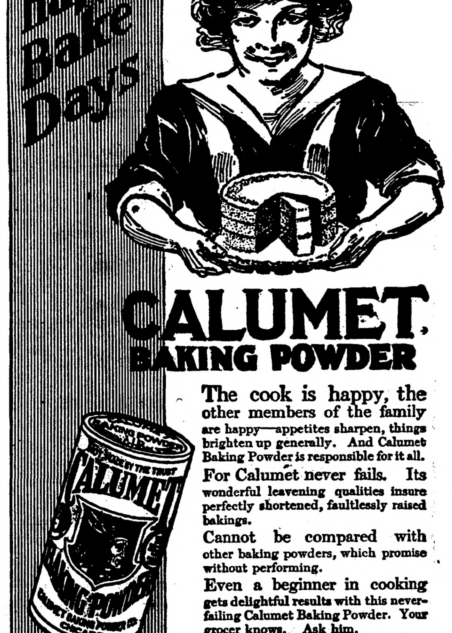
The jury was agreed on the first ballot and the verdict was returned in one hour and twelve minutes after the jury had retired.

Are Acting Promptly.

London, May 10.—Before taking action on the Lusitania disaster President Wilson must have official information gathered by representatives of the American government. That is being gathered now.

Consul Frost of Cork is also making reports on the political aspect. Ambassador Page is sending information to Washington hourly. It cannot be long before the whole evidence is in President Wilson's hands.

No action may be expected from the President until he has been fully informed.



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The cook is happy, the other members of the family are happy—appetites sharpen, things brighten up generally. And Calumet Baking Powder is responsible for it all.

For Calumet never fails. Its wonderful leavening qualities insure perfectly shortened, faultlessly raised bakings.

Cannot be compared with other baking powders, which promise without performing.

Even a beginner in cooking gets delightful results with this never-failing Calumet Baking Powder. Your grocer knows. Ask him.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS
World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill.
Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912.

You don't save money when you buy cheap or big-can baking powder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's more economical—more wholesome—gives best results. Calumet is far superior to sour milk and soda.

But it's difficult to judge a woman by what she doesn't say.

There's a vast difference between theoretical and practical religion.

Drink Denison's Coffee.
Always pure and delicious.

Jobless Turn to Gold Mining.

How to provide for the army of the unemployed, thrown out of work because of the business depression resulting from the European war, is naturally a much more serious problem in the British colonies than anywhere else outside of the continent of Europe. The city of Edmonton, Canada, has found at least a partial solution, and one that puts no added burden on either the taxpayer or the charitable. The bars of the Saskatchewan river, which runs through the city, contain much gold dust of the very fine flour variety. With the outbreak of the European war and the necessity to provide as much available work for men whom war conditions might throw out of employment, the city council turned to the gold-mining industry, which offered returns right within a hundred yards of the city's main streets. A number of experienced mining men who had settled in the city after the Klondike rush of '98 offered to act for a while as instructors to the uninitiated, and some 200 men soon went to work. The average cleanup per man for the months of August and September was about $1.50 to $2 a day.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

The Modern Child.

"I suppose you are going to take your children to see the circus."

"No, I'm afraid I'll have to go alone. Their time is so taken up with tango teas, hesitation hops and foxtrot functions that they really haven't an evening to spare."

Useful Study.

"I see Jimmie studies his arithmetic lesson faithfully every night now."

"Yes, the class has taken up percentage, and he's learning how to figure out batting averages."

FIND OUT

The Kind of Food that will Keep You Well.

The true way is to find out what is best to eat and drink, and then cultivate a taste for those things instead of poisoning ourselves with improper, indigestible food, etc.

A conservative Mass. woman writes: "I have used Grape-Nuts 5 years for the young and for the aged; in sickness and in health; at first following directions carefully, later in a variety of ways as my taste and judgment suggested.

"But its most special, personal benefit has been as a substitute for meat, and served dry with cream when rheumatic troubles made it important for me to change diet.

"Served in this way with the addition of a cup of hot Postum and a little fruit it has been used at my morning meal for six months, during which time my health has much improved, nerves have grown steadier, and a gradual decrease in my excessive weight adds greatly to my comfort."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Mirrors Protect Bank Vaults.

In constructing a vault in the basement of one of the Los Angeles banks, a plan has been followed which makes the six sides of the chamber visible to a watchman and eliminates all chances of its being entered by tunneling beneath it. It is set on concrete columns in the middle of a white-tiled pit which is brightly illuminated. To make it possible to command a view of the space beneath the vault, from the level above, mirrors have been arranged on the floor at such an angle that every part of the space is reflected in them. Light is reflected by the white walls so that the top of the vault is illuminated and easily inspected.

MINNEAPOLIS WOMAN ESCAPES OPERATION

Mrs. Sinclair Finds Wonderful Remedy in Time to Avoid Knife.

Mrs. Sadie E. Sinclair of 418 East Lake st., Minneapolis, suffered from stomach derangements for more than six years. She became despondent and hopeless. She feared she would have to undergo an operation. Her complexion suffered along with her general health.

Then she discovered Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and took a course of treatment. The first dose brought results. She wrote:

"Only one dose and I slept like a log. And I felt relieved right away. If I should need any more medicine you may be sure I will send for it. It is a wonder one can be rid of such conditions without pain. And my complexion is clearing; they all speak of it—I was so yellow and brown before."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.—Adv.

Dog Hero Saves Little Girl.

Little Elsie Perry, daughter of C. L. Perry of Wilson, N. C., was saved from the fangs of a rabid dog by the bravery of a nondescript dog, the property of Mr. Perry, and the constant playmate of little Elsie.

While playing in front of her home the little girl was attacked by a large dog, which came running down the street. Her playmate, much smaller than the attacking dog, threw himself on it, and battled grimly, until the little girl escaped into he house. The canine hero was terribly bitten in the encounter, and when it was learned that the strange dog had rabies, the hero had to be shot, as physicians said it was certain he would go mad. He was buried with the highest honors.

Not Asking Much.

"So you are ambitious to have a little garden?"

"Yes."

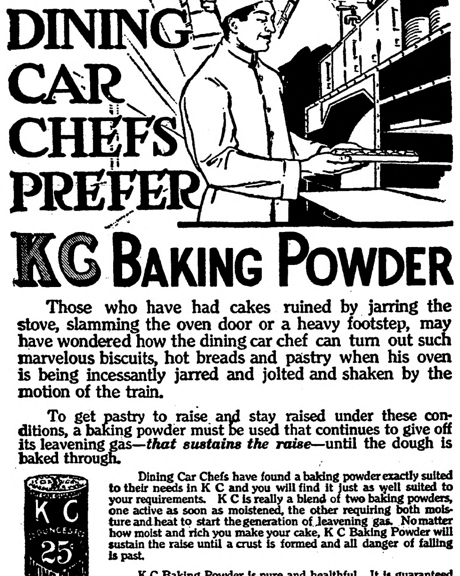
"You ought to get a lot of pleasure out of it."

"I don't expect to get any pleasure out of it, but if I can get a few beets and turnips in return for a great deal of hard work I'll be satisfied."

Too True.

"What is the main point of a censor's job?"

"I guess it's incensing people."



WHY DINING CAR CHEFS PREFER KC BAKING POWDER

Those who have had cakes ruined by jarring the stove, slamming the oven door or a heavy footstep, may have wondered how the dining car chef can turn out such marvelous biscuits, hot breads and pastry when his oven is being incessantly jarred and jolted and shaken by the motion of the train.

To get pastry to raise and stay raised under these conditions, a baking powder must be used that continues to give off its leavening gas—*that sustains the raise*—until the dough is baked through.

Dining Car Chefs have found a baking powder exactly suited to their needs in K C and you will find it just as well suited to your requirements. K C is really a blend of two baking powders, one active as soon as moistened, the other requiring both moisture and heat to start the generation of leavening gas. No matter how moist and rich you make your cake, K C Baking Powder will sustain the raise until a crust is formed and all danger of falling is past.

K C Baking Powder is pure and healthful. It is guaranteed under all pure food laws, and is guaranteed to please you. And it is sold at a reasonable price—no baking powder should sell for more.

54 *Try a can at our risk and be convinced.*

Among the Wounded.

It happened at Christ's church dispensary. The little fellow had a badly dislocated thumb. He was only nine years old, but he was brave, and scarcely winced as the doctor pulled and hauled to get it back into position.

"We'll have you back in the trenches soon," said the doctor. "How do you stand on this war, anyway?"

"How do you t'ink I stand?" said the boy. "I'm a Belgian."

"How did you dislocate your thumb?" asked the doctor, somewhat abashed.

"Swinging on a German kid, but gee!"—a grin of delight overspread his countenance—"you just ought to see him!"—New York Evening Post.

Proof.

Will—So you think she loves you?

Ned—Of course! She accepts everything I give her!—Judge.

It is easy to size up egotism that is not causing our own skulls to bulge.

He's Got It.

"Doctor, I'm afraid I've an attack of spring fever and ague."

"Indeed? How does it affect you?"

"My temperature goes up when I start for business, and when I get there I feel like shaking work."

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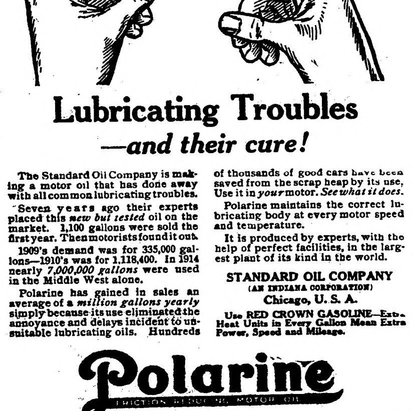

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The Government this year is asking farmers to put increased acreage into grain. Military service is not compulsory in Canada but there is a great demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for service. The climate is healthful and agreeable, railway facilities excellent, good schools and churches convenient. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Superintendent Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to

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CHURCH SYNODS AGREE TO UNION

THREE THOUSAND CONGREGATIONS OVER ENTIRE COUNTRY ARE INVOLVED.

STATE NEWS OF MINNESOTA

Interesting and Important Happenings Of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

Minneapolis.—Final steps in the preparation for a union between the three largest and oldest Norwegian church denominations were taken when a joint committee representing the synods met at the Hotel Andrews to draw up a constitution for the amalgamation. A doctrinal agreement has been adopted by the three churches and articles of agreement relating to church property by two, so members of the committee were confident that the union, which has been sought for years will soon be an actuality.

The churches represented are the Norwegian Synod of America, the Hauges Norwegian Lutheran synod and the United Norwegian Lutheran. The committee represents more than 1,000 ministers and 3,000 churches located in various parts of the country.

Union of the three churches was discussed for several years before any actual steps were taken, but in 1912 representatives of the churches met in Madison, Wis., and after a long consideration of the doctrinal beliefs of the churches drew up the "Opgjoer," a doctrinal agreement which was presented to the churches involved and adopted by them.

The next step to be taken was to arrive at articles of agreement, relating to questions of church property and other business details. A meeting for this took place in Minneapolis last year and the articles drawn up have been adopted by the United church and the Norwegian synod.

STOPS SHIPMENT OF GRAIN

Canadian Order Taken As Most Sensational Since War Began—Wheat Dealers Are Puzzled.

Duluth.—Canada has stopped the shipment of grain from that country, and, according to a dispatch received here, the closest restriction will be enforced.

The dispatch, which was received at the close of the market here, came to a vessel concern, and reads as follows:

"Ottawa has notified shippers that grain cannot leave Canada for the United States unless it is for domestic consumption. Exports cannot leave Canada for the United Kingdom unless specified consignees are named; nor to any foreign country unless under Ottawa permit."

"Domestic consumption," as mentioned in the dispatch, is taken by grain men here as meaning Canadian consumption, the grain passing through American ports on its way to Canadian points other than the point of origin.

Locally the order was taken as the most sensational the grain market has received since the war broke out.

The Ottawa order is taken by Duluth grain men as meaning that Canada is either short of grain or that a long and trying war is anticipated by Canada and the United Kingdom.

Finds Mother After Forty Years.

East Grand Forks.—Separated from his mother and other members of the family at the age of three years, when his father died and children of the family were adopted by neighbors, George Kenney, a prominent East Grand Forks man, got into communication with his mother for the first time. Mrs. D. W. Baldwin, of Whittemore, Iowa, is the mother, and the relationship was established accidentally, through a mutual friend. Mr. Kenney expects to go to Whittemore soon to visit his mother, the first time he will have seen her in 40 years—during which time he has never previously known of her whereabouts.

Look for Charlie Chaplin.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Charlie Chaplin day was evident at the West hotel headquarters of the convention of the Motion Picture Exhibitors association of the Northwest.

Two aspiring young movie actors, made up in true Chaplin style, paraded the lobby throughout the afternoon and the advent of several score of the famous Chaplin moustaches, adorning otherwise beardless faces, added to the spirit of the festivities. There is still hope that Chaplin may be here in person, although it is not yet definitely decided.

Appropriate $1,000 for Agent.

Stillwater.—The board of county commissioners has appropriated $1,000 to aid in paying the salary of the county agent and his expenses. The amount to be raised is $4,000. The state pays $600 and the United States $300 of that sum. There will be about $2,100 to be raised by private subscription by farmers and business men. Senator George H Sullivan, with representatives of farmers and civic organizations, embracing memberships of 1,300 men, asked for the appropriation.

WINONA PREPARES FOR U. C. T.

Baseball Games and Special Moving Pictures Included in Program for State Meeting.

Winona.—Band music, auto rides, baseball and dancing are included in the general outline of the program of the twenty-second annual Grand Council of the United Commercial Travelers of Minnesota and North Dakota to be held in Winona, June 10, 11 and 12. At least 2,000 visitors are expected. Some councils will bring their own brass bands and ball clubs to enter the latter in the championship contest.

Thursday, the opening day, will be given over to a reception of delegates, to registration and to band concerts. That afternoon the Grand Council will organize. Also there will be auto spins for visiting delegates. In the evening there will be a public reception in the Winona opera house, with U. C. T. motion pictures for which a special company of local dramatists was organized to perform in a U. C. T. scenario.

Friday evening, June 11, there will be an executive session of the Grand Council, baseball at the League park and a band concert. In the afternoon the executive session will continue, and a reception for the visiting women will be held. The evening will be given over to a band concert, U. C. T. initiation ceremonies, and grand ball in the new armory.

Saturday morning there will be a street parade and band concert and in the afternoon, a ball game and prize contests. The evening will be spent on a moonlight excursion on the Mississippi river.

More Pay for Teachers Who Travel.

Hibbing.—The school board at Hibbing has offered an increase of $50 in the salary of every teacher in the public schools there on the condition that they go on one of the western tours scheduled for this summer.

About 150 inquiries have been received by the University regarding the five tours being offered. Registrations will be closed June 1, and not more than forty persons will be accepted for each tour.

The first party will go to California, leaving Minneapolis June 19, and visiting the petrified forests and the grand canyon of Arizona, Los Angeles, San Diego, the Yosemite National park, the Muir National park and San Francisco.

The second party will take a northern route, leaving July 23 for the Yellowstone National park, the Glacier National park, San Francisco and the Canadian Rockies.

The third, fourth and fifth parties will tour one or both of the great National parks, the Yellowstone and the Glacier, leaving Minneapolis July 23, July 27 and Aug. 3.

Boy Burned by Explosion.

Minneapolis, Minn. — Boys played with matches in L. S. Staple's garage and Charles Staples, aged 8, was probably fatally burned. Milton Bloomquist, a playmate, escaped with slight burns. The garage was destroyed. Mrs. Staples heard a muffled explosion. She ran toward the garage to find the clothing of her son on fire. She beat out the flames and took the boy to the Eitel hospital. An open pail of gasoline was in the garage and is supposed to have become ignited in some way.

Secret Order for War Horses.

Minneapolis, Minn.—A large consignment of war horses which has been secretly collected in the northwest on an order from the British government, which will use them in the European struggle, will be shipped from the Twin Citis about May 15. The horses are now in stables in the Midway district and in small towns throughout the northwest. Additional shipments have begun arriving in the Twin Cities. The number of horses and the identity of the English officer is kept secret.

Coleraine Cashier Kills Wife.

Coleraine, Minn. — Roy R. McQuade, aged 27, assistant cashier of the First National bank of this village, murdered his wife at their home here and then committed suicide. The bodies were found when the police broke into the McQuade home. The coroner's inquest has so far failed to develop any cause for the crime. An investigation of his accounts showed them correct. It is said his domestic relations were happy and the police are at a loss to assign a motive for the crime.

Stop Sunday Dancing in Jackson.

Sherburn.—Sunday dances are a thing of the past in Jackson county. At the last term of the district court the grand jury asked the court to instruct county officials to see that no public dances are held on the Lord's day in the county, as has been the practice for five years. Handbills were distributed announcing a big opening dance at the Lakeside bowery on Sunday night, but County Attorney Nicholas and Sheriff Lee took steps to stop it.

Farmer Kills Wife and Self

Brainerd.—Following a quarrel with his wife at a home where she was employed as housekeeper, Gustave Menz, a retired farmer, shot and killed her and turned the revolver on himself. Five shots lodged in the woman's head. Menz shot himself in the temple, dying instantly. He was a widower before he married Mrs Katherine Hammer, a widow of Centralia, Wash., whose acquaintance he had gained by correspondence. They were married in December.

Push of the hoggish variety does not always promote lasting popularity.

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Payton—A bachelor is a man who has been crossed in love.

Parker—Yes, and a married man has been double-crossed.—Life.

A Tale Often Told.

"Society is just now afflicted with a new species of bore."

"Still another?"

"It's the young woman who tells everybody she meets how the war in Europe prevented her from finishing her musical education."

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Fathoms Deep.

The boy yawned over his geography.

"How deep is the ocean?" he inquired, pointing to the center of the Pacific.

"Thousands of fathoms, my son—thousands."

"Well, how much is a fathom?"

"A fathom is—er—er—are you looking at the Pacific? Well, your Uncle Karl years ago was shipwrecked in the Pacific and the pirates came out after him, and the cannibals—but I'm too busy now to tell you the story. Run along to bed."

FACE COVERED WITH PIMPLES ALL HER LIFE

Nov. 23, 1914:—"All my life my face was covered completely with a mass of pimples, blackheads and blotches. I spent a lot of money on numerous remedies and treatments without success and no relief at all. I tried so many things that I was afraid my case could not be cured. Resinol ointment and resinol soap seemed to do me good right from the first. I used two jars of resinol ointment and some resinol soap, the total cost being only $2.00, and this completely cured my case. My skin is without a blemish, and I am the possessor of a beautiful complexion." (Signed) Mabell Ayres, Stone Mountain, Va. All druggists sell resinol soap and resinol ointment.—Adv.

It is a custom among the women of Java to chew betel nuts, which discolors the teeth, giving them the look of black varnish.

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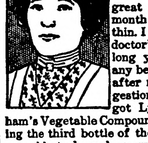
AFTER SUFFERING TWO LONG YEARS

Mrs. Aselin Was Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Minneapolis, Minn.—"After my little one was born I was sick with pains in my sides which the doctors said were caused by inflammation. I suffered a great deal every month and grew very thin. I was under the doctor's care for two long years without any benefit. Finally after repeated suggestions to try it we got Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking the third bottle of the Compound I was able to do my housework and today I am strong and healthy again. I will answer letters if anyone wishes to know about my case."—Mrs. JOSEPH ASELIN, 606 Fourth Avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotics or harmful drugs, and today holds the record of being the most successful remedy we know for woman's ills. If you need such a medicine why don't you try it?

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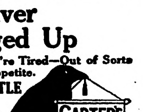

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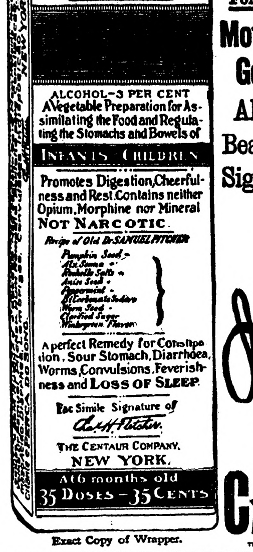

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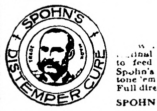

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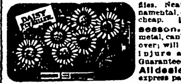

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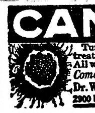

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Apr. 19, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Ole M. Larson of Holt, Minn., who on Nov. 22, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05754, for N1-2 S W1-4 Sec. 27, Twp. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 24th day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

A. C. Jahr, Axel Nelson, John Knutson, Clarence Knutson all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

The Local Market

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.48
Wheat No. 2	1.45
Wheat No. 3	1.39
Wheat No. 4	1.29
Flax	1.78
Oats	.44
Barley	49 to .57
Rye	1.02
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Free Traveling Library

Minnesota Public Library books may be had at Holt State Bank free to all. Call and examine the books.

Ed. Davidson went to T. R. Falls, Friday.

Adolph Sollom went to Glenfield N. D. Tuesday, on business.

Team for sale, or will sell seperately. E. M. Silbaugh.

Chas. Martel and H. Davidson are drilling a well for Wm. Kopp.

Miss Inga Folstad came from St. Hilaire, Tuesday, to visit relatives.

R. Reierson is painting his store building, which greatly improves its appearance.

Ernest Silbaugh went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to have dental work done.

B. L. Backe, H. J. Oien, Theodore and Adolph Sollom autoed to Mud Lake Sunday.

Arvid and Tony Carlson bro't a fine parrot home with them from T. R. Falls Saturday.

A party of Minnesota senators and other state officials are expected to pass thru here Wednesday forenoon June 16th, and it is up to our people to get them to stop here for a short time.

Guy Anderson returned Wednesday from Fergus Falls where he had been called by the serious illness of his mother. The doctors say her heart action is very weak and they are unable to give the family any encouragement as she is very low at present. It is a very sad case and the daughter and sons have the genuine sympathy of the entire community in their sorrow.

Legal Notice.

Estate of Gronvald Minors.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court:

Guardianship in the Matter of the Estate of
Henry Milo Clifford Gronvald, Carl Helin Gronvold, Peter Oliver Gronvold, Clara Helen Gronvold and John Helen Gronvold, Wards.

The State of Minnesota to Karoline Gronvold, Henry Milo Clifford Gronvald, Carl Helin Gronvald, Peter Oliver Gronvald, Clara Helen Gronvald and John Helin Gronvald, and all persons interested in the mortgaging of certain lands belonging to said wards. The petition of Karoline Gronvald as representative of the above named wards, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said wards described therein be mortgaged and praying that a license be to her granted to mortgage the same:

NOW, Therefore, You and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the city of Warren, County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of May, 1915, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

[COURT SEAL] Witness, The Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 23rd day of April 1915.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate Court

A. N. Eckstrom, Att'y for petitioner
Warren, Minnesota.

Free Mission Church.

2 o'clock Sunday School

Auction Sale of the Ladies' Aid Saturday evening May 15th, at the church. Special music for the occasion. The ladies will serve lunch in the basement. Everyone invited.

Newfolden Garage

Overhauling and car rebuilding a specialty. No matter what shape your car is in, I make it right if you have the pieces.

Tractor and steam boiler work, machine and instrument repairing of all kinds.

Call and see me for a friendly chat and find out that we can always agree.

Mutually Yours,
Wm. S. Dufke.

Guy Anderson went to Thief River Falls Monday.

Rodahl Bros. and Alfred Olson are doing the carpenter work on Sollom Bros. store building.

J. M. Jahr has so far planted about nine acres of potatoes and expects to plant a couple of acres more.

Mrs. August Roland and children of St. Hilaire came Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. O. H. Haggland of Ringbo.

C. Swartz says that some fault was found with a little of his seed corn and that he tested this particular sack of seed and that every kernel grew. He brot in a sample of it yesterday and it looks good to us. Mr. Swartz says he will guarantee his seed corn to grow, if properly handled.

After the storm of Monday night, it was reported here that a couple of people were killed in Crookston by the storm of that evening. As nearly as we can learn a couple of houses there were struck by lightning and slightly damaged, but no one in the city was injured. The farm house of E. O. Payton, six miles northeast of Crookston, was completely torn down by a cyclone and Mr. Payton was cut on the head and had his collar bone dislocated, but will recover.

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Danger in Waiting.

Just because an Oregon scientist declares that old men do the best work is no reason, of course, why young fellows should put off contemplated achievements until the arrival of declining years. It may be that the man who accomplishes little in his early maturity will make up for the lack when he starts down the western slope of life. It doesn't sound reasonable, however.

Sincerity.

I should say sincerity, a deep, great, genuine sincerity, is the first characteristic of all men in any way heroic.—Carlyle.

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WE AIM TO PLEASE

Southeast of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jensen are the proud parents of a ten pound baby boy, born May 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. Klungness from South Dakota came on Sunday to visit at the Albert Klungness' home for some time.

Mrs. Gutterud called at the home of Mike Johnson Saturday afternoon.

Gilbert Michaelson made a business and pleasure trip to Thief River Falls Monday.

Messrs Russell and Loftness were seen in this vicinity Saturdy putting up marks for telephone post. This is a sign that the telephone will be here soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Olson and daughter Mmrna visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Sordal's on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Olof Olson Thora and Manuel Moe visited at the home of Mrs. Gutterud Sunday afternoon.

Onion's Good Properties.

From the best authorities we learn that colds are caused by three things —a chill, a germ and a uric acid tendency which provides a soil for the germ's growth. The pungent oil of the onion neutralizes and destroys the germs that infest the mouths of us all, even of those in good health.

Loyal to Aunt May.

Aunt May was the favorite aunt of little Ellen. One day the former said to her, naming three other aunts, "Which do you like best, Aunt Anna, Aunt Emily or Aunt Palmer?" Little Ellen looked thoughtful a moment and then said, "Why, I like Aunt Anna better than Aunt Palmer, but I don't like anybody best what isn't you."

Made Slavery Hereditary.

The first formal recognition of negro slavery in Virginia was March 1, 1661, when the assembly declared that "negroes are incapable of making satisfaction for the time lost in running away, by addition of time," and slavery was made hereditary in Virginia in 1662 by an act of the assembly that the is of slave mothers should follow condition.

He Had It.

In honor of a visit to his plant by the governor of the state an automobile manufacturer once had a complete car assembled in something like seven minutes. Some weeks later, after this feat was heralded in the daily papers, the phone rang vigorously. "Is it true that you assembled a car in seven minutes at your factory?" the voice asked. "Yes," came the reply. "Why?" "Oh, nothing," said the calm inquirer, "only I've got the car."

Northeast of Holt.

Mrs. Ole Davidson, Mrs. E. Johnson, Mrs. O. H. Dovre and Mrs. C. Anderson attended Ladies Aid at L. Wegge's Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Johnson, Mrs. Saastad and Mr. and Mrs. G. Sorter called at C. W. Christianson Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Munberg, Mr. John Munberg and Miss Tina Johnson autoed up from Alvarado Sunday to spend the day at Erick Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Christianson and family called at E. Johnson's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Saastad spent Thursday night with Mrs. E. Johnson.

Quite a number attended services at Ringbo church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Munberg, John Munberg, Tina Johnson, Mrs. E. Johnson, Mrs. C. Anderson called at H. Erickson's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson called on Mrs. J. Jarland Monday afternoon.

Common bracken fern laid down in places frequented by cockroaches will drive them away.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will have an auction sale, of useful articles, May 15th. The ladies will serve lunch in the basement.

Creamery Statement.

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Mar. 1915.

Cream received	16,120 lbs
Average test	25.15
Butter fat	4,154.68 lbs
Percent overrun	20.22
Butter made	4,994 lbs
Balance on hand last month	09
Received for butter shipped	1286 88
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 97
Cash sales at creamery	44 47
Rec'd from other sources	1 10
Total	$1339 45
Paid patrons by check	1168 21
" " " Butter & milk	6 97
Expense fund, etc.	134 24
To sinking fund	29 48
Charges to other sources	
Balance on hand	55
Total	$1339 45

Number of patrons, 87

Price paid for butter fat, 28 1-2cts

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

I Bought The Tractor So My Boys Could Farm

The New Way

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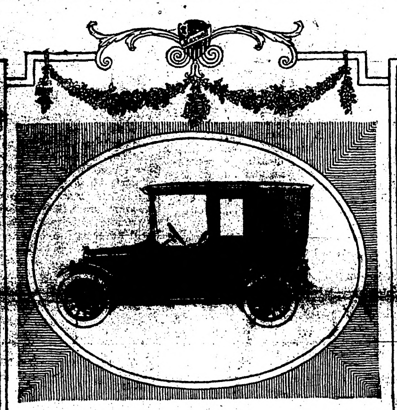

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Local Items

Team for sale, or will sell seperately. E. M. Silbaugh.

Lars Backe was up from T. R. Falls Monday to see that new grandson.

Ludwig Monson has been painting the old printing office building this week.

Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Ordahl visited in Middle River between trains Monday.

Miss Martha Paulson of Randen came Wednesday to visit Miss Esther Mickelson.

Axel Nelson has been painting his house which is occupied by B. Docken and family.

Albert Johnson and family of Grand Plain visited at Chris Yttre's Monday and Tuesday.

Mesdames Bakke and Hanson of Thief River Falls visited at the B. Docken home Tuesday.

Nils Engebretsen and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hanson autoed to T. R. Falls Friday on business.

John Olson returned home Saturday from a couple of weeks visit with relatives at Strathcona.

P. A. Riesberg is around town with the assessors books, trying to find out how rich the people are.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one. A. H. Huseth.

P. L. Anderson, Henry Wendt, L. A. Jensen and Albert Bennis autoed to T. R. Falls, Friday evening.

Ole Johnson came from Badger Friday for a short visit with relatives and friends, returning to his work Monday.

Workmen are painting the elevator of the Red Lake Falls Milling Company of which H. J. Oien is the obliging agent.

We expect to move into our new building the last of this week and when we get settled we want everyone to come and see our new home.

Mrs. Gjorswold who has been working for Mrs. Nils Engebretson for the past month, is now helping Mrs. Andrew Hanson, who is in poor health.

A fine boy, weighing nearly 11 pounds, came Sunday morning to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe. Congratulations are extended to the happy parents.

Adolph Sollom and Carl Newton returned home Tuesday evening from Dakota with the former's auto. On account of the muddy roads they had to lay over a couple of days on the way home.

Ed. M. Silbaugh closed a deal Monday with Albert Bennes for the Star hall. Mr. Bennes gets possession immediately of a good building with living rooms above and a large room below for a confectionery store.

The teachers left yesterday for their homes in T. R. Falls. Miss Hanson will return next week to conduct the state examinations. The best wishes of numerous friends will follow these worthty young ladies to their homes.

Under a new ruling of the Inter-State Commerce Commission the Minnesota railroads are given a slight increase in passenger rates amounting to five cents on each ticket. The new rate went into effect May 15th. The fare from here to Middle River is now 25c, T. R. Falls 81c, Crookston $1.31 and so on. Remember to have an extra nickel now when you go to buy your ticket.

Obituary

The sad tidings were received here last Friday of the death of Mrs. Hogan Anderson on last Thursday May 13th, at the sanatorium in Fergus Falls, Minn. where she had been taken for medical treatment a few weeks ago. She had been afflicted for some time with Bright's Disease and a complication of other troubles. The news of her death brings a sense of personal loss to everyone who knew her, for few were better liked or more highly respected than she was. She was born August 15, 1848 near Trondhjem, Norway, and came to this country when 22 years of age and settled in Chicago where she resided for ten years. On Oct. 20th, 1872 she was united in marriage to Hogan Anderson and lived a happy married life until his decease in Sept. 1912. In 1879 they moved to Brookings, S. D. where they resided on a homestead for about 23 years, when they moved to their present home here. The remains were laid to rest in the local cemetry last Sunday. A large number of friends and relatives were in attendance and the profusion of beautiful floral offerings mutely expressed the high esteem in which she was held by all. Services were conducted by Rev. M. B. Ordahl who delivered a very appropriate and beautiful sermon. She is survived by four children, Guy, Alfred, Oscar Anderson of Holt and Mrs. N. N. Landro, of Stady, N. D., who indeed have the heartfelt sympathy of us all.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all who in any way assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved mother. We wish to especially thank the Ladies Aid and others for the many beautiful flowers for the funeral.

Alfred, Guy, and Oscar Anderson and Mrs. N. N. Landro.

Life Insurance!

B. Docken has taken the local agency for the Pioneer Life Insurance Company. The disability and accident benefits now contained in their polices together with the other good features makes it a good and safe protection and a desirable investment. It is a proposition you can hardly afford to pass up. Mr. C. M. Davenport is now assisting Mr. Docken in this work and is a reliable and competent man who clearly and correctly explains the advantages of life insurance.

Support your home paper.

S. S. Kolden was in Middle River Tuesday between trains, on business.

Adolph Sollom returned Friday from a short visit at Glenfield, N. D. While there he sold his house, taking in a Reo auto as part payment.

As you sow, so shall ye reap. Good crops are rarely harvested on a poorly prepared seed bed. Good deeds, a good character and a useful life do not come from sinful habits.

On account of the rain last Saturday, the auction sale of the Free Mission Ladies Aid was postponed until Saturday evening of next week. The ladies will serve lunch, there is to be some special music and a good time is promised to all who attend.

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LAWYER

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Thief River Falls, Minn

Miss Olga Farr returned home Saturday from a brief visit in Thief River Falls. She was accompanied by her sister Mrs. Frederickson and children.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 27th 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Frank W. Erickson of Holt, Minn., who, on August 25th 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 06495, for NW1-4NE1-4 & S1-2NE1-4 & Lot 1, Sec. 12, Twp. 156 N, Range [illegible] W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 31st day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole J. Moen, Edward Erickson, Svenke Svenkeson and Axel Nelson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota May 17th 1915. Notice is hereby given that George Willis of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Sept. [illegible] 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 06526, for S. W. 1-4 Sec. 14, Twp. 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minnesota on the 24th day of June 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Thorald Thoraldson, Lars Thorson, Christ Nelson and Frank Conklin all of Germantown, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

SCANDIA BLOCK TRI-STATE PHONE [illegible]

Dr. B. R. Lund, Dentist

Norsk Tandlæge

Thief River Falls - Minn.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will have an auction sale, of useful articles, May 29th. The ladies will serve lunch in the basement.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What Is Going On at Washington and in Other Sections of the Country.

WAR NEWS.

Italian merchants, manufacturers and professional men are leaving Austro-Hungary on the recommendation of the Italian consuls in that country.

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All the retail liquor dealers in London, through their trade organization, have united in a protest against the proposed increased taxation on spirits, wines and beers.

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A late report from Rome says that an agreement between Austria and Italy regarding territorial concessions on the part of Austria in return for Italian neutrality, is now among the possibilities.

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The British government by an order in council has commandeered the whole meat carrying capacity of all British steamships trading between Europe and the Argentine and Uruguayan republics.

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American oil tank steamer Gulflight, bound for a French port, has been torpedoed off the Scilly islands. The captain died of heart failure as a result of the shock and two seamen jumped overboard and were drowned.

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The extent of the Austro-German victory in the Carpathians is indicated in the German official communication in which the statement is made that the third fortified line of the Russians had been pierced by the Teutonic allies.

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In one of the shortest budget speeches on record David Lloyd George, the chancellor of the exchequer, told the English parlament that the war was costing Great Britain at the rate of 2,100,000 pounds or $10,500,000 daily.

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The British chancellor of the exchequer has introduced in the house of commons his measures for controlling the liquor traffic. These consist of proposals for doubling the duty on spirits, quadrupling the duties on wines and an increase in the tax on beer.

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Reports of the new German victory in western Galicia put the Russian losses in killed, wounded and prisoners at 100,000. German military experts assert that the Russians must now abandon the entire campaign to force the Carpathians and invade Hungary and fall back into northern Galicia.

GENERAL.

Senator Duncan U. Fletcher of Florida was re-elected president of the Southern Commercial congress at Muskogee, Okla.

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Governor Rye of Tennessee vetoed a bill abolishing the death penalty, expressing the belief that it would tend to increase mob violence. He also vetoed an anti-tipping bill.

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John R. Lawson, noted labor leader, was found guilty of first degree murder at Trinidad, Colo., in connection with the case of John Nimmo, a deputy sheriff, killed in a strikers' battle October 25, 1913.

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China has replied to the Japanese demands in a note, which while complying with some of the demands, definitely refuses to accede to others, including the most important embodied in what is known as group five.

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Guy Knease of Iowa City, Ia., automobile race driver, was killed at Coffeyville, Kan., in a collision of cars in the last event of a motor day program. Knease was driving about sixty miles an hour when the cars came together.

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Mrs. W. P. Harford of Omaha was elected president of the Y. W. C. A. national convention, by acclamation, in Los Angeles. The association wants daily newspaper woman's page articles on love and beauty supplanted by articles on moral uplift.

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The so-called Alaska coal land fraud cases, pending in the United States district court of Detroit since 1911, were nolle-prossed at the request of the attorney general, through his assistant, Ernest Knaebel.

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Demanding an advance of 5 cents an hour and an eight-hour day, hod carriers and building laborers at Pittsburgh joined the striking bricklayers, virtually tying up operations in the building trades in the Pittsburgh district. Six thousand men were said to be affected.

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Professors from the principal colleges and universities of the United States, attended the dedication at St. Louis of the three new buildings of the medical college of Washington university.

Bucket shops in the United State will make $10,000,000 this year if they continue at the present rate, according to the report of a special committee of the New York stock exchange.

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Fears of an outbreak of hostilities between China and Japan caused general selling on the New York stock market for domestic and foreign accounts. Latest developments in the European war were a contributing cause.

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Judge John W. Anderson of Sioux City set June 1 as the date for pronouncing sentence on George Pierce, former police chief, who was convicted of conspiracy to allow resorts to operate in the city without police molestation.

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Pierre M. Looker, former president of the Monaton Realty and Investment corporation of New York, was sentenced to serve a year and a day in the federal prison at Atlanta for using the mails to defraud investors in his company.

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More than 150 special trains, each containing from eight to ten Pullman cars, have been scheduled via different transcontinental railroads to bring delegates from eastern and middle western Shrine temples to the annual session in Seattle July 13, 14 and 15.

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The report of T. R. Henahan, Colorado commissioner of mining, issued at Denver, shows that the mineral production of Colorado for the year 1914 aggregates $34,258,779.19. The production of gold was $21,233,174.07; silver, $4,617,402.36; the total production of mineral in 1913 was worth $34,839,577.49.

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After describing the workings of the European cartel system of trade organizations to members of the Industrial club of Chicago, at a banquet at Chicago, Joseph E. Davies, chairman of the Federal Trade commission, said: "It would be a confession of unfitness if this country should be unable to meet conditions such as these in the world trade."

SPORTING

Sidney Hatch of the Illinois Athletic club won the annual marathon of the Missouri Athletic association at St. Louis.

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Nebraska was literally swamped in the annual track and field meet between the Huskers and the Ames Aggies at Lincoln. Ames winning, 83 to 31.

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Including the prize money which is offered this year for the 500-mile auto race over the Indianapolis speedway on May 31, there will have been awarded $250,000 in prizes.

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Just as he had finished winning a five-mile motorcycle cup race at Sacramento, Calif., Fred Farwell, aged 18, crashed into a fence and was killed.

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Jim Coffey, the Dublin giant, knocked out Al Reich, the New York heavyweight, in the third round of what was to have been a ten-round bout at Madison Square garden, New York.

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Bob Burnham won the 200 mile southwest sweepstakes automobile road race at Oklahoma City, Okla., for a purse of $5,000. His time was 2 hours and 56 minutes, 3-5 seconds. Dave Lewis was second and John Raimey third.

WASHINGTON.

The agricultural department has removed all foot and mouth restrictions through considerable Illinois, Iowa, Kentucky, Michigan and Wisconsin areas.

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The war department announced that army officers, weary of duty on the Mexican border, will no longer be able to obtain transfer to Philippine service out of turn.

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To create a petroleum reserve for the navy, secretary of the navy Daniels recommended to the president that he set aside 40,000 acres in Natrona county, Wyoming.

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The national weather and crop bulletin announced that in the greater portion of the winter wheat growing sections the weather favored rapid development and that crop is reported in good condition.

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Steps for guarding American fortifications under construction with former soldiers, sailors and marines, who have served at least two enlistments, are embodied in an executive order signed by President Wilson, which waives all civil service examinations for all such men in these places.

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Announcement that a wireless message had been flashed for the first time during daylight hours, from Panama to the radio station at Arlington was made by the Navy department.

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President Wilson has ordered the creation of Naval Petroleum Reserve No. 3, comprising 9,481 acres of land in Natrona county, Wyoming. No wells have yet been drilled in this area, but experts believe the new reserve will prove a productive source of fuel oil for the navy.

U. S. BANKING LAW BEST IN EXISTENCE

GOVERNOR OF MINNEAPOLIS FEDERAL RESERVE BANK PRAISES SYSTEM.

STATE NEWS OF MINNESOTA

Interesting and Important Happenings Of the Past Few Days Selected And Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

Owatonna.—Theodore Wold, governor of the Federal Reserve bank of Minneapolis, told the bankers' convention here that the present banking laws were the best ever adopted by any nation and that due to them a repetition of the panics of former times was impossible. Every man who spoke at the bankers' convention voiced the opinion that the country is entering upon an era of unparalleled prosperity and all stated that never were Minnesota's financiers in better shape nor its people more prosperous. According to the bankers here the European war has had but little effect upon the banks of Minnesota.

J. W. Wheeler, of St. Paul, president, Capital Trust company, spoke on "Rural Credit Banks." E. A. Sheasgreen, bank expert of Chicago, spoke on "Cost Accounting in Banks." "Interest Paid by Banks" was the subject discussed by Kent Ferman of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. George Richards, secretary Minnesota Bankers' association, told of the progress made by Minnesota bankers and the prosperous condition of all state banks. President E. F. Cook of Rochester, delivered an address.

Election of officers was held.

Oppose Mayo Affiliation.

Minneapolis, May 14.—Opponents of the proposed affiliation of the Mayo Foundation with the University Medical school had the floor most of the time at the open hearing on the question. The hearing was conducted by the executive committee of the Board of Regents of the University and was held in the Law building.

Eleven persons spoke in opposition to the project and one in its support. All the regents were present except Governor Hammond, A. E. Rice of Willmar, John G. Williams of Duluth, and Dr. W. J. Mayo of Rochester. Doctor Mayo had been exempted purposely in the action of the regents a week ago referring the subject to committee. About 30 persons were present, excluding regents.

"Horror Beyond Description."

Winona.—"The horror of this last war disaster, the destruction of the Lusitania, is beyond description," said ex-Congressman James A. Tawney, a foremost peace advocate. "A more barbarous act of war never was committed. But this is no time for Americans to lose their heads.

"Ordinarily the wilful destruction of the Lusitania with its human cargo composed largely of Americans would constitute an act of war. But this does not mean, nor does it make necessary the sending of our army and navy across the seas to engage in war with the power responsible for this barbarous act. There are other ways whereby we could more effectively show our resentment, and avenge the wrong thus committed."

Judge's Appointment Popular.

Winona.—Within the week that George W. Granger, attorney at Rochester, will celebrate his twenty-fifth anniversary as a lawyer, he will assume his duties as the ninth judge in the Third judicial district, embracing the counties of Winona, Olmsted and Wabasha. The appointment announced by Governor Hammond is popular throughout the district. Mr. Granger was born on a farm three miles from Rochester. He was educated in the rural and high schools there.

Booked on Lusitania.

Mankato.—Arthur and Sidney Braddick, young English machinists, who for the past year have worked in a shop in Mankato, were booked for passage on the Lusitania, to return to England, where they felt they were called to labor as British subjects in the manufacture of war materials. The brothers had worked in Minneapolis some years before coming here, and visited there before starting for New York last week.

Minnesota Man Lost.

Austin, Minn.—Fear is entertained that Fred Judson, son of Henry Judson, formerly of this city, lost his life on the Lusitania. He sailed on that boat and no word has been received of his being among the rescued. His father is a brother of Mrs. Dr. Avery of this city.

Three Aged Brothers Murdered.

Glenwood, Minn., May 14.—Sven, Louis and John Mitmoen, often called by the name of Jacobson, were murdered on their farm five miles west of Lowry in this country. The three brothers had "bached" it on their farm for 35 years.

The tragedy was discovered by a neighbor who went to see the brothers concerning the purchase of some hay. Upon notifying the authorities, Sheriff George Gilbertson went to the scene.

EVELETH TO ENTERTAIN 3,000

Expects Many Delegates During the Eagles' State Convention June 8—Special Features.

Eveleth.—Eveleth expects to entertain 3,000 persons in the three days of the Eagles' state convention, June 8, 9 and 10. This will be the first big convention Eveleth has ever had.

A special feature will be trips to the mines. Arrangements have been made with the Oliver Iron Mining company to take visitors through the properties. The Leonidas mine will be visited as it is of special interest from the fact that it is the largest underground property in the world and the fee is owned by the state of Minnesota. The Adams and Fayal open pit mines will also be inspected.

Delegates to the convention will be at the "top of the state." The point where the "mulligan" will be served, just north of Eveleth, is the highest elevation in the state. If by any mischance an Eagle spills his coffee it may find its way to the Gulf of Mexico, the Great Lakes or Hudson bay. "Mulligan-land" is the water divide between three basins.

Three bands have been engaged. A special march composed by a member of the Eveleth aerie will be played in public the first time. There will be a good program of races every day and ball games every afternoon. A free dance will be given at the auditorium on the 10th.

The Eagles of the range are uniting to assist the Eveleth aerie to entertain the delegates from other parts of the state. Automobiles will be provided to take visitors to any of the range towns they desire to see.

COMMERCIAL CLUBS OF STATE

Secretaries to Hold Conference in Minneapolis, May 28—Three Subjects to Be Discussed.

Minneapolis.—A state conference of commercial club secretaries will be held in Minneapolis all day Friday, May 28 at the Hotel Radisson.

According to men well informed, this is the first state-wide conference of this character ever held in Minnesota. It is convened by the Minnesota Commercial and Civic Federation. The officers of that body say that acceptances have been already received from the secretaries of the commercial bodies of Duluth, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Winona, Rochester, Brainerd and about twenty other cities, large and small.

Three subjects will be discussed: How to get members; How to collect dues, and How to plan programs of civic developments.

The time, place and subjects of the meeting were determined by a mail vote of the secretaries.

President Wilson of the Federation has received an invitation from the Minneapolis Rotary Club that the whole number of secretaries attending the conference should be guests of the Rotary Club at luncheon.

SAVE DROWNING BLIND BOY

Sightless Companions, Guided by Voice, Rescue Youth in River at Faribault.

Faribault, Minn.—The rescue from drowning of a blind boy by three blind companions and his resuscitation by artificial respiration, has stirred Faribault.

While Superintendent J. J. Dow was absent from the State School for the Blind, Charles Hoetel, a 17-year-old pupil there, together with three companions, slipped away from the school in contravention of the rules. They walked up Straight river about a mile and then went in swimming. Hoetel got in deep water and called for help. His companions, guided by his voice, went to his rescue after considerable delay in locating him. When they took him from the water he was unconscious. The boys took him to the river bank; one ran for help, and the other two resorted to artificial means of respiration.

When Dr. F. U. Davis of the school arrived with a pulmotor, young Hoetel had been revived.

U. S. to Direct World's Course.

Minneapolis, May 14. — Raymond Robins of Chicago told the members of the Minneapolis Social Service club that the next 30 years will determine the progress of the world for a thousand years to come. In the determination of this matter, the voices of three nations will count—those of the United States, Japan and Russia.

Germany, France and England will be so burdened by the economic conditions as a result of the war, he said, that for generations they will have little effect in directing the course of the world.

Letter Carriers Plan Meeting.

Mora.—Rural letter carriers of Kanabec and Isanti counties will hold their annual meeting here on the 30th to elect officers and delegates to the state convention at Detroit.

Billie Burke Recovers.

Red Wing, Minn.—Miss Billie Burke was Billie Burke again at the Red Wing Auditorium, pleasing a crowd that packed the municipal theater. She has completely recovered from her illness of the night previous, when she collapsed on the stage of a Stillwater theater.

"The loss of a dear friend, Charles Frohman, proved too much for me, and I just could not help breaking into tears," was her explanation. "The good cry which resulted relieved me greatly."

RAILROADS MUST GIVE UP VESSELS

OWNERSHIP OF WATER CARRIERS HELD IN VIOLATION OF PANAMA CANAL ACT.

VICTORY FOR TWIN CITIES

Decision Of Interstate Commerce Commission Ends Lake-Rail Fight Begun by Minneapolis in 1903—Given Until December 1 To Sell Boats.

Washington, May 17.—All railroads owning or operating vessels on the Great Lakes must give up their water carriers by Dec. 1, according to a decision handed down by the interstate commerce commission. Every application made by the railroads for permission to continue operation of their Great Lakes vessel lines was denied by the commission.

The railroad and vessel lines affected are:

Railroads—Pennsylvania, Lehigh Valley, New York Central, Rutland, Erie, Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, and Grand Trunk of Canada.

Vessel lines—Anchor, Lehigh Valley Transfer, Mutual Transit, Western Transit, Rutland Transit, Erie Railroad Lake line and Canadian Atlantic Transit.

"The Anchor line," says the decision, "is owned jointly by the Pennsylvania railroad and the Northern Central, which latter company is operated under lease by the Pennsylvania, and operates 12 vessels serving the ports of Buffalo, Erie, Cleveland, Detroit, Mackinac Island, Milwaukee, Chicago, Sault Ste. Marie, Marquette, Hancock, Houghton, Superior and Duluth. It may be noted that since the evidence in these cases was completed, the Northern Central has been merged with the Pennsylvania.

Competition Between Vessels.

"The first controlling question arising under these applications is whether or not, within the meaning of the Panama canal amendment, there is or may be competition between the vessels operated and the railroad interested in them.

"This question would be easily answered in the affirmative if the ports of call were served in common by the boats and by the paralleling rails of the owning railroad. The physical situation would itself establish the case. It appears though, that no such case is made out on the records here presented, since no ports of call are served in common by the boats and the paralleling rails of the particular owning railroad entity. It is a fact, however, that in the case of the Pennsylvania, New York Central, Erie and the Grand Trunk, the railroad entity owning the boats or the interest therein also owns, or has an interest in, other railroad entities whose paralleling rails do serve ports of call in common with the boats.

GERMANY WOULD ARBITRATE

Berlin Newspaper Says "High Government Circles Favor Submitting Lusitania Matter To Court."

Berlin, via Amsterdam, May 17.—Germany is willing to submit her side of the Lusitania case to a court of arbitration, according to the newspaper Vassische Zeitung, which printed the following statement:

"High government circles in Germany favor submitting the Lusitania matter and the difficulties with America to a court of arbitration."

Ambassador von Bernstorff may be given immediate instructions to suggest arbitration to America, according to the Vossischo Zeitung. It is the belief in official circles here, the newspapers said, that Germany shall make prompt answer to the American note before proceeding with her policy of torpedoing merchant steamers carrying passengers.

Girl Killed by Skidding Auto.

Hope, N. D., May 17.—Miss Laura Johnson, formerly of Crookston, was killed in an automobile accident near this city. The girl driving alone sent her car through muddy roads, the machine skidding and turning turtle. She was pinioned under the machine and strangled, her dead body being found several hours afterwards. Her remains will be taken to Twin Valley, Minn., for burial.

Transylvania Reaches War Zone.

New York, May 17.—The Anchor liner Transylvania, carrying 876 passengers, bound for Liverpool and Glasgow, was believed in steamship circles to be well within the war zone.

"Ad" Asks Loyalty to Wilson.

New York, May 17.—A quarter of a page advertisement in papers here headed "Stand by the President," appeals to American citizens to sign a pledge promising their support to the country and mail it to the White House. John Wanamaker signs the advertisement.

Premium on Transylvania.

London, May 17.—At Lloyd's insurance on the cargo of the steamer Transylvania, which sailed from New York last Saturday for Liverpool, was written at a premium of 5 per cent.

HER ROMANCE IS A REAL TRAGEDY

Wooed and Won on Shipboard, Husband Is Murdered in Mexico.

FORETOLD HIS DOOM

American Shot Dead With Own Revolver by Enraged Employee—Sisters, Alleging Loan, Sue to Recover From Estate.

New York.—Another tragedy of Mexican life is revealed in a suit in the supreme court.

The immediate action concerns only the efforts of a sister to recover $20,000 from the $1,500,000 estate of her brother, who was murdered in Mexico. Behind it all appear the details of a shipboard courtship, the marriage, the hazardous life in the turbulent country and the last scene, the violent death of the husband after he had accumulated a fortune at the cost of much hardship.

In the fall of 1907 Albert H. Lawrence, whose name at birth was Leszynsky, started for Mexico to look after "El Portrero" sugar plantation, in the state of Vera Cruz. On the same steamship was Miss Virginia Pernet, a young southern society woman, whose father, accompanying her, was a large sugar-cane grower in Mexico.

Betrothed on Voyage.

Lawrence and Miss Pernet were engaged to be married before the vessel arrived at Vera Cruz. Even the details of the nuptials had been arranged in the brief courtship. Owing to parental opposition, however, Miss Pernet was not married to Lawrence until late in 1908.

The turmoil of the revolution-stricken country did not appeal to the gentle tastes of the southern woman, and Lawrence himself became unhappy on his wife's account.

When Lawrence came to New York in 1912 to attend to some business affairs he had a premonition of impending peril which he confided to his secretary, Mrs. Mott. "This will be the last time you will ever see me," said Lawrence. "I have a premonition that I will never again come to New York. Someone is going to kill me."

And Lawrence, so convinced that he had properly read his own horoscope, began making preparations for his impending fate. He gathered together all his private papers and placed them in a safe deposit vault. He bought an automatic revolver and started back to Mexico and his death.

Killed Lawrence With His Own Weapon.

Slain With Own Revolver.

One day not long after he arrived back on his plantation Lawrence was seated at his desk. His revolver lay on his desk beside him. Charles Baillet, an employee, suffering from some imaginary wrong, his mind affected by the constant fear and dread in which the people lived in the disturbed country, came into the office.

Grabbing the revolver from the desk, Baillet killed Lawrence with his own weapon.

Lawrence's will left his entire estate to his wife. Despite the many obstacles he had been highly successful, and it was believed that his estate was valued at more than $3,000,000. But the value dwindled to $1,500,000. Hannah and Ray Leszynsky, sisters of the dead planter, brought a suit in Mexico to break his will but lost.

Hannah Leszynsky died, and Ray has continued the suit in New York to the extent of demanding $20,000 from her brother's estate She alleges that her mother, Mrs. Amelia Leszynsky, loaned her brother, known as Lawrence, $20,000, and that before the death of the mother she assigned this claim to her two daughters.

The Deadly Hatpin.

New York.—At the poitn of a long, sharp hatpin, Mrs. Dora Caton marched a burglar to a police station, after she had captured him in her apartments.

As sure to rise as the Sun

You can't always make everything "just so." Sometimes you will get in more shortening than usual; or make the batter a little thin; or it may not be convenient to put a cake in the oven the moment it is mixed; or your oven may not bake evenly and it is necessary to turn the pan around—none of these little uncertainties make the slightest difference in results if you use

KC BAKING POWDER

This modern, double-raise baking powder has unusual strength and is absolutely certain to raise your biscuits, cakes and pastry light and feathery. It generates an abundance of leavening gas both in the mixing bowl and in the oven. The raising is sustained until the dough is cooked through.

Housewives who use K C never have "bad luck" with their baking. Try K C *at our risk*. Your grocer will refund your money if you are not pleased in every way. 57

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Drink Denison's Coffee.
Always pure and delicious.

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"Children have curious ambitions. My youngest boy says he's going to be a motorman when he grows up."

"He'll get over that. By the time he's old enough to go to work he won't want to do anything."

THE PROFESSOR'S STATEMENT.

Prof. Aug. F. W. Schmitz, Thomas, Okla., writes: "I was troubled with Backache for about twenty-five years. When told I had Bright's Disease in its last stages, I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. After using two boxes I was somewhat relieved and I stopped the treatment. In the spring of the next year I had another attack. I went for Dodd's Kidney Pills and they relieved me again. I used three boxes. That is now three years ago and my Backache has not returned in its severity, and by using another two boxes a little later on, the pain left altogether and I have had no trouble since. You may use my statement. I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills when and wherever I can." Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

Prof. Schmitz.

Picked It Up.

"How did that parrot of yours learn to talk so quickly? He couldn't say a word when I was here last week."

"I know; but my wife's mother has been paying us a visit since then."

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So Paw Pays.

Little—Lemuel—Paw, what's a pessimist?

Paw—A pessimist, son, is a fish who thinks every worm has a hook in it.

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"Why do you want to send for a chiropodist?"

"Because they tell me it's toemaine poisoning I've got."

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Tit for Tat.

"So you can't get your family connections to board with you for the summer? Why, aren't you on good terms with your relations?"

"Oh, yes, but they're not on good relations with my terms."

Not Desirable.

John was grieving because he had no gift for his mother's birthday.

"Do not quarrel with little sister all day," suggested grandmother.

"That would be the best gift she could have," John agreed.

"Can't you see how much mother enjoyed your gift, John?" asked grandmother at night. "Why don't you do this every day?"

John drew a breath that came from his very boots. "I'd rather die, gram, than live like this every day," he said fervently.

The Test Supreme.

"You say that women haven't the endurance of men?"

"They haven't."

"That they cannot successfully resist unusual mental strain or physical fatigue—that they lack nerve and patience and endurance?"

"Yes."

"Do you see that little woman over there?"

"Yes."

"You have never known a man who could endure what she has endured."

"Eh! Why, what is she?"

"She's the reader of the love stories submitted to a popular magazine."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

INSOMNIA
Leads to Madness, if Not Remedied.

"Experiments satisfied me, some 5 years ago," writes a Topeka woman, "that coffee was the direct cause of the insomnia from which I suffered terribly, as well as extreme nervousness and acute dyspepsia.

"I had been a coffee drinker since childhood, and did not like to think that the beverage was doing me all this harm. But it was, and the time came when I had to face the fact, and protect myself. I therefore gave up coffee abruptly and absolutely, and adopted Postum for my hot drink at meals.

"I began to note improvement in my condition very soon after I took on Postum. The change proceeded gradually, but surely, and it was a matter of only a few weeks before I found myself entirely relieved—the nervousness passed away, my digestive apparatus was restored to normal efficiency, and I began to sleep restfully and peacefully.

"These happy conditions have continued during all of the 5 years, and I am safe in saying that I owe them entirely to Postum, for when I began to drink it I ceased to use medicines."

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Postum comes in two forms:

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Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

U. S. NOTE TO GERMANY IS FIRM; VIOLATION OF AMERICAN RIGHTS ON HIGH SEAS MUST BE STOPPED

Communication Insists Upon Absolute Cessation of Submarine Warfare on Ships Carrying Non-Combatants—America Will Not Omit Any Act Necessary to Perform Sacred Duty.

Washington, May 15.—The United States government has called the German government to account for violation of American rights on the high seas, culminating in the sinking of the Lusitania with the loss of more than 100 American lives.

President Wilson's note asks that Germany give adequate assurance that it will discontinue submarine operations endangering the lives of non-combatants.

AMERICANS WILL PERFORM SACRED DUTY.

The communication, which was cabled to Berlin over the signature of Secretary Bryan, concludes with this significant sentence: "The Imperial German government will not expect the government of the United States to omit any word or act necessary to the performance of its sacred duty of maintaining the rights of the United States and its citizens and of safeguarding their free exercise and enjoyment."

GERMANY EXPECTED TO DISAVOW ACTS.

The note expresses the confident expectation of the United States that Germany will disavow the acts of which this government complains, and that it will make "reparation, so far as reparation is possible, for injuries which are without measure."

Germany is asked to take immediate steps to prevent the recurrence of "anything so obviously subversive of the principles of warfare for which the Imperial German government in the past so wisely and so firmly contended."

WILSON'S TERMS ARE UNMISTAKABLE.

President Wilson's communication, though setting forth in unmistakable terms the firm determination of the United States to obtain protection for its citizens in the exercise of rights guaranteed by international law, is phrased in exceedingly courteous language.

Text Made Public.

The text of the note made public by the state department, is, in part, as follows:

"Department of State, Washington.

"The secretary of state to the American ambassador at Berlin.

"Please call on the minister of foreign affairs and after reading to him this communication leave with him a copy.

"In view of recent acts of the German authorities in violation of American rights on the high seas, which culminated in the torpedoing and sinking the British steamer Lusitania on May 7, 1915, by which over 100 American citizens lost their lives, it is clearly wise and desirable that the government of the United States and the Imperial German government should come to a clear and full understanding as to the grave situation which has resulted.

"The sinking of the British passenger steamer Falaba by a German submarine on March 28, through which Leon C. Thresher, an American citizen, was drowned; the attack on April 28 on the American vessel Cushing by a German aeroplane; the torpedoing on May 1 of the American vessel Gulflight by a German submarine, as a result of which two or more American citizens met their death, and, finally, the torpedoing and sinking of the Lusitania, constitute a series of events which the government of the United States has observed with growing concern, distress and amazement.

Sanctioned by Germany?

"Recalling the humane and enlightened attitude hitherto assumed by the Imperial German government in matters of international right and particularly with regard to the freedom of the seas; having learned to recognize the German views and the German influence in the field of international obligation as always engaged upon the side of justice and humanity; and having understood the instructions of the Imperial German government to its naval commanders to be upon the same plane of humane action prescribed by the naval codes of other nations, the government of the United States was loath to believe—it cannot now bring itself to believe—that these acts, so absolutely contrary to the rules, the practices, and the spirit of modern warfare could have the countenance or sanction of that great government. It feels it to be its duty, therefore, to address the Imperial German government concerning them with the utmost frankness and in the earnest hope that it is not mistaken in expecting action on the part of the Imperial German government which will correct the unfortunate impressions which have been created and vindicate once more the position of that government with regard to the sacred freedom of the seas.

Strict Accountability Held.

"The government of the United States has been apprised that the Imperial German government considered themselves to be obliged by the extraordinary circumstances of the present war and the measures adopted by their adversaries in seeking to cut Germany off from all commerce, to adopt methods of retaliation which go much beyond the ordinary methods of warfare at sea, in the proclamation of a war zone from which they have warned neutral ships to keep away. This government has already taken occasion to inform the Imperial German government that it cannot admit the adoption of such measures or such a warning of danger to operate as in any degree an abbreviation of the rights of American ship-masters or of American citizens bound on lawful errands as passengers on merchant ships of belligerent nationality; and that it must hold the imperial government to a strict accountability for any infringement of these rights, intentional or incidental. It does not understand the Imperial German government to question those rights. It assumes, on the contrary, that the imperial government accepts, as of course, the rule that the lives of non-combatants, whether they be of neutral citizenship or citizens of one of the nations at war, cannot lawfully or rightfully be put in jeopardy by the capture or destruction of an unarmed merchantman, and recognize also, as all other nations do, the obligation to take the usual precaution of visit and search to ascertain whether a suspected merchantman is in fact of belligerent nationality or is in fact carrying contraband of war under a neutral flag.

Submarines Impracticable.

"The government of the United States, therefore, desires to call the attention of the Imperial German government with the utmost earnestness to the fact that the objection to their present method of attack against the trade of their enemies lies in the practical impossibility of employing submarines in the destruction of commerce without disregarding those rules of fairness, reason, justice and humanity, which all modern opinion regards as imperative. It is practically impossible for the officers of a submarine to visit a merchantman at sea and examine her papers and cargo.

Sustains American Rights.

"American citizens act within their indisputable rights in taking their ships and in traveling wherever their legitimate business calls them upon the high seas and exercise those rights in what should be the well justified confidence that their lives will not be endangered by acts done in clear violation of universally acknowledged international obligation, and certainly in the confidence that their own government will sustain them in the exercise of their rights.

"The government and people of the United States look to the Imperial German government for just, prompt and enlightened action in this vital matter with the greater confidence because the United States and Germany are bound together not only by special ties of friendship, but also by the explicit stipulations of the treaty of 1828 between the United States and the Kingdom of Prussia.

U. S. Ready to Act.

"Expressions of regret and offers of reparation in case of the destruction of neutral ships sunk by mistake, while they may satisfy international obligations if no loss of life results, cannot justify or excuse a practice, the natural and necessary effect of which is to subject neutral nations and neutral persons to new and immeasurable risks.

"The Imperial German government will not expect the government of the United States to omit any word or any act necessary to the performance of its sacred duty of maintaining the rights of the United States and its citizens and of safeguarding their free exercise and enjoyment.—Bryan."

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Alberta wool growers are looking for 25 cent wool this year. That is the assertion made by a prominent sheepman of the Grassy Lake district. "It is quite within the pale of possibility that we will receive that figure from our wool this summer," said he, "and I would not be surprised to see some get more than that.

"The war has caused a great demand to be made on the woolen mills, and they have got to have the raw material."

The present season has been most propitious for the growing of wool, and the growers expect to reap a big harvest of a splendid quality. The winter has been very even, and the sheep are doing well on the ranges.

No special breed of sheep is kept on Western Canada farms, and all seem to do well. The advice of those interested in the welfare of the farmers of Western Canada, advise all who can at all do so to enter upon the raising of sheep. They have proved most profitable to those who go into that industry on a scale commensurate with their means, and their farm area.

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Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Apr. 19, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Ole M. Larson of Holt, Minn., who on Nov. 22, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05754, for N1-2 S W1-4 Sec. 27, Twp. 156 N, Range 44 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 24th day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

A. C. Jahr, Axel Nelson, John Knutson, Clarence Knutson all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

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Wheat No. 2	1.40
Wheat No. 3	1.35
Wheat No. 4	1.24
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Mr. Subscriber wanted to know the reason why,

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FOR THE WIFE'S PROTECTION

French Laws Make Drawing Up of Ante-Nuptial Contract a Matter of Highest Importance.

If an American girl marries a Frenchman, or vice versa, and they go to live in France, let there always be an ante-nuptial contract. But let it be remembered that if no contract has been signed the consorts, after they have returned to France, will find themselves under the community regime. Every married couple is supposed to make a marriage contract in France, and if they have not done so the law gives them a contract, which is the legal community, Case and Comment says.

The legal community may be likened to a partnership, but a partnership of a special kind, in which the husband is the sole manager and absolute master, and the wife has no voice in the management. Consequently the husband may dispose of all community property without any hinderance. By community property you must understand all personal property belonging to the spouses before and after the marriage. The husband has full and untrammeled right to cash and squander all interest and dividends, to draw checks against the community funds, to incumber or sell at pleasure all real estate belonging to the community. He is the lord and master.

Now, let us take it for granted that the French husband is a sterling character, that he is possessed of high business ability. But he may be unsuccessful in the management of the community. He may have debts, and still be the best man on earth. Precisely in the case of debts or unsuccessful management, and because there is no fraud, the creditors of the community will have the right to attach the community property, even if it belongs exclusively to the wife, thus leaving her penniless.

Enough has been said, we believe, to demonstrate that it is a wise precaution to carefully draw an ante-nuptial contract, minutely describing and reciting what property belongs to the wife, and it is not to be included in the regime of the community.

RULE THAT HAS EXCEPTIONS

Not Always Well to Place Building Stone as Experts Have Agreed It Should Be.

In modern masonry it is, generally speaking, the rule that stone used in building should be so placed that it will be as it lay in its natural bed when quarried. This rule is not, however, always to be depended upon and in many cases needs to be supplemented with other precautions.

There are three planes of fracture known to quarrymen. The "rift" is the direction in which the stone splits most easily; the "grain" that which is next easiest; the "head" that which offers greatest resistance. In a paving block the two sides represent the rift fracture, the top and bottom the grain, and ends the head. But in a quarry the natural bed is sometimes considerably inclined to the plane of the rift; hence the imperfection of the ordinary rule for placing stone in building.—Popular Mechanics.

Fruits in England.

By far the greatest achievement of Cardinal Wolsey was combining strawberries and cream. A world benefactor, his failings may well be forgotten and forgiven!

How long have Britishers been, at least, partial fruitarians? Apples, pears, gooseberries and plums appear to have been grown in England for a very long time, but cultivated raspberries did not arrive until the sixteenth century.

Rhubarb was introduced from Russia in 1573, but did not become popular until the nineteenth century. It is recorded that a Deptford gardener in 1810 sent a few sticks to the London market, but was unable to find a customer.

Cherries were brought over by the Romans, but ceased to be cultivated until one of Henry VII's gardeners reintroduced them.

Free Mission Church.

2 o'clock Sunday School

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. E. A. Johnson Friday May 28. Everybody invited.

At 8 o'clock next Sunday evening May 23rd there will be services in both languages to which all are invited. There will be some music furnished especially for the occasion.

On account of the storm the auction sale of ladies aid was postponed until Saturday evening May 29nd. Please note change of date and try to be there.

Newfolden Garage

Overhauling and car rebuilding a specialty. No matter what shape your car is in, I make it right if you have the pieces.

Tractor and steam boiler work, machine and instrument repairing of all kinds.

Call and see me for a friendly chat and find out that we can always agree.

Mutually Yours,
Wm. S. Dufke.

C. W. Latta transacted business in Crookston, Wednesday.

Ed. Bjerk has resigned his position in the blacksmith shop.

All nature is doing its best to put on new fresh clean life, but some people never think of those things.

The public school closed Tuesday with a picnic dinner for teachers and pupils and a program in the afternoon which was greatly enjoyed by many visitors.

Alfred Hanson returned home last week Thursday from Fargo where he had been called by the sickness of his brother, who he reports is now much improved in health.

Auction Sale of the Ladies' Aid Saturday evening May 29th, at the church. Special music for the occasion. The ladies will serve lunch in the basement. Everyone invited.

B. L. Backe autoed to Thief River Falls Friday evening with Adolph Sollom and Carl Newton. The latter named gentlemen departed the same evening for Glenfield, N. D. to get the auto belonging to Mr. Sollom.

There is no longer any argument for or against life insurance. Every reasonable man now looks on a life insurance policy as being the best & safest investment he can possibly make.

Confectionery Store!

POOL HALL

We will be ready for business on

Saturday May 22nd

We respectfully solicit a share of your trade and assure courteous treatment to all.

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Synod Church

There will be pentecostal services Sunday May 23rd, at 10:45 A. M. in Holt, 8:30 P. M. in Ringbo and 8 P. M. in Middle River.

Confirments meet Saturday May 22nd.

Ladies Aid at the home of the pastor May 26th. All welcome.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

I wish to extend my thanks to all who participated in their friendly visit and surprise at our home May 11th. Those who could not be present are also remembered as partakers of the same.

Yours truly

M. B. Ordahl

Creamery Notice!

After this month cream will be received at the creamery three times a week, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All cream must be brot in during the forenoon.

P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

S. S. Kolden has painted his auto shed.

Ernest Kuehne is repairing the hotel barn for T. T. Sollom.

Robert Halverson of T. R. Falls was in town between trains Saturday.

A. H. Huseth has put a new pool table in the addition to his confectionery store.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. E. A. Johnson Friday May 28. Everybody invited.

C. M. Davenport of the Pioneer Life Insurance Co. has been here this week looking after business for the company and has induced B. Docken to take the local agency.

Nils Engebretson has a new sign for the postoffice which he had made in T. R. Falls. His new clerk, Miss Hilma Nyberg, painted the opposite side and did good work for a beginner.

Rodahl Bros. get the contract for erecting the bridge over Thief River between sections 10 and 15 of East Valley township. They also build the concrete abutments for it and the township is assured of a good job from these gentlemen.

Northeast of Holt.

Misses Mary and Anna Dovre spent last Sunday at the Hans Knutson home.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson and Miss Lizzie Hanson called on Mrs. Hjalmer Dovre Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. E. Johnson and Mrs. T. O. Saastad spent Friday afternoon at C. W. Christianson's.

C. W. Christianson and Joseph Johnson called at Hjalmer Dovre's Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Christianson and family spent Sunday afternoon at Hjalmer Dovre's.

Quite a severe storm visited this vicinity Friday night. The roof of E. Johnson's hog house was torn off and quite a bit other damage done.

Several from this vicinity attended the funeral of Mrs. H. Anderson at Holt, Sunday.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Mar. 1915.

Cream received	16,120 lbs
Average test	25.15
Butter fat	4,154.68 lbs
Percent overrun	20.22
Butter made	4,994 lbs
Balance on hand last month	08
Received for butter shipped	1286 88
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 97
Cash sales at creamery	44 47
Rec'd from other sources	1 10
Total	$1339 45
Paid patrons by check	1168 21
" " Butter & milk	6 97
Expense fund, etc.	134 24
To sinking fund	29 48
Charges to other sources	
Balance on hand	55
Total	$1339 45

Number of patrons, 87

Price paid for butter fat, 28 1-2cts

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

New Jewell Hotel

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RATES: Rooms with [illegible] shower bath—

One person 75c, $1.00 and $1.50 per day.

Two persons in same room 50c extra.

ROOMS with private baths and toilets

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Send postal card for colored blotters.

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I Bought The Tractor So My Boys Could Farm

The New Way

I expect there will be as much change in a few years as there was from the old reapers to the binders.

That's what one Avery Tractor owner writes us. And within the last two years thousands of others have shown that they believe the same thing by buying Avery Tractors and Plows and changing from horse or mule farming to Tractor Farming.

Tractor Farming is coming fast. And the reasons are simple: It costs less to farm with tractors than with horses or mules. You can raise bigger crops by plowing deep and doing all your work at the right time. And it is much easier work to farm with a Tractor than with horses or mules. Turn a switch at noon or night and you are through. **Avery Tractors a success on any size farm**

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Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Tuesday

June 1, 1915

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50

Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00

Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free

When Plates or Bridges are Ordered

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Special Church Notice!

All members and officers of the Free Misson church, are called to meet at the chuch next Sunday May 30th, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, to make all of the arrangements for the four days annual meeting of the Gospel Mission, which comes here June 9th. Don't fail to attend this meeting next Sunday.

M. T. Strom, President.

A brother of Jacob Nelsons came from Dugdale Monday to visit here for some time.

A. R. Jones went to Crookston Saturday for an over Sunday visit with his family.

Strawberries are on the market here, A. H. Huseth having already received several shipments.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nelson went to Thief River Falls, Tuesday, where the latter had dental work done.

Mrs. E. T. Eide, who has been visiting friends here for several days returned to her home in Spooner yesterday.

Well we have moved into our new building and everyone is invited to call and see how they like our new home.

The rest of the blackboards came Friday for the new school house and now the carpenter work can be finished before school commences again.

H. O. Ekerdalen returned Tuesday from Warren where he had been to consult a physician. Mr. Ekerdalen is improving in health, we are glad to report.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Silbaugh have moved into the old schoolhouse and will live there temporarily until they decide on a more permanent location.

Mr. and Mrs. McLane and two daughters of Dugdale were here Tuesday prospecting and were well pleased with the country.

The work on Sollom Bros. new building is progressing rapidly and it will soon be finished and the hardware stock moved into it.

Adolph Sollom has built a shed for his auto on the lots just east of the blacksmith shop. By the way Adolph is fast becoming an expert chauffer.

The special train of the G. N. went thru here Wednesday forenoon. There were several officials aboard and they were making an inspection trip over the road.

Ole Backlund reports seeing a field of rye headed out and says this is the first time he ever saw grain headed out in Marshall county during the month of May.

Henry Oien and Theodore Sollom took in the new town of Goodridge Sunday, and were well pleased with every thing except the streets which were awful rough.

John Hagberg went to Dugdale Friday and returned Monday with his family. They have moved in with Mrs. Hagberg's brother Joe Nelson on the old Fred Johnson farm.

Mrs. Carl Newton and son Norman went to Warren Monday, where the latter entered the hospital to have a dead bone removed from his leg. The doctors thought the boy would have to remain in the hospital for about three weeks and it is earnestly hoped the operation will be a success.

Nils Engebretsen is slicking up a good deal this spring. He has completely changed the interior of the postoffice, put in some new fixtures, a new floor and a new front. Out at his home he has commenced painting the interior of his house, and expects to have it painted on the outside as soon as the painters can get there.

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P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

Life Insurance!

B. Docken has taken the local agency for the Pioneer Life Insurance Company. The disability and accident benefits now contained in their polices together with the other good features makes it a good and safe protection and a desirable investment. It is a proposition you can hardly afford to pass up. Mr. C. M. Davenport is now assisting Mr. Docken in this work and is a reliable and competent man who clearly and correctly explains the advantages of life insurance.

Team for sale, or will sell seperately. E. M. Silbaugh.

Ole Backlund and Chas. Martell autoed to Warren Wednesday.

Dr. R. L. Olson was a T. R. Falls business visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Sollom and son John drove to Mud Lake Sunday.

Carl Engebretsen sold a horse yesterday to Theodore Sorum for $180.

Two cars of cattle were shipped to the markets from this station Saturday.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one. A. H. Huseth.

Miss Myrtle Thomas visited her sisters Mesdames Sollom and Backe Saturday and Sunday.

Henry Oien and Henry Wendt visited at the home of the latter's parents Tuesday evening.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet next week Wednesday with Mrs. O. H. Nohre. Everyone invited.

S. M. Severson, Secy.-Treas. of Red Lake Falls Milling Co. visited his agent, H. J. Oien, last Saturday.

Miss Martha Paulson returned to Randen Saturday after a pleasant visit with Miss Esther Mickelson.

Misses Edna and Lydia Riesberg went to T. R. Falls, Friday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Albert Bennes has opened a pool hall and confectionery in the building he recently purchased of E. M. Silbaugh.

Anton Sagstuen of Holt and A. Johnson of Mud Lake returned Tuesday from Warren where they had been attending court.

Dr. R. L. Olson is having the second coat of paint put on his house and he now has one of the nicest properties on the ridge road.

The Alkenbrack families autoed to Rosewood last Sunday and visited at the B. P. Sagmoen home, on their return home they spent the evening with Edd. Werner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson, Mrs. Carl Sorenson, Mr and Mrs. P. P. Reierson went to Goodridge Friday to attend a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Popenhagen.

T. T. Sollom and sons Theodore and Adolph and C. Martel autoed to Warren, Tuesday. Adolph Sollom drove his car and as they were returning home and while about four miles from town, he had a part of the axle break down and they had to walk the rest of the way home.

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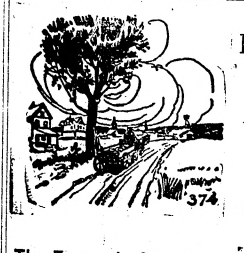

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During a Recent Year

Amounted to

$215,084,709

It was remarkably evenly divided between the Urban & Rural Population, the Loss in Cities & Towns

Amounting to

$107,093,283

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 27th 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Frank W. Erickson of Holt, Minn., who, on August 25th 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 06495, for NW1-4NE1-4 & S1-2NE1-4 & Lot 1, Sec. 12, Twp. 156 N, Range 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 31st day of May, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole J. Moen, Edward Erickson, Svenke Svenkeson and Axel Nelson, all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, May 17th 1915. Notice is hereby given that George Willis of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Sept. 2, 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 06526, for S. W. 1-4 Sec. 14, Twp. 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minnesota on the 24th day of June 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Thorald Thoraldson, Lars Thorson, Christ Nelson and Frank Conklin all of Germantown, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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Thief River Falls, Minn

EPITOME OF EVENTS

PARAGRAPHS THAT PERTAIN TO MANY SUBJECTS.

ARE SHORT BUT INTERESTING

Brief Mention of What Is Transpiring in Various Sections of Our Own and Foreign Countries.

WAR NEWS.

Lord Kitchener has issued a call for 300,000 recruits for the British army.

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Six thousand Armenians have been massacred at Van in Armenia, Asiatic Turkey, according to a dispatch received in official quarters in London from the Russian consul at Urumiah, Persia.

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Another battleship, the Goliath, the third that the British have lost since the attack on the Dardanelles began, has been torpedoed by the Turks, and of the crew of 700 or more only 180, including twenty officers, were saved.

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Various municipalities in Germany have now started schools for teaching one-armed soldiers how to earn a living. Two were established some time ago at Berlin and Heidelberg, and now one has just been reported at Dresden.

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"Ten millions of persons in Poland are facing starvation and three-fourths of the villages and town have been destroyed," is the report made to the Polish relief society in London through agents who have recently returned from Poland.

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Viscount Haldane, lord high chancellor, in the British house of lords, intimated that the government was considering the necessity of departing from the voluntary system of military enlistments and resorting to draft service throughout the kingdom.

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The Teutonic allies, Vienna reports, have forced a passage of the San river at several points and secured a foothold on the eastern bank. The Russian prisoners taken during the first half of May, the Austrian war office says, numbered 174,000.

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Germany is patching up and mending her broken soldiers with remarkable speed at the new "krankenhaus" in Barmbeck, a suburb of Hamburg. This great hospital, which covers several acres of ground, was completed early last fall at a cost of many millions of marks, and has a capacity of 2,000 beds.

GENERAL.

Governor Walsh of Massachusetts designated the last week in August for the national conference of governors in Boston.

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Panama merchants have completed the organization of a Panama Chamber of Commerce with the object of improving business conditions in the republic.

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Conservation of the country's supply of natural gas was urged by almost every speaker before the Natural Gas Men's convention in annual session at Cincinnati.

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All records were smashed for transcontinental auto trips when E. G. Baker made the trip from San Diego, Cal., to New York in 11 days, 7 hours and 15 minutes, driving the car the entire route himself.

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A jury was secured at Trinidad to try Robert Uhlick, former president of the Trinidad union of the United Mine Workers of America, charged with the murder of Mack Powell, near Ludlow, October, 1912.

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Former Governor Baldwin of Connecticut, a recognized authority on international law, in a statement at New Haven, says President Wilson's note paves the way for this country and Germany to refer their differences to The Hague.

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The right of dramatic critics to attend and criticise theatrical productions against the wishes of the producers was upheld in a decision by Supreme Court Judge Hendrick in a suit filed in New York by Alexander Woolcott, dramatic critic of the New York Times, against the Shubert theatrical interests.

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One rain has cost $500,000 in known losses to fruit in northern California, brokers at Sacramento said. Strawberries and cherries, suffered to the amount and fungus growths are threatened.

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At the conclusion at Albany of public hearings on appropriation bills Governor Whitman of New York announced his intention of signing the $10,000,000 direct tax bill passed by the last legislature. The hearings had resulted in tentative eliminations totalling $2,200,948.

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The seventh biennial convention of the Swithmen's Union of North America opened at Buffalo with an attendance of 700 delegates, representing 200 unions and a membership roll of

The 700th anniversary of the granting of the Magna Charta will be celebrated by the New York constitutional convention June 15 at Albany.

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Admiral George Dewey is the new commander of the Vermont commandary of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion. He was elected at the annual meeting at Burlington.

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Cincinnati was chosen as the meeting place for the 1916 conclave of the American Federation of Musicians shortly before the organization closed its convention at San Francisco.

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According to investigations by George A. Dean, state entomologist, at Manhattan, Kan., the damage to the wheat crop by the Hessian fly will amount to $10,000,000 in that state.

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Seven highwaymen, three of them masked and all of them armed, entered the billiard hall of Curro & Kessler, less than a mile from the Detroit city hall, and lined up fifty men and escaped with more than $1,500.

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Henry R. Gering, Samuel Orloff and John S. Prince of the Prince Speedway Co. of Omaha announced that they will build a mile speedway in Des Moines, the equal of any speedway in the country, not excepting the Indianapolis course.

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The national committee of the socialist party concluded its annual business meeting at Chicago. It was decided to raise a campaign fund of $10,000 by appeal to members, and to observe the first week in May hereafter as socialist week.

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Diplomatic interests of Switzerzland in China will be cared for hereafter by the American minister at Peking. The Swiss minister presented a request to Secretary Bryan, saying his government was without diplomatic representation in China.

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According to estimates of the United States census bureau, New York is the wealthiest state in the union, the total being $25,011,000,000. Illinois is second, with $15,484,000,000, and Pennsylvania, third, with $10,000,000,000, and Missouri, ninth, with $7,808,000,000. Nebraska falls below the $5,000,000,000 mark, with all but thirteen of the states.

SPORTING

A twelve-round bout at Boston between Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion of America, and Mattie Baldwin of that city, ended in a draw.

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The Univrsity of Missouri track team defeated representatives of the University of Kansas, 68 to 41, in the annual dual field and track meet at Lawrence, Kan.

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Ritchie Mitchell, lightweight contender, outboxed and outfought Ad Wolgast in six rounds of a ten-round bout at Milwaukee. Mitchell broke his left hand in the fifth round, but continued throughout the bout.

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Waldek Zbyszko, the Polish wrestler, threw Dr. Roller at Montreal so hard that the doctor's knee was wrenched and he was not able to continue the contest after the one fall, which was won by Zbyszko in fifty minutes with a toe hold.

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The women's collegiate broad jump record was broken at Columbia, Mo., by Miss Irene Chancellor, who cleared fifteen feet and one inch during the dual track meet between Howard Payne college of Mexico, Mo., and Stephens college of Columbia.

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Harry Harper, the 20-year-old left-handed pitcher recently obtained by the Minneapolis Association club, pitched a no-hit, no-run game against the St. Paul team at Minneapolis. Harper struck out twelve men, walked seven men and was charged with a balk.

WASHINGTON.

The Department of Justice filed in the supreme court a petition for a writ of certiorari to bring the criminal anti-trust case against the officers of the National Cash Register company of Dayton, O., before that tribunal.

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American textile manufacturers, as well as makers of paper, ink, varnish, pigments and leather articles, are feeling the scarcity of artificial dyestuffs more acutely each day, according to Commercial Agent Thomas H. Norton in a special report to Secretary Redfield.

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Only the strenuous protest of Cardinal Gibbons and other Catholic dignitaries is preventing President Wilson announcing recognition of General Carranza as de facto and de jure head of the Mexican republic, according to authorities close to the White house.

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After consideration lasting several months the Federal Reserve board has virtually decided that it will allow state banks to enter the federal reserve system with the right to withdraw and surrender membership if they so desire.

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The Interstate Commerce commission has awarded reparation in the complaint of Beebe-Runyan Furniture company of Omaha against the Union Pacific railroad on account of unreasonable switching charges collected

ITALY DECLARES WAR ON AUSTRIA; ENVOYS RECALLED

TROOPS ARE IN CONTACT ALONG THE NORTHERN BOUNDARY OF ITALY—AUSTRIANS REPULSED.

VON BEULOW TO LEAVE ROME WITH AUSTRIANS

Italians of All Classes Are Electrified By Swiftly Moving Events—Italian Residents on Austrian Tyrol Experience Great Difficulty in Returning to Italy.

TURKISH ENVOY LEAVES.

London, May 25.—Marquis di Garroni, Italian ambassador to Turkey, and his staff, are leaving Constantinople, according to an Athens dispatch to the Telegraph.

Rome, via Paris, May 24.—Lieutenant General Cadorna, chief of the Italian general staff, has left for the front.

MILLION MEN AT FRONT.

London, May 24.—"Austrian and Italian forces are facing each other, at some places only a half mile apart," says the Geneva correspondent of the Daily Express. "The forces at the front are estimated at a million men on each side.

"The Austro-German headquarters staff has arrived at Trent and the Austrians have mounted artillery in the Stelvio pass, which is still covered with snow. A continuous stream of troops from the Tyrol is arriving near the Swiss-Italian frontier."

London, May 24.—The authorities at Smyrna are taking stringent measures against Italian citizens there, says a Reuter dispatch from Athens. Their departure is forbidden under the death penalty.

Rome, May 25.—Italy has cast the die for war with Austria-Hungary. The Rubicon has been crossed and the Italian ambassador at Vienna, the Duke of Avarna, has been recalled.

The actual state of war now exists. The formal declaration handed to Baron Rajech, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, is to go into effect at once. Baron von Macchio, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador to Italy, was handed his passport and has left Rome.

Italian and Austrian troops are already in contact along the northern boundary of Italy. The Alpine chasseurs drove back an Austrian patrol which had crossed the frontier.

Prince von Beulow, the German ambassador, has received instructions to leave Rome conjointly with the Austro-Hungarian ambassador, according to a Berlin official dispatch.

Events Electrify Italians.

Although drastic action has been looked for momentarily, Italians of all classes have been electrified by the swiftly moving events. Great crowds gathered around the Quirinal to await the ministers who called on the king, for the purpose of discussing the situation and signing decrees.

When Premier Salandra and Signor Sonnino, the foreign minister, left the palace, the people cheered them enthusiastically. General Zeppeli, minister of war, and Vice Admiral Viale, minister of marine, remained with the king for a considerable time after the others left, and later they had a conference with Lieutenant General Cadorna, chief of staff, and Vice Admiral Phaon di Revel, chief of the naval staff.

Strong Forces on Frontier.

When the first blow will be struck cannot be foretold, but after many months of preparation, the army and the navy are ready. Exceedingly strong forces are in position all along the Austro-Italian frontier, on the Austrian side of which feverish preparations have been going on the last few days to make the fortifications as strong as possible and to clear the way for effective artillery action.

The German and Austrian ambassadors will be given safe conduct when they do leave and so far as Germans and Austrians resident in Italy are concerned, every effort has been made to see them safely out of the country.

On the other hand, most alarming reports have been received from the Italian border towns that Italian residents on the Austrian Tyrol are experiencing great difficulty in returning to Italy and in many cases have been placed under arrest.

According to the Giornale d'Italia the problem concerning the diplomats accredited to the Vatican has been solved satisfactorily and the law of guarantees remains untouched.

About 800,000 Bavarians and Hungarians have already been concentrated against Italy, Austria insuring them commissariat service.

Although Field Marshal Baron Conrad von Hoetzandorf, chief of staff of the Austrian army, had prepared for many years for a possible outbreak of war between Austria and Italy, the belief is held here that the campaign will be conducted by the German general staff, which, it is said, has planned a strong offensive movement against Italy, in the hope of breaking the Italian lines and forcing their way into Italian territory, thereby arousing alarm and strengthening the feeling favorable to peace.

Austrian Defenses Strong.

Should such an attempt fail through the resistance of the Italian army, the Austrians and Germans would then have to resort to defensive measures against a certain invasion. The Austrian defenses are particularly strong and have been constructed everywhere even along the Dalmatian coast which is already protected by fixed and floating mines and guarded by a dozen submarines carrying German officers and sailors.

The Austrian fleet is centered at Pola, with only a few torpedo boats and destroyers at Cattaro and Spalato. Other Austrian warships are in the Dalmatian archipelago on the northeast coast of the Adriatic sea. Naval men here do not consider it likely that the Austrian fleet will leave Pola unless forced by an Italian attack.

Roumanian Envoy Cheers Italy.

Paris, May 25.—The Havas agency's correspondent at Rome telegraphs that in answer to cries of Viva Roumania, from a crowd assembled before his residence, the Roumanian minister acknowledged the acclamations of the people by shouting "Viva Italy."

KING CONSTANTINE

Constantine, king of Greece, is suffering from an attack of pleurisy, and is unable to attend to state business.

ITALY'S WAR DECLARATION

Amsterdam, May 25.—(Via London)—A dispatch from Vienna says the Italian ambassador to Austria, the Duke of Avarna, has presented to Baron von Burian, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, the following declaration of war:

"Conformably with the orders of His Majesty, the King, His August Sovereign, the undersigned ambassador of Italy has the honor to deliver to His Excellency, the Foreign Minister of Austria-Hungary, the following communication:

"Declaration has been made, as from the fourth of this month, to the Imperial and Royal Government of grave motives for which Italy, confident in her good right, proclaimed annulled and henceforth without effect, her treaty of alliance with Austria-Hungary which was violated by the Imperial Government and resumed her liberty of action in this respect.

"The government of the king, firmly resolved to provide by all means at its disposal for safeguarding Italian rights and interests, cannot fail in its duty to take against every existing and future menace measures which events impose upon it for the fulfillment of national aspirations.

"His Majesty, the King, declares that he considers himself in a state of war with Austria-Hungary.

"The undersigned has the honor to make known at the same time to His Excellency, the Foreign Minister, that passports will be placed this very day at the disposal of the Imperial and Royal Ambassador at Rome, and he will be obliged to His Excellency if he will kindly have his passport handed to him.

(Signed) "AVARNA."

Paterson Gives Sunday $25,000.

Paterson, N. J., May 25.—Billy Sunday has cleaned up Paterson. When he left the New Jersey town there were 15,000 better citizens there. He took $25,000 as the "free will" offering of Patersonians. This gift of $25,000 places the city far ahead of the big cities where Sunday has conducted revival campaigns. Philadelphia, with 2,000,000 people, gave Sunday $52,300, and Pittsburgh gave him $42,000. Sunday is going to his farm in Michigan after a brief stay in Philadelphia.

Ask Leniency for Beum.

Minneapolis, May 25.—The federal parole board, which considered at a meeting at Leavenworth, Kans., an application for leniency in the case of Charles N. Beum, Minneapolis ironworker, who was convicted in the dynamite conspiracy cases at Indianapolis, took the application under advisement. It is believed the board will recommend parole. Four other men who applied were J. H. Barry, Peter Smith, W. Bert Brown and W. E. Reddin.

WAS HAPPY IN HIS PRISON CELL

California Millionaire Says Term Was "Most Useful in My Career."

CALLED PRISON ANGEL

F. A. Hyde, Land Speculator, Recently Released From Federal Prison, Does Great Work Among His Fellow Convicts.

Atlanta, Ga.—When Frederick A. Hyde, sixty-seven years old, millionaire land dealer and former president of the board of education of San Francisco, left the federal penitentiary here, after serving 16 months, his first statement was that those months had been the most useful of his whole life. He added that he would return to his home in California, where his wife, daughter and three sons are waiting for him, not afraid to look any man in the face.

"Not only have these 16 months been the most useful in my career," said Hyde, "but this period has been the happiest of my life, and I have derived more good from my work at the prison than at any other time."

Sentence Is Commuted.

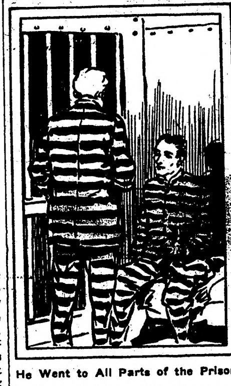
Hyde was imprisoned in December, 1913, after one of the most sensational court battles in the history of the country. He was sentenced to serve two years for alleged conspiracy in land frauds, but the sentence was commuted by President Wilson.

At the penitentiary Hyde was known among his fellow prisoners as the "angel convict," because of his work to better the conditions of the other prisoners, especially those who were poor. He was assigned to the prison newspaper, Good Works, and in the performance of his duties was allowed to go to all parts of the prison and mingle with all the convicts.

From the first he took an interest in their welfare. He found that baseball and a few worn-out movie films were the only amusements in the prison. He laid out plans for a complete athletic field which, with money furnished by himself, was constructed by Hyde and his fellow prisoners.

Great Work In Prison.

Hyde's greatest work in the prison was with the unfortunate men who finished their terms but looked upon freedom with no pleasure because they were without friends or money to make a new start in life. To hundreds of these Hyde gave encouragement and money, in many cases furnished them with sufficient funds to re-establish themselves in business.



He Went to All Parts of the Prison.

One of Hyde's philanthropies in the prison was the establishment of a library. He bought hundreds of valuable books with his own money and donated them to the prison.

Hyde's conviction followed an investigation by former President Roosevelt, through Detective William J. Burns, into alleged land frauds on the Pacific coast. Hyde and his business associates in San Francisco, where he was very prominent in social and civic life, declare that he never defrauded the government out of a dollar, but that his violation of the law was purely technical.

ALTAR BOY SAVES ENGINEER

Found Him Bound and Gagged by Highwaymen Who Planned Extensive Robberies.

Park Ridge, N. J.—Frank English, an altar boy, was on his way to early mass when he noticed that the water wheels of the electric power plant here were still turning. Thinking this unusual, he went inside and found the night engineer, Edward Griesch, bound and gagged.

Griesch said he had been visited by three masked men, who told him to shut down the plant and thus cut off all electric lights in the town. They also demanded that he direct them to the houses of the wealthiest people here, he said.

The engineer said he refused, and that they attacked him, bound his hands and feet, and thrust a gag into his mouth, and made off with $200 which he had in his pocket. The authorities are investigating his story.

WESTERN CANADA SEEDING FINISHED

Wheat and Other Grains Have Had an Excellent Start.

The seeding of spring wheat was pretty general this spring about 7th of April or about as early as in Illinois and Iowa. Oats and barley followed. Information is to hand that on first of May all seeding was practically finished. Farmers will now be busy at their breaking, and the land for summer fallow will be entered upon. Some who did not get their land prepared last fall, will be later than the others, but as the spring in Western Canada has been very open they will be only a few days later. At the time of writing rain would be welcome, but at seeding time, the ground contained a splendid lot of moisture and the lack of rain at the present time will not be serious. The number of farmers who have gone into the raising of cattle has been considerably increased, and the preparation for extensive cultivated grass pastures is in evidence everywhere. The cultivation of fodder corn is being largely entered upon in Manitoba there being upwards of 25,000 acres in corn. In Saskatchewan there will be a large increase in the area planted, and in Alberta many of the more progressive farmers are taking hold of it. The yield varies according to the cultivation it receives, and runs from five to nine tons per acre. In some portions of Manitoba where it has been poor for some years, success has been achieved in ripening and it is expected that a variety will soon be developed that will provide seed for the entire West, that will at an early date give to Western Canada a fame for the growing of a marketable corn equal to that it has now for the growth of smaller cereals.

A trip through Western Canada reveals field after field of alfalfa, the growth of which in any portion of the country is now absolutely assured. When these facts are made known to the farmers of the corn and alfalfa growing states, where their value as wealth makers is so well known, there will be no hesitancy in taking advantage of the splendid gift of 160 acres of land made by the Government of the Dominion of Canada, where equal opportunities are offered. Besides these free grant lands, there are the lands of some of the railway companies and large land companies, that may be had at low prices and on reasonable terms. During the month of February a large number of inquiries were received, asking for farm lands.

An encouraging feature of the farm land situation in Canada is the large percentage of sales made to settlers in the country who desire to increase their holdings or to others who will take up farming in place of different occupations previously followed.—Advertisement.

Our Own Personaly Conducted War.

"You are a confirmed dyspeptic!" exclaimed Friend Wife.

"No," we remarked, sotto voce, or words to that effect, "a contradicted dyspeptic."

MINNESOTA VICTIMS FIND QUICK RELIEF

Wonderful Remedy Saves Many From Desperate Illnesses and Dangerous Operations.

End stomach troubles quickly with Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. The first dose proves what it will do. Hundreds of people in Minnesota have used it with unusual benefit.

Here are the words of a few of the many in this state who have taken it: JOHN TOWEY, 2030 Dayton avenue, St. Paul, Minn., ordering a second treatment, wrote: "I have been feeling fine since I took your medicine. It certainly cleared my skin. I have recommended your medicine to a number of stomach sufferers."

MRS. PETER WILLIAMS, 2749 Eighteenth st., S., Minneapolis, wrote: "I have taken Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and feel like a new woman. I am entirely out of pain. Four of our best doctors could do nothing for me and agreed I must have an operation."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.—Adv.

Quite So.

"What is the first step necessary in cultivating an artistic temperament?"

"Finding somebody to stand for it."

CLEAN SWEET SCALP

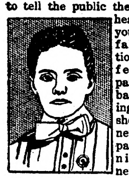
May Be Kept So by Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Trial Free.

To have good hair clear the scalp of dandruff and itching with shampoos of Cuticura Soap and touches of Cuticura Ointment to dandruff spots and itching. Nothing better than these pure, fragrant, supercreamy emollients for skin and scalp troubles. Sample each free by mail with Skin Book. Address Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Love's young dream ends when lovey's snoring wakes dovey up.

REMARKABLE CASE of Mrs. HAM

Declares Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Saved Her Life and Sanity.



Shamrock, Mo.—"I feel it my duty to tell the public the condition of my health before using your medicine. I had falling, inflammation and congestion, female weakness, pains in both sides, backaches and bearing down pains, was short of memory, nervous, impatient, passed sleepless nights, and had neither strength nor energy. There was always a fear and dread in my mind, I had cold, nervous, weak spells, hot flashes over my body. I had a place in my right side that was so sore that I could hardly bear the weight of my clothes. I tried medicines and doctors, but they did me little good, and I never expected to get out again. I got Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier, and I certainly would have been in grave or in an asylum if your medicines had not saved me. But now I can work all day, sleep well at night, eat anything I want, have no hot flashes or weak, nervous spells. All pains, aches, fears and dreads are gone, my house, children and husband are no longer neglected, as I am almost entirely free of the bad symptoms I had before taking your remedies, and all is pleasure and happiness in my home."—Mrs. JOSIE HAM, R. F. D. 1, Box 22, Shamrock, Missouri.

If you want special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass.

The Army of Constipation
Is Growing Smaller Every Day.
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are responsible—they not only give relief—they permanently cure Constipation. Millions use them for Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Sallow Skin.
SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.
Genuine must bear Signature
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The Cautious Investigator.

"You say this summer hotel you recommend is only a stone's throw from the station?"

"Yes?"

"By hand or catapult?"

HOW SHE ENDED TEN YEARS OF SKIN-TORTURE

Oct. 28, 1914:—"I had eczema on my face for ten years. Little red pimples formed in a small spot on my chin and then spread all over my face. They itched and burned me awfully. I tried almost every remedy and treatment that could be used for this trouble, but nothing did me any good. I used resinol ointment and resinol soap, and was relieved in a day or two. In one month I was cured. This was six months ago and the trouble has never returned."—(Signed) Mrs. C. C. Roberts, Weatherford, Okla. Every druggist sells resinol ointment and resinol soap and doctors have prescribed the resinol treatment for more than twenty years.—Adv.

He Knew.

Bill—I've just acquired a combined carpet sweeper and talking machine.

Dill—Married it, eh?

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
In Use For Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

The most complicated task is that of getting a meal in a cafeteria.

Backache Spells Danger
Census records show that deaths from kidney disorders have increased 72% in 20 years. People can't seem to realize that the first pain in the back, the first disorder of the urine, demands instant attention—that it may be a signal of coming gravel, dropsy or fatal Bright's disease. The best prevention of serious kidney disorders is prompt treatment—the best medicine is Doan's Kidney Pills.
A North Dakota Case
"Every Picture Tells a Story"
Mrs. H. Dalbec, Thompson St., Bottineau, N. D., says: "Kidney trouble came on with a sharp pain in my kidneys, followed by a dull, grinding ache through my back. I got weak and languid and the kidney secretions were in bad shape. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Kidney Pills. They soon relieved the backache and removed the other ailments. I have not been bothered to amount to anything since."
Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box
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FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ON DRESS PARADE

OPEN FIFTIETH ANNUAL CONCLAVE OF SEMI-CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION.

STATE NEWS OF MINNESOTA

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

Minneapolis, Minn.—A dress parade through the business section of the city, followed by a banquet at the armory, wound up a strenuous day for the Knights Templar who are in Minneapolis to participate in the fiftieth annual conclave of the semi-centennial celebration of the grand commandery of Minnesota.

While the banquet was its height, a large tank of coffee, boiling over a gas range in a temporary kitchen in the armory, exploded, and eleven waiters were showered with the hot fluid and severely burned. Three of them were so badly scalded that treatment at the City hospital was necessary.

Two Thousand in Parade.

Two thousand five hundred Knights resplendent in plumed helmets, uniforms which blazed with gold lace and medals, passed through the streets thronged by thousands of Minneapolitans and visitors. All along the line of march, which started at Tenth street and Nicollet avenue, down to the Gateway and then over to Hennepin and out Hennepin to the armory, the marching Knights, representing the 31 commanderies in the state, were cheered by spectators. Many of the commanderies treated the public to fancy drills and formations.

MEN MAKE APPEAL FOR WORK

Over Six Hundred Petition City Commissioners—Say Even Actual Necessaries Are Lacking.

Duluth.—Six hundred and twenty-one men petitioned the city commissioners for work. Their condition was couched in terse language and the city officials are appealing to employers to do something to help the men out.

The petition, which contained no threat, recited that most of the men were attracted here by stories to the effect that sawmills were opening up, the steel plant work resuming and other concerns taking on extra men. The petitioners' spokesman told the commissioners the men are in actual need of the necessaries of life and some have families.

The city commissioners are trying to devise some means of employment so the men may earn enough to buy food and a place to sleep.

Club Receives Pike Fry.

Two Harbors.—Minnesota game and fish commission car Glenwood brought to this city 20 cans of pike, each can containing from 750 to 1,000 fry, consigned to the Two Harbors Rod and Gun club.

Members of the club accompanied the car to Highland and distributed the fry in Thomas lake, Long lake and one of the Twin lakes.

They also had 35 cans of pike fry consigned to August Tabor, deputy game warden. These were taken to Rollins and distributed in the lakes in the vicinity of that station by Mr. Tabor.

Admit Alleged Forgery.

Little Falls.—After confessing to forging and passing a small check at a local store and writing and attempting to pass several others, Inga Emond, 17, and David Emond, 18, her husband, were taken to St. Cloud by Sheriff Felix to plead guilty before Judge Roeser in district court to a technical charge of forgery in the second degree. The girl passed one check which was cashed, the boy failing in several attempts. They say their home is in Minneapolis.

Observe Sunday School Day.

Stillwater.—Sunday School day was observed by churches here with addresses by out-of-town residents. Rev. W. A. Brown, D. D., of Chicago, superintendent of missions of the International association, spoke twice. Professor A. M. Locker, general secretary of the association, spoke at a mass meeting on organized Sunday school work. Others who delivered addresses were Mark G. Holtzmann of Minneapolis, E. T. Street, C. J. Hunt and Mrs. Jean E. Holbert.

Wanamingo Pioneer Dies.

Red Wing.—Andres A. Haller, 88 years old, father of the late Judge Axel Haller, died at his home in Wanamingo. He was one of the first white settlers of that township.

Find Dray Loads of Liquor.

Brainerd.—At the raid made on the ideal hotel, of which W. T. Larrabee is proprietor, Sheriff Claus A. Theorin and Chief of Police Henry Squires, proceeding under a warrant charging Larrabee with conducting an unlicensed drinking place, found under search warrant, two dray loads of beer and whiskey which were hauled to the old city jail. Sheriff Theorin and Chief Squires then went to the Antlers hotel, where they seized a drayload of beer and whiskey and transported the same to the city jail.

ARRESTS CAUSE NEAR-RIOTS

Encounters Reported at Green Lake As Result of Obstructions Being Placed in Fish Outlet.

Willmar.—The past week has been a red letter week in the annals of the fishing sport in the county. The municipal court has had quite a run on illegal fishing cases during the last few days and there are more to follow. A couple of game wardens from St. Paul have been assisting in the detective operations in the county, it is said.

Especially down at the Green lake outlet have things been warm, and several arrests for illegal spearing have been made. Rumors of severe fistic encounters between wardens and native fishermen have reached this city.

A wire netting which had been placed in the lake to hinder fish from going down into the river has been yanked out by means of a team of horses, it is said.

It seems that since the digging of the ditch and draining of Lake Calhoun the fishing in Green lake has been poor and it is believed that the fish which have gone down the river to spawn in the spring have never found their way back into the lake. And for this reason those interested in preserving good fishing in the lake have caused the netting to be put in. Some of the farmers, however, declare that it only helps to preserve the fish for the city sports who come up in summer, and it deprives them of their usual opportunity of spearing a mess during this time of the year.

CHANGE IN PLANS FOR LOCK

Duluth Commercial Club Wants Waterway Built Deep Enough to Accommodate Ocean Craft.

Duluth.—The Duluth Commercial club has sent a request to the war department either to delay the construction of lock No. 4 at the Sault, for which excavation work has been finished, or to change the specifications so that the lock will permit boats that pass through it to load to a draft of thirty feet instead of twenty-four and a half feet as now planned.

When the new Welland canal is finished, in about two and a half years, vessels up to 800 feet in length, and having a draft of 30 feet, can be locked through. This will permit the passage of the largest ocean freighters.

Canada assures improvements in the St. Lawrence river, and the deepening of the channels in this harbor and in the rivers connecting the Great Lakes will complete the desired waterway.

TUNNEL THROUGH ROOF AND LOOT STRONG BOX

Minneapolis.—Working night after night with the determination of mining prospectors drilling for veins of gold, cracksmen drilled and dug their way through the brick and concrete roof of the vault in the rear of the Northwestern Fuel company's offices, 527 Marquette avenue, completed their work, droped into the vault and plundered the strong box of all it contained.

The work took several days, probably more than a week, the police believe. Each night the cracksmen replaced the roofing over the vault, but returned again to renew the operations.

The loss to the company in the robbery, the twelfth it has suffered in the last five years, could not be estimated by Manager A. W. Saunders without an examination of the books, but the robbers are believed to have obtained more than $500, which represented the day's late receipts.

Commencement Early at St. Olaf.

Northfield.—St. Olaf college will hold the twenty-fifth commencement of the college department and the forty-first of the school during the first week in June. Graduation exercises will be earlier than usual this year to avoid conflict with the annual meeting of the United Norwegian Lutheran church which begins June 9 and the twenty-fifth commencement of the United church seminary in St. Anthony park June 8.

Policeman Fatally Hurt.

Minneapolis, May 21.—Motorcycle Patrolman Otto Ostby was fatally injured when he collided with a street car at Lake street and Twenty-first avenue south, while traveling at a high rate of speed to answer what he thought was an emergency burglar alarm at the home of Miss Emily Martinson, 2529 Tenth avenue south. Ostby was picked up unconscious and taken to the city hospital where he died two hours later.

Owl Captures Prize Cat.

Buhl.—Frank Tily, a farmer, imitated an owl which he heard hooting in the nearby woods. He went into the house and a few minutes later heard a crash and an agonized "meow" of his prize cat on the porch. Tily ran to the veranda in time to see the owl fluttering away with pussy firmly clutched in its claws.

Jumps From Train; Held By Foot.

Crookston.—Sheriff O'Reilly of Grand Rapids had a hard struggle with Peter Erickson of Wheaton, whom he was taking to the Fergus Falls insane asylum. Erickson, after a hearing, was declared insane.

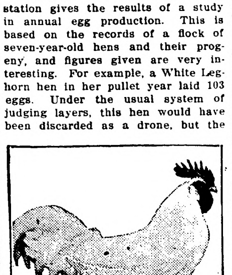
Before reaching Crookston Erickson jumped through a window of the moving train. Sheriff O'Reilly caught him by the foot and held him until the train was stopped and assistance secured in pulling the man back to safety. Later Erickson slashed his throat with a piece of the broken glass.

POULTRY •FACTS•

COST OF RENEWING A FLOCK

Interesting Figures Given of Results of Experiments With Old Hens at the Utah Station.

Bulletin 135 of the Utah experiment station gives the results of a study in annual egg production. This is based on the records of a flock of seven-year-old hens and their progeny, and figures given are very interesting. For example, a White Leghorn hen in her pullet year laid 103 eggs. Under the usual system of judging layers, this hen would have been discarded as a drone, but the next year she came back with 197 and repeated with 108. In her fourth year she fell down to 72, yet in her sixth year she laid as many as she had when a pullet. It is a question whether it paid to keep this hen after her third year, but such records are necessary in order to learn definitely about such things.



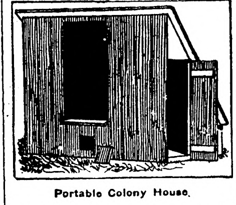
White Leghorn Cockerel.

The cost of renewing the flock is considered one of the greatest drawbacks to the poultry industry, the authors estimating the cost of a pullet—probably up to laying age—at from 50 to 60 cents. The average productive life of hens cannot be estimated at this stage of their work, but for the strain used in their studies was thought to be about four years. The range of individual egg production in their flocks was found to be from 100 to 160 in the first year, from 105 to 140 in the second year and from 100 to 130 in the third year. After the third year the production remained fairly constant at about 90, with a variation of not more than 10 or 15 eggs per year.

SERVICEABLE POULTRY HOUSE

Portable Colony Structure Shown in Illustration Will Accommodate Ten to Fifteen Fowls.

Here is a poultry house that will accommodate from 10 to 15 fowls, according to the amount of yard room, breed, etc. It is known as a colony house and is portable, so that it can be moved from one part of the field to another, says a writer in Western Farmer. The building is 9 feet long and 7 feet wide and about 6 feet high at the center and 18 inches at the eaves. The door is covered with fine wire netting, so as to provide light and ventilation. If desired the door can be covered with a muslin curtain, which can be swung open during the day and on warm nights. The chief recommendation for a house of this shape is the economy of labor and material needed to build it. Many poultrymen find use for colony houses. The house shown in the cut herewith given is easily constructed and at a low cost.



Portable Colony House.

INFERTILE EGGS FOR CHICKS

Feed Made by Mixing With Rice and Flour and Baking Into Cake Wards Off Bowel Troubles.

Keep the infertile eggs taken from the incubator to feed the coming chicks. An infertile egg will not rot if kept in a clean place. After months you will find that it has merely dried down to something not much larger than a bean.

Mix the eggs with rice and flour and bake in a cake, which you can crumble to chicks, poults and ducks. The rice wards off bowel trouble. As they get older mix the eggs with sifted corn meal and bake up for them.

Start in Chicken Business.

While it is desirable it is not always necessary to start in the chicken business with a flock of purebreds. Buy the best hens you can afford and then spend as much more as you can afford for a purebred cock.

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Egypt's cotton crop is being bought up by government agents.

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A Vague Hint.

He—When they put the X-ray on my head, they didn't find anything.

She—Probably they didn't expect to.

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Try Murine Eye Remedy for Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids; No Smarting—just Eye comfort. Write for Book of the Eye by mail Free. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

Not His Doing.

His Sister—It makes me laugh every time I hear you talk about changing your mind.

Her Brother—Do you mean to insinuate that I have no mind to change?

His Sister—Oh, no, but your wife always makes the change for you.

The Clock Was All Right.

A man went into a clock store and handed out the pendulum of a clock, which he wished to leave for repairs.

The clock man asked him why he didn't bring the whole clock.

"The clock is all right," was the reply. "It's the pendulum that won't go. As soon as I pulled that out, the rest went like the very dickens."—Judge.

Thought for the Future.

The universities of Oxford and Cambridge have contributed about one half of the men who have given England leadership in government, science and letters. Now two-thirds of their students have enlisted in the war; Trinity college has been converted into a military hospital. Could we not select from those who would not otherwise have the opportunity men of ability equal to the students who have attended the English universities and prepare them for work equally important? And could we not give opportunity to foreign men and women of ability to continue here work from which they will be debarred by the conditions following the war? Popular Science Monthly.

Grape-Nuts
with cream or good milk supplies the food elements in excellent proportion for building brain and muscle tissue.
"There's a Reason"

Recipe.

"Jack is such a favorite with the girls."

"Yes; he handles them with gloves—about ten pairs per year."—Puck.

THE SECRET

of good coffee is to get pure, sound coffee.

If you ask your dealer he will tell you that all coffees are pure, as the law prohibits the sale of substitutes as coffee.

Not all apples are pure although they are apples. Some of them are often rotten.

Some coffees are windfalls, and whilst the law allows them to be called coffee they are impure and have a harsh taste.

Denison's Coffees are picked coffees, the berries picked by hand from the trees, consequently they are always pure and sound in every sense of the word, reliable and delicious.

Denison's Coffees are always packed in cartons, bags or cans with the name on every package. All others are imitations.

If your grocer does not stock Denison's Coffees, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, Ill., who will tell you where they can be obtained in your vicinity.—Adv.

Another One of Those Libels.

"The airship went up in smoke."

"Burned?"

"No; ascended in Pittsburgh."

ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE for the TROOPS
Over 100,000 packages of Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to shake into your shoes, are being used by the German and Allied troops at the Front because it rests the feet, gives instant relief to Corns and Bunions, hot, swollen aching, tender feet, and makes walking easy. Sold everywhere, 25c. Try it TODAY. Don't accept any substitute. Adv.

And some candidates bitterly contest the will of the people.

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You can buy the most durable roofing in the world at a price that is reasonable if you insist on
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Your local hardware or lumber dealer can supply you with Certain-teed Roofing. Guaranteed 5, 10 or 15 years according to the thickness. Don't accept a substitute.
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Free Mission Church.

2 o'clock Sunday School

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. E. A. Johnson Friday May 28. Everybody invited.

Rev. A. L. Larson of T. R. Falls will preach here next Sunday forenoon at 11 oclcck. Everyone invited to attend.

On account of the storm the auction sale of ladies aid was postponed until Saturday evening May 29nd. Please note change of date and try to be there.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.43
Wheat No. 2	1.40
Wheat No. 3	1.36
Wheat No. 4	1.29
Flax	1.74
Oats.	.43
Barley	48 to .56
Rye	1.04
Flour, Best Patent	4.35

Deputy Sheriff Carlson was in this vicinity Friday on business.

Axel Nelson is having a porch built on the front of his house.

Mrs. E. T. Eide of Spooner visited over Sunday with Mrs. B. Docken.

A few of the people of this vicinity have been courting in Warren this week.

The Board of Health was out again Wednesday making a second inspection.

Mr. Gibeau of the Twin City Life Insurance Co. was in town several days last week.

E. E. Pechie went to Warren on Wednesday afternoon to attend the district court as a witness.

Clarence Kolden, Arnold Rux, Alfred Olson, Kettle and Bertil Sollom autoed to Thief River Falls, Sunday.

The painters finished their work on the Red Lake Falls Milling Co's elevator Tuesday and it now shines like a new dollar.

Dr. J. T. Turley, the dentist will be at the Holt hotel Tuesday June 1st., and will be prepared to do work in this line.

C. M. Davenport returned Wednesday from Greenbush where he had worked a few days in the interests of the Pioneer Life Insurance Co. of which B. Docken is agent for this locality.

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Attorney at Law
Office in McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, - - Minnesota.

Southeast of Holt.

Ole Ose who has been attending the Augsburg Seminary in Minneapolis during the winter months returned to his home on Sunday.

Bernard Larson of Golden Valley visited at the home of C. Larson last week.

Arthur Nustvold is working for Jacob Klungness.

Gunder Johnson had the misfortune of losing one of his best horses.

Mrs. Clarence Larson and son Chester of Golden Valley visited at the S. Moe home the first of the week.

Miss. Ester Olson of Oslo Minn. is visiting at the G. A. Soiney home.

Olga Klungness is working for Mrs. John Ensrube.

Messrs Nels Sordahl, and Gjermond Johnson visited at the home of Albert Klungness on Sunday afternoon.

A large number of young people spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Soiney.

Saave Baokkee is working for Nels Gunderson.

Sam Groven transacted business with S. Moe one day last week.

Albert Klungness is seeding flax for Sargie Borgen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Klungness entertained a few friends on Sunday those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wold and family, Mr. Klungness, Ethel and Oscar Nustrold and Harry Moe.

Sunnyside Items

Miss Burndette Horien returned from Thief River Falls last Monday.

Fred Peterson went to Thief River Falls Friday returning Monday.

Mrs. Ed. Horien and daughter Blanche called at Mrs. C. Anderson Sunday.

Miss Lillie Peterson visited at Wegge's Sunday.

Miss Alma Knutson called at Dovre's Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lucy, Irene, and Evelyn Wegge and Klara Tvede called at Lynes Saturday evening.

Ed. Bjerk and Hjalmar Peterson called at Dovre's Sunday evening.

Leo Horien, Walter Wegge, Dehard Johnson and Arthur Anderson called at L. Wegge's Sunday.

Oscar and Klara Furr and Klara Tyde spent last Wednesday evening at Dovre's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Peterson and children spent Sunday at A. Bjerk's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. LaBree and family called at Dovre's Sunday.

Graduation Exercises will be held in the schoolhouse in District 59 Friday May 28th. J. B. Bengston of the Crookston School of Agriculture is expected to give an address on "Agricultural Education". The graduates are Evelyn Wegge, Raymond Wegge, Hilmer Lunke, and Julia Lunke.

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It has a famous make of anti-skid rear tires and the same size tires 30x3½ inch all around. It is fully equipped—top, windshield and speedometer, etc.

This "Wonder Car" is the 1915 model of the Maxwell—price $695.

With Electric Starter and Electric Lights only $55 extra.

Jonas Sjoberg
Middle River, Minn

Northeast of Holt.

Miss Burndette Herien returned home Monday, after a two month stay at T. R. Falls, little Viola Baker accompanied her.

Mrs. C. W. Christiason and Lizzie Hanson called at E. Johnson's Tuesday evening.

Members of the Town Board were looking over the road Tuesday in regards to having it repaired.

Mrs. E. Johnson called on Mrs. C. W. Christianson Wednesday after noon.

Mr. Anderson who has purchased the farm recently occupied by Tom Severson, visited this vicinity Wednesday. Both Mr. and Mrs. Anderson seemed pleased with the prospects and intend to move here in the fall.

Quite a number attended service at Ringbo Sunday afternoon.

John Munberg, Emil, Dehard and Miss Tina Johnson autoed up from Alvarado Saturday afternoon and visited with the latter's parents Sunday, returning Monday. Mrs. E. Johnson accompanied them for a two weeks stay with her daughter Mrs. G. Munberg.

John Munberg, Emil, Dehard Johnson, Miss Tina Johnson and Lizzie Hanson attended services at Germany Sunday evening.

Quite a number of Owls were seen perching on the railing of the bridge down east Sunday afternoon, and they was'nt asleep either 'ahem.'

Miss Tina Johnson is staying at home a couple of weeks while her mother is visiting at Alvarado.

John Munberg, Emil and Dehard Johnson called at C. W. Christianson's Saturday afternoon.

Walter Wegge called at E. Johnson's Sunday.

Mrs. E. Johnson and Mrs. C. W. Christianson called at Mrs. Tom Saastad Friday afternoon.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM LAND
MACKEY J. THOMPSON
FARM MORTGAGES
ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA
CONTRACTS, FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGES BOUGHT

Auction Sale of the Ladies' Aid Saturday evening May 29th at the church. Special [illegible] for the occasion. The ladies will serve lunch.

If you need timothy or fodder corn seed, call at Reierson's store.

Carlson's were out in the country Wednesday with a seperator agent.

Narrowness, jealousy, chronic fault finding and stinginess will kill any town.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. E. A. Johnson Friday May 28. Everybody invited.

If it is worth anything to the business interests of Holt to have a paper here, they better give it their united support.

Newfolden Garage

Overhauling and car rebuilding a specialty. No matter what shape your car is in, I make it right if you have the pieces.

Tractor and steam boiler work, machine and instrument repairing of all kinds.

Call and see me for a friendly chat and find out that we can always agree.

Mutually Yours,
Wm. S. Dufke.

NOT GROWN FOR HORSE FEED

Grass Worth $1.50 a Pound Just a Little Too Expensive for Animal to Make a Meal Of.

"Gracious goodness, the horse is eating the grass!"

This anguished roar was heard by a visitor to the Canal Zone in the neighborhood of Guayaquil. He asked his host why on earth the horse shouldn't eat the grass. The answer was:

"My boy, that grass is worth $1.50 a pound. To feed a horse on it would cost $8 or $9 a meal. Real Ritz-Carlton prices!

"This is grass, you know, for Panama hats. We grow it here in Guayaquil with the utmost care—as one grows flowers. It fetches for the best average grade—the grade the horse was eating—$150 a hundredweight. That grade is free from knots and imperfections, is very fine and supple and measures two feet and more in length per blade.

"The quality of a panama hat depends on the quality of the grass put into it. You have perhaps seen Panamas worth $200 or $300. But doubtless you were not aware that the picked grass used in such hats cost $15 or $20 a pound. For, when it comes to picked grass, you get up to $1,500 or so a hundredweight. Thank goodness the horse wasn't eating that!"

FOR AN INTERNATIONAL CITY

Stupendous Plan Actually Has Been Given the Most Serious Consideration.

The plan for the $100,000,000 international city, designed by Hendrik Christian Andersen, an American sculptor living in Rome, is being accorded a very encouraging hearing. American diplomats have been directed by the state department to aid Mr. Andersen in advertising his plan. Many organizations devoted to the promotion of peace or philanthropy have volunteered their support. President Poincare of France is expected to attend a meeting at the Sorbonne December 5.

The designer is not desirous of having the world city built on speculation, believing that the nations will co-operate spontaneously when their attention is called to the plan. Possible sites have been studied on the New Jersey coast, the Dutch coast near The Hague, the Riviera near Cannes, Tervueren near Brussels, Lake Neuchatel near Bern, St. Germain-en-Laye near Paris, the Marmora coast near Constantinople, and the Mediterranean coast near Rome.—Engineering Record.

FEAR PLAGUE IN INDIA.

The plague is once more raising its head as the cold weather approaches, and the worst signs are in the Bombay presidency. There the weekly mortality is now over 1,200 out of a total of about 1,800 for all India. Bijapur, Kohlapur and southern Mahratta country, Satara, Belgaum and Poona districts furnish the highest returns. Bengal is entirely free from the disease for the moment, and other provinces have only scattered cases, but there are obviously centers of infection that require to be carefully watched. An unusual outbreak has occurred in the Hazara district, Northwest Frontier Provinces, 26 deaths being reported during the week.

"AT EVERY SOLDIER'S GRAVE, WITH LOVE"

PHOTO BY FRANK FOURNIER

Let tears bedew each wreath that decks the lawn
Of every grave! and raise a solemn prayer
That their battalioned souls be joined to fare
Dim roads, beyond the trumpets of the dawn.
Yet perfumed, somehow, by our flowers that heap
The peaceful barracks where their bodies sleep.

MEMORIAL DAY ANCIENT CUSTOM

Ceremonies Can Be Traced Back to the Very Earliest Days of Civilization.

MEMORIAL day, celebrated in almost every state of our Union, has been set apart by statute as a special day for decorating the graves of the nation's soldiers and for holding appropriate exercises in their memory. While it originally sprang from a spontaneous desire to do honor to the heroes who fell in the Civil war, still it is now celebrated in honor of all the soldier dead, that their heroisms and sacrifices may never be forgotten.

It is interesting to trace the origin of this holiday, for, like many another modern institution, it goes back to the early days of civilization. We have been celebrating it with a special significance for years, and yet, upon examining it, we find the adaptation of an ancient custom rather than the expression of a new idea. In fact, days set aside for ceremonies to honor the dead are so intimately connected with all races that they seem inseparable from the practices of civilization.

The pagan Greeks held sacred rites at the graves of their dead called zeal and made offerings of olives and flowers. A floral wreath was placed at the head of the grave, and if a bloom sprang from the mound it was considered a sign of the happiness of the departed one.

Roman Parentalia.

In Rome a similar festival was held for several days in February. It was known as the Parentalia. During this celebration the temples were closed and the last day offerings were made at the tombs. These consisted of milk, honey, fruit, wine and other things, while flowers of every variety were used in profuse decoration.

The Druids held a memorial service in the autumn on the eve of the Thanksgiving feast, while the ancient people of Japan and China had a service for the dead called the Feast of Lanterns.

After the various nations embraced Christianity this custom became more widespread and the nature of its celebration changed materially. The spiritual side of the day became the uppermost feature, and this led directly to the founding of All Souls' day. This is observed in our own country strictly in a religious manner, but in many places in Europe it includes the decoration of flowers in addition to the spiritual exercises. In France for several days before the feast wreaths and bunches of immortelles, dyed in various colors, are seen in the shop windows.

After the religious services are over the people go to the different graveyards laden with baskets and bunches of flowers, and before the day is over these burying places are a mass of brilliant color. Not a grave is slighted, and even in a corner of potter's field one will find a token of remembrance for the most neglected one. Another interesting feature is the placing of a lighted lamp at the foot of the graves. The lamps are usually taken to the graves as evening draws on, and often the people stay and kneel there in silent meditation. The colored garlands and the flickering lights present a strange and novel sight.

All Had Graves to Decorate.

Our Memorial day is in truth nothing more than a secular All Souls' day. It owes its origin to the women of the South, who began the practice of decorating their graves less than two years after the close of the Civil war. That struggle of four years had kept our country in a constant state of commotion and excitement. Every [illegible] of the nation had contributed [illegible] young and old, to the [illegible] peace was restored [illegible] a village or town that did not have a grave to remind it of the fearful cost.

A New York newspaper first published a paragraph stating that a few women of Columbus, Miss., had strewn the graves of the dead soldiers, Union as well as Confederates. This touching tribute caused a thrill of tenderness to pass through the North, and it aroused, as nothing else could have done, a feeling of national amity and love.

The practical result of this incident came in May, 1868, when Adjutant General Chipman suggested to Gen. John A. Logan, commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, that their organization set a uniform time to decorate the graves of the Union soldiers.

General Logan immediately took up the suggestion and named May 30 as the day for decoration. He added that it was his purpose to inaugurate this observance, and sincerely hoped it would be kept up each year while a survivor of the war remains to honor the memory of the departed. The idea spread rapidly, and the legislatures of the various states enacted it into law until the holiday is now a legal one in all but six states. In many of the southern states the celebration is held April 26, as spring visits the South a full month before its first harbingers appear in the North.

First Services at Arlington.

On the first Memorial day the services at Arlington were perhaps the most impressive. The speaker on that occasion was James A. Garfield. In his soul-touching address, which remains to this day as a foremost exponent of the spirit and significance of Decoration day, we read:

"I love to believe that no heroic sacrifice is ever lost; that the characters of men are molded and inspired by what their fathers have done; that treasured up in American souls are all the unconscious influences of the great deeds of the Anglo-Saxon race from Agincourt to Bunker Hill. Each for himself gathered up the cherished purposes of life—its aims and ambitions, its dearest affections—and flung all, with life itself, into the scale of battle. If each grave had a voice to tell us what its silent tenant last saw and heard on earth we might stand with uncovered heads and hear the whole story of the war. We should hear that one perished when the first great drops of the crimson shower began to fall, when the darkness of that first disaster at Manassas fell like an eclipse on the nation; that another died of disease while wearily waiting for winter to end; that this one fell on the field when the tide of war shook the dome of yonder capitol and re-echoed in the chambers of the executive mansion. The voices of these dead will forever fill the land like holy benedictions. What other spot so fitting for their last resting place as this, under the shadow of the capitol saved by their valor? Here, where the grim edge of battle joined; here, where all the hope and fear and agony of their country centered; here let them rest, asleep on the nation's heart, entombed in the nation's love!"

Memorial day has now grown to be a day of thought for all dead. When the national Decoration day comes, many who have no soldier dead, take the opportunity to honor relatives and other dead ones by strewing on their graves the symbols of love and affection.

THE NATION'S DEAD.

Beside the army of her dead
Once more the nation stands,
With banners waving at her back,
And blossoms in her hands,
With equal love and grief and pride,
Impartially, today
She drops her roses and her tears
Upon the Blue and Gray.

Forgotten are the years of strife,
The cause they lost and won,
Each sleeper in the silent tents
Is her beloved son.
The uniforms are ashes now,
The swords and guns are rust,
But Memory's eternal green
[illegible] in their dust.
—[illegible], in Leslie's.

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A. H. Huseth, Prop.

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The New Way

I expect there will be as much change in a few years as there was from the old reapers to the binders.

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Local Items

The annual meeting of the Gospel Mission will be held in Holt this year commencing June 9th.

The telephone people are waiting for the arrival of a cable before they move into their new building.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one. A. H. Huseth.

Ed. Knutson returned Tuesday from Silverton where he has had employment for the past two months.

Adolph and Alfred Sollom and wives visited at Harry Hoberg's near Newfolden, Sunday.

Miss Inanda Fosholm came from T. R. Falls Saturday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fosholm.

Theodore Sollom went to Goodridge last week to look after his claim. We understand he expects to prove up this month.

Clarence Docken went to Mekinock, N. D. Wednesday for a couple of days visit at the old home with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Kolden autoed here Sunday from Fosson, where they stopped over night, and visited with relatives until Tuesday.

Dr. Turley made a mistake in his dates and writes he will be here for sure next Monday, so be on hand June 7th, for your dental work.

S. S. Kolden, L. S. Kolden, wife and daughter, Mrs. D. Payne, autoed to Grygla Monday and also took in Thief River Falls on their return home.

Miss Nellie Grondall returned to her home in Strathcona Tuesday after a few days pleasant visit with her sister here at the Gunheim home.

Miss Cora Hanson came Tuesday and conducted state examinations for three of the pupils, Misses Mabel Haggland, Inez Alkenbrack and Frank Heinze.

Fred Ewald and family have been entertaining his brother and wife for a few days. They returned Wednesday to their home in the southern part of the state.

S. S. Kolden sold eight lots to A. H. Huseth last week. The lots lie to the west and north of Mr. Huseth's house and this makes him a nice piece of property.

J. C. Sorenson came Friday after his wife who had been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Rierson. Mr. Sorenson has bought some lots in Viking and moved his family there and will build a house and go into the shoe and harness business in that town.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Sollom and Mrs. Carl Newton autoed to Rosewood Tuesday, the ladies went on to Warren and returned home in the evening. They brought Mrs. Newton's son Norman home and he is recovering rapidly from the effects of his recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken, kindly invited the editor and wife to join them in an auto ride to T. R. Falls Sunday, which was gladly accepted and greatly enjoyed as was also the pleasant visit and entertainment furnished all at the cosy home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bakke.

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Southeast of Holt.

On the later part of last week Torald Tharaldson was on duty as Town clerk posting up notices of the special election to be held June 14th. to vote upon the question whether the sale of intoxicating liquors shall be prohibited within Marshall Co.

A large number of people spent Sunday at the home of G. A. Soiney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Christianson of Swift Minnesota visited at the M. Johnson home a few days last week.

Olga Klungness who is working for Mrs. John Ernsrud visited at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness on Sunday.

Ole Ose left Monday for N. Dak. where he is going to teach school.

Tom Olson is breaking for T. Borgen.

Messrs Ludwig Olson and Carl Gutterud are working for Torbjon Skomedal.

Miss Tillie Ose who has been attending the Oak Grove Seminary in Fargo N. Dak. durning the winter months returned to her home last week.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Albert Klungness Thursday June 10th. Every body is welcome to attend.

More corn is planted in this locality this year than ever before.

C. L. Hammond purchased a bull tractor from S. O. Bergland recently.

Mrs. Henry Jenson is reported being very seriously ill.

Miss Esther Olson left last Monday for her home in Oslo Minn. after visiting at the G. A. Soiney home for some time.

Messrs Altveit and Davidson are breaking for G. A. Soiney.

Strayed or Stolen!

A light red yearling steer, left my place 3 weeks ago. Please notify C. L. Anderson, Holt, Minn.

Free Traveling Library

Minnesota Public Library books may be had at Holt State Bank free to all. Call and examine the books.

J. P. Lein came Wednesday to visit his daughter Mrs. C. H. Gunheim and family.

A birthday party was given last week Thursday night at the John Johnson home in honor of Miss Mary Brotten.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Werner have moved their house hold goods into the rooms recently vacated by the printing office.

A number from here attended the ball game at Thief River Falls Sunday between the team of that place and the White Earth Indians.

Sollom Bros. have built a ware house adjoining the addition to their store and expect to soon move the hardware stock from the Kolden building.

We received a card this week Wednesday from Dr. Turley, the dentist, stating that in some way he made a mistake in his dates and that he would be here Monday June 7th. and wished his Ad. changed to that date.

The village council met in regular session Tuesday evening and the following resolutions were passed:

That the streets leading to both churches be graded; That every male citizen between the ages of 21 and 50 must pay a poll tax of two days work or $3.00 cash:

That pool halls close at 10 P. M. and during church services.

The Loss of Property

By Fire in the U. S.
During a Recent Year
Amounted to
$215,084,709

It was remarkably evenly divided between the Urban & Rural Population, the Loss in Cities & Towns Amounting to
$107,093,283

In the Rural Districts
$107,991,426

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You will need some—and the best of it is that YOU CAN GET IT—ALL YOU WANT OF IT—AND OF AS FINE A quality AS YOUR ANCESTORS BOASTED OF.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston,
Minnesota, June 1st, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Anna Adolphson of Holt, Minn. who on Feb. 28th, 1914, made Homestead Entry, No. 010386, for Lot 2 Sec. 10 Township 155 N, Ran. 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 5th day of July, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Elmer Addlphson, Olaus Rodahl, Nels Gudvangen and Alfred O. Hanson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota May 17th 1915. Notice is hereby given that George Willis of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Sept. 2, 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 06526, for S. W. 1-4 Sec. 14, Twp. 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minnesota on the 24th day of June 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Thorald Thoraldson, Lars Thorson, Christ Nelson and Frank Conklin all of Germantown, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

SCANDIA BLOCK TRI-STATE PHONE 515
Dr. B. R. Lund, Dentist
Norsk Tandlæge
Thief River Falls - Minn.

THEO. QUALE
LAWYER
Office in McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.

GERMANY REPLIES TO AMERICAN NOTE REGARDING SINKING OF THE LUSITANIA

Berlin Government Declares it Does Not Intend to Submit Neutral Ships to Submarine Attacks--Alleges Cunard Liner Was Armed--Withholds Final Decision.

Berlin, June 1.—Germany withholds its final decision on the demands advanced by the United States government in connection with the sinking of the Lusitania until the receipt of an answer from the United States to the note which Herr Von Jagow, the foreign minister, has delivered to Ambassador Gerard, in reply to the American note received by the German government on May 15.

In its reply, the German government declares that it is not its intention to submit neutral ships in the war zone, which are guilty of no hostile acts, to attacks by submarines or aeroplanes; that it is investigating the circumstances in connection with the attacks on the American steamers Cushing and Gulflight, and that in all cases where neutral vessels, through no fault of their own, have been damaged, Germany will pay indemnification.

The reply urges that in the case of the Lusitania which Germany alleges was armed and carried large stores of war munitions, it was "acting in justified self-defense in seeking with all the means of warfare at its disposition to protect the lives of its soldiers by destroying ammunition intended for the enemy."

The German government recalls the proposals submitted by the United States government to Berlin and London, designed to end the submarine warfare and the shutting out of food supplies from Germany, which, it declared, failed of their purpose because of the refusal of the British government to agree to them.

Text of German Reply.

Berlin, via London, May 31.—The following is the text of the German reply to the note of the United States government:

"The undersigned has the honor to submit to ambassador Gerard the following answer to the communication of May 15 regarding the injury to American interest through German submarine warfare:

"The Imperial government has subjected the communication of the American government to a thorough investigation. It entertains also a keen wish to co-operate in a frank and friendly way in clearing up a possible misunderstanding which may have arisen in the relations between the two governments through the events mentioned by the American government.

To Avoid Attacks on Neutrals.

"Regarding, firstly, the cases of the American steamers Cushing and Gulflight. The American embassy has already been informed that the German government has no intention of submitting neutral ships in the war zone, which are guilty of no hostile acts, to attacks by a submarine or submarines or aviators. On the contrary, the German forces have repeatedly been instructed most specifically to avoid attacks on such ships.

"If neutral ships in recent months have suffered through the German submarine warfare, owing to mistakes in identification, it is a question only of quite isolated and exceptional cases, which can be attributed to the British government's abuse of flags, together with the suspicious or culpable behavior of the masters of the ships.

Expresses Deep Regret.

"The German government in all cases in which it has been shown by its investigations that a neutral ship, not itself at fault, was damaged by German submarines or aviators, has expressed regret over the unfortunate accident, and, if justified by conditions has offered indemnification.

"The cases of the Cushing and the Gulflight will be treated on the same principles. An investigation of both cases is in progress, the result of which will presently be communicated to the embassy. The investigation, if necessary, will be supplemented by an international call on the international commission of inquiry, as provided by Article III of The Hague agreement of October 18, 1907.

Sinking of the Falaba.

"When sinking the British steamer Falaba, the commander of the German submarine had the intention of allowing the passengers and crew a full opportunity for a safe escape. Only when the master did not obey the order to heave-to, but fled and summoned help by rocket signals, did the German commander order the crew and passengers by signals and megaphones to leave the ship within ten minutes. He actually allowed them 23 minutes time, and fired the torpedo only when suspicious craft were hastening to the assistance of the Falaba.

Regarding the Lusitania.

"Regarding the loss of life by the sinking of the British passenger steamer Lusitania, the German government has already expressed to the neutral governments concerned its keen regret that citizens of their states lost their lives.

"On this occasion the Imperial government, however, cannot escape the impression that certain important facts having a direct bearing on the sinking of the Lusitania may have escaped the attention of the American government.

"In the interest of a clear and complete understanding, which is the aim of both governments, the Imperial government considers it first necessary to convince itself that the information accessible to both governments above the facts of the case is important and in accord.

"The government of the United States proceeds on the assumption that the Lusitania could be regarded as an ordinary unarmed merchantman. The Imperial government allows itself in this connection to point out that the Lusitania was one of the largest and fastest British merchant ships, built with government funds as an auxiliary cruiser and carried expressly as such in the 'navy list' issued by the admiralty.

Says Ship Carried Cannon.

"It is further known to the Imperial government from trustworthy reports from its agents and neutral passengers, that for a considerable time practically all the more valuable British merchantmen have been equipped with camon and ammunition and other weapons manned by persons who have been specially trained in serving guns. The Lusitania, too, according to information received here, had cannon aboard, which were mounted and concealed below decks.

"The Imperial government further has the honor to direct the particular attention of the American government to the fact that the British admiralty, in a confidential instruction, issued in February, 1915, recommended its mercantile shipping not only to seek protection under neutral flags and distinguishing marks, but also while thus disguised to attack German submarines by ramming. As a special incitation to merchantmen to destroy submarines, the British government also offered high prizes and has already paid such rewards.

"The Imperial government in view of these facts indubitably known to it, is unable to regard British merchantmen in the zone of naval operations specified by the admiralty staff of the German navy as 'undefended.' German commanders consequently are no longer able to observe the customary regulations of the prize law which they before always followed.

Canadian Troops Abroad?

"Finally, the Imperial government must point out particularly that the Lusitania, on its last trip as on earlier occasions, carried Canadian troops and war material, including no less than 5,400 cases of ammunition intended for the destruction of the brave German soldiers who are fulfilling their duty with self sacrifices and devotion in the fatherland's service.

"The German government believes that it was acting in justified self-defense in seeking with all the means of warfare at its disposition to protect the lives of its soldiers by destroying ammunition intended for the enemy.

"The British shipping company must have been aware of the danger to which the passengers aboard the Lusitania were exposed under these conditions. The company in embarking them, notwithstanding this, attempted deliberately to use the lives of American citizens as protection for the ammunition aboard and acted against the clear provisions of the American law, which expressly prohibits the forwarding of passengers on ships carrying ammunition, and provides a penalty therefor. The company, therefore, is wantonly guilty of the death of so many passengers.

Claims Ammunition Exploded.

"There can be no doubt, according to the definite report of the submarine's commander, which is further confirmed by all other information that the quick sinking of the Lusitania is primarily attributable to the explosion of the ammunition shipment caused by a torpedo. The Lusitania's passengers would otherwise in all human probability have been saved.

"The Imperial government considers the above mentioned factors important enough to recommend them to the attentive examination of the American government.

Withholds Final Dicision.

"The imperial government, while withholding its final decision on the demands advanced in connection with the sinking of the Lusitania until the receipt of an answer from the American government, feels impelled in conclusion to recall here and now, that it took cognizance with satisfaction of the mediatory proposals submitted by the United States government to Berlin and London as a basis for a modus vivendi for conducting the maritime warfare between Germany and Great Britain. The Imperial government, by its readiness to enter upon a discussion of these proposals, then demonstrated its good intentions in ample fashion. The realization of these proposals was defeated, as is well known by the declinatory attitude of the British government.

"The undersigned takes occasion, etc.

(Signed) "JAGOW."

EMPEROR OF GERMANY

POINTS ADVANCED BY GERMANY AND AMERICA

Germany advances self defense in support of submarine warfare against belligerent merchant ships.

The United States holds that such warfare is indefensible.

Germany declares that the Falaba was sunk because she signalled for assistance.

The United States has declared that no potential menace by submarines justifies the death of the American, Leon C. Thrasher.

Germany claims that carelessness or suspicious acts of neutral vessels is responsible for unjustified attacks by German submarines.

The United States insists German submarines have no right to make mistakes.

Germany charges that the Lusitania carried mounted masked guns.

The United States denies that the Lusitania left New York armed.

Germany describes the Lusitania as a British auxiliary cruiser.

The United States declares the Lusitania was an unarmed merchant passenger ship.

Germany alleges that by direct instructions of their government British merchantmen attack German submarines.

Germany announces that it will not regard British ships as undefended British territory.

The United States holds that humanity and international law forbids the exercise of a revolting practice.

Germany alleges that an American law was violated by the presence of explosives on the Lusitania.

The United States asserts that no American law was violated.

Germany suggests that it will cease submarine warfare if the United States will induce Great Britain to surrender its war against foodstuffs intended for the people of Germany.

The United States feels it cannot barter with Great Britain over a question which relates solely to Germany.

VON JAGOW EXPLAINS AD INTERIM NOTE TO U. S.

Berlin, via London, May 31.—Gottlieb von Jagow, the imperial German foreign secretary has outlined the reasons which impelled the German government to send ad interim the note to the United States government, instead of a final and definite reply to the American representations regarding the Lusitania and other ships that have been torpedoed and Germany's submarine policy.

"The issues involved," said Herr von Jagow, "are of such importance and the views in regard to the Lusitania show such variance that the German government believed it essential to attempt to establish a common basis of fact before entering into a discussion of the issues involved.

Open For Discussion.

"We hope and trust that the American government will take the same view of the case and let us know in what points their understanding of the facts differ from the German viewpoint as set forth in the note and in what points they agree before looking for a direct answer to their communication.

Are Your Kidneys Weak?

Do you know that deaths from kidney troubles are 100,000 a year in the U. S. alone? That deaths have increased 72% in 20 years? If you are run down, losing weight, nervous, "blue" and rheumatic, if you have backache, dizzy spells and urinary disorders, act quickly. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. No other medicine is so widely used, none so highly recommended.

A North Dakota Case

N. M. Danrot, carpenter, 511 Seventh St., Bismarck, N. D., says: "For five years I suffered terribly from sharp, shooting pains through the small of my back. The kidney secretions passed too frequently and I often had to get up at night on this account. There was sediment in the secretions and they looked unnatural. After I used several remedies without benefit I got Doan's Kidney Pills. They helped me right away and before long made a complete and lasting cure."

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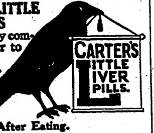

Make the Liver Do its Duty

Nine times in ten when the liver is right the stomach and bowels are right.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS gently but firmly compel a lazy liver to do its duty.

Cures Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache, and Distress After Eating.

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PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

Chocolate Soldiers.

The soldier's weakness for sweetmeats, to which Mr. Bernard Shaw called attention when he wrote "The Chocolate Soldier," has been abundantly confirmed during the present war. The quantity of sweets consumed by our army in France has been prodigious, while from Cairo comes the news that the Australians have absolutely eaten the place out of chocolate. On the troopships which brought them, too, it was the same. Thus Capt. Bean, the official correspondent with the force, writes: "Our canteen had five times the demand for sweets and soft drinks that was expected and one-fifth the demand for beer."—Westminster Gazette.

More Words Followed.

"I'm a woman of my word," said Mrs. Prebscomb, with an air of finality.

"Indeed you are, my dear," said Mr. Prebscomb.

"When I go out I don't come home and tell an improbable yarn about where I've been."

"No, you don't my dear," replied Mr. Prebscomb mildly, "but that may be due to the fact that I have never had sufficient courage to ask you where you have been."

The Exception.

"Two is company," quoted the Sage.

"Unless they happen to be husband and wife," corrected the Fool.

DRIVER WAS BUSINESS MAN

Saw More Profit in Hauling Stranded Automobilist Than in Selling Him Gasoline.

Mack Sennett was going to the San Diego fair in his car. About three o'clock in the morning, and twenty miles from nowhere, Mack found that his supply of gasoline had given out.

There was nothing to do but sit by the side of the road and wait for something to come along, which Mack proceeded to do. He had waited but a few minutes when he heard the sound of wheels on the road and soon a wagon was distinguishable in the dark.

"There's a ten spot in it if you haul me to town," hailed Mack.

The driver readily consented and Mack settled down for a three-hour ride. They were drawing into a little burg when Mack remarked that it was rather early for the driver to be on the road.

"Yes," he replied, "but I have to start early to get around to all my customers."

And as Mack handed him the ten spot for his work, the man continued: "You see, I peddle gasoline to the stores in the small towns around here."—Photoplay Magazine.

RESINOL BEGINS TO HEAL SICK SKINS AT ONCE

You don't have to WONDER if resinol ointment is doing you good. You KNOW it is, because the first application stops the itching and your tortured skin feels cool and comfortable at last. Why don't YOU try this easy resinol way to heal eczema or similar skin eruption? Resinol clears away pimples, too, and is a valuable household remedy for sunburn, poison-ivy, cuts, sores, burns, chafings, etc. It has been prescribed by doctors for 20 years and contains nothing that could irritate or injure the tenderest skin. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

Famous Feats of Archery.

In the days when the buffalo was found in vast herds on the western plains there were Indians who, while riding at a gallop, could send an arrow through a buffalo's body. Remarkable as this archery was, it did not equal that reached by the archers of ancient times. It is of record that the MacReas of Gairlock, Scotland, were such skilled archers that they could hit a man at the distance of 500 yards. In 1794 the Turkish ambassador at London shot an arrow in a field near that capital 415 yards against the wind. The secretary of the ambassador on hearing the expressions of surprise from the English gentlemen present, said the sultan had shot 500 yards. This was the greatest performance of modern days, but a pillar standing on a plain near Constantinople recorded shots ranging up to 800 yards. Sir Robert Ainslie, British ambassador to the Sublime Porte, recorded that in 1798 he was present when the sultan shot an arrow 972 yards.—Washington Star.

Boston's Advantage.

Mrs. Gotham—But your streets in Boston are so crooked.

Mrs. Hubb—And yours in New York are so straight.

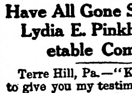
"But aren't straight streets an advantage?"

"Why, no. Now in Boston one can walk and walk and get some place, but in New York you can walk and walk and get nowhere."

This is to the credit of human nature: It is not on record that anyone ever resolved to be meaner next year.

MRS. LYON'S ACHES AND PAINS

Have All Gone Since Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Terre Hill, Pa.—"Kindly permit me to give you my testimonial in favor of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. When I first began taking it I was suffering from female troubles for some time and had almost all kinds of aches—pains in lower part of back and in sides, and pressing down pains. I could not sleep and had no appetite. Since I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound the aches and pains are all gone and I feel like a new woman. I cannot praise your medicine too highly."—Mrs. AUGUSTUS LYON, Terre Hill, Pa.

It is true that nature and a woman's work has produced the grandest remedy for woman's ills that the world has ever known. From the roots and herbs of the field, Lydia E. Pinkham, forty years ago, gave to womankind a remedy for their peculiar ills which has proved more efficacious than any other combination of drugs ever compounded, and today Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is recognized from coast to coast as the standard remedy for woman's ills.

In the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., are files containing hundreds of thousands of letters from women seeking health—many of them openly state over their own signatures that they have regained their health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; and in some cases that it has saved them from surgical operations.

We and the British Have Sweet Tooth.

Britons have the sweetest tooth, and Americans come next, if the statistics for consumption of sugar mean anything. An Englishman eats annually 92.4 pounds, an American consumes 79.2 pounds. In Denmark the average consumption is 72.6 pounds per capita; in Switzerland it is 55 pounds; in Germany, Holland, Sweden and Norway it is from 39 to 44 pounds; in France, 35 pounds; in Belgium, 33; in Austria, 24.2; in Russia, 19.8; in Portugal, 15.4; in Spain, and Turkey, 11; in Italy, Bulgaria, Roumania and Serbia, from 6 to 7 pounds.

The principal reasons for these variations is found in the relative highness or lowness of the customs duties on sugar and on the things with which it is commonly associated—coffee, tea, etc.

High-Browed Help.

"I see where there is a plan on foot to make every servant girl an 'educated household scientist.'"

"Do you think that is practicable?"

"It's hard to say. My experience and observation is that a 'scientist' in the kitchen means a dyspetic in the dining room."

Everybody Satisfied.

"I see where another baseball player has been fined for having a row with an umpire."

"Do you sympathize with him?"

"Not at all. My observation is that the average player who is fined for assaulting an umpire feels that he got his money's worth."

Madam, Allow Me To Introduce the

New

Post Toasties

You may have eaten "corn flakes" but you have never tasted any that equal the New Post Toasties.

These new flakes, madam, are crisp and flakey, and have a substance and toastie flavour, a snap and zest that make them distinctive.

Dainty to be sure in their sweetness, the New Post Toasties have a body and firmness that don't mush down when cream or milk is added; and a true ripe-corn flavour that makes one feel that here, at last, is something really new and good to eat.

New Post Toasties—selected Indian corn, prepared for the table as it was never prepared before.

Your grocer has them now.

Buy and Try and Smile Awhile

It is easier to call a man a liar than it is to prove it.

Drink Denison's Coffee.
Always pure and delicious.

The Making of Books.

Knicker — Has Smith writer's cramp?

Bocker—No, reader's cramp.

The Real Thing.

Tiny Toddles—What is a heroine, maw?

Maw—A heroine, my dear, is any woman that is married.

YOUR OWN DRUGGIST WILL TELL YOU Try Murine Eye Remedy for Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids; No Smarting—just Eye comfort. Write for Book of the Eye by mail Free. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

Cultivating Reasons.

"That man certainly does cultivate country acquaintances."

"He has good reasons. He sells plows."

DON'T VISIT THE CALIFORNIA EXPOSITIONS Without a supply of Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the Shoes, or dissolved in the foot-bath. The Standard Remedy for the feet for 25 years. It gives instant relief to tired, aching feet and prevents swollen, hot feet. One lady writes: "I enjoyed every minute of my stay at the Expositions, thanks to Allen's Foot-Ease in my shoes." Get it TODAY. Adv.

A Vigorous Writer.

"Why does your mayor put on automobile goggles before he writes?"

"To keep the ink from sputtering in his eyes."—Munich Meggendorfer Blaetter.

DON'T MIND PIMPLES

Cuticura Soap and Ointment Will Banish Them. Trial Free.

These fragrant supercreamy emollients do so much to cleanse, purify and beautify the skin, scalp, hair and hands that you cannot afford to be without them. Besides they meet every want in toilet preparations and are most economical.

Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Light More Beneficial Than Heat.

When rays of light fall upon the skin of our bodies, which is translucent, the greater part of them are arrested some by one layer of the skin, some by another and still others are not stopped until they have penetrated the subcutaneous tissues. This arrest of the light rays produces radiant heat, which has a higher penetrating power than convection heat as generated by a hot water bag or poultice, for instance.

E. C. Titus in an address before the Illuminating Engineering society, said that such heat penetrated two inches or more, while convection heat was excited principally on the surface.

This is why electric light baths and sun baths are so stimulating to the organs of elimination, especially the skin and kidneys, and so beneficial in so many diseases.

Unfair Advantage.

"Don't you ever let me catch you kissing my daughter again, sir!" thundered the irate father.

"You won't sir," answered the quaking youth. "You wouldn't have caught me this time if you hadn't been wearing rubber heels."

A Regular Excuse.

"Does your husband carry much life insurance?"

"I don't know the exact amount, but it's just enough so that whenever I want a new gown or hat he always manages to have a premium to meet."—Detroit Free Press.

CLEAR-HEADED.

Head Bookkeeper Must Be Reliable.

The chief bookkeeper in a large business house in one of our great Western cities speaks of the harm coffee and tea did for him:

"My wife and I drank our first cup of Postum a little over two years ago, and we have used it ever since, to the entire exclusion of tea and coffee. It happened in this way:

"I had an attack of pneumonia, which left me with dyspepsia, or neuralgia of the stomach. My 'cup of cheer' had always been coffee or tea, but I became convinced, after a time, that they aggravated my stomach trouble. I happened to mention the matter to my grocer one day and he suggested that I give Postum a trial.

"Next day it came, and we liked it so much that we will never change back; for I am a well man today and have used no medicine.

"My work as chief bookkeeper in our Co's branch house here is of a very confining nature. During my coffee drinking days I was subject to nervousness and the 'blues' in addition to my sick spells. These have left me since I began using Postum and I can conscientiously recommend it to those whose work confines them to long hours of severe mental exertion."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

LAND SUBJECT TO DRAINAGE LEINS

ATTORNEY GENERAL HOLDS BUYERS OF STATE PROPERTIES ARE LIABLE.

PURCHASER TO BE NOTIFIED

Opinion Says Public Notice of Encumbrance Should Be Given in Cases of Lands Improved at Public Expense.

St. Paul.—State land purchasers in the future must take their acres subject to all drainage liens, according to an opinion submitted to State Auditor J. A. O. Preus by Attorney-General Smith.

Mr. Smith says that when lands have been improved by drainage at public expense they should be reappraised before sale. When such reappraisement is made, there should be deducted from the value of the land itself the amount of the ostensible lien for the building of the ditch, which benefits the land and enhances its value.

The attorney general adds that no lands against which such a lien is recorded should be sold without notice to the purchaser, publicly given, of the existence of such a lien.

"The appraiser," says the opinion, "after finding the value of the land as it would be unencumbered, but enhanced by drainage, should deduct therefrom the amount of the encumbrance which the recorded lien shows. This would give the minimum price for which the land can be sold."

The attorney general says that this is not an ideal plan, nor one fully supported by the statutes, but it seems to be the only practical solution of the problem.

WETS PROPOSE TO TEST LAW

East Grand Forks Brewery Distributing Stations to Attempt to Continue Operations.

East Grand Forks.—A test of Minnesota's option law, as it relates to the operation of brewery distributing stations within "dry" counties, probably will grow out of the election by which Polk county was made dry.

It is understood the 12 brewery distributing stations in East Grand Forks will continue to operate. This doubtless will bring on the test. It is also understood that the East Grand Forks brewery and the Kewald brewery at Crookston will continue in operation, maintaining their business on the basis specified in the option act.

Just how valuable the East Grand Forks distributing depots are to the breweries is indicated in the statement of one brewery agent, who says shipments in a single month from one depot have aggregated as high as $50,000. These shipments were made into the "dry" state of North Dakota. There are 12 such depots in the city, all doing a big business.

Polk county "drys" are making plans for the holding of a jubilee to celebrate their victory.

SEEKS STATE PRESIDENCY

Eighth District Resident Is Candidate for Head of Minnesota Federation of Women's Clubs.

Chisholm.—The Eighth district of the Minnesota Federation of Women's Clubs will try to win the presidency of the state federation at the annual meeting in Duluth next fall.

Mrs. P. L. Devoist of Duluth is being announced as a candidate for the office. No other candidate for the presidency has been announced.

The Eighth district will take action on Mrs. Devoist's nomination.

The practice of bringing eastern men to Minnesota to tell what is wrong with the schools, and to start social and civic community centers, was scored by Superintendent R. E. Denfeld of the Duluth public schools.

"I am bitterly opposed to strangers being paid to come here from New York to tell us we are ignorant," said Mr. Denfeld. "We do not need any outsider to come to organize social or civic community centers for us."

Confesses to Murder in Winona.

Winona.—Declaring that a prisoner in his custody has confessed to a murder in Winona five years ago, Marshal H. C. Lurton of Gillette, Wyo., has written Sheriff W. E. Parr of Winona. If the crime was actually committed here there is no record of it in the police or sheriff departments.

Lurton urges the authorities in Winona to lose no time in wiring if they desire to bring back the prisoner. He says the man gives his name as H. T. Gorman and residence in Pennsylvania.

Hastings Switching Case Heard.

Hastings.—Another hearing was held before Judge W. L. Converse concerning the St. Paul road's appeal from an order of the State Railroad and Warehouse commission requiring the switching of cars from the Burlington line at St. Croix crossing over the railroad bridge to the Hastings station. Superintendent W. J. Thiele of the river division, and C. A. Leahey of Chicago, assistant freight traffic manager, testified, and the hearing was adjourned to June 4.

TIES DYNAMITE TO DOG'S TAIL; LOSES FRONT PORCH

Hibbing.—Because he placed some dynamite in a can and tied the can to his dog's tail in an effort to give the canine a sudden and painless death, Nick Stanich, a miner, is minus a front porch.

Stanich led the dog a long way from home for the massacre. Instead of running in another direction the dog followed Stanich, who was too familiar with the eccentricities of dynamite to enjoy its propinquity.

Stanich ran for the house, the dog at his heels. He leaped inside and slammed the door. The can caught in the porch. There was a loud report.

Trembling from the shock, Stanich peered out.

The dog, wagging its tail, greeted Stanich with a glad bark.

BREWERY AGENCIES QUIT

Eight Moorhead Companies Dispose of Stock as Result of Recent "Dry" Victory.

Moorhead.—As the first fruit of the "dry" victory in the recent county option election eight Moorhead brewery agencies closed their doors.

For two days the local branches had been getting rid of stock on hand. Thousands of cases of bottled beer and nearly as much keg beer were hauled from the distributing depots to the local saloons and will be part of the supply until the saloons quit on June 30.

The "wets" in this city have changed their tune in regard to the effect on Moorhead of a "dry" regime. A prominent liquor dealer, who was one of the hardest fighters during the campaign said: "It won't hurt the town in the least; in a few years we will be better off. The recent election shows that the majority of he people of Clay county were not in favor of the saloon, and it will do us no good to hold any hard feelings over the outcome of the election."

BANKS TO LOAN MONEY FOR SILOS WITHOUT INTEREST.

Thief River Falls.—C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank of this city, announces that a sum of money has been set aside by the bank which will be loaned without interest to farmers of this section for use in the construction of silos.

The fund amounts to $15,000, and is estimated that $300 will construct a silo. This will give 50 farmers a chance to improve their facilities for caring for stock in the winter and will have a tendency to increase the size of the herds. It is estimated one year will be sufficient time on the notes, as a silo will pay for itself in that time.

In case the farmers co-operate heartily the bank will increase the appropriation so that it will accommodate 100 instead of 50 applicants.

State Planting Forest Trees.

Ely.—The Minnesota forest service is planting 160,000 Norway and 40,000 white pine trees in the Burntside state forest. The trees are three years old and come from the exprimental station at Cloquet. With 21 men, the number now employed, the work will require aboue one month.

The trees are being set out six and a half or seven feet apart, each way, so that an average of 1,200 are required for an acre.

The area planted has a growth of poplar, birch and jack pine, which protects the young trees and promotes height growth. This method is used extensively in Germany and has proved successful. Last year the service planted 175,000 pine in the vicinity of Clark lake, and they have done very well.

Supervisor L. M. Brownell, with a crew of men, is setting out 50,000 Norways in the Birch lake part of the reserve.

Run Over By Disc Harrow.

Warren.—Walter Gerouski is at a hospital here as the result of an accident which happened while he was driving a disc near Stephen. Six discs were being worked in a row when the fourth team became frightened and ran into the team ahead, which, in turn, ran into the one in front.

Gerouski, who was driving the leading team, was thrown off and two discs passed over him. His condition is critical.

Cedar, Minn., Man Robbed.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Two women aided by a man, drugged and robbed Frank Moore of Cedar, Minn., of $422, according to a story he told the police after he was found wandering about the streets in a dazed condition.

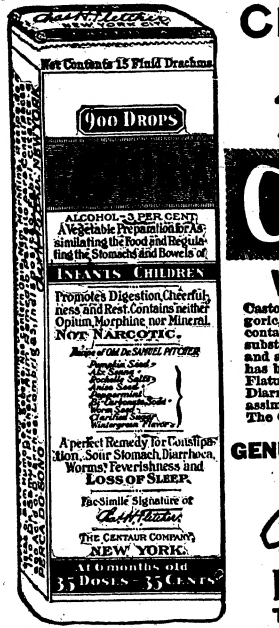
May Organize Naval Militia.

Bemidji.—Bemidji's naval militia company may be organized soon. Guy A. Eaton, commander of the Minnesota naval militia, will meet the young men at the city hall and explain the work.

Transient Robbed On Train.

Glenwood.—A transient on Soo eastbound train No. 112 was robbed of a purse containing $60 while about one-half mile out of Brooten. Three men surrounded him in a car vestibule and robbed him of his money before the train had gathered its full speed. Then they jumped from the train, returned to Brooten and bought tickets for Glenwood, coming up on train No. 111.

A jewelry store was visited in Glenwood, but the three holdup artists secured nothing of value. They boarded the evening train for Morris.



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Letters from Settlers Indicating Growing Prosperity.

The present year will add another proof that farming in Western Canada, when carried on with the same energy and system devoted to other lines of business, will bring about results fully as satisfactory.

Mixed farming as a tocsin has been sounded for a number of years, and today it is being adopted pretty generally throughout the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. There are those who have made no greater success of it than they did when they pursued grain growing alone, but where one has failed to accomplish what he had hoped to do, dozens have scored success.

From Sedgewick, Alberta, we hear of E. L. Deputy, for past twelve years manager for Frye & Sons, packers, Seattle, who during 1914 were the largest buyers of hogs on Alberta markets. He is taking up active work on his 1,200-acre farm near Sedgewick. Although he was one of the highest paid salaried officials on the Pacific Coast, his frequent visits and personal knowledge of farming conditions in Western Canada convinced him there are greater opportunities in farming Alberta land than in commercial life, with greater assurance of ultimate independence and prospects of home-making under the most desirable conditions.

Thomas McKay, a farmer near Hardisty, Alberta, has this to say about the country:

"I came to Hardisty from Osage City, Kansas, nine years ago and took up a homestead here. This is a good district for the farmer who wishes to raise grain exclusively, and as a mixed farming country it cannot be beaten anywhere in the world to my knowledge.

"I had ten cattle, which ranged outside all last winter, and this spring they were fat enough for the market, this without being fed but one night during the entire winter; they were fine fat cattle and looked beautiful. I raised some winter wheat here which weighed sixty-seven and a half pounds to the bushel, government weight, and which I shipped to Calgary. The miller who bought it said that it was the best wheat that had ever gone into Calgary. Wheat in this district yields as high as forty bushels to the acre, oats average sixty bushels. Alfalfa does well here.

"All in all I think the farmers are very well satisfied with the country, and the farmer who farms his land intelligently is sure to make a success. The climate here is the best I have ever lived in, the summers are delightful and the winters are mild. There has never been a blizzard during the nine years I have lived here nor any cyclones or wind storms."

A settler in the neighborhood of Gleichen, Alberta, spent $2,000 in improving his quarter section, has 125 acres ready for crop, keeps 70 head of stock, believes in mixed farming, keeps two hired men, one all year, the other in summer only. He milks 12 to 18 cows, and receives an average monthly cream cheque of $110. Last June he sold $1,200 worth of hogs and in November two more carloads, besides supplying his own requirements, and is not only making money but building up a good home amid desirable surroundings. This is an example of the possibilities open to the industrious in the Gleichen district.

It is stated in the last three months $38,000,000 of American capital has been invested in Canada, showing that United States financial men are satisfied of the solidity of Canadian institutions. Western Canada has been a heavy borrower and Western Canada's great resource is agriculture. U. S. financiers must be convinced that agriculture in Western Canada is sure and profitable or they would not be ready to invest so many millions in the country.—Advertisement.

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Cream received	17,472 lbs
Average test	26.54
Butter fat	4,538.64 lbs
Percent overrun	22.71
Butter made	5,569 lbs
Balance on hand last month	55
Received for butter shipped	1312 63
Butter and milk sold patrons	10 30
Cash sales at creamery	56 38
Rec'd from other sources	
Total	$1379 86
Paid patrons by check	1181 97
" " " Butter & milk	10 30
Expense fund, etc.	154 19
To sinking fund	32 82
Charges to other sources	
Balance on hand	58
Total	$1379 86

Number of patrons, 101

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Wheat No. 2	1.24
Wheat No. 3	1.18
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County Option election June 14.

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Now that the weather is getting warm the preachers will begin to plan vacations. The devil will keep right on doing business at the same old stand.

If the European war continues much longer there is danger of a shortage of good horses in this country which will be felt not only by the farmer but other classes.

There is no place any where to make investments in real estate to better advantage than in and around the busy little town of Holt, Marshall County Minnesota.

The township officials seem to be doing their best to get all the roads dragged that is possible. This is a good work and one that should be kept up as good roads are a big factor in the development of a community.

County option election in both Marshall and Pennington counties will be held on Monday June 14th. The more progressive communities are riddling themselves of the dram shop as fast as possible and it is confidently expected that these counties will want to keep up with the procession.

Free Mission Church.

2 o'clock Sunday School

The big meetings of the Gospel Mission will commence Wednesday June 9th and last all the week and Sunday following. Everybody is invited to bring their lunch baskets and stay to all the sessions they possibly can.

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Be a Booster.

B. Docken was a Warren business visitor on Friday.

Chris Yttri is painting his house. Racine Olson is the artist.

The ladies took in $56.75 at their auction sale Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden autoed to Grygla last week Thursday.

Mrs. Ole Hall entertained company a few days this week.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert O. Jahnson last Friday.

Nils Engebretsen has painted and papered the postoffice building this week.

A big crowd from Holt attended the ladies aid at O. H. Nohre's on Wednesday afternoon.

P. A. Riesberg has planted between 20 and 25 acres of potatoes, Joe Nelson 10 and Ole Rierson 9, all Early Ohios.

Albert Knutson, Ole Backlund and P. L. Anderson visited at the K. T. Knutson home Sunday.

E. E. Pechie and Axell Nelson returned Saturday from a business trip to Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Marin of Kratka were here Monday looking for a farm to rent.

Pete Anderson and Clarence Docken took in the ball at Rosewood Friday evening.

Several from Golden Valley attended court in Warren last week as witnesses in the case of John Helppie vs. The Northern Drainage Co.

Carl Christoferson was out on his Mud Lake claim the first of the week and put in a crop of potatoes. Many of the claims have so far been too wet to seed.

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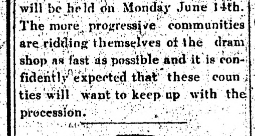

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Dreams.

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AT CLOSE OF WAR

Officer Tells of His Interesting Experience.

Rode Into Confederate Lines With Officer Who Brought Flag of Truce From General Lee on Appomattox Field.

AMONG the most interesting stories told of the surrender of the Confederate armies at Appomattox court house, fifty years ago—April 9, 1865—are the eyewitness accounts of Gen. Edward W. Whitaker, who was the chief of staff to General Custer at that time, and who has been a resident of Washington since 1872. Brigadier general by brevet, he was at that time a lieutenant colonel, and the first Union officer to enter the Confederate lines before hostilities were suspended.

That was April 9, 1865, and General Whitaker is the man who accompanied Captain Sims, the Confederate officer who brought out the flag of truce to the point at which were located General Longstreet and General Gordon, who were in active command after the departure of General Lee. General Whitaker was sent with Captain Sims to ascertain if the flag of truce meant "unconditional surrender." General Custer sent word by his chief of staff that unless the flag did mean unconditional surrender he would be unable to stop a charge that was about to be made, as he was not in sole command.

Having received favorable assurances from the Confederate generals, General Whitaker took the flag of truce and at their request rode out to stop the charge of the infantry line of battle, thereby braving the fire of his own side, waiting for the word to engage the enemy.

Resented Yankee's Presence.

"I recall hearing a soldier shout, 'What is the Yankee doing here with his arms on?' General Whitaker said, discussing those historic days with a reporter for the Washington Star. "The flag of truce," he said, "was a fringed honeycomb towel. It is now on exhibition at the New National museum."

"Lee had gone to the rear to seek Grant," the general continued. "The flag was sent out from the Confederate lines, in charge of Captain Sims, by direction of Lee, the object of the flag being to enable General Longstreet and General Gordon to secure a cessation of hostilities pending negotiations between the commanders regarding the terms upon which Lee would surrender.

"The sloping open fields of Appomattox, glittering for miles with the arms of forces composed of the flower of two of the finest armies that were ever marshaled on earth, seemed designed by nature for the stage upon which should be enacted the last scene in the great drama of the Civil war.

"It was there that the most stirring incident in the bitter struggle occurred, culminating in the announcement to a torn and bleeding nation that peace again was restored.

"It was there that Grant and Lee agreed upon terms for the surrender of the Army of Northern Virginia that showed the former to be as magnanimous as a conqueror as he had been relentless as a foe.

"And it was there that the death knell of slavery in the United States of America was sounded and the foundation of a new nation laid whereon should arise the substantial structure of the government of today, contributed to equally by the North and the South.

Last Charge on Enemy.

"Our division was composed of three divisions of cavalry, with a battery of light artillery to each brigade. We pressed down upon the enemy and received the fire from battery after battery of artillery without stopping to return it. General Custer, riding at the head of the column, was looking for a favorable opening for a charge. Our movement along the flank of the enemy was slow at first, but the fire of their batteries had nettled our horses into a half trot, when suddenly an officer rode out from the Confederate line waving a large towel in his hand. He said he was Captain Sims of Longstreet's staff, and came by direction of General Lee, who asked a suspension of hostilities.

"In an instant General Custer said to me: 'Whitaker, take this towel, go with this officer to General Lee, with my compliments, and say I cannot stop this charge, as I am not in sole command on this field, unless he announces an unconditional surrender.' I took the towel and asked Sims to show me the shortest cut to where he had left Lee. I remember vigorously swinging the old towel and the relief I felt on entering the Confederate lines without being fired on.

"At the point we entered, only a short distance from where we had left Custer, a battery of artillery was posted, and as we passed the guns I noticed a pile of shells on the ground in the rear of each gun, and every gunner in position ready to give us a warm reception at the command, 'Fire.' On reaching the road, columns of Confederate infantry were moving in perfect order, and I recall hearing a soldier shout, 'What is that Yankee doing here with his arms on?' I had folded the towel out of sight as soon as I reached the Confederate line.

Lee Had Gone to Find Grant.

"When we arrived at the place where Sims had left General Lee we found only Generals Gordon and Longstreet, who explained that General Lee had galloped off to the rear to find General Grant immediately after Sims had started out with the flag of truce, and had left them in command. I stated to them the message from Custer to Lee and told them that I must have an immediate reply. They said there was no doubt of surrender, as we had cut off their line of retreat the night before, and that they were personally satisfied of the uselessness of further resistance. I expressed regret that so many good men had been killed the night before and that morning, whereupon they said that General Lee would not believe that the Union infantry was across the Lynchburg pike until the repulse of Gordon's charge, which had been made that morning by his orders.

"While we were talking firing was heard to the east of where I had left Custer, and at my suggestion an officer was sent with orders to stop it. I noticed that the guns that were moving past us as we talked had smoke coming from their mouth, indicating that they were the same that had been used so vigorously on our column a short time before. I protested against the moving of these guns, and was assured that the object was to water the horses in a small creek near by. At this moment General Ord's [illegible] line of battle was seen closing in on us from the west, and I was [illegible] to announce the surrender of the army to that line.

First Notice of Surrender.

"I saw that there was no time to lose, so I pulled out the old towel again and rode out to the Union infantry line and said to General Chamberlain of Maine that Lee's army had surrendered. The line halted at once and a shout went up from right to left, followed by a scene that words fail to describe. I then galloped back across the field to General Custer to make the same announcement. It was in this way that the infantry historians claim that the surrender was first made to them.

"In conclusion, let me say that of all the battlefields of the Civil war—and I had the honor of being in eighty-one battles—Appomattox was the most magnificent."

Worthy of All Respect.

The survivors of the great war formed an element inextricably interwoven with all that was best in the last two generations of Americans. They were the leading citizens, the pillars of society in every hamlet from Maine to California. Respect for their uniforms and tattered battle flags was taught to our youth by precept and example.

MEMORIAL DAY
1861
1915

Unbroken nor disturbed is the rest
Of our brave soldier dead. Their grass-grown graves
Lie thick, so thick, in this fair land where waves
The flag they served, the symbol of the best
High bond that ever gave a nation zest
In war or peace, one blessed cord that saves
The darkest hour when valiant man behaves
As 'fore his God, and thus fulfills his quest.
There let them sleep, those bodies in the dust,
While their free souls from some far wondrous height
Perchance look down on this their martyr day
And then plead on before the God we trust.
"That war shall cease." For this more glorious fight
I see their mighty cohorts in array.
—John Grixston Currier in the Living Church.

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Local Items

Miss Inga Folstad went to St Hilaire Monday.

Premium list of the Crookston fair at the Holt State Bank.

Rier Knutson of Ada visited his cousin R. Keierson over Sunday.

We have forgotten how to set ads—it's been so long since we had one.

Ed Silbaugh sold his team, harness and wagon, Monday to Chas. Martell.

B. L. Backe and Adolph Sollom autoed to Thief River Falls Monday evening.

Mat Ordahl came from Fargo N. D. Saturday to visit his cousin Rev. M. B. Ordahl.

Bull Tractor for sale or will trade for live stock. Gilbert Michaelson, Holt, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bjerk and Mrs. M. Bjerk drove to Benwood Saturday to visit relatives.

The Kolden and Gunheim families ate a big Sunday dinner at the Edwin Erickson home last Sunday.

No Sunday school this week as the time will all be taken up by the meetings of the Gospel Mission.

Soda Water and Ice Cream now running in good shape. Come in. Have one. A. H. Huseth.

Ben Arness returned to his home in [illegible], Monday, after a few days visit at the C. H. Gunheim home.

Mrs. M. Bjerk returned to her home in St. Hilaire, Tuesday, [illegible] Bjerk.

Miss Myrtle Thomas came home Saturday from Thief River Falls where she has attended school the past year.

Ole Reierson moved some household belongings and a couple of cows out to his claim Monday, where some of the family expect to live this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heinze attended the camp meetings which have been held in Thief River Falls this week by the Apostolic Faith people.

G. Christenson, wife, daughter Verna, little granddaughter Alice Bray and Mabel Brunsberg of Fertile visited at the Huseth home from Saturday to Wednesday.

Next Monday is the County Option election and the polls will be open between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon. Don't forget to vote.

Clarence Docken returned Monday from a few days pleasant visit with his folks at Mekinock, N. D. He was accompanied by his sister Mrs. O. Hensrud and baby who will visit here a few days.

Ole Johnson came down from Badger Saturday and visited his parents a few days. We understand he has resigned his position with the co-operative store there and will clerk in one of the others.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and his sister Mrs. O. Hensrud autoed to T. River Falls Monday evening. The ladies remained over until Tuesday noon. Mr. Docken attended lodge with Messrs. Jones, Latta, Payne and Carlson and saw them safely home.

At the council meeting last Thursday evening the time of closing the pool halls was extended to 11 o'clock P. M. The streets leading to both churches were gone over and ordered to be graded. J. B. Alkenbrack, E. M. Silbaugh and H. B. Young were appointed inspectors for the County Option election.

Synod Church

Confirmation and baptismal services next Sunday morning at 10:45 in both languages. Picnic dinner, families will please bring their lunches. Communion services after dinner is served. Offering will be received for the Minnesota District Home Mission.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor.

Northeast of Holt

Mrs. Davidson of Thief River Falls is visiting with her son Ole Davidson and family.

Miss Victoria Johnson called at E. Johnson's Sunday evening.

Lizzie Hanson spent Sunday afternoon with Tina Johnson.

Pete Sorter and Henry Grondahl called at E. Johnson's Wednesday evening.

Mrs. T. Saastad called on Mrs. C. W. Christianson Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Hougaard, Mr. and Mrs. Lundquist of Hoffman, Minn. and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Paulson, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Hougaad and Sam Hougaard autoed down from Strandquist Friday to spend the day with C. W. Christianson's.

Sam Hougaard and Lizzie Hanson called at E. Johnson's Friday.

Mr. Anderson and son Albert of Lockart, Minn. came up Wednesday, to do some breaking on their farm which they purchased last fall.

The Sunnyside.

Walter Wegge and Vernon Grover were in Middle River between trains [illegible]

I know not what the truth may be, I tell it as 'twas told to me.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Erickson of Ringbo visited at N. Lysne's Sunday.

Miss Burnditte Horien went to Thief River Falls Monday accompanied by Viola Baker.

Miss Irene Wegge spent Friday afternoon at Kuehne's.

Mrs. N. Lysne called at L. Wegge's Tuesday.

Miss Selma Dovre came home from Thief River Falls Saturday where she attended school.

Misses Clara Tvede and Marie Erickson left for their home last Wednesday having finished a successful term of school in Dist. No 59.

What's the matter with Jenkins? He's alright. Whose alright? Jenkins Who said so! Everybody. Whose everybody? The Sunnyside.

Mrs. G. Peterson and children spent Sunday at F. Carlson's.

Emma, Earnest and Willie Kuehne and Ed Bjerk spent Sunday afternoon at Peterson's.

Stina Brita is rather lonesome since Ola left.

Pete Anderson, Clarance Kolden, Lydia and Edna Risberg visited at L. Wegge's last Tuesday evening.

A program was given in the Sunnyside schoolhouse last Monday evening. Everybody enjoyed it very much.

Ernest Kuehne went to Erskine one day last week returning Saturday via of Crookston.

Peter Kolden has returned home from school duties at Ada and is showing the boys how to play ball.

Peter Johnson who until recently has been employed in a butcher shop at Argyle, has rented the Kolden Building and will open a meat market here in the near future.

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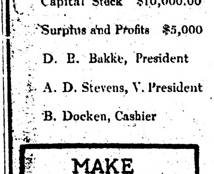

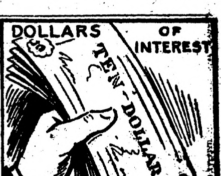

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 1st, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Anna Adolphson of Holt, Minn. who, on Feb. 28th, 1914, made Homestead Entry, No. 010386, for Lot 2 Sec. 10 Township 155 N, Ran. 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 5th day of July, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Elmer Adolphson, Olaus Rodahl, Nels Gudvangen, and Alfred O. Hanson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota May 27th 1915. Notice is hereby given that George Willis of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Sept. 2, 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 06526, for S. W. 1-4 Sec. 14, Twp. 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minnesota on the 24th day of June 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Thorald Thoraldson, Lars Thorson, Christ Nelson and Frank Conklin all of Germantown, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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THE GROWTH OF WESTERN CANADA

Increase in Railway Mileage, School Attendance and Population.

Some idea of the extent of railway construction in Western Canada can be derived from the fact that the railway mileage in the Province of Alberta has been doubled in three years. The present mileage is 4,097. In all of the settled districts there is ample railway privileges. The rates are governed by a Dominion Railway Commission, and in the exercise of their powers they not only control the rates, giving fair equality to both railway and shipper, but form a court to hear complaints of any who may desire to lodge the same.

In the matter of education no better instance of the advancement that is taking place can be given than that found in the information to hand that attendance at the University of Alberta has increased 1,000 per cent in five years, and is now thoroughly representative of all settled portions of the Province. The students in attendance are from sixty-one distinct districts.

Then as to the prosperity which follows residence in Western Canada, J. E. Edward of Blackie, Alta., gives splendid testimony. He writes, "In the spring of 1907 I first came to this locality from the State of Iowa, Cass County, and located on a quarter section of land near Blackie. Since coming here I have been engaged in mixed farming, which I have found to be more profitable than where I formerly lived. On coming here my worldly holdings were small besides having a family to care for. I now own three quarter sections, sixty head of cattle, twenty head of horses and forty head of hogs, without encumbrance.

"During the seven years I have not had a crop fail. My best crop of oats averaged ninety bushels per acre, with a general yield of thirty-five bushels and upward. My best wheat crop averaged forty-three bushels per acre. When I have had smaller yields per acre I have found that it has been due to improper cultivation. The winters here, although at times the weather is cold, I find as a whole are very agreeable. The summers are warm, but not sultry. The summer nights are cool and one is always assured of a good night's rest. My health has been much better, as I do not suffer from catarrh since coming here. I have no land for sale, and am not wishing to make any change, but would be pleased to answer any enquiries concerning this locality."—Advertisement.

She Was Willing.

He walked timidly in and looked around in a hesitating manner. His wife—a large portly woman—towered over him. A lady from the desk came forward. The man spoke.

"This, I presume, madam, is suffrage headquarters?"

"It is."

"I came in to offer my services as a speaker for your cause. Are you looking for talent?"

"Yes, sir; we are. Every little helps. Thank you. So you are friends of the cause?"

The man's wife now spoke.

"Not exactly," she whispered. "I'm an anti—even if he isn't. But I approve, ma'am; I approve. If my dear little hubby here wants to speak in favor of suffrage, and you are willing, so much the better. As you say, every little helps—the antis."—Life.

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"The British must have been very much surprised when the Germans first let loose those poisonous gas bombs at them."

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BULLETINS REPORT BUSINESS CONDITIONS OVER NORTHWEST ARE FAVORABLE.

STATE NEWS OF MINNESOTA

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

Minneapolis.—The Federal Reserve bank of Minneapolis, summarizing business conditions, has issued June bulletins and the analysis sets forth optimism regarding the future.

The bank, within the lines of the ninth reserve district, finds underlying business conditions sound and all influences upon the general result either as favorable or more favorable than a month ago.

Mercantile Situation Favorable.

The country mercantile situation is favorably spoken of in the federal bank report. This report the bank makes monthly to the Federal Reserve board at Washington. Only in the iron mining districts of northern Michigan and Minnesota is there anything approaching business depression, the Federal Reserve bank's bulletin says.

It notes an increase in development work in northern Minnesota, the constructive activity of the United States Steel corporation at Duluth, activity in the stock business in western North and South Dakota and Montana and heavy export buying of horses for Europe as factors affecting the northwest favorably.

STATE EDITORS PLAN OUTING

Second District Association to Hold Annual Summer Meeting in Worthington June 11 and 12.

Worthington.—The Second District Minnesota Editorial association will hold its annual summer outing in Worthington June 11 and 12. The mayor and city council, the commercial club, the Chautauqua association and the Automobile club, assisted by women of the city, have planned elaborate entertainment.

Friday afternoon will be devoted to automobile drives and boat rides on Lake Okabena. Friday evening there will be a band concert and informal reception. A business session will be held at 9:30 a. m. Saturday, at which J. C. Morrison, president of the Minnesota Editorial association, will speak on "Costs and Other Matters Pertaining to the Issue of a Newspaper." W. F. Mahler, publisher of the Springfield Advance, will talk on "The Business End of the Country Newspaper Game."

Discussion and question box will follow, and the place for the winter meeting will be fixed. At noon a formal banquet will be served by women of the city. The afternoon and evening will be spent informally. Indications point to an attendance of 50 or more.

Lake City Pioneer Dies, Aged 102.

Lake City.—Michael Calnan, aged 102 years, a resident of Wabasha county since 1857, died at his home in this county. Mr. Calnan was born in the parish of Kilmurry, Ireland, September 13, 1813.

He came to America in 1846, and settled in Boston, where he remained until 1856. He was in possession of all his faculties until recently, when he was stricken with paralysis.

Mr. Calnan was married in Boston in 1854 and his wife died on the homestead farm in the town of Lake, this county, which had been their home for 50 years. Four children, two sons and two daughters, survive him.

Nurses Graduate at Albert Lea.

Albert Lea.—Seven nurses of the Naeve hospital, the first class to be graduated from this institution, held their graduation exercises at the Broadway theater. Those who completed the course were: Ruby Davis, Helen Kerkow, Selma Anderson, Anna Sorenson, Gertrude Hagerson, Chloe Jones and Laura McAllister.

Threatens to Dynamite Saloon.

Duluth.—Joseph Hitztaler of Ely, Minn., is held in the St. Louis county jail here by the federal authorities, charged with sending a letter through the mails, threatening to blow up the saloon of Joseph Seliskar of Ely unless the latter discharged one of his employes within twenty-four hours.

73,300 Licensed Autos in State.

St. Paul.—Minnesota contained 73,300 licensed automobiles June 1, according to a report issued by Secretary of State Schmahl. He believes that the total will be close to the 100,000 mark before the year ends.

Pope County "Drys" Confident.

Glenwood.—June 14 is the day set by the county auditor for the county option election in Pope county. The petitions were signed by nearly 1,000 persons, 300 more than necessary. It is confidently predicted the "drys" will carry the day by a two to one vote. Pope county has sent county option representatives to the legislature the last 10 years and the prohibition vote is strong in the county. Three villages and cities will be affected, Glenwood, Lowry and Sedan, with a total of five saloons.

COUNSELS CLASS ON SUCCESS

Governor Hammond at Winona Normal Defines Functions—Rise in World Should Be Pleasurable.

Winona.—Winfield Scott Hammond, governor of Minnesota, told the members of the 1915 graduating class of the Winona normal school that to gain undeserving success is an empty achievement. He defined success function as "doing the greatest amount of good in the world with the opportunities and the ability available."

"Industry, self-control, patience and courage should form the foundation for the career of a successful person, Mr. Hammond said. But in his opinion there would still be only the shell if honesty—"on the square honesty," as he termed it—unselfishness, kindness and gentleness were lacking.

"The evil-disposed have all of the main points I enumerated — industry, self-control, patience and courage—and thus to be successful a person must have more," the governor continued. "Satan himself, I take it, has them all. He is courageous, he is patient, with plenty of self-control, and is industrious.

"When success is real one ought to get pleasure out of it. His conscience must permit him to take satisfaction in what he has accomplished, and he should have the confidence that he deserves this pleasure."

TOO VALUABLE TO BE TARGETS

Men Are Worth More Living Than Dying for Country, Says Woman Peace Delegate.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Three hundred Minneapolis school teachers were told how the women of the world and particularly those from the neutral countries might play the leading part in bringing about peace in Europe, by Miss Grace DeGraff of Portland, who is returning from the International Congress of Women.

"Men are too valuable to be targets," Miss De Graff said. "If they are not, the ideas of humanity are wrong and we should make men worth more by teaching them to live for instead of dying for their country.

"The conference was only the beginning of the annual international congresses of women to discuss the rights of women throughout the world. It proved the solidity of womanhood as women attended from belligerent and neutral nations. It proved a new conscience for women."

PEANUT CAUSES PNEUMONIA.

Bemidji.—A peanut lodged in the lungs of Borhold, the 17-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lars Larson of Blackduck, developed pneumonia, which caused the death of the child.

The peanut became lodged in the child's lungs about a month ago.

The peanut was removed successfully from the child's lungs four days ago, but pneumonia had gained such headway that recovery was impossible.

SUSPECT SAFE CONTAINS LIQUOR; IS TAKEN TO JAIL

Bemidji.—Indian Officers Brandt and Thompson raided the J. E. Maloy place on Third street, formerly a saloon. Mr. Maloy refused to open his big iron safe and the agents dragged the safe from the building out into the street, pushing it up the street to the Northern National bank, and from there a horse pulled it to the courthouse, where it was placed in the county jail until a safe expert can be found to open it. The Indian agents suspect that the safe may contain liquor. Reports are being spread that the government men have gone into baggage cars and ransacked personal belongings of passengers. A Walker woman says her grip was opened and candy taken from it.

College Enters Closing Week.

St. Peter.—The twenty-fifth anniversary of the graduation of the first college class will be celebrated in connection with this year's commencement festivities at Gustavus Adolphus. The classes of '90, '95, '00, '05 and '10 will hold their quinquennial reunions. Among those who are expected to answer the roll call of the class of '95 are former Governor A. O. Eberhardt, Professor A. A. Stromberg and Thomas Johnson of Winnipeg, recently appointed a member of the cabinet of the Dominion of Canada with the portfolio of minister of public works.

Farmers Fight Forest Fires.

Aurora, Minn. — Forest fires in the vicinity of Palo and 10 miles south of here diminished in intensity after hours of furious fighting by 200 farmers, whose property was in the path of the flames.

Dr. Ed Darrow, deputy coroner here, motored to the scene of the fire and later he said that the flames now apparently are under control, although much dense smoke prevents an accurate survey of conditions.

Carries Dead Baby 250 Miles.

Minneapolis, June 4.—With the dead body of her baby daughter clutched tightly to her breast, Mrs. Carlton C. Harris of Hurdsfield, N. D., rode from Enderlin, N. D., to Minneapolis on a Soo Line passenger train.

The baby died in her mother's arms just as the train left Enderlin and too frightened to get off the train at a strange wayside station where no friends or relatives awaited her coming, the mother wrapped the tiny body in its blankets and continued her trip to this city.

DESTROY ZEPPELIN MILE ABOVE EARTH

BRITISH AVIATORS DROP BOMBS FROM HEIGHT OF 6,000 FEET —OFFICIAL REPORT.

THREE GERMAN SHIPS SUNK

Petrograd Statement Asserts Teuton Vessels Sunk or Damaged and Russian Transport Torpedoed Off Gulf of Riga.

London, June 8.—British aviators attacked and destroyed a German Zeppelin in Belgium between Ghent and Bruges.

"British airmen dropped six bombs on the Zeppelin from a height of 6,000 feet," said the official announcement. "The Zeppelin exploded and fell."

The destruction of the Zeppelin followed one of the most thrilling air battles the world has ever known. The British airmen shot upward to a height of 6,000 feet and hurled six bombs at the great dirigible, which zigzagged in flight to escape attack.

Explosion Rends Airship.

Scarcely a second after the last bomb went shooting down, a terrific explosion rent the airship. It crumpled in the center and darted toward earth. The force of the explosion caused the British biplane to turn completely over.

For nearly a minute the aviator struggled desperately while his machine slid rapidly toward the earth. By an almost superhuman effort he regained control of his levers and righted the biplane less than 200 feet from the ground.

The rapidity of the descent, however, carried the biplane to earth with a rough jar. The landing place was behind the German lines. The mechanician sprang out, "cranked" the propellors and the biplane was off before the astonished Germans in a neighboring field could get the range with their guns.

Aviators Return Safely.

The aviators who bombarded the Zeppelin shed north of Brussels returned safely, the admiralty announced.

A German Zeppelin raided the east coast of England, dropping incendiary and explosive bombs. Five persons were killed and forty injured, the admiralty announced. Two fires were started.

A Berlin report stated that a German submarine torpedoed and sank the Russian second-class cruiser Amur in the Baltic. The admiralty list shows no Russian cruiser of that name and it is believed the ship sunk was the Yenissee, the loss of which Petrograd has admitted.

German Vessels Sunk.

The Petrograd statement asserts that three German vessels were sunk or damaged and the Russian transport Yenisee torpedoed and sunk in a series of engagements off the Gulf of Riga.

"Enemy torpedo boats, escorting large vessels, appeared at the entrance to the Gulf of Riga on Thursday," the statement said. "Later hydro-aeroplanes from the German ships attempted to bombard our warships. In the engagement the Russian transport Yenisee was submarined and sunk. Thirty-two of her crew were saved."

$20,000,000 Fraud Alleged.

Washington, June 8.—By admission at the treasury department that search is being made by the secret service for Knox Booth, division revenue agent for Tennessee and Alabama, with headquarters at Nashville, light was let into what is declared to be a $20,000,000 revenue scandal, extending through three administrations.

Booth has been missing two weeks, his disappearance being coincident, it is said, with the arrest of John L. Caspar at Fort Smith, Ark., on a charge of conspiring to defraud the government. Caspar is head of a big distillery that is said to have evaded payment of a large part of its taxes through alleged conspiracy with revenue officers.

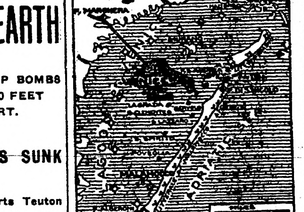
REPORT LEMBERG MAY FALL.

London, June 8.—Telegrams from Vienna say that Lemberg, capital of the Austrian crown land of Galicia, now in the hands of the Russians, may be taken at any moment by the Austro-German forces, according to a dispatch from Copenhagen to the Exchange Telegraph company. One message says that the Austrians are 25 miles from the town, and other advices estimate the distance at only 10 miles.

Allies Capture Turk Trenches.

London, June 8.—British and French troops operating at the Dardanelles have captured two lines of Turkish trenches along a three-mile front, it is officially announced. Before the general attack in the southern area of the Gallipoli peninsula was ordered by Sir Jan Hamilton, the Turkish lines were subjected to a heavy bombardment, in which battleships, destroyers and cruisers, joined. "At a given signal," the official statement says. "the troops rushed forward with the bayonet."

VENICE AND ITS LAGOONS



Map of Venice and the surrounding lagoons, which, though defended by many forts, is in danger of attacks from the Austro-German aviators.

READY TO PAY FOR GULFLIGHT

GERMANY REGRETS THE "UNFORTUNATE ACCIDENT."

Will Furnish Recompense for Damage Sustained by Americans—Cushing Case Not Cleared Up.

Washington, June 7.—Germany, in a note cabled to the state department by Ambassador Gerard at Berlin, expressed regrets that through "an unfortunate accident" a German submarine had torpedoed the American steamship Gulflight and declared itself "ready to furnish full recompense for the damage thereby sustained by American citizens."

Cushing Case Not Cleared Up.

In the same communication the German foreign office said it had not yet been possible to clear up fully the case of the American steamer Cushing, reported attacked by a German aeroplane, and asked that the United States communicate the information in its possession concerning this incident.

Blame for the attack on the Gulflight was placed by the foreign office upon the proximity of two British patrol boats and the absence from the steamer's freeboard of the distinctive markings usually carried by neutral ships in the war zone.

Saw Flag When They Fired.

"That the attacked steamer carried the American flag," the note added, "was first observed at the moment of firing the shot."

The Gulflight was torpedoed in the English channel five weeks ago, while bound from Port Arthur, Texas, for Rouen, France, with oil. She was towed to Crows Sound and beached for repairs. Two seamen were drowned when the crew took to the boats immediately after the attack and the captain died of heart trouble the next day.

The expression of regrets and offer of reparation in the note follows the principle outlined in the circular recently sent to neutral nations by Germany, disclaiming any intention of attacking neutral vessels carrying non-contraband cargoes.

Long Hike On $500 Wager.

Red Wing, Minn., June 7.—Hiking across country from Columbus, Ohio, to San Francisco, on a $500 wager, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thomas arrived in this city after an all-night walk from Wabasha. They left Columbus March 30, and average about 20 miles a day. A little terrier dog is following them.

"We have until November to reach San Francisco," said Mrs. Thomas, "and in order to win the $500 wager offered by the Riley Shoe company of Columbus we must realize an equal amount from the sale of postcards.

Auto Hits Dog; 2 Persons Killed.

Sacred Heart, Minn., June 7.—Two persons were killed and three injured in an auto accident here. A car belonging to L. F. Reddicliffe, and bearing seven passengers, struck a dog on the highway and was overturned. Roy Reddicliffe, the driver, died in a few hours of his injuries. His 3-year-old brother, Lloyd, was killed outright. Mrs. Reddicliffe, mother of the boys, was badly injured, but will recover. Agnes Overby sustained a fractured right arm and Olga Lundberg a dislocated clavicle.

Fishing Steamer Sunk.

Kirkwall, June 7.—The crew of the Chrysophrasus has been landed here. The boat, a fishing steamer, was sent to the bottom about 45 miles off Stronsay, one of the Orkney islands.

It is alleged that the submarine shelled the boats as they were being launched.

Greek King Reported Worse.

Athens, June 7.—Announcement was made that King Constantine of Greece, has had a change for the worse, and that another operation will have to be performed.

Graft Witness Gets Death Sign.

Chicago, June 7.—The old frontier court where men were "frisked" for their guns when they entered the courtroom, had nothing on Justice Devers' court here. Scores of detectives in plain clothes were scattered through the crowd that swarmed into the courtroom to hear the police graft trial. The officers had orders to arrest every known crook and gunman and to search suspicious looking characters for guns. The "death" sign already has been given Isidore Wexler, chief witness for the state.

WOMAN COULD HARDLY STAND
Because of Terrible Backache. Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.
Philadelphia, Pa.—"I suffered from displacement and inflammation, and had such pains in my sides, and terrible backache so that I could hardly stand. I took six bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and now I can do any amount of work, sleep good, eat good, and don't have a bit of trouble. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to every suffering woman."—Mrs. HARRY FISHER, 1625 Dounton St., Nicetown, Pa.
Another Woman's Case.
Providence, R. I.—"I cannot speak too highly of your Vegetable Compound as it has done wonders for me and I would not be without it. I had a displacement, bearing down, and backache, until I could hardly stand and was thoroughly run down when I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It helped me and I am in the best of health at present. I work in a factory all day long besides doing my housework so you can see what it has done for me. I give you permission to publish my name and I speak of your Vegetable Compound to many of my friends."—Mrs. ABEL LAWSON, 126 Lippitt St., Providence, R.I.
Danger Signals to Women
are what one physician called backache, headache, nervousness, and the blues. In many cases they are symptoms of some female derangement or an inflammatory, ulcerative condition, which may be overcome by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands of American women willingly testify to its virtue.

GOT CHANCE SHE WANTED

Woman Proved Herself a Strategist in Dealing With Man at the Ticket Window.

"Here," she said, rushing back to the ticket window, "this dollar you gave me in change is counterfeit."

"Pardon me, but I didn't give you a dollar in change."

"Yes you did. I bought a ticket here not two minutes ago and you changed a five-dollar bill for me. If was all the money I had, so I couldn't have got this bad dollar anywhere else."

"You should have examined your change when it was handed to you. I can't make any correction now."

"I shan't budge from this window till you give me a good dollar for the bad one you tried to foist upon me."

"Let me see it."

"There."

"Why, this is a perfectly good bill. Here is another. I'm not afraid of it."

"No, I won't take this bill. It's torn. Give me a new one."

"I'm sorry, but if you don't want that bill I'll have to give you your change in nickels."

"Thank you," she said, after counting the pieces of coin, "I wanted a dollar's worth of nickels, but I knew you wouldn't have that many if I asked for them in the first place."—Chicago Herald.

Getting Even.

"I suppose you'll soon be closing your theater for the summer."

"Not on your life," said the manager. "I'm going to turn it into a moving picture house and try to get back some of the money I lost last winter."

Experience.

"Any sort of sites around about your suburban place?"

"Yes, lots of parasites."

GET POWER
The Supply Comes From Food.
If we get power from food, why not strive to get all the power we can. That is only possible by selecting food that exactly fits the requirements of the body.
"Not knowing how to select the right food to fit my needs, I suffered grievously for a long time from stomach trouble," writes a lady from a little Western town.
"It seemed as if I would never be able to find out the sort of food that was best for me. Hardly anything that I could eat would stay on my stomach. Every attempt gave me heart-burn and filled my stomach with gas. I got thinner and thinner until I literally became a living skeleton and in time was compelled to keep to my bed.
"A few months ago I was persuaded to try Grape-Nuts food, and it had such good effect from the very beginning that I kept up its use. I was surprised at the ease with which I digested it. It proved to be just what I needed.
"All my unpleasant symptoms, the heart-burn, the inflated feeling which gave me so much pain, disappeared. My weight gradually increased from 98 to 116 lbs., my figure rounded out, my strength came back, and I am now able to do my housework and enjoy it. Grape-Nuts did it."
A ten days trial will show anyone some facts about food.
Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."
Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Men.

"The women most successful and most popular with men are not the beautiful ones, but the wise ones."

The speaker was Francis Wilson. He added:

"Wise women are those who know that men are only babies with beards."

Economical.

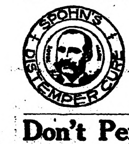
"You always seem to have money, Jack. How do you manage it?"

"Well," said Jack, jingling the loose coins in his pocket, "I live at home with the old man f. o. b."

"What do you mean by f. o. b?"

"Doesn't that stand for free on board?"

What is Castoria
CASTORIA is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.
The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.
Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.



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HORSES FOR EUROPE
Europe is buying thousands of horses from the United States for the war. The army agents refuse all horses that are not in good condition and free from contagious and infectious diseases. When the buyers come you must be ready to sell. Keep YOUR horses in salable condition, prevent and cure Distemper, Pink Eye, Epizootic, Catarrhal and Shipping Fever by using the largest selling veterina[illegible] remedy
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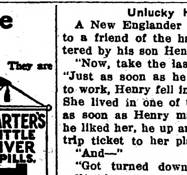


Don't Persecute Your Bowels
Cut out cathartics and purgatives. They are brutal, harsh, unnecessary. Try
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS
Purely vegetable. Act gently on the liver, eliminate bile, and soothe the delicate membrane of the bowel. Cure Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache and Indigestion, as millions know.
SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.
Genuine must bear Signature
Brent Good

Celluloid Watch Crystals.

At the outbreak of the war American watchmakers were much concerned regarding the watch crystal situation, the German source of supply being shut off, and previous attempts to make them in this country having failed.

Watch crystals of glass are now being made here successfully, and an American inventor has helped the matter along by devising a celluloid watch crystal, which has the beveled edge and general appearance of a glass crystal and possesses the additional advantage of being unbreakable.

Drink Denison's Coffee.
Always pure and delicious.

If a man gives us a dime to see a museum freak, he exhibits his own curiosity at the same time.

When it comes to calling men from their beds, the fire bell puts it all over the church bell.

Unlucky Henry.

A New Englander was complaining to a friend of the hard luck encountered by his son Henry.

"Now, take the last case," he said. "Just as soon as he went to Boston to work, Henry fell in love with a girl. She lived in one of the suburbs, and as soon as Henry made up his mind he liked her, he up and bought a fifty-trip ticket to her place, and—"

"And—"

"Got turned down at the second call! The ticket was left on his hands! If that ain't hard luck what is?"

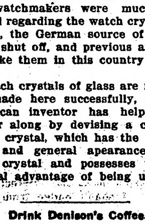
DOES YOUR SKIN ITCH AND BURN?
If your skin itches and burns with eczema or any such tormenting, unsightly skin disease, simply wash the sore places with resinol soap and hot water, dry, and apply a little resinol ointment. The itching stops INSTANTLY, you no longer have to dig and scratch, sleep becomes possible, and healing begins at once. That is because the soothing, antiseptic resinol medication strikes right into the surface, arrests the action of the disease, and almost always restores the tortured, inflamed skin to perfect health—quickly, easily and at little cost. Prescribed by doctors for twenty years, and sold by all druggists.—Adv.

Wicked.

"I stole three bases today, pop," said the young hopeful proudly.

"Willie," interrupted his mother, before the boy's father could express his appreciation of the feat, "you go and put them right back where you got them. I'll not have it said that any boy of mine is a thief."

And she doesn't understand to this day what made the male members of the family laugh.



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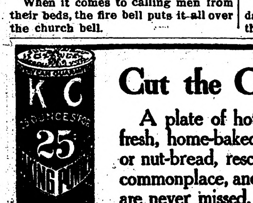
A plate of hot biscuits or muffins, a fresh, home-baked cake, a loaf of brown or nut-bread, rescues any meal from the commonplace, and more expensive things are never missed.
With K C, the double acting baking powder, good results are doubly certain. There's economy too, in the cost of K C.



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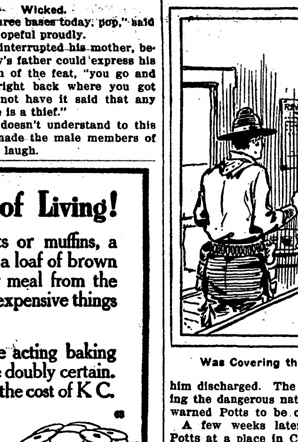

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Scotch stew, Mrs. W
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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Fred Johnson was here between trains last week Thursday on business.

Several young people went to T. R. Falls Tuesday to attend the camp meetings.

Martin Bjerk and family of St. Hilaire visited at the Andrew Bjerk home Friday.

Sam Mickelson and Ernest Kuehne went to Warren Monday near which place they will put up some buildings on a farm.

It did'nt rain Friday night as some say—it just poured, the clouds opened and the water fell out. There was more rain Monday night and no telling when there will be a let up.

The editor went to Middle River Monday on business, and while there found time to make Bro. Carr of The Pioneer a fraternal call. We found him nicely located on main street, his office well equipped and while he is enjoying a fair share of prosperity, we are sorry to say that some of the busness men have not learned the true value of printers ink. Middle River is a pretty little town, it is growing and has evidence of prosperity and all that is lacking to make a bigger and better town is a "pull together spirit" and an awakening to the value of advertising.

Strayed or Stolen!

A light red yearling steer, left my place 3 weeks ago. Please notify C. L. Anderson, Holt, Minn.

Joe Marty visited Jno. Alkenbrack Sunday.

Mrs. Fosen of East Valley went to Litchfield Monday.

R. Reierson went to the Pennington county metropolis, Tuesday, on business.

Some much needed work on the N. W. telephone line is being done this week.

Several men have been here a few days doing some surveying along the G. N. tracks.

Albert Knutson, Rinehart and Selmer Reierson visited at the Otto Johnson home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. VonWold of Mud Lake went to T. R. Falls Saturday to visit at P. A. VonWold.

Another bank will be started in Grygla, sometime in August. There must be lots of money in that place, if they need three banks to keep it in.

I have two good grade Percheron stallions which I will stand at the hotel barn in Holt every Friday commencing June 18th. Terms: To insure standing colt $12.00.

2 H. S. Williams, T. R. Falls.

Dr. Walters of Middle River was here Monday to make the medical examination for Messrs Docken and Davenport's life insurance company. On the way home the doctor had a break down on his auto and he had to get Ole Backlund to take himself and the machine home.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.16
Wheat No. 2	1.13
Wheat No. 3	1.07
Wheat No. 4	1.00
Flax	1.52
Oats	.36
Barley	44 to .52
Rye	.98
Flour, Best Patent	3.95

W. J. Bryan has resigned as Secy. of State, and it looks to us as if he has deserted his country at a very critical time.

As the ballot to be voted next Monday may be confusing to some, we have been requested to state that if you want to vote against the sale of liquor, you must vote "Yes" or in other words, put your X mark in the top square.

Newfolden Garage

Overhauling and car rebuilding a specialty. No matter what shape your car is in, I make it right if you have the pieces.

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MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM LAND

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QUICK LOANS ON LAND

The Bigger Thing!

The interest your money receives is a big thing with you but don't let a large rate of interest blind you to a BIGGER THING.

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HOLT, MINN.

Too Late!

A delinquent subscriber died and started for the pearly gate.

An angel stopped him with the information- You are too late.

Mr. Subscriber wanted to know the reason why,

And was gently told- Delinquents must Pay Up, before they die.

Marshall County Gone Dry

Pennington Ditto By 300

The "Drys" claim a victory in Mondays election and their majority in this county is about 800 and in Pennington 300.

Holt village had 29 dry and 7 wet votes, the township 36 dry and 5 wet.

Mission Conference

The Mission meeting in the Free Mission Church that began Wednesday June 9th and continued until Monday June 14th. was well attended and blessed.

Many ministers and visitors from different places attended this meeting, such as: Rev. Nils Carlson of New York; K. H. Volsted and Chas. Valsted of Lyle Minn., Anton Hill of Alvarado; Rev. T. Myrer of Stillwater; Olaf Hansen of Heron Lake; Mr. Skomson of Duluth; J. Bengyard of Fosston; Clara, Ida and Joseph Torstad of Bagley; Hans Hanson and Mrs. Hanson of Gonvick; Carl Maklum of Bagley; Ole Nyhus, Mr. Nyhus, A. Rindall Mrs. Rindall, J. Nyland, Mr. and Mrs. J. Tornvall, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kroon, Mr. and Mrs. Norby, G. Olson, Ole O. Hans, Mrs. and Ida Sande, of Thief River Falls, Mrs. E. Dvergsten of Cummings, Mrs. S. Tunheim and many others from Newfolden who were present at these meetings. H. and S. Sande of Ingels, K. Christianson of Thief River Falls, J. An[illegible] Niset of Rustad, Mrs. John Homme of High Landing, A. J. Peterson of Mobee.

A collection was taken up for the Mission Church at Holt which amounted to $33.56 and also a collection & subscription for the Evangelist of the Scandina Mission, total $314.00

I wish to thank the many friends in Holt most sincerely for their help and support and for opening the doors of their homes to the many visitors who attended this conference. Holt has won a place in the visitor's hearts for their helpfulness that is not so easily forgotten about and that will always be remembered.

Thanking you again I am

Rev. Martin Strom.

Forced To Sell!

On account of the heavy rains we have had, the Holt Merc. Co.'s basement has started to fill with water. There are hundreds of dollars worth of goods in this basement which had to be moved upstairs where it is already too crowded, so they are forced to have a sale at sacrifice prices in order to make room for these goods and also for the fall goods which will arrive in July.

Now is your chance to get your Goods at a saving of from 20 to 75 per cent.

Peter Kolden left Tuesday for Moorhead to attend Summer School.

Everybody should come to Holt Merc. Co. on their June Clearance Sale.

Forty five tubs of butter were shipped by the Holt creamery last Saturday.

Rev. Ordahl and family were over Sunday visitors at the Docken home this week.

Miss Esther Mickelson went to Crookston Monday to attend Summer School.

S. S. Kolden has traded his auto for a piece of land about 8 miles east of town.

Master Vernon Huseth went to Fertile Saturday to spend the summer vacation with his grandparents.

Big Reductions on O'DONNELL SHOES, the best in the market, at Holt Merc. Co.'s June Clearance Sale.

Ed. M. Silbaugh is walking on crutches, account of a badly swollen foot, which was probably caused by being injured in some way.

Miss Amanda Mickelson returned home Saturday from Crookston, having graduated from the business college and received her diploma.

Louis Wegge has commenced building an addition to his house and Ole Lunke is building a large barn. Both bills of lumber were bought of D. Payne.

Confirmation exercises were held in the Lutheran Synod church last Sunday forenoon. There was a big attendance, many being unable to get seats. A large class of boys and girls were confirmed and in the afternoon there was a communion service.

Billiards Confectionery

Ice Cream

Cigars!

Tobaccos Candies

Soft Drinks Fruits

Albert Bennes Holt

There's a Big Saving for Everybody at Holt Merc. Co's June Sale.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Jno. Engstrom Tuesday June 29. You are invited.

The Holt Merc. Co.'s June clearance Sale starts Monday, June 21st, and ends Saturday, July 3rd, 1915.

The Dorcas Sewing Society for the little girls will meet next Saturday afternoon June 19th with Mrs. D. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden and children and Miss Ella Olberg visited at Thief River Falls last Friday with Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Larson.

Holt State Bank

HOLT - MINNESOTA

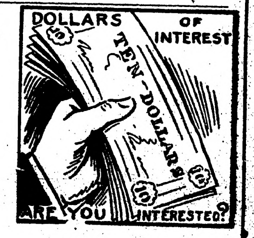
Capital Stock $10,000.00

Surplus and Profits $5,000

D. P. Bakke, President

A. D. Stevens, V. President

B. Docken, Cashier



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WE'RE "IT" for WHITE PINE, and "that good old Norway," too.

We carry a general line of building materials—lumber, lath, shingles, roofing materials, etc., lime and cement—and make a specialty of giving

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 1st, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Anna Adolphson of Holt, Minn. who on Feb. 28th, 1914, made Homestead Entry, No. 010386, for Lot 2 Sec. 10 Township 155 N, Ran. 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 5th day of July, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Elmer Adolphson, Olaus Rodahl, Nels Gudvangen and Alfred O. Hanson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota May 17th 1915. Notice is hereby given that George Willis of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Sept. 2, 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 06526, for S. W. 1-4 Sec. 14, Twp. 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minnesota on the 24th day of June 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Thorald Thoraldson, Lars Thorson, Christ Nelson and Frank Conklin all of Germantown, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

SCANDIA BLOCK TRI-STATE PHONE 86

Dr. B. R. Lund, Dentist

Norsk Tandlæge

Thief River Falls - Minn.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

On Friday June 25th

We are to have a one day sale on Suits

Suits for **$9.98**

that are worth $15.00, 16.50, $18, $20.00 up to $27.00, for Friday only $9.98.

Now is your chance to get that 4th of July Suit.

Holt Mercantile Co.

THE BIG NEW STORE

The KITCHEN CABINET

Oh late-remembered, much-forgotten, braggart duty, seldom paid in any other coin than punishment and wrath, when will mankind begin to know thee?—Dickens.

HOT WEATHER DISHES.

A cool, refreshing, nicely served salad is especially appetizing and grateful on a hot day. The following are old standbys:

Normandy Salad.—Cut in cubes three cucumbers, three hard-cooked eggs, add a cupful of of chopped olives and three-fourths of a cupful of nut meats. Serve in tomato cups or on lettuce leaves with mayonnaise dressing.

Sweetbread Salad.—Parboil and remove all fiber from a pair of sweetbreads. Cut in small cubes, add equal parts of celery and cucumber and serve with boiled dressing to which a little Worcestershire sauce has been added.

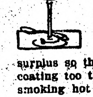
Chicken Salad.—Take a cupful of the breast of chicken, cut in cubes, one cupful of walnut meats or any nut preferred, two cupfuls of celery, mix with a good boiled dressing; a mayonnaise is just right for this salad, as the white meat lacks fat.

Cheese Salad.—Take one or two bricks of cream cheese, add thick sweet cream to soften, add chopped chives and green peppers with nuts. Make in small balls or heap on lettuce leaves. Serve with or without dressing.

Danish Custard.—Put two-thirds of a cupful of sugar into a saucepan and place in a hot place on the range to melt. When a light brown in color, set the dish into a large pan of cold water to stop the cooking, turn the dish so that the sides will become coated with the caramel. Beat five eggs, add a fourth of a cupful of sugar, half a teaspoonful of salt and one teaspoonful of vanilla, then one quart of milk. Strain into the dish with the caramel, set into a pan of hot water and bake until firm. Chill and turn on to a cold plate to serve. Whipped cream may be served with this or it may be served alone. Do not allow the caramel to become too brown or the custard will have a burned taste.

A simple dessert well liked, is any kind of canned fruit with a spoonful of whipped cream as a garnish.

CROQUETTES AND FRITTERS.



Croquettes and fritters never go out of style, and when well-seasoned and well-made, are most delicious. The important things to remember after the croquettes are made is to give them a good coating of sifted crumbs, then dip in egg and another coating of crumbs, shaking off any surplus so that it does not make the coating too thick. The fat should be smoking hot and then tested with a small cube of bread; if it browns in 40 seconds it is hot enough for all uncooked mixtures, a 60-second test of the same will be right for all cooked mixtures. When fat bubbles and boils, too much moisture is in the mixture and a few less should be added to the fat. Five or six croquettes or cakes are sufficient to cook at one time. After removing from the hot fat the food should be drained on paper. When fat needs clarifying, add a few slices of raw potato and cook until brown, then strain the fat through double cheese cloth to remove all settlings.

Cheese Croquettes.—To three tablespoonfuls of melted butter add a third of a cupful of flour and stir until well blended, then pour gradually one cupful of milk. Bring to the boiling point and add the yolks of two eggs, slightly beaten and diluted with two tablespoonfuls of cream and two cupfuls of milk cheese, cut in cubes. Season with three-fourths of a teaspoonful of salt and a few dashes of pepper. Spread on a plate to cool. Shape, dip in crumbs, eggs, and fry in deep fat.

Raisin Creme Fritters.—Scald two cupfuls of milk in a double boiler with an inch stick of cinnamon. Mix thoroughly one-fourth of a cupful of cornstarch, three tablespoonfuls of flour and dilute with a fourth of a cupful of cold milk. Beat the yolks of three eggs slightly, add a half cupful of sugar and a half teaspoonful of salt. Combine the dry and egg mixtures and pour the milk on; cook 15 minutes; add a tablespoonful of butter, one-third of a cupful of raisins, steamed until plump. Turn into a pan having the mixture three-fourths of an inch thick. Dip in crumbs after cutting in oblongs and fry as usual.

If you have only to swab a plank, you should swab it as if Davy Jones were after you.—Bleak House.

GOOD THINGS WITH DATES.

When buying dates, as other things, get all you can for your money, but have them good. The dates with the small stones are the most economical, as the large heavy stone in the larger date weighs much more.

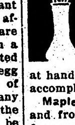
A most delicious little spice cake with dates is this and besides being good, they keep moist a long time. Use a cupful of sour milk, a quarter of a teaspoonful of soda, two cupfuls of flour and a teaspoonful of baking powder mixed with it, spices to taste, a half cupful of chopped dates, two well beaten eggs, two tablespoonfuls of melted shortening, salt to taste. Mix well and bake in gem pans.

Date Bread Pudding.—Take two cupfuls of chopped dates, two cupfuls of fresh bread crumbs, four cupfuls of milk, three eggs, a tablespoonful of butter and a quarter of a cupful of sugar. Mix the dates and crumbs together and put them into a baking dish which has been well buttered. Add the eggs, slightly beaten, to the milk and sugar reserving one white to go over the top as a meringue when the pudding is nearly done. When a little pie crust is left make a few date turnovers. Chop the dates, add orange juice, a few bread crumbs, a little butter; fill the small crusts and turn over, fluting the edges. Bake in a hot oven.

Date Salad.—Save orange cups or those of grapefruit to serve the salad in. Take a cupful of stoned, washed dates, add two cupfuls of orange pulp, a half cupful each of celery and cocoanut and cream salad dressing. Mix lightly and fill the cups. Place on lettuce leaves when serving. Other nuts may be used in place of cocoanut.

Marmalade.—Dates and rhubarb are a good combination. Take two cupfuls of dates to three cupfuls of rhubarb, and a half cupful of sugar. Put all together and slowly cook, well covered. Simmer one hour, then put in glasses.

WARM WEATHER DISHES.



As the warm weather approaches the housewife is able to prepare and serve well chilled many dishes which are especially grateful to the appetite. Desserts and salads of many kinds may be prepared before they are needed. There is no dessert that is so popular as the frozen one and the countless combinations which are at hand make variety and are easy of accomplishment.

Maple Parfait.—This may be packed and frozen in a mold or stirred and frozen as one does ice cream. The difference in the texture depends upon the method of freezing. Beat two eggs well and add to a cupful of hot maple sirup, cook just long enough to set the egg. Chill and add a pint of rich milk or thin cream and freeze. If to be packed as a parfait, separate the whites from the yolks and do not cook them, but fold into the mixture beaten stiff, just before packing in the mold.

Sunday Night Salad. — Cut cold boiled potatoes in half inch pieces, then cut the slices in cubes; there should be one and a half cupfuls. Add three hard cooked eggs, finely chopped, one-fourth of a finely chopped onion and one canned pimento, drained and dried on a towel and cut in thin strips. Moisten with salad dressing and serve in nests of crisp lettuce leaves.

Company Dish.—Soak a tablespoonful of gelatin in a fourth of a cupful of water and dissolve it in one cupful of boiling water; then add a fourth of a cupful of sugar, the same amount of vinegar, two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice, and a teaspoonful of salt. Strain and cool and when the mixture begins to thicken add a half cupful of shredded cabbage, the same amount of cooked peas, and cucumber cubes and a few cubes of cooked beets. Put into a ring mold and when ready to serve fill the center with a good firm salad dressing and garnish the platter with neat slices of cold roast of lamb and crisp sprigs of water cress, or mint will be appropriate with lamb.

Save good coffee from breakfast, add cream and sugar and chill. Serve in tall glasses with a spoonful of vanilla ice cream to each glass.

Nellie Maxwell

Oxygen Stored Without Pressure.

By the use of some of the commercial preparations of fused sodium peroxide, oxygen can now be stored without pressure. This substance has the property of holding oxygen in chemical bonds, from which it is released by the action of water. A pound of the peroxide will hold 2.2 cubic feet of gas, or enough to supply the breathing requirements of a man for 30 minutes. The application of this discovery to diving and life saving appliances is said to be entirely practical, since the sodium peroxide, while hard, is not brittle, and can be cast into any convenient shape. When charged with oxygen it may be stored without danger of deterioration if protected from moisture.—Popular Mechanics.

The Player Piano.

In the manufacture of actions for player-pianos there are 20,000 operations from the raw material to the finished product and a total of 4,063 individual parts enters into the making of each action.

BLAMES CARRANZA FOR CIVIL WARFARE

VILLA ASSERTS PRESIDENT IS CAUSE OF MEXICO'S INTERNAL STRIFE.

WARNING TO UNITED STATES

Reply Denies State of Anarchy And Starvation Alleged In President Wilson's Note—Carranza Makes Bid For Recognition.

Washington, June 14.—General Carranza's reply to President Wilson's Mexican declaration has just reached the State department.

It was in the form of a proclamation issued by Carranza at Vera Cruz. It makes a bid for recognition by the United States, asserts that the Constitutionals practically control Mexico and contains assurance that Carranza will call a regular election and turn over his authority to the president chosen.

The document is of about 3,000 words.

El Paso, Texas, June 14.—Warning the United States government not to interfere in Mexico's internal affairs, denying the anarchy and starvation alleged in President Wilson's note to Mexico, General Francisco Villa's reply just made public here blamed General Carranza for the civil warfare.

The reply was to be presented to the President at Washington at once by Enrique C. Lorrente, personal representative of Villa.

Proposal to Carranza.

In addition to his reply to President Wilson, General Villa made public through his local agents a copy of the proposal to Carranza that they arrange a peaceful settlement of Mexico's internal difficulties. Either the reactionaries will gain the upper hand if revolutionists fight between themselves or the United States will intervene, Villa urged upon Carranza.

The chief of the Conventionalist faction states that "false ideas of mercenary purposes diffused by those who sought to retain power indefinitely without laws, without courts and without discipline of any kind," resulted in the split of Carranza and Villa.

"Do not judge us all as selfishly and stupidly ambitious and false to the principles for which we took up arms," Villa told the President.

"We are still fighting to affirm the same principles (of the Madero revolution), and for the welfare of the people."

Declaring the reports of misery in Mexico were exaggerated Villa said:

"It is not true that misery is the universal portion of the people, that the fields are not cultivated, that crops have been destroyed and that famine confronts the nation."

TELLS $100,000 GRAFT STORY

Canadian Provincial Architect Outlines Raising of Big Fund for Conservative Party.

Minneapolis, June 14.—The raising of a big fund for the great Conservative party in Manitoba by means of adding $100,000 to the amount certain contractors were to receive in the erection of the parliament buildings, was the story told to the Royal Commission, sitting at the Hotel Radisson, by Victor W. Horwood, provincial architect. The man brought in the names of Sir Rodman Roblin, the premier, two members of his cabinet, the minister of education and the minister of public works, and Dr. R. M. Simpson, president of the Conservative Party association. His testimony was to the effect that those men knew of the alleged graft and that they urged him to "stand pat."

The story told by Horwood, the man who is testifying between surgical operations, was a sordid one. The leaders of political parties in the United States have been charged with many things, including the soliciting of graft money. It is hard to find many instances, however, of charges similar to those made against the Conservative party in Winnipeg. Horwood's story was to the effect that the leaders of that party actually permitted the payment of vast sums of money to certain contractors in order that the party funds might be swelled by the contributions said contractors were expected to make in return.

Italian Reservists Reach Rome.

Rome, via Paris, June 14.—Several thousand Italians who have been recalled to the colors or who plan to volunteer for army service, arrived from America and Canada and were received with outbursts of enthusiasm from the crowds. Some of the newcomers wore badges on which the Italian and the American colors were entwined and this gave rise to cries of "Viva America" mingled with "Viva Italia."

Wilson First Citizen of World.

London, June 14.—In a two column tribute to President Wilson, Alfred G. Gardiner, editor of the Daily News, says: 'No man in the democratic world is so entirely governed by principle and moral sanctions. President Wilson is not merely the first citizen of the United States, but the first citizen of the world. He makes mistakes, no doubt, but they never are the mistakes of a weak man; they never are the mistakes of a political gambler or one touched by sordid motives of ambition.

CAPT. JOHN HOOD

Captain Hood, who for some time was detailed at Washington as a member of the general board of the navy, has been made commander of the battleship Texas to succeed Captain Grant. He is one of the most popular officers in the navy.

PLANS FOR ENFORCING PEACE

NATIONAL PROVISIONAL COMMITTEE COMPLETES PROGRAM.

Former President Taft to Preside at Meeting—Powers to Prevent Hostilities by Military Force.

Philadelphia, June 15.—Announcement has been made by the National Provisional committee of 113, which is in charge of the League of Peace conference to be held here next Thursday, of the completion of its program. On the night preceding the conference former President Taft will deliver an address and is expected to outline what he regards as a practical plan for an alliance of all the great powers, with a view to enforcing peace. Other speakers at the dinner will be Hamilton Holt, editor of the Independent, former Judge George Gray of Delaware and Oscar S. Straus.

Taft Will Preside.

Professor Taft will preside at the conference, which will be held in Independence hall. The general discussion of proposals will be preceded by formal addresses by Theodore Marburg of Baltimore, former United States minister to Belgium; John Grier Hibben, president of Princeton university; John Bassett Moore, John Bates Clark, James M. Beck and Edward Filene, representing the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

A statement regarding the scope of the conference was given out by the provisional committee. It follows:

To Start New Movement.

"The step taken by former President Taft, President Lowell of Harvard, Theodore Marburg and others, in calling this convention, was not for the purpose of merely discussing various phases of the peace question, but to start a new movement along thoroughly practical lines, by which a new alliance of the great powers may be brought about, the United States to make the initial move.

"In the various gatherings in which the plan as it finally took form was discussed, all Utopian ideas were cast aside, and only well established principles of international procedure, such as underlie historic agreements between nations, were considered.

Forces to Prevent Hostilities.

"It was for this reason that President Lowell proposed what has been regarded as the main feature of the plan that the signatory powers shall jointly use their military forces to prevent any one of their number beginning hostilities, pending the negotiations looking toward a judicial or arbitral settlement of the questions at issue.

The proposals to go before the conference were the work of the former president.

They provide for:

"First, an international court to try all justiciable questions.

"Second, a council of conciliation for the consideration of non-justiciable questions.

"Third, the use of joint military force against a signatory beginning hostilities contrary to the terms of the alliance.

"Fourth, the formulation and adoption of a code of international law."

J. S. Morgan Weds Miss Converse.

Boston, Mass., June 15.—Miss Louise Converse, daughter of Frederick Converse, the Boston composer, and Junius Spencer Morgan, son of J. Pierpont Morgan of New York city, were married in St. Paul's church, Dedham.

Drown in Skunk River.

Mount Pleasant, Iowa, June 15.—W. E. Faulkner, a painter, and Joseph Schaffner, a high school graduate, were drowned while trying to shoot the Oakland dam, belonging to the Iowa Power company, on the Skunk river, near here, in a motor boat.

Thomas McMillan, another occupant of the boat, was saved.

The bodies have not been recovered. Schaffner was a nephew of Schaffner of the Chicago clothing firm of Hart, Schaffner & Marx.

WITNESS HAD NO STANDING

Defendant's Unqualified Condemnation of Man Prepared to Testify Against Him.

A correspondent of the New York Sun recalls the case of the "Rev. James Johnson" of New Jersey, who was indicted years ago as the chief of a band of chicken thieves that had plundered the farmers near New Brunswick. The testimony was something like this:

"Now, Mr. Johnson, these chickens, as evidence shows, were found in your possession. Did you steal them?"

"No, sah. I got 'em from one of mah fr'en's."

"Did you know where he got the chickens?"

"I didn't ask him, sah."

"Did you believe them to be lawfully his to give?"

"I didn't ask no questions, sah, I jus' tuck 'em."

"What did you do with them?"

"I sold 'em to the market man."

"What did you do with the money?"

"I kept some and divided the rest with mah fr'en's."

"Now, Mr. Johnson, be truthful. Did you, or did you not, believe these chickens to be honestly yours?"

"Sure I knowed they wasn't mine. I jes' tuck 'em."

"And you used them to benefit yourself, by passing them on to other people?"

"Yes, sah. They was very good chickens."

"Now, Mr. Johnson, here is a witness who says these chickens belong to him, and proves that they were stolen from his farm, at night, by men in your employ. What have you to say to that?"

Witness (pointing)—Is that the man over there?

"Yes."

"Dunno him at all. He don' belong to our conference! He's an onregenerate sinner, an' he ought to go to hell!"

Dealing In Futures.

The boys were mapping out their future careers.

"I'm going to own the biggest candy store in the world," said one.

"I'm going to build a great big factory and make a million gallons of ice cream every day," said another.

"Well, I'll tell you what I'll do, fellers," said the third. "If you two will give me half your ice cream and candy, I'll give you each a season pass to see my champion team play baseball."

Literary Note.

"I see," said Dobbleigh, "that in a recent volume of essays Henry James says that Zola lacked taste."

"Lacked taste!" echoed Bilkins. "Well, I like that. Why, I read one of Zola's books some years ago and I haven't got rid of the taste of it yet."

MANY MEN ACT LIKE THIS

Old Bill Shiftless Has His Counterpart in Many Localities Throughout the Country.

"Old Bill Shiftless dropped into town last Saturday," the Osborne Farmer reports. "Bill went into one of the stores and asked for some crepe tissue paper. His wife had asked him to get some so she could make a few little ornaments to improve the looks of the front room. She wanted two colors and Bill found that he would have to take two rolls, as the merchant would not cut it. They cost 10 cents a roll. Bill refused to take it, saying it was too darn much money to pay for such useless stuff. He then bought a dollar's worth of chewing tobacco and a half-dollar's worth of cigars and went out to see what the chances were for 'chipping in' on a consignment of Kansas City jug house booze. Bill wants to go to the San Francisco exposition. His trip to St. Louis did him so much good that he thinks he owes it to his health to take this trip. Mrs. Shiftless would like to go, but Bill says he can't see how she can get away, as there would be no one at home to look after the stock."—Kansas City Star.

Tail Wild, at Least.

A timid little girl stood looking out of the nursery window and called to her mother: "Mother, mother! Here is a wild dog."

Her mother went to the window.

"Oh, no, that dog is not wild; he belongs to the man who works across the street, and is a nice dog," she said.

After a moment's thought the child, unaccustomed to dogs, replied: "Well, his head may not be wild, but his tail is awfully wild."—Woman's Home Companion.

Better Than None.

One day, while Willie and Henry were playing in a field they disturbed a bumblebees' nest, and began running with the bees after them.

When they had run for a few yards, Harry breathlessly panted: "Willie, we ought to pray while we are running!"

To which Willie replied: "I know it; but I can't think of but one prayer."

And Willie, thus admonished, called out between gasps: "Oh Lord, for what we are about to receive, make us truly thankful!"—Natural Monthly.

A Poor Choice.

"Which one of the Robinson twins did Jinks marry?"

"I don't know. Never could tell them apart. But judging from Jinks' woebegone expression since he got married I'm inclined to think it was the wrong one."

With the auto victim it is usually a case of "did not know what it was loaded with."

The Empty Bowl Tells the Story

The highest compliment that can be paid any food is to eat it heartily to the last portion.

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The inner sweet meats of choicest Indian Corn are skilfully cooked, daintily seasoned, and toasted by a new process that brings out a wonderful "toastie" corn flavour.

These flakes do not mush down when cream or milk is added, but retain their body and crispness. They come to you ready to eat from the FRESH-SEALED, dust-proof, germ-proof package—as sweet and delicious as when they leave the ovens.

New Post Toasties

—the Superior Corn Flakes

Your grocer has them now.

No bother to get summer meals with these on hand

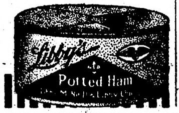
Vienna Style Sausage and Potted Meats

Libby's

Just open and serve. Excellent for sandwiches.

Insist on Libby's at your grocer's.

Libby, McNeill & Libby, Chicago



Noble Dissatisfaction.

It is said that Tennyson was 17 years in writing "In Memoriam." He wrote the little song, "Come Into the Garden, Maud," 50 times before he published it. The wife of a distinguished painter said: "I never saw my husband satisfied with one of his productions." Self-dissatisfaction lies at the root of our noble achievements. What is true generally is particularly true as a condition of growth in the divine life. Even if we have been kept from outward and disgraceful sin, how we came short of the glory of God! Never yield to discouragement, never admit that failure is a necessary part of your life, never abandon your quest for the highest! Remember that Christ is just in front! "My soul followeth hard after thee, thy right hand sustaineth me!"—Christian Herald."

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Mid Years.

She—What is the most popular dance at Princeton?

He—That Latin trot.

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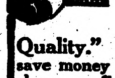
A hard worker may not be the best worker.



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The Facts in the Case.

"Who struck Billy Patterson?" asked the law examiner.

"An arrest was made following the assault," wrote one student, "and the magistrate held the accused for the grand jury. An indictment followed, and when the case came up for trial the accused was convicted. An appeal was taken and the argument will be heard next fall. In the meantime the accused has been released on habeas corpus and has established an alibi. Billy's chances of getting damages are just 1 to 193,427."

The examiner predicts that the man who wrote this will be one of the shining lights in his profession.

Country Life.

There was a sound as of sundry lumber-jacks at work with their axes.

"Is that Joel chopping up kindling, Maria?" asked Jimpson, looking up from his paper.

"No, my dear," replied Mrs. Jimpson, "that is Sereny chopping up that steak for hash for breakfast tomorrow."

"More power to her elbow!" sighed Jimpson.

Dirt Cheap.

The bibliophile was showing his treasures.

"Now, here," he said, holding up a battered volume, "is a first edition of Dante's 'Inferno.' I picked it up at a second-hand bookstore for three-fifty. How's that for a bargain?"

"Great!" replied his cynical friend. "Why, the germs you got with it ought to be worth that much alone."

SHE QUIT

But It Was a Hard Pull.

It is hard to believe that coffee will put a person in such a condition as it did an Ohio woman. She tells her own story:

"I did not believe coffee caused my trouble, and frequently said I liked it so well I would not, and could not, quit drinking it, but I was a miserable sufferer from heart trouble and nervous prostration for four years.

"I was scarcely able to be around, had no energy and did not care for anything. Was emaciated and had a constant pain around my heart until I thought I could not endure it.

"Frequently I had nervous chills and the least excitement would drive sleep away, and any little noise would upset me terribly. I was gradually getting worse until finally I asked myself what's the use of being sick all the time and buying medicine so that I could indulge myself in coffee?

"So I got some Postum to help me quit. I made it strictly according to directions and I want to tell you that change was the greatest step in my life. It was easy to quit coffee because I now like Postum better than the coffee.

"One by one the old troubles left until now I am in splendid health, nerves steady, heart all right and the pain all gone. Never have any more nervous chills, don't take any medicine, can do all my house work and have done a great deal besides."

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STATE NEWS

Resume of Important Happenings of Past Few Days.

SMOKE PREVENTION SCHOOL

Only Institution of its Kind in United States Planned for Minneapolis—Two in Europe.

Minneapolis.—Minneapolis will shortly open the first school for the study of smoke prevention in the United States, and one of three existing in the entire world, if a plan put up to director C. E. Prosser of the William Hood Dunwoody Industrial Institute by Chairman Walter Thorp of the smoke prevention committee of the Civic and Commerce association, is adopted. Mr. Prosser received enthusiastically the suggestion that such a school be established in the Dunwoody institute. Upon the return from the east of William H. Bovey, chairman of the directorate of the institute, action looking to the establishment of courses of instruction will be taken, it is expected.

Glasgow, Scotland and Hamburg, Germany, are the only two cities in the world, so far as is known, that have taken up smoke prevention and fuel economy as parts of the study course of industrial institutes. Assistant Secretary Clarence Tolg of the Civic and Commerce association said that reports of what these institutes have accomplished are expected shortly and will be used in planning the Minneapolis study courses.

The formal proposal was prepared by the committee for Mr. Prosser to put before the Dunwoody institute directors, following a conference between Mr. Prosser and the smoke prevention committee.

SEVEN MAY BE DEAD IN WRECK

Three or Four Tramps on Milwaukee Train, Derailed at Lake City, Probably Perished.

Lake City, Minn.—That seven or eight men were killed in the wreck of Milwaukee passenger train No. 5 near Lake City Saturday night, was the belief expressed when it was reported that three or four tramps were on the train. A man named Campbell, who worked for a nursery company, is known to have "ridden the blind" out of Lake City. Railroad men think three or four others were on the train. Roy Fitzsimmons, the extra fireman, who was rescued from Lake Pepin, said he heard cries of men struggling in the water.

Divers continued to search for the bodies of Wilbur P. Taber, 2621 Bloomington avenue, Minneapolis, and Roy F. Robert, 250 St. Anthony avenue, St. Paul, engineer and fireman on the train. The body of Taber was located, but it was pinned in the cab and could not be taken out.

A temporary bridge is being erected. To wrecking crews have been at work since shortly after the wreck. All traffic on the river division is being routed over the Burlington road. The wrecked engine will be raised at once.

MAYOS' OFFER IS ACCEPTED

Regents of University of Minnesota Decide to Affiliate With Rochester Medical School.

Minneapolis, Minn.—By unanimous vote of the ten members present, the Board of Regents of the University adopted the report of a subcommittee for the establishment of graduate medical instruction at Rochester, Minn., in connection with the Mayo Foundation for Medical Education and Research. This is the final action by the board. Officers of the board were authorized to enter into legal agreement with the Foundation governing the relationship.

Senator Clapp Speaks to Boys.

Faribault.—Moses E. Clapp, United States senator from Minnesota, accepted an invitation to speak at the commencement exercises at St. James school, sometimes known as "Lower Shattuck," although a separate institution. St. James school, exclusively for young boys, was established in 1901 by Dr. Dobbin, the man who built Shattuck. The program was as follows: March, James Horton Bishop; prayer, Rev. Elmer E. Lofstrom; "The Summer Sea," school; address, Senator Clapp; "With Song and Ringing Laughter," school; presentation of certificates by the headmaster; "Holiday March," school; "America"; benediction; drill on the campus, conducted by First Lieutenant George Grunert, U. S. A.

Bankers Meet at Mankato

Mankato, Minn., June 11.—Bankers began to arrive on the afternoon trains from various southwestern Minnesota points, to attend the thirteenth annual meeting of the Second District Group of the Minnesota Bankers' association, which is meeting in this city. The bankers seem full of confidence in the continued prosperity of Southern Minnesota. All brought reports of magnificent crop prospects for all small grains, and only warm weather needed to make a big corn crop.

CLUB GIRLS' COUNCIL TO MEET

Two Hundred Girls and Secretaries of Y. W. C. A. to Be Guests of Albert Lea June 29 to July 9.

Albert Lea.—Two hundred girls and secretaries of the Young Women's Christian Association will be the guests of Albert Lea when the Albert Lea college opens its doors to the Club Girls' council June 29 to July 9.

Girls representing the large industrial establishments in Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Iowa and Nebraska, will be present. Four national secretaries, three with headquarters in Minneapolis and one in New York will be speakers.

Mrs. Charles P. Noyes, chairman of the field committee, will give one of the opening talks. Rev. W. E. J. Gratz, St. Paul, will make two addresses. Dr. Raymond V. Phelan, professor of social economics, University of Minnesota, will conduct a course of six lectures. One of the special features will be a Japanese rose party.

Three pageants are to be staged on the college campus on Independence day. "The Unity of Industries," given by the girls of Minnesota and North Dakota. "The Spirit of Sisterhood," presented by those from Iowa and Nebraska, and a national pageant, "The Spirit of America," by the entire council.

Campfires will be held on the college campus in the evening. Elaborate plans have been made for the recreation hours, the special being boating and swimming.

WOMAN PULLS WRONG LEVER

Browns Valley Motorist Becomes Perturbed and Loses Control of Car—Two Are Injured.

Brown's Valley.—When Mrs. E. Roupp, who lives on the Bailey farm, entered the crowded streets of Brown's Valley she became perturbed over the problem of stopping amid pedestrians and vehicles hurrying about, and she pressed the wrong lever of her auto, a light car of popular make.

Skittishly as a frolicsome horse who feels that a strange hand has crossed the lines, the car leaped to the sidewalk and before it could be restrained struck and knocked down Mrs. A. Baugle, formerly Miss Bessie Feely, of St. Paul, and Mrs. L. Ashbaugh. The wheels of the auto passed over one of the women and partly over the other, pinioning the latter under one wheel against the curb.

Neither woman was severely hurt, and the car also escaped irreparable damage.

Endowment for Retired Ministers.

Park Rapids.—Speaking here in behalf of a retiring annuity or pension for the aged ministers of the Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. John T. Brabmer Smith, editor of the Veteran Preacher and publicity agent of the denomination, with headquarters in Chicago, told the pastors of the Fergus Falls district of the Northern Minnesota conference that two things are being sought. First, to establish a retiring annuity or pension, based on the years of service given by the minister, and second, the providing of such an additional amount as may be necessary in cases where the conditions require more than the pension affords.

"These two things are being sought for in all the churches," he said, "and at the present time the emphasis is being placed on the pensions for service; but there never can come a time when the minister can be adequately provided for unless the exceptional case—the very aged and infirm—is cared for.

Bishop Speaks Under "Devil's Chair."

Taylor's Falls. — Bishop William Quayle of St. Paul, addressing a meeting of Twin City Methodists here, held in conjunction with the annual outdoor meeting of the people of that denomination from all the St. Croix valley, presented the unusual picture of a minister talking at the mouth of the historic "Devil's kitchen," and directly below the "Devil's chair," both rock fountains that have made the Dalles of the St. Croix interstate park famous the world over.

"Liquor and all it represents has long fallen from the 'stay' class," said Bishop Quayle, "and the present prohibition movement is but the outgrowth of dislike long standing at last made evident. Minnesota has shown progress in adopting county option and prohibition is going to be a reality all over the United States in a remarkably short time."

St. Paul Pioneer Dies in Grand Forks.

Grand Forks.—August Thulin, formerly of St. Paul, died here, aged 93 years.

Mr. Thulin made his home in St. Paul from 1856 to 1903, and during most of that period he was engaged in the contracting business. He was very well known during St. Paul's pioneer days.

Upon the death of his wife 12 years ago, Thulin came to Grand Forks, making his home here with his daughter, Mrs. C. H. Opsahl.

Alumni Endorse Mayo Plan.

Minneapolis, June 11. Appreciation of Drs. W. J. and C. H. Mayo for their offer to the University and of the course taken by the University regents in connection with it, was voted by the University Academic Alumni association. A motion to postpone such appreciation was lost. Members of the association criticized the action of the board of directors of the General Alumni association in having declared it represented the alumni body in its opposition to the Mayo project.

MEAN TRICK ON FRIEND WIFE

Citizen Used Dishonorable Methods to Prevent the Putting Up of Strawberries.

"I want you to do me a favor," said a citizen as he entered a crockery store the other morning with an anxious look on his face.

"Anything within reason, of course," was the reply.

"It is rather a family affair," said the first.

"Oh, I can keep a secret."

"It isn't much of a secret, but the strawberry season will soon begin."

"Yes, I know."

"You keep fruit jars, of course?"

"Thousands, of course."

"My wife was telling me this morning that she proposed to do up at least three bushels of strawberries this summer, and she'll be around here to ask the price of fruit jars. I want you to tell her that, owing to the war, they have gone up to $15 a dozen."

"Oh, my!" gasped the crockery man.

"I have got a dealer to lie to her about the price of berries by the bushel, and a grocer to tell her that sugar has gone up 400 per cent, and if you only will do your part not a darned old strawberry will be laid away for winter."—Providence Journal.

WHAT TO DO FOR YOUR ITCHING SKIN

Eczema, ringworm and other itching, burning skin eruptions are so easily made worse by improper treatment that one has to be very careful. There is one method, however, that you need not hesitate to use, even on a baby's tender skin—that is the resinol treatment. Resinol is the prescription of a Baltimore doctor, put up in the form of resinol ointment and resinol soap. This proved so remarkably successful that thousands of other physicians have been prescribing it constantly for 20 years.

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Humane Warfare.

Uncle (to nephew playing a war game with a chum)—If you take the fortress within a quarter of an hour, I'll give you a quarter.

Youngster (a minute later)—Uncle, the fortress is taken; now let me have the quarter.

Uncle—How did you manage it so quickly?

Youngster—I offered the besieged ten cents, and they capitulated.—Christian Register.

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Omar (quoting)—A fool and his money are soon parted.

Heiny—What was it this time—wine, woman or song?

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Cleveland, Ohio—"My left side pained me so for several years that I expected to have to undergo an operation, but the first bottle I took of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound relieved me of the pains in my side and I continued its use until I became regular and free from pains. I had asked several doctors if there was anything I could take to help me and they said there was nothing that they knew of. I am thankful for such a good medicine and will always give it the highest praise."—Mrs. C. H. Griffith, 1568 Constant St., Cleveland, Ohio.

Hanover, Pa.—"I suffered from female trouble and the pains were so bad at times that I could not sit down. The doctor advised a severe operation but my husband got me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I experienced great relief in a short time. Now I feel like a new person and can do a hard day's work and not mind it. What joy and happiness it is to be well once more. I am always ready and willing to speak a good word for the Compound."—Mrs. Ada Wilt, 303 Walnut St., Hanover, Pa.

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Northeast of Holt

Miss Tina Johnson, Joseph and Ingvald Johnson called at C. W. Christianson's Saturday evening.

What has become of W. W.

Quite a number of young people spent Sunday evening at E. Johnson's, all reported a good time.

Everybody should go to the Holt Mercantile Company for their June Clearance Sale. Big Values there.

Misses Hilda and Victoria Johnson spent Sunday afternoon with Tina Johnson.

Misses Tina and Mable Johnson and Lizzie Hanson called on Mrs. C. Gronwold Wednesday evening.

Eddie Davidson called at E. Johnson's Tuesday evening.

Mr. A. Anderson and son Albert spent Saturday evening at C. W. Christianson's

Guess "Sunnyside" was right when they stated "every body enjoyed the program last Monday evening from the candy kid with the gum ear."

Southeast of Holt.
(Written for last week)

Everybody in this vicinity were at Steiner Thursday, each after his load of telephone posts. Carl Guttrued and Oscar Jopprù are busy setting them, and all expect to have phones in the near future.

Big Saving for Everybody at Holt Merc. Co.'s June Sale!

Bergit Skomedol returned to her home last week after working in Fargo, N. D. for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Bey from Grand Forks, N. D. are visiting at the K. Ose home.

A large number of people spent Sunday at the home of G. Soiney.

Premium list of the Crookston fair at the Holt State Bank.

S. S. Kolden was in Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Found: A parasol. Please prove property and pay for this notice.

The Payne family were entertained at the B. L. Backe home Sunday.

Ernest Silbaugh has quit the dray line and will seek other work.

Sollom Bros. have moved their hardware stock into their new building and are now nicely located.

The telephone companies are expecting to move into their new home within a few days. They have had to wait for some supplies, which is the cause of the delay.

Mesdames N. D. Johnson and E. Engebretson and children of Rainier Oregon, visited at the Nils Engebretsen home a few days the past week.

Mrs. Chris Yttri visited in Grand Forks the first of the week with her father who came from Wisconsin to attend a convention of the Hagues church.

C. Martell & Co. have recently finished drilling a 135 foot well for Geo. Anderson. We are told the water is of the best and that it comes within 13 feet of the top.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Local Items

Our spring weather caught an awful cold.

A. R. Jones spent Sunday with his family in Crookston.

Miss Edna Riesberg is confined to her home by an attack of the mumps.

S. T. Kolden of Fargo visited his uncle S. S. Kolden Wednesday.

The Holt Merc. Co. have a big new sign and it is a dandy too.

The Crookston fair for all of Northwestern Minn. will be held July 13-17.

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Until further notice the Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock every Sunday afternoon.

Our June Clearance Sale starts Monday, June 21st, ends Saturday, July 3rd. Holt Merc. Co.

Mr. J. P. Foote, of the Scandia State Bank of Crookston was a business caller in town Saturday.

The carpenters have all left town to work on the new buildings being erected by L. Wegge and Ole Lunke.

Norman Newton is able to get around and out of doors a little every day and is getting strong quite fast.

Miss Olava Sollom left Saturday for Crookston where she expects to attend several weeks summer school.

Miss Bietta Nelson returned home Saturdey from several weeks visit with her sister at Hannaford N. D.

Big reductions on O'DONNELL SHOES, the best in the market, at Holt Merc. Co.'s June Clearance Sale.

Mrs. Christ Yettri returned home Wednesday from Grand Forks accompanied by her aunt Miss Lena Ballengberg of Albert Lea, who will visit here for sometime.

Mesdames Sorenson, Tunheim and Skefveland of Newfolden were visitors at the Decken home last week while attending the religious convention held in the Free Ev. Mission Church.

The Synod Ladies Aid will hold their annual sale June 24th at A. Bjerk, and the ladies will sell dinner. A program will be given by the young people society. Every body invited.

Sam Mickelson came home Saturday from his work at Angus to attend the confirmation services at the Synod church Sunday. Mr. Mickelson returned to Angus Monday afternoon.

I have two good grade Percheron stallions which I will stand at the hotel barn in Holt every Friday commencing June 18th. Terms: To insure standing colt $12.00.
H. S. Williams, T. R. Falls.

J. B. Alkenbrack has sold the small dwelling, occupied by his son John and wife to Ed. Swensrud. Mr. Alkenbrack Jr. expects to build in the near future as he already has the wall completed and cellar dug for a house 16x24

While Svenke Svenkeson was holding a piece of steel one day last week for Axel Nelson, as he was pounding it, it splintered and a piece of sharp steel struck Mr. Svenkeson in the eye. A physician dressed the wound and the eye will soon be well again.

The Holt State Bank has placed a window of stained glass in the partition to give their cashier more light while at his private desk. Also a railing has been placed between tha vault and cashier's counter to either keep out intruders or keep the assistant cashier from getting away, we didn't learn which.

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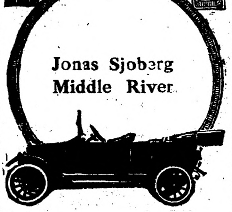

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WHY IS WOMAN RESTLESS?

DESTINY OF NATIONS DEPENDS UPON CONTENTED HOMES.

By W. D. Lewis.
President Texas Farmers' Union.

Why is woman dissatisfied? Why does she grow restless under the crown of womanhood? Why is she weary of the God-given jewel of motherhood? Is it not a sufficient political achievement for woman that future rulers nurse at her breast, laugh in her arms and kneel at her feet? Can ambition leap to more glorious heights than to sing lullabies to the world's greatest genuises, chant melodies to master minds and rock the cradle of human destiny?

God pity our country when the handshake of the politician is more gratifying to woman's heart than the patter of children's feet.

Woman is Ruler Over All.

Why does woman chafe under restraint of sex? Why revile the hand of nature? Why discard the skirts that civilization has clung to since the beginning of time? Why lay aside this hallowed garment that has wiped the tears of sorrow from the face of childhood? In its sacred embrace every generation has hidden its face in shame; clinging to its motherly folds, tottering children have learned to play hide and seek and from it youth learned to reverence and respect womanhood. Can man think of his mother without this consecrated garment?

Why this inordinate thirst for power? Is not woman all powerful? Man cannot enter this world without her consent, he cannot remain in peace without her blessing and unless she sheds tears of regret over his departure, he has lived in vain. Why this longing for civic power when God has made her ruler over all? Why crave authority when man bows down and worships her? Man has given woman his heart, his name and his money. What more does she want?

Can man find it in his heart to look with pride upon the statement that his honorable mother-in-law was one of the most powerful political bosses in the country, that his distinguished grandmother was one of the ablest filibusters in the Senate, or that his mother was a noted warrior and her name a terror to the enemy? Whither are we drifting, and where will we land?

God Save Us From a Hen-Pecked Nation.

I follow the plow for a living and my views may have in them the smell of the soil; my hair is turning white under the frost of many winters and perhaps I am a little old-fashioned, but I believe there is more moral influence in the dress of woman than in all the statute books of the land. As an agency for morality, I wouldn't give my good old mother's homemade gowns for all the suffragette's constitutions and by-laws in the world.

As a power for purifying society, I wouldn't give one prayer of my saintly mother for all the women's votes in Christendom. As an agency for good government, I wouldn't give the plea of a mother's heart for righteousness for all the oaths of office in the land.

There is more power in the smile of woman than in an act of congress. There are greater possibilities for good government in her family of laughing children than in the cabinet of the president of the United States.

The destiny of this nation lies in the home and not in the legislative halls. The hearthstone and the family Bible will ever remain the source of our inspiration and the Acts of the Apostles will ever shine brighter than the acts of Congress.

This country is law-mad. Why add to a statute book, already groaning under its own weight, the hysterical cry of woman? If we never had a chance to vote again in a lifetime and did not pass another law in twenty-five years, we could survive the ordeal, but without home, civilization would wither and die.

God save these United States from becoming a hen-pecked nation; help us keep sissies out of Congress and forbid that women become stepfathers to government, is the prayer of the farmers of this country.

A DIVINE COVENANT.

God Almighty gave Eve to Adam with the pledge that she would be his helpmeet and with this order of companionship, civilization has towered to its greatest heights. In this relationship, God has blessed woman and man has honored her and after four thousand years of progress, she now proposes to provoke God to decoy man by asking for suffrage, thereby by amending an agreement to which she was not a party.

Woman, remember that the Israelite scorned a divine covenant, and as a result wandered forty years in the wilderness without God. Likewise man should remember that it is a dangerous thing to debase woman by law. Rome tried lowering woman's standard and an outraged civilization tore the clothes off the backs of the human race and turned them out to roam in the world naked and unashamed.

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Bakke-Halverson Wedding

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bakke in Thief River Falls Wednesday June 30th at 5 o'clock P. M. occurred the wedding of their daughter Dagny Nathalia, to Albert Leonard Halverson, of Thief River Falls.

The bride was prettily dressed in white chiffon over net and carried a boquet of beautiful roses and peonies. Little Eleanor Hoglin acted as flower girl. The house was very prettily decorated. The bride will be remembered as one of the teachers in the Holt schools, the past year, the groom is one of the popular young men of Thief River Falls and is engaged in the furniture business with his brother.

The happy couple departed the same evening for a short wedding trip and visit with the groom's parents at Battle Lake, also at other points. We join their many friends in wishing them happiness and success.

Dr. Turley will be here Monday to do dental work.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nelson went to Crookston Wednesday.

Miss Irene Wegge visited in Thief River Falls from Friday until Tuesday.

John and Julius Olson of Strathcona visited here a short time Wednesday.

Oscar Hanson and little sons were in Middle River between trains Tuesday.

L. Olson visited his son and family in Middle River Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Erickson went to Fillmore Co. Tuesday to visit at their old home.

Rev. A. L. Larson of Thief River Falls will preach here next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Thomas came from Grygla Saturday to visit her daughters, Mesdames Sollom and Backe.

Rev. Pearson, a traveling missionary, preached in the Free Mission church here Tuesday evening.

Miss Ella Olberg and little nephew Lester Kolden went to Middle River Monday to visit her folks.

Elling Tollefsrud is the new mail carrier between Golden Valley and Holt, making his first trip yesterday.

Mrs. Olaf Storholm and two children returned home Wednesday after a pleasant visit at the S. Mickelson home.

Mesdames Huseth and Bray and children went to Fertile Monday to visit over the fourth with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson returned Tuesday from a weeks visit with relatives and friends at Radium and Warren.

Mrs. Arvid Carlson, Misses Clara and Gunhild Sollom, and Clarence Docken were passengers for T. R. Falls Wednesday.

A special train from Thief River Falls will arrive here next Saturday morning at 6:40 and gets into Warroad at 10 o'clock. Will leave Warroad on the return trip at 11:30 P. M. Fare for the round trip $[illegible].02

Last week Friday evening a few of the young people of Holt gave a party at the home of P. A. Risberg in honor of Fridjof's sixteenth birthday. The evening was spent in music and games. The young people departed for home at an early hour wishing Fridjof many more happy birthdays.

The town council met as the board of review Monday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and Clarence Docken attended the wedding of Miss Dagny Bakke Wednesday.

The farmers got tired of waiting for a telephone man to come and move their switch board so they went to work Wednesday and moved it themselves.

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Northeast of Holt

John Monberg, Dehard, Joseph, Mabel and Alida Johnson returned to Alvarado Wednesday after spending a few days at Erick Johnson's.

A number of young people spent Thursday evening at C. W. Christianson's.

Quite a few from this vicinity attended the auction at A. Bjerk's Thursday.

Miss Tina, Geo. and Pearl Johnson spent Friday afternoon at Christianson's.

A. Anderson is erecting a fine new barn on his farm which he recently purchased, he also intends to build an addition to the house.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson called on C. W. Christianson's Sunday afternoon.

A number of young people spent Sunday evening at O. H. Dovre's.

Oscar Knutson, Willie Sorum, Oliver Grondohl, Hilmer Davidson, Albert Anderson, Tina Johnson and Lizzie Hanson spent Sunday afternoon with Hulda and Victoria Johnson. Ask them if they had a good time.

Miss Hulda Johnson leaves Monday for Argyle.

Southeast of Holt.

A very heavy rain fell in this vicinity on Friday. The bridge over Thief River on the range line is going down. There are many men there working to save it.

A large number of people from this locality attended the circus in T. R. Falls on Saturday.

Jermon Johnson returned to his home on Monday, after visiting with his brother in Smiley for a few days.

Confirmation services will be held in the Free Church by Rev. A. Bredeson on Sunday July 4th.

A picnic will be given at the home of Mrs. A. Gutterud on Saturday July 3rd. Everybody welcome.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the home of S. Bergland on Thursday July. 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Klungness returned to their home Friday after visiting with relatives and friends in Fargo N. Dak. for some time.

Allen Adolphson moved to T. R. Falls Monday, where he intends to make it his home.

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Lars Backe visited Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe Tuesday.

John Folstad visited over Sunday with his folks in St. Hilaire.

Sam Mickelson returned Saturday to Angus to do carpenter work.

C. L. Hemze went to T. R. Falls Tuesday to do some brushing on his place there.

Racin Olson went out to A. H. Langley's the first of the week to do some carpenter work.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Sollom and the T. E. Files[illegible]d and Oscar Hanson families went to Thief River Falls Saturday to see the circus, but were disappointed as the storm was so bad the show people had to give up their exhibition.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 1st, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Anna Adolphson of Holt, Minn. who on Feb. 28th, 1914, made Homestead Entry, No. 010386, for Lot 2 Sec. 10 Township 155 N, Ran. 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 5th day of July, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Elmer Adolphson, Olaus Rodahl, Nels Gudvangen and Alfred O. Hanson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota June, 16, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Martin S. Sampson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Sept. 12th, 1910 made Homestead Application Serial, No. 05599, for NE1-4, Sec. 16, Twp. 155 N., Rag. 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for Dist. of Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn. on the 27th day of July 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Thom Bakken, Carl Stenerson, Gunder Brokke and Nels Gunderson all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

SCANDIA BLOCK TRI-STATE PHONE

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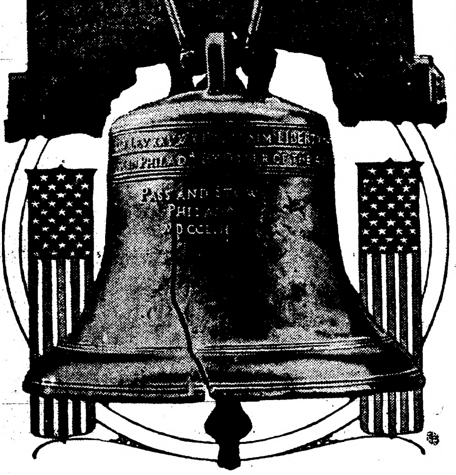
FAMOUS OLD LIBERTY BELL



FINAL TONE OF LIBERTY BELL?

What Is Believed to Be Its Last Ringing Is Said to Have Recently Taken Place at Philadelphia.

What may prove to be the last ringing of the historic Liberty bell took place in Independence hall at Philadelphia recently.

It was decided to transmit the tones of the bell across the country to San Francisco over the recently completed transcontinental telephone line, partly fulfilling in a literal sense the prophetic words cast on the bell, "Proclaim liberty throughout all the land, unto all the inhabitants thereof." The bell was struck three times with mallets at intervals of five seconds. By an arrangement of three very sensitive transmitters, which were suspended beneath it on rubber bands, so as to exclude all foreign vibration, the tones were caught and clearly heard over the telephone wires on the Pacific coast. At the same time a phonographic record was made of the notes so as to preserve them for posterity.

This is the first time that the great bell has been sounded since it was cracked in 1835 while tolling the death of John Marshall, the first chief justice of the United States Supreme court. The reason that it may never again be rung is that a new crack, more serious than the old one, has developed in it.

It has been found that the bell is afflicted with the "disease of metal." This is partly responsible for the appearance of the latest fissure and has made it necessary to support its weight on padded props in order to relieve the stress which has gradually been pulling it apart.

The new crack is now plainly visible, while only a short time ago it was microscopic. It begins at the upper part of the original fracture, extending from the letter "P" in the "Philadelphia," diagonally a quarter of the way around the circumference, to the letter "y" in "Liberty," near the top. It is believed that the new crack might not have occurred had the bell been allowed to remain at rest after it was first broken. It has, however, been shipped on different occasions to New Orleans, Chicago, Atlanta, Charleston, Boston and St. Louis. That it is actually suffering from a malady known as the "disease of metal," is the description of its ailment in the technical phraseology of the metallurgist, and is not a popular figure of speech. The reason for this distemper is to be found in the history of the bell's casting.

It was originally made by Thomas Lester at London, in 1752, and shipped to Philadelphia. When it was hung to try the sound it was cracked by the clapper. At first it was intended to return it to England, but subsequently two workmen, Pass and Stow, neither of whom was experienced in the art, undertook the recasting in Philadelphia. Obviously the bronze was too brittle, and in order to toughen it, they added approximately ten per cent of copper to the original metal. When the bell was later rehung it was found that too much copper had been used, and, to the chagrin of everyone, the tone was destroyed. The same men again undertook the work, and this time are supposed to have added tin to restore the tone. The third bell was accepted, but too much tin had been used, and the tones were so highly resonant that it was seldom rung.—Popular Mechanics.

It is very hard to convince a writer who is paid by the word that brevity is the soul of wit.

EVADED CAPTURE BY BRITISH

Quick Wit of American Patriot Saved Himself and Family When in Dire Peril.

There is an incident in the life of George Read worthy of mention in connection with these men who were martyrs to the Declaration. Fortunately Read suffered no real privation at the hands of the British, a fact due, however, solely to his presence of mind. When President McKinley, presiding officer of Delaware commonwealth, was made a prisoner, soon after the battle of Brandywine, it was necessary for George Read to take charge, he then being vice-president of that colony. He was in Philadelphia at the time of the president's capture and to return home entailed considerable danger.

The enemy occupied the west bank of the Delaware river and Mr. Read had to take the New Jersey shore, run the risk of crossing the river and elude, if possible, the vigilance of the enemy's ships, which were strung along the whole distance. The 13th of October, 1777, Mr. Read reached Salem, N. J., where he obtained a boat for the purpose of conveying himself and family across the river.

At the place where he undertook the crossing, the river was about five miles wide. Almost in view of the British ships he had about reached the Delaware coast when he was discovered, for his boat had grounded just too far from shore to make it practicable to land his family. Unable to go on or leave the boat they were forced to wait while a ship's boat came up to them. Mr. Read's wits had not been idle, however, and he devised a plan which he and his wife immediately put into practice. They destroyed all traces of identification of their baggage, a feat made possible by the time required for the other boat's approach.

When the boat came alongside he politely informed them of his plight, and added that he was a country gentleman returning home from a pleasure excursion he had made with his family. The presence of his mother, wife and children added weight to this story. The commander of the English boat was only a coxswain, his companions common sailors. There was nothing suspicious about the party.

So, taking pity upon a family thus stranded but a short distance from their destination, the English boat's crew obligingly assisted them to land, helped to get the baggage on shore and, after receiving thanks for their kind assistance, returned to their ship. Mr. Read continued his journey, the end of which was the colony's governmental headquarters, where he assumed the role of chief executive until the release of the president was secured.

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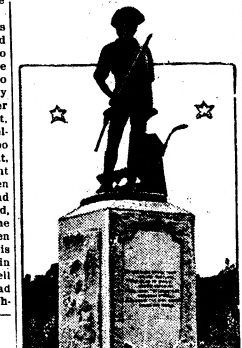


FACE DEATH TO GET DEVIL FISH

Virginian Tells of Fight to Land Specimen for New York Museum.

FISH IS 18 FEET WIDE

In Its Struggles to Escape the Monster Nearly Wrecked a Two-Ton Launch—Lifts Craft Out of the Water.

New York.—The king of devil fishermen arrived here the other day, says the New York Times. He is Russell J. Coles of Danville, Va. Down home they always call him "Doctor," and the title has clung to him, although he says he has no right to it, because, while he studied medicine in his youth, he decided to let his possible victims live and declined to take his degree. In private life Mr. Coles is a leaf tobacco dealer. But for three or four months every year he gets away from business, goes to Florida or the coast of North Carolina, runs up to Newfoundland, elsewhere, and pursues big fish; he slays them if they won't bite; he measures them, weighs them, studies them, indexes a lot of scientific data out of them, and sends the specimens to various scientific museums.

Doctor Coles' New Devil Fish.

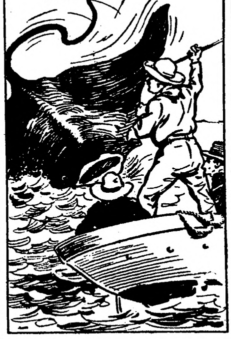
Doctor Coles was brought to New York this time by a devil fish. Speaking literally, he sent the fish on to the Museum of Natural History, and the authorities of the museum were so grateful not only for getting the devil fish, the first of its kind they have possessed and the biggest known to have been taken, but for some of its most valuable piscatorial treasures, that they made him a life member of the institution, a rare honor.

The devil fish is not an octopus. Fishermen or fish hunters consider them the hardest creatures in the world to kill. Though not plentiful, they exist in tropical waters, and, although they will never attack if unmolested, they become dangerous if attacked.

"I used a small two-ton launch and where I landed the big fish was over one hundred miles south of Tampa, Fla., in the Gulf of Mexico," he said. "You can see devil fish as they swim along, for their big fins extend above the surface. On the 6th of April I got two, after bad fights, but one measured only thirteen and the other fourteen feet across, and they were not as big as I wanted.

Monster Rushed for Boat.

"It was not until April 11 that I found the school of devil fish that netted me the big specimen. I had as captain of the boat Capt. Charlie Willes, whom I had brought from Moorehead City, N. C., and the handling of the craft was in charge of Capt. Jack McCann of Punta Gorda, Fla., one of the best known fishermen on the west coast. The devil fish had no fear of the boat. There were six of them in the school. I had constructed special apparatus for the expedition, one thing being a drogue, mistakenly called 'drag,' about three times as big as is used in catching whales.



"Each Time I Got a Chance I Used the Lance."

"The only thing to do was to steer the boat after the fish and try to get upon it. As we neared it I launched a spade lance. The big fish rushed under the boat, breaking off the handle of the lance. I had no other weapon of the kind, so I was forced to use an ordinary whale lance.

"One blow from one of those gigantic fins—the fish measured eighteen feet across—would have wrecked our craft. There was nothing to do but keep running the boat up on the back of the fish. More than a dozen times, as it came to the surface, it would lift the boat on its broad back out of the water. Each time I got a chance I used the lance, and I drove it into the region of the brain and heart twenty-three times before I finally killed it.

"You can get some idea of the size of the creature from the fact that it took two launches ten and one-half hours to tow it twelve miles to my camp near Captiva inlet."

REPORT GERMANS CROSS DNIESTER

BERLIN MILITARY OFFICIALS CLAIM SUCCESS ALONG ENTIRE RIVER FRONT.

TEUTONIC ALLIES VICTORS

Austro-German Claims Substantiated By Russian Admissions of Retirement South of Lemberg—Italians Report Repulse of Austrians.

Berlin, June 29.—The town of Halicz in Galicia, on the Dniester river, has been occupied by German troops, according to the announcement given out by German military headquarters.

Besides the occupation of Halicz, the official statement announces that the river Dniester has been crossed by the Germans along the entire front.

London, June 29.—The tide of battle is again flowing with the Teutonic Allies in Galicia. German and Austrian claims of victory are substantiated by Russia admissions of retirement south of Lemberg. Simultaneously comes news of a Russian council of war at the front, presided over by the emperor and participated in by the Russian commander-in-chief, the Grand Duke Nicholas, leading military men and several cabinet ministers. While in Petrograd the recent retirement of the minister of war is to be followed by other ministerial changes, according to current report.

Begin March on Warsaw.

Following recent indications that the Germans were resuming activity with the possible intention of beginning another march on Warsaw down from near the East Prussian border, come reports of a strong offensive movement by the Teutonic forces in the southern part of Russian Poland. The latest Russian official report mentions this with the declaration that the new offensive had met with no success.

News from other sections from the far-spread war front includes an Italian official report of an unsuccessful attempt by the Austrians to retake the heights of Zeillenkofel.

MOTIVE FOR MURDER SOUGHT

Investigation Into Death of Wife of Warden Allen at Joliet Prison May Be Reopened.

Joliet, Ill., June 29.—Edmund Allen, warden of the penitentiary, whose wife was found burned in a fire there a week ago, again has taken up the routine at the prison.

The investigation into the manner in which Mrs. Allen met her death will be conducted under the direction of Robert W. Martin, state's attorney, who conferred with William D. Heise, former state's attorney and close friend of Allen.

Heise said the evidence was convincing against Joe Campbell, the negro convict who was charged with the murder. "It is not a question now of who killed her, but how and with what motive," he said.

Coroner Wunderlich intimated that he might reopen his investigation into the cause of Mrs. Allen's death because of criticisms that the inquest had not been regularly conducted. He will aid Martin, he said.

ROYALTY TO ATTEND WEDDING

British King and Queen Send Notable Presents to Ambassador Page's Daughter.

London, June 29.—King George and Queen Mary, it is stated in the London newspapers, will be present at the wedding early in August of Miss Katherine Page, the daughter of Walter Hines Page, American ambassador to the Court of St. James, and Charles G. Loring, of Boston. Their majesties are said to be sending notable presents to the bride.

Editor on Way to Marry Miss Clark.

St. Louis, Mo., June 29.—Busy on the biggest "assignment" of his life, James Ilhaney Thompson, New Orleans newspaper editor and publisher, who is to marry Miss Genevieve Clark, daughter of Champ Clark, declined to be interviewed on his stop in St. Louis. He was preparing to depart for Bowling Green, Mo., where the wedding will take place June 30 at "Honey Shuck," the Clark home.

Hollweg Visits Vienna.

Vienna, via Amsterdam and London, June 29.—Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German Imperial chancellor and Gottlieb von Jagow, the German foreign minister, have arrived in Vienna to confer with the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, Baron Stephan Burian von Rajecs. During the day Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg had an audience with Emperor Francis Joseph.

Street Car Men Submit Figures.

Chicago, June 29.—A street car employe supporting a wife and three children, cannot live on less than $1,200 a year, according to figures just submitted to arbitrators selected to settle the differences between 14,000 street car employes and the companies.

The figures were prepared by W. D. Mahon, international president of the unions of street car men, after an exhaustive inquiry. The figures are to be the basis of the men's plea for a wage increase.

ATTACK RUSSIANS NORTH OF WARSAW

GERMANS ANNOUNCE VIOLENT OFFENSIVE MOVEMENT—REPORT CAPTURE OF OGLENDA.

BULGARIANS ARE SUMMONED

Ordered to Hold Themselves In Readiness to Join Colors, Says Correspondent—Left Bank of Dniester Cleared of Teutons.

Berlin, via wireless to London, June 28.—The war office announced late today that German troops have launched a violent attack against the Russians north of Warsaw. Wurtemberg troops have stormed and captured a Russian position at Oglenda, north of Przasnysz.

Oglenda lies 25 miles north of Warsaw, near the right bank of the Orzec river.

Bulgarians in Italy Called.

Rome, June 28.—All Bulgarians in Italy were ordered to hold themselves in readiness to join the colors at a moment's notice. "Bulgaria's participation in the war is now considered inevitable," wired the Saloniki correspondent of the Tribuna. "All Bulgarians in Saloniki and Kavalva have been called to the colors."

Teutons Driven Back.

London, June 28.—The left bank of the river Dniester has been entirely cleared of the Teutonic troops, who forcd their way across at two points early this week, according to the latest Russian official statements, but the Austro-German forces are making desperate efforts to effect a passage elsewhere.

Bridging operations were begun by the Germans and Austrians south of Bukaszowice on the very night the remnants of the detachments which had previously crossed on the Kozany district and in the region of Martynoffstany were being driven back in the former and captured in the latter region. The Russians reported the battle is still raging at the new point of contact.

RACERS SHATTER RECORDS

Cars Average Over Hundred Miles an Hour in International Automobile Derby at Chicago.

At 260 miles leaders were:
Resta, 2:40.01.
Porporato, 2:41.16.
Grant, 2:42.04.
Attendance was said to be 80,000.

Speedway Park, Maywood, Ill., June 28.—With Dario Resta on the rail in his Peugeot, 21 of the world's most famous drivers got away to a flying start at 10:31 in the first Chicago international 500-mile automobile derby.

Resta had a 50-yard lead on the Stutz team as they rounded the bowl for the first lap.

For four laps Resta led, averaging 107 miles an hour.

At the start of the fifth Wilcox crept up on equal terms.

In a stiff brush between Resta and Wilcox that lasted a lap about the 70th mile, Wilcox, with a great burst of speed, passed the judges' stand a car length ahead of the foreigner. The two cars were averaging more than 107 miles an hour. At this time the general average of the leaders was about 102 miles an hour.

Porporato was leading on the 40th lap.

TORNADO SWEEPS ALBERTA.

Calgary, Alta., June 28.—Two persons killed, 23 injured, and property loss of $1,000,000 at Redcliff and Grassy Lake, near Medicine Hat, Alta., sums up the heavy toll taken by a tornado, similar to that famous Regina storm that swept through the district east of Calgary.

The tornado struck Grassy Lake, a small town on the Medicine Hat-Lethbridge line of the C. P. R., about 7 p. m., tearing the roof off a hotel, wiping out two lumber yards, wrecking stores and blowing a whole freight train off the track.

South Dakota Girl Drowned.

Aberdeen, S. D., June 28.—Frances Stablein, 14 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stablein, of this city, was drowned at Lake Minnesho, Wylie Park, just north of this city. She, together with an older sister and two other girls were wading about in the lake pushing a plank ahead of them when all four went into a hole.

200,000 Idle in Chicago Shut-down.

Chicago, June 28.—A general shutdown of Chicago's building industry, which, it was said, will throw out of employment more than 200,000 workers, went into effect today. The shutdown is regarded as the beginning of one of the greatest labor wars in recent years. The action was taken at a meeting of representatives of the allied building and material interests as an answer to the referendum vote of 16,000 striking carpenters, who overwhelmingly defeated the proposal to arbitrate all questions.

Seeing Is Believing.

"What be thet air gosh dinged mersheen?" asked Uncle Abner of Pumpkinville, as he witnessed the working of a fire engine for the first time.

"Why, uncle," replied his city nephew, "that is a machine for putting out fires."

"Well, dart my pickter," exclaimed the old man, "ef I hedn't seed it with my own eyes, I never woulder believ'd thet pesky leetle teakittle could hev held so much water, b'gosh!"

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"What did you have?"

"We had cake, ice cream, fancy bonbons, caramels and—and—"

"And what else?"

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BOUNTIFUL PROMISE FROM WESTERN CANADA

Average Increase of Acreage in Wheat Over 22 Per Cent.

Province.	Wheat Acreage Increase.
Saskatchewan	25 per cent
Alberta	32½ per cent
Manitoba	15 per cent
Average for prairies	22½ per cent

Saskatchewan.

The growth of the crop during the past week was very satisfactory. Rain fell in many places during the early part of the week, followed by warmer weather, which has been most beneficial to the grain. Breaking and summer-fallowing were well under way, and conditions generally were most promising.

The following reports have been received by the department from the various centers: Denholm—A little rain needed in the northern part to start late grain; remainder of district plenty of moisture. Davidson—Ideal growing weather; a few farmers harrowing grain to conserve moisture by breaking crust formed since last rain. North Battleford to Prince Albert—Good growing weather; crops looking well. Slight damage near North Battleford from cutworms; recent rains beneficial. Kindersley—Crops looking fine and prospects good; plenty of moisture, with prospects of more rain. Every slough in this country is full. Prince Albert—Crops in fair condition, though cutworms and light frosts have done damage in some sections. Have had moderate quantity of rain.

Owing to prompt marketing of the harvest of 1914, the farmers were enabled to devote more time than usual to cultivation in the autumn, under conditions which were decidedly favorable, and that, combined with the opportunities for soil preparation presented by an early spring this year, has resulted in the seeding of a wheat area estimated at twenty-five per cent greater than last year. Areas sown to oats and flax may be less than last year, because of the concentration upon the cereal in greater demand for export. Wheat seeding was completed eight days earlier than the average, under almost ideal conditions.

Alberta.

"Prospects excellent. Abundant moisture throughout the province, following rain. Area thirty to thirty-five per cent greater. Crop generally two weeks earlier."

Attention is drawn to the fact that the land has not been in such fine condition to work for years; neither has there been as much moisture as there was last autumn. This was protected during the winter by a little more than the average snowfall, which remained on the land, not being removed by the warm chinook winds, as is usually the case. There never has been a more optimistic feeling than exists today, judging by the information received from various parts of the province. We feel justified in saying that the crop never went in under more favorable circumstances; weather splendid and land particularly well worked.

While it is true that the acreage will be greatly increased, it is pleasing to learn that, despite the high price of feed, the receipts of milk and cream at the dairies continue to keep up, and that the output of the creameries has increased in quantity.

One of the most encouraging things in last year's work was the increase of practically thirty per cent in the output of cream and butter south of Calgary.

Manitoba.

Owing to the exceptionally early harvest last year and favorable fall weather, a much larger acreage of land was prepared than usual, and partly for the same reason and the prospects of high prices for all kinds of grain, farmers took more pains in the preparation of land, so that the spring opened up with 1,235,000 acres of fully prepared land above the previous year. Seeding was general by the 7th of April, some days in advance of the average. Since that time the weather has been exceptionally favorable for the sowing of wheat, and the farmers have taken full advantage of it. Much of the crop is now above the surface. There has been a very general and liberal rainfall; this will hasten the germination of the recently sown wheat, and will prevent the soil from drifting off the later sown crop. The area sown in wheat is fully 15 per cent greater than last year.

To sum up the agricultural situation generally, the Department of Agriculture says: "The area is larger than usual, the land has been well prepared, and the wheat has been sown at the right time; not so early as to run the risk of being killed off by frost, but sufficiently early to insure its ripening in the fall."—Advertisement.

Cyclone Was Playful.

The great atmospheric freak that has hit California for many months struck the walnut grove on the Phillips ranch west of Pomona. It took the form of a small cycone and played a remarkable prank.

In one spot eight English walnut trees were uprooted. The eight formed almost a perfect circle and the ninth tree, which stood directly in the center, was left standing, although the ground around it shows that the roots were torn loose from the earth.

Forty-three mature walnut trees were uprooted in the Phillips grove by the same storm. The twister also lifted the cap from the manhole on top of the Phillips ranch house, and a few miles farther west it passed through a big walnut groove, uprooting every tree in one row and not turning a leaf on any of the others.—New York Sun.

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MAY REVIVE WOOL GROWING IN STATE

OLD CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY IS REORGANIZED—WOULD REMOVE DRAWBACKS.

STATE NEWS OF MINNESOTA

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.—The removal of the chief drawbacks to profitable and widespread wool growing in Minnesota is the object of the reorganized Minnesota Wool Growers' Co-operative association. The low and unstable price received by Minnesota farmers selling their wool through the regular channels of marketing has prompted the rehabilitation of the old wool growers' association.

It will be identified with the American Society of Equity in the wool growing department, which handles the product of sheep raisers from Montana to Kentucky.

Magnus Brown of Minneapolis is secretary-treasurer of the wool growers' department. A. L. Sayers of Lakeville is a director of the organization.

The Minnesota branch has taken over the modern fire-proof wool warehouse at Farmington.

Minnesota Climate Favorable.

"Minnesota is located ideally for sheep raising," Secretary Brown said. "Climatic conditions favor the raising of the best medium grade wool in the world. Sheep husbandry has experienced a relative decline on Minnesota farms because the price of mutton and wool has been low and uncertain. Our rehabilitated organization recently marketed a large consignment of wool for its members at 30¼ cents a pound, while non-members were receiving for their produce only 19 to 21 cents. We expect to make an average saving of approximately 3 cents a pound."

T. G. Paterson, assistant professor of animal husbandry and sheep specialist at the college, and other sheep authorities at the Minnesota College of Agriculture, are strong advocates of the establishment and extension of sheep husbandry on Minnesota farms.

OLD BOYS MEET AT ST. JOHN'S

Alumni Return to Collegeville Institution for Twenty-third Annual Homecoming—400 Present.

St. Cloud.—Nearly 400 alumni of St. John's university have gathered at the Collegeville institution for the 23rd annual homecoming of the "Old Boys."

Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth and St. Cloud are represented by the largest delegations, but scores of other cities have sent from half a dozen to a score of men who were at one time enrolled as students in the Catholic university. Many of the graduates are accompanied by their sons, who, too, have been graduated from the institution attended by their fathers a score or more of years before.

The festivities commenced when special coaches attached to trains brought the twin city and Duluth delegations, numbering more than 200. A motor party, consisting of 40 local graduates, had previously driven to Collegeville, and their machines and the huge college trucks conveyed the "old grads" from the little Collegeville station to the big halls on the hill. A dutch lunch was served upon the arrival of the delegates and the evening was given over to a renewal of college acquaintances and a revival of college day experiences.

MUSIC TEACHERS CONVENE

Minnesota Association Holds Meeting at Albert Lea — Interesting Concerts and Lectures, Features.

Albert Lea.—Several hundred delegates arrived here for the sessions of the Minnesota Music Teachers association. Many Twin Cities delegates motored to the convention.

President McPhail presided and appointed several committees. G. H. Fairclough of St. Paul heads the nominating committee.

President McPhail reported 139 candidates for the licentiate degree in the past three years.

Mary A. Mallory of St. Theresa school, Winona, upheld the need of a wide scholarship. James Lang urged respect for modern composers.

An interesting concert was given by Ruth Anderson, violinist; Lora Luisdorf, contralto; Jessie Weiskopf, pianist; Ethel Alexander and Wilma Anderson Gillman, accompanists.

Mrs. Edward McDowell, the composer's widow, explained and played her husband's compositions at the First Presbyterian church.

NORTHERN MINNESOTA SOLONS TO TOUR SOUTH

St. Paul.—Before the next session of the Minnesota legislature, lawmakers from the northern part of the state will tour southern Minnesota.

Legislators from the southern part of the state have just ended a 10-day tour through northern Minnesota. Many of them had never seen northern Minnesota. It was the most unusual journey in the history of the state. They went on a tour of inspection and they paid their own expenses.

OPPOSE INCREASE IN RATES

MINNEAPOLIS MEN OBJECT TO FREIGHT ADVANCE.

Appear Before Interstate Commerce Commission — Western Railroads Ask 20 Per Cent Raise.

Washington, D. C.—Minneapolis men held the stage in the hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission to determine whether or not the Western railroads will be allowed to advance their freight rates.

The sweeping effect this proposed increase in rates will have generally, if allowed, was indicated by the objections registered from Minneapolis, on account of the effect it would have upon local industries. The case for Minneapolis was presented by T. A. McGrath, counsel for the commerce association.

Increase of $10,000,000.

Statements contrary to those made by the combination of Western railroads were brought forward. A. A. Helm, representing the Kansas City Commercial Club, estimated that the increase on grain and grain products alone would amount to $10,000,000 to the railroads. The railroad contention is that the proposed increase on all products would amount to $10,000,000.

In stating the effect the proposed increase would have upon the city of Minneapolis, Mr. McGrath said that 25 mills and 52 elevators would be directly affected.

BIG YIELD OF SMALL GRAIN

Northeast Farmers Expect Long Summer—Corn Still Has Excellent Chance to Recover.

Winona.—Soil conditions could not be improved; all small grains are hard and hold great promise, and corn, while it is backward, has an excellent chance to recover, especially if the summer season is prolonged. This is the finding of H. J. Wagen, general agent for the Minnesota and Dakota territory of the North-Western road, who has just returned from a tour of the territory tributary to the line stretching west from here. He brought back the views of hundreds of farmers and grain men.

Many students of climatic conditions predict an unusually long summer with excellent growing weather. If their predictions are borne out, corn yields will not be reduced materially.

"The soil conditions never have been better," Mr. Wagen said. "The rainfall and the cool weather have not been detrimental to small grains. There has been a splendid root development which promises much for the 1915 crop in this territory."

Mr. Wagen, accompanied by C. T. Dike, general superintendent of the Minnesota and Dakota territory, and H. E. Dickinson, superintendent of the Dakota division, traveled over scores of the fields.

3,000 HENNEPIN DRYS TO SIGN

Pledge Signatures to Start Off County Option Campaign at Citizens League Lunch.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Nearly 3,000 signatures to start off the county option petition next Monday were pledged at the Citizens' League organization lunch at the West hotel. Incidentally, plans were perfected for a mass meeting to be held at the Auditorium next Sunday at 3 p. m., and the initial company of a corps of notaries was recruited.

The pledges of signatures to be obtained next Monday, first day for circulation of the petitions asking for the option election, were made mostly by ministers who joined in with business men in the option campaign. Other pledges were made, however, by leaders of various organizations.

MINNESOTAN DIES AT FRONT

J. B. Pratt of Virginia Receives Fatal Wound On French Battle Line.

Virginia.—Joseph Burt Pratt, thirty-four years of age, on April 14 last, died at the hospital in Boulogne, France, according to word received here. He had received serious injuries by being shot in the leg.

Pratt had been serving with the Ninth and then the First battalion and several weeks ago was injured at the French front. After his recovery he returned to the battle line to receive his second and fatal wound about June 13.

He was born in Stanton, Mich. He attended and graduated from Virginia schools and later was employed as chemist here.

Smallpox Cases at St. Cloud.

St. Cloud.—The hopes of the board of health for a contagion-free city were shattered when in less than six hours after all but the last smallpox quarantine had been lifted, two more cases were reported.

Macaroni Factory Burns.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Fire of unknown origin swept the F. A. Martoccio marcaroni factory at 147 Cedar Lake road, with an estimated loss of $10,000. Tons of packed macaroni and marcaroni hung in dry rooms were burned or damaged by water. Twenty-four persons were temporarily thrown out of employment.

F. A. Martoccio, manager, estimated the loss to products at $8,000 and $2,000 to the building. The building was of frame construction.

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The employer who was willing to pay three dollars a week for an office boy advertised for a boy. About 100 replied. To the most likely looking lad he said:

"You look all right, but I must test your vocabulary. You know what 'vocabulary' means?"

"Yes, sir."

"Very well, I want a boy with a vocabulary. My customers are well-bred, educated people, and I must have a boy who can answer them with something more intelligent than 'Uh-huh,' 'Yep' and 'I guess so.'"

He put several question to the boy, and received satisfactory replies.

"You will do," he said. "You may go to work now."

"I beg your pardon," said the amazing boy, "but there is one example of my vocabulary that you have not heard."

"Well, what is it?"

"I am sorry, sir, but I could not think of using this kind of language for three dollars a week. It is worth five dollars."

The employer concluded that it was, and paid it.

Advice to Donald.

Sister (writing letter to brother at the front)—And hae ye onything else tea say, father?

Father—Ay! Tell Donal' that if he comes ower yon German waiter that gaed us a bad saxpence for change when we had a bit o' dinner in London a while syne, tell him—tae—tak—steady aim.—London Punch.

Too Airy.

"There's a broken window in that room you gave me," complained a guest at the country hotel.

"Well, you said you wanted a nice, airy room, didn't you?" replied the clerk.

SATISFIED THE BIBULOUS ONE

Reporter's Shorthand Notes Probably as Good as Anything Just at That Precise Time.

A litigant by default, whose wife had obtained a divorce, was somewhat in his cups when he called at the office of William M. McKay, court stenographer, and asked to be shown a transcript of his wife's testimony.

"I haven't time to read it to you now," said McKay. "I'm very busy."

"Well, I wanna have that divorsh an (hic) nulled," he said. "Lemme she the book; I can (hic) read it."

So McKay passed him the tablet containing his shorthand notes, and pointed out the case to him. The litigant by default focused his attention on the pothooks, dips, spurs and angles, and carried the book to the window to get a better light, scowling in an unwonted mental effort. Finally he brought the book back to McKay.

"Ish that how it (hic) is?" he asked.

"That's exactly how it is," said McKay.

And then the litigant by default left the room, evidently greatly impressed, if not enlightened.—St. Joseph News Press.

An Old-Fashioned Idea.

"I tell you," said Joshua Oldstock, "this here new feminist movement ain't goin' to pan out. The only feminist movement that ever was any good was the one we had when I was a young man."

"Why," his grandniece replied, "there was no such thing as a feminist movement when you were a young man!"

"There wa'n't, eh? That's all you know about it. The greatest feminist movement in the world is a good, sensible woman darnin' a sock and rockin' a cradle with her foot."—Judge.

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Barley	44 to .52
Rye	.98
Flour, Best Patent	3.80

NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of District No. 35, of Marshall Co. Minn., will offer for sale, to the highest bidder for cash or bankable paper, the old school building of said district and will receive sealed bids up to July 5, 1915. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids will also be received for the janitor work of said school district for the coming school year, salary per month to be stated, the person must fulfil the requirements of the state law on this work.

All bids should be addressed
D. Payne, District Clerk
Holt, Minnesota

Norteast of Holt.

(Too late for last week)

Henry Grondahl and Eddie Davidson called at C. W. Christianson's Monday evening.

Tina Johnson, Esther and Anna Sorter called on Lizzie Hanson Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. E. Johnson returned home from Alvarado Wednesday where she spent a few weeks wita her daughter Mrs. G. Munberg.

John Munberg, Dehard Johnson, Mrs. E. Johnson and Mrs. G. Munberg autoed up from Alvarado Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Johnson, Mrs G. Munberg and Miss Tina Johnson called on Mrs. C. Anderson Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Albert Anderson and Lizzie Hanson spent Friday evening at E. Johnson's

Dehard Johnson called at C. W. Christianson Thursday afternoon.

Miss Tina Johnson and Mrs. G. Munberg called at Ole Davidson Saturday afternoon.

O. H. Dovre and family spent Sunday afternoon with C. W. Christianson.

A. Anderson and son Albert, Dehard and Tina Johnson and Mrs. G. Mmnberg spent Sunday evening at C. W. Christianson's.

Tina Johnson called on Lizzie Hanson Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ole Davidson and Grandma Davidson, Hulda and Victoria Davidson and Lizzie Hanson spent Tuesday afternoon at E. Johnson's

A number of young folks spent Tuesday evening at E. A. Johnson's.

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Services at 3 p. m. next Sunday, Holt Synod church by Rev. Seltz.

C. F. Birkeland was a passenger for Thief River Falls, Wednesday.

Carl Dahl was in town last week with three teams loaded with grain and went home loaded with lumber from the H. & B. Milling Co. yard.

Ole Mickelson of T. R. Falls got his auto stuck Tuesday evening near the Rux farm and it took the dray team from here to get it out of the mud hole. A bunch of "boosters" went out Wednesday eve and repaired the road so it is now passable.

The hotel has a new sign.

Hans Folstad went to St. Hilaire Wednesday.

Get Dr. Turley to do your dental work next Monday.

Ed. M. Silbaugh left Friday for a trip to N. Dakota.

R. Rierson was a business caller in T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Con Frisco had a sister come Saturday for a short visit.

Miss Clara Furr went to T. R. Falls Monday returning Tuesday.

Kleve Flakne is clerking for A. H. Huseth for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Docken and little Adrian went to Thief River Falls Monday

H. A. Fosholm was a passenger for Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Albert Bennes has a new sign for his pool hall and confectionery store.

Mr. Snetting and son from Remer Minn. were here this week looking for land.

Miss Mary Klepple of Newfolden visited with friends a short time Saturday.

B. L. Backe returned home Friday night from visiting relatives at Elizabeth.

Mr. Graham came Tuesday from Ohio to visit his people on the farm in Mud Lake,

Mrs. Anton Peterson and children returned to T. R. Falls Tuesday after a few days visit in this vicinity

Henry Oien has been taking an invoice of grain at the elevator the past week and has shipped out several cars so as to make the work easier.

Saturday afternoon it looked for a while like a bad wind storm was abougt to strike us. Later it developed into a hard electrical storm accompanied by a heavy down pour of rain. The ditches are all full as is also Thief River and the bridge across it is in a very dangerous condition, so we are told. The lightening put many of the phones out of commission and it is hard to tell when all of them can be fixed.

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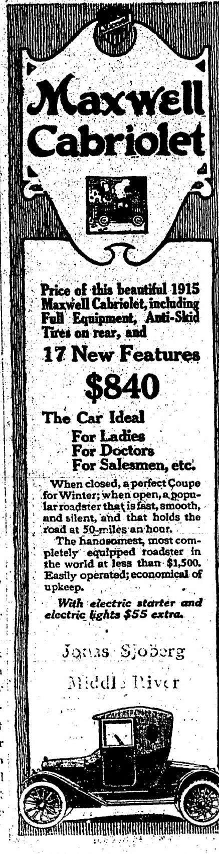

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But the flag floated free from all stain.
Let us keep it unfurled to enlighten the world—
Right's emblem as ages go by.
Ever glad to the sight is that banner so bright
As it ripples in glory on high.
—Walter G. Doty, in National Magazine.

FIRST TROOPS TO ENTER RICHMOND

Thirteenth Regiment of New Hampshire Volunteers Lays Claim to the Honor.

FOR many years there was discussion of the claims of several bodies of Union troops for the honor of having been first into Richmond, the capital of the Confederacy, on April 3, 1865, a few hours, or possibly only an hour, after the last men of the gray had filed out of the city.

The chief claimants for the honor have been the Thirteenth regiment of New Hampshire volunteers, of which John M. Woods, former mayor of Somerville and now department commander of the Massachusetts G. A. R., was a member, and the body of colored cavalry, the Fifth Massachusetts, and that day led by Charles Francis Adams, son of the then minister to England.

There has been much said, and there was much to say, on both sides. The actual priority would seem to belong to the New Hampshire regiment, and some of the facts of the story of that great day are summarized here.

Informal Surrender.

The mayor of Richmond with some of the citizens met General Weitzel a little before seven that morning a little outside the limits of the city. To that point there had advanced a detachment of Union pickets, perhaps 60 to 70 men. Here an informal surrender took place.

Then General Weitzel and his staff proceeded into the city, followed by Lieutenant Prescott and his force of pickets, and preceded by a squad of the general's orderlies from the Fourth Massachusetts cavalry, commanded by Major A. H. Stevens. The general established his headquarters, as is well known, in the house which Jefferson Davis had made the White House of the southern states. James Ford Rhodes says that the evacuation was completed by seven in the morning, and Nicolay and Hay say that Lieutenant Prescott reached capitol square soon after that hour.

General Weitzel soon sent back an aide with orders to get the first brigade he could find and bring it in to act as a provost guard. At the same time he sent word for all the rest of the troops to remain outside the city and take possession of the inner line of Confederate defenses.

Marched Into City.

The first brigade met by the aide proved to be Gen. E. H. Ripley's brigade of Gen. Charles Devens' division of the Twenty-fourth army corps. This brigade was headed by Devens with the New Hampshire regiment to which John M. Woods belonged. They marched into the city with colors flying and bands playing and reached the capitol some time between eight and nine, on a glorious spring morning.

Meantime the second order had been sent and carried about, but somehow it failed to reach the regiment of colored cavalry which had then for several weeks been in the command of Colonel Adams. They were posted on the extreme right of the Union line, and they obeyed an earlier request from General Devens, and it was the only order of which they knew anything, that they advance into the city, and thus this colored regiment, headed by the grandson of one president and the great-grandson of another, earned for itself a share of the glory of that morning.

General Weitzel, himself in his report says:

"At daybreak I started various divisions towards Richmond. General Devens' division came up the New Market road and the cavalry, under Charles Francis Adams, Jr., came up the Darbytown and Charles City roads. I directed them all to halt at the outskirts of the city until further orders. I then rode ahead of the troops, along the Osborne Pike, and entered the city hall, where I received the surrender of the city at 8:15 a. m.

Troops Placed in Position.

"Majors Stevens and Graves had entered a little after 7 a. m. . . . I ordered in immediately after my arrival a brigade of Devens' division under General Ripley as provost guard, and ordered all the rest of the troops into position along the inner line of redoubts about the city. . . .

"The first troops to reach the city were the companies—E and H—of the Fourth Massachusetts cavalry, who were the escorts to Majors Stevens and Graves, and their guidons were the first national colors displayed over the city. Next came the pickets of the Twenty-fourth corps. After that, as I was in the city and not on the outskirts, I do not know what came, and it is a matter of dispute, both divisions claiming the credit."

Wherever the credit goes it will fall somewhere in New England, and probably upon New Hampshire for priority, and Massachusetts will have a full share.

Fooled Enlisting Officers.

They tell a tale of an amusing incident that occurred at a recruiting headquarters in Indiana, where an old man with flowing gray beard and white hair offered himself as a soldier. Of course, he was rejected. He said nothing, but, hastening to a barber shop, had his hair dyed and a clean shave. Then he came back, and, declaring his age as "rising thirty-five," was unrecognized and promptly enlisted.

Illinois Woman a Major.

Governor Yates of Illinois made the wife of Lieutenant Reynolds (Seventeenth Illinois volunteers) a major. She accompanied her husband through a long campaign, and was present at the battle of Pittsburg Landing. However, she did no fighting, and her commission was a reward for the important service she did in taking care of the wounded.

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Local Items

Summer has come at last.

Ernest Kuehne returned to Angus Monday after a few days visit with his parents.

Willie Rux, who has been working near Warren, came Friday for a short visit at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen attended the tent meetings at Mat Hanson's Sunday.

Miss Clara Furr came home Tuesday after about a weeks visit in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Kjelgren attended the gospel meetings near Newfolden last Sunday.

A. R. Jones visited from Saturday evening until Tuesday morning with his family at Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Ellestad of Dak. came Saturday to visit his brother T. E. Elestad and family.

Mesdames Carlson and Ohm of Thief River Falls came Friday to visit Mrs. L. Wegge for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen and Mrs. R. L. Olson were in Thief River Falls, Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kulseth of Warren visited her mother Mrs. Rux and family a few days the past week.

Miss Olava Sollom came home Saturday from Crookston where she has been attending Summer School.

Jno. Alkenbrack, A. H. Huseth, Ed. Bjerk and L. A. Jensen took in a show at Thief River Falls Tuesday evening.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. John Hagberg two miles north of town on Tuesday afternoon July 13th.

L. P. Poppenhagen of Goodridge was an over Sunday visitor at the P. R. Reierson home and attended the meetings near there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Merer and Mrs. Voge all of Hendrum, came Saturday to visit at the home of the formers daughter, Mrs. Ole Reierson and family.

About thirty-five people, both old and young from Holt and vicinity, went to Warroad Saturday to celebrate but the rain spoiled the day and the celebration.

Generally speaking the "Fourth" was a quiet day in Holt as a majority of the people celebrated elsewhere or attended some of the numerous picnics held at different places.

A children's Day Program will be given by the Sunday School in the Free Mission at 8 o'clock Saturday evening July 10th. An offering will be received which will be used to give the children a picnic.

R. E. Grover and little son who have been away for about four weeks returned home Sunday. They travelled during that time about 800 miles with a horse and buggy and saw the country much better than they could by rail.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nelson returned home Saturday from Crookston where Mrs. Nelson underwent an X Ray examination of her face which has been giving her considerable trouble of late. They found the cause to be Neuralgia.

A picnic will be held at the Ole Hall school house, five miles southwest of Holt, commencing at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon, July 11th. Both of the schools in that neighborhood recently taught by Mr. Strom will join and give a program. The ladies Aid of that vicinity will serve lunch. Everybody invited.

Some painting was done on the Lutheran parsonage the past week.

Helmer Johnson went to Strathcona Friday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and son Adrian departed Saturday for Detroit for a few days vacation.

Rev. Tunheim of Newfolden will preach in the Free Mission church to night (Friday) Every one invited.

Ida Reierson who has been visiting out at Mud Lake for the past two weeks, returned home Wednesday.

Adolph Sollom and Carl Newton and their families visited friends and relatives at McIntosh from Sunday until Tuesday.

Rev. Ordahl was away from home all last week, holding meetings at different points and attending a conference of ministers at St. Hilaire.

Beside the picnic advertised to be held in O. B. Johnson's grove, there were also picnics at O. H. Nohre's, Fred Ewald's and near the old Holt school house, by family groups who did not care to go to other towns to celebrate.

The school board met Tuesday to compare the treasurer's and clerk's books, also to open the bids for the sale of the old school house and for the janitor work. Jacob Nelson had in a bid, the only one, of $310.00 for the old building but the board refused to sell for that price. Carl Christoferson had in a bid of $44.50 and Fridjof Riesberg $30.00 per month for the janitor work and we understand the latter is to have the job, providing he can get a lisence to operate the boiler of the heating plant.

Northeast of Holt

Quite a number attended the Ladies Aid at Jno. Engstrom's.

Mrs. Skjelgren and Mrs. Ostby of Thief River Falls called at E. Johnson's Tuesday.

Tina Johnson and Victona Johnson called on Lizzie Hanson Wednesday.

Ask Pete and Eddie who had the best time Wednesday night. If they don't know ask "Mabel."

Several from this vicinity attended services at Ringbo Thursday.

Abel Anderson gave a party to a number of young folks Wednesday evening. We'll be glad to come again Mr. Anderson.

Martell and Davidson hauled up their well drilling outfit to C. W. Christianson's where they are going to drill a well.

Ask Burndette if she had tired feet Thursday.

Miss Tina and Joseph Johnson attended the picnic at Norhes last Saturday.

Forget the rain and watch the crops grow these balmy days.

Several of our citizens celebrated at Mud Lake Monday evening.

Children's Day program Saturday evening July 10th. Everyone invited.

Henry Oien and A. H. Huseth visited friends and relatives at Fertile Sunday and Monday.

P. O. Reierson visited at the home of his son P. P. Reierson Saturday and Sunday and attended the tent meetings near there.

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Oscar Haggland came home from Dugdale Thursday.

A party of young people attended a dance at Newfolden Monday evening.

The front of Sollom's store has been painted and trimmed the past week by Racine Oleson and together with the window displays, is looking fine.

The depot was broken into Friday night and the cash drawer was robbed of $20.00 Entrance was made thru the back window. The robber made his departure without leaving any clues.

Mrs. P. O. Reierson went to Thief River Falls Thursday for a short visit. From there she went to Goodridge to visit her daughter Mrs. Poppenhagen. Phinney Poppenhagen who had been visiting here went home with his grandmother.

The grading on the school grounds was finished one day last week and everything looks fine now. Work was commenced on the new road south of the grounds Wednesday and a new fence will be built around the grounds and everything made ready for the fall term of school.

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WAR NEWS.

Grmany, it is said, will be able to place eighteen army corps in the field by the end of July. These will be mostly of the second category of the landsturm.

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A German official announcement says: "One of our submarines on Saturday torpedoed and sank an Italian torpedo boat in the Northern Adriatic."

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German troops, after fierce fighting, have crossed the Dniester river between Bukaszowice and Chodorow in Galicia, and have taken by storm the hills on the northern bank, according to an official statement.

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For the first time an aeroplane has sunk a submarine. German airmen bombarded a Russian submarine in the Baltic near Gotland island on May 31. Positive advices from Petrograd assert that the submarine had been sunk.

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Berlin reports that the preparation of Germany's answer to the note of the United States concerning Germany's submarine warfare is being prepared. It will be revised by Emperor William and probably will reach the United States next week.

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The German authorities informed the administration of the Berlin Tages Zeitung that it would have to suspend publication for an indefinite period on account of the recent article published by this paper on the subject of German-American relations.

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Since Mackensen began his advance in Galicia on May 1 he has retaken, it is said, more territory than the New England states of America. He has practically cleared Galicia of Russian troops and has recovered territory rich in copper, zinc and oil.

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A statement given out by the German admiralty to the effect that the German submarine U-29 had been rammed and sunk by a British tank steamer after the vessel had been stopped is expected to have an important bearing on the German-American negotiations.

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The Russians have lost Lemberg. They occupied the Galician capital early in September and held it continuously until June 22, when the combined Austro-German forces compelled them to retreat from the city, which is only sixty-odd miles from the Russian frontier.

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Nabby Bey, the Turkish ambassador to Italy, went to the Italian foreign office and demanded that he be given his passports, says a dispatch from Rome to the Exchange Telegraph company. No declaration of war between Italy and Turkey has as yet been issued by either country.

GENERAL.

Robbers blew open two safes and rifled a mail bag at Haines, Ore., and escaped with a small amount of booty.

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Colonel S. Byron Hance, assistant adjutant general to General U. S. Grant in the civil war, died at Seattle. He was a friend of Abraham Lincoln.

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Marriages performed in other states in violation of Illinois laws are void under a bill approved at Springfield by Governor Dunne. The law also makes illegal marriages performed in Illinois contrary to the statutes of the state in which the contracting parties live.

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John L. Sullivan is going to fight again—this time against John Barleycorn. William H. Anderson, superintendent of the New York Anti-saloon league, has announced that the former heavyweight king will be the central figure in a series of temperance meetings in Atlantic City, starting July 6. If successful, he will tour the country against the traffic.

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A motion for a change of judge to serve during the numerous cases pending in Huerfano county, arising out of the recent Colorado coal miners' strike, was overruled by Judge Granby Hillyer at Walsenburg, Colo.

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The Massachusetts Federation of Women's Clubs at Marion endorsed woman suffrage, 203 to 99. The vote followed a debate which occupied nearly three hours, several antisuffragists hinting that the organization would be disrupted if it acted upon the political issue of suffrage.

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In an effort to bring the 16,000 striking carpenters of Chicago to terms, the big Edward Hines Lumber company hereafter will deliver no materials. Similar action will be taken by brick manufacturers.

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The forty-four months' strike of shopmen of the Illinois Central and Pere Marquette railroads, part of the Harriman system, was ended officially June 28.

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Convicted of treason, General Barend Wessels, ex-member of the Union defense council, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment and fined $5,000.

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Hail measuring from seven to eleven inches in circumference fell near Farnam, Neb., recently. Crops were ruined and stock and buildings more or less damaged.

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Miss Elizabeth Fellows, 68 years old, widow of John R. Fellows, one time district attorney of New York, was burned to death when her clothing caught fire from a gas range.

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Ten were burned, one fatally, at Pittsburgh by an explosion at the plant of the Aetna Chemical company, where experiments are being made under government direction of a new process for the manufacture of gasoline.

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Three more of the ten submarines under construction at the Fore River Shipbuilding corporation's yard at Quincy, Mass., for an European belligerent, to be delivered after the war, will be launched within a few days.

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A loan is being negotiated in New York it is stated, by influential private bankers of Paris, and will be secured by a block of American railway bonds which are now owned in France. The loan may exceed $50,000,000 it is said.

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Governor Dunne of Illinois signed a bill which required that a report be made to the State Board of Health within two weeks of the birth of any infant with sore eyes. The masure provides for free distribution of silver nitrate.

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It was announced here that the hookworm campaign which the Rockefeller commission has carried on in Texas for three years, will end June 30, because of lack of appropriation by the state. Several counties have given the commission financial help.

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The Bank of Italy, a state-chartered institutiton on South Halsted street, began paying out its $375,000 in deposits preparatory to closing. The action, it was announced was forced by Italy's entrance in the war, depositors sending savings to relatives at home and the sale of steamship tickets falling off.

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Samuel U. Walker, wealthy liquor dealer of Bluefield, W. Va., has offered to pay the state debt of $12,393,929 with 3 per cent interest, in the next ten years and set aside $500,000 each year for permanent improvements, if he be granted the sole privilege of selling liquor in West Virginia. Walker will file a bond of $2,000,000 guaranteeing to carry out his agreement.

SPORTING

Barney Oldfield established a new American automobile speed record at Speedway park, Chicago, when he negotiated a lap in 1:04 2-5, an average of 111.5 miles an hour.

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The home run made by "Hans" Wagner, the Pittsburg National veteran shortstop, in the recent thirteen-inning contest with Philadelphia at Pittsburg, was the one hundredth of his career. It also brought his total number of hits to 3,131.

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The Des Moines Western league baseball club sold George Mogridge, a left-hand pitcher, to the New York Americans, for delivery in September at the close of the Western league season. Mogridge is leading the league at the present time with thirteen victories.

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Alex Aberg, Greco-Roman wrestling champion of the world, and Waldek Zbyszko, the Polish giant, met in a title match in New York. After wrestling for three hours and thirty-five minutes without a fall they agreed to call the match a draw. During the last half hour both contestants frequently dropped from exhaustion.

WASHINGTON.

Constitutionality of the Illinois pure food law, prohibiting in effect sale of a food preservative containing boric acid, was upheld by the supreme court.

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A new insicticide, "para-dichlorobenzne," has been tested with favorable results by the department of agriculture. It is non-imflammable and inexpensive, deadly to insects, harmless to humans and possesses no odor.

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The Oklahoma constitutional "grandfather clause," restricting the negro vote, was annulled as unconstitutional by the supreme court. The decision was unanimous.

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The supreme court has reversed the federal district court in New Jersey, which dismissed the government's Sherman law and commodities clause suit against the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Coal company.

RIOTING UNCHECKED IN MEXICAN CAPITAL

DESPERATE CONDITIONS ARE DESCRIBED IN DISPATCHES TO WASHINGTON.

REPORTS ARE SENT TO WILSON

Situation Will Be Laid Before Secretary Lansing at Once—Zapatistas Fight Desperately for Capital, Though Poorly Equipped.

Washington, July 2.—Villa headquarters issued a statement clamiing a victory of the first importance by Villa over General Obregon at Lagos, south of Agas Calientes.

El Paso, Tex., July 2.—The case against Victoriano Huerta, Pascual Orozco and four others, charged with conspiracy to violate the United States neutrality laws, was postponed to July 12. The defendants were continued under the same bonds.

Washington, July 2.—Officers of the Zapata forces in Mexico City, disregarding orders of the convention government, nominally in control there, are charged with inciting the masses to violence in dispatches carried from the Mexican capital June 25 to Vera Cruz by courier and cabled to the state department. Insubordination of "some Zapata officers" is said to be rendering the situation more acute.

Conditions in Mexico City are described as growing more chaotic.

Washington, July 2.—Desperate conditions in Mexico City, with unchecked mobs rioting and looting, are described in dispatches cabled to the United States government from Vera Cruz by a courier who left the Mexican capital a few days ago.

When the courier started, practically the entire garrison had been withdrawn to join the Zapata army on the outskirts of the city opposing the attacking Carranza forces under General Pablo Gonzales. Gonzales had been driven back with considerable loss and was waiting for re-enforcements from Vera Cruz before renewing the assault.

No mention was made of attacks on foreigners, so officials assumed they were safe. Many stores had been looted, the dispatches said, and great mobs were rioting and seizing food wherever it was to be found.

Dispatches Sent to Wilson.

The dispatches were forwarded immediately to President Wilson at Cornish, N. H., and the situation will be laid before Secretary Lansing when he returns from Amherst.

The Mexican capital has been cut off from communication with the outside world by wire and rail for 12 days.

The last previous word from there had come Monday night in dispatches from the British charge, sent by a courier who left the city June 23, two days before the departure of the messenger who brought the reports. At that time conditions were only less serious than the latest dispatches describe them.

The Zapatistas are said to have nearly 25,000 man and although poorly equipped for battle against the forces of Gonzales, which are well armed and plentifully supplied with ammunition, are preparing to fight desperately for the capital.

Other government advices stated that General Villa has removed Col. Borboa from command of the San Luis Potosi district because he threatened foreigners with a forced loan and a confiscation of mining property. The threats were reported to the state department June 23, and representations to Villa brought the reply that Borboa's removal had been ordered.

OFFER OF "EXPENSE MONEY"

Alleged Attempt to Bribe Representative Tollefson With $200 Will Be Investigated.

St. Paul, July 2.—Representative Thomas Tollefson of West Concord has conferred with C. J. Buell of St. Paul relative to an investigation by the Ramsey county grand jury of the alleged attempt to bribe Tollefson with $200 to vote for H. H. Flowers of Cleveland for speaker of the house of representatives at the last session.

After the conference it was announced Buell would place the matter within several days before Richard D. O'Brien, county attorney of Ramsey county, and a thorough injuiry would be demanded.

Tollefson declared he thought the public was entitled to know details of the offer of "expense money" offered him, he says, if he would cease supporting Sam Y. Gordon and vote for Flowers in the speakership fight. Tollefson and Buell were in consultation 45 minutes at the Buell residence. Tollefson came to Minneapolis and St. Paul to show he was willing to tell his story publicly.

Mrs. Jones Eggs Valuable To Paper

Los Anegles, July 2.—Humble mention of "Mrs. Jones bringing eggs to town" is of more value to a country newspaper than the publication of an editorial page, Herbert Cavaness, editor of the Chanute, Kan., Tribune, told delegates to the National Editorial association convention here. "If long lists of subscribers, and fat advertising contracts are the chief ends of the newspaper game," Mr. Cavaness said, no feature of a paper is of as little importance as the editorial page."

REPLY IN HANDS OF EMPEROR

GERMANY'S ANSWER LIKELY TO REACH GERARD JULY 5 OR 6.

High Officials Endeavor to Bring About Friendly Settlement of Questions With America.

Berlin, via London, July 3.—As the result of this week's conferences on drafts of the German reply to the American note it is now in the hands of Emperor William at army headquarters. The emperor's decision is expected in time so that the note can be presented to James W. Gerard, the American ambassador, probably on July 5 or 6.

High officials are endeavoring to bring about a friendly settlement of the questions with America and there is every reason to believe that they are anxious to make the proposals as conciliatory and acceptable as possible.

Reckon With Public Opinion.

These officials, however, have to reckon with the force of strong public opinion which undoubtedly will oppose anything savoring of complete acquiescence in the American proposal. This public opinion is being skilfully exploited by those who are opposed to all concessions. Friends of of a settlement are working under these circumstances with considerable difficulty and the note probably will represent a compromise not in accordance with their desires.

State Holds Thaw Insane.

New York, July 3.—The state in the Harry K. Thaw sanity trial centered its efforts on proving that Thaw was mentally unbalanced when he was deported from Canada in 1914. Two Canadian witnesses gave testimony damaging to the prisoner and left the stand with their stories unshaken after a rigid cross-examination by Thaw's chief counsel, John B. Stanchfield.

Police Inspector Harry Grioux of Ottawa declared Thaw's actions on the morning he was deported were those of a man mentally unbalanced.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis.	42	27	.609	Cleveland...	30	32	.484
Louisville...	37	30	.552	Milwaukee..	31	35	.470
Kansas City.	35	33	.515	Minneapolis.	30	35	.462
St. Paul....	33	33	.500	Columbus...	26	39	.400

Results.

Kansas City, 7; Minneapolis, 1.
Milwaukee, 1; St. Paul, 0.
Louisville, 11; Indianapolis, 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago ...	46	21	.687	New York..	32	31	.508
Boston......	36	23	.610	Cleveland...	23	38	.377
Detroit......	39	27	.591	St. Louis...	22	41	.349
Washington.	31	28	.525	Philadelphia	23	42	.344

Results.

Washington, 5; New York, 3.
Chicago, 5; Detroit, 3.
Cleveland, 5; St. Louis, 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago.....	35	27	.565	Boston......	29	34	.460
Philadelphia.	33	27	.550	New York..	26	31	.456
Pittsburgh...	32	28	.533	Cincinnati..	26	31	.456
St. Louis....	35	32	.522	Brooklyn...	28	34	.452

Results.

Philadelphia, 2; Boston, 1.
Brooklyn, 9; New York, 2.
Pittsburgh, 4; Chicago, 0.
Cincinnati, 5; St. Louis, 4.

NORTHERN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Fort William	30	19	.612	Grand Forks	22	26	.458
St. Boniface.	28	20	.583	Duluth.....	22	27	.449
Fargo-Moor'.	26	22	.542	Superior...	20	26	.435
Virginia.....	26	24	.520	Winnipeg...	21	28	.429

Results.

Fargo-Moorhead, 2-7; Winnipeg, 6-2.
Superior, 4-0; Duluth, 6-5.
Fort William, 2-2; Virginia, 4-1.
St. Boniface, 6-11; Grand Forks, 4-3.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Kansas City	41	27	.603	Newark....	33	34	.493
St. Louis....	38	26	.594	Brooklyn...	30	38	.441
Chicago.....	39	29	.574	Baltimore...	24	41	.369
Pittsburgh..	36	29	.554	Buffalo.....	25	44	.362

Results.

St. Louis, 1-13; Buffalo, 4-0.
Pittsburgh, 0-13; Baltimore, 6-5.
Kansas City, 6-6; Brooklyn, 2-3.
Chicago, 3; Newark, 2.

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN.

Minneapolis, July 3.—Wheat, July, $1.30¼; Sept., $1.05¼; No. 1 northern, $1.43½; No. 2 northern, $1.40¼; No. 1 durum, $1.32; No. 3 corn, 73¾c; No. 3 white oats, 49¼c; barley, malting, 64c; No. 2 rye, $1.11; No. 1 flax, $1.73½.

DULUTH GRAIN.

Duluth, July 3.—Wheat, July, $1.40; Sept., $1.07; No. 1 northern, $1.27; No. 1 durum, $1.27.

SOUTH ST. PAUL LIVE STOCK.

South St. Paul, July 3.—Cattle—Steers, $6.00@8.60; cows, $4.90@7.00; calves, $5.00@9.25; hogs, $7.10@7.50; sheep and lambs, $6.50@9.50.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Chicago, July 3.—Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; steady to 5c under yesterday's average; bulk, $7.50@7.75; light, $7.55@$7.92½; mixed, $7.30@7.90; heavy, $7.00@7.75; rough, $7.00@7.15; pigs, $6.25@$7.60.

Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; steady; native beef steers, $6.85@9.90; western steers, $7.25@8.45; cows and heifers, $3.25@9.50; calves, $7.25@10.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 9,000; weak; sheep, $5.75@6.85; lambs, $7.00@10.15.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

Minneapolis, July 3.—Butter—Creamery extras, 26½c; extra firsts, 25c; firsts, 24c; seconds, 23c; dairies, extra firsts, 22c; packing stock, 20c.

Eggs—Fresh prime firsts, new cases, dirties and checks out, 17½c; current receipts, rots out case, $4.65; checks and seconds, doz. 11c; dirties doz. 12c.

Live Poultry—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs. and over, 13c; thin and small, 9c; cripples and culls, unsalable; roosters, 9c; hens, 3½ lbs. and over, 11@12c; hens, 3½ and under, 10c; geese, fat, 10c; ducks, 12c; guineas, do $4.75; broilers, per lb. 18c.

London Believes Warsaw Aim.

London, July 3.—Evidently bent upon a decisive victory against the Russians, the Germans are not yet sending troops to the western front, but, assisted by their Austrian allies, are making every effort to capture the Russian Poland capital, Warsaw. Berlin claims further advances by the great Austro-German armies in Galicia, while Field Marshal von Mackensen is pushing steadily ahead between the Vistula and Bug rivers.

Artillery activity continues unabated in the Arras region of France.

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You may use an old favorite recipe and the best of materials and make it carefully, the oven may be just right, yet you will have a failure if "The Power behind the Dough" is not the right one to leaven it properly and make it light, digestible, wholesome.
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HUBBY HAD NOT FORGOTTEN

Was Right There With Wedding Anniversary Present, and Yet Wifie Was Not Pleased.

It was late afternoon and time to get her husband's supper, but the woman sitting moodily by the fire never moved.

Her heart was breaking.

It was her birthday. She had been married only four years, but he—her husband—had forgotten her birthday already. That morning he had given her no present; not even an extra kiss before rushing off to town.

Presently there was the sound of a key turning in the lock. Into the room came her husband. Still she never moved.

He bent over her and whispered as he dropped a tiny parcel into her lap:

"Many happy returns, darling!"

Her heart was mended. She sprang to her feet and seized him in a frantic grasp as she realized that, after all, he still loved her. Then she opened the parcel.

"Pipe cleaners!" she gasped, as she displayed a little bundle of feathers.

"Yes, sweetheart," said the man. "I knew that they'd please you, as you object to my using your hairpins!"

Expression Misunderstood.

There is a certain young man who used to be notoriously egotistic. Some of his acquaintances were one day speaking of him before an old lady who was not "up" in the slang expressions of the day.

The next time she met him she put out a congratulatory hand.

"Oh, Mr. Smith," she cried, "I am so glad you are better! I heard last week that you had a swelled head."

O liberty, what a lot of divorces hide under thy cloak.

VICTIM OF CRUEL DECEPTION

Fair Seaside Visitor Satisfied She Had Seen Remarkable "Government Salting Apparatus."

They were passing the holiday at Onset and during the course of the sunny afternoon took a stroll on the beach. At one point they came upon an improved breakwater, where some resident had filled bags with sand and piled them in breastworks fashion to prevent the sea from encroaching upon his land during the stormy season.

One of the young ladies was curious immediately. She would know what the bags were for.

"Why, it's very simple," explained her companion with due gravity. "The water in Onset bay originally was fresh, a peculiarity of nature which has puzzled scientists. It seemed too bad to deprive the place of seashore advantages, so the government took the matter in hand, filled the bags with salt and thereby has imparted the proper flavor to Onset water."

Far from rebuking him for being "fresh," she is now telling her friends of having seen the "government salting apparatus" down there.

The Commuters.

The Wife—I am beginning to suspect that the cook we got from Philadelphia has a terrible past.

The Mere Man—What makes you think that?

The Wife—She's been with us six months and hasn't even hinted at wanting to leave us for the city.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Sure Cure.

"What are you taking for your cold?"

"Advice." — Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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George Bowles, press agent for "The Birth of a Nation," was dealing with an editor who was hostile to the production, yet in a note to Bowles arranging for an engagement the editor wrote:

"I approach the matter with an elastic mind."

A short time later the editor invited Bowles to have dinner with him, to which Bowles replied:

"I approach the table with an elastic belt."

Grand Prize at Panama-Pacific Exposition Awarded to Walter Baker & Co. Ltd.

The Grand Prize for superiority of Cocoa and Chocolate preparations has been awarded to Walter Baker & Co. Ltd., Dorchester, Mass. This famous old house has received 55 Highest Awards at the leading expositions in Europe and America. Adv.

Those Changing Styles.

Mr. Styles—What did that woman want?

Mrs. Styles—She's the woman who calls for the installments on the bonnet I bought.

"But it is not due yet?"

"I know it, but she came to tell me the bonnet I bought is now out of style. She wants to sell me another one."

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A Scoop.

"I'm writing a history of the European war."

"But the war isn't over yet."

"That's where I get the bulge on the rest of the historians. I can put my book on the market the day after peace is declared, and they'll have to wait two or three months."

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CATHOLICS HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

MORE THAN 1,000 FOREMOST EDUCATORS ATTEND INITIAL SESSION IN ST. PAUL.

STATE NEWS OF MINNESOTA

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.—With one of the most up-to-date and complete Catholic school buildings in the country as its meeting place, the Catholic Educational association opened its twelfth annual convention at the new Cathedral school.

More than 1,000 educators attended the initial session. The list includes the foremost Catholic educators of the country.

In his opening address, Bishop T. J. Shahan of Washington, D. C., president general of the association, reviewed the work of the association during the year. He said the educational work had the co-operation not only of the clergy but the Catholic people as well and as a result the year had been a successful one.

Finances Satisfactory.

Cheers greeted the reading of a letter from the apostolic delegate commending the work of the Catholic educators of the country. The treasurer general's report shows the finances of the association in a satisfactory condition.

Early day efforts of the Catholics to conduct their own schools as part of the state educational system were described by Rev. Francis T. Moran of Cleveland, Ohio. He mentioned two instances, one in Detroit, Mich., and the other in Lowell, Mass., which made a good start, he said, but later met opposition and became church schools exclusively. Father Moran reviewed the history of Catholic education in this country, declaring that the church was the pioneer in educational work in many sections.

In discussing Father Moran's paper, Brother John Waldron of Chaminade college, Clayton, Mo., explained that the Catholic Educational association is based on the co-operative good will and efforts of the different elements that enter into its composition. Its three departments of seminaries, colleges and schools serve one another, he said. The immediate education of the pastor, said Brother Waldron, is in the parochial school.

The opening session was held in the auditorium of the Cathedral school, which was crowded by clergy, sisters and laymen. Archbishop Ireland was present and followed the program with interest.

The halls and anterooms of the buildings were given over to school supply houses, which had exhibits of books and school utensils. Lunch was served in the basement by Catholic women.

Sectional meetings were held with addresses and discussions by prominent Catholic educators.

CLUB GIRLS AT ALBERT LEA

Industrial Council Opens Meeting—150 Young Ladies Representing Five States Are Assembled.

Albert Lea.—At the opening meeting of the Industrial council for club girls at Albert Lea college, 150 girls representing Minnesota, Iowa, North and South Dakota and Nebraska were assembled when Miss Clara T. Taylor of Minneapolis, field industrial secretary, called the meeting to order.

Mrs. Gertrude Kingsland, dean of Albert Lea college, made the address of welcome. All other leaders from the different states made addresses.

Five Bible classes will be conducted. The class for secretaries will be led by Mrs. Emma Byers, executive secretary of the North Central field and four classes for girls under the leadership of Miss Grace Richardson of St. Paul; Miss Dodd, Duluth; Miss Elizabeth Brainerd, Cedar Rapids, and Miss Frances M. Crittenden, city secretary for the North Central field.

Dr. W. E. J. Gratz of St. Paul will be one of the speakers at the vesper meeting each evening.

Destructive Fire at Elk River.

Elk River.—Fire destroyed the new Falk building and caused a loss of $12,000 to $15,000, fairly well covered with insurance. The fire started in the basement and a terrific explosion of gas which had formed blew off the roof and the whole building was soon in flames. The building was erected on the site of one burned last fall and was just ready for occupancy. The fire department did good work in saving adjoining buildings.

Farmers and Taxpayers Meet.

Winona.—A special meeting of the Winona County Farmers' and Taxpayers' association was held here. It had been intended at the meeting to put the association on record as favoring a change in judges from Judge Albert Johnson to Judge George W. Granger in the trial of the action of W. J. Landon, relator, against County Auditor C. W. Anding, to mandamus him to let the contracts for 100 miles of improved state highways in Winona county.

MINNESOTA BANKERS MEET

State Association Opens Annual Convention in St. Paul—Gathering on Great Lakes Next Year Proposed.

St. Paul.—The twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Minnesota Bankers' association opened in St. Paul.

A novel proposition will be submitted by George H. Richards of Minneapolis, secretary of the association, who will propose that the next annual meeting be held on board ship while the delegates are cruising the Great Lakes. Duluth had the meeting in 1913 and Minneapolis had it last year. Mr. Richards' aim is to keep this year's convention free from strife between the three cities. His suggestion is meeting favor.

A large number of delegates registered and it was expected that 800 would be mustered at the first session. A meeting of the executive council was held, at which President W. A. Willard of Mankato read his annual report. It is expected that O. W. Lundstrom of Hutchinson, will be elected president, as he is now vice-president, and that Henry Von der Weyer, of the Merchants National Bank of St. Paul will succeed to the vice-presidency.

INDUSTRY SHOWS INCREASE

Legislators in Recent Tour of Northern Minnesota Find Lumbering Second Only to Farming.

St. Paul.—Minnesota senators, representatives and state officials who recently toured Northern Minnesota, were brought face to face with the fact that the lumber industry in the state is increasing, not decreasing, as is generally supposed, and that it ranks in productiveness second only to agriculture.

While it is true that the big pineries have been quite generally cut over in the north central section, there are still great tracts of virgin pine remaining. With few exceptions this is in the interior and away from the main lines of travel.

But pine does not and never has constituted the bulk of Minnesota's forests, contrary to the general impression, and the legislators came to realize that spruce, cedar, tamarack, poplar, birch and balsam still remain in great abundance and are proving the bulwark of the lumber industry today.

Danger of Forest Fires Over.

St. Paul.—Danger of forest fires in northern Minnesota is now over until fall, according to Grover M. Conzet, inspector in the state forestry service, who was at the state capital after a visit to the districts about Northome, Kellliher, Aurora and Ely, where fires were raging until put out by the recent rains.

"An average of 3½ inches of rain has fallen in that region in two weeks, with rains almost every day," said Mr. Conzet, "and it has not only put out all the fires, but filled the swamps and drowned out peat fires.

"The swamps will stay filled through the summer and there is no danger from peat fires. All danger of forest fires is now over until fall, when the underbrush dries out."

Legislative Bribery Probe Likely.

St. Paul, Minn.—C. J. Buell of St. Paul, county option advocate, following the denouncement by him in speeches Sunday and Monday of what he declared was the nefarious influence of the liquor interests in legislative matters, has announced that he will confer with C. D. O'Brien, county attorney of Ramsey county, relative to a grand jury investigation of the attempt he says was made to bribe Representative Thomas Tollefson of Dodge county.

Mr. Tollefson over the long distance telephone announced his willingness to testify before a grand jury that $200 was offered him if he would vote for H. H. Flowers for speaker.

Seek Reversal of Indian Ruling.

Detroit.—Business men of Detroit and vicinity who are vitally interested in the government suits to invalidate the 1,300 land transfers made under the Clapp act by Chippewa Indians, will appeal from the decision of George R. O'Reilly, master in chancery, who in St. Paul sustained the government's contention in the first of the suits.

Weds Girl; Leaves for Front.

Grand Forks, N. D., July 1.—When the bugle calls at Winnipeg again it will separate Lieutenant Charles J. Dancer from his bride of two days.

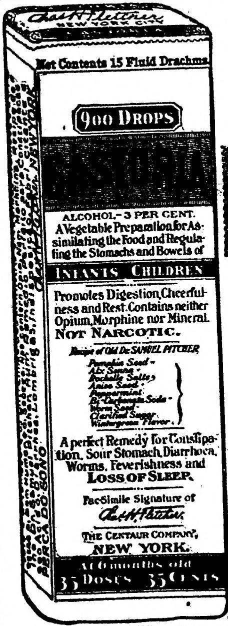
Dancer, who is an officer in the 3rd Canadian contingent, that leaves for the front shortly, was married in Grand Forks to Miss Elsie D. Ward of Minneapolis. They left for Winnipeg.

Charged With Swindle Attempt.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Charged with attempting to swindle William Beyers, a Minnesota Lake farmer, of $5,000 on a fake horse race, John L. Lano and William Sherman, arrested in Chicago, will be brought here to answer trial. One other man and one woman are being sought.

Alleged Swindlers Jump Bail

Minneapolis, Minn.—Fire which de and William Sherman, alias Maxwell, wanted in Minneapolis on a charge of attempting to swindle William Beyers, a Minnesota Lake farmer, out of $5,000 or more in a fake horse race game, have jumped their bail in Chicago. This information reached the Minneapolis police department just as two detectives, armed with requisition papers, were ready to leave on the night train to bring the men back to Minneapolis.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HADN'T THOUGHT ABOUT THAT

Of Course Young Mother Could Only Reason That the Fault Must Be With the Scales.

The story is told of a young mother who, after her first baby had been born, hurried to a hardware store to purchase a pair of scales, that she might be able to keep tab on the remarkable growth of her first born.

When she got the scales home and weighed the baby for the first time the little bunch of humanity did not quite measure up to her expectations and she promptly carried them back, stating that they were not satisfactory. Asked by the storekeeper what the difficulty was, she replied:

"I think the scales are not right. My baby did not weigh as much as I think she ought to."

"Did it ever occur to you," asked the hard-hearted seller of hardware, "that the fault might be with the baby and not the scales?"

She saw the point and kept the scales.—Brockton Enterprise.

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His Complaint.

"You say in your paper," said the man who had asked to see the editor, "that Mr. and Mrs Henry Peck are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Peck's mother."

"Isn't that statement correct?" asked the editor.

"Oh, she's visiting us all right enough," admitted Mr. Peck, "and I daresay my wife is enjoying it, but you can leave me out of it. If you put any more sarcastic remarks like that in your paper, I'll stop my subscription."

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"How about this little one?" asked the baggage master, resting his heel on its top.

"Oh, that!" replied the lady contemptuously. "Ten or twelve dollars will cover that one."

"I see," returned the official. "Father's going along too."

Willing.

"Did you punch the time clock as you came in?" asked the foreman.

"I did not," replied the burly workman that dares to dock me for bein' ten minutes late."

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Theodore Sollom returned yesterday to his claim near Goodridge.

Minnesota Public Library books may be had at Holt State Bank free to all. Call and examine the books.

Has the creamery that paid 25 cents done poorly? It all depends on the amount of business done for the year, no matter how well it may be managed the expenses will be in proportion to the make of butter. The creameries that did a business of $30000 or less yearly, paid less that 30 cents for butterfat. Those that had a business of $50000 or more paid 30 cents and up. A hundred farmers with an average of 10 cows each, can do a business of $50 000 a year, easily, at present prices. But they must test their cows and keep only the best and sell a good grade of cream to the home creamery. Don't ship your cream away from home and have it spoil before it gets to the big creamery which is known as a centralizer. They never make better butter than seconds and thirds and by comparing the prices in any of the markets, you can easily see the home creamery can pay more for butterfat.

The centralizer has never made the dairy farmer rich and never will because they take any kind of cream no matter how old or rotten,

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Bank Statement.

Bank No. 890.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on June, 23, 1915.
Date of call by Supt., June 29, 1915.
Date of report by Bank, July 1, 1915.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$71,984 38
Overdrafts		406 35
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,937 00
Other Real Estate		$2,900 00
Due from Banks	4,651 83	
Cash on Hand	2530 05	
Total Cash Assets		7,181 88
Checks and Cash Items		1,067 01
Total		$86,476 62
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock and Surplus		$13,000 00
Undivided Profits, net		149 54
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		7,500 00
Deposits		65,827 08
Total		$86,476 62
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$8,248 89
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$5,394 17

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
D. B. BAKKE, President,
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNHEIM,
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July, 1915.
[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of May 1915.

Cream received	30,549 lbs
Average test	
Butter fat	8,262.95 lbs
Percent overrun	24.62
Butter made	10,304 lbs
Balance on hand last month	58
Received for butter shipped	2473 00
Butter and milk sold patrons	14 93
Cash sales at creamery	35 91
Rec'd from other sources	4 54
Total	$2528 96
Paid patrons by check	2198 74
" " " Butter & milk	14 93
Expense fund, etc.	252 12
To sinking fund	60 04
Charges to other sources	
Balance on hand	3 13
Total	$2528 96

Number of patrons, 121
Price paid for butter fat, 27cts
Names of patrons receiving $40.00 and over:
Olaf Johnson $48.02, G. P. Sorter $42.92 and John Hanson $40.16.
T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

CHILD TRAINING.

Bring up a child to observe the ordinary usages of good society, to be careful of the feelings and rights of others, never to intrude, never to listen, never to tattle, always to consider others before itself, and show it by unfailing example that such behavior is expected.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota June, 16, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Martin S. Sampson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Sept. 12th, 1910 made Homestead Application Serial, No. 05599, for NE1-4, Sec. 16, Twp. 155 N., Rng. 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for Dist. of Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn. on the 27th day of July 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Thom Bakken, Carl Stenerson, Gunder Brokke and Nels Gunderson all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Bingdal, Register

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern			$1.27
Wheat No. 2			1.24
Wheat No. 3			1.20
Wheat No. 4			1.15
Flax			1.52
Oats			.40
Barley	45	to	.53
Rye			.89
Flour, Best Patent			3.90

Notice to Road Contractors!

The Town Board of Holt Township Marshall Co. Minn., will meet at Ed. Horien's place in Sec. 27 on July 13th 1915; at 10 o'clock A. M. to contract out some road work.

By order of Town Board.
T. B. Folden,
Town Clerk.

Bank Statement

Bank No. 1004.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on June 23rd 1915
Date of call by Supt. June 30, 1915.
Date of report by bank, June 30, 1915.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$33,944 69
Overdrafts		158 47
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,583 78
Other Real Estate		662 33
Due from Banks	4,497 12	
Cash on hand	758 86	
Total cash assets		5,255 98
Checks and cash items		6 189 88
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		356 59
Total		$49,146 72
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock and Surplus		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2,000 00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		9,250 22
Deposits Subject to Check	$17,874 29	
Cashier's Checks	622 79	
Due to Banks	18 22	
Total Immediate Liabilities	18,515 30	
Time Certificates	9,381 20	
Total Deposits	27,896 50	
Total		$49,146 72
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$11,445 86
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$3,703 06

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, Lars Backe President, and B. L. Backe Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief."
LARS BACKE, President,
B. L. BACKE, Cashier.

Correct Attest: A. R. Jones
(Two) Directors B. L. Backe

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of June 1915.
(Seal) H. O. Kjomme, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-21-1918

Premium list of the Crookston fair at the Holt State Bank.

Found: A parasol. Please prove property and pay for this notice.

Henry Oien and Clarence Kolden autoed to T. R. Falls Friday evening.

Miss Gladys Hagen returned Monday from a few days visit with relatives in Middle River.

The sun has been shining all the time, but there were clouds between which prevented our seeing it.

Mesdames Olson of Middle River and Smith of Kittson Co. visited at the R. L. Olson home Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Math Larson and daughter Lydia went to Alvarado last week Thursday to visit relatives for a few days.

Jno. Alkenbrack and P. L. Anderson each took auto loads Wednesday evening, to Crookston to see the circus.

Thorval Kolden returned home last week Thursday from Dakota where he has been working for several months.

The merchants have been so busy celebrating hav'nt had time to write up ads for this weeks paper, but we look for some big ones in the near future.

A Newfolden telephone man was here last week Thursday working on the switch board and a Tri-State man was here for several days so now things are working pretty good.

Miss Lydia Riesberg is the new telephone operator.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson, Miss Clara Sollom and A. L. Carlson left Sunday morning for a weeks outing on the lake at Detroit. They expected relatives from Minneapolis to meet them there and enjoy their vacation together.

Southeast of Holt.

Confirmation was held in the Free church by Rev. Aug. Bredeson of Thief River Falls. Those confirmed were Oscar Moe, Ralph Hansen Olaf Skomedal, Nathan Soiney, Lesa Olson, Helga Ose, Thora Bergland and Alma Soiney.

Mr. Nathan Soiney is working for Torald Tharaldson.

Children's Day exercises at the Free Mission church in Holt Saturday evening July 10th COME.

Eva Stenerson of Spokane Wash. came Saturday to visit at the Silas Torgerson home for some time.

Elmer Adolphson returned to his home on Friday after working for the Northwestern Drainage Co. for some time.

Minnie Johnson returned to her home one day last week after working for Mrs. T. Olson for some time.

Messrs Jermon Johnson, Tom Olson, Harry Moe and Martin Sampson are busy working on the road.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness and daughters Jennie and Clara left Friday for Edinburg N. Dak. where they will visit with relatives and friends for some time before returning to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Anderson and family of British Columbia and Mrs. C. Anderson's sister and family of Thief River Falls, visited with friends and relatives in this vicinity last week.

Sam Brokka is brushing for Jacob Klunghess.

Messrs G. A. Soiney and Ed. Hanson are hauling sand from Holt now.

Ingvard Pederson left for N. Dak. one day vast week where he intends to work this summer.

P. A. Kolden and family of Golden Valley passed by here enroute to T. R. Falls on Sunday.

T. B. Folden went to Warren yesterday on official business.

The Crookston fair for all of Northwestern Minn. will be held July 13-17.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken returned home yesterday from their outing on the lakes near Detroit.

Kettle Sollom went to Grand Forks Wednesday to visit relatives and friends for a few days.

Parties were here yesterday from Thief River Falls trying to get another bank started in our town.

Miss Tillie Wendt returned home Thursday from an extended visit with relatives in West Bend, Wis.

Mrs. R. L. Olson and son Martin went to McIntosh yesterday for a weeks visit with relatives and friends.

Jacob Nelson went to Crookston Tuesday to attend to business matters and visit old friends and neighbors.

Oscar Hanson traded his auto to Gilbert Mikelson for a bull tractor. Mr. Mikelson latter sold the auto to Allan Adolphson who will use it on his mail route.

The people in the neighborhood of the Mud Lake "granary" held a celebration Monday afternoon and evening. There was a good crowd in attendance from here and other places and everybody had a good time.

Mrs. R. Reierson and her neice Miss Mary Brotten were passenger for Thief River Falls Wednesday. From there the latter took the night train for her home in Canada, after an extended visit at the Reierson home.

Fifty one tubs of butter has been the largest shipment made by the creamery so far this season. They now have about 125 patrons and keep getting new ones right along. Those who built the creamery did a good thing for the farmers around here.

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THE PENALTY OF CARELESSNESS

By S. W. Inglish,
Fire Prevention Expert.

Every time you hear the cry of "Fire!" you can be almost absolutely safe in thinking that someone has been careless. Fires don't happen. They are the inevitable result of combinations of preventable things. When analyzed to the last equation it will be found that carelessness is the root whence spring nearly all fires.

What a penalty industry pays to carelessness! Fire is the great destroyer. The wealth of a generation can be wiped out in but a brief hour.

Why not fight fires before they start? Why not so conduct your habits and so keep your premises that when the fire demon wants to offer your savings as a sacrifice he will pass you by, just as those of Egypt of old were passed over when the sign they had been told to place over their doors, were seen?

Too often when those who are responsible from fire cry out they are the victims of bad luck, they are but paying the natural penalty for their own carelessness.

If you want to keep down your fire insurance rates, wage eternal warfare against those things that ever breed fires

RURAL SCHOOL TERM SHOULD BE EXTENDED

By P. P. Claxton,
U. S. Commissioner of Education.

In most States school days for country children are fewer than for city children. The average length of school term in cities of the United States is one hundred and eighty-five days; in rural communities one hundred and thirty-eight days, a difference of forty-seven days. In some States the difference is much greater than this average. In many counties the average length of the rural school term is less than one hundred days, and in some districts it is less. On the other hand, in the States of California, New York and Connecticut, the country schools are in session one hundred and eighty days in a year, and in several other States almost as long. The country schools of Rhode Island are in session one hundred and ninety days in a year.

If all children are to have an equal opportunity for education we must even up the school terms of the country and give to all country children at least as many days as are now given to city children. One hundred and eighty-five days of schooling a year for all children will not be too much. There are countries in which the schools, both for city and country, are in session from two hundred and twenty to two hundred and fifty days or more in the year. American children need as much education as those of any other country, and this applies to the rural as well as urban districts.

AN AGRICULTURAL COUNCIL

By T. N. Carver,
Professor of Economics, Harvard University.

Every city has its chamber of commerce or its Board of Trade. The purpose of such an organization is to study economic and business opportunities of the city and promote enterprises which will help to build the city. Does any one know of a good and sufficient reason why every rural neighborhood ought not have a similar organization?

In Germany they already have such organizations They are generally called the "landwirthschaftsrath" or agricultural council. Some students ot the problem of rural organization are strongly of the opinion that such an agricultural council is necessary before much can be done for the bettering of rural credit or the marketing of farm produce. There is no object, for example, in having more capital in a farming neighborhood unless the farmers know without any guess-work just how to use that capital so as to increase the production and the profit of their farms. If all the leading farmers of a neighborhood would lay their heads together and talk over the situation and study the opportunities for new investment, they would be less likely to make mistakes than if they work secretly, as separate individuals.

CIVILIZATION'S GREATEST TRAGEDY.

Extract from article by W. D. Lewis, president Texas Farmers' Union, opposing woman's suffrage:

"We are willing to join in every effort to elevate woman but will assist in none to drag her down. The descent of womanhood is the most awful tragedy in civilization. As she sinks she may, like the setting sun, tint the horizon wtih the rays of her departing glory. She may tenderly kiss the mountain tops of her achievement farewell; she may, like the sinking sun, allure the populace with her beauty as she disappears for the night but when she steps downward, the earth is as certain to tremble and plunge into darkness as death is to follow life.

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Oats			.43
Barley	48	to	.56
Rye			.86
Flour, Best Patent			3.90

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erickson went to Strathcona Thursday.

We look for a boom of land prices when they get through scrapping in Europe.

Ostlund Bros. have just completed an eighty-six foot well for Anton Rodahl. The water is of the finest and the vein is a good one.

The Roseau Co. Times has just completed its twentieth year. Hearty congratulations and good wishes for a prosperous future are extended to Bro. Bell.

E. J. Werner and P. A. Riesberg were out the first of the week to get signers for another mail route. We should have two or three mail routes, the same as other live towns.

H. A. Fosholm has recently reshingled and repaired his barn so that it is now in good shape. Mr. Fosholm is a good farmer and his crops look fine for this year.

The road north of the creamery has been repaired and a new road graded just east of the school house grounds which will be greatly appreciated by all who drive that way.

Gunder Sorter returned home last week Thursday from a few days visit in Crookston. During his stay there he visited the experimental farm and was greatly interested in the work being done.

A Terrible Tragedy

The sad news reached here Monday night that Miss Alma Gutterud had been murdered on a farm near Park River N. D. where she had been working for some time. We learn from The Grand Forks Herald the facts as briefly stated below: T. G. Moi aged 48 of Bemidji Minn. who was employed on the same farm killed the girl Sunday afternoon in a fit of insane jealously. The girl had been struck twice on the head with a blunt instrument, fracturing the skull and then was shot in the left temple. Moi then shot himself in the temple and the bodies were found by another farm hand who reached home about five o'clock the same afternoon.

The remains were brot back for burial, and the funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at the home church, Rev. Bjorson conducting the services. This young and beautiful girl so suddenly and tragically severed from this life, shocked the whole community, and fills the hearts of the people with sorrow. Heart felt sympathy is extended to the bereaved mother and family.

S. S. Kolden and Ole Backland were business callers in Gatzke Tuesday.

Rodahl Bros. and Alfred Olson finished the addition to Lewis Wegge's house Tuesday.

Kleve Flakne returned to his home [illegible] place in A. H. Huseth's confectionery store and pool hall.

German services will be held in the Holt Synod church at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon, July 18th. by Rev. F. J. Seltz of Thief River Falls.

Adolph Sollom, B. L. Backe and T. E. Ellestad went to Excell Saturday on business. On the return trip their auto balked and they had to get it hauled in Sunday morning and have it doctored up.

The annual school meeting for district No. 35 will be held in the new school house at 7 o'clock Saturday evening July 17th for the election of a treasurer to succeed Chris Saastad whose term will expire, to fix the treasurers salary and transact a lot of other business.

The ladies of the town met in a body at the restaurant Monday evening and marched to the D. Payne residence with well filled lunch baskets where they gave the good lady of the house the surprise of her life. The party was in honor of Mrs. Paynes birthday and the ladies gave her a nice present as a reminder of the occasion.

Several from Holt went out to the Ole Hall school house Sunday afternoon to listen to the program given by Mr. Strom's Norwegian schools. The Sunday School from here attended in a body and gave two or three selections on the program. We were enabled to attend thru the kindness of P. L. Anderson, and enjoyed a pleasant afternoon. The ladies aid of that vicinity served a fine picnic lunch and cold lemonade to the good sized crowd in attendance, which was greatly enjoyed by all. These same ladies also provided the funds for conducting the school and we are sure their work is greatly appreciated, as it should be.

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Martel and Davidson finished drilling a well for C. W. Christianson Friday, being fortunate enough to strike water at the depth of forty feet.

Gunder Sorter returned home last week from a few days visit at Crookston.

Tina Johnson called on Lizzie Hanson Thursday afternoon.

Peter Sorter, Hilmer and Eddie Davidson, Henry Grondahl, Tina Jonnson and Lizzie Hanson called on Miss Ella Erickson Thursday evening.

Confirmation services was held in the Ringbo church Sunday by Rev. Aug. Bredesen:

Joseph Johnson, Ida Offerdahl, and Jensina Udstrand were confirmed; families brought their lunch basket with them and services were held in the afternoon also, quite a number were present through out the day.

Mr. A. Anderson and sons Albert and Orvel intend to leave for their home at Lockart Thursday, after spending about six weeks building and repairing on their farm.

Billiards Confectionery
Ice Cream
Cigars!
Tobaccos Candies
Soft Drinks Fruits
Albert Bennes Holt

East Valley News.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Nelson visited at Mr. and Mrs. Nick Baker near Steiner last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Birkeland last week a baby girl. Congratulations to the happy parents.

O. B. Johnson was in Holt Monday.

Martin Nelson made a business trip to Warren last week.

Sunnyside.

Mrs. G. Peterson and daughter Mrs. W. Werner visited at August Kuehne's last Thursday.

Mrs. T. O. Dovre visited at A. Bjerk's Tuesday afternoon.

Hjalmer Peterson made a business trip to Kuehne's last Wednesday. "Oh what do I know about you Jim?"

Bill Anderson of Forest Lake came up Friday to visit his brother Geo. Anderson.

Burndette Horien left last Tuesday for Hillsboro to work.

Miss Evelyn Wegge visited at Jno. Sorum's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knutson's and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sormo visited at Hans Knutson's last Sunday.

Mrs. W. Werner left Friday for her home at Thief River Falls.

Ohmer Bjerk visited with Frank and Edgar Horien last Sunday.

Everybody seems to be quite busy picking strawberries these days. How do you like it Jim?

I wonder who that fellow is that keeps the path open to Kuehne's this summer.

P. L. Anderson and Clarence Docken autoed out to A. Bjerk's Friday evening. "How were the roads Pete?"

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BIG INCREASE OF FARM PRODUCTS

Province of Alberta Shows Increase of Over 20 Millions.

Figures just compiled by the publicity branch of the provincial department show that last year, notwithstanding that quite a third of the province was affected by the drought to a very serious extent, the total value of agricultural products actually produced in the province showed an increase of over twenty million dollars over that of the previous year. Although southern Alberta had a bad year agriculturally, the province as a whole experienced a period of great prosperity, due principally to mixed farming, which is becoming more general with each succeeding year.

The value of mixed farming, in fact, was never better illustrated than last year as the value of the animals slaughtered and sold alone equaled the value of the spring wheat crop, without taking into consideration the value of the butter, milk, cheese, poultry, vegetables, and other by-products of the farm.

Oats was the banner grain crop, 1,147,382 acres being seeded, and producing 34,397,117 bushels, or 30.15 to the acre. Sold at an average of 50c per bushel, these yielded a revenue of $17,198,558. Comparatively little winter wheat was produced, the yield being a little short of one million bushels, but the spring wheat crop amounted to 15,102,083 bushels, the yield per acre being 15.26. At an average of $1.35 per bushel, the value of the spring wheat crop was therefore $20,387,812. The total production of barley was 7,847,640 bushels, which, at 55c per bushel, yielded a revenue of $4,316,202.

Other productions were as follows: Flax, 207,115 bushels, $310,672.00; rye, 261,843 bushels, $196,392.00; speltz, 42,707 bushels, $32,030.00; hay, 200,000 tons, $2,500,000; potatoes, four million bushels. $3,000,000; turnips, three million bushels, $750,000; carrots, 360,000 bushels, $180,000; mangolds, 640,000 bushels, $320,000; animals slaughtered and sold $20,000,000; butter and cheese, $1,500,000; milk, $3,000,000; wool clip, 1,300,000 pounds, $100,000; fish, $195,000; game and furs, $600,000; horticultural products, $150,000; poultry and products, $2,650,000.

The total of the agricultural products is given as $78,516,891, as compared with $58,098,084 in 1913.

The statistics also show that the value of the live stock in the province at the end of the year was $110,044,630, this being an increase of $7,762,845 over the previous year. There were 609,125 horses, 750,789 swine, 501,188 sheep, 192,905 dairy cows, 165,035 other cows, 190,923 beef cattle and 533,020 other cattle.—Advertisement.

New Use for a Policeman.

A policeman, with more than usual avoirdupois and expanse of shoe leather, had just passed a little terrace house in Jersey, with a bit of garden in front, when a little boy ran after him.

"Hello, kiddie," said the copper, genially, "what can I do for you?"

"Mother sent me out," answered the youngster, "to ask you if you would mind walking up and down our path for a minute or two. It's just been graveled and we ain't got a roller."

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GERMAN ADVANCE ON LUBLIN HALTED

PETROGRAD REPORTS GRAND DUKE'S ARMIES CHECK TEUTONS' DRIVE.

SLAVS ASSUME OFFENSIVE

Force Mackensen's Troops Back on Wide Front—Reported Turkish Delegates En Route to Switzerland to Propose Peace With Allies.

Sofia, July 12.—The newspaper Mir asserts that two Turkish delegates are en route to Switzerland to attempt to reach terms for peace with the Allies.

Petrograd, July 12.—The grand duke's armies not only have halted the Austro-German advance on Lublin, but have taken the offensive and are driving Mackensen back on a wide front extending from the mouth of the River Podlip to south of Bykhawa, the war office has just announced.

"In the fighting around the village of Wilkokazorn alone we have taken 15,000 prisoners," it was announced. "The enemy continues to retreat, resisting obstinately the pressure of our advance guards.

Enemy Attacks Fail.

"The enemy attacked fruitlessly our positions at the village of Kouptche, on the Bug river, leaving 500 dead and wounded before our trenches. Elsewhere along the Bug and along the Zlota river our patrols reconnoitering along this front have captured hundreds in Galicia. The enemy has ceased his attacks."

The official dispatches brought word of fighting on several fronts in Poland west and north of Warsaw.

"Below the fortress of Ossowetz," said the official statement, "the Germans attempted to bridge the Bobri river. Our artillery destroyed the enemy's pontoons and forced the Germans to withdraw. In the direction of Bolimow, particularly near the village of Goumine, the enemy gas attacks failed along the entire front. In the Pisa valley we captured a German aeroplane."

BANDITS HOLD UP TRAIN SECURE $200,000 IN LOOT.

Louisville, Ky., July 12.—That the quartet of bandits who held up the Louisville & Nashville road's New York-New Orleans passen train near Greenville, Ala., frightening Conductor Phil McRae to death, obtained a package of currency consigned to a bank at Houston, Texas; bound the mail clerk and tossed him into the weeds beside the roadbed, and rifled the mail, was the gist of the report to the general manager of the road. The package of currency is said to have been consigned via express.

Reports to the general manager's office said the bandits devoted most of their attention to the mail compartment, as many pieces of mail were found scattered about the car and on the ground nearby. The postal loss has not been estimated.

There was no means of confirming here stories of passengers that the train carried $200,000 in currency, but efforts are being made to learn the exact amount.

Members of the train crew confirmed that McRae, who was old in the service of the road, died of an apoplectic stroke induced by the shock of the raid.

Panic in Constantinople.

Athens, July 12.—The Turkish arsenal at Cornedor has been partly destroyed by an explosion of unknown origin. Dispatches from Constantinople said the shock was felt there and caused a panic, the people believing the Russian Black sea fleet had blown up at Bosporus fort.

Usual Mid-Year Lull Absent.

New York, July 12.—Dun's has the following to say:

"Uniform progress is not to be expected at this period, when inventorying and the advance of the vacation season tend to produce quietness in various mercantile lines. It is significant of the economic changes resulting from the war, however, that industrial conditions do not reflect the usual mid-year lull, and all indications point to fully sustained activity throughout the summer months."

Archbishop Quigley Near Death.

Rochester, N. Y., July 12.—At 10 o'clock physicians at the bedside of Archbishop Quigley of Chicago announced that no material change had taken place in the prelate's condition. It was thought that death might not occur for several hours at least.

Austrians Launch Mines in Adriatic.

Rome, July 12.—The Austrians have launched thousands of floating mines in the Adriatic, according to information reaching the ministry of marine.

Shriners Are at Seattle.

Seattle, Wash., July 12.—The Imperial Council, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, are here today for their forty-first annual session. For a week there will be a round of merrymaking with a few business sessions. The imperial potentate, Dr. Frederick R. Smith, arrived this morning on the Imperial Special and was escorted through the streets to the council headquarters. Tomorrow there will be a brilliant pageant through the streets, and on Wednesday another parade.

GERMANY'S NOTE FAILS TO SATISFY; TO CONTINUE SUBMARINE METHODS

Gives No Disavowal of Acts of Which America Complained Immediately After Destruction of Lusitania--Keen Disappointment Felt at Washington Over Press Dispatches.

Washington, July 10.—While the German reply to the United States government against submarine warfare upon merchant vessels bearing noncombatants has not been received by the state department, the text of the note, as contained in press dispatches is before administration officials. No attempt is made to conceal the intense disappointment felt over the failure of Germany to comply with the demands of President Wilson immediately after the destruction of the Lusitania by a German submarine. These demands were:

1—Disavowal of the acts of which the government of the U. S. complained.

2—Reparation so far as reparation is possible for "injuries which are without measure."

3—Immediate steps to prevent the recurrence of anything so obviously subversive of the principles of warfare.

Germany has given no disavowal and has offered no reparation. Instead of taking immediate steps to cease the submarine methods to which this government emphatically objected, she has made counter proposals which it is said cannot possibly be accepted by the American government.

Intends to Continue Submarine Warfare.

The big fact stands out from the German response that the Kaiser's government intends to continue submarine warfare irrespective of the protests of the United States. Thus the country is again, it is feared, facing the issue of broken relations with the German empire.

Unaware of the attitude which the President will adopt officials in Washington are not in a position to throw light upon the character of the reply he will make to the German note.

Text of German Note.

Berlin, via London, July 10.—The text of the German note follows:

"Berlin, July 8.—The undersigned has the honor to make the following reply to his excellency, Ambassador Gerard, to the note of the 10th ultimo, re the impairment of American interests by the German submarine war. The imperial government learned with satisfaction from the note how earnestly the government of the United States is concerned in seeing the principles of humanity realized in the present war. Also this appeal finds ready echo in Germany and the imperial government is quite willing to permit its statements and decisions in the present case to be governed by the principles of humanity just as it has done always.

Recalls Principles of Humanity.

"The imperial government welcomed with gratitude when the American government, in the note of May 15, itself recalled that Germany had always permitted itself to be governed by the principles of progress and humanity in dealing with the law of maritime war. Since the time when Frederick the Great negotiated with John Adams, Benjamin Franklin and Thomas Jefferson the treaty of friendship and commerce of September 9, 1785, between Prussia and the republic of the west, German and American statesmen have, in fact, always stood together in the struggle for the freedom of the seas and for the protection of peaceable trade. In the international proceedings which since have been conducted for the regulation of the laws of maritime war, Germany and America have jointly advocated progressive principles, especially the abolishment of the right to capture at sea and the protection of the interests of neutrals.

Would Spare Enemy Civilians.

"Even at the beginning of the present war, the German government immediately declared its willingness, in response to proposals of the American government, to ratify the Declaration of London and thereby subject itself in the use of its naval forces to all the restrictions provided therein in favor of neutrals. Germany likewise has been always tenacious of the principle that war should be conducted against the armed and organized forces of an enemy country, but that the enemy civilian population must be spared as far as possible from the measures of war. The imperial government cherishes the definite hope that some way will be found, when peace is concluded, or perhaps earlier, to regulate the law of maritime war in a manner guaranteeing the freedom of the seas, and will welcome it with gratitude and satisfaction if it can work hand in hand with the American government on that occasion.

Germany Disclaims Guilt.

"If in the present war the principles which should be the ideal of the future, have been traversed more and more, the longer its duration, the German government has no guilt therein. It is known to the American government how Germany's adversaries, by completely paralyzing peaceful traffic between Germany and neutral countries, have aimed from the very beginning and with increasing lack of consideration at its destruction, not so much of the armed forces as the life of the German nation, repudiating in doing so all the rules of international law and disregarding the rights of neutrals.

Puts Blame On England.

"On November 3, 1914, England declared the North sea a war area and by planting poorly anchored mines and by the stoppage and capture of vessels made passage extremely dangerous and difficult for neutral shipping, so (by?) that actually blockading neutral coasts and ports contrary to all international law. Long before the beginning of submarine war, England practically completely intercepted legitimate neutral navigation to Germany also. Thus Germany was driven to a submarine war on trade.

Prevents Food Reaching Germany.

"On November 14, 1914, the English premier declared in the house of commons that it was one of England's principal tasks to prevent food for the German population from reaching Germany via neutral ports. Since March 1st England has been taking from neutral ships, without further formality, all merchandise proceeding to Germany as well as all merchandise coming from Germany, even when neutral property. Just as it was also with the Boers, the German people is now to be given the choice of perishing from starvation with its women and children or of relinquishing its independence.

EMPEROR WILLIAM

Calls Submarine Warfare Necessary.

"While our enemies thus loudly and openly proclaimed war without mercy until our utter destruction, we were conducting a war in self-defense for our national existence and for the sake of peace of an assured permanency. We have been obliged to adopt a submarine warfare to meet the declared intentions of our enemies and the method of warfare adopted by them in contravention of international law.

Recognizes Neutrals May Suffer.

"With all its efforts in principle to protect neutral life and property from damage as much as possible, the German government recognizes unreservedly in its memorandum of February 4 that the interests of neutrals might suffer from the submarine warfare. However, the American government will also understand and appreciate that in the fight for existence which has been forced upon Germany by its adversaries and announced by them, it is the sacred duty of the imperial government to do all within its power to protect and save the lives of German subjects. If the imperial government were derelict in these, its duties, it would be guilty before God and history of the violation of those principles of highest humanity which are the foundation of every national existence.

Lusitania Tragedy England's Fault?

"The case of the Lusitania shows with horrible clearness to what jeopardizing of human lives the manner of conducting war employed by our adversaries leads. In the most direct contradiction of international law, all distinctions between merchantmen and war vessels have been obliterated by the order to British merchantmen to arm themselves and to ram submarines, and the promise of rewards therefor, and neutrals who use merchantmen as travelers thereby have been exposed in an increasing degree to all the dangers of war.

Might Have Destroyed Submarine.

"If the commander of the German submarine which destroyed the Lusitania had caused the crew and passengers to take to the boats before firing the torpedo, this would have meant the sure destruction of his own vessel. After the experience in sinking much smaller and less seaworthy vessels, it was to be expected that a mighty ship like the Lusitania would remain above water long enough even after the torpedoing to permit passengers to enter the ship's boats. Circumstances of a very peculiar kind, especially the presence on board of large quantities of highly explosive materials, defeated this expectation. In addition, it may be pointed out that if the Lusitania had been spared, thousands of cases of munitions would have been sent to Germany's enemies and thereby thousands of German mothers and children robbed of bread winners.

Americans in Neutral Ships Safe.

"In the spirt of friendship wherewith the German nation has been imbued toward the Union and its inhabitants since the earliest days of its existence, the imperial government will always be ready to do all it can during the present war also to prevent the jeopardizing of lives of American citizens. The imperial government, therefore, repeats the assurance that American ships will not be hindered in the prosecution of legitimate shipping and the lives of American citizens in neutral vessels shall not be placed in jeopardy.

Special Markings for Steamers.

"In order to exclude any unforeseen dangers to American passenger steamers, made possible in view of the conduct of maritime war by Germany's adversaries, German submarines will be instructed to permit the free and safe passage of such passenger steamers when made recognizable by special markings and notified a reasonable time in advance. The imperial government, however, confidently hopes that the American government will assume to guarantee that these vessels have no contraband on board, details of arrangement for the unhampered passage of these vessels to be agreed upon by the naval authorities on both sides.

"In order to furnish adequate facilities for travel across the Atlantic for American citizens, the German government submits for consideration a proposal to increase the number of available steamers by installing in passenger service a reasonable number of neutral steamers under the American flag, the exact number to be agreed upon under the same condition as the above mentioned American steamers.

Adequate Facilities Promised.

"The imperial government believes it can assume that in this manner adequate facilities for travel across the Atlantic can be afforded American citizens. There would, therefore, appear to be no compelling necessity for American citizens to travel in Europe in time of war on ships carrying an enemy flag. In particular, the imperial government is unable to admit that American citizens can protect an enemy ship through the mere fact of their presence on board.

"Germany merely followed England's example when she declared part of the high seas an area of war. Consequently, accidents suffered by neutrals on enemy ships in this area of war cannot well be judged differently from accidents to which neutrals are at all times exposed at the seat of war on land when they betake themselves into dangerous localities in spite of previous warnings. If, however, it should not be possible for the American government to require an adequate number of neutral passenger steamers, the imperial government is prepared to interpose no objections to the placing under the American flag by the American government of four enemy passenger steamers for passenger traffic between North America and England. Assurances of 'free and safe' passage for American passenger steamers would extend to apply under the identical pro-conditions to these formerly hostile passenger steamers.

Hopes for Understanding.

"The President of the United States has declared his readiness, in a way deserving of thanks, to communicate and suggest proposals to the government of Great Britain with particular reference to the alteration of maritime war. The imperial government will always be glad to make use of the good offices of the President and hopes that his efforts in the present case, as well as in the direction of the lofty ideal of the freedom of the seas, will lead to an understanding.

"The undersigned requests the ambassador to bring the above to the knowledge of the American government and avails himself of the opportunity to renew to his excellency the assurance of his most distinguished consideration.

(Signed) "VON JAGOW."

COULD NOT STAND ON FEET

Mrs. Baker So Weak—Could Not Do Her Work—Found Relief In Novel Way.

Adrian, Mich.—"I suffered terribly with female weakness and backache and got so weak that I could hardly do my work. When I washed my dishes I had to sit down and when I would sweep the floor I would get so weak that I would have to get a drink every few minutes, and before I did my dusting I would have to lie down. I got so poorly that my folks thought I was going into consumption. One day I found a piece of paper blowing around the yard and I picked it up and read it. It said 'Saved from the Grave,' and told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for women. I showed it to my husband and he said, 'Why don't you try it?' So I did, and after I had taken two bottles I felt better and I said to my husband, 'I don't need any more,' and he said 'You had better take it a little longer anyway.' So I took it for three months and got well and strong."—Mrs. ALONZO E. BAKER, 9 Tecumseh St., Adrian, Mich.

Not Well Enough to Work.

In these words is hidden the tragedy of many a woman, housekeeper or wage earner who supports herself and is often helping to support a family, on meagre wages. Whether in house, office, factory, shop, store or kitchen, woman should remember that there is one tried and true remedy for the ills to which all women are prone, and that is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It promotes that vigor which makes work easy. The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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SETTLED THE WHOLE MATTER

Visitor's Explanation for Wanting to Leave Were Many, but One Really Vital.

"Yes, I really must go tomorrow."

"You can just as well stay till Monday."

"But the folks are expecting me."

"Telegraph them you are going to stay."

"I'm sorry, but if I stay I'm liable to lose a thousand dollars on that deal I told you of."

"Oh, pshaw, the deal can wait a few days."

"My manager has written me that my business needs attention."

"Yes, but he is only afraid to assume a little responsibility. The business will be all right."

"There is an important meeting of the directors that I really must attend."

"Oh, they'll get along all right without you."

"You know how much I'd like to stay, but the fact is my railroad ticket runs out tomorrow."

"Well, in that case I suppose you will have to go. Be sure and come up to see us again in a month or two."

Working for Others.

"How's suburban life?"

"I'm getting all the worst of it. My chickens lay their eggs away from home and now my grapevine has run over into my neighbor's yard."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Men Out To Win

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Cold With Kilts.

A Boston man recently returned from London tells of standing in a raw March wind, alongside of two English girls as a regiment of Highlanders marched past. "If I were a man," he heard one of the girls say, "I'd be a soldier."

"So would I, "replied the other, "but I'd join a regiment that wore trousers in the winter."—Boston Transcript.

The Secret.

"This is very confidential, Marian."

"Yes, dear. I shall be most careful to whom I repeat it."

Drink Denison's Coffee.
Always pure and delicious.

When a woman tells you she'll be ready in a minute, she doesn't say which minute.

The Effects of Opiates.

THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotic, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous dyspepsia and lack of staying powers are a result of dosing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable.

The administration of Anodynes, Drops, Cordials, Soothing Syrups and other narcotics to children by any but a physician cannot be too strongly decried, and the druggist should not be a party to it. Children who are ill need the attention of a physician, and it is nothing less than a crime to dose them willfully with narcotics.

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His Own Fault.

There had been an accident on the worst railroad in the United States. You know the name of the road as well as I do, so what's the use of risking a libel suit by mentioning it?"

The sole survivor of the wreck was sitting up in his hospital cot swathed in bandages. "I suppose you're going to sue the company for damages," said the friend at his bedside.

"No," said the damaged one, "I shall do nothing of the kind."

"Why not? You've certainly got a clear case against them."

"Clear case, nothing! Any intelligent jury in the world would bring in a verdict of contributory negligence. I ought to have known better than to travel on the blamed line."

The Real Thing.

The furniture man drove up to the door, and the new extension diningroom table was carried in.

Little Willie stood watching as his father and mother, one at each end, pulled the table apart. His eyes grew big as his father put one board after another in place until the table was double its original length.

"Gee!" said Willie at last. "I always thought addition tables was only something in the arithmetic book."

Could Hide Himself.

Volunteer reservist (hoping to be contradicted)—I shall look an awful fool in this uniform.

Tailor—Well, sir, you can always wear a mackintosh.—London Punch.

Scientific Baseball.

Two negroes were arguing over a close decision of the umpire.

"'Tain't right, Sam. Dat umpire's decision was all guesswork."

"How you mean, all guesswork? Ain't he seen wat's goin' on?"

"Sure he seen what's goin' on, but dat don't make it right. Here's de way it oughta be done, Hen. De umpire oughta hab a photograph man wid him, to make a picture of every play, and when he wasn't sure if de player wuz out or not, postpone his decision till he saw de photograph."

Delicate Ground.

"What is to be the subject of your graduating essay, Clarice?"

"'Beyond the Alps Lies Italy.' Do you think I could venture to use that?"

"Why not? It has been used before with a modicum of success."

"I know, but things are so tangled just now. Would it seem to indicate a disregard of the requirements of strict neutrality, think you?"—Puck.

Would Waste Nothing.

A woman was engaging a cook, and, having almost brought the interview to a successful termination, said:

"There is one thing, Mary; I do hope you are not wasteful."

"Wasteful, mum! Why, Lor' bless you, I'd eat till I busted rather than waste anything."

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PLAN TO RECLAIM MINNESOTA LANDS

STATE MAY SPEND $250,000 FOR IMPROVEMENTS—COMMITTEE TO ADVANCE AMENDMENT.

STATE NEWS OF MINNESOTA

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.—Minnesota will approve a plan to spend $250,000 for improving and reclaiming state lands if the proper advertising is given the plan. This is the belief of the committee appointed by Charles T. Kelly, president of the Northern Minnesota Development association, to promote the passage at the 1916 election of the revolving fund amendment.

The committee members held their first session at The Saint Paul. They are Senator Patrick H. McGarry, Walker; Senator Leonard H. Nord, International Falls; State Auditor Preus, St. Paul; A. A. D. Rahn, Minneapolis lumberman; L. B. Arnold, Duluth, land commissioner D., M. & N. railroad, and former Senator John Moonan, Waseca.

Would Be Perpetual Grant.

Under this amendment, which provides for the setting aside of a fund of $250,000 from the money derived from the sale of state lands, certain tracts would be cleared and drained each year and suitable roads built. Then when the property is sold the cost of these improvements would be added to the purchase price and turned back into the fund, which thus would be a perpetual grant.

Secretary of State Schmahl has promised to give the amendment first place on the amendment ballot. Last year, although not advertised, a similar amendment came within 12,000 votes of obtaining the required majority of all ballots cast at the general election.

The committee hopes to raise a substantial fund for a campaign of education.

Northfield Has Building Boom.

Northfield.—Work has been started here this summer on buildings that will cost more than $250,000. Carleton college is erecting two new buildings, a men's dormitory, costing $110,000, and the Skinner memorial chapel, costing $110,000. An armory for Company D, Second regiment, M. N. G., will be completed in October, costing $17,000. St. Olaf college is building an addition to Hoyme chapel to cost $5,000. New residences are going up, including two homes which will cost $10,000 each.

Wolves Chase Automobile.

St. Paul.—A. J. Krank, chairman of the local division of the Association of Commerce, says that while returning in his automobile from Shakopee he was chased by twelve large timber wolves.

Mr. Krank declares the wolves tried to jump into the tonneau of the car, occupied by his wife and children, and pursued the automobile for several miles.

Farmer Commits Suicide.

Arlington.—Gunder Torgeson, a farmer living in Sibley township, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart with a shotgun. His body was found in a pasture. Sickness and worry are ascribed as the cause of the suicide. He was married, was about 40 years of age, and was the owner of a fine home.

New Record for Murder Trial.

Winona.—A new record was established in this judicial district for a murder trial when in six hours all of the evidence had been submitted in the trial of Madeline Wermerskirsch, Plainview girl, charged with the murder of her infant daughter January 23 last. The trial was held at Wabasha before Judge Albert Johnson, Red Wing.

Throws Stone Through Car Window.

Faribault.—When four drunken men were put off of a Dan Patch train running from Mankato to Faribault, one of them threw a stone through the car window. The missile struck George Hoerger of this city, a passenger, and made a severe wound on the side of his head. The men escaped.

Window Falls; Child's Neck Broken.

Arlington.—The 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ortloff, living about three miles south of Glencoe, tried to enter a chicken house through an open window. The window, not being securely fastened, fell and struck him with such force as to break his neck.

Three Hurt; One May Die.

Minneapolis, Minn. One man is expected to die, two others were seriously injured and a dozen persons experienced narrow escapes in a series of automobile accidents on Minneapolis' official Fourth of July.

Adolph Galiop, a resident of Minnitrista township, is at the point of death in the hospital at Watertown Carver county, suffering from injuries received when he was run over by the automobile of Edward Swanson, a liveryman of that place.

MILL CITY WANTS SHRINERS

Minneapolis Will Be Chosen as 1916 Meeting Place of Imperial Council, is Belief.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Although no active campaign will be made, it is believed Minneapolis will be chosen as the 1916 meeting place of the Imperial Council of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine at the convention in Seattle next week.

Many of the nobles who will attend the Seattle council have passed through Minneapolis on their way to Seattle and many of them have been entertained here by the Zuhrah temple. All of them, it is said, have offered to lend their support towards making this city the next convention city. According to members of the entertainment committee of Zuhrah nearly all of the nobles here for the first time have been more than favorably impressed with the city and would like to come here next year. The central location is said to be another thing in the favor of Minneapolis. Last year the meet was in Atlanta, Ga.

The Imperial Council of the Shrine brings about 100,000 persons to the city. To care for this large number would be more than the Minneapolis temple could handle alone, but the Civic & Commerce association has offered to assist.

HAMMOND INCREASES STAFF

Adds Eight New Members Who Will Accompany Him On Western Trip July 14.

St. Paul, Minn.—When Governor Hammond leaves July 14 on his western trip, which will include a visit to Glacier park and the Panama exposition, he will be guarded by the largest staff ever commanded by a governor of Minnesota. If they all go he will be convoyed by more than 25 goldlaced officers and orderlies.

Governor Hammond has added eight new members to his staff, making fully a dozen new officers so far. They are:

Aides-de-camp, Major Myron W. Hingeley, Floodwood; Major John L. Loy, Red Wing; Colonel V. E. Stolbrand, Faribault; Colonel J. G. Thaung, St. Paul; Colonel William H. Egan, St. Paul; Major John F. Murphy, St. Paul; Col. John J. Windrum, Minneapolis.

Assistant quartermaster general, Major Harry E. Boyle, Lake Benton.

U. S. Sues "14 Quarts and Auto."

Fergus Falls.—That men who take liquor into the Indian country by automobile are likely to lose both the liquor and their automobiles was demonstrated when a suit entitled "The United States of America vs. Fourteen Quarts of Whiskey and One Automobile" was begun here in federal court.

The complaint alleges that on June 26, 14 quarts of whiskey were brought from Moorhead to Waubun, which is in the Indian country, in a one-seated automobile, the license number of which was 74,061, and that the car was owned by W. J. Vsetch; that both whiskey and machine were seized by Special Government Agent Edward Belland and turned over to Deputy Marshal L. W. Carson at Detroit.

United States District Attorney Jacques asks that the court issue an order for the sale of the automobile and the whiskey, as provided by law. It is understood also that one-half the proceeds of such sales goes to the persons giving the information.

St. Louis Park Wins 2-Year Fight.

St. Louis Park.—Residents of St. Louis Park won a two-year fight against the City Quarantine hospital when the council committee on health and hospitals decided to transfer the building and land to the Board of Correction, together with the amount allowed for the balance of this year for maintaining the institution.

Mayor Nye, who is a member of both bodies, said he expected the offer would be accepted by the Board of Charities and Correction at its meeting and hereafter smallpox patients would be under supervision of this board instead of the health department.

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WARRANT FOR TAWNEY.

Winona—James A. Tawney, former representative, and Mrs. Tawney, in warrants just issued are charged with violating Winona's new traffic ordinance. Tawney is charged with stopping his machine on the wrong side of the street.

Mrs. Tawney a short time later, is alleged to have turned her machine within a block in the business district.

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St. Paul Publisher Dies.

St. Paul.—After an illness of six weeks, Edward A. Webb, president of the Webb Publishing company, died at his home. Never possessed of rugged health, Mr. Webb was able to attend to his business activities until about six weeks ago, when an oft-recurring disaffection of the heart compelled retirement.

Charge Evasion of New Law.

St. James.—The legality of the action of the St. James city council in canceling liquor licenses and issuing new ones just before the Watonwan county option election is being tested in injunction proceedings brought by the "drys" of St. James, which will be heard in Mankato. It is contended that this action, which has been taken in several other places, is an evasion of the terms of the county option law, which provides that no new licenses shall be issued after a county has voted "dry."

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"Well, what happened?"

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Every time a man tears a leaf off the calendar he can see his days are numbered.

Girls' Camps.

The American girl, while she does not aspire to large muscles, or the athletic records of boys, is coming forward in these days to demand as her right physical training that will send her out into life with an endowment of health sufficient to meet its demands.

Dr. D. A. Sargent, director of the Harvard gymnasium, tell us that some twenty or thirty years ago he had occasion to make a physical examination of professional athletes. "Nearly every one of these men," he says, "who had become especially distinguished, attributed his ability to his mother's fine physique." Without comment upon this unanswerable argument for the health education of women, he adds another: "Although women constitute one-half of the human race and are largely responsible for its upbuilding, they have a right to a health education for their own sakes."

The camp has opened the way for others to follow.—Outing.

More to the Point.

"Jack Dashaway is a dreadful flirt. I wouldn't trust him too far."

"Humph! I wouldn't trust him too near!"—Puck.

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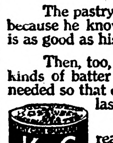

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I—Introductory

"Know America" is a slogan that should ring out from every school room, office, farm and shop in this nation. No man can aspire to a higher honor than to become a capable citizen, and no one can merit so distinguished a title until he is well informed of the resources, possibilities and achievements of our country.

This is a commercial age and civilization is bearing its most golden fruit in America. We are noted for our industrial achievements as Egypt was noted for her pyramids; Jerusalem for her religion; Greece for her art; Phoenicia for her fleets; Chaldea for her astronomy and Rome for her laws. Likewise we have men who will go down in the world's history as powerful products of their age. For, standing at the source of every gigantic movement that sways civilization is a great man. The greatest minds travel in the greatest direction and the commercial geniuses of this age would have been the sculptors, poets, philosophers, architects, and artists of earlier civilizations.

As Michael Angelo took a rock and with a chisel hewed it into the image of an angel that ever beckons mankind upward and onward, Hill took the desert of the Northwest and with bands of steel made it blossom like a rose, dotted the valleys with happy homes and built cities in waste places. As Guttenberg took blocks of wood and whittled them into an alphabet and made a printing press that flashed education across the continent like a ray of light upon a new born world, McCormick took a bar of iron and bent it into a reaper and with one sweep of his magic mind broke the shackles that enslaved labor of generations yet unborn, and gave mankind freedom from drudgery, and lifted the human race into a higher zone of life.

As Nelson organized the English navy and made England mistress of the sea, enabling the British Isles to plant her flag upon every continent washed by the ocean's waves, and to make footstools of the Islands of every water, Morgan organized a banking system that has made America master of the world's finances, brought Kings to our cashier's windows, the nations of the earth to our discount desks and placed under the industries of this nation a financial system as solid as the Rock of Gibraltar.

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A. H. Huseth was on the sick list Saturday and Sunday.

Several ladies from here attended the Dorcas Society meeting at Mrs. John Hagbergs Tuesday and spent a pleasant afternoon.

C. Martell and H. Davidson were Thief River Falls business callers Tuesday.

P. L. Anderson and A. R. Jones autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening and returned on the train Thursday. Mr. Anderson left his auto to have batteries charged.

Miss Esther Mickelson went to Crookston Tuesday to attend Summer School, her sister Stella went along for a few days visit with friends.

Mrs. E. Silbaugh visited Mrs. Joe Marty last Sunday.

Ed. Bjerk has been helping in the creamery a few days this week.

Rev. Carlson of St. Hilaire preached in the Mission church here Tuesday evening.

The many friends of Mesdames Docken and Carlson would have given a good deal to have witnessed their first attempt in landing a whale into the row boat at Lake Sally, Detroit. We however would prefer being on shore during the operation. We understand tho' that during the process of towing the prizes into safe keeping, amid the gentle screaming of the ladies, one fish regained his freedom.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of May 1915.

Cream received	30,549 lbs
Average test	
Butter fat	8,262.95 lbs
Percent overrun	24.62
Butter made	10,304 lbs
Balance on hand last month	58
Received for butter shipped	2473 00
Butter and milk sold patrons	14 93
Cash sales at creamery	35 91
Rec'd from other sources	4 54
Total	$2528 96
Paid patrons by check	2198 74
" " " Butter & milk	14 93
Expense fund, etc.	252 12
To sinking fund	60 04
Charges to other sources	
Balance on hand	3 13
Total	$2528 96

Number of patrons, 121

Price paid for butter fat, 27cts

Names of patrons receiving $40.00 and over:

Olaf Johnson $48.02, G. P. Sorter $42.92 and John Hanson $40.16.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota June, 16, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Martin S. Sampson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Sept. 12th, 1910 made Homestead Application Serial, No. 05599, for NE1-4, Sec. 16, Twp. 155 N., Rag. 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for Dist. of Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn. on the 27th day of July 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Thom Bakken, Carl Stenerson, Gunder Brokke and Nels Gunderson all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Local Items

Mrs. Math Larson and little daughter returned home Saturday from Alvarado.

Mesdames John Folstad and T. T. Sollom went to St. Hilaire Saturday to visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Willie Warner returned to her home in Thief River Falls Saturday after a few days pleasant visit at the Gust Peterson home.

Mrs. Martin Kulseth who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Rux, went to Thief River Falls Friday for a short visit before returning to her home in Warren.

Some religious meetings have been held at the Herman Heinze home the past week.

The school house yard has been fenced and a new road built south of the grounds which greatly improves the looks of every thing there.

Abel Anderson and sons who have been here sometime erecting buildings on his place returned to their homes in Lockhart Minn yesterday.

Misses Ella and Marion Miller came up from Thief River Falls Satuday and visited Miss Myrtle Thomas between trains.

P. P. Reierson returned Saturday from Thief River Falls where he had some dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson went to Roseau to attend the gospel meetings there. They returned home Monday.

Dr. Olson had the misfortune to break the axle of his auto Monday, but has it fixed now and is happy as usual.

Mrs. P. O. Reierson returned home Sunday from visiting her daughter at Goodridge and son T. G. Reierson of Thief River Falls. The latter brot his mother home Sunday evening.

Otto Larson returned Saturday from attending the meetings at Alvarado.

Miss Matilda Furr returned home Saturday from Fargo near which place she has been teaching school.

Some much needed work to improved the looks of the grave yard was done by a force of men and boys in the local cemetery Monday.

Mrs. A. H. Huseth and children returned Friday from about two weeks visit with her parents in Fertile.

Albert Johnson of Germantown visited Chris Yttri one day last week.

Martel and Davidson completed a 40 foot well for C. W. Christianson in about one day.

If you want town property of any kind, call on Chris Ytti, Holt Minn.

Miss Inga Folstad came up from St. Hilaire Monday to keep house for her father for a few weeks.

We had a rain storm Monday evening accompanied by hail but not much damage was done here.

Ole Lunke has the outside work of his barn done and will finish the inside work after harvest.

E. T. Eide came from Spooner Wednesday to look after the hay crop on his place.

C. Rustad and T. E. Ellestad have finished painting the parsonage and it has added materially to its good appearance.

The Carlson picnic party returned home from their outing Wednesday at Midnight.

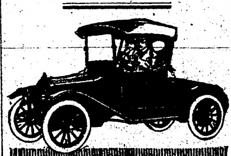
B. L. Backe and Albert Bennes went to Crookston Tuesday to attend the big fair.

C. L. Heinze is building a large machine shed and Julius Olson is doing the work. Mr. Heinze has a good set of farm buildings and is always making some improvements.

Mrs. L. Edwardson and children who live in Ryder N. D. arrived here one day last week for an extended visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Saastad.

Mrs. Arvid Carlson participated in a Ladies' Base Ball game at Detroit during their stay at the lake. Mrs. Carlson is an expert pitcher and for fine services rendered, she received the prize Pennant.

Mrs. S. J. Stevenson of Randen, who had been visiting at Hoffman for a few days stopped at Holt over Wednesday, while on her way home, to visit her brother Ole Backlund and old acquaintances.



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THE BATTLE OF THE TIRES

(Agricultural and Commercial Press Service)

It is interesting to watch the forces of civilization battling for supremacy. The struggle now going on between the rubber and the iron tire promises to be the liveliest contest of the Twentieth Century.

The struggle is a silent one and there are no war correspondents to write vivid descriptions of the conflict but the results are more far-reaching to present and future generations than the war of Europe.

The rubber tire has been maneuvering for point of attack for several years and has captured a few unimportant positions in traffic, but it has now pitched a decisive battle with its iron competitor by hurling a million "jitneys" at the street railways and the battle is raging from ocean to ocean. Upon the result of the struggle depends the future of the rubber tire. If it is compelled to retreat, its doom is sealed, but if it wins the battle it will revolutionize the transportation methods of this nation.

If the rubber tire conquers the street traffic its next struggle is with the railroads of the country, and then the greatest battle between economic forces ever fought out on the face of this earth is on, for iron is the undisputed master in transportation, and is fortified behind billions of dollars, and millions of men.

Stephenson applied the steel tire to an iron rail in 1814, but it was 1869 before the golden spike was driven at Promontory Point, which bound the country together with bands of steel. It took the iron tire fifty-five years to creep from ocean to ocean, but the rubber tire while warm from the creative mind of the inventive genius sped across the continent like an arrow shot from the bow of Ulysses. The roadbed was already prepared and therein lies the power of the rubber tire over that of iron, for government builds and maintains the public highway.

But iron is a stubborn metal and it has mastered every wheel that turns; has fought battles with every element above and beneath the earth and has never tasted the wormwood of defeat, and when rubber hurls its full force against this monarch of the Mineral Kingdom, it may rebound to the factory stunned beyond recovery.

The rubber tire first [illegible] its appearance on the bicycle, but it proved a frivolous servant and was dismissed for incompetency. It has always been too much inclined to revel in luxury to be taken seriously as a utility machine and its reputation is not one to inspire confidence in heavy traffic performance.

But to those who care to waft into dreamland, it is enchanting to note that there will be a marvelous difference between a rubber and an iron age. The rubber tire will scatter the cities throughout the valleys for with transportation at every man's door, why a city? It will traverse the continent with a net work of Macadam highways as beautiful as the boulevard built by Napoleon. It will paralyze the law making bodies of this nation for how could the legislatures run without the railroads to operate on?

FEDERAL INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

By Peter Radford.

The recent investigation of the United States Commission of Industrial Relations brought together the extremes of society and has given the public an opportunity to view the representatives of distinct classes, side by side, and to study their views in parallel columns.

Capital and labor have always been glaring at each other over gulfs of misunderstanding and if the Federal Industrial Commission attempts to bridge the chasm, it will render the public a distinct service.

The farmer has been sitting on the fence watching capital and labor fight for many years and incidentally furnishing the sinews of war and it is quite gratifying to find them talking with, instead of about, each other. When honest men smile and look into each other's souls, it always makes the world better and far more satisfactory to the farmer, who in the end, bears the burden of conflict, than resolutions, speeches or pamphlets containing charges and countercharges.

The love for justice makes the whole world kin. Understanding is an arbiter far more powerful than the mandates of government, for there is no authority quite so commanding as an honest conscience; there is no decree quite so binding as that of the Supreme Court of Common Sense and no sheriff can keep the peace quite so perfect as Understanding.

We suppose the time will never come when capital and labor will not be occasionally blinded by the lightning flashes of avarice or frightened by the thunder peals of discontent, But Understanding is a Prince of Peace that ever holds out the olive branch to men who want to do right. A man's income is always a sacred thing for in it are the hope, ambition and opportunity of himself, and family, but there is nothing in a human

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Attentive Officers Reliable Directors

When you become a customer of the Farmers State Bank, the Officers are prepared to give you constant consistent personal attention. You are sure of their loyalty to your interest and their experienced advice when you need advice.

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The Local Market

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.34
Wheat No. 2	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Wheat No. 4	1.22
Flax	1.54
Oats	.48
Barley	48 to .56
Rye	.84
Flour, Best Patent	4.00

CHARLES A. PITKIN
Attorney at Law
Office in McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, - - Minnesota.

THEO. QUALE
LAWYER
Office in McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn

The Carlson Firm are having their warehouse painted this week.

Mrs. C. Yttre is visiting relatives and friends at Mud Lake this week.

Miss Erickson of Minneapolis has been visiting Mrs. M. B. Ordahl this week.

P. W. Malberg was doing a good job of dragging on the state road, Wednesday.

C. W. Latta has sold his farm in Mud Lake to D. Payne, so it is reported at $16.00 per acre.

Mesdames Jacob Nelson and John Hagberg went to Grand Forks Tuesday to visit their daughter and sister Mrs. Adams.

Theodore Sollom came Saturday to look after business interests for awhile. He proved up on his homestead July 17th. and can spend more time here from now on.

Eighteen votes were cast at the school election, Saturday evening. Chris Saastad was re-elected, he receiving 9 votes and the other votes were scattering. The meeting voted the following amounts of district tax: $500 for teachers fund, $500 for janitor work, $250 for furniture and repairs, $250 for transportation wagons $200 for fuel, $75 for text books and $10 for library books. It was also voted to fix the treasurers salary at $25 per year.

Married.

Miss Anna Steinhauer and Carl Christoferson were united in marriage at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Hoed, in the city of Duluth at 8 oclock Saturday evening July 10 The happy couple returned home last Saturday and are receiving, the congratulations of friends in which The News wishes to join also.

Dr. Turley will be here Aug. 2nd.

Nels Gordon went to Grand Forks Saturday.

Alfred Matherson of McIntosh Minn. visited in town between trains Wednesday.

The officers of the telephone companies met in the Woodmen hall on Monday to examine the books.

Mesdames Young and Newton entertained the ladies' club Wednesday evening at the home of the former.

It looks as though the Germans would take Warsaw in the most gigantic drive in the history of the world.

Rev. Ordahl will preach in the Holt Synod church at 10:45 Sunday morning Aug. 1st, and in Ringbo at 3:30 in the afternoon.

It is claimed the sanitorium for Marshall and Roseau counties has been located about a mile and a half north from Middle River.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim and Mr. and Mrs. John Erickson autoed to [illegible] Saturday for a short visit [illegible]

The Ladies Aid of the Free Mission church will meet with Mrs. Erick Johnson at Ringbo, on Thursday July 29th. Everyone invited.

Mrs. E. E. Pechie and daughter went to Thief River Falls Friday to visit Mr. Pechie. They returned home by auto Saturday afternoon.

Little Thelma and Lillian Payne are visiting their grandparents at Nielsville at present. Lillian will return in time for school, while Thelma will attend school at Nielsville this year.

Editor Carr of The Middle River Pioneer was married in East Grand Forks, July 10th, to Miss Katherine V. Murphy. THE NEWS extends the heartiest congratulations to this most worthy couple.

Mrs. Alex Strom, daugther of Mr. and Mrs. P. Riesberg, accompained by Mrs. Henry Peterson, daughter of Rev. Strom, came with their children from Thief River Falls Friday to visit relatives.

Mr. Severt and family of Carpenter, Ia., arrived here Friday noon via the auto route. Their car in charge of the hired man, came in a couple of hours later, which proves Mr. S. a pretty good guesser as to the time made by the railroads. They moved their household goods, horses and machinery out near Rollis, on a fine farm owned by Mr. Severt.

The slogan now is "See America First", and all the railroads are advertising to beat the band. They are taking advantage of the war in Europe and are offering inducements to tourists to view the scenery along their lines. This is their opportunity and they are alive to the fact, also of the possibilities of this business which they have had so little of heretofore.

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Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Northeast of Holt

Mrs. Erick Johnson called on Mrs. O. H. Dovre Friday.

Mabel Johnson returned home Friday from Alvarado after spending a couple of weeks with her sister Mrs. G. Munberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Dovre spent Sunday afternoon at Erick Johnson's.

Joseph Johnson called on C. W. Christianson's Sunday.

Southeast of Holt.

Christian Larson left for his home in St. James, Minn. Monday after visiting with his brother Carl Larson for some time.

Targie Borgen visited at the home of Knute Ose on Sunday

Harry Moe went to T. R. Falls on business Monday.

Miss Josie Weeks who is teaching school in the Synod church visited at her home in T. R. Falls last week.

It is reported that Ole Olson had a runaway one day last week and is now confined to his bed.

Messrs Carl and Christian Larson visited with relatives in Golden Valley on Saturday.

Gust Nelson made a business trip to T. R. Falls Monday.

Wonder who went to Alvarado Saturday.

Geo. Gr[illegible]brok tranacted business with Harry Moe on Saturday.

[illegible] are busy putting foundations under thier houses.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Guttrud of Edingburg N. Dak. came Tuesday to attend the funeral of Miss Alma Guttrud. After a short visit with relatives they returned home accompanied by Mrs. Guttrud, Alma's mother.

Billiards Confectionery
Ice Cream
Cigars!
Tobaccos Candies
Soft Drinks Fruits
Albert Bennes Holt

Several from here attended a dance at Axel Nelson's place Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Erickson visited friends in Strathcona Thursday and Friday.

Miss Mabel Haggland departed for Grand Forks Tuesday where she will visit relatives for an indefinite time.

Sam Mickelson and Ernest Kuehne returned home Saturday from Angus where they have been working for sometime.

Miss Julia Frendley who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Con Frisco, for some time returned to her home in T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Olberg, accomsanied by her father, Mr. Tufte of Middle River came Friday to visit her daughter Mrs. S. S. Kolden and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Kolden of Nielsville attended the funeral of his cousin Mrs. Reep at Thief River Falls Monday. Mrs. Kolden returned home after the funeral and Mr. Kolden came here to visit relatives for a couple of days before returning home.

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Aug. 2, 1915.
I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-
Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
Plates $10.00 and up
Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.
Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.
Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Don't Lose Your Crop or Your Horses
Harvest Your Grain With an Avery Tractor
At harvest time it often gets to the place where it's either a case of risking the loss of your crop or the loss of your horses.
When your grain gets ripe it must be harvested at once or it will get too ripe and shell out or the rain will catch it and it will go down. You must rush your harvest and work long hours to save your crop.
But right during harvest is usually one of the hottest times in the year and if you push your horses or mules too hard in the hot sun or work them too long hours you run the risk of losing them.
Right here is one of the places where you need a tractor. Hot weather does'nt bother it, flies or dust don't worry it, and you can run just as long hours as you care to, or night and day if you are especially rushed.
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GROUCHY PLAYED SLEUTH

Somewhat Mean Trick to Do, But He Found Out Which Boy Had Broken His Window.

Grouchy neighbor, cane in hand, confronted the Giant Juniors at first base, which happened to be a lamp post.

"Which of you young rascals batted the ball that broke my upstairs window?" he growled, thumping the pavement menacingly with his stick.

Each member of the team looked as innocent as a china doll. None spoke.

Then an idea came to the grouchy neighbor. He permitted a smile to drive away the look of anger on his face.

"Say, boys," he said merrily, "I was only joking about that window pane. I used to play baseball myself when I was a boy, and I have been much interested in watching you play. You have a fine team here, but it seems to me you are a little weak in batting. I doubt if there is one of you who could knock a ball over that corner house."

Eight pair of eyes turned toward Splinters, the wizard pitcher of the Giant Juniors, and Splinters himself, never unwilling to pose for the spotlight, stepped forward.

"Dat's where you're wrong, mister," he said. "If yer'd ben here five minutes ago you'd of seen me slam one dat went ten feet over de roof of dat house."

"Indeed!" exclaimed grouchy neighbor, grasping Splinters firmly by the collar. "That must have been the ball that broke my window. Now you come with me and we'll see whether your father will settle the bill. If he doesn't, I'll have to take you to the police station."

Too Much.

"Every dog has his day, you know?"

"Yes, but that mutt of yours wants the nights, too. He kept me awake until three o'clock this morning with his infernal howling."

Not His Business.

"Conductor, this man is stepping on my feet," said the lady passenger.

"I have nothing to do with the traffic regulations, madam," was the reply.

Poetic.

He—Dearest, don't you think we would make a good couplet?

She—Ah, I am not averse.

BUILT A MONUMENT

The Best Sort in the World.

"A monument built by and from Postum," is the way an Illinois man describes himself. He says:

"For years I was a coffee drinker until at last I became a terrible sufferer from dyspepsia, constipation, headaches and indigestion.

"The different kinds of medicine I tried did not cure me, and finally some one told me to leave off coffee and take up Postum. I was fortunate in having the Postum made strictly according to directions on the pkg., so that from the start I liked it.

"Gradually my condition changed. The old troubles disappeared and I began to feel well again. My appetite became good and I could digest food. Now I am restored to strength and health, can sleep sound all night and awake with a fresh and rested body.

"I am really a monument built by Postum, for I was a physical wreck, distressed in body and mind, and am now a strong, healthy man. I know exactly what made the change; it was leaving off coffee and using Postum."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

The KITCHEN CABINET

To be a worthy queen I trow
Demands a host of things to know:
It calls for clever choice and tact
And much that many kings have lacked.
To be a cook one must command
A thousand queenly gifts in hand
Crowned with the artist's pride in art
And leavened with a mother heart.
—Wright.

TOOTHSOME COCOANUT DISHES.

When the fresh nut may be obtained there are so many delightful dishes which one may prepare for the family that the economical nut ought to be a common combination often served.

Curried Chicken or Rabbit.—Joint a well-dressed chicken or rabbit and fry a light brown in butter; remove from the pan and fry a sliced onion, then add three tablespoonfuls of grated cocoanut (the dry may be used if soaked in milk for an hour), a teaspoonful of curry powder, one teaspoonful of chutney, a half cupful of milk or stock, a teaspoonful of salt, then add the chicken and simmer 40 minutes. Add a tablespoonful of lemon juice and serve with plain boiled rice.

There are any number of confections that are delicious made with cocoanut, as well as cake fillings and puddings. A custard pie sprinkled with a generous handful of cocoanut is well liked.

Cocoanut added to a salmon salad is perhaps a little unusual, but is really most tasty.

Benares Salad.—Take two cupfuls of grated cocoanut, a pint of chopped apple, a tablespoonful of chopped red pepper, one of green and a teaspoonful of grated onion, seasoned well with salt and a dash of cayenne, if the red pepper is sweet, is a very good salad.

Cocoanut Cookies.—Take a cupful of cocoanut, a cupful of currants, two cupfuls of brown sugar, a half cupful of butter, one-half cupful of lard, one cupful of raisins, a teaspoonful of baking soda, a half teaspoonful of salt, two cupfuls of flour, two well beaten eggs and a half cupful of warm water, a teaspoonful of vanilla. Mix all together and let stand overnight. In the morning roll very thin, add more flour, if needed, but if well chilled they will roll and cut when very soft.

Cocoanut added to whipped cream as a filling for cake is most delicious. Grated cocoanut sprinkled over sugared slices of oranges is a pleasant dessert.

It's fun to dare in the face of despair when the last lone chance seems gone.
And to see hope rise in the angry skies like a promise of rosy dawn;
For victory's sweet when it crowns defeat, and you learn this much is true;
It's fun to fight when you know you're right, and your heart is in it too!

GOOD PEA COMBINATIONS.

Peas are one of our most nourishing vegetables, will take the place of meat and furnish a wholesome and filling dish.

Pea Soup. — Either canned or green or dried peas may be used for this dish. Take a pint of peas, add a teaspoonful of sugar, two cupfuls of cold water and cook slowly for twenty minutes. Drain, rub through a sieve, reheat and thicken with two tablespoonfuls of flour, cooked with two tablespoonfuls of butter, add a slice of onion to a pint of milk and, when scalding hot, remove the onion and add to the pea mixture, season with salt and pepper and cook until smooth. Peas that are too old and hard to serve as a vegetable make most satisfactory soups.

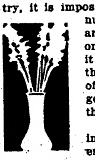
Green Pea Soup.—Take a pint of green peas, a quart of stock, six spring onions, a small bunch of mint, a bunch of parsley, a large handful of spinach, two tablespoonfuls of butter and salt. Wash the peas, parsley, mint and spinach. Add a teaspoonful of salt to the stock, in which boil the peas, mint, parsley and onions until soft; five minutes before they are done add the spinach. Put all through a sieve and boil again. Season with butter and salt. Serve hot.

Peas and Rice.—Put one cupful of rinsed rice and a fourth of a cupful of butter into a saucepan. Stir until the mixture is well browned. Then add a can of peas with the liquor, three cupfuls of boiling water, a little salt and sugar, if desired. Place in a baking dish and cook until the rice is tender.

Spanish Salad.—Cut up a cupful of chicken in small pieces, add a cupful of cucumber cut in cubes, a cupful of broken walnut meats and a cupful of cooked peas; mix with a boiled salad dressing and serve on lettuce.

Peas, peanuts and chopped onion is another combination which is good; serve this on lettuce with a French dressing.

IN THE SICKROOM.



Many times, especially in the country, it is impossible to get a trained nurse when the means are sufficient to warrant one if obtainable, so that it is quite important that mothers and heads of households be intelligent as to the care of the sick.

The proper food is as important as medicine, especially in convalescence, and nutritious and appetizing food must be so served that the sight of it will create a desire to eat. The arrangement of a tray and the removal of the same as soon as the meal is taken is most important.

A small amount of food well arranged will often appeal to the appetite when a tray carelessly set and overloaded would be refused.

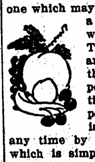
The home nurse should dress in a fresh, clean, washable dress, keeping as cheerful and good to look at as it is possible to be. Talk about cheerful things, don't discuss illness of others or allow the patient to talk of his symptoms too much. A cheerful, hopeful attitude of mind is most essential to recovery. The nurse who allows her patient to think he will not get well may as well get ready to make the funeral arrangements. Many nervous people die because they think it is expected of them.

If there was only one word to be used in describing a sickroom let it be one of cleanliness. Everything about the patient, the room and the nurse should be spotless.

Frequent bathing for cleanliness is necessary, as the pores of the skin have their important office to perform in the elimination of waste. When the patient has fever, frequent bathing keeps down the temperature. Rubbing with the hand wet with good alcohol is most refreshing after a cleansing bath. It cools the skin and rests the patient.

A rubber sheet or an oilcloth may be placed under the patient before bathing so that the bedding need not be dampened. Often the rubbing of the patient with a bathtowel, when the bath seems too fatiguing, will be found most helpful.

SOME DELICIOUS CAKES.



A fine cake is an achievement, but one which may not be performed once a month or less often with very good results. The good cake makers are those who make them often; they are perfected by much practice. An old-fashioned pound cake is one which is usually enjoyed at any time by anyone. It is a cake which is simple to make, yet is too often not good. The butter must be beyond reproach, the eggs fresh and good flavored to have a tasty, appetizing cake.

Cream a cupful of fresh, sweet butter until soft, add 1 2-3 cupfuls of fine granulated sugar very gradually, beating constantly, then add five eggs, one at a time, giving the batter a vigorous beating after each. When the mixture is foamy add two cupfuls of sifted pastry flour, folded in lightly. Bake in a slow oven an hour. The tin should be lined with buttered paper.

Spice Cake.—A third of a cupful of soft butter is added to 1 1-3 cupfuls of brown sugar, when well mixed add two eggs, a half cupful of milk, 1¾ cupfuls of flour, sifted with three teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one half teaspoonful of cinnamon, a quarter teaspoonful of cloves, a half pound of dates, seeded and cut in pieces, a half teaspoonful of nutmeg. Beat all together and bake in a moderate oven 45 minutes. The ingredients are all added together before mixing, making it a quick cake to prepare.

Orange Filling.—Mix a cupful and a half of sugar, with 2½ tablespoonfuls of flour, then add the grated rind and juice of an orange, a tablespoonful of lemon juice, one egg slightly beaten and a tablespoonful of butter. Cook until smooth and thick, stirring constantly. Cool and spread on the cake. Cover with a white icing.

Nellie Maxwell

Community Directed by Women.

One French community is directed by women, not by chance, but by custom and necessity. This is the rocky island of Ushant, dreaded by sailors, which breeds a hardy race of seamen engaged either in the French navy or mercantile marine or in fishing, the work on land being done by the women.

Courage.

Courage conquers all things; it even gives strength to the body.—Ovid.

Auntie Evidently Not a Venus.

A maiden lady said to her little nephew: "Now, Johnny, you go to bed early and always do so, and you'll be rosy cheeked and handsome when you grow up." Johnny thought over this a few minutes and then he observed: "Well, aunty, you must have sat up a good deal when you were young."

Optimistic Thought.

The whole of life is but a moment of time.

WILSON W. BUTLER

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Wilson W. Butler of Montreal, vice-president of the Canadian Steel Foundries, Ltd., and the Canadian Car and Foundry company, came back from Petrograd recently with orders from the Russian government for 5,000,000 thells, amounting to $83,000,000.

FOOD REACHES MEXICO CITY

DISTRIBUTED AMONG NEEDY BY CARRANZA AUTHORITIES.

Trains Being Operated on Regular Schedule Between Vera Cruz and Capital.

Washington, July 20.—Trains are now being operated on regular schedule between Vera Cruz and Mexico City for both passenger and freight traffic, according to a dispatch received from Vera Cruz by the Carranza agency.

"In the capital," said the dispatch, "large quantities of food are being distributed among the needy by the Carranza authorities in co-operation with the international relief committee. Already the initial consignment of foodstuffs amounting to 7,000 tons, which was conveyed to the city just behind the triumphant army of General Gonzales has been placed through the several agencies of distribution at the disposal of the poor and 6,000 tons of additional food supplies arrived there. From depots of easy access distribution is being made to all sections of the city. Additional supplies from all directions are being hurried to Mexico City to relieve distress.

"More than 20,000 idle men have been put to work by the rejuvenated bureau of public works and thus given an opportunity to earn much needed wages which are being paid in the genuine currency of the Carranza government."

The message announced that agencies for the distribution of Carranza currency had been established.

DAUGHTER OF SHERMAN DIES

Mrs. A. M. Thackara Passes in Paris After Working Hard for Serbian Relief.

Paris, July 20. — Eleanor Sherman Thackara, wife of Alexander M. Thackara, American consul general at Paris, is dead. Mrs. Thackara was a daughter of General Sherman of Civil war fame.

Mrs. Thackara had been working hard, especially for Serbia relief for six months until she was taken suddenly ill three months ago. A letter of appreciation and thanks from the King of Serbia reached her after she fell ill, as also did a decoration from the Red Cross.

Mrs. Thackara has given much aid and sympathy to needy Americans in every place where her husband had been stationed, in Haver, Berlin and Paris.

Mr. Thackara and their two daughters, Elizabeth and Eleanor, were with Mrs. Thackara when she died. Of her sons, Sherman Thackara is in Buenos Ayres and Rex is in New York.

Heavy Fighting on Gallipoli.

London, July 20.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Athens says:

"Heavy fighting continues on the Gallipoli peninsula. The Allies are attacking vehemently along the whole front. Each attack is preceded by a bombardment from heavy French artillery and the guns of the warships. All the attacks are reported to have been unsuccessful, but there is no definite news concerning them."

Wisconsin Solons Vaccinated.

Madison, Wis., July 20.—Dr. C. A. Harper, state health officer, quarantined the assembly chamber at the state house, ordered it fumigated, vaccinated all members of the legislature in Madison and all legislative employes, and telegraphed members of the legislature who had returned to their homes over Sunday to be vaccinated before returning to Madison, when it was definitely decided that Assemblyman Charles F. Ploeger of Seymour, is suffering from a slight attack of smallpox.

TEUTONS DRIVE AT RUSSIAN SEAPORT

GERMAN FORCES ARE REPORTED WITHIN EIGHTY MILES OF RIGA, IN BALTIC.

NEW OFFENSIVE REVEALED

Mighty Effort to Destroy Slav Army Seen by Military Experts in Vast Enveloping Movement—Austro Hungarians Moving Northward.

Berlin, Wireless to Sayville, L. I., July 19.—French losses in the recent fighting around Arras total 78,300, according to official estimates made here.

London, July 19.—A new German offensive of huge proportions, with Rigo, a great Russian seaport and the seat of the governor general of the Baltic provinces as its objective, revealed in the latest official statements issued at Petrograd and Berlin.

Military experts here construe the offensive to be a vast envelopement movement in which the Germans are making a herculean effort to destroy the Russian army. Both the German and Russian communications agree that the German forces are at the Windau river near Goldingen, which is only 80 miles from Riga, the great strategetic commercial metropolis in the Gulf of Riga and on the upper Baltic.

Slavs Try to Hold Back Germans.

An official statement received from Petrograd adds details of sanguinary fighting all along the new line in efforts to hold back the German advance which now is being concentrated on Riga and on Warsaw while the Austrian-Hungarians are moving northward from the Dniester river.

Advices reaching London say that the Germans left a trail of destruction along the Baltic sea from Memel to Libau, where the villas, hotels and casinos are alleged to have been destroyed, about the only exception, it is said, being the palace of a Polish nobleman, whose cousin married an American woman. The palace now is being used as a military headquarters in which Prince Henry of Prussia and Field Marshal von Hindenburg recently conferred on the new offensive toward Riga.

Crown Prince's Drive Failure.

The Crown Prince Frederick William's drive in the Argonne forest now is reported as a small success, in gaining a few hundred yards of Terrain, but as a failure in attaining its real object—a decisive penetration of the French line.

Field Marshal von Mackensen's army that swept through Galicia is giving signs of renewed activity in pursuance of the assumed plan of the Teutonic forces to attack simultaneously all along the sweeping 800-mile front from the Baltic to Bessarabia. Unofficial reports through Geneva declare that the lower end of this line of Austrian troops who crossed the Dniester have been driven back to the other bank, where their retreat is being turned into a rout.

LIBERTY BELL NOW AT 'FRISCO

Ancient Relic Makes Seventh Trip for Ceremonial Purposes—Installed at Exposition.

San Francisco, July 19.—Tophatted reception committees, policemen, station porters and guards were swallowed up here in a tumultuous throng which gathered to greet the nation's Liberty Bell on its arrival here from Philadelphia. It will be installed in the Pennsylvania pavilion at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

Governor Hiram W. Johnson of California, U. S. Senator James D. Phelan, Mayor James Rolph, Jr., of San Francisco and representatives of the exposition management, accompanied on the last leg of the journey the delegation of 26 Philadelphia councilmen which escorted the bell.

This was the Liberty Bell's seventh trip for ceremonial purposes, St. Louis, Mo., being its previous farthest west. Exposition officials said it would remain here until the end of the exposition, Dec. 10, and would return to Philadelphia by way of Arizona and Texas. It left Philadelphia July 5.

Kansas Woman for Congress.

Topeka, Kan., July 19.—Dr. Eva Harding of Topeka has announced her candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the First Kansas district next year. She is said to be the first woman to seek a national office on the Democratic ticket in Kansas since women were given suffrage.

1916 Corn Crop Threatened.

St. Paul, July 19.—Seed corn from last year's crop should be saved at once for next year's planting, in the opinion of C. P. Bull, crop specialist at University farm.

Professor Bull believes the outlook for corn this season, owing to unfavorable weather conditions of the past several weeks, is such as to threaten the value of the matured kernel for germination purposes. Therefore, he advises, safeguarding what is left of the 1914 crop for use in the spring.

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LITTLE TIME FOR SENTIMENT

Bird House Attendants All Too Busy to Bother About Legendary Stories or Myths.

The visitor approached one of the gayly uniformed attendants who spend their days in the bird house of the Bronx park zoological gardens. This privileged being must, she thought, have imbibed at least a touch of sentiment.

"Isn't there," she asked, "some story, some myth, connected with that pigeon which has on its breast the red splotch like blood from a bullet wound?"

"Story? Myth? Git off! 'Course there ain't no story about it. It's just a red feather or so—that's all. The bird was born that way. See?"

"But where do they come from? There must be a story, some—"

"I tell you there ain't nothin' about 'em. As to where they grow, I think it's the Philippines."

A slightly more affable attendant did disclose the name of the pigeon. It was called blood-breasted, and it did come from the Philippines. But if there was a story—and there must have been—none of the liveried information bureaus knew it. No sentiment for them! They only said, "Keep to the right!" when the inquirer became too persistent.—New York Evening Post.

Tip From Son.

"Money, my boy, won't buy everything."

"I know, pa, but if you'd let loose of a little you could get me a bicycle."

If a thing is particularly preposterous and foolish, the average man believes in it.

MAN'S SHORT TERM OF LIFE

In Comparison With Other Animals He Does Not Nearly Live Out His Allotted Time.

A rule which holds fairly true among the higher animals is that an animal lives five times as long as it requires for his muscular system to reach its full strength. The dog is fully developed at between two and three years of age, and lives fifteen years; the horse reaches his prime not later than five, and if he escapes overwork and ill usage, lives to be twenty-five and even thirty. In fact, the rule seems to be an understatement of animal expectation of life, rather than an overstatement

The one conspicuous exception is man, who seldom reaches his full muscular strength before he is twenty-five and counts himself living on borrowed time if he passes the age of seventy. If man were as well circumstanced in this matter as the horse, dog or cat, his average term of life would vary from one hundred and ten to one hundred and twenty-five years.

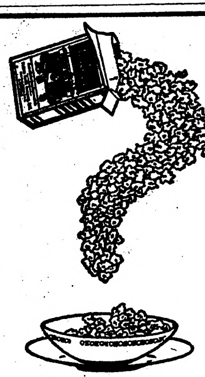
Here's a Fine Idea.

"Please, ma'am," said the little girl from the next door, "mother wants to know if you will lend her your new mechanical tune player this afternoon."

"What an extraordinary idea! Is she going to give a dance?"

"No, ma'am. We're tired dancing to it. She wants to keep it quiet for a couple of hours so that the baby can sleep."

The difference between men and boys is that men are willing to wait until next year, while boys want it now.



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STATE AS DUMPING PLACE FOR INSANE

BOARD OF CONTROL OFFICIAL ASSERTS HUMANE POLICY IS RESPONSIBLE.

St. Paul.—Minnesota is being made the dumping ground for insane people of other states, said Ralph W. Wheelock of the State Board of Control.

"Insane people are not being sent into Minnesota by state officials," said Mr. Wheelock, "but by individuals."

During the last fiscal year 100 non-resident insane persons were deported by the board. The board figures the deporting saved the state $1,000 on each case, so the total saving last year was $100,000.

Humane Policy Responsible.

"We simply are compelled to accept these people into our institutions until such time as we can determine if they really are non-residents," said Mr. Wheelock. "The policy in Minnesota is to be humane. This same policy has led to the state being taken advantage of by people who do not wish to harbor their insane charges or relations."

NAME EFFICIENCY MEMBERS

Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Speaker Choose Men to Prepare New Minnesota Laws.

St. Paul, Minn.—As authorized by the recent legislature Governor Hammond, Lieutenant Governor Burnquist and Speaker Flowers of the house of representatives met and named a committee on civil administration to consider an efficiency and economy program and prepare proposed legislation for consideration by the next legislature. The speaker named four members, the lieutenant governor a similar number and the governor, three.

Those named by Governor Hammond were: C. P. Craig, Duluth; Representative L. C. Spooner, Morris and Representative Gunnar Bjornson, Minnesota; those by Speaker Flowers: Representative Thomas Girling, Robbinsdale; Representative T. J. McGrath, St. Paul; Representative Fred Bessette, C. H. Orr and C. H. Warner, Aitkin; those by Lieutenant Governor Burnquist: Senator F. A. Duxbury, Caledonia; Senator J. A. Carley, Plainsview; Senator J. A. Jackson, St. Paul, and Senator A. J. Rockne, Zumbrota.

The committee will consider a plan for reorganizing the state government either through consolidation or elimination of various state departments and the reduction of the hundred or more boards and commissions now in existence to five or six departments.

WIDOW REGAINS FORTUNE

Heirs of C. L. Ortmann of Detroit Are Given Possession of Mining Property on Mesaba Range.

Duluth.—With the filing of a judgment against the Mooswa Mining company and others in district court here, the final chapter was recorded in the story of how Marie A. Solms Ortmann, widow of Charles L. Ortmann of Detroit, Mich., regained a fortune of $500,000 that she had allowed to slip through her fingers.

The case was started in 1911 and has been fought through all the courts. Mrs. Ortmann and her son, in this suit, sought to recover title to 640 acres of valuable mineral land on the Mesaba range. The defendants were James Swan, a Detroit attorney, and others. It was contended that Swan, administrator for the estate, sold the property for $1 an acre to Dr. Frederick Steinbrecher, his family physician, who reconveyed it to the Mooswa Mining company, in which Swan held a large interest.

The court held that the land was sold for a "grossly inadequate price" and was worth many times the amount paid for it. The deeds of conveyance were ordered set aside and the Ortmann heirs restored to possession.

Train Strikes Auto at Le Roy.

Le Roy.—M. G. Shove, a traveling man of Marshalltown, was driving in his automobile over a grade crossing near here when he was struck by a Milwaukee train. The automobile was completely demolished, and its driver was dragged for 30 feet and terribly bruised. No bones were broken, however.

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New Postmaster at Red Wing

Red Wing.—C. A. Rasmussen, postmaster of Red Wing, for the past 16 years, has turned over the keys and the official records of the office to his successor, L. C. Stromberg, a local business man.

Wife of Mayo Founder Dies

Rochester.—Mrs. W. W. Mayo, aged 90, wife of the late Dr. W. W. Mayo, founder of the Mayo clinic and surgical institute, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. N. Berkman. She was married in 1851 to Dr. W. W. Mayo and endured the hardships of the early pioneering days with the famous Rochester surgeon. Besides the daughter the sons, Dr. W. J. Mayo and Dr. C. H. Mayo, survive her. Dr. W. W. Mayo died four years ago last March. Mrs. Mayo was buried in Oakwood cemetery.

MORE ARRESTS IN OSSEO CASE

Bank Superintendent Trying to Get Other Men Responsible for Alleged Looting.

Minneapolis, July 16.—Charging that the banking laws of Minnesota had not only been violated by J. B. Thompson, cashier of the Osseo State bank, but by several others, A. H. Turritin, state superintendent of banks, announced that he had collected evidence which may cause the arrest of two and possibly three more men involved in the finances of the Osseo bank.

This evidence probably will be placed in the hands of John Rees, county attorney, at once. Mr. Turritin declared that his department is making rapid progress in the work at the Osseo bank and that he was digging to the bottom to get the men who, he charges, are responsible with Thompson for the alleged looting of the bank.

"The affairs at the bank are in very bad shape," said Mr. Turritin. "In a short period of time approximately $60,000 of the bank's money has passed into other hands and during the looting the work was cleverly covered up. There is no doubt that Thompson fell a prey to the wonderful word pictures drawn for him by clever men. His visions of great wealth allowed him to be worked to a frazzle."

NAVAL MILITIA AT CROSBY

New Division Is Mustered In — Ten Days' Cruise of Lake Superior to Start August 25.

Crosby.—Crosby's new division of the naval militia was mustered in at the Coliseum pavilion. It started with 65 members, but it is believed the number will grow when other young men in this and the surrounding villages see the opportunities for training and social enjoyment the organization affords.

The Coliseum pavilion was rented by the village council and will be used as a temporary armory. Captain Guy A. Eaton, Lieutenant Commander Clark W. Kelley and Sergeant F. J. Patton of the Minnesota naval militia examined the prospective members of the local division and the men were sworn into service.

The first taste of the sea life and service on board ship that the local division's members will get will be on August 25, when they will start on a 10-day cruise on Lake Superior. The fifth division of Bemidji, seventh division of Lindstrom and the eighth division of Duluth also will take this cruise. All of these are new divisions.

GARRISON DEFENDED BY LIND

Secretary of War Comes In for Criticism and Vigorous Defense at High Dam Meeting.

Minneapolis, July 16.—In the course of a luncheon meeting of the Civic & Commerce association held at the Radisson hotel the entire high dam situation, so far as the disposal of the power is concerned, received the most thorough airing it has yet been given in Minneapolis, the attitude of Secretary of War Garrison coming in for both criticism and vigorous defense.

John Lind, Governor Hammond and Fred C. Stevens, former St. Paul congressman, took occasion to score roundly, though in measured words, the recent statement of Congressman George R. Smith that the "water power trust" is all powerful at Washington, that Secretary Garrison has the power to grant a lease of the power to the Municipal Electric company if he so desires, and that the latter leans toward the idea that the people of this community do not really care whether they get the benefit of the power or not.

ONE LIFE IS LOST IN STORM

Great Damage Done in Portions of Southwestern Minnesota, South Dakota and Iowa.

Minneapolis, Minn.—One life was lost, and considerable damage to barns and roofs of houses was reported in a wind and rain storm which swept portions of southwestern Minnesota and South Dakota and Iowa.

The greatest damage was done along the line of the Omaha railway which runs through St. James and Worthington to Sioux Falls.

Frank Lane, a farm hand working on the farm of Tom Smith, seven miles from Worthington, was killed when a barn blew down.

Crop damage from hail and the heavy wind occurred in the vicinity of Heron Lake and Mountain Lake.

Hibbing Reservoir Under Construction.

Hibbing.—More than 2,500,000 gallons of water have been developed in the first four wells constructed here in conjunction with the new $400,000 water system. The power house and reservoir are now under construc-

Leaves for Greece for Bride.

Winona.—Theodore Tsatsos, proprietor of a local confectionery, has started a second time for Patras, Greece, to wed Stela Antonapoulou, 22 years old.

Last October the Winona man left for the Grecian city, but returned down-hearted. At New York he was told that the ship would not sail; that the war had made ocean voyages too hazardous.

Tsatsos will leave New York shortly. He plans to bring his bride to Winona soon after New Year's.

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Actress—Cold! Why, the theater was warm.

Admirer—Yes, but the floor was so damp.

Actress—Indeed! What could have caused that?

Admirer—The tears.

She gave him a free ticket for the season.—Chicago News.

To Be Sure.

"I don't see why the colleges persist in teaching Latin and Greek. French or German would be much more useful to the students."

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Quite in Season.

Elle (plaintively)—Why do you keep after me so much?

Il (fiercely)—What's your name?

Elle (weakly)—May.

Il—I thought so. I have to follow you. I'm August.

Drink Denison's Coffee,
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The bearded lady in the sideshow always has a lot of competition in the audience.

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"No, madame," replied the colonel, "I may be said rather to fluctuate."

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L. A. Jensen went to Minneapolis Saturday to visit relatives.

Mesdames Docken and Silbaugh visited in Thief River Falls Saturday.

H. J. Oien and Henry Wendt autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday evening.

Miss Olava Sollom went to Crookston Monday to attend Summer school.

Miss Gyda Udstrand who is werking in Argyle visited her folks over Sunday.

Carl Larson's brother Christian who came Friday to visit him, returned home Monday.

B. J. Bakke and sister Miss Olga came Monday to visit at the home of their sister Mrs. B. Docken.

The well known dentist of Thief River Falls, Dr. J. T. Turley, will be in Holt, Monday August second.

Minnesota Public Library books may be had at Holt State Bank free to all. Call and examine the books.

Dreams.

It is a common saying that we dream of that which one has been thinking most about. This is the exception and not the rule. The dream may be of something that one thought of at some time, but possibly not for years, that would not be recalled in waking hours, which had lain dormant in the mind, to be prosaically rehearsed through some operation of physical functions, such as impeded respiration, feverish conditions, some posture of the body, a late supper, possibly ended with a dessert of mince pie, stomachic distress, clogging of the circulation or some bodily pain.

Definitions.
Husband: a maker of excuses.
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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota June, 16, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Martin S. Sampson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who, on Sept. 12th, 1910 made Homestead Application Serial, No. 05599, for NE1-4, Sec. 16, Twp. 155 N., Rag. 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for Dist. of Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn. on the 27th day of July 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Thom Bakken, Carl Stenerson, Gunder Brokke and Nels Gunderson all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Local Items

Don't be afraid to tell us the news we wont bite.

Ladies Aid next week Thursday at Erick Johnson's.

A. H. Huseth was a business caller in Thief River Falls, Friday.

Mrs. Arness of Fork visited her sister Mrs. Gunheim, this week.

Clarence Kolden went to Crookston yesterday to visit his brother.

D. B. Bakke and son Willie were visitors here Friday and Saturday.

If you want town property of any kind, call on Chris Ytti, Holt Minn.

The Dorcas Society will meet with Mrs. B. L. Backe next Tuesday.

W. B. Fuller of hTief River Falls visited A. R. Jones between trains Friday.

P. L. Anderson and Clarence Docken were Thief River Falls visitors Saturday.

T. T. Sollom went to Warren Monday to consult a physician regarding his health.

Rev. Ordahl will preach in West Valley next Sunday morning and at Argyle in the evening.

E. M. Silbaugh returned home Monday from a few weeks visit in Dakota and Montana.

Mrs. Bray and little son Orvis returned Monday from visiting relatives for a couple of weeks at Fertile.

Mrs. Davidson came from Thief River Falls Friday to visit her son Ole Davidson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alkenbrack and Carl. Newton autoed to Grand Forks Wednesday to attend the fair.

John Alkenbrack S. S. Kolden, P. L. Anderson and L. A. Jensen autoed to Thief River Falls Friday evening.

A Norwegian Lutheran Sunday School will be started in the Holt Synod church at 10 o'clock next Sunday morning.

Mrs. R. L. Olson and son Martin returned home Friday from a pleasant weeks visit at McIntosh with relatives and friends.

For Sale:- Complete threshing rig, 22 horse power engine and 36x60 seperator, all in good condition. Enquire at the Holt State Bank.

Miss Erma Juhl, who has been visiting the Haggland family for the past three weeks, returned to her home at Faith Minn. last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. VonWold of Thief River Falls drove up here Saturday evening for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack and family.

P. L. Anderson and Adolph Sollom autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening after Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Sollom who were returning home from Warren.

S. S. Kolden and D. Payne went to Thief River Falls Monday to attend the funeral of the formers cousin Mrs. Tobias Reep, whose death occurred early Saturday morning.

Hilmer Davidson who has been bothered with some bad boils on his arms for about three weeks, went to Middle River Monday to consult a physician who said it was now a mild case of blood poisoning. It is sincerely hoped it will prove no worse.

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TAINTED POLITICS

By Peter Radford.

This country is suffering more from tainted politics than from any other malady at the present time. There is scarcely a campaign speech made, a platform demand written or a measure enacted into law that does not carry the taint of personal gain of some politician or political faction thereof.

There is more "blue sky" in campaign promises of many politicians running for office than was ever contained in the prospectuses of the boldest promoters of chimerical business schemes. There are more secret combinations formed by politicians in the name of "My Country" than were ever formed under any and all other aliases. There are more political rebates hidden in the phrase "Be it enacted" than were ever concealed under any and all other disguises.

The inordinate thirst for political power and unrestrained passion for mastery has caused more distress in this nation than the greed for gold, and it ought to be regulated by law. No business combination ever pursued their competitors as relentlessly or visited more heartless cruelty upon their customers than a political party that seeks to make junk of an industry, or cripple a business for party success, through tariff measures, political supervision and ofttimes destructive legislation. Many political platforms are as alluring to the voter as the story of the rainbow with its pot of gold and their consummation about as far-fetched. Self-gain is the first law in politics. There are many men in office today who, if they could not shake plums off the tree of American liberty or cut a melon taken from Uncle Sam's commissary, would have less desire to serve the public.

The country is surfeiting with patriots, who will bare their breast to bullets in defense of their country, but there are few men in public life who will bare their breast to voters or run the gauntlet of party disfavor in defense of agriculture or industry. No representative of the people, who will permit personal prejudice to dethrone justice, party success to disfranchise reason or the rancor of a political campaign to influence judgment can render capable service.

The preservation of our prosperity depends upon wisdom, courage and honesty in government, and the American voter should seek these attributes as implicitly as the Wise Men followed the Star of Bethlehem and they will often be found to rest over the stable; the plow or the staff of the Shepherd. The surest cure for tainted politics and machine rule is fresh air and sunshine and these important elements are most abundant upon the farm, and when farmers, bankers and merchants are elected to membership in legislative bodies, much of the trouble in government will disappear.

WATERED SECURITIES

By Peter Radford.

Much has been said and more written about the evils of watered stock in big business concerns and the farmers of this nation believe that every dollar written into the life of any business organization, should be able to say "I know that my Redeemer liveth," but farming is the biggest business on earth, and there is more water in its financial transaction than that of any other industry. There is as much water in a farmer's note drawing eight or ten per cent interest when other lines of industry secure money for four or five per cent per annum, as there is in a business paying a reasonable compensation upon the face value of securities representing an investment of only fifty cents on the dollar. The only difference is, the water is in the interest rate in one instance and in the securities in the other.

The promoter ofttimes takes chances and his success is contingent upon the development of the property involved but the usurer, as a rule, takes no chances and his success cripples the property involved. There may be industries that cry louder but none that suffer more severely from financial immorality in both law and custom than that of agriculture.

The farmers of America today are paying $200,000,000 per annum in usury on real estate and chattel loans, and this interest capitalized at five per cent, represents $4,000,000,000 of fictitious values which the farmer is paying interest on. This sum of money is almost equal to the annual value of crops produced in the United States.

The earning power of the farmer's note based upon his interest rate very nearly divides likes the earth's surface—three-fourths water, and one-fourth land. The largest body of water that floats upon the financial hemisphere now rests upon the farms and its waves are dashing and its billows are rolling against seven million homes threatening ruin and disaster to the prosperity of the nation. Will our public servants who understand how to drain the liquid off industrial properties turn the faucet and let the water off the farms?

It is an admitted economic fact that there can be no permanent prosperity without a permanent agriculture

Agriculture is recognized as the greatest of all industries and a prosperous, progressive and enlightened agricultural population is the surest safeguard of civilization.

FREE PORTS BUILDERS OF COMMERCE

CONGRESS SHOULD GIVE THEM PREFERENCE IN APPROPRIATIONS.

By Peter Radford.

This nation is now entering upon an era of marine development. The wreckage of European commerce has drifted to our shores and the world war is making unprecedented demands for the products of farm and factory. In transportation facilities on land we lead the world but our port facilities are inadequate, and our flag is seldom seen in foreign ports. If our government would only divert the energy we have displayed in conquering the railroads to mastering the commerce of the sea, a foreign bottom would be unknown on the ocean's highways.

This article will be confined to a discussion of our ports for the products of the farm must pass over our wharfs before reaching the water. We have in this nation 51 ports, of which 41 are on the Atlantic and 10 are on the Pacific Coast. The Sixty-second Congress appropriated over $51,000,000 for improving our Rivers and Harbors and private enterprise levies a toll of approximately $50,000,000 annually in wharfage and charges for which no tangible service is rendered. The latter item should be lifted off the backs of the farmer of this nation and this can be done by Congress directing its appropriations to ports that are free where vessels can tie up to a wharf and discharge her cargo free of any fee or charge.

A free port is progress. It takes out the unnecessary link in the chain of transactions in commerce which has for centuries laid a heavy hand upon commerce. No movement is so heavily laden with results or will more widely and equally distribute its benefits as that of a free port and none can be more easily and effectively secured.

THE VITAL PROBLEM OF AGRICULTURE

By Peter Radford.

There is no escaping the market problem and the highest development of agriculture will not be attained until it is solved, for a market is as necessary for the producer as land on which to grow his crop.

Governmental and educational institutions have spent $180,000,000 in the United States during the past ten years for improving soil production and improving seeds and plants, but very little attention and less money has been given to the marketing side of agriculture.

The problem is a monumental one and one which will never be solved until it gets within the grasp of a gigantic organization where master minds can concentrate the combined experience and wisdom of the age upon it. It is a problem which the farmers, merchants, bankers, editors and statesmen must unite in solving.

The Farmers' Union stands for all there is in farming from the most scientific methods of seed selection to the most systematic and profitable plans of marketing, but does not believe in promoting one to the neglect of the other. We consider the work of farm demonstrators valuable and we ask that governmental and commercial agencies seeking to help us, continue to give us their assistance and advice, but we believe that their influence should be extended to the marketing side of our farm problems also.

We cannot hope to develop manufacturing by over-production of the factory; we cannot build up mercantile enterprises by the merchants loading their shelves with surplus goods and no more can we develop agriculture by glutting the market with a surplus of products.

DARIUS

The neigh of a horse made Darius King of Persia, the six contending powers for the throne agreeing among themselves that the one whose horse should neigh first should possess the kingdom. This ancient method of settling disputes among politicians could be revived with profit today. If our partisan factions and petty politicians could only settle their disputes by the neigh of a horse, the bark of a dog or the bray of a donkey, it would be a great blessing and would give our citizens a better opportunity to pursue the vocations of industry free from political strife.

Let those who pick political plums by raising rows and who flash swords dripping in the blood of industry understand that they cannot turn the public forum into a political arena and by a clash of personal aspirations still the hammer and stop the plow and that their quarrels must be settled in the back alleys of civilization.

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QUICK LOANS ON LAND

"Enclosed Please Find Check"

More farmers than ever are writing those words,- because mailing checks makes quick work of paying bills.

We do the book-keeping, remember, when you have a Checking Account here. This makes it easy to keep money records straight.

Better start a Checking Account soon - for it is certainly convenient when farm work is rushing to pay bills by writing "enclosed please find check."

FARMERS STATE BANK
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HOLT, MINN.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.27
Wheat No. 2	1.24
Wheat No. 3	1.20
Wheat No. 4	1.15
Flax	1.42
Oats	.32
Barley	48 to .52
Rye	.85
Flour, Best Patent	4.00

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Christ Yttri and Ole Johnson went to Middle River Tuesday.

Mesdames Nelson and Hagberg returned home Friday from Grand Forks.

Miss Inez Alkenbrack went to T. R. Falls last week Thursday to assist her sister in getting ready to move to Dakota.

The centralizer has never made the dairy farmer rich and never will because they take any kind of cream no matter how old or rotten.

The school grounds were seeded Tuesday to blue grass and white clover and a gravel walk has been made, so it is going to be a nice play ground.

Mrs. Henry Peterson and children returned to their home in Thief River Falls, Friday, after a pleasant visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Strom.

Died

T. G. Dahl died Sunday afternoon at about five o'clock at the hospital in Grygla where he had been removed on Wednesday of the previous week for an operation for appendicitis. While on the operating table it was found he had a cancer in the stomach and that he was beyound all human help or any thing that medical skill or science could do for him. The funeral services was held in Golden Valley Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Ordahl officiating, and interment was made in the cemetery there. The deceased was about 56 years of age and leaves a family of grown up sons and daughters, all of whom were present at the funeral besides the widow and other relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

Carlson's Purchase New Store.

A deal was closed this week Monday whereby Arvid and Tony Carlson became the owners of the Anderson Bros. store at Newfolden. It is reported that Arvid Carlson will take charge of the new store at Newfolden and Tony Carlson manage the business here in Holt. They are both good, progressive business men and we predict that this extension will prove a successful and profitable undertaking.

Dr. Turley will be here Aug. 2nd.

John Sorum was a business caller at Middle River Monday.

Edwin Nelson has been helping some in the creamery the past week.

Mrs. Brown of Northwood Ia., came last week Wednesday to be at the bedside of her father T. G. Dahl.

Rev. Ordahl will preach in the Holt Synod church at 10:45 Sunday morning Aug. 1st, and in Ringbo at 3:30 in the afternoon.

Ole Johnson clerked a couple of days in Sollom's store this week and we understand he goes to Newfolden to day to clerk in Carlson's new store.

Ed. M. Silbaugh has decided to move away and will sell his household good at public auction, commencing at 10 o'clock Monday morning Aug. 2nd.

Herman Camp, Mr. and Mrs. A. Nelson and daughter Esther, all of Dugdale came Wednesday for a short visit at the homes of Chas. Haggland, Jacob Nelson and John Hagberg.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Sollom returned to Warren Friday and the next day Mr. Sollom was operated upon at the hospital and at last accounts was getting along nicely.

The teachers hired for the coming year for the Holt schools are Emil Prashek of Cayuna, this state who receives a salary of $800.00 for ten months work, and Miss Elsie Lawson of Anoka, who receives a salary of $65.00 per month for 9 months school.

A birth day party was given E. J. Werner last Sunday at his home. Those out side of the immediate family who were present to celebrate the event were: Mr. and Mrs. W. Werner Mr. and Mrs. R. Rupprecht and children, and Miss Adelyn LaBree of T. R. Falls. Mr. and Mrs. A. Werner and children, Fridjof and Walmer Riesberg of Holt.

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Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
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Free Mission Church.

Afternoon.

2:00 o'clock Sunday School

Evening

8 o'clock next Sunday evening Rev. A. L. Larson will preach in English. Everyone invited.

No More Overdrafts.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has recently published a ruling to the effect that all checks which create or increase an overdraft at the bank on which they are drawn are an acknowledgment of debt only and must be stamped accordingly, that is, at the rate of two cents for every $100.00 or fraction thereof.

A violation of this rule renders the person drawing the check liable to a fine of $200.00 for each and every offence, and the bank paying the check doubtless becomes a party to the fraud and is subject also to a fine of the same amount.

All bank depositors should, therefore, be notified that hereafter all checks which create or increase an overdraft will not be paid, unless properly stamped by the person issuing the check, before presentation.

Your attention is called to Chapter 362, Revised Laws of 1915, in regard to the reserve in state banks.

A. H. Turritin.
Superintendent of Banks

Sunnyside.

L. Wegge drove to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Selma Dovre came from Thief River Falls Thursday where she has been working a few days.

Miss Lillie Peterson and Mrs. A Knauf called at Dovre's last Wednesday afternoon.

Fred Peterson made a business trip to Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

Mrs. T. O. Dovre visited at Aug. Kuhne last Monday.

The Jolly bunch gave a surprise party and dance at O. H. Dovre Saturday evening Every body reported having a good time, excepting one who seemed to be out of luck, we all wonder who was the unlucky one this time.

We wonder if Jim has tried that new grade lately.

Minnesota Public Library books may be had at Holt State Bank free to all. Call and examine the books.

Raymond and Edgar Wegge, Herman and Leonard Peterson visited at Bjerk's Sunday.

Ed. Bjerk went to Wegge's Tuesday of last week to help do some work. We all wonder what he was doing. Thats right Ed. stick to it its a good place to go.

Fred and Lilie Peterson visited at C. O. Saastad Sunday after noon.

Eiss Alma Knutson left Tuesday of last week for Holt to work at the Evergreen Hotel.

Mr and Mrs. Horien and son Edgar visited at L. Wegge's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Bjerk visited at T. O. Dovre's Wednesday of last week.

Miss Alice Sorum visited at L. Wegge's Sunday afternoon.

Ernest Kuehne who has been working at Augus, returned home Tuesday.

The Pennington Co. Fair will be held Aug. 4, 5 and 6. The great Patterson shows of 25 double length cars will b there every day to help entertain the crowds, as will also be the flying man. Good ball games, good races, good purses. Bigger and better than ever.

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We have a large surplus on hand
Which We Wish to Place In
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Our rates and terms are very reasonable and made to suit the borrower.

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I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
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Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Don't Lose Your Crop or Your Horses
Harvest Your Grain With an Avery Tractor

At harvest time it often gets to the place where it's either a case of risking the loss of your crop or the loss of your horses.

When your grain gets ripe it must be harvested at once or it will get too ripe and shell out or the rain will catch it and it will go down. You must rush your harvest and work long hours to save your crop.

But right during harvest is usually one of the hottest times in the year and if you push your horses or mules too hard in the hot sun, or work them too long hours you run the risk of losing them.

Right here is one of the places where you need a tractor. Hot weather does'nt bother it, flies or dust don't worry it, and you can run just as long hours as you care to, or night and day if you are especially rushed.

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Harvesting is not the only time when you use a tractor profitably. With it you can plow deeper and at just the right time and raise bigger crops. You can disc, harrow and drill. You can grade roads and do hauling. You can thresh, cut ensilage, shell and saw.

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S. S. Kolden & Co. Holt, Minn.

SHOULD NOT HAVE MOVED

Story of a Man Who Was Making Good, but Roving Fever Got the Best of Him.

On May 4th, 1915, the St. Paul Farmer's Dispatch contained a very interesting account of the experiences of a man from Staples, Minn. Realizing that he was not making much headway, he decided to look up a homestead in Canada. With $250 he and his wife took up a homestead near Outlook, Saskatchewan. After recounting his experiences of a few years, in which they had undergone hardships which were likely to be unavoidable, with a small amount of capital, he continues the story by stating that in the fall after a fair summer's work on his 100 acres cropped, he cleaned up nearly all his debts, having now four good horses, a complete set of farm machinery including two wagons and a "Swell" top buggy and eleven head of cattle. He continues, "However, I was not satisfied. I had been reading of the splendid homesteads that were to be had in Montana. Wheat was cheap and I thought it would get cheaper, so I began to think that homesteading as a moneymaking proposition was better than farming.

I did not stop to consider that wheat was not the only thing; as a matter of fact I had sold pork for 14 cents a pound. Eggs and butter had kept us in groceries and more, we had now four milch cows, two heifers coming in and more growing up. We had a cream separator, and some hogs. We had a quarter section of land that could raise an abundance of small grain, roots and grass for feed, but I could not see all that; I had the 'moving' fever, and decided to sell.

I set the price on the land at $3,000 cash. I could not find anyone with that much money, however, so I came down until I finally sold for $1,400.

We had an auction and sold the personal property. On the sale we got just about enough cash to pay the auctioneer; the rest was all notes.

The horses brought about two-thirds what they were worth. The implements sold for hardly one-third of what they had cost. The cattle brought a good price.

Must Make Another Start.

We now have a homestead in Montana, but we find that after moving here and getting settled, what money we had did not go far. We have three horses, about all the implements we need, and a little better buildings than we had on our former place. We have no cattle, though we had to build much fence to keep ranch stock out of our fields. We have about $500 worth of honest debts.

True, we have a half section in place of a quarter, but that is no good to us, as long as we have not the capital with which to work it.

In summarizing it all up I see where I made my mistake. It will take fully five years to get into as good circumstances as we were before we made the change. It is five years lost.

My advice to anyone contemplating a change of location is to think twice before you act, and if your present circumstances are not too bad, 'stay by your bush till you pick it clean.'"—Advertisement.

Feared No Goats.

"Papa," said a little boy in Nacagdoches, Tex., "I want a goat."

"Why, son, you can't have a goat. he'd hook you."

"Well, daddy, then I'd cut his horns off."

"Nothin' doin', son, he'd butt you."

"Aw, daddy, then I'd cut his buttons off. Please get me a goat."

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Her Ambition.

"What is your ambition?"

"Well, I don't know just how to say it, but I think I'd like to know the sensation of being in danger of being married for my money."—Detroit Free Press.

MANY WAR ZONE HOSPITALS
Have ordered Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder, for use among the convalescent troops. Shaken into the shoes or dissolved in the foot-bath, Allen's Foot-Ease gives refreshing rest and comfort and prevents the feet getting tired or foot-sore. Try it TODAY. Don't accept any substitute. Sold Everywhere, 25c. For FREE sample, address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.—Adv

Difference of Opinion.

He—You are the idol of my heart.

She—That's all right; but I don't intend to have any idle business in this family.

The Wrong Thing.

"I can give you a few wrinkles about keeping young."

"That's where wrinkles won't do."

Drink Denison's Coffee,
For your health's sake.

Wonder why it is so easy for woman to love a man who is unworth of her?

NEW AMERICAN NOTE WARNS GERMANY AGAINST ANY REPETITION OF OFFENSES

Document Reiterates the United States' Insistence Upon Rights of Neutrals Upon the Seas---Future Violations, Such as Sinking of Lusitania, to be Regarded as "Deliberately Unfriendly."

Washington, July 26. — Without backing down, and withdrawing not one whit from his position originally taken, President Wilson has placed upon Germany the responsibility of continuing or breaking the friendly relations between the two countries.

In the American note addressed to the imperial German government and just made public, Germany is flatly warned that a repetition of the offenses of which this country complains will be regarded as "deliberately unfriendly."

The words "deliberately unfriendly," as used in diplomacy, constitute a polite and suave method of warning, which amounts to an ultimatum. While the interpretation of the words rests with the President, there seems little doubt but that the executive has substituted them for the words "strict accountability," and as he has withdrawn from consideration of these words, it seems hardly possible he can ignore the plain intention of the ones used in this last note.

Must Not Repeat Offense.

The document is by far the strongest expression that has come from this government in the course of the correspondence between America and the German government. The language is forceful, courteous, convincing and almost tart in places.

If Germany should repeat the offense it will constitute an "unfriendly act" and in diplomatic language this means the breaking off of diplomatic relations and possibly war.

With such a declaration of the American position, this country will sit back and wait for Germany to speak, but more specifically to act.

The President apparently feels there is nothing more for this government to do and has returned to his summer home in Cornish.

Text of Third American Note.

Washington, July 26.—Following is the official text of the latest American note to Germany regarding submarine warfare, which was delivered to the foreign office at Berlin by Ambassador Gerard:

THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO AMBASSADOR GERARD,
DEPARTMENT OF STATE,

You are instructed to deliver texually the following note to the minister of foreign affairs:

The note of the imperial German government dated the 8th of July, 1915, has received the careful consideration of the government of the United States, and it regrets to be obliged to say that it has found it very unsatisfactory, because it fails to meet the real difference between the two governments and indicates no way in which the accepted principles of law and humanity may be applied in the grave matter in controversy, but proposes, on the contrary, arrangements for a partial suspension of those principles, which virtually set them aside.

High Seas Are Free.

The government of the United States notes with satisfaction that the imperial German government recognizes without reservation the validity of the principles insisted upon in the several communications which this government has addressed the imperial German government with regard to its announcement of a war zone and the use of submarines against merchantmen on the high seas—the principle that the high seas are free, that the character and cargo of a merchantman must first be ascertained before she can lawfully be seized or destroyed, and that the lives of non-combatants may in no case be put in jeopardy unless the vessel resists or seeks to escape after being summoned to submit to examination; for a belligerent act of retaliation is per se an act beyond the law, and the defense of an act as retaliatory is an admission that it is illegal.

United States Keenly Disappointed.

The government of the United States is, however, keenly disappointed to find that the imperial German government regards itself as in large degree exempt from the obligation to observe these principles, even where neutral vessels are concerned, by what it believes the policy and practice of the government of Great Britain to be in the present war with regard to neutral commerce. The imperial German government will readily understand that the government of the United States cannot discuss the policy of the government of Great Britain with regard to neutral trade except with the government itself, and that it must regard the conduct of other belligerent governments as irrelevant to any discussion with the imperial German government of what this government regards as grave and unjustifiable violations of the rights of American citizens by German naval commanders.

Inhuman Acts Indefensible.

Illegal and inhuman acts, however justifiable they may be thought to be against an enemy who is believed to have acted in contravention of law and humanity, are manifestly indefensible when they deprive neutrals of their acknowledged rights, particularly when they violate the right to life itself. If a belligerent cannot retaliate against an enemy without injuring the lives of neutrals, as well as their property, humanity, as well as justice and a due regard for the dignity of neutral powers, should dictate that the practice be discontinued. If persisted in it would in such circumstances constitute an unpardonable offense against the sovereignty of the neutral nation affected.

Unusual Aspects of War No Excuse.

The government of the United States is not unmindful of the extraordinary conditions created by this war or of the radical alterations of circumstance and method of attack produced by the use of instrumentalities of naval warfare which the nations of the world cannot have had in view when the existing rules of international law were formulated, and it is ready to make every reasonable allowance for these novel and unexpected aspects of war at sea; but it cannot consent to abate any essential fundamental right of its people because of a mere alteration of circumstance. The rights of neutrals in time of war are based upon principle, not upon expediency, and the principles are immutable. It is the duty and obligation of belligerents to find a way to adapt the new circumstances to them.

Causes of Offense Can Be Removed.

The events of the past two months have clearly indicated that it is possible and practicable to conduct such submarine operations as have characterized the activity of the imperial German navy within the so-called war zone in substantial accord with the accepted practices of regulated warfare. The whole world has looked with interest and increasing satisfaction at the demonstration of that possibility by German naval commanders. It is manifestly possible, therefore, to lift the whole practice of submarine attack above the criticism which it has aroused and remove the chief causes of offense.

Germany Admits Illegal Acts.

In view of the admission of illegality made by the imperial German government when it pleaded the right of retaliation in defense of its acts and in view of the manifest possibility of conforming to the established rules of naval warfare, the government of the United States cannot believe that the imperial German government will longer refrain from disavowing the wanton act of its naval commander in sinking the Lusitania or from offering reparation for the American lives lost, so far as reparation can be made for a needless destruction of human life by an illegal act.

U. S. Cannot Accept Suggestion.

The government of the United States, while not indifferent to the friendly spirit in which it is made, cannot accept the suggestion of the imperial German government that certain vessels be designated and agreed upon which shall be free on the seas now illegally proscribed. The very agreement would, by implication, subject other vessels to illegal attack and would be a curtailment, and therefore an abandonment, of the principles for which this government contends, and which in calmer counsels every nation would concede as of course.

Contends for Freedom at Any Cost.

The government of the United States and the imperial German government are contending for the same great object; have long stood together in urging the very principles upon which the government of the United States now so solemnly insists. They are both contending for the freedom of the seas. The government of the United States will continue to contend for that freedom, from whatever quarter violated, without compromise and at any cost. It invites the practical co-operation of the imperial German government at this time when co-operation may accomplish most and this great common object be most strikingly and effectively achieved.

Object Can Be Attained.

The imperial German government expresses the hope that this object may be in some measure accomplished even before the present war ends. It can be. The government of the United States not only feels obliged to insist upon it, by whomsoever violated or ignored, in the protection of its own citizens, but is also deeply interested in seeing it made practicable between the belligerents themselves and holds itself ready at any time to act as the common friend who may be privileged to suggest a way.

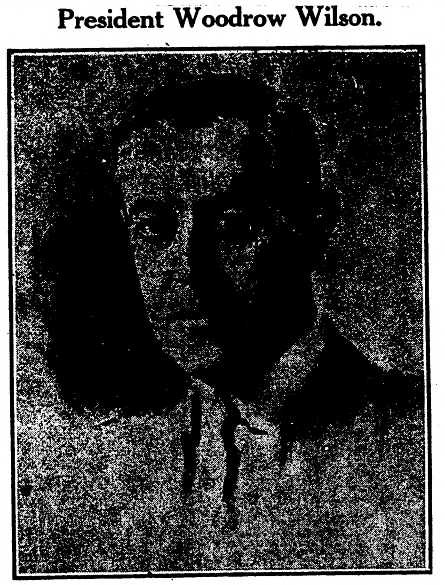
As "Deliberately Unfriendly" Act.

In the meantime the very value which this government sets upon the long and unbroken friendship between the people and government of the United States and the people and government of the German nation impels it to press very solemnly upon the imperial German government the necessity for a scrupulous observance of neutral rights in this critical matter.

Friendship itself prompts it to say to the imperial German government that repetition by the commanders of German naval vessels of acts in contravention of those rights must be regarded by the government of the United States, when they affect American citizens, as deliberately unfriendly.

LANSING.

President Woodrow Wilson.



President Wilson, in the third American note protesting against the Lusitania tragedy, places upon Germany the responsibility of continuing or breaking friendly relations between the two countries.

PICNIC STEAMER LISTS AT CHICAGO; 1,000 MEET DEATH

VESSEL TURNS OVER IN RIVER AS IT LEAVES WHARF—MAJORITY OF VICTIMS WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

500 BODIES RECOVERED; INVESTIGATION ORDERED

Rescuers Cut Holes in Hull and Continue Removing Bodies from Boat—Feared List of Dead May Reach 1,500—Tragedy Over in Less Than Five Minutes.

Chicago, July 26.—Deputy Coroner David Jones and Sheriff John E. Traeger of Cook county, who are directing the work of removing bodies from the hull of the Eastland, declare that from reports of the bodies still within the hull they fear the list of dead will reach 1,200 and may reach 1,500.

Chicago, July 26.—Hundreds, perhaps 1,500 persons were drowned or crushed to death when the steamer Eastland, crowded with 2,500 employees of the Western Electric company, capsized in the Chicago river. Hours after the accident rescuers were still taking bodies from the boat through holes chopped in its hull, and estimates of the death list ran from 1,000 to 1,500.

At 2 p. m. more than 500 dead had been found.

The crowding of passengers to one side of the boat is supposed to have caused the tragedy, but the authorities, not satisfied with this explanation, ordered the arrest of the officers of the boat, and Captain Harry Pedersen and Dell Fisher, first mate, were taken to police headquarters.

Panic of the worst kind struck the passengers when the boat began to turn over. Best accounts of witnesses said the steamer rolled slightly twice, then turned further, and that hundreds of screaming, struggling men, women and children slid across the sloping decks, fought for room on the companionways and clutched at deck chairs or any other object that came to hand.

Evidence of Desparation.

Women and children by the hundreds were caught below decks and the scratched faces, torn clothing and bruised bodies of the dead bore mute evidence of the desperation with which they had fought for a chance for life.

The whole tragedy occupied less than five minutes. Members of the crew shouted warnings as the steamer first tilted and Captain Pedersen ordered lower deck ports opened and all passengers shore. There was, however, no chance of such a measure to succeed.

Five Steamers Chartered.

Some 7,000 tickets had been distributed for the excursion and five steamers chartered by the company. The Eastland was first to receive its quota, and when its chartered capacity was reached federal inspectors ordered that no more be taken aboard. The boat was docked on the south side of the river and when the hundreds hurrying to the boat were turned back from it they streamed across the Clark street bridge to the steamer Theodore Roosevelt, which was to take the second boat load.

Screams of the Eastland victims halted this rush and the bridge was jammed with people until police, fearing that the structure would collapse, ordered it cleared.

City Turns to Rescue Work.

Every resource of the city was turned to the rescue work. Remembering the Iroquois theatre disaster, mercantile concerns in the vicinity hurried motor trucks to the scene laden with blankets to warm the living or cover the dead. Pulmoters by the score were sent to the dock, physicians, police, firemen, government life savers and nurses were summoned and all hospitals and morgues notified to prepare for patients or corpses.

The steamer floated on its side into midstream and tugs, motor-boats and other river craft swarmed about it. Firemen climbed on the wreck, forced openings in the steel hull and through these searched the cabins for possible victims.

None of the officers or department heads of the Western Electric company were on the Eastland when it overturned, according to an announcement from the offices of the company.

Survivors Unable to Talk.

Many survivors were too hysterical to relate their experiences. As soon as those received at the hospitals were in condition to leave they were taken to their homes, many owners of automobiles having offered their machines.

An undertaking establishment in North Clark street was surrounded by a crowd of curiosity seekers that threatened to get beyond the control of the police. A morbid crowd trailed through the rooms where there were twelve bodies stretched out on the floor.

Companions in Misfortune.

Two men sat at the same table in a restaurant of the cheaper sort in Berlin. They were strangers to each other, but not too proud to talk.

"Hard times," said one, putting down regretfully his empty beer glass.

"Very hard times," said the other as he speared with his fork the last morsel of sausage.

"I have seen better days."

"And I."

"Only a year ago, too."

"Just about that."

"I mean in my business."

"Precisely. My business is gone clean to the devil."

"The same with mine."

"And what is your business, may ask?"

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"I am a professor of international law."

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Borrowed Finery.

The wedding party was moving down the aisle, and as the bride passed a woman friend sitting with her husband whispered: "She's wearing a veil loaned by her grandmother. Isn't it a beauty?"

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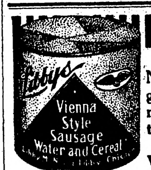

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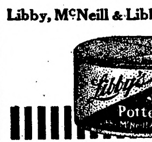

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"Is that Grogan in there pitching for the home team?" inquired the belated fan who arrived just after the visitors had made seven runs in one inning.

"That's Grogan in the pitcher's box," admitted his neighbor, "but I haven't noticed that he's been doing any pitching."

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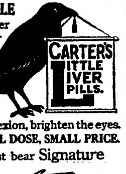

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INDIAN LAND TITLE HINGES ON DIVORCE

HALF BREED SEEKS NEW TRIAL IN COURTS—JUDGE HOLDS TRIBAL LAWS GOVERN.

STATE NEWS OF MINNESOTA

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

Duluth. — David W. LaFramboise, Shakopee halfbreed, has filed notice in district court of a motion for a new trial of a case started by him three years ago to establish his right to the controlling interest in a 40-acre tract of mineral land on the Vermillion range. The case has just been decided against the plaintiff. LaFramboise's Indian name is Da-wee, and he is a grandnephew of John Otherday, or Chief An-pe-tu-tok-chu of the Med-in-han-kaw-an of Big Water tribe, who distinguished himself by showing heroic loyalty to the whites during the famous Sioux outbreak of 1862.

Tribal Laws Govern.

In his decision, Judge Cant declared that the tribal laws, and not the laws of the white man, governed when it came to questions of marriage and divorce.

The land in question is located about four miles east of Tower, in the mineral belt. It is considered valuable.

R. Noble Day purchased the property in 1901 from a squaw, who called herself Ellen Cekiya. She claimed to be the widow of Alexis LaFramboise, who died in 1876. The land was patented to the heirs of Alexis in return for script held by the Indians and in exchange for relinquishment of land held by them near Lake Pepin. David LaFramboise, the plaintiff in this case, claims that Ellen (Yubana) Cekiya, who sold the land, was never the wife of Alexis LaFramboise, and not his heir, but that one Emma (Quana) LaFramboise, David's mother, was the real wife. The whole case has turned on this question.

David's mother, now 85 years of age, was a witness. She testified that when she was 16 years old Alexis "bought her" from her father. Ellen, the second wife, was her cousin.

WILSON'S 1916 RUNNING MATE

Hammond Is Probable Choice in Next Campaign, Is Declaration at Portland, Ore., Luncheon.

Portland, Ore.—"Governor Winfield Scott Hammond of Minnesota, gentlemen, is the probable running mate of Wilson in the next campaign," announced Representative C. N. McArthur, Oregon Republican, in speaking of the gubernatorial visitor at a luncheon given in the governor's honor at the Chamber of Commerce here.

Governor Hammond did not deny the possibility of his selection for Democratic honors.

In his address to the members' council at the Chamber of Commerce, Governor Hammond dealt with problems he said that Oregon had in common with Minnesota. State aid for settlers on logged-off land was one cause advocated.

BOUNTIES FOR GOPHERS, WOODCHUCKS AND RATTLERS.

Winona.—Hunting gophers, woodchucks and rattlesnakes in this section of Minnesota pays big dividends.

That fact is emphasized by the warrants issued at the office of the county auditor to meet the bounties on these undesirable creatures. From all over the cuonty the returns have been heavy this spring and the "harvesting" season is only approaching.

The town boards now must issue the warrants for bounties and they are paid by the chairman of the boards through the auditor. Chairman William Drenckhahn of the town of Mount Vernon, near Minneiska, was paid $134.94 for a month's bounty in his section. Sixty seven dollars were for rattlesnakes, $31.99 for gophers and $31.95 for woodchucks.

William S. Nettleton of Minnesota City also was paid $3 as rattlesnake bounty.

Colonization in Crow Wing.

Brainerd.—One of the biggest moves for the colonization of Crow Wing county is the placing on the market of 8,000 acres owned by the Northern Pacific railway and the selling of the same to actual settlers at reasonable prices.

Prospect of Prison Life Kills.

Brainerd, Minn., July 24.—Ole Berg, an old man who stole a suit of clothes from a clothing store and whose plea of guilty caused him to be given an indeterminate sentence to Stillwater, died of a broken heart in his cell. He had lived the hard but free life of the lumber camp and the spectacle of a prison waiting to receive him prostrated him. The commitment papers were in the hands of Sheriff C. A. Theorin when that official found the prisoner dying.

THOMPSON TO PLEAD GUILTY

ASKS ATTORNEY TO FILE FORMAL CHARGES.

Former Cashier of Osseo Bank to Offer No Defense—Superintendent Declares Shortage $67,058.

Minneapolis, July 24.—At practically the same hour that A. H. Turrittin, state superintendent of banks, made public an official statement declaring the shortage at the Osseo State bank to be $67,058.26, Joseph B. Thompson, former cashier, asked County Attorney John M. Rees to file formal charges against him, allow him to plead guilty and begin sentence at once. It was predicted at the courthouse that Thompson would be on his way to the state penitentiary in 24 hours.

The charges were to be filed immediately after the county attorney had received a copy of Mr. Turrittin's report.

The superintendent's report declared that 17 forged notes, aggregating more than $20,000, had been found by his examiners and that funds were missing from practically every department of the bank's business, including the savings accounts. Despite this, Mr. Turrittin said, the bank probably would be reopened.

Thompson to "Face Music."

Thompson's determination to "face the music" was made during a conference in the county jail, at which his wife and attorney were with him for more than an hour. Attorney Manley Fosseen, who represents the former cashier, said no defense will be interposed.

"Thompson has made no pretense of innocence from the day he was taken into custody," said Mr. Fosseen. "He said he is anxious to begin serving his sentence. He realizes fully that delay is only making the parting with his wife and family the harder. Mrs. Thompson is standing the strain, but it daily grows harder to bear."

RURAL LIFE CONFERENCE

Meeting at University Farm Promises to Be Largely Attended—Inquiries Received from Over State

The rural life conference, which begins this week at Universty Farm, St. Paul, promises to be largely attended and of greater interest than the conference of last year even. Inquiries are being received from rural clergymen, educators, bankers, farmers' club presidents, and others. As a result of such varied attendance the discussions are likely to bring out points of unusual value.

"These conferences," says Dean A. F. Woods, of the Minnesota College of Agriculture, "are big with possibilities and should exercise a large influence on the development of rural life in Minnesota. As their value becomes better known, they should bring together annually all classes of men and women holding positions of leadership in town and country. Such a getting-together should be of inestimable value."

The program for the first day of the conference includes some interesting features. Among these will be an address of welcome by Dean Woods, who will review the stuation in the state; a round-table on rural education, led by Rev. C. O. Bemies, of McClellandtown, Pa.; a conference on the rural church, led by Rev. E. C. Hickman, of Byron, Minn.; a discussion of rural recreation by D. D. Mayne, principal of the Minnesota School of Agriculture, and an address on "How One Community Found Itself," by Mr. Bemies.

Auto Injuries Fatal.

Virginia, Minn.—William A. Whitney, wealthy superior contractor and banker, while motoring home from the auto races at Hibbing, broke a wheel a mile west of this city. The car turned completely over, pinning Whitney underneath. His collarbone and several ribs were broken and he suffered other injuries from which he cannot recover.

Billion Dollar Committee.

Minneapolis, Minn.—After a [illegible] of 13,150 miles examining and inspecting reclamation projects in the West the house committee on appropriations, known as the billion dollar committee, headed by its chairman, Congressman John J. Fitzgerald of Brooklyn, spent the day in Minneapolis on the last lap of the trip.

Hits Danger Lantern; Killed.

Minneapolis, Minn. — Falling into a street excavation while playing, Gerald, two-year-old son of John L. Brown, 4315 Tenth avenue south, overturned a danger lantern and was fatally burned. His clothing, wet with kerosene, was burned from his body. He died in the City hospital several hours later.

"Last Man's Club" Meets.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Eight of the "Last Man's Club," the thin remnant of its original roster, which in turn was the remnant of those in Company B, First Minnesota regiment, which made the famous charge at Gettysburg, stood round a long white covered table at which 22 vacant chairs were draped in black, bowed their covered heads in silent tribute to the dead and then drank a toast to deathless memory.

CZARINA ESCAPED THE CROWD

Unwelcome Popularity Forced Wife of Monarch to Climb Ladder When Recognized.

The czarina's popularity in Russia has been enormously increased since the war on account of the work that she has been doing for the Russian Red Cross.

It is interesting to recall that her majesty once had an extraordinary experience for a royal personage while on a visit to Germany. She was out shopping one day, attended only by one lady companion, and she had hoped to remain unrecognized by the people. While she was making some purchases in a jeweler's shop, however, the news of her identity got abroad, and in a very few moments there was a large crowd outside the premises.

Exit through the front door was out of the question, so the czarina asked the jeweler to let herself and her companion out of the back of the shop.

The jeweler replied that that was impossible, as the back yard was inclosed by a very high boarding which would effectually cut off their retreat.

"That does not matter," said the empress. "Get a ladder and we will climb over it."

A ladder was brought and the czarina and her companion rushed up it, climbed over the boarding, jumped into a quiet street, and made their escape as quickly as they could.

A minute later the jeweler's shop window was smashed to atoms by the surging and excitable crowd.—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

A Busy Day.

"There's a delivery wagon driving up to our door," said hubby. "Been shopping again?"

"Well, I didn't have anything to do," replied wifey, "so I went down to Wanacooper's and listened to the concert in their auditorium. It was just splendid, too. After that I went up in the grocery department and tried some new cereal they're demonstrating. I managed to get three helpings so I didn't need to spend any money for luncheon. Then I looked at the fashion parade and spent the rest of the afternoon in the art gallery. After that I didn't feel as if I ought to leave the store without buying anything, so I had them send me up a spool of thread."

One They Appreciated.

"That last thing you sent in was good," said the editor: "we all enjoyed reading it very much."

"Well, in that case," said the youthful poet, "I take back what I said in the letter I wrote to you yesterday about my determination never to send you any of my work again."

The editor slowly shook his head. "Don't do that," he murmured; "why, that letter is what I referred to!"—Stray Stories.

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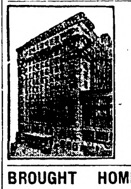

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BROUGHT HOME TROPHIES

Aunt Mary Had Gathered Many "Curiosities" During Her Morning Stroll on Golf Links.

It was at St. Andrews in Scotland, the home of golf, where the links stretch along over the moors by the sea, and dear, quiet Aunt Mary had gone up from London to visit a golfing family of nephews and nieces. At tea the first afternoon someone managed to stop talking golf long enough to ask, "Well, Aunt Mary, how did you pass the morning?"

"Oh, I enjoyed myself immensely, my dear. I went for a walk on the moor.

"A good many people seemed to be about, and some of them called out to me in a most energetic manner. But I didn't take any notice of them. And, oh, my dear, I found such a number of curious little round things. I brought them home to ask you what they are."

Hereupon Aunt Mary opened her work bag and produced 24 golf balls. —Youth's Companion.

Considerate.

"I see you're teaching your wife to play golf. Is she an apt pupil?"

"Oh, she doesn't care for the game at all. I'm merely teaching her the rudiments, so I can discuss the game with her when I come home from the links."

Should Sport a Sign.

A man born with a harelip is of few days and full of trouble. In a central Missouri town lives a man who possesses a harelip and a motor car. He had been much interested in the spread of the jitney idea, and the other day, when starting out to the county seat of his county, he saw a number of his fellow citizens waiting at the railroad station for a train to the same place, and decided to do a little jitneying himself. Driving up to the station he called out what his friends took to be a cordial invitation to joy ride to the county capital, and they accepted promptly. On arriving at the courthouse they were surprised—and grieved—by a demand for 50 cents apiece.

"Pay nothin'!" exclaimed one. "You never said a word about pay. You just drove up and hollered: "Git in the car!"

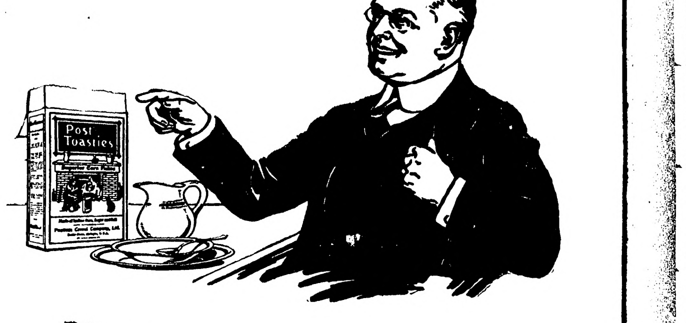
"I didn't either say yit in the car," wailed the harelipped man. "I said yitney car."

Harmony.

"I'm going to select new uniforms for my baseball team," said the manager. "Can you suggest anything?"

"How about caps of green billiard cloth to match their ivory domes?" said the disgusted rooter.

About the only way the average person can attract wide attention is by being a fool.



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Sincerity.
I should say sincerity, a deep, great, genuine sincerity, is the first characteristic of all men in any way heroic.—Carlyle.

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P. O. Ditmanson

It could hardly be expected that a large crowd would turn out to anything at this season of the year, but they did for the lecture given Monday evening by Messrs. Ditmanson and Kolden, two of the 30 "College Volunteers" of this state. Their topic was liquor's relation to our physicial, mental, social and financial well-being, and was made very interesting to all.

Erling Kolden

R. L. Olson and E. M. Silbaugh made a flying trip to T. R. Falls, Tuesday.

Wallace circus will be in Thief River Falls Aug. 12th. See their ad next week.

A small party of relatives came from Northwood, Iowa, Tuesday, to attend the funeral of Mr. Dahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christoferson have moved into rooms over Bennes' pool hall.

Fridjof Riesberg took his sister, Mrs. Alex Strom, and children, out to E. A. Johnson's, Sunday, for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Alkenbrack and A. H. Huseth and family autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday and visited relatives and friends and attended church in the evening.

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Local Items

Chris Yttre was a business visitor at Mud Lake Monday.

Clarence Kolden returned home from Crookston Tuesday.

Miss Edna Riesberg went to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Miss Albertina Nyberg left for Grand Forks, Friday and from there she will go to Alvarado to work.

Arvid Carlson departed for Minneapolis Monday where he will purchase goods for their store.

Ole Backlund autoed to Randen Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Eli Roland of Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sagstuen were visitors in Thief River Falls over Sunday.

Ole Backland and Albert Knutson visited the latters parents Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lofken of T. R. Falls autoed up Tuesday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Rierson.

The Synod Ladies aid meets with Mrs. Fred Larson Wednesday Aug. 4, 1915. Everybody welcome.

B. L. Backe has a new bank sign which reaches nearly across the building. It is a dandy and shows up to great advantage.

The well known dentist of Thief River Falls, Dr. J. T. Turley, will be in Holt, Monday August second.

Services will be held in the school house west of Torger Ness's in New Solum, next Sunday afternoon at 2 oclock. Everybody invited.

For Sale!
Four Lots
Two Houses
Big Barn
On Easy Terms
Chris Yttre
Holt, Minn.

B. Docken and family were Thief River Falls visitors Saturday and Sunday.

The ladies gave Mrs. Gunheim a birthday surprise party Wednesday evening.

Sam Mickelson and Racine Olson went to Newfolden Saturday to do carpenter work.

Henry Peterson of Thief River Falls visited at the M. T. Strom home between trains Monday.

B. L. Backe autoed to Grygla Monday with Mrs. I. Thomas who will teach Norwegian school there.

Misses Esther and Estella Mickelson returned home Saturday from Crookston accompanied by their cousin Miss Alice Stafford who remained here for a few days visit.

Rev. A. L. Larson will be here Sunday evening and will preach in English, at 8 o'clock at the Free Mission church. Everyone invited.

Misses Lilly Hagen, Bertha and Myrtle Olson came from Middle River, Saturday, to visit at the R. L. Olson home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Alkenbrack returned home last week Thursday evening from Grand Forks accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Culver, and brothers, Henry and Levi Culver and wife all of Tolley N. D. who visited here a couple of days.

Miss Sophia Rusten of Woodside twp. Polk Co. who has been teaching a term of Norwegian school near Thief Lake, stopped off here Friday, on her way home to visit her cousin, Mrs. S. S. Kolden. Miss Ella Olberg accompanied Miss Rusten on her way home from Thief Lake to Fertile.

P. L. Anderson visited his parents near St. Hilaire, Sunday.

Adolph Sollom autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Ole Backland and Thorval Kolden made a trip to Gatzke last week Thursday.

Mrs. Peter Hoglin and children of Thief River Falls were week end visitors at the B. Docken home.

Misses Marie Nelson, Agnes and Olga Bakke of Thief River Falls, were Sunday callers at the B. Docken home.

Cream shippers would get about 20c, if we had no creamery here. Has the creamery that paid 25 cents done poorly? It all depends on the amount of business done for the year, no matter how well it may be managed the expenses will be in proportion to the make of butter.

The creameries that did a business of $30000 or less yearly, paid less that 30 cents for butterfat. Those that had a business of $50000 or more paid 30 cents and up. A hundred farmers with an average of 10 cows each, can do a business of $50 000 a year, easily, at present prices. But they must test their cows and keep only the best and sell a good grade of cream to the home creamery. Don't ship your cream away from home and have it spoil before it gets to the big creamery which is known as a centralizer. They never make better butter than seconds and thirds and by comparing the prices in any of the markets, you can easily see the home creamery can pay more for butterfat.

Horse Chestnut Tree in Bottle.
Horse chestnuts can be grown in a bottle of water. Use a bottle with a neck wide enough to hold the chestnut, adding water to just touch the nut and stand it in a window. Roots will form, followed by a stem and leaves. If the water is constantly supplied the tree can grow for years in the bottle.

Good and Evil.
We often try in vain to cut up our errors by the roots, to fight evil hand to hand on its own ground, where it has us at a disadvantage, whereas our most sure way to victory is by developing and fortifying the good that is in us. We have but a certain measure of strength and activity; as much of this as is added to the good is taken from the evil.—Mme. Swetchine.

Enlarged Tonsils and Adenoids.
Before operating to remove adenoids and tonsils the health of the child should always be built up. If there is an existing cold this must be treated and cured. If the teeth are decayed they must be filled. Treating the teeth and the practicing of deep breathing exercises will be all that is needed to cure tonsil disease if it is strictly local, and not the expression of a systematic condition or some recent infection.

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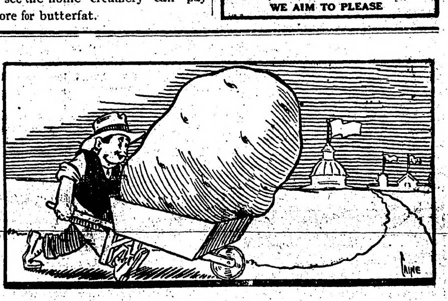

UNDOUBTEDLY THIS POTATO will take no prize. It will not be the only potato entered at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 6 to 11. Its owner, however, recognizes the value of State Fair advertising, and will continue to enter potatoes until he does take a prize. Furthermore he wants to look over the million dollar livestock show and buy a boar to head his herd. As he is also thinking of buying a manure spreader and a silo he wants to look over the suitable types at the 70-acre machinery show and decide what to do. His wife is to show a lemon pie, and his oldest boy is to exhibit some corn. They sent to Secretary John C. Simpson, Hamline, Minn., for a premium list, looked it over, and decided to get into the game. Then they all want to see Aviator Art Smith, ten weeks at the Frisco Exposition, the auto polo, horse racing, the fire works, auto racing, music, and other great features. Say, LET'S GO TOO!

KNOW THY COUNTRY

II—Railroads

In discussing the commercial achievements of this great age, we shall approach the subject as the historian chronicling events. This series will endeavor to record in writing the supremacy of American men and industries in the world's affairs and perpetuate an appreciation of our marvelous industrial achievements by presenting simple facts, figures and comparisons that are overpowering in their convictions.

America holds her proud place among the nations of the earth today on account of her supremacy in transportation facilities. The mighty minds of the age are engaged in the problems of transportation, and the greatest men in the history of the world's commerce are at the head of the transportation systems of the United States.

In the discussion of transportation, let us consider separately our Railways, Telegraph and Telephones, Express, Public Highways, Steamships, Street Railways, Interurban and other forms of transportation, and this article will deal with railways.

The United States has the largest mileage, the best service, the cheapest rates, pays labor the highest wages, and we have the most efficiently managed of the railways of the world. They stand as a monument to the native genius of our marvelous builders, and most of the railroads in foreign countries have been built under American orders.

The railroads represent a larger investment of capital than any other branch of human activity. The mileage in the United States exceeds the accepted distance from the earth to the moon. We had in 1911, the last year in which figures for all countries are available, on the earth's surface, 639,981 miles of railway divided as follows: United States 241,199, Europe 207,432 and other countries 191,350. The United States has 38 per cent of the world's mileage, seven per cent of the estimated population and about five per cent of the area. The total capital invested in the railways of the world is $50,000,000,000, divided as follows: United States $13,000,000,000 Europe $25,650,000,000 and other countries $11,350,000,000. Reduced to a mileage basis the capitalization is as follows: The world $78,000, United States $54,000, Europe $124,000, and other countries $59,000.

A comparison of rates is equally as interesting and the United States takes the lead in economy and service. The average rate per ton per hundred mile haul is as follows: United States 76c, Great Britain $2.53, France $1.44, Germany $1.14, Russia 92c, Austria-Hungary $1.30, Italy $2.30 and Switzerland $2.82.

The average yearly pay of all railroad employes in the principal countries is as follows: United States $757, Germany $392, Italy $345, Austria $322, Great Britain $270, France $260 and Russia $204.

About 30 per cent, or 188,000 miles, of the railways of the world are government owned. About half the railway mileage of Europe is government owned.

A comparison of the economy, in time and money and the convenience in travel, will be made in a later article.

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Cannot Halt a Hail-Storm!
You cannot halt a Hail-storm, so the next best thing is to cover your crop with a policy that pays you for damage done.
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Hagenbeck-Wallace circus will be in Thief River Falls next Thursday.

B. Docken and family attended the fair at Thief River Falls on Thursday,

T. B. Folden was a business caller in Thief River Falls last week Thursday and Friday.

Rev. A. L. Larson preached to a good audience Sunday evening. Rev. Larson is a good strong speaker and he will be here again in a short time and preach in English.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretson visited Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dybdahl, Sunday, and her father Hans Dybdahl returned home with them for a short visit.

John Alkenbrack moved the house Wednesday, he recently sold, onto a lot northeast of the old location. He has traded his dray to Jacob Nelson and expects to move to Dakota next week.

Potatoes

The shades of night were falling fast
As thru the village of Holt there passed,
A youth who bore mid snow and ice
A banner with this strange device,
"Potatoes"

In happy hours he saw a light
Of household fires warm and bright,
He knew what placed those comforts there,
And cried out in the evening air,
"Potatoes"

Plant thou the seeds, P. A. Riesberg said
It will bring riches upon thy head.
The soil is deep and the land is wide,
To him at once the youth replied,
"Potatoes"

Oh stay a maiden cried and rest,
Tis time to build our own home nest,
A smile was in his bright blue eye,
I'll stay at once was his glad cry,
"Potatoes"

A fortune there quite soon he found,
Potatoes grow for miles around,
While still he plants and still there grows,
Thru summers' heat or winters snows,
"Potatoes"

Renie A. Werner.

Miss Inez Alkenbrack returned on Friday from visiting her sister in T. R. Falls.

Albert Jahr is running a meat wagon into town and is meeting with good success.

Mrs. Allie Warner went to T. R. Falls Saturday to visit relatives and also enjoy the fair.

D. Payne, A. R. Jones, Henry Oien and Clarence Kolden attended the fair yesterday, at Thief River Falls.

The Thief River Fall's band played for our people Friday while the train stopped here. The people came running from all directions to hear them and the music was enjoyed by all. Nohing else will gather a crowd so quickly as a band, unless it is a fire.

A farwell surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Silbaugh Friday evening at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe. A goodly number were present and a pleasant evening was spent by all. Mr. Backe on behalf of the friends, presented Mr. and Mrs. Silbaugh with a beautiful set of silver knives and forks.

Mr. Hovick and Editor Wilson of Newfolden made this office a pleasant call while in town Monday. These are pleasant gentleman to meet and each has a good business at Newfolden. Mr. Hovick sells real estate and Mr. Wilson is publishing one of the best papers in Marshall Co. having recently purchased a new dress and otherwise improving things in general.

A telephone message reached here Sunday morning from Warren that T. T. Sollom had had a stroke of paralysis Saturday night. As soon as the family could get ready they left for Warren to see their father. P. L. Anderson took the four older daughters and Carl Newton the four older sons and they remained with their parents all day, returning home in the evening, except Alfred who remained at the bedside of his father to assist his mother in doing what they can to relieve the sufferings of husband and father. The paralysis is on the left side and Mr. Sollom cannot move the hand or foot on the side that is afflicted and we understand he is in a dangerous condition.

Free Mission Church.

Afternoon.

2:00 o'clock Sunday School

3 o'clock Rev. M. T. Strom will preach in Norwegian and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

Northeast of Holt

Erick Johnsen and son Joseph called at C. W. Christianson's Wednesday evening.

"Making hay while the sun shines," is the farmers motto these days.

Miss Tina Johnson left for Alvarado, Friday, "Likke paa rjesen Tina."

A number of young people spent Saturday evening at O. H. Dovre's.

Quite a number attended the Ladies Aid at Erick Johnson's, last Thursday.

Southeast of Holt.

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe, Thea and Arthur Gutterud visited at the home of P. Quindlog, Sunday.

Josie Weeks finished a term of Norwegian school on Friday.

Misses Alma Soiney and Agnes Hansen and Messrs. Ralph Hansen and Daniel Reinstad visited at the S. Moe home Sunday.

John Sorenson of Thief River Falls, was seen around this vicinity last week, buying cattle.

Messrs. John and Nels Gudvangen went to Crookston, Monday, to attend the wedding of their sister, Sina. They returned home on Friday.

Soren Bergland and Torbjor Skomedal have started haying on the McGinty farm.

Still in Business

To my friends and business patrons throughout the country:

I have just recently found out that some of my business neighbors here in town have been circulating a report to the effect that I was going out of business, in fact that I have already closed my lunch counter and confectionery. Any such statement is a malicious and deliberate falsehood, as I am still doing business at the old stand and giving all my patrons the very best value for their money in anything I can serve them with.

Very truly yours,
Chas. W. Latta.

Axel Nelson took in the fair at T. R. F. this week.

Miss Lydia Riesberg went to T. R. Falls Tuesday to visit relatives.

Racine Olson is painting the old hardware building owned by S. S. Kolden.

Dr. Mellby of T. R. Falls was a professional caller at G. P. Sorter's Wednesday.

Miss Clara Furr went to Thief River Falls last Monday to visit with friends.

Miss Lucy Wegge and her brother Raymond went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to attend the fair.

Master Arthur Davidson and Walmer Riesberg went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to take in the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. M. Silbabgh left for St. Paul last Wednesday where they expect to reside permanently.

Miss Hilma Nyberg and Johanica Larson were passengers for T. R. Falls Wednesday where they will enjoy the fair for a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Halverson of Hillsboro N. D., Miss Olga Backe of T. R. Falls and Dr. Robert Spinks of Remer Minn. were callers at B. Docken's last Saturday.

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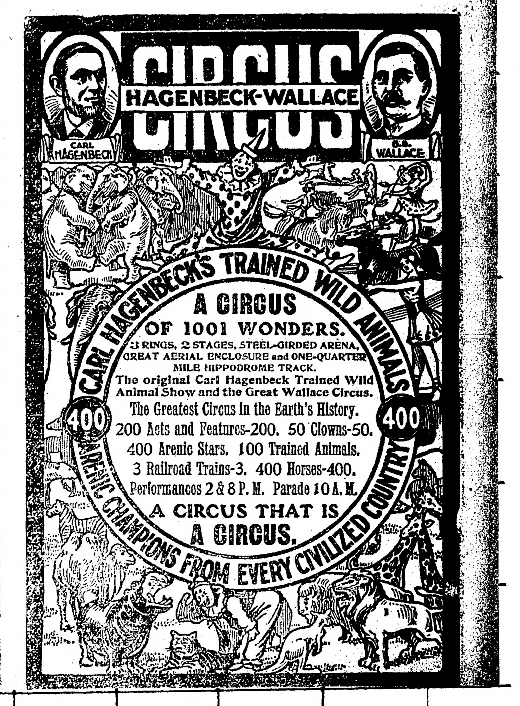

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CARL HAGENBECK
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CARL HAGENBECK'S TRAINED WILD ANIMALS
A CIRCUS OF 1001 WONDERS.
3 RINGS, 2 STAGES, STEEL-GIRDED ARENA, GREAT AERIAL ENCLOSURE and ONE-QUARTER MILE HIPPODROME TRACK.
The original Carl Hagenbeck Trained Wild Animal Show and the Great Wallace Circus.
The Greatest Circus in the Earth's History.
200 Acts and Features-200. 50 Clowns-50.
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Performances 2 & 8 P. M. Parade 10 A. M.
A CIRCUS THAT IS A CIRCUS.
400
400
ARENIC CHAMPIONS FROM EVERY CIVILIZED COUNTRY

WITH BARNS FULL OF STOCK

Didn't Look Much Like Hard Times in Western Canada.

A. Meyer, who left one of the best Counties in Minnesota, probably because he got a good price for his excellent farm, and left for the Canadian West, writes to his local paper, the Bagley Independent. His story is well worth repeating. He says:

"To say I was greatly surprised when I reached Saskatchewan and Alberta would be expressing it mildly. In a country where so much suffering was reported, I found everyone in good circumstances; and especially all our friends who have left Clearwater and Polk counties. They all have good homes and those who were reported to have sold their stock through lack of feed, I found with their barns full of stock, and it did not look very much like hard times. They have from 160 acres to two sections of the finest land that can be found.

Those that left here two or three years ago have from 100 to 400 acres in crops this year.

Prospects for a bumper crop are splendid. It is a little cold now, but nothing is frosted, either in gardens or fields. Land can be bought quite reasonably here from those who volunteered their services in the European war. Here are certainly the best opportunities for securing a good home with a farm and independence for life in a short time. Before I started I heard that prices were so high. Flour was reported at $12 per hundred it is $4.25 here. In the west all the groceries can be purchased for nearly the same as in Minn. The only article that I found higher was kerosene at 35 cts per gallon. When I saw the land I wondered why people do not live where they produce enough from the soil to make a comfortable living. We visited T. T. Sater, John Dahls, W. J. and R. D. Holt's, Martin Halmen, Ole Halvorson, Wm. Walker and Geo. Colby, all from Bagley. We found well and prosperous farmers who wished to be remembered to all their Bagley friends."

(Sgd.) A. MEYER.—Advertisement.

The Proper Term.
"I'm going to celebrate my wouldn't wedding tomorrow," said the sandy drummer.
"You mean your wooden wedding, don't you?" queried the grocer.
"No, I mean just what I said," answered the s. d., "It will be five years ago tomorrow since I asked a girl to marry me, and fortunately she said she wouldn't."

Beauty and the Beast.
"A deucedly pretty girl!"
"Stunning."
"And a hideous bulldog."
"True. She ought to have a man along to lessen the contrast between herself and the dog."

Changed His Mind.
Wife (during the spat)—During our courtship you said you would gladly die for me.
Husband—Well?
Wife—Well, why don't you?

Domestic Warfare.
Little Lemuel—Why are there so many divorces, paw?
Paw—Possibly, my son, because the sea of matrimony is infested with floating mines.

Not Definite.
"My husband," remarked Mrs. Harker, "is a peculiar man. I have to handle him with gloves."
"Boxing or rubber?" queried her friend Mrs. Barker.

Only Vegetables for Him.
"So you're an applicant for the position of gardener?"
"Yes, sir."
"Had experience with vegetables?"
"Oh, yes, sir; ten years."
"I have a horse and cow you will have to take care of."
"Oh, I couldn't do that, sir. You see, I'm a strict vegetarian."

Hubby Will Economize.
"But your fiance has such a small salary; how are you going to live?"
"Oh, we're going to economize. We're going to do without such a lot of things that Jack needs."

The Purpose of Thrift.
"Save up your pennies, my boy."
"What for, dad?"
"And when you get 25 of them either your mother or I will borrow them for carfare."

Applied Calisthenics.
"I'm a retired acrobat," explained the tramp at the door.
"Then," replied the stern-faced feminist, "you can go to the woodpile and do the split for your dinner."

Pleasing Father.
"Jinks' father wanted him to go into uplift work when he left college."
"Well, did he?"
"Sure, he did. He took the check the old man gave him to begin with and bought an aeroplane."

Economizing.
"George, dear, I've succeeded in reducing expenses. By having everything charged I find I have spent very little money this week, and still you say I have no business sense."—Judge.

LUBLIN OCCUPIED; RUSSIANS IN PERIL

VIENNA STATEMENT REPORTS PARTIAL SUCCESS—CHELM-LUBLIN RAILWAY TAKEN.

SLAVS ARE APPLYING TORCH

Dispatches to London Report Country Left to Invaders Devastated—Warsaw Denuded of Everything of Military Value.

CAVALRY ENTERS LUBLIN.

London, August 2.—Austro-German cavalry have entered Lublin. Official announcement to this effect from Vienna, supplementing German claims that the Russian grip along this southern front had been broken, indicates that the important Lublin-Chelm railway now is strongly held by the invaders, cutting off one line of retreat for the Russian forces in southern Poland.

London, Aug. 2.—The Russians now are facing the problem of evacuating Warsaw and the surrounding country without losing their armies, while the Austro-German forces are making a supreme effort to get across their line of retreat. The Teutons are said to have met with partial success in this attempt, a Berlin official report stating that Field Marshal von Mackensen, resuming the offensive, had reached the Chelm-Lublin railway, about midway between those two cities, and that southeast of this as far as the Bug river, the Russian front had been "shaken."

The success of General von Mackensen in getting across this railway, after having been virtually stopped by the Russian counter attack, denies at least one line of retreat to the Russians who might still be between him and Warsaw, and also places the Germans in a position to move against the Bug river front should this be decided upon.

British military critics, however, refuse to believe that Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief of the Russian forces, has not provided for all contingencies or that he was not fairly sure of the safety of his troops before indicating to the world that he had decided to take up a new line.

Indeed, the news contained in the Berlin official statement that the Germans have crossed the Vistula river southeast of Warsaw, between the Pilica river and Kosienice, leads the military writers to the belief that the Russians already have fallen back in this region and that perhaps even the fortress of Ivangorod has been left to its fate.

Russians Applying Torch.

There is no news of the situation on the Narew river or of General von Buelow's wider outflanking movement in Kovno province. However, the opinion is expressed here that as the German plans contemplate a series of attacks rather than a simultaneous one, it is probable they are waiting for Von Mackensen to reach some previously arranged position before they resume their attacks.

According to dispatches received here, the country around Warsaw which the Russians are leaving to the invaders has been put to the torch, while the city itself has been denuded of everything that might be of use to the Germans if it falls into their hands.

Richest Girl Is Married.

Harbor Point, Mich., August 2.—Miss Catherine Barker, an orphan, said to be the richest 19-year-old girl in the world, was married here to Howard Spalding, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard H. Spaulding, of Chicago. Five years ago when Miss Barker's father, organizer of the Haskell-Barker freight car factories, and head of a dozen other great industrial concerns, died, she came into a fortune of over $30,000,000. Her income is said to be approximately $2,000,000 a year.

Joffre Favors Waiting Game.

Paris, Aug. 2.—France is fully prepared for a winter campaign. It is understood General Joffre is unwilling to force a decisive battle on the ground that Germany must give way under long drawn out pressure and by such tactics he can save France thousands of men. He is said to be an exponent of defeating Germany by attrition, no matter how long it takes, France and her allies being in a better position to play a waiting game than the central European powers.

New British Note Expected.

Washington, Aug. 2.—The supplemental British note regarding the rights of neutrals at sea and within blockaded lines, will be delivered to the embassy at London within a day or two, Ambassador Page advised the state department.

Receive Black Hand Threats.

Santa Monica, Cal., Aug. 2.—Cutouts representing black hands and pasted upon the windows of the residences of Delphin M. Delmas, the attorney; Robert Farquihar, an architect and a son-in-law of the late United States Senator John P. Jones of Nevada, and a prominent banker whose name was withheld, started a police search for men believed to be engaged in a plot against the three men.

Threatening letters were said to have been received by Delmas and the other men.

SECOND BRITISH NOTE IS RECEIVED

DEALS WITH DETENTION OF CARGOES CONSIGNED TO NEUTRAL PORTS.

TO PAINT FLAGS ON SHIPS

Germany Requests That American Vessels Have National Colors Painted On Sides—Dispatch Causes no Comment.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Silence from the German governement and voluminous representations from Great Britain marked the international situation here.

It now appears that if Germany shall continue to respect the rights of the United States, interest in the immediate future will center in the controversy this governement is having with the British foreign office.

The supplemental note from London dealing with the detention of American cargoes consigned to neutral ports in Europe has reached the state department. This is the communication that was promised a week ago when Sir Edward Grey asked Secretary of State Robert Lansing to withhold from publication a note that had just been received dealing at great length with the treatment Great Britain has accorded United States shipping.

Secretary of State Lansing announced that this supplemental note, together with the note that came in a week ago and also a third note dealing with the Neches case, will be made public in this country Wednesday. The supplemental note that has just come in is to a large extent, it was said, a revision of the note that was written before the last communication of the United States to Germany went forward. Whether the new note bears evidence that the British foreign office changed its views in any respect after it had read the note to Germany is not disclosed by the state department.

Only One Section Received.

The only word from Berlin came in the form of a note dealing with the Frye case. It is in answer to the communication of the United States sent some weeks ago objecting to the case going to a prize court. Only one section of this note had been received but the balance of its is expected at once, and it will be made public, Secretary of State Lansing said, within a few days.

The German admiralty has requested that American ships have American flags painted on their sides in proportions large enough to be recognized by submarine commanders. Many American ships have been painting the national colors on their sides, but it is said they were painted too small. Ambassador Gerard transmitted the request in a message, a paraphrase of which, given out by the state department, follows:

"The American ambassador at Berlin has been informed by the German admiralty that merchant vessels wishing to indicate their neutral nationality by painting their national colors on the ship's sides often commit the mistake of painting these signs too small, so that they cannot be recognized at some distance. The foreign office requests American steamship companies be accordingly informed."

The dispatch brought out no comment in official quarters.

Teutons Lose 105,000 Men.

Geneva, Switzerland, Aug. 3.—The Tribune prints the following dispatch from its Innsbruck correspondent.

The capture of Lublin cost General Woyisch 70,000 men in killed, wounded and prisoners. Four miles north of Lublin the Russians are fighting fiercely, disputing every foot of gronud while covering their retreat.

In an advance of seven miles with seven army corps, Field Marshal von Mackensen lost 35,000 men.

The army massed from Lowicz to Ostrowiec has begun an advance upon Ivangorod and Novo Alexandria, the evacuation of which was commenced by the Russians Friday night, according to the Germans.

Quicksand Submerges Plant.

Hudson, N. Y., Aug. 3.—Four men were killed and four others injured, one of whom will die, when the power plant of the Knickerbocker Cement company submerged in quicksand here. The entire building disappeared. All of the dead men were laborers.

Wounded Soldiers Burned.

Athens, Greece, Aug. 3 (via London).—Arrivals here from Constantinople report that 3,000 buildings, including the German hospital filled with wounded soldiers, have been destroyed by fire.

Warships at Golden Gate.

San Francisco, Aug. 3.—The battleships Missouri, Ohio and Wisconsin steamed into San Francisco bay and dropped anchor off the Panama-Pacific exposition grounds. The squadron, which entered Pacific waters via the Panama canal, brought 860 midshipmen on an annual practice cruise. The Ohio, which broke a propellor blade coming up the coast will proceed to the Mare Island navy yard for repairs. Numerous entertainments will be held in honor of the visiting middies and officers.

GET LEADING MAN OF HOLDUP GANG

Told Police He Held Up So Many He Could Not Remember All.

CAUGHT WHILE ASLEEP

Mysterious Telephone Message Leads to Arrest of Robber—Has Large Assortment of Plunder—Tells of His Deeds.

Kansas City.—In the capture of A. W. Brown the police got the "leading man" of a holdup gang that has been operating here since last September. Brown made a statement in which he confessed that he had committed so many holdups here that he could not remember all of them.

A telephone message from a source not learned, which was sent to the Westport police station, was the cause of Brown's arrest. Patrolmen Michael Halligan and Edward Wilson went to Brown's home. Mrs. Brown and her two-year-old child were in the back yard when the officers arrived and entered the house to search for Brown. They found him asleep in bed. From beneath his pillow they took an automatic revolver and a flashlight, and on a stand near by they found another revolver.

After taking possession of the weapons the officers awakened Brown, who jumped from his bed and reached under the pillow for his revolver. When he found it was gone he held up his hands.

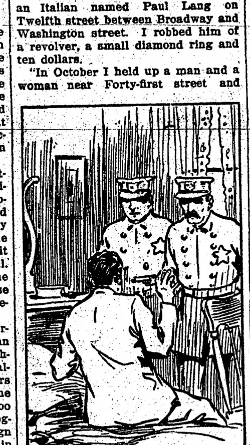
The patrolmen searched Brown's home and found many watches, rings and clothes that did not belong to any members of the Brown family. These were taken along when the policemen took Brown to the Westport police station, where Brown made a statement.

Tells of Holdups.

"The first robbery I committed in Kansas City was some time in September, 1914," Brown said, according to the police.

"A short time after that I held up an Italian named Paul Lang on Twelfth street between Broadway and Washington street. I robbed him of a revolver, a small diamond ring and ten dollars.

"In October I held up a man and a woman near Forty-first street and Warwick boulevard in front of their home. From them I took seven dollars, a diamond ring and a wedding ring. I sold the diamond to a jewelry company and received one hundred and seventy dollars for it. I sold the wedding ring to a pawnshop for one dollar and seventy-five cents."



Held Up His Hands.

He gave a long list of names of people he held up, also their addresses. When Brown came to Kansas City last summer he was unable to find work, he said, and resorted to highway robbery to get funds with which to keep his family. About two hundred dollars' worth of jewelry that Brown had taken from persons he had robbed has been recovered, and in most instances he remembers to whom they belong.

Brown told the police that he came here from Texas. He refused to name the town, but said he had been the city marshal there. He claims he did not commit any robberies outside of Kansas City.

CONVICTS GET A DAY OFF

Prisoners on Kansas City Municipal Farm May Spend Sunday at Home.

Kansas City, Mo.—Prisoners who have families and who are confined at the municipal farm at Leeds are to be allowed to go home to spend Sundays with their families, provided they can be trusted.

The Sunday paroles will be granted by J. O. Stutsman, superintendent at the farm. The men who will be paroled will go home after finishing their work on Saturday and will return in time to begin on Monday morning.

The paroles will depend entirely on a merit system. If the plan works successfully it may be extended to trustworthy men who are not married.

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MADE HIM CHANGE HIS SIGN

Bachelor Found That Persistent Salesmen Had Some Other Way of Getting Business.

An old bachelor, in order to prevent men annoying him by knocking at his door to dispose of their wares, affixed thereto a label to this effect: "Hawkers, take notice! The inhabitants of this house never buy anything at the door." Shortly afterward he was aroused by a loud knocking at his parlor window, and looking out he saw two fellows with clothes-props, mats, and pegs for sale. Throwing up the sash, he bawled: "Can you read?"

"Yes, master," answered one.

"Then don't you see a notice affixed to my knocker that I never buy anything at the door?"

"To be sure we do. That's the reason why we thought we would make bold and try to do a little business at the window."

The bachelor was pacified, and made a purchase. Immediately afterwards, however, he sent for a painter, and had the addition made to his announcement. "Nor at the window either."

Advice to Economize.
Mamie—Most of the chewing gum chewed in this country is of Mexican origin, and they say unless things soon quiet down in Mexico the price of gum is likely to go up."
Julie—Chew slower, Mamie.

Many a good reputation has been stabbed by a pointed tongue

COUNTED PROFIT AND LOSS

Country Storekeeper Well Advised in Discontinuing Business for That Day, at Least.

The present generation is scarcely aware that at one time our one-dollar and two-dollar bills were marked with Roman instead of Arabic numerals. Therefore, when the youth left temporarily in charge of the general store in a small country town was appreached by a stranger and asked for change for an eleven-dollar bill, he looked curiously at the greenback, but courteously acceded to the request. The owner of the store sauntered in some time later.

"Well, Sam, any business?"

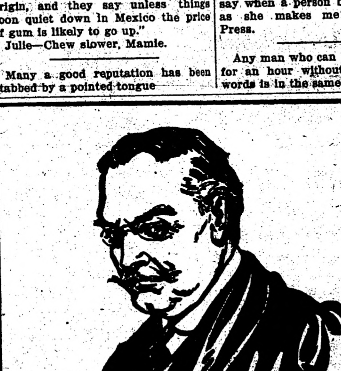
"Nothin' 'cept changin' a 'leven-dollar bill fer a drummer," the boy answered unconcernedly.

The storekeeper started for the cash drawer, looked long and sorrowfully at the old two-dollar bill, then said sadly:

"Put up the shutters, Sam. We've done enough business for one day!"—Collier's Weekly.

The Limit.
"I shall never speak to her again as long as I live."
"But you've said that often before."
"I know, but what else is there to say when a person becomes as angry as she makes me?"—Detroit Free Press.

Any man who can hold a fussy baby for an hour without saying naughty words is in the same class with Job.



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SUPREME COURT KILLS PREFERENTIAL SYSTEM—OUSTS DULUTH JUDGE.

STATE NEWS OF MINNESOTA

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

Duluth.—According to the decision just handed down by the state supreme court, holding the preferential voting clause of the city charter unconstitutional, Duluth has been governed by illegally elected commissioners and her municipal justice administered by illegally elected judges for two years. The charter came into effect in 1913 and the first election under it, April 1, 1913, established the commission form of government and chose the new commissioners under the preferential system of voting.

Judge William L. Windom resumed charge of the municipal court and is trying cases.

Laws Unconstitutional.

The second choice features of election laws in Minnesota are unconstitutional, according to an opinion of the supreme court.

The court holds that an elector is entitled to one vote, and has no right to influence the election of another candidate by expressing an additional choice. The decision does not affect the general election laws of the state, as the second choice feature was repealed by the 1915 legislature, but it does affect those cities with home rule charters which have the second choice feature.

Holds "Vote" Means Choice.

The case came up from an election for municipal judge in Duluth, April, 1915. W. H. Smallwood was a candidate. He was declared elected by the city council. John Brown, Jr., an elector, contested the election. At the hearing it was decided Smallwood was properly elected. Brown appealed the case.

The court holds the word "vote" in the constitution means a choice for a candidate by one constitutionally qualified to exercise a choice.

"It was never meant that the ballot of one elector, cast for one candidate, could be of greater or less effect than the ballot of another elector cast for another candidate," said the opinion. "It was to be of the same effect. If the elector votes for his choice once, his power to help him is exhausted. If he votes for other candidates he may harm his choice, but cannot help him."

CANDIDATES FOR SCHOOLS

Over 240 Persons Take Examinations for Minnesota Rural Teaching Staff of College.

St. Paul.—Minnesota's rural school and high school teaching staff will be between 240 and 270 persons stronger if all those who began taking examinations for certificates at the Minnesota College of Agriculture in St. Paul and at the University of Minnesota are successful.

At the university forty candidates went to work under the supervision of H. C. Hess, superintendent of schools at New Ulm, Minn., to pass the requirements for a professional certificate to teach in a high school.

The number taking examinations for such certificates is expected to reach seventy when all those taking examinations in single subjects to complete their requirements for certificates appear during the week.

More than 200 prospective school ma'ams wrote for rural school certificates at the agricultural school.

Poll Tax Again, if Saloons Go.

Minneapolis, Minn.—The old and long-forgotten poll tax may be revived and used again in Minneapolis if the county optionists are successful in making the city dry at the coming election. Alderman Chase and other members of the City Board of Equalization said they saw no other way of making up the loss in revenue.

The board also considered the advisability of licensing business concerns who operate in Minneapolis and keep their stock of goods outside.

Fall in Bathtub Proves Fatal.

Mankato.—William W. Frost, instructor in English literature at the Mankato normal school for the past six years, was killed accidentally by a fall while taking a bath at his residence. He stepped into the bathtub, where he received a shock from an electric heater, and fell, striking the right side of his jaw against the faucet. Mr. Frost leaves a widow and two children.

U. S. Dollar Commands Premium.

Minneapolis, July 29.—The United States dollar is at a premium throughout the world and is the only monetary unit of any nation at the present time which is not depreciated, according to Theodore Wold, governor of the Minneapolis Federal Reserve bank. "The pound sterling, the franc, the mark, the ruble, the yen and all other standards are below par," said Mr. Wold. "The dollar alone is worth 100 cents or more." The local reserve bank is increasing the amount of foreign acceptances on hand.

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Obituary.

Torger T. Sollom was born at Hallingdal Norway, Dec. 24th 1856. When four years old, he came to this country together with his mother, two sisters and three brothers, his father having died only a short time previous. They settled in Houston County, Minn., living there for 17 years, when they moved to Grand Forks County, N. D. Five years later, he was united in marriage with Miss Turi Myhrum. He was one of the pioneer settlers of Marshall Co., coming here in 1884 and residing on a farm 3 1-2 miles north, west of Holt. About two years ago he came to this place and took possession of the Evergreen Hotel in which business he was engaged at the time of his death. He leaves a wife, thirteen children, two sisters and three brothers to mourn the loss of a loving and devoted husband, father, and brother.

The funeral was held last Sunday afternoon from the Free Mission church, of which the deceased was a faithful member. Rev. Hill of Alvardo preached in both languages and was ably assisted by Rev. M. T. Strom of this place. Interment was made in the local cemetery, between 500 and 600 people following the remains to their last resting place. The many beautiful floral designs for the casket and the lovely decorations of the church but mutely expressed the love and esteem in which he was held by his many friends. The relatives from a distance in attendance at the funeral were: Ole Sollom of Reynolds, N. D. a brother of the deceased, Mrs. Lufkin, Talfred Rierson, Erick Gullingsrud all of Thief River Falls and Mrs. Poppenhagen of Goodridge.

THE NEWS joins the many friends in and around Holt, in extending sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks for the kind assistance, the beautiful floral offerings, and tender sympathy extended to us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. T. T. Sollom
and family.

Any kind of legal papers drawn as they should be. Fire, lightning, windstorm and hail insurance in best companies.

CHAS. W. LATTA,
Justice of the Peace,
Holt, Minn

Miss Matilda Furr went to T. R. Falls Monday returning Tuesday.

Ida and Anna Bjerk of Strathcona have been visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. R. Reierson the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bakke and Misses Cora Hanson and Agnes Bakke were visitors at the B. Docken home Sunday.

C. L. Heinze received several prizes at the Pennington county fair for various kinds of grain and vegetables exhibited. Mr. Heinze is a good, progressive farmer.

Jacob Nelson wishes to announce that he has bought the Alkenbrack dray line and is prepared to do all kinds of draying and team work on short notice and at reasonable prices.

Miss Martha Larson of Grand Forks came Monday for a few days visit at the home of her uncle, John Hagberg. Miss Gladys Hagberg who had been visiting at the Larson home in Grand Forks returned home with her.

Northeast of Holt

Mrs. C. W. Christianson returned from Strandquist Wednesday evening.

Sam Hougaard of Stanquist autoed down to Christianson's Wednesday evening, returning back the same evening. Evelyn and Ellsworth Christianson accompanied him back to remain for a week or ten days.

Joseph Johnson called at C. W. Christianson Thursday evening.

Pete Sorter and Hilmer Davidson called at Christianson's Friday evening.

Esther and Anna Sorter, Lizzie Hanson, Esther Movik and Hazel Davidson spent Sunday afternoon with Sophie Johnson.

Alma, Selma and Nora Dovre spent Sunday afternoon at O. H. Dovre's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Christianson and son Ellis called on O. H. Dovre's Sunday afternoon.

Southeast of Holt

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond are the proud parents of a baby boy, born to them Aug. 9th.

Messrs Nels Gudvangen and Alfred Hanson are busy breaking for Pete Michaelson.

Nathan Soiney is working for Frank Hammond.

Mrs. Ed. Hansen and Mrs. G. A. Soiney made a trip to T. R. Falls Monday.

Minnie Johnson is working for Mrs. Frank Hammond.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Michaelson one day last week.

A very large crowd of people spent Sunday at Gutterud's.

Nels Sordahl stacked hay for T. Borger Monday.

A. Hanson went to T. R. Falls Wednesday.

The young people gave L. A. Jensen a farewell party at the Riesberg home Wednesday evening.

Miss Effie Christenson of Thief River Falls visited her sister Mrs. A. Huseth, a short time Wednesday evening.

Gus Opseth of near Rosewood was here a short time Tuesday, being enroute to Flakne where he has recently finished building a school house.

Dr. Mellby was called Wednesday to see Swen Johnson, who is very seriously ill, was suffering from considerable pain and is gradually growing weaker.

Henry Oien has rented the hotel and will take possession Sept. 1st. We understand Mrs. Sollom expects to buy some lots and soon build a dwelling house thereon.

The Young People Society of the Synod church will meet at C. L. Heinze, Aug. 22nd at 3 oclock. Mrs. Heinze and Mrs. H. Fosholm will entertain. All Welcome.

A series of four patriotic lectures in Norwegian, will be delivered by A. Erickson in the Free Mission church here commencing Sunday evening Aug. 22. All invited.

C. G. Mugg, the Grand Forks eye man, will trust any one for special glasses that can pay $2.00 for examination, at Holt, Monday afternoon and Tuesday forenoon August 30th and 31st, 1915.

Ole Sollom of Reynolds, N. Dak., who was here to attend his brothers funeral, and Rev. Anton Hill of Alvarado who preached the funeral sermon and an old friend of the deceased; both returned to their respective homes Monday afternoon.

Money To Loan!

We have a large surplus on hand
Which We Wish to Place In
First Mortgage Farm Loans

Our rates and terms are very reasonable and made to suit the borrower.

See Us Before Renewing Your Loan or
Making a New Loan

Holt State Bank

D. B. Backe, President - B. Docken, Cashier
Total Resources - $86,000.00

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Monday
Aug. 23, 1915.

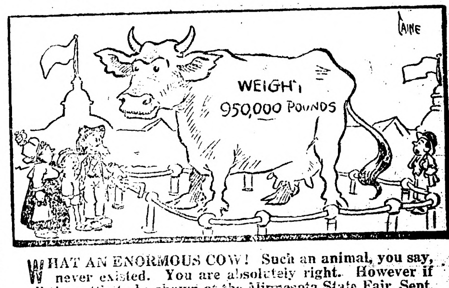
I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS



WHAT AN ENORMOUS COW! Such an animal, you say, never existed. You are absolutely right. However if all the cattle to be shown at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 6 to 11, were reduced to one cow she would be as big. She would furnish enough meat to fill a sandwich for every person in Minnesota, and enough milk at one milking to wash it down. If all the sheep, horses, and swine were handled in the same way what big animals they would form! Everything at the Minnesota State Fair is conducted on the same enormous scale. There are to be forty county exhibits, 70 acres of machinery, immense amounts of butter, cheese, and fruit, corn and farm products. Art Smith, the aviator, is the leading amusement attraction in America today. Auto polo, music by a dozen bands and orchestras, a big automobile racing program, the fire works, a $21,500 horse racing program, all these and other features will thrill the visitor. LET'S GO!

Stand by your home paper --- The Weekly News.

Defective Page

APPEAL TO MEXICAN CHIEFS TO END WAR MADE PUBLIC

Pan-American Conferees Now Ready to Extend Their Aid to Arrange for Proposed Peace Congress--Replies Are Asked for Within Ten Days.

Washington, Aug. 16.—The Pan-American appeal to Mexico, now being delivered to the chiefs of factions and governors of states, was made public here by the state department.

The appeal, although addressed to the political and military leaders, takes on the form of an announcement to the Mexican people themselves. As made public by the state department, the document is prefaced by this announcement:

"The Mexican people are informed that the following communication has been sent to many prominent persons in Mexico who possess authority or military power within the republic."

Copies to Carranza and Villa.

The appeal went forward to General Carranza and Villa and to more than a score of other military and political leaders throughout Mexico, being transmitted by cable, telegraph, and wireless, whichever method was required to reach the desired destination.

As replies are asked for within ten days after the appeal is received, although the time may be extended for cause, no further meeting of the Pan-American conference is planned until they have been received or it may be apparent that some of the Mexicans addressed do not propose to reply.

The conferees confidently expect within a reasonable time enough favorable replies to warrant them in extending their aid to arrange for the proposed peace congress.

Text of Peace Appeal.

Washington.—"The undersigned, the Secretary of State of the United States; the ambassadors extraordinary and plenipotentiary of Brazil, Chile and Argentina and the envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary of Bolivia, Uruguay and Guatemala, accredited to the government of the United States of America, acting severally and independently unanimously send to you the following communication.

"Inspired by the most sincere spirit of American fraternity and convinced that they rightly interpret the earnest wish of the entire continent they have met informally at the suggestion of the Secretary of State of the United States to consider the Mexican situation to ascertain whether their friendly and disinterested help could be successfully employed to re-establish peace and constitutional order in our sister republic.

Lose Sight of Effects of War.

"In the heat of the frightful struggle which for so long has steeped in blood the Mexican soil, doubtless all may well have lost sight of the dissolving effects of the strife upon the most vital conditions of the national existence, not only on the life and liberty of the inhabitants but on the prestige and security of the country. We cannot, however—no one can doubt—that in the presence of a sympathetic appeal from their brothers of America, recalling to them these disastrous effects, asking them to save their motherland from an abyss—no one can doubt, we repeat—that the patriotism of the men who lead, or aid in any way the bloody strife, will not remain unmoved; no one will doubt that each and every one of them, measuring in his own conscience his share in the responsibilities of past misfortune and looking forward to his share in the glory of the pacification and reconstruction of the country, will respond, nobly and resolutely, to this friendly appeal and give their best efforts to opening the way to some saving action.

Urge Meeting at Neutral Spot.

"We, the undersigned, believe that if the men directing the armed movements in Mexico, whether political or military chiefs, should agree to meet, either in person or by delegates, far from the sound of cannon, and with no other inspiration save the thought of their afflicted land, there to exchange ideas and to determine the fate of the country—from such action would undoubtedly result the strong and unyielding agreement requisite to the creation of a provisional government, which should adopt the first steps necessary to the national reconstruction of the country—and to issue the first and most essential of them all, the immediate call to general elections.

"An adequate place within the Mexican frontiers, which for the purpose might be neutralized, should serve as the seat of the conference, and in order to bring about a conference of this nature the undersigned, or any of them, will willingly, upon invitation, act as intermediaries to arrange the time, place and other details of such conference if this action can in any way aid the Mexican people.

Expect Reply in Ten Days.

"The undersigned expect a reply to this communication within a reasonable time and consider that such a time would be ten days after the communication is delivered, subject to progation for cause."

ROBERT LANSING,
Secretary of State of the United States.
D. A. DAGAMA,
Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Brazil.
EDO SUAREZ-MUJICA,
Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Chile.
R S. NAON,
Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Argentina.
L. CALDERON,
Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Bolivia.
CARLOS MARIA DE PENA,
Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Uruguay.
JOAQUIN MENDEZ,
Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Guatemala.

ROMULO S. NAON

U. S. Soldiers in Riot.

Nogales, Ariz., Aug. 16.—Scores of American soldiers were participants in a riot in Nogales as a result, it is said, of a rumor that Mexicans had threatened to take their guns away. Ten Mexicans were attacked before the officers got control of the men. One American is reported to have been slain in Nogales, Mex., just across the border from here by infuriated Mexicans. The soldiers that engaged in the rioting were members of the Twelfth infantry.

Mexican States for Peace.

El Paso, Aug. 16.—Five states and one territory of Mexico are authoritatively announced to have declared through their military governers that the revolution is at an end so far as they are concerned, and that Carranza and Villa and other forces in arms would be met by resistance should they attempt to enter these precincts of Mexico. The governors who thus declared for armed neutrality are of various shades of political affiliation.

"CALL TO ARMS" AT LAREDO

Carranza Paper Prints Fiery Editorial in Texas Town—Appeals to Mexican Element.

Laredo, Texas, Aug. 16.—A Carranza newspaper of this city prints a fiery editorial which is regarded among the susceptible element of Mexicans here as "a call to arms." Translations of the editorial have been forwarded to Washington and to Major General Funston. The editorial in part says:

"If you are Mexicans read article 31 of the constitution, which says: 'It is the obligation of every Mexican to defend the independence, the honor and the rights and interests of the fatherland'; and read article 35 of the constitution, which says, 'It is the prerogative of every Mexican citizen to take up arms for the defense of the republic or its institutions.' That is to say, it is not only the obligation to defend the republic when its sovereignty is attacked, but it is their prerogative, right and honor to do so."

ROBERT GALBREATH

Robert Galbreath, Democratic national committeeman from Tulsa, Okla., recently breezed into Washington and started a life-sized boom for Dallas, Tex., as the next Democratic national convention city.

BANKERS FAVOR BIG CREDIT

MAY ARRANGE $500,000,000 TO MEET SITUATION.

Heavy European Purchases Cause Extraordinary Decline in Rates of Foreign Exchange.

New York, Aug. 16.—International bankers who have been handling financial affairs for Great Britian, France and Russia in this country, contemplated the possibility of arranging a credit reaching $500,000,000 to meet the situation arising from heavy European purchases of war munition and the consequent extraordinary decline in rates of foreign exchange. Discussions of methods for advancing these sums were in progress.

One of the chief questions up for consideraion was the nature of securities to be required for the advances of American funds. It was suggested that the credit may be secured by the deposit here of American bonds held in Europe. An effort to collect such bonds for a similar purpose in Great Britian recently did not meet with an encouraging response. To facilitate this operation it was said that it may be necessary for the British government to impose a special tax on American bonds unless they are deposited with the Bank of England.

It is also proposed that British and Canadian bonds to the proportion of 25 per cent of the total be advanced as collateral.

Suggestion had been made recently that $100,000,000 in credits, chiefly for Great Britian, be established here, but bankers have now taken the stand that when the bulk of American war supplies in process of manufacture is sent forward the final payment then due will be so large that $100,000,000 will be ineffectual in stemming the decline in exchange rates.

Death-ship Eastland Raised.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—The doomship Eastland, which three weeks ago toppled over in the canal like Chicago river with 2,500 men, women and children on board, has been drawn near upright by wrecking tugs. There was growing belief among the wreckers and officials that the estimate of bodies, placed as high as 500, still held in the charnel ship, would be found to have been grossly exaggerated. With 843 bodies recovered, it was believed the death list might not go over 1,000 at the outside.

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Note on "Frye" Received.

Berlin via London, Aug. 16.—The American note concerning the sinking of the American ship William P. Frye by a German commerce destroyer has been received by the American ambassador and has been presented to the German foreign office.

Pile of Papers Faces Wilson.

Washington, Aug. 16.—President Wilson faced a pile of papers more than a foot high awaiting his signature when he went to the executive office for the first time since his return from Cornish. The president worked in his shirt sleeves. Pardons restoring former convicts to citizenship, commissions of federal appointees, findings of several naval courts, and many other matters accumulated during Mr. Wilson's absence and not sufficiently important to be sent to him, were among the documents signed.

AIRMEN FLY OVER CONSTANTINOPLE

FRENCH AND BRITISH SHELL GALATA, SUBURB OF TURK CAPITAL.

TO GET MUNITIONS TO TURKS

Next Austro-German Offensive Will Be Directed Against Serbia to Allow War Supplies to Reach Ottomans, Is Belief.

London, Aug. 16.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Athens says:

"French and British aeroplanes have flown over Constantinople. They threw bombs on Galata, causing heavy casualties."

Galata, on the north side of the Golden Horn near Seragli Point, is Constantinople's largest suburb and the custom house of the capital. The inhabitants before the war were mainly European Christians.

London, Aug. 17.—The only evidence of activity outside of Poland and the Baltic provinces is on the Serbian frontier, where a bombardment of Belgrade by the Austrians and a counter bombardment of Semlin and Panscova by the Serbians has been resumed. According to Nish, Austrian attempts to cross the Danube near the Serbian and Roumanian borders have been repulsed, but it is believed by the military experts here that this region will be the scene of the next Austro-German offensive. There is some speculation in military circles as to whether Roumania, as well as Serbia, will be attacked, because of Roumania's refusal to allow munitions of war to pass through to Turkey, which is being pressed both on her Caucasus and Dardanelles fronts.

Turks Claim Advantage.

The Turks claim the advantage in the battling on the Gallipoli peninsula and in Asiatic Turkey against the allies, but the Russians assert that in the latter zone the Ottoman forces have been defeated. On the Austro-Italian front no decided gains for either side are chronicled.

Artois, the forest of the Argonne and the Vosges mountains continue to be the scenes of activity on the western front, but no serious battles are in progress in any of these regions.

RUSSIANS AGAIN RETREATING

After Making Stand Along the Bug, Slavs Retire Before Austro-Germans.

Vienna, via London, Aug. 16.—After making a stand on the entire front of the Bug, the Russian forces are again retreating before the Austro-Germans all along that line, according to an official statement issued at the Austrian war office.

The text of the communication follows:

"In the Russian theater: Our adversary again made a halt on the whole front west of the Bug in prepared positions, but the allied armies attacked and cleared their way through the hostile lines at several points. Since early morning the Russians everywhere are again in retreat.

"In the Italian theater: On the southwestern front generally there has been greater activity. In the region of Gorzia our artillery fired some bombs on St. Canzian. A hostile attack near Radipuglia collapsed before our fire. The bridge head at Gorizia was held by the Italians under moderate [illegible] fire."

AUSTRIAN SUBMARINE SUNK

U-3 Destroyed in Adriatic by Italian Warships—Second Submersible Lost in Week.

Rome, Aug. 16.—The Austrian submarine U-3 has been sunk in the lower Adriatic by Italian warships it is officially announced.

The U-3 is the second American submarine sunk by the Italians this week, sinking of the U-12 having been announced a few days ago.

The U-3 was built in 1908, was 142 feet long and displaced 293 tons below surface. Normally she carried 17 men.

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Say Villa Shot U. S. Airman.

New York, Aug. 16.—Mickey McGuire, the young American aviator with General Francisco Villa's army in Mexico, who was reported killed when his machine fell 5,000 feet near Chihuahua, was not killed by accident but was murdered by General Villa, according to McGuire's partner, William J. Mattery, in a signed story in the New York Tribune. Mattery asserts that two days previously Villa sent out a report that he (Mattery) had been killed and then sentenced him to be shot.

Cut the Cost of Living!

A plate of hot biscuits or muffins, a fresh, home-baked cake, a loaf of brown or nut-bread, rescues any meal from the commonplace, and more expensive things are never missed.

With K C, the double acting baking powder, good results are doubly certain. There's economy too, in the cost of K C.

The way of the transgressor often leads to another's pocket.

DISTRESSING PIMPLES

Removed by Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Trial Free.

Smear them with the Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water and continue bathing for some minutes. Repeat on rising and retiring. These fragrant supercreamy emollients do much for the skin, and do it quickly.

Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Why We Eat Eggs.

"I am a firm believer in advertising," said a great advertising expert. "I impute a great part of my success to it."

Here the expert's sunburnt and healthy face was illuminated by one of his rare and charming smiles.

"When a duck lays an egg," he said, "she waddles back to the duck pond in indifferent silence. But when a hen lays an egg her frantic cackles make it known.

"The hen advertises.

"And that, my dear friends, is why the world eats hens' eggs instead of ducks' eggs."

Sacrifice for Art.

One cold, wet and windy night he came upon a negro, shivering in the doorway of an Atlanta store. Wondering what the darky could be doing standing on a cold, wet night in such a place, the proprietor of the shop said:

"Jim, what are you doing here?"

"'Scuse me, sah," said Jom, "but I'm gwine to sing bass tomorrow mornin' at church, an' I am trying to ketch a cold."

One of the Other.

"Do I make myself perfectly plain?" asked Miss Forsythe, who is intellectual, concluding her argument.

"More so than anybody I ever saw before in my life!" answered J. Fuller Gloom. "Er—er—well, either that or you were born so."—Kansas City Star.

ORDER HAD HIM "IN THE AIR"

Boatswain's Mate Considerably Muddled by Command That Was Entirely New to Him.

In all the naval services tradition is strong. As Chief Boatswain McCarthy, U. S. N., has shown in an article in "The Proceedings of the United States Naval Institute," the adherence to custom extends to the manner in which the boatswain's calls are varied for different occasions, and even, in the old navy, at least, it extended to the way in which the officers gave their orders.

The language used in passing words was the vernacular of the sailor rather than academic English, and the officer who did not know that usually got poor results from the boatswain's mate, who had his own ideas about passing the word, and got muddled in interpreting any unusual order.

On one occasion, the officer of the morning watch gave this order: "Boatswain's mate, scrub down with rapidity." This was a new one, and after causing the officer to repeat the order three times, the boatswain's mate became desperate. He grabbed a deck bucket, and forced it into the hand of the nearest apprentice, whom he started on his way with a push that sent the youngster reeling, and followed him with this shout:

"Go to the captain of the hold and ask him for a bucketful of it! I never heard of anything to scrub a deck with but sand and lime, and I don't know anything about these new 'soogy-moodgies,' anyway."—Youth's Companion.

A Difference.

Angelina—And so you love me with all your heart? Would you die for me?

Edwin—No, dear.

Angelina—You wouldn't die for me?

Edwin—No; mine is an undying affection.

Oh, Pickles!

Hazel—I don't like windy weather. It plays havoc with one's complexion.

Aimee—Perhaps you don't get your complexion on thick enough.

Better Corn Flakes—

made by a brand new process—mighty tasty and always ready to serve.

New Post Toasties

resulting from years of practice and study, are the inner sweet meats of choicest Indian Corn skilfully toasted to a crackly, golden-brown crispness.

By a new process the true corn flavour, unknown to corn flakes of the past, is brought out in every flake.

As you pour Toasties from the package, note the little pearly "puffs" on the flakes—a distinguishing characteristic of these New Toasties. Another point—they don't mush down when cream or milk is added.

Insist upon these distinctive corn flakes—the New Post Toasties—

They're New and Different and Mighty Good!

—sold by Grocers everywhere.

The KITCHEN CABINET

If I knew that a word of mine,
A word not kind and true,
Might leave its trace on a loved one's face,
I'd never speak harshly, would you?

If I knew that the light of a smile
Might linger the whole day through,
And brighten some heart with a heavier part
I wouldn't withhold it, would you?

GOOD THINGS FOR DINNER.

For the busy housewife who has but one pair of hands to prepare all the meals it is necessary that she should eliminate all nonessentials and save as much time and strength as possible. Better a tidy table attractively laid with bread and butter for the meal, than an untidy, unattractively and overloaded table.

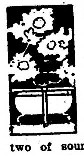
Dinner Rolls.—Mix a cake of compressed yeast with a fourth of a cupful of scalded and cooled milk, add one cupful of scalded, and cooled milk, a half teaspoonful of salt, a tablespoonful of sugar and one and a half cupful of bread flour, cover and let stand until it becomes light, then add a fourth of a cupful of shortening, and flour for a soft dough. Knead until smooth and elastic. Cover and let stand to become light; shape, and when light bake twenty-five minutes. Brush over with a beaten egg white and return to the oven for a moment to glaze.

Creamed Onions With Parsley.—Cook even sized onions in boiling water, adding salt when they are nearly cooked. Melt three tablespoonfuls of butter, add the same amount of flour for a half dozen onions, a half teaspoonful of salt and a little less of paprika, stir until well blended, then add a cupful of rich milk and half a cupful of the liquor that the onions have been cooked in, turn this over the onions after it is cooked smooth and sprinkle with chopped parsley.

Lamb Stew With Peas.—Buy a stew cut from the shoulder, cover with boiling water and cook until tender, thicken with flour stirred with some of the meat liquor, add a pint of green peas and cook until the peas are tender. Season well and serve the meat on a platter surrounded with the peas and thickened sauce.

Economics change man's activities. As you change a man's activities you change his way of living, as you change his environment, you change his state of mind. Precept and injunction do not perceptibly affect men; but food, water, air, clothing, shelter, pictures, books, music, will and do affect them.

SUMMER DISHES.



During the hot weather even a pie occasionally is appreciated. Berry pies are most appetizing when well made.

Blueberry Pie.—Line a deep tin with plain pastry, brush with white of egg, diluted with water. Fill the crust with floured blueberries, add sugar, a tablespoonful of butter, salt and a dash of vinegar or a piece or two of sour apple, or lemon juice. Cover with a rich crust and bake. To keep the juice from overflowing, put a paper cone into the opening. The cone serves as a chimney for the juice to boil up in, and thus does not overflow.

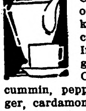
Scouffled Squash.—Take a medium sized Hubbard squash, remove the seeds and stringy portion and pare. Place in a steamer and cook over boiling water for thirty minutes. Mash and season with butter, salt and pepper to taste. To two cupfuls of mashed squash, add gradually one cupful of cream, and when blended the yolks of two well beaten eggs and finally fold in the beaten whites. Pour into a buttered dish and bake in a moderate oven until firm. Serve at once.

French Pancakes.—Warm four tablespoonfuls of butter, then add four tablespoonfuls of sugar, two eggs, a half cupful of flour, a half tablespoonful of lemon extract and one cupful of milk. Mix well and bake on a hot griddle. Put together with butter and jam and serve cut in wedges like pie. Sprinkle with powdered sugar and serve hot.

Viennese Chicken.—Clean and cut a fat fowl into pieces as for frying. Simmer gently with a bay leaf, parsley, lemon juice and seasoning. Let cool in the stock. Drain well, egg and crumb each piece and fry in deep fat. Serve with sauce made from thickened stock, chopped mushrooms and parsley; season with kitchen bouquet and lemon juice.

He who makes war on business removes roofs from homes, takes the bread from mouths, leaves human bodies naked to the storm—replaces confidence with fear, hope with dread, love with hate—and robs men of their right to work.

SOMETHING ABOUT CURRIES.



Translated into our tongue curry means palatable. In the Orient there are forty or more ways of preparing curry powder, and in America our spice houses are adding others. Curry is like mince meat or pickles; we like the kind we have been accustomed to use. In India the following ingredients are used: Coriander seed, tumeric, cummin, pepper, mustard seed, ginger, cardamon, chillies, mace, cloves, poppy seed, cinnamon, nutmeg, saffron, mangoes, lime juice, garlic, nuts, cayenne pepper, cocoanut, milk and oil, as well as many of the native fruits. Rice and chutney are an invariable accompaniment to curry. One of the most important things to remember in using the prepared curry is to cook it with the ingredients, or the dish will be flat and tasteless.

Curried Lamb.—Remove the bones from two pounds of the neck of lamb and divide into neat squares about an inch; fry them brown in hot fat, take out the meat and add two chopped onions, one chopped apple, one and a half tablespoonfuls of curry powder, three tablespoonfuls of chopped cocoanut, one teaspoonful of sugar, a quarter of a cupful of milk, and the same of good stock, and the pieces of lamb. Cook slowly for an hour, remove the fat, add a teaspoonful of salt and a tablespoonful of lemon juice. Serve in the center of a platter with the sauce poured around it, and garnish with boiled rice.

Chicken Curry.—Cut up a plump young broiler and fry brown in hot olive oil. Remove from the frying pan and place in the oven. Mix together two tablespoonfuls each of flour and curry powder, then add gradually a cupful of good stock. Fry two sliced onions in the hot fat, add the prepared stock, cook for five minutes, then turn in the chicken. Cover and allow to simmer fifteen minutes. Serve hot with boiled rice. If the sauce seems too thick, add a little more stock. The dish should be thick and hot when served. Curry sauce is good with cold meats and makes an agreeable change in serving them.

A FEW HOT WEATHER DRINKS.

There is nothing so refreshing as a good cool drink when tired, warm and thirsty. The following will prove valuable during the hot dog-day weather.

Milk Shake.—Put four tablespoonfuls of finely crushed ice in a glass, add to this two and a half tablespoonfuls of rich sirup, one egg and a cupful of milk. Shake thoroughly and turn into a serving glass. Nutmeg and cinnamon may be added if desired.

Pinard.—Mix one cupful of sugar and a cupful of water together, add the juice of three lemons and one can of pineapple (grated). Strain and pour over a quart of chopped ice.

Cherry Punch.—Boil together five minutes two cupfuls of sugar and four cupfuls of water. Then add one cupful of lemon juice, three cupfuls of orange juice and three cupfuls of cherry juice. Chill and serve with ice.

Grape Nectar.—Put a cupful of sugar and a quart of water over to boil. Cook ten minutes, then add, when cool, the juice of three lemons, two oranges, one-half can of pineapple and a pint of grape juice. Let it stand about three hours, then add one nice orange sliced thin. Serve with ice.

Raspberry Mint.—To a quart of good lemonade add a half cupful of red raspberry juice and a dozen bruised mint leaves. Let the mixture chill for two hours, then remove the mint, fill glasses and garnish each glass with a sprig of mint.

Ginger Ale.—Remove the skins from six large lemons and slice them into a large earthen bowl. Add to them six ounces of bruised ginger root, six cupfuls of sugar and four gallons of boiling water. When the liquid is lukewarm, put in a fourth of a yeast cake dissolved in a little water. Cover the bowl with a thin cloth and let stand a day. Bottle and keep in a cool place.

Nellie Maxwell

"Father of Modern Screw."

Jesse Ramsden, an English inventor, is credited with being the father of the modern screw. He began in 1775 to pay especial attention to the making of screws by machinery, and his invention may be regarded as the first example of the modern form of screw-cutting lathe, although 50 years before there had been made in France a machine for cutting the thread on the fusees of watches, and 200 years before Jacobi Bessoni had designed a [illegible] lathe for cutting wooden screws.

Has a Hard Time.

Someone is quoted as having said that of all the letters in the alphabet "E" is the most unfortunate, "because it is always out of cash, always in debt, never out of danger, and in hell all the time." It is also the most frequently used letter in the alphabet.

Where Rain Never Has Fallen.

The driest place in the world is that portion of Egypt between the two lower falls of the Nile. Rain has never been known to fall there

STATE NEWS

Resume of Important Happenings of Past Few Days.

RECITE MANY GRIEVANCES

Chippewa Indians at Leach Lake Declare Dissatisfaction With Treatment by Government.

Walker. — Indians of the Pillager band of Chippewas at Leech Lake are not at all timid about declaring their dissatisfaction with governmental treatment. Congressman B. M. Chipperfield of Illinois, who is spending his vacation at Senator McGarry's resort on Leech Lake, has been picked by the Indians as the national lawmaker before whom they will personally lay their grievances, with the hope that he will become their advocate at Washington. Pilgrimages of the braves from all parts of the reservation to "Glengarry" to talk with the "tall congressman from Illinois" are therefore common these days.

Grievances recited were many, nearly all growing out of their claim that the so-called Rice treaty of 1889, whereby the Chippewas ceded and relinquished their lands to the federal government, has been violated by the United States and that a large sum of money due them under its provisions is wrongfully withheld.

THRESHING SEASON BEGINS

Reports of Bumper Crops Cause Rejoicing Among Farmers, Bankers and Railroad Men.

Winona.—A week of uninterrupted progress in the harvest fields of southern Minnesota has permitted the cutting of fully 80 per cent of the small grain, according to reports received here. With continued favorable weather the harvesting will have been completed by the end of the week. Threshing will be general early next week.

Threshing has started in scattered points and the reports received have made the grain men, bankers and railway men jubilant.

Barley is running from thirty to sixty bushels to the acre, oats sixty to reventy and wheat fifteen to thirty. All the grain is of the finest quality, save barley, which in some sections is slightly colored.

Corn has made tremendous strides and the discouraging reports have given way to optimistic statements that there will be a fair and possibly a bumper crop, especially if the fall season is late.

TO SEE MINNESOTA EXHIBITS

Fall Campaign of State Immigration Department Opens at Galesburg—Exhibits at Fairs.

St. Paul.—The fall campaign of the Minnesota immigration department to advertise the state at fairs will open at once at Galesburg, Ill. Exhibits at state and county fairs will continue until November 15.

The itinerary to date as arranged by Fred D. Sherman, immigration commissioner, follows:

Galesburg, Ill., district fair, August 14 to 21; Laporte, Ind., district fair, August 24 to 27; Indianapolis, Ind., state fair, September 6 to 10; Springfield, Ill., state fair, September 17 to 25; Waterloo, Iowa, live stock show, early in November.

The exhibits are being installed by W. C. King, state exhibit man, who is in Galesburg. Mr. Sherman estimates that between 50,000 to 75,000 people will see the Minnesota exhibits and receive pamphlets telling of the advantages in Minnesota.

EX-CONVICT IS LIEUTENANT

"Scott Hardee," Said to Have Been Most Unruly Prisoner at St. Cloud, Wounded.

St. Cloud.—"Scott Hardee," one of the most unruly prisoners ever confined in the St. Cloud reformatory, is now a lieutenant in the British navy and is just recovering from wounds received in an engagement at the Dardanelles, according to a letter received by A. M. Hulbert, an officer of the institution.

Hardee was sent to prison in 1908 and during his entire term he did not work. He feigned illness repeatedly, and at one time, according to the officers, ate soap to make the physicians believe he was suffering from tuberculosis.

He would not give his right name and even at the expiration of his five years' sentence refused to divulge any information.

Three Wrecks at One Spot

Owatonna, Minn.—An eastbound Rock Island freight train was wrecked at Hope five miles south of Owatonna on the identical spot at which two other wrecks have occurred in the last six months. The spreading of rails caused all three of them.

W. H. Johnson, Manley, Iowa a brakeman, was bruised and injured internally. A passenger train wreck six months ago resulted in the injury of six persons and last Saturday a passenger train left the track.

LIGHTS GO OUT IN [illegible]

Power Generator Bursts Leaving Minneapolis Without Electric Supply—Downtown District Stricken.

Minneapolis, Aug. 16.—Shortly before 2 p. m., electric lights in the Minneapolis downtown district began to darken. Elevators ran more slowly. Electric fans fluttered out. Electric clocks stopped. Motion picture films grew dim. Everything operated by electric power felt the loss of current. Something had happened at the works.

Within a few minutes many agencies which enter largely into modern city life had ceased to operate and the business district of Minneapolis went back to primitive conditions.

Caused by "Runaway."

The trouble was caused by a runaway—not an ordinary runaway that might cause a moment's flurry and excitement on the street, but insubordination and rebellion of a monster rotary converter or generator set in the plant of the Minneapolis General Electric company.

Of course it happened on Friday the 13th.

Neither of the two employes in the room at the time can tell just what happened. There was a noise as if a locomotive, full steam ahead, were plowing through the building. There was a shower of sparks, the sound of rending steel and then a great quiet. The "juice" was off.

BIG VICTORY FOR MINNESOTA

Decision of Interstate Commerce Commission Denying Railroad Rate Increases Affects Five States.

Minneapolis, Minn. — Minneapolis scores a victory of tremendous importance in the decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission, for the most part denying an increase in rates by railroads in the western classification.

Of farther reaching interest is the victory by five states acting together over the combined railroads.

The application of the western roads for an increase in rates followed the increase to the roads in the eastern classification. One of the important elements in the application for an increase was that applying specifically to rates on grain and grain products to and from Minneapolis.

State's Appropriation Reduced.

Washington. — Minnesota's federal appropriation for militia supplies and ammunition is reduced $2,000 this year, under a new basis of distribution. Instead of making the distribution for supplies and ammunition according to paper strength of the various state organizations, as was done last year, Secretary of War L. M. Garrison took into consideration actual strength at the annual inspection.

Every man in a field hospital and the ambulance companies was counted twice and every man in the other branches of the auxiliary services three times in order that these arms should receive adequate funds.

Northfield Votes Bonds.

Northfield.—By a five to one vote at a special election the voters of Northfield declared in favor of the issuance of $19,000 worth of bonds for public work. There were 407 votes for the bonds and 83 against. The $19,000 will be used to pay the city's share of paving Bridge square and four blocks of the main busines street; to buy for a public park an old mill property on the east bank of the Cannon river fronting Bridge square and for improving the mill property for park purposes. The paving and parking will connect with paving done two years ago.

Protest Arrests of Laborers.

Crookston.—A vigorous protest was wired to the department of labor at Washington by Representative Steenerson against the wholesale arrests of laborers in Kittson county on complaints of Canadian agents who assert the men are Austrian-Canadians and seek their deportation to Canada.

Numerous farmers in this county declare many of the laborers have worked for them every fall for twelve years.

Hallock jail is full and the farmers are aroused over the enforced scarcity of help to complete the harvest, which is just becoming general.

Can't Stop Mother-in-Law.

Minneapolis, Minn. — Mrs. Clara M. Douglas, 5232 Thirty-seventh avenue south, may visit the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank R. Anderson, 1217 Laurel avenue, as often and may stay as long as she pleases, as far as the courts are concerned.

Judge Waite in district court has dismissed the petition filed by Mr. Anderson asking a permanent injunction to restrain the mother-in-law from visiting his home. A temporary injunction had been granted by Judge Jelley pending a hearing on the petition.

Minneapolis, Minn. — Ten men were fined, with five suspended sentences, for violations of automobile and traffic ordinance by Judge Smith in municipal court here.

Complete Inter-Lake Highway.

Duluth. — Except for eight miles through the Portage Indian reservation, to Pigeon river, east of Grand Marais, Minn., the automobile highway connecting the American head of the lakes with the Canadian head of the lakes, is virtually completed.

For scenic attractions it will have few equals and it will make a continuous run from the twin cities to the big Canadian ports. The Ontario government is finishing the few stretches that remain incomplete on the Canadian side of the border.

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"Why, no."

"It's the same man savagely chewing the end of his cigar and writing a check."—Kansas City Star.

Made a Difference.

At a dinner party the other evening, reference having been made to the good old days in the little brick schoolhouse, this story was recalled by James L. Rice, coach of the Columbia college crew:

The teacher in a public school was giving a demonstration in mental arithmetic, and after speaking at some length she turned to a bright-faced boy at the head of the class.

"Now, then, Willie," said she, "do you think that you can answer me a question in mental arithmetic?"

"Yes, ma'am," was the confident rejoinder of the beaming youngster.

"Well, then," resumed the teacher, "how old would a person be who was born in 1876?"

"That depends," quickly rejoined little Willie. "Was the person a man or a woman?"—Philadelphia Telegraph.

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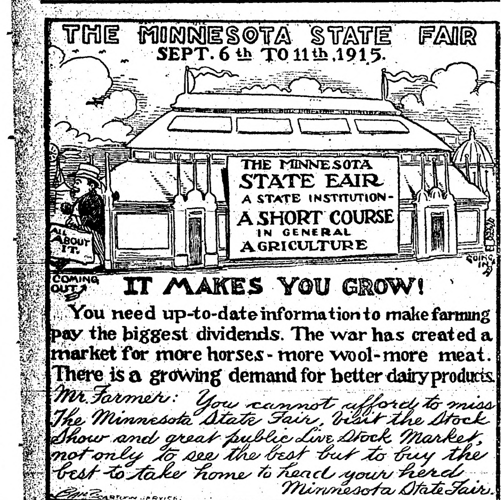

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Sanatorium Site Selected

A site has been selected about 5 miles southwest of Holt for a tuberculosis sanatorium to be erected at an estimated cost of $50,000.00 by Marshall and Roseau counties in conjunction with the state.

Northeast of Holt

(Written for last week)

Miss Betty Johnson returned home from Oslo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Hougaard and sons, Sam and Holger, autoed down from Strandquist, Sunday, to spend the day with C. W. Christianson's.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson and little son, Ellis, went to Strandquist, Sunday, where they visited with relatives for a few days.

Guy Anderson and lady friend autoed to Grand Forks, Tuesday.

Dr. Turley will be at the hotel Monday Aug. 23rd to do dental work.

Southeast of Holt.

(Too late for last week)

Harvest is in full blast now. The farmers are thru cutting their rye, also most of their barley.

Targie Borgen visited at the Nels Gunderson home, Sunday.

Carl Gutterud made a trip to T. R. Falls on Sunday.

Arthur Thorwick who has been working in Minneapolis for a couple of years, also visiting in Seattle, Wash. for some time, returned to his home near here on Thursday.

Miss Alma Soiney is working for Torald Tharaldson now-a-days.

A very large crowd of people was present at the Albert Klungness home on Sunday. Those present reported an enjoyable time.

Pete Michaelson was over to Nels Gudvangen on Saturday to have some barley threshed.

Walter Adolphson of T. R. Falls, was seen out here on Saturday looking over his crops in Elm Lake.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Joppru one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erickson pleasantly entertained a few of their friends on Sunday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Simonson Mr. and Mrs. Swanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Moe, Arthur and Mabel, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson and daughter Olga. All reported a very enjoyable time.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Aug. 12th, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Axel Nelson of Holt, Minn. who on May 6th 1910 made Homestead Entry No. 05221 for SE 1-4 SW 1-4 Section 27 and East 1-2 NW 1-4 Section 34, Township 156 N Ran. 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota on the 24th day of Sept. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole M. Larson, A. C. Jahr, Clarence Larson and John Knutson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Local Items

L. A. Jensen went to Crookston Tuesday on business.

The best of coffee and pure cream at Latta's Lunch Room.

Miss Betsy Johnson returned home Saturday from Thief River Falls.

C. Heinze made his first trip with garden truck to T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Miss Edna Riesberg went to Crookston Tuesday to consult an oculist.

A. R. Jones attended a Masonic banquet in Thief River Falls, Monday evening.

The date of Dr. J. T. Turley, the dentist, next visit to Holt is Monday August 23rd.

Ed. Svensrud has moved into the house he recently purchased of John Alkenbrack.

Mrs. Matt Furr and daughter Mrs. Frederickson went to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newton and Albert Mattson autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday evening.

Fred Johnson of Thief River Falls visited friends in the vicinity of Holt, Sunday and Monday.

Carl Johnson has bought a new threshing machine which he expects to arrive sometime this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Skoglund are happy in the advent of a little baby boy to brighten their home.

Misses Angnes Ekerdalen and Helen Hanson went to T. R. Falls Tuesday to have dental work done.

Amound Erickson returned to Thief River Falls, Friday, after a pleasant visit at the Nyberg home.

The Nazareth Young People's Society will meet with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Heinze, next Sunday afternoon.

Editor Wilson and wife of Newfolden called on the editor, of this paper, and his wife Sunday afternoon.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet Thursday August 26th, with Mrs. Mat Larson. Everyone welcome.

Hubert Pavek of Pisek, N. D. is the new agent of the G. N. here, having entered upon his new duties Tuesday.

Farmers have been having fine weather for haying and harvest and have been very busy for the past two or three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Lokken of Newfolden Minn. were Sunday callers at the B. Docken home.

Ihle & Myrom of Thief River Falls came the first of the week and are moving the old school house onto Mrs. Jacob Nelson's place.

Miss Alice Safford returned to her home in Crookston Friday after a pleasant visit at the home of her uncle, Sam Mickelson and family.

Work was commenced Tuesday on a coal house and bus barn for the Holt public schools. Rodahl Bros. and John Hagberg are doing the carpenter work.

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The Local Market.

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Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.06
Wheat No. 2	1.03
Wheat No. 3	.99
Wheat No. 4	.94
Flax	1.51
Oats	.33
Barley	43 to .50
Rye	.87
Flour, Best Patent	4.00

Sunnyside

Miss Christine Saastad called at Peterson's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Anderson visited at Ed. Horien's Sunday.

Miss Bjerk visited at T. O. Dovre's Tuesday.

Thorvald Kolden visited Alma Knutson Sunday.

Oscar Knutson called at Peterson's Sunday.

This section of the country had a nice rain Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bjerk, Melvin Archie and Ohmor called at Peterson's Sunday.

We understand that Fred was on his way to Grand Forks Thursday but some one must have had a string on him and pulled him back. Gee but your foolish.

Some of the Sunny Side girls say they are going to St. Hailare to get stuck up.

Misses Lucy, Irene and Evelyn Wegge called at Bjerk's Sunday.

Say Oscar somebody has got a little spot in her heart for you yet.

A number of Sunny Side folks took in the fair at Thief River Falls, all reporting a good time. Some came home wearing a badge, saying "I'm married."

Mr. and Mrs. N. Lysne and son Stanley called at Peterson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knutson, Mr and Mrs. Hans Knutson and daughter Tilla autoed to Middle River. Sunday.

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BABIES IN CAGE.

Unusual Attention Paid to Minnesota State Fair Baby Show.

Babies entered in the baby show at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 6 to 11, will be given an unusual public reception, as a result of a novel arrangement just made by Mrs. Bertha Dahl Laws of Appleton, Minn., superintendent in charge.

All physical examinations are to be conducted in a big glass cage erected in the center of the Woman's building. The mental test will be carried on in a closed apartment at the rear of the glass cage, but visitors will have an opportunity to see most of the examination.

1914 CHAMPION GIRL.

As formerly there are to be three classes: Children from the country, children from towns and villages under 2,500; and children from towns and cities over 2,500. In each class there are sub-classes for girls twelve months old and under twenty-four, boys twelve months old and under twenty-four, girls twenty-four months old and under thirty-six, and boys twenty-four months old and under thirty-six. All prizes are to consist of ribbons and medals except in case of the championships, $25 being given the most perfect boy and girl.

The Webb Publishing company of St. Paul is furnishing all prizes, and will give either or both champions $25 extra in case residence is in the country. Only Minnesota babies can enter.

Where He Becomes a Bore.
"A man dat likes to hear bisself talk," said Uncle Eben, "wouldn' be so bad if he wasn' so unselfish in tryin' to share the pleasure with others."

POLITICAL AGITATORS

POLITICIANS WHO CAPITALIZE STRIFE A MENACE TO GOVERNMENT.

Neglect of Agricultural and Industrial Opportunities a National Crime.

By Peter Radford.

There never was a time in the history of this nation when we needed statesmen more or agitators less than at the present moment. The opportunities now afforded us on land and sea demand the best there is in statecraft and the possibilities that are confronting us call for national issues that unite the people, build industry and expand trade. The agricultural and industrial development of this nation has suffered severely at the hands of agitators who have sent torpedoes crashing into the port side of business and whose neglect of the interests of the farmer makes them little less than political criminals. We want no more of these evil spirits to predominate in government. Too long their hysterical cry has sent a shiver down the spinal column of industry. Too long have the political agitators capitalized strife, pillaged progress and murdered opportunity. An industrial corpse is not a desirable thing, a crippled business an achievement or neglect an accomplishment about which any representative of the government has a right to boast.

Issues that Breed Agitators Should be Eliminated.

The political agitator must be eliminated from public life before thoughtful consideration can be given to a constructive program in government. The liquor question is the most prolific breeding ground for agitators and whether pro or anti, the hatch is equally as undesirable. This article is in no sense a discussion of the liquor question but deals solely and by way of illustration with the political products of that issue. Other subjects will be dealt with in the order of their importance.

In the history of our government the liquor issue has never produced a constructive statesman worth mentioning and it never will. It has sent more freaks to Congress, Lilliputians to the Senate and incompetents to office than any other political issue under the sun.

The recent experience of the English Parliament which lashed itself into a fury over the liquor question has a lesson that it is well for the farmers of this nation to observe; for the subject in some form or other is constantly before the public for solution and ofttimes to the exclusion of more important problems to the American plowmen.

Too Many Political Drunkards.

Lloyd-George, the Prohibition leader of Europe who led the prohibition fight in England, has declared that he will never again take a drink politically and there are many American politicians—pro and anti—who would render their country a service by climbing on the water wagon or signing a pledge of political temperance. Too often our legislative halls are turned into political bar-rooms and many of the members become intoxicated on liquor discussions. We have too many political drunkards—pro and anti—in our public affairs. No one who is a slave to the political liquor habit is quite so capable of dealing with the business affairs of government as the sober and industrious. We have few public men in this day who are strong enough to resist the temptation of strong drink politically and when the demon Rum once becomes firmly entrenched in the mind of a politician, he is less capable of meeting the demands for constructive statesmanship now confronting this nation.

We have in this country too many red-nosed politicians—both pro and anti. A candidate with political delirium tremens, a preacher with political snakes in his boots and an agitator drunk on the liquor question are the saddest sights in civilization and they should all be forced to take the political Keeley Cure.

It is far more important in government to make it easier for those who toil to eat than to make it more difficult for a few topers to drink. There is not one person in one hundred of our rural population that ever touches liquor but we all eat three times a day.

THE LAYMAN'S DUTY

There never was a time when preachers and politicians formed an unholy alliance that civilization did not shriek out and Christianity cry aloud. Since the beginning of government, politicians have sought to decoy the ministry into the meshes of politics and make them carry banners in political processions. They have taken the ministry to the mountain-top of power and offered to make them monarch of all they surveyed, and while most of them have said, "Get thee behind me Satan," a few have fallen with a crash that has shaken every pulpit in Christendom.

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Where He Becomes a Bore.

"A man dat likes to hear bisself talk," said Uncle Eben, "wouldn' be so bad if he wasn' so unselfish in tryin' to share the pleasure with others."

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Doctor Locating Here.

Dr. W. A. Lindsay arrived here Saturday and as he was looking for a location, he has decided to stay. He has rented Chris Yttri's house and takes possession Sept. 1st.

Young Peoples Meeting.

The Nazareth Young People' Society met at C. L. Heinze's Sunday Aug. 22nd. The meeting was well attended, about $7.35 being collected. A good program was rendered. The choir sang some good songs followed by a reading and a few words by Rev. M. B. Ordahl and a speech by Rev. Andrew Erickson. Then a good lunch was served after which a business meeting was held.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. O. H. Nohre; Vice President, Mrs. A. Anderson; Secretary, Selma Dovre; Treasurer, Ben Docken. Program Committee, Mrs. Huseth, Mrs. A. Anderson and Mr. Oscar Furr. It was decided to hold the next meeting Sunday evening Sept. 5th at the home of Mrs. H. Furr.

Secretary.

A. H. Huseth went to T. R. Falls last week Thursday on business.

A. D. Stephens vice-president of the Holt State Bank, was here between trains Monday.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Nels Lysne, Wednesday, Sept. 1st. Everyone invited.

Dr. R. L. Olson, accompanied by his father, made a business trip to Thief River Falls Saturday morning.

Miss Jessie Grondahl of Strathcona came Saturday to visit at the Jacob Nelson and C. H. Gunheim homes.

Ida and Nannie Bjerk left Saturday for their home in Strathcona after a pleasant two weeks visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Reierson.

Surveyors, in the employment of the state, were here Saturday and Monday, making estimates of the value of the railroad for taxation purposes.

A. R. Jones ate a big chicken dinner Sunday at the W. A. Lambertson home near Viking. Mr. Jones brot home some fine sweet corn and gave the editor a good meal out of it.

Elmer Brink visited friends here a few days last week. He has sold out in St. Hilaire and left Saturday for St. Louis to purchase a barber's out fit and expects to locate in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Mrs. D. Payne returned home Tuesday from an extended visit with her parents. All the children returned with their mother except Thelma who decided to make Grandpa and Grandma Kolden a more extended visit.

Norbeck and Thompson brought the threshing rig that they recently purchased of H. K. Johnson, to town and are repairing it. Ole Davidson is helping to do the work and expects to run the outfit this season for the owners.

Mrs. Martha Iverson, son Jens of Hatton, N. D. and son John Iverson, wife and two children of Hamburg, autoed here Tuesday of last week for a few days visit at the fine country home of Mr and Mrs T. O. Dovre. Mrs Iverson is an aunt of Mrs. Dovre's and the two ladies had not seen each other for over thirty years. The Iverson's did not let the Dovre family know they were coming so it was a very pleasant surprise for them and they all had an enjoyable visit with each other.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday Services.
Afternoon.
2:00 o'clock Sunday School
Evening.

8.00 o'clock Rev. A. L. Larson will preach in English and all are invited to attend.

A Buckinghamshire (Eng.) farmer once wrote to a distinguished scientific agriculturist to whom he felt under obligation for introducing a variety of swine: Respected Sir—I went yesterday to the fair at A—, I found several pigs of your species. There was a great variety of beast and I was greatly astonished at not seeing you there."

Another farmer wishing to enter some animals at an agricultural exhibition wrote as sollows to the secretary of the society: Dear Sir—Enter me also for a jackass."

The director of the zoological gardens was on his holiday. He received a note from his chief assistant, which closed thus: The champanzee seems to be pining for a companion. What shall we do until you return?

Northeast of Holt

Sophie Johnson and Anna Sorter called on Lizzie Hanson last Thursday.

Mrs. Erick Johnson called on Mrs. Gunder Sorter Thursday afternoon afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Paulson and Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Paulson autoed down from Strandquist Sunday to spend the day with C. W. Christianson's.

Miss Betty Johnson called at C. W. Christianson's Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson called at Knutson's Sunday.

Notice!

Commencing Sept. 6th. cream will be received on Monday and Thursday.

P. L. Anderson. Buttermaker.

C. W. Latta has purchased a Ford

Miss Edna Risberg went to Middle River Saturday.

C. Newton and children visited at Martin Jarshaw's Sunday.

C. Chase and H. Shaw of Marthon Iowa came Monday to visit H. P. Pean.

August Ness went to Thief River Falls yesterday to have dental work done.

Mesdames John Saaberg and Tom Ellferson went to Thief River Falls Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ole Reierson returned home Friday and is steadily improving in health, we are pleased to report.

Mrs. B. J. Bakke and children of Thief River Falls came Wednesday to visit at the B. Docken home.

H. S. Dahlen, vice-president, and O. Sponheim, cashier, of The People's State Bank of T. R. Falls, were in town Tuesday.

The school board purchased two school buses Wednesday for the Holt school which will be shipped here immediately.

Ole Backlund autoed over to Rosewood Monday morning with John Johnson and Alfred Olson. The two latter named gentlemen departed for the threshing fields in Dakota.

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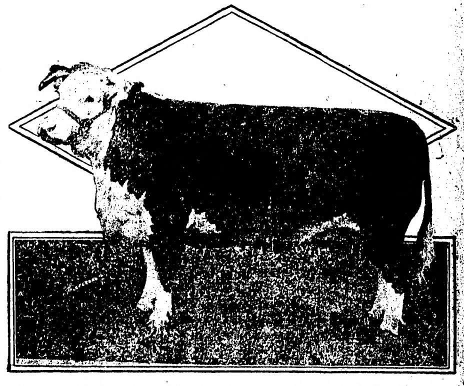

Farmers interested in the purchase of better live stock will have an excellent chance to buy pure-bred horses, cattle, sheep and swine at the great public live stock market which is to be held at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept 6 to 11. Most of the noted herds, stables and flocks in America will be represented.

There are indications of unusual interest in the cattle and horse shows, a large local entry in all breeds being promised. There have been times when the exhibit of dairy cattle has been better than that at any other show in the country. The fact that special emphasis is being placed on the value of the cattle show as a place for the sale and purchase of breeding animals would indicate that a big show will result.

Horses in Demand.

The European war has created such a demand for good horses throughout the country that it is probable that more horses will be raised in the near future than ever before. Especially is this true of the Northwest, where good brood mares are employed to such an extent in doing the farm work. Breeders of good horses all over America are being urged to attend the Minnesota State Fair this year, and not only compete for the $13,2[illegible] in cash prizes but interest the buying public in their sale animals.

Farmers are being urged to visit the Minnesota State Fair for the purpose of buying good pure-bred stallions and mares for breeding purposes. As practically all the leading stables doing business in this part of the country will be represented some excellent bargains may be obtained. Attention is being called to the excellent opportunity afforded of studying the best types so that it may be easier to pick a good stallion in the raising of colts. Horse and cattle entries close Aug. 12.

Swine and Sheep.

The public markets for swine and sheep will be emphasized as much as those for horses and cattle. There is known to be a need for more sheep in the Northwest. Last year 200 sheep were sold at private sale at the Minnesota State Fair, and it is probable that a much larger number will be disposed of this year.

The seventy three nominations for the Poland China futurity show insure one of the largest swine shows ever held at Hamline, despite the fact that each successive year has been a record-breaking one. As usual a large sale of surplus hogs will be made to farmers in search of breeding stock. Entries for sheep and swine close Aug. 26, giving ample chance to enter within ten days of the fair.

Persons interested in the livestock show will find the earlier part of fair week more interesting than the latter part, since all the judging is generally [illegible] by Thursday.

Stand by your home paper -- The Weekly News.

LINER ARABIC TORPEDOED; TWO AMERICANS DROWNED

GOES TO BOTTOM IN TEN MINUTES

THIRTY-TWO BELIEVED DROWNED; TWO AMONG MISSING ARE AMERICANS.

CLAIMS NO WARNING GIVEN

White Star Line Gives Out Statement Regarding Disaster Southeast of Fastnet—Survivors Picked Up and Taken to Queenstown.

London, Aug. 23.—At least five passengers, two of whom were Americans, and 40 members of the crew lost their lives when the White Star liner Arabic was sunk by a German submarine off Fastnet. Nine other passengers are missing and are believed to have perished. The two Americans, who went down with the ship, were Mrs. Josephine Brugeire of New York and Edmund T. Wood.

Mrs. Brugeire was thrown into the water and was kept afloat for some time by her son, Louis, who was forced to relinquish his hold when he was struck by a piece of wreckage. Nothing was seen of Wood after the steamer was struck.

Late reports from Queenstown add the name of W. E. Ramsdell to the list of missing Americans.

Most of the missing members of the crew belonged to the engineer's staff. They remained at their posts and went down with the ship.

Declare No Warning Given.

Captain Finsh and the other officers of the Arabic assert that the submarine gave them no warning. They declare the torpedo was fired as they were going to the rescue of the steamer Dunsley, which had just been torpedoed, presumably by the same submarine.

That the loss of life was not much heavier was due to the preparations made by the officers in view of the possibilities of an attack while passing through the "war zone," to the fine weather which prevailed and to the splendid discipline maintained by the crew. Life belts had been provided by the crew. Life boats had been placed on the decks and the life boats swung out. As soon as the ship was struck rafts were flung over the side. Many of the passengers and crew who were thrown into the water climbed on board these rafts or were dragged onto them by persons already upon them.

The torpedo that sank the Arabic struck her on the starboard side 100 feet from the stern. The vessel had left Liverpool Wednesday afternoon and taken a southerly course well off the Irish coast doubtless with a view of avoiding the submarines which frequent the waters nearer the shore.

When some 50 miles west of where the Lusitania was sunk in May, the German under-water boat rose to the surface and launched a torpedo. The marksmanship of the Germans, as in the case of the Lusitania, was deadly accurate and, like the Lusitania, the big liner quickly settled down and shortly disappeared.

BERLIN WITHHOLDS DETAILS

Foreign Office Fears Sinking of Arabic Will Lead to Serious Difficulties With Washington.

London, Aug. 23.—The Exchange Telegraph company has received the following dispatch, dated Berlin via Amsterdam:

"News of the sinking of the Arabic caused great nervousness, the foreign office fearing it would lead to serious difficulties with Washington.

"Details are withheld from the newspapers which are prohibited from making comment."

LANSING SEEKS AFFIDAVITS

Instructs London Embassy to Get Accounts from American Survivors of Arabic.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Secretary Lansing announced he had instructed the embassy at London, and the American consuls in the vicinity to gather affidavits from Americans on board the Arabic.

Arabic Not Convoyed, Belief

New York, Aug. 21.—P. A. S. Franklin, receiver of the International Mercantile Marine company, endeavored to learn by cable whether the Arabic was convoyed. The significance of an armed convoy, he said, was such that an entirely new aspect would be placed on the incident, should it be established that a British warship was convoying her a short time before the torpedo was fired. Mr. Franklin announced his belief that the steamer had not been convoyed.

DID LINER ATTEMPT TO RAM GERMAN SUBMARINE?

Washington, Aug. 23.—Tension increased in official quarters here when consular messages forwarding affidavits of American survivors of the British liner Arabic brought definite information that the vessel was torpedoed without warning and at least some Americans had been lost. It seemed that but one point remained to be cleared up—whether the Arabic attempted to ram the submarine or whether a change of the liner's course to assist the already sinking British steamer Dunsley nearby was misinterpreted by the German submarine commander as a hostile approach.

America in Receptive Mood.

The attitude of the American government for the moment is receptive, anxiously awaiting accurate details and reserving judgment as to whether the action was "deliberately unfriendly." The final decision rests with President Wilson. The president motored to Philadelphia to see an oculist. He had consulted Secretary Lansing before leaving and conferred with him again. No statement was forthcoming, as details from abroad were lacking, but everywhere in official quarters the grave aspects of the case were discussed. The general trend of comment was that the American government had reached the point where it must now decide whether it would sever diplomatic relations with Germany.

Word From Survivors Awaited.

In addition to awaiting information from the American survivors, the embassy in London and consuls, the officials expect word from Ambassador Gerard at Berlin to indicate whether the attack without warning on the Arabic had the sanction of the German government. Should Germany offer an explanation, stating there were qualifying circumstances, such as an attempt by the Arabic to escape or ram the submarine, the disposition on Germany's part to discuss the case would in all likelihood be construed here as a disvowal of any intention deliberately to violate the principles for which the United States has contended.

Officials here have found it difficult to reconcile the act with previous declarations from Germany that the purpose of the submarine warfare was to prevent the carriage of munitions of war to the Allies.

The Arabic was bound for an American port and carried therefore no contraband.

DECIDES UPON TWO STEPS

Wilson and Advisors Fix Tentatively Upon Course to Be Taken as to Germany.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Before the last note to Germany, which was designed to terminate the diplomatic interchange regarding the submarine issue was cabled to Berlin, the President and his advisors deemed it wise to fix tentatively upon the steps that would be taken if Germany disregarded the warning then given.

Although no intimation was given that the government had any suspicion that the German government would commit a breach of the principles stated by the United States, the fact was that the actual decision was reached at that time, so that the future relations of the United States with Germany were made to depend entirely upon the conduct of the latter nation.

Decide Upon Two Steps

According to the best information secured in the interval since the note was dispatched, two steps were decided upon tentatively. These are:

First—the severance of diplomatic relations—a step which the president may take upon his own constitutional authority.

Second—Congress to be called into session immediately to receive full information from the executive branch of the government as to the acts of Germany so that it may exercise its prerogative deciding what further steps if any shall be taken to maintain the honor of the country and protect the rights of its citizens.

National Defense Program.

It is believed that the first move the president would make after submitting the issue to congress would be to present his national defense program. Secretary of War Garrison now has practically formulated his plans for a comprehensive reorganization and the enlargement of the army.

Survivors Scantily Attired

Queenstown, Aug. 21.—The landing here of the survivors of the ill-fated White Star line steamer Arabic was a pitiable scene. All of them were scantily clothed and none of them had hat or head covering of any kind. A large number of the survivors were suffering from injuries to their heads and other wounds, or from shock and the effects of being forced to take to open boats scantily attired. Many of the women were in their berths when the liner was torpedoed.

ITALY DECLARES WAR ON TURKEY

DETENTION OF SUBJECTS IN ASIA MINOR GIVEN AS REASON FOR ACTION.

SHIPS SENT TO DARDANELLES

Rome's Ambassador to Constantinople Presents Declaration and Demands Passports—U. S. Embassy Cares for Italian Interests.

London, Aug. 23.—Italy has declared war against Turkey and the Italian ambassador has left Constantinople. This announcement is made in a Reuter telegram from Constantinople via Berlin and Amsterdam.

Marquis di Garroni, Italian ambassador to Turkey, handed to the Porte a note declaring Italy considered herself in a state of war with Turkey, and demanded his passports, according to a telegram received at Amsterdam and transmitted to the Central News.

The Grievance

The reasons given in the note for Italy's declaration of war were the support given by Turkey to the revolt in Libya and the prevention of the departure of Italian residents from Syria.

It is said that simultaneously with the declaration of war by Italy, about 150,000 men would be sent to aid the Franco-British forces in the fighting on the Gallipoli peninsula.

U. S. Embassy Protects Italians

A dispatch from Amsterdam says: "The Italian ambassador and the embassy staff have left Constantinople. The United States embassy has been entrusted with the task of protecting Italians in Turkey. One secretary and two dragomans remained at the Italian embassy.

Have Been at Peace

London, Aug. 23.—Although Italy decared war on Austria May 24, and hostilities between the two powers began immediately, there has never been any declaration of war between Italy and Germany, the ally of Austria, while until now, Italy and Turkey, the ally of the Central Powers, nominally have been at peace.

Friction Manifest Early

Friction between Turkey and Italy, however, has been in evidence since shortly after the latter's entrance into the war. Early in June, there were reports that Italian consuls were gradually leaving Turkey and that American officials were taking over the task of looking out for Italian interests.

Later charges were made that the Ottoman government was preventing these consuls from leaving and that similar coercion was being exerted over Italian civilians, who wished to quit Turkish soil.

Appealed to America

On July 20, advices came from Rome that the Italian government had addressed a note to the United States asking it to use its influence to protect Italian subjects in the Ottoman domains. The complaint that they were being prevented from leaving was reiterated.

It was announced Aug. 5 that Italy had asked for categorical explanations concerning Turkey's alleged refusal to withdraw her troops from the Cyrenaica district in Tripoli and it was charged that Turkey was pursuing what was described as her usual policy of procrastination. Shortly after this, it was reported that a declaration of war by Italy against Turkey would be made simultaneously with the sending of about 150,000 men to the aid of the Franco-British forces on the Gallipoli peninsula.

Rumania to Mobolize

Geneva, Aug. 23.—The Bucharest, Rumania, correspondent of the Tribune sends the following:

"Between Nish (Serbia) and Bucharest constant telegrams are passing. It is believed that Rumania will begin a general mobilization on August 25. Relations between Bulgaria, Rumania and Serbia at present are excellent.

Two Russ Gunboats Sunk

The Russian vessels, which are sunk were the gunboats Sivulch and Koreets and a torpedo boat. The German ships sunk or put out of commission were all torpedo boats. The damaged German boat was escorted to port.

Report From Admiralty

"Our Baltic naval forces penetrated the Gulf of Riga after mine sweepers had swept the mine field and net obstructions. In the outpost engagements which developed a Russian torpedo boat of the Emir Pucharskii class was destroyed and other torpedo boats, among them the Novik, and one large vessel, were severely damaged while retreating.

Forty of Crew Hurt

"On the evening of the 19th in Moon Sound the Russian gunboats Sivutch and Koreets were sunk by artillery fire and torpedo boats, after brave resistance. Forty members of the crews, including two officers, some severely wounded, were rescued by our torpedo boats."

"Three of our torpedo boats were damaged by mines. One sank, one was run aground and one was escorted to port.

"Our loss of life was small.

Cruisers in Readiness

It was announced on Aug. 19 that a strong squadron of fast Italian cruisers was being held in readiness to sail from Taranto, Italy, at a moment's notice. It was stated that it was expected the war ships would be sent against Turkey if the latter country declined to satisfy Italy's demands for the release of Italian subjects held in the Ottoman empire.

A meeting of the Italian cabinet was held Friday and at that time Baron Sonnino, Italian minister of foreign affairs presented an exhaustive report on the Turkish situation.

HIDDEN IMPURITY

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More Than a Stranger.

Manager Hughey Jennings of the Detroit Tigers makes it a rule to give a tryout to everyone claiming to be a ball player who comes seeking a place with him. One day at morning practice, as Jennings tells the story, a chap wandered in and asked for a chance.

"You're an experienced player?" questioned Jennings.

"Oh, yes," replied the candidate.

"Can you hit and field pretty good?"

"Oh, yes, indeed!"

"What do you usually play?"

"I'm a right fielder."

"Well, go out in right," instructed Jennings, "and we'll see what you can do."

Jennings instructed one of the pitchers to hit a few flies to the new man in right and turned to other affairs. He was back in a few moments and, greatly to his surprise, found the candidate still beside the plate.

"What are you doing here?" he asked. "I thought I sent you out in right field!"

"Yes, Mr. Jennings," was the reply. "You'll have to excuse me, but you see I'm a stranger here, and which is right field in this park?"—American Boy.

"Two-Way" Masons.

Members of the Chicago Craftsmen chapter of Operative Masons are Masons in two senses of the word. They are bricklayers aud stone masons and are members of the Masonic order.

The Hewlett Family.

There is a corporation named "The Hewlett Family of America." All of the members are descendants of George Hewlett, who came to this country from England in 1640.

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WORSHIP HEROES IN EFFIGY

Hindus at Native Fair Rear Monstrous Figures in Commemoration of Ancient Warriors.

In Kashmir, India, it was once my good fortune to visit a Hindu Dussrah, or native fair. The cantonment of my host was some distance away from the grounds, so we mounted two of his horses and rode through the village out on the road to the fair grounds, where we rode much of the way in the wake of an interminable procession on its way to the Dussrah.

Above the heads of the multitude three towering figures caught my eyes. They were fashioned after the form of man, but crudely and grotesquely, and they were 100 feet tall. I turned to my companion and asked him what they were. He told me that these monstrous effigies were reared to commemorate an ancient mythological war which, according to Hindu belief, took place in Ceylon in the long ago.

Whether the story is true or not, the figures were undoubtedly real, and became more monstrously real the closer we approached them. Later, when we strolled at their feet, I saw how they were made. Bamboo poles, bound together after the Indian fashion of piecing out scaffolding, formed the framework, and they were anchored to the ground by ropes hidden under the costumes that were made of coarse cloth. The heads of the figures, grotesque and unreal in their workmanship, were surmounted by fancy crowns of gold and colored paper.

The fair, indeed, was devoted entirely to the praise of these mythological warriors and the heroic deeds they are supposed to have done in the ancient Ceylon wars.

Prayers of the Lazy.

We believe the faith of some people would be materially strengthened if they would omit in their supplications all appeals for the Lord to chop their wood and fetch their water for them.—Houston Post.

SKY MARAUDER IN AIRSHAFT

Birds Cling Fearfully to Fire Escape While Sparrow Hawk Hovers Near.

A servant maid in an apartment on the fourth floor of the Victoria, at Riverside drive and Ninety-seventh street, opened the kitchen window Monday morning and wondered why dozens of sparrows that were huddling on fire escape and window sill did not take fright and scurry away. Then she glanced outward and upward into the airshaft and discovered the reason.

A sparrow hawk, sun glinting on its wings, was wheeling rapidly high up in the airshaft, but below the roof level. Occasionally, when the marauder's keen eye glimpsed a sparrow which hadn't taken refuge it darted like a flash. Twice while the maid watched the hawk made a capture and soared out of the airshaft.

The air pirate worked for about two hours and disappeared shortly before noon, but it was at least half an hour later when the plump, brown sparrows recovered from the terror caused by the hawk's appearance.

To Protect State's Wards.

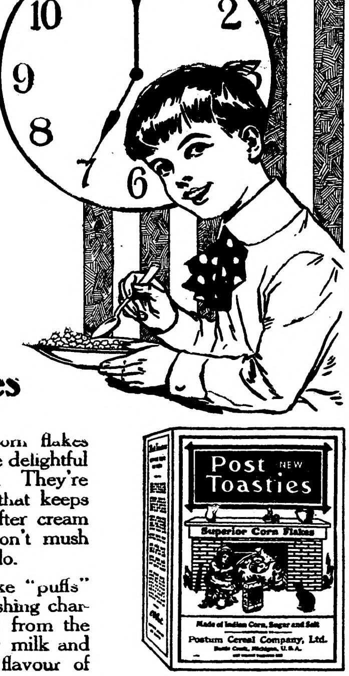
Insurance Commissioner Ekern of Wisconsin has sent a letter to each member of the legislature urging immediate action to protect life and property against the fire hazard in the state charitable and penal institutions. A bureau recommended the installation of sprinkler equipments, especially in the hospitals for the insane at Oshkosh and Mendota.

The commissioner said it was cheaper to make improvements than to pay fire losses and the families and friends of the helpless inmates had a right to ask that their lives be made safe from the dangers of fire.

Sometimes a man will do a mean thing because he has confidence in his ability to square himself by offering an apology.

Italy consumes less tobacco per capita than any other civilized nation.

On Time for Breakfast



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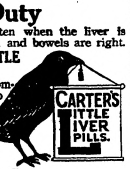

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A sign writer has discovered that pro and con are abbreviations of producers and consumers.—Wheeling Intelligencer.

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Tea plants average about fifteen years of life.

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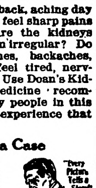

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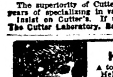

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OIL INSPECTION LAWS ARE UPHELD

DISTRICT JUDGE DECIDES FEES REQUIRED BY STATE ARE NOT EXCESSIVE.

STATE NEWS OF MINNESOTA

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.—Minnesota's oil inspection laws were upheld in a decision filed by District Judge Hanft in the case of the suit by the state against the Bartels Oil company, in which the fees were held not excessive.

The oil company, in addition to its claim that the fees were so excessive that they became a tax, contended that oils were subject to interstate commerce regulations. Judge Hanft waived the latter point in making his decision, but later wrote that the oils were not subject of interstate commerce at the time of inspection.

The state sued for $838.80, and Judge Hanft awarded $794.80, holding though the fees were in excess of the actual amount required to defray the expenses incident to inspection alone, that other departments have to employ extra men to attend to other phases of oil inspection and that therefore there is a corresponding additional cost.

Decision of Vital Importance.

Judge Hanft's decision is of vital importance to the state, for had he decided that the fees were so excessive that they automatically became a tax, the oil inspection department would thereby have been eliminated, as the power of the bureau does not extend to taxation.

"Taking the expenses of the work on oil inspection work devolving upon the state auditor's, the state treasurer's, the attorney general's, the public examiner's and the state chemist's departments, these fees are not excessive," wrote Judge Hanft.

DENTIST CONFESSES ARSON

Says He Wanted $2,000 Insurance and Offices in Modern Business Block.

Aurora.—One of the most ingenious arson plants revealed in the fire history of Minnesota was uncovered at Aurora, in rooms occupied by Dr. B. J. Stahlmann, a dentist of the little mining town, who will be sentenced Aug. 24, by Judge Martin Hughes at Virginia. When the plant was discovered after a premature blaze had been extinguished suspicion at once centered upon a clothing dealer who occupied a store under Dr. Stahlmann's office and the mayor asked Robert W. Hargadine, state fire marshal, to cause the man's arrest.

Careful investigation convinced the fire marshal that the merchant was innocent and that the plant had been designed and completed by the dentist. The latter eventually confessed, explaining that he wanted to collect his insurance of $2,000 and compel the owner to rebuild a modern business block within which he would have handsome offices.

"Dr. Stahlmann must have pondered long and carefully over his plan and exercised much patience as well as ingenuity, for this office has never been confronted with such an elaborate arrangement," said Mr. Hargadine. "It was only through the man's ignorance of the qualities of gasoline that his plan failed and his crime was disclosed.

Mutual Insurance Succeeds

Minneapolis, Aug. 20.—Samuel D. Works, Minnesota insurance commissioner, told the delegates to the convention of the National Association of Mutual Insurance companies at the West hotel that the mutual insurance companies in Minnesota had been a success and were a large factor in the reduction of insurance costs, also providing adequate farm protection.

Mr. Works was not scheduled to speak until later, but replaced Ira C. Peterson, deputy insurance commissioner, who was unable to attend.

Strangers Rob Ticket Office

Owatonna.—While the clerks were showing a woman how to operate the toll station in the waiting room at the Rock Island passenger station here, strangers entered the ticket office and robbed the till. Wesley Kenney, who said he lived in Minneapolis, was arrested. He denies guilt.

New Wholesale House at Rochester.

Rochester.—Rochester is to have a new wholesale grocery concern under the firm name of Reiter & Stolp. A three story brick building 120x44 will be erected on Broadway.

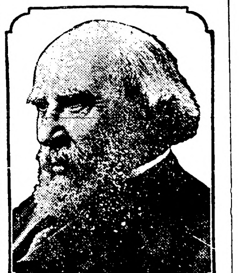
Lid Is On in "Indian Zone"

Bemidji.—Saloons at Grand Rapids must close at once and there is no hope of other places in the "Indian zone" breaking through the lid as it is applied under the 1855 treaty, according to a decision handed down by Judge C. W. Stanton.

The decision is on injunction proceedings brought by twelve Grand Rapids' saloonkeepers, who sought to restrain the government from closing the saloons.

The government was represented by Alfred Jacques of Duluth.

JAMES J. HILL



HILL, GREATEST MINNESOTAN

Most Distinguished Citizen of State Selected by Hammond's Committee Day at Big Exposition.

St. Paul, Minn.—James J. Hill, empire builder, was selected as Minnesota's most distinguished citizen by a committee named by Governor Hammond. The selection officials of the Panama-Pacific exposition who will name a day in his honor and arrange fitting exercises for its observance. Mr. Hill's name was chosen following a meeting of the committee held in the office of Frank Nelson, president of Minnesota college.

When word of the selection was conveyed to Governor Hammond, he expressed his satisfaction and at once wrote the exposition officials for further instructions. Mr. Hill will be asked to lend his presence to the occasion and it is possible that his visit to the exposition will be the occasion of a big demonstration in his honor. Leading business men of the Northwest will be asked to participate.

SON IS SUED FOR PROPERTY

Fergus Falls Farmer Seeks to Recover Estate Which He Asserts Is Being Wrongfully Held.

Fergus Falls.—Adolph Biersdorf has began suit in the district court here against his son, Carl Biersdorf, to secure the return of his real estate, valued at $24,000 and $6,000 in personal property, which he asserts is being wrongfully held.

He alleges that in April, 1913, he was seriously ill, and while in that condition he was given a paper to sign, the nature of which he did not know; that he is not familiar with the English language and that it was represented to him that the signing of the paper was of no consequence; that after he recovered, he discovered that he had signed away his entire farm and live stock to his son, and that the latter now "treats him like a dog," compelling him to live in one room, handing him his meals on a platter on the floor, and locking him in when he leaves home.

The son replies that the father deeded him the property voluntarily with the understanding he was to support him and his mother during their lives, and that he has been doing as he agreed.

LIKELY TO ESCAPE CHOLERA

Minnesota Farmers Are Warned to Investigate Any Illness Among Hogs—Only Two Outbreaks.

Minneapolis.—"Minnesota seems likely to escape serious loss by hog cholera this year," H. Preston Hoskins, in charge of the hog cholera section at the Minnesota Experiment station, says.

"Only two outbreaks have occurred," he said, "one in Meeker county and the other in Polk county, between Crookston and Fertile.

"Demands for serum were met promptly by the state serum plant. This plant produced 573,210 cubic centimeters (almost 15,000 doses) during July. This brought the production for the first seven months of 1915 to about 3,000,000 cubic centimeters. Distribution is being made through local distributing agencies. There are three in Meeker county.

"The critical time of the year for the spread of cholera has just arrived and will continue through September. Farmers and others, therefore, should use the utmost precautions and see to it that any illness among their hogs is promptly investigated."

Ferry and Launch Burn at Crosby

Crosby.—The passenger ferry Twin City and the motorboat Deerwood, of the Ingalls motor ferry operating between Crosby and Deerwood, burned to the water's edge. The boats were tied together at the dock. Fire started, it is believed, by persons smoking cigarettes. The boats drifted causing danger to buildings along the shore. Crosby firemen towed the burning boats beyond range of danger. The loss is estimated at $8,000, partly covered by insurance.

Grows Alfalfa on Peat Land

Thief River Falls.—That peat land will grow alfalfa has been demonstrated by experiments made by Senator D. P. O'Neill, who owns or controls large tracts which have not been considered very valuable. Senator O'Neill has always maintained that once the peat lands are broken up, grassed and the peat "worked over" to aid decomposition, good crops can be raised. He is exhibiting some of the best growths of alfalfa seen in the country, taken from lands which are as yet unoccupied.

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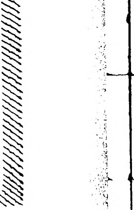

"Chew it after every meal"

Germany's Potato Crop

The potato crop of Germany was one of the largest on record. The official statistics place the figures at 50,200,000 metric tons, as against 34,500,000 metric tons in 1912. Quite a high percentage of the potatoes were diseased and could not be kept over winter, and the crop being large the prices obtained were low.

NO DOUBT THAT RESINOL DOES STOP ITCHING

It is a fact that the moment resinol ointment touches itching skins, the itching stops and healing begins. With the aid of resinol soap, it almost always clears away all trace of eczema, summer rashes, pimples, or similar tormenting, unsightly eruption quickly, leaving the skin clear and healthy.

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Invisible Splendors

"How do you like living in the country?"

"This ain't the country," replied Farmer Corntossel. "This place was subdivided five years ago, and if you'll look at the map you'll see you're livin' right across from the city hall with a fountain playin' in the park an' automobiles all over the place."

Weight of Ore Cars

The weight of ore cars descending a mine in South Africa is used to produce power by pulling a cable wound around a drum that drives a dynamo.

Every town dog believes he can catch a rabbit, but a country dog

Half Educated.

"It wouldn't be a bad idea," said the boy's father, "if you did a little work during your summer vacation. You surely don't need three whole months to rest up after the little work you did at college. When I was your age I earned enough during the summer to pay my college expenses."

"Yes," replied the boy, "and look at the result. You can't play tennis at all, your golf is a joke and you don't know as much about Ty Cobb's batting average as the lowest paid office boy in your establishment."—New York World.

Prize Definition of Money.

What is regarded as one of the best definitions of money was given by Henry E. Buggs of Sheffield, England, who was awarded a prize offered by a British weekly for the following philosophical wisdom:

"An article which may be used as a universal passport to everywhere except heaven and as a universal provider of everything except happiness."

Faces Turned Toward Sunrise

This is a busy world but the age is calling for men who can help bear its burdens, who can do things, whose faces are turned toward the sunrise.—Elbert Hubbard.

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No Bookworm.

"What works on political economy have you read?"

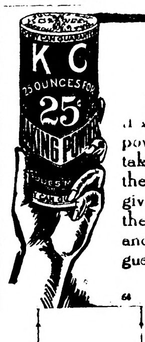
"None," replied Senator Sorghum. "Political economy is a science that tells you how a government ought to be run, but it doesn't tell you how to get the votes that will enable you to run it."

The Likeness.

"That chronic grumbler reminds me of an express train."

"In what way?"

"He is always on the [illegible]"



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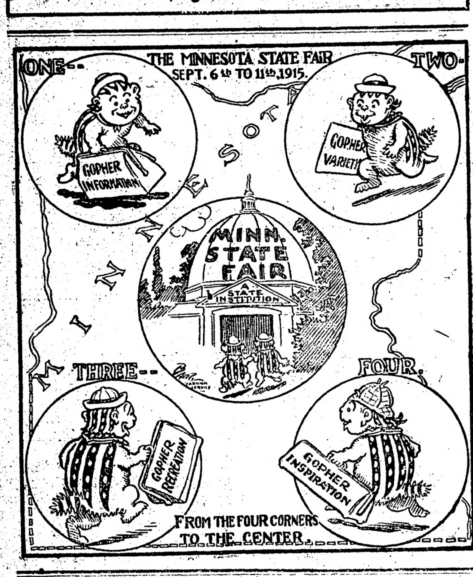

Much in Brief Dream.

It is written of one of the most eminent of Englishmen who was dictating to his amanuensis chapters of an important work, and while so engaged was overcome by sleep. He dreamed of matters of great moment, of diplomatic conferences, exhausting many days and weeks. Becoming awake he chided his secretary for permitting him to sleep, and was astounded to be told by the scrivener that he had not finished the last sentence that had been dictated. Volumes have been written crammed with such experiences in infinite variety.

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We had a slight frost Wednesday night but have not learned the amount of damage done.

Sam Mickelson, who is doing carpenter work near Warren, was an over Sunday visitor with his family.

Mrs. Lufkin and children of Thief Rives Falls have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Rierson a few days this week.

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The Stephen Leader will pass into the possession of A. J. Lovestrom, Sept. 1st. Success to the new owner.

You can attend the business men's military training camp at Ft. Snelling Sept. 20-30 for an entrance fee of $25.00

The Northern hotel and the F. C. Niclai cigar factory in Thief River Falls were destroyed by fire early Tuesday morning.

Otto Lee has completed his new silo and as an initiation deposited 95 tons of mammouth clover in it, all of which was taken off of 13 acres of land. This is the first silo erected in this section. Who says this is'nt a clover country?—Grygla Eagle.

A very sad accident occurred near Randen Tuesday of last week, when little Signe Ingvart age two years ran out to greet her parents who were both on a load of hay. The parents did not see the child coming and the wagon struck her, passing over her little body, killing her instantly.

The English steamship Arabic was sunk a few days ago by a German submarine and two Americans were lost. For a few days there was great excitment and matters where becoming critical, but now Germany has asked for a chance to make explanation and there is now a quieter feeling all over the country.

Mrs. B. L. Backe and her sister Miss Myrtle Thomas, autoed to Grygla Sunday for their mother Mrs. Thomas who has been teaching there.

The carpenter that has been working on the Red Lake Falls elevator for some time, finished his job here Wednesday and left for other points.

Chas Martell, Sam Reierson, Gilbert Johnson, Arthur Brotton, and two sons of Mat Larson's started with six teams for Langdon N. D. Monday to work during the threshing season.

Mr. Marston, with the Minnesota Loan and Trust Co. of Minneapolis was here Wednesday and and examined loans made for them by Holt State Bank. He expressed himself as extremely well pleased with this section of the country and predicted a bright future for us.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Aug. 12th, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Axel Nelson of Holt, Minn. who on May 6th 1910 made Homestead Entry No. 05221 for SE 1-4 SW 1-4 Section 27 and East 1-2 NW 1-4 Section 34, Township 156 N Ran. 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota on the 24th day of Sept. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole M. Larson, A. C. Jahr, Clarence Knutson and John Knutson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Local Items

Mrs. Post of St. Hilaire was here one day last week.

Miss Jessie Grondahl returned to Strathcona, Wednesday.

Herm Germenson was on the sick list the first of the week.

Some of the early threshed rye is being brot to the elevators.

Albert Mattson went to McIntosh Saturday for a few days stay.

As usual, grain prices go down when threshing commences.

B. L. Backe was a business caller at T. R. Falls and Warren Tuesday.

C. Newton and sons Norman and Clifford, went to McIntosh Tuesday.

O. G. Kjelgren went to T. R. Falls Saturday returning home Monday.

Rev. A. Erickson closed the meetings Wednesday evening and left yesterday.

Mrs. R. Rierson is in very poor health and it is earnestly hoped she will soon be better.

Racine Olson went to Adams N. D. Monday of last week to run an engine for Ben Newton.

Emil W. Ostlund had a second hand threshing engine shipped in here the first of the week.

Ole Storholm of Crookston came Saturday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Sam Mickelson and family.

Carl Johnson and Olaf Halvorson unloaded and took home their new threshing machine, Tuesday.

Albert Mattson and his brother Dick of McIntosh came Tuesday to repair their threshing rig.

Ed. Bjerk has charge of the blacksmith shop while Carl Newton runs his threashing rig at McIntosh.

We had some rain Sunday and on Monday the temperature fell till it seemed like real autumn weather.

Mrs. Blomgrin and daughter Agnes of Crookston came Wednesday to visit at the Mickelson's home.

Miss Evelyn Thoreson of Thief River Falls visited a couple of days at the R. Reierson home last week.

D. Payne and John Engelstad autoed down to Neilsville and visited over Sunday with their folks.

Misses Dora and Celia Olson, Hilda Roseland and Andria Ness were passengers for Searles, N. D., Friday.

Mrs. Adams and son Myron of Grand Forks came Tuesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nelson.

The Winton-Nichols Co. have purchased the Hanson and Barzen lumber yard at this place, also at Middle River.

L. A. Jensen left Friday for St. Paul wher he expected to spend Sunday and then go to Albert Lea to visit relatives.

C. L. Hanson, president First National Bank, H. O. Kjomme and Lars Backe, all of Thief River Falls, were in town Tuesday.

The bus barn at the school house will not be built until the vechicles come and they know how large the building will have to be.

Rev. A. L. Larson, of Thief River Falls, will preach in the Free Mission church at eight o'clock next Sunday evening Aug. 29th. Everyone invited.

C. G. Mugg, the Grand Forks eye man, will trust any one for special glasses that can pay $2.00 for examination, at Holt, Monday afternoon and Tuesday forenoon August 30th and 31st, 1915.

Mrs. C. L. Heinze gave us some of her fine carrots and onions, one day last week, which were larger now than many are when put on the market in the fall. Mr. Heinze recently showed us a sample of clover which is about six foot high and looks so good that he thinks he will send it to the state fair.

WHY SHOULD WOMEN VOTE?

WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE FROM THE VIEWPOINT OF LEADING FARMERS.

Why should women vote? That is the question that is ringing from ocean to ocean and reverberating from the Canadian boundary to the Mexican border. It is the mission of a newpaper to give the news and the action of the Texas Farmers' Union in opposing woman's suffrage when that question was recently before the Texas legislature is significant as representing the attitude of the organized plowmen We reproduce in part the argument presented by Hon. W. D. Lewis, president of the Texas Farmers' Union, in opposing the bill:

"It is gratifying to note that it is not the farmer's wife who is clamoring for the ballot. She is too busy trying to make happier homes, molding the minds of future citizens and sharing with her husband the cares of life to indulge in political gossip. The ballot will give her no relief from drudgery, give no assistance in clothing the children or bring to the home additional comforts, conveniences or opportunities in life. It is, as a rule, the city woman promoted to idleness by prosperity, who is leading the suffragette movement.

"From many standpoints, perhaps a woman has as much right to vote as a man. So has she as much right to plow as a man; she has as much right to work in a factory as a man; she has as much right to shoulder a musket as a man, but we would rather she would not do so from choice and we regret that necessity ofttimes compels her to earn a living by engaging in gainful occupations. We do not consider misfortune a qualification for suffrage or a business accident a reason for granting franchise. We are opposed to woman at the ballot box the same as we are opposed to woman in the field, in the factory or in the army and for the self-same reasons. We had rather see her plant flowers than sow wheat; gather bouquets than pick cotton and rear children than raise political issues, although she may have as much right to do one as the other.

Opposed to Unsexing Humanity.

"Sex qualification for suffrage may have its apparent inconsistencies. No general rule adjusts itself perfectly to all conditions. It is a favorite argument advanced by the proponents of woman's suffrage that many cultivated and noble women are far more capable of intelligently exercising sovereignty than a worthless negro, but the South never was anxious for negro suffrage, and while culture and refinement, and even morality, are desirable virtues, they are not the only qualifications for franchise.

"The primary, inherent and inseparable fitness for suffrage is supporting a family. The plow handle, the forge and the struggle for bread afford experience necessary to properly mark the ballot. Government is a great big business and civilization from the very beginning assigned woman the home and man the business affairs of life

"There has been much freakish legislation enacted during the past decade that no doubt appeals to woman's love for the ridiculous, but to undertake to unsex the human race by law is the height of legislative folly and a tragedy to mankind.

"We are opposed to the equal rights of woman—we want her to ever remain our superior. We consider woman's desire to seek man's level the yellow peril of Twentieth Century civilization.

"Woman is the medium through which angels whisper their messages to mankind; it is her hand that plants thoughts in the intellectual vineyard; it is through her heart that hope, love and sympathy overflow and bless mankind. Christ—the liberator of womankind—was satisfied to teach the lessons of life and He was a man. He chose to rule over human h[illegible]s and refused worldly power and men followed after Him, women washed His feet, little children climbed upon His knees and the Ruler of the universe said that in Him He was well pleased. Can woman find a higher calling?"

THEMISTOCLES

When Themistocles was asked by his host at a dinner party to entertain the guests by playing the lute, he replied that he could not play the fiddle, but that he could make a small town a great city. We have in this nation many politicians who are good "fiddlers," but they cannot make a small town a great city. We are overrun with orators who can play upon the passions of the people [illegible] they can't put brick and mortar together. We need builders.

Let those who hunger and thirst for power understand that the highest glory of a statesman is to construct, and that it is better for a man that he should build a public highway than that he should become Governor of a state, and that he [illegible] a plow than that he become the author of a law. The true test of statesmanship is the plow and the hammer, so let those who would govern first build.

BANKERS URGED TO CO-OPERATE WITH FARMERS

SOUL MATERIAL HAS ENTERED THE BANK VAULTS OF THE NATION.

The Bank a Financial Power House to the Community.

By Peter Radford.

One of the greatest opportunities in the business life of the nation lies in practical co-operation of the country banks with the farmer in building agriculture and the adventure is laden with greater possibilities than any forward movement now before the American public.

A few bankers have loaned money to farmers at a low rate of interest, and ofttimes without compensation, to buy blooded livestock, build silos, fertilize the land, secure better seed, hold their products for a betetr market price, etc. The banker in contributing toward improving the grade of livestock; the quality of the seed and the fertility of the soil, plants in the agricultural life of the community a fountain of profit, that, like Tennyson's brook, runs on and on forever.

Community Progress a Bank Asset.

The time was when money loaned on such a basis would severely test the sanity of the banker; such transactions would pain the directors like a blow in the face. A cashier who would dare to cast bread upon waters that did not return buttered side up in time for annual dividends would have to give way to a more capable man. This does not necessarily mean that the bankers are getting any better or that the milk of human kindnesss is being imbibed more freely by our financiers. It indicates that the bankers are getting wiser, becoming more able financiers and the banking industry more competent. The vision of the builder is crowding out the spirit of the pawnbroker. A light has been turned on a new world of investment and no usurer ever received as large returns on the investment as these progressive bankers, who made loans to uplift industry. The bankers have always been liberal city builders, but they are now building agriculture.

A Dollar With a Soul.

It is refreshing in this strenuous commercial life to find so many dollars with souls. When a dollar is approached to perform a task that does not directly yield the highest rate of interest, we usually hear the rustle of the eagle's wings as it soars upward; when a dollar is requested to return at the option of the borrower, it usually appeals to the Goddess of Liberty for its contractural rights; when a dollar is asked to expand in volume to suit the requirements of industry, it usually talks solemnly of its redeemer, but soul material has entered into the vaults of our banks and rate, time and volume have a new basis of reckoning in so far as the ability of some of the bankers permit them to co-operate in promoting the business of farming.

God Almighty's Noblemen.

These bankers are God Almighty's noblemen. Heaven lent earth the spirit of these men and the angels will help them roll in place the cornerstones of empires. They are not philanthropists; they are wise bankers. The spirit of the builder has given them a new vision, and wisdom has visited upon them business foresight.

The cackle of the hen, the low of kine and the rustle of growing crops echo in every bank vault in the nation and the shrewd banker knows that he can more effectively increase his deposits by putting blue blood in the veins of livestock; quality in the yield of the soil and value into agricultural products, than by business handshakes, overdrafts and gaudy calendars.

Taking the community into partnership with the bank, opening up a ledger account with progress, making thrift and enterprise stockholders and the prosperity of the country an asset to the bank, put behind it stability far more desirable than a letterhead bearing the names of all the distinguished citizens of the community. The bank is the financial power house of the community and blessed is the locality that has an up-to-date banker.

POLITICAL PRAYER MEETINGS

It is a sad day for Christianity when the church bells call the communicants together for a political prayer meeting. Such gatherings mark the high tide of religious political fanaticism; put bitterness into the lives of men; fan the flames of class hatred and destroy Christian influence in the community. The spirit actuating such meetings is anarchistic, un-Christlike and dangerous to both church and state.

The success of the nation is in the hands of the farmer.

Work for the best and the best will rise up and reward you.

Tenant farming is just one thing after another without a pay day.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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QUICK LOANS ON LAND

School Days Near

Vacation days are drawing to a close. Many boys and girls have added substantial amounts to their savings accounts this summer.

A number of children have opened accounts and are saving.

But there are many yet who have no savings accounts and to all these boys and girls we express the hope that they will make an effort to have their own Savings Bank Book before vacation is past.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$ .87
Wheat No. 2	.84
Wheat No. 3	.80
Wheat No. 4	.75
Flax	1.50
Oats	.26
Barley	30 to .37
Rye	.79
Flour, Best Patent	3.55

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To the Fathers and Mothers of School District No. 35:

Fall is again coming and with it school days. Our school opens Tuesday Sept. 7th. As Principal of your school, I hope we may work together for a good school. You can help by sending your children regularly and by visiting the school to get acquainted with us and the work of the children.

You have a fine schoolhouse, well equiped, and should make good use of it by sending your children every day from the first. Your building equipment, and school term are equal to that of a city school and your children should get as much out of it. With hopes for your best co-operation. I am yours.

Emil Prushek.
Principal.

Read Prof. Prushek's letter above.

Mrs. T. T. Sollom has bought lots south of the school house and will soon commence to build.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Shaw returned to Webb Ia. Monday after a weeks visit with the laters sister Mrs. H. P. Bean.

Miss Selma Saastad has been confined to the house for the past week or two on account of a bad boil on her foot.

A little party from Holt autoed out to Mud Lake Sunday and enjoyed a picnic dinner and the berry(?) picking.

The young people gave Oscar Haggland a surprise party Friday evening, just to remind him that it was his 19th birthday.

Albert Bennes went to Grand Forks Monday to see his brother who was critically ill with appendicitis in the hospital at that place.

Chris Mortenson, of Canby, Minn., was here this week looking over the country with the expectations of moving here soon to make this his home.

Miss Bella Sagmoen of Rosewood visited Miss Inez Alkenbrack several days last week, returning home Saturday accompanied by Miss Alkenbrack who visited there for a couple of days.

The school board has taken out all the old double seats and replaced them with new single seats, which the state law requires for consolidated schools. John Hagberg is doing the carpenter work.

Miss Marjery Jones, who is visiting friends in St. Hilaire came up here yesterday and visited her father A. R. Jones, also Miss Olava Sollom, between trains. Miss Jones was accompanied by little Lulu Beebe.

Rev. M. B [illegible]rdahl will preach in the Holt church at 10:45 A. M. and in Ringbo at 3:30 P. M., next Sunday Sept. 5th. The Young People's Society will meet with Mrs. H. Furr at 7:30 the same evening. An offering will be taken at the preaching services.

A stalk of oats raised out in New Maine township was this morning handed us by John Hoberg for inspection. The stalk is seven feet in length, the head is two feet long and contains 370 kernels and all under way for full development. —Newfolden Review.

So many catalogs came to the postoffice here Wednesday that rural carrier Guy Anderson could not take all of them at one trip. We understand that it costs the mail order houses about a dollar for each catalog sent out. Would they keep it up if it dident pay? Holt merchants claim it don't pay to advertise. We wonder if they have had more experience than the big catalog houses.

Northeast of Holt

Harvesting is nearly finished in this vicinity, and some threshing has been done.

Lizzie Hanson called on Betty Johnson Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Erick Johnson called on Mrs. C. W. Christianson Wednesday afternoon.

Say Oscar! "Maybe" shes' got a little spot in her heart for you yet.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the Ladies Aid at Mrs. Larson's, Thursday afternoon.

Miss Esther Sorter was pleasantly surprised at her home, Wednesday evening, by a number of her friends. Miss Esther leaves for Minneapolis in a few days, where she will attend school the coming year. All present reported a fine time.

Notice!

Commencing Sept. 6th. cream will be received on Monday and Thursday.

P. L. Anderson. Buttermaker.

Theodore Sollom is taking a vacation from store duties and is putting up hay.

Fred Peterson returned to Dakota Monday after a short visit with relatives and friends.

Arvid Carlson, the genial Newfolden merchant was a visitor in Holt on Thursday.

Nils Engebretson took his wife's father, Hans Dybdahl, home Wednesday after a few days visit here.

Mrs. P. O. Reiesson visited her daughters in Thief River Falls and Viking, a few days last week.

Arvid Carlson and Ole Johnson came over from Newfolden and spent Sunday with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lloyd Adams returned to Grand Forks Saturday after a few days visit with her parents at the restaurant.

The Mickelson family, Ole Storholm and Guy Anderson autoed to Mud Lake Sunday and visited at the home of Martin Olson.

Mrs. Sollom, sons Kettle, Alfred and wife, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson attended preaching services in Spruce Valley, Sunday, and also visited with friends.

Carl Newton and son Norman autoed here from McIntosh Sunday. Mr. Newton returned to McIntosh Monday accompanied by his family who will remain there for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen visited at Hans Dybdahl's [illegible] K. Moen's and attended preaching services in Spruce Valley, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Knute Moen left Monday with their daughters for the latters homes on the Pacific coast.

Mrs. Alex Strom and children of T. R. Falls came Monday to visit relatives. Mrs. Strom returned home Tuesday and left the next day for Dakota where her husband is threshing. The children will remain here with their grandparents, the Riesberg and Strom families, until their parents return.

Paul Krogh established a record by cutting 127 acres of heavy wheat in five days last week with one binder. He used two shifts of horses, working them only four hours at a stretch and kept the binder running eighteen hours a day. He did all the driving himself, oiled the machine while his little brother Melvin changed the horses, and ate three meals a day on the binder. Paul got his farming education in the agricultural department of the Argyle high school. Marshall Co. Banner.

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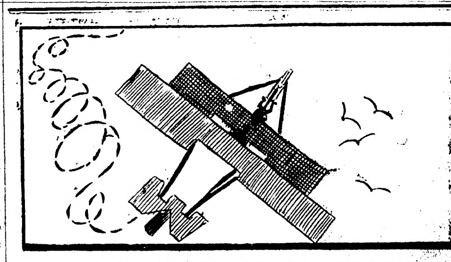
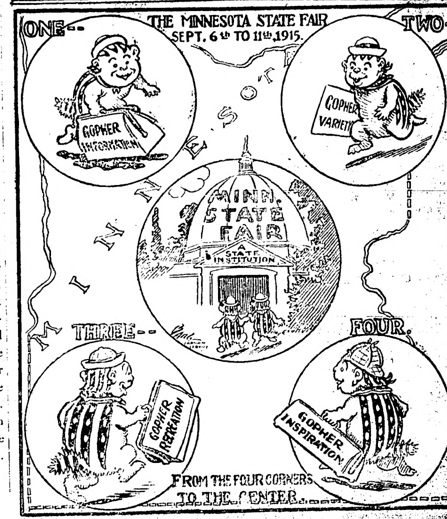


IN ADDITION TO THE MANY EDUCATIONAL FEATURES at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 6 to 11, for which nearly $85,000 in premiums are given, several of the most noted features in the Entertainment World will be offered. Art Smith, King of the Air, the sensation of the Frisco Exposition for ten weeks, will give performances day and night. An auto race program featuring the world's greatest speed demons, a horse racing program for $24,500 in purses, a 50-mile endurance motorcycle race, auto polo by original American and English teams, a dozen bands and orchestras, three stages of continuous vaudeville before the Grandstand afternoon and evening, these and many other features will supplement the educational program. Each night a great scenic city, stormed by air fleets and shell fire, will be destroyed in "The War of Nations." It is a program you should not miss. LET'S GO!



SOME HINTS FOR BUILDERS

Great Care Should Be Taken in Selection of the Most Substantial Roofing Material.

If you were without preparation or plan, rudely placed in a wilderness, your first thought would be of food supply and your next of shelter, for these are the two most vital necessities of mankind. It is therefore natural that the best thought, and study are put upon these two essentials.

More forward steps have been taken in the building industry in the past fifteen years, as regards comfort, service and architectural beauty than in the fifty years previous.

Only in recent years has the handling of cement in building work been understood properly, and progress is still constantly being made with it. Modern hotels and office buildings are being equipped with sheet metal mouldings and steel veenered doors. Nearly every important change in building construction is away from the fire hazard of wood.

One of the most significant developments of recent years is the crushed slate surfaced asphalt shingle which is, on new construction and old, rapidly supplanting the wooden article. There are many reasons for this. The slate surfaced shingles add beauty to any building—in fact, there is really no comparison from an architectural standpoint. Crushed slate of pleasing tints of red or green, is employed as a surfacing. The shingles are uniformly eight inches wide and are exposed four inches to the weather. No painting is necessary as the red or green crushed slate is natural and therefore cannot fade.

The purchaser, however, should guard himself against buying a slate surfaced shingle that is not guaranteed by a reliable and responsible manufacturer. There are so many kinds of roofing and shingles on the market today each claiming to be the best that it becomes necessary for the buyer to get some satisfactory assurance that the roofing or shingles are represented honestly.

More in Keeping.

Rankin—You can't beat the foibles of the newly rich.

Phylo—Now what's the matter?

"Remember Freddy Ford?"

"Certainly."

"He inherited a big fortune last week, and now he is trying to have his name legally changed to Limousine."

Drink Denison's Coffee,
For your health's sake.

Father Adam may have had troubles of his own, but at any rate Eve never flashed his old love letters on him.

WOMEN WHO ARE ALWAYS TIRED

May Find Help in This Letter.

Swan Creek, Mich.—"I cannot speak too highly of your medicine. When through neglect or overwork I get run down and my appetite is poor and I have that weak, languid, always tired feeling, I get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it builds me up, gives me strength, and restores me to perfect health again. It is truly a great blessing to women, and I cannot speak too highly of it. I take pleasure in recommending it to others."—Mrs. ANNIE CAMERON, R.F.D., No. 1, Swan Creek, Michigan.

Another Sufferer Relieved.

Hebron, Me.—"Before taking your remedies I was all run down, discouraged and had female weakness. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and used the Sanative Wash, and find today that I am an entirely new woman, ready and willing to do my housework now, where before taking your medicine it was a dread. I try to impress upon the minds of all ailing women I meet the benefits they can derive from your medicines."—Mrs. CHARLES ROWE, Kennebago, Maine.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Don't Persecute Your Bowels

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The KITCHEN CABINET

Unfaithfulness in the keeping of an appointment is an act of clear dishonesty; you may as well borrow a person's money as his time.—Horace Mann.

SOMETHING NEW IN SALADS.

There are a few suggestions that it is well to be reminded of in regard to the selection and care of salad materials. A good, resourceful cook will make an appetizing salad out of almost any sort of good materials. Care should be used in combining delicate flavors with highly seasoned dressings. Rich fish should not be served with a heavy mayonnaise. Lemon seems most appropriate to use in salad dressings when fruit is to be used.

Pepper Salad.—Select tender green peppers, wash and dry. Cut off the stem and remove the seeds and the white fiber. Shave into fine strips and add equal portions of chopped olives and celery. Cover with a rich mayonnaise and serve in tomato cups or on curled parsley or lettuce.

Russian Salad.—Cut cold roast beef into cubes, mince fried bacon, and mix. All shredded head lettuce, half a cupful of cold, cooked peas and dress with mayonnaise.

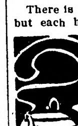
Meat Salad.—Cut chicken, beef or veal into fine pieces, discarding all fat or gristle. To each two cupfuls of meat add one cupful of celery and one onion, both minced fine. Just before serving mix with enough dressing to hold together, not enough to make it wet.

Benares Salad.—This is such a well-liked combination that it is becoming Americanized. Equal parts of tart apple, cocoanut, a little sugar, salt and chopped red pepper and parsley, with a tablespoonful of chopped onion. Serve with French dressing like the above.

Cabbage Salad.—Chop enough cabbage to make a pint. Shell peanuts or walnuts, a half cupful or less. Boil one-half cupful of sugar with a half cupful of vinegar; let cool. Beat a yolk of egg with a half cupful of cream. Mix all together lightly and serve on the cabbage.

Raisin Salad.—To a half cupful of raisins add one cupful of shredded cocoanut and three chopped apples, a bit of onion juice or green pepper chopped, and serve with French dressing.

USE OF SALAD DRESSINGS.



There is nothing new under the sun, but each housewife may in blending different seasonings create quite unusual effects. A salad dressing should be suited to the salad with which it is served. A hot mustard dressing is most inappropriate to a fruit salad as is a heavy mayonnaise dressing on rich meat or fish. The old stand-by French dressing, may, by the addition of different flavors seem quite like a new dressing. Mashed Roquefort cheese, added to French dressing, served on lettuce is one that is almost universally liked by men.

Chopped green pepper, Spanish onion, chives, cucumber, a piece or two of tomato, in fact almost any vegetable added to French dressing then used on lettuce is well liked.

To make a good French dressing it is necessary that the oil should be perfect and all the ingredients ice cold. The vinegar is another important item. Too acid vinegar makes a dressing too sharp. Good cider vinegar is the best and one part vinegar, (if at all strong, dilute it), to three parts of oil, makes a good combination. Then add such seasonings as seems advisable or such as you have.

Chili sauces, catchups of various kinds, chives, pimentoes and many bottled sauces may be used to give variety to a dressing.

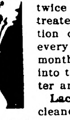
One of the most tasty of fruit salad dressings is made of fruit juice, pineapple is especially good, using oil and less of the vinegar.

Chili Dressing.—Make an ordinary French dressing, adding salt and pepper to taste, three tablespoonfuls of oil and one of vinegar, then a few drops of onion juice, a finely chopped green pepper, and enough chili sauce to make the dressing red. Serve this poured over head lettuce or chopped cabbage. Parsley may be used in place of the pepper if it is not liked.

Young onions sliced and served in sour cream with a dash of cayenne and salt is a most appetizing salad for those who know the value of onions in the diet.

No one is useless in this world who lightens the burden of it to anyone else.—Dickens.

NICE THINGS TO KNOW.



Rubber goods, such as hot water bottles, rubber gloves and such things which are expensive when bought will last twice as long if they are treated to a strong solution of soda and water every two or three months. Let them drop into the boiling soda water and stand until cool.

Lace yokes may be cleaned very satisfactorily by placing a large bath towel in the neck of the gown, cover the waist with another towel and wash with a small brush with soap, rinsing well with clean water. The yoke may then be pressed and it will be fresh looking again.

Before making up dainty colored cotton goods, soak in water overnight to which is added two tablespoonfuls of turpentine to eight or ten quarts of water.

To clean white shoes, make a paste of cold starch and water, rub in well and let dry. When dry, the soil will come out with the starch when brushed.

If your child is unfortunate enough to push a bean or other hard substance up her nose, put a bit of pepper on her lip so that she will sneeze it out, for poking and probing for it, is futile.

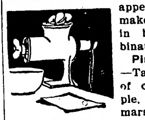
When the clothes line needs cleaning wrap it around the washboard and scrub it with a brush in soapsuds.

The cut side of a raisin laid next the gum of an aching tooth will relieve it! heated, this same raisin is good for the earache. A grain or two of red pepper will be more efficacious if the toothache is serious.

Wrap linen that is to lie unused in a towel well blued, this will keep the linen white and fresh.

Milk Frosting.—Take one and one-half cupfuls of sugar, one teaspoonful of butter, a half cupful of milk and a half teaspoonful of vanilla. Melt the butter in a saucepan, add sugar and milk, boil gently, without stirring, ten minutes; beat until stiff enough to spread, add flavoring and spread over the cake.

MORE ABOUT SALADS.



Salads are recognized as being of distinct food value in addition to the appeal which they make to the eye in beautiful combinations of color.

Pineapple Salad.—Take six slices of canned pineapple, two cupfuls of marshmallows, cut in cubes with the shears; one cupful of blanched almonds, shredded; three tablespoonfuls of chopped pimento, one cupful of whipped cream, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one-eighth of a teaspoonful of mustard, one tablespoonful of lemon juice and a few dashes of salt. Some like a boiled dressing, using one part of the dressing to four or five parts of whipped cream, as the salad dressing.

Grapefruit in sections with strips of pimento between, served on lettuce, is another wholesome salad.

Sapsago Salad.—Grate a cake of sapsago cheese, add two tablespoonfuls of butter, a few drops of tabasco sauce and a teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce, one teaspoonful of lemon juice. Mold into a loaf and slice, placing a few slices on lettuce leaves, garnish with red pepper or pickled beets and serve with mayonnaise.

Nut Salad.—Blanch peanuts and place in a hot oven to brown with a bit of butter. Chop when cold and to each cupful of nuts add two cupfuls of finely chopped celery and an equal amount of apples. Mix well and serve with mayonnaise.

Toasted, buttered baking powder biscuit, cut in thin slices before toasting, make a nice accompaniment to any salad.

Cucumber and Potato Salad.—Dice cold boiled potatoes and crisp cucumbers, mix lightly with mayonnaise dressing which has been seasoned with chopped parsley and onion.

Any potato salad is improved by the addition of a few cooked peas or a little sweet corn cut from the cob.

Gelatin jellies mixed with fruit and served molded in small cups or forms and placed on lettuce leaves, served with any desired dressing, make a most pleasing salad.

Nellie Maxwell

Cheap Farm Truck.

Potato growers all over South Jersey are greatly concerned over the poor outlook for the season, and unless prices become higher, many farmers are likely to be heavy losers. The crop is about ready for digging, but the markets are so poor that growers are deferring the work as long as possible. There are hundreds of acres within a mile of Woodbury from which the owners cannot see at this time more than $1 per barrel.

For the past five years farmers in the lower counties have been making big profits from their pea crops. This year John Bradway, a Port Norris grower, shipped 37 hampers to Boston and received a check for 30 cents in settlement. Charles Tribbett of the same place, sent 51 hampers which sold for $1, 53 cents less than the freight charges.—New York Journal of Commerce.

When Gold Is Powerless.

Gold cannot remove the [illegible] of the mind.—Exchange.

BOMBARD TURKISH CAPITAL

SLAV AEROPLANES DROP BOMBS; 41 DEAD OR INJURED.

Two Allied Cruisers Penetrate Dardanelles—British Submarine Sinks Four Turkish Troop Ships.

London, Aug. 26.—Important successes both on land and sea have been gained by the allied forces at the Dardanelles while the Balkans are debating whether they shall join in the march against Constantinople.

British troops, supported by recent reinforcements, have rushed the Turks back on Gallipoli peninsula, capturing nearly half a mile of Turkish trenches. A French aviator has sunk a Turkish transport, it was officially reported at Paris and a British submarine is credited with sinking four enemy troop ships inside the Dardanelles.

Unofficial reports said that the Russian Black sea fleet has added to the fright in Constantinople by suddenly appearing off the Bosphorus, sending Turkish ships scurrying to the protection of the forts.

Slavs Bombard Constantinople.

Bombardment of the outskirts of Constantinople by a Russian aeroplane squadron, resulting in the death or injury of 41 persons, is announced in a dispatch from Athens.

According to these advices, the attack was made on Monday on the Asiatic suburbs of Constantinople. A number of bombs were dropped, throwing the people into panic. Thirty Turks, 8 Greeks and 3 Armenians were killed or wounded.

Two allied cruisers penetrated the Dardanelles and bombarded the Kastanea batteries with considerable effect.

Heavy fighting has been resumed at both Krithia and in the Ari Burnu region, Mytilene advices said. The Australians along Suvla bay captured a Turkish trench in a violent engagement.

Arrival of more British reinforcements in the Suvla bay region has been followed not only by infantry attacks, but a renewal of the bombardment of the Dardanelles forts.

Dispatches received here from Athens said the whole southern trip of Gallipoli peninsula was being rocked by the fire from big guns.

BALKANS WATCHING AMERICA

Germany Considers Effect of Possible Rupture With United States Upon Smaller European Nations.

Washington, Aug. 27.—In official speculation as to the real significance of the German note regarding the Arabic disaster, there was a large element of optimism. It was felt that Germany is convinced of the folly of risking actual trouble with the United States and that the disavowal regarded as necessary to prevent a rupture will be forthcoming. One big factor believed to have been considered by Germany in adopting her new policy toward the United States is the possible effect of a rupture with the United States upon the attitude of the Balkan states.

Many diplomats believe that the entrance of the United States into the line-up against Germany would be the only force necessary to throw the Balkan alliance on the side of the allies, thus completing the alliance of all of the principal civilized powers save China and the Scandinavian countries against Germany.

CARRANZA LOSES 1,000 MEN

Suffers Decisive Defeat Near Monterey at Hands of Villa Forces, Says Dispatch.

El Paso, Texas, Aug. 27.—Villa forces, numbering nearly 10,000 have inflicted a decisive defeat on the Carranzistas around Monterey, driving them from Villa Garcia back to the Nuevo Leon capital, advices said.

The Carranzistas are reported to have lost more heavily in this engagement than in any for several months. Over 1,000 were killed and the Monterey hospitals are filled to capacity with wounded, and private homes have been commandeered for the wounded.

DUTCH NEUTRALITY IS VIOLATED BY ZEPPELIN

Amsterdam, Aug. 26.—The Telegraaf learned from Vlieland that a Zeppelin dirigible balloon passed over the island of the Netherlands, traveling from an eastern to a northwestern direction. Vlieland is off the entrance to the Zuider Zee and in a northwesterly direction lies the northeast coast of England.

Galveston Now Has Water.

Galveston, Texas, Aug. 27.—Water from the city's wells at Alta Loma was turned into the city mains for the first time since the mains across the bay were broken by the tropical storm of Aug. 16-17.

Edison Burned by Chemical.

West Orange, N. J., Aug. 27.—Thomas A. Edison, while at work in one of his laboratories at Silver Lake, near Newark, was painfully, though it is believed not seriously, burned about the eyes by the accidental splash of a potash solution.

Mr. Edison was leaning over a filter, when his assistant opened the wrong stopcock and the solution was thrown into his face. He quickly bathed his eyes and first aid was administered from a kit kept in the laboratory for emergencies.

GERMANY OFFERS TO MAKE AMENDS FOR LOSS OF LIFE

INTENDS TO GIVE FULL SATISFACTION TO UNITED STATES FOR SINKING OF ARABIC.

REPARATION FOR DEATHS DUE TO LUSITANIA LOSS

Teuton Ambassador Informs State Department That Berlin Is Ready to Renew Discussion of Incident —Report of U-Boat Captain Expected.

Washington, Aug. 30.—Germany's intention to offer full satisfaction to the United States for the sinking of the liner Arabic with a loss of two American lives has been communicated formally to the state department by Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador on instructions from the Berlin foreign office.

The ambassador read to Secretary Lansing a memorandum outlining the position of his government. It promised that if it was found that the Arabic was attacked without warning the Imperial government not only would promptly disavow the act, but would give the United States "full satisfaction." This, it is well known, would have to include reparation for the Americans lost and assurances that such tragedies would not be repeated.

In a Waiting Attitude.

No further developments in the situation are expected now until the submarine commander who sank the Arabic has reported to Berlin. In the meantime President Wilson and Secretary Lansing, though visibly encouraged and relieved by Count von Bernstorff's assurances and reports from Ambassador Gerard on his conferences with Foreign Minister von Jagow are in a waiting attitude.

Before the American government can speak, there must be forthcoming the German disavowal and explanation of what all evidence received has seemed to prove was an "unfriendly act."

For Lusitania Deaths.

It became known that the state department has been informed that Germany is ready to renew discussion of the Lusitania incident and to offer reparation for the American lives lost when that vessel was sent to the bottom without warning by a German submarine. There has been no response to the last American note on this subject, and it is known that the United States would not listen to reparation proposals with the situation created by the sinking of the Arabic still pending. With the attack on the Arabic disavowed, however, and guarantees given against repetition, a German communication explaining that the Lusitania was torpedoed as a reprisal against Great Britain under a misapprehension that she was armed, and that killing of Americans was regretted and not intended, and offering reparation, probably would pave the way for amicably closing the incident.

U-Boat Captain's Report.

In German quarters, confidence was felt that the submarine's report would soon reach Berlin.

German officials have made it plain that their government, as soon as it has relieved the strain upon its relations with the United States by limiting submarine activities, will ask the American government to demand that Great Britain and her allies cease interfering with legitimate neutral commerce and thus permit the importation of foodstuffs for the German civil population.

King of Sweden Hurt.

Stockholm, via London, Aug. 30.—King Gustav had a narrow escape from serious injury at Jema. As he was entering his car to proceed to Stockholm, the train started with a sudden jerk, throwing him down. His foot was jammed between the car and the platform and he fell heavily. He was picked up quickly, however, and assisted into his car. Except for a slight lameness he is little the worse for the accident.

Governors Endorse Suffrage.

Boston, Aug. 30.—Former Governor Alva Adams of Colorado, speaking at a suffrage mass meeting, characterized the preamble to the federal constitution as a "lie and a delusion," in those states which have not granted women suffrage. It would never be justified, he said, until women have the vote. Governor Arthur Capper of Kansas also spoke in favor of extending the suffrage to women.

Slavs Do Not Fear Petrograd Attack.

Petrograd, via London, Aug. 30.—Weighing the likelihood of a German advance on Petrograd, the Retch points out that the Russian retirement covers the approaches to the capital and that it is extremely doubtful whether the Germans, without undisputed possession of the Baltic sea and particularly of the Gulf of Riga, could undertake the risks attaching to operating against Petrograd this autumn. Moreover, on the whole front from the Dvina to the upper Bobr, it is noted the Germans have only two armies.

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BOLT TEARS OFF EARRINGS

Woman After Regaining Consciousness, Finds Her Jewels Strewn About the Floor.

During the severe rainstorm here Miss Rose Bailey, at Foster's hotel, Bluff Point, was struck by a bolt of lightning, which tore the earrings from her ears and made her unconscious.

Miss Bailey and Mrs. Foster, wife of the proprietor, were standing at the open kitchen window, as was the chef, watching the approaching storm. Following a loud crash of thunder, the three were blinded by a flash of lightning which struck Miss Bailey on the left shoulder and Mrs. Foster on the right shoulder. The chef was knocked down, but unhurt. Miss Bailey's earrings were found on the floor, one of them a misshapen mass.

A few minutes later lightning knocked several chauffeurs to the ground. Neither the hotel nor the garage was damaged. The storm did considerable damage about this city.—Plattsburg (N. Y.) Dispatch New York Herald.

Retort Courteous.

E. Pluribus Jones reached the station platform just as the 5:15 was pulling out. A little burst of speed before the admiring onlookers netted him 50 feet in overcoming the train's handicap, but the best that his ample carcass could do thereafter was to run a losing race. He quit at the end of the freight yards and returned.

"Miss your train, sir?" inquired the porter cheerfully.

Jones flecked a speck of dust from his coatsleeve.

"No, my friend," he said earnestly, "oh, no. I was just chasing it out of the yard. You oughtn't to allow it around here. Don't you see the tracks it's left?"

The Exception.

"This war will be a great stimulus to American manufactures. Before it is over we shall be able to equal, if not to surpass, every country of Europe in any line of production."

"Excepting, of course, widows and orphans."

GAVE BEER TO AID CHURCH

But It Was Given Only With Dime Purchases of Pigs' Feet, Asserted Defendant.

Testifying in the Camden police court in the case of Emma Kane of 748 Sycamore street, who was charged with violating the excise law in giving away a bottle of lager beer with each sandwich or ten cents' worth of pigs' feet, Eleanor Williams, twenty-one years old, of 610 Cherry street, was asked if she had enjoyed the refreshments, and she replied:

"Yes, I did. I didn't mind drinking the beer, either, when I was told it was for the benefit of the church."

After other witnesses had testified to being served with beer at what they called a church party given to raise funds to build an annex to the Wesley African Methodist Episcopal church, Recorder Stackhouse fixed bail at $500, and Mrs. Kane was committed to jail in default.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Activities of Women.

One woman in every fifteen in the United States is in business.

Two babies are born in Germany for every one born in France.

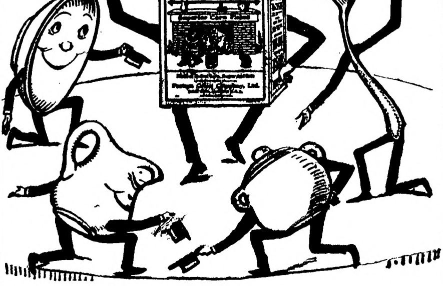
Nellie Barker is Chicago's champion runaway girl, having deserted her parents once a week for the past year.

Miss Neysa McMein, the well-known illustrator of front covers for magazines, earns over $5,000 a year from her own work.

Miss Eva Ramstedt, a former pupil of Mme. Curie, the radium expert, has been appointed professor of radiology at the University of Stockholm.

Although she is past sixty-two years of age, Miss S. D. Wallace of near Indianapolis, Ind., has again secured an annual fishing and hunting license.

A deputation of Russian women have asked permission from the government to form a volunteer legion to serve as regular soldiers. These women assert that they are ready to assume all military duties except actual engagements in battle and are particularly desirous of being employed for patrol service.



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STATE BREVITIES

Little Falls.—Adjudged insane on the same day, Philip Bolstrom and his wife, Anna Bolstrom, were taken to the asylum at Fergus Falls. They lived on a farm at Upsala.

Rochester.—Six young persons of Rochester had a miraculous escape from death when a seven-passenger car in which they were riding ran off Cascade bridge, dropped ten feet and turned over. Five of the occupants were pinned beneath the car in the water.

Hibbing.—Not to be outdone by the announcement of postal officials of the twin cities that a postoffice department will be in operation at the state fair, J. B. O'Connors, local postmaster, declares that a branch postoffice will be established at the St. Louis county fair here.

Faribault.—Two automobiles collided near the village of Medford. The machines are owned by C. C. Clausen of Kenyon and L. J. Kinsell of Owatonna. Mrs. Clausen was thrown through the windshield and badly cut by the glass. The drivers say they were blinded by the lights.

Duluth.—William R. Stone, one of Duluth's leading business men and a prominent figure in the early life of the city, died at Santa Barbara, Cal. He was 88 years old. He is survived by his widow and four nieces, two of whom, Mrs. T. L. Blood and Mrs. W. A. Hardenbergh, live in St. Paul.

Stillwater.—Petitions were filed with the county auditor by county option people, asking that a special election be called for some time in October. The county auditor will name the date in the immediate future. The first petition in favor of county option was received by mail from Afton and had four names.

Duluth.—Meyer Fonberg, age 73, dreading the approaching cold weather and coal bills, tried to end his life in Lake Superior, but was pulled out by the police. He declares he will try again, but next time will go far enough away from the center of business not to attract attention. He declares the cold winters and the additional expense ahead cause him untold dread.

Winona.—That his mother might be successfully operated upon at a Winona hospital, M. C. Shield submitted to an operation whereby blood was transfused from his body to that of his parent, Mrs. Emma S. Shield.

Mr. Shield is an employe of the appropriations committee of the house of representatives at Washington, D. C., and is visiting in this city.

Minneapolis.—A meeting was held in Minneapolis to extend the operations of the Minnesota Game and Fish Protective league to embrace the entire state. The league's activities have been confined to Minneapolis and Hennepin county.

It is the intention to organize a society which will be composed of sportsmen from all parts of the state. Invitations to the meeting have been sent to several hundred persons.

Brainerd.—In the presence of mining and business men from Duluth, Superior, Hibbing, Virginia, Barrows and Brainerd, the Rolly mine, of the Barrows Mining company at Barrows, was christened. Little Olivet Martell of New Duluth broke a bottle of spring water on the sides of the 29,000-pound steel "shoe." The Brainerd city band played and luncheon was served. Speeches were made by John J. Moe of Duluth, C. B. Rowley and John A. Hoffbauer of Brainerd.

Appleton.—When Joseph King of Ortonville attempted to demonstrate to Howard Lockwood that his car was capable of running 50 miles an hour he approached a sharp turn and the car turned a complete revolution in the air and landed upright on the opposite side of a ditch. King was picked up from the ditch unconscious. The men were brought to town, where it was found a few bad bruises was the extent of their injuries. The car was practically ruined.

St. Cloud.—Newton F. Spear of Sauk Center, who voluntarily went to the Fergus Falls insane asylum for treatment, has served the officials with the necessary three days' notice demanding his freedom. Mrs. Spear has now filed a formal complaint against her husband. An officer from this county will meet Spear at the door of the asylum when he is released, and will bring him here for a hearing. If he is found to be still insane he will be returned to the asylum.

St. Paul.—Between 8,000 and 10,000 men representing the thirty-eight union labor organizations of St. Paul will parade through the business section of the city Labor day, September 6.

This was decided at a meeting of the parade marshals at the Trades and Labor hall.

The parade will be in six divisions, each headed by a band. It will be made up of marchers from the unions and of floats representing the various industrial activities in which the union members are employed.

St. Cloud.—That even though the final decree of divorce did not provide for the support of the minor children the wife has the right later to sue her divorced husband for a share of the cost of supporting the children, was the decision made by Judge Roeser in the case of Riley against Riley.

Moorhead.—J. A. Karlstrom and two of his employes were arrested on a charge of violating the liquor laws of the state. This is the first arrest of any of the former saloonkeepers of the city on this charge though most of the establishments have been selling soft drinks and tobacco.

SPIRIT DESTROYS HIS HAPPY HOME

Wife Never Had Best of Temper, But Spiritualism Sends Her Amuck.

LEFT HIM 22 TIMES

Muttered at the Sink Because Water Didn't Run Fast Enough to Suit Her, Says Exasperated Husband.

Detroit, Mich.—Twenty-two times in the last fifteen years Mrs. Helen Ward has packed her clothes, the family pictures and china and quit her job as the wife of John F. Ward, a middle-aged druggist and violin maker.

Twenty-one times John Ward laid aside his pestle and mortar or a partly finished violin, as the case might have been, and sought out his wife to plead until she returned and put back into their places the china and family portraits.

A few days ago, in a dingy back room of his drug store, with a partly finished violin across his knees, he told the story of how his home, his business and seven years of his life had been wrecked. "It was seven years ago," he said slowly, "that a woman entered my home with this spiritualism tomfoolery. I tried to stop it, but I was too late.

"Mother took it up and wouldn't drop it.

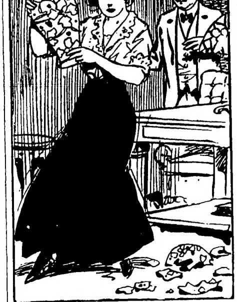
"She never had the best of a temper, but we got along fairly well until she was medium-stricken. After that—oh, well! temper is a weak word after all.

Spirits Bad-Tempered.

"The deeper mother got into spiritualism the uglier she became. She never seemed to get an amiable spirit. It wouldn't have been so bad if she had. I think it was either 'Black Hawk' or 'Red Eagle,' departed Indians, whose spirit possessed mother. I've seen her, when she had 'em, mutter at the sink because the water didn't run fast enough to suit her.

"When I protested she would fly into a rage, pack the china and family pictures and quit. Often it took two weeks to find her. When I did, sometimes she was sorry and ready to return. At other times she was ugly and I had to coax her.

"Once I thought she was nearly cured. A daughter by my first wife attended a seance. The next day she was possessed of the spirit of her departed mother. Her stepmother didn't like that a little bit and the powers she summoned from below or above made the other spirit retreat over the divide.



She Smashed Vases Valued at $150, While the Officer Looked On.

Smashed the Vases.

"Two or three years ago, when the tight skirt had its inning, mother made one. After she put it on she came downstairs, twisted herself before the mirror and said, 'How do you like it, John?'

"'It's all right, mother,' I answered, 'but put your foot on the chair.' She did, and then I said, 'You will make a display, mother, when you get on a street car.'

"That night when I went upstairs after closing the store, mother, her clothes, the pictures and the china were gone. I found out where she was, but she wouldn't return. She had placed the china and several hand-painted vases at a friend's, and I got a writ of replevin to get them back.

"When the officer went to serve the writ mother was there. What could he do with the spirit of Black Hawk backing mother that night?

"In addition to breaking up our home it has taken money to keep mother traveling with the spirits of redskins and doctors who died a hundred years ago.

"Mother has had to tip Caesar, Brutus and those other fellows who are conductors on the transcelestial trains, or maybe they're in the subways; I've forgotten, though mother told me once. I've paid the bills; I need money now, but—no, I don't believe that mother had a good time out of it."

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"Oh, well, in that case," said the vicar, "We had better have the hymn 'For Those at Sea.'"

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Marvel of Surgery.

Doctor Vannucci, the chief surgeon of the hospital at Pistoia (Italy), has accomplished a marvel of surgery, says the London Mail. He operated on a girl named Maria Tondini to remove a needle that had accidentally been run into her body near her heart, which in its action came into contact with the point of the needle. The surgeon was holding the girl's heart in his hand when its pulsation—violent at first—gradually ceased. "It is all over," he exclaimed, but, as a last hope he started massaging the heart. Little by little its activity was stimulated, and the operation was successfully finished.

The Master's Voice.

"We have come," said the chairman of the committee, "to ask you to take this nomination. The city needs a man like you—strong, brave, self-made, self-reliant, owning no master, fearing no man."

The great man was visibly touched.

"I'll not deny," said he, "that your kind words have shaken my resolution. I trust that, if elected, I may justify your confidence and prove that I am indeed strong, brave, self-reliant; that I own no master and fear no man. Suppose you wait a minute till I see if my wife will let me accept?"

He Had It.

In honor of a visit to his plant by the governor of the state an automobile manufacturer once had a complete car assembled in something like seven minutes. Some weeks later, after this feat was heralded in the daily papers, the phone rang vigorously. "Is it true that you assembled a car in seven minutes at your factory?" the voice asked. "Yes," came the reply. "Why?" "Oh, nothing," said the calm inquirer, "only I've got the car."

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of July 1915.

Cream received	36,117 lbs
Average test	28.57
Butter fat	10,320.67 lbs
Percent overrun	23.80
Butter made	12,777 lbs
Balance on hand last month	5 57
Received for butter shipped	2737 77
Butter and milk sold patrons	16 70
Cash sales at creamery	22 88
Rec'd from other sources	22 15
Total	$2805 04
Paid patrons by check	2426 93
" " " Butter & milk	16 70
Expense fund, etc.	272 78
To sinking fund	78 12
Balance on hand	2 13
Total	$2805 04

Number of patrons, 132

Price paid for butter fat, 24c

Names of patrons receiving checks of $40.00 and over:

E. A. Johnson $44.19, Olaf Johnson $40.98.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Ed. Horien lost a nice young horse one day last week.

Messrs. M. T. Strom and H. B. Young drove to Newfolden, Sunday.

Miss Christine Saastad visited in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

J. A. Thompson was a Middle River business visitor, between trains Monday.

Thief River Falls new hospital was opened Tuesday by a public reception.

Ludvig Monson came from Silverton, Saturday, for a short visit with his family.

P. A. Riesberg commenced, yesterday, to repair the road between here and Steiner.

Oscar Anderson went to Karlstad one day last week to take a threshing rig to Warren where he will work this fall.

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There are 86000 automobiles in the state and 788 in this county.

Farmers are busy threshing the big crops which most of them have.

Miss Lilly Anderson of Thief River Falls was an over Sunday visitor at the C. Rustad home.

A car of rye has been shipped from here the past week and other grain is being hauled in right along.

Hunting season opens Sept. 7th. Get your license and paraphanalia early and note the changes in the law.

Rev. Ordahl returned Monday evening from West Valley and Argyle where he held meetings Sunday.

Grain prices are pretty low for farmers to sell now, but it seems as though they must go higher before long.

Mattson Bros. and Norbeck & Thompson have repaired their rigs and started out the first of the week to thresh.

The Thief River Falls potato warehouse will not be built this fall as planned, as the crop is not large enough to warrant it.

The newspapers are trying to settle the sanatorium site but all can not agree on it, the majority favoring the one at Middle River.

Mrs. D. B. Bakke, Agnes, Edwin and Willie Bakke, of Thief River Falls, called at Docken's last Sunday enroute home from Newfolden.

Emil Prushek, of near Brainerd, came Friday evening to take up his duties as principal of the Holt public schools. School will commence next Tuesday morning and parents should see that their children are there promptly, so that they may be assigned to their proper places.

Newfolden is having a lot of cement walks built and undoubtedly the whole of main street will have good substantial walks before the work is finished. A new brick bank building was recently finished and another is being constructed, so there must be some money over in that country.

Mrs. T. T. Sollom moved out of the hotel the first of the week, and will live with her daughter Mrs. Arvid Carlson, until she can get her house built. Henry Oien and Theo. Sollom who will have charge of the hotel, have employed competent helpers, which will assure success in the undertaking.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Aug. 12th, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Axel Nelson of Holt, Minn. who on May 6th 1910 made Homestead Entry No. 05221 for SE 1-4 SW 1-4 Section 27 and East 1-2 NW 1-4 Section 34, Township 156 N Ran. 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota on the 24th day of Sept. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole M. Larson, A. C. Jahr, Clarence Knutson and John Knutson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Local Items

Hunting season opens next Tuesday.

D. B. Bakke was a business caller at Holt on Thursday.

School will commence Sept. 7th, as Monday is Labor Day.

S. S. Kolden has been on the sick list for the past few days.

David Johnson went to Thief River Falls Tuesday returning Wednesday.

Ida Knutson left Monday for Thief River Falls where she will work.

A bright little baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Thompsen Aug. 27th.

Ruth Johnson left for Dak. Monday where she will stay with her sister Anna.

Carl Christoferson enters upon his duties to-day as janitor of the Holt Public Schools.

P. A. Riesberg and son Fridjof went to Mud Lake Monday to get ready for harvest.

Hagglund Bros. shipped a car of baled hay the past week to E. T. Eide at Baudette.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Engebretsen Saturday Aug. 28th. a nine pound baby girl.

Martin Danielson returned Tuesday from Dazzel Minn. where he has been staying a while.

Davidson Bros. have just finished a 75 foot well for Erick Johnson and have moved to Elef Sorter's.

Mrs. Bernt Eide, Mrs. Andreas Hanson and children visited at Nils Engebretsen's Thursday.

Rodahl Bros. and John Hagberg built a cement wall under Mrs. Jacob Nelson's house last week.

Boys and Girls! Don't forget that School Commences next Tuesday and Plan To Be There.

Young People's meeting next Sunday evening at 7:30 with Mrs. H. Furr. A cordial welcome for all.

Mrs. Harry Germanson who has been very sick the last week, is now recovering nicely, it is reported.

Mrs. M. T. Strom and little granddaughter Alfa, went to Thief River Falls yesterday to visit relatives.

Miss Olga Saastad returned home Wednesday from Thief River Falls where she has been working for some time.

Adolph Sollom and Fred Ewald autoed to Thief River Falls, Friday afternoon returning home Saturday evening.

A St. Bernard dog came to my place Monday Aug. 29th. Prove property and pay costs. W. A. Silbaugh.

Albert Bennes returned home Wednesday evening leaving his brother improved in health and strength.

Chris Yttre came home Saturday from Northwood, N. D., for a short visit with his family and to help pack and store their furniture.

Miss Christine Tufte returned to Grand Forks yesterday after a pleasant visit at the home of her aunt Mrs. Chas. Haggland and family.

Mrs. Grace Bray, who has been installed as cook in the Evergreen hotel; is a most competent cook and will please the most fastidious person.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Olson went out east of Thief River Falls, Wednesday, to attend the marriage of his brother Sam Groven to a Miss Sennem.

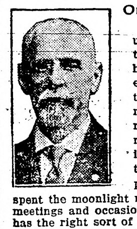
Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Monson and children, Iver Engebretsen and Thorval Kolden went to Silverton Monday to work during the threshing season.

Mrs. Blomgren and daughter Agnes, who were guests of the Mickelson family a few days last week, returned to their home in Crookston, Saturday afternoon.

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

IX—Peter Radford

On "Back to the Soil With Wall Street"



When Wall Street wants good business men she usually goes back to the soil to get them. That financial thoroughfare is said to be honeycombed with men who have plowed barefooted, who have drunk branch water, eaten cornbread and molasses and slept on the floor in their early days. A man is more capable of holding the reins of business who knows how to drive a team of mules, shear a sheep or put a ring in a shoat's nose. A man is better equipped to meet the problems of life who in his youth has walked the log across the creek to get to school, courted the girls at husking bees and pitched horse shoes Saturday afternoon. A man who has spent the moonlight nights of his youth possum hunting, going to protracted meetings and occasionally turning down the community at a spelling match has the right sort of stuff in him to make a good business man. The active officials of most of the large business organizations of America it is said were, with a very few exceptions, raised on the farm, and could swim the creek, pitch hay, chop wood, milk the cows or slop the hogs as easily as they can run world-wide business institutions.

The farmers look to these capable and loyal sons of the soil to assist in the solution of the business problems of agriculture. Wall Street is reputed to be capable of financing everything from a Y. M. C. A. to a war, so why not finance agriculture? It is not sufficient to lend money to a correspondent to lend to a local banker, to lend to a broker to lend to a merchant, to lend to the landlord to lend to a farmer. Such a financial system sounds like the house that Jack built, and is just about as useful. Neither is assistance complete when money is furnished buyers to "move the crop." What the farmer wants is money to hold the crop. What better security is there than a warehouse receipt for a bale of cotton, a sack of wheat or a bushel of corn and why will such securities not travel by the side of government bonds?

The American farmer is a capable plowman. He always has filled and always will fill the nation's granary, larder and wardrobe, but he has nothing to say in fixing the price of his products. The problem confronting the farmers of this nation today is marketing and its solution depends first upon the farmer organizing for concert of action and the co-operation of the financial interests in marketing the crop. Agriculture is the biggest business in America and the only one that has not a financial system adapted to its use.

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

VIII.—C. E. Schaff

On Railway Investments

President Wilson, recently referring to our railroad problems, said in part: "They are indispensable to our whole economic life and railway securities are at the very heart of most investments, large and small, public and private, by individuals and by institutions. * * * There is no other interest so central to the business welfare of the country, as this. No doubt, in the light of the new day, with its new understandings, the problem of the railroads will also be met and dealt with in a spirit of candor and justice."

When the first citizen of the land stresses the importance of understanding and dealing justly with the railroads, certainly the American plowman can venture upon a careful study of the problem. C. E. Schaff, president of the M. K. & T. railway company, when asked to outline the relation of the public to railroads investments, said in part:

"It may be said that the railroad world is encumbered with a lot of phantoms which exist only in the popular fancy. For instance, because there have been a few so-called 'railroad magnates' whose names have figured prominently in finance, many people have come to believe that the railroads of the country are largely owned by a few rich men. As a matter of fact nothing could be farther from the truth. Out of the colossal sum of twenty billion dollars of American railroad securities, less than five per cent is now, or ever has been, in the hands of these men who have figured prominently in the newspaper headlines—while the other 95 per cent is in the hands of over two million investors, large and small, who in many instances have put the modest savings of a lifetime into these securities in order that they might lay away a competency for old age. When, therefore, the value of these securities is depressed or perchance destroyed, the hardship is a hundredfold greater upon thousands of every-day citizens, than upon the handful of millionaires, good or bad, who have figured prominently in railroad circles.

Hundreds of millions of dollars of the assets of our great life and fire insurance companies, savings banks, trust companies, educational and fiduciary institutions are invested in railroad bonds—and the moment, therefore, that the soundness of these bonds is called into question the financial solidity of these myriad institutions—directly affecting the welfare of millions of policyholders and bank depositors—is gravely menaced. During the last several years, many millions of dollars representing depreciated values, have been charged off the books of concerns like those enumerated above. American railroads have become a vital part of the very woof and fabric of the nation. Their continued efficiency is absolutely essential to the smallest community in the land.

In blindly striking at the railroads our blows fall not merely upon thousands who have committed no wrong, but, in the last analysis, upon ourselves. We should remember how interdependent we have come to be in this mighty republic of ours—that each is in truth become more and more his brother's keeper, and that we need to act and think circumspectly, lest in our mistaken zeal we destroy those who, like ourselves, need whatever of this world's goods the toil and sweat of years has bequeathed to them."

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

VII.—Hon. Elihu Root

On Woman's Sphere

The question of Woman Suffrage is an issue before the American people. Twelve states have adopted it, four more states vote upon it this fall and it is strongly urged that it become a platform demand of the national political parties. It is therefore the privilege and the duty of every voter to study carefully this subject. Hon. Elihu Root, in discussing this question before the Constitutional Convention of New York, recently said in part:

"I am opposed to the granting of suffrage to women, because I believe that it would be a loss to women, to all women and to every woman; and because I believe it would be an injury to the State, and to every man and every woman in the State. It would be useless to argue this if the right of suffrage were a natural right. If it were a natural right, then women should have it though the heavens fall. But if there be any one thing settled in the long discussion of this subject, it is that suffrage is not a natural right, but is simply a means of government, and the sole question to be discussed is whether government by the suffrage of men and women will be better government than by the suffrage of men alone.

Into my judgment, sir, there enters no element of the inferiority of woman. It is not that woman is inferior to man, but it is that woman is different from man; that in the distribution of powers, of capacities, of qualities, our Maker has created man adapted to the performance of certain functions in the economy of nature and society, and woman adapted to the performance of other functions.

Woman rules today by the sweet and noble influences of her character. Put woman into the arena of conflict and she abandons these great weapons which control the world, and she takes into her hands, feeble and nerveless for strife, weapons with which she is unfamiliar and which she is unable to wield. Woman in strife becomes hard, harsh, unlovable, repulsive; as far removed from that gentle creature to whom we all owe allegiance and to whom we confess submission, as the heaven is removed from the earth.

The whole science of government is the science of protecting life and liberty and the pursuit of happiness. In the divine distribution of powers, the duty and the right of protection rests with the male. It is so throughout nature. It is so with men, and I, for one, will never consent to part with the divine right of protecting my wife, my daughter, the women whom I love, and the women whom I respect, exercising the birthright of man, and place that high duty in the weak and nerveless hands of those designed by God to be protected rather than to engage in the stern warfare of government. In my judgment, this whole movement arises from a false conception of the duty and of the right of both men and women.

The time will never come when the line of demarcation between the functions of the two sexes will be broken down. I believe it to be false philosophy; I believe that it is an attempt to turn backward upon the line of social development, and that if the step ever be taken, we go centuries backward on the march towards a higher, a nobler and a purer civilization, which must be found not in the confusion, but in the higher differentiation of the sexes."

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Wheat No. 3	.73
Wheat No. 4	.68
Flax	1.47
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Barley	29 to .36
Rye	.77
Flour, Best Patent	3.05

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WE AIM TO PLEASE

Southeast of Holt.

Harvest is in full blast in this vicinity.

Alma Soiney is working for Mrs. Nels Gudvangen.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond and son visited at the home of Jacob Klungness Sunday evening.

Misses Ragna and Clara Larson returned to their home last Saturday after visiting with relatives in Washington for a couple of months.

Olga Klungness is working for Mrs. Henry Jensen.

Misses Ragna and Clara Larson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Larson of Golden Valley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Olson and family visited at the Ole Olson home Sunday.

Northeast of Holt

Miss Anna Sorter visited with Lizzie Hanson Sunday afternoon.

Miss Emma Skibeli of Oslo is visiting at the T. O. Dovre home.

The Misses Alma and Selma Dovre and Miss Emma Skibeli spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Betty Johnson.

Miss Lizzie Hanson is spending a few days visiting relatives at Strandquist.

Miss Esther Sorter left Sunday for Thief River Falls, from there she will go to Minneapolis to attend school.

Hilmer Davidson, Henry Grondahl, Anna Sorter and Lizzie Hanson called on Miss Betty Johnson Sunday afternoon.

Miss Betty Johnson and Miss Emma Skibeli called at Christianson's Monday evening.

Clarence Kolden took Mr. Hughes of Crookston out to C. W. Christianson's Friday afternoon.

Mr. Christianson made a trip to New Folden Tuesday.

A doctor came here Tuesday to look for a location but found he was too late.

Axel Nelson went to Thief River Falls Monday to get some repairs for their machine.

E. M. Hinchman of Chicago, came last week Thursday to visit relatives at Golden Valley.

The hunting parties from this city were out early Tuesday morning and staid all day but the chickens were not plentiful.

Miss Folstad returned to St. Hilaire Saturday after spending some time here with her father, John Folstad.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet at the church Thursday Sept. 30th. Mrs. R. L. Olson will entertain. All are invited to attend.

We are just in receipt of a card from A. J. Nelson, asking us to change the address of his paper from Conway, N. D., to Plummer, Minn.

John Lein of Grafton N. D. visited at the Gunheim home a couple of day last week. Mr. Lein is building a big brick moving picture theatre in Grafton, which he will soon have ready for business.

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"I have been instructed by the Village Council to enforce the Ordinance against chickens running at large and riding bicycles on the sidewalk." "Haray Sheils, Village Marshall."—Youth's Companion.

Miss Bowman of Larimore N. D. is visiting at the home of Nels Lysne.

Henry Oien has charge of the Red Lake elevator during Jno. Engelstads absence.

Miss Edna Riesberg was a passenger for Crookston Monday, returning home Friday.

Minnesota has as good schools as any state, and the United States as good as any country.

A good sized crowd from here attended the Young People meeting at Mrs. H. Furr's Sunday evening.

Norbeck & Thompson accompanied by Ole Davidson went to T. R. Falls Wednesday for repairs for their thresher.

Olga Furr, who has been working at Fargo N. D. for some time, came last Friday to visit home folks for a couple of weeks.

A sister, of Peter Benson's, with her children, came from Thief River Falls Wednesday for a few days visit at the Benson home.

Miss Elsie Lawson of Anoka came Saturday and on Monday commenced her duties as teacher of the lower grades of the Holt Public Schools.

Auto drivers: Look Out! Signs have been posted reading "City Limits. Slow down to 10 miles an hour," and the law will be enforced.

Miss Inez Alkenbrack departed Monday for Hopkins, Minn. where she will make her home with an aunt and attend school the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Chase, who have been visiting their daughter Mrs. H. P. Bean for a couple of weeks, left Wednesday for their home in Marathon, Iowa.

John Engelstad was taken sick Saturday and went to Warren Tuesday to see his family physician who advised him to go home for a while but take treatment right along.

We were much pleased to note by the report of the Holt State Bank, which we publish this week, that their total resources have reached the one hundred thousand dollar mark and is still growing.

Messrs. Fuller & Nason of Thief River Falls were here Saturday and invoiced the Hanson & Barzen lumber yard which was then taken possession of by The Winton-Nichols Co. who will send a man here to take charge of it.

The Holt public school opened Tuesday with an enrollment of 29 pupils in Miss Lawson's room and 26 in Prof. Prushek's. Some of the equipment for the manual training and domestic science rooms have not arrived and a table and work bench is being made here.

Mr. Swan Johnson who has been sick so long with a cancer and suffered more then words can tell, passed away Tuesday evening. The funeral was held at the home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock Rev. Ordahl officiating and interment was made in the cemetery north west of Holt. We expect to publish an obituary next week.

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COOPER WINS BIG SPEEDWAY RACE

GIL ANDERSON FINISHES 500-MILE DRIVE ONLY HALF SECOND LATER.

RESTA AND DE PALMA DROP OUT

Burman Also Withdraws on Account of Engine Trouble—Rough Track at Minneapolis Oval Keeps Average Speed Low.

PRIZE WINNERS IN 500-MILE SPEEDWAY RACE

Name.	Car.	Cash.
Earl Cooper	Stutz	$20,000
Gil Anderson	Stutz	10,000
Ed. O'Donnell	Deusenberg	4,500
Tom Alley	Ogren	3,500
Halbe	Sebring ...	2,700
Haupt	Deusenberg	2,000
Chandler	Cooling ...	1,750
Oldfield	Delage	1,500

Minneapolis, Sept. 7.—Earl Cooper, driving a Stutz car, once more captured the first prize in a long distance race. Cooper carried off the high honors at the new speedway and pressing him hard for honors was Gil Anderson, his teammate, who shot across the finishing line less than a half second behind the winner. Resta, Burman and DePalma were forced out by engine trouble and the Stutz team had a walkaway.

Cooper's car averaged 86.35 miles an hour for 500 miles, and although the time was not fast, the high honors and $20,000 in cash go to the Californian. For his efforts and success Gil Anderson draws down $10,000. Eddie O'Donnell, who finished third, several laps behind the winning pair, took down $4,500, and Tom Alley took fourth money.

The time established by the winner was by no means pleasing to the promoters of the affair. Talk of 120 miles an hour had been heard while the enthusiasts were predicting 100 miles an hour for 500 miles over that course would be almost disappointing.

Resta Leads at Start.

The race started out with Resta shooting into the lead over the two Stutz cars and De Palma. Bob Burman, who had the pole position in the second row, displayed some rare track knowledge on the very first lap. He started in to overtake Resta and on the second whirl around the track the Italian was driving at his best, with Burman riding in the vacuum of his car. But when the two cars broke into the stretch off the bank near the main grandstand, Burman gave his car a full flow of juice and he slipped past the other Peugeot, Resta taking up his dust. Driving like Wild Bob of old, Burman continued to lead the field and lap after lap he shot past the judges' stand holding a lead that varied from 20 to 30 seconds over Resta. De Palma, in the meantime, was fighting hard in the attempt to overtake Resta. Cooper, in the meantime, stamped on his accelerator pedal with all his might and the Stutz soon passed Resta, but Burman was going too fast for the field. At 20 miles De Palma steamed into the pit row for repairs, and although he spent only about 45 seconds in the hands of his helpers, when he got under way he was far behind. Resta in the meantime found Gil Anderson pressing him and on the next turn the second Stutz had slipped ahead of the Peugeot driven by the famous Italian.

Burman Is Forced Out.

Averaging 93 miles an hour—a clip never touched after he broke down, Burman continued to lead through 30 miles. Then, on his 16th lap, Wild Bob applied the brakes, he opened the hood, looked over the machinery and without much ceremony climbed over the pit row and announced his retirement because of a broken connecting rod.

With Burman out of the race and De Palma losing ground because of engine trouble, Resta took a new grip on the grind and mile after mile was reeled off with Cooper leading, Resta second and Anderson third. This order held good until 56 miles had been covered, and then Resta showed signs of speeding up. Once he got his Peugeot [illegible]ring properly, he fairly danced past Cooper and then the line of racing order found Resta in the lead, Cooper second, Anderson third, Mulford fourth. Alley fifth, O'Donnell sixth, De Palma seventh, Chandler eighth, Henning ninth and Haupt tenth. Brown and Oldfield were in the rear.

Anderson Shoots Past Resta.

Resta continued to lead through the 30th lap—which is 60 miles—and Cooper was second. Resta's time at 60 miles was 99:48 and his average was 90.45. At 70 miles Resta's average was 90.88 and his elapsed time 46:13. Anderson, who had been content to hold down second or third place during the early stages of the race slipped his car into high at 78 miles and he shot past Resta like a cannon ball.

Anderson continued to lead and at the 100-mile mark Cooper was second and Resta third. Anderson's time for 100 miles was 67:09 and his average was 90.91.

At 110 miles Cooper was leading but De Palma was pressing him hard. The time made by the Stutz driver was 1:43:33 and the average 88:32. As the race progressed the average speed dropped and although an occasional spurt would be seen, it was manifest that no new marks would be established. Resta in the meantime stopped to locate his engine trouble and found that his oil pump had been broken. His car was backed into the shade of the judges stand and the favorite in the betting watched his co-workers whiz around the rough course.

Ralph Mulford, who was driving Harry J. Tremain's Deusenberg, had been making a creditable showing, but on his 60th lap, the winner of the Des Moines grind was given the white flag and upon pulling into the pit he was informed that his radiator hood was hanging loose.

De Palma in Second Place.

Cooper was leading at 120 miles with an average of 88.71. De Palma was second and Anderson third. De Palma lost more ground through engine trouble, and at 130 miles Anderson was second to Cooper. De Palma once more broke into the speed class and at 150 miles he was in second place, but engine trouble again brought him to the pits.

Two hundred miles of racing found Anderson still leading, with Cooper a close second. De Palma's engine continued to give him grief and finally the second Italian withdrew, complaining that oil had got into the curburetor. The withdrawal of De Palma left only the Stutz team to fight it out for first place as O'Donnell was miles behind. The race between the two white cars was interesting, but the spectators began to lose interest and as Anderson later gave way to a relief driver, the contest was not one between drivers so much as a race to shew the durability of the machines.

With no outside opposition, both Anderson and Cooper slowed down perceptably and, although both seemed to be dragging the best speed possible out of their cars, it is a safe assertion that better time would have been made had Resta or De Palma, or both, been in the race. At sundown Starter Wagner flagged Billy Chandler and Barney Oldfield and both were awarded prizes, although they did not finish the 500 miles. Brown in the Du Cheasneau was the last man to give up at the pits.

TIME MADE BY DRIVERS ON MINNEAPOLIS OVAL

Driver.	Time.	Average.
Cooper	5:47:29	86.35
Anderson	5:47:29.21	86.35
O'Donnell	6:20:25	78.86
Alley	6:24:44	77.94
Halbe	6:38:17	75.33
Haupt	6:45:18	73.97
Chandler	Flagged	
Oldfield	Flagged	

SUBMARINE SUNK BY TURKS

British Submersible Sent to Bottom by Coast Guard Ship Bahrsfid—Crew Is Lost.

Berlin, via wireless to Sayville, Sept. 7.—The Overseas News Agency made the following announcement:

"A headquarters report issued at Constantinople announced that the Turkish coast guard ship Bahrsfid had shelled and sunk an enemy submarine southwest of Armudli. It was impossible to save the crew."

Armudli is on the Asia Minor coast of the sea of Marmora. An Athens dispatch to the London Star Saturday stated that a British submarine, after passing through the Gulf of Ismid, landed a party at Gebize to dynamite the railroad bridge. After planting bombs, the landing party was said to have returned safely to the submarine.

Fifty Hurt in Wreck.

Sandusky, Ohio, Sept. 7.—From 40 to 50 persons were injured when two interurban trains collided on the Lake Shore Electric road. An eastbound limited crashed into a westbound local at Sage's Siding, near Huron. There were no fatalities.

Carranza Troops Take Icamole.

Laredo, Texas, Sept. 7.—Carranza troops have captured Icamole and Paredon, near Monterey and are concentrating for an attack on Torreon, it was said in official dispatches received by Carranza headquarters in

England Pays for Cotton.

Washington, Sept. 4.—The British embassy remitted $323,000 to W. Gordon McCabe of Charleston, S. C., for American cotton taken from the steamships Carolina and Baltic by British authorities several months ago.

Dernburg Heads German League.

Amsterdam (via London), Sept. 4.—According to the Cologne Gazette a German economical league for South and Central America has been formed with Bernhard Dernburg as president.

Takes Haitien Customs Houses.

Washington, Sept. 3.—Rear Admiral Caperton reported to the navy department that five customs houses in Haiti now were in possession of American forces. The last one was taken over without disorder at Gonzaives upon the arrival there of the United States gunboat Castine and the collier Jason. Five customs houses still remain in possession of Haitien officials.

Haitien troops at Ounanminthe have declared in favor of President D'Artiguenave, according to the report.

COOPER IS WINNER IN BIG AUTO RACE

VICTOR IN NORTHWEST'S FIRST 500 MILE DERBY AT TWIN CITIES.

ANDERSON FINISHES SECOND

Is Only Few Feet Behind Winner When Race Is Ended—Both Take Lead Early in Long Race and Maintain Position to End.

WINNERS AND WHAT THEY WIN.

Earl Cooper, Stutz, $20,000, 5:47:29.
Gil Anderson, Stutz, $10,000, 5:47:30
Ed O'Donnell, Duesenberg, $4,500, 6:20:25:34.
Tom Alley, Ogren, $3,500, 6:24:44-45
C. F. Hiabe, Sebring, $2,700, 6:38:17
William Haupt, Duesenberg, $2,000, 6:45:18-53.
William Chandler, Cooling, $1,750.
Barney Oldfield, De Lage, $1,500.

THESE DID NOT FINISH.

Bob Burman, Peugeot, broken valve at 32 miles.
Otto Henning, Mercer, engine trouble, at 66 miles.
Dario Resta, Peugeot, broken oil pump, at 102 miles.
Ralph Mulford, Duesenberg, broken spring at 120 miles.
W. W. Brown, Du Chesneau, engine trouble, at 186 miles.
Ralph De Palma, oil flooded magneto, at 190 miles.

St. Paul, Sept. 6.—Two unassuming white motor cars came to a halt at dusk Saturday at the Snelling speedway. From them clambered gingerly two chauffers. They were Earl Cooper and Gil Anderson, and they had just driven Stutz cars to victory and second place in the Twin Cities' first 500-mile race, winning an aggregate of $30,000 and coming over the wire Stutz team when Cooper and Anderson finished, and it steadily kept in one-fifth of a second apart.

St. Paulu Car Third.

The Duesenberg, driven by O'Donnell, was thirty miles behind the third place to the end. Alley's Ogren, a car that went to the pit often, but came away each time seemingly with new life, spun easily into fourth place as the grand stands and parking places grew deserted. The crowd had come to see some one win, and it had no interest in drivers of lesser mettle, although the blue and yellow Ogren and the Sebring that Halbe drove to fifth place ran consistent races in the face of great odds.

The Sebring, like the Duesenberg driven by Pete Henderson and Willie Haupt, that finished sixth, stopped often at the pits, but careful driving kept them in the running and made them interesting factors in the contest. Billy Chandler's Cooling and the De Lage that Oldfield and Rickenbacher drove intermittently all the afternoon were seventh and eighth.

ANOTHER LINER TORPEDOED.

London, Sept. 6.—The Allan line steamship Hesperian was torpedoed off the south coast of Ireland. There were approximately 350 passengers aboard including one or two Americans. All were saved according to Allan Line advices which said the steamer did not sink but was proceeding to Queenstown, under convoy with two holds full of water.

Carried Mounted Gun.

Washington, Sept. 6.—A cablegram from American Consul Frost at Queenstown to the state department last night announcing the torpedoing of the Allan Line steamer Hesperian with the loss of probably eight or ten lives, said the liner carried mounted and visible on her stern a 4.7 inch rifle.

TEN MEXICANS SLAIN

Brownsville, Tex., Sept. 6.—With at least ten known Mexicans dead and probably as many more bodies lying in the dense brush, the battle between a number of Mexicans and eighty United States cavalrymen, aided by a force of Texas rangers and armed citizens, ended. One American trooper was wounded.

Mexicans Hide in Brush.

At 4 p. m. the Mexicans withdrew from the south bank of the Rio Grande and hid in the brush.

Thebattle was waged practically the entire day, the two forces firing at each other across the Rio Grande at a point four miles west of Old Hidalgo, Texas.

The participants were stretched out in the brush on a battle line two miles long.

Fired on Rancher.

The battle started early when a party of Mexicans, said to be Carranza soldiers, appeared at the river near Old Hidalgo and fired on an American ranchman named Drew. The Mexicans then fired a volley at a party of Texas rangers near the same place.

Cavalry Ordered to Scene.

As soon as these incidents were reported, all available cavalry was ordered from Mission to the river, where they were reinforced by numerous rangers and armed civilians.

Telegraph Wires Cut.

Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 6.—All except one wire in the telegraph lines between here and San Bernito were cut, crippling communication with the section affected by Mexican raids and fighting.

Carranza Troops Take Part.

It is not known positively that the Mexicans who engagede in the fight-Mexicans who engaged in the fightports indicated that the original forty who fired at the ranchman and the rangers had been strongly reinforced by the Mexican soldiers, evidently from the Carranza garrisons in the little towns along the river.

RUSSIAN DEFENSE STIFFENS

London, Sept. 6.—Although they continue their retirement in some sectors and are being driven back in others, the Russians, on the whole, have stiffened their opposition to the Austro-German advance.

No such thing as "rubber roofing"

A lot of manufacturers call their roofing "Rubber Roofing," "Rubberine," "Rubberoid"—Rubber-this and Rubber-that. The life is all out of rubber if exposed to the daylight for six months. There is no such thing as "Rubber Roofing" of any kind. There is no rubber in

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HIS WELL-CHOSEN RESPONSE

Old Frenchman's Words, in Acknowledging Gift, Were Certainly Short and to the Point.

In a certain country town there lived an old Frenchman named Le Blanc. One night some of his friends gave him a surprise party and presented him with a watch chain. That week the local paper printed an account of the affair, saying that in acknowledgment of the gift Mr. Le Blanc responded in "a few well-chosen words."

Curious to know what the old Frenchman said, someone asked the reporter who was present what those "well-chosen words" were.

"Well, I'll tell you," he answered. "When Charlie finished his presentation speech and held out the chain, the old man—who had ben eyeing it greedily all the while—suddenly snatched it from his hand and exclaimed: 'Py chee, dat was a good one!'"—Youth's Companion.

Both Exposed to Danger.

"The man who makes a shell is just as much a hero as the man who fires it."

"I guess that's right. In these days of Zeppelins and aeroplanes, you never know when an aviator is going to drop bombs on an ammunition factory."

Not Too Cheap.

"Talk is cheap," said the man who is always quoting proverbs.

"Oh, sure," said the man who was waiting for an opening to make a touch. "Lend me five dollars so I can call my wife up on the phone. She's in Chicago."

Luck Opposed.

"Here's hard luck!"
"What's the matter?"
"Nothing but soft drinks."

A friend may well be reckoned the masterpiece of nature.—Emerson.

AGAIN TO BE FERTILE LAND

Building of Euphrates Dam Calculated to Restore the Prosperity of Old Mesopotamia.

With the completion of the Hindiyeh barrage, on the River Euphrates, the first step has been taken which will ultimately turn Mesopotamia into the fertile land it was in Biblical times.

For ages the waters of the Tigris and Euphrates have run to waste in the desert, or accumulated in unwholesome marshes, and devastation and the decay of centuries have set their mark upon enormous areas that once blossomed as the rose. In the great Babylonian plain tradition has placed the Garden of Eden, and the still visible ruins of old dams and canals show how important a part was played by irrigation in the economic prosperity of Chaldea and Babylon.

After lying dormant for ages as the result of devastating wars, Tartar inroads and Turkish apathy, fertility is about to be restored to those desolate regions as by the wave of a magician's wand.

The magician is the modern engineer, in the person of Sir William Willcocks, who in 1909 was commissioned by the Turkish government to prepare an irrigation scheme. In its entirety Sir William Willcock's plan entailed an expenditure of $75,000,000, and it is the first portion of the works which were inaugurated.

The Hindiyeh barrage, 47 miles south of Bagdad, has been built just above the town of Hindiyeh and to the east of the present riverbed, and it distributes the waters of the Euphrates through regulators down the old Hillah branch, past Babylon to Hillah. It is 800 feet long and consists of 35 arches fitted with sluice gates 16 feet wide. The arches are supported by piers 19 feet high and four feet thick, with key piers measuring 11 feet. This structure rests upon a foundation of three feet of concrete and six feet of brickwork. Adjoining the barrage is a lock with a 25-foot opening for the use of the river traffic.

Their Conversation.

In the days of Henry Clay a Kentucky farmer sent a servant to Lexington with a note for the president of a certain bank. When the man returned he said to his master:

"I met Marse Henry Clay in the bank and had a conversation with him."

"Indeed! and on what topic did you and Mr. Clay converse?" inquired the master with interest.

The darky removed his hat and made a sweeping bow. . . . "Says Mr. Clay to me." . . . And another very low bow. "And I the same to Mr. Clay."—Everybody's Magazine.

Ready Finance.

Hart (on country road)—Look at those toughs ahead of us. I shouldn't wonder if we were held up.

Smart—It's not unlikely. By the way, here's that dollar you lent me this morning.

Father Adam may have had troubles of his own, but at any rate, Eve never flashed his old love letters on him.

Backache is Discouraging

Nothing is more discouraging than a constant backache. Lame when you awaken, pains pierce you when you bend or lift. It's hard to work or to rest. Backache often indicates bad kidneys. If the urine is disordered, passages too frequent or scanty, there is further proof. Delay is dangerous. Prompt use of Doan's Kidney Pills now may spare you serious trouble later. Doan's is the world's best-recommended kidney remedy.

A Montana Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

J. W. Harrison, blacksmith, 208 N. Wallace St., Bozeman, Mont., says: "I suffered terribly from weak kidneys and had a dull, nagging pain in the small of my back. The kidney secretions passed too freely, my head ached and I had spells of numbness. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me as soon as I used them and three boxes completely cured me."

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"The pigs are carefully fed," writes Doctor Speiser, "but this, their only pleasure, is spoiled by constant and terrific toothache, caused by cruel man, who has a horrible custom of knocking out the upper eyeteeth of the male. The lower teeth, finding nothing to rub against, grow to a surprising size, first upward, then down, until they again reach the jaw, grow on and on, through the cheek, through the jawbone, pushing out a few other teeth on the way. Then they come out of the jaw again and curve a second, sometimes a third, time, if the poor beast lives long enough.

A Benevolent Refusal.

"Senator, I wish you would give me a job as your private secretary."

"Oh, my boy," responded the oily senator, "don't get mixed up with the government service. Nothing to it. Ruins a young man. Besides, I have promised that position to my son."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Keen Disappointment.

"Congressman Blowster says he didn't think much of the San Francisco fair."

"I think I know the reason, why."

"Well?"

"He hoped to launch a presidential boom while out there, but it failed to materialize."

First Trial.

"Did you ever try a fountain pen, judge?" asked the lawyer.

"Yes," replied his honor, "and found it guilty."

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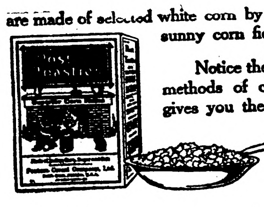

HOW TO HEAL STUBBORN TORMENTING SKIN DISEASES

A Baltimore doctor suggests this simple, but reliable and inexpensive, home treatment for people suffering with eczema, ringworm, rashes and similar itching, burning skin troubles.

At any reliable druggist's get a jar of resinol ointment and a cake of resinol soap. These will not cost a bit more than seventy-five cents. With the resinol soap and warm water bathe the affected parts thoroughly, until they are free from crusts and the skin is softened. Dry very gently, spread on a thin layer of the resinol ointment, and cover with a light bandage—if necessary to protect the clothing. This should be done twice a day. Usually the distressing itching and burning stop with the first treatment, and the skin soon becomes clear and healthy again.—Adv.

Electric Plant in Arctic Circle.

The "farthest north" electric plant is being constructed at Mount Hope, 100 miles north of the arctic circle. There are 400 persons at this place, and the plant is being built by one of the missions.

The darkness at Mount Hope is intense during the long arctic night, and the electric plant will supply power for both light and heat. Engineers at the University of Pennsylvania will design the equipment.

The electricity will be generated by wind power, as the wind at Mount Hope is steady and seldom falls below 20 miles an hour.

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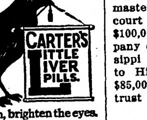

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CONVICTS PROFIT BY TWINE SALES

LARGEST STATE-OWNED PLANT IN WORLD LOCATED AT STILLWATER.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.—The largest state-owned binding twine and farm machinery plant in the world is at the Stillwater penitentiary, one of the 16 institution charges of the state board of control. It is also the largest state profit sharing institution of its kind.

For the year ending Aug. 1 the two industries at the prison turned out 21,855,415 pounds of binding twine and $474,293.50 worth of farm machinery. The compiling of the figures covering the two industries has just been completed by the board.

For this tremendous output a total of $2,164,744.74 was realized with a net profit to the state of $350,851.30. The twine sales alone were $1,690,451.24.

Prisoners Share Profits.

The prisoners who made the twine and farm machinery output for the year also realized by their sale. From every dollar of gross earnings 75 cents a day for each convict is deducted and the other 25 cents is credited to their account. From the twine plant earnings $25,391.12 was paid direct to the inmates employed and $66,384.75 was credited to support. In the machinery division $26,323.65 was paid to inmates and $59,787.45 to support, or a grand total for both of $177,886.97.

In addition the board of control gave aid to prisoners' families to the amount of $7,895. The showing this year in the matter of earnings is one of the best in the history of the prison.

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St. Paul.—A rehearing of the election contest to unseat Judge W. H. Smallwood of the municipal court of Duluth was denied by the state supreme court, which reaffirms its former position that the "second choice" provision in the Duluth charter is unconstitutional.

The court also takes occasion to calm the fears of the petitioners for a rehearing, who represented that chaos financial and political, would prevail in Duluth if the former decision were allowed to stand by holding that the time for further contest arising from the 1913 election has passed, that the acts of the officials elected and that the credit of the city and the legality of its obligations are in no wise affected.

"Contrary to Intent."

"We reached the conclusion," says the court on this point, "that a system of voting, giving the voter the right to vote for the candidate of his first choice, and against the first choice of another voter, and, in addition, by a manipulation of second and additional choice votes, vote for different candidates all against the first choice of such other voter to a number of times limited only by the number of candidates, was contrary to the intent of the constitution; and that it was none the less so because such other voter was permitted to engage in a like manipulation of second and additional choice votes.

"Our further examination confirms us in our view. The decision is sound; and we do right in upholding the right of the citizen to cast a vote for the candidate of his choice unimpaired by second or additional choice votes cast by other voters."

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Orders Road Sold

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Aid for Training Camp

Adjutant General Fred B. Wood of the Minnesota national guard, has informed Captain Robert K. Allcott, who is in charge of the business men's military training camp, to be conducted at Fort Snelling, Sept. 20 to 30, that the national guard would furnish equipment and aid to the camp in every way possible. Forty applications for enrollment in the training camp are now in the hands of Captain Allcott. Only ten more are required to make the camp a certainty.

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State's Attorney Dies

Alonzo J. Edgerton, assistant attorney general, died unexpectedly at his residence in St. Paul. Mr. Edgerton had been ill with typhoid fever for the past two weeks but was thought to be improving. He is survived by a wife and two children. Mr Edgerton entered the state attorney general's office in 1912 and has been prominently identified with the railroad and banking sections of the department. He was born March 29, 1874, in Dodge county. He was formerly county attorney of Le Sueur county.

STATE NEWS

Resume of Important Happenings of Past Few Days.

Threatens Hospital Support.

Operation of the county option law bids fair to place the entire support of the Willmar inebriate hospital on the revenue funds of the state. Since the end of 1914 the revenues from the 12 per cent tax on liquor licenses have decreased $10,081 according to figures prepared by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor. As county after county went dry the revenues to be expected from these counties have been obliterated.

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State Spends Millions

The state spent $6,771,898 to maintain its twenty-nine institutions during the fiscal year ending July 31, according to warrants received by Walter J. Smith, state treasurer.

The five normal schools cost the state $460,074 and the five institutions for the insane $1,335,329. The University of Minnesota spent $2,192,552, and the Agricultural college $491,082.

These figures are from the annual report of the treasurer, which will go to the printer in a few days.

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To Produce 2,000,000 Tons of Ore.

State iron ore properties are expected to contribute 2,000,000 tons of ore to the world's supply this year. Weekly reports from the Iron Range received by State Auditor Preus indicate that the figure named will be reached. On Aug. 15 last the million ton mark had been reached and heavy shipments have been going forward ever since. While 2,000,000 tons is an increase over last season it does not equal the 1913 figures when a total of 2,875,982 tons of ore from state owned mines was recorded.

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Largest Twine Plant

St. Paul.—The largest state-owned binding twine and farm machinery plant in the world is at the Stillwater penitentiary, one of the 16 institution charges of the state board of control. It is also the largest state profit sharing institution of its kind.

For the year ending Aug. 1 the two industries at the prison turned out 21,855,415 pounds of binding twine and $474,293.50 worth of farm machinery. The compiling of the figures covering the two industries has just been completed by the board.

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Duluth Judge Wins

St. Paul.—A rehearing of the election contest to unseat Judge W. H. Smallwood of the municipal court of Duluth was denied by the state supreme court, which reaffirms its former position that the "second choice" provision in the Duluth charter is unconstitutional. The court also takes occasion to calm the fears of the petitioners for a rehearing, who represented that chaos financial and political, would prevail in Duluth if the former decision were allowed to stand by holding that the time for further contest arising from the 1913 election has passed, that the acts of the officials elected and that the credit of the city and the legality of its obligations are in no wise affected.

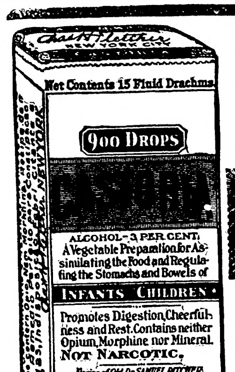
Brief Telegraphic News of Minnesota

Little Falls.—Hurled thirty feet from a runaway log carriage in a local sawmill, Carl Kummert, an employe of the mill, was uninjured. Before beginning his aerial journey his hand was crushed when the carriage struck him.

Rochester.—Arthur D. Leet, 87 years old, one of the Rochester's pioneer merchants and for many years prominent in the city, died here. Mr. Leet came to Rochester from Mantorville in 1858. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, Mrs. Walter Wellmann of Huntville, Ala., and Mrs E. F. Cook, wife of the cashier of the First national bank of this city.

Owatonna.—Through plans which were adopted by business men, Owatonna is to have one of the finest parks and summer resort systems in Minnesota. This is to be done by linking the parks. Mineral Springs park at the edge of the city famous for the health-giving value if its waters and for its natural beauty is to be linked by a waterway from Dartt's park, near er the city, to Rice Lake, five miles east.

Hastings.—Dr. Phil J. Brady has bought the interest of Walter Wol[illegible] in the Hope sanitarium and will be associated with E. O. Fuller.



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Wobbly Man Needed Extra Accommodation Before He Could Really Enjoy Seeing Play.

During the run of a play in New York last winter a wobbly person teetered up to the box office one Saturday night when the place was packed and demanded a good seat.

"Nothing left except standing room," said the box-office man. "Sell you standing room for a dollar."

The wavering one produced a dollar and went inside. But so many general admissions were grouped at the rear that over the intervening hedge of heads he caught only vagrant glimpses of what was going on upon the stage.

He foggily considered the situation for a spell. Then he rocked his weaving way back to the box-office window and put a second dollar on the shelf.

"Gimme nozzir one of them standin' rooms," he ordered; "can't see the show at all if you only got one."—Saturday Evening Post.

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Cyrolite.

Cyrolite is a sodium and aluminum fluoride that crystallizes in the monoclinic system. It is an important ore of aluminum, and is used in the manufacture of alum, sodium hydrate (for making soap), sodium carbonate and other salts. It is also employed in making opaque white glass, sometimes called hot cast porcelain, which is said to be prepared by fusing together 100 parts of silicate, 35 parts of dyrolite and 15 parts of zinc oxide.

The Conductor's Hope.

"I hope," said the car conductor pensively, after taking the names of the people who saw the lady lose her balance, "that women will vote, and that they'll have a political party of their own and a convention and a platform."

"And then what?"

"And that they'll advocate capital punishment for anybody who gets off the platform backward."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Used to It.

"You got pretty well tanned while you were at the seashore, didn't you, Willie?" said the visitor.

"That's nothing," retorted Willie. "I get tanned most every day while I'm home, too."

Easily Remedied.

"Oh George, you've broken your promise!"

"Never mind dearie, I'll make you another."—Life

Not an Acquaintance.

He—Do you know Poe's "R[illegible]"?

She—Why, no. What's the matter with him?—The Club-Fellow.

Drink Denison's Coffee
For your health's sake.

[illegible] thousand women who can [illegible] bargain not more than half a dozen can drive a nail.

Avoiding Complications.

"I understand Doppel is neutral."

"And strongly entrenched, too."

"How does that happen?"

"His favorite barber is a Frenchman and his favorite bartender is a German."

"How about his favorite waiter?"

"He doesn't have to be on his guard while eating. His favorite waiter is a waitress, hailing officially from Kansas City.

Theory and Practice.

Mrs. Blough—I don't try to suit everyone. I always want people to take me just as I am.

Caller—Glad to hear it, for we're in a big hurry. I'm the staff photographer for the Scarehead, and the Sunday editor sent me out to get a snapshot of you—

Mrs. Blough—Good heavens! Wait till I run and frill up a bit and put on some powder.—Judge.

All of a Kind.

"I suppose, warden, you have men of various bent here?"

"Well, sir, they're all crooks."

High Finance.

"Henry, dear," announced Mrs. Up-to-date, "I guess you will have to admit that I am a pretty good business manager after all. I took Willie with me to the movies this afternoon and as it was raining when we came out of the theater, I gave Willie ten cents car fare and had him hurry home and get an umbrella for me. In that way I saved my new hat from being ruined."

"Uh, huh," replied Mr. Up-to-date. "Yes, I see, my dear; but why the Sam Hill didn't you both ride home for your ten cents in the first place?"

"Henry! You—boo hoo—you never give me credit for anything I do!"—Judge.

Unusual Type.

"He's a great pitcher, all right."

"Sure. But an anomaly, at that."

"Why so?"

"It seems that he never had any preliminary practice on a vacant lot."

Many a man who is let in on the ground floor has to crawl out through the cellar window.

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GENERAL LOVE OF PRAISE

Common to All Mortals, and in Its Proper Form Is Not an Instinct of Evil.

Love of praise is one of the weaknesses of mortals. Some there be, who if not praised by others, don't hesitate to praise themselves. If praised by others, they parade, with no thought of the "delicacy of praise," what others say of them. Such deem it legitimate to solicit the praise for which they lust, knowing that there are men in the world who are as careless in attesting and magnifying the assumed virtues of others as many are in signing petitions, of the substance of which they take no thought.

This love of praise is confined to no class of men. It is an incentive to the poor man who works faithfully for his daily bread; the average man of wealth is not deaf to praise, even though it may come from one of his menials. This love of praise is not an instinct of evil, it may be just the opposite if it is born of a desire to be thought well of by one's fellowmen, or of a purpose to make oneself worthy of the confidence and esteem of others, by treating others as one would have them treat him.

Curious Gaelic Alphabet.

A very curious and distinguishing characteristic of the Gaelic alphabet is that nearly every letter thereof is represented by a tree. While the alphabet of ancient Gaelic comprised but 17 letters, that of modern Gaelic has 18. But with the new, as with the old, forms the letter is represented by a tree. The exceptions are "g," "t" and "u," which stand for "ivy," "furze" and "heather."

The alphabet now stands: Ailm, beite, coll, dur, eagh, fearn, gath, huath, iogh, luis, muin, oiv, peith, ruis, suil, teine, ur, all of which is equal to saying: Elm, birch, hazel, oak, aspen, alder, ivy, whitehorn, yew, rowan, or quicken, vine, ash, spindle tree, pine, elder, willow, furze, heath. In the old Gaelic alphabet the letter "h" (the huath or whitehorn) does not exist. The alphabet is called the beth-luis-nuin, because "b," "l," "n" and not "a," "b," "c" are the first three letters.

With Provisos.

"Well, we'll tell you, George, frankly. You can marry on $500 a year, yes. Provided you have saved your last year's salary, and likewise provided you can get your next year's salary in advance."

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of July 1915.

Cream received	36,117 lbs
Average test	28.57
Butter fat	10,320.67 lbs
Percent overrun	23.80
Butter made	12,777 lbs
Balance on hand last month	5 57
Received for butter shipped	2737 77
Butter and milk sold patrons	16 70
Cash sales at creamery	22 88
Rec'd from other sources	22 15
Total	$2805 04
Paid patrons by check	2426 93
" " " Butter & milk	16 70
Expense fund, etc.	272 78
To sinking fund	78 12
Balance on hand	2 13
Total	$2805 04

Number of patrons, 132

Price paid for butter fat, 24c

Names of patrons receiving checks of $40.00 and over:

E. A. Johnson $44.19, Olaf Johnson $40.98.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Making It Personal.

It is sad to see family relics sold at auction, but the most painful thing under the hammer is generally your thumbnail.

Slavery Originated in the East.

Absolute slavery seems to have appeared in the eastern colonies somewhat earlier than in the southern, for slavery existed in New York in 1626, in New Jersey in 1628, in Massachusetts in 1630, in Connecticut in 1631 and in Delaware in 1636. There was a statutory recognition of slavery in Massachusetts in 1641, which was considerably ahead of such recognition of slavery in Virginia of Maryland.

Nature Supreme.

Not all the product of artificial greeneries are so lovely as that of the fields, the country garden, the fence rows, the first roses, the daffodils, the arbutus—which hides under the [illegible] leaves, the first buds of the rhododendrons and the other forms [illegible] of the life blood drawn direct from the earth, while poor mankind has to take all second hand.

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Nelson & Svenkeson started out Tuesday to thresh.

The progressive farmer is looking out for his fall plowing.

A dentist will be at the hotel on Monday Sept. 20th. Wait for him.

Goodridge, having incorporated, held their first election for village officers, yesterday.

The Middle Pioneer has recently purchased a new dress for the paper. Congratulations to Bro. Carr.

A livery barn, garage, hall and a real estate building were burned in Red Lake Falls last week Wednesday night.

Davidson Bros. finished drilling Elef Sorter's well, Saturday, which is only 75 foot deep and has plenty of good water.

Emil Ostlund brot in his seperator Monday evening and left Tuesday evening with the complete rig ready for threshing.

Now is the time to buy land while it is cheap. Improved farms will increase fifty per cent in price within the next five years.

Hunters were more plentiful Tuesbay than were the chickens as the early rains and cold seems to have interfered with the hatching of the birds.

C. W. Latta has on exhibition in his office, several corn stocks that measure eleven feet high. This corn was raised in East Valley township by Andrew Engstrom.

The Karlstad Advocate tells of a farmer near there that threshed some wheat that yielded 43 bushels to the acre and oats that went 56 bushels to the acre and both on old fields.

Unsafe chimneys were the cause of about $160000.00 in fire losses last year in this state alone. See that your chimneys are in good condition before the weather becomes cold.

Emil Johnson had a small field of oats threshed last week and the machine measured 86 bushels to the acre, but on being weighed, the tract averaged 102 bushels, allowing 38 pounds to the bushel.—Strandquist Tribune.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Aug. 12th, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Axel Nelson of Holt, Minn. who on May 6th 1910 made Homestead Entry No. 05221 for SE 1-4 SW 1-4 Section 27 and East 1-2 NW 1-4 Section 34, Township 156 N Ran. 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota on the 24th day of Sept. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole M. Larson, A. C. Jahr, Clarence Knutson and John Knutson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Aluminum.

Aluminum cooking utensils are [illegible] until they turn dark inside—then [illegible] It is easy, however, to keep them bright. [illegible] which there is soda and water or boil tomatoes [illegible] in them; anything acid [illegible] and the water it was [illegible] in [illegible] will [illegible] double work. [illegible] will lemon and table salt.

Local Items

Adolph Sollom has purchased a player piano.

C. W. Latta autoed to Thief River Falls, Saturday.

The drought (?) was broken Tuesday night by a light shower.

Miss Christine Saastad went to T. R. Falls yesterday for a short visit.

Mrs. Sollom and daughter Gunnild were Warren visitors Tuesday.

Dr. Lindsay went to Bemidji, Friday and returned Sunday with his auto.

Rudolph Reierson went to Tolley, N. D., Monday, to work during the threshin season.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday to have some dental work done.

Mrs. Chris Yttre and children have gone to Viroqua, Wis., for an extended visit with her parents.

Arvid Carlson came over from Newfolden Monday evening so as to go hunting with the boys Tuesday.

Art Brotten returned Saturday from North Dakota where he had been working for a couple of weeks.

Lars Backe, Mesdames Bertil L. Backe and Adolph Sollom were passengers for Thief River Falls, Wednesday.

A St. Bernard dog came to my place Monday Aug. 29th. Prove property and pay costs. W. A. Silbaugh.

Dr. Turley, Dentist, wil be at the hotel Monday Sept. 20th. Don't forget the date and be sure to be on hand early.

Miss Tina Abrahamson of Middle River who has been visiting for a week at the home of Alfred Anderson's returned home Wednesday.

Albert Cairns of Crookston, auditor for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., was called here Monday by the illness of their agent, John Engelstad.

Ole Storholm returned to Crookston Saturday, accompanied by his daughter Mrs. Mickelson and granddaughter Olive, who visited over Sunday there.

Miss Ella Olberg came last week Thursday from Fertile where she had been visiting relatives for some time, and is now employed as dining room girl at the hotel.

A few of the intimate lady friends of Inez Alkenbrack gathered at the pleasant rooms of the Misses Riesberg in her honor Saturday evening. A very enjoyable evening was spent after which a fine luncheon was served.

Bank Statement

Bank No. 893.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Sept. 2, 1915.

Date of call by Supt., Sept. 7, 1915.

Date of report by Bank; Sept. 8, 1915.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$72,576 36
Overdrafts		192 48
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,650 00
Other Real Estate		$2,900 00
Due from Banks	12,486 61	
Cash on Hand	1257 63	
Total Cash Assets		13,744 24
Checks and Cash Items		3,105 14
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		629 17
Total		$101,106 39

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$3,000 00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		16,500 00
Deposits Subject to Check	28,527.26	
Cashiers Checks	3,862.21	
Total Immediate Liabilities	32,389.47	
Time Certificates	39,216.92	
Total Deposits		71,606 39
Total		$101,106 39
Amount of Reserve on Hand		[illegible]
Am't of Reserve Required by Law		[illegible]

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall ss.

We, D. B. Backe, President and B. Po[illegible], Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Backe, President.
B. Po[illegible], Cashier.

Correct Attest:
C. H. Gunheim,
[illegible]
T. Reierson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of Sept. 1915.

[illegible] Nils [illegible], Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 191[illegible]

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

IV.—F. A. Vanderlip

On The Business of Banking

The farmers of this nation to come into their own must study business. We must, as a class, understand the fundamental principles that underlie every industry, its functions to society and its relation to agriculture, for there can be no intelligent co-operation without understanding. Mr. F. A. Vanderlip, president of the National City Bank of New York, when asked, "What is a bank?" said in part:

"The first and most familiar function of a bank is that of gathering up the idle money of a community, small sums and large, and thus forming a pool or reservoir upon which responsible persons may draw as they have temporary use for money. It is evident that this makes large sums in the aggregate available for the employment of labor and the development of the community. But much more is accomplished than the use of the money actually deposited in the banks, for by the use of drafts, checks and bank notes the efficiency of money is multiplied several times over. A very large business, for example one of the great beef packers, may use very little actual money; on one side of its bank account will be entered the checks and drafts it is daily receiving from everywhere in payment for meats, while on the other side will be entered the checks it draws in payment for cattle, etc., its only use of money being for small payments, to labor and otherwise.

If there were but one bank in a community and everybody paid all bills by drawing checks on that bank, and everyone receiving a check immediately deposited it in the bank, the amount of money in the bank evidently would not change at all and the entire business of the community would be settled on the books of the bank. And the situation is but slightly changed when there are several banks, for they daily exchange among themselves all the checks they receive on each other, which practically offset themselves, although the small balances are paid in cash. This is called 'clearing' and in every large city there is a 'Clearing House' where representatives of the banks meet daily to settle their accounts with each other.

A bank is constantly receiving from its customers, particularly those that are shipping products to other localities, drafts and checks drawn on banks in other cities, which it usually sends for deposit to a few correspondent banks in the central cities with which it maintains permanent accounts. In this way these scattered credits are consolidated and the bank draws upon these accounts in supplying customers with the means of making payments away from home. As each local community sells and buys about the same amount abroad in the course of a year, these payments largely offset each other. It is evident that the banks are very intimately related to the trade and industry of a country. The banker is a dealer in credit much more than a dealer in money, and of course his own credit must be above question. He exchanges his credit for the credits acquired by the customers, and lends credit for their accommodation, but he must conduct the business with such judgment that he can always meet his own obligations with cash on demand. This is the essential thing about bank credit, that it shall always be the same as cash."

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

V.—E. P. Ripley

On Relations of Railroads and People

The industrial leaders of this nation are talking to the public face to face through the columns of this paper. The time was when if a corporation had anything to say to the people they sent a hired hand, whispered it through a lawyer or employed a lobbyist to explain it to the legislature, but the men who know and the men who do are now talking over the fence to the man who plows.

When the leading business men of this nation get "back to the soil" with their problems, strife and dissension will disappear, for when men look into each other's faces and smile there is a better day coming.

Mr. E. P. Ripley, president of the Santa Fe Railroad, when asked to give his views in reference to relations existing between the railroad and the public said in part:

"Frequently we hear statements to the effect that these relations are improving, that the era of railroad baiting has passed and that public sentiment now favors treating the railroads fairly. As yet this change in public sentiment, if any such there be, is not effective in results.

It is true that in the legislatures of the southwestern states during the past winter there were fewer unreasonable and unreasoning laws passed than usual, but a consideration of the hostile bills introduced shows that there is still reason for much disquiet even though they were defeated by more or less of a majority.

Moreover, the idea that the railroads have been harshly treated does not seem to prevail in the offices of the State Railroad Commissions which seem to cherish a notion that their business is not to act as an arbitrator between the railroads and the people, but which proceed on the theory that the railroads are able to take care of themselves and that their duty is to act as attorney for the people even though in so doing they deny justice to the railroads. It requires no argument to demonstrate that the railroads are entitled to justice equally with other citizens and taxpayers. That they have not received it and are not receiving it is perfectly susceptible of proof. That they have practically no recourse in the courts has also been determined.

The situation therefore is that the people, through their representatives, must elect whether the services of the railroads shall be adequately compensated or not; and it requires no fortune teller or soothsayer to predict that in the long run the service will take the class that is paid for and no better.

The natural competition between the railroads and the natural desire to perform first-class service has heretofore resulted in giving the public much more than it was willing to pay for. Continuation of this will be impossible and no laws, however drastic, can long accomplish the impossible."

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

VI.—F. C. Howe

On The Advantages of Free Ports

Mr. F. C. Howe, Federal Commissioner of Immigration, who is one of the best American authorities on marine commerce, in discussing the relation of free ports to the development of sea trade said in part:

"Ships will go hundreds of miles out of their way to avoid ports surrounded by a tariff wall. The only way, therefore, for a country with a tariff to compete in the shipping world with a free trade country is to establish free ports at strategical points along its coast line. Germany has done so, and in a comparatively short period has built up a carrying trade which before the war was seriously threatening England's supremacy. Hamburg, one of the three German free ports, now ranks as the second greatest seaport in the world, its total foreign commerce in 1913 being only $6,000,000 under that of New York.

The free port would offer great opportunity for financial operations, now made possible by the recent currency act. It would stimulate international banking, and would tend to shift the financial center of the world to this country. And America, by the logic of events, has become the natural center for the world's financing, just as London became that center several centuries ago, when it shifted from the cities of the Netherlands. But the financial center will only move to this country when it becomes a clearing house of goods as well as of money. For credit the world over is created by currently created wealth in transit or change so that even our financial expansion is dependent upon the opening up of American ports to the clearance of the wealth of the world. A port should not operate to yield a return on the investment, but to develop the prosperity of the country." In recapitulating the advantages, Mr. Howe brings out the importance of the free port in [illegible] our shipping, and linking us with South America, Asia and Africa, and [illegible] concludes:

"[illegible] most important gain is the direct gain to America. It will cheapen [illegible] by bringing great quantities of goods to our doors for importation [illegible] trade demand. It will stimulate the growth of exporting [illegible] for an indefinite period without the payment of [illegible] for disposal to meet [illegible] upbuild international credit, [illegible] and ultimately a predominant share in [illegible]

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WE AIM TO PLEASE

Come! Come! Come!

A Lunch and Entertainment will be given at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Anderson, Sunday afternoon Oct. 3rd, 1915, for the purpose of raising a fund for China Mission. Mesdames Mickelson, Nohre, Anderson and Docken will be the hostesses. A cordial invitation is extended to one and all to attend. Come and help a good cause.

New Settler Arrives.

Mr. J. M. Swan, of near Willmar, has purchased the John Stensrud farm 1 mile east of town and will move on there in a few days. Mr. Swan arrived here on last Wednesday to do some repairing on the buildings and otherwise get things in shape for the winter. As soon as possible he will bring his family household goods and stock.

We are pleased to see new people coming in, as the farm homes could easily be doubled and yet there would be room for more. This section is admirably adapted to diversified farming and dairying and there is no portion of Northern Minnesota better drained, more fertile or capable of higher development than the country surrounding Holt.

The farmers are the busy people these days.

The Marshall Co. fair will be held the first three days of next week.

Jno. Johnson and Art Brotten went to Mud Lake Wednesday to build a granary for Axell Nelson.

Ernest Hollis, of Monica, Ill. who bought the Fred Johnson place last year, came here last Saturday to look after his farming interests.

Davidson Bros. have recently completed a 126 foot well on the H. B. Young farm, north of town. The boys struck a good vein and got a raise of about 100 feet.

Peter Haglund, north of Roseau got an average of 45 bushels of wheat from seven acres and his neighbor Peter Nystrom threshed 44 bushels to the acre.—Roseau County Times.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanberg of Thief River Falls were here Saturday looking for a house to rent. Mr. Sanberg has entered the employment of the Winton-Nichols Lumber Co., as their agent here.

Olaus Rodahl and Jno. Hagbeag put a cement floor in the basement of the school house in Dist. No. 61 last week and expect to commence building the bridge across Thief River in East Valley township, some day this week.

D. Payne has recently sold Chas. Schwartz a carload of lumber for a barn which the latter will build this fall. The barn will be 34 x 60 with 12 foot posts on a seven foot solid stone wall three foot thick. Mr. Schwartz is a No. 1, farmer and we are glad to note this evidence of prosperity on his part.

Arvid Carlson has moved his household goods to Newfolden this week and will soon be settled in their new home. Mr. Carlson has been in business in Holt for the past five years and have proven to be a hustler. His courteous and obliging ways have helped to win the large patronage the firm has enjoyed. Holt regrets loosing this esteemable family, but Holt's loss will be Newfolding's gain.

A. L. Carlson, who is [illegible] liked, will still run the store here in Holt. A. L. is a successful merchant and every customer will receive the same courteous and Square Deal they have heretofore enjoyed.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday Services.

Forenoon.

11:00 o'clock. Rev. Larson will preach in Norwegian. All invited.

Afternoon.

2:00 o'clock Sunday School

Evening.

7:30. Young People's Meeting. Good music and program to which all are cordially invited.

Mrs. R. L. Olson entertains the Ladies Aid Thursday Sept. 30th, in the church basement. All invited.

Thief River Falls Auto Tour.

The Thief River Falls Commercial Club arrived in our little burg on schedule time Tuesday morning.

There were 21 auto loads and as they swung around forming a line three abreast, it was indeed a pretty sight. Their band gave a fine selection and after handshaking and with a good feeling toward all, the Commercial Boosters, as each auto's number was called, started forward to meet the citizens of Middle River, Strathcona, Greenbush, Badger, Fox, Roseau, Karlstad and Newfolden.

Well may Thief River Falls be proud of their Club which solicits the co-oporation of each town in the work of developing and furthering the best interest of each locality.

Holt extends a willing hand to cooporate with the club to work for the common weal, and there will always be a standing invitation for the club to visit our progressive town again sometime in the future.

Northeast of Holt

Hilma Nyberg spent Sunday with her cousin Betty Johnson.

Miss Betty Johnson called at G. P. Sorter's Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Christianson called on Mrs. Dovre Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Ed Horien and son Edgar, Misses Betty Johnson and Hilma Nyberg called at O. P. Dovre's Sunday afternoon.

Hjalmer and Carl Johnson callled at C. W. Christianson Sunday evening.

Lizzie Hanson called on Betty Johnson Thursday afternoon.

Betty Johnson spent Friday and Saturday with Lydia Reisberg at Holt.

Mrs. Anna Sorter, Lizzie Hanson and Henry Grondahl spent Sunday afternoon at Johnson's.

Miss Betty Johnson left for [illegible]den, Sunday, where she will teach school this coming year.

Quite a number were present at the choir practice at T. O. Dovre's Sunday evening.

School commenced in District No. 59, Monday.

Mrs. B. L. Backe returned Tuesday from several days visit with her mother and sister in Thief River Falls.

A. L. Carlson autoed with Mrs Arvid Carlson to Newfolden Wednesday evening. Mrs Arvid who is highly esteemed by her many friends here, regret to see her leave our midst. However, abundant good wishes of her friends for success and happiness in her new home will follow her.

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KNIFE IS THE BEST WEAPON

Training of Infantry on the Continent Hereafter Will Include Hand-to-Hand Fighting.

Today the defense stands pat on earthworks, wire and machine guns. The attack has tried gas, petrol, bayonets, siege artillery, field artillery, grenades and mines, and has come out, generally speaking, second best. Trench mortars have not developed the requisite accuracy nor the requisite destructive power. High-explosive shells in sufficient quantities have accomplished the best offensive work, and the infantry is depending more and more on a short, heavy knife, which is the best for work underground or in the dark. To sum up: killing the defenders of a position is accomplished by shells fired at least two miles away on the average; and, secondly, by what the French call body-to-body fighting, for which a knife is the best weapon. The training of infantry on the continent will, in the future, undoubtedly include the technique of hand-to-hand struggles—for which physical agility and strength must be developed.—New Republic.

Defined.

Harry—Paw, what is a henpecked husband?

Paw—A man whose nerve is in his wife's name.

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GREEK STEAMER IS DESTROYED AT SEA

ATHINIA, WHICH SAILED FROM NEW YORK, BURNED—ORIGIN OF FIRE UNKNOWN.

ONLY ONE PASSENGER LOST

Wireless Report Says 408 Rescued by Steamer Tuscania and 61 Others by Roumanian Prince—Vessel Owned by Company in Greece.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 21.—The Greek steamer Athinai was destroyed by fire at sea with the loss of one life, according to a message received by the marine department. The steamer Tuscania rescued 408 passengers and members of the crew and the steamer Roumania Prince 61 others.

The message from the Tuscania was dated at 7 a. m. and was the first official word received from the liner since the wireless report that the Athinai was afire and the Tuscania had rescued the passengers. The origin of the fire was not stated in the message which read:

"Heard distress call at 8:30 a. m. Arrived on spot at noon and sent line across to help them. Transferred passengers about 4 p. m. Athinai was abandoned about 8:30 p. m. We rescued 408 passengers and crew and the Roumanian Prince rescued 61. There was only one life lost, that of a man who jumped overboard. We left the wreck burning fiercely in Nos. 1 and 2 holes at 10:30 p. m. Position, latitude 40.54 north, longitude 57.47 west."

The Athinai sailed from New York last Thursday. She carried 61 first, 47 second cabin and 213 steerage passengers. The others on board were members of the crew. The cargo consisted of considerable quantities of flour, coffee, cotton, rice and lubricating oil.

The Athinai was 6,742 tons gross and had an average speed of 16 knots. She was 430 feet long and 52 feet beam. The vessel was built in England in 1908 and was owned by the National Steam Navigation company of Greece.

SANG SONGS AS BOMBS FELL

Americans Arriving from London Tell of Air Raid by Giant Zeppelins—Place Dead at 38 to 50.

New York, Sept. 21.—Londoners sang "Tipperary" as they poured out of the theaters on the night of Sept. 8 to watch a giant Zeppelin, picked out against the sky by long white shafts from the searchlights, drop bombs on the heart of the metropolis of the world. Anger, not fear, was the dominating note in London that night.

This was the story brought here by Americans on three liners, the first ships to arrive since the German raiders bombarded the city.

The estimates of the passengers placed the dead at from 38 to 50, with damage of more than $10,000,000. The Zeppelins, they said, flew from 8,000 to 10,000 feet high above the very heart of the city.

The returning Americans brought with them one of the most graphic stories of the war.

An incendiary bomb destroyed by fire an entire block of warehouses within five minutes' walk of St. Paul's church, arrivals on the steamship Orduna said.

SLEEPER DERAILED; 5 HURT

Accident to Illinois Traction System Train Is Caused by Dropping of Break Beam.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 21.—Five persons were injured, one of them seriously, when the Peoria sleeper on an Illinois traction system train from St. Louis to Peoria turned over at Woodside, five miles south of this city. The injured are:

Benjamin F. Goldstein, Peoria, abrasion side of heads; W. K. Young, St. Louis, right ankle injured; G. M. Mueller, St. Louis, abrasion on left knee; C. D. Robinson, bruised; Carl Parkes, St. Louis, three ribs broken and internal injuries.

The accident was caused by the dropping of a break beam which threw the car over on its side. The sleeper was the last car on the train. The first two cars remained on the track.

Big Italian Volcanoes Active.

Paris, Sept. 21.—Multiple eruptions of the Italian volcanoes are now occurring, says a dispatch from Rome. Vesuvius, Etna and Stromboli are all active, a singular phenomena never before recorded. None of the eruptions, however, is of a character to cause alarm.

Ireland May Be Cardinal.

Rome, Sept. 20.—Because of the difficulties that foreign cardinals would encounter in coming to Rome, the pope has intended not to hold another consistory until the war is over, but owing to vacancies in the Sacred college, the idea of a consistory is again rumored in Vatican circles. It is being suggested the pope will not create cardinals belonging to the belligerent countries, but appoint only those living in Rome or neutral countries. In this case, it said Archbishop Ireland of America may be included.

CHRYSTAL MACMILLAN

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Chrystal MacMillan of Edinburgh, Scotland, secretary of the international committee of women for permanent peace, has come to the United States as an envoy from the International Congress of Women to enlist the aid of our government in efforts to stop the great war.

RUSSIANS SINK TURK FLEET

DESTROY VESSELS LADEN WITH MUNITIONS OF WAR.

Dvinsk and Vilna Are Threatened by German Armies, According to Petrograd Dispatch.

Seabastopol, Russia, Sept. 20.—(via London.)—Official announcement was made here that Russian torpedo boats had sunk an entire fleet of sailing vessels laden with munitions of war near Sinope, a seaport of Asia Minor on the Black sea. The crews of the vessels were taken prisoners.

London, Sept. 18.—A Reuter dispatch from Petrograd says:

"The fate of Vilna hangs in the balance. The latest letters received from there state that cannonading is heard without interruption day and night. Bomb dropping aeroplanes are constant visitors. Three of them have been brought down recently.

"The evacuation of government institutions has been completed and factories are being removed. Thousands of workmen already have left. The supply of sugar has been exhausted and the price of various commodities has doubled. Newspapers have suspended publication."

Field Marshal von Hindenburg's army now is well astride the Dvinsk-Vilna railway, his advance guards having reached and occupied the town of Vidzy, which is a good 20 miles east of the line. This wedge, which the German commander has driven into Russia's defense, seriously endangers both Dvinsk and Vilna.

DENIES BLAME FOR FIGHT

Carranza Consul Disclaims Responsibility for Two Battles With United States Soldiers in Brownsville.

Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 20.—Carranza officials have disclaimed all responsibility for the two battles near here between Mexicans and American soldiers.

The first fight, which occurred a short distance from Brownsville, resulted in the wounding of one Mexican. During its progress a crowd of Mexicans appeared at General Nafarrete's headquarters in Matamoros and asked for guns with which to fight the Americans. They were refused.

The scene of the second fight was the Donna pumping plant. It was in the late afternoon and continued for several minutes. Two Carranzista officers finally appeared on the opposite bank of the river and ordered the Mexicans to cease firing. It is reported that 17 Mexicans were slightly wounded in this engagement, although this had not been confirmed.

Both American and Carranzista consuls have entered protests of the action of the others' countrymen.

Seeks "Sentiment to Aid U. S."

Washington, Sept. 20.—W. J. Bryan has announced that he has taken under advisement a suggestion from editors of foreign language newspapers published in America that he make a trip to Europe as a private peace envoy to the warring powers. In a statement to a committee of the editors, who had urged him to undertake the task, Mr. Bryan indicated that he might visit neutral European countries in the hope of finding there sentiment to aid America in "the maintaining of neutrality and the prevention of preparedness.

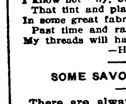
Expect Light Hemlock Cut.

Milwaukee, Sept. 20.—The hemlock lumber cut in the northern woods of Wisconsin and Michigan the coming winter will be the lightest in many years, according to an announcement made at a meeting of the Hemlock Lumber Manufacturers' association. Hemlock lumber men are over-supplied, it was said. The increasing inroads of Canadian yellow pine and fir pine were blamed for the condition. Free admission of Canadian lumber to the United States makes the reduction in the cut necessary.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

I know not why, but I am sure
  That tint and place
In some great fabric to endure
  Past time and race
My threads will have.
  —Helen Hunt Jackson.

SOME SAVORY TOASTS.



There are always pieces of bread that may be utilized as toast, making appetizing dishes. A most tasty sandwich for supper is this—cut bread in thin slices, spread with butter and on a thin slice of cheese, cover with another slice of bread and fry in a little hot butter until the bread is brown.

Cheese Toast.—This is another way of serving toast with cheese. Mix a cupful of grated cheese, with a dash of mustard, a half teaspoonful of salt, a tablespoonful of butter and a pinch of cayenne. Heat carefully to a smooth paste and spread on toast. Place the toast in the oven to get thoroughly hot. Serve hot.

Cinnamon toast is liked by the children. Toast bread, butter it, and sprinkle with a mixture of sugar and cinnamon.

Cream Toast.—This old fashioned dish is so well known that it hardly needs mention. Melt in a double boiler two tablespoonfuls of butter, add the same amount of flour, and when bubbling hot stir in slowly a cupful of milk. Season with salt and stir until well cooked. Thin cream will make a more delicious sauce. Toast the bread, dip the edges in hot water to soften, spread with butter and pour over the white sauce. Serve in a deep dish and have the sauce well cover the heaped up toast.

Salmon Toast.—Cut some smoked salmon or halibut or any rich smoked fish in thin slices, arrange on squares of toast and sprinkle with pepper. Put into the oven to get hot, cover with greased paper to keep from burning. Serve very hot.

Buttered bread toasted in the oven and cut in small squares is a good accompaniment to soup or cut in points and used as a garnish for many dishes. It adds to the appearance of the dish. Narrow strips of toast an inch wide and three inches long served with the salad course, is another way of serving it.

For breakfast there is nothing more appetizing than a crisp well buttered piece of toast which may be served with a poached egg on top or simply buttered.

If we never saw the contrast that
  there is 'tween sun and rain;
If we never knew the difference that
  there is 'tween joy and pain;
How could we prize the beauty of a
  sunlit summer day,
Or know half the glowing pleasure of
  an hour that's free and gay?

A COLLECTION OF MUFFINS.

Delicious hot cakes are universally liked. The following are a few that one will enjoy trying.

Prune Muffins.—Cream a half cupful of butter with a fourth of a cupful of sugar; add a beaten egg. Sift together two cupfuls of flour, three teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt, and add to the first mixture alternately with three-fourths of a cupful of milk. Stir in a cupful of stewed, stoned prunes which have been cut in pieces. Bake in warm, buttered muffin pans.

Virginia Muffins.—Sift two cupfuls of flour with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one teaspoonful of salt and a fourth of a cupful of sugar. Add a fourth of a cupful of melted butter, one egg, well beaten and a cupful of seeded raisins. Stir to a smooth batter with a cupful of milk and bake in hot muffin pans, well buttered.

Rice Muffins.—Sift three cupfuls of flour with four teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one teaspoonful of salt, and two-thirds of a cupful of sugar. Add two eggs well beaten, two-thirds of a cupful of cooked rice, one-half a cupful of melted shortening, three-fourths of a cupful of currants, and one and a third cupfuls of water. Mix well and bake in hot, buttered muffin pans.

Cheese Muffins.—These are good to serve with a salad. Sift two cupfuls of flour with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one teaspoonful of salt, and a fourth of a cupful of sugar. Add one-fourth of a cupful of melted butter, one beaten egg, one-fourth of a cupful of grated cheese, and a cupful of milk. Stir and bake in well-buttered pans.

Bacon cooked and broken in bits may be added to the above recipe, (using less shortening) in the place of the cheese.

Nellie Maxwell

New Cause for Worry.

An Indiana man claims to have invented a photographic machine that will take an object at a distance of two miles, on a dark night. There will be no escaping the snapshot fiend armed with that frightful camera.—Providence Journal.

Effect of Powerful Shell.

When a 12-inch shell strikes the water it throws up a "splash" higher than a battleship's mast. This "splash" weighs about 2,000 tons, enough to drown a small ship.

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Some people do odd things in trying to get even.

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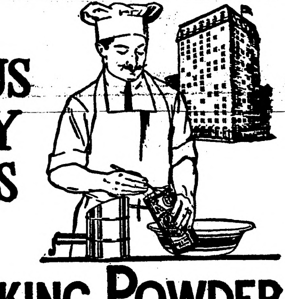

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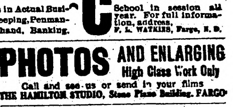

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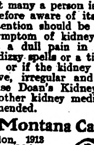

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STATE BREVITIES

Brainerd.—At the Mission Lake Farmers' club harvest home picnic C. E. Brown, of Elk River, spoke on "The Needs of a Potato Market."

Swanville.—The Morrison county Sunday school convention was held here. State Secretary Locker and department officers were present.

Rush City.—The 44th annual Chisago county fair was held in Rush City. Aeroplane flights and a racing program were presented. Special trains were run from all nearby towns each day.

Bemidji.—Nymore, a suburb of this city, may be annexed to Bemidji. Business men of both places favor the proposition and at a meeting of the city council of Bemidji, a committee was appointed to take the matter up with the village officials of Nymore.

St. Paul.—While the harvest of corn in Minnesota this year will yield not more than half of a normal crop, that which will be gathered will net the farmers a fortune in good sound seed, according to Albert F. Woods, director of the department of agriculture, University of Minnesota.

Duluth.—Fred E. Ganzaw, 57 years old, assistant chief of the Duluth fire department, was killed when a motor truck on which he was riding collided with a touring car while making a rapid run to a small fire in West Duluth. The touring car belongs to R. F. Cochran of Cloquet.

Faribault.—The vestry of the Cathedral of Our Merciful Saviour has arranged for the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the coming of Major William Milligan to Faribault. In all the years since, Milligan has been connected with the cathedral or St. Mary's hall, both of which he helped to build.

Madelia.—Edna Hall, 9-year-old daughter of A. M. Hall, was burned fatally by the flames from a gasoline lamp. She attempted to turn down the wick, but turned it up instead. Frightened, she picked up the lamp and started for the doorway to throw it outside. Her face, hands and neck were burned.

Duluth.—Suspicion that the steamer Onoko was destroyed by agents of the German-Austrian alliance, because the wheat was for export to England, is discredited here. Captain John Monaghan, government inspector of hulls here, declares that in his opinion the sinking was due to the breaking of a plate under the floor of the engine. The plate, he says was eaten away by rust.

Mankato.—Lack of confidence in banks has cost August Weigelt $700. He became suspicious about 10 days ago and drew out his money. When he went to the cellar one day after an absence in town and looked for the pail in which he had placed the money, it was gone. The officials do not know whom to suspect, unless it is some person who induced him to withdraw his money from the bank.

Osseo.—Directors of the State bank want $900 for the automobile belonging to the bank, which was wrecked and burned while driven by S. F. Nelson of Minneapolis, assistant bank examiner. They have served notice on A. H. Turrittin, state superintendent of banks, that they consider the car worth $900 and want that sum paid into the bank's cash drawer.

Minneapolis, Minn.—With prompt acceptance of Mayor Nye's challenge to produce facts to support his assertions concerning "blind pigs" in Minneapolis the Rev. J. M. Cleary, rector of the Church of the Incarnation, gave out a statement in which he offered to give names and addresses of 265 places in Minneapolis which could not be accounted for on a legal basis.

Duluth, Minn.—Two judges, both claiming to be the duly authorized instrument of the law, kept the municipal courtroom in an uproar while jurors and lawyers looked on perplexed, and a crowd of curious spectators enjoyed the spectacle. Judge Windom, who claims to be the "holdover" judge, rapped with his gavel for order. Judge Smallwood appointed to fill the "vacancy" by Governor Hammond, not to be outdone, used his crutch for the same purpose.

Duluth, Minn.—The steamer Onoko, belonging to the Steinbrenner interests in Cleveland, O., loaded with 111,000 bushels of wheat, consigned to Buffalo, by the Capitol Elevator company, sank while off Knife Island, about 14 miles out of Duluth, almost without a moment's warning. None of the crew was lost. Captain Dunn reported to G. A. Tomlinson, agent of the Onoko at this point, that he did not know the cause of the vessel's sinking.

St. Paul.—George H. Hazzard, as secretary of the Minnesota Pioneers' association, now believes that all differences of opinion between his association and the State Fair association will be adjusted, and that the Log Cabin at the State Fair will be open next year as usual. The opinion is based upon a recent conference Mr. Hazzard had with C. P. Craig of the State Fair association, and upon a letter received from E. W. Murphy of the board of managers of the fair.

Buffalo, Minn.—His skull crushed, and his feet and hands securely tied with telephone wire, the body of C. E. Vern Bergman, former Minneapolis jitney bus driver, was found half covered with leaves and brush in a lonely wood six miles northeast of Buffalo. The body, which evidently had been there for about two weeks, was found by a boy. Mystery surrounds the crime, and no motive is known. The man's money and valuables were intact, and so far as known, he had no enemies. Theft of his Ford car, which is missing, is the only motive suggested by the known circumstances.

Bemidji.—Forty thousand acres

FOR RURAL SCHOOL WEEK IN OCTOBER

STATE SUPERINTENDENT INVITES SUGGESTIONS FROM COUNTY EDUCATORS.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.—

To bring the rural schools in closer touch with the remainder of the state's educational system, C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education, is arranging for a "rural school week," October 11 to 16.

He has addressed notices to the county superintendents inviting their assistance and suggestions.

"The five normal schools, the University of Minnesota, the college of education, the school of agriculture and the inspectors and assistants in this department," said Mr. Schulz, "have arranged to give their services to visiting rural schools under direction of the county superintendents."

The objects of this suggested cooperative visiting are to offer support of the educational institutions and state department to the rural schools to establish a closer relationship and to observe conditions in the rural schools with a view of such changes and betterment as a study of this kind may suggest.

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To Organize Boosters.

Governor Hammond has a plan to cement into one organization the various booster elements of Minnesota.

He said he expects to call his proposed development meeting in St. Paul as soon as possible after the county fairs have closed, probably in October or November.

"At present there are booster organizations in all sections of the state," he said. "There should be some way in which they could work together. My idea is to have the organizations send representatives here.

"Each man will know definitely what his particular section of the state needs. Then when they are assembled let suggestions be made. When these are all received let the conferees get together and concentrate their efforts on those things which will aid in the development of the state as a whole.

"As a result the attention of the 1917 Legislature should be called to what is needed most over the whole state in the way of development."

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To Discuss Health Needs.

"The Newer Public Health and Minnesota Health Needs" will be discussed by Governor Hammond and President Vincent of the university at the state sanitary conference and public health convention at Rochester, September 29. A call announcing the importance of the sanitary conference, issued by Governor Hammond, points to the death of 1,830 people in Minnesota during the past year from preventable diseases.

"Clean Milk," as a means of preventing the spread of disease, will be one of the leading topics of the convention. Dr. R. W. Archibald of Winona will tell how his city solved the problem of obtaining clean milk.

Dr. A. T. Laird, superintendent of the Nopeming sanitarium, will talk on "Community Control of Tuberculosis;" Miss Alma Wrestling, school nurse at Albert Lea, will discuss school and municipal health nursing.

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State May Enter Fight.

The state's legal department may take a hand in the fight over the municipal judgeship in Duluth to settle whether Judge W. L. Windom or Judge W. H. Smallwood is the legal incumbent.

Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith said he is studying the statutes to see if he cannot bring quo warranto proceedings in the supreme court to summon both judges there and have them show by what warrant they expect to hold the municipal judgeship.

Judge Windom clings to the bench with the argument that he is judge until his successor has been elected and qualified.

Judge Smallwood argues that he is the judge because the Governor appointed him to the office.

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For Teachers' Pension Fund.

Answering an inquiry from State Auditor J. A. O. Preus, Assistant Attorney General W. J. Stevenson has ruled that all taxable property in the state outside the three cities of the first class, which have their own systems for teachers' pensions, is liable for the tax of one-twentieth of a mill for the state teachers' pension fund.

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Would Abolish Boards.

Abolition of the state Drainage Commission, the state Board of Immigration, the Board of Audit and the position of clerk of government surveys was recommended by Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state, to the Efficiency and Economy Commission which has sent letters to the heads of all departments asking suggestions. Mr. Schmahl recommends that the licensing of chauffeurs be separated from his department, and that the issuances of such licenses be made by a state civil service commission.

What to Do for Itching Skins

Eczema, ringworm and other itching, burning skin eruptions are so easily made worse by improper treatment, that one has to be very careful. There is one method, however, that you need not hesitate to use, even on a baby's tender skin—that is, the resinol treatment. Resinol is the prescription of a Baltimore doctor, put up in the form of resinol ointment and resinol soap. This proved so remarkably successful, that thousands of other physicians have prescribed it constantly for 20 years.

Resinol stops itching instantly, and almost always heals the eruption quickly and at little cost. Resinol ointment and resinol soap can be bought at any druggist's, and are not at all expensive.

VIOLINS IN BANK VAULTS

Maker Says 20 Instruments Will Be Worth $5,000 Each in Future.

In the vaults of the Mercantile Trust and Deposit company, where thousands of dollars' worth of securities and other valuables have been placed for safe keeping, twenty or more violins of all descriptions have been packed carefully away by their owner in the hope that some day they will make him independently rich, a Baltimore dispatch to the Philadelphia Record states.

The owner is Frank Della Torre of 1629 North Calvert street, prominent in society. The instruments do not represent much value now, but 20 years hence, the owner says, there isn't an instrument among them that will bring less than $4,000 or $5,000.

Della Torre now is in England. About eight months ago he was called to Europe on business, and has been there ever since. But for months before he sailed he occupied his time in collecting all kinds of violins and remaking them. In this sort of work he is remarkably skillful. But it is the old violin that produces the tone which appeals to the trained ear of the musician and commands high prices. Twenty years hence, it is believed, violins of Della Torre will be classed with the best instruments to be found in America.

Libel on the Bagpipe.

All English battalions were recently warned to keep a careful watch for any contrivances which the Germans might use with the object of producing poisonous gases. Shortly afterward a certain regiment on taking over some trenches found an old bagpipe left in the lines. At once the colonel, who possessed a rare sense of humor, sent the following message to brigade headquarters: "A weird instrument has just been discovered in my trenches; it is believed to be used for producing asphyxiating noises."

When a girl goes around boasting of the number of men who have made love to her it's a sign they didn't ask her to marry.

This Gem of Irish Wit.

Lieut. "Andy" Rohan, who was at his best when, on a dull and quiet evening in the headquarters at the old city hall, he gathered about him the night police reporters and told them stories of his youth and Ireland, told this one to his friend, "Matty" White:

"When I left Ireland, this manny a year ago, a lad in brogans and top hat, my mither came to the dock and she wept and wept at my going away. 'Never mind, mither mine,' says I. 'Amerikky is a land o' gold and opportunities. In a year I'll come back to ye—I h.' But I didn't. I didn't have annybody to go back to. My mither was here keepin' house for us seven lads, and every one of us was travelin' out o' the same station."—Chicago Herald.

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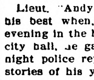

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Ignorance of Real Value of Fabric Plays Buyer Into Hand of Merchant.

That fashion and not intrinsic value skyrockets the price of fancy weaves was recently acknowledged by a cotton manufacturer, Beatrice Denison writes in Good Housekeeping. He was speaking of "gaberdine," the season's favorite.

"Why, do you know," he said, "it's the same old imitation cotton serge that we've been making and selling to retailers in small towns in the South and West for years? It never would 'go' in the large cities, but now that it's been given this new French name of the woolen goods so popular this spring, we can't make enough of it. Naturally, when the supply gets short, the price goes up. It's our chance—and the retailer's—and we both take it." This is an excellent illustration of the way in which ignorance of the real value of a fabric plays the buyer into the hand of the merchant.

Result of Operation.

Author—My characters were all taken from life.

Critic—That explains why they're dead ones.

Art, as construed by the magazines, appears to be a picture of a woman wearing only one or two articles of clothing.

The Alternative.

"Please may I keep my book till Monday?" asked the small voice of a small boy the other day over the tall counter of a London public library.

"Why do you want to keep it?" said the librarian.

"Because I ain't finished it," said the little fellow.

"How long will it take you to finish it?" quoth the librarian.

"An hour," said the boy.

"Well," said the librarian, "it is Saturday night, but we do not close for two hours. Go home and finish the book and bring it back."

The boy thought hard, and the librarian said:

"Can't you do that?"

"No," he said, "I can't do that, because if I go home I'll get a bath!"

Patient Knew Himself.

"You haven't any serious or organic trouble," said the young physician, cheerfully. "You're a little nervous and run down, that's all. Take more exercise, eat less and forget your troubles."

The hypochondriac snorted. "Young man," he demanded, his voice shaking, "how long have you been a doctor?"

"I took my degree three years ago," answered the medico.

"And I am an invalid of 25 years' experience. Who are you to disagree with me?"—Brooklyn Eagle.

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P. A. Riesberg has sold his gas tractor to Aug. Hoffman.

A. J. Jones was an over Sunday visitor with his family in Crookson.

Sam Mickelson came over from Warren Saturday for a short visit with his family.

Chas. McLean will have an auction sale Oct. 2nd. 1915, of horses, cattle and machinery.

C. H. Gunheim autoed out east of Thief River Falls, Wednesday, where his threshing rig is at work.

L. S. Kolden has recently erected a fine granary on the quarter that he got of Mr. Sollom last spring.

Miss Anna Sunnott of Stephen came last Saturday to teach in one of the rooms in district No. 59

Mrs. Jno. A. Thompson's motner, little sister and brother came from their home in Missouri, last week Wednesday for a ten days visit at the home of the former.

Johnnie Alkenbrack has purchased a lot with house and barn on it in Tolly N. D. Johnnie says he has all the work he can do up to Christmas. His many friends are pleased to hear of his success.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bakke of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and C. Docken spent a pleasant time at H. B. Young's Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg went to Roseau Wednesday to attend the Roseau Co., fair and visit relatives and friends near there, whom they have not seen since coming to this country, more than 25 years ago.

Oswald Lind county engineer, of Warren and a couple of helpers have been here this week surveying the state road between here and Middle River. It is hoped that the road work will now be done without unneccessary delay, as it will soon be too late to work the roads

Wednesday a New York street car with 78 passengers aboard, plunged 30 feet into a new subway and six people were killed and fifty injured. The props that held the street up were knocked out by a charge of dynamite which was being used in constructing the new subway.

Optimistic Thought.

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A new fifty thousand bushel elevator is being built in Red Lake Falls.

A new set of library books arrived Tuesday and are free to all,—at the Holt State Bank.

Mr. Sanberg came here yesterday and entered upon his duties as agent for the Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

Wm. Wendt threshed 160 bu. of Marquis wheat off of less than 4 acres of his farm in Mud Lake township.

France and England have about closed a deal for almost a billion dollar war loan from monied interests of this country.

Next Thursday Thief River Falls will vote on a proposition to buy the dam and water power, and to issue $38,000.00 bonds for that purpose.

It is almost certain that Bulgaria has entered the war on the side of Turkey and Germany. If this proves to be true, probably Greece and Roumania will join the entente allies.

The trouble between the U. S. and Germany is quieting down, but Uncle Sam still has a bone to pick with Johnny Bull about stopping our shipments to other countries. Also the Mexican situation seems a little quieter at present.

Great Britian's war is costing $25000000 daily and they have decided to tax all incomes 40 per cent down to the poor working man who receives as low as $14.00 a week in wages. Every thing else is being taxed in proportion, except spirits and beer, and Free Trade has been knocked into a cocked hat.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Sept. 17, '15. Notice is hereby given that Paul Peterson of Golden Valley, Minn., who on Mar. 2, 1912, made Homestead Application, No. 07398, for W 1-2 NE 1-4 Sec 22 T 156 N R. 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 26th day of Oct., 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Edwin C. Johnson, Melvin Olson, Clarence Larson and Benhard Larson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Aug. 12th, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Axel Nelson of Holt, Minn. who on May 6th 1910 made Homestead Entry No. 05221 for SE 1-4 SW 1-4 Section 27 and East 1-2 NW 1-4 Section 34, Township 150 N Ran. 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota on the 24th day of Sept. 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole M. Larson, A. C. Jahr, Clarence Knutson and John Knutson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Local Items

Send or tell us the news, please.

Albert Knutson was a business caller at Gatzke Tuesday.

B. L. Backe was a business caller at Grand Forks the fore part of the week.

J. Sorenson of Thief River Falls has been here this week, buying cattle.

Nils Engebretson and his brother Carl, autoed to T. R. Falls, Tuesday afternoon.

Sam Reierson and Thorval Kolden drove to Silverton, Friday, to work during threshing.

Rev. A. L. Larson will preach here, in Norwegian, at 11 o'clock next Sunday forenoon.

Henry Wendt drove to Newfolden Tuesday with a load of furniture for Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson.

Miss Martha Heng of Crookston came last Friday to teach in one of the rooms in district No. 59

Messrs P. L. Anderson, Jones, Huseth and Pevek autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday night.

A St. Bernard dog came to my place Monday Aug. 29th. Prove property and pay costs. W. A. Silbaugh.

There will be Norwegian services in the Free Mission church at 11 o'clock next Sunday morning, everybody invited.

Auction sales are becoming quite numerous again this fall, but the fever has'nt struck this immediate vicinity as yet.

John Olberg of Middle River and S. S. Kolden have bought three carloads of cattle, the past week, which they will ship Saturday.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet at the church Thursday Sept. 30th. Mrs. R. L. Olson will entertain. All are invited to attend.

Messrs Anderson and Kolden and the Misses Lydia and Edna Reisberg autoed over to Newfolden Tuesday evening to visit Carlson's new store.

The many friends of Miss Inez Alkenbrack will be pleased to hear that she is delighted with her High school work at Hopkins Minn. We predict a successful year for Inez.

Rev. Seltz held German services Sunday forenoon at 10:30, in the Free Mission church. He expects to preach here again in three weeks, (Oct. 10th), at the same hour and same place.

Ole Backlund had a bad break down on his auto Monday, when about 9 miles northeast of here and had to have it hauled into town. Mr. Backlund was obliged to send to Fargo for his repairs.

The Young People's Society of the Free Mission church, will meet at the church basement Sunday evening Sept. 26th. at 7:30 o'clock. A good program will be rendered. Every body Welcome.

B. Docken went to St. Paul Friday night, and while there Mr. Docken traded a quarter section of unimproved land in East Valley for a fine residence and several lots in the capital city this state and is now ready for a trade or cash deal with anyone who wants a good deal.

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Notice!

ESTRAY: Boar pig, color black, with white spots, came to my place Sept. 9th. Prove property, pay expenses of keeping and for this notice. Mrs T. T. Sollom.

INSPIRATION OF THE COUNTY FAIR

By Peter Radford.

When you enter the agricultural department of the county fair, you feel your soul uplifted and your life takes on a new power—that is the inspiration of the soil. You are overpowered by the grandeur and magnificence of the scene—that is the spirit of the harvest. You can hear the voice of nature calling you back to the soil—that is opportunity knocking at your door. It is a good chance to spend a quiet hour in contact with the purity and perfection of nature and to sweeten your life with its fragrance, elevate your ideals with its beauty and expand your imagination with its power.

These products as food are fit for the gods, and as an article of commerce they ought to bring tip-top prices on any market in the world.

The products of the soil are teachers and preachers as well. Their beauty gives human life its first entertainment, their perfection stirs the genius in artists; their purity furnishes models for growth of character and their marvelous achievements excite our curiosity and we inquire into the wonderful process of nature.

Before leaving the parlor of agriculture where nature is parading in her most graceful attire and science is climbing the giddy heights of perfection, let us pause and take a retrospective view. How many of you know that after these wonderful products are raised, they can seldom be marketed at a profit? Take the blushing Elberta, for example—they were fed to the hogs by the carload last year. The onion—the nation's favorite vegetable—every year rots by the acre in the Southwest for want of a market and as a result hundreds of farmers have lost their homes. Cotton—nature's capitalist—often goes begging on the market at less than cost of production.

It is great to wander through the exhibits while the band is playing "Dixie" and boast of the marvelous fertility of the soil and pride ourselves on our ability to master science, but it is also well to remember that there is a market side to agriculture that does not reflect its hardships in the exhibits at a county fair.

UNIVERSAL PEACE

This nation is now in the midst of a controversy as to how best to promote universal peace. That question we will leave for diplomats to discuss, but peace within nations is no less important than peace between nations and it is heavily laden with prosperity for every citizen within our commonwealth.

Many leading politicians and ofttimes political platforms have declared war upon business and no cabinet crisis ever resulted. Many men have stood in high places and hurled "gas bombs" at industry; thrust bayonets into business enterprises and bombarded agriculture with indifference. Party leaders have many times broken diplomatic relations with industry; sent political aviators spying through the affairs of business, and political submarines have sent torpedoes crushing into the destiny of commerce. During the past quarter of a century we have fought many a duel with progress, permitted many politicians to carry on a guerrilla warfare against civilization and point a pistol at the heart of honest enterprise.

No man should be permitted to cry out for universal peace until his record has been searched for explosives, for no vessel armed or laden with munitions of war should be given a clearance to sail for the port of Universal Peace. Let us by all means have peace, but peace, like charity, should begin at home.

GRASPING AT THE SHADOW

No man—especially if he is married—would deny woman any right she demands. Take the earth and give us peace, but why does woman long for the ballot?

When all is said and done, is not the selection of the butcher more important to the home than the election of a mayor; is not the employment of the dairyman a far more important event in the life of the children than the appointment of a postmaster; is not the selection of books for the family library more important than voting bonds for jail and court house? Why does woman lay aside the important things in life? Why leave the substance and grasp at the shadow?

Be it said to the credit of womanhood that it is not, as a rule, the woman who rocks the cradle that wants to cast the ballot; it is not the mother who teaches her children to say "Now I lay me down to sleep" that harangues the populace, it is not the daughter who hopes to reign as queen over a happy home that longs for the uniform of the suffragette. It is, as a rule, the woman who despises her nature, neglects her children and [illegible] motherhood that leads parades [illegible].

ANNUAL MEETING OF AMERICAN PLOWMEN

National Farmers' Union Renders Unselfish Service to Agriculture.

By Peter Radford.

The National Farmers' Union will hold its annual convention in Lincoln, Nebraska, on September seventh, and will round out the eleventh year of its activities in the interest of the American plowman. When that convention is called to order every farmer in America should pause and bow his head in honor of the men gathered there to render a patriotic and unselfish service to agriculture. That organization, born in the cotton fields of Texas, has grown until geographically it covers almost the whole of the United States and economically it deals with every question in which the welfare of the men who bare their backs to the summer sun are involved. It has battled for a better marketing system, rural credits, cheap money, diversification, scientific production, agricultural legislation and has carried on its work of education and co-operation in season and out.

The Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America brings the question of organization squarely before every farmer in this nation. Without organization the farmers can neither help themselves nor be helped by others and through organization and systematic effort all things are possible.

The farmers of the United States contribute more and get less from government than any other class of business. They have better securities and pay a higher rate of interest than any other line of industry. They market more products and have less to say in fixing the price than any other business and they get more political buncombe and less constructive legislation than any other class of people. The farmers can only acquire such influence in business, in government and in economics as will enable them to share equitably the fruits of their labor through organization and every farmer on American soil who desires to help himself and his fellow plowmen should rally around the Union.

POLITICAL GOSSIPS

When one class of people has anything to say, it has become largely the custom to make a political issue out of it instead of a friendly discussion, to print it in a law book instead of a newspaper and to argue it before a jury instead of to settle it in the higher courts of Common Sense. As a result, political agitators, political lawyers, political preachers and masculine women are powerful in politics and dissension, selfishness, intolerance and hysterics run rampant in public affairs, for when the low, damp, murky atmosphere of misunderstanding envelops public thought it breeds political reptiles, vermin, bugs and lice which the pure air of truth and the sunshine of understanding will choke to death.

We have too many self-appointed interpreters of industry who are incapable of grasping the fundamental principles of business and who at best can only translate gossip and add color to sensational stories. No business can stand upon error and might rules—right or wrong. No industry can thrive upon misunderstanding, for public opinion is more powerful than a King's sword.

Where prejudice, suspicion and class hatred prevail, power gravitates into the hands of the weak, for demagogues thrive upon dissension and statesmen sicken upon strife.

The remedy lies in eliminating the middleman—the political gossip—and this result can be accomplished by the managers of business sitting around the table of industry and talking it over with the people. Interchange of information between industries and the people is as necessary to success in business as interchange in commodities, for the people can only rule when the public understands. Away with political interpreters who summon evil spirits from their prison cells and loose them to prey upon the welfare of the people in the name of "My Country."

PHILIP

Philip, the Macedonian king, while drowsy with wine was trying a case and the prisoner after sentence was pronounced, exclaimed, "I appeal." "And to whom do you appeal?" inquired the astonished monarch. "I appeal from Philip drunk to Philip sober," replied the prisoner, and the king granted the request and at a rehearing gave the prisoner his liberty.

The people drowsy with the wine of discord ofttimes pronounce a verdict on public questions which they reverse in their more calm and deliberate moments. The next best thing to making no mistakes is to correct them.

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Wheat No. 4	.74
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WE AIM TO PLEASE

Local Items

Read the Holt Merc. Co. ads.

Send or tell us the news, please.

Sollom's store has a new lighting plant and it works fine.

Miss Edna Riesberg returned yesterday from Thief River Falls.

D. Payne unloaded a car of coal yesterday. This sounds like winter.

H. P. Oien of Shelly, visited his son Henry between trains Wednesday.

Chas. McLean's sale will be tomorrow (Saturday) and you should attend.

Ole Sollom of Reynodls, N. D., visited the Sollom families between trains Wednesday.

L. S. Kolden, of Nielsville, came yesterday to visit relatives and look after business interests.

Holt Merc. Co. has a full line of Sweaters that are sold below the regular wholesale prices.

Con Frisco came home from Warren Tuesday night and expects to move his family there where he has work.

Miss Amanda Mickelson went to Crookston, Wednesday, where she has a position in the agricultural school.

Racine Olson came home Wednesday from Dakota, where he has been running a threshing engine for some time.

Mr. Montgomery of Nebraska came Wednesday to visit at the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Werner.

John Hagberg has been obliged to take a few days vacation the past week on account of a mild attack of blood poisoning.

S. S. Kolden and John Olberg left Saturday for St. Paul, with three cars of cattle. Mr. Kolden returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christoferson moved, Saturday, from the rooms over Bennes' pool hall, into their residence in the north part of town.

Miss Edna Riesberg will commence clerking steady in Carlson's store next Monday morning. The work is getting to be too much for the boys and are obliged to have more help.

The Winton—Nichols Lumber Co. are putting up an office for their agents C. L. Sanberg. The building will be 14x16 and will make a nice comfortable office. You are invited to call and see them.

Now is the time to get your winter underwear. Holt Merc. Co. is putting out the regular 50c. heavy Fleeced Lined Men's underwear at only 37 1-2 c. Other grades and kinds are also as low in price.

There was a good attendance at the Young People's meeting Sunday evening and a good program was given. Over $8.00 was taken in from the entertainment and $9.00 from quilt. Hilmer Johnson was the lucky one to get the quilt.

Advance registrations at the State Agricultural School at Crookston show a big increase over last year which had the largest enrollment in its history. The tenth year opens with no changes in the faculty giving to the students the advantage of an experienced teaching staff. A special course in dressmaking will be offered girls beginning in October and in January. Full particulars regarding this work and the regular courses will be mailed anyone upon writing to the School.

Come! Come! Come!

A Lunch and Entertainment will be given at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Anderson, Sunday afternoon Oct. 3rd, 1915, for the purpose of raising a fund for China Mission. Mesdames Mickelson, Nohre, Anderson and Docken will be the hostesses. A cordial invitation is extended to one and all to attend. Come and help a good cause.

Ludvig Monson is painting the buildings on the Ole Ostby farm.

A. H. Huseth and Joe Marty were passengers for Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Chas. McLean will have an auction sale Oct. 2nd. 1915, of horses, cattle and machinery.

Miss Burndette Horlen returned Saturday from several months stay at Hilsboro, N. D.

S. Boersheim attended a meeting of his countrymen in Willmar, a couple of days last week.

It has been almost impossible to thresh much the past week on account of rainy and cloudy weather.

P. A. Riesberg and A. C. Jahr have commenced digging their potato crop and will store them on account of the low prices.

Holt Merc. Co. has just put in a big stock of window glass (all sizes) which they are selling far below the regular price you have been paying.

Mrs. B. Docken was a passenger for Thief River Falls Tuesday to be present on Thursday at the marriage of her sister Miss Olga to Dr. Robert Spinks of Remer, Minn.

Remember the lunch and entertainment at Alfred Anderson at 2:30 next Sunday afternoon. The money raised is to be put to a good cause in which all should be glad to help.

Blankets of all descriptions you will find at Holt Merc. Co's store. The regular 75c kind are being sold for only 49c. The other blankets are sold equally as low according to size and grade.

When you apply to St. Peter for admission into the celestial city, he is not likely to ask you what church you belonged to on earth, but what you have done for humanity. He will not care so much to learn how you stood on disputed questions of religious doctrine, as he will to learn how you honored your father and mother, how you treated your family, how much you applied the Golden Rule to your business and other every-day affairs of life, how often you helped the needy, relieved the distressed or compassionated the sick and bereaved, how generous and unselfish you have been in the support of agencies for the uplifting of the fallen and downtrodden.—Warren Register.

James Paulson, of the school board has purchased three coaches suitable for the conveying of children from the rural districts to the village consolidated schools.

One of the rigs have been fitted with a stove attachment for heating the coach and if satisfactory, each coach will be equipped with a warming device.

This insures comfortable conveyances for children in the very coldest weather and a pleasure to attend school, even if the thermometer should register 40 below.—Strandquist Tribune.

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WESTERN BANKERS TO DISCUSS LOAN

ANGLO-FRENCH COMMISSION AND EASTERNERS REACH VIRTUAL AGREEMENT.

AMOUNT TO BE HALF BILLION

If Western Bankers Are in Accordance With Tentative Plan Arranged, the Hugh Credit Program Will be Assured.

New York, Sept. 28.—The Anglo-French financial commission and eastern bankers have reached a virtual agreement on the details of the proposed half billion dollar credit loan to Great Britain and France. Four members of the commission will leave here at once for Chicago, to confer with Western bankers over the tentative terms.

Following is the details of the loan upon which the commission and the bankers of Eastern states are in virtual accord:

The amount—Approximately $500,000,000.

The securities—Joint Anglo-French notes.

The interest rate—Five per cent to yield the investor about 5½ per cent by the notes being offered at slightly under par.

A conversion privilege at maturity of the notes—the holder to receive cash or joint Anglo-French 15 or 20 year bonds bearing 4½ per cent interest.

It became known also that the entire program had been submitted by cable to London and Paris and that the attitude of the home governments, so far as disclosed, is one of approval for all that the commission has accomplished.

Adoption of Program Assured.

It is assumed that the parliaments of both Great Britain and France would have to authorize the issuance of the loan, inasmuch as it is an external loan and therefore would not be covered by any of the loans authorized so far.

Whether Paris and London, in addition to approving the work of their delegates, had formally ratified it in addition was not divulged. It was thought doubtful, however, if this had yet been done, or would be done until the agreement passes beyond the tentative stage.

If the Western bankers are in accordance with the tentative agreement upon which the Eastern financiers and the commission have reached an understanding the program will stand, barring unforeseen developments and its final adoption is as good as assured. This assertion was made by an American financier who has been of the inner circle throughout the period of negotiations.

A member of the firm of J. P. Morgan and company will be in Chicago. Bankers of the Twin Cities, St. Louis and other Western and Middle Western cities will attend the Chicago conference.

SLAVS HOLD BACK GERMANS

Russians Possess Fortress Triangle, Including Dubno, Kovno and Lutsk—Repulse Austrians.

London, Sept. 28. — Some of the fiercest fighting of the campaign is in progress on the Russian front. The Germans continue their furious attacks in an effort to drive the Russians out of Dvinsk, while in Volhynia and Galicia the Russians continue to harass the Austro-Germans, who had designs on Kiev, from which town they are now further away than they were a few weeks ago.

Austrians Driven Back.

General Ivanoff apparently is determined to hold back the Austro-Germans and his efforts are meeting with success. The fortress triangle, which includes Dubno, Kovno and Lutsk, is almost entirely in the possession of the Russians.

In Galicia the Austrians have been driven back across the rivers which run parallel to the border.

The Italians, like the rest of the Allies, report a number of successes in taking fortified mountains from the Austrians.

HAITIENS ATTACK AMERICANS

Forty Rebels Are Killed in Encounter With U. S. Troops—Refuse to Disarm.

Cape Haitien, Sept. 28.—In an attack by Haitien rebels on an American force, about two miles from Cape Haitien, 40 Haitiens were killed. Ten Americans were wounded.

The rebels have refused to disarm and the Americans are marching on Haut du Cap, in the Plain of the North.

Old Chicago Church Burns.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Grace Episcopal church, 1430 South Wabash avenue, a landmark erected in 1868 and one of the largest and best known churches in the Middle West, was destroyed by a fire which also razed a six story building occupied by the Western Furniture Exposition company, causing a property loss of more than $500,000. The blaze started in the furniture building shortly after 4 o'clock in the morning and was communicated to Grace church by falling walls.

RAIDERS FIRE 2,000 SHOTS AT TROOPS

MEXICANS DESTROY STORE AT PROGRESO, TEXAS—KILL U. S. CAVALRYMAN.

FLEE LEAVING LOOT BEHIND

Band Is Pursued By Soldiers, Both Sides Keeping Up Steady Fire—Four of the Americans' Horses Shot.

Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 27.—The firing of arms by several hundred Mexicans on the other side of the Rio Grande river to cover the retreat of 70 to 80 Mexicans who looted and set fire to a store at Progreso, Texas, 35 miles west of here, was told of in an official report made by Major Edward Anderson of the Twelfth cavalry.

Private Henry W. Stubblefield was killed and Captain C. V. P. Anderson wounded in the arm during the fight. Earlier reports that Private Kennedy also was injured proved incorrect. At least four Mexicans are known to have been killed.

Mexicans Fire 2,000 Shots.

Later three detachments of troops B and C of the Twelfth cavalry were stationed in the vicinity of the fight. Two thousand shots are said to have been fired by the Mexicans.

About 1,000 shots were fired by the Americans at the Mexicans as they were crossing the river.

The Mexican band of 70 or 80 while looting the store of Florencio Saenz, at Progreso, at daybreak were surprised by 12 men of Troop C, Twelfth cavalry. Private Stubblefield was killed by two shots fired from the interior of the building, killing him instantly. The soldiers were not aware of the presence of the Mexicans. The Mexicans immediately fled from the place, leaving their loot behind. They turned toward the river, both sides keeping up a steady fire. Four of the Americans' horses were shot from under them in the pursuit. Reinforcements hurried to Progreso from Donna, Mercedes and Santa Maria.

Raiders Cross Rio Grande.

The American troops kept up their running fire at the fleeing Mexicans until the latter succeeded in crossing the Rio Grande under protection of the fire of their comrades. After considerable cheering from the Mexican side, the firing ceased, the Mexicans disappearing.

TO RELEASE AMERICAN GOODS

British Embassy Declares Arrangements Completed to Allow Cargoes to Leave Rotterdam.

Washington, Sept. 27.—The way has been cleared for the release of American owned goods of German and Austrian origin now held up at neutral ports of Europe by the British order-in-council. The British embassy notified the state department that it was prepared to receive applications for permits to export such goods in cases where American importers had either paid for them or rendered themselves liable for the purchase price before May 1, 1915.

Vigorous informal representations have been made by the state department in its efforts to secure an agreement for the release of this merchandise, worth about $167,000,000.

Arrangements for Release of Goods.

While the British authorities on June 15 declined to receive unofficial representations by the trade advisers regarding the shipments, information from time to time reached the state department that private interests in London were securing permits releasing goods from Rotterdam.

Sir Richard Crawford, commercial attache of the British embassy, notified Foreign Trade Adviser W. B. Fleming that arrangements for the release of goods through the trade advisers at last had been completed.

BIG ALBERTA WHEAT YIELD

Returns from Threshing Operations Indicate Total Will Reach 34,860,000 Bushels.

Edmonton, Sept. 25. — That there will be a much greater yield of spring wheat in province of Alberta this year, than even the most optimistic anticipated, is the opinion of Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture.

Returns from threshing operations all over the province, tell a story which shows Marshall and even the farmers, too modest in calculations.

Marshall now is convinced the average yield of spring wheat will be 28, instead of 23 bushels, making the total estimated yield 34,860,000 bushels.

Austrian Prince Slain in Fight.

Vienna, Sept. 24.—Prince Frederic of Thurn and Taxis was killed in the fighting in Southeastern Galicia.

Von Papen Goes to Mexico.

Washington, Sept. 23.—Captain Franz von Papen, the military attache of the German embassy, who figured in the Dumba correspondence, is en route to Mexico. This disposes finally of any measures by this government in connection with the administration of discipline to the German officer who approved the strike plan intrusted by the Austro-Hungarian ambassador to James F. J. Archibald for delivery to the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs. Von Papen left New York ostensibly for Yellowstone park.

STATE BREVITIES

Luverne.—A new selling record for Rock county farm lands was established this week, when Jasper Christianson paid $44,400 for Lena Gertz farm of 240 acres in Kanaranzi township.

Duluth.—The heavy demand for boats to carry ore is rapidly being augmented by a demand for boats to carry coal. The supply of tonnage is fast being reduced by grain. Brokers sought boats to work on 3¼ cents for the last 10 days of this month and 3⅜ cents for the last half of October, grain cargoes.

Windom.—Samuel H. Kirkbride of Chicago, representing the American Bible society, appealed to the members of the Minnesota Methodist Episcopal conference for help in raising 1,000,000 nickels by Sunday school children in the United States to send 1,000,000 Bibles to soldiers on European battlefields.

Walker.—Walker was in darkness last week, while repairs were being made at the power plant. The city was without light for about ten days. The moving picture theater, barber shops and other places of business were forced to close at nightfall, and merchants enjoyed a rushing business in kerosene and candles.

Moorhead.—Ole Norby, Clay county, Minnesota, the farmer who was shot by William Brendemuhl, his brother-in-law and one of Clay county's wealthiest farmers, died at a Fargo hospital Brendemuhl surrendered to the sheriff. He says he acted in self-defense. A charge of assault in the first degree filed against Brendemuhl will likely be changed to murder.

Brainerd. — A new mine has been started four miles east of Brainerd and near Woodrow by the Abdar Development company, which will sink a lath shaft 100 feet deep. The mine will be under the supervision of Captain William J. Treloar, who will also have supervision of the Adams mine at Oreland. Directly in charge of the Abdar mine will be W. J. Nichols of Brainerd.

Duluth.—For five minutes every wheel on the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railway system stopped turning and every office and shop activity ceased while funeral services took place at Marquette, Mich., for Colonel William Foresman Fitch. The general suspension was a tribute from the road's officials and employes to the line's former president and general manager.

New Ulm.—Speaking upon the topic, "Hints on Infantry Training," Major Arthur Johnson, federal inspector and instructor in the regular army, stated at the meeting here of the Minnesota National Guard association that Minnesota had a higher efficiency and better equipment than the Ohio National guard. Recruits for the guard were more easily obtained in this state, he said, because of a more kindly feeling toward the militia.

St. Cloud.—June has always been considered the month of marriages, but in Stearns county September will lead by 50 per cent, according to the estimate of the county clerk, who attributes the demand for marriage licenses to good crops. In the last 12 hours, 12 licenses were issued, a record breaking day for the local office. All but two of the couples were from the country and upon that fact the clerk bases his positive statement that good crops are an aid to Cupid.

Albert Lea.—As one result of the settlement by the courts last fall in the factional fight of the five Freeborn county Lutheran synod churches, two edifices, which will cost more than $15,000, are in course of construction. In the final settlement, the Hartland church was deeded to the Rev. Thor Strand forces while the parsonage went to the anti-Strand congregation. The anti-Strands will complete a new church this month and Rev. Mr. Lunde will have charge. Rev. Thor Strand is preaching in the old church.

Fergus Falls.—Judge Parsons handed down a decision in the district court here, vesting the sole management and control of the city water and light plants in the water and light commission. The charter says that the commission shall manage the plants and fix the rates, but that it shall make requisition to the council for all supplies and the council shall allow all bills. The commission wished to install water meters, and the council refused to approve the requisition on the ground that the people were opposed.

Fort Snelling.—A stone slab weighing about 250 pounds, upon the face of which is handsomely carved what appears to be the coat of arms or royal emblem of some reigning European house of the 16th century or earlier, was unearthed by Frank and Luther Gates while they were digging a well on their lot at 5345 Forty-eighth avenue So. near Minnehaha falls. The tablet is about 5 feet long, 2½ feet wide and 4 inches thick, and the carving reveals workmanship of a high type, being characteristic of many historical relics of the early centuries.

Winona.—The grand jury has returned an indictment against Rev. Father L. M. Lesches for assault in the first degree, charging that August 27 he assaulted Bishop P. R. Heffron with intent to kill. Father Lesches was not in court when indictment was returned. Bishop Heffron continues to improve from the wounds suffered when Father Lesches shot him.

Bemidji.—Francis, the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Werth of this city, was severely scalded by falling backward into a tub of hot water. He probably will recover, physicians say.

SAYS STATE MUST ASSIST SETTLERS

STATE AUDITOR ADVOCATES LEGISLATION FAVORING DEVELOPMENT OF MINNESOTA.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.—

Speaking to a large crowd at the annual Hubbard county fair, J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, advocated legislation favoring the development of northern Minnesota.

"Minnesota has more than 51,000,000 acres," he said; "44,000,000 are on the tax rolls and 27,000,000 are under cultivation. Nearly half of the state's lands are awaiting the plow. The greater portion of your county is still untilled."

Touching upon the great tide of immigration that has been turned toward Canada in recent years, Mr. Preus said:

"You need more people, more actual settlers—farmers—in your community, county and section of the state. And in this the state should assist you. Many people from the states east and south of Minnesota are being made familiar with the agricultural value of northern Minnesota lands. They must be made to stop here and not permitted to go on to Canada. You should vote for constitutional amendment No. 1. It provides that $250,000 may be set aside out of the state school fund to improve state lands.

"The state still has 2,000,000 acres for sale—considerable of it is in your county. In the cutover region it costs from $10 to $50 an acre to crop the land, and many a bona fide settler has come to this section of Minnesota with a family and too little money to 'stick it out' because this was so. It cost him too much to clear his first three or four acres and there was too much time taken before he could realize on his labors. Amendment No. 1 is intended to remedy this. It will make it possible for the state to clear three or four acres of each 80 acres sold. This, together with the easy terms of sale of state land should bring a tide of immigration to northern Minnesota that has been before unequaled."

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Tax Levy Reduced.

The rate of taxation for state purposes as made public by State Auditor Preus will be 4.15 mills for that portion of the state outside of Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth, and 4.1 for the three cities named.

The division of the rate is made necessary by the 1-20 mill tax ordered by the last legislature for the teacher's retirement and pension fund. This tax is collectable only in that portion of the state outside of cities of the first class.

The levy as fixed for 1916 by Mr. Preus is 63-100 of a mill less than last year's levy. The levy for 1914 was 3.52 mills. This reduction is made possible by the elimination of the levy for the Historical society building and also the levy for Itaska State park. Of the levies remaining, that for the armories is reduced .02 of a mill. The levy in detail, in terms of mills, is as follows:

State revenue fund	1.4
Soldiers' relief fund .0001	.1
State road and bridge .001	1.0
Prison building fund .0002	.2
National Guard armories, .00003	.03
Educational building fund, .000014	.14
	2.87

In addition to the levies named, there is one for state schools amounting to 1.23 mills. The state revenue tax is reduced two-tenths of a mill. The total for the various state expenses is 2.87 mills, which is a considerable reduction from last year.

The levy as ordered by Mr. Preus is based on this year's assessment and is collectable in 1915. It is the smallest levy for state purposes in some years.

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Increases Capital Stock.

The Washburn-Crosby company of Minneapolis increased its capital stock by $3,000,000 with the filing of amended articles of incorporation with Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state. The flour milling corporation now is capitalized at $9,000,000.

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Urges Neutrality.

Governor W. S. Hammond, who spoke at the Traverse county fair here, made a strong plea for neutrality in deeds if not in thoughts on the part of all citizens. He urged everyone to support President Wilson in his policies and said there would be no war while Wilson is president.

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Reports Labor Disbursements.

State department of labor disbursements for the fiscal year of 1915 ending July 31 were $58,928.01, of which $43,680 was spent for salaries from the general fund and $5,627 for salaries from the contingent fund, according to the report of the state public examiner. Expenses for traveling were $5,709.33 and miscellaneous expenses were $3,911.68. The department's appropriations amounted to $64,680. The examiner's report comments on the fact that there were no unnecessary expenses.

JEWELERS GIVEN JOLT BY SLEUTH

Convention Is Thrilled by Clever Stunt Pulled by Famous Detective.

FRISKS SILVER WATCH

Lifts Timepiece From President's Pocket Right Before His Very Eyes—Is Found on Another Official.

The great detective had just concluded his stirring speech. "Thieves had best have a care," he had said, "for the jewelers are now protected against them quite as fully as are the bankers."

Applause filled the room in the Grand Central palace, where the members of the American National Retail Jewelers' association had assembled for their annual meeting.

"We now have just time"—began President Tinley L. Combs of Omaha, Neb., but he went no further. In place of the watch he had started to consult was a void—an aching void, if one might judge from the expression on Mr. Combs' face. The watch was gone.

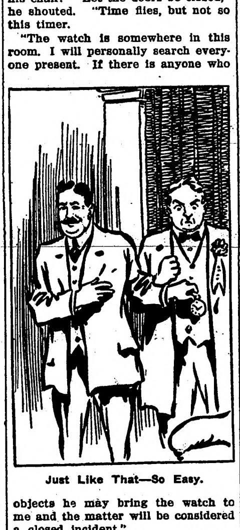
"Gentlemen," said the president, "if this is a joke, one might say it was a timely one. My watch is gone. A great detective is here. Perhaps he can put into actual operation some of the things he has just been telling us."

Detective on the Job.

A breathless silence filled the great room. All eyes were upon the detective.

Quite unabashed by the attention he was receiving, he hastily rose from his chair. "Let the doors be closed," he shouted. "Time flies, but not so this timer.

"The watch is somewhere in this room. I will personally search everyone present. If there is anyone who objects he may bring the watch to me and the matter will be considered a closed incident."



Just Like That—So Easy.

No one stirred.

"Very well, then, I'll proceed with the searching."

From the very first pocket into which he thrust his trained fingers came forth a watch.

"Ah, here is a watch," said the detective, exultantly. "I scarce expected to meet with success quite as soon. Here is a watch for you, Mr. Combs," he said, and promptly sat down.

"Thanks," said Mr. Combs, "mine was only silver, but this gold one will do."

Finds the Watch.

Had the situation been less serious the laugh that followed might have been more hearty. Hastily the watch was returned to its rightful owner. Then the detective continued his search.

A moment later a very guilty looking silver watch was extracted from the waistcoat pocket of one of the members of the executive committee.

"This is your property, is it not, Mr. Combs?" demanded the detective. It was.

"I knew it," said William J. Burns, the detective. "You see, I put it there myself. I thought it would be a good stunt."

Then the meeting proceeded.

LETS LAWYERS BATTLE ON

Judge Adjourns Court While Attorneys Fight, Then Resumes Hearing of the Case.

Hammond, Ind.—A garnishee case resolved itself into a fistic encounter in Judge Reiland's court at Indiana Harbor recently, when L. W. Saric and Marcus Herschcovitz, lawyers, passed the lie.

The court refused to call time. In fact, Judge Reiland adjourned court to give the belligerents all the time they wanted. They took ten minutes and then an armistice was declared and Judge Reiland went on with the trial of the case.

Saric looked as though he had fought with a bearcat.

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There Was a Doubt.

Here is a little story that was told by Congressman William H. Murray of Oklahoma, in gently throwing the harpoon into a lawyer friend:

One afternoon a stranger debarked from a train at a bustling town in the West and headed up the street. Finally he met a party that looked like a native.

"Pardon me," said the stranger, halting the likely-looking party. "Are you a resident of this town?"

"Yes, sir," was the rejoinder of the other. "Been here something like fifty years. What can I do for you?"

"I am looking for a criminal lawyer," responded the stranger. "Have you one here?"

"Well, reflectively answered the native, "we think we have, but we can't prove it on him."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

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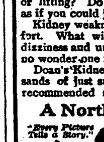

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The Balky Balkans.

Allan R. Hawley, president of the Aero club, was talking in New York about the Balkans.

"The allies need have no fear about the Balkan situation," he said. "Germany wooed Italy and got left. She is now wooing the Balkans, but in vain.

"The Balkans will answer Germany as the pretty girl answered the old banker.

"'Could you be happy with a man like me?' an old banker quavered on a white beach.

"'Yes, perhaps,' the girl answered, 'if he wasn't too much like you.'"

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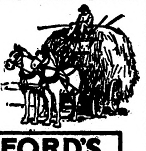
"But in your case, Percy, I'm quite sure there would be nothing to go wrong."

Marriage is the longest sentence a justice of the peace can impose.



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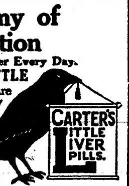

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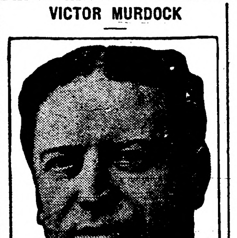


Victor Murdock, national chairman of the Progressive party, says a straight Progressive ticket will be nominated next year, that being the wish of the party leaders with whom he has talked.

HUNT FOR MURDERER AT LAKE

DETECTIVES SEARCH FOR MRS. HEINECKE'S SLAYER.

Officers Scour Minnetonka District for Man in Overalls With Scratches on Cheeks.

Minneapolis, Sept. 27.—A man in a brown coat and blue overalls, whose cheeks bear deep scratches and who is haggard and shaken with fear, is being sought by four Minneapolis detectives in the Lake Minnetonka district. The police are confident his arrest will solve the mystery of who killed Mrs. Anna Heinecke in her Madison street home Wednesday.

The search for this man began Thursday morning after information concerning him had been brought to the police by the proprietor of a lower Nicollet avenue second-hand store. The proprietor told the police the suspect came into the store Thursday morning and asked for shoes. He was nervous and excited. The proprietor questioned him and the man became visibly unnerved. Trembling violently he grabbed the shoes the storekeeper had shown him, and ran. The storekeeper pursued but was distanced in the Nicollet avenue traffic. He says he followed the man into the Great Northern station and saw him leap upon the rear platform of a Lake Minnetonka train that was just leaving the platform. The storekeeper, whose name is withheld by the police reported immediately, and detectives were put on the trail.

Evidences Found Near Lake.

Suspicion grew in the face of new evidence said to have been discovered near the lake. The two detectives asked for help and got it. An arrest appeared likely on a farm not far from Wayzata. The suspect answered the description of the man wanted in every particular, the police say. He wore blue overalls, a brown coat, both sides of his face were covered with scratches, such as the police believe Mrs. Heinecke inflicted upon her assailant.

The description tallies with that of the man who gave gum to children of the Schiller school on the afternoon of the murder, hurrying away when Mrs. Josephine Vawislak, proprietor of a confectionery store at 3700 Grand street, sought to question him.

SOIL PRODUCTS SHOW OPENS

Exposition at Denver Has Great Exhibits of Interest to Farmers of Country.

Denver, Colo., Sept. 27.—The international soil-products exhibition began here today and will continue until October 10, while the international farm congress will hold its meetings here October 4-7. Among the delegates there are representatives from nearly every country on the globe. The United States government has an exhibit for which congress appropriated $20,000. This and the Canadian exhibit are of great value. The Auditorium, one of the largest buildings west of the Mississippi river, is the concentrating point of the group of twelve exposition buildings.

Twenty states have installed fine exhibits of agricultural crops and machinery, gas and electric appliances, motor cars and accessories, dairy products and machinery, industrial, commercial and varied industries exhibits, minerals and mines displays and demonstration, and tractor shows. There are also international and interstate displays, a Colorado state exhibit, railway and land show.

One of the prominent characteristics of the exposition is the interest show in the achievement of women.

Austria Must Recall Dumba.

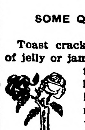
Washington, Sept. 27.—Ambassador Frederick C. Penfield at Vienna has been instructed to make clear to the Austrian government informally that the United States must insist on the recall of Dr. Constantin Dumba, the Austrian ambassador here, and that his departure "on leave of absence" would not be satisfactory. From messages exchanged between Ambassador Penfield and the state department is apparent that the Austrian government misunderstood the desires of the United States.

The KITCHEN CABINET

If you cannot set to meter all the music of your soul,
Then let its heavenly harmony your daily life control;
Until from out the discord of life's bitterness and pain
Sweet symphonies shall rise—nor your life-song be in vain.
—Alice Dunlap.

SOME QUICK DESSERTS.

Toast crackers and put a spoonful of jelly or jam on each. Whip cream, flavor with vanilla and heap on the jelly. Sprinkle with grated cocoanut or chopped nuts if whipped cream is not available.



Cracker Shortcake. — Open a can of peaches or any canned fruit, pour off the sirup and boil it up with sugar to make a rich sauce. Butter crackers, place the peaches on them, sprinkle with sugar and put another cracker on top. Put into the oven long enough to heat through and serve with hot fruit sauce.

Jelly Pancakes.—Make a batter of a cupful of milk, a cupful of flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder and a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt. Beat an egg, add the milk and flour, beating well, fry on a hot greased griddle. Spread with jelly, roll up and sprinkle with powdered sugar.

Raspberry Trifle.—Line a glass dish with thin slices of sponge cake. Pour over it raspberry juice to soften it, then lay over it a layer of whole berries. On this place another layer of cake and another layer of raspberries. Pour over all whipped sweetened cream.

Banana Dessert. — Slice bananas and sprinkle them with powdered sugar, chopped nut meats and the juice of half a lemon. Surround with seeded raisins and serve with cream.

A few cooked prunes stirred into sweetened and flavored whipped cream and served on squares or strips of cake makes a most tasty dessert. Any kind of fruit may be served in the same way, pineapple is especially good.

Cooked rice served with a hard sauce, flavored with crushed, fresh fruit, is another good dessert.

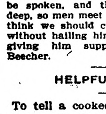
Marmalade, cream cheese, dates, figs and nuts in combination may be used for sweet sandwich filling.

Maple sugar with chopped salted almonds is one that is always liked. Moisten the sugar with thick cream, then add the chopped nuts. The browned almonds make a most appetizing flavor with the maple sugar.

> As ships meet at sea, a moment together, when words of greeting must be spoken, and then away into the deep, so men meet in this world; and I think we should cross no man's path without hailing him, and, if he needs, giving him supplies.—Henry Ward Beecher.

HELPFUL HINTS.

To tell a cooked egg from a fresh one, should they get mixed on the shelf, twirl the egg on a smooth surface. The cooked egg will spin, the raw will not.



A roll of surgeon's plaster will be found most useful for many things other than its authorized purpose.

When making frosting use instead of fresh water that which has been colored by cooked beets. Mix this with powdered sugar and you have a wholesome pink frosting.

When cooking milk, to keep it from burning, put a few spoonfuls of water in the dish and when boiling add the milk.

Apples are one of the most wholesome of fruits and should be given freely to children, especially in the winter. Cranberries are said to stimulate the liver

For the overtired housewife a most restful attitude is to lie on the back with the feet elevated on a couple of pillows or cushions. Ten minutes in this position will effect a wonderful rest.

A splendid idea to keep stockings mated, especially in a large family, is to place good-sized patent fasteners on the top hem of the stockings, then when the hose are taken off they are snapped together, may be so washed, and will return still united.

Never throw away old quilts, as they make the best kind of padding for a stair carpet.

When sweater sleeves become thin at the elbow, cut them out of the arm hole and exchange them, putting the left sleeve into the right arm hole. This change brings the worn part on the front of the sleeve.

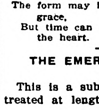
Wash hairbrushes in common baking-soda water; a teaspoonful to a pint of hot water. Dip the brushes up and down in this until clean, then rinse in clear water and dry, bristle-side down

Buttons will stay on longer if the knot in the thread is put under the button before beginning to sew it on.

The flush of youth soon passes from the face,
The spells of fancy, from the mind depart,
The form may lose its symmetry, its grace,
But time can claim no victory o'er the heart.

THE EMERGENCY SHELF.

This is a subject which has been treated at length several times, but one which is so important that it needs to come often before us. The housewife who has a well-stocked emergency shelf may be assured that no sudden inroad of unexpected company will cause her any inconvenience.



Here are some of the many things which will be useful, although each housewife will find additions and changes to make, suitable to her needs.

First, have a few cans of good soup. This, with some crisp crackers, makes a fine beginning to any hurried meal and may be prepared almost as quickly as it takes to write it. One may add milk or cream to extend the amount of these soups and usually it improves them.

On this shelf have a few cans of fish, such as tunny or tuna, salmon and crab or lobster; these may be used in various ways as salads, hot dishes or chowders if so desired. Cutlets, using a can of salmon, adding white sauce, rolling in crumbs and frying in deep fat, will go further than a can of salmon served plain.

A box of codfish, jars of pickles, canned corn beef and dried beef, olives, canned fruit, nuts and dates are other helpful furnishings to the shelf.

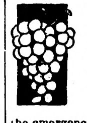
Even lemon pie filling comes canned now to use in an emergency. These foods are expensive for everyday use, but to have some of these things on the shelf even if used but once a year, will prove worth the investment.

A few quickly prepared menus should be at hand, so that in the hurry one need only glance at them to choose a good meal.

There is a shady side of life,
And a sunny side as well,
And 'tis for every one to say
On which he'd choose to dwell;
For every one unto himself
Commits a grievous sin,
Who bars the blessed sunshine out,
And shuts the shadows in.

MORE ABOUT EMERGENCY SHELF.

There are many quickly prepared cheese dishes, so there should always be a jar of grated cheese. A piece of cheese keeps well, tightly covered, if it is sprinkled generously with salt. Cans of spaghetti and tomato, deviled chicken, cans veal and ham, which can be heated, are items for the emergency shelf. Naturally some of these things will spoil if kept too long, so they may be used and replaced from time to time. The cost of replacing articles will not be great. It is well to remember when buying any kind of canned goods to see that the ends of the cans are flat. If they bulge, reject them for this denotes the presence of gas and they are not fit for food. Never leave any food in a tin can; empty it at once when opened.



Pie crust may be prepared all but the water; put in a glass jar and is ready to use on the instant.

Even bread, the Boston brown variety, is found in cans and may be a most welcome addition to the shelf.

"When one is seven miles from a lemon," the emergency shelf is an absolute life saver.

Boiled dressings may be made which will keep for weeks in the cellar or ice chest. In fact many housekeepers always keep a bowl of salad dressing on hand, or one may make a salad out of almost anything.

Salted wafers, small cakes, fruit cookies and fruit cake, will keep for weeks if kept from the air, and so one may feel at ease, even though company drops in without warning.

Nellie Maxwell

Resigned.

The Minister's Wife—"The new cook left this morning, the one you said the Lord must have sent." The Minister—"Well, dear, the Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away. Blessed be the name of the Lord."—Puck

Neutrality for Him

Prisoner (on being asked 'What say you, "Guilty" or "Not guilty"?')—Me Lud, I leave it to the learned counsels to fight it out between 'em. I'll be neutral."—London Punch.

Hot Potatoes.

When removing hot potatoes from the oven pull over your hands little bags that sugar comes in. Anybody is apt to burn hands or arms in turning potatoes or taking them from the oven, and these little bags are convenient to have for protectors.

Instruction From the Press.

In a polite age almost every person becomes a reader, and receives more instruction from the press than the pulpit.—Goldsmith.

WHY DINING CAR CHEFS PREFER KC BAKING POWDER
Those who have had cakes ruined by jarring the stove, slamming the oven door or a heavy footstep, may have wondered how the dining car chef can turn out such marvelous biscuits, hot breads and pastry when his oven is being incessantly jarred and jolted and shaken by the motion of the train.
To get pastry to raise and stay raised under these conditions, a baking powder must be used that continues to give off its leavening gas—*that sustains the raise*—until the dough is baked through.
Dining Car Chefs have found a baking powder exactly suited to their needs in K C and you will find it just as well suited to your requirements. K C is really a blend of two baking powders, one active as soon as moistened, the other requiring both moisture and heat to start the generation of leavening gas. No matter how moist and rich you make your cake, K C Baking Powder will sustain the raise until a crust is formed and all danger of falling is past.
K C Baking Powder is pure and healthful. It is guaranteed under all pure food laws, and is guaranteed to please you. And it is sold at a reasonable price—no baking powder should sell for more.
54 *Try a can at our risk and be convinced.*

Had Used Them.

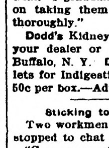
"Look here," said a lodger to his landlady, "your daughter has been using my comb and brush gain."

"I beg your pardon," said the landlady, indignantly. "I never allow my children to meddle with my lodgers' belongings in any way."

"But I am sure she has been using them," said the lodger, "for there are long black hairs on them, and she is the only person with black hair in the house."

"Oh, now I remember; she did have them to comb and brush our dear old poodle," said the landlady; "but I am quite sure she did not use them for herself—she's too honest to be guilty of that sort of thing."

CURED OF BRIGHT'S DISEASE.
Mrs. A. L. Crawford, Medfield, Mass., writes: "Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me of Bright's Disease, and I am healthy and strong to-day and have been blessed with good health ever since my cure. When the doctors pronounced my case Bright's Disease I was in such a serious condition that they could not do anything for me. I kept getting worse. My limbs from my ankles to my knees swelled and my eyes were so swollen that I couldn't see. As a last hope I thought I would give Dodd's Kidney Pills a trial. I gradually improved and kept on taking them and they cured me thoroughly."
Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c per box at your dealer or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets for Indigestion have been proved. 50c per box.—Adv.



Sticking to His Prediction.

Two workmen met in the street and stopped to chat about their friends.

"Casey seems to be doing well where he is," remarked one presently.

"He'll not stop long at that job," replied the other with a gloomy shake of the head.

"Why not? He seems to be quite comfortably placed."

"But he'll not stay there a month. I say it, and I've said it ever since he got that job eighteen months ago."

Where He Learned.

"Why, Willie, I'm surprised to hear you use such language. You have been playing with those naughty boys again, haven't you?"

"Truly I haven't, mamma. I was just over to Tommy Brown's house playing with the parrot his uncle sent him from Chicago."

When all others fail to please
Try Denison's Coffee.

Thought So.

"Does she approve of cosmetics?"

"She seems to lend countenance to them, as far as I can see."

YES, FATHER PURSUED THEM

In Fact the Old Gentleman Overtook and Stuck Very Close to the Eloping Pair.

When the conversation turned to the subject of romantic marriages this little anecdote was volunteered by H. H. Asker, a North Dakota politician:

One afternoon Green was standing on the corner looking at the jitneys when he was suddenly confronted by an acquaintance of other years. Soon they were comparing notes and recalling happy hours.

"So you were married ten years ago?" said the acquaintance in response to a statement made by Brown. "Took place in the church, I suppose, with bridesmaids, flowers, cake and the brass band?"

"No," answered Brown, with a reflective expression, "it was an elopement."

"An elopement, eh?" returned the acquaintance. "Did the girl's father follow you?"

"Yes," answered Brown, with something akin to a sigh, "and he has been with us ever since."

An Old Accomplishment.

"That wife of mine is a great one for fads; her latest is firing china," said the young married man.

"That was one of the first ones my wife had," the older man said.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

A champion lasts only five or six years, but a bore often outlives his generation.

The General says:
When you find this label on a roll of Asphalt Roofing it is guaranteed by its maker who knows how well it is made. Your own local dealer will tell you all about the responsibility that stands behind our guarantee on
Certain-teed Roofing
The guarantee of 5, 10 or 15 years for 1, 2 or 3 ply *Certain-teed* is backed by the largest Roofing and Building Paper Mills in the world.
This roofing has given excellent service on all classes of buildings for years and years. It costs less and gives a better service than metal roofing, wood shingles, and many other types of roofings. *Certain-teed* Roofs all over the country are outliving the period of the guarantee.
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Get rid of the stumps and grow big crops on cleared land. Now is the time to clean up your farm while products bring high prices. Blasting is quickest, cheapest and easiest with Low Freezing Du Pont Explosives. They work in cold weather.
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WILMINGTON DELAWARE

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

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MACKEY J. THOMPSON
FARM MORTGAGES
ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

CONTRACTS, FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGES BOUGHT

Job Printing at this office.

We wish to call your attention to the announcement of the Winton-Nichols Lumber Co., and bespeak for them a share of your patronage.

Ludwig Monson and Selmer Reierson drove home Saturday evening from Silverton and Thorval Kolded came on the train in the forenoon.

Notice!

ESTRAY: Boar pig, color black, with white spots, came to my place Sept. 9th. Prove property, pay expenses of keeping and for this notice. Mrs. T. T. Sollom.

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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

It is better to read about the war than to be mixed up in it.

We sometimes wonder when we are going to have settled weather.

Don't fail to read the new ads we have this week—they are of interest to you.

It is almost time to get ready for winter—to pay the last installment of taxes—and to pay the printer.

The Hennepen County Option election will be held next Monday. Both sides are working hard to win the battle of the day.

Henry Wendt has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Riesberg, returned Saturday from Roseau.

Several from here attended a play in Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

B. Docken went to T. R. Falls yesterday to attend the Bakke-Spinks wedding.

Miss Edna Riesberg went to Thief River Falls Monday, to have dental work done.

The lunch and entertainment at Mr. and Mrs. Anderson's commences at 2:30 next Sunday afternoon.

Hans Folstad came from St. Hilaire Tuesday and has commenced work on the railroad for his father.

There is on display at the Holt State Bank, a carrot, raised by Ole Listol which is a freak of nature.

Sale of School and other State Lands.

State of Minnesota, State Auditor's Office. St. Paul, Sept. 20, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that on Oct. 28, 1915 at 10 o'clock A. M. in the office of the County Auditor at Warren, Marshall County, in the state of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of non-payment of interest.

Terms: Fifteen per cent of the purchase price must be paid at the time of sale. The balance of the purchase money is payable in whole or in part on or before forty years from date of sale; the rate of interest on the unpaid balance is four per cent per annum, payable on June 1st of each year.

Appraised value of timber, if any, must also be paid at time of sale.

Lands on which the interest is delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to an actual purchaser.

All mineral rights are reserved by the laws of the state.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Not more than 320 acres can be sold or contracted to be sold to any one purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority. Appraiser's reports, showing quality and kind of soil, are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the State Commissioner of Immigration at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the above address.

J. A. O. PREUS,
State Auditor.

C. W. Latta has built an auto shed on his residence lot.

Monday Oct. 11th Dr. Turley will be at the hotel. Be there early so as to be sure to have your dental work done.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Monday

Oct. 11, 1915.

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50

Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00

Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free

When Plates or Bridges are Ordered

Always Come In Early

You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS.

Auction bills printed at this office.

Mr. Molden of Crookston, came Wednesday to look after his land in Mud Lake.

Mr. and Mrs Adolpd Sollom, visited relatives in Thief River Falls Sunday.

Our merchants are paying 20 cents a doz. for eggs. Who says poultry don't pay?

Read Carlson's locals. They have a big stock of winter goods and their ads will interest you.

John Johnson and Art Brotten have been building a small barn this week, for H. B. Young.

Ira Richardson of Thief River Falls was a business caller here on Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Inga Lee of Newfolden will commence teaching the school in District No. 65 next Monday.

Alfred Hanson of Bemidji, was here Tuesday looking for a location for a blacksmith shop and garage.

When ready for your heavy fall buying let the Holt Merc. Co. figure on it before buying elsewhere as they can save you from 20 to 50 per cent on your order.

Hilmer Davidson is drilling a well for A. L. Sagstuen.

Christ Yttre came from Dakota Tuesday to look after business interests.

Iver Engerbretson, who has been working at Silverton, returned home Friday.

The stores are lighted up evenings now which improves the looks of main street.

Miss Christine Saastad commences teaching the school in Distrct No. 112 next Monday.

Mrs. P. O. Reierson was a week end visitor with her son and daughters in Thief River Falls and Viking.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe and little son were over Sunday guests, of relatives in Thief River Falls.

Axel Nelson, A. G. Jahr and Ole Larson went to Middle River Friday to make final proof on the former's homestead.

The material for the bridge across Thief River in East Valley has been hauled out there and the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

C. A. Nason of Thief River Falls Sec'y. and General Manager of The Winton — Nichols Lumber Co., was here Tuesday looking after business for his firm.

For your Outing Flannels don't forget that Holt Merc. Co. has the regular 15c kind at only 9c. per yard and the regular 12 1-2c. kind at only 8c. per. yard.

As winter will soon be here and the printer is like the ordinary man, —needs food, fire and clothing, a few dollars on subscription, would come pretty handy.

Southeast of Holt.

Threshing is in full blast.

John Klungness had the misfortune of breaking his arm on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Tona Johnson of Smiley is visiting her cousin Mrs. T. Olson.

Mrs. Albert Klungness visited at the home of Mrs. Gutterud on Sunday.

Arne Sordahl purchased a Lion tractor last week.

John Olson is reported as being quite sick this week.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Sept. 17, '15. Notice is hereby given, that Paul Peterson of Golden Valley, Minn., who on Mar. 2, 1912, made Homestead Application, No. 07398, for W 1-2 NE 1-4 Sec 22 T 156 N R 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 26th day of Oct., 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Edwin C. Johnson, Melvin Olson, Clarence Larson and Benhard Larson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

PUBLIC SALE!

I will sell at public auction on my place, 1 1-2 miles east of Ringbo on the NE 1-4 SE 1-4, Sec. 17, Twp. 156, R. 42 on Saturday Oct. 2, 1915

SAT. OCT. 2, 1915.

Commencing at 1 o'clock P. M. sharp.

Horses and Cattle

1 black gelding, 13 yrs, wt. 1300
1 raven gelding, 7 yrs old, wt 1200
1 Cow 5 yrs. old, freshens in Dec.
1 Cow 3 yrs. old, freshens in Dec.
2 Heifers 2 yrs. old freshen in Apr.
2 Steers, 2 yrs. old
1 mixed Shorthorn Bull, 2 yrs. old
1 Bull 1 1-2 yrs. old

Machinery

1 new Deering Binder, 6 foot cut
1 new Emerson Drill, 16 shoe
1 nearly new Disc
1 three section Harrow, complete

Other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch at Noon.

TERMS: Sums of $10.00 or less Cash. Over $10.00 time will be given until Nov. 1, 1916, on bankable notes bearing 10 per cent interest

Chas. McLean, Prop.

Ole Brenna, Auct. Holt State Bank, Clerk.

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QUICK LOANS ON LAND

By Farmers For Farmers

The Farmers State Bank is owned and controlled by Holt farmers of this locality.

Its business is conducted in the best interests of sound banking that will serve the farmers of Holt and vicinity to their advantage and convenience.

Keep this in mind—the farmer's business is welcomed here; his affairs will always command our personal attention.

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"& plenty of it"

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"& PLENTY OF IT"

White Pine is one of the "*White Hopes*" that never tried to "*Come back!*" (It's an "*always was*"—and an "*is yet!*") Been all sorts of 'Bear' stories about this original Leading American Wood—("The Wood of the Forefathers") having been all used up. *Not so.*

You will need some—and the best of it is that YOU CAN GET IT—ALL YOU WANT OF IT—AND OF AS FINE A quality AS YOUR ANCESTORS BOASTED OF.

So *this* time—for new work or old, just remember

WE'RE "IT" for WHITE PINE, and "that good old Norway," too.

We carry a general line of building materials—lumber, lath, shingles, roofing materials, etc., lime and cement—and make a specialty of giving

Prompt Attention to ORDERS — whether in person, by mail or telephone

"You tell us. We do the rest."

D. Payne Lumber Company
Holt, Minnesota

Don't fail to read Sollom's store Ad.

Bernard Larson was in from Golden Valley last week.

Hennepin county remains in the wet column by a safe majority.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Larson went to Fargo Tuesday to visit relatives.

Olof Johnson and Fosholm shipped a car of cattle Saturday to South St. Paul.

Miss Johanna Larson left Friday for Austad where she commenced teaching on Monday.

Albert Bennes went to Langdon N. D. last week Thursday to look after his farming interests.

Mr. Jacob Moland came from Crookston on Friday to look after his farm near Golden Valley.

Mrs. Olof Johnson went to the twin cities Monday for a couple of weeks visit with relatives.

J. M. Swan went to Willmar Friday to load his car and move his family here sometime next week.

Monday Oct. 11th Dr. Turley will be at the hotel. Be there early so as to be sure to have your dental work done.

Mrs. Albert Halverson, of Hillsboro N. D. spent a few days here enjoying a visit with her sister Mrs. B. Docken.

Blankets of all descriptions you will find at Holt Merc. Co's store. The regular 75c kind are being sold for only 49c. The other blankets are sold equally as low according to size and grade.

R. E. Grover has rented a fram in Todd county and will move there about Nov. 1st. Mr. Grover will have a public sale next week Wednesday to sell his personal property.

John Simenson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coppey and family, Miss Emma Jacobson, Frank Wendt and Walter Clouse were callers at the A. Hoffman home Sunday afternoon

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Local Items

You should attend R. E. Grover's sale next Wednesday.

Next Monday Dr. Turley will be at the hotel to do dental work.

R. Riererson was a Thief River Falls business caller Tuesday.

Holt Merc. Co. has a full line of Sweaters that are sold below the regular wholesale prices.

Mrs. E. M. Ostby of Thief River Falls, came Monday to visit Mrs. Ole Kjelgren for a few days.

Mrs. B. Docken accompanied her sister Mrs. Dagny Halverson to her home in Hilsboro, N. D., yesterday

Miss Olga Larson left last Saturday for Newfolden, where she will be employed as teacher in Dist. No. 28.

B. L. Backe has sold his residence property to Mrs. T. Sollom and gives possession Nov. 1st. Consideration $2500.

The Dorcas Sewing Society for the little girls, will meet with Mrs. Alfred Anderson Saturday Oct. 9th at 2 o'clock.

A big drainage convention will be held in Thief River Falls Oct. 12th. Cong. Steenerson will be one of the speakers.

T. E. Ellestad returned Saturday from Dakota where he had been for sometime looking after the threshing on his farm.

S. S. Kolden will have a public sale next Thursday of horses, cows, household goods, new and slightly used machinery etc.

The Northwestern Telephone Co. sent nine men here Saturday, who have been resetting the poles, about 3 or 4 miles north of town.

Holt Merc. Co. has just put in a big stock of window glass (all sizes) which they are selling far below the regular price you have been paying.

Mr. and Mrs. George Larson and children and Miss Annie Ness came up from Thief River Falls Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Strom.

When ready for your heavy fall buying let the Holt Merc. Co. figure on it before buying elsewhere as they can save you from 20 to 50 per cent on your order.

Mrs. Con Frisco and children went to Warren Tuesday where her husband is working. They will move their household goods and make their home there for the present.

Now is the time to get your winter underwear. Holt Merc. Co. is putting out the regular 50c. heavy Fleeced Lined Men's underwear at only 37 1-2 c. Other grades and kinds are also as low in price.

Horses, cattle, gang and sulky plows, drills, disc harrows, drags and manure spreaders will be sold at Kolden's sale, next week Thursday.

Mrs. Ollie Werner went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to meet Mr. Werner who arrived there Tuesday evening from Dakota. Mr. Werner has secured employment in one of the whole sale houses there in Thief River Falls and will live there this winter.

The school board met Saturday evening in regular session. We understand that the equipment for the manual training and domestic science rooms has arrived and the work in those branches of study will commence at once under the able instruction of Prof. Prushek and Miss Lawson.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes

Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
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Mickelson-Olson Wedding

A pleasant surprise was sprung on their many friends this week when Miss Esther Mickelson was united in marriage to Racine Olson, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mickelson, in Holt, on Wednesday, Oct. 6th. Rev. M. B. Ordahl joining them in Wedlock. Guy A. Anderson acted as best man and Estelle Mickelson was maid of honor.

Both are well known and popular young people of Holt. We join with their friends and relatives in wishing them a bright and happy future.

Bakke-Spinks Wedding.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bakke, in Thief River Falls, on Thursday, Sept. 30th. at 5 o'clock P. M., occured the marriage of their daughter Olga Emilie to Robert Earl Spinks, of Remer, Minn.

Medelsohn's wedding march was played by Miss Emma Backe. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. I. T. Aastad, in the presence of their nearest relatives and friends.

The bride wore a traveling suit of blue serge trimmed with fur and a picture hat, and the bridegroom was attired in a grey suit. The bride's sister, Agnes, was maid of honor and wore a pink crepe de chene dress, white coat and black hat trimmed in pink. The groom was attended by Willie Bakke as best man.

The rooms were prettily decorated with autumn leaves, smilax and pink roses.

Congratulations and best wishes were extended to the happy couple, after which a bounteous and delicious five course dinner was partaken of, while Miss Emma Backe rendered some appropriate and beautiful piano selections. The tables were beautifully decorated with sweet peas and smilax.

The bride is a popular young lady of Thief River Falls. The groom is a prominent young doctor at Remer and enjoying a splendid practice.

We join with their many friends in extending them our best wishes for their future happiness.

Meat Market to Open.

Mr. O. S. Collins, of Fargo N. D. was here on Tuesday looking over the town with the view of opening a meat market in the near future. He expressed himself as well pleased with the prospects and will commence business as soon as he can get a place equipped for the purpose.

Notice!

Notice is here by given that Eight calves came to my place on October 6th, 1915, (Have been informed that they have been in the neighborhood for several weeks) in section 3 in town of New Solum. The owner can get them by calling for them and paying cost of keeping and for this notice.

P. P. Hagen.
R't Newfolden.

Luncheon a Success.

The tidy little sum of $22.75 was taken in at the lunch and entertainment given by Mesdames Anderson, Nohre, Mickelson and Docken last Sunday afternoon, the proceeds to go to the China Mission fund. The hospitable Nelson's allowed their commodious restaurant quarters to be used for serving the lunch which was greatly appreciated by the entertainers as a goodly number were in attendance. The reading and speech by Rev. Ordahl on the mission work in Africa was very interesting and enjoyed by all, as were also the songs rendered by the choir.

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Who Suffered As Many Girls Do—Tells How She Found Relief.

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Massena, N. Y.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I highly recommend it. If anyone wants to write to me I will gladly tell her about my case. I was certainly in a bad condition as my blood was all turning to water. I had pimples on my face and a bad color, and for five years I had been troubled with suppression. The doctors called it 'Anemia and Exhaustion,' and said I was all run down, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound brought me out all right."—Miss LAVINA MYRES, Box 74, Massena, N.Y.

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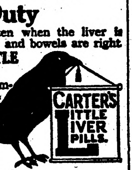

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DOG WAITING AT MASTER'S GRAVE

Kansas Collie Is Still Hoping for the Return of His Owner.

KEEPS ALL-NIGHT VIGIL

Animal Each Day Makes Rounds They So Often Traveled Together, Then Trots to New Grave in Cemetery.

Buckner, Mo.—Pete is only a dog. Just a collie dog with the gentle, expressive eyes of his kind and a good deal of gray about his muzzle. Folks in Buckner, Mo., say that they can notice the gray the last three weeks or so, but they may be mistaken in that.

Pete, being only a dog, is not expected to know the depths of emotion that persons feel. He is not supposed to understand about death and sorrow and utter loneliness and that sort of thing. He was a smart dog, people said, and had been a faithful companion to his master, William Hudspeth, who lived on a farm near Buckner.

But when Mr. Hudspeth died three weeks ago, everyone forgot about Pete. There were so many things to be looked after that the grief-stricken family left him to his own devices.

Beyond a Dog's Understanding.

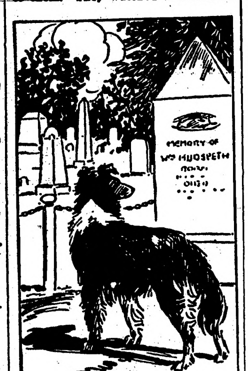
It had been a strange day for Pete. Early in the morning the people who came to the house had routed him out of his place in front of the door where he had lain during the two weeks his master was in bed.

They wouldn't let him in where his master was, not even in the house, although he tried to get in several times. And then finally they brought his master out in a big box and everybody went down the road with him. Pete went along, of course.

They went on across the railroad tracks and up the rock road.

He stopped with the rest of them at the place where the white stones stood about in the grass and watched them all go over to a big hole in the ground. But his master wasn't amongst them. Perhaps he wasn't in the big box after all. He'd probably stopped in town as he always did, and Pete, foolish dog, hadn't noticed it. It was much more likely than that his master was in that box they were putting down in the hole.

So Pete started back. The loungers on the bank steps called to him as he stopped there but he paid no attention to them. They watched him trot on down the street and stop for a moment at each store his master had used to visit. Then he disappeared out the road to the farm.



Pete Was Never Missed a Day at the Graveyard.

Waiting in Cemetery.

The sexton, working late that night, heard a whining among the graves. When he came to the newest one he found Pete. The dog lay on the grass at the side of the headstone and would not come away when the sexton left. The next morning he was still there.

Since then Pete has never missed a day at the graveyard. When he turns in from the road he goes straight to the Hudspeth lot and stays there for hours at a time. The sexton has noticed his restlessness. He haunts around among the stones only to return to his master's grave. Finally he goes back to town and makes once more the round of the stores.

Sometimes he goes out to the farm then. Sometimes he goes back to the graveyard and the sexton finds him in the morning whining at the mound of earth. Always he has a restless, troubled air as he searches for someone who cannot be found.

And there he sits at his master's grave.

Mother of Five Babies in 18 Months.

Brooklyn.—Mrs. Anna Bellamo of Brooklyn has presented her husband with five babies in a year and a half. Twins, boy and girl, were born 15 months ago, and triplets, two boys and a girl, a few days ago. All are thriving and so is the mother. This is her second essay at twins, a pair having been born eight years ago, making seven children in three births. All are living.

GERMAN NOTE ON ARABIC DISPUTE GIVEN LANSING

COMMUNICATION FROM BERLIN IS UNDERSTOOD TO AFFORD A NEGOTIABLE BASIS FOR SETTLEMENT OF QUESTION.

SECRETARY RECEIVES MEXICAN DELEGATES

Takes First Step in Policy That U. S. Government Is to Pursue in Deciding What Faction Is Deserving of Recognition—Case of Von Papen Is Disposed of.

New York, Oct. 4.—Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, has delivered to Secretary Lansing a note from the German government concerning the Arabic case, which it is understood, affords a negotiable basis for the settlement of the question.

The ambassador was closeted with Secretary Lansing for only a few minutes, leaving with him a note, the contents of which was not disclosed. Both the secretary and the ambassador decided that nothing concerning it would be announced. It is understood that the secretary will take the note with him to Washington and after discussing it with President Wilson will indicate whether or not it is satisfactory.

Basis for Negotiations.

It was learned reliably that the note furnishes a basis for further negotiations and from this it was inferred that, while admitting the principle that merchantment would not be torpedoed without warning, Germany was anxious to submit to arbitration the question of fact as to whether or not the Arabic was engaged in a hostile act at the time she was torpedoed and how much indemnity must be paid as a consequence if the verdict is against the German commander.

It was the first conference between the representatives of the two governments for two weeks, during which time the German ambassador has been given an opportunity to communicate to his foreign office the evidence gathered by the United States tending to prove conclusively that the Arabic was torpedoed without warning and was not engaged in a hostile act, as Germany claims.

Von Papen Case Ended.

The case of Captain von Papen, military attache of the German embassy, was disposed of.

Secretary Lansing took the first step in the policy that the United States government is to pursue within the next week in deciding what faction in Mexico is deserving of recognition. He received Luis Cabrera, minister of finance for the Carranza government, and Roberto Pesqueira, another prominent adviser of General Carranza.

Next week Mr. Lansing will receive delegates from the Villa cause and other independent groups.

Americans and other foreigners in Canenea are exposed to the depredations of bandits, as the district is without authority, according to consular dispatches to the state department.

DISCUSS PLANS FOR DEFENSE

Prominent Men Meet in Washington in National Conference on Preparedness for War.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Prominent men from all parts of the country interested in the present movement for more adequate preparation for war, gathered here today in the first national defense conference ever held.

The conference is under the direction of the National Defense league, and among the organizations officially participating are the Navy league, United Spanish War veterans, Army and Navy union and National Rifle Association of America. The conference is presided over by Representative Kahn of California, chairman, and Senator Robert F. Brussard of Louisiana, vice-chairman.

Women will play a prominent part in the conference. The women of the Navy league have organized especially for the occasion and the various women's patriotic organizations also are showing their desire to further the cause of national preparedness.

GERMAN SHELL SUPPLY LOW

London, Oct. 4.—"As in the earlier battles of the war the victory in the latest fighting was mainly a question of which side had the biggest supply of shells—our supply was unlimited but the Germans had to economize in ammunition, therefore they lost," writes a London artillery officer in a letter giving a detailed account of the past week's battle in Northern France.

Sues Girl's Mother for Slander.

New York, Oct. 4.—A suit for slander, in which $50,000 damages probably will be asked, was brought against Mrs. Edward Kelly. Mrs. Kelly is the mother of Miss Eugenia Kelly, who last May was arrested on her mother's accusation of incorrigibility and was brought up in court. It was alleged at the time that Miss Eugenia had been wilfully influenced by Al Davis who was then represented as a professional dancer, who was going about with the girl solely because she was rich.

WINNEAPOLIS IS "WET" AS RESULT OF VOTERS' VERDICT

HENNEPIN COUNTY GIVES MAJORITY OF EIGHT THOUSAND IN FAVOR OF RETAINING SALOONS.

CHARGES OF FRAUD ARE MADE

Voters Decide That 423 Saloons in Hennepin County Shall Remain in Business—Minneapolis Largest City in Country to Test Saloon Issue.

Minneapolis, Oct. 5.—That the prohibition forces had been routed by a majority of at least 8,000 was indicated at midnight when returns from 180 precincts out of 193 gave the wets 37,048 and the drys 28,552. Frank E. Aid, head of the saloon forces, estimated at midnight that the wets had carried the county by from 8,000 to 9,000.

The vote in the muncipalties of Minneapolis was generally in favor of the wets and the country vote seemed to give the edge to the drys.

Rev. George B. Safford, head of the dry organization, charged "grossest frauds and illegal voting" as responsible for the large vote polled by the wet forces.

"It now appears that the wets have carried the election," Mr. Stafford said shortly before midnight. "If it had not been for the grossest frauds and illegal voting there would have been no doubt about the results. We are still in the ring however and if we are defeated shall bide our time."

During the day charges were freely made by both sides and much bitterness was shown at the polling places. Three men were arrested at the Seven Corners charged with violating the corrupt practices act. It was said by the police that these men were employes of a brewing company and thye were distributing "wet" hand bills.

Intense enthusiasm marked the street demonstration here last night. As bulletins appeared on the boards before the newspaper offices the crowd would burst into cheers. On the roof of one newspaper building a searchlight swept the skies, the color thrown on the clouds indicating the trend of the vote. A white light signaled that the drys were leading and a green light showed the wets ahead.

As the vote see-sawed early in the night, thousands watched the rays of the searchlight, as they reflected alternately white and green. Adherents of the wet burst into prolonged cheers as the green light showed continually for 20 minutes shortly after 10 o'clock, indicating the wet victory.

Most of the population of Hennepin county is within the city boundary but as there are saloons in all villages and the wet and drys waged their fight vigorously everywhere. Minneapolis with a population of 325,000 has 399 saloons, and is said to be the largest city in the country to test the prohibition issue by ballot. At the headquarters of both the wets and drys many telegrams were received during the day making inquiries as to the probable outcome of the contest and showing wide spread interest in the election.

There are 423 saloons in the county.

NO WORD FROM BULGARIA.

London, Oct. 5.—When the time allotted Bulgaria by the allies, through Russia, to turn her back on Germany, Austria and Turkey, had expired, the expiration of the time limit had brought no immediate surface indications to clarify the situation.

Whether the Russian minister had left the Bulgarian capital, as his government threatened should Bulgaria decline to submit to the Russian ultimatum, Whether Bulgaria dissembled asking for further time, or whether King Ferdinand and his supporters observed silence, is not yet known in London. Either the censorship or the vagaries of wartime cable service, or the two combines, resulted in keeping London in the dark although definite news is expected hourly.

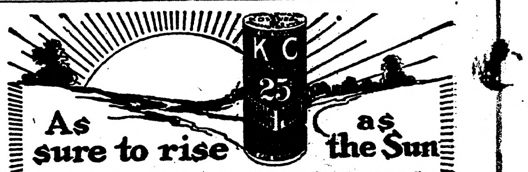
Events have been transpiring, however, in keeping with the fast approaching crisis involving the entry of the Balkans in the European conflict. Russian warships have appeared in the Black sea, off the Bulgarian port of Varna; French and British troops have landed at Saloniki, a Greek port 50 miles south of the Bulgarian frontier, and Bulgarian troops which have been on the move for several days, have been massed in great numbers along the Serbian border.

Swedish Statesman Dies.

Stockholm, Oct. 5.—The death is announced of Karl Albert Staaff, former premier of Sweden. Staaff, a liberal leader, was a minister without a portfolio in the coalition cabinet of 1905, but afterward resigned and formed a cabinet in which he

Twenty Lose Lives.

Guayaquil, Equador, Oct. 5.—Twenty persons were killed in an accident on a railroad in course of construction today when a train was derailed and fell into a river.



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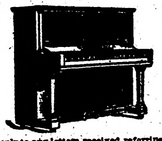

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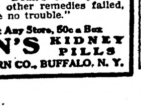

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GOVERNOR REFERS CALIFORNIA HEALTH BOARD REPORT TO DR. BRACKEN.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.—Minnesota's aid was asked through Governor Hammond in having established a federal leprosarium. Governor Hiram Johnson of California transmitted a copy of a report of the leprosy committee of the California board of health suggesting establishment of the institution. All the states are being asked to co-operate. The letter of Governor Johnson was sent to Dr. H. M. Bracken, secretary of the state board of health. The federal leprosarium is suggested as a means of reducing the cost to the separate states of caring for lepers.

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For Fire Prevention.

R. W. Hargadine, state fire marshal, has sent to every school superintendent in Minnesota a copy of Governor Hammond's proclamation setting aside Saturday, October 9, as the fourth annual observance of Fire Prevention day. As the schools will be closed on that date it is suggested the exercises be held on Friday, preceding.

C. G. Schulze, state superintendent of education, is a firm believer in the benefits which will accrue as a result of the observance of Prevention day and has given his sanction to the distribution of prevention literature among the schools. He also has included a program of exercises.

Mayors of cities and towns, fire chiefs and civic organizations and clubs have been asked to lend their aid. A number already have answered in the affirmative.

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High in Health Work.

That Minnesota stands high in public health work, but that the state should have a full-fledged department of health, held aloof from political influence, is the contention of Dr. H. M. Bracken, secretary of the Minnesota state board of health, in a statement made public by him. Dr. Bracken has been in public health service for 18 years. "Methods of state health regulation," said Dr. Bracken, "may be grouped under these three heads: A board or department which has to do purely with public health matters. A state health commissioner acting alone or with a board. A board which has charge not only of public health matters, but also the licensing of physicians."

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Corn Grower Wins Medal.

Arthur Hoese of Mayer has won honors at the Panama-Pacific exposition as champion corn grower of Minnesota, says a letter to Governor W. S. Hammond from Charles F. Mills, secretary of the National Topnotch Farmers' club. Mr. Mills reported exposition authorities would forward a medal for Mr. Hoese. Mr. Hoese grew 135.14 bushels of corn on an acre, said to be a new high mark for Minnesota.

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Calls in $1,435,000.

Walter J. Smith, state treasurer, called on Minnesota banks to turn in to him $1,435,000 on deposit in the banks, with which to meet the October school apportionment. This represents the total deposits outside of the active checking accounts. About $1,500,000 is expected to be apportioned to the schools from the general school fund. The apportionment will be made by C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education.

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State Treasurer Replies.

Nothing is wrong with the state treasurer's department, Walter J. Smith, treasurer, has announced in a letter written to Miss Jessie E. Scott, secretary of the efficiency and economy commission. The letter is in answer to a request by the commission for recommendations in reforming the state administration. Neither does Mr. Smith believe that any of the present boards should be abolished.

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One-half of Deaths Preventable.

The twenty-fourth conference of the State Charities and Correction association came to a close with addresses by Dr. H. M. Bracken, executive officer of the state board of health, and C. C. Stillman, secretary of United Charities. Dr. Bracken discussed the "Economies of Preventive Medicine." About one-half the deaths in Minnesota yearly, he said, are due to preventable diseases.

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Opposes Phone Rate Increase.

Mayor Day of Long Prairie appeared before the state railroad commission to oppose the petition of the Long Prairie Telephone company, for permission to increase its rates. The manager asserted the company has spent $12,700 to put in a full metallic circuit and the old rates of $1 for residence and $2 for business telephones are no longer compensatory. The proposed new rates are $1 75 for one party and $1.25 for four-party residence phones, and $2 75 for one-part and $2.25 for two-party telephones.

STATE BREVITIES

Crookston.—The Northwest school of agriculture at Crookston opened tenth year on Oct. 5. The teach training course, which runs for months, opened Sept. 7 with Miss Grace B. Sherwood, instructor.

Herman.—James J. Hill delivered a characteristic address at the Grant county fair in this place. He spoke from an automobile in front of the grandstand. Other speakers were Mr. Smith of St. Paul, and F. W. Murphy of Wheaton.

St. Cloud.—Stephen Zenner, a farmer, was killed when the Great Northern flyer struck the auto in which he was riding at the Osseo crossing. Joe Pohl, son-in-law and driver of the car, rode the pilot several car lengths before dropping off at one side as the train came to a stop.

Rochester.—More than 200 physicians and surgeons from throughout the state were registered here to attend the joint meeting of the Minnesota Public Health association and the Minnesota State Sanitary conference, and 500 were expected to attend the meetings of the Minnesota State Medical association.

Winona.—Children of Peter Speltz, pioneer of Winona county, arrived here to celebrate his 77th birthday. Instead they attended his funeral, for an acute attack of heart disease caused his death. A family reunion had been planned and the guests were met at the stations by Winona relatives, who informed them of Mr. Speltz' death. The funeral was held Friday.

Winona.—Two watches about 400 years old have been brought to Winona by Louis Tell Burkholder, a Swiss watchmaker. One of the watches was made in Paris by Mallet, who died in 1452, and the other was made in Liverpool, Eng., by Hans Hardmann, who died in 1529. The construction of both watches is crude and neither has a lever of escapement. The works are of solid gold.

Perham.—The Perham annual agricultural fair was a success, considering unfavorable weather conditions. More than 1,100 entrance tickets were sold. The cash prize on cattle was awarded to J. L. Sawyer of Butler, the cup to J. W. Kimball of Butler, and the cup for hogs to F. Mattfield of Gormantown. Great interest was shown in all the stock exhibits. The amusements were furnished by carnival companies.

Duluth.—Mrs. Andrew Streem, wife of an Ingleside farmer, is dead with the top of her head blown off by a charge of buckshot and Streem is in jail here charged with murder. John Messner, a neighbor, the only witness, told the police Streem was drunk and said he was going to shoot at his wife to frighten her. Messner left the doorway where he had been standing and heard the shot fired as he turned his back. Streem says the gun was accidentally discharged.

Duluth.—As the cashier of the Duluth Street Railway company turned away from a window at the First National bank with the semi-monthly payroll, he was jostled by two men and a leather sack containing $1,600 was snatched from his hand. It was handed to a third man and he disappeared. The cashier grappled with the man who snatched the sack and held him until the police came. The captive gave his name at headquarters as Ralph P. Miller.

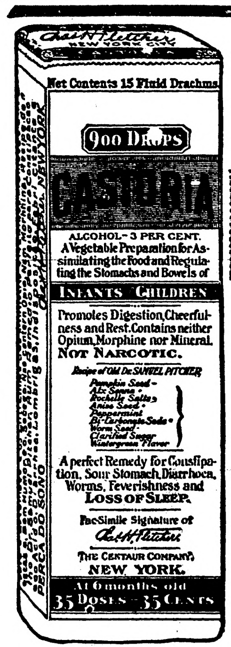
Faribault.—The city council has let the contract for the installation of an electrically driven pump at the city waterworks, and also for the furnishing of the current to run the pump. Councilman Pomadt has been fighting the proposition from the start, and an injunction was served to prevent the council from letting the contract. The matter was in court several days, and was finally set aside by the judge. The contract for the current was let to the Consumers' Power company and runs for a term of 10 years.

Rochester.—Rochester's university faculty in connection with the high school has been completed and the university work is now in progress. First year studies only are offered this year. The faculty includes W. C. Bolcom of the University of Minnesota, instructor in history and English; Miss Belle Comstock, a university graduate, instructor in French, Latin and German; Miss Jane Nesbit, botany, and James B. Mack of the University of Syracuse, instructor in chemistry, physics, and university mathematics.

Duluth.—Six Duluth men had a narrow escape two miles east of Two Harbors when the tug F. W. Gillett, owned by the Jeffrey Towing company of Duluth, sprung a leak, and, becoming unmanageable, had to be abandoned. John Wanless, diver, Captain William Jones and the other four members of the tug's crew saved their lives by rowing through the heavy northeast gale that prevailed, to a scow which the tug was towing. Their distress signals were answered by the tug Edna G., which took off the shipwrecked men.

Brainerd.—The concentrator of the Cuyuna-Sultana mine is working full blast, and shipments of manganiferous ores are under way. The Jun Lake property in section three, inside the village limits of Ironton, is being prospected. The Breitung company is sinking a shaft under the supervision of Captain Jule.

Winona.—Rev. Louis M. Lesches entered a plea of not guilty to the indictment charging assault in the first degree. The plea was entered through counsel before a crowded courtroom. Father Lesches is accused of having shot Bishop Heffron



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ENGLISH VERBS TOO MUCH

Frenchman Tried Hard, But Somehow He Couldn't Place Them Where They Belonged.

He was a hard-working and intelligent Frenchman, but the English verbs still troubled him.

"Ay, yes, m'sieur, I saw Mrs. Brown the other day," he said to an American friend, "and she telled—I mean, told—me that her school was soon to break down."

"Break up, surely."

"Ah, yes, break up? Your verbs do trouble me so yet! Break up—that was it!"

"Why was she going to let her school break up so early?"

"Because influenza had broken down in it."

"Broken out. It is a bit puzzling, isn't it?"

"Broken out—ah, yes! And she is going to leave the house in charge of a caretaker, as she fears it might be broken—How do I say that, please?"

"Broken into, I expect."

"That is it. Broken into—by the burglar."

"Is her son married yet?"

"No, the engagement is broken in."

"Broken off. Oh, I hadn't heard of that! Is she worried about it?"

"He only broke up the news to her last week. Is that right?"

"No; you should say just 'broke there.'"

"Ah, well, I'm nearly broke myself by those verbs of yours!"

And he went sadly on his way.—Exchange.

During the first half of last year, more than $22,000,000 worth of diamonds were produced in South Africa.

A DOCTOR'S EXPERIENCE

Medicine Not Needed in This Case.

It is hard to convince some people that coffee does them an injury! They lay their bad feelings to almost every cause but the true and unsuspected one.

But the doctor knows. His wide experience has proven to him that, to some systems, coffee is an insidious poison that undermines the health. Ask him if coffee is a cause of constipation, stomach and nervous troubles.

"I have been a coffee drinker all my life, and when taken sick two years ago with nervous prostration, the doctor said that my nervous system was broken down and that I would have to give up coffee.

"I got so weak and shaky I could not work, and reading an advertisement of Postum I asked my grocer if he had any of it. He said, 'Yes,' and that he used it in his family and it was all it claimed to be.

"So I quit coffee and commenced to use Postum steadily, and in about two weeks I could sleep better and get up in the morning feeling fresh. In about two months I began to gain flesh. I weighed only 146 pounds when I commenced on Postum and now I weigh 167 and feel better than I did at 20 years of age.

"I am working every day and sleep well at night. My two children were coffee drinkers, but they have not drank any since Postum came into the house, and are far more healthy than they were before." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

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Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum

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Had Liquidated.

"Look here, waiter. Eighty cents is an outrageous price for a portion of asparagus."

"Yes, sir, but you see, sir, we're putting on a very expensive cabaret show, and—"

"I know all about the cabaret show. I paid for that with the soup."

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Due to Dandruff and Irritation, Prevented by Cuticura.

The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. Daily shampoos with Cuticura Soap and occasional applications of Cuticura Ointment gently rubbed into the scalp skin will do much to promote hair-growing conditions.

Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Do You Arrest for Spending?

"A speedometer indicates how fast one is going."

"So does one bank balance."

Talking It Over.

"Mah husban' ain't been arrested in 25 years."

"Mine's up fo' life, too."

Useful in His Day.

"Nobody mentions the sea serpent any more," remarked the reminiscent person.

"Yes," replied Mr. Growcher; "and I must confess I miss him. The sea serpent was one of our most useful animals."

"But they say he never existed."

"I don't care whether he existed or not. He provided conversation about the ocean that did not threaten international misunderstandings of any kind."

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Figures.

Lobbyist—May I submit some figures in support of my contention?

Senator—Well, there'll have to be at least four figures.—Puck.

There is much difference of opinion as to whether horseback riding is exercise or punishment.

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Auction bills printed at this office.

Our merchants are paying 20 cents a doz. for eggs. Who says poultry don't pay?

Advance registrations at the State Agricultural School at Crookston shows a big increase over last year which had the largest enrollment in its history. The tenth year opens with no changes in the faculty giving to the students the advantage of an experienced teaching staff. A special course in dressmaking will be offered girls beginning in October and in January. Full particulars regarding this work and the regular courses will be mailed anyone upon writing to the School.

The northwestern Minnesota educational association will meet in annual session at Thief River Falls on Thursday and Friday November 4th. and 5th.

A comprehensive program, including every feature of educational activity, is under preparation and will be announced at an early date.

Commissioner Claxton, of Washington D. C. and several other prominent educators from this and adjoining states will be present. The state department officals will attend and confer with school officers and also appear on several programs.

Suitable local entertament will be provided and ample provision will be made for rooms and meals for all in attendance.

Teachers and school officers are requested to give this important event wide publicity and make definite arrangements to attend. Further and fuller information will appear week by week.

S. Grindeland Secretary.

Sollom Bro. have a new ad. in this week's paper.

Mrs. Ludwig Mouson and baby returned home Saturday from Silverton.

Mrs. Jim Pappas, of Fargo, came Monday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mat Larson.

Miss Hildur Carlson from Warren, commenced a term of school in Dist. No. 20 on Monday.

Victor Johnson went to St. Paul Saturday with a car of cattle for his uncle Olof Johnson.

L. S. Kolden and little granddaughter, Thelma Payne, returned to Nielsville Friday.

Sam Mickelson is repairing the buildings on the farm recently purchased by J. M. Swan.

Next week Wednesday R. E. Grover will sell horses, household goods and machinery at public auction.

A. T. Carlson autoed to Newfolden Sunday and brought Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson home for a short visit.

Mrs. O. F. Post of St. Hilaire was the winner of the automobile in the contest of the Thief River Falls Times.

The Marshall county fair exhibits were fine, but the attendance was poor on account of the bad weather last week.

Rev. M. T. Strom went to Grand Forks, Thompson and Reynolds N. D. yesterday to hold meetings for a couple of weeks.

For your Outing Flannels don't forget that Holt Merc. Co. has the regular 15c kind at only 9c. per. yard and the regular 12 1-2c. kind at only 8c. per. yard.

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H. B. Young, Editor.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$ .91
Wheat No. 2	.88
Wheat No. 3	.82
Wheat No. 4	.78
Flax	1.70
Oats	.26
Barley	34 to .40
Rye	.82
Flour, Best Patent	3.05

Sale of School and other State Lands.

State of Minnesota, State Auditor's Office. St. Paul, Sept. 20, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that on Oct. 28, 1915 at 10 o'clock A. M. in the office of the County Auditor at Warren, Marshall County, in the state of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of nonpayment of interest.

Terms: Fifteen per cent of the purchase price must be paid at the time of sale. The balance of the purchase money is payable in whole or in part on or before forty years from date of sale; the rate of interest on the unpaid balance is four per cent per annum, payable on June 1st of each year.

Appraised value of timber, if any, must also be paid at time of sale.

Lands on which the interest is delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to an actual purchaser.

All mineral rights are reserved by the laws of the state.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Not more than 320 acres can be sold or contracted to be sold to any one purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority. Appraiser's reports, showing quality and kind of soil, are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the State Commissioner of Immigration at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the above address.

J. A. O. PREUS,
State Auditor.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Sept. 17, '15. Notice is hereby given that Paul Peterson of Golden Valley, Minn., who on Mar. 2, 1912, made Homestead Application, No. 07398, for W 1-2 NE 1-4 Sec 22 T 156 N R. 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 26th day of Oct., 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Edwin C. Johnson, Melvin Olson, Clarence Larson and Benhard Larson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

CLEARING SALE

THURS. OCT. 14

Commencing at 1 o'clock P. M.

I will sell the following described property at Public Auction, in the village of Holt.

Several Horses Several Cows Chickens

Some Household Goods

A lot of New and slightly used Machinery

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PUBLIC SALE!

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WED. OCT. 13

Commencing at 1 o'clock P. M. sharp.

Horses and Machinery

- 1 roan gelding, 10 yrs. old wt. 1000
- 1 gray mare 7 yrs., wt. about 1000
- 5 head of hogs
- 1 Wagon, 2 1-2 inch tires
- 1 Spring Wagon
- 1 Buggy
- 1 Top Buggy
- 1 Hay Rack
- 1 Breaking Plow

Machinery, Etc. Etc.

- 2 horse power Gas Engine nly new
- 1 Feed Mill as good as new
- 1 Jumper
- 1 Blacksmith Forge
- 1 Sawing Outfit
- 1 Fanning Mill
- 1 Sewing Machine in good shape
- About 40 bushels of Potatoes
- Household articles too numerous to mention.

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Holt, Minnesota

Mrs. Rux went to St. Hilaire, Monday, for several days visit.

For your Bargains go to Holt Merc. Co's. Bargain Basement.

The Citizens' State Bank, of Grygla, commenced business last week Monday; this being the third bank there.

It is reported that President Wilson will be married, sometime next month, to Mrs. Norman Galt, of Washington, D. C.

The J. M. Swan family arrived here Wednesday and we are sure they will receive a cordial welcome from our people.

Mrs. Poppenhagen arrived here Tuesday from her home in Goodridge for a few days visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. M. T. Strom, Thursday afternoon, Oct. 28th. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

You can talk about your banana belts in the south and orange groves in California but Mrs. T. E. Riley picked ripe strawberries on their homestead north of town the first day of October.—Grygla Eagle

The school bus came Wednesday and [illegible] running it will soon be [illegible]

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Otto Buck received a check of $125.17 from the Grygla creamery for the month of August.

Iver Engerbretson has rented a house of Daniel Nelson and moved his family there for the winter.

E. T. Eide shipped a car of oats to Baudette Wednesday and returned to his home in Spooner yesterday.

C. H. Gunheim will have a car of apples here next Wednesday and Thursday, which he will sell for $1.25 a bushel on track.

Andrew Ness and Ludwig Monson came from Silverton, Tuesday evening, in the formers new Ford. Art Brotten returned home with them.

Ollie Werner returned home last week and moved his household goods to Thief River Falls the first of the week. Mrs. Werner and the children left Wednesday for thier new home.

John Shields of Nashua, Ia. arrived here Saturday night via. the Ford for a few days visit at the home of his cousin, H. B. Young. Mr. Shields was accompanied by his daughter Lois, his sister Miss Jessie Shields and cousin Miss Myrtle Young.

Miss Olava Sollom was a Sunday visitor with her folks here.

Now is the time to get your shoes at one half price at Holt Merc. Co's Bargain Basement.

Miss Clara Furr returned home Tuesday from a few days visit with friends in Theif River Falls.

A crowd from here went over to Newfolden, Wednesday evening, to inspect their new electric lights.

Albert Bennes returned home Wednesday accompanied by his bride and is receiving the congratulations of his many friends. They will commence housekeeping at once in the rooms over his pool hall and will be gladly welcomed by our people.

J. J. Hill has given out a lengthy interview in which he advises farmers to not hold their wheat for higher prices.

Mr Hill claims that the 1914 crop was just sufficient to meet the demands and that caused good prices, but those conditions do not prevail this year. He goes on to say that the crop this year is half a billion bushels larger than that of 1914. This country, India, Australia, Russia and many British colonies have big wheat crops this year.

800 PAIRS SHOES At One-half Price

We have 800 pairs Men's, Ladies', Boy's, Misses' and Children's Sample Shoes that we are selling at one-half price. Now is your chance to buy that good pair at little money.

We have also hundreds of other bargains in our Bargain Basement.

Be sure to early before they are gone.

Holt Merctanile Co's.

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Auto Livery Right Prices

O. J. Backlund, Prop.

Always Furnishes Reliable Service

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We have purchased the Lumber business of the Hanson & Barzen Milling Co., in Holt. We are here to stay and the interests of Holt and sorrounding country are ours.

It is our aim to be fair, honest and impartial in all our dealings.

We hope to merit and receive a liberal amount of your valued patronage.

We invite you to call and inspect stock, whether you intend buying or not. It will be our pleasure to show a stock which will fill every requirement.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company

C. L. Sandberg, Local Manager

Defective Page

Are They Still Friends?

The young women present were discussing their ages. And one of the girls said:

"I don't know what it is about my appearance, but everybody always guesses me a lot younger than I really am."

And another of the girls answered, oh, so sweetly:

"Oh, that's after they have heard you talk, isn't it, dear?"

Ontario's area is 497,262 square miles.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans. Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer. Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00.—Adv.

A Religion With Him.

"What is your father's religion?"

"Golf, I guess. It's the only thing he does on Sundays."

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

THIS is the caution applied to the public announcement of Castoria that has been manufactured under the supervision of Chas. H. Fletcher for over 30 years—the genuine Castoria. We respectfully call the attention of fathers and mothers when purchasing Castoria to see that the wrapper bears his signature in black. When the wrapper is removed the same signature appears on both sides of the bottle in red. Parents who have used Castoria for their little ones in the past years need no warning against counterfeits and imitations, but our present duty is to call the attention of the younger generation to the great danger of introducing into their families spurious medicines.

It is to be regretted that there are people who are now engaged in the nefarious business of putting up and selling all sorts of substitutes, or what should more properly be termed counterfeits, for medicinal preparations not only for adults, but worse yet, for children's medicines. It therefore devolves on the mother to scrutinize closely what she gives her child. Adults can do that for themselves, but the child has to rely on the mother's watchfulness.

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The Menu.

"My friend is a woodman."

"Then why not order chops?"—Baltimore American.

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EVIDENTLY NOT AN ARTIST

Judging From Comment, Bilkins Had a Good Deal to Learn About Photography.

Young Bilkins is an enthusiastic devotee of amateur photography. He always insists upon "taking" his family and friends posed in more or less artistic attitudes.

Not long ago there was an exhibition of the work of a local photographic club to which the young fellow belongs, and where were displayed the results of certain of his efforts to immortalize his family and friends. In one corner hung a group of figures twisted into the most extraordinary positions, the general effect being that of persons in various stages of paralysis.

"Who in the world are those queer-looking people?" asked someone.

"Oh, those are some of Bilkins' strained relations," said a bystander.

Warrior of Today.

George Wharton Pepper said at a luncheon at the Pittsburgh training camp for officers:

"The methods of warfare have changed enormously in the past year. The sword, for example, is no longer carried. The sword has quite disappeared from war.

"A story comes from the Argonne about a French chasseur who took a German officer prisoner. The chasseur, a boy, a tyro, said to the officer:

"'Give up your sword.'

"But the officer shook his head and answered:

"'I have no sword to give up. But won't my vitriol spray, my oil projector or my gas cylinder do as well?'"

Implement Generally Used.

"Sir, we are starting a new railroad and want your daughter to drive the first spike."

"I have no doubt she will consider it an honor to officiate."

"Thank you. We have provided a small gold spike. Also a silver hammer."

"One minute. I don't think she could drive a spike with a hammer. Better provide a hair brush."

Paw Still on the Job.

Little Lemuel—What's a book-worm, paw?

Paw—It's a worm that would rather digest a book by eating it than by reading it.

If you are able to appear indifferent the man who wants to sell you his dog finally will give him to you.

Assisting Ambition

Men of ambition—with the desire to forge ahead—need revitalizing food to help them to compel success.

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is a success food. It is made from whole wheat and malted barley and, pound for pound, contains far more "go" and "get there" than ordinary foods.

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HIS OWN GUARD ON WAY TO JAIL

David Esaacson Hopes in Prison to Invent Something for Government.

MAN OF MANY PARTS

Had Premonition of Fate and Feels He Will Still Be of Some Use—Believes in Upholding Law.

Atlanta, Ga.—David Esaacson, bowed by age and troubles, poor as a church mouse, inventor, alchemist, dreamer, swindler, on his way to the federal prison here, boarded the steamship City of Columbus at her pier in New York city. Searching out Captain Diehl of the steamer, Esaacson announced himself as a United States officer, charged with taking a prisoner to Atlanta.

"And where is the prisoner?" asked Captain Diehl.

"I am the prisoner," Esaacson replied to the astonished captain. "I am at once prisoner on parole and my own guard, for I have given my word that I will deliver myself."

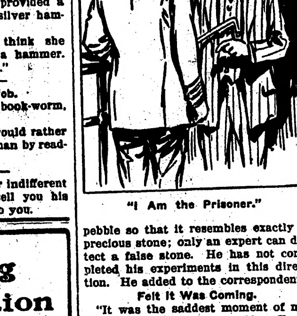
Esaacson, sixty years old, was convicted in the federal court in New York city of having used the United States mails to swindle many persons through a manufacturing company, of which he was president. Esaacson was sentenced to imprisonment of a year and a day in the federal prison here and to pay a fine of $200.

Passengers Ignorant.

Not knowing who he was, Esaacson's fellow passengers were delighted with him; his conversation proved him a man of the world; the seascapes he painted delighted the other voyagers. Landing at Savannah, Esaacson dallied there a day or two, then came here and relieved himself of his duty as a deputy United States marshal; he delivered himself to the warden of the jail. Esaacson said:

"Marshal McCarthy is one of the best of God's noblemen. He said to me: 'Esaacson, I am going to let you take yourself to Atlanta, not because I am partial to you—for I would do this for any man in whom I had confidence—but because your case has appealed very strongly to me.' Such kindness from a man accustomed to handling prisoners penetrated the very core of my being."

Esaacson claims to have rediscovered an art which the ancient Etruscans practiced—that of enameling a pebble so that it resembles exactly a precious stone; only an expert can detect a false stone. He has not completed his experiments in this direction. He added to the correspondent:



"I Am the Prisoner."

Felt It Was Coming.

"It was the saddest moment of my whole life the day I left New York. I never felt so crushed in spirit, but I am going to bear it philosophically. For, believe it or not, this series of experiences was preordained. Years ago I had a premonition that certain events would occur in my life; I could almost see the future and discern their nature."

Esaacson derided the accusation that he had bled his dupes for $500,000.

"A few thousand, a few thousand," he said, "of which I have not a centime now.

"Old as I am, I have not completed my work, my honest work, by a great deal," he concluded. "While in Atlanta I shall continue that work, pursue my discoveries, and, together with my painting, I shall keep busy. Some day—and I can see it as clearly as I see the light now—I shall invent something that will be of use to the United States government, in the enforcement of whose laws I believe thoroughly. My experience will be one that in years to come will bring some benefit, and if I can devote myself while in Atlanta toward the invention of something that will be of service to Uncle Sam, I shall not count my time as having been spent in vain."

100,000 Sparrows Drown.

Hutchinson, Kan.—It is estimated that fully 100,000 sparrows were drowned here during a sudden rain and wind storm.

SWIMS TO SHORE, BLASTS TURK RAIL CULVERT; ESCAPES

BRITISH SUBMARINE OFFICER HAS STRANGEST EXPERIENCE THAT HAS BEFALLEN ANY MAN DURING WAR.

PUSHES AHEAD OF HIM RAFT WITH EXPLOSIVES

Lieutenant Hughes Leaves Sub-Sea Craft to Destroy Viaduct, But Cliffs Prove Unscalable At Landing—He Then Dynamites Railroad Crossing and Plunges Into Sea.

London, Oct. 11.—How Lieutenant D'Oyly Hughes, attached to a British submarine operating in the Sea of Marmora, swam from the craft, pushing ahead of him a raft bearing explosives with which he made a breach in the Turkish railway skirting the beach, is related in an official report given out here. This statement, chronicling perhaps the strangest experience that has befallen any man during this war, says:

"His weapons consisted of an automatic service pistol and a sharpened bayonet. He also carried an electric torch and a whistle.

Climbs to Railway.

"The cliffs proved unscalable at the first point of landing. He therefore relaunched his raft until a less precipitous spot was reached, and after a stiff climb and a considerable march he reached the railway.

"Sighting a viaduct," continues the statement, "he planned to destroy that, but abandoned the idea because of the presence of enemy workmen. He then selected a brick culvert under which he placed a charge of explosive and lighted a fuse.

Escapes to Sea.

"He effected an escape by running a mile down the railway and plunged into the sea just as the explosive went off. Debris was scattered near him, indicating that the explosion was effective.

"Having blown his whistle to summon the submarine, the lieutenant swam out to sea. However, on sighting the submarine he mistook it for a group of Turkish row boats, whereupon he swam toward shore. Subsequently he discovered his mistake and again entered the water. He was rescued by the submarine when he was on the verge of exhaustion."

PEACE CONGRESS IS OPENED

Notable Advocates of International Amity to Address the Gathering in San Francisco.

San Francisco, Oct. 11.—Under the auspices of the American Peace society, the fifth American peace congress and the international peace congress met here today for a three-day conference. The subjects to be taken up include the formation of a league of peace, a world court, the church, schools and colleges in the peace movement, the question of armaments, and the labor movement in its relation to world peace.

The speakers include Senator Henri la Fontaine of Belgium; Hirza Ali Kuli Khan, Persian minister to the United States; Theodore Marburg, Baltimore; Dr. David Starr Jordan, chancellor of Leland Stanford, Jr., university; Dr. B. Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California; Dr. John Mez of Freiburg, Germany, president of the International Federation of Students, and A. D. Call, executive director of the American Peace society.

ST. LOUIS COUNTY IS SHORT

Discrepancies in Office of County Treasurer, Amounting to $3,000 Reported to Examiner.

Duluth, Minn., Oct. 11.—Following a two weeks' examination of the books in County Treasurer George Vivian's office, Charles R. Boostrum last night submitted a report to Andrew E. Fritz, public examiner for Minnesota, showing discrepancies and shortages in the office accounts, amounting to more than $3,000.

The discrepancies are held to indicate malfeasance on the part of assistants in the treasurer's office.

The examination was conducted at the express request of County Treasurer Vivian. During September he found several accounts that aroused his suspicion and resulted in the dismissal, pending the report of the public examiner, of Joseph T. Nelson, deputy treasurer, and Gust L. Wedan, one of the bookkeepers in the office.

Vassar Semicentennial Exercises.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Oct. 11.—Alumnae commemorative exercises to celebrate the semicentennial of the founding of Vassar college by the wealthy brewer Mathew Vassar were held here today. This morning addresses were delivered by three prominent Vassar graduates—Mary A. Jordan, professor of English at Smith college; Ellen C. Semple, and Julia C. Lathrop, chief of the children's bureau of the United States department of labor. In the afternoon the students presented the "Pageant of Minerva."

NOT AS HE EXPRESSED THEM

Teamster's Words Would Have Required Adjustment Before Their Use in the Pulpit.

A man was brought before a police court charged with abusing his team and using loud and profane language on the street. One of the witnesses was a pious old darky, who was submitted to a short cross-examination

"Did the defendant use improper language while he was beating his horses?" asked the lawyer.

"Well he talk mighty loud, suh."

"Did he indulge in profanity?"

The witness seemed puzzled. The lawyer put the question in another form:

"What I mean, Uncle Aus, is—did he use words that would be proper for your minister to use in a sermon?"

"Oh, yes suh," the old man replied with a grin that revealed the full width of his immense mouth; "but dey'd have to be 'ranged diff'runt."—Everybody's Magazine.

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Period of Romance Ended.

"No more shall I hear his footsteps on yonder walk just as the clock strikes eight."

"Gracious, Jeannette!"

"And the old parlor light will never burn low for him again."

"You don't mean it?"

"I do; and, furthermore, he will never sit on this sofa three nights a week and call me pet names, as he has been doing for two years."

"I am astonished."

"And tonight I am going to burn all the old love letters in my chest of drawers."

"B-but why? Are you going to discard him?"

"Discard him! Why, you goose, I am going to marry him!"

Why They Don't Go.

"How did it happen you didn't go away during the summer? I thought you were having an extensive outfit prepared for you?"

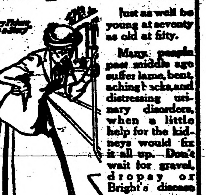
"That was the trouble. By the time I got the outfit paid for I didn't have any money left."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

It is easy to get around anyone you can manage to see through.

There are 28,000 printing establishments in Italy.

Keep Young



Every Picture Tells a Story

Just as well be young at seventy as old at fifty. Many people past middle age suffer lame, bent, aching backs, and distressing urinary disorders, when a little help for the kidneys would fix it all up. Don't wait for gravel, dropsy or Bright's disease to get a start. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands, young and old. They are the most widely used remedy for bad backs and weak kidneys in the whole world.

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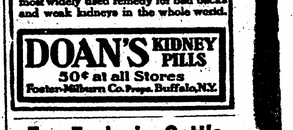

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SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.

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Sick Women Attention

Is it possible there is a woman in this country who continues to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial after all the evidence that is continually being published, which proves beyond contradiction that this grand old medicine has relieved more suffering among women than any other one medicine in the world?

We have published in the newspapers of the United States more genuine testimonial letters than have ever been published in the interest of any other medicine for women—and every year we publish many new testimonials, all genuine and true. Here are three never before published:

From Mrs. S. T. Richmond, Providence, R. I.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—"For the benefit of women who suffer as I have done I wish to state what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I did some heavy lifting and the doctor said it caused a displacement. I have always been weak and I overworked after my baby was born and inflammation set in, then nervous prostration, from which I did not recover until I had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The Compound is my best friend and when I hear of a woman with troubles like mine I try to induce her to take your medicine."—Mrs. S. T. RICHMOND, 84 Progress Avenue, Providence, R.I.

From Mrs. Maria Irwin, Peru, N.Y.

PERU, N.Y.—"Before I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was very irregular and had much pain. I had lost three children, and felt worn out all the time. This splendid medicine helped me as nothing else had done, and I am thankful every day that I took it."—Mrs. MARIA IRWIN, R.F.D. 1, Peru, N.Y.

From Mrs. Jane D. Duncan, W. Quincy, Mass.

SOUTH QUINCY, MASS.—"The doctor said that I had organic trouble and he doctored me for a long time and I did not get any relief. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised and I tried it and found relief before I had finished the first bottle. I continued taking it all through middle life and am now a strong, healthy woman and earn my own living."—Mrs. JANE D. DUNCAN, Forest Avenue, West Quincy, Mass.

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STATE BREVITIES

Elbow Lake. — Alfred Bjornerud, aged 27, and Eddie Christopherson, 19, were arrested here, charged with attempting to wreck Soo train 105 on the night of October 1 at the crossing of the Soo and Great Northern tracks.

Montevideo.—Mildred Bentley was on her way back to Montevideo, the romance in her life crushed by the suicide of her fiance, Second Lieutenant Karl Fosnes, First infantry, U. S. A., found dead in his room at Schofield barracks, Honolulu.

Mankato.—Seven school districts in this county, all close to Garden City, have voted on the question of consolidation with the central school to be at Garden City. The proposition carried by 55 majority. The election was preceded by a bitter fight, and it is expected litigation will follow.

Detroit.—Settlement of the dispute over the Indian lands in the White Earth district was discussed at a conference here attended by Senator Clapp and others. A proposal to submit the matter to a commission and thus end long litigation was considered. The government has been trying to settle the matter by litigation for years and has spent from $300,000 to $400,000.

St. Paul.—Minnesota has been released from quarantine for foot-and-mouth disease, according to advices from Washington. The quarantine had been imposed on certain townships in Dodge county. Only one case of the disease is said to have appeared there. The federal authorities and the state live stock sanitary board took co-operative action to stamp out the disease and prevent its spread.

St. Cloud.—Prizes for nearly $150 were distributed to the 34 students in Stearns county who won premiums at the Stearns county fair for having raised the best potatoes. Preliminary contests were first held at 18 points throughout the county and the best six in each district competed at the county fair. In the district contests there were 400 entries or nearly double the number that competed a year ago.

Long Prairie.—In the case of the state against Chris Altenberg, charged with the murder of his brother-in-law, Anton Larson, last February, the defendant entered a plea of guilty to a charge of manslaughter in the first degree and was sentenced to hard labor at Stillwater until released by due process of law. This means imprisonment of at least five years and unless paroled or pardoned he must serve 20 years.

Waseca.—"Christianity on Trial" was the subject of an address made by Dr. Cyrus Northrop, president emeritus of the University of Minnesota, before the general Congregational conference here. Dr. Northrop made an eloquent plea for greater unity among Christian denominations. He dwelt upon the devastation caused by the European war and the fact that none of the warring nations will admit responsibility for starting it.

Duluth.—Parting from the steamer William H. Sawyer when its towline snapped near Sand island, the schooner Tuxbury, owned by the Hamilton Transportation company, with Captain John Smith and a crew of seven men aboard, drifted all night in the lake and was picked up by the steamer Jesse Spalding. The schooner Alice Norris went adrift with the Tuxbury and made the Duluth harbor under sail before a 46-mile gale. The schooner Limit of Superior broke from the tug Moose.

Le Sueur Center.—Dr. J. A. Dudos, who was charged with the murder of an infant 10 years ago, when the complainant, Mrs. Mary Petersdorf, supposed aunt of the infant, was declared insane, following her testimony that the physician had strangled her infant nephew at birth and at the point of a revolver had made her promise never to reveal the case, was cleared on trial here. The defense produced experts and the court declared the complainant insane and the case was dismissed.

Winona.—Mrs. Mary Fricke, 48 years old, was awarded a verdict of $400 against William Ramin, 55 years old, for breach of promise. The trial took place before Judge Granger in district court here. The plaintiff, who sought to recover $5,000, is a widow and lives at Austin. The defendant is a farmer in this county and is a widower. The defense was that the promise to marry was incidental, depending upon the marriage of Ramin's daughter. The testimony was heard by a crowded courtroom.

Luverne.—Rock county is awakening to the importance of good roads. A year or two ago the state road running from this city eastward to the Nobles county line was constructed. It is the best and most scientifically built highway in this section of the country. The county commissioners have now awarded the contract for the building of five miles more of state road and for the construction of three large concrete steel bridges and 60 concrete culverts. The new road will start on section 34 in Denver township.

Faribault.—Nearly the full amount of stock for the establishment of a packing plant in Faribault has been subscribed. Local business men are back of the project and it is expected to have the plant in operation next year. Seventy-five men will be employed within a year. An architect is drawing plans for the new plant.

Northfield.—In order to cut advertising expenditures, business men have organized the Northfield Ad club, to be affiliated with the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. This is the first club in Minnesota outside Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth

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STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.—The permanent school funds of the state since 1863 have earned $11,721,674.90, according to figures prepared by Walter J. Smith, state treasurer, on the eve of the October school apportionment. The principal was turned over to the schools for the support of education in Minnesota. The total does not include one cent of taxation. All the money was earned by investments made with the school funds and represents the interest which has accrued since establishment of the funds. More than $3,000,000 was distributed to the schools by C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education.

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Funds May Not Be Available.

Attorney General Smith will be asked for an opinion as to whether the $2,000 appropriated by the Legislature under the joint resolution creating the efficiency and economy committee is available.

State Auditor Preus probably will ask for the opinion. It is not believed that the appropriation will be available, since the resolution was not certified to the Governor.

In that case, the members of the committee will have to pay their own expenses when they attend the meetings of the committee, and look to the next session of the Legislature for reimbursement.

If the appropriation is not available, the committee probably will not attempt to employ an accountant or a stenographer of its own, but will avail itself of the offers made by Governor Hammond and State Auditor Preus, to allow employes of their departments to give as much time as they can spare to the service of the committee.

The auditor's office will furnish an accountant and the Governor's office a stenographer.

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Increases County Taxes.

The Minnesota Tax Commission has increased the assessed value of personal property in Ramsey county by $988,668. The returns of the county board showed the assessed value to be $29,834,989. As equalized by the tax commission the value is $30,823,657. In Minneapolis the commission added $1,306,737 to the total of $40,040,263 returned by the Hennepin county board. In the whole of Hennepin county the tax commission added $1,421,646, bringing the total valuation as equalized to $43,658,316. The increases in both counties on household goods were 10 per cent.

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State Mine Produces.

Word was received by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, that the Philbin mine, owned by the state, has entered the producing class. "Its output this season," said Mr. Preus, "will not be very great, but the deposit of ore contained in the mine is sufficiently large to insure good-sized shipments for some years to come. The records show an admitted tonnage of approximately 4,000,000 tons. The mine probably will yield $1,000,000 to the state in royalties."

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Butter-Makers to Meet.

Scoring in the September butter and cheese contest of the dairy and food department started. The scorers are James Sorenson and S. G. Gustafson. More than 200 tubs were entered. The final educational contest of the year will be held at the annual meeting of the Minnesota Butter and Cheesemakers' association in Minneapolis next month. Entries must be in St. Paul by October 20.

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Appeals Rate Reduction.

S. D. Works, state insurance commissioner, has been served notice of an appeal by the General Inspection company of Minneapolis from his recent order reducing the rate on public school property in Duluth. Mr. Works directed a reduction of the rate from $1.64 per $100 for a five-year period to $1.43 per $100. He held that the old rate was discriminatory.

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For New Highways.

The state highway commission has taken up the question of appropriations for two proposed state roads 101 miles long in Cass county. The roads would cost $250,000. If established they will be built under the Elwell law, the state paying half the cost in 10 annual installments.

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To Stop Bible Reading.

The Mankato school district has been offered another chance not to be cut off from state aid for the high school and has accepted it. The board of education received a letter from C. G. Schulz of the department of education, saying that if the board would see to it that reading of the Bible in the high school was eliminated, he would include the Mankato school on the list to receive state aid, as heretofore. The board passed a resolution complying with the requirements of the state board.

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Every package is sealed air-tight
Put Name and A Here. Clip Out
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HAD REAL IDEA OF E

Jap Explains How Family
abled to Use One Fan T
Three Generations

Among the Japanese e
held to be a high virtue. T
sers of Tokyo were one day
ways and means of saving.
"I manage to make a fan
twenty years," said one. "
my system: I don't waste
the whole fan and wave it
I open only one section
That is good for about a y
I open the next, and so on
fan is eventually used up."
"Twenty years for a goo
claimed the other. "What
travagance! In my family
fan for two or three gener
this is how we do it: W
whole fan, but we don't w
by waving it. Oh, no! W
still, like this, under our
wave our face!"—Everybod

Just as He Had Sa
"You remember selling
hair-restorer when I called
day to get shaved, you bo
old thief?" roared the ind
tomer. "You sold it under
tenses, sir. You said it wo
my head to its original co
"Well, didn't it work?"
barber.
"Work? No. It's taken o
tle hair I used to have, a
bald as the pavement now
"That's quite right, sir.
pretense about that. I sai
restore your head to its orig
tion, and you know, sir, w
are born bald."

The password to the To
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With real Bayou bean
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Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Aug. 1915.

Cream received	31,870 lbs
Average test	28.50
Butter fat	8946.01 lbs
Percent overrun	23.76
Butter made	11075 lbs
Balance on hand last month	2.18
Received for butter shipped	2353 28
Butter and milk sold patrons	21 45
Cash sales at creamery	22 24
Rec'd from other sources	6 21
Total	$2405 26
Paid patrons by check	2011 65
" " Butter & milk	21 45
Expense fund, etc.	286 22
To sinking fund	66 45
To other sources	2 77
Balance on hand	16 72
Total	$2405 26

Number of patrons, 128
Price paid for butter fat, 28c
T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

R. Reierson is selling goods at Cost. Read his ad at the top of this column.

As winter will soon be here and the printer is like the ordinary man—needs food, fire, and clothing, a few dollars on subscription would come pretty handy.

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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Farm to Rent.

The farm now occupied by R. E. Grover is for rent. Good buildings, good water, 90 acres in field balance in pasture. Apply to O. W. Carlson Thief River Falls.

Sollom Bros. have put a telephone in their store.

The northwestern Minnesota educational association will meet in annual session at Thief River Falls on Thursday and Friday November 4th. and 5th.

A comprehensive program, including every feature of educational activity, is under preparation and will be announced at an early date.

Commissioner Claxton of Washington, D. C. and several other prominent educators from this and adjoining states will be present. The state department officals will attend and confer with school officers and also appear on several programs.

Suitable local entertament will be provided and ample provision will be made for rooms and meals for all in attendance.

Teachers and school officers are requested to give this important event wide publicity and make definite arrangements to attend. Further and fuller information will appear week by week.

S. Grindeland, Secretary.

Apples

On Wednesday and Thursday

Oct. 20 and 21

We will have a car of Apples in Holt
Price on these two days will be

$1.25 per bushel

You will save money by laying in a supply for winter at these prices.

C. H. Gunheim.

Local Items

Read the Holt Merc. Co. ads.

Send or tell us the news, please.

D. B. Backe was a Warren visitor Monday.

Racine Olson returned to Dakota, Friday, to resume threshing.

Mrs. P. O. Reierson was an over Sunday visitor with relatives in Goodridge.

Apples for $1.25 a bushel on track next Wednesday and Thursday, will make your winter supply cheap.

Mrs. Jim Pappas returned to her home in Fargo, Monday, after enjoying a pleasant visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mat Larson.

Auction bills printed at this office.

Our merchants are paying 20 cents a doz. for eggs. Who says poultry don't pay?

Several new ads again this week. Business is picking up. Let the good work go on.

The town council has passed a resolution that the pool halls close at ten o'clock P. M.

Theodore Sollom and P. O. Reierson drove to Goodridge, Saturday, returning home Monday.

John Olberg and S. S. Kolden shipped another car of cattle to South St. Paul, Saturday.

J. M. Swan's car arrived Monday, and the goods were moved onto the farm, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Carl Christofferson was in Thief River Falls last week to have Dr. Melby perform an operation for the removal of her tonsils.

Advance registrations at the State Agricultural School at Crookston show a big increase over last year which had the largest enrollment in its history. The tenth year opens with no changes in the faculty giving to the students the advantage of an experienced teaching staff. A special course in dressmaking will be offered girls beginning in October and in January. Full particulars regarding this work and the regular courses will be mailed anyone upon writing to the School.

Southeast of Holt.

Several people from this locality attended the church festival at Holt Sunday afternoon.

School opened in District No. 112 on Monday, Oct. 4, with the Misses Christine Saastad and Alice Sollom as teachers.

[illegible] Moe returned from Grafton, N. D. last Wednesday, after spending the summer there.

Mrs. Clarence Larson and son Chester, of Golden Valley, were visitors with relatives in this locality the first of the week.

School opened in District No. 20 on October 3rd, with Miss Hildur Carlson, of Warren, as teacher, this being Miss Carlsons third term here.

Miss Olga Larson left for Newfolden the first of the week, near which place she expects to teach school. She was accompanied by her brother Ludwick.

The Ladies Aid met at the Ose home on Thursday Oct. 14th.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$ .91
Wheat No. 2	.88
Wheat No. 3	.85
Wheat No. 4	.80
Flax	1.72
Oats	[illegible]
Barley	34 to .41
Rye	.84
Flour, Best Patent	3.05

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Sale of School and other State Lands.

State of Minnesota, State Auditor's Office. St. Paul, Sept. 20, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that on Oct. 28, 1915 at 10 o'clock A. M., in the office of the County Auditor, at Warren, Marshall County, in the state of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of nonpayment of interest.

Terms: Fifteen per cent of the purchase price must be paid at the time of sale. The balance of the purchase money is payable in whole or in part on or before forty years from date of sale; the rate of interest on the unpaid balance is four per cent per annum, payable on June 1st of each year.

Appraised value of timber, if any, must also be paid at time of sale.

Lands on which the interest is delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to an actual purchaser.

All mineral rights are reserved by the laws of the state.

All lands are sold subject to any and all [illegible] thereon.

Not more than 320 acres can be sold or contracted to be sold to any one purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority. Appraiser's reports, showing quality and kind of soil, are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the State Commissioner of Immigration at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the above address.

J. A. O. PREUS,
State Auditor.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Sept. 17, '15. Notice is hereby given that Paul Peterson of Golden Valley, Minn., who on May 3, 1912, made Homestead Application, No. [illegible], for W 1-2 NE 1-4 Sec 22 Twp [illegible] 41 W 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 30th day of Oct., 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Edwin C. Johnson, Martin Olson, Clarence Larson and [illegible] Larson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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The farm now occupied by R. E. Grover is for rent. Good buildings, good water, 90 acres in field balance in pasture. Apply to O. W. Carlson Thief River Falls.

Northeast of Holt

The Girl's Sewing Circle met at A. Bjerk's Saturday afternoon, with a good attendance.

A number of young people pleasantly surprised Mr. Mrs. T. O. Dovre Sunday evening and before leaving presented them with a fine mantel clock, all present reporting a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunder Sorter called at Rudmand's Sunday afternoon.

Misses Burndette Horien and Irene Wegge left for Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jens Sorter and family spent Sunday afternoon with the formers parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Christianson visited at Ed. Horien's Sunday afternoon.

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Local news in the colored supplement. Don't fail to read it.

School Notes.

The first month closed Oct. 1st, with 35 enrolled in the lower room and 29 in the upper room. The attendance in lower room was 88 per cent perfect, 8 attending without tardiness during the month. In the upper room 92 per cent with 16 attending perfectly. This is a new record for this school and should be kept up if not improved.

The seventh and eighth grades have been initiated into their industrial work, the girls making sewing aprons and the boys repairing an old desk to be used as a library table.

Our library books are ready for circulation and may be taken out by anyone in the district. The library hours are from 4 to 4:30 on Tuesday and Friday of each week. Come and get a book or have the children get one for you.

All work is well started and the children must come regularly in order to keep up to grade.

Emil Prushek, Prin.
Elsie Lawson, Ass't.

A few from here attended the first number of the entertainment at Middle River, Saturday evening.

Free Mission Church.

Rev. M. T. Strom will preach at 7:30 Sunday evening Oct. 24th. All invited to attend.

Mrs. M. T. Strom will entertain the Ladies Aid, Thursday afternoon, Oct. 28. All invited to attend.

The Young People's Society will meet at the Chris Saastad home at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon Oct. 31st. Everyone invited.

English preaching at 7:30 Tuesday evening Oct. 26, by Rev. G. O. Parish, of Thief River Falls. Every one invited to attend this special service.

2:00 o'clock Sunday School. All invited to attend. Commencing Oct. 31st the Norwegian Sunday School will meet at 10:30 in the forenoon and the English Sunday School at the regular hour 2:00 every Sunday afternoon. Young people are especially invited to attend these services.

Dr. Turley, the dentist, will be here next Friday.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet next Saturday afternoon with Mrs. H. A. Fosholm. All the little girls are invited to attend.

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We just received 500 Sample Shirts direct from the Manufacturer which we are putting out to the public below Wholesale Price which means a saving to you of at least 50 per cent.

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These shirts come in light and heavy wool and also heavy cotton and range in price from 38c and up. All sizes in Boy's and Men's.

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Now Is The Time To Stock Up

Holt Merctanile Co.

H. W. Flanning, postoffice inspector, was here Friday to look over the books of our postmaster and found everything in first class order.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Chase of Marathon, accompanied by their daughter Mrs. H. Shaw and little girl of Webb, Ia., arrived here Saturday having made the trip by auto. Mr. Shaw came Monday with their car and they moved onto the H. B. Young farm which they have rented.

Adolph Sollom and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Swan autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Agent Pevek has been entertaining a brother from North Dakota since last Friday.

P. L. Anderson, Anton Carlson and lady, Arvid Carlson and wife B. Docken and wife, Mrs. T. Sollom and daughter Olava and Miss Anna Tharlson autoed to Golden Valley, Flakne and Newfolden Sunday.

NOTICE!

The plowing demonstration, which was to be held on the 18th, was postponed until

Thursday Oct. 28, at 1 o'clock

This action was thought most adyisable, on account of the busy times, among most of the farmers, on and about the former date.

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We invite you to call and inspect stock, whether you intend buying or not. It will be our pleasure to show a stock which will fill every requirement.

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Many a man fails to arrive because he started with cold feet.

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"He is. That's why I'm calling him."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Starting Right.

"Mary," said the young lady's father, "do you think your young man will bring home the bacon?"

"I imagine so," said the daughter. "He's pretty good at bringing home the bonbons now."

Quite a Memory.

A schoolteacher who had been telling a class of small pupils the story of the discovery of America by Columbus ended it with:

"And all this happened more than four hundred years ago."

A little boy, his eyes wide open with wonder, said after a moment's thought:

"Oh, my, what a memory you've got!"

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Nothing New.

"I see," said Bilkins, "that a French scientist has discovered a method for staving off old age."

"Well, what of it?" demanded Wilkins. "There's nothing new in that. A man can stave off old age by jumping off the Eiffel tower, or dropping a lighted match in a powder barrel while sitting on it, or by rocking the boat when he's out on the water, or by riding over Niagara falls sitting astride of a log. Those French scientists make me tired with their hullabaloo over nothing."—Harper's Weekly.

What Mamma Said.

Little pitchers not only have long ears, but wide mouths sometimes. One of these is in Buffalo, and when the bell rang the other day, she went to the door, where she found some ladies.

"My dear," said one, "will you please tell your mother that we would like to see her?"

The child departed silently, and after a while returned, sat down and silently watched the callers.

"Well," said one at length, "and what did mamma say?"

"She said, 'Oh, dear. I don't want to, but I s'pose I must.'"

Equatorial Michigan.

Representative Billy Wilson, who dwells in Chicago, found himself in the upper peninsula of Michigan doing some fishing and hunting. While there he conversed with the guide that he had hired in order to have somebody around to talk to.

"Must get mighty all-fired cold up here in winter," remarked Wilson one morning.

"Yes, it often gets away down to 45 below zero," replied the native.

"Don't see how you stand it," said the congressman.

"Oh, I always spend my winters in the South," explained the guide.

"Go South, eh? Well, well! That's enterprising. And where do you go?"

"Grand Rapids," said the guide.—Collier's Weekly.

HARD ON CHILDREN

When Teacher Has Coffee Habit.

"Best is best, and best will ever live." When a person feels this way about Postum they are glad to give testimony for the benefit of others.

A school teacher down in Miss. says: "I had been a coffee drinker since my childhood, and the last few years it had injured me seriously.

"One cup of coffee taken at breakfast would cause me to become so nervous that I could scarcely go through with the day's duties, and this nervousness was often accompanied by deep depression of spirits and heart palpitation.

"I am a teacher by profession, and when under the influence of coffee had to struggle against crossness when in the school room.

"When talking this over with my physician, he suggested that I try Postum, so I purchased a package and made it carefully according to directions; found it excellent of flavour, and nourishing.

"In a short time I noticed very gratifying effects. My nervousness disappeared, I was not irritated by my pupils, life seemed full of sunshine, and my heart troubled me no longer.

"I attribute my change in health and spirits to Postum alone."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

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CONTINENTAL ARMY 400,000 STRONG, IS PLAN OF GARRISON

CITIZEN RESERVE, A REGULAR ARMY OF 140,000 AND MILITIA OF 125,000 WOULD GIVE U. S. FORCE OF 650,000.

PROGRAM FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE IS COMPLETED

Proposes Total Expenditure on Army and Navy Next Year of About $400,000,000—Secretary Daniels' Naval Construction Program Is Approved.

PLAN FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE

NAVY.

Five-year program — 10 dreadnaughts, 6 battle cruisers, 70 submarines, 50 destroyers, 10 scout cruisers, host of auxiliary craft.

First year—2 dreadnaughts, 2 battle cruisers, 25 coast submarines, 5 seagoing submarines, 12 destroyers, 3 scout cruisers.

ARMY.

Regulars, 140,000 men; continental army, 400,000; increased national guard.

AVIATION.

Two new detachments.

EXPENDITURES—1916.

Estimated at $400,000,000.

Washington, Oct. 18.—The administration program for national defense to be recommended to the forthcoming session of Congress, proposing a total expenditure on the army and navy next year of about $400,000,000, is practically completed.

Secretary Garrison's plan, approved by the President, calls for an increase of $75,000,000 in the war department's annual appropriation to be used for augmenting the regular army to 140,000 men and the creation of a new continental army of 400,000 men, which, together with the militia of 125,000, would give the United States a military force in time of need of 665,000.

$500,000,000 For Navy.

Approval also was given to the proposal of Secretary Daniels and the general board of the navy for a five-year naval construction program to cost $500,000,000, giving the navy 10 new dreadnaughts and six battle cruisers, as well as more than 70 submarines, 50 destroyers, 10 scout cruisers and a host of auxiliary ships.

Discuss Number of Ships.

Secretary Daniels and members of the general board were in conference until late at night, discussing the exact number of ships to be recommended for the first year and a scheme for equalizing the expenditures over the five-year period.

The program for the first year, which seemed likely of adoption, called for two battle cruisers, two dreadnaughts, 25 coast submarines, 5 seagoing submarines, 12 destroyers, three scout ships and 8,000 increase in personnel.

Secretary Garrison has carefully guarded his plan for strengthening the military establishment and organizing a great continental army for defense.

The program proposes:

First—Regular army 140,000 men, an increase of more than 50,000 men in the present establishment.

Second—A continental army, 400,000 strong, enlisted for six years for service within the continental United States. These men would serve two months a year for the first three years with the colors, undergoing a period of intensive training. The remaining three years they would be on furlough, subject to call in time of need.

Increases in Army.

Behind this army would be the national guard, now some 125,000 strong, but whose numbers might be substantially augmented by the organization of the continental army. The plans contemplate the transfer of such National guard officers and men as desire it into the continental army, and more liberal treatment of the guardsmen would be urged, and an increase of these state forces encouraged in every possible way.

Increases in the regular establishment contemplated are:

Infantry—Ten regiments. Field artillery—Four regiments. Coast artillery—Fifty-two companies. Engineer corps—Fifteen companies.

Aviation corps—Two detachments.

All of these new commands would be organized at peace strength. Adequate supplies of small arms and field guns and howitzers and of reserve ammunition for the enlarged establishment would be sought.

U. S. Demands Surrender of Passport.

New York, Oct. 16.—Representatives of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice have demanded that Max Loudon, who says he is of the German nobility, surrender a passport issued by the United States government last July. Loudon was held here in default of bail on a bigamy charge. Mrs. Rose O'Brien of Albion, N. Y., and Amelie Wendt of Poughkeepsie, both of whom Loudon is accused of marrying, were expected to come here at the request of the district attorney.

OPPOSES U. S. OWNING ROADS

I. C. C. MEMBER ADVISES PUBLIC OWNERSHIP AS LAST RESORT.

Clements Holds Politics Would Figure too Largely in Management of Government-owned Lines.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 18.—Judson C. Clements, of Washington, D. C., a members of the Interstate Commerce commission, declared against government ownership of railroads while speaking here at the final session of the twenty-seventh annual convention of the National Association of Railroad Commissioners. He held politics would figure too largely in the management of government-owned roads.

Only as Last Resort.

Mr. Clements made his statement while explaining the work of the Interstate Commerce commission in determining the valuation of the railroads of the United States, as ordered by the federal valuation act of 1913.

"Public ownership should be resorted to only as a last resort," he said. "The country is not ready to assume control yet.

"With the determination of the valuation of the roads and the new factors of railroad control now entering into play, it would be possible to devise a plan to abolish the evils of the railroad question more easily than by public purchase."

CRUISER SUNK OFF FINLAND

Naval Battle Between Russian and German Warships Has Occurred Belief—Zeppelin Raids Coast.

SECOND GERMAN SHIP SUNK.

London, Oct. 16.—Dispatches to the evening newspapers here say that a second German torpedo boat was sunk by the British submarine E-19 near Faxe.

London, Oct. 16.—War's interest turned for the moment from land to sea. Copenhagen reports told of the sinking by a British submarine of a German destroyer, after a battle with a cruiser and two destroyers. The cruiser and remaining destroyer fled. The action took place in the Sound, a narrow strait between Denmark and Sweden.

At the same time, a Stockholm dispatch told of a sea battle in the Gulf of Finland off Porkala peninsula, 20 miles southwest of Helsingfors, in which one cruiser was reported sunk and another badly damaged.

It is presumed that the action was between German and Russian warships.

No details of the engagement were received.

The account of the British-German naval battle from Copenhagen, says:

Craft Moved in Circles.

"The German craft moved in circles to avoid the attack of the submarine, which was bombarded heavily. This continued for some time until the submarine lodged a torpedo in the destroyer, which sank with a terrific explosion. The other German warships are said to have retreated.

"A sharp lookout from the Danish coast is being kept, but no survivors have been found."

FOUR SHOT IN BATTLE; 1 DEAD

Newspaper Writer Reported Slain, Others Believed Near Death as Result of Election Disorders.

Charleston, S. C., Oct. 16.—Sidney J. Cohen, a newspaper political writer, was killed and four men were shot in a gun battle that occurred here just outside the room where the democratic city executive committee was to meet to canvass the returns of the municipal primary last Tuesday.

It is said the shooting occurred at the moment set for calling the meeting to order and that the boxes containing the ballots to be canvassed by the committee were thrown into the street. Great confusion followed and excitement in the city is intense.

MAYOR BELL IS ACQUITTED

Indianapolis Chief Executive Found Not Guilty of Conspiring to Corrupt Elections.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 15.—Mayor Joseph E. Bell was acquitted on a charge of conspiring with Thomas Taggart and over 100 others to corrupt the 1914 elections of Marion county. The verdict was reached on the fourth ballot.

On the first three ballots the jury stood nine for acquittal and three for conviction. Bell's friends gave him an ovation in the courtroom.

"It was what every decent man expected," said Bell.

Hustis Re-elected B. & M. Head.

Boston, Oct. 15.—James H. Hustis was re-elected president of the Boston and Maine railroad.

Hague Under Martial Law.

The Hague, Oct. 15.—Martial law in a specified and partial form was proclaimed here. The proclamation announces The Hague has been placed under a minor state of martial law. The measure affects movements of workmen employed in the trades which provide military supplies. These workmen hereafter will be compelled to obtain military permits if they desire to go to other districts. Foreigners are not affected by the decree.

State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Winnebago.—The Grimes Shorthorn sale here was a great success.

Rosemount.—Mrs. Catherine McCarthy, 98 years old, died here at the home of her son, P. H. McCarthy.

Mankato.—Andrew Peterson, living near Amboy, threshed 274 bushels of winter wheat from seven and a half acres, which is about 36½ bushels to the acre.

Winona.—Three Winona men were rescued after having stood ankle deep in water on a submerged wing dam in the Mississippi river in a driving rain for ten hours.

White Earth.—At a school meeting held in district No. 112, which includes the village of White Earth, the proposition to bond the district, to secure funds for the erection of adequate school buildings, was voted down by the non-progressive faction of the district and the meeting ended in disorder.

Windom.—Roscoe, little son of Roy Silliman, was so badly burned while making a bonfire with other children that he died in a few hours. He carried a can of gasoline to the pile of sticks which were to be burned, and spilled some of it upon his clothing. When he poured the oil on the fire the blaze communicated to his clothing and he was wrapped in flames.

Elmore.—A special agent of the North-Western Railroad company has, after three months of work, with a second detective and the officers of Faribault county, run down and caused the arrest of eight persons now or formerly employed by the company in this village. Many shortage reports were sent to the company on shipments to points in Iowa passing through Elmore.

Thief River Falls.—A picture of a woman, thumb marked, faded and yellow, but which a gray and bent man refused to part with, promises to be the means to reveal the life tragedy ended with his suicide here. Every mark of identification had been removed from the clothing. There was nothing in the pocket but the photograph. It was made apparently years ago by Rhode & Schultz of Chicago.

Duluth.—That the seamen's act, which will go into effect November 4, be suspended for sixty days to allow the lake vessels to care for the huge crops which must be moved eastward, was the gist of a resolution adopted by the public affairs committee of the Commercial club at a meeting held here. If the law is enforced, it was contended in the resolution, it will tie up boats and leave all the grain remaining to be moved after November 4 at this end of the lakes.

Duluth.—"If you wish to make people see the advantages of the gospel you have to do as other good advertisers make them realize they need your goods, said Rev. John Hoffman, pastor of the First Methodist church, who discussed "Advertising the Sunday School" at the St. Louis-Lake county Sunday school convention. More advertisements and more snap will fill the empty seats, he said. Mrs. Hobart of St. Paul discussed methods of interesting children in missionary work.

Duluth.—When Violet Ray Jones, a negress, stepped from the steamer America, when it arrived from Port Arthur, Ont., she was arrested at the instance of the customs authorities, charged with attempting to smuggle opium. The officials had received a tip from Port Arthur. A search revealed 22 ounces of the drug in her corset. She is believed to be a member of a gang of smugglers who have been bringing the drug into this country from Canada. Her frequent trips aroused suspicion.

Walker, Minn. — Chippewa Indian men, women and children are baring their arms to a squad of physicians at the agency this week, in order to come in for the $18.50 annuity checks which are being issued from the Leech Lake agency office. Owing to a new ruling of the department, every Indian has to be vaccinated before he can draw his annuity check. Some of the Indians take the matter as a joke while others are remonstrating and causing not a little confusion to the work of the pay clerks.

Minneapolis.—Governors of all the federal reserve banks of the United States will meet in Minneapolis, Wednesday, Oct. 20. It will be the first meeting of the governors outside Washington, except a conference in Chicago in June. "We will be able to show the governors a remarkable situation," Governor Theodore Wold of the ninth district federal reserve bank, Minneapolis, said. "We have an enormous crop to finance, yet the bank deposits of the city are the largest ever known and there is a loaning power on the part of the commercial banks here of $20,000,000 to $25,000,000 that is not yet utilized. Money rates are low. I do not recall a like situation in my experience."

Duluth.—Former President William H. Taft will lecture in Duluth on the evening of Dec. 16 under auspices of the Collegiate alumnae and will spend that entire day here, leaving that night for the Twin Cities. While in Duluth, the former president will be the guest of Thomas S. Wood, a classmate of Henry W. Taft, a brother of the former president.

Duluth.—A firm dealing in wholesale dairy products has shipped a carload of creamery butter to Liverpool, and has orders for a large amount to go forward as fast as it can be assembled.

CHEAP BUILDINGS HELD DANGEROUS

WORKS ADVOCATES STATE SUPERVISION OVER INSURANCE POLICIES IN MINNESOTA.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Direct state supervision over every fire insurance policy issued on property within Minnesota is advocated by S. D. Works, insurance commissioner, in a report made by him to the efficiency and economy commission. Mr. Works asks that all policies be submitted to his department for approval, not only to prevent discrimination in the matter of rates, but also "as a wholesome check on over-insurance." In this connection he points out that over-insurance inevitably increases fire hazard, through the reward it offers possible incendiaries.

The insurance commissioner's communication was filed in response to a request addressed to all state departments by the efficiency and economy commission for suggestions. Elsewhere in his report he makes the charge that buildings of poor construction no better than firetraps are being put up widely throughout the state. He suggests that a competent inspector be added to his department to co-operate with architects and to be given authority to prevent the erection of dangerous buildings.

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Pardon Refused Trio.

The state board of pardons granted three pardons and 16 commutations of sentence, but again blasted the hopes of the Columbia Heights murderers, Orlin Kalderwit, John Kolb and Charles Hammon. Their application, continued from a previous meeting, was denied. The three men were sent to Stillwater May 16, 1905. Kalderwit for life and each of the others for 30 years, for the murder of little Freddie King. The three men held up a crowd in a Columbia Heights saloon and in the excitement one of them fired a shot which killed 9-year-old Freddie King. The trio were arrested and identified, but always have claimed that it was a case of mistaken identity.

Absolute pardons granted were as follows:

Joe Spradley, sent to the reformatory April 17 from Hennepin county for third degree burglary.

George Wilmot, sent to prison April 10, 1915, from Hennepin county for assault with intent to kill.

Edward Gordon, sent to prison Nov. 21, 1912, from Polk county for grand larceny, second degree.

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Farmers' and Home-Makers' Week.

The biggest and best Farmers' and Home-Makers' week in the history of the Minnesota College of Agriculture is the aim of the committee which is now making arrangements for the week's work. An effort will be made to secure an attendance of not less than 1,500.

Similar weeks at other agricultural colleges in the country draw even larger numbers, and, with the interest which exists in Minnesota in better farming and right home-making, the people at the college of agriculture feel that 1,500 is not an impossible mark for the next Farmers' and Home-Makers' week.

The date set is January 3-8, 1916. This brings the week at a time when students of the school of agriculture are at home for the winter holidays and the large dormitories on the campus will be available for the use of those who attend the short course.

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State Erects Monument.

A monument erected by the state in the cemetery here in memory of those who lost their lives in the fire of Sept. 1, 1894, which destroyed Brook Park, Hinckley and Sandstone, was dedicated. Charles E. Elmquist, state railroad and warehouse commissioner, made the principal address and the Brook Park band played. The monument is of St. Cloud granite and stands 31 feet high.

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Attack Warehouse Law.

An attack on the law which went into effect Oct. 1, compelling all storage warehouses to pay $100 a year license and to assume a $50,000 bond was begun by three Duluth firms, papers being served on the railroad and warehouse commission. The firms go into court at Duluth to ask for an injunction restraining the commission from enforcing the law.

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Operating conditions in the state insurance department are reviewed in a report filed by the public examiner through Deputy Examiner Swan B. Molander. The report covers the fiscal year ended July 31, last. The department, during the year, expended $85,817.49, the net cost of its operation having been $35,635.54, or an increase of $5,155.73. Fees increased only $2,506.27. The report calls attention to the fact that the last legislature considerably increased the scope of the department's work, increasing the cost of operation.

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Defects of Childhood.

"Physical defects of childhood are largely responsible for the retardation of children in their grades at school," says William L. Bodine, president of the National League of Compulsory Education Officials. "Many of our juvenile offenders are not normal children. Proper development of muscle and mind means the betterment of humanity in general. It should begin with the child. Health and the encouragement of fundamental principles that build up health mean a happy as well as a better citizenship now and in the future.—New York Herald.

Fine for Her.

"Of course, Mary, I might as well tell you we are vegetarians."

"That'll be fine, ma'am. I lost my last place for burning the meat."

Dark Doubt.

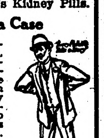
"I say, here's a man discovered the Arctic continent."

"Who saw him do it?"

Going It Too Hard

We are inclined nowadays to "go it too hard;" to overwork, worry, eat and drink too much, and to neglect our rest and sleep. This fills the blood with uric acid. The kidneys weaken and then it's a siege of backache, dizzy, nervous spells, rheumatic pains and distressing urinary disorders. Don't wait for worse troubles. Strengthen the kidneys. Use Doan's Kidney Pills.

A Montana Case



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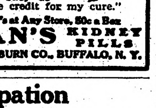

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N. P. ENGINEER RIDES TO DEATH IN TRAIN CRASH

TWENTY-ONE ARE INJURED WHEN TWO TRAINS COME TOGETHER NEAR STERLING, NORTH DAKOTA.

STICKS TO HIS POST AND BACK IS BROKEN

Air Brakes Fail to Work and Passenger Train Crashes into Freight—Several North Dakotans Are Among the Injured—Fireman's Leg Is Broken.

Mandan, Oct. 18.—An engineer who stuck to his post was the only one killed in a railroad wreck at Angora Siding Saturday afternoon, though 21 were injured. John Wantland of Jamestown, engineer of a Northern Pacific passenger train, rode to his death at the little station west of Sterling, to save the lives of passengers in the crowded coaches of his train. Despite his sacrifice his unruly engine slid and snorted head on into the engine of an east-bound stock train and twenty-one persons were hurled from their seats and injured.

Thrown Eighty Feet

Wantland was thrown eighty feet through the cab window. His back was broken and he died five minutes after he was picked up.

List of Injured.

Mrs. J. L. Sinclair, Jamestown, N. D., face badly cut; Miss Alida Peterson, Dawson, teeth knocked out; Mrs. Mary Zebling, Richardton, N. D., right arm broken; Anna Kjelland, Linton, N. D., arm broken; Mrs. Lydia Oliver, Bismarck, head cut; Conductor Peter Delmore, long cut on back of head.

Others injured in various ways, mostly severely bruised, were: Delia A. Taylor, Linton; C. Varnet, Beach, N. D.; H. H Bates, Minneapolis; G. Johnson, Driscoll, N. D.; J. C. Wagner, Steele, N. D.; J. McGuckow, Glendive, Mont.; J. T. Coughlin, Valley City; Tom Peckham, Bristol, S. D.; H. E. Brandt, St. Paul; J. Lelmer, Hebron; John Davis, Delavan, Wis.; J. S. Rick, Walla Walla, Wash.; Eleanor Barker; Mrs. Margaret Gleason, Tuttle, N. D.; Brakeman Tom Connor; C. G. Barnard.

Air Brakes Fail to Work

Wantland's train, No. 7, had orders to use the siding to pass around the freight which was standing on the main line. As the passenger train approached Wantland shut off steam to slow down nearly to a stop while a brakeman was to have run forward to throw the switch. When he reached the point where his experience told him was the place to apply the air brakes he threw them on. The train, however, failed to slacken its speed. A second application of the air brought no response. Then he used the emergency brake. Still his train kept on.

Train Would Not Stop

In a final effort Wantland reversed the steam. The engine lacked traction to stop the heavy train and with wheels locked slid forward.

Wantland's fireman, whose name is Farstag, jumped. His leg was broken. The crew of the freight train left its engine, too. Only Wantland stayed at his post.

ITALIANS TAKE OFFENSIVE

London, Oct. 18.—For four days a great battle has been raging along the entire Italian front. Taking advantage of attacks by the Austrians, the Italians have launched the general offensive which they had been preparing for months. If successful this offensive will draw many Austrian soldiers into this war zone and thus lessen the pressure against Serbia and break the Austrian lines in the Trentino and along the Isonzo river.

German Transports Sunk.

Petrograd, Oct. 18.—British submarines, operating in the Baltic sea, have sunk five German transports and forced another ashore, according to a Russian official statement given out here.

Serbs Defeat Bulgers

London, Oct. 18.—An Athens dispatch to Reuter's Telegram company says that ourists arriving from Saloniki report great activity there, with friendly relations prevailing between the foreign contingents and the Greeks.

The troops, adds the dispatch, are in excellent spirits and eager to proceed up country. The town is under military law and patrolled by mixed details of French and Greek troops.

The German steamer Athena, which had been at Saloniki since the outbreak of the war, sailed recently, conveyed by a Greek destroyer, for Piraeus, which is no longer considered a neutral port.

U. S. Represents Britain

Washington, Oct. 18.—At Great Britain's request British interests in Bulgaria will be looked after by the United States.

Rumania to Remain Neutral

London, Oct. 18.—Rumania has joined Greece in declining to enlarge the conflagration in the Near East, by declaring officially that the Rumanian government intends to preserve strict neutrality.

Bulgarians Driven Back

Salonika, Oct. 18.—Heavy cannonading is reported around Doiran, Southeastern Serbia. The Serbians are said to have forced the Bulgarians to retire. The Serbians are advancing from Souvovo in the direction of Stroumitza, which they claim they expect to take shortly.

Bulgaria Favors Greece

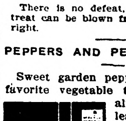
Berlin, Oct. 18.—The Overseas News agency says today: "According to the Cologne Gazette, the Greek government has asked the Bulgarian government to permit the export of Bulgarian corn to Greece, and the request has been granted."

The KITCHEN CABINET

It is not enough that women should be home-makers but they must make the world itself a large home.

There is no defeat, no call for retreat can be blown from the bugle of right.

PEPPERS AND PEPPER DISHES.



Sweet garden peppers are such a favorite vegetable that one should always have at least a dozen plants in the garden to supply the needs of the table. A name commonly used for this vegetable when canned is pimento, which is incorrectly used, as pimento is allspice. The real name is "pimiento," giving another syllable. A chopped green pepper given to almost any salad, and especially a potato salad, improves it wonderfully. Care should be taken to carefully wash them, remove the white inner fiber, as well as the seeds, before using. Peppers chopped and pounded, then fixed with cream cheese make a most appetizing relish.

Fried sweet peppers make a nice garnish to serve with lamb, mutton or pork chops.

Stuffed Peppers.—Bread crumbs with tomato or rice and a few nuts, corn beef hash, boiled rice with chicken, and many other combinations make fine stuffing for peppers. See that they are well washed, then cut off the best end to make a stable receptacle, remove the white fiber and seeds; fill the pepper, replacing the cap. Put them into a baking dish with a little stock or butter and water to keep them moist while baking.

Steak Smothered in Sweet Peppers.—Spread over a round steak the following mixture: A cup of bread crumbs, one small onion, chopped; a little poultry dressing, a pint of tomatoes and peppers mixed; if canned they will not need chopping. Place the stuffing on steak, roll and tie and pour over the tomato and pepper mixture. Cook very slowly three hours. Add boiling water or tomato juice if the meat becomes dry. Canned peppers should always find a place on the emergency shelf, as they add much to many dishes. Creamed eggs with a pepper or two added, either chopped or rubbed through a sieve; serve on toast as usual and have an unusual relish. These eggs may be served with a border of seasoned boiled rice instead of toast, if desired.

GOOD EATING.

Some of the following are so unusual that it may take faith to try them, but they will be enjoyed.

Yorkshire Bucks.—Toast 12 slices of bread and on top of each place a square of cheese, and on top of the cheese a thin slice of bacon: sprinkle with paprika and place the toast in a dripping pan and pour over a little weakened vinegar, enough to moisten the toast. Place in the oven until the cheese is melted and serve hot.

Apple Dumplings With Peanut Butter.—Sift a pint of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, a half teaspoonful of salt, then rub in a half cupful of peanut butter; moisten with iced water as for pie crust. Roll out and cut in squares. Lay on each square a cored, peeled apple, sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon, wet the edges and pinch them together. Bake and serve with cream and sugar.

Cuban Stew.—Take four pounds of mutton, one cupful of olive oil, one can of tomatoes, eight medium sized onions, one can of peas, one can of mushrooms and eight potatoes; a tablespoonful of salt and a few dashes of pepper. Put olive oil into a kettle, and when hot add onions, tomatoes and meat, cut in pieces, with the salt and pepper. Cover closely and simmer three hours. Then add the potatoes, cut in halves, and when they are tender add the peas and mushrooms, drained from the cans. When well heated, thicken the gravy and serve hot.

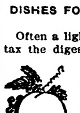
Simple Cake.—Into a measuring cup holding half a pint break an egg, a tablespoonful of melted lard, three tablespoonfuls of canned cream, then fill the cup with water. Sift together one and a half cupfuls of flour, one cupful of sugar, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and a pinch of salt. Add the liquid and beat hard for five minutes. Bake in layers or in a loaf.

Gypsy Stew.—Cook together young carrots cut in slices, green onions, peas and new potatoes. Fry a slice of diced salt pork, turn in the tender vegetables, add milk to it and seasonings, and serve very hot.

Life is made of little "ifs,"
Good and bad together;
It's just the "ifs" that all through life
Bring sun or stormy weather.

DISHES FOR EVENING PARTIES.

Often a light supper which does not tax the digestion will be found most agreeable.



Dresden Oysters. — Chop two dozen large oysters, mix with a tablespoonful of melted butter, an unbeaten egg, one-third of the bulk of bread crumbs a tablespoonful of chopped parsley and a little onion juice. Season with salt, and paprika. Form into balls and bake ten or fifteen minutes in a hot oven. Serve on oyster shells with parsley and lemon as a garnish.

Asparagus With Stuffed Eggs. — Take canned asparagus, or if fresh, cook until tender in salted water and arrange on a platter in a border of buttered toast points and quartered, stuffed eggs. Pour over a hot sauce made as follows: Take two tablespoonfuls of butter and two and a half of flour; when well mixed add a pint of chicken stock, or a small can of chicken broth and six finely minced mushrooms. Stir and cook for fifteen minutes, then add a cupful of hot cream and the juice of a lemon; strain and reheat.

Chicken and Mushroom Patties. — Saute two cupfuls of mushrooms in two tablespoonfuls of butter five minutes; season well with salt and pepper. Remove from the fire, take out a scant cupful and chop the remainder fine with two and a half cupfuls of cold cooked chicken. Beat two eggs, add salt, pepper and the juice of half a lemon. Add a tablespoonful of chopped parsley and a pint of boiling milk; stirring until it thickens. Now add the mushroom and chicken mixture and when very hot fill patty shells and garnish the tops with whole mushrooms.

Gingerbread with whipped cream and a cupful of hot coffee is well liked by many people who do not enjoy rich cake.

Cold ham, boiled or fried, put through the meat chopper, mixed with a little mustard or hard-boiled egg, is nice filling for sandwiches.

GOOD THINGS FROM GRAPES.

Grapes are at their best when eaten ripe and fresh from the vines garnished with their own leaves. Grapes if placed over night on ice, then served with a leaf or two on a plate will have a frosty appearance which will give them an added beauty and the cool fruit will be most grateful.

Grape Juice.—To prepare—pick the stems from the fruit and cover with enough water to be seen between the grapes. Cook until the seeds are free and the skins look pink or have lost their color, then strain. Return the juice to the fire and boil 20 minutes; then to each quart add a cupful of sugar; cook ten minutes longer and bottle in airtight bottles, dipping the corks in melted paraffin.

Grape Juice Ice Cream.—To a cupful of grape juice add a pint of thin cream and sugar to sweeten, a tablespoonful of lemon juice, mix and freeze.

Grape Jam.—Remove the skin from the pulp of well-washed grapes and put them in separate utensils; heat the pulp with a cupful of water and press through a sieve to remove the seeds; add the skins to the pulp and weigh. To each pound of fruit add three-fourths of a pound of sugar and just enough water to prevent burning. Cook slowly for 40 minutes.

Grape Sherbet.—Take three pounds of Concord grapes, three lemons, three pints of water and three cupfuls of sugar. Wash the grapes and put them in a granite pan, mash and squeeze out all the juice; measure and add an equal amount of water, the lemon juice and sugar. The sugar and water, if boiled to a sirup, will make a smoother sherbet. The amount of water should be allowed when measuring. Freeze as usual.

A pretty novelty is crystallized grapes. Select firm, large grapes in perfect bunches; wash carefully and dip in white of egg, then in pulverized sugar. Arrange on a platter on a bed of grape leaves.

For grape jelly the grapes should be underripe. Prepare them as for grape juice, then add the sugar to the juice and cook until it thickens in a cold dish, when a teaspoonful is tried.

Nellie Maxwell

GATHERED FACTS

Spain has 3,500,000 acres of olives.

New York leads the states in salt production.

"Kid" is gypsy for "child." Hence the term kidnaping.

Hailstones 14 inches in circumference have been found in England.

Intrinsically, Victoria crosses are worth 9 cents each.

Some Japanese spiders make webs so strong it requires a knife to cut them.

St. Paul's Cathedral, London, cost $7,500,000.

Speaking of the 131-pound catfish caught in the Missouri river, if a thing is valueless the supply is always ample.

A "tinker's dam" is a wall of dough or of soft clay, raised around a spot which a plumber, in repairing, desires to flood with solder. The material of this dam can be used only once, and is thrown away after this very temporary period of usefulness. Hence the well-known proverb.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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HAD A SUFFICIENT BURDEN

Son Saw Little Probability of Father Taking on a Duty That He Could Sidestep.

Down in the sooothwestern section of Texas a gentleman by the name of Patten was running for the state senate. His partner, being very much interested in the election, took an active part in the campaign. One day he met a young man from the forks of the creek, and after inquiring about his father, mother and the rest of the family, discussing the weather, crops, stocks and things in general, said:

"Well, Bill, is the old man going to support Mr. Patten this fall?"

The young rustic scratched his head and after some little hesitation replied:

"Well, I don't know, sir, but I think not, sir; you see he's having a darn hard time supporting himself, sir!"—Mack's National Monthly.

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Kissing by Proxy.

A small boy of twelve loaned his knife one day in school to what he considered his best girl. After the girl had returned the knife he sent a note back to her reading as follows:

"Dear Jane: I am sucking my knife because I know you had it in your mouth."

IT IS FREE.

If you are interested in a Business course, or a Shorthand or Gas Tractor and Auto Engineering course, write to Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. D., or Fargo, N. D., for their new illustrated catalog. It is free.—Adv.

It's awfully hard to give away some of the things you want to get rid of.

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Bathe your face for several minutes with resinol soap and hot water, then apply a little resinol ointment very gently. Let this stay on ten minutes, and wash off with resinol soap and more hot water, finishing with a dash of cold water to close the pores. Do this once or twice a day, and you will be astonished to find how quickly the healing resinol medication soothes and cleanses the pores, removes pimples and blackheads, and leaves the complexion clear and velvety.

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Evidently Not Particular.

At a trial in the court of common pleas in Sandusky, O., in 1872, several citizens were subpenaed to testify as to the character and habits of A— B—, defendant. Among the number was an ex-probate judge of grave demeanor. The state's attorney asked this gentleman if he was acquainted with the defendant, and he replied, "Yes."

"Are you sufficiently acquainted with the defendant to know his general habits?"

"Yes, sir."

"Are they good or bad?"

"Fair."

"Now, sir, do you before this court and jury testify that you are in the habit of associating with the same kind of company as this defendant?"

"Oh, yes; I associate with all grades of company, from lawyers up."

Signs.

"Jack has given up smoking."

"U-m! Don't say so?"

"Yes, and I hear he has resigned from his club."

"Well, that's going some."

"And he's quit playing golf, too."

"That confirms the rumor that he's married."

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FARM MORTGAGES

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Peter M. [illegible]gdal, Register.

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BULGARS REPULSED ALONG WHOLE LINE; ALLIES ADVANCING

SERBIANS ARE NOW CONSIDERED SECURE — ANGLO-FRENCH TROOPS BEING RUSHED TO THE FRONT.

AUSTRO-GERMANS HASTEN DRIVE TO CONSTANTINOPLE

Teuton Tacticians Are Aiming to Get Through by Shortest Possible Route to Bulgarian Territory, Belief—Montenegrins and Serbians Offer Stubborn Resistance.

Petrograd, Oct. 20.—Capture of 9,300 prisoners in scattered engagements along the eastern front is announced in the official war office bulletin.

London, Oct. 20.—A late edition of the Evening News publishes the following dispatch from Athens: "The Bulgarians have been repulsed along the whole line. The Serbians are now considered secure and the Allies are advancing against the Bulgarians. The Allied troops are being rushed to the front hastily."

London, Oct. 20.—A dispatch to the Chronicle from Rome says:

"According to a Bucharest telegram the Serbians took 2,000 prisoners and four guns in the Gornacco sector. The enemy's losses in killed and wounded also were very heavy. The Serbians were victorious in the Timok region of northeast Serbia, taking 300 prisoners."

Paris, Oct. 20.—Development of tremendous Teutonic pressure to southeastward rather than due south through Serbia and Semendria is arousing the suspicions here that the Austro-German tacticians are aiming [illegible] to get through by the shortest possible route to friendly Bulgarian territory.

The drive across Serbia in the [illegible] regions would be but 25 or 30 miles at the narrowest point of Serb territory. Thence, after crossing [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] connection with Constantinople.

Serbs Strongly Reinforced.

There is heavy fighting in [illegible] Vranya district [illegible], according to reliable news from [illegible] the Serbians have been strongly reinforced. Beyond Vranya telegraphic communication is interrupted.

Report has it that the Allies already have occupied the important strategic town of Strumitza on the extreme southwestern part of Bulgaria, across the Greek border and that a landing has been made by them in Turkey at Enos, in the mouth of the Maritza river, a short distance southeast of the Bulgarian port of Dedeagatch. While Enos is a shallow water port and its environs are unhealthy owing to the marshy country surrounding the city, the Maritza river is navigable at this season of the year by barges as far as Adrianople.

Stubbornly Oppose Teutons.

All along the line the Serbians and their Montenegrin neighbors, who also are being attacked, are offering very stubborn resistance to both Austro-Germans and Bulgarians, and while they have given up a number of towns and positions they have not yet reached the line on which they expect to make their stand.

The Bulgarians, so far as can be learned, made progress only in the Zlotokonska valley, near the River Morava, north of the town of Vranya, where they blew up a bridge. There is no confirmation, however, of the report that they cut the railway in this vicinity, the bridge which they destroyed being a small wooden one near the railway. The Bulgarian force which penetrated the valley is not a large one.

Surprise for Central Powers.

The Italians, according to the latest reports, will not send a contingent to the Balkans but co-operation of their navy in the Aegean, where an allied fleet has already gathered, is looked for.

The point at which the Russians will strike has not yet been disclosed. The expectation is, however, that the allies have a surprise for the central powers and that steps are being taken to bring Turkey to her knees before assistance can reach her.

Six Men Rob Train; Escape.

New York, Oct. 20.—Six men held up and robbed a West Shore train in Haverstraw and then escaped in an automobile.

Hearings in Chicago Strike.

Chicago, Oct. 20.—Definite decision to get the facts underlying the strike of garment workers, which now is in its fourth week, through public hearings, was made by the aldermanic committee investigating the strike. Notifications were sent out during the day to employers and employes alike that the hearings would begin at 2 p. m., in the council chamber. Members of the council committee declared that they were far from satisfied with the information they had been able to get.

CLAUDE GRAHAME-WHITE

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According to private advices from London, the man recently condemned as a spy and shot in the Tower of London was Claude Grahame-White, the famous aviator, who had been active as a commander of the British air forces. The same letter said the woman condemned to ten years in prison is Mrs. Grahame-White, who was Dorothy Taylor of New York.

DOES NOT SEEK PRESIDENCY

CHICAGO MAYOR SPENDS DAY IN MINNEAPOLIS.

Thompson Declares Sunday Lid Will Stay on While the Law Stands—Favors Enforcement.

Minneapolis, Oct. 20.—William Hale Thompson, mayor of Chicago, former "cow puncher," more recently banker and real estate operator, athlete and advocate of the strenuous life, spent a strenuous day in Minneapolis with his party, which is returning from a trip to the San Francisco exposition.

Breakfast at the Athletic club with Mayor Nye as host, an automobile ride in the forenoon, luncheon and a speech at the University club, an afternoon spent at the Minneapolis Institute, the Walker gallery [illegible] [illegible] the former football player [illegible] a [illegible] hours entertainment as he has participated in for some time, as he admitted just before his special train left at 11:30 p. m.

Favors Law Enforcement.

The dinner was the more formal of the varied events of the day. Mayor Thompson took occasion in his remarks on this occasion to elaborate somewhat on his previous statements regarding the Chicago Sunday closing order which has occasioned so much comment.

"I have no set ideas on the liquor question or prohibition," he said. "When I ordered the saloons to close on the Sabbath day I had only one feeling, that I had held up my right hand and had taken an oath to execute the laws.

"It seems that the matter will become a political issue with the Republicans standing for law enforcement and the Democrats favoring a lax enforcement. It will be extremely interesting to watch the outcome [illegible] to see if people favor law enforcement [illegible] [illegible] office [illegible] should seek to be with the same [illegible] we secured before."

"I am not a candidate for president" is the answer he made as he has on numerous previous occasions.

EIGHT ARE DRAGGED TO DEATH

[illegible] Two Members of Crew of Wreck[ed] Schooner [illegible] Pursuing Breakers Off California.

[illegible] Arena, Cal., Oct. 20.—One [illegible], seven men and two [illegible] who had [illegible] their way to [illegible] Pass Rocks after escaping from the wrecked gasoline schooner All[iance] No. 2, were dragged back into the sea by pursuing combers. Eight [illegible] went to death. The sixth [illegible] Madner, was flung ashore alive.

[illegible] Jones of Vancouver, the mate, was the only other member of the ship's company of ten who was saved. Madner was tossed upon the beach unconscious. When he revived he crawled up to a sun road and was picked up by a farmer's wagon.

Zeppelin Hits Chimney; Crew Killed.

[illegible], Oct. 20.—Collision with a factory chimney at [illegible] killed all the crew of a Zeppelin, according to a Paris message received here.

Five Fatally Hurt in Wreck.

Joliet, Ill., Oct. 20.—Three trainmen and two passengers were fatally injured and a score of others seriously hurt when a Chicago and Alton commuter train ran into an open switch here. The fatally injured are: Mrs. W. R. Taylor of California of California, both legs broken, fractured skull, internal injuries. ——— Rockey, Joliet, legs broken, internal injuries. Jack Mulligan, legs broken, internal injuries. E Hines, legs broken, internal injuries. Charles Brant, legs broken, internal injuries.

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Southeast of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Gudvangen left Saturday for Fertile where they will leave their children while Mrs. Gudvangen undergoes an operation. Mr. Gudvangen returned Monday to his threshing in this vicinity.

Fred Steinhau purchased a Bull Tractor last week.

T. Wold spent Sunday afternoon at the S. Moe home.

A large number of people were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kisch, on Saturday evening. Dainty refreshments were served and all reported an enjoyable time.

Mrs. Tona Johnson who has been spending some time at the N. Sordal and G. Johnson homes, returned to her home east of Thief River Falls Monday.

A large number of young people spent Sunday evening at the S. Moe home.

Miss Thea Gutterud who is attending High school in Thief River Falls spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank [illegible] left Friday for Iowa where they will make their future home.

The very sad news of the sudden death of Knute Greiswk, came has a great shock to his many friends. Heartfelt sympathy is extended to the family.

Miss Hildur Carlson was entertained at the Kisch home on Sunday afternoon.

E. Moe spent Monday evening at S. Moe's home.

Bernard Larson came from Golden Valley to spend a few days at the S. Larson home during threshing.

Mr. add Mrs. Arno Steinhau and son Adolph spent Sunday at the J. P. Swanson home.

Pete Michaelson was at Germantown Sunday.

Art Brotten returned Tuesday from Goodridge.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	[illegible]
Wheat No. 2	[illegible]
Wheat No. 3	[illegible]
Wheat No. 4	[illegible]
Flax	[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]
Barley	[illegible]
Rye	[illegible]
Flour, Best Patent	[illegible]

Sale of School and other State Lands.

State of Minnesota, State Auditor's Office, St. Paul, Sept. 20, 1915.

Notice is hereby given, that on Oct. 28, 1915 at 10 o'clock A. M. in the office of the County Auditor, at Warren, Marshall County, in the state of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of non-payment of interest.

Terms: Fifteen per cent of the purchase price must be paid at the time of sale. The balance of the purchase money is payable in whole or in part on or before forty years from date of sale, the rate of interest on the unpaid balance is four per cent per annum, payable on June 1st of each year.

Appraised value of timber, if any, must also be paid [illegible]

Lands on which the interest is delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to an actual purchaser.

All mineral rights are reserved by the laws of the state.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Not more than 320 acres can be sold or contracted to be sold to any one purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority. Appraiser's reports, showing quality and kind of soil, are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the State Commissioner of Immigration at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the above address.

J. A. O. PREUS,
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J. Knutson of Radium, was here Monday looking up a location for a butcher shop.

C. J. Haggland returned home Monday evening from a short business trip to Minot N. D.

Halloween party and basket social at the Holt school building 7:30 Saturday evening Oct. 30th. Proceeds to be used for play ground equipment and Christmas entertainment. All are invited.

R. E. Grover and son Vernon left Saturday with two cars for their new home near Swansville Minn. Mrs. Grover and the children departed Wednesday. The best wishes of many friends will follow them.

S. S. Kolden was obliged to postpone the plowing demonstration, on account of the farmers being so busy. The demonstration will take place next week Thursday Oct. 28th. at 1 o'clock on the C. L. Heinze farm.

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MACKEY J. THOMPSON FARM MORTGAGES ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

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Send us [illegible] attention.

Write [illegible]

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Petrograd, Oct. 20.—Capture of 3,300 prisoners in scattered engagements along the eastern front is announced in the official war office bulletin.

London, Oct. 20.—A late edition of the Evening News publishes the following dispatch from Athens: "The Bulgarians have been repulsed along the whole line. The Serbians are now considered secure and the Allies are advancing against the Bulgarians. The Allied troops are being rushed to the front hastily."

London, Oct. 20.—A dispatch to the Chronicle from Rome says:

"According to a [illegible] latest telegram the Serbians took [illegible] prisoners and four guns in the G[illegible] sector. The enemy's losses in killed and wounded also were very heavy. The Serbians were victorious in the Timok region of Northeast Serbia, taking 200 prisoners.

Paris, Oct. 20.—Development of tremendous Teutonic pressure to the southeastward, rather than due south, through Serbia and Semendria, is arousing the suspicions here that the Austro-German tacticians are aiming now to get through by the shortest possible route to friendly Bulgarian territory.

The drive across Serbia in this direction, would be but 25 or 30 miles at the narrowest point of Serb territory. Thence, after crossing the Timok river, presumably unopposed, there would be an overland march of about 85 miles to the nearest railroad connection with Constantinople.

Serbs Strongly Reinforced.

There is heavy fighting in the Ristovac-Vranya [illegible] of Serbia. According to reliable news from Saloniki the Serbians have been strongly reinforced. Beyond Vranya telegraphic communication is interrupted.

Rome has it that the Allies already have occupied the important strategic town of Strumitsa on the extreme southwestern part of Bulgaria, [illegible] [illegible]

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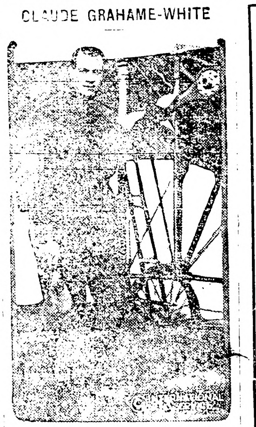

According to private advices from London, the man recently condemned as a spy and shot in the Tower of London was Claude Grahame-White, the famous aviator who had been active as a commander of the British air forces. The same letter said the woman condemned to ten years in prison is Mrs. Grahame-White, who was Dorothy Taylor of New York.

DOES NOT SEEK PRESIDENCY

CHICAGO MAYOR SPENDS DAY IN MINNEAPOLIS.

Thompson Declares Sunday Lid Will Stay on While the Law Stands—Favors Enforcement.

Minneapolis, Oct. 20.—William Hale Thompson, mayor of Chicago, former "cow-puncher", more recently banker and real estate operator, athlete and advocate of the strenuous life, spent a strenuous day in Minneapolis with his party which is returning from a trip to the San Francisco exposition.

A breakfast at the Athletic club with Mayor Nye as host, an automobile ride in the forenoon, luncheon and a speech at the University club, an afternoon spent at the Minneapolis Art Institute, the Walker gallery and a game of water polo, dinner at the Athletic club and speeches there after, gave the former football player and "broncho-buster" as varied a 14 hours entertainment as he has participated in for some time, as he admitted just before his special train left at 11:30 p. m.

Favors Law Enforcement.

The dinner was the more formal of the varied events of the day. Mayor Thompson took occasion in his remarks on this occasion to elaborate [illegible] what on his previous statement [illegible] regarding the Chicago Sunday closing [illegible] has been [illegible]

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Fred Steinhaus purchased a Bull tractor last week.

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A large number of [illegible] [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Martin [illegible] Saturday evening. [illegible]

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No 1 Northern	$ .88
Wheat No 2	.85
Wheat No 3	.81
Wheat No 4	.75
Flax	1.72
Oats	.26
Barley	.30 to .41
Rye	.88
Flour [illegible]	[illegible]

Sale of School and other State Lands.

State of Minnesota State Auditor's office, St Paul, Sept. 26, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that on Oct. 26, 1915 at 10 o'clock A. M. in the office of the County Auditor at Warren, Marshall County, in the state of Minnesota I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of nonpayment of interest.

Terms: Fifteen per cent of the purchase price must be paid at the time of sale. The balance of the purchase money is payable in whole or in part at any time before forty years from date of sale. The rate of interest on the unpaid balance is four per cent per annum payable on June 1st of each year.

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Lands on which the interest is delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to an actual purchaser.

All mineral rights are reserved by the laws of the state.

All lands are sold subject to any [illegible] ditch taxes thereon.

Not more than 320 acres [illegible] contracted to be sold to any one purchaser.

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Miss Lydia Riesberg has been [illegible] from an attack of tonsilitis but has been able to attend to [illegible] as telephone operator.

[illegible] of Erskine came Wednesday and will make his home with his daughter Mrs. Albert Bennes.

Many of our exchanges got out special booster editions last week which were a credit to themselves and their communities.

Dr. E. D. Brandenburg, of Minneapolis, is here looking after the threshing on his farm.

The Holt Merc. Co. still have a [illegible] hundred pairs of shoes left that they are selling at one half price. If you haven't bought yours yet—Do It Now.

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Mrs. C. L. Heinze brought us a fine Holland cabbage which she says will keep all winter, also a rutabaga which weighs 13 1-2 lbs., and is now on exhibition at this office. Mrs. Heinze tells us they have a lot of fine carrots and cabbages which they will sell very cheap.

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Oh! Here we are again. That same good Coffee - not alone but a nice juicy Hamburger Sandwich and that Pie and Doughnuts that Ma makes will be served at Huseth's Lunch Counter. Come in and make yourself at home.

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Racine Olson returned Saturday from Dakota.

Three milch cows for sale. Enquire of Oscar Furr.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Latta autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Yttre have moved into the house on the farm formerly owned by Nels Engerbretsen.

For some reason, not explained, Dr. Turley has changed the day of his next visit to Friday and will be here Oct. 29th, to do dental work.

Rev. G. O. Parish preached an excellent sermon in the Mission church Tuesday evening. He will return here two weeks from that date and preach another sermon for the people of Holt and vicinity.

Halloween party and basket social at the Holt school building 7:30 Saturday evening Oct. 30th. Proceeds to be used for play ground equipment and Christmas entertainment. All are invited.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl will preach in the Wilson school house, Mud Lake township, at 10:45 next Sunday and at 8 o'clock P. M. in East Valley. All invited. Confirmants meet after services in East Valley.

Oh! Here we are again. That same good Coffee—not alone but a nice juicy Hamburger Sandwich and that Pie and Doughnuts that Ma makes will be served at Huseth's Lunch Counter. Come in and make yourself at home.

Farm to Rent.

The farm now occupied by R. E. Grover is for rent. Good buildings, good water, 90 acres in field balance in pasture. Apply to O. W. Carlson Thief River Falls.

Potatoes For Sale!

Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 50c per bushel delivered in Holt.

A. C. Jahr, Holt.

Carrots For Sale!

I will sell a grain sack full of carrots for only 75c, as long as they last also a lot of nice cabbage, cheap.

C. L. Heinze, Holt.

Estray Notice!

A small sheep came to my place Oct. 21st. Owner will please prove property, pay costs of keeping and for this notice.

Andrew Engstrom, Holt.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes

Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Money To Loan

We have a large surplus on hand

Which We Wish to Place In

First Mortgage Farm Loans

Our rates and terms are very reasonable and made to suit the borrower.

See Us Before Renewing Your Loan or

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Holt State Bank

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Total Resources - $86,000.00

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Always Furnishes Reliable Service

Leave Orders at Hotel - - HOLT, MINN.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

We have purchased the Lumber business of the Hanson & Barzen Milling Co., in Holt. We are here to stay and the interests of Holt and sorrounding country are ours.

It is our aim to be fair, honest and impartial in all our dealings.

We hope to merit and receive a liberal amount of your valued patronage.

We invite you to call and inspect stock, whether you intend buying or not. It will be our pleasure to show a stock which will fill every requirement.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company

C. L. Sandberg, Local Manager

BRITISH NURSE'S EXECUTION JUST, IS BERLIN CLAIM

DEATH OF MISS CAVELL IS EXPLAINED BY GERMAN UNDER-SECRETARY FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

WORLD-WIDE CONSPIRACY INVOLVED, HE DECLARES

Countless British, Belgian and French Soldiers Again Fighting in Ranks Who Owe Their Escape to Band Headed by English Woman, Says Teuton Official.

Berlin, via the Hague and London, Oct. 26.—Dr. Alfred F. M. Zimmerman, German under-secretary for foreign affairs, has issued an official explanation of the recent execution in Belgium of Miss Edith Cavell, the British nurse. He prefaced his remarks by the declaration that he had examined every jot and tittle of the evidence with the greatest care and found the verdict, though regrettable, to be just. His statement follows:

Official Explanaion Made.

"I see by the British and the American press that the shooting of an English woman and the conviction of several other women in Brussels for treason have created a great impression and that we are being severely criticised. It is indeed hard that a woman must be executed, but remember to what shall a state come which is in war if it allows to pass unnoticed a crime against the safety of its armies because committed by women. No law book in the world, least of all those dealing with war regulations, makes such a differenation and the feminine sex has but one preference, according to legal usages, namely that women in a delicate condition may not be executed. Otherwise man and woman are equal before the law and only their degree of guilt makes a difference in the sentence for the crime and its consequences.

Claims World-wide Plot.

"In the Cavell case I have reviewed the decision of the court and examined the evidence down to the smallest details. The result is so convicting and all the circumstances are so clear and convincing that no court martial in the world would have reached any other decision. For it concerns not the act of one single person, rather it concerns a well-thought-out, world-wide conspiracy which succeeded for nine months to render the most valuable services to the enemy to the disadvantage of our army. Countless British, Belgian and French soldiers now are again fighting in the ranks who owe their escape to the activity of the band now sentenced, at the head of which stood Miss Cavell.

Greatest Duties in War.

"With such a situation under the very eyes of the authorities only the utmost severity can bring relief and the government violates the most elemental duty toward the army and its safety that does not adopt the srictest measures These duties in war are greater than any other.

"I admit certainly that the motive of those convicted was not unnoble and that they acted out of love for the fatherland. But in war time one must be ready to seal one's love for the fatherland with one's blood whether one opposes the enemy in battle or whether one commits acts in its interest which justly carry with them the death penalty.

New Attempts Feared.

"If others are shown mercy it will be at the cost of our army for it is to be feared that new attempts will be made to injure us if it is believed possible escape without punishment or with the risk of only a light sentence.

"The weakness of our enemies' arguments is proved by the fact that they do not attempt to combat the justice of the sentence, but try to influence public opinion against us by false reports of the execution. It is claimed that the soldiers assigned to the execution first refused to shoot and finally fired so faultily that the officers had to kill the accused with a revolver. No word of this is true. I have the official report of the execution in which it is established that it took place entirely within established regulations and that death occurred immediately after the first salvo, as the physician present attests."

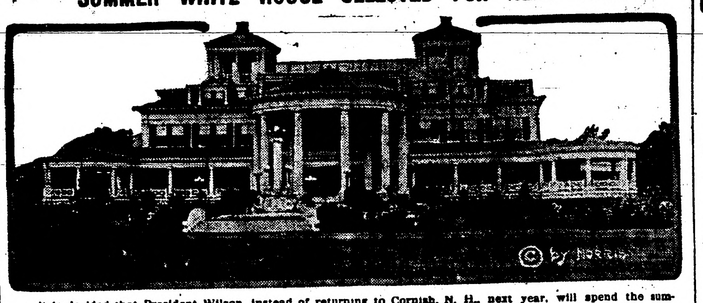
Gill Clay Factory Burns.

Muncie, Ind., Oct. 25.—The Gill clay pot factory burned. The loss is estimated at $100,000.

May Appeal on Drug Law.

Minneapolis, Oct. 25.—Data is being prepared upon which to base an appeal to the supreme court from the recent ruling of Judge Booth regarding the Harrison anti-narcotic law, the druggists in attendance at the western branch of the American Pharmaceutical association learned Judge Booth's ruling that sale of narcotics must be proved to constitute an offense under the law, and that mere possession is not a violation, was given exhaustive discussion.

SUMMER WHITE HOUSE SELECTED FOR NEXT YEAR



It is decided that President Wilson, instead of returning to Cornish, N. H., next year, will spend the summer with his bride at Shadow Lawn, the home of the late John A. McCall at Long Branch, N. J. It is a magnificent estate, suitable in every way to accommodate the presidential establishment. It includes about thirty acres of beautiful lawns and terraced gardens, a lake and tennis courts. Golf links are near by.

VOICE IS HEARD ACROSS ATLANTIC

ARLINGTON, VA., TALKS WITH PARIS, FRANCE, WHILE HONOLULU ALSO LISTENS.

WIRELESS 'PHONE IS SUCCESS

American Telephone and Telegraph Company Receives Cable Message Saying That Words Were Distinctly Heard by French

New York, Oct. 23.—Arlington, Va., has just talked by wireless telephone with Paris, France. Honolulu also heard the operator talking from Arlington.

Announcement that the human voice had been successfully projected across the Atlantic was made on behalf of John J. Carty, chief engineer of the American Telephone & Telegraph company, at the company's office here. Later Mr. Carty telephoned from Chicago, confirming the announcement.

To B. B. Webb, a telephone engineer, fell the honor of being the first man to span with his voice the space between the old world and the new.

Wireless Signals Paris.

The wireless snapped out the signal and soon there came back a response. Awaiting word from Mr. Webb at the Paris end of the wireless radiation were H. E. Shreeve and A. M. Curtis, other engineers, and a group of French officers listening with especially designed apparatus.

Webb, at Arlington, had a transmitting instrument, but no receiving apparatus. He knew, therefore, that he would have to wait for the cable to confirm the success or failure of the experiment.

"Hello, Shreeve!" he shouted into the mouthpiece.

"Hello, Shreeve!"

"Hello" Heard by French.

He then began to count: "One, two, three, four; one, two, three, four. Goodbye."

Late in the afternoon the expected cable message came. It was addressed to the company here and said that Webb's "hellos" and "good-byes" had been distinctly heard by the engineers and French army officers in Paris and that portions of his test figures had also been picked up. At about the same time there came a message from Honolulu, saying that Webb's talk had been understood.

ELLA FLAGG YOUNG TO QUIT

Superintendent of Chicago Schools Blames Newspapers For Their "Persistent Discussions."

Chicago, Oct. 23. — Ella Flagg Young, for six years superintendent of schools, announced that she would resign Dec. 8.

In announcing that she would not seek reappointment, the superintendent blamed "persistent discussion of the superintendency of schools in the daily newspapers" for her determination to quit.

Mrs. Young, who is 70 years old, has been active in school affairs since 1862 when she began teaching grade schools.

Pope to Hold Consistory.

Rome, via Paris, Oct. 25.—Although Pope Benedict did not wish to hold a consistory during the war, he has now changed his original intention as the Italian members in the Sacred college are in fewer numbers than the foreign cardinals. There is mention of the creation of French, German and perhaps Austrian cardinals, but otherwise the cardinals created will be Italians. It is asserted that the pontiff's allocution on the occasion will be the most important exposition of his views on peace that he has yet made.

Marauders Start Four Fires.

Sacramento, Cal., Oct. 25.—Marauders, concluding a campaign of arson across two states, started four fires in a big hop ranch across the American river from here and did damage estimated at $35,000. Fire fighters found telephone wires cut and pumps put out of commission and were threatened with death when seeking aid. The hop kilns and picking plant were destroyed. The press rooms and warehouses were saved. The ranch is one of several owned by the firm of Horst Brothers.

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BRYAN MAN IS FOR WILSON

Senator John W. Kern of Indiana Experiences Change of Sentiment—Favors Preparedness.

Washington, Oct. 23.—Senator John W. Kern of Indiana, leader of the senate, has visited the president to announce to him that he and Indiana had been for the preparedness program all the time.

Two weeks ago Senator Kern was dead against the program as wasteful, unnecessary and dangerous. It seems as though Senator Kern had his wires crossed and did not realize that the president was for the program.

He has now squared himself handsomely.

Such sudden collapses of opposition give the president hope that the program will be agreed to without prolonged debate and without partisan acrimony.

Senator Kern was a principal prop of the Bryan pacifists. His defection indicates that Mr. Bryan will have to confine his efforts to the house, where he has a bunch of noisy followers of the Tavenner type. They probably will muster enough votes to delay but not defeat action.

GERMANY CONTROLS FOOD

Federal Government Decides to Assume Responsibility for Price and Supply of Victuals.

Berlin, Oct. 25.—The German federal government has decided to assume control of the price and supply of victuals throughout Germany. Up to the present time the state provincial authorities had been considered competent to handle the food situation.

The German government considers it necessary, the Overseas News agency says, to equalize the position of the various sections of the empire as to the distribution and the price of victuals, which are abundant, but under different conditions in the various states and provinces of Germany.

Wilson and Fiancee at Church.

Washington, Oct. 25. — President Wilson attended church with his fiancee, Mrs. Norman Galt, for the first time since their engagement was announced. They were accompanied by Miss Margaret Wilson. Word of their coming brought out such a crowd that many had to be turned away from the church.

Millionaire's Son Attacks Girl.

Chicago, Oct. 25.—A mysterious attack on Miss Anna Lamree, leading woman of a burlesque show, was revealed by the detention at the detective bureau of Herbert Elbert. Miss Lamree, who was attacked in her hotel room Wednesday night or early Thursday morning, is at a hospital with her head crushed and her right side paralyzed. It is said that she has slight chance of recovery. Elbert is said to be a grandson of Charles Smith, millionaire piano manufacturer, and stepson of Dr. E. J. Schwandt.

TEXANS THREATEN TO INVADE MEXICO

READY TO "TAKE IT OUT ON GREASERS" AT NEXT INSTANCE OF BANDITRY.

CONSPIRACY OF AMERICANS?

The Administration Members Believe There Is More to Outbreaks Along Border Than Mere Lawlessness on the Part of Bandits.

Brownsville, Texas, Oct. 23.—Brownsville has "declared war" on Mexico.

One hundred citizens of this place have announced their intention of crossing the river at the next instance of banditry and "taking it out on the greasers."

The situation is the tensest since the initial Madero revolution. Military and civil officials realize the difficulty of restraining the thoroughly aroused citizens and fear international complications.

A mass meeting of citizens was held behind closed doors. The import of the meeting is not known, further than that it has to do with reprisals for the two recent bandit raids near Olmito and Ojo De Agua, which resulted in the death of six Americans and the wounding of 11 others.

Bandits Gather Forces. Americans May Be at Fault.

It became an open secret at the capital in the course of the day that many administration members believe there is more to the outbreaks along the border than mere lawlessness on the part of a number of bandits; that the source of continued attacks may be found with Americans hostile to the recognition of Carranza and still hoping to bring about intervention.

If the outlaws now on rampage have such inspiration, it is expected the justice department will be able to run down the conspirators. "The secret service force on the border will be increased immediately—as rapidly as the department's facilities permit," was the statement following the attorney general's talk with the president.

WOMEN LOSE JERSEY FIGHT

Suffrage Is Beaten by 65,000, President Wilson's Own District Rejecting the Cause.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 21.—Suffrage was beaten in New Jersey by probably 65,000. Essex county (Newark) alone returned a majority of 14,000 the constitutional amendment to give women the ballot. President Wilson's own district went "anti." The district rejected the "cause" by a vote of 150 to 64. The town of Princeton, in which the president voted, rejected the suffrage amendment by a majority of 182.

Women Get Same Pay as Men.

London, Oct. 25.—In a statement just issued David Lloyd George, minister of munitions, announced that women 18 years of age and over engaged in munition work receive a minimum wage of one pound weekly. While doing skilled work on time or by piece women get the same pay as men, the announcement further states.

This official recognition of the right of women to receive the same pay as men for the same work is claimed as a great victory by militant suffragists.

Yaquis Occupy Naco.

Naco, Ariz., Oct. 23.—Evacuated by its Carranza garrison the town of Naco, Sonora, across the border was occupied last night by Yaqui Indians in the service of General Villa.

Firing Squad Fails to Kill Woman.

Amsterdam, Oct. 25.—The Telegraaf publishes an article from its Antwerp correspondent in which it is said that some weeks ago a French woman, Mme. Louise Frenay, was executed at Liege. The correspondent says that the act of the German firing squad was not accurate and that as in the case of Miss Edith Cavell, under similar circumstances, the commanding officer of the firing squad was obliged to put Mme. Frenay to death by shooting her through the head with his revolver.

GIRLS TRAPPED IN FLAMING FACTORY BURNED TO DEATH

BODIES OF FOUR WOMEN AND ONE MAN TAKEN FROM UPPER FLOORS BY FIREMEN.

ONLY TEN EMPLOYES ARE KNOWN TO HAVE ESCAPED

Police Estimate There Were at Least 100 Persons in Building Occupied by Several Manufacturing Plants —Dead Were Mostly from Box Factory.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 26.—Several girls were reported dead, many were injured and twenty-two are still unaccounted for as a result of a fire that swept the Union Box company's plant, Allegheny.

One hundred girls, trapped in the building, leaped from windows to the street before firemen could arrive with nets.

At 2 o'clock the known dead were two, said police. Nine girls were in the hospital. The blaze, starting in the feed store of W. S. Brown, below the factory loft, spread so rapidly that most of the apparatus in the city was called to fight it.

Officials of the company whose plant in Allegheny was destroyed by fire said at 2:30 that of the 26 men and girl employes only 10, to their knowledge, had escaped from the burning building. Of those who escaped, nine were in the hospital.

The bodies of four girls and one man were taken from the upper floors of the building by firemen. At least 10 others were believed to be in the building.

Hundred Persons in Building.

Besides the box factory, several other manufacturing plants occupied the building. Police estimated there were at least 100 persons there when the blaze started. The dead, however, were mostly from the box factory. Five girls were taken down a rope, three jumped from the third story, where the box factory was located. Two of the girls were injured severely by jumping to the street. Others escaped by making a desperate leap across a space more than four feet wide to an adjoining building.

Only the quick thinking of C. R. Carlisle, who happened to be passing the building at the time the flames were discovered, prevented the flames from gathering a much heavier toll. He rushed to a nearby factory and secured a rope which he threw to a third-story window and five girls slid down this.

A big fire steamer racing to the fire turned turtle, pinning the driver beneath it. He was seriously hurt. Other firemen were overcome by smoke.

GERMAN CRUISER DESTROYED

Prinz Adalbert Attacked and Sunk by British Submarine Operating Near Libau.

Ptrograd, via London, Oct. 26.—A British submarine operating near Libau attacked and sank a German cruiser of the Prinz Adalbert class, according to official announcement.

The Prinz Adalbert is an armored cruiser 392 feet in length and with a displacement of 8,800 tons. She carries a complement of 557 men.

To Enforce Closing Law.

Minneapolis, Oct. 26.—As a sequel to the ban on the cabaret, to rigid orders for the suppression of blind pigs and to efforts of the retail liquor dealers to get rid of unlicensed drinking places, has come an order from Mayor Nye commanding the police to enforce the Sunday closing law to the letter. Complaint was made to the mayor that some of the cafes and hotels were tilting the Sunday lid, and the cry went up during the recent county option campaign that the larger places were being permitted to sell on the quiet after hours.

Leading Cotton Man Dies.

Waltham, Mass., Oct. 26.—Arthur T. Lyman, one of the leading cotton manufacturers of the country, died at his home here. He was 83 years old. Mr. Lyman was president of the Pacific mills, the Bigelow Carpet company, the Massachusetts Cotton mills, in Georgia, and the mills of the same name in Lowell, and other concerns, and was proprietor of most of the locks and canals on the Merrimac river.

Dumba Denies He Was Snubbed.

Berlin, Oct. 26.—Dr. C. T. Dumba, former Austro-Hungarian ambassador at Washington, who has arrived here from the United States, gave out the following interview: "As to the causes which necessitated my return to Vienna, I need not go into details. But if you ask me if the tales are true that people on board the steamer avoided me I can only reply that the opposite is true. My wife and I felt ourselves under the necessity of conducting ourselves with reserve toward our fellow travelers."

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"As a part of the general program of 'preparedness,'" said Doctor Pratt, "the secretary of commerce will request congress to make a very largely increased appropriation for the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce. Secretary Redfield believes that commercial preparedness should not be overlooked, that the United States is facing a great and unusual opportunity for increased world commerce, and he has expressed these convictions in the requests which he will make on congress to enable the department of commerce to do a larger and more effective work in promoting commerce than is now possible.

"One of the most important increases asked for is an increased clerical staff in Washington. This amounts practically to a reorganization of the bureau with additional divisions and departments for new branches of the work which have recently been undertaken."

WILSON'S WEDDING DEC. 20

Announcement Made Unofficially That Ceremony Will Take Place Shortly Before Christmas.

Washington, Oct. 26.—The wedding of President Wilson and Mrs. Norman Galt will take place soon before the Christmas holidays, probably Dec. 20, at the home of Mrs. Galt on Twentieth street, according to definite information just obtained.

The announcement was made unofficially, simultaneously with the announcement of the president's daughter, Miss Margaret's, intended departure for Madison, Wis., to resume social service work.

The wedding, it is said, will be an afternoon affair with only members of the two immediate families present. The wedding trip will be in the South.

Engagements of the president in the next several weeks include a speech in Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 10; voting at Princeton, N. J., in the state election and a speech at New York before the Manhattan club in New York.

Republican Union to Meet Nov. 30.

Washington, Oct. 26.—The committee on organization and extension of the National Republican union which has for its object the revision of the basis of representation in Republican national committees met here and decided to call a conference of members in Chicago, November 30, to effect a permanent organization.

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Oct. 26.—Wheat, December, 95¾c; May, 1.00⅛; No. 1 northern, 99¾c; No. 2 northern, 98¾c; No. 1 durum, 96¾c; No. 3 corn, 69½c; No. 2 white oats, 34½c; barley, malting, 52c; No 2 rye, 96c; No. 1 flax, 1.86.

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, Oct. 26.—Wheat, December, 95¾c; May, $1.00¼.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Oct. 26.—Cattle—Steers, $5.50@7.00; cows, $6.00@7.50; calves, $7.50; hogs, $7.15@7.30; sheep and lambs, $4.00@8.00.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Oct. 26.—Hogs—Receipts, 18,000; slow, 5@10c above yesterday's average; bulk, $6.90@7.55; light, $6.50@$7.90; mixed, $6.85@8.00; heavy, $6.65@$8.00; rough, $6.65@6.85; pigs, $4.00@$7.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 18,000; easy; native beef cattle, $6.00@10.40; western steers, $6.70@8.80; cows and heifers, $2.85@8.35; calves, $7.25@10.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 19,000; weak; wethers, $5.90@6.50; lambs, $6.50@8.80.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Minneapolis, Oct. 26.—Butter, Creamery, extras, 26½c; extra firsts 25c; firsts, 24c; seconds, 23c; dairies, extra firsts, 23c; packing stock, 20c.

Eggs—Candled, free from rots, small dirties and checks out, 28c; current receipts, rots out, case $7.65; checks and seconds, doz. 15c; dirties, 16c; No. 1 refrigerator, candled, doz. 25c.

Believe Death Result of Feud.

St. Louis, Oct. 26.—The police here pushed their investigation to Vienna, Mo., in an effort to solve the slaying of Robert L. Rowden, attorney, who was hacked to death in his apartments and whose death was discovered by his bride of nine days. Rowden's friends told the police he had inherited a feud, which two years ago caused the death of two of his relatives in a street battle. Rowden recently visited Vienna to bring punishment to the slayers.

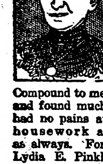
MRS. THOMSON TELLS WOMEN

How She Was Helped During Change of Life by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I am just 52 years of age and during Change of Life I suffered for six years terribly. I tried several doctors but none seemed to give me any relief. Every month the pains were intense in both sides, and made me so weak that I had to go to bed. At last a friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me and I tried it at once and found much relief. After that I had no pains at all and could do my housework and shopping the same as always. For years I have praised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for what it has done for me, and shall always recommend it as a woman's friend. You are at liberty to use my letter in any way."—Mrs. THOMSON, 649 W. Russell St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Change of Life is one of the most critical periods of a woman's existence. Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to carry women so successfully through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



Man's Materialism.

Perry Belmont, condemning materialism at a Newport dinner, said:

"Take the average husband. Could anything be more material than he?

"Tell the average husband that his love is growing cold, and he won't so much as lift his eyes from the evening paper.

"But tell him that his consomme is growing cold, and—zip, he's off for the dining room in 29-foot leaps."

THICK LOVELY HAIR

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May be brought about by shampoos with Cuticura Soap preceded by touches of Cuticura Ointment to spots of dandruff, itching and irritation. A clean, healthy scalp means good hair. Try these supercreamy emollients if you have any hair or scalp trouble.

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Try Yeast.

"So you are going to start a bakery?"

"If I can raise the dough."—Boston Evening Transcript.

It Never Came Back

Backache Sufferer! Thousands will tell you what wonderful relief they have had from Doan's Kidney Pills. Not only relief, but lasting cures. If you are lame in the morning, have headache, nervous troubles, dizzy spells and irregular kidney or bladder action, don't wait until gravel, dropsy or Bright's disease gets hold. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the best-recommended kidney medicine.

A North Dakota Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Mrs. Theo. Neumann, Hankinson, N. D., says: "For five years I had kidney complaint, which caused awful pains in my back, along with a dull, throbbing ache. I had bad headaches and to stoop or move quickly, made me dizzy. Doan's Kidney Pills rid me of these ailments and I haven't suffered during the past three years."

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STATE BREVITIES

Rochester.—The Olmsted County Taxpayers and Good Roads association is the name of a new organization formed in this city for the specific purpose of building good roads.

Worthington. — Edward Thiel and Albert E. Deere are under arrest in the Nobles county jail, charged with the murder of Charles Dillehay, proprietor of a theater at Ellsworth, the night of Wednesday, Sept. 22. Both are said to have confessed to complicity in the crime.

Duluth.—A jury in the case of Walter Richeson, former assistant clerk of the municipal court, on trial in the district court on a charge of embezzlement, was dismissed by Judge Fesler after being unable to reach a verdict in twenty-four hours' deliberation. The jurors stood six for acquittal and six for conviction.

Fergus Falls.—The 1-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Christ Derky of the town of Corliss, this county, found a large screw while playing and put it in his mouth. It slipped down his throat and choked him. An older boy ran out to the field where his parents were at work, but before they arrived the child was dead.

Brainerd. — Proceedings, believed to be the first of their kind, wherein the entire state tax commission appeared in district court chambers to answer mandamus proceedings, were heard before Judge W. S. McClenahan. The proceedings were brought by Y. P. Jones and others of Clearwater county in what is known as the First National bank of Bagley case.

Rochester.—A new union church was formally dedicated at Douglas, a few miles from Rochester. The new church is designed to serve as a community center. Religious services of any denomination may be held there, although the property is in the hands of a corporation affiliated with the Evangelical Synod Church of North America, of which Rev. W. W. Bunge is the pastor in Rochester.

Faribault.—Business men of Faribault have succeeded in raising the required amount of capital for the establishment of a packing plant. The amount to be raised before the erection of buildings was commenced was $200,000. Many farmers in Rice, Steele, Goodhue, Dakota, Waseca, Le Sueur and Scott counties are subscribers. The company has been organized for $500,000 and more stock will be sold.

Albert Lea.—Frank H. Fisk, formerly surveyor of this county, was adjudged insane by Judge of Probate A. U. Mayland and was taken to the hospital at Rochester. Mr. Fisk is widely known for his engineering ability. Many of the dredging projects in southern Minnesota were under his supervision. Overwork and failing health are thought to be the cause of his insanity. Physicians say he can live only a few weeks.

Albert Lea. — Seventy-five automobile loads of Albert Lea Auto club members drove to Hartland to attend the annual harvest festival in that village. The Hartland band escorted the visitors into the town. Edward Olson, president of the Citizens' National bank of Albert Lea, won the prize for being the heaviest man at the celebration. A large blue ribbon was tied around his neck and he was carried through the principal streets by firemen.

Delano.—The congregation of the Methodist Episcopal church of Delano tendered a reception to Rev. and Mrs. G. L. Haggans at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ketchbach. Mrs. Haggans is a bride and the affair was given in her honor. Superintendent Wetzel of the public schools made an address of welcome which was responded to in happy vein by Rev. Mr. Haggans. Mrs. Wetzel, Mrs. Ketchbach and Charles Brunkow gave several vocal numbers and Miss Dorothy Dodge gave two readings.

Mora. — W. B. Thurston, United States dairy specialist, and R. H. Giverson, teacher of agriculture in the high school, are co-operating in a campaign to raise the standard of the dairy industry here. One of their recent activities was to visit several dairy farms in company with students of the agricultural classes of the high school. This was done to interest dairymen in regularly weighing and testing the milk from their cows. Some of this work has already been done and good results have been secured.

East Grand Forks.—Peter Swanson of International Falls, Minn., is held by East Grand Forks police on a charge of murdering Charles Norton 70 years old, who was kicked to death in a local rooming house.

Sam Sorenson, a transient, and Charles Fern, a laboring man who says he makes Minneapolis his headquarters, are being held as witnesses. They were in the room when the assault took place, the police say.

Norton, who was porter at the place was killed when he attempted to order some men out of the room.

Fulda.—The frog industry is in full swing here and gives employment to several persons. Frogs are more numerous than for years. In a week, two firms purchased about 4,000 dozen and shipped them to the cities. The frogs are caught by boys and men who find them hiding in crevices of the rocks around the lake. Sixty-five dozen were taken from around and beneath one rock.

Virginia. — More than 300 delegates arrived here to attend the third annual convention of the League of Minnesota Municipalities. Mayor J. P. Seberger of St. Cloud presided.

NO COMPLAINTS TO RAIL COMMISSION

BULLETINS BELIEVED TO HAVE AIDED FARMERS IN AVOIDING CAR SHORTAGES.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

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St. Paul.

The railroad and warehouse commission figuratively is keeping its fingers crossed these days because no complaints are coming in as to car shortages in moving the big crops. The commission early in the shipping season sent out bulletins of instruction to shippers showing them how to avoid shortages. It has learned that the railroads insisted that their agents post the bulletins in conspicuous places and that the elevator men kept the suggestions in prominent places where the farmers would see them and be governed accordingly. The grain has been moving steadily so far. Oats, flax and barley have been shipped in large quantities. Some of the wheat is being held for higher prices, it is said, which may have something to do with the absence of car shortages. When the potato shipping season is well under way a shortage is feared.

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Plans for Development.

Governor Hammond has called on commercial, civic and development organizations of the state to study plans they may wish to submit at a booster meeting which the governor expects to call soon to agree on a plan for unified development of all sections of Minnesota. It is suggested by the governor that the various organizations in each county meet and elect delegates to represent the county at the booster meeting, which is to be held in St. Paul. Governor Hammond will ask larger development associations which take in a number of counties also to send delegates to the meeting. When the various organizations are heard from, Governor Hammond will name a day on which the county conventions may be held, and when the delegates are chosen he will set the convention day for the big meeting in St. Paul.

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Roseau School Case Decided.

The supreme court has decided that Mrs. Bergit Billberg shall remain county superintendent of schools of Roseau county. Quo warranto proceedings brought by Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith on behalf of Mrs. Anna Connelly Olsen to oust Mrs. Billberg were dismissed. Mrs. Olsen was in office as superintendent of schools when the general election was held. November, 1914. Eddy E. Billberg, husband of Bergit Billberg, opposed Mrs. Olsen at the election and won out. Mrs. Olsen contested the election on the ground that Billberg had violated the corrupt practices act by circulating an alleged slanderous pamphlet against her. The trial court decided Billberg should remain in office.

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Would Limit Banks.

The chartering of so many state banks should be stopped, according to A. H. Turrittin, superintendent of banks, who made this suggestion to the economy and efficiency commission. "On account of the rapidly increasing number of banks, the majority of which have only $10,000 capital, some limit should be placed on their number," he said.

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Races to Save Park.

Unless Oscar Mitchell, who left for New York to arrange the papers necessary for a transfer of the lands along the St. Louis river in St. Louis and Carlton counties to the state, can get his work done and have the deed executed and the restrictions approved by the governor immediately, the state will lose the lands for state park purposes.

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For State Office Building.

The erection of an office building on or near the Capitol grounds for the housing of state departments which are crowded into too small quarters in the marble pile was advocated by Eben E. Corliss, Capitol custodian, in a letter to the Efficiency and Economy Commission.

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Board to Select Stone.

Following receipt of bids for the general construction work on the Historical society's new building, the state board of control will decide what kind of stone will be used in constructing the building. The law specifies that only Minnesota stone may be used.

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Timber Brings $225,812.

Buyers of state timber at the sale at the state capitol paid in $56,453.02 in checks to cover the initial payment of 25 per cent. This means a sale of $225,812.08, but the sale in reality was heavier, as the actual cut of timber shown by the scale always runs higher than the preliminary estimates. The bulk of the 53,000,000 feet of timber offered was bid in, most of it at the appraised price. The pine timber was appraised at $7 to $3 a thousand feet, but much of it was run up to higher figures in the bidding.

USES PHONE TO TO WIN HIS BRIDE

Pennsylvania Young Man Causes Girl to Jilt Man She Was Engaged To.

MAKES QUICK RESOLVE

When Young Woman Asks Him to Wish Her Happiness He Decides He Alone Can Give It to Her.

Bridgeport, Conn.—Paul J. Barber is a prominent young business man of Wilkes-Barre, Pa. With his friend and classmate of old University of Pennsylvania days, Edward Poli, he came here recently for a visit.

The especial attraction which Bridgeport held for Poli was a young woman who was then visiting Miss Ruth B. Alling, the attractive daughter of Noyes B. Alling, who conducts several rubber stores. Naturally Poli and Barber were frequent visitors at the Alling home during their stay.

Some days ago Barber, in opening his mail, found a postal from Miss Alling. She had "just dropped him a line" to let him know she was to be married to John R. Wrigle, manager of the Bridgeport Compressed Paper Box company. She "hoped he would wish her happiness" in her engagement and subsequent marriage.

Barber did wish her happiness—all the happiness in the world—but he was determined he would be the one who would bring her this bountiful happiness.

Puts in Long-Distance Call.

The young man hastened to the nearest long-distance telephone. He called the Alling home, got Miss Alling on the wire, having prearranged with the Wilkes-Barre operator that no matter how high the tolls rose he must not be interrupted.

There is little likelihood of anyone ever knowing, including Barber himself, just what was said in that conversation or how it was said, but it was eminently stisfactory and effective.

Barber, in consequence, took the next train for Bridgeport. He did not announce his arrival here, but he and Miss Alling, a few hours later, might have been observed on a train bound for New York. Their destination there was the city hall. A license was procured. It was no aldermanic holiday and—but what's the use? You know the rest.

This is not the end, however. Mr. Wrigle, happy in the part of Miss Alling's accepted sweetheart, knocked gayly at her front door the very day she and Barber had left for New York on aldermanic business. Mrs. Alling came to the door.

He Called Up the Ailing Home.

"Where is Ruth?" asked the accepted one.

And then he had to be told

SHOT A COON? HERE'S ALIBI

Two Men Fired at It All Night, but It Was a Crow's Nest Instead of a Coon.

Ashtabula, O.—Hale Britton of Richmond Center started down his pasture lane a few night ago, when his dog struck a coon trail and soon landed the coon up a tree.

Britton went to the house for a shotgun, and when he returned he could just see the coon high up in the top of the tree. He shot at the animal several times, then decided the shotgun was too short range to reach him. After telling his dog to keep a close watch, Britton went over to D. Tinkham's house, and the two returned with Tinkham's rifle. From then on until one o'clock they took turns firing at the coon.

Finally they built a fire and waited until daylight. Then they learned the coon they had been shooting at all night was a crow's nest.

Found "Dead" Father in Poorhouse.

Rudd, Ia.—Mrs. K. E. Penny, wife of a banker, has found her father, John De Mart, after a search of 35 years. She believed him dead, but De Mart, now eighty-three years of age, was located in the poorhouse at Marshalltown.

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WILLOWS TO SAVE THE CANAL

Roots Will Form Web, Says Inventor, and Prevent Landslides at Panama.

E. Moody Boynton, inventor of the monorail system of transportation, is convinced that willow trees can be made to stop the Panama canal landslides. He has written President Wilson what he thinks should be done, and his letter has been forwarded to the isthmian officials.

Mr. Boynton proposes that willow piles be driven close together along both sides of the canal where slides occur. These willows will grow. He says that the roots of each will spread out as far as 100 feet, all forming together a web which would hold earth firmly.

Its Case.

"How is the Turkish army doing?"

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Left Over.

"Robert," said his mother, "what mischief have you been up to now? I can tell by the look in your eyes that you have been naughty." "Oh," replied Robert, that's part of the look left over from the last time I was naughty."

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Making It Personal.

It is sad to see family relics sold at auction, but the most painful thing under the hammer is generally your thumbnail.

What Gives Milk Its Color.

Recent experiments show that the color of milk is chiefly due to the presence of carotin, a coloring matter found abundantly in green plants, especially in grass. The yellow pigments of our bodies also consist of carotin, which is probably derived chiefly from our food.

Slavery Originated in the East.

Absolute slavery seems to have appeared in the eastern colonies somewhat earlier than in the southern, for slavery existed in New York in 1628, in New Jersey in 1623, in Massachusetts in 1630, in Connecticut in 1631 and in Delaware in 1636. There was a statutory recognition of slavery in Massachusetts in 1641, which was considerably ahead of such recognition of slavery in Virginia or Maryland.

Nature Supreme.

Not all the product of artificial greeneries are so lovely as that of the fields, the country garden, the fence rows, the first roses, the daffodils, the arbutus which hides under the hillside leaves, the first buds of the rhododendrons and the other forms telling of the life blood drawn direct from the earth, while poor mankind has to take all second hand.

Mines in Warfare.

A land mine in warfare consists of a charge of high explosive buried in the ground, and arranged so as to explode when the enemy's troops are over it. Mines are also used in siege warfare, tunnels being driven under the enemy's fortifications and enormous quantities of high explosive placed in them.

Advance registrations at the State Agricultural School at Crookston show a big increase over last year which had the largest enrollment in its history. The tenth year opens with no changes in the faculty giving to the students the advantage of an experienced teaching staff. A special course in dressmaking will be offered girls beginning in October and in January. Full particulars regarding this work and the regular courses will be mailed anyone upon writing to the School.

The northwestern Minnesota educational association will meet in annual session at Thief River Falls on Thursday and Friday November 4th. and 5th.

A comprehensive program, including every feature of educational activity, is under preparation and will be announced at an early date. Commissioner Claxton of Washington D. C. and several other prominent educators from this and adjoining states will be present. The state department officals will attend and confer with school officers and also appear on several programs.

Suitable local entertament will be provided and ample provision will be made for rooms and meals for all in attendance.

Teachers and school officers are requested to give this important event wide publicity and make definite arrangements to attend. Further and fuller information will appear week by week.

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REPORT FROM ROME SAYS GERMANY MAY MAKE PEACE OFFER

DISPATCH RECEIVED IN LONDON ASSERTS VON BEULOW WILL SUBMIT PROPOSALS TO WILSON.

BREAK BETWEEN GREECE AND ALLIES IS HINTED

Note Handed to Athens Government Contained Such an Intimation, Says Message to Central News —Greek Cabinet Crisis Is Narrowly Averted.

London, Oct. 27.—A report has reached here that Prince von Buelow, former German chancellor, will shortly submit to President Wilson and King Alfonso of Spain an outline of the conditions on which Germany might be disposed to discuss terms of peace.

The report is contained in a Reuter dispatch from Madrid and had not been corroborated from any other source. The dispatch gives as authority Prince Camporeale, an Italian nobleman, who is a brotherinlaw of Prince von Buelow. The report was first published in Madrid, the correspondent says, in the form of a message from Rome.

At last reports, Prince von Buelow was ill. A message from Berlin on Sunday said he was confined to his room in Cologne as the result of a slight indisposition. The prince was on the way to Baden-Baden.

Washington Not Informed.

Washington, Oct. 27.—There is nothing in the London peace story as far as the state department is informed. It has no hint of any communication of the king coming and has not made any overtures recently that would call out a statement. The German embassy considers the matter doubtful.

Break With Greece Possible.

London, Oct. 27.—A diplomatic break between Greece and the Allies break between Greece and the Allies as a possibility if allied operations in the Balkans are interfered with by the Greeks' interpretation of their neutrality. A note handed by the Allies' representatives to the Greek government contained such an intimation, an Athens dispatch to the Central News said.

Cabinet Session Heated.

Athens, Oct. 27.—Another cabinet crisis has been narrowly averted. During a debate in the chamber of deputies a difference of opinion developed between Stephen Dragoumis, minister of finance, and Eleutherios Venizelos, former minister and leader of the majority party. The debate was on the subject of Turkish properties in Macedonia, which were confiscated after the Balkan war. Heated remarks were exchanged and there were constant interruptions from the government side.

M. Venizelos tartly reminded the government that its control of the chamber depended entirely on the votes of his party. The chamber was thrown into confusion and the sitting was suspended.

The cabinet assembled hastily and as a result of its consultation, M. Dragoumis made conciliatory explanations which brought about a settlement of the dispute.

LE SUEUR COUNTY WETS WIN

Carry Option Election by Majority of 1,227 Ballots, Only Four Precincts Voting Dry.

Le Sueur, Oct. 27.—Le Sueur county voted to stay in the wet ranks in the county option election here by a majority of 1,227 ballots. Only four precincts voted dry. A very small vote was cast, the total being about 25 precincts below normal. There was little interest displayed by either side in the campaign.

Get $18,000,000 Ford Stock.

Walkerville, Ont., Oct. 27.—Distribution of a 600 per cent stock dividend to shareholders of the Ford Motor company of Canada, equivalent, at the present price of the stock, to $18,000,000, was recommended by the company's stockholders at their annual meeting. This action follows payment of a 50 per cent cash dividend which was made by the company to its stockholders within the last two weeks. There are only about 150 stockholders in the company.

King George to Visit Front.

London, Oct. 27.—King George is now in France, whither he has gone to visit the British army. He hopes also to see some of the Allied troops.

Finds Victim Is His Mother.

St. Paul, Oct. 27.—Attracted by a crowd that had surrounded the scene of a fatal accident in which a street car had struck and dragged a woman 50 feet at University and Prior avenues, St. Paul, last evening, Roy Fillmore learned the victim was his mother. He was in time to leap upon the footboard of an ambulance that was taking her to the Cobb hospital. His mother, who was Mrs. Charles Fillmore, died a short time after the ac[illegible]

CHARLES S. MELLEN

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Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad company, as he appeared on the stand in the supreme court of New York as a star witness for the government against his onetime associates in the directorate of the road, on trial for conspiring to monopolize the transportation facilities of New England.

CHARLTON MUST SERVE TERM.

AMERICAN SENTENCED TO SIX YEARS FOR KILLING WIFE.

Convicted Man Tells Court That He Must Trust to Italian Justice.

Como, Italy, Oct. 27.—Porter Charlton, the American who has been on trial here charged with murdering his wife in 1910, has been condemned to six years and eight months imprisonment.

Baron Schiacca, the presiding judge, before the case went to the jury, asked Charlton whether he had anything to add to the defense.

Trusts to Italian Justice.

With tears in his eyes Charlton said: "I trust entirely to Italian justice. I can only say that I am a most unfortunate man."

Both the prosecutor and the counsel for the defense made stirring pleas the former for the imposition of a heavy sentence, and the latter, composed of Signors Gataneo and Michelli Picardi, for acquittal on the ground that he prisoner was totally irresponsible when the crime was committed. Signor Picardi declared that no man in Charlton's condition could be responsible for his action under any law.

WAY FOR AUSTRIANS IS OPEN

Serbs Withdraw From Danube Leaving Enemy Free Passage Through Bulgaria.

London, Oct. 27.—The Bucharest, Roumania, correspondent of the Times sends the following:

"Serbian troops have withdrawn from the neighborhood of the Danube and the Austrians have crossed the river, traversing the island of Odakale. The Austrian forces will now obtain free passage through Bulgaria from Orzova, where 50 steamers and lighters laden with munitions have assembled."

Bribery Charged in Horse Sales.

Winnipeg, Oct. 27.—Before Sir Charles Davidson, sitting as dominion government commissioner, Harry Whitla, K. C., was granted permission to appear as councel for Lieutenant Colonel H. D. Smith, V. S., who, Willet Hinman declared in his evidence, accepted $175 as commission on sale of 35 horses to the Canadian government from Hinman's sale stables.

Mr. Whitla stated that Lieutenant Colonel Smith is now assistant director in the veterinary service of the Second Canadian contingent and had been in France for the past six weeks. He has cabled Smith asking for an answer to Mr. Hinman's charges.

Box Factory Fire Investigated.

Pittsburgh, Oct. 27.—Investigations started by city and county officials into the box factory fire that took the lives of 12 girl employees and one man, and caused serious injuries to eight other persons have been begun. Mayor J. G. Armstrong announced that a detailed inquiry of all the circumstances would be made. Two reports showing that the factory was exceedingly dangerous were turned into the department of public safety within the last few months, it was learned.

German Food Problem Serious.

Copenhagen, Oct. 27.—The difficult problem of feeding Germany will be discussed at a conference, called by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, of representatives of all parties in the reichstag, according to confidential information received here.

Taken in connection with reports from the allied countries of a serious German food shortage and with Berlin's own admission that the federal government has assumed the task of [illegible]

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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SLAUGHTER SALE

CONTINUES **TO NOV. 13**

Better Bargains Than Ever - Merchandise Sold Below Cost

See Last Weeks Bills

SOLLOM'S STORE

Money To Loan

We have a large surplus on hand
Which We Wish to Place in
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Our rates and terms are very reasonable and made to suit the borrower.

See Us Before Renewing Your Loan or
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D. B. [illegible], President - B. [illegible], Cashier

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[illegible] D. V. M.
Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist
[illegible] Minnesota
[illegible]

O. F. Melby, M. D.
Office McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

Don't miss Latta's big auction sale in Holt next Monday.

Rev. G. O. Parish preaches in English at the Free Mission church at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening [illegible]

[illegible] went to Thief River Falls, Thursday to attend the educational meet.

Mrs. Herbert VonWold and two step children went to Tolley, N. D., Thursday where her husband has been working for sometime.

Monday while P. A. Riesberg was lifting his potato planter with a pry, the pry slipped out and he fell and hurt his leg quite badly so that he was laid up for a time and still limps when he walks.

The Winton-Nichols Lumber Co. have painted their new office building.

Carl Newton came from McIntosh Thursday to look after business in[illegible]

Mrs P. O. Reierson visited relatives in Thief River Falls and Goodridge this week.

A family of horse traders by the name of Schwartz are camping near the school house grounds.

Woman suffrage was defeated in New York, Pennsylvania and Massachusetts, in Tuesdays elections.

There's a good milk cow coming fresh Dec. 15th, to be sold at Latta's big Auction Sale in Holt next Monday.

C. W. Latta autoed to Hollis Wednesday.

A. E. Anderson and two little grandsons came from Thief River Falls Wednesday, to visit their [illegible] C. [illegible] Sandberg, between trains.

A smoldering fire in the peat bogs of southeast Mud Lake broke out Sunday, spread over the prairies and burned houses belonging to Harry Emery, Mr. McDaniels and barns on the Ray Cayrl and Dr. Nelson farms.

Oh! Here we are again. That same good Coffee—not alone but a nice juicy Hamburger Sandwich and that Pie and Doughnuts that Ma makes will be served at Huseth's Lunch Counter. Come in and make yourself at home.

WHITE PINE
"& plenty of it"

YES, WE HAVE IT! "& PLENTY OF IT"

White Pine is one of the *"White Hopes"* that never had to *"Comeback!"* (It's an *"always was"* —and an *"is yet!"*)

Been all sorts of 'Bear' stories about this original Leading American Wood— ("The Wood of the Forefathers") having been all used up. *Not so.*

You will need some— and the best of it is that YOU CAN GET IT—ALL YOU WANT OF IT—AND OF AS FINE A quality AS YOUR ANCESTORS BOASTED OF.

So *this* time—for new work or old, just remember

WE'RE "IT" for WHITE PINE, and "that good old Norway," too.

We carry a general line of building materials—lumber, lath, shingles, roofing materials, etc., lime and cement —and make a specialty of giving

Prompt Attention to ORDERS — whether in person, by mail or telephone

"You tell us. We do the rest."

D. Payne Lumber Company
Holt, Minnesota

Odd.

It is said that the man who speaks without thinking is the one most apt to say what he thinks.

Don't Fail to Attend

OUR BIG SACRIFICE SALE

Beginning **NOV. 11** Ending

November 20th

Coffee and Cooky Demonstration

November 11th

Here is your Opportunity to Save Money

Look for Big Posters

Holt Mercantile Co.

THE BIG NEW STORE

Holt Livery- -Dray Line
Auto Livery Right Prices
O. J. [illegible], Prop.
Always Furnishes Reliable Service
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ANNOUNCEMENT!

We have purchased the Lumber business of the Hanson & Barzen Milling Co., in Holt. We are here to stay and the interests of Holt and surrounding country are ours.

It is our aim to be fair, honest and impartial in all our dealings.

We hope to merit and receive a liberal amount of your valued patronage.

We invite you to call and inspect stock, whether you intend buying or not. It will be our pleasure to show a stock which will fill every requirement.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
C. L. Sandberg, Local Manager

THE CHARM OF MOTHERHOOD

Enhanced By Perfect Physical Health.

The experience of Motherhood is a trying one to most women and marks distinctly an epoch in their lives. Not one woman in a hundred is prepared or understands how to properly care for herself. Of course nearly every woman nowadays has medical treatment at such times, but many approach the experience with an organism unfitted for the trial of strength, and when it is over her system has received a shock from which it is hard to recover. Following right upon this comes the nervous strain of caring for the child, and a distinct change in the mother results.

There is nothing more charming than a happy and healthy mother of children, and indeed child-birth under the right conditions need be no hazard to health or beauty. The unexplainable thing is that, with all the evidence of shattered nerves and broken health resulting from an unprepared condition, and with ample time in which to prepare, women will persist in going blindly to the trial.

Every woman at this time should rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism.

LYDIA E. PINKHAM

In many homes once childless there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

A Mystery.

"What did I do last night?"

"You remained at home and went to bed early."

"Then where in thunder did I get this headache?"

Sentiment.

She—Do you realize what a girls first kiss means to her?

He—Yes—lots more like it.

Can't Do the Work

A bad back makes hard work harder. All day the dull throb and the sharp, darting pains make you miserable, and there's no rest at night. Maybe it's your daily work that hurts the kidneys, for jarring, jolting, lifting, reaching, dampness and many other strains do weaken them.

Cure the kidneys. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands and should do as well for you.

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
50¢ at all Stores
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A Soluble Antiseptic Powder to be dissolved in water as needed For Douches

In the local treatment of woman's ills, such as leucorrhoea and inflammation, hot douches of Paxtine are very efficacious. No woman who has ever used medicated douches will fail to appreciate the clean and healthy condition Paxtine produces and the prompt relief from soreness and discomfort which follows its use. This is because Paxtine possesses superior cleansing, disinfecting and healing properties.

For ten years the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. has recommended Paxtine in their private correspondence with women, which proves its superiority. Women who have been relieved say it is "worth its weight in gold." At druggists. 50c. large box or by mail. Sample free. The Paxton Toilet Co., Boston, Mass.

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CARTER'S
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SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.

Genuine must bear Signature

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A toilet preparation of merit.
Helps to eradicate dandruff.
For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair.
50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

STATE BREVITIES

St. Cloud.—Arthur Achen, aged 31 years, and Earl Hess, aged 29, are in the county jail awaiting trial on the charge of having robbed the Great Northern stations at Richmond and Coldspring, Oct. 18.

Duluth.—Duluth business interests, particularly grain men, are deeply interested in the outcome of a referendum election in New York State, when it will be determined whether $27,000,000 additional bonds will be issued to complete the enlargement of the Erie canal.

Benson.—To commemorate 25 years of graduating classes from the Benson high school, the alumni association is arranging for the establishment of a students' loan fund that will be available to pupils who desire a college education but are prevented by lack of funds.

Winona.—In a valley near here where a pirate pair is operating with a team of ponies and a wagon in which the men carry their plunder, including even tiny pigs lifted from pens in farmyards, farmers have mobilized, armed and are prepared to defend their property.

Mankato.—A dollar watch, stolen from Thomas D. Booth, who is thought to have been murdered on an Omaha freight train, forms the only known clue by which his murderers may be traced. Its number will be procured and sent to the police departments of many cities.

Dawson.—Five hundred men, more than three-fourths of them farmers, met at the Dawson city hall and decided unanimously to organize a farmers and merchants' club. E. J. Mannix of Sioux Falls, S. D., made the principal address and pointed out the advantages of such an organization.

St. Paul.—Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state, is only a "possible candidate" for the Republican gubernatorial nomination and not an avowed candidate, as recent dispatches from Cincinnati indicated. Mr. Schmahl has returned to St. Paul from Cincinnati, where he has been attending the first convention of secretaries of state.

St. Cloud.—A reward of $500 has been offered by relatives of Walter Brackett, who disappeared from his farm near St. Cloud Sept. 24, for information leading to the recovery of his body. The relatives are convinced that the man has been killed. Walter L. Brackett is the son of Arthur Brackett of Excelsior and the nephew of C. S. Brackett, Minneapolis groceryman.

Crookston. — The first colt show for Polk county has just been held in Crookston in connection with the first of a series of monthly market days. It was under the auspices of the Crookston Commercial club and under the supervision of Superintendent C. G. Selvig of the Northwest School of Agriculture and was such a pronounced success that next fall it will be carried out on a much larger scale.

St. Peter.—Committees appointed to take charge of St. Peter's first annual colt show have agreed upon Saturday, Nov. 20, as the date for the exhibition. The show will be open to horse breeders of Nicollet and Le Sueur counties. Prizes will be offered for draft colts foaled on and after Jan. 1, 1915, and judges will be secured from the Minnesota college of agriculture. The stock entered in competition will be paraded before judging.

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St. Peter.—Police officials are puzzled over a mysterious fire which broke out in the studio of G. H. Ribble photographer, just before midnight. When the fire department reached the studio the back door was found open, and oil was running from a bottle lying on the floor in one of the rear rooms. Later it was discovered that the incendiary forced the back door open with a jimmy. No threats had been made against Mr. Ribble, and he can make no explanation of the attempted crime.

Bemidji.—Five hundred farmers are expected to attend the institute which will be held in Bemidji Nov. 20, and a total attendance of more than 1,000 persons is counted upon. The purpose of the meeting and the keynote of the speeches will be improvements in dairy cattle and better soil management. The farmers will be addressed by Professor A. J. McGuire, T. R. Crane and Miss Josephine F. Berry, in charge of the domestic science department of the University of Minnesota. A free dinner will be served to the farmers at noon.

Grand Rapids.—After having been out about three and a half hours, following a trial that lasted over eight days, the jury in the case of the state of Minnesota vs. Gust Voigt, who was charged with attempting to poison his stepmother, Mrs. Emma C. Voigt on May 4 last, returned a verdict of not guilty.

Sleepy Eye.—Charles Temple, about 45 years of age, was found dead in a field on the Ed Berkner farm, east of this city, with a shotgun lying beside him, and a gaping wound in his breast. The authorities investigated and decided it was a case of suicide

Tell a boy to do as he pleases and he'll do it without a murmur.

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Two Hundred Pounds.

Eve—There's one thing about Marianne—she has such poise.

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W. A. Langham of Beaumont, Tex., says: "I have used Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh in my stables about two years and find it the best liniment I have ever tried." Adv.

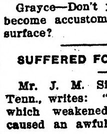
Family Suggestion.

Alyce—I'm learning to paint on china.

Grayce—Don't you find it hard to become accustomed to such a hard surface?

SUFFERED FOR FOUR YEARS.

Mr. J. M. Sinclair of Olivehill, Tenn., writes: "I strained my back, which weakened my kidneys and caused an awful bad backache and inflammation of the bladder. Later I became so much worse that I consulted a doctor, who said that I had Diabetes and that my heart was affected. I suffered for four years and was in a nervous state and very much depressed. The doctor's medicine didn't help me, so I decided to try Dodds Kidney Pills, and I cannot say enough to express my relief and thankfulness, as they cured me. Diamond Dinner Pills cured me of Constipation."



Mr. J. M. Sinclair.

Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodds Dyspepsia Tablets for Indigestion have been proved. 50c. per box.—Adv.

Vilna's Napoleonic Veteran.

In Vilna, which is temporarily in the possession of Germany, lives Peter Laptieff, one of Europe's "old men," for he was born in the year 1789, says the London Chronicle. When Napoleon invaded Russia, and got as far as Dvinsk, he was in need of a guide. But the inhabitants had fled, Laptieff's family hiding in the recesses of a forest. But curiosity drew him, and he hid in a tree to watch the invaders. He was seen, captured and taken before the emperor, who ordered him to act as guide to the vanguard of the army. This he did for 36 hours, and then escaped. He fought against both of his country's present allies, against the French at Borodino, and against the English in the Crimea. Tired of making history, he took to making bricks, but now lives in retirement with his son and grandson.

He Was an Expert.

There was only a glimmer of light in the hall, but the old gentleman at the head of the stairs could just discern the outlines of two figures, very close together, near the front door.

"Helen," he snapped angrily, "this is too much! It's half-past eleven, and that young man's not gone yet! Doesn't he know how to say good-night?"

After a short silence there floated up the stairs to him in his daughter's voice, low, breathless, languorous:

"Doesn't he know how to say good-night?" she echoed. "Oh, father, I should just think he does!"

MOTHER'S "NOTIONS"

Good for Young People to Follow.

"My little grandson often comes up to show me how large the muscles of his arms are.

"He was a delicate child, but has developed into a strong, healthy boy and Postum has been the principal factor.

"I was induced to give him the Postum because of my own experience with it.

"I am sixty years old, and have been a victim of nervous dyspepsia for many years. Have tried all sorts of medicines and had treatment from many physicians, but no permanent relief came.

"I used to read the Postum advertisements in our paper. At first I gave but little attention to them, but finally something in one of the advertisements made me conclude to try Postum.

"I was very particular to have it prepared strictly according to directions, and used good, rich cream. It was very nice indeed, and about bedtime I said to the members of the family that I believed I felt better. One of them laughed and said, 'That's another of mother's notions,' but the notion has not left me yet.

"I continued to improve right along after leaving off coffee and taking Postum, and now after three years' use I feel so well that I am almost young again. I know Postum was the cause of the change in my health and I cannot say too much in its favor. I wish I could persuade all nervous people to use it."

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Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers

BOARD DECIDES TO LICENSE TEACHERS

HOLDS GRADUATES IN NORMAL SCHOOL SHORT COURSE ELIGIBLE.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota, Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

St. Paul.—Graduates of state normal schools in the three-year professional course will be eligible hereafter to teach in the ninth year of a high school system, according to an agreement made between the State High School board and representatives of the normal schools and Normal School board at the Capitol.

In state graded schools doing high school work, the normal school graduates of the three-year course will be eligible to teach the ninth and tenth years. Beyond the tenth year qualifications of high school teachers in graded schools shall be the same as those of high school teachers in regular state high schools.

The State High School board voted to reconsider its previous action in withholding the annual state aid from the Mankato school. This action was taken as the result of the adoption by the Mankato school board of a resolution discontinuing Bible and and prayer reading at opening exercises.

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Plea For Prairie Chickens.

Ducks are plentiful, prairie chickens are scarce and partridges are few and far between, according to reports from Minnesota hunting regions to Carlos Avery, fish and game commissioner. A wet, cold spring is held to blame for the comparative lack of chickens.

"It is a shame to kill what few chickens are left," wrote John Huderle of McLeod county.

Ducks are said to abound in Roseau, Pine, Itasca, Jackson, Nicollet, Stearns and Watonwan counties.

Hunters are more and more impressed with the apparent passing of the prairie chicken. Past activities of sportsmen as well as unfavorable weather for propagation of the birds are accountable for the decimation of these game birds.

North of the Thief river chickens are reported scarce. Other communities that report few of these birds are Mahnomen, Pine, Itasca, Renville, Stearns, Lake, St. Louis, Kittson, Marshall, Hennepin and Ramsey counties.

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271,137 Public School Children.

Public school figures for the fiscal year 1914-15, compiled under the direction of Dr. C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education, show an increase in enrollment of 22,246 over the previous year, making a total of 271,137 public school children in the state. Two hundred and ninety new schools were erected, raising the total number of buildings to 9,254. There are 221 high schools, 241 graded schools and 143 consolidated schools, the increase in the latter class being highly encouraging as it is only four years since the consolidation movement began in Minnesota. To instruct the army of children there were employed 17,138 teachers, an increase of 1,040 over the previous school year.

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Requires 16,000 Checks.

More than 16,000 checks will be required to apportion the $1,500,000 state school aid fund which Walter J. Smith, state treasurer, is distributing among 86 counties. The county auditors draw 8,043 drafts on the state treasurer, that being the number of school districts sharing in the distribution, and the county treasurers draw checks payable to the school district treasurers. This makes a total of 16,172 checks. The apportionment this year is based on an average enrollment of 421,772 pupils. The per capita allotment is $3.55.

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To Dispose of Rate Case.

The railroad and warehouse commission on Nov. 10 will take up with counsel representing the Chicago Great Western railway the question of disposing of one of the Minnesota rate cases which has never been tried, though complaint was filed in 1907.

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Railroad Brings $200,000.

There were only two bidders and only one bid for the Mississippi, Hill City & Western railway, which was sold at public auction for $200,000. They got it. The sale took place on the front steps of the state capitol and was attended by only a few persons.

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Telegraph Company Appeals.

The Western Union Telegraph company has appealed to the supreme court to aid it in settling difficulties with the Minnesota tax commission involving the question whether the telegraph lines shall be assessed under the new classified assessment law or under the old law applying to the assessment of telegraph companies. The commission fixed the true cash value of the telegraph company's properties in Minnesota at $1,468,000 and levied a rate of 30 mills in accordance with the old law.

Table Dainties from Sunny Climes

Libby's
Pineapple

Libby's California Asparagus and Hawaiian Pineapple

Libby's
Asparagus

From tropical Hawaii, home of the sweetest, most luscious pineapple, comes the one; and California, where the tenderest asparagus grows, supplies the other. The Libby care and cleanliness back of both is a warrant of a product that will please you.

Insist on Libby's at your grocer's.

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Blank—Small in the bill.

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Nearly every man has hair enough to advertise his bald spot.

Welcome Change.

"You look very smiling this morning, Binks," said Harkaway.

"I guess I ought to be. I went to a fortune teller last night and she prophesied immediate financial reverses," chortled Binks.

"I fail to see anything very joyous in that," said Harkaway.

"You would, if you knew anything about my finances," said Binks. "I tell you right now that if they don't reverse pretty dinged quick I'll be busted."

Hard to Damage.

"Alpine scenery is very grand."

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The large can of K C lasts longer than 25 cents' worth of other baking powders but no matter how long it takes the user to get to the bottom the last spoonful is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. K C raises the nicest, lightest biscuits, cakes and pastry you ever ate, and it is guaranteed pure and wholesome.

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Medal of Honor Awarded

Gold Medal
Awarded
New
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Heater
Look
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The New Perfection Line

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You *need* the *NEW PERFECTION* because it is the greatest comfort you can install in your home; an aid to good health; a means to economy; the cleanest heat you can use.

Easy to care for; ready by striking a match; burns 10 hours on one gallon of oil; can't smoke. No trouble to re-wick, because wick and carrier are combined—the fresh wick all ready to put in, clean, smooth and ready to light.

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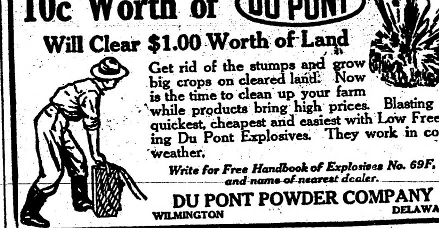

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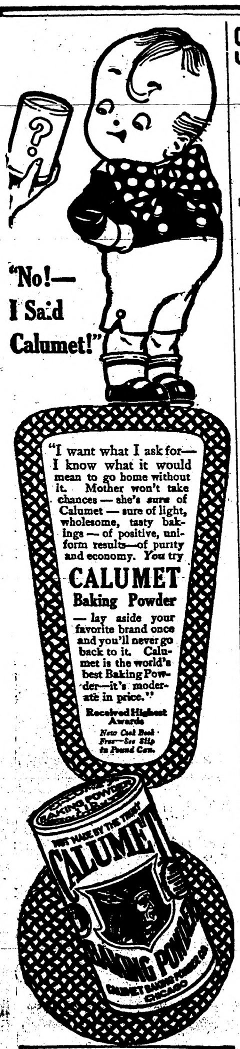

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In Days of Yore.

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Mother—He was less rheumatic.—Judge.

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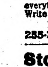

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SHELL FRAGMENT PART OF TORPEDO, U. S. EXPERTS SAY

PIECE OF METAL TAKEN FROM DECK OF HESPERIAN COULD NOT HAVE BEEN PART OF MARINE MINE.

TO INFORM GERMANY OF RESULT OF THE INQUIRY

Secretary of State Lansing Says Decision of Navy Department Will Be Communicated to Berlin Government or to Bernstorff—Not to Question Good Faith.

Washington, Nov. 1.—Secretary of State Robert Lansing has announced that the navy department had indicated that the fragment of the engine of war which sank the Allen liner Hesperian was a part of a torpedo.

The German government has persistently denied that the Hesperian was torpedoed.

In the opinion of United States naval experts the fragment could not have been a part of a marine mine.

The secretary said the result of the navy department's investigation immediately would be communicated either to the German government directly or to Ambassador von Bernstorff.

Volunteers No Information.

The secretary volunteered no information regarding what form the communication to the German government might take.

Germany has made to the United States a qualified disclaimer of responsibility for the sinking of the Hesperian. In a note to Ambassador James W. Gerard on Sept. 14, the foreign office said that on the face of the evidence then at hand, Germany was satisfied that the Hesperian was not sunk by a German submarine.

The fragment of metal examined by the navy department experts was said to have been picked from the deck of the Hesperian after the explosion. The Hesperian sank early in September off the Irish coast while making her way to a port after being disabled by the explosion. The fragment was made of polished steel and was about nine inches long. It was sent to the state department by the American embassy at London.

Department Heretofore In Doubt.

The state department, heretofore, has been in doubt regarding the direct cause of the sinking of the Hesperian.

Several affidavits from passengers and officers of the ship have been received by the state department. The signers swore that the ship had been torpedoed. The fragment of metal was sent along as proof that the statements in the affidavits were true.

The Hesperian was declared to have been in regular passenger carrying service. The state department has been informed there were no troops aboard at the time of the sinking, but that several wounded Canadian soldiers were traveling on individual tickets as passengers. Two Americans were passengers.

Not to Question Good Faith.

The position of the United States has been to take no steps to question the good faith of Germany's assurances, unless it was shown clearly that the sinking of the Hesperian was in violation of them. The president and Secretary Lansing have been reluctant to believe that the Hesperian was sunk deliberately without valid excuse. Just what weight the report made by the navy department to Secretary Lansing will have could not be definitely ascertained.

VICTIMS OF FIRE BURIED

Twenty-one Little Girls Who Lost Lives in Conflagration Which Destroyed School, Laid to Rest.

Peabody, Mass., Nov. 1.—This busy manufacturing town hushed its machinery Saturday to pay tribute to the memory of 21 little girls who lost their lives in the fire which destroyed the St. John's parochial school Thursday.

The parents of three of the children elected to have their little ones buried in private, but for the 18 others a public mass was held at St. John's Roman Catholic church.

Hundreds of residents prepared to join the procession to the church, which was able to accommodate only a few of those who wished to attend. The supply of carriages in the town was exhausted and many citizens offered their automobiles to accommodate the mourners.

All stores and factories were closed during the services.

Conference On Alleged Bomb Plot.

New York, Nov. 1.—Charles Warren, an assistant attorney general, came here from Washington to confer with the United States district attorney, H. Snowden Marshall, concerning the course the department of justice will take in regard to Lieutenant Robert Fay and others arrested here in the alleged plot to wreck war munitions steamers and American ammunition plants. The conference, it is expected, will decide whether the prisoners shall be prosecuted in the federal or state courts.

FRANCE ADMITS EXECUTION OF 2 WOMEN AS SPIES

DECLINES TO BE DRAWN INTO DISCUSSION FROM STANDPOINT OF COMPARISON WITH CAVELL AFFAIR.

ARE FOUND TO POSSESS VALUABLE INFORMATION

Both Victims, According to French Records, Confessed to Having Received Money from Germany as Compensation for Reports on Movements of Armies.

Paris, Nov. 2.—France makes no secret of the fact that she has executed two women spies, but refuses to be drawn into a discussion of the incidents from the standpoint of comparison with the Edith Cavell affair.

French records show that the women, Ottilie Voss and Marguerite Schmidt, were spies and paid the penalty with their lives.

Ottilie Voss was arrested by French secret service agents at Bourges, Feb. 27. She was unmarried and 33 years old. For seven years before the war she lived at Agen in the Bordeaux region, giving German lessons.

Returned to Germany.

When hostilities broke out she returned to her former home in Germany. Being out of work she became a spy and was sent to France.

Her orders were to visit Nice, Montpellier, Marseilles and Lyons, to note the importance of new troop formations, the frequency of railroad transports, their direction, the army sanitary condition, the number of wounded and arrivals of troops at the ports especially black soldiers. She was to report also on the population's general state of mind.

She traveled as directed, returned to Germany, made her report and received her pay.

Later she again came to France on a similar mission with $100 expense money. Her arrest at Bourges followed and her full confession was made two days after. The council of war of the Eighth region condemned her unanimously for espionage.

Confesses After Examination.

Marguerite Schmidt was born at Thiaucourt, France. She was 25 years old. She was arrested Feb. 17 at the Nancy railroad station, as a suspect and after a long examination confessed that the Germans had paid her to obtain information concerning the presence of British troops, reported to be in the Nancy region. She was to report also concerning various other regiments encamped between Bar-le-Duc and St. Menehould.

Although sent to France by the Germans, she declared she did not really intend to spy on the French, but planned to report to the German authorities that she had been prevented from doing her work by her arrest. Her presence at Nancy was held to refute this claim, however. She had in her possession, too, a book of questions, prepared by a German officer, which she was to ask the French.

To all questions she replied simply "I am sorry."

She was condemned March 20 for espionage.

TURKS TORTURE EDUCATORS

Letter From Unknown American in Armenia Tells of Atrocities—Four Professors Murdered.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 2.—Four professors of the Euphrates American college, founded by American missionaries at Harpoot, Armenia, were horribly tortured by the Turks before being put to death, according to a letter made public here by Rev. Robert Keating Smith of Westfield, Mass. The hair and mustache of one professor were pulled out by the roots. The nails of another were pulled out with pincers.

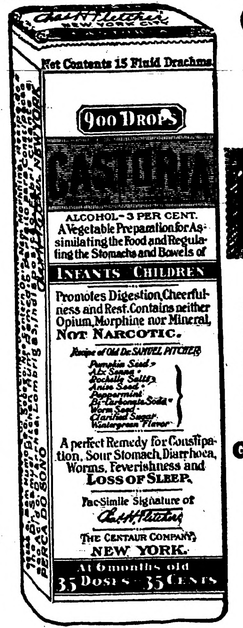
Seven-eighths of the students were deported, killed or exiled and the young girls carried away to harems, the letter states. The letter was written July 19, 1915, Rev. Mr. Smith said and was addressed to Bishop Caspar ian of Boston, but the name of the writer, an American, is withheld in the fear of the Turks.

German Refugees at Copenhagen

Berlin, Nov. 2 (By wireless to Tuckerton, N. J.).—"A dispatch received here from Copenhagen," says the Overseas News agency, "reports that the steamer Hellig Olaf has arrived there from New York with refugees from the former German base at Tsing-Tau, China."

St. Louis Publisher Suicides

St. Louis, Nov. 2.—Edward L. Preetorius, publisher of the St. Louis Times, committed suicide here. Edward L. Preetorius was born July 1, 1866, at St. Louis, a son of Emil Preetorius, the president and editor of the St. Louis Westliche Post. His ancestors were from Germany. His education was obtained at the Washington university, and his earning capacity began, and has continued throughout his life in the newspaper business. He started in the office of the St. Louis Westliche Post.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"Oh, she knew about it two weeks ago. The boss' wife told her."

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"And why doctors, Mr. Bones?"

"Because the worse people are the oftener they visit them."

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Get Hoyt's and you will be satisfied. For sale at all drug stores.

Wanted to Spread Joy

"Please, mamma, can I go over and play with Jimmie Brown?"

"Why, Willie, of course you can't. You've got the mumps, and it's very catching."

"I know it. That's why I want to go over. Jimmie likes to stay home from school just as much as I do."—Philadelphia Evening Ledger.

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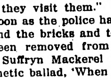

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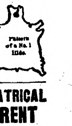
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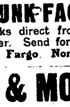

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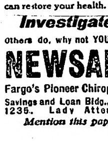
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[illegible] large number of young people [illegible] a few tricks on Hallowe'en [illegible] of them were mean.

[illegible] Gunda Moe left Sunday for [illegible] Valley where she will work [illegible] Mrs. Clarence Larson.

There were only three days of [illegible] this week as the Misses Saas[illegible] and Sollom left Thursday to at[illegible] the Teachers Convention in [illegible] River Falls.

Mrs. Gutterud entertained the La[illegible] Aid of the Synod church on [illegible]

The Ladies Aid of the Free [illegible] will meet with Mrs. Ole O[illegible] Nov. 11th.

Oscar Gutterud accompanied his [illegible] Thea, to Thief River Falls [illegible]

Rev. McMartin and wife of Mid[illegible] River were visitors in town Tues[illegible] Rev. McMartin expects to be [illegible] again in about four weeks to [illegible] an English sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and son [illegible] Sunday evening to their [illegible] in Missouri after a pleasant [illegible] days visit at the home of their [illegible] and brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson.

Auction bills printed at this office.

B. L. Backe was in Minneapolis on business for several days last week.

Mrs. A. H. Huseth and daughter Lola, visited relatives in Thief River Falls, the first of the week.

Fred Ewald returned Saturday from a week's visit in St. Paul and the surrounding country.

Most of the section men have been laid off for a few days this week.

The Turks left Tuesday to work on the main line of the G. N.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. Jacob Nelson at 2 o'clock next Saturday afternoon.

Oliver Davidson returned Saturday from several weeks absence in North Dakota.

Northeast of Holt

Selma Doyre visited at C. W. Christianson's Monday.

Hjalmer Doyre returned from Dakota Wednesday, last.

Quite a number attended The Golden Hour Society at C. W. Christianson's Saturday afternoon.

Several from this vicinity attended the surprise party at Fred Larson's Saturday evening. All present reported a good time.

The Golden Hour Society will meet at Erick Johnson's Nov. 27. Come girls and join us, you are welcome.

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SCHOOL NOTES.

About 100 attended the Hallowe'en party and social at the school house Saturday evening. $23.05 was made from the sale of the baskets.

During the second month 34 were enrolled in the lower room—the attendance was 82 per cent perfect, 10 attending without absence or tardiness. In the upper room 31 were enrolled, the attendance being 88 per cent and 13 being neither absent nor tardy.

The library hours have proved busy ones. During the month 66 books have circulated and 19 magazines.

A volley ball court has been laid out and the children are rapidly learning the game.

Three milch cows for sale. Enquire of Oscar Furr.

Gilbert Johnson recently returned from Dakota where he has been working for a couple of months.

E. T. Eide has been here several days the past week, getting a carload of hay ready for shipment to Baudette.

[illegible] Bros., and John Hagberg built the foundation wall for the addition to the M. W. A. hall, the first of the week and are now building a good sized farm house for Will Steinhauer.

Mrs. T. Sollum and family moved Monday onto the place she recently purchased of B. L. Backe. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Young moved into the rooms over Carlson's store, vacated by the Sollum family and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe moved into their residence, back of the bank, vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Young.

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The farm now occupied by R. E. Grover is for rent. Good buildings, good water, 90 acres in field balance in pasture. Apply to O. W. Carlson Thief River Falls.

Notice For Bids.

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of School District No 35, of Marshall county, Minnesota, will receive bids for the transposition of children on school days to and from the school house as per proposed route now on file in the Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota.

The school board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids will be received up to 2 o'clock P. M., Saturday, Nov. 6, 1915, and should be addressed to,

D. PAYNE, Clerk,
Holt, Minnesota

Local Items

Don't forget to read Sollom's ad, and don't forget to see us.

Miss Olga Furr went to Warren Saturday for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy of Greenbush came Saturday and have been staying at the hotel for a few days. Mr. Hardy is the new section foreman.

Mrs. B. L. Backe and little son returned Monday from several days visit with relatives in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. George Larson of Thief River Falls visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. Strom, several days last week.

The big sale of the Holt Merc. Co. commences next Thursday and you should see their big display ad in this paper.

Art Brotten returned Monday to his home in Moose Jaw, Canada, accompanied by Rhinehart Reierson, who will visit there a short time.

Messrs. C. L. Heinze, C. H. Gunheim and Adolph Sollum and their families were pleasantly entertained by the Andrew Bjerk family, Sunday.

Bently Nelson departed Monday for Grand Forks, where he will attend a school of electrical engineering.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will have an auction sale and a fishing pond at the church basement, Nov. 20th at 8 o'clock. A good lunch will be served. Everybody welcome.

Frank Christenson, of Minneapolis came Tuesday for a few days visit at the home of his cousin, Mrs. D. Payne and family.

Hilmer Davidson has just finished drilling a well for H. Erkdalen. It is only 46 feet deep but furnishes lots of water.

Chas. Haggland has quit the section and will move onto the old Engerbretsen farm which he worked the past year, and has rented for another season.

Alfred Olson has been working in the Red Lake Milling Co's elevator for a few days. We understand Mr. Olson expects to start up a feed mill the last of this week and wish him success in the venture.

Rev. G. O. Parish will preach in English at the Mission church at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening and everyone is cordially invited to attend this service.

The annual meeting of the Sandridge Cemetery Corporation will be held at the Holt State Bank, Nov. 20th at 10 o'clock a. m., for the election of officers and the transaction of any business properly brought before the meeting. All members are requested to be present early.

Lewis Wegge recently closed a deal with Chas. W. Latta for his residence property in the northern part of town. Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson will start housekeeping in Mr. Wegge's house as soon as vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Latta.

Messrs. Pete Anderson, Emil Prushek, Thorval Kolden and the Misses Bertha Engebretson, Bertha Nelson and Elsie Lawson, enjoyed a chicken supper at the home of Mrs. John Hagberg Sunday last. This was in honor of Mr. Bently Nelson, who left Monday for Grand Forks, N. D., to attend the Aaker's Business College.

Mr. E. Albrecht, Secretary of the Union Investment Co., of Minneapolis, Minn., was here on Tuesday and Wednesday examining loans made by them through this section. It was his first trip up here. He expressed his surprise at well developed farms he found here.

Your attention is called to Sollom Bros. ad. Their big sale commenced Monday and has been so successful that they have decided to continue it another week.

Chris Yttre has traded his big barn, little house and three lots to Chas. Martell for his eighty. Mr. and Mrs. Yttre moved onto the farm Tuesday and Mr. and Mrs. Martel moved into town. Mr. and Mrs. Haggland moved into the house vacated by the Yttres and Mr. and Mrs. Hardy will move into the section house. This has been a week of moving.

Carlson's big sale next Thursday.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes

Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

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FARM MORTGAGES

ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

CONTRACTS, FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGES BOUGHT

CZAR'S MEN MAKE LANDING AT VARNA, ON BULGAR COAST

AUSTRO-GERMANS PREPARE NEW OFFENSIVE AGAINST SUEZ CANAL, FLOODING LAND ALONG WATERWAY.

SERBIA'S ARSENAL TOWN CAPTURED BY TEUTONS

Kraguyevatz Falls Before Army of Central Powers, While Nish, Serbian War Capital Is Menaced by Bulgarians — Roumanians Desire Intervention.

London, Nov. 3.—A Bucharest dispatch to the Times says it is reported in official naval quarters that the Russians have forced a landing at Varna on the Black Sea coast of Bulgaria.

Rome via Paris, Nov. 3.—The Austro-Germans are preparing a new offensive against the Suez canal, according to an Athens dispatch to the Tribuna, which adds that the British have made great preparations to meet such an eventuality.

They have flooded the land along the canal, leaving the fortifications just standing out of the water, the defenders being supplied with provisions by gunboats.

London, Nov. 3.—The Germans have occupied Kraguyevatz, the arsenal town of Serbia, while their Bulgarian allies are pushing their way through the mountains to Nish, Serbia's war capital.

From all sides the Germans, Austrians and Bulgarians are slowly closing in on the Serbian armies, the position of which grows graver day by day. They are fighting [illegible] however to save their [illegible] such losses [illegible] Mackensen's [illegible] compelled to send for reinforcements and leave [illegible] invading [illegible] part of the country [illegible] who have had more experience in mountain warfare than [illegible] the Serbians are waging.

Bulgars Move Westward.

From the junction of the [illegible] and Timok rivers in the northeast to Uskup in the south, the Bulgarians are moving westward, driving the Serbians out of the towns and into the mountains, but from Uskup southward they have been checked, as the Serbians in that territory have been reinforced by the French and British with modern guns and with gunners who gained valuable experience in France and Gallipoli.

Beyond the forces landed at Saloniki, which German estimates place at 70,000 men, there is no news of further assistance being sent by the allies to Serbia.

Roumanians Are Restless.

There is, however, evidence in dispatches from Bucharest that the people of Roumania at least desire intervention and that pressure is being brought on the king and cabinet to induce them to join the allies and permit a Russian force to pass through Roumanian territory to attack Bulgaria from the east. Greece continues her friendly neutrality.

Violent artillery encounters and infantry skirmishing between the French and Bulgarians in Serbia were reported in the war office's statement. From Krivolak to Veles there has been violent cannonading and a huge struggle impends.

The retaking of Veles, Sofia, by Bulgarian troops has been officially confirmed, according to a Havas dispatch from Athens.

STAATS ZEITUNG OWNER DIES

Herman Ridder, Treasurer of Democratic National Committee, Passes at Home in New York.

New York, Nov. 3.—Herman Ridder, treasurer of the Democratic national committee and publisher of the New Yorker Staats Zeitung, died suddenly at his home in this city.

The cause of Mr. Ridder's death was kidney trouble in an acute form. He had been ill about 10 months and for two weeks past his condition had been critical. He was in his sixty-fifth year.

Herman Ridder was one of the most conspicuous figures in the newspaper publishing business and in politics.

Mr. Ridder was owner and editor of the New Yorker Staats Zeitung, one of the foremost German newspapers in the United States, and through this he was particularly conspicuous recently in his recent defense of the German position in the European war.

Hocking Seizure Arouses Washington.

Washington, Nov. 3.—Officials here informally indicated their displeasure at the action of Great Britain in seizing the American ship Hocking because of the alleged invalidity in its transfer of registry. It is considered likely that a protest will be transmitted to the British foreign office within a few days. The state department will insist that the nationality of American ships is determined by the flag and not by ownership and will recall previous positions taken by Great Britain.

Robert Fay, the self-confessed plotter against American munitions plants and steamships carrying war supplies, is declared by the authorities at Berlin not to be an officer in the German army, though he asserts he is a lieutenant.

BUSINESS BETTER THAN EVER

CONDITIONS IMPROVE DURING SEPTEMBER, BOARD SAYS.

Commercial Activities Throughout Country Regarded by Officials as Most Favorable in Months.

Washington, Nov. 3.—Business conditions throughout most of the country improved considerably during September, according to reports from Federal reserve agents made public by the Federal Reserve board. As a whole, the picture of conditions is regarded by officials as the most favorable received by the board in months.

[illegible]

Philadelphia says that improved business conditions are reported from nearly all parts of the district.

Chicago says that the large [illegible] in Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois and Iowa report affairs [illegible] gradually gaining in strength from day to day.

Trade Is on Increase.

Trade is giving some evidence of being on the increase, according to the report, and a noticeable spirit of returning and increasing activity appears to be abroad.

Retail business in the Minneapolis district is said to be [illegible] with an excellent outlook. Manufacturing lines show little change. The weather has had an adverse effect on the marketing of grain and reduced arrivals at Minneapolis and Duluth.

CALLS OSSEO BANK CARELESS

J. B. Thompson, Deposed Cashier, Witness in Investigation of Failure of Institution.

Minneapolis, Nov. 3.—Joseph B. Thompson, deposed cashier of the Osseo State bank told his story to the grand jury explaining [illegible] events that led to the closing of the bank. After questioning Thompson for nearly two hours [illegible]

[illegible]

Madero Property Confiscated.

El Paso, Texas, [illegible] Madero family property [illegible] controlled territory, amounting to many millions, has been confiscated, according to arrivals from Torreon. It was said that Alberto Blair, general manager of the Madero estates, has been given 24 hours to leave Torreon, and, asserting he was a British subject, he refused, appealing to the British embassy at Washington.

Claim 306 Strikers Hurt.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—The names of 306 persons said to have been beaten or otherwise injured by police or "slugging sluggers," were made public by officers of the striking garment workers as a retort to the roster of persons injured as prepared by the police. Sidney Hillman, president of the union, in admitting the acts of violence, said: "You cannot expect all men and women who are hungry to stand idly by when there seems to be a direct method of obtaining victory."

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Been all sorts of 'Bear' stories about this original Leading American Wood— [illegible] having been all used up. Not so.

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Holt, Minnesota

Optimistic Thought.

He who can at all times sacrifice pleasure to duty approaches sublimity.

The Local Market

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$ [illegible]
Wheat No. 2	[illegible]
Wheat No. 3	[illegible]
Wheat No. 4	[illegible]
Flax	[illegible]
Oats	.25
Barley	36 to .41
Rye	.88
Flour, Best Patent	3.05

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Ed. Bjork, George and Bill Anderson are hunting deer in the northern country this week.

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ST. PAUL, MINN.

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One person 75c, $1.00 and $1.50 per day.
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Potatoes For Sale!

Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 50c per bushel delivered in Holt.

A. C. Jahr, Holt.

Estray Notice!

A small sheep came to my place Oct. 21st. Owner will please prove property, pay costs of keeping and for this notice.

Andrew Engstrom, Holt.

For Rent.

The farm now occupied by R. E. Grover is for rent. Good buildings, good water, 90 acres in field balance in pasture. Apply to O. W. Carlson Thief River Falls.

P. A. Reisberg was a county seat business visitor Friday.

Three milch cows for sale. Enquire of Oscar Furr.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engerbretsen visited friends near Newfolden, Sunday.

Albert Knutson commenced clerking for Albert Bennes the first of this week.

Fridjof Riesberg was an over Sunday visitor with relatives in Thief River Falls.

Clarence Kolden and Arnold Bornstein went to Stratchona Tuesday to hunt deer.

C. [illegible] Sandberg was an over Sunday visitor with his family in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Nels Skaug of Newfolden visited Mrs. Nils Engerbretsen a couple of days this week.

Misses Ragna and Olga Larson went to Thief River Falls on Friday [illegible]

Guy Anderson, the rural carrier, will leave the postoffice at 7 o'clock in the morning, commencing Nov. 15th.

Ed. Nyberg went to Spooner last week with E. T. Eide and visited there a couple of days, returning home Saturday.

Miss Clara Larson came from Germantown on Saturday to make a short visit at her parental home, Mr. and Mrs. Larson.

Six head of horses, nine cows and heifers, six calves and a good bull will be sold at Nels N. Ness' sale Saturday, Nov. 13th.

The sentiment in Newfolden is in favor of incorporating the village and it is expected an election will soon be held for that purpose.

Master Lennart Larson returned Saturday from Fargo, where he had been visiting his sister, Mrs. Jim Rappus, for the past six months.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Bafte returned Tuesday to their home in Grand Forks, after a few days pleasant visit at the Chas. Haggland, home.

Arthur Sorani returned home Monday, from Thief River Falls, where he had been working for some time on the section of the electric line.

Alfred Olson started his feed mill Monday and is prepared to grind all kinds of grain any day in the week. Located just north of Reierson's store.

Nels N. Ness is going to sell his horses, cows, machinery and household goods at public auction next Saturday, two miles north and two east of Holt.

Miss Lydia Riesberg was in Crookston last week to have the other tonsil removed, she being unable to have more than one removed the first operation.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will have an auction sale and a fishing pond at the church basement, Nov. 20th at 8 o'clock. A good lunch will be served. Everybody welcome.

Free Lunch at Nels N. Ness' sale next Saturday, Nov. 13. Sale commences at 11 o'clock and a lot of household goods, nearly new, machinery, horses and cows, will be sold.

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SOUTHEAST OF HOLT.

A basket social will be held in Dist. No. 112 on Saturday, Nov. 13. Everybody welcome. Miss Saastad, Teacher.

Miss Ragna Larson went to Thief River Falls on Friday to have some dental work done, returning on Saturday.

Carl Gutterud made a business trip to Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Mrs. S. Moe had the misfortune of hurting her foot on Saturday afternoon so she is unable to step on it.

Miss Clara Larson, who is teaching at Germantown, spent Saturday and Sunday forenoon at her home. Her brother, Ludvole accompanied her back on Sunday.

Mr. Hoffman had a covered rig while hauling the mail the last few days which is a sure sign of cold weather.

Don't forget to come and have a good time on Saturday evening. Girls bring your baskets and boys, "you know."

Tom Olson and G. Johnson have been busy hauling flax to C. Knutson's to be threshed.

Mrs. Ole Olson entertained the Ladies Aid on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Hansen made a business trip to Thief River Falls on Monday.

The young girls of the vicinity who are attending school at Thief River Falls were home for a few day's visit while the convention was held there.

Miss Alida Sollom accompanied Miss Christine Saastad home on Wednesday after school hours, where she spent a very pleasant visit with her until Thursday afternoon when they both left for Thief River Falls to attend the convention.

Auction bills printed at this office.

Oscar Knutson made a trip to Thief River Falls on Friday, returning on Saturday.

E. Johnson left on Friday for California, where he will visit with relatives for some time.

The Nazareth Young Peoples' Society will meet next Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Anderson. Everybody invited to attend.

Hilmer Davidson is drilling a well for Markus Udstrand. We understand he has purchased Mr. Martell's interests in the well drill and will take in his brother, Martin Davidson as a partner.

After this week the winter schedule will be in force on the mail route and the carrier will leave at 7 o'clock in the morning. Put mail in the office the day before if you wish prompt delivery.

Thos. H. Smith has sold The Thief River Falls Times to R. H. Ross, who has been city editor for the past nine months. Mr. Smith has been elected cashier of a new bank to soon commence business in Mavie.

P. A. Riesberg went to Thief River Falls, Tuesday. Mr. Riesberg has a residence there on which he expects to make some repairs and build on an addition containing a couple of rooms.

Rev. F. D. McMartin, of Middle River, will preach in English in the Mission church at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, Nov. 16th. Rev. McMartin is highly spoken of as a preacher, and it is hoped a goodly number of people will be there to listen to one of his masterly sermons. Don't fail to be there next Tuesday evening, a little before 8 o'clock.

J. B. Alkenbrack has sold the property, formerly owned by Geo. Frisco, to C. L. Sandberg. Mr. Sandberg is excavating for a basement and will probably build this fall if the weather will permit. The News is pleased to report Mr. Sandberg expects to become a permanent resident of Holt.

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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"I see where the Russian cavalry rode down the Germans in the trenches where they were digging in themselves for the winter."

"See, that was a horse on them!"

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Doctor of Chiropractic. We make a specialty of kidney, liver and stomach diseases. De Lendrecie Bldg., Fargo, N. D.—Adv.

Another Slap.

Sarcasticus (to friend who is exhibiting his new 4d car)—Cute little thing! I suppose you wash it in the sink.

Handy.

"I've started a ten-cent box for Christmas, dear!" said the better half. "You won't forget it, will you?"

"Me forget it!" replied the other fraction. "Why, how can you say such a thing? Of course I won't forget it."

And he didn't. The very next day he shook four dimes out of the box to meet a deficiency in his car-fare allowance.

Write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago for illustrated Book of the Eye Free.

Evasion.

"Pa, what's an eye opener?"

"Why—er—an alarm clock, my son."—Boston Evening Transcript.

Out of Sorts

THAT IS, something is wrong with baby, but we can't tell just what it is. All mothers recognize the term by the lassitude, weakness, loss of appetite, inclination to sleep, heavy breathing, and lack of interest shown by baby. These are the symptoms of sickness. It may be fever, congestion, worms, croup, diphtheria, or scarlatina. Do not lose a minute. Give the child Castoria. It will start the digestive organs into operation, open the pores of the skin, carry off the fœtid matter, and drive away the threatened sickness.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Bugs.

"Isn't this awful!" exclaimed Mrs. Gabb as she looked up from her newspaper.

"Isn't what awful?" demanded Mr. Gabb.

"Why here's a woman who complains that the insane asylum is filled with bugs," replied Mrs. Gabb.

"Well," growled Mr. Gabb, "what's the blame place for, anyway?"

An Extremist.

"I see that a man aged one hundred and two has just died in the poorhouse."

"He lived long and died short, eh?"

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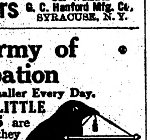

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"He didn't."

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Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Salmon Thrive in Maine.

Success has been met by the bureau of fisheries in establishing humpback salmon on the Maine coast, according to reports from that territory. The fish were planted in February, 1914. Many fish weighing five to seven and a half pounds have been taken or seen in Penobscot river, Me., and twenty were captured alive by agents of the bureau near Bangor and held in an effort to obtain ripe eggs. From two of these fish 8,000 eggs were taken September 6, and, after fertilization, sent to the Craig Brook hatchery for incubation. Local fishermen caught and ate large numbers, and an employee of the Green Lake hatchery took fifteen fish last week. These had passed through the fishways in dams in Dennys river and were dropping down stream in a spent condition; at the same time both live and dead fish were observed below the dams.

Quite Right.

"What do you understand by the phrase 'a liberal education?'" asked the professor when the freshman class in economics had assembled.

"When the governor comes through with plenty of spending money," replied the first youth called upon.

Zero.

"We don't hear much about Doctor Cook since the time he claimed to have discovered the North pole."

"No; I daresay he never fully recovered from the terrible frost he encountered."

TURN OVER TIME

When Nature Hints About the Food.

When there's no relish to food and all that one eats doesn't seem to do any good then is the time to make a turn-over in the diet, for that's Nature's way of dropping a hint that the food isn't the kind required.

"For a number of years I followed railroad work, much of it being office work of a trying nature. Meal times were our busiest; and eating too much and too quickly of food such as is commonly served in hotels and restaurants, together with the sedentary habits, were not long in giving me dyspepsia and stomach trouble which reduced my weight from 205 to 160 pounds.

"There was little relish in any food and none of it seemed to do me any good. It seemed the more I ate the poorer I got and was always hungry before another meal, no matter how much I had eaten.

"Then I commenced a trial of Grape-Nuts food, and was surprised how a small saucer of it would carry me along, strong, and with satisfied appetite, until the next meal, with no sensations of hunger, weakness or distress as before.

"I have been following this diet now for several months and my improvement has been so great all the others in my family have taken up the use of Grape-Nuts with complete satisfaction and much improvement in health.

"Most people eat hurriedly, have lots of worry, thus hindering digestion and therefore need a food that is predigested and concentrated in nourishment."

"There's a Reason."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

STATE BREVITIES

Duluth. — More than 1,000 men have been sent to lumber camps tributary to this point in a week and more are going out every day.

Lake City. — The first annual tri-county dairymen's convention, said to be the first in southern Minnesota this year, will be held here Nov. 18 and 19.

Rochester. — Paul Fischer, a theater employe here, was a victim of a holdup, the first to be reported as a consequence of dark streets, owing to the destruction of the light plant.

Brainerd. — The shortest grand jury session in the history of Crow Wing county has been completed at district court here. It sat five hours, returned three indictments and adjourned.

Thief River Falls.—One thousand educators were expected at the annual convention of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association which convened here Thursday, nearly 200 having registered before 9 a. m.

Albert Lea. — The Clover creamery plant in Pickerel Lake township, including residence, power plant, all equipment and other creamery buildings adjoining, was sold under the hammer for $206. The property was worth about $3,000.

Rochester. — A. D. Allis of Oronoco, this county, one of the "forty-niners" who made the overland trip to California during the gold rush, is planning another trip to that state next month to be made under the most modern conditions.

Bemidji. — Charged with embezzling $269, Christian N. Thompson, postmaster at Nebish, was arrested and arraigned before United States Commissioner H. A. Simons. He waived examination and will appear before the federal grand jury Nov. 9. He gave $1,000 bonds.

St. Cloud. — The state authorities may be asked to take a hand in the efforts of the normal school authorities to persuade the city commissioners to have the Tenth street bridge repaired so that the noise from passing automobiles and teams will not interfere with the classes.

St. Peter. — The city council has passed an ordinance making students and minors liable to a fine or imprisonment if they enter any place in St. Peter where intoxicating liquors are served as a beverage. This ordinance also makes it unlawful for them to procure cigars and tobaccos.

Virginia. — Virginia voted 569 to 306 to retain the ward aldermanic form of government. The charter commission had submitted plans for government by five commissioners or by a city manager to be employed by a board of low salaried commissioners. The commission form was defeated in every ward.

Waconia. — John Lindner, a pioneer of this county, and Henry Vahl, a neighbor, were killed and Valentine Lindner, a son, was seriously injured in a cave-in of a ditch they were building to drain a mud lake on the Lindner and Vahl farms three miles from here, and Mr. and Mrs. James Horn were severely injured when their automobile overturned while they were speeding to the scene of the accident.

Bemidji. — Legislation that will affect more than 500,000 acres of land in northern Minnesota will be discussed at a meeting to be held at Federal Dam about Dec. 8, when the matter of lowering the high water in the vicinity of Leech lake will be taken up. This action comes as the result of a conference of the Federal Dam Commercial club and George R. Ralph, formerly Minnesota state drainage engineer.

Duluth. — With the boom in shipbuilding it is expected that the yard of the American Shipbuilding company at the Head of the Lakes, idle except as a repair yard for many years, will be used this winter. So many contracts have been made for the construction of new giant steamers for the Great Lakes, and a number for Norway, that almost all of the yard berths on the Great Lakes are filled.

Mankato. — Miss Esther Miller of Smith's Mill, 21 years old, whose marriage to Arthur Tarne, a young farmer, was to take place Wednesday, was found dead in her bed by her mother. Her death is thought to have occurred from natural causes. She had spent the evening with her betrothed, addressing invitations to the wedding. Her trousseau will be her shroud. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. August Miller, farmers, living near the Waseca county line.

Duluth. — A delegation of Lake Vermilion Indians invaded the lobby of the Spalding hotel here to interview Congressman C. B. Miller. They marched in in single file, found the congressman seated in the lobby, surrounded him and held a powwow. Their quest was to have the congressman procure permission for them to hunt and fish on Vermilion lake, which they cannot do now, owing to the state game and fish laws being enforced on the Indian reservation.

Duluth. — The La Follette seamen's act passed by the last congress went into effect last Thursday on the Great Lakes and oceans. For the past ten days government inspectors of vessels here have been rushed harder than at any time since the offices were established, examining sailors as to their seamanship and physical ability.

St. Cloud.—Declaring he was about to commit suicide and asking that his wife at Little Falls be notified, Joseph Vittmer was apprehended here and sent back to Little Falls for examination in probate court.

DISEASES DAMAGE POTATOES IN STATE

MINNESOTA EXPERIMENT STATION URGES EXTREME CARE IN STORAGE OF CROP.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Extreme care in the storage of potatoes is urged by the Minnesota experiment station as a consequence of the appearance of "late blight dry rot" and "black leg rot" which have done and are doing considerable damage in different parts of the state. E. C. Stakman of the division of plant pathology in the college of agriculture, after personal observation in the potato growing districts, said that all loss from late blight dry rot could have been prevented by proper spraying. About all that can be done now is to provide the best of storage to prevent further loss. Potatoes showing evidence of black leg infection should be rejected when seed potatoes are selected in the spring. The tubers selected for seed should be treated in corrosive sublimate, 4 ounces to 30 gallons, but the treated tubers should not be used for food or fed to stock on account of the danger of poisoning.

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To Make Few Changes.

It is doubtful if the efficiency and economy commission will attempt anything like a complete reorganization of the state's administrative departments at the session in January. The governor favors a complete scheme on the order of the one presented to the legislature last winter, but the members who were in the city last week indicated they favor progressive reorganizations; that they will recommend as many reforms as they think can be passed through the legislature, and leave the balance to a future session. The state inspection system probably will be reorganized completely. The hotel, the oil, dairy and food inspectors and probably some others will be included in one body so that when one inspector visits a town he may do all the inspecting that is necessary there under the law. Where experts in any line are needed their employment will be recommended, but the first object of the commission will be to avoid duplication of work.

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State to Borrow $3,000,000.

Within the next month State Treasurer Smith will make an arrangement for a loan of between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000 in order to carry the state over until March 1, next, when railroad gross earning taxes will be available. The money is needed to care for salaries and other expenses of the state which are met by the revenue fund. This heavy loan is made necessary because of the heavy expenditure for school purposes which falls due this month. Generally the state is compelled to pay from 4 to 5 per cent. The money is procured from the banks of the two cities and generally for a short period.

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Governor's Aid Asked.

Governor Hammond has been asked to offer a reward for Walter Brackett, a farmer living near St. Cloud, who disappeared Sept. 24, and whom relatives think was kidnaped and killed. The governor was interested in the case by Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith. Sheriff Langum, a friend of Brackett's, and Brackett's relatives brought the case to Mr. Smith's attention. Sheriff Langum and a private detective were called by the governor to confer concerning the details of Brackett's disappearance. The missing man's parents live at Excelsior.

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Fire Marshall at Trial.

R. W. Hargadine, state fire marshal, was at Redwood Falls to attend the trial of three men charged with arson in the first degree. The men are T. H. Jordan, M. E. Garvey and J. W. Keyes. Keyes is said to have made a written confession, in which he is alleged to have said that he was hired by the other two for $700 to start the blaze in a hotel at Seaforth, Redwood county.

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Plans for Museum.

Detailed plans for four floors and a basement for the proposed museum and library of the Minnesota Historical society have been received by the state board of control, which will supervise the construction. The building will be heated and lighted from the Capitol heating plant, connection being made through a tunnel.

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May Reduce Taxes.

The supreme court will consider the matter of reduction of taxes asked by the Western Union Telegraph company Dec. 1. The telegraph company seeks a reduction in its taxes on the ground that it should be assessed in class 4 of the classified assessment law instead of under the special law affecting telegraph companies. If the contention of the telegraph company is upheld by the court the company will pay $17,616 instead of $44,040 as figured by the Minnesota tax commission.

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"Oh, papa!" she exclaimed, "see this bobolink!"

"How do you know it's a bobolink?" asked her father.

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PLANS FOR DEFENSE

PRESIDENT WILSON STATES THE PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM OF ADMINISTRATION.

ASKS SUPPORT OF NATION

In Speech Before Manhattan Club Chief Executive Tells How Army Should Be Enlarged and Navy Developed for Protection of America.

New York, Nov. 5.—What President Wilson and his administration are planning in the way of a larger army and navy for the adequate protection of the United States was summarized by the chief executive last night in a speech at the fiftieth anniversary of the Manhattan club.

Our ambition, said Mr. Wilson, is not only to be free and prosperous ourselves, but also to be the friend and thoughtful partisan of those who are free or who desire freedom the world over. We shall, he declared he believed, never again take another foot of territory by conquest, or seek to make an independent people subject to our dominion. Because of the great European conflict, said the president, "from one end of our own dear country to the other men are asking one another what our own force is, how far we are prepared to maintain ourselves against any interference with our action or development."

Though the mission of America in the world is essentially a mission of peace and good will among men, declared Mr. Wilson, we feel justified in preparing ourselves to vindicate our right to independent and unmolested action by making the force that is in us ready for assertion.

Plans for the Army.

"And we know," continued the president, "that we can do this in a way that will be itself an illustration of the American spirit. In accordance with our American traditions we want and shall work for only an army adequate to the constant and legitimate uses of times of international peace. But we do want to feel that there is a great body of citizens who have received at least the most rudimentary and necessary forms of military training; that they will be ready to form themselves into a fighting force at the call of the nation; and that the nation has the munitions and supplies with which to equip them without delay should it be necessary to call them into action. We wish to supply them with the training they need, and we think we can do so without calling them at any time too long away from their civilian pursuits.

"It is with this idea, with this conception in mind that the plans have been made which it will be my privilege to lay before the congress at its next session. That plan calls for only such an increase in the regular army of the United States as experience has proved to be required for the performance of the necessary duties of the army in the Philippines, in Hawaii, in Porto Rico, upon the borders of the United States, at the coast fortifications, and at the military posts of the interior. For the rest, it calls for the training within the next three years of a force of 400,000 citizen soldiers to be raised in annual contingents of 133,000, who would be asked to enlist for three years with the colors and three years on furlough, but who during their three years of enlistment with the colors would not be organized as a standing force but would be expected merely to undergo intensive training for a very brief period of each year. Their training would take place in immediate association with the organized units of the regular army. It would have no touch of the amateur about it, neither would it exact of the volunteers more than they could give in any one year from their civilian pursuits.

"And none of this would be done in such a way as in the slightest degree to supersede or subordinate our present serviceable and efficient National Guard. On the contrary, the National Guard itself would be used as a part of the instrumentality by which training would be given the citizens who enlisted under the new conditions, and I should hope and expect that the legislation by which all this would be accomplished would put the National Guard itself upon a better and more permanent footing than it has ever been before, giving it not only the recognition which it deserves but a more definite connection with the military organization of the nation.

For Development of the Navy.

"It has been American policy time out of mind to look to the navy as the first and chief line of defense. The navy of the United States is already a very great and efficient force. Not rapidly, but slowly, with careful attention, our naval force has been developed until the navy of the United States stands recognized as one of the most efficient and notable of the modern time. All that is needed in order to bring it to a point of extraordinary force and efficiency as compared with the other navies of the world is that we should hasten our pace in the policy we have long been pursuing, and that chief of all we should have a definite policy of development, not made from year to year but looking well into the future and planning for a definite consummation. We can and should profit in all that we do by the experience and example that have been made obvious to us by the military and naval events of the actual present. It is not merely a matter of building battleships and cruisers and submarines, but also a matter of making sure that we shall have the adequate equipment of men and munitions and supplies for the vessels we build and intend to build. Part of our problem is the problem of what I may call the mobilization of the resources of the nation at the proper time if it should ever be necessary to mobilize them for national defense. We shall study the efficiency and adequate equipment as carefully as we shall study the number and size of our ships, and I believe that the plans already in part made public by the navy department are plans which the whole nation can approve with rational enthusiasm.

"No thoughtful man feels any panic haste in this matter. The country is not threatened from any quarter. She stands in friendly relations with all the world. Her resources are known and her self-respect and her capacity to care for her own citizens and her own rights. There is no fear amongst us. Under the new world conditions we have become thoughtful of the things which all reasonable men consider necessary for security and self-defense on the part of every nation confronted with the great enterprise of human liberty and independence.

"In the fulfillment of the program I propose I shall ask for the hearty support of the country, of the rank and file of America, of men of all shades of political opinion. I would not feel that I was discharging the solemn obligation I owe the country were I not to speak in terms of the deepest solemnity of the urgency and necessity of preparing ourselves to guard and protect the rights and privileges of our people, our sacred heritage of the fathers who struggled to make us an independent nation.

Hits at the Hyphenates.

"The only thing within our own borders that has given us grave concern in recent months has been that voices have been raised in America professing to be the voices of Americans which were not indeed and in truth American, but which spoke alien sympathies, which came from men who loved other countries better than they loved America, men who were partisans of other causes than that of America and had forgotten that their chief and only allegiance was to the great government under which they live. These voices have not been many, but they have been very loud and very clamorous. They have proceeded from a few who were bitter and who were grievously misled. America has not opened its doors in vain to men and women out of other nations. The vast majority of those who have come to take advantage of her hospitality have united their spirits with hers as well as their fortunes. These men who speak alien sympathies are not their spokesmen, but are the spokesmen of small groups whom it is high time that the nation should call to a reckoning. The chief thing necessary in America in order that she should let all the world know that she is prepared to maintain her own great position is that the real voice of the nation should sound forth unmistakably and in majestic volume, in the deep unison of a common, unhesitating national feeling. I do not doubt that upon the first occasion, upon the first opportunity, upon the first definite challenge, that voice will speak forth in tones which no man can doubt and with commands which no man dare gainsay or resist.

"May I not say, while I am speaking of this, that there is another danger that we should guard against? We should rebuke not only manifestations of racial feeling here in America where there should be none, but also every manifestation of religious and sectarian antagonism.

"Here is the nation God has builded by our hands. What shall we do with it? Who is there who does not stand ready at all times to act in her behalf in a spirit of devoted and disinterested patriotism? We are yet only in the youth and first consciousness of our power. The day of our country's life is still but in its fresh morning. Let us lift our eyes to the great tracts of life yet to be conquered in the interests of righteous peace. Come, let us renew our allegiance to America, conserve her strength in its purity, make her chief among those who serve mankind, self-reverenced, self-commanded, mistress of all forces of quiet counsel, strong above all others in good will and the might of invincible justice and right."

Contrast.

Aunt—"Your bride, my dear boy, is wealthy and all that, but I don't think she'll make much of a beauty show at the altar." Nephew—"You don't, eh? Just wait till you see her with the bridesmaids she has selected."—Boston Transcript.

Timely Advice.

"Take keer mah frens," said the preacher solemnly; "take keer dat when de time comes to shuffle off dis byah mortal coil, you doan git los' in de shuffle."—Puck.

Irish Language.

The "natural language" of the Irishman is the Gaelic, the old Celtic tongue, which is still spoken, to a certain extent, in Ireland, Wales, the highlands of Scotland and northern France, where the remnants of the Celts are still dwelling.

Proof of Wisdom.

If a man be gracious and courteous to strangers it shows he is a citizen of the world, and that his heart is no island cut off from other lands, but a continent that joins to them.

ALLEGED OROZCO CONFESSION MAY LEAD TO ARRESTS

FEDERAL ACTION EXPECTED AGAINST HUERTA FOLLOWERS AS RESULT OF REVELATIONS.

BREAK BETWEEN OBREGON AND CARRANZA RUMORED

Popularity of "El Mocho" Said to Have Caused Words with Present Chief of de facto Government—Armies Concentrating for Blow Which May End Present Strife.

San Antonio, Texas, Nov. 8.—Federal authorities are discussing the alleged confession of Jose Orozco in regard to the alleged plot to restore Victoriana Huerta to power in Mexico. Warrants were issued Saturday and it was believed at least a dozen arrests will be made.

Orozco, who was the chief lieutenant of his cousin, Pascual Orozco, is a prisoner at El Paso. He is alleged to have stated that $11,000,000 has been pledged to support the Huerta movement. Agents were stationed in New York, New Orleans, Galveston and Ean Antonio.

According to Orozco the invaders were to seize Juarez, which Huerta was to proclaim as his provisional capital.

Has 10,000 Followers.

From El Paso come reports of a split between Carranza and Obregon. This was said to be Obregon's reason for going to Agua Prieta, where he has 10,000 loyal followers.

Obregon may open negotiations with the defeated Villa forces, it was rumored, to unite against the recognized head of the present de facto government. While passing through El Paso, Obregon would make no statement regarding his standing with Carranza. To all questions he replied: "Mexico will be at peace soon."

The popularity of "El Mocho" (the one-armed man) as Mexicans now call Obregon, caused words between Carranza and Obregon on their recent tour of northern Mexico. In Saltillo, Torreon and other cities they visited together, the multitude acclaimed Obregon enthusiastically, but there was hardly a cheer for Carranza.

Carranzistas Concentrating.

Carranza forces to the north and south of Villa's retreating army are concentrating for a blow which the de facto leaders hope will end the strife in northern Mexico, according to reports sent to Washington by Major General Funston, who also reported that General Obregon, Carranza's chief commander, would arrive at Douglas, Ariz., shortly to begin organizing a campaign.

Obregon's troops will be brought over the American railway from Laredo to Douglas. They will be unable to take the field for some days as they are arriving without equipment.

U. S. CRUISER AIDS VESSEL.

San Diego Races 250 Miles After Receiving Distress Signals from Wrecked Coast Steamer.

Dan Diego, Cal., Nov. 8.—The United States cruiser San Diego was standing by the wrecked coast steamer Fort Bragg off Point Palmilla ready to take aboard the vessel's 24 passengers and crew of 23, who were believed to be safe on the beach.

The San Diego, with Rear Admiral Winslow aboard, picked up the Fort Bragg's distress signals and raced 250 miles to her aid.

All of the Fort Bragg's lifeboats were lost except one, whether it succeeded in taking ashore the line which enabled passengers and crew to escape by means of a breeches buoy or whether the stricken vessel was close enough to the beach to use its life gun remained to be told.

When the San Diego arrived on the scene, passengers and crew could be seen huddled about bonfires on the beach. It was impossible for the cruiser to communicate with them until daylight.

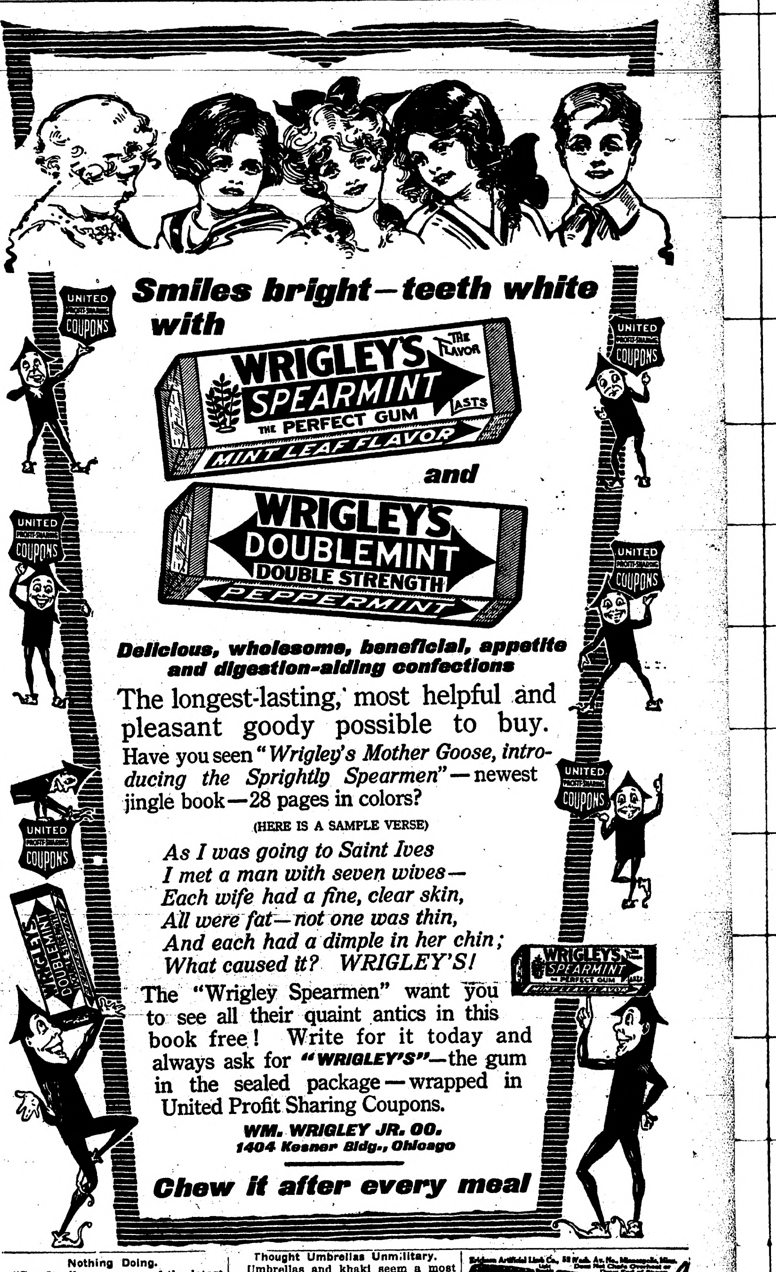
The steamer, a wooden vessel of 705 tons, was believed to be a total loss. In addition to a cargo of merchandise, she was thought to be carrying gold and silver from Mexican mines.

Milk Educational Campaign.

Chicago, Nov. 8.—A country-wide educational campaign to cost $250,000, to instruct the public to use milk as a means of decreasing the cost of living and for improvement of health was authorized by the National Dairy Council.

Tries to Save Horse; Burned.

Williston, N. D., Nov. 8.—A desperate effort to save his employer's horse from a burning barn cost Joseph Hofsath, a farm laborer, his life. While the family was away a fire was started in the hayloft by a 4-year-old child. With the building in flames Hofsath, who had been attracted in from the fields, went into the barn in an attempt to get a stallion valued at $[illegible] out of the building. Frightened by the fire, the horse crushed the farm hand against the sides of the stall and both man and horse burned to death.



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The Case.

"Matrimony seemed largely incidental to Henry VIII's career."

"I should call it more axe-idental."

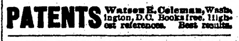
A single word to the point is better than a speech.

Thought Umbrellas Unmilitary.

Umbrellas and khaki seem a most unlikely combination; yet one instance is recorded of British soldiers taking their umbrellas into action, according to the London Chronicle. On December 10, 1813, during the battle of the Nive, the Grenadier guards captured a redoubt outside Bayonne. While they were in possession of this Wellington passed by and noticed that the officers had umbrellas up to protect themselves from the heavy rain.

He sent back his aide-de-camp, Lord Arthur Hill, to tell them that "the duke does not approve of the use of umbrellas in action. The guards' officers may, if they please, carry umbrellas even in uniform when on duty at St. James, but in the field it is not only ridiculous, but unmilitary."

It's the little troubles that wear away a man's conceit.



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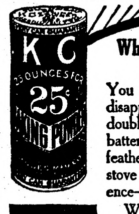

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Must Be.

A Boston professor says that a man is at his best on January 15. That must be pay day with him.

The Best Attachment.

Those in forming life attachments should not overlook the association of the fellow Will Power.—Omaha Bee.

Neutrality Note.

When mother-in-law gets mad at wife and demands her passports so she can leave, husband is a fool if he cannot remain neutral.—Florida Times-Union.

Steel vs. Iron.

For some purpose iron is to be preferred to steel and vice versa. To easily distinguish one from the other, make a bright spot on the metal with a file or sand paper and apply a single drop of nitric acid. Allow it to remain for one or two minutes and wash or wipe off. If the spot has a pale ashy appearance it is wrought iron; if it is a brownish black, it is steel; if a deep black, it is cast iron.

Optimistic Thought.

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B. L. Backe and Adolph Sollom autoed to Warren Wednesday.

C. W. Latta's sale was postponed until yesterday on account of the storm Monday.

Dr. Gambell was elected mayor of Thief River Falls at the City election last week Tuesday.

Work has commenced on the Woodman hall and will be pushed as rapidly as the weather will permit.

Albert Bennes has started a lunch counter and will serve hot coffee, hamburger, ham, and cheese sandwiches, pies, and doughnuts.

Messrs. C. H. Gunheim, B. Docken and D. Payne and families were pleasantly entertained at the Gunder Serter's home Sunday.

The Ladies Aid of the Synod church will meet at Mrs. B. L. Backe next Wednesday Nov. 17th. Mrs. Sollom and Mrs. B. entertain.

Rudolph Reierson, Willie Rux and Otto Olson arrived home Tuesday night from Tolley, N. D. and report several inches of snow there.

The news reaches us of the arrival of a 9 1-2 lb. baby girl Sunday morning Nov. 7th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Alkenbrack in Tolley, N. D. The News extends heartiest congratulations.

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS AND FOR HEARING THEREON.

ESTATE OF ANNA ANDERSON.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Anna Anderson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Alfred B. Anderson of Holt, in said County.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday, the 11th day of February, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at Warren, in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News, as provided by law.

Dated November 9th, 1915.

(Court Seal.)

PETER H. HOLM,
Judge of Probate.

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ESTATE OF HOGAN ANDERSON

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Daily Thought.

Politeness appears to have been invented to enable people who would naturally fall out, to live together in peace.

Local Items

Lars Chenil, whose home is in Illinois, was here this week looking over the land prospects.

Mrs. Thomas of Thief River Falls visited her daughters, Mesdames Sollom and Backe, between trains Saturday.

The Nazareth Young People's Society will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Anderson next Sunday afternoon.

The Winton-Nichols Lumber Co. received a big car of lumber this week. They have a new ad. this week, which you should read.

Miss Olava Sollom who is teaching in the Mud Lake Dist., visited her home folks for a few days last weeks.

Ben Nyberg and Chas. Martel have been working for Ole Backlund this week.

The Ladies Aid will have an auction sale in the basement of the church Saturday evening Nov. 20th. A good lunch will be served.

Oh! Here we are again. That same good Coffee—not alone but a nice juicy Hamburger Sandwich and that Pie and Doughnuts that Ma makes will be served at Huseth's Lunch Counter. Come in and make yourself at home.

Rev. McMartin of Middle River will preach in the Free Mission church at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening. All are invited.

Arvid Carlson has been here this week to assist during their big sale. They employed five extra clerks at their opening and demonstration day and had work for all.

John Stensrud Jr. of Maddock, N. D. visited his brothers Hans and Henry Stensrud, a couple of days this week.

The lowest bid received for driving the school bus was $64.50 but the board has decided not to use it as the state aid is not sufficient to warrant the extra expense.

Another symptom of winter appeared in the form of a light fall of snow Wednesday night.

Miss Gunhild Sollom who is teaching in Oslo, attended the Thief River Falls meeting last week and spent a few days here visiting her home folks.

P. L. Anderson and J. B. Alkenbrack autoed to Rosewood Wednesday evening to meet the latter's daughter, Mrs. P. A. VanWold and little child who had arrived from Tolley, N. D. and will visit her parents here for a few days. Mr. VanWold expects to be here in a short time.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Chris Saastad at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of Thanksgiving Day. Every body invited to attend.

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TRADE WITH LATINS DOUBLED

CAMPAIGN OF UNITED STATES SUCCEEDS IN SOUTH AMERICA.

Foreign Commerce Figures Made Public by Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Success of the campaign to obtain for the United States the trade of South America is indicated by foreign commerce figures for September made public by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce.

In both imports and exports the United States has about doubled its business with South American countries during the past year. Imports in September were $30,052,765, compared with $15,858,284 for September, 1914. Exports amounted to $16,938,717, against $8,288,881 for the same month a year ago.

The statement also shows improvement in trade with Mexico.

PROTESTS HOLDING OF SHIP

Ambassador Gerard Instructed to Make Representations to Germany Against Seizure.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Ambassador Gerard at Berlin has been instructed to protest to the German government against the detention of the American sailing ship Pass of Balmaha, which, after being seized by a British warship, was captured with the prize crew aboard by a German submarine. Germany recently ordered the vessel held for prize court proceedings at Hamburg on the ground that her transfer from Canadian to American registry after the war began was illegal.

FRENCH GUNS DECIDE FIGHT

Arrive at Isvor in Midst of Terribly Bloody Battle Between Bulgarians and Serbs.

Rome, Nov. 10.—Details of the battles at Isvor and Babuna arriving at Rome show that the fighting was terribly bloody owing to the stubbornness of the Serbians and Bulgarians, who slaughtered each other without pity. Heaps of slain remained on the field.

The battle was decided on the third day as a result of the arrival of French artillery and British cavalry. The French guns demoralized the Bulgarians and the cavalry accentuated the panic.

Hennepin Election Probe Continued.

Minneapolis, Nov. 10.—Members of the new grand jury plan to take up the investigation of alleged illegal voting at the county option election last October where the old grand jury left it. Two members of the old grand jury laid before the present body all the information they had at hand. A committee to investigate the matter further was appointed by G. F. Piper, foreman. Other members of the old grand jury and detectives who testified before them will appear.

"Too Mild, Too Late," Says Berlin.

Berlin, via London, Nov. 10.—"Too mild and too late" was the general tenor of current criticism of the American note to Great Britain concerning British interference with American trade at sea.

Runaway Girl Held at Red Wing.

Red Wing, Minn., Nov. 10.—Sophie Ellingson, 16, who, with Edith Kuntz ran away from home at Willmar about two weeks ago, was taken into custody and is held in the woman's ward in the jail, until the authorities or members of her family have been heard from. The Kuntz woman is also detained at police headquarters but it is understood she is not wanted by the Willmar police. The Ellingson girl left home, it is reported, rather than attend school.

BAGDAD OCCUPIED BY BRITISH, 80,000 SLAVS IN BULGARIA

RUSSIANS DISEMBARK ON COAST AND 200,000 WILL ARRIVE BY LAND IF ROUMANIA DOES NOT OPPOSE.

ALLIES LAND A TOTAL OF 220,000 MEN AT SALONIKI

Attitude of Roumania Less Clear, One Dispatch Announcing Country Has Disarmed Russian Steamers on Danube—Another Report Says Ships Ascend River.

Rome, Nov. 10—Commenting on the information that the British have occupied Bagdad, the Tribune says:

"Such an event is, perhaps, the most important of the present war. The occupation of Bagdad will certainly produce an enormous echo in the Moslem world, which considers this the moral capital of Mohammedanism, more than Constantinople, or Mecca. The occupation of Bagdad may have serious consequences on the issue of the European war."

Rome, Nov. 10.—The Corriere Della Sera learns from Saloniki that the Russians have landed 80,000 on the Bulgarian coast. Another 200,000 are to arrive by land, if Roumania does not oppose, according to these dispatches.

The landing of Allied troops at Saloniki continues. The total has now reached 220,000.

Roumania's Attitude Not Clear.

The attitude of Roumania is becoming less clear. One dispatch announces that Roumania has disarmed all Russian steamers and tugs on the Danube, substituting the Roumanian flag. Another states that a great fleet of Russian torpedo boats and destroyers is ascending the Danube to attack the Austrian fleet and destroy the transports laden with munitions which are unloading at Vidin.

LARGE SERBIAN TOWN FALLS

Kruzevac Is Occupied by Germans, Who Take Many Prisoners and Guns.

London, Nov. 10.—The Austro-Germans have succeeded in crossing the Morava river, in Serbia, and General Von Gallwitz has occupied Kruzevac, one of Serbia's largest towns, about 30 miles due northwest of Nish. The fall of Kruzevac means that the branch railway line to Uzhitze near the Bosnian frontier has been broken by the invaders close to the point where it leaves the main Belgrade-Nish-Saloniki line. A large number of prisoners, 16 guns and a lot of war material fell into German hands.

PREDICTS GREATER EUROPE

Secretary of Interior Lane Says People Will Realize Real Liberty After the War.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 10.—A new and greater Europe growing out of the war now raging with the peoples of the warring nations coming at last to a realization of the real liberty Americans gained so long ago, was pictured by the secretary of the interior, Frank K. Lane, in an address before the State Literary and Historical association of North Carolina.

Use Danube to Supply Bulgars.

London, Nov. 10.—"Germany and Austria already have begun to utilize the Danube river to pass supplies into Bulgaria," says the Times' Bucharest correspondent.

"There arrived at Rustchuk three tows of barges, escorted by Austrian monitors. Troops and a large quantity of munitions and motor cars were landed for the army of Field Marshal Baron von der Goltz, commander of the first Turkish army."

Train Runs on Alaskan Road.

Seward, Alaska, Nov. 10.—The first train over the government's Alaska railroad ran between Seward and Mile 29, carrying passengers, mail and freight destined to the Iditarod. From Mile 29 the travelers will go into the interior by dog team.

Italians Take Mountain; Lose It.

London, Nov. 10.—A repulse of the Italians on the Doberdo plateau and the capture by King Victor Emmanuel's men of the summit of the Col di Lana, from which however, they later were driven out, are recorded by Vienna.

St. Paul Guardsmen Face Trial.

St. Paul, Nov. 10—Forty-eight members of the St. Paul National guard will be tried Monday, Nov. 15, for absence from drill, it is said. A warning recently was issued that the rules requiring guardsmen to be present at all drills, be prompt and that no excuse would be accepted except a doctor's certificate of illness, would be strictly adhered to. A fine of 25 cents is provided for absence from each regular drill, and a $1 fine for failing to appear at any specially ordered drill.

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H. Hanson of Mud Lake was in to see Dr. Lindsay Thursday for a case of blood poisoning on his face.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1, Northern	[illegible] .92
Wheat No. 2	.87
Wheat No. 3	.82
Wheat No. 4	.77
Flax	1.88
Oats	.26
Barley	36 to .44
Rye	.88
Flour, Best Patents	3.15

Potatoes For Sale!

Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 50c per bushel delivered in Holt.

A. C. Jahr. Holt.

Notice to Creamery Patrons!

Cream will be received on Monday only—this next week, on account of Thursday being Thanksgiving, and worst of all, I have been asked to come home and Stand up for my brother.

P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Nov. 10, 1915.

Date of call by Supt., Nov. 16, 1915.

Date of report by Bank, Nov. 17, 1915.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$77,871 00
Overdrafts		1502 78
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,050 00
Other Real Estate		$2,400 00
Due from Banks	5,755 39	
Cash on Hand	3947 29	
Total Cash Assets		9,702 68
Checks and Cash Items		600 29
Paid out for Expenses, etc. in Excess of Earnings		331 77
Total		$95,488 42

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$3,000 00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		15,000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$27,932.88	
Cashier's Checks	3,280.54	
Total Immediate Liabilities	31,263.42	
Time Certificates	36,225 00	
Total Deposits		67,488 42
Total		$95,488 42
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$10,302 97
Am't. of Reserve Required by Law		$3,252 68

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President.
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNHEIM.
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Nov., 1915.

[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

This and That

The Marshall Co. teachers institute will be held in Warren Dec. 6 to 10

John T. Lattimore has sold his newspaper in Goodridge to W. H. Smith.

Four Oslo men drew lucky numbers in the recent land lottery at Minot N. D.

County Commissioner Fladeland has sold his implement business in Grygla to Ole Landro.

Goodridge will sell $2000.00 worth of bonds Dec. 1st. to provide fire protection for the village.

Booker T. Washington, the well known negro Educator, died Sunday at his home in Tuskegee Alabama.

Arnold Bjerkhoel has sold his Thief River Falls drug store to J. P. Curtis, who took immediate possession.

The saloons in East Grand Forks which has supplied the thirsty ones from the Dakota side, have reaped their harvest and will close Tuesday night.

Christ Rustad sold his farm last week to an Illinois man, who will move here about April 1st. B. L. Backe made the deal and the price paid was about $37.00 per acre.

Co. Supt. Johnson was elected president of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational Asn. at their recent meeting in Thief River Falls. The [illegible] convention will be held in [illegible].

Northeast of Holt

Mrs. G. Munberg is spending a couple of weeks at her parental home.

Gus Munberg of Alvarado spent a couple of days at the E. Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Christianson called at Engstrom's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Engstrom and family spent Sunday last at C. Engen's.

Mrs. E. Johnson and Mrs. G. Munberg called at Knutson's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Abel Anderson of Lockart, spent a couple of days in this vicinity.

The Hanson & Barzen Elevator and the Red Lake Falls Elevator Co. will both be closed all day Thursday Nov. 25th, Thanksgiving Day.

A. R. Jones and H. J. Oien, Agents
Holt, Minnesota

There will be a basket social and entertainment in the East Valley school house, Dist. No. 148, on Saturday, Nov. 27. Beginning at 8 P. M. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Agnes Fosen, Teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mickelson and family moved back to the restaurant Tuesday and are now well prepared to take good care of all their patrons and all the new ones that go to them.

Auction bills printed at this office.

Eddie Davidson had his finger quite badly smashed Wednesday in the machinery of his brother's well drill, which he was running at the time the accident occurred.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl will preach a Thanksgiving sermon in the Synod church here, next Thursday at 10:45 A. M. The Ladies Aid will serve a Thanksgiving dinner at Mickelson's restaurant. Everybody invited.

Steiner News.

Stegen Bros. run their feedmill in this berg now every Monday and Friday. They do good and quick work for six cents per sack.

G. L. Leisner our hustling merchant is kept quite busy these days, as he attends to the elevator as well as the store, so he and his clerk only sleep a short time during the night.

J. O. Sangen received a car load of building material from the coast last week. Mr. Sangen intends building a fine large residence in the spring.

A bad fire at the Johnsonberg home was caused by the threshers leaving a fire when they left the place. Considerable damage was done as two big barns and two big hay stacks were burned. Had it not been for the timely arrival of the section crew on the Soo, a lot of harness and young stock would have been burned.

S. R. Rogers and his son Henry did business at Holt last of the week.

Mr. Hoffman has been hauling wheat the past week. Fair treatment and top prices brings the farmers from a long distance to this elevator.

Willis Warring did business in our village the last of the week.

A dance was held in Mr. Mussie's barn the other night. A good crowd was present and a very enjoyable [illegible]

Mr. Russell's family are confined to their home on account of measels but are now well on the road to recovery.

Dr. J. T. Turley, the dentist, will be here Monday Nov. 29th.

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Southeast of Holt.

A big Thanksgiving dinner and the Ladies Aid auction sale will be given at the Jacob Klungness home on Thanksgiving Day. Everybody welcome.

Paul Suindlog moved to a farm close to Thief River Falls on Saturday.

At the basket Social in Dist. 112 last Saturday, $40.05 was taken in which it will be used to purchase a bookcase for the school.

The freezing up last week forced many of the farmers to stop their fall plowing.

Mr. Nels Hoode came from Golden Valley on Saturday for a visit at the Carl Larson home.

Charlie Maldoon and Ole Johnson of Germantown, were in this vicinity the later part of last week.

Miss Gunda Moe returned on Saturday from Golden Valley where she has spent some time at the home of her sister Mrs. C. Larson.

Oscar Gutterud hauled a load of household goods for Paul Quindlog on Saturday to Thief River Falls.

Salina Saastad came on Saturday to attend the basket social and spent Sunday at the Soren Moe home.

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The United States government can take an ounce of silver and make it worth 50 cents—**That's Money.**

A Mechanic can take material worth $5.00 and make it into a machine worth $50.00—**That's Skill.**

There are men who can take a 50 cent piece of canvas and paint a picture on it and make it worth several hundred dollars—**That's Art.**

A merchant can take an article worth 75 cents and sell it for $1.00—**That's Business.**

A woman can purchase a $2.79 hat but prefers one that costs $27.00—**That's Foolishness.**

A ditch-digger works ten hours a day and handles several tons of earth for $2.00—**That's Labor.**

The author of this article can write a check for $90,000,000.00, but it would'nt be worth a dime—**That's Tough.**

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Defective Page

The Mother's Labor of Love

"To my mind the noblest holiday in the world is Thanksgiving. And next the Creator there is no one the holiday should be dedicated to as much as to mothers."—Abraham Lincoln.

PASS ON THE JOY OF THANKSGIVING

Making Others Glad Should Be Considered One of the Chief Duties of the Season.

IT'S the easiest thing in the world to look for trouble and to find it waiting, grim and terrible, for your search. It isn't very hard to count your blessings in a negative sort of way, by saying, "Yes, it's very nice, but it could be much nicer." It's quite the usual thing to hear folk complain—and complaining is heard more often than praise and thankfulness. Yet—so they tell us—a little over three hundred years ago a band of sturdy, venturesome Christian folk were very thankful indeed and praised their Lord fervently over a handful of parched corn and a bit of unleavened bread.

Once a year we set apart a day, consecrated to their memory, and try to throw aside the customs and complainings of the world as we know it. We gather together—families of us—and eat turkey and plum pudding; we talk of commonplaces and sometimes we feel bored and tired. Yet we are supposed to be celebrating.

We have bushels of things to be glad for this year—hundreds; it seems more than we ever had. As we offer up our blessings it won't be hard to remember that across a dividing bit of ocean other people are starving to death, and that ought to make us just a bit more thankful. As we see our families sitting around talking commonplaces it may help us to think of other families in other countries that are fighting and dying on blood-stained battlefields. As we hear the crisp November wind banging in the trees, we ought to be mighty thankful that it isn't the sound of cannon and bugles and screams that we're hearing. Oh, friends of mine, it won't be very hard to be thankful this year!

As I was walking down Fourth avenue a few days ago I was thinking, with my head in the clouds, of many things; thinking so hard that I did not notice exactly where my feet were taking me. It was only when I stumbled against a little boy who was running around a corner that I came down to earth with a bump.

"Oh! I'm so sorry," I said. "Did I hurt you?"

"Dat's a' right, lady," said the little boy with a dirty Raphael-cherub grin. "I was only running!"

"Oh!"—he was lingering at my side, so I felt it necessary to make conversation—"you were running—playing something?"

"Huh!" the little boy grunted beatifically as he pulled up one ragged stocking. "Oh, no; I was jus' running fer fun."

His little face crinkled with smiles again and he trotted on out of my sight.

Just running for fun, for the pure joy of living. A little boy with nothing else to make him happy—and yet a number of us frown and fret in the midst of all sorts of pleasures.

I was talking to a chum of mine not long ago, and some way our conversation drifted around to Thanksgiving time, and our interpretation of the day.

"It's all wrong!" said my chum earnestly, "all wrong!"

"Why?" I asked curiously. "I'm always thankful for my blessings on Thanksgiving; so are most people. Why is it all wrong?"

"Well," answered my chum, "on Thanksgiving day we sit around and talk and eat—principally. I once asked a little girl what Thanksgiving day meant, and she said 'turkey and cranberry sauce!' And then we thank God complacently for our harvests, and our food, and our clothes, and his love. Isn't it so?"

"Yes," I admitted.

"Well," continued the girl, "the Pilgrims did that, too, years ago. But they did not stop there. After they thanked God for their own blessings they tried to pass on the joy to folk less fortunate than they were. They even invited the Indians, beings that they had every reason to be afraid of, into their homes and gave them a little of the season's cheer. They kept Thanksgiving."

"Then"—I was choosing my words rather carefully—"then your idea is not to be thankful yourself—only to give someone else a chance to be thankful?"

"But," asked the girl softly, "isn't that the right way to be thankful?"

Isn't it?

It's a very easy thing to pass along the outside of life without even dipping down into the depths, and ever so many people do it because it is the easiest way. Somehow it is hard to convince folk that things that tear at their heartstrings are the things that they should see and know. It's mighty easy to eat our Thanksgiving dinners without a thought of our brothers and sisters who are starving on some other street in the same city, and it's only because it is so much easier, I reckon, that people do forget to pass a bit of their plenty and peace.

But, as I write, I can't help thinking of filled-to-overflowing baskets that I have seen in missions, of eager children grasping fat turkeys, of mothers crying happy tears over coal and wood that will keep them warm and happy. I can't help having my mind slip away from the well-filled tables and the happy smiles and the cheerful commonplaces of our own country, to the dreary homes in Europe that are being brightened because the people of this land were willing—yes, more than willing—to share their blessings with others.

Oh, friends of mine, it's the easiest thing in the world to look for trouble, and it isn't very hard to find people who are fretting and crying and counting their blessings in a negative sort of way instead of just being happy. But somehow, when we stop to look around us and think, the world seems to be a pretty nice place at Thanksgiving time.—Margaret E. Sangster, Jr., in Christian Herald.

THANKSGIVING DAY

We plow the fields, and scatter
 The good seed o'er the land,
But it is fed and watered
 By God's almighty hand.
He sends the snow in winter
 The warmth to swell the grain,
The seed time and the harvest
 And soft refreshing rain.
All good gifts around us
 Are sent from heaven above,
Then thank the Lord, Oh, thank the Lord
 For all his love.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What is Going On at Washington and in Other Sections of the Country.

WAR NEWS.

Newspapers of Berlin are quoted as saying that the allies already have landed 300,000 men at Saloniki.

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According to Athens reports Bulgaria and Greece have reached an agreement which will keep Greece out of the war.

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It is officially announced in Vienna that subscriptions to the third Austrian loan to date exceed 300,000,000 crowns ($75,000,000).

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A dispatch from Athens says a decree has been issued dissolving the Greek Chamber of Deputies and that the new elections have been fixed for December 19.

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It is reported in Berlin that more than $5,500,000 of the immense war profits of the Krupp Gun works will be distributed for relief of soldiers' families. The Krupp family will take its usual 12 per cent.

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Three hundred of the Italian liner Ancona's crew and passengers, mostly women and children, were drowned when a submarine flying an Austrian flag, torpedoed and sank the vessel in the Mediterranean sea.

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An Athens dispatch received in Paris dated November 5, says that an official statement issued by the Serbian legation estimates the Bulgarian losses in killed and wounded up to the present at 100,000.

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London reports that the 2,672-ton German protected cruiser Udine has been torpedoed south of Sweden and the British 6,322-ton armed steamship Tara has been sunk by a submarine in the eastern Mediterranean.

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The war on September 12 was costing Great Britain $21,750,000 a day, and the cost is constantly increasing, Premier Asquith has told the house of commons. The government now has $567,590,000, or enough to last until December 1, he said.

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The French steamship Yser, formerly known as the Dacia, which was seized by a French cruiser last February, while carrying a cargo of cotton from the United States to Germany, has been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine.

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A Petrograd dispatch says an explanatory memorandum issued by the government regarding the budget which is now ready to be framed, points out the loss to the exchequer entailed by the fact that Russia's enemies have seized her richest industrial provinces, comprising an area exceeding 183,000 square miles with a population of 25,000,000 and with 5,333 miles of railroad.

GENERAL.

As part of a plan to equip policemen for warfare, all members of the New York police force were notified that they will be offered instructions in the handling of rifles.

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To meet the requirements of its business the United States Steel corporation at New York announced proposed improvements at its plants in Indiana, Pennsylvania and Ohio involving an outlay approximating $10,000,000.

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The Upper Mississippi Drainage association, at its annual meeting at East St. Louis, decided to ask congress to appropriate $1,000,000 a year during the next four years for the work of completing levees on the Mississippi river between Cairo and Rock Island, Ill.

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The progress of the dredging operations in the new channel of the Panama canal at Galliard cut has been so satisfactory that it is now virtually assured that there will be a channel 100 feet wide by thirty feet deep through the side area by the middle of December.

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Jewelry valued at $20,000, including a gold badge formerly worn by General Francisco Villa, was seized at El Paso, Tex., as smuggled goods, by Special Agent Lock of the treasury department.

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When a navy aeroplane was shot into air recently at Pensacola from the deck of the cruiser North Carolina while the ship was in motion, a new feat in aviation was accomplished and a device upon which navy airmen have been at work for three years proved a success.

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A military hydroplane manufactured in the United States for the Netherlands East India army, was tried out with complete success, says a dispatch from Batavia Java, capital of the Dutch East Indies.

John D. Rockefeller paid the expenses of 25,000 children who attended the Cleveland flower show, recently. It is estimated that the tickets cost Mr. Rockefeller $5,000.

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Twelve persons were killed and more than 100 injured, many of them seriously, in a tornado which swept through the residence section of Great Bend, Kans. The damage is estimated at $500,000.

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Advertising as the means to increase church membership received the strong endorsement of Rev. Edwin A. Rumball of Boston at the thirty-first annual meeting of the Unitarian conference of the middle states and Canada at Pittsburgh, Pa.

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United States Senator Penrose, in an address at the unveiling of a monument in Philadelphia, to the memory of George McK. Poinsett, one of the sailors killed in action at Vera Cruz in the spring of 1914, declared himself for national preparedness.

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Wholesale frauds, which are estimated to have cost the state $500,000 in the last few years, in connection with bounties on the scalps of walves, which were never killed, are alleged by Deputy Conservation Warden Henry Lee of Wisconsin.

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Kaiser Wilhelm decorated Mrs. James W. Gerard, wife of the American ambassador, with Red Cross gold medals of the first and second class. This is the first time the kaiser has ever given a decoration of the first class to a woman not of royal blood.

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Had the section foreman and bridge inspector used due diligence, the Union Pacific wreck at Randolph, Kan., October 17, in which eleven persons lost their lives, would not have occurred, according to a decision which the State Utilities commission handed down at Topeka.

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The Seattle city school department, having found hundreds of pupils suffering from malnutrition, has decided to open twenty milk distributing stations in as many schools. Pasteurized milk will be served free to children unable to pay for it and at 1 cent a glass to those able to pay.

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Mrs. Scott Durand of Chicago lost the long battle she has waged in the courts for weeks to save the lives of her herd of sixty valuable Guernsey cattle, which have been afflicted with the foot and mouth disease. The animals were shot by Illinois state veterinarians under the protection of the sheriff.

SPORTING.

Johnny Dundee, New York lightweight boxer, outpointed Joe Rivers of California by a slight shade in a ten-round, no-decision boxing contest at Milwaukee.

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For the fourth consecutive year Harvard university football team beat Princeton. The game was played at Princeton, N. J., before a crowd estimated at 40,000, Harvard winning, 10 to 6.

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A world's record for a yearling trotting filly was made at Lexington, Ky., at a meeting of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' association when a yearling bay filly by Prince Ansel-Ilia Moke trotted a mile in 2:17½. She is owned by the Woodland Stock farm of Woodland, Cal.

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Johnny Ertle of St. Paul, who recently won on a foul from the bantamweight title holder, "Kid" Williams, made a good impression in his first bout in New York, outpointing Abe Friedman of New York, who held the New York state amateur bantamweight title last winter.

WASHINGTON.

President Wilson has appointed Former President William Howard Taft chairman of the central committee of the American Red Cross, to succeed Major General George W. Davis, retired.

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Considerable territory in northern Illinois is freed from the live stock foot and mouth disease quarantine by an order issued by the Department of Agriculture to become effective immediately.

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An official hydroaeroplane record of 11,000 feet, made by Lieutenant Saufley at the Pensacola naval aviation station, was announced by the Navy department. Because the needle of the recording machine ran off the sheet at the 9,000-foot mark, the record cannot be recognized as official.

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Tariffs of transcontinental railroads proposing an increase in carload rates on lumber and forest products from Easton and other points west of Spokane in the state of Washington to destinations in North and South Dakota, Nebraska, and other states, were suspended by the interstate commerce commission until March 10.

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Comptroller of Currency Williams nounced that the Merchants and Farmers National bank of Cisco, Tex., had closed its doors upon the disappearance of the cashier, whose loans with the institution were excessive.

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Reappointment of Surgeon General Rupert Blue of the public health service has been decided upon. Secretary McAdoo will recommend to President Wilson a reappointment for another term of four years, beginning on January 1.

ROBERT P. SKINNER

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Robert P. Skinner, American consul general at London, has been in Washington conferring with government officials on the matter of commercial differences between the British government and ours. It has been rumored that Mr. Skinner will not return to his post in London.

ITALY WILL AID IN BALKANS

TO GIVE SUFFICIENT SUPPORT TO ASSURE TRIUMPH.

Determination of Allies in Campaign Shown by Large Force Being Sent to Region.

London, Nov. 15. — The continued landing of British and French troops at Saloniki is causing some uneasiness in Bulgaria and Turkey, and the ministers of those two powers again protested to the Greek government, which took formal notice of their protests.

The determination of the Entente Allies in their Balkan campaign is shown by the large force they are sending to the Balkans and news was received from Rome that Italy also had decided to intervene in this region "in a manner worthy of her greatness" and to give sufficient support to the British and French to assure a complete triumph. This is said to have had some influence on Greece and Roumania. Roumania, however, is waiting for the developments of the Russian plans.

Austro-Germans Advance.

Meanwhile the Austro-Germans and Bulgarians are advancing slowly in their efforts to cut off or annihilate the Serbian army.

The Italians keep up their offensive on both the Trentino and Isonzo fronts and are making another effort to take Goriza, which has withstood them for so long.

On the Western front heavy artillery bombardments are again beginning in Artois, but with the present rain-soaked condition of the ground this can hardly presage another offensive.

ESCAPE FROM STATE PRISON

Five Prisoners Break Through Roof of Kansas Penitentiary and Slide Down Rope.

Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 15.—Five prisoners made their escape from the Kansas state penitentiary at Lansing during the night and at a late hour were still at large. The five were in separate cells when all of the cells were unlocked. They broke through the roof of the building with an iron bar and let themselves down outside the wall by a rope made of bed sheets.

William La Grasse, convicted of train robbery, was the leader. The others were Glenn Davis, convicted of murder, serving a life term; Frank Miller, who recently killed another convict; Roy Brownson and Charles Bauman, both convicted of burglary.

To Draft Army Budget.

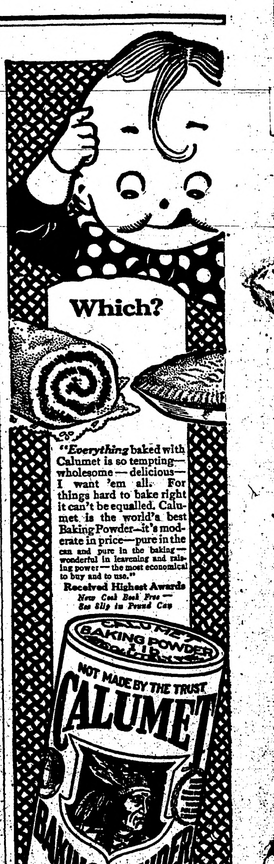
Washington, Nov. 15. — Work of drafting the army appropriation bill in accordance with the administration's national defense program will be undertaken next week by Senator Chamberlain and Representative Hay, chairmen of the congressional military committees.

Sandbar Forms at Memphis Wharf.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 15.—Formation of a sandbar in the Mississippi river in front of the Memphis wharves has almost completely blocked the harbor and is threatening to tie up the city's sewerage system.

Pacific Steamer Runs Ashore.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 15.—The Pacific Coast Steamship company's steamer, City of Seattle, which left here for Southeastern Alaskan ports, is reported ashore in Granville Channel, B. C.



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Lucky Animals.

"The animals of the woodland are preparing for cold weather. They are growing extra thick coats of fur."

"They are lucky to be able to do so. Beats my system of buttoning under my vest an old newspaper."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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How to Heal Skin Diseases

A Baltimore doctor suggests this simple, but reliable and inexpensive, home treatment for people suffering with eczema, ringworm, rashes and similar itching, burning skin troubles.

At any reliable druggist's get a jar of resinol ointment and a cake of resinol soap. These are not at all expensive. With the resinol soap and warm water bathe the affected parts thoroughly, until they are free from crusts and the skin is softened. Dry very gently, spread on a thin layer of the resinol ointment, and cover with a light bandage—if necessary to protect the clothing. This should be done twice a day. Usually the distressing itching and burning stop with the first treatment, and the skin soon becomes clear and healthy again.

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One Advantage.

"Do you find living with alimony better than living with a husband?"

"I should say I do. That comes in regularly, at least."

Defining a Mugwump.

The definitions given by children of certain words which elude the lexicographer are sometimes amusing.

One little fellow, for instance, came to his mother with a complaint the other day and said:

"Maw, Johnny is such a mugwump that I won't sleep with him no more."

"Why, Charley," said his mother, "whatever do you mean? A mugwump? What is that?"

"Why don't you know? But then you women don't ought to be expected to know nothin' o' pol'tics. But father knows, an' he says a 'mugwump is a chap what don't take either side, an' that's Johnny all over. He sleeps in the middle an' where do I come in?"

Scriptural Proof.

"At a negro camp meeting in North Carolina," says Senator Ben Tillman, "a testifying penitent referred to himself and his unconverted brothers as 'niggers' in a spirit of abject humility which he deemed well pleasing to his Maker. The presiding elder, who 'amended' his speech at proper intervals, finally threw out a gentle rebuke.

"'Call yo'se'f a cullud person, brother,' he admonished, impressively, 'Niggers is a term of reproach invented by proud white folks. Dey ain't no mention in de Bible of niggers.'"

"'Oh, yes, dey is, parson,' the penitent contradicted solemnly. 'Don't you rec-lect de place where it tells 'bout nigger Demus?'"

CHANGE

Quit Coffee and Got Well.

A woman's coffee experience is interesting. "For two weeks at a time I have taken no food but skim milk, for solid food would ferment and cause such distress that I could hardly breathe at times, also excruciating pain and heart palpitation and all the time I was so nervous and restless.

"From childhood up I had been a coffee and tea drinker and for the past 20 years I had been trying different physicians but could get only temporary relief. Then I read an article telling how some one had been helped by leaving off coffee and drinking Postum and it seemed so pleasant just to read about good health I decided to try Postum.

"I made the change from coffee to Postum and there is such a difference in me that I don't feel like the same person. We all found Postum delicious and like it better than coffee. My health now is wonderfully good.

"As soon as I made the shift to Postum I got better and now my troubles are gone. I am fleshy, my food assimilates, the pressure in the chest and palpitation are all gone, my bowels are regular, have no more stomach trouble and my headaches are gone. Remember I did not use medicines at all—just left off coffee and used Postum steadily." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

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Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

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State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

St. Cloud. — Nicholas Traufler, 93 years old, for fifty years a resident of Stearns county, died at the home of his daughter. He is survived by his widow, five children, twenty-four grandchildren and twenty-one great-grandchildren.

Stillwater.—Louis D. Jarchow, sheriff of Washington county the last five years, died here after an illness of several weeks from paralysis. He was about 50 years old, and a son of Nicholas Jarchow. He was born and reared at Stillwater.

Winona.—Carrying supplies for one of the warring nations of Europe, a special train of thirty-seven cars passed through East Winona on the Burlington road, northbound. The railway company maintained secrecy relative to the nature of the shipment.

Faribault. — Occupants of the farm home of Charles Laufferer, at Blooming Grove, barely escaped when it was destroyed by fire. The blaze is thought to have started from a defective flue. The hired man was awakened when smoke filled his room. Escape was cut off and he jumped from a second story window.

Winona. — R. T. Doud, 81 years old, a Winona county pioneer, probably will be the oldest hunter in the North woods this year. He procured a big game license and with C. E. Maxham, 72 years old, left for Marifield, Minn., near Brainerd. The two aged men made arrangements for a seventy-five mile overland trip in the north.

Albert Lea.—Somebody painted red the entrance of the new church at Hartland, and as a result war is threatened again between opposing factions among members of the five Lutheran churches of this county. The followers of T. J. Strand, ousted minister, who built the church, say the anti-Strand faction daubed on the paint. The charge is denied.

Duluth.—A picturesque career was brought to a dramatic close when W. E. Archibald Le Quesne dropped dead while addressing the Sunday school at Trinity Episcopal cathedral here. Mr. Le Quesne, a native of Nova Scotia, served as a scout for General Miles in the Sioux Indian campaign, part of the time being under command of Colonel William Cody (Buffalo Bill).

Duluth. — Reports of receipts of coal at the head of the lakes, the distributing point of the northwest, for October, show a falling off from those of last year. Bituminous was short during the month by 209,144 tons, and for the season to Nov. 1, 1,735,687 tons. Anthracite is slightly ahead of last year, October showing 26,493 tons more and the season to Nov. 1, 74,920 tons excess.

Red Wing. — Seven English Lutheran ministers make up a party that will hunt big game in the woods of the north. "The expedition is sort of a pastor's retreat," said Rev. Willis Beck of Zumbrota, "and we plan to have a grand time. We will leave in a few days to shoot deer." Others in the party are Rev. C. C. Roth of St. Paul's church, Red Wing; Rev. E. Schultz, Cannon Falls; Rev. Dr. W. P. Christy, Rev. D. E. Bosserman, Minneapolis, and Rev. W. H. Gable, Superior, Wis.

Minneapolis.—Charles C. Daniels of North Carolina, special assistant to the attorney general and for the last 18 months in charge of the government's prosecution of White Earth Indian land cases, is to be superseded in office by a Minnesota man. Mr. Daniels, who is a brother of Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels and a close friend and follower of William Jennings Bryan, is either to be ousted from the government service or transferred to some other part of the country.

Red Wing. — Miss Rolfe Tripp, 19-year-old daughter of Timothy Tripp of this city, leaped from the Wisconsin channel bridge on the island road, opposite Red Wing, and was drowned. She had been employed as a domestic at Edward Maetzold's home at Hager and it is said she quit work at 8 a. m. and started to walk to Red Wing, three miles. Harlie Johnson, a Wisconsin dairyman, saw her jump from the wooden span to the water, 25 feet below, and heard her cries, but was unable to rescue her.

Duluth. — In 1916 about $860,000 will be spent for road work in St. Louis county under the supervision of the state highway commission, the county board having levied $615,000 for the general fund, an increase of $115,000 over that of last year; besides which there was levied $75,000 for roads in the unorganized townships, authorized by the last legislature; $30,000 for the St. Louis county portion of the Duluth-St. Vincent road; and $110,000 to retire the Miller trunk road bond issue of 1893.

St. Cloud. — Search for Walter L. Brackett, missing Excelsior, Minn. farmer, for whom Governor Hammond has been asked to offer a reward, took a new turn with the finding of a supposed clue in the fact that a W. L. Brackett registered at a hotel in Chicago two days after the disappearance.

Thief River Falls.—The first shipment of Guernsey cattle to this locality by the county association was made this week. Twelve registered head, eleven cows and one bull were purchased in New York state by Harry Woolson, secretary of the association.

LIVE STOCK BOARD MAY SAVE CATTLE

PLANS TESTS TO DETERMINE ANIMALS' CARRYING POWER OF TUBERCULOSIS GERMS.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

The state live stock sanitary board, the Crookston experiment station staff and the cattle experts at the Minnesota college of agriculture will co-operate in an experiment which may result in the minimizing of losses resulting from tubercular infections in prize cattle.

Seventeen animals out of fifty-two in the herd of the Crookston school of agriculture, reacted to the tuberculin test when the herd last was infected. Many of these animals have only local infection.

The object of the experiment will be to determine the animals' germ-carrying powers. They will be segregated in a special barn about 700 feet from the cattle sheds at Crookston. X-ray tests, similar to those made in discovering local tubercular infection in humans will be made on the cattle. If it is found that there is no danger of infection at the conclusion of the experiment, the animals may be placed in a new herd.

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Peace Greatest Blessing.

The greatest blessing for which the people of Minnesota should give thanks Nov. 25 is that the nation is at peace, Governor Hammond says in his Thanksgiving day proclamation. The proclamation follows:

"The people of Minnesota have special reason to give thanks to God for His blessings through and by which they have peace, contentment and the material things necessary for their welfare and wholesome enjoyment. The riches of the state, due to the fertility of its soil, the mineral deposits, the forests, the fish, the game and much else, supplemented by industry and frugality, are ample for the needs and reasonable desires of all who dwell in it. Unfortunately some who possess more of the world's goods than they need give too little heed to others, who, through misfortune or other cause, have less than actual necessities demand, and so suffer. Will not the prosperous at this time look for those who are in want, relieve the distressed, help the fallen to rise and bring hope and cheer to the disconsolate for the sake of Him who has given to us so bountifully? There are no unusual disturbances; tranquillity prevails, and there is little of the bitterness and strife, leaving neighbor to suspect neighbor of evil designs or section to oppose section. But, greatest of all, our nation is at peace. In the midst of the greatest war the world has known, accompanied with the most awful loss of life and destruction of property and attended by all the grief misery and woe that so terrific a struggle can develop, America is at peace. Our hearts bleed with sympathy for the stricken ones. We pray that the terrible conflict may end. We are thankful that we have been spared from the catastrophe that has come upon so many of the great nations of the world. So it is especially fitting that we should set apart a day for Thanksgiving, and I do hereby, as governor of the state of Minnesota, proclaim Thursday, Nov. 25, 1915, as Thanksgiving day, and I do most earnestly call upon the people of our commonwealth on that day to meet at their usual places of worship in order that they may there better render thanks to Almighty God for the manifold blessings we enjoy."

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Burns Old Bonds.

Paper representing $2,161,000 went up in smoke through the Capitol chimney when Governor Hammond tossed into the fire the canceled bonds and certificates accumulated in the office of Walter J. Smith, state treasurer. It took the governor about three minutes to feed the bundles of old papers to the flames. The burning was attended by state officials.

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Farmers Meet at Capitol.

Farmers from institutions under the state board of control met at the Capitol and discussed uniform methods for handling their produce. They took up such instances as milk which, in some cases, is measured by the pound and in others by liquid measure.

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Much Diphtheria in State.

More cases of diphtheria in Minnesota than ever before at this time of year are reported by the state board of health. The state laboratories examined 7,470 diphtheria cultures since Sept. 1, according to the director of the division of preventable diseases, as compared with 5,665 cultures in the corresponding period of 1914. The corresponding figure in 1913 was 137; in 1912, 1,447. Diphtheria is reported active in Cohasset and Grand Rapids, Melrose, Paynesville, Benson, DeGraff and other towns.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhœa. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

The worse the weather today, the better it may be tomorrow.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00.—Adv.

A stitch in time may close the mouth of a gossip.

Blighted Ambition.

"Felice has quit knitting socks for the Belgians."

"Maybe the Belgians have enough socks now."

"Perhaps so, but Felice quit because she couldn't be chairman of the knitting committee of the Girls' Belgian Relief club."

In the effort to eradicate

HEADACHE AND NEURALGIA

Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne now heads the list as a successful remedy for the relief of headache, nervousness, insomnia, car sickness, etc.

The dangerous tablet has had its day. Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne is a harmless, refreshing, fragrant preparation, marvelous in its action, relieving nervousness, sleeplessness, exhaustion and all head and nerve ailments by external use and inhaling. It is not a nerve food, but a nerve soother. By giving the nerves a rest they furnish their own food and tone, and all nerve pains disappear. For children's colds and catarrh it is just the remedy, harmless and efficient and so pleasant to use. For men a pleasant remedy to relieve and clear the head "the morning after the night before." This is not an expensive preparation at 50 cents a bottle, because it brings the relief. It has many imitators at less price, but if they do not bring the desired results they are not cheap at any price.

Get Hoyt's and you will be satisfied. For sale at all drug stores.

Some married men make good danger signals for bachelors.

WHY "ANURIC" IS AN INSURANCE AGAINST SUDDEN DEATH!

Sufferers from Backache, Rheumatism and Kidney Trouble

Before an Insurance Company will take a risk on your life the examining physician will test the urine and report whether you are a good risk. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, sick-headache, dizzy spells, or the twinges and pains of lumbago, rheumatism and gout. The urine is often cloudy, full of sediment; channels often get sore and sleep is disturbed two or three times a night. This is the time you should consult some physician of wide experience—such as Dr. Pierce, of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. Send him 10 cents for sample package of his new discovery—"Anuric." Write him your symptoms and send a sample of urine for test. Experience has taught Dr. Pierce that "Anuric" is the most powerful agent in dissolving uric acid, as hot water melts sugar, besides being absolutely harmless and is endowed with other properties, for it preserves the kidneys in a healthy condition by thoroughly cleansing them. Checks the degeneration of the blood-vessels, as well as regulating blood pressure. "Anuric" is a regular insurance and life-saver for all big meat eaters and those who deposit lime-salts in their joints. Ask the druggist for "Anuric" put up by Dr. Pierce, in 50-cent packages.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong, sick women well, no alcohol. Sold in tablets or liquid.

Unnatural.

"Hello, Bill! How do you like caddying for the Ladies' Golf club?"

"Oh, it ain't such a bad job, only I can't get used to hearing 'em say 'Goodness gracious!' when they foozle."

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If a woman would have the neighbors respect her husband she must set an example.

In treating wounds containing dirt, always wash them out with warm soft water and castile soap, drying before applying Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Adv.

In a woman, freckles and good sense go hand in hand.

An ornery man's dog sticks to his master. But a good man's dog often disappears, leaving no clue.

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There is more or less graft in the construction of family trees.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

A man isn't necessarily polished just because you see his finish.

If your horse goes lame, rub on and rub in thoroughly Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

A man soon gets used to the distrust he has of himself.

Not Gray Hairs but tired Eyes Make us look older than we are. Old age and Dull Eyes—tell-tale.

Don't Tell Your age

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Bank Statement

Bank No. 1064.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on Nov. 10th 1915
Date of call by Supt. Nov. 17, 1915.
Date of report by bank, Nov. 17, 1915.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$32,026 55
Overdrafts		224 08
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,617 38
Other Real Estate		$1,500.
Due from Banks	8,536 23	
Cash on hand	498 49	
Total cash assets		9,034 72
Checks and cash items		356 46
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		1480 07
Total		$47,239 26

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2,000 00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		15,785 22
Deposits Subject to Check	$10,550 68	
Cashier's Checks	1626 98	
Due to Banks	374 85	
Total Immediate Liabilities	12,552 51	
Time Certificates	6,901 53	
Total Deposits	19,454 04	
Total		$47,239 26
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$9,301 18
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$2,510 50

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

We, Lars Backe President, and Bertil Sollom Asst. Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
LARS BACKE, President,
Bertil Sollom, Asst. Cashier.
Correct Attest: A. R. Jones
(Two) Directors B. L. BACKE
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Nov, 1915.
(Seal) Bertil L. Backe, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-1-1917

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS AND FOR HEARING THEREON.

ESTATE OF ANNA ANDERSON.
State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Anna Anderson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Alfred B. Anderson of Holt, in said County.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday, the 11th day of February, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at Warren, in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News, as provided by law.

Dated November 9th, 1915.
(Court Seal.)
PETER H. HOLM,
Judge of Probate.

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS AND FOR HEARING THEREON.

ESTATE OF HOGAN ANDERSON.
State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Hogan Anderson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Alfred B. Anderson of Holt, in said County.

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Optimistic Thought.
Resolutions taken without thought bring disasters without remedy.

Local Items

Dr. Turley will be at the hotel Monday Nov. 29th, to do dental work.

Dr. Lindsay reports a 9 lb. baby girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coppay recently.

The Winton-Nichols Lumber Co. have another change of ad. this week which you should read.

Don't forget the basket social in the East Valley school house Nov. 27th. A good time for all.

C. W. Latta has moved his family into the rooms adjoining his lunch room and confectionery store.

Mesdame Backe and Sollom entertained Ladies Aid Wednesday, the neat sum of $9.00 was collected.

Rev. Parish will preach in English in the Free Mission church at eight o'clock next Tuesday evening and the public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim pleasantly entertained on Sunday Messrs. Backe, Sollom, Bennes, Young and their wives.

Rev. F. J. Seltz will hold German services with Lord Supper in the Synod church next Sunday forenoon at 10:30, Nov. 21st.

The Ladies Aid will have an auction sale in the basement of the church Saturday evening Nov. 20th. A good lunch will be served.

Albert Bjerk, who has been working at Hillsboro, N. D. since last spring, came home Monday to spend the winter with his parents.

Rev. A. L. Larson of Thief River Falls will preach in Norwegian next Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock, Free Mission church. All invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nelson and family moved Tuesday from the restaurant into their new house which has been re-built and made real cosy and home like.

Arnold Bornstein and Clarence Kolden returned Tuesday from Strathcona. Clarence had the top of his cap clipped off by a bullet from the rifle of a crazy or drunken hunter, who ran away when he cried out for him to quit shooting.

A force of men from Rosewood are doing the carpenter work on the Woodman hall. They now have the building enclosed and the roof on so they can work if the weather should be stormy.

Oh! Here we are again. That same good Coffee—not alone but a nice juicy Hamburger Sandwich and that Pie and Doughnuts that Ma makes will be served at Huseth's Lunch Counter. Come in and make yourself at home.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Sept. 1915.

Cream received	21,428 lbs
Average test	28.83
Butter fat	6178.12 lbs
Percent overrun	23 58
Butter made	7635 lbs
Balance on hand last month	16 72
Received for butter shipped	1735 20
Butter and milk sold patrons	16 43
Cash sales at creamery	23 62
Rec'd from other sources	4 96
Total	$1796 93
Paid patrons by check	1544 47
" " " Butter & milk	16 48
Expense fund, etc.	188 92
To sinking fund	44 84
To other sources	1 57
Balance on hand	70
Total	$1796 93

Number of patrons, 80
Price paid for butter fat, 25 1-2c
Names of patrons receiving $40.00 checks: T. O. Dovre, $43.68
T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

More Important Thing.
The latest estimate places the age of the earth at 100,000,000 years. However, the age of the earth isn't half as important to some men as the age of the liquor they consume.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Monday
Nov. 29, 1915.
I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-
Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
Plates $10.00 and up
Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.
Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.
Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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Live and Let Live Prices

A. H. Huseth was a business caller in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

A. R. Jones expects to go home next Wednesday so as not to miss that turkey dinner.

P. A. Riesberg returned from T. R. Falls Thursday, where he has been the last week.

Several from Holt attended the basket social in Miss Christine Saastad's school, Saturday evening.

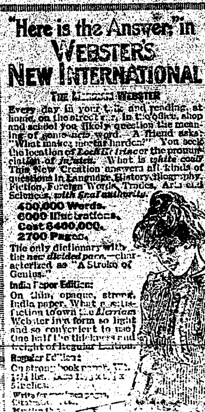
THE NEWS has a letter from Steiner this week and we hope to have them quite regularly in the future.

Rev. McMartin of Middle River preached an excellent sermon Tuesday evening to an appreciative audience.

Rev. G. O. Parish will be here Tuesday evening Nov. 23rd. at 8 o'clock and preach a Thanksgiving sermon. Everyone invited.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Chris Saastad at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of Thanksgiving Day. Every body invited to attend.

Alfred Olson started his feed mill Monday and is prepared to grind all kinds of grain any day in the week. Located just north of Reierson's store.



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Next Thursday is Thanksgiving and a national holiday.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will have an auction sale and a fishing pond at the church basement Nov. 20th at 8 o'clock. A good lunch will be served. Everybody welcome.

P. H. Gramer of Crookston, was out Monday and Tuesday with John Sorum looking over the places that need culverts.

A number from here attended a birthday surprise party given Fred Ewald, Saturday evening.

Dr. Lindsay removed a piece of steel from Axel Johnson's eye, one day last week, also one from E. Johnson's eye and both are recovering nicely.

Alfred Hanson who came here last week with the intention of leasing the blacksmith shop, was unable to make satisfactory arrangements and is now located in International Falls, where he is foreman in a machine shop.

$100 Reward, $100
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
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The people of this country have lost $129,000.00 in the last two years through blue-sky and get-rich-quick schemes.
If you have money to invest, keep it here at home with men and institutions you KNOW.
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WHITE PINE "& plenty of it."
YES, WE HAVE IT! "& PLENTY OF IT"
White Pine is one of the *"White Hopes"* that never had to *"Come back!"* (It's an *"always was"*—and an *"is yet!"*)
Been all sorts of 'Bear' stories about this original Leading American Wood—("The Wood of the Forefathers") having been all used up. *Not so.*
You will need some—and the best of it is that YOU CAN GET IT—ALL YOU WANT OF IT—AND OF AS FINE A quality AS YOUR ANCESTORS BOASTED OF.
So *this* time—for new work or old, just remember
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Don't forget the basket social in the East Valley school house Nov. 27th. A good time for all.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$ .90
Wheat No. 2	.86
Wheat No. 3	.80
Wheat No. 4	.75
Flax	1.82
Oats	.26
Barley	36 to .46
Rye	.79
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The village of Karlstad is to have a skating rink.

St. Paul is to have a national corn show to last all of next month.

Several subscribers have made us thankful the past few weeks by paying up their subscriptions.

The Minnesota presidential primaries will be held next March, the first of any state in the union.

A recent census of the village of Newfolden shows that thriving little place to have 236 bonafide residents.

We can be thankful our nation is not at war, even if some of our people would like to see us take sides in the mix up in Europe.

German troops under the command of Field Marshall von Mackensen have landed in Constantinople to fight with the Turks against the entente allies.

The Ladies Aid sold articles Saturday evening amounting to $25.95 and the lunch and fish pond yielded betweent $8.00 and $9.00 more, total amount received about $35.00

A preacher in LaCrosse, Wis has about doubled the attendance at his Sunday evening services by having a social hour with a free lunch, just before the regular church service, after which old time hymns are sung.

Rev. G. O. Parish preached a Thanksgiving sermon Tuesday evening to a well filled house and all were well pleased with his message. Rev. Parish expects to be here again in about two weeks. Announcements to be made later.

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Local Items

Fred Johnson came from Thief River Falls, Saturday, on a short business trip.

Norwegian Sunday School at 10 o'clock A. M. sharp. All welcome. Free Mission church.

We go to press a day earlier this week so as to have a part of Thanksgiving day to ourselves.

Rhinehart Reierson returned home Wednesday from a few weeks visit with relatives in Canada.

Miss Edna Riesberg went to Newfolden to clerk Friday, the opening day of Carson's sale there.

Alfred Olson started his feed mill Monday and is prepared to grind all kinds of grain any day in the week. Located just north of Reierson's store.

Mrs. T. T. Sollom visited her daughter Mrs. Arvid Carlson, at Newfolden a couple of days last week.

Oh! Here we are again. That same good Coffee—not alone but a nice juicy Hamburger Sandwich and that Pie and Doughnuts that Ma makes will be served at Huseth's Lunch Counter. Come in and make yourself at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knutson have moved from Radium into the Rierson building on main street. They will live on the second floor and Mr. Knutson will open a meat market on the first floor. THE NEWS wishes Mr. Knutson success in his venture.

Dr. LINDSAY
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Carl Oien, of Shelly, visited his brother Henry, the first of the week.

Hilmer Johnson visited his parents at Strathcona, from Friday to Monday.

Ed. Nyberg and Ed. Knutson did some repairing on Mrs. Brita Seim's house and barn last week Thursday.

P. P. Reierson and wife returned Friday from Fillmore Co., where they visited the latters parents for a couple of days.

C. L. Sanberg has had the foundation built for his house and expects to commence the carpenter work sometime next week.

Ernest Kuehne returned home Tuesday from Warren where he has been working for several months.

Pete Anderson went to St. Hilaire Tuesday, to spend Thanksgiving with relatives and friends and to act as best man at his brothers wedding.

Dick Schwartz and a young fellow by the name of Mason, filled up with alcohol Monday evening, proceeded to make trouble. The first man that happened to get near them was one of the carpenters, Haaken Krokstad from Rosewood who after being driven into a corner claims he had to fight. In the mix up billiards balls were used and at the last Mason drew a knife to use on Krokstad but was prevented by Carl Johnson, who had one of his fingers badly cut by the murderous weapon. Mr. Krokstad received a bad cut on his nose and a bruise on his face, but has been working since the trouble. Messrs. Swartz and Mason appeared before Justice Latta Wednesday, plead guilty and were fined.

Potatoes For Sale!

Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 50c per bushel delivered in Holt.
A. C. Jahr. Holt.

Tractor For Sale!

Bull tractor, in good shape, 5 and 12 horse power. Cheap if taken at once. Enquire of A. N. Olson.
R. F. D. No. 1. Argyle, Minn.

Estray Notice!

Two yearling calves came to my place Nov. 4th. Owner please prove property, pay expenses of keeping and for this notice.
John Engstrom, Holt, Minn.

Northeast of Holt

There were thirteen visitors at Sunnyside school last Friday, it brings parents Visiting Day.

Lizzie Hanson called on Selma Dovre Friday afternoon.

Pete Sorter and Eli Saastad called at Christianson Saturday evening.

C. W. Christinson called at O. H. Dovre's Sunday afternoon.

Dr. Turley will be at the hotel Monday Nov. 29th, to do dental work.

Mrs. P. O. Reierson went to Newfolden Thursday to make the coffee for the demonstration on the opening day of the Carlson Merc. Co.'s big sale.

A basket social and entertainment will be held in the East Valley school house, Dist. No. 148, on Saturday evening, Nov. 27. Everybody welcome. Agnes Fosen Teacher.

B. Docken has traded off his residence property in St. Paul, taking in a 1915 Maxwell car on the deal. The car is fully equipped and has an electric starter, lights and horn, and is just what Mr. Docken needs in his business.

P. L. Anderson and A. L. Carlson autoed to Newfolden Friday evening where they were joined by Arvid Carlson and all took the "Soo" for Thief River Falls to attend the Elks lodge, the former being initiated into the mysteries of that order.

The Sanbridge Cemetery Corporation met Saturday forenoon and transacted considerable business as it was their first meeting for two or three years. R. L. Olson was elected director for one year. Nils Engerbretsen secretary for two years and Alfred Anderson treasurer for three years. T. A. Tobiason was appointed sexton and will dig the graves for those who wish to hire the work done.

Family lots with room for 8 graves will be sold for $10.00 and single lots or graves for $2.00. A tool house 10x12 will be built in the northeast corner of the grounds, and P. A. Riesberg was appointed to oversee the work. The lots will be marked with corner stones and H. A. Fasholm will superintend that work. A new fence will be built around the grounds, which work will be in charge of Andrew Bjerk, and all who are interested will be asked to meet on a certain day and clean up the grounds, all of which will add greatly to the beauty of our little cemetry.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
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The United States government can take an ounce of silver and make it worth 50 cents—**That's Money.**
A Mechanic can take material worth $5.00 and make it into a machine worth $50.00—**That's Skill.**
There are men who can take a 50 cent piece of canvas and paint a picture on it and make it worth several hundred dollars—**That's Art.**
A merchant can take an article worth 75 cents and sell it for $1.00—**That's Business.**
A woman can purchase a $2.79 hat but prefers one that costs $27.00—**That's Foolishness.**
A ditch-digger works ten hours a day and handles several tons of earth for $2.00—**That's Labor.**
The author of this article can write a check for $90,000,000.00, but it would'nt be worth a dime—**That's Tough.**
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BUSINESS IN CANADA IS GOOD

Successful Crops and Big Yields Help the Railway.

The remarkable fields that are reported of the wheat crop of Western Canada for 1915 bear out the estimate of an average yield over the three western provinces of upward of 25 bushels per acre. There is no portion of that great west of 24,000 square miles in which the crop was not good and the yields abundant. An American farmer who was induced to place under cultivation land that he had been holding for five years for speculative purposes and higher prices, says that he made the price of the land out of this year's crop of oats. No doubt, others, too, who took the advice of the Department of the Interior to cultivate the unoccupied land, have done as well.

But the story of the great crop that Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta produced this year is best told in the language of the railways in the added cars that it has been necessary to place in commission, the extra trains required to be run, the increased tonnage of the grain steamers.

It is found that railway earnings continue to improve.

The C. P. R. earnings for the second week of October showed an increase of $762,000 over last year, the total being only $310,000 below the gross earnings of the corresponding week of 1913, when the Western wheat crop made a new record for that date. The increase in C. P. R. earnings for the corresponding week of that year was only $351,000, or less than half of the increase reported this year. The grain movement in the West within the past two weeks has taxed the resources of the Canadian roads as never before, despite their increased facilities. The C. P. R. is handling 2,000 cars per day, a new record. The G. T. R. and the C. N. R. are also making new shipment records. The other day the W. Grant Morden, of the Canada Steamships Company, the largest freighter of the Canadian fleet on the Upper Lakes, brought down a cargo of 476,315 bushels, a new record for Canadian shipping. Records are "going by the board" in all directions this fall, due to Canada's record crop. The largest Canadian wheat movement through the port of New York ever known is reported for the period up to October 15th, when since shipments of the new crop began in August, 4,265,791 bushels have been reloaded for England, France and Italy. This is over half as much as was shipped of American wheat from the same port in the same period. And, be it remembered, Montreal, not New York, is the main export gateway for Canadian wheat. New York gets the overflow in competition with Montreal.—Advertisement.

Sad Pleasure.

A minister who had resigned from his church was making his farewell calls. He called at the home of one of his parishoners who sent her little girl down to the parlor to entertain the minister for a few minutes, the mother not being dressed to receive him. After a few of the customary remarks about the weather the little girl said to the minister:

"I hear that we are to have the sad pleasure of losing you."

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It Surely Is.

"Pa, what is affectation?"

"Affectation, my boy, is carrying three extra tires on an automobile that never gets more than four blocks away from a garage."—Detroit Free Press.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00. —Adv.

How Could He?

Doctor—Stick out your tongue farther.

Boy — Can't. It's fastened t' my back.—Judge.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

There is no more fallacious theory than the one to the effect that one man is as good as another.

STATE BREVITIES

Northfield. — A co-operative stock shipping association has been organized by farmers of the Northfield community.

Duluth.—Jean Duluth Pear of a local farm has established a new world's record for red poll cattle in the 1915 club contest by scoring more than 700 pounds of butterfat in one season.

Rochester. — The annual convention of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Minnesota conference has closed. Miss Winifred Willard of Denver, national field secretary, was the principal speaker.

Red Wing. — Mistaking a can of muriatic acid for coffee and drinking a small quantity of the poison before he discovered his blunder, cost the life of Samuel Alberts, 26 years old, a well known young man of Pine Island.

Stillwater.—Emil Klopp, 12 years old, and Alois Klopp, 10, sons of Anton Klopp, a farmer living on the shore of Huntley lake, north of Stillwater, were drowned while skating. Alois went down in fourteen feet of water.

Embarrass. — Anton Antila was arrested here charged with murdering Emil Neimi, a farmer boy living near, and who was killed in his own home by a bullet fired, it is alleged, by Antila after a quarrel between the two.

Crosby. — To satisfy United States immigration officials, who refuse to recognize an Oriental marriage by proxy of his brother, Kotomura Oye, who is manager of Hickory Lodge farm here for George H. Crosby, will leave soon for Nagasaki to claim his bride of six months.

Taylors Falls, Minn.—The Interstate Park Farmers' club has just held the first meeting of its fifth season. Miss Bess M. Rowe of the university farm made an address. The forenoon session was taken up by a debate on the subject, "Resolved, That the Farmer's Wife Does Not Receive a Living Wage."

St. Cloud. — Fifty cents was all the damage sustained by C. M. Miller of Wadena because O. E. Fuller slapped his face, according to the verdict of a jury. Miller was employed in a real estate office conducted by the plaintiff. After an altercation a year ago, Fuller slapped his employe's face and Miller sued for $1,000.

Winona.—For the first time in history, the season is closing with the ice houses along the Upper Mississippi river still well filled with ice stored last winter. Dealers here declare that if there were no ice harvest weather the coming winter, there would be nearly enough ice in storage to care for the next summer's business.

Red Wing. — Dr. Evan Elijah Edwards, a professor at Hamline university when it was located in Red Wing in the early days, and assistant rector at Christ church in this city in the late '80s, is dead. Word has been received in this city of his death, which occurred at the home of his son, Elmer E. Edwards, at La Belle, Florida. The deceased was about 85 years old.

Albert Lea, Minn.—The fact that they were regular church attendants saved the lives of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sjukalski of East Chain township in Martin county. Sunday morning they were missed from church and when the services were half over one of their sons went to their house to ascertain the cause. He found them in a deep stupor caused from gas emitting from a hard-coal heater.

St. Paul.—This city was placed on the route of the Jefferson Highway, a New Orleans-Winnipeg automobile trail, at New Orleans by action of the highway association's directors. St. Paul and Minnesota defeated Omaha and the combined Nebraska and North Dakota delegations in the fight to be represented on this, the first international trail, through the efforts of J. H. Beek, representing the St. Paul Association of Commerce.

Duluth.—In the eyes of the law, Bert Canfield of West Duluth, missing since 1903, is dead; and in district court here his brothers and sisters have just obtained judgment against the grand lodge of the A. O. U. W. of Minnesota for $1,000, insurance on his life. Thirteen years ago, Canfield, then 21, left for the Dakota harvest fields, where he worked in the season of 1902, and then went to the Pacific coast. He wrote in 1903 from Oregon, and later from Wells City, Nev. Nothing has been heard of him since.

St. Paul. — Four suits to recover money and notes paid for stock in the Farmers' Terminal Packing company of St. Paul, have been filed in the Ramsey county district court. The plaintiffs are: Peter Olson, Cumberland, Wis.; John Carlson, Comstock, Wis.; E. P. Erlandson, Holdingford, Minn., and John Nelson, Upsala, Minn. The company, Mr. Olson charges, does not own the 164 acres near St. Paul intended for a site and the land, instead of $200 an acre, as represented, is not worth more than $75. The plant when completed will not have the capacity represented, it is charged, and not more than $100,000 worth of stock had been sold when it was stated that $250,000 worth had been sold.

Minneapolis. — Captured in Minneapolis after a pursuit of 20,000 miles that included England, France, Germany and Russia, and which was interrupted by the war, Samuel Litvinsky of Winnipeg was held at central police station for the police of Winnipeg, who accuse him of complicity in the disappearance of furs worth nearly $100,000.

Cloquet.—Cloquet has started a free night school at the Y. M. C. A. to continue throughout the winter. Enlish, mathematics, mechanical drawing, manual training, and commercial arithmetic are the subjects taught.

ORE MACHINE IS GIVEN TO STATE

PATENT ON PROCESS TO INCREASE OUTPUT ACCEPTED BY REGENTS.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

The Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota have accepted the patent on a process discovered by E. W. Davis, a member of the university mines faculty and experiment station, which may prove the means of more than doubling the salability of low grade magnetic ores in which Minnesota is rich, and which are distributed widely in all parts of the world.

The patent has been given through the university to the state with the right to use it without royalty on all state lands. Prof. Davis discovered the process while experimenting as a member of the mining research experiment station.

The process involves the washing of the low grade magnetic ores in a special washer of the log type. The unmarketable ore is concentrated to the point where it becomes profitable to handle it in the smelting industry.

Prof. Davis' model machine on which the early experiments have been made and the patent right based is being kept secret in the mines laboratory.

The session of the board was in secret. At the close the announcement of the action was made by President George E. Vincent.

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Calls Booster Meeting.

The official call for a big development convention in St. Paul to boost for a greater Minnesota has been issued by Governor Hammond. The meeting will be held in the House chamber at the capitol, December 1, at 10 A. M. A program of development that will benefit the whole state will be drafted for action at the next session of the Legislature, the Governor says.

"Each county is invited to send three delegates to the convention," Mr. Hammond explains in the call. "I would respectfully suggest that these men represent as far as possible all the organizations and agencies interested in the welfare of the county, and that they be selected at a county meeting at which all the organizations in the county may have a voice in their selection.

"No formal program will be prepared for this convention. The delegates present will be asked to select their own officers and committees."

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To Instruct Assessors.

Every county in the state will be visited by members of the state tax commission beginning next February to instruct assessors in regard to their duties. Three months will be given over to the task. In conformity with the law the commission has held meetings each year since its enactment with the assessors in every county and not only has instructed them regarding the work before them, but also has endeavored to solve taxation problems which confront these officials.

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Invites Development Societies.

Governor Hammond has invited the Northern Minnesota Development association, the Red River Valley Development association, the West Central Development association and the Southern Minnesota Development association each to name two delegates to the booster convention, which will be held at the Capitol, Dec. 1, to decide on a legislative program that will be for the betterment of Minnesota as a whole.

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Amendments Too Complicated.

Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state, has about concluded that he will follow the 1913 presidential primary law in making up the ballots for the primary to be held next March. He finds the wording of the 1915 amendments too uncertain in meaning for practical use.

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Reports Deer Plentiful.

The State Game and Fish commission has reports to the effect that deer are plentiful in the North woods and that hunters are getting their share. So far, few violations of the law relating to the slaughter of big game have been received.

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Issues Land Bulletin.

All land dealers and citizens in Minnesota who may apply will receive from the state board of immigration a weekly bulletin of all inquiries for farms and wild land received by the commission.

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For Farm Week at "U."

A diversity of courses broad enough to appeal to every interest of the farmer and extra courses designed to allure the city and small town amateur are on the program of the Farmers and Homemaker's week at the University of Minnesota farm, the week of Jan. 3 to 8. Besides the conference which is expected to draw from 1,000 to 1,200 persons, some 10 associations and the 900 farmer's clubs of the state will be in convention during the week aggregating a state representation of from 5,000 to 10,000.

AMERICA TO SEND STRONG PROTEST IN ANCONA CASE

CONTENDS SUBMARINE MAY NOT SET TIME LIMIT FOR PASSENGERS TO ESCAPE FROM LINER TO BE SUNK.

"PLACE OF SAFETY" TO BE DEMANDED OF AUSTRIANS

Lansing Intimates That Observance of Technical "Safety" Requirements Would Not Absolve U-Boat Commanders From Responsibility for Deaths of Americans.

Washington, Nov. 20. — Emphatic protest by the United States to Austria in the Ancona case is foreshadowed. The United States will stand pat in the contention that a submarine may not set a time limit for passengers to escape from a liner that is to be sunk, it was officially stated.

Neither will the American government excuse the action of a submarine commander who merely gives such passengers a chance to enter lifeboats.

In connection with the Ancona case, Secretary of State Lansing made it clear that the observance of technical "safety" requirements would not absolve U-boat commanders nor their governments from responsibility for the death of Americans.

"Place of Safety" Demanded.

The United States, it was clear from Mr. Lansing's statement, took the broad ground that all possible precautions to prevent the death of passengers must be taken. The placing of American citizens in small boats on the high seas, it was stated, was not regarded as according them "a place of safety" within the meaning of the term as used in international law. In its correspondence with Germany over the Frye case the American government expressed the view that open boats did not constitute a place of safety.

This was broadened by an official interpretation to apply to American citizens, whether traveling on belligerent or neutral ships. Officials qualified their assertions somewhat by stating that if a vessel was destroyed within a few miles of shore, lifeboats would be regarded as safe, but that weather conditions and the opportunity given for passengers to be transferred even then were pertinent circumstances.

45 Minutes Not Time Enough.

From these intimations it generally was believed that the American government would develop the entire question of submarine warfare further in correspondence with Austria and that even though, as the Austrian admiralty has declared, 45 minutes was given for the passengers and crew of the Ancona to be transferred, this was not regarded as affording American citizens a sufficient opportunity to be saved.

The United States has insisted throughout that the operations of submarines shall not "jeopardize the lives of American citizens," and, notwithstanding the formal denial from Vienna that the Ancona was shelled after she stopped, the fact that the ship actually was torpedoed while a number of passengers still were aboard, is regarded as the chief circumstance upon which representations will be made.

American Survivor's Statement.

The first official report alleging that the submarine continued shelling the Ancona after she had halted, reached the state department in a consular dispatch outlining an affidavit made by Dr. Cecil Greil, the only native American officially known to be a survivor of the tragedy.

In this affidavit Doctor Greil flatly asserts that the liner was subjected to shell fire by the U-boat after she had stopped and that the bombardment lasted 45 minutes. The statement from Vienna denying the charge of firing after stopping the liner was received previously from Ambassador Penfield.

This definite and authentic information from an American source, the first received by the state department, establishing that passengers were subjected to fire from the submarine after the vessel stopped, leaves the American government no alternative but to file a vigorous protest with Austria. This will necessitate negotiations, according to officials, regardless of the Ancona's alleged attempt to escape.

American Schooner Strikes Mine.

London, Nov. 20. — The American schooner Helen W. Martin has struck a mine. She is now at anchor.

$50,000,000 for Ship Purchase Bill.

Washington, Nov. 19. — A tentative draft of the new government ship purchase bill which will be urged by the administration at the coming session of Congress was considered at a conference at the treasury department. Secretary Redfield and Solicitor Thurman of the department of commerce went over the proposed measure with Secretary McAdoo.

The plan described by Mr. McAdoo in his speech contemplated the expenditure of $50,000,000 by a government shipping board.

MONASTER SEIZED; SERBS FORM LINE FOR FINAL STAND

BULGARIANS, SWEEPING ON IN PURSUIT OF DEFENDERS, HAVE 45,000 MEN IN PRILEP DISTRICT.

FRENCH REPULSE INVADERS IN 3-DAY FIGHT IN SOUTH

Soldiers of Republic Redouble Efforts to Take Veles, But Whether Attempts Will Relieve Pressure on Serbs Is Uncertain—Italians Bombard Gorizia.

Bucharest, Roumania, via Copenhagen and London, Nov. 22.—The Newspaper Epoca asserts that Austrian and German troops have landed on the Roumanian island of Hurawal, in the Danube river and that they are placing mines in the river and watching the movements of the Roumanian troops. The Epoca asks why the Roumanian government takes no action in the matter.

London, Nov. 22.—Monastir has fallen to the Bulgarians, and the Serb armies are reported forming their forces for a last stand on the historic plain of Kossovo, east of the Montenegrin frontier, where more than 500 years ago they lost their independence to Turkey.

The Bulgarian invaders, sweeping on in pursuit of the defenders, are reported to have 45,000 men in the Prilep district. In the north the Austro-Germans are pushing the Serbs and Montenegrins farther and farther west, and their only avenues of escape now seem to lead into eastern Montenegro and northern Albania.

If the Serbians in the South lose in their crucial battle, they must either cross the Greek border or enter southeastern Albania. In the former case they may be interned.

French Beat Back Bulgars.

The French in the South claim to have beaten back the Bulgarians in three days bloody fighting, and they are now redoubling their efforts to take Veles, but whether their efforts will relieve the pressure on the Serbs is uncertain.

As to the position of Greece, there have been no developments, although a more hopeful feeling prevails in Paris and London since Denys Cochin's visit to King Constantine and the Greek ministers. There have been lively artillery engagements in Alsace and in some other points on the West.

The Italians are still hammering away at the Austrian positions on the Isonzo, but while they are gaining a little from day to day they have not succeeded in the capture of Gorizia, which has again been under heavy shell fire for several days.

BRITISH HOSPITAL SHIP STRIKES MINE; 100 PERISH

Dover, Nov. 19.—The hospital ship Anglia, with about 300 wounded men aboard, in addition to the crew, nurses and attendants, bound from France for Dover, struck a mine in mid-channel and sank in a very short time. Nearly 100 men, most of them seriously wounded, and, therefore, in their cots, lost their lives.

The Collier Lusitania, which was near by at the time of the accident, immediately went to the assistance of the Anglia and her boats were just lowered when she also struck a mine and foundered. All her crew were saved. A patrol boat succeeded in rescuing 300 of the Anglia's passengers and crew, including some nurses. A number of the bodies were recovered.

Italians Ready for Attack.

Geneva, via Paris, Nov. 20.— The Italians are preparing for a formidable attack on Gorizia, according to the Milan correspondent of the Zurich Gazette. Five hundred thousand men are to be employed.

British Fleet Enters Cattegat.

London, Nov. 20.—As a sequel to the report that a flotilla of 25 German torpedo boats and a big cruiser had passed Helsingborg, Sweden, proceeding in to the Cattegats, a dispatch to the Central News from Copenhagen says that a British squadron of cruisers and destroyers has been seen entering the Cattegat.

Big Kentucky Turkey for Wilson.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 20. — A 35-pound turkey, which will grace the Thanksgiving dinner at the White House, has been shipped to Washington from Lexington as the gift of South Trimble, clerk of the house of representatives and former congressman from the Ashland, Ky., district.

Hughes Not on Nebraska Ballot.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 20.—The name of Associate Justice Charles Hughes of the supreme court as a presidential candidate is not expected to appear on the Nebraska primary ballot as requested by a petition filed by a number of his Nebraska supporters. Secretary of State Pool has intimated that he would grant the request of Mr. Hughes that his name be left off. No decision will be made officially until Mr. Hughes' request, which is coming by mail, is received.

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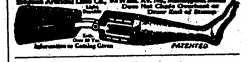

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An Englishman was visiting in an American family in which there was a young boy of eight years. The nobleman was addressed by all members of the family as "My Lord." As soon as the family were seated at the table the lord was served first of all. Each dish was offered him with the remark, "My Lord, will you have this?" or "My Lord, do you care for this?" It happened that the pickle was overlooked, and the nobleman reached to get some. The small boy, seeing this, punched his mother and said in a loud whisper:

"Mother, mother, God wants a pickle."

How He Saw the Louvre.

A French literary man fell in with one of the new order of American commercial men the other night and asked him if he had seen the sights of Paris.

"Yes," he said, "but I find that the police have closed most of the sights."

"Oh no," said his literary friend, "the real sights of Paris, the monuments, are always open — the Pantheon, Notre Dame, the Invalides, the Madeleine and the Louvre."

"Ah, yes. I have seen the Louvre thoroughly."

"Thoroughly?" said the French homme de lettres in surprise, recalling the labyrinthian vastness of the Louvre collection, "and how long did it take you?"

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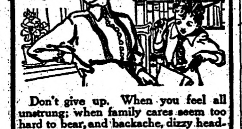
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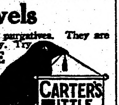

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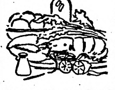
The KITCHEN CABINET

Let's just be glad.
So many joys are given
To us, each day and moment that we know,
For you and me the blue sky arches over,
For you and me the slender daisies blow.
Let's just be glad.

THE THANKSGIVING DINNER.



Every homekeeper delights in serving some novelty of dish or decoration for her Thanksgiving table. Each year in the shops will be found new favors or old ones with a new dress. Turkeys of papiermache, or of cardboard, holding nuts or bonbons. Marshmallow gobblers, browned in crumbs, may be used as cake ornaments or as favors on candy boxes. Some original touch which has been thought out by the hostess herself will mean much, for original ideas are things which take thought. Anyone with a little money may buy pretty things, but she who works out of her own supply something fetching is fully appreciated by her friends.

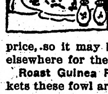
A basket of yellow flowers, like the small chrysanthemum, grown in our gardens, may be taken up in a pot and kept for Thanksgiving. The Roman hyacinth is another flower that may be grown for Thanksgiving.

When the price of a turkey is too much for the family to afford, try some substitutes. They cannot take the place of the time-honored turkey which we all enjoy, but when expense must be considered these dishes will be most satisfactory:

Braised Beef Tongue.—Wash the tongue well and put it into a kettle of fresh cold water, bring the water to a boil and let it simmer until the tongue is tender. Remove the skin carefully and lay the tongue in a pan surrounded by chopped carrots, celery, an onion and the liquor in which the tongue was cooked. Cover closely and bake an hour. Take out the tongue and put on a hot platter. Rub the vegetables through a sieve and add to the gravy. Season with salt, Worcestershire sauce and pepper.

A leg of pork, stuffed with a highly seasoned sage dressing and roasted, makes a fine dish. Add a little cider to the meat while basting. Serve with tart, baked apples.

AUTUMN MEATS.



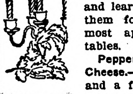
Our first turkeys cost only the powder and shot to bring them down, but each year has put an added value on the famous bird until now we hardly know what their cost will be, but we can be reasonably sure that they will be unreasonable in price, so it may be necessary to look elsewhere for the Thanksgiving meat.

Roast Guinea Fowl.—In many markets these fowl are reasonable in price and quantity and make a most appetizing dish as it is as full of flavor as the most delicate turkey. Use any preferred stuffing. Rub the bird with olive oil, and dust with pepper and salt, sprinkle with flour, turn in a little boiling water and bake in a hot oven for an hour and a half, basting frequently with butter, water and a little lemon juice. While the bird is cooking simmer the giblets in water to cover. Remove the fowl from the pan, add a little minced onion and parsley and a tablespoonful of flour. When brown, add the chopped giblets and the water in which they were cooked. Served with cranberry jelly.

Mock Possum.—The cheaper cuts of fresh pork may be used for this dish. Put three pounds of pork through a meat chopper, add a teaspoonful each of chopped parsley, onion, sage a sprinkling of pepper and salt. Soften three cupfuls of bread crumbs by covering them with hot milk; then squeeze dry and mix with the rest, adding two well beaten eggs. Shape in a loaf and bake for an hour. Then arrange around the loaf, halves of unpeeled apples, around these halves of parboiled sweet potatoes. Bake, basting with the gravy for another hour. Serve with the apples and potatoes on the platter.

Corned Beef.—Wrap a good fat piece of corned brisket in a cloth, cover with cold water and bring to the simmering point, cooking 20 minutes to the pound. When tender, lay out the cloth flat, cover with a board and weight. The next day lay on a platter and garnish with parsley or water cress

SEASONABLE DAINTIES.



Green peppers are so common and may be grown in any summer garden that it seems as if we might serve them often and learn to appreciate them for one of our most appetizing vegetables.

Peppers Filled With Cheese.—Take a cupful and a fourth of cream cheese, with a teaspoonful of salt, a teaspoonful of onion juice, a wash of red pepper, thicken with cracker crumbs and fill the peppers. Bake a light brown and serve with tomato sauce.

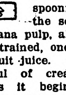
Salsify Soup.—Scrape a dozen salsify roots and cut them in thin slices. Drop into boiling water and cook for an hour or until tender. Just before serving add an ounce of shredded codfish, two tablespoonfuls of butter, a pint of milk and a half cupful of cream. Season to taste and serve piping hot.

Salad of Lemon Jelly.—Soak two tablespoonfuls of gelatin in a tablespoonful of cold water; then dissolve in two cupfuls of boiling water. Add a cupful of sugar, a half cupful of lemon juice, one green pepper cut in shreds, a third of a cupful of stuffed olives, sliced, a fourth of a cupful of almond meats, shredded. When the mixture begins to thicken it is time to add the vegetables and nuts. Mold in individual or large mold and serve on white leaves of lettuce with mayonnaise dressing.

A Delicious Dessert.—Bake in gem pans little spiced fruit cakes, and keep them for this dish. Cut each cake in three slices and put them together with sweetened and flavored whipped cream. Served on a pretty plate covered with a paper doily there could be no daintier dish.

Don't idly dream! There is no time for dreaming,
No time to drone and loiter on the way,
With opportunity each day is teeming,
That, till you deign to waken, will not stay.

GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.



Bananas are always in the market, and this dish is worth the trouble in making if one is fond of bananas. Rub through a sieve, dissolve two and a half tablespoonfuls of gelatin in one and a half cupfuls of milk, add six tablespoonfuls of sugar and the softened gelatin to the banana pulp, also the juice of a lemon strained, one tablespoonful of other fruit juice. Chill, then stir in a cupful of cream whipped. As soon as it begins to set, pour the mixture into a ring mold. When unmolded fill the center with whipped cream, garnished with thinly sliced bananas.

Grape Sherbet.—This is another dish that may be made any time of the year. Boil four cupfuls of water with two cupfuls of sugar for 20 minutes, add the juice of two lemons and two cupfuls of grape juice. Soften one and a half tablespoonfuls of gelatin in a cupful of water; add to the other mixture, cool and strain into a freezer. Freeze and serve in sherbet cups with a spoonful of whipped cream on top.

Date Cookies.—Cream one cupful of butter, add two cupfuls of brown sugar, add a teaspoonful of salt, three eggs, well beaten, a half teaspoonful of soda, mixed with two tablespoonfuls of sour milk, add a teaspoonful of cinnamon, ginger, allspice, and between four and five cupfuls of flour. Add a cupful and a half of chopped dates, mixed with some flour, roll out and cut with a cooky cutter. Bake ten to twelve minutes in a moderate oven.

Raisin Fritters.—Mix together a fourth of a cupful each of cornstarch and flour, add a half cupful of sugar a fourth of a teaspoonful of salt, two and a quarter cupfuls of milk and the beaten yolks of three eggs; cook in a double boiler 15 minutes, then add a half cupful of raisins and pour into a shallow buttered tin to cool. Turn on a board and cut in squares, dip in egg, crumbs and fry in hot fat. Serve with a hard sauce or with a lemon sauce, if preferred.

Tomato sliced, placed on buttered toast, sprinkle with grated cheese, then placed in the oven long enough to melt the cheese is an appetizing dish to serve for lunch or supper.

Nellie Maxwell

Spoil Lives of Weak Men Only.

The man whose life can be "spoiled" by a woman is not much of a man. You do yourself great injustice when you think that so much depends upon that one particular girl. It does not. Many a man does his best work because some foolish girl does not know enough to marry him.

We would never have heard of Walt Whitman if it had not been for a case of disappointed love.

"Out of this I have written these songs," said Whitman.

Perhaps you will lose that girl and out of it you will be a far greater man than you could be with her. Maybe the really right girl is waiting around the corner.—From the Nautilus.

Pat's Choice.

Pat (watching recruits drilling)—Begorra, it's a soldier I'd sooner be than a farmhand.

Mike—An' why so?

Pat—Ye'd be a long time workin' for a farmer before he'd let ye stand at aise, I'm thinkin'.

CURED, BUT SHE DOESN'T KNOW IT

Girl Is Bed-Ridden and Speechless for Ten Years After a Fall.

IS PUZZLE TO DOCTORS

Neither the Child Nor Her Parents Discover She Is Better—Gradually Led to Walk and Talk By Teacher.

Los Angeles.—One of the most remarkable cases known in medical history and one fraught with interest both to surgeons and to students of psychology, has been called to the attention of scientists in this city. It is the case of Carlotaa Sausedo, a fifteen-year-old schoolgirl.

For three years Carlotaa was considered a hopeless paralytic, who would never be able to speak or walk. She had been injured by a fall on her head from a swing when she was twelve years old.

It is declared now by doctors and her teachers that whatever body or brain injuries she may have received from that fall have been absolutely outgrown and that she is perfectly normal physically and mentally, except that her mind has failed to register the fact of her recovery.

Doesn't Realize She Is Well.

In other words, according to the doctors, if the child's mind can be wakened to the fact that she has recovered from her fall she will be able to walk, talk and develop as other children do.

While three weeks ago Carlotaa could not speak and could not walk alone, today she speaks with ease, walks without help and can even walk up and down the school stairs alone.

Three years ago the little girl pitched from a swing to her head. She was picked up and stood on her feet. Instead of standing still she began to whirl round and round. She was entirely unable to stand still or to sit up. She was put to bed and pronounced a hopeless paralytic. Her power of speech was completely stopped.

Schoolteacher Finds Her.

With the beginning of the present school term Miss Ettie Lee, one of the grammar school teachers, discovered the child. There were five other children in the family, all normal, and Miss Lee inquired into Carlotaa's history. Securing medical examination, she learned that, whatever bodily injury may have been caused by the fall, it no longer existed.

In Bed for Three Years.

"We cannot tell Carlotaa she is not a cripple or sick because her mind has to be wakened up gradually to that fact," Miss Lee said, "but we are teaching her by degrees. She is placed in a special class at school and her teacher invents little exercises and lessons for her.

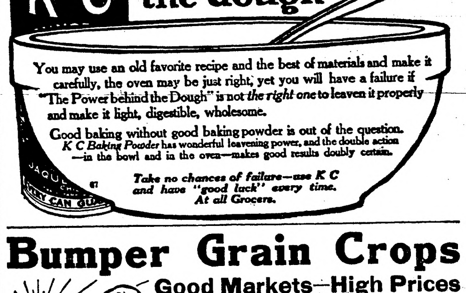
"She had to be almost carried to school. Her teacher made a small sand pile in the playground and many times a day took Carlotaa there and helped her walk over it. Today Carlotaa can walk up and down the school stairs. The other day she went alone to the soup kitchen, got her cup of soup and sipped it unaided.

Was in Bed Three Years.

"When school opened she could not talk. Now she talks to us and knows what we say. She can count in English and Spanish and can write her own name. Her father tells me she was unusually bright before the fall, and I see no reason to suppose that she cannot be restored to her former condition.

"She has been in bed for the greater part of the past three years, as the schools at Chino would not take her in. So, while her body healed itself, apparently her mind never recovered from the shock of the fall."

Little Carlotaa was taken to the Parent-Teacher clinic for further examination to verify the diagnosis of other doctors. If a similar report is made, her special teachers will continue as they have begun in their novel work of teaching the child's mind that her body is neither paralyzed nor injured in any way.



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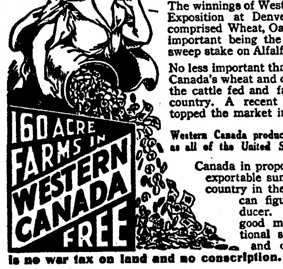
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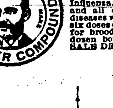

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This and That

Auction bills printed at this office.

Dr. J. T. Turley, the dentist, will be here Monday Nov. 29th.

The Marshall Co. teachers institute will be held in Warren Dec. 6 to 10.

The Clay county saloons were all closed Saturday night as a result of the county option law.

Deer hunting seems to be as poor as the prairie chicken, this season, very few being reported killed.

Holt merchants have been busy with the Thanksgiving and winter trade and still there is more to come.

A red polled cow owned near Duluth has produced over 700 lbs. of butterfat in this seasons contest.

The Modern Samaritans organized a lodge in Grygla Tuesday evening of this week and the Modern Woodman will organize there next Wednesday evening.

A grand stand at Madison Wis., on which 2500 people were seated to watch a foot ball game Saturday, gave way and fell down injuring several people but none were killed.

There will be a basket social and entertainment in the East Valley school house, Dist. No. 148, on Saturday, Nov. 27th. Beginning at 8 P. M. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS AND FOR HEARING THEREON.

ESTATE OF ANNA ANDERSON.
State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Anna Anderson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Alfred B. Anderson of Holt, in said County.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday, the 11th day of February, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at Warren, in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News, as provided by law.

Dated November 9th, 1915.

(Court Seal.)

PETER H. HOLM,
Judge of Probate.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Sept. 1915.

Cream received	21,423 lbs
Average test	28.83
Butter fat	6178.12 lbs
Percent overrun	23 58
Butter made	7635 lbs
Balance on hand last month	16 72
Received for butter shipped	1735 20
Butter and milk sold patrons	16 43
Cash sales at creamery	23 62
Rec'd from other sources	4 96
Total	$1796 93
Paid patrons by check	1544 47
" " " Butter & milk	16 43
Expense fund, etc.	183 92
To sinking fund	44 84
To other sources	1 57
Balance on hand	70
Total	$1796 93

Number of patrons, 80

Price paid for butter fat, 25 1-2c

Names of patrons receiving $40.00 checks: T. O. Dovre, $43.68

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

B. L. Backe was a business visitor at St. Paul, Friday and Saturday.

Ed Nelson visited at the J. M. Swan homo Sunday evening.

C. L. Sanberg spent Thanksgiving with his family at Theif River Falls.

Miss Esther Croustrom went to T. R. Falls Monday to visit friends.

Rev. O. J. Laundell of Thief River Falls was in town between trains Tuesday.

Mrs. P. O. Rierson is visiting relatives in Thief River Falls and Viking this week.

Ole O. Nelson returned home on Wednesday from several months stay in Milton, N. Dak.

Thorval Kolden has returned home from Rollis where he has been working for Erick Knutson.

Mrs. P. A. Von Wold went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to look after some business matters.

Mrs. P. A. Riesberg went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to visit relatives the rest of the week.

J. P. Lein of Warren, came Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving at the home of his daughter Mrs. C. H. Gunheim and family.

We learn thru friends of the family here that E. M. Silbaugh is confined to his home in St. Paul, by an attack of the rheumatism

Misses Mary Knutson and Christine Anderson returned last week Thursday from Lone Tree, N. Dak., where they have been for sometime.

Mr. and Mrs. VonWold and daughter Mrs. Fanny Wright returned home Tuesday from Tolley, N. D., where they have been for sometime.

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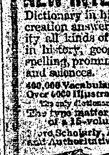

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Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Alfred B. Anderson of Holt, in said County.

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Wreaths for the Victors.

In classic times successful warriors, athletes, poets and singers were sometimes crowned with bay. It is sometimes written that they were crowned with myrtle wreaths. These leaves came from a tree which botanists call "laurus nobilis."

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Nov., 18, 1915. Notice is hereby that Rudolph J. Jensen, of Germantown, Minn., who, on June 27, 1910 made Homestead Entry Serial No. 05392, for E 1-2 NW 1-4 and W 1-2 NE 1-4, Section 4, Township 155 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Ruth C. Clark, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Grygla, Minn., on the 29th day of Dec. 1915

Claimant names as witnesses:

Adolph Jensen, Charlie Rossmund, Alexander Magee and Frank Coppey all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Bank Statement

Bank No. 1064.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on Nov. 10th 1915

Date of call by Supt. Nov. 17, 1915.
Date of report by bank, Nov. 17, 1915.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$32,026 55
Overdrafts		224 08
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,617 38
Other Real Estate		$1,500
Due from Banks	8,536 23	
Cash on hand	468 49	
Total cash assets		9,004 72
Checks and cash items		850 46
Paid out for Expenses, etc. in Excess of Earnings		1480 07
Total		$47,239 26
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2,000 00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		15,783 22
Deposits Subject to Check	$10,550 68	
Cashier's Checks	1626 98	
Due to Banks	374 85	
Total Immediate Liabilities	12,552 51	
Time Certificates	6,901 53	
Total Deposits	19,454 04	
Total		$47 239 26
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$9,391 18
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$2,510 50

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

We, Lars Backe President, and Bertil Sollom Asst. Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LARS BACKE, President,
Bertil Sollom, Asst. Cashier.

Correct Attest: A. R. Jones
(Two) Directors B. L. BACKE

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Nov. 1915.

(Seal) Bertil L. Backe, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-1-1917

Hindu Wisdom.

If your mirror be broken, says a Hindu proverb, look into still water; but have a care that you do not fall in.

Bank Statement

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Nov. 10, 1915.

Date of call by Supt., Nov. 16, 1915.
Date of report by Bank. Nov. 17, 1915.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$77,871 90
Overdrafts		1592 78
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,939 00
Other Real Estate		$2,400 00
Due from Banks	5,755 39	
Cash on Hand	3947 29	
Total Cash Assets		9,702 68
Checks and Cash Items		600 29
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		[illegible] 77
Total		$95,[illegible] 42
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$3,000.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		15,000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$27,982.88	
Cashier's Checks	3,280.54	
Total Immediate Liabilities	31,263.42	
Time Certificates	36,225.00	
Total Deposits		67,488 42
Total		$95,488 42
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$10,302 97
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$6,252 68

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President,
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNHEIM,
[Two] Directors. R. RIERSON,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Nov., 1915.

[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

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[illegible] Residence 167

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$ .95
Wheat No. 2	.91
[illegible]	[illegible]
Wheat No. 4	.78
Flax	1.89
Oats	.31
Barley	to .50
Rye	.70
Flour, Best Patent	3.15

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CONTRACTS, FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGES BOUGHT

Northeast of Holt

The Golden Hour Society met at E. Johnson last Saturday. Quite a a number attended.

Mrs. J. Engstrom and Alice Johnson called at Christianson's Sunday afternoon.

Quite a number attended a party at Mrs. C. Anderson's Saturday evening

Mrs. E. Johnson and children spent Sunday at Nels Offerdahl's.

Mrs. Christianson called on Mrs. E. Johnson Monday afternoon.

Charles Horien and Rudolph Anderson returned Friday last from Hillsboro where they have been employed during the summer.

Miss Lily Peterson will entertain the Golden Hour Society Dec. 11th, all members are requested to be present.

Greenbush has decided to have electric lights and expects to have the plant in operation, early in the new year.

The Camden State Bank in Minneapolis was robbed Monday of $1,500.00, by hold up men. There were three employees present at the time besides five other people but they were covered by guns and held at bay while the robbers gathered up the cash and made their escape.

Dr. LINDSAY

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Southeast of Holt.

A large crowd attended the Thanksgiving dinner at the Jacob Klungness home on Thursday. $89.98 were taken in. Melvin Torgerson had the honor of carrying home the large bedspread.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Faiman on Monday morning a baby boy. Mother and child are doing well.

Mr. Simon Moe returned on Wednesday from Grafton N. Dak. where he has been employed during the summer and autumn months.

Mr. G. A. Soiney put in a chimney in the school house during Thanksgiving vacation.

Carl Gutterud purchased a Rock Island engine.

Misses Olga and Clara Larson spent Thanksgiving at home.

Mrs. T. Ose entertained the Ladies Aid on Thursday afternoon.

Rev. Bakke from Battle Lake held a four days service at the Free church.

Misses Christine Saastad and Thora Moe spent Thursday evening at the home of Ed. Hanson.

Harry Moe made a business trip to Steiner Monday.

Misses Sollom and Saastad spent Thanksgiving at home.

The Basket Social in the Manor school house was well attended and $25.05 was taken in. A good time is reported.

Julia Johnson who is working in T. R. Falls spent a few days visiting her folks.

Knute Ose and family have moved their household goods to the Iven Ose farm where they intend to reside.

Olga, Clara and Arthur Larson spent the last of the week visiting at Golden Valley.

Free Mission Church.

10:30 A. M Norwegian School.
2: P. M. English Sunday School.

Rev. G. O. Parish will preach in English, at 8 o'clock next Wednesday evening Dec. 8th. Everyone invited.

School Notes.

The enrollment for the third month in the lower room was 40. Percentage of attendance 90. Thirteen were neither absent nor tardy.

The enrollment in the upper room was 35 and the attendance 92 percent. Eleven were neither absent nor tardy.

A Thanksgiving program was given by the pupils of the Primary department Wednesday afternoon.

One warm dish is prepared each day under the supervision of Miss Lawson and served with the noonday lunch to the country boys and girls. Thirty five are served each day.

The library circulation during the month was 119 books.

School visitors during the month were Mrs. Payne, Mrs. A. Anderson, P. S. Kolden, Rev. Parish, and Rev. McMartin.

Steiner News.

G. L. Leisner our enterprising merchant is now owner of a four passenger auto. G. L. looks well at the wheel.

White Warring took a lot of turkeys to Thief River Falls Wednesday last, but did not dispose of only about half of them so we were informed.

Nick Baker spent Thanksgiving with friends in T. R. Falls.

Albert Swenson did business in this berg one day last week.

Sunday School was well attended here Sunday, although the superintendent, John Christianson was absent. We are planning to have a Christmas program rendered by the S. S. children.

Henry Rogers did business in the berg one day last week.

G. L. Leisner took is best girl out in his new auto Sunday afternoon.

John Whitman and family ate turkey at the home of Simon Warring on Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Warring and Mrs. Rogers called at the home of Mrs. Arthur Simonson last part of the week.

Harry Copp entertained a company of young people at his batchelor home last Saturday evening.

S. R. Rogers and family helped the family of Mr. Border, devour a large goose last Thursday.

Josie Hasby who has been visiting friends in N. Dak., returned home.

The postal authorities and the electric line are having trouble about carrying the mail to Goodridge and the railroad refused to carry the mail longer without some kind of an understanding, having carried it so far without compensation.

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The United States government can take an ounce of silver and make it worth 50 cents—That's Money.

A Mechanic can take material worth $5.00 and make it into a machine worth $50.00—That's Skill.

There are men who can take a 50 cent piece of canvas and paint a picture on it and make it worth several hundred dollars—That's Art.

A merchant can take an article worth 75 cents and sell it for $1.00—That's Business.

A woman can purchase a $2.79 hat but prefers one that costs $27.00—That's Foolishness.

A ditch-digger works ten hours a day and handles several tons of earth for $2.00—That's Labor.

The author of this article can write a check for $90,000,000.00, but it wouldn't be worth a dime—That's Tough.

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Logical Inquiry.

"Carry yer bag, sir?" said an eager urchin to a man on Forty-second street hurrying toward the Grand Central station.

"No, thanks!" replied the man shortly.

"I'll carry it all the way for a dime," persisted the lad.

"I tell you I don't want it carried!" retorted the man.

"Don't yer?"

"No, I don't!"

The lad broke into a quick trot to keep up with his victim's hasty strides as he asked, in innocent curosity:

"Then what are you carrying it for?"—New York Times.

A GRATEFUL OLD LADY.

Mrs. A. G. Clemens, West Alexander, Pa., writes: I have used Dodd's Kidney Pills, also Diamond Dinner Pills. Before using them I had suffered for a number of years with backache, also tender spots on spine, and had at times black floating specks before my eyes. I also had lumbago and heart trouble. Since using this medicine I have been relieved of my suffering. It is agreeable to me for you to publish this letter. I am glad to have an opportunity to say to all who are suffering as I have done that I obtained relief by using Dodd's Kidney Pills and Diamond Dinner Pills. Dodd's Kidney Pills 50c per box at your dealer or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets for Indigestion have been proved. 50c per box.—Adv.

Mrs. A. G. Clemens

Both Unnecessary.

Former Speaker Cannon tells this story of his early impecunious days:

"One of my friends was a struggling physician. Neither fame nor fortune had come to either of us, but we were always hopeful. The years had weighed heavily upon my friend, however, for he soon lost his hair, being quite bald.

"One day I greeted him with a beaming countenance and exclaimed:

"'What do you think, Henry? I have just bought an office safe.'

"'Then, Joe,' said he, with the utmost gravity, 'I shall buy a hairbrush.'"

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Buy the 3-lb. Canister Can for $1.00.—Adv.

And Tony Suffered.

"They say Tony's injuries were the result of a practical joke."

"Yes. The chappies told him that a big, burly fellow in the smoking-room was deaf and dumb, and Tony walked over to him with a sweet smile and told him he was a fool."

"Well?"

"The man wasn't deaf and dumb."

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Not Necessary.

"Hello! Is this the telephone company? I'd like to have a telephone installed in my house."

"Very well, madame. Would you like a party wire?"

"No, I think not. We don't expect to entertain very much this winter."

For fresh cuts wet the wound occasionally with Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Adv.

Happy Man.

"There goes a man who always sings at his work."

"Contented, eh?"

"He ought to be. He's an opera singer, and gets a thousand dollars a night."

Beyond Dispute.

"Which bullet do you consider the deadliest?"

"The one that hits."

Not Gray Hairs but Tired Eyes make us look older than we are. Keep your Eyes young and you will look young. After the Movies always Murine Your Eyes—Don't tell your age.

A Natural Question.

"He's wedded to his art."

"Is it a happy match?"—Detroit Free Press.

One remedy with many uses—Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Adv.

A man may become great by accident, but he never has genuine wisdom and goodness thrust upon him.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Even a color-blind man can tell a greenback when he sees it.

For curb, rub in thoroughly Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Adv.

Kissing may be unhealthful, but nothing risked, nothing gained.

SERBIAN FORCES DEFEAT BULGARS; RECAPTURE TOWN

OCCUPY KRUSHEVO, ABOUT 20 MILES WEST OF PRILEP—EXTENSION OF LINE IN MACEDONIA INDICATED.

ANGLO-FRENCH FORCES AT SALONIKA TOTAL 125,000

Allied Troops Abundantly Supplied with Arms—45,000 More Men Reported on Way—Germans Expected to Attack Serbian Army Retreating Into Greece.

London, Nov. 29.—The Serbians have recaptured Krushevo in Southern Serbia, about 20 miles west of Prilep, according to a dispatch to the Star from Athens. It is 25 miles northwest of Monastir. The sacking of Krushevo indicates the extension of the Serb line in Macedonia to within 15 miles of the Anglo-French front.

London, Nov. 29.—Press dispatches from Athens say the French and British forces landed at Saloniki have attained important proportions. The Patris of Athens gives their number at 125,000. These forces are abundantly supplied with arms and ammunition. Some 40,000 or 45,000 more men are said to be on the way to Saloniki, at which port 4,000 troops are debarking each day.

The Serbian forces soon will become an army without a country. Reports arrive from various sources that Monastir has been surrounded by Bulgarians and that they may not wait for their Austro-German allies before entering the Macedonian capital.

May Fight in Greece.

The main Serbian army retreating in a southwesterly direction before Field Marshal von Mackensen's troops may find no rest even in Greek territory, as it is reported here that the invaders of Serbia will not hesitate to cross into Greece. Apparently the German leaders expect the Serbians and their Allies will await attack in Greece. It is said these operations will be under the supreme command of Field Marshal von Mackensen.

The Germanic allies control the whole of the Blackbirds plain. Official reports say they are beating the country between the plain and the Montenegrin frontier for fleeing Serb detachments. Organized opposition to the invasion appears to have disappeared entirely in Northern Serbia.

Diplomats Active.

The diplomatic representatives at Athens of the entente powers still are active, their latest effort to settle definitely all outstanding questions being the presentation to Premier Skouloudis of a note detailing measures deemed indispensable for the security and freedom of action of the Allied troops.

The situation along the Roumanian frontier, where a great Russian force is said to have been gathered, still is obscure. The display by the Roumanian public of feeling in favor of the entente is regarded in London as an indication that the nation is in a position to disregard the demands of the central powers.

PROTEST U. S. TRADE TRUST

Great Britain and Sweden Inquire if American Government Unofficially Approves Overseas Combination.

Washington, Nov. 29.—Great Britain has informally asked the United States if it intends to unofficially approve the American Overseas trust. The state department has replied that under no circumsances could any sancaion be given to an organization which would receive preferential treatment over other American shippers.

Sweden also has made similar inquiry and has been advised that the plan had not been indorsed.

It developed that part of the plan of the trust was to organize subsidiaries in neutral countries and that a measure of supervision was to be given to the British government by permitting access to the books of the concern in neutral countries. Sweden informed Great Britain that she would not approve such a plan.

State department officials declare that the Overseas trust organizers now realize they could not hope to get moral assistance from the American government so long as their plan contemplated preferential treatment for one set of American shippers as against others. That feature now has been abandoned and a representative of the trust is in London negotiating with the British government to the end that the latter will have no connection with the new organization.

Serbs Battle Bulgars at Calumet.

Calumet, Minn., Nov. 29.—Peter Nanoff is dead, Joe Radosovitche is stabbed through the shoulder and one unidentified man possibly is fatally injured by a knife wound in the back as the result of a minature war waged here with the utmost fury between Bulgarians and Serbians. Sheriff Gunderson of Itasca county and a party of deputies have surrounded a deer swamp near Calumet, where Paul Keceman and Nic Broncin, Serbians wanted for the killing, are suppose to be in hiding.

FOR THE BUSY MAN

NEWS EPITOME THAT CAN SOON BE COMPASSED.

MANY EVENTS ARE MENTIONED

Home and Foreign Intelligence Condensed Into Two and Four Line Paragraphs.

WAR NEWS.

Colonel Heussler, a Swiss military statistician, calculates the total losses in killed in the present European war at 5,000,000.

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Three Austrian aeroplanes recently dropped bombs upon the principal square in Verona, Italy, killing thirty persons and seriously injuring thirty more.

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Reports from Berlin are that Germany has all the cotton it needs for military purposes for several years and also has access to new supplies from Turkey.

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Eugene Bonneton, well known as a painter of scenes of Old Paris, whose Port St. Nicholas is on exhibition at San Francisco exposition, has been killed in action in the Argonne.

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Field Marshal von Mackensen will take command of the Turks' Dardanelles operations when he arrives in Constantinople, advices from the Turkish capital state. It is predicted that this will be soon.

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Greece has intimated that it will disarm the allied troops in the Balkans if they are forced to retreat into Greece from Serbia and Bulgaria. As a result, the allies are demanding that Greece give them a plain statement of her attitude.

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A "finish fight" in the European war will mean utter ruin for Great Britain as well as for Germany, which is prepared to fight six years, said C. P. Trevelyan, liberal, in the house of commons during discussion of conduct of the war.

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The hospital ship Anglia, with about 300 wounded men aboard, in addition to the crew, nurses and attendants, bound from France for Dover, England, struck a mine in midchannel, and sank. Nearly 100 men, most of them seriously wounded, lost their lives.

GENERAL.

Thirty-one men were killed underground by a coal dust explosion in the coal mine of the Northwestern Improvement company at Ravensdale, Wash.

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Three physicians who examined Alfred Jennings, a cattleman of Ellsworth county, Kansas, who is ill with a disease which has been pronounced foot and mouth disease, have confirmed the original diagnosis.

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Dr. Henry R. Carter, veteran yellow fever fighter of the United States public health service, has been stricken in Porto Rico with denmue, the malignant tropical fever against which he recently inaugurated a campaign on the island.

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Dr. Josephine Baker, director of the child hygiene board of health of New York, is authority for the statement that the lives of more than 20,000 infants have been saved in New York alone since the bureau began its work eight years ago.

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District Attorney R. H. Jackson, at Pittsburgh, swore out warrants against forty-five persons accused of violating the election laws in the primary election on September 21. Within a short time twenty-five arrests had been made

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A proclamation attributed to Villa, posted in Nogales, Ariz., refers to President Wilson as an "evangelistic professor of philosophy," and declares that Mexico cannot be pacified by Carranza because the people will not accept a government forced upon them by the United States.

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Joseph Hillstrom's execution at Salt Lake City, Utah, for the murder of J. J. Morrison and Morrison's son, January 10, 1914, was followed by Governor Spry's announcement that he would "clear the state of the lawless element that now infests it."

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A fuel oil tank with a capacity of 2,000,000 gallons is to be constructed by the U. S. Navy department on the shore at Portmouth, near Newport, R. I., as a source of supply for battleships and other naval vessels.

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Destruction of birds, according to Col. G. C. Shields, president of the League of American Sportsmen, costs the United States $1,000,000,000 a year. Col. Shields made the assertion in an address before the Chicago chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

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Laying of the four-ton cornerstone of the new state capitol of Oklahoma at Oklahoma City, on the eighth anniversary of Oklahoma's statehood, was attended by elaborate exercises and the full Masonic ritual.

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Booker T. Washington, foremost teacher and leader of the negro race, died at his home at Tuskegee, Alabama, near the Tuskegee institute, of which he was founder and president.

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The first formal steps in a campaign for the creation of a world supreme court for the judicial settlement of all international disputes were taken at a luncheon given at the Bankers' club at New York, which was attended by men prominent in public life from all sections of the country.

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Six Chicago physicians, composing a coroner's jury, held that Dr. H. J. Haiselden, who permitted an infant, Allan John Bollinger, to die when an operation might have saved him to a life of unhappiness as a defective, was morally and ethically justified in refusing to perform the operation which his conscience did not sanction.

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That the value of the poultry interests in the United States now approximates 1,000,000,000, or more than enough to buy out several of the live stock industries, was the statement made by E. B. Thompson of Amenia, N. Y., in an address which opened the convention at San Francisco of the American Poultry association

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Two thousand six hundred and seventy-seven persons walked down the sawdust trail in eight Billy Sunday meetings held in Syracuse, N. Y., Sunday, November 14. Following the tabernacle service Sunday issued a statement saying "this is the first time since Saint Peter preached at Pentecost 1,900 years ago that so many persons have been converted to Christianity in one day."

SPORTING.

Mike Gibbons and "Young" Ahern, middleweights will meet in a ten-round contest at Milwaukee the first week of December for a purse of $10,000.

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Jack Ness, first baseman of the Oakland, Cal., club, Coast league, and holder of the world's record for hits made in consecutive games, has signed a contract for next year with the Chicago American league club.

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Nebraska university's football team won the Missouri valley conference championship once more by swamping Kansas, 33 to 0, on their own campus at Lawrence. The victory was a clean-cut demonstration of superiority by the Nebraska men.

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Frank C. Zehrung of Lincoln, Neb., member of a theatrical syndicate that controls the Brandeis of Omaha and theaters in St. Joseph, Wichita, Topeka and Lincoln, has been elected president of the Western league to succeed "Tip" O'Neill, according to a message received at Lincoln.

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Charley White of Chicago, who was defeated two months ago by Milburn Saylor of Indianapolis, turned on his conqueror at Boston and knocked him out a minute and a half after the bout started. After being floored for a count of seven, Saylor struggled to his feet only to go down again for the full count.

WASHINGTON.

The Navy department announces that Commander Arthur MacArthur of the battleship Nebraska has been assigned to command the mineship San Francisco.

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A formal order was issued by the Postoffice department directing postmasters hereafter to refuse to accept parcel post packages for Germany, Austria and Hungary.

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Democratic members of the ways and means committee, it was announced will meet November 29, to take up the organization of the new house of representatives.

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Associate Justice Hughes of the supreme court notified the secretary of state of Nebraska he would not be a candidate at the coming presidential primary election and requested that his name be not placed upon the ballot.

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Congress may be asked to place a temporary embargo on exports of structural steel to the European belligerents in order to afford a sufficient supply of the metal for use in the construction of the two battleships, it is said.

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Careful review of the private bids for the hulls and machinery of the two new super-dreadnoughts authorized by the last congress has shown finally that none comes within the limit set by congress. Secretary Daniels is undecided whether new bids will be asked or whether the government will make arrangements to build the ships in its own yards.

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Tentative plans are being considered, Secretary Daniels announces, for two 36,000-ton battleships to be included in the first year's part of the five-year building program congress will be asked to approve. There are no warships so large afloat anywhere in the world now.

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More than $100,000 is now held by the Federal Reserve board in its gold settlement fund to the credit of the reserve banks and reserve agents. The fund has now been in existence six months.

GIRL WINS LAND BY GREAT RIDE

Beats Men in Famous Race for Homes at Oklahoma Opening.

RECALLED BY FESTIVAL

Twenty-Second Birthday of Town of Jennings Brings Back to Memory of Old Timers Thrilling Story of Early Days.

Jennings, Okla.—Not for Al Jennings of "Beating Back" fame, but for Joe Jennings, an early day character in this section of the Southwest, cowboy, horse trader and general roustabout, was the town of Jennings named, according to Col. George McElroy, the last of the cowmen still in the business in this part of Oklahoma.

The original townsite of forty acres was given by Joe Jennings upon receiving a promise that the town would be given his name, McElroy says.

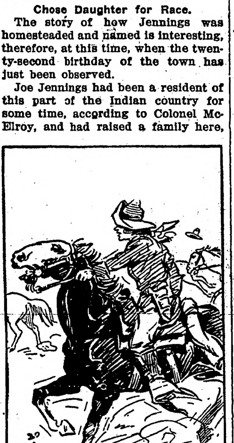
The Pawnee Indian country, including the old Oklahoma triangle, in the center of which is Jennings, was opened to settlement along with the old Cherokee strip in September, 1893, just twenty-two years ago. A number of the towns within the strip have just been celebrating the event of their twenty-second birthday with appropriate ceremonies.

The strip extended westward from the western boundary of the Cherokee nation, about thirty miles east of Jennings, to the Colorado and New Mexico border, including at one time, it is said, the famous No Man's Land, which is now divided into the counties of Cimarron, Texas, and Beaver.

Chose Daughter for Race.

The story of how Jennings was homesteaded and named is interesting, therefore, at this time, when the twenty-second birthday of the town has just been observed.

Joe Jennings had been a resident of this part of the Indian country for some time, according to Colonel McElroy, and had raised a family here, including a half grown daughter, then perhaps sixteen or seventeen years old. She was the typical country-raised girl of the border day period, able to ride, shoot, hunt and throw a lasso.



Made the Race for a Quarter Section.

Jenning's conceived the idea, when announcement of the strip's opening reached him, that this half grown daughter should make the race for a quarter section of land, which the family would homestead

The race for homes when the Cherokee strip was opened to settlement will go down in the history of the Southwest as the greatest horse race that was ever pulled off under the sanction of the federal government.

Few Knew She Was a Girl

There were several thousand choice quarter section farms as the prizes, and men came from all sections of the United States to make the race and win a claim if possible. The swiftest and most seasoned horses were selected wherever they were obtainable, for all the riders knew that by the men and animals with the best staying qualities would the farms be won.

Among the riders into the Pawnee country was the half grown Jennings girl, and she proved her ability as a horsewoman.

Dressed in men's clothing, with high-heeled boots and spurs, she entered the race and won a claim, a tract of valley land lying between two long ranges of low hills, one of the prettiest natural spots in the entire strip country.

Having won the claim, the family evidently did not care for it, for before long three-fourths of it had been sold to John Simmons and the other 40 acres had been given for a town site on condition that the new town be named Jennings. The family then left this section of the country, and in later years it was reported that Joe Jennings was living in Old Mexico.

Baby With Two Heads Soon Died.

Camden, N. J.—A baby girl, weighing 18 pounds and having three perfectly formed arms, two heads and four legs, was born to Mrs. Dranzy Zaneski of this city. It died within a few hours.

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Conservation.

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Criticism.

"How were the meals at the summer hotel you stopped at?"

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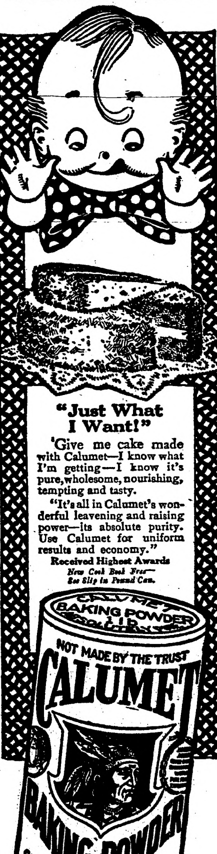

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STATE BREVITIES

Canby. — Fire starting at 10:45 o'clock p. m. destroyed the First National bank building at a loss of $56,000, and for a time threatened the entire business portion of the town. The cause is unknown.

Albert Lea. — Five hunters of this city, Burt Skinner, Peter Knutson, Edmund Gulbrandson, Casper Hanson and Dan Drommerhausen, have returned from the big woods in St. Louis county. Each brought back a buck. Hanson's deer weighed nearly 300 pounds.

Red Wing.—Mrs. George Brobert of Minneapolis, widow of the locomotive fireman on the Milwaukee road who lost his life near Lake City last summer in a train wreck as the result of a cloudburst, has been paid $6,000 by the railroad, it has been learned. The settlement was reached a few days ago.

Minneapolis. — The League of Minnesota Municipalities has authorized publication of a monthly bulletin which shall contain proceedings of its annual convention and general municipal news. The bulletin will be prepared by G. E. Gesell, director of the municipal research bureau at the university.

Winona. — During a blinding snowstorm in this city, two boys, Theodore Jones, 12, and William Jennison, also 12, walked out on thin ice on Lake Winona. It gave way and the pair were rescued after 20 minutes by a large number of persons who were attracted by their cries. The storm was so severe that the boys lost their way.

Thief River Falls.—The Pennington County Livestock Breeders' association was launched at a meeting here attended by 65 prominent farmers. The following officers were elected: President, Henry Hanson; vice president, Harry Woolson; secretary and treasurer, Henry Werner; directors, Peter Englestad and Fred Beerbour, all of Thief River Falls.

Duluth. — Nicholas Hoffman, 20 years old, son of pioneer Duluth parents, is dead as a result of the carelessness of an unidentified hunter, who is being sought. Hoffman was shot in the right leg while he and his brother, Joseph, were staking out a tent where they intended to camp, about two miles from Munger.

Anoka. — With the ice jam in the Mississippi river at this place extending one mile up stream, city authorities and business men are contemplating the use of dynamite to clear the stream if the pressure is much increased. As a result of the jam the Champlin flour mill and the Pillsbury-Washburn plant are suffering a curtailment of their water power.

Minneapolis, Minn. —Congressman George R. Smith's suggestion to Mayor Nye, President Platt B. Walker of the council, and John Ryan, chairman of the rivers and harbors committee of the council, that a committee should be sent to Washington to confer on the government dam power controversy will be considered in council meeting, according to announcement made by Mr. Walker.

Faribault.—Malcolm Grant of this city was awarded $17,500 damages against the Dan Patch road for injuries received in its employ by a jury in district court. Grant was caught between two box cars while working for the company at Mankato, and claims he was permanently injured. He sued for $20,000 damages. The court has one of the largest civil calendars that it has had for a number of years.

Shokapee, Minn.—William Keating, 19 years old, a recent arrival in Minneapolis from Streator, Ill., died Friday afternoon from wounds received in a Thanksgiving day hunting accident near here. Arthur Buckley, a companion, was reloading his shotgun during a stop of the party near Bush lake, when the charge went off, and struck Keating in the leg. He was taken to the Eitel hospital in Minneapolis but the loss of blood caused his death. The body was taken to Streator.

Rochester.—A municipal water power plant that will give to Rochester the opportunity to supply electric current to the consumer at a less price than anywhere in the country is a project that has been launched by the Rochester Commercial club, and probably will be presented to the voters of the city as soon as the legal phase of the question has been settled. The proposition is to bond the city for sufficient to purchase a nearby power site and to build a plant.

St. Cloud. — Though a verdict of $209.68 was returned by a jury in district court against W. L. Seabury, the judgment on file in the office of the clerk has been settled by the Methodist church committee, plaintiff in the action. The suit was started by Rev. F. W. Hill, former pastor of the church, in common with several other suits against men whom Hill claimed had subscribed to the new church but refused to pay. Acting under a policy adopted by the new pastor, all the cases have been dropped.

Minneapolis. — Minnesota has contributed its champion boy corn grower to the advancement of rural banking in North Dakota. Arthur Hoese of Mayer, the Minnesota champion who was awarded a bronze medal by the Panama-Pacific exposition, has gone into a bank at Zap.

St. Paul. — To obtain adequate funds to meet appeals sent in from outside the city, the Minnesota Humane society will commission a agent to travel through Minnesota during the coming year personally answering complaints and enrolling members.

EDUCATOR LAUDS STATE SCHOOLS

SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION WOULD COPY STATE AID SYSTEM.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Minnesota's consolidated school system and the subject of state aid for public schools are being studied by Nathan C. Schaeffer, state superintendent of education of Pennsylvania, who was a guest of C. G. Schulz, Minnesota state superintendent of education. Mr. Schaeffer visited St. Paul on his return from a meeting of the South Dakota Teachers' association. He left Friday for his home at Harrisburg. He was astonished at the large permanent school fund of Minnesota and praised the rural schools of the state.

"Our state school fund is distributed by enumeration instead of attendance, as here in Minnesota," he said. "Your plan requires actual attendance at the schools, which I consider splendid. The Minnesota system is very efficient in raising the standard of rural schools."

Mr. Schaeffer is planning to request a new system of state aid to schools in his state. He will copy the Minnesota plan.

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Insurance Rates Adjusted.

Fire insurance rates are the same in every part of Minnesota for the first time, following the order of Samuel D. Works, state insurance commissioner. Rates which have prevailed in southern Minnesota are to be applied in northern and northeastern Minnesota, where formerly they were much higher. In some instances a differential of 40 per cent is abolished by Mr. Works' order.

The ruling by Mr. Works directs the General Inspection company of Minneapolis, which makes rates for the state, to govern its rate-making accordingly. The action came after Mr. Works had had several conferences with Walter I. Fisher, manager of the company, and with underwriters of fire insurance.

In the order, Mr. Works says the contention of the bureau for maintaining the old rates is untenable.

The state has been divided into three sections by the insurance companies. The southern section comprises all territory south of Minneapolis and St. Paul and the Great Northern railroad to Breckenridge. The northern district includes all territory north of this with the exception of that in the northeastern part of the state, including St. Louis and Isanti counties, which comprises the northeastern section. Rates in the northern section were higher than in the southern section, while in the northeastern, the highest rates of all prevailed.

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Oat Crop Worth $43,834,906.50.

The farm value of Minnesota's oat crop this year is $43,834,906.50. The farmers planted 3,129,500 acres in oats which produced 146,116,355 bushels. These figures were given out by Fred D. Sherman, immigration commissioner. The yield per acre was 46.69 bushels. "There is an increase this year in both the acreage and yield of oats as compared with last year," said Mr Sherman. "The 1914 figures according to Federal reports were 3,040,000 acres planted. The increase in acreage for this year is 89,500.

"The average yield per acre for Minnesota was 28 bushels last year. This yield has been increased this year by 18.69 bushels per acre. The total production of oats in Minnesota last year was 85,120,000 bushels. The gain in total production this year was 60,996,355 bushels."

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Schools Receive $1,314,000.

All but $486,000 of the $1,800,000 due the public schools as special aid has been sent out by Walter J. Smith, state treasurer. The remaining money will be forwarded when Mr. Smith borrows $500,000 from the Federal Reserve bank, which is provided for in the resolution signed by Mr. Smith, J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, and Governor Hammond.

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Wants Field Notes.

The state highway commission has suggested to Governor Hammond that the government field notes of surveys in Minnesota be turned over to it. The records are now in possession of the secretary of state. An act of congress will be necessary to make the change.

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Suggests Advisory Board.

Reluctance on the part of one state department to suggest changes or improvements in another prompted Ralph W. Wheelock, a member of the state board of control, to direct a letter to the new efficiency and economy commission suggesting an advisory commission of experts to be composed of members of several of the principal state departments. In his letter Mr. Wheelock says he is acting as an individual and a taxpayer and without reference officially to the board of which he is a member.

EMPEROR WILLIAM MEETS AUSTRIAN RULER AT VIENNA

CONFER FOR FIRST TIME SINCE WAR BEGAN—AUSTRIA SEEKS PEACE IS RUMOR.

BRITISH WAR CHIEF TO MEET FRENCH MINISTER.

Earl Kitchener Arrives in Paris for Series of Conferences With Government—Forty-nine Lives Lost in Torpedoed Ships in Mediterranean.

London, Nov. 30.—The Kaiser and Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria met for a conference at Schoenbrunn castle, Vienna, on Monday. The meeting was their first since the war began.

The Kaiser was received at the railroad station by the Archduke Charles, heir to the Austrian throne. Immense crowds cheered him.

Austria is trying to conclude a separate peace, according to the Rome Tribuna.

Kitchener to Meet Gallieni.

Paris, Nov. 30.—Earl Kitchener arrived here at 8:30 a. m. Monday. General Yard-Buller of the British army and Captain Gigodot, representing French War Minister Gallieni, met him at the station. The Rome program of conferences between his lordship and the government heads will be repeated in Paris. The British war minister's presence in Paris is taken as effectually disproving all earlier rumors that he has been eliminated from the British cabinet.

Campaign Mapped Out.

When he visited Italy it was thought he might merely be arranging for Italian aid in the Balkans and that he would return there to direct the Allies' campaign. The first surmise was correct, but it is believed he would not have continued his journey to Paris if he were not on his way home. He is supposed to have mapped the Balkan campaign out fully, but to have left its actual execution in other hands.

French and British Ships Sunk.

Marseilles, Nov. 30.—The French steamship Omara has been sunk in the Mediterranean by a submarine. No word has been received of the 20 members of the crew. It is feared they have perished.

Deny Serbian Campaign Ended.

London, Nov. 30.—The British public is not inclined to grant the German contention that the Serbian campaign of the central powers has been brought to a successful conclusion. The hope is expressed here that the wintry weather will give time for reinforcing the Anglo-French troops until they are strong enough to assume the offensive before the invaders have consolidated their positions in Serbia. Russia also is counted on to play a part in these operations.

Monastir Reports Conflict.

In the meantime the only active military operations seem to be centering around Monastir, the fate of which is obscure. The many contradictory reports on this subject vary from the assertion that the city is still in the hands of the Serbians to the claim that the Bulgarians, accompanied by detachments of Austrians and Germans, have occupied the city.

THEY BEAT CONGRESS TO IT

Members of National Commercial Gas Association Are in Session in Washington.

Washington, Nov. 30. The National Commercial Gas association opened a threeday session at the New Willard hotel today. More than a thousand delegates were present, many of them having reached Washington on two special trains. Matters pertaining to the gas trade will be discussed and a events also has been arranged for the visitors and their ladies.

Commissioner Newman of the District of Columbia welcomed the delegates at the opening session. Then responses by members of the association were made and the session was adjourned to permit the visitors to go to the White House and other points of interest. Later a reception was to be given by H. B McLean of New York, president of the association.

The first business session will be held tomorrow when George Williams of New York will read a paper on "Selling Gas Service" and Joseph H. Appell of Philadelphia will discuss "The Principles of Merchandising as Applied to Gas Service."

President's Train Is Delayed.

Washington, Nov 30. Delayed by a wreck at Corwallis, Pa., between Philadelphia and Bristol, President Wilson was 25 minutes late in arriving here from New York. Freight train wreckage poled across the four-track right-of-way made it necessary to detour the president's train by way of Bordentown. The president's party bore little semblance to the one which he took with him to New York Saturday. Mr. Galt remained in New York to complete her wedding shopping.

SUDDEN DEATH

Caused by Disease of the Kidneys

The close connection which exists between the heart and the kidneys is well known nowadays. As soon as kidneys are diseased, arterial tension is increased and the heart functions are attacked. When the kidneys no longer pour forth waste, uremic poisoning occurs, and the person dies and the cause is often given as heart disease, or disease of brain or lungs.

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Minimum Wage in Massachusetts.

A minimum wage schedule for women department store workers of Massachusetts has been decided on and will go into effect January 1 next. Mrs. Frank M. Hallowell, president of the State Consumers' league; Carroll N. Doten of the Institute of Technology, and Preston B. Clarke, president of the Plymouth Cordage company, represented the public on the minimum wage commission.

The board has been sitting since March, and though it has no power to enforce the wages decided on it may publish the names of employers who refuse to comply. The minimum wage for an experienced woman employed in a repartment store is $8.50. The minimum wage for inexperienced women is $7, while for a minor between seventeen and eighteen it is $5. Girls under seventeen years of age may not be paid less than $5 per week.—New York Sun.

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Wireless Sent Many Miles.

Following experiments extending over a period of several years, wireless communication has been established between a new station at Funabashi, near Yokohama, Japan, and the Hawaiian islands, over a distance of 3,380 miles. Wireless communication between Hawaii and the United States has been maintained for about a year, and now messages will be regularly transmitted between the United States and Japan, by way of the Hawaiian islands.

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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

This and That

Auction bills printed at this office.

A man near Argyle recently sold his farm for $75.00 per acre.

The Marshall Co. teachers institute will be held in Warren Dec. 6 to 10.

The M. W. A. organized a lodge in Goodridge, Tuesday evening with 40 to 50 members.

H. P. Bean has sold his farm to a man from Iowa who expects to move here next spring.

The residence of Alfred Johnson in Thief River Falls was destroyed by fire a week ago Sunday. The fire was caused by the explosion of a gasoline lamp.

The U. S. Congress meets next Monday and the question of the nations defences will be taken up and undoubtedly will be the subject of much discussion both pro and con.

We cannot see why it is that the average country merchant seems afraid to quote prices. All successful city merchants quote prices freely and they most surely would not do it if it did'nt pay.

Do your Christmas shopping early, get first choice and avoid the rush which always comes later. Likewise you must mail parcel post packages soon if you wish them to reach their destination by Christmas.

C. L. Anderson has been marketing his flax and he tells us that his crop of oats, barley and flax this year were the best he ever raised and he would be well pleased should he get as good a crop next year.

Minnesota has undertaken to sell eleven million Red Cross Christmas Seals, the proceeds to be used in the anti-tuberculosis campaign. Prizes will be given school children for selling a certain number of seals.

S. D. Works, state insurance commissioner, has ordered that the same fire insurance rates in effect in the southern part of the state shall now apply to the northern part also, except in extreme cases, where there is still danger from forest fires.

Manager Lee of the Farmers elevator states that he has bought 60,000 bushels of grain since June 30, of which the half was rye. Comparatively little wheat of this year's crop has been marketed yet while some rye still remains in the farmers' granaries.—Badger Herald-Rustler.

Badger has another elevator that does a good business, which shows that place to be a good trading point.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 30th, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Benjamin Waldnes, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on August 21st 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08406 for SE 1-4 Section 26, Twp. 156 N., Range 41, W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Golden Valley, Minn. on the 3rd day of January, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Ole Trondahl, Rudolph Dahl, Clarence Larson and Carl Dahl, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Local Items

C. W. Latta and Guy Anderson autoed to Thief River Falls, Tuesday.

Miss Edna Riesberg went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to have dental work done.

Ole Backlund visited relatives and friends in Randen, the fore part of the week.

Alfred Olson started his feed mill Monday and is prepared to grind all kinds of grain any day in the week. Located just north of Reierson's store.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe and little son Lars, visited relatives in Thief River Falls Thursday and Friday.

Guy Anderson is enjoying the 15 days vacation given rural carriers and his brother Alfred is running the mail route.

Oscar Nelson, whose home is near Spokane, Wash., arrived here Thursday for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nelson.

Rev. G. O. Parish, of Thief River Fall, will preach in the Free Mission church here, next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock and all are invited.

Are you going to Fergus Falls to attend the dairy convention to be held there Dec. 8th. and 9th? Several good speakers will be present and some valuable prizes will be given.

Miss Nellie Saastad, who has been spending the Thanksgiving vacation at home, returned to school duties at Thief River Falls, Monday, accompanied by her mother, who remained there for a short visit.

For Sale, cheap, a first class organ in the best of condition. A chance for music in the home or school at little cost. Mrs. Alfred Bean,
Holt township, section 11,
6 1-2 miles north east of Holt.

The Sollom family met at the pleasant home of their mother Sunday evening for a social time and greatly surprised that good lady by presenting her with a handsome new range for her kitchen.

Oh! Here we are again. That same good Coffee—not alone but a nice juicy Hamburger Sandwich and that Pie and Doughnuts that Ma makes will be served at Huseth's Lunch Counter. Come in and make yourself at home.

C. W. Christianson has been doing considerable horse shoeing at the blacksmith shop this week. Holt needs a blacksmith and will loose more or less trade unless someone locates here permanently.

Henry Oien is having considerable trouble with his arm, which was poisoned about a week or ten days ago by some kind of weed seed or smut off the wheat he took in at the elevator. Alfred Olson has been helping at the elevator when he does not have to grind feed and both jobs keep Alfred pretty busy.

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Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Nov., 18, 1915. Notice is hereby that Rudolph J. Jonsen, of Germantown, Minn., who, on June 27, 1910 made Homestead Entry Serial No. 05392, for E 1-2 NW 1-4 and W 1-2 NE 1-4, Section 4, Township 155 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Ruth C. Clark, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Grygla, Minn., on the 29th day of Dec. 1915

Claimant names as witnesses:
Adolph Jensen, Charlie Rossmund, Alexander Magee and Frank Coppey all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

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Misses Gunhill and Olava Sollom spent Thanksgiving at home.

The young folks enjoyed a social dance at Kolden's hall Saturday evening.

Peter Kolden came from Ada last week Thursday for a short vacation at home.

Prof. Prushek attended the entertainment at Middle River last Thursday evening.

Thirty one men were killed Tuesday by an explosion in a New Jersey powder plant.

Dr. H. B. Newell, of Thief River Falls, expects to soon start a drug store in Goodridge.

Julius Olson came down from Strathcona Tuesday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Olga Saastad returned home last week Thursday from Goodridge, where she had been working for some time.

Mrs. B. Docken, little son Adrian and neice Eleanor Hogglund visited relatives in Thief River Falls a couple of days last week.

Miss Amanda Mickelson, who has a good position in Crookston, came Thanksgiving Day to visit her folks at the restaurant.

Charles Knutson drove to Newfolden Wednesday after a butcher's outfit of tools, ice box, etc., which he purchased of parties there. Mr. Knutson expects to be ready for business in about two weeks.

The frame of C. L. Sandberg's house has been raised and the work will be pushed, fast as possible. Sam Mickelson has the job and is being assisted by Racine Olson and John Hagberg.

Ole S. Moen, of Mud Lake, just threshed his crop which turned out exceptionally good. The wheat yielded 33 1-2 bushels to the acre, and his oats and barley also yielded big. This certainly is absolute proof of what reclaimed land can produce if properly cultivated.

The Medicine of Life.

A faithful friend is the medicine of life.—Ecclesiasticus.

Optimistic Thought.

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Mrs. Olaf Johnson was a passenger for Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. P. A. Riesberg returned on Wednesday from several days visit in Thief River Falls.

Ernest Silbaugh went to St. Paul Monday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Silbaugh.

A number of farmers are hauling grain to market these days, even tho the roads are not the best.

B. J. Bakke of Thief River Falls has been assisting at the Holt State Bank a few days the past week.

Bently Nelson, who is attending school in Grand Forks, spent the Thanksgiving vacation with his people here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Sorenson and family, of Viking, came Tuesday to visit Mrs. S's. parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson, and other relatives.

E. T. Eide has been shipping more hay this week, which he sells, at his feed store in Spooner. This country could be made to produce more hay if the brush was cut and the land seeded to grass.

The basket social that was held at the East Valley school house Saturday evening was enjoyed by all present. The sale of the baskets amounted to $30.50, which will be put to good use for the school.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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VOL. V HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1915. NO. 23.

"Not the only time we wish you well.—
But one of the many, many times——
MERRY CHRISTMAS!"

THE SPIRIT OF this 1915th Christmas-time prompts us to express our Appreciation to the community, collectively and to each of our friends individually, for any part they have played in making this a most prosperous year for us.

May December 25th be numbered among your YULETIDE memories as the Happiest Christmas of them all,—is the wish of

The Farmers' State Bank of Holt.

We'll pay you six per cent interest on time deposits.

Local Items

A. R. Jones visited his family in Crookston Monday afternoon.

Dr. Turley will be at the hotel next Monday, to do dental work.

Two Moose heads for sale, cheap. Enquire of Hilmer Davidson, Holt Minn.

Carpenters have been making repairs on the railway water tank here this week.

Mrs. B. L. Backe and little son were over Wednesday night visitors with relatives in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Carl Surmo is recovering nicely from her operation for appendicitis at the Thief River Falls hospital.

Alfred Olson would like to have the farmers bring in their feed to be ground soon as possible as he will not do any grinding during the Holidays.

C. W. Christianson returned home last week and Carl Newton has been running the blacksmith shop since then and expects to stay here and look after the needs of those who have work in his line.

Oh! Here we are again. That same good Coffee—not alone but a nice juicy Hamburger Sandwich and that Pie and Doughnuts that Ma makes will be served at Huseth's Lunch Counter. Come in and make yourself at home.

Ben Nyberg and George Smith called at H. Hanson's Sunday.

Miss Emma Ringdahl came from Dakota last Friday to visit at the Larson home.

Hugort Johnson returned Friday from Minot, N. D., where he had been working since last March.

Halvor Olson of Elbow Lake came last week Thursday to visit his brother, Dr. R. L. Olson and family.

For Sale. My house and lot in Holt and my claim, east of town, both cheap. Chris Yttre, Holt, Minn.

The Misses Gertrude Pries and Christine Saastad who has been attending institute at Warren, returned Saturday.

Frank Christenson returned to Minneapolis Monday after several weeks visit at the home of his couin Mrs. D. Payne.

Miss Lydia Riesberg has been on the sick list this week and her brother Fridjof, has been on duty at the telephone office.

Andrew Erickson, of Valley City, N. Dak., who had been here visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. G. P. Sorter, since last week Thursday, left Monday for Goodridge to visit relatives.

Guy Anderson auteod to Randen last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Kolden. On their return trip he had trouble with one of the tires and after running on the rim of the wheel for some time it broke down as he was crossing the rail road crossing here in town.

Agent Pevek was taken sick Monday and D. Payne looked after the railroad business for a couple of days until Mr. Pevek was able to be on duty again.

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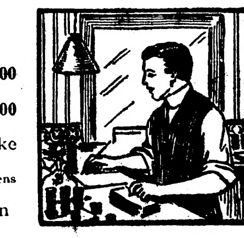

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A full line of Xmas Candies, Nuts, Apples, Young America Cheese, Etc.
Christmas Trees, your choice 10c each.

Only one week more to do your Xmas Shopping so be sure you come in and be convienced that this is

"The Christmas Store"

Big reductions on all winter apparel as we want to reduce our stock before Inventory, which will be taken Jan. 10th, 1916. Now is the time to save money.

Holt Mercantile Co.
THE BIG NEW STORE

Holt Livery- -Dray Line
Auto Livery Right Prices
O. J. Backlund, Prop.
Always Furnishes Reliable Service
Leave Orders at Hotel - HOLT, MINN.

Prices Going Up!

Lumber and Building Material

prices are being advanced by the manufacturers.

They have lately made several advances in price and predict a further raise soon.

Do you realize what this means? It means that as soon as we are obliged to order in more stock we will have to pay the advanced prices and in turn will be compelled to raise our prices.

If you contemplate building in the next six or eight months,

Now Is the Time To Buy

while we can still [illegible] the old prices

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company

TEXT OF NOTE ON ANCONA DISASTER GIVEN TO PUBLIC

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY IS EXPECTED TO REPLY AT ONCE TO DEMANDS MADE BY UNITED STATES.

TORPEDOING OF LINER IS ARRAIGNED AS BARBAROUS

No Attempt Made to Conceal Fact That Unless Demands Are Quickly Complied With, Diplomatic Relations Will Be in Grave Danger of Being Severed.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Austria-Hungary is expected to reply shortly to the demands made by the United States in the note on the sinking of the Italian steamer Ancona. The note was delivered in Vienna December 6, and Washington officialdom considers the word "prompt" used, to mean the dual monarchy had but a week at most in which to reply.

Non-compliance is deemed here to mean immediate severance of diplomatic relations.

In official and diplomatic circles the communication is regarded as being the most emphatic declaration from the United States government since the beginning of the European war. No attempt is made to conceal the fact that unless the demands are quickly complied with, diplomatic relations between the two countries will be in grave danger of being severed. The text of the note, which was handed to the Austrian foreign office by Ambassador Penfield, follows:

American Lives Lost.

"Reliable information obtained from American and other survivors who were passengers on the steamship Ancona shows that on Nov. 7 a submarine flying the Austro-Hungarian flag fired a solid shot toward the steamship; that thereupon the Ancona attempted to escape; but being overhauled by the submarine she stopped; that after a brief period and before the crew and passengers were all able to take to the boats the submarine fired a number of shells at the vessel and finally torpedoed and sank her while there were yet many persons on board; and that by gunfire and foundering of the vessel a large number of persons lost their lives or were seriously injured, among whom were citizens of the United States.

"The public statement of the Austro-Hungarian admiralty has been brought to the attention of the United States and received careful consideration. This statement substantially confirms the declaration of the survivors, as it admits the Ancona after being shelled was torpedoed and sunk while persons were still on board.

"Slaughter of Defenseless."

"The government of the United States considers that the commander violated the principles of international law and of humanity by shelling and torpedoing the Ancona before the persons on board had been put in a place of safety or even given sufficient time to leave the vessel. The conduct of the commander can only be characterized as wanton slaughter of defenseless non-combatants since at the time when the vessel was shelled and torpedoed, she was not, it appears, resisting or attempting to escape; and no other reason is sufficient to excuse such an attack, not even the possibility of rescue.

Austria Must Denounce Act.

"As the good relations of the two countries must rest upon a common regard for law and humanity, the government of the United States cannot be expected to do otherwise than to demand that the imperial and royal government denounce the sinking of the Ancona as an illegal and indefensible act, that the officer who perpetrated the deed be punished; and that reparation by the payment of an indemnity be made for the citizens of the United States who were killed or injured by the attack on the vessel.

"The government of the United States expects that the Austro-Hungarian government, appreciating the gravity of the case, will accede to its demands promptly and it rests this expectation on the belief that the Austro-Hungarian government will not sanction or defend an act which is condemned by the world as inhuman and barbarous, which is abhorrent to all civilized nations, and which has caused the death of innocent American citizens." "LANSING."

Teutons Bombard Gievgeli.

London, Dec. 13.—German and Bulgarian troops have begun the bombardment of Gievgeli, according to the Saloniki correspondent of the Mail.

Income Tax Revenue Jumps.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The personal income tax was paid during the last fiscal year by 357,515 individuals, who turned into the government $41,046,162, more by nearly $13,000,000 than the total paid by the 357,598 making returns the year before according to the annual report of the commissioner of internal revenue. The greatest increases shown was in the amounts paid by those subject to the normal tax, a jump from about $12,728,000, in 1914, to about $16,559,000, in 1915.

BRITISH LAND NEW FORCE AT SALONIKI; FRENCH FALL BACK

TEUTONS CONTINUE TO HARASS SERBIANS AND MONTENEGRINS AND CAPTURE MANY PRISONERS AND GUNS.

ALLIES RETIRING; GREEK ATTITUDE IS IMPORTANT

Athens Reports Entente Troops Will Be Allowed to Withdraw to Saloniki Without Interruption on the Part of the Greeks and Will Be Permitted to Remain.

London, Dec. 14.—The kaiser has written General von Mackensen saying that he will never forget the debt he owes him for his speedy campaign in the Balkans. A German paper says the Allies are already in a trap and cannot escape.

London, Dec. 14.—The Anglo-French troops, who last week began their retirement from their advanced positions in Southern Serbia, are now approaching, if they have not crossed, the Greek frontier, and the attitude Greece will adopt becomes more and more important.

French Troops at Saloniki.

Meanwhile, fresh contingents of British troops have been landed at Saloniki. Up to the northwest, along the Albanian frontier and in Montenegro the Teutonic allies continue to harass the Serbians and Montenegrins. The occupation of Korita and Roseaj in Montenegro and the capture of 6,000 prisoners and 40 Serb guns, are reported in the Austrian official statement.

Dispatches from Athens and news available in London indicate that the matter, which was left to the Greek and Allied military authorities at Saloniki, is being amicably arranged and that the Allies will be allowed to retire to that city without any interruption on the part of the Greeks, and will be permitted to remain there.

To Delay Bulgars.

Questions which are seriously occupying the Greek government have to do with the use of the railways, which are needed for the Greek troops, and the damage that might be done to them, with the object of impeding Bulgarian pursuit, should the Sofia government decide that the British and French are to be followed into Greek territory.

The British casualties are estimated at 1,500, while they were forced to leave behind eight field guns which had been placed in position to cover the retirement and could not be removed.

What the next move will be is known only to the Allied staffs, but it is generally believed that the Anglo-French forces will fall right back to Saloniki.

SEES DANGER TO NEUTRALITY

Attorney General Gregory Recommends Legislation Needed to Keep U. S. Out of War.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Increased facilities for keeping the United States from being drawn into the maelstrom of the European war and more specific authority for the punishment of persons who jeopardize American neutrality are needs to be met by the present Congress, according to the recommendations contained in the annual report of Attorney General Thomas W. Gregory to Congress.

The attorney general lays especial stress on the present dangers to neutrality and emphasizes the present helplessness of the government in putting a stop to the conspiracies, counter-conspiracies, bomb plots, filibustering expeditions and the score of other crimes, the repeated commission of which by foreigners and agents of foreign governments, he says, has harassed the United States since the outbreak of the European conflict.

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FATHER AND SON KILLED AS THEIR TRAINS CRASH

Stockton, Cal., Dec. 13.—William Wing, a Santa Fe passenger engineer, and his son, William Wing, a freight train fireman, were killed here when their respective trains crashed together. The engineer of the freight train and the fireman on the passenger engine jumped in time to escape injury. Many passengers were shaken up but none was injured.

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U-Boats Sink 5 More Ships.

London, Dec. 16.—Five more vessels, among them a small Italian warship, have been sunk by Teuton submarines. A dispatch from Vienna says: "One of our submarines on the 5th sank a small Italian cruiser with two funnels off Avlona, Albania." The British steamer Ignis has been sunk. The crew has been landed. Eleven officers and 27 men of the British steamer Helmsdale have been picked up. The Italian steamer Dimis and the Italian bark Pietro Lofaro have been sunk.

COMMISSION ASKS FOR MORE POWER OVER RAILROADS

COMMERCE BODY RECOMMENDS ENLARGEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP WITH POWER TO ACT THROUGH SUBDIVISIONS.

REPORT SEEKS CONTROL OF RAIL CAPITALIZATION

Board Suggests to Congress that It Should Have Access to Letter Files of Carriers—Expenses for Past Year Approximately $4,000,000.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Early enlargement of the membership of the Interstate Commerce Commission, with statutory power to act through subdivisions, and legislation for control over railway capitalization were among the important recommendations made to congress in the commission's annual report.

The commission suggested that it should have express authority of law to have access to the letter files of carriers; that the use of steel cars in passenger trains be required and that the use in passenger trains of wooden cars between or in front of steel cars be prohibited. It was recommended that the minimum penalty for violations of the hours of service act be fixed at a fine of $100.

Spends Almost $4,000,000.

For the fiscal years which ended June 30 last the commission spent $3,933,925, including $2,133,925 for physical valuation work. By Jan. 1, the report says, surveys of nearly 50,000 miles of railroad will virtually be completed. The total railroad mileage of the country is put at $250,000 and the report says that the 200,000 miles left at the beginning of the year should be surveyed in the four following years under the present arrangement.

The commission expresses gratification at the decrease in the number of collisions, but says that individual instances of unsafe operating methods and violation of rules "are still too numerous. It suggests a standardization of operating rules through federal legislation. It shows that derailments have been on the increase and that in 1915 there were 3,538 collisions and 6,849 derailments, compared with 5,042 collisions and 3,633 derailments in 1902.

Track Conditions Bad.

"Track conditions which are unsafe for the operation of trains at the rate of speed permitted are too common," says the report. The commission suggests the need of definite information as to wheels, rails and other materials used in track and equipment and the strains and stresses they are required to sustain in service. Detailments caused by malicious tampering with track or switches are reported to be on the increase.

BRITAIN TO BUY SECURITIES

Chancellor of Exchequer Makes Announcement in House of Commons—Reply to Rumors.

London, Dec. 14.—The British government has decided to purchase American securities, paying for them in five-year 5 per cent exchequer bonds.

The chancellor of the exchequer, Reginald McKenna, has made this announcement in the house of commons.

He said the government was willing to buy such American dollar securities as were suitable at the middle American price of the day, without brokerage or commission.

Mr McKenna assured the house of commons nothing would be done to harrass the American market in connection with mobilization of American securities or to injure American financial interests here. He believed there was available a sufficient amount of securities to maintain exchange with New York.

The plan for mobilizing American securities, he said, was entirely voluntary. Estimates of the amount of American and Canadian securities held in this country varied, he said, from $300,000,000 to $400,000,000 to as high as $700,000,000 or $800,000,000.

Mr McKenna added he anticipated no difficulty in raising on voluntary terms such loans as the state might require.

This was the chancellor's reply to a request that he take steps to put an end to rumors that a compulsory loan might be necessary.

To Tax War Munitions Firms.

Washington, Dec. 14.—A bill to prohibit carrying passengers on ships with war munitions and a resolution to put the Senate on record for raising revenues for national defense by taxing manufacturers of munitions were introduced by Senator Kenyon. No action was taken on either.

The senator declared national defense plans were made necessary by the irritation of foreign nations by American sales of munitions to the Allies.

MAKING OUR OWN TOYS

No Scarcity of Gifts Because of War

Photos by Underwood & Underwood

Because of the European war there has been considerable comment to the effect that there will be a dearth of Christmas toys this year, since the toy sources of France and Germany will not be available to American children. French dolls have been the standard during at least two generations, and Nuremberg, Germany, is famed throughout the world as a toy center.

It must not be supposed, however, that little girls will have to go without dolls this year. Several manufacturers in the United States are turning out dolls by the thousands and they are of the very best type. One large factory in Philadelphia is making, under special processes, a type of indestructible doll from basswood, which is a light and easily worked material and is not likely to split or break. Those who have made a study of this manufacture, in connection with the study of the wood-using industries of the state of Pennsylvania, predict that dolls of the type made by this and other similar factories can gain first place for America in this branch of manufacture. Thus, the new trade slogan, "Made in the U. S. A.," will have a direct bearing in shifting the center of doll manufacture from Europe to America.

Painting the Features.

The following toys are now made in this country from American woods: Toy animals, blocks, cannon and forts, children's chair, circus sets, dolls, doll furniture, games, Christmas tree holders, swing jumpers, children's pianos, pastry sets, babies' play yards, toy shooting galleries, hobby horses, pop guns, toy wagons, toy autos and wheelbarrows. Basswood is the principal material for wooden toys and for wooden parts of metal toys. The basswood doll, in particular, is unique and ingenious. All parts of it are made of wood and are artistically carved and enameled in color. It is difficult to tell that it is made of wood when it is finished. The various parts of the body are joined with steel bands which not only give great flexibility and freedom of movement, but together with the wood make the doll practically indestructible.

Next to basswood, sugar maple, beech, birch and white pine are the principal woods used for toys, although elm, oak, chestnut, ash, yellow poplar and others enter into toy manufacture. Pennsylvania, which stands first among the states in toy manufacture, alone uses the equivalent of nearly 6,500,000 board feet of timber for toys, with a total value of $182,000 each year. The total amount of wood used annually in the United States for toy manufacture is nearly 29,000,000 feet, and the principal toy manufacturing states after Pennsylvania are, in order, Wisconsin, Maine, Michigan, New York, Ohio, Vermont, Massachusetts and New Hampshire.

Basswood is the favorite for such toys as toy animals, boats, dolls, circus sets and children's pianos. Blocks and dolls' furniture and toy vehicles are generally made of white pine. Stick horses, with a horse's head and a stick to ride upon, a more pretentious variation of the old-fashioned broom horse, are likely to be made of white pine, although the stick head may be made of different material. Rocking horses are usually made of white ash.

In the native forests, basswood occurs sparingly and very seldom in groups or in solid stands. In the lake states in particular it is sawed incidentally with other timber, but the logs are usually kept separate and generally sawed in accordance with standing orders from special industries. It is utilized for many other products besides toys, because it has qualities which fit it for a wide range of uses. It is one of the softest of the so-called hardwoods, it lacks taste and odor, is very easily worked, does not warp or check badly, is tough and takes paint very well. It is one of the woods preferred for boxes to contain food products likely to be contaminated by the tastes or odors which might be derived from other woods. For the same reasons it finds considerable use in the manufacture of kitchen woodenware. It is in some demand as a material for house finish and a great deal of it goes into the unseen parts of furniture and musical instruments. Other important uses are for trunks, picture frames and excelsior.

In farmers' woodlots, in particular, it is a tree which should be favored, because it is a fairly rapid grower, is free from defects, and is usually salable. In selling this tree from a woodlot, the department of agriculture advises that it should be held for special prices and not sold in a lump with others.

Basswood has several advantages as a standing tree in the woodlot. In the first place, its blossoms furnish a considerable source of honey which is always in good demand, and when the tree is cut it readily regenerates itself from sprouts, the best of which should be favored in reproducing the stand.

Our Christmas Customs.

Most of the Christmas customs in America have been transplanted from Europe: Our Christmas tree comes from Germany, our Santa Claus from Holland, the Christmas stocking from Belgium or France, while "Merry Christmas" was the old English greeting shouted from window to street on Christmas morning.

The Optimistic Note.

It is a time for joy and gladness and good cheer, for this old world, with all its faults, is on its way towards the kingdom of heaven, and the omnipotence of love assures its getting there. Some time every day will be the best of Christmas, every place its altar of observance, and every soul be transformed into the Christ of his environment.—Universalist Leader.

Remember the days when you were little, and plan your Christmas accordingly.

In the effort to eradicate

HEADACHE AND NEURALGIA

Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne now heads the list as a successful remedy for the relief of headache, nervousness, insomnia, car sickness, etc.

The dangerous tablet has had its day. Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne is a harmless, refreshing, fragrant preparation, marvelous in its action, relieving nervousness, sleeplessness, exhaustion and all head and nerve ailments by external use and inhaling. It is not a nerve food, but a nerve soother. By giving the nerves a rest they furnish their own food and tone, and all nerve pains disappear.

For children's colds and catarrh it is just the remedy, harmless and efficient and so pleasant to use. For men a pleasant remedy to relieve and clear the head "the morning after the night before." This is not an expensive preparation at 50 cents a bottle, because it brings the relief. It has many imitators at less price, but if they do not bring the desired results they are not cheap at any price.

Get Hoyt's and you will be satisfied. For sale at all drug stores.

Heard in a Restaurant.

Diner—I'll have an order of chicken.

Waiter—Very sorry, sir, but the chicken is out.

Diner—Well, I'll wait till it returns. I'm in no hurry.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00.—Adv.

A Habit.

"How queer!" exclaimed the Boston woman. "I didn't recognize your husband at all. Hasn't he changed since I last met you?"

"Yes; several times," replied the Chicago woman.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Her Vindication.

He (annoyed)—It's eight o'clock and you said you would be here at six.

She—Did I say six? I thought I said seven.—Boston Transcript.

IT IS FREE.

If you are interested in a Business course, or a Shorthand or Gas Tractor and Auto Engineering course, write to Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. D., or Fargo, N. D., for their new illustrated catalog. It is free.—Adv.

Better Service.

"Have they made any changes in the time-table out your way?"

"Yes. The seven-twelve was only ten minutes late this morning instead of twenty as usual."

Not Gray Hairs but Tired Eyes make us look older than we are. Keep your Eyes young and you will look young. After the Movies Murine Your Eyes. Don't tell your age. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

Shades of Sherman.

"They say disease in the British trenches is terrible!"

"Nothing but tommyrot, old fellow."—Williams Purple Cow.

For kicks, bruises, swellings and sprains apply Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh thoroughly, rubbing it in well. Adv.

A man takes the name his parents gave him and makes the best of it. But a woman changes hers to one that better suits her fancy.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Buck Kirby says his notion of uneducated money is that paid out to see a prize fighter perform in a theater.

Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh belongs in every stable. Adv.

Even a dignified man is apt to unbend when he is broke.

Housework Is a Burden

It's hard enough to keep house if in perfect health, but a woman who is weak, tired and suffering from an aching back has a heavy burden.

Any woman in this condition has good cause to suspect kidney trouble, especially if the kidney action seems disordered.

Doan's Kidney Pills have cured thousands of suffering women. It's the best recommended special kidney remedy.

A North Dakota Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story."

Mrs. W. E. Crawford, 123 W. Sixth St., Devil's Lake, N. D., says: "I was in misery from a bearing-down pain in the small of my back and felt tired and worn out. When suffering intensely I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they acted as a tonic to my whole system, making me feel one hundred per cent better. For quite awhile now I have been entirely free from kidney ailments."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box

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STOP! LISTEN! This means you. Write today for our Big Surprise Pkg. It is FREE. The King Supply Company, McIntosh, Minn.

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WESTERN CANADA'S WONDERFUL YIELD

Wheat Yields Reports Extraordinarily Heavy.

When one hears of individual wheat yields of thirty-five to forty bushels per acre, there is considerable incredulity, but when yields, in whole townships extending into districts covering three and four and five hundred square miles in area, of upwards of fifty and some as high as sixty-five bushels per acre are reported, one is led to put his ear to the ground to listen for further rumblings. The writer having heard of these wonderful yields made a trip through the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, to ascertain first hand their truthfulness. It was remarkable to discover that Dame Rumor was no rumorer after all, that modesty was her mantle, that all that had been said of these yields was true, and that yields of over seventy bushels per acre were told of. These were so high that the truthfulness of the story was doubtful and very little was said of them. But such there were, and not in one instance, but in several, not in one locality but scattered in places hundreds of miles apart. Leaving these out altogether, there were large areas in which the average was over fifty bushels per acre, which in all common sense ought to satisfy most people. One hundred and thirty threshers in Alberta have made their returns to the local government as required by an act of the Legislature, and the average of the wheat threshed was fifty-three bushels to the acre. So immense was the yield that official verification was required before giving it out to the public. Sitting in the smoking compartment of a day coach, where on passing through a farming community, there may be gathered the gossipy yarns of the neighborhood, one hears also a lot of news. Just now, the sole topic is that of the crops. A man with more or less of a hirsute appendage, smock, clothes and hands giving the appearance of one working in the field, was asked as to the crops. He had got on at Warner, Alberta. Taking out his pipe, lighting it and then crossing his knees, holding his chin in his hands, possessing an air of supreme contentment, and with an intelligent face, he looked the man who could give some information. And he was just the man. He was a thresher and on his way to Milk River to secure some more help. He was requisitioned for information. "Yes, a good season, I've made a lot of money. As for yields, let's see," and then he began to string them off. "Peterson had 63 bushels of wheat per acre on his five hundred acre farm; from 380 acres Roland got 65 bushels per acre; Bugler had one hundred and ten acres that went 63 bushels; Carr had 65 bushels per acre off an eight hundred acre field." And he gave others running from 58 to 66 bushels per acre. All these people lived east of Warner, Alberta. Looking out of the window and seeing immense fields, still covered with stocks he was asked why they were not threshed, he replied that there were not enough "rigs" in the district, and that they would not get through before Christmas.

An American writing of a trip he made through Western Canada says: "I went as far west as Saskatoon, back to Regina, Moose Jaw, and down on the Soo line, and I must say that I never saw such crops, or ever heard of anything to compare with it in any country on earth. The country is over the hill, and certainly the farmers have a lot to be thankful for. There are very few of them that have done their work and done it properly but what have their debts paid and have bank accounts left."

And he only traveled the skirt of the country. The same story could be written of any part of any of three Provinces.—Advertisement.

Naturally.

The magistrate was examining a witness, to whom he remarked:

"You admit you overheard the quarrel between the defendant and his wife?"

"Yis, sor, I do," stoutly maintained the witness.

"Tell the court, if you can, what he seemed to be doing?"

"He seemed to be doin' the listenin'."—Harper's Magazine.

For callous or hard lumps on domestic animals apply Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Rub it on thoroughly. Adv.

Squeezed Dry.

Why did she leave her husband?"

"He lost all his money."

"How?"

"She spent it."—Boston Transcript.

For pipe sores, fistula and poll evil inject Hanford's balsam into the bottom of the wound. Adv.

A Place for It.

"It pays to be polite."

"Tell that to a traffic cop some day."—Detroit Free Press.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels.—Adv.

History spends half its time in repeating itself, and the other half in getting itself revised.

State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Mankato.—In the district court, Ralph Macbeth was convicted of assault in the second degree on a 14-year-old girl.

Rochester.—Eighty registered sheep owned by John Fox, a farmer of Simpson, have disappeared, and all efforts to find the herd have failed.

Red Wing.—Mr. and Mrs. William Gherka celebrated their golden wedding at their home in Zumbrota. Dinner was served to thirty guests at the home of J. C. Miller.

St. Paul.—The state legal department has completed an inventory of the estate of the late Mrs. W. H. Dunwoody of Minneapolis. The value is approximately $2,000,000.

Fergus Falls.—Through increased activities of the county agent and the interest of dairymen two co-operative cow-testing associations have been organized in Otter Tail county.

Wheaton.—Petitions have been filed for the establishment of four judicial drainage systems, which will affect Traverse, Big Stone, Wilkin, Grant and Stevens counties.

Lewiston.—The family of Ellsworth Gray escaped from a burning building here only because of a ladder that had been left at the side of the structure the day before by repairers.

Duluth.—Aad temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, Duluth, has made an offer of $50,000 to the city for the old armory, recently vacated by the Minnesota national guard when the new state armory was finished.

St. Cloud.—A cablegram received here said that Dr. A. J. Kirghis, local physician who was forced into the French war service when called to that country by the serious illness of his father, had procured his release and had sailed from Bordeaux.

Mankato.—Julius Just, 78 years old, a pioneer of the county, is dead. He was a native of Germany, but came here when a boy. He went South to work for a planter and while there was drafted into the Confederate army. At the close of the war he took a claim in this county.

Detroit.—Three girls, Lulu and Oma Knight, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knight of Savannah, 13 and 16 years old, and Miss Gayle Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hughes of Savannah, 16 years old, were drowned in Boot lake in northeast Becker county. They were crossing the lake and failed to see an airhole.

Rochester.—North side residents of Rochester are planning to fight the state of Minnesota. The state has completed plans for a state hospital sewerage system which will empty into the Zumbro river in the north part of the city. Residents in that vicinity object and are planning to take steps to prevent such action on the part of the board.

Fergus Falls.—The Red River valley dairymen held the most successful convention in their history here. Officers elected at the closing session were C. G. Selvig of Crookston, president; L. Jensen, Clear Brook, first vice president; A. B. Stensgaard, McIntosh, second vice president; L. J. Houske, Halstad, secretary; C. M. Davidson, Climax, treasurer.

Bemidji.—Informal discussion of good roads occupied a prominent place on the program of the Northern Development association. Robert Dunn, in a letter read by Senator McGarry, announced that he intends to ask for an amendment to the Dunn law at the next session of the Legislature, which will include the workable features of the Elwell law.

Wheaton.—The Traverse County Agricultural association held its annual stockholders' meeting and elected the following officers: President, O. J. Davidson; vice president, J. E. Dodds; secretary, H. H. Dokken, treasurer, F. H. Klawon. The following are the members of the board of directors: S. L. Downey, F. F. Thill, G. A. Oscarson, F. J. Steidl, Peter Hauschild and William Ringdahl.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota College of Agriculture is making preparations for an attendance of from 1,200 to 1,500 at Farmers' and Home Makers' Week to be held at University farm, St. Paul, Jan. 3-8, 1916. This week, as it is called, is in fact expected to become a great annual rural-life school and conference, and on the home-makers' side it is expected to interest not only the women of the country, but the women of the city as well.

Cleveland.—While temporarily insane, Mrs. David Marsh, 32, wife of a telephone lineman, cut the throat of her 6-year-old son, Vernon, and then, using the same weapon, a butcher-knife, slashed her own throat. The woman had evidently planned to kill her husband and a younger son who were sleeping together, but was prevented by the husband, who was awakened by the cries of the dying boy. Before he could stay her hand, however, she drew the knife across her own throat.

To Close Immoral Hotels.

Minneapolis, Dec. 13.—The council on motion of Alderman Williams, unanimously recommended to the mayor and the chief of police that all hotels which have not applied for licenses be closed forthwith, and that the mayor and chief close immediately those having license applications pending, which are known to be of immoral nature. The motion from Alderman Williams set forth that the hotel licensing ordinance is four months old.

CO-OPERATION IS URGED BY WOOD

DEAN WOULD HAVE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY SEEK RURAL MEMBERS.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

A. F. Woods, dean of the state college of agriculture, has urged the Minnesota State Horticultural society to lose no time in having each of the 900 farmers' clubs in the state appoint a horticultural committee, one member of which would have representation in the society. Dean Woods was speaking at the opening session of the horticulutral society's meeting at the West hotel. He said fruits and flowers are civilizing and home-making influences.

Not only through the farmers' clubs but through the rural schools should better homes, better farms and better country life be enlarged upon, the speaker urged. Dean Woods asked delegates to the horticultural meeting to interest themselves in consolidated schools and teacherages. He said Minnesota has 148 community centers in the shape of consolidated schools. The speaker suggested that the horticultural association should have a community building of its own and that it should be located at the university farm.

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Potato Crop Increases.

Minnesota lovers of potatoes will have 4,596,476 bushels more to digest this year than in 1914, according to figures made public by Fred D. Sherman, immigration commissioner. The total production this year was 35,376,476 bushels and the farm value $17,688,238. Farmers of Minnesota used 304,424 acres for potatoes this year, as against 270,000 acres in 1914. The yield this year shows a gain of five bushels to the acre, from 114 bushels to 119 bushels.

"A glance at figures for a period of years back shows that Minnesota's potato acreage is gradually increasing" said Mr. Sherman. "This is accounted for by the fact that much new land in Northeastern Minnesota is being opened every year.

"That section of the state is particularly adapted to potatoes and the settlers look on potatoes as a staple crop for the first few years.

"It was only a few years ago when practically all the potatoes used in Northeastern Minnesota were shipped from the central part of the state, but now many of the counties are shipping potatoes each year."

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Commission Hears Complaint.

The state railroad commission has heard testimony on the complaint of William Devine, who asks for restoration of the old $5 switching rate on ice from New Brighton to Minnesota Transfer. Under the Cashman law he now pays 40 cents a ton, which amounts to $8 or $10 a car, and he says wipes out all profit in cutting. Railroad attorneys were present to oppose the application.

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Hammond at St Cloud.

Outlining the purposes and objects of the All-Minnesota Development association organized in St. Paul on Dec 1, Governor W S Hammond in an address before the St Cloud Commercial club, urged its co-operation in making the general plan a success. The governor cited as one problem that could be taken up the extension of loans to settlers on cleared, tiled or drained lands.

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Recommends Buck Law.

The prairie chicken soon will be extinct in Minnesota if it is not protected by a closed season, says Ethan A. Cleasby, district inspector under the federal migratory bird law, who called on Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner. Mr Cleasby also recommended the Wisconsin "buck law" for Minnesota, not only as protection to the deer, but to save the lives of hunters.

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To Receive Filings.

Secretary of State [illegible] is prepared to receive filings from those who desire to seek the nomination of president or vice president, or convention delegate. Blanks necessary under the new presidential preference primary law have been received by him.

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Says Work is Duplicated.

Frank [illegible], state [illegible], connected with the Stillwater prison and the St Cloud reformatory, believes state care of defectives and state charges generally are badly divided in the matter of responsibility. Writing to the new Efficiency and Economy commission, he says that all the institutions have agents whose duty is the care of those discharged or out on parole. The paths of these agents, he says, are crossing constantly, and he believes that a co-ordinated agent system should be created.

RICHES TO ALMS AND RICH AGAIN

Outcast Daughter of Early Millionaire Returns to Old-Age Comforts.

PLOT FOR MELODRAMA

Cast Off by Father When She Divorces Her Husband to Marry Another—Returns in Old Age and Recovers Riches.

Chicago.—In the good old days of melodrama you might have stood, dime in hand waiting at the theater door for a sight of that rattling melodrama, "From Millionaire's Mansion to Poorhouse, or Stubborn as Her Father."

From the program slip you might have learned that Seth Wadhams was a millionaire ice manufacturer of Chicago, and beautiful Emma was his daughter. And then you would have leaned forward tensely to see old Seth point a forefinger (lean) at his daughter and hear his harsh Connecticut voice plank down the law:

"Daughter, you divorced Loring without my consent. The son of the proudest social family in Chicago. A couple of years of him sated you. You rid yourself of him.

"And now you're going to marry Colton, the architect, eh? I say you shan't! Marry him and you'll never darken my door again!"

Spirited Girl Departs.

Now, what could a young girl of spirit do? One insolent glance at old Seth; one defiant stare over the footlights—and she's gone!

Well, years had passed, and with their passing had come no word of beautiful Emma Wadhams nor of Colton. Married they had been, and then had vanished.

Old Seth Wadhams had become a man of sorrow. So Seth Wadhams began a search. It brought no results.

Seth Wadhams lost hope. He was out of business now, had sold his ice company and had retired permanently.

By the way, this isn't stage fiction; it's the truth. But to resume:

A dozen years had passed and Seth Wadhams made his will, disposing of all his property. No bequest was left to his daughter, for he was convinced that she was dead.

And on February 6, 1888, Seth Wadhams laid him down and died.

Here Skip 23 Years.

Skip 23 years. In April, 1911, a bent little woman came to the Old People's home of Chicago. Her hair was faded and her step was uncertain.

"My name is Emma Wadhams Green," she said. "I am sixty-two years old. I was once Mrs. Colton, and my husband was an architect, in affluent circumstances. We lived in various cities. A few years ago he died, and I married a third time. Now Mr. Green and I are poor. He is with relatives in Michigan, and I must ask for shelter."

One Glance at Old Seth, and She's Gone.

Then the manager of the Old People's home told her that her father, Seth Wadhams, had left $30,000 to the home, and they offered her a few dollars a week to live on.

She accepted the money and visited Attorney John J. Coburn. He investigated and found that Mr. Wadhams had left $10,000 to the home for its ordinary uses and $20,000 to build "a home for old men of American birth, only, separate and apart from said Old People's home."

But the $30,000 had not been used. It had been invested. So Mrs. Green sued for the money, asserting it should be forfeited because it had not been put to its proper uses and it should be given to her as the sole material heir of her father's estate.

Chased by Bull; Becomes Insane.

Lawrenceburg, Ind.—Mrs. Anna Newman, aged sixty-seven, wife of a wealthy farmer, became insane recently after being chased by an infuriated bull. Her mind is a blank.

Built Fire and Leaped Into It.

Wabash, Ind.—Mrs. Amos Reynolds committed suicide recently by leaping into a fire she had built. Her charred remains were found by her two step children.

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The End.

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Last Chance.

"It is said," he remarked, reflectively, "that women's hands are growing larger."

"Well?" she returned, inquiringly.

"Yes," he asserted. "And the worst of it is that there is every likelihood that this tendency will continue."

"Yes?" she said, in the same inquiring tone.

"Yes," he repeated. 'You see, driving, and golf, and tennis, and other sports that women have recently taken up are responsible for it."

"In that case," she said, with a glance at her own dainty hands, "you'd better speak quick if you want a small one."

He realized that it was the opportunity of a lifetime, and he spoke promptly.

Should Have Been Enough.

Mrs. Morgan had a colored maid named Sarah. One Sunday afternoon the mistress saw Sarah's lover leaving the house clad in a suit of white flannel. A little later, when the maid appeared, Mrs. Morgan said:

"Sarah, that beau of yours should never wear white. He is so very black that white clothes make him appear all the blacker. Why don't you give him a hint?"

"Why, Mis' Morgan," said Sarah, with animation, "I done give him er lot ob hints, but he jes' natterly ain't got no sense an' didn't take 'em."

"Probably you didn't make the hints strong enough," said the mistress.

"Well, ma'am, dat's jes' what I think myself," agreed Sarah, reflectively; "I don't believe I did. I jest looks at him right hard an' I says, 'Isham yo' sho do look like a black snake crawlin' out ob cream, you do!' Thet's jes' all I says to him, Mis' Morgan."—Everybody's Magazine.

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"After a long siege her case seemed hopeless, doctors gave her up, and she was nothing but skin and bones, couldn't eat anything and for weeks did not know even her father or mother. Her parents, in trying to get something delicate and nourishing that she could eat, finally hit upon Grape-Nuts food and it turned out to be just the thing.

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"No, but it's very humiliating to me to be seen driving a last year's model, and you'll have to pay me for the injury to my feelings."

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.00
Wheat No. 2	.96
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 30th, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Benjamin Waldnes, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on August 21st 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08406 for SE 1-4 Section 26, Twp. 156 N., Range 41, W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Golden Valley, Minn. on the 3rd day of January, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Tronsdahl, Rudolph Dahl, Clarence Larson and Carl Dahl, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Nov., 18, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Rudolph J. Jensen, of Germantown, Minn., who, on June 27, 1910 made Homestead Entry Serial No. 05392, for E 1-2 NW 1-4 and W 1-2 NE 1-4, Section 4, Township 155 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Ruth C. Clark, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Grygla, Minn., on the 29th day of Dec. 1915

Claimant names as witnesses: Adolph Jensen, Charlie Rossmund, Alexander Magee and Frank Coppey all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

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Potatoes For Sale!

Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 50c per bushel delivered in Holt.

A. C. Jahr. Holt.

B. L. Backe was a county seat visitor last week.

C. L. Heinze has been numbered with the sick, this week.

Some new ads, this and last week. It's worth your time to read them.

Miss Steenerson of Erskine, came Monday to visit Mrs. Albert Bennes.

President Wilson will be married to Mrs. Gault, to-morrow, and most of the papers will be filled with the account of it.

Miss Bettie Johnson, who is teaching at Randen, Minn, stopped here Saturday, to visit her people on her return from the teacher's institute held at Warren.

Louis and Lambert Akre, Ole Vixie and Wilber Cook all of Viking, were passengers from this station Monday for the Lake of The Woods country, where they expected to find and locate on homestead lands.

Dr. LINDSAY
of Bemidji, is now located at
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Mrs. P. A. Riesberg will entertain the Free Mission Ladies Aid in the church basement, Thursday afternoon Dec. 30th.

J. B. Alkenbrak left Friday for Hopkins for a short visit with his daugnter Inez and his brother-in-law and family. Mr. Alkenbrack returned Wednesday, bringing back a valueable trotting horse for A. R. Jones.

Miss Agnes Shefveland drew a five dollar cash prize in the dairy contest conducted by the Holt creamery.

P. L. Anderson drew second prize on percentage of patrons who kept a daily record at the Fergus Falls convention. All patrons who kept a daily record last year, should do the same again, and others should join too. P. L. Anderson will be glad to furnish full particulars.

Northeast of Holt

Alice Johnson called on Lizzie Hanson Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. G. P. Sorter is enjoying a visit from her brother of Valley City, N. Dak.

Anna Sorter spent Thursday afternoon at Christianson's.

Mrs. E. Johnson called on Mrs. Ole Davidson Friday.

By the way, we are glad to hear from Ringbo again.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, (Seal) Notary Public.
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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Dec. 9, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Rose Miller of Germantown, Minn., who on May 19, 1914, made Homestead Entry No. 010747, for SE 1-4 Sec. 8, Twp. 155 N. Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 12th day of Jan. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Kirkley, of Goodridge, Minn., S. Larson, Joseph Voikock and J. F. Voikock, all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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Steiner News.

Willie Warring took a load of grain to Thief River last week.

Two of the Meyers children are confined to their home with measles.

Nick Baker made a trip to Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. Hasby and son Henry were cutting brush for Harvey Capp, last week.

Julius Aftland and brother Anton were callers at Steiner one day last week.

Henry Rogers helped G. L. Leisner to load a car of grain the other day.

Mr. Werner made a business trip to Thief River.

Mrs. Meyers and son Louie drove to Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Southeast of Holt.

A large crowd attended the Ladies Aid auction on Saturday.

Miss Hildur Carlson returned from Warren on Saturday, after a weeks attendance at the teachers institute.

Miss Ragna Larson went to Golden Valley, Saturday, to spend some time visiting relatives.

Harry Moe went to Golden Valley on Sunday for a short visit with relatives.

Miss Christine Saastad returned on Sunday after spending a week at the institute at Warren.

A program will be given in Dist. 112 on Thursday evening Dec. 23rd. Every body welcome. Christine Saastad Teacher.

A large number of young people spent Sunday evening at Moe's.

Selma Saastad spent Monday and Tuesday visiting her sister.

A program will be given in Dist. No. 20 On Wednesday evening Dec. 29. Everybody welcome. Hildur Carlson Teacher.

Gunda Moe was on the sick list last week.

E. M. Wilson, publisher of The Newfolden Review, had a breakdown on his newspaper press last week and brought his Stranquist Tribune over here to print on our press. Bro. Wilson got out a big Holiday edition of his Newfolden paper last week, which would be a credit to a much larger town.

Ringbo Rumbles.

Miss Lizzie Hanson spent last Sunday with Miss Anna Sorter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Haggland, son Vernon and Grandma Haggland spent a pleasant Sunday afternoon at Ole Davidson's.

Eddie Davidson called at P. G. Sorter's Sunday afternoon.

Martin Grondahl called at Gunder Sorter's Monday evening.(?)

G. P. Sorter returned from Goodridge Tuesday, where he had been visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Esther Movik and her brother Alf spent Sunday evening at Ole Davidson's.

Magnus Grondahl and son Martin called at Ole Davidson's, Sunday.

(These items too late for last week.)

Make it a sane Christmas.

Go to Dr. Turley next Monday for your dental work. At the hotel.

The Marshall and Pennington county saloons close to-morrow night by action of the county option law.

The Chinese republic has decided to become a monarchy. Another proof that these people are not desireable citizens.

Hon. Halvor Steenerson has introduced a bill in congress to build a Federal building in Thief River Falls, for the postoffice, etc. The cost of site and building complete is to be limited to $100,000.00.

There are lots of poor people that Santa Claus will not visit this year. Think of these, help them if you are able, and be sane in all your giving. This matter is too often given no consideration, but is worth thinking about.

The Crookston agricultural school will mail free circulars, giving full information as to their special course in several branches, also the students short course beginning Jan. 4, 1916.

Carl Newton has rented the lower rooms in the Reierson building and will move his family here from McIntosh.

Mr. Knutson has moved his butchers outfit, temporarily, into the old hardware store.

Come! Come! Everybody Come. To the basket social to be held in the school house in district 59, Dec. 18th, 1915. Some of the attractions of the evening will be a guessing contest and a fish pond. Ladies, bring baskets.

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We feel that the Christmas Season should not pass without an expression of our gratification over the cordial relations existing between This Bank and its Customers.

We desire to convey the Season's Best Wishes for your Happiness and Prosperity. We will welcome every opportunity to be of service in the Year ahead.

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People like to have their accounts paid up by the first of the year and this paper is one of them too.

Some new ads, this and last week. It's worth your time to read them.

A. L. Carlson leaves to day for Minneapolis for a two weeks visit with his parents.

Villa has made peace with Carranza and will probably become a political refugee in this country.

The creamery checks have been issued for November and the price paid was 32 cents for butterfat

Thief River Falls expects to have a big municipal Christmas tree for the benefit of all the children.

Mrs. P. A. Riesberg will entertain the Free Mission Ladies' Aid in the church basement, Thursday afternoon, January 6th, 1916.

England has withdrawn at least a part of their army from Turkey, probably to protect themselves from a German invasion of Egypt.

The Zion Ladies Aid will have an auction sale and lutefisk dinner at John Knutson's in East Valley, Thursday Dec. 30th. Everyone invited,

The M. W. A. meet Saturday evening and re-elected the same set officers that were elected last year. They made plans to meet the second Saturday of every month, also to increase the membership of their camp.

Mrs. Carl Newton and children came Saturday and they are temporarily occupying rooms at P. A. Riesberg's until they can get a house.

The Ringbo Farmers Co-Operative Live Stock Shipping Association was organized last Saturday at the Ringbo school house and the following officers elected: John Hanson President, Elvin Erickson Vice President, Chas. Skoglund, Secy., G. P. Sorter, Treas.,

Rev. Eckstrom, of Thief River Falls, held services in the Free Mission church here Monday evening and Tuesday afternoon.

There will be no English S. S. next Sunday at the Free Mission church and the Norwegian Sunday School will meet at 11 o'clock

The barnyard manure from every animal weighing over a thousand pounds is claimed to be worth from $10 to $15 a year by the Crookston Experiment Station. Write them for full particulars.

Pay for your paper.

Local Items

We wish all of our readers a Merry, Merry Christmas.

Sollom is selling Boys Mackinaws at just One-Half the regular price.

C. L. Sanberg spent Sunday with his family in Thief River Falls.

Miss Gunhild Sollom, who teaches near Oslo, came Saturday to spend the holidays at home.

Miss Amanda Mickelson came home from Crookston Wednesday where she has been for some time,

Rev. A. L. Larson will preach in Norwegian, the Free Mission church here, at 11 o'clock A. M., on New Years Day. Everyone invited.

Racine Olson has not been able to work for more than a week, on account of an injury to his arm which he received while working.

August Nass and T. B. Folden went to Fergus Falls and Battle Lake Wednesday to visit friends and relatives for a few days.

A. R. Jones received the sad news Friday of the death of his mother in Chicago, which occured the night before from the infirmities due to old age.

Oh! Here we are again. That same good Coffee—not alone but a nice juicy Hamburger Sandwich and that Pie and Doughnuts that Ma makes will be served at Huseth's Lunch Counter. Come in and make yourself at home.

Rev. M. T. Strom returned home Tuesday from a preaching tour.

Mrs. R. L. Olson was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday and Saturday.

Jno. Stanley came to visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack.

C. A. Nason, Secy, Winton-Nichols Lumber Co. was here on business Saturday.

Selmer Larson returned Tuesday from a weeks visit with his mother in Grand Forks.

Mrs. T. T. Sollom has sold the hotel to C. J. Sorenson of Viking, who takes possession Jan. 1st.

We had another fall of snow Wednesday so that good sleighing is assured for the rest of the winter.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Carl Larson, Wednesday Jan. 5th Annual election of officers. Everybody welcome.

Mr. Tystad of S. Dakota was in this vicinity last week and purchased a farm belonging to Jens Offerdahl, of Middle River. Mr. Tystad moved his family here Monday and will live on the Berg' place until spring, as the farm he purchased is now occupied by H. P. Bean.

A Meeting will be held Dec. 30th at 7 Oclock P. M. at Ringbo school house for adoption of Constitution and By Laws for a Farmers Cooperative Live stock shipping Association, also to receive more members.

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Two Moose heads for sale, cheap. Enquire of Hilmer Davidson, Holt Minn.

Miss Albertine Nyberg came Tuesday from Grand Forks to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Rev. A. Brederson of Thief River Falls will preach in the Rinbo church at 2:30 P. M. Christmas Day. Everyone invited.

The meeting of the Free Mission Ladies Aid has been postponed until Thursday Jan. 6th Please note change of date.

Henry Holm and Pete Olson, both of Roseau Co. are visiting at the home of the latters, sister Mrs. J. M. Jahr and family.

Postage stamps found. Call here and pay for this notice.

Miss Gladys Hagen was on the sick list a few day the past week.

Miss Clara Sollom and brother Elmer went to Thief River Falls, Friday to have dental work done.

For Sale. My house and lot in Holt and my claim, east of town, both cheap. Chris Yttre, Holt, Minn.

Miss Mabel Fosen who teaches at Cambridge, came Saturday to visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Rachel Fosen.

It seems likely that Spain will enter the war and try to annex Portugal and take Gibraltar from England.

Merry Christmas
Happy New Year

We wish to take this opportunity of extending to our many friends and patrons our best wishes for a MERRY XMAS and a happy and prosperous NEW YEAR.

The liberal patronage accorded us by the people of this community the past year is sincerely appreciated by the officers and directors of this bank.

We wish to assure you of our desire to merit a continuance of past favors and confidence for

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prices are being advanced by the manufacturers.

They have lately made several advances in price and predict a further raise soon.

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If you contemplate building in the next six or eight months,

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WILSON AND BRIDE GO TO VIRGINIA ON THEIR HONEYMOON

PRESIDENT AND NEW "FIRST LADY" ELUDE CURIOUS CROWDS AND TAKE TRAIN AT ALEXANDRIA.

LESS THAN 45 WITNESS WEDDING AT GALT HOME

Rev. Herbert Scott Smith Officiates at Nuptials Conducted in Bower of Beautiful Flowers — Couple March, Without Music, Unattended, to Altar.

Washington, Dec. 21.—A blur of two faces inside the White House limousine as it whirled away was the last Washington saw of President Wilson and a new "first lady of the land."

The president of the United States and Mrs. Edith Bolling Galt were married Saturday night, and, speeding away in an automobile to Alexandria to elude curious crowds, were soon en route to Hot Springs, Va., on their honeymoon.

Only a few hundred persons received the last impression. They were those who had braved a raw, cold blustery night and had stood outside the Galt home, held at a distance by 100 police.

It was 10 p. m. when the big car dashed up. The old oil lamp which swung back and forth over the doorway of the bride's home flared up and gleamed brighter for a moment. The bride and groom walked down the enclosed stairway to the machine. There was a roar and the limousine dashed forward, closely followed by two cars with secret service men.

The wedding was over. The chill of the night grew sharper and the crowd melted away.

Ceremony Is Simple.

There was none of the panoply of a state function at the wedding ceremony. It was obviously the desire of the president that all the details should be in keeping with the idea that it was to have no official character whatever, and he was to appear as Mr. Woodrow Wilson, rather than as the chief executive of the nation. For that reason there were no military aids, no glint of uniforms, no shimmer of gold braid, no suggestion of the formalities which even on ordinary occasions surround the president. Even as weddings go, the ceremony at the Galt residence was of the simplest and most dignified character.

Bride's Rector Officiates.

It was beneath a canopy of green, banked with ferns, Scotch heather and orchids, that Woodrow Wilson took Edith Bolling Galt to wife. The ceremony was performed in the bride's home by Rev. Herbert Scott Smith, rector of St. Margaret's Protestant Episcopal church, of which the bride is a member. He was assisted by Rev. James H. Taylor, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, the place of worship of the president and his family in Washington.

Woodrow Wilson.

Not more than 45 guests, members of the immediate families of the president and his bride, and several of their most intimate friends, were present at the wedding ceremony.

The president left the White House alone in his limousine except for his secret service guard and arrived at the Galt home at 7:45 p. m.

Bride Married in Black.

A half hour later Mrs. Galt, smiling radiantly, descended the stairs, at the foot of which her fiance stood waiting to receive her. It was immediately noted that she was to be married in black.

Mrs. Galt took the president's arm and, followed by the guests, they led the way to the drawing room where the improvised altar had been arranged for the ceremony. No music preceded the entrance of the wedding party. There was none during the impressive but simple ceremony.

When the president and his bride knelt on the white satin prie dieu to repeat their marriage vows, the bride in a gown of black silk velvet and wearing no jewels except a brooch of flashing diamonds, set in platinum, the president's gift, they were unattended.

The wedding bower was a mass of maidenhair ferns reaching from floor to ceiling, with a canopy of ferns arranged as a huge shell, lined with blooming Scotch heather. In the background of the bower was set a mirror framed in orchids. Tall standards of American beauty roses stood at either side of the bower, rising from masses of lacelike cibotium ferns. In the bower stood the prie dieu of white satin, adorned with maindenhair ferns and bunches of orchids held in place with ribbons.

Episcopal Service Is Read.

It was just 8:30 p. m., when the president and Mrs. Galt arrived at the altar and Mr. Smith began the reading of the Episcopal service.

When he asked: "Who giveth this woman to be married to this man?" Mrs. Bolling, mother of the bride, stepped forward, placed her hand in that of the president, and answered in a low voice, "I do."

The president kissed the bride at the conclusion of the ceremony and so did most of her relatives.

The ring used was of the plainest sort, a rounded band made from California nuggets presented to the president some weeks ago by a delegation of young women from that state.

The guests observed that Mrs. Galt responded in a firm voice to the admonition to "obey" as well as to love and honor her husband.

Bride Cuts Wedding Cake.

A ripple of excitement among the guests which communicated to the president and his bride, marked the close of the solemn ceremony and at the same time an orchestra of string instruments sounded a gayer note. The president and Mrs. Wilson and their guests, when the shower of congratulations had subsided, gathered about the table in the dining room. The bride cut the wedding cake, the health of the distinguished couple was drunk and the ceremony was over.

By the time the wedding cake was cut the mystery of the coming wedding trip of the president and Mrs. Wilson was no longer a mystery.

President Wilson took the newspaper men into his confidence early in the day and informed them that his plans were to leave for Hot Springs, Va.

Catch Train at Alexandria.

At 9:30 p. m., the president and Mrs. Wilson, with the eyes of the patient crowd gathered in the street centered on them, entered the White House limousine and trailed by the secret service men and police were driven to Alexandria, Va., where they caught the "Honeymoon Special" for Hot Springs.

As they left the front door they looked back at those within, and the smiling, happy countenances of the president and his lady were reflected in the big mirror in the entrance hall. Banks of ferns about the mirror and sprays of American beauty roses nodded goodbye as the cold night air swept into the hallway. The wedding was over.

How long the president and his bride will remain at Hot Springs on the honeymoon depends in some measure upon the pressure of public affairs. If the responsibilities of state do not intervene to demand the president's return to Washington it is probable they will not come back before the end of two weeks.

THE FIRST LADY OF THE LAND

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Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.

Roumanian General Kills Self.

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War Death Date Low.

Paris, Dec. 20.—Dr. Jacques Bertillon, director of medical statistics of the French army in a special report which he has prepared, states that the mortality among the sick and wounded in hospitals is only 18 in 1,000. Last year the mortality ratio was [illegible] to 1,000.

In peace times the Paris hospitals show a mortality of 106 in 1,000.

The cause of the decrease is attributed to better hospital conditions.

FORD PEACE PARTY 'HOPELESSLY SPLIT' AS STEAMER DOCKS

MAJORITY OF MEMBERS REALIZE THEY ARE ON A FOOL'S ERRAND, SAYS DISPATCH FROM CHRISTIANIA.

CONFIDENT HIS PLAN WILL GET MEN OUT OF TRENCHES

Detroit Manufacturer Declares American Pilgrims Soon Will Be Looked Upon as Taking Initiative in Stopping Worst War—Bryan May Join.

London, Dec. 21.—The majority of the members of the Ford peace party realize they are on a fool's errand and the delegation is hopelessly split, the correspondent of the Daily Mail reports from Christiania. Dissensions are wide and bitter, according to word received here, and a "cat and dog" fight to oust American reporters with the party is said to have taken place after Norwegian newspaper men left the ship with full details of all the happenings on the way over. It was charged the correspondents tried to wreck the mission.

Christiania, Norway, Dec. 21. — "Every nation in the world will soon look upon the American peace pilgrims as taking the initiative in stopping history's worst war. The landing of the peace expedition in Europe will be recorded as one of the most benevolent things the American republic ever did," said Henry Ford to a press representative on stepping ashore on Norwegian soil.

Reaches Port After 14 Days.

The Oscar II., carrying the Ford peace expedition, arrived at this port Saturday after a 14-days' voyage from New York. The delegates expressed much displeasure because the vessel was delayed three days by the British authorities at Kirkwall, Scotland.

Mr. Ford said he was confident the expedition would result in getting the men out of the trenches before the winter was over. He declared he had information from official sources that his peace plan was looked upon with approval.

Bryan May Join Party.

He added that his motive in coming to Europe was to develop to the full an understanding throughout the world by the time the peace sessions were begun at The Hague.

William Jennings Bryan was expected to join the peace party there, he said.

Mr. Ford explained the presence of the American party in Norway was merely intended to convince the Norwegians of the fervent wish of Americans for peace. He expects to gather a Norwegian delegation here and then in about three days proceed to Stockholm, Sweden.

Definite Program.

He said the party would grow as it traveled, through neutral countries and that this would convince the belligerents that the rest of the world demanded peace immediately.

By the time Copenhagen was visited and The Hague reached, probably two weeks hence, Mr. Ford said, the peace movement would have a definite program.

Receptions by Christiania preachers and university professors and an unofficial call made by Albert G. Schmedeman, American minister to Norway, attended the first day of the members of the peace expedition in Europe.

VILLA WOULD CROSS BORDER

Retires From Command of Forces Opposing Carranza—Friends Ask for His Immunity.

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 21.—No word of denial of the report of his retirement from command of the Convention forces opposing the Carranza government, has been received from General Francisco Villa. Rumors declared first that he was enroute for Palomas, and would cross at Columbus, N. M. It was also reported that he was on his way to Ojinaga, opposite Presidio, Texas.

Ask for Permission.

At a conference of United States military officials, state and city authorities and representatives of the Carranza and Villa governments, it was requested by the Villa delegation that General Villa and his brother, Hipolito Villa, his financial agent, be permitted to cross the border unharassed by legal, criminal or civil action.

Germans Accuse American.

Berlin, (via London), Dec. 2.—Siegfried Paul London, a naturalized American citizen, has been placed in jail at Warsaw and is awaiting trial on a charge of espionage. As the investigation has not yet been completed the authorities have not been able to communicate to the American consulate the full charges against London, which are understood to involve an alleged conspiracy to convey information to the Russians after the German occupation of Warsaw.

WILLIAM R. WOOD

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William R. Wood, a new congressman from Indiana, has brought to Washington a plan for officering the much-talked-of increased army of the United States. He would have the government establish technical schools that would have also military courses, the graduates being pledged to service in case of war. Mr. Wood was born in Oxford, Ind. He is a lawyer and for 18 years before election to congress was a member of the Indiana state legislature. He is a Republican.

FOR CONFERENCE IN PANAMA

MORE THAN 1,000 SEEK PLACES IN CHURCH CONGRESS.

Promoters Say Controversy Over Delegation in Episcopal Church Will Not Affect Meeting.

New York, Dec. 21.—Promoters of the Panama congress, Feb. 10 to 20, to take place in the city of Panama to consider Christian work in Latin America, report applications for membership of more than 1,000.

Actual membership is to be limited to about 300, and visitors to about 300 more.

The promoters say that while they deeply regret the trouble that has arisen in the Episcopal church over sending delegates to the congress, they cannot see that it affects the congress as a whole, since only seven delegates out of a total of 300 are affected.

A special agent of the congress, just returned from Panama, where he went to arrange for accommodations, reports the city well equipped to care for the congress.

Four Conferences Announced.

Following the main congress at Panama, four district conferences are announced. One of these is rather a series of conferences, lasting throughout March. These will be at Lima, Santiago, Buenos Aires and Rio de Janiero, and the expenses of individuals making the round of all will be at least $1,000. Already, however, this tour is well filled.

Other district conferences are to be in Havana, Mexico City, at some city yet to be selected in Central America, and at Barranquilla in Columbia.

Eight commissioners on as many forms of missionary and educational work will report at Panama, after the plan of the Edinburgh conference. It is stated that these commission reports confine themselves to conditions as they now exist, and do not make recommendations for future efforts. Practically every Protestant society in North America is joining in this congress. Protestant societies of South America, of which there are several, are also joining.

WILSON AND BRIDE WELCOMED

Arrive at Hot Springs, Va., to Spend Their Honeymoon—Seek Seclusion in Mountains.

Hot Springs, Va., Dec. 21.—President Wilson and his bride, former Mrs. Norman Galt, have arrived here to spend their honeymoon. They were met at the station by a crowd of several hundred people who applauded as they alighted from their private car.

Waiting automobiles took the couple immediately to their hotel.

The distinguished couple upon whom the eyes of the nation turned Saturday night when they were married in Washington, came here to begin their married life in the quiet seclusion of the mountains of the state in which both of them were born.

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ENGLISH TROOPS ARE WITHDRAWN FROM GALLIPOLI

FORCES AT SUVLA BAY AND ANZAC DISTRICTS "TRANSFERRED WITH INSIGNIFICANT CASUALTIES."

MAY MEAN ABANDONMENT OF DARDANELLES PLANS

Retirement Which Affects More Than 100,000 Troops Cloaked in Mystery—Men May be Used to Defend Egypt Against Turco-German Invasion.

Paris, Dec. 21.—Fighting between small detachments of Greek and Bulgarian troops is reported in a dispatch from Brindiski, Italy, to the Havas news agency. It is said several Greek officers and soldiers were killed or wounded and that the Greek government is hastily forwarding reinforcements to the scene of fighting.

London, Dec. 21.—The British troops at the Suvla bay and Anzac districts of Gallipoli peninsula have been withdrawn.

The following official statement has just been issued here:

"All the troops at Suvla and Anzac, together with their guns and stores, have been successfully transferred with insignificant casualties, to another sphere of operations."

Presumably the British troops are being withdrawn for service at Saloniki or in Egypt.

Affects 100,000 Troops.

The withdrawal affects more than 100,000 British troops who have been vainly attempting for several months to advance against the Turks in the Suvla bay and Anzac regions on the west shore of the Gallipoli peninsula. No mention was made by the war office of any withdrawals from the Sedd-el-Bahr region, at the southern tip of Gallipoli, where French and British troops hold lines near Krithia.

The withdrawal, however, may be the forerunner of abandonment of the whole Dardanelles campaign in favor of Balkan operations or to defend Egypt against the expected Turco-German invasion.

More than 100,000 British troops, made up largely of Australians and New Zealanders, were landed on the shores of Suvla bay and in the Anzac region several months after the first land operations against the Dardanelles were begun from the region of Sedd-el-Bahr. Their object was to cut the communications and drive across the peninsula to an attack on the Dardanelles forts from the rear.

Uunable to Advance.

The attempt failed after nearly meeting with success in a grand assault. The British were driven back to their trenches close to the water's edge. They have made no important advance since the days immediately following the landing.

The Suvla bay and Anzac cove positions are on the north coast of Gallipoli peninsula. Anzac cove is about 16 miles from the tip. Suvla bay is five miles further on.

Lord Kitchener, secretary of state for war, recently made a trip to the Dardanelles to investigate conditions there after General Monro, the British commander, had recommended that the campaign there be abandoned. The present move, it is believed here, is the result of Lord Kitchener's investigation.

There are two fields of operations in the near east to which British troops withdrawn from the Gallipoli peninsula might be forwarded—Macedonia and Egypt.

President And Bride Play Golf

Hot Springs, Va., Dec. 21.—The golf links on the countryside here lured President Wilson and his bride on the second day of their honeymoon and they planned to spend several hours on the course. Mrs. Wilson is a devotee of the game, the president having taught her since they became engaged. Every arrangement has been made to allow the couple to spend the honeymoon quietly. A section of a hotel was set apart for them and secret service agents attempted to keep off a corps of photographers.

Says Japan Guards Suez Canal

Los Angeles, Dec. 21.—That Japan is giving material aid to the Entente Allies in the European war, not only by supplying munitions but actually guarding the Suez canal with her warships, was stated here by A. M. Papajian Boy, former minister of the interior in Egypt, who is in Los Angeles. The Suez canal has been strongly fortified since the war began, he said.

Taft Ill at La Crosse, Wis

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 21.—Former President William Howard Taft came here Sunday night, sick, and was taken to the home of a former classmate at Yale, George W. Burton, where he was put to bed immediately. He was taken with such chills on the train that it was necessary to make up a bed for him in the parlor car. A telegram was sent ahead to have a bed prepared and a throat specialist ready. At 8:30 a. m. he was still in bed and there was doubt that he would be able to carry out his program here.

VILLA SIGNS PEACE TERMS

MAKES AGREEMENT WITH CARRANZA AT EL PASO, TEX.

State Department Officials Decide Mexican Is Entitled to Enter U. S. as Political Refugee.

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 21.—Final arrangements for General Francisco Villa to enter the United States, ending his participation in Mexican affairs, have been made here, according to information from authentic sources. Preparations to this effect were begun upon receipt of Secretary Robert Lansing's decision that Villa would be accorded asylum as a political refugee.

Sign Peace Terms.

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 21.—An agreement was reached and papers were being signed at noon Monday whereby the Villa faction in northern Mexico concludes peace terms with the defacto government of Mexico. The conference was between Mexican Consul Garcia and former lieutenants of General Francisco Villa at the consulate in El Paso.

General Francisco Villa is reported to be in Juarez.

The signing of the peace agreement eliminates him from Mexican affairs.

A Political Refugee.

State department officials have decided that General Villa will receive the asylum accorded a political refugee should he enter the United States. This decision was sent to General Frederick Funston by the war department for transmission to Villa or his representatives.

State department agents had reported that alleged intermediaries had requested Villa's immunity from arrest, saying if this was given they believed Villa would abandon the fight against Caranza and retire to private life in the United States.

Villa Army to Quit.

The state department does not conceal its desire to have Villa eliminated. Without him the revolution in the north will certainly fail, officials believe. Intermediaries also said the plan was for the retirement from the field of the entire Villa army.

Much interest is displayed by officials here as to whether Villa would accept the promise of immunity as a political refugee. Such immunity would not protect him from prosecution within the United States on charges of an ordinary character.

BRITAIN DENIES TRADE HURT

Submits Further Arguments and Statistics Relating to War Restrictions to State Department.

Washington, Dec. 21.—Further arguments and statistics in support of Great Britain's denial of statements that her merchants are profiting by British war restrictions upon commerce at the expense of American trade been been submitted to the State Department by the British embassy with a letter of transmittal to Secretary Lansing from Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the ambassador.

The document is supplementary to a note on the same subject handed Ambassador Page last summer by the London foreign office and reiterates the assertion that increases in British trade with neutral countries have been infinitesimal compared with the growth of similar American trade. It draws particular attention to figures showing that the increase in exports from the port of New York to the Scandinavian countries during the first 13 months of the war exactly balanced the falling off of New York's exports to Germany.

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Dec. 21.—Wheat, December, $1.17⅝; May, $1.18¾; No. 1 northern, $1.18⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.15⅝; No. 1 durum, $1.12; No. 3 corn, 73½c; No. 3 white oats, 40¼c; barley, malting, 58c; No. 2 rye, 89½c; No. 1 flax, $2.10½.

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, Dec. 21.—Wheat, December, $1.16½; May, $1.18½; No. 1 northern, $1.16½; No. 1 durum, $1.14½.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Dec. 21.—Cattle steers, $4.25@7; cows, $4.50@6; calves, $4.50@8.75; hogs, $6.10@6.25; sheep and lambs, $5@8.50.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Hogs, receipts, 65,000; slow, unchanged to a shade under Saturday's average; bulk, $6.25@6.60; light, $5.95@6.55; mixed, $6.10@6.75; heavy, $6.20@6.80; rough, $6.20@6.35; pigs, $4.75@5.90. Cattle, receipts, 23,000; weak; native beef steers, $5.80@10.90; western steers, $6.20@8.20; cows and heifers, $2.80@8.30; calves, $6.75@10. Sheep, receipts, 17,000; weak; wethers, $6.10@6.90; lambs, $6.85@9.45.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Butter—Creamery extras, lb., 33c; extra firsts, 30c; firsts, 29c; seconds, 28c; dairies, extra firsts, 28c; packing stock, 20c.

Eggs—Candled, free from rots, small dirties and checks out, 34c; current receipts, rots out, case, $9.00; checks and seconds, doz., 17c; dirties, 18c; No. 1 refrigerator, candled, 21c.

Live Poultry—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs. and over, 15c; thin, small, 9c; cripples and culls, unsalable; roosters, 8c; hens, fat, 4 lbs. and over, 11c; 3 to 4 lbs., 9c; under 3 lbs., 8c; geese, fat, 10c; ducks, 10c; springs, 11c.

Trains Collide Head-on at Rock Island.

Rock Island, Ill., Dec. 21.—Passenger trains on the Milwaukee and Burlington lines collided headon in the local yards here, due to a wrong order by a switchtender. The Milwaukee train was going 30 miles an hour. The Burlington train was moving slowly. The Milwaukee locomotive was almost demolished by the heavier Burlington engine. The crew of the Milwaukee engine had a miraculous escape. The men were pinned in the cab and had to be taken out through the windows. Passengers were badly shaken up.

A New Year Message

By William S. Jerome

PERHAPS no better motto for the new year can be found than that which Longfellow prefixed to his popular work, "Hyperion." He says he found a tablet in the churchyard of St. Gilgen, in the Tyrol, bearing this singular inscription:

"Look not mournfully into the past. It comes not back again. Wisely improve the present. It is thine. Go forth to meet the shadowy future without fear, and with a manly heart."

Here we have a motto and message for the three divisions of time which mark the New Year.

The Past.—It is natural to look "mournfully into the past." The look backward recalls so many mistakes and failures that the result is always depressing. What we have accomplished seems small in proportion to what was desired and attempted. This perspective of time enables us to judge more accurately our life than we could at the time. It is not a bad idea at the New Year to "take account of stock," review the past, and seek to learn its lessons.

Yet there may be too much introspection and retrospection. We should not neglect the past or fail to learn from it, and there is a profound philosophy in the apostle's injunction to "forget the things that are behind." Whether they are evil or good, the advice is wise. If the review of an evil past leads us to discouragement and depression, the thought of a good past may lead to self-satisfaction and content, and thus prove an obstacle to further progress. We can make no real advancement if we "drag at each remorse a lengthening chain," even if that chain be of roses, and the remembrance of happy days and good deeds. Cultivate, therefore, a good "forgettery." Do not let the failures and mistakes of the days gone by prove stumbling blocks in the future pathway. Do not let past good deeds prevent yet nobler efforts and grander achievements. Whatever the past, it has gone forever. Neither prayer nor tears can bring it back. Let it go, therefore; unload its memories, that we may better run the race that is still set before us.

The Future.—The "shadowy future," our motto calls it. The word is well chosen, for a veil lies over the days to come, which is not lifted till we reach them. We naturally shrink from the unknown, and not knowing what may be on the morrow, we therefore fear the morrow. But fear is not the same as wise forethought. Because we do not know what the morrow will bring forth we are not to boast ourselves of tomorrow or recklessly waste the days granted us. But fear of the future weakens us for life's struggles, and is unworthy of one who believes that—

"God's in his heaven; all's right with the world."

The true attitude toward the future is that of encouragement and faith. The fearless, "manly heart" does not mean rashness or bravado, or insensibility to life's seriousness and meaning. It means the triumph of faith over fear, of courage over cowardice. It expresses exactly the right spirit in which to face the unknown. "Trust no future, howe'er pleasant;" fear no future, no matter how dark and mysterious. For the future is made up of just such days as we have already had.

The Present. This is thine. Therefore it is to be wisely improved. It is literally and really all we have—the present moment—"the inch before the saw." Yesterday, like last year, is gone forever. Tomorrow may never come.

How urgent the call of the New Year, to spend no time in vain regrets or future forebodings, but to give ourselves diligently to the work of the day! At this season we often say, "A new year has dawned." But, really, only one more day has come. We have 1915, but 1916 is not yet here, and when it, too, is gone it will be too late to do anything in it. The recurrence of New Year's day does not really alter the ordinary conditions of life. We are prone to think that, with the new date and new year, things will be in some way different—duty will be easier and less distasteful. One who has wasted the past year is very apt to think that, by some magical influence the new year will bring new and more favorable conditions. But to think so is to deceive ourselves. Whatever new experiences may come to us, we know very well that the ordinary laws of morals or mathematics will not be changed by the change of date. In 1916, as in the past, two and two will make four; the law of gravity will operate irrevocably and certainly; and "whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap." Now is the time, therefore, says Norman Hapgood, "to pitch in and achieve—now, now! Remember, my friends, the present is the future from which you hoped so much." Unless we "wisely improve the present" we shall find ourselves, at the end of the year, regretting our past, just as today we are mourning over mistakes and resolving to do better in the days to come.

So the modern journalist puts into homelier phrase the teachings of Longfellow's famous motto:

> Yesterday is dead; forget it.
> Tomorrow isn't here; don't worry.
> Today is here; use it.

And the New England poet adds his word of encouragement and cheer:

> Life is a leaf of paper white,
> Whereon each one of us may write
> His word or two—and then comes night.
>
> But for a line,
> But that sublime!
> Not failure, but low aim is crime!
>
> —Detroit Free Press.

O BRIGHT NEW YEAR!

O bright New Year! Hast thou in store
Health, happiness, success, complete—
Or sorrow, sadness and defeat,
With petty trials by the score?
Be kindly lenient, we implore
In blending bitter with the sweet,
O bright New Year!

Grant us a faith to tide us o'er
Whatever problems we may meet,
And may our hearts be more replete
With sympathy than heretofore.
O bright New Year!

—Caroline Louise Sumner.

The Old Year's Happiness.

Our past is sufficient assurance of a happy New Year. Writing a New Year's greeting to a friend, a Christian man well on in life said. "When I think about it, it seems to me that all our years are happy. Surely the dark days are few and the whole of each year is full of showers of grace, so full that we ought not to notice what only seems, but is not, dark." Sometimes it takes steadfast trust and confidence in our Lord to say that; and in many lives never more so than at the close of this war darkened year. But it is true even of this year. God is reigning; his steady grace is greater than all that opposes it. May we gratefully remember the happiness that is past, and confidently count upon our Lord for infinitely more to come.

All Aboard!

All aboard for the water wagon! Climb onto the seats so high. Avoid the rush, and the midnight crush, when the old year says "Good by!"

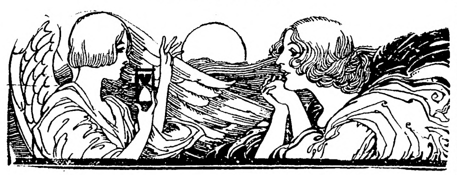
Questions for the New Year

BY T. J. WIGGINS.

I asked the New Year for some motto sweet
Some rule of life by which to guide my feet,
I asked and paused—It answered soft and low
"God's will to know."

"Will knowledge then suffice, New Year?" I cried,
But ere the question into silence died
The answer came—"Nay, this remember, too
"God's will to do."

Once more I asked—"Is there still more to tell?"
And once again the answer sweetly fell—
"Yea, this one thing, all other things above—
"God's will to love."



What's Doing in Minnesota

International Falls. — In a decision from Attorney General Smith, just announced, the city council is restrained from issuing liquor licenses.

Hutchinson. — The closing of the saloon at Biscay by the operation of the Dunn roadhouse law marks the end of a strenuous struggle for existence.

Moorhead.—The Clay county grand jury has returned four indictments against the Moose lodge of Moorhead, charging "illegal sales of intoxicating liquors."

Fergus Falls. — Otter Tail county is dry for the first time since it was organized, the last saloon in the county, at Elizabeth, eight miles from here, having closed.

Pine City. — A runaway near here resulted in the death of Charles Rebholz. He was thrown from his wagon and struck the frozen ground on his head and was dead when picked up.

Crosby. — Otto Hillbert was run over by a train here at Guthrie mine and killed. He was a car spotter, 33 years old, and lived in Ironton. He is survived by a widow and three children.

New Ulm. — Two Russian wolf hounds entered Schell's deer park here, killed four domesticated deer and inflicted injuries on three others before assistance could be given to the animals confined in an enclosure.

Rochester. — J. Q. R. Howell, a transient selling insurance here, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid. Howell recently was discharged from the City hospital in St. Paul, following an attempt in that city to end his life.

Rochester. — Rochester's new armory, costing about $30,000, will be dedicated formally Jan. 8, according to plans being made by the local machine gun company. Governor Hammond has accepted an invitation to attend.

Morris. — The directors of the Minnesota State Drainage association met at the agricultural school here to discuss the general purposes of the organization and to arrange for a state drainage meeting to be held in St. Paul after the holidays.

Montevideo.—The Montevideo conference of senators and representatives and people of the Seventh congressional district, called by A. F. Teigen, has made its debut. Mr. Teigen was elected temporary chairman. A fair delegation was present.

Mankato. — The quarterly meeting of the Blue Earth County Equity society adopted resolutions favoring government ownership of telegraphs, telephones, railroads and money; also favoring national defense, but with the government making its own munitions and battleships.

Duluth. — Joseph T. Nelson and Gust L. Wedan, former cashier and assistant cashier, respectively, in the county treasurer's office, both confessed defaulters, were sentenced by Judge Danver to seven years each in the state penitentiary at Stillwater under the indeterminate plan.

St. Paul. — Corn raised in Minnesota, in the Dakotas, in Montana, Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Wisconsin, tastefully arranged and properly classified on exhibition racks which fairly groan beneath the weight, comprises the exhibits of the First National Corn show which has just opened in St. Paul.

Duluth. — Action of the United States supreme court which indirectly fixes the boundary line between Minnesota and Wisconsin, as the natural channel of the St. Louis river, is likely to start a fight between the two states as to the taxation rights on some valuable property which hitherto has been classed as in Minnesota.

Tower. — Fire destroyed the buildings at camp 2 at Bear creek, belonging to the Trout Lake Lumber company of this city. About 100 men were employed there. Five men received serious burns and were brought to a hospital in this city. Among those injured are John Hendericks and John Brewer of this place.

Brainerd. — The state convention of bricklayers, masons and plasterers elected these officers at their seventh annual convention: President, A. E. Hilker of Austin; first vice president, Sam Blondell of Red Wing; second vice president, Matt Tellman of Minneapolis; third vice president, Fred Gittkowski of Duluth; secretary-treasurer, Nic Korth of Mankato. Rochester procured the next convention.

Crookston. — A dispatch from Washington says that President Wilson has signed pardons for W. F. Peterson, Otto Kilen and S. B. Gillan, former saloonkeepers of Crookston, who were sentenced at Fergus Falls in the United States court in November to 60 days in jail and a fine of $100 for shipping whisky to points in Indian dry territory. The shipments were made through ignorance, and monster petitions were forwarded by friends here asking for the pardon. Half of the sentence has been served.

Rochester. — A mass meeting has been held in Dover and the consolidation of eight rural schools was discussed. O. C. Swain, rural school commissioner, and County Superintendent W. L. Mercer were the speakers. It is planned to build a $20,000 schoolhouse, where agriculture, domestic science and manual training will be included in the curriculum.

Winona. — Told recently that an affliction which impaired his eyesight eventually would bring total blindness, William Bartle, 40 years old, shot out both eyes. It is said he has a chance to recover.

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St. Paul.

Minnesota homebuilders are getting state aid on a large scale. The state art commission, according to a bulletin just issued, has sent out 1,000,000 plans for model farmhouses in the past 24 months. The plans were submitted by leading architects of the state and have been sent out at merely a nominal cost, a service that no other state government has undertaken to give. This service is now being extended.

The art commission has been deluged with requests not only for plans, but for information about building materials of all knds, paint, cement and the like, or what sort of a heating plant is best. The Minnesota chapter of the American Institute of Architects has undertaken to render this service free, through the art commission as an outlet. It is known as the "Architectural and Allied Arts Service Department will soon be open to all the people of the state. Inquiry of the Minnesota state art commission, Old Capitol, St. Paul, or addressed to 504 Essex building, Minneapolis, will bring complete information about the new service, also about new plans for 50 model village houses, which will be furnish for the mere cost of the blueprints.

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Snyder Again Heads Regents.

The board of regents at the University of Minnesota has re-elected the officers to serve for 1916. Fred B. Snyder of Minneapolis, as chairman of the executive committee. The personnel of the standing committees was retained.

Three gifts amounting to more than $2,100 were presented to the regents and accepted. Furnishings for the Charlotte S. Winchell cottage, amounting to $1,500, were donated by the Minnesota Alumnae club.

A bronze table commemorating Prof. A. E. Haynes was accepted by the regents for the university. The tablet was presented by almuni of the university who were students of Daddy Haynes. Many of the contributors were Spanish war veterans.

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Epidemic Holds Attention.

The status of jaundice as a disease has been raised by an unusual epidemic that prevails in Minneapolis, according to Dr. H. A. Burns, epidemiologist of the state board of health with offices at the University of Minnesota. Ordinarily the disease is not considered sufficiently serious to warrant special attention, but its ravages this year have called the attention of medical science to the fact that little is really known about it.

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Bulletin on Christmas Trees

Christmas trees fires in Minnesota last year cost a loss of between $6,000 and $10,000 and State Fire Marshall Hargadine in a special Christmas tree Bulletin calls attention to the fact Extra precautions this Christmas are requested. In decorating Christmas trees Hargadine advises the use of fireproof material. Cotton and tinsel he says are dangerous and a menace to life and property. Fireproof decorations are obtainable at all stores.

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Disposes of Securities.

The State Board of Control has disposed of $75,000 worth of educational building certificates and $50,000 of Historical society building securities to the Harris Trust and Savings bank of Chicago. For the first named securities the state receives a premium of $3,750 and on the latter $1,100.

The educational certificates draw 5 per cent and the historical building securities 4½ per cent.

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For Central State Board

A protest against [illegible] state normal school board, as proposed in the plan of a central state board of education, has been made by present members of the board to the state efficiency and economy commission, which met at the state capitol to decide on its course of action in framing a plan to reorganize the state government.

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Educator Makes Suggestions

If Minnesota would improve the quality of its rural schools, it should require the teaching of the fundamentals of agriculutre in every state aided school, county and city, in the opinion of D. D. Mayne, principal of the School of Agriculture, university farm.

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Special Child Labor Agent

W. I. Washburn, chairman of the Minnesota child labor committee, says that this committee expects to employ a special agent to investigate the employment of children less than ten years old to sing in motion picture shows. Mr. Washburn said this committee also will investigate cases of children under ten years selling papers on the street or engaging in any street trade. Plans to have the present child labor laws revised by the next legislature are being made by Mr. Washburn's committee.

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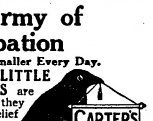

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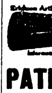

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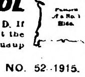

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Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 30th, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Benjamin Waldnes, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on August 21st 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08406 for SE 1-4 Section 26, Twp. 156 N., Range 41, W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 3rd day of January, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Tronsdahl, Rudolph Dahl, Clarence Larson and Carl Dahl, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Nov., 18, 1915. Notice is hereby that Rudolph J. Jensen, of Germantown, Minn., who, on June 27, 1910 made Homestead Entry Serial No. 05392, for E 1-2 NW 1-4 and W 1-2 NE 1-4, Section 4, Township 155 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Ruth C. Clark, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Grygla, Minn., on the 29th day of Dec. 1915

Claimant names as witnesses: Adolph Jensen, Charlie Rossmund, Alexander Magee and Frank Coppey all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Sunnyside

Here we are again to tell you all we know and maybe a little more.

Mrs. C. Anderson returned home Saturday after a brief visit with her folks.

Miss Burndette Horien was a guest of Miss Tena Johnson Tuesday afternoon.

Messrs Ed and Albert Bjerk, Charles Horien and Delhard Johnson called at L. Wegge's Sunday.

Jessie Sorum returned home Saturday from Hillsboro N. Dakota where he has been working for some time.

Herman Peterson spent Sunday with Oscar Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Wegge visited at the Wendt home Sunday.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Dec. 2, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Rose Miller of Germantown, Minn., who on May 19, 1914, made Homestead Entry No. 010747, for SE 1-4 Sec. 8, Twp. 155 N. Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 12th day of Jan. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Kirkley, of Goodridge, Minn., S. Larson, Joseph Voikock and J. F. Voikock, all of Germantown, Minn., Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Oct. 1915.

Cream received	10,106 lbs
Average test	28.51
Butter fat	2881.30 lbs
Percent overrun	22 97
Butter made	3543 lbs
Balance on hand last month	70
Received for butter shipped	869 05
Butter and milk sold patrons	7 17
Cash sales at creamery	38 29
Total	$915 21
Paid patrons by check	735 59
" " " Butter & milk	7 17
Expense fund, etc.	124 65
To sinking fund	20 75
Balance on hand	27 05
Total	$915 21
Number of patrons,	80
Price paid for butter fat, 26c	

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Thief River Falls, Route No. 2

Arno Steinhaur made a trip to Thief River Falls on Tuesday to do some Christmas shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mattson visited at the Olson home on Sunday afternoon.

Carl Larson is on the sick list this week.

Martin Kisch sawed wood for Edwin Frickson last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wendt and Ole Mattson made a business trip to T. R. Falls last Friday.

Mr. Germanson called at the M. Kisch home on Sunday.

Willie Steinhauer made a business trip to Thief River Falls on Thursday.

A number of people in the community attended the basket social given in Dist. 59 last Saturday evening.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, (Seal) Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.

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Boys mackinaws, Half Price, at Sollom's store.

Miss Agnes Shefveland drew a five dollar cash prize in the dairy contest conducted by the Holt creamery.

P. L. Anderson drew second prize on percentage of patrons who kept a daily record, at the Fergus Falls convention. All patrons who kept a daily record last year, should do the same again and others should join too. P. L. Anderson will be glad to furnish full particlars.

Ringbo Rumbles.

Miss Esther Movik spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Anna Sorter.

Miss Ella Erickson and her sister are visiting at Elvin Erickson. Miss Ella intends to leave for her home in Harmony next week.

Quite a crowd attended the basket social at the Ringbo school house last Wednesday night. Quite a sum of money was received and all present reported a good time.

Hilmer Davidson called at G. Sorter's last Friday evening.

Julius Erickson called at Jonn Udstrand's last Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Pappas has been spending a few days at home, while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Larson visited in Fargo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Haggland and son Verney left last Saturday for Thief River Falls, where they will visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Anna Sorter called at Henry Erickson's last Wednesday.

Oliver Grandahl has been working for Ole Haggland last week, baleing hay and doing chores.

A farmer's club was held in the Ringbo school house Saturday evening which quite a crowd attended.

Elling Wagedal called at Christ Engen Sunday evening.

John Engstrom has been on the sick list for the past week.

Davidson Bros. are drilling a well for Nels Ness.

A program will be held by the Ringbo school Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Larson returned home Tuesday from Fargo where they have been visiting.

Elmer Engstrom called at his uncle's, Chas. Skogland Sunday.

Hilmer Davidson and Martin Grondahl and Misses Esther Movik and Anna Sorter called at Elvin Erickson last Sunday.

Pete Sorter and Martin Grondahl called at Ole Davidson's Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson visited at Louis Johnson's Sunday.

Mrs. T. Johnson left Sunday for Warren to consult a doctor.

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D. Payne was in Greenbush, between trains, Tuesday.

The A. H. Huseth family are on the sick list this week.

The saloon in Middle River closed business Wednesday night.

Ole Hamernes of Moose Jaw Canada came Friday to visit at the home of his uncle, R. Reierson.

Elmer Adolphson who formerly lived in Adgar, was married in Thief Rivea Falls Wednesday to Miss Bernice Huseth of Grygla.

C. J. Sorenson and family, of Viking, came Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson, until they get possession of the hotel.

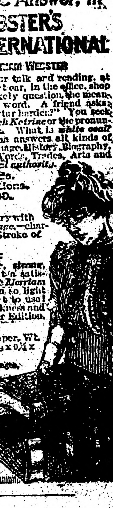
The school had a Christmas tree and program Wednesday evening, which was well attended. School closed yesterday for a two weeks vacation, which the teachers will spend at their respective homes,

Bro. E. M. Wilson of Newfolden Review had a narrow escape with his auto, Sunday. While returning from Argyle with his daughter, one of the chains broke and caught on a fender, running the machine into a 12 foot ditch. It is a wonder they were not killed outright but neither were hurt and the machine not damaged beyond repair.

Potatoes For Sale!

Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 50c per bushel delivered in Holt.

A. C. Jahr. Holt.



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SOCIETY

New Year's Greeting

This bank appreciates the business entrusted to it during the year 1915 by its depositors. The Officers and Directors are desirous of showing that the confidence reposed in the Bank on the part of the public is appreciated. The continuance of our helpful and accommodating Service is one of the ways in which this appreciation will be shown.

The Farmers' State Bank of Holt.

The Bank of courteous and personal service

Louis Olson, D. V. M.

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Middle River, Minnesota

Graduate of Chicago Vet. College

[illegible] day or night.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

E. T. Eide was down from Spooner last week, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Young went to Crookston, Monday, to see Dr. Morley.

Jno. A. Thompson is confined to his home by a severe attack of the measles.

Ole Johnson returned to Newfolden, Monday after a short visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson came Wednesday from Newfolden to visit at the home of Mrs. T. Sollom and family.

The English Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. All children welcome.

Miss Minnie Sorum came home last week from several months stay near Hilsboro N. Dak.

Ernest Kuehne went to Thief River Falls, Monday, called there by the sickness of his brother Otto.

Henry Olen went to Grace City N. Dak. Monday, for a short visit with relatives,

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We Deeply Thank Our Friends for the Good Will accorded us during the past season and it is Our Sincere Wish that the Dawning of the New Year may bring You a Full Share of Happiness and Prosperity.

Heartily,

D. Payne Lumber Co.

Local Items

We wish all of our readers a happy and prosperous New Year.

If you want Flour and Feed, cheap, go to R. Reierson

Miss Bettie Johnson visited in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Christ Yttri has rented his house to Carl Newton. We understand Dr. Lindsey who previously occupied the house, has located in Middle River.

Peter Kolden is spending his vacation at home.

J. P. Lein spent Xmas. with his daughter, Mrs. Gunheim.

Our two widowers, A. R. Jones and C. L. Sanberg, spent Christmas with their families in Crookston and Thief River Falls.

Hilmer Johnson spent Christmas with his folks in Strathcona.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe spent Christmas with relatives in T. R. Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken went to T. R. Falls Saturday to visit her parents. Mr. Docken returned home Monday, Mrs. D. remaining for a longer visit.

For Sale. My house and lot in Holt and my claim, east of town, both cheap. Chris Yttre, Holt, Minn.

Rev. A. L. Larson will preach in Norwegian, the Free Mission church here, at 11 o'clock A. M., on New Years Day. Everyone invited.

C. G. Mugg, the Grand Forks eye specialist, will be in Holt, all next week, to examine eyes and fit glasses for all the people.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Carl Larson, Wednesday Jan. 5th Annual election of officers. Everybody welcome.

Oh! Here we are again. That same good Coffee—not alone but a nice Juicy Hamburger Sandwich and that Pie and Doughnuts that Ma makes will be served at Huseth's Lunch Counter. Come in and make yourself at home.

Many friends spent Christmas day at C. L. Heinze's, viz., Mr. and Mrs. John Simanson, Mr. and Mrs. Kjeldren, Mr. Andrew Bjerk and family, Mr. Carl Larson and his two daughters, Clara and Rigna, and Ole Reierson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Sorenson took possession of the Evergreen Hotel yesterday. We wish them success.

Ludwig Larson came from Funkley Tuesday for a short visit at home.

Mrs. P. A. Riesberg will entertain the Free Mission Ladies' Aid in the church basement, Thursday afternoon, January 6th, 1916.

We understand that Will Steinhauer and Miss Ida Lokke were married yesterday.

Joe. Marty went to Bandette on business the first of the week.

Clarence Docken is visiting his parents in Mekinock, N. D.

Mrs. C. Rustad received a telegram Thursday evening of last week, telling of the sad news of the death of her only brother in Idaho. The telegram stated he was killed by a tree falling on him, but no farther particulars have been received. The friends of M Rustad and family extend their sincere sympathy in their hour of sorrow.

Young men and women from 18 counties and five states attended the Crookston Agricultural School during the term just closed before the holidays, still there is room for more of them there.

Dr. J. T. Turley, the dentist, will be at the hotel, Thursday Jan. 13th.

Special Village Election Notice.

The citizens of the village of Holt, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, who are qualified to vote at general elections, are hereby notified that a Special election for said Village will be held at S. S. Kolden's Building, located in Block 9, Lot 10, in said Village on Tuesday, the 11th day of January, A. D. 1916, between the hours of Nine O'clock in the forenoon and Nine O'clock in the Evening of the same day, for the purpose of having the Village of Holt constitute a seperate election and assessment district, and set apart from the Town of Holt, and to do any other business proper to be done at said election when convened.

Dated at Holt, this 23rd day of December, 1915.

A. L. Carlson,

[CORPORATE SEAL] Village Clerk.

$5.00 Toric Reading are equal to any $15.00 Glass for same purpose. C. G. MUGG, OPTOMETRIC SPECIALIST. He will be at Holt, Jan. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9.

B. L. Backe was a business caller in St. Paul, the first of the week.

Alfred Olson will grind feed on Monday and Thursday, only, come in early.

The meeting of the Free Mission Ladies Aid has been postponed until Thursday Jan. 6th. Please note change of date.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Tobiason wish to thank the Ladies Club for the presents given their family and wish them all a bright and happy New Year.

The Kennedy Star has been indicted for libeling Senator Sundberg, during the political campaign of 1914.

The T. R. Falls News Press now has a new dress throughout the whole office.

Pay for your paper.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

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Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

It looks as tho' Roseau Co. is going to withdraw from the sanitarium deal.

The Holt State Bank

wishes all its friends and patrons a Bright, Prosperous and

Happy New Year

We wish to take this opportunity of extending to our many friends and patrons our best wishes for a happy and prosperous NEW YEAR.

The liberal patronage accorded us by the people of this community the past year is sincerely appreciated by the officers and directors of this bank.

We wish to assure you of our desire to merit a continuance of past favors and confidence for

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The big farm crops show will be held in Crookston Feb. 7 to 12, but exhibits must be there Feb. 3. Between $6000 and $7000 in premiums will be given and Marshall county farmers should be there to get their share.

Happy New Year To All

We wish to thank our Friends and Customers for the very liberal patronage given us during the year 1915 and assure you we shall put forth our best endeavors to merit it's continuance during 1916.

The People's Cash Store

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Northeast of Holt

The teaches and pupils in Dist. 59 gave a fine program Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Heng and Miss Sinnott left for their respective home Thursday where they will spend the Holidays.

Miss Betty Johnson returned home Saturday to spend the Holidays.

Albert Bjerk spend Xmas' day at E. Johnson.

Dehard and Tina Johnson spent Sunday at Bjerk's.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmar Dovre spent Sunday afternoon at Christianson's.

Miss Clara Anderson of Bandette is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. C. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Christianson and children and Lizzie Hanson spent Saturday evening at O. H. Dovre's.

A Happy New Year to all.

Mrs. Martin Kolstad of Warren visited her mother Mrs. Rux and family during the holidays.

Miss Myrtle Thomas came Wednesday from Thief River Falls to visit her sisters Mesdame Backe and Sollom.

Mrs. Ollie Warner and children who have been visiting at the Risberg home, left for T. R Falls Wednesday accompanied by der brothers Fritjof and Walmer Risberg.

A bunch of young people enjoyed a sleigh ride Chrisrmas day to the home of Erick Johnson, where a delicious supper was served, and a very nice evening was enjoyed by all.

ASQUITH BLAMED FOR BLUNDERS IN BRITISH ATTACKS

LONDON NEWSPAPERS CONDEMN SLOWNESS AND MISMANAGEMENT OF THE DARDANELLES ENTERPRISE.

NO TRUCE ON CHRISTMAS AND NO HEAVY FIGHTING

English Cabinet Is Indicted for Postponement of Munitions Bill Until After Holidays—No Insight Given Into Lord Derby's Report on Recruiting Results.

London, Dec. 28.—King Constantine has telegraphed to Emperor William saying that it would be impossible to allow Bulgarian or Turkish troops to cross the Greek frontier, says the Mail's correspondent at Athens, who had interviews with the Greek ministers.

London, Dec. 28.—Christmas passed without heavy fighting anywhere on the European fronts. It passed also without a truce to give a touch of humanity to Christmas day. The United Kingdom, however, witnesses a general abandonment of the truce between the political parties, which was observed during the early months of the war and which apparently was cemented for the duration of the war when the coalition government was formed.

Attacks on Government.

The past week has seen a steady growth of the newspaper attacks on the government, the general burden of which is the slowness, the lack of foresight and decision and the mismanagement of the Dardanelles enterprise.

The newspapers generally hold Premier Asquith responsible for the conduct of affairs. The Northcliffe group, headed by the Times and the Daily Mail, with the support of the Morning Post, was joined by the Observer, which is the foremost Sunday paper, and the Referee, which has a large audience among the masses.

Munitions Bill Delayed.

The two latest counts of the indictment of the cabinet are the postponement until after the holidays of the munitions bill and the postponement of giving the country any insight into Lord Derby's report on his recruiting results. In the meantime the verdict of union labor on Mr. Lloyd George's appeal to relax union rules in munitions works to permit of the entry of 80,000 unskilled laborers is awaited with interest.

From different correspondents come various reports on the situation in the Balkans, some contending that the Bulgarians have accomplished all the territorial gains within their immediate ambitions and therefore will not move further. Other correspondents represent them as being determined to extend the boundaries to include the important port of Saloniki.

FAILS TO FIND INCAS' GOLD

U. S. Postoffice Inspector Working on Alleged Fraud in Peru, Ready to Return.

Colon, Panama, Dec. 27.—Harry A. Barber, a United States postoffice inspector, who has been in the interior of Peru trying to locate the buried treasure of the Incas, will start for Washington at once, having, it is understood, failed in his quest.

Inspector Barber was sent to Peru to investigate for the federal authorities at Wilmington, Del., the existence of a $500,000,000 placer gold deposit, which figures prominently in the McCune case in which the Duponts and other leading Delaware financiers are mentioned.

McCune, it is said, floated a large corporation on the strength of having discovered the source of the gold of the ancient Incas. He finally became involved with the postoffice department.

McCune is now at liberty under $10,000 bail, and according to Barber is in Peru again, endeavoring to locate the treasure.

Peace Societies United.

New York, Dec. 27.—The New York Peace society of which Andrew Carnegie is president, has united for "close cooperative efforts" with the American branch of the league to enforce peace, which is headed by William H. Taft, former president, according to announcement made by W. H. Short, secretary of both organizations.

Decrease in U. S. Ships.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Although the number of merchant ships under the American flag decreased during the fiscal year ending with last June, the tonnage of the merchant marine showed a record breaking increase, according to the annual report of the commissioner of navigation, just made public. On June 30, 1914, 26,943 vessels having a total gross tonnage of 7,928,688 were under American registry. A year later the number had decreased to 26,701, but the aggregate tonnage was 8,389,429.

LACKS DETAILS AS TO SINKING

U. S. ORDERS INQUIRY INTO ATTACK ON JAPANESE LINER.

Diplomatic Representations to Austria M[illegible]s Found Ameri[illegible] Aboard.

Washington, Dec. 28.—Official confirmation concerning the sinking of the Japanese liner Yasaka Maru reported to have been torpedoed without warning in the Mediterranean still is lacking here.

American consular officers stationed near the scene where the vessel was sunk have been requested to obtain accurate reports of the incident and forward them to the state department.

Should these prove that the liner with an American passenger aboard, was attacked without warning by an Austrian submarine as stated in unofficial reports, diplomatic representations to Austria-Hungary would follow.

The situation between the United States and Austria-Hungary growing out of the sinking of the Italian liner Ancona remains unchanged with the officials here awaiting the reply to the second American note now being composed by the Vienna foreign office.

G. O. P. LOOKS TO NORTHROP

Delegation of Minnesota Republicans to Ask Him to Become "Favorite Son" Candidate.

Minneapolis, Dec. 27.—A delegation of Minnesota Republicans intend to wait on Dr. Cyrus Northrop at once to ascertain from him whether he will become Minnesota's "favorite son" candidate for the Republican presidential nomination in accordance with the plan suggested by Walter N. Carroll for circumventing the presidential preference, primary law agreed upon by Republicans to be an absurd bit of election machinery.

Done in Other States.

Edward F. Smith, former lieutenant governor and former chairman of the Republican state central committee, has given Mr. Carroll's "favorite son" idea his indorsement and declares it to be just exactly what many other states are doing, notably, Massachusetts, Ohio, Iowa, Nebraska, Illinois, Michigan and Indiana.

"It already has been set forth," said Mr. Smith, "that our presidential preference primary law probably would preclude the voters of Minnesota from expressing themselves for Mr. Root, Mr. Hughes or Mr. Roosevelt, who unquestionably are the predominant men in Republican presidential consideration."

BARRED BY RESERVE BOARD

Public Office Holders Are Made Ineligible as Officers or Directors of Banks.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Public office holders and members of political party committees are made ineligible for election as officers or directors of federal reserve banks by a resolution adopted unanimously by the Federal Reserve Board.

The resolution, which was offered by Secretary McAdoo, also informs member banks of the reserve system that in the opinion of the board such persons henceforth should not act as officials or directors of the reserve banks.

The action of the board is understood to have been taken without extended discussion, the resolution being offered during the election of Class C directors of reserve banks, a task that was not completed when the session ended.

Later it was said that the action was not aimed particularly at any candidate or any director or officer now serving.

HOSPITAL SUPPLIES BARRED

Large Consignments Collected for Red Cross For Delivery to Central Powers Held.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Great Britain has suspended the issuance of permits for shipments of hospital supplies of any description from the United States to Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey. When this became known, at the same time it was learned that the state department at the instance of the American Red Cross, had made representations to the London foreign office seeking withdrawal or modification of the new order.

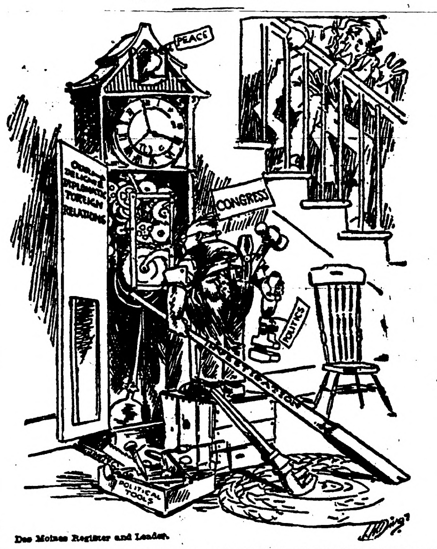
Berlin Protested Atrocities.

Boston, Dec. 24.—The German government on August 9 filed at Constantinople a protest against the Turkish treatment of Armenians, according to Dr. James L. Barton, chairman of the national committee for Armenian and Serbian relief, who has just made public the text of the protest.

Urge U. S. Border Extension.

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 27.—Announcement has been made here of a movement to bring about a change in the boundary line between the United States and Mexico by extending the present line directly west along the 31st parallel from the 111th meridian so as to take in the northern part of the Gulf of California and part of Lower California. Commercial organizations of Phoenix and other Arizona cities have sent telegrams to officials, urging their support of the movement.

JUST TINKERING



Des Moines Register and Leader.

WHITE, BLACK AND RED MEN IN RIOT

MOB BESIEGES FRONT OF COUNTY JAIL IN OKLAHOMA —THREATEN NEGROES.

200 BLACKS READY TO FIRE

Green and Foreman Accused of Slaying Neal, a Cherokee Indian Policeman, While Resisting Arrest —Militiamen Repulse Attacks.

Muskogee, Okla., Dec. 27.—While a mob of white men besieged the front of the county jail here threatening to lynch two negro prisoners, and 200 armed negroes waited across the street with the announced intention of opening fire should the mob obtain custody of the two men, the prisoners were hurried out a rear door to motors and taken from the city.

Accused of Slaying Indian.

William Green and Mathis Foreman, the prisoners, were accused of slaying Sam Neal, a policeman while resisting arrest. Neal was a Cherokee Indian.

While a race riot threatened to break out at any moment between the mob at the jail door and the negroes across the street a report that a posse of Cherokees were on their way from Tahlequah to avenge the death of their tribesman, further stirred the authorities.

Two Mobs Dispersed.

When the removal of the prisoners was announced the two mobs dispersed and nothing had been seen of the reported Indian band late at night.

The prisoners were being disguised and spirited away from the jail while Company F of the Oklahoma national guard held the mob at bay with fixed bayonets and loaded rifles.

Two determined attacks were made on the jail but the militiamen repulsed both. One of the attacks resulted in the battering down of the outer jail door, but the men in the fore front of the mob, carrying a piece of railroad rail as a battering ram, were driven back before they could reach the cell house.

ROADS GET RATE INCREASES

Western Railways Allowed to Advance Freight Charges by Second I. C. C. Decision.

Washington, Dec. 27. — Railroads west of the Mississippi river were given material increases in freight rates by the interstate commerce commission in a second decision in the so-called western advance rate cases.

Important increases granted included carload rates on agricultural implements except to points in Louisiana, carload rates on canned goods and carload rates on boots and shoes and leather between Missouri manufacturing points and points west. Increases on many miscellaneous items were allowed, but some others were held to be unjustified. The record in the case does not disclose how much additional revenue the carriers will obtain.

Engineer Blamed for Fatal Wreck.

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 27.—The second section of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western passenger train No. 9, which was rammed at Slateford by the third section of the same train, causing the death of two persons and injuries to five others, reached this city bearing the victims, who were taken to local hospitals. E. M. Rine, general superintendent of the Lackawanna, places the blame for the accident on the engineer of section No. 3, who, according to Mr. Rine, ran past signals.

FORD LEAVES FOR NEW YORK

SAILS FROM BERGEN ON NORWEGIAN LINER.

Leader of "Peace Party" States Women's International Peace Society Will Continue Expedition.

Christiania, Dec. 27.—(Via London.) —The Norwegian liner Bergensfjord, with Henry Ford on board, has sailed for New York. Mr. Ford stated before leaving Bergen that the peace expedition would continue under the auspices of the Women's International Peace Association.

Stockholm, Dec. 28.—Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissevain of New York, who has withdrawn from the Ford peace expedition presented to a public meeting of the delegates a long statement of her reasons for doing so and for believing the project was doomed to failure.

"The undemocratic method employed by the managers of the expedition is opposed to my principles," she said. "Instead of all the members formulating plans, t work has been confined to a few specially selected persons. When the party embarked on the Oscar II, I took it as for granted that the rather vague opinions of the body of delegates would be hammered into effective shape by group action and constructive thinking throughout the voyage.

Reasons for Dissensions.

"An organization was not formed until three days before the end of the voyage. To that fact I trace all misunderstandings, dissensions, mistakes in policy, inefficiency and inability to get the idea of a mediating peace congress in comprehensive shape before the public.

"At the meeting the discussions have been purely private with the result of ill-feeling, suspicion and condemnation. For the reasons stated, I am unable to continue with the party."

RECORD IN BELGIAN RELIEF

Shipments of Foodstuffs During December Establish High Mark in History of Philanthropy.

New York, Dec. 27.—Shipments of foodstuffs into Belgium during December are declared by the American commission for relief in Belgium to have established a record unparalleled in the history of philanthropy. Already 13 steamers have left American ports and by the end of the month one shipload of supplies for every day in the month will have entered Belgium or will be on its way there.

In October of this year, according to a statement issued today by Alexander J. Hempbill, treasurer of the commission, the amount collected and spent in benevolent work by the organization was $4,323,175.

School Burns; Students Flee.

Highland, N. Y., Dec. 27.—One hundred guests of the Chodikee Lake hotel and 60 students of the Raymond Riordan school were forced to flee without their personal belongings when the hotel and school buildings at Chodikee Lake, seven miles north of this village, were destroyed by fire. The blaze spread through the frame structures with great rapidity.

Changes in England, Rumor.

London, Dec. 27.—An Amsterdam dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company says that the Zeitung Am Mittag of Berlin makes a feature of a dispatch to the effect that the British cabinet is on the eve of resignation and that Premier Asquith and Foreign Secretary Grey will withdraw, while Earl Kitchener will leave the war office for Egypt.

"The new head of the government," says the newspaper, "will be Lord Haldane.

TEUTONS HOPE TO TAKE SALONIKI BY MIDDLE JANUARY

BERLIN PROMISES GREEK TERRITORY WILL BE EVACUATED AS SOON AS TASK IS FINISHED.

AUSTRIA TO TAKE LEAD IN BALKAN ACTIVITIES

Bulgarians Will Be in Vanguard of Teutonic Advance Southward, According to Athens—British Scoff at Reports of Germanic Offensive.

London, Dec. 27.—A Reuter dispatch from Athens say that Germany is reported to have informed Greece that she hopes to reach Saloniki by January 15, promising at the same time to evacuate Greek territory as soon as the task is finished.

Greek correspondents of the Paris newspapers declare that the Teutonic Allies have decided that Austria shall have the initiative in all the active measures in the Balkans and reports are also published in Paris that the Austrians are actually marching on Saloniki.

Bulgars to Lead Drive on Saloniki.

Correspondents of the Times, both in Saloniki and in Athens and the Morning Post's Athens correspondent suggest that the Bulgarians will be in the vanguard of the Teutonic advance toward Saloniki.

The Times Athens correspondent says:

"During the last few days the Bulgarians have been filling gaps in their ranks and occupying positions all along their front, while all the Bulgarian heavy guns from Varna already have reached the front. Strumitsa, where the Bulgars are assembling all their stores, will be the base from which the army will attack the Allies. Their forces now number 120,000. Reinforcements are arriving and it is stated that the attack will begin when 180,000 men have been concentrated."

The British correspondents at Saloniki scoff at the reports of an early Germanic offensive, however.

TO AVOID BREAK WITH U. S.

Vienna Sincerely Desires to Preserve Friendly Relations in Ancona Crisis, Says Dispatch.

Berlin, via London, Dec. 27.—From a highly competent non-Austrian source in Vienna, private advices have been received, taking an optimistic view of the Austro-American situation.

The Austrian government, it is declared appears to be actuated by a sincere desire to preserve friendly relations with the United States, even at a considerable sacrifice, and is endeavoring to formulate a reply to the second American note on the Ancona which the United States may deem satisfactory.

The informant expressed the belief that a settlement will positively be reached and a rupture thus avoided.

JAP STEAMER IS TORPEDOED

Liner Yasaka Maru Sunk in Mediterranean by Submarine—Passengers Saved by French Warship.

London, Dec. 24.—Recrudescence of submarine activity in the near east is signalized in a startling manner by the sinking of the new Japanese liner, Yasaka Maru, in the eastern Mediterranean. Reports just received here stated the passenger ship was torpedoed without warning.

All of the 300 persons aboard the vessel, of whom 120 were passengers, one of them being an American citizen, W. J. Leigh, were rescued by a French warship. This is one of the few instances in which a passenger liner has been torpedoed without warning in which all of those aboard were saved.

TEUTON AIRMAN DROPS BOMBS NEAR SALONIKI

Paris, Dec. 27. — An Austrian aeroplane flew to within a little more than three miles of Saloniki and dropped bombs near a village in the vicinity, according to reports from Saloniki, forwarded by the Havas correspondent at Athens. Another unconfirmed report from the same source was to the effect that a Zeppelin has been seen flying over northern Greek territory.

Wilson Remembers Young Friends.

Washington, Dec. 27.—I. H. Hoover, chief usher at the White House, who played Santa Claus there this year in the absence of President Wilson on his honeymoon trip at Hot Springs, Va., was a busy man. In a White House car loaded with presents, Hoover left for the Virginia side of the Potomac river to remember 50 little friends of the President. They live along the Washington road between the river and the Virginia club, where he often plays golf.

OBREGON AT HEAD OF NEW MEXICAN OUTBREAK, REPORT

IS LEADER IN MOVEMENT TO OUST CARRANZA ACCORDING TO SECRET INFORMATION OBTAINED BY U. S.

PRESIDENT WILSON AND ADVISORS ARE DISTURBED

Extent of Disorder Can be Judged Only by Serious Manner in Which Government Views Situation—Religious Questions May be Cause of Rebellion.

Washington, Dec. 28.—It has become known here that the United States government has secret information of a new revolutionary outbreak in Mexico, and that the president and his advisers are greatly disturbed.

The information is understood to be to the effect that General Obregon is at the head of the new movement, which has for its object the ousting of the Carranza government.

No Accurate Information.

It is supposed that this new outbreak is the result of the position of the Carranza government on the religious question. This however, is only a supposition, as there does not appear to be an accurate information of all that is behind Obregon.

The extent of the outbreak can be judged here only by the serious manner in which the government views the situation.

FRENCH SHIP TORPEDOED.

Paris, Dec. 28.—The French steamer Ville de la Ciotat, with passengers on board, was torpedoed without warning and sunk in the Mediterranean by a submarine on Dec. 24, the ministry of marine has just announced. Most of the passengers and members of the crew have been rescued. Eighty of the passengers and crew of the Ville de la Ciotat lost their lives. The remainder of the persons on board were saved.

Turks' Christmas Attacks Fail.

London, Dec. 28. — Mohammedian Turks, expecting the Christian British forces at their Mesopotamian base in KutEl-Amara would be off their guard celebrating Christmas, launched a vigorous attack against the position Saturday. The Moslems were repulsed after a hard battle and retired, leaving 600 to 800 dead and wounded on the field, according to the report of the British commander, General Townshend, just received. The casualties of the defenders was less than 200.

British mines blew Christmas trees out of the German trenches on Christmas day and sent the German soldiers running helter-skelter, Berlin asserts.

Wagon Load of Seed Worth $1,400.

Pierre, S. D., Dec. 28.—Fourteen hundred dollars for a single wagonload of farm product is apparently the record in this state. There have been record trains of grain, but these were where several wagons were pulled by a traction engine. But this was one wagon pulled by a pair of farm "dobbins," and was brought into Kennebeck by Frank Holmes in a load of white clover seed which netted 4,310 pounds, and was worth about $20 a bushel. The seed was threshed on the Caret farm in Lyman county.

Labor Legislation Body Meets.

Washington, Dec. 28. — The Ninth annual convention of the American Association for Labor Legislation opened in the Shoreham hotel today. The main topics are the La Follette law for the protection of American seamen, the New York industrial commission, health insurance for wage earners, and the progress made throughout America in industrial hygiene in relation to dangerous trades, child labor, protection for female wage earners and factory sanitation.

Convention of Civic Association.

Washington, Dec. 28.—The eleventh annual convention of the American Civic association opened here today in conjunction with the Pan-American Scientific congress. President J. Horace McFarland was in the chair. The program relates largely to small town planning, the national parks, Niagara Falls preservation and wider use of schools as community centers.

Sees Chance for Partial Success.

Stockholm, Dec. 28.—The new management of the Ford peace party is now endeavoring to close the ranks and prevent further secessions, following the withdrawal of Governor Hanna of North Dakota and Mrs. Inez Milholland Bossevain. The whole delegation probably will be called together and urged to bury the war hatchet while on the peace trail. Rev. Jenkin Lloyd-Jones believes there is still a chance for the mission's partial success if the pilgrims work in harmony from now on.

FROM ONE YEAR'S CROP HE PAID FOR HIS LAND IN WESTERN CANADA

Remarkable as are the reports of the yields of wheat in Western Canada, the marketing of which is now under way, they are none the more interesting than are those that are vouched for as to the value of this grain crop to the farmers of that country.

Some months ago the Department of the Interior, at Ottawa, Canada, wrote to those in the United States who were owners of land in Western Canada that was not producing, advising that it be put under crop. The high prices of grain and their probable continuance for some years should be taken advantage of. Cattle and all the produce of the farm commanded good figures, and the opportunity to feed the world was great, while the profits were simply alarming. The Department suggested that money could be made out of these idle lands, lands that could produce anywhere from 25 to 65 bushels of wheat per acre. A number took advantage of the suggestion. One of these was an Illinois farmer. He owned a large quantity of land near Culross, Manitoba. He decided to put one thousand acres of it under wheat. His own story, written to Mr. C. J. Broughton, Canadian Government Agent at Chicago, is interesting.

"I had 1,000 acres in wheat near Culross, Manitoba. I threshed 34,000 bushels, being an average of 34 bushels to the acre. Last Spring I sold my foreman, Mr. F. L. Hill, 240 acres of land for $9,000, or $37.50 per acre. He had saved up about $1,000, which he could buy seed with, and have the land harrowed, drilled and harvested, and put in stook or shock.

"As a first payment I was to take all the crops raised. When he threshed he had 8,300 bushels of wheat, which is worth in all $1.00 per bushel, thereby paying for all the land that was in wheat and more, too, there being only 200 acres in crop. If the 240 acres had all been in wheat he could have paid for it all and had money left."

That is a story that will need no corroboration in this year when, no matter which way you turn, you learn of farmers who had even higher yields than these.

G. E. Davidson of Manitou, Manitoba, had 36 acres of breaking and 14 acres older land. He got 2,186 bushels of wheat, over 43 bushels per acre.

Walter Tukner of Darlingford, Manitoba, had 3,514 bushels off a 60 acre field, or over 58½ bushels per acre. Forty acres was breaking and 20 acres summer fallow.

Wm. Sharp, formerly Member of Parliament for Lisgar, Manitoba, had 80 acres of wheat on his farm near Manitou, Manitoba, that went 53 bushels per acre.

One of the most remarkable yields in this old settled portion of Manitoba was that of P. Scharf of Manitou, who threshed from 15 acres the phenomenal yield of 73 bushels per acre.

These reports are but from one district, and when it is known that from almost any district in a grain belt of 30,000 square miles, yields while not as large generally as these quoted, but in many cases as good, is it any wonder that Canada is holding its head high in the air in its conquering career as the high wheat yielder of the continent? When it is pointed out that there are millions of acres of the same quality of land that has produced these yields, yet unbroken, and may be had for filing upon them as a homestead, or in some cases may be purchased at from $12 to $30 an acre from railway companies or private land companies, it is felt that the opportunity to take part in this marvelous production should be taken advantage of by those living on land much higher in price, and yielding infinitely less.—Advertisement.

A Warning.

"You had better be careful, Miss Flirty, or you will find yourself up against the law."

"Oh, what do you mean?"

"Why, you have such a killing way of shooting glances at a fellow."

Not Gray Hairs but Tired Eyes make us look older than we are. Keep your Eyes young and you will look young. After the Movies Murine Your Eyes. Don't tell your age. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

Very Much So.

"What a fresh complexion Miss Gladys has!"

"Yes; she's just put it on."

To prevent blood poisoning from a rusty nail make a prompt application of Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Adv.

Exceptions.

"Like produces like."

"Not always. Just you try to get any cold cash from a snowbank."

To Prevent the Grip

Colds Cause Grip—Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c.

Diplomacy After Midnight.

Officer—Go home.

Outlate—Gimme shafe conduct.—New York Sun.

When a horse is calked, use Hanford's Balsam to stop the bleeding and heal the wound. Adv.

It is harder to save a penny than it is to earn it.

STATE BREVITIES

Hutchinson. — The closing of the saloon at Biscay by the operation of the Dunn roadhouse law marks the end of a strenuous struggle for existence.

Bird Island. — A new co-operative creamery, substantial fruit of a movement fostered by the public schools, was opened here with a series of well attended meetings.

Winona. — Told recently that an affliction which impaired his eyesight eventually would bring total blindness, William Bartle, 40 years old, shot out both eyes. It is said he has a chance to recover.

Duluth.—W. H. Smallwood has been declared judge in the Duluth municipal court by the supreme court and W. L. Windom, who has been battling with Mr. Smallwood for the office since April, is ousted.

Duluth. — A reward of $1,000 has been offered by Thomas Furniss, proprietor of local theaters, for the arrest and conviction of the persons who, during a picture exhibition, poured offensive smelling acid on the floor.

Chatfield. — Henry Silsbee has been installed secretary of the Masonic lodge here for the 37th time. He has held the office continuously since 1878. In appreciation the lodge at its late meeting voted to double his salary.

Litchfield. — A piece of musty hardtack carried in a knapsack by her brother, Enoch Leavitt, when he marched under Colonel Buford against the famous Morgan raiders, is a memento of the civil war possesesd by Mrs. James Lowater.

Morris. — The directors of the Minnesota State Drainage association met at the agricultural school here to discuss the general purposes of the organization and to arrange for a state drainage meeting to be held in St. Paul after the holidays.

Winona. — J. H. Mullen, assistant engineer of the state highway commission, the county board, and a representative of the Doctors Mayo of Rochester, conferred here regarding improvement to an east and west highway between Dodge Center and Winona next year.

St. Paul. — Corn raised in Minnesota, in the Dakotas, in Montana, Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Wisconsin, tastefully arranged and properly classified on exhibition racks which fairly groan beneath the weight, comprises the exhibits of the First National Corn show which has just opened in St. Paul.

Duluth. — Action of the United States supreme court, which indirectly fixes the boundary line between Minnesota and Wisconsin, as the natural channel of the St. Louis river, is likely to start a fight between the two states as to the taxation rights on some valuable property which hitherto has been classed as in Minnesota.

Moorhead. — Fire broke out in the upper corridor of the new normal school building here. Painters were oiling floors and used a gasoline stove to heat the oil before spreading. The oil boiled over and a man tried to smother the fire, but smoke and flames prevented. The damage to walls and ceiling of the corridor amounts to $1,000.

Duluth. — A decision handed down by the state supreme court freed a dead man from paying damages found against him for the death of a girl killed by his auto May 8, 1914. The man was Assistant Fire Chief Fred E. Granzow, who was killed when his auto collided with another, while the chief was going to a fire on the night of Sept. 10.

Cloquet. — Mrs. Kate Kannianen, a widow, 53 years old, who made her home with her eldest son, John, on a farm near Gowan, committed suicide by hanging herself to a rafter in the barn. Suicidal mania is given by the coroner as the cause. One of her sons, 21 years of age, killed himself last spring with a rifle ball through his head and her husband hanged himself about three years ago to a tree in the woods near their home.

Brainerd. — Submitting briefs, Judge Marshall A. Spooner of Bemidji, representing International Falls liquor dealers; George A. Bangs, appearing for East Grand Forks men, and Assistant Attorney General I. S. Headley of St. Paul, representing the state, were before Judge W. S. McClenahan of the district court, thus taking an important step in the legal fight brought by interests of International Falls to overthrow the Minnesota county option law as it applies to home rule charters.

Crookston.—A dispatch from Washington says that President Wilson has signed pardons for W. F. Peterson, Otto Kilen and S. B. Gillan, former saloonkeepers of Crookston, who were sentenced at Fergus Falls in the United States court in November to 60 days in jail and a fine of $100 for shipping whisky to points in Indian dry territory. The shipments were made through ignorance, and monster petitions were forwarded by friends here asking for the pardon. Half of the sentence has been served.

Benson.—Arrangements have been completed for the home-coming and twenty-fifth anniversary celebration of the Benson High School Alumni association here Dec. 27, 28 and 29. The chief event of the first day will be a basket ball game between teams composed of alumni members, captained by Prof. C. A. Pederson, '05, and Dr. Leon G. Smith, '04, of Montevideo.

Jackson. — The Jackson Commercial club has inaugurated a booster campaign for membership and fifteen new members have just been added to the club. A total of 100 members by January 1 is the aim.

ORDER MAY CAUSE BIG LEGAL BATTLE

REDUCTION OF FIRE INSURANCE RATES SUBJECT OF CONFERENCE IN CHICAGO.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Insurance men and state officials saw omens of a legal battle between the two in the trip of State Insurance Commissioner Samuel G. Works and Walter I. Fisher, manager of the General Inspection company, which fixes fire insurance rates for the entire state, to Chicago. A conference is said to have taken place there in which there was an effort to effect a compromise on a situation that has grown out of an order by the commissioner, reducing the fire rates for northern and northwestern Minnesota.

The order causes a reduction of as much as 40 per cent on some classes of property and the companies are said to be preparing to resist the order in the court.

When the order reducing rates in northern and northeastern Minnesota followed another order reducing the rates on grain elevator insurance, there were rumors of a war. Many said that the companies were preparing to fight.

Then, after Mr. Works and Mr. Fisher had left for Chicago, it was said that representatives of insurance companies were to meet there and talk over the situation.

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State Fair Big Success.

Every dollar the state has put in its great fair has been returned with better than compound interest, $2.60 for every $1 being the exact ratio, according to John C. Simpson, secretary of the Minnesota State Agricultural society, who uses the figures in his annual report to Governor W. S. Hammond.

The fairgrounds at Hamline represent a value of $1,713,780, of which $929,937 represents the value of the land, covering more than 300 acres; $721,856 the value of the buildings, $25,117 the electrical plant and $36,790 the personal property. Included in the assets should be the $16,627 on deposit with the state treasurer, representing the net proceeds of the 1915 fair.

"The greatest educational institution in the state," as Mr. Simpson calls the fair, in 1915 was the most successful the state ever has managed, having more new features and more exhibits than any of its predecessors.

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Treasurer Handles Millions.

The business handled in the office of Walter J. Smith, state treasurer, during the year ending July 31, 1915, was the largest in amount in the history of the state. Receipts and disbursements have been mounting slowly year by year until they have grown in the last forty years from $2,014,113.94 during 1875 to $45,439,690.38.

The largest single account handled by the state is the general revenue fund. During the last fiscal year there was a total of $12,107,656.04 turned into the fund. This large amount was paid out about as quickly as it came in. During the year the total disbursements from the revenue fund were $11,609,916.42. Of this amount $2,019,256.54 was paid out as special aid to the public schools and for administering the special school aid. The remainder of the revenue fund was used to meet the expenses of state government.

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State Gladdens Wards.

Ten thousand wards of the state of Minnesota were gladdened at Christmas time, as the state board of control placed this order for Christmas goodies:

Two and a half tons of candles, a like amount of nuts, [illegible] gallons of oysters, 10 barrels of cranberries, half a ton of bananas and 40 cases of oranges.

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La Bar Gets New Trial.

Dan La Bar, alleged [illegible] of the Palace court gang of "wire tappers," convicted in Hennepin county district court of swindling, will have to be tried again. The state supreme court has reversed the lower court, and granted Le Bar a new trial on the ground of prejudicial errors by the trial court in the admission of testimony.

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Rate Point Order Delayed.

The common rate point order of the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission, scheduled to go into effect January 1, will not become operative until February 1 as a result of an oral stipulation made in District Judge J. C. Michael's court.

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Ruling May Stop P[illegible]

The ruling of Attorney General Smith that the Board of Regents of the State University cannot be tampered with by the legislature probably will put a damper on the plans of some members of the Efficiency and Economy Commission to create one central board to have charge of all the educational institutions of the state, and may interfere with the plan to have one purchasing agency for all the state institutions, since the university would be exempt from such a provision.

HARD LUCK HITS BUSY BURGLAR

Illustrates Conditions Under Which Leading Second-Story Workers Are Striving.

SOFT FOR THE POLICE

After Getting Away With Suitcase in Taxicab Burglar Checks It at Hotel Where Owner Is Stopping.

New York.—The way luck is breaking against conscientious union burglars these days they might just as well go to work or else issue invitations to the police department when they arrange an evening of diverting crime.

As evidence of the perfectly abominable conditions under which some of our leading second-story workers are striving just hearken to the rough deal fate handed to Edward Winkler, thirty-seven years old, who says he is a salesman.

According to the yarn which the police says he spun for them Winkler possessed himself of a suitcase containing $300 worth of jewelry, some French lingerie and a new hat belonging to Mrs. Mabel Connors. He entered Mrs. Connors' apartment, according to the police, by means of a key known in police parlance as "a skeleton."

Suitcase Disappears.

Mr. William V. Dee of Bridgeport, Conn, newly arrived in New York, on his way to the Hermitage hotel, halted the taxicab in which he was riding in front of the Automat restaurant in Sixth avenue, near Forty-second street. While he was inside his suitcase disappeared, and he reported the matter to the police and bewailed the affair to the Hermitage hotel clerk.

Mr. Dee, passing the Hermitage hotel check room on his way to breakfast, espied a familiar looking suitcase. It was his. He identified it, and under the eye of the manager opened it. Previously he had told the manager about having silver mounted military brushes and some new shirts in that missing grip. So it was natural that when he opened it and found that he was looking into some pale blue lingerie there were some snickers of amusement behind him.

Bemoans Hard Luck.

Once more the police were notified, and Detectives O'Connell and McLaughlin took up their posts near the check room, waiting for the man who checked the grip to put in his appearance. Winkler entered. He was arrested and taken to Second branch detective bureau.

Was Looking Into Some Pale Blue Lingerie.

"Say," he asked, "how many hotels are there in New York?"

"About two thousand or more," said O'Connell.

After calling on profanity to its bitterest depths, Winkler concluded:

"And to think I picked out the one this guy was staying at to check his grip!"

Mrs. Connors identified her possessions, but missed the hat and some silk stockings.

"I gave 'em to my sweetheart," Winkler explained.

WIFE HAS RIGHT TO TANGO

Justice Sustains Assault Charge Against Husband Who Boxed Wife's Ears.

Peekskill, N. Y.—Police Justice C. E. [illegible] Frane of Mount Kisco, near here, settled a dispute between Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Osborne of Mohegan concerning whether she has a right to tango despite his objection. The justice ruled that she has.

Mr. Osborne rebuked his wife for going to a dance in Mount Kisco. When she insisted tangoing was one of a wife's privileges, she alleges, he cuffed her ears. She summoned him to court and asked the justice if she hadn't a right to tango if she wished. Winning her point, she laid a complaint of assault against her husband.

Mr. Osborne was found guilty and placed upon probation for six months. Mrs. Osborne chuckled, boasting as she left court that she will dance how it she pleases.

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Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne now heads the list as a successful remedy for the relief of headache, nervousness, insomnia, car sickness, etc.

The dangerous tablet has had its day. Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne is a harmless, refreshing, fragrant preparation, marvelous in its action, relieving nervousness, sleeplessness, exhaustion and all head and nerve ailments by external use and inhaling. It is not a nerve food, but a nerve soother. By giving the nerves a rest they furnish their own food and tone, and all nerve pains disappear.

For children's colds and catarrh it is just the remedy, harmless and efficient and so pleasant to use. For men a pleasant remedy to relieve and clear the head "the morning after the night before." This is not an expensive preparation at 50 cents a bottle, because it brings the relief. It has many imitators at less price, but if they do not bring the desired results they are not cheap at any price.

Get Hoyt's and you will be satisfied. For sale at all drug stores.

Absent-Minded Physician.

"So you're going to get a new family doctor in place of your old medical adviser, Mina, dear?"

"Oh, yes, he is too absent-minded for me. The other day he was examining me with the stethoscope, and while he was listening he suddenly called out: 'Hello, who's this speaking?'"—New York American.

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Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Resourceful Tailor.

"Haven't you any larger checks?"

"No," said the tailor, "these are the largest I have."

"I fear you have not a very extensive line of cloth."

"These are about as large as checks come in cloth. I might possibly make you up a vest out of linoleum."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00. —Adv.

In Willie's Dream.

"Wasn't that a funny dream I had last night!" said little Willie to his mother.

"Why, what did you dream, dear?" she asked him.

"Why, you know; you went with me everywhere," was his reply.

For nail wounds use Hanford's Balsam. Get it to the bottom of the wound. Adv.

What a contemptible weakness charity is, when it is shown for the faults of those we dislike.

For deep cuts use Hanford's Balsam. Get it to the bottom of the wound. Adv.

Lies are popular because plenty of people would rather believe them than the truth.

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Sparing Their Feelings.

"I presume you keep in close touch with your constituents?"

"Oh, yes," replied the statesman. "I find that quite necessary."

"But you surely don't let them do your thinking for you?"

"Certainly not. I act according to my own judgment, but when I know how they feel about certain matters it is easier for me to prepare a speech that will act as as sort of shock-absorber."

Piles Relieved by First Application

And cured in 6 to 14 days by PAZO OINTMENT, the universal remedy for all forms of Piles. Druggists refund money if it fails. 50c.

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"Do you promise to love, honor and cherish this woman?"

"Yes," said the politician. "Whatever the platform is, I subscribe to it."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Professional Habit.

"Why do you snub that young dentist who calls on you so?"

"Because he gets on my nerves."

Be prepared for accidents by having a bottle of Hanford's Balsam on hand. Adv.

If a fool is happy in his folly he should worry. Very few wise men are as lucky.

Soreness removed by Hanford's Balsam, applied thoroughly. Adv.

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The state fire marshall warns people, especially merchants, to watch for fires doing the Christmas season. Many Christmas things take fire easily and there is great danger, so everyone is urged to be very careful.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.10
Wheat No. 2	1.06
Wheat No. 3	1.00
Wheat No. 4	.93
Flax	2.03
Oats	34
Barley	46 to .51
Rye	.82
Flour, Best Patent	3.55

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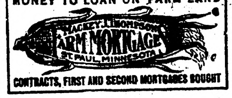

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 30th, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Benjamin Waldnes, of Golden Valley, Minnesota, who, on August 21st 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08406 for SE 1-4 Section 26, Twp. 156 N., Range 41, W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 3rd day of January, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole Tronsdahl, Rudolph Dahl, Clarence Larson and Carl Dahl, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Dec. 2, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Rose Miller of Germantown, Minn., who on May 19, 1914, made Homestead Entry No. 010747, for SE 1-4 Sec. 8, Twp. 155 N. Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 12th day of Jan. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole Kirkley, of Goodridge, Minn., S. Larson, Joseph Voikock and J. F. Voikock, all of Germantown, Minn., Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

East Valley News.

The best wishes of this community are for a coming year of prosperity, health and happiness.

The shortest day of the year is past. From now on the days will begin to lengthen and the cold will begin to strengthen.

The pupils made holly wreaths, reindeer and candle borders for Xmas decorations, also poinsettias and chrysanthemums.

School closed Thursday Dec. 23rd. for a week's vacation.

A large crowd was in attendance at the Christmas tree in the East Valley school house Saturday evening.

Christmas services were held at Rev. Ordahl's Christmas Day at which the infant daughters of Rev. and Mrs. Ordahl and Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Birkeland were baptised.

Mrs. Karen Knutson is enjoying a visit during the holidays of her nephews, the Messrs. Moe.

Mrs. Carl Surmo has returned to her home after a two weeks stay at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Anderson of Rollis visited her sister Miss Caroline Johnson Saturday.

Clara and Oscar Garthus are spending their Xmas vacation with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson near Holt.

A. C. Jahr is at home after a week's visit with relatives in North Dak.

Miss Mabel Fosen, teacher in the Seventh Grade at Cambridge Minn. is spending her Xmas. vacation with relatives here.

Pete Olson of Roseau county, is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. M. Jahr.

O. Garthus has had a siege of the grip the past week.

Axel Nelson is a frequent visiter at the O. B. Johnson home.(? ? ?)

The long needed clock and waste basket for the school house has arrived and will be initiated when school opens after the holidays.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Anderson, mother of Mrs. O. B. Johnson, is improving nicely.

Our mail Carrier, Mr. Tollefesrud has found it more convenient after the recent snowfall to change his mail route from the grade to the ditch. Hence the mail boxes have been moved into the ditch.

Southeast of Holt.

Several people from this locality are sick with the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson very pleasantly entertained a number of their friends on Sunday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charley L. Heinze, sons Harry and Frank, Mr. and Mrs. E. Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Klungnes were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Olsen on Xmas day.

Amund Sordahl of Scotsguard, Sask, is enjoying a pleasant visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Sordahl.

Targe and Amund Sordahl spent Sunday eve at Moe's.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Olsen and children were visitors at the Sordahl home Thursday.

John Olsen was fortunate in shooting a wolf recently.

Ludwig Olsen called on Owen Johnson, Xmas day.

Hildur Carlson is spending the holidays with her parents at Warren.

A number of young people spent Saturday evening at A. Klungness.

All the teachers and pupils in this locality are enjoying a pleasant vacation during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Einas Olsen and son Glen of Scotsguard, Sask. are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Groven.

Miss Anna Johnson of Fargo, N. Dak., is visiting with relatives in this locality.

Ole Halsa has returned from Canada where he has proved up on a homestead.

Harry and Sam Moe were among the many who attended the Xmas tree and program at Green Stump Lake. They were accompanied home by their aunt, Mrs. K. Knutson, who will visit at the Moe home a few days.

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WE AIM TO PLEASE

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Thursday
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I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

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Steiner News.

Miss Frances Riedl made a trip to T. R. Falls on the afternoon train.

Mr. Russell has been hauling wood the past week.

Mrs. Borden and children spent Xmas. at the Roger home.

Nathaniel Muzzy returned from Canada, where he as been the past two years.

Mr. Koglin made a business trip to T. R. Falls the last part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Meyers and daughter Esther spent Xmas. in T. R. Falls with Mrs. Lamb.

Misses Sarah anp Augusta Swanson returned home from their schools.

Cyrus Malberg made a trip to T. R. Falls Thursday.

Slavery Originated in the East.

Absolute slavery seems to have appeared in the eastern colonies somewhat earlier than in the southern, for slavery existed in New York in 1628, in New Jersey in 1628, in Massachusetts in 1630, in Connecticut in 1631 and in Delaware in 1636. There was a statutory recognition of slavery in Massachusetts in 1641, which was considerably ahead of such recognition of slavery in Virginia or Maryland.

What Gives Milk Its Color.

Recent experiments show that the color of milk is chiefly due to the presence of carotin, a coloring matter found abundantly in green plants, especially in grass. The yellow pigments of our bodies also consist of carotin, which is probably derived chiefly from our food.

The Best Attachment.

Boys in forming life attachments should not overlook the association of that fellow, Will Power.—Omaha Bee.

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A. C. Jahr. Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Risberg entertained Sunday at a delicious spreap, Mr. and Mrs. D. Payne and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden and family, Miss Bety Johnson and H. Pevek.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Oct. 1915.

Cream received	10,106 lbs
Average test	28.51
Butter fat	2881.30 lbs
Percent overrun	22 97
Butter made	3543 lbs
Balance on hand last month	70
Received for butter shipped	869 05
Butter and milk sold patrons	7 17
Cash sales at creamery	38 29
Total	$915 21
Paid patrons by check	735 59
" " " Butter & milk	7 17
Expense fund, etc.	124 65
To sinking fund	20 75
Balance on hand	27 05
Total	$915 21

Number of patrons, 80
Price paid for butter fat, 26c

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Thief River Falls. Route No. 2

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kisch and family and Mr. and Mrs. A. Steinhauer and son Adolph, visited at M. Johnson's Monday evening.

Carl Larson and daughters Ragna and Clara spent Christmas at C. Hienze's

A number of young people spent a very enjoyable evening at C. Hoffman's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Heinze and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erickson and Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe spent Sunday at the Carl Larson home.

Miss Hildur Carlson left for Warren on Friday morning where she will spend her Xmas vacation at her home.

Miss Elizabeth Hoffman arrived from Thief River Falls on Friday to spend her Christmas vacation with her parents Mr. Mrs. C. Hoffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mattson were entertained at the W. Wendt home on Saturday evening.

Miss Minnie Ekre from Oklee-all Minn. came on Monday to visit at the C. Larson home.

A large number of people attended the Xmas tree and program in the Manor school on Wednesday evening.

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Stand by your home paper --- The Weekly News.

We Deeply Thank Our Friends for the Good Will accorded us during the past season and it is Our Sincere Wish that the Dawning of the New Year may bring You a Full Share of Happiness and Prosperity.

Heartily,
D. Payne Lumber Co.

Local Items

If you want Flour and Feed, cheap, go to R. Reierson

Dr. J. T. Turley, the dentist, will be at the hotel, Thursday Jan. 13th.

Olof and Leonard Dahl left Tuesday for a few weeks visit in Minneapolis and at Carpenter, Ia.

Rev. F. D. McMartin will preach in English at the Free Mission church next Tuesday evening Jan. 11th. at 8 o'clock. Everyone invited.

Alfred Olson will grind feed on Mondays and Thursdays, only. Bring in your grain early, to get your feed back the same day. Good work done.

Erick Johnson returned home Tuesday from a couple of months sojourn in sunny California and finds we are having a genuine winter here.

Joe Nelson went to Crookston Tuesday to take in the town and also enjoy the play "Birth of a Nation." He expects to return home Monday.

Steps are being taken to unite Marshall, Roseau, Pennington, Red Lake and Kittson counties and build a tuberculosis sanitarium at Thief River Falls.

The Holt public school will open again next Monday. Miss Christine Saastad has been employed to assist the other teachers who have more than eighty pupils at present. Miss Saastad will also have some separate classes and the library will be used temporarily as a class room.

Mud Lake Lands To Be Opened Next Spring

Following is a copy of a letter recently received by Congressman Steenerson from the U. S, Land Office, which explains the opening of the Mud Lake lands.

Honorable Halvor Steenerson,
House of Representatives.

My dear Congressman Steenerson:

In response to your recent inquiry I have to advise you that the present plan is to open Mud Lake Bottom in Marshall County Minnesota, in the same manner as other ceded Chippewa Indan lands.

Said lake bottom is within the limits of the former Red Lake Reservation, and was drained by ditches connected with the state projects. The matter was submitted to the Attorney General of the United States, who rendered an opinion that lands should be disposed of for the benefit of the Indians. They have been accordingly surveyed and the present prospects is that the lands will be opened to settlement and entry (under the homestead laws) the coming spring.

Very respectfully,
C. M. Bruce,
Assistant Commissioner.
General Land Office.

Mrs. Eli Rolland of T. R. Falls, Mrs. Erickson of Randan, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mattson and father, Miss Gustivson and Arthur Olson visited at Racine Olson's New Years Day.

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Few Children's Overcoats and all Men's, Ladies and Children's Sweaters at	1-2 Price One-Half Regular Price.

Entire Stock of Rubbers and Overshoes will be offered at 20 per cent Reduction.

Besides Items quoted in our Circular sent you, we have hundred other Bargains in our Store--- Don't miss this Sale.

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Ringbo Rumbles.

Eli Saastad called at Ole Davidson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Orcutt came from Thief River Falls last Friday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Orcutt's parents and other relatives.

Quite a crowd attended the meeting in the church conducted by Rev. Erederson on Christmas day.

Martin Davidson is on the sick list at this writing.

Messrs Martin and Oliver Grandahl and Misses Alma Sorter and Esther Moe spent a pleasant Christmas day at Ole Davidson's.

Messrs Edward and Ludvig Knutson visited at Ole Davidson from Friday evening till Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Orcutt left for Thief River Falls last Monday after spending a few days with relatives.

The Christmas tree and program was attended by a big crowd last Friday evening. Everybody reports a good time. The program was a success in every way.

Pete Sater called at Ole Davidson's Sunday.

Flora Supreme.

[illegible] the product of artificial [illegible] are so largely as that of the [illegible] the country garden, the fence rows, the first roses, the daffodils, the arbutus which blooms under the hillside leaves, the first buds of the rhododendrons and the other forms [illegible] falling of the life blood drawn direct from the earth, while poor mankind has to take all second hand.

TRADE REVIVAL IN WESTERN CANADA

Not a Myth but an Actuality Shown in the Returns of Agricultural Statistics and Every Department of Trade and Commerce.

The trade revival in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta is an actuality and not a myth. There is today a spirit of optimism in the air, just as two years ago there prevailed the opposite spirit of pessimism.

A general trade revival has been felt in every department of business in the Prairie Provinces. The agriculturists are in better shape than they have ever been before in their lives. No farmers of any country are in better financial condition and in a more general state of prosperity than are the farmers of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. The farmers have harvested a record crop—a crop which enriches them to the extent of something over $400,000,000.

In the cities the prosperity of the country has been reflected. Everywhere business is on the hustle. The wholesalers and the retailers and the implement dealers find business good. The banks and other collection houses find collections satisfactory, and financial men declare that westerners are paying up their debts. In Winnipeg the bank clearings have been the largest in history, exceeding some weeks the figures of Montreal and Toronto. The grain shipments have been the biggest in the history of Winnipeg and in the history of the twin ports, Fort William and Port Arthur. The mail order houses have had a big year, the rush of fall orders exceeding all previous years and taxing the capacity of these establishments, whose most sanguine expectations have been exceeded by the actual business done.

The tide has turned in western Canada. The people of the West are forging ahead, forging ahead in actual production and in creation of wealth, giving generously to charitable and other funds, paying up their back debts, while going along carefully as regards any creation of new debts. They are economizing but not scrimping, acting cautiously but not miserly. The financial heads of eastern Canada, of the United States and of Europe are no longer criticizing western Canada: rather they are unstintedly offering their praise and their compliments. The financial press recognizes that the tide has turned in western Canada, and it has been published to the world.

The condition of western Canada at the close of 1915 is one of optimistic prosperity, backed by the same determination of western people to go on increasing their productiveness and maintaining the records which they have already established.

The trade revival of western Canada is the happiest feature in the business survey of the whole Dominion for 1915 and in the outlook for 1916.—Advertisement.

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"What do you mean by that?"

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Says Too Much Meat Forms Uric Acid Which Clogs the Kidneys and Irritates the Bladder.

Most folks forget that the kidneys like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless, inexpensive, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.—Adv.

Oh, Very Well!

Biggs—What is your idea of the longevity of the ancients?

Diggs—Well, I think being an ancient must have been a healthful occupation.

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EPITOME OF EVENTS

PARAGRAPHS THAT PERTAIN TO MANY SUBJECTS.

ARE SHORT BUT INTERESTING

Brief Mention of What Is Transpiring in Various Sections of Our Own and Foreign Countries.

WAR NEWS.

The British house of commons voted a bill providing for the raising of an extra 1,000,000 men for the army.

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The German reichstag adopted the credit of 10,000,000,000 marks asked by the government, the Socialist minority of 19 opposing the vote, according to a Berlin dispatch.

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London reports the capture of Varna, Bulgaria's chief Black sea port, by the Russians. It says the bombardment of the Russians silenced the Bulgarian guns and laid the town in ruins.

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Count Stephen Tisza, Hungarian premier, in the House of Magnates at Budapest discussed the probable duration of the war. He said the length of the conflict depended on those who started it.

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The British announce the withdrawal of troops from Gallipoli. English military authorities declare the prospect of forcing a way to Constantinople through the Dardanelles is apparently relinquished.

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Only 50,000 Serb troops escaped from Serbia, and of these 10,000 perished in Albanian mountains, says Sofia report. Bulgars captured 45,000 railroad trucks laden with war munitions and provisions.

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Enormous quantities of ammuntion, cannon and tents were taken by the Turks on the withdrawal of the British from the positions evacuated on the Gallipoli peninsula, it was officially announced in a Turkish headquarters' report from Constantinople.

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The Gounaris party of Greece, supporting King Constantine's neutrality program, was returned to power by large majorities in elections held recently. The "war party" supporters of former Premier Venizelos generally abstained from voting, on the ground that the election was illegal.

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The death at Hanover, Germany, of General Von Emmich, the conqueror of Liege, is announced in a report from Berlin. General Von Emmich was commander of the Tenth army corps. He figured prominently in the early events of the war, being in command of the German troops which invaded Belgium.

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More than 4,000,000 of the population of Poland are destitute and entirely dependent upon soup kitchens, where there is issued to reach each applicant a small loaf of bread and a pint of soup daily, according to William H. Hamilton of the American mercy and relief committee, who arrived in New York recently.

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A grand "dusting off," largely through hand-to-hand encounters, is planned by Great Britain for next spring, according to Major H. G. Mayes, who arrived from England. Major Mayes, who is to take charge of bayonet and physical drill at Quebec, said Great Britain will have 4,000,000 trained and equipped men in the field early next year.

GENERAL

[illegible] men were drowned in Chesapeake bay when the oyster sloop Lady Harrington, of Oxford, capsized and sank in a gale of wind and rain.

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The head offices of the Woodmen of the World in Omaha distributed something over $3,500 in cash among 410 field men and 300 office employes. The money paid was in the nature of a Christmas gift.

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The population of Massachusetts was 3,693,310 on April 1, according to an official announcement of the decennial census taken by the state bureau of statistics at Boston. The total keeps the state in sixth place in population rank, and is greater by 326,894 than the count made five years ago.

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A total of 1,213,762 head of sheep valued at $5,600,000, were shipped out of New Mexico in the fiscal year ending November 30, according to a report to the governor of the sheep sanitary board at Santa Fe.

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An enormous increase of $[illegible] in net earnings reported by the Southern Pacific Railway Co. for the month of November, is the largest gain for any one month in the company's history. Gross earnings increased $3,506,000.

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[illegible] all the heaviest mail that ever has passed through the Chicago post office in a single day, was handled December 21.

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Sweden is experiencing the severest cold of the last 150 years. The temperature at some points has fallen to 62 degrees below zero.

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Resolutions favoring a non-partisan tariff commission were adopted by the National Association of Master Bakers at a special meeting at Chicago.

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City Attorney Ewing filed suits against five former Nashville, Tenn., city officials and their bondsmen for the recovery of $290,555, alleged to be due the city.

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Quarantine against livestock shipments from Illinois and New York has been re-established, according to announcement of the state livestock board in Denver.

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County officials at Klamath county, Oregon, raised the bounty on dead coyotes to $2.75 in a campaign by Oregon, California, Idaho and Nevada authorities to stamp out rabies in the adjoining counties of the several states.

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White and negro friends of the late Booker T. Washington, negro educator, have started a popular subscription for the purchase of building and site in Chicago which will be named the Booker T. Washington memorial and used as a social center and industrial training school for negro children of that city.

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Formulation of the requests of railway engineers, firemen and trainmen for an eight-hour day and time and a half for overtime was completed by the committee having the matter in charge at Chicago. The requests will be mailed to the brotherhood members for their approval. Result of the vote will not be known before January 10.

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Congress has been asked to appropriate $7,500 to purchase the suit of clothes Abraham Lincoln wore the night of his assassination at Ford's theater in 1865. Representative Roberts of Massachusetts, has introduced a bill to acquire the relic, owned by a Washington man, for the Lincoln memorial.

SPORTING.

Riche Mitchell, Milwaukee lightweight boxer, outpointed Bennie Palmer of Memphis in a ten-round bout in Milwaukee.

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After several weeks of conferences, baseball officials were forced to admit that peace between the Federal league and organized baseball is far from being consummated.

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The Denver Revolver club team finished second, with 732 points, in the military revolver match of the United States revolver association in New York City. The event was won by the Pennsylvania state police team, with 758 points.

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Mike Gibbons of St. Paul, Minn., and Young Ahearn of Brooklyn have been offered the date of January 18 by the management of the Capital City Atheletic club of St. Paul, for the ten-round fight scheduled originally for December 10, but which was postponed because of Gibbons illness.

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The base ball "war," which for more that two years has been in progress between the Federal league and Organized Base Ball, the National and American, and all minor leagues conducted under supervision of the National commission, ended when members of both organizations signed a peace protocol which brought to an end the career of the Federal league at Cincinnati, Ohio.

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In a detailed report the state wide vice commission of Baltimore named by Governor Goldborough in January, 1913, shows there are institutions in Baltimore to which the mother of an illegitimate child may consign her offspring upon the payment of an agreed sum and forever rid herself of it. Of the hundreds of children so taken in charge by the institutions the commission avers that 80 to 90 per cent die and are buried in small plots of grounds, one such plot, fifty-five feet square, having been the tomb of 5,000 babies since 1886.

WASHINGTON

The British embassy announced that permission had been granted by the British government for exportation from Jamaica to the United States of dye wood shipments aggregating 4,000 tons.

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The American navy should be "equal to the most powerful maintained by any other nation of the world" not later than 1925, in the opinion of the navy general board, headed by Admiral Dewey.

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Public office holders and members of political party committees are made ineligible for election as officers or directors of federal reserve banks by a resolution adopted, unanimously, by the federal reserve board.

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The State department has been advised Great Britain has suspended the issuance of permits for shipments of hospital supplies of any description from the United States to Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey.

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The American Red [illegible] to Secretary Lansing a petition from the citizens' committee for food shipments, asking that safe conduct be obtained from the entente allies for shipments of milk for babies in Germany and Austria.

BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK "CASCARETS"

Gently cleanse your liver and sluggish bowels while you sleep.

Get a 10-cent box.

Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Adv.

No Occasion for Boasting.

"I hear Mamie trowed you down."

"Aw, she needn't brag. I been trowed down by better girls dan Mamie."—Life.

At a Theatrical Lodgings.

Servant—Oh, mum! The Zeppelins 'ave come!

Old Lady—Well, tell 'em we've already let the rooms to the Brothers Egbert!—London Opinion.

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She Didn't Smile.

The young woman had spent a busy day.

She had browbeaten 14 salespeople, bullyragged a floorwalker, argued victoriously with a milliner, laid down the law to a modiste, nipped in the bud a taxi chauffeur's attempt to overcharge her, made a street car conductor stop the car in the middle of a block for her, discharged her maid and engaged another, and otherwise refused to allow herself to be imposed upon.

Yet she did not smile that night when a young man begged:

"Let me be your protector through life!"

British Official Organ.

The London Gazette is not quoted for its opinions. Probably few people out of England have heard of it, and yet it is one of the oldest of English newspapers, and in staid fashion is just now celebrating its two hundred and fiftieth anniversary. It is the official organ of the British government, devoted solely to the publication of government announcements. Usually it appears only twice a week on Tuesday and Friday. In these war times "extras" are often required. It contains the official lists of the killed and wounded, the names of those mentioned in dispatches, the record of promotions and such information as is now eagerly sought. Its regular editions sell for a shilling each—24 cents. Its "extras" for four pence—eight cents.

LACK OF MONEY

Was a Godsend in This Case.

It is not always that a lack of money is a benefit.

A lady in Ark. owes her health to the fact that she could not pay in advance the fee demanded by a specialist to treat her for stomach trouble. In telling of her case she says:

"I had been treated by four different physicians during 10 years of stomach trouble. Lately I called on another who told me he could not cure me; that I had neuralgia of the stomach. Then I went to a specialist who told me I had catarrh of the stomach and said he could cure me in four months, but would have to have his money down. I could not raise the necessary sum and in my extremity I was led to quit coffee and try Postum.

"The results have been magical. I now sleep well at night, something I had not done for a long time; the pain in my stomach is gone and I am a different woman.

"Every time I had tried to stop coffee I suffered from severe headaches, so I continued to drink it, although I had reason to believe it was injurious to me. But when I had Postum to shift to it was different.

"To my surprise I did not miss coffee when I began to drink Postum.

"Coffee had been steadily and surely killing me and I didn't fully realize what was doing it until I quit and changed to Postum." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

WILSON ABANDONS HONEYMOON WHEN NEW CRISIS LOOMS

LEAVES FOR WHITE HOUSE TO ASSUME CHARGE OF SITUATION CAUSED BY SUBMARINE CAMPAIGN.

CONSULS ARE ORDERED TO GATHER AFFIDAVITS

Secretary Lansing Instructs Ambassador Penfield at Vienna to Ask Austria For Any Information Which Might Establish Identity of Persia's Assailant.

Washington, Jan. 4.—President Wilson has cut short his honeymoon and was expected back at the White House Tuesday morning to assume charge of the new crisis in foreign relations caused by the submarine campaign in the Mediterranean with loss of American lives. He reached this decision upon learning of the sinking of the Glengyle and other steamers Monday.

In the meantime Secretary Lansing announced he had instructed Ambassador Penfield at Vienna to ask the Austrian government for any information which might establish the nationality of the submarine which is said to have sunk the Persia and which would develop the facts in the case.

To Notify Belligerents.

Secretary Lansing said some action would be taken to formally notify Turkey and Bulgaria of the attitude of the United States toward submarine warfare, so that all the Central Power belligerents operating in the Mediterranean might not be uninformed.

After conferences over the telephone between the President and Secretary Tumulty and Secretary Lansing it was announced at the White House, and also at Hot Springs, Va., that the President would start back to Washington, arriving about 7 o'clock in the morning, Tuesday.

During the forenoon Baron Zweidinek, charge of the Austrian embassy, called on Secretary Lansing and asked that judgment be withheld until all the facts were known and expressed his belief that a final explanation would be satisfactory. He also sought any available information for the benefit of his government.

Would Give Satisfaction.

Baron Zweidenik also assured Secretary Lansing that if it were proved that an Austrian submarine had sunk the Persia his government would give full reparation and satisfaction.

It was stated authoritatively that the destruction of the British liner Persia, with loss of American life, and that the destruction of the British ship, Glengyle had put such a grave aspect on the relations of the United States with the Teutonic powers that the President considered it necessary to return to the White House at once for conferences with Secretary Lansing and the other members of the cabinet to shape the course of the government.

STEAMER GLENGYLE IS SUNK

British Merchantman Is Third Largest Submarine Victim—Torpedoed in Mediterranean Sea.

London, Jan. 4.—The British steamship St. Oswald has been sunk.

London, Jan. 4.—The big Glasgow steamer Glengyle, the largest British merchantman submarine victim of the war, excepting the Lusitania and Arabic has been torpedoed and sunk, it was announced, in the Mediterranean en route from the far east to Italy.

The Glengyle had on board about 120 persons, passengers and crew. All, with the exception of three Europeans and seven Chinese, were landed. So far as is known no Americans were on board.

News of the sinking of the big Glasgow steamer reached here while the admiralty was bending every effort to learn more details of the sinking of the British liner Persia with a loss of about 250 lives.

A moment later came word that the Japanese steamer Kenkoku Maru, owned by the Inuni Gomei Kaisha Shipping company, had been torpedoed. The crew, it was stated, was saved.

It also was reported that several more shipping firms will announce suspension of sailings through the Suez canal within 24 hours as the result of increased activity by submarines. Because of the sinking of the Persia and the Glengyle, it was predicted that insurance rates on shipping through the Mediterranean will be lifted until they are prohibitive.

Party to Pass Through Germany.

Copenhagen, Jan. 4.—The German government has granted the Ford peace expedition permission to travel to The Hague through Germany by special train. The final arrangements for the trip were made through the German consulate at Copenhagen, who after consultation with Berlin, announced his government was willing for the mission to proceed through German territory. This privilege was granted despite the refusal of the American state department to extend the passports.

Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside; no sour bile to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well-known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your druggist or at the store. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except a sourish tinge which is not unpleasant. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became saturated with an accumulation of body poisons, begin this treatment and above all, keep it up! As soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast, act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.—Adv.

Not Much Difference.

There had been several little shortages in the petty cash, and at last the partners in a certain firm set a trap for the pilferer.

It succeeded. The culprit was the office boy. The junior partner was so incensed that he wanted to call in the police and give the lad in charge without further delay.

But the senior partner was a kind old man. He took a more humane view of the situation.

"No, no, Smith!" he said gently. "Let us always remember that we began in a small way, too!"

SYRUP OF FIGS FOR A CHILD'S BOWELS

It is cruel to force nauseating, harsh physic into a sick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Adv.

German Music Is Barred.

In Paris, German music is taboo except the older classics which have earned their right to be called "world music." In the Colonne and Lamoreux concerts English and Russian music is the vogue and in the intimate house concerts, given for charity, old English ballads and Russian songs are constantly heard.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00. Adv.

Hard Lines.

"Here's an item says England is short on matches."

"Then how is she going to come up to the scratch?"

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Smile Goes Far.

Sometimes a smile will go farther than an answer, especially if it must needs be a sharp answer.

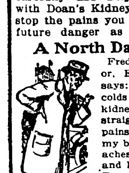
Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

French priests in the army number over 20,000.

It's Foolish to Suffer

You may be brave enough to stand backache, or headache, or dizziness. But if, in addition, urination is disordered, look out! If you don't try to fix your sick kidneys, you may fall into the clutches of kidney trouble before you know it. But if you live more carefully and help your kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills, you can stop the pains you have and avoid future danger as well.

A North Dakota Case



Fred Neumann, tailor, Ellendale, N. D., says: "My work and colds weakened my kidneys. If I tried to straighten, knife-like pains darted through my back. I had headaches and dizzy spells and lost much weight. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me after other medicines failed and now I don't suffer at all."

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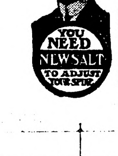

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State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Moorhead. — The Trinity Lutheran church, which cost $40,000, has been formally opened for services.

Hinckley. — Judge P. H. Stolberg of the 19th district court of Minnesota died here of cancer of the stomach.

Winona. — The epidemic of grip, which has swept this section of Southern Minnesota, caused the death of two nonagenarian pioneers in Winona.

Red Wing. — Surrounded by children, great-grandchildren and neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Johnson of Welch celebrated their golden wedding day at their home.

Winona. — Rev. Benjamin F. McLaenney, 82 years old, one of the oldest Baptist ministers in the Northwest, died at his home here following an attack of heart disease.

Albert Lea. — Curtis B. Kellar, 70 years old, president of the First National bank of this city, died here after a short illness of arterial sclerosis. He had been connected with the bank since 1867.

Winona. — Mrs. Walter Sprecher, 30 years old, wife of the cashier of the State Bank of Independence, Wis., was killed when an automobile in which she was riding alone plunged from a bridge. Death was instantaneous.

Stewartville. — Business houses closed here and a public funeral took place for Mrs. J. W. Savage and her brother, Edward H. Hagen, 2 years old, who were burned to death when the H. O. Hagen home was destroyed by fire. All ministers of the village officiated.

St. Paul. — The heirs of Joshua Robertson, who own a tract of land from which the county has been getting gravel for the past year and who gave the county a deed to one acre of the land more than a year ago, have been returned the deed by the county board, on agreement to sell the county gravel at 15 cents a public yard.

Rochester. — The fifteenth annual convention of the Minnesota-Dakota Association of Hotel Clerks was held in Rochester and fifty of the greeters were expected to be present. Rochester greeters arranged a program including a luncheon, dinners, theater parties for the women, a bowling party, an auto trip and the official banquet.

Minneapolis. — Building operations in Minneapolis during the past eleven months of 1915 exceeded in volume those of St. Paul and Seattle combined, those of Baltimore, Indianapolis and New Orleans combined, or those of Newark, Portland and Denver combined, according to a statement by James G. Houghton, inspector of buildings.

Albert Lea. — As the result of a double explosion of gasoline, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Howe were mortally burned at their farm home near Alden. Bert Howe, a brother, suffered serious burns from attempting to rescue them. When Harry Howe started to move a five gallon can of gasoline from its position near the stove the contents exploded.

Tracy. — One thousand acres of rich corn land will be drained and 2,000 acres benefited by a large tile ditch to be dug in the spring, which will drain Lake Sigel, one mile south of Tracy. Telephone slough and much other wet land in the same vicinity. This will be a great benefit to Tracy, since the land has been non-productive, although it has rich black soil.

Worthington. — The Minnesota Crop Improvement Association will hold its annual meeting and seed show at Worthington, Minnesota, February 15-18. F. C. Tripp, instructor in agriculture at the Worthington High School, has arranged with the Extension Division of the Minnesota College of Agriculture for a series of stock-judging demonstrations for the forenoons of each day.

St. Paul. — Oscar Larson, a 12 year old boy of Viking, Marshall county, won the potato-growing contest of the Northern Minnesota Development Association, and made a record for potato-growing by boys at the same time. He grew 75⅔ bushels of potatoes upon ⅛ of an acre. Had he grown an acre of potatoes at the same rate, his yield would have been 605½ bushels. The potatoes grown were of the Green Mountain variety.

Red Wing. — Picture a solid square business block filled to a depth of 12 feet with carp and other rough fish and you get an idea of the immense haul made by David Gantenbein of Diamond Bluff in a single sweep of Lake Elysian with a seine 1,500 feet in length. Mr. Gantenbein estimated that fully fifty carloads of fish were caught in the net, but as there is no market for that quantity of fish at this time, all but a few carloads of carp were released in the lake.

St. Paul. — The wisdom of the pioneers of Minnesota in making provision for school lands was commended by former State Auditor Samuel G. Iverson in an address before the meeting of the Fourth district, Federation of Women's Clubs, at the Wilder building on "The Public Land Policy of Minnesota Schools."

St. Paul. — All records for the issuance of building permits in St. Paul in December were broken by the month which has just ended. The total number issued for the month was 171 and the money value $1,815,731.60.

ORDER MAY CAUSE BIG LEGAL BATTLE

REDUCTION OF FIRE INSURANCE RATES SUBJECT OF CONFERENCE IN CHICAGO.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Insurance men and state officials saw omens of a legal battle between the two in the trip of State Insurance Commissioner Samuel G. Works and Walter I. Fisher, manager of the General Inspection company, which fixes fire insurance rates for the entire state, to Chicago. A conference is said to have taken place there in which there was an effort to effect a compromise on a situation that has grown out of an order by the commissioner, reducing the fire rates for northern and northwestern Minnesota.

The order causes a reduction of as much as 40 per cent on some classes of property and the companies are said to be preparing to resist the order in the court.

When the order reducing rates in northern and northeastern Minnesota followed another order reducing the rates on grain elevator insurance, there were rumors of a war. Many said that the companies were preparing to fight.

Then, after Mr. Works and Mr. Fisher had left for Chicago, it was said that representatives of insurance companies were to meet there and talk over the situation.

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State Fair Big Success.

Every dollar the state has put in its great fair has been returned with better than compound interest, $2.60 for every $1 being the exact ratio, according to John C. Simpson, secretary of the Minnesota State Agricultural society, who uses the figures in his annual report to Governor W. S. Hammond.

The fairgrounds at Hamline represent a value of $1,713,780, of which $929,937 represents the value of the land, covering more than 300 acres; $721,856 the value of the buildings, $25,117 the electrical plant and $36,790 the personal property. Included in the assets should be the $16,627 on deposit with the state treasurer, representing the net proceeds of the 1915 fair.

"The greatest educational institution in the state," as Mr. Simpson calls the fair, in 1915 was the most successful the state ever has managed, having more new features and more exhibits than any of its predecessors.

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Treasurer Handles Millions.

The business handled in the office of Walter J. Smith, state treasurer, during the year ending July 31, 1915, was the largest in amount in the history of the state. Receipts and disbursements have been mounting slowly year by year until they have grown in the last forty years from $2,014,113.94 during 1875 to $46,439,690.38.

The largest single account handled by the state is the general revenue fund. During the last fiscal year there was a total of $12,107,656.04 turned into the fund. This large amount was paid out about as quickly as it came in. During the year the total disbursements from the revenue fund were $11,609,916.42. Of this amount $2,019,256.54 was paid out as special aid to the public schools and for administering the special school aid. The remainder of the revenue fund was used to meet the expenses of state government.

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State Gladdens Wards.

Ten thousand wards of the state of Minnesota were gladdened at Christmas time, as the state board of control placed this order for Christmas goodies:

Two and a half tons of candies, a like amount of nuts, 135 gallons of oysters, 10 barrels of cranberries, half a ton of bananas and 40 cases of oranges.

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Le Bar Gets New Trial.

Dan Le Bar, alleged head of the Palace court gang of "wire tappers," convicted in Hennepin county district court of swindling, will have to be tried again. The state supreme court has reversed the lower court, and granted Le Bar a new trial on the ground of prejudicial errors by the trial court in the admission of testimony.

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Rate Point Order Delayed.

The common rate point order of the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission, scheduled to go into effect January 1, will not become operative until February 1 as a result of an oral stipulation made in District Judge J. C. Michael's court.

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Ruling May Stop Plans.

The ruling of Attorney General Smith that the Board of Regents of the State University cannot be tampered with by the legislature probably will put a damper on the plans of some members of the Efficiency and Economy Commission to create one central board to have charge of all the educational institutions of the state, and it may interfere with the plan to have one purchasing agency for all the state institutions, since the university would be exempt from such a provision.

FRANK BUCHANAN

Frank Buchanan is the Chicago congressman who is under indictment for his activities in connection with Labor's National Peace council, being charged with fomenting strikes in American munition works.

ESCAPED CONVICT MURDERS 3

SLAYS NORTH DAKOTA WOMAN AND TWO SONS.

Ends Own Life After Leaving Notes, Saying He Was a Prisoner and Insane.

Williston, N. D., Jan. 3.—Mrs. A. M. Hart, wife of a farmer, and her two sons, aged 9 and 13, were beaten to death with an iron bar in the hands of Guy Hall, a former convict.

Hall afterwards committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver.

The crime was discovered when the slayer took Mrs. Hart's two daughters to a neighbor's house after keeping them in the room with their murdered mother all night.

It was then that Hall ended his own life.

The murderer left two notes, one saying that he was an escaped prisoner of the Washington state reformatory. The other said: "Please forgive me for I am insane."

GREEK MYSTERY SHIP SOUGHT

Steamer, in Distress for More Than Week, Sends Hazy Statements of Position.

New York, Jan. 3.—The Greek steamer Thessaloniki, which has been in distress for more than a week, is still far from this port with her 300 passengers. Distress calls signed by the chief officer, contradictory "All's well" dispatches from the captain and hazy statements of her position have made the Thessaloniki a ship of mystery.

The coast guard cutter Seneca has searched for the Greek liner two days in vain. Now the Florizel of the Red D line, on her way from Halifax to Cuba, is nearing the disabled ship trying to find her, having picked up a wireless message that the Thessaloniki was drifting helplessly.

Reserve Bank Directors Named.

Washington, Jan. 3.—Announcement is made by the Federal Reserve board of the election for three-year terms of the following class "C" or government directors of Federal Reserve banks.

Allen Hollis, Boston; H. P. Wolfe, Cleveland; Edward T. Brown, Atlanta; E. T. Meredith, Chicago; William McMartin, St. Louis; M. F. H. Gouverneur, Richmond; R. H. Malone, Kansas, and George Foster Peabody, New York.

$50,000 Fire at Dunn Center, N. D.

Mandan, N. D., Jan. 3.—Fire at Dunn Center did $50,000 damage. John Thompson's general store, Rosendahl and Nyhaken's hardware store and the post office were destroyed. Two-thirds covered by insurance.

Box Stuffed, Election Halted.

Minneapolis, Jan. 3.—After the city council had sought for more than an hour to elect a permanent health commissioner, stuffing of the ballot box became so promiscuous that it was found necessary to postpone the election for two weeks in the hope that with the new year the aldermen will abandon their liberal voting propensities.

Dr. Aked of Ford Party Ill.

London, Jan. 3.—A dispatch to the Daily Express from Copenhagen says that Dr. Charles F. Aked, one of the Ford peace delegates, is at Stockholm suffering from a nervous collapse.

McCormick Back in Opera.

Chicago, Jan. 3.—The Chicago Opera company has brought John McCormick, the tenor, back to the operatic stage, after an absence of two years. Mr. McCormick appeared in La Boheme with Geraldine Farrar. Five years ago, when Mr. McCormick was with the Chicago Opera company he received $285 a performance. On his latest appearance he received $2,000. The box office sales showed the house to be the biggest in the history of the Chicago Opera company.

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No Need to Worry.

She was a very recent bride and endeavoring to keep house in the approved hygienic manner. Entering a strange bakery one day, she saw a huge cat put his paws on the low show windows and vault lightly in among the cakes.

"Oh, look!" she exclaimed to the stout lady in charge. "Your cat!"

"Dat is all right," soothingly replied the wide lady, with a wider smile. "Dat is Henery. He will not eat anything; he chust schniffs 'em."—Harper's Magazine.

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Mrs. A. L. Crawford, Medfield, Mass., writes: "Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me of Bright's Disease, and I am healthy and strong to-day and have been blessed with good health ever since my cure. When the doctors pronounced my case Bright's Disease I was in such a serious condition that they could not do anything for me.

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"Can't she understand what he says?"

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make us look older than we really are. Keep your Eyes young and you will look young. After the Movies Murine Your Eyes. Don't tell your age. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

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A pessimist says that the surest way to avoid trouble, escape hardships and dodge calamities is to die young.

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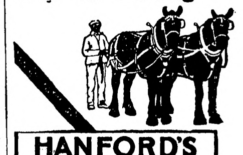

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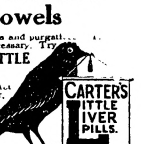

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Young men and women from 18 counties and five states attended the Crookston Agricultural School during the term just closed before the holidays, still there is room for more of them there.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.12
Wheat No. 2	1.08
Wheat No. 3	1.02
Wheat No. 4	.95
Flax	2.05
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The citizens of the village of Holt, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, who are qualified to vote at general elections, are hereby notified that a Special election for said Village will be held at S. S. Kolden's Building, located in Block 9, Lot 10, in said Village on Tuesday, the 11th day of January, A. D. 1916, between the hours of Nine O'clock in the forenoon and Nine O'clock in the Evening of the same day, for the purpose of having the Village of Holt constitute a seperate election and assessment district, and set apart from the Town of Holt, and to do any other business proper to be done at said election when convened.

Dated at Holt, this 23rd day of December, 1915.

A. L. Carlson,
[CORPORATE SEAL] Village Clerk.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Dec. 2, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Rose Miller of Germantown, Minn., who on May 19, 1914, made Homestead Entry No. 010747, for SE 1-4 Sec. 8, Twp. 155 N. Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the above described, before N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 12th day of Jan. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Kirkley, of Goodridge, Minn., S. Larson, Joseph Voikock and J. F. Voikock, all of Germantown, Minn., Proof made under act of June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Southeast of Holt.

Wedding Bells

On Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs Matt Lunke, occured the marriage of their daughter Ida to Mr. Will Steinhauer. The ceremony being performed by Rev. M. B. Ordahl, after which a delicious wedding supper was served to a large number of friends and relatives. The bride who was most beautifully attired in a white messeline dress trimmed with lace and beads, and the groom in conventional black, were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Christoferson. Mr. and Mrs. Steinhauer left for Duluth to visit relatives and friends, after which they will make their home on the Groom's farm in Excell. Their many friends extend congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy journey through life.

Miss Minnie Ekre of Hausten Minn. is visiting at the home of her uncle, Carl Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Mickaelson spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Birkland of Mud Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steinhauer, and son Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christoferson, Harry and Gunda Moe were very pleasantly entertained at the Carl Larson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Swenke Swenkeson of Prince Albert Sask. are visitors at the O. O. Listol home and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Klungness entertained a few of their friends on New Years Day.

The following spent New Years day at Moe's: Lyler Wold, Nels Hovde, Arthur and Lardovic Larson and the Misses Minnie Ekre, Clara and Ragna Larson.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. S. G. Moe on Thursday Jan. 13th.

Amund Sordal called at the S. Moe home on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Moe and sons Manvel and Arthur were pleasantly entertained at the home of A. Klungness on New Year's day.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,
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WE AIM TO PLEASE

ELLEN KEY SENDS MESSAGE TO MINNESOTA SUFFRAGISTS.

The women of Sweden are beginning to fear that their countrywomen in America will all vote before they do. A prominent Scandinavian woman of Minneapolis, Mrs. Luth Jaeger, has recently received a letter from Ellen Key, the well known Swedish writer and feminist. The letter reads:

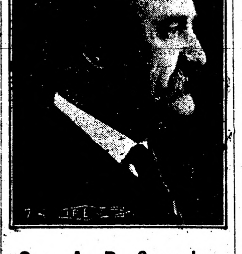
"To the Women of Minnesota who are striving for Suffrage:

"Everywhere that women have risen to the struggle for their rights one must wish them courage and patience until victory is theirs For just at present the greatest hope for humanity lies in that victory. To be sure, I do not—believe that the world-war would have been avoided even if women had already had the vote. But if another and more terrible world-war is to be averted, the women of the new as well as of the old world, must soon, very soon, attain the vote.

"With all good wishes.

(Signed) "ELLEN KEY."

The women of Norway, Denmark, Finland, Iceland and The Netherlands have already been enfranchised. Only Sweden of the Scandinavian group lags behind.



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Dr. Turley will be here next Thursday to do dental work.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Young were entertained at the home of B. Docken, New Years eve.

Mr. and Mrs J. B. Alkenbrack and son Floyd were entertained at H. B. Young's Sunday evening.

Mrs. C. L. Sanberg visited her husband here between trains Saturday.

Rev. M. T. Strom will preach in the Free Mission church next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A. L. Carlson returned home Thursday from an enjoyable trip to Minneapolis visiting relatives and friends.

The Warren Sheaf gets the county printing for Marshall county, and the St. Hilaire Spectator for Pennington county.

The English Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. All children welcome.

Minnesota is mourning the death of Gov. Hammond, which occured last week Thursday at Clinton Louisiana, where he had gone a week before to look at land. Physicians state the cause of death as apoplexy, superinduced by ptomaine poisoning.

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H. B. Young went to Warren on business one day this week.

Dr. R. L. Olson and Diedrick Nyberg left Monday for Warroad where they expect to stay about a week on business.

The Misses Gaya and Alma Olson of Middle River, visited a few days the past week at the home of Dr. R. L. Olson and family.

English preaching next Tuesday evening in the Free Mission church by Rev. McMartin. Don't fail to hear him.

Willie Bakke came up from Thief River Falls, Monday, to visit his sister, Mrs. B. Docken.

Some editors write to please themselves, others to please their readers, in either case there is someone who is not altogether satisfied.

A. H. Huseth and family, D. Payne and family and Mrs. Bray and son Orvis spent New Years at S. S. Kolden's.

L. S. Kolden came up from Nielville Saturday for a short visit with friends and relatives.

C. Swartz returned home last Thursday evening from a weeks visit near Grygla.

The Minnesota presidential primary election will be held Tuesday March 14th 1916

What Gives Milk Its Color.

Recent experiments show that the color of milk is chiefly due to the presence of carotin, a coloring matter found abundantly in green plants, especially in grass. The yellow pigments of our bodies also consist of carotin, which is probably derived chiefly from our food.

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A. C. Jahr. Holt.

East Valley News.

More than $36.00 were taken in at the Lutefisk dinner and auction sale at J. H. Knutson's Thursday.

The O. B. Johnson young people spent Sunday at the Edwin Johnson home in Mud Lake.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl went to West Valley, Saturday to conduct services

Miss Mabel Fosen returned to Cambridge on Saturday.

School opened Monday with a fair attendance.

Mrs. Karen Knutson visited at the home of her brother S. S. Moe a few days last week.

The big farm crops show will be held in Crookston Feb. 7 to 12, but exhibits must be there Feb. 3. Between $6000 and $7000 in premiums will be given and Marshall county farmers should be there to get their share.

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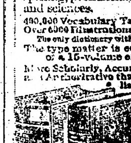

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Do You Own A Farm?

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Heartily,

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Local Items

A. H. Huseth was a business caller at Strathcona Tuesday.

Dr. R. L. Olson went to St. Hilaire Wednesday on business.

Miss Lydia Riesberg was a passenger for Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Dr. R. L. Olson and Diedrick Nyberg returned Saturday from Warroad.

The annual creamery meeting will be held Jan. 22nd. See notice in this weeks paper.

The Dorcas sewing society will meet with Mrs. Otto Johnson next Saturday Jan. 15th.

Miss Johanna Larson returned on Friday to Aanstad after spending a pleasant vacation at home.

Co. Supt. David Johnson came over from Warren, Monday, to visit the Holt public schools, also other schools in this vicinity.

Gustave Christenson returned to his home in Fertile, Tuesday, after a few days visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. H. Huseth and family.

Miss Beatha Nelson went to Grand Forks, Friday, to keep house for her sister Mrs. Loyd Adams, who had to have an operation for appendicitis.

Andrew Ness and family returned to their home at Thief River Falls the latter part of last week, after a couple of weeks visit at the home of her father, R. Reierson and family.

The Synod Young People's Society will be entertained by Mesdames Mickelson and Docken at the restaurant next Sunday p. m. All invited.

Rolland Olson, of Ada, visited at the home of his uncle, S. S. Kolden and family, a couple of days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Halverson of Hillsboro N. D, visited at the home of her sister Mrs. B. Docken, between trains Saturday.

T. B. Folden and August Nass returned home Sunday morning via. Newfolden from a pleasant visit with relatives and friends at Battle Lake and other points.

The teachers of the Holt Public School, returned from their Holiday trips, and are now busy at their post of duty. Prof. Prushek returning on Friday and Miss Lawson on Saturday.

The partition in the rear room of the Holt State Bank has been removed, making it larger and much pleasanter room for Cashier Docken to work in, also more convenient for a consulting room.

Mrs. L. S. Kolden came up from Neilsville, Saturday, for a short visit at the D. Payne home. Edna and Lillian Payne who had been visiting their grandparents at Nielsville, during the holidays, returned to Holt with their grandmother. Mrs. Kolden left Monday for Nielsville accompanied by little Thelma Payne who will remain there for sometime.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.
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In Church Circles.

Mrs. Mickelson and Mrs. Docken will entertain the Synod Young People's Society next Sunday afternoon, at the restaurant. Everyone invited to attend.

Annual Creamery Meeting.

The annual meeting of The Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Co. of Holt, Minn., will be held in the Creamery on Saturday Jan. 22, 1916 at 1 o'clock P. M. to elect Officers and transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y

Southeast of Holt.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Michaelsen on Saturday Jan. 8th.

Miss Marie Faiman is reported as being on the sick list.

Silas Torgerson made a business trip to Warren the first of the week.

Mrs. Carl Larson entertained the ladies aid on Wednesday of last week.

Haldor Brevik has returned to this country after spending the past year in Norway.

Ingvard Peterson left for Crookston on Monday, where he expects to attend college.

Steiner News.

Albert Swanson has been hauling grain to the elevator the past week.

Richard S. Rogers left for Minneapolis Sunday evening where he is attending the university.

Willis Warring made a business trip to Thief River Falls last week.

Lena, August, and Frances Riedl were visitors at the A. Koglin home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Koglin called at the Schwartz home last Sunday.

Renie Werner made a business trip to Steiner Saturday.

A party was given at the Roger home last Saturday evening and was well attended.

Warren has voted $35,000 bonds for a new high school building.

Fences are being built and others repaired by the different candidates.

H. Shaw was a business visitor in Thief River Falls, the first of the week.

This is a good time for the business men to make a resolution to advertise.

More new seats have been placed in the school rooms and chairs in the library for the recitation classes.

Holt would be in poor shape now to fight fires this cold weather, with no water supply, except frozen up hand pumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammerstein and daughter of Goodridge, visited the John Engstrom and P. A. Riesberg families last week.

Ole Hammerness of Moose Jaw Canada, who has been visiting at the home of his uncle R. Reierson and family for some time left Saturday for a visit in Minneapolis

Annual short course T. R. Falls high school, begins Jan. 31. Free to everyone over 16 years of age. A practical course that fits one for life's work, is offered here free of charge.

Write Supt. Hay for further information.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes
Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO.

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	3,000

President, D. B. Bakke

V. President, A. D. Stephens

Cashier, B. Docken

A BAD ACCIDENT — HE WILL RECOVER BUT IT WILL BE WEEKS BEFORE HE CAN RETURN TO WORK

Here Is A Situation

Where even a small portion of former pay days, set aside in a Savings Account, would have bennefited the entire family in a time of distress.

Accidents Will Happen!

ONCE STARTED

Determination and Perseverance

Will Provide An Emergency Fund

MAKE A BANK ACCOUNT WITH US THE STEPPING STONE TO SUCCESS
EVEN ONE DOLLAR WILL BE ACCEPTED HERE AS A FIRST DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 800.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Dec. 21, 1915.

Date of call by Supt., Jan. 7, 1916.
Date of report by Bank, Jan. 7, 1916.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$72,089 00
Overdrafts		16
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		3,259 80
Other Real Estate		$2,900 00
Due from Banks	11,216 22	
Cash on Hand	2782 75	
Total Cash Assets		13,998 97
Checks and Cash Items		2 175 04
Total		$95,242 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$3,000 00
Undivided Profits Net		2,095 28
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		[illegible]
Deposits Subject to Check	$60,878.15	
Cashiers Checks	174.74	
Total Immediate Liabilities	51,052 89	
Time Certificates	26 094 03	
Total Deposits		[illegible]
Total		$95,242 80
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$16,374 01
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$7,410 58

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, ss.

We, D. B. Bakke President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President.
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. OUSBEIN
[Two] Directors R. REIERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of Jan., 1916

[SEAL] Nils Eggen, Notary Public
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

Pretty cold weather this, but it's healthy just the same.

Middle River's bond project failed to receive the necessary 65 per cent in order to carry.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Granheim entertained the C. T. Hanze and Andrew Bjerk family Sunday.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will have their yearly meeting Thursday the 27th of January at two o'clock at the church. Everyone invited to be present.

[illegible] cast at the special election held this week Thursday, all in favor of this village being set apart from the township and to constitute a separate election and assessment district.

Louis Olson, D. V. M.

Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist

Middle River, Minnesota

Graduate of Chicago Vet. College

Calls answered promptly day and night.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Bank Statement.

Bank No. [illegible]

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on Dec. 31st 1915.

Date of call by Supt. Jan. 8, 1916.
Date of report by bank. Jan. 8, 1916.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ [illegible]593 23
Overdrafts		224 63
Bonds and Securities		27 63
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,617 38
Other Real Estate		$1,070 14
Due from Banks	[illegible]	
Cash on hand	[illegible]	
Total cash assets		5,744 77
Checks and cash items		1,103 33
Advanced Interest Paid Unearned		160 00
Total		$43,437 00

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2000 00
Undivided Profits Net		52 26
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		9,948 72
Deposits Subject to Check	$12 226 00	
Cashier's Checks	1002 55	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	13,228 55	
Time Certificates	8,205 92	
Total Deposits		[illegible]
Total		$43 437 00
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$1,845 10
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$2,615 25

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, ss.

We, Lars Bakke President, and Bertil Sollom Asst. Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LARS BAKKE, President.
BERTIL SOLLOM, Asst. Cashier.

Correct Attest: A. R. Jones
[Two] Directors [illegible] BAKKE

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Jan. 1916

[SEAL] Bertil L. Bakke, Notary Public.
My Commission expires Dec. 1917

It's getting fashionable for the trains to be late these wintry days.

Hopes Women Will Adopt This Habit As Well As Men

Glass of hot water each morning helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Happy, bright, alert—vigorous and vivacious—a good clear skin; a natural, rosy complexion and freedom from illness are assured only by clean, healthy blood. If only every woman and likewise every man could realize the wonders of drinking phosphated hot water each morning, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks," "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking, each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from any druggist or at the store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.—Adv.

HAD NO REASON TO WORRY

Seeing That Jury Paid No Heed to Prosecutor's Remarks, Why Should the Defendant?

Claris Adams, deputy prosecuting attorney of Marion county, tells of the misgivings he had as he met for the first time after the trial a man whom it had been his official duty to try to send to the penitentiary. The crime charged was of the sort that gave the attorney abundant opportunity to score the defendant, and Adams accordingly "trimmed him up right." The defendant was lawless, murderous, bloodthirsty, as devoid of pity as the pirates of the Spanish main, and altogether lacking in every redeeming quality, according to the speech that was made, but despite these distressing facts the jury acquitted him.

The next day Adams met the defendant, now discharged and restored to full rights of citizenship. The latter approached Adams with a smile and extended his hand.

"Young man, I'm for you," he said.

"I am glad to hear you say that," responded Adams with a sigh of relief. "I thought you might take to heart some of the things I said about you."

"No," came the cheerful reply, "the jury did not pay any attention to them, so I don't see why I should."—Indianapolis News.

The man who knows enough to attend to his own business knows enough.

PUZZLED

Hard, Sometimes, to Raise Children.

Children's taste is oftitimes more accurate, in selecting the right kind of food to fit the body, than that of adults. Nature works more accurately through the children.

A Brooklyn lady says: "Our little boy had long been troubled with weak digestion. We could never persuade him to take more than one taste of any kind of cereal food. He was a weak little chap and we were puzzled to know what to feed him on.

"One lucky day we tried Grape-Nuts. Well, you never saw a child eat with such a relish, and it did me good to see him. From that day on it seemed as though we could almost see him grow. He would eat Grape-Nuts for breakfast and supper, and I think he would have liked the food for dinner.

"The difference in his appearance is something wonderful.

"My husband had never fancied cereal foods of any kind, but he became very fond of Grape-Nuts and has been much improved in health since using it.

"We are now a healthy family and naturally believe in Grape-Nuts.

"A friend has two children who were formerly afflicted with rickets. I was satisfied that the disease was caused by lack of proper nourishment. The children showed it. So I urged her to use Grape-Nuts as an experiment and the result was almost magical.

"They continued the food and today both children are as well and strong as any children in this city, and, of course, my friend is a firm believer in Grape-Nuts, for she has the evidence before her eyes every day." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

SCOTT DECLARES U. S. NEEDS ARMY OF MILLION MEN

CHIEF OF STAFF SEES DISASTER, IF COUNTRY IS UNPREPARED RE-ITERATES SECRETARY GARRISON'S VIEW.

COMPULSORY SERVICE IF NEW PLAN A FAILURE

General Tells Committee that Under a Service System, an Adequate Force Could be Maintained for What Is Paid for Present Army.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Major General Scott, chief of staff of the army, told the House military committee at the army bill hearing that, in the event of war, the country must have an army of one million to two million men, or accept disaster.

The chief of staff reitered Secretary Garrison's view that if the continental army plan failed there was no escape from compulsory service. Every country at war in Europe realized that, he said, and he expressed the view that England might have better realized it sooner.

General Scott said that under a service system, which laid the burden alike upon all men between 18 and 21 as a public duty, an adequate army could be maintained for what is now paid for the small standing army. He thought the pay under such a system should be merely nominal. Of the efficiency of the regular army now, he said: "Our organizations, as far as they go, compare favorably with the troops of any foreign power."

School Training Not Practical.

School training was desirable but not practical because of lack of control by the federal government, the general thought. He believed it would not be necessary to provide additional military academies to train officers needed for the proposed mobile army of 500,000 men.

The plan of the administration as a measure of self defense, he said, was not proposed in the anticipation of a war. He believed organization of the continental army would not interfere with recruiting for the National Guard because the two forces would appeal to different classes of men.

He added that the training in the continentals would produce better soldiers than in the National Guard system.

IDENTIFIES PRICE'S DRAFTS

Charles D. Etchison Faces Defendant in Murder Trial and Tells Story of Slaying.

Minneapolis, Jan. 11.—With no more excitement in his voice than as though he were speaking of an every day occurrence, Charles D. Etchison, confessed accomplice of Frederick T. Price in the alleged murder of Mary Fridley Price, identified on the witness stand a $7,500 note to him, signed by Price, as the payment that he had received for his share in the participation of Mary Fridley's murder. The note was offered in evidence.

Looking squarely into the prisoner's eyes, the witness defied Price to contradict him as he identified draft after draft aggregating in amount $2,600, which he said had been paid by Price on the note as partial satisfaction of the debt that had been incurred when Etchison swore secrecy over the dying woman.

Price's eyes never faltered as he responded to the gaze of his former friend who had turned accuser. Only the swelling veins in his face and neck betrayed the tense-strained nerves of the man on trial. Not by a motion or a word did the prisoner show the breaking of his iron nerves that the hundreds of spectators in the court room watched for as Etchison, in his calm, low voice, told how for months Price had talked of the planned murder.

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KAISER BETTER; PLANS WAR COUNCIL IN BERLIN

Rome, Jan. 11.—Optimistic news regarding the kaiser's health has reached the Vatican from Switzerland. These reports said that the emperor was still feverish and was kept indoors as a precautionary measure, but was attending to business of state, especially in connection with the preparations for a war council to be held at Berlin at the end of the month. The danger of complications, the nature of which is not divulged, is not yet over, however.

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Noted Animal Sculptor Dead.

Paris, Jan. 11.—The Italian animal sculptor Rembrandt Bugatti has been found lying unconscious in his studio in Rue Joseph-Bara. A physician who was summoned said the sculptor was suffering from gas poisoning. Bugatti was taken to Lasnec hospital, where he died. The work of Signor Buggatti, who was regarded as one of the foremost living sculptors, is represented in most of the galleries of Europe. When the war opened he was modelling animals at the zoological gardens in Antwerp.

3 KILLED; 19 HURT, 6 BLOCKS FIRED IN YOUNGSTOWN RIOT

STRIKE SYMPATHIZERS AND ARMED GUARDS CLASH AT SHEET AND TUBE COMPANY'S PLANT.

MOB LEADERS THREATEN TO BLOW UP SECTION OF CITY

Attorney Organizes Body of Citizens Who March Against Rioters Who Had Just Looted a Building—Trouble Culmination of Strike for Higher Wages.

Youngstown, Jan. 10.—Two companies of United States regulars from Columbus are reported to have been ordered to East Youngstown because of the looting and burning of the post-office.

The bridge from East Youngstown to Strutchers has been burned to prevent the strikers from entering the town.

Youngstown, O., Jan. 10.—Three men were killed, 19 persons wounded, and six city blocks were burned with a loss estimated at $300,000 as the result of rioting in East Youngstown, following a battle between a crowd of strike sympathizers and armed guards at the plant of the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company. Three regiments of state troops have been ordered here to take charge of the situation.

Threaten to Blow Up Section.

Shortly before midnight mob leaders broke into a freight car containing 500 pounds of dynamite. They took the dynamite and started toward the residential part of East Youngstown, declaring they would blow that section of the city to pieces.

The trouble was the culmination of a strike of laborers which began at the plant of the Republic Iron & Steel company a week ago and spread to the plants of the Tube company, the Youngstown Iron & Steel company, and the Brier Hill Steel company, all "independent" concerns. The men demand 25 cents an hour; the companies offered an increase from 19 to 19½ cents to 22 cents per hour.

Citizens Fire at Mob.

With the rioting at its height, Oscar Diser, city solicitor of East Youngstown, organized a body of citizens and armed with revolvers marched to the point where the rioters had just looted a building.

The citizens fired a volley over the heads of the rioters who returned the fire. Diser ordered his men to fire again, this time pointing their weapons point blank at the mob. About half a dozen men fell. Armed with night sticks the solicitor and his men waded into the rioters using their clubs freely and scattering them into groups.

Rioting started early in the morning when strike sympathizers and workers at the Steet and Tube plant clashed. Stones were thrown and several shots were fired, but no one was injured.

Squad of Police Stoned.

The most serious trouble started at night when the day shift at the tube mills left work. A crowd of 6,000 men gathered at the entrance to the works and stoned a squad of private police in charge of Chief J. M. Woltz of the Sheet & Tube company force.

According to a statement made by Woltz, he fired a blank shot in the air to scare the crowd, and then firing became general. Nineteen in the crowd were wounded, following which the mob surged into the East Youngstown business district and set fire to several buildings.

As the torch was applied first to a clothing store and then to a jewelry store, looting began. A saloon was fired and looted, the liquor being distributed through the crowd.

Crowd Drives Off Firemen.

The Youngstown fire department arrived at the fire but was driven off by the crowd. The East Youngstown department also attempted to check the blaze, but the hose was cut and the firemen driven away. The flames quickly spread and more than 15 buildings were destroyed. A score of families are reported homeless as a result of the fire which at an early hour still was burning beyond control.

Red Cross to Aid Blind.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The American Red Cross has appropriated $4,000 additional, making $6,000 in all, particularly for use in Europe in sealing and obliterating facial wounds of soldiers and for instructing those blinded by wounds to read and write by modern methods.

Steenerson's Election Unanimous.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Congressman Halvor Steenerson, of the Ninth Minnesota district will continue to represent the Minnesota delegation on the Republican national congressional committee. Congressman C. R. Davis withdrew at the psychological moment. The struggle threatened considerable hard feelings. Mr. Steenerson had been elected but Mr. Davis took the position that the meeting which had elected him had not been called for that purpose so that the election was void. Another meeting was called

FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Adv.

When Reality Prevailed.

"Crimson Gulch doesn't look anything like it did ten years ago," said the traveling man.

"No," replied Broncho Bob; "ten years ago, before so many saloons started up, if a man saw a rattlesnake comin' up the road, he knew it was a sure-enough rattlesnake."

STOP EATING MEAT IF KIDNEYS OR BACK HURT

Take a Glass of Salts to Clean Kidneys If Bladder Bothers You—Meat Forms Uric Acid.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and uninary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney disease.—Adv.

Slipping One Over.

Convict 1103—The doc told me if I did not quit smoking I'd croak within two years.

Convict 1104—Going to quit?

Convict 1103—Nope; the joke's on the doc; I'm going to be hanged next month.—Chaparral.

TRY THIS EASY WAY TO CLEAR YOUR SKIN WITH RESINOL SOAP

Bathe your face for several minutes with Resinol Soap and warm water, working the creamy lather into the skin gently with the finger-tips. Then wash off with more Resinol Soap and warm water, finishing with a dash of clear cold water to close the pores.

Do this once or twice a day, and you will be astonished how quickly the healing, antiseptic Resinol medication soothes and cleanses the pores, removes pimples and blackheads, and leaves the complexion clear, fresh and velvety. In severe cases a little Resinol Ointment should also be used. Resinol Soap is sold by all druggists.—Adv.

Queer Cattle.

"Begorry! thim shtory writers are the quarest cratures in the world."

"An' phwy so?"

"Shure, an' don't their tales come out av their heads?"

Not Gray Hairs but Tired Eyes make us look older than we are. Keep your Eyes young and you will look young. After the Movies Murine Your Eyes. Don't tell your age. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

Combination Gift.

"What are you knitting, dear?"

"A shawl to send to Mr. and Mrs. Jones with our united love."

If a woman nags her husband it is up to him to supply her with plenty of cause.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels.—Adv.

Judge a man by what he does and a woman by what she doesn't say

LITTLE DOG IS NEMESIS OF BOY

Alleged Murderer of Two Women Captured Because of Canine's Persistence.

CONFESSES HIS GUILT

Youth Flees From Scene of Crime and Black Dog Sticks at His Heels—After Capture the Dog Disappears.

Valentine, Neb.—A little black dog following along behind the murderer of its mistress caused the arrest here of William Cryderman, a seventeen-year-old farm hand, on the charge of committing a double murder. And his arrest was brought about by the little black dog. It is stated that he immediately confessed.

Cryderman had been working on the Heelan ranch, five miles out from Arabia, the first station east of Valentine.

Last week Mr. Heelan went down to Omaha with a trainload of cattle for the market. The following day Mrs. Heelan and her friend, Mrs. Joe Layport, went to Arabia on business, Cryderman driving the carriage, and the Helan family dog trotting along under it.

Cryderman was "ugly" that day, storekeepers in Arabia say. Finally he quarrelled with Mrs. Heelan to return to the ranch house by himself. He did so, the little black dog going along. He tried to make the animal return to Arabia, but failed.

Some time after Cryderman reached the ranch Mrs. Heelan and Mrs. Layport returned. Cryderman demanded his supper at once, but, as he says in a confession, Mrs. Heelan would not give it to him.

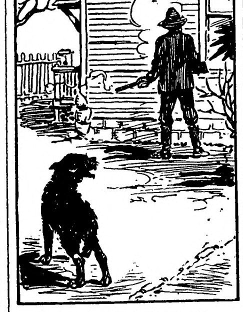
Shot Woman at Prayer.

Then Cryderman went out to the barn and wrote a note telling those interested that he intended killing the women and committing suicide. He put this note where it could be seen by anyone in the barn. Then he got the shotgun and loaded it and crept to the window. "The little dog followed me around," said Cryderman in his confession.

Looking through the window, Cryderman saw Mrs. Heelan at prayer. Cryderman fired through the window and the woman dropped dead.

"The little dog ran away when I fired," he said in his confession.

In the meantime Mrs. Layport had rushed to the rural telephone and frantically rung for central, but got no response. She was still at the telephone when Cryderman shot her twice, fatally. He then threw half a bucketful of kerosene on the women, sprinkled some around the house and then set fire to it.



The Little Dog Followed Him.

While the house was burning Cryderman went to the barn and saddled and bridled the best horse, donned Mrs. Heelan's skirt and started toward the town of Wood Lake.

"But that little black cur followed me," said Cryderman, "and I could not drive him back."

The Dog Follows.

Between the scene of the murder and the town of Wood Lake Cryderman passed two men on horseback. They recognized the dog as belonging to the Heelan family. At Wood Lake the dog was recognized again as belonging to Mrs. Heelan. Cryderman tried every way to get rid of the little fellow, but he persisted in following. Finally, to free himself from the dog, Cryderman abandoned his horse, after riding down the railroad track for several miles, and caught a freight train. When the train reached Valentine, the county seat, he was put off by the crew, and later was found almost within the shadow of the jail.

The next day the discovery of the crime was made, the note was found and the remains of the two bodies were found in the ashes of the house. Not finding the body of Cryderman, a search was made for him.

Two men remembered passing a woman riding a horse and followed by Heelan's dog. Cryderman was easily traced. As soon as he was arrested he confessed to both murders.

The little black dog has disappeared

CATARRH IS STAGNATION
PE RU NA IS INVIGORATION

Catarrh means inflammation. Inflammation is the stagnation of blood—the gorging of the circulation with impure blood.
Of course you can't be well under this condition. It means, headaches, indigestion, kidney trouble, coughs, colds, etc.

Peruna By assisting nutrition increases the circulation, invigorates the system, removes the waste matter and brightens you up.

Over 44 Years
Of service to the public entitles it to a place with you.

It Makes Good
The Peruna Company Columbus, Ohio
You can get Peruna in tablet form for convenience.

Rather Discouraging.

"Well, Twobble, how are you getting along in politics?"

"Can't say that I'm making much progress."

"No?"

"I've climbed into half a dozen political bandwagons and every one of them broke down before I'd traveled far enough to reach an office."

"CASCARETS" ACT ON LIVER; BOWELS

No sick headache, biliousness, bad taste or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box.

Are you keeping your bowels, liver, and stomach clean, pure and fresh with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days with Salts, Cathartic Pills, Castor Oil or Purgative Waters?

Stop having a bowel wash-day. Let Cascarets thoroughly cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will make you feel great by morning. They work while you sleep—never gripe, sicken or cause any inconvenience, and cost only 10 cents a box from your store. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never have Headache, Biliousness, Coated Tongue, Indigestion, Sour Stomach or Constipation. Adv.

And He Still Lives.

She—I used to think that macaroni was a stalk that grew in the garden.

He—What a macaronious idea.

ALWAYS LOOK YOUR BEST

As to Your Hair and Skin by Using Cuticura. Trial Free.

The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. These fragrant, super-creamy emollients preserve the natural purity and beauty of the skin under conditions which, if neglected, tend to produce a state of irritation and disfigurement.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

The patches that decorate the trousers of a calamity howler are not on the knees.

Piles Relieved by First Application and cured in 6 to 14 days by PAZO OINTMENT, the universal remedy for all forms of Piles. Druggists refund money if it fails. 50c.

Only a very unusually hungry man can eat advice and enjoy it.

Stop That Ache!

Don't worry along with a bad back. Get rid of it. It's a sign you haven't taken care of yourself—haven't had enough air, exercise and sleep. Probably this has upset your kidneys. Get back to sensible habits, and give the kidneys help. Then, if it's kidney backache, the dizziness, lameness and tiredness will disappear. Use Doan's Kidney Pills—the best recommended kidney remedy.

A Montana Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Mrs. Louisa Robbins, 408 N. Washington St., Dillon, Mont., says: "For eight years I had kidney complaint and the pains in my back got so bad I couldn't work. I had terrible headaches and dizzy spells and my body bloated. Doan's Kidney Pills brought me relief as soon as I took them and before long rid me of all the annoying ailments."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box
DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
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What's Doing in Minnesota

St. Paul. — The Democratic state executive committee has decided to call a state conference February 1 to select delegates and alternates to a national convention.

Bemidji. — An appeal will be made to congress to abrogate the Indian treaty of 1855, under the terms of which the Indian bureau at Washington found opportunity to apply a liquor "lid" affecting 16 counties in Minnesota.

Minneapolis, Minn. — Telegraphic reports from Washington declared that influenza is spreading over the country from coast to coast in the most serious epidemic of the disease ever known, taking many lives and incapacitating workers.

Tracy.—The new $40,000 high school building in this city, used for community purposes, was crowded with persons attending the annual corn, grain and poultry show. Most of them were farmers and their wives, but the interests were broad enough to include others.

Litchfield. — Citizens of Litchfield held the last rites for Vincent Coombs, who died here, at the age of 76. He is survived by his wife and six grown children. Mr. Coombs came to Meeker county with his parents from Crawfordsville, Ind. The family traveled the entire distance in a prairie schooner.

Ball Club. — A delegation consisting of Sam Lyons, Sr., Dave Remway and Charles Wakefield, representing the Chippewa Indians of this district, has left for Washington to appear before Cato Sells, the commissioner of Indian affairs, and a committee of congress, in the interest of Chippewa claims now pending.

Kelliher. — Despite the fact that Kelliher is in the Indian lid territory, the village council here has granted a saloon license to J. O. Harris, hotelkeeper. Other applications have been made for licenses. This is the first saloon to be licensed by a village in the dry zone, where liquor can be confiscated wherever found.

Minneapolis.—At least six persons in Minnesota are able to snap their fingers at the high cost of living and the increasing price of gasoline and fresh eggs, according to the figures given out by the commissioner of internal revenue at Washington. Each of the six enjoyed an income of $250,000 and upwards in 1914.

Lakefield. — The Jackson County Farm Bureau association, organized about six weeks ago, is making full plans for the solution of important agricultural problems in its territory by concentration upon certain projects. It will promote drainage projects, crop improvement, better livestock breeding and farmer boys' and birls' clubs.

Bagley.—At the request of residents of Clear Brook, Judge C. W. Stanton in district court issued an order restraining the Clear Water county commissioners from buying the school building at Bagley to be used as a court house. Clear Brook residents asked for a permanent injunction, and the case was set for hearing January 13.

St. Paul. — Minnesota's high rank in stock and dairy production was recalled when more than 150 of the state's successful stockmen, members of the Minnesota Stock Breeders' association, met and banqueted at the Commercial club. The belief that Minnesota is on the crest of a development wave in stock production was generally expressed by the speakers.

Duluth.—Handlings of grain were in record volume at Duluth during 1915. Receipts of all domestic grains at this point during the year aggregated 122,459,501 bushels, as compared with 90,751,289 bushels in 1914. In addition, 4,792,119 bushels of bonded grain came in. Receipts of domestic wheat showed an increase of 30,757,000 bushels over 1915, amounting to 91,098,170 bushels, as compared with 60,341,506 bushels.

Fergus Falls.—The Northwestern college of this city began the new year free from debt. The college, which is under Swedish Lutheran auspices, has had an indebtedness of $20,000 and a few months ago James J. Hill agreed to give $2,500 toward clearing this up provided $17,500 was raised by popular subscription. The subscriptions have just been checked over and have been found to amount to $19,000, which, with Mr. Hill's contribution, will leave a small surplus.

Duluth. — Three fishermen near death in their frozen-in skiffs near Horseshoe bay, south shore of Lake Superior, were rescued by Captain W. J. Johns of the fishing tug Crescent. Two rescues were made. In the first instance a fisherman was found with his nets entangled and unable to escape from his predicament because of the ice. He was taken to the fishing station and revived. Near the mouth of the Brule river two men were found unconscious in skiffs which had frozen in the ice.

St. Paul.—Business was the chief order of the day at the ninth annual meeting of the Minnesota Retail Monument Dealers' association in St. Paul. Reports were made at an executive session. K. T. Soland, of Spring Valley, vice president of the association presided.

Brainerd.—Charged with attempting to blow up the Mississippi river dam of the Northwestern Paper company with 100 pounds of dynamite November 7, William Fischer, 34 years old and unmarried was arrested by Sheriff Theorin and lodged in the county jail.

WESTERN CANADA'S GREAT HARVEST

Decidedly Encouraging From Every Standpoint.

Speaking of conditions generally in Canada, the most encouraging feature of the year, from a trade and financial standpoint, has been the bountiful harvest of the Northwest, where a greatly increased area under cultivation has given the highest average yield in the history of the country. It is estimated that the grain crop of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta has a market value to the producers of approximately four hundred million dollars, in the use of which we may anticipate not only the liquidation of much indebtedness, but the stimulation of current trade.

The annual reports of the various banks throughout Canada are now being published. They savor of optimism all the way through, and, contrary to what might be generally expected in war times, business is good everywhere.

The General Manager of the Bank of Montreal at the recent annual meeting said: "The position of Canada is a highly favored one, with an assured future of growth, development and general prosperity."

In the same report it is said that the Canadian West "has recovered to a marked extent from the economic dislocation of a year ago."

The season's wheat and other cereal crops have exceeded all previous records in quantity and quality, and, despite the enormous yield, prices have been uncommonly well maintained.

It would be difficult to exaggerate the importance of these results to the Prairie Provinces—and the Dominion at large.

The prosperity of those engaged in mixed farming and ranching is most encouraging.

The flour mills in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are busy and are doing well. Their combined daily capacity is about 27,000 barrels.

The large advances of the Dominion Government to farmers in certain districts, principally in the form of seed were made very opportunely and have been amply justified by the very large crop yield in those districts.

Business in many important lines is good and should continue to improve as returns from grain yet to be marketed are received.

The general business outlook has been transformed by the large crop.

The returns of the gross earnings of Canadian railroads for November show those of the Canadian Pacific increased $1,796,000 or 78 per cent for the last nine days of the month. Compared with same month year ago, increase no less than $5,291,000 or 67.6 per cent against a 45 per cent gain in October, and a decrease of 4½ per cent in September.

H. V. Meredith, of the Bank of Montreal, in a recent address delivered at Montreal, declared that the most encouraging feature from a trade and finance standpoint had been the bountiful harvest of the Northwest, where the greatly increased area under cultivation had given the highest average in history of the country. He estimated the grain crop of the three provinces at a value of over $400,000,000, and said that such remarkable results would have the effect of attracting the tide of immigration to our shores, when the world is again at peace. The restoration of a favorable balance in our foreign trade is a factor of supreme importance at the present time.

It is the general opinion in the East that the 1915 grain crop in the Prairie Provinces not only put the whole Dominion in a sounder trade and financial standing, but that it will also result in a big increase in immigration to the West of agricultural settlers who will include capitalized farmers from Europe and the United States as well as homesteaders.—Advertisement.

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PREDICTS ATTACK ON ELECTION LAWS

COMMISSIONER WORKS SEES PARTIAL RETURN TO CONVENTION SYSTEM.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

In the opinion of S. D. Works, state insurance commissioner and close political adviser of the late Governor Hammond, the present primary election laws will be attacked at the next session of the legislature. Mr. Works says he sees in present demands a partial return to the convention system.

"Reports to the contrary," said Mr. Works, "the meeting of the Democratic state central committee held recently, was unanimous in favor of a convention to name delegates to our national convention. We will hold our convention as of old."

James A. Peterson, who withdrew from the Republican nomination for governor, is reported to be drafting a plan for a convention system of which he will ask approval. I. A. Caswell, maanger of the Cummins presidential campaign, has suggested to the district that candidates for the several delegateships be named in mass convention.

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Selects Route of Highway.

The Minnesota Highway Commission has selected the route of the Jefferson Memorial highway from St. Paul to Bemidji on the route to Winnipeg. The Jefferson Highway association designated the road leading from Albert Lea to St. Paul known as the Capital National highway which passes through Owatonna, Faribault, Northfield and Farmington. The association authorizes the Minnesota Highway Commission to select the rest of the route through Minnesota.

The route selected is through Osseo to Anoka, Hennepin coutny, to Elk River in Sherburne county, thence north on the east side of the Mississippi river to Little Falls, thence northwest to Staples in Todd county, west and north through Wadena and Park Rapids to the source of the Mississippi in Itasca state park, thence northeast to Bemidji. At this point the selection will be postponed until engineers have had an opportunity of picking out the best route from Bemidji to St. Vincent, where the highway will connect with the Canadian division.

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No Venison as Free Lunch.

Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, has announced that he has a ruling from the attorney general declaring it illegal to serve venison or any other game as a free lunch, on the ground that the wild meat is offered as an attraction to bring customers. St. Paul saloons and saloons in some northern Minnesota towns have been serving venison, wild duck, and other tidbits. The legal limit of time in which birds might be kept in cold storage expired Jan. 1.

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Plans "U" Extension.

More extensive training for business, comparing with that for law and medicine training for social and public service, and short courses for newspaper men are among projects the University of Minnesota will take up, according to the president George E. Vincent's report. The demands placed on the university by the rapid development of Minnesota and which have not been met are enumerated by President Vincent.

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Thousand Lakes Stocked.

One thousand lakes and streams of Minnesota were stocked with 190,0[illegible]7,442 fish from state hatcheries during 1915, Carlos Avery, game and fish commissioner said. The numbers of each kind of fish follow: Brook trout, 5,609,624; brown trout, 872,372, lake trout, 91,110; steelhead trout, 59,250; pike, 183,227,000; bass, 29,285, crappies, 122,727; sunfish, 7,897; perch, 8,087.

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Health Work Curtailed.

The failure of the [illegible] to appropriate sufficient funds to carry on correctly the work of the state Board of Health from April 1 to August 1 was a set back to public health work in Minnesota, said Dr. A. J. Chesley, head of the division of preventable diseases in his annual report. Beginning in April the division was compelled to curtail its field work.

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Gift to State Blind School.

The Minnesota school for the blind in this city, with the legal department of the state as custodian has come into the possession of the estate of the late Samuel C. Brown, of Luverne, amounting to about $20,000.

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Opposes State Life Insurance.

The establishment of state life insurance would be a step in regression rather than one in advance, according to J. A. O. Preus former state commissioner of insurance and now state auditor. Mr. Preus maintained, however, that the state should maintain its rights to govern the conduct of life insurance companies and indicated that a statute is in contemplation giving the insurance commissioner power to question all prospective agents for companies as to their fitness for the work.

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How to avoid Operations

These Three Women Tell How They Escaped the Dreadful Ordeal of Surgical Operations.

Hospitals are great and necessary institutions, but they should be the last resort for women who suffer with ills peculiar to their sex. Many letters on file in the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., prove that a great number of women after they have been recommended to submit to an operation have been made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Here are three such letters. All sick women should read them.

Marinette, Wis.—"I went to the doctor and he told me I must have an operation for a female trouble, and I hated to have it done as I had been married only a short time. I would have terrible pains and my hands and feet were cold all the time. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and was cured, and I feel better in every way. I give you permission to publish my name because I am so thankful that I feel well again."—Mrs. Fred Behnke, Marinette, Wis.

Detroit, Mich.—"When I first took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was so run down with female troubles that I could not do anything, and our doctor said I would have to undergo an operation. I could hardly walk without help so when I read about the Vegetable Compound and what it had done for others I thought I would try it. I got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and a package of Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and used them according to directions. They helped me and today I am able to do all my work and I am well."—Mrs. Thos. Dwyer, 989 Milwaukee Ave., East, Detroit, Mich.

Bellevue, Pa.—"I suffered more than tongue can tell with terrible bearing down pains and inflammation. I tried several doctors and they all told me the same story, that I never could get well without an operation and I just dreaded the thought of that. I also tried a good many other medicines that were recommended to me and none of them helped me until a friend advised me to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. The first bottle helped, I kept taking it and now I don't know what it is to be sick any more and I am picking up in weight. I am 20 years old and weigh 145 pounds. It will be the greatest pleasure to me if I can have the opportunity to recommend it to any other suffering woman."—Miss Irene Froelicher, 1923 Manhattan St., North Side, Bellevue, Pa.

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WHY SHOULD WOMEN VOTE? ST. PAUL PAPER STATES FUNDAMENTAL REASONS.

Economic Changes Have Forced 8,000,000 Into Bread Winning Occupations—Politics an Essential Tool for Their Chest, Says Pioneer Press.

Because apart from whether she desires or not, woman must share "the obligations time and custom have given man." They see the "father-right" and the "mother-right" supplementing each the other throughout the whole of life.

Knowing that the "world do move," suffragists believe that this "initial form of woman's influence as developed through the ages" must keep pace with man. As he has progressed from primitive conditions, woman, advancing with him, has shared the the blessings of education and enlarging vision.

Suffragists see that political development has been logical, but is incomplete. The governing class, originally only chiefs, kings and priests, was extended to include knights and nobles. And then, as masses of men demanded it, further extended until now men are generally enfranchised.

Woman's life follows parallel lines. Abnormal in primitive industry within the home, she has been overtaken by modern industrialism that transforms her environment. Light, water, sewage, food, fuel, spinning, weaving, all have been commercialized. The home is subject to municipal regulation. Schools take over the teaching of the children. Lest woman forfeit her heritage as wife and mother, she must follow these interests, with her care and guidance into the larger life of the city which has absorbed them.

Gradually economic changes have forced approximately 8,000,000 women into bread-winning occupations. And mother-care is as necessary in the streets and council chambers as between the four walls of home. Women could not neglect these significant changes, so the best among them have for many years been feeling their way to larger service.

Many tools have been ready to their purpose, character, personal influence, untiring effort. But politics has laid over-emphasis upon the means of living and underestimated the quality of life. Women find their tool chest incomplete. As much as man, they need this other implement, the ballot. It is no more, no less important to woman than to man. It does not take the place of any of her other tools, but it will re-enforce them, dignify and relate her work to the issues of the time.

The franchise for woman cannot correct all evils, but its influence, like that of the church, will be on the side of good. This is proven by experience in countries and states where it exists.

During the last half century the women most distinguished for social service have felt the need of the ballot and have left a strong suffrage literature.

But suffrage for women is primarily a question of right and justice. Under republican form of government every one should have a right to a voice in the laws they are forced to obey, irrespective of whether they desire to exercise that right or not.

Neither can it be overlooked that approximately 4,000,000 women already have the ballot. Suffragists believe that Minnesota should not longer disfranchise Minnesota women who would be welcomed to effective citizenship in many other states of the Union.

The effort of women, both for and against suffrage, conclusively proves how vitally interested they are in public affairs and in itself is proof of their fitness to use the franchise.

And finally, suffragists hold that the voters of the state should decide this issue. And that, consequently, it is the manifest duty of the legislature to submit it to them.

ELLEN KEY SENDS MESSAGE TO MINNESOTA SUFFRAGISTS.

The women of Sweden are beginning to fear that their countrywomen in America will all vote before they do. A prominent Scandinavian woman of Minneapolis, Mrs. Luth Jaeger, has recently received a letter from Ellen Key, the well known Swedish writer and feminist. The letter reads:

"To the Women of Minnesota who are striving for Suffrage:

"Everywhere that women have risen to the struggle for their rights one must wish them courage and patience until victory is theirs. For just at present the greatest hope for humanity lies in that victory. To be sure, I do not believe that the world-war would have been avoided even if women had already had the vote. But if another and more terrible world-war is to be averted, the women of the new as well as of the old world, must soon, very soon, attain the vote.

"With all good wishes.

(Signed) "ELLEN KEY."

The women of Norway, Denmark, Finland, Iceland and The Netherlands have already been enfranchised. Only Sweden of the Scandinavian group

WOMEN VOTE IN 33 STATES

Have Full Suffrage in Eleven, Partial in Twenty-eight.

There are just fifteen states in the Union in which no women vote for anything whatever. There are eleven full suffrage states and one other state where women vote for president. There are twenty-one other states in which women have a partial right to vote—generally for members of school boards.

"So in two-thirds of the United States," says the Independent, "the question is no longer, 'Shall women vote?' It is rather, 'Shall women who vote for this be allowed to vote for that as well?' And in one quarter of the states even that searching question has been answered in the affirmative.

"Let us face the issue squarely.

"Since women may vote on child education, why not on child labor?

"Since women may have a hand in the spending of public moneys for hiring school teachers, why not for employing food inspectors?

"If women are to vote at all, they should vote in all states. If woman's place is in the home, it is as bad for her to take a place in a school board as in a health board."

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Mrs. E. O. Haggland is on the sick list this week.

Miss Clara Furr went to T. R. Falls Saturday to visit friends.

Mesdames Ole Kjelgren and Ole Knutson visited their sister Mrs. Erick Johnson at Ringbo last week.

The Holt State Bank held their annual meeting Wednesday afternoon and re-elected all of their old officers.

The date of Rev. Parish's next meeting here has been changed to a week from next Monday night, or to Jan. 24th.

Clarence Docken returned to his duties in the bank Wednesday after a couple of weeks visit at the home of his parents at Mekinock N. D.

Alfred Olson will grind feed on Mondays and Thursdays, only. Bring in your grain early, to get your feed back the same day. Good work done.

Yesterday morning the thermometers showed it to be all the way from forty to fifty degrees below zero in this part of the country. Thats going some, eh?

Marshall Co. won its case against Com. A. S. Rokke for overcharge of mileage and according to the decision of Judge Watts, Mr. Rokke must refund $5.60 for each of the nine meetings of the county board.

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Potatoes For Sale!

Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 50c per bushel delivered in Holt.

A. C. Jahr. Holt.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Nov. 1915.

Cream received	6,585 lbs
Average test	25.74
Butter fat	1695.43 lbs
Percent overrun	22 70
Butter made	2080 lbs
Balance on hand last month	27 05
Received for butter shipped	545 38
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 09
Cash sales at creamery	40 10
Coal sold	41 73
To other sources	2 79
Total	$663 14
Paid patrons by check	532 76
" " " Butter & milk	6 09
Expense fund, etc.	59 31
To sinking fund, coal sold	41 73
To sinking fund	11 94
Balance on hand	11 31
Total	$663 14

Number of patrons, 47

Price paid for butter fat, 32c

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage, containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and which default consists in mortgagors failure to pay the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, which is now past due, and which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, (a corporation) mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of October, 1913, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 24th day of October, 1913, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages on page 336.

That the amount claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage at this time is the sum of seven hundred eighty-five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars.

And whereas, no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage, or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The West half of the Northeast quarter (W1-2 NE1-4) and the East half of the Northwest quarter (E1-2 NW1-4) of Section thirty three (33) in Township one hundred fifty six (156) North of Range forty two (42), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing one hundred sixty acres (160) more or less according to the Government Survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 28th day of February, 1916, at eleven o'clock A. M., of that day at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of seven hundred eighty five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty ($50.00) Dollars, attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 10, 1916.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

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In Church Circles.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Sam Mickelson, Thursday Jan. 27th.

The English Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. All children welcome.

English services next Monday 8 p. m., Mission church, conducted by Rev. Parish. The public invited.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet next Saturday, Jan. 22, at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. T. E. Ellestad.

The Free Mason Ladies Aid will have their yearly meeting Thursday the 27th of January at two o'clock at the church. Try to be present all of you.

Rev. G. O. Parish, of Thief River Falls, will preach in the Free Mission church at 8 o'clock next Monday evening, Jan. 17th. Everyone invited to attend.

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Annual Creamery Meeting.

The annual meeting of The Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Co. of Holt, Minn., will be held in the M. W. A. Hall, Saturday Jan. 22, at 1 o'clock P. M. to elect Officers and transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y

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Annual short course, T. R. Falls high school, begins Jan. 31. Free to everyone over 16 years of age. A practical course that fits one for life's work, is offered here free of charge. Write Supt. Hay for further information.

Death of C. L. Anderson.

C. L. Anderson had been on the sick list for a couple of weeks. Dr. Faley was called Monday to see the sick man and Ole Backlund drove out there with him the same evening. The doctor found Mr. Anderson so bad that he recommended he be taken to the hospital in Thief River Falls, for treatment. Mr. Anderson was brought to town Tuesday in a covered sleigh and taken on a stretcher in the train to Thief River Falls where he was operated upon at the hospital for an abscess in the side. His condition became so serious that his wife was sent for Wednesday morning, Mrs. Anderson and son Carl went to Thief River Falls Wednesday afternoon to see the husband and father, who passed away at the hospital Wednesday night and the body was brought back here on the train yesterday afternoon. Arrangements have been made for the funeral, to be held at the Free Mission church next Tuesday Jan. 25th at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Bank Meeting.

The annual meeting of Holt State Bank was held Jan. 12th. There was no change of officers or directors, all the former officers and directores being re-elected for another year.

The condition of the bank showed a good, substantial growth over the preceeding year, the bank's resources showing an increace of nearly $10,000.00.

The business for last year has proven very satisfactory.

Southeast of Holt.

The days are beginning to lengthen and the cold is beginning to strengthen.

Mrs. S. G. Moe entertained the Ladies Aid on Thursday of last week.

Mrs T. Michaelson and daughter Marie left for Chicago on Friday.

The Misses Annie and Elszabeth Kisch and the Messrs Elmer Odie and Harry Moe were very pleasantly entertained at the Carl Larson home on Sunday afternoon.

Bernard Larson and Elmer Odie of Golden Valley visited at the Carl Larson home on Sunday. They will leave for Middle River accompanied by Clarence Larson on Monday at which place Bernard Larson expects to make final proof on his homestead.

Miss Lesa Olson is working for Mrs. Kelly.

Mr. Willie Rude is reported being seriously sick.

Adolph Sollom went to Crookston, Tuesday, on business.

Fire insurance rates are lower, but they will be still lower when we get some kind of fire protection.

While we are having nice weather here, they are having devastating floods in California and a hard freeze on the Ohio river is all that has stopped a flood there. Minnesota is hard to beat on climate or any thing else.

Mrs. Martin Tunheim died at her home in St. Paul one day last week. Mr. Tunheim has employment in South St. Paul. They formerly lived between this place and Newfolden and were well and favorably known by many of our people.

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

HOLT STATE BANK

Holt, Minnesota

At the Close of its Years Business on Jan. 11, 1916.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$65,955.40	Capital	$10,000.00
Banking House F. & F.	3,259.00	Surplus	3,000.00
Other Real Estate	2,900.00	Undivided Profits	$2,945.54
Cash on hand and in Banks	20,441.42	Bills Payable	4,000.00
Other Resources	2,410.20	Deposits	75,020.68
	$94,966.22		$94,966.22

D. B. BAKKE, President

A. D. STEPHENS, Vice-President
(Pres. Merchants Nat'l Bank, Crookston, Minn.)

B. DOCKEN, Cashier

Spelling Contest.

A spelling contest for the pupils of fourteen schools tributary to Holt, will be held in the Holt public school building, Saturday Jan. 29th, at 1:30 P. M. Each school to be represented by their two best spellers. The winner of the contest will go to Warren to take part in the county contest. A small admission fee will be charged to pay the expenses of the winner.

Newfolden will vote on incorporation Feb. 1st.

C. H. Gunheim went to Warren Monday on business.

Mail service between Thief River Falls and Goodridge was established this week Monday.

The grocery stores and billiard halls of Thief River Falls have been notified by the mayor to close on Sundays.

This being leap year, we give the readers of the fair sex a valuable receipe on how to cook husbands.

The big farm crops show will be held in Crookston Feb. 7 to 12, but exhibits must be there Feb. 3. Between $6000 and $7000 in premiums will be given and Marshall county farmers should be there to get their share.

The Pennington Co., board compromised the scrap over the county printing by giving it to the T. R. Falls Times.

The first regular overland mail service between San Francisco and the east was by pony express. It was established in 1860 and cost $5.00 for every half ounce for letters.

It is rumored that Montenegro has surrendered unconditionally to Austria and that peace will be made between the two countries.

Many have been surprised by the filing of a petition asking for a county option election for Red Lake county. The petition contained 23 more names than necessary and the election will be held either Feb. 21 or 28th.

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Holt, Minnesota

Ed Nelson visited over Sunday with his — in Strathcona.

Secy C. H. Zealand, of Crookston, will send you full information, as to The Fifth Annual Farm Crops Show upon postal cards request to him.

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Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

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"How are you getting along with Miss Gadson?"

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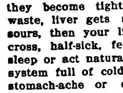
"I see."

"But I'll be out of the race if she ever gets acquainted with a fellow who owns a high-power aeroplane."

SAVED MINISTER'S LIFE.

Rev. W. H. Warner, Frederick, Md., writes: "My trouble was Sciatica. My back was affected and took the form of Lumbago. I also had Neuralgia, cramps in my muscles, pressure or sharp pain on the top of my head and nervous dizzy spells. I had other symptoms showing that my Kidneys were at fault, so I took Dodd's Kidney Pills. They were the means of saving my life."



Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c per box at your dealer, or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets for indigestion have been proved, 50c per box. Write for Household Hints, also music of National Anthem (English and German words) and recipes for dainty dishes. All 3 sent free.—Adv.

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Get Hoyt's and you will be satisfied. For sale at all drug stores.

A Long Spell.

Teacher—Can you spell prestidigitator?

Tommie—No, mother doesn't want me to.

"Why not?"

"She said she only wanted me to go to school for a short spell."—Yonkers Statesman.

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"Yes, and the time to do it is when he first begins to rock the boat."

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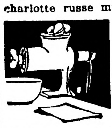
The KITCHEN CABINET

Commend us to the man who does not agree with you always. You might as well go out in the timber and talk to an echo as to the person who agrees to everything you say.

SEASONABLE DISHES.

A delicious dessert is made by piling charlotte russe mixture on pieces of chocolate cake. Another combination with charlotte russe is the orange marmalade, using it as a garnish and serving the charlotte in sherbet glasses. The combination is especially pleasing.



Pineapple Toast.—Add a little sugar to the sirup in a can of pineapple, using half of a can of fruit for this dish. Add a tablespoonful of lemon juice and boil three minutes; then add the slices of pineapple and keep the whole hot. Cut rounds of sponge cake, butter and dredge with sugar, then set in the oven to brown. When ready to serve set a round of pineapple on the round of cake and pour over the sauce.

Hashed Lamb With Rice and Peas.—Chop fine edible portions of cold cooked lamb, to the meat; add a little of the broth or gravy and boiling water, season well with salt and pepper and heat very hot. Place the meat on a hot platter, surround with cooked, seasoned rice and surround the rice with seasoned green peas or the canned variety.

Curried Potatoes.—Peel a small onion and cut into thin rings; melt three tablespoonfuls of butter in a frying pan and cook the onion until it is softened and yellow; add six or eight sliced potatoes, sprinkle with salt, pepper and a level teaspoonful of curry powder, stirred smooth, with a cupful of broth; simmer ten minutes. Squeeze over the juice of half a lemon, turn and serve very hot.

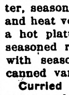
A delicious combination when one desires something especially dainty is creamed celery with shredded almonds. Prepare a rich cream sauce, add cooked, tender celery and the almonds. Serve in timbale cases or patty shells.

Baked Ham.—The Swedish people use the following covering over a ham while baking. Take two cupfuls of bread crumbs, four tablespoonfuls of vinegar, one tablespoonful of mustard, one egg and a dash of pepper and salt to season, spread over the ham before baking. It forms a delicious crust and keeps in all the flavor of the meat.

If thou of fortune be bereft,
And in thy store there be but left
Two loaves—sell one, and with the dole
Buy hyacinths to feed thy soul.

PINEAPPLE JUICE.

Pineapple juice is one of the wholesome nonalcoholic drinks which may be bought in bottles or can be put up at home. The wonderful Hawaiian pineapple is now well known and appreciated all over the country. Medical scientists have been experimenting for years with the fruit and juice to discover its therapeutic qualities. It has been decided by these experts that while pineapple juice is not a cure-all it is especially good for the digestive organs and a great benefit to sufferers of sore throat. It is also used in the treatment for tuberculosis. It is a delightful drink served with carbonated water or simply as one does grape juice.



All cooks who use gelatin with pineapple know that they need to use more of the gelatin with pineapple than with other juices as it shows its digestive power on gelatin.

Regents Punch.—Take the juice of three lemons, one pound of sugar, two quart bottles of pineapple juice a quart of strong Oolong tea and a quart of carbonated water.

Fruit Punch.—Take two lemons, two oranges sliced thin, add two quarts of pineapple juice, one quart of fine large strawberries or raspberries, one quart of Apollinaris water and a pound of sugar. Serve with plenty of ice.

Pineapple Punch.—Add to the juice of three lemons a pound of sugar, three quarts of pineapple juice and six slices of pineapple, cut in pieces. Serve in a punch bowl with a quart of carbonated water and a large piece of ice. This will serve a small company liberally. Let stand a while to get thoroughly cold and somewhat diluted with the ice.

Pineapple juice may be used in any number of ways as desserts. A delicious frappe is the following. Boil together for a quarter of an hour, one and a half pints of water with two cupfuls of sugar. Pour the hot sirup over a can of grated pineapple, then add the juice of three lemons, and let stand until cold. Strain and add a pint of pineapple juice and a pint of water. Freeze to a mush.

COMPANY LUXURIES.

These dishes are not for daily use in the ordinary household, as they are either too much work to prepare or are too expensive.

Fillets of Game or Chicken.—Cut the meat from the bones in wide strips and cook it in well-buttered skillet until brown, then add a tablespoonful of butter, two tablespoonfuls of currant jelly and the strained gravy left from the first cooking of the fowl, or venison. Have molded a ring of rice, place in the oven after spreading with butter and brown. Serve on a round dish and put the fillets in the center with the sauce poured over. A teaspoonful of curry and a teaspoonful of chutney added to the sauce will add variety to this dish.

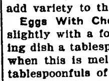
Eggs With Cheese.—Beat six eggs slightly with a fork. Place in a chafing dish a tablespoonful of butter, and when this is melted and hot add two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese. Stir until smooth, then add the eggs and season with paprika and salt. Cook until the eggs are scrambled. Serve on toast.

Nesselrode Pudding.—Make a custard of three cupfuls of milk, 1⅓ cupfuls of sugar, the yolks of five eggs and a half teaspoonful of salt, strain and cool; add a pint of thin cream, a fourth of a cupful of pineapple sirup and 1⅓ cupfuls of cooked and mashed chestnuts. The nuts are put through a strainer after cooking. Line a two-quart melon mold with a part of the mixture and to the remainder add one-half a cupful of candied fruit, cut in bits, a quarter of a cupful of sultana raisins and eight chestnuts broken in pieces and soaked in cherry juice for a few hours. Fill a mold, cover, pack in salt and ice and let stand two hours. Serve with whipped cream, sweetened and flavored with Maraschino sirup.

Bombe Glacee.—Line a mold with sherbet or water ice, fill with ice cream or thin charlotte russes, cover, pack in ice and salt and let stand two hours. Macaroon ice cream is another good combination.

DESIRABLE DUMPLINGS.

Dumplings are a great emergency dish when the chicken or stew seems too small for the family. A nice fluffy lot of dumplings to surround the platter of meat makes a most satisfying sight.



Dumplings.—Add one beaten egg to a cupful of milk, a little salt and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, sifted with flour enough to make a mixture stiff enough to drop from the spoon. Flours differ so in thickening power that no exact measurement can be given. Drop them on the boiling stew with a teaspoon and they will cook in eight minutes. Leave them covered during the entire time so they will be puffy and light.

Bread Dumplings.—Just before putting the bread into the pans, take out about half a loaf, add butter and make small biscuits. Let rise a few minutes until about the size of a walnut. Drop these in the hot broth and cook, carefully covered, twenty minutes. If larger dumplings are made the time must be longer for the cooking.

Potato Dumplings.—To a pint of milk add a beaten egg, a little salt, a cupful of mashed, hot seasoned potato, and flour to make a drop batter. Add two teaspoonfuls of baking powder to the last of the flour, mixing well. Drop in small spoonfuls in chicken or beef broth and cook twenty minutes.

Potato Dumplings With Sauce.—Cook and rice six medium sized potatoes; add a pint of bread crumbs, browned in butter, also two well beaten eggs and salt enough to season. Form in twelve balls and steam twenty minutes; place on a dish and pour over them a half cupful of melted butter.

Sauce.—Brown one teaspoonful of onion and a tablespoonful of flour in two tablespoonfuls of butter, then add a cupful of cider vinegar and stir until it boils, season with salt to taste.

Nellie Maxwell

GATHERED FACTS

A spring attachment to prevent the lid falling off features a recently patented tea kettle.

Operated entirely by electricity, a dry dock in Holland can lift vessels of 8,000 tons register.

An inventor in Russia has developed a method for making felt boots and knit goods from dog hair.

A holder for ice cream cones has been invented that enables them to be filled without danger of breaking.

Although Asia has many high mountain ranges it has fewer large waterfalls than any other continent.

A Nebraska inventor has patented a counter-balanced gate that swings vertically instead of horizontally.

Swedish chemists have developed a new high explosive for military purposes from perchloride of ammonia.

A speed indicator to be carried on the back of automobiles registers on a plainly visible segment, which is illuminated at night with lights of various colors to show different speeds.

MONTENEGRO SUES FOR PEACE, BERLIN WAR OFFICE HEARS

AGREES TO UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER OF ARMY, ACCORDING TO ANNOUNCEMENT IN HUNGARIAN PARLIAMENT.

FIRST BREAK IN RANKS OF THE ALLIES OCCURS

Beaten Little Kingdom Did Not Sign Treaty of London Binding England, France, Russia and Italy to Conclude no Separate Peace.

Berlin (via wireless to Sayville), Jan. 18.—The first break in the ranks of the Allies has occurred. Crushed and threatened with complete disaster at the hands of the Austrian invaders, Montenegro has sued for peace and has agreed to an unconditional surrender of the remnants of her armies.

Official announcement of this fact was made in the Hungarian parliament by Count Tisza. The news was received with great rejoicing in Budapest and in Berlin when it was telegraphed here.

Austrian to Be Ruler.

Count Tisza announced that peace negotiations will begin at once. It is understood here that King Nicholas will leave his country with other members of the royal family and go to Italy. In all probability an Austrian will be named to the throne of the tiny kingdom that had withstood invading armies for decades.

News of Montenegro's capitulation caused no surprise here. Unofficial reports several days ago said that King Nicholas had agreed to an armistice with General Koevess, the Austrian commander, immediately after the fall of the Montenegrin capital, Cettinje. Subsequent engagements in southern Montenegro are presumed to have been found between Montenegrin irregulars and Austrian troops.

Negotiations Include Germany.

Montenegro declared war on Austria on Aug. 7, 1914, and on Germany five days later. The peace negotiations, therefore, will include the conclusion of a peace with Germany.

The Montenegrins invaded Bosnia and Herzegovina, co-operating with the Serbians. They were poorly equipped and were unable to make much progress, but retained a hold on a small portion of Austrian territory until only a few weeks ago. At no time did the Montenegrin army exceed more than 50,000 men, according to reports received here.

Not Bound by Treaty.

The Austrian invasion of Montenegro began shortly after the Austro-German drive against Serbia. Austrian troops swung west through the Sanjak of Novibazar and drove the Montenegrins well into their own territory. While holding them there, a new offensive from Cattaro was strongly developed. The fall of Mount Loween last week was followed quickly by the capture of Cettinje, the Montenegrin capital, and the dispersion of the Montenegrin forces.

Montenegro did not sign the treaty of London, binding England, France, Russia and Italy to conclude no separate peace.

BANK ROBBER IS CAPTURED

Takes Bag Marked "$10,000 in Gold," But Containing $25 in Pennies—Overpowered by Clerks.

Minneapolis, Jan. 18. A man who posed as an electric burglar alarm expert to gain admittance to the bank's vault, snatched a big money bag from the St. Anthony Falls bank's store of treasure and dived through a plate glass door.

It was a daring act, but the prize was seemingly worth it.

The bag bore the label: "$10,000 in Gold."

Well, the label was wrong. The bag may have been used for gold once upon a time, but when it was taken it contained just $25 in pennies.

The bank's clerical force jumped through the hole he had made, threw a man they found outside to the sidewalk and sat on him until the police arrived. The bag of pennies was recovered.

Sarrail Given Supreme Command.

Rome, Jan. 18.—General Sarrail, French commander, has been placed in supreme command of the Anglo-French operations in Greece according to Saloniki dispatches.

"Substitution Baby" Case Reopened

London, Jan. 18.(Special.)—The famous "substitution baby" case which aroused great interest in America because of the prominence of the parents, is expected to come up in the courts here again. Mrs. Dorothy Morgan Cutler Slingsby of California who by the recent court decisions, is the mother of "Teddy" Slingsby, the infant claimant to the $1,000,000 estate of the Slingsbys in Yorkshire, will be represented by counsel and will oppose the motion to set aside the decision in favor of the California heir.

JURY FINDS PRICE GUILTY OF MURDER IN FIRST DEGREE

RETURNS VERDICT AT 12:40 P. M. AFTER DELIBERATION OF 20 HOURS—STAY OF SENTENCE GRANTED.

APPEARS NERVOUS AS VERDICT IS ANNOUNCED

Defendant in Sensational Murder Trial Near Break-Down For First Time—Motion for New Trial to be Argued Wednesday.

Minneapolis, Jan. 17.—Frederick T. Price was convicted of murder in the first degree by a jury that reported to Judge Fish at 12:40 p. m. Saturday. On motion of M. C. Brady, attorney for Price, Judge Fish granted a stay of sentence until Wednesday, when a motion for a new trial on the ground of newly discovered evidence and alleged errors occurring in the conduct of the trial will be argued.

Under the verdict only one sentence, life imprisonment, can be imposed.

Price Appears Nervous.

More nervous than he had appeared since the trial began, Price was led into the court room five minutes before the jurors filed in. His hands were trembling and his chin quivered. As he saw the crowd that filled every seat in the small court room in which Judge Fish received the verdict, he pulled himself together and, outwardly calm, waited while Judge Fish took the bench and A. E. Frost, deputy clerk of the district court, called the roll of jurors.

"Gentlemen, have you agreed on a verdict?" asked Mr. Frost and there was tense silence in the court room as James C. Bain, first venireman chosen and the foreman of the jury, replied, "We have."

Reads Verdict.

Every eye was riveted on the prisoner as Mr. Frost received the verdict, handed it to Judge Fish and then when the court had passed it back, read the words:

"We, the jury, find the defendant, Frederick T. Price, guilty as charged in the indictment."

During the wait for the verdict Price sat at a table, just behind his attorney, M. C. Brady. Brady was nervous. Price sat quietly and looked about the room, then casually at the sober-faced jurors.

But his right hand, resting on the table, tapped a little tattoo, the one sign that he knew he was facing his great climax. The verdict was read: "Guilty."

When the jurors received their charge from the court more than a thousand men and women thronged the room and filled the corridors.

Judge Fish Charges Jury.

In his charge, Judge Fish told the jurors that they could not convict, under the Minnesota statutes, on the unsupported word of an accomplice. The question of whether or not the testimony of other witnesses for the state corroborated Etchison's testimony, according to the attorneys, was one of the stumbling blocks in the way of the jurors' agreement.

Guilty or Acquittal.

Under Judge Fish's charge the jury could return only two verdicts, guilty of murder in the first degree, or acquittal. Second degree murder was not charged. From the evidence, Judge Fish instructed the jury, Price was either guilty of premeditated murder or he was not guilty. The story told by Etchison, the bulwark of the state's case, left no room, according to Judge Fish, for a verdict of murder in the second degree, wherein there is no premeditation.

Collapse Is Averted.

In his closing address to the jury Mr. Brady accused Etchison, star witness for the state, of using narcotics on the stand. Once, while apparently on the verge of wilting under his cross-examination, Mr. Brady says Etchison drew out a folded handkerchief and snuffed its contents. "From that moment he was brighter on the stand and his collapse was averted," declared the attorney.

Ridicules State's Theory.

Mr. Brady ridiculed the theory of the state that Price had killed his wife that he might have her money to live at ease with another woman. "If he were going to kill her for money," declared the attorney, "he would have waited until Christmas, when her father planned to give her $20,000 more in property."

New York G. O. P. State Convention.

New York, Jan. 17.—The Republican state committee decided unanimously to hold an unofficial state convention in this city Feb. 15 for the purpose of recommending four delegates and four alternates to the national convention at Chicago. Elihu Root was named as the committee's choice for president. The session was harmonious until F. D. Kilburn moved that the committee go on record as being in favor of any measure designed to prepare the U. S. against invasion.

Glass of Hot Water Before Breakfast a Splendid Habit

Open sluices of the system each morning and wash away the poisonous, stagnant matter.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise; splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, lame back, can, instead, both look and feel as fresh as a daisy always by washing the poisons and toxins from the body with phosphated hot water each morning.

We should drink, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to flush from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

The action of limestone phosphate and hot water on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast and it is said to be but a little while until the roses begin to appear in the cheeks. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will cost very little at your druggist or from the store, but is sufficient to make anyone who is bothered with biliousness, constipation, stomach trouble or rheumatism a real enthusiast on the subject of internal sanitation. Try it and you are assured that you will look better and feel better in every way shortly.—Adv.

The Social Whirl.

Blondine—I notice Bennie Beanbrough is home for the winter.

Brunette—Yes, after spending the summer at a seaside resort he says he is tired of the social whirl.

"I don't wonder he is tired of the kind of social whirl he knows about."

"What do you mean?"

"He earned his living during the summer by collecting tickets on a merry-go-round."—Youngstown Telegram.

"CASCARETS" FOR SLUGGISH BOWELS

No sick headache, sour stomach, biliousness or constipation by morning.

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Trying the Jury.

"What is the status of that murder case you are on?"

"Counsel for the defense has convicted all us jurymen of being the sons of parents, and intimates that we will be criminals if we don't let his client go."

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

The Best Excuse.

Brown—Ignorance of the law excuses no one.

Smith—Quite so. It is much better to be rich and hire good lawyers.

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Didn't the fire spoil your party?"

"Oh! dreadfully. Not one of the firemen was in evening dress."

'Twould Spoil It All.

Mother—Young man, don't ever let me catch you kissing my daughter.

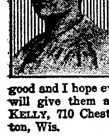
Young Man—No, ma'am, I won't.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

The man who attempts to match his logic against a woman's tears is one kind of a padded-cell candidate.

PAINS IN SIDE AND BACK

How Mrs. Kelly Suffered and How She was Cured.



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'Nother Solar-Plexus Blow.

Sapleigh—I—aw—am suah we are going to have a beastly hawd wintah, doncher know.

Miss Knox—No, I'm sure I don't know. But why are you so sure of it?

Sapleigh—Er—because I—aw—feel it in my bones.

Miss Knox—Really? So you still believe in that old goose-bone theory?

Is silence golden? Then no woman is worth her weight in gold!

Makes Hard Work Harder

A bad back makes a day's work twice as hard. Backache usually comes from weak kidneys, and if headaches, dizziness or urinary disorders are added, don't wait—get help before the kidney disease takes a grip—before dropsy, gravel or Bright's disease sets in. Doan's Kidney Pills have brought new life and new strength to thousands of working men and women. Used and recommended the world over.

A North Dakota Case

Every Picture Tells a Story

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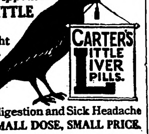

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What's Doing in Minnesota

Red Wing. — Mrs. Jennie Fraser, said to be the oldest member of the Sioux tribe of Indians on Prairie Island, is dead. She was about 90 years old.

Bemidji.—This city will not only join in the national "pay-up week," Feb. 21 to 26, but its banks have agreed to loan money that all persons may balance their accounts at that time.

Duluth. — A decision handed down by Judge W. A. Cant has knocked in the head about two-thirds of the paving program which the city had arranged for this year, and which was to cost in the neighborhood of $1,000,000.

Duluth. — Civil proceedings to recover $3,462.13 of county funds from William A. Anderson, Thomas Clark and the American Bonding company of Baltimore have been started by Charles E. Adams, special counsel for the county board.

Duluth. — The sale by the city of the old armory to the Shriners has raised a storm of protest among working men, who wanted it saved for a public assembly hall and social center for laborers, and is likely to result in a referendum election.

St. Paul.—The All-Minnesota Development association will incorporate, it has been virtually decided at a meeting in the Senate Chamber at the Capitol. The committee was named at the first meeting of the association at the call of the late Governor Hammond, December 1.

Northfield. — The men who will compose the Carleton intercollegiate debating teams for the coming year were chosen following a series of tryout debates. Two teams of three men each will represent Carleton in the debates against Beloit and Grinnell colleges to be held in March.

Duluth.—Trappers arriving here with wolf hides for bounty report that hundreds of Northern Minnesota deer are being slaughtered by wolves. The exceptionally deep snow and the alternate freezing and thawing have made a crust that will sustain the weight of wolves, but the sharp hoofs of deer break through and they fall an easy prey.

Winona. — James A. Tawney has returned from Detroit, Mich., where he attended a meeting of the international joint commission. The conference was confined exclusively to consideration of the consulting engineers' report on the Lake of the Woods level, the most advantageous use of the waters of the lake, and the question of land values along the shores.

Kelliher.—When the village council met here to grant a liquor license to R. J. Pupore and Gust Olson, despite the fact Kelliher is in Indian "lid" territory, they found themselves blocked by Sheriff Johnson, who was armed with papers from County Attorney Torrance notifying members of the council that they would violate the law and lay themselves open to being ousted from office by granting the licenses.

Warren.—Eight thousand acres of Minnesota land, a part of the Red Lake bottom, will be thrown open to entry and settlement next spring, according to an announcement by local agents, based on information received from the general land office in Washington. Twice before the interior department has made arrangements to open this land, which is in the eastern part of Marshall county, but certain complications arose and delays ensued.

Minneapolis. Three thousand men are expected to enroll for the Minneapolis Laymen's Missionary Movement convention which will be in session at Westminister Presbyterian Church, January 23 to 26. More than 1,000 have registered already, and judging by the rapid enrollment during the final pre-convention days in other cities the remaining two thirds will no doubt be secured. The convention has aroused keen interest in the smaller towns in the southern part of the state served by it.

St Paul. If the state fair is to expand and become more valuable to the state, the people of Minnesota must realize the fair is an educational institution and deserves ample support from the legislature C. P. Craig of Duluth, president of the Minnesota State Agricultural society, stated in his annual address at the Capitol. Governor Burnquist made his first formal talk since taking office December 30 and offered his co-operation. He said the fair has been a big factor in development of the state.

Minneapolis. More than 100 farmers from the neighborhood of Frederic, Polk County, Wisconsin made a flying trip to Minneapolis and the University Farm school, recently. Under the direction of County Agent Klinka, the party reached the Farm school in time for luncheon as guests of the committee on Northwest Development of the Minneapolis Civic and Commerce association.

Duluth. — This city has a cow with a gross earning capacity of $1,000 yearly for milk alone, with an additional $1,000 for her calf. She is Jean Du Luth Beauty owned by the Jean Du Luth farms here, and has set several new official world's records for a year's production of milk and butter fat.

Minneapolis. Establishment of a state museum of the European type was advocated by Dr George E Vincent president of the University of Minnesota, in an address before the Minnesota Historical society in the senate chamber of the state capitol.

SALTS IF BACKACHY OR KIDNEYS TROUBLE YOU

Eat Less Meat If Your Kidneys Aren't Acting Right or If Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers You.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is a life saver for regular meat eaters. It is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink.—Adv.

NO CHANCE FOR BUSINESS

Old Gentleman's Explanation Convinced Agent That He Had Called at the Wrong House.

The agent stopped at the piazza of the cottage by the sea, where sat a bronzed and ragged old man.

"If you are troubled with moths, as no doubt you are, I have just the proper remedy."

"Moths have never bothered me," said the old man.

"How about the grasshopper pest? I have something here which is guaranteed—"

"I don't believe I've seen a grasshopper in forty years. The fact is—"

"But surely you want to be prepared to fight the locusts. Now, this package contains—"

"I have never had any trouble with locusts, and I never expect to," replied the old man.

"Well, you've got me stumped," said the agent. "How do you manage to escape all these things?"

"Easy enough. I'm captain of the brigantine Nellie M., sailing between here and Java."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

He's a Wiser Man Now.

There is no use in arguing with your better half as to who is boss of the shack, especially if she happens to be in the amazon class. This didn't occur to a New York married man until after his spouse was through discipling him. And then he looked as if he had tried to stop a train. He is wearing enough gauze around his head to make a summer frock for an elephant, his windpipe is in splints and his pretty blue eyes are closed and in deep mourning. The doctors say he will live for years, but that he will be dizzy for about a week. Wifey allowed that she did all this by "tapping hubby with a comb." The court, however, inclined to the belief that the lady combs her hair with a healthy anvil.

PRESSED HARD

Coffee's Weight on Old Age.

When people realize the injurious effects of coffee and the better health that a change to Postum can bring, they are usually glad to lend their testimony for the benefit of others.

"My mother, since her early childhood, was an inveterate coffee drinker, had been troubled with her heart for a number of years and complained of that 'weak all-over' feeling and sick stomach.

"Some time ago I was making a visit to a distant part of the country and took dinner with one of the merchants of the place. I noticed a somewhat unusual flavor of the 'coffee and asked him concerning it. He replied that it was Postum.

"I was so pleased with it that I bought a package to carry home with me, and had wife prepare some for the next meal. The whole family liked it so well that we discontinued coffee and used Postum entirely.

"I had been very anxious concerning my mother's condition, but we noticed that after using Postum for a short time she felt much better, had little trouble with her heart, and no sick stomach; that the headaches were not so frequent, and her general condition much improved. This continued until she was well and hearty.

"I know Postum has benefited myself and the other members of the family, especially my mother, as she was a victim of long standing." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms.

Postum Cereal—the original form must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

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"There's a Reason" for Postum.

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INVESTMENT BOARD WOULD SELL BONDS

STATE SEEKS BUYERS FOR GILT EDGED SECURITIES VALUED AT $2,643,000.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

If purchasers can be found, $2,643,000 in bonds of other states now held by the various Minnesota trust funds will be sold and the proceeds invested in Minnesota state, County and municipal securities which pay a higher rate of interest.

At a meeting of the state investmet board, State Treasurer Smith was instructed to find without delay purchasers for Virginia, Alabama and Delaware state bonds now owned by Minnesota and to report to the board any offers received. In compliance Mr. Smith left at once for New York and will endeavor to find a buyer among the big insurance and investment companies of the East.

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Insurance Assets $233,486.

Minnesota, which began Aug. 1, 1913, to carry its own fire insurance, had on Dec. 31 last a surplus over all liabilities of $187,073.69, with unearned premiums of $46,413, making total assets of $233,486.69. In the 2½ years since the state abandoned the old system of fire insurance the losses incurred reached $9,385.81, with about $12,000,000 of insurance in force. The expense of administration was $7,126.94, making the total cost $16,512.75.

From these figures Samuel D. Works, state insurance commissioner, is convinced that the experiment has been amply justified.

There have been earned premiums to the amount of $126,069, which with the unearned premium of $46,413 and $77,517 remaining from the latest legislative appropriation, comprise the assets of the state's insurance account.

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Contributes to Revenues.

State Insurance Commissioner S. D. Works contributed to the general revenues of the state during 1915 departments earnings amounting to $88,379,86. In the year previous the earnings of the state insurance department amounted to $81,083.67.

The following companies were licensed last year: 100 stock fire, 42 foreign fire, 25 mutual fire, 158 township mutuals, 55 level premium, 62 casualty (stock), 17 assessment casualty, 7 hail and cyclone, 65 fraternal, 5 assessment, life and accident.

There were four new stock fire companies licensed, 2 foreign fire, 2 mutual fire, 1 townsip mutual, 8 level premium life, 6 stock casualty, 2 fraternal, 2 mutual casualty and 1 reciprocal exchange.

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Makes Plea to Farmers.

A plea to the farmers of the state not to permit the University to be made the "football of politics," and to spread the gospel of confidence in the administration of the institution, especially among members of the legislature, was made by Fred B. Snyder, president of the board of regents, at the final session of the farmers' short course at the Agricultural college.

Mr. Snyder charged that the board of regents had been misrepresented regarding expenditures and the use of appropriations and read a resolution which was introduced at the last session of the legislature in support of his charges.

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Will Aid Road Work.

The Minnesota Highway commission will continue furnishing speakers at road meetings outside the state, particularly in localities whose roads join Minnesota, State Engineer George W. Cooley says. Standards for roads and bridges will be furnished. Mr Cooley or another representative of the office will attend the good roads convention at Huron, S. D. February 2.

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State Farm Society Meets.

Subjects dealing almost entirely with the management of the Minnesota State Fair and County fairs of Minnesota were to be the principal topics of discussion at the annual meeting of the Minnesota State Agricultural society, which was held at the state capitol. A big attendance was expected.

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Urges Patriotism in Schools.

A circular probably will be sent out from the office of C. G. Schultz, state superintendent of education to school authorities, urging them to make proper provision for the growth and expression of true patriotic sentiment by pupils and teachers in schools.

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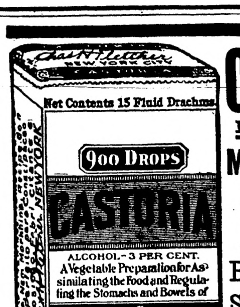
Protests Flat Charge For Icing.

J. J. Farrell, state dairy and food commissioner, was in Chicago to attend a hearing before the interstate commerce commission to protest on behalf of the creameries of Minnesota against the commission's order allowing refrigerator car companies to make a flat charge for icing. Shippers now pay for ice only when it is furnished. Mr. Farrell says the new rule will work a great disadvantage to the Minnesota creameries that ship to New York, and will mean thousands of dollars a year in additional charges.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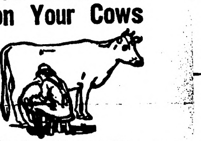

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Young men and women from 18 counties and five states attended the Crookston Agricultural School during the term just closed before the holidays, still there is room for more of them there.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.19
Wheat No. 2	1.15
Wheat No. 3	1.09
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Local Items

The Nyberg children are sick with the measles.

Mrs. H. P. Bean is numbered with the sick this week.

Rev. Parish will preach next Monday evening, in the Free Mission church.

The annual creamery meeting will be held Jan. 22nd. See notice in this weeks paper.

Spelling contest at the school house Saturday Jan. 29th, at 1:30 P. M. Everyone invited.

Mrs. K. O. Flakne came Wednesday to visit Mesdames Huseth and Bray for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and son Adrian visited relatives in T. R. Falls, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Clarence Kolden having decided to try his hand at the insurance business, went to St. Hilaire, Wednesday, to look over the field there.

Men, women and children, all should hear Prof. Hay at the Woodmen hall, at 2 o'clock to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon. Admission free. Don't fail to be there.

Agent Pevek was relieved of his position Tuesday and E. A. Harloff of Hutchinson was sent here to take charge of the station. Mr. Pevek was generally liked and this action of the G. N. is not being kindly received by our people.

Mrs. Oswald Hoel has been very sick the past week with pneumonia. Mrs. E. T. Eide and her brother Olaf Hoel of Spooner come Saturday called here by the serious nature of their mother's sickness.

Feed ground Mondays and Thursdays only. Come in early.
Alfred Olson.

A. L. Carlson drove over to Newfolden Sunday to visit at the Arvid Carlson home.

Miss Ella Olberg went to Middle River Monday to visit her parents.

The choir will meet Friday evening at the B. Docken home to practice some new songs. All are requested to be present.

Mrs. Alkenbrack received the sad news Monday of the death of her sister Mrs. Thetro in Minneapolis. The deceased had been suffering from rheumatism for many years and was in poor health up to the time of her death. Sympathy is extended to the relatives and friends who mourn her death.

Found: A wagon box end-gate. Owner please prove property and pay for this notice.

J. P. Lein left Wednesday for a short business trip to Crookston and Warren.

Mrs. Sam Mickelson will entertain the Ladies Aid, at the restaurant, next Thursday afternoon. All are invited to attend.

A. H. Huseth was a business caller at the Pennington "county seat," Tuesday.

The Newfolden doctor was called Sunday to see the A. H. Langley children who are sick with measles.

Rudolph Reierson returned home Monday from about a weeks visit in Minneapolis.

Ben Hoff of Strathcona was here Monday and Tuesday on business.

Julius Olson returned to Strathcona, Wednesday, after a few days visit at home with his mother, and other relatives.

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How To Cook A Husband.

A good many husbands are spoiled in the cooking. Some women go about it as if their husbands were bladders and blow them up. Others keep them constantly in hot water, others let them freeze by their carelessness and indifference. Some keep them in a stew by irritating ways and words. Others roast them Some keep them in a pickle all their lives. It cannot be supposed that husbands will be tender and good managed in this way, but they are delicious when properly treated.

In selecting your husband you should not be guided by the silvery appearance as in buying mackeral or by the golden tint, as if you wanted salmon. Be sure and select him yourself as tastes differ. Do not go to market for him, as the best are always brought to your door. It is far better to have none unless you will patiently learn how to cook them. A preserving kettle of the finest porcelain is the best, but if you have nothing but an earthenware pepkin, it will do, with care. See that the linen in which you wrap him in is nicely washed and mended, with the required number of buttons and strings. Tie him in the kettle by a strong silk cord called comfort, as the one called to duty is apt to be weak. They are apt to fly out of the kittle and be burned and crusty on the edges, such like crabs and lobsters, you have to cook them alive.

Make a clear steady fire of love, neatness and cheerfulness. Set him as near this as seems to agree with him. If he sputters and fizzes, do not be anxious: some husbands do this, until he is quite done. Add a little sugar in the form of what confectioners call kisses, but no vinegar or pepper on any account. A little spice improves them, but must be used with judgment. Do not stick any sharp instruments into him to see if he is becoming tender. Stir him gently watch the while lest he lie too flat, or close to the kettle and so become useless. You cannot fail to know when he is done. If thus treated you will find him very digestable, agreeing nicely with you and the children, and he will keep as long as you want, unless you become careless and set him in too cold a place.—Anonymous.

Davidson Bros. took out a new five horse power gasolene engine, Wednesday, to run their well drill.

The creamery meeting next Saturday will will be held in the Woodman hall, instead of the creamery. Prof. Hay of T. R. Falls will deliver an address at 2 o'clock P. M.

Hoffman Bros. sold Chris Knutson five head of steers for $485.00 and deliver them to-day. It pays to raise good stock when steers sell for $97.00 a head.

In two years and five months this state saved over $100,000.00 by carrying their own fire insurance.

Workmen came from Thief River Falls yesterday to do the plastering on Mr. Sandberg's house.

Mrs. Arvid Carlson has been visiting her mother Mrs. T. T. Sollom and family, this week.

Personal property taxes are now due and must be paid before March 1st.

Guy Anderson has not missed a day on his mail route for the last six years, except at the time of his fathers funeral, when he was certainly excusable. His patrons appreciate his faithful services and every year he is reminded of this by several Christmas presents. Right here it might not be out of place to state that there is an opening for another mail route out of Holt. All that is needed is someone to work it up.

LOST.

A long haired, white dog with large red markings, standing ears, half tail. Left my place, 1-2 mile west of Golden Valley store, Saturday morning Jan. 15, following a cutter going west over Mud Lake. Information regarding him will be gladly received by Melvin Olson,
Golden Valley, Minn.

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Rhinehart Reierson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls, Monday and Tuesday.

Jacob Nelson was a passenger for Thief River Falls Monday. Mr. Nelson has been suffering for some time from an attack of the grippe and decided to go and see Dr. Melby.

Bank Statement

Bank No. 1064.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on Dec. 31st 1915.
Date of call by Supt. Jan. 8, 1916.
Date of report by bank, Jan. 8, 1916.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$31,593 23
Overdrafts		224 82
Bonds and Securities		27 02
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,617 38
Other Real Estate		$1,970 14
Due from Banks	5,384 97	
Cash on hand	356 80	
Total cash assets		5,741 77
Checks and cash items		1,103 33
Advanced Interest Paid Unearned		160 00
Total		$43,437 69
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2,000 00
Undivided Profits, Net		52 28
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		9,848 72
Deposits Subject to Check	$12,226 00	
Cashier's Checks	1002 77	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	13,22877	
Time Certificates	8,307 92	
Total Deposits	21,536 69	
Total		$43,437 69
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$3,845 10
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$2,645 75

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss.
We, Lars Backe President, and Bertil Sollom Asst. Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
LARS BACKE, President,
Bertil Sollom, Asst. Cashier.
Correct Attest: A. R. Jones
(Two) Directors B. L. BACKE
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Jan. 1916.
(Seal) - Bertil L. Backe, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-1-1917

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Nov. 1915.

Cream received	6,585 lbs
Average test	25.74
Butter fat	1695.43 lbs
Percent overrun	22 70
Butter made	2080 lbs
Balance on hand last month	27 05
Received for butter shipped	545 38
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 09
Cash sales at creamery	40 10
Coal sold	41 73
To other sources	2 79
Total	$663 14
Paid patrons by check	532 76
" " " Butter & milk	6 09
Expense fund, etc.	59 31
To sinking fund, coal sold	41 73
To sinking fund	11 94
Balance on hand	11 31
Total	$663 14

Number of patrons, 47
Price paid for butter fat, 32c
T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage, containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and which default consists in mortgagors failure to pay the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, which is now past due, and which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, (a corporation) mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of October, 1913, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshal County, Minnesota, on the 24th day of October, 1913, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages on page 336.

That the amount claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage at this time is the sum of seven hundred eighty-five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars.

And whereas, no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage, or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The West half of the Northeast quarter (W1-2 NE1-4) and the East half of the Northwest quarter (E1-2 NW1-4) of Section thirty three (33) in Township one hundred fifty six (156) North of Range forty two (42), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing one hundred sixty acres (160) more or less according to the Government Survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 28th day of February, 1916, at eleven o'clock A. M., of that day at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of seven hundred eighty five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty ($50.00) Dollars, attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 10, 1916.
Holt State Bank,
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A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

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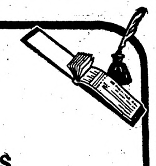

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Steiner News.

Rener Werner and Mother made a business trip to T. R. Falls Friday.

Mrs. John Whittman took the Steiner flyer for Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Henry and Emmons Rogers made a trip to Holt Minn. the first of the week.

M. O. Saugen made a trip to T. R. Falls the first of the week.

Mrs. Joe Russell took the Steiner flyer for Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Inga Saugen of Steiner visited the Steiner school the middle of the week.

Cyrus Malberg called at the Roger home Sunday.

Many people have been hauling grain to Steiner the past week.

Harry Copp was hunting Friday evening with his new rifle.

Mr. Heider made a trip to T. R. Falls the last part of the week.

Lutefisk

I cannot praise the lutefisk much;
It runs a lot to pith.
It has no fragrant odors
Like sauer krout supplies us with.

It is not pulpy like the fruit
Nor juicy like the beet.
It seems more like a substitute
For something good to eat.

I do not sing the lutefisk much;
My spirits always droop.
To see it lay its deadly clutch
Upon a plate of soup.

I always greet it with dispair;
And sometimes even scream,
But lutefisk is eaten everywhere
Except in my "esteem."

Renie A. Werner.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends for their many acts of kindness during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. C. L. Anderson and family.

Bring us your Job Printing.

English services next Tuesday evening, Free Mission Church.

Feed ground Mondays and Thursdays only. Come in early. Alfred Olson.

Diedrick Nyberg went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to consult a physician.

Mrs. Adolph Sollom visited her mother in Thief River Falls a few days this week.

Found; A wagon box end-gate. Owner please prove property and pay for this notice.

Mrs. J. M. Swan was called to Grove City yesterday by the dangerous illness of her father.

Sheriff Hanson has been in this vicinity a couple of times the past week on official business.

We had a couple of nice days last week and the weather became colder again and Wednesday was something akin to a blizzard.

Mrs Sorenson and son Dewey drove over from Newfolden Tuesday with the former's daughter, Mrs. Alfred Sheveland and little son, and all visited over Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sorenson at the hotel. Mrs. Sheveland and son departed Wednesday for Montana to join her husband who has located on a claim there.

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Southeast of Holt.

Miss Amanda Klungness left for Thief River Falls on Monday at which place she will take up a short course at High school.

William Rude who is in a serious condition with rheumatic fever was taken to the hospital at T. R. Falls on Sunday.

Joseph Klungness of South Dakota is visiting his brother John of Agdar.

Messrs Arthur Thorwick, John and Joseph Klungness and the Misses Ethel Nustvold, Amanda and Constance Klungness were pleasantly entertained at the Albert Klungness home Sunday afternoon.

Chas. Olson of Valley City N. Dak. spent a few days visiting at the home of E. S. Hanson.

School opened in Dist. 112 on Monday with Miss Cora Evenson as teacher.

A large number of their friends were entertained at the Moe home Sunday.

Spelling Contest.

A spelling contest for the pupils of fourteen schools tributary to Holt, will be held in the Holt public school building, Saturday Jan. 29th, at 1:30 P. M. Each school to be represented by their two best spellers. The winner of the contest will go to Warren to take part in the county contest. A small admission fee will be charged to pay the expenses of the winner.

All of the old officers were elected at the annual creamery meeting, as follows:
Sec'y, T. B. Folden, Treas. Nils Engerbretsen, Directors, Lewis Wegge, Theo. Sorum and H. A. Fosholm.

Their annual and December reports are given in another column.

Prof. Hay delivered a pleasing address which was enjoyed by all. His theme was organization and co-operation among the farmers and he tried to make the necessity of these two things plain to them. He said the state would send us free of charge, experts on different subjects of farming and it seems to us an expert on the growing of alfalfa is needed here.

Pay for your paper.

Ed. Aaness of Fork visited a few days at the Gunheim home, the past week.

More of the beautiful yesterday but it's getting so it don't seem beautiful any more.

Rev. Parish was greeted with a good sized audience Monday evening who enjoyed a splendid sermon. Rev. Parish expects to return again in two weeks to hold another service.

C. L. Sanberg had his house plastered last week and the rest of the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible. Mr. Sanberg has a nice residence and one that is a big improvement to the town.

Ben Hoff of Strathcona came Monday and took charge of the barber shop. Mr. Huseth will look after the other part of the business and Mr. Marty will return to the farm.

The village council met Saturday evening and purchased a lot of C. W. Latta, next to Sollom's store on which to erect a town building. They adjourned to Tuesday evening and on account of opposition to the site purchased, they held another adjourned session last night. A number favor buying Carl Newton's lot as that would give a corner location and a building there would be less liable to be damaged by fire than if near others.

Holt State Bank

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Company
Holt, Minnesota

A large number of people attended the funeral of C. L. Anderson Tuesday afternoon Services were conducted by Rev. Strom assisted by Rev Parish and interment was made in the local cemetery. We expected to have an obituary but it failed to reach us for publication this week.

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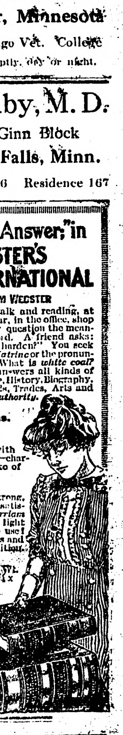

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Get the Habit of Drinking Hot Water Before Breakfast

Says we can't look or feel right with the system full of poisons.

Millions of folks bathe internally now instead of loading their system with drugs. "What's an inside bath?" you say. Well, it is guaranteed to perform miracles if you could believe these hot water enthusiasts.

There are vast numbers of men and women who, immediately upon arising in the morning, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This is a very excellent health measure. It is intended to flush the stomach, liver, kidneys and the thirty feet of intestines of the previous day's waste, sour bile and indigestible material left over in the body which, if not eliminated every day, become food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels, the quick result is poisons and toxins which are then absorbed into the blood causing headache, bilious attacks, foul breath, bad taste, colds, stomach trouble, kidney misery, sleeplessness, impure blood and all sorts of ailments.

People who feel good one day and badly the next, but who simply can not get feeling right are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from any druggist or storekeeper. This will cost very little but is sufficient to make anyone a real crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

Just as soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so limestone phosphate and hot water act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. It is vastly more important to bathe on the inside than on the outside, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do. —Adv.

Nothing Doing.

"Put your car up for the winter yet?"

"No, I'd like to, but none of the pawnbrokers are willing to lend me any money on it."

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

In the Watered Stock.

"Did you take that plunge in the market you were contemplating?"

"Yes, went in over my head, all right."

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Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne now heads the list as a successful remedy for the relief of headache, nervousness, insomnia, car sickness, etc.

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Up to Date.

Redd—What was it the five foolish maidens in the Scriptures forgot?

Green—Why—er—er—gasoline.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

The average walking pace of a healthy man is 75 steps a minute.

State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Faribault. — The Cannon Valley Poultry association held its third annual poultry show in the armory here. More than 500 birds were entered.

Rochester.—The people of Rochester will vote, soon, on the question of issuing $360,000 in bonds for the purchase of flowage rights and for the construction of a hydro-electric plant near Zumbro Falls.

Mankato.—The Southern Minnesota Teachers' association will meet here February 10, 11 and 12. Dr. H. W. Shryrock, president of the state normal school at Carbondale, Ill., will make two addresses.

Brainerd. — Fire said to have started from defective wiring in the City hotel destroyed two buildings and damaged others here, with a total loss of more than $15,000, less than half covered by insurance.

Rochester.—The Masonic temple and other buildings were destroyed here in one of the most serious fires that ever visited the city. For a time the blaze threatened to wipe out the business section. The estimated loss is $150,000.

Grand Rapids. — Mike Stuper and Sam Solvig, held on charges of assisting a fugitive from justice to escape, have been released from the county jail by an action in habeas corpus. The order was filed by Judge C. W. Stanton of Bemidji.

Brainerd. — Frozen to death in his bed, William Cherry, 70, an old settler near Emily, was found in his log cabin by neighbors. Near his bed was an old tin lardcan in which he had fed paper to keep alive a fire after he was unable to get out of bed.

Rush City.—Problems facing the cattleraiser and the buttermaker were discussed by speakers at the opening session of the Minnesota State Dairymen's association convention here. The meeting was attended by farmers and dairy experts from all parts of Minnesota.

Montevideo. — Alfa Claggett has been elected mayor here; Charles J. Anderson, O. L. Bishop, C. J. Thompson and J. W. Fisch, aldermen; J. O. Anderson, treasurer; Elias Jacobson and Thomas B. Jenks, justices. The bond issue carried by more than a two to one vote.

Minneapolis. — Alumni and faculty of the Minnesota College of Agriculture and the school of agriculture presented a tablet in memory of J. D. Scofield to the school and college at memorial exercises in the auditorium on the University farm campus. The tablet will be erected in the auditorium.

Hutchinson, — This city is celebrating the arrival of the Luce line construction train, completing the extension from Winstead through Silver Lake, a distance of twenty-one miles through a rich well settled country. This makes Hutchinson the only town in the state with the terminals of three railways.

Minneapolis.—Lester T. Banks, a Minneapolis banker, was elected treasurer of the Minnesota State Fair board to succeed A. G. Wedge, Jr., of Bemidji, resigned, at the annual reorganization meeting of the board of managers held at the State Fair offices. Private business made it impossible for Mr. Wedge to continue in office.

Winona.—When the Minnesota Supreme Court, in a decision just handed down, held that the Winona county board, in spite of an expressed desire so to do, cannot turn back after having decided to build Elwell highways, it gave assurance that Winona county will in a few years be the center of improved rural highways in the Northwest.

Inver Grove. — This village is torn asunder by a fight over the location of a site for a new schoolhouse. The latest development was the announcement that a petition remonstrating against the lending of money for the erection of the building on the Krech farm west of the village had been prepared for presentation to the Minnesota Board of Investment.

Winona, Minn.—In the series of conferences of county superintendents of schools to be held in the state in the next few weeks Winona county has associated with several other counties in a meeting at Red Wing, February 3. The counties to be represented include Winona, Goodhue, Fillmore, Dodge, Dakota, Mower, Wabasha, Houston and Olmsted.

Glenwood.—Among the skiers of national reputation who will take part in the National Tournament to be held in Glenwood February 4 and 5 are the Haugen brothers, one of whom won last year's championship, Barney Riley, Ragnar Omtvedt and a score or more of other equally well known celebrities. The ski hill and slide are in excellent condition and this year's tournament promises to be the best in the history of the association.

Cass Lake. — Ka be na guay yance, said to be 128 years old and the most famous Indian in Northern Minnesota, was seriously injured in a railroad accident here, and is in a local hospital. It is feared he will die. He is known more briefly as Captain John Smith.

McKinley.—A recent attempt of the village of McKinley in St. Louis county to annex adjacent territory was nullified when the supreme court held that the action of the village in annexing such territory was without authority of law. A writ of ouster was ordered by the court.

FOR DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC DOMAIN

IMPORTANT REFORM SUGGESTED TO EFFICIENCY COMMISSION BY STATE AUDITOR.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

One of the most important reforms the efficiency and economy commission can seek to bring about is the creation of a department of public domain with the Governor in control. This suggestion was made by J. O. A. Preus state auditor, who was summoned by the commission. Mr. Preus pointed out that the sale of lands and timber, forestry work, administration of mines and protection of game and fish should be grouped under one department.

He said the Governor should head the department as attention is focused on his office and the public would be able to indicate its choice in the handling of the state's public domain at the polls. Mr. Preus said the immigration department should be coupled with this department also.

Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith, who appeared before the commission, declared that the state should have greater supervision over grainage projects. Members of the commission showed great interest in the subject, and a discussion which followed brought out ideas which may be brought to the attention of the 1917 Legislature.

It was planned to call on secretary of State Schmahl, State Treasurer Smith and Ira B. Mills, chairman of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission.

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Ratifies Appointments.

The Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota, which met in President Vincent's office, ratified the following appointments: J. B. Johnston as acting dean of the graduate school for the second semester; William H. Thompson as instructor in the school of chemistry; Dr. Samuel T. Forsythe as teaching fellow in the department of ear, eye, nose and throat in the medical school; G. G. Parkin as assistant in the school of chemistry; Linwood G. Downs as assistant in German; C. P. Stone as assistant in education; B. N. Ohmstead as assistant in the department of physical education.

The following resignations also were accepted: John S. Sinclair as instructor in business law in the evening extension classes, and George F. Ghostley as pathologist in outpatient department on account of ill health.

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State Banks Prosperous.

State banks of Minnesota are in a prosperous condition, as shown by the report just issued by A. H. Turritin, superintendent of banks, on their condition for the year ending December 31, 1915, the date of the last call. Loans and discounts show an increase of $14,651,352.39 as compared to the year previous, while the total increase in deposits approximately more than $20,600,000. A year ago there were 861 state banks. Now there are 971, an increase of eighty.

The total resources increased from $185,908,133.13 in 1914 to $210,276,057.44, a gain of $24,461,116.89. The overdrafts decreased $80,769.33.

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Suspension Request Denied.

The attempt on the part of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission to have suspended the order of the Interstate Commerce Commission allowing Western railroads to put into effect a 2.4 cents a mile tariff for passenger rates on interstate business has failed. Notice was received from the Federal commission, according to C. E. Elmquist of the Minnesota commission, that the request for suspension made by Minnesota had been denied.

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Grants Only Two Pardons.

The indiscriminate making of pardon applications by those incarcerated in Minnesota's penal institutions was given a death blow when the board of pardons closed its January meeting granting only two pardons and denying the request of ninety-one. The board considered the applications of 108 prisoners who sought full pardons or commutation of their sentences.

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Proposes School Reforms.

Absolute leveling of the school system in Minnesota, with equal opportunity and equal expenditure for every pupil in the state, is the proposition laid before the state efficiency and economy commission by R. H. Jefferson of Bingham Lake, former house member.

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To Discuss Express Rates.

As a follow up to its recent order reducing express rates in Minnesota the state railway and warehouse commission has called another hearing for a discussion of rates on ice cream, laundry and newspapers, "patent insides." The hearing was called for February 9 at the state capitol and every express company operating in the state has been cited to appear. So far no protest has been lodged by the express companies against the action of the commission in reducing rates.

INCOME TAX LAW IS UPHELD BY U. S. SUPREME COURT

FEDERAL STATUTE DECLARED CONSTITUTIONAL IN OPINION HANDED DOWN BY CHIEF JUSTICE WHITE.

ARGUMENTS ADVANCED BY OPPOSITION OVERTURNED

Contention That Measure is Retroactive and Exempted Certain Classes Held Immaterial—Democrats Make Plans to Secure Revenues.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The federal income tax law was declared constitutional in the supreme court Monday.

Chief Justice White gave the court's decision, sweeping aside all the many objections to its constitutionality in whole or in part.

Chief Justice White announced the decision in the case of Frank R. Brushaber, stockholder of the Union Pacific railroad, who sought to enjoin the company from paying the tax on the ground that it was unconstitutional.

Most of the opinion was directed toward overruling the contention that the income tax amendment provided a hitherto unknown power of taxation. Going far into the history of income tax legislation the chief justice concluded the argument was without merit.

Arguments Answered.

Advancing to other points the chief justice held that the tax was not unconstitutional because it was retroactive.

The argument that the law was unconstitutional because labor, agricultural and horticultural organizations and such were exempt the chief justice held was answered by decisions under the corporation tax law. He said the point was only another illustration of an erroneous assumption that the tax was imposed under a new power conferred upon the government by the sixteenth amendment whereas it was a power recognized to exist from the beginning of the government and thus dcisions defining the taxing power previously rendered were applicable to it.

Hull is Father of Law.

Democratic leaders in Congress almost immediately declared income taxes would be made to furnish the greater part of revenues needed for the proposed national defense prfgram.

"We are now free to go ahead and revise the law to meet the needs," said Representative Hull of Tennessee, known as the father of the law.

As it stands, the income tax law raises $80,000,000 a year, as revised it is intended by the administration that it shall raise several times that amount.

G. O. P. COMMITTEE MEETS

Body Empowered to Name Temporary Chairman Fails to Take Action at Meeting in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 25.—Members of the Republican National committee's subcommittee on convention arrangements met here, and discussed plans for the party convention which is to be held June 7 in Chicago.

Though empowered by the national committee to select a temporary chairman, the committee members declared that no steps would be taken at this meeting toward selecting the man whose gavel would open the 1916 convention.

When the sub-committee went into executive session it had before it blue prints of the Coliseum where the convention is to be held, and a tentative seating arrangement which would accommodate 12,500 persons, 1,300 more than were provided for in the 1912 convention. Fred Upham, chairman of the Chicago convention committee, met with the sub-committee.

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BLAST KILLS FIFTEEN.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 25.—Fifteen workmen were killed and as many more probably fatally injured in an explosion at the plant of the Kelker Blower company in Harrison street here, late Monday afternoon.

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Jumps From Seventh Floor, Lives.

Chicago, Jan. 25.—A young woman jumped from the seventh floor of the Transporation building in Dearborn street. Her body struck a delivery wagon. She was found to be alive though crushed and bleeding.

Hundreds Dig in Snow for Bodies.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 25.—Three hundred men continued digging Monday in the huge pile of snow and debris which marks the spot where an avalanche wrecked two cars of the west bound Cascade limited train. The men are seeking the bodies of Mrs Fern Wallace and her baby of Lyons, Wash., Ralph Batterman of Wenatchee, Wash., and an unidentified passenger. Eight passengers are now thought to have lost their lives. Other gangs of men assisted by hugh rotary snowplows are clearing away slides.

AVALANCHE HURLS TRAIN FROM CLIFF; MANY LOSE LIVES

SNOWSLIDE ON WEST SLOPE OF MOUNTAINS CRASHES INTO "CASCADE LIMITED"—FEW BODIES RECOVERED.

DISASTER OCCURS NEAR SCENE OF FORMER SLIDE

Dining Car and Coach Struck Squarely on Side and Carried Away Like Chips At Almost Exact Spot Where Catastrophe in 1910 Occurred.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 24.—Caught in an avalanche of snow which roared down the mountainside, the dining car and a day coach on Great Northern Train No. 25 were cut off from the rest of the train and carried over a 300-foot cliff near Scenic Saturday. Several persons were reported killed. The passenger train was en route to Seattle from Spokane.

All the persons in the two cars must have been killed or injured.

Physicians have been sent from Everett.

Stopped by Small Slide.

The train had been stopped by a small slide, which had covered the track.

Workmen had just completed removing the debris from the rails, and the train was about to proceed when an avalanche thundered down from the mountainside above the tracks. The dining car and day coach were struck squarely on the side and carried away, as though they had been chips. The other cars and the engine were left on the track.

Corea is about 120 miles east of Seattle and is at the loop of a big switchback. It is the second station down the west slope from the Cascade tunnel at almost the exact spot where a train was swept from the tracks February 28, 1910, with great loss of life.

Passengers Found Dead.

The first passenger reached in the day coach, a small boy, was severely injured. The next two passengers were dead.

Five employes in the dining car are believed to be dead.

It is impossible to say how many passengers were in the day coach.

Two negro porters and a trainman are known to be dead. The dining car is reported burning. The cars in the gulch are not covered by snow as in the 1910 disaster. At that time many of the dead were suffocated.

Cries for help from the cars in the gulch can be heard on the track above.

Two dead and three injured were taken from the dining car according to reports from Seattle. The engine, baggage car and observation car were reported not buried.

Recalls 1910 Disaster.

In the 1910 disaster two Great Northern passenger trains, which had been detained two weeks by snowslides in front and rear, were struck by an avalanche at night and carried several hundred feet into a gulch. Nearly all the persons on the trains perished.

The bodies were not all recovered for several weeks. After the accident the railroad began construction of concrete snow sheds at a cost of millions of dollars. The railroad engineers believed they had protected all the most dangerous places.

The snowfall during the present winter has been very heavy and the Great Northern has experienced much trouble, but has managed to keep trains moving with only slight delay.

ANOTHER AMERICAN IS SLAIN

Texas Ranger Is Shot In Back by Mexican Cattle Rustlers According to Companion's Story.

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 24.—Customs officers early Saturday opened fire on several Mexicans attempting to cross the international border with large bundles of rags. The Mexicans fled. It is not believed any were injured.

El Paso, Jan. 24.—Shooting to death of another American citizen in Mexico has aroused the border anew over conditions prevailing in the trouble torn republic. Riding into Ysleta, Texas, Douglas Downs brought a story of a manhunt for Mexicans by himself and his friend, Bert Akers, a Texas ranger, which ended in the killing of Akers. Downs and the murdered man were in Mexico, accompanied by a Carranza official, hunting cattle stolen from the Texas ranch of Mrs. J. D. Murphy, Akers' sister-in-law.

Five Mexican cattle rustlers, including the two Duran brothers, are accused of the killing and two of them have been taken by Mexican soldiers.

Papers Urge Sweden to Retaliate.

Stockholm, via London, Jan. 24. The Swedish newspapers comment extensively on the seizure of the cargo of the Swedish-American line steamer Stockholm. The general opinion is that it will be impossible to keep up the sailings of the newly formed Swedish-American line. As this has been regarded as a sort of national undertaking any interference with it, the newspapers say, will cause bitter feeling. The papers urge retaliatory measures against Great Britain.

What Does Catarrh Mean?

It means inflammation of a mucous membrane somewhere in the head, throat, bronchial tubes, stomach, biliary ducts or bowels. It always means stagnant blood—the blood that is full of impurities. Left alone, it extends until it is followed by indigestion, colds, congestion or fever. It weakens the system generally and spreads its operations until systemic catarrh or an acute illness is the result.

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Art Talk.

"Why do you paint pictures that nobody can understand?" we asked.

"I'll tell you," replied the artist. "I used to paint the other kind, and people understood them so darned well that they wouldn't buy them."

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"I suppose you read the newspapers to keep informed of world events?"

"Yes, for the most part," answered the thoughtful man. "But occasionally I read them for the sake of a good laugh."

"How is that?"

"I find a great deal of unconscious humor in those diplomatic notes."

Censors on the Seashore.

Irvin Cobb, looking over an Atlantic City paper when he was there for the trial performance of "Back Home," was reminded of the fact that the seashore papers are as careful never to mention a drowning as a San Francisco paper is to avoid mention of earthquakes, relates the Philadelphia Record, and he told of finding one day the following sentence in a story evidently doctored by the censors:

"Mr. So-and-So died of shock, in shallow water. The body was not recovered."

Innocent Merriment.

The following conversation was overheard between two of Dr. Anna Howard Shaw's little nieces, who were seriously discussing votes for women:

"I shan't tell the girls at school that I'm a suffragist," confided the older sister.

"I don't mind if they know I'm one," burst out the smaller girls. "What do you care for?"

"Because they will all laugh at me," her sister admitted.

"Why, don't you know," came the solemn reply, "that people have been laughing at Aunt Anna for hundreds and hundreds of years?"

Often Food Makes or Breaks

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No Matter.

Boy—I want a loaf of bread.

Baker—White or brown.

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Probably.

"I read a funny story about a hair in the soup the other day."

"Must have been a married hare."

George Heil of Bellaire, O., says: "I have used Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh for soft rotting frog in horse's feet and find it to be a valuable article." Adv.

Russian petroleum producers are experiencing much inconvenience from a scarcity of steel wire rope.

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Probably nothing dispels girlish illusions so quickly as marriage.

When Housework Drags

Keeping house is hard enough when well. The woman who has a bad back, blue, nervous spells, and dizzy headaches, has a hard lot, for the family tasks never let up. Probably it's the result of kidney trouble and not the much-feared "woman's weakness." Strengthen the kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills. They are as harmless as they are effective and may be used for children with weak kidneys, too.

A North Dakota Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Mrs. John Crawford, Langdon, N. D., says: "I suffered for two years from a steady, dull pain in the small of my back and the least exertion tired me. I had headaches and dizzy spells and the doctor said my kidneys were badly affected. Doan's Kidney Pills were just what I needed and three and a half boxes restored me to good health. I have had no need of a kidney medicine since."

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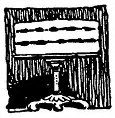
How many would our pity share
Who have our envy now?

And if the promptings of each heart
No artifice concealed,
How many trusting friends would part
At what they saw revealed.

EGGLESS DISHES.



When eggs are expensive it is a relief to find good things which usually call for eggs, prepared without them.

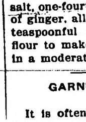
Oatmeal Dainties.—Cream one cupful of butter with one cupful of sugar. Dissolve a teaspoonful of soda in a cupful of sweet milk and add to the butter and sugar, then stir in six cupfuls of rolled oats. Add a teaspoonful of grated nutmeg, a half teaspoonful of cinnamon, and a fourth of a teaspoonful of cloves. Mix these with a little flour, add a cupful of raisins and sufficient flour to handle. Flour the hands and make into cakes the size of a silver dollar. Bake in a slow oven until brown. These are cakes which keep well.

Bread Sponge Cake.—Take two cupfuls of brown sugar, one cupful of lard, three cupfuls of light bread sponge, two cupfuls of seeded raisins, two cupfuls of flour, one tablespoonful each of cinnamon and allspice and a half teaspoonful of cloves. Add a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in one-half cupful of coffee. Mix the ingredients and let rise a half hour. Bake one hour in a slow oven. This will make a large loaf or two small ones.

Eggless, Butterless, Milkless Cake.—Boil together three minutes a cupful of sugar and water and a half cupful of lard, two cupfuls of raisins, an eighth of a teaspoonful of grated nutmeg, a teaspoonful of cloves and a pinch of salt. When cool add two cupfuls of flour, a cupful of molasses, a half teaspoonful of baking powder, a teaspoonful of soda, dissolved in a little water. Bake forty minutes. This makes a chewy cake which the children especially enjoy.

Cream Spice Cake.—Take a cupful of sour cream, one cupful of brown sugar, one teaspoonful of soda, a teaspoonful of baking powder, a pinch of salt, one-fourth of a tablespoonful each of ginger, allspice and cloves, one-half teaspoonful of cinnamon. Stir with flour to make a drop batter and bake in a moderate oven.

GARNISHES FOR SOUP.



It is often the tasty garnish which takes the soup out of the common into the unusual.

Almond Balls.—Pound a dozen almonds to a fine powder. Beat two eggs light, season with salt and pepper, add the almonds, half a teaspoonful of minced parsley and three-fourths of a cupful of flour sifted with a teaspoonful of baking powder. Mix and roll into very small balls and drop into the boiling soup to cook for five minutes before serving.

Marrow Balls.—Take a piece of marrow the size of an egg, add a cupful of crumbs, moisten with cold water, add two eggs unbeaten and shape into small balls. Add to the boiling soup and cook very gently two minutes.

Croutons.—Trim crusts from bread and cut in half dice. Toast in the oven and fry in deep fat. If toasted in the oven, spread the slices with butter before cutting in dice.

Egg Custard.—Beat three eggs and add half a cupful of highly seasoned beef stock. Butter a small pan and pour the mixture into it. Set the pan in another of warm water and place in a moderate oven for half an hour until the custard is set. Cool and cut in squares and add to the soup just before serving.

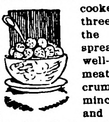
Egg Balls.—Chop fine four hard cooked eggs, add a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese, a cupful of bread crumbs and a pinch of salt, with a dash of red pepper. Bind with the yolks of two eggs or a half cupful of cream. Make into balls, dip in egg and crumbs, fry in deep fat and add to the clear soup when ready to serve.

Soup Balls.—Roll cracker crumbs, mix with butter and make into firm balls the size of a marble. Drop in the soup when ready to serve.

Quenelles.—Take small bits of meat finely chopped, mixed with crumbs and bound with egg, shape into balls, dip in egg and crumbs and fry in deep fat. Add to the soup when serving.

Time which strews a man's hair with silver, sometimes fills his pockets with gold.

SOME CHEAP MEAT DISHES.



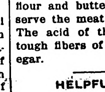
The flank which is one of the cheap cuts of meat is very good when nicely cooked. Take two or three pounds, remove the tough skin and spread the meat with a well-seasoned force meat, using bread crumbs, herbs, parsley, minced onion and salt and pepper. Roll up and tie firmly to keep in shape. Have ready a pint of mixed vegetables, carrots, onion, celery and turnip. Place these in the bottom of a shallow baking pan with the meat on top with just enough water to cover; add a blade of mace and three or four cloves. Cover closely and cook slowly for four hours, basting the meat frequently with the liquor in the pan. When done remove the meat and vegetables to a hot dish and thicken the gravy with browned flour. Strain the gravy over the meat, removing the cloves and mace before serving.

Sour Beef.—This is a good way to treat tough beef. Take a pound and a half of lean beef from the shin, cut it in small pieces and roll in flour. Brown the meat in a little bacon fat, then remove it and add to the same fat two tablespoonfuls of flour; brown this also, then add slowly two cupfuls of water or stock and stir until boiling hot. Put in the meat and cook slowly for one hour, then add two onions, salt and pepper to taste and finally a tablespoonful each of Worcestershire sauce and vinegar. Continue the cooking until the meat is tender. Sprinkle with chopped parsley and serve.

Beef in Casserole.—This is another method of cooking meat that is inclined to be tough. Take two pounds of the shin or round, wipe it carefully and lay in a casserole. Cover with a can of tomato, add two bay leaves and salt and pepper to season. Cook in the oven for two hours. Dish up the meat, thicken the tomatoes with flour and butter cooked together and serve the meat with potato pancakes. The acid of the tomato softens the tough fibers of the meat as does vinegar.

HELPFUL THOUGHTS.

Ink can be removed from any fabric with fresh milk if quickly applied.



Blood spots on woolen may be easily removed by rubbing the spots with dry starch. This absorbs the blood, and the cloth when dry may be brushed, freeing the starch from the cloth.

Before polishing a stove soap the hands well with a good laundry soap, filling the nails with the soap, then dry and the hands will not be at all stained when the black work is done.

A bar of laundry soap moistened to a lather rubbed over the back of the oilcloth that slips and slides on the table will keep it firm without the use of tacks.

Salt shaker tops which have become rusted on may be removed by soaking the tops in a little vinegar. The acid dissolves the rust and the tops will then unscrew.

Cut hot gingerbread or cake with a fork. This makes each piece light and fluffy, whereas a knife used will spoil the cake, making a heavy streak where it is cut.

Use a little kerosene in the cleaning of windows, adding a teaspoonful to a pail of soapy water. Also use it in cleaning the bathtub, kitchen sink, linoleum, wash basin and the rollers of the clothes wringer.

Newspapers may be used in many ways to lighten work. Cut in small squares and hang from a convenient hook. Use the pieces to rub off the stove, wipe out a greasy dish, or on which to set a smoky kettle. They save utensils in dressing chickens and preparing vegetables, fruits and nuts; they protect the sink drain if used to wipe out greasy dishes before washing. If dampened and torn in bits may be used to keep down dust sweepings. When tightly twisted they make good kindling for fires, and good packing for a homemade fireless cooker.

To keep a kitchen coal stove clean an ordinary school eraser sprinkled with kerosene is a fine improvement over the brush which just changes the position of the dust.

Nellie Maxwell

TAKEN FROM EXCHANGES.

Chile is building 208 miles of railroad.

North Carolina last year produced minerals valued at $3,739,696.

Luxemburg covers 1,000 square miles and has a population of 206,000.

Switzerland spends more on relief of poor than does any other country.

A government survey has resulted in ranking the Yukon river in fifth place among the great streams of North America.

New Jersey factories employ more than 323,000 workers.

John Pease of Phippsburg, Me., received an offer of $80 for one wheel of an old one-horse chaise, which originally came from Peabody, Mass. The wheel is all handmade and is seven feet one inch in diameter.

A book used in 1873 in Farmington, Me., reveals the fact that in November of that year prices of beef ranged from 5 cents to 19 cents, chicken [illegible] cents, pork 12 cents, lamb 10 cents to 12 cents, turkey [illegible] cents.

WANTED A BABY WITH RED HAIR

Husband's Order Listed as Cruelty in Wife's Suit for Separation.

HER BEAUTY IN DANGER

Man Promised to Smash Her Face and Spoil Her Eyes If Child Was Not Redheaded, Alleges the Wife.

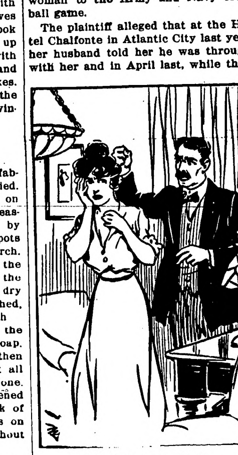
New York.—John Ross Stuart, a mechanical engineer, was sued in the supreme court for a separation by Mrs. Evelyn M. Stuart, who alleges that since their marriage in Michigan City, Ind., in 1911, her husband has been "uniformly unkind and cruel." One of the charges of cruelty is that he insisted on having a red-haired child.

Mrs. Stuart says her husband has an ungovernable temper and "flies into angry rages." She says one objection to him is that he had the habit of coming home from his trips unannounced. When they were living at 720 Riverside drive in 1912 Mrs. Stuart was out late one evening and when she returned she found her husband in bed. He abused her and insisted on knowing where she had been. She named two restaurants she had visited with friends. On the following night her husband took her to these places and to her great mortification he led her before the doorman and head waiter in each place and asked if she had been there with another man the previous night.

Her Beauty in Danger.

Mrs. Stuart said that in 1913, when she and her husband were passing a Broadway restaurant with members of her family, he stopped and said to the others. "She knows too d—— much about these places." While they were living at the Imperial hotel in the fall of that year she says he told her to go to her home in Chicago because he had an engagement to take another woman to the Army and Navy football game.

The plaintiff alleged that at the Hotel Chalfonte in Atlantic City last year her husband told her he was through with her and in April last, while they were leaving the apartment house at Convent avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street her husband suddenly turned and ran back to the house saying he intended to leave her. She followed him and when he locked the door with the chain she tried to open it. He caught her arm in the door and injured her so seriously she fainted.



Flies Into Angry Rages.

When Mrs. Stuart expected an heir last April she alleges that her husband said: "If that baby hasn't got red hair I won't have anything to do with it." In July, when they were living at 782 West End avenue, Stuart is alleged to have said. "I'll change that smile on your countenance I'll smash your face and spoil your pretty blue eyes."

Mrs. Stuart says her husband told her he would rather cut his throat than live with her longer.

MAN THOUGHT DEAD RETURNS

Thirty-Five Years Ago This Indianian Sold His Property and Quietly Disappeared.

Connorsville, Ind.—Jacob De Haven, seventy-five, long believed dead by relatives here, has just returned to Connorsville after an absence of thirty-five years. When he appeared at the door of his nephew, Samuel D. Haven, the family did not recognize him.

De Haven, once a prosperous farmer of this community, sold his place one day and departed without saying a word to any one. It was reported that he was killed by bandits in the West. He says that he followed the sea and spent several years in the Orient and south seas.

Says Grape Juice Made Him Drunk.

Sharon, Pa.—Henry Hancee was arrested recently on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. He insisted that he had swallowed only a little bit of grape juice.

QUITE A REGULAR ATTENDANT

John Inclined to Resent Insinuation That He Habitually Stayed Away From Church.

"What's that song they're singing now?"

"'Rock of Ages.'"

"'Rock of Ages'? Well, that's the first time I ever heard those words to 'Rock of Ages,' and that's the first time I ever heard that tune to it. Must be something new. Nice window they got there, ain't it?"

"Ye-e-es, I should say it is!"

"I don't think I'll care much for your new preacher—don't like his collar."

"John!"

"Well, I don't! And I don't like the way he says 'idear,' neither. If your other preacher hadn't talked like he had a lot of potato in his mouth all the time I'd have come oftener. Lots of time I came here just on your account, and sat here in misery."

"Yes, how many times were you here in the last year?"

"Wasn't I here last Children's day?"

BIG EATERS HAVE BAD KIDNEYS AND BACKACHE

Take a Glass of Salts at Once If Your Back is Hurting or Kidneys and Bladder Trouble You.

The American men and women must guard constantly against Kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water beverage, and belongs in every home, because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney flushing any time.—Adv.

Thousands of Koreans have applied for Russian citizenship, with a view of joining the Russian army.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00. —Adv.

Three Catholic bishops are serving as privates in the French army.

James Miller of Pottstown, Pa., cured a horse of pollevil with three bottles of Hanford's Balsam. He says: "The veterinarians had been trying to cure the horse for seven years." Adv.

Faint heart may win fair lady with a little assistance on her part.

Use Murine after Exposure to Cold, Cutting Winds and Dust. It Restores, Refreshes and Promotes Eye Health. Good for all Eyes that Need Care. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

Philosophers are men who imagine they are in the foolproof class.

After a hard day's work if your horse seems lame, rub on thoroughly Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh and the soreness will soon disappear. Adv.

And many a woman who is short of breath is long of tongue.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

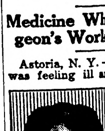
Many of the things we wait for are not worth the delay.

For galls use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Love is a dream; marriage is an alarm clock.

WOMAN AVOIDS OPERATION

Medicine Which Made Surgeon's Work Unnecessary.



Astoria, N. Y.—"For two years I was feeling ill and took all kinds of tonics. I was getting worse every day. I had chills, my head would ache, I was always tired. I could not walk straight because of the pain in my back and I had pains in my stomach. I went to a doctor and he said I must go under an operation, but I did not go. I read in the paper about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and told my husband about it. I said 'I know nothing will help me but I will try this.' I found myself improving from the very first bottle, and in two weeks time I was able to sit down and eat a hearty breakfast with my husband, which I had not done for two years. I am now in the best of health and did not have the operation."—Mrs. JOHN A. KOENIG, 502 Flushing Avenue, Astoria, N. Y.

Every one dreads the surgeon's knife and the operating table. Sometimes nothing else will do; but many times doctors say they are necessary when they are not. Letter after letter comes to the Pinkham Laboratory, telling how operations were advised and were not performed; or, if performed, did no good, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was used and good health followed.

If you want advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.

His Place.

"I don't know what you will do with my boy in your school. I am sorry to say he is a chronic kicker."

"Just what we want. We'll put him on the football team."

PREPAREDNESS!

To Fortify The System Against Grip

when Grip is prevalent LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE should be taken, as this combination of Quinine with other ingredients destroys germs, acts as a Tonic and Laxative and thus keeps the system in condition to withstand Colds, Grip and Influenza. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c.

Vague Questioning.

"Do you believe in whipping?"

"Please be a little specific; eggs and cream, or children?"

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

And many a mushroom is a toadstool in disguise.

Stop scratching! Resinol relieves itching instantly

That itching, burning skin-trouble which keeps you scratching and digging, is a source of disgust to others, as well as of torment to you. Why don't you get rid of it by using Resinol Ointment? Physicians have prescribed it for over 20 years. In most cases, it stops itching instantly and heals eruptions promptly. It is very easy and economical to use.

The Wretchedness of Constipation

Can quickly be overcome by CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Purely vegetable—act surely and gently on the liver. Cure Biliousness, Headache, Dizziness, and Indigestion. They do their duty.

SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.

Genuine must bear Signature

Brent Good

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 5—1916.

THE NEWEST REMEDY FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM AND DROPSY

Kidney, Bladder and Uric Acid troubles bring misery to many. When the kidneys are weak or diseased, these natural filters do not cleanse the blood sufficiently, and the poisons are carried to all parts of the body. There follow depression, aches and pains, heaviness, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, chilliness and rheumatism. In some people there are sharp pains in the back and loins, distressing bladder disorders and sometimes obstinate dropsy. The uric acid sometimes forms into gravel or kidney stones. When the uric acid affects the muscles and joints it causes lumbago, rheumatism, gout or sciatica. This is the time to send Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. 10c for large trial package of "Anuric."

During digestion uric acid is absorbed into the system from meat eaten, and even from some vegetables. The poor kidneys get tired and backache begins. This is a good time to take "Anuric," the new discovery of Dr. Pierce for Kidney trouble and Backache. Neglected kidney trouble is responsible for many deaths, and Insurance Company examining doctors always test the water of an applicant before a policy will be issued. Have you ever set aside a bottle of water for twenty-four hours? A heavy sediment or settling sometimes indicates kidney trouble. If you wish to know your condition send a sample of your water to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and describe symptoms. It will be examined without any expense to you, and Dr. Pierce or his medical staff will inform you truthfully. Anuric is now for sale by dealers, in 50c pck'gs.

IN ESTABROOK IS HOPE OF SUCCESS

Why He Is the Ideal Compromise Candidate for the Republican Presidential Nomination.

"NATIONAL" IN EXPERIENCE

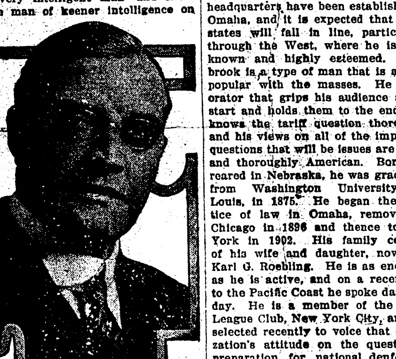
His Dictum That the American Farmer Must Not Be Compelled to Sell in a Free Trade Market and Buy in a Protected Market Has Made a Powerful Impression on the Agricultural Element, Always the Backbone of the G. O. P.

Declaring that the American farmer must not be compelled to sell his products in a free trade market and buy his machinery and supplies in a protected market, Henry D. Estabrook of New York and Nebraska, candidate for the Republican nomination for President, has made a strong appeal for the support of the agricultural element in the country, which has always been the backbone of the Republican party.

"Yet, this is exactly what Canadian Reciprocity would have done and exactly what the present Democratic tariff law has done," continued Mr. Estabrook. "Upon the excuse that the consumers of food products in the cities were being charged such exorbitant prices as to render the cost of living almost prohibitive, the Northern farmer was sacrificed by the Democratic party. The Southern farmer, who is interested primarily in cotton and rice, was well taken care of by the Democrats.

"It was a cruel and needless sacrifice of our Northern and Western agricultural interests, for it is now admitted that the consumers have not been benefited in any degree. The cost of living has not been reduced. Indeed, not one of the pledges made by the Democratic leaders to the American people when their tariff law was enacted has been redeemed.

"Every intelligent man—and there is no man of keener intelligence on such questions than the American farmer—knows that only the intervention of the war in Europe prevented the visitation upon the United States, as a drastic result of this Democratic tariff, of business and industrial depression and calamity such as the country has never known.



Henry D. Estabrook.

"Canadian Reciprocity would have put the Northern and Northwestern farmer at the mercy of Canadian competition. The Democratic tariff law has done that, particularly with reference to wheat, the product of first interest to the farmers of Minnesota and North Dakota and the rest of that section. While there is a nominal duty of ten cents a bushel on wheat, the Democratic law provides that that duty shall be removed as applied to any country that will admit American wheat free. Thus, at any moment when Canada desires it, her wheat will be admitted into the American market without paying a cent of duty. Amazing as it may seem, the Democrats have passed this question so vital to the American farmer from the control of the American Government to the control of Canada.

"Canada, with one-twelfth the population of the United States, last year produced more than a third as much wheat as we produced. Canadian farmers boast that today they can raise enough wheat to feed the world. They pay less for their labor than does the American farmer. They pay less for their farm equipment and supplies. How can the American wheat grower meet the competition of Canada unless he is given the protective tariff, to which he is clearly entitled and which the Republican party will give him?"

Forty years a Nebraskan, seven years an Illinoisan and fourteen years a New Yorker, Henry D. Estabrook is emphatically "national" in character and experience. His friends believe that he is an ideal compromise candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, and they are hard at work in his behalf. He will enter the primaries in Minnesota and North Dakota and an organization has been made in Nebraska that already assures him the support of that state.

SHREWD POLITICAL PROPHET DECLARES FOR ESTABROOK

Ralph Cameron Believes He is the Only Man Who Can Rally to His Support All Factions.

Ralph H. Cameron, Republican National Committeeman for Arizona and former Delegate in Congress from that state, has declared himself for the nomination of Henry D. Estabrook of Nebraska and New York, as the Republican candidate for president of the United States. Mr. Cameron is known as one of the shrewdest political observers in the country, which adds greatly to the interest in his lining up with the Estabrook movement. He said:

"I am for Henry D. Estabrook for the Republican nomination for President. I am for him because, in my judgment, he is the one man who can rally Republicans of all elements and shades of opinion to his support, and, therefore, the one man whose nomination will give us the best assurance of victory in 1916. I have made several extended trips over the country within the last few months. None of the old-line candidates for the Republican nomination has aroused any appreciable enthusiasm. Obviously, the favorite son movement in the several states can get nowhere, for it can never develop a national leadership. Indeed, I see great danger in this favorite son brand of politics, for it can readily develop a situation that would mean a repetition of the disaster of 1912.

"Republicans generally welcome the new leadership idea. Mr. Estabrook is able, aggressive, sound in his Republicanism, and free of factional entanglements. To me, as a Republican, there is genuine inspiration and hope in Mr. Estabrook's candidacy."

A NEW JERSEY TRIBUTE

Henry D. Estabrook, a lawyer by profession, a Nebraskan by birth, and a New Yorker by residence, is an avowed candidate for the Republican nomination for President. Already headquarters have been established at Omaha, and it is expected that other states will fall in line, particularly through the West, where he is well-known and highly esteemed. Estabrook is a type of man that is always popular with the masses. He is an orator that grips his audience at the start and holds them to the end. He knows the tariff question thoroughly and his views on all of the important questions that will be issues are sound and thoroughly American. Born and reared in Nebraska, he was graduated from Washington University, St. Louis, in 1875. He began the practice of law in Omaha, removed to Chicago in 1896 and thence to New York in 1902. His family consists of his wife and daughter, now Mrs. Karl G. Roebling. He is as energetic as he is active, and on a recent trip to the Pacific Coast he spoke day after day. He is a member of the Union League Club, New York City, and was selected recently to voice that organization's attitude on the question of preparation for national denfense.—Newark, N. J., Sunday Call.

THE ONLY NEW LEADER

The Railroad Employee, one of the most important labor journals in the United States, regards Henry D. Estabrook as the only available new leader in sight. Following is an excerpt from the January issue of the Employee:

"Estabrook seems to be, at the present time, the only available new leader in sight. His discussions of the tariff from the fundamental protection standpoint, of national defense, and of anti-business agitation and legislation, his attitude toward labor—he has said that whatsoever power inheres in capital through aggregation and organization must be permitted to labor—his criticisms of the Democratic administration's foreign policy, and his 'Get Together' plea to Republicans of all elements and of all shades of opinion, have attracted widespread attention.

"From the time he opened the Republican national campaign in Chicago, in 1896, Estabrook has been known as one of the most effective campaigners among the big men in the Republican party. He is eloquent, courageous, forceful, and a man of engaging personality. His Republicanism is described as unhyphenated—the kind that does not need any qualifying adjective. He has always kept the faith and fought for it."

ESTABROOK ON PREPAREDNESS.

"We must forthwith spend money for defense and lots of it. We must know that we are safe even from the temptation of attack."—Henry D. Estabrook.

"I would heartily advocate Mr. Bryan's policy of non-resistance rather than any policy of half preparedness. I had rather scrap every gun and warship we own if we are not to add to them."—Henry D. Estabrook.

"To fight inadequately armed and with the certainty of losing would be nothing short of murder, for which you and I and every taxpayer in the United States would be measurably responsible."—Henry D. Estabrook.

The Holt Weekly News
Successor to and Continuation of
The Northern Light
By The
Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

The weather does'nt get over it's cold spell very fast.

The income tax law has been declared to be constitutional by the U. S. Supreme Court. Well it don't affect us anyway.

The Warren Farmers Shipping Assn. during 1915 sold stock in the following amounts, cattle over $12 000, hogs $22000, sheep $1500.

Middle River has had legal advice about their bond project and found it only required a majority to carry, so the bonds will be issued without delay.

Sympathy is extended to Bro. Stevens of The Warren Register, whose father died a week ago Sunday at the age of eighty one years, at his home in Illinois.

Martin Ross, a youug farmer living near Alvarado, was killed the first of last week by a load of oats, which he was hauling to town, in someway tipping over on top of him and crushing out his life.

Eight men were granted their citizenship papers at Thief River Falls one day last week. Among the number was H. W. Smith of the Goodridge newspaper. Seventeen took out their papers at Warren last week, among whom were Chas. McLean and Frederick W. Valm of Holt.

Four passengers were killed Saturday when a snowslide struck a G. N. train on the west slope of the Cascade mountains in the state of Washington. Besides the killed, four are known to be missing and many were injured by the two coaches being hurled into the valley 300 feet below the railroad track.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Dec. 1915.

Cream received	6,120 lbs
Average test	26.00
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Percent overrun	23 19
Butter made	1060 lbs
Balance on hand last month	11 31
Received for butter shipped	528 74
Butter and milk sold patrons	4 63
Cash sales at creamery	63 90
To other sources	5 63
Total	$613 40
Paid patrons by check	534 16
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Expense fund, etc.	63 01
To sinking fund	10 41
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Number of patrons, 44

Price paid for butter fat, 34c

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John Simonson $47.56.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Jan., 22, 1916. Notice is hereby that Charles McLean of Holt, Minn. who on Dec. 7, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 08614, for NE1-4 SE1-4 Sec. 17, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 28th day of Feb. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
John Engstrom, Gunder P. Sorter, John Hanson and Henry Erickson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Local Items

Dr. R. L. Olson was a passenger for Thief River Falls, Thursday.

Mrs. Arvid Carlson returned Saturday to her home in Newfolden.

Chris Knutson went to South St. Paul, Saturday, with a car of cattle and hogs.

Ole Backlund has given up the feed barn and Chas. Martell now has charge of it.

T. A. Tobiason recently sold 40 acres about a mile north of where he lives, to B. L. Backe.

Miss Lydia Riesberg returned Monday from a short visit with relatives in Thief River Falls.

H. Pevek went to Plummer Friday where he has employment with the Soo line. We wish him success.

Mrs. Grace Bray and son Orvis departed Monday for Fertile, where she will visit her parents for an indefinite time.

The yearly meeting of the Free Mission Ladies Aid was postponed until next Thursday on account of the storm yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken very pleasantly entertained Sunday the Andrew Bjerk, Chas. Heinze and Lewis Wegge families.

Tilfred Reierson of Thief River Falls visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson and brother P. P. a few days the past week.

Rev. F. D. McMartin will hold English services in the Free Mission church at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening. Everyone invited to attend.

Ole Hammerness returned Wednesday from a couple of weeks stay in Minneapolis and will visit with the R. and Ole Reierson families for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Steinhauer returned Tuesday from a wedding tour to Duluth and visited at the home of his sister Mrs. Carl Christoferson and husband a short time before going out to the farm.

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Several December Calves
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NW1-4 Sec. 36 Golden Valley
Mud Lake Minn.

Statement of The Year 1915

of the Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Co., of Holt, Minnesota.

Cream received, (in lbs.)	232527
Per cent test	27.57
Butterfat (in lbs)	64103.96
Per cent overrun	23.45
Lbs. Butter made	79136
Average Gross price received	.26.79
Average price paid for Butterfat	.26
Cost of making 1 lb. butter	2.58
Bal on hand beg'ing of year	$8.13
Rec'd for butter sold	$21205.00
" from other sources	146.36
Total Receipts	$21359.49
Paid patrons for butterfat	$16667.50
" freight & commission	2118.97
" to other sources	2.98
" cream haulers	12.72
" expense fund	2046.23
" sinking fund	468.17
" " " coal sold	41.73
Balance on hand	1.19
Total	$21359 49

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

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Gov. Burnquist.

Annual short course, T. R. Falls high school, begins Jan. 31. Free to everyone over 16 years of age. A practical course that fits one for life's work, is offered here free of charge.

Write Supt. Hay for further information.

THOS. FRANKSON.

First to File for Republican Nomination for Lieutenant Governor.

Mr. Frankson, Minnesota real estate dealer, and former representative from Fillmore county in the sessions of 1911, 1912 and 1913, is the first candidate to file for the Republican nomination for lieutenant governor. In announcing his candidacy Mr. Frankson informs the voters that he stands squarely for the following:

Good government conducted on economic and businesslike principles.

Strictest economy in the appropriation and disbursement of public moneys.

Fair and equitable system of taxation.

Rigid enforcement of the laws.

Good roads.

Progressive legislation consistent with the needs and requirements of the people.

For a greater Minnesota; for the rapid development of the agricultural and commercial interests of the entire state.

Mr. Frankson is a Scandinavian, and was born in 1869 on a farm in Fillmore county on which his father located in 1854. He received his education in the public schools, taught school thirteen terms and later graduated from the law department of the State University with the class of 1900. He practiced law two years and then engaged in the real estate business at Spring Valley, Minn. He now has large real estate interests in both Northern and Southern Minnesota. and is also heavily interested in real estate in the Twin Cities, having offices in Spring Valley, Glenwood and St. Paul.

He is in close touch and thoroughly familiar with the needs and conditions in all parts of our state, and his friends throughout the state consider him an ideal man for the office he seeks.

Mr. Frankson has always been a booster for Minnesota. His motto has ever been, "A Rented Farm Is Not a Home," and the energy with which he has brought this motto home to the farmers of Iowa, Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio has been the means of bringing to Minnesota thousands of farmers from those states who are prospering with the ever increasing prosperity of our great commonwealth.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.23
Wheat No. 2	1.19
Wheat No. 3	1.13
Wheat No. 4	.99
Flax	2.15
Oats	41
Barley	53 to .61
Rye	.86
Flour, Best Patent	3.95

Spelling contest at the school house Saturday Jan. 29th, at 1:30 P. M. Everyone invited.

Young men and women from 18 counties and five states attended the Crookston Agricultural School during the term just closed before the holidays, still there is room for more of them there.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage, containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and which default consists in mortgagors failure to pay the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, which is now past due, and which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, (a corporation) mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of October, 1913, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshal County, Minnesota, on the 24th day of October, 1913, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages on page 336.

That the amount claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage at this time is the sum of seven hundred eighty-five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars.

And whereas, no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage, or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The West half of the Northeast quarter (W1-2 NE1-4) and the East half of the Northwest quarter (E1-2 NW1-4) of Section thirty three (33) in Township one hundred fifty six (156) North of Range forty two (42), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing one hundred sixty acres (160) more or less according to the Government Survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 28th day of February, 1916, at eleven o'clock A. M., of that day at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of seven hundred eighty five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty ($50.00) Dollars, attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 10, 1916.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

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Auto Livery Right Prices
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A check account improves your credit-people can see you have money in the bank when you pay-by-check.

It insures special consideration if you wish to borrow.

It makes for prosperous times-your money in the bank keeps the mills running, employs labor and adds to the general good times.

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Stand by your home paper --- The Weekly News.

In Church Circles.

Rev. Parish will preach next Monday evening, in the Free Mission church.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl will hold services next Sunday forenoon at 10:45, in the Holt church.

The English Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. All children welcome.

The Sunshine Society will meet at the home of Mrs. T. T. Sollom, next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. Sam Mickelson, at the restaurant, next Saturday afternoon. Feb. 5th.

Rev. F. J. Seltz, of Thief River Falls, will conduct services in the Synod Church at Holt next Sunday Feb. 6th., at 2:30 P. M.

The choir will meet to night (Friday) evening with "Tony" Carlson. All are requested to be present as there are several new pieces to practice.

Frozen pumps make poor fire protection—vote for bonds.

Monday Feb. 7th is the date of Dr. Turley's next visit in Holt.

They have farmers clubs all over the country. Why can't we have one here?

Vote for bonds-for a better, bigger village and to protect the property of yourself and neighbors.

The spelling contest Saturday was not largly attended on account of the storm. Ida Reierson and Kenneth Latta were chosen from this school for the contest and, with the two from Dist. No. 20 were all that were present to take part in the struggle.

Master Kenneth proved to be the best speller and expects to go to Warren Saturday to take part in the county contest.

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Vote for bonds and to protect the home you have built by hard labor.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl has the honor of being farther paid in advance for his paper than any one on our list, his subscription being paid up to Oct. 1, 1918.

E. T. Eide returned from a short business trip at Holt and Badger. He was accompanied home by his wife and baby who have been visiting with friends and relatives the past two weeks.—Spooner News.

Several new residences will go up here next season. Encourage the builders by giving them fire protection and electric lights--vote for the bond issue next Friday, and help put Holt in line for a steady growth and a village to be proud of.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Obituary

Carl Ludvik Anderson was born in Smaland, Sweden, Sept. 21st 1873. In 1898 he was united in marriage with Miss Anna Johnson and in 1903 they came to America and lived for seven years on a farm north of Holt. About five years ago Mr. Anderson moved onto the claim where his home was at the time of his death. His parents are living in Sweden and with the widow, four sons, two daughters, four brothers and two sisters are left to mourn his death. Sincere sympathy is extended to the stricken family.

Creamery Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Farmers Co-Operative Co., of Holt, Minn., will receive sealed bids up to 2 o'clock P. M. of Thursday Feb. 10, 1916, for filling the Ice House from the car and to furnish more sawdust if necessary. And also to cut and load 2 cars of Ice at Thief River Falls.(give price per ton)

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Monday morning the pumps in both the drilled wells in town, were frozen and it would have been hard work to fight a fire under those conditions. These pumps at best, work hard and slowly.

There may be one or two surface wells that yield plenty pf water but they are not in convenient places.

Holt would be practically helpless should a fire break out at this time.

Fire insurance rates are sky high on main street because of no fire protection, which protection will materially reduce the fire rates.

No town can hope to make progress, that does not have fire protection. The reasons are many and so obvious that it is not necessary to give them here.

Electric lights are now needed and will be necessary before any great length of time. Vote for improvements that all may well be proud of Again we say vote for bonds.

More than sixty lives have been lost and millions of dollars worth of property lost by floods and storms in California. Floods in Illinois, Kentucky, Arkansas, and other parts of the Mississippi valley have done untold amount of damage and rendered hundreds of people homeless. Rains have caused suffering to both man and beast, in some places where so far there have been no real floods. Minnesota people should'nt kick if it is sometimes 25 below zero.

Dr. Turley will be here Monday.

Marshall county people pay licenses on 875 automobiles.

English services next Monday 8 p. m., Mission church, conducted by Rev. Parish. The public invited.

Be a Booster and vote for the bond issue, on Feb. 11th. You can help to make a good town here-one that people will want to locate in.

Prof. Prushek was taken with measles while at school Friday and has been obliged to give up teaching until he recovers. Misses Lawson and Saastad have charge of the upper and lower grades respectively during Prof. Prushek's absecence.

Save Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
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Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

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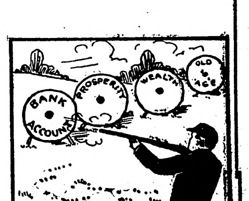
President,	D. B. Bakke
V. President,	A. D. Stephens
Cashier,	B. Docken



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You Will Score
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All Through
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Been all sorts of 'Bear' stories about this original Leading American Wood—("The Wood of the Forefathers") having been all used up *Not so.*

You will need some—and the best of it is that YOU CAN GET IT—ALL YOU WANT OF IT—AND OF AS FINE A quality AS YOUR ANCESTORS BOASTED OF.

So *this* time—for new work or old, just remember

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We carry a general line of building materials—lumber, lath, shingles, roofing materials, etc., lime and cement —and make a specialty of giving

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Creamery Statement

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OPPOSITE CITY HALL
MODERN EUROPEAN PLAN
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RATES: Rooms with detached bath and shower bath—
One person 75c, $1.00 and $1.50 per day.
Two persons in same room, 50c extra.
ROOMS with private baths and toilets—
One person $1.50 and $2.00 per day
Two persons in same room, $1.00 extra.
Send postal card for colored blotters.
WE AIM TO PLEASE

Look and Feel Clean, Sweet and Fresh Every Day

Drink a glass of real hot water before breakfast to wash out poisons.

Life is not merely to live, but to live well, eat well, digest well, work well, sleep well, look well. What a glorious condition to attain, and yet how very easy it is if one will only adopt the morning inside bath.

Folks who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when they arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the water and phosphate is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatism; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from any store that handles drugs which will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.—Adv.

As a rule the world never sympathizes with the married man whose nose is against the grindstone.

SYRUP OF FIGS FOR A CHILD'S BOWELS

It is cruel to force nauseating, harsh physic into a sick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

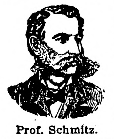
If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Adv.

Not every young man who smells of gasoline owns an automobile. Perhaps he cleans his own clothes.

THE PROFESSOR'S STATEMENT.

Prof. Aug. F. W. Schmitz, Thomas, Okla., writes: "I was troubled with Backache for about twenty-five years. When told I had Bright's Disease in its last stages, I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. After using two boxes I was somewhat relieved and I stopped the treatment. In the spring of the next year I had another attack. I went for Dodd's Kidney Pills and they relieved me again. I used three boxes. That is now three years ago and my Backache has not returned in its severity, and by using another two boxes a little later on, the pain left altogether and I have had no trouble since. You may use my statement. I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills when and wherever I can." Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.



Prof. Schmitz.

Self confidence is all right if you are in a position to back it up.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

It's a wise saw that knows its own maker.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days. Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

Wrath usually comes in family jars.

FOR THE BUSY MAN

NEWS EPITOME THAT CAN SOON BE COMPASSED.

MANY EVENTS ARE MENTIONED

Home and Foreign Intelligence Condensed Into Two and Four Line Paragraphs.

WAR NEWS.

British laborers at a mass meeting in Bristol, decided by an overwhelming majority to support the government to the full in the prosecution of the war.

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The Hamburger Fremenblatt reports that one of the bombs dropped by the German air squadron when it raided Dover England recently killed thirty-nine persons, including one officer and twenty-four soldiers.

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The anti-war movement has gained great impetus in Italy in the last few days as the result of the crushing of Montenegro and the apparent defeat of Italian aspirations in the Adriatic, according to travelers arriving in Switzerland.

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The representatives of the Montenegrin government, according to a Vienna dispatch, at last have signed articles regarding the disarmament of the Montenegrin army, and the Montenegrins everywhere are laying down their arms.

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The extent of the devastation done by the Russian invasion of East Prussia is shown by the fact that no less than 84,000 dwelling houses must be rebuilt, of which 3,000 are in cities, and 150,000 houses must be equipped with furniture.

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Turkish headquarters reports the British forces in Mesopotamia suffered a somewhat severe reverse in their endeavor to reach the besieged town of Kut-El-Amara, on the Tigris river. The report declares the British left on the field about 3,000 dead.

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Hereafter French warships will assist British vessels in blockade duties in both the English channel and the North sea participating in the examination of the mail and cargo. Joint Anglo-French replies will be made to any protests on the subject.

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Four hundred and seventy thousand square kilometers of enemy territory have been conquered and 40,000 machine guns, 10,000 cannon and nearly 3,000,000 prisoners have been captured by German and Austrian troops during the war, according to a statement issued at Vienna.

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Thousands of German and Austrian prisoners of war in Russian concentration camps in Siberia were described "as starving and dying from exposure in the bitter cold of the Siberian winter," by F. W. Wakefield, a San Francisco business man, who has just arrived from the orient.

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Returns from the vote being taken among the 400,000 employes of the 528 railroads in the United States, which will be complete March 1, indicate that more than 90 per cent of the men will demand an eight-hour day and time and a half for over time, according to executive officers of the unions at Chicago.

GENERAL.

[illegible] bonuses are to be paid [illegible] conventions, it was decided by the bureau of managers of twenty-four big cities at Louisville, Ky., a short time ago.

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Representatives of the National Swine Growers' association and affiliated bodies met at Chicago recently and decided to hold hereafter a national exhibit of record swine each year. It was decided the first exhibition should be held in Omaha next October.

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Striking copper miners of the [illegible] the Metcalf district voted to accept the proposition of the managers of the three operating companies and return to work. This practically ends the strike of several thousand miners which began September 11, 1915.

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Irving and Herbert Updike, recently indicted in Chicago for conspiracy to murder their father, mother and sister, were released on bonds of $30,000 each. Furman D. Updike, the father, who was surety on the bond, has asked that the indictments be quashed as he does not care to prosecute his sons.

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Five trainmen were killed and several others were more or less seriously injured in a head-on collision between a Burlington passenger and an extra freight train, nineteen miles west of Holdrege, Neb.

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Announcement is made that the Burlington route intends enlarging its shops at West Burlington, Ia., to twice their present size by addition of new erecting and machine shops at a cost of a million dollars. The new shops mean that about 600 more employes will be placed at work.

Bank drafts with an estimated value of $70,000 and a small amount of money were in a mail pouch stolen and rifled at Newton, Ia., after the outbound mail left the postoffice.

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The average pay of clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal church in the United States is $1,200 a year, according to Bishop William Lawrence of Massachusetts.

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Carranza officials have adopted stern measures to end bandit operations in Mexico. Death has been made the penalty for theft. Eight men, it is said, have been executed within the last two weeks, one for stealing a pig.

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Four boy bandits held up the cashier and thirty other persons, including Jake Stahl, former baseball star, in the Washington Park National bank in Chicago, and escaped with between $12,000 and $13,000. Stahl is vice president of the bank.

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More than thirty persons were injured, five seriously, when a carload of black powder exploded in the yards of the Norfolk & Western railroad at Bluefield, W. Va., and before the flames could be controlled several cars loaded with merchandise had been destroyed.

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Plans for the military training camps at Plattsburg, N. Y., and Fort Ogelthorpe, Ga., next summer were announced at New York by the Department of the East. According to those in charge arrangements already have been made to accommodate a minimum attendance of 10,000.

SPORTING.

Tad Jones, former Yale quarterback and member of the All-American football team, has been decided upon as head coach of the Yale eleven.

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R. J. Lattimore, for two seasons captain and second baseman of the Topeka Western league baseball club, has been appointed manager for the 1916 season.

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Forty thousand dollars was spent by the New York American league base ball club to strengthen its playing force by the purchase of the Federal league stars, Magee, Cullop and Gedeon, according to B. B. Johnson, president of the league.

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Joe Stecher of Dodge, Neb., won in straight falls from Mort Henderson of Altoona, Pa., who has been wrestling in the east as the "masked marvel," in their match in New York. Stecher won the first fall in 9 minutes and 50 seconds, the second in 5 minutes 51 seconds.

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Information has reached Dr. R. G. Clapp, secretary of the Nebraska Athletic board, from the registrar of Nebraska Wesleyan university, indicating that Chamberlain, the Nebraska star football player, will be ineligible to participate in university athletics after this year.

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The contest board of the American Automobile association has given its sanction to the holding of the first annual western inter-club non-professional automobile race to be held in Chicago next May. Only non-professional drivers and mechanicians will be allowed to compete.

WASHINGTON.

The Shackelford good roads bill, carrying an appropriation of $25,000,000 to aid the states in improving their post roads, was passed by the house recently, 281 to 81. Three members voted "present."

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The United States navy would be at the bottom of the sea in less than sixty days, perhaps sooner, if this country were attacked by a first class power, General Leonard Wood told the house committee on military affairs.

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The first step in the progress of the national prohibition movement in this congress was taken when the senate judiciary subcommittee decided to recommend to the full committee Senator Sheppard's federal constitutional amendment.

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Senator Clarke of Arkansas, author of the Philippine bill amendment for the independence of the islands in from two to four years, asserted his willingness to have Japanese ultimately take over the control of the islands.

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A wireless detective that will [illegible] where radio messages come from has been invented and developed by Frederick Kolster, an experimenter in the government bureau of standards. In tests messages were received from all parts of the United States and from Germany.

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Senator William J. Stone of Missouri has introduced a bill in congress authorizing the payment of $41,230 to Greece, Austria-Hungary and Turkey for injuries suffered by their subjects during the South Omaha riot of February 21, 1909.

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In a decision of wide effect to water power development throughout the United States the supreme court held that states possess the power to enact laws authorizing condemnation of power sites and water rights by right of eminent domain.

THE BUILDING OF A COUNTRY

The Natural Pride of Those Who Take Part in It.

To those who have built railroads through and across the prairies of Western Canada, connecting that great empire of grain and cattle, horse and sheep with the world's markets in the east, must be awarded the privilege of looking upon their work, and its results with pardonable pride. If they reminiscence, and tell of the hardships and the privations, why shouldn't they? The broad prairies on which the buffalo roamed and fed, are now alive with cities, towns and villages. Farms—large and small—on which machinery has chased the bugaboo of laborious work off the farm, and making farm life one of the most pleasant and prosperous of occupations—are being cultivated by men of the highest stamp of manhood. Many of these have inherited from their forebears the physical strength and the high type of manliness that was theirs in the days when they hewed their homes out of the virgin forest, and made them what may be seen today, beautiful farms in the east. On the whole the western prairies breed a high type of manhood, wrest from him faults and diseases which would be his were it not for the upbuilding influence and character of prairie life.

When the builder of the western Canadian prairie looks upon the result of his work, why shouldn't his chest expand? It was probably some of this feeling of pride that took possession of Sir Donald Mann, vice president of the Canadian Northern Railway the other day in Winnipeg, when he said:

"I am not in the habit of giving advice, but I have no hesitation of advising the young men of Canada, every young man, to get out and get a piece of western Canada's land that now can be had for the asking and be their own masters."

"It was 36 years ago when I first came to Winnipeg," he said. "At that time there were less than 150,000 people west of Lake Huron in Canada, and the only bit of railway in operation was between St. Boniface and Emerson—about sixty miles. Today there are nearly 20,000 miles of railway in actual operation and the population is over two and a quarter million, a wonderful achievement in such a short period you will agree, when you have contemplated it a moment."

"At that time all the flour, meat and many other supplies for our contracts were brought from the States. Now consider what the west is doing today. You have a grain production exceeding a billion bushels and yet only a comparatively small area of the tillable land of the country is occupied. Five years hence you will be more than doubling that."—Advertisement.

That New Hat.

Mamie—How do you like my new hat, Susie?

Susie—Lovely, Mamie; I had one just like it last year.

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Says Drugs Excite Kidneys and Recommends Only Salts, Particularly If Bladder Bothers You.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.—Adv.

The Fad.

Knicker—Tired?

Bocker—Yes, I was up [illegible] skating the baby.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

Don't lose all your energy waiting for rich relatives to die.

GERMANS LAUNCH GREAT OFFENSIVE ON WEST FRONT

CLAIM CAPTURE OF NEARLY A MILE OF FRENCH TRENCHES IN ARTOIS REGION—OCCUPY VILLAGE OF FIRSE.

DEFENDERS ASSERT ALL ATTACKS ARE REPULSED

French War Office in Official Statement Denies Reported Teuton advance—Artillery Fires German Ammunition Depot at Ville-En-Feucht.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—In the greatest German offensive on the Western front in many months, the Germans have captured nearly a mile of French trenches in the Artois region and have captured the village of Firse and 1,000 yards of French trenches south of the river Somme.

The war office announced that about 1,200 French prisoners were taken. The double offensive was launched Friday.

"Northwest of the farm of Laerolle, northeast of Neuville the Germans stormed 1,500 yards of enemy trenches, capturing 237 enemy soldiers, said the official statement.

"They also took nine machine guns. Positions near Neuville broke down, though the enemy succeeded in occupying a mine crator."

South of the river Somme, the Germans captured the village of Firse and 1,000 yards of French positions connected with it. Further southward the Germans took twelve officers and 927 French soldiers prisoners.

Launch New Offensive.

After a several hours' violent bombardment, the Germans launched a new offensive against the French positions south of the river Somme, the French war office reported. The Germans charged the French trenches on a front several miles wide, extending from the bend of the Somme to Frise and southward. Every attack was repulsed, the official statement asserted.

Meanwhile there was no lull in the heavy fighting north of Arras, particularly on the section from Neuville to Givenchy. The French by a lively counter attack recaptured a portion of the trench positions taken by the Germans west of Hill No. 140.

"In the region of Ville-En Feucht, our heavy artillery set fire to a German ammunition depot," said the official statement. "Numerous explosions resulted."

NOTES TO ALL BELLIGERENTS

Requests to Subscribe to Declaration of Principles of Naval Warfare Sent to Powers.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Identical notes have been sent to all the belligerent countries, Secretary of State Robert Lansing says, in which the various countries have been asked whether they were willing to subscribe to a declaration of principles governing attacks on merchant ships and forbidding the arming of such vessels.

Government officials said that favorable responses would clinch the principles of submarine warfare, for which the United States has long contended.

In brief, the United State proposes that noncombatants may expect protection under the rules of international law and the principles of humanity when traveling on merchant ships that warning must be given beffore a merchantman is attacked, that belligerent owned merchant ships must obey warning must be given before a mer- shall not be fired on except in case of resistance or flight, that no merchantman shall be sunk except where it is impossible to supply a prize crew or until passengers and crew are placed in safety and that merchant men shall not be permitted to mount arms.

RIOT AGAINST TEUTONS.

Lausanne, Switzerland, Jan. 31.—Notwithstanding the presence of troops, rioting has again broken out in the vicinity of the German consulate. More than 100 arrests were made.

Reports Bomb Attacks on Ship.

Hull, Jan. 31.—The captain of the Wilson liner Carlo reports that his vessel was attacked in the vicinity of Dover by a German aeroplane which dropped a number of bombs over the Carlo and other vessels in the vicinity. None of the craft, however, were damaged.

Indianans To Leave Prison Soon.

Leavenworth, Kan., Jan. 31.—With the release from the United States penitentiary here on Feb. 7, of Alexander Aczell, former street inspector of Terre Haute, Ind., Edward Holler, former chief of police, Charles Houghton, city hall custodian; Joseph O'Hara and George Sovern, nine of the men convicted in the election conspiracy cases will have satisfied the government for their offenses. Aczell, Holler, Houghton, O'Hara and Sovern were sentenced to one year and a day each.

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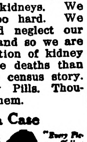
Why That Lame Back?

Morning lameness, sharp twinges when bending, or an all-day backache; each is cause enough to suspect kidney trouble. Get after the cause. Help the kidneys. We Americans go it too hard. We overdo, overeat and neglect our sleep and exercise and so we are fast becoming a nation of kidney sufferers. 72% more deaths than in 1890 is the 1910 census story. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

A Montana Case

John S. Woosley, Bozeman, Mont., says: "For years I had kidney complaint with a tired, depressed feeling. My head ached, I had dizzy spells and the kidney secretions were scanty. I was in severe pain and had rheumatic twinges all through my body. I have been practically free from these ailments since I used two or three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills."



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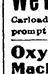

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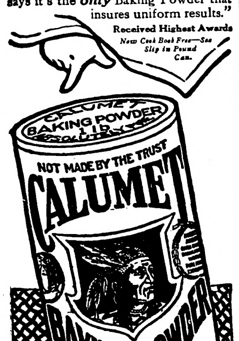

Cheap and big can Baking Powders do not save you money. Calumet does—it's Pure and far superior to sour milk and soda.

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For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00. —Adv.

If angels fear to tread where fools rush in, they should use their wings.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels.—Adv.

Don't think because a mule takes to his heels that he is a coward.

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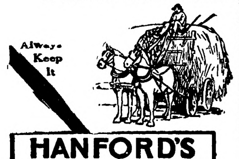

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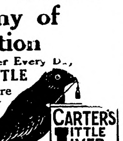

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State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Red Wing.—President George E. Vincent of the University of Minnesota will be among the speakers at the convention at the Southeastern Minnesota Teachers' association at Red Wing.

Minneapolis.—Judge Paige Morris, in United States district court has held that the counties of Becker, Mahnomen and Clearwater have no right to tax the White Earth lands belonging to mixed bloods. A permanent injunction was granted.

Fairmont.—The youngest plaintiff in a divorce action in the Martin county district court is Vera Gladys Barr, 15 years old, who seeks a legal separation from her husband, William Barr, 22 years old. They were married a year ago at Blue Earth.

St. James.—The leather-covered arm chair presented to the late Governor W. S. Hammond by Twin Cities friends, following his inauguration, has been presented to the Presbyterian church here as a memorial to the Governor, who was a member of the church.

Hibbing.—Many thousands of dollars will be paid out on the Mesabi and Vermilion ranges in the pension fund announced by the United States Steel Corporation. Pensions will go both to men and to women. For men the age limit is placed at 60 years, and for women, 50.

Washington, D. C.—A bulletin on mortality statistics, issued by the federal census bureau gives the following for some of the Minnesota cities selected in respect to geographical situation: Duluth, 11.7 a thousand; Mankato, 16.6; St. Cloud, 13.8; Stillwater, 13; Winona, 15.4.

Faribault.—The 1917 convention of the Minnesota Dairymen's association probably will be held here. A strong bid was made for the meeting at Rush City by Mayor Erb, E. Fleckenstein and George E. Deverey. The matter is left to the board of directors, who meet in September.

Rochester.—This city's new $35,000 armory is to be formally dedicated, and C. M. Andrist, private secretary to Governor Burnquist, will deliver the principal address and a banquet will follow. The late Governor Hammond first had been engaged to dedicate the armory, January 7.

Brainerd.—Old neighbors near his summer home at Gull lake or other personal friends of Fred B. Lynch, were chosen to compose the Crow Wing county delegation of twelve to the Democratic state conference. It is strictly a Lynch delegation, according to Mal D. Clark, chairman.

Austin.—Mrs. John Sorensen, a widow, was shot to death at her home here by John Peterson, a rejected suitor. Peterson then turned the weapon on himself. He died shortly after. Mrs. Sorenson leaves three children, the oldest 16 and the youngest 10. Peterson was a railroad bridge carpenter.

Litchfield, Minn. — The Farmers' Shipping Association of Meeker County, said to be the first organization of its kind in the United States, will hold its annual meeting here February 3. D. A. Wallace of St. Paul, editor of the Farmer, and Prof. H. R. Smith, live stock expert of the First National Bank of St. Paul, will speak.

Mankato.—M. O. Hagen, a North Mankato meat dealer, disappeared about two years ago. His wife and two children later moved to Minneapolis. A telegram has been received from the Canadian mounted police at Hythe, Alta., that Hagen had died there alone in a shack on a claim he had taken. He was stricken with paralysis. He was 50 years old.

Duluth.—Fully 5,000 woodsmen in the Northern Minnesota lumber camps now are drawing the highest wages paid in the past five years. Conditions for logging are ideal and the camps are calling for men. The lowest wage paid is $26 a month and the minimum for men who will stay a month is $35. The loggers have been forced to raise the scale about $5 to get men.

Red Wing.—Earl Mellin, a 15-year-old Burnside township boy, is the champion corn grower in Goodhue county. He won first prize of $20 in the contest conducted by the Goodhue county fair association. Earl captured the honors by raising 79.2 bushels of corn on an acre of ground. Ben Borgschatz of Zumbrota township won second prize, $15, with a yield of 74.1 bushels to the acre.

Owatonna.—The building of good roads in Steel county, already famous for the quality of its roads, was given added impetus at two good roads meetings held in this city recently. At the National Guard armory, nearly 300 farmers listened to J. B. Clarkson of Joplin, Mo., expound road improvement problems, and at a banquet in the evening at the Hotel Owatonna the same speaker addressed 200 local business men. E. T. Winship was chairman of the afternoon meeting.

Minneapolis, Minn.—"My company stands ready to spend between $400,000 and $500,000 on improvements as soon as the river is ready for traffic facilities," asserted Joseph Bragdon, second vice president of Winston, Harper Fisher company, before a joint session of the Minneapolis council committee on river and navigation and a delegation from the St. Paul council in Mayor Nye's conference room. "If it were not for the river's promise of future cheaper rates my company would have a large branch in Duluth, if, indeed, we're not forced to move its main house there."

BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK 'CASCARETS'

Gently cleanse your liver and sluggish bowels while you sleep.

Get a 10-cent box.

Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Adv.

A small boy says the road to knowledge has too many branches.

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Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne now heads the list as a successful remedy for the relief of headache, nervousness, insomnia, car sickness, etc.

The dangerous tablet has had its day. Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne is a harmless, refreshing, fragrant preparation, marvelous in its action, relieving nervousness, sleeplessness, exhaustion and all head and nerve ailments by external use and inhaling. It is not a nerve food, but a nerve soother. By giving the nerves a rest they furnish their own food and tone, and all nerve pains disappear.

For children's colds and catarrh it is just the remedy, harmless and efficient and so pleasant to use. For men a pleasant remedy to relieve and clear the head "the morning after the night before." This is not an expensive preparations at 50 cents a bottle, because it brings the relief. It has many imitators at less price, but if they do not bring the desired results they are not cheap at any price.

Get Hoyt's and you will be satisfied. For sale at all drug stores.

Prejudiced.

Whitney Warren was talking at the Metropolitan club in New York about the central empires' submarine policy.

"Any American who supports that policy," he said, "any champion of the sinkers of the Lusitania and Ancona, must have a taste like the old Scot's.

"An old Scot was once boasting that Scottish apples were better than our splendid Oregon ones—our sweet, juicy, enormous, red-cheeked Oregon apples that sell in the restaurants of Europe for forty or fifty cents apiece.

"'Yes,' said the Scot, 'our Scottish apples are the best.'

"'Come now,' said a fruit farmer, you can't mean that.'

"'Yes, I do mean it,' said the Scot; 'but maybe I'd better tell ye, laddies, that for my ain taste I prefer them sour and hard.'"

Retort Courteous.

He was an estimable young man, whose life happily had not intimately acquainted him with the etiquette of the barroom, but he had evidently picked up some knowledge of this from hearsay and reading.

"Here," said his fellow worker, in reaction against the toil of the holiday "rush," "is to hell with Christmas!"

The young man bowed gravely, and clicked his glass. Perhaps the din of the place a bit confused him. "Same to you," he said in a polite voice.

COFFEE WAS IT

People Slowly Learn the Facts

"All my life I have been a slave to coffee. I kept gradually losing my health but I used to say 'nonsense, it don't hurt me.'

"Slowly I was forced to admit the truth and the final result was that my nervous force was shattered.

"My heart became weak and uncertain in its action and that frightened me. Then my physician told me that I must stop drinking coffee or I could never expect to be well again.

"I thought of Postum but could hardly bring myself to give up the coffee.

"Finally I concluded that I owed it to myself to give Postum a trial. I got a package and carefully followed the directions, and what a delicious, nourishing, rich drink it was! Do you know, I found it very easy to shift from coffee to Postum.

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It pays to give up the drink that acts on some like a poison, for health is the greatest fortune one can have. Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

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Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

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STATE IRON MINES YIELD BIG REVENUE

PRODUCE TOTAL OF 2,436,790 TONS OF ORE—ROYALTIES NEARLY $700,000.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

State iron ore mines produced a total of 2,436,790 tons of ore last year, and the revenue to the state from the royalties imposed will not be far short of $700,000. This figure was only exceeded in 1913 when 2,875,982 tons of ore were shipped from state properties. The state mines now shipping have turned over to the state $165,000 royalties for the last quarter of the year. The money goes to the state school fund. The biggest producer was the Leanodis mine, with 732,777 tons. Other big producers were the Missabe Mountain, 668,060 tons; Grant, 189,748; Woodbridge, 177,196, and the Pool, 141,996.

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To Show State's Advantages.

Residents of forty-eight towns in Ohio and Indiana will be told of Minnesota's advantages to the settler on the tour of John D. Deets, who will lecture for the immigration department during January, February and March. The itinerary of the lecturer was given by Fred D. Sherman, immigration commissioner. Territory in Illinois will be covered by Frank M. Eddy.

"We are receiving inquiries daily from persons who have attended lectures," said Mr. Sherman. "Instead of giving away literature promiscuously this year, I am trying out another plan. Each lecturer is provided with an unlimited supply of post cards, addressed to my office, asking that literature be sent. These are given to persons interested in Minnesota and if they fill out the post card and mail it to this office I consider the prospect worth following up.

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Gets Half of New Settlers.

Chattels of immigrants to Minnesota during 1915 required 2,306 cars and the number of new settlers coming to Minnesota is just half those going to all the other states of the Northwest combined. Fred D. Sherman, immigration commissioner, said that the Minnesota Transfer railway handled 4,444 cars of immigrant movables in the year.

"Prospects for immigration this year are not as bright as I would like to see them," said Mr. Sherman, "but notwithstanding I look for a fair movement to the Northwest when the spring opens and I have no fear but that Minnesota will maintain her present percentage."

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Forty-One Kinds of Birds.

How many kinds of birds may be found in Minnesota in the winter season? None but ornithologists would be likely to answer this question offhand and the general public probably will be surprised to know there are forty-one kinds. Full information about these birds and all of them in Minnesota at this time of the year is contained in the latest number of Fins, Feathers and Fur issued by Carlos Avery, game and fish commissioner.

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Issues Fire Warning.

Realizing that the [illegible] makers gathered in St. Paul for the carnival were out to "make it a Hot One," R. W. Hargadine, state fire marshal, issued a warning to the people of Minnesota to be careful of fires while the festivities occupied attention.

"This department does not want to be a 'kill joy' but we advise people to watch out for fires," he said. "The cigarette, cigar or half burned match may result in a serious fire."

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Sale of State Lands.

J. A. O. Preus, state [illegible], and Walter J. Smith, state [illegible], went to International Falls last Thursday to conduct a sale of state lands in Koochiching county. Other sales to follow are: Lake county at Two Harbors, January 31, St. Louis county at Duluth, January 31, Itasca county at Grand Rapids, February 1, Aitkin county at Aitkin, February 2, and Cass county at Walker, February 3.

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Abatement Ruling Applied.

The first application of [illegible] state supreme court decision that in abatement cases knowledge of the owner must be proved was made when District Judge Michael granted a motion to amend a decree of April 29 which closed the Auditorium hotel, Fourth and St. Peter streets, St. Paul, for one year. The property may be re-opened immediately.

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On Government Reorganization.

In order to give the public an opportunity to air its views on the proposed reorganization of the state government the new efficiency and economy commission set aside last week for those who desired to address it and asked a number of prominent citizens to make talks. Congressman C. A. Lindbergh of the Sixth district, a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor and S. G. Iverson, who also aspires to the same honor, were among the number who were solicited by the committee.

Health for Sick Women

For Forty Years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Has Been Woman's Most Reliable Medicine —Here is More Proof.

To women who are suffering from some form of woman's special ills, and have a constant fear of breaking down, the three following letters ought to bring hope:—

North Crandon, Wis.—"When I was 16 years old I got married and at 18 years I gave birth to twins and it left me with very poor health. I could not walk across the floor without having to sit down to rest and it was hard for me to keep about and do my work. I went to a doctor and he told me I had a displacement and ulcers, and would have to have an operation. This frightened me so much that I did not know what to do. Having heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I thought I would give it a trial and it made me as well as ever. I cannot say enough in favor of the Pinkham remedies."—Mrs. Mayme Asbach, North Crandon, Wis.

Testimony from Oklahoma.

Lawton, Okla.—"When I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I seemed to be good for nothing. I tired easily and had headaches much of the time and was irregular. I took it again before my little child was born and it did me a wonderful amount of good at that time. I never fail to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to ailing women because it has done so much for me."—Mrs. A. L. McCasland, 509 Have St., Lawton, Okla.

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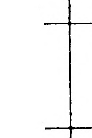
Roxbury, Mass.—"I was suffering from inflammation and was examined by a physician who found that my trouble was caused by a displacement. My symptoms were bearing down pains, backache, and sluggish liver. I tried several kinds of medicine; then I was asked to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has cured me and I am pleased to be in my usual good health by using it and highly recommend it."—Mrs. B. M. Osgood, 1 Haynes Park, Roxbury, Mass.



If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Never Tasted Any.

Officer—I want a man to go around and buy some good horses, sergeant.

Are you—er—anything of a judge of horse flesh?

Sergeant—I dunno, sir. I've never tasted any.

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Crusted With Dandruff Yield Readily to Cuticura. Trial Free.

Cuticura Soap to cleanse the scalp of dandruff crustings and scalings, and Cuticura Ointment to soothe and heal itchings and irritations. Nothing better, surer or more economical than these super-creamy emollients for hair and scalp troubles of young or old.

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India's railroads pension old employees.

Safety First.

Knicker—What is the best thing to do in dealing with the submarine question?

Booker—Well, we might dry up.

PREPAREDNESS!

To Fortify The System Against Grip

when Grip is prevalent LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE should be taken, as this combination of Quinine with other ingredients, destroys germs, acts as a Tonic and Laxative and thus keeps the system in condition to withstand Colds, Grip and Influenza. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c.

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Not Gray Hairs but Tired Eyes make us look older than we are. Keep your Eyes young and you will look young. After the Movies Murine Your Eyes. Don't tell your age. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

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SUDDEN DEATH

Caused by Disease of the Kidneys

The close connection which exists between the heart and the kidneys is well known nowadays. As soon as kidneys are diseased, arterial tension is increased and the heart functions are attacked. When the kidneys no longer pour forth waste, uremic poisoning occurs, and the person dies and the cause is often given as heart disease, or disease of brain or lungs.

It is a good insurance against such a risk to send 10 cents for a large trial package of "Anuric" the latest discovery of Dr. Pierce. Also send a sample of your water. This will be examined without charge by expert chemists at Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. When you suffer from backache, frequent or scanty urine, rheumatic pains here or there, or that constant tired, worn-out feeling, it's time to write Dr. Pierce, describe your symptoms and get his medical opinion, without charge—absolutely free. This "Anuric" of Dr. Pierce's is 37 times more active than lithia, for it dissolves uric acid in the system, as hot water does sugar.

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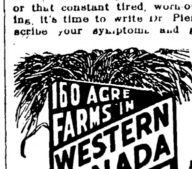

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Northeast of Holt

Eli Saastad called at Pete Sorter's last Wednesday evening.

A number of young folks spent Sunday evening at C. W. Christianson's.

Hilmer Davidson and Pete Sorter called at M. Grondahl's Saturday evening.

Charles Martel called at Christianson's Sunday last.

A number of young folks spent Sunday evening at Chas. Skogland's

Harry Grondahl returned home last Saturday from a few months stay at Ilag, Minnesota.

Miss Esther Movik called at Ole Davidson last Sunday.(? ? ?)

Ask Oliver why he always goes down to Sunnyside hunting, must be plenty of game there.

Chas. and Algot Skoglund called at P. G. Sorter's Wednesday evening.

Burndette, Charles and Leo Horlen spent Sunday afternoon at E. Johnson's.

Miss Anna Sorter is spending a few days with Lizzie Hanson.

Edward Knutson called at E. Johnson's Tuesday.

John Munberg spent a couple of days at E. Johnson's last week.

The St. Cloud reformatory has a population of 652.

Joe Nelson went to Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Plenty of time now to plan the farm work for next spring.

The city snow plow did good work on our streets one day this week.

H. Pavek came Friday and visited with friends leaving Monday for Overly, N. D. to work in the depot there.

A Gatzke boy, Clifford Engelstad, recently won an automobile in a subscription contest of a Minneapolis magazine.

Peter Bjoraa of Lancaster formerly editor of The Herald was a pleasant caller Wednesday. Mr. Bjoraa is now on the road selling calendars.

Rev. McMartin was unable to keep his appointment Tuesday evening, but expects to be here the evening of Feb. 15th. to hold services.

The Farmers State Bank have placed a big clock in their window and anyone can tell by it what time of day it is from accross the street.

Chas. Knutson tells us he expects to build on the lot he bot of the village, as soon as the weather will permit. He will put up a building 20x32 with 10 posts and move his butcher shop into it.

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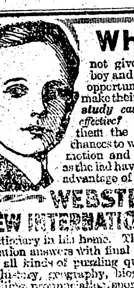

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Per cent test	27.57
Butterfat (in lbs)	64103.96
Per cent overrun	23.45
Lbs. Butter made	79136
Average Gross price received	.26.79
Average price paid for Butterfat	.26
Cost of making 1 lb. butter	2.58
Bal on hand beg'ing of year	$8.13
Rec'd for butter sold	$21205.00
" from other sources	146.36
Total Receipts	$21359.49
Paid patrons for butterfat	$16667.50
" freight & commission	2118.97
" to other sources	2.98
" cream haulers	12.72
" expense fund	2046.23
" sinking fund	468.17
" " " coal sold	41.73
Balance on hand	1.19
Total	$21359.49

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Odd.

It is odd that the man who speaks without thinking is the one most apt to say what he thinks.

The Holt Weekly News

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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

This and That

Bring us your Job Printing.

The groung hog saw his 'shadder.'

Auction bills printed at this office.

Personal property taxes are now due and must be paid before March 1st.

The Big Farm Crops Show commences Monday and continues all the week.

Dr. H. B. Newell, the Thief River Falls druggist, has started another store at Goodridge.

Politics is warming up somewhat but we can't notice it is having any affect on this cold weather of ours.

Help make this a better town by providing fire protection. The bond issue needs your vote next Friday.

Cummins will no doubt get Iowa and Minnesota, but that's about as near the White House as he will ever get.

Twenty seven thousand automobiles were sold in Minnesota last year bringing the total in the state up to 95,000

If Holt is to continue to grow and prosper, we must have fire protection. Vote for bonds at next Fridays election and show you are progressive.

A primary election will be held in this state, Tuesday March 14th, the day of the annual town meetings. Minnesota is the first state to hold a Presidential primary election.

A Soo passenger train recently killed a couple of wolves about two miles east of Warren and some of the young men gathered up the scalps and collected the $15.00 bounty.

Editor Baker of the Red Lake Falls Gazette has come out with a signed editorial favoring a dry county and gives strong reasons for doing so. This fight will be watched with much interest from all over the state.

Senator Knute Nelson does not believe we have a moral right to turn the Philippines loose to become the prey of any national freebooter that wants to grab them and exploit them for its own benefit. And Knute's head is level, as usual.—Warren Register.

The passenger train from the south was more than four hours late Tuesday and it is frequently two hours late and rarely on time this winter. The one from the north is never more than 10 or 15 minuets late and is usually on time. This is proof enough who is getting the snow and storms.

Twenty-four people were killed Saturday night by a German air raid on Paris. Several raids have also been made on England the past week with varying successes. Thus the war goes on. Women, children and other non-combatants are being killed in this cruel war. Yet Europe boasts of her civilization, and some people would like to see T. R. president of this country-which now is at peace with all the world.

Chris Knutson purchased the lot recently bot by the village council of C. W. Latta. Mr. Knutson paid $225.00 for the lot, the village making a profit of $5.00 on the deal. They then purchased Carl Newton's corner lot for $400.00. Mr Newton reserving the blacksmith shop which he will move to another location. The village will vote on a bond issue (see notice in this weeks paper) and if it carries, will put up a building suitable for a council room, jail, engine and fire apparatus room.

Local Items

Fridjof Riesberg is in Thief River Falls, attending school.

The creamrry will let their ice job next Thursday at 2 P. M.

English services next Monday evening, Free Mission Church.

Dr. Turley will be here next Monday Feb. 7th, to do dental work.

No one can deny the fact that we need fire protection, no, well then vote for bonds.

Found: A wagon box end-gate. Owner please prove property and pay for this notice.

Rev. Lundell, of T. R. Falls, held Swedish services in the Mission church Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg returned Wednesday from several days visit in Thief River Falls and Warren.

There will be a masquerade ball given in the Woodman Hall in this village, on Friday evening Feb. 11th Everybody invited.

C. L. Sanberg and son went to T. R. Falls, Saturday. Mr. Sanberg returned here Monday, his son remaining there to attend school.

New DeLaval cream seperator, 650 lb. capacity, for sale or trade for young stock. See A. S. Bernstein, Golden Valley or Holt State Bank.

People like to invest their money in a safe place and no building is a safe investment, in a town that is without fire protection--vote for that next Friday.

Rev. G. O. Parish, of Thief River Falls, will preach in the Free Mission church at 8 o'clock next Monday evening, Feb. 7th. Everyone invited to attend.

Mrs. Jacob Nelson returned Friday from Grand Forks where she had been called by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Loyd Adams whom we understand is now improving.

The railroad company has run a snow plow and track cleaner over the road a couple of times the past week. The snow was so deep in the yards that it was hauled out in a snow scraper by a team in order to get it out of the way.

Most of the patrons on Guy Anderson's mail route turned out Monday and broke the roads so he could get thru with their mail and not be so late as he has been some days. This was very much appreciated by both the carrier and postmaster and we hope the good work will continue.

NOTICE

OF SPECIAL VILLAGE ELECTION.

The Citizens of the village of Holt, in the County of Marshall, and state of Minnesota, who are qualified to vote at general elections, are hereby notified that a Special Election for said Village will be held at S. S. Kolden's building, located on Lot 10, Block 9, Townsite of Holt, on the 11th day of February, 1916, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 9 o'clock P. M. of the same day, for the following purpose: "Shall the village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, issue its Bonds to the State of Minnesota in the aggregate amount of Six Thousand Dollars ($6,000.00) for the purposes of building a Village Hall on Lot 12, Block 4, Townsite of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota; to install a suitable system of Fire Protection and an Electric Lighting Plant to be owned and operated by the said Village of Holt; said bonds to bear interest at the rate of Four (4) per centum per annum, to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution of the Village Council now on file in the office of the Village Clerk," and to do any other business proper to be done at said election when convened.

Dated at Holt, Minn., this 29th day of January, 1916.

A. L. Carlson,
Village Clerk.

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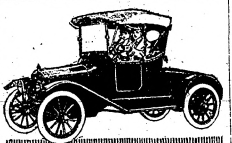

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Jan. 22, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Charles McLean of Holt, Minn. who on Dec. 7, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 08614, for NE1-4 SE1-4 Sec. 17, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 28th day of Feb. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Engstrom, Gunder P. Sorter, John Hanson and Henry Erickson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.21
Wheat No. 2	1.17
Wheat No. 3	1.11
Wheat No. 4	1.04
Flax	2.14
Oats	.39
Barley	53 to .60
Rye	.87
Flour, Best Patent	3.95

A farmers short course will be held in Warren, March 8th. to 14th.

Young men and women from 18 counties and five states attended the Crookston Agricultural School during the term just closed before the holidays, still there is room for more of them there.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage, containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and which default consists in mortgagors failure to pay the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, which is now past due, and which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, (a corporation) mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of October, 1913, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshal County, Minnesota, on the 24th day of October, 1913, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages on page 336.

That the amount claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage at this time is the sum of seven hundred eighty-five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars.

And whereas, no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage, or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The West half of the Northeast quarter (W1-2 NE1-4) and the East half of the Northwest quarter (E1-2 NW1-4) of Section thirty three (33) in Township one hundred fifty six (156) North of Range forty two (42), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing one hundred sixty acres (160) more or less according to the Government Survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 28th day of February, 1916, at eleven o'clock A. M., of that day at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of seven hundred eighty five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty ($50.00) Dollars, attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 10, 1916.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

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Considering a Banking Change

If you are considering a banking change and know any of our depositors, have a talk with them.

If you don't happen to know any of our depositors-- come in and have a talk with us.

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Suffers Partial Loss Of Sight.

We are sorry to report that P. A. Riesberg is almost blind as the result of the breaking of a small blood vessel, near the optic nerve. Mr. Riesberg had a bad head ache, all day Saturday, and while attending the school meeting that evening, he was taken much worse and had to be assisted home. This is probably the time the blood vessel broke. He has had the same trouble before and has always recovered in a short time and it is sincerely hoped that he may soon have his usual eye sight restored.

A Successful Year.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid held their annual meeting last week Thursday. There was a good attendance and the receipts for the day were over $5.00 Their annual report shows that they carried over from 1914 a balance of $53.21 and their receipts for last year were $153.43 making a total of $206.64.

During the year they paid $154.03 on the debts of the church and paid other expenses of $2.35 leaving a balance of $50.26, which is a good work done by these ladies who have worked hard to accomplish this. Mrs. R. L. Olson was re-elected President and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg was re-elected Secretary. Mrs. T. T. Sollom was elected Treasurer to succeed Mrs. Ole Reierson who did not wish to have the office again on account of poor health.

County Printing.

The financial statement of this county cost the tax payers $345.95 last year and the total of the county printing cost $962.75. The financial statement of Pennington Co. cost them $739.20 and their totals were $1597.98. Roseau Co. paid $727.20 for their financial statement and $1674.85 was the total of all their county printing. All the comment we have to make, is: Marshall county printers must be getting rich at this rate.

This and That

To-morrow, Saturday Feb. 12th, is the birthday of the great American Emancipator, Abraham Lincoln.

The Goodridge news paper has discontinued their ready print service on account of its high cost, and hereafter the Eleven Towns will be all home print.

According to The Badger Herald-Rustler, hunting wolves on horseback is becoming fashionabe in that country and it is said to be great sport, several wolves having been killed.

This state has two lecturers, with moving picture outfits, making a two months tour of Illinois, Indiana and Ohio with a view of booming Minnesota and bringing in new settlers. It is said to be a paying proposition.

Minneapolis pays nearly a million dollars a year on its bonded indebtedness. That makes one wonder what becomes of the annual revenue from between 400 and 500 saloons that are doing a flurishing business there.

Over eighty thousand new members joined the Woodmen last year. The society is now 33 years old and has paid nearly 88,000 death claims amounting to over $150,000,000.00, to widows and orphans of its members.

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Holt Boy Winner At Warren.

Kenneth Latta won the county spelling contest, at Warren Saturday, standing 99 and 2-3 per cent out of a possible 100. This is pretty good for Kenneth as he is only in the seventh grade and his competitors from the country schools were in the eighth grade. Master Kenneth represented Marshall Co. at the Farm Crops Show in Crookston Tuesday and tied another pupil for third prize, a girl from Kittson Co. winning first prize. Kenneth conducted himself creditably at the Crookston contest, and considering he was the only seventh grade pupil pitted against pupils of the first and second year in the eighth grades, Marshall County may well be proud of Holt's bright pupil. Holt with the News extends congratulations, and wishes Kenneth a bright and successful future.

A New "Northern Light."

The initial copy of The Williams Northern Light reached our office this week, and we must say that it is one of the best country newspapers it has ever been our lot to see, and it is a booster from A to Z.

The editor and proprietor is Sam S. Sherman, a former Iowa newspaper man, who settled on a claim near Williams, a couple of years ago for the benefit of his health. We wish him unbounded success.

In Church Circles.

Mrs. S. S. Kolden entertained the Synod Ladies Aid yesterday.

The yearly meeting of the Free Mission Church will be held Thursday afternoon Feb. 24th.

Mrs. T. T. Sollom will entertain the Ladies Aid, in the church basement, on Thursday Feb. 24th.

The English Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. All children welcome.

The Sunshine Society will meet at the home of Mrs. R. L. Olson, next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rev. F. D. McMartin will preach in English, at Free Mission Church, 8 P. M. next Tuesday February 15th. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend this service.

Rev. Verklunde, missionary of the "Red River Dalen's Free Mission" will be in Holt, Monday Feb. 14th, and will hold services in the Free Mission church at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Everyone invited.

NOTICE!

On March 1st, at 10 o'clock A. M. sharp I will sell at public sale on my farm 1 1-2 miles southwest of Gatzke and 80 rods from Rollis store all of my personal property consisting of 7 good farm mares and horses, 1 poled angus bull, 7 first class milch cows, young stock, complete line of new farm machinery, all household goods, farm tools, etc.

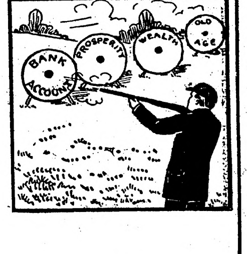
Han Lewis, Rollis, P. O., Minn.

Sunshine Society

The Sunshine Society met at the pleasant home of Mrs. T. T. Sollom Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. There were fourteen present and a very enjoyable time was spent. A business meeting was held at which Gladys Hagen was elected President, Ida Reierson Secretary, and Elvena Sollom Treasurer. A fine luncheon was served which all enjoyed. The next meeting will be at Mrs. R. L. Olson next Saturday at 2 o'clock.

After this week the Sunshine Society will meet every two weeks.

By order of the President.



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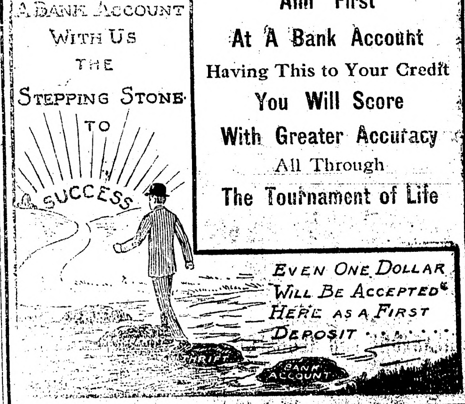

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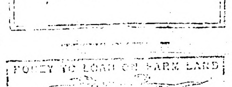

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Says glass of hot water with phosphate before breakfast washes out poisons.

If you wake up with a bad taste, bad breath and tongue is coated; if your head is dull or aching; if what you eat sours and forms gas and acid in stomach, or you are bilious, constipated, nervous, sallow and can't get feeling just right, begin drinking phosphated hot water. Drink before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will flush the poisons and toxins from stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels and cleanse, sweeten and purify the entire alimentary tract. Do your inside bathing immediately upon arising in the morning to wash out of the system all the previous day's poisonous waste, gases and sour bile before putting more food into the stomach.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became loaded with body impurities, get from your druggist or storekeeper a quarter pound of limestone phosphate which is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except for a sourish tinge which is not unpleasant.

Just as soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Men and women who are usually constipated, bilious, headachy or have any stomach disorder should begin this inside bathing before breakfast. They are assured they will become real cranks on the subject shortly.—Adv.

Decision Deferred.

"How are you going to like your new neighbors?"

"Can't tell. I happened to be out when their furniture was moved in."—Judge.

Piles Relieved by First Application
And cured in 6 to 14 days by PAZO OINTMENT, the universal remedy for all forms of Piles. Druggists refund money if it fails. 50c.

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Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne now heads the list as a successful remedy for the relief of headache, nervousness, insomnia, car sickness, etc.

The dangerous tablet has had its day. Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne is a harmless, refreshing, fragrant preparation, marvelous in its action, relieving nervousness, sleeplessness, exhaustion and all head and nerve ailments by external use and inhaling. It is not a nerve food, but a nerve soother. By giving the nerves a rest they furnish their own food and tone, and all nerve pains disappear.

For children's colds and catarrh it is just the remedy, harmless and efficient and so pleasant to use. For men a pleasant remedy to relieve and clear the head "the morning after the night before." This is not an expensive preparations at 50 cents a bottle, because it brings the relief. It has many imitators at less price, but if they do not bring the desired results they are not cheap at any price.

Get Hoyt's and you will be satisfied. For sale at all drug stores.

Part of the Obligation.

Patient—Doc, I owe you my life.

Doctor—Yes, and that isn't all.—Minnesota Minnehaha.

For thrush use Hanford's Balsam. Get it into the bottom of the affected part. Adv.

Getting Bald.

Benham—I think I will get a hair cut.

Mrs. Benham—That's right, dear, I would get it cut while I could.

QUIT MEAT IF KIDNEYS BOTHER AND USE SALTS

Take a Glass of Salts Before Breakfast if Your Back is Hurting or Bladder is Irritated.

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authority who tells us that meat forms uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush off the body's urinous waste get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acids of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink.—Adv.

Money furnishes a house, but it takes love to furnish a home.

A minister says the right path is often left.

FOR THE BUSY MAN

NEWS EPITOME THAT CAN SOON BE COMPASSED.

MANY EVENTS ARE MENTIONED

Home and Foreign Intelligence Condensed Into Two and Four Line Paragraphs.

WAR NEWS.

As a reprisal against Great Britain for seizure from steamships of parcels post packages. Sweden has prohibited the exportation of wood pulp to that country.

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In order to prevent the central powers from importing wheat from Roumania an Anglo-French corporation has been formed to buy all the available grain in that country.

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To hasten the manuafcture of munitions the British government will place semi-skilled, unskilled and women laborers in factories under the control of the government.

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During the war until November 30, 1915, a total of 1,073 British seamen have been lost on merchant vessels torpedoed or blown up by mines, it was officially stated in London.

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The total casualties in the entire German army for the year number 2,535,788, according to an announcement made in the House of Commons by the parliamentary under secretary for war.

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Forced by necessity, German industry has solved another serious problem. As all leather obtainable is necessary for the armies, the question of furnishing footwear to the population greatly troubled the authorities. A factory at Helleray near Dresden has solved the problem. It is now producing thousands of pairs of good, serviceable shoes made of a substitution for leather.

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The controversy between Great Britain and Sweden over the detention of mails has reached an impasse, with both sides stubbornly refusing to allow its rival's mails to be expedited through the respective countries. Sweden now is holding an enormous quantity of the English post destined for Russia, while mail is being taken from every Scandinavian liner brought into Kirkwall, Scotland.

GENERAL.

Twenty-three persons were killed near Puebla, Mex., recently, when a passenger was blown up, supposedly by Zapata adherents, according to A. J. Trumbo, mine owner, who arrived at El Paso recently.

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Anna Miller, aged 80 years, was burned to death and twenty other guests narrowly escaped injury in a fire that destroyed the East End hotel, a frame structure, at Centeroplis, a suburb of Kansas City.

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The half yearly statement of the American Locomotive company shows an increase in gross earnings of $9,039,630 for the six months ending December 31, 1915, as compared with the corresponding period in 1914.

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Announcement that Senator A. B. Cummins of Iowa is a candidate for the republican presidential nomination and looks to Nebraska for its support in the national convention, was made by Frank A. Harrison of Lincoln.

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Striking copper miners in mass meeting at Clifton, Ariz., adopted resolutions to return to work for a period of fifteen days at a scale of wages offered by the mine managers, based upon copper selling at 24 cents a pound.

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Death to Americans in Mexico and destruction of their property, as well as war to a finish against Carranza was determined at a formal convention of Mexican revolutionary leaders held in November at a ranch near Cordoba, Mexico, it has become known.

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The shipyards of Arthur Sewall & Co., at Beth, Maine, which have been idle for ten years, have been leased to the Texas company for a term of five years. It is said two tank steamers will be built as soon as material is received.

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The population of New York state is 9,687,744, according to the report of the state census taken last June and submitted to the legislature at Albany. Of this total, 5,047,221 are residents of Greater New York.

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In gratitude for services rendered by the Red Cross after the Cherry, Ill., mine disaster in 1909, Polish laborers and their families at Cherry have contributed from their savings a fund of $3,000 for use of the Red Cross agents for relief work in Poland.

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Exports valued at between $190,000,000 and $192,000,000 were shipped from the port of New York during December, according to estimates compiled at the customs house. Munitions were the leading items.

Petitions to place President Wilson's name on the Minnesota ballot were filed with the secretary of state at St. Paul a few days ago.

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Norway is the latest successful foreign applicant for financial assistance in this country, the National City bank, it was announced at New York, having purchased $5,000,000 6 per cent gold bonds issued by that government.

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Indictemnts were returned by the grand jury in Chicago against Irving and Herbert Updike for canspiracy to kill their wealthy parents and sister. The indictments also named in the conspiracy "several others unknown to the jury."

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Danger of foreign aggression will confront the United States after the European war is over, no matter which side wins, Hudson Maxim, member of the naval advisory board, declared in an address before the chamber of commerce at New Haven.

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Military training in the colleges is treated as the subject of greatest importance in the annual report of President Lawrence Lowell of Harvard university. The need of an ample supply of trained officers, he said, could find no better material than the students in college.

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Professors in colleges supervised by the Methodist Episcopal church may be paid an annual pension of $1,000 on retiring at the age of 65 and be insured for $10,000 up to that age under a plan advocated by President Samuel Plantz of Lawrence college at a meeting at Chicago.

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Poverty is the principal cause of immorality. lack of a minimum wage for girls and women of $8 a week and unregulated conditions of domestic employment rendering the home in many cases a breeding place for commercialized vice, according to a report of the Illinois senate white slave investigation committee.

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A partial report made by the county grand jury investigating the riots at East Youngstown, O., when two men were killed and many injured, returned indictments against thirty-seven foreign born laborers. The charges include carrying concealed weapons, malicious destruction of property, rioting, larceny and minor offenses.

SPORTING.

Members of the schedule committee of the National and American Baseball leagues announced that the 1916 base ball season would open on April 12, and that 154 games would be played.

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Johnny Dundee and Joe Mandot, lightweights, have been matched for a twenty-round bout in New Orleans on Feb. 21, Dundee's manager announced. He added Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, had agreed to meet the winner March 4, also in New Orleans.

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Jess Willard, heavyweight champion pugilist, signed for a fight with Frank Moran of Pittsburg at Kansas City. The fight, which will be held in New York, will be ten rounds, it was announced. No definite date was set for the match, which will be held some time between Apirl 10 and 22.

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Mike Gibbons knocked out Young Ahearn in the first round of their scheduled ten-round bout at St. Paul, Minn. The fight had been in progress about a minute and a half when Gibbons worked his man over to the corner and with a smashing right swing to the jaw sent him to the floor for the count.

WASHINGTON.

The Ferris bill to create a system of 640 acres stock raising homesteads on arid, semi-arid and mountainous lands in seventeen states, has passed the house.

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Attorney General Gregory advised the house judiciary committee that the government has indicted seventy-three persons and four corporations in connection with its investigation of "hyphenated" plots and conspiracies.

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Sixteen submarine bases are part of the naval preparedness program, Admiral Stanford told the house naval committee. They will cost between $10,000,000 and $12,000,000, and when completed, the "mother" submarine supply ships will be abandoned.

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Gas generated by the new Edison storage battery and ignited by a spark of unknown origin, is held responsible for the explosion of the submarine E-2 at the New York navy yard, when five men were killed, in a report to Secretary Daniels by the board of inquiry.

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Quartermaster General Aleshire told the house military committee that equipment for an army of 800,000 men was either in the government store houses or can be bought in the open market in less than three months.

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"Unless American food supplies are allowed free export, America puts an embargo on arms and war munitions." This is the brief statement of a policy that Representative Steenerson has proposed for adoption by President Wilson.

WONDERFUL PROGRESS IN CANADA

It Is Over the Hill—Splendid Bank Clearings, and the Crop Returns Reveal Vast Possibilities for the Future.

"There are opportunities for investment in Canada now that may prove attractive to American capital. Land prices in the west are low and wages less than on this side of the line, and whatever the outcome of the war, the future of the Dominion is assured as one of prosperity in the development of its vast resources." *Chicago Tribune.*

A short time ago the Canadian government asked for private subscriptions to a loan of fifty million dollars. Less than a month was given for completion of the subscription. On November 30th, the day upon which subscriptions were to cease, it was found that 110 million of dollars had been subscribed or 60 million dollars more than the amount asked. If there were any so pessimistic as to imagine that Canada was passing through a period of hard times the wonderful showing of this subscription should put aside all doubts of Canada's rapidly increasing prosperity.

The bank clearings of Winnipeg for 1915 were a billion and a half of dollars. Think of it. Then, in addition, there were the bank clearings of the other cities throughout Western Canada. Regina, Saskatoon and Moose Jaw also show big increase in clearings. The Winnipeg statistics show that the city has done the biggest financial, commercial and industrial business in its history in 1915. A billion and a half are big clearings, representing business on a per capita basis of over $7,000 per head for every man, woman and child in the city, and has gone ahead of big manufacturing cities like Buffalo, and runs a close second to Detroit. It has shown bigger bank clearings than the middle west cities of Minneapolis and Duluth, and has exceeded Los Angeles, Seattle and other noted shipping centers. It is now side by side with the ten biggest cities in North America in amount of bank clearings. But because the war helped Canada recover quickly from a natural economic depression it does not follow that, at the end of the war, the country must suffer a relapse, and straightway return to a state of inactivity and hard times.

A Winnipeg paper, with a well-known reputation for conservatism in economic matters says:

Canada's undeveloped fields should prove a mighty factor after the war in adjusting the country's business from one period to another. The staggering figures of this year's crop, showing increases in production of 50 per cent over last year, give a slight idea of the future wealth stored in vast stretches of prairie plain yet untouched by the plow. The Northwest Grain-Dealers' Association on September 1 estimated that the wheat crop of the three Prairie Provinces would amount to 250,800,000 bushels. On November 10 that estimate was increased to 307,230,000 bushels. The Dominion government on September 13 estimated the Western wheat crop at 275,772,200 bushels, but on October 15 those figures were changed to 304,200,000 bushels.

Monetary Returns for the Western Crop.

And the amount of money which the west is receiving for its grain has not yet been wholly appreciated. Up to the 10th of December the Canadian west had received some 170 million dollars for 182 million bushels of its grain crop, of which 149 million bushels was wheat. The average price of No. 1 Northern wheat for September was 93⅞ cents; for October 98½ cents, and for the first three weeks of November $1.03¾. On the 10th of December there was fully 120 million bushels of wheat to be marketed. This would leave about 30 million bushels for local consumption in the Prairie Provinces.

Bradstreet says:

"Confidence seems to have returned in Canada; grain crops are exceptionally large, prices pay the farmer, and the war-order lines provide work and aid in circulating much money. Credit is more freely granted, and interior merchants are disposed to buy rather liberally."—Advertisement.

Old Sailing Vessel.

Discharging a cargo at West Hartlepool recently was the Danish sailing vessel De Tvende Brodre, which is the oldest ship trading in the North sea. It was built at Merstal and is one hundred and twenty-nine years old. Owing to the demand for ships of all kinds, it is doing a brisk trade.—London Chronicle.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00.—Adv.

Costly Building.

The ground on which Caesar built his forum, five acres, cost $4,150,000, being at the rate per acre of $830,000. The yearly rent of each acre was $3,330.

Heard at the Club.

"How did you get money to bridge you over?"

"Playing bridge whist."

TEUTONS OFFER SUBSTITUTE FOR WORD "ILLEGAL"

GERMANY AGREES REPRISALS MUST NOT BE DIRECTED AGAINST ANY OTHER THAN ENEMY SUBJECTS.

DECLARES REPORTED STATEMENT IS FALSE

Lansing Emphatically Denies Alleged Assertion of German Under Secretary Zimmerman That United States Injected new Demands.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Germany has agreed that reprisals must not be directed against any other than enemy subjects. This expression is offered by Germany to take the place of the phrase containing the word illegal, which was incorporated in the draft of the Lusitania agreement now under consideration.

Would Co-operate With U. S.

It also became known that Germany expresses the hope that it may have the opportunity to co-operate with the United States in some action looking toward the freedom of the seas before the end of the war. This statement is taken in high diplomatic circles to imply that the Berlin government sees no occasion to await the cessation of hostilities before settling that issue.

Calls Blockade Inhuman.

Furthermore the German government refers to the British blockade of Germany as being inhuman, calls attention to the fact that neutral vessels have been affected by the efforts of the British government to starve Germany and puts forth the contention that the German retaliation in the war zone around the British Ises is justified by the actions of Great Britain. Claims that the reprisals are legal are not mentioned.

Killing of Citizens Without Intent.

As has been previously stated Germany says in the communication that the killing of citizens of the United States was without intent and that the method of conducting warfare in the war zone around the British Isles has been changed out of regard for the long standing friendship between the United States and Germany and because American lives were lost.

A sensational turn was given the controversy between the United States and Germony when Secretary Lansing declared that Under Secretary Zimmerman of the foreign office had made an "utterly false" statement if he had said, as quoted by a dispatch that the United States had made new demands in the Lusitania case.

In connection with the secretary's announcement was another significant episode.

No Change in Demands.

Lansing declared that the United States had neither "increased or reduced" its demands regarding the Lusitania. Later in his formal statement he eliminated the reference to reducing the demands, explaining that it had no bearing on Zimmerman's charges.

The flat declaration coming from the secretary of state that the United States has not reduced its demands is believed to bode ill for German hopes that the President and the Secretary might decide to meet compromise offers half way.

"This government," said Secretary Lansing, "has not increased the demands made in the Lusitania case as set forth in the notes of May 13, June 9 and July 21. I doubt if Dr. Zimmerman ever made the statement that new demands had been injected, because he must know that it is utterly false."

KITCHENER TO GO TO EGYPT?

To Head Forces in Defense of Suez Canal Says London Paper—Important Changes Contemplated.

London, Feb. 8.—Changes of great importance in the direction of the war are contemplated, says the Daily Sketch. It asserts Earl Kitchener probably will leave the war office.

The Sketch also says Sir William Robertson, now chief of staff, probably will take over active direction of the war without interference, except from the cabinet as a whole, and that a civilian of real ability for organization will become secretary for war.

In event that Earl Kitchener leaves the war office, the Sketch adds, he will undertake work of an important character elsewhere. London intimates he will head the British forces in Egypt in defense of the Suez canal.

British Detain Norwegian Ship.

St. John N. F., Feb. 8.—The British admiralty has refused permission to the Norwegian steamer Ontaneda, now at this port, to take sufficient coal to continue her voyage from Copenhagen for Baltimore. The Ontaneda formerly was under Spanish register under the same name but was transferred to the Norwegian in Ballast. The steamer was delayed by gales and when she put in here January 20 to replenish her bunkers, nearly all the wooden fittings had been burned to keep the fires going.

FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Adv.

Not Agile.

Archie—Yes, he sprang from the people.

Archibald—Well, he didn't spring far.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Cause and Effect.

"What lantern Jaws Jones has!"

"I suppose that is why his face lights up so when he talks."

For barbed wire cuts apply Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh liberally to stop the bleeding and cleanse the wound and to heal it quickly. Adv.

Naturally.

Noah (just before the storm)—All the animals on board?

Shem—All but the leopards, but I'll soon spot them.

PREPAREDNESS!

To Fortify The System Against Grip
when Grip is prevalent LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE should be taken, as this combination of Quinine with other ingredients, destroys germs, acts as a Tonic and Laxative and thus keeps the system in condition to withstand Colds, Grip and Influenza. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c.

Extreme Pacifism.

"Soldiers in Europe are fighting with gas bombs and liquid fire."

"What are we coming to?"

"I don't know, but so long as there are places in the world where a man may hide himself, I know I'm not coming to that."

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May Be Soothed and Healed by Use of Cuticura. Trial Free.

Nothing so soothing and healing for red, rough and irritated hands as Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. Soak hands on retiring in hot Cuticura soapsuds. Dry, and gently anoint hands with Cuticura Ointment. A one-night treatment works wonders.

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State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Brainerd.—Officers were elected at the Mississippi District Conference of Swedish Lutheran churches here.

Winona.—St. Joseph's German Catholic church has celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its establishment here. A number of visiting priests assisted.

Mankato.—Sixty editors, including several women, gathered here for the annual meeting of the Second district of the Minnesota Editorial association.

Faribault.—A Dan Patch freight train was wrecked on the line north of Faribault, when six cars were derailed at Scott's Mill and rolled down the embankment. No one was injured.

Moorhead.—Robert W. Richards, for fourteen years associated with editorial work on the Moorhead Daily News, and a pioneer newspaperman of Northern Minnesota, died at Long Beach, Cal.

Red Wing.—The annual meeting of the Bellechester Co-operative Creamery association was held in the Bellechester hall. The reports showed a very prosperous year, the receipts being $22,000.

Hibbing.—There is a movement on foot among range Democrats to boost the candidacy of Victor Power, "Hibbing's Fighting Mayor," the man who won the tax fight for the biggest village on the range, for governor.

Faribault, Minn.—The forty-second annual convention of the Minnesota Young Men's Christian association will be held in Faribault, February 11 to 13. The theme of the program this year is "America's Appeal to Christian Men."

Minneapolis.—The thirty-second annual meeting of the Minnesota State Pharmaceutical association, which is composed of druggists throughout the state, will be held in Minneapolis February 8, 9 and 10. The sessions are to be held in the auditorium of the college of pharmacy at the University of Minnesota.

Mankato.—Postoffice Inspector George H. Drake of St. Paul has brought to Mankato, Daniel W. Vomhof, postmaster of Nicollet, charged with issuing two postal money orders without having paid into the postoffice department the full amount collected. It is alleged he received $135.45 and accounted for only $122.

St. Cloud.—Better supervision of schools, a better system of records and increased efficiency in the examination in the rural district were three desires of the county superintendents of the Sixth district expressed at their meeting here. State Superintendent C. G. Schultz and other officials attended. It was decided to continue the discussion in March.

St. Paul.—Minnesota Democracy, as represented by some 1,500 delegates to a state convention held in the St. Paul Auditorium went on record for Woodrow Wilson and all his works, for Fred B. Lynch, Democratic National committeeman, for adequate preparedness, and for government ownership of munitions plants for supplying the nation's army and navy.

Minneapolis, Minn.—"Society night" at the Auto Show broke all records for attendance, not only for the week, but for all the shows that have been given. Visitors arrived steadily all the afternoon, and even during the supper hour. Starting at 8 o'clock in the evening they came for an hour in a solid phalanx and filled the aisles so that people climbed into automobiles to get out of the crush.

Walker.—Chippewa Indians are about to share in the prosperity of the Northwest. For this is the first time the money will be spent for necessities of life instead of firewater. Attorney Ed. Rogers of Walker has returned from Washington where he represented Chippewa interests and announced every man, woman and child enrolled in the tribe soon will receive $150. About $1,500,000 will be disbursed.

Little Falls, Minn.—Behind the desire of Congressman Lindbergh to seek the nomination for governor of Minnesota, is the reported opposition to his re-election to congress by many persons who blame him for failing to urge the abrogation of the Indian treaty of February, 1855, under the provisions of which the Indian bureau, fifty years after the treaty had been forgotten, applied a lid which, business men say, is doing incalculable harm.

St. Paul, Minn.—Minnesota's county option law is valid and does not conflict with the home rule charter provisions of the state constitution, the state supreme court has ruled in an opinion written by Commissioner M. D. Taylor. The opinion sustains Judge W. S. McClenahan of Brainerd, who enjoined the mayor and council of International Falls from issuing saloon licenses, which they contemplated doing in spite of the fact that Koochiching county had voted dry.

Fairmont.—An orphans' home costing approximately $50,000, will be built and endowed here by State Senator A. L. Ward. Bids for the construction have been opened. A Minneapolis concern submitted a bid of $22,600, which was the lowest. This firm probably will get the contract.

Red Wing.—While members of the First Methodist Episcopal and the Presbyterian churches were bowed in prayer a thief entered the lobbies and carried off several overcoats. Six of the worshippers went home coatless with the mercury at 12 degrees below zero.

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Unkind Fate.

The "Kind Lady"—You clear off or I'll set the dog at you.

The Tramp—Ah, 'ow deceptive is 'uman natur'! For two nights I've slept in yer barn, eaten of your poultry, an' drunk of yer cider, and now yer treats me as an utter stranger.

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Bing.

She—How I wish I were a man!

It—do you, weally.

She—Yes; don't you?

For sprains, bruises and all open wounds, Hanford's Balsam will give quick relief. These may happen any day and the prudent man will always keep a bottle on hand. Adv.

NO BUREAU OF INFORMATION

Stranger Possibly Resented Fact That He Had Been Caused Some Inconvenience to Ascertain Time.

On one of the recent stormy nights a man was hastening home with his overcoat buttoned up to his neck. He was rather anxious to know what time it was, but he was too lazy to unbutton his coat in order to get at his watch.

Just then he saw a man of well-dressed appearance coming in the distance, and remarked to himself: "I'll ask this gentleman the hour of the night, and so save myself the trouble of unbuttoning my coat."

He perceived that the stranger was buttoned up just as he was. When he came up, the man who wanted to know the time touched his hat politely and said:

"Sir, do you know what time it is?"

The stranger paused, removed his right glove, unbuttoned his coat from top to bottom, unbuttoned his undercoat, and finally pulled out his watch, while the cold wind beat against his unprotected chest.

Holding up the watch so that the light would shine upon it, he scrutinized it an instant, and said:

"Yes!"

Then he passed on without another word.

Explained.

"I want to ask you a few direct questions about this institution."

"Couldn't answer any direct questions. I'm a director."

Rapid.

Rosa—His yacht is quite fast, isn't it?

Rayne—Very fast. You ought to see how it is going through his money.

FOOD FACTS

What an M. D. Learned

A prominent physician down in Georgia went through a food experience which he makes public.

"It was my own experience that first led me to advocate Grape-Nuts food; and I also know from having prescribed it to convalescents and other weak patients that this food is a wonderful rebuilder and restorer of nerve and brain tissue, as well as muscle. It improves the digestion and patients gain, just as I did in strength and weight, very rapidly.

"I was in such a low state that I had to give up my work entirely and go to the mountains, but two months there did not improve me; in fact I was not quite as well as when I left home. My food did not sustain me and it became plain that I must change.

"I began to use Grape-Nuts and in two weeks I could walk a mile and in five weeks returned to my home and practice, taking up hard work again. Since that time I have felt as well and strong as I ever did in my life.

"As a physician who seeks to help all sufferers I consider it a duty to make these facts public."

Trial 10 days on Grape-Nuts when the regular food does not seem to sustain the body will work wonders.

"There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

FOR RECLAMATION OF STATE'S LANDS

COMMITTEE WORKING FOR MEASURE, PLANS EXTENSIVE EDUCATIONAL CAMPAIGN.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Every voter of Minnesota will be asked to cast his ballot next November for Amendment No. 1, providing for the establishment of a revolving fund by the state for the development of the state lands, now wild and unproductive. Members of the committee in charge of boosting the amendment met in St. Paul, and made plans for a campaign to reach every precinct in the state.

The amendment contemplates a fund of $250,000 to be used for putting these undeveloped lands in condition to make them salable. The lands, they assert, are of no value to the state, because there are no roads leading to them, they are in no condition to be tilled. The tract amounts to nearly 2,500,000 acres.

To raise funds for carrying on the educational campaign, the committee decided to issue tags to be sold at county fairs, neighborhood picnics and political meetings at 5 cents each. It is estimated that $5,000 will be necessary to carry on the campaign.

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Decrease in Three Diseases.

A marked decrease in the number of cases of scarlet fever, diptheria and typhoid fever in Minnesota in 1915 as compared with 1914 is shown in the report made by the Minnesota Board of Health. Scarlet fever cases reported in the state in 1915 were 3,813, or 2,590 less than in 1914. There were 2,610 cases of diptheria in 1915 as against 4,577 in 1914. A decrease of 808 typhoid fever cases is shown with a total of 976.

Classifications of death returns for 1915 are not yet complete, but the estimates warranted by the incomplete compilation indicate that there was a marked decrease in the death rate of 1915 from these deases as compared with that of 1914.

In 1914 there were 321 deaths from scarlet fever, 355 deaths from diphtheria and 220 deaths from typhoid fever. The estimated number of deaths in the state in 1915 are; Scarlet fever, 191; diptheria, 201, and typhoid fever, 120.

The report of the division of preventable diseases shows the number of cases reported, as follows: Smallpox 1,660; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 23; diptheria, 2,610; leprosy, 1; measles, 3,177; poliomyelitis, 104; scarlet fever, 3,813; trichinosis, 4; typhoid fever, 976; chickenpox, 1,457; erysipelas, 104; rabies (human), 1; trachoma, 19; tuberculosis, 3,869; whooping cough, 552; anthrax, 1; malaria, 1.

The prevention of smallpox by vaccination is shown by the statement that for the past three years there were 6,356 cases of smallpox in Minnesota and that 92.5 per cent of these cases were persons not vaccinated.

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$1,530,495 Treasury Balance.

Business of January closed with a cash balance of $1,530,495 in the office of Walter J. Smith, state treasurer, despite the fact that the revenue fund was overdrawn $563,669. The prison revolving fund which is used to maintain the prison industries held a balance of $429,405. This fund is made up of earnings of the twine and machinery plants. The road and bridge fund contained $173,303 which will be sent to counties to aid in building roads.

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Federal Aid For "U."

A check for $12,445 has been received by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, from the Federal treasury department as government aid to the extension department of the University of Minnesota. The money is made available under provisions of the Lever bill, and covers aid for six months.

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Ten Railroads Ask Stay.

Attorneys representing ten railroads affected by the common rate point order of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission asked the supreme court to stay enforcement of the order until the cases have been decided by the court.

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State to Import Sisal?

That the state of Minnesota charter a steamer and make its own importations of sisal from Progreso, Mexico, for the state prison twine plant, has been suggested to the state board of control.

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Would Stop Timber Sales.

The state should stop selling state timber, in the opinion of J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, who has returned from an inspection trip of county sales of state timber. "There is only about $12,000,000 to $15,000,000 worth of timber left," he said. "The state should now adopt the practice of selling as little as possible of its timber. Only that which is endangered should be sold." Sales were held in Koochiching, Lake, St. Louis, Itasca and Aitkin counties. $100,000 worth of timber was disposed of.

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Conceited Karl—You know, people are always running after me.

Sarcastic Gus—Who? The police?

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

Ideal Citizen.

"He's an ideal citizen?"

"What is an ideal citizen?"

"One who doesn't stop shoveling the snow off his sidewalk two feet inside his line, for fear of going six inches over."

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"Yes."

"But he thought the law was too dry, so he decided to become a doctor."

"But even that was too dry, so he opened a drug store in a dry town, and now it's the wettest place you can find in a day's walk."

For proud flesh use occasional applications of Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Hitting the Nail.

Maud—Your hat's a perfect fright.

Mabel—Yes; right in the style, isn't it?

What force cannot do, ingenuity may.

Slow.

He—And may I kiss your hand?

She—Is that the way you've been brought up?

Horseshoes that are attached by bolts instead of nails have been patented by an Englishman.

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Local Items

Hay for sale. J. J. Marty.

Miss Christine Saastad was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday and Saturday.

Rev. M. T. Strom was a passenger for the city of Thief River Falls, Monday.

Fridjof Riesberg and little nephew Barthy Werner, visited in town between trains Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Swan returned Tuesday from Grove City and reports her father as not being much better.

The Holt Telephone Co. will hold their annual meeting next Monday Feb. 14th. at one o'clock P. M.

Clarence Kolden worked in the insurance line at Plummer and Oklee last week, returning home Saturday.

W. A. Silbaugh of Mud Lake was a pleasant caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Christoferson one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson left yesterday for a few days visit with relatives at T. R. Falls and Goodridge.

Newfolden has voted to incorporate, there being only seven dissenting voters and forty were in the affirmative.

Chris Knutson and A. L. Carlson drove to Thief River Falls, yesterday, where the latter had some dental work done.

Willard Silbaugh and Bill Anderson had the good fortune to capture a wolf one day last week. The snow was so deep that the wolf couldent run very fast and they gave him a good horseback chase and succeeded in getting close enough to shoot him.

Next Monday is St. Valentine's day. Don't forget your best girl.

Our village is voting on the bond issue to day and heres hoping it will win.

Hilmer Johnson has been at his home in Strathcona, since last week on a sick leave.

Miss Lydia Riesberg went to Thief River Falls, Saturday for a few days visit with relatives.

Geo. Johnson, Cash., of the First State Bank of Thief River Falls, was in town Wednesday on business.

W. A. Silbaugh has received news from St. Paul, that his brother Ed. is sick in the hospital with pneumonia.

Ole O. Johnson came over from Newfolden last week and visited several days with his parents north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christoferson enjoyed a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steinhauer one day last week.

Rev. McMartin will hold an English service in the Free Mission church at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening, Feb. 15th. Everyone invited.

Ole Backlund, Guy Anderson, P. L. Anderson, Axel Nelson and Albert Knutson were entertained Sunday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson.

O. H. and S. H. Nohre, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Reierson, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Ellestad and family were entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe.

C. W. Latta accompanied his son Kenneth to Warren, Saturday and to Crookston, Tuesday, where the latter took part in the spelling contests, the results of which are given elsewhere in these columns.

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Masqueragde ball to-night at the Woodman hall.

Personal property taxes are now due and must be paid before March 1st.

Joe Nelson was a Pennington county seat visitor the first of the week.

E. E. Pechie went to Thief River Falls, Monday on business, returning home Tuesday.

New set of library book jusrt received by the Holt State Bank. Come in and get one.

Rev. Seltz failed to keep his appointment Sunday, we suppose on account of the poor roads and the cold weather.

Sunnyside

Jim Peterson called at Knauf's Sunday night.

Oliver Grondhal and Tillie Peterson were visitors at Knutson's Sunday.

The surprise party at Fred Larson was well attended and all had a good time.

Say boys be sure and look for a good place to turn around now at nights so you don't tip.

Fred Peterson was an over night visitor at Bjerk's Thursday last week.

Jess Sorum spent Sunday at home.

Mr. Gilbertson from Hilsboro N. D. is visiting at John Sorum's.

The Horien and Johnson young folks spent last week Sunday at Bjerk's.

Frank Anderson called in at Knutson's on his way home from town Monday.

Ed. and Lydia Bjerk made a business trip to L. Wegge's one day last week.

Would you enjoy sleigh riding if you had to lead the pony?

Oliver Johnson and Ed. Bjerk called at Peterson's Wednesday night.

Mrs W. Warner and baby from Thief river Falls is visiting at her parent's home Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peteson.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Feb. 5, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Adolf Larson of Holt, Minn. who on July 20, 1910, made Homestead Entry No. 05486, for E1-2SW 1-4 and W1-2SE1-4 Sec. 10, Twp. 155 N. Range 42 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 15th, day of March, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Carl Gutterud and Lars Ose both of Thief River Falls, Minn., R. F. D. No. 2, also Axel Nelson and Sam Mickelson both of Holt, Minn.

Proof of residence according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Miss Ida Kjelgren is on the sick list.

The election for village officers will be held March 14th.

Ben Hoff was a visitor in Middle River Monday and Tuesday.

J. J. Marty has 15 ton good wild hay for sale cheap, if taken soon.

Richard Sjoberg of Middle River was in town Tuesday on business.

Prof. Prushek visited in Thief River Fall the later part of last week.

Mrs. T. Sollom and son Elmer were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

C. F. Birkeland was a Thief River Falls business visitor the first of the week.

Co. Supt. David Johnson came Wednesday to visit the schools in this vicinity.

Bently Nelson has returned home from taking a course in electrical engineering.

Jno. A. Sorum returned yesterday from attending the farm crop show at Crookston.

The young people enjoyed a little party at the home of Mrs. W. Rux, Monday evening.

Dehard Johnson went to Warren Tuesday to work for his brother-in law, John Monberg.

Mrs. H. Furr and family were entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and family.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mason last Thursday evening a baby girl. Mother and child are doing well.

Prof. Prushek had so far recovered from the measles that he resumed his school duties again Monday.

Mrs. B. L. Backe was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christoferson one day this week.

A. L. Carlson and Miss Clara Sollom drove over to Newfolden, Sunday, and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson for a few hours.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Olson visited a few days the past week with their son, Racine, and his wife. We understand Mr. and Mrs. Olson are looking for a place in town, to build on, and trust they will find a location that suits them, and that they will soon become residents of our little village.

Blue Grove Farm
Offers For Sale
31-32
Holstein Bull Calves
One Yearling
Several December Calves
H. R. Hinchman,
NW1-4 Sec. 36 Golden Valley
Mud Lake Minn.

Steiner News.

Mr. Hasby and son Harry have been hauling wood the past week.

John Myers called at the Roger home last Sunday.

Renie Werner made a business trip to Holt the last part of the week.

The Excel school was closed for three days last week on account of cold weather and deep snow

August Koglin made a business trip to T. R. Falls Monday.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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Righteously Indignant.

Head of the firm (discovering that his apprentice and his young daughter are corresponding)—Well, well, it's love letters the rascal is writing to my daughter, and on my typewriter, too!—Munich Fliegende Blaetter.

Holt Livery- -Dray Line
Auto Livery Right Prices
O. J. Backlund, Prop.
Always Furnishes Reliable Service
Leave Orders at Hotel - - HOLT, MINN.

Southeast of Holt.

A large number of folks were entertained at the Gutterud home Sunday evening.

Carl Larson is reported as being on the sick list.

Carl Gutterud returned home last week after spending some time at Thorholt Minn.

The Messrs Halvor, Listol, Amund Sordal and George Senum were Sunday afternoon callers at the S. G. Moe home.

Amund and Targe Sordal were callers at the Thomas Olson home on Monday evening.

Mrs. Gutterud and Carl made a trip to Thief River Falls on Monday.

Arthur Thorwick left for Minneappolis on Saturday at which place he expects to work.

Dan Reinstad and Martin Sampson made a business trip to Holt Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Saastad and daughter Ruth were pleasant visitors at the Carl Larson home Sunday.

Mrs. Gunder Johnson received the sad news of the sudden death of her mother at Viking, which occured on Friday. The deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Willie Rude has returned home from the hospital but was taken sick again. His many friends are hoping to see him on the safe road to recovery.

Arne Sordal is working for his uncle G. J. Rystad.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Jan. 22, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Charles McLean of Holt, Minn. who on Dec. 7, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 08614, for NE1-4 SE1-4 Sec. 17, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 28th day of Feb. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Engstrom, Gunder P. Sorter, John Hanson and Henry Erickson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

"Here is the Answer," in
WEBSTER'S
NEW INTERNATIONAL
[illegible]
Every day in your talk and reading, at home, on the street car, in the office, shop and school you likely question the meaning of some new word. A friend asks: "What makes mortar harden?" You seek the location of Loch Katrine or the pronunciation of jujutsu. What is white coal? This New Creation answers all kinds of questions in Language, History, Biography, Fiction, Foreign Words, Trades, Arts and Sciences, with final authority.
400,000 Words.
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Cost $400,000.
2700 Pages.
The only dictionary with the new divided page,—characterized as "A Stroke of Genius."
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On thin, opaque, strong, India paper. What a satisfaction to own the Merriam Webster in a form so light and so convenient to use! One half the thickness and weight of Regular Edition.
Regular Edition [illegible]

It is odd that the man who speaks without thinking is the one most apt to say what he thinks.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.18
Wheat No. 2	1.14
Wheat No. 3	1.08
Wheat No. 4	1.01
Flax	2.12
Oats	37
Barley	53 to .57
Rye	.83
Flour, Best Patent	3.95

A farmers short course will be held in Warren, March 8th. to 14th.

Young men and women from 18 counties and five states attended the Crookston Agricultural School during the term just closed before the holidays, still there is room for more of them there.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage, containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and which default consists in mortgagors failure to pay the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, which is now past due, and which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, (a corporation) mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of October, 1913, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshal County, Minnesota, on the 24th day of October, 1913, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages on page 386.

That the amount claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage at this time is the sum of seven hundred eighty-five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars.

And whereas, no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage, or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The West half of the Northeast quarter (W1-2 NE1-4) and the East half of the Northwest quarter (E1-2 NW1-4) of Section thirty three (33) in Township one hundred fifty six (156) North of Range forty-two (42), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing one hundred sixty acres (160) more or less according to the Government Survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota; with the hereditaments and appourtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 28th day of February, 1916, at eleven o'clock A. M., of that day at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of seven hundred eighty five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty ($50.00) Dollars, attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 10, 1916.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota

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PAY BY CHECK

The Spirit Of '76

In the days of George Washington necessity demanded leaders. The qualifications included Progress, Stamina, Endurance, and always Thrift. It was the spirit of the times.

The Spirit of 1916 also demands leaders Leaders in the world of business, agriculture, politics, and finance, and the great demand is for men who are Thrifty, men who have practiced thrift in their early lives, in their homes and in their businesses. Are you ready?

The greatest teacher of Thrift is a Savings Account with a Strong Bank. Open one here for a dollar and you will receive prestige from it as well as 5 per cent compound interest.

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(The Bank with the "Mysterious Clock")

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Cremo Flour is made from the very best part of the very best wheat to be had in any of the markets.

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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

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Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
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Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
H. J. OIEN, Agent - - - Holt, Minn.

Stand by your home paper --- The Weekly News.

Death of Ed. M. Silbaugh

E. M. Silbaugh died at a hospital in St. Paul Tuesday evening Feb. 15th, where he was taken a couple of weeks ago for treatment for pneumonia. The body was taken to his old home in Viroqua, Wis., where the funeral will take place Saturday and interment will be made. The deceased was about 40 years of age and spent most of his life at the barbers trade, but on account of poor health sold out a couple of years ago and engaged in the real estate business.

Mr. Silbaugh and family lived in Holt about four years and their many friends extend sincere sympathy to the bereaved widow, sons and other relatives.

Bonds Carry.

The village election for the issuance of bonds was very quiet, only 33 votes being cast. A couple of voters must have made mistakes as that is the number of votes cast against the measure.

We now look for Holt to grow and make progress and besides having a village hall, adequate fire protection and electric lights, we should'nt be at all surprised to see the "city dads" make arrangements for some kind of drainage or a sewer system for Holt.

Telephone Meeting.

The Holt Telephone Company held their annual meeting Monday and elected M. Grondahl, J. A. Sorum and A. L. Carlson, as a board of directors. The constitution was amended so that the management of the company is now left with the board of directors and the officers of the company are to be elected out of its board. An auditing committee consisting of the following gentlemen, namely: J. A. Sorum, G. P. Sorter and B. Docken were elected, and they met Tuesday and audited the books of the company. The board also met Tuesday and elected M. Grondahl, President; A. L. Carlson, Treasurer and John A. Sorum, Secretary.

School Notes.

The attendance since Christmas has been low on account of cold weather and measles.

Gladys Ellestad, Ruth Tobiason, Mabel Hagberg, and Edna Payne received Attendance Certificate for being neither absent nor tardy for five months.

Supt. Johnson has visited our school three times since vacation.

The library circulation for last month was 51 books.

St. Valentine's Day was observed with a Valentine Box in each room. The one in the upper room produced over 400 valentines.

Skiing is the chief sport these days. The girls are enjoying it also.

Two boys of the manual training class have made skis.

The Eighth Grade.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack and son Floyd were entertained Monday evening by Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken.

Fire In Sollom's Store

About 10 o'clock Wednesday forenoon fire was discovered in Sollom's store, by Chris Knutson and the alarm quickly spread through the village. The fire started in the back room or warehouse where they had been unpacking dishes and there were considerable straw, etc., there and the fire had a good start before help arrived. Quick work with several fire extinguishers is undoubtedly all that saved a large part of our little village. Water in pails and tubs were carried from the different wells and was freely used also. The men responded quickly and worked hard to put out the fire and they deserve great credit for their work.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Free Mission church of Holt, Minn., will be held in the church on Thursday, Feb. 24th 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing officers, and to do any other business that may properly come before said meeting. All interested are requested to attend.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Pleasantly Surprised.

A most enjoyable time was spent when a dozen or more ladies invaded the home of Mrs. Jacob Nelson Tuesday afternoon,—laid wait for the good lady of the home to return from her shopping to give her a royal surprise. The scheme worked out to perfection and not until after a very pretty and servicable present was presented to Mrs. Nelson and the ladies most royally served a luncheon fitted for a queen's table, did the good lady of the house recover from the unexpected invasion. However everybody was happy and each one returned to their home, feeling better because of the afternoons pleasure.

In Church Circles.

The Sunshine Society will meet Saturday afternoon, Feb. 26th, with Mrs. P. A. Riesberg.

The yearly meeting of the Free Mission Church will be held Thursday afternoon Feb. 24th.

Mrs. T. T. Sollom will entertain the Ladies Aid, in the church basement, on Thursday Feb. 24th.

The English Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. All children welcome.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. D. Payne Saturday afternoon, Feb. 19th, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Rev. G. O. Parish, of Thief River Falls, will preach in the Free Mission church at 8 o'clock next Monday evening, Feb. 21th. Everyone invited to attend.

The Holt feed mill has closed down for the season.

Dentist Turley will be in Holt on Thursday Feb. 24th.

Next week is National Pay-Up Week. Pay your debts.

P. E. Dahlquist of Roseau came Monday to visit P. A. Riesberg.

St. Hilaire now has electric lights and it is expected the town will grow.

Mrs. Adolph Sollom visited her mother in Thief River Falls a few days last week.

Albert Cairns, of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., was in town between trains Tuesday.

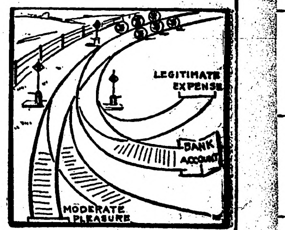
R. Reirson has a big stock of children's rubbers which he can sell for 40c per pair and up.

State Treasurer Smith has resigned and a Rochester banker has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

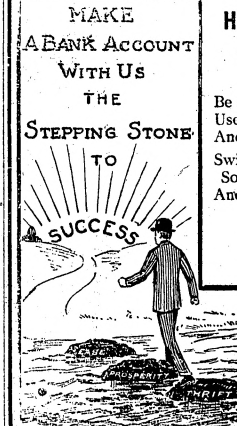
Capital $10,000
Surplus 3,500
President, D. B. Bakke
V. President, A. D. Stephens
Cashier, B. Docken



Here Come Your Dollars
Down The Track!

Be careful how you switch them
Use good judgement, a little tact
And then you will not ditch them
Switch some here shunt some there
Soon they'll all be stowed away
And by the exercise of a little care
You will have some saved

For The Rainy Day



MAKE A BANK ACCOUNT WITH US THE STEPPING STONE TO
SUCCESS
PROSPERITY
THRIFT
BANK ACCOUNT

EVEN ONE DOLLAR WILL BE ACCEPTED HERE AS A FIRST DEPOSIT......

A. H. Huseth went to Crookston Tuesday on business.

Monday was like a spring day and Tuesday like March.

Mrs. C. L. Sanberg visited her husband between trains Wednesday.

E. T. Eide is loading four cars of hay for shipment to his feed store in Spooner.

A few Marshall county farmers carried off prizes at the Crookston Farm Crops Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mattson were entertained Sunday at the P. A. Riesberg home.

Rev. G. O. Parish will preach in the Free Mission church next Monday evening, Feb. 24th. Everyone invited to attend.

H. B. Young and wife and Miss Lawson were pleasantly entertained Sunday evening at the J. B. Alkenbrack home.

Miss Steenerson of Middle River visited Mrs. Albert Bennes a few days the past week, leaving Tuesday for the twin cities to buy millinery stock.

Andrew Sorum was fortunate enough to kill a wolf last Saturday. The wolf was a small one but the bounty will be the same and with the sale of the hide will make quite a profitable shot.

Next Tuesday is the birthday of the "Father of our Country," and it is also a National Holiday, as it should be. All honor to Washington who was first in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen.

Mrs. T. Sollom will entertain the Free Mission Ladies Aid in the basement of the church, next Thursday afternoon, Feb 24th. This is also the date of the annual meeting of the church and a big crowd is sure to be there. R U going ?

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes
Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
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"& plenty of it"

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"& PLENTY OF IT"

White Pine is one of the "*White Hopes*" that never had to "*Come back!*" (It's an "*always was*" —and an "*is yet!*") Been all sorts of 'Bear' stories about this original Leading American Wood— ("The Wood of the Forefathers") having been all used up. *Not so.*

You will need some— and the best of it is that YOU CAN GET IT—ALL YOU WANT OF IT—AND OF AS FINE A quality AS YOUR ANCESTORS BOASTED OF.

So *this* time—for new work or old, just remember

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We carry a general line of building materials—lumber, lath, shingles, roofing materials, etc., lime and cement —and make a specialty of giving

Prompt Attention to ORDERS — whether in person, by mail or telephone

"You tell us. We do the rest."

D. Payne Lumber Company
Holt, Minnesota

Newfolden will elect their first set of village officers Feb. 29th.

Not a Bite of Breakfast Until You Drink Water

Says a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps us fit.

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of incombustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated from the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste, toxins and ptomaine-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood.

Men and women who can't get feeling right must begin to take inside baths. Before eating breakfast each morning drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash out of the thirty feet of bowels the previous day's accumulation of poisons and toxins and to keep the entire alimentary canal clean, pure and fresh.

Those who are subject to sick headache, colds, biliousness, constipation, others who wake up with bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness, or have a sour, gassy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from any druggist or storekeeper, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on the subject.

Remember inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing poor health, while the bowel pores do. Just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver kidneys and bowels.—Adv.

Keenly Disappointed.

Some time since an ambitious young actor went on a barnstorming trip and on his return he recounted his experience to a friend.

"One night," he said, "I played the part of Hamlet, and at the end of the show the audience rose and loudly shouted, 'Fine! Fine!' I—"

"I suppose," smilingly interrupted the friend, "that it made you feel rather good."

"Yes," answered the young actor, with a deep-drawn sigh; "or, rather, it would have made me feel good if a large voice hadn't vociferously added: 'Make it fine and imprisonment.'"—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

Their Trade.

"I wonder more speculators don't make aviation trips."

"Why speculators?"

"Because they're used to taking flyers."

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00.—Adv.

The Only One.

"Can you propose any remedy for this deadlock?"

"Yes; why not use a skeleton key?"

"CASCARETS" FOR SLUGGISH BOWELS

No sick headache, sour stomach, biliousness or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box now.

Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out to-night and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels or an upset stomach.

Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach; remove the sour, fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great.

A Cascaret to-night straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean, healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken. Adv.

Chauffeur, Too.

"My butler is, in fact, our factotum."

"Oh, ours is an automatum."

If love makes the world go round it's no wonder lovers act dizzy.

A woman may have a poor memory, but she never forgets a compliment.

FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

Greece and Roumania have signed a dual neutrality convention, according to a dispatch from Rome.

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Twelve persons were killed and thirty injured in a recent Zeppelin raid on Paris. Five bombs were hurled down from a Zeppelin and exploded with deadly force.

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Berlin reports that the steamer Koenig Albert, flying the Italian flag and with 300 Serbian refugees on board, has been captured by an Austrian warcraft in the Adriatic.

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The London Times states that it learns from an authoritative source that Russia is planning to float a loan of $25,000,000 in Tokio in payment for its munitions indebtedness.

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The Russians themselves calculate their casualties thus far at 3,000,000, and say 1,000,000 German and Austrian prisoners have been sent to the interior of Russia, according to a Copenhagen dispatch.

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The French newspapers announce an offer of 25,000 francs to any aviator who succeeds in bringing down a Zeppelin within the French lines and an offer of 10,000 francs to any gunner who obtains the same result with shells.

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Information received in military headquarters in Athens indicate that German and Bulgarian troops supported by 150,000 Turks, are likely to begin an attack on the Franco-British forces at Saloniki about the middle of February.

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Fifty-four persons were killed and sixty-seven injured as the result of the raid of the German airships over Norfolk, Suffolk, Derbyshire, Leicestershire, Staffordshire and Lincolnshire, England, according to the official report of the British government.

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The British South African liner Appam given up for lost was brought into Hampton Roads, Va., Feb., 1st, flying a German man of war flag with a German prize crew of 22 men aboard. The ship was captured at sea January 15 four days after she left Dakar in British West Africa.

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Tout Paris, which is a combined blue book and directory, gives in its 1916 edition, just issued, a list of Paris notables who have "died for the country." In this list are names well known in politics, literature, science, the arts. It totals 3,084 persons.

GENERAL.

No more bonuses are to be paid for conventions, it was decided by the bureau of managers of twenty-four big cities at Louisville, Ky., a short time ago.

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Three men were drowned at the waterworks lake at Porum, Okla., while they were trying to rescue Miss Stella Anderson, one of a skating party who went through the ice.

Secretary of State Julius A Schmahl of Minnesota withdrew the name of Governor Samuel W. McCall of Massachusetts as a candidate in the Minnesota republican presidential primaries. This action was taken on the telegraphed request of Governor McCall.

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The United States Steel corporation is to build a group of by-product coke ovens near Pittsburg, Pa, which will cost $15,000,000. It is claimed that when completed the group will be the largest of the kind in the world. Several hundred acres of land have been secured for the work.

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Returns from the vote being taken among the 400,000 employes of the 528 railroads in the United States, which will be complete March 1, indicate that more than 90 per cent of the men will demand an eight-hour day and time and a half for overtime, according to executive officers of the unions at Chicago.

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Two thousand miners of the Cambria Steel Co., of Johnstown, Pa., were given an increase of 10 per cent in wages effective February 1. The men are not connected with a union organization.

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The Methodist church paid $1,200,000 in pensions to retired ministers and widows and orphans of ministers during 1915, according to the annual report of Dr. Joseph B. Hingley, secretary of the board of conference claims, submitted at the annual meeting of the board in Chicago.

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After sleeping continuously for over a week, Augustine Beauchamp, 6 year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. August Beauchamp of Escanaba, Mich., died. The malady which the lad suffered remains a mystery.

Six persons were burned to death and two injured when fire destroyed the $50,000 home of Mrs. Casimir Tag, widow of the president of the Brooklyn German-American bank in New York City.

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The United States has made preparations for immediate war as far as the navy is concerned, although the present naval force is inadequate in size, President Wilson declared in his Chicago address on national defense.

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The Metropolitan street railway company of Kansas City, under a settlement in the circuit court, agreed to pay Miss Whittington, 16 years old, $500 for a kiss administered by one of the company's conductors. She sued for $20,000.

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The $5,000,000 Canadian Parliament building was destroyed by a fire declared to have been caused by the explosion of a gas bomb or an infernal machine. Six people lost their lives when one end of the building collapsed.

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Ninety-one arrests for drunkeness as against 482 a year ago were made in Seattle, Wash., during the month of January, of which thirty-six were made on the first day of the year. Prohibition is said to be responsible for the decrease.

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Rolland, Ia., a city of 692 inhabitants, is now the most desirable town a bachelor or widower could wish for. There are twenty-three widows and only four widowers. Many solutions have been offered, but no satisfactory one has been reached yet.

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The democratic state central committee, in session in Des Moines, decided to hold the first democratic state convention at Clinton May 10. This convention will pass upon the delegates who will go to the national convention at St. Louis.

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Chicago bandits have, within a month, killed five policemen, robbed scores of business houses and "stuck up" countless pedestrians. Police say that fifteen gangs of crooks from New York, Cleveland, Toledo and Detroit are living in fashionable south side apartments and working Chicago at will.

SPORTING.

Jack Dillon of Indianapolis accepted an offer to box Frank Moran, the Pittsburgh heavy-weight, ten rounds in Milwaukee next month.

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Tad Jones, former Yale quarterback and member of the All-American football team, has been decided upon as head coach of the Yale eleven.

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Joe Stecker of Dodge, Neb., defeated John Perelli, the Italian, at Louisville, Ky., in straight falls. The first fall was secured in four minutes and thirty seconds, the second in three minutes and fifty seconds.

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Heavyweight Champion Jess Willard has signed articles to fight Frank Moran in New York, on March 17. Willard is to receive $47,500 and Moran $20,000. The bout will be staged by the Rickard-McCracken syndicate.

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G Harris (Doc) White has been signed to manage the Denver Western league club for 1916, according to a message from J. C. McGill, owner, to club headquarters in Denver. White formerly was a member of the Chicago Americans.

WASHINGTON

All the speeches on preparedness made by President Wilson on his middle west trip will be printed as a public document. The house of representatives voted that this be done.

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The Shackelford good roads bill, carrying an appropriation of $25,000,000 to aid the states in improving their post roads, was passed by the house recently, 281 to 81. Three members voted "present."

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Relative retail prices of the principal articles of food in the United States decreased 1 per cent during the first nine months of last year, according to the bureau of labor statistics.

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The senate passed a bill by Senator Robinson democrat of Arkansas, appropriating $100,000 for the relief of flood sufferers in the Mississippi valley, and authorizing the secretary of war to loan tents for the homeless.

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Rear Admiral Victor Blue, chief of the bureau of navigation, declared to the house naval committee that while the American navy is "better off today than it ever has been," the most vital weakness is shortage of officers.

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The long fought treaty to pay Colombia $25,000,000 and express regret for the partition of Panama, was ordered favorably reported to the senate by the foreign relations committee with amendments reducing the indemnity to $15,000,000

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The interstate commerce commission has denied a rehearing in the western passenger fare case in which roads operating in 2 cent-per mile territory west of the Mississippi were allowed to increase their interstate fares to 2.4 cents per mile.

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Feel Shortage of Wedding Rings.

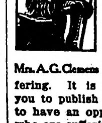
A shortage of wedding rings in jewelers' shops and in wholesale factories is experienced throughout Britain, although the shortage has nothing to do with a scarcity of gold. There are three main causes for the wedding-ring famine. There has been a very great number of war weddings; the working classes, owing to high wages, have bought cheap gem rings in great numbers, and there is a serious shortage of skilled jewelers' workmen.

Had Preference in Colors.

She (coyly)—Will you love me when my hair turns gray?

He (brutally)—Yes, but not when it turns mauve or Nile green. You had better use another brand.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

A GRATEFUL OLD LADY.



Mrs. A. G. Clemens

Mrs. A. G. Clemens, West Alexander, Pa., writes: I have used Dodd's Kidney Pills, also Diamond Dinner Pills. Before using them I had suffered for a number of years with backache, also tender spots on spine, and had at times black floating specks before my eyes. I also had lumbago and heart trouble. Since using this medicine I have been relieved of my suffering. It is agreeable to me for you to publish this letter. I am glad to have an opportunity to say to all who are suffering as I have done that I obtained relief by using Dodd's Kidney Pills and Diamond Dinner Pills.

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WARSHIP ADMIRAL CHARNER IS LOST OFF SYRIAN COAST—374 MEMBERS OF CREW PERISH.

DAREDEVIL OF ENGLISH FLEET IS TOTAL WRECK

The Arethusa, a Light Cruiser, Meets Accident Off East Coast—Crew Were Popular Heroes in Great Britian—Figured in Thrilling Naval Exploits.

London, Feb. 15.—With a loss of the British cruiser Arethusa on a mine, the torpedoing of the French cruiser Admiral Charner by a submarine and gains for the Teutons in thrusts at the battle front in France, the day's war news scores up against the Allies.

Only One Man Rescued.

Reports of the loss of the French cruiser Admiral Chtarner, which was reported to have been sunk by a submarine which was patrolling the Syrian coast, were confirmed. Three hundred and seventy-four men perished.

According to information received at the French ministry of marine, a raft bearing one live sailor and the bodies of 14 of his companions, had been picked up off the coast of Syria. She was a 4,680-ton vessel.

British Chuiser Mined.

The British cruiser Arethusa, which has figured in some of the most thrilling English naval exploits of the war, has struck a mine off the east coast. The admiralty announced that it is feared she is a total wreck. Ten of her crew were lost.

The Arethusa, a light cruiser, built in October, 1913, had several encounters with German torpedo boats and other warships early in the war and became known as the daredevil of the English fleet. Her exploits inspired several English poets to create ryhmes in her honor and the Arethusa's crew were popular heroes in England.

The Arethusa displaced only 3,520 tons and as armament mounted only two six-inch and six four-inch guns. She carried also four torpedo tubes. Her length was 450 feet.

SMITH PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Former State Treasurer of Minnesota to Stand Trial on Three Indictments Charging Grand Larceny.

Minneapolis, Feb. 15.—Walter J. Smith and Robert C. Pickit stood at the bar of the Ramsey county district court and pleaded not guilty to indictments charging them with betraying their trusts as servants of the state of Minnesota.

Former State Treasurer Smith was taken to St. Paul in an automobile, pleading not guilty to three grand larceny indictments, gave a bail bond and was hurried back to the sanatorium, where he has been since his breakdown.

Pickit, former investment board clerk in the office of the state auditor, in spite of the fact that he has made a full confession involving himself and Mr. Smith, pleaded not guilty to two indictments charging forgery. His trial was set for Feb. 21. Pickit's appearanced preceded that of Mr. Smith by several hours.

Meanwhile at the state capitol the state treasurer's office was being transferred to Arthur C. Gooding, appointed by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist to fill out Mr. Smith's unexpired term.

Pickit was taken before Judge F N. Dickson at 10 a. m. He was not handcuffed and looked composed. He chatted with former school classmates who had called to cheer him up. When the indictment had been read he pleaded not guilty in a low voice, but showed no sign of weakness.

KITCHIN WILL NOT BE OUSTED

Speaker Clark Declares House Leader Has Right to Oppose Preparedness Program.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Speaker Clark has issued a statement characterizing as nonsense talk of ousting Representative Kitchin from the House majority leadership because of his opposition to the preparedness program and other administration plans. He said he expects to leave the speaker's chair whenever he feels it necessary to oppose or support any measure, but would do so without any intent to supplant Representative Kitchin or any other committee chairman or leader.

Another Fire in War Goods Plant.

Schenectady, N. Y., Feb. 15.—Serious damage is reported to have been done by a mysterious fire in the munitions factory of the General Electric company here. Although a report from the company declared the property was slightly damaged, owing to oil papers becoming overheated, the plant is reported from outside sources to have been put out of commission. As the company has its own fire fighting forces, there was no call for the local department. Officers, however, were sent to investigate.

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New Cook Book Free—See Slip in Pound Can.

Cheap and big can Baking Powders do not save you money. Calumet does—it's Pure and far superior to sour milk and soda.

Served Him Right.

"I admit I was found in the possession of firearms," said the prisoner. "But it's only a joke of mine, my lord."

"Explain yourself," said the magistrate.

"Why, I put two pistols in my pocket when I go out to a friendly gathering. Then I start talking of aeroplanes."

"Well?"

"Then I say my life was once saved by parachutes."

"Yes?"

"And then I pull out the pistol, and say, 'Pair o' shoots' Ha, ha! See."

"Yes, I see. Did you make up that joke yourself?"

"Yes, my lord."

"Two years' hard labor!—London Tit-Bits

The traveler wants full fare at hotels, but he doesn't object to half fare on railroads.

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Dear Mr. Editor:

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NOTE:—When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, sick-headache, dizzy spells, or the twinges and pains of lumbago, rheumatism and gout. "Anuric" is the most powerful agent in dissolving uric acid, as hot water melts sugar. Ask the druggist for "Anuric," put up by Dr. Pierce, in 50-cent packages.

Couldn't.

She—But papa says you're living beyond your means.

He—Absolutely untrue—I have no means.

Not Gray Hairs but Tired Eyes make us look older than we are. Keep your Eyes young and you will look young. After the Movies Murine Your Eyes. Don't tell your age. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

What Did He Mean?

Mrs. Dough—How do I look in my new furs?

Mr. Dough—Out of sight.

Misunderstood.

"Are you a plain cook."

"I suppose I could be purtier, mum."

IS CHILD CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit-laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Read the Answer in the Stars.

"Do you believe in short-time bonds?"

"Government or matrimonial?"

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

With the exception of a discolored eye, anything hand painted is fashionable.

And the smaller the girl the larger the doll necessary to satisfy her incipient maternal instinct.

Italy's imports in the first six months of 1915 were valued at $325,794,650; exports, $246,026,660

None but a fool is always right there.

When a man swallows his pride it is very apt to impair his digestion.

FROM GIRLHOOD TO OLD AGE WOMEN ARE HELPED

At the first symptoms of any derangement of the feminine organism at any period of life the one safe, really helpful remedy is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for every conceivable ailment and disease of a womanly nature It is a woman's temperance medicine and its ingredients are published on wrapper.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a true friend to women in times of trial and at times of pain when the organs are not performing their functions. For headache, backache, hot flashes, catarrhal conditions, bearing down sensations, mental depression, dizziness, fainting spells, women should never fail to take this tried and true women's medicine.

Rare Example of Realism.

A certain fiction writer applied to a friend, an interne in a hospital, for some local color for a tale he had based upon an occurrence in such an institution.

The interne couldn't think of anything of moment, but the writer jogged his memory thus:

"Surely, you know of some realistic bit here that I could use."

"I have it!" suddenly exclaimed the interne.

"Yes," eagerly came from the writer.

"Here is realism with a vengeance," said the youthful interne. "One of our patients walked in his sleep because he dreamed he had no carfare."

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when Grip is prevalent LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE should be taken, as this combination of Quinine with other ingredients, destroys germs, acts as a Tonic and Laxative and thus keeps the system in condition to withstand Colds, Grip and Influenza. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c.

The government of Japan is planning to start a factory for the production of carbolic acid from coal tar.

WHEN KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE GLASS OF SALTS

Eat Less Meat If Kidneys Hurt or You Have Backache or Bladder Misery—Meat Forms Uric Acid.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Adv.

Many a man who seeks fame finds nothing but infamy.

Poverty is not a crime, but the penalty is hard labor, just the same.

Any man whose will power is all in his wife's name is to be pitied.

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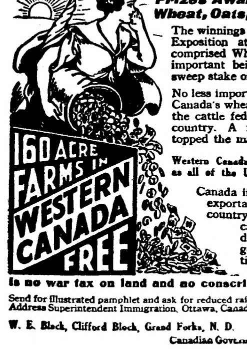

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The winnings of Western Canada at the Soil Products Exposition at Denver were easily made. The list comprised Wheat, Oats, Barley and Grasses, the most important being the prizes for Wheat and Oats and sweep stake on Alfalfa.

No less important than the splendid quality of Western Canada's wheat and other grains, is the excellence of the cattle fed and fattened on the grasses of that country. A recent shipment of cattle to Chicago topped the market in that city for quality and price.

Western Canada produced in 1915 one third as much wheat as all of the United States, or over 300,000,000 bushels.

Canada in proportion to population has a greater exportable surplus of wheat this year than any country in the world, and at present prices you can figure out the revenue for the producer. In Western Canada you will find good markets, splendid schools, exceptional social conditions, perfect climate and other great attractions. There is no war tax on land and no conscription.

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SAYS STATE HAS TOO MANY BANKS

MINNESOTA SUPERINTENDENT WOULD HAVE LEGISLATURE TAKE ACTION.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Unless measures are taken in the near future to curb the number of unnecessary banks being organized, Minnesota will be overrun with weak banks, according to A. H. Turritin, state superintendent of banks. Too many banks are being started in towns where banks amply able to care for the needs of the business men and people there already exist, he said. "Something must be done by the legislature soon which will make it more difficult to organize state banks."

Mr. Turritin offers the following suggestions for the guidance of the Legislature. Increase capital stock required. Limit banks to population. Issue permits to cashier or manager of a bank.

Create a bank charter commission.

"No town of less than 200 persons should be permitted to have more than one bank. This allowance should not be increased to permission for a second bank until the municipality has increased in population to 500 persons,' said Mr. Turritin.

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State Normal Board Meets.

The state normal board at a meeting in St. Paul, has laid on the table the recommendation of the normal school presidents regarding extension work and aid to rural schools. The recommendations will be acted upon at some future meeting. The presidents, in their report, expressed doubt as to the advisability of establishing either study centers or correspondence coures on an extensive scale in Minnesota, advising that the work be tried out first on a small scale.

Teachers of special qualifications with supervision in the hands of a man who could devote his entire time to it were declared necessities.

Besides a moderate amount of extension work for those who are preparing to teach, the presidents stated that the educational system of the state would benefit by the employment of a competent training teacher to visit the schools where normal graduates are employed.

Competent rural school visitors who could lecture at farmers' club meetings and entertainments were recommended.

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Tobacco Industry Thrives.

Tobacco growing in Minnesota, until recently the theme of many rural jokes, has assumed sufficient proportions in recent years as an industry, in the opinion of experts at the agricultural college of the university, to be the subject of a special bulletin. Minnesota is growing tobacco and growing it in quantities large enough to be given statewide recognition. According to the bulletin, Minnesota is in line to emulate Wisconsin's $6,089,000 yearly output within a short time.

The production of the plant at present has been confined to the southeastern part of the state. The brand raised is recognized as filler and binder grade. Thus far the profit from Minnesota farms has averaged $165 88 per acre as the highest gross income.

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Blow to State Tax Board

The Minnesota state tax commission received a severe blow from the supreme court when the latter body held that leases on mineral lands cannot be assessed as credits. Such leases have heretofore been so assessed. The decision will mean a heavy loss for the state in taxes, though the commission was unable to tell the amount because the leases are listed with all the other credits. The case was brought by the Royal Mineral association.

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Funds to Save Quail

A campaign for funds to help in saving thousands of Minnesota quail that are starving because of the deep snows has been inaugurated by six St. Paul sportsmen and Carlos Avery, executive of the State Game and Fish Commission. A temporary committee has been formed.

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State Wins Oil Case.

A second victory was scored by the state in its fight for collection of oil inspection fees when District Judge Michael decided in its favor against the Pure Oil company contesting a claim for $9,000 fees levied.

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Obtains Place on Ballot.

Walter N. Carroll of Minneapolis has accomplished two things in his litigation before the Supreme Court over the presidential primary law. He has obtained a place on the ballot and he has induced the Supreme Court to read something out of the law something out of the law. The court has ordered the secretary of state to accept the filing of Mr. Carroll as presidential elector, and it has approved his course in omitting from his affidavit the words "as expressed by the voters at such nominating election.

State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Red Wing.—G. E. Belin, pioneer riverman and a resident of Red Wing for more than half a century, is dead.

Winona. — Joseph Kowalewski, 25 years old, was fatally burned in an explosion inside of a seventy-five-barrel vat at the Bub brewery here.

Alexandria. — A successful meeting of teachers of Douglas county has been held here, the sessions being the first meetings in the Auditorium of the new high school building now about completed.

St. Paul.—Colonel Josias B. King, the first man in the United States to enlist in the Union army in the Civil war, is dead at his home here. Colonel King was 84 years old. He died of heart trouble.

Duluth.—Thousands of miners of foreign birth, employed on the Minnesota Iron Ranges will be Americanized through night schools, if plans of R. K. Doe, government examiner of aliens, are carried out.

Mankato. — Mrs. Julia Presley, a resident of Mankato for forty-six years, and widow of J. A. Presley, is dead. She was 78 years old. She was a native of Bremen, Germany. She is survived by three sons and two daughters.

Bemidji. — The Commercial club has raised $300 to send delegates to Washington to oppose Nelson's Red Lake forest reservation. John Morrison, chief of the Chippewas, and other Indians already are en route to Washington to fight the bill.

St. Paul.—Co-operation of the U. S. postoffice department in the movement recently begun to save the quail in Minnesota took active form when rural mail carriers were instructed to distribute feed for the birds along their routes when it is provided.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist announces that he has been notified by Congressman Charles A. Linbergh of Little Falls that he will discontinue further activities in connection with his filing for the Republican nomination for governor and will withdraw from the race.

Monticello, Minn. — That Lawrence Carr of St. Paul came to his death by suicide is the verdict of the coroner of Wright county. The discovery of burned powder in the wound in the head established the coroner's theory that the shot was fired at close range. Several witnesses were examined.

Crookston—"That the farmer is the main man of the country" was the keynote of an address by George E. Vincent, president of the University of Minnesota, before the Red River Development association here. The great hall was crowded and the speaker was frequently interrupted by applause.

Red Wing—At the annual meeting of the Goodhue County Co-operative company, George F. Gross, general manager, submitted his annual report. It showed the aggregate business done by the company amounted to about $205,000. Net profits reported to be distributed among the shareholders or purchases were nearly $11,000.

Brainerd.—Upper Mississippi reservoirs north of Brainerd will be filled to bursting should the winter snow go out with early rains. The snow here has settled to nineteen inches deep, the total fall for the winter being 27.7 inches. A heavy spring thaw will fill reservoirs, allowing no room for succeeding rains, and June precipitation.

Preston.—Slippery walks have caused two deaths in Fillmore county, according to reports to the coroner here. John Harland of Henrytown, a farmer, on his way from his house to the barn, fell and his skull was fractured. He was found dead several hours later. Alfred Bowman of Leonora slipped while on the street. A blood vessel was ruptured and he bled to death.

Minneapolis.—A free trip to the Minnesota State Fair Farm Boys' Camp, Sept 4 to 9, is to be given to 177 boys who excelled last year in the state acre-yield corn contest, state pig club contest, and Northern Minnesota potato contest, as a result of action just taken by the fair board. The 1916 Camp will be nearly twice as large as any of its four predecessors.

St. Paul.—Following a four day investigation carried on by W. J. Stevenson, acting attorney general, and J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, these officials reported to the county attorney of Ramsey county that irregularities amounting to $28,962 have been discovered in the office of State Treasurer Walter J. Smith. The irregularities included three forged district school warrants for $18,000, $4,600 and $6,000. Robert C Pickit, alleged confessed forger of the state warrants, is locked up in the central police station here charged with second degree forgery and first degree embezzlement, and Walter J Smith, state treasurer, is in a Minneapolis sanitarium, under official surveillance. Pickit is held without bail.

South St. Paul.—Selling soft corn over the stockyards scales rather than at the country elevator has proved the more profitable way for many Minnesota farmers, if prices realized at South St. Paul on cattle and hogs fed on such rations are to be regarded as typical of the results obtained generally in this territory by farmers who have had only last year's inferior crop to feed.

Red Wing.—About 500 teachers were in attendance at the annual meeting of the Southeastern Minnesota Educational association, which met here.

For Immediate Use.

An old Rip Van Winkle of a fellow went into a country drug store and asked for some powder.

"Face, gun or bug?" asked the clerk, leaning far over the counter.

"Bug," replied the old man, "and ne'an to mind about wrappin' it up—just blow it on my whiskers."—Cottrell's Magazine.

BANISH PIMPLES QUICKLY

Easily and Cheaply by Using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Trial Free.

Smear the pimples lightly with Cuticura Ointment on end of finger and allow it to remain on five minutes. Then bathe with hot water and Cuticura Soap and continue some minutes. This treatment is best upon rising and retiring, but is effective at any time.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Taste in Reading.

"Oliver's taste for books seems to be improving."

"I'm very glad to hear that. But are you quite sure about it?"

"Perfectly sure. Last week I caught him perusing a five-cent hair raiser, and this week he is reading nothing but dime novels. That's a hundred per cent improvement."

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

LIVED UP TO INSTRUCTIONS

Told Always to Do Things by Combination Pat Faithfully Obeyed His Employer's Orders.

A gentleman in want of a coachman had an Irishman apply for the situation, when the following conversation took place between them:

"You know, Pat, if I engage you, I shall expect you to do things by combination. For instance, if I tell you to bring the carriage round at a given time I shall expect the horses with it and driving gloves, etc."

"Yes, sor," said Pat.

He was duly engaged, and gave satisfaction. One day, his master came to him in a hurry, telling him to look sharp and go for a doctor, as his mistress was ill. Pat was gone for a long time, and on his master grumbling at him for his delay, he said:

"Sure, they're all here, sor."

"All here!" said the master. "What do you mean?"

"Didn't you tell me to do things by combination?"

"What's that got to do with it?" said the master.

"Well," said Pat. "I've got the doctor, the parson, the undertaker."—Tit-Bits.

Then She Said "Yes."

She—Before I give you my answer I must know more about you. Are you aiming at anything worth while?

He—You seem to have a very poor opinion of yourself.

A New Broom.

Gillet—How many people work in your office?

Perry—Only one. He came today. The others have been with us some time.—Life

A woman is very apt to overestimate the good time her husband has when he is away from home.

A GOOD CHANGE

A Change of Food Works Wonders

Wrong food and drink cause a lot of trouble in this world. To change is first aid when a person is ill, particularly from stomach and nervous troubles. As an illustration: A lady in Mo. was brought around to health again by leaving off coffee and some articles of food that did not agree with her.

She says:

"For a number of years I suffered with stomach and bowel trouble which kept getting worse until I was ill most of the time. About four years ago I left off coffee and began using Postum. My stomach and bowels improved right along, but I was so reduced in flesh and so nervous that the least thing would overcome me.

"Then I changed my food and began using Grape-Nuts in addition to Postum. I lived on these two principally for about four months. Day by day I gained in flesh and strength until the nervous trouble had disappeared. I feel that I owe my health to Postum and Grape-Nuts.

"Husband was troubled, for a long time, with occasional cramps, and slept badly. Finally I prevailed upon him to leave off coffee and take Postum. After he tried Postum for a few days he found that he could sleep and that his cramps disappeared. He never went back to coffee." Name given by Postum Co, Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

I OWE MY HEALTH

To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Washington Park, Ill. — "I am the mother of four children and have suffered with female trouble, backache, nervous spells and the blues. My children's loud talking and romping would make me so nervous I could just tear everything to pieces and I would ache all over and feel so sick that I would not want anyone to talk to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills restored me to health and I want to thank you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies." —Mrs. ROBT. STOPIEL, Moore Avenue, Washington Park, Illinois.

We wish every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, backache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free of charge.

Might Be.

"What is the Pan-American congress, pa?"

"I don't know exactly, but it sounds as if it might be a convention of our hyphenated fellow citizens."

Only Part of the Obligation.

Patient—Doc, I owe you my life.

Doctor—Yes, and that isn't all.—Minnesota Minnehaha.

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Getting Satisfaction.

De Quiz—Why did you walk home from the races?

De Whiz (with bitterness)—Because I wanted to beat the nag I bet on.

Shallow.

Hodge—Is he a deep thinker?

Dodge—No; he begins to flounder before he gets out very deep.

The Sort.

"What kind of ships do they have dog watches on?"

"Why, barks, of course."

Makes Work a Burden

A bad back makes hard work harder. All day the dull throb and the sharp, darting pains make you miserable, and there's no rest at night. Maybe it's your daily work that hurts the kidneys, for jarring, jolting, lifting, reaching, dampness and many other strains do weaken them. Cure the kidneys. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands and should do as well for you. Thousands recommend them.

A Montana Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

J. H. Kugler, R. F. D. No. 1, Bozeman, Mont., says: "I suffered from attacks of backache for ten years. The work I do caused a strain on my kidneys, weakening them. The kidney secretions passed too freely at times, then again were scanty and painful, and there was sediment in them. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me as soon as I took them, and before long restored me to good health."

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Cut out cathartics and purgatives. They are brutal, harsh, unnecessary. Try

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Purely vegetable. Act gently on the liver, eliminate bile, and soothe the delicate membrane of the bowel. Cure Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache and Indigestion, as millions know.

SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.

Genuine must bear Signature

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CUMMINS URGES UNITY OF PARTY

Says It Is Duty of Republicans to End Wilson Regime.

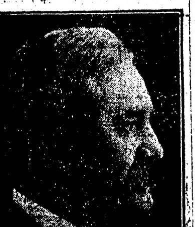
IOWAN'S LINCOLN DAY SPEECH

Points Out Mistakes of Present Democratic Administration in Address at St. Paul.

St. Paul, Feb. 13.—Senator A. B. Cummins of Iowa was the principal speaker at the Lincoln Republican club banquet here last night. He said, in part:

Mr. Toastmaster and Gentlemen of the Lincoln Republican Club:

Inasmuch as I am speaking to Republicans just entering upon an important campaign for political supremacy; Republicans who are now viewing with sadness and regret the humiliations and disaster inflicted in three years of Democratic administration, and who are profoundly convinced that the American people deserve something better, I must be permitted to recall one sentence which fell from Lincoln's lips at the very outset of the struggle of 1858. He was referring to a situation in the



SENATOR CUMMINS.

country at large, but it may well be invoked as the watchword for the Republican party in the months immediately before us. He said, as you will remember: "A house divided against itself cannot stand * * * *. I do not expect the house to fall, but I do expect it will cease to be divided."

The house of Republicanism, founded upon the truest principles ever espoused by the human kind and reared by the labor of the wisest and most unselfish patriots of modern time, must not fall; but to stand, it must not be divided against itself; and it has become our highest and most imperative duty to see that it is not divided, and that it shall endure for the glory of free institutions and the welfare of the people.

Wilson Regime a Failure.

The miserable failure of the present administration in managing our domestic affairs and its shameful weakness in dealing with our foreign relations have so angered the people of the country that it has become not only the imperative duty but the deepest desire of all good citizens to drive it out of power, and reinstate as speedily as the laws of the land will permit, a government that will restore the confidence and rekindle the pride which every patriot ought to feel in the strength and justice of his nation.

The president and congress began their assault upon our institutions by the enactment of a tariff law, which, taking it all together is the completest compound of ignorance and indifference ever composed by a legislative body. It neither gives protection to our home markets nor yields revenue for the maintenance of the government. It defies every principle of economics ever advanced by the principles of any school of scientific thought. Had it not been for the hideous war which has paralyzed the industries of Europe, it would have put this country into bankruptcy with no prospect of a dividend to creditors.

Tariff Hostile to Farmers.

This tariff law has no redeeming feature except the income tax, and that I may say in passing was of Republican origin, but its crowning folly and unspeakable injustice lie in the palpable and indefensible discrimination against the farmers of the country. It gives the manufacturers of the East some protection, inadequate it is true, and therefore ineffective; but it remorselessly exposes the agricultural producers in the great West to the unrestrained invasion of the whole world. It must be swept away, and in its stead there must be substituted a fair, reasonable and adequate tariff for the protection of American industries, a tariff which will enable home producers to hold their own markets in decent prosperity against all comers.

Again, the energetic but elusive secretary of commerce is insisting that we must enact an anti-dumping provision. a provision which recognizes the necessity of protective duties, but which our Democratic friends hope may be so obscured that the people generally will not perceive the admission of past folly which it clearly implies.

Why a Tariff Commission?

Again, the president and his leaders in congress are now proposing the establishment of a tariff commission. Why? For this reason and no other: they are praying that through the work of such a commission some of the disasters which their tariff law necessarily inflicts may be avoided without a frank avowal that they have imposed upon the country a policy so destructive that they dare not meet its logical outcome. The tariff commission has been for years a Republican proposal, desirable because we want to know, from time to time, the difference between the cost of production at home and abroad. We want a tariff commission in order to fix duties that will protect our home markets against unfair competition, but why does a believer in the ruinous doctrine of free trade or tariff for revenue only want a commission?

The law revising our banking system, while it has some good in it, which Republicans rather than Democrats put there, is, as a whole, a most dangerous experiment. It has not only made powerful combinations among banks lawful, but it has created a board clothed with more authority than was ever before conferred upon an administrative body.

It is a unique administration in that it abandons, without a thought of responsibility, the most vital parts of the platform upon which it came into power, and assumes that the people will be satisfied with the simple explanation that minds have changed. At this moment it is in a state of chaotic confusion. The balance in the treasury which it inherited from a Republican administration has been absorbed in the extravagance of its appropriations, and it needs money and does not know where to get it. It is blindly groping around amidst further stamp taxes, gasoline taxes, automobile taxes, income taxes, and the like, but lacks the courage to lay its hands upon anything.

Mexican Policy Shameful.

In the past three years American citizens who had a right to be in Mexico have been robbed, shot, hung and starved at the pleasure of the so called armies roving about the country; and never a thing done save a protest, now and then, to an irresponsible, cruel and lawless leader. Our government has not only failed in its duty toward our own people who are in Mexico, but it has witnessed the most atrocious outrages against Mexican men and women the world has ever known, without a decisive word or a courageous act.

At the present moment the situation in Mexico is absolutely hopeless. There was a time when in my judgment, intervention might have been avoided, but now the horrors of indiscriminate murder and the savage lust for blood and rape and all other crimes against humanity, have broken the civilized spirit of the people. They have not the strength needed to construct a government. They are starving, not by the thousands, but by the tens of thousands; and I predict that unless we are willing to stand by and see that country lapse into barbarism, and to see it ravaged day after day by the cutthroats and plunderers who are now in possession, we will be compelled to intervene simply to furnish a nucleus around which the remnant of liberty and decency can gather.

I turn to our troubles with the belligerents of Europe, strange as it may appear, with a profound relief. I believe the president was wise and patriotic in his proclamation of neutrality. Sacred as the compact of nations ought to be, and sympathetic as all right-minded men are with stricken Belgium, our country would not have been justified in declaring war because Belgium was invaded. Whether we have been in fact neutral is quite another thing. The government may have maintained, technically a neutral position, but individually, industrially, and financially we have not been neutral. Agreeing, as I think most of us do with the president in the neutrality of the nation, it is yet unfortunately true that, in maintaining the dignity of our position, and in convincing the belligerents of the sincerity of our purpose, the state department has met with ill success.

Question of Preparedness.

We are all profoundly grateful that we are not in war; but some of us are skeptical about the credit which one man claims for the peace which now prevails. The stability of the president and his administration is not forfeited when we remember that a year ago he set his face firmly against any increase in our military strength, and impliedly opposed even the maintenance of the naval program of the last few years, whereas when congress assembled last December he recommended with great earnestness an immediate addition to both army and navy and recently toured the country in advocacy of his program.

To me the course is plain before us, we ought to go quietly, firmly forward strengthening and balancing the military arm of the government according to the program universally accepted. Before any radical change is made in the policy we ought to know the outcome of the war. It may happen that conditions will arise that will compel us to stand armed ready for instant conflict, not against one nation alone but against a combination of nations; one the other hand, it may happen that the war will so close that the partial disarmament of the great countries will begin and that a long era of international peace will be assured.

Local Items

C. L. Heinze shipped a carload of hay to Grand Forks this week.

Mrs. Miller, from Goodridge, was in town between trains Saturday.

Ingvold Lund of Goodridge came Monday to visit Theodore Sollom.

Dr. J. T. Turley will be here next Thursday Feb. 24th, to do dental work.

New stock of shoes for men, women and children, just received at R. Reierson's store.

Miss Kjelgren came from Canada, Wednesday, to care for her sister, Ida, who is critically ill.

Alfred Olson, who is taking an engineering course at Crookston, spent Sunday with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken entertained Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christoferson and Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson last Sunday.

Mrs. M. T. Strom and little Alpha went to Thief River Falls Wednesday for a couple of days visit with relatives.

Dr. Mellby was called Saturday to see R. Gunheim, who is very sick, at the home of his brother, C. H. Gunheim and family.

Ole Hammerness returned to his home Wednesday in Moose Jaw, Canada, his uncle, R. Reierson, accompaning him to Thief River Falls.

A. R. Jones was an over Sunday visitor with his family at Crookston. Mr. Jones reports that the train crew had to shovel snow, Monday between Tilden Jct. and Red Lake Falls.

I wish to buy all the hogs I can possibly get and will pay the highest market price, PROVIDED, I can get enough for a carload before Saturday, Feb. 26th. Please let me know at once how many you have to sell and don't bring in any hogs before you see me. Knutson, the Holt Butcher

Blue Grove Farm
Offers For Sale
31-32
Holstein Bull Calves,
One Yearling,
Several December Calves.
H. R. Hinchman,
NW1-4 Sec. 36 Golden Valley
Mud Lake Minn.

Tuesday was our first thawing day.

E. T. Eide came down from Spooner Tuesday on business.

Ed. Horien got the job of hauling and packing the ice for the creamery.

Mrs. Alfred Anderson entertained her sister, from Randen, a few days this week.

Men's, women and children's rubbers, all sizes and prices, at Reierson's store.

Elmer Kjelgren came Wednesday from Canada called here by the illness of his sister Ida.

L. S. Kolden came up from Nielsville Friday for a couple of days visit with relatives and friends.

There does not seem to be any improvement in the condition of P. A. Riesberg's eyes and he can just barely see.

The public school pupils had lots of fun Monday over their valentine boxes and many valentines were sent and received by the children and teachers.

NOTICE!

On March 1st, at 10 o'clock A. M. sharp I will sell at public sale on my farm 1 1-2 miles southwest of Gatzke and 80 rods from Rollis store all of my personal property consisting of 7 good farm mares and horses, 4 poled angus bull, 7 first class milch cows, young stock, complete line of new farm machinery, all household goods, farm tools, etc..

Han Lewis, Rollis, P. O., Minn.

Farm For Rent.

The E1-2NE1-4—29, and E1-2SE 1-4—20—156—43, the Fred Johnson farm. Enquire at

Holt State Bank.

Also other farms.

Southeast of Holt.

Miss Signora Sandbo, of Mentor Minn. is now teaching school in Dist. 112

Miss Olga Klungness is spending a few dyys visiting at Thief River Falls.

Harry, Gunda and Thora Moe spent Saturday and Sunday at Golden Valley.

Mrs. Elizabeth Nustvold left for Minneapolis on Saturday for an extended visit with her daughter.

Mrs. John Ensrud entertained the Ladies Aid on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness and daughters Jennie and Clara, were callers at the Guttrud home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ed. Hanson entertained the Ladies Aid on Thursday of last week.

Tom Olson and Amund Sordahl were successful in shooting a wolf last week.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.20
Wheat No. 2	1.16
Wheat No. 3	1.10
Wheat No. 4	1.08
Flax	2.17
Oats	38
Barley	50 to .55
Rye	.83
Flour, Best Patent	3.95

Ringbo Rumbles.

Messrs Martin and Oliver Grondahl and Christ Saastad called at Ole Davidson's Sunday.

Miss Victoria Johnson spent Wednesday evening with Miss Anna Sorter.

Miss Anna Sorter has been spending a few days with her Grandfolks.

Hilmer and Oliver Davidson, called at Pete Sorter's Saturday evening.

Emanuel Larson called at A. Movik's last Wednesday.

Miss Hazel Davidson spent Tuesday night with Miss Esther Movik.

Oliver Grondahl spent Sunday at Sunnyside. Wonder where at Oliver?

Mrs. Andrew Engstom has been on the sick list for a while.

A. Movik called at J. Tystad's Sunday.

Messrs Pete Sorter, Julius Erickson, and Eli Saastad called at Chas. Skoglund's Saturday evening.

A number of young folks spent a very enjoyable time at Falm's Sunday evening.

Encas Erickson was the lucky fellow to shoot a wolf last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Engen spent Sunday afternoon at T. Saastad's.

A sweet baby girl was born to Mrs. Edwardson last Tuesday morning.

Elling Wagedahl called at Christ Engen's Sunday.

Miss Tena Johnson has been spending a few days at Ed. Horien's (? ! ?)

Miss Anna Sorter spent Thursday evening with Miss Victoria Johnson.

Wonder why the girls are so slow getting around this year. Must have forgotten its leap year.

Hilmer and Oliver Davidson called at M. Grandahl's Sunday evening.

Eli Saastad has been unfortunate to break his harness lately. Better patch up Eli, Hurry!

Some boys were seen out chasing wolves Monday afternoon.

Percy Sorter called on Eiden Erickson's Sunday.

Martin Davidson called at M. Larson's Saturday afternoon.

Messrs. Pete Sorter and Eli Saastad called at Ole Hagglund's Friday.

Goodridge is trying to get the farmers to build a creamery there.

Holt Livery- -Dray Line
Auto Livery Right Prices
O. J. Backlund, Prop.
Always Furnishes Reliable Service
Leave Orders at Hotel - - HOLT, MINN.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Thursday
Feb. 24, 1916.

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Why can't Holt have a farmer's club and hold an institute?

Secy., of War, Garrison and his Asst. Secy. Henry Breckenridge have resigned from the Cabinet because of differences of opinion with President Wilson about a continental army which the Secy. wished to force upon Congress.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Feb. 9th, 1916.

Notice is hereby given, that Isaac Ostlund, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on Sept. 22, 1910, made Homestead Entry No. 05556, for W1-2 of the SW1-4 Sec. 21, Township 156 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th, P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver of U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minn., on the 22nd day of March, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Peter Ostlund, Emil W. Ostlund, George E. Olson and Jacob Moland all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Jan. 22, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Charles McLean of Holt, Minn. who on Dec. 7, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 08614, for NE1-4 SE1-4, Sec. 17, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 28th day of Feb. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John Engstrom, Gunder P. Sorter, John Hanson and Henry Erickson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Feb. 5, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Adolf Larson of Holt, Minn. who on July 20, 1910, made Homestead Entry No. 05466, for E1-2SW 1-4 and W1-2SE1-4 Sec. 10, Twp. 155 N. Range 42 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described. before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 13th, day of March, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Carl Gutterud and Lars Ose both of Thief River Falls, Minn., R. F. D. No. 2, also Axel Nelson and Sam Mickelson both of Holt, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage, containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and which default consists in mortgagors failure to pay the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, which is now past due, and which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, (a corporation) mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of October, 1913, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshal County, Minnesota, on the 24th day of October, 1913, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages on page 336.

That the amount claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage at this time is the sum of seven hundred eighty-five and 95-100 ($785.95), Dollars.

And whereas, no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage, or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The West half of the Northeast quarter (W1-2 NE1-4) and the East half of the Northwest quarter (E1-2 NW1-4) of Section thirty three (33) in Township one hundred fifty six (156) North of Range forty two (42), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing one hundred sixty acres (160) more or less according to the Government Survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 28th day of February, 1916, at eleven o'clock A. M., of that day at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of seven hundred eighty five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty ($50.00) Dollars, attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 10, 1916.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee.
Warren, Minnesota

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Prosperity Day! Tuesday February 29th!

PROSPERITY is here! No people, no nation has ever been favored as we are.

The great mint of Time has coined for us an extra day in 1916. The extra twenty four-hours that February 29th is to give us will make the United States richer by millions of dollars.

You will receive on this day an extra day's revenue,- as will millions of others.

A Bank Account and Prosperity go hand in hand. They bring added, pleasures, greater comforts, greater knowledge and business power.

You can best observe PROSPERITY DAY by determining to save for your use, the earnings that come to you for time and labor on that day,

On Prosperity Day. let all wage earners,- increase their prosperity by adding to their bank accounts.

On Prosperity Day, let every man, woman, boy, and girl, that has'nt a bank account, start a prosperity bank account that will help provide for the future.

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Sudden Death of Aged Gentleman.

Mr. Trujord died very suddenly from heart failure Friday afternoon Feb 18th. at the home of his daughter Mrs. J. E. Erickson.

He had not been sick and died in his chair without a struggle, members of the family in the room had no warning of his approaching death and it is a great shock to them.

Knute Olson Trujord was born in Satersdalen, Norway, April 19th. 1835, his age when death came, being 80 years, 9 months and 29 days.

The deceased came to America in 1862 and the next year was married at Nina, Winnebago County, Minn. to Carrie Gunderson Dahl, who remains to mourn the loss of a loving husband.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon in the Holt Synod church Rev. Ordahl officiating and the remains were laid to rest in the Sandridge cemetery.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family and friends of the deceased.

D. Payne Sells Out.

C. A. Nason, Secy., and Manager of the Winton-Nichols Lumber Co., was in town Saturday and closed a deal with D. Payne for the lumber yard, good will, etc of The D. Payne Lumber Co. The invoice will be taken Saturday and the new firm will take immediate possession, thus Holt's two lumber companies will be merged into one.

Mr. Payne is undecided as to the future, but will probably move elsewhere and engage in the banking business.

This and That

A farmers short course will be held in Warren, March 8th. to 14th.

Thief River Falls is working hard to get a Y M. C. A. established there.

Over at Karlstad, they are raising a fund to buy an automobile for the Baptist minister.

The Sandquist Tribune says their farmer's institute was a success in spite of the cold weather.

The fifty-eighth annual convention of the Minnesota Sunday School Association will be held in Austin, April 26 to 30th.

It is being reported that no Paris Green will be manufactured this year on account of being unable to get sulphate of iron.

Dr. Brandenberg lost his case against the T. R. Falls short line for salary at the recent term of the district court in that city.

Boys from the T. R. Falls high school won the silver cup in the stock judging contest at the Crookston Farm Crops Show.

Two men were arrested in Thief River Falls last week on the charge of bootlegging and both were bound over to the grand jury.

The new school house at Strandquist is now ready for occupancy. Country children will be served with hot lunches for a penny.

The Karlstad Advocate reports that timber wolves have been seen in that vicinity and that a prairie wolf was killed recently by a train.

During the month of January four men were fined for drunkeness in Thief River Falls. Previous to the closing of the saloons, between 15 and 30 arrests were made monthly.

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A Big Meeting

A big meeting is to be held at the Free Mission church Friday, Saturday and Sunday evening and also Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock conducted by Messrs. Sande, Larson Moen, assisted by several others from Strathcona and Spruce Valley.

A welcome is extended to all.

Services in English and Norwegian

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School Notes.

The attendance is now growing better as the roads improve and the measles have somewhat subsided.

Tuesday was George Washington's birthday and being a legal holiday there was no school.

The domestic science class had five visitors on Thursday, they were Annie Reierson, Amanda Mickelson, Mrs. R. Olson, Mrs. Kjelgren and Mrs. Knutson. They were just in time for a lunch with the class.

The fourth and fifth grades have been making booklets on the Lives of Abraham Lincoln and George Washington.

Wrestling has suddenly become popular in the manual training room.

The boys in the manual training class have just finished a sand table and it is now ready for use. Two boys have finished neck-tie racks.

Some of the seventh and eighth grade pupils are taking mechanical drawing. Everybody enjoys it very much.

The Eighth Grade.

In Church Circles.

Mrs. B. Docken will entertain the Ladies Aid next Thursday afternoon March 2nd.

The Sunshine Society will meet Saturday afternoon, Feb. 26th, with Mrs. P. A. Riesberg.

The English Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. All children welcome.

Rev. McMartin of Middle River will preach in the Free Mission church Tuesday evening Feb. 29th.

Hans and Ole Sande of Viking, Otto Larson of New York and Ole Moen and others from Strathcona will hold both English and Norwegian meetings in the Free Mission church Friday, Saturday and Sunday evening and Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Fred Jonnson and Anton Peterson came Friday to attend meetings held at H. Heinze's home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken went to Thief River Falls, Saturday for a short visit with relatives. While there, their little son was taken sick with the measles and they brought him home Tuesday. Adrian is getting along nicely.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, [illegible] Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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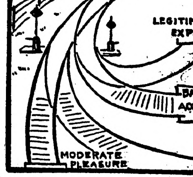

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MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Information.

"Who is the heaviest depositor at your bank?"

"Jobson. He weighs over 300 pounds."

For lameness apply Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Its Class.

"Talking about dogmeat—"

"Don't! That is whine-erwurst yet!"

Piles Relieved by First Application And cured in 6 to 14 days by PAZO OINTMENT, the universal remedy for all forms of Piles. Druggists refund money if it fails. 50c.

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"What would you do about this deadlock?"

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Heard in a Boarding House.

The Butter—I have age and rank.

The Sugar—I have plenty of sand.

The Coffee—I admit my weakness.

If your horse is kicked, or cut by barbed wire, apply Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

No Doubt.

"Money has wings."

"I suppose that is why we speak of taking a flyer."

TAKE A GLASS OF SALTS WHEN BLADDER BOTHERS

Harmless to Flush Kidneys and Neutralize Irritating Acids—Splendid for the System.

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in avoiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it, because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs which then act normally again.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by uric acid irritation. Jad Salts is splendid for kidneys and causes no bad effects whatever.

Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink, which quickly relieves bladder trouble.—Adv.

Large New Industry Projected

Some capitalists of the United States are projecting a hog ranch and packing house of 20,000 acres of land in Pinar del Rio province, Cuba, about sixty miles from Havana.

For poisoned wounds use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Perfectly Apparent

"He boasts that he is a self-made man."

"He shouldn't. It's unnecessary. Anyboy can see that he's not the work of an expert."

To Prevent The Grip Colds cause Grip—Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c.

Albert Hargreaves, a Paterson, N. J., policeman, has fallen heir to $125,000.

BABY HANDS STAY ARM OF THE LAW

Father Is Saved From Prison Term by Prattle of Child.

CROWD WINS PAROLE

Intercedes With Judge in Behalf of Prisoner — Somebody Passes the Hat and His Honor Scowls and Then Contributes.

Kansas City, Mo.—A pair of baby hands reached out and stayed the arm of the law just before it thrust Arthur Beeson into the penitentiary for three years. The hands belonged to Baby Beeson, aged eighteen months, who sat upon his mother's lap during the trial of his father.

Beeson, who is an expert handler of horses, took a horse from the pasture of Herman Vogel, near Independence. He sold the animal and went to Des Moines, where he worked steadily until his arrest. Beeson attracted little attention in the courtroom. But every one not otherwise engaged was looking at or playing with Baby Beeson.

"Three years," said Judge Latshaw.

The prisoner hung his head and followed the officer in charge.

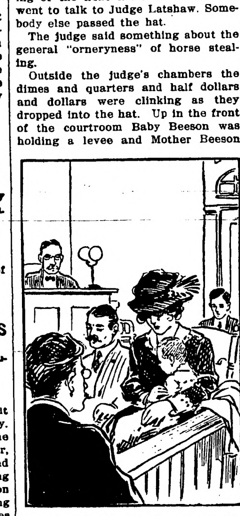
Went on Prattling.

Baby Beeson's mother blanched. Baby Beeson reached out his hands to a new-found friend and went on prattling. That was too much for the attaches of the court. They had seen many men slink into the room behind the jury box and pass down the long corridor and stairway of the jail—the way that leads finally to the penitentiary.

A newspaper man went down to the jail to talk to the prisoner. Then he came back and talked to the crowd in the courtroom, which awaited the calling of the next trial. A dozen men went to talk to Judge Latshaw. Somebody else passed the hat.

The judge said something about the general "orneryness" of horse stealing.

Outside the judge's chambers the dimes and quarters and half dollars and dollars were clinking as they dropped into the hat. Up in the front of the courtroom Baby Beeson was holding a levee and Mother Beeson was trying hard not to let anyone see that she was crying.



Sat Upon His Mother's Lap During the Trial.

"But the baby," pleaded the delegation.

"All right, get him a job and I'll parole him," said the judge.

Dignity Is Forgotten

"Good boy, judge!" shouted some one who had forgotten the dignity of the court.

The judge scowled and slipped into the hand of a deputy marshal "something for the hat."

Lee Nevins, one of the marshal's force, wired to Des Moines at his own expense to see if Beeson could have his former position back.

During the afternoon a message came from Beeson's former employer in Des Moines. It said that there is no work for him now but that as soon as a place can be found he may come on. The marshal's force offered to pay Beeson's way to Des Moines.

"Better get him something to do here. I'll let him out as soon as you do," suggested Judge Latshaw.

ATTACKS BULL WITH AUTO

South Dakota Man Saved by Neighbor, Finally Able to Leave the Hospital.

Hudson, S. D.—John Deiver has been discharged from the hospital here, partially recovered from his injuries received when he was attacked by a bull on a Lincoln county farm.

Deiver had been nearly killed by the animal when a neighbor charged the beast with an automobile and, after repeated assaults, drove it away.

Kept on Ironing.

New York.—Accidentally shot in the knee by her eleven-year-old nephew who was playing with a revolver, Mrs. Lillian M. Thomas continued to iron handkerchiefs. Her task finished, she notified a physician.

HAVE ROSY CHEEKS AND FEEL FRESH AS A DAISY—TRY THIS!

Says glass of hot water with phosphate before breakfast washes out poisons.

To see the tinge of healthy bloom in your face, to see your skin get clearer and clearer, to wake up without a headache, backache, coated tongue or a nasty breath, in fact to feel your best, day in and day out, just try inside-bathing every morning for one week.

Before breakfast each day, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it as a harmless means of washing from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will cost very little at your druggist or general store, but is sufficient to demonstrate that just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the blood and internal organs. Those who are subject to constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, rheumatic twinges, also those whose skin is sallow and complexion pallid, are assured that one week of inside-bathing will have them both looking and feeling better in every way.—Adv.

Affected by "War Business."

The population of Bridgeport, Conn., is estimated to have increased during the present year by about 35,000—growing from 115,000 to 150,000. Twenty thousand persons are said to be employed in Bridgeport by one concern, in three shifts of eight hours each. This phenomenal activity is the result of "war business."

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Seek to Solve Big Problem.

Two English scientists, who are experimenting, expect to solve the problem of producing electricity directly from coal without using a steam engine and dynamo.

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Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets to-night; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All stores sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a cleansing, too. Adv.

Likely Not.

[illegible]—Thank heavens! My wife doesn't know where I was last night.

Todd—Do you?—Life.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets first put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels. Adv.

The inventor of a three-legged step ladder claims it will stand more rigidly on uneven surfaces than if it had four legs.

SENATE ASKS BANK TO SHOW BOOKS IN HARVESTER PROBE

AGRICULTURAL COMMITTEE DECIDES TO CALL ON CHICAGO INSTITUTION FOR EVIDENCE IN SISAL INQUIRY.

ATTEMPT TO MONOPOLIZE TWINE OUTPUT, CHARGED

Alleged Combination to Prevent Independent Dealers From Obtaining Raw Product Intimated—State Prison Factories are Chief Independent Buyers.

Washington, Feb. 21.—The Senate agricultural committee has decided to call upon the Continental and Commercial National bank of Chicago to submit a statement showing the deposits of the International Harvester company for the last three years in order to determine the truth of charges that the Harvester company had disciplined the Chicago bank for extending financial aid to the sisal growers of Yucatan.

To Refuse Request.

Arthur Reynolds, vice president of the bank, when informed of the decision of the Senate committee to ask for a statement from the bank showing the International Harvester company's deposits, said that the request would be refused.

Sol Wexler, a New York banker, charged that the Harvester company had sought by intimidation to prevent the National City bank of New York as well as the Continental from loaning money to aid sisal growers.

"We Question Authority."

"We question the authority and jurisdiction of the Senate committee and we will refuse to open our books to the committee until so directed by a competent court," Mr. Reynolds' statement said.

"For a long period," he continued, "the International Harvester company has carried a considerable balance with us and there has been no marked decrease in the amount of the deposit. I do not consider that the bank has been 'disciplined' in any manner by the Harvester company."

Mr. Wexler explained the organization of the Pan-American Commission corporation, of which he is president, which guaranteed to loan the Yucatan planters, $10,000,000 a year.

"When I went among the banks of the country to assure myself that I could get this money from them when needed, all but two agreed that if other conditions justified the loans I could secure them," he said. "These were the Continental and Commercial National bank of Chicago and the National City bank of New York.

Banks Heads Threatened.

"The president and vice president of the International Harvester company had gone to them and tried to intimidate them with threats of withdrawing their deposits and withdrawing their representatives from the board of directors.

"And further, this entire propaganda to arouse the farmers against the sisal growers, conducted through the trade journals and by mouth has been started by the harvester company, in its underhanded, gumshoe way."

Senator Gronna of North Dakota declared that he had received many letters from farmers in his state urging him to advocate laws forbidding interstate commerce to binder twine manufactured in the various state penitentiaries.

Wexler testified that the prison twine factories were the chief independent buyers of sisal.

Cyrus H. McCormick of the International Harvester denied the statements accusing the big company.

ORDERS ARMY SCHOOL PROBE

Major Scott, Acting War Secretary Directs Investigation of Aviation Corps at San Diego.

Washington, Feb. 21.—An exhaustive investigation into every phase of the administration and conduct of the army aviation school at San Diego has been ordered by Hugh L. Scott, acting secretary of war.

To delve into the charges made by Senator Robinson of Arkansas, which were an aftermath of the court martial and sentence of Leutenant Colonel Goodier, judge advocate general of the Western department, General Scott appointed the inspector general, judge advocate general of the army and General Macomb, chief of the war college, as a board of investigation. "The instructions are to go into every phase and detail of the situation," General Scott said.

Tennessee War Plant Burned.

Bristol, Tenn., Va., Feb. 21.—A telephone message received here reported that the New Federal Dyestuffs & Chemical company plant at Kingsport, Tenn., 25 miles from here, had been destroyed by fire. Later reports do not bear out the first information, stating that only one building had been destroyed and that the fire was not of great consequence. The plant was erected recently and manufactured picric acid, a base for high explosives. The company is a Delaware corporation capitalized at $15,000,000.

U.S. NOT TO REQUEST GERMANS TO DELAY NEW U-BOAT ORDER

SITUATION SAID TO BE AS GRAVE AS AT ANY TIME SINCE THE LUSITANIA ISSUE AROSE.

LOSS OF AMERICAN LIFE MAY PRECIPITATE CRISIS

Failure of Teutons to Bring Lusitania Negotiations to Satisfactory Close Also May Cause Trouble—Submarine Decree Effective March 1.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The situation between Germany and the United States is said to be as grave at this time as at any time since the Lusitania issue arose.

This was the positive declaration at the state department and with the announcement Secretary Lansing did not deny the fact of strained personal relations between himself and Ambassador von Bernstorff.

Two things may precipitate a crisis, it was stated. One would be the loss of American life by the inauguration of Germany's proposed new submarine warfare March 1. The other, and this is regarded as the more significant—by the failure of Germany to bring the Lusitania negotiations to a satisfactory close. Inasmuch as the state department says closing these negotiations satisfactorily to the United States is impossible while the German decree remains in force, a serious situation is believed imminent. Only eight days remain until the decree is to become effective.

Will not Make Request.

Germany, through her ambassador, has intimated a willingness to again postpone the date, if requested, but the state department has said such a request will not be made by this government.

As for the relations between Lansing and Bernstorff, growing out of what the administration considers the latter's unfair publicity methods, little effort was made to conceal the facts. The ambassador was not in the city.

When Secretary Lansing was asked flatly whether he was still contemplating calling Ambassador von Bernstorff to account for his alleged dissemination of propaganda which the department regards as annoying, he evaded a direct answer. The Secretary waited a full two minutes before answering.

His face grew grave and he finally said:

"If I did contemplate such action I would not make it known beforehand through the press."

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AGREES ON NEW ARMY BILL.

Washington, Feb. 22.—A new army reorganization bill, federalizing the national guard, increasing the regular army to 134,000 men, doubling the field artillery, increasing the engineer corps by 15 companies, creating four squadrons of aircraft and an entirely new corps of cadets from colleges having military training was agreed upon tentatively by the house military committee.

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Great War Costs Forty Billions.

London, Feb. 22.—Premier H. H. Asquith has introduced in commons the government measure for new war credits of £420,000,000 (slightly more than $2,000,000,000). The credits, the prime minister said, will raise England's war expenditure to £1,700,000,000 or about $8,640,000,000. According to unofficial estimates all belligerents in the European war have spent since the beginning of hostilities about $40,000,000,000.

Former Treasurer's Trial Feb. 28.

St. Paul, Feb. 22.—Walter J. Smith and Robert C. Pickit, accused of complicity in mishandling of state trust funds, appeared for trial before judge F. N. Dickson in Ramsey county district court. Their cases were reset for Feb. 28, although a plea was made for delay by Thomas R. Kane, attorney for Smith, on the ground that his client is not in physical condition to stand the strain of a trial.

Asks Prompt Reply to Protest

Washington, Feb. 22.—Secretary Robert Lansing has asked the London foreign office for prompt replies to the American notes protesting against seizures of mails and against application of act referring to trading with the enemy against American firms and interests.

Arrests May Follow Spy's Escape.

New York, Feb. 22.—Agents of the department of justice here are investigating the circumstances attending the escape of Ignatius T. T. Lincoln, self-styled international spy, who has been recaptured after enjoying nearly a month's freedom. It is hinted that more arrests may result if found that Lincoln was willfully aided to make his escape or given shelter. Nothing definite has been discovered by the authorities to identify Lincoln with any of the unlawful activities of foreign agents in this country.

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She declares, and her associates, who are men, agree with her, that she gained her success through competition on equal grounds with her male opponents, and she has vanquished them in contests entirely by superior arguments, and not by falling back on the handicap which her sex might give her.—New York Times.

Claims Lye Is Not Injurious.

Prof. M. E. Jaffa of the California state board of health denies that, as is generally believed, lye-peeled peaches are more injurious to health than hand-peeled fruits. The food value, quality and flavor are unchanged, and it is impossible to distinguish one from the other except by the knife marks of the hand-peeled product, he says. Analyses show that the acidity of the fruit is not affected by the use of lye in the peeling process.

Gentler.

Mercy Harold! Where did you get that black eye?"

"Playing shinny, mother."

"How often must I tell you not to play those rough games? Why can't you play hockey, like the Jones boys next door?"

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THE EVIDENCE IN THE CASE

Results Following Settlement Show That Conditions in Western Canada Are Highly Satisfactory.

Until a few years ago Mr. Henry Lohmann lived at Effingham, Ill. He thought he would better his condition in a new country, where he would have wider scope for his farming operations. It would not seem essential to refer to Mr. Lohmann, at this particular time, as of German blood, but for the fact that so many false statements have gone out as to ill treatment of Germans in Canada.

Writing from Willmont, Sask., under date of January 30, 1916, Mr. Lohmann says:

"We are perfectly satisfied in this country, and doing well up here.

"I bought a half section of land and took up a homestead, my three sons also took homesteads, two of them buying each 160 acres of land as well. I sold my homestead, and I and one of my sons own a threshing outfit.

"The crop this year was good; the oats went 80 to 90 bushels per acre, and wheat went 40 to 50 bushels and the price is fair."

Sam Morrow, of Millet, Alta., in writing to Mr. J. M. MacLachlan, Canadian government agent at Watertown, S. D., says: "I am well pleased with the country. The climate is better than I ever thought it could be so far north; ideal climate for stock. I have some colts and cattle that have not been inside of a stable in four years. I consider this a fine country for mixed farming. I know of farmers around here who had 42 bushels of barley to the acre and 55 bushels of oats to the acre."

Jacob Goetz of Piapot, Sask., had 43 acres of wheat from which he got 1,200 bushels, and got an average of 93 bushels of oats to the acre.

Golden Prairie, Sask., is a district largely settled by South Dakotans. Horace Blake is one of those. He says: "The crops of 1915 were immense."

Wheat in his locality went from 40 to 55 bushels per acre; oats about 80 bushels on an average. One hundred bushels of potatoes were grown on a quarter of an acre of land; twelve potatoes weighed 30 pounds. His horses run out all winter, and come in fat. He raised excellent corn, and fattened hogs on it. He concludes an interesting letter by saying: "There are schools in every district. The people here are most all hustlers and are fast pushing to the front. When I first came up here on almost every half section stood a little 12x14 shack, now almost everyone has real modern houses and barns."

Some Southern Alberta yields for 1915:

I. H. Hooker, 82 acres, 3,820 bushels Marquis wheat No. 1, 64 pounds per bushel.

I. I. Lee, 40 acres stubble, 1,500 bushels, 40 acres summer fallow, 2,530 bushels.

Peter Brandon, 164 acres, 7,361 bushels Marquis wheat.

R. Marandi, 135 acres 6,920 bushels, 64 pounds per bushel.

I. McReynolds, 45 acres 1,675, stubble.

Ole Christofferson, 60 acres, 2,647 bushels.

Aruthus Gavett, 100 acres wheat, 6,012 bushels; 30 acres oats, 2,000 bushels.

Robert Mathews, 40 acres wheat 2,016 bushels, machine measure.

D. Dunbar, 130 acres, wheat, 5,925 bushels.

Ingauld Hoppy, 50 acres wheat, 2,800 bushels, all stubble.

Louis Kragt, 80 acres wheat 4,000 bushels.

W. J. Pate, 20 acres wheat 850 bushels.

W. Roeniche, 180 acres wheat, 5,337 bushels, 80 of this stubble.

J. C. McKinnon, 50 acres wheat, 2,536 bushels.

Gordon Swinehart, 30 acres wheat 1,140 bushels.

Albert Hanson, 85 acres wheat, 3,100 bushels.

Elmer Hamm, 110 acres wheat, 5,108 bushels; 90 acres oats, 6,550 bushels.

John Larson, 80 acres wheat, 3,000 bushels, 30 acres oats, 2,000 bushels.

John Hecklin, 37 acres, 1,484 bushels.

Wm. Hecklin, 100 acres 3,316, stubble and breaking.

O. Salisbury, 50 acres Marquis wheat, 1,600 bushels, on breaking.—Advertisement.

New Uniform for Cuba's Navy.

The general staff of the Cuban navy has appointed a committee to study designs for a new uniform for the officers and enlisted men of the navy. The present uniform, which is almost exactly like that used by the United States, is said to be too expensive for Cuba. New equipment will also be sought by the committee for the Cuban naval cadets.

Escaped Unshorn.

"[illegible] that you've been [illegible]. Had any luck?"

"Great: Came out exactly even."

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A North Dakota Case

Mrs. Herman Wolff, Langdon, N. D., says: "I was troubled with backache most of the time and was so lame and sore, I couldn't do my housework. I also had headaches and dizzy spells and the kidney secretions passed far too often. I noticed sediment in the secretions, too. After trying different medicines without benefit, I used Doan's Kidney Pills. They fixed me up all right."

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The dangerous tablet has had its day. Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne is a harmless, refreshing, fragrant preparation, marvelous in its action, relieving nervousness, sleeplessness, exhaustion and all head and nerve ailments by external use and inhaling. It is not a nerve food, but a nerve soother. By giving the nerves a rest they furnish their own food and tone, and all nerve pains disappear.

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The Test.

"How can I be sure you love my daughter for herself alone?"

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"Do you think that stimulants ever hurt me, doctor?"

"Not if you let them alone."

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What's Doing in Minnesota

Minneapolis.—Women of Minneapolis have enlisted in the city-wide campaign the Real Estate board has initiated to rid the city and its environs of mosquitoes.

Zumbrota.—William F. Bevers, 70 years old, dropped dead at his home here. He was born in Illinois and came to Minnesota in 1855. He was educated at Hamline university.

St. Paul. — The federal commissioner of fisheries has allotted Minnesota 25,000 land-locked salmon eggs and 200,000 lake trout eggs, according to Carlos Avery, game and fish commissioner.

Duluth. — Because his father and brother have enlisted in the Canadian forces, Alfred Cottrel, a 16-year-old boy, has been deported by the immigration officers here and will be sent back to Port Arthur to support his mother and sister.

New Ulm. — John C. Rudolph, former auditor of Brown county, is dead at the home of his daughter in Chicago. He was born in Prussia in 1828, and settled here in 1857. He took an active part in the defense of this city in the Sioux war.

Northfield. — This city has entertained the 20th annual meeting of the United Lutheran church. Seventy pastors from Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois, North and South Dakota attended and a representation of lay delegates also was present.

Ponsford.—A delegation from this place attended a meeting of the Detroit Commercial club at Detroit, to consider the building of an electric line from Detroit to Ponsford. Ponsford is about 40 miles from Detroit, the county seat, and the road would mean the development of a fine farming section.

Brainerd.—The Booster club of Brainerd has gone on record by a large vote as favoring a modification of the 1855 Indian treaty. State Senator George H. Gardner praised the work of Congressman B. M. Chipperfield of Illinois "for his efforts to maintain the rights of citizens of northern Minnesota."

Minneapolis.—With $75,898 secured in signed pledges and $24,112 underwritten by the 102 teams of solicitors, the $100,000 subscription fund campaign of Minnesota college has come to a formal close. A total of $100,033, pledged and guaranteed, was reported at the closing meeting of the 500 campaign workers.

Crookston.—The jury in the J. F. Verreaux arson case here, failed to agree and was discharged by Judge Watts. This may dispose of the bribery charges against several well-known citizens made by William Richards, star witness for the state, who testified that he had been paid $75 to change his testimony.

Worthington.—The display of corn and other seeds at the annual convention of the Minnesota Crop Improvement association here is excellent as to quantity and quality, notwithstanding that 1915 was a poor corn year. Exhibits from southern Minnesota are all high grade and scored higher than the exhibits from the central and northern parts of the state.

Minneapolis.—After being present on the University of Minnesota campus for almost a week, smallpox made itself known, Stafford King of the law school being the victim. The university is taking precautions to prevent the spread of the disease. E. B. Pierce, registrar, has published notices that every student who has been directly or indirectly exposed must be vaccinated.

Minneapolis, Minn.—The editors of Minnesota went into gridiron session, were panned variously, regaled with panegyric; urged to cast off modesty and delve a little in politics, and then they cheered loudly when Michael Dowling of Olivia lighted the fuse to a preparedness bomb. It was the big social session of the golden jubilee convention, staged in the roof garden of the Radisson hotel and graced gloriously by the presence of the editors.

Northfield.—A cow testing association is being organized by the Northfield Holstein club and Gaylord Hancock, agricultural instructor in the local high school. The decision to organize was made at a meeting of the Holstein club which was addressed by Professor W. A. McKerrow of the state agricultural college. The club also voted, following an address by Dr. S. H. Ward, state veterinarian, to have the dairy herds of the community tested for tuberculosis.

Duluth.—That John McAlpine, millionaire lumberman, committed suicide, was the decision of the jury which heard the suit of his widow to recover on an accident insurance policy of $28,000. The jury also returned a verdict in favor of the insurance company in addition to the special finding as to the manner in which Mr. McAlpine met his death. Suits for $89,000 were brought. This is the first time that a jury has given a definite answer as to how John McAlpine met his death.

Albert Lea.—The annual meeting of the patrons of the state creamery has been held here. One hundred and fifty heard the address by J. J. Farrel, state dairy and food commissioner. The annual report showed the creamery had produced 321,335 pounds of butter, which sold for $113,399.21.

St. Paul.—The annual reunion of the Reads Landing association of the Twin Cities will take place at the river spot August 26. The association was so decided at the eighth annual midwinter picnic held at the Midway commercial club quarters. All officers were re-elected.

STATE TO ADVANCE TWINE QUOTATIONS

CONTROL BOARD TO SET PRICES AT CONFERENCE SOON—SISAL COSTS MORE.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Minnesota farmers must pay from three to four cents more for their binder twine bought at the Stillwater prison this year than heretofore. R. W. Wheelock, of the State Board of Control, stated that prices for the raw material are advancing. The prices for this year's binder twine will be set about March 1 at a conference between the board and Warden C. S. Reed.

Raw sisal bought for the prison in December cost 6.86 cents and a consignment procured February 8 cost the board 7.36 cents a pound.

"While the prices of twine will be higher this year," said Mr. Wheelock, "it will not go above eleven cents a pound and will still be lower than the prices asked by competitors of the prison twine plant."

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Gives State 13,321 Acres.

To the vast domain which the Federal government gave to Minnesota in its infancy has just been added 13,321 acres of school lands, according to word received by Governor Burnquist from the general land office in Washington. The lands have just been patented to the state as indemnity for lands due to Minnesota, but for various reasons never obtained, and they are the first acres to be patented to the state in eight years.

The new state lands all are situated in St. Louis county, and the parcel is composed of all kinds of lands from timber to swamp lands.

J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, estimated that the lands, some of which are covered with valuable timber, are worth approximately $100,000, based on the price at which state lands are now selling.

The lieu lands were selected for the state by S. G. Iverson, former state auditor, in 1911, but it has taken five years for the work of patenting them to be handled through the routine of the general land office.

The lands originally alloted to Minnesota came to it through the act of Congress of February 26, 1857, which authorized Minnesota as a state and gave to the people of Minnesota sections 16 and 36 in each township which might thereafter be surveyed. These lands were given to the state as a necleus of the school fund.

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Sees Abundance of Seed Corn.

The seed corn situation in Minnesota is not so serious as predictions last fall held it would be at this time, according to A. C. Arny, agronomist at University farm. In fact, he says there is an abundance of seed corn, "such as it is," so far as seed supply goes. Minnesota's corn acreage the coming season should not be up to normal.

"There is plenty of good germinating corn in South Dakota to furnish Minnesota farmers with seed," Mr. Arny said, "in varieties that will mature here, though not of the kind that we'd like most to plant. Minnesota No. 13 and No. 23 varieties developed in this state and proved profitable, are a little more scarce, the situation as to them is rather acute, I should say."

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Bracken Called to Washington.

Dr. H. M. Bracken, secretary of the Minnesota board of health, has been called to Washington to give his views on the proposed establishment of a national asylum for lepers, before the senate committee on public health, of which Senator J. E. Ransdell of Louisiana is chairman. Dr. Bracken is considered an authority on leprosy having had more than 100 cases under his observation in Minnesota at various times.

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Would Sell Foreign Bonds.

The State Board of Investment held a meeting in the offices of Governor Burnquist to hear offers by brokers for all or a part of the $2,127,000 worth of foreign bonds owned by the state. The board is anxious to dispose of the bonds so that the money realized from them may be lent to Minnesota municipalities and school districts.

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Affiliation Plan Deferred.

The proposed agreement of affiliation between the University of Minnesota law school and the St. Paul School of Law has been laid aside by the executive committee of the board of regents of the university until a full attendance of the board at a later date.

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12 Bushel Yield Pays Cost.

Minnesota wheat growers must produce more than 12 bushels to the acre to make a profit, according to figures obtained at University farm as a result of study of five-year average of costs and returns on several farms. F. W. Peck, farm management specialist, says a yield of 12 bushels of wheat is necessary to pay the cost of cultivation, and that to pay such cost in growing corn, a 32 bushel yield is necessary; in oats 34 bushels, barley, 19 bushels, potatoes 46 bushels, hay, one ton to the acre.

A Woman's Problem

How to Feel Well During Middle Life Told by Three Women Who Learned from Experience.

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New Steamship Line Projected.

The congress of Ecuador has granted a concession for a steamship line between Guayaquil, Ecuador, and Philadelphia. The vessels of the company are to navigate under the Ecuadorian flag and at least one half of the employees are to be natives of Ecuador. It is stipulated that the steamships must begin running within one and one-half years after the signing of the contract.

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Cat, Eh?

"[illegible] is very proud of [illegible] voice!"

"Humph! Were her ancestors Maltese or Angoras?"—Puck.

For Pleasure Only.

"I suppose you bought your auto to save time?"

"No, to kill time."

New Arsenal for Greek Navy.

Much of the preliminary work has been done on the proposed new arsenal for the Greek navy, which is to replace the present arsenal at Salamis. The cost of the new establishment is estimated at $14,000,000. The work is being carried out under the direction of British engineers.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Bang!

[illegible]

His Mission.

[illegible] bought a new [illegible] for the parlor."

"Pop, is that for the [illegible]?"

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans. Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer. Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00. Adv.

Some Weight.

"[illegible] how much does [illegible] weigh?"

Greene—"You mean with the mortgage?"

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Thousands of women who are now blessed with robust health cannot understand why thousands of other women continue to worry and suffer from ailments peculiar to women when they can obtain for a trifling sum Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription which will surely and quickly banish all pain, distress and misery and restore the womanly functions to health.

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Send Dr. Pierce 10c for large trial package. Full treatment 50c. All druggists.

Local Items

Hay for sale cheap. Enquire of G. P. Sorter.

The creamery ice house is being filled this week.

Elmer Sollom was a caller at T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Ben Hoff visited at Strathcona the first part of the week.

Ole Hagglund went to Spooner on business last Saturday.

Frank Coppay went to Ederlin, N. D. yesterday for an extended visit.

Mesdames Adolph Sollom and B. L. Backe went to Thief River Falls Saturay.

Miss Lucy Wegge returned Monday from a short visit with friends in St. Hilaire.

Miss Clara and Ida Bennes of Fertile Minn. came Monday to visit their brother Albert Bennes and family.

Misses Gunhild and Olava Sollom spent a few days at home the past week, returning to school duties Tuesday.

A force of carpenters commenced work on Knutson's buther shop Saturday and now have the building nearly enclosed.

E. Heeland is on duty at the depot for a few days, E. Harloff being obliged to give up work temporarily on account of sore eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Von Wold and little son came Tuesday to visit at the J. B. Alkenbrack home, also in Mud Lake for a few days.

John Olberg came from Middle River Saturday, to visit at the home of his daughter Mrs. S. S. Kolden and see about buying up a carload of cattle.

W. Indrilee, of Rushford, Minn. purchased this week of the Farmers State bank a 160 acre farm east of town for $4000.00 We understand that Mr. Indrilee expects to move here about April first.

C. L. Sanberg went to Thief River Falls, Saturday, to pack his household goods and expects to move his family here into their new home, next week. Sam Johnson of T. R. Falls is temporarily employed at the lumber yard.

E. A. Johnson has purchased lots of Mrs. T. Sollom near the cemetery and we understand he will locate here in the near future. He has also purchased 3 acres lying parallel to the railroad and east of Mrs. Sollom's from B. L. Backe, for a pasture.

Auction bills printed at this office.

Steiner News.

August Piedl and sistes attended church last Sunday.

Mr. Hasby and mother left for Shelly Minn. the first part of the week.

Carl Stiener drove to Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Werner and little daughter, visited at Mr. Werner's parents home Sunday.

Inga Saugen made a trip to Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Henry Rogers was a business called at T. R. Falls one day last week.

Miss Ella Meyer took the afternoon train for Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Hay for sale cheap. Enquire of G. P. Sorter.

Albert Bennes is busy putting up his summer supply of ice.

Arvid Carlson was over from Newfolden Friday on business.

John Stanley went to Thief River Falls Monday for a few days visit.

B. L. Backe was a business caller in Red Lake Falls, the first of the week.

C. H. Gunheim took his brother who has been seriously sick for sometime, to the hospital at Warren Monday for treatment.

Young men and women from 18 counties and five states attended the Crookston Agricultural School during the term just closed before the holidays, still there is room for more of them there.

Chris Rustad received the sad news Saturday of the death of his sister the same morning at her home in Mayville, N. D. The deceased whose name is Mrs. H. P. Engh has been a widow for about ten years and leaves four children, the youngest being about 14 years old, and the eldest about 25 years old. Mrs. Engh had never been very robust but it was not known that she had been in poor health and her death came as a great shock to the relatives.

Hawk's Wonderful Sight.

A hawk can spy a lark upon earth almost exactly the same color at 20 times the distance at which it is perceptible to a man or dog.

The Honor of the Boy Scout.

The most important scout virtue is that of honor. Indeed, that is the basis of all scout virtues and is closely allied to that of self-respect. When a scout promises to do a thing on his honor, he is bound to do it. The honor of a scout will not permit of anything but the highest and the best and the manliest. The honor of a scout is a sacred thing, and cannot be lightly set aside or trampled on.—From the Boy Scout Handbook.

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Successor to and Continuation of
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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Ole Backlund went to Randen Minn. Friday.

Rhinehart Reierson was a passenger for T. R. F. Monday.

J. Marty was a business caller at T. R. Falls Tuesday.

The election for village officers will be held March 14th.

Adolph Sollom went to Thief River Falls, Monday on business.

Personal property taxes are now due and must be paid before March 1st.

Bill Anderson visited a few days in St. Hilaire the past week, returning here Monday.

A carload of coal has been received this week and unloaded for the Holt public school.

New set of library book just received by the Holt State Bank. Come in and get one.

The state banking department has recently placed with the Farmer's State Bank a deposit of $2500.

Business is increasing at the Holt creamery. The farmers need more winter cows. There is more time to care for them during the winter months, then too butter prices are always better during that time.

Those who were pleasantly entertained at the D. Payne's home Sunday afternoon and evening were Mr. and Mrs. Bjerk, Mr. and Mrs. C. Heinze and family, Miss Lawson A. R. Jones Emil Prushek and P. L. Anderson.

Horses have been killed by the thousands in the war and a large part of the supply came from this country. There is sure to be a good demand for horses for several years and it is well that the farmers make preparations to meet these demands.

The Stars and Strips were afloat over the post office on Lincoln's and Washington's birthday and while other national flags are being bathed in blood and battle stained with shot and shell, Ours still floats over a peace loving and tranquil people.

Legal Notices.

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

District Court.
14th Judicial District.

Edward P. Monson .... Plaintiff.
vs.
John Gilbert and Torkel O. Ose also known as Torkel O. Danielson....
.... Defendants.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, to the above named defendants:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint is filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the City of Warren, Marshall County, Minnesota, within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for relief demanded in said complaint.

Dated December 30, 1915.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Warren, Minnesota.

State of Minnesota, } ss District Court.
County of Marshall. } 14 Judicial District.

Edward P. Monson .... Plaintiff
vs.
John Gilbert and Torkel O. Ose also known as Torkel O. Danielson ......
.... Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendants the object of which is to obtain a judgement that said plaintiff is the owner in fee of the following described real property and that the said defendants and each of them have no estate or interest or lien thereon.

The premises affected by said action are situated in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows:

The Northeast quarter (NE1-4) of Section twenty four (24) in Township one hundred fifty eight (158) North of Range forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

Dated December 30th 1915.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Warren, Minnesota.

Farm For Rent.

The E1-2NE1-4—29, and E1-2SE 1-4—20—156—43, the Fred Johnson farm. Enquire at
Holt State Bank.
Also other farms.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.05
Wheat No. 2	1.01
Wheat No. 3	.95
Wheat No. 4	.88
Flax	2.13
Oats	34
Barley	44 to .49
Rye	.79
Flour, Best Patent	3.65

NOTICE!

On March 1st. at 10 o'clock A. M. sharp I will sell at public sale on my farm 1 1-2 miles southwest of Gatzke and 80 rods from Rollis store all of my personal property consisting of 7 good farm mares and horses, 1 poled angus bull, 7 first class milch cows, young stock, complete line of new farm machinery, all household goods, farm tools, etc..

Han Lewis, Rollis, P O., Minn.

Same Old Woman.

Romance will never die. Anything that is called practical love making is nothing more than plain bargaining.—Toledo Daily Blade.

Fast on the Wing.

Homing pigeons in calm weather can travel at a speed of 1,230 yards a minute. With a brisk wind prevailing and blowing in the direction of its flight a pigeon has been known to make 1,900 yards a minute.

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Auto Livery Right Prices
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Always Furnishes Reliable Service
Leave Orders at Hotel - - - HOLT, MINN.

Bring Us Your
Job Printing!
Live and Let Live Prices.

Why can't Holt have a farmer's club and hold an institute?

Secy., of War, Garrison and his Asst. Secy. Henry Breckenridge have resigned from the Cabinet because of differences of opinion with President Wilson about a continental army which the Secy. wished to force upon Congress.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Feb. 9th, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Isaac Ostlund, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on Sept. 22, 1910, made Homestead Entry No. 05556, for W1-2 of the SW1-4 Sec. 21, Township 156 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver of U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minn., on the 22nd day of March, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Peter Ostlund, Emil W. Ostlund, George E. Olson and Jacob Moland all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Jan. 22, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Charles McLean of Holt, Minn. who on Dec. 7, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 08614, for NE1-4 SE1-4 Sec. 17, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 28th day of Feb. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
John Engstrom, Gunder P. Sorter, John Hanson and Henry Erickson all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Feb. 5, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Adolf Larson of Holt, Minn. who on July 20, 1910, made Homestead Entry No. 05466, for E1-2SW 1-4 and W1-2SE1-4 Sec. 10, Twp. 155 N. Range 42 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 13th, day of March, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Carl Gutterud and Lars Ose both of Thief River Falls, Minn., R. F. D. No. 2, also Axel Nelson and Sam Mickelson both of Holt, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage, containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and which default consists in mortgagors failure to pay the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, which is now past due, and which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, (a corporation) mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of October, 1913, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshal County, Minnesota, on the 24th day of October, 1913, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages on page 336.

That the amount claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage at this time is the sum of seven hundred eighty-five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars.

And whereas, no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage, or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The West half of the Northeast quarter (W1-2 NE1-4) and the East half of the Northwest quarter (E1-2 NW1-4) of Section thirty three (33) in Township one hundred fifty six (156) North of Range forty two (42), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing one hundred sixty acres (160), more or less according to the Government Survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 28th day of February, 1916, at eleven o'clock A. M., of that day at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of seven hundred eighty five and 95-100 ($785.95) Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty ($50.00) Dollars, attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 10, 1916.
Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

A Saving of $1.00 to $2.00. Read!
The Holt Weekly News for one year and Your Choice of these clubs one year for $1.25.

BOYS' MAGAZINE
OCT. 1915
FARM-HOME
WOMAN'S WORLD
THE PEOPLE'S POPULAR MONTHLY
Kimball's Dairy Farmer

Club A
WOMAN'S WORLD - (Monthly)
THE GENTLEWOMAN (Monthly)
POULTRY POST - (Monthly)
AMERICAN FARMING (Monthly)

Club B
PEOPLE'S POPULAR MONTHLY
HOME LIFE - - (Monthly)
POWER FARMING - (Monthly)
FARM AND HOME - (Semi-M)

Club C
KIMBALL'S Dairy Farmer (Semi-M)
FARM AND HOME (Semi-M)
HOME LIFE - (Monthly)
THE HOUSEHOLD - (Monthly)

Club D
BOY'S MAGAZINE - (Monthly)
HOME LIFE - - (Monthly)
MO. VALLEY FARMER (Monthly)

Club E
WOMAN'S NATIONAL WEEKLY
PEOPLE'S POPULAR MONTHLY
HOME LIFE - - (Monthly)

Club F
NEWS ABOUT FOODS [illegible]
PEOPLE'S POPULAR MONTHLY
HOME LIFE

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PAY BY CHECK

MARCH, The GATEWAY

March, 1916 open the gates to another season of farm operation.

May it be a season of good growing condition, diligent and intelligent labor, bounteous crops,-- for every farmer in this community.

Farming and banking are so closely related that it is scarcely necessary to explain our interests in seeing our farmers prosper. Each are important to the welfare of this commonwealth and we are ready at all times to assume our part in advancing the best business and financial interest of those we serve.

This bank is here to serve YOU.

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We Buy All Kinds of Grain
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Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the friends who assisted us in any way at the time of the death of our beloved husband and father. Also we wish to thank the Ladies Aid for the beautiful floral tributes.

Mrs. Knute Olson Trajord,
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson.

Joe and Bentley Nelson have been packing ice this week for A. H. Huseth.

For Sale or Trade

A 1910 Hudson Touring Car only $200.00.

A complete Threshing outfit Separator, steam engine, tank, etc.

Inquire at Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

Local Items

Mrs. Mason is on the sick list.

Village caucus to-morrow evening.

Hay for sale cheap. Enquire of G. P. Sorter.

Miss Hilma Nyberg went to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Rev. Ordahl went to Crookston, Monday, to attend a convention.

Sheriff Hanson was in Holt on official business last Friday.

Miss Hulda Johnson was a passenger for Thief River Falls, Saturday.

H. Pavek came from Overly N. D. Saturday for a few days visit.

Emil Simenson returned Wednesday from visiting his people in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Nygaard are the proud parents of twins, born last Sunday.

Fridjof Riesberg returned to T. R. Falls Monday after a few days visit at home.

The date of A. S. Bernstein's sale has been changed to Thursday March 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson attended the Ladies Aid here last week Thursday.

B. L. Backe and Adolph Sollom visited their families in Theif River Falls, over Sunday.

Miss Clara Sollom went to Newfolden Saturday to visit her sister Mrs. Arvid Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newton entertained a company of friends at supper Sunday evening.

Rhode Island Red cockerels for sale. Carl Christoferson.

John Olberg and S. S. Kolden went to South St. Paul Saturday, with a car of cattle and hogs.

Another cold wave struck this country Monday night,- just to remind us that spring is'nt due yet.

The invoice of the Payne lumber yard has been completed and the business turned over to the new firm.

P. L. Anderson, A. L. Carlson, Emil Prushek and Clarence Docken were entertained Sunday at the L. Wegge home.

A basket Social and dance will be given at the Woodman Hall at Holt, March 10th. Everybody come. Good time assured.

Mrs. Alex Strom and children and Miss Lydia Riesberg came from Thief River Falls, Saturday to visit at the Riesberg home.

Mrs. Adolph of Thief River Falls visited a few days the past week at the homes of Fred Steinhauer and Carl Christoferson.

The butcher shop is about completed and ready for occupancy. It is a dandy little shop and quite an improvement to the town.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen visited last Sunday with her father Hans H. Dybedal, who has been quite sick for some time.

The Tullar Farm has several good registered, Draft Stallions, from one to eight years old, for sale at very reasonable prices. Write to C. A. Tullar, Warren, Minn. 47

The following officers of the Free Mission church were elected at the annual meeting, last week Thursday: Chairman, M. T. Strom; Treas., Nels Engebretsen; Secy., T. B. Folden; Trustee, Ole Reierson.

Mesdames P. O. Reierson and T. T. Sollom went to Grand Forks, Monday to visit the former's brother, S. T. Sollom of Canada, who went to Grand Forks for an operation and is now in a hospital there.

Just as we go to press news comes that Mrs. Mason, who had the pneumonia, died last night.

Death of Ralph Gunheim.

Ralph Gunheim died at the Warren hospital last Sunday after weeks of untold suffering with cancer of the stomach. The deceased was a single man 52 years old and was engaged in farming. His brother, C. H. Gunheim went to Warren Monday, and brought the remains here for burial in the Sandridge cemetery.

The funeral will be held in the Synod church at 2 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. Ordahl officiating.

Sympathy is extended to those who are called to mourn his death.

In Church Circles.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl will preach in the Holt Synod church next Sunday March 5th. at 10:45 A. M.

The English Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. All children welcome.

The Dorcas Society will meet with Mrs. Alfred Anderson next Saturday afternoon March 4th.

The "Resurrection" will be the subject of Rev. Parish's sermon on next Monday evening March 6th.

Rev. A. L. Larson will preach here next Sunday March 5th. at 11 o'cock A. M. also hold confirmation and communion. The same evening Rev. Larson will preach in English.

A farmers short course will be held in Warren, March 8th. to 14th.

The fifty-eighth annual convention of the Minnesota Sunday School Association will be held in Austin, April 26 to 30th.

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	3,500

President, D. B. Bakke
V. President, A. D. Stephens
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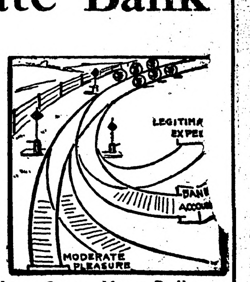

Here Come Your Dollars
Down The Track!

Be careful how you switch them
Use good judgement, a little tact.
And then you will not ditch them
Switch some here shunt some there
Soon they'll all be stowed away
And by the exercise of a little care
ou will have some saved

For The Rainy Day

MAKE
A BANK ACCOUNT
WITH US
THE
STEPPING STONE
TO
SUCCESS
PROSPERITY
THRIFT
BANK ACCOUNT

EVEN ONE DOLLAR WILL BE ACCEPTED HERE AS A FIRST DEPOSIT......

PUBLIC SALE

Having decided to quit farming I will sell at Public Auction, in Section 13, Holt Township, 6 1-2 miles north east of Holt, 7 miles south of Middle River, 1-2 mile west of Sorter's school house, on March 7th

TUES. MAR. 7

Sale Commences at 11 o'clock A. M. Hot Lunch at Noon

Horses, Cattle, Chicks

Black horse 10 years old weight 1450
Black horse 11 years old weight 1400
Gray mare 8 yrs. old, heavy with foal, wt. 1560
Gray mare 8 yrs. old, heavy with foal, wt. 1500
Gray horse 8 years old weight 1100
Bay horse 8 years old, wt. 1100
Bay horse 14 years old wt. 1000
Bay Stallion 8 yrs. old wt. 1400
Colt 11 mts old 4 Turkeys Hive Bees
Cow and calf, was fresh Dec. 24, 1915
" " " " " Jan. 14, '16
" " " " " Feb 8
2 Cows & calves " " 11
Cow fresh in April 4 yearling heifers
3 yr old heifer fresh in July
Yearling Bull 70 Chickens

Also articles too numerous to mention

Farm Machinery, Etc.

4 horse Van-Brunt single disc drill with grass seeding attachment
John Deere 16 Disc Harrow
4 horse Harrow John Deere Gang plow
Set Breaker Bottoms for John Deere Gang
Deering Mower, 5 foot cut, almost new
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Minnesota Binder, nearly new
Wagon and Triple grain box
Wagon and Hay Rack
Single Buggy Bob sleigh with hay rack
2 Pumps, nearly new Steel water tank
U. S. Cream Seperator No. 6

Household Goods

Range, 6 griddles Heating stove Organ
Kitchen cupboard 2 Rockers Extension table
3 section Book case Leather Couch
3 Iron Beds Chiffonier Sewing machine
Phonograph with [illegible] Records

TERMS: Sums of $10.00 or less Cash. Over $10.00 time will be given until Nov. 1, 1916, on bankable notes bearing 10 per cent interest

E. O. Hagglund, Owner

Ole Brenna, Auct. Holt State Bank, Clerk.

WOMAN HAD NERVOUS TROUBLE

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her.

West Danby, N. Y.—"I have had nervous trouble all my life until I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for nerves and for female troubles and it straightened me out in good shape. I work nearly all the time, as we live on a farm and I have four girls. I do all my sewing and other work with their help, so it shows that I stand it real well. I took the Compound when my ten year old daughter came and it helped me a lot. I have also had my oldest girl take it and it did her lots of good. I keep it in the house all the time and recommend it."—Mrs. DEWITT SINCEBAUGH, West Danby, N. Y.

Sleeplessness, nervousness, irritability, backache, headaches, dragging sensations, all point to female derangements which may be overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from native roots and herbs, has for forty years proved to be a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism. Women everywhere bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Hatching a Controversy.

"During a lull in the conversation it's not a bad idea to put a new record on the phonograph."

"Yes?"

"For instance, if you can get two music lovers to discussing the respective merits of Caruso and John McCormack, the chances are they won't stop talking till it's time to go home."

Not Gray Hairs but Tired Eyes make us look older than we are. Keep your Eyes young and you will look young. After the Movies Murine Your Eyes. Don't tell your age. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

Anatomically Speaking.

It was at a social gathering in a mountain settlement of Tennessee and the schoolteacher was there and wanted to show off her learning to the company. She selected a long lank, red necked young fellow for her target and lit in:

"Do you say 'leg' or 'limb?'" she wanted to know.

"Mostly, marm, I say shank," said good old Tennessee.—Nashville Banner.

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When suffering from pimples, blackheads, redness or roughness, smear the skin with Cuticura Ointment Then wash off with Cuticura Soap and hot water. These super-creamy emollients do much for the skin because they prevent pore clogging.

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A pretty girl finds nothing but pleasant reflections in her mirror.

Achy Joints Give Warning

A creaky joint often predicts rain. It may also mean that the kidneys are not filtering the poisonous uric acid from the blood. Bad backs, rheumatic pains, sore, aching joints, headaches, dizziness and urinary disorders are all effects of weak kidneys and if nothing is done, there's danger of more serious trouble. Use *Doan's Kidney Pills*, the best recommended kidney remedy.

A Montana Case

H. H. Baker, 208 Broadwater Ave., Billings, Mont., says: "My kidneys were badly disordered and the kidney secretions were profuse and painful in passage, also filled with a sandy substance. I had dull, heavy pains in the small of my back that kept me in agony. I tried many different medicines, but without success until I took Doan's Kidney Pills. They acted like magic and restored me to good health."

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FRENCH FORTRESS DEFENDING VERDUN TAKEN BY TEUTONS

DOUAUMONT STORMED AND CAPTURED AFTER VIOLENT BOMBARDMENT BY GREAT GERMAN CANNON.

COLLAPSE OF FRENCH RIGHT WING IS FEARED

Troops on "Pepper Heights" Believed Falling Back Upon Remaining Forts—Defenders Retire to Within Four Miles of City—Kaiser Witnesses Triumph.

Berlin, Feb. 28, via London.—The French forces in the Champagne have made an attack on the German positions south of St. Marie-a-Py. The war office statement says the French penetrated the first German trenches over a distance of about 250 yards.

London, Feb. 28.—The great French fortress of Verdun, considered impregnable, is now seriously threatened by the greatest German drive on the western front since the march on Paris.

The Kaiser was a witness to the capture of Douaumont, the Berlin office announced. The steel clad fort Douaumont, keystone of the fortifications on the northeast, and but four miles from Verdun, has been stormed and captured by German troops, according to an official statement issued at Berlin. Brandenburgers entered the works of Douaumont.

French Statement Vague.

The statement from the French war office did not confirm the German report, but indicated that the French have been compelled to take up new positions. The vagueness of the French official statement in view of the German claims of a great victory aroused feelings of uneasiness here.

Paris reported the battle raging with new fury on both wings but made no definite statement of the outcome of the bloody struggle on "Pepper Heights," four and one-half miles from Verdun itself, where the French war office declared the French were under heavy attack.

French Positions Taken.

French positions southwest and east of Louvemont, have been captured, said a later official statement from the German war office, which admitted, however, that reports of the capture of the village of Champ Neuville were incorrect.

This Berlin statement indicated that while the French right is giving way the left, resting along the Meuse heights, is maintaining its position, despite terrific onslaughts.

Fort Douaumont was the key to a strongly fortified line of defenses forming the last line of French defenses extending outside the forts on the north and the northeast. It si considered probable here that its capture has been followed by the collapse of the French right wing which 's believed to be falling back upon the remaining forts of Verdun. The French positions on the "Pepper Heights" and just east of the Meuse are believed to be threatened by the capture of Douaumont, if they have not already fallen.

SLAVS TAKE PERSIAN CITY

Russian Forces Capture Kermanshah After Three Days' Battle—En Route to Aid British.

Rome, Feb. 28.—The report that Durazzo, an Albanian port on the Adriatic sea, had been evacuated by the Italian troops stationed there is confirmed.

Petrograd, Feb. 28.—The important Persian city of Kermanshah has been captured by the Russians after a three days' battle, according to dispatches received here.

The movement of the Russians from Hamadan southwestward to Kermanshah brings them now to within 150 miles of Kut-el-Amara, on the Tigris, where General Townshend's British force, which was ascending the river for the conquest of Bagdad, is besieged by the Turks.

An official dispatch from Teheran, said that after a series of battles in the mountain passes, as a result of which the Russians captured a considerable quantity of booty, the Turks, who had been aided by Germans, had retreated toward Kermanshah. Kermanshah is 280 miles southwest of Teheran and has a population of about 30,000. The routes from Bagdad, Shuster, Ispahan, by way of Hamadan and Suleimaniyah meet there and make the city an important center of traffic.

Austrian Reply on "Petrolite."

Washington, Feb. 28.—Austria, supplementing her request for more information concerning the protest against the submarine attack on the Petrolite in the Mediterranean, has informed the United States that her version of the affair is that the submarine commander thought the Petrolite was an enemy ship disguised under the American flag, that he fired upon her as the ship changed her course and he believed she was about to ram him and that the Petrolite's captain voluntarily furnished food.

SYRUP OF FIGS FOR A CHILD'S BOWELS

It is cruel to force nauseating, harsh physic into a sick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

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If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Adv.

Its Worth.

"What do I get for this stunt?" asked the haughty amateur.

"You get nothing from me for it as a manager," replied that individual, "but if I were a magistrate as well you'd get sixty days."

Throw Off Colds and Prevent Grip. When you feel a cold coming on, take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It removes cause of Colds and Grip. Only One "BROMO QUININE." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c.

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Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne now heads the list as a successful remedy for the relief of headache, nervousness, insomnia, car sickness, etc.

The dangerous tablet has had its day. Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne is a harmless, refreshing, fragrant preparation, marvelous in its action, relieving nervousness, sleeplessness, exhaustion and all head and nerve ailments by external use and inhaling. It is not a nerve food, but a nerve soother. By giving the nerves a rest they furnish their own food and tone, and all nerve pains disappear.

For children's colds and catarrh it is just the remedy, harmless and efficient and so pleasant to use. For men a pleasant remedy to relieve and clear the head "the morning after the night before." This is not an expensive preparations at 50 cents a bottle, because it brings the relief. It has many imitators at less price, but if they do not bring the desired results they are not cheap at any price.

Get Hoyt's and you will be satisfied. For sale at all drug stores.

Most men care less for the trump of fame than for the trump that scoops the pot.

Bluff doesn't go as far with us as it used to.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00.—Adv.

Uncle Sam made $2,000,000 last year from the sale of wood from the government forests.

MEAT CLOGS KIDNEYS THEN YOUR BACK HURTS

Take a Glass of Salts to Flush Kidneys If Bladder Bothers You—Drink Lots of Water.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys, they become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Adv.

In states where beauty is taxable no woman ever tries to dodge the assessor.

A political whitewash brush covers a multitude of freckled reputations.

GERMANS' LOSS IN FOUR DAY BATTLE AT VERDUN 150,000

ALLIES' WAR LORD RUSHES TO VERDUN TO OPPOSE KAISER'S ARMIES—TEUTONS CAPTURE FIVE TOWNS

FRENCH LINE CRUMPLED BACK IS BERLIN REPORT

Wings and Center Retire to Within Six Miles of Fortress, German War Office Claims—Both Sides Suffer Enormous Losses—Teutons Capture Supplies.

Paris, Feb. 28.—The fighting in the region of Verdun continues unabated, according to the French official communication. Several infantry attacks launched by the Germans with huge effectives have been repulsed. The artillery duels are going on with great intensity east of the Meuse despite a heavy snow fall.

Paris, Feb. 26.—The German losses during the first four days of the battle around Verdun are authoritatively estimated at 150,000.

The German offensive is recognized now as probably only the beginning of a determined effort to take the fortress, formerly the key to the French front, and compares in violence and losses to the battle of the Yser. The French assume that the battle may continue a fortnight.

Smash Way Forward.

London, Feb. 26.—By a battering assault, the Germans have smashed their way forward on a eight-mile front, capturing six villages and farms north of Verdun and taking thousands of prisoners, Berlin reports. Not only the French wings, but the French center has been hurled back to within six miles of Verdun, the German war office reports. The crown prince has stormed and taken the heights of Champ Neuville, barely five miles from Verdun in the bend of the Meuse river.

Germans Take More Towns.

The Germans claim the capture of Champ Neuville, Cotellette, Marmont, Beaumont, Chambrettes and Ornes, villages and groups of farms extending in a line east from the Meuse and less than two miles from Verdun's forts.

The French center, Berlin reported, has been broken and hurled back upon Louvemont, as the wings crumpled under terrible German attack.

The official statement from the French war office, while claiming that the German Verdun offensive is being halted, virtually admits the capture of Champ Neuville, Beaumont, Ornes and the villages and farms between them.

Teutons Capture Supplies.

Berlin also reported the capture of immense quantities of supplies, the exact amount having not yet been compiled.

The two war lords of Europe are now directing the operations in the great battle for Verdun. Paris dispatches reported that General Joffre has arrived at the French front and is personally directing the defense of the fortress. The news has created great enthusiasm in Paris.

Kaiser Directs Blows.

Across the battle front the kaiser surrounded by his ablest staff officers and the crown prince, are planning the blows being struck in the greatest German offensive since the defeat at the Marne.

CALLS TRIP LANDMARK OF WAR

London Publication Says House Was Specially Privileged Observer of Conflict in Europe.

London, Feb. 26.—"A landmark of the war" is "The Nation's" editorial characterization of the visit of Col. E. M. House, President Wilson's personal representative to Europe.

"No one," the publication says, "had anything like his chance for valuing the general factors which will decide the fate of Europe now dreadfully in the balance. Neither side knows what the other side thinks.

"It is well, therefore, for the world to have at least one carrier of ideas and intelligence. As eyes and ears for President Wilson, he must have been a specially privileged observer of the conflict."

Former Rail Official Dies.

New York, Feb. 26.—Isaac E. Gates, at one time vice president of the Southern Pacific railroad and executor of the estate of Collis P. Huntington, his brother-in-law, is dead.

Albanian Dictator Flees.

Rome, Feb. 26.—Essad Pasha, dictator of Albania, has abandoned his country before the Austro-Bulgar advance. Dispatches from Bridisi reported his arrival in Italy. Essad Pasha is the last of the Balkan rulers who took up arms against the Austro-Germans forced to flee from his native country. First King Peter of Serbia, and later King Nicholas of Montenegro fled to Italy. Essad Pasha became provisional president and dictator of Albania shortly after the prince of Wied abdicated the throne.

WAITING FOR THE END OF THE WAR

"Then Take Advantage of the Opportunities in Canada."

(Contributed by W. J. White, of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, Canada.)

I strolled into a bank in one of the cities of the west a short time ago and the bank manager said "after the war, the Canadians should be prepared for a great influx of people. The crops that the western Canadian farms have produced in 1915, and the wealth that the farmers have had thrust upon them by the high price of grain, will make farm lands valuable and farming remunerative. After the war is over there will be thousands go to Canada to engage in agriculture and many other industries that will certainly prove profitable. Conditions will be wonderfully good. The advertising that Canada has had during the last year or two by its magnificent contribution of over 250,000 men to fight for the Empire, the wonderful sums it has given to the Red Cross and Patriotic funds, the excellent showing it made in subscribing over double when only 50 millions of dollars was asked as a war loan, the bravery, courage and hardihood of the soldiers who have fought the battles in Flanders, it is just wonderful," and my enthusiastic banker grew eloquent One might have thought he was a subsidized booster for Canada. "But," he said "they won't go until after the war."

"Well, now, Mr. ——, why wait until after the war? If all you say be true, and you have said nothing yet of the wonderful bank clearings of Canada today, nothing of the fact that the immense grain crop of Western Canada this year has given to every man, woman and child in that country, over three hundred dollars per head, why wait until after the war? After the war, under such conditions as you have pictured (and which are real) land values will go up, prices will increase. Advantage should be taken of the low prices at which these agricultural lands can be had today. They have not increased any as yet, and excellent farm lands can be had close to railways in old settlements, in excellent communities for from fifteen to thirty dollars per acre. The climate is good and will be no better after the war."

"What about conscription, though? Is there not a danger from conscription, and should I advise any to go there now, would they not have to face it? Then too, there is the report that there is a heavy war tax on lands."

I was surprised to learn that these old yarns, stories that I thought had been exploded long ago, were still doing duty in many parts of the United States, and that a gentleman of the wide learning of my friend, was inclined to believe them

"Conscription!" I said. "With Canada contributing 250,000 men voluntarily enlisted, why conscription? There is no conscription in Canada, and neither will there be It is not needed. In any case no legislation could be passed by the Dominion Parliament which would impose military service upon people who are not citizens of Canada, either by birth or naturalization. Settlers from the United States could not become naturalized British subjects until they had resided in Canada continuously for three years." I quoted from official documents

"In the first few months of the war I clearly stated that there would not be conscription in Canada I repeat that statement today"

"And then as to taxes," I continued quoting again from official authority "All taxes levied by the Federal Government take the indirect form of customs excise and inland revenue duties. It is untrue that farmers are paying direct war-tax levies and no intending settler need hesitate to come to Canada on this account

"Official denials should convince you that all apprehensions which have been making some would-be settlers from the United States hesitate to make a change while the war lasts are without foundation With these misunderstandings cleared up the present war conditions even become an added inducement to settlement in any part of the provinces of western Canada, inasmuch as war prices and keen demands for all manner of farm products afford the farmer a special opportunity to make money"

I was glad of the chance and pleased to have him state that his views had altogether changed

I could have continued, and told him of the fortunes that had been made in the season of 1915, out of farming, wheat growing, oat growing, barley growing, cattle raising, dairying and mixed farming I could have told him of an Ottawa (Canada) syndicate that had a yield of 130 bushels of oats per acre from their farm at Wainwright and from 60 acres of wheat field they threshed over 60 bushels per acre. These yields while phenomenal were repeated in many portions of western Canada It was interesting to inform him that the average yield of spring wheat in Saskatchewan was 25.16 bushels per acre, Manitoba 26.3 bushels; in Alberta, 36.16 bushels and over the three provinces there was a total average of over 30 bushels per acre

The immense crop that has just been harvested has put millions of dollars in the hands of the farmers, and the work of distribution through the regular channels of trade has already begun. Millions of bushels of grain are still in the hands of the farmers, which means that there is a vast store of realizable wealth that will be steadily going into circulation, benefitting the thousands who are dependent indirectly on the basic industry of the province for their livelihood.

"The mock prosperity that rested on the insecure foundation of inflated real estate values has passed away, and in its place the corner stone of the country's sound financial future is being built.

"The trust and mortgage companies, the large implement concerns and the wholesale merchants all tell the same story today of marked improvement in their business. The farmers and others are meeting their just dues and paying off debts that in many cases have been long overdue. Collections are better today than they have been since the most prosperous days of our history, and obligations are being met freely and promptly.

"Now," I said, "why should they wait until the war is over?"

And he agreed with me.—Advertisement.

Hostilities Brewing.

"That broker's wife looked very black at him when she told him to get ready to come home."

"Yes; looked rather like her preparing to place some war orders."

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

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"How do you manage to get so many joy rides?"

"Oh, I practice auto suggestion."

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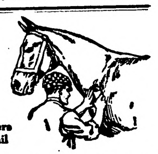

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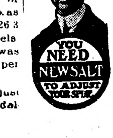

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Millions of housewives know this is the truth—they realize the cost of a single bake-day failure. That's why they stick to Calumet.

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No Hope for Him.

Fair Visitor—What is this poor man in jail for?

Jailer—For wife murder, ma'am.

Fair Visitor—Oh, what a pity! But isn't he sweet, though!

Jailer—Yes, ma'am. The judge says he is too sweet to live.

A man never knows how much he really loves an heiress until she turns him down.

Somehow an old man on a motor cycle looks out of place.

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What's Doing in Minnesota

Tracy.—A claim for $10,000 has been filed against the German government by a local firm, for the death of Mr. and Mrs. Hanus, who went down with the Lusitania.

Rochester.—Arthur C. Gooding, newly appointed state treasurer, was the honor guest at a banquet given at the Zumbro hotel, at which 150 business men of the city were present.

Red Wing.—Frank Decker, 80 years old, who lived the life of a hermit at Central Point near Lake City for nearly half a cetnury, died at St. John's hospital here. He has no living relatives.

Minneapolis.—As fruit of its Minneapolis sessions, the Minnesota Editorial association may have credited to it the crystallizing of plans for a journalistic department at the University of Minnesota.

Tracy.—The Yellowstone national highway will be graveled this spring, and will then complete a stretch of 140 miles of continuous graveled road reaching from Mankato through Tracy west to the state line.

Duluth.—Representatives of Italian societies of Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth, Virginia, Hibbing and Eveleth organized the Italian Society of the State of Minnesota, elected officers and concluded their gathering here with a ball.

Minneapolis.—Plans to co-operate in a countrywide observance of May 8 as the 100th anniversary of the founding of the American Bible society may be discussed at the meeting of the Minneapolis Ministerial federation at the Young Women's Christian association.

Minneapolis.—Placing the state militia under federal control will be an important step in the policy of preparedness and will be welcomed by members of the national guard all over the country. This is the consensus of opinion expressed by officers and enlisted men here.

Wheaton.—"To the God of things as they ought to be and to the finest people in the finest community in the finest of states—to all that is finest in education." In these words Frank W Murphy, president of the Wheaton school board, dedicated Wheaton's new $36,000 school community building.

Minneapolis.—Directors of the Section Four Mines company of the Mesaba range, of which former State Treasurer Walter J. Smith is president and Forrest Wickey of Minneapolis secretary, met at the St. Paul hotel. They announced their meeting was purely routine, and had nothing to do with the state treasury scandal.

Minneapolis.—It has been a great winter for the farmer—one that presages an unusually large acreage of wheat put into the ground under most favorable conditions, according to delegates who were in Minneapolis from all over the state to attend the ninth annual convention of Farmers Grain Dealers' association of Minnesota.

Duluth.—W. J. Connors of Buffalo, who has just announced the organization of the Great Lakes Transit company to take over the package freight boats on the Great Lakes, divorced from railroad control by order of the Interstate Commerce Commission, announces that the Lake Michigan route, which has been a loser, must pay its way or be cut out.

Albert Lea.—Since the farm crops class of the Albert Lea college has announced its willingness to test corn at small cost, every member has been working night and day. Tests show the 1915 corn is 30 and 50 per cent strong, while the 1914 corn tests only 18 to 47 per cent Home-grown seed corn, tested is selling at $6.50 to $7, but there is not enough on the market to supply the demand

Crookston.—At a meeting of the directors of Northwestern Minnesota Agricultural Fair association plans were made for the greatest fair ever had by the association. The dates set were from Tuesday to Saturday, inclusive, July 11 to 15 A special feature will be provided for each day, with Saturday automobile day, automobile and motorcycle races taking the place of the harness races

Thief River Falls.—Bringing to a close one of the most sensational divorce cases ever filed in Pennington county the court granted an absolute decree of separation to Attorney E M. Stanton of this city from his wife, Fannie R. Stanton The case has aroused state-wide interest because of the fact that Mrs Stanton pleaded her own case and became known as the "Modern Portia"

Akeley.—Petitions praying for the abrogation of the Indian treaty of 1855 are being circulated in the territory known as the "Indian country," following the interview recently given out by Congressman C. H. Lindberg to the effect that only 10 persons have requested him to introduce a bill in congress to abrogate the treaty while 1,000 have petitioned him to favor retention of the treaty

Kingston.—Frank Nagel, 25 years old has undergone an operation for the removal of an eye at the Kingston hospital as the result of an assault at the hands of four boys, sons of Robert Damuth a farmer, living near here Nagel was severely beaten up and is in a serious condition

Northfield.—Fay Quinn, representing Carleton college won first place in the annual War oratorical contest between Carleton and St. Olaf The title of his oration was "The City's Dominant Peril of Hope" It was a plea for reform in the large centers of population.

Jump from Bed in Morning and Drink Hot Water

Tells why everyone should drink hot water each morning before breakfast.

Why is man and woman, half the time, feeling nervous, despondent, worried; some days headachy, dull and unstrung; some days really incapacitated by illness.

If we all would practice inside-bathing, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead of thousands of half-sick, anaemic-looking souls with pasty, muddy complexions we should see crowds of happy, healthy, rosy-cheeked people everywhere. The reason is that the human system does not rid itself each day of all the waste which it accumulates under our present mode of living For every ounce of food and drink taken into the system nearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out, else it ferments and forms ptomaine-like poisons which are absorbed into the blood.

Just as necessary as it is to clean the ashes from the furnace each day, before the fire will burn bright and hot, so we must each morning clear the inside organs of the previous day's accumulation of indigestible waste and body toxins. Men and women, whether sick or well, are advised to drink each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of washing out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the indigestible material, waste, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Millions of people who had their turn at constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, nervous days and sleepless nights have become real cranks about the morning inside-bath. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will not cost much from your druggist or at the store, but is sufficient to demonstrate to anyone, its cleansing, sweetening and freshening effect upon the system.—Adv.

Little Willie Was Surprised.

"Why, pa, this is roast beef!" exclaimed little Willie at dinner, on the evening when Mr. Chumpleigh was present as the guest of honor.

"Of course," said the father. "What of that?"

"Why, you told me this morning that you were going to bring a muttonhead home for dinner this evening."

BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK "CASCARETS"

Gently cleanse your liver and sluggish bowels while you sleep.

Get a 10-cent box.

Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels

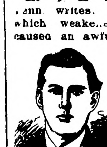
A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months Adv.

Thoroughly Natural

Did he die a natural death?

"Yes so I understand He was run over in the streets of New York."—Life

SUFFERED FOR FOUR YEARS



Mr. J. M. Sinclair

Mr J M Sinclair of Olivehill, Tenn writes. "I strained my back which weakened my kidneys and caused an awful bad backache and inflammation of the bladder Later I became so much worse that I consulted a doctor, who said that I had Diabetes and that my heart was affected I suffered for four years and was in a nervous state and very much depressed The doctor's medicine didn't help me so I decided to try Dodds Kidney Pills, and I cannot say enough to express my relief and thankfulness as they cured me Diamond Dinner Pills cured me of Constipation"

Dodds Kidney Pills 50c per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co Buffalo, N Y Dodds Dyspepsia Tablets for Indigestion have been proved 50c. per box—Adv.

Natural Result

"Why was that show such a frost?"

"I guess it was because the people who gave it got cold feet."

FUNDS FOR STATE'S ROADS AND BRIDGES

AUDITOR ESTIMATES $1,405,000 AVAILABLE FOR MINNESOTA HIGHWAYS THIS YEAR.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

According to figures compiled by State Auditor Preus the state road and bridge fund this year will realize for the highways of Minnesota $1,405,000. This estimate is made on the 1915 tax levy. Mr. Preus has certified to George W. Cooley, engineer of the state highway commission, a statement of the estimated receipts for 1916 that will accrue to the state road and bridge fund.

The 1-mill tax levy on 1915 valuation, Mr Preus finds, will bring him $1,4[illegible]; interest on internal improvement land fund, $12,000; receipts from government land sales, $700, and moneys from Babock trust licenses $500.

The estimate of the 1915 tax levy, Mr. Preus says, is made smaller on account of the 1915 apportionment's exceeding the receipts from the 1914 tax levy by $38,000.

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Urges "Seed Corn Week."

Governor Burnquist has issued an executive letter to corn growers of Minnesota calling their attention to the fact that seed corn should be selected this year with more than ordinary care because the 1915 corn crop was under-developed. A seed corn week has been designated.

The governor's communication follows:

"It has been called to my attention that the seed corn situation is a serious one in the Northwest because of the under-development of the corn crop of 1915.

"It is asserted by those who are in a position to know that very little corn of the 1915 crop shows sufficient vitality to warrant planting without making a test of each ear and much is so low in germination that new seed will have to be procured.

"In nearly every county there is to be found some 1914 corn from which good seed can be obtained if it has been well cribbed. The authorities in some of the neighboring states have recognized that the matter of seed corn is so important that a week has been designated by them as "Seed Corn Week." Let us hope that farmers of Minnesota will also join in making a thorough test of their seed corn.

The Governor's letter asks cooperation and encouragement on the part of all citizens.

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Option Law Cuts Revenue.

Inroads that the county option law has made in the inebriate farm support fund are shown in a table prepared by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor It reveals that in the last year the state tax on liquor licenses has decreased $10,996.50. The 2 per cent tax on liquor licenses levied by the state brought a return in 1914 of $48,293.36 and in 1915 the amount collected by the tax was $37,297.89 The returns of the tax are used to maintain the hospital farm for inebriates at Willmar.

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State Holds Funds For Heirs

There is $7,666.17 in the customs house of the port of missing men Perhaps some of it is yours Since 1875 there has passed into this strange treasure house a total of $12,801.72. Owners have claimed $1,717.62 A total of $3,418.52 was taken over by the state of Minnesota The customs house of the port of missing men is in office of the auditor of the state of Minnesota It contains money left by persons who die and leave no known heirs.

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Demand For Fishing Licenses

More money was received by the state for fishing licenses in January 1916, than in any January in 25 years, according to the monthly report of Carlos Avery, executive agent of the state board of game and fish commissioners The fees amounted to $11,295, almost twice as much as was received in any January before, Mr Avery said

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Not to Publish Sample Ballots

The state legal department has held that county auditors will not have to publish sample ballots used in the presidential primary election. The department also holds that in printing the ballots the names of the delegates to be voted for will have to be rotated

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New State Game Refuge

The fifth game refuge in Minnesota under the new state law has been established by Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, around Lakes Johanna and Josephine north of St. Paul The refuge includes about 5,000 acres

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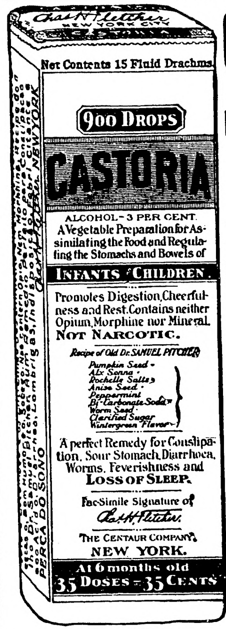
To Complete Yellowstone Trail

When Renville county grades 40 miles and surfaces with gravel 32 miles of the road this year the Twin Cities, Aberdeen and Yellowstone Park trail will be completed through the county, according to the state highway commission Besides finishing the construction work on the state road the county will build two miles of new grade on other highways and gravel 17 miles Renville is one of the most progressive counties in the cause of good roads in the state according to the commission.



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Slim Picking.

"What do you gather from today's war news?"

"Oh, nothing much except three or four proper names I'll have to look up in a gazetteer."

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Paradoxical Objection.

"Rantz Roarer says he is going to retire from the stage."

"He who was wedded to his art?"

"Quite so. But just confidentially, I think it was a mock ceremony."

Didn't Make Good.

"I hear Yorick Hamm has left vaudeville."

"Yep; to its fate."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A New Remedy for Kidney, Bladder and all Uric Acid Troubles

Dear Readers:

I appeal to those of you who are bothered with kidney and bladder trouble, that you give up the use of harsh salts or alcoholic medicines and in their place take a short treatment of "Anuric." I have taken many of Dr Pierce's medicines for the past twenty five years with good results I suffered with kidney trouble for some years I recently heard of the newest discovery of Dr Pierce, namely his "Anuric" Tablets After using same I am completely cured of my kidney trouble A doctor pronounced me a well preserved woman for my age, all due, I believe, to Dr Pierce's aid. MRS MELINDA E MILLER

If you suffer from backache, lumbago, rheumatism, get "Anuric" now

No Hurry.

"When are you going to tell the people just where you stand on this important question?"

"Not till I have to," replied Senator Sorghum. "I'm going to let everybody express opinions before I do, and then select the one that seems most popular."

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv

According to Her Cook Book.

Bride—Merciful heavens! That pie is burning and I can't take it out for ten minutes yet!—Life.

One of the great drawbacks in this world is that men never know it is too late until it is too late.

Let's not worry; we'll get the earth sooner or later

Of course you mean well, but that is a poor excuse.

After Grip—Winter Colds—Bad Blood

You are pale thin, weak with little vitality Your liver is sluggish and the bad blood causes your stomach muscles to lose their elasticity and become flabby then indigestion

Dr Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, purely vegetable and free from alcohol or narcotics, is the great and powerful blood purifier of today. Extracted from American forest herbs and roots. Contains no alcohol. Ingredients printed on wrapper.

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A NEW BOOK CONTAINING AUTOGRAPHED PHOTOGRAPHS and brief biographies of 78 leading photoplay stars sent FREE if you will send us the names and addresses of parents of crippled, deformed and paralyzed children in your community. If preferred, will send autographed photo pillow top made on gold satine, 18x18 in. Choice of following players: Alice Joyce, Mary Pickford, Anita Stewart, Pearl White, Francis Bushman or Jack Kerrigan. Write names plainly. State age and character of trouble if possible.

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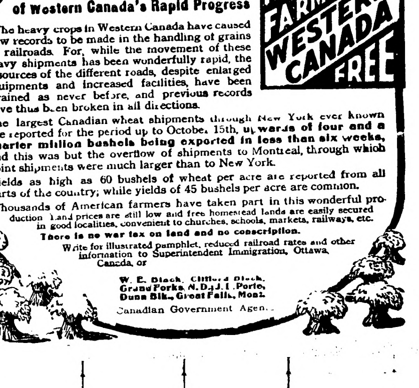

The Wheat Yield Tells the Story of Western Canada's Rapid Progress

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

The heavy crops in Western Canada have caused new records to be made in the handling of grains by railroads. For, while the movement of these heavy shipments has been wonderfully rapid, the resources of the different roads, despite enlarged equipments and increased facilities, have been strained as never before, and previous records have thus been broken in all directions.

The largest Canadian wheat shipments through New York ever known are reported for the period up to October 15th, upwards of four and a quarter million bushels being exported in less than six weeks, and this was but the overflow of shipments to Montreal, through which point shipments were much larger than to New York.

Yields as high as 60 bushels of wheat per acre are reported from all parts of the country; while yields of 45 bushels per acre are common.

Thousands of American farmers have taken part in this wonderful production Land prices are still low and free homestead lands are easily secured in good localities, convenient to churches, schools, markets, railways, etc.

There is no war tax on land and no conscription.

Write for illustrated pamphlet, reduced railroad rates and other information to Superintendent Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. I. Porte, Dunn Blk., Great Falls, Mont.

Canadian Government Agents

Postponed Sale!
Thurs. March 16

As I have rented my farm I will sell at public auction on the place in Section 11, Mud Lake, 2 1-2 miles N. E. of Golden Valley, 6 mi. S. W. of Rollis, 10 mi, north of Germantown, 17 mi. east of Holt, on

Thursday March 16th

6 Head of Horses 6

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STAND ON TARIFF INDORSED

Estabrook's Convincing Statement of Situation Is Praised by Former New Hampshire Governor.

N. J. Bachelder, former Governor of New Hampshire, former Master of the National Grange, and for 26 years Secretary of Agriculture for the state of New Hampshire, has endorsed Henry D. Estabrook's discussion of the tariff, as it affects the farmer, in unqualified terms. Mr. Estabrook is one of the two candidates for the nomination for President of the United States for whom Minnesota Republicans will vote at the Primary on March 14th. Governor Bachelder's letter to Mr. Estabrook is as follows:

Highland Farm, East Andover, N. H.,
January 25, 1916.

My dear Mr. Estabrook.

I have received a copy of your address to farmers entitled "The Farmer and the Tariff," and I have read this carefully and with the greatest interest.

It is a clear and convincing statement of the situation of the American farmers today and of what they have to face in the near future, and I trust that the farmers of the Western States will take to heart what you have said, which I know to be true in every respect.

It is a great satisfaction to me to find that you are so ably and fearlessly bringing these facts to the attention of western farmers, and that you so thoroughly understand farming conditions in the necessary course of the real farm life as well as in the larger matters of wise policy for the happiness and progress of farmers. Your address is the only one that I have ever read, by a candidate for the Presidential nomination, which shows actual knowledge of agricultural affairs and a sympathetic insight into the great needs of farming.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) N. J. BACHELDER.

CANDIDATES FOR DELEGATES

List of Men Who Are Pledged to Support Henry D. Estabrook for President.

The candidates for delegates to the Republican National Convention who are pledged to support Henry D. Estabrook, of New York, for President are as follows:

Delegates at Large.—Fred W. Force, Mankato; Adolph E. L. Johnson, 5015 Colfax Ave. So., Minneapolis; Neil B. Morrison, 13, East Second Street, Duluth, Minn; P. H. Peterson, 1823 Crystal Lake Ave., Minneapolis.

First District.—Otto R. Rossum, Albert Lea; Arthur B. Skaug, Albert Lea.

Second District.—P. M. Ferguson, Mankato; H. E. Whitchurch, Mankato.

Third District.—Arthur E. Arnston, Red Wing; Carl W. Brenner, Stillwater.

Fourth District.—W. E. MacGregor, Ninth and Cedar Streets; Harvey O. Sargeant, 33 South Avon Street.

Fifth District.—R. O. Peteler, 93 Orin Avenue; Jay W. Crane, 900 Metropolitan Life Building.

Sixth District.—A. W. Corwin, St. Cloud; E. H. Jerard, Bemidji.

Seventh District.—I. T. Craner, Willmar; M. D. Manning, Willmar.

Eighth District.—William W. Crawford, 120 Fourteenth Avenue East, Duluth; A. D. McIntyre, 5217 London Road, Duluth.

Ninth District.—George W. Harris, Fergus Falls; John W. Mason, Fergus Falls.

Tenth District.—Loyal J. Bintliff, 1215 Mary Place, Minneapolis; Rome G. Brown, 1918 Queen Ave. So., Minneapolis.

Agricultural products should be the first to receive protection, and the very last to lose protection, in any proper governmental policy.—Henry D. Estabrook.

DEMOCRATIC PLEDGE BROKEN

Henry D. Estabrook, Candidate for Republican Presidential Nomination, Scores Opposition Party.

Not one of the pledges made by the Democratic leaders to the American people when their tariff law was enacted has been redeemed. They promised that their law would reduce the cost of living; that it would extend the markets for American products; that it would not interfere with American industry, and that it would provide adequate revenues for the purposes of the government. It is not necessary to argue the assertion that none of these promises has been made good. Every intelligent man—and there is no man of keener intelligence on such questions than the American farmer of today—knows that only the intervention of the war in Europe prevented the visitation upon the United States, as a drastic result of this Democratic tariff, of business and industrial depression and calamity such as the country has never known. Our Democratic friends, with their usual consistency, first blamed the war for the disastrous conditions resulting from their tariff policy, and then, when the war had resulted in a feverish, hectic, unnatural prosperity, they were even quicker to claim that their legislative and administrative policies were responsible for this prosperity. They thus demonstrated only, that, if they were not statesmen, they were at least accomplished acrobats, capable of turning back somersaults so rapidly that the human eye can scarcely follow their gyrations.

But they have not fooled the country. I doubt that they have even fooled themselves. The country knows, and they know, that the war has saved us but temporarily from suffering the full effects of our folly in electing a Democratic Congress and a Democratic President, and thus making a Democratic tariff possible. After the war will come the deluge.—Henry D. Estabrook.

WHAT ESTABROOK STANDS FOR

His Position on All Pending Issues Epitomized in Words—"Protection, Prosperity and Preparedness."

In his letter authorizing Nebraska Republicans to present him as candidate for the Republican Presidential nomination, Henry D. Estabrook of New York stated frankly his position on all pending issues. He epitomized these issues in the words—"Protection, Prosperity and Preparedness."

Protection, he said, properly comes first for there can be no great prosperity in this country without it—protection for the American farmer, the American laborer and the American manufacturer; American markets for American products.

Preparedness Program.

His preparedness or national defense program includes a navy the equal of any navy in the world, a standing army of 150,000 to 200,000 men, a reserve army of ten times that number, military training for the youth of the land in our public schools, high schools and colleges, and a merchant marine.

Mr. Estabrook favors a system of rural credits or land banks, the national development of waterways, an absolutely square deal for every class of citizenship and every commercial enterprise and the conservation of the national resources—"not the absolute withdrawal of our natural resources from present use for the sole use of generations yet unborn, but their economical use by those now living."

Under the free trade policy of the Democratic party our farmers are now forced to compete under free trade conditions not only with Canada, but with the entire world.—Henry D. Estabrook.

Caucus Call.

The citizens of the village of Holt are requested to meet in caucus next Saturday March 4th, 8 o'clock P.M. in Kolden's hall for the purpose of nominating the following village officers: President, three Trustees, Treasurer, Recorder, Assessor and one Justice of Peace (to fill vacancy).

Southeast of Holt.

George Nustuold has for some time been very badly afflicted with rheumatism. We all hope to see Mr. Nustuoeld up and around again very soon.

Anton Rodahl called on John Gudvangen and Oscar Adolphson last Tuesday.

The mild days have kept people very busy hauling hay, but it is understood they are very unfortunate in tipping with their loads.

Miss Annie Erickson left for Warren last Friday to consult a physician.

Miss Ragna Larson has been spending a few days in Thief River Falls.

The Misses Amanda Klungness and Marie Faiman who are attending high school at Thief River Falls spent Saturday and Sunday with their folks here.

The Misses Sarah and Augusta Swanson has left for their schools after enjoying a long vacation with their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness and daughter Clara were pleasant visitors at the S. G. Moe home Wednesday afternoon.

A party was given at the Chas. Schwartz's home Saturday evening which was enjoyed very much by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Soiney and childen were visitors at the N. Sordahl home Sunday afternoon.

Ingvard Peterson who is attending school at Crookston came up Saturday to visit at the Henry Jenson home, returning Tuesday.

Carl Larson left for Houston Co. last week to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law.

Albert Klungness went down to the George Nustvold home Monday to assist them for a few days during Mr. Nustvold's illness.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Moe left for Fosston, Minn. on Wednesday for a short visit with relatives.

S. G. Moe called on Torald Tharaldson Monday.

Targe Borgen is visiting at the Ose home.

The coasting on the river banks was enjoyed by a large number of young folks Sunday afternoon.

Torald Tharaldson who has been in a critical condition for some time is slightly improved. We all hope to see Mr. Tharaldson on the safe road to recovery very soon.

Knut Ose is visiting at the J. E. Erickson home.

Harvy Kopp very delightfully entertained a large number of his friends Saturday evening.

Alfred Klungness, Ludvig Olson, Simon and Oscar Moe called on the Sordahl boys Sunday.

Thorn Tharaldson left for N. Dak. on a professional trip.

Mrs. N. Sordahl was a pleasant caller at Michaelson's Monday afternoon.

Guy Anderson enters upon his ninth year, to day, as rural mail carrier. Will some one please tell us how many miles Mr. Anderson has travelled the past eight years?

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Proper View of Duties.

[illegible] thoughts go best with common duties. Whatever, therefore, may be your office regard it as a fragment in an immeasurable ministry of love.—Westcott.

Potatoes for Sale

I have about 400 bus. of clean Early Ohio potatoes for sale at $1.00 a bushel F. O. B. Holt. Secure your seed early by sending your order to

P. A. Risberg.
Holt Minn.

Northeast of Holt

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Christianson and family spent Sunday afternoon at J. Engstrom's.

Miss Tina Johnson called at O. H. Dovre's Tuesday last.

Mrs. E. Johnson called on Mrs. C. Anderson Monday afternoon.

Miss Selma Dovre called at O. H. Dovre's Friday.

Miss Betty Johnson returned home Friday, having finished a five months term of school at Randen.

The "Flyer" is in evidence again, "Whee."

The Horien and Sorum young people spent Sunday last at E. Johnson's.

Tina Johnson is seen going 'West' quite often of late(? ? ?)

(By Another Correspondent)

Miss Tina Johnson called at Horien's Thursday afternoon.

Miss Lizzie Hanson called at Johnson's one day last week

Mrs. A. Carlson, of Thief River Falls came Friday to visit her parents.

Miss Betty Johnson returned home from Randen, Friday.

Delvan Knutson came up from Thief River Falls, Wednesday.

The Surmo and Horien young people visited at Erick Johnson's Sunday.

The Misses Tina Johnson and Burndette Horien left Monday for Grand Forks.

Louis Knuton called at Horien's Tuesday evening.

The dance given at Ed. Horien's Saturday evening was well attended after all the phoneing some people had to do?!?

Arthur Anderson is on the sick list.

Ed. Horien, Rudolph Anderson and Dehard Johnson were busy packing ice last week.

Won't you soon have to have new batteries for your phone? ?

Auction bills printed at this office.

A good ad draws like a mustard plaster.

Hay for sale cheap. Enquire of G. P. Sorter.

The election for village officers will be held March 14th.

Red Lake county remains in the wet column by 200 majority.

Rev. Strom left Tuesday for Rosewood and Viking where he is holding services this week.

Mrs. Tom Severson who has been sick for some time is reported as being considerably improved in health.

The township caucus will be held at A. L. Sagstuen's at 3 o'clock P. M. Tuesday, March 7th, to nominate town officers.

Last Friday morning at about 2 o'clock fire was discovered in a small building on the farm occupied by E. O. Haggland and family The fire had made such headway that the building and contents were completely destroyed and the dwelling house was only saved by a hard fight. Mr. Haggland lost timothy and clover seed, tools, machinery, households goods, etc., to the extent of about $200.00

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Legal Notices.

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

District Court,
14th Judicial District.

Edward P. Monson .... Plaintiff.
vs.
John Gilbert and Torkel O. Ose
also known as Torkel O. Danielson....
.... Defendants.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, to the above named defendants:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint is filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the City of Warren, Marshall County, Minnesota, within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for relief demanded in said complaint.

Dated December 30, 1915.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Warren, Minnesota.

State of Minnesota, } ss District Court.
County of Marshall. } 14 Judicial District

Edward P. Monson .... Plaintiff
vs.
John Gilbert and Torkel O. Ose
also known as Torkel O. Danielson ......
.... Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendants the object of which is to obtain a judgement that said plaintiff is the owner in fee of the following described real property and that the said defendants and each of them have no estate or interest or lien thereon.

The premises affected by said action are situated in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows:

The Northeast quarter (NE1-4) of Section twenty four (24) in Township one hundred fifty eight (158) North of Range forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

Dated December 30th 1915.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Warren, Minnesota.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Feb. 5, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Adolf Larson of Holt, Minn. who on July 20, 1910, made Homestead Entry No. 05466, for E1-2SW 1-4 and W1-2SE1-4 Sec. 10, Twp. 155 N. Range 42 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 13th day of March, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Carl Gutterud and Lars Ose both of Thief River Falls, Minn., R. F. D. No. 2, also Axel Nelson and Sam Mickelson both of Holt, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Feb. 9th, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Isaac Ostlund, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on Sept. 22, 1910, made Homestead Entry No. 05556, for W1-2 of the SW1-4 Sec. 21, Township 156 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver of U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minn., on the 22nd day of March, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Peter Ostlund, Emil W. Ostlund, George E. Olson and Jacob Moland all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Carl Newton has sold his blacksmith shop to C. W. Christianson.

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, executed and delivered by Martin Nygaard and Thea Nygaard his wife, mortgagors, to the Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 8th day of January 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of January 1915 at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 73 of mortgages on page 109, such default consisting in the non-payment of an installment in the sum of Sixteen Dollars ($16.00) due and payable under the terms of the note secured by said mortgage, on the 8th day of January 1916, and such default consisting further in the non-payment of the interest on a prior mortgage, which interest amounted to the sum of Forty-eight Dollars ($48.00) and became due and payable on the 15th day of October 1915 and was on that date paid by the undersigned mortgagee, and whereas the undersigned mortgagee has elected to declare, and has declared the whole amount, principal and interest of the note secured by said mortgage to be due and payable, and whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said interest paid on said prior mortgage, is the sum of One Hundred Thirty-eight and 92-100 Dollars ($138.92), and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The South Half of the Southeast Quarter (S1-2 SE1-4) of Section Five (5) and the West Half of the Northeast Quarter (W1-2 NE1-4) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range forty-one (41) West of the fifth principal meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court house in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 22nd day of April, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Hundred Thirty-eight and 92-100 ($138.92) Dollars, and interest, and the taxes if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00), Attorneys fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated February 29, 1919.

Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota.
Mortgagee.

H. O. KJOMME,
Attorney for mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.00
Wheat No. 2	.96
Wheat No. 3	.90
Wheat No. 4	.83
Flax	2.11
Oats	.31
Barley	43 to .48
Rye	.74
Flour, Best Patent	3.35

Farm For Rent.

The E1-2NE1-4—29, and E1-2SE 1-4—20—[illegible], the Fred Johnson farm. Enquire at

Holt State Bank.

Also other farms.

New set of library book just received by the Holt State Bank. Come in and get one.

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PAY BY CHECK

Look It Over!

In the next Issue of this paper there will appear the recent statement as made to the State Banking Dept. on Mar. 7, '16

We ask your considerate attention to the figures shown in this statement for it indicates not only the strength and security here provided for our customers but also, the measure of confidence reposed in the bank by the many people who keep their funds with us.

We have the Strength, the Security, the Service and the desire to be of service that makes this the logical bank of your choice for nineteen-sixteen.

Farmers State Bank
Of Holt, Minnesota
(The Bank with the "Mysterious Clock")

Holt Livery- -Dray Line
Auto Livery Right Prices
O. J. Backlund, Prop.
Always Furnishes Reliable Service
Leave Orders at Hotel - - HOLT, MINN.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
H. J. OIEN, Agent - - - Holt, Minn.

New Jewell Hotel
15-19 E. FIFTH ST.
ST. PAUL, MINN.
OPPOSITE CITY HALL
MODERN EUROPEAN PLAN

LOCATED IN HEART OF BUSINESS DISTRICT

RATES: Rooms with detached bath and shower bath—
One person 75c, $1.00 and $1.50 per day.
Two persons in same room, 50c extra.
ROOMS with private baths and toilets—
One person $1.50 and $2.00 per day
Two persons in same room, $1.00 extra.

Send postal card for colored blotters.
WE AIM TO PLEASE

Bring us your Job Printing.

Auction bills printed at this office.

Called Home

Thore O. Bottom was born in Norway, Sept. 28th. 1845, and died Monday morning March 13th. at the home of his son, Oscar, at the ripe age of 70 years, 5 months and 13 days. Mr. Bottom had been sick but a short time and his death was a great shock to the family and friends.

The deceased came to America in 1871 and settled in Jackson Co., Minn. There he was united in marriage with Miss Gunneld Sether who remains to mourn the loss of a loving and devoted husband. In 1906 they moved to Marshall Co. and have lived near this village since that time. Those of the sons and daughters who remain to mourn the loss of their father are Mrs. Andrew Nelson of Windom Minn. Oscar, John and Lena, all of near Holt.

The funeral will be at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the Free Mission church, Rev. A. L. Larson, officiating, interment will be made in the local cemetery.

The News joins the many friends in extending sympathy to the aged widow and family.

The People Cash Store has incorporated with Mrs. T. T. Sollom, Sollom Brothers, H. J. Oien and T. E. Ellestad as incorporators.

There were forty six votes cast at the village election Tuesday. The fight seemed to center on president, S. S. Kolden receiving 25 votes and R. Reison 16. C. H. Gunheim, C. L. Sandberg and Sam. Mickelson were elected trustees with but little opposition. B. Docken was elected treasurer, H. B. Young clerk, Racine Olson assessor and Henry Wendt justice with only one or two opposing votes. There were not as many voted the primary ballots and four of the republican ballots had to be thrown out because of not being properly voted. Altogether there were 33 republican and 8 democrat votes cast, Cummins received 16 votes and Estabrook 6.

Notice to Road Contractors.

Sealed proposals for dragging state roads in Marshall County, Minnesota, during the season of 1916, will be received by A. G. Lundgren, County Auditor, until 2 o'clock P. M. of Tuesday, April 4, 1916, when the County Board will open and publicly read the same

Bids will be received for dragging the following state roads in the vicinity of Holt:

State Road Nos. 2, 4 and 7.

Specifications on file in the offices of the County Auditor and Superintendent of Highways.

Successful bidders must furnish bonds in the amount of Two Hundred and Fifty ($250.00) Dollars.

Proposal blanks may be obtained from the undersigned on application.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved and to divide the dragging and award the contracts as is deemed to be for the best interest of the county.

By order of the County Board.
A. G. Lundgren,
[AUDITOR'S SEAL] County Auditor.

For Sale or Trade

A 1910 Hudson Touring Car only $200.00.

A complete Threshing outfit Separator, steam engine, tank, etc. Inquire at Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists, [illegible]
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Opinion of the U. S. Attorney General Covering Opening of the Mud Lake Bottom Lands.

There are included in the schedule 4929.64 acres in Mud Lake Bottom, located in T. 156 N., Rs. 41 and 42 W. These lands were surveyed for disposal under said act of January 14, 1889, for the benefit of the Chippewa Indians, pursuant to the opinion of the Attorney General of June 19, 1912 (29) Op. 455), and in accordance with the opinion of the Attorney General of February 15, 1915, settlers and entrymen for these lands are warned that there is a possibility of litigation with the Patentees of lands surrounding said lake bottom, claiming as riparian owners.—Copied from Schedule 1 approved Feb. 19th 1916.

(Note:—The word litigation in the above means lawsuits or other legal action.)

Jesse Mason returned Tuesday from Clinton, Missouri.

J. J. Marty has rented Chas. Martell's house and moved his family there the first of the week. He has also rented Mr. Martell's barn for his livery and dray line and takes possession of the latter to day or tomorrow.

The following township officers were elected Tuesday: Supervisor, Louis Wegge; Clerk, T. B. Folden; Treasurer, G. P. Sorter; Assessor, Erik Johnson, Justices, T. B. Folden and Fred Wegge; Constables, S. H. Nohre and Andrew Bjerk.

Picture In Your Mind

by the aid of our
Illustration
a resident street, lined on either side with homes about 30 feet apart and extending from

Chicago to
New York

2000 miles of homes

Imagine All These Homes In Ruins!
Blackened, Smoking, Desolate—
Destroyed By Fire!
The picture is not overdrawn
The buildings destroyed by fire in the United States each year would form such a street!

Is Your Home Insured?

Fire In Town
May be held in check
But Out on the Farm
May End in Wreck

See Us
For Farm Insurance
and
Farm Loans

Holt State Bank

AUCTION SALE!

As I am going to quit farming I will sell at public auction, the following property, in sec. 19, in East Valley township, 5 miles east and 2 miles north of Holt, 8 miles south and 2 miles east of Middle River, on

Saturday MARCH 25

Live Stock

- 1 Cow fresh in April
- 1 Cow fresh in June
- 2 Cows fresh in May
- 2 Cows came fresh in March
- 3 Cows came fresh in February
- 1 Bull 3 years old
- 3 Two year old Heifers
- 1 Bull 2 years old
- 5 Yearling Calves
- 3 Calves 2 months old

Household Goods

- 1 No. 15 DeLaval cream seperator
- 1 Range stove
- 1 Heating stove
- 1 Kitchen Cabinet
- 1 Couch
- 1 Kitchen Cupboard
- 1 Organ
- 3 Iron beds
- 1 extension table
- 40 yards home woven carpets

Machinery

- 1 Deering Binder, 6 foot cut
- 1 14 inch Moline gang plow nearly new
- 1 three horse 16 shoe drill
- 1 12 Disc harrow
- 1 3 section harrow
- 1 wide tire wagon with high boxs
- 1 Surrey, nearly new
- 1 Single buggy
- 2 Cutters
- 1 Bicycle

Other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale Commences at 11 o'clock A. M. Free Lunch at Noon

TERMS: Sums of $10.00 or less Cash. Over $10.00 time will be given until Nov. 1, 1916 on bankable notes bearing 10 per cent interest

[illegible] A. Johnson, Owner

W. J. [illegible] Auct Holt State Bank, Clerk.

Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside; no sour bile to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well-known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your druggist or at the store. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except a sourish tinge which is not unpleasant. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became saturated with an accumulation of body poisons, begin this treatment and above all, keep it up! As soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast, act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.—Adv.

Taking a Short Cut.

"I'm perfectly willing to help you," said the practical philanthropist, "but you ought to try to help yourself when the occasion presents itself."

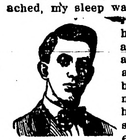
"The last time I did that it got me into a whole lot of trouble," answered the shabby visitor. "In fact, I spent some years in durance vile."

"What do you mean?"

"I helped myself to the contents of another man's cash register."

A GRATEFUL ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mr. F. C. Case of Welcome Lake, Pa., writes: "I suffered with Backache and Kidney Trouble. My head ached, my sleep was broken and unrefreshing. I felt heavy and sleepy after meals, was always nervous and tired, had a bitter taste in my mouth, was dizzy, had floating specks before my eyes, was always thirsty, had a dragging sensation across my loins, difficulty in collecting my thoughts and was troubled with shortness of breath. Dodds Kidney Pills have cured me of these complaints. You are at liberty to publish this letter for the benefit of any sufferer who doubts the merit of Dodds Kidney Pills."


Mr. F. C. Case.

Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodds Dyspepsia Tablets for Indigestion have been proved. 50c. per box.—Adv.

Less Reason to Be.

Father—Aren't you sorry now that you hit Willie Jones?

Bobby—I ain't half as sorry as he is.

"CASCARETS" FOR SLUGGISH BOWELS

No sick headache, sour stomach, biliousness or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box now.

Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out to-night and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels or an upset stomach.

Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach; remove the sour, fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great.

A Cascaret to-night straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean, healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken. Adv.

A Sign.

"Is your sister at home, Bobby?"

"I think she is. I heard her say she wasn't expecting you."—Judge.

The Right Sort.

"I want somebody to write up a social lion story."

"All right; I'll send a cub reporter."

CARRANZA STOPS PLOT TO MURDER MORE AMERICANS

TROOPS HOLD UP TRAIN AND WARN MORMON'S OF VILLA'S PLANS, ACCORDING TO CONSUL AT EL PASO, TEXAS.

U. S. CENSORS ALL NEWS OF TROOP MOVEMENTS

Attitude of De Facto Government's Forces on Proposed American Invasion Not Known—Six Hundred Carranzista Soldiers Reported Near Columbus.

El Paso, Texas, March 13.—Villa's plan to massacre 500 American Mormon colonists of Chihuahua at Guzman, Mexico, has been foiled by the Carranzistas, Andres Garcia, Carranza consul here, reports.

The train on which the Mormons were fleeing toward the border was stopped by Carranzistas, who were warned of Villa's plans by General Gavira, Carranza commandant at Juarez.

The whereabouts of the Mormon train is not known to Garcia, but he stated that all trains on the Mexican and Northwestern railroad were stopped pending the result of Villa's movement. This order affected the regular train which left Casas Grandes for Guzman six hours ahead of the Mormon special.

Plan to Intercept Americans.

According to Garcia and Gavira, they had positive information that Villa planned to intercept the Mormons at Guzman and massacre all. The Carranzista officials said they were informed Villa left La Ascension at daybreak for Guzman, only 36 miles distant, and would have had ample time to prepare to ambush the American colonists. The Carranzistas were confident the Mormons would now escape the trap.

Fear for the safety of the Mormons almost overshadowed interest in the proposed invasion of Mexico by American troops to capture Villa dead or alive and wipe out his bandit followers.

Strict Censorship in Effect.

No step toward executing President Wilson's orders was apparent here before noon. A strict censorship was in effect, although Brigadier General Pershing at Fort Bliss stated at 9:30 a. m. that he knew nothing of any contemplated troop movements. Pershing said the orders, if any, were given to General Funston at San Antonio.

Funston was expected to start for El Paso at once, according to the belief of army officials.

While 600 Carranzista troops have arrived at Palamos, Mex., eight miles south of Columbus, it was not known what their attitude toward the proposed American invasion would be.

NO NEED FOR VOLUNTEERS.

Washington, March 13.—Secretary of War Baker states that the War department has been deluged with telegrams from individuals and organizations offering service as volunteers for Mexico service. There was at present, he said, no need for summoning volunteers to the colors, although the department appreciated fully the patriotic spirit behind the offers.

Carranza's Men Reported in Raid.

Douglas, Ariz., March 14.—Further reports of the alleged raid on American ranches south of Osborn Junction, Ariz., stated that a command of Carranza soldiers, who had been drinking, were encamped for the night near Osborn, while on the way from Naco, Sonora, to Agua Prieta, Sonora. They amused themselves by roping cattle and horses belonging to the American ranchers, whose property extended both sides of the international boundary. The Mexicans did not cross the line themselves.

Little Resistance at Trebizond.

Petrograd, March 13.—The Turkish port of Trebizond will be surrendered to the Russians with little or no resistance, according to Tiflis dispatches. Big guns in the harbor have been dismantled and all the city's valuable stores removed. Russian van guards are now within less than a day's march of the city. The Russian fleet is harassing the retreating Turks by shelling the roads lying close to the Black Sea shore.

Funston Has Big Task.

El Paso, Texas, March 13.—General Funston's orders to invade Mexico and bring back Villa, "dead or alive," is the largest organized man hunt ever attempted and will cover a territory more than 400 miles long and 400 miles wide. And Villa knows every desert, waterhole, cattle trail and mountain fastness contained in the entire 160,000 square miles. Villa's present forces are estimated at 3,000, according to an estimate telegraphed Washington officials.

NO CONSCRIPTION IN CANADA

No War Tax on Land—Embargo on Shipment of Live Stock Removed.

During the prevalence of the foot and-mouth disease in some portions of the United States, an embargo was placed upon inter-state shipments. This also had an effect upon shipments to Canada, and necessarily an embargo was placed upon them, making it almost impossible for upwards of a year to ship cattle into Canada, from the United States. This was especially hard on the settler. As a result, Western Canada lost a number of settlers, they being unable to take their live stock with them. Canada is practically free from horse and cattle diseases, and the wish of the authorities is to keep it so.

Recently, though, an order has been issued by the Department of Agriculture, removing the embargo, and settlers are now free to take in the number of head of horses or cattle that are permitted by the Customs authorities and the freight regulations. This will be welcome news to those whose intention it is to move to Canada, taking with them stock that they have had in their possession for six months, and which it is the intention to use on land that they will farm in the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta.

There are thousands of splendid homesteads of 160 acres each in any of these provinces that may be had upon the payment of a ten-dollar entry fee and fulfilling the requisite living and cultivation duties. These lands are well adapted to the growing of all the small grains, and besides, having an abundance of grass, and sufficient shelter, they are well adapted to the raising of stock.

If one prepares to purchase land, there could be no better time than the present. Prices are low, and particulars may be had from any of the land companies, of which there are several, or from the Canadian Pacific and Canadian Northern railways, whose holdings are in the older settled districts, and whose terms are exceedingly easy to the settler. What these lands will do in the matter of production cannot be more strongly emphasized than in reading the reports of the crops throughout all parts of the Canadian West in 1915. Yields of 50, 60, and as high as 70 bushels of wheat to the acre were numerous, while reports of yields of from 30 to 45 bushels per acre were common. Oats as high as 120 bushels per acre are reported, 50 and 60 bushels per acre being ordinary. The prices realized by farmers have placed most of them on "easy street."

Lately there have appeared articles in a number of United States newspapers to the effect that there was conscription in Canada, or that such a law was likely to be put into effect. We have it from the highest authority in the Dominion that there is no truth in the statement. Sir Robert Borden at the opening of Canadian parliament on January 17th, said:

"In the first few months of the war I clearly stated that there would not be conscription in Canada. I repeat that statement today."

This statement should set at rest the conscription talk that has been so freely used to influence those who may be considering settling in Canada during the war.

It has also been said that there was a war tax on land. Hon. Dr Roche, Minister of the Interior, over his own signature has denied this, and the premiers of the different provinces join in saying "such a report is absolutely untrue, and has no foundation whatever in fact nor is there likely ever to be any such tax upon land in Canada."

The general prosperity of Western Canada farmers and business institutions is such that Canada is well able to take care of the extra war expenses without any direct war taxation. This has been well illustrated by the magnificent response to the Dominion Government's recent bond issue, which was more than doubly subscribed for within the first eight hours of its being offered to the public.

(The above appears as an advertisement and is paid for the Dominion Government which authorizes its publication.)

Not Sure of the Way.

"Lucile, what are you going to make?"

"Some biscuits."

"But why have you brought out the fashion plates as well as the cook-book?"

"Well I'm a little green at this. Do you make biscuit from a recipe or a pattern?"

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans. Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer. Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00. Adv.

Then Why?

"Will [illegible] marry me, [illegible]"

"[illegible] all one could wish for."

"Then why do you want me?"

A man can even boast of his [illegible]atism—until he gets it.

PRESIDENT HOLDS GERMAN TERMS OF PEACE, IS REPORT

RECEIVES OUTLINE OF NEW PROPOSALS FROM COLONEL HOUSE ACCORDING TO RUMOR IN WASHINGTON.

SPOILS FOR GREECE; NOTHING FOR ENGLAND.

Alleged Teuton View of Proper Settlement Following End of War, Provides for No Indemnities—Would Return Belgian and French Territory.

Washington, D. C., March 14.—President Wilson, it is understood on good authority, has in hand, without any definite use to make of them, the peace terms that are likely to be heard from Berlin if the crown prince takes Verdun.

E. M. House, shortly after his return from Germany, it is said, laid before the President Germany's tentative proposals as modified by recent months of warfare. Colonel House did not go to Berlin to discuss possible peace terms, but it is said he did receive an outline of the German view of a proper settlement following the end of the war.

Terms Germany Would Consider.

The terms Germany would consider, confirmed by high German authority here, provide:

That German colonies taken by the Entente Allies be returned to Germany.

That no indemnities be demanded by either side.

That Montenegro, Serbia and Albania be divided between Austria, Bulgaria and Greece.

That an autonomous government be established in Poland.

That Turkey be entirely freed of British influences.

That Germany return Belgium and those portions of French territory now in possession of the kaiser's army.

That Russia assume possesion of Persia.

British to Receive Nothing.

That England remain as she now is, neither giving nor receiving anything.

A high German official said that both sides "ought to pretty thoroughly understand by now that there could be no demands for indemnities," and as for Germany's retaining Belgium, he added: "There is no longer any thought of it by the German government."

Regarding other terms of peace, it is the belief of the German government, according to reports said to have been made to President Wilson, that the only way to establish order in the Balkans is to distribute the land inhabited by the Albanians, Montenegrins and Serbians between Austria, Bulgaria and Greece.

DEPOSITS BREAK RECORDS

Minneapolis Moves Into New Position Among Cities of United States—Big Gain Made in Year.

Minneapolis, March 14.—The figures $171,331,777.32 move Minneapolis into new financial position among cities of the United States. This is the total of bank deposits that will be shown when statements called for to the close of business March 7 are compiled.

The former high record is broken. It was made Dec. 31, 1915, when the total mounted to $169,620,223.49.

The present statement shows that they are carrying $38,000,000 more than at the time the corresponding call last year was issued, March 4, 1915.

NAVAL BATTLE IS IMPENDING

Greatest Struggle in History for Supremacy of Seas Expected—Squadrons Again Reported Seen.

Rotterdam, March 14.—There is little doubt here that the greatest naval battle of history is impending in the North sea between the augmented German fleet and the British navy.

Widely circulated reports that the 50 war craft of the Teuton nation had put back to their base are generally discredited in the face of repeated dispatches from points along the coast that the squadron has been sighted by small vessels.

It is said that the largest part of the German navy has been massed for a decisive struggle that is to settle once and for all the question of whether England shall continue as dictator of the ocean.

California Army Post Destroyed.

Monterery, Cal., March 14.—The headquarters building of the presidio was destroyed by fire about six hours after being vacated by troops of the First cavalry who left for the Mexican border. Firemen attempting to extinguish the flames found that the water supply had been shut off at the source. An investigation was started immediately. Monterery was the Spanish and Mexican capital of California and the presidio occupies the site of the ancient military headquarters.

Alabastine
Mix in One Minute with Cold Water—Ready to Apply Immediately
Sanitary Beautiful Permanent Economical
The only Tool Needed to Apply

Let us tell you of the wonderful economy, simplicity and effectiveness of the Alabastine way of interior decoration.

The Alabastine way is simple in the extreme—You buy the Alabastine in the colors and quantities you require—it is mixed with cold water in a pail according to the directions on the package. There is no boiling water required; no glue to be added no unnecessary time. You can secure shades and tints that are individual with the Alabastine way by combining tints to produce a new shade. You need not use certain fixed colors unless you want to; and you can have an artistic color scheme on your walls entirely your own.

Alabastine

The Beautiful Wall Tint

What Alabastine Is: Alabastine is a clean, dry, sanitary, fine textured powder—ground to impalpable fineness—the colors and tints added—and then it is put up in packages.

Made and Used for 35 Years: Alabastine has been used by hundreds of thousands of painters and decorators—by housekeepers and house-owners for thirty-five years with unqualified success.

Special Stencil Offer—Ordinarily stencils for border designs cost you from 50c to $1.00 each. Our free book tells you how you can get the stencils you wish practically free of charge. Our color scheme cards suggest colors that harmonize for your rooms. Write for them today. Address

THE ALABASTINE COMPANY
283 Grandville Road
Grand Rapids, Mich.

Important to Alabastine Purchasers: We put a red cross and a red circle on each package of Alabastine just so it would be easy for you to identify Alabastine when you ask for and pay for it. It's your protection. Will you look for the red cross and red circle on the Alabastine you buy? Alabastine is sold by most druggists, hardware dealers and paint stores everywhere.

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

Three Hundred Million Bushel Crop in 1915

Farmers pay for their land with one year's crop and prosperity was never so great.

Regarding Western Canada as a grain producer, a prominent business man says: "Canada's position today is sounder than ever. There is more wheat, more oats, more grain for feed, 20% more cattle than last year and more hogs. The war market in Europe needs our surplus. As for the wheat crop, it is marvelous and a monument of strength for business confidence to build upon, exceeding the most optimistic predictions."

Wheat averaged in 1915 over 25 bushels per acre
Oats averaged in 1915 over 45 bushels per acre
Barley averaged in 1915 over 40 bushels per acre

Prices are high, markets convenient, excellent land, low in price either improved or otherwise, ranging from $12 to $30 per acre. Free homestead lands are plentiful and not far from railway lines and convenient to good schools and churches. The climate is healthful.

There is no war tax on land, nor is there any conscription. For complete information as to best locations for settlement, reduced railroad rates and descriptive illustrated pamphlet, address Superintendent Immigration, Ottawa, or

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. L. Porte, Dunn Blk., Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents

Retort Courteous.

"You are getting quite bald, sir," remarked the fresh barber.

"Yes," rejoined the victim in the chair, "but if my head ever gets as soft as yours I'll raise hair to sell."

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

The Philosopher.

Mrs. Knicker—Outdoor work is healthy.

Weary Willie—Outdoor idleness is much more healthy.

Not Gray Hairs but Tired Eyes make us look older than we are. Keep your Eyes young and you will look young. After the Movies Murine Your Eyes. Don't tell your age. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

No Common Cur.

Wife (angrily)—You're a perfect brute.

Hub (calmly)—Thanks, my dear, for putting me in the thoroughbred class, anyway.

Some husbands would do almost anything to render their wives unspeakably happy.

Explaining Himself.

"Don't you think that woman's skirt is—er—a trifle too high?"

"That depends on the point of view."

"Oh, the point of view is eminently satisfactory, so far as I am concerned. I was just speaking on general principles."—Exchange.

In the effort to eradicate

HEADACHE AND NEURALGIA

Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne now heads the list as a successful remedy for the relief of headache, nervousness, insomnia, car sickness, etc.

The dangerous tablet has had its day. Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne is a harmless, refreshing, fragrant preparation, marvelous in its action, relieving nervousness, sleeplessness, exhaustion and all head and nerve ailments by external use and inhaling. It is not a nerve food, but a nerve soother. By giving the nerves a rest they furnish their own food and tone, and all nerve pains disappear.

For children's colds and catarrh it is just the remedy, harmless and efficient and so pleasant to use. For men a pleasant remedy to relieve and clear the head "the morning after the night before." This is not an expensive preparations at 50 cents a bottle, because it brings the relief. It has many imitators at less price, but if they do not bring the desired results they are not cheap at any price.

Get Hoyt's and you will be satisfied. For sale at all drug stores.

The difference between stealing and embezzling depends altogether on the size of the pile that the thief gets away with.

Green chauffeurs make fat repair shops.

When a young rooster gets a comb he reaches the height of his ambition.

Clean the Blood

Spring is the time of the year when we should put our house in order. We're run down after a hard winter—after grip, colds, catarrh. It's time to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, purely vegetable and free from alcohol or narcotics. It will search out impure and poisonous matter and drive it from the system. Buy "Discovery" now in tablets or liquid.

It will dissolve the poisonous accumulations and replace the bad blood it drives out, with rich, pure blood full of vital force.

It will clear the skin, eczema pimples, rash, blotches will dry up and disappear; boils, carbuncles and other evidences of tainted blood will pass away, never to appear again.

A NEW DISCOVERY

"Anuric" is a recent discovery of Doctor Pierce, who is head of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. Experiments at Dr. Pierce's Hospital for several years proved that "Anuric" is a wonderful eliminator of uric acid. For those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation—as backache, scalding urine and frequent urination, as well as sediment in the urine, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, it is simply wonderful how surely "Anuric" acts; and in gravel and gout, invariably the pains and stiffness rapidly disappear.

Go to your nearest drug store and simply ask for a 50-cent package of "Anuric," or send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial pkg.

The President's Wedding Cake—

—an example of decorative art never equaled in the history of cake decorating—an example of deliciousness, lightness and wholesomeness that would be a pride to any housewife. It is

Another Testimonial for

CALUMET BAKING POWDER

This world-famous Wilson-Galt Wedding Cake was made by Mrs. Marian Cole Fisher and Miss Pansy Bowen, both well known Domestic Science Experts. Calumet Baking Powder was used because both these experts use it exclusively in their work and *know* it is the purest, the safest, the most wholesome and economical to use.

So do millions of housewives who use it every bakeday—so will you if you try it on the things hardest to bake.

Send your name and address for free recipe and history of the Wedding Cake. Then bake one just like it yourself.

Received Highest Awards World's Pure Food Expositions, Chicago and Paris

Calumet Baking Powder Co.
Chicago

Just Before the Battle.

Her Husband—Do you know, dear, that I found my first gray hair this morning?

His Wife—Oh, give it to me, John, and I'll keep it as a souvenir to remember you by.

Her Husband—What's the matter with me keeping it to remember you by?

His Wife—Wretch! I've a good mind to go home to my mother.

Her Husband—Huh! No such luck.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Paradoxical.

"I like that man Jobbles."

"Why?"

"He's straightforward."

"That's queer. Everybody says he's a crab."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

The Other Groundhog.

Knicker—What were you wondering?

Bocker—Whether the pork barrel saw its shadow.

Greater London has about 2,000,000 more persons within its limits than Greater New York has.

The leading daily newspapers in London number 25.

YOUR MONEY OR YOUR LIFE!

A small amount of your money would insure your life. Protect your family, mortgage, business or provide a pension for old age. Write us the date of your birth, occupation, married or single. We will give INFORMATION FREE. The Company has loaned ONE AND a HALF MILLION DOLLARS on NORTH DAKOTA farms. We WANT a few more GOOD AGENTS.

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STATE BREVITIES

Fergus Falls.—A long fight over the Sunday theater question was ended here when the city council adopted an ordinance forbidding Sunday shows or other entertainments, except religous.

Albert Lea.—The right eye of Hugo Bremer, a young farmer, was torn from its socket when a splinter of wood flew from a tree. This is the third accident of its kind in the Bremer family.

Owatonna.—The Steele County Agricultural association has decided to hold its annual county fair the week previous to the holding of the state fair. The dates will be Aug. 31 and Sept. 1 and 2.

Red Wing.—This city's voters will be asked to consider a bond issue of $170,000 for the erection of new school buildings and the remodeling of the high school, at a special election to be held Monday, March 27.

Winona.—Headed by Bishop P. R. Heffron of the Catholic diocese of Winona, a large delegation of Winona Catholic clergy was in St. Paul to attend the funeral of Father Henry Jajeski, who was killed in his church.

Dayton, Hennepin county, has made plans for a farmers' short course to be given under the direction of the agricultural extension division of the University of Minnesota, in co-operation with the Dayton short course committee.

Mankato.—City Commissioner Robert Lamm, was chosen mayor by the city council to fill the unexpired term of Mayor A. G. Meyer, who died. Former Commissioner Jud. J. Humiston was chosen to succeed Lamm in the council.

St. Paul.—A labor temple, costing about $50,000, will be erected at Cedar street and Summit avenue during the coming summer by the St. Paul Local Union of the United Brotherhood, Carpenters and Joiners of America. R. F. Schroeder, assistant county attorney, and a member of the carpenters' organization, made this annoucement.

Minneapolis.—J. A. Broderick, chief of the auditing force of the federal reserve board, Washington, was at the Minneapolis Federal Reserve bank weighing up the $14,000,000 in gold that the bank's vault holds and counting up assets that total nearly $31,000,000. Mr. Broderick had two assistants with him. It was expected that the work would require two days.

Bemidji.—James George, county auditor, and Attorney A. A. Andrews have gone to Washington to seek an amendment to the Volstead act so the bonus money from land sales will go to the county where the land is located instead of to the Federal government. This would mean several hundred thousand dollars to Beltrami and Koochiching counties.

St. Paul.—There is a greater quantity of wheat and oats and less corn on Minnesota farms than a year ago, according to the March crop report issued by the Federal bureau of crop statistics. The unusually poor quality of the 1915 crop is shown by the statement that "the percentage of the 1915 crop which was of merchantable quality is estimated at 12 per cent compared with 88 per cent of the 1914 crop and 85 per cent of the 1913 crop."

Duluth.—Servetus W. Clark, G. A. R. verteran, Mason and prominent resident of Duluth for 34 years, died here aged 72 years. He served two years in the Civil war and was present at Appomattox, at the surrender of General Lee to General Grant and his staff. He was one of the 20 charter members of Joshua B. Culver Post No. 128, G. A. R., and at the time of his death was one of the six surviving charter members.

Mankato.—Dates for some of the county fairs of the Second congressional district were fixed at a meeting of the Second District Fair Officers' association here, as follows: Faribault county, at Blue Earth, August 30, 31 and September 1; Murray county, at Slayton, September 7, 8 and 9; Watonwan county at St. James, September 11, 12 and 13; Jackson county, at Jackson, September 14, 15 and 16; Cottonwood county, at Windom, September 18, 19 and 20; Nobles county, at Worthington, September 21, 22 and 23; Redwood county, at Redwood Falls, September 27, 28 and 29.

Minneapolis, Minn.—While Carl Swanson and Ray Hawkins, alias Hawkes, were being brought to Minneapolis by Chief Martinson and his secretary, Edward Fitzgerald, to answer a charge of murder in connection with the hold-up and shooting of Godfrey Carlson in his meat shop on Riverside avenue, the St. Louis police located James Spencer, named by the two men as their accomplice.

Spencer, according to a telegram received from William Young, St. Louis chief of police, was sentenced to the reformatory at Boonville, Mo., February 14 for burglary. Questioned at the reformatory, he is said to have admitted that he was with Swanson and Hawkins when Carlson was murdered.

Winona.—At the annual meeting of the Southwestern Minnesota and Western Wisconsin Beekeepers' association here the beekeepers went on record as favoring uniform state taxation of bees. In some counties it is said that bees are taxed and in others they are not.

Mankato.—The will of the late Mrs. Flora Gates Haynes leaves $2,000 to the Minnesota Baptist state convention, $1,000 to the American Baptist Foreign Missionary society and three fourths of the proceeds of the sale of her home in this city to the First Baptist church here.

DRINK LOTS OF WATER TO FLUSH THE KIDNEYS

Eat Less Meat and Take Salts for Backache or Bladder Trouble—Neutralize Acids.

Uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish, ache, and feel like lumps of lead. The urine becomes cloudy; the bladder is irritated, and you may be obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night. When the kidneys clog you must help them flush off the body's urinous waste or you'll be a real sick person shortly. At first you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizziness, stomach gets sour, tongue coated and you feel rheumatic twinges when the weather is bad.

Eat less meat, drink lots of water; also get from any pharmacist four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active. Druggists here say they sell lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.—Adv.

It has been estimated by a Yale scientist that a particle of radium will remain active about 1,650 years.

BABY'S ITCHING SKIN

Quickly Soothed and Healed by Cuticura. Trial Free.

Bathe with hot water and Cuticura Soap. If there is any irritation anoint gently with Cuticura Ointment on end of finger. Refreshing slumber for restless, fretful babies usually follows the use of these super-creamy emollients. They are a boon to tired mothers.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

The older the man, the longer he looks at a paper before signing it.

USE ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE
The antiseptic powder to be shaken into shoes and used in foot-bath. It relieves painful, swollen, smarting, aching, tired feet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. The greatest comfort discovery of the age. Sold everywhere, 25c. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y. Adv.

Fashions Set by Soldiers.

Alexander the Great is said to be responsible for men shaving their faces, the Baltimore Sun observes. When his phalanx swept into Asia the beards of his soldiers were found to be a source of danger to themselves. In hand to hand encounters with the enemy the latter were found to possess too great an advantage in being able to grasp the beard. As a matter of military necessity Alexander ordered all his fighting men to shave. Today in the trenches of Europe soldiers are permitting their beards to grow as a protection against cold—again a necessity of war—and doubtless the wearing of beards will be very generally revived in consequence.

The Optimist.

Charles F. Murphy, the Tammany leader, praising optimism, said:

"When I am looking for cheery, bracing optimism I often think of the street musician playing 'Christmas Awake' on a cornet in the midst of a driving snowstorm on Christmas day.

"The snow fell, the wind blew, and the musician, standing in a deep drift, tooted away when a lady passed.

"The man looked down at his shabby attire and said to himself proudly and optimistically:

"'How lucky it is only my shoes that's full of holes. They don't show at all in this deep snow.'"—Washington Star.

STOPPED SHORT

Taking Tonics, and Built up on Right Food.

The mistake is frequently made of trying to build up a worn-out nervous system on so-called tonics.

New material from which to rebuild used up tissue cells is what should be supplied, and this can be obtained only from proper food.

"I found myself on the verge of a nervous collapse, due to overwork and study, and to illness in the family," writes a Wisconsin woman.

"My friends became alarmed because I grew pale and thin and could not sleep nights. I took various tonics, but their effects wore off shortly after I stopped taking them. My food did not seem to nourish me.

"Reading of Grape-Nuts, I determined to stop the tonics and see what a change of diet would do. I ate Grape-Nuts four times a day with cream, and drank milk also, went to bed early after eating a dish of Grape-Nuts.

"In about two weeks I was sleeping soundly. In a short time gained weight and felt like a different woman. Grape-Nuts and fresh air were the only agents used to accomplish the happy results." "There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

AUTO TAX FUNDS TO GO TO ROADS, SOON

MONEYS COLLECTED BY STATE, AVAILABLE AUGUST 1, ATTORNEY GENERAL RULES.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Beginning August 1 next, all moneys collected by the state automobile registration department for the year ending with that date will be available for state road and bridge purposes. A ruling to this effect has just been made by Attorney General Smith. Deductions are to be made for expenses incurred by the department, which is in charge of the secretary of state. Mr. Schmahl said that he thought the earnings of his department by next August would be between $100,000 and $120,000. Beginning January 1, 1917, the cost of automobile licenses will be increased to $5 each and the revenue in consequence will be many times greater.

Automobile registration in Minnesota is more than 93,000. Tags have been ordered with numbers running to the 100,000 mark, and Mr. Schmahl expects that the figure will be reached in a few weeks. Numerous requests have already been made for license No. 100,000 and requests are also in for license No. 99,999.

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Reports High Fire Loss Ratio.

Minnesota citizens paid for fire insurance in 1915 the sum of $8,324,855.90. The companies in the same period paid them $4,908,101.34, the latter figure representing the aggregate of adjusted losses. The figures are in an official statement by Samuel D. Works, state insurance companies which collected $7,648,000 in premiums and paid out $4,529,000, which represents a fire loss ratio of 59.2 per cent, the highest since 1911, when the loss ratio was 61 per cent.

Mr. Works said there had been a reduction in cost of insurance, which he hoped would be further reduced the coming year as the result of his order placing rates in the state on a basis. The average premium rate in 1915 was $1.25 a $100 of insurance, compared with $1.30 in 1914.

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Certifies School Allotment.

C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education, has certified to the state auditor the March apportionment of the current school fund, amounting to $885,962.70 and derived from the 1 mill state tax and partly from the interest on the permanent school fund. The average total enrollment of the state schools is 421,887, and the March distribution allows the districts $2.10 for each pupil, compared with $3.55 allowed in the April apportionment. Hennepin county, with 54,486 pupils, leads with an allotment of $114,420. St. Louis county, with 34,028, will get $71,458, and Ramsey county with 30,621 pupils, receives $64,304.

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Would Improve Girls' Home.

The state board of control has decided to ask the next state legislature for money to build two additional cottages and a central heating plant at the Home School for Girls, Sauk Center. The decision followed a special visit of inspection to the school by the entire board. The board placed 27 girls on parole, making 108 in all now out on parole, with 198 left in the institution.

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'Phone Companies Delinquent.

There are 258 Minnesota telephone companies delinquent, out of about 2,000 in the state, in paying their 1915 gross earnings taxes. A. C. Gooding, state treasurer, has attached the 10 per cent penalty required by law to the unpaid taxes, which range in amounts from 26 cents to $1,012.

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Smith Receives Complaints.

Many complaints alleging violations of the liquor laws are being received by Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith, who says that it will require his entire staff to follow them up. "I am writing in answer to all complaints," said Mr. Smith, "that I am willing to give assistance."

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Final Hearing On Lake Level.

Word has been received by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, that the international joint boundary commission will hold final hearings in Washington, beginning April 4. The commission has been conducting hearings regarding proposed levels of the Lake of the Woods.

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May Raise U's Fees.

It's going to cost a [illegible] yearly to do [illegible] the university's academic college, if the board of Regents authorizes an increase in fees. Heavy increase in enrollment out of proportion to the increase in size of the teaching body has led to the raising project. The amount suggested is $5 each semester, which for a total of about 1,600 students would bring in about $16,000 a year. Dean Johnston of the college has prepared a statement of the situation in justification of the proposed fee raising.

"I'm so nervous I could fly!"
"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Colds Make Backs Ache

MORE aching backs, more kidney troubles come in March, than in any other month. Slushy sidewalks, dampness, raw winds and sudden changes cause chills and colds. And chills or colds tend to hurt the kidneys. It is good sense to use a kidney remedy when recovering from a cold and at any time when suffering from a lame back, sharp pains when stooping or lifting, dizzy spells, irregular or annoying kidney action, and a run-down, nervous state.

Don't delay and take a chance of getting dropsy, gravel, Bright's disease or some other serious kidney disease. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the best-recommended, special kidney remedy. All over the world grateful people frankly praise Doan's.

Here's What North Dakota People Say:

Samuel Pickett, 812 N. Fourth St., Grand Forks, N. D., says: "For years I was bothered by lameness and soreness in my back. Mornings when I got up it was hard for me to move. The least cold I got settled in my kidneys and made me suffer worse. Finally I tried Doan's Kidney Pills and they removed every symptom of the trouble. I have had no return attacks."

Mrs. M. Christenson, Bottineau, N. D., says: "The first sign of kidney trouble in my case was a dull ache in the small of my back, followed by headaches and dizzy spells. I was extremely nervous and mornings felt lame and worn out. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage, too. Every cold I got made these troubles worse. Doan's Kidney Pills have put me in much better health and have relieved the pains and aches in my back."

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

At All Stores, 50c a Box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Belligerent.

"Hard to get along with, isn't he?"

"Oh, yes. He is as quarrelsome as a pacifist."

IS CHILD CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless, children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Defined.

Say, pa, what's a bungalow?

"Well, a bungalow is a parody on a house."

Throw Off Colds and Prevent Grip. When you feel a cold coming on, take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It removes cause of Colds and Grip. Only One "BROMO QUININE." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c.

On a War Footing.

"Meyer," said the professor in the landsturm to his next neighbor in the line, after a successful charge against the English trenches, "as a student I have rather often had to give you a pretty low mark, but as a comrade I have to grade you 1 A."

Natives of Sumatra make drinking cups of rhinoceros horn, believing it a cure for poison.

A patent has been granted for an egg substitute made chiefly from thoroughly cooked yams.

Its Fate.

"What killed your case in court?"

"It must have been because it was a short circuit court."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels.—Adv.

German shippers have never favored the Kiel canal, as they prefer the long sea voyage to the toll charges.

Andre Dahl found the dahlia in Peru.

To Cleanse Rusty Nail Wounds

Always Get It to the Bottom

HANFORD'S Balsam of Myrrh
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For Galls, Wire Cuts, Lameness, Strains, Bunches, Thrush, Old Sores, Nail Wounds, Foot Rot, Fistula, Bleeding, Etc., Etc.

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The Province of MANITOBA, CANADA Calls for Farm Helpers

[illegible] urgent [illegible] for farm workers this Spring for the [illegible]. [illegible] Owing to the keen demand for all kinds of foodstuffs caused by the war, together with the enlistment of so many thousands of our young men, the farmers of Manitoba find themselves face to face with a serious labor shortage. In order to encourage farmers' sons and other farm workers from the United States to answer to this call the Railway Companies are offering reduced rates to all such passengers from all points on the International boundary line northward, going West in Canada. This will enable anyone who wishes to see Western Canada to do so at a very small cost and will permit inspection at first hand of the thousands of acres of cheap land which are still available.

The scale of wages for experienced men will run from $[illegible] to $45.00 per month according to experience, and it is estimated that from 3,000 to 3,500 such men are needed. In order to allay any apprehension on the question it may be asserted that absolutely no military obligation of whatever sort is imposed upon anyone coming into or living in Canada.

If you are interested write or apply personally to the

MANITOBA IMMIGRATION OFFICE
[illegible] Street ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

Auction Sale!

As I am going to quit farming I will sell at public auction on my place in Section 26, Town of East Valley, 9 miles East of Holt, on

Tues. March 21

Commencing at 11 o'clock A. M.

Horses

1 Gray mare coming 4 yrs
2 Bay mares, coming 4 yrs

Cattle

4 Young Milch Cows
3 Heifers, two years old
3 Yearling Heifers
1 Yearling Bull

Binder, Mowers

Minnesota Binder
Deering Mower
McCormick Mower
Deering Hay Rake

Machinery, Etc.

Victor Shoe Drill
Sulky Plow
John Deere Plow
14 Disc Harrow
Light Bob-sled with box
Buggy Buggy shafts
New work Harness
Feed Grinder
Set Blacksmith Tools
Grindstone
2 Spring Seats
Set Heavy Harness
Pair Horse Blankets
Articles too numerous to mention

Free Lunch at Noon

Terms: Sums of $10.00 or less, Cash. Over $10.00 time will be given to Nov. 1, 1916, on bankable notes bearing Ten per cent interest.

Christian Ring, Owner

Ole Brenna, Auctioneer — Holt State Bank, Clerk

Auction!

As I am going to quit farming I will sell at public auction on the Fred Johnson farm 2 miles straight north of Holt, on

Wednesday March 22, 1916

Sale begins at 11 o'clock A. M., sharp

Cattle

2 fresh Cows, 4 yrs, & calf
Fresh Cow 5 yrs, and calf
2 Cows fresh in June 5 yrs
2 Heifers, 1 and 2 yrs. old
3 Calves, 8 months old

Horses! Horses!

Mare in foal coming 9 yrs., wt. 1300
Bay Mare coming 9 yrs old wt. 1200
Sorrel Horse 14 years old, wt. 1400
Mare 14 years old, weight 1200 lbs.

Machinery

Wagon complete nr'ly nu
Wagon, narrow tire 1 box
Wagon, n. tire, grain tank
McCormick Mower
Thompson Sulky Plow
Iron Harrow, 3 section
Bob sled Hay rack
Single Buggy with pole and shaft
Independent Binder used 3 seasons
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Emerson Sulky Plow with prairie and brush breaker attachment

Regular Terms of Sale on Bankable Paper at 10 per cent interest

Free Lunch At Noon

Jacob Nelson, Owner

Ole Brenna, Auctioneer — Holt State Bank, Clerk

Mud Lake Opening April 12, '16

Mud Lake lands and certain cut-over and pine lands, in this district, aggregating 19,084.52 acres, will be opened to homestead entry on April 26, 1916, at 9 o'clock, A. M. Applications may be filed within twenty days before the date of opening to entry, but will be dated as if filed on the 26th.

The lands will be opened to settlement at 9 o'clock A. M. on April 12th, 1916.

No rights can be acquired by settlement prior to 9 o'clock A. M. on April 12th. On the contrary: **preference will be given to the first legal settler, after the hour of opening, or to the prior legal applicant, as the case may be.**

All applications filed during the 20 days preceeding the date of opening to entry will be treated as simultaneous and, in case of conflict, the prior right will be determined by the drawing of lots, under rules prescribed by the Department.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register — James P. O'Connel, Receiver
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Southeast of Holt.

Funeral services for Mrs. Oscar Olsen, who died at her home in Edmore, N. Dak. on Sunday Mar. 5th. were held from the Knute Ose home on Saturday Mar. 11th. Rev. Aug. Bredeson officiating and interment made at the Free church cemetery.

Deceased was born in Canada May 1st. 1886 Her parents dieing when she was a child. She had since made her home with her uncle G. T. Ose, Excell until she was married in 1913, and left for Edmore. Those left to mourn her death are the husband, one child two years old and one six days old, a brother Torgrim Austad and two sisters Mrs. Tallack Ose and Miss Tillie Austad, and other relatives and friends.

Deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved relatives in their loss of a kind and loving wife, mother, and sister who has passed to be forever in the great and peaceful world beyond.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness very pleasantly entertained a number of thier friends Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe entertained as their guests on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. G. A Soiney and family.

Martin Melson made a professional business trip to Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Johnson and children Laura, Owen and Jerome of Thief River Falls were guests at the John Olson home the last of the week.

Miss Hildur Carlson who teaches school in Dis. 20, left for Warren on Saturday to visit her folks.

The Misses Signora Sandbo and Gunda Moe, enjoyed a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Michaelson on Sunday evening-

Mrs. Ole Peterson entertained the Ladies Aid on Thursday.

John and Gena Johnson of Smiley are guests at the Sordahl home.

Miss Julia Ose who is attending school at Fargo came home Saturday to attend the funeral of her cousin Mrs. Oscar Olsen.

A large number of young people visited at the Tom Olsen home Sunday evening.

Amund and Targe Sordal have returned home after a pleasant visit with relatives in Smiley Twp.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomas Olsen and children spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Nels Sordahl.

The William's boys are busy hauling wood from Furr's.

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Jan. 1916.

Cream received	10,94 lbs
Average test	25.46
Butter fat	2596.53 lbs
Percent overrun	23 31
Butter made	3202 lbs
Balance on hand last month	1 19
Received for butter shipped	822 90
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 41
Cash sales at creamery	25 15
To other sources	13 37
Total	$869 02
Paid patrons by check	755 08
" " " Butter & milk	6 41
Expense fund, etc.	77 48
Coal sold	12 24
To sinking fund	17 42
Balance on hand	39
Total	$869 02

Number of patrons, 59

Price paid for butter fat, 29 1-2c

Patrons receiving more than $40.00: G. P. Sorter, $41.44.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Local Items

Miss Clara Sollom went to T. R. Falls Friday.

Rudolph Anderson left Tuesday for Hillsboro.

Read our sale ads this week and keep their dates in mind.

J. B. Alkenbrack and B. L. Backe visited in Thief River Falls, Sunday.

C. H. Gunheim has been at Fork on business for several days this week.

Andrew Tobiason has quit the section and will work on a farm this season.

The date of Noetzael's Orchestra appearance here will be March 18th. instead of Feb. 18th.

C. W. Christianson has purchased the blacksmith shop and took possession of it Wednesday.

John Hagberg has moved his family into the upstair rooms of Mrs. Jacob Nelson's residence.

Lion tractor for sale on easy terms. Guaranteed to pull three plows. Write box 638, Holt, Minn.

Charley Horien and Dehard Johnson went to Hillsboro, N. D. Monday where they will work this season.

We understand that J. J. Marty has about closed a deal with Ole Backland for the latters livery and dray line

Ben Hoff went to Middle River Tuesday to attend the dance given by Noetzel's Orchestra and was well pleased with their music.

Hans D. Dybedale, father of Mrs. Nils Engebretsen, died Thursday after a long sickness, at the home of his son Andrew Hanson.

The Tullar Farm has several good registered, Draft Stallions, from one to eight years old, for sale at very reasonable prices. Write to C. A. Tullar, Warren, Minn. 47

The Switchboard Co., held their annual meeiing Monday and elected B. Doeken Treas., T. B. Folden, Secy; and August Nass, Martin Mattson and J. A. Sorum as a board of directors.

Conard Theis of Nobles Co. has purchased the Ole Davidson farm.

Mr. Thies moved his household goods and machinery here Friday and has stored them at Olaf Iverson's until he gets possession of the farm.

The North Holt Telephone Co., held their annual meeting Saturday and elected the following officers. President, August Nass; Vice President, John Mangus; Treasuaer, H. A. Fosholm; Secy. T. B. Folden; Trustee C. E. Smith.

Noetzel's Orchestra will give a big dance in the new Woodman hall Saturday evening Mar. 18th. One of the members by means of an ingenious arrangement is enabled to play five instruments at a time. It is a novelty worth seeing and hearing. They're well recommended.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

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CANTON, OHIO

P.S.—If your church needs money, write for free details of TODAY'S $100.00 Cash Offer to Every Church. Send for free sample copy.

Potatoes for Sale

I have about 400 bus. of clean Early Ohio potatoes for sale at $1.00 a bushel F. O. B. Holt. Secure your seed early by sending your order to

P. A. Risberg.
Holt Minn.

In Church Circles.

The English Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. All children welcome.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. Jacob Nelson, Saturday at 2 P. M., March 18th.

Rev. Parish will hold services next Monday evening March 20th in the Free Mission church. This will be his last sermon for a couple of months, so be sure to hear him.

School Notes.

All the manual training class have made skiis and they seem well pleased with them. They have also rebound 16 library books and repaired and varnished three chairs.

The enrollment is growing; four new pupils having started Monday. They are Marvin, Walter, Doris and Alice Sandberg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Heinze and Amanda Fosholm were visitors on Friday.

Miss Nellie Saastad who is attending High School at Thief River Falls visited school a week ago Friday.

Eighty five library books have circulated during the month of February.

The Eighth Grade.

Arnold Hoel is reported sick with pneumonia.

Hans Folstad came Wednesday to visit his parents.

Mrs. B. Docken visited her parents Friday and Saturday.

Miss Hulda Johnson returned home Monday from Warren.

Mrs. Carl Christoferson was a Thief River Falls visitor, Friday.

Mrs. Adolph Sollom returned home Saturday from T. R. Falls.

Miss Alice Sorum and brothers Jesse and Willie went to Hillsboro Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe entertained Messrs Adolph Sollom, Hubert Pavek and their wives, Clarence Kolden and Edna Risberg at Sunday dinner,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Feb. 9th, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Isaac Ostlund, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on Sept. 22, 1910, made Homestead Entry No. 05556, for W1-2 of the SW1-4 Sec. 21, Township 156 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver of U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minn., on the 22nd day of March, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Peter Ostlund, Emil W. Ostlund, George E. Olson and Jacob Moland all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Feb. 25, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Frank Coppay, of Holt, Minn., who on June 15, 1912, made homestead entry No. 08132, for SE1-4, Section 4, Township 155 N., Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 10th day of Apr. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Alex Magee, Reno Boe, Oliver Secoure and Rudolph Jenson, all of Germantown, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, executed and delivered by Martin Nygaard and Thea Nygaard his wife, mortgagors, to the Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 8th day of January 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of January 1915 at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 73 of mortgages on page 109, such default consisting in the non-payment of an installment in the sum of Sixteen Dollars ($16.00) due and payable under the terms of the note secured by said mortgage, on the 8th day of January 1916, and such default consisting further in the non-payment of the interest on a prior mortgage, which interest amounted to the sum of Forty-eight Dollars ($48.00) and became due and payable on the 15th day of October 1915 and was on that date paid by the undersigned mortgagee, and whereas the undersigned mortgagee has elected to declare, and has declared the whole amount, principal and interest of the note secured by said mortgage to be due and payable, and whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said interest paid on said prior mortgage, is the sum of One Hundred Thirty-eight and 92-100 Dollars ($138.92), and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The South Half of the Southeast Quarter (S1-2 SE1-4) of Section Five (5) and the West Half of the Northeast Quarter (W1-2 NE1-4) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range forty-one (41) West of the fifth principal meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court house in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 22nd day of April, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Hundred Thirty-eight and 92-100 ($138.92) Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) Attorneys fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated February 29, 1916.

Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota.
Mortgagee.

H. O. KJOMME,
Attorney for mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.01
Wheat No. 2	.97
Wheat No. 3	.91
Wheat No. 4	.84
Flax	2.09
Oats	.34
Barley	.51 to .56
Rye	.76
Flour, Best Patent	3.45

Farm For Rent.

The E1-2NE1-4—29; and E1-2SE 1-4—20—[illegible]—13, the Fred Johnson farm. Enquire at

Holt State Bank.

Also other farms.

New set of library book just received by the Holt State Bank. Come in and get one.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

VOL. V — HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY, MARCH 24, 1916. — NO. 35.

PAY BY CHECK

Take Out A C. D.

If you receive monies in payment of notes, mortgages or interest on same, during March,---

Have it go to work for you at once by depositing the money here in the form of a C. D.- Certificate of Deposit-, earning 5 percent for six months.

This will give you a safe, sure and reliable investment earning a safe rate of interest from date of deposit.

FARMERS' STATE BANK

Holt - - Minnesota

(The Bank with the "Mysterious Clock")

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Thursday

April, 6, 1916.

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

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Mascot Flour
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We Buy All Kinds of Grain
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Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
H. J. OIEN, Agent - - - Holt, Minn.

A 1910 Hudson Touring Car only $200.00.

Holt State Bank

New set of library book just received by the Holt State Bank. Come in and get one.

For Sale

My claim in Sec. 5 Grand Plain.

Chris Yttre,
Holt Minn.

For Rent

Farm plowed ready for seeding. Buildings in good shape, good drilled well. Enquire of C. W. Christianson at the blacksmith shop.

For Sale.

An old cream vat will be sold at the Creamery to the highest bidder.

Sealed bids will be received by T. Folden Secy. Holt Minn. up to April 4th. 1916

By order of Directors
F. B. Folden Secy.

United States Land Office, Crookston, Minnesota, March 18th. 1916. Notice is hereby given: That plats of the survey of the lands within the meandered lines shown on approved plats of prior dates as Mud Lake, in T. 156 N., Rgs. 41 and 42 W., 5th. P. M., Minnesota, will be filed in this office at 9 A. M., on April 26, 1916, and that on and after such day we will be prepared to receive applications for the entry of lands in such townships.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.
James P. O'Connel, Receiver.

For Sale: One team of oxen six years old. Aug. Hoffman, Holt.

P. A. Riesberg shipped a carload of hay to E. T. Eide at Spooner this week.

Ole Davidson has moved onto the farm formerly occupied by E. O. Haggland.

Miss Ella and Mary Olberg are visiting their sister Mrs. S. S. Kolden this week.

Commencing April 1st. the R. F. D. Carrier will leave the postoffice at 12:30 P. M.

C. W. Christianson has moved the blacksmith shop onto the lot just east of the old location.

Considerable correspondence and other matter has been crowded out this week which we will publish in our next issue.

Louie Ruhmann of Joliet, N. D. arrived here Friday with car of stock machinery, etc., and has moved onto the farm formerly occupied by J. J. Marty.

The Farmers State Bank has a correct map showing the lots, division and ditches of the Mud Lake lands. Come in and see it. Free to the public.

We are pleased to report there is a slight improvement in the condition of P. A. Riesberg's eyes, and join the many friends in wishing him a speedy recovery of his eye sight,

Anyone in need of a horse can find one by enquiring of Ole Reierson.

Ladies come and see my new up to date stock of spring millinery at Middle River. Friday March 24th is our opening day.

Ragnhild Steenerson.

Sevenke Sevenkeson went to Wennipeg to visit his sister and to Prince Albert, Canada to visit his father.

The date of Otto Johnson's sale has been changed to Friday April 7th.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

In Church Circles.

Mrs. Kjelgren will entertain the Ladies Aid at the church basement Thursday Mar. 30th.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. H. A. Fosholm Saturday at 2 P. M., April 1st.

Norwegian services, Free Mission church, at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. Every body invited.

The Sunshine Society will meet with Mrs. H. B. Young Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock Mar. 25th. All are cordially invited.

Rev. McMartin will preach in the Free Mission church on Tuesday evening Mar. 28th. instead of Monday evening of next week.

Han H. Dybedale was born in Norway and came to this country in 1888. His wife was called home some years ago, after which he made his home with his children. Had he lived until June 9 1916 Mr. Dybedale would have been 82 years old. He leaves to mourn his death four children: A. Hanson and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen near Holt, Mrs. Skaug of Newfolden and Anton Hanson of Seattle Wash. The News joins the many friends in extending sincere sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

Several squatters on the Mud Lake lands have been repairing or building new shacks the last few days and more are moving there all the time.

The Farmers State Bank are increasing their capital stock to $25000.00. We are publishing this week an amendment to their Certificate of Incorporation.

Picture In Your Mind

by the aid of our
Illustration
a resident street, lined on either side with homes about 30 feet apart and extending from
Chicago to New York
2000 miles of homes
Imagine All These Homes In Ruins!
Blackened, Smoking, Desolate--
Destroyed By Fire!
The picture is not overdrawn
The buildings destroyed by fire in the United States each year would form such a street!
Is Your Home Insured?

Fire In Town
May be held in check
But Out on the Farm
May End in Wreck
See Us
For Farm Insurance
and
Farm Loans

Holt State Bank

JOINT AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming we will sell at Public Auction in Section 23, Township of Holt, 3 miles east and 1 mile north of Holt, on

Friday March 31

Commencing at 11 o'clock A. M. — Free Lunch at Noon

Live Stock

Bay horse 6 years old weight 1500
Bay horse 5 years old weight 1500
Sorrel horse 11 years old wt. 1500
Black horse 10 years old wt. 1400
Black horse 8 years old wt. 1450
Bay mare 8 years old weight 1400
Mare colt 1 year old 70 Chix
2 red Cows, fresh, 4 & 7 years old
Red Cow 3 years old fresh in Apr.
Red Cow 5 yrs fresh in May
2 red Cows 3 & 4 yrs fresh in June
Holstein heifer 2 1-2 years, fresh
2 Heifers 1 yr old 2 Heifer calves
2 Yearling Steers

1 red Cow 6 years old
1 red and white Cow, 6 years old
1 red yearling heifer
1 red yearling bull
2 young calves

Farm Machinery

Minnesota Binder Hay rack
Deering Mower Hay rake
Emerson hay rake Single buggy
Osborne 16 disc harrow Sleds
Grand De Tour gang plow
Emerson gang plow Buggy
Deering reaper 26 ft harrow
Wagon, wide tire, complete box
2 Peoria disc drills 22 and 16 discs
3 section drag 16 in sulky plow
Columbus wagon nearly new, wide tire
Champion Mower Single harness
3 sets work harness 30 new sax
Other articles too numerous to mention

Gray Percheron brood mare 6 yrs. old, weight 1600
Bay mare 6 years old, weight 1200
Bay horse 12 yrs old weight 1200

TERMS: Sums of $10.00 or less Cash. Over $10.00 time will be given until Nov. 1, 1916, on bankable notes bearing 10 per cent interest

O. [illegible] Dovre and C. W. Christianson Owners

Ole [illegible] Brenna, Auct. — Holt State Bank, Clerk

HIGH PRICES—GOOD CROPS

And Good Demand for All Farm Products.

It is no new experience for settlers located in a fertile country such as Western Canada, where lands may be bought at very reasonable prices, to harvest a crop that in one season pays the entire cost of their farm. Undoubtedly this was the experience of many farmers during 1915, but one instance may be quoted. A settler who came to Canada from the United States some years ago decided to add to his holdings by buying an adjoining quarter section near his home at Warner, at $20.00 an acre, with terms spread over a period of years. He got the land into a good state of cultivation and last spring put the whole quarter section in wheat. When the crop was threshed he found that it only took half the wheat on the farm to pay the whole purchase price of it; in short a single year's crop paid the cost of the land, paid all the expenses of operation and left him a handsome surplus as profit. This settler had some adjoining land, and his whole wheat crop for the season amounted to over 18,000 bushels. He is now planning to obtain some sheep and invest his profits in live stock which will assure him a good living irrespective of what the season may happen to be.

Canada's financial position is excellent. All speculation has been eliminated, and trading is done on a cash basis, with restricted credit.

Detailed figures of Canada's trade for twelve months ending October 31 show how the war is forcing Canadian trade into new channels. One of the most extraordinary changes is in commerce with the United States. A couple of years ago Canada imported from the United States two or three hundred million dollars' worth of goods more than she exported. The balance of trade was all with the United States. The balance is rapidly disappearing, and the present outlook is that by the end of this year Canada will have exported to the United States more than she has imported.

The figures for the past four years are illuminating. They are as follows:

	Exports.	Imports.
1912	$145,721,650	$412,657,022
1913	179,050,796	442,341,840
1914	213,493,406	421,074,528
1915	314,118,774	346,569,924

Four years ago, in 1912, the balance of trade in favor of the United States was no less than two hundred and sixty-seven millions, and this year, the balance is reduced to only thirty-two millions. The figures are extraordinary and reflect the changed and new conditions in Canada. It looks as if for the first time in nearly half a century this year Canada will sell more to the United States than she will buy from the Americans.—Advertisement

Market Language.

"How are the chickens today?"

"I ain't heard a one of 'em complaining, sir."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

The Reason.

"Why do they call a baseball the sphere?"

"Because it is whirled."

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

A man's intellect doesn't seem to have anything in common with his happiness.

Sprains relieved by thorough applications of Hanford's Balsam well rubbed in. Adv.

The Humorous Hat

"Has she any sense of humor?"

"I don't think so. She can look at her hat without laughing."

State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Duluth. — The Minneapolis East high school debating team won by a two to one vote its debate with the team of Central high of Duluth.

Mankato. — Mrs. Anna Christine Anderson, lacking less than a year of reaching the century mark, is dead at the home of her daughter-in-law, near here.

Faribault.—The plans for the buildings of the new packing plant have arrived. Bids for their construction will be received from Faribault and Twin City contractors.

Montevideo.—A baby welfare meeting was held in the high school building under the auspices of the Tuesday Study club. Upward of 100 babies competed for the prizes in the various classes.

Winona. — A "bible class" of 10 members has just been given the first degree of the Knights of Pythias here. High officials witnessed the taking of the oath on the original bible on which the order was started.

Winona. — Leslie Allen, a Winona boy, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen, now reside in Minneapolis, has appealed for release from the British navy on the ground that he is a subject of the United States.

Duluth. — Mrs. Alexander Henricksen is at a Duluth hospital with a dangerous wound at the base of her skull, and her husband has a severe scalp wound and a bullet wound in the arm as a result of a bold attempted robbery at noon.

Thief River Falls. — An important meeting for the discussion of the treatment of peat lands is scheduled for this month, when Professor Alway, soil expert of the state university, will meet with business men and farmers of this locality.

St. Paul.—Rev. Henry Jajeski, pastor of St. Casimir's church, who was shot and killed by Mrs. Aniela Dudek of Minneapolis, a former parishioner, left an estate of $6,450, according to the petition for letters of administration filed in probate court.

St. Cloud. — More than 250 prisoners in the St. Cloud state reformatory were tested in the "ordeal by fire" and not one was found wanting when flames threatened the institution. The fire burned the roof off the storehouse and damaged the tailor shop.

Hawley. — At the annual meeting of the Clay County Federation of Farmers' Clubs, held in this city, plans for a big county picnic day were laid. The picnic will be held in June or July, the date to be fixed soon by the federation officers.

Duluth. — With a total of $30,511,287.81, deposits in Duluth's four national banks are now at their high point. Statements of conditions as on March 7, made at the call of the comptroller of the treasury, were reported gratifying in every respect.

St. Paul.—The landslide vote for V. R. Irvin for mayor of St. Paul, the utter defeat of Commissioner Anthony Yoerg, and the failure of Mayor Winn Powers to take even second place in the mayoralty race, were the outstanding features of the St. Paul primaries.

Bemidji. — This city will show a population of 10,000 when the new city directory is completed June 1, is the belief here. In 1914 the city had 6,937 residents. With the annexation of Nymore this spring it is believed the population will reach 10,000. Nymore had 1,400 in 1914.

St. Cloud. — While members of the normal faculty here were making arrangements for the entertainment of several hundred educators arriving for the meeting of the Central Minnesota Educational association, Waite A. Shomaker, president of the state normal school fourteen years, died at Lawrence hall annex.

St. Paul. — Senator A. B. Cummins of Iowa carried the state easily against Henry D. Estabrook of New York in the presidential preference primary election. William Grant Webster, the Chicago "unknown," is recorded as receiving a scattering few votes. The Cummins delegation will be headed by two former governors, S. R. Van Sant and A. O. Eberhart, and by the "old war horse" of Lac qui Parle, J. F. Jacobson. The fourth delegate-at-large is in doubt with Fred C. Stevens of St. Paul, A. A. D. Rahn of Minneapolis and James Manahan of St. Paul leading for the place.

Woodrow Wilson had no opposition on the democratic ticket, but the figures show that thousands of democratic voters failed to mark the president's name. The battle was between the supporters and opponents of Fred B. Lynch, national committeeman. The Lynch candidates, indorsed by the conference at St. Paul, Feb. 3, appear to have won out in the state at large and in most of the districts. Anti-Lynch men declare the fight is not yet over, but the outlook now favors Mr. Lynch's re-election at St. Louis in June.

Duluth. — The government's ice report on Lake Superior, just given out, shows that the Duluth field has lost five miles in the past week. Two Harbors, Minn., reports broken ice in the harbor and a moving field. South shore harbors report solid and thick ice. Port Arthur is ice-bound.

Mesaba. — While crossing Birch lake, eighteen miles east of this village, William C. Taft of Utica, N. Y., was surrounded and attacked by a pack of seven timber wolves. Taft had no weapon except a pocket knife with which he killed two of the wolves before assistance reached him.

GUARD YOUR FAMILY

PERUNA protects the family against coughs, colds, catarrh, bronchitis, catarrh of the stomach, liver and kidneys. It is just as sure to relieve a case of catarrh of the bowels as it is a case of catarrh of the head.

Anyone suffering from catarrh, severe or mild, acute or chronic, in any organ or part of the human body, should at once get a bottle of PERUNA.

As soon as the value of PERUNA is fully appreciated in every household, both as a preventive and a relief from catarrhal affections, tens of thousands of lives will be saved and hundreds of thousands of chronic lingering cases will be prevented. PERUNA, indeed, is a household safeguard.

A course of PERUNA never fails to bring relief in such cases, since there is no remedy like it, as thousands of people have testified.

Peruna Tablets are now available in convenient tins. Easy to take.

How to Talk to the Wounded.

"What the boches can't stand, you know, ma'am, is cold steel."

"Yes, I suppose it gets very cold this time of the year."—London Punch.

FIERY RED PIMPLES

Soothed and Healed by Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Trial Free.

Smear the affected skin with Cuticura Ointment on end of finger. Let it remain five to ten minutes. Then wash off with plenty of Cuticura Soap and hot water. Dry without irritation. Nothing like Cuticura for all skin troubles from infancy to age.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Probably He Knew.

"I have a mind to get married."

"No; that shows lack of mind."—Exchange

J. J. Williams of Boulder, Col., after successfully using Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh for sores, mud fever and thrush, writes: "Your Balsam is worth many dollars to horsemen and stock owners." Adv.

Synthetic Eggs.

An Austrian scientist of Graz is said to have been making synthetic eggs. He has been able to extract the albumen contained in the blood of bullocks, sheep, pigs, and other animals slaughtered for human consumption, and to present it in such a form that it has no trace of its origin, either in taste or smell. As prepared by his system, it is a coarse, yellow powder to which he has given the name of haematalb. His process has already been applied in a number of German and Austrian abattoirs, and haematalb is in use in many hospitals of the central empires as a substitute for eggs. It dissolves in water, and can also be used in the preparation of pastry and other dishes.

Barred Out.

Husband—Have you called upon those new people yet?

Wife—No, we can't associate with them. I was saved from doing it in the nick of time.

Husband—What happened?

Wife—Why, by the merest accident I heard that they run an open car all winter.—Judge.

Exceptions.

"Women have no idea of applied science in ordinary life."

"How about chemical blondes?"

When a man makes a fool of himself over a woman, it's a sign that it doesn't require much of an effort.

However, many of us are for any brand of reform that's fashionable.

MORE THAN EVER

Increased Capacity for Work Since Leaving Off Coffee.

Many former coffee drinkers who have mental work to perform day after day, have found a better capacity and greater endurance by using Postum instead of coffee. An Illinois woman writes:

"I had drank coffee for about twenty years, and finally had what the doctor called 'coffee heart.' I was nervous and extremely despondent; had little mental or physical strength left; had kidney trouble and constipation.

"The first noticeable benefit which followed the change from coffee to Postum was the improved action of the kidneys and bowels. In two weeks my heart action was greatly improved and my nerves steadier.

"Then I became less despondent, and the desire to be active again showed proof of renewed physical and mental strength.

"I formerly did mental work and had to give it up on account of coffee, but since using Postum I am doing hard mental labor with less fatigue." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled, 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both forms are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum
—sold by Grocers.

MERCHANTS BACK NEW COURSE AT 'U'

REPRESENTATIVES DISCUSS ADVANCE PLANS WITH MEMBERS OF THE FACULTY.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

Backed solidly by the business men and commercial organizations of the state, the University of Minnesota has taken a step in advance of any state institution in the country and has announced a residential course of one year in retail merchandising. Further the University will, during the coming scholastic year, offer a four-year course in business education, culminating in the degree Bachelor of Arts.

The projected courses were discussed in detail at a conference between members of development and civic societies and members of the University faculty.

President Vincent in outlining the work told the business men that it was to be divided into three general classes: the evening extension courses for those engaged in day work in the Twin Cities; the one-year short course, really an extension of the merchant's short course offered last year with marked success and finally the four year's business course leading to a bachelor of arts degree.

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To Spend Millions On Roads.

Minnesota will improve more than 3,000 miles of roads at an aggregate cost of $7,453,451, according to figures prepared in the office of George W. Cooley, state engineer of the Minnesota Highway commission. More than 1,000 miles, will be graveled, and more than 2,000 graded. These figures were obtained through the total in the state apportionment, the amount of the county road and bridge levies, and the sum spent last year by the townships.

The amount of the state apportionment was $1,500,000, made up of the state road levy and the amount received from motor vehicle taxation. The county road and bridge tax brought in $2,753,451, and the townships $3,200,000.

Of the total, about $4,000,000 will be used under the supervision of the highway commission. Besides the amount raised from taxation, Winona county is planning a bond issue of $500,000 to be spent on roads and bridges.

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Rural School Meeting May 1.

Administration of the rural schools of Minnesota will be discussed by the rural school committee named by C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education, May 1. Supervision was taken up by the committee at its recent meeting at the Capitol.

The educators will discuss an optional plan for bringing together all the rural schools in a county under the county board and county superintendent or recommend that the plan in force in Koochiching and St. Louis counties, which allows any rural district to dissolve and join the county district, be adopted.

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State Land at Duluth Sold.

The sale of state lands at Duluth resulted in 5,900 acres being disposed of for $62,970, according to figures just given out by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor. The average price paid for the lands was $10.75 per acre. "In many instances the state received five times the amount of the appraised value of the land," said Mr. Preus. "The prices bid by those eager to obtain lands from $5, the minimum price fixed by the constitution, to $161 per acre."

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Prison Twine In Demand.

The Minnesota state prison could sell more twine than it now manufactures, according to the statement of Frank Whittier, parole agent. The prison twine plant will make 2,000,000 pounds this year. This already has been sold. The Russian government a short time ago sent in an order for 4,000,000 pounds, but it could not be filled.

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Vincent Takes Vacation.

President George E. Vincent of the University of Minnesota has started on his first vacation since he became head of the university. With Mrs. Vincent and his daughter Elizabeth, he left for a five weeks' stay in California. Dean Albert F. Woods of the department of agriculture will be acting president during Dr. Vincent's absence.

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Canvassing Board Meets March 28.

The state canvassing board will meet at the Capitol March 28 to go over the returns of the presidential primary.

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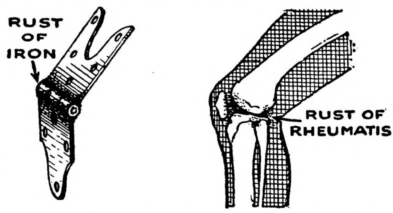
On "U" Expenditures.

The University acted with the full knowledge and approval of the attorney general in certain steps declared illegal in the annual report of the state public examiner, according to George H. Hayes, comptroller of the University. In his report of the books and affairs of the University, the examiner called attention to certain overdrafts of specific appropriations, terming them illegal transactions. The largest was any item of $20,000 for construction of the inter-campus trolley line.

DRINK HOT WATER AND RID JOINTS OF RHEUMATIC RUST

Why rheumatism and lumbago sufferers should drink phosphated hot water each morning before breakfast



Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of incombustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste material, toxins and ptomaine-like poisons, called uric acid, is formed and then sucked into the blood where it continues to circulate, collecting grain by grain in the joints of the body much like rust collects on the hinge as shown above.

Men and women who suffer from lumbago, rheumatism or sore, stiff, aching joints should begin drinking phosphated hot water, not as a means to magic relief from pain, but to prevent more uric acid forming in the system. Before eating breakfast each morning, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will first neutralize and then wash out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's accumulation of toxins and poisons; thus, cleansing, sweetening, and freshening the entire alimentary canal, each morning, before putting more food into the stomach.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate costs very little at the drug store but is sufficient to make any rheumatic or lumbago sufferer an enthusiast on the morning inside bath.

Millions of people keep their joints free from these rheumatic acids by practicing this daily internal sanitation. A glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate, drank before breakfast, is wonderfully invigorating; besides, it is an excellent health measure because it cleanses the alimentary organs of all the waste, gases and sour fermentations, making one look and feel clean, sweet and fresh all day.

Those who try this for one week may find themselves free from sick headaches, constipation, bilious attacks, sallowness, nasty breath and stomach acidity.

It May Be.

"I see jonquils and daffodils on sale. How is it that the early flowers are always yellow?"

"Dunno. Guess spring is bilious like the rest of us."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Accounted For.

"Why was it your client failed to put a good face on the matter?"

"He changed countenance."

Potters are not the only people who make family jars.

Good Advice.

"I intend to bag an heiress."

"Look out that she doesn't give you the sack."

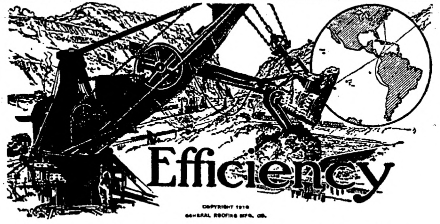
Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh is a good leg wash for horses and cattle. Adv.

A Prediction.

Knicker—Who will be the presidential candidates?

Bocker—"Very" and "I."

When there is a famine in the matrimonial field at home a girl goes to some other town to study music or teach school.



Efficiency built the Panama Canal, after inefficiency failed. The efficiency of the Panama Canal doubled the effectiveness of the U. S. Navy without adding a ship to it. It took over 8,000 miles out of the trip from New York to San Francisco and changed the highway between London and Australia from Suez to Panama.

Efficiency insures against lost motion—it produces the utmost service out of equipment and yields the finest product, at the least cost.

Certain-teed
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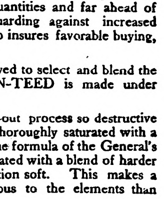
Every advantage that men, money and machinery can offer is used to increase the production, maintain the quality and lower the cost. Each of the General's enormous mills is advantageously located to serve the ends of efficient manufacture and quick distribution. Each is equipped with the most up-to-date machinery. Raw materials are purchased in enormous quantities and far ahead of the needs of manufacturing, thus guarding against increased cost due to idle machinery. This also insures favorable buying, and the pick of the market.

Expert chemists at each mill are employed to select and blend the asphalts, and every roll of CERTAIN-TEED is made under their watchful care.

CERTAIN-TEED resists the drying-out process so destructive to ordinary roofing, because the felt is thoroughly saturated with a blend of soft asphalts, prepared under the formula of the General's board of expert chemists. It is then coated with a blend of harder asphalts, which keeps the inner saturation soft. This makes a roofing more pliable, and more impervious to the elements than the harder, drier kind.

CERTAIN-TEED is made in rolls; also in slate-surfaced shingles.



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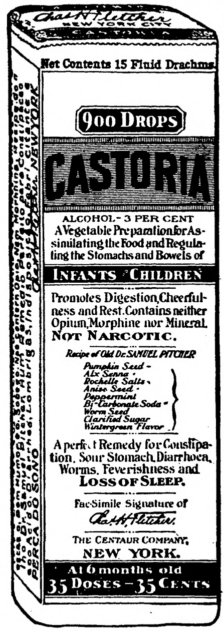
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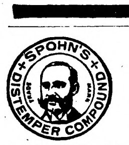

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You can prevent this loathsome disease from running through your stable and cure all the colts suffering with it when you begin the treatment. No matter how young, SPOHN'S is safe to use on any colt. It is wonderful how it prevents all distempers, no matter how colts or horses at any age are "exposed." All good druggists and turf goods houses and manufacturers sell SPOHN'S at 50 cents and $1 a bottle; $5 and $10 a dozen. SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemists and Bacteriologists, Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.

There are more than 7,000 men in Paris who are blind as a result of injuries sustained in the war.

HOW WONDERFULLY RESINOL SOOTHES ITCHING SKINS!

If you have eczema, ringworm or other itching, burning, sleep-destroying skin-eruption, try Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap and see how quickly the itching stops and the trouble disappears. Resinol Ointment is also an excellent household remedy for dandruff, sores, burns, wounds, chafings and for a score of other uses where a soothing, healing application is needed.

Resinol contains nothing of a harsh or injurious nature and can be used freely even on the most irritated surface. Every druggist sells Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap.—Adv.

Anyway, one-half the world knows that the other half is looking for the best of it.

Throw Off Colds and Prevent Grip.
When you feel a cold coming on, take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It removes cause of Colds and Grip. Only One "BROMO QUININE." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c.

Women never criticize the grammar of men who pay them compliments.

For harness galls and sore shoulders use Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Adv.

All things come with the waiter who serves an order of hash.

In the effort to eradicate

HEADACHE AND NEURALGIA

Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne now heads the list as a successful remedy for the relief of headache, nervousness, insomnia, car sickness, etc.

The dangerous tablet has had its day. Hoyt's Headache and Neuralgia Cologne is a harmless, refreshing, fragrant preparation, marvelous in its action, relieving nervousness, sleeplessness, exhaustion and all head and nerve ailments by external use and inhaling. It is not a nerve food, but a nerve soother. By giving the nerves a rest they furnish their own food and tone, and all nerve pains disappear.

For children's colds and catarrh it is just the remedy, harmless and efficient and so pleasant to use. For men a pleasant remedy to relieve and clear the head "the morning after the night before." This is not an expensive preparations at 50 cents a bottle, because it brings the relief. It has many imitators at less price, but if they do not bring the desired results they are not cheap at any price.

Get Hoyt's and you will be satisfied. For sale at all drug stores.

Theodore Roosevelt was the youngest man ever elected to the presidency of the United States.

To Build Up After Grippe, Colds Bad Blood

Take a blood cleanser and alterative that starts the liver and stomach into vigorous action, called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery because of one of its principal ingredients—the Golden Seal plant. It assists the body to manufacture rich red blood which feeds the heart—nerves—brain and organs of the body. The organs work smoothly like machinery running in oil. You feel clean, strong and strenuous. Buy "Medical Discovery" today and in a few days you will know that the bad blood is passing out, and new, rich, pure blood is filling your veins and arteries.

Her Idea.

"Do you think Cholly Primrose ever thinks?"

"If he does, he takes pains to hide it."

"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath, Sour Stomach and constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now.

No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels—you always get the desired results with Cascarets.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets to-night; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All stores sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a cleansing, too. Adv.

Men can't understand why women worry over trifles and women can't understand why men do not.

Use Murine after Exposure to Cold Cutting Winds and Dust. It Restores, Refreshes and Promotes Eye Health. Good for all Eyes that Need Care. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

The fool never stops to count the cost until the bill collector calls.

Keep Hanford's Balsam in your stable. Adv.

Explained.

The Ancient Mariner shot the albatross.

"I mistook it for a neutral canary," he explained.

Man is a mister, woman is a mystery.

BACKACHE, LUMBAGO

Uric acid causes backache, pains here and there, rheumatism, gout, gravel, neuralgia and sciatica. It was Dr. Pierce who discovered a new agent, called "Anuric," which will throw out and completely eradicate this uric acid from the system. "Anuric" is 37 times more potent than lithia, and consequently you need no longer fear muscular or articular rheumatism or gout, or many other diseases which are dependent on uric acid within the body.

If you feel that tired, worn-out feeling, backache, neuralgia or if your sleep is disturbed by too frequent urination, go to your best drug store and ask for Doctor Pierce's Anuric Tablets, full treatment 50c or send 10 cents for a trial package of "Anuric" Tablets to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel Buffalo, N. Y.

FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

The Swedish foreign office informs the Associated Press that a warning against embarking on armed merchantmen has been issued to Swedish citizens.

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British casualties in all the war areas published during the month of February showed a total of 739 officers and 17,847 men.

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It was announced in the British House of Commons that the Italian government had requisitioned thirty-four of the thirty-seven German steamers interned in Italian ports.

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A Berlin statement claims German troops cleared Bouaumont on the western front near Verdun, advanced west and south of the village and took more than 1,000 prisoners and several heavy guns.

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Germany, in her Verdun drive, has taken approximately forty square miles of positions held by the French, or more than four times as much as the French gained in the entire Champagne offensive last fall.

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The entente allies have massed 500,000 to 1,000,000 fresh troops at Bordeaux, France, to be ready for emergencies, according to passengers who arrived in New York from aboard the steamship, Rochambeau.

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Owing to the great demand for alcohol for technical purposes, Dr. von Bethmann-Holweg, the German imperial chancellor, has issued an order prohibiting temporarily the exercising of raw alcohol for drinking purposes.

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Great Britain's national expenditure for the current year will reach the gigantic total of £1,509,000,000 ($7,545,000,000), according to a statement by Reginald McKenna, chancellor of the exchequer, addressing a meeting in London.

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Berlin announces that the German cruiser Moewe has arrived in a German port. The raider had on board 199 prisoners and 1,000,000 marks in gold bars. The vessel captured fifteen enemy steamers during its sensational cruise, the greater part of which were sunk.

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The French ministry of marine announces that there were nearly 4,000 men on board the French auxiliary cruiser Provence when she was sunk supposedly by a submarine in the Mediterranean on February 26 and that more than 3,000 lives were lost. The sinking of the French auxiliary cruiser Provence is said to be the greatest ocean disaster of modern times.

GENERAL.

Twenty persons were killed and a large number injured in an explosion near St. Denis in the suburbs of Paris.

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A permanent organization of American mayors to promote the cause of national defense was effected at a meeting of mayors and their representatives from eighty large cities at St. Louis.

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Iowa university, announced the registrar at Iowa City, has broken all records for attendance. The registration has reached 3,267, passing the 1915 mark nearly 300, and all other totals at Iowa by greater numbers.

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For the first February without saloons, Fort Dodge, Ia., has the record of only twenty-one arrests, while in February last year there were 153. Of the twenty-one this year but twelve were for drunkenness. One white slave was among the balance.

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The Quaker Oil Co. of Pittsburg, Pa., the producing corporation in the mid continent field, has declared a dividend of $1,400 a share. The stock has a par value of $25 a share. The total amount of the dividend is $2,800,000.

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Eleven cases of smallpox in the home of R. T. Springer, a farmer near Assumption, Ill., were reported and the place was quarantined. Mr. and Mrs. Springer, eight sons and a young woman working are afflicted.

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Petitions asking that the name of John H. Morehead, governor of Nebraska, be placed on the preferential ballot in Nebraska as a vice presidential candidate, are being circulated in Lincoln, and will be sent at once to other western states where primaries are to be held, it is said.

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For the first time in [illegible] fat [illegible] reached [illegible] a hundred [illegible] on the [illegible] market a few days ago. Packing interests' demands are given as the cause of the high figure.

El Norte, a Mexican newspaper of El Paso, Texas, favorable to Felix Diaz, published what purports to be the plan under which the nephew of Porfirio Diaz expects to inaugurate a new revolution as soon as he reaches Mexico.

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Ohio school teachers won a victory in their campaign for organization of unions when the state supreme court at Columbus declined to dismiss a Cleveland case involving the question of their legal right to affiliate with labor bodies.

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Within twenty-four years Mrs. David Hughes, wife of a farmer living west of Knoxville, Iowa, has made a clear profit of nearly $21,000 by selling more than 60,000 pounds of butter. Mrs. Hughes has marketed a weekly average of sixty-six pounds of butter.

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The Iowa anti-tipping law was held to be unconstitutional by Judge George Jepson, in the district court at Sioux City. The court held the law was class legislation. The decision was rendered in the case of a barber arrested for taking a 25-cent tip.

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Observance of a "swat the fly" day in Iowa schools some time soon has been proposed by W. B. Barney of the Iowa Dairy and Food commission at Des Moines. Every fly which escapes death in the spring has 5,000,000,000,000 descendants by fall, according to the commissioner.

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Plans are being formulated at Iowa City, Ia., for the organization of a state-wide good roads congress. The plan is to name one vice-president of the congress in every county, the county vice president to name a township vice president and the township officer to appoint four assistants.

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Sixteen nations are participating in the big second year of the San Diego Panama-California exposition, which will be formally opened by President Davidson at San Diego on March 18. When the 1915 exposition closed December 31, it had established a world's record for expositions by remaining open for an entire year.

SPORTING.

The Wisconsin boxing commission ruled that Battling Nelson was "too far gone" to box Ad Wolgast, to whom he lost the world's championship. They had been matched to box at Appleton April 12.

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President Wilson will open the Atlantic Coast Bowling tournament in Washington April 3 by rolling an engraved ball down the alleys. The first night will be known as "Woodrow Wilson night," in honor of the president.

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The world's record price for an undeveloped yearling trotter was established at the mid-winter sale in New York, when St. Frusquin, sired by San Fran, was sold to W. R. Cox, veteran trainer of Dover, N. H., for $5,600 after spirited bidding.

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Final approval for football games on Thanksgiving day, with the stipulation that such games must be played in the afternoon was given at a meeting of the Missouri Valley Conference Governing Board at St. Louis. Post season games were forbidden.

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Frank Gotch and Joe Stecher were offered a purse of $40,000 by John H. McIntosh representing the Copper City Athletic club to wrestle for the world's championship in Butte, Mont., at the State Elks' convention in July. This is the largest bid yet made for this match, the highest previous offer having been made by a Chicago club.

WASHINGTON.

Appropriation of $50,000 for investigation of the American dyestuff shortage was included in the annual agricultural appropriation bill reported to the house by Representative Lever.

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Congressman Sloan has introduced a bill to reimburse the state of Nebraska for $42,000 spent in the prosecution of the campaign against the Sioux Indians in 1861 and giving the survivors of that Indian campaign a pensionable status.

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A regular army of 200,000 men, organization and training of a volunteer reserve of about 200,000 men, one battalion in each congressional district in addition to the national guard, and material increases in the field artillery and aviation services are proposed in a bill reported by the senate committee on military affairs.

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Promotion of naval officers by selection instead of by seniority, an increase of 50 per cent in officers of all grades, creation of a war reserve list and restoration of the popular old rank of commodore are proposed in a bill drafted by the navy personnel board and transmitted to congress by Secretary Daniels.

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A bill to appropriate $[illegible] for the relief of inhabitants of Poland was introduced in congress by Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska. The bill would have the president obtain the approval of belligerent governments to and guarantee the distribution of supplies among the suffering people of Poland.

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Orders [illegible] to restore to entry [illegible] acres of public land in [illegible] acres in eastern Utah and [illegible]988 acres in western central Montana.

KIDNEYS CLOG UP FROM EATING TOO MUCH MEAT

Take Tablespoonful of Salts if Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers—Meat Forms Uric Acid.

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well-known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to free the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging pains in the back or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleeplessness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in urine so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, and nobody can make a mistake by taking a little occasionally to keep the kidneys clean and active.—Adv.

Neutrality.

"We are maintaining a strict neutrality."

"Hardly! We are praying that the right side may win and are quite convinced as to which is the right side."

For galls use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

The reindeer has been known to pull 200 pounds at ten miles an hour for 12 hours.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00. —Adv.

Close B. Palmer has been leader of a church choir at Maple Grove, Tenn., for the past 58 years.

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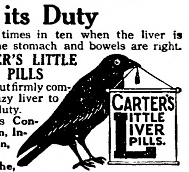

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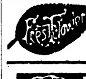

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Women Once Invalids

Now in Good Health Through Use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Say it is Household Necessity. Doctor Called it a Miracle.

All women ought to know the wonderful effects of taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound even on those who seem hopelessly ill. Here are three actual cases:

Harrisburg, Penn.—"When I was single I suffered a great deal from female weakness because my work compelled me to stand all day. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for that and was made stronger by its use. After I was married I took the Compound again for a female trouble and after three months I passed what the doctor called a growth. He said it was a miracle that it came away as one generally goes under the knife to have them removed. I never want to be without your Compound in the house."—Mrs. FRANK KNOBL, 1642 Fulton St., Harrisburg, Penn.

Hardly Able to Move.

Albert Lea, Minn.—"For about a year I had sharp pains across my back and hips and was hardly able to move around the house. My head would ache and I was dizzy and had no appetite. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills, I am feeling stronger than for years. I have a little boy eight months old and am doing my work all alone. I would not be without your remedies in the house as there are none like them."—Mrs. F. E. YOST, 611 Water St., Albert Lea, Minn.

Three Doctors Gave Her Up.

Pittsburg, Penn.—"Your medicine has helped me wonderfully. When I was a girl 18 years old I was always sickly and delicate and suffered from irregularities. Three doctors gave me up and said I would go into consumption. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and with the third bottle began to feel better. I soon became regular and I got strong and shortly after I was married. Now I have two nice stout healthy children and am able to work hard every day."—Mrs. CLEMENTINA DUERRING, 34 Gardner St., Troy Hill, Pittsburg, Penn.

All women are invited to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special advice,—it will be confidential.

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Use any injector, but Cutter's best. The superiority of Cutter products is due to over 15 years of specializing in vaccines and serums only. Insist on Cutter's. If unobtainable, order direct. The Cutter Laboratory, Berkeley, Cal., or Chicago, Ill.

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Tumors and Lupus successfully treated without knife or pain. All work guaranteed. Come, or write for Free Illustrated Book. Dr. WILLIAMS SANATORIUM 2900 University Av., Minneapolis, Minn.

ORDINANCE NO. XIII.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A FIRE WARDEN IN THE VILLAGE OF HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, AND PRESCRIBING HIS DUTIES.

The Village Council of the Village of Holt do ordain as follows:

Section 1.—At the first regular meeting of the Village Council held after the annual election in March of each year the Village Council shall appoint a Fire Warden in and for said Village, and at the same meeting shall by resolution prescribe the salary or fees, as the case may be, which said officer shall receive for his services. The appointment shall be for the term of one year, but he may re removed by the Council at any time for cause.

Section 2.—Within ten days after his appointment by the Village Council the Fire Warden shall take and subscribe to an official oath similar to that of other public officers in said Village, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties according to law, which oath shall be filed with the Village Clerk.

Section 3.—The fire warden shall have general supervision over all real and personal property located within the boundaries of the Village of Holt in relation to the prevention of fires. He shall make an inspection of all chimneys in all buildings within the corporate limits of the village at least twice in each year, in the months of October and March and shall cause the owner or occupant of each building to keep all chimneys in such condition that he can thoroughly inspect the same. He shall have the power to issue and enforce any proper order as to the cleaning or repairing of chimneys and the disposition of all refuse or inflamable material contained within any building or within a distance of fifty (50) feet thereof, in such manner as may in his judgment be necessary for the prevention of fires. He shall have the power to compel any person depositing any refuse or inflamable material on any street, alley or vacant lot in said Village to forthwith clean up and remove the same, provided, however, that hay or straw necessary for the proper care and maintenance of live stock belonging to any resident of said Village may be kept by the owner or occupant of any barn either within such barn or safely stacked and fenced in adjacent thereto, but not closer than a distance of twenty (20) feet from any other barn or building owned or occupied by others. He shall at all times have free access to any store, store room, warehouse or other building wherein any merchandise may at any time be stored, kept or offered for sale within the corporate limits of said Village, and shall have the right to examine and inspect the same, and if in his opinion such premises be not in a safe and proper condition in relation to danger from fire, he may issue such instruction to the owner or occupant of such premises as may best in his judgment serve to prevent any danger of or loss or damages by fire.

Section 4.—Any person refusing to comply with any proper or legal order of the Fire Warden for the prevention of danger from fires within three days after such order shall have been issued shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon arrest and conviction thereof be punished by a fine of not less than Five nor more than Twenty-five Dollars, or by imprisonment in the County jail of said Marshall County, Minnesota, for not more than Thirty (30) days.

Section 5.—All ordinances or parts of Ordinance inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 6.—This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Dated March 18, 1916.

Attest:

D. Payne, President.

A. L. CARLSON,
Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. XIV.

AN ORDINANCE TO LICENSE, REGULATE AND PROHIBIT THE USE OF POOL TABLES, BILLIARD TABLES, AND PIGEON HOLE TABLES, AND TO REGULATE THE OPERATION OF POOL AND BILLIARD HALLS WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF HOLT.

The Village Council of the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, Do Ordain as Follows:

Section 1.—No person, firm, corporation or association shall maintain, use or operate any billiard tables, pool tables, pigeon hole tables or any other tables upon which billiards, pool or other similar games are played, or shall maintain or operate any building or room wherein such tables are kept for hire, without first having obtained from the Village Council of the Village of Holt a license to use, maintain and operate such tables and to conduct such business, as hereinafter provided.

Section 2.—The license fee for the operation and maintenance of pool tables, billiard tables or pigeon hole tables or other tables upon which pool, billiard or similar games are played for hire is hereby fixed at Five and No-100 Dollars ($5.00) per year for each table, and no license shall be issued for a shorter period than one year.

Section 3.—Any person wishing to engage in the business or occupation of conducting a pool or billiard hall and of owning and maintaining for hire billiard tables, pool tables or pigeon hole tables shall make written application to the Village Council of the Village of Holt, giving the name of the proprietor of such billiard and pool hall for whom license is required, the legal description of the premises upon which it is proposed to conduct such business, and accompanying the application with a license fee of Five and No-100 Dollars ($5.00) for each pool table, billiard table or pigeon hole table, which such licensee proposes to operate. Such application shall be acted upon by the Village Council only at a regular meeting of the Council and if such license is granted in accordance with such application the accompanying fee shall pay the license fee for one (1) year. If the application is rejected the payment accompanying the application shall be returned to the applicant.

Section 4.—Every billiard hall and pool room or any room or place where billiard tables, pool tables or pigeon hole tables are kept shall be closed from Ten (10) o'clock P. M. to Five (5) o'clock A. M., of every day during the week and at all hours on Sundays, and the owner, proprietor, lessee or other person having control of, charge of, or access to any such billiard hall or pool room, or place where such tables are kept, shall not permit anyone to enter the room or place where such billiard, pool or pigeon hole tables are kept during or at any of the times aforesaid.

Section 5.—No gambling or game of chance where any money or other thing of value is wagered upon the turn of cards, dice, or any other game of chance, shall be permitted in any such pool room or billiard hall or place where such tables are kept, at any time.

Section 6.—Any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction before any Justice of the Peace or other competent Court, be punished by a fine of not less than Five ($5.00) Dollars nor more than One Hundred Dollars ($100.00), or by imprisonmen in the county jail for not to exceed Thirty (30) days.

Section 7.—All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 8.—This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and publication.

Passed March 18, 1916.

Attest:

D. Payne, President.

A. L. CARLSON,
Clerk.

Auction bills printed at this office.

Otto Larson was a Thief River Falls visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack visited relatives in Thief River Falls Sunday.

The English Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. All children welcome.

Farms for rent at Holt State Bank

A. L. Carlson and P. L. Anderson attended the Elks lodge in T. R. Falls Friday night.

Herbert VanWold and family visited at the Alkenbrack home the first of the week. They drove thru from Estewan, Canada, to their claim in Mud Lake.

Auction Sale!

As I am going to quit farming I will sell at public auction on my place in Section 36, Town of East Valley, 9 miles East of Holt, on

Wednesday April 5

Commencing at 11 o'clock **Free Lunch at Noon**

Cattle! Cattle!

3 red Oxen, 8 years old
Red and white Ox 8 years
Durham Cow 8 years old
(fresh in November)
Jersey Cow 8 years old
(will be fresh in April)
Red & white Cow 6 years
(will be fresh in April)
Jersey Cow 4 years old
(will be fresh in April)
Red & white Cow 4 years
(will be fresh in April)
Shorthorn Bull 1 year old
Red Bull 1 year old

Machinery, Etc.

Weber Wagon, wide tire
Disc harrow, 14 disks
Emerson Sulky Plow with breaker attachment
Hay Rack
Deering Hay Rake
McCormick Mower
4 Horse Equealizer
Cook Stove
DeLaval Cream Seperator
(No. 15, nearly new)
Other articles too numerous to mention

Terms: Sums of $10.00 or less, Cash. Over $10.00 time will be given to Nov. 1, 1916, on bankable notes bearing Ten per cent interest.

Ole O. Garthus

Ole Brenna, Auctioneer **Holt State Bank, Clerk**

Potatoes for Sale

I have about 400 bus. of clean Early Ohio potatoes for sale at $1.00 a bushel F. O. B. Holt. Secure your seed early by sending your order to

P. A. Risberg.
Holt Minn.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Mrs. H. A. Ekerdalen is on the sick list this week.

Ole Baeklund was a Thief River Falls visitor Monday.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes, this week Tuesday.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marty Thursday night of last week.

Lion tractor for sale on easy terms. Guaranteed to pull three plows. Write box 638, Holt, Minn.

C. W. Christianson wants to rent his farm which is all ready to seed to grain, only 5 miles from Holt.

Jacob Nelson sold his personal property at public auction Wednesday and will go to Middle River to run a hotel.

The Tullar Farm has several good registered, Draft Stallions, from one to eight years old, for sale at very reasonable prices. Write to C. A. Tullar, Warren, Minn. 47

Clair Jones visited over Sunday with his father A. R. Jones. The former is a member of the Noetzel Orchester which furnished fine music for the dance Saturday evening.

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Mar. 7, 1916.

Date of call by Supt., Mar. 13, 1916.
Date of report by Bank. Mar. 15, 1916.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$69,433 63
Overdrafts		208 32
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		3,244 00
Other Real Estate		$2,900 00
Due from Banks	6845 98	
Cash on Hand	3376 59	
Total Cash Assets		10,222 57
Checks and Cash Items		1200 88
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		768 24
Total		$88,044 64
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$3,500.00
Undivided Profits, Net		
Notes Rediscouted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		
Deposits Subject to Check	$30,932.62	
Cashier,s Checks	377.45	
Total Immediate Liabilities	31,310.07	
Time Certificates	43,234.57	
Total Deposits		74,544 64
Total		$88,044 64
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$11,432 45
Amt. of Reserve Requried by Law		$3,262 01

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Bakke, President,
B. Docken, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. Gunheim,
[Two] Directors. R. Reierson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Mar., 1916.

[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

Notice to Road Contractors.

Sealed proposals for dragging state roads in Marshall County, Minnesota, during the season of 1916, will be received by A. G. Lundgren, County Auditor, until 2 o'clock P. M. of Tuesday, April 4, 1916, when the County Board will open and publicly read the same.

Bids will be received for dragging the following state roads in the vicinity of Holt:

State Road Nos. 2, 4 and 7.

Specifications on file in the offices of the County Auditor and Superintendent of Highways.

Successful bidders must furnish bonds in the amount of Two Hundred and Fifty ($250.00) Dollars.

Proposal blanks may be obtained from the undersigned on application.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved and to divide the dragging and award the contracts as is deemed to be for the best interest of the county.

By order of the County Board.
A. G. Lundgren,
[AUDITORS SEAL] County Auditor.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Notice To Farmers!

I will stand my Stallion at Holt, every Friday commencing March 31. Terms of service $12.00 for standing colt, except in case mare is 18 years old or over, then $2.00 cash down. Come in and look him over. He was awarded First Prize for the last 8 years at the Pennington Co., Fair. Breed your mares early while you can get a chance.---H. S. Williams, Germantown route T. R. Falls.

East Valley News.

As we have been absent for some time, we will try and send in some news again.

Well we are having nice weather, seems like spring is coming at last.

The Zion Ladies Aid met with Mrs. Albert Jahr last Wednesday.

A little surprise party was given by the neighbors last Sunday for Mrs. Anderson, the aged mother ot Mrs. O. B. Johnson. Mrs. Anderson has been sick for a long time and the party did her lots of good.

A Anderson, of St. Hilaire visited a few days last week with his mother Mrs. Thora Anderson and other relatives.

Lars Ring was busy grinding feed at Golden Valley last week.

Albert Jahr and family and O. M. Larson visited last Sunday at the Fred Larson home. Note:—Two or three items were so incomplete we were unable to make them out —Ed.

Petition for Administration.

Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Marshall, In PROBATE COURT.

In the Matter of the Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA To Harald H. Gunheim, Hans H. Gunheim, Chas. H. Gunheim, Gunnar H. Gunheim, Thone H. Gunheim and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Chas. H. Gunheim having been filed in this Court, representing that Rollef H. Gunheim, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 27th day of February 1916, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Chas. H. Gunheim of Holt, Minn., and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition.

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms, in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April 1916, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of March 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
Probate Judge.

Julius J. Olson,
Attorney for Petitioner.

[COURT SEAL]

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Feb. 25, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Frank Coppay, of Holt, Minn., who on June 15, 1912, made homestead entry No. 08132, for SE1-4, Section 4, Township 155 N., Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 10th day of Apr. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Alex Magee, Reno Boe, Oliver Secoure and Rudolph Jenson, all of Germantown, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal. Register

Bank No. 1064
Amendment to Certificate of Incorporation of The
FARMERS STATE BANK of HOLT.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 18th day of February A. D. 1916, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED; That section Five(5) of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section five.-

THE AMOUNT OF THE CAPITAL STOCK SHALL BE $25,000.00 FULLY PAID IN, IN CASH, WHICH SHALL BE DIVIDED INTO TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY (250) SHARES OF ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS EACH.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in HOLT, MINNESOTA on the 18th day of FEBRUARY A. D. 1916.

Lars Backe, President.
Bertil Sollom, Asst. Cashier.

[CORPORATE SEAL]

State of Minnesota,
Office of Superintendent of Banks.
St Paul, March 13th. 1916

This is to certify that the action of the stockholders of the Farmers State Bank of Holt in voting to increase their capital stock from Ten Thousand ($10,000) to Twenty Five Thousand ($25,000) Dollars, as provided for in the forgoing amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation, has been approved by me:

Albert H. Turrettin
Superintendent of Banks.

State of Minnesota
Department of State

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 13th. day of March A. D. 1916 at 4 o'clock P. M. and was duly recorded in book B of State Bank Records, on page 15.

Julius A. Schmahl.
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds.
County of Marshall Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 15th. day of March A. D. 1916 at 8 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in Book J. of Miscl page 18.

Chas. E. Grinder,
Register of Deeds.

[SEAL]

Bank Statement

Bank No. 1064.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on Mar. 7st 1916.

Date of call by Supt. Mar. 14, 1916.
Date of report by bank, Mar. 14, 1916.

Resources		
Loans and Disconnts		$39,550 08
Overdrafts		143 24
Bonds and Securities		27 02
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,654 13
Other Real Estate		204 84
Due from Banks	5,018 88	
Cash on hand	146 38	
Total cash assets		5,165 26
Checks and cash Items		399 80
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		528 33
Interest Unearned		133 32
Total		$48,845 05
Liabilities		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2,000 00
Undivided Profits, Net		
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		9,655 82
Deposits Subject to Check	$15,733 46	
Cashier's Checks	2015 27	
Due to Banks	398 95	
Total Immediate Liabilities	16,930 6[illegible]	
Time Certificates	10,228 55	
Total Deposits	27,189 23	
Total		$48,845 05
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$5,525 05
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		[illegible]

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, Lars Backe President and Bertil Sollom Asst. Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Lars Backe, President.
Bertil Sollom, Asst. Cashier.

Correct Attest: Lars Backe
(Two) Directors B. L. Backe

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Mar. 1916.

(Seal) Bertil L. Backe, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-1-1917

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.00
Wheat No. 2	.96
Wheat No. 3	.90
Wheat No. 4	.83
Flax	2.00
Oats	.32
Barley	48 to .53
Rye	.76
Flour, Best Patent	3.45

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, executed and delivered by Martin Nygaard and Thea Nygaard his wife, mortgagors, to the Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 8th day of January 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of January 1915 at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 73 of mortgages on page 409, such default consisting in the non-payment of an installment in the sum of Sixteen Dollars ($16.00) due and payable under the terms of the note secured by said mortgage, on the 8th day of January 1916, and such default consisting further in the nonpayment of the interest on a prior mortgage, which interest amounted to the sum of Forty-eight Dollars ($48.00) and became due and payable on the 15th day of October 1915 and was on that date paid by the undersigned mortgagee, and whereas the undersigned mortgagee has elected to declare, and has declared the whole amount, principal and interest of the note secured by said mortgage to be due and payable, and whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said interest paid on said prior mortgage, is the sum of One Hundred Thirty-eight and 92-100 Dollars ($138.92), and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The South Half of the Southeast Quarter (S1-2 SE1-4) of Section Five (5) and the West Half of the Northeast Quarter (W1 2 NE1-4) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range forty-one (41) West of the fifth principal meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court house in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 22nd day of April, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Hundred Thirty-eight and 92-100 ($138.92) Dollars, and interest, and the taxes if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) Attorneys fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated February 29, 1916.

Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota.
Mortgagee.

H. O. KJOMME,
Attorney for mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

For Sale or Trade

A complete Threshing outfit Separator, steam engine, tank, etc. Inquire at Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.

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PAY BY CHECK

Think of the Convenience!

When there is interest due on a note; a bill to be paid; or an insurance payment due, no need to come to town to settle it if you know the amount and have your check book at hand.

You can open a check account in this bank with a small sum, and the convenience of it alone makes it almost necessary to the modern farmer.

Besides the convenience, there is the safety of it to be considered. You will not lose money from your pocket if you Pay-by-Check. It's the Safe Way.

FARMERS STATE BANK
Holt - - Minnesota
(The Bank with the "Mysterious Clock")

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Thursday
April, 6, 1916.

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 **Treatments $1.50**
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 **Porcelain $5.00**
Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in The Holt Weekly News

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Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
H. J. OIEN, Agent - - - Holt, Minn.

The Theis family arrived one day the past week and have moved onto the Ole Davidson farm.

C. W. Christianson has moved his family to town having rented rooms in Ole Iverson's house.

For Rent

Farm plowed ready for seeding. Buildings in good shape, good drilled well. Enquire of C. W. Christianson at the blacksmith shop.

For Sale.

An old cream vat will be sold at the Creamery to the highest bidder.

Sealed bids will be received by T. Folden Secy. Holt Minn. up to April 4th. 1916

By order of Directors
F. B. Folden Secy.

School Notes.

Last Thursday and Friday were busy days for the 7th and 8th grades on account of being State Examination days.

Those who came in from neighboring schools to take part in the examinations were: Herman Peterson, Archie Bjerk, Esther Movik, Victoria Johnson and Nora Dovre.

There were no Manual Training and Domestic Science classes last week on account of the "exams."

Spring has come and with it come outdoor sports of all kinds.

Mesdames D. Payne, Newton and Huseth were visitors at school recently.

Verna Hagberg started school Tuesday-this being her first term.

Mr. Rustad's moving from this district has taken three children from our room.

The Eighth Grade.

Dr. J. T. Turley will be here Thursday April 6th.

Easter hats for men, women and children, at Reierson's store.

For Sale: One team of oxen six years old. Aug. Hoffman, Holt.

Anyone in need of a horse can find one by enquiring of Ole Reierson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steinhauer returned Monday from a few days visit at St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Pavek left Monday for Harlow, N. Dak. where he has work as a relief agent.

Ben Eide has moved onto the H. M. Olson farm and C. Rustad has moved onto the farm vacated by Mr. Eide.

Alfred Olson returned home Friday from Crookston, where he has been attending a school of electrical engineering.

Mrs. M. T. Strom went to Thief River Falls Monday to see her daughter Mrs. Larson who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

The young people gave Prof. Prushek a pleasant birthday surprise party Sunday evening and presented him with a nice fountain pen as a reminder of the occasion.

Mr. Taggert of Ada arrived here Friday with three cars of cattle, horses and machinery and moved onto the Vigen farm of 200 acres, which he recently purchased.

E. A. Johnson has moved his family into the rooms formerly occupied by the butcher shop. Mr. Johnson will soon commence building on the land he recently bought of Mrs. Sollom.

The Farmers creamery has put in a fine new 300 gallon cream ripener in place of the old vat which was condemned by the inspector. The new machine will also be used as a pasteurizer and is really two or three machines in one.

Clifford VonWold of Tolley, N. D. visited his parents in Golden Valley last week, leaving Saturday for T R. Falls, at which place he joined his brother Phil and family and John Stanley who left for Tolley the first of the week.

Green soap, the best for the laundry, at Reierson's store.

In Church Circles.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. H. A. Fosholm Saturday at 2 P. M., April 1st.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl will hold services in Holt next Sunday, April 2, at 10:45 A. M. Confirmants meet after services. Also preaching the same afternoon at 3 o'clock at Gunder Sorter's.

Notice! Notice!

Sealed bids will be received by The Farmers & Village Switchboard Co., for telephone operator at their switchboard in Holt, by the secretary T. B. Folden until 2 o'clock P. M., April 10, 1916. For terms see Telephone Board.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

East Valley News.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Garthus and family visited at J. M. Jahr last Sunday.

Miss Palma Johnson, from Golden Valley, is working for Mrs. M. B. Ordahl this week.

Thom Anderson left for St. Hilaire to spend a few days visiting with his father and then will leave for N. Dak. where he will work this spring.

A. C. Jahr and family visited at O. B. Johnson's Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Ordahl went to Thief River Falls Monday.

John Knutson is busy sawing wood this week.

Southeast of Holt.

April Fool to All.

The Molstad family are busy moving to their farm which they recently purchased from H. P. Sponheim.

Mrs. Ole Olson and son, Hjalmar Mrs. Thom Olsen and daughters Myrna and Orphie visited at Sordahls Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Soiney and son George visited at Hansen's Sunday afternoon.

Pete Michaelson has recently purchased a team of horses.

Mrs. Fred Larson, Ole Iver, Ingvald, Mabel and Annie Larson and Albert Swanson were very pleasant visitors at the S. Moe home on Sunday.

Ingvard Pederson returned home on Saturday after attending the agricultural college at Crookston since Christmas.

Ole Larson recently purchased a mule from P. Michaelson.

Miss Gunvor Skomedahl will entertain the Ladies Aid on April 13.

Miss Thora Skomedal who is teaching school at Germantown spent Sunday with her parents.

Oliver Molstad is erecting a new barn on his farm.

John Gudvangen has returned home after an extended visit with his parents at Fertile. He was accompanied back by his friend John Rusten who will visit him for a short time.

Found: A pair of spectacles. Prove property and pay for this notice, at this office.

Ladies come and see my new up to date stock of spring millinery at Middle River. Friday March 24th is our opening day.

Ragnhild Steenerson.

There was a joyous party held at the residence of E. E. Pichie Saturday Mar. 18th of the good old fashoned kind. There was nothing left undone that would assure a good old merry time. The music being of the best and played in such a way that they tripped the light fantastic until the break of day.

Farwell you good old blizzard you've been a monster up this way but we finally had the pleasure of driving you away.

Picture In Your Mind

by the aid of our
Illustration
a resident street, lined on either side with homes about 30 feet apart and extending from
Chicago to New York
2000 miles of homes
Imagine All These Homes In Ruins!
Blackened, Smoking, Desolate--
Destroyed By Fire!
The picture is not overdrawn
The buildings destroyed by fire in the United States each year would form such a street!
Is Your Home Insured?

Fire In Town
May be held in check
But Out on the Farm
May End in Wreck
See Us
For Farm Insurance and Farm Loans

Holt State Bank

Joint Auction!

Having decided to quit farming, we will sell at public auction, on NE1-4 Sec. 35, 156-43, 3 miles east of Holt

Tuesday, April 4th

Sale commences at 11 o'clock **Free Lunch At Noon**

Horses and Cattle

Dapple bay Percheron Stallion, 13 years old, wt. 1500
Sorrel mare 6 yrs, wt. 1350
Gray mare, in foal, 14 yrs., wt. 1350
Bay mare with foal, 11 yrs. wt. 1300
Sorrel mare 13 yrs. wt. 950
Red Cow fresh in January
Cow 4 yrs. old, fresh Jan.
Brindle Cow 4 years old
Heifer 2 yrs., fresh in July
3 Heifers 1 year old
Yearling Bull 35 Chix
Calf 3 months old

Farm Machinery, Etc.

6 foot Deering Binder good condition
5 foot McCormick Mower
10 " Deering Hay rake
New 14 disk harrow 12 disk harrow
Spring tooth harrow Single buggy
Smoothing harrow Bob-sled
New 16 inch Emerson sulky plow
Emerson 14 inch gang plow
16 inch John Deere brush breaker
Columbus wide tire wagon in good condition complete with box
2 double buggies nearly new
Two wheel cart 1 horse cultivator
Fanning mill, complete, nearly new
Set harness Breeching harness
3 good single harnesses 1 hay rack
DeLaval seperator No. 12 nearly new
4 good sills 8x8, 16 & 18 feet long
Also other dimension timbers

Sewing machine, Cook stove, Heater, 8 gallon cream Can, Churn, Households goods and other articles

Regular Terms of Sale on Bankable Paper at 10 per cent interest

Albin Knauf & Hjalmer Peterson
OWNERS
Ole C. Brenna, Auct. Holt State Bank, Clerk

Dr. Turley, the dentist, will be here next Thursday, April, 6th

The population at Mud Lake is growing fast, several more moving out there this week.

Lion tractor for sale on easy terms. Guaranteed to pull three plows. Write box 638, Holt, Minn.

The Holt Farmer's Shipping association held a business meeting Saturday evening. We understand they expect to commence shipping stock in the near future.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.04
Wheat No. 2	1.00
Wheat No. 3	.94
Wheat No. 4	.87
Flax	2.01
Oats	.33
Barley	46 to .51
Rye	.77
Flour, Best Patent	3.45

HOW MRS. BEAN MET THE CRISIS

Carried Safely Through Change of Life by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Nashville, Tenn.—"When I was going through the Change of Life I had a tumor as large as a child's head. The doctor said it was three years coming and gave me medicine for it until I was called away from the city for some time. Of course I could not go to him then, so my sister-in-law told me that she thought Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound would cure it. It helped both the Change of Life and the tumor and when I got home I *did not need the doctor*. I took the Pinkham remedies until the tumor was gone, the doctor said, and I have not felt it since. I tell every one how I was cured. If this letter will help others you are welcome to use it."—Mrs. E. H. Bean, 525 Joseph Avenue, Nashville, Tenn.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a pure remedy containing the extractive properties of good old fashioned roots and herbs, meets the needs of woman's system at this critical period of her life. Try it.

If there is any symptom in your case which puzzles you, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Important Personage.

Tom—Why were you so extremely polite to that old man? Is he a rich relative?

Jock—Sh-h-h! That is my prospective father-in-law.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Couldn't Evade "Special."

A Lancashire man who has a hen roost near the railway was complaining to a friend about having some of the birds killed by passing trains.

"Tha should hang 'em a timetable up in the hoose, and then they could look when th' trains were booked to come past," said the friends.

"Timetable be hanged!" said the other. "They know weel enough when th' ordinary trains 'll pass. When Aw've hed one killed it's allus bin wi' a 'special.'"—London Tit-Bits.

Then Billie Will Have Birthday.

George Washington is a very real personage to little Billie Gumberts of Evansville. When auntie was tucking him into bed the night before Washington's birthday, she said:

"Tomorrow's Washington's birthday, Billie."

Out of the goodness of his heart Billie murmured sleepily:

"And what is I to give him for a birthday present, Auntie Grace?"—Indianapolis News.

Ornithologist's Birdhouse.

Harris M. Benedict, the protector of wild birds, has recently patented a birdhouse made of fire clay fashioned into pitcher shape with the surface made to simulate bark. It has a lid that overhangs the entrance and prevents it from being flooded in a storm, and through this the bird lover may watch the progress of his tiny charges.

Finem Respice.

Swiggs—Poor old Jagsby is no more.

Briggs—Died from drink, I suppose?

Swiggs—Yes, spirited away, as it were.

Some men value outward show more than inward worth.

Ever Eat

Grape-Nuts?

There's a vast army of physical and mental workers who do

One reason—its delicious nut-like flavour.

Another—it is easily and quickly digested—generally in about one hour.

But the big reason is Grape-Nuts, besides having delicious taste, supplies all the rich nutriment of whole wheat and malted barley, including the "vital" mineral salts necessary for building brain, nerve and muscle.

Always ready to eat direct from the package, Grape-Nuts with cream or good milk is a well balanced ration—the utmost in sound nourishment.

"There's a Reason"

—sold by Grocers.

SLAIN BECAUSE HE REFORMED

St. Louis' "Most Dangerous" Man Is Called "Snitch," and Then Shot.

LEFT OUT IN TREAT

Reformed Criminal Demands Reason, and Stranger Shoots Him—Dead Man Has Long Record of Unlawful Acts.

St. Louis.—William (Skippy) Rohan, once known as "the most dangerous man in St. Louis," was killed because he had reformed. The police have come to that conclusion.

When a gangster reforms, the police hold, he necessarily keeps out of jail. His companions immediately become suspicious of him and imagine he is enjoying immunity because he is "snitching." Rohan married and said he had reformed two years ago, after 22 years of criminal activity. He was shot through the heart, probably by one of his own gang, in a saloon on North Broadway.

Witnesses to the shooting arrested by the police said Rohan was killed by "a stranger" who happened into the saloon, denounced Skippy as a "snitch" and fired five times at him. The slayer escaped. The murder of Rohan was the eleventh in St. Louis in three months. In only three of them have the police been able to get evidence in murder charges. Rohan was killed within a short distance from where John (Red) Murphy, a notorious gangster, was found shot to death, and a few doors from the saloon in which Charles Reutlinger was killed.

"You're a Snitch," Said Stranger.

A patrolman standing at Broadway and Cass avenue heard five shots in the Broadway saloon. He found Skippy's body lying on the sidewalk in front of the place. There were three men in the saloon—John Laker, the bartender; James J. Jeffries and August Hartmann.

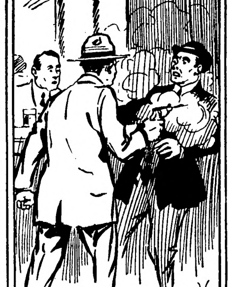
Laker said Rohan and several other men were lined up at the bar when a stranger entered and "set 'em up," to everybody in the place except Rohan.

"Why this slam at me?" asked Rohan, according to Laker's story.

"You're a snitch," replied the stranger, according to the bartender.

A quarrel followed, and the stranger drew a revolver and fired five shots. He fled as Rohan fell, dropping the revolver on the floor. Hartmann said Laker picked up the revolver and tried to thrust it into his pocket, but he pushed the bartender away. Hartmann said that he and Jeffries carried Rohan's body out of the saloon at the command of the bartender.

Rohan's police record began in 1892. His first sentence was to the Pontiac reformatory to serve three years for burglary. He escaped soon after being sentenced, and turned up in St. Louis a few months later. In 1892 he was sentenced to the Missouri penitentiary for shooting Detective O'Connell of the St. Louis police department.



Drew a Revolver and Fired Five Shots.

Escaped From Jail.

Three years later he was arrested, accused of killing Casper Beinford. While being held for trial he escaped from the city jail and three months later was arrested in Chicago, following a running fight with two policemen, in which one of the policemen was wounded.

In 1898 he was acquitted of a charge of murder, but sentenced to five years in the penitentiary for a diamond robbery. After his liberation he was sent to the workhouse to serve a sentence for stealing a pocketbook.

Rohan served three prison terms between 1902 and 1914, one of them in Sing Sing. He was arrested in East St. Louis in 1914 on suspicion, and attempted suicide in jail. After that he married the widow of Daniel Winn, who had four children. She did not discover Rohan's record until after her marriage, and then she declared she would reform him. She did. Since his reform Rohan has been working as a shoeworker.

Uncle Sam's investments in forests are bringing direct returns, which are increasing every year.

SOME WESTERN CANADA GRAIN REPORTS

In its issue of February 24th, 1916, the Wadena (Minn.) Pioneer Journal has the following letter from Western Canada written by Walter Gloedeu, who is renewing his subscription to his home paper: "The times we are having up here are very good in spite of the war. I have had very good crops this fall and we are having very good markets for it all. Wheat went from 30 to 60 bu. to the acre, oats from 50 to 100 bu. to the acre. I had an 18-acre field of oats which yielded me 115 bu. per acre by machine measure, so I think this is a pretty prosperous country. I have purchased another quarter section, which makes me now the owner of three-quarters of a section of land. The weather was very nice this fall up to Christmas, then we had quite severe weather, but at the present time it is very nice again."

Oats 115 Bushels Per Acre.

"I lived many years in Alberta; filed a homestead in the Edmonton district; own property in several parts of Alberta. I found it one of the best countries I ever saw; its banking system is better than that of the United States; one quarter section I own, with about $4,000.00 worth of improvements, pays $18.00 a year taxes. All tax is on the land; implements and personals are not taxed. I was secretary-treasurer of Aspelund school district for two years. My duties were to assess all the land in the district, collect the tax, expend it ($1,000.00 a year), hire a teacher, etc., for the sum of $25.00 a year. Some economy, eh!

One of the Best Countries I Ever Saw.

"All school and road taxes are expended in the districts where they are collected. There are no other taxes. Land titles are guaranteed by the government and an abstract costs fifty cents. Half of the population of Alberta are Americans or from Eastern Canada. (Sgd.) WILL TRUCKENMILLER." Advertisement.

Positive Proof.

Mrs. Newholme—Isn't Mrs. Squillbob a careless, shiftless housekeeper?

Mrs. Ondego—I should say so. Every time I try to borrow something she is all out of it.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

As Others See Us.

"I never forget a joke that I once hear," remarked Borem.

"And what's more," rejoined Diggs, "you don't give your acquaintances a chance to, either."

FOR ITCHING SCALP

And Falling Hair Use Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Trial Free.

When the scalp is itching because of dandruff and eczema a shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water will be found thoroughly cleansing and soothing, especially if shampoo is preceded by a gentle application of Cuticura Ointment to the scalp skin.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

The Divvy.

How did Kid Jabb make out in his bout with Battling McPug?

"Oh, the Kid got the gate and McPug got the gate receipts."

TAKE SALTS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS IF BACK HURTS

Says Too Much Meat Forms Uric Acid Which Clogs the Kidneys and Irritates the Bladder.

Most folks forget that the kidneys like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless, inexpensive, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.—Adv.

One or the Other.

Binks—I saw Jones yesterday. He is getting quite gray!

Jinks—Age or auto.

A girl thinks she has made [illegible] as she hypnotizes some young man into buying her an engagement ring.

CAVALRY LOCATES VILLA; BELIEVED HUNT NEAR END

UNITED STATES TROOPS UNDER COLONEL DODD REPORTED CLOSE ON REAR GUARD OF OUTLAWS.

BANDIT CHIEFTAIN HAS 200 SOLDIERS WITH HIM

Is Located Near Entrance of Santa Clara Canyon—Dispatches Confirm Reports that Carranza Troops Had Come in Contact with Villistas.

El Paso, Texas, March 27.—Slipping through a circle of enemies under cover of night, Villa, the bandit, has escaped from the net, according to reports received here.

El Paso, Texas, March 27.—General Gavira at Juarez states that American cavalry under Colonel George Dodd located Villa and his main force in the Santa Clara canyon.

The United States troops were close upon Villa's rear guard, according to Gavira. Gavira's statement renewed hopes here that the pursuers might close in on the outlaw and bring the man hunt to a sudden, successful close.

Bandits in Wild Region.

Villa had 200 followers with him, Gavira said. The bandits were located about 30 miles from the western entrance of the canyon, which is a short distance east of Namiquipa and in a wild district without road or trail.

Several thousand American soldiers are known to be ranging the country south of Casas Grandes in every direction, trying to locate the bandit, but have not come into contact with him. Wire communication out of El Paso into Mexico is still interrupted and it is believed that roving bands of Villa men are responsible for the wire cutting.

Waits for News of Battle.

Mexican Consul Garcia was still waiting further word of the fight reported between Carranza soldiers and Villa at El Oso.

Dispatches received at Mexico City and Douglas, Ariz., apparently confirm the reports to El Paso from General Bertani in the field that the troops of the de facto government had come into contact with Villa in the Santa Clara canyon. General Pershing has made no mention of this battle and army officers here incline to the belief that it was probably no more than an outpost engagement.

Only 200 at Agua Prieta.

Colonel Foltz, commanding the troops at Douglas, disposed of the rumor that Carranza troops were being massed along the border. He reported that the garrison at Agua Prieta, opposite Douglas, comprised only 200 officers and men and that there was but one battery of artillery.

COMMERCE RAIDER IS SUNK

German Warship Facing Destruction By British Fire, Torpedoes Conqueror in North Sea.

London, March 27.—The story of one of the most thrilling naval fights of the war was told in an admiralty statement, announcing the sinking of the German commerce raider Grief and the British auxiliary cruiser Alcantara in the North sea, with a loss of 254 lives.

The engagement occurred Feb. 29. The admiralty withheld the news, though 120 German prisoners were taken, in order that the word might not reach the German admiralty. The story was made public when a wireless message from Berlin, picked up by English stations, revealed the news that the sinking of the Grief was known there.

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VERDUN IN FLAMES, REPORT

Berlin, March 27.—The city of Verdun has been set afire during artillery exchanges, according to an official statement by the German army headquarters.

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Shackelton Ship Not In Danger.

London, March 27.—Reports just received here state that the auxiliary ship Aurora of the Shackleton Antarctic expedition, which was damaged in the ice and is now proceeding to New Zealand for repairs, is not in distress or in need of assistance. The latest message indicates that the Aurora is proceeding under her own team. Reuter's Melbourne correspondent telegraphs that if necessary a relief ship will be dispatched from New Zealand to meet the Aurora. A wireless station is in touch with her.

Split in German Socialist Party.

Berlin, March 27.—The long-expected split in the German Socialist party as the result of the political situation created by the submarine warfare controversy in the Reichstag has just occurred. A new party, consisting of 18 Socialist members, was constituted by the radical wing after a Socialist caucus had decided to exclude Deputy Haase for a breach of discipline.

The total number of Socialist members in the Reichstag is 100. The dissenting minority on the last vote consisted of 30 Socialists.

AMERICAN TROOPS MAY FACE SERIOUS SHORTAGE OF FOOD

MAY BE RETARDED IN PURSUIT OF OUTLAWS UNLESS PERMISSION TO USE RAILWAYS IS GRANTED.

VILLA PREPARING TO RESIST U. S. FORCES

Evidence That Bandit Leader Intends to Make Stand is Collected by Scouts—Flying Columns Seal Up Trails and Passes in Mountains.

Field Headquarters, American Expeditionary Force, Colonia Dublan, Chihuahua, Mexico, March 28.—(By Aeroplane to Columbus, N. M.)—Unless permission is granted soon for the shipment of supplies over one of the railroads to the American troops in Mexico the pursuit of Villa may be seriously retarded. It was explained at department headquarters that the lengthening lines of communication along heavy trails had made it practically impossible to deliver supplies by auto trucks and that already a serious shortage of grain for horses and mules had been experienced.

Americans Prove Superiors.

Horses, mules and automobiles have done the work and success this far has been attained by the ability of the American cavalry to travel fast and far on light rations. Several cavalry organizations have been out for more than a week on a little beef, salt, coffee and rice or beans. Not a word of complaint has come back from these troopers. Reports here give good cause for belief that thus far the American troopers have proven themselves the superiors in speed and endurance over the Villa bandits.

Bandits to Resist Americans.

Evidence that Francisco Villa is preparing to resist the American pursuing columns and that the Mexican people are not as yet rallying to him has been collected by the officers and the scouts of the American troops.

Flying columns of American cavalry are seeking to entrap Pancho Villa and his band by sealing up all the trails and passes in the mountainous district south of El Valle. Once the outlets are barred squadrons of cavalry and detachments of infantry, operating from the base near Casas Grandes, will comb the country and endeavor to flush their quarry in the open.

Outlaws Moving Rapidly.

Villa and his band are moving rapidly among the foothills of Sierra Tarahumares, hotly pursued by three columns of American cavalry. Col. George E. Dodd is directing the cavalry movement.

This information confirms reports of American travelers from the Casas Grandes district that Villa had escaped through the lines of the Carranza troops. Mexican Consul Garcia does not believe the Carranza forces permitted the bandit to escape.

LITERACY TEST IS UPHELD

Is Retained in Immigration Bill By Vote—Question to Come Up Again, Later.

Washington, March 28.—The literacy test was kept in the immigration bill by the house, working in committee of the whole, by a vote of 225 to 82, which defeated a motion by Representative A. J. Sabath of Illinois to strike it out. The question comes up again when the house votes on the bill as a whole.

An amendment to exempt from the literacy test persons coming to this country to escape either religious or political persecution was rejected, 140 to 43.

The bill as drawn would exempt only persons persecuted for religious beliefs.

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PRESIDENT'S POLITICAL DIRECTOR PASSES AWAY

Washington, March 28.—Thomas Pence, secretary of the democratic national committee, who has been ill for several months as a result of pneumonia, died at his home here. President Wilson was deeply shocked when told of Mr. Pence's death and expressed regret. With Postmaster General Burleson and Secretary Tumulty, Mr. Pence had directed all of the detailed political work of the administration since the president took office.

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Attack on Allies at Saloniki Begun.

Athens, March 28.—Dispatches from Saloniki say the frontier actions which had been considered as trying out operations on the part of the Bulgarians and Germans, are now assuming the character of a general attack against the Allies. Considerable vigor is being displayed and heavy artillery is being employed on both sides. It is said that in both military and diplomatic circles of the Teutonic allies here is a belief that the long prophesied effort to drive the Allies into the sea has begun.

Another Testimonial for

CALUMET BAKING POWDER

The President's Wedding Cake

was prepared by Mrs. Marian Cole Fisher and Miss Pansy Bowen, both of whom are known throughout the United States as experts in Domestic Science work. This Wilson-Galt Wedding Cake was worthy of the occasion in every respect. Calumet Baking Powder was used in its preparation and both the above named ladies heartily recommend Calumet Baking Powder for its purity, wholesomeness, economy and never-failing results. These ladies use Calumet exclusively in all their work.

Received Highest Award World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago; Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912.

Unfortunate.

Howell—He's an unlucky fellow.

Powell—Yes, he is always Johnny on the wrong spot.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00.—Adv.

Where Ignorance Is Bliss.

"Is there anything Payne doesn't know?"

"If there is, he doesn't know it."

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Its Sort.

"That woman's tongue goes as fast as an express train."

"And it's always on the rail."

A MODERN DISCOVERY

The farmer will be proud to learn that in the search for the ideal beverage, the real thirst-quenching drink with health and sobriety in every glass, science has been obliged to resort to the grain product of the farm for its production. This new beverage, now capturing the taste of the country, is made from the juice of grains, without the addition of any malted cereal. It does not contain the alcohol found in grape juice, and hence can be handled and sold by any drink dispenser or merchant who keeps ice—for it must be served cold. With no malt or alcohol, it follows that this new drink, Golden Grain Juice, can be sold in all communities where malts and alcohols are forbidden. Any dealer who wants to be first in giving his trade this captivating beverage, should write at once to Golden Grain Juice Company, P. O. Box 2107, Minneapolis, Minn., for information.—Adv.

At the Ball.

He (to his dancing partner)—This is a fine floor.

She—Then why dance on my feet?

Once in a great while a man is driven to drink, but as a rule they trot right up to it of their own accord.

Highest Prices

Immediate Payment

Correct test, low express rates and prompt return of cans are assured when you

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We handle cream in six states. Can refer to thousands of satisfied shippers and to any bank or commercial agency in your neighborhood.

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Crookston, Minn.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Grand Forks, N. Dak.

Hot Water Each Morning Puts Roses in Your Cheeks

To look one's best and feel one's best is to enjoy an inside bath each morning to flush from the system the previous day's waste, sour fermentations and poisonous toxins before it is absorbed into the blood. Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of incombustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken each day leave in the alimentary organs a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not eliminated, form toxins and poisons which are then sucked into the blood through the very ducts which are intended to suck in only nourishment to sustain the body.

If you want to see the glow of healthy bloom in your cheeks, to see your skin get clearer and clearer, you are told to drink every morning upon arising, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, which is a harmless means of washing the waste material and toxins from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Girls and women with sallow skins, liver spots, pimples or pallid complexions, also those who wake up with a coated tongue, bad taste, nasty breath, others who are bothered with headaches, bilious spells, acid stomach or constipation should begin this phosphated hot water drinking and are assured of very pronounced results in one or two weeks.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate costs very little at the drug store but is sufficient to demonstrate that just as soap and hot water cleanses, purifies and freshens the skin on the outside, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the inside organs. We must always consider that internal sanitation is vastly more important than outside cleanliness, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do.

Women who desire to enhance the beauty of their complexion should just try this for a week and notice results.

Their Place.

"It's a wonder they don't take horses on Arctic explorations."

"What a foolish idea!"

"Not at all. It's the ideal place for old skates."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

The Ready Reply.

Fair Customer—But the hairs are coming out of this muff.

The Salesman—That, madam, is a peculiarity of the animal; it always sheds its fur at this time of the year.—Judge.

Doubtful Optimist.

"Are you an optimist?"

"Yes. I think the world is getting better every day, although I must admit it looks like an exceedingly painful convalescence."

There isn't much self-love in the make-up of the man who loves the enemy as himself.

BACKACHE AND KIDNEYS

Dear Mr. Editor.

For the benefit of others I gladly give this statement regarding the merits of "Anuric." Am nearly 76 years of age. I suffered from backache, weak back, rheumatism and could not control the excretion of the kidneys. I can safely say that "Anuric," the new discovery of Dr. Pierce, of Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., has done me more real good than anything I have ever taken for these ailments. Signed Mrs. N. M. Flint.

NOTE: A new remedy called "Anuric" has been discovered by Dr. Pierce. It cures backache, headache and the darting pains and aches of rheumatism, kidney and bladder troubles. This "Anuric" is 37 times more potent than lithia, and dissolves uric acid, as hot water does sugar.

Nolle Prosequi.

Rastus had caught Sambo red handed. "Ah'm gwine hab yo' arrested foh stealin' mah chickens, yo' Sambo Washing'ton—dat's jess what ah'm gwine to do," said Rastus.

"Go ahead, niggah," retorted Sambo. "Go ahead and hab me arrested. Ah'll mek you prove whar yo' got dem chickens yo'self!"

ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE FOR THE TROOPS

Many war zone hospitals have ordered Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder, for use among the troops. Shaken into the shoes and used in the foot-bath, Allen's Foot-Ease gives rest and comfort and makes walking a delight. Sold everywhere, 25c. Try it today. Adv.

All He Wanted and More.

"Did you ever have all yer wanted of anything?"

"Yes; two things—advice and water."

Most Unkind.

Miss Sereleaf says she is going to marry one man in a thousand."

"The last one?" asked Miss Cuttem.

Adam's apple was given to him to remind him of the time when he got it in the neck.

IN THE SPRING

Now is the time to bring to your aid Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery (in tablet or liquid form). This wonderful remedy helps to restore stomach to its natural health and strength and to secure proper flow of the digestive juices, a good appetite and full digestion of the food you eat. It invigorates the liver, regulates the bowels and purifies and enriches the blood.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is absolutely free from alcohol and injurious drugs. Its ingredients printed on wrapper. You can be certain it is a true blood maker, tissue-builder, and a restorative nerve tonic and that it will produce no evil after-effect. Thousands—probably many of your neighbors—are willing to recommend "Golden Medical Discovery" because it has made them stronger in body, brain and nerve.

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

Wanted 50,000 Farm Hands

of experience at once on the farms of

Western Canada

to replace the young farmers who have enlisted for the war. Good wages and full season's work assured.

There is no danger or possibility of Conscription in Canada

References required from all applicants. For [illegible]

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State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Winona.—The 320-acre farm, near the village of Utica, belonging to Charles H. Peabody, has been sold for $48,000.

Faribault.—The farmers' clubs of the southern part of Rice county have decided to hold a community picnic at Roberds lake June 15.

St. Cloud.—Petitions for county option elections in Benton county and for the removal of the court house from Foley to Sauk Rapids, may be circulated soon.

Moorhead.—This city will build a new high school costing approximately $125,000, as a result of approval given the board of education's action by a general committee of citizens.

Warren.—North Star college here has finished its campaign for funds by popular subscription to pay off its indebtedness. The amount raised is virtually $37,000, including a donation of $9,000 by J. J. Hill.

Thief River Falls.—Mrs. Annie Gryting, wife of Rev. Theodore Lewis Gryting, pastor of the Synod Norwegian Lutheran church at St. Hilaire, has filed suit for divorce, asking for alimony and the return of her maiden name.

Mankato.—Robert W. Hargadine, state fire marshal, has the indorsement of Blue Earth county Democracy for the Democratic nomination for governor. This indorsement follows similar action at Winona and elsewhere.

Wheaton.—Contracts have been let for the construction of fifteen ditches in Traverse county, which amounted to more than $150,000. Much of the progress in farm drainage is due to the work of the Traverse county farm bureau.

Albert Lea.—George Prange, a farmer living near Wells, has sold a hog that tipped the scales at 811 pounds. Prange received a check for $64.88 for the big fellow. On account of the shortage of corn the hog was said to be poor.

Mankato.—Deposits in the twenty-two banks of Blue Earth county total $8,288,903, and of this sum the banks of Mankato have $6,009,772. The total resources of the banks of the county are $9,864,760, and of the Mankato banks $7,065,703.

Winona.—The fact that George P. Tawney, former postmaster of Winona, and F. A. Duxbury, Caledonia lawyer, were in conference here led to a report in political circles that opposition to Representative Anderson in the First district is crystallizing.

New Richland.—The fourth name was added to the death list of the Minneapolis and St. Louis train wreck near New Richland, Minn., when A. J. McBride, flagman on the train telescoped by the rear-end collision, died at St. Mary's hospital in Minneapolis.

Mesaba.—Great activity in the Minnesota mining country has begun. Locomotives, steam shovels and other equipment at the Graham mine, No. 1 of the Oliver Iron Mining company, are being repaired by a large crew. The mine has been operated most of the winter and has a large stockpile, but is intended to get more ore from it.

Moorhead.—Banks of Clay county, according to a financial survey, have total deposits of $2,966,120.89, seven times greater than they were twenty years ago. The total capitalization is placed at $740,433.46. Generally satisfactory business conditions in the county also are cited by the report of the survey.

Mora.—The bankers of Mora have recognized the importance of industrial work of boys and girls on the farm by lending the boys and girls in the Mora Pig club $800 to buy thirty two pure bred Duroc-Jersey gilts. Each boy and each girl will be lent $25 without interest, the sum to be repaid when the first litter of pigs is sold.

Duluth.—William H. Lyons of the White Oak Point, Mississippi band of Chippewas, was here on his way from Washington to his home at Ballclub, Itasca county, after appearing before the Indian department in behalf of the members of his tribe. He asked the government to give the members of the tribe an additional allotment of 80 acres a head.

St. Paul.—Make the surroundings of every home in Minnesota beautiful by planting trees, shrubbery and flowers is the message sent to the people of the state in a proclamation issued by Governor Burnquist, designating April 28 as Arbor and Bird day. "In our schools special study of arboreal life should be encouraged by fitting exercises," he said.

Duluth.—With stocks of all grain in Duluth standing at 25,000,000 bushels there is approximately 3,000,000 bushels storage space remaining here after allowance is made for divisions of grades in the bins. It will depend, operators say, upon the extent of the all rail movement to the seaboard during the next week or two, whether congestion can be prevented.

St. Paul.—Election of Fred C. Stevens of St. Paul as fourth delegate at large on the republican delegation was conceded on receipt of returns from all but Aitkin and Koochiching counties at the office of the secretary of state. Totals from 84 counties give Stevens 24,588, O. J. Larson 24,060 and James Manahan [illegible]. Unofficial reports from the missing counties indicate a plurality of about 300 for Stevens over Larson. [illegible] has a safe lead for fourth place on the democratic ticket in the same counties with a vote of 24,236, to 23,[illegible] for W. A. [illegible] and 23,245 for A. C. Weiss.

MINNESOTA MECCA OF HOMESEEKERS

STATE RETAINS 231 CARS OF IMMIGRANT MOVABLES HANDLED DURING FEBRUARY.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Minnesota is the mecca of the immigrant, according to figures given out by Fred Sherman, immigration commissioner. The state retained more than half of the 461 cars of immigrant movables handled at the Minnesota Transfer during February.

Other states in the Northwest received 230 of the carloads of household goods and other belongings of the seekers for new homes.

North Dakota was Minnesota's nearest competitor, with 68 cars. Montana received 27, Canada 25, and other states in the Northwest the remainder.

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Course for Educators

F. H. Swift, dean of the college of education, University of Minnesota, has announced the third annual short course for Minnesota school superintendents and principals will be given at the university during the Easter recess, April 19 to 22. Two prominent American educators, Professor W. C. Bagley, director of the school of education of the University of Illinois, and Professor E. P. Cubberley of Leland Stanford university will deliver lectures. The time selected for the short course coinsides with that of the annual conferences of the superintendents' section of the Minnesota Educational association. The superintendents' and principals' conferences will take place Thursday and Friday afternoon, April 20 and 21. The superintendents' and principals' annual dinner will be on Friday evening, April 21, at the Elks' club.

There will be several other educational conferences at this time, including the Minnesota psychological conference, the school library conference, and the conference of English and commercial high school teachers.

The annual meeting of the college of education alumni will take place Thursday evening, April 20, at 7 o'clock.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the short courses includes: State Superintendent C. G. Schulz, Dean L. D. Coffman of the college of education; W. C. Cobb, president of the superintendents' section of the Minnesota Educational association; E. M. Phillips, state high school inspector, and Professor F. H. Swift.

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Land Sales Bring $92,000.

Showing the heavy demand for state land, State Auditor Preus has disposed of nearly 10,000 acres in a number of northern Minnesota counties. The total amount realized for the state school fund from the sales held was approximately $92,000. At International Falls where the first of the sales was held, 2,395 acres were sold for $25,733. The second held at Duluth aided in the disposal of 5,899 acres at $62,910, and the third held at Aitkin saw 440 acres turned over to settlers for $3,040.

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Pass Bar Examinations.

Names of twenty-three [illegible] who have passed their bar examinations have been recommended to the supreme court by Eli Southworth of Mankato, secretary of the State board of Law Examiners. One woman was on the list. The successful candidates now may take their oaths of office, which must be filed in the supreme court.

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State [illegible] Clean-Up Day.

A state-wide clean-up [illegible] day probably will be observed in Minnesota April [illegible] this year. Governor Burnquist and E. W. Hargadine, state fire marshal, conferred relative to fixing a date when all citizens will be urged to clean out their attics and basements and remove the rubbish from their yards.

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Drains Unsold State Land.

The state drainage board [illegible] contract for completion of the Sand Hill ditch project in Polk county, for which $15,000 was appropriated by the last legislature. The work includes a ditch, the road alongside and four steel bridges over the ditch, which drains a considerable amount of unsold state land.

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To Enlarge Reformatory.

Members of the board [illegible] reported after a visit to the St. Cloud reformatory that crowded conditions in the institution would be relieved in six months when cell house D is completed. There are 630 inmates in the reformatory. The new cell house will accommodate about [illegible] persons.

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Alleges Risk Law Violation.

For the first time the statute prohibiting Minnesotans from being insured in companies that are not licensed here was invoked when S. D. Works, insurance commissioner, started suit against a Twin City company charging that the law has been violated. Mr. Works said the company had taken out policies with companies not licensed in Minnesota. "This sort of thing has been practiced in Minnesota for some time and I propose to break it up," he said. The alleged offense is a misdemeanor.

"YOU TOLD ME THE TRUTH AND I WANT THE PEOPLE TO KNOW IT"

The following unsolicited letter has been received from Mr. J. F. Ward of Donalda, Alberta. It is a plain statement of conditions as Mr. Ward has found them:

A Settler's Plain Letter.

"It is with pleasure I drop a line to you. We had a good year. Off of 65 acres, oats and wheat, I got over 2,500 bushels of wheat and oats. Oats went here from 50 to 100 bushels per acre, and wheat from 25 to 52 per acre. Just see me being here one year and have over 700 bushels of wheat. It is now over $1.00 per bushel. Oats is 42 cents, and going up. You told me the truth, and I want the people of Toledo to know it. Hogs are 8¾ cents; cattle are high. Canada is good enough for me. I have 5 good horses. I sold 2 good colts, 2 cows and 18 head of hogs and killed 2. I have 6 hogs left. I got 400 bushels of potatoes off an acre and a good garden last summer, fine celery and good onions. One neighbor had over 1,200 bushels of wheat, and sold over $700 of hogs and 2,000 bushels of oats. This is a great country. If you should tell the people of Toledo of this it would get some of them thinking. The soil is a rich black loam, and a pleasure to work it.

"We have a good farm. We have a flowing well with soft water. It is the best water in the country. Some people think they got to go to war when they come out here. They need not be afraid of war. There is no war tax on land; only school tax, $12.00 on 160 acres, and road tax of two days with your team. I tell you the truth, there is no land in or around Toledo as good as our land here in Alberta. If anybody wants to write us, give them our address.

"We have had nice weather. We have had it quite cold for one week, but no rain and sleet, and the sun shines nearly every day, and it is hot in the sun. Coal is $2.25 per ton. The people are very nice and good here. We are well enjoying the West. The horses and cows are feeding on the prairies all the winter. We just have two horses in the stable to go to town with. Yours truly, (Sgd.) J. F. WARD, Donalda, Alberta, Feb. 9, 1916."

Statement of Steve Schweitzberger

"I was born in Wisconsin, but moved with my parents when a boy to Stephen Co., Iowa. I was there farming for 50 years. I sold my land there for over $200 an acre. I moved to Saskatchewan, and located near Briercrest in the spring of 1912. I bought a half section of land. I have good neighbors. I feel quite at home here the same as in Iowa. We have perfect safety and no trouble in living up to the laws in force. My taxes are about $65 a year on the half section for everything. I have had splendid crops. Wheat in 1915 yielded me over 50 bushels to the acre. That is more than I have ever had in Iowa, and yet the land there costs four times as much as it does here. The man who comes here now and buys land at $50 an acre or less gets a bargain. (Sgd.) S. Schweitzberger, February 9th, 1916." Advertisement.

To Be Expected.

Here is a story about a man who bought a manufactured 'old master' under the impression it was a genuine Van Dyke."

"Oh, that story has [illegible] on it."

Public Officials' Bonds.

We bond more people than any other company in the world. Maintain a special department for bonding public officials. Agents everywhere. Write for rates to Official Bond Department, National Surety Company, 90 West St., New York City. "America's Leading Surety Co." Adv.

Polite Man.

[illegible]—I hate to remind [illegible] your board bill.

Mr. Slowpay—Don't mention it.

AN APPRECIATIVE LETTER

Mr. M. A. Page, Oak[illegible], Wis., under date of Feb. 16, 1916, writes: "Some years ago I was troubled with my kidneys and was advised to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. It is now three years since I finished taking these Pills and I have had no trouble with my kidneys since. I was pretty bad for ten or twelve years prior to taking your treatment, and will say that I have been in good health since and able to do considerable work at the advanced age of seventy-two. I am glad you induced me to continue the treatment at the time, as I am cured."

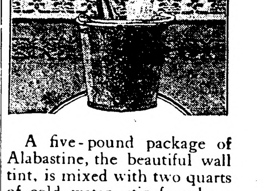
Mr. M. A. Page.

Dodd's Kidney Pills 50c per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets for indigestion have been proved. 50c per box. Adv.

The Remedy.

[illegible] the barber [illegible] stop it from [illegible]

"[illegible] the only thing that will stop my hair from coming out is a divorce."



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A five-pound package of Alabastine, the beautiful wall tint, is mixed with two quarts of cold water, stir for about one minute, and Alabastine is ready to apply.

New and individual shades or tints can be obtained by combining regular tints.

And when you consider that you obtain the most beautiful, mellow, nature colors, viz., soft buffs, delicate greens, and exquisite blues, or *any shade* you wish by combining shades of Alabastine, then you'll *know* why Alabastine is one of the most popular wall decorations with millions of Painters and Householders, Decorators and Womenfolk, who take a pride in their homes the wide world over.

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Be sure the red cross and circle are on each package of Alabastine you buy. Alabastine is sold by most druggists, hardware dealers and paint stores everywhere.

His Unlucky Days.

Seated in a row on the porch of an old-country inn, with their chairs tipped back, some old cronies were going on about unlucky days. After all had given what they considered their unlucky days, a quiet old chap at one end spoke up:

"Aa'll tell ye ma unlucky days. Aa's fund oot in ma time that it's unlucky to be struck wi' leetening on a Monday; or te be catched wiv a circular saw on a Tuesday; or te tumble overboard on a Wednesday, or te be run ower by a motor car on a Thursday; or lose a ten pun note on a Friday; or be bitten by a mad dog on a Saturday, and hev nowt for dinner on the Sunday!"

There's many a slip 'twixt the cup and lip, but only one between a man and the sidewalk.

For Sprains, Strains or Lameness

Always Keep a Bottle In Your Stable

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HANFORD'S Balsam of Myrrh

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Auction Sale!

As I am going to quit farming I will sell at public auction on my place in Section 36, Town of East Valley, 9 miles East of Holt, on

Wednesday April 5

Commencing at 11 o'clock Free Lunch at Noon

Cattle! Cattle!

3 red Oxen, 8 years old
Red and white Ox 8 years
Durham Cow 8 years old (fresh in November)
Jersey Cow 8 years old (will be fresh in April)
Red & white Cow 6 years (will be fresh in April)
Jersey Cow 4 years old (will be fresh in April)
Red & white Cow 4 years (will be fresh in April)
Shorthorn Bull 1 year old
Red Bull 1 year old

Machinery, Etc.

Weber Wagon, wide tire
Disc harrow, 14 disks
Emerson Sulky Plow with breaker attachment
Hay Rack
Deering Hay Rake
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4 Horse Equealizer
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DeLaval Cream Seperator (No. 15, nearly new)
Other articles too numerous to mention

Terms: Sums of $10.00 or less, Cash. Over $10.00 time will be given to Nov. 1, 1916, on bankable notes bearing Ten per cent interest.

Ole O. Garthus

Ole Brenna, Auctioneer Holt State Bank, Clerk

BIG AUCTION!

Having decided to quit farming we will sell at public auction in SE 1-4 Sec. 21, T. 156-43, 1 1-2 mile north and a half mile east of Holt, on

Friday April 7

Commencing at 11 o'cloc A. M. sharp

Live Stock

Gray mare 8 yrs., wt. 1200
" gelding 7 yrs, wt. "
Black mare weight 1400
Gray horse " 1500
Colt, nearly 1 year old
Cow 7 yrs. was fresh Dec.
" 4 " " " Jan.
" 4 " " " Feb.
" 5 " fresh in April
" 9 " " " July
" 6 " " now
Heifer 3 yrs. " in June
" " " April
" 2 years old
2 heifers 1 " "
2 " 2 months 1 Guernsey
2 Bulls, 1 and 2 years old
All high bred cattle

Machinery

Minnesota binder nr'ly nu
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Nearly new Monitor drill 16 dbl disc
14 inch Emerson breaker
13 " " gang plow
14 " John Deere " "
16 " " " walking "
" " " " breaking "
12 disc harrow
2 horse drag Scraper
Wagon, narrow tires
Wagon gear narrow tires
Set bob-sleds and a cutter
3 section drag Gas bbl.
Breeching harness
Washing machine
Other Articles

Regular Terms. Hot Free Lunch at Noon

Otto and Gilbert Johnson, Owners

Ole C. Brenna, Auct. Holt State Bank, Clerk

FARM SALE

Thursday April 6

Commences at 1 o'clock sharp Free Lunch at Noon

Sorrel gelding wt. 1200
Gray gelding wt. 1200
Gray gelding wt. 1100
Pure blooded Jersey Bull 1 yr. old
Duroc-Jersey Sow
Turkey Hen Chickens
Old Trusty Incubator
Household goods, Etc.

Wagon and Rack Sleds
Spring Wagon Harness
14 inch walking plow
14 inch breaking plow
McCormick Mower 5 foot
Some Hay and Potatoes
3 section drag
Articles too numerous to mention.

Five miles west and 3 1-2 miles south of Holt, going west on account of poor health.

E. H. Trulock, Owner

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

(Crowded out last week.)

Southeast of Holt.

The snow is disappearing very rapidly which reminds us of spring again.

Alma and Clara Soiney were Sunday visitors at the T. Sorum home.

A very large crowd was in attendance at Rev. A. L. Larson's farewell service held in the Sam Groven school house Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jacob Klungness and Mrs. Hans Peterson were pleasant visitors at the Albert Klungness' home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olsen entertained a large number of their friends Sunday evening.

Messrs Gjermund Johnson, Arne Amund and Targe Sordahl spent a few days at Smiley last week, while they attended the wedding of their niece and cousin Tona Johnson which occured on Mar. 15th.

Thomas Olsen called at the Johnson and Moe homes Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Torgerson delightfully entertained as their guests on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. Keller and family.

Tony Anderson of Golden Valley called on friends in this locality last week.

Ed. Hanson was on the sick list Sunday.

Mrs. S. G. Moe and sons Simon and Oscar went to Golden Valley on Saturday for a short visit with Engebreth Moe and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Larson.

Olga Klungness will work for Mrs. Henry Jenson a few days.

Ringbo Rumbles.

Oliver Grondahl called at Ole Davidson Thursday.

G. P. Sorter and daughter Anna visited at Ole Christenson'' Wednesday.

Oliver Grondahl was lucky enough to shoot a wolf last week.

Hilmer called on Pete Sorter Thursday.

Miss Esther Movik and her brother Alf spent a pleasant Sunday afternoon with their friends Martin and Hazel Davidson.

Misses Anna Sorter, Alice Johnson and Jensine Udstrand called on Victoria Johnson Sunday.

Miss Hazel Davidson spent Thursday night with her chum Victoria Johnson.

Christian Saastad spent Saturday evening and Sunday at Matt Larson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Larson and daughter Lydia returned home from Fargo Friday after spending some weeks with their daughter who lives there.

Miss Betty and Joseph Johnson called at Ole Davidson Thursday afternoon.

P. G. Sorter has been grinding feed for a couple of days this week.

Ole Davidson has sold their farm and they moved from it last Monday to the farm which was formerly occupied by E. O. Haggland.

Alf Movik called at Ole Davidson Thursday.

Pete Sorter, the Misses Anna Sorter and Nora Christenson called at Ole Davidson last Sunday.

Martin Davidson called on his friend Alf Movik Sunday last.

A large number of young folks attended the dance in E. O. Hagglund's houses last Saturday evening.

We are all glad to see the crows coming which is a sure sign of spring.

Eddie Davidson went to Thief River Falls, Thursday.

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M. E. Carlson is the new agent at the depot, Ed. Harloff being transfered to Badger.

Notice To Farmers!

I will stand my Stallion at Holt, every Friday commencing March 31. Terms of service $12.00 for standing colt, except in case mare is 13 years old or over, then $2.00 cash down. Come in and look him over. He was awarded First Prize for the last 3 years at the Pennington Co., Fair. Breed your mares early while you can get a chance.—H. S. Williams, Germantown route T. R. Falls.

Petition for Administration.

Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Marshall, In PROBATE COURT. In the Matter of the Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA To Harald H. Gunheim, Hans H. Gunheim, Chas. H. Gunheim, Gunnar H. Gunheim, Thone H. Gunheim and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Chas. H. Gunheim having been filed in this Court, representing that Rollef H. Gunheim, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 27th day of February 1916, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Chas. H. Gunheim of Holt, Minn., and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition.

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms, in the City of Warren, in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April 1916, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of March 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
Probate Judge.

Julius J. Olson,
Attorney for Petitioner.
[COURT SEAL]

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Mar. 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Salmon Larson, of Holt, Minn., who on Nov. 30, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05764, for Northwest 1-4 Section 8 Township 155 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 1st day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Reno Boe, Salve Tharaldson & Alex Magee all of Germantown, Minn., & Ole Kirklie, of Goodridge, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Feb. 25, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Frank Coppay, of Holt, Minn., who on June 15, 1912, made homestead entry No. 08132, for SE1-4, Section 4, Township 155 N., Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 10th day of Apr. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Alex Magee, Reno Boe, Oliver Secoure and Rudolph Jenson, all of Germantown, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

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Bank No. 1064
Amendment to Certificate of Incorporation of The FARMERS STATE BANK of HOLT.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 18th day of February A. D. 1916, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED; That section Five(5) of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section five.-

THE AMOUNT OF THE CAPITAL STOCK SHALL BE $25,000.00 FULLY PAID IN, IN CASH, WHICH SHALL BE DIVIDED INTO TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY (250) SHARES OF ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS EACH.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in HOLT, MINNESOTA on the 18th day of FEBRUARY A. D. 1916.

Lars Backe, President.
Bertil Sollom, Asst. Cashier.
[CORPORATE SEAL]

State of Minnesota,
Office of Superintendent of Banks.
St Paul, March, 13th. 1916

This is to certify that the action of the stockholders of the Farmers State Bank of Holt in voting to increase their capital stock from Ten Thousand ($10,000) to Twenty Five Thousand ($25,000) Dollars, as provided for in the forgoing amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation, has been approved by me:

Albert H. Turrettin
Superintendent of Banks.

State of Minnesota
Department of State

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 13th. day of March A. D. 1916 at 4 o'clock P. M. and was duly recorded in book B of State Bank Records, on page 15.

Julius A. Schmahl.
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds.
County of Marshall Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 15th. day of March A. D. 1916 at 8 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in Book J. of Miscl page 18.

Chas. E. Grinder,
Register of Deeds.
[SEAL]

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Mar. 24, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Reno Boe of Germantown Minn., who on June 21, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05336, for NW1-4 Sec. 11, Township 155 N. Range 41 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 1st day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson of Holt, Minn., Salve Tharaldson & Alex Magee both of Germantown, Minn., & Ole Kirklie of Goodridge, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Taking No Chances.

At a Scotch watering place one summer, Macpherson was found stretched in a contented mood on the sands, puffing his old pipe. "Come on, Mac," said his companion, who had just come from town, "let's go for a sail." "Na, na," replied Macpherson, slowly shaking his head. "I hae had a guid dinner at the cost 'o three and saxpence, an' I'm takin' no risks.'

The Holt Weekly News.
Successor to and Continuation of
The Northern Light
By The
Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Mrs. Huseih went to T. R. Falls, Monday to visit her sister.

Sam Mickelson went to Mud Lake Tuesday to build a house for B. L. Backe, and John Hagberg built an auto shed at the same time, for Mr. Backe, on his lot in town.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, executed and delivered by Martin Nygaard and Thea Nygaard his wife mortgagors, to the Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 8th day of January 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of January 1915 at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 73 of mortgages on page 109, such default consisting in the non-payment of an installment in the sum of Sixteen Dollars ($16.00) due and payable under the terms of the note secured by said mortgage, on the 8th day of January 1916, and such default consisting further in the non-payment of the interest on a prior mortgage, which interest amounted to the sum of Forty-eight Dollars ($48.00) and became due and payable on the 15th day of October 1915 and was on that date paid by the undersigned mortgagee, and whereas the undersigned mortgagee has elected to declare, and has declared the whole amount, principal and interest of the note secured by said mortgage to be due and payable, and whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said interest paid on said prior mortgage, is the sum of One Hundred Thirty-eight and 92-100 Dollars ($138.92), and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The South Half of the Southeast Quarter (S1-2 SE1-4) of Section Five (5) and the West Half of the Northeast Quarter (W1 2 NE1-4) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range forty-one (41) West of the fifth principal meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court house in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 22nd day of April, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Hundred Thirty-eight and 92-100 ($138.92) Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) Attorneys fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated February 29, 1916.

Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota.
Mortgagee.

H. O. KJOMME,
Attorney for mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

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The Poppenhagen boys from Goodridge are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson this week.

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P.S.—If your church needs money, write for free details of TODAY'S $100.00 Cash Offer to Every Church. Send for free sample copy.

School Notes.

The Primary room has two new scholars: Evelyn and Ellsworth Christianson.

Mr. Higgin of Bronson Minn. visited school a week ago Wednesday and Clair O'Hara of Thief River Falls last Monday afternoon.

One hundred nineteen library books were read during the month of March.

The boys in the manual training class made a large kite last week and tried it on Monday after school. Everybody enjoyed it.

Joe Nelson was our janitor Thursday and Friday while Carl Christoferson was at Mud Lake.

The Eighth Grade.

The enrollment in the Primary Department for the month ending March 31st was thirtyfour.

Average daily attendance 27. Percentage of attendance 90, Number neither absent nor tardy 10.

Notice! Notice!

Sealed bids will be received by The Farmers & Village Switchboard Co., for telephone operator at their switchboard in Holt, by the secretary T. B. Folden until 2 o'clock P. M., April 10, 1916. For terms see Telephone Board.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Mrs. D. Payne and daughter Edna were visitors in Thief River Falls, Friday.

Holt Boy in The Philippines

With the detachment of U. S. Marines serving at our naval station at Cavite, Philippine Islands, is Herbert C. Severson, of this place.

Herbert, who is a son of Thorval Severson, of Holt, enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps at its St. Paul recruiting station on Nov. 10, 1915. Marines wear a distinctively military uniform, and their four year enlistment embodies sea, foreign shore and home duty.

Foreign service ranks easily first in the hearts of these "soldiers of the sea," and it is very likely that Severson's tour of tropical duty will be crowded with excitement and adventure, and that he will have many interesting narratives to recount to his friends when he returns to civil life.

In Church Circles.

The Synod Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. C. H. Gunheim April 13th.

Rev. McMartin will preach in the Free Mission church next Monday evening April 10th.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. Charles Hagglund, Saturday afternoon, April 15th, at 2 o'clock.

The Sunshine Society will be entertained in the basement of the Free Mission church Saturday April 8th. All are welcome.

Miss Matilda Wendt was a visitor in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Just Received

Ladies

Up-to-the-minute New

Spring Hats

Get Yours To Day

While the Assortment is Complete at

Holt Merc. Co's.

Two Stores

Holt & Newfolden

See us for magazine subscriptions.

Ed. Nelson of Middle River visited his folks a couple of days this week.

L. S. Kolden came Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the Payne home.

Miss Gunhild Sollom came home last week from Oslo and went out to her claim in Mud Lake.

Lion tractor for sale on easy terms. Guaranteed to pull three plows. Write box 638, Holt, Minn.

The new council took charge of the affairs of the village Tuesday evening. We are unable to give a resume of their business this week, but will try to next week.

Three buildings have been moved onto the ridge south of the school house, this week. Dr. Olson moved the auto shed, formerly belonging to Adolph Sollom, to his place, and H. B. Young moved the small houses formerly owned by John Alkenback and Adolph Sollom, to a lot near Dr Olson's and will fix them up for a [illegible]

Our spring weather caught a bad cold this week.

Wanted: Two Rhode Island Red or Brown Leghorn roosters. Mrs. A. S. Bean, Holt, Minn.

Ed. Nyberg, Geo. Smith and David Johnson left Monday for Dakota, where they expected to find work.

Miss Johanna Larson returned home Tuesday from Anstad where she taught a winter term of school.

Miss Lizzie Hanson was called to her home near Albert Lea, last week Thursday, by the sickness of her mother.

Mrs. Lutkin and children of Thief River Falls visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson a couple of days this week.

The Domestic Science Class and their efficient teacher, Miss Lawson entertained the other teachers, the school board and their wives at a six o'clock dinner Saturday. The dinner, the decorations etc., were a great credit to both class and teacher and was greatly enjoyed and appreciated by all present.

Picture In Your Mind

by the aid of our **Illustration** a resident street, lined on either side with homes about 30 feet apart and extending from

Chicago to New York

2000 miles of homes

Imagine All These Homes In Ruins!
Blackened, Smoking, Desolate--
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The picture is not overdrawn
The buildings destroyed by fire in the United States each year would form such a street!

Is Your Home Insured?

Fire In Town
May be held in check
But Out on the Farm
May End in Wreck

See Us

For Farm Insurance
and
Farm Loans

Holt State Bank

Bring us your Job Printing.

Farmers' Bulletin No. 507 gives simple methods and full directions treating seed grain for smut and it will be sent free to all for the asking, by the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

There is considerable difference in the percentage or purity of Formaldehyde. One dealer may sell a 24 per cent and another a 48. In the treatment of small grains for smut twice as much of the 24 per cent would have to be used for each gallon of water, to get the results a 48 per cent Formaldehyde would give. Don't fail to treat seed for smut and keep the above in mind.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.10
Wheat No. 2	1.08
Wheat No. 3	1.06
Wheat No. 4	.93
Flax	1.91
Oats	.34
Barley	.49 to .54
Rye	.82
Flour, Best Patent	3.65

It now seems likely that Villa is so far ahead of the U. S. troops, in the mountain recesses of Mexico that they will be unable to capture him.

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You *know* Trinidad Lake asphalt is "Nature's everlasting waterproofer", and gives life and resisting power to roofing.

Genasco is made of Trinidad Lake asphalt; and applied with the Kant-leak Kleet it gives years of faithful service. Costs no more to get Genasco and be on the safe side —it actually costs less in the long run. We are ready to fill your order *now*.

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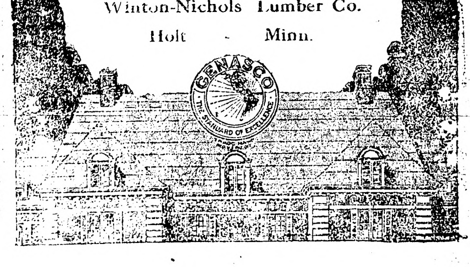

STOP EATING MEAT IF KIDNEYS OR BACK HURT

Take a Glass of Salts to Clean Kidneys If Bladder Bothers You—Meat Forms Uric Acid.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and uninary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney disease.—Adv.

Lad of Seven Saves Sister's Life.

The presence of mind of Archie Burkett, seven years old, in throwing a piece of carpet over his sister, Laura, fourteen years old, probably saved her life recently when he found her clothes a mass of flames. The girl's injuries were not serious. The boy explained that he did just what his mother told him to do in a case like that.—Pittsburgh Gazette.

For foot-rot use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Wireless Amateurs' Message.

It was a very pretty thing that the amateur wireless operators of the country did on the night before Washington's birthday. At midnight the hundreds of boys who make up that army sat waiting for a message from Davenport, Ia. When it came, everyone within hearing repeated it, and each boy who received it relayed it eastward in his turn, until it reached the operators of the Harvard Wireless club. They delivered it to a delegation of boy scouts, one of whom read it aloud from the platform of the town hall in Lexington. The message was this: "A democracy requires that a people who govern and educate themselves should be so armed and disciplined that they can protect themselves."—Youth's Companion.

Has a $100,000 Woodpile.

A $100,000 woodpile—walnut logs heaped over three blocks of ground—is waiting the completion of the new gunstock factory at Chillicothe, Mo. A force of 1,100 men is buying up the walnut timber in Kansas, Iowa, Illinois, Arkansas and Missouri. Trainloads of logs are arriving in Chillicothe daily. The factory already has a pay roll of 1,500 men and, when completed, will be the largest plant of its kind in the country. With a decrease in demand for guns the manufacturing of wooden ware, such as motor car and wagon spokes, will be taken up.

No Occasion to Worry.

"My husband worries so over the amount of gas we burn."

"Tell him that is a matter to make light of."

Americans now monopolize the Spitzbergen coal fields.

WISE HOSTESS

Won Her Guests to Postum.

Three great coffee drinkers were my old school friend and her two daughters.

"They were always complaining and taking medicine. I determined to give them Postum instead of coffee when they visited me, so without saying anything to them about it, I made a big pot of Postum the first morning.

"Before the meal was half over each one passed up her cup to be refilled remarking how fine the coffee' was. The mother asked for a third cup and inquired as to the brand of coffee I used. I didn't answer her question just then for I heard her say a while before that she didn't like Postum unless it was more than half coffee.

"After breakfast I told her that the 'coffee' she liked so well at breakfast was pure Postum, and the reason she liked it was because it was properly made.

"I have been brought up from a nervous, wretched invalid, to a fine condition of physical health by leaving off coffee and using Postum.

"I am doing all I can to help the world from coffee slavery to Postum freedom, and have earned the gratitude of many, many friends." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c pkgs.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both forms are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

KEEP PLACE CLEAN SO FLIES WON'T BOTHER YOU

If you want to be rid of the fly evil this summer get the habit of keeping your premises clean. Once you get the habit it won't be much trouble to do so.

Drain your garbage, wrap it in paper and put it in a metal bucket with a fly-proof lid. Every day or two burn or bury this garbage or have it hauled away.

If you keep a horse, don't have a manure pile or bin. Put the manure is a small receptacle—say, a tin tub or a barrel which can be kept covered from flies. Have this taken away and spread on a field oftener than once a week.

If you have an outdoor toilet, see that the vault is closed up tight where the house fits over it. Use sod to make it so if you cannot get cement. Use plenty of lime on the sewage and keep covers on the seat holes.

Keep your house screened, keep a swatter handy and keep your eye peeled—for during cold or rainy weather a few flies almost surely will wander in. Vigilance and action on your part will so discourage the flies after one or two seasons that they will keep away from your premises.

Tell this to your neighbors and urge them to join you in the campaign against the fly pest. Pretty soon others will see the advantage of sanitation, and if there's any "git-up-and-git" in the neighborhood it will not be long until everybody in your end of the town will have the sanitary habit.

It is not expensive to get rid of flies. There are people who may feel they cannot afford to buy a garbage can or other little necessities of clean premises. Where there's a will there's a way. If you cannot afford today to spend any money, set your mind on cleaning up the place and do the best you can. Use such extra tubs and buckets as you have at hand. Above all, don't be lazy. Clean up right!

School Children Should Fight 'Em

The schools must help in the campaign against flies. Each of the various grades should take a particular part of the work, says a writer in the International Harvester company bulletin. Let one grade canvass the town and enlist the groceries, meat shops, restaurants and householders in a movement to clean up alleys and back yards, provide for proper disposition of garbage and for sanitary outhouses.

Another grade might make fly traps and sell them to the various grocers and butchers for use at their places of business and to the city authorities for use in public places. That was done successfully in Holland, Mich., last year.

Still another grade may collect all the information which can be secured on the subject of flies. All grades may write compositions on "The Fly," "The Fly's Travels," "Confessions of a Fly," "Dangers of a Housefly," and similar subjects. Prizes may be offered for the best essay from each grade.

Flies Diminish the Milk Flow By Annoying Cows

Cows seriously annoyed by flies do not give more than 60 per cent as much milk as they would ordinarily. It is to the advantage of farmers and others who keep cows to protect them from flies this summer. It can be done quite simply. In the first place, spray each animal with a mixture composed of three parts fish oil and one part kerosene. Apply it with a small spray pump. Secondly, keep the stable and barnyard as free as possible of manure. Remove it frequently and use some simple disinfectant freely about the premises.

Fly Talk Is Dirty

When people discuss the fly frankly and seriously they use dirty talk necessarily. It is a nasty subject, but we are bound to consider it for our own protection, and to take steps to abate the evil.

How does typhoid fever spread? Generally it is communicated when the solid and liquid food to be eaten by healthy persons is contaminated in some manner with human excrement from someone who has the disease.

This is where the house fly gets in its filthy work. Suppose your next door neighbor has typhoid fever. The waste matter cast from his intestinal tract is emptied into the outside toilet on his premises. Flies swarm about the toilet vault until dinner time at your house. Then some of them attend your meal. They alight on the food and poison it with germs either from their hairy feet or by depositing a speck which also contains germs.

Do not pooh pooh this statement. Ask your doctor if it is not the gospel truth. Then get busy and help kill the flies. Thus you may keep death out of your own home.

TEUTONS BOMBARD FRENCH RAILROAD; ARMY ENTERS VAUX

ARTILLERY SHELLS PARIS-VERDUN LINE—GERMAN TROOPS GAIN FOOTHOLD IN VILLAGE NEAR VERDUN.

TWENTY-EIGHT PERSONS KILLED IN AIR RAIDS

Zeppelin L-15 Which Visited Eastern Counties of England Drops Into Sea—Surrenders to British Patrol Boat—Crew Saved.

London, April 3.—In two fierce attacks with large numbers of troops, the Germans gained a foothold in Vaux village, five miles northeast of Verdun, the French war office admits. Paris also admits that German artillery has begun the bombardment of the Verdun-Paris railroad from Avocourt, six miles to the north.

The bombardment is believed to be a prelude to a German drive southward toward the railway and a general assault on French positions northwest of Verdun.

Accompanied by Air Battles.

The cannonade is being accompanied by hourly air battles. Convoyed by armored Fokkers, German airships are speeding along the railway, signalling the range to the crown prince's batteries. French airmen drive off the German flyers as each fresh squadron appears.

On the west bank of the Meuse bombardment in the region of Malancourt continued, but the Germans made no fresh infantry attacks. The Germans launched their first attack against Vaux village from the north. It was stopped by a French curtain of shell fire and infantry fire that threw the Teutons back with heavy losses.

Disregard Losses.

The Germans rushed forward to the second attack regardless of losses and after heavy fighting captured several houses in the western portion of the village.

Heavy artillery exchanges occurred in the Argonne, the French shelling effectively the railways north of Haute Chevauche.

The German victory at Malancourt renews the menace to all the French fortified positions on the west bank of the Meuse and the Germans are expected to follow up their advantage by a massed attack on Bethincourt and a new drive in the Avocourt region as soon as artillery can be brought up.

Zeppelin Is Destroyed.

Twenty-eight persons were killed and 44 injured in Friday night's air raid, according to official figures.

One of the five Zeppelins, the L-15, which visited the eastern counties of England during the night dropping some 90 bombs, was damaged, presumably by British anti-aircraft guns and came down off the Thames Estuary. It surrendered to British patrol boats. The crew was saved but the airship broke up and sank while being towed in.

It is said little damage was done.

CONFIRMS BRANDEIS CHOICE

Senate Judiciary Sub-Committee Votes 3-2, to Recommend Confirmation—Members to Submit Reports.

Washington, April 3.—By a vote of 3 to 2 the Senate judiciary subcommittee considering the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis for the supreme court, has voted to recommend confirmation to the entire committee. Those voting for confirmation were Senators Chilton, Walsh and Fletcher, Democrats; against, Senators Cummins and Works, Republicans. The full committee is understood to stand practically even.

Each member of the subcommittee will submit a separate report to the entire committee setting forth the ground upon which he reached his conclusion. It is not expected that the entire committee will vote on confirmation at its next meeting.

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NAVY DEPARTMENT EXPOSED SECRETS, CHARGE IN HOUSE

FURNISHED SPECIFICATIONS OF GUNS AND OTHER FEATURES, MEMBERS OF NAVAL COMMITTEE ASSERT.

DANIELS IS SUBJECTED TO CROSS-EXAMINATION

Denies Any Knowledge of Charges—Designs Said to Be in Hands of Russia and Germany—Passage of Armor Plate Measure Urged.

Washington, April 4.—Accusing his department of having furnished specifications and intimate details of the 14-inch guns, armor strength, and other offensive and defensive features of the United States army to other governments "big navy" members of the House naval committee subjected Secretary Daniels to a gruelling cross-examination.

Representative Butler of Pennsylvania made the charges that the navy's plans and specifications had fallen into the hands of the Russian government and the Krupps under Daniel's administration. The secretary denied any knowledge of the charges.

Knows Nothing of Case.

"Do you remember having turned over to the Russian government the designs and specifications of our 14-inch gun, armor and other national effects during your administration?" Butler asked.

"I do not," Daniels replied.

"If that was done, I would say it was wrong?" Butler asked.

"Absolutely," Daniels retorted.

"Then you know nothing of the fact that the designs and specifications were furnished the Russian government under your administration," Butler insisted.

"I know nothing of it," Daniels replied.

To Ask for Letter.

"Will you ask Admiral Strauss for a copy of the letter sent to the Krupp company in Germany so we will know whether the specifications of our 14-inch guns were given to the German government?" Butler asked.

Daniels said he would ask for the letter. Daniels urged passage of the armor plate without amendment, opposing an amendment offered by Butler that the private armor manufacturers would be given contracts in case they would bid a price satisfactory to the secretary of the navy.

Objects to Armor Plate Price.

"I know it would be a costly experiment," Daniels said. "I know these armor plate dealers would not produce armor at any price without a large profit. I would not give to any secretary the power to deal with monopolies. It must be a public transaction. The rule of the secretary under your amendment would be final. A price that might be satisfactory to one secretary probably would not be to another. The whole proposition for private contract for armor plate manufacture is unsatisfactory to me."

Daniels said the armor plate delivery had been prompt and the quality satisfactory, the only objection being the price.

INVOLVED IN GERMAN PLOTS

More Persons in U. S. Implicated by Correspondence Taken From Alleged Spy by British Detectives.

Washington, April 4.—A quantity of correspondence belonging to Horst von Der Goltz, the alleged German spy, who has said he was the directing head of the plan to blow up the Welland canal, has been seized by Scotland Yard detectives and will be made public shortly by the British foreign office, according to an announcement by Department of Justice officials.

It is understood that the correspondence contains details of plans to blow up the Welland canal and of invasion of Canada from the United States. The letters now in possession of the British authorities are said to contain the names of persons in this country hitherto unmentioned.

FIND SCARLET FEVER GERM.

Boston, April 4.—Dr. F. B. Mallory, pathologist of the Boston city hospital, and his assistant, D. E. M. Medlar, have discovered the bacillus that causes scarlet fever, and it is believed it will not be difficult to work out a toxin or vaccine for its prevention and cure.

Engineer Blamed For Train A[illegible].

Cleveland, Ohio, April 4.—Engineer Herman Hess has been dismissed by the New York Central railroad, it has just been learned as a result of the recent wreck at Amherst, Ohio. He is held responsible for the disaster by the railroad. Towerman Albert Ernst, one of the chief witnesses at the federal and state inquiry into the accident, will be retained as will Flagman Perry Beach, exonerated by General Superintendent A. S. Ingalls from the charge that he did not properly flag Hess' train.

SIXTY-SEVEN ARE KILLED IN LATEST ZEPPELIN ATTACKS

RAIDS OF FRIDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS ON EASTERN COAST OF ENGLND CAUSE GREAT LOSS OF LIFE.

BRITISH AIRMAN ATTACKS RAIDER AND DROPS BOMBS

Exciting Aerial Fight at a Height of 9,000 Feet—Lieutenant Brandon's Machine Hit Several Times by Zeppelin Machine Gun Bullets—Flies Above Enemy Craft.

London, April 4.—The Zeppelin raid was the third in as many successive nights. Raiders reached the coast of Scotland—the first they had been over that country and the farthest north Zeppelins had yet traveled. Other raiders visited northern and southeastern counties of England. Although many bombs were dropped official details were lacking up to the time of the filing of this dispatch as to the number of the raiders or the casualties.

London, April 4.—With the exception of the big air raid of January 31 when the casualties were 67 persons killed and 117 injured, the Zeppelin raids of Friday and Saturday nights caused greater loss of life than any previous aerial attack this year.

The coast of Scotland and the northern and southeastern counties of England were attacked by Zeppelins Sunday night, according to an official announcement by the secretary of war.

The total casualties for the two nights, according to an official report, were 59 persons killed and 166 wounded.

Defense Methods Improved.

As some sacrifice for life lost, however, the British public finds satisfaction in practical proof afforded of a great improvement in the defensive methods dealing with aerial incursions. For the first time since the inception of this method of warfare on the British coast not only has one raiding Zeppelin been brought down and its crew taken prisoner, but the official report recounts an exciting aerial fight between a Zeppelin and a British airman, Lieutenant Brandon, who mounting to a height of 9,000 feet, flew over the raider and dropped several bombs on it with effect.

Hit by Zeppelin Gun.

The machine of Lieutenant Brandon was hit several times by machine gun bullets from the Zeppelin. It is still unknown whether the Zeppelin in this fight was the L-15, which was brought down off the Thames estuary, or another craft which is believed to have dropped its machine gun, petrol tank and other parts.

Alfred Brandon, the British airman, is a native of Wellington, N. Z. He is 32 years old and only joined the flying corps last July.

JAPANESE STEAMER HITS ROCK; HUNDRED DROWNED

Vessel Wrecked on Sunken Rock Bound From Nagasaki to Coastal Points.

[illegible], April 4.—The steamer [illegible] Maru, bound from Nagasaki for coastal points, has been wrecked on a sunken rock. Eighty-nine of her passengers and sixteen members of the crew are believed to have been drowned. The Wakatsu Maru was a vessel of 252 tons.

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Asks What Is Cabaret Show.

Washington, April 3.—A New York music publisher asked the supreme court to pass upon the question of whether a cabaret show is a performance for profit. He seeks a review of a state court decision that rendition by cabaret performers of airs from a copyrighted musical comedy involves no violation of law.

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Grip Still Hanging On?

Back aches? Stomach sensitive? A little cough? No strength? Tire easily? All after effects of this dread malady. Yes, they are catarrhal. Grip is a catarrhal disease. You can never be well as long as catarrh remains in your system, weakening your whole body with stagnant blood and unhealthy secretions.

You Need PERUNA

It's the one tonic for the after effects of grip, because it is a catarrhal treatment of proved excellence. Take it to clear away all the effects of grip, to tone the digestion, clear up the inflammed membranes, regulate the bowels, and set you on the highway to complete recovery.

Perhaps one or more of your friends have found it valuable. Thousands of people in every state have, and have told us of it. Many thousands more have been helped at critical times by this reliable family medicine.

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Rotterdam's Trade Grows.

The sea trade of Holland's great port, Rotterdam, was increased tremendously since the war broke out, and it is now necessary to deepen the channel connecting the port with the North sea to a depth of 38 feet, which later will be continued to 41 feet at high tide, the operation involving removal of more than 10,000,000 cubic yards of earth by dredging.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels.—Adv.

A Beneficent Influence.

"Why do you keep pestering me to go and have some more pictures taken?" inquired Mr. Growcher.

"Because," replied his wife, "the photographer is the only person I know of who can get you to make an effort to smile and look natural."

Cynical Comment.

"Motorists certainly do talk meanly about pedestrians."

"You're right; they're always running pedestrians down."

Our Fix, Too.

"What does your husband do with his old clothes?"

"Keeps right on wearing 'em."

When a man discovers that he has had sufficient he usually discovers that he has overestimated his capacity.

We once heard of a woman who was younger than she said she was.

Stop That Ache!

Don't worry about a bad back. Get rid of it. Probably your kidneys are out of order. Resume sensible habits and help the kidneys. Then kidney backache will go; also the dizzy spells, lameness, stiffness, tired feelings, nervousness, rheumatic pains and bladder troubles. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

A Montana Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Mrs. J. [illegible], [illegible] N. Thirty fourth St., Billings, Mont., says: "Kidney complaint had almost made me a wreck and my life seemed a burden. My back was lame and painful and my hands and feet badly swollen. I tried numerous remedies, but received little benefit. I finally used Doan's Kidney Pills and by the time I had finished five or six boxes, I was completely cured. I have never been troubled since."

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HE HAS HAD GRAND CROPS

And Likes the Laws in Western Canada.

"I lived near Lee, Illinois, for 46 years. I came to Saskatchewan in the spring of 1912 and bought land near Briercrest. I have farmed this land, 1680 acres, ever since. I have had grand crops. In 1914 I had 100 acres of wheat that yielded 40 bushels to the acre. I sold this wheat at $1.50 per bushel. I like the country and my neighbours. My taxes on each quarter section (160 acres) are about $32 a year. This covers municipal tax, school tax, hail insurance tax—everything. There is no war tax so-called. I like the laws in force here. There is no compulsion to me in any way. I am just as independent here as I was in Illinois, and I feel that my family and I are just as well protected by the laws of the province as we were in our old home in Illinois. What I earn here is my own. I have seven children and they take their places at school, in sports and at all public gatherings the same as the Canadian born.

(Sgd.) M. P. Tysdal.
"February 9th, 1916."

There Is No War Tax So-Called.

We reprint the following article, complete, without comment, from the latest number of the "Saskatchewan Farmer," an agricultural paper published at Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan: "The attempt to check emigration from the United States to our prairie provinces by publishing alarming statements about the enormous war taxes that are being paid here—$500 on a quarter section yearly—about forcing young men to enlist for the war; about the cold, no crops and any old story that by its extravagant boldness might influence men and women from venturing north to Canada, is really in the list of curios to our people. Knowing the country, we can hardly take it seriously. Our governments, however, dominion and provincial, are taking steps to expose the false statements that are being made, and thereby keep the channel open for continuing the stream of settlers that has been flowing to us for the past decade.—Advertisement.

Former Iowa Farmers Are Doing Well in Canada.

Homeopathic Remedy.

"Why do you blow that awful horn so much in your apartment and deafen the other tenants?"

"That's only to keep the baby quiet."

A Hot Time.

"What caused the coolness between you and Jones?"

"A heated argument."

For thrush use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

What Began It.

Any Wife—How had I better have my new dress made?

Any Husband—Small in the bill.

Andrew Fisher, the new high commissioner of Australia, began life as a pit hand in a Scotland coal mine.

Uneasy rests the aching tooth that wears a crown.

ELDERLY WOMEN SAFEGUARDED

Tell Others How They Were Carried Safely Through Change of Life.

Durand, Wis.—"I am the mother of fourteen children and I owe my life to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. When I was 45 and had the Change of Life, a friend recommended it and it gave me such relief from my bad feelings that I took several bottles. I am now well and healthy and recommend your Compound to other ladies."—Mrs. MARY RIDGWAY, Durand, Wis.

A Massachusetts Woman Writes:

Blackstone, Mass.—"My troubles were from my age, and I felt awfully sick for three years. I had hot flashes often and frequently suffered from pains. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now am well."—Mrs. PIERRE COURNOYER, Box 239, Blackstone, Mass.

Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and dizziness, should be heeded by middle-aged women. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has carried many women safely through this crisis.

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Use any injector, but Cutter's best. The superiority of Cutter products is due to over 15 years of specializing in vaccines and serums only. Insist on Cutter's. If unobtainable, order direct. The Cutter Laboratory, Berkeley, Cal., or Chicago, Ill.

Hopes Women Will Adopt This Habit As Well As Men

Glass of hot water each morning helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Happy, bright, alert—vigorous and vivacious—a good clear skin; a natural, rosy complexion and freedom from illness are assured only by clean, healthy blood. If only every woman and likewise every man could realize the wonders of drinking phosphated hot water each morning, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks," "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking, each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from any druggist or at the store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.—Adv.

Next Sep.

"If inventors ever do succeed in making rain, what do you suppose they will try next?"

"To make the rain dear."

Silly Billies.

"What is your favorite tune, old chap?"

"Fortune, dear boy."

Man has his excuse and woman has her because.

For fouls use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

A neutral is a man who tries to get on both sides of a fence at once.

CLEAR RED PIMPLY FACES

Red Hands, Red Scalp With Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Trial Free.

The soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. Nothing better, quicker, safer, surer at any price for skin troubles of young or old that itch, burn, crust, scale, torture or disfigure. Besides, they meet every want in toilet preparations.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Few women can serve style and comfort at the same time.

G. F. Seeger of Jonesboro, Ill., says Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh has taken the place of all gall cures in this vicinity." Adv.

Sometimes it is a man's [illegible] that keeps him from getting in bad.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Man may be made of dust, but he doesn't always settle.

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For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans. Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer. Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00. Adv

Another Good Place.

"We can't all dwell on Easy street."

"No, but we can all live [illegible]."

Always keep Hanford's Balsam in your stable for accidents. Adv.

Each Chinese schoolboy has to furnish his own stool and table as well as his own ink brush and writing paper.

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What's Doing in Minnesota

Julius H. Schmahl will again enter the list for the Republican nomination for secretary of state. Mr. Schmahl has personally made the announcement as to his future political intentions.

Luverne.—Haven Wiggins, 16 years old, has had the four fingers of his left hand severed by a circular saw. After the power had been cut off he experimented to see how much the saw would cut before it stopped.

Moorhead.—Plans whereby the Red River Valley association hopes to bring the Jefferson highway to this city, instead of by way of Brainerd, Minn., is promoted by the special committee of the association, which met here.

Cook.—C. E. Benson, special agent of the Indian department, has served notice in this village, Gheen, Angora and Cusson that the towns are in territory covered by the Indian treaty of 1855 and that it is illegal to sell or to bring liquor into them.

Duluth.—The Duluth G. A. R. posts' committee has withdrawn its tentative invitation to Senator Moses E. Clapp to be chief speaker at the exercises here Memorial day because of his vote against the administration on the recent Gore resolution.

Thief River Falls, Minn.—An experiment station for testing peat lands and making it fit for crops will probably be the outcome of the recent visit of Professor Alway of the extension department of the state university, who met with farmers at Mavie, Goodridge and in this city.

Minneapolis.—According to Adjutant General Wood, the Mexican troubles have not caused any unusual activity in respect to recruiting in the Minnesota guard. In fact he says the Twin City companies are about 350 men short of their normal strength. In the country districts the companies are nearly standard.

Crookston.—Superintendent C. G. Selvig called the roll of the senior class of the Northwest School of Agriculture here for the last time, when diplomas and certificates were awarded to fifty-seven students. The principal address was by W. F. Webster, principal of the East high school, Minneapolis, on "Responsibility."

Bemidji.—A loss of about $1,000 was sustained by the Minnesota & International Railway company in this city when a box car crashed through the yard office of that company at North Bemidji. The car is believed to have become derailed on account of icy tracks and the trucks of the car when they left the track turned the car into the building.

Caledonia.—Three children were burned to death in their home in the absence of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carson, living on the Minnesota side of the Red River, just east of Caledonia, according to word received here. Hot coals dumped close to the residence several hours before fired the straw banking on the side of the house.

St. Paul.—Frederick C. Stevens nosed out O. J. Larson of Duluth for the fourth place as delegate at large to the Republican national convention by 201 votes, according to official returns just made by the state canvassing board. The board allowed corrected returns from Hubbard county which added 100 votes to the total polled by Mr. Larson in that county.

Winona.—C. W. Hanson, who dropped dead in Winona recently, left his property to friends. He gave $500 each to Judge R. E. Looby, Judge William Burns and Peter Bender, all prominent residents. Downtown property was bequeathed to J. C. Meyer, brewing company agent. The Odd Fellows lodge received about $4,000. He had no relatives. The will has been filed.

Eveleth.—George E. Lee, president of the National Dom chapter of Eveleth, has been notified by George Brozich of Ely, supreme secretary of the South Slovenian Catholic Union of America, that the 1916 convention of the organization will be held here, beginning September and continuing eight days. Eveleth won by a large vote in competition with Joliet, Ill., and Lorraine, Ohio.

St. Paul.—Judges and clerks who presided at the recent presidential primary election will not receive additional pay where there was any other election or primary to necessitate their services, according to the ruling just made by Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith. The opinion was written on the petition of numerous election officials of the state, who wanted extra pay for the additional time spent because of the presidential primary law. For town elections, the pay provided by law is only $2 a day, while under the general election laws, judges and clerks are allowed 25 cents an hour for registering and receiving the ballots of voters and 30 cents an hour for counting and canvassing the result.

St. Paul.—More than 500 Gopher state boys and girls were to be guests at the university farm, St. Paul, during the week of April 3 to 7. J. P. Sheay of Hutchinson was to be accompanied by forty juvenile farmers, the largest delegation from any one town.

St. Paul.—[illegible] Van Sant [illegible] the [illegible] race according to a report from Minneapolis. [illegible] Eberhart in the delegate race but 10,000 votes behind the leader. Eberhart received 49,951 votes and Van Sant 39,276.

"U" PROGRAM FOR 12 TOWNS PLANNED

SERIES OF LECTURES ARRANGED BY EXTENSION DIVISION INCLUDES TWO CIRCUITS.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

The extension division of the University of Minnesota will furnish twelve Minnesota towns a "University week" in May and June.

"University week" is a unique form of service by the university to its constituents. It is, in effect, a traveling university. A six-day program similar to chautauqua programs is arranged for six towns in the northern circuit and a like number in the souththern part of the state.

The southern circuit will begin May 29 and embraces Zumbrota, St. Charles, Hayfield, Sleepy Eye, New Ulm and Minneota. The northern circuit will begin June 5 and includes Ada, Fertile, Hawley, Halstead, Twin Valley and McIntosh.

Last year twenty-four cities had "University weeks," but because of limited appropriations the extension service had to drop half of the towns and instead of four circuits have but two. The university also has been forced to raise the price of admission for the programs.

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Big Year For Farmers.

"Just now is an unusually good time to seed lawns, and if the ground is not too soft for broadcast sowing, the clover and grass should be sown." Dean Albert F. Woods of the state agricultural college says. "The snow has gradually left and the frost is all gone and the ground is in unusually fine condition." Dean Wood's predicts a big year for Minnesota farmers. The present promise, he says, is that spring will go with a rush and that there will be no setbacks like there were last year.

In the southern part of the state the farmers are beginning to work the land.

"The fruit and small fruit generally is in excellent condition. Some varieties of plums may have been killed by that 34 degrees below zero weather but the outlook is good for a bumper apple crop and plenty of strawberries, raspberries, blackberries and other small fruits.

"Some time ago people over the state thought that Minnesota would be dependent upon Montana and other Western States for her seed corn, but the outlook just now is that Minnesota will be able to take care of herself and that the Western States will be the ones that will need help."

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Claims For Bounties Unpaid.

When the next legislature meets the members will be confronted with claims totaling nearly $75,000 unpaid wolf bounties now being prepared by the various counties of the state. There are already on file in the office of State Auditor Iverson claims amounting to over $35,000. The last legislature appropriated only $10,000 for 1915 and this amount was exhausted almost in a week. When the money became available claims totaling over $21,000 had piled up, but Attorney General Smith in a ruling held that the money could not be used to clean up a deficiency. Since then no money has been paid out.

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Wants $1[illegible] For Asylum.

Following a visit of inspection to the Hastings asylum for the insane, the state board of control has announced what it will ask the following of the next legislature for that institution: For fireproofing west wing, $60,000; one new cottage $55,000, cottage for engineer $3,500, addition to green house, $2,000; repairs $2,500, improvements to grounds and roads, $500; 160 acres more land; site for power house; 40 more cows, and slate roof on cottages Nos. 3 and 4.

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Governor Inspects School.

After a busy day spent on a tour of inspection of the First State Normal school Governor Burnquist returned to St. Paul well pleased with conditions as he found them. "They are doing a great work," he said. "I was particularly impressed with the Gilmore valley model school which is used by the normal to instruct rural teachers. A feature of the building is the suite of rooms set aside as a home for the teachers."

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Could Extend Service.

Agriculture instructors in high schools could serve their communities well by testing seed for farmers, according to Prof. W. L. Oswald, university botanist, who addressed the Minnesota Association of High School Instructors at university farm. He credited many with having already undertaken such service but held that it could be extended. W. J. Corwin of the Grand Rapids high school told of activities of his department in promoting high school gardening and other farm interests.

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That itching, burning skin-trouble which keeps you scratching and digging, is a source of disgust to others, as well as of torment to you. Why don't you get rid of it by using Resinol Ointment? Physicians have prescribed it for over 20 years. In most cases, it stops itching instantly and heals eruptions promptly. It is very easy and economical to use. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

It is not at all difficult for a man to have the patience of Job—if the boils are on his neighbor.

With a hard summer's work at hand, Hanford's Balsam should be in every stable. You will find frequent use for it. Adv.

The cream of society is composed of people who have money but are unable to remember how they got it.

Public Officials' Bonds.

We bond more people than any other company in the world. Maintain a special department for bonding public officials. Agents everywhere. Write for rates to Official Bond Department, National Surety Company, 90 West St., New York City. "America's Leading Surety Co." Adv.

Some people act as though they were afraid they might forget their troubles if they didn't talk about them all the time.

THE TEUTONS OUTDONE

Heretofore, in the search for a thirst-quenching drink, that was not sweet, science has been obliged to stop at beer, the discovery of the ancient Teutons. But now America is making by a patent process, the ideal sugarless drink and making it from the grains of the fields, without the aid of malts and yeasts which are forbidden in many states to be used. This new drink, which is making a wonderful hit all over the country, can be dealt in by all kinds of dealers, who have ice in which to cool it, druggists, grocers, candy stores, general stores anywhere. This American discovery does not have the alcohol found in grape juice, and it is more of a quencher of thirst. Everywhere people are talking about Golden Grain Juice, the new beverage. Dealers who want to be the first to handle it should write for information to Golden Grain Juice Company, P. O. Box 2107, Minneapolis, Minn. Adv

The [illegible] thing that makes a man [illegible] his wife's relatives is for her not to have any.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Getting Fat

"[illegible] occupy his pulpit [illegible]?"

"Well, he has gained a few pounds since he came with us, Judge."

Love is blind, otherwise few [illegible] girls would propose.

The patch on a patched [illegible] comes off.

Sudden Death

Caused by Disease of the Kidneys

The close connection between the heart and the kidneys is well known nowadays. When kidneys are diseased, arterial tension is increased and the heart functions are attacked. When the kidneys no longer pour forth waste, uremic poisoning occurs and the person dies, and the cause is often given as heart disease, or disease of brain or lungs.

It is a good insurance against such a risk to send 10 cents for a large trial package of "Anuric"—the latest discovery of Dr. Pierce. When you suffer from backache, frequent or scanty urine, rheumatic pains here or there, or that constant tired, worn-out feeling, get "Anuric" at the druggist. It's 37 times more potent than lithia, dissolves uric acid as hot water does sugar.

Fargo Directory

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Investigate! Others do, why not YOU? See **NEWSALT** Fargo's Pioneer Chiropractor. Savings and Loan Bldg., Phone 1236. Lady Attendant. Mention this paper.

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After Grip Then—*Spring Fever?*

This is the time of year to look out for trouble! We feel weak, our blood seems thin, no appetite. It's time to clean house! This is when the blood is clogged and we suffer from what is commonly called a cold.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery purifies the blood and entirely eradicates the poisons that breed and feed disease. Pure blood is essential to good health. The weak, run-down, debilitated condition which so many people experience is commonly the effect of impure blood. "Medical Discovery" not only cleanses the blood of impurities but increases the activity of the blood-making glands, and enriches the body with pure, rich blood.

HORSE SALE DISTEMPER

You know that when you sell or buy through the sales you have about one chance in fifty to escape SALE STABLE DISTEMPER. "SPOHN'S" is your true protection, your only safeguard, for as sure as you treat all your horses with it you will soon be rid of the disease. It acts as a sure preventive, no matter how they are "exposed." 50 cents and $1 a bottle; $5 and $10 dozen bottles, at all good druggists, horse goods houses, or delivered by the manufacturers.

SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemists, Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.

A fine horse at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

Magazines for home and farm in our different clubs.

A. R. Jones visited his family over Sunday in Crookston.

Peter Kolden returned home from Ada Minn. yesterday for a short vacation from his school duties.

Edwin Docken of Mekinock, N. D. visited over Sunday at the home of his brother B. Docken and family.

Adolph Sollom has moved his household goods to T. R. Falls, where he is running a pool hall and bowling alley.

Henry Oien received the sad news yesterday of the death of his sister, who has been sick for some time. Mr. Oien departs today for Shelley Minn. to attend the funeral.

Former State Treasurer Walter J. Smith pleaded guilty, Tuesday, in the Ramsey county district court, to grand larceny in the second degree, and was sentenced to the state penitentiary for an indeterminate term, not to exceed five years.

Statement of Ownership

Management, Etc., of THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS published weekly at Holt, Minnesota, for April 1, 1916.

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared B. Docken, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the business manager of The Holt Weekly News and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912.

That the name and address of the Publisher is The Holt Publishing Company, Holt, Minnesota.

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Business Manager, B. Docken, Holt, Minnesota.

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That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders, owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

B. Docken, Business Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of April 1916.

Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
[SEAL] Marshall Co., Minn.
My Commission expires June 15' '19

Steiner

Willis Warring has been dehorning cattle around this neighborhood the past week.

John Whitman attended the Janson auction sale last Thursday. He reports horses went high.

G. L. Leisner, our enterprising merchant is remodeling his store building, doubling the present capacity, he is doing a good business.

Henry Rodgers returned home from near Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Simon Warring did business in T. R. Falls last of the week.

Jere Rogers returned to his home Saturday from northern Manitoba where he has been the past year. He says the U. S. is good enough for him.

Harvey Copp has been cleaning seed grain the past week. Looks as if he thinks spring is coming. Lots of time yet Harvy from all appearances.

Martin Kish attended the Henry Jensen sale last Thursday.

Hobson Rogers who is attending high school at T. R. Falls, is home for Easter vacation.

Miss Omer Warring is visiting her parents in T. R. Falls.

Mr. Russell did business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Arne Whitman who is attending high school in T. R. Falls. is home for Easter vacation.

S. R. Rogers is home from the woods near Northome where he was blacksmithing for the Crookston Lbr. Co. the past winter.

A pleasant party was given at the Meyer's home last Saturday evening. All the young Bloods of the neighborhood were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

The Tullar Farm has several good registered, Draft Stallions, from one to eight years old, for sale at very reasonable prices. Write to C. A. Tullar, Warren, Minn. 47

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. March 25, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Rudolph Dahl, of Golden Valley, Minn. who on Dec. 17, 1912 made Homestead Entry, No. 08724 for NE1-4 Sec. 35, Twp. 156 N., R. 41 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner, for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 10th day of May 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Tronsdahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Elling Tollefsrud, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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East Valley News.

Ole Larson moved on his homestead last Saturday after the cold winter months spent at Albert Jahr's.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Ordahl returned from Thief River Falls last Thursday, where Mrs. Ordahl had some dental work done.

A. C. Jahr has recently bought a new horse.

Palma Johnson left for her home near Golden Valley last Saturday after a weeks work for Mrs. Ordahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Nelson visited Ole Johnson's and C. Birkland's last week.

Agnes Fosen made a business trip to Holt last Saturday.

Axel Ring is working for Ole Garthus this week.

Lenard Jefferson called at John Jahr's last Sunday.

Lars Rings was a business caller at Middle River last Monday.

The Parent's Day in the East Valley school was well attended.

List of prizes omitted on account of lack of space.—Ed.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes
Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

T. A. Tobiason has been entertaining a brother from Canada, a few days this week.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Mar. 29, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Ole Tronsdahl, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Nov. 21st, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08641, for SW1-4, Sec. 26, Township 156 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Rudolph Dahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Elling Tollefsrud, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Petition for Administratiion.

Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Marshall, In PROBATE COURT.

In the Matter of the Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA To Harald H. Gunheim, Hans H. Gunheim, Chas. H. Gunheim, Gunnar H. Gunheim, Thone H. Gunheim and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Chas. H. Gunheim having been filed in this Court, representing that Rollef H. Gunheim, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 27th day of February 1916, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Chas. H. Gunheim of Holt, Minn., and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition.

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms, in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April 1916, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of March 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
Probate Judge.

Julius J. Olson,
Attorney for Petitioner.
[COURT SEAL]

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Mar. 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Salmon Larson, of Holt, Minn., who on Nov. 30, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05764, for Northwest 1-4 Section 8 Township 155 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 1st day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Reno Boe, Salve Tharaldson & Alex Magee all of Germantown, Minn., & Ole Kirklie, of Goodridge, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Feb. 25, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Frank Coppay, of Holt, Minn., who on June 15, 1912, made homestead entry No. 08132, for SE1-4, Section 4, Township 155 N., Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 10th day of Apr. 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Alex Magee, Reno Boe, Oliver Secoure and Rudolph Jenson, all of Germantown, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Mar. 24, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Reno Boe of Germantown Minn., who on June 21, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05336, for NW1-4 Sec. 11, Township 155 N. Range 41 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the [illegible] day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson of Holt, Minn., Salve Tharaldson & Alex Magee both of Germantown, Minn., & Ole Kirklie of Goodridge, Minn.

Proof made [illegible] entry was [illegible].

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Our magazine offers are O. K.

Notice!

Will stand my Stallion at J. Marty barn every Friday.— H. S. Williams, Thief River Falls, Minn.

If you have high land with good drainage sow some alfalfa-preferably Grimm's. If land is wet, but not too wet, clover and timothy will do all right. In the swamp land tame red top will take root and spread. —Warroad Pioneer.

Southeast of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Sordal left for Shaunavon, Sask. last Tuesday near which place they will spend the Summer.

Miss Alice Sollom finished a very successful term of school in Dist. number 112 this week.

The Auction sale at Ensrude was very well attended and everything proved a success.

Several of the young folks in this neighborhood who are attending the high school at Thief River Falls, are enjoying a weeks vacation at their homes.

The Misses Signora Sandbo, Agnes Hansen and Landa Olson and the Messrs Ed. Hansen, Tyler Wold, and Amund Sordal were visitors at Moe's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Williams delightfully entertained a few of their friends Sunday afternoon.

Miss Signora Sandbo was a pleasant visitor at Soiney's Thursday evening.

Sam Brokke will work for Bjerke during the Summer months.

Arne Sordahl was a Sunday caller at Thom Olsen's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ensrude left for Pekin N. Dak. on Monday at which place they will make their home.

Sam Brokke called on S. Moe Friday.

Olaf Olsen and family are now residing on the farm owned by Frank Hammond.

Albert Westphal called on Henry Jenson Sunday.

Ringbo Rumbles.

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson and Miss Esther Movik called at Ole Davidson's Wednesday.

A big crowd attended the Ladies Aid at Christ Engen's Wednesday.

Mrs. Edward Erickson was taken sick Friday.

Messrs Pete Sorter, Martin and Oliver Grondahl called at Ole Davidson's Thursday evening.

Messrs Oliver Grondahl, Pete Sorter, and Julius Erickson and Betty Johnson spent Sunday evening at Gunder Sorter's.

Miss Hazel Davidson called on her friend Alice Johnson Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Orcutt are the happy parents of a sweet little baby girl born to them Saturday Mar. 25th. Mother and child are doing fine.

The service last Sunday at Gunder Sorter's conducted by Rev. Ordahl was well atteded. He will preach in the school house, Easter Sunday at 3 o'clock P. M. and we hope there will be a large attendance.

Miss Esther Movik spent Sunday night with her friend Anna Sorter.

Martin Davidson spent Sunday afternoon with his chum Alf Movik.

Mrs. Elvin Erickson called at Ole Davidson one day last week.

Mrs. Gunder Sorter called at Louis Johnson Monday to visit Mrs. Johnson who is on the sick list.

The Misses Alice Johnson and Jensine [illegible] called at G. Sorter's Sunday before last.

Andy Peterson [illegible] Thief River Falls last Sunday to visit for a few days at Andrew Movik's home.

[illegible] Matt Larson left [illegible] to visit her d[illegible] couple of weeks.

Andrew Movik [illegible] Wednesday [illegible]

Get one of our magazine clubs.

Mrs. M. E. Carlson is visiting her husband the new agent at the depot.

Now is the time to clean and test all kinds of seeds and get ready to treat for smut, potato scab, etc.

This would be a good time to take advantage of our magazine offers as we are now in a position to save you some money- all kinds of magazines.

Forty-nine young people graduated from the Northwest School of Agriculture at the Tenth Annual Commencement, held in Crookston last week.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, executed and delivered by Martin Nygaard and Thea Nygaard his wife mortgagors, to the Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 8th day of January 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of January 1915 at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 73 of mortgages on page 109, such default consisting in the non-payment of an installment in the sum of Sixteen Dollars ($16.00) due and payable under the terms of the note secured by said mortgage, on the 8th day of January 1916, and such default consisting further in the non-payment of the interest on a prior mortgage, which interest amounted to the sum of Forty-eight Dollars ($48.00) and became due and payable on the 15th day of October 1915 and was on that date paid by the undersigned mortgagee, and whereas the undersigned mortgagee has elected to declare, and has declared the whole amount, principal and interest of the note secured by said mortgage to be due and payable, and whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said interest paid on said prior mortgage, is the sum of One Hundred Thirty-eight and 92-100 Dollars ($138.92), and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The South Half of the Southeast Quarter (S1-2 SE1-4) of Section Five (5) and the West Half of the Northeast Quarter (W1 2 NE1-4) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range forty-one (41) West of the fifth principal meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court house in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 22nd day of April, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Hundred Thirty-eight and 92-100 ($138.92) Dollars, and interest, and the taxes if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) Attorneys fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated February 29, 1916.

Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota
Mortgagee.

H. O. Kjomme,
Attorney for mortgagee.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

The Holt Weekly News for one year and Your Choice of these clubs one year for $1.25.

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OCT 1915
FARM AND HOME
WOMAN'S WORLD
THE PEOPLE'S POPULAR MONTHLY
Kimball's Dairy Farmer

Club A
WOMAN'S WORLD - (Monthly)
THE GENTLEWOMAN (Monthly)
POULTRY POST - (Monthly)
AMERICAN FARMING (Monthly)

Club B
PEOPLE'S POPULAR MONTHLY
HOME LIFE - - (Monthly)
POWER FARMING - (Monthly)
FARM AND HOME - (Semi-M)

Club C
KIMBALL'S Dairy Farmer (Semi-M)
FARM AND HOME (Semi-M)
HOME LIFE - (Monthly)
THE HOUSEHOLD - [illegible]

Club D
BOY'S MAGAZINE - (Monthly)
HOME LIFE - (Monthly)
MO. VALLEY FARMER (Monthly)

Club E
WOMAN'S NATIONAL WEEKLY
PEOPLE'S POPULAR MONTHLY
HOME LIFE - - (Monthly)

Club F
NEWS ABOUT FOODS [illegible]
PEOPLE'S POPULAR [illegible]
HOME LIFE - - [illegible]

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[illegible],
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Local Items

Magazines for home and farm in our different clubs.

H. O. Ekerdalen transacted business in Thief River Falls Monday.

Adolph Sollom came up from T. R. Falls, on business Tuesday.

The first rain of the season came Wednesday and it was a soaker.

Miss Clara Sollom went to Newfolden Wednesday to visit her sister Mrs. Arvid Carlson.

Judge J. M. Bishop, of Thief River Falls, was here Tuesday looking after the welfare of his clients on the Mud Lake lands.

Elmer Kjelgren and sister Miss Kaia returned Sunday to their home in Canada after several weeks visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson went to Roseau Monday to look at a house that was for sale, but decided that it was better to stay in Holt.

Dr. Robert Spinks of Remer Minn. visited at the B. Docken home Friday. The doctor is well pleased with Holt and is thinking of locating here.

H. J. Oien returned home Wednesday from Shelly where he attended the funeral of his sister Mrs. Jno. Aarestad. Ole Backlund ran the elevator during Mr. Oien's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hagglund were over Sunday visitors at the home of his brother Charles. We understand the former expects to go to Montana and Washington to look up a location.

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A fine horse at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

Ed. Bjerk is working for C. W. Christianson in the blacksmith shop.

Levar Olson visited over Sunday at the home of his son Ole Olson in Middle River.

Miss Nellie Vert of Argyle came Tuesday to visit her sister Mrs. H. O. Ekerdalen.

Lion tractor for sale on easy terms. Guaranteed to pull three plows. Write box 638, Holt, Minn.

Mrs. I. Thomas of Thief River Falls visited over Sunday with her daughter Mrs. B. L. Backe

A baby girl was born April [illegible] to Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Von Wald at their home in Folley, N. Dak.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. Charles Hagglund, Saturday afternoon, April 15th, at 2 o'clock.

Preaching and serving the Lord's Supper at Free Mission Church, Thursday April 20th. at 3 o'clock P. M. by Rev. M. T. Strom

Miss Clara and Olga Furr went to T. R. Falls Monday and returned home later accompanied by their sister Matilda who has been teaching at Fertile Lake, N. Dak.

The horse traders who have been camping here all winter have departed for other fields. The several families started out Wednesday but no one seems to know their destination. [illegible]

Mud Lake Opening.

Promply at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning every squatter on Mud Lake was visible and making some kind of a noise to attract attention.

Some were on the roofs of their houses pounding away as if they had just made up their mind that a shingle or board needed to be fastened a little more securely. Those who were bound to have a homestead despite it being occupied by a squatter were ready to drive their stakes at ths appointed hour.

Others who take no stock in setting stakes, have filed on the lands, so there are very few homesteads there on which there are not from two to four filings. That there will be a number of contests, there is no doubt. For several days the hotels were taxed to their utmost to feed the hungry land seekers who came from all directions, both near and far, and the livery men had all they could do to furnish teams for trips to the much sought for lands. The squatters came in yesterday and made their filings before U. S. Commissioner William Michelet, who came here from Thief River Falls for that purpose. After laying in a fresn store of supplies and taking a short rest, they will return to Mud Lake to await the outcome of events or perhaps await a contest on their claims in court.

Doings of the Village Council.

At the meeting April 4th.. a committee was appointed to examine the books of the Treasurer and Clerk who reported the books O. K.

A bill for $1.00 for recording the deed of the village lot, was allowed. The road petition, for a cart road running east on the line between J. B. Alkenbrack's and Ole Iverson's was laid on the table. R. L. Oleon was appointed Fire Warden. A resolution was passed fixing the fee for inspecting chimneys at 50 cents, said fee to be paid by owner or occupant of premises inspected, and fixing the salary of Fire Warden for his other duties at $5.00 per month to be paid by the village. C. L. Sanberg, S. S. Kolden and H. B. Young were appointed on the building committee for the new hall. The council met Tuesday evening and appointed Sam Mickelson and C. L. Sandberg, a committee to go to Middle River and get their plans for a village hall.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Hall's Catarrh Cure has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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Notice!

The party who took five fine mature forks on my place is known and they can save trouble and expense by returning the same at once

Albin Knauf.

Notice!

Will stand my Stallion at J. Marty barn every Friday. H. S. Williams, Thief River Falls Minn.

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See us for magazine subscriptions.

Several extra men commenced working on the section this week.

Sheriff Hanson was in this vicinity on business a couple of days this week.

Mrs. B. [illegible] returned home yesterday from a few days visit in T. R. Falls.

R. Reierson, A. H. Huseth and Chas Knutson went out to Mud Lake Wednesday morning to see the fun.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.09
Wheat No. 2	1.05
Wheat No. 3	.99
Wheat No. 4	.92
Flax	1.94
Oats	.34
Barley	45 to .52
Rye	.81
Flour Best Patent	5.65

Ole Edinson of Newfolden visited relatives and friends Saturday.

Mrs. Olaf Sandholm and two children from T. R. Falls visited her sister Mrs. Sam Mickelson Friday between trains.

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PROSPERITY IN WESTERN CANADA

900 Million Dollars in New Wealth Added in 1915.

Canada as a whole has enjoyed wonderful prosperity in 1915, from the products of the farm, the orchard and the centres of industry. No country wrote a brighter page of history in agricultural and industrial development during 1915 than Canada. Nearly a billion bushels of grain produced. Taxes in Western Canada average $24 and will not exceed $35 per quarter section, which includes all taxes. No taxes on improvements.

When Western Canada was faced with her enormous harvest last fall the military authorities decided that soldiers in Canada could give the Empire no better service for the time being than to assist in harvesting the crops. For that reason leave of absence was given to soldiers who wished to work in the harvest fields, and their labor was an important factor in harvesting the big crops successfully.

The necessity for increasing the agricultural production is commanding even more attention in 1916, and it is now announced that soldiers in Canada may obtain leave of absence from their military duties in the spring for a certain length of time to enable them to plant the seed for the crops in every Province of the Dominion.

The fact that the Government recognizes the seeding and harvesting of Canada's crops as being of the first importance is perhaps the best evidence that conscription or any increase of taxes which would reduce the agricultural activity of Canada will never be considered by the authorities.

Owing to the number who have enlisted for overseas service it has been found necessary to secure farm labor in the United States. It is hoped that fifty thousand can be secured.—Advertisement.

It takes a silly woman to make a fool of a smart man.

SALTS IF BACKACHY OR KIDNEYS TROUBLE YOU

Eat Less Meat If Your Kidneys Aren't Acting Right or If Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers You.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is a life saver for regular meat eaters. It is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink.—Adv.

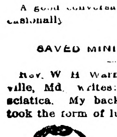
A successful fool doesn't realize that he is one.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb. in sealed cans. Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer. Buy the 3 lb Canister Can for $1.00.—Adv.

A good conversationalist [illegible] occasionally.

SAVED MINISTER'S LIFE.

Rev. W. H. Warner, Route 3, M[illegible]ville, Md., writes: "My trouble was sciatica. My back was affected and took the form of lumbago. I also had neuralgia, cramps in my muscles, pressure or sharp pain on the top of my head, and nervous dizzy spells. I had other symptoms showing my kidneys were at fault, so I took Dodd's Kidney Pills. They were the means of saving my life. On Feb. 16th, 1916, I write to say that undoubtedly your medicine restored me to perfect health."



Rev. W. H. Warner

Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets for indigestion have been proved. 50c per box.—Adv.

Women with the most cheek do the least blushing.

FRENCH TRENCHES TAKEN BY GERMAN TROOPS IS REPORT

POSITIONS EXTENDING ALONG TERMITEN HILL, SOUTH OF HAUCOURT STORMED AND CAPTURED.

TEUTON ARMY IN AFRICA IS BEATEN BY BRITISH

Loses More Than 400 Men and Large Supplies of Ammunition and Machine Guns, Official Statement Says—German Casualties Reported Numerous.

London, April 10.—French trenches extending more than 2,000 yards along the crest of Termiten hill, south of Haucourt, have been stormed and captured by the German troops in their grim lunge to crumple the side of the Bethincourt salient at Verdun, according to the official announcement of the Berlin war department. The French war office has admitted the Teuton forces had gained a footing in two field redoubts between Hill 287 and Haucourt, the important position which have fallen before the attacks of the crown prince.

Counter Attacks Repulsed.

Vicious French counterattacks against the works taken by the Germans on Termitch hill have been repulsed, Berlin reports, the defeated troops losing 714 men made prisoners. On the other side of the salient, fighting with hand-grenades between Bethincourt and Chattancourt swung to the advantage of the Verdun defenders, Paris announces.

On the east bank of the Meuse, a German grenade attack near Fort Vaux was repulsed.

French Occupy Crater.

In the Argonne, says the official statement from the French war office, mine struggles resulted advantageously for the French in the vicinity of Daughert or Death hill. The French occupied the southern slope of a German mine crater on Hill 285.

On the Woevre front the night was calm, Paris reported. A German reconnaissance against Langenfeldkopf in the Vosges was repulsed.

The German war office reported only artillery combats east of the Meuse and in the Woevre region.

Germans Beaten in Africa.

The British success against the Germans in the campaign in East Africa include the capture of more than 400 men with machine guns and large supplies of ammunition, according to an official statement.

"Further reports from the south indicate that General Vandeventer's success in the Arusha district was more extensive than at first appeared," says the statement. "The German force surrounded and compelled to capitulate was considerable.

"The German casualties were numerous. Already 17 Europeans and 404 native soldiers have surrendered with machine guns and large quantities of ammunition. More prisoners remain to be brought in."

CANADIANS TAKE CRATERS

Inflict Heavy Losses on Germans, Witness Asserts.

Ottawa, Can., April 10.—According to a witness communication received from the front by the militia department German efforts were made during the week of March 28 to April 4 to dislodge the British troops from trenches captured March 27.

The attempt involved an action by Canadian troops in driving the Germans out of five fortified mine craters. From these craters the Germans attempted to seize another crater and prevent the linking up of the new British line with trenches.

On April 1, says the eyewitness, bomb squads from the Eighteenth Western Ontario and the Twenty-first Eastern Ontario battalions, under Lieutenants Speer and Brownlee were sent to capture the advanced positions.

ALLIES CALL CONFERENCE

To Discuss Economic Questions in Paris April 20.

Paris, April 10.—The conference of the Entente Allies for discussion of economic and commercial questions will assemble in Paris on April 20. It will be attended by many distinguished delegates including a number of cabinet ministers from the various countries.

Chicago Milk War Near End.

Chicago, April 10.—The milk war between producers in the Chicago district and the distributers in Chicago is practically at an end. Only one of the distributers, the Borden Condensed Milk company, has not agreed to buy milk at the new price, an increase of 22 cents a hundred pounds over the old price. Local officials of the company tentatively agreed to settle at the price demanded but announced their action would have to be ratified by the directors of the company at New York before contracts were signed.

The KITCHEN CABINET

Contentment is the true philosopher's stone. The poor are rich who have it, the rich are poor who possess it not.

Contentment comes not from outward possessions, but from the inward life.

GOOD THINGS TO KNOW.

When making cake a good plan is to add the soda or baking powder to a little of the flour the very last thing, stirring it in well before adding the whites of the eggs.

Keep absorbent paper in the kitchen on which to drain fried cakes, croquettes and any fried food.

A little beefsteak chopped fine and mixed with cooked rice, salt, pepper, and a little onion made into small cakes or used as filling for peppers, makes a tasty dish.

A common currycomb will clean the brush of the carpet sweeper of threads and hairs.

Spareribs With Sauerkraut.—Trim off the edges of two sets of spareribs, break the bone across the middle, rub well with salt, pepper, and sprinkle with flour. Fill with sauerkraut which has been parboiled 20 minutes. Save the water in which the kraut was cooked, sew the ribs tightly, place on the rack in a roaster, then pour the kraut liquor around it. Cook slowly. Turn once, and when tender serve with mashed potatoes.

Cornmeal Griddle Cakes.—Take a cupful of yellow cornmeal, add a cupful of boiling milk, a half teaspoonful of salt, teaspoonful of baking powder, one tablespoonful of melted butter and a tablespoonful of molasses with a well-beaten egg. Mix well and bake on a hot griddle.

Cornmeal With Raisins.—Take a cupful of cornmeal, two cupfuls of milk, one cupful of seeded raisins, one egg, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, two tablespoonfuls of butter, one teaspoonful of salt. Mix the cornmeal and milk together and the well-beaten egg and melted butter, add the salt, baking powder and raisins which have been well cleaned and put through the meat grinder. Mix all together and pour into a well-greased pan. Bake in a hot oven.

An egg broken into a pan with a little hot butter stirred until thick and well cooked, then seasoned and spread on buttered bread makes a most tasty sandwich filling.

Let your standard be high—and though you may not reach it, you can hardly fail to rise higher than if you aimed at some inferior excellence.

DISHES OF CORNMEAL.

Cornmeal is rich in fat and mineral matter, and being comparatively cheap when compared with other grain products is a food that can be used profitably in exchange with them for variety, as well as to cut down expenses.

Steamed Corn Bread.—There are few people who do not enjoy the nutty brown loaf of steamed bread, and this may be varied by adding different fruits or nuts to it so that it never becomes monotonous. Take four cupfuls of cornmeal, two cupfuls of graham, a cupful of finely chopped suet, mix well, then add three-fourths of a cupful of dark molasses, two teaspoonfuls of salt, three cupfuls of sour milk and a teaspoonful of soda. The soda may be mixed with the molasses. Add a cupful of stewed prunes cut fine, or a cupful of raisins, and steam in well-greased molds for four hours.

Cornmeal Mush.—A good old New Englander will not ask for a more tasty dish than a good bowl of well-cooked cornmeal mush and rich milk, with perhaps a wisp of salt codfish for an appetizer. To prepare the mush add a cupful of cornmeal very slowly to a quart of boiling water and two teaspoonfuls of salt. Let it cook slowly for an hour. The mush that is left may be poured into a mold and fried in butter after cutting in neat slices.

Scrapple is made by putting the pork scrapple into the hot mush, stirring until well mixed, then pouring into a mold to cool. This is cut in slices and fried and is a great delicacy.

Fried mush with cheese sauce is another well-liked dish. Prepare the sauce by using a tablespoonful of bubbling hot butter stirred with three tablespoonfuls of flour, a half teaspoonful of salt, a half teaspoonful of mustard and two cupfuls of milk. When smooth and thick add a cupful and a half of finely grated cheese, a rich American cheese is best, and when melted serve on the mush.

Grated maple sugar or maple sirup is good on fried mush or small fresh fruits such as strawberries served with sugar and cream makes a most tasty dessert.

A woman who can laugh outside when she is crying inside, has a great accomplishment.

It's the songs ye sing and the smiles ye wear
That makes the sunshine everywhere.
—Riley.

JUST COMMON THINGS.

The ordinary vegetable may by a little manipulation, and combining with other foods, make a dish quite out of the ordinary. Here is one worth trying:

Pumpkin Scrapple.—Take a cupful of pumpkin pulp, stir it into a quart of boiling water with a half cupful each of cornmeal and hominy, well mixed, and a half teaspoonful of salt. Cook slowly one hour, stirring frequently, then add a cupful of broken hickorynut meats, pour into a shallow pan, making the scrapple about two inches thick. When cool and hard, cut into half-inch slices and fry in hot fat. Serve with maple sirup.

Turnip Soup.—Mix together a pint each of hot mashed turnips and potato, add a quart of scalded milk. In another dish place four tablespoonfuls of butter, and when melted and bubbling hot add two tablespoonfuls of flour, cook and add to the milk with three tablespoonfuls of scraped onion, two teaspoonfuls of salt and a few dashes of cayenne. Cool 20 minutes in a double boiler, then strain and serve. Sprinkle with grated cheese over the top.

Turnips, like cabbage, should be cooked in an uncovered vessel to make them less strong and more wholesome to eat.

Diced turnips, cooked until tender, then served with melted butter and lemon juice, makes a most tasty dish.

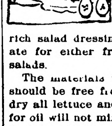
Peas With Peanuts.—Mix a pint of black peas with a pint of peanuts, chopped fine. Season well with salt, pepper and sage and place half the mixture in a buttered baking dish. On top place four slices of toast which have been softened in hot cream. Place the rest of the pea and nut mixture on top and pour over a half cupful of cream. Bake slowly an hour and a half. Serve with cranberry sauce. This will be a good meat substitute.

Salsify makes a most delicious soup, so do carrots. Cook them until tender, put through a sieve and then add to any stock or hot milk thickened with butter and flour cooked together.

For life is the mirror of king and slave,
'Tis just what you are and do;
Then give to the world the best you have,
And the best will come back to you.
—Madeline Bridges.

SALAD MAKING.

The making of salad is an art, often the simplest combination, if carefully put together, will make an otherwise common salad an artistic creation. Lemon juice is preferred to vinegar when using fruit and heavy, rich salad dressings are not appropriate for either fruit or meat or fish salads.



The materials to be used for salad should be free from water. Carefully dry all lettuce and fruit after washing for oil will not mix with water. French dressing is the general favorite for crisp vegetable salads as it is quickly prepared. A vinegar that has been used on pickled beets, or cucumbers should always be saved to use in salad dressings. When making the boiled variety the spiced vinegar makes an unusual flavor which is well liked.

If a color scheme is to be carried out a little vegetable coloring may be added to the dressing. A pretty combination is chopped beets with a dressing colored a light pink. Garnish the salad with white leaves of lettuce.

A salad may not only fill an ornamental place on the table, but it is also recognized as having a distinct food value as well as a pleasure to the eye.

Nellie Maxwell

Valuable Asset.

There is no more valuable asset in business than politeness and this is true in almost every section of society. We prefer to trade with a courteous person, we resent a push from a fellow traveler or a shove from a conductor; we choose our friends from those who seem to be kindly disposed toward us, we judge a man by his conduct toward those who serve him. Nevertheless, this reaction is almost involuntary.—Christian Register.

Like Many Grown-Ups.

A mother asked her little son why his chum, Donald, wasn't also in class 6. He replied: "I'll tell you, mother. Donald when asked a question thinks, and thinks, and thinks, and then he says what it ain't."

Advance Dope.

"What's the news from the training camps?"

"As near as I can find [illegible] teams are going to be [illegible] first place in each of the leagues."

FIFTIETH DAY OF FIGHT AT VERDUN; FRENCH GIVE WAY

GERMANS PENETRATE POSITIONS FOR DISTANCE OF 500 YARDS AT DEAD MAN'S HILL.

TOTAL LOSSES ON BOTH SIDES MORE THAN 200,000

Crown Prince Follows Up Advance at Bethincourt With Heavy Drives Against Enemy's Wings Five Miles Apart—Struggle Becoming More Furious.

London, April 11.—The greatest battle in the history of the world entered its 50th day with the crown prince driving home mighty blows and the fighting becoming more furious than since the early days of the campaign against Verdun.

On an arclike front the Germans are throwing more than 150,000 men into action, pounding simultaneously against the northwestern and northeastern gates to the French fortress.

Struggle Enters New Phase.

The French war office in admitting the loss of 500 yards of trenches on Dead Man's hill, emphasized that the struggle has entered a new phase. After squeezing the French out of the Bethincourt salient, the crown prince rushed up fresh troops without a moment's delay and ordered a general assault on both banks of the Meuse along a 13-mile front.

Since the Germans launched the campaign against Verdun with an artillery attack on the night of Feb. 21, they have rolled up the French lines on both banks of the Meuse, capturing about 150 square miles of territory and nearly 30 French villages.

Losses More Than 200,000.

Despite these successes, the most terrific artillery battering the world has ever known has won for the crown prince but one of the forts surrounding the city of Verdun. Since Fort Douaumont fell before the Brandenburgers' attack in the early days of the fighting, the Germans have been unable to make another breach in the French fortress line.

It is estimatetd that the losses on both sides have totaled well above 200,000, far more than were engaged on both sides in the battle of Waterloo.

French Troops Trapped.

Silesian troops cut off and captured 714 French prisoners and 15 large guns in the French retreat from Bethincourt, according to the official statement of the Berlin office. The enemy has been cleared of positions north of Avocourt and south of Crows wood. In these operations the Germans took 276 prisoners.

U. S. MAY BUY INVENTION

War Bill Provides $750,000 to Purchase Patents.

Washington, April 11.—For $750,000 a young American inventor is about to surrender to Uncle Sam all the patents and the exclusive right to the use of a device by which a torpedo can be launched against a battleship of an enemy and so directed and controlled by radio dynamic forces either from shore or from aeroplane as to insure its striking its mark at a maximum distance of 28 miles.

John Hayes Hammond, Jr., of Gloucester, Mass., the wizard son of John Hays Hammond, mining engineer, is the inventor and owner of 128 patents which will be turned over to the government.

Discovery that the government is willing to pay young Hammond a fortune for his invention was made with the introduction in the house of the fortifications bill. The sum of $750,000 was approved as a fair price, both by military officials and subcommittees.

REPORT MADE ON GASOLINE

Preliminary Statistics On Rise in Price Is Before Congress.

Washington, April 11.—The federal trade commission has presented to Congress a preliminary report on its investigation of the rise in the price in gasoline. The report carries a mass of statistics on production and prices, but draws no conclusions as to the cause of the increase of the latter.

There were 100,021,790 gallons of crude petroleum held in 1916, and the production of gasoline increased from 76,663,537 gallons in January, 1915, to 97,056,217 gallons in December.

Wide variance was shown in gasoline price increases as compared with the rise in crude oil.

Austrian Officials May Resign.

London, April 11.—A dispatch to the Morning Post says: "Count Tisza, the Hungarian premier and Baron Burian, the Austrian foreign minister, are expected to resign. The Tisza government is expected to fall owing to the opposition of Austria-Hungary and Turkey to the proposed German plan of establishing a customs union and economic federation between the Central Powers and their allies." Count Tisza has been summoned and informed that he would be dropped unless he consented to the scheme.

GIRL COULD NOT WORK

How She Was Relieved from Pain by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Taunton, Mass.—"I had pains in both sides and when my periods came I had to stay at home from work and suffer a long time. One day a woman came to our house and asked my mother why I was suffering. Mother told her that I suffered every month and she said, 'Why don't you buy a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?' My mother bought it and the next month I was so well that I worked all the month without staying at home a day. I am in good health now and have told lots of girls about it."—Miss CLARICE MORIN, 22 Russell Street, Taunton, Mass.

Thousands of girls suffer in silence every month rather than consult a physician. If girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion would take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a safe and pure remedy made from roots and herbs, much suffering might be avoided.

Write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. (confidential) for free advice which will prove helpful.

We never have much use for people who are smarter than we are.

A man thinks he is misunderstood because he doesn't know himself.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Faith will move mountains today if backed up by hard work.

It Never Came Back

Backache Sufferer! Thousands will tell you what wonderful relief they have had from Doan's Kidney Pills. Not only relief, but lasting cures. If you are lame in the morning, have headache, dizzy spells and irregular kidney action, don't wait. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the best recommended special kidney remedy.

A North Dakota Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Mrs. J. H. Kotschevar, 805 Farrington Ave., Devils Lake, N. D., says: "The first symptom of my kidney trouble was a dull ache in the small of my back, soon followed by headaches and dizzy spells. When I tried to straighten after stooping, sharp pains darted through me. Finally, I tried Doan's Kidney Pills and three boxes fixed me up all right. I haven't been troubled since."

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Resinol Ointment, with Resinol Soap, usually stops itching *instantly*. It quickly and easily heals distressing cases of eczema, rash or other tormenting skin or scalp eruption, and clears away pimples, redness, roughness and dandruff, even when other treatments have been useless.

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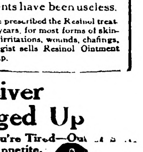

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IN WESTERN CANADA

"He Who Will and Does Work Will Not Want."

As in the United States it is said, that the Mennonites in Canada are very much oppressed, and have to suffer from a great deal (on account of the War in Europe) and I have been requested to write something about this, I will do so.

Does not Fear Oppressions.

I came with my parents A. D. 1874, from Southern Russia to America, South Dakota, and A. D. 1907 I came with my family here to Western Canada, here we have found a healthy climate; the acre yields on an average more and wheat is better than in South Dakota. What concerns the Government, up to now we have had a good one, have been able to live according to our creed and have not been oppressed in any way, and I believe: All Mennonites, who live according to the fundamental beliefs of the Mennonites and to God's word, as their guide, will agree with me.

He, who, here in Canada, will and does work, will not want. So much as an answer.

Remain your friend,
(Sgd.) DIEDRICH GOOSSEN.

Very few farmers cultivate the habit of keeping careful accounts of their receipts and expenditures, showing at the end of the year a balance, either for or against. The farmer of Western Canada is no exception to this. It is felt if more careful book-keeping were resorted to there that much better results would be obtained and shown.

Statistical Statement Shows a Dividend of 58% in 1915.

There is the case of the Crowfoot Farming Co., of Crowfoot, Alberta. It has just issued a certified statement of its operations for the years 1912, 1913, 1914 and 1915. This Company has had for the past few years about 1300 acres in wheat and between 200 and 250 in oats. The total operating and general expenses for 1912, including interest at 6% and depreciation at 15%, were $12,587, for 1913 $17,506, for 1914 $18,729, and for 1915, $29,804.43. Expense per acre of land in crop was $7.80 in 1912, $11.57 in 1913, $11.70 in 1914, and $17.87 in 1915. Total receipts were $15,531 in 1912, $30,661 in 1913, $31,589.87 in 1914, and $62,520.26 in 1915. The percentage earned upon capital invested was 6½% in 1912, 30% in 1913, 23 1-3 in 1914, and 50% in 1915, in which year it paid a cash dividend of 58%.

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War Makes Geographers.

The war has made geographers of us all. It seems that it has also increased the Londoner's knowledge of London. Six wounded officers, all Londoners, born and dwellers in London, were offered a motor trip from their hospital the other day. They selected Hampton court as their objective, and only one of the party had seen it before. It is a common saying in London, that only the visitor really sees the city, and there is at all events an element of truth in the statement.

There is a certain middle-aged commercial man of high standing in London, a Londoner by descent, birth and lifelong residence, who, though he has seen the Blue mountains of Australia and the Victoria falls of Africa, has never been inside Hyde Park, Westminster abbey or St. Paul's Cathedral.—Manchester Guardian.

From Different Viewpoints.

"I'm so sorry you don't like my gown," said Mrs. Growell. "Everybody else says it is perfectly lovely."

"Oh, its easy for others to pay compliments," replied Growell, "but I have to pay the bills."

It is a wonder that some of [illegible] victims haven't turned and put him out of the running long ago.

A woman always has to get some other woman to help her keep a secret.

HANDY HUSBAND

Knew How to Get Part of the Breakfast.

"I know one dish I can prepare for breakfast as well as any cook on earth," said my husband one morning when the cook was ill and he had volunteered to help get breakfast. He appeared with his dish and I discovered it was Grape-Nuts which, of course, was easy to prepare for it was perfectly cooked at the factory, but it was a good illustration of the convenience of having Grape-Nuts about.

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"A friend of ours had a similar experience. She was seriously ill with indigestion and could find nothing to eat that would not give her heartburn and palpitation, especially at night.

"She found that a small dish of Grape-Nuts with cream made her a satisfactory supper and gave her a comfortable night's rest. In a short time she gained several pounds in weight."

"There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Mankato.—George Hood of this county, adopted son of James Lloyd, has received word his father, John Hood, whom he thought dead, is alive. The appearance of the father creates a financial tangle.

Minneapolis.—"Kid" Scully has been found guilty by a jury in district court before Judge Leary of an offense against a 16-year-old girl. When the verdict was read Scully fell fainting to the floor and his wife began screaming in hysteria.

Winona.—A freight train traveling twenty-five miles an hour here performed quite an unusual stunt. The engine bounded off the rails, ran fifty feet on the ties, struck and battered a guard rail at a switch and leaped back on the main track.

Minneapolis will be asked to invest $100,000 to bring the imperial council, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, to this city in 1917. This amount was fixed at a joint meeting of the executive and campaign committees of the order, following a dinner at the West hotel.

Winona.—Whether William B. Richardson, mayor of Rochester, or George P. Tawney, of Winona, enters the Republican congressional contest in the First district is a question undecided, in spite of a conference held in Rochester.

St. Paul.—Reports received by the Minnesota Public Health association from the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis show Minnesota won first prize for the per capita sale of Red Cross seals in the last campaign for states with a population of from 1,250,000 to 2,400,000.

Walker.—A Cass County Jefferson Highway association, composed of representatives from every village in the county, has been organized in Walker and the sum of $1,000 voted to carry on the work of having this famous highway routed through Cass county over its new hundred-mile Elwell road.

Duluth.—With grain elevators only 500,000 bushels from their capacity, and with grain boats available, officials of a big company have announced their willingness to break up St. Louis bay so that steamers can get under the spouts. No request for such action, however, has come to tug companies, it was said.

Fergus Falls.—B. E. Belleson, secretary of the Stavenger-Laget of America, was here, conferring with local citizens, relative to the annual reunion of the society here June 21, 22 and 23. The largest auditorium here will be inadequate to accommodate the gathering and the meetings will be held in a tent. It is expected 5,000 persons will attend.

Walker.—The Cass County Development association is planning the largest meeting in its history here this month. President M. N. Koll of Cass Lake has announced the program, which includes addresses by Fred D. Sherman, commissioner of immigration; Senator P. H. McGarry, Carlos Avery, state game commissioner, and others.

Minneapolis.—With Governor Burnquist, Dr. Cyrus Northrop, Archbishop Ireland, Judge Fish and others firing broadsides of patriotism and preparedness amid Yankee battle yells of the days of '61, members of the Grand Army of the Republic in Minneapolis and St. Paul celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of founding of the order in Memorial hall, courthouse, guests of the John A. Rawlins' post.

Duluth.—Five thousand Elks and members of their families will be guests of Duluth Lodge No. 133 for the twelfth annual convention of the Minnesota State Elks' association to be held here June 14 and 15. Preliminary plans for the annual gathering are now being made by the local lodge and indications are that the convention will bring to this city the largest crowd that ever assembled here at any one time.

Red Wing.—Michael Carbonare, an 18-year-old laborer, was killed and 15 other workmen were injured in a collision between freight and construction trains in the Milwaukee yards here. The crew of the switch engine which drew the freight train escaped the crash by jumping. A caboose and three bunk cars on the worktrain were telescoped. The wreckage caught fire. Carbonare died a few minutes after being taken to St. John's hospital here.

St. Paul.—Walter J. Smith, former state treasurer of Minnesota, has pleaded guilty to a charge of second degree grand larceny and has been sentenced to serve an indeterminate term of not less than one year nor more than five years in the state penitentiary at Stillwater. His crime was the misappropriation of $18,000 of state school funds by means of a forged Aitkin county school district warrant. R. C. Picket, former clerk in the State Auditor's office, pleaded guilty to forgery in the third degree; penalty one to five years.

St. Paul.—Mrs. Aniela Dorch, confessed slayer of Father Henry Jajeski, former pastor of St. Casimir's church, is an inmate of the state hospital for the insane at St. Peter, being committed just a month from the day she shot down the priest in the church confessional.

St. Paul.—The [illegible] of the Northwest have fixed upon December 5, 6 and 7 as the dates for the next big farmers' convention in St. Paul and a feature of the convention will be the dedication of the St. Paul terminal elevator, which will be in full operation at that time.

BIG BALANCES IN STATE TREASURY

FUNDS MORE THAN DOUBLED IN YEAR ACCORDING TO QUARTERLY REPORT.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Minnesota's cash boxes bulged with big balances at the beginning of a new calendar quarter. State Treasurer A. C. Gooding reported a cash balance of $5,191,325.08 compared with $2,531,967.67 a year ago. State checking accounts in banks total $1,033,278.53; and deposited in country banks is $887,224.21, while there is $621,464.93 in the treasury vault at the capitol. The general fund balance of $2,522,666.87 is more than $1,450,000 greater than a year ago.

There was a legislature this winter and that is the reason for some gains in cash balances. Early last year there was a final payment of $500,000 on the state capitol which reduced the state's cash. Large credits in permanent school funds, notably from the recent sale of investment securities in those accounts, further swelled cash balances.

Loans of permanent school funds during the last month totaled $563,000 and prospects are that the April loans of like funds will exceed $1,000,000, applications for more than $2,000,000 being on file now.

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Reports Timber Steals.

Irregularities in timber scaling resulting in a loss to the state of several thousand dollars have been reported to the State Timber Board by Oscar Arneson, chief of the timber bureau in the state auditor's office. The meeting was attended by Governor Burnquist, Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith, State Treasurer A. C. Gooding and State Forester W. T. Cox. The Rat River Timber Company of Ericksburg, near International Falls, profited from the irregularities, it was charged.

John Cashin, a state timber scaler under Surveyor General S. C. Gribner of Duluth has been discharged.

Charles Sutcliff, manager of the Rat River company denied collusion with the state employe and told the board that his company will make good any loss the state has suffered. He also offered to increase the company's bond to cover any emergencies.

Mr. Arenson's report covered the results of an investigation he began ten days ago, he said.

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Farm Buildings Cost $20,000,000.

An unusually large number of farm buildings are being constructed on Minnesota farms this spring, according to A. D. Wilson, director of the agricultural extension division of the University of Minnesota, who has returned after a three weeks' tour of the state. This, he says, is an indication that the $40,000,000 shortage in the corn crop of last year has been compensated by the good prices farmers obtained for grain and live stock.

"During the past four years Minnesota farmers have put $20,000,000 in to farm buildings. There will be no seed corn scarcity this year or at least not a general need."

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Banks' Growth Is Steady.

The increase in bank [illegible] in Minnesota banks has been practically a steady and uninterrupted march of progress for thirty years. Bank deposits are the index to the prosperity and advancement of the citizenship of a community, and are so considered everywhere. A. H. Turrittin, superintendent of the department of banks of the state has some figures on increase in deposits in Minnesota that are of the most convincing nature and mark a wonderful stride in finances in the state.

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Lower Insurance Rates.

Lower insurance rates [illegible] and villages in northeastern Minnesota are to become effective immediately through extension to that section of the agreement between Samuel D. Works, state insurance commissioner, and Manager Walter I. Fisher of the general insurance bureau, Minneapolis, according to the commissioner's announcement.

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State Appeals Case.

Julius A. Schmahl, [illegible] has declined to comply with the order of District Judge Brill to accept $1,920 instead of $4,775 fees for the increased capitalization of the Tri-State Telephone and Telegraph company. Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith has filed notice of an appeal to the state supreme court.

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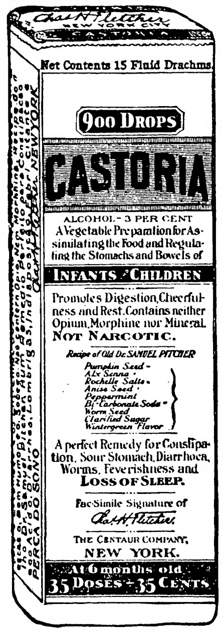
Road Work to Cost $2,228,000.

George W. Cooley, state [illegible], has estimated that the amount of road work under state aid to be done during 1916 in Minnesota will be 1,945 miles of grading, 705 miles of graveling and 1,823 concrete culverts and that the cost of the work in Minnesota will be $2,228,000. The estimate is based on reports of proposed work from 69 of 86 counties of the state showing that 1,[illegible] miles of grading, 664.95 miles of graveling and 1,463 concrete culverts are to be built this year at a cost of $1,8[illegible].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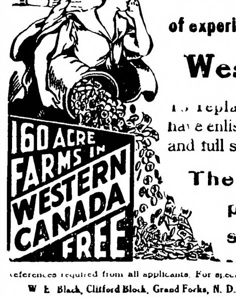

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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Mahlon Detre of Lake Mills Ia. came Wednesday to look at land in this vicinity.

Miss Hulda Johnson left Wednesday for Argyle where she is employed as cook in the hotel.

The Switchboard Directors have hired Miss Llie Peterson for central girl and she will enter upon her duties May 1st.

S. S. Kolden, Sam Mickelson and C. L. Sanberg went to Middle River Wednesday on official business for the village.

Messrs Olaf, Leonard, and Albin Dahl of Golden Valley went to Crookston this week to file on Mud Lake lands.

This would be a good time to take advantage of our magazine offers as we are now in a position to save you some money- all kinds of magazines.

Farmers' Bulletin No. 507 gives simple methods and full directions treating seed grain for smut and it will be sent free to all for the asking, by the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Feb. 1916.

Cream received	12,793 lbs
Average test	25.25
Butter fat	3230.89 lbs
Percent overrun	23 83
Butter made	4000 lbs
Balance on hand last month	39
Received for butter shipped	1187 27
Butter and milk sold patrons	4 65
Cash sales at creamery	18 15
To other sources	29 94
Total	$1240 40
Paid patrons by check	1067 10
" " " Butter & milk	4 65
Expense fund, etc.	114 04
Coal sold	24 68
To sinking fund	22 42
To other sources	4 31
Error for Jan.	2 60
Balance on hand	60
Total	$1240 40

Number of patrons, 74
Price paid for butter fat, 33 1-2c
T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Southeast of Holt.

About forty persons surprised Mrs. Henry Jenson on Saturday evening. The evening was delightfully spent in singing, music and games. Afterwards a dainty luncheon was served and all present reported a most enjoyable time.

Miss Signora Sandbo was a pleasant visitor at the home of Albert Klungness Monday evening.

Miss Gunda Moe left for Golden Valley on Thursday where she will visit a number of friends and relatives.

Harry and Oscar Moe visited with the Sordahl boys Saturday evening.

Miss Olga Klungness who has been working for Mrs. Henry Jenson for some time, returned to her home Tuesday.

Henry Jenson left for Pekin S. Dak. last week. Mrs. Jenson will join him later.

Melvin Torgerson called at the home of Mrs. H. Pederson Saturday.

Ole B Johnson made a trip to Fred Steinhauer on Thursday for a load of seed wheat.

Miss Ragna Larson returned to her home Tuesday after spending a few days at Golden Valley.

Farmers are busy cleaning their seed grain and making ready for spring work.

A large crowd visited at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Michelson on Sunday afternoon.

Engebreth Moe of Golden Valley accompanied his brother Simon home on Sunday after enjoying a few weeks visit with him.

Bernard Larson of Golden Valley spent a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson last week.

Quite a number of people from this vicinity, took in the auction sale at Otto Johnson's last Friday.

Albert Klungness bought a cow at the Otto Johnson's sale last Friday..

Martin Samson sold a big porker to Nels Gunderson.

Our magazine offers are O. K.

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Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Mar. 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Salmon Larson, of Holt, Minn., who on Nov. 30, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05764, for Northwest 1-4 Section 8 Township 155 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 1st day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Reno Boe, Salve Tharaldson & Alex Magee all of Germantown, Minn., & Ole Kirklie, of Goodridge, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. March 25, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Rudolph Dahl, of Golden Valley, Minn. who on Dec. 17, 1912 made Homestead Entry, No. 08724 for NE1-4 Sec. 35, Twp. 156 N., R. 41 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner, for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 10th day of May 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Tronsdahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Elling Tollefsrud, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Mar. 29, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Ole Tronsdahl, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Nov. 21st, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08641, for SW1-4, Sec. 26, Township 156 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Rudolph Dahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Elling Tollefsrud, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

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Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

If you have high land with good drainage sow some alfalfa-preferably Grimm's. If land is wet, but not too wet, clover and timothy will do all right. In the swamp land tame red top will take root and spread. —Warroad Pioneer.

For Sale— Sorrel Mare, 6 years old, on bankable paper due Nov. 1. 1916.

Holt State Bank.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Mar. 24, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Reno Boe of Germantown Minn., who on June 21, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05536, for NW1-4 Sec. 11, Township 155 N. Range 41 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 1st day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson of Holt, Minn., Salve Tharaldson & Alex Magee both of Germantown, Minn., & Ole Kirklie of Goodridge, Minn.

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Curious Tolerance.

It's a funny thing, though, that no one ever seems to be bored when money does talk, no matter how long it talks.

Thoroughly Human.

Everybody looks at the first name on a subscription list before signing it. Don't know whether it's a human trait or an idiosyncrasy.

Inconsistent.

Many a man who sighs to be an independent farmer kicks like anything when he happens to wake up some morning in time to hear the milkman.

FARMER'S BOY REACHES TOP

Famous Foe of Criminal Wealth.

Rochester, Minn., April 10.—Every red blooded man likes a winner, especially when the winner has had to make a hard and long fight against odds.

Few men have had more obstacles to overcome or have achieved greater fame than our former fellow townsman, Frank B. Kellogg.

THE OFFICE SEEKS THE MAN

Rochester swelled with pride when it learned that more than 125 representative country editors had signed a petition or written Mr. Kellogg to become a candidate for U. S. Senator. It was one of those rare events in modern times—a genuine case of the office seeking the man.

Frank B. Kellogg was raised on a farm in Viola township near this city. His boyhood was similar to that of thousands of other farmers' boys. It was a life of hard work, many sacrifices and few pleasures, attending country school in the winter and doing the usual farm work after school.

NEIGHBORS BELIEVE IN HIM

His old neighbors say that he is still the same, every-day sort of a man and that his manner is democratic and cordial to all.

In 1875 he began to study law in the office of H. A. Eckholdt of this city. During the winter he took care of a farmer's horses and cows for his board and in the spring he went back to the farm and worked through seeding time for $12.00 per month. He also went out during harvest and worked in the field.

FRANK B. KELLOGG.

He served five years as county attorney of Olmsted county. One of his first important cases was when he represented the villages of Plainview and Elgin in Wabasha county against the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company, and recovered from the railroad about $200,000.00 for these villages on bonds which had been illegally taken by the railroad and sold on the market. This case was brought to Mr. Kellogg after other lawyers had lost it for the villages of Plainview and Elgin, and made many friends for him in Southern Minnesota.

In 1887, Senator Cushman K. Davis made him a partner with himself and C. A. Severance.

ROOSEVELT CALLS KELLOGG

In 1906, President Roosevelt was attracted to Kellogg because of the latter's conspicuous success in private practice. In consequence, he put Mr. Kellogg in charge of the most important trust prosecution ever tried, among them being the Paper trust, the Standard Oil Co., and the merger of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific railroads. All were carried to the Supreme Court of the United States and all were decided in favor of the public.

WINS GREAT LEGAL DUELS

His brilliant cross-examination of the wizards of Wall Street, as well as his legal duels with the great corporation lawyers of the East, won for him the approval of the public and at the same time the bitter enmity of the financial giants.

FOUGHT FOR FARMERS

As member of the resolutions committee of the Republican national convention he championed some important labor planks. He vigorously opposed the reciprocity bill and the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill before Congress, in so far as they discriminated against the farmers of the Northwest.

SETTLED R. R. STRIKE

In 1908, President Roosevelt sent for Mr. Kellogg and asked him to prevent a wage reduction on the Chicago Great Western for which road Mr. Kellogg was general counsel.

With characteristic energy Mr. Kellogg applied himself to the task and was soon able to have the order reducing the trainmen's wages, set aside—a great victory for the trainmen.

A REPUBLICAN

In politics Frank B. Kellogg has always stood with the progressive wing of the Republican party, but he did not go so far as to leave that party four years ago.

HEADS AMERICAN BAR

In 1912, the American Bar Association elected him president in recognition of his eminent legal ability.

HOME TOWN FOR KELLOGG

It is freely predicted here that he will receive a larger vote for U. S. Senator than all other candidates put together.

MINNESOTA LAW FOR CHILDREN AND WOMEN CRITICISED

No Pension Allowed for Family Deserted by Husband-Father.

"Law All Right as Far as It Goes, But Doesn't Go Far."

It is often asserted by politicians of this state that the Minnesota laws concerning women and children are absolutely what they should be and the mother's pension law is cited as an example of our up-to-dateness. The Minneapolis Daily News stated editorially in comparing the Minnesota law with that of other states:

"Minnesota has a good mother's pension law—good as far as it goes. It helps keep the family together when the father is dead or legally divorced.

"But it does not permit a pension for the mother and child when the father has run away, deserted his family, or when he is a good for nothing drunken sot and stays at home and beats up his wife and children.

"So far as the Minnesota law is concerned, the child fortunate enough to have a father hanging around, ready to give it an occasional black eye, isn't considered entitled to any other comforts in life, such as milk and flannel nighties.

"Yes, the Minnesota mother's pension law is all right as far as it goes—

"But it still has a long way to go."

If the women of this state had a word to say in the framing of laws such as this one, which so closely concern their own welfare and that of the children of the state is it not more than a certainty that no such loopholes for criticism would be left in the mother's pension laws and others of a like order?

FARM WOMAN NEEDS VOTE TO GUARD HOME

Interested in Affairs of Government as Much as City Sister.

The preservation of her home and the betterment and care of her children is as important to the woman in the country as to the woman in the town. Today, as never before, are the needs of the city and country the same, for both suffer alike from the same evils, and share the same benefits. Therefore to care properly for her family she must help toward the common good.

No one knows better than the farmer how his wife helps him to earn and carry on the farm. When he dies, he leaves it without fear in her hands. But he leaves it unprotected by a citizen's vote. The woman farm owner is considered a citizen only when the taxes fall due, but on election day she may not say how these taxes shall be spent.

The woman in the country must help to get more state money for country schools in order that children of the country may be properly educated at home, and be given the practical and up-to-date education they should have.

The woman of the country, equally with the man, is interested in better markets, better transportation facilities, cheaper distribution, equal freight and express rates, so that producer and consumer may be brought closer together and a larger share of the profits return to the farm.

The woman of the country is interested in an increased social life. This means better roads, better trolley service, more libraries and meeting halls, and the right to use those already existing for social purposes. If wholesome amusements are not provided country boys and girls, like those of the city, will seek other kinds.

The country woman must protect her family from the contagion that lurks in ready-made clothing. Epidemics of measles, scarlet fever, etc., in the country, have been traced repeatedly to city sweat shops where clothing is finished amid filth and disease.

Every one of [illegible] is controlled by [illegible] and the men who are elected to [illegible] the voice of those who elect them. If we expect them to consider that which is near and dear to us, the protection of home and children, as seriously as they consider the chief interests of men, the protection of business and property, we must have some say in the choosing of the men who make our laws. This is simple justice and sound sense. It means that women must be given the right to vote.

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AMERICAN FARMING (Monthly)

Club B
PEOPLE'S POPULAR MONTHLY
HOME LIFE - - (Monthly)
POWER FARMING - (Monthly)
FARM AND HOME - (Semi-M)

Club C
KIMBALL'S Dairy Farmer (Semi-M)
FARM AND HOME (Semi-M)
HOME LIFE - (Monthly)
THE HOUSEHOLD - (Monthly)

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Thief River Falls, [illegible]

Local Items

Magazines for home and farm in our different clubs.

Dr. Turley will be here next Monday to do dental work.

Mrs. Martin Evenson went to T. R. Falls, Friday for a short visit.

Mrs. R. L. Olson went to Thief River Falls Monday, returning home Tuesday.

J. M. Ryan shipped a car of hay to Spooner for E. T. Eide, the first of the week.

Miss Bertha Ingebrigtson of Dugdale is making an extended visit at the home of her aunt Mrs. Jacob Nelson.

Mrs. Dagny Halverson, nee Bakke, of Hillsboro, N. D., visited her sister Mrs. B. Docken, a few days this week.

The school board met Saturday evening and elected B. Docken clerk to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of D. Payne.

Mare with mare colt 3 weeks old for sale for cash or bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1916. Enquire of Albin Knauf or Holt State Bank.

Miss Clara Sollom returned from Newfolden Saturday, accompanied by her sister Mrs. Arvid Carlson who came for a weeks visit with homefolks.

Paul Olson closed a deal with Mrs. T. Sollom Monday, for an acre and a half next to E. A. Johnson's. Mr. Olson will commence the building of a fine residence on this tract and we understand his son Racine will build there too.

High water at Roseau Monday so damaged the bridge that it delayed the train a couple of hours, and the one from the south was about seven hours late on account of an unsafe bridge, made so by high water at Red Lake Falls, since then the trains have been about on time.

The Old Reliable
Skandia Hotel
New Management
REMODELED
Lunch Counter
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All Hours of the Day
Cigars, Soft Drinks
Confectionery
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Mammie Peterson is on the sick list.

A. R. Jones was a Greenbush visitor Friday.

A fine horse at J. J. Marty [illegible] every Friday.

Geo. Smith and David J[illegible]son went to Alvarado, Friday.

Miss Evelyn Wegge was a passenger for Thief River Falls Monday.

A baby boy was born to Mr and Mrs. J. M. Jahr this week Wednesday.

Lion tractor for sale on easy terms. Guaranteed to pull three plows. Write box [illegible], Holt, Minn

Mud Lake bottom has been [illegible] for several days with water [illegible] two to several feet deep and all the squatters have been compelled to move out [illegible] settlement [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible]

Farewell Party

Tuesday evening, about 8 o'clock the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Payne was suddenly invaded and captured by the people of Holt before the hostess could recover from her surprise while a delegation waylaid Mr. Payne up town and escorted him home. A very pleasant social evening was enjoyed by all present, not the least of these being the making of aprons by the men and of dolls by the ladies. Mrs. Christianson and Prof. Prushek were the prize winners. A splendid luncheon was served and the enjoyment of the occasion was increased by the rendering of piano solos by Mrs. Huseth.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne were presented with a dozen silver knives and forks as a token of the friendship of the people of Holt, and they were received with hearty thanks by host and hostess. Mr. Payne has sold his house and two lots to B. Docken, and has packed his household goods and stored them in S. S. Kolden's building temporarily.

This fine family will be greatly missed here, but they have the best wishes of our people for their happiness & prosperity. They leave to-morrow for Nielsvills where Mrs. Payne and children will visit her parents for an indefinite time. Mr. Payne will go to Leonard, Clearwater Co. where he is to have charge of a lumber yard and will spend his spare time looking after a bank there which his father-in-law, Mr. L. S. Kolden, started about four months ago.

Sell Your Farm
If you want to sell or trade your farm
Call on or write to
B. Docken
Holt - Minn.

Doings of the Village Council.

The council met April 13th. and passed a resolution authorizing the treasurer to make application for the $6000.00 loan, also a resolution levying a tax of $400.00 for general corporation purposes and $200.00 for street funds. C. L. Sandberg and Sam Mickelson were appointed to draw up plans and specifications for the village hall.

Miss I[illegible] Fo[illegible] entertained company last week.

Svenke Svenkeson returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Canada.

C. L. He[illegible] went to Thief River Falls, the first of the week, to do some work on his land there.

M. E. Carlson, the new agent has purchased the Lewis Wegge house formerly owned by C. W. Latta.

Monday evening April 24th Rev. McMartin will preach an Easter sermon, in the Free Mission church.

The Holt State Bank has been obliged to put more shelving in their vault to enable them to take care of their increasing business.

Your choice [illegible] magazines in a club with this [illegible] only 25c additional [illegible] subscription price of [illegible] dollar.

Mrs. C [illegible] Harrison [illegible] from Gr[illegible] Mr. [illegible]

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Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Monday
April, 24, 1916.
I will visit Holt about [illegible] month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:
Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $[illegible] Porcelain $5.00
Plates $[illegible] and up
[illegible] paying and [illegible] advantage [illegible]
[illegible] work [illegible] repaired or made [illegible]
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Get the Habit of Drinking Hot Water Before Breakfast

Says we can't look or feel right with the system full of poisons.

Millions of folks bathe internally now instead of loading their system with drugs. "What's an inside bath?" you say. Well, it is guaranteed to perform miracles if you could believe these hot water enthusiasts.

There are vast numbers of men and women who, immediately upon arising in the morning, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This is a very excellent health measure. It is intended to flush the stomach, liver, kidneys and the thirty feet of intestines of the previous day's waste, sour bile and indigestible material left over in the body which, if not eliminated every day, become food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels, the quick result is poisons and toxins which are then absorbed into the blood causing headache, bilious attacks, foul breath, bad taste, colds, stomach trouble, kidney misery, sleeplessness, impure blood and all sorts of ailments.

People who feel good one day and badly the next, but who simply can not get feeling right are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from any druggist or storekeeper. This will cost very little but is sufficient to make anyone a real crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

Just as soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so limestone phosphate and hot water act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. It is vastly more important to bathe on the inside than on the outside, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do. —Adv.

Dressed Wife as Widow.

Realizing that he was dying, Karl Kellams, three days before his death, asked his wife to buy a black mourning dress and veil so that he could see her as she would appear at the funeral. To satisfy him, Mrs. Kellams dressed in mourning and stood at his bedside. Kellams had been sick of tuberculosis for some months. He recently returned from Phoenix, Ariz., where he had gone in the hope that the change in climate would benefit him.—Philadelphia Record.

Unusual Celerity.

A lady who had just received an interesting bit of news said to her little daughter:

"Marjorie, dear, auntie has a new baby, and now mamma is the baby's aunt, papa is the baby's uncle, and you are her little cousin."

"Well," said Marjorie, wonderingly, "wasn't that arranged quick?"—Boston Transcript.

Evidence.

"There goes another married man," said the girl at the candy counter.

"How do you know?" asked the cashier.

"He used to buy a three-pound box of candy twice a week, and now he buys half a pound once a month."

The thing that worries a rich man is that some of his friends are richer.

GOOD REPORT

Doctor Proved Value of Postum

Physicians know that good food and drink, properly selected, are of the utmost importance, not only for the relief of disease but to maintain health even when one is well.

A doctor writes, "I count it a pleasure to say a good word for Postum with which I have been enabled to relieve so many sufferers, and which I count, with its valued companion Grape-Nuts, one of the daily blessings.

"Coffee was banished from my own table some time ago and Postum used regularly in its place." (Coffee is injurious to many persons, because it contains the subtle, poisonous drug, caffeine.)

"I frequently find it necessary to instruct patients when they take Postum for the first time to be quite sure that it is properly made according to directions, then it has a clear, seal-brown color and a rich, snappy taste, as well as health giving qualities.

The above letter, received over ten years ago, is fully confirmed by a recent letter from the doctor, in which he says:

"It is a pleasure to render a good report covering a product of which I am so enthusiastic a friend.

"I am using in my home your Postum Cereal in both its forms. And, what is more, I am having it used in the families of several patients in which there are children, and all unite in endorsing the fine qualities of your admirable product."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms.

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c pkgs.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both forms are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

ALLIES SEND ARMY OVER GREECE; MAY FORCE NEW CRISIS

TRANSPORT SERBIAN TROOPS OVERLAND FROM CORFU TO SALONIKI — ACTION INCENSES KING.

TEUTONIC ALLIES WARN OF NEUTRALITY BREAK

Ministers Receive Instructions From Berlin and Vienna—Attempt to Break Up Meeting of Adherents of Venizelos Ends in Riot.

Athens, April 17 (via Paris, April 18).—An attempt to break up a meeting of adherents of former Premier Venizelos here ended in riotous demonstrations. Speakers were greeted with cries, "Down with the traitors" and "Long live the king." The police cleared the hall amid great disorder.

Steps to Force Crisis.

London, April 18.—Decisive steps by the Allies have forced a new crisis at Athens, with the possibility that Greece may find itself thrust into war against its will.

Overriding the objections of the Greek government, the Allies have begun transporting Serbian troops over land by rail from Corfu to Saloniki. The Austrian and German governments, according to Athens dispatches, protested several days ago that they would regard it as a deliberately unfriendly act if Greece permitted this troop movement.

May Attempt to Stop Allies.

French correspondents at Athens report that King Constantine is incensed at the action of the Allies and may attempt to stop the transportation of Serbian troops by a show of arms.

The Allies did not want to transport the newly equipped Serbian army from the island of Corfu to Saloniki by water, because of the danger from Austro-German submarines. They therefore suggested to Premier Skouloudis that the Serbian troops be sent to Patris by steamer and then transported by rail.

Would Be Breach of Neutrality.

The Greek prime minister sounded out the German and Austrian ministers on this suggestion. They telegraphed their governments and received immediate replies that both Germany and Austria would consider that Greece had overstepped the bounds of neutrality if it acquiesced in the Allies' suggestion.

This information was at once communicated to the ministers of the Allies.

Serbians Reach Saloniki.

Premier Skouloudis announced that Serbian troops would have to pass through Piraeus, the port of Athens, in a movement by rail, and that their presence near the capital might inflame the people with violent demonstrations.

The Allies, however, proceeded with their arrangements and the first Serbian detachments to be landed at Patris reached Saloniki on Saturday.

MAY INSURE SISAL SUPPLY

U. S. Commission Asked to Oversee Disposal of Crop.

Washington, Apr. 18.—Senator Ransdell, chairman of the committee investigating an alleged monopoly to control the output of sisal, has announced that the federal trade commission would be asked to superintend disposal of the 125,000 bales now in Yucatan in order to insure a sufficient supply of binder twine for the American harvests.

The commission representing Yucatan farmers, asked the Senate committee to oversee the sale of the crop, but it does not come within the province of a legislative body. Chairman Davies of the federal commission has informed Senator Ransdell that it has the machinery to proceed with the distribution and will send two men to Yucatan. Senator Ransdell will introduce a resolution to put the trade commission in charge.

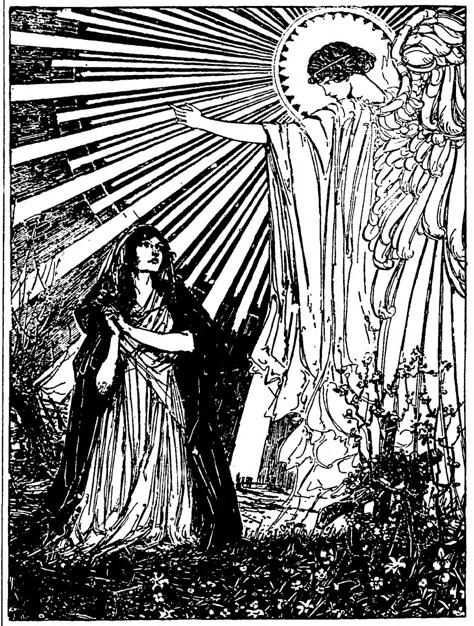
Bombards German Battleship.

Paris, April 18.—A French aviator dropped 16 bombs from an altitude of only 100 yards on the deck of a German warship in the North sea, the war office has announced. The French plane flew so low that it is believed the bombardment had good effect. Aviators were active Sunday night on the Verdun front and east of the fortress, despite the heavy fog. French air squadrons bombarded the railway stations at Conflans, Pagny, Arneville and Rompach.

American Wounded By U-Boat.

Washington, April 18.—An American was wounded by shrapnel and another escaped uninjured when the Russian ship Imperator, lumberladen, Gulfport, Miss., to Marseilles, was fired upon and then set ablaze by an Austrian submarine April 11, the Barcelona, Spain, consul has reported. The wounded man is Gustave Olson, whose brother is foreman of the Berg & Garlon Furniture company of Minneapolis; the other American is Aner Swennsson, whose father is band leader of coast artillery near Boston.

THE ETERNAL YEARS



TRANSCENDENT light, with Easter born,
Fill with thy glow the battle-torn;
"Seek the living among the dead,"
Awaken those whose blood was shed;
Dim with thy glory cannon's flame,
Cleanse humankind of all its shame
Ere day is done.

AWAKE, O nations of the earth!
Comes morn of hope, of life, new birth,
Heed ye the Resurrection call,
Rulers of kingdoms, foemen—all;
Let strife be o'er, the tumult cease,
Crown Him anew the Prince of Peace
Ere day is done.

—T. Elliott Hines in New York Saturday Evening Mail.

SACRIFICE MUST PRECEDE SOUL'S EASTER TRIUMPH

H. C. TOLLMAN, D. D., LL. D.

A DIVINE Father near to each human soul, acting in and through the events of daily life, and a risen Christ revealing God's nature to us through our personal communion with him! This is the Easter triumph.

Modern Christian criticism may discuss, as it is now doing, the historical and quasi-physiological problems as to whether the risen Christ had a "material body spiritualized" or a "spiritual body materialized," whether his actual flesh and blood came forth from the grave, as the Gospel narrative most distinctly gives us to understand, or whether he bore that celestial and incorruptible body which St. Paul declares is the body of the resurrection. Yet we need have no fear that the conclusion—if one be ever reached in the future—will affect that vital truth on which our Christian faith has been grounded for nineteen centuries.

The lesson of the Resurrection is purely a personal and individual one. We do well to ask ourselves soberly and seriously what that lesson is. Like all divine truths, it is wondrously simple, yet deeply significant and full of transcendent responsibility. It means nothing less than such life-union with Christ as to effect in us a participation in his immortal and divine character—assuredly no easy process, but the struggle and achievement of a life in constant touch and fellowship with him.

The lesson of Easter plainly tells us that we must die to our selfish selves, to our littleness, narrowness, pride and hate, and rise to the eternal life of service.

No Easter triumph can come to any soul without first a Golgotha of individual sacrifice and self-renunciation. Heaven is no fit place or condition for a man who knows not what service is.

The risen Christ reveals the immortality of love realized in the soul of man, a conception briefly summarized by our Lord in the seeming paradox, "He that saveth his life shall lose it, and he that loseth his life, the same shall save it."

The risen Christ reveals the immortality of truth. The self-opinionated whose prejudices and preconceptions shut out honest inquiry cannot commune with a God of truth. The revelation of Christ was the revelation of truth, and intellectual integrity is the liberty of every son of God: "Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free."

The risen Christ reveals the immortality of service. The divine activity is continually self-giving. God is forever showing the divineness of service. This is the life of God and it is a uniform, inflexible and eternal law that we must enter into such a life before we can approach the infinite ideal of humanity which reveals God. The flowers and starry heavens sing together because there is between them the affinity of showing God's beauty. But between a selfish soul and God there can be no communion.

The risen Christ reveals what was central in the mind of God from eternity. This darling thought in divine evolution was the perfect humanity revealed in the Son of Man. We call Christ our Lord, our King, our Master and our God, and justly so, but the dearest title to him and the one oftenest upon his lips is that of the Son of Man, because it shows what man can be in him and through him. To that humanity we link our hopes of immortality, and we are confident they will not disappoint us.

The lesson of Easter is simply this, that we live the immortal life here, the life of love, sacrifice, truth, beauty and hope as revealed in Christ; that we enter into such individual fellowship with our Lord as to enable us to realize in him the life of God, for he has said: "He that hath seen me hath seen the Father"; that we appropriate his divine life expressed in the joy of self-denial, though it leads us to Calvary.

Easter Bells

Ring happy bells of Easter time!
The world takes up your chant
sublime:
"The Lord has risen!" The
night of fear
Has passed away, and heaven
draws near;
We breathe the air of that best
clime
At Easter time.

Ring, happy bells of Easter time!
Our happy hearts give back
your chime:
"The Lord is risen!" We die
no more!
He opens wide the heavenly
door;
He meets us, while to Him we
climb
At Easter time.

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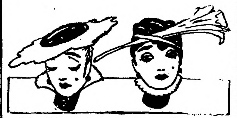
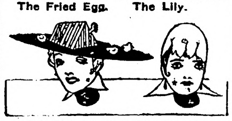
EASTER MILLINERY



The Fried Egg. The Lily.



The Hen Coop. The Egg Shell.

Great Mystery Is His.

All the mysteries of land, and water, and air are being solved one by one, but the mystery of life and death are his. Know that, of a surety, had he wished us to break the seal which binds them in his grasp he would have made the way clear. Heaven is with him. Let that suffice, until God's time to make it plain.

WILSON'S REPLY TO GERMAN NOTE TO BE LAST WORD

DETERMINED TO BRING SUBMARINE SITUATION WITH BERLIN TO AN ISSUE—NEW EVIDENCE ACCUMULATES.

WILL BE STATEMENT OF AMERICAN CASE TO DATE

Way Will Be Left Open for Teutons to Avoid Long-Feared Break of Diplomatic Relations — Sussex Evidence Gathered by French Reaches Capital.

London, April 17.—A news dispatch from The Hague says the German foreign office is perturbed on account of the dissatisfaction expressed in the United States at the German note in regard to the Sussex.

Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg is reported to have had several conferences with Ambassador Gerard and Count Von Burian, Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, and to have sent lengthy instructions to Ambassador Von Bernstorff at Washington.

According to these advices German officials now seem willing to do everything possible to avoid a rupture with the United States.

Washington, April 17. — President Wilson and the cabinet went over the submarine crisis again and reaffirmed their determination to bring the situation with Germany to an issue.

The decision to inform Germany that recent accumulation of evidence of ships destroyed in submarine warfare leads to the inevitable conclusion that her promises to the United States are not being fulfilled remained unchanged. The time of dispatching a communication to Berlin appeared to be the only point undecided.

May Give Notice of Break.

In congress a report was widely circulated that the forthcoming note would in itself give a notice of severance of diplomatic relations. There was nothing to substantiate the story anywhere in official quarters. Cabinet officers did not deny it upon the ground that they had all been bound in honor by the president not to speak on the question.

There were repeated indications that the note would be a statement of the American case up to date without anything in the nature of an ultimatum and still would leave the way open for Germany to avoid the long-feared break in diplomatic relations. It was plain, however, that it would be intended as the American government's last word.

Evidence Gathered by French.

At the state department there was renewed evidence that the United States considers its case complete even without the affidavits which arrived on the steamer St. Paul. Secretary Lansing acknowledged that evidence gathered by the French government from a captured German submarine crew to prove the identity of the submarine involved in the Sussex attack had been placed in possession of the American government. Such evidence, properly substantiated, was regarded as the capstone of the American case if one seemed necessary.

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, April 17.—Wheat—May, $1.17½; July, $1.17½; No. 1 northern, $1.22½; No. 2 northern, $1.19½; No. 1 durum, $1.13½; No. 3 corn, 77½c; No. 3 white oats, 42¾c; barley, malting, 72c; No. 2 rye, 94c.

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, April 17.—Wheat—May, $1.17⅛; July, $1.18; No. 1 northern, $1.19; No. 1 durum, $1.12.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, April 17.—Cattle—Steers, $7.00@8.50; cows, $5.00@7.75; hogs, $9.50@9.60; sheep and lambs, $7.40@8.00.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 17.—Hogs—Receipts 12,000; slow at yesterday's average; bulk of sales, $9.85@9.95; light, $9.50@10.00; mixed, $9.60@10.00; heavy, $9.40@10.00; rough, $9.40@9.60; pigs, $7.40@9.90.

Cattle—Receipts, 200; steady; native beef steers, $8.00@10.00; western steers, $7.75@8.70; stockers and feeders $5.90@8.60; cows and heifers, $4.10@9.20; calves, $7.25@10.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; steady; wethers, $7.00@9.25; lambs, $7.75@11.80.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Minneapolis April 17—Butter—Creamery extras, lb. 34c, extras, first, 32c; firsts, 31c; seconds, 30c; dairy extras, 25c; packing stock, 24c.

Eggs—Candled, free from rots, small dirties and checks out, 19¼c; current receipts, rots out, case, $5.55; checks and seconds, doz. 15c; dirties doz. 16c.

Live Poultry—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs. and over, 18c; thin and small, 12½c; cripples and culls, unsalable; roosters, 11c; hens, fat, 4 lbs. and over, 17c; under 4 lbs. 14@15c; geese, fat, 13c; ducks, 13c; springs, 17c; staggy yearlings, 14@15c; young guineas, doz. $5.

Crookston Bridge Carried Away.

Crookston, Minn., April 17.—The Red Lake river is steadily rising, having gained nearly a foot during the night. Ice carried away the new steel bridge over the river between this place and Gently and the old bridge a mile farther down is doomed. Many basements are flooded and a number of outbuildings have been carried away. Many barns and garages are untenable. The Northern Pacific bridge here is threatened. In rural districts the water is rapidly disappearing.

Spring Colds Are the Worst

They lead to catarrh and pneumonia. They weaken the entire system and leave it unable to resist the sudden changes. They interfere with your digestion and lessen your activity. Neglected they soon become that dread disease known as systemic catarrh. Don't neglect them. It's costly as well dangerous.

PERUNA

Will Safeguard You

Have a box Peruna Tablets with you for the sudden cold or exposure. Tone your system up with a regular course of the liquid Peruna, fortify it against colds, get your digestion up to normal, take care of yourself, and avoid danger. If you are suffering now begin the treatment at once. Give Nature the help she needs to throw off the catarrhal inflammation, and again become well.

Peruna has been helping people for 44 years. Thousands of homes rely on it for coughs, cold and indigestion. It's a good tonic for the weak, as well.

The Peruna Company
Columbus Ohio

Supplied.

"Can I interest you in a set of Knowitall's encyclopedia?" asked the gentlemanly agent.

"Not for the next eighteen or twenty years," said the farmer. "I've got forty-seven volumes of agricultural reports that our congressman sent me last winter, and I've got to read them through before I tackle anything else."

Lee Slack of Ripley, O., writes: "I have sold several kinds of horse liniment and Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh will do more than any other liniment I have ever sold or knew of." Adv.

Why, of Course.

"I cannot understand why my second husband is so fastidious," confessed a Washington lady to her bosom friend. "He scarcely eats anything. My first husband, who died, used to eat everything I cooked for him."

"Did you tell your present husband that?"

"Yes."

"That's the reason."

Dangerous.

"What is this man charged with?" asked the magistrate.

"Dynamite!" was the unanimous reply of the six cops who had made the arrest.

Meat Makes Bad Kidneys

Too much meat is just as bad as not enough. Such a diet is apt to load the blood with uric acid and to injure the kidneys. Bad backs, blue, nervous spells, dizziness, rheumatic pains, and bladder troubles indicate weak kidneys, foretell danger of gravel and Bright's disease. Don't neglect this condition. Use Doan's Kidney Pills.

A North Dakota Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Walter Schwartz, Dickinson, N. D., says: "After straining my back, I suffered terribly from kidney complaint. My back got so weak and painful I couldn't lift and the kidney secretions were irregular in passage, especially at night. After using different medicines without success, I tried Doan's Kidney Pills. They restored me to good health and I have never had a sign of kidney trouble since."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

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The Wretchedness of Constipation

Can quickly be overcome by CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Purely vegetable—act surely and gently on the liver. Cure Biliousness, Headache, Dizziness, and Indigestion. They do their duty.

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SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.

Genuine must bear Signature

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Tumors and Lupus successfully treated without knife or pain. All work guaranteed. Come, or write for Free Illustrated Book

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LOSSES SURELY PREVENTED by Cutter's Blackleg Pills. Low-priced, fresh, reliable; preferred by Western stockmen, because they protect where other vaccines fail. Write for booklet and testimonials.

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Use any injector, but Cutter's best. The superiority of Cutter products is due to over 15 years of specializing in vaccines and serums only. Insist on Cutter's. If unobtainable, order direct. The Cutter Laboratory, Berkeley, Cal., or Chicago, Ill.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

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How to avoid Operations

These Three Women Tell How They Escaped the Dreadful Ordeal of Surgical Operations.

Hospitals are great and necessary institutions, but they should be the last resort for women who suffer with ills peculiar to their sex. Many letters on file in the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., prove that a great number of women after they have been recommended to submit to an operation have been made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Here are three such letters. All sick women should read them.

Marinette, Wis.—"I went to the doctor and he told me I must have an operation for a female trouble, and I hated to have it done as I had been married only a short time. I would have terrible pains and my hands and feet were cold all the time. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and was cured, and I feel better in every way. I give you permission to publish my name because I am so thankful that I feel well again." —Mrs. Fred Behnke, Marinette, Wis.

Detroit, Mich.—"When I first took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was so run down with female troubles that I could not do anything, and our doctor said I would have to undergo an operation. I could hardly walk without help so when I read about the Vegetable Compound and what it had done for others I thought I would try it. I got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and a package of Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and used them according to directions. They helped me and today I am able to do all my work and I am well." —Mrs. Thos. Dwyer, 989 Milwaukee Ave., East, Detroit, Mich.

Bellevue, Pa.—"I suffered more than tongue can tell with terrible bearing down pains and inflammation. I tried several doctors and they all told me the same story, that I never could get well without an operation and I just dreaded the thought of that. I also tried a good many other medicines that were recommended to me and none of them helped me until a friend advised me to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. The first bottle helped, I kept taking it and now I don't know what it is to be sick any more and I am picking up in weight. I am 20 years old and weigh 145 pounds. It will be the greatest pleasure to me if I can have the opportunity to recommend it to any other suffering woman."—Miss Irene Froelicher, 1923 Manhattan St., North Side, Bellevue, Pa.

If you would like special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

SPOHN'S DISTEMPER COMPOUND

Watch Your Colts

For Coughs, Colds and Distemper, and at the first symptoms of any such ailment, give small doses of that wonderful remedy, now the most used in existence.

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50 cents and $1 a bottle; $5 and $10 the dozen, of any druggist, harness dealer, or delivered by

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News From Below.

Knicker—How is your garden?

Subbubs—The last diver reported it fine.

At Palm Beach.

"Have you read much fiction since you have been here?"

"No; but I have listened to a lot."

GRAPE JUICE A BACK NUMBER

Grape juice must take a back seat now, for a new product, made from the juice of farm grains, unadulterated, unmalted, unfermented. Science has finally discovered the ideal thirst-quenching drink, which when served cold, is far in advance of anything in health giving qualities. This new drink is made under a patented process. Fine quality farm grains are utilized, and a piquant flavor is added by means of hop and other blossoms which refresh and nourish. This new drink does not contain the alcohol found in grape juice, nor has it the diluted flavor. It has been favorably passed upon by pure food departments. Any dealer can handle Golden Grain Juice, who has facilities for keeping it cold. Be the first in your town to introduce it to the public by writing for information to Golden Grain Juice Company, P. O. Box 2107, Minneapolis, Minn. Adv.

Paper Weight.

Wally—Is Reggie a heavy smoker?

Wolly—No. He weighs only a hundred and ten pounds.—Exchange.

Safe Bet.

"If fashion makes our dresses any shorter I don't know what we'll do."

"I do—you'll wear them."

Cigarette smoking is permissible at the table if you are dining alone and have a grudge against yourself.

Hope deferred is apt to give the promoter cold feet.

It's a short street that has no turn for the organ grinder.

A bore is a man who has nothing to say and proceeds to say it.

AILING WOMEN NEED THIS FAMOUS DOCTOR'S PRESCRIPTION

Thousands of women who are now blessed with robust health cannot understand why thousands of other women continue to worry and suffer from ailments peculiar to women when they can obtain for a trifling sum Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription which will surely and quickly banish all pain, distress and misery and restore the womanly functions to health.

This prescription of Dr. Pierce's extracted from roots and herbs is a temperance remedy.

To get rid of irregularities or catarrhal condition to avoid pain at certain times, to overcome irritability and weakness, waste no time, but get Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in liquid or tablet form this very day.

Misunderstood.

"Whenever she asks her husband for money he gives her assent."

"Gracious, what a mean man!"

Clothing made of pressed feathers as a substitute for wool has been invented by an Italian priest.

It takes a woman's dearest friend to tell her things she doesn't want to hear.

E. B. Hall of Wellsville, N. Y., has sold Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh for forty-five years. Several other druggists have handled it from thirty to fifty years. Adv.

A German substitute for sole leather withstood six weeks test of the severest character.

The law resembles the ocean in one respect. The greatest trouble is caused by breakers.

Some nervous people with a few dollars and no brains take exercise by making a run on a bank.

The mikado of Japan is going to build a $3,000,000 hotel on imperial ground in Tokyo.

For old sores of any kind apply Hanford's Balsam. It will reduce the inflammation and the sore will gradually disappear. Use it for the hard cases. Adv.

A spinster who is willing but unable to catch on thinks marriage is a failure.

The Mississippi is the only tideless river in the United States emptying into the ocean or Gulf of Mexico.

May heaven help the rich; the poor don't need gasoline.

"ANURIC!" NEWEST IN CHEMISTRY

This is a recent discovery of Doctor Pierce, head of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. Experiments for several years proved that there is no other eliminator of uric acid comparable. For those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation—as backache, scalding urine and frequent urination, as well as sediment in the urine, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, "Anuric" acts quickly. In rheumatism of the joints, in gravel and gout, invariably the pains and stiffness which so frequently and persistently accompany the disease rapidly disappear.

Send Dr. Pierce 10c for large trial package. Full treatment 50c. All druggists.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Austin. — Herbert Emery, 34 years old, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. Illness and financial trouble are supposed to have prompted the deed.

Duluth. — Jesse R. Hubbard, 45 years old, one of the best known railroad conductors of Northern Minnesota, died at St. Luke's hospital here following an operation.

St. Paul.—More than 1,000,000 hogs have been marketed at South St. Paul since January 1. This announcement has just been made. It breaks all records in the packing town.

Washington, D. C. — Congressman Lindbergh has notified Secretary of State Schmahl to file his name as a candidate for United States senator. Senator Clapp maintains his attitude of silence.

Owatonna. — Miss Winifred Hogan of Owatonna has been named valedictorian of the Pillsbury academy graduating class of 1916. Miss Esther Holcomb of Arlington, S. D., will be the salutatorian.

Brainerd.—The Brainerd Gas and Electric company has been incorporated for $100,000 by St. Cloud capitalists, with Brainerd as its principal place of business and St. Cloud as its principal branch office.

Rochester.—The twenty-sixth annual report of St. Mary's hospital, conducted by the Mayos, just issued, shows, 10,110 surgical operations were performed. The number of patients was 8,265. The death rate was 1.7 per cent.

Albert Lea.—The first spring seeding in Freeborn county was done in Bancroft township on the H. P. Hanson and Black's Seeds farms. Wheat, clover and oats were sown. The south wind of the past few days has taken all frost from the ground. Farmers say seeding will be general in a few days.

Bemidji. — Representatives of Beltrami, Polk, Red Lake, Clearwater, Pennington, Marshall and Kittson counties met here and formed the Northern Minnesota Jefferson Highway Assn. Daniel Shaw of Thief River Falls was elected president; E. M. Sathre of Bemidji, secretary; M. Jenson, Clear Brook, treasurer.

Hastings.—Hastings has gone dry. The licenses of fifteen saloons were revoked by the city council as a result of the recent option vote, and $2,326.26 was refunded to saloon-keepers. Squads in sympathy with the wets became hilarious until checked by the police force. Hastings will lose $7,500 in revenue annually by the town going dry.

Hutchinson. — Socialists of McLeod county will have an active organization this year. The campaign was opened with an address by J. O. Bentall of Cedar Mills, farmer candidate for governor on the Socialist ticket. Davis Haines and B. B. Farber were appointed a committee to organize the 100 or more Socialists of Hutchinson.

Winona. — The body of Peter B. Crogan, driver of the automobile that plunged from a submerged causeway across the Mississippi river from Winona, carrying four persons to death, has been recovered. The bodies of Mrs. Crogan and her 5-year-old daughter were taken from the water the day of the tragedy. The fourth body, that of a 2-year-old son, still is in the slough. A triple funeral for the bodies recovered was held at Ettrick, Wis., the home.

Chisholm.—A tragedy of the backwoods was revealed here when Gust Ruhonen, a Finish farmer living twenty miles north in the Sturgeon lake county, applied at an undertaking parlor for four coffins in which to bury his son and three daughters, who died within a week of scarlet fever. Heavy snows during the winter practically cut the family off from sources of supplies, and before highways could be reopened the children were weakened and suffering from lack of proper food.

St. Paul.—Success of efforts by W. G. Calderwood of the state prohibition committee to prevent railroad shipments of liquor into 31 towns named as being in the territory covered by the Indian treaty of 1863, is a matter of geography, M. L. Countryman, general counsel for the Great Northern, declared in St. Paul. "I presume Mr. Calderwood would not claim these towns are in the dry belt unless he felt quite sure of it, but we shall have to check them up. The railroads will try to live within the law."

Stillwater.—The prison doors at Stillwater have closed on Walter J. Smith and Robert C. Pickit and the two former state officials have begun indeterminate sentences for misuse of state funds. The state board of pardons denied their applications for pardons. The careful arrangements made to prevent the two men from meeting were almost upset. Although an hour and a half elapsed between the time Pickit left the county jail here and when Smith started for Stillwater the men arrived at the prison within a few minutes of each other.

Winona.—Legislative filings were started here when Vincent H. Firth of Lewiston and Charles Wolff of Richmond, farmers, announced themselves as candidates. Their district has been represented the past two terms by James Ferrier of Saratoga. It is said Mr. Ferrier may file.

Duluth.—R. D. [illegible], chief of police, has left for Boston. He will try to run down a much wanted forger for this department and while East will participate in a probate court fight which, it is believed, will result in his being declared one of the heirs to a very large estate.

STATE PRISON CAN GET ENOUGH SISAL

REPORTED CORNERING OF YUCATAN PRODUCT WILL NOT AFFECT TWINE OUTPUT.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

The reported cornering of the sisal product of Yucatan by the International Harvester company will not affect the price or output of twine at the state twine plant at Stillwater, C. J. Swendsen, chairman, and R. W. Wheelock, a member of the Board of Control, said in commenting on the proposed investigation of the sisal situation.

The state plant has manufactured 23,000,000 pounds of twine this year and has sold 18,000,000 pounds, and will have plenty to supply the farmers of the state for this harvest. The plant requires about 30,000 bales a year, and now has on hand enough to keep it in operation until fall.

Warden Reed, who was asked about the situation by Mr. Swendsen, said that he had been in communication with the Commission Reglardore, which controls the output of the Yucatan territory, and that he was convinced the state plant can get all of the sisal needed.

The prices quoted in a letter received recently were about the same as have prevailed for the past few months. Prices made farmers on this year's product are from 8¾ cents for sisal to 11½ cents for standard and 12½ cents for Manila.

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Clash Over Union Labor.

Trouble between the George J. Grant Construction company and the union crafts of the Twin Cities is threatened in connection with the erection of the new Historical building by the state. The controversy may inject itself into state politics before settlement is brought about.

A committee of thirty-five business agents called upon Governor Burnquist and told him that the Grant company is building the new Historical building with non-union labor.

R. F. Schroeder, assistant county attorney in Ramsey county and a member of the carpenter's union, acted as spokesman for the committee.

Governor Burnquist told them the contract had been let before he became Governor, but said he will give it his attention and confer with the board of control, which has charge of all public building work in the state. The committee left, apparently satisfied with this assurance.

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To Make Employment Survey.

An employment survey of Minnesota will be started this week under the direction of Hilda Mulhauser, recently appointed national organizer of Federal, state and city employment bureaus by W. B. Wilson, Secretary of Labor. Her arrival in the Twin Cities will depend on her completion of similar work in New York. Miss Mulhauser is a specialist on unemployment problems. She was responsible for the organization of the central employment bureau of Cleveland which has been such a success. She drew all free employment offices to one central head. One central bureau is expected in Minnesota. She will work with the commerce body's committee and the state department of labor.

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State Sells 1,544 Acres.

The State of Minnesota has sold 1,544 acres of land last week for which it has received $8,373. Sales were held at International Falls, Koochiching county, at which the state sold 685 acres, netting the state $3,426, and at Bemidji, Beltrami county, 686 acres were sold, netting $4,848.

Sales will be held this week at Grand Rapids, Itasca county, at Duluth, St. Louis county and at Aitkin, Aitkin County.

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Turritin To Sell Paper.

A. H. Turritin, state [illegible] of banks, is in possession of a country weekly newspaper which he expects to sell soon. The newspaper is the Osseo Review, which came into his hands in connection with the settlement of the affairs of the Osseo bank, operated by J. B. Thompson, and which caused Thompson to land in Stillwater penitentiary.

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Log House For U. Forestry Club.

On a site to be selected in St. Anthony Park near the campus of the State Agricultural college the Forestry club of the University of Minnesota will erect a log cabin which will be occupied as a club house.

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Schmahl to Accept Clapp Filing.

Secretary of State Schmahl's announcement that he would accept without question Senator Moses E. Clapp's filing for reelection as a Republican was not received with loud cheers by Republicans who stood by the ticket two and four years ago. Some of them threaten to take action to prevent the acceptance of the filing on the ground that he is not a Republican and has not supported the policies or the candidates of the Republican party that, on the contrary, he has denounced them.

For light, wholesome cakes, biscuits and pastry, use

K C Biscuit

K C BAKING POWDER

Always safe and reliable. If it isn't all we claim your grocer will refund your money.

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Extremes Meet.

"The brightest man in my class at college is now motorman on a street car."

"And how about the stupidest man? He's president of the road, I presume?"

"No, he's the conductor."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Verbose.

"Did De Boore have anything to say when the toastmaster called on him at the banquet?"

"No, and it took him nearly an hour to say it."

If you are not up and doing you will soon be down and done.

Convinced.

"I wasn't able to match that piece of goods for you," said hubby. "I tried six different stores, and they all told me they hadn't had anything like that in stock for five years."

"I knew that all the time," said wifie. "I just wanted to prove to you that my best dress is hopelessly out of style. You wouldn't believe it when I told you."

Nothing to Brag Of.

"He's been thirty-five years in the same position."

"He ought to be ashamed of himself."

Vaudeville Novelty.

"She sings in a glass tank."

"Ah, a diving diva."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00.—Adv.

Little Mistake.

An old gentleman of eighty-four having taken to the altar a young damsel of about fifteen the clergyman said to him:

"The font is at the other end of the church."

"What do I want with the font?" said the old gentleman.

"Oh, I beg your pardon," said the cleric. "I thought you had brought this child to be christened."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic. Adv.

Burglars!

"What did you do when you discovered there were burglars in the house?"

"My wife grabbed a rolling pin and crept softly through the hall, and I followed her."

"A case of 'safety first' for you, eh?"

"No, indeed! Safety second!"

His Choice.

"Six days or six dollars," said the judge sternly.

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Poor Percy.

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"Are there any exits?"

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If you want to sell or trade your farm, write to, or still better call on B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

Next Friday is Arbor Day, the day on which everyone is expected to plant one or more trees.

It will pay the farmers to use King drags this summer even if they are not hired to do so and cannot expect pay for it.

Friday May 5th. has been proclaimed Clean-Up Day by the Governor. All are urged to clean up as there is special need to do so to prevent fires.

Matters are becoming serious in Mexico and the U. S. army will paobably be recalled to prevent war with that country. The German government, has been sent word by President Wilson that unless they cease to make war on neutral and unarmed merchants vessels, that diplomatic relations will be severed.

The fees of the register of deeds last year are said to have been about $7500.00 and The Argyle Banner thinks that is a pretty fat salary, and that a special bill should be passed making the salary of that office not to exceed, $2000.00 It probably would'nt be hard to find a man for the office even at that price.

Notice!

Will stand my Stallion at J. Marty barn every Friday.— H. S. Williams, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Now is the time to clean and, test all kinds of seeds and get ready to treat for smut, potato scab, etc.

Farmers' Bulletin No. 507 gives simple methods and full directions treating seed grain for smut and it will be sent free to all for the asking, by the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

In Church Circles.

Rev. F. D. McMartin will hold services in the Free Mission church Monday evening April 24th.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. J. M. Swan, Saturday April 29th, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Rev. F. J. Seltz will conduct services in the German language, in Holt, on Easter Sunday afternoon. Holy Communion will also be celebrated.

The Ladies Aid of the Free Mission church will meet in the church basement Thursday April 27th. All members are to assist in entertaining. Everyone invited to attend.

Easter services next Sunday, April 23, Free Mission church at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and 8 in the evening, by Rev. M. T. Strom and Jens Bengaard of Fosston. They will also hold services at the same place to-morrow evening, Saturday April 22, at 8 o'clock.

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Read our new ads this week.

Our magazine offers are O. K.

Albin Knaut went to T. R. Falls Tuesday on business.

Jacob Nelson of Middle River was here Friday on business.

Sam Mickelson is putting steel siding on his hotel building.

William DeBoer of Crookston visited Joseph Nelson one day last week.

A few are trying to break in their autos this week; but the roads need dragging first with a good King drag.

Dr. Mellby was called Saturday to see Mrs. Edward Erickson who had been sick for a few days but is now better.

The Schwartz family returned on Wednesday for a short stay, being unable to get to Strathcona on account of the washout of a bridge.

There is considerable difference in the percentage or purity of Formaldehyde. One dealer may sell a 24 per cent and another a 48. In the treatment of small grains for smut twice as much of the 24 per cent would have to be used for each gallon of water, to get the results a 48 per cent Formaldehyde would give. Don't fail to treat seed for smut and keep the above in mind.

School Notes.

The attendance has been quite irregular this week on account of water.

Nels Engen, principal of the school at Boxvill was a visitor Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Miss Bertha Engebretson visited us Monday morning during the singing period.

We now have in the library "Pollyanna Grows Up." a sequel to the popular book "Pollyanna".

Corn and wheat have been studied the past two weeks by the seventh and eighth grades. Tests were also made for purity and germination.

The girls in the Domestic Science class visited the creamery last Thursday.

The boys have finished in their class, a cock shelf, a coat hanger, two towel rollers, several seed boxes, and have worked together to make a fly trap.

The Eight Grade.

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Dr. Turley will be here Monday.

Carl Christoferson went to T. R. Falls, Tuesday.

Mrs. T. O. Dovre was a passenger for Thief River Falls, Monday.

Ole Backlund went to Crookston on business one day last week.

Chas. Martell went to T. R. Falls Tuesday to consult a physician.

Mrs. R. Reierson and Amelia Olson went to Warren Tuesday.

Peter Kolden returned to his studies in the Ada high school Saturday.

Andrew Thoraldson of T. R. Falls was a business caller between trains Wednesday.

Miss Lillie Peterson came from T. R. Falls Wednesday to see her sister who has been sick for a few days.

Chas. Martell has traded his town property to B. Docken for the farm formerly owned by Ludwig Sagstuen.

Ed. Long went to Middle River Tuesday to prove up on his claim. E. E. Pechie and Olaf Dahl went along as witnesses.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Mar. 24, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Reno Boe of Germantown Minn., who on June 21, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05336, for NW1-4 Sec. 11, Township 155 N. Range 41 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the [illegible] day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson of Holt, Minn., Salve Tharaldson & Alex Magee both of Germantown, Minn., & Ole Kirklie of Goodridge, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

ESTATE OF SVEN H. JOHNSON

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall—In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sven H. Johnson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota To Britta Johnson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the Will of said decedent:

The petition of Britta Johnson being duly filed in this Court, representing that Sven H. Johnson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died on the 7th day of September 1916, leaving a last Will and Testament which is presented to this Court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last Will and Testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Britta Johnson,

Now Therefore, You, and each of you, are hereby citied and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of May 1916, at 11 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness The Honorable Peter H. Holm, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 15th day of April 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

Trouble.

"Are you coming when I call you, or is [illegible] the trouble?" [illegible] "I [illegible] papa," replied the tot, keeping out of reach.

Steiner

Mr. Werner lost a valuable horse last week.

Jerry Rogers made a trip to Thief River Falls Saturday.

A brother of Mr. Warring is spending a few days with the Warring family.

Peter Solem did business in this village one day last week.

J. Russell has been under the Drs. care the past week.

Excel school was closed for three days last week, because the water was so high the pupils could'ent get there.

Miss Inga Saugen returned from Thief River Falls hospital some time ago.

Renie Werner was dehorning cattle for some of the neighbors around here.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.07
Wheat No. 2	1.03
Wheat No. 3	.97
Wheat No. 4	.90
Flax	1.95
Oats	.35
Barley	47 to .52
Rye	.80
Flour, Best Patent	3.65

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Mar. 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Salmon Larson, of Holt, Minn., who on Nov. 30, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05764, for Northwest 1-4 Section 8 Township 155 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 1st day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Reno Boe, Salve Tharaldson & Alex Magee all of Germantown, Minn., & Ole Kirklie, of Goodridge, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. March 25, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Rudolph Dahl, of Golden Valley, Minn. who on Dec. 17. 1912 made Homestead Entry, No. 08724 for NE1-4 Sec. 35, Twp. 156 N., R. 41 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner, for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 10th day of May 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Tronsdahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Elling Tollefsrud, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Mar 29, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Ole Tronsdahl, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Nov. 21st. 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08641, for SW1-4, Sec. 26, Township 156 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Rudolph Dahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Elling Tollefsrud, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice!

Our magazine offers are for a limited time, only. Please call and take advantage of these very liberal offers before it is too late. Good for both old and new subscribers, everyone treated alike. A good offer.

H. B. Young, Editor.

Miss Betsy Monson returned home from T. R. Falls, Tuesday.

Hjalmer Peterson is working for Joe Marty on the dray and livery line.

Easter services, Mission church, next Monday evening conducted by Rev. McMartin.

C. L. Sanberg is having the cement work done in the basement of his house, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Swan and two children visited in Thief River Falls Friday and Saturday.

Clarence Kolden returned Tuesday from South St. Paul, where he had been with a car of cattle for his father.

B. O. Reierson bought a quarter of an acre of land of Mrs. T. T. Solbom Tuesday and will soon build a residence there on.

A force of workman came Saturday to put up the building and tanks of the oil station for the Standard Oil Co., on the G N. right of away.

This would be a good time to take advantage of our magazine offers as we are now in a position to save you some money- all kinds of magazines.

Ole O. Johnson came over from Newfolden yesterday and will commence working for the Holt Merc. Co., Monday. All are glad to see Ole's smiling face and welcome him back to Holt.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

Local Items

Mrs. A. H. Huseth was a passenger for T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Dr. J. T. Turley, the dentist, will be in Holt, Thursday, May 11th.

WANTED: Baled flax straw at $6.00 a ton. B. L. Backe, Holt,

S. C. Thompson returned Wednesday from several days visit at Halstad.

Tom Larson came Sunday to visit at the home of his sister Mrs. C. L. Sanberg.

Emil Simenson went to Reynolds, N. D., Friday, where he will hold meetings.

Rev. G. O. Parish will preach in the Mission church next Tuesday evening May 2nd.

Mrs. Willie Werner of T. R. Falls came Wednesday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Peterson.

Paul Olson has commenced work on the basement for his new house which he will build soon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and son Adrian visited relatives in Thief River Falls, the latter part of last week.

P. O. Rierson went to Thief River Falls Friday for a short visit with his son and daughter, returning home Monday.

Dr. Robert Spinks and wife of Remer, visited at the home of her sister Mrs. B. Docken, between trains, Tuesday.

Sevenke Sevenkeson went to T. R. Falls, Saturday with his brother, Martin, who was on his way home in Prince Albert, Canada.

Rev. M. T. Strom went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to visit his daughter Mrs. Larson and his son Christ, the latter being sick in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Payne and family left Saturday for Nielsville. A big crowd was at the depot to bid them good-bye and wish them happiness and prosperity.

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Magazines for home and farm in our different clubs.

Knute Knutson of Hendrum visited over Sunday with R. Reierson.

Ed. Knutson went to T. R. Falls Wednesday to have dental work done.

Dr. R L. Olson is having his barn painted. Diedrick Nyberg is doing the work.

Mrs. T. O. Saastad went to Neilsville Tuesday for a few days visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] of near Newfolden visited Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Engebretson [illegible]

The [illegible] car of [illegible] and their [illegible] house [illegible]

[illegible] P. O. Rierson [illegible] build [illegible]

School Notes.

Last Friday being Good Friday there was no school.

Miss Minnie Heinze visited school last Monday.

Lillian, Edna, and Ester Payne left our school last week having moved to Nielsville, Minn.

Friday April 28th. Arbor Day and Bird Day will be observed.

Ida Kjelgren returned to school Monday after a long absence caused by sickness.

Last Thursday afternoon Miss Saastad's classes enjoyed an Easter egg hunt. All seemed to be well supplied with candy eggs.

The Eighth Grade.

Almost every town in Northern Minnesota is after the Jefferson highway and Holt should'nt be behind the others. Bro. Wilson of The Newfolden Review is one of the committee from Marshall county and he suggests that these two towns work together for the road. The main travelled road north from Thief River Falls comes through Holt, and three miles north of here there is a grade on the road to Newfolden, which is the route suggested. Holt needs this road and wants it too and the commercial club have gone after it with hammer and tongs. Each one is expected to do their part in getting this road for Holt.

Sell Your Farm
If you want to sell or trade your farm
Call on or write to
B. Docken
Holt - Minn.

A fine horse at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

M. Grondahl attended the hearing of the county board on ditch No. 25, in Warren last week.

American troops are soon to have a great war game at Panama. The purpose is to give them practice in defending the Canal as they might have to do in case of war.

In the first eight months of the present fiscal year, American exports increased by one billion dollars over the huge figures of last year. In the same time imports increased by a quarter of a billion

The high water is said by the older settlers to have been the highest for twenty years. The river east of here would rank among the largest in the world and only a few of the Mud Lake squatters can stay on their claims. The bridge across the Thief River was barely passable for a while and the grade this side was covered with water two to three feet deep, but this won't last long.

Listen to what Herman Rosenfield, advertising manager of Sears, Roebuck Co. recently told the members of the American Ad Club at a convention: "We have a bureau whose duty it is to read each week the country newspapers from all over the country. There is no paper of any consequence in our trade territory that our bureau does not get. This bureau [illegible] over the papers and when we find a town where the merchants [illegible] advertising in the local papers we immediately flood the territory with our literature. It always [illegible] of the [illegible] territory where the [illegible] their local [illegible]

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[illegible] work [illegible] and repaired or made [illegible] to you. [illegible]

[illegible] Extracted [illegible]

[illegible] Plates [illegible]

[illegible] News

Defective Page

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Drink a glass of real hot water before breakfast to wash out poisons.

Life is not merely to live, but to live well, eat well, digest well, work well, sleep well, look well. What a glorious condition to attain, and yet how very easy it is if one will only adopt the morning inside bath.

Folks who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when they arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the water and phosphate is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatism; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from any store that handles drugs which will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.—Adv.

The Difficulty.

"Do you think the nations are really going to get a decision at Verdun?"

"Don't know; too many outsiders umpiring the game."

ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE DOES IT
When your shoes pinch or your corns and bunions ache, get Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into shoes and used in foot-bath. Gives instant relief to Tired, Aching, Swollen feet. Over 100,000 packages are being used by the troops at the front. Sold everywhere, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Adv.

When a fool is unable to disprove the assertions of a wise man he can at least call him an idiot.

SPEAKS UP FOR CANADA

And No Wonder—Renting His Land He Made $8.50 Per Acre.

So many Americans now have personal knowledge of Canada that false reports concerning this country are being continually corrected by Americans themselves who know the facts, and who are too fair-minded to let a false statement go unchallenged. A case in point arises out of a statement supposed to be made by a resident of Alberta, and published recently in the Spokesman Review, of Spokane, in which the condition of settlers in this country was painted in a very bad way indeed. The writer of this attack on Canada refused to let his name be known, so it can be taken for what it is worth, but Mr. S. L. Wallace, of N 4723 Crestline, Spokane, who lived for some years in Western Canada, came to the defense of the country in the following letter which was published in the Spokesman Review of February 11, 1916:—

"To the Editor of the Spokesman Review:

"In Sunday's Spokesman Review was a letter from a man in Alberta to the chamber of commerce, asking that something be done to keep Americans from going to Canada and saying that that government was run by the railroads, banks and manufacturers; that once a man got there he never could get away. Had this man published that letter over his own signature there is no doubt but he could get out of Canada.

No country will do as much to help a man to get on his feet if he tries to help himself, as Canada. I know of the government helping people to provisions, feed, seed grain and fuel, and charging only cost of delivery to the nearest town and 6 per cent. What more could a man ask?

I lived five years in Southern Saskatchewan and earned a patent to 320 acres of as good land as I ever saw. I have raised over 80 bushels of oats on sod, 40 bushels of wheat, and 20 of flax to the acre. Until I lost my health I never was better satisfied anywhere. I had my land rented this last year for one-third. It brought me almost $8.50 per acre, or $1,143.91 for 135 acres.

This man says he loves the land his fathers died for. So do I, and I love the land that gave me my home.

"S. L. WALLACE."

N4723 Crestline, Spokane.—Advertisement.

Princess Christian's favorite pastime is hat trimming.

STATE BREVITIES

Plainview. — An echo of the war in Europe was heard in Plainview when James Lamphrey, after worrying over the safety of three of his boys, shot himself to death.

Hibbing.—The rising waters of the Sturgeon and Little Forks rivers have caused thousands of dollars damage to the townships, officials of the Bear river country say.

Faribault. — Sidney, 4 years old, the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hampton of this city, has been killed by being run over by an automobile driven by Mr. Lemke of Northfield.

Long Prairie.—After making a $2500 bet that William E. Lee would be the next Governor of Minnesota, Henry Andre, well known in local political circles, has decided to file for the nomination himself.

Winona. — Fully 20 per cent reduction in the acreage of corn in Southeastern Minnesota is predicted by E. J. Heim, member of the county board of commissioners of this county and leading farmer.

Duluth.—The first steamer to leave this harbor for 1916 was the Briton of the Massey Steamship company, which has just departed. It goes light to Port Arthur and Fort William for screenings for Duluth.

Owatonna. — Preparations are being made here for the annual convention of the 1916 meeting of the Minnesota Music Teachers' association, June 27, 28 and 29. Three to four hundred teachers are expected.

Brainerd — The Gull Lake Outing club property on Gull lake has been sold by Fred B. Lynch of St. Paul, Democratic national committeeman, to James M. Elder of Brainerd. The grounds embrace sixty-five acres.

Crookston. — Joseph A. Wessel of Crookston has assumed the office of United States marshal, the affairs being formally turned over to him by William H. Grimshaw of Minneapolis, who has held the office for seventeen years.

Owatonna.—The Commercial club is fostering a movement for the formation of a "365-Day Road Club" modeled after the club established last year at Carthage, Missouri, and which has made wonderful progress in road building.

Minneapolis.—No fewer than 11,477 pieces of mail have gone out of the offices of the Shriners' campaign committee within the last fortnight to Minneapolis business men to call their attention to "May 3, Minneapolis' $100,000 Day."

St. Paul.—Commissions have been issued to seventeen young men who have been elected to office in the Minnesota naval militia. Fred B. Wood, adjutant general, has announced. The commissions are isued following examinations by the navy department.

Minneapolis. — A wireless news report of a fire at New Prague, Minn., 50 miles from Minneapolis, was received here late yesterday. The report came over the Minnesota Wireless association's aerial at the courthouse and was received by Vernon Kenyon, assistant station operator.

St. Cloud.—The high school strike is over and the school again has a senior class in good standing. After returning the property that had been taken and repairing the damage caused by the efforts of the seniors to place their colors on the cupola of the building, the members were allowed to return.

Duluth.—N. F. Hugo of Duluth, lieutenant commander of the Minnesota naval militia, has returned home after two months of "peace fighting" with the American Atlantic fleet in Cuban waters. His experience, he declared, will be used in whipping into shape the green tars on the Topeka, Minnesota's new training ship, which will replace the Gopher.

St. Paul.—A project for reclaiming hundreds of thousands of acres of land in Northern Minnesota, mostly included in the counties of Hubbard, Itasca, Koochiching and Beltrami, has been suggested by A. L. Crocker of Minneapolis, F. W. Sardeson of the United States geological survey, and M. G. Barnes, a New York expert, who is in St. Paul to make a river and harbor survey.

Winona.—Ernest Smith, 35 years old, is believed to be dying in the Winona hospital as a result of having been impaled upon the handle of a pitchfork. Smith was adjusting a hay fork on the second floor of his barn on a farm near St. Charles. He lost his balance and pitched out of a doorway. The fork was upright on the ground and it penetrated his body several inches.

St. Paul. — Walter J. Smith, former state treasurer, is a patient in the tuberculosis ward at the state penitentiary at Stillwater. Dr. G. A. Newman, prison physician, has notified Warden G. S. Reed the prisoner is unable to work. "Dr. Newman learned Smith's condition when he examined him preparatory to his assignment to work in one of the prison's departments," Warden Reed said. "He ordered Smith taken to the tuberculosis ward for treatment."

Winona. — Two more lives have been sacrificed in the high waters of the Mississippi river. Within 300 feet of where four members of the Crogan family perished a short time ago, Josephine Wieczorek, 21 years old, and Theodosia Wieczorek, her sister, 19, were drowned.

Minneapolis.—A campaign to make the Minnesota forest parks the playgrounds of the country and prove that they are the equal of any forest parks in the world, will be worked out by the Minnesota State Forestry association at its annual meeting in Minneapolis, this month.

FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

Gold, silver and paper money and all negotiable instruments and realizable securities have been placed on the contraband list by Great Britain.

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German losses to date total 2,730,917, London newspapers figure, by adding the German official casualty lists. Of these 681,437 have been killed.

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A successful attack by four German aeroplanes on a Russian aviation station on Oesel island at the entrance to the Gulf of Riga, is announced in an official statement given out in Berlin.

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At a meeting of the lord mayors of the German cities held in Berlin, a manifesto was issued in order to organize properly the distribution of victuals in the course of next winter, the third year of the war.

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The United States is disposed to consider that Germany, in the latest submarine note, virtually has admitted one of its submarines is guilty of torpedoing the channel steamer Sussex.

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Forty-two Danish ships, valued at 11,000,000 kroner, the cargoes of which were valued at 20,000,000 kroner, have been destroyed by submarines and mines during the war. Eighty-seven men have been killed.

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An attempt to held a non-conscription and peace meeting in Trafalgar Square in London was unceremoniously broken up by thousands of persons who charged and dispersed the meeting and tore up the banners and flags.

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A statement issued by the German admiralty under date of April 13, says that in the month of March eighty trading vessels belonging to hostile countries, with an aggregate tonnage of 207,000, were sunk by German submarines or mines.

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Robert Patterson Houston, unionist member of the British parliament declared that the scarcity of shipping is becoming a serious problem in England. He estimates that since the beginning of the war, ocean-going British vessels of 3,000,000 tons have been lost from all causes.

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William Willard Howard of New York, secretary of the Albanian relief committee, announced in Paris that 150,000 persons had died of starvation in Albania during the last eighteen months, and that 500,000 more were likely to die before normal condition in that country were resumed.

GENERAL.

More than 19,000 United States soldiers are guarding the Mexican border from Brownsville, Tex., to San Diego, Cal.

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Because 10,000 women of a London suburb have taken to munition factories, about forty laundries have closed since the beginning of war.

Dr. Eugene Hurd, until recently the only American surgeon at the front with Russian soldiers, has performed more than 3,000 operations near the battle line.

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A band of Villistas numbering several hundred sacked Sierra Mojada, five miles across the Coahuila line and eighty miles east of Jiminez, destroying many thousands of dollars' worth of property and looting the town of everything of value.

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Four men charged with complicity in manufacturing "fire bombs" which were placed aboard ships carrying munitions and supplies to the entente allies, were arrested in New York. Three of the suspects are employes of German steamship lines.

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A nationwide photographic contest in the interest of the "Good Roads Everywhere" movement, with cash prizes of $2,600 open to everybody, is announced at National Highway association headquarters at Washington.

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Former President William H. Taft, president of the league to enforce peace, has invited the Commercial club to Omaha to send delegates to the national convention of the league in Washington, May 26 and 27.

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An aerial scenic tramway, [illegible] long, built exclusively for transporting passengers across the Whirlpool has been almost completed at Niagara Falls, One. It is one of the longest and probably the safest, aerial cableway in the world.

Richard Harding Davis, author and war correspondent, died at his home at Mount Kisco, N. Y., from heart trouble.

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The Topeka State Journal, Taft supporter in 1912, announces it will support Colonel Roosevelt for the republican nomination for president.

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Chicago's milk strike ended in a victory for the farmers. Only one company, the Bowman concern, failed to sign the new scale, and its plant was burned. As a result the retail price of milk in Chicago is now 9 cents a quart.

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The Mexican government will insist that any armed expedition of the United States which enters Mexican territory in the guise of a punitive expedition must be limited to 1,000 men of one service alone, according to a statement made by Juan Neftali Amador, substitute secretary of foreign relations, at Mexico City.

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"Wild Bob" Burman died at Riverside, Calif., from injuries received when his automobile turned over as he speeded 100 miles an hour in the road race at Corona. Fifteen were injured as a result of the accident, several of whom are expected to die. Burman's skull was fractured, several ribs crushed and both legs broken in several places.

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Approximately $200,000, consisting of four packages of federal reserve notes and one package of jewelry, was the loot taken by James Moran, alias A. G. Maggs, and three companions from a mail truck in New York, February 26, according to a confession which the federal officers said the prisoner made in Los Angeles, Cal.

SPORTING.

Jim Coffey, the Dublin Giant, knocked out Geyer of Denver, in the fifth round of a ten-round match in New York.

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Purses and stakes amounting to $42,000 are offered by the New York State Fair commission at the meeting of the Grand Circuit in Syracuse next September.

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Jack Dillon of Indianapolis, light-heavyweight, easily outpointed Billy Miske of St. Paul in a ten-round, no-decision fight in Minneapolis in the opinion of a majority of newspaper reporters at the ringside.

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Bill Edwards of Kansas City, middleweight wrestling champion of Iowa, Kansas and Missouri, won from Tommy Burns of Omaha at Kansas City. Edwards got the first fall in twenty minutes and the second in eight.

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Herbert Vollmer of the New York Athletic club made a new world's record in winning the 220-yard national American Athletic union swimming championship in that city, the time being 2:23 2-5.

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Baron Pierre de Coubertin, president of the international Olympic games committee, stated in Paris recently that though there will be no Olympic games in 1916 or during the war, that preparations for the games in 1920 are being made so far as possible.

WASHINGTON

General Carranza, in a note to the United States government, asks for the withdrawal of American troops from Mexico.

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The annual river and harbor appropriation bill carrying $40,000,000 passed the house by a vote of 210 to 133, with every item as agreed on in committee unchanged.

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The United States attorney general has ruled that the federal reserve board cannot change the location of a federal reserve bank.

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A national defense commission, a navy general staff and an immediate increase in the navy were adopted at the annual convention of the Navy League of the United States.

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A survey of the Missouri river from Florence, Neb., to Decatur, Neb., is provided for by the river and harbor bill, as it passed the house, carrying $40,000,000 $50,000,000 for improvement from Kansas City to Sioux City with $25,000 on revetment work.

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A report issued by the comptroller of the currency on conditions of the country's finances on March 7, show that total resources of national banks was $13,338,000,000, an increase of $2,271,000,000, or 20 per cent, within a year. Total deposits were $10,790,000,000, an increase of $2,198,000,000, or nearly 25 per cent within a yeara, or an increase of $411,000,000 since December 31, last.

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More enlisted men are in active service in the navy now than ever before in the country's history, Secretary Daniels announced just recently that the personnel for the first time had reached the 54,000 mark.

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Champions of a government [illegible] electric plant to produce nitrates for the manufacture of war munitions and fertilizer won their fight in the senate by inserting an amendment proposing an appropriation of $15,000,000 for that purpose into the Chamberlain army increase bill.

HALF OF FIRES OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN

MYSTERIOUS BLAZES CAUSE HEAVY LOSSES MARSHAL'S REPORT SHOWS.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Practically half of the fires of Minnesota are from unknown origin, according to the annual report of Robert W. Hargadine, state fire marshal. The fire loss in the state in 1915 was $4,722,925, and the loss from 640 fires of unknown origin was $2,319,602. Smokers' carelessness caused 111 blazes last year. The property burned because of the combination of rat-and-match caused a loss of $23,935. Defective flues were responsible for a loss of $164,180, and children and matches combined, caused eighty-two fires and a property loss of $50,000.

Mr. Hargadine in his report recommends that the law be amended to give the state fire marshal more authority to regulate motion picture shows, to prohibit the use of buildings in which occupancy is hazardous and to provide a state building code and to extend the term of the fire marshal to six years.

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Frauds Affect School Funds.

Prosecutions will be brought against anybody contributing to the looting of state timber lands, State Auditor J. A. O. Preus said in a statement issued upon his return from Washington, D. C. He was suffering from an attack of appendicitis and gave out the statement from the bedside at his home. "The state has $12,000,000 or $15,000,000 worth of timber still standing on state lands, the proceeds of which are intended for the school fund," said Mr. Preus." "Anyone, be he an employee of the state, a logging contractor of a lumberman, who for selfish purposes and greed is willing to dip his hand into this fund, shall be dealt with according to his deserts. It shall be to the interest of the state that not one stick of timber shall be pilfered."

Oscar Arneson, who recently investigated alleged timber irregularities, conferred with Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith on legal aspects of the situation. His report has been submitted to the timber board.

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Risk Firms Report Gains.

Statistics compiled by S. D. Works, state insurance commissioner, show that the year 1915 was an excellent one for the Township Fire Insurance companies of Minnesota. He has just completed a report of the figures for the year ending December 31. The assets of these companies at the end of the year were $490,149.06, a gain of $89,262.02 for the year.

The insurance in force December 31 was $399,390,209.95, whereas the amount in force one year previous was $372,633,197.03, showing a gain for the year of $26,757,012.87.

The number of policies in force December 31, 1915, was 172,467, as against 165,485 at the end of December, 1914, a gain of 6,982 for the year.

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Favors Road Bond Plan.

"The issue of highway bonds is coming to be looked upon as the best method of raising funds for road construction," declared George W. Cooley, secretary and state engineer of the Minnesota Highway commission, in speaking of Winona county's issue of $500,000 in road bonds and the proposal of County Commissioner Cook of Hennepin county to raise $2,000,000 for better highways in the same way.

"Experience has proved that a steady supply of money, which is necessary to good road work, cannot be obtained by annual tax levies," said Mr. Cooley. "Bond issues form the method adopted by nearly half of the counties in the United States."

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Advises Use of Bulk Seed.

Package lawn-grass seed is [illegible] worthless, the state seed laboratory at university farm has found. Much attention has been given this spring to testing samples of grass seed and the results of the tests this year added to those previously made have formed the basis for the almost wholesale condemnation of package grass seeds. On the other hand, the seeds carried in bulk lots by most Minnesota dealers have been found generally good.

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To Improve State Hospital.

The State Board of Control, following a visit to the state hospital for the insane at Fergus Falls, said it will ask the 1917 Legislature for appropriations of $75,000 for improvements at the institution. The board plans to erect a building for tubercular men.

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Smith Seeks Re-Election.

Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith has filed as a candidate for re-election on the Republican ticket. He is the first candidate to file. It is probable that no opposition will develop in his own party. Mr. Smith said he had delayed filing because he was not sure that he desired re-election. He said friends advised that in their belief the people of the state desired him to remain in the position. Rumor had connected his name as a possible opponent to Justice Albert Schaller of the supreme court.

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A North Dakota Case

Every Picture Tells a Story

Mrs. C. J. Tyler, Lando, N. D., says: "One failure followed another in my attempts to get relief from kidney complaint. My feet and limbs were swollen and I didn't sleep more than two or three hours at night. Mornings, I was tired and weak and my back was extremely lame. If I stooped or moved quickly, sharp twinges darted through me. Doan's Kidney Pills corrected all these ailments and made my health fine. When I have taken them since, they have always benefited me."

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HUSBAND OBJECTS TO OPERATION

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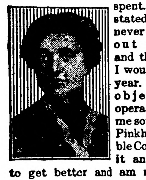

Des Moines, Iowa.—"Four years ago I was very sick and my life was nearly spent. The doctors stated that I would never get well without an operation and that without it I would not live one year. My husband objected to any operation and got me some of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and commenced to get better and am now well, am stout and able to do my own housework. I can recommend the Vegetable Compound to any woman who is sick and run down as a wonderful strength and health restorer. My husband says I would have been in my grave ere this if it had not been for your Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. BLANCHE JEFFERSON, 703 Lyon St., Des Moines, Iowa.

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Soulful Samuel Slopper, the would-be poet, was interviewing his landlord.

"Of course, the whole place wants doing throughout," sighed Sammy. "The wall paper interferes badly with my courting of the evanescent muse, while the color of the paint jars dreadfully with the gladsome visions I fain would summon in poetic rhapsody."

The landlord grinned.

"But I surely must insist," went on Samuel, speaking severely, "upon the doors and windows being attended to. They fit so badly that the draft actually blows my hair about!"

The landlord seized the golden moment to get his own back.

"Humph!" he snorted. "That's easily put right. Get your hair cut."

Unhappy Memories.

"This author reads from his works with a great deal of feeling."

"I noticed that. I don't suppose there is a single one of the poems he read to us that hasn't been turned down by editors at least a dozen times."

Accent on the Box.

"John," said his wife, "wasn't that a good box of cigars I gave you for a birthday present?"

"As a matter of fact, my dear," replied her husband, "I never saw a better box."

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GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.

When preparing cranberry sauce try this combination, to be served when cranberries are out of season. Add a cupful of seeded raisins to a quart of cranberries that have been cooked and rubbed through a sieve. Cook five minutes after adding the raisins, then turn into a mold and chill.

Graham Cookies.—Take a beaten egg, add a cupful of sugar, a tablespoonful of butter, a teaspoonful of cinnamon, one cupful of sour milk, or buttermilk, one teaspoonful of soda, two cupfuls of graham flour and a cupful of chopped raisins. Drop on a greased pan and bake in a moderate oven.

Maple Walnut Dessert. — Dissolve one package of peach or orange gelatin in half a pint of boiling water. Add a half pint (one cupful) of maple sirup and when nearly cold a cupful of walnut meats, cut rather fine. Set away to harden and serve with whipped cream.

Berlin Cabbage.—Slice red cabbage very thin; let stand an hour in cold water to crisp. Drain and put into a saucepan, using two tablespoonfuls of butter, a half teaspoonful of salt and one tablespoonful of chopped onion, a grating of nutmeg and a dash of pepper for each quart of cabbage. Cook until the cabbage is tender, then add two tablespoonfuls of vinegar, half a tablespoonful of sugar; cook five minutes and it is ready to serve.

Amber Marmalade.—Now is the time to prepare this delicious concoction. Cut in thin slices one grapefruit, orange, and lemon, cover with twelve cupfuls of cold water, let stand over night. Cook until the peel is very tender, four or five hours, let stand again over night, then add ten cupfuls of sugar and cook until thick.

Success doesn't consist in never making blunders, but in never making the same one twice.

The worse a reputation the harder it is to lose.

DISHES DAINTY AND DELICIOUS.

When serving a fruit cocktail of grapefruit, for example, use a French dressing combined with a mayonnaise, seasoning with paprika, tabasco sauce and chili sauce, and adding enough mayonnaise dressing to give the sauce a thick consistency.

Apple and Bermuda Onion Salad.—Cut in small dice two or three cupfuls of apples of good flavor, add a third as much of finely diced onion and a mayonnaise or any good boiled dressing. Celery may be added if liked, using the same amount of celery as onion. This is a salad particularly well liked, served with a pork roast or with chops.

Apple and Raisin Salad.—Pare and cut into small dice three choice apples, squeeze over them the juice of a lemon and add a cupful of raisins that have been soaked over night in orange juice, a cupful of the tender hearts of celery cut in small pieces, season with salt and paprika and pour over a well prepared French dressing. Serve on blanched lettuce well chilled.

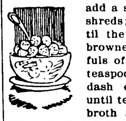
Plum and Cheese Salad.—Select choice canned greengage plums. Drain and dry them and cut open from the stem to the blossom end on one side, removing the stones. Chop fine a dozen pecan meats and half a pimento, rinsed in cold water and dried; beat these into a cream cheese adding cream if more moisture is needed, a little olive oil and lemon juice, any one, or a mixture of the three. Shape the cheese into balls and fill each plum with a small ball of cheese. Arrange the cheese balls and the plums in a nest of heart leaves of lettuce and serve with French dressing.

Crab Cocktail.—Take a half cupful of mayonnaise, a third of a cupful of catchup, a third of a cupful of olives, shredded, a stalk of celery, cut fine, and a can of crab meat. Mix and chill and serve in green peppers or in cocktail glasses.

Care should be taken when serving delicately flavored fruits not to overseason the salad dressing and thus destroy the flavor of the fruit.

All things come to him who waits
But here's a rule that's slicker,
The man who goes for what he wants
Will get it all the quicker.

SEASONABLE DISHES.



Brown a cupful of well washed rice in two tablespoonfuls of butter, then add a small onion cut in shreds; stir and cook until the onion is slightly browned; add two cupfuls of hot broth, half a teaspoonful of salt and a dash of paprika; cook until tender, adding more broth as it is needed. When done add two tablespoonfuls of sausage fat and two canned pimentos cut in bits. Turn out on a platter and surround with cooked pork sausages.

Calf's Liver en Casserole.—Fry five slices of fat salt pork until brown. Add to the hot fat one dozen potato balls, one dozen carrot balls, one stalk of celery, six onions sliced. Cook very slowly for ten minutes, then place in the casserole. Cut in thin slices a liver and lay it on top of the vegetables. Season with salt and pepper, add a pint of boiling water and a tablespoonful of kitchen bouquet. Cool one hour.

Goette.—Boil two pounds of flank beef until tender, then put it through the meat grinder. Put into the liquid left from boiling the meat one pound of coarse oatmeal; cook thirty minutes then mix it with the meat; season with pepper and salt and pour into a mold to cool. Cut in slices and fry brown. This is a dish similar to scrapple and is served with or without sirup.

Rice With Orange Marmalade.—Cook rice in milk and season well, then mold in a ring mold. When ready to serve fill the center of the mold with orange marmalade. This combination is especially good when served with whipped cream, sweetened and flavored with grated orange rind.

Philadelphia Scrapple.—Cook a pig's head in boiling water until the flesh slips from the bones; chop the meat fine. Remove the fat from the liquid when cold and reheat the liquid to the boiling point, adding a teaspoonful of salt for each quart of liquid with pepper to taste; sift in carefully, stirring constantly, cornmeal, to the consistency of mush. Let it boil vigorously for a few minutes then cook more slowly for half an hour. At the last stir in the meat and turn into pans to cool. Cut in slices a half inch thick and fry brown. Serve hot for breakfast.

Among all the basic principles of economic life, none is more vital than this—that every able-bodied adult should have a job; that he should work at the thing for which he is best fitted, and that he should be paid the full value for what he produces.—Scott Nearing.

MORE RICE DISHES

In America, rice is more commonly used as a dessert than as an entree. The wholesome dishes in combination with other foods are legion.

Rice Czarina.—Butter a baking dish and put a layer of boiled rice in the bottom. Over this sprinkle fine chopped fresh tomatoes, season with salt and pepper and dot with butter; place another layer of rice somewhat thinner, and over this spread finely-chopped green peppers and so alternate the tomatoes, peppers and rice until the dish is full, having a layer of rice on top. Pour two tablespoonfuls of melted butter over all, cover and cook in a slow oven 20 minutes.

Belgian Rice Dessert.—Add a half cupful of boiled rice to a pint of hot milk and a half cupful of currants, stir in the yolks of two eggs well beaten and two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Remove from the fire, add a teaspoonful of vanilla and form into croquettes. Roll in egg and crumbs and fry a golden brown. Serve with currant jelly and roll the croquettes in powdered sugar.

Rice Creole Style.—Chop fine one onion and two green peppers, saute with half a cupful of raw ham, shredded fine, in a fourth of a cupful of butter, cook ten minutes, then add a cupful of cooked rice and three cupfuls of broth, simmer 20 minutes and add four sliced tomatoes and a teaspoonful of salt. Cover and cook slowly in the oven or in a double boiler.

Nellie Maxwell

Japanese Proverbs.

Proverbs have great influence with the Japanese in their daily lives, according to a writer in the Christian Register. Among their countless adages these with their English equivalents are quoted: "Some insects feed upon smartweed" (There is no accounting for tastes). "If in a hurry, go round" (The more haste, the less speed). "Live under your own hat" (Let well enough alone.) "The mouth is the front gate to misfortune" (The tongue is a fire, a world of iniquity).

Considerate Statesman.

"Of course you have your own ideas about what the government ought to do in a crisis." "Yes. But I'm not saying anything. Maybe the government will have to act so promptly there won't be time to listen to all the speeches I could make on the subject."—Washington Star.

Goes Too Far.

Any man who can laugh [illegible] doubtless is too hypocritical to be a desirable acquaintance.

ASKS FOR AN EARLY REPLY TO DEMAND U. S. QUIT MEXICO

CARRANZA REQUEST BELIEVED MADE DIRECTLY THROUGH THE AMERICAN SPECIAL AGENT AT MEXICO CITY.

FUNSTON HEARS VILLA IS SLIGHTLY WOUNDED

American Military Authorities Receive Information That Outlaw Has Not Crossed Durango-Chihuahua Line—Clash Narrowly Averted, Report.

Washington, April 25.—General Carranza has asked for an early reply to his note of April 12 suggesting that American troops be recalled from Mexico.

This has been learned officially in connection with the fact that Eliseo Arredondo, Mexican ambassador-designate, sought an interview with Secretary Lansing. State department officials declined to discuss the matter.

Request Made Directly.

The Mexican embassy stated that the request had not been transmitted through Mr. Arredondo so far as known there. It is understood to have been made directly by General Carranza through Special Agent Rodgers at Mexico City. A reply also would be sent through Mr. Rodgers.

Confirmation of the capture by Carranza troops of Pablo Lopez, Villa's chief leutenant, has reached the state department from Consul Letcher at Chihuahua. The message said Lopez was being held in jail there until American officials or army officers could talk to him and satisfy themselves of his identity.

Villa Slightly Wounded.

San Antonio, Texas, April 25.—Advices locating Pancho Villa were received by Major General Funston as Chief of Staff Scott was preparing, it was believed, to leave for the border to confer with Carranza War Minister Obregon.

Funston announced the receipt of a detailed report, the most thorough since the chase began, stating that the bandit leader was slightly wounded.

Has Not Crossed Durango Line.

American military authorities obtained reliable information that Villa has not crossed the Durango-Chihuahua line. When closely followed by American columns in the Hidalgo district, in the vicinity of Parral, with a small band of men, he turned westward to the Sierra Madre mountains.

Clash Narrowly Averted.

General Pershing's headquarters, Namiquipa, Mex., April 25 (via wireless to Columbus, N. M.)—A narrowly averted clash between Carranza soldiers and Major Howze's flying detachment of the Eleventh cavalry was disclosed for the first time when a column arrived here after several days' campaign. The Carranza garrison at San Borja under General Cavias was formed for a charge against the United States soldiers who were drawn up to repel them when Major Howze rode in between the forces, waving his hat. The mission of the expedition was explained to the Carranzistas and trouble avoided, Major Howze withdrawing his men from the town.

LYNCH TO MANAGE CAMPAIGN

To Succeed W. F. McCombs as Chairman Is Report.

St. Paul, April 25.—Fred B. Lynch of St. Paul will be the next chairman of the democratic national committee and will manage President Wilson's campaign for re-election, it has been announced in Washington by J. P. Tumulty, secretary to the president. The announcement was made immediately following receipt of a letter by the president from W. F. McCombs, present chairman and manager of the 1912 campaign, saying that he will be unable to serve after the coming convention at St. Louis. A new law partnership which will take all his time, is given by Mr. McCombs as his reason for retirement. President Wilson sent a letter expressing regret at Mr. McCombs' decision.

DENOUNCE YUAN SHAI KAI

Chinese National Assembly Meets at Shanghai.

Shanghai, April 25.—Two hundred and sixteen members of the national assembly met here and unanimously adopted a resolution denouncing President Yuan Shai Kai's mandate creating a constitutional cabinet and refusing to accept any solution of the political situation that included Yuan Shi Kai as president.

Specimens 7,000 Years Old Found.

Philadelphia, April 25.—Valuable archeological specimens ranging from the second dynasty to the Byzantine empire (5500 B. C. to 500 A. D.) have been unearthed at Dendereh, according to reports received by the University of Pennsylvania from Dr. Clarence S. Fisher, director of the university's Egyptian expedition. One of the most remarkable specimens Dr. Fisher states is a necklace with carnelion beads inscribed with the cartouche of Sesotris. These are said to be the first inscribed beads found in Egypt.

Perpetual Candidate.

"I suspect Jibway of having political aspirations."

"If Jibway thought you merely suspected him of having political aspirations, he would die of chagrin."

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Falling Down on the Job.

"There is one thing this aviation business in Mexico is not."

"What might that be?"

"All aero-plane sailing."

Many a man has lost his vitality by drinking too often to the good health of his friends.

A New Remedy for Kidney, Bladder and all Uric Acid Troubles

Dear Readers:

I appeal to those of you who are bothered with kidney and bladder trouble, that you give up the use of harsh salts or alcoholic medicines and in their place take a short treatment of "Anuric." I have taken many of Dr. Pierce's medicines for the past twenty-five years with good results. I suffered with kidney trouble for some years. I recently heard of the newest discovery of Dr. Pierce, namely, his "Anuric" Tablets. After using same I am completely cured of my kidney trouble. A doctor pronounced me a well preserved woman for my age, all due, I believe, to Dr. Pierce's aid.
MRS. MELINDA E. MILLER.

If you suffer from backache, lumbago, rheumatism, get "Anuric" now.

Problematical.

"Where do you expect to go on your next motor trip?"

"I haven't decided yet," answered the speed fiend, "but some of my friends predict that it will be heaven or the other place."

For a really fine coffee at a moderate price, drink Denison's Seminole Brand, 35c the lb., in sealed cans.

Only one merchant in each town sells Seminole. If your grocer isn't the one, write the Denison Coffee Co., Chicago, for a souvenir and the name of your Seminole dealer.

Buy the 3 lb. Canister Can for $1.00.—Adv.

Such Nerve.

"I want to exchange this book; it has a very stupid ending."

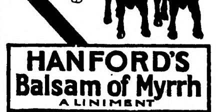
"I think you've made a mistake, madam. This is not a library."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels. -Adv.

Be a reformer if you will, but begin on yourself.

War has seriously affected the peanut trade of Madras, India.

To Heal the Wounds and Sores on Oxen



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You are pale, thin, weak—with little vitality. Your liver is sluggish and the bad blood causes your stomach muscles to lose their elasticity and become flabby—then indigestion.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, purely vegetable and free from alcohol or narcotics, is the great and powerful blood purifier of today. Extracted from American forest herbs and roots. Contains no alcohol. Ingredients printed on wrapper.

Taken as directed it will search out impure and poisonous matter throughout the system and eliminate it.—Adv.

Their Own Fault.

"Why is it the big thieves go free, while the little ones go to jail?"

"That's an easy one. The little fellows don't steal enough to enable them to hire good lawyers."

An Exception.

"There is no money in poetry."

"True. If you tell a man there is no money in the pressing club business, the chances are that he won't go into it, but that doesn't apply to poetry."

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

A man without a collar button is almost as helpless as a woman without a hairpin.

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Resinol Ointment, with Resinol Soap, usually stops itching *instantly*. Unless the trouble is due to some serious internal disorder, it quickly and easily heals most cases of eczema, rash, or similar tormenting skin or scalp eruption, even when other treatments have given little relief. Physicians have *prescribed* Resinol for over twenty years.

Resinol Ointment is an excellent healing ointment for burns, scalds, wounds, etc., and with the help of Resinol Soap, clears away pimples and dandruff. Sold by all druggists.

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To replace the young farmers who have enlisted for the war. Good wages and full season's work assured.

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References required from all applicants. For special railway rates and other information apply to

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Authorized Canadian Government Agents

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Genasco smooth-surface roofing is supplied with patented **Kant-leak** Kleets, which make seams waterproof without cement, and prevent nail-leaks.

Give us your order for Genasco—either smooth or mineral surface.

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Holt - Minn.

Notice For Bids

For Building Village Hall For Holt

Notice is hereby given that the village council of the incorporated village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids up to 8 o'clock P. M. of May 13th, 1916, for the building of a village hall, according to plans and specifications on file in the clerk's office.

A certified check of 10 per cent of the amount will be required with each bid which check will be returned if bid is not accepted.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Village Council,
S. S. Kolden, President.
H. B. Young, Clerk.

Mrs. B. L. Backe went to T. R. Falls Monday to visit her mother and sisters.

Rev. D. Kilen of Newfolden held meetings here Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Lion tractor for sale on easy terms. Guaranteed to pull three plows. Write box 638, Holt, Minn.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. J. M. Swan, Saturday April 29th, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Holt is going to grow this season and the farmers are going to make improvements, so this country is bound to have a steady growth.

Trade between the United States and South America is breaking all records and now averages $1500,000. per day. In seven months we have exported to South America goods to the value of $97000,000. Imports from South America were $207,000,000.

May 5th is Clean-Up-Day.

Worry has killed more people than work ever did.

Arthur Sorum went to Thief River Falls Monday to work.

The carpenters of Holt are all very busy now that the building season has come.

We understand Ole Kleppe has been appointed Postmaster at Newfolden.

Miss Olga Larson and brother Bernhardt, were Crookston visitors the first of the week.

Misses Elsie Lawson and Christine Saastad, Holt's efficient lady teachers, visited over Friday night in T. R. Falls.

Ole Backlund went to Crookston Saturday, returning home Wednesday with a Percheron stallion which we understand he has purchased.

The weather has cleared up and is now fine. Very little seeding has been done so far, but the farmers will be busy from now on with their spring work.

In 1863 a treaty was made with the Indians, agreeing not to transport intoxicating liquors into their territory. The land was opened for settlement years ago but no terms of the treaty have so far been repealed. There are thirty-six railway points, including Holt, still covered by the terms of this treaty.

Potatoes are selling at a dollar a bushel, locally, and are scarce at that. They probably will not be as high next year; but there is no doubt it would pay to plant an acre or two, provided all farmers plant, not to exceed two varieties, so they could be shipped in 2 cars or more, according to size of shipments.

Southeast of Holt.

Several of the bridges on drainage ditch No. 20 have been washed out or the filling washed away from them. Also a number of bridges over the river are dangerous for traffic till repairs can be made.

The school in Dist. 112 was closed on account of too much water.

Mrs. Henry Jensen left Thursday for Warren where she will consult the doctor before returning to her home in Pekin N. D. She was accompanied by her mother Mrs. H. Peterson.

Bernard Larson of Golden Valley came up Sunday where he will visit with his folks for some time.

A. C. Body had an auction sale of his property Monday. Mr. Body and family left for Iowa on Tuesday where they intend to make their future home.

Tyler Wold made a business trip to T. R. Falls on Monday.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hansen on Wednesday April 19th. Congratulation are extended to the happy parents.

Miss Signora Sanbo who was teaching in Dist. 112, left for her home in Mentor Minn. until the water goes down when she will resume her school duties again.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Hall's Catarrh Cure has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Lever Olson went to Thief River Falls, Monday.

M. E. Carlson's father from Canada, Minn., visited him one day last week.

Friday May 5th, has been proclaimed Clean-Up Day by the Governor. All are urged to clean up as there is special need to do so to prevent fires.

Henry Wendt has resigned as clerk in Carlson's store and gone back to the farm. Henry's many friends regret his departure but hope he will do well on the farm.

Notice!

Will stand my Stallion at J. Marty barn every Friday.— H. S. Williams, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Doings of the Village Council.

Special meeting April 20th. Bonds of treasurer were fixed at $500.00 temporarily. Ole Backlund was appointed street Commissioner but will not accept it. The poll tax was fixed at two days work or $3.00 cash The clerk was instructed to write Geo. Walker of T. R. Falls for his prices for surveying. A committee was appointed to notify the workman of the Standard Oil Co. to quit work at present site as it is not the site named in ordinance. A committee was appointed to secure a dumping ground.

The committees plans and specifications for village hall were accepted and it was decided to advertise for bids for building the hall.

Get one of our magazine clubs.

Clean up all rubbish and lessen the danger of fires.

The Central Hotel and Restaurant has a neat new sign.

A. R. Jones spent Easter with his family in Crookston.

Ernest Kuehne went to Warren, Monday, to do carpenter work.

Joe Marty was a Thief River Falls visitor the first of the week.

A. H. Huseth was a business visitor in T. R. Falls, Saturday.

Anton Peterson of Thief River Falls visited over Sunday with friends.

Jno. A. Sorum went to Hillsboro, N. Dak., Friday returning home Monday.

Ed. Nelson, of Middle River, visited over Sunday with his mother and family.

If you want to sell or trade your farm, write to, or still better call on B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

M. E. Carlson re-considered the buying of the L. Wegge house, and has decided not to buy at present.

T. Vilven returned to his home in Euclid, Friday, after a few days visit at the home of Issac Ostlund.

Miss Jessie Grondahl came from Middle River, Friday, for a short visit at the home of Mrs. Jacob Nelson.

We had a snow storm Tuesday, which while not amounting to much, is not appreciated at this time of the year.

The teachers in the Dovre school, Misses Heng and Sinnot, went to Thief River Falls Friday and returned Saturday.

Bro. C. L. Stevens of The Warren Register has filed for re-election as representative from this county and heres hoping he will get it.

Chris Knutson bought 25 head of cattle of Hoffman Bros., Monday, and will ship them to South Saint Paul, to-morrow.

This would be a good time to take advantage of our magazine offers as we are now in a position to save you some money- all kinds of magazines.

Mrs. Rupprecht and children of T. R. Falls came Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Werner.

The North Star College at Warren, has received a check for $9,000 from J. J. Hill, according to his promise if they would also raise $27,000 to pay off their indebtedness.

E. M. Wilson has entered upon his second year as editor and publisher of The Newfolden Review. Mr. Wilson is giving the people of Newfolden a good paper and he well deserves all the business that comes to him.

It may be too late a spring for the wheat crop, but other grains will grow here, which can be fed to your stock. Stock and diversified farming pay best. Cream checks come due every month. An all grain country always has some drawbacks, and the soil is being robbed continually. Keep some good stock.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

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Come and look him over

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$14 00 to insure sucking colt
$12 00 to insure mare in foal
Single service $6 00, Cash

If any mare is sold or leaves the community, service fees become due and payable at once.

O. J. Backlund
Owner, - Holt, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.09
Wheat No. 2	1.05
Wheat No. 3	.99
Wheat No. 4	.92
Flax	1.89
Oats	.34
Barley	.49 to .54
Rye	.79
Flour, Best Patent	3.65

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Mar. 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Salmon Larson, of Holt, Minn., who on Nov. 30, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05764, for Northwest 1-4 Section 8 Township 155 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 1st day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Reno Boe, Salve Tharaldson & Alex Magee all of Germantown, Minn., & Ole Kirklie, of Goodridge, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. March 25, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Rudolph Dahl, of Golden Valley, Minn. who on Dec. 17. 1912 made Homestead Entry, No. 08724 for NE1-4 Sec. 35, Twp. 156 N., R. 41 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner, for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 10th day of May 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Tronsdahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Elling Tollefsrud, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Mar. 29, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Ole Tronsdahl, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Nov. 21st, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08641, for SW1-4, Sec. 26, Township 156 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Rudolph Dahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Elling Tollefsrud, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

The Holt Weekly News
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By The
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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Our magazine offers are O. K.

Now is the time to clean and test all kinds of seeds and get ready to treat for smut, potato scab, etc.

Take Notice

C. L. Heinze has notified the village council to quit dumping tin, ware, glassware, and rubbish of all kinds in his pasture, and notice is hereby given by the village council that the same must be stopped at once. Only manure free from the above mentioned rubbish, etc. may be dumped on Mr. Heinze's premises.

By order of the village Council.
S. S. Kolden, President.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

ESTATE OF SVEN H. JOHNSON

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall— In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sven H. Johnson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota To Britta Johnson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the Will of said decedent:

The petition of Britta Johnson being duly filed in this Court, representing that Sven H. Johnson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died on the 7th day of September 1916, leaving a last Will and Testament which is presented to this Court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last Will and Testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Britta Johnson,

Now Therefore, You, and each of you, are hereby citied and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of May 1916, at 11 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness The Honorable Peter H. Holm, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 15th day of April 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota Mar. 24, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Reno Boe of Germantown Minn., who on June 21, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05336, for NW1-4 Sec. 11, Township 155 N. Range 41 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 1st day of May, 1916

Claimant names as witnesses: Salmon Larson of Holt, Minn., Salve Tharaldson & Alex Magee both of Germantown, Minn., & Ole Kirklie of Goodridge, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

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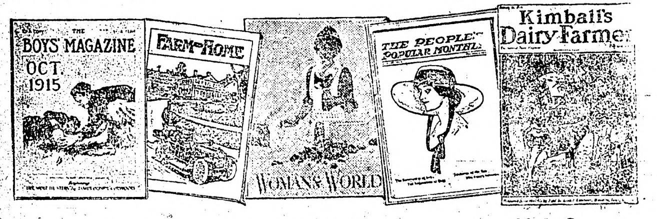

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MINNESOTA
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DEPOSITS
A STATE BANK
A HOME BANK
LOANS

Try To Double It!

To those who have savings accounts here we pass on this suggestion:-

As a goal to be reached, set yourself the task of making your bank account just twice its present size.

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In Church Circles.

Auction sale of the Free Mission Ladies Aid, Saturday evening May 20th.

Rev. McMartin will preach in the Free Mission church next Monday evening.

Rev. Ordahl will hold services in the Synod church next Sunday at 10:45 A. M.

The Sunshine Society will meet with Mrs. Kjeldren, Saturday May 6th. All are welcome.

First come, first served at Holt Merc. Co's. 1-2 price Shoe Sale.

J. Marty, Sr. of Montana came Tuesday to visit his family here.

Mrs. Eggenes and children of T. R. Falls came Saturday for a short visit with at P. A. Riesberg's.

A. R. Jones and P. L. Anderson were pleasantly entertained at the Lewis Wegge home Sunday.

Rev. M. T. Strom will commence a term of Norwegian school next Monday, in the Martin Jarshaw school.

Tom Larson has the job of dragging the State road between here and Steiner and commenced work on it Tuesday.

Sample Shoes are always the best and just think at half price; Holt Merc. Co. has 400 pair. Come early while assortment is complete.

Miss Mary Stensrud of Thief River Falls was an over Sunday visitor at the Alfred Anderson home. Miss Stensrud was accompanied by little Alva Anderson.

Miss Edna Riesberg went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to meet her sister Mrs. Pavek who came from Harlow, N. D. Wednesday to visit relatives and friends.

John Hepstad of Badger, visited from Saturday until Tuesday at the Otto Johnson home. While here Mr. Hepstad purchased ten acres of land of Guy Anderson, lying just to the east of Rustad farm, and on which he expects to build a house sometime in the near future.

School Notes.

Report of the Primary room for the month ending April 28th:— Enrollment for the month 36: Average daily attendance 29: Number neither absent nor tardy 13.

Report of the Grammar Room: Enrollment for the month 35: Percentage of attendance 90: Number neither absent nor tardy 7.

Newton's moving away has taken Norman, Martha and Clifford from our school.

Harry Heinze bid good bye to school last Friday having finished the eight grade at the first examination in March.

Mrs. Higgin and Minnie Heinze visited school a week ago Thursday.

Last Friday the school yard was given a thoro cleaning up and a few high bush cranberries were set out.

The number of library books in circulation during this month was 93.

Those getting perfect marks in the monthly spelling test in the third fourth and fifth glades are Alice Swan, Percy Huseth, Emma Tobiason, Leonard Ellestad, Gladys Hagberg and Myrtle Sollom.

Volly ball is the popular game now. Base ball and tether ball are also played.

The Eighth Grade.

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All Hours of the Day
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Our magazine offers are O. K.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ryan, last Sunday, April 30th.

Mrs. M. T. Strom and little Alfa went to T. R. Falls yesterday to visit relatives.

Let us have your order for WALL PAPPER. SAMPLES on hand at Holt Merc. Co. Store.

Otto Johnson and son Gilbert went to Goodridge Wednesday for a short visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Knauf have moved to Thief River Falls where he will work this summer.

B. L. Backe had a Lion tractor shipped here this week and has had it exhibited to all interested.

Now is the time to save money by buying your shoes! 400 Pair at 1-2 price at Holt Merc. Co's store.

Racine Olson has been varnishing and doing other interior work on B. Docken's house for a few days past. We understand the Docken family expect to move next week.

Work on the buildings in town is being pushed. E. A. Johnson and P. O. Reierson have finished the basements for their houses. Paul Olson is building a small barn and all of them expect to soon have the frames up for their houses. That street will soon present a very different appearance.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

CONDENSATIONS OF GREATER OR LESSER IMPORTANCE.

A BOILING DOWN OF EVENTS

National, Political, Personal and Other Matters in Brief Form for All Classes of Readers.

WAR NEWS.

The Rumanian chamber has adopted a bill authorizing the government to float an interior loan of 150,000,000 francs.

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It is reported by a Copenhagen correspondent that the Rumania parliament has empowered the government to summon the recruits of the 1917 class.

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Dr. Eugene Hurd, until recently the only American surgeon at the front with Russian soldiers, has performed more than 3,000 operations near the battle line.

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Paris reports the arrival of an expedition of Russian troops in France. The forces will be used to fill in gaps on the western front caused by the recent fighting.

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Forty-two Danish ships, valued at 11,000,000 kroner, the cargoes of which were valued at 20,000,000 kroner, have been destroyed by submarines and mines during the war. Eighty-seven men have been killed.

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German newspapers, commenting in advance of President Wilson's statement to congress, declared that Germany would never yield to the United States, preferring to face another enemy without than an internal crisis in the reichstag.

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The radical wing of the Italian socialists is organizing a gigantic peace agitation, which may cause considerable trouble and endanger the government. Meetings are to be held throughout Italy on a certain day to discuss bringing about an early peace.

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Lieutenant Fikentscher of the famous German raider Emden, which was destroyed by the Australian cruiser Sydney at Cocos Islands in 1914 after performing many daring exploits, has escaped from Malta, whither he had been taken as a prisoner by the British.

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Since the outbreak of the war, 3,117 non-combatants have lost their lives in maratime disasters due to mines or to submarines of hostile nations, Walter Runciman, president of the London board of trade, said in the house of commons. Of these, 1,574 were seamen, 188 fishermen and 1,175 passengers.

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London reports that British troops going to the relief of Kut-El Amara have gained further ground against the Turks who are barring their way along the Tigris river. The British, says the report, have driven in the Turks from their advanced lines on the right bank of the river, killing many of the Turks and taking a considerable number of prisoners.

GENERAL

More than 19,000 United [illegible] are guarding the Mexican border from Brownsville, Tex., to San Diego, Cal.

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The Strong-Hewitt company, Washington mills and the North Adams Manufacturing company of North Adams and the Adams Woolen company of Adams, Mass., posted notice of a 10 per cent advance in wages for 1,300 textile operatives.

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John W. Thomas, master appointed to take testimony in the suit of Harry K. Thaw against his wife, Evelyn Thaw, at Pittsburg, Pa., recommended to the court that Thaw be granted a divorce, and the decree was ordered by the court.

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Resolutions expressing confidence in the "patriotism and ability of President Wilson to handle the present international crisis," and pledging him the support in his "efforts for an honorable peace," were adopted unanimously by the Southern Conference for Education and Industry at New Orleans, La.

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The charge of immorality contained in the indictment against Thomas Mott Osborne, former warden of Sing Sing prison, was stricken out at White Plains, N. Y., by Supreme Court Justice Platt.

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At least five persons were killed, some of them burned beyond recognition, and thirty-one persons injured in the collision between the Gilt Edge express of the New Haven railroad and a local train at Bradford Station, near Westerly, R. I.

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The American locomotive works of Paterson, N. J., granted their employes a nine-hour work day and a 10 per cent increase in wages. Heretofore the employes have worked ten hours a day.

Three big steel companies, employing over 20,000 men at Youngstown, Ohio have announced a 10 per cent increase in wages, effective May 1.

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A wage increase for 7,000 cotton mill operatives was announced by the Pepperell Manufacturing company of Biddeford, Me. The amount of the increase was not stated.

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The Atlantic mills, Providence, R. I., makers of dress goods and worsted yarns, announced to their 3,000 employes recently an increase in wages approximating 10 per cent.

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George W. Peck, 75 years old, former governor of Wisconsin and author of the famous book "Peck's Bad Boy," died at his home in Milwaukee after a short illness.

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Henry Ford declared at Detroit, Mich. that he was not a candidate for president of the United States, and that he had asked that his name be taken off the Michigan ballot.

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A heavy wind storm, accompanied by lightning, swept over Dayton, Ohio, recently, killing one man and damaging much property. The wind attained a velocity of seventy-two miles an hour.

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Samuel S. McClure, upon his arrival at The Hague, Holland, from a three months' tour of the German allied countries, declared that reports of German babies dying for lack of milk are untrue.

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An aerial scenic tramway 1,800 feet long, built exclusively for transporting passengers across the Whirlpool, has been almost completed at Niagara Falls, One. It is one of the longest, and probably the safest, aerial cableway in the world.

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Captain Franz von Papen, recalled military attache to the German embassy at Washington, was indicted by the federal grand jury in New York, as the organizer and financier of an alleged conspiracy to blow up the Welland canal in Canada.

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What is said to be the largest slander verdict ever returned by a federal court jury was granted in the United States district court at Sioux Falls, S. D., when F. L. Cummins, formerly assistant general manager of the South Dakota Central railway, was awarded $22,500 against F. L. Maytag of Oskaloosa, Ia., president of the railroad.

SPORTING.

Robert McGraw, pitcher of the University of Colorado baseball team, held the Colorado Aggies hitless and runless in a game at Fort Collins recently. McGraw struck out eighteen men and issued no passes.

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Jack Dillon of Indianapolis, light-heavyweight, easily outpointed Billy Miske of St. Paul in a ten-round, no-decision fight in Minneapolis in the opinion of a majority of newspaper reporters at the ringside.

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Leonard Seppala, twice winner of the 412 mile Alaska sweepstakes, won over his four contestants in the ice bound recent classic. Seppala, whose seventeen Siberian wolf dogs negotiated the distance in eighty hours and twenty-seven minutes, gained a purse of $2,000. This is the fourth time in the last seven sweepstakes that the Siberian wolf dogs have shown their supremacy over the malamutes.

WASHINGTON

The United States attorney general has ruled that the federal reserve board cannot change the location of a federal reserve bank.

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President Wilson has signed the act incorporating the American academy of arts and letters, of which he and former President Roosevelt are among the charter members.

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Acting Secretary Newton of the treasury announces that he has decided to test the availability of aeroplanes as coast guard auxiliaries in locating derelicts and vessels in distress.

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The senate has confirmed William Ingraham of Portland, Me., as assistant secretary of war. He will succeed Henry Breckenridge, who resigned with Secretary Garrison. President Wilson sent the nomination to the senate.

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President Wilson has restored to entry 194,000 acres of public land in Custer county, Montana, which had been set aside as coal lands, but which were found to contain no coal of value. A tract of 22,871 acres containing coal of limited value will be opened for purchase, the government retaining mineral rights.

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The German government has agreed to permit exportation to the United States of 15,000 tons of dyestuffs, lack of which has seriously affected American textile manufacturers. Notification to this effect was contained in a note to Secretary Lansing.

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The public lands committee of the house recently passed a resolution giving entrymen on the Fort Niobrara, Neb., reservation one year extension of time in which to make each of the two remaining unpaid installments of the purchase price.

AMERICA REJECTS OBREGON DEMAND ARMY QUIT MEXICO

ADMINISTRATION DOES NOT INTEND TO HEED SUGGESTION FOR WITHDRAWAL—VILLISTAS BURN COLONY.

PRESIDENT SENDS NEW INSTRUCTIONS TO SCOTT

Dispatches Elaborate Orders After Conference With Cabinet Officials—Meeting at Juarez Not Expected to Settle Question—Generals Prepare Reports.

Washington, May 2.—The administration does not intend to heed General Obregon's suggestion for withdrawal of the American troops from Mexico. This has just been learned definitely. New and more elaboratae instructions than heretofore given went forward to General Scott following a conference between President Wilson and Secretary of War Baker and another session between Secretary of State Lansing, Counsellor Polk and Secretary Baker.

Burn American Colony.

El Paso, Tex., May 2.—Villistas have burned the American Mormon colony of Chuhupa, 25 miles northwest of Madera, Mexico, according to information brought to the border by the caretaker of the colony. The destruction took place last week. The 200 Ametrican families in the colony deserted their homes over a month ago, fearing the Villistas.

Question Up to Wilson.

El Paso, Texas, May 2.—The question of withdrawing the punitive expedition from Mexico, on which may depend peace or war between the United States and Mexico, has been put up to President Wilson.

Generals Scott and Funston, with their aides, worked far into the night preparing data and reports and a last code message was dispatched to the War department just before daybreak.

Settlement Not Expected.

Several code messages have already been exchanged and it is understood that the army officers have asked permission to take up, in all its phases, the question of withdrawing the troops from Mexico which General Obregon and his fellow conferees brought to the fore at the conference of last Saturday.

That the conferences here will finally settle the withdrawal question is not believed. Washington, it is said, has suggested that the American representatives obtain all possible data bearing on the question that might be advanced by the Mexican conferees and forward a full report for the consideration of the State department, which now has a Carranza request for a withdrawal of the American troops under advisement.

KAISER'S REPLY IS DELAYED

Tentative Draft Still Undergoing Changes—German Attitude May Not Satisfy America.

Berlin, May 2.—Germany's reply to the American note will be dispatched to Washington this week unless some unexpected incident occurs, but officials are awaiting word from the kaiser's headquarters before fixing the exact date.

A tentative draft framed last week, has not been shaped into a formal communication and is still undergoing some slight changes. It is still understood however, that a decision was reached on the fundamental questions several days ago and that this decision has not been altered.

Certain of the newspapers warn the public not to count too certainly upon America's agreement in full with the attitude to be taken by Germany in the forthcoming reply.

TRANSPORT SUNK IS RUMOR

Large Troop Ship Torpedoed Near Saloniki by German Submarine, Berlin Hears.

Berlin, May 2 (by wireless).—It is reported from Saloniki that a German submarine has torpedoed a large troop transport.

The transport was torpedoed 10 miles east of Saloniki. This is the second instance in which a transport is reported to have been torpedoed near that port.

This report is contained in a dispatch from Zurich, which credits the news to the Greek newspaper Nea Alithia of Saloniki.

Slight Advances in Munitions Stocks.

New York, May 2.—Slight advances in munition stocks and drops in Baldwin and Mexican Petroleum featured the stock market opening Monday. Crucible opened at 8, up one-eighth of a point; Westinghouse, 58⅛, up one-quarter of a point; International Nickel 50, up one-quarter of a point; United States Steel, 83¾, up one-eighth of a point; Bethlehem, 460, up one-half point; Marine preferred, 19½, up one-quarter of a point; Baldwin, 88, off 1 point, and Mexican Petroleum 96⅝, off five-eighths of a point.

BRITISH GARRISON AT KUT-EL-AMARA IS TAKEN BY TURKS

FORCE COMPOSED OF 2,970 ENGLISH AND 6,000 INDIAN TROOPS SURRENDER AFTER SIEGE LASTING 140 DAYS.

ALL WAR MUNITIONS ARE DESTROYED BY CAPTIVES

British Forces Starved Into Submission After Last Efforts to Send Supplies Failed—Relief Army Within Twenty Miles—Supply Ship Grounded.

London, May 1.—The British garrison of Kut-El-Amara, 105 miles southeast of Bagdad, has surrendered to the Turks, it has just been officially announced.

The forces surrendering were composed of 2,970 British and 6,000 Indian troops, the war office announced.

General Townshend had been besieged for more than 140 days when he surrendered.

The capitulation at Kut-El-Amara is the first instance in the present war and one of the few occasions in more than a century of wars in which a British garrison besieged by the enemy has been forced to surrender.

Destroyed Munitions.

The British forces surrendered to the Turks after ineffectual attempts had been made to rush supplies of food to their camp.

The official statement added that General Townshend destroyed all his guns and ammunition before surrendering.

A recent official Turkish communication said that the position of the British at Kut-El-Amara was critical, and that they were expecting to receive small supplies of food by aeroplane. An official statement from London showed that a last effort to send supplies to the garrison had failed. It was announced that a ship laden with supplies had been sent up the Tigris, that it had been grounded about four miles east of the city.

Relief Army Near.

Less than a score of miles away, on the banks of the Tigris below the city is a relief army which for months had been attempting to reach the besieged forces of General Townshend. A few weeks ago several victories were announced and hope ran high in England that the mission would succeed. Of late, however, the Turks' resistance has increased and, aided by floods, they have been able to hold the British in check.

U-BOAT SITUATION CLEARER

Relaxation of Tension Is Attributed to Reports Emanating From German Diplomatic Sources.

Washington, May 1.—There is a marked relaxation of tension on the U-boat situation. It was attributed largely to the knowledge emanating from German diplomatic sources both in Washington and Berlin that the German foreign office has completed its reply to President Wilson's note on the submarine issue and that the kaiser is discussing the whole subject of friendly relations between the two nations with Ambassador Gerard.

In the belief that German officials have met the embarrassing problem facing them there is now much conjecture as to how far the kaiser has gone to meet President Wilson's contentions and demands.

SCHALL EXPLAINS HIS VOTE

Minnesota Congressman Says McLemore Resolution Was Trick.

Minneapolis, May 1.—Minnesota congressmen who have been charged with voting against the McLemore resolution were defended by Congressman Schall who was here to make an address at the Twenty-sixth Street District Improvement association's celebration.

"It was a trick of the Democrats opposed to President Wilson," said Mr. Schall. "They did not want to go on record on military preparedness so they introduced a motion to table the resolution. It was against that motion, not against the spirit of the McLemore resolution that I voted."

Wilson Shakes Hands 10,000 Times.

Washington, May 1.—President Wilson was so fatigued by shaking hands with more than 10,000 people this week and attending to public business that he announced his intention of taking a complete rest for the week end.

To Prevent Spread of Stripe Rust.

Washington, May 1.—The department of agriculture is taking steps to prevent the spread of the serious stripe rust of cereals (puccinia glumarum) recently found in this country, but thus far known to occur only west of about the 104th meridian, or the west boundary of North Dakota. The bureau of plant industry and the federal horticultural board have arranged that no samples of seed collected in this area shall be distributed by the department to points east of the 104th meridian.

FARGO P COLUMN

A LAND PROBLEM AHEAD

(FROM THE PEORIA JOURNAL.)

The Nebraska State Journal calls attention to the fact that Uncle Sam's opening of a 4,000-acre tract in the North Platte irrigation district for settlement practically winds up the "free land distribution" of the nation. It adds:

> "Free or cheap land has been the American safety valve. A population straining for self-betterment has had its own remedy—to go west and grow up with the country. With the government reduced to advertising an opening of forty-three farms, the safety valve may be considered forever closed. The expansive energy formerly exerted outward, must hereafter work itself out intensively. Increasing land speculation, with rapidly rising prices of land and proportionately increasing dissatisfaction among the landless would seem inevitable. The tone of our politics and the intensity of our social problems cannot but be vitally changed under the strain of dealing internally with a social pressure which hitherto has had the wilderness to vent itself upon.

"'Land hunger' will soon become a reality in this rapidly growing country and the constant pressure of population, increasingly higher than the ratio of production, is bound to bring us face to face with economic problems that we have heretofore considered remote. The far-sighted statesman and publicist must devote his thought earnestly to the consideration of these questions if we are to escape the extremes which curse the older nations of the world."

In the above will be found one of the reasons that the Canadian Government is offering 160 acres of land free to the actual settler. There is no dearth of homesteads of this size, and the land is of the highest quality, being such as produces yields of from 30 to 60 bushels of wheat per acre, while oats run from fifty to over hundred bushels per acre. It is not only a matter of free grants, but in Western Canada are also to be had other lands at prices ranging from $12 to $30 per acre, the difference in price being largely a matter of location and distance from railway. If one takes into consideration the scarcity of free grant lands in the United States it is not difficult to understand why there has been most material advances in the price of farm lands.

A few years ago, land that now sells for two hundred dollars an acre in Iowa, could have been bought for seventy-five dollars an acre or less. The increased price is warranted by the increased value of the product raised on these farms. The land that today can be had in Western Canada at the low prices quoted will in a less time than that taken for the Iowa lands to increase, have a proportionate increase. In Nebraska the lands that sold for sixteen to twenty dollars per acre seven years ago, find a market at one hundred and seventy-five dollars an acre, for the same reason given for the increase in Iowa lands. Values in these two States, as well as in others that might be mentioned, show that Western Canada lands are going at a song at their present prices. In many cases in Western Canada today, there are American settlers who realize this, and are placing a value of sixty and seventy dollars an acre on their improved farms, but would sell only because they can purchase unimproved land at such a low price that in another few years they would have equally as good farms as they left or such as their friends have in the United States.

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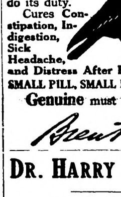

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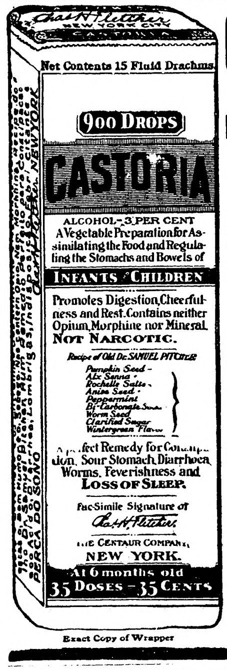
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Says glass of hot water with phosphate before breakfast washes out poisons.

If you wake up with a bad taste, bad breath and tongue is coated; if your head is dull or aching; if what you eat sours and forms gas and acid in stomach, or you are bilious, constipated, nervous, sallow and can't get feeling just right, begin drinking phosphated hot water. Drink before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will flush the poisons and toxins from stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels and cleanse, sweeten and purify the entire alimentary tract. Do your inside bathing immediately upon arising in the morning to wash out of the system all the previous day's poisonous waste, gases and sour bile before putting more food into the stomach.

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State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Duluth. — First consignments of package freight for Minneapolis which are traveling from the East to the city by way of the Port Huron and Duluth lake line have arrived at Duluth.

Winona. — Fremont has the richest two-acre cemetery in Minnesota. Miss Ann Thompson, who died last December, provided in her will that $5,000 be set aside for the maintenance of the plot.

Winona.—Enrollment for the year in the State Normal school here shows that 733 persons and 513 children in the elementary department in the same period, a total for the year of 1,345 pupils.

Minneapolis.—Exploitation of Minnesota's natural attractions for tourists has been decided upon by members of the Minnesota State Forestry association, who held their annual gathering here.

Red Wing. — In a spirited election, with the license question the main issue, Red Wing voted wet by a majority of 158. The drys gained more than 100 votes since the county option election in June.

St. Paul. — George Ries, auditor of St. Paul, has started proceedings against the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific railways to recover back taxes of $1,750,000 from the former and $1,250,000 from the latter.

Faribault. — The 44th annual meeting of the Minnesota Women's Home Missionary union, Mrs. E. A. Tupper, president, opened here with devotionals led by Dr D. T. Robertson, pastor of First Congregational church. An unusually large number of delegates are attending.

St. Paul. — To aid the United States in its preparedness movement Minnesotans plan to form an aero club to affiliate with the Aero Club of America, and the national guard of the state. A meeting has just been held at the University club to launch the movement.

Minneapolis. — Minnesota delegates and alternates to the Republican national convention at Chicago will leave the Twin Cities in special cars for the convention Sunday, June 4, arriving in Chicago June 5. The convention opens June 7. The Milwaukee road has been selected by the delegates as the official route.

Thief River Falls.—The charter commission which has been working on a new charter for Thief River Falls has made its final report to the city council. The new charter provides for a city manager, initiative, referendum and recall, while the legislative power is vested in a mayor and six councilmen, each to be elected at large.

St. Cloud.—Although the first meeting of the new city council is scheduled for the third Tuesday in May, none of the men elected has filed an oath of office and one, C. F. Ladner, has declined to serve. In a letter to the city clerk, Mr. Ladner says votes were procured from his friends by misrepresentations, as he was out of the city, and he will not qualify.

St. Cloud.—That by maintaining the Cold Spring dam at a height of 7 11 feet the milling company of that village is not violating the right given it by the state supreme court is the opinion of County Attorney Paul Ahles in his report to the county commissioners, following a complaint entered by farmers of Richmond that the water is backing up and overflowing the roads.

Winona.—The Mississippi at Winona is higher than it has been in 20 years. It has spread over a vast area, reaching points several miles from the normal shore line. Hundreds of men, all the laborers available, are working to prevent further railroad washouts, but their task appears almost hopeless. The only remaining Twin City-Chicago lines may be severed by the onrushing water shortly, it is said.

Austin, Minn.—Austin is entertaining the largest convention ever held here; 1,200 delegates from every part state are here to attend the sessions of the Minnesota Sunday School association. A special train from the twin cities arrived with 400 delegates. They were met at the station by reception committeemen wearing large white buttons bearing the words, "Ask me, I live here." High school cadets acted as escort to the church.

Crookston.—Deputy State Highway Engineer Forbes is here from St. Paul conferring with the board of county commissioners regarding the good roads program for the year. Mr. Forbes is urging greater co-operation between counties and townships. He believes if townships made special appropriations for gravelling each year, working with the county commissioners and the state highway department good results would show in a short time.

Golden Valley.—School children in Golden Valley are taken to school under armed escort and their parents go about their work with shotguns and revolvers following a raid on the district by a mad dog which ruled in a short reign of terror among the farming population.

St. Cloud.—Stearns county officials have received their share of more than $4,000 that will have to be expended by the Northern States Power company in recording deeds transferring property along the Mississippi river formerly held by the Mississippi River Electric company.

TEACHERS RETIRE; RECEIVE PENSIONS

TRUSTEES ACCEPT APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP IN STATE FUND—TO INVEST $18,000.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Twenty-five applications for membership in the state teachers' insurance and retirement fund have been accepted by the trustees in charge of the fund. At the same time three teachers were placed on the retired list and will receive teachers' pensions at once. The board voted to invest $8,000 in school district bonds of Douglas and Todd counties and also to buy $10,000 worth of bonds of the city of Blue Earth.

Those whose applications for membership in the fund were accepted were as follows:

John M. Duran, Sebeca, taught 15 years; Mary Meighan, Granite Falls, taught 27 years; W. A. Brown, State Park, taught 23 years; Mrs. Ethel Hurd Webster, Mankato, taught 19 years; Birdie Summer, Lockhart, taught 21 years; C. A. Ask, McIntosh, taught 17 years; Ella D. Pease, Rochester, taught 29 years; Edith D. Sather, Spring Valley, taught 20 years; Mary C. Devany, Virginia, taught 30 years; Jos. C. Marshall, Princeton, taught 27 years, Theda Gildemeister, Winona, taught 27 years; Frances C. Bishop, Northfield, taught 21 years; Amanda Alasker, Moorhead, taught 2 years; Una Hudson, Mankato, taught 17 years; John A. Maus, Watkins, taught 23 years; Emma R. Reith, Minnesota City, taught 16 years; Agnes R. Fosen, Holt, taught 14 years; Emily E. Willson, Rochester, taught 21 years; years; Elizabeth A. Kintzle, Shakopee, taught 31 years; Isabel Williams, Mankato, taught 20 years; Matilda Heuss, Winona, taught 27 years; Florence Burlingame, Grand Rapids, taught 25 years; Eliza E. Penfold, Houston, taught 15 years; Nina Stewart, Northfield, taught 19 years, and Lillian Stewart, Northfield, taught 20 years.

Those whose application for retirement were accepted are: Ella D. Pease, Rochester, taught 29 years; Edith Dunham Sather, Spring Valley, taught 20 years; Eliza Evans Penfold, Red Wing, taught 18 years.

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Minnesota Attracts Colonists.

The "forward to the land" movement is under way, and statistics compiled by the Minnesota commissioner of immigration indicate the colonization movement for the fiscal year probably will eclipse the record of 1908-9, when hundreds of homesteaders and others settled on government land.

This year's movement is attributed to the general prosperity of the country.

For the first three months of this year the Minnesota Transfer handled 1,054 carloads of immigrant movables for various destinations in Minnesota. Since not all this business is handled through the transfer it is probable that the railroads have handled 1,500 carloads of immigrant freight for Minnesota points.

Many of the shipments originated in Illinois, Iowa and other states where land cannot be obtained as cheaply as in Minnesota.

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State's Ditches Damaged.

Flood damage reports from state ditch districts have resulted in the departure of E. V. Willard, state drainage engineer, for northern Minnesota on a special inspection tour. "Sudden thaws of the deep snow are responsible for the conditions reported and they are such as cannot be reasonably provided for," said Mr. Willard just before leaving. "The chief complaints, however, are that the ditch outlets are not sufficiently large and demands probably will be made on the next legislature for action to remedy such conditions."

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Increase in Fire Losses of [illegible]

There was a material increase in the net fire losses of the state in 1915 as compared with 1914, according to figures compiled by State Insurance Commissioner Works. In 1915, the fire loss of the state was $5,381,971.59, as compared with $4,831,013.33 in 1914. The total amount of insurance in effect on December 31, 1915, was $1,552,531,113.16, as compared with $1,537,903,129.97 in 1914.

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Spawn Seekers Hampered.

High water in the lakes and rivers of Minnesota is handicapping the half dozen parties sent out by State Game Commissioner Carlos Avery to collect the annual supply of pike spawn for replenishing the fish hatcheries of the state.

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Extra Shifts Work at Prison.

Night and day shifts are being worked at the Stillwater prison binding twine plant and the factory is being pushed to its fullest capacity. The night crew was added more than a week ago. Last year the prison twine plant turned out over 21,000,000 pounds of binding twine and that figure will be exceeded this year. The board announces that it has orders enough on hand to [illegible] every pound of twine the prison can manufacture. The output this year will probably be in excess of 22,000,000 pounds.

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Great Russian Fighter.

More than any other member of the royal family, the Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholaievitch has devoted himself to the profession of soldiering.

As a youth of twenty-one in the war of 1877-1878 with Turkey, he went with his father, who bore the same name, to the Danube and the Balkans, where the elder Nicholas was commander in chief of the Russian forces in European Turkey.

He was then a junior officer in the hussar regiment and was on the staff of General Radetzky. He took part in the campaigns of Plevna, Lovcha and the Shipka pass, received the cross of St. George for valor and established the foundation of his present high reputation as a horseman and expert on cavalry matters.

Careful of His Complexion.

With sobs in his voice, the applicant for a meal and some old clothes had told his story, and the kind hearted woman had helped him.

Now as he sat eating a hunk of bread and cheese she thought it wise to get in a little good advice. So she began:

"Don't you think that, er, it would be better for yourself if you used soap and water occasionally?"

The tramp sighed dolefully.

"I would, ma'am, I would," he answered eagerly, "but the truth is that there's so many different kinds of soap, and it's so hard to know which is injurious to the skin that I'm afraid to take any risks!"

EXPERIMENTS Teach Things of Value.

If one has never made the experiment of leaving off coffee and drinking Postum it is still easy to learn something about it by reading the experiences of others.

Drinking Postum is a pleasant way out of coffee troubles. A Penn. man says:

"My wife was a victim of nervousness, weak stomach and loss of appetite for years; and although we resorted to numerous methods for relief, one of which was a change from coffee to tea, it was all to no purpose.

"We knew coffee was causing the trouble but could not find anything to take its place until we tried Postum. Within two weeks after she quit coffee and began using Postum almost all of her troubles had disappeared as if by magic. It was truly wonderful. Her nervousness was gone, stomach trouble relieved, appetite improved and, above all, a night's rest was complete and refreshing.

"This sounds like an exaggeration, as it all happened so quickly. Each day there was improvement, for the Postum was undoubtedly strengthening her. Every particle of this good work is due to drinking Postum in place of coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c pkgs.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both forms are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

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Time waits for no man, but he has to wait at least an hour when his wife tells him to "wait just a second."

For external use on horses nothing surpasses Hanford's Balsam. Many trainers use it as a legwash because it relieves lameness. Adv.

The world would have more to worry about if each man could make his own weather.

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Of course you are entitled to think what you please, but it isn't always safe to inflict your thoughts on others.

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Go early to Holt Merc. Co's 1-2 price Shoe Sale.

WANTED: Baled flax straw at $6.00 a ton. B. L. Backe, Holt.

If you want to sell or trade your farm, write to, or still better call on B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

Lion tractor for sale on easy terms. Guaranteed to pull three plows. Write box 638, Holt, Minn.

Wanted: An experienced farm hand. Constantine Hoffman, Thief River Falls, Route No. 2, Box 54.

Miss Lillie Peterson commenced her duties as telephone operator at the Holt Switchboard, on May 1st.

Ludvig Monson was boss in the butcher shop during Mr. Knutson's absence in the cities, selling his car of cattle.

Mrs. Ollie Werner and children of Thief River Falls have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg the past week.

Messrs. Quist and Erickson of T. R. Falls were in town a couple of days last week making surveys for street and sidewalk grades.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden and children drove to Thief Lake Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Olberg.

School districts Nos. 40 and 156 have voted to consolidate. Newfolden is in the new district and an effort is to be made to get the district east of town to consolidate with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newton have moved to McIntosh, where they expect to make their home for a few months, or until the Mud Lake controversy is settled. The family left Monday and their household goods, etc., were shipped in a car Tuesday.

FARMERS!

Who are Interested in raising Good Horses will find it to Their Interest to come and see the Black Percheron Stallion which stands at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

Terms of service: $12.00 for standing colt.

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Steiner

Mrs. A. Lanka took the afternoon train for T. R. Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer called at the Werner home Saturday evening.

Mesdames O. and S. Warring, S. R. Rogers, J. Russell and A. Simmonson visited the Steiner school one day last week.

Miss Celia Saugen who has been attending the Thief River Falls High school has been ill the past week.

S. R. Rogers, Harvey Capp, and O. Warring went fishing in the ditch. They reported fishing fine as they saw one fish.

P. B. Malberg took a load of grain to Steiner to be ground Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell and family called at the Loftness home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warring and family visilrd at the home of S. R. Rogers Easter Sunday.

Mr. Muzzy was up in this vicinity buying hogs.

Miss Josie Hasby called at the Stigen home one day last week.

Willis Warring made a business trip to T. R. Falls the first of the week.

R. Werner did business in this village the first part of this week.

J. J. Marty closed a deal last night with Hjalmer Peterson and Hjalmer Dovre for purchase of the dray line. Mr. Marty expects to return to Montana with his father to-day, so we understand.

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Clean Up Notice.

Notice is hereby given to clean up all yards, alleys and streets in the village of Holt by May. 15th. 1916.

After May 15th. all rubbish, ash piles, tin and glassware, manure or anything else that causes yards, alleys and streets to be dirty or unsightly, will be removed by order of the village council and the expense of such removal will be assessed against the property owners or occupants who are responsible for neglect in cleaning up said places.

By order of the Village Council.
S. S. Kolden, President.

C. L. Sandberg was an over Sunday visitor in Thief River Falls.

Miss Shellan of St. Paul, the State Inspector of Consolidated schools visited the Holt schools Thursday.

Dr. J. T. Turley, the dentist, will be in Holt, Thursday, May 11th.

Yesterday about a dozen of the original settlers on the Mud Lake bottoms received official notice that their filing papers had been accepted by the U. S. Land Office and we will try to give a list of their names next week.

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Hilmer Davidsod called at P. G. Sorter's Thursday evening.

Mrs. Graham who has been visiting her sister. Mrs. A. S. Bean left for her home in Illinois Friday. Mrs. Bean and Mrs. Elvin Erickson accompanied her to Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Ole Davidson and Mrs. Alice Johnson called at P. G. Sorter's Sunday afternoon.

The Ladies Aid at Elvin Erickson's Thursday was well attended.

Martin Davidson and his sister Hazel spent Sunday afternoon with Esther and Alf Movik.

Mrs. Chas M. Orcutt left for her home in Fargo Tuesday after spending a couple of months with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ole Davidson.

A few from here attended the surprise party at Ed. Monson's in Mud Lake Saturday evening.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jarland Easter morning. Hearty congratulations are extended to the happy parents.

Alfred Offerdahl is working for Joseph Tystad.

Miss Esther Movik called at B. O. Wagidahl's Wednesday.

Miss Birthella Wagidahl is on the sick list.

Miss Jensine Udstrang is working for Louis Johnson.

Miss Hazel Davidson spent Thursday evening with Miss Anna Sorter.

Joseph Tystad and family called at M. Grondahl's Sunday.

A. Movik called at M. Udstrands Sunday.

Clarence Christenson has been visiting at Ole Davidson's and P. G. Sorter's this week.

Melvin Sorter called at John Engstrom's Sunday.

A program will be held in the Ringbo school-house May 12th. at 2 o'clock P. M. A lunch will be served after the program free to all.

A big crowd attended the meeting in the church Sunday.

The Ladies Aid will meet at Nils Offerdahl's Wednesday May 31st.

Alice Johnson is working for Joseph Jarland's now.

Messrs Oliver Davidson and Christ Saastad and Miss Alice Johnson called at Louis Johnson's Sunday evening.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Hall's Catarrh Cure has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.10
Wheat No. 2	1.06
Wheat No. 3	1.00
Wheat No. 4	.93
Flax	1.84
Oats	35
Barley	52 to .57
Rye	.79
Flour, Best Patent	3.75

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Mondays and Fridays

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Single service $6 00, Cash

If any mare is sold or leaves the community, service fees become due and payable at once.

O. J. Backlund

Owner, Holt, Minn.

Get one of our magazine clubs.

Services at the Mission church next Monday evening, conducted by Rev. McMartin.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will have an auction sale of useful and ornamental articles, on Saturday evening May 20th., in the church

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

Mar. 29, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Ole Tronsdahl, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Nov. 21st, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08641, for SW1-4, Sec. 26, Township 156 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Rudolph Dahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Elling Tollefsrud, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.
Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Clean up all rubbish and lessen the danger of fires.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Notice For Bids

For Building Village Hall For Holt

Notice is hereby given that the village council of the incorporated village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids up to 8 o'clock P. M. of May 13th, 1916, for the building of a village hall, according to plans and specifications on file in the clerk's office.

A certified check of 10 per cent of the amount will be required with each bid which check will be returned if bid is not accepted.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Village Council:
S. S. Kolden, President. H. B. Young, Clerk.

Notice for Bids for Road Dragging

Sealed bids will be received by the Town Board of Holt, up to May 13, 1916, for dragging the following roads, viz:

East from C. L. Heinze's 4 miles; West from C. L. Heinze's 2 miles; West from A. L. Sagstuen's 2 miles; Between sections 7 & 18, 8 & 17, 9 & 16, and 10 & 15, 11 & 14, 1 & 2, and on the range line between Holt and East Valley, 5 miles. State prices per mile traveled and send all bids to T. B. Folden, Town Clerk, Holt, Minn.

By order of Town Board.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. March 25, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Rudolph Dahl, of Golden Valley, Minn. who on Dec. 17, 1912 made Homestead Entry, No. 08724 for NE1-4 Sec. 35, Twp. 156 N., R. 41 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner, for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn, on the 10th day of May 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Ole Tronsdahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Elling Tollefsrud, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.
Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

ESTATE OF SVEN H. JOHNSON

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall— In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sven H. Johnson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Britta Johnson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the Will of said decedent:

The petition of Britta Johnson being duly filed in this Court, representing that Sven H. Johnson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died on the 7th day of September 1916, leaving a last Will and Testament which is presented to this Court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last Will and Testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Britta Johnson,

Now Therefore, You, and each of you, are hereby citied and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of May 1916, at 11 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness The Honorable Peter H. Holm, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 15th day of April 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

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Notice of Cancelation Of Land Contract.

To J. F. Hammond and Oma S. Hammond, his wife.

Thief River Falls, Minnesota and Moravia, Iowa.

Take Notice: That you are in default under and according to the terms, conditions and provisions of that certain Contract, dated the 2nd day of September 1914, whereby the Thief River Valley Land Company of Thief River Falls, Minnesota in Pennington Co., which said contract was on the 27th day of October 1915 assigned to the Fosbroke Land Company Inc., of St. Paul Minnesota, County of Ramsey and notice of such assignment sent by registered mail to the said J. F. Hammond and wife, agreed to convey unto you upon full and timely performance by you of your part of the terms, conditions and provisions thereof, reference to which Contract for more particularity is hereby made, of the following described real estate situate in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, to-wit: Lots one (1), two (2) and three (3), Section (30), Township One hundred fifty-five (155), Range Forty-two (42), comprising 158 acres, more or less according to Goverment survey thereof.

And that, according to the terms, conditions and provisions of said contract, there became due and payable from you to said Thief River Valley Land Company on the 1st of November 1915, the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars ($750.00), with interest on five thousand two hundred & thirty-two dollars ($5232.-00) at six (6) per cent per annum, from the 2nd day of September, 1914, and all taxes unpaid and at this date of this notice said amount and interest still remain overdue and unpaid, and such default as above specified still exists.

NOW THEREFORE, YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED, That unless on or before ninety days after the publication of this notice upon you, you pay to the Fosbroke Land Company, Inc., at their office in the Commerce Building In St. Paul, Minnesota, the amount of money above stated, with interest to the date of payment, and perform the terms and conditions, and comply with the provisions of said Contract on your part to be performed, said Contract will be cancelled and terminated, and all your right, title, and interest thereunder, and in and to the land and property covered thereby, forfeited and annuled. Said cancellation and termination of said contract to take effect July 28th 1916.

Dated April 21st, 1916.

Fosbroke Land Co. Inc.
By G. E. Fosbroke,
[CORPORATE SEAL] President.

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Ramsey }

On this 21st day of April 1916, before me appeared G. E. Fosbroke to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is president of the Fosbroke Land Company, a corporation, that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation and that said instrument was executed in behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and said G. E. Fosbroke acknowledged said instrument to be the free act of said corporation.

Max E. Kost.
Notary Public Ramsey Co., Minn.
My commission expires 3-4-1923.
[NOTARIAL SEAL]

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How To Test Our Service!

An ability and a desire to render good bank service are the supreme tests of the kind of bank service your business of affairs demand.

No other bank in this locality is better able to give prompt, careful, considerate service.

No bank that you ever heard of is more desirous of serving its community to the fullest advantage of its customers and those who seek its advice and judgement.

The Bank of Good Service is here to serve YOU. Remember that statement and all that it signifies.

Farmers' State Bank
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THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest. The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

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400 Pair Shoes!
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We have just received 400 Pair of Ladies,' Men's, Boy's, Misses' and Children's Sample Shoes

From the well known shoe firm of The Freeman Shoe Co., of St. Paul,

That will be sold at below Regular Wholesale which means a saving to you from 40 to 60%

Now is the time to stock up in Shoes for a year to come.

HOLT MERCANTILE COMPANY
The Store that saves you MONEY

Holt Newfolden

Mud Lake Applications Accepted

The following original settlers on the Mud Lake bottoms have received notice that their filing papers have been accepted by the U. S. Land Office at Crookston:

Misses Agnes Fosen, Matilda Furr, Esther Relerson and Karoline Johnson, and Messrs W. A. Silbaugh, Iver Borsheim, Racine Olson, Ole O. Garthus, Ed Furr, Fred Peterson, Oscas Knutson, Alfred Sollom, and Olaf Ness.

Mrs. T. Sollom fell as she was going down the stairway of the cellar of her home, on Saturday afternoon, and was badly bruised and shaken up but no bones were broken. She was carrying a pail in each hand and the little finger of her right hand was cut to the bone by the pail and was very sore for sometime.

Free! Free!

32 Piece Dinner Set Free to those who Buy for Cash $7.00 worth of MERCHANDISE

In the next few days. See them.

People's Cash Store
Holt - Minn.

School [illegible]

Miss Shellan of the State Department of Education, visited school a week ago Thursday.

Vernon, Percy and Lola Huseth left school Friday, having left town for a few weeks visit.

Theodore Nygard started school last week.

Work has commenced on an entertainment for the last day of school.

The Eighth Grade.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

HOLT STATE BANK

Holt, Minnesota

At the Close of Business on May 1st, 1916.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$74,027.08		
Overdrafts	156.42	Capital	$10,000.00
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	3251.44	Surplus	3,500.00
Other Real Estate	2900.00		
Cash on hand and in Banks	21,742.52	Deposits	89,448.26
Other Resources	871.00		
	$102,948.26		$102,948.26

D. B. BAKKE, President **A. D. STEPHENS, Vice-President**
(Pres. Merchants Nat'l Bank, Crookston, Minn.)

B. DOCKEN, Cashier

Hay for Sale.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

In Church Circles.

Auction sale of the Free Mission Ladies Aid, Saturday evening May 20th.

Rev. Ole Lundell of Thief River will be here with his choir next Sunday and hold services in the Mission Church at 3 P. M.

A fine horse at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

Misses G. and O. Sollom returned to their schools in Oslo and Mud Lake, the first of the week, after a few weeks vacation spent at home with their mother.

Lost: Ladies' red silk handbag, somewhere on the road between Holt and Middle River. Finder please leave at The News office and receive reward.

Rev. F. D. McMartin.

L. Ness of Middle River will plant twenty acres of potatoes and J. C. Nordland of the same place will plant a big field too. We understand that A. C. Jahr will plant about 8 acres and P. A. Riesberg 10 or 12 acres this year and that Ole Relerson will also plant several acres.

More farmers should take an interest in the potato and corn crops, they won't fail every year. Try it and see.

Prof. Prushek, Misses Elsie Lawson and Christine Saastad have been re-elected as teachers in our public school for the coming year. This is considered a wise move on the part of our school board and the teachers are to be congratulated on the success of their work in our school.

Farmers have been busy seeding for sometime and but few are coming to town when it is fit to work in the fields.

We thought somebody said the wind never blew in Minnesota, but we know better now. Sunday afternoon the wind reached a great velocity. Window glass was broken, trees blown down and any thing that was loose was blown away somewhere. The telephone wire was badly demoralized and the service crippled for a short time.

But throughout the northwest the storm was much worse in many places than here and in some places almost reached the nature of a cyclone. At least one life was lost in Duluth and considerable damage done to buildings.

We have just stocked our yard with a complete line of

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Bring in your bills to be figured.

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Winton-Nichols Lumber Company

Holt - - Minnesota

C. L. Sandberg - Agent

Get one of our magazine clubs.

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The Old Reliable

Skandia Hotel

New Management

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Lunch Counter

Short Order Meals and Lunches All Hours of the Day

Cigars, Soft Drinks Confectionery

Jacob Nelson, Prop.

Middle River - Minn.

Miniature Cattle.

The smallest cows in the world are found in the Samoan islands. The average weight does not exceed 150 pounds, while the bulls weigh about 200 pounds. They are about the size of a Merino sheep.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Clean up all rubbish and lessen the danger of fires.

If you want to sell or trade your farm, write to, or still better call on B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

One Solid Benefit.

"I tell you, sir, the great benefit of a college education lies in the friends you make." "That's so. No matter how old you are, if you have been through college you can always find some one to play poker or bet on the races or go on a spree with."—Life.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

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FOR THE BUSY MAN

NEWS EPITOME THAT CAN SOON BE COMPASSED.

MANY EVENTS ARE MENTIONED

Home and Foreign Intelligence Condensed Into Two and Four Line Paragraphs.

WAR NEWS.

The losses by the Bulgarian army during the war are estimated at 87,000 killed and 50,000 wounded or missing.

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Dr. Eugene Hurd, until recently the only American surgeon at the front with Russian soldiers, has performed more than 3,000 operations near the battle line.

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It is announced that the French government purposes to take measures to prepare French territorial troops for war.

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Officers' casualty lists show that during the month of march the British lost 372 killed, 690 wounded and 44 missing—a total of 1,106.

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The British battleship Russell, recently sunk in the Mediterranean sea, with a loss of 124 lives, is the eleventh British battleship which has been lost during the war.

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British estimates of the European war's toll of merchant ships, put the number of 736, with a tonnage of more than 2,000,000. Allied vessels lost number 538 and neutral 198.

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Forty-two Danish ships, valued at 11,000,000 kroner, the cargoes of which were valued at 20,000,000 kroner, have been destroyed by submarines and mines during the war. Eighty-seven men have been killed.

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Berlin reports that in the recent raid on Lowestoft and Yarmouth, England, the steamer King Stephen was sunk and its crew captured, also that a destroyer and a scout boat were sunk and a cruiser set on fire.

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Cost of living is soaring in England as well as in Germany, according to a price list compiled in a locality where the population is great and competition keen. Prices of necessaries have increased from 15 to 50 per cent.

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The British garrison of Kut-El-Amara, 105 miles southeast of Bagdad, has surrendered to the Turks after a siege of more than 140 days. The forces surrendering were composed of 2,970 British and 6,000 Indian troops.

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Fifteen thousand Armenians were killed by Turks at Mamakhatum prior to the evacuation of Erzerum, according to a statement by Richard Hill, a local representative of the American committee for Armenian and Syrian relief, of New York.

GENERAL.

Daniel P. Toomey, publisher of the Columbian, the official paper of the Knights of Columbus, died at his home in East Orange, N. Y.

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Four hundred Irish rebels were made prisoners when British government troops captured St. Stephen's Green in Dublin and drove them out with bombs.

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In a battle between 6,000 rebels and the Constitutionalist army just north of the city of Oaxaca, Mexico, the rebels were defeated with a loss of 500 men killed and many wounded.

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It is announced that the Ford Motor company of Detroit will at once commence the erection of a plant at Des Moines to cost $500,000 and will employ 1,000 men.

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The documents seized by federal agents when they raided the office of Wolfe von Igel gained new importance through an announcement that among them was a German code book.

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The progressive party of Iowa has but one candidate in the entire state for the June primary, according to the filings with the secretary of state. He is Edward H. Crane of Odebolt, running for congressman in the Eleventh district.

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Aanalysis of labor conditions in New York shows that on May 1 there were between 50,000 and 60,000 working men and women on strike or locked out, with other industrial disturbances threatened.

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The Bethlehem Steel company announced a voluntary increase of 10 per cent in the wages of its 24,000 employes. This is the third 10 per cent advance given the men in the last ten months and will add $170,000 to the monthly payroll of the company.

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Twenty persons lost their lives and nearly 100 injured by tornadoes which swept three distinct areas in Kansas and Missouri. Property damage in southeastern Kansas, southeastern and Central Missouri is enormous.

Another rich gold strike has been made in Alaska, according to reports received at Fairbanks from the interior.

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The strike of workmen on the Anchorage division of the United States railroad in Alaska for higher wages has been declared off.

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Massachusetts will be represented in the republican national convention by an unpledged delegation, according to the recent primary results.

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A report from Dublin, Ireland, says that the rebel forces on April 28 numbered about 12,000, of which 2,000 were Larkinites and 10,000 were Sinn Feiners.

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Wage concessions which would increase the anthracite mine workers' pay roll by approximately $9,000,000 in the next four years, are offered in an agreement reached by a joint subcommittee of operators and miners at New York.

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American laboring men from May 1st, will draw a daily increase of $204,616 in wages. Statistics in New York show that wage increases affecting 706,500 workers, and totaling $5,368,872 monthly, or $64,426,464 a year, went into effect May 1.

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Revenue from carrying war munitions and barbed wire for shipment to Vladivostok, Russia, has broken all previous Northern Pacific railway records. Net income for March totals $2,594,727, an increase of 50 per cent over the same month last year.

SPORTING.

Chicago Athletic association defeated Yale university in a dual swimming meet at the Detroit Athletic club.

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Ad Wolgast, former lightweight champion, won the referee's decision over Joe Flynn at the end of a fifteen-round contest in Denver.

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Harry Wells of New Orleans defeated Sam Langford of Boston on points in an eight-round match at St Louis.

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Ever Hammer, Chicago lightweight boxer, decisively defeated Champion Freddie Welsh on points in a fast ten-round no-decision contest at Chicago.

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Grover Cleveland Alexander, the great pitcher of the Philadelphia National league baseball team, has shut out the Boston Braves six times since June 26, 1911.

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Joe Stecher of Nebraska, before a crowd of 8,000 spectators at Baltimore, Md., threw Gus Shoenlin, known throughout the wrestling world as "Americus," twice in exactly four minutes and fifteen seconds.

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Walter Miller of St. Paul, Minn., was given a referee's decision over "Pete" Brown, who styles himself the champion middleweight wrestler of the world, after one hour and thirty minutes of wrestling at Billings, Mont.

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Jack Britton of Chicago claimed the world's welterweight championship when he was awarded a referee's decision over Ted Lewis of England at the end of a twenty-round bout at New Orleans, La. Lewis claimed the title when he defeated Harry Stone of New York last February.

WASHINGTON

The Russian railway just [illegible] to Tabriz, Persia, probably will be pushed into Baluchistan, to link Petrograd with British Indian cities, according to a communication to the Department of Commerce.

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Senator Sheppard, democrat of Texas, told in the senate that the United States was menaced by a rapidly increasing aristocracy of land owners and proposed a constitutional amendment to authorize congress to buy land, hold, improve, subdivide and sell it and make loans for the purpose of encouraging farm home ownership.

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Sharp rises in food prices in Denmark have alarmed the people, who fear further increases if the war continues, say consular advices from Copenhagen. Foods and every day necessities are said to be up 30 per cent, with the rate of increase growing.

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Leaders of the woman suffrage movement sent baskets of May day flowers to President Wilson and all the members of his cabinet, containing messages urging support of a constitutional amendment giving women the ballot.

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Immigration is quickening after months of stagnation caused by the European war. Figures published by the immigration bureau show that 33,000 foreigners reached American shores during March, against 24,000 in February and 17,000 in January.

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Earnings of the federal banks were $[illegible]55,707 gross and $257,607 net for the first quarter of 1916, or at the yearly rate of 1.9 per cent on an average paid-in capital of $54,004,000. The St Louis and San Francisco reserve banks lost money during the quarter.

GERMANY MAKES CONCESSIONS IN ANSWER TO UNITED STATES' NOTE; TO MODIFY SUBMARINE WARFARE

BERLIN GOVERNMENT DECIDES TO ADOPT METHODS OF SUBSEA ATTACKS TO THE INTERESTS OF NEUTRALS.

NEW ORDERS TO U-BOAT CAPTAINS EFFECTIVE NOW

Instructions to Observe Rules of Search and Safety of Human Life and Follow International Law Are Significant—Requested to Make Demands on Britain.

Berlin, (By Wireless via Sayville, N. Y.) May 6.—Following is the text of the note of the German government in reply to the American note respecting submarine warfare, delivered by Gottlieb von Jagow, the foreign secretary, to Ambassador Gerard:

"The undersigned, on behalf of the Imperial German government has the honor to present to his excellency the Ambassador of the United States, Mr. James W. Gerard the following reply to the note of April 20 regarding the conduct of the German submarine warfare:

Identical With Sussex.

"The German government handed over to the proper naval authorities for early investigation the evidence concerning the Sussex as communicated by the government of the United States. Judging by the results that the investigation has hitherto yielded, the German government is alive to the possibility that the ship mentioned in the note of April 10 as having been torpedoed by a German submarine is actually identical with the Sussex.

"The German government begs to reserve further communication on the matter until certain points are ascertained, which are of decisive importance for establishing the facts of the case.

"Should it turn out that the commander was wrong in assuming the vessel to be a man-of-war, the German government will not fail to draw the consequence resulting therefrom.

Repudiates U. S. Assertion.

"In connection with the case of the Sussex, the government of the United States made a series of statements, the gist of which is the assertion that the incident is to be considered but one instance of a deliberate method of indiscriminate destruction of vessels of all sorts, nationalities and destinations by German submarine commanders.

"The German government must emphatically repudiate the assertion. The German government, however, thinks it of little avail to enter into details in present stage of affairs, more particularly as the government of the United States omitted to substantiate the assertion by reference to concrete facts.

Has Imposed Restraint.

"The German government will only state that it has imposed far-reaching restraints upon the use of the submarine weapon, solely in consideration of neutrals' interests, in spite of the fact that these restrictions are necessarily of advantage to Germany's enemies. No such consideration has ever been shown neutrals by Great Britain and her allies."

"The German submarine forces have had, in fact, orders to conduct the submarine warfare in accordance with the general principles of visit and search and the destruction of merchant vessels recognized by international law, the sole exception being the conduct of warfare against enemy trade carried on enemy freight ships encountered in the war zone surrounding Great Britain.

Has Given No Assurances.

"With regard to these, no assurances have ever been given to the government of the United States. No such assurances are contained in the declaration of February 8, 1916.

"The German government cannot admit any doubt that these orders were given or executed in good faith. Errors actually occurred. They can in no kind be avoided altogether. Allowances must be made in the conduct of naval warfare against an enemy resorting to all kinds of ruses, whether permissible or illicit.

Implies Dangers For Neutrals.

"But apart from the possibility of errors, naval warfare just like warfare on land, implies unavoidable dangers for neutral persons and goods entering the fighting zones. Even in cases where the naval action is confined to ordinary forms of cruiser warfare, neutral persons and goods repeatedly come to grief.

"The German government has repeatedly and explicitly pointed out the dangers from mines that have led to the loss of numerous ships.

U. S. Blamed For "Accidents."

"The German government has made several proposals to the government of the United States in order to reduce to a minimum for American travelers and goods the inherent dangers of naval warfare. Unfortunately, the government of the United States decided not to accept the proposals. Had it accepted the government of the United States would have been instrumental in preventing the greater part of the accidents that American citizens have met with in the meantime.

"The German government still stands by its offer to come to an agreement along these lines.

"As the German government repeatedly declared, it cannot dispense with the use of the submarine weapon in the conduct of warfare against enemy trade. The German government, however, has now decided to make a further concession, adapting methods of submarine war to the interests of neutrals.

"In reaching this decision the German government is actuated by considerations which are above the level of the disputed question.

Helped Develop Laws.

"The German government attaches no less importance to the sacred principles of humanity than the government of the United States. It again fully takes into account that both Governments for many years co-operated in developing international law in conformity with these principles, the ultimate object of which has always been to confine warfare on sea and land to armed forces of belligerents and safeguard, as far as possible noncombatants against the horrors of war. But although these considerations are of great weight, they alone would not, under present circumstances, have determined the attitude of the German government.

Blames British Government.

"For in answer to the appeal by the government of the United States on behalf of the sacred principles of humanity and international law, the German government must repeat once more, will all emphasis, that it was not the German but the British government which ignored all accepted rules of international law and extended this terrible war to the lives and property of noncombatants, having no regard whatever for the interests and rights of neutrals and noncombatants that through this method of warfare have been severely injured.

"In selfdefense against the illegal conduct of British warfare while fighting a bitter struggle for national existence, Germany had to resort to the hard but effective weapon of submarine warfare.

U. S. Attempts Failed.

"Several attempts made by the government of the United States to prevail upon the British government to act accordingly failed because of a flat refusal on the part of the British government. Moreover, Great Britain again and again has violated international law surpassing all bounds in outraging neutral rights. The latest measure adopted by Great Britain declaring German bunker coal contraband, and establishing condidtions under which English bunker coal alone is supplied to neutrals, is nothing but an unheard-of attempt by way of exaction to force neutral tonnage into the service of British trade war."

Power to Confine War.

"The German people know that the government of the United States has the power to confine the war to armed forces of the belligerent countries in the interest of hunmanity and maintenance of international law. The government of the United States would have been certain of attaining this end had it been determined to insist against Great Britain on the incontrovertible rights to freedom of the seas.

"But as matters stand the German people is under the impression that the government of the United States, while demanding that Germany, struggling for existence, shall restrain the use of an effective weapon, and while making compliance with these demands a condition for maintenance of relations with Germany, confines itself to protests against illegal methods adopted by Germany's enemies. Moreover, the German people know to what considerable extent its enemies are supplied with all kinds of war material from the United States.

Guided By Friendship.

"It will therefore, be understood that the appeal made by the government of the United States to sentiments of humanity and principles of international law cannot, under the circumstances, meet the same hearty response from the German people which such an appeal otherwise always is certain to find here.

"The German government, conscious of Germany's strength, twice within the last few months announced before the world to make peace on a basis safeguarding her many vital interests, thus indicating that it is not Germany's fault if peace is still withheld from the nations of Europe. The German government feels all the more justified in declaring that responsibility could not be borne before the forum of mankind and in history if, after 21 months of the war's duration, the submarine question under discussion between the German government and the government of the United States were to take a turn seriously threatening maintenance of peace between the two nations.

Prepared to Do Utmost.

"So far as lies with the German government it wishes to prevent things from taking such a course. The German government is prepared to do its utmost to confine operations of the war for the rest of its duration to the fighting forces of the belligerents, thereby also insuring freedom of the seas, a principle upon which the German government believes, as before, that it is in agreement with the government of the United States.

"Such a demand would be incompatible with the character of neutrality and the German government is convinced that the government of the United States does not think of making such a demand, knowing that the government of the United States repeatedly declares that it is determined to restore the principle of freedom of the seas, from whatever quarter it has been violated.

"The German government, guided by this idea notified the government of the United States that German naval forces have received the following order:

"In accordance with the general principles of visit and search and the destruction of merchant vessels recognized by international law such vessels, both within and without the area declared a naval war zone shall not be sunk without warning and without saving human lives unless the ship attempts to escape or offer resistance.'

"But neutrals cannot expect that Germany forced to fight for existence shall for the sake of neutral interests restrict the use of an effective weapon if the enemy is permitted to continue to apply at will methods of warfare violating rules of international law."

Expects U. S. To Remove Impediments.

"Accordingly the German government is confident that in consequence of new orders issued to the naval forces the government of the United States will now also see to it that all impediments are removed which may may have been in the way of mutual co-operation toward the restoration of the freedom of the seas during the war as suggested in the note of July 23, 1915, and it does not doubt that the United States will now demand and insist that the British government shall forthwith observe the rules of international law universally recognized before the war as are laid down in the notes presented by the government of the United States to the British government Dec. 26, 1914, and Nov. 5, 1915."

"Should the steps taken by the government of the United States not obtain the object it desires—to have the laws of humanity followed by all belligerent nations—the German government would then be facing a new situation in which it must reserve to itself complete liberty of decision.

"The undersigned avails himself of this opportunity to renew to the American ambassador his assurances of highest consideration.

"Jagow."

HERR VON JAGOW

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FORTRESS IS SHELLED BY DOMINICAN BOAT

Santo Domingo, May 8.—Hostilities have commenced here. Several persons were killed or wounded. A Dominican gunboat bombarded the fort. The situation is considered critical.

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HOW TO HEAL ITCHING, BURNING SKIN DISEASES

A Baltimore doctor suggests this simple, but reliable and inexpensive, home treatment for people suffering with eczema, ringworm, rashes and similar itching, burning skin troubles.

At any reliable druggist's get a jar of Resinol Ointment and a cake of Resinol Soap. These are not at all expensive. With the Resinol Soap and warm water bathe the affected parts thoroughly, until they are free from crusts and the skin is softened. Dry very gently, spread on a thin layer of the Resinol Ointment, and cover with a light bandage—if necessary to protect the clothing. This should be done twice a day. Usually the distressing itching and burning stop with the first treatment, and the skin soon becomes clear and healthy again.—Adv.

Why He Resembled His Parents.

A bachelor friend of the young couple was being entertained at dinner, and during the evening he was presented by the proud mother to her infant son.

"Now, Fred, which of us do you think he is like?" she asked gayly, holding up the baby for inspection.

The guest viewed the tiny mite for a moment as he replied. "Well, of course intelligence has not really dawned in his countenance yet, but he's wonderfully like both of you!"—Youth's Companion.

USE ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE
The antiseptic powder to be shaken into shoes and used in foot-bath. It relieves painful, swollen, smarting, aching, tired feet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. The greatest comfort discovery of the age. Sold everywhere, 25c. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y. Adv.

Patchouli for Moth Prevention.

The fragrant dried roots of the patchouli, reports Special Agent Garrard Harris, are held in great esteem in Porto Rico, and it is the general belief in the island that when placed among clothing and in closets they are a sure preventive of moths. In the earlier days of the century the perfume of patchouli was in great favor. It is believed that if the properties of patchouli were more generally known there would be a demand for it in the United States in preference to moth balls. It should have as much vogue as lavender for putting between sheets and placing among garments; and if it were manufactured or shredded into a finer substance and sold in small bags it would be a decided novelty that undoubtedly would prove popular. Great quantities of it grow wild in Porto Rico, and a demand for it from the United States would afford employment to many of the poor country people. In Porto Rico natives bring the patchouli to town and sell it in small bundles that retail at two to five cents.

Mandy the Undisturbed.

Solitude does not make for eloquence.

"Mandy," said Bill Ittner, the ultimate denizen of Bitter Creek, "where's my razor? I need a shave."

Entered then Ike Kidder, the arch enemy of Bill Ittner, a bad citizen from across the range. A nine-inch bowie flashed in his hand. Bill clinched with Ike and the mountain cabin trembled in their struggle. The table was demolished, the stove collapsed, the matutinal water bucket was overturned. Finally, Bill secured the knife. As he pushed the dying Ike from its blade—

"Behind the clock," said Mandy. "You sure do!"—Judge.

Footpath to Education.

Father—So you like school, do you, dear? And what have you learned today?

Marjorie (aged six)—I learned the names of all the little boys.

As long as it is only talk, let the other fellow have his way. Why should you care?

GLASS OF WATER Upset Her.

People who don't know about food should never be allowed to feed persons with weak stomachs.

Sometime ago a young woman who lives in Me. had an attack of scarlet fever, and when convalescing was permitted to eat anything she wanted. Indiscriminate feeding soon put her back in bed with severe stomach and kidney trouble.

"There I stayed," she says, "three months, with my stomach in such condition that I could take only a few teaspoonfuls of milk or beef juice at a time. Finally Grape-Nuts was brought to my attention and I asked my doctor if I might eat it. He said, 'yes,' and I commenced at once.

"The food did me good from the start and I was soon out of bed and recovered from the stomach trouble. I have gained ten pounds and am able to do all household duties, some days sitting down only long enough to eat my meals. I can eat anything that one ought to eat, but I still continue to eat Grape-Nuts at breakfast and supper and like it better every day.

"Considering that I could stand only a short time, and that a glass of water seemed 'so heavy,' I am fully satisfied that Grape-Nuts has been everything to me and that my return to health is due to it.

"I have told several friends having nervous or stomach trouble what Grape-Nuts did for me, and in every case they speak highly of the food."

"There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

"I DON'T SUFFER ANY MORE"

"Feel Like a New Person," says Mrs. Hamilton.

New Castle, Ind.—"From the time I was eleven years old until I was seventeen I suffered each month so I had to be in bed. I had headache, backache and such pains I would cramp double every month. I did not know what it was to be easy a minute. My health was all run down and the doctors did not do me any good. A neighbor told my mother about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I took it, and now I feel like a new person. I don't suffer any more and I am regular every month."—Mrs. HAZEL HAMILTON, 822 South 15th St.

When a remedy has lived for forty years, steadily growing in popularity and influence, and thousands upon thousands of women declare they owe their health to it, is it not reasonable to believe that it is an article of great merit?

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

No Objection.

"This war is making everything more expensive," complained father. "I see by the paper that even castor oil is going up."

"That's nothing in my young life," said little Johnny. "The only time it worries me is when it's going down."

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Evidently They Were Together.

"My husband tells me that he was out late last night with your husband."

"That isn't so. I want you to understand that my husband was out with your husband."

CUTICURA COMFORTS BABY

Suffering From Itching, Burning Rashes, Eczema, etc. Trial Free.

Give baby a bath with hot water and Cuticura Soap, using plenty of Soap. Dry lightly and apply Cuticura Ointment gently to all affected parts. Instant relief follows and baby falls into a refreshing sleep, the first perhaps in weeks. Nothing more effective.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Ouch!

He—I would die for you.

She—Well, what are you waiting for?

Self-Esteem.

"You must forgive your enemies."

"I do," replied Miss Cayenne. "But I can't help criticizing their bad taste."

When Housework Drags

Keeping house is hard enough when well. The woman who has a bad back, blue, nervous spells, and dizzy headaches, has a hard lot, for the family tasks never let up. Probably it's the result of kidney trouble and not the much-feared "woman's weakness." Strengthen the kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills. They are as harmless as they are effective and may be used for children with weak kidneys, too.

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. John Crawford, Langdon, N. D., says: "I suffered for two years from a steady, dull pain in the small of my back and the least exertion tired me. I had headaches and dizzy spells and the doctor said my kidneys were badly affected. Doan's Kidney Pills were just what I needed and three and a half boxes restored me to good health. I have had no need of a kidney medicine since."

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MANY JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS IN STATE

PLAN INTRODUCED IN TWENTY-FIVE CITIES IN SEVEN YEARS.

COLLEGIATE WORK PLANNED

Is Taught in Institutions at Faribault, Rochester and Cloquet — Others to Adopt Plan Next Fall, According to Report.

Minneapolis. — Twenty-five Minnesota cities have introduced junior high schools into their school systems in the last seven years, and are now operating them, according to a report compiled by C. C. Bingaman, superintendent of schools, Goldfield, Iowa. The report aims to present a study of the junior high school, or "intermediate," schools in operation throughout the country, especially those in the smaller cities.

Minnesota cities listed as using the junior high school organizations are Faribault, Hibbing, Austin, Barnesville, Cokato, Fergus Falls, Grand Rapids, Henderson, Howard Lake, Renville, Rochester, Sandstone, Mankato, Bemidji, Cloquet, Crookston, Deer River, Duluth, East Grand Forks, Hutchinson, Montevideo, New Ulm, Rushford, Ely and Villard.

Plan Collegiate Work.

Bemidji is listed as having had the plan in use for seven years, Cloquet and Grand Rapids for six, and Austin and Cokato for four. Practically all the cities having junior high schools organize their twelve years of work into six-and-six- or six-three-and-three groups, though a few into six-two-four or three-three-three groups, the junior high school generally comprising the seventh, eighth and ninth years.

The report states that in Minnesota the schools of Fergus Falls, Mankato, Barnesville, Montevideo and Austin expect to organize more or less "junior college" work next fall or soon after. The schools of Faribault, Rochester and Cloquet already are teaching one to two years of collegiate work.

WAR IS DECLARED ON LAKE LINE BY THE TWIN CITIES

Proposed Rates Discriminate in Favor of Duluth, is Claim—30-Day Delay For Traffic.

Minneapolis, Minn. — Minneapolis shippers have declared war against the Great Lakes Transit corporation to prevent that company, they assert, from putting in effect lake and rail rates which discriminate against the Twin Cities in favor of Duluth in such an extent that competition in many lines would be killing to the companies here.

The shippers took action after they had been notified by the Minneapolis office of the Conners' line that owing to the protest of W. P. Trickett, director of the Minneapolis Traffic association, the Interstate Commerce commission had held up all lake and rail rates for a period of 30 days or more. Mr. Trickett promptly branded the charge false and misleading.

St. Paul shippers will back up Minneapolis' stand before the Interstate Commerce commission.

DAIRY STOCK SHOW PLANNED

To Be Feature of Red River Valley Society's Convention.

Crookston.—The board of directors of the Red River Valley Dairymen's association, in session here, selected Thief River Falls for the next annual meeting, December 6 and 7. The association plans to make the meeting the largest in the history of the organization.

Attending the conference were President C. G. Selvig, Secretary [illegible] J. Hauske of Halstad, Vice President A. B. Stensgaard of McIntosh and Treasurer C. M. Davidson of Climax.

A new feature planned this year is a dairy stock show at the convention, for which an additional $100 was appropriated for prizes. This makes possible another competitive dairy stock judging contest between the buttermakers and the dairymen.

AUTO IN LAKE; TWO DROWNED

Machine Jumps Road and Plunges in Water Near St. Paul

St. Paul, Minn.—Entangled in the mud and weeds that line the shore of Lake Vadnais, near St. Paul, Leonard Knowlan, 27 years old, and Clara Sieverson, 19 years old, were drowned when the automobile in which they were riding jumped the Rice road and plunged into the lake.

Four other occupants of the automobile were thrown into the lake, but were able to clamber to safety.

Robbers Considerate; Heed Sign.

St. Cloud. — Robbers who evidently believe in signs entered the Kummer store at Cold Spring and stole $35 in cash and several checks. Since a safe at Rockville was blown to pieces Mr. Kummer had a sign over his safe, "Do not use dynamite, this is unlocked." As a result there were no visible evidences of the robbery and the loss was not discovered until some time after the store had been opened. The robbery was evidently the work of amateurs. Entrance was effected through a window.

1,200 AT AUSTIN CONVENTION

DELEGATES FROM OVER STATE ATTEND SESSIONS.

Governor's Secretary Makes Address Before Minnesota Sunday School Association.

Austin, Minn.—Austin is entertaining the largest convention ever held here; 1,200 delegates from every part state are here to attend the sessions of the Minnesota Sunday School association. A special train from the twin cities arrived with 400 delegates. They were met at the station by reception committeemen wearing large white buttons bearing the words, "Ask me, I live here." High school cadets acted as escort to the church.

Mayor John H. Anderson made the address of welcome. The response was by Vice President W. A. Buchanan of St. Paul. Charles M. Andrist, private secretary of Governor J. A. A. Burnquist, told of the first Sunday school he ever attended, and paid a fine tribute to his mother, who compelled attendance.

DECIDES TO EXPLOIT STATE

Minnesota Forestry Society Holds Annual Meeting.

Minneapolis.—Exploitation of Minnesota's natural attractions for tourists has been decided upon by members of the Minnesota State Forestry association, who held their annual gathering here.

Eight districts of the state, each with distinctive natural characteristics, were designated, as follows:

The Lake Park region, the Bowstring country and Boundary country, Mississippi headwaters, Crow Wing-Mille Lacs region, the Big Woods belt, the St. Croix-White Bear district and the Southeastern River district.

Recreational maps showing railroad, auto and canoe routes will be published.

SCHALL EXPLAINS HIS VOTE

Minnesota Congressman Says McLemore Resolution Was Trick.

Minneapolis, Minnesota.—Minnesota congressmen who have been charged with voting against the McLemore resolution were defended by Congressman Schall who was here to make an address at the Twenty-sixth Street District Improvement association's celebration.

"It was a trick of the Democrats opposed to President Wilson," said Mr. Schall. "They did not want to go on record on military preparedness so they introduced a motion to table the resolution. It was against that motion, not against the spirit of the McLemore resolution that I voted."

GIRL SHOT WHILE STUDYING

Seventeen Year-Old Boy Held Without Charge by Police.

Minneapolis, Minn.—A shot fired through a window of A. Gustave Sund's residence struck Gundborg Sund, his 16-year-old daughter, as she sat at her studies in a room on the first floor. Her skull was fractured, according to Dr. Nimrod A. Johnson.

Detectives, acting upon information given them by the girl's father, arrested Norman Addison, 17 years old. He is held without charge.

Addison, according to Mr. Sund, was forbidden to see the girl a month ago following arrest and punishment in juvenile court for annoying her.

FIGHT DUEL WITH TAXICABS

Art Thoroughly Modernized by Two Drivers in Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Minn.—The art of duelling, thoroughly modernized, has been revived in Minneapolis. A fare called a taxi in front of the Radisson hotel. Two machines answered. The one that drew up at the curb first was rammed by the one that drew up a close second, whereupon the driver of the first car reversed and rammed the second car. Hostilities continued until the second car was hors du combat with a smashed radiator. The victor pulled away from his fallen foe and executed a hasty flank movement off the scene of battle.

Mad Dog Terrorizes Golden Valley.

Golden Valley.—School children in Golden Valley are taken to school under armed escort and their parents go about their work with shotguns and revolvers following a raid on the district by a mad dog which ruled in a short reign of terror among the farming population. The rabid animal, a stray cur, made a sortie on a herd of swine, biting six of them. Four died. He then ran to a neighboring farm and killed several ducks and chickens, biting and tearing at other dogs as it ran. The dog was finally killed by a farmer.

Prosperity Goes With Saloons [illegible].

Moorhead.—Reports sent out from here recently to the effect that Moorhead is enjoying great prosperity since the county option law went into effect, that many new homes are being built, and that all the merchants report a large increase in business, are said to be objected to by property owners as being untrue and liable to cause trouble by bringing families to the town, the heads of which seek work that is not to be had, and otherwise cause conditions to be worse than they are at present.

BIG DEMAND FOR MINNESOTA LANDS

COLONIZATION MOVEMENT THIS YEAR EXPECTED TO ECLIPSE ALL PREVIOUS RECORDS.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

The "forward to the land" movement is under way, and statistics compiled by the Minnesota commissioner of immigration indicate the colonization movement for the fiscal year probably will eclipse the record of 1908-9, when hundreds of homesteaders and others settled on government land.

This year's movement is attributed to the general prosperity of the country.

For the first three months of this year the Minnesota Transfer handled 1,054 carloads of immigrant movables for various destinations in Minnesota. Since not all this business is handled through the transfer it is probable that the railroads have handled 1,500 carloads of immigrant freight for Minnesota points.

Many of the shipments originated in Illinois, Iowa and other states where land cannot be obtained as cheaply as in Minnesota.

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Teachers Get Pensions.

Twenty-five applications for membership in the state teachers' insurance and retirement fund have been accepted by the trustees in charge of the fund. At the same time three teachers were placed on the retired list and will receive teachers' pensions at once. The board voted to invest $8,000 in school district bonds of Douglas and Todd counties and also to buy $10,000 worth of bonds of the city of Blue Earth.

Those whose applications for membership in the fund were accepted were as follows:

John M. Duran, Sebeca, taught 15 years; Mary Meighan, Granite Falls, taught 27 years; W. A. Brown, State Park, taught 23 years; Mrs. Ethel Hurd Webster, Mankato, taught 19 years; Birdie Summer, Lockhart, taught 21 years; C. A. Ask, McIntosh, taught 17 years; Ella D. Pease, Rochester, taught 29 years; Edith D. Sather, Spring Valley, taught 20 years; Mary C. Devany, Virginia, taught 30 years; Jos. C. Marshall, Princeton, taught 27 years, Theda Gildemeister, Winona, taught 27 years; Frances C. Bishop, Northfield, taught 21 years; Amanda Alasker, Moorhead, taught 2 years; Una Hudson, Mankato, taught 17 years; John A. Maus, Watkins, taught 23 years; Emma R Reith, Minnesota City, taught 16 years; Agnes R. Fosen, Holt, taught 14 years; Emily E. Willson, Rochester, taught 21 years; years; Elizabeth A. Kintzle, Shakopee, taught 31 years; Isabel Williams, Mankato, taught 20 years; Matilda Heuss, Winona, taught 27 years; Florence Burlingame, Grand Rapids, taught 25 years; Eliza E. Penfold, Houston, taught 15 years; Nina Stewart, Northfield, taught 19 years, and Lillian Stewart, Northfield, taught 20 years.

Those whose application for retirement were accepted are, Ella D. Pease, Rochester, taught 29 years; Edith Dunham Sather, Spring Valley, taught 20 years; Eliza Evans Penfold, Red Wing, taught 18 years.

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State's Ditches Damaged.

Flood damage reports from state ditch districts have resulted in the departure of E. V. Willard, state drainage engineer, for northern Minnesota on a special inspection tour. "Sudden thaws of the deep snow are responsible for the conditions reported and they are such as cannot be reasonably provided for," said Mr. Williard just before leaving. "The chief complaints, however, are that the ditch outlets are not sufficiently large and demands probably will be made on the next legislature for action to remedy such conditions."

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Increase in Fire Losses [illegible].

There was a material increase in net fire loss of the state in 1915 as compared with 1914, according to figures compiled by State Insurance Commissioner Works. In 1915, the fire loss of the state was $5,381,971.59 as compared with $4,831,013.33 in 1914. The total amount of insurance in effect on December 31, 1915, was $1,552,531,113.16, as compared with $1,537,903,129.97 in 1914.

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Spawn Seekers Handicapped.

High water in the lakes [illegible] of Minnesota is handicapping the half dozen parties sent out by State Game Commissioner Carlos Avery to collect the annual supply of pike spawn for replenishing the fish hatcheries of the state.

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Extra Shifts Work at Prison.

Night and day shifts [illegible] worked at the Stillwater prison binding twine plant and the factory is being pushed to its fullest capacity. The night crew was added more than a week ago. Last year the prison twine plant turned out over 21,000,000 pounds of binding twine, and that figure will be exceeded this year. The board announces that it has orders enough on hand to take every pound of twine the prison can manufacture. The output this year will probably be in excess of 22,000,000 pounds.

If you Suffer from Backache, Lumbago, Kidneys or Rheumatism, Take Hot Water and "ANURIC"

American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead, when your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night, when you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your druggist—"ANURIC." Because of uric acid in overabundance in the system, backache, pains here and there, rheumatism, gout, gravel, neuralgia and sciatica result. It was Dr. Pierce who discovered a new agent, called "Anuric," which will throw out and eradicate this uric acid from the system. Dr. Pierce believes "Anuric" to be 37 times more potent than *lithia*, and consequently you need no longer fear muscular or articular rheumatism or gout, or many other diseases which are dependent on an accumulation of uric acid within the body. Send Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. 10c for trial package or $1.00 for full treatment "Anuric."

Dr. Pierce's reputation is back of this medicine and you know that his "Pleasant Pellets" for the liver and his "Favorite Prescription," for the ills of women have had a splendid reputation for the past 50 years. Adv.

Vengeance First.

A young convict came singing around the corner of the big, sunny yard, and Judge Briles had just made himself comfortable in an easy chair on the big house porch.

"Good morning," said he to the man.

"Good mo'nin'!"

"What are you here for?"

"Beatin' up a policeman."

"That is a serious offense. Now, aren't you glad you have thought better of it and intend to turn about?"

"Yes, suh."

"And when you get out you will reform?"

"Yas, suh, I'll beat up dat perleeceman what sent me up fo' beatin' him up—after dat, I'se gwine t' be a diffunt niggah, jedge."—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

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Upward.

"You should think of higher things."

"I do. I am entirely unable to keep my mind off the price of meat and gasoline."

Changed.

"That new maid of ours is a wonder. When she came to us two months ago she couldn't understand a word we said to her."

"And now?"

"And now she won't."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

No Changes There.

Bacon—Astronomers in 18 observatories in almost as many nations are compiling a map of the heavens that is expected to catalogue from 30,000,000 to 40,000,000 stars.

Egbert—Evidently don't believe the war is going to change the map of the heavens.

Something Lost.

"Do you find that prohibition has improved the town?"

"In many ways. But it isn't as interesting and intellectual as it was when the temperance lecturers held regular meetings."—Washington Star.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Cabaret.

"Will you have some [illegible] [illegible], sir?" asked the waiter.

"I don't mind if I do," said the guest. "You might ask the young lady to cut the same capers she was doing when I came in."

About [illegible] tons of paper and paper board are manufactured every day in the United States.

A glass of liquor [illegible] spiritual comfort.

The American Way.

The Stranger—Why are you driving the car so fast?

The American—To get to the ferry.

(Later at ferry.)

The American—We have 20 minutes to spare.

The Stranger—I know it. In this country you will race the car, burn up gasoline, imperil lives, run the chance of being arrested and kill a chicken to gain 20 minutes for which you have no use when you get them.

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How It Impressed Him.

Willie's father was trying to impress upon him the tremendous progress that science and invention have made in the past fifty years.

"Just think, Willie," he said. "When I was a boy there were no telephones, no electric lights, no talking machines, no moving pictures, no X-rays, no wireless telegraphy, no—"

"Gee," interrupted Willie. "What an awful lot of hicks everybody must have been!"

The Old Days.

"The theater has changed greatly."

"Yes. I can remember when they used to have opera with a ballet."

Its Sort.

"Yes, I actually bearded the lion in his den."

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160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

The winnings of Western Canada at the Soil Products Exposition at Denver were easily made. The list comprised Wheat, Oats, Barley and Grasses, the most important being the prizes for Wheat and Oats and sweep stake on Alfalfa.

No less important than the splendid quality of Western Canada's wheat and other grains, is the excellence of the cattle fed and fattened on the grasses of that country. A recent shipment of cattle to Chicago topped the market in that city for quality and price.

Western Canada produced in 1915 one third as much wheat as all of the United States, or over 300,000,000 bushels.

Canada in proportion to population has a greater exportable surplus of wheat this year than any country in the world, and at present prices you can figure out the revenue for the producer. In Western Canada you will find good markets, splendid schools, exceptional social conditions, perfect climate and other great attractions. **There is no war tax on land and no conscription.**

Send for illustrated pamphlet and ask for reduced railway rates [illegible] as to best locations, etc. Address Superintendent Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D. J. [illegible], Dunn Blk., Great Falls, Mont.

Canadian Government Agents

Local Items

Mrs. Iver Engebretsen went to Goodridge Saturday for an over Sunday visit with friends.

Mrs. P. O. Rierson returned home Monday from a short visit with relatives in Thief River Falls and Goodridge.

Mrs. M. E. Carlson came Tuesday from Lancaster to visit her husband

Mrs. Willie Warner returned to her home in Thief River Falls Tuesday after a short visit with relatives and friends.

The state boiler inspector was here the past week on official business.

The Misses Amanda and Stella Mickelson and Josephine Marty went to T. R. Falls Friday.

Miss Hildur Carlson who has been teaching near Holt, went to Coleraine Minn. Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Huseth and family went to Fertile Monday to visit her parents and also attend her sister's wedding.

J. A. Sorum went to Thief River Falls Tuesday on business.

Miss Amanda Fosholm and little sister went to Thief River Falls, Saturday to visit relatives.

Miss Mildred Johnson of Golden Valley has been helping Mrs. Docken while they have been moving.

The Golden Hour Society will meet at Hans Knutson's Saturday afternoon May 13th. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe autoed to T. R. Falls Sunday for a short visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson autoed over from Newfolden Tuesday P. M. and spent a few hours here on business and visiting relatives.

Oscar Knutson went to Dakota Monday where he expected to find employment for a few months.

C. H. Gunheim has put in a Gasoline tank under the sidewalk and has a pump handy so autos can run up to the sidewalk and have the tank filled in a short time and in a convenient way.

Mr. and Mrs B. Docken moved Tuesday into the house purchased of D. Payne. Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson will move into the house vacated by the Docken family and Mr. and Mrs. Christ Knutson will move into the house which the Olson family will soon vacate.

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Clean Up Notice.

Notice is hereby given to clean up all yards, alleys and streets in the village of Holt by May. 15th. 1916.

After May 15th. all rubbish, ash piles, tin and glassware, manure or anything else that causes yards, alleys and streets to be dirty or unsightly, will be removed by order of the village council and the expense of such removal will be assessed against the property owners or occupants who are responsible for neglect in cleaning up said places.

By order of the Village Council.
S. S. Kolden, President.

Bray-Oien Wedding

Mrs. Grace Bray and Henry J. Oien were united in marriage at the parsonage in Crookston, Tuesday May 9th., by Rev. L. A. Roseland of the United Lutheran church. The bride and groom accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Huseth and Rev. Roseland left immediately after the ceremony for Fertile where a most delicious wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Oien departed the same day for Fargo and will visit relatives at other points for several days before returning to their home in this village.

The News joins with their many friends in wishing this most worthy couple a hearty much joy.

For Sale

Brand new Kitchen Cupboard. Will sell cheap.

B. Docken.

Geo. Anderson has been clerking in Huseth's store a few days this week.

The G. N. have been putting in new ties and otherwise improving their road beds.

Andrew Ness and family autoed here from Thief River Falls, Sunday for a short visit at the R. Reierson home.

Mrs. R. Reierson who visited at the home of Andrew Ness at T. R. Falls last week, returned home Sunday.

R. Reierson visited friends in Mud Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Loyd Adams and son Myron and Miss Beatha Nelson came from Fargo Monday to visit their mother, Mrs. Jacob Nelson and family.

Miss Bennes commenced clerking in Carlson's store Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bakke and sons Bertil and Edwin of Thief River Falls, visited at the Docken home a short time Sunday P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson moved yesterday into Axel Nelson's house.

Mrs. J. J. Marty went to Wales N. D. Wednesday to visit her parents.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Alfred Olson has charge of the elevator during the absence of H. J. Oien.

Mesdames B. Docken and Alfred Anderson visited in Thief River Falls Friday.

Mrs. Christ Knutson visited her husband's parents west of Newfolden a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Latta and Mrs. Racine Olson autoed to T. R. Falls Friday.

Clarence Docken was in Warren on business the first of the week.

Tony Carlson and Miss Clara Sollom autoed to Newfolden Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson.

Mrs M. T. Strom returned Saturday from a few days visit with relatives in Thief River Falls.

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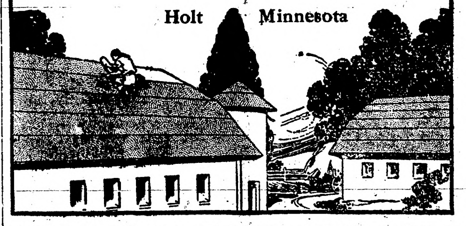

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H. S. Williams, Owner.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Sell Your Farm
If you want to sell or trade your farm
Call on or write to
B. Docken
Holt - Minn.

On Wednesday we experienced a peculiar rain or mud storm. The sky became overcast with reddish looking clouds, filling the air with a fine dust which penetrated every crevice in house or office.

It commenced to rain which plastered up the sides of buildings and windows with mud making things look any thing but presentable. Towards evening a young blizzard followed suit, which lasted about 10 minuets and then the clouds rolled away as a scroll and the blue sky appeared in all its beauty. Verily this is going some.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of March 1916.

Cream received	15,773 lbs
Average test	25.58
Butter fat	4036.80 lbs
Percent overrun	24 30
Butter made	5017 lbs
Balance on hand last month	60
Received for butter shipped	1485 32
Butter and milk sold patrons	8 55
Cash sales at creamery	40 24
To other sources	11 26
Total	$1545 97
Paid patrons by check	1353 55
" " " Butter & milk	10 61
Expense fund, etc.	143 35
Coal sold	7 72
To sinking fund	28 47
Balance on hand	2 27
Total	$1545 97
Number of patrons,	84
Price paid for butter fat,	34c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 and over: Tosten Ellefson $43.50. John Simonson $41.23.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

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Percheron Stallion
Will Stand at Holt
Mondays and Fridays
Come and look him over
TERMS:
$14 00 to insure sucking colt
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Single service $6 00, Cash
If any mare is sold or leaves the community, service fees become due and payable at once.
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Notice For Bids

For Building Village Hall For Holt

Notice is hereby given that the village council of the incorporated village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids up to 8 o'clock P. M. of May 13th, 1916, for the building of a village hall, according to plans and specifications on file in the clerk's office.

A certified check of 10 per cent of the amount will be required with each bid which check will be returned if bid is not accepted.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Village Council.
S. S. Kolden, President. H. B. Young, Clerk.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

ESTATE OF Carl L. Anderson.

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Carl L. Anderson, Deceased.

State Of Minnesota, County Of Marshall, In Probate Court.

The State Of Minnesota To Anna Anderson, Carl Oscar Anderson, Carrie Elizabeth Anderson, Erick Ragnar Anderson, John Edwin Anderson, Helmer Levin Anderson, Gladys Evelyn Anderson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Anna Anderson having been filed in this court, representing that Carl L. Anderson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 19th day of January 1919; and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to said Anna Anderson, and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH Of YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesoto, on the 5th day of June 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 9th day of May 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.
A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Petitioner,
Warren, Minn.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

May 6, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Anton Anderson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on March 26th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 07565, for S1-2 NW1-4, N1-2 SW1-4, Sec. 22, Twp. 156 N. Ran. 41 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 12th day of June, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Sorum, of Holt, Minn.; Albin Dahl, Oluf Dahl and Ole Maakstad, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.
Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Notice of Cancelation Of Land Contract.

To J. F. Hammond and Oma S. Hammond, his wife.

Thief River Falls, Minnesota and Moravia, Iowa.

Take Notice: That you are in default under and according to the terms, conditions and provisions of that certain Contract, dated the 2nd day of September 1914, whereby the Thief River Valley Land Company of Thief River Falls, Minnesota in Pennington Co., which said contract was on the 27th day of October 1915 assigned to the Fosbroke Land Company Inc., of St. Paul Minnesota, County of Ramsey and notice of such assignment sent by registered mail to the said J. F. Hammond and wife, agreed to convey unto you upon full and timely performance by you of your part of the terms, conditions and provisions thereof, reference to which Contract for more particularity is hereby made, of the following described real estate situate in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, to-wit: Lots one (1), two (2) and three (3), Section (30), Township One hundred fifty-five (155), Range Forty-two (42), comprising 158 acres, more or less according to Goverment survey thereof.

And that, according to the terms, conditions and provisions of said contract, there became due and payable from you to said Thief River Valley Land Company on the 1st of November 1915, the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars ($750.00) with interest on five thousand two hundred & thirty-two dollars ($5232.00) at six (6) per cent per annum from the 2nd day of September, 1914, and all taxes unpaid and at this date of this notice said amount and interest still remain overdue and unpaid, and such default as above specified still exists.

NOW THEREFORE, YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED, That unless on or before ninety days after the publication of this notice upon you, you pay to the Fosbroke Land Company, Inc., at their office in the Commerce Building In St. Paul, Minnesota, the amount of money above stated, with interest to the date of payment, and perform the terms and conditions, and comply with the provisions of said Contract on your part to be performed, said Contract will be cancelled and terminated; and all your right, title and interest thereunder, and in and to the land and property covered thereby, forfeited and annulled. Said cancellation and termination of said contract to take effect July 28th 1916.

Dated April 21st, 1916.

Fosbroke Land Co. Inc.
By G. E. Fosbroke,
[CORPORATE SEAL] President.

State of Minnesota }
County of Ramsey } ss

On this 21st day of April 1916 before me appeared G. E. Fosbroke to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is president of the Fosbroke Land Company, a corporation, that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation and that said instrument was executed in behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and said G. E. Fosbroke acknowledged said instrument to be the free act of said corporation.

Max E. Kost.
Notary Public Ramsey Co., Minn.
My commission expires 3-4-1923.
[NOTARIAL SEAL]

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A STATE BANK
A HOME BANK
DEPOSITS LOANS
FARMERS!
As a rule, farmers do not keep book-accounts. At the end of the year there is no record of the amount spent for labor, seed, implements, repairs, etc. The profits are guessed and the actual results are oftee far from correct.
Deposit your money in this; pay-by-check, and you will always know how you stand.
The check stubs show the amount paid, for what and to whom it was paid, and the date of payment. The cancelled checks are returned to you and are Legal receipts when properly endorsed. Open your account, now.
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Hawkeye Laundry Soap, this week only, 12 bars for - -	25c	Lace Curtains, Reg. price from $1.25 to $3.00 this weekly only	19c
25 lb. box Peaches, Reg. $2.50 this week only - -	1.75	Men's Work Shirts worth as high as 65c, this week only - -	39c
Mex-o-ja Coffee, Regular 30c this week only, per lb. -	22c	Regular 50c Boys Knee Pants, this week only - -	24c
Regular 40c 12 qt. Heavy Milk Pails this week only - - - -	27c	Reg. 12 1-2c, 36 in. Percales, 100 pieces shades and stripes, only -	10c
Reg. 40c Heavy Enamel 8 and 10 qt. Preserving Kettles only -	27c		
Regular 45c Heavy Enamel 17 qt. Dish Pans, this week only - -	27c		

We have a large number of Ladies and Mens Sample Shoes that still go at Half-Price
The above prices are for One Week Only - Week of May 22 to May 27th
These Specials are for CASH or PRODUCE only.
HOLT MERCANTILE COMPANY
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Holt - - - Newfolden

Local Items

Get one of our magazine clubs.

Miss Gunhild Sollom returned home Saturday from Oslo.

D. Payne visited with friends in town between trains, Monday.

Geo. Anderson has been papering at A. H. Huseth's house this week.

R. Reierson has received a car of Gold Medal Flour and feed. adv

Miss Dora Olson came from Grand Forks Friday for a few days visit with relatives.

For Sale: Two Small buildings. One about 10x12, the other a trifle smaller. Enquire at Holt State Bank.

Lion tractor for sale on easy terms. Guaranteed to pull three plows. Write box 638, Holt, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Ostby, Mrs. E. M. Bennes and daughter Esther, of T. R. Falls, visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes, Sunday.

P. L. Anderson, A. L. Carlson and Miss Clara Sollom autoed to Newfolden, Sunday, and visited Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson.

B. Docken went to Thief River Falls, Monday, to attend a meeting of the Bankers Association, held there the fore part of the week.

Miss Emma Kuehne returned Saturday from a short visit in Thief River Falls with her sister, Mrs. Albin Knauf.

Real estate taxes are now due. Pay the first half at the Holt State Bank before the last of the month and avoid the penalty.

Lever Olson has been very poorly for the past week or ten days, having suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen and Miss Hilma Nyberg visited at the home of Nils Skaug in Newfolden, Sunday.

A few of the original Mud Lake settlers have received notice of a hearing which will be held in Thief River Falls June 7th.

Taxes! Taxes! Taxes!

First half of all real estate taxes are due on or before May 31st. Pay them at Holt State Bank.

School Entertainment.

An entertainment will be given at the Holt Public School building, Friday May 26th, at 10:30 A. M. The exhibits of the children's work and a program will be followed by a dinner at the picnic grounds. All are invited to attend.

In Church Circles.

Auction sale of the Free Mission Ladies Aid, Saturday evening May 20th.

Mr. H. Strege, a theological student, will preach in the German language, in the Holt Synod Church at 10:30 next Sunday morning.

Rev. F. D. McMartin will hold services in the Holt Free Mission Church, next Monday evening May 22, at 8 o'clock and you are invited.

Work on the new buildings has been delayed some the past week by the unfavorable weather. P. O. Reierson has the frame up for his house and E. A. Johnson has his well under way. Paul Olson has his barn almost finished. They are doing light housekeeping in a small building and will live in the barn while building their house. H. B. Young expects to have his house finished this week and move the first of next week.

Free! Free!
32 Piece Dinner Set
Free to those who buy for Cash $7.00 worth of MERCHANDISE
In the next few days. See them.
People's Cash Store
Holt - Minn.

Our magazine offers are O. K.

A fine horse at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

The drought was broken Sunday night by a good rain.

Mrs. Torkelson arrived here Monday from Climax for an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. Anderson.

Misses Christine Nass and Raganild Steenerson of Middle River visited Mrs. Albert Bennes, the first of the week.

E. T. Eide came Wednesday from Spooner on business and for a short visit with relatives.

P. A. Riesberg shipped a lot of seed potatoes to Middle River this week.

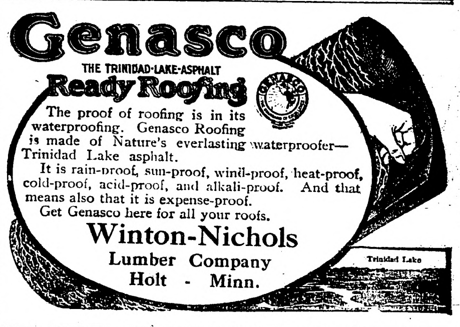
We desire to call our readers attention to the specials at greatly reduced prices offered by the Holt Merc. Co. Don't fail to read their Ad.

Arthur Olson and Miss Olga Gustafson were married in Warren last Saturday and have commenced housekeeping on the farm of the groom's father, Paul Olson.

Mrs. T. O. Hoyme and little daughter Viola returned Tuesday to their home in Hendrum after a few days visit at the home of the formers cousin, Mrs. Ole Reierson, and family.

Lost: [illegible] silk handbag, somewhere on the road between Holt and Middle River. Finder please leave at the [illegible] office and receive reward.

[illegible] D. McMartin



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Dog Tax Notice!

All owners and keepers of dogs are hereby notified to get a lisence and tag before June 1st and avoid penalty provided in the ordinance.

H. B. Young, Village Clerk.

P. P. Reierson visited relatives in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Henry Stensrud was a business visitor in Thief River Falls, the first of the week.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will have an auction sale of useful and ornamental articles, on Saturday evening May 20th., in the church.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.12
Wheat No. 2	1.08
Wheat No. 3	1.02
Wheat No. 4	.95
Flax	1 79
Oats	.35
Barley	.53 to .56
Rye	.82
Flour, Best Patent	3.75

For Sale

Brand new Kitchen Cupboard. Will sell cheap.

B. Docken.

Township Road Notice!

Notice is hereby given that the Town Board of Holt will meet at the following times and places for the purpose of letting contracts for road and ditch work, viz:

May 27th at 10 o'clock A. M., at northwest corner of Section 25 and at 2 P. M. at Charles Skoglund's in Section 12, and May 30th at 10 A. M. at H. O. Ekerdalen's.

By order of Town Board.
Lewis Wegge, Chairman.

Mrs. O. Hoel and little grandson came home from Stampede, N. D. yesterday where she had been for sometime during the sickness and death of her daughter there.

A. R. Jones drove to St. Hilaire Sunday and was obliged to stay over night on account of the rain. He came home on the train Monday and went back after his team Tuesday, driving as far as Thief River Falls that evening and coming here Wednesday morning. Mr. Jones reports the roads fearfully muddy in places.

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NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What Is Going On at Washington and In Other Sections of the Country.

WAR NEWS.

London reports that two additional German Zeppelins have been destroyed, one in the North Sea off the coast of Schleswig and the other at Saloniki.

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The recent Zeppelin air raid on the northeast coast of England and southeast coast of Scotland resulted in thirty-six casualties. One hundred bombs were dropped.

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The French war office announces that General Robert George Nivelle has been appointed to command at Verdun. He will succeed Henri Phillepe Petain.

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The sinking of an allied transport in the Mediteranian late in April with the loss of nearly all the 600 Russian troops who were on board, is reported in advices from Berlin.

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Verdun, the scene of the recent terrific fighting between the French and Germans, was the last place held by the Prussians after the Franco-Prussian war, the city being restored to the French, September 16, 1873.

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The chief of the fire department, Dublin, Ireland, estimates the damage to buildings in the Irish capital as the result of the recent revolt, at £1,000,000 and to stocks at £750,000. The number of buildings destroyed or damaged is 179.

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An uprising against the British in the Sudan is reported in dispatches from Constantinople. Alf Dinar, the Imam of Darfour, with a force of 8,000 camels, is said to be marching against the British forces in northern Sudan.

GENERAL.

Eight republican delegates to the national convention at Chicago, elected at Pueblo recently, will go uninstructed.

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Two lieutenants of the Fifth field artillery were killed and two other officers were injured in an automobile wreck at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

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Three American soldiers and a 10 year-old boy lost their lives and two American citizens were kidnapped in a raid on Gleen Springs, Texas, by Mexican bandits.

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All collection records were broken for a single meeting at a "Billy Sunday revival, when Kansas City people dropped $5,275 into the collection pans the evening of May 5th

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Swift & Co, packers, was found guilty by a jury in the federal court at Chicago on all twenty nine counts in the indictment charging it with violation of the interstate commerce laws The maximum penalty which can be imposed is a fine of $25 000

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Establishment of a business men's military training camp similar to the Plattsburg, N Y, camp, which was operated with such signal benefit last year in New York, will be possible at Fort Crook, near Omaha. It plans now under headway are given approval of the war department

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In a compilation issued by the foreign trade department of the National City bank of New York City it shows that exports from the United States to the Philippine islands for the last sixteen years amounted to $201,000,000 and the United States imported from the islands products to the value of $218,000,000

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Not an undertaker in New York city had a casket large enough for the body of Baptiste Hugo, giant of the Barnum & Bailey circus who died recently of heart trouble He is said to have been the tallest man in the world Hugo, who was an Italian was eight feet, four inches tall, and weighed 536 pounds

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A full squadron of the Eleventh U S cavalry surprised and routed a much larger force of Villistas at Ojo Azules, and by actual count forty two Mexicans were killed and a number were wounded

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The Methodist Episcopal church expended for foreign missionary work last year a total of over $2,600,000, according to a report made at Saratoga, N Y by Dr Earl S Taylor, corresponding secretary of the board of foreign missions.

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No names of presidential candidates may be written on the ballot at the South Dakota state primary election on May 23, according to the ruling made by Attorney General C. Caldwell.

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Massachusetts will be represented in the republican national convention by an unpledged delegation, according to the recent primary results.

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The superdreadnought Oklahoma, one of the biggest fighting craft afloat, costing $7,000,000, is the latest addition to the United States Navy.

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James M. Sullivan of New York, formerly American minister to Santo Domingo, has been arrested in Ireland on the charge of complicity in the Irish rebellion.

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More than $1,200,000 was paid by the Methodist Episcopal church during 1915 toward the support of superannuated and retired ministers and widows of ministers.

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Mayor John MacVicar of Des Moines has signed an application blank to attend the citizens' military training camp at Fort Benjamin Harris, near Indianapolis, this summer.

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Sale of boxes for the progressive national convention to be held in Chicago June 7, has been opened. During the first few hours of the sale seven boxes were sold for $250 each.

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The Hatien cabinet has resigned. Parliament has entered a protest with the American government and congress against what it declares to be a violation of the legislative branch of the government.

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From Mexican sources it is learned that upon the immediate withdrawal of the American troops General Carranza has offered through his two representatives to place an active army of 25,000 men in northern Mexico.

SPORTING.

Eighteen cars have been nominated to start in the international sweepstakes at the Independent Motor speedway, Indianapolis.

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Chick Hayes of Indianapolis fought twelve rounds to a draw with Benny Chaves of Colorado at Kansas City. They are featherweights.

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"Strangler" Lewis of Louisville, Ky., defeated Mort Henderson, known as the "Masked Marvel' of Altoona, Pa., at catch-as-catch-can wrestling at Madison Square Garden, New York.

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It took Joe Stecher of Nebraska 21 minutes and 40 seconds to pin Henry Ordeman's shoulders to the mat twice, at Minneapolis, just recently. Both falls were secured on combination scissors holds.

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If Denver promoters will agree to pay him $13,000, with an option on 50 per cent of the receipts, Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, will sign to box Ad Wolgast in the Colorado capital May 30, it is reported.

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Frank Gotch, champion wrestler, has cancelled his circus engagements because of stomach trouble, which has forced him to remain in the care of a specialist in Chicago. He has fallen off in weight to 185 pounds, it is said.

WASHINGTON

Senator O'Gorman of New York has announced that he would retire from the senate next March.

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The Hollis farm loan bill embodying the administration plan for establishing a system of rural credits, passed the senate by a vote of 58 to 5.

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Various administration supply bills, combined into one measure and amended so that democratic leaders believe it will enlist the united support of their party members, has been introduced in the house by Chairman Alexander of the merchant marine committee

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The Navy league of the United States has filed suit in the district supreme court against Henry Ford for $100,000 damages. The league charges Ford with having published in advertisements in a local newspaper statements of "a libelous and defamatory character"

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The interstate commerce commission has ordered cancelled proposed increased rates on fresh meat and packing house products between points in the middle west but held the interested railroads may file new tariffs proposing minor increases on these commodities.

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Federal aid to each state in the development of vocational and industrial training in its schools is promised if the Smith-Hughes bill now before congress goes through that body The states are supposed to meet the federal government half way in the matter of appropriations

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Congress probably will not recess for the national conventions Majority Leader Kitchin of the house said recently that some measure not requiring the presence of all the members probably would be considered during the convention weeks so that those who desire to get away may do so

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Democratic leaders in the house, it is said, are hopeful of disposing of the army conferees' disagreement, and report the rural credits and shipping bills within the next ten days.

CASEMENT FACES LONDON COURT ON TREASON CHARGE

LEADER OF IRISH REBELS RECENTLY GAINED INTERNATIONAL FAME FOR SERVICES RENDERED BRITISH.

MUCH INTEREST IN CASE, ADMISSION RESTRICTED

Crowds Gather Outside Police Court Long Before Hour For Hearing—Sir Rogers Appears Undisturbed—Irish Soldier Stands Beside Knight.

London, May 16.—Sir Roger Casement, who only a few years ago achieved international fame for the services he rendered his government in the exposure of the Putumayo rubber atrocities, is facing the bar in an ordinary police court for a preliminary examination to determine whether he should be held for trial on the charge of high treason against the same government in connection with the rebellion in Ireland. Beside Casement stood Daniel Julian Bailey, who faced a similar charge.

Admission Is Restricted.

Not in many years has so much popular interest been manifested in a case before the courts. Long before the hour set for the hearing crowds began to gather outside the Bow Street court, hoping to gain admittance, or at least to have a glimpse of the man alleged to have been the moving spirit in the recent Irish conspiracy.

Admission was restricted to about 100 persons, including representatives of the press.

Among the earliest arrivals in the court was Sir Horace Plunkett of the department of agriculture in Ireland. He took a seat near the magisrate. It was understood Sir Horace was merely a spectator. A number of relatives and friends of Casement, including seven handsomely gowned women, also were present.

Appears Undisturbed.

The stage was all set when the principal was led into the court. Sir John Dickinson, was presided, the lawyers and the witnesses all having taken their places before Casement arrived at 10:40 o'clock and entered the dock.

Far from appearing deeply disturbed at his position, Sir Roger Casement smiled and nodded as he saw friends in the courtroom. With Sir Roger was Daniel Bailey, an Irish soldier captured by the Germans early in the war. He went from Germany to Ireland in the submarine with Sir Roger and was taken prisoner at Tralee.

Two Defendants on Trial.

In the formal charge Casement is described as of no occupation and no fixed abode. The charge against both defendants read:

"For that they did between the first day of November, 1914, and on divers other occasions between that day and the 21st day of April, 1916, unlawfully, maliciously and traitorously commit high treason within and without the realm of England in contempt of our sovereign lord and king and his laws, to the evil example of others in like case and contrary to the duty and allegiance of the said defendants"

Casement is reported to have made a long statement to the authorities and it is believed that the statement will shorten the hearing before the magistrate. The police court hearing is merely a preliminary to the real trial, which will take place later before a panel of the judges of the high court of justice

RUSSIANS THREATEN TURKS

Are Near Main Line of Communication Near Bagdad.

Petrograd, May 16.—Developing a swift offensive movement on the extreme south, the Russians have crossed the Persian frontier southwest of Lake Urumiah and are now within 80 miles of the main line of communication of the Turkish army south of Bagdad.

The Slavs have reached the region of Roanduse, several miles inside the Turkish frontier. They are marching westward toward the ruins of ancient Nineveh and the Mesopotamian city of Mosul. Unless checked by the Turks within a fortnight, they will be threatening to cut off the Turkish forces holding back the British at Kut-el-Amara.

No development of the grand duke's successful offensive in the Caucasus has brought such surprise as the news of the appearance of another Russian army near the Turks' line of communication.

That the grand duke has outwitted the Turks and their German tutors is the belief here

Scott Makes Optimistic Report

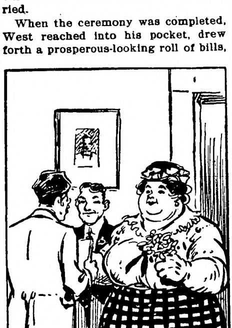
Washington, May 16 Information helpful to the administration in guiding its future course toward Mexico, has been presented to Secretary of War Newton D Baker and Secretary of State Robert Lansing by General Hugh L Scott, chief of staff of the United States army He informed them that while General Obregon at El Paso had refused to put down Mexican co-operation terms in black and white, he offered assistance that will be helpful, provided there are no outbreaks among detached Carranzistas.

WEIGHS 475 POUNDS MORE THAN HUBBY

Judge Refuses to Accept Fee "Because Bride Will Require Some Feeding."

St. Louis.—A blushing young woman who was about to become a bride and who weighed 615 pounds, hesitated at the entrance of an elevator in the Four Courts building the other day, and warned the conductor of the possible consequences if she went aboard. When she was assured that the cable would hold her she ventured and was hoisted with her intended husband, Harry West, who weighs 140, to the office of Judge Calvin Miller. There the pair were married.

When the ceremony was completed, West reached into his pocket, drew forth a prosperous-looking roll of bills, peeled off one marked "V" and handed it to the judge.



The Pair Were Married.

"No, no, you keep that," objected his honor. "You'll need it, for she'll require some feeding."

"Better take it," said the bridegroom. "There are plenty of 'em here."

But the judge's decision could not be changed, and the newlyweds, equipped with passports for their matrimonial journey, again braved the elevator. Then they went on a honeymoon. They would not announce their destination because they said they did not want the trip disturbed by mischievous and would-be humorous friends.

In applying for a marriage license the bride gave her name as Mrs. Gertrude Barker and her age as "over eighteen years." West gave his age as "over twenty-one years."

RAT IN THE GIRL'S SKIRTS

Rodent's Life Cut Short by Young Woman's Escort, Who Wields a Cane.

Green Bay, Wis.—Passengers on an interurban electric car running between Green Bay and Depere, Wis., were thrown into a panic by the screams of a young woman and the discovery that a rat had taken refuge in her skirts. When the panic subsided the men in the car gazed from the windows while the young lady removed her skirts and shook out the rodent, which had been beaten to death

A girl from Depere and her escort were the principal figures especially the girl, under whose skirts the rat found false security. The escort caught the squirming animal in the folds of the girl's clothing and clubbed it to death with his cane. Other male occupants of the car looked on but offered no assistance, while all the women took a hand in the screaming act.

HEROISM IS HIS UNDOING

Ex-Drunkard Decides a Drink Is Just Reward for Bravery in Resisting.

Montclair—In her annual report, Mrs. Nettie H. Patterson, superintendent of the Altruist society here, said that the society's officers had been trying to effect the reformation of a drinking man whose excesses had impoverished his family Finally he was induced to sign a pledge that he would not indulge for a year

To demonstrate to his wife that he could remain steadfast the man, according to Mrs Patterson walked twice past a saloon where he had been wont to spend his earnings, each time preening himself on the strength of his will power As he was about to pass the third time he turned to his wife and said: "Such bravery deserves a drink," and he went inside and got it.

Shot Coyote From Fast Train

Kearney, Neb "Cyclone" Thomp son pilot of the Kearney Beatrice and Hastings motor between Kearney and Calloway Neb, took a shot with a rifle at a huge coyote and dropped the beast while his train was making 30 miles an hour. The coyote was one of the largest ever seen in Nebraska.

CONFEREES AGREE ON A COMPROMISE BILL FOR BIG ARMY

PROPOSE DEFENSE FORCE IN TIME OF PEACE OF 654,000 MEN INCLUDING REGULARS AND NATIONAL GUARDSMEN

IS REPORTED TO BOTH BRANCHES OF CONGRESS

Measure Includes All Provisions Urged by "Big Army Men Except Federal Reserve—Chairmen Urge Passage—Action is Expected Immediately.

Washington, May 15.—A defense force in time of peace of 654,000 men is proposed in the army bill which Senate and House conferees have just reported to both branches of Congress after several weeks' conference.

Though a compromise, the measure includes all the provisions urged by "big army" men except the federal reserve.

With both chairmen urging its passage, action is expected immediately.

Regular Army of 206,000 Men.

The defense force will consist of an army of regulars totaling in all its branches 206,000 men in time of peace and 448,000 national guardsmen, 800 for each senator and representative. The regular army's peace strength of 206,000 can be expanded to 254,000 in time of war.

In the agreement on the regular army the Senate bill system of organization was retained as a substitute for the House system, which would have recruited a maximum army of 140,000 men.

President Given Authority.

The regular line of the army, the bill now provides, can never go below 160,000 and its maximum strength in times of peace would be 175,000 officers and men. In this calculation, however, there are excluded 5,723 Philippine scouts, 6,409 in the quartermasters' corps 7,290 in the medical department 3,387 in the signal corps and 8,750 unassigned recruits, a total of 31,650.

These, added to the regular line of 175,000 me, give a total regular army peace strength of 206,6590. The President is authorized to increase the regular army divisions to maximum strength without congressional action.

65 Infantry Regiments.

Under the conference agreement the regular army would consist of 65 regiments of infantry, 25 regiments of cavalry, 21 regiments of field artillery, a coast artillery corps of 30,000 officers and men, a signal corps of 3,387 men, including the aviation section, and seven regiments of engineers. In the aviation section the number of officers is increased from a total of 60 to 148, including one colonel, one lieutenant colonel, eight majors, 24 captains and 114 first lieutenants.

The organization plan contemplates attaining the full peace strength within five years as proposed in the original preparedness plans.

VILLA AGAIN REPORTED SEEN

Located near Carrizo, Rumor at U. S. Army Post.

Field Headquarters of the American Expedition, near Namiquipa, Mexico, May 13, via Radio to Columbus, N. M., May 15 Pancho Villa with 1,100 followers has bobbed up again, this time at a ranch near Carrizo, according to reports reaching headquarters

Carrizo is 40 miles northwest of La Ascension. The band was reported scattered along the Rio Carrolitos, made up of recruits from Sonora State and a sprinkling of the men who escorted Villa through the Sierra Madres. At headquarters the reported location aroused little interest. The redisposition of troops continued.

Watchful Waiting, Again U S Policy

Washington, May 15 The Mexican situation has simmered down again to watchful waiting. While contraction of the lines south of Columbus is practically accomplished. Major Langhorne's men apparently are on a hot trail after the Boquillas raiders and Carranzista soldiers are heading toward the Big Bend, avowedly to cooperate in running down the raiders.

President Wilson's Friend Dies.

Neenah, Wis., May 15.—Charles R. Smith, timber king, credited as being the wealthiest man in Wisconsin, has died in New York of apoplexy, according to word received here. Smith was a personal friend and college classmate of President Wilson He gave $5,000 to Wilson's campaign fund four years ago.

Irish Rebel Suspects Freed

London, May 15.—A large number of Dublin residents, arrested on suspicion, have been released from prison as the result of Premier Asquith's visit to the Irish capital, according to dispatches received here Several government employees were among the men released Others included persons suspected of having provisioned the Sinn Feiners while they were besieged by loyal troops and persons from whose houses snipers were active. Premier Asquith planned to continue his conferences at Dublin.

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Time's Changes.

Flatbush—Don't you think times have changed?

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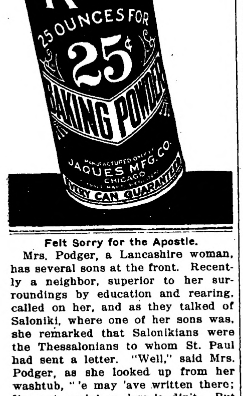

Felt Sorry for the Apostle.

Mrs. Podger, a Lancashire woman, has several sons at the front. Recently a neighbor, superior to her surroundings by education and rearing, called on her, and as they talked of Saloniki, where one of her sons was, she remarked that Salonikians were the Thessalonians to whom St. Paul had sent a letter. "Well," said Mrs. Podger, as she looked up from her washtub, "'e may 'ave written there; I'm not sayin' as 'ow 'e din't. But I'm sorry for 'im if 'e sent parcels. I sent two to my boy months since, and they ain't been delivered yet."—London Mail.

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"Can you suggest a good motto to hang up in the dining room?" asked the boarding house mistress.

"How about 'Forgive us this day our daily bread?" suggested the man who was going to move the next day anyhow.

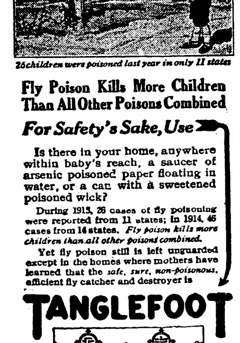
His Treat.

Bacon Been to see the doctor?

Egbert—Sure thing.

"Did he treat you?"

"Oh, no; it was my treat It cost me two dollars."



26 children were poisoned last year in only 11 states

Fly Poison Kills More Children Than All Other Poisons Combined

For Safety's Sake, Use

Is there in your home, anywhere within baby's reach, a saucer of arsenic poisoned paper floating in water, or a can with a sweetened poisoned wick?

During 1913, 26 cases of fly poisoning were reported from 11 states; in 1914, 46 cases from 14 states. Fly poison kills more children than all other poisons combined.

Yet fly poison still is left unguarded except in the homes where mothers have learned that the safe, sure, non-poisonous, efficient fly catcher and destroyer is

TANGLEFOOT

The Journal of the Michigan State Medical Society comments thus in a recent issue:

"Symptoms of arsenical poisoning are very similar to those of cholera infantum; undoubtedly a number of cases of cholera infantum were really cases of arsenical poisoning, but death, if occurring, was attributed to cholera infantum.

"We repeat, arsenical fly destroying devices are dangerous and should be abolished. Health officials should become aroused to prevent further loss of life from their source. Our Michigan Legislature, this last session, passed a law regulating the sale of poisonous fly papers."

The O. & W. Thum Co. Grand Rapids, Mich.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Duluth. — Six members of the Legislature from St. Louis county have filed as candidates for renomination and thirteen new aspirants have entered.

Moorhead. — S. N. Lee of Rollag has filed as a candidate for the Legislature, opposing Knud Wefald, the legislative "poet," for the Republican nomination.

Fairmont. — Political enthusiasm unsurpassed since the days of torchlight parades greeted Frank B. Kellogg, candidate for the Republican nomination for United States senator, when he spoke here.

Brainerd. — The Mille Lacs-Leech Lake-Jefferson Highway association has been formed here by representatives of Cass, Mille Lacs and Crow Wing counties to obtain the routing of the highway through their counties.

Knife River. — Residents of this village went supperless as they took refuge in the open from the wall of flames that menaced their homes. The forest fire started in the region of Clover Valley, and the residents in that section were forced to flee for their lives.

Minneapolis. — The Minnesota National guard could not take the field for effective active war service without putting in several months in a mobilization camp, to give the men physical fitness to endure the rigors of a campaign, Adjt. Gen. Fred B. Wood says.

Winona. — The banker can have no greater prosperity than the community in which his bank is located, was the thought which ran through the annual convention of the First district group of Minnesota Bankers' association, the concluding sessions of which have just been held.

Duluth. — Charles P. Craig of Duluth, president of the State Fair board and chairman of the Efficiency and Economy commission in 1914, has filed as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Eighth Minnesota district. His opponent for the nomination will be the present congressman, Clarence B. Miller.

Brainerd. — The annual state convention of the Knights of Columbus opened in Brainerd, with delegates present from 49 councils, also all state officers, district deputies and a national officer, E. W. Buckley of St. Paul, national director. The present state membership of the order is 11,843, an increase of 1,400 for the year.

St. Paul. — The four-year term law for county officers has been upheld by a decision of the state supreme court. All sheriffs, county treasurers, auditors, county attorneys, registers of deeds, coroners, superintendents of schools and county surveyors elected in 1914 will hold over until 1918, and will not have to stand for re-election this year.

St. Cloud.—Rev. John Vander Boer, pastor of St. Bernard's Catholic church at Ward Springs, was overcome by fire and smoke while attempting to save his church. The unconscious form of the priest was found in the churchyard after the church had been burned to the ground. He saved practically all of the vestments and altar supplies.

Duluth. The ore movement from the Lake Superior district in April was the heaviest ever known in the initial month of navigation, aggregating 1,658,411 tons. The next heaviest April on record was that of 1910, when 1,520,305 tons were shipped The April traffic is indicative of the tremendous shipments that may be expected the rest of the year

St Paul The fact that a railroad company gives free transportation to a witness in a suit in coming to and going from the place of trial, does not bar the witness from receiving his mileage and per diem from the party in the suit who subpoenas him, according to a ruling handed down by the supreme court in the case of Adam Jakutis against the Illinois Central Railroad company, taken up from Ramsey county

St Paul The Minnesota Territorial Pioneers' association meeting at the old capitol on the 58th anniversary of the admission of Minnesota to statehood, brought together more than 100 men and women, notwithstanding the cold wind that kept many home and the funeral in Minneapolis of Frank Slocum, a pioneer, which many attended. Governor J A A Burnquist and former Governor S R Van Sant addressed the meeting

St. Paul. So serious are the financial affairs of Koochiching county that Attorney General Smith and Public Examiner Fritz have left to investigate and if possible to straighten out the tangle. The district, it is said, is practically threatened with bankruptcy. As one of the new counties, Koochiching has been constructing ditches and roads, and in doing so has bonded itself to the limit While figures are not available, the belief is that the bonding limit has even been exceeded

St Peter Arrangements for the 18th annual convention of the Third district group of the Minnesota Bankers' association which will be held in this city this week have been completed Two sessions will be held A tour of the city and surrounding country will be given the delegates

Emily George Taylor has discovered a huge piece of copper ore, nearly pure, here The entire community scattered over the lands where the find was made and tried to find the main ledge The ore discovered by Taylor weighs about forty-five pounds. Prices of land increased over night.

REGENTS VOTE TO INCREASE "U" FEES

ACTION NECESSITATED BY INCREASED ENROLLMENT—LARGER STAFF NEEDED.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

It is going to cost students $10 more each to attend the University next year in the colleges of arts, agriculture, education and engineering. The board of regents has directed increase of fees in these colleges from the present total of $30 yearly per student to $40.

The increase was said to be necessitated by the heavy enrollments in these colleges, which demanded a larger teaching staff than the Legislature had provided for.

On motion of C. L. Sommers of St. Paul, the resolution to increase fees was made to apply to the year 1916-17 specifically. The other regents concurred with Mr. Sommers in holding that the old fee schedule might be resumed if the coming Legislature would appropriate liberally enough for instruction purposes. A. E. Rice of Willmar voted against the fee raising. A fee of $5 a semester was voted to apply to students in the University high school, beginning next fall. No fee has been heretofore exacted.

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Ruling On Land Sales.

In land sales hereafter, bidders will be advised that if the land purchased at the state auctions is found afterward to possess timber of value, the certificates will be cancelled and the timber reserved for the state.

This announcement has been made by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, following his visit to Bemidji, where he sold two small parcels of land.

Mr. Preus, for the first time announced the new rule, and as a result the bidders were scarce.

Mr. Preus said that in the past many instances have come to his notice, where purchaser would buy the state lands containing timber, pay the 15 per cent. of the purchase price required by the law, cut off the timber and then let the land go back to the state.

He cited instances where buyers had purchased state land on which the appraisers had estimated the timber at $360, and that 500,000 feet of lumber had been cut off. At the minimum figure of $4 a thousand feet, this timber would have been worth $20,000.

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Reforests Cut-Over Lands.

Minnesota has 2,800,000 acres of idle land, unsuited to agriculture. Of this acreage more than half is cut-over land, most of which has reverted to the state because it was too poor to pay taxes on. Why this land, capable of raising the finest timber in the world, should lie idle is worrying state economists. The college of forestry of the University of Minnesota is offering a solution to the problem and through the work of the station at Cloquet is obtaining tangible results Millions of young trees are being seeded each year and other millions transplanted—the initial work of reforesting the cut-over lands of Minnesota

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Plans For Prison School

Erection of a separate building at the Minnesota state prison to house the prison school is proposed by the State Board of Control in its program to develop the educational facilities of the institution Authorization likely will be asked of the coming legislature With the purpose to provide a modern school building the board plans also to engage a full-time principal and civilian teachers to supplement inmate teachers and to institute day sessions which inmates will attend on part time basis

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Wind Damages Timber.

The recent heavy wind did great damage to the forests of Northern Minnesota, according to State Auditor J. A. O. Preus, who has returned from International Falls He said he saw great paths blown through the forests between International Falls and Duluth, and he estimated the loss to the state in timber will be hundreds of thousands of dollars

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Inspects School For Boys

Gov. J A Burnquist has gone to Red Wing to look over the state training school for boys His visit was part of a program for a personal investigation of every state institution in Minnesota.

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Normal Head Not Chosen

The state normal board at its meeting in Moorhead deferred selection of a president for the normal school at St. Cloud until the annual meeting to be held in the capitol June 6.

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Seeding About Completed

According to reports received by the state immigration department seeding is about completed in Minnesota Wet ground has interfered in some sections but on the whole the state is well advanced Tame grasses are in excellent condition Clearwater, Dodge and Meeker counties report excellent winter wheat Norman county expects about the same corn acreage as last year Pennington, Jackson and Clearwater counties expect a larger corn acreage. There is promise of a larger fruit and berry yield in Aitkin.

Health for Sick Women

For Forty Years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Has Been Woman's Most Reliable Medicine —Here is More Proof.

To women who are suffering from some form of woman's special ills, and have a constant fear of breaking down, the three following letters ought to bring hope:—

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Testimony from Oklahoma.

Lawton, Okla.—"When I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I seemed to be good for nothing. I tired easily and had headaches much of the time and was irregular. I took it again before my little child was born and it did me a wonderful amount of good at that time. I never fail to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to ailing women because it has done so much for me."—Mrs. A. L. McCasland, 509 Have St., Lawton, Okla.

From a Grateful Massachusetts Woman.

Roxbury, Mass.—"I was suffering from inflammation and was examined by a physician who found that my trouble was caused by a displacement. My symptoms were bearing down pains, backache, and sluggish liver. I tried several kinds of medicine; then I was asked to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has cured me and I am pleased to be in my usual good health by using it and highly recommend it."—Mrs. B. M. Osgood, 1 Haynes Park, Roxbury, Mass.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

WORMS

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Vain Hope.

Wife—I spent the afternoon shopping.

Hub—Not much else, I hope—Boston Evening Transcript

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Her Love Hung on a Hair.

"I see where a Detroit wife left her husband because he wore a wig."

"Pshaw! that was but a bald excuse"

Political Asset.

"That candidate is two-faced."

"Fine! He can kiss twice as many babies."

Use Hanford's Balsam for obstinate sores. Adv.

Forgot the Hostess

The Lady The last officer billeted on us knew no one else in the neighborhood.

The Officer Great Scott! How awful

A Famous Physician's Wonderful Discovery

After a series of experimental tests at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., covering many years Dr Pierce the medical director of that hospital, made announcement that he could prove that a medicine which he called "ANURIC" was the best uric acid solvent now to be had. As a remedy for those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation—as scalding urine, backache and frequent urination as well as sediment in the urine, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gout, it is simply wonderful how quickly "Anuric" acts; causing the pains and stiffness rapidly to disappear.

Swollen hands, ankles, feet are due to a dropsical condition, often caused by disordered kidneys. Naturally, when the kidneys are deranged the blood is filled with poisonous waste matter, which settles in the feet, ankles and wrists, or under the eyes in bag like formations

It is just as necessary to keep the kidneys acting properly as to keep the bowels active

The very best possible way to take care of yourself is to take a glass of hot water before meals and an "Anuric" tablet. In this way it is readily dissolved with the food picked up by the blood and finally reaches the kidneys where it has a tonic effect in rebuilding those organs

Step into the drug store and ask for a 50-cent package of "Anuric" or send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial pckg "Anuric" many times more potent than lithia eliminates uric acid as hot water melts sugar A short trial will convince you. Adv.

Consoling Thought

"I thought you were going to complain about last month's bill for light"

"No," replied M Chuggins "I'm going to sit quiet and be thankful that I don't have to burn gasoline to see by"

William Ruff of Wakarusa Ind writes "Hanford's Balsam is the best liniment I have ever used and I cannot do without it." Adv

Making a million dollars looks comparatively easy to the man who has been trying to get a crying baby to sleep

The imitators of the species do a lot of figuring about their figures

Plenty

I never saw such a lot of old shoes as they threw after the bridal carriage when Miss Ann Teek got married'

"Well you know Ann was the only girl in the family and they've been saving up shoes for a long, long time."

To stop bleeding use Hanford's Balsam. Adv

Logical Result

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INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What Is Going On at Washington and In Other Sections of the Country.

WAR NEWS.

London reports that two additional German Zeppelins have been destroyed, one in the North Sea off the coast of Schleswig and the other at Saloniki.

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The recent Zeppelin air raid on the northeast coast of England and southeast coast of Scotland resulted in thirty-six casualties. One hundred bombs were dropped.

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The French war office announces that General Robert George Nivelle has been appointed to command at Verdun. He will succeed Henri Phillepe Petain.

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The sinking of an allied transport in the Mediteranian late in April with the loss of nearly all the 600 Russian troops who were on board, is reported in advices from Berlin.

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Verdun, the scene of the recent terrific fighting between the French and Germans, was the last place held by the Prussians after the Franco-Prussian war, the city being restored to the French, September 16, 1873.

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The chief of the fire department, Dublin, Ireland, estimates the damage to buildings in the Irish capital as the result of the recent revolt, at £1,000,000 and to stocks at £750,000. The number of buildings destroyed or damaged is 179.

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An uprising against the British in the Sudan is reported in dispatches from Constantinople. Alf Dinar, the Imam of Darfour, with a force of 8,000 camels, is said to be marching against the British forces in northern Sudan.

GENERAL.

Eight republican delegates to the national convention at Chicago, elected at Pueblo recently, will go uninstructed.

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Two lieutenants of the Fifth field artillery were killed and two other officers were injured in an automobile wreck at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

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Three American soldiers and a 10-year-old boy lost their lives and two American citizens were kidnapped in a raid on Gleen Springs, Texas, by Mexican bandits.

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All collection records were broken for a single meeting at a "Billy Sunday revival, when Kansas City people dropped $5,275 into the collection pans the evening of May 5th.

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Swift & Co packers was found guilty by a jury in the federal court at Chicago on all twenty-nine counts in the indictment charging it with violation of the interstate commerce laws The maximum penalty which can be imposed is a fine of $25,000

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Establishment of a business men's military training camp similar to the Plattsburg, N. Y., camp, which was operated with such signal benefit last year in New York, will be possible at Fort Crook, near Omaha. Its plans now under headway are given approval of the war department

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In a compilation issued by the foreign trade department of the National City bank of New York City it shows that exports from the United States to the Philippine islands for the last sixteen years amounted to $201,000,000 and the United States imported from the islands products to the value of $218,000,000

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Not an undertaker in New York city had a casket large enough for the body of Baptiste Hugo, giant of the Barnum & Bailey circus who died recently of heart trouble. He is said to have been the tallest man in the world Hugo, who was an Italian was eight feet, four inches tall, and weighed 536 pounds.

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A full squadron of the Eleventh U. S. cavalry surprised and routed a much largr force of Villistas at Ojo Azules, and by actual count forty two Mexicans were killed and a number were wounded

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The Methodist Episcopal church expended for foreign missionary work last year a total of over $2,600,000, according to a report made at Saratoga, N. Y. by Dr Earl S. Taylor, corresponding secretary of the board of foreign missions.

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No names of presidential candidates may be written on the ballot at the South Dakota state primary election on May 23, according to the ruling made by Attorney General C. Caldwell.

Massachusetts will be represented in the republican national convention by an unpledged delegation, according to the recent primary results.

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The superdreadnought Oklahoma, one of the biggest fighting craft afloat, costing $7,000,000, is the latest addition to the United States Navy.

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James M. Sullivan of New York, formerly American minister to Santo Domingo, has been arrested in Ireland on the charge of complicity in the Irish rebellion.

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More than $1,200,000 was paid by the Methodist Episcopal church during 1915 toward the support of superannuated and retired ministers and widows of ministers.

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Mayor John MacVicar of Des Moines has signed an application blank to attend the citizens' military training camp at Fort Benjamin Harris, near Indianapolis, this summer.

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Sale of boxes for the progressive national convention to be held in Chicago June 7, has been opened. During the first few hours of the sale seven boxes were sold for $250 each.

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The Hatien cabinet has resigned. Parliament has entered a protest with the American government and congress against what it declares to be a violation of the legislative branch of the government.

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From Mexican sources it is learned that upon the immediate withdrawal of the American troops General Carranza has offered through his two representatives to place an active army of 25,000 men in northern Mexico.

SPORTING.

Eighteen cars have been nominated to start in the international sweepstakes at the Independent Motor speedway, Indianapolis.

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Chick Hayes of Indianapolis fought twelve rounds to a draw with Benny Chaves of Colorado at Kansas City. They are featherweights.

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"Strangler" Lewis of Louisville, Ky., defeated Mort Henderson, known as the "Masked Marvel' of Altoona, Pa., at catch-as-catch-can wrestling at Madison Square Garden, New York.

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It took Joe Stecher of Nebraska 21 minutes and 40 seconds to pin Henry Ordeman's shoulders to the mat twice, at Minneapolis, just recently. Both falls were secured on combination scissors holds.

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If Denver promoters will agree to pay him $13,000, with an option on 50 per cent of the receipts, Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, will sign to box Ad Wolgast in the Colorado capital May 30, it is reported.

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Frank Gotch, champion wrestler, has cancelled his circus engagements because of stomach trouble, which has forced him to remain in the care of a specialist in Chicago. He has fallen off in weight to 185 pounds, it is said.

WASHINGTON

Senator O'Gorman of New York has announced that he would retire from the senate next March.

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The Hollis farm loan bill, embodying the administration plan for establishing a system of rural credits, passed the senate by a vote of 58 to 5.

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Various administration shipping bills, combined into one measure and amended so that democratic leaders believe it will enlist the united support of their party members, has been introduced in the house by Chairman Alexander of the merchant marine committee

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The Navy league of the United States has filed suit in the district supreme court against Henry Ford for $100,000 damages. The league charges Ford with having published in advertisements in a local newspaper statements of "a libelous and defamatory character"

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The interstate commerce commission has ordered cancelled proposed increased rates on fresh meat and packing house products between points in the middle west but held the interested railroads may file new tariffs proposing minor increases on these commodities.

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Federal aid to each state in the development of vocational and industrial training in its schools is promised if the Smith-Hughes bill now before congress goes through that body The states are supposed to meet the federal government half way in the matter of appropriations

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Congress probably will not recess for the national conventions. Majority Leader Kitchin of the house said recently that some measure not requiring the presence of all the members probably would be considered during the convention weeks so that those who desire to get away may do so

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Democratic leaders in the house, it is said, are hopeful of disposing of the army conferees' disagreement, and report the rural credits and shippings bills within the next ten days.

CASEMENT FACES LONDON COURT ON TREASON CHARGE

LEADER OF IRISH REBELS RECENTLY GAINED INTERNATIONAL FAME FOR SERVICES RENDERED BRITISH.

MUCH INTEREST IN CASE, ADMISSION RESTRICTED

Crowds Gather Outside Police Court Long Before Hour For Hearing—Sir Rogers Appears Undisturbed—Irish Soldier Stands Beside Knight.

London, May 16.—Sir Roger Casement, who only a few years ago achieved international fame for the services he rendered his government in the exposure of the Putumayo rubber atrocities, is facing the bar in an ordinary police court for a preliminary examination to determine whether he should be held for trial on the charge of high treason against the same government in connection with the rebellion in Ireland. Beside Casement stood Daniel Julian Bailey, who faced a similar charge.

Admission Is Restricted.

Not in many years has so much popular interest been manifested in a case before the courts. Long before the hour set for the hearing crowds began to gather outside the Bow Street court, hoping to gain admittance, or at least to have a glimpse of the man alleged to have been the moving spirit in the recent Irish conspiracy.

Admission was restricted to about 100 persons, including representatives of the press.

Among the earliest arrivals in the court was Sir Horace Plunkett of the department of agriculture in Ireland. He took a seat near the magisrate. It was understood Sir Horace was merely a spectator. A number of relatives and friends of Casement, including seven handsomely gowned women, also were present.

Appears Undisturbed.

The stage was all set when the principal was led into the court. Sir John Dickinson, was presided, the lawyers and the witnesses all having taken their places before Casement arrived at 10:40 o'clock and entered the dock.

Far from appearing deeply disturbed at his position, Sir Roger Casement smiled and nodded as he saw friends in the courtroom. With Sir Roger was Daniel Bailey, an Irish soldier captured by the Germans early in the war. He went from Germany to Ireland in the submarine with Sir Roger and was taken prisoner at Tralee.

Two Defendants on Trial.

In the formal charge Casement is described as of no occupation and no fixed abode. The charge against both defendants read:

"For that they did between the first day of November, 1914, and on divers other occasions between that day and the 21st day of April, 1916, unlawfully, maliciously and traitorously commit high treason within and without the realm of England in contempt of our sovereign lord and king and his laws, to the evil example of others in like case and contrary to the duty and allegiance of the said defendants"

Casement is reported to have made a long statement to the authorities and it is believed that the statement will shorten the hearing before the magistrate. The police court hearing is merely a preliminary to the real trial, which will take place later before a panel of the judges of the high court of justice

RUSSIANS THREATEN TURKS

Are Near Main Line of Communication Near Bagdad.

Petrograd, May 16.—Developing a swift offensive movement on the extreme south, the Russians have crossed the Persian frontier southwest of Lake Urumiah and are now within 80 miles of the main line of communication of the Turkish army south of Bagdad.

The Slavs have reached the region of Roanduse, several miles inside the Turkish frontier. They are marching westward toward the ruins of ancient Nineveh and the Mesopotamian city of Mosul. Unless checked by the Turks within a fortnight, they will be threatening to cut off the Turkish forces holding back the British at Kut-el-Amara.

No development of the grand duke's successful offensive in the Caucasus has brought such surprise as the news of the appearance of another Russian army near the Turks' line of communication.

That the grand duke has outwitted the Turks and their German tutors is the belief here

Scott Makes Optimistic Report.

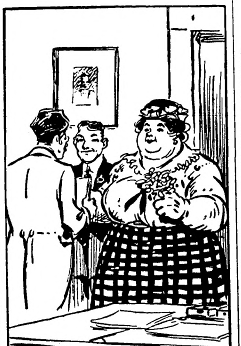
Washington, May 16.—Information helpful to the administration in guiding its future course toward Mexico, has been presented to Secretary of War Newton D Baker and Secretary of State Robert Lansing by General Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff of the United States army He informed them that while General Obregon at El Paso had refused to put down Mexican co-operation terms in black and white, he offered assistance that will be helpful, provided there are no outbreaks among detached Carranzistas.

WEIGHS 475 POUNDS MORE THAN HUBBY

Judge Refuses to Accept Fee "Because Bride Will Require Some Feeding."

St. Louis.—A blushing young woman who was about to become a bride and who weighed 615 pounds, hesitated at the entrance of an elevator in the Four Courts building the other day, and warned the conductor of the possible consequences if she went aboard. When she was assured that the cable would hold her she ventured and was hoisted with her intended husband, Harry West, who weighs 140, to the office of Judge Calvin Miller. There the pair were married.

When the ceremony was completed, West reached into his pocket, drew forth a prosperous-looking roll of bills, peeled off one marked "V" and handed it to the judge.



The Pair Were Married.

"No, no, you keep that," objected his honor. "You'll need it, for she'll require some feeding."

"Better take it," said the bridegroom. "There are plenty of 'em here."

But the judge's decision could not be changed, and the newlyweds, equipped with passports for their matrimonial journey, again braved the elevator. Then they went on a honeymoon. They would not announce their destination because they said they did not want the trip disturbed by mischievous and would-be humorous friends.

In applying for a marriage license the bride gave her name as Mrs. Gertrude Barker and her age as "over eighteen years." West gave his age as "over twenty-one years."

RAT IN THE GIRL'S SKIRTS

Rodent's Life Cut Short by Young Woman's Escort, Who Wields a Cane.

Green Bay, Wis.—Passengers on an interurban electric car running between Green Bay and Depere, Wis., were thrown into a panic by the screams of a young woman and the discovery that a rat had taken refuge in her skirts. When the panic subsided the men in the car gazed from the windows while the young lady removed her skirts and shook out the rodent, which had been beaten to death

A girl from Depere and her escort were the principal figures especially the girl, under whose skirts the rat found false security. The escort caught the squirming animal in the folds of the girl's clothing and clubbed it to death with his cane. Other male occupants of the car looked on but offered no assistance, while all the women took a hand in the screaming act.

HEROISM IS HIS UNDOING

Ex-Drunkard Decides a Drink Is Just Reward for Bravery In Resisting.

Montclair.—In her annual report, Mrs. Nettie H Patterson, superintendent of the Altruist society here, said that the society's officers had been trying to effect the reformation of a drinking man whose excesses had impoverished his family. Finally he was induced to sign a pledge that he would not indulge for a year

To demonstrate to his wife that he could remain steadfast the man, according to Mrs. Patterson walked twice past a saloon where he had been wont to spend his earnings, each time preening himself on the strength of his will power. As he was about to pass the third time he turned to his wife and said: "Such bravery deserves a drink," and he went inside and got it.

Shot Coyote From Fast Train.

Kearney, Neb.—"Cyclone" Thompson, pilot of the Kearney, Beatrice and Hastings motor between Kearney and Calloway, Neb., took a shot with a rifle at a huge coyote and dropped the beast while his train was making 30 miles an hour. The coyote was one of the largest ever seen in Nebraska.

CONFEREES AGREE ON A COMPROMISE BILL FOR BIG ARMY

PROPOSE DEFENSE FORCE IN TIME OF PEACE OF 654,000 MEN INCLUDING REGULARS AND NATIONAL GUARDSMEN

IS REPORTED TO BOTH BRANCHES OF CONGRESS

Measure Includes All Provisions Urged by "Big Army Men Except Federal Reserve—Chairmen Urge Passage—Action is Expected Immediately.

Washington, May 15.—A defense force in time of peace of 654,000 men is proposed in the army bill which Senate and House conferees have just reported to both branches of Congress after several weeks' conference.

Though a compromise, the measure includes all the provisions urged by "big army" men except the federal reserve.

With both chairmen urging its passage, action is expected immediately.

Regular Army of 206,000 Men.

The defense force will consist of an army of regulars totaling in all its branches 206,000 men in time of peace and 448,000 national guardsmen, 800 for each senator and representative. The regular army's peace strength of 206,000 can be expanded to 254,000 in time of war.

In the agreement on the regular army the Senate bill system of organization was retained as a substitute for the House system, which would have recruited a maximum army of 140,000 men.

President Given Authority.

The regular line of the army, the bill now provides, can never go below 160,000 and its maximum strength in times of peace would be 175,000 officers and men. In this calculation, however, there are excluded 5,723 Philippine scouts, 6,409 in the quartermasters' corps 7,290 in the medical department 3,387 in the signal corps and 8,750 unassigned recruits, a total of 31,650.

These, added to the regular line of 175,000 me, give a total regular army peace strength of 206,6590. The President is authorized to increase the regular army divisions to maximum strength without congressional action.

65 Infantry Regiments.

Under the conference agreement the regular army would consist of 65 regiments of infantry, 25 regiments of cavalry, 21 regiments of field artillery, a coast artillery corps of 30,000 officers and men, a signal corps of 3,387 men, including the aviation section, and seven regiments of engineers. In the aviation section the number of officers is increased from a total of 60 to 148, including one colonel, one lieutenant colonel, eight majors, 24 captains and 114 first lieutenants.

The organization plan contemplates attaining the full peace strength within five years as proposed in the original preparedness plans.

VILLA AGAIN REPORTED SEEN

Located near Carrizo, Rumor at U. S. Army Post.

Field Headquarters of the American Expedition, near Namiquipa, Mexico, May 13, via Radio to Columbus, N. M., May 15 Pancho Villa with 1,100 followers has bobbed up again, this time at a ranch near Carrizo, according to reports reaching headquarters.

Carrizo is 40 miles northwest of La Ascension. The band was reported scattered along the Rio Carrolitos, made up of recruits from Sonora State and a sprinkling of the men who escorted Villa through the Sierra Madres. At headquarters the reported location aroused little interest. The redisposition of troops continued.

Watchful Waiting, Again U S Policy

Washington, May 15 The Mexican situation has simmered down again to watchful waiting. While contraction of the lines south of Columbus is practically accomplished, Major Langhorne's men apparently are on a hot trail after the Boquillas raiders and Carranzista soldiers are heading toward the Big Bend, avowedly to cooperate in running down the raiders.

President Wilson's Friend Dies.

Neenah, Wis., May 15.—Charles R Smith, timber king, credited as being the wealthiest man in Wisconsin, has died in New York of apoplexy, according to word received here. Smith was a personal friend and college classmate of President Wilson. He gave $5,000 to Wilson's campaign fund four years ago.

Irish Rebel Suspects Freed

London, May 15.—A large number of Dublin residents, arrested on suspicion, have been released from prison as the result of Premier Asquith's visit to the Irish capital, according to dispatches received here Several government employees were among the men released Others included persons suspected of having provisioned the Sinn Feiners while they were besieged by loyal troops and persons from whose houses snipers were active. Premier Asquith planned to continue his conferences at Dublin.

Why That Lame Back?

Morning lameness, sharp twinges when bending, or an all-day backache; each is cause enough to suspect kidney trouble. Get after the cause. Help the kidneys. We Americans go it too hard. We overdo, overeat and neglect our sleep and exercise and so we are fast becoming a nation of kidney sufferers. 72% more deaths than in 1890 is the 1910 census story. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

A Montana Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story."

John S. Woosley, Bozeman, Mont., says: "For years I had kidney complaint with a tired, depressed feeling. My head ached, I had dizzy spells and the kidney secretions were scanty. I was in severe pain and had rheumatic twinges all through my body. I have been practically free from these ailments since I used two or three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills."

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Time's Changes.

Flatbush—Don't you think times have changed?

Bensonhurst—Most decidedly. Now, in the spring the young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of snow.

Perhaps adversity may prepare a man for the life beyond the grave, but it curtails his credit while on earth.

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CHICAGO

Felt Sorry for the Apostle.

Mrs. Podger, a Lancashire woman, has several sons at the front. Recently a neighbor, superior to her surroundings by education and rearing, called on her, and as they talked of Saloniki, where one of her sons was, she remarked that Salonikians were the Thessalonians to whom St. Paul had sent a letter. "Well," said Mrs. Podger, as she looked up from her washtub, "'e may 'ave written there; I'm not sayin' as 'ow 'e din't. But I'm sorry for 'im if 'e sent parcels. I sent two to my boy months since, and they ain't been delivered yet."—London Mail.

For sores, galls and other external troubles apply Hanford's Balsam. Ranchmen, lumbermen and livermen recommend it. Adv.

Appropriate.

"Can you suggest a good motto to hang up in the dining room?" asked the boarding house mistress.

"How about 'Forgive us this day our daily bread?" suggested the man who was going to move the next day anyhow.

His Treat.

Bacon Been to see the doctor?

Egbert Sure thing.

"Did he treat you?"

"Oh, no, it was my treat It cost me two dollars."

STOP
LISTEN
LOOK

26 children were poisoned last year in only 11 states

Fly Poison Kills More Children Than All Other Poisons Combined

For Safety's Sake, Use

Is there in your home, anywhere within baby's reach, a saucer of arsenic poisoned paper floating in water, or a can with a sweetened poisoned wick?

During 1915, 26 cases of fly poisoning were reported from 11 states; in 1914, 46 cases from 14 states. Fly poison kills more children than all other poisons combined.

Yet fly poison still is left unguarded except in the homes where mothers have learned that the safe, sure, non-poisonous, efficient fly catcher and destroyer is

TANGLEFOOT

The Journal of the Michigan State Medical Society comments thus in a recent issue:

"Symptoms of arsenical poisoning are very similar to those of cholera infantum; undoubtedly a number of cases of cholera infantum were really cases of arsenical poisoning, but death, if occurring, was attributed to cholera infantum.

"We repeat, arsenical fly destroying devices are dangerous and should be abolished. Health officials should become aroused to prevent further loss of life from their source. Our Michigan Legislature, this last session, passed a law regulating the sale of poisonous fly papers."

The O. & W. Thum Co.

Grand Rapids, Mich.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Duluth. — Six members of the Legislature from St. Louis county have filed as candidates for renomination and thirteen new aspirants have entered.

Moorhead. — S. N. Lee of Rollag has filed as a candidate for the Legislature, opposing Knud Wefald, the legislative "poet," for the Republican nomination.

Fairmont. — Political enthusiasm unsurpassed since the days of torchlight parades greeted Frank B. Kellogg, candidate for the Republican nomination for United States senator, when he spoke here.

Brainerd. — The Mille Lacs-Leech Lake-Jefferson Highway association has been formed here by representatives of Cass. Mille Lacs and Crow Wing counties to obtain the routing of the highway through their counties.

Knife River. — Residents of this village went supperless as they took refuge in the open from the wall of flames that menaced their homes. The forest fire started in the region of Clover Valley, and the residents in that section were forced to flee for their lives.

Minneapolis. — The Minnesota National guard could not take the field for effective active war service without putting in several months in a mobilization camp, to give the men physical fitness to endure the rigors of a campaign, Adjt. Gen. Fred B. Wood says.

Winona. — The banker can have no greater prosperity than the community in which his bank is located, was the thought which ran through the annual convention of the First district group of Minnesota Bankers' association, the concluding sessions of which have just been held.

Duluth. — Charles P. Craig of Duluth, president of the State Fair board and chairman of the Efficiency and Economy commission in 1914, has filed as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Eighth Minnesota district. His opponent for the nomination will be the present congressman, Clarence B. Miller.

Brainerd. — The annual state convention of the Knights of Columbus opened in Brainerd, with delegates present from 49 councils, also all state officers, district deputies and a national officer, E. W. Buckley of St. Paul, national director. The present state membership of the order is 11,843, an increase of 1,400 for the year.

St. Paul. — The four-year term law for county officers has been upheld by a decision of the state supreme court. All sheriffs, county treasurers, auditors, county attorneys, registers of deeds, coroners, superintendents of schools and county surveyors elected in 1914 will hold over until 1918, and will not have to stand for re-election this year.

St. Cloud.—Rev. John Vander Boer, pastor of St. Bernard's Catholic church at Ward Springs, was overcome by fire and smoke while attempting to save his church. The unconscious form of the priest was found in the churchyard after the church had been burned to the ground. He saved practically all of the vestments and altar supplies.

Duluth. — The ore movement from the Lake Superior district in April was the heaviest ever known in the initial month of navigation, aggregating 1,658,411 tons. The next heaviest April on record was that of 1910, when 1,520,305 tons were shipped The April traffic is indicative of the tremendous shipments that may be expected the rest of the year.

St Paul. — The fact that a railroad company gives free transportation to a witness in a suit in coming to and going from the place of trial, does not bar the witness from receiving his mileage and per diem from the party in the suit who subpoenas him, according to a ruling handed down by the supreme court in the case of Adam Jakutis against the Illinois Central Railroad company, taken up from Ramsey county

St Paul. — The Minnesota Territorial Pioneers' association meeting at the old capitol on the 58th anniversary of the admission of Minnesota to statehood, brought together more than 100 men and women, notwithstanding the cold wind that kept many home and the funeral in Minneapolis of Frank Slocum, a pioneer, which many attended. Governor J. A. A. Burnquist and former Governor S. R. Van Sant addressed the meeting

St Paul. — So serious are the financial affairs of Koochiching county that Attorney General Smith and Public Examiner Fritz have left to investigate and if possible to straighten out the tangle. The district, it is said, is practically threatened with bankruptcy As one of the new counties Koochiching has been constructing ditches and roads, and in doing so has bonded itself to the limit. While figures are not available, the belief is that the bonding limit has even been exceeded

St Peter. — Arrangements for the 13th annual convention of the Third district group of the Minnesota Bankers' association which will be held in this city this week have been completed Two sessions will be held A tour of the city and surrounding country will be given the delegates

Emily. — George Taylor has discovered a huge piece of copper ore, near ly pure, here The entire community scattered over the lands where the find was made and tried to find the main ledge The ore discovered by Taylor weighs about forty-five pounds. Prices of land increased over night.

A Neutral.

"Pa, what is a neutral?"

"One wh[illegible] has friends [illegible]"

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"Yes, and he's knocking about everything in it, too."

For wire cuts, use Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh to stop bleeding and to heal Adv

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Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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A woman can adjust her figure to show up best at the point she wants it to.

For nail in the foot apply Hanford's Balsam Adv.

As long as it is only talk, let the other fellow have his way Why should you care?

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Looked That Way.

The postman handed him the letter. One glance at the envelope sent him nearly into hysterics.

"Heavens!" he cried, "the first challenge I ever got." "Duel," was in big letters on the outside of the envelope.

"But I can't fight and—"

So he hurried to the station house, explained that he knew of no enemy who should demand his blood, and asked for protection.

Three blue-coated arms of the law presented themselves.

The detective force hurried out. By that time the desk sergeant had recovered.

He said it meant "Due one cent."—Utica Press.

The Front Row.

"The British army has raised its age limit to forty-five years," said H. E. Gresham, the British consul at Cleveland. "The age limit originally was thirty-eight.

"The army isn't so exclusive, either, as to age or as to physique as it was at first.

"A slacker in Manchester tried to get exempted the other day.

"'I've got such poor eyesight,' he said, "'I can't see any distance at all.'

"'Oh, that'll be all right,' said the surgeon. 'You'll have an excellent view. We'll give you a trench in the very front line.'"

Sometimes the man who says just what he thinks has an impediment in his thoughts.

A statesman is a politician who gets re-elected.

MEAL-TIME CONSCIENCE.
What Do the Children Drink?

There are times when mother or father feeds the youngsters something that they know children should not have. Perhaps it is some rich dessert but more often it is tea or coffee.

It is better to have some delicious, hot food-drink that you can take yourself and feed to your children, conscious that it will help and strengthen, but never hurt them.

A Yorkstate lady says: "I used coffee many years in spite of the conviction that it injured my nervous system and produced my nervous headaches. While visiting a friend I was served with Postum and I determined to get a package and try it myself. The result was all that could be desired—a delicious, finely flavored, richly colored beverage. Since I quit coffee, Postum has worked wonders for me.

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"You may be sure I find it a great comfort to have a warm drink at meals that I can give my children, with a clear conscience that it will help and not hurt them as coffee or tea would."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c pkgs.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both forms are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

REGENTS VOTE TO INCREASE "U" FEES

ACTION NECESSITATED BY INCREASED ENROLLMENT—LARGER STAFF NEEDED.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

It is going to cost students $10 more each to attend the University next year in the colleges of arts, agriculture, education and engineering. The board of regents has directed increase of fees in these colleges from the present total of $30 yearly per student to $40.

The increase was said to be necessitated by the heavy enrollments in these colleges, which demanded a larger teaching staff than the Legislature had provided for.

On motion of C. L. Sommers of St. Paul, the resolution to increase fees was made to apply to the year 1916-17 specifically. The other regents concurred with Mr. Sommers in holding that the old fee schedule might be resumed if the coming Legislature would appropriate liberally enough for instruction purposes. A. E. Rice of Willmar voted against the fee raising. A fee of $5 a semester was voted to apply to students in the University high school, beginning next fall. No fee has been heretofore exacted.

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Ruling On Land Sales.

In land sales hereafter, bidders will be advised that if the land purchased at the state auctions is found afterward to possess timber of value, the certificates will be cancelled and the timber reserved for the state.

This announcement has been made by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, following his visit to Bemidji, where he sold two small parcels of land.

Mr. Preus, for the first time announced the new rule, and as a result the bidders were scarce.

Mr. Preus said that in the past many instances have come to his notice, where purchaser would buy the state lands containing timber, pay the 15 per cent. of the purchase price required by the law, cut off the timber and then let the land go back to the state.

He cited instances where buyers had purchased state land on which the appraisers had estimated the timber at $360, and that 500,000 feet of lumber had been cut off. At the minimum figure of $4 a thousand feet, this timber would have been worth $20,000.

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Reforests Cut-Over Lands.

Minnesota has 2,800,000 acres of idle land, unsuited to agriculture. Of this acreage more than half is cut-over land, most of which has reverted to the state because it was too poor to pay taxes on. Why this land, capable of raising the finest timber in the world, should lie idle is worrying state economists. The college of forestry of the University of Minnesota is offering a solution to the problem and through the work of the station at Cloquet is obtaining tangible results Millions of young trees are being seeded each year and other millions transplanted—the initial work of reforesting the cut-over lands of Minnesota

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Plans For Prison School

Erection of a separate building at the Minnesota state prison to house the prison school is proposed by the State Board of Control in its program to develop the educational facilities of the institution Authorization likely will be asked of the coming legislature With the purpose to provide a modern school building the board plans also to engage a full-time principal and civilian teachers to supplement inmate teachers and to institute day sessions which inmates will attend on part-time basis

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Wind Damages Timber.

The recent heavy wind did great damage to the forests of Northern Minnesota, according to State Auditor J. A. O. Preus, who has returned from International Falls He said he saw great paths blown through the forests between International Falls and Duluth, and he estimated the loss to the state in timber will be hundreds of thousands of dollars

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Inspects School For Boys.

Gov. J. A. Burnquist has gone to Red Wing to look over the state training school for boys. His visit was part of a program for a personal investigation of every state institution in Minnesota.

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Normal Head Not Chosen.

The state normal board at its meeting in Moorhead deferred selection of a president for the normal school at St. Cloud until the annual meeting to be held in the capitol June 6

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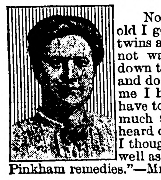
Seeding About Completed.

According to reports received by the state immigration department seeding is about completed in Minnesota Wet ground has interfered in some sections but on the whole the state is well advanced. Tame grasses are in excellent condition Clearwater, Dodge and Meeker counties report excellent winter wheat Norman county expects about the same corn acreage as last year Pennington, Jackson and Clearwater counties expect a larger corn acreage. There is promise of a larger fruit and berry yield in Aitkin.

Health for Sick Women

For Forty Years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Has Been Woman's Most Reliable Medicine —Here is More Proof.

To women who are suffering from some form of woman's special ills, and have a constant fear of breaking down, the three following letters ought to bring hope:—



North Crandon, Wis. — "When I was 16 years old I got married and at 18 years I gave birth to twins and it left me with very poor health. I could not walk across the floor without having to sit down to rest and it was hard for me to keep about and do my work. I went to a doctor and he told me I had a displacement and ulcers, and would have to have an operation. This frightened me so much that I did not know what to do. Having heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I thought I would give it a trial and it made me as well as ever. I cannot say enough in favor of the Pinkham remedies."—Mrs. MAYME ASBACH, North Crandon, Wis.

Testimony from Oklahoma.

Lawton, Okla. — "When I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I seemed to be good for nothing. I tired easily and had headaches much of the time and was irregular. I took it again before my little child was born and it did me a wonderful amount of good at that time. I never fail to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to ailing women because it has done so much for me."—Mrs. A. L. McCASLAND, 509 Have St., Lawton, Okla.

From a Grateful Massachusetts Woman.

Roxbury, Mass.—"I was suffering from inflammation and was examined by a physician who found that my trouble was caused by a displacement. My symptoms were bearing down pains, backache, and sluggish liver. I tried several kinds of medicine; then I was asked to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has cured me and I am pleased to be in my usual good health by using it and highly recommend it." — Mrs. B. M. OSGOOD, 1 Haynes Park, Roxbury, Mass.

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"Wormy," that's what's the matter of 'em. Stomach and intestinal worms. Nearly as bad as distemper. Cost you too much to feed 'em. Look bad—are bad. Don't physic 'em to death. Spohn's Compound will remove the worms, improve the appetite, and tone 'em up all round and don't "physic." Acts on glands and blood. Full directions with each bottle, and sold by all druggists.

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Vain Hope.

Wife—I spent the afternoon shopping.

Hub—Not much else, I hope. Boston Evening Transcript

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Her Love Hung on a Hair.

"I see where a Detroit wife left her husband because he wore a wig."

"Pshaw! that was but a bald excuse"

Political Asset.

"That candidate is two-faced."

"Fine! He can kiss twice as many babies."

Use Hanford's Balsam for obstinate sores. Adv.

Forgot the Hostess.

The Lady—The last officer billeted on us knew no one else in the neighborhood.

The Officer Great Scott! How awful

A Famous Physician's Wonderful Discovery

[illegible] experiments and tests at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., covering many years Dr. Pierce the medical director of that hospital, made announcement that he could prove that a medicine which he called "ANURIC" was the best uric acid solvent now to be had. As a remedy for those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation—as scalding urine, backache and frequent urination, as well as sediment in the urine, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gout, it is simply wonderful how quickly "Anuric" acts; causing the pains and stiffness rapidly to disappear.

Swollen hands, ankles, feet are due to a dropsical condition, often caused by disordered kidneys. Naturally, when the kidneys are deranged the blood is filled with poisonous waste matter, which settles in the feet, ankles and wrists; or under the eyes in bag like formations.

It is just as necessary to keep the kidneys acting properly as to keep the bowels active

The very best possible way to take care of yourself is to take a glass of hot water before meals and an "Anuric" tablet. In this way it is readily dissolved with the food picked up by the blood and finally reaches the kidneys, where it has a tonic effect in rebuilding those organs.

Step into the drug store and ask for a 50 cent package of "Anuric" or send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial pckg "Anuric" many times more potent than lithia, eliminates uric acid as hot water melts sugar. A short trial will convince you. Adv.

Consoling Thought.

"I thought you were going to complain about last month's bill for light."

"No," replied Mr. Chuggins "I'm going to sit quiet and be thankful that I don't have to burn gasoline to see by."

William Ruff of Wakarusa, Ind., writes "Hanford's Balsam is the best liniment I have ever used and I cannot do without it." Adv

Making a million dollars looks comparatively easy to the man who has been trying to get a crying baby to sleep

The [illegible] of the species [illegible] figuring about their figures

Plenty.

"I never saw such a lot of old shoes as they threw after the bridal carriage when Miss Ann Teek got married."

"Well, you know, Ann was the only girl in the family and they've been saving up shoes for a long, long time."

To stop bleeding use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Logical Result.

Nobody likes the umpire.

It's the logical result of trying to [illegible] strictly neutral.

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For Congressman

I have filed as a candidate for the Republication nomination for Congress in the Ninth Minnesota District. Owing to my personal business interests I have been reluctant to take this action, but have been persuaded by the persistent demands of a large number of the Republicans in all parts of the District.

I have prepared to accept the responsibility which I ask the voters of the Ninth District to confer upon me by placing myself in a position to devote all my time and energy to the duties of the office.

My platform is brief; I stand first and foremost for genuine Americanism and strict and honorable neutrality.

I would insist on a "dollar's worth of service for every dollar spent."

I know that the government records show that we are spending more to maintain our army and navy than did Germany, England, France before the present war, and I would demand a "dollar's worth of preparedness for every dollar so spent."

I believe in preparedness which would protect, but not one which would inspire the spirit of invasion or impose the burdens of militarism.

I stand for business methods, economy and efficiency in National government.

Yours truly,
A. G. Anderson.

Southeast of Holt.

Owing to the heavy floods in this locality, there has been considerble difficulty in finding any news for our local paper the past few weeks.

Miss Minnie Ekre of Rushford, Minn. is enjoying a very pleasant visit at the Carl Larson home.

Targe Borgen returned to his home last week after spending the winter at Thief River Falls.

Messrs Silas Forgerson and Albert Klungness made a business trip to Warren last week.

A large number of friends were entertained at the Guttrud home Sunday.

G. J. Bretheim, a student of the Augsburg Seminary of Minneapolis will teach a two months term of parochial school for the Free Church congregation.

Miss Olga Larson has finished a very successful term of school at Newfolden and has now returned home.

Tom Bakken is working for Jacob Klungness.

Miss Gunda Moe returned to her home on Sunday after spending some time at Golden Valley. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Larson and children, Chester and Eleanor, and Miss Annie Johnson who returned to their home the same day.

O. O. Listol called on O. T. Skomedahl Friday.

Halvor Moe was doing road work Friday.

Miss Signora Sandbo returned to her school duties on Saturday after spending the past three weeks with relatives and friends at Crookston.

Miss Clara Larson has returned to her home after finishing a very successful term of school at Germantown.

A large number of young folks enjoyed a baseball game Sunday afternoon.

Misses Clara and Ragna Larson went to Thief River Falls on Friday returning Saturday.

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Send postal card for colored blotters.
WE AIM TO PLEASE

Steiner

Mr. and Mrs. J. Meyer called at the A. Koglin home Sunday.

R. L. Muzzy made a business trip to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Rev. T. M. Herber organized a Sunday School in our district last Sunday.

Miss May O'Halleron, teacher of the west district school, called at the Werner home Sunday.

Miss Frances, Lena Riedl and Josie Hasby called on Miss Meyer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Helder visited at the J. Meyer home last Sunday.

Harvey Copp visited his parents over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers called at the John Whittman home last Sunday.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Hall's Catarrh Cure has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Eddie Davidson returned home last week from Beltrami County.

G. A. Aubol, Deputy U. S. Revenue Collector, of Crookston, was in town Saturday looking up the revenue business for the government.

Arnold Bornstein returned Saturday from a short visit at Argyle.

Mrs. Joseph Marty and daughter Josephine departed yesterday for Bismark, N. D., where they expect to make their home for the present.

Miss Oline K. Bolingberg returned to Albert Lea, Friday, after several days sojourn here looking after her farm.

Mrs. H. Pavek left Saturday for her home in Fillmore N. D., after a few days visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg.

Clarence Kolden returned home Tuesday from South St. Paul where he had been with a car of cattle.

The Holt Merc. Co. have decided to have specials at reduced prices, every week, and it will pay you well to watch for this paper.

Paraguay's Forest Wealth.

Paraguay has valuable forest resources, the most important of which is quebracho, particularly rich in tannin.

No Indication.

Because a man makes a profession of religion is no sign that he is way up in his profession.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
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Ringbo Rumbles.

Miss Hazel Davidson visited her Aunt, Mrs. Gronvold Sunday.

Misses Gyda and Alma Udstrand called at Gunder Sorter's Sunday night.

Lenart Larson called at R. Movik's Sunday.

Miss Victoria Johnson has been visiting Ringbo friends for a few days.

Eddie Davidson who has been working in Thief River Falls, came home Tuesday for a short visit, returning again Saturday.

Miss Hilda Erickson returned from Minneapolis after spending a few months with her sister.

The program at the school house last Friday was well attended and everybody reports a good time.

Pete Sorter called at Ole Davidson's Wednesday evening.

While Hilmer and Martin Davidson were repairing the well of Nels Ness Tuesday, Hilmer was taken sick and Eddie had to take his place, but Hilmer is reported well again.

Mrs. P. G. Sorter called at Louis Johnson's Thursday.

Messrs Eneas Erickson, Percy Sorter, and Hilmer Udstrand called at Matt Larson's Sunday afternoon and Mr. Udstrand called at Movik's later on in the evening.

Messrs. Martin and Oliver Grondahl and Pete Sorter called at Ole Davidson's last Sunday.

Hilmer Davidson called at Gunder Sorter's Friday evening.

Mrs. Lottie C. Rudman and Mrs. Chas. McLean and sons visited Mrs. Louis Johnson Friday evening.

Misses Anna Sorter, Alice Johnson and Jensine Udstrand called at Joseph Jarland's Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Udstand has been on the sick list but is better now.

Elling Wagedahl called at Matt Larson's Friday evening.

Clean up all rubbish and lessen the danger of fires.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Magazines for home and farm in our different clubs.

Miss Edna Riesberg went to T. R. Falls Saturday to visit relatives.

Olaus Rodahl's bid of $3075 for building the village hall, was accepted by the council, and he commenced excavating for the foundation Wednesday. The only other bid was by Racine Olson for $3270.00

Chris Knutson and family moved Friday into the L. Wegge house just vacated by Racine Olson and family.

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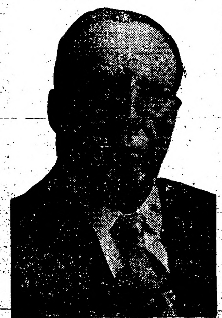

Candidate for State Treasurer.

R. L. Johnson, Republican, of Austin, Minnesota, has filed for the office of State Treasurer before the Primaries June 19th, 1916.

Mr. Johnson was born in Waltham, Minn., received a common school education and also completed a commercial course at Rochester, Minn.

He lived 30 years on a farm and taught school for six years in Mower County, he was County Auditor for 10 years. For 3 years he was secretary of the Farmers Grain Dealers Association of Minnesota. He is now Secretary and Treasurer of the HOME INVESTMENT COMPANY of Austin. He was a candidate for the Republican nomination for State Treasurer two years ago and received over 73,000 votes. Mr. Johnson is a strong First District Republican. He has just been elected delegate to the Republican National convention from that district.

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Order Limiting Time To File Claims And For Hearing Thereon.

ESTATE OF
ROLLEF H. GUNHEIM, Decedent

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Chas. H. Gunheim, of Holt, Minnesota, It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 4th day of November, 1916, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren, in said County, be and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News, as provided by law.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

Dated April 29th, 1916.
[SEAL]

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

ESTATE OF Carl L. Anderson.

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Carl L. Anderson, Deceased.

State Of Minnesota, County Of Marshall, In Probate Court.

The State Of Minnesota To Anna Anderson, Carl Oscar Anderson, Carrie Elizabeth Anderson, Erick Ragnar Anderson, John Edwin Anderson, Helmer Levin Anderson, Gladys Evelyn Anderson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Anna Anderson having been filed in this court, representing that Carl L. Anderson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 19th day of January 1916; and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to said Anna Anderson, and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of June 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 9th day of May 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Petitioner,
Warren, Minn.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

May 6, 1916

Notice is hereby given that Anton Anderson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on March 26th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 07565, for S1-2 NW1-4, N1-2 SW1-4, Sec. 22, Twp. 156 N. Rge. 41 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 12th day of June, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Sorum, of Holt, Minn., Albin Dahl, Olef Dahl and Ole Maakstad, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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A STATE BANK — DEPOSITS — A HOME BANK — LOANS

Chicks and Checks

In addition to their housework, many farm woman take complete charge of the butter, eggs, and poultry affairs of the farm.

This involves keeping record of many items of money received and spent, and without a checking account such records are often confused and troublesome.

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Do you want to Save Money?
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Regular 25c Oatmeal, this week only 2 packages for - - - -	35c	Men's Spring and Summer medium underwear, reg. 50c, this week -	39c
Reg. 10c Canned Corn, this week only, per can - - - - -	8c	Ladies' and Misses white and black Petticoats, worth up to $1.50, only - - -	79c
15c Canned Salmon, this week only, per can - - - -	11c	Children's Rompers, reg. 35c, this week only - - -	25c
Regular 10c Ginger Snaps, now per pound - - - -	7c	Ladies Full length Aprons, worth 75c, this week - - -	59c
12 qt. Cream Cans, reg. 35c this week only - - -	25c	Girl's Dresses, 2 to 6 years, Reg. 75c, this week - - -	59c
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Local Items

Get one of our magazine clubs.

Andrew Stein of Adams, N. D. was in town on business Wednesday.

R. Reierson has received a car of Gold Medal Flour and feed. adv

Good seed flax for sale. Fred Steinhauer, Route 2 Thief River Falls, Minn.

Chris Knutson and A. H. Huseth autoed to T. R. Falls Wednesday on business.

The High School entertainment has been postponed until this afternoon at 1 o'clock sharp.

Mrs. Adolph Sollom came from T. R. Falls Wednesday to visit her sister Mrs. B. L. Backe.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. C. L. Sanberg Saturday afternoon June 3rd.

Lion tractor for sale on easy terms. Guaranteed to pull three plows. Write box 638, Holt, Minn.

Carl Christoferson is keeping bachelor's quarters this week while his wife is visiting her people.

John Lein came Tuesday from Grafton to visit his father and sister, J. P. Lein and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim.

For Sale: Two Small buildings. One about 10x12, the other a trifle smaller. Enquire at Holt State Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Oien returned home Friday from their wedding trip and will soon be settled in their new home.

Misses Matilda and Olga Furre went to Thief River Falls, Monday, the former for a few days visit and the latter to do dressmaking.

The proceeds of the Mission Ladies Aid auction sale Saturday evening with the lunch amounted to $44.40 At the same time the Sunshine Society sold articles amounting to about $9.00

Hay for Sale.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Taxes! Taxes! Taxes!

First half of all real estate taxes are due on or before May 31st. Pay them at Holt State Bank.

Free Mission Church

Services next Sunday May 28th. as follows:

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

Revs. Kilen and Tunheim will preach at 10:30 A. M., and at 3 and 8 P. M.

Rev. Parish will preach here next Wednesday evening May 31st.

STATE EXAMINATION

To be held at the Holt School Building Wednesday May 31st.

History——8 o'clock A. M.
Spelling——10:15 A. M.
Grammar——2:00 P. M.

Thursday June 1st.

Arithmetic——8:00 A. M.
Composition——10:15 A. M.
Geography——2:00 P. M.

Next Tuesday is Memorial Day, the day set apart to decorate the graves of relatives and especially of the boys who were soldiers in our civil war.

The Judge of Probate and Clerk of Court are the only County officers to be elected this year, the Representative is to be elected but that is a state office.

The Norwegian Lutheran synod decided at a meeting in Minneapolis on Monday, by a vote 491 to 187 to merge with the United Lutheran church, even should the Hauge Lutheran synod, at its meeting next month, rejects the union of the three churches.

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Hilmer Davidson is drilling a well for J. M. Swan.

The state wide primary election will be held Monday June 19th.

Dr. Turley will be here Wednesday June 7th. to do dental work.

Atty Rasmus Hage of Warren was a business caller in town Saturday.

The "Drys" are carrying on a vigorous campaign to make a saloonless city of Duluth.

Racine Olson has started out with the assessor's books to find out how rich the village people are.

Real estate taxes are now due. Pay the first half at the Holt State Bank before the last of the month and avoid the penalty.

The republican national convention meets in Chicago June 7th. Our guess is that Hughes or a dark horse will be nominated and elected president.

Commencing June 5th. cream will be received on every Monday, Wednesday and Friday

P. L. Anderson
Buttermaker.

The Grygla Eagle has recently installed a power press and other equipment and is printing all of the paper at home. The Eagle is growing and so is the town and we hope they will continue to grow and prosper.

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Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Wednesday
June 7, 1916.

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Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
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Terms of service: $12.00 for standing colt.

H. S. Williams, Owner.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.03
Wheat No. 2	.99
Wheat No. 3	.93
Wheat No. 4	.86
Flax	1 70
Oats	.31
Barley	[illegible] to .55
Rye	.80
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For Sale

Brand new Kitchen Cupboard. Will sell cheap

B. Docken.

Dog Tax Notice!

All owners and keepers of dogs are hereby notified to get a license and tag before June 1st and avoid penalty provided in the ordinance.

H. B. Young, Village Clerk.

Township Road Notice!

Notice is hereby given that the Town Board of Holt will meet at the following times and places for the purpose of letting contracts for road and ditch work, viz:

May 27th at 10 o'clock A. M., at northwest corner of Section 25 and at 2 P. M. at Charles Skoglund's in Section 12, and May 30th at 10 A. M. at H. O. Ekerdalen's.

By order of Town Board.

Lewis Wegge, Chairman.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What Is Going On at Washington and In Other Sections of the Country.

WAR NEWS.

Berlin announces that more than 1,000,000 men are now engaged on both sides in the renewal of heavy fighting around the fortress of Verdun.

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The Italians have lost 3,000 officers since the beginning of the war, according to private statistics compiled in Germany. This includes killed, wounded or missing.

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The White Star liner Cymric, a 13,999 ton vessel, laden with war munitions for Liverpool, has been sunk by a submarine. All the 110 officers and crew were saved.

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A rumor has been persistent in Athens that efforts will be made to float a Greek loan of $30,000,000 in the United States, in view of the failure of the government to secure the loan from the entente powers.

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British aeroplanes dropped 18,000 pounds of food, in addition to mail and military and other stores in Kut-El-Amara between April 11 and 29, in an effort to relieve the hunger of the besieged garrison, which subsequently surrendered to the Turks.

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"The latest peace overtures, said to be of German origin, while not as insolent and impossible as previous statements on the same subject, certainly do not yet offer a basis for negotiations," said Lord Robert Cecil, British minister of war trade.

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The second installment of the Russian contingent for France were landed recently after a land and sea journey of approximately 17,500 miles, from Moscow to Port Dalny, Manchuria, overland, and thence by water transport. There are 25,000 Russians now on the French front.

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All married Englishmen eligible for military service who are living abroad, but who are ordinarily residents of Great Britain, must return to England and report for military duty. This announcement was made in the house of commons by Sir George Cave, the solicitor general.

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Herbert Hoover, chairman of the commission for relief in Belgium, in a report made public in New York, states that in northern France, a territory comprising 1,250,000 people, he found the meat shops closed, dealers selling dog meat and the soup shops unable to operate because of food shortage.

GENERAL.

Massachusetts will be represented in the republican national convention by an unpledged delegation, according to the recent primary results.

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James M Sullivan, former United States minister to Santo Domingo, who was arrested following the recent uprising in Ireland, has been released.

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The Irish parliamentary party has issued a manifesto to the people of Ireland calling upon them to support the constitutional movement as the only one by which their aspirations for self-government possibly can be realized.

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The first prison sentences imposed upon principals in German plots were pronounced by Federal Judge Howe at New York when he sentenced Lieutenant Robert Fay to eight years in prison, Paul Daeche two years, and Walter Scholz, four years for conspiracy to blow up ships carrying munitions.

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Immigration Commissioner White, at Seattle, has received a second communication from the chief of the division of information bureau of immigration, warning Americans against going to Canada in quest of employment. The letter says there are more than 1,000 men unemployed in Vancouver, B. C.

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William L. Carlisle, the Union Pacific train bandit, was convicted of the robbery of passengers on the Overland Limited April 4, at Cheyenne, Wyo., the jury fixing his punishment at imprisonment for life.

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Fourteen persons have been executed in Ireland as a result of the recent uprising. Seventy-two have received sentences of penal servitude, and six to imprisonment at hard labor. The number of casualties among civilians is given as 180 killed and 614 wounded.

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The progressive party of Connecticut in convention at New Haven instructed its delegation to the national convention to vote "first, last and all the time" for Theodore Roosevelt for his party nomination of president.

William A. Gardner, president of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, died at his summer home at Osterville, Mass.

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Three American soldiers and a 10-year-old boy lost their lives and two American citizens were kidnapped in a raid on Glenn Springs, Texas, by Mexican bandits.

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The movement to equip the national guard with aeroplanes through public subscriptions has been extended to Indiana, Massachusetts, West Virginia and Oklahoma.

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Supplies forwarded by the American Red Cross for war relief in Europe reached a total value of more than $1,000,000 during the first nineteen months of hostilities.

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A commission has been appointed by the general conference of the African Methodist Episcopal church of Philadelphia to memoralize the congress of the United States to make lynching a federal offense.

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If American smokers continue smoking through the year at the rate of the first three months, the total consumption of tobacco for 1916 will be more than 21,000,000 pounds, an increase of 5 per cent, according to the Wall Street Journal.

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The report of the Board of Lunacy Control, reviewing conditions in Great Britain since the year 1859, shows a steady and alarming increase of insane persons in all classes. In 1859 there were 36,000 persons under control for lunacy; in 1899, 100,000; in 1915, 140,000.

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Raises in pay for all Union Pacific machinists of the first and second class, amounting to nearly 5 per cent, were announced at Omaha to take effect at once. Counting the machinists of both classes over the entire line, the new scale will add over $20,000 to the monthly payroll of the company.

SPORTING.

Ad Wolgast, former lightweight champion pugilist, will meet Johnny Dundee in a fifteen-round bout Decoration day, at Denver

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Third Baseman Zimmerman of the Chicago Nationals was fined $50 as punishment for an altercation he had with Umpire Byron during a Chicago-Boston game at Chicago.

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Freddie Welsh and Challenger Charley White are practically matched to meet at Buenos Ayres, Argentina, some time in late July or August. Fans there have offered $20,000 for the bout.

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Joe Stecher of Dodge, Neb., defeated Yussif Hussane at Louisville, Ky., May 12 in straight falls. Stecher took the first in 12 minutes and 16 seconds, and the second in 3 minutes and 37 seconds.

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In spite of all that has been said and written about the possibility of a match between Frank Gotch and Joe Stecher, there will never be one staged unless the champion can get himself in first-class condition. Frank Gotch made this plain in an interview at Waterloo, Ia., recently.

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The Omaha baseball club of the Western league, has secured from the Columbus American association club Marty O'Toole, who a few years ago was sold by the St Paul American association team to the Pittsburgh Pirates for $22,500 the highest price ever paid at that time for a baseball player

WASHINGTON.

The conference report on the [illegible] appropriation bill retains an item of $6,500, the reconstruction of one span and the repair of the government bridge over the Niobrara river near

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Various administration shipping bills, combined into one measure and amended so that democratic leaders believe it will enlist the united support of their party members, has been introduced in the house by Chairman Alexander of the merchant marine committee

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Secretary Daniels and Baker and the Panama canal authorities have joined in a recommendation to congress for an appropriation of $2,955,306 for submarine bases at the Panama canal, to be immediately available

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Bids have been opened at the post office department on the government's first aerial mail service routes. They will be in Alaska and Massachusetts. If the service proves successful a gradual expansion will follow to other routes where transportation is slow or inadequate

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The rural credits bill has been amended in the house to permit the treasury under certain conditions to deposit a maximum of $500,000 in each of the twelve proposed land banks, to meet interest payment on bonds

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[illegible] Wilson, [illegible] ambassador to [illegible] has brought a $350,000 libel suit in Washington courts against Norman Hapgood, the publisher. Mr Wilson bases his suit on publications regarding the Mexican situation.

ASKS OBSERVANCE OF MEMORIAL DAY

GOVERNOR DESIGNATES TUESDAY, MAY 30—URGES APPROPRIATE EXERCISES.

STATE CAPITOL HAPPENINGS

Events of General Interest in Minnesota Condensed and Revised for The Greater Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Governor Burnquist has just issued the following proclamation on the observance of Memorial Day:

"It is now more than half a century since the close of that terrible conflict in which so many gave up their lives upon the field of battle for the preservation of this nation and the perpetuation of that liberty for which it stands. Comparatively few of those who participated in the great struggle of that dark period of American history are today alive. Most of them are sleeping in the land they helped to make free and in the re-united country for which they were willing to die. The immortal service which the soldiers of the Civil War rendered to all of us, who in our generation are enjoying the results of their sacrifices, together with the valor of those who fought in the Spanish-American war for a righteous cause, can never be forgotten by the patriotic people of a grateful republic.

"Let us therefore, on MEMORIAL DAY, TUESDAY, MAY 30, 1916, close our public buildings, schools, stores, factories and other places of business, and upon that day suspend labor of all kinds, in order that we may hold appropriate memorial exercises, decorate the graves of the heroic dead, and again show our gratitude to them, who in the days when our country was in great danger so bravely went forth in its defense.

"Heretofore the children of our schools have been addressed by the old veterans on the Friday preceding Memorial Day, but this year, by reason of the large decrease in their number and on account of the age of those who remain, a special request comes from them that our state and municipal authorities and our citizens generally volunteer their services for this particular purpose. All, therefore, are hereby especially urged to assist in perpetuating this patriotic custom, to the end that every school in the state may be visited and the future guardians of the nation be inspired with the spirit of true loyalty and patriotism.

"IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be hereto affixed, at the Capitol, in the City of St. Paul, this 16th day of May, 1916."

J. A. A. BURNQUIST, Governor.

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Forecasts 5-Year Drouth.

That we have to endure but one more year after this of rainy weather is the assertion of A. F. Woods, dean and director of the College of Agriculture. "Meteorologists for years have known that the visitation of rain periods occur periodically," Mr. Woods said. "The rain periods occur every twelve years and are of five years' duration. Then we have five years of drouth or, comparatively dry weather."

"This has been proved by the rings or grain of trees. The dry years are faithfully chronicled by the rings, being close together and hard. The wet years will be indicated by thicker rings."

If farmers will only study the tree rings they will be enabled to plant crops best adapted to that particular period, is the belief of Mr. Woods, who says there has been no appreciable variation in the weather periods for 2,000 years.

A few days of warm weather will counteract the harmful effect of the cold rains on crops in Minnesota, Mr. Woods said.

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Seven Millions For Roads.

General resumption of road work in Minnesota is scheduled to begin at once according to John H Mullin, deputy engineer of the Minnesota Highway Commission in charge of roads. Already the machinery of counties is being overhauled. This year will see the greatest amount of road work ever attempted in Minnesota, with an expenditure of more than $7,000,000 to pay for 2,000 miles of grading and 1,000 miles of graveling. About $4,000,000 of this will be spent under the supervision of engineers of the highway commission.

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Special Elections Required.

Secretary of State Schmahl has notified the county auditors of Fillmore and Ramsey counties of special elections to be held in each for the nomination and election of a clerk of the district court.

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Win in Triangular Debate.

Debaters from Minnesota Agricultural college won two victories in a triangular debate between the Minnesota, Wisconsin and Iowa Agricultural colleges. The Minnesota affirmative team was given two to one decision over the Iowa negative team at the university farm auditorium. The Minnesota negatives were given an unanimous decision over the Wisconsin affirmatives at Madison, Wis. The third of the series was between the Wisconsin negatives and the Iowa affirmatives.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Winona. — The number of candidates for the Republican congressional nomination in the First Minnesota district was reduced when George P. Tawney of Winona, cousin of former Congressman James A. Tawney, withdrew from the race.

Bemidji. — The Sixth district group of the Minnesota Bankers' association, in session here elected R. B. Withington of Brainerd, president; A. A. Fitch of Royalton, vice president; D. D. Bouck of Rice, secretary, and W. H. Smith of St. Cloud, treasurer.

Moorhead. — Clay county's annual "community picnic", will be held June 30, at the Mills farm, east of here, according to a decision of the Clay County Federation of Farmers' Clubs. The annual meeting of the Clay County Farm bureau will be held the same day.

St. Paul. — Major James M. Bowler, a Minnesota pioneer, former member of the Legislature and former state dairy and food commissioner, died at his home in St. Paul. He had been ill about ten weeks, from a complication of diabetes and an infection which necessitated amputation of his left foot.

New Ulm. — At the dedication of the New Ulm armory, Governor J. A. A. Burnquist was the principal speaker. He favored adequate preparation for defense. He complimented the citizens of New Ulm upon their splendid new armory and said it was evident they took a marked interest in military affairs.

Bemidji. — Northern Minnesota is suffering from a scarcity of labor. Lumber camps here can use 500 men at good salaries, and good accommodations. Men are being shipped in from many points, but the demand cannot be supplied, according to B. W. Lakin, logging superintendent of the Crookston Lumber company.

Thief River Falls. — One hundred bankers and twenty-five visitors attended the annual convention of the Ninth district group, Minnesota Bankers' association, here. Resolutions indorse the educational facilities offered by the American Institute of bankers through the Minnesota association, and co-operation in road legislation is urged.

Bemidji. — Miss Maud Clark of the Eighth grade of the Bemidji schools will represent Beltrami county in the state bread baking contest for girls at the Minnesota state fair next fall, provided no other contestant enters for state recognition, as Miss Clark, in a bread baking contest held in the Bemidji schools, won high score, her percentage being 93.

Jackson. — Jackson county had a gala celebration when a class of 176 rural eighth grade pupils were graduated at a program combined with that of other rural organizations of the county into a "May festival of rural education." The morning was taken up with a school officers' meeting. A parade was a feature. The day closed with a May pole dance.

St. Paul. — Whether it is desirable and possible to add two years of college work to the curriculum of every state high school is one of the questions to be considered at the first annual meeting of the All Minnesota Development association in the capitol June 14-15. Interest in the subject has been strengthened by the overcrowded condition at the University and the suggestion that such a step by the high schools would relieve congestion at the larger institution.

Mankato. — Two high school sophomores, Raymond Clausius, 16 years old, son of E Clausius, living near here, and Wayne Anderson, 15 year old son of Conductor O. Anderson of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad, went canoeing in the Blue Earth river at Sibley park, and were drowned when their canoe overturned in the swift current of the swollen stream. Their first cries for help were unheeded, as they had been calling to friends on shore in fun.

Minneapolis. — What national guard officers believe is a new and drastic policy of the war department for bolstering up the efficiency of the guard all over the country has shown its effects in a series of orders just received by Adjutant General Fred B Wood, which have spread consternation among officers of the Minnesota guard organizations. Company M of the First infantry, located at Minneapolis, has been ordered mustered out on the ground of inefficiency, as have three companies of the Second infantry.

Minneapolis. — Plans by which a combined federal and state employment bureau may be established in Minnesota, with headquarters in Minneapolis, were discussed at a conference between Anthony Caminetti, United States commissioner-general of immigration, and W. F. Houk, state commissioner of labor. D. C. Adie, assistant secretary of the Minneapolis Civic & Commerce association, attended the meeting as a representative of the municipal body.

Rochester. — Plans have been completed for the sixth annual tournament of the Minnesota State Sportsmen's association to be held in Rochester on June 21, 22 and 23. Local officers of the gun club believe it will be the largest trap shooting event ever held in the state.

St. Paul. — Walter J Smith former state treasurer, who is serving a sentence at Stillwater prison, is rapidly recovering his health and has gained eight pounds in weight since his confinement. It was reported recently that friends will start him in a small bank when he is liberated.

AUSTRIANS TAKE ITALIAN POSITION; GERMANS BEATEN

CONTINUE DETERMINED OFFENSIVE IN MOUNTAINS—MAKE PROGRESS IN SOUTHERN TYROL—CAPTURE 3,000.

CROWN PRINCE'S ARMY IS HURLED BACK AT VERDUN

Desperate Fighting in Dead Man Hill Region Continues—Contest Enters Fourth Month—Violent Cannonading in Baltic Sea, Off Sweden, Reported.

London, May 23.—Continuing their determined offensive on the Italian front and extending its scope the Austrians have made further progress in the Southern Tyrol. The Vienna war office announces that the peak of the Armentara ridge has been carried. Several additional villages also have been occupied by the Austrians.

More than 3,000 Italians were captured in the fighting together with 25 cannon and eight machine guns.

Battle Enters Fourth Month.

Fighting of the most intense character is in progress in the Dead Man Hill region northwest of Verdun, where the Germans are desperately battling to break down the French defense and gain undisputed possession of this commanding eminence and the other key position to the Verdun fortress, Hill 304. The contest is entering its fourth month.

Paris bulletins record the repulse of renewed attacks by the crown prince's troops west of Dead Man Hill where the German lines were advanced as the result of furious assaults.

French Take Blockhouses.

Paris also claims the capture of several blockhouses that were held by the Germans in the Avocourt Wood southwest of Hill 304 and the beating off of German attempts to recapture the Haudromont Quarry, east of the Meuse near Douaumont, which the French took Monday.

Violent cannonading has been heard in the Baltic off the Swedish coast according to a news agency dispatch today leading to a report that German and Russian warships have had an engagement in these waters.

British Reported Beaten.

The British forces in the Sudan are reported by Constantinople to have met with a defeat in a battle with rebellious tribesmen in the province of Darfur.

WILSON MAKES FURTHER PROTEST TO ENGLAND

New Note On Mail Seizures Is Emphatic—To Be Dispatched to London at Once.

Washington, May 23.—The new note to Great Britain making further protest against interference with American mails has been laid before President Wilson and probably will be sent to London at once. The general terms of the note were framed at the State department but the President is including some of his own language.

The note is understood to protest particularly against the taking of vessels into British ports and there examining and retaining mail going to and from the United States. The American note will make plain that the United States cannot consent to continuance of the policy to which it already has objected.

SPAIN PLANS TO SOUND OUT PEACE SENTIMENT

London, May 23.—King Alfonso may initiate peace negotiations in the near future, Madrid papers stated, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company. The Spanish ruler plans first to sound out peace sentiment in each of the belligerent countries. If results are satisfactory he will send Spanish statesmen to belligerent capitals to work out plans for a truce.

American Gets Prison Term.

London, May 23.—Jeremiah C. Lynch of New York, the American in whose behalf Ambassador Walter H. Page appealed to the British government at the request of President Wilson, has been sentenced to 10 years in prison for participation in the Irish rebellion, the American consul at Dublin has wired Ambassador Page. Lynch was convicted by a courtmartial.

Waite to Plead Insanity, Belief.

New York, May 23.—Four alienists headed the throng of witnesses gathered in the criminal branch of the supreme court for the trial of Dr Arthur Warren Waite. The young New York dentist, sportsman and man about town is charged with murder, first degree, in poisoning his father-in-law, John E. Peck, a wealthy manufacturer of Grand Rapids Mich. Prosecution believes that the defense will rely upon a plea of insanity. To combat this testimony, the state has engaged three medical experts.

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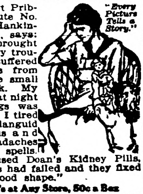
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"'Oh,' she sighed, blowing a cloud of cigarette smoke from her lips—'Oh, if heaven had only made me a man!'

"'Heaven did, my dear,' said a placid matron, 'and you'll find him some day, and then all this new-thought nonsense of yours will cease forever.'"

"Human Folk."

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The Easiest Way.

Tommy had a cold in his head, which confined him to the house, so he was allowed to invite his young friend, Jack, to tea.

Afterward the two small boys commenced playing hide-and-seek, and Tommy rushed into the dining room and asked his father to conceal him. This the father did, behind a big armchair.

Presently in came Jack, and instead of beginning his search, calmly threw himself down on the rug before the fire.

"Come Jack," said Tommy's father, aren't you going to look?"

"No fear," was the small boy's calm retort. "I'm waiting till he sniffs!"

Irish is somewhat like Greek?

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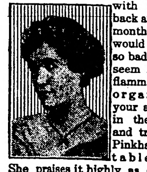

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"If I say my prayers tonight, mamma, will they get me by the Zeppelins?"—Life.

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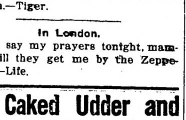

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"How would you like to go with me on a fishing trip in a few weeks?" the fat plumber asked his friend, the thin carpenter.

"I'd like it all right," the carpenter returned, "but I am afraid it is out of the question."

"Why?"

"I couldn't think of an excuse to give my wife for going out of town at this time."

"Haven't you any good excuse at all?"

"Yes, but I don't want to use them just now."

"Why not?"

"Well, to tell the truth, I am saving them up for housecleaning time."

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Too Much for Him.

She—Can you manage a typewriter?

He—Not the one I married.—Boston Transcript.

Unassisted.

"I hear that poor Blank died without the aid of a doctor."

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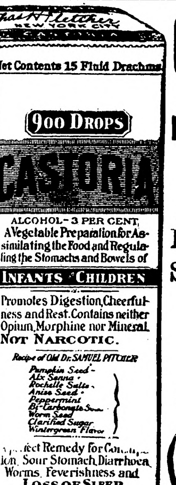
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And of armed men the hum;
Lo! a nation's hosts have gathered
Round the quick alarming drum—
Saying, "Come,
Freemen, come!
Ere your heritage be wasted," said the quick alarming drum.

"Let me of my heart take counsel:
War is not of life the sum;
Who shall stay and reap the harvest
When the autumn days shall come?"
But the drum
Echoed, "Come!
Death shall reap the braver harvest," said the solemn-sounding drum.

"But when won the coming battle,
What of profit springs therefrom?
What if conquest, subjugation,
Even greater ills become?"
But the drum
Answered, "Come!
You must do the sum to prove it," said the Yankee-answering drum.

"What if, 'mid the cannons' thunder,
Whistling shot and bursting bomb,
When my brothers fall around me,
Should my heart grow cold and numb?"
But the drum
Answered, "Come!
Better there in death united, than in life a recreant—Come!"

Thus they answered—hoping, fearing,
Some in faith, and doubting some,
Till a trumpet-voice proclaiming,
Said, "My chosen people, come!"
Then the drum,
Lo! was dumb,
For the great heart of the nation, throbbing, answered, "Lord, we come!"

—BRET HARTE.

LITTLE LEFT OF OLD APPOMATTOX

SOLDIERS of 1865 who revisit the town of Appomattox find that the half-century which has done so much for their country has done nothing for the hamlet made famous by the great event of Lee's surrender.

Indeed, the place has gone backward in fifty years. Its houses have fallen into decay or have disappeared, and its fields have grown up to pine.

The village of Appomattox Courthouse was never a considerable settlement. Like many another county seat in the South, it had its origin in a courthouse, a jail, a tavern, a house or two and a blacksmith shop—a center to which the inhabitants of a rural district could come at intervals to transact legal business.

A visitor to Appomattox Courthouse today—or "old Appomattox," as it is now called in that neighborhood—must be disappointed, unless he has the faculty of visualizing the momentous events that took place there, and near there, in April, 1865.

The court building had then stood there half a century. About 1890 it was burned. Today the square in which the old courthouse stood is covered with the debris of the fire, but out of the wreckage trees have grown up as companions to those that shaded the old courthouse before the fire.

The village that clustered around the courthouse has nearly disappeared. Four old frame structures have survived fire, storm and neglect, but these are sagging and out of joint and seem soon to pass away. One or two of these houses are tenantless. The tavern, once the Appomattox hotel, is the home of a farmer and the overseer of about 1,500 acres of adjacent land now owned by Col. George A Armes, a retired officer of the United States army, who lives in Washington. Another house is occupied by a small farmer who has not dwelt long in that part of the state.

The Surrender house, the McLean house, in which General Grant and his staff met Lee and his military secretary, is not there. It was a broad-fronted brick house with a covered porch across the front, with the entrance in the middle and a hallway through the center.

The house was torn down in 1892. It was proposed to reconstruct it at the World's Fair in Chicago, but after the demolition of the house the plan was carried no further, presumably for lack of funds. The piles of brick and lumber that had been the house are rotting in the garden. There has been some talk of a patriotic society building the house on its old site.

An interesting personal story goes with the history of the Surrender house. It was the home of William McLean who had moved to Appomattox from the vicinity of Bull Run, to avoid the scenes of war that destroyed the peace and safety of his family in 1861.

McLean was a farmer, then living in a frame house near Manassas on the road leading to Blackburns Ford on Bull Run. July 18 the first fighting between the troops of Gen. Irwin McDowell and Gen G T Beauregard took place at that ford, and General Beauregard took up his headquarters in the McLean house. A shell from a Union battery struck the house.

After the battle of Bull Run, July 21, 1861, McLean and his family moved to upper Fauquier county. He next moved to Lunenburg county. War followed him. Then, declaring that he would take his family so far from the fighting grounds that war would not further trouble them, he rented a house in the hamlet of Appomattox. Fate made this house the Surrender house.

The McLean house near Manassas long ago was a ruin, but another house near it, which Beauregard also used as headquarters, is often erroneously pointed out as the McLean house.

McLean's son—J. Wilmer McLean—is a business man in Manassas—a hamlet that since the war has grown into a thriving town.

The table in the McLean house at Appomattox on which the articles of surrender were written is in the National museum at Washington. The flag of truce under which the negotiations between Grant and Lee were conducted is also there, having been loaned to that institution by the widow of George A. Custer.

Colonel Whittaker of Grant's staff, who carried the flag, lives in Washington and is expected to take part in the celebration at Appomattox.

Maj. George C. Rounds of Manassas, a Civil war veteran, resident since the war at Manassas, who promoted the Blue and Gray reunion on the field of Bull Run, has promoted the coming fraternal celebration at Appomattox. Major Rounds has been urging upon the war department and congress for years the desirability of converting the battlefields of Bull Run into a national park. He also takes a keen interest in the future of Appomattox Courthouse.

On the surrender ground is now a dense pine growth, in which is the only important monument at Appomattox. It was erected by North Carolina April 9, 1905.

Though the Appomattox Courthouse village of the Civil war period has practically disappeared, there is a new and thriving town called Appomattox, which is now the county seat of Appomattox county. It is three miles from old Appomattox and is on the Norfolk & Western railroad.

During the Civil war there was a siding on this railroad called Appomattox station. It was here that Custer with his cavalry division got in front of Lee. The place has grown to be the town which today is called Appomattox.

When the old court building was destroyed by fire, the courthouse was rebuilt at Appomattox station.

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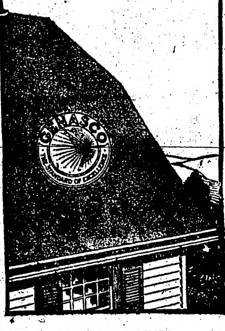

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Marshall }
IN PROBATE COURT.
Special Term May 20, 1916.

In the Matter of the Determination of the Heirs of
Ellen Cronkhite.
Deceased Homestead Settler.
ORDER FOR HEARING.

On reading and filing the petition of John Q. Cronkhite praying, among other things, for the judicial determination, by this Court, of who are the heirs of Ellen Cronkhite deceased homestead settler, and what are the respective rights and interests of such heirs in the homestead land of said deceased, and to assign said homestead to the parties legally entitled to the same,

It is Ordered, That said petition and said matter be heard and examined on Saturday the 24th day of June A. D. 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the office of the Probate Court at Warren in said County and State.

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing this order once in each week for three (3) successive weeks immediately prior to said date of hearing in The Holt Weekly News a weekly newspaper printed and published at Holt in said County and State.

Dated at Warren this 20th day of May A. D. 1916.

By the Court,
Peter H. Holm
Judge of Probate Court.

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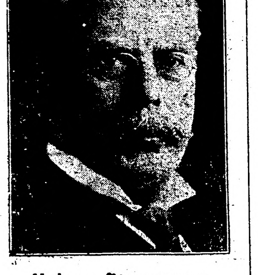

Halvor Steenerson
Congressmam, 9th Minn. Dist., & candidate for renomination at primaries June 19th 1916

The most important work of congress is done by old members, who have, through ability, long experience and study, become experts on one particular subject.

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Respectfully Submitted to the Voters,

Steenerson Campaign Committee.
By Martin Widsten, Secretary.

Our magazine offers are O. K.

A fine horse at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

P. O. Reierson was an over Sunday visitor with relatives in T. R. Falls.

Paul Olson has about finished his barn and will soon commence work on his house.

District court meets in Warren next week. Several from here will attend as witnesses and juryman.

Prof. Prushek, Misses Lawson, Saastad and Amanda Mickelson attended the dedication of the Middle River public school building last week Friday.

The work on the new buildings has been delayed on account of rain and windy weather. The outside walls for the village cistern is about completed, no attempt will be made to lay the bottom until the roof is on.

Mesdames Tony Anderson and T. G. Dahl went to Carpenter Ia. Friday to visit relatives.

Mrs. A. H. Huseth and children and Master Orvis Bray returned home Monday from a pleasant visit with relatives and friends at Fertile.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Knauf came yesterday to visit relatives and friends.

More rain again Sunday and Monday. Who said we were going to have a dry season?

County Supt. Johnson and wife visited schools in this vicinity last week.

Mrs. Thomas visited her daughter Mrs. B. L. Backe between trains Saturday.

How's This?

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Southeast of Holt.

Tallack Austad, aged 38 yrs., single, committed suicide at Crookston last Saturday morning May 13th, by cutting his throat with his pocket knife. Remains were brot. to the home of his sister Mrs. Tallack Ose of Excell. Funeral services were held on May 17th., Rev. Bredeson officiating and interment was made at the Free Church Cemetary.

H. N. Nubson, the Rawleigh man has been very busy canvassing in this locality the past week.

Martin Nelson has opened a blacksmith shop at Golden Valley. We all wish Mr. Nelson success in his new work.

Ole K. Ose who is attending High School in the city, spent the first of the week at home.

Mrs Martin Nelson entertained the Ladies Aid on Wednesday of last week.

G. J. Rystad called at Moe's Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Torgrim Austad of Smiley came down on Wednesday to attend the funeral of Tallack Austad.

Ole Nelson left on Friday for Milton N. Dak. where he expects to work during the summer.

County Supt. of schools David Johnson accompanied by his wife, visited schools in this locality last week.

H. Kaushagen was a caller at G. A. Soiney's Saturlay.

Ed. Hanson purchased a load of seed oats from Mike Johnson recently.

Tom Bakken will work on the Rasnus Oen farm near the city during the summer.

Olaf Olson is working for Mrs. Guttrud.

John Ristan the assessor has been very busy in this locality this week.

Mrs. H. Peterson has returned home after spending some time at Pekin N. Dak.

Haldor Brevik is a guest at the J. Klungness home.

G. J. Rystad was a visitor at the Tallack Ose home on Sunday evening.

Miss Betty Johnson was a Thief River Falls visitor Thursday.

C. L. Sanberg has commenced the work of painting his house.

Sheriff Hanson was in town Friday and Saturday on official business.

R. Reierson has purchased four acres of pasture land of S. S. Kolden for $60.00 an acre.

Hjalmer Dovre has moved his family into the house recently vacated by the Marty family.

Your choice of several good magazines in a club with this paper, for only 25c additional to the regular subscription price of one dollar.

Miss Myrtle Thomas, president of the second camp of Campfire Girls, and the leaders of the two camps in Thief River Falls and nine of the girls walked up here Saturday and were entertained at dinner by Mrs. B. L. Backe. After a big dinner all were satisfied to return home on the train.

If you want to sell or trade your farm, write to, or still better call on B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

Notice!

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H. B. Young, Editor.

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Order Limiting Time To File Claims And For Hearing Thereon.

ESTATE OF
ROLLEF H. GUNHEIM, Decedent

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Chas. H. Gunheim, of Holt, Minnesota, It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 4th day of November, 1916, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren, in said County, be and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News, as provided by law.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

Dated April 29th, 1916.
[SEAL].

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

ESTATE OF Carl L. Anderson,

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Carl L. Anderson, Deceased.

State Of Minnesota, County Of Marshall, In Probate Court.

The State Of Minnesota To Anna Anderson, Carl Oscar Anderson, Carrie Elizabeth Anderson, Erick Ragnar Anderson, John Edwin Anderson, Helmer Levin Anderson, Gladys Evelyn Anderson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Anna Anderson having been filed in this court, representing that Carl L. Anderson, then a resident of the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 19th day of January 1916; and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to said Anna Anderson, and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren, in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of June 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 9th day of May 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Petitioner,
Warren, Minn.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

May 6, 1916

Notice is hereby given that Anton Anderson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on March 26th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 07565, for S1-2 NW1-4, N1-2 SW1-4, Sec. 22, Twp. 156 N., Ran. 43 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 12th day of June, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Sorem, of Holt, Minn., Albin Dahl, Olaf Dahl and Ole Maakstad, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota. Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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Nelson Indorsement For A. G. Anderson

Genuine Americanism of Congressional Candidate Impresses Senior Senator

By George F. Authier.
(From Minneapolis Tribune)

Washington, May 20th. -(Special) Senator Knute Nelson yesterday commenting on the personality of A. G. Anderson, candidate for Congress in the Ninth district. Senator Nelson unhesitatingly put his O. K. on Mr. Anderson. The phase in Mr. Anderson's character that appears to appeal to Senator Nelson most is his genuine Americanism.

"I have known Mr. Anderson," said Senator Nelson, "ever since he came from Iowa many years ago, and have always found him to be an honest, trustworthy, and reliable man, both in business and in politics.

He is thorough-going Republican and possessed of a genuine spirit of true Americanism, having the welfare of our common country uppermost in his heart. He always has taken a great interest in public affairs. I frequently, in times past have consulted him on important public questions and have found that his diagnosis and conclusions were fair, just and sound."

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Large assortment of Ladies Oxfords and Pumps values up to $3.25 now placed on sale for 7 days at $1.79

Regular $4.50 Mens Oxfords now on sale for 7 days only at - $2.49

Lennox and Swifts Pride Soaps 9 bars for 7 days only - - 25c

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Regular 10c pkg. Corn Flakes during our 7 days sale only - - 5c

Regular 25c Peaberry Coffee on sale for 7 days at only - - - 22c

Regular 24c Peaberry Coffee for 7 days only - - - - 20c

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Remember! We do as we advertise
HOLT MERCANTILE COMPANY
Holt **Two Big Stores** Newfolden

Local Items

See us for magazine subscriptions.

J. J. Marty came from Bismark Friday to look after business matters.

John Sorum is sporting a new Ford car.

C. L. Sanberg went to T. R. Falls Tuesday on business.

Jacob Nelson and son Edwin came Monday to visit relatives.

Abel Anderson of Lockhart was here Monday looking after his farm interests.

Prof. Prushek and Miss Christine Saastad visited the Middle River school Monday.

Services Mission church next Monday evening June 5th. by Rev. F. D. McMartin.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. H. Furr Wednesday June 7th. Everyone invited.

The village cemetery is to be fenced and fixed up next Friday June 9th. See notice elsewhere.

The Holt public school closed last Friday with a program and picnic which was well attended.

Mrs. Ole Olson came from Middle River Wednesday to visit at the home of Dr. R. L. Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen and Miss Gladys Hagen, autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Chris Norbeck and Clarence Larson have been serving as jurymen at Warren a few days this week.

A. A. M. Carlson of Vancouver B. C. came last week to visit his nephew A. L. Carlson for some time.

Mrs. Albin Knauf returned Saturday to her home in T. R. Falls, accompanied by her mother Mrs. Kuehne who remained there for a few days visit.

Miss Annete Borsheim, of Northwood, Ia., cane yesterday to visit her father Svend Borsheim, and sister Mrs. Alfred Anderson, for an indefinite time.

Attention

For hay land to rent see Holt State Bank.

Cemetery Notice.

All stockholders and those interested in the Sandridge cemetery corporation, are requested to meet at the cemetery Friday June 9th and help build the fence and set the corner stakes for the lots. Bring tools with you.

H. A. Fosholm and Andrew Bjerk, overseers.

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Get one of our magazine clubs.

A fine horse at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

Guy Anderson was a business visitor in T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Hilmer Davidson has finished a well 92 feet deep, for J. M. Swan.

Mrs. Loyd Adams has been quite sick for several days with kidney disease.

Found: A small rifle. Prove property and pay for this notice.

S. S. Kolden

Good seed flax for sale. Fred Steinhauer, Route 2 Thief River Falls, Minn.

Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Ordahl returned home Wednesday from Minneapolis.

A. R. Jones entertained his eldest daughter, from Crookston, a couple of days last week.

Mrs. Fred Lufkin came Friday for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. C. L. Sanberg Saturday afternoon June 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Young have moved into their cottage on the ridge road, south of the school house.

Mrs. Carl Frederickson shipped her household goods here Monday and stored them in Kolden's building.

Racine Olson has been painting the Axel Nelson house the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Payne left yesterday for Thief River Falls and Leonard after several days visit with relatives and friends.

Ludwig Monson, Dan Nelson and Selmer Reierson went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to help A. N. Ness sow barley on his farm.

Lloyd Adams came Monday evening from Rugby, N. D. to see his wife who has been sick at the home of her mother Mrs. Jacob Nelson.

Holt and vicinity has been well represented at the county seat this week by witnesses in some cases on trial and by others who had business of an official nature to attend to.

Miss Elsie Lawson departed Saturday for her home in Anoka where she will spend a part of her summer vacation. Miss Lawson expects also to attend summer school in Minneapolis, and enjoy city life for an indefinite time.

Since our last issue Olaus Rodahl and a force of workmen have built cement side walks ten feet wide in front of the Peoples Cash Store, Bennes' pool hall, Holt Merc. Co's store, Mickelson's hotel, Reierson's warehouse and Sorenson's hotel.

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Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
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June 7, 1916.

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FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

One American passenger and five sailors were drowned when the Dutch steamer Batavia V. was blown up by a mine.

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The pinch of war has caused Italy to put an embargo on the export of macaroni, one of her chief food products.

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The new German scheme for controlling food supplies really means an absolute directorship from Prussia over the whole empire.

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None of the passengers or crew of the French coasting steamer Mira were saved when it was sunk as a result of a torpedo attack in the Mediterranean on May 16.

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Sir Edward Grey told the British house of commons that he had been informed that the pope had requested Germany to abandon submarine warfare.

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According to the Austrian official statement, Italian prisoners so far captured total more than 13,000 officers and men. One hundred and seven guns also have been taken.

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The French budget for the third quarter of 1916 exceeds $1,500,000,000. Minister of Finance Ribot has asked immediate increase in duties on many commodities to meet heavy war expenses.

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A Constantinople correspondent says that Field Marshal Lyman von Sanders is assembling a strong force of Turkish troops at Sivas, in Asiatic Turkey, to oppose the advance of the Russians.

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Military men in Paris believe the attack launched by the Austrians against the Italian front in southern Tyrol, which has gradually extended to the entire Austro-Italian frontier, is the great Austrian offensive which has long been expected, has begun.

GENERAL.

A transcontinental aeroplane competition for which prizes amounting to $100,000 will be offered has been decided upon by the Aero Club of America.

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Three hundred marines at Norfolk, and between 400 and 500 in Haiti were ordered to Santo Domingo to reinforce the American force policing the little republic.

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New York will help in re-stocking the zoological gardens of Antwerp, Belgium, according to a decision of the board of managers of the New York Zoological society.

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Physical inspection of the New Mexico National guard, at Columbus, disclosed the fact that approximately 50 per cent of the militiamen examined are unfit for service.

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With the appointment of Achbishop Jeremiah J. Harty of Manilla to succeed the late Bishop Richard Scannell of Omaha, the diocese of Omaha becomes greatly enlarged in importance as a Catholic church center.

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The short skirt will continue to be worn next fall, according to the report of the style committee of the National Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers' association adopted at the annual convention at Cincinnati.

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Announcement has been made at Union Pacific headquarters in Omaha that approximately $1,000,000 will be spent this year in improvements and betterment on the company lines between Kansas City and Denver.

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Both the United Confederate Veterans and the Sons of Veterans adopted resolutions at their meetings at Birmingham pledging unconditional support for the government of the United States should it become necessary for defense of the country.

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An order for 100,000 campaign buttons bearing an American flag and the inscription, "Americanism" and "Roosevelt," was given for use during the progressive national convention in Chicago.

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The preparedness parade planned for Chicago will be held Saturday, June 3. In order to broaden the scope of the parade mayors of other cities have been invited to join in giving the day a national importance.

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David Caplan's trial at Los Angeles for murder in connection with the destruction of the Los Angeles Times building ended when the jury reported hopeless disagreement and was discharged.

Four persons were killed when a fast Pennsylvania passenger train wrecked an automobile at a crossing near Newcomerstown, Ohio.

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Nine additional units of Texas troops have been authorized by Governor Ferguson to raise the Texas quota in federal service to 7,500 men.

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Nine persons were killed and thirty-eight injured at Kemp City, Okl., by a tornado which swept a path three-quarters of a mile wide and five miles long.

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Twenty-five Mexican cowboys from the Hearst ranch at Badicora, Mexico, broke and scattered a newly formed gang of bandits near Madera, killing fifteen, wounding one and capturing six.

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Free trade legislation is a menace to the silk and textile industries, declared United States Senator Penrose in an address during the closing session of the National Association of Underwear Manufacturers at Philadelphia.

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Sergeant Harry Furman, machine gun company, Twenty-third infantry, was killed on American soil by Carranza soldiers and his body dragged to Mexican soil, was the report the investigating board made to General George Bell in command at Fort Bliss, Texas.

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Miss Priscilla C. Dodd, aged 83, widow of General Levi A. Dodd, and the only woman who witnessed the hanging of Mrs. Mary E. Surratt in Washington, D. C., July 7, 1865, when the latter was found guilty as one of the plotters of the assassination of Abraham Lincoln, died at Pittsburg, Pa.

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A sweeping increase in pay, amounting approximately to 5 per cent has been voluntarily put into effect by the Burlington railroad, applying to employes who are not included in union wage schedules. The order applies to the entire Burlington system, where over 48,000 men are employed. The increase affects office men, track and bridge foremen, and employes of the mechanical department, including car repairers, shop men and the like.

SPORTING.

Mike Gibbons of St. Paul, outfought Ted (Kid) Lewis of England in a ten-round boxing bout at New York.

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Arlie Mucks broke the world's record in the discus throw in the Wisconsin-Illinois meet at Madison, throwing the platter 155 feet 8 inches.

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Freddie Welsh and Challenger Charley White are practically matched to meet at Buenos Ayres, Argentina, some time in late July or August. Fans there have offered $20,000 for the bout.

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Ames won the Iowa Intercollegiate meet at Des Moines with 57 points; Drake 42; Grinnell, 19; Iowa, 18; Cornell, 8; Coe, 8; Highland Park, 6; Des Moines, 3; Morningside, 2; and Simpson, 2.

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American Association club owners in a special meeting at Chicago, repealed the rule imposing a player limit of sixteen men, and will be governed henceforth only by the rule of the national agreement, which puts the limit of class AA clubs at twenty men.

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By a score of 73½ to 48½, Minnesota won the annual dual track and field meet from the Nebraska Cornhuskers at Lincoln. The Gophers early took the lead and maintained it to the finish, taking all the track events except the 440-yard dash and the mile relay.

WASHINGTON.

Russia's 1915 cotton crop, according to estimates reaching the Department of Commerce, was about 20 per cent larger than that of the year before.

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Pensions will cost the American people $6,000,000 less this year than last under the annual pension bill as reported by the appropriations committee.

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Returns from the income tax for the coming fiscal year are estimated at approximately $120,000,000 in revised figures being compiled by the Treasury department.

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The Hay-Chamberlain army bill has been passed by the house. The bill authorizes a standing army of 175,000 during peace times, which congress can cut down if it sees fit.

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According to an announcement attempted frauds and evasions of the income tax law aggregating $8,380,185 have been frustrated by the treasury department during the first nine months of the current fiscal year.

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The battleship Nebraska, in reserve at the Boston navy yard, has been ordered to Vera Cruz to relieve the Kentucky, which has been assigned to the naval militia of New York City, Brooklyn and Jersey City for summer maneuvers.

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Secretary Daniels appealed to President Wilson to use his influence to save the navy's reserves in the California oil fields as a vital step in the campaign for adequate national defense.

FRENCH RE-OCCUPY PART OF CUMIERES HELD BY GERMANS

DRIVE TEUTONS FROM TRENCHES NORTHWEST OF VILLAGE AFTER BLOODY BATTLE—COUNTERATTACKS FAIL.

AUSTRIANS CLAIM GAINS; ITALIANS MAKE STAND

Vienna Announces Capture of Entire Mountain Ridge in Bitter Trentino Struggle— Sinking of Italian Steamer Morivia and British Vessel Danewood Reported.

London, May 29.—The tide of battle at Verdun has again turned in favor of the French, according to the latest official bulletins from Paris.

Attacking the German lines to the west of the river Meuse, French troops have recaptured part of the village of Cumieres, which the Germans stormed earlier in the week. Trenches northwest of the village also were reclaimed in the French attack, while on the opposite bank of the river Paris claims the repulse of a German effort to gain further ground in the neighborhood of Fort Douaumont.

Vienna Claims Success.

Vienna announces a notable success for the Austrians in the bitter struggle waged in the Trentino. They have captured the entire mountain ridge stretching from Cornociocampe to Maata, inflicting heavy losses on the Italians and capturing more than 2,500 prisoners, besides four cannon and as many machine guns.

Austrians Held in Check.

Rome officially reports the Italians making a determined stand which held the Austrians in check in all but one sector of the front. An Italian retirement from an advanced position on the Astico river is admitted. It is in this district that the Austrians have been exerting the heaviest pressure and in the Asiago sector along this front the Rome war office records the continuance of the battle with varying fortunes. The main Austrian attack here is on the Italians' positions east of Assa valley.

The sinking of the Italian steamer Morivia of 2,288 tons by a German submarine is reported from Paris. The British steamer Danewood also has been sunk.

TWO KILLED IN COLLEGE FIRE

Lose Lives When Flames Gut Iowa School Building.

Oskaloosa, Iowa, May 29.—Two men were killed, two probably fatally injured and property damage estimated at between $80,000 and $100,000 was wrought by the fire in the main building of Penn college here.

Robert H. Williams, business manager of the college and state secretary of the Prohibition party, and Harry Oakley, a freshman, were killed.

George Minear and Howard Kelley, students, are in the hospital and may die. The flames reached a 40-gallon tank of alcohol, which exploded, scattering liquid fire in all directions.

"SAVIOR OF PARIS" IS DEAD

General Gallieni Passes Away Following Operation.

Paris, May 29.—Joseph S. Gallieni, until recently French minister of war and popularly known as the "savior of Paris," died at Versailles, following an operation for kidney trouble.

Gallieni, a veteran of the Franco-Prussian war, was one of the most brilliant members of the French general staff. His daring stroke against Germans early in the war is said not only to have had much to do with saving Paris from capture by the kaiser's armies, but marked a turning point in the European struggle.

NOT TO TALK WITHDRAWAL

Pershing Gets Orders Regarding Conference with Gavira.

Washington, May 29.—General Funston has instructed General Pershing not to discuss the question of withdrawal of the American forces from Mexico in the coming conference with Carranzista General Gavira at Namiquipa, it has been learned.

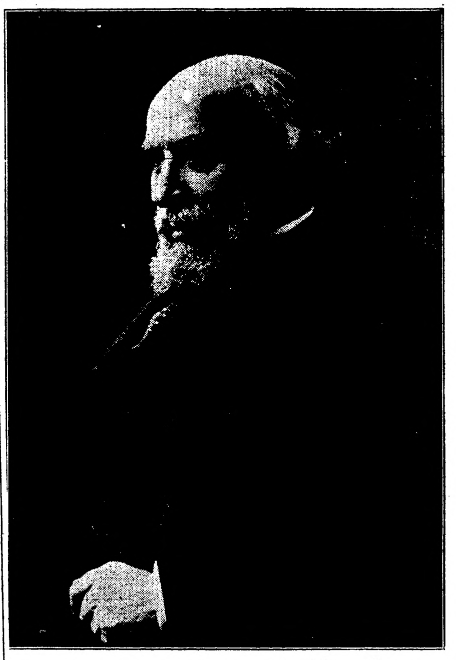
Pershing was directed to confine the talk to co-operation between American and Mexican forces and not to go outside of his military area in meeting Gavira.

Riggs Bank Officials Acquitted.

Washington, May 29.—The three Riggs bank officials, on trial here for perjury, were found not guilty after the jury had deliberated nine minutes.

Gerard Says Peace Is In Sight.

Berlin, May 29.—Ambassador Gerard is convinced that peace is in sight, according to an interview published in a Munich paper from its Berlin correspondent. Gerard is quoted as saying: "Nothing can shake my confidence that peace is on its way." The ambassador referred to the settlement of the differences between the United States and Germany as preparing the way for Wison to take up the question of peace. "President Wilson," he said, "has much greater freedom of action now."



Empire Builder of North West Dies On Monday

St. Paul, May 29.—James J. Hill, the most widely known figure of the northwest, died at his Summit avenue residence at 9:30 o'clock this morning as the result of an infection developing from bowel trouble. Hill was unconscious for nearly twelve hours before he died.

Following a relapse late yesterday of the aged financier, he failed rapidly during the night. All members of his family were at the bedside with the exception of Mrs. Anson M. Beard of New York, a daughter.

Just as Hill was dying two Little Sisters of the Poor approached the house from the south driveway. They were met at the door, and extended their sympathy. Then they left quickly.

One of the first to leave the house was John J. Toomey, Hill's confidential business agent and associate for years. Toomey took his departure at 9:50. He was quickly followed by Ralph Budd, assistant to the president of the Great Northern.

Louis W. Hill was next to leave. He walked between Rev. Father Thomas J. Gibbons, vicar general of the St. Paul arch-diocese, and George McPherson, an intimate friend of the family. Grief showed plainly on the face of the empire builder's successor. All three went to L. W. Hill's residence.

At this juncture Dr. Egil Boeckman's car drove up with Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Hill and Mrs. Louis Hill. Both women were crying.

Hill's wealth is estimated at a quarter billion. Besides having absolute control of the First National bank and Northwestern Trust Co., Hill was a large owner in the Chase National bank of New York, the First National of Chicago, and the Northwestern National of Minneapolis.

The estate will probably be held in trust by the Northwestern company.

Louis W. Hill, the oldest son, will take up his father's work. He has been closely associated with his father for the past ten years.

According to a statement issued by the surgeons at noon today, Mr. Hill died of blood poison, due from intestinal catarrh and hemorrhoids. Governor Burnquist has ordered that all public flags be half-masted until after the Hill funeral, probably Thursday. Archbishop Ireland will conduct the services.

WALL STREET MOURNS HIS LOSS.

New York, May 29.—News of the death of the man who for two generations has been a dominant personality in the financial community was received in Wall street with many expressions of sorrow and a feeling of personal loss, as Hill had many personal friends and was a popular figure in the street. His death did not cause the slightest disturbances in stocks. Great Northern and Northern Pacific were virtually inactive. They were heavy at the opening, being off one point, but recovering later. Hill last visited here six weeks ago.

James J. Hill discovered "the bread-basket of the world", in the Great Northwest; he led in its development from a wilderness into what now comprises six wealthy states dotted with 400,000 farms; and he blazed a trail for transportation which reached eventually from Buffalo to Asia, with a total mileage of rail and steamship facilities that would nearly girdle the earth.

That but roughly spans the story of his achievement.

Near Guelph, in Ontario, where James J.(erome) Hill was born in 1838, the son of an Irish-Canadian farmer who died when the boy was 15, there stands a tree stump labeled: "The last tree chopped by James J. Hill."

It marked the lad's resolution to go to the United States. He had been prompted by an odd incident. According to the story that is told, a strange traveler had stopped at the Hill farm to take dinner, and left his horse at the gate. Young Hill saw the animal was tired and he carried it a pail of water. The stranger was pleased with the lad's thoughtfulness, and as he drove off he tossed him a newspaper from the United States, and called out gravely:

"Go there, young man. That country needs youngsters of your spirit."

Hill read the paper carefully. It contained glowing accounts of opportunities in the States. He resolved to investigate for himself. It was the next morning that he chopped his last tree.

As a mere roustabout lad of 18, he toured from Maine to Minnesota. When, in 1856, he disembarked from a Mississippi river packet at St. Paul that place was a frontier town of 5,000 inhabitants. At the sign of W. J. Bass & Co., agents for the Dubuque & St. Paul Packet company, he found a job as both stevedore and clerk.

In the fifteen years that followed he seized every opportunity to study the whole problem of river transportation. He gathered no end of experience and a little capital with which he launched his own firm of Hill, Grass & Co., which promptly displayed its initiative by bringing the first load of coal that had ever been seen in that section into St. Paul. Two years later, with a flat-bottomed steamer he established the first regular communication with St. Paul and the Manitoba ports of the fertile Red River valley.

At about that time St. Paul was having its first experiment in railroad building. Eighty miles had been laid to St. Cloud, 316 miles to Breckenridge, both of which terminals were at the southern end of the Red River valley, and there were about 100 miles of track "which began nowhere and ended in that same indefinite spot." This venture ran up a debt of $33,000,000 and collapsed, with its only assets being "a few streaks of rust and a right of way."

Hill had had sufficient success in the region to be seized with a consuming desire to purchase the defunct property. After five years of financial dickering, including the sale of all his other interests, which netted a fortune of $100,000, he and a syndicate of three others—Sir Donald A. Smith, George Stephen, and Norman W. Kittson—obtained the object of this desire.

The St. Paul, Minnesota and Manitoba railway was formed to operate the property, with Hill as general manager. When in 1883 Mr. Hill was elected president he undertook the extension of the road from its Dakota and Minnesota homestead to the Pacific ocean. He was confronted by three great competitors to the south, each of which had received big bonuses as government aid, whereas the "Manitoba" or the Great Northern, as it came to be known, did not have a dollar of government subsidy or an acre of grant to forward its progress from the Minnesota boundary to the sea.

TO EXTEND THE U. S. IDEA.

The Chamber of Commerce at a meeting in New York passed this resolution:

"Whereas, Under the leadership of George Washington and others, 13 hostile, quarreling and jealous states were, in 1787-1789, brought into such relations, through federation under a written constitution, that war between these states and 35 other states since joined with them under that constitution is now not only impossible, but unthinkable; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the government of the United States should indicate immediately that this country is prepared to meet the representatives of all the democratic nations of the world in a convention the purpose of which shall be to extend the ideals expressed in Philadelphia in 1787, and thus promote the solidarity and the peace of the whole civilized world."

St. Louis, Mo.—The annual regatta of the Southwestern Amateur Rowing association will be held at Crewe Couer Lake, 20 miles from St Louis, on July 29-30. Crews from Chicago, Quincy, Peoria, Detroit, Grand Rapids, Mich., and St. Louis will take part.

On the first day junior crews will qualify for the senior races to be held the second day.

No Lack of Rations.

Returned soldier (relating experiences)—We were just making up our mouths for a feed, miss, when a big shell blew up the grub wagon.

Sympathetic young woman — You poor fellows! So you fought all day without rations.

Soldier—Not exactly, miss. Other shells from the enemy supplied us with perforations and lacerations in abundance.

No need to stop working when your horse is galled if you use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

He Did Write "Them Plays."

James T. Fields, one of the notable publishers and also a man of letters, relates that when he went to Stratford he met a native of that country. He told the native that he had come to see the home of Shakespeare.

"That's all right," said the man of Warwickshire, "but for my part I don't believe Shakespeare would be heard of now if he hadn't wrote them plays."

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Cause of Sickness.

Bacon—I understand a lot of cigars are exported from the Philippines to this country every year.

Egbert—That's none of my affair. I should say that it was up to the board of health.

To stop bleeding use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Beauty Fills the House.

"Is she pretty?"

"Pretty?, Why, that girl is so pretty that plenty of fellows are glad to call on her father and mother."—Pittsburgh Post.

Use Hanford's Balsam for nail in the foot. Adv.

Her View.

The Professor—Our primitive ancestors had the dinosauer, a slimy animal 100 feet long and 40 feet high, as a household pet.

Mrs. Wayupp—As a household pet! Goodness! I'd almost rather have a baby.—Judge.

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Love Finds a Way.

"But your fiance has such a small salary; how are you going to live?"

"Oh, we're going to economize. We're going to do without such a lot of things that Jack needs."

"In times of peace prepare for war," said a young man who had just squandered his hard-earned coin on an engagement ring.

The per capita wealth of our country, says one of the unquestionable statisticians, was $308 in 1850, and is now $1,965.

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And some men are even conceited enough to think that they understand a woman.

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For wire cuts use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

While a man is trying to make his fortune a woman goes and gets hers told.

Nigeria has been added to the lands in which valuable deposits of coal have been discovered in recent years.

M. A. Leaman of Cross Hill, S. C., says: "Hanford's Balsam is the best liniment on the market." Adv.

A regular woman is always glad when her husband has a holiday, so that he can put in about eighteen hours doing odd jobs at home.

St. Paul is to have a new family hotel to cost $400,000.

Portland, Ore., is to have a new shipbuilding plant.

WIFE TOO ILL TO WORK

IN BED MOST OF TIME

Her Health Restored by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Indianapolis, Indiana. — "My health was so poor and my constitution so run down that I could not work. I was thin, pale and weak, weighed but 109 pounds and was in bed most of the time. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and five months later I weighed 133 pounds. I do all the housework and washing for eleven and I can truthfully say Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been a godsend to me for I would have been in my grave today but for it. I would tell all women suffering as I was to try your valuable remedy."—Mrs. WM. GREEN, 332 S. Addison Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

There is hardly a neighborhood in this country, wherein some woman has not found health by using this good old-fashioned root and herb remedy.

If there is anything about which you would like special advice, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Airy Persiflage.

Irvin S. Cobb, who tells stories as well as he writes them, breezed into our office the other day with a new one.

A girl from the mountain regions of Kentucky went to a dentist to have a tooth filled. After the dentist had excavated the decayed molar he produced a tube connected with the compressed air tank and proceeded to clean out the cavity.

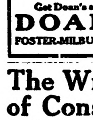
Thinking that the operation might be painful, he said to the girl:

"Does that air hurt?"

"That air what?" asked the girl.—New York World.

Riches used to take wings, but nowadays aeroplanes take riches.

It pays to be honest—but the pay usually goes to the other fellow.



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A North Dakota Case

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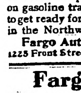

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WITHERING FIRE IS HOLDING GERMANS IN VERDUN BATTLE

FRENCH REPLYING TO TEUTONS' GUNS SHOT FOR SHOT—VICIOUS INFANTRY ATTACKS CONTINUE UNABATED.

CONTINUE ATTACKS ON EAST BANK OF MEUSE

German Troops Extend Positions and Cross Douamont Ravine—Rome Reports Repulse of Austrian Attacks—Turks Stop Russians on Persian Front.

Berlin, May 27.—German troops have continued successfully their attacks on the east bank of the Meuse, extending their positions to the west of Haudremont quarry and crossing the Douaumont ravine, the war office announces. South of Fort Douamont the French were driven back farther. The Germans captured an additional 600 prisoners and 12 machine guns.

London, May 27. — The battle of Verdun continues unabated. On both sides of the Meuse river, northeast and northwest of the fortress, the Germans are keeping up their unprecedented bombardments and vicious infantry attacks while the French are replying to the German guns virtually shot for shot, and under a withering fire holding the Germans at almost every point.

Penetrate French Lines.

One more gain, however, has been made by the Germans. After recapturing Fort Douaumont and taking trenches south and southwest of the fort, the Germans to the west have occupied a section of French trenches after a series of attacks, in all of which they were repulsed with heavy casualties, except the one where they penetrated the French lines.

Around Douaumont a heavy artillery duel is in progress, and northwest of Verdun the Germans have increased their artillery fire against the French on Hill 304, probably preparatory to another infantry attack for possesison of this much-fought-for vantage point.

Slavs Repulse Germans.

A German attack aginst the Russians west of Dalin Island gave them momentarily the possession of a Russian advanced trench, a counter-attack by the Russians dislodging the invaders.

An attempt by the Teutons to advance aginst the Russians north of Olyke station, southeast of Lutsk, was repulsed by the Russians.

In the region southeast of Trent and across the border in Italy, Rome reports the repulse of Austrian attacks and the throwing back of the attackers in disorder. In the Astico-Posina region the Italians are replying effectively to the bombardment of the Austrians.

Turks Stop Russians.

In connection with the fighting on the Persian front, according to Constantinople, the Turks have stopped the advance of the Russians in the region of Kasr-I-Shirin, and also defeated Russian detachments at Sulamanish, north of Kasr-I-Shirin.

WOMEN TO REFORM DRESS

Federation of Clubs Stand for Standardizing Street Attire.

New York, May 29.—Shall the women of America standardize their street dress?

Two thousand women delegates, alternates and visiting club members of the thirteenth biennial convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs answered the foregoing question in the affirmative at an open conference of the Home Economics committee of the federation yesterday. The committee has devoted two years to investigating the practicability of the plan and as a result it is prepared to introduce a resolution favoring it at next week's session of the convention. Gowns for evening wear are to be excluded from the proposed limitations.

ONLY FEW CONTESTED SEATS

Big Majority of Delegates to Republican Convention Elected.

Chicago, May 27.—There will be fewer delegate seats contested in the Republican national convention which meets in the Coliseum on June 7, than in any national convention of the party in 20 years. With all the 985 delegates to the 1916 convention elected, with the exception of those from West Virginia, which will be chosen by direct primary June 6, only 53 contests have been filed with Secretary Reynolds of the Republican National committee.

Swindled Out of $10,000.

East St. Louis, Ill., May 24.—A man giving the name of John R. Harris told the police that he had been swindled out of $10,000 in a fake "fixed horse race." He said he turned his money over to three men at a hotel here and that in a few minutes they left the hotel ostensibly to get some money from a safe deposit vault. A bellboy said he saw men answering the description of the alleged swindlers start towards Belleville in an automobile.

STATE BREVITIES

Moorhead. — More than $50,000 will be spent on good road work in Clay county this year by the individual townships, aside from the amount spent by the county and state.

St. Paul. — St. Paul has three representatives on the faculty of the summer school in mental deficiency to be conducted at the Minnesota school for feeble-minded at Faribault, June 26 to August 5.

Faribault.—"I have no intention of resigning," declared Dr. J. N. Tate, superintendent of the State School for the Deaf here, when questioned regarding reports from St. Paul that he will give up his post.

St. Paul. — The Minnesota primary law was sharply criticized at a meeting of the executive committee of the Republican League of Minnesota at The Saint Paul. Sentiment was unanimously against it.

Duluth. — Johnny Sholund, 13 years old, dove between logs of a boom in a mill pond here and pulled out his playmate, Reinhart Leslie, of the same age, after the latter had slipped between the logs and failed to come up.

St. Paul. — By a unanimous vote, the Episcopal diocese of Minnesota at its fifty-ninth annual council in St. Paul, approved of the church pension fund, which is to be established for the maintenance of superannuated rec-

Mankato. — Mrs. F. W. Foster of Omaha, Neb., died suddenly on an Omaha train en route home from Minneapolis, where she was a delegate to the Northern Baptist conventon. The body was taken from the train here.

Lake City. — When the Minnesota Horse Breeders' association and the Eastern Minnesota Horse Breeders' association meet here June 17, all sessions will take place on board the steamer Frontenac and barge Mississippi, afloat on Lake Pepin.

St. Paul. — Passage of a bill providing for industrial insurance for railway employes engaged wholly in intrastate traffic will be asked of the next legislature. This was decided by the Minnesota legislative board of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen.

Ortonville. — Overalls and jackets were much in evidence here on "Trail day." Clergymen, lawyers, doctors, druggists and merchants participated in the largest single good roads move ever launched in Western Minnesota. All worked on the Yellowstone trail from 6 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Rochester. — With plans practically completed for the sixth annual tournament of the Minnesota State Sportsmen's association at Rochester, June 21 to 23, trap shooters of all parts of the state are getting ready. Rochester officials of the club expect the meet to be the largest event of its kind ever held in the state.

Moorhead.—Road boosters of Western Minnesota, seeking the establishment of the "lake and park" road as the official route of the Jefferson highway, met here to further outline the campaign. The western route supporters are opposing an organization that is seeking the establishment of the road through the central section of the state.

St. Peter. — Swan Lake, the hunters' paradise of Southern Minnesota, is to be drained into the Minnesota river. An association to further the project has been formed by farmers living near the lake. The project means the reclaiming of twenty-six sections of land, more than 16,500 acres, or nearly one-third of Nicollet county.

St. Paul. — The State of Minnesota cannot tax inheritances of bonds of a Minnesota corporation transferred by will or under the interstate law by a non-resident to non-resident heirs, according to a per curiam opinion of the supreme court in suit brought in the district court of Ramsey county to collect inheritance tax upon the estate of Francis H. Ward, Chicago.

St. Paul. — The Minnesota naval militia will have two weeks' training on the sea, according to the program received by Adjutant General Fred B. Wood from Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels. The Minnesota navy men will embark on the battleship Rhode Island from Philadelphia navy yard, July 15, and will sail to Block Island Sound.

St. Peter.—That Patrick J. Gibbons, former St. Paul commission man, who escaped from the asylum for the criminal insane at St. Peter, had help either from the inside of the institution or that friends awaited him in an automobile and hustled him out of danger of capture, is intimated in the report of the superintendent, R. M. Phelps, to the state board of control.

St. Paul. — Wholesale charges of extravagance, malfeasance and nonfeasance in office against the county commissioners of Cass county in affidavits and statements have been filed with Governor Burnquist by Thomas Peterson, J. R. Blackburn and E. L. Holman, citizens of that county, who ask a thorough investigation and the removal from office of the men if found guilty.

Faribault. — Major W. T. Mollison of Faribault has been elected colonel of the Second infantry, Minnesota national guard, by the field and line officers of the regiment, to succeed Col John Bueschers of New Ulm, who is slated for retirement after thirty years' service in the guard of the state.

Thief River Falls. — Out of 150 entries to lands in the Mud lake bottom thirty-five miles northeast of here, only thirteen do not conflict. On some of the choicest pieces as many as five entrymen are asserting prior right. To straighten the tangle the land office has ordered nineteen hearings.

NAMES MEMBERS OF COMMITTEES

PRESIDENT SNYDER OF BOARD OF REGENTS MAKES PROVISION FOR CONSULTATIONS.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

President Fred B. Snyder of the board of regents of the University of Minnesota has announced appointment of the following board committees:

Executive Committee—Butler, chairman, Partridge, Sommers, Glotfelter, Burnquist, Snyder, Vincent. Agricultural Committee—Rice, chairman, Glotfelter, Butler, Schulz, J. G. Williams, M. M. Williams, Sommers, Vincent. Buildings and Grounds Committee—Partridge, chairman, Butler, Rice, M. M. Williams, Vincent, Salaries Committee—Sommers, chairman, Butler Schulz, Mayo, Snyder, Vincent. Auditing Committee—J. G. Williams, chairman, Partridge, Sommers, Rice, M. M. Williams, Vincent. Investments Committee—Snyder, chairman, Burnquist, M. M. Williams, Vincent.

President Snyder also recommends that the president consult with reference to matters which concern the following colleges with regents as follows: Agriculture, Regent Rice; medicine, dentistry and pharmacy, Regent Mayo; Law, Regent Butler; engineering and mines, Regent J. G. Williams, and education and extension, Regent Schulz.

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Jury Law Is Valid.

Minnesota's "five-sixth Jury law," which permits a jury hearing a civil action to return a verdict signed by any ten or eleven members of the panel after twelve hours' consideration, has just been held to be valid by the United States Supreme Court and not in conflict with the Federal Constitution. The case in point is the Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad company against the estate of Constantine Nanos, deceased.

The railroad company attacked the validity of the Minnesota law, declaring that it contravenes the seventh amendment of the Federal Constitution. The Nanos estate was awarded a five-sixths verdict aginast the company in compliance with the state law. The company appealed to the higher tribunal in Washington from the Minnesota Supreme Court decision which upheld the validity of the law.

Chief Justice White, who delivered the opinion of the court, said that the contention that the Constitution had been violated "is in conflict with an essential principle on which our dual constitutional system of government rests."

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Case Puzzles Board.

Representatives of the Algor Smith Lumber company, and the Virginia & Rainy Lake Railroad company have answered charges of trespass on state lands before the state timber board. The charges grew out of the cutting of timber for the railroad's right-of-way.

The representatives of the two companies asserted that it was not a case of willful trespass, and offered to pay for the timber they had cut.

The case was referred to Attorney General L. A. Smith for settlement, ambiguity in the law relating to such instances making it impossible for the board to decide the question.

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Seed Experts Come Here.

Seed analysts from practically every state and from the United States department of agriculture, will hold their annual meeting at the college of agriculture, University farm, July 13 to 15. Prof. W. L. Oswald, director of the Minnesota seed laboratory, is president of the national organization. Dean Woods of the farm college says that Minnesota was chosen as the meeting place because it has "the best state pure seed law and probably the one best administered."

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Plans For Fathers' Day.

If Mrs. Virginia B. Powell of Lake City can bring it about Minnesota will have an addition to its list of holidays in the shape of a Fathers' day. Writing to Governor Burnquist Mrs Powell, under the caption, "What is the matter with father," states that when Governor Hammond was alive he gave his approval and she believes that if he had lived the day would have been legalized.

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State Sues Lumber Firm.

The State of Minnesota has begun suit against the International Lumber company to recover $385 damages due to the company's failure to remove slashings. The damage was the result of fire from the slashings.

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Schools To Save Paper.

Teachers pupils and school authorities of the state have been requested by C. G. Schulz, state superintendent to save their waste paper in aid of the movement which has become nation-wide to conserve the print paper supply of the country. Mr. Schulz suggests to the teachers and pupils that the saving of the waste paper about the schools and the homes of each not only will prove profitable, but will inculcate the habit of public cleanliness. Paper and rags can be sold best in carload lots.

DAIRYING IN WESTERN CANADA

Accompanying Industries Also Prove Highly Profitable.

The cheese industry throughout western Canada today is in a highly flourishing condition and is bound in a very short time to become much more important. The war has created a great demand for that article, and its use abroad has given it a lot of useful advertising. The article known as Canadian cheese is now sought not only by the soldier in the trenches, but by the ordinary civilian consumer, who, having used it, is quick to appreciate its value. This means that after the war there will be a demand created for it that would not otherwise have been. Up to the present the war needs have limited the local supply, but with the increased effort that is now being put forth it is hoped that this will be met. As a matter of course the prices are high, and the farmers who contribute to the cheese factories are making money.

The cheese season is now fully open and there is every prospect of an excellent year because the high price which obtained last year will undoubtedly be maintained this season. Western Canada has all the natural resources for the making of cheese, the feed and the cool nights, two things essential, and in time it is bound to become one of the finest cheese countries of the continent.

The lower foothills of Alberta, used only at the present time as ranges or for no purpose, will in time produce cheese in great quantities, and doubtless will soon equal the famous uplands of Denmark.

The cool nights mean the better keeping of milk and cream and cheese, and that is a great thing for the industry, especially when combined with possibilities of cattle feed such as exist on the long slopes from the Rockies eastward.

The hog market, which may be classed as an adjunct of farming, is an exceedingly good one, and the low cost at which the feed can be produced, coupled with the high prices realized, make this industry very profitable.

One of the first thoughts that occur to the mind of the average prospective settler is the likelihood of suitable markets. In this connection the following table will be illuminating. It is supplied by the P. Burns company, packers and exporters, of Calgary, and shows the average monthly price paid for hogs for the six years 1910 to 1915 inclusive. When one considers the low initial cost of the land and the small overhead cost of maintenance and feed, these prices challenge comparison.

	1910	1911	1912	1913	1914	1915
January		7¾	8	8	7¾	$6.71
Feb.		7¾	8½	8½	8	6.96
March		7¾	8	8½	7½	7.16
April		7½	8¼	8¾	7½	8.06
May		7½	9	8½	7	8.26
June		7	8½	8	6.85	8.30
July		7¼	8½	8	8	8.12
August	8	8	8¾	8½	8½	7.93
Sept.	8	9½	9	8¾	7¾	8.86
Oct.	8	8¼	8½	7¾	6	9.02
Nov.	7¾	9	8½	7	6½	8.36
Dec.	7¾	8½	8¼	7¼	6¼	8.70½

A farmer of Monarch, Alberta, claims the distinction of being the first in the province to sell a carload of hogs at the high price of eleven cents a pound, live weight. The sale was made a short time ago at Calgary, and at that time was a record, although prices have since gone as high as $11.12½ per hundredweight. With such prices available for hogs the farmer has a market for everything his farm produces, as there is practically no farm product which cannot be converted into good hog flesh. The uncertainty of results which attends grain farming even under most favorable conditions is removed when the settler goes in for raising hogs, beef and dairy products. With Western Canada's cheap lands, heavy crops, and climate free from diseases of stock, the stock farmer is as sure of success as anyone can be.—Advertisement.

The Point of View

They sat over their coffee at the fashionable table d'hote.

Her eyes having swept the room she turned to him. "Do you notice what beautiful hands the young woman opposite has?"

He confessed he did not.

Presently pursuing her survey she asked. "Do you observe the latent spirituality in the dark dreamy eyes of the young man with her?"

He confessed he did not.

She was a brilliant authoress — he a penny-a-liner.—Judge.

Every woman thinks she is a prima donna when it comes to putting a baby to sleep.

As a matter of fact the sins of a large city haven't anything on a country village if the truth were known.

Altoona, Pa., has 57,000 population.

You need never worry about results in baking if you use KC BAKING POWDER It has been a standby for a quarter of a century. Guaranteed under all pure food laws.
25 Ounces for 25¢ (More than a pound and a half for a quarter)

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The advertising man lit a fresh cigarette and thought for eight seconds by the clock.

"How will this do?" he asked. "One of our dance records will outlast the best hardwood dancing floor ever built."

Every time anything disagreeable happens to the average married man his wife gets busy and reminds him that she warned him in advance.

Matrimony has destroyed many a sweet delusion.

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Immediate Payment
Correct test, low express rates and prompt return of cans are assured when you
SHIP US Your Cream
We handle cream in six states. Can refer to thousands of satisfied shippers and to any bank or commercial agency in your neighborhood.
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Puts a ... Stop to all Distemper
CURES THE SICK
And prevents others having the disease no matter how exposed. 50 cents and $1 a bottle, $5 and $10 a dozen bottles. All good druggists and turf goods houses.
SPOHN MEDICAL CO.,
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For Sale

Brand new Kitchen Cupboard. Will sell cheap.

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FARMERS!

Who are Interested in raising Good Horses will find it to Their Interest to come and see the Black Percheron Stallion which stands at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

Terms of service: $12.00 for standing colt.

H. S. Williams, Owner.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Dr. R. L. Olson is on the sick list.

Tom Larson went to T. R. Falls Monday.

The state wide primary election will be held Monday June 19th.

Olaf Eggum went to Blackduck where he is in the logging business.

Dr. Turley will be here Wednesday June 7th. to do dental work.

Middle River is to have an electric light plant, operated by private capital.

Chris Knutson has been painting the interior of his butcher shop the past week.

The aged father of Mrs. C. Gronvold, Mr. Moen, is very low with no hopes of recovery.

Commencing June 5th. cream will be received on every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. P. L. Anderson

Mrs. Ludwig Monson and children went to Thief River Falls Monday to visit her sister Mrs. Andrew Nass

The site for the sanatorium of Marshall, Roseau, and Pennington counties, at Thief River Falls, has been approved by the state advisory commission.

Mrs. S. H. Nohre has been quite sick the past week but is now getting better under the treatment of Dr. Mellby.

Your choice of several good magazines in a club with this paper, for only 25c additional to the regular subscription price of one dollar.

Buttermaker.

Thirteen may be an unlucky number, but this great nation of ours started out with thirteen states and has grown ever since. Nothing unlucky about that, eh?

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State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Marshall }

IN PROBATE COURT.
Special Term May 20, 1916.

In the Matter of the Determination of the Heirs of
Ellen Cronkhite
Deceased Homestead Settler.

ORDER FOR HEARING.

On reading and filing the petition of John Q. Cronkhite praying, among other things, for the judicial determination, by this Court, of who are the heirs of Ellen Cronkhite deceased homestead settler, and what are the respective rights and interests of such heirs in the homestead land of said deceased, and to assign said homestead to the parties legally entitled to the same,

It is Ordered, That said petition and said matter be heard and examined on Saturday the 24th day of June A. D. 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the office of the Probate Court at Warren in said County and State.

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing this order once in each week for three (3) successive weeks immediately prior to said date of hearing in The Holt Weekly News a weekly newspaper printed and published at Holt in said County and State.

Dated at Warren this 20th day of May A. D. 1916.

By the Court,
Peter H. Holm
Judge of Probate Court.

[Seal]

A Few of The Many

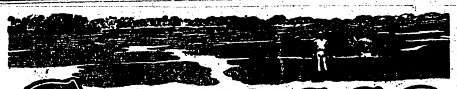
Specials at People's Cash Store!

Soda Crackers per lb. 6c	Ginger Snaps 7c
Fig Bar, regular price 18c a lb., now 11c	
Dried Peaches 7c	Oatmeal per pkg 18c

	Regular Price		now only
Khive Poplin	.35		23
Avila Mull	.25		.16
Mercerized Poplin	.25		.18
Girls Dresses	.75c		.50
Boys Rompers	.60		.45
Baby Carriages	$10.00		$7.00
" "	$5.00		$3.75

These are exceptionally good bargains as the prices we are giving are below the regular Wholesale Cost at this time.

We count Butter and Eggs same as Cash



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For Representative

To the voters of Marshall County:

I haves again filed as a candidate for the office of Representative and respectfully ask your support at the Primary election on June 19. The experience gained as a member of three former legislatures will, I believe, enable me to render efficient and intelligent service to the people of this District and State.

I am in favor of and will work and vote for State-wide Prohibition of the Liquor Traffic.

Increasing of the state aid for the building of good roads.

Giving the woman the right to vote the same as the men.

Legislation with a view to suppress tuberculosis, and liberal appropriations to properly care for the unfortunates who are afflicted with this dreaded disease.

An economical and business-like administration of State affairs. Reorganination of State Departments.

Open markets. A thorough investigation of the condition existing at our terminal markets, and a law providing for stricter regulations governing the sale of grain and other products of the farm at such terminals, with a view of securing to the producer the full value of his products.

Liberal State aid for Agricultural and Industrial Education in our Public Schools.

Conservation and State Development.

Yours Truly
Donald Robertson.

Hay for Sale.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Notice!

Our magazine offers are for a limited time, only. Please call and take advantage of these very liberal offers before it is too late. Good for both old and new subscribers, everyone treated alike. A good offer.

H. B. Young, Editor.

Hats At Reduced Prices!

$3.00 Hats now selling for a few days at $2.50
2.75 Hats at 2.00 2.00 Hats at 1.50
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Underwear of all kinds at Reduced Prices!

R. Reierson, Holt, Minnesota

Sen. Ole O. Sageng endorses the candidacy of A. G. Anderson for congress in a letter to Hon. Knute Nelson.

State Of Minnesota
Senate Chamber
March 20, 1916.

Hon. Knute Nelson,
Washington, D. C.

My Dear Senator:-

I want to express my sincere appreciation of your vote on the warning resolution. The Americanism of Minnesota was slandered by the vote of the other members of our delegation, a fact which adds greatly to my appreciation of your courage in standing alone for America and American rights in the present crisis.

I am especially surprised at the action of the member from my district. It seems to me that there was not even a political reason, sordid as such a consideration is in such a matter, why Mr. Steenerson should not be for "America first."

Sincerely yours,
Ole O. Sageng.

Order Limiting Time To File Claims And For Hearing Thereon.

ESTATE OF
ROLLEF H. GUNHEIM, Decedent

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Chas. H. Gunheim, of Holt, Minnesota, It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 4th day of November, 1916, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren, in said County, be and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News, as provided by law.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

Dated April 29th, 1916.
[SEAL]

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.
May 6, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Anton Anderson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on March 26th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 07565, for S1-2 NW1-4, N1-2 SW1-4, Sec. 22, Twp. 156 N. Rng. 41 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 12th day of June, 1916.

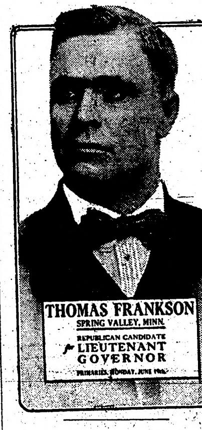
Claimant names as witnesses: John Sorum, of Holt, Minn., Albin Dahl, Oluf Dahl and Ole Maakstad, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.
Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.00
Wheat No. 2	.96
Wheat No. 3	.90
Wheat No. 4	.83
Flax	1 68
Oats	30
Barley	48 to .53
Rye	.80
Flour, Best Patent	3.45



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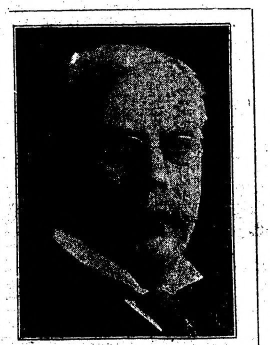
Regulation of Prices



Halvor Steenerson
Congressmam, 9th Minn. Dist., & candidate for renomination at primaries June 19th 1916

Theo. Roosevelt has said that the only alternative of goverment ownership is regulation of prices.

Halvor Steenerson helped to frame the first law regulating railroad rates, when a state senator in 1884. Through his victory in the "Steenerson Grain Rate Case" a few years later the right of the state to regulate rates was established, and all railroad rate legislation in the country is based on that decision

He believes the power of congress extends to regulation of prices of natural commodities, the supply of which has fallen into the control of monopolies, and at present is engaged in an attempt to have the rule applied to gasoline. If successful, it is likely to be extended to cover all neccessities sosituated that the supply has been "cornered" and the people oppressed by excessive prices.

He has always favored reasonable preparedness, and supported President Roosevelt's two battleships per year program, but is opposed to the "army of a million and biggest navy on earth" idea.

Halvor Steenerson is a firm believer in and able advocate of the principles of the Republican party. He is a man of independence. He is not a tool of any political ring or boss and does not seek to ride into office on the coat tails of someone else, but does his own thinking and stands on his own feet.

He desires to continue representing the Ninth District in congress and will appreciate your vote at the primary election on June 19th.

Respectfully Submitted to the Voters,

Steenerson Campaign Committee.
By Martin Widsten, Secretary.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

VOL. V. HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY, JUNE 9, 1916. NO. 47.

DEPOSITS
A STATE BANK
A HOME BANK
LOANS

Live Stock Loans

The interests of the Holt farmers and live stock men are the interests of the Farmers State Bank for the development of the one is immediately reflected in the development of the other.

We are always prepared to assist in the purchase of live stock by offering loans at rates and terms that can not be bettered in this county.

There is no red-tape about our loans If you need money for Stock Purchases, call during the business hours of any day and discuss the matter with one of our officers.

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DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

Attention

For hay land to rent see Holt State Bank.

Mrs. T. Sollom and son Alfred, and Ole Moen went to T. R. Falls Tuesday on business.

Miss Myrtle Thomas came Tuesday for an extended visit with her sister Mrs. B. L. Backe.

Mrs. Wm. Wendt and daughter Matilda were visitors in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Ed. Monson, Clarence Kolden and Carl Christoferson went to T. R. Falls Wednesday on business.

Rev. G. O. Parish will hold services in the Holt Free Mission church next Monday evening June 12th. Everybody invited to attend.

Paul Olson has commenced the work on his cellar wall. The house will be 20 feet square with 12 foot posts and will make them a comfortable home.

Mrs. J. M. Swan returned home Wednesday from Grove City where she had been called by the illness of her father who is somewhat better at present.

The frame for the village hall has been raised which is 24x60 with 12 foot posts. There is a storage tank in the building 12x40 and 7 feet deep which ought to hold water enough to put out any fire in town.

Rev. M. T. Strom closed a successful term of Norwegian school Monday in the Martin Jarshaw district. The closing day was marked by a happy surprise for Mr. Strom. The people gathered at the school house in the afternoon and listened to a short program after which a fine lunch was served by the crowd and they presented Mr. Strom with a handsome present of a set of silver knives, forks and spoons.

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Death of Henry Moe

Henry Moe died Saturday night at the home of his daughter Mrs. C. Gronvold. Mr. Moe received an injury in the abdomen, while fixing fence, and thisbrot on an obstruction of the bowels which was the cause of his death. The funeral was held Wednesday, Rev. Ordahl officiating and interment was made in the Holt cemetry. Those present from a distance was the aged widow Mrs. Pernilla Moe and daughter Mrs. Carl Swanson both of Minneapolis and Mrs. A. G. Culmark, a daughter from Kessington, Minn.

Mr. Moe was born in Norway Nov. 18th, 1852 and was married about 39 years ago. He was the father of 9 children, of whom six and the bereaved widow are left to mourn his death.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to those who so kindly helped us during the sickness and death of our beloved father and for the beautiful flowers for the funeral.

Mrs. C. Gronvold and family.

Died in Dakota

Word was received here Monday that Daniel Johnson had died that morning in the hospital at Langdon N. D. after about three weeks sickness of typhold fever. His brother Victor went to Langdon and brot the remains here, arriving home Wednesday.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the home of his mother Mrs. Tosea Ellefson, Rev. Kilen of Newfolden officiating and burial will be made in the Folden cemetery.

Daniel Johnson was born on the old homestead in the Town of Holt Marshall Co. Minn. on Jan 10th, 1887 and was one of a family of eleven children, all of whom are here to attend the funeral except a sister Mrs. Fourner of Chicago whose address is not known. Those from away who are here to attend the funeral are: Miss Ruth Johnson of St Paul, Miss Anna Johnson of Ryder, N. D. Mrs. Fred Johnson of Thief River Falls and Oscar Johnson of Kratka.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. Olaf Johnson on Saturday afternoon June 17th, at 2 o'clock.

A. H. Huseth has sold his confectionery store and pool hall to Alfred Olson and Arnold Bornstein who took possession Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dovre returned home Tuesday from a weeks visit with their son John at Hamidal, N. D. and relatives at other points.

Theodore Sollom and sister, Miss Gunhild, P. P. Reierson and O. A. Thompson went to T. R. Falls, Tuesday to attend a hearing on the Mud Lake lands.

The first great naval battle of the European war was fought last week Wednesday night in the North Sea. About 5000 lives were lost and both England and Germany lost several ships.

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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WAR NEWS.

The reorganized Serbian army has landed at Saloniki, 80,000 strong, to aid the entente allies.

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David Lloyd-George has been assigned to the difficult task of settling the trouble in Ireland.

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Sir Roger Casement has been indicted for high treason by a grand jury in London. He will be brought to trial on June 26.

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The Germans have captured French positions on a front of approximately two miles between Dead Man hill and the Cumieres village, northwest of Verdun, according to Berlin reports.

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Since the beginning of the war 550 persons have been killed and 1,616 injured in the British Isles by German attacks by sea and air, according to a statement made in parliament by the home secretary.

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Paris financiers are perfecting a plan to "corner" the battlefields of the west at the end of the war and making their fortune out of charges to tourists for permission to inspect the scenes of big fights.

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The portable field kitchens, which the soldiers call "goulash cannon," are being introduced into the streets of the poorer sections of Berlin, selling warm dinners to all comers for 35 pfennigs per portion.

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King George of England has affixed his official signature to the military service bill recently passed by Parliament. The bill provides for general and immediate compulsion and calls to the colors all males, married or single between the ages of 18 to 41.

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Prices of men's clothing in Vienna have been advanced 50 per cent. Wages are said to have gone up 30 per cent since the war and the cost of materials, cloth, linings and trimmings, have risen from 100 to 300 per cent. Some kinds of cloth, notably blue serges, cannot be had at all.

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Out of the 80,000 Austro-Hungarian prisoners confined in the camps at Orenburg, eastern Russia, 17,000 have died owing to the absence of good sanitary measures, bad food, lack of clothing and exposure to the cold, according to a report of the American embassy at Petrograd, dated March 15, 1916.

GENERAL.

Out of the 640,000 people who have heard Billy Sunday in Kansas City, 7,000 have hit the trail.

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James J. Hill, railroad builder and capitalist, died at his home in St. Paul, Minn., after having undergone a critical operation.

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Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, who was divorced by Harry K. Thaw, last month, and Jack Clifford, her dancing partner, were married in Baltimore.

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The Rockefeller foundation has announced that it has appropriated $1,000,000 for war relief in Poland, Serbia, Montenegro and Albania.

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Martial law will be continued throughout Ireland until further notice, according to a proclamation posted by the military authorities of Dublin.

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Directors of the Union Pacific railroad have elected Edgar E. Calvin president to succeed A. L. Mohler, whose resignation, due to ill health, takes effect July 1.

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Seventeen deaths was the Memorial day toll this year. Six persons were drowned, four killed in automobile accidents and one in a runaway in New York. Four persons were killed at Dallas, Tex., when a wooden awning collapsed, and two persons met death in an auto accident at America Forks, Utah. The injured total over forty.

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Universal jitney transfers are available now in Topeka, Kan. The jitney owners announced that passengers can now go to any part of Topeka where the jitneys are in operation.

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More than 200 Mexican men and women were murdered a short time ago when rebels fired on a train between Mexico City and Cuernevaca, according to private advices. Women and children were among the victims. All were government employes.

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Prices paid producers for meat animals continue to increase. From April 15 to May 15, the increase was 1.7 per cent compared with an average decrease of 1.6 per cent during the same period in the last six years.

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The Methodist general conference voted 434 to 360 at Saratoga, N. Y., to retain the rule that Methodists must not play cards, dance or attend theaters.

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New print paper made from hitherto unused woods, under direction of the forest service laboratories, has been successfully tried by two large newspapers, and in all eleven kinds of wood never used before have given promise of being suitable. A number of trees have been found suitable for manila paper and box boards.

SPORTING.

The Sioux City and Topeka baseball teams of the Western league battled eighteen innings at Sioux City to a 5 to 5 tie game recently.

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Charlie White of Chicago knocked out Milburn Saylor of Indianapolis in the first round of their scheduled ten-round bout at Cincinnati. Saylor did not land a blow on White.

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Racing at the proposed meet at the Old Hawthorne track, Chicago, July 15-29, will be permitted, but no gambling will be allowed, according to John E. Traeger, sheriff of Cook county.

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Barney Oldfield set a new record for the speedway track at Indianapolis recently. Taking his life in his hands, Barney tore around a slippery track over the two and one-half mile course at a speed of 102.6 miles an hour.

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The Omaha high school won the Missouri Valley Interscholastic track meet at Kansas City. Omaha scored 41 points, St. Joseph being second with 25. Lincoln, Kansas City, Kan., and Kansas City Manual were the other schools entered.

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Missouri won the ninth Missouri Valley track meet at Columbia. Ames, Ia., was second, and Nebraska finished fifth. Simpson of Missouri broke his own world's record in the 120-yard hurdles with a time of 14.3. In the 220-yard hurdles Simpson tied the world's mark of 23:3, which has stood for eighteen years.

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Cornell with total of 45 points won the forty-first intercollegiate association meet at Cambridge, Mass. Two records, one in the 440-yard run and the other in the 120-yard hurdles, were broken. Points scored were: Cornell, 45; Yale, 29; Stanford, 22; California, 22; Pennsylvania, 18; Dartmouth, 14; Michigan, 13; Harvard, 11; Princeton, 10; Bowdoin, 5; Syracuse, 3; Penn. State, 2; Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1.

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Dario Resta won the sixth annual international sweepstakes on the Indianapolis motor speedway Memorial day, completing the 300 miles in 3 hours, 36 minutes and 10.82 seconds. He finished two minutes ahead of Wilbur D'Alene, who was second, and three minutes ahead of Ralph Mulford, third. Resta won the $12,000 first prize and the usual trophies; D'Alene's reward was $6,000 and Mulford's $3,000.

WASHINGTON.

Export trade of the United States promises to reach nearly five billion dollars by the end of the fiscal year, June 30.

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The Texas militiamen not responding for duty as called will be court-martialed. This statement was made officially by the war department.

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The senate passed the rivers and harbors appropriation bill carrying about $43,000,000 by a vote of 35 to 32, after adding many amendments.

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Half a billion dollars will be the government's internal revenue tax roll for the fiscal year ending June 30 next, according to a statement issued by Secretary McAdoo.

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A naval building program of from sixteen to twenty-five battleships, 250 submarines and thousands of airships is being advocated by Representative Farr of Pennsylvania.

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Prices of foods in the United States have increased on an average of 1 per cent from February 15 to March 15, according to figures made public by the Department of Labor.

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President Wilson has issued a proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to celebrate Flag day, June 14, with patriotic exercises, giving expression to "our thoughtful love of America."

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Notification has been sent from Washington that the maximum postal savings deposit has been increased from $500 to $1,000. The monthly limit of $100 monthly deposit is also done away with.

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The end of a protracted struggle came just recently in the grant of transportation and a camping concession to the "Old Faithful" camping company of Livingston, Mont, by the Interior department.

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A new note from General Carranza asking for a definite explanation of the continued presence of American troops in Mexico and renewing his previous request for their withdrawal, has been received by the State department.

RUSSIAN FORCES WIN BIG SUCCESS ON EASTERN FRONT

PETROGRAD CLAIMS CAPTURE OF 13,000 GERMAN PRISONERS—TURKS GAIN IN CAUCASUS REGION IS REPORT.

LIQUID FIRE ATTACKS AGAINST FRENCH FAIL

Germans Launch Infantry Assaults Against Fort Vaux—Virtually No Let Up in Teuton Campaign Reported—Canadians' Bravery Causes Comment.

Petrograd, June 6.—Russian forces have won great successes along the front from the Pripet marshes to the Rumanian frontier, according to an official announcement issued here. It is stated that the Russians took 13,000 prisoners.

Turks Repulse Russians.

Constantinople, June 6 (via London). —The reinforced Turkish army in the Caucasus, which late last month began an offensive campaign, has driven the Russians further back, the war office announces. The statement follows: "On the Caucasus front in the center, our troops drove back the enemy's left some 40 kilometers (about 25 miles), notwithstanding unfavorable weather. All attempts of the enemy to cover this retreat or to regain his positions, collapsed with heavy losses under our bayonet attacks. We captured 50 soldiers, two machine guns and other arms and engineering material."

No Let Up On Verdun Front.

Paris, June 6.—There is virtually no let up in the German effort to push back the French lines on the Verdun front northeast of the fortress.

The Germans launched several hot infantry attacks against Fort Vaux, employing liquid fire, but despite this the attacks were repulsed, says the official communique. Elsewhere along the line east of the Meuse the fighting was heavy, but the Germans were unable to gain a yard, the statement says.

Attacks in Belgium Fail.

On the British front in Belgium the whole Canadian front was attacked around Hill 60 and Sanctuary Wood, near Ypres. The Germans penetrated the British trenches, but were driven out by fierce counterattacks in which the Canadians fought with great bravery.

French Suffer Losses.

Berlin, June 6.—Repeated attacks by masses of French infantry against German positions on the Verdun front east of the Meuse broke down with heavy losses, the war office announces.

HUGHES BOOM STARTS; PROGRESSIVES DELAY

"Nomination On An Early Ballot Is Inevitable," Is Claim—Bull Moose Await G. O. P. Action.

Chicago, June 6.—Movement for the presidential nomination of Justice Charles Evans Hughes by the Republican national convention has assumed the aspects of a genuine boom.

Hughes' nomination "on an early ballot is inevitable," Frank Hitchcock, unofficial Hughes boomer, declared in a statement.

"Justice Hughes will receive more votes on the first ballot than the combined strength of the favorite sons candidates, and his nomination on an early ballot is inevitable," the announcement concluded.

Progressives Defer Action.

Chicago, June 6.—The progressive national committee has decided to withhold nominating a candidate in the Progressive convention until next Saturday awaiting the action of the Republican convention.

The Progressive national committee named what is practically a conference committee to consult with Republicans upon a platform and a candidate.

This committee, consisting of George W. Perkins, Governor Hiram Johnson, of California; and Horace Wilkinson, is to be known as the publicity committee.

TO MAKE NO STATEMENT.

Washington, June 6.—The steadily increasing call from Chicago for a statement from Justice C. E. Hughes regarding his willingness to accept the Republican nomination and regarding his position on various issues apparently has not affected the justice in the least. "No statement is contemplated," his secretary said.

Threaten To Form "Women's Party."

Chicago, June 6.—Suffragets have "manned" the trenches for a concerted attack on the Republicans, Democrats and Progressives, in the hope of whipping the whole bunch into submission. Two suffrage organizations opened conventions to accomplish the same end by different means. The National Woman's party met at the Blackstone theater, determined to launch a fourth party. The National American Woman's Suffrage Association met in the hope of securing adoption of a suffrage plank.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Appleton. — At an enthusiastic meeting of business men, plans were formulated for the observance of the nation's birthday on July 4. Committees were appointed.

Buhl. — Entombed by the collapse of a mine drift 128 feet below the surface, Henry Meerland, a state engineer, and two miners slowly dug their way to safety through a six-foot wall of solid ore.

Duluth. — The United States Steel corporation, Minnesota's largest single taxpayer, has just paid the first half of the 1915 tax on its St. Louis county real estate holdings by checks totaling $2,290,614.06.

Winona. — F. J. Ross of Mankato, president of the Minnesota Rural Letter Carriers' association, was in Winona to make arrangements for the state convention to be held here July 7 and 8. The convention will attract 200 carriers.

Duluth. — This city's four largest hotels have been reserved for the 12th annual convention of the Minnesota State Elks' association, to be held here on June 14 and 15. In addition, about 100 rooms have been reserved at several of the smaller hotels.

Mankato. — Omaha Passenger Train No. 4, north bound, has been derailed near Kasota. The engine and entire train left the track and tipped over after rounding a curve. The cause of the accident is not known. The passengers were shaken up, but no one was injured seriously.

Hayfield. — Delbert E. Ingle, aged 23, was instantly killed when the new 50-ton automatic coal chute of the Great Western road collapsed, burying him under 50 tons of coal and debris. Two other men were slightly injured. The chute was being given its first capacity test.

St. Paul. — The Minnesota Old Settlers' association held its meeting in the rooms of the State Historical society as it has met on the first day of each June for more than half a century. It was perhaps the last meeting of the association, for there are now only four surviving members.

Thief River Falls. — With good prospects for the location of a mill to separate flax fiber from the straw and with the backward spring making it impossible to sow oats and barley on some lands in this and Marshall counties, it is forecast that the acreage of flax in these counties will be large.

St. Paul. — George A. Hedger, instructor in rhetoric at the University of Minnesota, was found in a semiconscious condition on the bank of the Mississippi river near the Washington avenue bridge. It was thought his spine was fractured. One hand was in the water. He was unable to explain connectedly what had occurred.

Northfield. — Northfield has added another year to its record of community uplift in the celebration of its third annual community picnic. All Rice county, with parts of Dakota and Goodhue counties, were represented by the twenty-three farmers' clubs, which sent delegations totaling 2,500 persons.

Detroit, Minn. — The joint summer meeting of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association, the State Livestock Breeders' association and the Red River Valley Livestock Breeders' association, will be held in Detroit on June 16 and 17. An interesting program, including speeches by Governor Burnquist and other state and local officials, has been prepared.

Crookston. — The advance registration for the summer school at the Crookston School of Agriculture is close to 100, the largest on record, with more coming in. Polk county leads with 24, with Marshall county a close second with 20, and good delegations from Norman, Roseau, Pennington, Beltrami, Clay, Wadena, Becker, Clearwater, Kittson and Red Lake counties.

Bemidji. — In an effort to decide a route that will be satisfactory to both the city of Bemidji and the Minnesota and International railway, to the proposed bridge across the Mississippi river on the road to Nymore, a committee consisting of a citizen from each ward of the city and a member at large, named by the president of the city council has been selected to arbitrate the question with the railroad company.

St. Paul. — The first annual meeting of the All Minnesota Development association at the State Capitol, St. Paul, June 14 and 15, is a meeting of great importance to every resident of Minnesota. This meeting will have a great deal to do with the future success of the organization. "The organization may," as the late James J. Hill said, "become either a valuable agency in promoting growth and prosperity of the state or simply one more wheel added to its already cumbrous machinery." The people of the state have it in their power to determine which of these things the association shall become.

Minneapolis. — Ninety-five young men and women received diplomas at the twelfth annual commencement of Minnesota college at Augustana Lutheran church. Rev. Adolph Hult, of Augustana college and Theological seminary, Rock Island, Ill., delivered the commencement address, speaking on "The Cry for True Men."

Red Wing. — Lloyd Bunn, 21 years old, of Pine Island, was arraigned in justice court for manslaughter. The complaint was sworn to by Winn Jewell, father of 3-year-old Leighton Jewell, who was run down and fatally hurt by Bunn's automobile.

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Current expenses of the state are met out of the revenue fund and one year ago this fund had a balance of only $1,950.06, while now it totals $1,950,949.90.

During the year intervening the state has done a volume of business amounting to over $36,000,000, which is an increase of about $1,000,000. At the same time its deposits in banks outside the Twin Cities increased approximately $1,000,000. All this State Treasurer Gooding says is in the face of a decreased tax rate and the retirement of over $500,000 in certificates of indebtedness. The indebtedness represented certificates issued to aid in the construction of the state capitol.

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"U" Cadets In Camp.

Camp life, on a strictly military basis was the rule for the week of June 1 to 8 for the University of Minnesota Cadet corps. The entire corps, practically 1,000, carrying full military equipment assembled last Thursday afternoon, and marched to Seven Corners and there entrained on street cars for the Fort Snelling barracks for a week of military life.

Each cadet soldier was ordered to equip himself with a complete outfit, including clothing and uniform. Forenoons in camp were devoted to drill and camp policing as in the regular army. The afternoons were devoted to a study of field problems. Target practice, combat firing and entrenchment was studied and practical instruction in entrenchment given.

Twenty-four double targets, permitting a firing line of 48 men, were provided. Combat firing was under the direction of Capt. Charles H. Danforth, U. S. A. Entrenchment work was under Lieut. Col. Arthur Johnson, U. S. A., who has made a thorough study of field fortifications as they are now used in Europe.

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Bureau On Paying Basis.

The state game and fish department is on a profitable basis this year for the first time. This statement was made by Commissioner Carlos Avery, following submission of the public examiner's report showing that the department cost the state $22,176 last year.

Disbursements of $107,110 for game and fish protection and propagation included $11,425 for permanent improvements. Earnings totaled $73,509. Although the examiner found records better kept than formerly, he says there is room for further improvement, but only at materially increased expense.

Mr. Avery added that his force is compelled to work overtime and twice the present space and employees are needed. All funds are accounted, except license fees claims for $692 from Dakota and $932.90 from Itasca counties, which are in the attorney general's hands for collection.

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Board Inspects Hospital.

A new tuberculosis sanatorium, nearing completion at Granite Falls, will provide accommodations for 40 patients from Yellow Medicine, Chippewa, Renville and Lac qui Parle counties, which jointly bore the cost of its construction above the amount contributed in state aid.

Members of the state board of control informed on the building and equipment of hospitals, inspected the new institution informally recently and found much to commend in the way of modern design.

The board trip to Granite Falls was primarily to view two sites offered as locations for the proposed state reformatory for women, but no definite decision will be reached until other proffered sites are inspected.

The board visited the state hospital for inebriates at Willmar to obtain estimates for the budget to be presented to the next legislature.

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Pay Tribute to Dead.

Business was laid aside in cites and towns of Minnesota while men, women and children united in paying tribute to the soldier dead. Cemeteries visited in the morning and graves decorated and exercises in the afternoon—this was the general program.

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State Loses Fee Suit.

A foreign corporation, doing business in Minnesota cannot be compelled to pay fees on the proportion of increase of capital stock under the law, although such provision would be reasonable, according to a ruling of the supreme court just handed down in the case brought by the Tri-State Telephone company to compel Julius Schmahl, secretary of state, to accept fees on the increase in capital stock, and not to demand fees on the entire amount of capital stock employed in this state.

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No one ever asked him his right name, but the children loved him. Then one morning, as Old George raised his horn to his lips, it clattered to the pavement, and the song he was planning to give the crowd rattled in his throat as he toppled over—dead.

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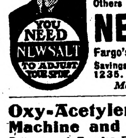

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FARMER'S GREAT OPPORTUNITY

Demand for Canadian Cattle After the War.

The opportunities that Western Canada offers to the farmer have time and again been placed before the public through these columns. The cheap price at which the very best lands can be purchased, and the advantage that is to be had in securing one of the free homesteads of 160 acres has appealed to a great many, and they have embraced them. Many, in fact most of those who have done so are today giving testimony to the good fortune and the timely forethought that led them to go to Western Canada, and embark in an era of farming that has placed them away beyond the pinch of want and given them reason to look into the future with a hopefulness that they had not had the courage in the past to forecast.

Not only have they been able to secure good lands at low prices and on easy terms but if they desire they have been able to add to this 160 acres of land free, on conditions that are easy. A resident in the Lloydminster district in Saskatchewan who had been farming in the States for some time, took up a homestead in 1910, and commenced breaking with 4 oxen. Two years ago he bought an adjoining quarter section and now has over 100 acres under cultivation. He says, "As my circumstances improved, I sold the oxen and now have six head of horses, twelve head of cattle, and have always a bunch of hogs on hand.

"On an average I have had yields of 25 bushels of wheat, 65 bushels of oats, and 40 bushels of barley to the acre, and last season from a field of 28½ acres, I threshed 1,040 bushels of wheat. I have made a success of mixed farming and would have no hesitation in advising all who contemplate making a new home to come to this district. I sell cream to the Government Creamery here, and find at all times a good market for live stock and other produce."

This is but a modest statement of what a modest man can do in Western Canada, and could be repeated of hundreds of others.

Scores of cases could be recited where much more has been accomplished, and it is believed that with moderate investment at the present time, the cattle industry of Western Canada will pay large interest.

The Minister of Agriculture of Saskatchewan, in a recent address, ventured the prediction that the Saskatchewan farmer who developed his land along the lines of general stock breeding would make much more money and find a far bigger return for his efforts in ten years' time than the man who devoted his energies purely and primarily to grain raising. This was the coming golden age of opportunity for the stockman and it was up to the Saskatchewan man to get in on the ground floor and prepare himself for the coming demand.

The close of the war would undoubtedly see a great demand for live stock in Europe and it was only reasonable to suppose that this demand would have to be filled almost wholly by American stockmen, both in Canada and the United States. Europe was slowly draining its rural districts not only of its beef and dairy animals but was also using the finer breeding animals and the end of the war would see a condition of affairs which would render necessary almost the repopulation of the domestic animal kingdom in that continent.

The opportunity of Western Canadian stockmen, therefore, lay in being prepared for this demand when it arose. In view of these facts which must be patent to every student of economic conditions as related to the stock industry, he hoped to see within the next three years the stock raising industry in Saskatchewan given an immense impetus forward, which would put it in the forefront of the producing provinces of the Dominion.—Advertisement.

Exclamation Apropos.

"Some of the new cannon they say carry over thirty miles."

"Great guns!"

The chronic kicker is always on the job.

2 DREADNAUGHTS LOST BY TEUTONS; 5,000 BRITISH DIE

HUGE NEW FIGHTING CRAFT, HINDENBURG, AND BATTLESHIP WESTFALEN SAID TO HAVE BEEN SUNK.

ENGLISH ADMIRALS DIE ON ILL-FATED WARSHIPS

Rear Admiral Hood Goes Down On Cruiser Invincible—Great Britain Still Confident Grip of Blockade Is Unshaken—Two Zeppelins Are Destroyed.

Portsmouth, June 5.—More than 4,000 British officers and men, including two admirals, are admitted to have been lost in the great battle in the North sea. Rear Admiral Horace Hood, commander of the British battle cruiser Invincible, went down with his ship.

London, June 5.—At the British admiralty the following statement has just been made: We went out within enemy waters seeking a fight. Our inferior fleet engaged the entire German battle fleet, forced them to return to harbor and to give up any plan of action they may have contemplated." It was added that the latest reports received from Admiral Jellico and Vice Admiral Beatty had caused a feeling of elation among naval officers.

Britain Still Confident.

London, June 5.—Rallying from the "heaviest blow of the war," the destruction of at least 14 warships of the North sea fleet, news of which fell like a thunderbolt, Britain is still grimly confident that the grip of the blockade is unshaken. Loss of the 5,000 or more officers and sailors believed to have perished is regarded as the most serious result of the battle.

Germany's Loss Heavy.

Reports coming in from continental cities indicate the German battle fleet's losses were heavier than at first reported.

The huge superdreadnought Hindenburg, Germany's latest fighting giant, is declared to have been sunk, while wireless dispatches from Berlin say the German admiralty admits the destruction of the dreadnought Westfalen. The German cruiser Elbing and the torpedoboat V-28 also were sunk in the battle with the British squadron, according to reports from Holland and Copenhagen.

Two Zeppelins Lost.

Of the Zeppelin fleet which assisted the Teuton sea craft, two were destroyed. Danish fishermen returning to harbor report. On one airship all members of the crew are said to have perished.

Eight German warships have taken refuge in Danish waters, according to reliable advices received here. It is said they have been ordered to leave or intern, and that the British fleet is in waiting to engage them.

British List Grows.

British losses also have been more severe than the first announcement of the engagement admitted. The cruiser Warrior, at first reported disabled, later was abandoned. To the list of torpedoboat destroyers previously announced have been added the Shark, the Nomad and the Nestor, bringing the total known British losses to three battle cruisers, three cruisers and eight destroyers, with several other small vessels still unaccounted for.

All of Ship's Crew Lost.

The British admiralty states that the battleship Marlborough was hit by a torpedo, but was safely towed to port.

The admiralty received a report to the effect that Captain Prowse, commander of the Queen Mary, and the entire personnel of that battlecruiser were lost.

BATTLE FOR VERDUN RAGING

Violence of Attack Makes Conflict An Inferno.

London, June 5.—In the notable battle raging at Verdun the Germans are continuing their efforts to force the French lines northeast of the fortress.

Their latest effort was made on Fort Vaux, where they succeeded in penetrating a deep ditch to the north of the main French positions. The violence of attack has made the battle an inferno.

In the Southern Tyrol the Austrians are desperately attacking the Italian position south of the Assa valley, the struggle proceeding with intensity as far as Asiago.

One Death Results From Strike.

San Francisco, June 5.—One casualty has resulted from the strike of the Pacific Coast Longshoremen. T. C. Hughes of Los Angeles, a workman employed on the Milwaukee pier in Seattle, was shot and probably fatally wounded shortly after midnight when a group of armed strike sympathizers made a concerted attack on a warehouse in which several employees were sleeping. Another workman was clubbed. In Portland several fistfights occurred between strikers and nonunion workmen.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

There is danger that a little learning will result in a swelled head.

LADIES CAN WEAR SHOES One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder for the feet. Shaken into shoes and used in foot-bath. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight shoes feel easy, and gives instant relief to corns and bunions. Try it today. Sold everywhere, 25c. For FREE trial package. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y. Adv.

A little money is a dangerous thing—at a bargain sale.

YOU MAY LOOK YOUNG

By Keeping Your Complexion Young With Cuticura. Trial Free.

The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. These super-creamy emollients do much to keep the skin clear, fresh and youthful, as well as to keep the hair in a live, healthy condition and the hands soft and white.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Some men are about as important as a joke without a point.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

It doesn't take a smart baby long to outgrow its smartness.

FITS, EPILEPSY, FALLING SICKNESS Stopped Quickly. Fifty years of uninterrupted success of Dr. Kline's Epilepsy Medicine insures lasting results. LARGE TRIAL BOTTLE FREE. DR. KLINE COMPANY, Red Bank, N. J.—Adv.

COYOTE FRIGHTENS THE TOWN

Savage Animal Finally Driven Away by School Children Unaware of Danger.

A gaunt gray coyote terrorized Portola, Cal. It was first noticed when it attacked two dogs at the residence of Thomas Dorithy.

Mrs. J. Hardy, who was passing at the time, narrowly escaped being bitten when the coyote broke away from the dogs and attempted to attack her. The dogs pulled it down again, however, before it reached her.

During the recess period it appeared at the schoolhouse, but the children chased it in a body and frightened it away. They were not aware of the real danger.

A number of hunters are scouring the hills close to town in an endeavor to locate and kill the coyote.

Great Relief.

"I'd like to tell you a bright thing that youngster of mine said last night."

"Oh, well, go ahead."

"But I've forgotten it."

"Say! Don't you want a good cigar?"—Boston Evening Transcript.

Unless a man is worthless the chances are that he will never become an expert whittler.

The spinster always says it is a mistake to marry too young.

A Wise M. D.

Patient—Do you speak more than one language, doctor?

Physician—No; but I have a working acquaintance with many tongues.

A man may be lucky because he is married—or because he isn't.

A wise bride borrows her mother-in-law's cook book.

What is Castoria

CASTORIA is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has born the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

Three Hundred Million Bushel Crop in 1915

Farmers pay for their land with one year's crop and prosperity was never so great.

Regarding Western Canada as a grain producer, a prominent business man says: "Canada's position today is sounder than ever. There is more wheat, more oats, more grain for feed, 20% more cattle than last year and more hogs. The war market in Europe needs our surplus. As for the wheat crop, it is marvelous and a monument of strength for business confidence to build upon, exceeding the most optimistic predictions."

Wheat averaged in 1915 over 25 bushels per acre
Oats averaged in 1915 over 45 bushels per acre
Barley averaged in 1915 over 40 bushels per acre

Prices are high, markets convenient, excellent land, low in price either improved or otherwise, ranging from $12 to $30 per acre. Free homestead lands are plentiful and not far from railway lines and convenient to good schools and churches. The climate is healthful.

There is no war tax on land, nor is there any conscription. For complete information as to best locations for settlement, reduced railroad rates and descriptive illustrated pamphlet, address Superintendent Immigration, Ottawa, or

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. L. Porte, Dunn Blk., Great Falls, Mont.

Canadian Government Agents

A Will of Nineteen Words.

In one of the shortest wills on record, James H. Darling, who died on December 3, 1915, cuts off his sons with but $1 each and leaves all the rest of his estate to his daughter. The testament, which is dated February 10, 1910, was filed in the orphans' court. It contains nineteen words, as follows:

"After death, I will my daughter, Annie C. Darling, all my money and belongings, except $1 to my sons."—Baltimore News.

Practical Application.

"Better bear the ills we have than fly to others we know not of."

"That's the principle we go on," replied Mr. Growcher. "We have had the same cook for five years."

Exactly.

"A railroad's chief need is a paradoxical one."

"What is that?"

"To be under a wreckless management."

Mean Suggestion.

"Miss Gladys has such polish."

"Do you mean in her manners or her face enamel?"

It takes an artistic bore to be almost entertaining.

Doing as one pleases soon ceases to be fascinating if no one objects.

Value of Our Horses.

There are about one hundred and ninety-one million animals in the United States and they are worth, roughly, six billion dollars. Is it any wonder that science has become interested in animals. There are approximately twenty-one million horses in the country, representing an investment of two billion, three hundred million dollars. The despised mule may not be so despised when you consider that he represents five hundred and sixty million dollars of our total wealth and that his kind numbers about four million five hundred thousand.—Popular Science Monthly.

Simple Job and the Fancy Bill.

"Your bill doesn't square with what you told me before I went to the hospital, doctor."

"What's the matter?"

"You insisted that it was to be just a simple little operation and there was nothing at all to be alarmed at."—Detroit Free Press.

Appearances Against Him.

"I believe in putting a good face on everything," said the philosophical man.

"Then," rejoined the sarcastic woman, "it is evident you are not a self-made man."

There are more ways of deserving punishment than there are of escaping it.

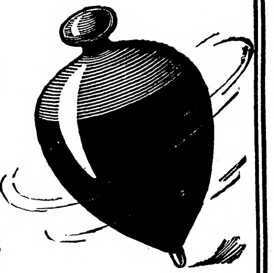
Resinol stops itching and burning

If you are suffering with eczema, ringworm, rash or other tormenting skin-eruption, try Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap. You will be surprised how quickly the itching and burning stop and the skin becomes clear and healthy again.

Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap have been prescribed by physicians for over twenty years. Sold by all druggists, for free trial size of each write to Resinol Chem. Co., Baltimore, Md. *Resinol Shaving Stick makes daily shaving easy for tender-faced men.*

For a Tip-Top Breakfast

Serve **New Post Toasties**



Here's the why:

The New Toasties have a delicate, true corn flavour—unmatched by any other corn flakes. Trial proves.

They are the meat of choicest white Indian Corn first cooked and seasoned, then rolled into thin wisps and toasted by quick, intense rotary heat. This new patented process of making raises distinguishing little bubbles on each flake, and brings out their wonderful new flavour.

New Post Toasties —the New Breakfast Delight

Your grocer has them now

Local Items

A fine horse at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

A. R. Jones spent Sunday with his family in Crookston.

B. L. Backe made a trade for a Carter auto and had it shipped here Tuesday.

A good soaker Monday night will prevent the fore part of June from being dry.

Ernie Davidson came from T. R, Falls Saturday to visit Walmer Riesberg.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Anderson Monday June 5th, a nine pound boy. Congratulations.

Ole Storkholm of Crookston, came Saturday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Sam Mickelson and family.

Tom Larson has been using the grader this week on the state road between here and Steiner.

Rev. M. T. Strom went to Fosston Tuesday to attend the annual meeting of the Gospel Mission church.

Arthur Sorum came home from Thief River Falls, Monday where he has been working for some time.

B. L. Backe, Ole Reierson and daughter Esther went to T. R. Falls Wednesday to attend the hearing on the Mud Lake land entries.

S. S. Kolden returned home Monday from Ada where he attended the graduating exercises of the high school, his son Peter being one of the fifteen graduates.

E. M. Bennes of Thief River Falls, General Agent of The Pioneer Life Insurance Co., has been here several days this week assisting B. Docken, the local agent, in looking after business for their company.

All of those who have made settlements on the Mud Lake lands, but failed to have their applications accepted, are having their hearings before Commissioners Tarrant and Michelet in Thief River Falls this week.

FARMERS!

Who are Interested in raising Good Horses will find it to Their Interest to come and see the Black Percheron Stallion which stands at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

Terms of service: $12.00 for standing colt.

H. S. Williams, Owner.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Marshall }

IN PROBATE COURT.
Special Term May 20, 1916.

In the Matter of the Determination of the Heirs of
Ellen Cronkhite
Deceased Homestead Settler.

ORDER FOR HEARING.

On reading and filing the petition of John Q. Cronkhite praying, among other things, for the judicial determination, by this Court, of who are the heirs of Ellen Cronkhite deceased homestead settler, and what are the respective rights and interests of such heirs in the homestead land of said deceased, and to assign said homestead to the parties legally entitled to the same,

It is Ordered, That said petition and said matter be heard and examined on Saturday the 24th day of June A. D. 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the office of the Probate Court at Warren in said County and State.

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing this order once in each week for three (3) successive weeks immediately prior to said date of hearing in The Holt Weekly News a weekly newspaper printed and published at Holt in said County and State.

Dated at Warren this 20th day of May A. D. 1916.

By the Court,
Peter H. Holm
Judge of Probate Court.

[Seal]

A Few of The Many

Specials at People's Cash Store!

Soda Crackers per lb. 6c Ginger Snaps 7c
Fig Bar, regular price 18c a lb., now 11c
Dried Peaches 7c Oatmeal per pkg 18c

Khive Poplin	Regular Price	.35	now only	23
Avila Mull	“	.25	“	.16
Mercerized Poplin	“	.25	“	.18
Girls Dresses	“	.75c	“	.50
Boys Rompers	“	.60	“	.45
Baby Carriages	“	$10.00	“	$7.00
“ “	“	$5.00	“	$3.75

These are exceptionally good bargains as the prices we are giving are below the regular Wholesale Cost at this time.

We count Butter and Eggs same as Cash

To The Voters

Of The 9th Congressional District

The undersigned Executive Committee of the Otter Tail County Anderson For Congress Club are taking an interest in his campaign and assisting him because we know Mr. Anderson to be one of our best citizens, a man of spotless character, a man who has the reputation of doing things, and a man who can be depended on.

Mr. Anderson has been endorsed by such men as United States Senator Knute Nelson, State Senators Ole Sageng, and F. H. Peterson. He has been endorsed by the Working men's Protective Association of Fergus Falls, as the friend of the laboring man. These are good endorsements.

We can honestly and conscientiously recommend Mr. Anderson to the voters and we trust that he will receive their support at the primaries on June 19th.

Yours respectfully,
George W. Frankberg, Chairman.
Dr. A. B. Cole F. J. Evans H. J. Collins
C. M. Hunt Steve Butler
Executive Committee

Magazines for home and farm in our different clubs.

Joe Marty went to St. Paul, Sunday night on business.

Rudolph Dahl of Golden Valley is building a house and barn.

Guy Anderson has a new Ford which he is using on his mail route.

Miss Gladys Hagen went to Middle River Saturday to visit relatives

A. H. Huseth left Sunday, evening for a short business trip to St. Paul.

Mrs. Chris Engen and son returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives at T. R. Falls.

Axel Nelson has had a six foot cement sidewalk built on the north and west sides of his residence.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pavek have moved to Dahlen, N. D, and request us to send their paper there.

Miss Amanda Mickelson returned home Monday from a weeks visit with relatives at Crookston.

Street Commissioner C. J. Sorenson commenced the work of grading main street the fore part of the week.

This is great growing weather and crops are looking fine. Now is the time to buy Marshall county lands.

The passenger from the south was several hours late Wednesday on account of the engine being derailed at T. R. Falls.

Misses Evelyna and Myrtle Sollom returned home Sunday from a weeks visit at Newfolden with their sister Mrs. Arvid Carlson.

S. S. Kolden has sold eight acres of land to T. E. Ellestad for $50.00 per acre. Mr. Ellestad will build a house on the land in the near future.

Our magazine offers are O. K.

Miss Olga Saastad went to Thief River Falls Monday, where she will work for some time at the Brummud hotel.

E. E. Pechie went to T. R. Falls Monday, to again run his mail route, the goverment refusing to accept his resignation.

Mesdames Huseth and Oien went to Thief River Falls Friday to see the new baby boy at the home of their sister Mrs. Russell.

Emery&Carl lost their suit against S. S. Kolden in which they claimed their buildings were lost by a fire which started on Mr. Kolden's land. The testimony showed it to be a prairie fire that caused the loss instead of a peat fire.

Gov. Burnquist has issued a proclamation naming Tuesday June 20th as "Good Road Day" and asks that a special effort be made on that day to secure contributions of labor, material and money for the improvment of public roads in each community.

The Holt Farmers Creamery shipped 41 tubs of butter last week and the make is increasing right along. There are 11 creameries in the county that made 634,724 lbs. of butter last year for which the patrons received $140,552.20. More cows and chickens are needed in this country.

Notice!

Our magazine offers are for a limited time, only. Please call and take advantage of these very liberal offers before it is too late. Good for both old and new subscribers, everyone treated alike. A good offer.

H. B. Young, Editor.

In Church Circles.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl will meet with the confirmants, at the Holt Synod church, at 1 o'clock P. M. Saturday June 10th, and preach here at 10:45 the next day, Sunday June 10th, in Ringbo at 4 o'clock and in Middle River at 8 o'clock.

The Golden Valley Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. E. E. Pechie, Wednesday June 14th.

Rev. Parish will hold services in the Mission church next Monday evening June 12th.

Southeast of Holt.

(Too late for last week)

There will be Inner Mission meetings at the Free church of Excel, on June 5-6-7.

Halvor Moe made a business trip to Grygla on Friday, returning Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Klungness will entertain the Ladies Aid on Thursday the 8th of June.

Miss Ragna Larson has accepted a position as clerk in the Golden Valley store.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson and daughters Olga and Clara were very pleasant visitors at Moe's Sunday.

Mrs. P. Michaelson and Miss Signora Sandbo were pleasant visitors at the J. Faiman home Sunday.

See us for magazine subscriptions.

M. G. Lunke is hauling out lumber for an addition to his house.

Mr. Nubson went to Greenbush Wednesday for a short visit with his family.

Mr. Dennison of Thief River Falls took in cattle here Monday and drove them down there Tuesday.

Alfred and Otto Olson and Arnold Bornstein went to Thief River Falls yesterday to attend the hearing on the Mud Lake Land entries.

Mrs. Fosen and daughter Agnes Ben Eide, Iver Boersheim and Swan Carlson went to T. R. Falls Wednesday on Mud Lake land business.

While playing in the lumber yard one day this week, Floyd Alkenbrack had a narrow escape from serious injury by a pile of lumber falling on his foot and now he is minus a toe nail but otherwise he is alright.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota
June 6, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Mathias B. Ordahl, of Holt, Minn., who, on Feb. 21, 1910, made homestead entry, No. 05094, for W1-2SW1-4, Sec. 25, and on Jan. 28, 1911, made additional entry No. 05838 for W1-2NW1-4, Section 36, Township 156 N. Range 42 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 14th day of July 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole B. Johnson, John M. Jahr, Christ Birkeland and Albert C. Jahr, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.
May 6, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Anton Anderson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on March 26th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 07565, for S1-2 NW1-4, N1-2 SW1-4, Sec. 22, Twp. 156 N. Ran. 41 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 12th day of June, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John Sorum, of Holt, Minn., Albin Dahl, Oluf Dahl and Ole Maakstad, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Steiner

Lydia Muzzy and Alice Solem attended the graduating exercises in Thief River Falls high school Thursday evening.

A crowd of young folks in this community made a trip to the steam shovel Sunday.

J. Whittman made a trip to T. R. Falls Friday.

John Meyers called at the Heider home Sunday.

G. L. Leisner attended church in T. R. Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell and family visited at the S. R. Rogers home last Sunday.

Mrs. J. Meyer and son Louie, made a trip to Thief River the middle of the week.

Club meeting was held in the Excel school Saturday night. A large crowd was present. Harvey Copp was made president.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Saugen and family attended Norwegian services west of this village.

Miss. Sarah Swanson who has been teaching school near Karlstad returned the other day.

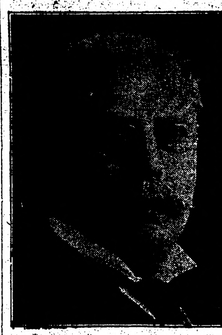
Steenerson Endorsed By The People

The strongest endorsement a man can get is the votes of his fellow-citizens.

Halvor Steenerson has been given that endorsement on fourteen occasions—at seven primaries and seven elections, and during the last eight years the endorsement has grown stronger at each voting.

His closest contest was in 1908, when he had 2,947 more than Sen. Sageng. At the last election his majority was 16,684.

Senators Peterson and Sageng, Mr. Bjorge and Mr. Brattland, his opponents on different occasions, are all big men, and three of them have been given endorsements since by majority votes in their counties for members of the legislature.



Like all other employers the voters recognize ability, faithfulness & good judgement. They like to have a man in congress who can stand up and hold his own with the best of the talent there, one who can give full value in service for the salary he receives.

That is why they have voted for Steenerson so long, and that is why they are going to continue voting for him. They know that the longer he stays there the better service he can give. They know that he has always stood for the interests of the common people, the farmer, the merchant and the laborer.

The opposition of the corporation-controlled Twin City dailies and the other outside interests who are trying to induce people of the district to defeat him only makes him stronger.—Thief River Falls Times.

Hay for Sale.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Get one of our magazine clubs.

If you want to sell or trade your farm, write to, or still better call on B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

Your choice of several good magazines in a club with this paper, for only 25c additional to the regular subscription price of one dollar.

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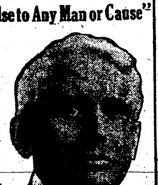

This is a critical time. It is our duty to elect our ablest and squarest men. Minnesota is justly proud of its famous citizen, Frank B. Kellogg.

Guaranteed to the voters by Minnesota's leading newspapers. Kellogg is patriotic, brainy and influential. If elected Senator, he will give the people ALL of his time.

THINK

MR. VOTER—Your country expects you to send a big, patriotic man to Washington—it needs YOUR help—it needs it badly—NOW.

Let's do our part to nominate

FOR U. S. SENATOR
FRANK B.
KELLOGG

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.00
Wheat No. 2	.96
Wheat No. 3	.90
Wheat No. 4	.83
Flax	1 65
Oats	30
Barley	50 to .55
Rye	.81
Flour, Best Patent	3.35

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Shower Party

One of the pleasant events of the season occurred last Friday evening when a large company of ladies, responding to invitations from Mrs. Arvid Carlson and Miss Thoraldson, gathered at the pleasant home of Mrs. T. Sollom to do honor to her daughter Miss Clara by giving her a miscellaneous shower. The evening was spent in music and games after which a delicious luncheon was served. After the repast, the lady of Honor was given the task of unfolding each mysterious package presented to her, which gave delight not only to the recipient but all her friends as well. At a late hour the company dispersed leaving good wishes for a happy and successful future.

Attention

For hay land to rent see Holt State Bank.

Melvin Olson has been hauling out lumber for bridge repairs in Mud Lake.

We had another good rain Sunday night and crops are looking fine and growing fast.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newton, have been here a few days this week visiting friends. We are sorry to hear that they had to take their son Norman to Warren for another operation.

Dr. Paulson, of Thief River Falls, came Monday to see Mrs. Ole Reierson and he reports that she seems to be somewhat better and he has great hopes of a steady improvement in health and strength for her.

C. L. Sanberg sold a bill of lumber Wednesday to Miss Matilda Furr for a small house which she will build on her Mud Lake claim. Also he has sold a house bill to John Holte, of Devils Lake, for his claim in Mud Lake.

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In Church Circles.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. Olaf Johnson on Saturday afternoon June 17th, at 2 o'clock.

The Synod Ladies Aid will have an Auction Sale and serve dinner at the Central Hotel on June 23rd. Everyone invited to come.

The Zion Ladies Aid will meet on Wednesday June 21st at 2 o'clock. There will also be a preaching service at the same time by Rev. M. B. Ordahl. Everybody invited.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

Mrs. John A. Sorum will entertain the Free Mission Ladies Aid on Wednesday June 29th. Everyone invited.

Rev. Nils Carlson, of Beresford, S. D., will hold Norwegian services in the Holt Free Mission church tonight (Friday). Everyone invited.

E. K. Johnson is driving a new Ford.

Mrs. Jacob Nelson is having her house painted.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hall Sunday night, a baby girl.

Miss Bronsberg of Gary, came Saturday to visit at the K. T. Knutson home.

The seventh and eight grades met at the school house Tuesday for work and a general good time.

A new fence was built around the cemetery last week and some other much needed work done there.

Carl Christoferson has been oiling the floors at the school house and getting it cleaned up for the next year's school.

Prof. Prushek has dug trenches around the school house basement walls and filled them with layers of sawdust and tar paper, to keep out next winters frosts.

Hughes and Fairbanks are the standard bearers of the republicans in the presidential campaign. Before this reaches our readers, President Wilson will be re-nominated at the St. Louis convention which met Wednesday.

Hon. C. L. Stevens of Warren was here Saturday evening interviewing the voters regarding his candidacy for Representative. Bro. Stevens has only had one term and he well deserves and is entitled to another. He will get a good vote here at next Monday primary election.

Peter Kolden who graduated from the Ada High school this spring returned home Saturday. We want to congratulate Peter for the success he has achieved in his high school work and for his perseverance and stick-to-iveness which enabled him to be one of the fifteen who received a diploma with honors.

The Holt creamery shipped sixty four tubs of butter Saturday, which is the largest shipment they ever made and the business is still increasing. If all the farmers would sell their cream at home, it would decrease the cost of manufacturing, and they would make more money themselves. It never pays to either sell or buy away from home.

$100 Reward, $100
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
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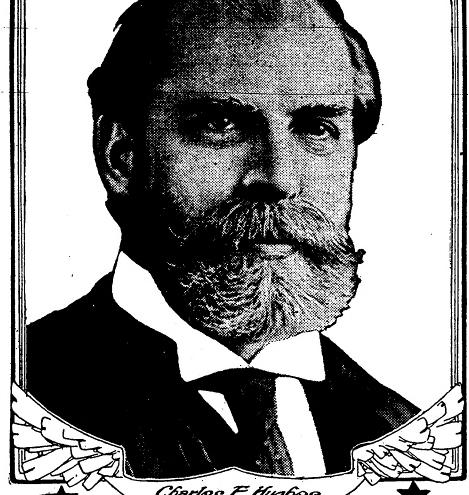

Charles E. Hughes

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HUGHES NAMED AS LEADER BY REPUBLICANS

Associate Justice Made the Unanimous Choice of the G. O. P. Convention.

FAIRBANKS IS RUNNING MATE

Roosevelt's Suggestion of Lodge as Compromise Candidate Is Ignored by Republicans — Progressives Choose Former President as Their Candidate With John M. Parker for Second Place.

Republican Ticket:

CHARLES EVANS HUGHES, for president.

CHARLES WARREN FAIRBANKS, for vice president.

Progressive Ticket:

THEODORE ROOSEVELT, for president.

JOHN M. PARKER, for vice president.

Chicago.—Charles Evans Hughes, associate justice of the United States Supreme court, is the nominee of the Republican party for president of the United States, and Charles Warren Fairbanks, vice president during the Roosevelt administration, is his running mate.

The nomination of Mr. Hughes came on the third ballot of the 1916 convention.

The vote was overwhelmingly Hughes from the moment the first state—Alabama—was called upon. He was given 949½; Roosevelt, 18½; DuPont, 5; Weeks, 3; Lodge, 7, and La Follette, 3.

The nomination of Hughes came after the Republicans had turned down the proposal of Col. Theodore Roosevelt that United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge be named as a compromise candidate.

It preceded by a few minutes the the nomination of Roosevelt by the Progressive party national convention in the Auditorium theater.

John M. Parker of Louisiana was named by the Progressives as their candidate for vice president.

By the time New Jersey was called on the roll of states, Hughes had polled a majority of the votes of the convention.

The nomination of the New York man was the signal for a wild outburst in the Coliseum—the scene of many wild outbursts in the last few days.

Choice Made Unanimous.

Chairman Harding announced the nomination of Hughes, and Alex. P. Moore of Pittsburgh and Senator Lodge, who voted for Theodore Roosevelt, moved to make it unanimous.

The nomination was made unanimous with a roaring chorus of "Ayes" and not a single "No."

Senator Lodge made an eloquent appeal for Hughes in seconding the motion for unanimity.

New Mexico nominated Fairbanks for vice president. Governor Willis of Ohio seconded Fairbanks.

Nebraska was the next state to respond and H. H. Baldridge nominated former Senator Burkett.

Charles Warren Fairbanks of Indiana was nominated on the first ballot as the vice presidential candidate of the Republican party.

The fact that Roosevelt had been nominated by the rival convention, in no wise dampened the ardor or the enthusiasm of the Republican delegates.

As soon as the presidential nomination was out of the way, conferences were begun to fix upon the running mate of the Supreme court justice.

Roosevelt Offers Lodge.

The Roosevelt proposal to select his friend, Henry Cabot Lodge, as a compromise candidate was never taken seriously by the Republicans.

Lodge's name was not even formally placed in nomination before the Republican convention.

The report of the "peace" conference committees showing that the Progressive "peace committee" had agreed to put the name of Hughes before that convention hardly caused a stir, nor did the news that came a few minutes later that the report had been tabled by the Progressives.

Meanwhile Hughes was in the air, on every tongue. Delegates were impatient to get to balloting. The feeling was everywhere that the third ballot of the convention for president would be the last—and it was.

Harding Is Chairman.

The Republican convention opened at the Coliseum at 11 a. m., June 7. Senator Warren G. Harding of Ohio was elected temporary chairman, and he delivered a speech setting forth conservative Republican principles. Following this the regular committees were appointed and organized and routine convention business went forward. There was only moderate expression of enthusiasm at any time.

With the hope of agreeing an a presidential candidate whom both parties might support, the Progressives, in convention at the Auditorium, and the Republicans appointed a joint conference committee Thursday, and this committee met at the Chicago club. Shortly after midnight it was announced that no progress had been made toward fusion of the two parties.

The Republican members of this committee were Senator Reed Smoot of Utah, W. Murray Crane, ex-senator from Massachusetts; Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, Nicholas Murray Butler of New York, president of Columbia university; A. R. Johnson of Ohio, a former congressman. The Progressive members were Gov. Hiram Johnson of California, Horace S. Wilkinson of New York, Charles J. Bonaparte of Maryland, former attorney general, John M. Parker of Louisiana, George W. Perkins of New York.

Nominating speeches began in the Republican convention about three o'clock Friday afternoon, and nominations were closed before eight o'clock. Balloting began at once. Two ballots were taken before adjournment for the night.

Progressives in Session.

The Progressive convention opened at exactly the same time the Republicans started their meeting. Temporary Chairman Raymond Robins delivered the Progressive policy speech. Routine business followed—but it wasn't routine in the same way as the Republican session was. The Progressives, with such men as William Allen White, Victor Murdock and Hiram Johnson, were loudly enthusiastic. This convention was really an explosive affair—cheers, table pounding, radical talk and all that.

It is said that George W. Perkins and some others of the Progressive group had a hard time keeping the radical element from nominating Colonel Roosevelt shortly after the show started. The conservatives lived in the hope of a fusion with the Republicans. The radicals said they didn't care what the Republicans did. They wanted "Teddy," and they wanted him quick. There was no dickering spirit in these fellows.

Most of the entertainment during the week was furnished by favorite sons delegations and boomlets around the hotel lobbies and on the streets. Fairbanks, Burton, Weeks, Root, Sherman, La Follette, Cummins and one or two others were advertised by noisy supporters. Roosevelt men—Progressives and progressive Republicans—were at it early and late. They probably made the greatest racket. Mr. Hughes was unrepresented by merrymakers.

Career of Justice Hughes.

Charles Evans Hughes' fame rests principally on his conduct of the insurance investigation and his career as governor of New York state.

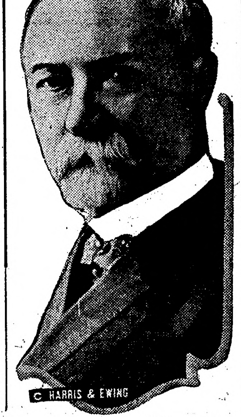
An iron will, incorruptible character and remarkable reasoning ability are characteristics commonly attributed to him.

Mr. Hughes was born at Glens Falls, N. Y., April 11, 1862, the son of a Welshman who had come to this country in 1855.

He graduated from Brown university in 1881.

In 1882 he entered Columbia Law school, New York city. He was graduated two years later at the head of his class and became a member of the New York bar.

In 1888 he entered the law firm of Carter, Hughes & Cravath, and about the same time married Miss Antoinette Carter, daughter of Walter S. Carter, senior member of the firm.



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Charles Warren Fairbanks.

First Attracts Attention.

He first attracted newspaper attention in 1905, when he became counsel for the Stephens gas investigating committee. Mr. Hughes uncovered the ramifications of the gas and electric light monopoly of the metropolis and later assisted in framing several legislative bills to bring relief to bad conditions he had discovered.

In the same year started the famous life insurance investigation.

When asked to take up the work of counsel to the investigating committee Mr. Hughes declined, except on condition that he be given free rein and allowed to handle the probe thoroughly.

The investigation lasted four months and resulted in a revolution in insurance methods.

In the autumn of 1906 Mr. Hughes was elected governor of New York state by the Republicans. In 1910 President Taft appointed Mr. Hughes an associate justice of the Supreme court, and he took office on October 1 of that year.

HOW STATES VOTED ON FIRST BALLOT

	Total delegates	Brumbaugh	Burton	Cummins	DuPont	Fairbanks	Ford	Hughes	Knox	LaFollette	Roosevelt	Root	Sherman	Weeks
‡Alabama	16	..	1	..	..	1	..	8	..	..	1	..	1	3
Arizona	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	1	..	..	..
Arkansas	15	..	3	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	3	2	3
California	26	..	1	..	..	3	..	9	..	..	..	8	2	3
Colorado	12	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	6	5	..	..
Connecticut	14	..	2	..	..	1	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	1
Delaware	6	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Florida	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..
Georgia	17	..	2	..	3	..	..	5	..	..	1	..	..	6
Idaho	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	4	..	..	..
Illinois	58	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	56	..
Indiana	30	..	..	..	..	30	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Iowa	26	..	..	26	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kansas	20	..	1	..	..	2	..	10	..	..	..	2	2	3
Kentucky	26	..	..	..	..	15	..	10	..	..	1	..	..	..
Louisiana	12	..	1½	..	..	1½	..	4	..	..	..	1	1	3
Maine	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	2	1	..	3
Maryland	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	3	1	..	5
Massachusetts	36	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	4	..	..	28
Michigan	30	..	..	..	..	..	30	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Minnesota	24	..	..	24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mississippi	12	..	1	..	..	2	..	4	..	..	3½	..	..	1½
*Missouri	36	..	..	..	..	6	..	18	..	..	..	..	..	8
Montana	8	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nebraska	16	..	..	14	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nevada	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	2	..	..
New Hampshire	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
New Jersey	28	..	..	..	..	1	..	12	..	..	2	12	..	1
New Mexico	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	2	..	..	2
New York	87	..	..	..	..	..	..	42	..	..	2	43	..	..
N. Carolina	21	..	1	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	9	2	..	3
N. Dakota	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..
Ohio	48	..	48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oklahoma	20	..	2	1	..	2	..	5	..	..	2	1	1	6
Oregon	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	..
†Pennsylvania	76	29	..	..	..	..	..	2	36	..	8	..	..	..
Rhode Island	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	..
S. Carolina	11	..	2	..	..	2	..	3	..	..	1	1	..	3
S. Dakota	10	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
†Tennessee	21	..	1	..	1	1	..	9	..	..	5	..	..	3½
‡Texas	26	..	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	1	1
Utah	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	1	3	..	..
Vermont	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..
Virginia	15	..	1	..	..	1	..	5½	..	..	1½	3	..	3
Washington	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	1	8	..	..
West Virginia	16	..	7	..	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	5
Wisconsin	26	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	15	..	..	..	..
Wyoming	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..
Alaska	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Hawaii	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Philippines	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Totals	..	29	77½	85	12	74½	32	253½	36	25	65	103	66	105

*Missouri gave Frank B. Willis 3 votes; one Missouri vote recorded absent.
†One absent for Pennsylvania. Tennessee ½ vote absent.
‡Texas gave McCall 1 vote, Frank B. Willis 1, William H. Taft 14 and Borah 1. Alabama gave Borah 1 vote.

HUGHES ACCEPTS AND RESIGNS OFFICE

Washington, June 10.—Justice Charles Evans Hughes accepted the Republican nomination for the presidency, and resigned from the Supreme court of the United States. He issued the following statement:

"To the President:

"I hereby resign the office of associate justice of the Supreme court of the United States.

"I am, sir, respectfully yours, CHARLES E. HUGHES."

Hughes' statement of the acceptance of the Republican nomination follows:

"Hon. Warren G. Harding, Chairman Republican National Committee, Chicago, Ill.

"Mr. Chairman and Delegates: I have not desired the nomination. I have wished to remain on the bench, but in this critical period of our national history I recognize that it is your right to summon and my paramount duty to respond. You speak at a time of national exigency, transcending merely partisan consideration.

"You voice the demand of the dominant, thoroughgoing Americanism, with firm, protective, upbuilding policies essential to our peace and security; and to that call in this crisis I cannot fail to answer with the pledge of all that is in me to the service of our country. Therefore I accept the nomination.

"I stand for the firm and unflinching maintenance of all the rights of American citizens on land and sea. I neither impugn motives nor underestimate difficulties.

"But it is more regrettably true that in our foreign relations we have suffered incalculably from the weak and vacillating course which has been taken as regards Mexico—a course lamentably wrong with regard to both our rights and our duties.

"We interfered without consistency and while seeking to dictate when we were not concerned, we utterly failed to appreciate and discharge our plain duty to our citizens.

"At the outset of the administration the high responsibilities of our diplomatic intercourse with foreign nations were subordinated to a conception of partisan requirements, and we presented the world a humiliating spectacle of ineptitude.

"The latest efforts have not availed to recover the influence and prestige so unfortunately sacrificed; and brave words have been stripped of their force by indecision.

"I desire to see our diplomacy restored to its best standards, and to have these advanced; to have no sacrifices of national interests to partisan expediency; to have the first ability of the country always at its command, here and abroad, in diplomatic intercourse; to maintain firmly our rights under our laws; insisting steadfastly upon our rights as neutrals and fully performing our international obligations; and by the clear correctness and justice of our position, and our manifest ability and disposition to sustain them, to dignify our place among the nations.

"I stand for an Americanism which knows no ulterior purpose, for a patriotism which is single and complete. Whether native or naturalized, of whatever race or creed, we have but one country, and we do not for an instant tolerate any divisions of allegiance.

"I believe in making prompt provision to assure absolutely our national security.

"I believe in preparedness, not only entirely adequate for our defense with respect to numbers and equipment in both army and navy, but with all thoroughness to the end that in each branch of the service there may be the utmost efficiency under the most competent administrative heads.

"We are devoted to the ideal of honorable peace. We wish to promote all wise and practicable measures for the just settlement of international disputes. In view of our abiding ideals, there is no danger of militarism in this country.

"We have no policy of aggressiveness; no lust for territory; no zeal for strife. It is in this spirit that we demand adequate provision for national defense and we condemn the inexcusable neglect that has been shown in this matter of first national importance.

"We must have the strength which self-respect demands, the strength of an efficient nation ready for every emergency."

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He Had the Price.

Bill McCabe's Poughkeepsie team was playing the Kingston team one day years ago, in the Atlantic league, and a guy named Fogarty was umpire. In the ninth inning, with the score tied, two of McCabe's men played out, and as Billy had only one man extra, he had to rush the bleacher seats to find a man to fill in. He drew a big hick, who said he couldn't play, but for the fun could fill in. There were two out at the time and the fans were excited.

Our hero, the hick, came to bat. He drew three balls and the next one across he pickled over the left field fence for a homer. Instead of running, the fathead stood there while the crowd howled itself mad. McCabe ran out to him and yelled, "Run, you boob, run!"

The hick turned and faced Bill and in a slow voice drawled: "No, sir, I won't run. I'm no coward. I'll admit I lost your ball, but I got the money right here in my pocket to pay for it."

Novel English Church.

A novel church, in the parish of St. Paul, Southsea, England, was originally a stable, and the cross on the altar was used by Rev. H. W. Workman, vicar of the parish, when he was a naval chaplain in the Good Hope, the King Edward VII, and the Irresistible, all three of which have been lost during the war. The bell of the church is an old ship's bell.

Novelist—How are my novels going?

Bookseller—I can't imagine, sir, unless it's shoplifters.—Puck.

Two lovers can make a street car full of people awfully seasick.

New Absorbent in Surgery.

One medical outcome of the war is the discovery that sphagnum moss and fine sawdust are excellent substitutes for absorbent cotton as dressings for wounds. The moss is the long-fibered kind commonly found in swampy places in this country that florists and nurserymen use for protecting the roots of plants during shipment. It takes up moisture better than absorbent cotton and does not grow sodden so quickly. Of course both the moss and the sawdust are sterilized before they are used for dressings.—Youth's Companion.

Analogous Cases.

"One of the most persuasive men I have ever met," remarked Mr. Jagsby.

"Yes," replied his friend.

"I hadn't been with him two minutes before he persuaded me to take a drink."

"Umph!"

"Why the cynicism?"

"I was just thinking that it doesn't require much coaxing to make a hungry wolf pounce on a piece of raw meat."

Carnation Size.

A society debutante is bemoaning the loss of a perfectly eligible beau. She can't think why. A certain florist to whom she turned back $20 worth of orchids a couple of weeks ago on a refund of $10 might be able to throw a little light on the subject. You see he thought she looked like orchids, but she and her mamma knew she was only carnations. He knows it now, too.

Some men try to get ahead in this world by holding others back.

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It doesn't improve the looks of China to have it Japanned.

Use Hanford's Balsam for mud fever. Adv.

Big Sturgeon on Trot Line.

A 400-pound fish was caught in the Sacramento river by Eugene Barion, the "musical fisherman." Barion is called the "musical fisherman" because his 200-foot trot line stretched across tho Sacramento at Middle creek is equipped with a chime of twelve Swiss bells—one for each line dangling from the main line with spoon attached.

Barion's catch was a sturgeon, a big fish that measured seven feet without the head. When the sturgeon grabbed tho hook every one of the twelve bells rang a clatter that awakened him from his afternoon nap in his cabin ashore.

The "musical fisherman" was unable to land his big catch alone. He had to call in the assistance of two neighbors. Barion's catch netted him $63.—Redding (Cal.) Dispatch to San Francisco Call.

Apostle of Silence.

"Could I interest you in a volume which will teach you how to become an eloquent public speaker?" asked the agent.

"I'm afraid not," answered the man at the desk. "I made my reputation in politics as a pussyfooter and the less I have to say the better off I'll be."

Often the woman in the case is a case in herself.

The optimist enjoys the fruit and the pessimist slips on the peel.

A Man's Worth

depends upon his power to produce what the world recognizes as of value.

And when you skirmish around you'll find that this power—which is just power of mind and body—depends to a remarkable degree on the food one eats.

For highest accomplishment one must have the best values in food—food which builds well-balanced bodies and brains.

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NO PROTEST MADE BY PROGRESSIVES AS T. R. DECLINES

ROOSEVELT'S REFUSAL IS CONDITIONAL AND PLACED IN HANDS OF COMMITTEE UNTIL REPUBLICANS ISSUE STATEMENT.

PARKER IS NOMINATED FOR VICE-PRESIDENT

Southern Man Is Selected by Acclamation as Colonel's Running Mate—Johnson Refuses to Let Name Be Placed Before the Convention—Robins Honored.

Chicago, June 12.—The Progressive national convention, after four days of tumult with only one purpose in view, nominated Col. Theodore Roosevelt for President, and a few hours later listened without protest to a message from Oyster Bay that he would not "accept at this time." Colonel Roosevelt's declination was conditional and it was placed in the hands of the Progressive national committee, to be held until such time as statements to be made by Justice Hughes; the nominee of the Republican party, "shall satisfy the committee that it is for the interest of the country that he be elected."

Southern Man for Vice-President.

Colonel John H. Parker of Louisiana was nominated for Vice-President, the selection being by acclamation. Colonel Roosevelt's running mate of four years ago, Governor Johnson of California, refused to let his name be placed before the convention because of the information he had concerning the intentions of Colonel Roosevelt toward his nomination. Several other names and notably that of Raymond Robins, who was both temporary and permanent chairman of the convention were offered, but not seconded.

The conference report was made by Mr. Perkins. He cited Friday night's meeting with the Republican conferees, stating that the Progressives were again asked for their second choice candidate for president.

Divided On Hughes.

Mr. Perkins announced that the Republican conferees had offered the name of Justice Hughes as a compromise candidate, but were not unanimous for him, standing three for Hughes and two against him; that at Saturday morning's conference the Republicans were anxious for Hughes.

He said that the Progressives' position was the same—that the Progressives had presented a candidate and that the Republicans had not, and that the same arguments for Colonel Roosevelt were advanced.

Republicans Suggest Compromise

The Republicans, he said, suggested that Justice Hughes was an available candidate for a compromise.

He then recounted the conferences with the state chairman.

Mr. Perkins then read the reply of the Progressives, who said they would take pleasure in suggesting "Justice Hughes" name to the Progresive convention.

The decision of the convention, Mr. Perkins added, was of vital importance to the country.

RUSSIANS TAKE DUBNO; DRIVE BACK AUSTRIANS

Capture 108,000 Men in Week and Force Back Enemy to Roumanian Border.

London, June 12.—From the wooded region of Southwest Russia to the Roumanian frontier, Russians are keeping up their tremendous offensive against Austro-Hungarians, who have been re-enforced on several sectors by Germans. In the week that has elapsed since they first threw their attacks against the Austrians, the Russians report that they have captured approximately 108,000 officers and men and forced back the organized lines of their antagonists from the region of the Volhinian fortress triangle to Roumania.

Having previously captured Lutsk, Russians now have retaken Dubno, the second of the fortresses in the triangle held by the Austrians, and are pressing the retreating Austrians westward.

Switzerland Issues New Loan.

Berne, Switzerland, via Paris, June 12.—Switzerland is issuing a new loan of 100,000,000 francs in 4½ per cent bonds at the rate of 97. With this issue the Swiss loans covering the cost of mobilization and the frontier watch, and including the $15,000,000 contracted for in the United States, now amount to 462,200,000 francs, in normal times, approximately $92,440,000.

U. S. Refugees Hooted.

El Paso, June 12.—Uneasiness as to the results of anti-American agitation in Chihuahua was manifest here and in Juarez. Especial anxiety was expressed for the dozen Americans remaining in Chihuahua City, where a mass meeting of all male natives was held, ostensibly to protest against the American troops remaining in Mexico A number of American refugees arriving from Chihuahua City said they were hooted by Mexicans at most every station on the way to the border.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT

ROOSEVELT WILL NOT ACCEPT

REJECTS PROGRESSIVE NOMINATION AT PRESENT TIME.

Awaits Statement of Republican Party's Attitude Toward the Vital Questions of the Day.

Chicago, June 12.—Following is Col Roosevelt's telegram to the Progressive national convention declining to accept the nomination:

"Oyster Bay, N. Y., June 10.—

"The Progressive Convention:

"I am very grateful for the honor you confer upon me by nominating me as president. I can not accept it at this time. I do not know the attitude of the Republican party toward the vital questions of the day. Therefore, if you desire an immediate decision, I must decline the nomination.

"But if you prefer it, I suggest that my conditional refusal to run be placed in the hands of the Progressive national committee. If Mr. Hughes' statements, when he makes them, shall satisfy the committee that it is for the interest of the country that he be elected, they can act accordingly, and treat my refusal as definitely accepted. If they are not satisfied, they can so notify the Progressive party and at the same time they can confer with me and then determine on whatever action we may severally deem appropriate to meet the needs of the country.

"Signed,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

OUT OF POLITICS—ROOSEVELT

Tells Newspaper Men He Has Nothing to Say.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., June 12.—Theodore Roosevelt has reiterated that he is "out of politics."

"I want to tell you newspaper men," he said, "that it's of no use for you to come up here to see me. I will have nothing to say. I will answer no questions, so please don't ask me to. I am out of politics."

If the former president has any plans for the immediate future other than to continue his literary work, he has not made them public.

ITALIAN CRISIS IS NEAR END

Cabinet Headed by Premier Salandra Resigns—Sonnino Favored.

London, June 12.—A Rome dispatch received here by wireless telegraph says the Ministerial crisis will soon be ended. All political parties, it is asserted, favor a national ministry containing Baron Sonnino, the minister of foreign affairs, and the present military ministers. The Italian cabinet headed by Premier Salandra, has resigned.

SHIP SINKS; MANY LIVES LOST

Norwegian Steamer Hits Mine—Only One Survivor.

London, June 12. — The Norwegian steamer Prosper III has struck a mine and sunk. The first officer of the vessel is believed to be the only survivor.

She sailed from Newport News May 20 for LaPallice, France.

Repudiates Pershing's Conference.

San Antonio, Texas, June 12.—What is regarded by American army officers as official repudiation of the agreement entered into by Generals Pershing and Gavira was contained in a curt message from General Jacinto Trevino to General Pershing, informing him that General Gavira has no authority to discuss military subjects with him.

CARRANZISTAS CAPTURE FOUR BANDIT LEADERS

Laredo, Texas, June 12.—Carranza troops and Mexican bandits engaged in a battle at Sanches, Mexico, 20 miles south of Nuevo Laredo, which resulted in the capture of four bandit leaders. The outlaws were a part of Luis De La Rosa's band, according to accounts of the battle which reached the border.

Envying the Engineer.

"It must be great to be a railroad engineer?"

"Still clinging to your small-boy ambitions, eh?"

"Oh, it isn't that. I was just thinking what a joy it must be to be able to drive and not have to listen to the advice of the passengers."—Detroit Press.

L. Bushby of Heplin, Ala., says: "I have been using Hanford's Balsam for two years and find it to be all you claim for it." Adv.

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"There's something uncanny about this baby."

"Must be its creepy ways."

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One can't always measure a good time by the cost.

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Many elderly people suffer lame, bent, aching backs, and distressing urinary disorders, when a little help for the kidneys would fix it all up. Don't wait for gravel, or Bright's disease. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands, young and old, and are recommended by thousands.

A North Dakota Case

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Mrs. Herman Wolff, Langdon, N. D., says: "I was troubled with backache most of the time and was so lame and sore, I couldn't do my housework. I also had headaches and dizzy spells and the kidney secretions passed far too often. I noticed sediment in the secretions too. After trying different medicines without benefit, I used Doan's Kidney Pills. They fixed me up all right."

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Miss G.—That was very nice of you.

Miss K.—I told her your mouth wasn't really so big, it only seemed so because you kept it open so constantly.—Boston Transcript.

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An Oversight.

"And what have you done to bring you here?" asked the prison visitor of the man behind the bars.

"It ain't so much what I done," replied the prisoner, "as what I left undone."

"Ah that is indeed sad."

"It sure is. If I'd only had sense enough to fix up a good strong alibi they'd never got the goods on me."

For sprains and strains use Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Adv.

I Didn't Think It of Her.

Mother—Gladys, you stood on the porch quite a while with that young man last night.

Gladys—Why, mother, I only stood there for a second.

Mother—But I'm sure I heard the third and the fourth.

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"She belongs to a fine old family, does she not?"

"Oh, yes. She is related to a number of well-known people who never mention the fact."

Keep Hanford's Balsam in the stable. Adv.

The Way of It.

"Have you finished your shopping trip?"

"No; the trip's finished me."

IF YOU OR ANY FRIEND Suffer with Rheumatism or Neuritis, acute or chronic, write for my FREE BOOK on Rheumatism—Its Cause and Cure. Most wonderful book ever written, it's absolutely FREE. Jesse A. Case, Dept. C. W., Brockton, Mass.—Adv.

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"Is your sitting as a model just temporary?"

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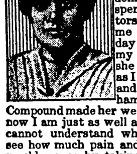

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Physicians undoubtedly did their best, battled with this case steadily and could do no more, but often the most scientific treatment is surpassed by the medicinal properties of the good old fashioned roots and herbs contained in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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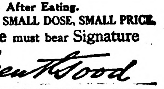

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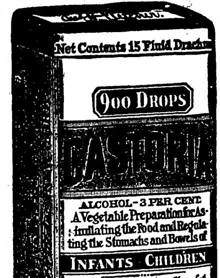

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Local Items

Don't fail to vote next Monday.

A fine horse at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

Miss Agnes Swensrud went to T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Lever Olson was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday.

A. H. Huseth returned home on Tuesday from St. Paul.

Work of grading the streets was resumed again Wednesday.

New Minnesota machinery at the old prices at R. Reierson's store.

Mrs. Pernilla Moe returned to her home Wednesday in Minneapolis.

Fred Ewald has been hauling out lumber for a hog house which he is building on his farm.

H. P. Oien, of Shelly, was an over Sunday visitor here with his son Henry and wife.

Mrs. C. L. Sanberg went to Thief River Falls Wednesday for a couple of days visit with friends.

Mrs. Arvid Carlson returned home Sunday after several days visit here with her mother and family.

The Nils and Carl Engebretson families and Mrs. T. A Tobiason visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Eide Sunday.

Sam Reierson and Dan Nelson returned home Saturday night from T. R. Falls, near where they had been working.

Rev. M. T. Strom returned home Tuesday from Crookston and reports a good meeting of the Gospel Mission church.

Mrs. Momberg, who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson, returned to her home in Alvarado, Monday.

Mrs. Peterson and little daughter Mamie went to T. R. Falls Wednesday to visit her daughter Mrs. Willie Warner for a few days.

Mrs. Ole Kjelgren went to Alvarado Monday with Mrs. Momberg for a few days visit and from there to Grand Forks to visit relatives.

Misses Johanna Larson, Christine Saastad, Gunhild and Olava Sollom, Olga and Clara Larson went to Crookston, Saturday to attend Summer School.

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Terms of service: $12.00 for standing colt.

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Where Mr. Anderson Stands.

The women of Fergus Falls are very much surprised and disappointed over the action of A. G. Anderson who is a delegate to the Chicago National convention, in voting for Sen. George H. Sullivan of Stillwater for Minnesota's member of the platform committee. The contest was between Sen. Sullivan and Hon. J. F. Jacobson of Lac qui Parle. A large delegation of women waited upon Mr. Anderson and secured his promise to support the cause of women suffrage in the Republican National Convention. The platform committee makes the platform for the party. Senator Sullivan was the leader in the opposition to Senator Sageng's bill giving women the right to vote in Minnesota.

He exhausted every resource at his command to defeat the bill. He also led the fight against county option and if there is any measure which the liquor interest want defeated in this state as well as in the nation it is to give women the right to vote.

Mr. Jacobson has always been a strong advocate of county option and Mr. Anderson's action in voting against him and voting for Senator Sullivan has caused very great disappointment.—Fergus Falls Journal.

A BIG MAN FOR A BIG JOB

A home grown product. A farmer boy who educated himself. Ability and hard work made him a national leader in the legal profession. As the people's lawyer in trust prosecutions, he won decisions from the U. S. Supreme Court which, if enforced by the government at the present time, would greatly help small business men and farmers and insure equality of opportunity for all. He is guaranteed to the voters by Minnesota's leading country newspapers.

He stands for PROTECTION of Uncle Sam, of agriculture, of labor, and of business. He is on the square and has the welfare of the people at heart

Let's send a real statesman to Washington.

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What Makes a Congress-man Useful?

"A man must learn to be a Representative just as he must learn to be a blacksmith, a carpenter, a farmer, an engineer, a lawyer, a doctor.

"A poet is born, not made, says Horace, but congressman--that are useful and influential congressmen--are made largely by experience and practice.

The above is from an address recently delivered by Hon. Champ Clark, speaker of the House of Representatives, before the Washington Press Club.

Hon. Halvor Steenerson has represented this district during the past 14 years and has gained a position of influence and prominence in Washington. With each succeeding session his standing has been advanced until he is now generally recognized as the big, dependable man on the Minnesota delegation.

Will an untried and inexperienced man be in a better position to serve his constituency? No one for one moment believes that he will. Granted Mr. Steenerson's abilities and opportunities, he would still have to serve a similar length of time before he could possibly arrive at the station in which we now find Mr. Steenerson.

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Mrs. Martin Evenson was a passenger for Fargo Saturday.

Holt is growing, several new residences, village hall, sidewalks, etc.

Misses Lillie Peterson and Hilma Nyberg visited Mrs. Halfdan Hanson, Sunday.

Miss Emma Kuehne returned yesterday from visiting relatives in Thief River Falls.

T. O. Dovre has bought a bill of lumber from our local yard for a large barn about 32x60.

Marshall county land is now and will still remain a good investment, and right now is a good time to buy.

Notice!

Our magazine offers are for a limited time, only. Please call and take advantage of these very liberal offers before it is too late. Good for both old and new subscribers, everyone treated alike. A good offer.

H. B. Young, Editor.

Our magazine offers are O. K.

See us for magazine subscriptions.

The Golden Valley mail carrier has bought a new five passenger Ford for use on his route.

Miss Nellie Saastad returned home yesterday after attending school the past year in T. R. Falls.

If you want to sell or trade your farm, write to, or still better call on B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

Mrs. B. L. Backe and sister Miss Myrtle Thomas visited over Sunday with their mother in T. R. Falls

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Rural Route No. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Theis, Mr. and Mrs. Frand Keichinger and family and Mrs. C. Hoffman, Marie Faiman and Elizabeth Hoffman attended the Catholic church meeting last Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Keichinger.

Misses Marie Faiman, Viola Rhuemann and August Hoffman made a pleasant trip to Thief River Falls on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keichinger visited at the home of Mrs. C. Hoffmann on Sunday.

Master George Rhuemann visited at the Kisch home Sunday.

Albin Rhuemann visited at the Wendt home Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Hoffman, Miss Kathrine Braun, Miss Anna Hoffman, Marcella and Fredolin Hoffman spent Sunday at their parental home, at Clover Farm.

Anna Hoffman and Miss K. Braun spent Saturday joy riding with the mail carrier to Germantown in an automobile.

Rev. Father Adolph Dingmann held services at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Keichinger last Wednesday.

Miss Marie Faiman is spending her summer vacation at the home of Elisabeth Hoffmann.

The Carrier on Rural Route No. 2, who had an operation in the Thief River hospital will soon be back on his job again.

EX-GOVERNOR
A. O. EBERHART
MANKATO, MINN.
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FOR
U. S. SENATOR

Business vs. Idleness.

The importunities and perplexities of business are softness and luxury compared with the incessant cravings of vacancy and the unsatisfactory expedients of idleness.—Doctor Johnson.

Eifty-one students recently graduated from the Thief River Falls high school.

Mr. Benn of Crookston, traveling auditor for the G. N., was here Saturday on business.

Thief River Falls is going to celebrate the glorious "Fourth" in a way worth seeing and attending.

Your choice of several good magazines in a club with this paper, for only 25c additional to the regular subscription price of one dollar.

Gov. Burnquist has issued a proclamation naming Tuesday June 20th as "Good Road Day" and asks that a special effort be made on that day to secure contributions of labor, material and money for the improvment of public roads in each community.

A. G. Anderson
For Congressman

I have filed as a candidate for the Republication nomination for Congress in the Ninth Minnesota District. Owing to my personal business interests I have been reluctant to take this action, but have been persuaded by the persistent demands of a large number of the Republicans in all parts of the District.

I have prepared to accept the responsibility which I ask the voters of the Ninth District to confer upon me by placing myself in a position to devote all my time and energy to the duties of the office.

My platform is brief; I stand first and foremost for genuine Americanism and strict and honorable neutrality.

I would insist on a "dollar's worth of service for every dollar spent."

I know that the government records show that we are spending more to maintain our army and navy than did Germany, England, France before the present war, and I would demand a "dollar's worth of preparedness for every dollar so spent."

I believe in preparedness which would protect, but not one which would inspire the spirit of invasion or impose the burdens of militarism.

I stand for business methods, economy and efficiency in National government.

Yours truly,
A. G. Anderson.

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June 6, 1916.

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Claimant names as witnesses:
Ole B. Johnson, John M. Jahr, Christ Birkeland and Albert C. Jahr, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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A fine horse at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

B. L. Backe went to St. Paul Saturday on business.

New Minnesota machinery at the old prices at R. Reierson's store.

Carl Christoferson finished oiling the floors and cleaning up at the school house, Monday.

Work on all the new buildings is progressing fast during this fine weather.

Miss Olga Larson went to T. R. Falls Monday returning home Tuesday.

Ben Hoff has bought the barber outfit of A. H. Huseth and will continue in business here. We wish him success.

August Kuehne visited relatives in T. R. Falls Friday and Saturday.

Anton Knutson from west of Newfolden, visited his brother Chris the first of the week.

Mrs. Henry Wegge returned Saturday from a weeks visit with relatives and friends at Fargo.

Rev. M. T. Strom departed yesterday for Reynolds, N. D., where he will hold meetings.

Mrs. Martin Gustafson and son Carl of Newfolden visited at the Docken home Monday.

Dr. J. Biederman, Physician and Surgeon of Thief River Falls will be in Holt on Mondays of each week at Hotel Holt.

Mesdames Wermager and N. B. Bayne and children of Gary came Monday to visit at the home of the latters parents Mr. Mrs. K. T. Knutson, the former is a sister of Mrs. K.

C. W. Latta, A. R. Jones, A. L. Carlson and Elmer Bennes autoed to T. R. Falls Monday evening, the latter to visit his family and the others to attend Masonic lodge.

Loyd Adams went to Grand Forks Saturday after his household goods, which he will move here, having decided to make this his home. We understand Mr. Adams will buy a lot and build a house in the near future.

Notice!

Please take notice that our magazine club offers all expire at the end of this week and we will be unable to fill any orders received later than Monday noon June 26th.

In Church Circles.

Rev. G.O. Parish will preach in the Mission church next Monday evening.

The Sunshine Society will be entertained at Mrs. R. Reierson Saturday June 24th. Everybody invited.

Mrs. John A. Sorum will entertain the Free Mission Ladies Aid on Wednesday June 29th. Everyone invited.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. John Hagberg at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon July 1st. Everybody invited.

The Synod Ladies Aid will have an Auction Sale and serve dinner at the Central Hotel on June 23rd. Everyone invited to come.

Primary Election

Kellog is nominated for Senator, Steenerson for Congress, Anderson and Quinn Supreme Court, Burnquist Governor, Frankson, Lt. Gov. Schmahl Secy., of State, Rines Treasurer, Mills R. R. Com. The democrats nominated Lawler for Senator and Dwyer for Governor. Stevens and Malberg are on the non-partisian ticket for representative.

Thirty five non-partisian, thirty republican and five democrat ballots were cast in Holt village at the Monday primary election. Anderson received 26 votes for associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Steenerson 25 for Congressman, Johnson 21 for State Treasurer Burnquist 20 for Governor Peterson 18 for Lt-Gov., Schmahl 17 for Secy., of State, Elias Steenerson 19 for Railroad Com. Kellog 13 for U. S. Senator, for the State Legislature Stevens received 14, Malberg 11 and Robertson 10 votes.

For hay land to rent see Holt State Bank.

Klevie Flakne went to Crookston Wednesday.

Dr. R. L. Olson was taken sick Tuesday night but is now better,

A. R. Jones and Albert Knutson visited at the home of the latters parents Sunday P. M.

Mrs Loyd Adams and niece, Mabel Hagberg went to Grand Forks Saturday for a couple of weeks visit.

Mrs. R. Reierson and son Rheinhart and daughters Ida and Pearl visited at Ole Reierson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Knutson from west of Newfolden visited Sunday at the home of their son, Chris Knutson and family,

Miss Edna Riesberg returned home Wednesday from T. R. Ealls accompanied by her sister Mrs. Alex Strom and children.

B. Docken received a very serious injury to his eye one day last week, when he accidentially struck a sharp stick, puncturing the white of his left eye: causing him considerable pain and laying him up for a short time. We are glad to report the eye is improving and Mr. Docken is again on duty at the bank.

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, [illegible]

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FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

The German auxiliary cruiser Hersemann has been sunk in the Baltic sea by four Russian torpedo boat destroyers, according to Berlin reports.

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The Russian duma has adopted a bill calling for the abstention from eating meat four days in each week, according to a dispatch from Petrograd.

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During the war to date Great Britain has lost 130 ships of her navy, totalling more than 600,000 tons, according to statistics gathered by German newspapers.

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The capture of Lutsk in Volhynia and also a series of powerfully organized Austrian positions is announced in an official communication given out in Petrograd.

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The loss of the 26,000-ton battle cruiser Lutzow, one of the big German ships which the British claim to have sunk in the Jutland sea fight is now admitted by the German admiralty.

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An official British tabulation of German losses up to the end of May gives aggregate casualties of 2,924,586, of which 734,412 represents men killed. These losses are exclusive of those sustained in naval engagements.

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A statement from the German admiralty, dated June 9, says that in May fifty-six vessels flying the flag of the entente nations, with an aggregate tonnage of 118,500, were sunk by German and Austrian submarines and mines.

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German newspapers, according to a Berne dispatch, state that the British cruiser Hampshire, the vessel which Lord Kitchener and his staff went to their doom with, was sunk by a German submarine.

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Drinking in the British homes is growing, and there is an increase of excess among those women who drank before the war, according to a report by a committee of prominent London women which has investigated the subject.

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Upward of 6,000 Canadians have fallen within a week in the desperate fighting in and around Sanctuary woods, according to a statement made by Major General Samuel Hughes, minister of militia, at Ottawa, Canada.

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King Constantine of Greece has signed an order demobilizing twelve classes of the Greek army, amounting to 150,000 men. The demobilization order, it is reported from Athens, may bring about the downfall of the Skouloudis ministry.

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Russian troops have crossed the Stripa river in Galicia and reached the Zlota Lipa river. Petrograd reports that 1,649 officers and more than 106,000 men have been taken prisoner since the present great drive against the Austrians began.

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The British government is taking an inventory of all the foodstuffs in the United Kingdom. Farmers are receiving a request for a report to the board of agriculture on their stocks of wheat, corn and barley, the extent of their growing crops and the amount of their live stock.

GENERAL.

Official announcement was made by the National City bank of New York of the closing of a loan of $50,000,000 to the Russian government by several leading banking groups.

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Twelve persons were killed and seventeen Carranza soldiers were injured seriously when a military train conveying General Luis Guiterrez to Saltillo, was wrecked near Saltillo, Mex.

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Four saloons of Altoona, Wis., will have to go out of business on July 1, and their places will be taken by a municipally-owned saloon. From the profits of this saloon the city plans to build a municipal water works.

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William Marconi, an Englishman, residing in London, has invented a new device which should put an end to danger of collisions between ships in darkness or fog. It is described as a simple contrivance, easily installed, which will be operated from the bridge of a ship.

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A fund of $3,000 for the relief of the families of the Irishmen who were killed in the Dublin insurrection or were executed afterward, is to be raised by the society of Friends of Irish Freedom at Omaha.

The republican and progressive national convention between them cost the active participants about $3,500,000.

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Father James J. Sullivan, S. J., widely known in Catholic educational circles throughout the country, died at Kansas City, Mo.

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Rear Admiral Hood, killed during the British-German sea battle a few days ago, was the husband of a former Omaha girl.

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The South Dakota Central railroad, which some time ago went into receivership, was sold at Sioux Falls for the sum of $952,000.

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Resolutions favoring the continued neutrality of Norway and pledging loyalty to the United States, as an adopted country, were accepted by Saterdalen Lag, a national Norwegian organization during their convention at Benidji, Minn.

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Mrs. Arthur Storz and Mrs. Edith Bartlett of Omaha were killed, when a Rock Island passenger train struck the automobile driven by Mrs. Storz at a grade crossing in Council Bluffs. The party had gone to Macedonia, Ia., to aid the husband of Mrs. Storz, who had been injured in an automobile accident.

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The Arkansas supreme court has declared illegal the "occupation tax" which had been levied by the city of Hot Springs upon practically all lines of business. This was intended to make up the losses of revenue from saloon licenses as a result of the state-wide prohibition act which went into effect January 1.

SPORTING.

Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, has agreed to meet Ad Wolgast, former titleholder, in a fifteen-round bout at Denver, Colo., July 4.

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Articles for the Joe Stecher-Charley Peters wrestling match, to be held in Omaha on July 15, have been signed and the event is now a certainty.

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Frankie Russell, of New Orleans, won on a foul from Ad Wolgast of Cadillac, Mich., in the fourth round of a scheduled twelve round boxing bout at St. Louis.

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Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, outpointed Tommy Lowe of Washington in a ten-round bout at Ardmore, Md. Lowe took considerable punishment, but was able to land on the champion.

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Miss Molla Bjurstedt of Norway, retained her title of woman tennis champion of the United States, by defeating Mrs. Edward Raymond of New York, in the challenge match of the womens national tournament at Philadelphia, in straight sets, 6-0, 6-1.

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Word has been received in Chicago that the bout between Charley White of Chicago and Freddie Welsh, the worlds champion lightweight title holder, which was to have been held at Buenos Aires this summer, has been definitely cancelled.

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Dario Resta, the famous Italian-English pilot, driving a French Peageot automobile, won the second annual Chicago motor derby. Resta made the 300 miles in 3 hours, 2 minutes and 40 seconds, an average of ninety-nine miles an hour. De Palma was second and Christiaen third.

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Hal McKiney, a famous pacing Omaha horse, won over Columbia Fire and Franklin Pierce, in three straight heats at Benson, Neb., in 2:07½, 2:08¾ and 2::10. It was announced by the starting judge that the time for the first heat broke the record for a mile over a two-lap track in Nebraska. It is also, so far as is known, the fastest mile stepped in a race thus far this year anywhere in the United States.

WASHINGTON.

A charge that foreign born citizens of the United States are trying to levy political blackmail and to undermine the influence of the national government, was made by President Wilson in a Flag day speech in Washington.

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Secretary of War Baker has ordered 1,000 additional coast artillery and the engineer corps to proceed at once to the Mexican border, for patrol duty. This action was taken following the receipt of news of a disturbing character.

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A new universal military training and service bill to be presented to congress soon, provides that all male citizens shall enlist for six months' military camp training during the calendar year in which they become eighteen years of age, and thereafter shall be discharged into the reserve.

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A constitutional amendment to disqualify federal judges from holding any elective office for at least two years after leaving the bench was introduced by Senator Thomas, democrat, of Colorado. Two weeks ago he made a speech in the senate deprecating the efforts to nominate Justice Hughes as a presidential candidate.

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A bill for relief of 800 mail contractors in the south, whose pay was withheld during the civil war, passed the house.

PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON

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DEMOCRATS CHOOSE WILSON AND MARSHALL AS THEIR LEADERS

Ticket Named a Few Minutes Before Midnight on Thursday, Avoiding the Friday "Hoodoo"—Delegates Evince Intense Enthusiasm as the Result Is Announced—President at Once Notified.

St. Louis.—Woodrow Wilson and Thomas Riley Marshall were nominated just before midnight June 15. Both nominations were made by acclamation.

President Wilson's nomination came at 11:54 and that of Vice-President Marshall at 11:58.

Fred B. Lynch of Minnesota notified the White House by telephone at the instant of the nomination. A telephone wire that extended into the speaker's stand was connected direct with the White House with a megaphone attached to the receiver.

In a lightning sprint Mr. Marshall made a record. Senator Kern was due for a nominating speech. Sensing the approaching midnight he threw his eulogy on the floor and simply said: "I renomate Thomas Riley Marshall." Somebody seconded. Somebody moved to make it by acclamation. And it was done, the whole job of nominating a vice presidential candidate taking up just 180 seconds.

Friday Superstition Averted.

Thus the ancient superstition against Friday nominations was averted, although President Wilson had made it known that he regards Friday as his "lucky day."

Dramatic scenes attended the naming of the ticket. William Jennings Bryan in an impassioned panygeric placed his O. K. upon the president and his administration.

The Nebraskan, who resigned from the cabinet, was not a delegate to the convention, but he was called to the platform by unanimous consent. He lauded Wilson to the skies for keeping the nation out of war, lauded the Wilson Mexican policy and extolled the economic legislation from tariff to currency act.

Bryan at times spoke under the strain of emotion. It was the first convention in 20 years in which he has not been an active figure, but the ovation and the outbursts that punctuated his remarks indicated that he is still a powerful force behind the scenes of the party he once dominated.

Wescott Names Wilson.

The Nebraskan through with his speech, John W. Wescott of New Jersey placed Mr. Wilson in nomination. As the time grew short Wescott, cutting short his peroration, shouted:

"I nominate Woodrow Wilson."

Then followed a great demonstration that lasted 46 minutes. Delegates and galleries were roused to a high pitch of enthusiasm and emotionalism. They yelled and shouted and paraded and sang. Some of them wept in an ecstacy of feeling.

Harmon Seconds Wilson.

Former Governor Judson Harmon of Ohio, who was a candidate for the presidential nomination at Baltimore four years ago, made the first seconding speech for President Wilson.

The next was by Gov. H. C. Stuart of Virginia.

Senator Hughes of New Jersey moved that the rules be suspended and the nomination made by acclamation. The motion was carried with a tremendous roar.

The only objection came from Robert E. Burke of Chicago, the only anti-Wilson delegate in the convention. He shouted "No."

Senator James declared President Wilson nominated at 11:52 p. m.

Kern Names Marshall.

Senator John W. Kern of Indiana then was recognized. He moved that the nomination of Vice President Marshall be made by acclamation. No nominating speech was made.

Vice President Marshall was declared nominated four minutes after the nomination of President Wilson.

Numerous seconding speeches which had been prepared were not made.

Lewis' Speech His Shortest.

Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois was invited to the platform to make an addess at 12:12 a. m. "I do not like to impose upon your time," said Senator Lewis. "I beg you will excuse me and I express my sincere thanks."

It was the shortest speech of his career.

Senator Hughes reported to the convention that the resolution committee had failed to complete its work on the platform. The convention then adjourned at 12:32 a. m. until eleven o'clock Friday morning.

Forty-six minutes of sheer enthusiasm and emotion followed the naming of President Wilson. The minute Mr. Westcott had yielded to the adjurations of his audience and had spoken the name "Woodrow Wilson," the galleries and the delegates were on their feet.

An immense oil painting of the president was dropped from the gallery back of the speakers' stand. It excited the gathering almost to the point of frenzy. Georgia bore down the aisle a banner—"Wilson: Dixie's gift to the nation."

The band blared and thumped out "America" and "Dixie" while the great pit, a crater of eruptive humanity, let out its collective lungs and throats to capacity.

Bryan Lauds Wilson.

Bryan in his laudation of Wilson and his policies dwelt on the possibilities of America as negotiator of peace in Europe.

"I stand with the Democrats of the nation to give Woodrow Wilson a chance to be that man," shouted Bryan, in conclusion, and the hall echoed with cheering.

Details of the Night Session.

St. Louis.—While the convention was assembling for the night session to nominate President Wilson it became known the Nebraska delegation planned to withdraw the vice presidency candidacy of Governor Morehead.

Before the convention was called to order the Coliseum was so full that the fire department took charge of the entrances and permitted no more to come in. William J. Bryan was stopped at the door. Senator James learned of the Nebraskan's plight and rescued him. Then the Nebraskan got his usual uproarious reception.

Chairman James rapped the convention to order.

Rev. W. J. Hardesty, chaplain of the Missouri senate, offered prayer.

Senator Thompson then moved a suspension of the rules to permit Mr. Bryan to speak. When the motion was put there were some "Noes," but the chairman ruled two-thirds had voted in favor.

Senator James introduced Mr. Bryan as "one of the leading citizens of the world and America's greatest Democrat."

In spite of the distracting influence of the mob at the doors and the laughs that rose occasionally when a bedraggled leader finally forced his way into the convention hall Mr. Bryan held his audience.

Applause was frequent and thunderous. He spoke for forty-five minutes, finishing at 10:07.

Glynn Is the Keynoter.

In a hall gay with flags and bunting and with pictures of party leaders, past and present, looking down upon them from medallions around the balcony, the delegates to the Democratic national convention assembled on scheduled time Wednesday. The proceedings were formally started when William F. McCombs, chairman of the national committee, ascended the platform and rapped for order. He incited the first burst of enthusiasm of the convention when, in a short address introducing the temporary chairman, he predicted victory for the party in the fall.

The keynote speech was delivered by former Gov. Martin H. Glynn of New York, the temporary chairman. He was frequently interrupted by applause when some point in his speech stirred the enthusiasm of the delegates. His eulogy of President Wilson started the biggest demonstration of the day. Following Governor Glynn's speech, committees on credentials, permanent organization, rules, and resolutions were announced, and that day's work was done.

James Permanent Chairman.

The delegates were a little slow in assembling for Thursday's session, and it was almost noon when Temporary Chairman Glynn called the convention to order. Permanent Chairman Ollie James was escorted to the chair and introduced. He immediately launched into his address. He lauded the president and defended his policies, particularly in regard to the controversy with Germany over the submarine warfare and our relations with Mexico. An enthusiastic demonstration greeted his praise of President Wilson, which lasted more than twenty minutes. At the close of Chairman James' speech the convention took a recess until nine o'clock in the evening.

Before the nominating speeches began at the evening session the Democrats indulged in a love feast in which the advent of harmony in their ranks was celebrated.

Wilson Praised by Bryan.

Mr. Bryan was cheered enthusiastically as he entered the press section with Mrs. Bryan shortly after nine o'clock. A few minutes later, upon the motion of Senator Thompson of Kansas, the convention suspended the rules amid tumultuous good feeling and invited Mr. Bryan to the rostrum. A committee conducted Mr. Bryan amid wild cheering to the side of Chairman James.

Thomas R. Marshall

Mr. Bryan launched into a speech lauding the administration of the president.

Following Mr. Bryan's address the convention got down to the real business for which it had been convened and the renomination of President Wilson and Vice President Marshall was quickly put through as related above. The convention took a recess until eleven o'clock Friday morning, when the report of the committee on resolutions was presented and the platform was adopted with little discussion and practically no opposition.

Bald-Headed Man Protests.

St. Louis.—National Democratic Chairman McCombs is the most nervous man in politics. When he isn't beating a tattoo, rubbing his hands, slapping his knee, walking around, scratching his chin or twiddling his thumbs, he's doing something else of the same sort. At the opening session of the convention he sat at the edge of the platform. A notch lower down sat Col. Robert Ewing, an exceedingly rotund and egg-pated gentleman from Louisiana. McCombs was busily engaged listening to Governor Glynn's keynote notes. As usual, he was expressing his nervousness with his fingers. Colonel Ewing leaped up and stage-whispered, "If you don't quit rattling your fingers on the top of my head I won't be able to hear a word that's said."

Not Dodging.

"I suppose you could manage the affairs of the nation in a way that would be universally satisfactory."

"I don't say that," replied Senator Sorghum. "I realize that everybody who undertakes great responsibility must expect censure from some source. But we will not shirk. My friends and I are determined to take our share of the criticism."

Solicitude.

"Of course, you admire the dove of peace?"

"Very much. But I don't know whether I care to see it flourishing under present perilous conditions and running the risk of becoming extinct."

WILSON REJECTS MEXICAN DEMAND; TROOPS MOBILIZE

ORDERS REPLY TO CARRANZA REFUSING TO WITHDRAW ARMY FORWARDED IMMEDIATELY.

YUCATAN DECLARES WAR ON AMERICA, IS REPORT

Mexican State Orders "Gringoes" Out Of Country According to Passengers From Progresso—"Ready" Is Governors' Reply To President's Call For Mobilization.

Galveston, Texas, June 20.—The Mexican government in Yucatan has issued a proclamation ordering all Americans out of Mexico and declaring a state of war existing between the two countries according to passengers arriving here on the Norwegian steamer Nils from Progreso. American and other foreigners are being taken on board an American gunboat at Progreso. Great excitement is said to preval.

To Mobilize in States.

San Antonio, Texas, June 20.—General Funston states that the national guard will be mobilized in its respective states and that its membership will be sent to the border only when he calls for the various state detachments. He added that it will probably be some time before any of these troops reach the border.

Rejects Carranza's Demands.

Washington, June 20.—While the whole country was astir wth the mobilzation of the national guard for border duty, President Wilson directed that his reply rejecting General Carranza's demand for the recall of American troops from Mexico go forward immediately.

In refusing to withdraw its troops, the United States reaffirms the friendly intentions of the United States toward the de facto government in Mexico and sharply rebukes General Carranza for unwarranted charges and insinuatons of bad faith contained in his communication.

Activity Throughout Nation.

President Wilson's firm resolve to keep the armed force of the United States in Mexco until such time as the Mexican government polices the border region so thoroughly that bandit raids into American territory are improbable is understood to be clearly stated in the note.

Whether the suggestion of the democratic platform plank that intervention might be undertaken as a last resort also was communicated is not known.

While these diplomatic steps were in process, a force of national guardsmen which will not be less than 100,000 strong and from 45 states were mobilizing for service along the border. There is greater military activity throughout the nation today than at any time since the war with Spain.

Responses from governors of the states to President Wilson's call on the national guard for service along the Mexican border reached the war department today in rapid succession. By the time Secretary of War Newton D. Baker was at his desk, 17 states had been heard from, announcing that mobilization was in progress, and more replies were arriving rapidly.

The messages were substantially identical and followed this general form:

"Mobilization in progress as directed."

U. S. CONSULS GET ORDERS TO RETURN FROM MEXICO

Silliman of Saltillo En Route to Border Hanna, Stationed at Monterey Reaches Laredo, Makes Report.

Washington, June 20.—Consul John R. Silliman of Saltillo is en route to the border under orders from the state department to quit his post. Consul Hanna at Monterey, who left his post and reached Laredo, advised the state department that Silliman is heading toward the border.

There are now no consuls in interior Mexico, though at coast points they still remain and probably will unless serious trouble develops.

Asks Austria To Apologize.

Washington, June 20.—A second note to Austria-Hungary regarding the attack by an Austrian submarine upon the American tank steamer Petrolite, has been coded at the state department for immediate transmission to Vienna. It is understood to demand an apology for the attack and reparation for the damage.

Offensive in Macedonia Expected.

Saloniki, June 20.—The allied offensive in Macedonia, originally scheduled for the middle of May and postponed on account of the condition of the Serbian army on its arrival in Corfu, is now confidently anticipated towards the end of June or, at the latest, early in July. An outbreak of cholera among the Serbians on their arrival in Corfu proved a mixed disadvantage. A great many more Serbs died than will ever be known, not simply of cholera, but from enterogastritis, malnutrition and sheer exhauston.

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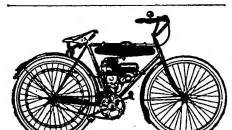
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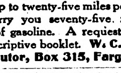
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Hunting Trouble.

When a man just naturally wants trouble it is mighty easy to find an excuse for making it. According to Mike Hogan, Casey and O'Brien were having an argument of their own at Breckinridge street and Barrett avenue. It had progressed to the extent that each had forgotten what it was about originally and they were wholly oblivious of the gathering crowd until an urbane and genteel person in a frock coat put in.

"'Come, come, my man," he said, gently plucking Casey by the sleeve. "You don't want to fight; I can tell it by your looks. Your face is too benign."

"Two be nine! Two be nine, is ut, ye scut?" bellowed Casey. "Me face is two be nine, is ut?"

And there was where the real trouble began.—Louisville Times.

Its Risk.

"A kiss may often have deeper meaning than appears."

"Perhaps, but it is a thing you have to take on its face value."

But Not Unpardonable.

"Don't you bring that man here again. He's unspeakable!"

"Why, did he insult you?"

"No, but he's dumb and wants to talk with his fingers."

Particulars.

"Were any in that row wounded?"

"Well, not exactly."

"What do you mean by that?"

"[illegible] half shot."

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NO SIGN OF HALT IN RUSSIAN DRIVE AGAINST TEUTONS

CZAR'S FORCES CONTINUE POWERFUL OFFENSIVE ALONG VOLHYNIAN FRONT—CAPTURE MORE THAN 170,000 MEN.

AUSTRIAN MOUNTAIN LINE IS WON BY LATINS

Positons in Trentino Region Carried by Storm by Italian Troops—Russian Cavalry Reported Beaten in Galicia—German Line in East Engaged.

Rome, June 19.—The Austrian mountain line in the Trentino region has been carried by storm by Italian troops, says an official statement.

Petrograd, June 19.—There are no signs of a halt in the powerful Russian offensive in Volhynian Galicia and Bukowina. Reports tell of a Russian check here and there, but the Russians remain on the aggressive, attacking all along the Volhnian front and pressing hard against the Austrian lines farther south.

The capture of approximately 170,000 men by the Russians since the inception of the offensive is claimed by Petrograd, which declares that steady advances are being scored against the Austrian armies.

Slavs Break Resistance.

The chief gain of ground announced during the last 24 hours was on the Austrian center, which up to now has held comparatively firm. The Russians claim to be breaking this resistance. The main contest has been on the front just north of Buczacz on the Stripa river. Here the Russians are declared to have overthrown the Austrian army and taken 6,000 prisoners.

For the time being the rapid movement on the wings and the cavalry dash in Volhynia toward the Kovel junction seem to have slackened somewhat.

Breach Continues to Widen.

A semiofficial commentary published here says:

"The absence from the official communications of names of places occupied or the directions taken by General Brussiloff's army do not mean any retardation in his advance. On the contrary his progress continues without intermission. The broad corridor formed by our break through in the direction of Lutsk continues to widen and is assuming an enveloping character in relation to the enemy's flank.

Russian Cavalry Beaten.

Berlin, June 19 (By Wireless to Sayville).—Austro-Hungarian troops south of the Dniester river in Galicia, have defeated a Russian cavalry force, according to an official statement given out by the Austro-Hungarian army headquarters under date of June 16.

The statement also announces that new battles have been started on the whole front in Volhynia.

On the Italian front enemy attacks on the southern part of the Doberdo plateau were repulsed, says the statement. Repeated Italian attacks against positions on the Dolomites likewise failed.

Austrians Occupy Peaks.

In the Ortler district, Austrian troops conquered the top of Takat and the summit of the hindmost Madatsh.

General von Linsingen's troops have engaged the Russians in battle in the Etokhod and Styr sectors, says the official statemetnt, issued by German army headquarters.

The statement adds that parts of the army of General Count von Bothmer are engaged in battle with the Russians to the north of Przewloka.

Teutons Resist Advance.

London, June 19.—The Austrians, driven back from their first line of entrenchments on the eastern front, have settled into new positions of strength and are stubbornly resisting the Russian advance.

This is the conclusion gained here from the fact that the Russian official report does not carry statements of tremendous territorial gains daily as in the first several days of the drive.

Capture Not Denied.

The capture of Czernowitz, capital of Bukowina, is not yet officially confirmed, although reported unofficially from several sources. Its capture has not been denied from Vienna.

From a few miles north of Tarnopol to Brody, the Austrians have held their ground steadily, due, says Petrograd, to the fact that the greatest violence of the Russian drive has been developed north and south of this sector.

Several attempts of the Russians to cross the river Styr failed, the Russians suffering heavily.

South Get Credit Men's Trophy.

Pittsburgh, June 19.—Charles D. Joyce of Philadelphia was elected president at the closing session of the twenty-second annual convention of the National Association of Credit Men. S. J. Whitlock of Chicago and Frank S. Flagg of New York were elected vice presidents. The association of credit men of Huntington, W. Va., was awarded the Minneapolis trophy for the greatest increase in membership. Resolutions were adopted. The next convention city will be selected by the executive committee.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Duluth. — The fraternal Order of Eagles, holding their annual state convention here, adjourned after choosing Faribault as the meeting place for 1917, and electing state officers.

Balaton. — John B. Shequin, 107 years old, is dead at the home of his son here. His widow is 98 years old. They were the oldest couple in Minnesota and were married seventy-eight years ago.

Duluth. — With the arrival of the St. Paul, Minneapolis, Brainerd and Bemidji delegations to the state convention of Elks, the city began to take on a gala appearance. The local club was on hand in full force to welcome the visitors.

Minneapolis. — Lieutenant Colonel William Gerlach, member of the United States army for more than sixty years and reputed to be the oldest regular soldier in the United States, is dead at his home here, at the age of 80 years.

Lake City. — Death soon will have lost its sting. James Scott of this city is planning a series of disk phonograph records for use at funerals in remote districts. The records will contain a funeral oration, a song by a quartet and a prayer.

Moorhead. — A hundred automobile parties left Moorhead for Detroit, Minn., to attend the annual combined meetings of the Minnesota Livestock association, the Red River Valley Live stock association, and the Red River Valley Development association.

St. Paul. — Mrs. Walter J. Smith has accepted a position from the state printing commission. Thrown upon her own resources soon after her husband was sentenced to an indeterminate term in the state prison for misuse of funds while state treasurer, she sought employment to provide a living for herself and her daughter.

Chisholm. — The election of M. B. Remley of Moorhead as second vice president of the State Firemen's association gave that city the 1919 convention of the organization, the officers being advanced so that each year the president is named from the city to entertain the convention.

Mankato. — The skeleton of a tall man has been unearthed close to the Minnesota river, above the mouth of the Blue Earth, by the washing of the river. It is thought to be that of one of the early French voyagers, who established a fort at the juncture of the two rivers more than two hundred years ago.

St. Paul. — Bank loans in St. Paul are at the highest point in their history and a continuation of the present prosperity in business is predicted by the leading bankers. It has taken the banks almost two years to overcome the big surplus released by the institution of the Federal Reserve banks.

St. Paul. — Governor Burnquist, Dean Woods of the agricultural college, Carlos Avery, executive agent of the state fish commission, E. V. Willard, acting state drainage engineer of the state highway commission, and John B. Irwin of Minneapolis compose the Twin City delegation to the development convention in Detroit, Minn.

Detroit. — Minnesota was foreseen as the greatest dairying district in the world, rivaling that which formerly was Belgium's and which now is Switzerland's, in the principal address of the conventions of the Minnesota Live Stock Breeders' association, the Red River Valley Live Stock Breeders' association and Red River Valley Development association, in joint session here, by John B. Irwin, Minneapolis.

St. Paul. — Rural credits, good roads, schools and drainage were the chief subjects of discussion at the first annual meeting of the All-Minnesota Development association, which opened at the House chamber of the Capitol Thursday.

Governor Burnquist discussed "All Minnesota" in his address of welcome. F. W. Murphy, president of the association, responded on "Community Co-operation."

Morton. — Despite frequent showers, members of the Renville County Pioneers' association gathered in a big tent just purchased by the association and heard addresses by Secretary of State Julius Schmahl, Frank B. Kellogg, who discussed national conditions; former State Auditor Samual G. Iverson, who praised the loyalty of foreign-born Americans, and Governor Burnquist, who made an address of reminiscences.

Virginia. — By unanimous vote Virginia miners have decided to strike for higher wages and better working conditions. W. D. Scarlit of Chicago is in charge of the strike. The demands are $3.50 in wet places, $3 for dry places and $2.75 on surface work. At a meeting attended by more than 1,000 citizens, the striking miners, who marched into the city from other towns, were given orders to leave the city and advised that officers would compel them to leave if they refused.

White Earth.—Sioux and Chippewa, or Ojibwa Indians, once foes, have buried the hatchet anew at a celebration marking the forty-eighth anniversary of the settlement of the Chippewas here. The reunion and council fire is an annual event on the reservation.

Fort Snelling. — Proposed plans for the location of a $20,000,000 nitrate plant by the United States government at Fort Snelling received encouragement when Congressman Van Dyke of St. Paul received a personal letter from President Wilson asking for data concerning the site.

SCHOOLS AGAIN ON HONOR ROLL

UNIVERSITY AND ST. THOMAS COLLEGE RANKED AMONG TEN BEST IN UNITED STATES.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

The University of Minnesota and the College of St. Thomas have both been honored by being named as among the 10 best military schools, in their respective classes, in the United States, according to advices received here by the heads of the two institutions.

The University cadets have been placed on the "distinguished" roll for the third successive year, and through this are entitled to three second lieutenantcies in the regular army.

The men to receive the commissions will be chosen from the list of honor cadet officers graduating in the classes of 1914, 1915 and 1916. Ten land grant colleges are placed on this list each year.

The St. Thomas lads have been placed for the second successive time on the honor roll of preparatory military schools of the nation, this entitling the school to the privilege of competing for one of five West Point appointments granted these 10 schools each year

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Bumper Crops In Sight.

Minnesota crop prospects are good. Small grains are in excellent condition and coming fast. Excessive wet caused some backwardness and cut acreages to some extent, but general conditons are now very satisfactory. Prospects for fruit and berry crops are excellent. Pastures are fine and hay is abundant.

Prospects of a good corn crop in Minnesota are not bright this year, according to reports received by Fred D. Sherman from thirty-four counties of the state, and the acreage has been cut down in many of the counties this year from 10 to 35 per cent. Red Lake county is the one exception to this rule, the report on the crop in that county being that the corn acreage is increased 5 per cent this year as compared with last year.

The bright side of the report is that while corn is backward owing to the cold, wet spring, small grains show increased acreage everywhere and there is an abundance of pastures.

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Flower and Fruit Bodies Meet.

A joint session of the Minnesota State Horticultural society and its auxiliaries, the Minnesota State Garden Flower society, the Minnesota State Beekeepers' society and the Minnesota State Forists' society will be held at the University farm, June 23.

The main room of the gymnasium will be used for the fruit and flower display. Following the exhibit the flowers will be distributed to Twin Cities hospitals.

A number of demonstrations, including one by Prof. Francis Jager, apiculturist, and spraying experiments are on the program. A picnic dinner and inspection of the grounds will be features.

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Re-decorate Capitol.

After more than twenty months of constant painting and plastering, the ground floor of the State Capitol and the basement have been put into good condition. The cost of the work has been between $5,000 and $6,000. Two painters have been employed constantly, and part of the time men were busy painting over the frescoed designs.

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Fraternal Societies Gain

Fraternal beneficiary associations in Minnesota issued 2,739 more certificates in 1915 than in 1914, according to the annual report just issued by S. D. Works, commissioner of insurance. The total number of new certificates issued in 1915 was 27,147 and in 1914, 24,408.

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Burnquist Gets Relic.

Henry Buck, one of the pioneers of Minnesota, and now a resident of Le Sueur, has presented to Governor Burnquist a bullet from one of the old Russian muskets used by the early settlers of Le Sueur in defending themselves against the Indians.

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Interprets Workmen's Act

The workmen's compensation act was further interpreted by the supreme court when that tribunal ruled that the act has no application to a child adopted by a widow after her husband's death.

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Summer Sessions Begin

Summer sessions of the University departments, the arts college, the agricultural college and the medical school are open.

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Urges Vaccination.

Vaccination for typhoid fever immunity before taking a vacation is urged by Dr. H. M. Bracken, secretary of the state board of health, in a special bulletin "Vacationists can make sure the resorts they select are sanitary and supplied with pure milk and water," said Dr Bracken, "but the only method of obtaining absolute assurance against typhoid fever carriers is in vaccination." The bulletin adds that typhoid vaccine is made at the department laboratories on the University of Minnesota campus and issued free.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Self-Important.

"Isn't Bliggins rather self-important?"

"I should say so. He thinks he's doing a fish a favor to catch it and let it occupy the same boat with him."

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Itching Scalp and Falling Hair With Cuticura. Trial Free.

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"Scribble writes poetry by the yard."

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Santos-Dumont.

Santos-Dumont is visiting many cities in South America in the interest of the Pan-American aeronautic conference. He was born in Sao Paulo, Brazil, on July 20, 1873. From 1900 to 1906 he demonstrated to Europe the possibility of conquering the air with the dirigible balloon as well as with the aeroplane. He spent in aeronautics alone over $50,000 a year for 12 years in experimentation. While in Paris in 1901 he won a prize of 250,000 francs. He was made chevalier of the French Legion of Honor in 1904 and in 1990 received the officer's cross.

"Believe in the best thoughts and whisperings that visit thy heart."

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How Mrs. Kelly Suffered and How She was Cured.

Burlington, Wis.—"I was very irregular, and had pains in my side and back, but after taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Tablets and using two bottles of the Sanative Wash I am fully convinced that I am entirely cured of these troubles, and feel better all over. I know your remedies have done me worlds of good and I hope every suffering woman will give them a trial."—Mrs. ANNA KELLY, 710 Chestnut Street, Burlington, Wis.

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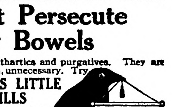
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"H'm! Where's your mother?"

"She's gone in next door."

"Well, then, a figure of speech, my son, is a woman."

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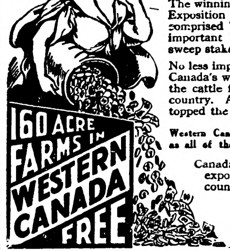
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Canadian Government Agents

Mr. Hogen of Fertile came yesterday to visit K. O. Flakne.

Duluth voted dry by a small majority at Mondays election.

Clarence Kolden was a T. R. Falls business caller the first of the week.

Hickory Coral range for sale.
Mrs. B. L. Backe.

Mrs. Lewis Wegge and little son departed Friday for Paynesville for a visit with her sister.

The John Folstad family moved to St. Hilaire, Friday, he having resigned as section foreman.

Miss Bertha Bjerk stopped here Monday on the way home from Grand Forks to Strathcona to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Reierson.

Mrs. Theodore Sorum and daughter Bertha left Friday for Detroit where they will visit relatives. Miss Minnie Sorum went with them as far as Thief River Falls, returnhome Saturday.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. June 16, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Thora Anderson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Sept. 5th, 1911, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 06533, for Lot 3, Sec. 30, Twp. 156 N, Ran. 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 27th day of July 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
C. F. Birkland, Ole B. Johnson, Ole Garthus and Peder Rosand, all Holt, Minn,

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., June 14, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Charles H. Rossman, of Germantown, Minn., who, on May 31st, 1912, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 08042, for SW1-4, Sec. 3, Township 155 N, Ran. 41, W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Ruth C. Clark, U. S Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Grygla, Minn., on the 26th day of July, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
John Wayne, Rudolph Jensen, Ole Tharaldson and Adolph Jensen, all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Citation for Hearing
on Petition for Determination of Desent of Land.

Estate of Caspar Anderson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court:

In the Matter of the Estate of Caspar Anderson. Decedent.

The State of Minnesota To Julia Anderson, Clara Anderson, Rudolph Anderson, Arthur Anderson, Oscar Anderson, Bernard Anderson, Helen Anderson, and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of Julia Anderson having been filed in this court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved nor administration of his estate granted in this state, and praying that the descent of real estate be determined by this court:

Therefore You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Room in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of July 1916, at eleven o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said court, and the seal thereof this 19th day of June 1916.

A. N. Eckstrom, Att'y for Petitioner Warren, Minn.

Peter H. Holm, Probate Judge.

[COURT SEAL]

Hay for Sale.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

A. Youngquist has moved his family and household goods from Minneapolis to the home of his brother-in-law Henry Erickson east of town.

C. E. Smith's horse ran away Monday just as they came into town tipping the buggy over, and throwing out the two little boys who were driving, but they escaped with out serious injury. The horse became frightened at a big piece of paper near the depot, the bridle came off and the horse ran to the hitching post in front of Sollom's store and stopped. When the buggy tipped over the top was broken off and box considerably damaged.

Southeast of Holt.

Farmers in this locality are practically thru seeding and will be looking forward to a bumper crop in the fall.

Miss T. G. Dahl, Elling Tollefsrud Mr. and Mrs. Tony Anderson and son Percy of Golden Valley were pleasant visitors at the J. A. Sorum home Sunday,

Mr. Maland is erecting a fine new residence on his farm.

Marie Faiman is visiting at the Hoffman home.

Henry Wendt, Elling Tollefsrud Harry and Gunda Moe were delightfully entertained at the C. Larson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wegge of Holt were entertained at the William Wendt home on Sunday.

Mrs. Nohre is reported being on the sick list.

Mrs. Jacob Klungness entertained the Synod Ladies Aid on Thursday.

Clara Larson left for Crookston last week to attend Summer school.

Mrs. John Mickelson, Mrs. Peter Mickelson and daughters, Esther and Alma, Alfred Klungness, Nathan and Alma Soiney were visitors at the S. G. Moe, home Sunday

Mabel and Laura Larson of St. James enjoyed a short visit at the home of their uncle Carl Larson last week.

Ragna Larson is enjoying a visit at home.

Harry Moe accompanied by his brother Engebreth of Golden Valley left for Grafton N. D. Tuesday to attend the wedding of their cousin.

There will be a picnic given at the S. G. Moe home on Sunday July 9th. Services will be conducted by Rev. Bredeson at 11:30 followed by a lunch served by the ladies Aid of the Free church. At two o'clock a program will be given by the children of the Norwegian school. All are welcome to attend.

(Too late for last week)

Our mail carrier, Constantine Hoffman, has been reported seriously sick for some time, but is slightly improved. His brother Fred has been hauling the mail during his absence.

Miss Signora Sandbo left for her home at Mentor on Wednesday of last week after completing a very successful term of school in district 112. She was accompanied to T. R. Falls by Halvor and Gundea Moe.

Miss Annie Kisch returned to her home on Wednesday of last week after spending some time in T. R. Falls.

Ole Ose left for Krathka last week where he will teach a term of parochial school.

Minnie Johnson is reported seriously sick.

Thora Skomedahl has completed her school near Germantown and is spending her vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness very delightfully entertained a large number of relatives and friends Sunday.

Simon Moe called at the C. Larson home Sunday.

Jacob Hansen called at Molstads Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olsen entertained as their guests on Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Olsen and Mr. and Mrs. John Olson and children.

FARMERS!

Who are Interested in raising Good Horses will find it to Their Interest to come and see the Black Percheron Stallion which stands at J. J. Marty's barn every Friday.

Terms of service: $12.00 for standing colt.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

Steiner

A. Lunka left for North Dakota one day last week.

J. Christianson is sawing logs up in this community this week.

Miss Irene Malberg has been spending the past week in T. R. Falls with friends.

Miss Josie Hasby left for Halstad Minn. where she will visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Sawyer called at the home of S. R. Rogers Sunday.

Club meeting was held in Excel school house. The name of the club is Excel Go Get 'em.

J. Berg and son Chris made a trip to Teief River Falls last week.

A crowd of young people called at the W. Baker home last Sunday evening.

Mrs. S. Warring, son Willis and granddaughter Ruby visited friends and relatives in Wiley last week.

A. H. Huseth went to Crookston, Tuesday.

Grant Flakne returned Wednesday from a visit in Crookston.

R. Reierson went to Glenwood, Wednesday to visit old friends.

Miss Betty Johnson went to Alvarado Minn. Wednesday to visit her sister Mrs. Monberg.

Big 4th. of July picnic at Otto Johnson's farm. Every one invited. See bills for particulars.

Mrs. O. G. Kjeldren returned home Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Alvarado and Grand Forks.

C. H. Gunheim is painting his buildings on the farm occupied by K. T. Knutson and family.

Mrs. I. Thomas and Dennis Cavannagh, both of Thief River Falls, were married in Crookston last week Monday.

Mrs. P. O. Reierson was an over Sunday visitor with relatives in T. R. Falls and Goodridge.

Fred Peterson went to Standquist, Monday.

Anton Peterson of T. R. Falls was an over Sunday visitor with friends in this vicinity.

Hon. Donald Robertson of Argyle was interviewing the voters in these parts Saturday.

Miss Inez Alkenbrack returned home Saturday from Hillsboro where she has been visiting for a couple of weeks with relatives, after the close of school in Hopkins where she has been attending the past year.

Dr. Bjerset, for many years head of several departments at Luther College, Decorah, Ia. has accepted the presidency of Park Region Luther College in Fergus Falls.

Hilmer Davidson has recently finished a 40 foot well for Mrs. Casper Anderson and has moved his well drill to Axel Nelson's farm where he will put down a well.

Mrs. R. Reierson will entertain the Sunshine Society tomorrow afternoon, Saturday June 24th. Every one invited.

The people of Mexico seem to want war with the U. S. but the officials of both countries are trying to prevent it.

The families of B. Docken, O. H. Nohre, H. B. Young and Mrs. Sven Johnson were pleasantly entertained Sunday at the beautiful home of C. L. Heinze and family.

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Miss Mamie Vattors of T. R. Falls came Tuesday to visit Mrs. C. L. Sandberg.

Prof. Prusbek departed Friday for Cuyuna where he will spend his vacation with his parents.

Edwin Berkvam of Spring Grove came Friday to visit at the home of his sister Mrs. S. H. Nohre.

J. E. Boyeson and his brother went to Thief River Falls Friday to attend the Mud Lake land hearing.

Ed. Nyberg and Emil Johnson came up from Alvarado Thursday returning to their work there Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bennes and children of Thief River Falls visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes.

Little Ruby and Esther Bennes returned to T. R. Falls Monday after a short visit at the Albert Bennes home.

Ludwig Gullickson of Middle River has been sent here by the G. N. to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Foreman John Folstad.

Carl Johnson returned home last week from Langdon N. D. where he had been to look after the business of his brother recently deceased.

Oscar Anderson came home one day last week from Valley City Dak.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of April 1916.

Cream received	16,047 lbs.
Average test	26.26
Butter fat	4214.58 lbs
Percent overrun	22 61
Butter made	5167 lbs
Balance on hand last month	2 27
Received for butter shipped	1396 80
Butter and milk sold patrons	14 00
Cash sales at creamery	40 96
To other sources	32 46
Total	$1486 49
Paid patrons by check	1277 93
" " " Butter & milk	19 39
Expense fund, etc.	127 83
Other expense	29 58
To sinking fund	31 10
Balance on hand	66
Total	$1486 49
Number of patrons,	97
Price paid for butter fat,	31c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 and over: Tosten Ellefson $44.46.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

"Clean Up and Paint Up"

BY THE EDITOR

MONKEYS imitate. Sheep follow the leader. And most of us—men, women and children alike—are prone to do the same.

Imitation is bad for the monkey and bad for the sheep if the example followed is bad. But it is good for both if the leadership is safe. Just so with us mortals. Inspired by environment we can think great thoughts and do things worth while. Depressed by environment we can sink into the depths of despondency.

But thanks to human powers of initiative we can shape our environment—we can make it what we will, if we will. And so intimately are our own interests linked with those of our neighbors that when we improve our own surroundings, be it ever so little, we improve theirs.

Right there the monkey in man asserts itself.

Today your neighbor fixes up his yard, removes rubbish, plants flowers, trims his hedge, paints his house.

Tomorrow your own place looks sick. You never noticed before that a little cleaning up and painting up would accomplish so much in making home life happy and healthy through the long outdoor months of summer. So you get busy with the pruning shears, the rake, lawn-mower and garden hose. You start a painter working on your house and outbuildings. Forthwith you, your wife and the kiddies begin to realize more fully the "joy of living" in the good old summertime.

Day after tomorrow other neighbors will begin to perk up their premises and their persons. Then others will follow their example, and so the spirit of spring's regeneration will spread from house to house and block to block.

But let's not wait for this creeping regeneration of our town. Let's organize immediately a continuous "Clean Up and Paint Up" campaign and make the refurbishing a thorough community movement. Our official community can help, and so can each civic organization and the business men, and the women, and the children.

Let's make "Clean Up and Paint Up and Keep It Up" our slogan and live up to it.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$ .98
Wheat No. 2	.94
Wheat No. 3	.88
Wheat No. 4	.81
Flax	1 59
Oats	29
Barley	47 to .52
Rye	.82
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota June 6, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Mathias B. Ordahl, of Holt, Minn., who, on Feb. 21, 1910, made homestead entry, No. 05094, for W1-2SW 1-4, Sec. 25, and on Jan. 28, 1911, made additional entry No. 05838 for W1-2NW1-4, Section 36, Township 156 N. Range 42 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 14th day of July 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Ole E. Johnson, John M. Jahr, Christ Birkeland and Albert C. Jahr, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

The Marshall Co. Fair will be held in Warren July 3rd., 4th., and 5th.

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Ringbo Farmer Murdered
John Hanson Shot By Insane Son

John Hanson was shot, and probably instantly killed, Monday afternoon by his son, Ludwig, who has been insane for some time past. Mr. Hanson had delivered cream here Monday and got his monthly check cashed. The roads were bad and he got his auto muddy and was washing it when he was shot. Apparently he was in a stooping posture when the shot was fired. The bullet, which was a 22 short, entered at the back of the head and plowed its way thru the brain, lodging in the forehead, undoubtedly causing instant death. The crazy son then dragged his father about six rods, into some tall grass. When his brother George came in from the field he showed him the body of their father and claimed he found it lying there. The brother was suspicious of Ludwig's actions and sent for help from the neighbors and they came to Holt that night and telephoned the county attorney, who told them to call Dr. Walters, of Middle River, and that he would also send the sheriff there. As there were no marks on the body it was at first reported that Mr. Hanson died of heart failure.

Sheriff Hanson went out to the scene of the murder Tuesday morning and made a careful examination of the body with Dr. G. F. Walters. They found a small hole in the back of the head of the deceased and felt sure he was shot. By careful questioning Sheriff Hanson found out that Ludwig had a 22 rifle and he offered to buy it but wanted to see it first and it was found hid under the granary. Then the sheriff wanted some cartridges and Ludwig finally promised to get them if he would'ent tell. They were found several rods away hid in a hole in the grass and showed plainly they had been there only a short time. Then the sheriff asked Ludwig if his father had had any money and he answered "yes but it is mine now."

The money, about $30.00, was found on his person and the sheriff told him he would have to take him to Warren but he offered no resistance. Sheriff Hanson accompanied by Ole Davidson brot the young man here where they were met by the county attorney. They empanelled a jury as follows: R. L. Olson, C. W. Latta, S. S. Kolden, R. Reierson, C. H. Gunheim and P. A. Riesberg, and returned to the scene of the murder where they were met by Dr. Walters who acted as coroner.

Dr. Walters probed for the bullet and found it to be the same as those Ludwig had given the sheriff. The jury went over the ground carefully and found the facts substantially as we have given them.

Sheriff Hanson and Ole Davidson took Ludwig Hanson to Warren Monday night, where he is confined in the county jail awaiting his trial, when he will probably be sent to the asylum for the criminal insane, at St. Peter.

The funeral was held yesterday at the Ringbo Free church, of which the deceased was a faithful member, Rev. Brederson officiating and interment was made in the cemetery there. Mr. Hanson was highly respected by all and his tragic death is a great shock to the entire community.

John Hanson was about 50 years old. He was born in Sweden and married there before coming to this country about 30 years ago. His wife died two or three years ago, since which time he has lived on the farm with his sons, Ludwig and George, who are aged 26 and 22 years respectively. The elder son had shown signs of insanity but was apparently harmless and his father objected to sending him to the asylum, when it was suggested to him.

Hotel For Sale!

Owing to poor health we will sell our 12 room hotel and restaurant cheap for part cash and easy terms on balance. Good central location and good business.

Sam Mickelson, Holt, Minn.

Oscar Anderson returned Tuesday to Valley City, N. D.

With all returns in except two townships in Becker county, the vote for Congressman, is: Steenerson 12,537 and Anderson 6,220.

Mrs. Thornton and daughter, Nora of Marietta, Ohio arrived at Holt Tuesday for an extended visit with the former's daughter Mrs. Herbert Von Wold of Golden Valley.

Twenty-one U. S. soldiers were killed, last week, in a battle with Mexican soldiers. If it is proven that the Mexicans attacked our soldiers, war will probably be the outcome.

Torger Ness has been hauling out lumber for a barn on the farm north of where they are living. The barn will be 34x36 with 14 foot posts and will hold several head of stock, also several tons of hay.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS has the exclusive right of Marshall Co., for Bart's Cartoons, the first one appearing this week. Bart is one of the highest paid cartoonists in the world and his cartoons are known and copied every where. He did work for the leading city dailies, for several years and we were very fortunate in being able to get this service for our readers.

Olaus Rodahl and a force of his workmen are building a house for Fred Jarshaw.

The Sunshine Society will meet with Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack, Saturday afternoon July 8th.

Olaf Johnson has been hauling out cement and lumber for a large barn which he will build on his farm north of town.

The Barber Shop will be closed July 4th, so please get your work done before that time and oblige, Ben Hoff, Holt, Minn.

The village hall is fast nearing completion and is now ready for the coat of stucco, with which it is to be finished on the outside. The new sidewalks, graded streets and village hall are all big improvements for our little village.

A card from Master Norman Newton says he is feeling good, that his mother came there after him and he expected to leave the Warren hospital for home on Wednesday. The many friends of Norman will be pleased to hear that he is improving and we all hope it will prove a permanent cure.

We learn from The Spooner News that E. T. Eide's hay shed at that place was recently damaged by fire to the amount of about $600.00 and about $800.00 worth of hay was burned. The building and contents were insured so Mr. Eide's loss will not be so great as it otherwise would have been. The fire probably started from a cigar stub, carelessly thrown down by some passerby.

The 'Progressive Farmer' Says:

"One trouble with us in the North is that we think too much about a bank as being a place to get money out of, instead of as a place to put money in."

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5.50	4.00
4.00	3.00
3.25	2.75

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	regular	now only
Silk Fraconnee	30c yard	23c
Silk Gnevadine	35	25
Silk Poplin	35	25
Mercerized Poplin	23	18
Tub Silks	35	25
Voile	20	16

Dress Ginghams reduced from 12 1-2c to 10c
Apron Ginghams reduced from 10c to 8c

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$1.50 Gloves now $1.20 $1.25 Gloves now 90c
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FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

The German auxiliary cruiser Hersemann has been sunk in the Baltic sea by four Russian torpedo boat destroyers, according to Berlin reports.

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The Russian duma has adopted a bill calling for the abstention from eating meat four days in each week, according to a dispatch from Petrograd.

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During the war to date Great Britain has lost 130 ships of her navy, totalling more than 600,000 tons, according to statistics gathered by German newspapers.

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The capture of Lutsk in Volhynia and also a series of powerfully organized Austrian positions is announced in an official communication given out in Petrograd.

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The loss of the 26,000-ton battle cruiser Lutzow, one of the big German ships which the British claim to have sunk in the Jutland sea fight is now admitted by the German admiralty.

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An official British tabulation of German losses up to the end of May gives aggregate casualties of 2,924,586, of which 734,412 represents men killed. These losses are exclusive of those sustained in naval engagements.

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A statement from the German admiralty, dated June 9, says that in May fifty-six vessels flying the flag of the entente nations, with an aggregate tonnage of 118,500, were sunk by German and Austrian submarines and mines.

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German newspapers, according to a Berne dispatch, state that the British cruiser Hampshire, the vessel which Lord Kitchener and his staff went to their doom with, was sunk by a German submarine.

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Drinking in the British homes is growing, and there is an increase of excess among those women who drank before the war, according to a report by a committee of prominent London women which has investigated the subject.

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Upward of 6,000 Canadians have fallen within a week in the desperate fighting in and around Sanctuary woods, according to a statement made by Major General Samuel Hughes, minister of militia, at Ottawa, Canada.

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King Constantine of Greece has signed an order demobilizing twelve classes of the Greek army, amounting to 150,000 men. The demobilization order, it is reported from Athens, may bring about the downfall of the Skouloudis ministry.

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Russian troops have crossed the Stripa river in Galicia and reached the Zlota Lipa river. Petrograd reports that 1,649 officers and more than 106,000 men have been taken prisoner since the present great drive against the Austrians began.

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The British government is taking an inventory of all the foodstuffs in the United Kingdom. Farmers are receiving a request for a report to the board of agriculture on their stocks of wheat, corn and barley, the extent of their growing crops and the amount of their live stock.

GENERAL.

Official announcement was made by the National City bank of New York of the closing of a loan of $50,000,000 to the Russian government by several leading banking groups.

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Twelve persons were killed and seventeen Carranza soldiers were injured seriously when a military train conveying General Luis Guiterrez to Saltillo, was wrecked near Saltillo, Mex.

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Four saloons of Altoona, Wis., will have to go out of business on July 1, and their places will be taken by a municipally-owned saloon. From the profits of this saloon the city plans to build a municipal water works.

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William Marconi, an Englishman, residing in London, has invented a new device which should put an end to danger of collisions between ships in darkness or fog. It is described as a simple contrivance, easily installed, which will be operated from the bridge of a ship.

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A fund of $3,000 for the relief of the families of the Irishmen who were killed in the Dublin insurrection or were executed afterward, is to be raised by the society of Friends of Irish Freedom at Omaha.

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The republican and progressive national convention between them cost the active participants about $3,500,000.

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Father James J. Sullivan, S. J., widely known in Catholic educational circles throughout the country, died at Kansas City, Mo.

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Rear Admiral Hood, killed during the British-German sea battle a few days ago, was the husband of a former Omaha girl.

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The South Dakota Central railroad, which some time ago went into receivership, was sold at Sioux Falls for the sum of $952,000.

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Resolutions favoring the continued neutrality of Norway and pledging loyalty to the United States, as an adopted country, were accepted by Saterdalen Lag, a national Norwegian organization during their convention at Benidji, Minn.

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Mrs. Arthur Storz and Mrs. Edith Bartlett of Omaha were killed, when a Rock Island passenger train struck the automobile driven by Mrs. Storz at a grade crossing in Council Bluffs. The party had gone to Macedonia, Ia., to aid the husband of Mrs. Storz, who had been injured in an automobile accident.

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The Arkansas supreme court has declared illegal the "occupation tax" which had been levied by the city of Hot Springs upon practically all lines of business. This was intended to make up the losses of revenue from saloon licenses as a result of the state-wide prohibition act which went into effect January 1.

SPORTING.

Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, has agreed to meet Ad Wolgast, former titleholder, in a fifteen-round bout at Denver, Colo., July 4.

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Articles for the Joe Stecher-Charley Peters wrestling match, to be held in Omaha on July 15, have been signed and the event is now a certainty.

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Frankie Russell, of New Orleans, won on a foul from Ad Wolgast of Cadillac, Mich., in the fourth round of a scheduled twelve round boxing bout at St. Louis.

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Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, outpointed Tommy Lowe of Washington in a ten-round bout at Ardmore, Md. Lowe took considerable punishment, but was able to land on the champion.

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Miss Molla Bjurstedt of Norway, retained her title of woman tennis champion of the United States, by defeating Mrs. Edward Raymond of New York, in the challenge match of the womens national tournament at Philadelphia, in straight sets, 6-0, 6-1.

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Word has been received in Chicago that the bout between Charley White of Chicago and Freddie Welsh, the worlds champion lightweight title holder, which was to have been held at Buenos Aires this summer, has been definitely cancelled.

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Dario Resta, the famous Italian-English pilot, driving a French Peageot automobile, won the second annual Chicago motor derby. Resta made the 300 miles in 3 hours, 2 minutes and 40 seconds, an average of ninety-nine miles an hour. De Palma was second and Christiaen third.

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Hal McKiney, a famous pacing Omaha horse, won over Columbia Fire and Franklin Pierce, in three straight heats at Benson, Neb., in 2:07½, 2:08¾ and 2::10. It was announced by the starting judge that the time for the first heat broke the record for a mile over a two-lap track in Nebraska. It is also, so far as is known, the fastest mile stepped in a race thus far this year anywhere in the United States.

WASHINGTON.

A charge that foreign born citizens of the United States are trying to levy political blackmail and to undermine the influence of the national government, was made by President Wilson in a Flag day speech in Washington.

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Secretary of War Baker has ordered 1,000 additional coast artillery and the engineer corps to proceed at once to the Mexican border, for patrol duty. This action was taken following the receipt of news of a disturbing character.

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A new universal military training and service bill to be presented to congress soon, provides that all male citizens shall enlist for six months' military camp training during the calendar year in which they become eighteen years of age, and thereafter shall be discharged into the reserve.

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A constitutional amendment to disqualify federal judges from holding any elective office for at least two years after leaving the bench was introduced by Senator Thomas, democrat, of Colorado. Two weeks ago he made a speech in the senate deprecating the efforts to nominate Justice Hughes as a presidential candidate.

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A bill for relief of 800 mail contractors in the south, whose pay was withheld during the civil war, passed the house.

ROOSEVELT IS FOR HUGHES; FORMALLY DECLINES TO RUN

BULL MOOSE LEADER SAYS THIRD TICKET WOULD AID PRESIDENT WILSON'S CANDIDACY FOR RE-ELECTION.

WRITES LONG LETTER TO BULL MOOSE COMMITTEE

Former President Urges Progressives To Support Republican Nominee—Committee Divide When It Met—John M. Parker Vice Presidential Nominee Bolts.

Chicago, June 27.—John M. Parker of Louisiana, progressive nominee for vice president, and national committeemen from six states, bolted the meeting of the national committee after Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's letter supporting Charles E. Hughes was read.

Chicago, June 27.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt has definitely refused the nomination of the progressives for president, and in a letter to the bull moose national committee urged their support of Charles Evans Hughes, the republican nominee.

In his letter, a lengthy denunciation of the democratic administration read by Oscar King Davis, secretary of the committee, Colonel Roosevelt declared he would actively support Hughes and gave detailed reasons, based largely on the necessity for patriotic Americanism.

Committee Divided.

The progressive committee was sharply divided when it met. One faction, led by Captain John M. Parker of Louisiana, the progressive vice presidential nominee, advocated continuance of the party organization regardless of the colonel's stand. Another, led by George W. Perkins, sought to win the committee to Roosevelt's views.

Colonel Roosevelt's letter in part follows:

"To the Progressive National Committee:

"Gentlemen: In accordance with the message I sent to the progressive national convention as soon as I had received the notification that it had nominated me for president, I now communicate to you my reasons for declining the honor which I so deeply appreciate. Since the adjournment of the convention, I have received between 2,000 and 3,000 letters and telegrams from men who had supported me for the nomination, the majority expressing the desire that I would refuse to run, while a minority urged that I should accept the nomination.

Praise for Progressives.

"Before speaking of anything else, I wish to express my heartiest and most unstinted admiration for the character and services of the men and women who made up the progressive national convention in 1916. I can give them no higher praise than to say that in all respects they stood level with the men and woman who in 1912 joined at Chicago to found the progressive party.

"The result of the terrible world war of the past two years have now made it evident to all who are willing to see, that in this country there must be spiritual and industrial preparedness, along the lines of efficiency, of loyal service to the nation, and of practical application of the precept that each man must be his brother's keeper.

Asks Support of Hughes.

"Mr. Hughes has shown in his career the instinct of efficiency which will guarantee that, under him, the government will once more work with vigor and force. He possesses that habit of straightforward thinking which means that his words will be correlated with his needs and translated into facts. His past career is the warrant for our belief that he will be the unfaltering opponent of that system of invisible government which finds expression in the domination of the party boss and the party machine. His past career is a guarantee that whatever he says before election will be made good by his acts after election. Morally, his public record shows him to be a man of unbending integrity; intellectually, it shows him to be a man of original and trained ability. We have the alternative of continuing in office an administration which has proved a lamentable failure, or of putting into office an administration which we have every reason to believe will function with efficiency for the interest and honor of all our people. I earnestly bespeak from my fellow progressives their ungrudging support of Mr. Hughes.

—"Theodore Roosevelt.

Sagamore Hill, June 22, 1916."

Negro Loses Nickel; Kills Four.

Osceola, Ark., June 27.—Enraged because he had lost a nickel in a dice game with two other negroes and inflamed with liquor, Henry Clark, 30 years old, seized a rifle and began shooting into a crowd of negroes gambling in a cabin on a farm near here. When he finished shooting, two negroes and two negresses were dead and four others were wounded, one of whom died later. Officers from Osceola surrounded Clark in a thicket near the scene of the shooting and he killed himself.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Duluth. — A series of store burglaries was solved here, when three boys, each 14 years old, were arrested and confessed, the police say. A fourth boy, 13 years old, is being sought.

Minneapolis.—Minneapolis has been chosen as the convention city in 1917 for the National Editorial association, now in session in New York city. For two years the Minnesota Editorial association has been attempting to obtain the national convention for Minneapolis.

Virginia. — President W. J. Olcott of the Oliver Iron Mining company, which operates a majority of the mines on the Mesaba range, has just announced that operations will be stopped in all underground properties if the strike of miners continues. He said the mines will not be reopened this year, if closed.

Cambridge. — Thirty thousand dollars is the toll of a fire which swept through the downtown district of Cambridge, when the fire department pump broke down, and fire fighters were forced to wait for aid from Isanti and Minneapolis. The cause of the fire is not known. The First National bank and the A. H. Borglund Furniture company's buildings were destroyed.

Winton. — Addie Nieme, 38 years old, a business man of Winton, was drowned and his wife and two small children narrowly escaped a similar death on Fall lake, when a motor boat in which the family was riding crashed into a partly sunken log, capsizing. Mrs. Nieme saved herself and 6 months' old baby, by turning on her back and swimming to shore with the baby held to her breast. The other child, a girl, only 6 years old, swam to shore unaided.

St. Paul. — The rapid development of manufacturing in Minnesota during the five-year period between 1909 and 1914 is shown in a bulletin issued by the bureau of census of the Department of Commerce. The figures were presented by William M. Stuart, chief statistician. The value of products was $493,354,000 in 1914, as compared to $409,420,000 in 1909, a gain of $83,934,000, or 20.5 per cent. The average for each plant was approximately $83,000 in 1914 and $74,000 in 1909.

Winona. — Clerk of Court Alvin Braley has learned that since October, 1914, Winona county has been exacting 20 cents too much from each couple licensed to marry. War revenue stamps of 10-cent denominations have been attached to certificates of marriage for both the bride and bridegroom, bringing the cost of a license to $2.45. Following a belated inquiry by the clerk, it was learned the stamps are not required under the provisions of the act. The government is about $200 ahead.

Detroit. — To better the breed of livestock and add impetus to the industry in Minnesota, was the keynote of the addresses made before members of the state and Red River Valley Live Stock Breeding association, who held their annual summer meeting here. Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls told of the conditions existing among farmers of Northern Minnesota and the changes that should be made. Members of the county associations told of the achievements of the past year.

Minneapolis.—P. J. Leeman of Minneapolis, in reporting for the executive council of the Minnesota Bankers' association, in session here, declared the organization was on a sound financial footing and had increased in membership until it is one of the largest state association of bankers in the country. The report of the secretary, G. H. Richards, was full of interest for the bankers, especially that part referring to the big strides taken by the association during the past year in the matter of business educational courses. He said the membership has reached 1,091, an increase of 120 since the last annual meeting.

Frank B. Kellogg has won the republican nomination for Senator. J. A. A. Burnquist will oppose Thomas P. Dwyer for Governor. Frankson is G. O. P. choice for Lieut. Governor. Daniel W. Lawler will oppose Kellogg. Justice Schaller apparently is beaten by W. B. Anderson and Judge Quinn. Lundeen wins over Smith for Congress in fifth district. Sidney Anderson is renominated in first Congressional district. Franklin P. Ellsworth of Mankato had no opposition in second district. C. R. Davis renominated in third Congressional district. E. J. Kelley, Jr., is the Democratic nominee. Reese, (rep.) and Van Dyke, (dem.) had no opposition in fourth district. Knutson wins in sixth. Volstad, (rep.) and Townsend, (dem.) had no opposition in seventh. Bitter fight in eighth district results in victory for Miller over C. B. Craig. Steenerson beats A. G. Anderson in ninth. Schall, (Progressive) to oppose N. M. Cronin, (Democrat) in tenth. Democrats nominate Thorson for Lieutenant Governor. Rines (Rep.) leads for state treasurer. Schmahl beats Sampson for Secretary of State.

Bemidji. — Communityism was the spirit prevailing at the Beltrami county fair grounds, when 1,000 men, women and children attended the annual picnic given by farmers for merchants of Bemidji. A dinner was served by the farm women at noon.

Winona. — George B. Stedman, prominent Democrat and former candidate for the state legislature in Winona county, crept from his bed while his wife slept, walked two miles to the town hall at Clyde, this county, removed a clothesline and hung himself in a shed in the rear of the structure.

GOOD ROADS DAY IS SUCCESS IN STATE

PERMANENT ORGANIZATION OF CLUBS TO CONTINUE WORK TO BE IMMEDIATE RESULT.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

Farmers and townspeople throughout Minnesota observed Good Roads day by doing their share in getting the bad spots in the roads in shape for hauling and pleasure travel

It is believed the immediate result of the movement will be the organization of a number of good roads' organizations which will continue work on the roads throughout the summer.

In several localities, last year, farmers gathered together four or five times in the year. The road work took on the nature of a picnic for women and children, the men joining for the picnic dinner.

Business in the towns of Elk River was suspended in the interest of good roads. Men were at work on the roads all day. Automobiles brought them to town for lunch and carried them back to the working places in the afternoon.

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$100,000 For Guardsmen.

The state calamity board, a special board given this name on account of its function of meeting emergencies that are not foreseen, met in the Governor's room and arranged for the expenditure of not more than $100,000 to be placed at the disposal of Adjutant General Wood to mobilize, pay and equip the Minnesota national guards and provided authority for the expenditure of not more than $1,000 to exterminate the white pine blister rust, a fungus disease which has almost destroyed the white pine industry in parts of Europe and is now attacking Minnesota.

Both the necessity of mobilizing the state troops and the attacks of the white pine disease are characterized as calamities in the orders signed by the Governor, the state auditor and the state treasurer.

The expectation is that the sum of $100,000 will be much more than sufficient for the needs of the troops until such time as the Federal authorities muster in the national guard of Minnesota. Some of the money will be spent to provide water pipes at Fort Snelling and generally preparing the ground for encampment. Some of it will be used to move troops.

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Tons of Food For Troops.

Ninety-five thousand pounds of fresh beef, 24,000 pounds of bacon and $150,000 pounds of flour will be purchased to feed for one month the 4,000 Minnesota militiamen, mobilized at Fort Snelling. Agents acting for Captain Joseph S. Hardin, commander at Fort Snelling, were at work in St. Paul purchasing the supplies. The government begins paying the food bills of the militiamen the minute they get on the Snelling reservation, and it is estimated that supplies can be purchased so that the rations per day per man will cost 28 cents.

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Soldiers May Go to Range.

With serious trouble brewing at Virginia as a result of the iron miners' strike, and instructions having gone out to the strikers to arm themselves, plans are being considered by the Minnesota national guard to cope with an emergency. That developments on the range will not interfere with the preparations for Mexican border service, however, is indicated by the report a reserve guard probably will be organized here to meet the strike situation in the event of an emergency.

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Mower County Loses Case.

Under an opinion filed by the supreme court the American Bonding Co., of Baltimore will not be compelled to reimburse Mower county for $2,300 alleged to have been illegally retained by George Robertson, its former auditor. The county had a verdict in the lower court.

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Governor Sees Parade.

Governor Burnquist reviewed the First infantry, Minnesota national guard, on parade in Minneapolis. Several thousand persons, including a big delegation of Elks, witnessed the exhibition.

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Issues July 4 Fire Warning.

Warnings against an excess of exuberance in celebrating July 4 have been issued by R. W. Hargadine, state fire marshal.

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Preus May Resign.

J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, who is the captain of the quartermaster's department on the staff of Adjutant General Wood, may resign as state auditor if the guard is called to duty on the border. Auditor Preus said that he would regret to take the step, but that he thinks he will have to hand in his resignation if he goes with the guard to the Mexican border. It was suggested that a deputy could fill the place in the state office in case he went, but the auditor thought that would not be satisfactory.

WOMAN AVOIDS OPERATION

Medicine Which Made Surgeon's Work Unnecessary.

Astoria, N. Y. — "For two years I was feeling ill and took all kinds of tonics. I was getting worse every day. I had chills, my head would ache, I was always tired. I could not walk straight because of the pain in my back and I had pains in my stomach. I went to a doctor and he said I must go under an operation, but I did not go. I read in the paper about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and told my husband about it. I said 'I know nothing will help me but I will try this.' I found myself improving from the very first bottle, and in two weeks time I was able to sit down and eat a hearty breakfast with my husband, which I had not done for two years. I am now in the best of health and did not have the operation." — Mrs. John A. Koenig, 502 Flushing Avenue, Astoria, N. Y.

Every one dreads the surgeon's knife and the operating table. Sometimes nothing else will do; but many times doctors say they are necessary when they are not. Letter after letter comes to the Pinkham Laboratory, telling how operations were advised and were not performed; or, if performed, did no good, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was used and good health followed.

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Confidence.

Why does this country tend always to belittle its wealth, its works, its men and its power to meet calamity? It does, and yet we are thought to be a people unembarrassed by modesty. Yankee boastfulness is a proverb in the world, but no Yankee ever told quite all the truth. He never dared, and, besides, he could not make himself believe the whole length and depth and breadth of it. Distrusting their own judgment, the American people lack confidence in their great estate. Their temperament is rich in daring, faith and optimism, but poor in confidence, which is a quality that comes with time. A young people perhaps should not have it. It is not good to have everything.—New York Times.

Its Meanness.

"I don't wonder they give fate a woman's sex, for she's so mean to other women."

"How so?"

"Here it's leap year, and in half the world all the men are off to the war where the women can't get at them to propose."

His Bluff Called.

Bluffman—I owe you ten dollars, old chap—can you change a fifty-dollar bill?

Banks—Certainly!

Bluffman—Ah—er-since you're so flush, I guess I won't pay you till next week.—Boston Evening Transcript.

In this Matter of Health

one is either with the winners or with the losers.

It's largely a question of right eating—right food. For sound health one must cut out rich, indigestible foods and choose those that are known to contain the elements that build sturdy bodies and keen brains.

Grape-Nuts

is a wonderfully balanced food, made from whole wheat and barley. It contains all the nutriment of the grain, including the mineral phosphates, indispensable in Nature's plan for body and brain rebuilding.

Grape-Nuts is a concentrated food, easy to digest. It is economical, has delicious flavor, comes ready to eat, and has helped thousands in the winning class.

"There's a Reason"

Surprisingly Ungracious.

"Germany's reecption of President Wilson's last note was ungracious."

The speaker was Joseph H. Choate, diplomat and lawyer.

"Germany, in this instance," he continued, "reminds me of the chap whose office a beggar entered.

"'I ain't had nothing to eat for two days, boss,' said the beggar. 'Can't ye help me out?'

"'I'd like to, my man,' was the reply, 'but I sprained my foot on a bill collector yesterday.'"

Use Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh to stop bleeding and for barbed wire cuts. Adv.

The Proof.

"Some people believe the world is growing honest."

"They must be hearing something about the conscience fund paying off the national debt."

Necessary.

"So you've bought a car at last. I knew you'd come to it sooner or later."

"It wasn't because I wanted it. You see, our cook married a chauffeur, and the only way we could keep from losing her was to give him a job also."

Somewhat Evasive.

"Did Miss Grabcoin offer you any encouragement?"

"Oh, yes," answered the professional summer man.

"Congratulations."

"Yes. When I asked her what sort of husband she thought I would make she said I was a rattling good tennis player."

Use Hanford's Balsam to cure galls while working the horse. Adv.

Her "Dot."

Mrs. Youngwedd (a doctor's daughter)—Did papa say he would do anything for you?

Youngwedd—Yes; he said he would operate upon me at any time free of charge.—Pickings.

Plenty.

"Did you go in for oratory when you were at college?"

"Not much, but I've been let in for a lot of it since I got married."

The people are called upon to condense the milk of human kindness.

The size of a man is not always the size of his heart.

The Effects of Opiates.

THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotic, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous dyspepsia and lack of staying powers are a result of dosing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable.

The administration of Anodynes, Drops, Cordials, Soothing Syrups and other narcotics to children by any but a physician cannot be too strongly decried, and the druggist should not be a party to it. Children who are ill need the attention of a physician, and it is nothing less than a crime to dose them willfully with narcotics.

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Myer—Is there much to see up there?

Gyer—No, but there's a lot to saw.

Oh, Mar!

"Have you read the Rubaiyat?"

"Not yet."

Too many men want to run the country instead of attending to their own knitting.

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Even the man who is a dreamer attracts attention—when he snores.

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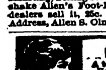

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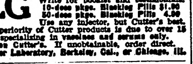

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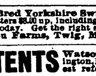

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YOUTH MISSED THE POINT

Maiden Had Asked Mathematical Question, and Really He Had Not Understood Her.

"Mr. Smith, I want to ask you a question," remarked a maiden to her partner as they entered the conservatory.

"A thousand if you like," he replied.

"What is a kiss?"

The young man was taken aback, but quickly pulled himself together and firmly said: "This is."

"Sir," replied the indignant seeker after higher culture, "you misunderstand me. The interrogation I put to you was a mathematical problem which I thought might interest you."

"It does, it does," said the young man, as he twirled his light mustache, "but if it's a conundrum I give it up."

The maiden's eyes sparkled and there was music in her voice as she threw out the answer. "Why, it's nothing divided by two."

Hanford's Balsam. Economy in large sizes. Adv.

The Brighter Side.

"Trench warfare is said to be frightfully monotonous.

"Maybe so," replied the peace-loving man, "but considering what is liable to happen in a trench, I should think the average soldier would be glad if it failed to materialize."

Every man has his strain of usefulness. Some fellows make first-class pallbearers.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Worth Knowing.

If vegetables have burned in the kettle put in soda and a little water; boil a while and the kettle is easily cleaned.

Sprinkle soda on the grease spots on the floor, then wash in lukewarm water and the result is fine.

Soda is good to clean the bowls and tubs in the bathroom.

Sold upon merit—Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Taking Her Seriously.

"I've begun to think that fellow is really seriously in love with me."

"What makes you think so?"

"He's taken me to the theater three times now and not once has he ever tried to kiss me good night."

Use Hanford's Balsam for nail wounds. Adv.

The race isn't always to the swift. Sometimes it goes to the wise chap who knows how to fix things.

"Health is the condition of wisdom and the sign of cheerfulness—an open and noble temper."—Emerson.

There is a limit to everyone's capability, but few have reached their limit.

One liar never attempts to correct another; he tries to outlie him.

None are so ignorant as those who think they know it all.

GRAPHIC STORY OF AMBUSHED TROOPS

Surviving Trooper Tells of Fight of Tenth Cavalry.

WERE OUTNUMBERED 5 TO 1

Caught by Mexican Machine Guns Which Opened Fire at Signal From Gomez—Horses Were Shot Down or Broke Away.

El Paso, Tex.—One of the most graphic stories in the history of the American army is that told by one of the four couriers sent by the commanding officer of the ambushed troops of the Tenth cavalry when he reached General Pershing's headquarters with his appeal for relief for his comrades. The following is the story he tells:

"We had been marching since early Wednesday morning when we reached the neighborhood of Carrizal. Capt. Charles T. Boyd was riding ahead of the column. Just behind him was Capt. Lewis S. Morey, Lieut. Henry R. Adair was further back with the column. There were 65 men in the troop.

Outnumbered 5 to 1.

"From our position we could see some Mexican soldiers in the village. Captain Boyd sent forward a messenger under a flag of truce to ask permission to enter the town in search of the bandits that we were hunting. Gen. Felix Gomez sent back word giving permission to enter.

"Gomez himself rode out to meet Captain Boyd. Captain Boyd gave the word for the column to advance. We were just starting forward when we noticed Mexican troops pouring out from behind different kinds of shelter—adobe houses and the like—and deploying to the right and left. It was battle formation. From the first glance we saw that they outnumbered us at least five to one.

"Captain Boyd noticed their movement. To any soldier that sort of thing can mean only that an attack is about to be made. I saw Captain Boyd motion to the Mexicans and make some remark about it to Gomez. Gomez wheeled his mount around and signaled with his hands. Then he made a dash for his own lines.

"At the same time a couple of machine guns, one at each end of the Mexican line, opened up on us. We were caught in our saddles in easy range, and we were good targets. I saw Captain Boyd fall. A moment later Captain Morey was wounded in the shoulder.

"Lieutenant Adair gave us the order to dismount. We got out of our saddles in a hurry. Then he told us to throw ourselves on our faces and return the fire. Someone got Gomez just as he was reaching his line. The next minute Lieutenant Adair was hit. Both he and Captain Boyd are dead, I believe.

Horses Going Down.

"The machine guns were still going. I could hear the bullets whizzing over us. Because of Lieutenant Adair's order we saved a lot of men. But the horses did not have the same luck. The bullets started to hit them, and they were going down as if their legs were suddenly cut out from under them.

"The others, stung by the bullets and kicked by the dying horses, began to rear and pluuge. The men in charge tried their best to hold them, but they broke away. Some of the men were killed trying to save their mounts.

"When the horses got away we were marooned. We fought back and prevented the Mexicans from advancing in spite of their advantage in numbers and the machine guns. We began to fall back toward the hills as well as we could.

"We recovered four horses and then the four of us were sent here to report. We left the rest of the troops in the hills. The retreat was slow because of the wounded. The Mexicans kept firing, but were kept away by the accurate rifle fire of our men."

Nervous Apprehension.

"They are not going to cut me up if I go to the hospital, are they?"

"Of course not, when you're going just for a rest. What makes you think they are?"

"Because when I called up the hospital a voice said 'Operator.'"

transcript.

Frightful Prospect.

Miss Fadde—I'm sure you'll sign this petition we're getting up to end the war.

Reggie—Bah Jove, I'll go you! They say that if it lasts much longer we'll have 50-cent gasoline.—Life.

Very Serious View.

"Do you consider it proper to bet on an election?"

"Certainly not. An election compels you to take chances enough on your prospects of prosperity without risking ready money on it."

Wrong Position.

"You've gone and put the prize fighter's picture at the bottom of the page."

"Well, what of it?"

"If you have any regard for the fitness of things make it an upper cut."

Chip Off the Old Block.

Mrs. Howells—Your baby resembles his father very much, don't you think?

Mrs. Growells—Yes, in both looks and actions. Why, he even cries for the moon in the daytime instead of at night, just to be contrary.

New Woods for Print Paper.

Exhaustive tests show that 11 new woods—that is, woods not hitherto used for this purpose—give promise of being suitable for the production of news print paper in this country. White and red fir are the most prominent species in the national forests in California, although lodgepole and western yellow pine and Douglas fir may sometimes be used, declare the government scientists.

T. W. Van Seggen of Browning, Mo., says: "I think Hanford's Balsam is the best liniment in the world." Adv.

Little Nonsense Now and Then.

"I think it's very unkind the way some of those politicians make fun of the 'favorite sons,'" remarked Mrs. Twobble.

"Oh, I don't know about that," answered Mr. Twobble. "The average political convention is a nerve-racking affair and I presume the delegates feel that they are entitled to a certain amount of relaxation."

A wedding tour abroad will sometimes cure a man from wanting to travel with his wife again.

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Germany and Her Waterways.

Although Germany has three times as many miles of railway in proportion to area as the United States, she has spent hundreds of millions of marks in the enlargement and improvement of her waterways. What the statesmen of Germany think of the importance of the waterways is shown by the fact that in the midst of the greatest war in all history, when the empire is fighting for its very life, they are not only maintaining and operating the waterways they already have, but are actually building more.

If you find bruises or swellings on your stock apply Hanford's Balsam thoroughly, rubbing it in well. Adv.

Of a Fighting Race.

"What's the matter with Dubwaite? He looks as if someone had given him a terrible thrashing."

"Poor Dubwaite made the mistake of trying to pick on a man who wore a wrist watch and a soft collar."

"Well! Well!"

"Yes! Well!"

"Yes. Dubwaite called him 'Elizabeth,' but soon found out that his right name was 'Mike.'"

IF YOU OR ANY FRIEND

Suffer with Rheumatism or Neuritis, acute or chronic, write for my FREE BOOK on Rheumatism—Its Cause and Cure. Most wonderful book ever written, it's absolutely FREE. Jesse A. Case, Dept. C. W., Brockton, Mass.—Adv.

American Silo in Holland.

The first American ensilage tower in Holland, which was erected last year on the Johannahoeve farm at Oosterbeek by the Institute for Agricultural Improvements, has given such good results that two other towers are now to be built on the same farm, which will provide sufficient ensilage maize to keep the entire farm stock during next winter.

The head of the Johannahoeve project asserts that the American method is preferable to that hitherto in use there. An excellent fodder for all kinds of animals is thus produced, he says, while the losses by fermentation are considerably less. He comes to the conclusion that as many as 44 cows can be maintained on 37 acres by the new method, and that with exclusive stable feeding they might even be maintained on about 22½ acres, only an albuminous fodder needing to be added in the winter.

American Fur Heads Preferred.

A furrier at Kingston, Ont., states that the heads used for trimming furs are now imported from the United States, according to Consul Felix S. S. Johnson, who writes: "An effort was made to manufacture this class of goods in Canada, but the result was not a success. In the article received from the United States, the skin, which is moistened beforehand, is drawn over the head and dried and retains its form; that made in this country retains its moisture and the tongue and teeth in time drop out. There was also a great difference in the price, heads from the United States selling at $1.50 per gross and the Canadian at $2.50. With the duty and other charges the American article is higher in price than the domestic."

'Twas Better Thus.

From his couch a deaf mute arose 'tis quite true, and stepped on a tack in the dark; and perhaps it is well the world never knew, of his silent but awful remark.

So Paw Says.

Little Lemuel—Say, paw, what would you call a wealthy neighborhood?"

Paw—One in which every family patronizes the iceman, my son.

WAS MYSTERY NO LONGER

Bridegroom's Admission Satisfied Small Boy as to the Disappearance of the Jelly.

It was a happy day for Algy when, after a courtship of many years, he sat at the wedding breakfast beside his wife.

Unfortunately, he was of a very shy temperament, but on this momentous occasion his nervousness was painful to behold. The long table was lined with the usual large number of admiring and criticizing friends, one of whom proposed the health of the bride and bridegroom.

But the climax came when the bridegroom rose to respond.

"On this—er—this—er—most suspicious — auspicious occasion," he jerked out, "I feel"—a long and embarrassing pause— "I feel too full for words." Having concluded this brilliant bit of oratory he sat down again.

"Great Caesar! I told you so," piped Algy's newly-acquired brother to his school chum, in a voice audible to all. "That's where all the jelly went to!"

Sorry for Husband.

A husband who says his wife chased him out of the house when he was clad in his night shirt and pursued him in the direction of an electric arc light admits that he spanked her with a fence picket. Considering the lack of distinction which marks the night shirt and the pitiless publicity which the arc light might have given the costume, it is easy to sympathize with the husband if his whole statement is true.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Poser.

"The only weapons of the church are those of peace and quiet."

"How about the canon laws?"

United States Ahead Again.

While many of the most important electro-chemical and electro-metallurgical industries are of American origin, and have been developed chiefly in connection with the Niagara Falls power development, electric steel refining started originally in Europe, but at an early date all the noteworthy European electric steel furnaces were introduced into this country, and the work of the American steel man has left its mark on electric steel furnace designs, says the Electrical World. During the last year the increase in the number of American electric steel furnaces was 78 per cent, and as a result the United States is now leading all the countries in the world in the number of electric steel furnaces, while Germany held the leading place up to last year. On January 1, 1916, the United States had 73 electric steel furnaces in operation or under construction, compared with 53 in Germany and 46 in England.

Browning's Peculiar Eyes.

Browning's eyes were peculiar, one having a long focus, the other very short. He had the unusual accomplishment (try it and prove) of closing either eye without squinting and without any apparent effort, though sometimes on the street in strong sunshine his face would be a bit distorted. He did all his reading and writing with one eye, closing the long one as he sat down at his desk. He could see an immense distance. He never suffered with any pain in his eyes except once when as a boy he was trying to be a vegetarian in imitation of his youthful idol Shelley.—Boston Transcript.

Why do we always speak of a man "having a temper" when he lets it go?

Pure iron rusts little.

They Stand Up—

Unlike common corn flakes, the New Post Toasties don't mush down when milk or cream is added.

And they have a charming new flavour—delicious, different, the true essence of the corn—not found in corn flakes heretofore.

The intense heat of the new process of manufacture raises tiny bubbles on each delicious brown flake and these little puffs are the identifying feature.

These new flakes are firmer, crisper, and don't crumble in the package—in comparison, ordinary corn flakes are as "chaff."

Your grocer can send you a package of

New Post Toasties

Surprised

Not since we received a surprise shower some weeks before we were married, have we experienced such an electric shock as we received Sunday afternoon, when a large company of friends scooped down upon us just as we were closing Sunday School and merrily sang out " a surprise on Mr. and Mrs. Young." They were all laden with something good to eat and we looked at each other in wonder and seemed rooted to the floor, for not in word or action had we received the least inkling what was in the air. After hearty handshakes and two gospel songs being sung, another surprise awaited us in the form of a substantial fund of $23.50 presented to us by Mrs. R. L. Olson in behalf of the donors in appreciation of the work we have tried to do.

Words seem to fail us now as then in expressing our heartfelt thanks for this fine gift and the kind and generous spirit in which it was given. May this brotherly feeling live on, each one trying to help his neighbor to a higher and better life.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and For Hearing Thereon

Estate Of Sven H. Johnson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Sven H. Johnson Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to Britta Johnson, It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 30th day of December 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News as provided by law.

Peter H. Holm
Judge of Probate.

Dated June 21st 1916.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Determination of Desent of Land.

Estate of Caspar Anderson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court:

In the Matter of the Estate of Caspar Anderson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota To Julia Anderson, Clara Anderson, Rudolph Anderson, Arthur Anderson, Oscar Anderson, Bernard Anderson, Helen Anderson, and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent:

The petition of Julia Anderson having been filed in this court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved nor administration of his estate granted in this state, and praying that the descent of real estate be determined by this court:

Therefore You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Room in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of July 1916, at eleven o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said court, and the seal thereof this 19th day of June 1916.

N. Eckstrom, Att'y for Petitioner, Warren, Minn.

Peter H. Holm, Probate Judge.

[COURT SEAL]

Wonder If There Was a Chauffeur?

Six centuries ago the Chinese used a vehicle that carried passengers and dropped a pebble in a receptacle to measure every mile that was traversed.

Hay for Sale.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Dr. Turley will be here July 5th to do dental work.

P. L. Anderson is suffering from inflamation of the eyes.

Engebreth Moe returned home yesterday from Grafton and Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Monson returned home Tuesday from Thief River Falls.

Dr. R. L. Olson and son Martin were visitors in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

We understand A. H. Huseth is working in an eight chair barber shop in Grand Forks.

Mrs. Alex Strom and children returned to T. R. Falls, Friday, after a few days visit with relatives here.

Ole Storkholm left Saturday for a short visit in T. R. Falls before returning to his home in Crookston.

Mrs. C. Kuntson and children are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ole Knutson, west of Newfolden.

If you want a hat for the "Fourth" R. Reierson has lots of them for ladies, gents, boys, girls and children.

The young folks meet at the P. A. Riesberg home Sunday evening to help Fridjof celebrate his 17th birthday.

Paul Olson has the frame up for his new house and E. A. Johnson is ready to lath and plaster his new house.

Andrew Ness and family autoed up from T. R. Falls Wednesday, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Reierson.

Dr. J. Biederman, Physician and Surgeon of Thief River Falls will be in Holt on Mondays of each week at Hotel Holt.

S. S. Kolden has recently sold Guy Anderson four lots north of his feed barn which is occupied by Peterson & Dovre.

Loyd Adams unloaded his household goods Monday and stored them in a small building which he put up for that purpose.

P. A. Riesberg and Sam Mickelson went to Thief River Falls, Wednesday, where they will build a porch on the former's house there.

Mrs. Thornton and daughter of Marietta Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Von Wald and childern of Golden Valley were entertained at the J. B. Alkenbrack home Tuesday.

The proceeds of the Synod Ladies Aid dinner and auction, at the Central Hotel, last Friday was about $70.00 of which $7.00 was for the the little girl's Dorcas Sewing Society.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken are rejoicing over a big baby girl that arrived at their home yesterday morning. Mother and baby are both doing well and the genial banker is still able to attend to his regular business. The News extends hearty congratulations to the fond parents.

Over sixty tubs of butter are being made weekly at the farmers creamery. It ought to be a hundred and then expenses would be less in proportion to the amount made and the farmers would get the benefit.

Farmers make most by selling their cream at home.

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

Southeast of Holt.

S. Myrom erected a 72 foot windmill on Ed. Hanson's farm last week.

G. J. Bretheim held services at Rosewood last week, he will also have services at Ringbo next Sunday forenoon.

Christ Birkeland of Mud Lake has been working for Peter Michaelson for some time.

Mrs. N. Gudvangen entertained the Ladies Aid last Wednesday. All present had a very nice and sociable time.

The town board of Agdar met with the town clerk Christ Nelson on Monday.

Fred Peterson returned yesterday from Strandquist.

New Minnesota Machinery at the old prices at R. Reierson's.

For Sale

Hickory Coral range for sale.
Mrs. B. L. Backe.

If you need Paris Green call at R. Reierson's store, he's lots of it.

Miss Stella Mickelson went to Crookston Monday to visit relatives for a week.

Walmer Riesberg went to Dahlen, N. D., Friday to visit his sister, Mrs. H. Pavek.

P. O. Reierson had workmen here the first of the week from Thief River Falls, plastering his house.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. John Hagberg at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon July 1st. Everybody invited.

Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack received the sad news Wednesday of the death of the wife of her brother, S. T. Stanley, at their home in Wahpeton N. D.

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C. H. Gunheim was a visitor in Thief River Falls, Friday.

C. M. Lumpkin of Crookston was here Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Torger Ness went to Thief River Falls, Friday, to attend the meeting of the Telelaget.

Edward Halsa of Thief River Falls came Wednesday to visit friends and attend the funeral of John Hanson.

Misses Anna and Esther Adolphs returned to T. R. Falls Friday after a few days visit at the Fred Steinhauer home.

Clarence Docken went to Mekinock, N. D. last week to visit his people there and to attend the wedding of his brother Edwin.

The Sunshine Society has bought screens for the windows of the church, which will be appreciated by all who attend the services.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

To Remove Paint.

Equal parts of ammonia and turpentine will take paint out of clothing, no matter how hard or dry it is. Saturate spots two or three times, then wash in warm soapsuds.

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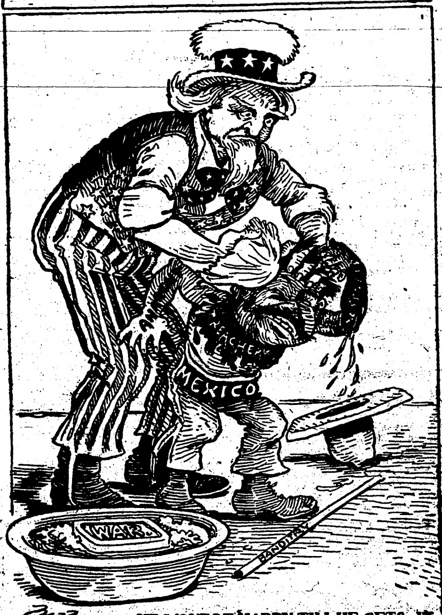

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Business vs. Idleness.

The importunities and perplexities of business are softness and luxury compared with the incessant cravings of vacancy and the unsatisfactory expedients of idleness.—Doctor Johnson.

Rural Route No. 2.

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coppay and children visited at the Schwartz home Sunday.

Marie Faiman and August Hoffmann made a pleasant trip to Coppay's, Sunday.

Annie Erickson made a call at the C. Hoffman home Monday.

Mr. Borsheim visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erickson, Sunday.

Mr. Rheuman and son Geoge were busy hauling hay from Mud Lake the first part of this week.

Mrs. Mike Johnson is now on the sick list.

Mr. Matson, Mr. Wendt and Mr. Larson are improving the roads in that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hoffmann attended church in Thief River Falls Sunday, and also visited their son Constantine, who is on the way to recovery.

George and Alvin Rheuman and Arthur Hoffman visited at the Arthur Hoffman home Sunday.

Mrs. A. Hoffman visited at the home of C. Hoffman, Tuesday.

The Presbyterians are building a new $11,000.00 church in Stephen.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., June 14, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Charles H. Rossman, of Germantown, Minn., who, on May 31st, 1912, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 08042, for SW1-4, Sec. 3, Township 155 N, Ran. 41, W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Ruth C. Clark, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Grygla, Minn., on the 26th day of July, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
John Wayne, Rudolph Jensen, Ole Tharaldson and Adolph Jensen, all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. June 16, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Thora Anderson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Sept. 5th, 1911, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 06533, for Lot 3, Sec. 30, Twp. 156 N, Ran. 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 27th day of July 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
C. F. Birkland, Ole B. Johnson, Ole Gathus and Peder Rosand, all Holt, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$ .96
Wheat No. 2	.92
Wheat No. 3	.86
Wheat No. 4	.79
Flax	1 61
Oats	.29
Barley	49 to .54
Rye	.82
Flour, Best Patent	3.25

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota June 6, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Mathias B. Ordahl, of Holt, Minn., who, on Feb. 21, 1910, made homestead entry, No. 05094, for W1-2SW1-4, Sec. 25, and on Jan. 28, 1911, made additional entry No. 05838 for W1-2NW1-4, Section 36, Township 156 N. Range 42 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 14th day of July 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Ole B. Johnson, John M. Jahr, Christ Birkeland and Albert C. Jahr, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

The Marshall Co. Fair will be held in Warren July 3rd., 4th., and 5th.

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Same Thing.

Doctor—"You must go away for a long rest." Overworked Merchant—"But, doctor I'm too busy to get away." Doctor—"Well, then, you must stop advertising."

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A Pretty Home Wedding.

At 5 o'clock Monday afternoon July 3rd. 1916 at the home of the bride's mother Mrs. T. Sollom, her second daughter, Clara was united in marriage with A. L. Carlson. Just before the ceremony Miss Anna Thoraldson of Thief River Falls, very sweetly sang the solo "Oh Promise Me'," and as the strains of the Lohengren Wedding March, played by Miss Alexandra Thoraldson pealed forth, the bride and bridesmaid Miss Gunhild Sollom, decended the stairway and were met at the open doorway by the bridegroom and bestman, Bertil Sollom.

The beautiful and impressive ceremony of the Methodist Episcopal church, that made this most worthy couple husband and wife, was spoken by Rev. G. O. Parish of Thief River Falls.

The bride wore a beautiful white satin with an over dress of silk Marquisette, trimmed with seeded pearls and carried a beautiful boquet of white roses. The bridesmaid was very prettily dressed in pink Crepe de chene.

After a delicious wedding supper, Mr. and Mrs. Carlson, accompanied by a few friends and relatives, departed that same day for Newfolden by auto where the bridal couple left on the flyer for Minneapolis to visit relatives. The bride has lived near and in Holt all her life and is a general favorite with all the young people. In her home she has been a loving and affectionate daughter and sister and has ever been faithful to all her duties. She will make an excellent house and home keeper and Mr. Carlson is to be congratulated on his choice. The groom has lived in Holt four or five years and is one of our up to date merchants. He is a fine gentleman and enjoys the confidence and respect of all.

The host of friends of this worthy couple wishes them the richest blessings that life affords. The wedding was a quiet and happy one, only the immediate family being present.

The People's Cash Store have decided to continue their special sale for another week. See their ad for the low prices they are giving.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to very much thank all who were so kind and helpful to me at the time of my fathers tragic death, at the time of the funeral and for the beautiful flowers for the casket.

George Hanson.

Hotel For Sale!

Owing to poor health we will sell our 12 room hotel and restaurant cheap for part cash and easy terms on balance. Good central location and good business.

Sam Mickelson, Holt, Minn.

In Church Circles.

Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack will entertain the Sunshine Society to-morrow afternoon, July 8th.

Rev. Geo. O. Parish will hold services in the Mission church next Monday evening July 10th.

Rev. Kilen, of Newfolden, will hold Norwegian services in the Holt Mission church at 11 o'clock next Sunday forenoon July 9th, also at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and at 8 o'clock the same evening a special service for the young people.

Everyone invited to the above services.

Village Notice for Bids

For Engine, Dynamo, Pump and Well

The village council of the village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids up to 8 o'clock P. M. Tuesday July 25th 1916, for the following purposes, to-wit:

For a gasoline or oil engine, 35 or 40 horsepower;

For a force pump, capacity 300 to 400 gallons per minute;

For a 120 kilowatt dynamo;

For 700 feet of fire hose and hose cart;

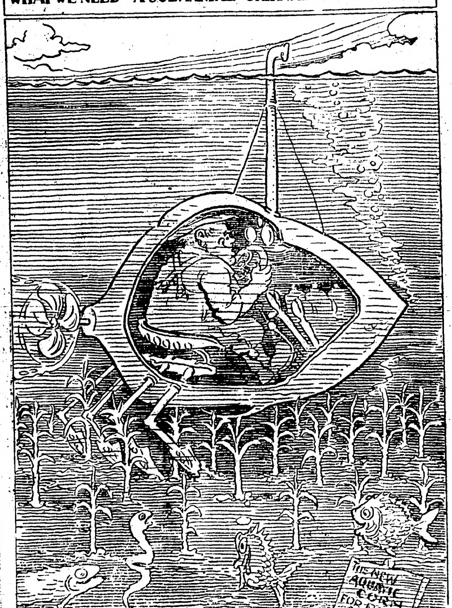
For drilling a well four inches in diameter and furnishing the casing.

The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

S. S. Kolden, President.
H. B. Young, Clerk.

The village has a beautiful flag which proudly floated in the breezes on Independence Day.

WHAT WE NEED - A SUBMARINE CULTIVATOR · · BY BART.



The 'Progressive Farmer' Says:

"One trouble with us in the North is that we think too much about a bank as being a place to get money out of, instead of as a place to put money in."

We are here to serve our customers in both capacities. When you have money, your deposits are gratefully received. When you need money, a loan is granted just as cheerfully.

Holt State Bank

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Boys Suits, 15 years & under

Regular	Suits now only
$4.50	$3.50
5.50	4.00
4.00	3.00
3.25	2.75

Dress Goods

	regular	now only
Silk Fraconnee	30c yard	23c
Silk Gnevadine	35	25
Silk Poplin	35	25
Mercerized Poplin	23	18
Tub Silks	35	25
Voile	20	16

Dress Ginghams reduced from 12 1-2c to 10c
Apron Ginghams reduced from 10c to 8c

Men's Gloves at Low Prices

$1.50 Gloves now $1.20 $1.25 Gloves now 90c
$1.10 Gloves now 80c $1.00 Gloves 75c 65c Gloves 43c

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We have just stocked our yard with a complete line of
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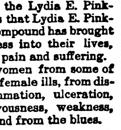
It is impossible for any woman who is well and who has never suffered to realize how these poor, suffering women feel when restored to health; their keen desire to help other women who are suffering as they did.



The average lazy man gets along so well in his old world that he encourages idleness in others.

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Human Nature.

"Nobody—hod-durn him!—can stay in my hotel and sneer at our progressive little city!" snarled the landlord of the Petunia Tavern after he had kicked a guest out and hurled his gripsack after him—"He said that about all of the energy displayed by our citizens was in running for office!"

"But," we objected, "we have often heard you declare that this town was the habitat of more crooks, deadbeats, hypocrites, fools and gossips to the square inch than any other hamlet on the face of the earth."

"Yes, and it's so, too!" he returned. "But, by gosh, I live here and am privileged to find as much fault as I like with everything in town, but no stranger has a right to criticize anything!"—Kansas City Star.

Opossum Attends Church.

It is not often that a possum ventures on the pavement. He prefers earth. A real live opossum, however, has been caught in the heart of the downtown district beneath the steps of the Travis Park Methodist church.

How the possum ever found his way downtown without being discovered and shot no one knows. One of the bellboys took the possum to the hotel chef and the negro waiters indulged in a feast at which the piece de resistance was the possum flanked with yellow yam 'taters.—San Antonio (Tex.) Dispatch Chicago Examiner.

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ALLIED ASSAULTS TEAR GREAT GAPS IN GERMAN LINES

DRIVE BEGINS WITH BIGGEST ANGLO-FRENCH GAIN SINCE GERMAN RETREAT FROM GATES OF PARIS.

DEFENSES PENETRATED ON SIXTEEN MILE FRONT

Teuton First Line Positions Shattered by Furious Onslaughts—French Advance Simultaneously and Report "Equally Satisfactory" Gains —Still Advancing.

Berlin, July 3.—Repeated British and French attacks at many points on the German front were "everywhere repulsed," says an official statement from the war office.

London, July 3.—The supreme effort of the allies began with one of the greatest Anglo-French gains on the western front since the German retreat from the gates of Paris.

Two hours after British troops drove forward, they had captured 16 miles of German forward trenches north of the Somme, the war office announced in a brief bulletin.

French Co-Operate.

French troops, on the British right, struck at the same hour. The British war office announced that the French made "equally satisfactory" gains leaving to General Joffre the honor of announcing the full extent of the French successes.

At several points the Anglo-French troops are attacking the main second line, where the German troops shattered by the furious onslaught, are making a desperate stand.

Attack on 20-Mile Front.

The Anglo-French advance has reached its greatest depth along a 13-mile front extending from a point north of Albert to a point southeast of that village. The Anglo-French forces are driving eastward in the general direction of Cambral.

The British attack was made on a 20-mile front north of the Somme, after five days of one of the most terrific bombardments the world has ever known.

Allied Casualties Light.

With German advanced trenches firmly held, the British are pressing forward against the second line works. The latest dispatches to the war office said the battle was proceeding with the utmost violence on both the British and French fronts.

Many prisoners have been taken. Fragmentary dispatches from the front report the allied casualties have been light.

On the remainder of the British front raiding parties continue to harass the Germans, penetrating enemy defenses at many points, inflicting losses and taking prisoners.

Bombardment Concentrated.

The artillery bombardment of the last five days was concentrated with a degree of fury and a number of guns unprecedented in the region of Albert and the Somme, with the French cooperating to the south.

Reports received from the front five hours after the combined British and French offense was launched showed that the Allies had captured La Boiselle, Serre and Montauban, and Curul and Faviere woods.

The fighting has reached the main second line.

French Mortars Destructive.

These reports show that the French and British, at the points of their furthest advances, have broken through for more than five miles beyond the first German trenches. Montauban is 5½ miles east of the old British front, and Curlu wood is six miles southeast of Albert.

The British batteries now almost innumerable, took turns at smashing the German defenses, destroying communication trenches and blowing up ammunition depots. New trench mortars, particularly destructive, tore away wire entanglements, broke down parapets and opened the way for men with rifles and bayonets. Giant 15-inch guns prevented the Germans from bringing up supports, wrecking everything within range.

Strike Agitators Are Jailed

Hibbing, Minn., July 3.—Arrest of five strike leaders here on charges of assault and inciting riot marked the beginning of a new and vigorous policy by the authorities. The men under arrest, unable to furnish bail of $1,000 each, are in jail. Four hundred strikers gathered outside of the station in the night, but were kept moving by policemen, and there were no signs of disorder.

Munitions Burned; U. S. Investigates.

Seattle, Wash., July 3.—Officers of the coast artillery reserve corps and police have begun an investigation of the fire which destroyed the Oriental dock here with its $500,000 worth of goods. The principal loss was sustained by the United States government, which had huge quantities of ammunition and other military supplies in the dock warehouse. During the fire an eight inch shell exploded and a fragment struck and instantly killed an unidentified 11 year old boy standing in the crowd.

M'CUMBER'S LEAD OVER HANNA 2 TO 1, FRAZIER WINS OUT

ENTIRE STATE TICKET OF REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES ENDORSED BY FARMERS LEAGUE IS NOMINATED.

KRAABEL CHOICE FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Thomas Hall Defeats J. L. Hjort for Secretary of State, William Langar Wins Over H. J. Linde for Attorney Generals, S. A. Olsness Beats Walter Taylor.

Fargo, N. D., July 1.—Every candidate on the republican state ticket bearing the indorsement of the Nonpartisan league won in Wednesday's primaries. Before the flood of nonpartisan votes such prominent figures in state official circles as Walter Taylor, insurance commissioner for six years; Carl Jorgenson, state auditor for four years; H. J. Linde, attorney general for two years, and Robert F. Flint, commissioner of agriculture and labor, were swept into private life.

Frazier 8,000 Ahead.

The floor crest carried to the front men heretofore almost unknown in the state. It placed Lynn Frazier of Hoople, a farmer who has had no political experience outside of his own township, in nomination for governor, with a plurality over U. L. Burdick of at least 8,000, and which may grow into a majority over both Burdick and J. H. Fraine, prominent for years in North Dakota politics.

Some Majorities Reach 10,000.

Other league candidates have even greater majorities than Frazier, in some instances 10,000. The republican ticket as nominated is:

United States senator, Porter J. McCumber; congress, first district, H. T. Helgesen; second district, George M. Young; third district, P. D. Norton; governor, Lynn J. Frazier, lieutenant governor, A. T. Kraabel; attorney general, William Langer; secretary of state, Thomas Hall; auditor, Carl Kositzky; commissioner of insurance, S. A. Olsness; commissioner of agriculture and labor, J. N. Hagen; railroad commissioners, M. P. Johnson, Charles W. Bleick and S. J. Aandahl.

WILLIAM LANGER,

William Langer, Morton County States Attorney, has defeated H. J. Linde for the Republican nomination for attorney general.

Justices in Doubt.

For justices of the supreme court, J. E. Robinson, L. E. Birdzell and R. H. Grace, indorsed by the nonpartisan league, have been nominated by a big margin over their rivals. Justice C. J. Fisk has been nominated also, but the other two members of the judiciary ticket are not yet definitely decided.

D. H. McArthur, of Fargo, seems definitely assured of the democratic nomination for governor. He has a comfortable lead over L. A. Platou, his nearest rival, who is running just ahead of H. L. Halvorson. The split in the Platou forces, caused by the entrance of Halvorson seems to have been the factor that brought about McArthur's success. For United States senator, John Burke has been nominated.

Pollock Leads Cole.

Judge Charles M. Pollock, of Fargo, known as the "father of prohibition" in North Dakota, leads A. T. Cole by only 300 votes for the judicial nomination to succeed himself. Cole's strength is the greatest single feature of the primaries.

Iowa "Slackers" Decide to Enlist.

Des Moines, July 1.—While the 3,500 infantrymen and artillerymen, at Camp Dodge, drilled and awaited orders, they were cheered by reports from North Liberty that the First Iowa cavalry squadron had had a change of heart and would enlist. Reports reaching the cavalrymen that "slackers" at Camp Dodge had yellow stripes of iodine painted on their backs, got up the dander of Maj. Ralph P. Howell's men and nearly all of them said they would take the federal oath.

SNAKE IN FIGHT WITH YOUNG MAN

Comes Off Victorious in Desperate Battle Near a Pennsylvania Town.

LOSER IS IN HOSPITAL

Youth Starts Fight and Finds Reptile Only Too Eager for Combat—Bitten in the Hand, Man Gives Up.

Harrisburg, Pa.—A young man engaged in a fight with a big snake near Penbrook. In the end the serpent was victorious, getting off without any harm, while the man was severely bitten. The loser in the fight, Albert Miller, nineteen years old, of Penbrook, went to the Harrisburg hospital, where efforts were made to prevent blood poisoning.

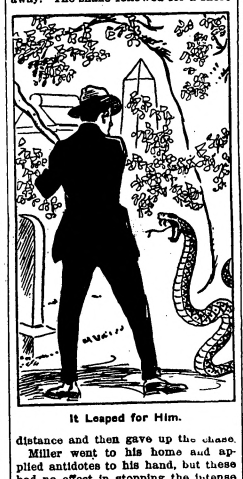
When Miller was walking through the Penbrook cemetery recently, passing a large tree he saw a snake about four or five feet in length, with its fangs protruding and evidently ready to make an attack on him.

The youth did not wait for the reptile to act, but, instead, picked up a club and made for it. He dealt it a blow, but that only had the effect of inciting the snake, and it leaped for him.

Snake Eager to Continue.

Then came the battle. Lunging its fangs to their full extent, the serpent tried time and again to sink them into the young man's body, but for a time the youth managed to get away. Miller, however, kept wielding the club, and while so doing the snake shot its poisoned prongs into the youth's hand.

The snake seemed eager to continue the battle, but Miller started running away. The snake followed for a short distance and then gave up the chase.



It Leaped for Him.

Miller went to his home and applied antidotes to his hand, but these had no effect in stopping the intense pain which he suffered. Later he called upon a physician and the latter treated the injured member.

In the course of time the hand and arm began swelling, and when they became almost twice their normal size, Miller decided to come to Harrisburg to the hospital. The doctors hope to get the poison out of his system.

FOOT IN FROG; FACES DEATH

Directed Work of Rescue After Twenty-Four Cars Mangled Him.

Altoona, Pa.—After preparing to make a coupling in the Pennsylvania yards here, Brakeman H. Ward Hall slipped from his car and the next instant his right foot was caught in a switch frog. He struggled to free himself, but could not.

Then he tried frantically to save himself by signaling the engineer, who was pushing a draft of 24 cars toward him, but the man on the locomotive could not see him.

When members of his crew found him later, his right arm and right leg had been severed and he was pinned under a big steel car, but still conscious. Every car had run over him.

He directed the work of the men who were rescuing him, and was rushed to the hospital, where he died four hours later.

OLD WOMAN SEES WONDERS

First View of Electric Car, Elevator and Moving Pictures on Visit to City.

Columbus, O.—Mrs. Emily Booker, seventy years of age, a former slave, in Columbus visiting relatives, for the first time saw an electric car, an elevator, a moving picture show, and a building more than two stories in height. Her relatives gave her the first knowledge she had that a war is in progress in Europe. Mrs. Booker's home is near Middletown, Ky., 30 miles from a railroad, and almost as far from a highway. Once, several years ago, she saw a party of tourists in an automobile which had strayed from the road through the wilderness in which she had lived all her life.

CANADA'S EXCELLENT FINANCIAL STANDING

Bank Clearings Increase—Agriculture Is a Paying Industry—Manufactures Doing Well.

"Business experts assert that Canada is on the threshold of perhaps the most prosperous era in her history. The unprecedented value of the farm products of 1915, together with the very large output of factories working on munitions of war has suddenly brought the country into a position, financially, scarcely hoped for as a nation for years to come. Export surplus of $50,000,000 a month is making Canada very strong in cash."—Extract from official bulletin of February 11, 1916.

The response by the farmers of Canada to the call for increased production in 1915 was a total net output exceeding one billion dollars, an increase over normal years of at least three hundred millions. The three Prairie Provinces contributed probably nearly one-half of the total product.

The wheat crop was worth $310,000,000, and accounted for about 30 per cent of the total agricultural product. Other things counted also. Look at dairying. In Ontario the dairy production was increased 20 per cent, and prices were over 10 per cent ahead of 1914. Other provinces shared in the increase, especially Alberta, Saskatchewan, Quebec and Nova Scotia. The dairy cow was "on the job" in 1915. So also were the beef cattle, the pigs and the hens.

It is not fair to the farmers of the Prairies to call the wheat crop of 1915 a "miracle" crop. The farmers cultivated more land and gave attention to their seed. Providence gave them favorable weather. Then they toiled early and late in the harvesting and threshing. Good cultivation gave bigger yields than careless work, 45 bushels as against 25.

The wealth of Western Canada is by no means all in its wheat crop. If the country had no wheat at all it would still be famous as a land of successful farmers on account of its stock production. From one shipping point (High River, Alberta) over $75,000.00 worth of horses have been sold in the last two months. The average price to the farmer has been about $175.00 per head. According to Government returns there are a million and a half horses in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, worth probably $150,000,000.

The investments which farmers of Western Canada are making in livestock and farm improvements are good evidence of the fact that they have money for these purposes. It is apparent, however, that they are also spending some of their profits on those things which will bring greater comfort and enjoyment to themselves, their wives and their families. The automobile trade all through the country is particularly active, and farmers are the biggest buyers. A recent report of the Saskatoon district shows that in two months a million dollars' worth of automobiles have been sold, largely to farmers. Nor are all of these cars of the cheaper makes; some high-priced machines are in demand.

Bank clearings throughout the Western Provinces show greater commercial activity than at the same season in 1915 or 1914, the increase for the last week of February being $8,000,000 and almost $9,000,000, respectively, for the first week of March $15,000,000 over 1915 and $18,000,000 over 1914. The same excellent story comes from Moose Jaw, Sask., where they showed from 40 to 100 per cent over the previous year. Calgary, Alta., bank clearings continue to reflect the greatly improved business conditions as compared with a year ago. Canada's bank clearings for the month of February, 1916, were the greatest for any February in the country's history. The totals amounted to $664,222,000.00, as compared with $487,296,000.00 for the same month a year ago. An increase of $177,000,000.00 in bank clearings for the month tells its own story of the country's prosperity.—Advertisement.

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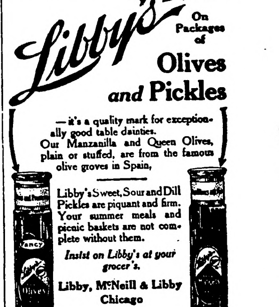

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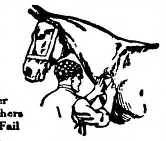

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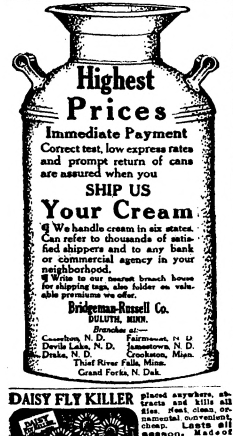

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STATE BREVITIES

Bemidji.—Chippewa Indians of this section have offered to organize a battalion of warriors for service in Mexico if a call for volunteers is made by the President. Twenty Indians at Red Lake reservation are in charge of the tentative recruiting.

Lewisville. — Henry Goblinske lies dead from a shot fired by his own hand and William Lupke, a farmer, is severely wounded, the result of an attempt upon his life by Goblinske, who was enraged over the refusal to allow him to call on Lupke's daughter.

Owatonna.—This city opened its gates and welcomed the Minnesota Music Teachers' association, which convened at Pillsbury academy. Harry Phillips of Macalester college, president, made the opening address. A committee of ten was appointed to plan increased membership.

Crookston.—The Polk County Old Settlers' association held a picnic near here last Thursday. David H. Turner, who was born in St. Paul in 1857, had charge of the program. A. L. Larpenteur of St. Paul was invited. George H. Hazzard of St. Paul, secretary of the Minnesota Territorial Pioneer association made an address.

Winona. — After the Minnesota camp of the order of Maccabees went on record in favor of extending the insurance benefits to all members who are national guardsmen, word was received the supreme tent has called a special review for August 7, in which the question will be considered.

St. Paul.—Recruiting the Minnesota naval militia was given a stimulus at a meeting at the state capitol when eight men, all of whom had seen service in the United States navy, volunteered, after an address by Lieutenant Joseph Carhart, commanding the second division, Duluth. Several others present said they probably would enlist later.

Minneapolis, Minn.— Early Friday Company A, Third regiment, Minnesota National guard came to company formation on the parade in front of the post headquarters at Camp Bobleter, Fort Snelling. The men faced the mustering in board of the United States army and the oath of federal service was administered by the regular army men.

St. Paul. — Letters will be sent to University of Minnesota students who, during the past five years, have had military training, urging them to join A battery, First Field artillery, which is being reorganized with Wallace Cole as captain. Fletcher Rockwood, who was senior first lieutenant of the university battery when he graduated a year ago, will be senior first lieutenant of the reorganized battery.

Minneapolis.—Directors of the industrial survey being taken in Minnesota as a portion of the program launched by the naval consulting board of the United States are aroused over the apparent apathy with which their agents are being met by manufacturers in the state. About 400 reports have been received from the field aides, of which there are 225, but the directors assert many more should have come in by this time.

Owatonna. — J. Austin Williams of Minneapolis was elected president of the Minnesota Music Teachers' association at the final session of the 1916 meeting here. Caroline B. Smith, Winona, was chosen first vice president; Rollin Pease, St. Paul, second vice president and editor of Minnesota Music; Carl Youngdahl, Minneapolis, secretary and treasurer, and Buchanan Morton, Duluth, auditor. Winona was selected as the 1917 meeting place.

Stillwater. — N. D. Smith, agent of the Omaha railroad at this place and formerly traveling freight agent for the Omaha, died suddenly shortly after going to work. He was seized with what he described as a peculiar choking sensation. He was removed to his home and died 20 minutes later. He was 50 years old. A widow and grown up son, also connected with the Omaha road at South Stillwater, survive him. Mr. Smith had been connected with the Omaha for over 30 years.

St. Paul. -- More than five hundred teachers, preachers, church officials, leaders in farmers' clubs and others interested in community work are planning to attend the third annual Minnesota Rural-Life Conference to be in session at University Farm, St. Paul, July 24 to 28. General discussions, addresses and conferences will make up the week's program. Talks on the community, agricultural conditions, the country church and the consolidated school will make up the general program.

Cass Lake. -- Upstate editors, their wives and invited friends from other section of Minnesota will visit the Chippewa Indians Aug. 5 and 6, auto through the Minnesota forest reserve and participate in an old fashioned basket picnic, when the annual outing of the Northern Minnesota Editorial association is held at Cass Lake. Secretary A. G. Rutledge will work out the details of the outing with the cooperation of Cass Lake newspaper men. Local subcommittees, including a delegation of women, will be appointed.

Virginia.—If any other striker on the Mesabi range is killed or injured by mine guards, reprisals will be exacted in the same proportion from those responsible. The old Mosiac law, in the form of an oath administered by Carlo Tresco, I. W. W. leader, was adopted at the grave side of John Alar by 2,000 strikers with their right hands raised aloft. "An eye for an eye, tooth for a tooth, a life for a life" were the words repeated solemnly by Tresco. The incident was a climax to one of the most remarkable funerals and parades ever held in the Northwest.

LOSS OF REVENUE CAUSED BY STRIKE

IRON MINES ON RANGE UNDER STATE LEASE SHIPPING LITTLE ORE, PREUS HEARS.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

State revenues of iron ore property operated under state lease will be materially cut, it is expected, as the result of the miners' strike on the iron range. This is the opinion of State Auditor Preus, who has received word from F. A. Wildes, state mine inspector, that not an underground mine on the range was in operation. Of 33 mines operated under state lease, 12 are underground property.

Mr. Wildes informed the state auditor that not a pound of ore has been shipped from these mines in a week, and that the strike was spreading. He regarded the situation as serious. Many underground mines which employed from 50 to 60 men, he said, now are using only two or three. The remainder have been driven away by intimidation.

It was expected that this would be the banner year on the iron range. State royalties alone, it was believed, would reach $750,000. Unless the strike is ended soon, the state revenues will fall far below that figure

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$6,000 Daily Paid Troops.

According to a rough estimate made by Adjutant General Wood, commanding the Minnesota National guard, it is costing about $6,000 a day for salaries of the men who are affected by the mobilization orders.

Following are the rates of pay for each day's service received by the guardsmen:

Brigadier General, $16.67.
Colonel, $11.11.
Lieutenant Colonel, $9.72.
Majors, $8.33.
Captains, $6.67.
First Lieutenants, $5.56.
Second Lieutenant, $4.72.
Privates, 50 cents.
Privates in hospital corps, 53 cents.
First-class private in engineers or signal corps, 80 cents.
Sergeants of infantry, $1.
Sergeant of engineers, signal or hospital corps, $1.20.
Battalion Sergeant Majors of Field Artillery, chief trumpeters and principal musicians, $1.33.
Quartermaster Sergeant, first-class Sergeants, Sergeant Majors of signal corps and first-class musicians, $1.50.
First-class Sergeants of hospital corps and Sergeants or field musicians, $1.67.
First-class Sergeants of engineers' corps, $2.17.
Master electricians, Quartermaster of coast artillery, master signal electrician and chief musician, $2.50.

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Governor Visits Camp.

Governor Burnquist paid his first visit to Camp Bobleter, when he conferred with Brigadier General A. W. Wright, in command of the brigade camp.

There were no formalities in connection with the Governor's visit, and it was stated he called to inquire as to the condition of the troops and what steps, if any, should be taken to provide all their needs

The equipment problem, which caused many of the soldiers to sleep without blankets the first night, was solved in part when some new equipment was provided. Several carloads of equipment from Federal quartermaster depots arrived at the fort.

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Thinks Oil Kills Fish.

That the oiling of the roadway surrounding Lake Harriet, in Minneapolis is causing the death of many fish in that body of water is the opinion of Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner. He is having some of the dead fish examined. Mr. Avery says two wagon loads of fish were picked up on the shores of Lake Harriet.

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State Flower Show Held.

The University Farm gymnasium was converted into a green house at the annual meeting of the Minnesota State Horticultural society and its auxiliary organizations. Nearly 1,000 vases of state flowers were entered in the exhibition. The display of peonies was a feature

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May Raise Standard

A statute requiring applicants for the state examination for license to practice pharmacy in Minnesota to have been trained at a recognized college of pharmacy will be advocated at the next legislative session by the Minnesota State Pharmaceutical association.

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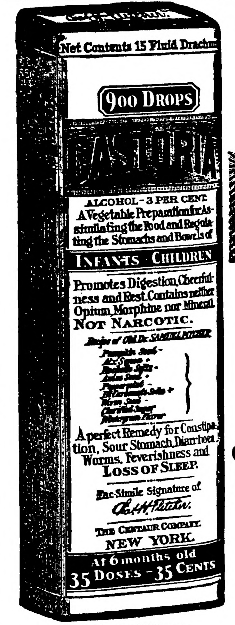
Attends Valuation Hearing

C. E. Elmquist of the state railroad and warehouse commission has returned from Washington, where he officiated at the valuation hearing before the Interstate Commerce commission. Mr. Elmquist is chairman of the valuation committee of the National Association of Railroad Commissioners. The hearing was on tentative reports covering several small railroads submitted by the bureau of valuations of the Interstate Commerce commission. The report as made provided a foundation for the general valuation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"I suppose you know the answer to about any question an interviewer could ask?"

"Possibly," replied Senator Sorghum. "The fact that I know the real answer so thoroughly is sometimes what makes me a trifle diffident about expressing myself."

Never Missed.

"When I grow up to be a man," said the boy who lived in a flat, "I want everybody to be sorry when I die."

"That is a very laudable ambition," replied his father. "The only advice I can give you is: Don't be a janitor."

IF YOU OR ANY FRIEND
Suffer with Rheumatism or Neuritis, acute or chronic, write for my FREE BOOK on Rheumatism—Its Cause and Cure. Most wonderful book ever written, it's absolutely FREE. Jesse A. Case, Dept. C. W. Brockton, Mass.—Adv.

Logical Difficulty.

"Do you believe it is easy for any-one to learn a foreign language?"

"Of course, it isn't. With the brightest, the difficulty of learning a foreign language is pronounced."

The letter P. like selfish friends, is first in pity and last in help.

Two can play at almost any game but one is apt to quit loser.

Adapted.

"I think Alaska would make an ideal summer resort."

"You've been reading about the climate?"

"No; about the prices."

We admit that we are superstitious, but not to the extent of preferring twelve dollars to thirteen.

Wigs, according to the language of flowers, are lie-locks.

The Wheat Yield Tells the Story

of Western Canada's Rapid Progress

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

The heavy crops in Western Canada have caused new records to be made in the handling of grains by railroads. For, while the movement of these heavy shipments has been wonderfully rapid, the resources of the different roads, despite enlarged equipments and increased facilities, have been strained as never before, and previous records have thus been broken in all directions.

The largest Canadian wheat shipments through New York ever known are reported for the period up to October 15th, **upwards of four and a quarter million bushels being exported in less than six weeks**, and this was but the overflow of shipments to Montreal, through which point shipments were much larger than to New York.

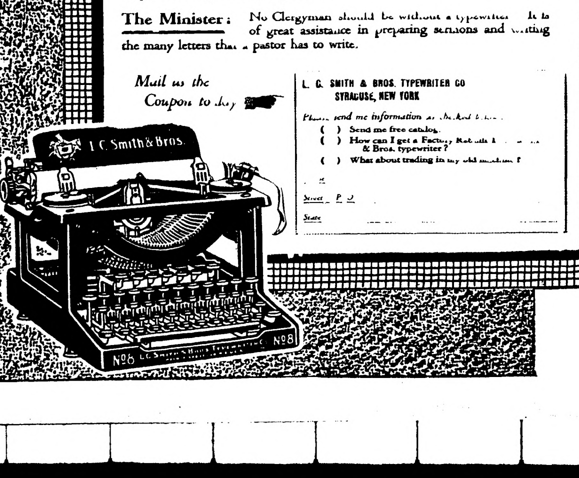
Yields as high as 60 bushels of wheat per acre are reported from all parts of the country; while yields of 45 bushels per acre are common.

Thousands of American farmers have taken part in this wonderful production. Land prices are still low and free homestead lands are easily secured in good localities, convenient to churches, schools, markets, railways, etc.

There is no war tax on land and no conscription.

Write for illustrated pamphlet, reduced railroad rates and other information to Superintendent Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. L. Porte, Dunn Blk., Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents



Typewriter Service in Rural Communities

The typewriter is coming into more extended use in rural communities because of the assistance it renders to all classes of people. Here are a few examples of the possibilities of service:

The Farmer: Think of the possibilities of selling produce by the means of typewritten letters sent out to customers? Typewritten letters give the sender a business standing with the people who receive them and also enable the keeping of carbon copies of the correspondence, which many times does away with misunderstandings and lawsuits.

The General Store Merchant: More prompt and courteous treatment is likely to be accorded his orders and correspondence with the City jobber and manufacturer if his letters are typewritten.

In The Home: The boy or girl who is intending to follow a business career can secure no better start than a knowledge of typewriter operating. Children who learn to use the typewriter learn spelling at the same time. The housewife finds it a great convenience in writing recipes and for general correspondence.

The Minister: No Clergyman should be without a typewriter. It is of great assistance in preparing sermons and writing the many letters that a pastor has to write.

Mail us the Coupon to-day

L. C. SMITH & BROS. TYPEWRITER CO
SYRACUSE, NEW YORK

Please send me information as checked below.
( ) Send me free catalog.
( ) How can I get a Factory Rebuilt L. C. Smith & Bros. typewriter?
( ) What about trading in my old machine?

Street P. O.

State

Local Items

Has it been warm enough for you?

For hay land to rent see Holt State Bank.

A. H. Huseth came home Tuesday from Grand Forks.

If you need Paris Green call at R. Reierson's store, he's lots of it.

Mrs. D. B. Bakke visited her new granddaughter at the Docken home Monday.

Dr. J. Biederman, Physician and Surgeon of Thief River Falls will be in Holt on Monday July 17.

Mrs. M. T. Strom and little granddaughter Alfa visited relatives in T. R. Falls, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden visited a few days the first of the week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Olberg at Thief Lake.

Jesse Sorum enlisted in the state militia at Hillsboro, N. D., last year and we understand he has departed with his company for the Mexican border.

T. A. Tobiason received the sad news Friday evening of the death of his mother at Windom. Mr. Tobiason left for Windom the next day to attend the funeral.

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Local Agent
Holt Minn.

Arnold Steinhauer is building a machine shed on his farm.

Chris Norbeck purchased lumber in Holt yesterday for a house which he will build on his farm.

The People's Cash Store has decided to continue their Special Sale for another week. See their Ad for Prices.

Miss Hulda Johnson came home from Argyle for a weeks visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sorum and his brother Theodore autoed to Hillsboro Saturday for a few days visit with relatives.

Feed ground at Edwin Hanson's every Saturday, or by appointment. Northwest corner of Section 19 in Town of Holt. Telephone exchange.

N. O. Finnestad of Newfolden was here last week painting the rooms over the Holt Merc. Co. store which will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson.

B. Docken made a deal last week whereby he came into possession of a complete threshing outfit engine, separator, etc. trading a quarter section in Town of Mud Lake.

Mexico has returned the U. S. soldiers recently taken prisoners by them in the ambush at Carrizal. Gen. Carranza, who claims to be president of Mexico, is now less agressive in his recent note to this countyy and appears to now want to make peace, which we earnestly hope will be done.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,
Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Notice of Annual School Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting in District No. 35 in Marshall Co., Minn., for the Election of Officers and the transaction of other business required by law at the Annual Meeting, will be held at the School House on the 15th day of July 1916, at seven o'clock P. M.

Dated this 3rd day of July 1916

B. Docken, District Clerk.

Racine Olson was a business visitor in Warren, Wednesday.

New Minnesota Machinery at the old prices at R. Reierson's.

Clarence Docken returned home yesterday from Mekinock, N. Dak.

A. H. Huseth went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to work a few days.

Dr. R. L. Olson expects to go to Warren to day to undergo an operation for gall stones.

Olaf Johnson has commenced the carpenter work on his barn on his farm north of town.

Mrs. Poppenhagen returned to Goodridge Monday after a few days pleasant visit with relatives here.

Bring us your Job Printing.

CLEAN UP AND PAINT UP
To Remove "For Rent" Signs

By E. T. TOBEY
President Real Estate Bureau
Little Rock, Ark.

It is not surprising that houses which are for rent should be without tenants, because in most cases such houses are unpainted, the steps are rickety and the porches not in repair.

The number of vacant houses in any city is largely due to the negligence of the landlord himself. I recently took two ladies out, trying to find for them a desirable six or seven-room house to rent. I was unable to find anything to suit them, either on my own list or on the lists of other real estate firms, and these ladies were not exacting in their wants. They were shown a few houses of the desired size, but the houses were not in good condition. It is true that some of the landlords say they are willing to make certain repairs for a good tenant, but it has been my experience after years in the business, that it is best to put your house in attractive shape first and you will quickly get a tenant.

Houses that are kept repaired and painted not only rent better, but they greatly improve the looks of the city.

CLEAN UP AND PAINT UP

Let's Make Our Town Attractive, Sanitary and Safe.

An editorial by BRUCE BARTON in "Every Week."

I HAVE in mind two towns. Entering one, the railroad runs between two rows of dirty back yards filled with tin cans and rubbish. Entering the other, it passes houses neatly painted, back yards with flowers in them, and streets swept clean.

These two towns had the same population five years ago. But recently two new factories have moved to one of them; real estate values have advanced; new houses are being built; everybody is prosperous and happy.

And the residents of the other town cannot understand their "bad luck."

A real "Clean Up and Paint Up" campaign would have taken the "bad luck" town out of its rut.

This year more than 6,000 cities and towns in the United States are conducting "Clean Up and Paint Up" campaigns.

Many men and women go through life without ever doing anything for their community. "Clean Up and Paint Up" offers you your chance.

The greatest miracles of modern times have been performed with bonfires, drain pipes, soap and paint. The Philippines have been made a healthier place to live in than the average American town. Typhoid has been stamped out of Serbia. The Panama Canal zone has been transformed from a dismal unhealthy swamp to a wholesome place for homes.

Last year Cleveland, in its "Clean Up and Paint Up" campaign, disposed of refuse sufficient to fill a train three and one-half miles long.

Another middle western town gathered its boys together, and, by offering a reward for each 100 tin cans, abolished its unsightly back yards in a single day.

"There is no better test of the civilization of a community than this: How much paint does it use?"

A wise man said that.

It is not given to you to found a religion or make a great invention or discover a new continent.

But you can make your town a cleaner, better place to live in. And by so doing you give a little push to the chariot of civilization.

For Sale

Hickory Coral range for sale.

Mrs. B. L. Backe.

We are now getting some real summer weather.

Ed. Furr is building a house on his claim in Mud Lake.

Hilmer Davidson has drilled a 90 foot well for Axel Nelson.

A. R. Jones visited over the "4th" with his family in Crookston.

Miss Josephine Marty came Monday, from her home in Ada, to visit friends in Holt.

Mrs. R. L. Olson and niece Gladys Hagen went to Thief River Falls Tuesday for a short visit.

Fred Ewald is expecting big crops this year and is making ready for them by building another granary on his farm.

Mrs. Theodore Sorum and daughter Bertha returned home Tuesday from a couple of weeks visit with relatives at Detroit.

Martin Hanson, of Strathcona, who was called here by the tragic death of his brother John Hanson, has decided to stay on the farm with his nephew George.

R. Reierson, Ole Davidson, Andrew Movik and Gilbert Johnson were called to Fargo the first of the week as witnesses in a case in which James P. Manoles is interested.

The "Fourth" was a quiet day in Holt. Many of our people celebrated in T. R. Falls and at the picnic at Otto Johnson's. We understand there was a big crowd at the latter place, which is one of many proofs that it pays to advertise.

The Middle River Pioneer has been enlarged to a six page paper, three pages of which will be printed at home. A cylinder press and gasoline engine has been added to the equipment of the office. The paper has a good advertising patronage which makes it possible to make these improvements. We wish Bro. Carr continued success.

Southeast of Holt.

There will be a church picnic at the Mrs. Hans Peterson home on Sunday July 16th.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Tookel Froisnes on Sunday July 25th.

Mat Lunke is building a fine new addition to his house.

Oscas Moe spent Sunday at Golden Valley.

Peter Michaelsen had the misfortune of loosing one of his valuable horses last week.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Tildahl on Tuesday June 25th.

Mrs. Guttrud entertained the Ladies Aid last Thursday.

Don't forget to attend the church picnic at S. G. Moe's place on Sunday June 9th.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ole J. Lunke, Tuesday June 20th. Congratulations.

Misses Gunhild and Olava Sollom came Monday to attend the wedding of their sister Clara, Gunhild returning to Crookston Tuesday to continue her studies at Summer School.

Mrs. Sam Mickelson has made a bargain with Guy Anderson for ten acres of land in the northwest corner of his land and next to J. B. Alkenbrack's. Consideration $45 00 per acre, and cheap at that.

Miss Myrtle Thomas, one of Thief River Falls Camp Fire Girls, entertained at the pleasant home of her sister Mrs. B. L. Backe, a number os ladies last Thursday afternoon. Miss Thomas is a capital cook and each one enjoyed and appreciated all she did to make the afternoon a pleasant one.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes
Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO.

Citation for Hearing
on Petition for Determination of Desent of Land.

Estate of Caspar Anderson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court:

In the Matter of the Estate of Caspar Anderson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota To Julia Anderson, Clara Anderson, Rudolph Anderson, Arthur Anderson, Oscar Anderson, Bernard Anderson, Helen Anderson, and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of Julia Anderson having been filed in this court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved nor administration of his estate granted in this state, and praying that the descent of real estate be determined by this court:

Therefore You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Room in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of July 1916, at eleven o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said court, and the seal thereof this 19th day of June 1916.

A. N. Eckstrom, Att'y for Petitioner, Warren, Minn.

Peter H. Holm, Probate Judge.

[COURT SEAL]

Sollom's store will continue their special sale another week, see their ad for prices that will save money.

John E. Erickson is building a poultry house 14x22 with 6 foot posts at the back and 8 feet high in front.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Young were over Sunday visitors at the pleasant farm home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Thompson.

Federal Inquiry or Railroad Strike?

Faced by demands from the conductors, engineers, firemen and brakemen that would impose on the country an additional burden in transportation costs of $100,000,000 a year, the railroads propose that this wage problem be settled by reference to an impartial Federal tribunal.

With these employes, whose efficient service is acknowledged, the railroads have no differences that could not be considered fairly and decided justly by such a public body.

Railroads Urge Public Inquiry and Arbitration

The formal proposal of the railroads to the employes for the settlement of the controversy is as follows:

"Our conferences have demonstrated that we cannot harmonize our differences of opinion and that eventually the matters in controversy must be passed upon by other and disinterested agencies. Therefore, we propose that your proposals and the proposition of the railways be disposed of by one or the other of the following methods:

1. Preferably by submission to the Interstate Commerce Commission, the only tribunal which, by reason of its accumulated information bearing on railway conditions and its control of the revenue of the railways, is in a position to consider and protect the rights and equities of all the interests affected, and to provide additional revenue necessary to meet the added cost of operation in case your proposals are found by the Commission to be just and reasonable; or, in the event the Interstate Commerce Commission cannot, under existing laws, act in the premises, that we jointly request Congress to take such action as may be necessary to enable the Commission to consider and promptly dispose of the questions involved; or
2. By arbitration in accordance with the provisions of the Federal law" (The Newlands Act).

Leaders Refuse Offer and Take Strike Vote

Leaders of the train service brotherhoods, at the joint conference held in New York, June 1-15, refused the offer of the railroads to submit the issue to arbitration or Federal review, and the employes are now voting on the question whether authority shall be given these leaders to declare a nation-wide strike.

The Interstate Commerce Commission is proposed by the railroads as the public body to which this issue ought to be referred for these reasons:

No other body with such an intimate knowledge of railroad conditions has such an unquestioned position in the public confidence.

The rates the railroads may charge the public for transportation are now largely fixed by this Government board.

Out of every dollar received by the railroads from the public nearly one-half is paid directly to the employes as wages; and the money to pay increased wages can come from no other source than the rates paid by the public.

The Interstate Commerce Commission, with its control over rates, is in a position to make a complete investigation and render such decision as would protect the interests of the railroad employes, the owners of the railroads, and the public.

A Question For the Public to Decide

The railroads feel that they have no right to grant a wage preferment of $100,000,000 a year to these employes, now highly paid and constituting only one-fifth of all the employes, without a clear mandate from a public tribunal that shall determine the merits of the case after a review of all the facts.

The single issue before the country is whether this controversy is to be settled by an impartial Government inquiry or by industrial warfare.

National Conference Committee of the Railways

ELISHA LEE, *Chairman*
P. R. ALBRIGHT, *Gen'l Manager*, Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.
L. W. BALDWIN, *Gen'l Manager*, Central of Georgia Railway.
C. L. BARDO, *Gen'l Manager*, New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.
E. H. COAPMAN, *Vice-President*, Southern Railway.
S. E. COTTER, *Gen'l Manager*, Wabash Railway.
P. E. CROWLEY, *Asst. Vice-President*, New York Central Railway.
G. H. EMERSON, *Gen'l Manager*, Great Northern Railway.
C. H. EWING, *Gen'l Manager*, Philadelphia & Reading Railway.
E. W. GRICE, *Gen'l Supt. Transp.*, Chesapeake & Ohio Railway.
A. S. GREIG, *Asst. to Receivers*, St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad.
C. W. KOUNS, *Gen'l Manager*, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway.
H. W. McMASTER, *Gen'l Manager*, Wheeling & Lake Erie Railroad.
N. D. MAHER, *Vice-President*, Norfolk & Western Railway.
JAMES RUSSELL, *Gen'l Manager*, Denver & Rio Grande Railroad.
A. M. SCHOYER, *Resident Vice-Pres.*, Pennsylvania Lines West.
W. L. SEDDON, *Vice-Pres.*, Seaboard Air Line Railway.
A. J. STONE, *Vice-President*, Erie Railroad.
G. S. WAID, *Vice-Pres. & Gen'l Mgr.*, Sunset Central Lines.

Hay for Sale.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 6, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Mathias B. Ordahl, of Holt, Minn., who, on Feb. 21, 1910, made homestead entry, No. 05094, for W1-2SW1-4, Sec. 25, and on Jan. 28, 1911, made additional entry No. 05838 for W1-2NW1-4, Section 36, Township 156 N. Range 42 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 14th day of July 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole B. Johnson, John M. Jahr, Christ Birkeland and Albert C. Jahr, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., June 14, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Charles H. Rossman, of Germantown, Minn., who, on May 31st, 1912, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 08042, for SW1-4, Sec. 3, Township 155 N, Ran. 41, W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Ruth C. Clark, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Grygla, Minn., on the 26th day of July, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John Wayne, Rudolph Jensen, Ole Tharaldson and Adolph Jensen, all, of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. June 16, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Thora Anderson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Sept. 5th, 1911, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 06533, for Lot 3, Sec. 30, Twp. 156 N, Ran. 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 27th day of July 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

C. F. Birkland, Ole B. Johnson, Ole Gathus and Peder Rosaud, all Holt, Minn,

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and For Hearing Thereon

Estate Of Sven H. Johnson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Sven H. Johnson Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to Britta Johnson,

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 30th day of December 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS as provided by law.

Peter H. Holm
Judge of Probate.

Dated June 21st 1916.

Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

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A STATE BANK
A HOME BANK
DEPOSITS
LOANS

Save and Become a Lender

A mortgage for $1000 was given by a man just fifty years ago now.

For thirty-three years the rate of interest was 7 per cent, since then it has been 6. To date the total INTEREST paid is $3,390 or more than three times the original principal.

And, yet the principal of $1000 is still due.

You can easily see from this illustration why we advise you to SAVE and Become A LENDER.

Open your Savings Account at this Bank. One Dollar starts you and we pay you 6 per cent interest semi-annually on your deposits.

Farmers' State Bank
Holt - Minnesota

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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

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Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.04
Wheat No. 2	1.00
Wheat No. 3	.94
Wheat No. 4	.87
Flax	1.83
Oats	.31
Barley	.51 to .56
Rye	.70
Flour, Best Patent	3.35

S. Borsheim Seriously Injured.

About 4 o'clock Friday afternoon when Miss Olga Flister, a stepdaughter of H. Germenson went after their mail which is put in the same box with Mr. Borsheim's, she found the aged gentleman lying on the floor almost unconscious and his head covered with blood. Mr. Borsheim had been plowing during the forenoon and about 10 or 11 o'clock it is supposed a clevis broke on the whiffletree and he was drawn across the plow by the lines which were around him and was thrown on the front part of the plow cutting a deep gash to the bone in his forehead. In some way he managed to get the horses in the barn, but must must have fainted there as his hair was full of straw. He evidently went to the house to telephone for help when his strength failed him. Miss Flister immediately telephoned Mr. Boersheim's daughter, Mrs. Alfred Amderson and the nearest neighbor J. E. Erickson. Guy Anderson and Mr. Erickson's folks reached the house at about the same time. Dr. Mellby was called and the injured man was brot to the Alfred Anderson home where good nursing, with the doctor's care is making the patient comfortable and it is expected that Mr. Borsheim will soon be around again.

Warren is to have a new $3500.00 hotel built soon.

The people of Karlstad recently voted $6,000.00 bonds for an electric light and power plant. The Karlstad Advocate reports only one vote against the bond issue.

It is charged that Thomas Frankson spent more money than the law allows in the campaign for lieutenant governor, and an effort is being made to keep his name off the ballot.

Our lumber yard has sold small bills the past week to Mrs. Christy Gutterud for a granary, E. J. Werner for a machine shed and Peter A. Anderson for an addition to his barn.

Bro. Wilson of The Newfolden Review has enlarged his paper to eight pages and announces an increase in the subscription price. Mr. Wilson is giving the people of Newfolden a good paper and is deserving of the success that has come to him.

Holt Boy Goes To The Front

We have received word from Jesse Sorum that his company of the N. Dak. National Guards would leave Fort Lincoln Tuesday night for the border and that he would write again on arriving at the front.

In Church Circles.

Patriotic sermon at the Mission church next Monday evening. You can't afford to miss it.

Mrs. Otto Johnson will entertaine the Dorcas Sewing Society Saturday afternoon July 15th.

The Swedish Baptist minister of Thief River Falls will hold services in the Holt Free Mission church on next Thursday evening July 20th. All are welcome to attend.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Buy it in Holt, the best little town in northern Minnesota.

If you need Paris Green call at R. Reierson's store, he's lots of it.

Teachers examinations in Warren July 24, 25 and 26. See program in this paperr

Mrs. B. L. Backe returned home Saturday from a weeks visit with relatives in T. R. Falls.

Dr. J. Biederman, Physician and Surgeon of Thief River Falls will be in Holt on Monday July 17.

The C. L. Heinze and C. H. Gunheim families were entertained on Sunday at the Gust Peterson home.

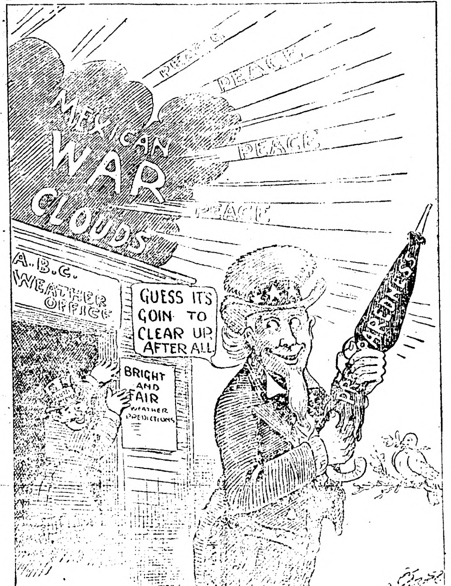
Feed ground at Edwin Hanson's every Saturday, or by appointment. Northwest corner of Section 19 in Town of Holt. Telephone exchange.

Fred Peterson ran the telephone office a couple of days the past week while his sister Miss Lillie visited at home.

The Northwestern Drainage Co. shipped some dredging material to Spooner the first of the week and Jno. Sorum shipped some culverts there at the same time.

A German submarine merchant ship loaded with dyestuffs, etc, entered the port of Baltimore, Monday having made the trip in 16 days. This is a great feat and will probably open a new avenue of trade between the two countries, altho the return of the ship is being strongly opposed by England and France.

CLEARING? . . . . BY BART.



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A. B. C. WEATHER OFFICE
GUESS IT'S GOIN TO CLEAR UP AFTER ALL
BRIGHT AND FAIR WEATHER PREDICTIONS
PREPAREDNESS

The threshing rig for which B. Docken traded was shipped here Wednesday.

Misses Ida Kjelgren and Tillie Nyberg were Thief River Falls visitors one day last week.

Misses Minnie and Rosie Heinze returned home Saturday from visiting with friends in Thief River Falls.

Miss Barndette Horien returned home one day last week from Hillsboro accompanied by her friend Miss Skogen.

Master Herman Peterson returned home Friday from a few days visit with relatives in T. R. Falls. Master Carlie Carlson came home with the former for a few days visit.

The 'Progressive Farmer' Says:

"One trouble with us in the North is that we think too much about a bank as being a place to get money out of, instead of as a place to put money in."

We are here to serve our customers in both capacities. When you have money, your deposits are gratefully received. When you need money, a loan is granted just as cheerfully.

Holt State Bank

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FRESH PAINT
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FRESH PAINT
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SHE'LL NEVER SEEM THE SAME
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Lumber and Building Materials
Bring in your bills to be figured.
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Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
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Mesdames Alfred Sollom and P. [illegible] Peterson and children visited re[illegible] in T. R. Falls Friday and Sa[illegible].

Alfred Anderson put up two big [illegible] Alfalfa from less then an [illegible] and he will cut it at [illegible] more this season.

WESTERN CANADA AND THE LAND-HUNGRY

It Is Essentially an Agricultural Country.

Western Canada is the Mecca of the land-hungry man who wishes to earn a good living from the soil and save up money to take care of him in his old age without paying a fancy price for the privilege.

Western Canada is the great wheat producing section of the North American continent, with an average production of more than 30 bushels to the acre as compared with an average of 17 bushels to the acre in the States.

Wheat raising can hardly be made profitable on land that costs from $50 an acre up unless such land will produce a much higher than a 17 bushel average, or unless the price of the cereal reaches an excessive figure.

The initial investment of $50 an acre is more than the average man can afford to make if he expects to raise wheat and to make a success of it.

A good homestead of 160 acres can still be secured free in Western Canada and additional land admirably suited to the raising of wheat can be secured at so low a cost per acre that it can be made extremely profitable.

No other part of the world offers such tremendous opportunities at the present time to the ambitious young farmer as the three great provinces of Western Canada.

It is worth the while of the land-hungry man to cease his depressing search for local cheap land or for land that is not entirely worked out by long cropping and to look outside his own district. Western Canada is a country that should receive the consideration of all such men. The Western Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are essentially agricultural territory.

Out of 478 million acres there are 180 million acres of first-class agricultural land actually available for development—a block three and a half times as large as the total land area of Minnesota, and equal to the combined land areas of Minnesota, Iowa, Wisconsin, Illinois and Indiana.

But whereas the population of the five states mentioned is fifteen million people, the population of Western Canada is only about one and three-quarter millions.

It has been said that the average yield per acre of wheat in the United States last year was 17 bushels. This average does not, of course, represent the efficiency which may have been reached by individual farmers or by individual states. However, place against this figure the fact that the 1915 Western Canadian average—the average from nearly twelve million acres—was over 30 bushels. In the case of the Province of Alberta, the average reached 32.84 bushels per acre.

There are already a large number of American farmers in Western Canada, so that the newcomer could never—overlooking the fact that the same language is spoken—feel himself in an alien country. There seems, in fact, a tendency to establish little colonies composed of those coming from the same sections. The characteristics of the country, and the climate and season, are very much the same as in Minnesota or North Dakota. Social conditions bear a family resemblance. Education is free, and is good; its cost being defrayed partly by taxation, partly by grants from the Canadian Government, from the sales of school lands, of which, when the country was first surveyed, two sections in every township were allocated. Taxation in every rural district, in many towns and cities, is based practically on land values alone, improvements of all kinds being exempted.—Advertisement.

Did as He Was Told.

"Do you know," said Reggie, confidently, "I never had played a game of golf in my life, and when I asked the old Scotchman what was the first thing for me to do, he looked at me just like this and said: 'Hoot mon.'"

"Then what did you do?"

"Why, I hooted, of course."

For sores, apply Hanford's Balsam lightly. The older the case the longer it will take, but it will help the hard cases, even after other remedies fail. Adv.

Simple Way Out.

She—Now that you've got a raise of sixty a month, Tom, we can afford a more expensive flat.

He—But we're very comfortable here. How would it do if I asked the landlord to raise our rent?—Boston Evening Transcript.

A. Van Sickel of Sommerfield, Pa., says: "We have had calls for Hanford Balsam for miles around and have never had one bottle returned." Adv.

Change of Scene.

"Your condition is very serious," said the doctor; "very serious indeed. What you need is an entire change of scene."

The patient seemed puzzled. "But, doctor—" he began.

"There's no but about it," insisted the physician. "A complete change of scene is the only thing that will cure you. By the way, what is your occupation?"

"I'm a scene shifter.—New York Globe.

A form of rubber stamp has been invented for marking initials of owners of golf balls.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What Is Going On at Washington and in Other Sections of the Country.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

General Ramos, Mexican, was killed in a bloody battle at Jiminez, between a small force of de facto troops and several regiments of Villistas. Both sides suffered heavy losses.

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Nearly 100 Carranza soldiers were killed and many injured June 29 in a rear end collision between two troop trains at Catorce station, between San Luis Potosi and Saltillo, Mexico.

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Group of Mexicans are to be kept from approaching too closely to the American border in the New Mexico border patrol district, according to orders issued by Colonel H. C. Sickles, commanding the district.

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Routing 250 revolutionists, killing twenty-seven and capturing five, the American forces advancing on Santiago, San Domingo, suffered casualties of one killed, one seriously wounded and seven slightly hurt.

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Twenty-one Mexican soldiers were killed and twenty-five wounded in the clash between bluejackets on the gunboat Annapolis and Carranzistas at Mazatlan, June 18, according to officers of the naval transport Buffalo, which is in port at San Diego, Cal.

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The crisis precipitated by Villa's raid on Columbus, N. M., and culminating in the fight at Carrizal, Mexico, between American and Mexican troops, appears to have been dissipated by an amicable note from General Carranza, now in possession of United States officials.

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General P. Elias Calles, military commander of Sonora, issued a statement that he intended to preserve the best possible relations between Mexico and the United States along the Arizona-Sonora boundary, and would co-operate with the American authorities to that end.

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According to reports received in Columbus, N. M., 10,000 Carranzista cavalry have been mobilized at Bustillo, on the Mexican Northwestern, 12,000 men are at Villa Ahumada, 2,000 are at Guzman and General P. Elias Calles of Sonora is moving large bodies of troops toward the Sonora-Chihuahua border.

GENERAL.

Pierre, South Dakota, is saloonless as the result of the dry vote cast at the local option election held last spring.

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It will cost the United States about $1,500,000 to transport the New York National Guard to the border, it is said.

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Judge Landis of Chicago entered the formal decree dissolving the Associated Bill Posters and Distributors of the United States and Canada.

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Loss of at least seventeen lives and property damage which may total several millions of dollars resulted from the tropical storm which swept the east of gulf coast recently.

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Hans Tauscher, former German army officer and husband of Mme. Gadski, was acquitted by a jury of conspiracy to blow up the Welland canal at New York.

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A forest fire, starting six days ago in the Rocky Mountain National forest on Thompson creek in Colorado, has destroyed timber valued at $250,000.

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A Russo-Japanese political convention of two articles was signed at Petrograd, Russia, by the Russian minister of foreign affairs, and the Japanese ambassador. The object of convention is to unify the efforts of the two countries to maintain a lasting and constant peace in the far east.

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With three of the acknowledged leaders of the Industrial Workers of the World under arrest charged with murder in connection with the double killing at Biwabik, Minn., recently, and with miners reported returning to work in squads, Sheriff Meining of St. Louis county declared that the iron ore strike practically is over.

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The death rate among babies in New York, due to infantile paralysis, is alarming medical authorities. The scourge claimed fifty-nine lives from June 24 to July 1, while from January first until that time there were only seventeen deaths.

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The $500 spent annually by the city of Roswell, N. Y., for Fourth of July celebrations, was this year devoted to a fund for pensioning dependents of the National Guard contingent now in federal service.

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Kansas is short 45,000 workers in the harvest field. The need is so badly felt, especially near Great Bend, that salaries from $3 to $5 a day, besides board, have been offered.

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Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion of the world, was fouled by Ad Wolgast in the eleventh round of a scheduled fifteen-round no-decision bout at Denver. Welsh was awarded the contest.

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The need for harvesters in Kansas has become so great that a special representative probably will be sent to the east to visit foreign colonies to secure men, it was stated by State Labor Commissioner McBride.

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Hope that "the teachers in our public schools will not yield to the clamor for militarism" was voiced by William Jennings Bryan in an address before the National Education association at New York.

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Ralph de Palma won the 150-mile Automobile Derby at the Twin City Motor Speedway, Fort Snelling, Minn., covering the distance in one hour, 38 minutes, 49 and 24-100 seconds, an average speed of 91.08 miles an hour.

WASHINGTON.

The customs bureau of the treasury department has began an examination to learn the total amount of arms and ammunition that had been exported to Mexico within the last year.

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The senate adopted an amendment to the agricultural appropriation bill, appropriating $1,000,000 this fiscal year and $2,000,000 next year for enlarging the Appleton forest reserve.

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Though convinced that danger of war with Mexico has passed, the war department is to stand by its original intention to send all of the militiamen originally called to the border.

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There are 21,000,000 able-bodied men in the United States between the ages of 18 and 45, according to a special report by the census bureau, as to the nation's resources in men of military fitness.

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All army departmental commanders have been authorized by Secretary Baker to discharge enlisted men of the National Guard in the federal service who have one or more dependent relatives.

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Extra pay for foreign service will be allowed the American troops serving across the Mexican border, under a decision by Comptroller Warwick of the treasury. Enlisted men will receive 20 per cent additional and officers 10 per cent.

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The largest check ever drawn by a postmaster general of the United States has just been drawn by Albert Sidney Burleson for $54,253,962.31, representing the amount disbursed by postmasters for running expenses during January, February and March of this year.

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Creation of nonpartisan tariff commission of six members with broad inquisitorial powers, is proposed in the general revenue bill introduced by representative Mann of the house. The bill will raise between $210,000,000 and $225,000,000 of additional revenue by reclassification of the surtax on incomes, a tax on estates and on war munitions plants.

WAR NEWS.

Petrograd reports Russian troops have captured the village and railway station of Mikuliczyn, thirty-eight miles south of Stanislau, thus cutting one of the main Austrian lines of communication to Lemberg.

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The German war office has officially admitted that the French have captured Belloy-En-Santerre, south of the river Somme, and that the Germans have also evacuated the village of Hem, on the north bank.

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On the Verdun front the Germans have taken the Thiaumont work for the fourth time, after a terrific bombardment and by a massed attack. Around this work, which has been the center of desperate attacks and counter attacks for many days past, thousands of men have fallen.

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Seven hundred and fifty-three communes, or townships, have been partly or totally destroyed through military operations in France since the beginning of the war, according to statistics gathered by the ministry of the interior.

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Nearly half a million Austrians and Germans have been put out of commission since General Brussiloff began his great advance a month ago, Petrograd reports. The grand total of prisoners to date is in round numbers 235,000, of which 4,500 are officers.

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Published lists of casualties in the British army for the month of May show that 466 were killed, 1,080 wounded and fifty-five missing—a total of 1,601. This brings the aggregate losses of officers since the commencement of the war to 27,905.

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The kaiser is reported to have arrived on the western front, accompanied by members of his general staff, who will direct the defense of the German lines in the great allied offensive.

FRENCH CONTINUE GREAT OFFENSIVE; TROOPS NEAR GOAL

TROOPS WITHIN ONE MILE OF PERONNE—IMPORTANT RAILWAY CENTER AT MERCY OF ANGLO-FRENCH GUNS.

FALL OF CITY IS BELIEVED QUESTION OF FEW HOURS

French Lines Drawn Close—Small Field Guns Now Within Easy Range of Historic Town—Berlin Claims Russians Checked in East And Town Taken in West.

Berlin, July 11.—The capture of Trones wood, La Maisonette farm and the village of Barleux by German troops was announced by the war office in its report on operations along the western front.

The Germans have checked the Russian forces, advancing in Volhynia in the direction of Kovel, the war office announced.

The Russian troops moving toward the Stokhod line were everywhere repulsed.

Within One Mile of Peronne.

Paris, July 11.—The French have advanced their line south of the Somme a mile and a half, capturing the German third line positions along a length of three and one-half miles, and are now within a mile of Peronne. French critics believe that the capture of Peronne now is a question almost of hours.

By advancing in the region of Barleux, the French brought up their right wing to within less than two miles of the Somme south of Peronne. The village of Blaches, captured in the night lunge, lies less than a mile northwest of Peronne on the Somme.

The French now threaten in their next burst on the south bank of the Somme to squeeze the Germans out of all their positions west of the river in the bend of the Somme. The Germans already have withdrawn their heavy guns to the east bank of the river.

The historic city of Peronne is at the mercy of French guns. French lines are now drawn so close that not only long range pieces, but small field guns are placed within easy range of the Peronne railway station.

Great Gain in Week.

During the first eight days of the great allied offensive the French have advanced on a 10 mile front to a depth of from three to five miles, it was stated. The greatest advance was made along the south bank of the Somme, where the capture of Blaches advanced the French front nearly six miles from its former position.

The war office reported a lull on the French front north of the Somme.

A new attack was launched in the Champagne by the French. The war office announced the capture of trenches over a front of 500 meters.

REFUSE TO JOIN VILLA; MEXICANS MUTILATED

Tops of Ears Cut Off, De Facto Leader Hears—Several Hundred Branded —General Mutiny Planned.

El Paso, Texas, July 11.—Cutting off the top of one ear, Villistas are branding Mexicans who refuse to join them against the de facto government, General Gonzales of Juarez has informed state department agents. Several hundred men in Southern Chihuahua have already been mutilated in this manner, Gonzales stated.

Reports of a large Villa force moving toward the Texas Big Bend country, rumors of revolt in the Carranzista ranks, indications of a Villista victory south of Jiminez and lifting of the embargo on foodstuffs and fuel to Mexico opened the day's Mexican developments here.

Former Villistas to the number of 5,000, now in the Carranza army, are reported to have laid plans to mutiny.

Tries to Kill Argentine Ruler.

Buenos Aires, July 11.—An attempt to assassinate President de la Plaza was made by a self-styled anarchist. The president was standing on a balcony of the government building, reviewing some troops, when a man in the crowd of spectators suddenly drew a revolver and fired at him. The shot went wild and the would-be assassin was arrested.

American Refugees Land.

San Francisco, July 11.—Thirty nine American refugees from Guadalajara, Mex., have arrived here aboard the Pacific mail steamer San Jose. The party was in charge of William B. Davis, American vice consul at Guadalajara.

70,000 U. S. Troops On Border.

San Antonio, July 11.—The United States now has more than 70,000 troops on the Mexican border. This army is being constantly increased by the arrival of militiamen. The recent raids in this Big Bend country, and the reports that a large band of Villistas is headed that way, has caused General Funston to plan the disposition of most of the national guardsmen in that region. The Big Bend country presents great difficulties to the maintenance of an army, as each town must be reached by motor trucks.

AUSTRIANS IN TRAP ON EASTERN FRONT; CZAR'S ARMY GAINS

TEUTON FORCE ESTIMATED AT 30,000 MEN CUT OFF SOUTHWEST OF KOLOMEA BY SUDDEN INFANTRY DASH.

TRY TO SQUEEZE ENEMY AGAINST CARPATHIANS

Russians Catch Austrians in Vise—Aeroplane Scouts Report Withdrawal of Heavy Artillery on Right Wing—Kaiser's Allies Prepare for General Retreat.

Petrograd, July 10.—An Austrian force estimated at between 20,000 and 30,000 has been cut off by the Russians southwest of Kolomea. The Austrians were massed east of the railway leading southward through Jablonitza pass.

The sudden dash of a Russian infantry body that seized the railway station of Mikluiczvn cut off their retreat to the south. The right wing of the same Russian army, advancing westward upon Nadovorna severed their connection with the Austrian forces to the north.

Scouts Report Retreat.

The latest reports to the war office said that Russian troops were attempting to squeeze the Austrians against the foothills of the Carpathians and effect their capture before they can escape through the mountain passes.

Russian aeroplane scouts report the withdrawal of enemy heavy artillery on the right wing of General von Bothmer's Austro-German army. There are other indications that Von Bothmer, hard pressed by the Russians, advancing on Nadovorna and Stanislau, is preparing to fall back on the whole Galician front.

Slavs Take Villages.

From the Volhynian battle ground northward, the Germans continue a most stubborn defense. Both on the Riga-Dvinsk front and in the fighting around Sokul, where the Russians have made further progress, the enemy is counterattacking with great vigor.

The Russian advance in the Czartorysk region in which the attacking German troops were thrown back yesterday, has been pushed further. The war office has announced the capture of villages of Dolzyca and Gruziatyn. The number of German and Austrian prisoners continue to increase.

Gruziatyn is 30 miles southwest of Kovel. Dolzyca is on the main road from Kolki to Maniewicze station on the Kovel-Sarney railway, the capture of which has been reported.

BANDITS REPORTED ON WAY TO RAID BORDER

Villistas Rushing Northward Toward Big Bend According to Information Received in El Paso.

El Paso, July 10.—Villistas are rushing toward the Big Bend to raid American towns, according to information received here.

Sweeping across the Chihuahua wastes from Falomir, toward La Mula pass, a band of Villistas of unknown strength is reported to be moving toward Ojinaga and the small American settlements in the Big Bend border country.

Villa's "Wounds" Healed.

It is said that Villa's wounds were caused by a bullet that passed through the back muscles of both thighs without striking a bone and that Villa has recovered sufficiently to walk with a limp and to ride with greater ease, the statement said.

The bandits are believed to be the same of whom Carranza warned Secretary Lansing.

NEW BLOCKADE REGULATIONS

Royal Order in Council Issued by King George of England.

London, July 10.—King George has issued a royal order in council withdrawing all previous orders in council under the declaration of London and announcing new principles under which the blockage of Germany will be conducted.

The new order-in-council stipulates that the hostile destination of any ship carrying contraband of war is presumed until contrary is shown. This stipulation permits British warships to hold up suspected neutral ships which must then offer proof that their cargoes are not ultimately destined for enemy countries to avoid seizure.

Austrian Retreat Cut Off.

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HEAT FLASHES, DIZZY, NERVOUS

Mrs. Wynn Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her During Change of Life.

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In Suspense.

"Where are you going this summer?"

"I can't say," replied Senator Sorghum. "Maybe I won't know where I am now on the way to until the election returns are in next November."

Messrs. Nicholson & Stuhr of Cheyenne, Wyo., say: "We know from personal experience that Hanford's Balsam will do all and more than you claim for it." Adv.

The Lazy Sexton.

Here is the story of a gravedigger who, after hard toil at a grave, found all his labor in vain owing to the soil slipping and almost filling in the grave again.

After indulging in such language as a church sexton might reasonably use, he got a bright idea.

Placing his cap and jacket near the edge of the grave aond hiding his spade, he forthwith proceeded to hide himself.

In a few minutes up came a visitor to the graveyard. Seeing the fallen-in grave and the cap and jacket, he raised an alarm that the sexton was buried alive. Brawny arms and spades were soon forthcoming, and in a short time the grave was once more dug out, but no sexton was found.

Their perplexity gave way to indignation when the sexton emerged from a clump of trees with a pleased grin on his face and thanked them!

River Above Suspicion.

"It's all wrong to assume that everything relating to rivers and harbors has something to do with a pork barrel."

"That's right," replied Senator Sorghum. "There's no sign of pork, for instance, around this proposition to improve conditions along the Rio Grande."

A woman pats a strange baby much as a man pats a strange canine.

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Count One for Small Boy.

A small boy astride of a donkey was taking some supplies to an army camp in Texas not long ago, and got there just as a detachment of soldiers, preceded by a band, was marching past.

The lad dismounted and held the bridle of the donkey tightly in his hand.

"Why are you holding on to your brother so hard?" asked a group of soldiers who were standing near and wanted to tease the country boy.

"I'm afraid he might enlist," said the lad, without batting an eyelash.—Chicago News.

Use Hanford's Balsam for nail in the foot. Adv.

Sure Proof of Love.

"Are you sure that Sam really loves you?"

"Certainly. I trumped his ace in a bridge game the other day and he admitted publicly that I had reason for thinking it the proper thing to do."—Detroit Free Press.

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Boots.

"When I was a little boy I wanted a pair of boots with tops that reached to my knees."

"Times have changed."

"Yes. Now my daughter wants them."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Not to Be Caught.

Doctor—Now, suppose a man is suddenly brought to you suffering from trench feet, how would you treat him?

British Medical Corps Recruit (who knows the rigor of the new liquor licensing laws)—No, sir, you don't catch me that way, sir, I shouldn't treat him at all.—The Passing Show.

Pride is said to go before a fall. Anyway, a woman's pride usually gives way before her tears begin to fall.

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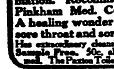

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What's Doing in Minnesota

Washington, D. C. — A statement made public by the census bureau shows that there are 505,187 able-bodied men in Minnesota capable of performing military service.

Kellogg. — After sixty years' continuous residence on a farm near Kellogg, Minn., taken up as a homestead, Mrs. Margaret Toomey Keating died yesterday. She was 81 years old.

Duluth. — June proved to be the record ore month of the Great Lakes, with total shipments from the Lake Superior district of 9,507,576 tons. Shipments since opening of navigation are 19,615,567 tons.

Brainerd. — Teaching a friend how to swim cost the life of Ben Arnold of Brainerd at Clark lake, when both encountered deep water. His companion struggled to safety. Efforts to resuscitate Arnold with a pulmotor failed.

Minneapolis. — Dr. J. Frank Corbett, associate professor of surgery at the University of Minnesota, has left for Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas, to take up his duties as a member of the regular army reserve medical corps.

Fairmont. — Judge J. H. Quinn has filed an order denying a new trial to Ole O. Solem, convicted recently of having poisoned his mother-in-law and given a life sentence at Stillwater. His attorneys will prepare an appeal to the supreme court.

Winona. — Clad in a pair of overalls and a blue jacket, Joseph Meyer, who was run out of Co. C, Second infantry, at Camp Bobleter, when he refused to take the Federal oath, arrived in Winona on the blind baggage of a local passenger train.

St. Paul. — A personal bond of $200,000 for Louis W. Hill, as administrator of the estate of his father, James J. Hill, has been filed with Clerk Fred Gosewisch of the Ramsey county probate court. Judge E. W. Bazille formally appointed Mr. Hill administrator.

Hibbing. — Raiding a shack in the Carson lake locality, near Hibbing, where is located the Leetonia mine, officers of the sheriff's force in the Hibbing district discovered one shotgun, two loaded rifles, two knives and a brickbat, marked with the letters I. W. W.

St. Paul. — At a meeting of Northern Minnesota Boosters, held at the Capitol, plans were discussed for a six days' tour of Southern Minnesota, in the interest of Constitutional amendment No. 1, which provides for a revolving fund for the reclamation of state lands and which will be voted on next fall.

Faribault. — William Alcock of Kenyon was killed near here while returning with a party of eight young people from a dance at one of the lakes. The party was in an automobile and the car went into a creek. Alcock was riding on the running board and was pinned under the car and drowned. The others escaped injury.

Camp Bobleter, Fort Snelling.—When the Minnesota guardsmen entrain for the south neither their destination nor route will be made public. This was the statement of Lieut. Col. Arthur Johnson, following instructions received from the war department. Fear of accident to troop trains has compelled this order, he said.

St. Paul. — If a rider now attached to the federal appropriation bill gets by the Senate the Minnesota state board of grain appeals will be practically put out of business. This is the opinion of O. P. B. Jacobson, who has returned from Washington, where he interviewed the Minnesota delegation regarding the Moss act.

Bena.—At the conclusion of a three days' celebration here the Mississippi river valley Chippewa Indians drafted a petition to be presented to the next congress calling for a government allotment of eighty acres more land for each member of the tribe. They ask that the land be taken from the national forest preserve in Cass county.

Camp Bobleter, Fort Snelling.—"Slackers"—men who refused to take the Federal oath of allegiance—will be dismissed from the camp and dealt with according to state law, it has just been announced. The number of these is too small to concern the war department with at this time and the state regulations will be utilized to cover these cases.

Duluth. — A score of police and sheriff's men are guarding the St. Louis county jail in this city, where are lodged seven I. W. W. members, charged with first degree murder in connection with the shooting of Deputy Sheriff James Myron and a bystander at Biwabik. Three of the men are leaders, being Carlo Tresca, F. H. Little and Joseph Gilday. They were not implicated in the actual shooting, but at the order of the county attorney, Warren Greene, were arrested. The sheriff had been warned a rescue might be attempted by the strikers.

Mankato. — A meeting of representatives of the commercial clubs of Mankato, Rochester, Albert Lea, Austin, Owatonna and other points in southern Minnesota was held in this city to consider ways and means for starting an action before the interstate commerce commission to have the arbitrary differential freight rate on goods from the east, in favor of the Twin Cities, done away with. This differential, which ranges from 20 cents a 100 pounds down, according to classification, has hampered the business interests of the smaller cities, it is said.

FEDERAL ACTION MAY SETTLE SUIT

SURVEY WOULD END OVERFLOW OF FARM LANDS—NORTH DAKOTA SUES FOR MILLION.

EVENTS AT STATE CAPITOL

Interesting and Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Selected and Arranged for the Convenience of Busy Readers.

St. Paul.

The drainage trouble between Minnesota and North Dakota, which has led the latter state to file a $1,000,000 damage suit for overflowed lands, may be settled by federal action which will result in reservoir control of the headwaters, both of the Red river and the Minnesota river, according to information received by Representative L. C. Spooner of Morris.

"I am advised by Senator Knute Nelson," said Mr. Spooner, "that there has been included in the pending rivers and harbors bill a paragraph providing for a federal survey of Big Stone and Traverse lakes and their basins, with a view to control of the floodwaters of territory adjacent to the lakes."

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Twine to Cost More.

Indications are that the farmers of Minnesota will pay an increased price for their binding twine next year. This is forecast in raises in the price of sisal received by the state board of control. According to the members of the board, who are now preparing to buy raw material for next year's binding twine to be manufactured at the Stillwater prison, prices of Yucatan sisal have been boosted from 30 to 50 per cent.

The board was preparing to purchase 200 bales of sisal, but was compelled to withdraw its order because of the raise. This year the prison product is being sold to the farms at 8¾ cents a pound, but the chances are that the figure next year will be near 12 cents. This year's prices are now 2 cents in excess of a year ago.

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Farmers' League To Expand.

The Nonpartisan Political league of North Dakota, which scored such a sweeping victory in the primaries in that state, is turning its eyes to Minnesota and to a group of midwest states situated similarly to North Dakota, for the purpose of launching a campaign to bring them under the control of the organization.

Officers of the North Dakota league are signing contracts with organizers to work in Minnesota. The first activities of the league in Minnesota are in Bygland township, in Polk County, just a few miles from East Grand Forks. The farmers are said to be paying their money to the organizers and signing up for a program similar in nature to that proposed for North Dakota.

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To Assist Country Papers.

In the interest of a proposed bureau to handle national advertising for country newspapers, advocated by the Minnesota Editorial association, a comprehensive survey of the newspapers of the state will be made soon by the department of journalism of the University of Minnesota.

A questionnaire has been prepared and will be sent to the publishers soon. W. B. Kirkwood, department of journalism of the University, believes a central advertising agency can furnish live papers, with 1,000 or 2,000 subscribers, with $500 worth of national advertising each year, resulting in a profit to the publisher, the national advertiser, and the local advertiser.

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Enthusiastic for Roads.

Enthusiasm in automobile road work is running high in Northern Minnesota, according to J. H. Mullen, deputy state highway engineer, who has returned from a 1,200-mile trip thru Minnesota in inspecting routes proposed for the Jefferson highway. The inspection party of six, which left St. Paul June 25, was accompanied by an escort of not less than ten cars for the whole length of the trip, and at several towns as many as eighty-five cars formed an escort.

Good roads meetings were held at practically every village and city of importance, and most of them got out the bands and celebrated.

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Burnquist Signs Commission.

Governor J. A. A. Burnquist has signed the commission of Lieutenant Hugh McGee, United States cavalry, as lieutenant colonel of the First regiment to succeed Lieutenant Colonel F. B. Rowley, resigned. Lieutenant McGee is a Minneapolis man. He attended the University of Minnesota until he received an appointment to West Point in 1905, from which he was graduated in the class of 1909 and was assigned to the Second cavalry, with which he is still connected.

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Hundred Seek Pardons.

Nearly 100 inmates of Stillwater prison and St. Cloud reformatory have applied for pardon or commutation of sentence, and these were considered by the state pardon board at its quarterly meeting. Conspicuous among the applicants are Henry Prolow, who was sent to Stillwater from Goodhue county August 6, 1906, for life for murder in the first degree. He was an old steamboat engineer. W. M. Hall, another lifer, who was sent up from Blue Earth county is an applicant.

Up-to-Date.

Captain Sparks had just been placed in charge of the country fire station and looked a very important personage as he conducted a visitor round the premises. This, notwithstanding the fact that the engine resembled nothing so much as a street roast potato oven joined to a village pump, and other uncanny-looking appliances which were neither useful nor ornamental.

The visitor was duly impressed, but one thing puzzled him.

"Why," he said, "you don't seem to have either a telegraph or telephone installation in the village. How do you summon your men when a fire breaks out?"

The captain was equal to the occasion.

"Oh, that's simple enough," he replied. "We sends 'em all a postcard."—London Tit-Bits.

A woman can make a neighborly call in two minutes—that is, if you will allow her 15 minutes for saying good-by.

Restitution if made would often prevent destitution.

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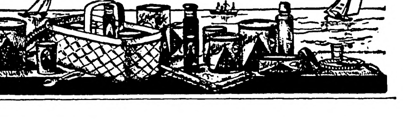

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Oculist (pointing to his test card)—Can you read these letters?

Patient—No, doctor.

Oculist—Well, then, these?

Patient—No, doctor.

Oculist (impatiently pointing to the largest letters)—Well, these, then?

Patient—No, doctor.

Oculist—Why, hang it all, how is that possible?

Patient—Because I never learned to read.

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Suffer with Rheumatism or Neuritis, acute or chronic, write for my FREE BOOK on Rheumatism—Its Cause and Cure. Most wonderful book ever written, it's absolutely FREE. Jesse A. Case, Dept. C. W., Brockton, Mass.—Adv.

Experienced.

Willie—Pa, what comes after a million?

Mr. Roxleigh—The fortune-hunter, my son.—Boston Transcript.

Sold upon merit—Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Woud Help to Find Him.

A woman entered the police station in a Massachusetts town and in a confused, agitated manner implored the officer in charge to have a nearby river dragged.

"My husband has been threatening for some time to drown himself," she explained, "and he's been missing now for three days."

"Anything peculiar about him by which he can be recognized?" the officer questioned, preparing to fill out a description blank.

The woman meditated thoughtfully for a few moments, then her face brightened.

"Why, yes, he's deaf."

Surely Needed Aid.

One of the benevolent societies of Providence received this letter among several others in the morning mail recently:

"This unfortunate young man is the only son of a widow, who died childless, and his earnings maintained his aged father and two young sisters, whose sole support he is."

The secretary of the society wrote on the margin of the note:

"The circumstances of the case are evidently exaggerated."

Solomonlike Judgment

Two brothers inherited a farm and quarreled violently as to its division.

Now there lived in their village a certain shrewd and wise old man, noted for the soundness of his advice. Him the brothers determined to appoint arbitrator. Whatever he said they should abide by.

They laid the matter before him.

For a long while he thought, then delivered judgment.

"You," said he, pointing to the elder, "shall divide the farm as you think fair. And you," he continued, pointing to the younger, "shall have the first choice."

Sounded Ominous.

"He insists that he is not worthy of me."

"I don't like the sound of that. Better look up his financial rating again, girlie."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Vegetarians have never been able to explain why the first sin was the result of eating fruit.

After a man gets married he is no longer self-possessed.

A kiss by moonlight is one of love's strongest arguments.

How we dislike to meet a man who acts as if our time were his.

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You can prevent this loathsome disease from running through your stable and cure all the colts suffering with it when you begin the treatment. No matter how young, SPOHN'S is safe to use on any colt. It is wonderful how it prevents all distempers, no matter how colts or horses at any age are "exposed." All good druggists and turf goods houses and manufacturers sell SPOHN'S at 50 cents and $1 a bottle; $5 and $10 a dozen. SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemists and Bacteriologists, Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.

USUALLY WORKS THAT WAY

Hopkins Senior Had an Experience That Falls to the Lot of the Majority of Married Men.

Young Hopkins had become a happy Benedict, and his father thought it advisable to administer to him a curtain lecture on how to make marriage a success.

"When you have any differences of opinion," he began, "if you are not able to persuade your wife that you are right—and you probably will not be able to do so—you must compromise."

"Yes, father," replied the son, respectfully.

"And in this connection I will give you a little experience of my own to illustrate my point. Well do I remember that your mother desired to spend one summer in Switzerland, while I was equally anxious to go to Brighton."

"And how did you arrange a compromise, father?"

"Well, we stayed from Friday to Monday at Brighton and spent the rest of the summer in Switzerland."

"My sympathy is enlisted in this movement against Mexico. Is yours?"

"Yes, and so am I."

But a woman would rather be tailor made than self-made.

The stronger the butter in the tub the weaker it is in the market.

England May Adopt Baseball.

Baseball has at last obtained a firm foothold in England and is being played to such an extent in and around London by Canadians whom the war has brought over that a league has been formed among teams drawn from the army pay office and other colonial units, the staffs of the various Canadian military hospitals and munition workers, the New York Times says.

With the football season extending from September 1 to April 30, and cricket occupying the summer months, baseball had never been considered seriously, but since the outbreak of the war, when county cricket was abandoned, the Canadians have succeeded in arousing such enthusiasm in baseball that its future seems assured.

A Tough Luck.

"We lead a hard life," said the doctor.

"So?" asked the layman.

"Yes," replied the M. D. "Even when a patient dies of an incurable disease the family blames the doctor."

Bag and Baggage.

"I notice one thing about hunting trips."

"What is that?"

"The baggage usually amounts to a good deal more than the bag."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A few good misses in the chorus are apt to help an opera to make a hit.

Post Toasties
"DELICIOUS!"

A New Use For This Word

The New Post Toasties are truly entitled to the word "delicious."

They're distinguished by the tiny bubbles found on each flake and they carry the full, rich flavour of choice, white Indian corn — not found in corn flakes of the past.

And unlike common corn flakes they are not "chaffy" in the package and don't grow mushy in milk or cream.

Note carefully the tiny bubbles—then try a handful dry to test the flavour. In comparison, other corn flakes are as "chaff."

New Post Toasties

Sold by Grocers everywhere.

Local Items

For hay land to rent see Holt State Bank.

Trade in Holt and save money enough to buy a farm.

Iver Engebretsen returned home Monday from Argyle.

R. Reierson went to T. R. Falls Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennies were over Sunday visitors with relatives in Thief River Falls.

The program for the teachers examinations in Warren July 24, 25 and 26 is published in this weeks paper.

Arthur Sorum went to Atkin Co., Tuesday, where he has employment at bridge work with the Northern Construction Co.

Mat Larson returned Monday from Fargo where he had been taking treatment for the past three weeks and is feeling better at present.

Mrs. Bagne and two children returned Saturday to their home in Gary after a pleasant visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Knutson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Stromstad of Perley, Minn. were here the first of the week looking for land and as they like the country, will probably buy in the near future.

The work of putting the stucco on the outside walls of the village hall was commenced Tuesday evening and the building will soon be completed and turned over to the village.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Olson returned Tuesday from Warren. The physician gave Mr. Olson some medicine which it is believed will cure him without having to have an operation.

There should be no less patriotism shown now, even if the difficulty seems settled at this time as it is apt to come up again. Hear the patriotic address at the Mission church at 8 o'clock next Monday evening July 17th.

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B. L. Backe returned Friday from a business trip to St. Paul.

Miss Betty Johnson was a visitor in T. R. Falls, the first of the week.

Mrs. Robert Spinks, of Remer visited her sister Mrs. B. Docken the first of the week.

T. E. Ellestad and B. L. Backe and their families visited at O. H. Nohre's Sunday.

Mrs. Huseth was taken sick Monday and Mr. H. was called home Tuesday from T. R. Falls.

The Grygla telephone line now has connection with the Holt lines. Workmen came Wednesday to do the necessary work.

Be patriotic and attend the patriotic services at the Mission church next Monday evening July 17th. This will be worth going several miles to hear. Be sure to be there.

Theodore Sollom drove to Goodridge Friday to spend a few days on his farm. His mother and brother Johnny and sisters, Evelyna and Myrtle went along for an outing.

Village Notice for Bids

For Engine, Dynamo, Pump and Well

The village council of the village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids up to 8 o'clock P. M. Tuesday July 25th 1916, for the following purposes, to-wit:

For a gasoline or oil engine, 35 or 40 horsepower;

For a force pump, capacity 300 to 400 gallons per minute;

For a 120 kilowatt dynamo;

For 700 feet of fire hose and hose cart;

For drilling a well four inches in diameter and furnishing the casing.

The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

S. S. Kolden, President.

H. B. Young, Clerk.

Southeast of Holt.

The church picnic given at the S. G. Moe home on Sunday was attend by a very large crowd. About $30.00 was taken in.

Carl Gutterud made a business trip to Holt on Monday.

Albert Klungness was on the sick list last week.

Gilbert Brethein who has been teaching a term of perochial school in this vicinity, left for his home in Northwood, N. Dak. on Monday.

Chester Larson of Golden Valley is staying with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe while his mother is in T. R. Falls having some dental work done.

Mrs. H. T. Tweten and Anna & Tors Tweten of Germantown visited at the S. Moe home home the first of the week. They were accompanied back by Miss Gunda Moe who will visit there for a few days before returning to her home.

Don't forget to attend the church picnic at the Mrs. H. P. Peterson home Sunday July 16th.

Steiner

R. L. Muzzy is having a fine piece of breaking done. Nick Baker is doing the work.

Ivan Ose called at the J. A. Russell home Saturday.

Miss Josie Hasby returned home July 3rd. and spent the 4th. of July in T. R. Falls, returning to Halma July 6th.

Quite a number of young people from around here attended the club meeting in Rosewood schoolhouse Saturday evening.

G. L. Leisner drove to Thief River Falls in his car Saturday night.

John Meyers has been on the sick list the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Copp visited at the home of their bachelor son.

Mrs. J. A. Russell and son Irvin made a business trip to T. R. Falls Saturday.

Rev. Parish of T. R. Falls held services in Steiner school house Sunday. He will be here July 23rd. at 2:30 P. M.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Hoffman Bros. have purchased Bert Odie's Ford auto.

Ole Reierson went out to his Mud Lake claim Tuesday to put up a winters supply of hay.

Do you believe in patriotism? There is need of it now if ever. Hear the patriotic sermon at the Mission church Monday evening July 17

John Sorum has been loading culverts at the station here for shipment for a Fargo firm. These culverts were shipped here for the road next to ditch No. 11, and were refused.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY

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Sam Mickelson, Holt, Minn.

Notice of Annual School Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting in District No. 85 in Marshall Co., Minn., for the Election of Officers and the transaction of other business required by law at the Annual Meeting, will be held at the School House on the 15th day of July 1916, at seven o'clock P. M.

Dated this 3rd day of July 1916

B. Docken, District Clerk.

Examinations For

Common School Certificates

July 24, 25 and 26

Warren, Minnesota

Monday, July 24:

A. M.—8:00 to 8:45 Enrollment
—8:45 to 9:15 Spelling
—9:15 to 10:00 Penmanship
—10:00 to 12:00 Arithmetic

P. M.—1:15 to 3:00 Geography
—3:00 to 4:00 Composition
—4:00 to 5:00 Reading

Tuesday, July 25:

A. M.—8:00 to 9:45 U. S. History
—9:45 to 11:30 English Grammar
—11:30 to 12:00 Music

P. M.—1:15 to 2:45 Physiology & Hygiene
—2:45 to 4:00 Civics.
—4:00 to 4:45 Drawing

Wednesday, July 26:

A. M.—8:00 to 8:30 Enrollment
—8:30 to 10:15 Geometry
—10:15 to 12:00 Physics

P. M.—1:15 to 2:45 Algebra
—2:45 to 4:15 Physicial Geography or General History
—4:15 to 5:15 Agriculture

If Geography, Physiology-Hygiene or Algebra do not require the full time, the remaining time may be used for the subjects that follow.

David Johnson, Co. Supt.

Citation for Hearing

on Petition for Administration

Estate of John Hanson.

In The Matter Of The Estate Of John Hanson, Deceased.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court:

The State Of Minnesota To George J. Hanson, Ludvig F. Hanson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of George J. Hanson having been filed in this court, representing that John Hanson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 26th day of June 1916; and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to B. Docken, of Holt, Minnesota, and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of August 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 7th day of July 1916.

Peter H. Holm,

[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minnesota

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People's Cash Store

Holt Minnesota

Joe Nelson went to Crookston yesterday to work for a couple of months.

Yesterday was an exceedingly hot day, too hot for comfort and almost too hot for the growing grain.

Andrew Ness and family came up from T. R. Falls Sunday and spent the day at the R. Reierson home.

O. P. Ness and Seigvart Mosoby, both of Battle Lake, visited the former's brother, August Ness, from Monday until Thursday.

Miss Amanda Mickelson went to Crookston last week and secured a position as stenographer with the Crookston Granite Works Co., and returned there Wednesday to take up her duties.

Mrs. Kjelgren's horse which was hitched to a post near Sollom's store was frightened Tuesday by a little commotion on the sidewalk and breaking loose, ran away and smashed the buggy all to pieces.

Bank Statement

Bank No. 1004.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on June 30, 1916.

Date of report by bank, July 6, 1916.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$42,284 18
Overdrafts		948 01
Bonds and Securities		27 02
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,654 13
Other Real Estate		101 29
Due from Banks	1,808 39	
Cash on hand	233 70	
Total cash assets		2,042 09
Checks and cash Items		1,093 96
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		881 58
Interest Unearned		110 98
Total		$50,152 24
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2,000 00
Undivided Profits, Net		
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		13,054 83
Deposits Subject to Check	$11,598 80	
Cashier's Checks	512 87	
Due to Banks	9 60	
Total Immediate Liabilities	12,121 27	
Time Certificates	12,976 14	
Total Deposits	25,097 41	
Total		$50,152 24
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$3,136 05
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$2,424 25

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, Lars Backe President, and Bertil Sollom Asst. Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LARS BACKE, President.
Bertil Sollom, Asst. Cashier.

Correct Attest: B. L. Backe
(Two) Directors H. J. Oien

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July 1916.

(Seal) Bertil L. Backe, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-1-1917

Bert Odie was a Thief River Falls business visitor the first of the week.

Miss Ida Reierson visited Miss Lillian Rustad severel days the past week.

Rudolph Anderson came home from Hillsboro, Saturday for a weeks vacation.

Rev. M. T. Strom went to Thief River Falls, Saturday, to hold Sunday services.

Mrs. Adolph Sollom and Myrtle Thomas came Wednesday to visit their sister Mrs. B. L. Backe.

Miss Hilma Nyberg went to Grand Forks, Saturday, to visit relatives for a week or ten days.

Rev. and Mrs. Levi Roseland of Crookston visited the Huseth and Oien families a short time Tuesday.

Master Abner Hoff of Park River N. D. visited his brother Ben a few days this week.

Mrs. E. A. Anderson of Bray twp. Pennington Co. came Monday to visit her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Sanberg.

T. A. Tobiason returned last week Thursday from Windom where he had been called by the death of his mother.

Mrs. P. Hoglin and children of T. R. Falls came Tuesday to visit at the B. Docken home returning to her home the next day.

P. L. Anderson, Bertil and Elmer Sollom, Clarence Docken and Peter Kolden went to Thief River Falls, Saturday evening, to see "The Birth of a Nation" movie.

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank at Holt, Minn., at close of business on June 30, 1916.

Date of call by Supt., June. 30, 1916.

Date of report by Bank, July. 12, 1916.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$83,240 96
Overdrafts		324 61
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		3,267 02
Other Real Estate		$2,900 00
Due from Banks	6930 74	
Cash on Hand	2497 43	
Total Cash Assets		9,428 17
Checks and Cash Items		3551 29
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		686 04
Total		$103,398 99
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$3,500.00
Undivided Profits, Net		
Notes Rediscouted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		3,000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$33,518.13	
Cashiers Checks	922.07	
Total Immediate Liabilities	34,441.10	
Time Certificates	52,457.89	
Total Deposits		86,898 99
Total		$103,398 99
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$9,428 17
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$3,655 82

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President,
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest C. H. GUNHEIM,
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of June, 1916.

[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims

and For Hearing Thereon

Estate Of Sven H. Johnson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Sven H. Johnson Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to Britta Johnson, It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 30th day of December 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS as provided by law.

Peter H. Holm
Judge of Probate.

Dated June 21st 1916.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. June 16, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Thora Anderson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Sept. 5th, 1911, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 06533, for Lot 8, Sec. 30, Twp. 156 N, Ran. 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 27th day of July 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

C. F. Birkland, Ole B. Johnson, Ole [illegible] and Peder Rosand, all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Pete. M. Ringdal, Register.

Hay for Sale.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Young went to T. R. Falls, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Andepson and his brother Frank returned home Monday from several days visit at Climax.

THERE'S WORK FOR ALL IN THIS CAMPAIGN

CLEAN UP AND PAINT UP

Women Can Take a Leading Part in This Movement for Beautiful, Sanitary and Safe Home Towns.

By LOUISE KERPER, Chairman Civic Committee, Ohio Federation of Women's Clubs

WOMEN are housekeepers. They are apt to see more clearly the need of municipal housecleaning than are men. Through our clubs we have an excellent opportunity to lead in "Clean Up and Paint Up" work. Here are some pointers for women who would help regenerate their community with a real "Clean Up and Paint Up" campaign:

Each campaign involves the renovation of the interiors of buildings as well as yards, streets and alleys.

The removal of all rubbish and useless things is most important.

Some revenue can be derived from the sale of waste paper.

During the "Clean Up and Paint Up" campaign is a good time to have rubbish cans placed upon street corners, for the deposit of paper.

Nothing will do more to improve the appearance of a town than the liberal use of paint.

Useless and unsightly outbuildings should be torn down.

Business houses need attention. Rubbish accumulates in cellars, under stairways, in storerooms, passageways, and in the rear of hotels and restaurants. Look out for RATS here.

A clean yard is not sufficient; it should be pleasing to the eye. Plant grass and flower seeds. Sod bare spots in lawns. Plant shrubs, vines and trees.

The thresholds of a town should be made inviting to the visitor.

This is a good time to find out about the sanitary ordinances of the town. How about the regulations in regard to garbage collection, the use of closed garbage cans, manure piles, spitting, toilets, etc.? Are they adequate? Are they enforced? Appoint a committee on this subject. Have the ordinance published and distributed widely.

It is very important that the "Clean Up and Paint Up" idea be impressed upon the minds of school children.

"GREATER THAN FIRE LOSS"

By PROF. H. H. KING, Kansas State Agricultural College.

LACK of paint causes a greater annual loss through deterioration than the aggregate Kansas fire loss for twelve months. Yes, there is much more reason for a real "Clean Up and Paint Up" campaign than the average layman would at first recognize.

Paint, as has often been said, serves more than the mere purpose of decoration. Its principal value lies in the fact that it prolongs the life of the surfaces painted.

Wood and iron, on exposure to the air, undergo a slow process of oxidation, which just as surely destroys them as though they were set on fire, the difference being the speed at which the reaction occurs.

We take out insurance to cover loss by fire and should just as surely put on paint to cover loss by decay. It takes very little calculation to discover the apparently astounding fact that the loss through lack of painting is greater in Kansas than the loss by fire.

When the property owner comes to a full realization of the true reason for painting there will be no need for public-spirited people to back up a National Campaign for such a purpose.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., June 14, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Charles H. Rossman, of Germantown, Minn., who, on May 31st, 1912, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 03042, for SW1-4, Sec. 3, Township 155 N, Ran. 41, W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Ruth C. Clark, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Grygla, Minn. on the 26th day of July, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John Warne, Rudolph Jensen, Ole Thoreldson and Adolph Jensen, all of Germantown, Minn.

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Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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DEPOSITS
A STATE BANK
A HOME BANK
LOANS

Your Liberty

Your forefathers fought and died for the political, religious and national liberty you now enjoy, but---

Your financial liberty in the future will depend on your ability and consistency in saving a part of what you earn.

Emergencies will not be able to enslave you, Poverty will never be known to you, if you are a Systematic Saver.

A small amount each week will insure your liberty in money matters for all time. Open your account with this Bank. Interest paid on deposits.

Farmers' State Bank
Holt - Minnesota
(The Bank with "The Mysterious Clock")

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
H. J. OIEN, Agent - - - - Holt, Minn.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

Auto Garage!

When in Middle River make our garage your headquarters. We have what you want, such as tires, tubes, jacks, pumps, spark-plugs, dry-alls, wires, fuses and other supplies. Try our splendid oil.

We do repairing promptly. Come in and use our "free air" system.

Opposite Sjoberg's store

Middle River Auto Co.
Rud & Dunrud, Props.

The Holt Weekly News!
Only $1.00 A Year
Send it to your friends

The Central Hotel Sold

Sam Mickelson closed a deal with Andrew C. Anderson, of Cass Lake one day last week, for the Central Hotel and Restaurant. Mr. Anderson will move here this week and take possession of the hotel. Mr. Mickelson will move his family into the home of his son-in-law, Racine Olson and has put up a small building on the land recently purchased of Guy Anderson in which to store his household goods.

Married

Clarence Kolden and Miss Edna Riesberg were married Wednesday evening in Thief River Falls. The ceremony took place at the Synod Lutheran parsonage, Rev. Aastad officiating. The News extends heartiest congratulations.

Read our new ads this week.

S. S. Kolden went to Thief River Falls, Saturday, on business.

A nice shower Monday livened up the crops and made everybody feel good.

Monday July 31st is the date of Dr. Turley's next visit to Holt. See him for dental work.

Mrs. M. E. Carlson and baby of Lancaster came Sunday to visit her husband at the depot.

Axel Nelson went to Thief River Falls Monday and returned home Tuesday with a fine new auto of the O[illegible]and make.

H. M. Olson has gone to Milton, N. D., where he expects to have work for several months.

Olaus Rodahl shipped his cement machine to Leonard, Tuesday, to use in building the foundation for D. Payne's new house there

The Holt Merc. Co., have installed a sidewalk gasoline pump and tank. It's minghty handy, all you have to do is to sit there and smoke your pipe ? ? ? and watch the gasoline run.

P. L. Anderson, Clarence Kolden, Arnold Boernstein and Clarence Docken went to Crookston, Saturday to attend the fair and see the big auto races, which they report as being good.

G. L. Cook
Contractor and Builder
Cement work, all kinds

Plans and Specifications cheerfully furnished

Let us figure on your work

Recommendations furnished upon request. Give me a trial. Satisfaction guaranteed.

G. L. COOK
R. 1, Holt, Minn.

B. Docken left Wednesday on a ten days business and pleasure trip to Niagara Falls, Toronto, the Thousand Islands and New York City via Duluth and the Great Lakes.

D. Payne came from Leonard Saturday and visited over Sunday with friends in Holt. Mr. Payne drove his auto back to Leonard, Monday, accompanied by Olaus Rodahl. Sam Mickelson and John Hagberg, who will put up a house for the former. We understand Mr. Payne will soon quit the lumber business to engage in banking. Personally, we think he is making a mistake, for the lumber dealer ought to get rich at present prices. However we wish Mr. Payne success in his venture.

In Church Circles.

Mrs. C. O. Saastad will entertain the Sunshine Society next Saturday afternoon, July 22. All welcome.

Sacred Concert at 1 o'clock next Sunday afternoon in the Holt Synod church, by a choir from Hazel.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet in the church basement Friday July 28th. All ladies are requested to help with the entertainment.

Preaching services and communion next Sunday July 23, at 10:45, Holt Synod church, by Rev. M. B. Ordahl. Confirmation services same afteroon at 4 o'clock in District No. 148 of East Valley.

P. O. Reierson has finished the carpenter work on his house and will move into it this week.

E. A. Erickson has bought lumber of our local yard for a barn about 32x40 which he will soon build.

The U. S. Land Office at Crookston have decided the cases against some of the squatters on the Mud Lake bottoms. So far they have reported unfavorably on the fillings of O. A. Thompson, B. L. Backe and Otto Larson.

B. Docken was elected clerk of the school board at the annual meeting. P. A. Riesberg having previously resigned, the board is now composed of the following members: E. T. Ellestad, president; C. O. Saastad treasurer; and B. Docken clerk.

Cream Separators

Sharples Tubular are the Best, Cleanest skimming Cream Separators in the world.

When you need a new Cream Separator, Buy a Sharples Tubular and get the Best Results.

Runs easier, lasts Longer than any other separator made. Fully Warranted For prices and terms, see

C. L. Sandberg
Holt - Minn.

Chas. Martel has moved onto the farm he recently got from B. Docken.

Ex-Justice Charles E. Hughes will speak in the twin cities on August 9th.

E. T. Eide came down from Spooner, Saturday to put up the hay on his farm here.

If you wish to know how to test your cream, write to the State Dairy Dept. at St. Paul for bulletin No. 61.

The Roseau Co. Times was started 21 years ago by its present publisher and we wish Bro. Bell continued success and hope he may publish the paper another 20 years.

Nelson Bros. of Middle River, who have been plastering E. A. Johnson's house, finished that job Tuesday and went out to M. J. Lunke's to plaster his house.

Mrs. Anderson and two sons Walter and Robert of Minneapolis came Monday to visit her sisters, Mesdames R. L. Olson, O. J. Kjelgren, Erick Johnson and O. A. Knutson.

A. O. Odegaard and Miss Storvick autoed up from Hazel Saturday evening to make arrangements for a concert to be given by the Hazel church choir in the Synod church next Sunday. They were entertained at the Alfred Anderson home, Mrs. Anderson being a former schoolmate of theirs from the Lutheran Normal at Sioux Falls, S. D.

The 'Progressive Farmer' Says:

"One trouble with us in the North is that we think too much about a bank as being a place to get money out of, instead of as a place to put money in."

We are here to serve our customers in both capacities. When you have money, your deposits are gratefully received. When you need money, a loan is granted just as cheerfully.

Holt State Bank

We have just stocked our yard with a complete line of

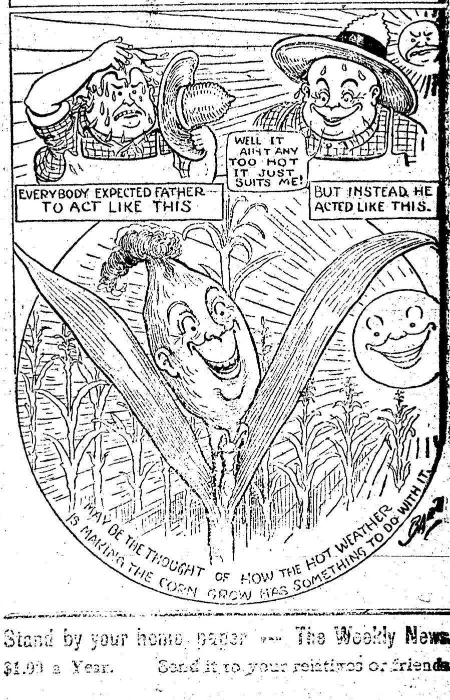
Lumber and Building Materials

Bring in your bills to be figured.

We guarantee the prices to be RIGHT

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
Holt - - - - Minnesota
C. L. Sandberg - Agent

WHEN IT GOT HOT . . . . BY BART.



EVERYBODY EXPECTED FATHER TO ACT LIKE THIS
WELL IT AINT ANY TOO HOT IT JUST SUITS ME!
BUT INSTEAD HE ACTED LIKE THIS.
MAY BE THE THOUGHT OF HOW THE HOT WEATHER IS MAKING THE CORN GROW HAS SOMETHING TO DO WITH IT.

Stand by your home paper — The Weekly News. $1.00 a Year. Send it to your relatives or friends.

CANADIAN CROPS EXCELLENT

Returning Tourists Speak Well of Their Treatment in Canada.

The Canadian Government, having made extensive preparations during the last few years to impart to the National Park system a degree of comfort and pleasure to the visitor, combining the best efforts of man with the very best gifts of creation, has now the satisfaction of seeing an appreciation of the efforts they have made. Tourists returning from a trip over the Canadian Pacific, the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Canadian Northern railways speak enthusiastically of the beauties that are revealed as these roads enter and pass through the mountains. The Government has spent enormous sums of money laying out roads, and developing easy means of access to glacier, hill, valley, lake and stream. For what purpose? That the wonders that Canada possesses in its natural parks may become more easily accessible and afterward talked about, that a tourist travel through Canada would result. Tourist travel means business, and it is business that Canada seeks. To make it even more easy for this travel, the Government has taken pains to make every step of the tourist's entry into Canada one that will give the very least degree of trouble. On crossing the border, there is only the ordinary examination of baggage, and the only precaution is that in the case of foreign aliens, and even in their case there is no difficulty when the officials are satisfied that they are not attempting entry as enemies.

Although officials of the Government have taken every means to bring to the attention of the tourist and others that no difficulty could be placed in the way of their admission, there still remained doubt in the minds of some. Only the other day the Government took action again, and authorized the statement that no measures taken for recruiting the forces either have been or will be applied to any persons who are not ordinarily resident in the Dominion. Nor is it the intention to ask for volunteers except from among British subjects, resident in Canada. Moreover, the Military Service Act, under which conscription is applied in Great Britain, affects only persons "ordinarily resident in Great Britain."

Americans and British subjects resident in the United States who desire to visit Canada will find no more trouble at the border than they have experienced in the past, and upon arriving they will be made as welcome as ever. War conditions of any kind will not inconvenience or interfere with them.

The immigration authorities suggest that, as a precaution against inconvenience, naturalized Americans whose country of origin was one of those at war with the British empire, should provide themselves with their certificates of naturalization.

Now that it is impossible to visit Europe, the planning of your vacation trip through Canada is one to give consideration to. The Government has taken an active interest in its National Parks in the heart of the Rocky mountains. These can be reached by any of the lines of railways, and the officials at these parks have been advised to render every attention to the visiting tourists, who in addition to seeing the most wonderful scenery in the world—nothing grander—nothing better—have excellent wagon and motor roads, taking them into the utter recesses of what was at one time considered practically inaccessible.

In addition to this the tourist will not be inactive to the practical possibilities that will be before him as he passes over the great plains of the Western Provinces. The immense wheat fields, bounded by the horizon, no matter how far you travel. The wide pasture lands, giving home and food to thousands of heads of horses and cattle. The future of a country that he before only heard of but knew so little about, will be revealed to him in the most wonderful panorama, and imprinted in the lens of his brain in such a way that he will bring back with him the story of the richness of Agricultural Western Canada. And he will also have had an enjoyable outing.—Advertisement.

Our Family History.

Why does the ordinary family keep so poor a record, not of its own doings—they are, for the most part, dull enough—but of its own personalities? much further than the probable lifetime of our own children, and we do not like to look even so far as that.

Surely it would give us a sense of space if we could see clearly a little further behind us.

Moreover, to those we are engaged in the bringing up of their own children, a history of the family might furnish many a hint.

His Mistake.

"Husband, what did you do with those perforated piano rolls?"

"I tought they were a lot of peek-a-boo shirtwaists and I put 'em in the wardrobe."

The dude who has more collar than culture doesn't grow on the farm.

Tire is spelled tyre in England.

FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

The embargo on shipments to Mexico has been lifted on everything except munitions of war.

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In the collision between a train filled with Nebraska National Guardsmen and a switch engine at Houston, Texas, three guardsmen were most painfully injured.

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General Ramos, Mexican, was killed in a bloody battle at Jiminez, between a small force of de facto troops and several regiments of Villistas. Both sides suffered heavy losses.

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Nearly 100 Carranza soldiers were killed and many injured June 29 in a rear end collision between two troop trains at Catorce station, between San Luis Potosi and Saltillo, Mexico.

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From 200 to 300 Carranza soldiers and camp followers were massacred by broncho Yaquis early last week in lower Sonora, according to stories told in Nogales, Ariz., by arrivals from that part of Mexico.

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Routing 250 revolutionists, killing twenty-seven and capturing five, the American forces advancing on Santiago, San Domingo, suffered casualties of one killed, one seriously wounded and seven slightly hurt.

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Large Carranza forces, better organized and more completely equipped than any other units of the de facto government troops, are closing in on the bandits of southern Chihuahua and northern Durango, intent on wiping them out.

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General Martinez, Carranza commander at Juarez, declared that the food shortage has been so acute that he has been kept inside his headquarters for the last few days, by the mob of hundreds of women and children crying for food.

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The crisis precipitated by Villa's raid on Columbus, N. M., and culminating in the fight at Carrizal, Mexico, between American and Mexican troops, appears to have been dissipated by an amicable note from General Carranza, now in possession of United States officials.

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General P. Elias Calles, military commander of Sonora, issued a statement that he intended to preserve the best possible relations between Mexico and the United States along the Arizona-Sonora boundary, and would co-operate with the American authorities to that end.

GENERAL.

Judge Landis of Chicago entered the formal decree dissolving the Associated Bill Posters and Distributors of the United States and Canada.

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Loss of at least seventeen lives and property damage which may total several millions of dollars resulted from the tropical storm which swept the east of gulf coast recently.

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A forest fire, starting six days ago in the Rocky Mountain National forest on Thompson creek in Colorado, has destroyed timber valued at $250,000.

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A Russo-Japanese political convention of two articles was signed at Petrograd, Russia, by the Russian minister of foreign affairs, and the Japanese ambassador. The object of convention is to unify the efforts of the two countries to maintain a lasting and constant peace in the far east.

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With three of the acknowledged leaders of the Industrial Workers of the World under arrest charged with murder in connection with the double killing at Biwabik, Minn., recently, and with miners reported returning to work in squads, Sheriff Meining of St. Louis county declared that the iron ore strike practically is over.

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Kansas is short 45,000 workers in the harvest field. The need is so badly felt, especially near Great Bend, that salaries from $3 to $5 a day, besides board, have been offered.

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Mrs. Hetty Green, known as the richest woman in the world, died at her home here in New York. Mrs. Green's fortune exceeded $100,000,000. Ninety millions of this she made herself, starting with $10,000,000 left by her parents.

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Hope that "the teachers in our public schools will not yield to the clamor for militarism" was voiced by William Jennings Bryan in an address before the National Education association at New York.

More than $4,000,000 damage was done in Mississippi and Alabama by a terrific storm which swept that section of the country recently.

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President Wilson will attend the formal dedication near El Paso of the Elephant Butte dam on October 14, and the opening of the international irrigation congress on the same date.

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"Bud" Fisher, the cartoonist, whose wife was crushed under an automobile eighteen months ago, was himself pinned beneath his auto when it overturned at Saratoga, N. Y. He suffered a broken rib and other injuries.

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The largest single wool sale made in America this year was completed at Cheyenne, Wyo., when the Swan Land and Cattle Co. sold its 1916 clip of 600,000 pounds to W. R. Adams of Fremont, Neb. The price was 25 cents a pound.

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An attempt to assassinate President L LaPlaza of Brazil was made at Buenos Aires. The president was reviewing troops when a man in the crowd of spectators suddenly drew a revolver and fired at him. The shot went wild.

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School teachers who have organized unions were lauded by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in an address at New York before the National Education association. He declared organized labor has nothing to offer teachers except "opportunities for freedom."

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Bearing a message from Emperor William of Germany to President Wilson, running the gauntlet of innumerable dangers from mines, sea-sweepers and enemy war ships, and bringing a cargo of dyestuffs, chemicals and mail, the German under-sea marchantman, the Deutschland, has arrived at Baltimore. It was the completion of a 4,000-mile sea voyage, the longest and most hazardous ever attempted by any submarine. The ship left a German port on June 23.

WASHINGTON.

The customs bureau of the treasury department has began an examination to learn the total amount of arms and ammunition that had been exported to Mexico within the last year.

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The senate adopted an amendment to the agricultural appropriation bill, appropriating $1,000,000 this fiscal year and $2,000,000 next year for enlarging the Appleton forest reserve.

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Though convinced that danger of war with Mexico has passed, the war department is to stand by its original intention to send all of the militiamen originally called to the border.

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Democrats unanimously agreed in caucus to support the general principles of a ship purchase bill and to begin the fight for its passage as soon as the general naval appropriations bill is disposed of.

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There are 21,000,000 able-bodied men in the United States between the ages of 18 and 45, according to a special report by the census bureau, as to the nation's resources in men of military fitness.

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In answer to many inquiries from relatives and friends of guardsmen who have been sent to unknown points on the Mexican border, the war department declares that all mail to these men should be sent to Department headquarters, United States

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Rear Admiral W. B. Caperton, now commanding the cruiser squadron in Haiti and Santo Dominican waters, has been selected to succeed Admiral Winslow as commander of the Pacific fleet when the latter retires July 29 on account of age.

WAR NEWS.

German casualties from the beginning of the war to the end of June, as computed by British authorities, from official German lists, are given as 3,012,637.

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The British steamship Pendennis, 2,183 tons gross, with a cargo of timber from Gothenburg for Hull, has been captured by a German warship off the Norwegian coast and brought to a German port.

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Petrograd reports Russian troops have captured the village and railway station of Mikuliczyn, thirty-eight miles south of Stanislau, thus cutting one of the main Austrian lines of communication to Lemberg.

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The list of casualties among British officers issued in the past four days, apparently composed almost altogether of losses suffered in the past week's advance, give a total of ninety-four killed, 504 wounded, thirty missing.

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Nearly half a million Austrians and Germans have been put out of commission since General Brussiloff began his great advance a month ago, Petrograd reports. The grand total of prisoners to date is in round numbers 235,000, of which 4,500 are officers.

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The German war office has officially admitted that the French have captured Belloy-En-Santerre, south of the river Somme, and that the Germans have also evacuated the village of Hem, on the north bank.

RUSSIANS IN WEST FIGHT FOR ALLIES; REPULSE TEUTONS

FIRST NEWS OF ACTUAL PARTICIPATION IN CONFLICT IN FRANCE CONTAINED IN OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

MORE SLAVS ARE SENT TO FIGHT WITH FRENCH

First Contingent of Reinforcements Arrives—Soldiers Complete Journey of About 17,500 Miles—Czar Orders Additional Troops to Aid in Great Drive.

Paris, July 18.—Russian troops now are fighting side by side with the French in the trenches in the Champagne district. First official announcement that soldiers of the czar have actually participated in the allied offensive appears in Monday's communique.

Coincidentally comes the announcement that the czar is sending more Russian troops to the west front to help the great allied drive.

Many Slavs On Way.

The first contingent of the reinforcements has disembarked at Brest, France, it is officially announced. Many more are on their way, it is believed. The Russians will be sent to camp from Brest, and later to the front.

The contingent which has just arrived is the sixth arrival to be reported.

Travel 17,500 Miles.

Between April 20 and May 5 there arrived at Marseilles five bodies of Russian soldiers, after a land and sea journey of about 17,500 miles from Moscow, where they were assembled, to Port Dalny, Manchuria, and thence by water via the Suez canal.

The number of men in the first five contingents has not been given officially, but it is believed to be about 28,000. These troops were quartered at Camp De Mailly, near Troyes, for several weeks and then sent to the front.

Sent as Experiment.

It was said in Paris several weeks ago that the sending of the first contingent was largely in the nature of an experiment and that they might be followed by more substantial numbers. On the former occasion the Russians arrived without arms which were suppled by the French. The explanation was given that it was easier to send men out of Russia's surplus to the western front than to forward arms and ammunition to the east.

Slavs Beat Teutons.

The Russian troops in action on the French Champagne front, counterattacked successfully inflicting heavy losses on the Germans, the war office stated. There has been no important fighting in the region of the Somme.

The French continue to make progress west of Fleury, on the Verdun front, capturing three machine guns.

In Lorraine, two German attacks against a French position southeast of Nomeny were repulsed.

GOVERNMENT DECLARES ARMY RATION IS AMPLE

War Department Issues Order Prohibiting Solicitation of Funds by Officers to Augment Food Supplies.

Washington, July 18.—General orders have been issued by the War department prohibiting army officers from taking part in any movement for the solicitation of funds to augment rations issued by the government to national guardsmen in the federal service.

Such a movement, said in published reports to be on foot, was declared by department officials to be unnecessary and ill-timed.

"The army ration furnished these troops," says the order, "is ample for all purposes when properly used, and officers and enlisted men of the organized militia and national guard in the service of the United States are not to participate in obtaining funds for such a purpose."

SHARK MENACE TO REMAIN

Extermination Found Impossible by Treasury Department.

Washington, July 18.—Suggestions that a campaign of extermination against sharks along the Atlantic be undertaken by the coast guard service were abandoned by Treasury department officials after considering a report by Captain Carden of the cutter Mohawk, saying such a campaign would be impracticable and that the only sure means of protecting bathers was the extension of the steel wire net already in use at most resorts.

Convicts Cheer Prison Warden.

Ossining, N. Y., July 18.—Thomas Mott Osborne was welcomed by the convicts at Sing Sing upon his return. Mr. Osborne, who resigned six months ago, when he was indicted on charges growing out of his methods of conducting affairs at Sing Sing, made a brief address to the men who cheered him several minutes. Many persons from the village of Ossining joined with the convicts in welcoming Mr. Osborne after his vindication by the courts. Among the most enthusiastic at the reception were 41 former convicts.

ALLIES CAPTURE 10,000 GERMANS; MOVE ON THIRD LINE OF DEFENSE

BRITISH LEADER REPORTS ENEMY DRIVEN FOUR MILES BEHIND ORIGINAL FRONT ALONG SOMME.

FOUR TOWNS CAPTURED; SECOND DRIVE IS BEGUN

English Troops Sweep Steadily Thru Woods Beyond Longueval Effecting a Considerable Gain of Territory—Dead Crushed Beneath Ruins at Ovillers.

London, July 17.—Smashing British blows have forced the Germans back to their third line of defenses at one point, four miles behind their original front along the Somme, General Sir Douglas Haig reports.

With four towns, formerly formidable German positions, already in their grasp, the British troops have resumed their second heavy drive through the Teuton lines.

Sweep Steadily On.

The British regiments are sweeping steadily through the woods beyond Longueval, captured in the first rush and are attacking the fortifications crowning the ridge dominating the battlefield.

"All is well at the British front," General Haig reported. "We have pushed our rear from Fricourt to Mametz, capturing 2,000 prisoners in 24 hours. The total number of prisoners since the beginning of our offensive is now 10,000. In addition we have taken large quantities of material."

Hindered by Attacks.

Heavy German counterattacks have slowed up the momentum of the British advance. Fighting raged all night on the Ovillers-Longueval front.

The British encountered stubborn resistance after breaking through the German second line and were met by steady sheets of machine gun fire in the district north of Longueval. Notwithstanding this determined opposition, the British troops continued to consolidate their positions and break down small German positions in fighting that continued far into the night.

The newly conquered positions are being made ready for defense against even stronger enemy attacks.

Men Die to Gain Yard.

Correspondents at the British front report hundreds of British bodies lie burnied beneath the ruins of the town.

"The fighting for Ovillers has been hard and close," said one dispatch. "Many of our men died to gain a yard or two of the earthworks. There have been fights to the death between a handful of English or Irish soldiers and groups of German soldiers meeting each other in the darkness of deep cellars quarried out from the chalk subsoil.

FUNSTON PREPARES TO RESIST BORDER RAIDS

Starts Realignment of Troops for Protection of Big Bend Country—Surprise Assaults Are Feared.

Boquillas, Texas, July 17.—(Via army field telephone to Marathon, Texas.)—Realignment of troops for protection of the border against bandit raids in the Big Bend country was begun with the arrival here on a motor truck train from Marathon of one company of the Pennsylvania National guard and the dispatch from here of a troop of the Sixth cavalry to reinforce B troop at Glenn Springs. The remainder of the Pennsylvania battalion at Marathon will be transported to border points as rapidly as possible.

Troops also are being rushed from Alpine and Marfa to the border as a result of repeated warnings that bandits are advancing to the Rio Grande to raid this exposed part of Texas. With a strong national guard force at this point and two troops of the Sixth cavalry at Glenn Springs fear that bandits will attempt surprise attacks on these places has been removed.

MECCA, HOLY CITY, FALLS

Cairo, July 17.—The famous city of Mecca, holy city in the Mohammedan world, has surrendered to the Arabian rebels, according to dispatches received here. The Turkish garrison of 100 officers, 2,500 men and 150 civil officials, laid down their arms.

Missing Army Aviators Return.

Field Headquarters, Colonia Dublan, Mex., July 17.—Via Wireless to Columbus, N. M., July 17.—Aviators Rader and Brooks, who flew west from here two days ago and failed to return, have come into camp. Their engine stalled in the flight, forcing a hurried descent on ground so rought that it was impossible to reascend. They walked 59 miles, when an auto relief party picked them up. They reported seeing no bandits nor Mexican soldiers, but said a lone herder shot at them during their flight.

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One of the members of a committee of inspection on its tour of a certain penitentiary found himself in conversation with one of the convicts. The latter was disposed to be confidential, and thus unburdened himself:

"It is a terrible thing to be known by a number instead of a name, and to feel that all my life I shall be an object of suspicion among the police."

"But you will not be alone, my friend," said the visitor, consolingly. "The same thing happens to people who own automobiles."

IF YOU OR ANY FRIEND

Suffer with Rheumatism or Neuritis, acute or chronic, write for my FREE BOOK on Rheumatism—Its Cause and Cure. Most wonderful book ever written, it's absolutely FREE. Jesse A. Case, Dept. C. W., Brockton, Mass.—Adv.

Wanted, an Elephant.

The Hasty Pudding club of Harvard was recently reported to be in some distress because of the lack of two sturdy actors capable of good team work in playing the part of an elephant in the club's annual spring show. The original selection for the front legs was dismissed from college on account of low marks, and the hind legs became discouraged and resigned. Probably a pecular combination of athletic skill and comic talent is required for the proper representation of a stage elephant, and it may be a thankless task that college amateurs in general are unwilling to tackle. An actor disguised as one-half of an elephant seems to lose much of his individuality. But the fore and aft portion of a quadruped offers a fine chance for an ambitious young actor to start a brilliant career. Henry E. Dixey began his stage life as the hind legs of the heifer in "Evangeline."—Providence Journal.

Thinks Fish Can Talk.

Stephen Decatur Bridges of Verona, Me., who is known as the "Salmon King" of the Penobscot, is positive not only that fish have brains, but that fish reason and form likes and dislikes, and tell their opinions to each other, the New York World states.

Bridges explains the disappearance of salmon from the Penobscot in two ways—either "salmon tell other salmons how dirty its waters are and how it is not fit for any respectable salmon to live in," or "the fish resent it because at the hatchway in East Orland they are taken from the water and stripped of their effs."

Its Place.

"The steamer reports that the crew found an ox swimming about, probably escaped from a cattleship, and took it aboard."

"Did they put it in the steerage?"

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To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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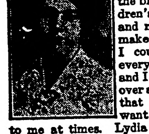
We wish every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, backache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free of charge.



Kills Hens With a Gun.

Oakley has a housewife, according to the Graphic, who, when she wants to kill a chicken, disdains to chop off its head or wring its neck. Instead, she shoots it in the head with a rifle, and has never missed one yet. The Graphic, however, suppresses the name of the hero who holds the chicken while she shoots.—Kansas City Star.

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Mosquitoes Put Out Light.

Great swarms of mosquitoes swept in from the marshes and extinguished for three nights the light in the lighthouse at the Vermillion Bay entrance to the canal. The insects blocked the air vent, despite the efforts of the light keeper to fight them off. The mosquitoes have caused great discomfort in this section.—Abbeville (La.) Dispatch New Orleans Item.

Nursing an Illusion.

"Are you trying to raise all your own poultry and vegetables?" asked the hired man.

"No," replied Farmer Corntossel; "only just enough to give the imaginations of the summer boarders something to swing on to."

A Maine woman is raising foxes successfully.

Stop That Ache!

Don't worry about a bad back. Get rid of it. Probably your kidneys are out of order. Resume sensible habits and help the kidneys. Then, kidney backache will go; also the dizzy spells, lameness, stiffness, tired feelings, nervousness, rheumatic pains and bladder troubles. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

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State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

St. Paul.—Deputy State Auditor C. S. Brown, St. Paul, has announced that he will resign his official position as soon as his plans for the future are made definite.

St. Paul.—"Black rust is not sufficiently prevalent to endanger crops," C. P. Bull, of the state agricultural college, said in commenting on reports of the disease in Minnesota.

Minneapolis.—The body of a young woman, taken from the river, has been identified as that of Miss Bertha Dirks, 21 years old, who was an employe and lived at the Golden West hotel. Murder is suspected.

Moorhead.—The Minnesota Farmers' Nonpartisan Political league will appeal to labor organizations for co-operation, according to information given out at the headquarters of the North Dakota league in Fargo.

Minneapolis.—A resolution recommending that the Board of Regents of the University place a new man at the head of the veterinary science division of the institution has been adopted by the Minnesota State Veterinary Medical association.

St. Paul.—Persons who have designs on State Auditor Preus' official position are likely to be disappointed. Mr. Preus is dividing his attention between the capitol and Camp Bobleter, where he is stationed as a captain in the quartermaster's corps.

Duluth.—Making good her declaration of speaking in behalf of the striking miners, Elizabeth Gurley Flynn visited Two Harbors by automobile with a party of local agitators. While there she was the guest of Mayor Ernest E. Strand, a Socialist. Miss Flynn collected $25 for the strikers.

Minneapolis.—Dan Patch, king of race horses, died at the M. W. Savage farm. The peerless racer was taken ill last week but to all appearances had entirely recovered. Again Monday afternoon the great horse was stricken and this time there was no saving him. Veterinary surgeons were with the great pacer all night.

St. Paul.—Rumors that a group of I. W. W. members were en route from Chicago to participate in the Mesaba range mine troubles, led St. Paul police to take special precautions to protect the life of Governor Burnquist from possible attempts at assassination. Special police were appointed to guard the state's executive.

St. Paul.—A payment of $50,000 toward general support of the university department of agriculture has been received by the state treasurer from the United States treasury department. It represents the state's share of appropriations under the Smith-Lever act, providing federal aid for agricultural and home economics extension in the various states.

St. Paul.—Tourists are already leaving $5,000,000 a year in Minnesota, although exploitation of the resort districts of the state is only fairly begun. With the foregoing assertion, Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, outlined plans for systematic aid by the state in helping Minnesota gain returns that he maintains should accrue from tourists.

St. Paul.—Development of a winter wheat that can be grown profitably in Minnesota is one of the big problems in which Minnesota farmers are interested, according to H. K. Hayes of the university department of agriculture, who addressed the interstate cereal conference at University farm. Mr. Hayes is plant breeder in the agronomy division of the institution.

Duluth.—Defying police, or other authorities, to stop their meetings, and assuming a firm stand against what they call unusual acts by officials in quieting agitation here, the Duluth branch of the Industrial Workers of the World has adopted resolutions, addressed to the mayor, city commissioners, police and the English press of Duluth, declaring that the workers will go ahead with the strike "of they are jailed by the thousands."

Warroad.—Industries valued at $500,000 annually have been wiped out at the Lake of the Woods, according to information that reached Carlos Avery of the state game and fish commission. Ten fishermen advised him they have taken out their nets and will retire from business, owing to the high water, which has washed away their buildings and the supply of ice, making it impossible to preserve the fish. The fishermen lose $2,500 in license fees alone.

Virginia.—Mons Hauge of Benson was elected president of the Minnesota, North and South Dakota lodge of the Sons of Norway at the closing business session of the order. The other officers elected for the coming year are: Vice president, Soren Baake, Minneapolis; secretary, H. Askeland, Minneapolis; treasurer, Julius Shool, Minneapolis; regent, F. E. Dramdahl, St. Paul; trustee, Julius Bauman, Carlson. Benson, Minn., was chosen for the 1917 convention.

Virginia.—General improvement in the strike situation on the Minnesota Iron Range was noted in reports from various affected sections. Hundreds of men were returning to work and the activities of the I. W. W. agitators continued only in a few districts. Deputies remained on guard at several mines.

Winona.—The Steamer Frontenac, a former rafter and more recently an excursion boat, will be sold at auction August 9, in order that the owners, J. Ralphew and F. D. Perkins may meet obligations. Order for the sale of the boat was issued by the federal court.

State Troops Need Aid.

Urging immediate contributions to the Minnesota Guard fund, Governor Burnquist has sent out an appeal to the people of the state. The governor spoke especially of the need of aiding families of men who are on their way or preparing for departure for the border.

"It has been urged that if any member of the guard must leave those dependent upon him without means of support his community devise means to care for them until future governmental action," Governor Burnquist said.

"Since the issuance of the proclamation the War department has issued orders that enlisted men with dependents may, under certain conditions, be discharged but only a few applications for discharge have been forwarded and none of these has yet been acted upon. A large number of men, therefore, who have left for the border, or are ready to go, are leaving dependents who are in need of aid.

"Even if there will not be war, the funds will be needed, for those dependent must under any circumstances be looked after. And the members of the guard who go into a climate different from our own will suffer many hardships and will continually be in danger of disease. It is apparent that the money contributed to this fund may be the means of preventing much illness and the saving of many lives."

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Issues 19 Commissions.

Commissions have been issued by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist to nineteen Minnesota national guard officers. In the list were one major, four captains, one captain of medical corps, six first lieutenants, one veterinarian, with rank of first lieutenant, and six second lieutenants. The following are the officers commissioned: Major—Clayton C. Smith, First infantry. Captains—M. C. Nelson, H company, Third infantry; R. G. Murray, F company, Third infantry; William Woelk, J company, Third infantry; Carl J. West, L company, First infantry; A. G. Liedloff, captain medical corps. First Lieutenants—Roy K. Carpenter, C company, Third infantry; W. A. Brown, battalion adjutant, Third infantry; John J. Harrison, E company, Third infantry; Peter R. Fossen, D company, Third infantry; Lawrence Wedia, battalion adjutant, Second infantry; C. H. Slater, L company, First infantry; Richard Price, veterinarian. Second Lieutenants—Olaf Lund, D. company, Third infantry; J. W. Signer, E company, Third infantry; A. W. Gasper, C company, Third infantry; Robert Deinnger, battalion quartermaster and commissary, Second infantry; Joseph L. McKinney, E battery; Albert M. Cassidy, L company, First infantry.

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McGee Accepts Army Post.

Lieutenant Hugh McGee, son of Judge J. F. McGee of Minneapolis, has accepted the position of lieutenant colonel of the First regiment, organized Minnesota militia, and has wired the war department for permission to report to his new command at once. Governor J. A. A. Burnquist received a telegram to this effect from Lieutenant McGee at Fort Ethan Allen. Lieutenant McGee succeeds Lieutenant Colonel F. B. Rowley, resigned. Lieutenant McGee has been granted permission to transfer from the regular army to the militia. During his army career, Lieutenant McGee has received many testimonials from his superior officers to his ability as an officer and his personal bravery in action.

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How to Address Letters.

All mail intended for Minnesota troops at the border should be addressed with the name of the company and regiment of the person for whom it is intended and marked "Minnesota, On the Border." Such mail from Minnesota cities will be sent to the Twin Cities and sent South from here. The destination of the troops will be made known to these postmasters, but not the postmasters throughout the state. This is in compliance with instructions from the War department. Once the Minnesota troops are encamped in the South, their location will be announced. All mail, however, will be sent in the same way and should be so addressed.

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General Says Farewell.

General A. W. Wright, former commander of the Minnesota National guard, who failed to pass the federal physical examination and who, therefore, cannot lead the troops to the border, bade officers and men of his old command an official farewell. The good-bye was said in writing and was addressed, "From General A. W. Wright to the officers and men of the First brigade, Minnesota National guard."

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Airmen for Militia.

An aerial squadron will form a section of the Minnesota national guard upon passage by congress of a pending bill carrying $9,640,800 appropriation, according to President Alan R. Hawley of the Aero Club of America, New York, who wired asking Governor J. A. A. Burnquist to urge Minnesota representatives to support the measure.

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150,000 Autos in State?

That the number of state registered automobiles in Minnesota will total 150,000 before the first of the year is expected by Secretary of State Schmahl. If registrations continue as they have the past month the figure will be nearer 175,000. At the present the number of registered automobiles in the state is near 120,000. At the auto registration department at the state capital the last figure listed Saturday was 117,000, but several hundred tags are kept on hand at branch offices.

CRIME IS LAID TO WITCHCRAFT

Queer Murder Committed in Reading, Pa., Stirs the Authorities.

HEX DOCTORS ACTIVE

Blacksmith Who Killed Friend Said Charcoal Burners Consulted the "Seventh Book of Moses" and Told Him to Slay.

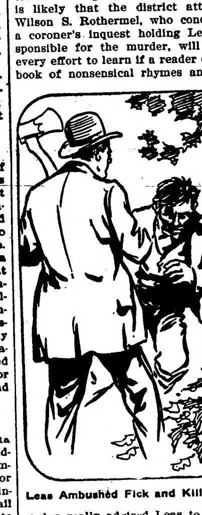
Reading, Pa.—The murder of Abraham Fick, an inoffensive German laborer, by his friend, Peter Leas, Jr., in Hyde Park, a suburb, a few days ago, revives public curiosity in "The Seventh Book of Moses" and in the witch doctors and powwow practitioners who still infest that region. In his confession, Leas, who is thought by some to be insane, said that charcoal burners at a settlement several miles from his home had consulted "The Seventh Book of Moses" and had ordered him to end Fick's life to prevent Fick from murdering him.

That Fick, in all probability, never dreamed of attacking Leas, a blacksmith with a reputation as a fighter, and a man of quick temper, seems to be well established. Using an ax, Leas ambushed Fick and, after stunning him, hacked off his head, quietly surrendering himself to the police some hours later.

Other Indictments May Follow.

"The Seventh Book of Moses" is identical in some respects with the booklet first published in 1819 by John George Hohman, the prince of miracle workers of the powwow, hexerei school. He was the first to collect the recipes or formulas used by the hex doctors in their war against witches, wizards and witchcraft.

Not in years has so much public interest been stirred up in the fallacies of powwowing, witchcraft and the remnant of beliefs in hexes and hexerei as through the Fick murder. It is likely that the district attorney, Wilson S. Rothermel, who conducted a coroner's inquest holding Leas responsible for the murder, will make every effort to learn if a reader of this book of nonsensical rhymes and formulas really advised Leas to kill his friend. In that case there may be more than one indictment for the crime.



Leas Ambushed Fick and Killed Him.

Many Deaths Due to Fakers.

Some years ago the deaths in one week of six infants who had been powwowed for to cure infantile ailments, focussed attention all over the country to the practices that still flourish in the Reading region, regardless of prosecutions by authorities. The spread of education and the efforts of reputable doctors to save lives endangered by the powwow doctors had no effect. The hex doctors still use incantations, passes in the air, amulets or charms worn in bags around the neck instead of using medicine to cure their patients. That the patients were really victims did not lessen the hold of the fakers and impostors on the unlettered part of the community.

A few years ago a family of 20 children, 17 of whom died at short intervals, their parents attributing their deaths to witchcraft, came into prominence in Reading. Their parents gave credit for the survival of the three children to the use of charms and a powwow formula.

HE PULLED WRONG WHISKERS

Bartender Becomes Subject of a Serbian Wrestler's Mighty Feats of Strength.

Chicago.—About one and three quarters seconds after Daniel Martin, a bartender in a saloon, had pulled the whiskers of Peter Zebich, a patron, he realized his error. For Zebich, who is a Serbian wrestler and professional strong man, lifted Martin lightly from behind the bar and hurled him through the plate glass window into the street. Zebich is thirty-eight and very burly. He and Martin were arrested and later gave bonds. About a peck of broken glass was extracted from Martin's person.

Real Diplomat.

Lady of the House—What do you want?

Weary Walter—I am de official representative of de Woman's Household Kitchen Culinary Cuisine league and I'm making a coast-to-coast trip testing the favorite recipe of de most prominent lady in each town.—Judge.

No Strange Language.

He had his girl out fishing and she wasn't taking kindly to the sport.

"I don't care for this damp place," she said.

"What's that?"

"I said damp."

Idle Rumor.

Wife—I hate these cramped berths in the sleeper. Couldn't we get a flat, dear?

Hub—Who ever heard of a flat on a train?

Wife—Why, I've often heard of flat cars.—Boston Transcript.

Naturally She Did.

"I thought when we were in her dressing room, discussing her performance, the actress changed countenance."

"Oh, that was when she was taking off her make-up."

Sociability.

"I hope you are not one of those men who go home and find fault with the dinner."

"No," answered Mr. Growcher; "my wife and I eat at a restaurant where we can both find fault."

Nothing New.

"They've put the theatrical manager on the grand jury."

"Then his experiences ought to be useful to them in presenting nuisances."

Wisely and slow; they stumble that run fast.

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save a majority of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. Castoria operates exactly the reverse, but you must see that it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Castoria causes the blood to circulate properly, opens the pores of the skin and allays fever.

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PAT ROSE TO THE OCCASION

Lookout's Appeal Did Not Fall on Deaf Ears, as Far as Irishman Was Concerned.

'Twas off the coast of dear old Ireland, and the steamship was a trifle off its course. It had, in fact, taken the wrong turning.

"Breakers ahead! We are lost!" yelled the lookout from his point of vantage in the bows.

"Begorra!" cried the Irish cook, "we're not lost if that will save us." And he seized a belaying pin and hit the lookout such a blow as completely to daze the man.

"How dare you?" bellowed the captain, angrily. "Why, did you strike that man?"

"Well," replied Pat, "he yelled, 'Break us ahead or we are lost!' and, sure, I did it, sir. And I'll break a dozen, sir, if that'll save the ship, bedad!"

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Practical Diplomacy.

"Papa," inquired a young hopeful of some seven summers, as he looked up from a book he was reading, "there's a word here which puzzles me—diplomacy?"

"Diplomacy, my son," and the old man smiled paternally as he said it, "means this: Doing or saying precisely the right thing at precisely the right time."

"Ah!" retorted the young hopeful, "then I guess I exercised diplomacy last night."

"How, my son?" inquired the fond parent.

"Why, I rolled Johnny over into my place just before ma came in with the castor oil, and then back again just before she came to the other side."

The Main Point.

"The man I went to in order to make an exchange of autos was very crusty, but I gave him a Roland for his Oliver."

"Well, which was the better make?"

Getting Around It.

"They say you can't square the circle."

"Well, you can do it after a fashion," said the mathematician. "Just as when you go out for a walk you circle the square."—Pittsburgh Post.

When it comes to saving pennies a woman will save a dollar before a man has saved ten cents.

The slogan "What's the use?" will never land anything good.

Kilties the Middle Sex.

The following incident has been related by Capt. Alexander Weel, Thirteenth battalion, Canadia expeditionary forces, Royal Highlanders of Canada:

"The majority of the people in France look at the kilties with awe. After gazing at us for some time one of the women remarked that the crazy English were sending women over to fight for them; the second quickly replied that that couldn't be so, for there was a man with a beard. At that a third woman shook her head rather solemnly for a few moments and then suddenly exclaimed rather loudly: 'I have it; they are the middle-sex.'"

Told of Irish Soldiers.

Proverbially an Irish soldier has many lives. One of them fancied he had long enough to live to comply with the demand which a French mother made upon him thus, "If you kill the kaiser, you shall have my daughter."

He was also an Irishman who said of a glimpse he had of a Russian Guard regiment. "Look at them devils retreatin' with their backs facin' us!"

Prevailing Trouble.

"What was the matter with the infant industry in which James was interested?"

"Guess it was something like infant paralysis."

If marriages were not so easy, divorces would cease to become familiar.

To Cleanse Rusty Nail Wounds

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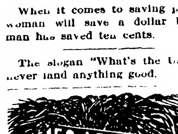

Three Hundred Million Bushel Crop in 1915

Farmers pay for their land with one year's crop and prosperity was never so great.

Regarding Western Canada as a grain producer, a prominent business man says: "Canada's position today is sounder than ever. There is more wheat, more oats, more grain for feed, 20% more cattle than last year and more hogs. The war market in Europe needs our surplus. As for the wheat crop, it is marvelous and a monument of strength for business confidence to build upon, exceeding the most optimistic predictions."

Wheat averaged in 1915 over 25 bushels per acre
Oats averaged in 1915 over 45 bushels per acre
Barley averaged in 1915 over 40 bushels per acre

Prices are high, markets convenient, excellent land, low in price either improved or otherwise, ranging from $12 to $30 per acre. Free homestead lands are plentiful and not far from railway lines and convenient to good schools and churches. The climate is healthful.

There is no war tax on land, nor is there any conscription. For complete information as to best locations for settlement, reduced railroad rates and descriptive illustrated pamphlet, address Superintendent Immigration, Ottawa, or

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. L. Porte, Dunn Blk., Great Falls, Mont.

Canadian Government Agents

Local Items

For hay land to rent see Holt State Bank.

Sacred Concert at 1 o'clock at the Holt Synod church.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid J. Carlson visited relatives here Sunday.

John Sorum and A. R. Jones autoed to Crookston Saturday P. M.

Miss Hilma Nyberg returned home Monday from Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe went to T. R. Falls Monday evening to hear a concert.

Mrs. C. O. Saastad will entertain the Sunshine Society next Saturday afternoon July 22nd.

Sam Goplin and family, and Mr. Windahl of Ellert visited at the B. L. Backe home Sunday.

Thorval Kolden returned home Saturday from near Nielsville where he has been working this season.

Miss Wagedahl was called home from Fargo Wednesday, by the serious illness of her sister, Miss Bertella.

Feed ground at Edwin Hanson's every Saturday, or by appointment. Northwest corner of Section 19 in Town of Holt. Telephone exchange.

A. L. Carlson and bride returned last week Thursday from their honeymoon trip to Minneapolis and are getting settled in their rooms over the store.

Constantine Hoffman, Jr., wife and baby of Thief River Falls came Monday to visit his parents. Mr. H. is the rural mail carrier on route No. 2 and has been taking an enforced vacation caused by sickness.

Mrs. G. Bratholt, Galsburg N. D., visited the Anderson home a couple of days last week. She was favorably impressed with the country and found crops as far advanced here as on N. Dak. farms.

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Live Stock Insurance
COMPANY
Insures
Horses, Mules
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Against Loss From
Disease-Accident
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B. Docken,
Local Agent
Holt Minn.

Dr. Turley will be here next Monday to do dental work.

Christ Yttre was a business visitor in T. R. Falls Saturday.

Mrs. Mat Larson and little daughter Lydia returned home Friday from visiting her daughter at Fargo.

Mrs. Willie Werner and baby, of Thief River Falls, came Monday for a couple of days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson.

G. L. Cook finished the carpenter work on T. O. Dovre's barn. Mr. Cook is highly spoken of as a carpenter. See his ad. in this paper.

B. L. Backe and family, J. B. Alkenbrack and family and the editor and wife were pleasantly entertained Sunday afternoon at the beautiful farm home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Werner.

Sacred Concert at the Synod church at one P. M. next Sunday, by the Cheerville Chorus. They are to give a concert in Hazel Saturday night and come here Sunday. Don't fail to hear them.

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Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

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Make your home beautiful. You'll never have a finer chance in your life—now that Spring is helping.
We have the painter's supplies you need. We have house-cleaning supplies—mops, brooms, etc. We have all kinds of carpenter's tools for the little repairing jobs you'll find to do. We have garden tools.
Get Our Suggestions First
People's Cash Store
Holt Minnesota

Southeast of Holt.

Miss Luzy Ness who has been teaching a term of school for the Synod church congregation, has left for her home at Wahpeton, N. Dak.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olsen on Saturday a baby girl.

Mrs. A. Guttrud is having a fine new granary erected on her farm.

Several people from this locality attended the Wheeler Bros. Circus at T. R. Falls on Friday.

The picnic at Peterson's last Sunday was well attended and an enjoyable time was had.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gullickson and daughter Gladys came down from their home at Fosston last Friday for a short visit at the S. Moe home.

The lightening struck and killed one of S. Moe's valuable cows on Monday afternoon.

Village Notice for Bids

For Engine, Dynamo, Pump and Well

The village council of the village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids up to 8 o'clock P. M. Tuesday July 25th 1916, for the following purposes, to-wit:

For a gasoline or oil engine, 35 or 40 horsepower;

For a force pump, capacity 300 to 400 gallons per minute;

For a 120 kilowatt dynamo;

For 700 feet of fire hose and hose cart;

For drilling a well four inches in diameter and furnishing the casing.

The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

S. S. Kolden, President.
H. B. Young, Clerk.

Buy it in Holt, the best little town in northern Minnesota.

S. S. Kolden, R. Reierson and Ben Eide were Warren business visitors Wednesday.

Tom Larson went to Bray Saturday accompanied by Marvin and Doris Sanberg, returning here Tuesday.

Anton Knutson and Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Hanson of Marsh Grove visited at the Chris Knutson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raimme of near Rochester came Tuesday to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

Abner Hoff returned Wednesday to his home in Park River N. D. after several days visit with his brother Ben.

Hjalmer Peterson, Alfred Olson Peter Kolden, Rhinehart and Sam Reierson attended the circus in T. R. Falls, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Proper and S. R. Hoyle of Des Moines, Ia. came Saturday to visit Mrs. Proper's parents Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Werner.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,
Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Cheerville Concert

The Cheerville chorus of Hazel will give a musical program at the Synod church here at Holt Sunday afternoon July 23rd. at 1 o'clock P. M.

This Chorus concert of twenty good singers, who have been working hard for some time in order to give a good musical program at Hazel, have also decided to favor the people of Holt with a concert. The chorus is directed by Albert Odegaard and accompanied by Miss Storvick of Albert Lea Minn. A few solos will be rendered besides the chorus numbers. You should not fail to hear these singers. Admission 25c for adults and 15c for children.

If we had lots of money, we would buy some oil for the G. N. to grease their windmill.

Anderw C. Anderson and family came yesterday to take charge of the Central Hotel and Restaurant.

Martin Sampson's father came yesterday to visit the former for awhile.

Ida and Pearl Reierson and Lillian Rustad returned Tuesday from a few days visit at the Andrew Ness home in T. R. Falls.

Examinations For Common School Certificates

July 24, 25 and 26.

Warren, Minnesota

Monday, July 24:
A. M.—8:00 to 8:45 Enrollment
—8:45 to 9:15 Spelling
—9:15 to 10:00 Penmanship
—10:00 to 12:00 Arithmetic
P. M.—1:15 to 3:00 Geography
—3:00 to 4:00 Composition
—4:00 to 5:00 Reading
Tuesday, July 25:
A. M.—8:00 to 9:45 U. S. History
—9:45 to 11:30 English Grammar
—11:30 to 12:00 Music
P. M.—1:15 to 2:45 Physiology & Hygiene
—2:45 to 4:00 Civics
—4:00 to 4:45 Drawing
Wednesday, July 26:
A. M.—8:00 to 8:30 Enrollment
—8:30 to 10:15 Geometry
—10:15 to 12:00 Physics
P. M.—1:15 to 2:45 Algebra
—2:45 to 4:15 Physicial Geography or General History
—4:15 to 5:15 Agriculture

If Geography, Physiology-Hygiene or Algebra do not require the full time, the remaining time may be used for the subjects that follow.

David Johnson, Co. Supt.

Citation for Hearing

on Petition for Administration

Estate of John Hanson.

In The Matter Of The Estate Of John Hanson, Deceased.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court:

The State Of Minnesota To George J. Hanson, Ludvig F. Hanson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of George J. Hanson having been filed in this court, representing that John Hanson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 26th day of June 1916; and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to B. Docken, of Holt, Minnesota, and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of August 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 7th day of July 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minnesota.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Monday
July 31, 1916.
I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-
Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
Plates $10.00 and up
Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.
Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.
Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

RAILROAD WAGES

Shall they be determined by *Industrial Warfare* or *Federal Inquiry?*

To the American Public:

Do you believe in arbitration or industrial warfare?

The train employes on all the railroads are voting whether they will give their leaders authority to tie up the commerce of the country to enforce their demands for a 100 million dollar wage increase.

The railroads are in the public service—your service. This army of employes is in the public service—your service.

You pay for rail transportation 3 billion dollars a year, and 44 cents out of every dollar from you goes to the employes.

On all the Western railroads in 1915, seventy-five per cent of the train employes earned these wages (lowest, highest and average of all) as shown by the pay rolls—

	Passenger		Freight		Yard	
	Range	Average	Range	Average	Range	Average
Engineers	$1747 3094	$2195	$1537 3076	$2071	$1056 2445	$1378
Conductors	1543 2789	1878	1454 2933	1935	1151 2045	1355
Firemen	1053 2078	1317	751 2059	1181	418 1552	973
Brakemen	854 1719	967	874 1961	1135	862 1821	1107

The average yearly wage payments to *all* Western train employes (including those who worked only part of the year) as shown by the 1915 payrolls were—

	Passenger	Freight	Yard
Engineers	$2038	$1737	$1218
Conductors	1772	1624	1292
Firemen	1218	973	832
Brakemen	921	1000	1026

A 100 million dollar wage increase for men in freight and yard service (less than one-fifth of all employes) is equal to a 5 per cent advance in all freight rates.

The managers of the railroads, as trustees for the public, have no right to place this burden on the cost of transportation to you without a clear mandate from a public tribunal speaking for you.

The railroads have proposed the settlement of this controversy either under the existing national arbitration law, or by reference to the Interstate Commerce Commission. This offer has been refused by the employes' representatives.

Shall a nation-wide strike or an investigation under the Government determine this issue?

National Conference Committee of the Railways

ELISHA LEE, *Chairman.*
P. R. ALBRIGHT, *Gen'l Manager,* Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.
L. W. BALDWIN, *Gen'l Manager,* Central of Georgia Railway.
C. L. BARDO, *Gen'l Manager,* New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.
E. H. COAPMAN, *Vice-President,* Southern Railway.
S. E. COTTER, *Gen'l Manager,* Wabash Railway.
P. E. CROWLEY, *Asst. Vice-President,* New York Central Railroad.
G. H. EMERSON, *Gen'l Manager,* Great Northern Railway.
C. H. EWING, *Gen'l Manager,* Philadelphia & Reading Railway.
E. W. GRICE, *Asst. to President,* Chesapeake & Ohio Railway.
A. S. GREIG, *Asst. to Receivers,* St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad.
C. W. KOUNS, *Gen'l Manager,* Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway.
H. W. McMASTER, *Gen'l Manager,* Wheeling and Lake Erie Railroad.
N. D. MAHER, *Vice-President,* Norfolk and Western Railway.
JAMES RUSSELL, *Gen'l Manager,* Denver & Rio Grande Railroad.
A. M. SCHOYER, *Resident Vice-Pres.,* Pennsylvania Lines West.
W. L. SEDDON, *Vice-President,* Seaboard Air Line Railway.
A. J. STONE, *Vice-President,* Erie Railroad.
G. S. WAID, *Vice-Pres. & Gen'l Manager,* Sunset Central Lines.

Notice for Bids For Janitor

The School Board of School Dist. No. 35, Marshall Co., Minn., hereby announce that they will receive bids for the position of Janitor of the school house in said district during the school term for the coming year beginning Sept. 5, 1916, the bids to state salary wanted.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids may be filed with the Clerk of said district up to 2 o'clock P. M. August 5, 1916.

B. Docken,
District Clerk.

Notice for Bids for Transportation of School Children

The School Board of School Dist. No. 35, Marshall County, Minnesota, hereby announces that they will receive bids for the transportation of school children to and from the school house as per plat of route and rules of transportation now on file in the office of the Clerk of said District.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids may be filed with Clerk of said District up to 2 o'clock, P. M. August 5, 1916.

B. Docken,
District Clerk.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.05
Wheat No. 2	1.01
Wheat No. 3	.95
Wheat No. 4	.88
Flax	1 75
Oats	30
Barley	47 to .52
Rye	.75
Flour, Best Patent	3.45

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., June 14, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Charles H. Rossman, of Germantown, Minn., who, on May 31st, 1912, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 08042, for SW1-4, Sec. 3, Township 155 N, Ran. 41, W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Ruth C. Clark, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Grygla, Minn., on the 26th day of July, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Wayne, Rudolph Jensen, Ole Tharaldson and Adolph Jensen, all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. June 16, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Thora Anderson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Sept. 5th, 1911, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 06533, for Lot 3, Sec. 30, Twp. 156 N, Ran. 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn. on the 27th day of July 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: C. F. Birkland, Ole B. Johnson, Ole Gathus and Peder Rosand, all Holt, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Teachers examinations in Warren July 24, 25 and 26. See program in this paper.

The creamery report is unavoidedly crowded out of this issue, but will be published next week.

Trade in Holt and save money.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS
Successor to "The Northern Light"
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DEPOSITS
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Your Liberty
Your forefathers fought and died for the political, religious and national liberty you now enjoy, but---
Your financial liberty in the future will depend on your ability and consistency in saving a part of what you earn.
Emergencies will not be able to enslave you, Poverty will never be known to you, if you are a Systematic Saver.
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Mrs. Lewis Johnson Dead.

Mrs. Lewis Johnson, of Ringbo, died Tuesday night after several months of sickness. The deceased was 66 years old and leaves to mourn her death, the stricken husband and one daughter at home, one married daughter in Newfolden and a son in Joliet, Ill., who is expected to arrive to-day. The funeral will be held at two o'clock this afternoon in the Ringbo church, Rev. Brederson, officiating.

We expect to have an obituary for next weeks paper.

Narrow Escape From Fire.

Last Friday the house of Christ Saastad had a close call of being destroyed by fire. It started in the morning in the chimney but was not discovered until noon when smoke was seen coming from the attic. By the efforts of Mr. Saastad assisted by his neighbors Messrs. Nohre, Berkvam and Bottom Bros. the fire was quenched in a couple of hours. The roof had to be partly torn off and repaired. No other damage was done.

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Plans and Specifications cheerfully furnished
Let us figure on your work. Recommendations furnished upon request. Give me a trial. Satisfaction guaranteed.
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R. 1, Holt, Minn.

Trade in Holt and save money.

Beltrami county will hold a county option election Aug. 14th.

Red Lake Falls has let the contract for a $17,000 sewer system.

James Whitcomb Riley, the Indiana poet, died Saturday night at his home in Indianapolis.

Ex-Gov. Hanly, of Indiana, was nominated for president Friday at St. Paul by the Prohibition convention.

E. A. Johnson moved his family, Monday, into their commodious new house which will make them a real pleasant home.

Nearly all the papers report little interest shown in the recent school elections, which is a mistake if people want good schools.

The rural credits bill which provides for 12 banks to loan money on farm first mortgages at six percent interest, has become a law.

There have been close to seven hundred deaths in New York and suburbs in the past five weeks from infantile paralysis. The disease seems to be worse in the extreme hot weather.

The musical entertainment given Sunday by the Cheerville Chorus, of Hazel, was very highly spoken of by those in attendance. All were well pleased with the music and in turn the members of the chorus were well pleased with our little village.

When people go past the C. L. Heinze farm they always remark on what a nice place he has. Mr. H. and family are always working hard to keep their place in good shape. Just now they are painting their comfortable house, and when they are thru it will look like a new one. We hope others will do the same and that the country will be greatly improved thereby.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

Rev. F. D. McMartin will hold services in the Free Mission church next Monday evening July 31.

Rev. Kilen, of Newfolden, will hold services in the Free Mission church at 3 and 8 P. M., next Sunday July 30th.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet in the church base ment Friday July 28th. All ladies are requested to help with the entertainment.

Everyone invited to these services.

Doings of the Village Council.

Special Meeting July 25.

Bills of Racine Olson for $2.00 for drawing plans of hall and $27.50 for assessing the village were allowed, also C. W. Christiansons for $3.00 for andhor plates and bolts.

F. W. Tabor's bid of $1.44 a foot for drilling the village well and furnishing the casing was accepted.

The Eureka Fire Hose Mfg. Co's bid, for 700 feet of hose at 60 cents a foot, was accepted. Also a hose cart costing $47.50 and two play pipes or nozzles at $15.00 were purchased of them. The International Harvester Co's. bid, of $1450 for 35 horse power oil engine and $800 for 300 gallon force pnmp was accepted. The council decided to readvertise for bids for electric light plant.

Dr. Turley next Monday July 31.

Hilmer Davidson autoed to Warren Tuesday with A. S. Bean, E. A. Erickson, J. Teastad and C. Nitre, all of whom attended a hearing on Ditch No. 25.

Gilbert Michaelson will sell his horses, cattle, household goods, farm machinery and grain, at public sale, in the village of Holt, at 1 o'clock next Monday July 31.

J. E. Mosberg of Nickerson Minn. came last week Thursday to take charge of the depot, M. F. Carlson being transferred to Angus Mr. Mosberg expects his family to arrive here to-day and they will occupy the rooms over Carlson's store recently vacated by P. O. Reierson and wife.

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Sharples Tubular are the Best, Cleanest skimming Cream Separators in the world.
When you need a new Cream Separator, Buy a Sharples Tubular and get the Best Results. Runs easier, lasts Longer than any other separator made. Fully Warranted For prices and terms, see
C. L. Sandberg
Holt - Minn.

About fifteen mail sacks full of catalogs from the big mail order houses was received at the post office here Saturday. They don't send them into towns where the merchants advertise regularly.

B. L. Backe and family and J. B. Alkenbrack and family autoed to Steiner Sunday afternoon and attended services held there by Rev. Parish. After services they went on to Thief River Falls where they enjoyed a delicious supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Sollom.

The Progressive Farmer Says:
"One trouble with us in the North is that we think too much about a bank as being a place to get money out of, instead of as a place to put money in."
We are here to serve our customers in both capacities. When you have money, your deposits are gratefully received. When you need money, a loan is granted just as cheerfully.
Holt State Bank

We have just stocked our yard with a complete line of
Lumber and Building Materials
Bring in your bills to be figured.
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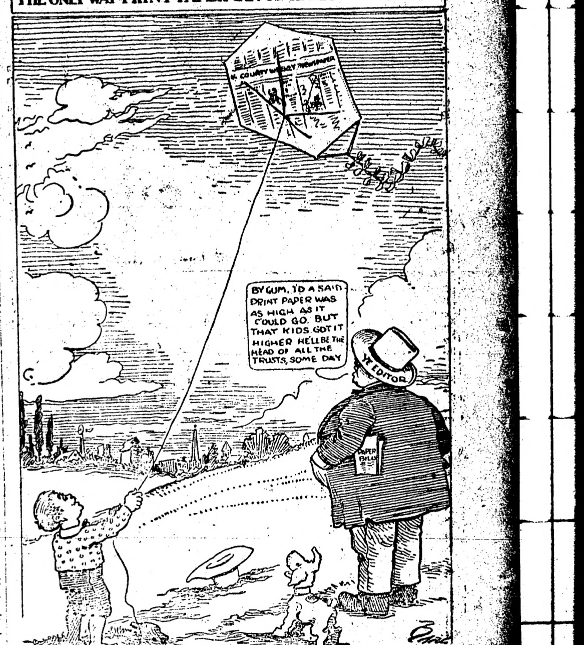
COUNTY WEEKLY NEWSPAPER
BY GUM, I'D A SAID PRINT PAPER WAS AS HIGH AS IT COULD GO. BUT THAT KIDS GOT IT HIGHER HE'LL BE THE HEAD OF ALL THE TRUSTS, SOME DAY
YE EDITOR
PAPER BILLS

NEWS OF THE WEEK

CONDENSATIONS OF GREATER OR LESSER IMPORTANCE.

A BOILING DOWN OF EVENTS

National, Political, Personal and Other Matters in Brief Form for All Classes of Readers.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

The embargo on shipments to Mexico has been lifted on everything except munitions of war.

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In the collision between a train filled with Nebraska National Guardsmen and a switch engine at Houston, Texas, three guardsmen were most painfully injured.

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General Calles has demobilized 4,000 Mexican cavalrymen, who had been encamped in Fronteras, Cuchuta and Nacozari, to the south of Douglas, for several weeks.

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From 200 to 300 Carranza soldiers and camp followers were massacred by broncho Yaquis early last week in lower Sonora, according to stories told in Nogales, Ariz., by arrivals from that part of Mexico.

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The Cedile brothers, heading a band of 2,000 rebels in the state of San Luis Potosi, unconditionally surrendered to the Carranza government with their followers. No more rebels are now operating in San Luis Potosi.

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General Pershing has made the declaration that he believes the trouble between the United States and Mexico is settled He asserts that Mexicans in the vicinity of his column along the Mexican railroad, are very friendly.

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The Mexico Northwestern railroad again has been opened for the shipment of supplies to American troops in Mexico. This action follows the lifting of the embargo on food and other exportations to Mexicans.

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Large Carranza forces, better organized and more completely equipped than any other units of the de facto government troops, are closing in on the bandits of southern Chihuahua and northern Durango, intent on wiping them out.

GENERAL.

More than $4,000,000 damage was done in Mississippi and Alabama by a terrific storm which swept that section of the country recently.

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Iowa democrats for the first time in the memory of any of the leaders went on record in the state platform as favoring prohibition at the state convention at Des Moines.

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The largest single wool sale made in America this year was completed at Cheyenne, Wyo., when the Swan Land and Cattle Co. sold its 1916 clip of 600,000 pounds to W. R. Adams of Fremont, Neb. The price was 25 cents a pound.

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An attempt to assassinate President L LaPlaza of Brazil was made at Buenos Aires. The president was reviewing troops when a man in the crowd of spectators suddenly drew a revolver and fired at him. The shot went wild.

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That more people in the city of Chicago go to moving picture theaters than attend churches was the statement made by Mrs. Harriett Stokes Thompson, in a report to delegates of the convention of the Motion Picture Exhibitors' League of America.

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John Redmond, leader of the Irish nationalists, issued a statement characterizing the speech of the Marquis of Lansdowne in the British house of lords as a declaration of war on the Irish people. Among other suggestions made by Lord Lansdowne was the maintenance of a garrison in Ireland strong enough to preserve order.

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A conference of representative progressives from all parts of the country soon will be held in Chicago, according to an announcement by Bainbridge Colby, to consider "the widespread and bitter revolt within the party" against the action of the national committee in endorsing Charles E. Hughes.

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Two children have died of infantile paralysis in Mitchell, So. Dak., according to a statement by the city health officer. Children have been prohibited from attending public gatherings.

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District Judge Frey of Boone, Ia., held that beer cannot be shipped anywhere within the state of Iowa and that other intoxicating liquors can be shipped only to druggists having permits to sell them for medicinal purposes.

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August Heckscher, New York capitalist, presented a check for $10,000 to Captain Paul Koenig for the members of the crew of the Deutschland in recognition of the submarine's feat.

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Chicago's population, based upon official school population is 2,550,000.

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The city and the province of Madrid, Spain, have been declared by the Spanish government in a state of siege on account of the strike of railway employes.

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The bodies of six negro troopers killed at Carrizal in the battle with Carranza troops, were buried with full military honors in Arlington cemetery, Arlington, Va.

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Dan Patch, pacing king, owned by M. W. Savage, Minneapolis, died of athletic heart at Savage farm, Savage, Minn. In 1906 the champion pacer went a mile over the St. Paul track in 1:55 flat, the premier sulky record of the world.

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Terror has seized the multitudes who have bathed at beaches along the New York and New Jersey coasts by the appearance of man-eating sharks, which have caused the death of four swimmers in the past two weeks and comparatively few persons are now venturing into the water. At several resorts wire nets have been strung around the bathing areas.

WASHINGTON.

The McGillicuddy and Kern bill providing a system of workmen's compensation for federal employes passed passed house by a vote of 286 to 3.

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Democrats unanimously agreed in caucus to support the general principles of a ship purchase bill and to begin the fight for its passage as soon as the general naval appropriations bill is disposed of.

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Formal appeal has been made to all the warring powers by the United States through American ambassadors, the state department announced to make mutual concessions for shipment of relief supplies into Poland.

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President Wilson signed the good roads bill recently passed by congress, authorizing the expenditure of $85,000,000 in five years by the federal government on condition that states expend amounts similar to those apportioned by the bill.

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Rear Admiral W. B. Caperton, now commanding the cruiser squadron in Haiti and Santo Dominican waters, has been selected to succeed Admiral Winslow as commander of the Pacific fleet when the latter retires July 29 on account of age.

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The administration omnibus revenue bill, creating a tariff commission, imposing a protective tariff on dyestuffs, repealing present stamp taxes and providing for new taxes on incomes, inheritances and war munitions profits passed the house by a vote of 240 to 140.

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The German super-submersible Deutcshland, which made a 4,000-mile trip across the Atlantic is not a warship. She is not even an armed merchantman. She has no guns or armament of any kind aboard her. This was the report made to the treasury department by custom officials.

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War's increase of food prices in Europe, as shown by the bureau of labor statistics, has touched neutrals almost as heavily as belligerents. The biggest food price advance is in Austria, where meats are 500 per cent higher than before the war. Meat prices in Germany have risen from 45 to 500 per cent. The British public is paying 55 per cent more for food than it did two years ago. In France prices are 23 per cent above the pre-war average; in Italy 30 per cent. Prices in Norway for necessities are 63 per cent more than in 1914. Denmark workmen pay 34 per cent more for food than two years ago; in Sweden prices are 21 per cent higher; in Switzerland 3 to 175 per cent.

WAR NEWS.

The British steamship Pendennis, 2,183 tons gross, with a cargo of timber from Gothenburg for Hull, has been captured by a German warship off the Norwegian coast and brought to a German port.

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The entente allied offensive on the western front is only in its beginning, declared Premier Asquith in announcing in the House of Commons that the government had decided to ask workers to forego their August holidays because of the demand for munitions.

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The Germans, since the beginning of the war, have destroyed in France, 2,554 villages, 428 cities, 16,669 houses, 331 churches, 379 schools, 201 city halls, 300 important buildings, 330 factories, sixty important bridges, and fifty-sex structures of historical importance. This is a statement made in a French newspaper.

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The next German commerce submarine to go to America will bring back foodstuffs, particularly condensed milk, according to reports received in Amsterdam from Bremen. Condensed milk also will form the bulk of the return cargo of other submarines to cross the Atlantic.

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German newspapers received in Amsterdam assert that eighty submarines of the Deutschland class are now being built and that twenty will be completed in August.

TEUTONS RETREAT 12 MILES BEFORE RUSSIAN ADVANCE

ARMY UNDER VON HINDENBURG DRIVEN BACK AT POINT ON RIGA FRONT, ACCORDING TO PETROGRAD DISPATCH.

SIX GERMAN WARSHIPS ARE ROUTED BY BRITISH

Destroyers Attempting Either Raid or Reconnaissance on English Coast Put to Flight After Being Hit Repeatedly—Kaiser Goes To East Front.

Berlin, July 25.—Emperor William, it is officially announced, has moved from the western to the eastern theater of the war, accompanied by the chief of the general staff of the army in the field.

London, July 25.—Russian forces have driven back the army of Field Marshal von Hindenburg a distance of 12 miles at one point of the Riga front, according to a dispatch from Petrograd.

Gain On 30 Mile Front.

Progress for the Russians is claimed on a front running from the gulf of Riga to Uskull, a distance of more than 30 miles ,the greatest advance being made along the coast line.

The dispatch says that fighting went on without pause for four days.

It has halted now, as the Russians require time to consolidate the ground they have gained, and the Germans are waiting for reinforcements being brought from other sectors of the eastern front.

Teuton Warships Routed.

Six German destroyers, attempting either a raid or a reconnaissance on the British coast, were put to flight by a British sea force in a running fight off Shouwen bank Saturday night and early Sunday, an admiralty statement announces.

The German ships, it was said, were hit repeatedly. One British vessel was struck once, but the total British casualties were two wounded. The German destroyers succeeded in reaching a base on the Belgian coast.

Fight Off Belgian Coast.

The North Hinder lightship is located off the Belgian coast between Ostend and the mouth of the Scheldt river Shonwen bank is in the same neighborhood. The action which the admiralty describes, therefore, took place off the Belgian coast. The German vessels engaged presumably came from Zeebrugge, where there is a German destroyer base.

Two of five German destroyers, presumably those engaged in the running sea fight off the Belgian coast Saturday night, returned to Zeebrugge with a decided list, according to Exchange Teelgraph dispatches from The Hague.

MAY BUY DANISH WEST INDIES

U. S. Practically Completes Negotiations—Price $5,000,000.

Washington, July 25.—Negotiations between the United States and Denmark looking to the purchase of the Danish West Indies are practically completed and both governments are now awaiting an opportune moment for obtaining legislative sanction to a treaty embodying the deal. It is understood that the price which this government proposes to pay is approximately $5,000,000.

The object of obtaining the three islands is primarily for the establishment of a coaling and cable station at St. Thomas and incidentally to use American capital and American enterprise to build up the islands which have fallen into dire financial straits and become a burden to Denmark.

AVIATOR FLIES OVER BERLIN

Drops Proclamations and Is Arrested In Russian Poland.

Paris, July 25.—For the first time in history a hostile aviator has invaded the air over Berlin, the kaiser's capital city.

Lieutenant Antoine Marchal of the French aviation corps left the French town of Nancy, on the Alsace-Lorraine frontier, in June, flew over the German capital and dropped proclamations, and then continued his flight, intending to land within the Russian lines.

He was forced to descend at Cholm, in Russian Poland, however, and was taken prisoner by the Germans. Cholm is 50 miles north of the Austrian frontier. Had Marchal been able to fly 60 miles further would have reached safety within the lines of the czar's armies. His exploit was announced officially.

Steel Reaches High Mark for Month.

New York, July 25.—United States Steel common advanced one-half point to 86⅞, a high mark for the month, at the opening of the stock exchange. Strength in Steel, which was based on expectations of a good quarterly statement, extended throughout the list and there were general advances ranging up to a point. Studebaker advanced seven-eights of a point, American Zinc three-quarters of a point, American Locomotive three-quarters of a point and Mexican Petroleum three-eighths of a point.

BRITISH CAPTURE POZIERES WORKS IN FIERCE BATTLE

STRUGGLE IN NORTHERN FRANCE RESUMED ALONG WHOLE FRONT —LONGUEVAL IS SCENE OF DESPERATE CONFLICT.

FOURTH WEEK OF SOMME BATTLE FAVORS ALLIES

Germans Work With Utmost Strength to Prevent British From Advancing to Their Third Lines—Allies Capture 25,000 Prisoners in New Offensive.

London, July 25.—The battle on the British front in Northern France was resumed along the whole line from Pozieres to Gillemont, the war office report says. The British captured the German outer works near Pozieres by assault and carried the fighting into the village. Longueval also was the scene of a desperate struggle.

In a statement just issued the war office announced further progress for the British in the neighborhood of Pozieres. On the rest of the front from Pozieres to Guillemont, a continuance of the battle with fighting of intense violence is reported.

Report British Drive Fruitless.

Berlin, July 24.—Heavy attacks by the British along the Somme front in northern France on the line running from Thiepval to Guillemont, have been fruitless, notwithstanding disregard for losses among the large number of men employed, the war office announced.

Fourth Week of Somme Battle.

London, July 24.—The fourth week of the Somme battle begins well for the allies and is expected to be fruitful of important developments.

Before midnight, the British began a new attack on the whole line from Pozieres to Guillemont and the fact that General Haig has been able to resume the offensive so soon after the unsuccessful German counter attacks of last week, in which very strong German forces were brought forward, is regarded as a good augury.

Places Change Hands.

The fighting has been of the fiercest character, the Germans working with their utmost strength to prevent the British from advancing to their third line positions. But when the last reports left headquarters in France, the Australians had firmly established themselves in Pozieres and are reported to have placed themselves astride the road in the direction of Bapaume, while at Guillemont and Longueval fortunes fluctuated, both places changing hands several times.

The fighting is proceeding with the utmost violence.

Allies Capture 25,000 Men.

The German counter attacks recently delivered against the French front have proved equally unsuccessful and the Allies now are fighting slowly in the direction of Combles, which is only two miles distant from Guillemont.

According to a reliable estimate, the British and French together have captured since July 1, more than 25,000 prisoners, 140 guns and hundreds of machine guns.

SIX ARE KILLED BY BOMB IN SAN FRANCISCO PARADE

Forty Are Wounded When Anarchist's Weapon Explodes at Crowded Street Corner.

San Francisco, July 24. - Major James Rolph, Jr., has offered a reward of $5,000 for the arrest of the person who placed a bomb among the crowds watching the preparedness parade, the explosion of which killed six and wounded more than 40, and the police established a separate bureau to run down the culprit.

Two suspects have been taken in by the police.

The outrage is laid at the door of the foreign anarchists who have been sending out threatening and warning letters in connection with anti-militaristic propaganda.

First Troops Hurt in Wreck.

San Antonio, Texas, July 24.—The train wrecked in which Minnesota troops figured Sunday at Bay City, Texas, was the first train accident in which any National guardsmen have been hurt since troop movements toward the border began, according to the quartermaster's department here. Approximately 100,000 state troops have been sent to border stations and until Sunday the record made by the railroad men was highly satisfactory to army officers.

Germans Plan to Check Move.

Berlin, July 21.—A campaign to oratory designed to check the extreme annexationist movement represented by the conservatives and the right wing of the national liberals is being organized by the so-called German National committee, whose chairman is Prince von Wedel, formerly viceroy of Alsace-Lorraine and now general adjutant to the Emperor. The speaking campaign includes a great many of the prominent names in science, industry and trade.

Affected His Speech.

"My father wants a bottle of reddick," said Fanny.

"Reddick," said the drug store man, "what is that?"

"It is something you write red with."

"Then I guess you mean red ink."

"My father said reddick, but he didn't get much sleep last night and talks kind of thick this morning, and that may be the reason."

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Baker's Dozen.

"Father, what is a baker's dozen?" asked Charlie.

"One more than a dozen, thirteen, you know; but why do you want to know?"

"Mr. Moore asked me whose little boy I was, and his wife said, 'Don't you know? That is one of the Brown children. And Mr. Moore said, 'Yes, I remember; they have a baker's dozen.' Now what have we got thirteen of, papa? We have only five children, and counting you and mamma seven, and that does not make thirteen."

Harsh Desires.

"I wish some people I know were like swans."

"Why so?"

"Because swans sing only once in their lives and die immediately after."

Speaking of Rain.

Bill—They say when stars flicker in a dark background, rain or snow follows soon.

Jill—Well, the stars must have been doing some tall flickering of late.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
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Willing Worker.

An amusing incident is told which took place in one of the occupied districts of Belgium where the German occupier doles out potatoes to such of the starving people as agree to work for him. One recipient presented himself before the German authorities and declared himself quite ready in return for a supply of potatoes to work for the Germans and only for them. He seemed quite decided and genuine in his offer to work.

"Then you are quite willing to sign the declaration?" asked the German officer.

"Yes, quite willing."

"And what is your trade?"

"I am a grave digger," replied the Belgian stolidly.—London Everyman.

At a Wedding.

They have a saw in Afghanistan to the effect that the next best thing to no wife is a good wife.

The Senegalese declare that there are only two good women in the world —one is dead and the other can't be found.

The Chinese hold that if a man lose his bride and a yen, he'll regret the yen. A yen's about a tenth of a cent.

But more comforting, far more comforting than these proverbs, in the wise saying of Don Quixote that there's only one good woman in all the world, and every husband ought to think that his wife is she.

Making Quick Time.

Small Nellie had been to an "Uncle Tom's Cabin" matinee. After the show was over she said: "Mamma, does little Eva play again tonight?"

"Yes, dear, I suppose so," replied the mother.

"Well," continued Nellie, after a moment's thought. "I don't see how she can die and go to heaven at four o'clock and get back in time to die again at eight."

For a man to make a woman happy during courtship is much easier than it is for him to make good after marriage.

WOMAN HAD NERVOUS TROUBLE

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her.

West Danby, N. Y.—"I have had nervous trouble all my life until I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for nerves and for female troubles and it straightened me out in good shape. I work nearly all the time, as we live on a farm and I have four girls. I do all my sewing and other work with their help, so it shows that I stand it real well. I took the Compound when my ten year old daughter came and it helped me a lot. I have also had my oldest girl take it and it did her lots of good. I keep it in the house all the time and recommend it."—Mrs. DEWITT SINCEBAUGH, West Danby, N. Y.

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Five Giant Fingers Bind Cities.

The five giant spans of steel, which, like gargantuan fingers clutch the two sides of East river, binding New York and Brooklyn together, cost America's metropolis half as much as the Panama canal cost the federal government. Three of them are suspended from cables, the wires of which, if placed end to end, would more than twice girdle the earth. If placed side by side, these five great structures would provide a roadway as wide as the Washington monument is high, and if placed end to end they would make a great bridge over six miles long. Across the Brooklyn bridge alone 125,000 surface cars travel every 24 hours, with other vehicular traffic in proportion.—National Geographic Magazine.

Tempting Fate.

It was behind the scenes of a barnstorming theatrical company.

"Macbeth Parlow is timid about appearing tonight," said one of the troupe.

"How foolish," replied another. "He shouldn't have stage fright. Why, he's been on the boards for years."

"True," replied the first speaker, "but this is the first time he was ever billed for two nights in one town."

Approval.

Patience—Have you seen Peggy's new suit?

Patrice—Yes; isn't it too ridiculous for anything?

"Yes, I like it, too."

An elaborate tombstone and a contested will is the only notoriety wealth brings to some men.

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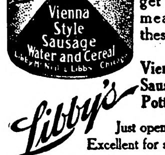

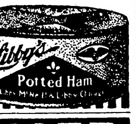

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Husband's Protest.

With a view to advertising his business, a certain dentist announced that he would supply artificial teeth to the first twelve aged ladies in poor circumstances who applied for them.

The earliest application on the appointed day was an elderly woman in shabby but respectable clothes, who was politely ushered into the waiting room.

Scarcely was she seated when a red-faced old man came to the place, and announced that he had come "about them teeth."

"You are making a mistake," the dentist replied. "I only made my offer to ladies. In fact, there's one lady waiting now."

"Ay, an' it's about 'er I've come," retorted the old man, gruffly. "Tell, 'er 'er 'usband's waitin' for 'er, and if she don't 'op out quick, there'll be trouble. She's got a happetite like an 'oss already, and if you set 'er up wi' a strong lot of teeth, she'll eat both me an' 'er into the work'us in a week. Send 'er out at once!"—London Tit-Bits.

To Hard to Find.

"I've got about enough of that scalawag."

"Easy, son. Always try to see some good in everybody."

"I have tried. But it gets tiresome when you have to look for it with a microscope."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Minneapolis.—Twenty-five cars from many parts of the state, including four from Minneapolis, got away Thursday on a sociability tour to Yellowstone park. A large crowd was out to see the cars start.

Winona. — Minnesotans should be given an opportunity to investigate and ascertain the logic of any plan approved by the Economy and Efficiency Commission, in the opinion of Senator James A. Carley of Plainview.

St. Paul. — As a part of a campaign to insure pure milk for Minnesota babies, the state dairy and food commission has issued a bulletin telling dairymen how to handle milk and cream to minimize chances of its contamination by filth and germs.

St. Paul. — Developments in connection with alleged state timber irregularities included an order for remeasurements following discrepancies in official reports on five timber contracts and certification of timber on a tract sold as agricultural land.

East Grand Forks.—Jesse Coulter, a farmer, escaped death after a battle with an enraged bull by leaping on the animals back, seizing an iron ring in it's nose and bringing the bull to the ground. Coulter probably will recover, though severely wounded.

St. Cloud. — A telegram to the local police says that the St. Cloud man of mystery who lost his identity and has been here more than a week unable to tell his name or where he came from may be a Mr. Martinson of White Bear, who disappeared recently. The son of the latter was to come here to identify him.

St. Paul.—Minnesota communities are building public schools this summer at the same rate that has averaged from 300 to 350 new buildings a year for several years, according to S. A. Challman, state commissioner of school buildings. The annual expenditure for school buildings has run from $2,500,000 to $3,500,000.

Minneapolis. — Minnesota is likely to have an average corn crop, in the opinion of Dean Woods of the University college of agriculture. "I have been around the state a good deal lately," he said, "and everywhere the corn is looking good. It promises to yield 50 per cent better in both quantity and quality than last year."

Hibbing. — A resolution approving the enfranchisement of women was voted down by the annual convention of the Minnesota State Federation of Labor. Election of officers was the other business of the session. E. G. Hall, president, and George W. Lawson, secretary-treasurer, were unopposed for re-election. The 1917 meeting likely will be given to Faribault.

Washington. — Secretary of Agriculture Houston has requested the Minnesota Highway Commission to furnish him with information regarding road conditions throughout the state, having in mind the Bankhead bill, which appropriates $75,000,000 to be spent on post road improvements and to be expended under his direction. He has also asked for copies of Minnesota road laws.

St. Paul.—J. Frank Hanly, former governor of Indiana, was nominated for president by the prohibition national convention. A demonstration lasting 5 minutes greeted the nomination of Hanly. His supporters paraded the aisles of the auditorium, shouting, singing and throwing hats. The convention voted to place an initiative, referendum and recall plank in the party platform. The resolutions committee had voted to reject this plank, but the convention adopted the minority report.

Washington, D. C. — A total of $1,076,000 is provided for public buildings in Minnesota under the provisions of the public buildings bill reported to the House. Of this the largest single appropriation is for Duluth, which receives $300,000. Minneapolis is next with $100,000 for remodeling the old Federal building. Other appropriations for Minnesota buildings include $50,000 for Albert Lea, $35,000 for Litchfield, $51,000 for Northfield, $55,000 for Thief River Falls and $35,000 for Wadena.

St. Paul.—Saving of thousands of dollars in switching charges annually to Minneapolis milling interests and to farmers of Minnesota was assured in a decision by the Minnesota supreme court in the first of a series of cases involving the switching railroads of Minneapolis.

The supreme court holds this particular road, the Minneapolis Eastern railway, is really only a part of the Milwaukee and the Omaha railroads, which jointly own the Minneapolis Eastern. That is to say, the owner roads may not add to their charge for carrying grain to terminal houses or mills on the switching roads any more than they may charge for switching a car of grain from their main track to one of their sidetracks.

Day Bandits Rob Driver.

Minneapolis, July 22 Holding up C A Ryan, a driver for the C S. Brackett Grocery company at 1 p. m., two men after a hard battle forced Ryan to give them $13 and fled. Cornered by two policeman in an alley both were captured after one of them had fired on Patrolman Knighton. The suspects who were caught gave their names as Harry Price and George Moore. The bandits stopped Ryan on Excelsior boulevard and asked for a ride.

Sea Militia Win Honors.

Minnesota naval militiamen on board the U. S. S. Rhode Island, off the Atlantic coast, won highest honors during the first three days of the training cruise off the Atlantic coast.

Captain Guy A. Eaton and Lieutenant Carhart, commanding officers, with all members of the Gopher contingent, received special commendation from Rear Admiral Helm, commander of the training squadron.

The training fleet steamed from the Philadelphia navy yard July 15, the squadron consisting of the dreadnought Rhode Island, flagship, and seven battleships.

Searchlights of the United States squadron at signal practice revealed cruisers circling outside Cape May. They were Allied warships waiting for the German merchant submarine Deutschland, now at Baltimore, to make its hourly expected dash to sea.

The Rhode Island's wireless constantly is intercepting radio messages from European wireless stations to Allied war craft stationed off the Atlantic coast.

Ensign A. D. Mayer, U. S. N., of St. Paul, who graduated from Annapolis last June, has charge of the division of Minnesotans.

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Camps in Good Condition.

Another report from Major General Bliss to the War department on his inspection of national guard camps on the Mexican border said he found the encampment At Llano Grande, Donna, Mercedes and Harlingen, Tex., in an excellent state of health, with sanitary conditions ranging from good to excellent. Minnesota national guards are in Llano Grande.

The dispatch follows:

"Finished inspection of Minnesota and Indiana infantry brigades and two regiments of Nebraska infantry and auxiliary troops from these states, all stationed at Llano Grande and portions of Texas infantry brigade stationed at Donna, Mercedes and Harlingen.

"Command is in excellent state of health, the sick report being practically negligible.

"Camp water supply system at Llano Grande is nearly completed.

"Sanitary conditions of the various camps varied from good to excellent.

"All officers and men interviewed by me stated that the rations are abundant in quantity, excellent in quality and of suitable variety."

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Spanish War Veterans Meet.

No attempt will be made by veterans of the Spanish-American war to organize a reserve force until a call for volunteers is issued. The state convention which closed Wednesday at Albert Lea, so decided. Practical preparedness was indorsed.

Speakers urged preparedness which begins in the public schools.

O. G. Sanstad of Kenyon was elected commander; Albert E. Edwards, Minneapolis, senior vice commander; S. O. Simonson, Albert Lea, junior vice commander; A. L. Lladek, St. Paul, inspector; Dr. T. C. Clark, St. Paul, surgeon; W. E. Ostrander, Albert Lea, chaplain; and Herman Nigg, Waseca, marshal.

C. F. Dolan of St. Paul was appointed quartermaster and Lucius Clement, Minneapolis, adjutant. Charles Dolan and Ernest Lundeen of Minneapolis, J. E. Swan of Albert Lea and Elmore Phelps of St. Paul were named delegates to the national convention in Chicago September 4 to 6.

The next convention will be at Waseca.

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First Regiment Needs Funds.

The First Minnesota regiment needs a fund of about $2,500 deposited to the credit of the regiment in a Minneapolis bank and on which the regiment can draw.

With the first share of the state funds practically exhausted and with the mercury climbing at Camp Llano Grande, Colonel E. D. Luce said that twin city residents can practically insure the health of the men by raising a substantial fund and placing it to the account of the regiment.

Colonel Luce and other officers of the First believe it impractical to make shipment of necessities from Minneapolis. Ice and lemons are the two things most needed, for the government has not arranged for an adequate ice supply and the water from the Rio Grande, without ice, is like drinking water from Lake Nokomis in July.

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Governor Visits Benson.

Governor J. A. A. Burnquist departed for Northern Minnesota to spend a few days as the guest of E. M. Thornton, of Benson, at the latter's summer home on Lake Minnewaska, and also to inspect state fish hatcheries. In company with Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, the Governor left in the state fish car, going to Detroit and Glenwood to visit the hatcheries.

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Mobilization Costs $69,850.

Camp Bobleter and expenses of guard mobilization there cost the state $69,850.89, according to a statement prepared by State Auditor J. A. O. Preus. The state had set aside $10,000 to meet the expense.

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Frankson Case Dismissed.

The petition of thirty-two citizens of Minneapolis, Wayzata and Kenyon to annul the election of Thomas Frankson as candidate of the Republican party for the office of lieutenant governor of the state was ordered dismissed by Judge Hascal R. Brill in district court. The dismissal was granted on the motion of H. A. Loomis, attorney for Mr. Frankson, because G. S. Grimes, a petitioner, and attorney for the petitioners, was unable to get twenty-four of the litigants into court.

WHO'S GOT THE MONEY

In Four Staples Alone the Farmers of Western Canada Produced 408 Million Dollars in 1915.

The Calgary (Alberta) printers have a house organ, called "The Magnet," and in its columns a few weeks ago appeared an article entitled "Who's Got the money?" It was cleverly written, and but for its length, the writer would have been pleased to have copied the article in its entirety. The purpose for which this article is published, however, that of letting the readers of the paper know of the great progress that is being made in agriculture in Western Canada, will be served by copying a portion of the article. Many of the readers of this paper doubtless have friends in one of the three provinces—Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta, and they will be interested in feeling that their friends are enjoying a portion of the wealth that has come to Western Canada farmers as a result of careful tilling of a soil prodigal in everything that goes to make good grain, cattle, horses, hogs and sheep.

Reproducing from the article:

The Government does not produce money. It can stamp "One Dollar" on a slip of white paper, and we accept it at a dollar's worth, but neither the paper nor the printing are worth a copper. What gives it value is the promise of the people of Canada which stands behind the printed slip, and our faith in that promise.

Now do you know who's got the money?

Let us put it into figures. The farmers of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba last year raised 342,948,000 bushels of wheat. If we take for an average 85 cents a bushel in Manitoba, 81 cents in Saskatchewan, and 79 cents in Alberta the season's wheat crop was worth $280,629,000. Add to this an oat crop of 334,840,000 bushels, worth $95,457,000; a barley crop of 35,254,200 bushels, worth $15,871,000, and a flax crop of 10,559,000 bushels worth $15,843,000, and you find that on these four staples alone the farmers of Western Canada produced a wealth of $407,800,000.

Please note that this wealth is in money. It is not in real estate at inflated values, industrial stocks that are half water and the rest air, fictitious goodwills or unsaleabe merchandise. It is in hard cash, or—which is better —hard wheat.

These figures are only for the staple grain productions. They do not include the millions of dollars represented by the live stock and dairying industries, or the additional millions included in the root, fruit, and garden crops. The creameries of Saskatchewan, for instance produced more buttermilk and ice cream last year than their total production amounted to six years ago. The milk, butter, and cheese production of Alberta for 1915 was valued at over eleven million dollars. The potato crop of the three provinces was worth five millions and a half. Corn and alfalfa—comparatively new crops, charged with tremendous possibilities —amounted to over a round million. Even honey — you didn't know we raised honey (the bee kind) in this country, did you? Manitoba produced 105,000 pounds in 1915, and there isn't a bee in the province that doesn't swear he's a better honey-sorter than anything in California or Washington.

That's where the money is; in the jeans of our honest friend the farmer, who was too slow to get into the cities when the rest of us saw short-cuts to wealth; who hadn't imagination enough to think a man can make money without earning it, and who was too dull to know that hard work is foolish. Well, he has the laugh now. Likewise the money.—Advertisement.

Souvenir.

On the registry of Lyons, France, there has been recorded the birth of a girl child. The father, a working man, limped painfully, his chest decorated with the Croix de Guerre, appeared in person to make the prescribed announcement. He gave the child's first name as Verdunette. A clerk suggested that it was an odd name.

"It will at least serve to remind her," said the honest man, "of the place where her father got knocked out."

Struggling to Be Optimistic.

"I hated to see my boy Josh start for the border," said Farmer Corntossel. "But there's one thing I congratulated him on."

"What did you say?"

"I says, 'Josh, the speech makin' out this way is poorer every year. Maybe it's lucky you're getting away just in time to miss the Fourth o' July picnics.'"

The darkest hour is when you haven't a match.

THE HIGH QUALITY SEWING MACHINE
NEW HOME
NOT SOLD UNDER ANY OTHER NAME
Write for free booklet "Points to be considered before purchasing a Sewing Machine." Learn the facts.
THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE CO., ORANGE, MASS.

Kill All Flies! They Spread Disease
Placed anywhere, Daisy Fly Killer attracts and kills all flies. Neat, clean, ornamental, convenient, and cheap. Lasts all season. Made of metal, can't spill or tip over; will not soil or injure anything. Guaranteed effective. Ask for
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Sold by dealers, or 6 sent by express, prepaid, $1.00.
HAROLD SOMERS, 150 DeKalb Ave. Brooklyn, N. Y.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

TYPHOID is no more necessary than Smallpox. Army experience has demonstrated the almost miraculous efficacy, and harmlessness, of Antityphoid Vaccination.
Be vaccinated NOW by your physician, you and your family. It is more vital than house insurance.
Ask your physician, druggist, or send for "Have you had Typhoid?" telling of Typhoid Vaccine, results from use, and danger from Typhoid Carriers.
Producing Vaccines and Serums under U. S. License
The Cutter Laboratory, Berkeley, Cal., Chicago, Ill.

Fargo Directory
Shotwell Floral Co.
Growers and shippers of cut flowers, plants, etc. Write for catalog. Funeral designs on short notice. Phone day or night. Fargo, N. D.

W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 31-1916.

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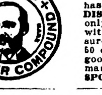
BAKING POWDER
Passed by the Board of Censors

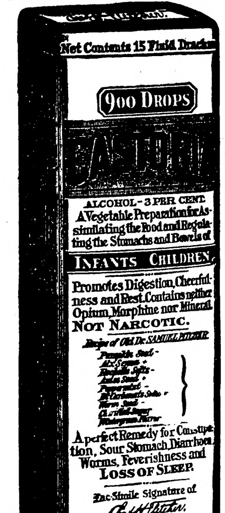
1st—The manufacturer with the rigid tests of the laboratory and factory.
2nd—The wholesale grocer with his high standing and desire to handle only reliable goods.
3rd—The retail grocer who desires to handle only those brands he knows will please his customers.
4th—The food officials with their rigid laws for the purity and wholesomeness of food products.
5th—And most important, you, the housewife with your desire for purity, efficiency and perfect satisfaction.

ASK YOUR GROCER — HE SELLS IT

25 Ounces for 25¢
(More than a pound and a half for a quarter)



HORSE SALE DISTEMPER
You know that what you sell or buy through the sales has about one chance in fifty to escape SALE STABLE DISTEMPER. "SPOHN'S" is your true protection, your only safeguard, for as sure as you treat all your horses with it, you will soon be rid of the disease. It acts as a sure preventive, no matter how they are "exposed." 50 cents and $1 a bottle; $5 and $10 dozen bottles, at all good druggists, horse goods houses, or delivered by the manufacturers.
SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemists, Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.



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Children Cry For
Fletcher's
CASTORIA
What is CASTORIA
Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhœa. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.
GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS
Bears the Signature of
Chas. H. Fletcher.
In Use For Over 30 Years
The Kind You Have Always Bought
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

Steiner

Mrs. N. E. Emmons and brother W. G. Rogers has been visiting at the home of S. G. Rogers the past week.

Rev. Parish and wife attended services at Steiner school house Sunday. A large crowd was present.

Misses Lydin and Georgia Muzzy called at the home of J. Swanson Sunday.

Miss Lena A. Riedl took the Great Northern train for Thief River Falls one day last week.

Mrs. N. Bakar and children visited at the home of A. Hoglin.

Harvey Copp visited his parents over Sunday.

F. Borden and daughter Lula and Myrtle called at the home of S. R. Rogers Sunday.

Club meeting was held in the Stiener school house Saturday. Officers were elected as following: Amy Whittman President, Henry Rogers Vice President, Irvin Russell Sec'y, Vermon Malberg and Hobson Rogers Sargent at Arms.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Southeast of Holt.

A very large number of people were in attendance at the confirmation services in the East Valley school house Sunday arternoon. Those confirmed were Julia and Ida Johnson, Mildred and Myrtle Jahr, Randine Eggum, Ole Tvedt, Mabel and Arthur Rosand.

Miss Gunvor Skomedal is taking care of her neice and nephew Alvin and Mabel Christopherson of T. R. Falls while the mother is confined to the hospital with typhoid fever.

Miss Olga Klungnes is employed at the Olaf Brevick home near Mavie.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olsen entertained as their guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. P. Michaelson and family.

Olga and Ragna Larson are spending a few days berry picking near Golden Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Olsen spent Sunday at the Erick Johnson home near Ringbo.

Lauda Olson is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Gilbert Michaelson.

Mrs. H. T. Tveten and step-son Torsten Tveten of Eckvoll Twp. called on friends near Mud Lake on Sunday.

Simon Moe left for Grafton N. Dak. last week to be present at the funeral of his cousin Andrew Brye. He will remained at that place to work for his cousin John Moe during the fall and summer months.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes
Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Steel vs. Iron.

For some purpose iron is to be preferred to steel and vice versa. To easily distinguish one from the other, make a bright spot on the metal with a file or sand paper and apply a single drop of nitric acid. Allow it to remain for one or two minutes and wash or wipe off. If the spot has a pale ashy appearance it is wrought iron; if it is a brownish black, it is steel; if a deep black, it is cast iron.

Weeping Willows.

The weeping willows, so-called (scientific name S. babylonica), is a native of China, from which country it has been taken over most of the civilized earth. It varies in height and dimensions, according to climate and soil, and invariably maintains its drooping habit, the chief cause of its attractiveness.

Local Items

For hay land to rent see Holt State Bank.

B. L. Backe antoed to Warren Monday on business.

Buy it in Holt, the best little town in northern Minnesota.

Wait until next Monday July 31, for Dr. Turley todo your dental work.

J. A. Sorum and P. L. Anderson attended the circus in Crookston on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. R. L. Olson and sister Mrs. Anderson visited relatives in Middle River Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Werner came up from T. R. Falls Sunday for a short visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg.

Feed ground at Edwin Hanson's every Saturday, or by appointment. Northwest corner of Section 19 in Town of Holt. Telephone exchange.

Miss Lillie Peterson went to Thief River Falls, Wednesday, returning home to-day. Miss Christine Saastad took her place in the Central Office.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nohre went to Warren, Wednesday, to consult a physician regarding the latters health which has been very poor for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pavek, Anton Johnson cashier of the First State Bank of Dahlen, N. Dak., and Miss Ethel Telander, all of Dahlen, came Saturday evening and visited until Sunday evening at the P. A. Riesberg home.

KASKASKIA
Live Stock Insurance
COMPANY
Insures
Horses, Mules
Cattle
Against Loss From
Disease-Accident
Fire & Lightning
B. Docken,
Local Agent
Holt Minn.

Mrs. Adolph Sollom visited her sister Mrs. Backe Wednesday.

Mrs. Olaf Eggum and children left Monday for their new home at Kelliher.

Abel Anderson and family of Lockhart, visited with friends here Sunday and Monday.

Racine Olson and Loyd Adams went to Leonard, Friday, to work on D. Payne's new house.

B. L. Backe and family were entertained at the J. B. Alkenbrack home Sunday at dinner.

The Misses Evelyna and Myrtle Sollom are visiting on the old homestead with their brother Alfred and family.

G. P. Sorter and wife, A. Bjerk and wife and Mrs. B. Docken were entertained at the G. H. Gunheim home Sunday.

Mrs. Alex Strom and children of Thief River Falls visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg, from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Josie Bennes from Fertile has been visiting a few days the past week at the home of her brother Albert Bennes and family.

Misses Christine Saastad, Clara Larson, Gunhild Sollom and Mabel Knutson returned Saturday from Crookston where they had been in attendance at Summer School.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe and Mrs. Martin Mattson autoed to Crookson Tuesday to take in Ringling's circus. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Martin Olson and enjoyed a very pleasant visit, returning home Wednesday.

Public Sale

Gilbert Michaelson has decided to quit farming and will sell his horses, cattle, farm machinery and household goods at public auction, in the village of Holt, at one o'clock Monday afternoon, July 31st.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Dr. Turley next Monday July 31.

Rev. M. T. Strom went to Goodridge Friday to hold services, returning home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kolden went to Crookston Monday to visit relatives and attend the circus.

Olaus Rodahl and Sam Mickelson returned home from Leonard Wednesday night for a few days visit.

Mrs. Albert Bennes and Miss Clara Bennes visited friends in Middle River between trains, Wednesday.

Ole Backluud returned home yesterday from visiting relatives in Grant county and reports lots of wet weatther there.

Mrs. B. L. Backe took an auto load of women out to P. P. Reierson's Wednesday to attend the ladies aid meeting.

Chris Yttre is having a well drilled. Hilmer Davidson is doing the work. At last reports he was down 115 feet and no water.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Groven and little son from north-east of T. R. Falls visited Sunday at the home of his brother, Dr. R. L. Olson.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of May 1916.

Cream received	25,580 lbs
Average test	27.37
Butter fat	6953.14 lbs
Percent overrun	24 66
Butter made	8678 lbs
Balance on hand last month	66
Received for butter shipped	2293 15
Butter and milk sold patrons	12 71
Cash sales at creamery	41 26
To other sources	3 28
Total	$2351 06
Paid patrons by check	1985 84
" " " Butter & milk	13 93
Expense fund, etc.	298 38
Other expense	
To sinking fund	51 59
Balance on hand	1 32
Total	$2351 06

Number of patrons, 111

Price paid for butter fat, 31c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 and over: Tosten Ellefson $51.17 Lewis Johnson $45.53. John Simonson $41.24.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of John Hanson.

In The Matter Of The Estate Of John Hanson, Deceased.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court:

The State Of Minnesota To George J. Hanson, Ludvig F. Hanson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of George J. Hanson having been filed in this court, representing that John Hanson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 26th day of June 1916; and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to B. Docken, of Holt, Minnesota, and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; THEREFORE YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of August 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 7th day of July 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minnesota

The Holt Weekly News
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The Northern Light
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Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

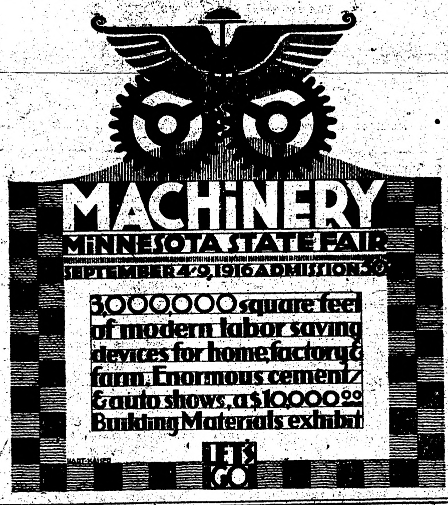
Mr. and Mrs. Chapin, who have been assisting in the Pentecostal meetings at C. E. Smith's, left Monday for Middle River and later on they go to T. R. Falls.

Sell Your Farm
If you want to sell or trade your farm
Call on or write to
B. Docken
Holt - Minn.

C. L. Sandberg has taken the agency for the Sharples Cream Separator. See his ad in this paper.

Mrs. Christenson, little daughter Verna, and little Alice Eray came Saturday from Fertile to visit at the homes of the former's daughters, Mesdames Huseth and Oien.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Monday
July 31, 1916.
I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-
Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
Plates $10.00 and up
Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.
Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.
Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR
SEPTEMBER 4-9, 1916 ADMISSION 50¢
3,000,000 square feet of modern labor saving devices for home, factory & farm. Enormous cement & auto shows, a $10,000.00 Building Materials exhibit
LET'S GO
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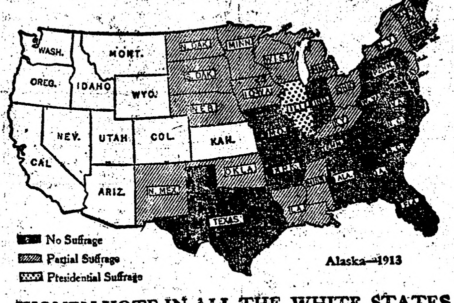
Votes for Women a Success

THE MAP PROVES IT



WOMEN VOTE IN ALL THE WHITE STATES
WHY NOT IN THIS STATE?

The Vote was given to Women in Wyoming 1869

Colorado	1893	Kansas	1912
Idaho	1896	Oregon	1912
Utah	1896	Alaska	1913
Washington	1910	Illinois	1913
California	1911	Montana	1914
Arizona	1912	Nevada	1914

Nearly 4,000,000 women vote in the Equal Suffrage States.
Total Number of Electoral Votes in Equal Suffrage States—91.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Carl L. Anderson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Carl L. Anderson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Anna Anderson It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 27th day of January 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS as provided by law.

Dated July 20th 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

(Probate Court Seal)

Notice for Bids For Janitor

The School Board of School Dist. No. 35, Marshall Co., Minn., hereby announce that they will receive bids for the position of Janitor of the school house in said district during the school term for the coming year beginning Sept. 5, 1916, the bids to state salary wanted.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids may be filed with the Clerk of said district up to 2 o'clock P. M. August 5, 1916.

B. Docken,
District Clerk.

Notice for Bids for Transportation of School Children

The School Board of School Dist. No. 35, Marshall County, Minnesota, hereby announces that they will receive bids for the transportation of school children to and from the school house as per plat of route and rules of transportation now on file in the office of the Clerk of said District.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids may be filed with Clerk of said District up to 2 o'clock, P. M. August 5, 1916.

B. Docken,
District Clerk.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.12
Wheat No. 2	1.08
Wheat No. 3	1.02
Wheat No. 4	.95
Flax	1 82
Oats	.31
Barley	45 to .50
Rye	.73
Flour, Best Patent	3.55

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Due for a Jolt.

Those people who have an impression that the wheels wouldn't go 'round if they sat down and folded their arms will get a sharp jolt sooner or later.

New Jewell Hotel
15-19 E. FIFTH ST.
ST. PAUL, MINN.
OPPOSITE CITY HALL
MODERN EUROPEAN PLAN
LOCATED IN HEART OF BUSINESS DISTRICT
RATES: Rooms with detached bath and shower bath—
One person 75c, $1.00 and $1.50 per day.
Two persons in same room, 50c extra.
ROOMS with private baths and toilets—
One person $1.50 and $2.00 per day
Two persons in same room, $1.00 extra.
Send postal card for colored blotters.
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A STATE BANK — A HOME BANK
DEPOSITS — LOANS
Making Your Choice
In making choice of a bank to become the depository of your crop funds and the medium of disbursing them, study well its elements of strength.
Strong safes and time locks are incidental necessities but it is more important that the men who manage the Bank shall be strong men free from the taint of speculation and worthy of confidence.
Choose a Bank that seeks to prosper by loaning carefully. These are points of merit we claim as a basis for your confidence and business.
Farmers' State Bank
Holt - Minnesota
(The Bank with "The Mysterious Clock")

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
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THE NEWELL DRUG STORE
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA
The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.
Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.
Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.
DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

Auto Garage!
When in Middle River make our garage your headquarters. We have what you want, such as tires, tubes, jacks, pumps, spark-plugs, dry-alls, wires, fuses and other supplies. Try our splendid oil.
We do repairing promptly. Come in and use our "free air" system.
Opposite Sjoberg's store
Middle River Auto Co.
Rud & Dunrud, Props.

The Holt Weekly News!
Only $1.00 A Year
Send it to your friends

Local Items

Bring us your Job Printing.

For hay land to rent see Holt State Bank.

Buy it in Holt, the best little town in northern Minnesota.

Ole Backlund visited his brother in Randen, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson and children are visiting relatives in Strandquist this week.

Miss Ella Olberg came Tuesday from Grand Forks to visit her sister Mrs. S. S. Kolden for a few days.

Mrs. Lufkin and children came up from T. R. Falls Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson, also her brother on the farm.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

Mrs. Christenson, who has been visiting at the Huseth and Oien homes, left Saturday for a weeks visit with her daughters in T. R. Falls.

W. A. Atwood, of Pasadena, Cal., was here last week Thursday looking after his land in sections 7 and 12 in Excel. Mr. Atwood was well pleased with this country and says its as hot here as in California.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden visited at the C. J. Jefferson home Sunday.

A number of our people have attended the Pennington Co. Fair this week.

Svenke Svenkeson was a business visitor in Theif River Falls, Wednesday.

Albert Mattson came up from McIntosh Wednesday to look over the threshing prospects.

B. Docken has sold the Iver Engebretsen place in town of Whiteford to Mr. Hardman of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Nils Engebretsen and Andrew Hanson were business visitors Monday in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Ole Knutson and her sister Mrs. Anderson returned Monday from a few days visit in Thief River Falls.

Charles J. Johnson who had been here to attend the funeral of his mother, departed Sunday night for his home in Joliet, Ill.

P. L. Anderson is suffering from an attack of rheumatism and has secured the services of Frank Pace of Newfolden and will take a few days vacation from work in the creamery.

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In Church Circles.

Rev. F. J. Seltz will conduct services with Holy Communion in the Holt Synod church, next Sunday, Aug. 6th, at 3 P. M.

Rev. Osborn Instanes, of Thief River Falls, will hold English services in the Free Mission church at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening Aug. 8th. Everyone invited to attend.

B. L. Backe has purchased a new Maxwell auto.

We understand Chris Knutson has gone to T. R. Falls to work.

P. L. Anderson visited Sunday with his parents near St. Hilaire.

B. Docken returned home Saturday from his eastern trip and is again hard at work in the bank.

A. Brotten of T. R. Falls moved Monday onto a farm northwest of town which he recently purchased.

P. A. Anderson was run over by a wagon, on Monday and bruised up some, but is able to be around now.

Mr. and Mrs I. Arness, of Fork, visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. H. Gunheim and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe and Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden attended the Grand Forks fair Thursday and Friday.

John Wengeler, of T. R. Falls, was in town a couple of days last week in the interests of the Yeomen insurance association.

A party of surveyors from Warren have been surveying this week for a ditch between the townships of Holt and Excel.

Mrs. Arvid Carlson is visiting relatives this week while her husband is in the cities buying goods for their stores in Holt and Newfolden.

The workmen came Monday to put the last coat of stucco on the village hall. This coat is colored brown or chocolate and we predict the building is going to look pretty nifty.

Station agent Mosberg's family arrived here Monday and they have moved into rooms in the section house. THE NEWS joins the good people of Holt in extending a hearty welcome to this excellent family.

The land office at Crookston have rejected the applications of some more of the Mud Lake squatters, recently. Among them we have learned of the names of Mrs. T. T. Sollom and daughter Gunhild, Ludwig Monson and P. P. Reierson. The cases will be appealed to the U. S. Land Commissioner, Washington, D. C.

Considerable interest is being taken in the new courses to be offered at the State Agricultural School, in Crookston, beginning this fall. The 4 year course opens Sept. 5 and continues for 9 months. For girls it specializes in Home Economics and Normal work and for boys in the agricultural sciences. The 4 years course admits to college upon its completion. The regular 3 years course for boys is continued while a new two years for girls has been organized. The new school catalogs are ready. Send for a copy. It is free. Address, Registrar, Agricultural School, Crookston, Minn.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY
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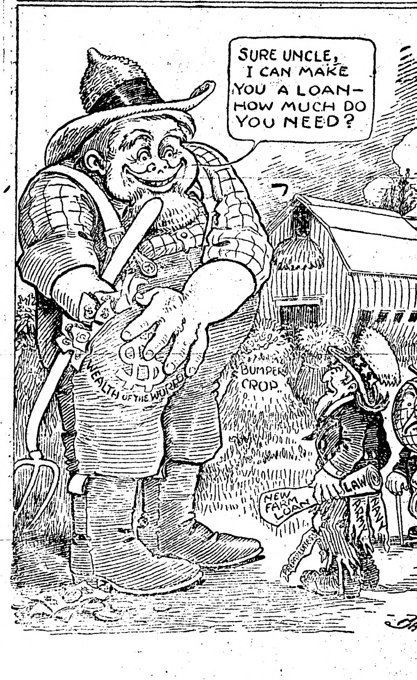

EPITOME OF EVENTS

PARAGRAPHS THAT PERTAIN TO MANY SUBJECTS.

ARE SHORT BUT INTERESTING

Brief Mention of What Is Transpiring in Various Sections of Our Own and Foreign Countries

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

General Calles has demobilized 4,000 Mexican cavalrymen, who had been encamped in Fronteras, Cuchuta and Nacozari, to the south of Douglas, for several weeks.

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It has been announced officially in Mexico City that the differences which have arisen between the United States and Mexico may be considered as satisfactorily settled.

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The Mexico Northwestern train, filled with forage and supplies consigned to Casas Grandes merchants for the use of General Pershing's army, which was held up in Juarez, has been released.

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The military authorities at El Paso, Tex., have learned of negotiations carried on by allied Villa and other Mexican political elements for the turning over of the Carranza garrison at Juarez to Villa.

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A half million dollars for screen wire is reported to have been authorized for General Funston to protect the kitchens and mess rooms in the army along the border from flies and other carriers of disease.

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The Cedille brothers, heading a band of 2,000 rebels in the state of San Luis Potosi, unconditionally surrendered to the Carranza government with their followers. No more rebels are now operating in San Luis Potosi.

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General Pershing has made the declaration that he believes the trouble between the United States and Mexico is settled. He asserts that Mexicans in the vicinity of his column along the Mexican railroad, are very friendly.

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The Mexico Northwestern railroad again has been opened for the shipment of supplies to American troops in Mexico. This action follows the lifting of the embargo on food and other exportations to Mexicans.

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General Matias Ramos, directing Carranza forces operating against Villista bandits in southern Chihuahua, is redisposing his troops preparatory to a quick, powerful drive which, it is hoped, will break the outlaw's power in that section.

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A declaration that he and all other members of the Carranza government are mutually united with the firm determination of establishing order in Mexico, was made by General Jacinto Trevino, military commander of the northwest.

GENERAL.

Five persons died in Pittsburg, Pa., of the oppressive heat in a single day and forty were overcome.

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Iowa democrats for the first time in the memory of any of the leaders went on record in the state platform as favoring prohibition at the state convention at Des Moines.

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That more people in the city of Chicago go to moving picture theaters than attend churches was the statement made by Mrs. Harriett Stokes Thompson, in a report to delegates of the convention of the Motion Picture Exhibitors' League of America.

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William Orpet, the university student charged with murdering Marion Lambert, a high school girl and his former sweetheart, was found not guilty by a jury in Judge Donnelly's court at Waukegan, Ill., after five hours' deliberation. The case, including selection of a jury occupied the better part of two months.

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Thirty-two persons lost their lives in the fire at Tatoi forest, which destroyed the chateau of King Constantine of Greece and the crown prince. Twenty-eight of the victims were members of the Royal guards. The king barely escaped with his life, being trapped by the flames and fainted. He was rescued by a soldier.

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Sir Ernest Shackelton, the British Antarctic explorer who, on returning from the south polar zone last April, left twenty-one of his companions on Elephant Island, has sailed from Punta on a small schooner to rescue them.

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A corporation to be known as the American Foreign Securities company, will be organized by a group of bankers in New York, headed by J. P. Morgan & Co., and Brown Brothers & Co., to loan $100,000,000 to the French government.

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Two children have died of infantile paralysis in Mitchell, So. Dak., according to a statement by the city health officer. Children have been prohibited from attending public gatherings.

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Chicago's population, based upon official school population is 2,550,000.

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The bodies of six negro troopers killed at Carrizal in the battle with Carranza troops, were buried with full military honors in Arlington cemetery, Arlington, Va.

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Coinage at the Denver mint for the fiscal year ending June 10, last, totaled 39,188,000 pieces, valued at $1,643,960. This exceeds any former annual production, it is said.

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The new Harahan bridge spanning the Mississippi river at Memphis, Tenn., said to be the largest structure on the river, has been opened to traffic. It cost $5,000,000.

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Colorado, Wyoming and New Mexico coal operators have been invited by the Federal Trade Commission to meet at Denver the latter part of this month for a discussion of producing and marketing conditions.

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Serious floods in North Carolina, South Carolina and Virginia caused fifteen known deaths, rendered hundreds homeless, damaged property and crops to the extent of $10,000,000, according to estimates.

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The Kansas City Park board designated Prospect Point as a park exclusively for women. Appeals from women's organizations for a place where women and girls could go alone without being bothered by mashers, resulted in the opening of the park.

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Terror has seized the multitudes who have bathed at beaches along the New York and New Jersey coasts by the appearance of man-eating sharks, which have caused the death of four swimmers in the past two weeks and comparatively few persons are now venturing into the water. At several resorts wire nets have been strung around the bathing areas.

WASHINGTON.

The McGillicuddy and Kern bill providing a system of workmen's compensation for federal employes passed passed house by a vote of 286 to 3.

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President Wilson nominated Brigadier General Frank McIntyre to succeed himself as chief of the War department's bureau of insular affairs.

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The war department has sent orders to all department commanders to delay transportation to the border of national guardsmen now mobilizing until they are thoroughly equipped and organized.

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Adjournment of congress not later than August 20 was tentatively agreed upon by the senate demands in caucus to revise their legislative program with a view to bringing the session to an early close.

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The house passed the Rucker corrupts practices bill. It fixes $50,000 as the limit of expenditure by a candidate for president, $25,000 by a candidate for vice-president, $5,000 for a senatorship, and $2,500 for representative.

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President Wilson signed the good roads bill recently passed by congress, authorizing the expenditure of $85,000,000 in five years by the federal government on condition that states expend amounts similar to those apportioned by the bill.

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The interstate commerce commission has ruled that existing interstate class rates to Nebraska points from Sioux City, Council Bluffs, St. Joseph, Kansas City and Atchison subject these cities to "undue and unreasonable prejudice" as compared with Omaha, Lincoln and other Nebraska points because of the low interstate class rates put into effect September 6, 1914, and has ordered a revision of rates.

WAR NEWS.

The German admiralty announces that on July 11 German submarines sank a British auxiliary cruiser and three patrol boats.

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Agitation in favor of unrestricted submarine warfare against the entente allies continues to be conducted energetically by the press of Germany.

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Nearly 40,000 women in England have already been made widows by the war, according to figures compiled by the British government. As a result of the recent naval battle 1,550 widows were added to the list of women receiving pensions.

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The entente allied offensive on the western front is only in its beginning, declared Premier Asquith in announcing in the House of Commons that the government had decided to ask workers to forego their August holidays because of the demand for munitions.

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London reports that positive proof has been found that the two great German dreadnaughts, Kaiser and Kronprinz, were sunk by torpedoes during the battle off Jutland, and that they now have been added to the official British list of German ships destroyed.

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The Berlin war office announces that twenty-two British and French aeroplanes have been captured on the western front in the last month. A list of the names and occupants of the aircrafts has been published

MEXICAN BAND IS WIPED OUT; TWO AMERICANS SLAIN

OUTLAWS CROSS RIO GRANDE BELOW FORT HANCOCK, TEXAS, —CAVALRYMAN AND CUSTOMS INSPECTOR KILLED.

U. S. CAVALRY OUTPOST SURPRISES BANDIT GANG

Mounted Patrol Intercepts Alleged Stock Thieves and Forces Fight—All Five of Mexicans Believed Killed—Bandits Thought to Be Villistas.

El Paso, Texas, Aug. 1.—Two Americans were killed and one was wounded in a battle with Mexican bandits who crossed the Rio Grande five miles below Fort Hancock, Texas, early Monday. There were five bandits in the party.

Private John Twoney, troop F, Eigth U. S. Cavalry, and Robert Woods, a United States customs inspector, were killed. Sergeant Lewis Thompson, troop F, Eighth U. S. cavalry, was seriously wounded.

All Bandits Slain.

It is believed all five of the bandits were killed.

More than 200 shots were fired during the engagement. The Mexicans, it is believed, had crossed the line in an attempt to steal horses.

Their presence was discovered by American outposts. The bandits were surprised and attacked by the cavalry patrol. Mounted on good horses, they attempted to flee. They were intercepted and forced to fight.

General George Bell, Jr., commanding the El Paso military district, said that he had learned of the engagement through unofficial sources.

Members of Villa Band.

Reports reaching here said that efforts to identify any of the Mexicans had been futile, but that it was believed they were members of one of the Villista bands recently reported to have been operating south of the Rio Grande in that section.

Several stock stealing raids have taken place in the district within the last few weeks. One of them resulted in a small American detachment crossing the border in pursuit of the raiders.

THREE MONTHS TRAINING FOR BORDER TROOPS SEEN

Orders Received at El Paso Outline Program for Energetic Drills and Maneuvers at Front.

El Paso, Aug. 1.—Three months, it is estimated, will be required for completion of a course of training for the militiamen in the El Paso military district, projected in orders received here. Army officers predicted it might mean the militia would remain on the border for the next three months.

The order, over the signature of General Bell, closed with the following: "Practical field work and maneuvers October 1 to 31."

The program outlines three months of energetic drills and maneuvers designed to whip the militia into shape for any emergency.

Presumably similar orders were issued to all militia along the entire Mexican border.

UNIONIST SUCCEEDS BIRRELL

Henry Duke Appointed Chief Secretary of Ireland.

London, Aug. 1.—Henry Edward Duke, a barrister and Unionist member of parliament for Exeter, has been appointed to be the new chief secretary of Ireland, in succession of Augustine Birrell. The new chief secretary will be given a seat in the cabinet.

No new lord lieutenant of Ireland will be appointed to succeed Lord Wimborne, who resigned after the outbreak of the Dublin rebellion.

GUARDS MAY FIGHT I. W. W.

Militia Company Requested by Mayor of Mitchell, S. D.

Washington, Aug. 1.—Senator Johnson of South Dakota has asked Secretary Baker to send back to Mitchell, S. D., a company of militia now stationed at Redfield. He said the mayor of Mitchell had asked for aid in suppressing disturbances created by Industrial Workers of the World.

Secretary Baker said the company would be moved if requested formally by the governor.

Forest Fires in Northern Michigan.

Cadillac, Mich., August 1.—Forest fires are raging in half a dozen northern Michigan counties and already heavy damage has been done. Two weeks of the hottest weather in the region's history has dried brush on cutover lands until it is like tinder. This city is buried beneath smoke clouds coming from nearby fires and homes on the outskirts are threatened. Fifty men were sent to Cherry Grove where three barns and two houses were destroyed. Fires are also doing serious damage in other towns.

Reesche Now Brigadier General.

After the mustering in of Brigadier General F. E. Reesche as commander of the Minnesota troops and the election of Lieutenant Colonel H. V. Eva of Duluth as his successor as colonel of the Third regiment, brigade headquarters were opened here. Major A. F. Pratt of Anoka was chosen lieutenant colonel and Captain Carl C. Weaver, regimental adjutant, was promoted to major. Lieutenant A. K Wheaton of Duluth, and H. C. Luers of Owatonna were assigned as aides to General Reesche.

The First regiment has received a shipment of 18,000 rounds of rifle ammunition. What is known as Course B will be given the Minnesota troops, this differing from the regular range work and being necessary here because of the lack of an adequate rifle range. After a thorough drill in practice firing the men will shoot at targets representing prostrate figures. Officers say that such an arrangement can be made without all the facilities provided by a range such as the men had at Fort Snelling.

Build New Field Hospital.

Brig. Gen. E. M. Lewis, post commander, announced that work is to be started immediately on a field hospital to cost $15,000, which will replace the present ranch building. This hospital was proved inadequate to handle the cases sent over from camp and is not provided with the conveniences which the surgeons desire in handling the men.

Money has been provided by the War department for the erection of screened mess rooms and kitchens for all the troops now in camp, it was announced. The kitchens will be so constructed that they can be transported with the troops in case they move south. Surgeons declare that only by such measures can the fly problem be solved and danger from disease minimized. Thus far only the Indiana regiments are provided with such enclosures.

Troops Fire on Mexican.

Straw has been provided for those men having ticks, but this was of little assistance to the Minnesota men, who do not have this equipment. The delay in the shipment of cots has not yet been explained, though the quartermaster has been endeavoring to trace the missing articles. Minnesota guardsmen will continue to sleep on the ground until the cots arrive.

Considerable excitement was caused in camp when men from Company A, First regiment, who were patroling the water canals some distance from camp, fired on a Mexican.

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Reorganize Artillery Unit.

Officers and men of the First battalion, Minnesota field artillery, are speculating on rumors of further reorganization of the artillery unit. Captain C. Lesley Ames of B battery probably will be offered the position of major which he recently refused when he nominated Lieutenant Perkins of the regular army for that office. A recent ruling of the War department, which says no commissioned officer in the regular army can accept a position in the national guard which places him under a national guard officer, makes it impossible for Lieutenant Perkins to take the post.

If Captain Ames is made major, it is said Captain Wallace Cole of A battery will be transferred back to B battery, and that Lieutenant Fletcher Rockwood of A battery will be made the commanding officer of A.

Captain Cole formerly was senior first lieutenant of B battery. He was transferred to A when that unit was in the process of organization and brought it up above peace strength by a strenuous recruiting campaign.

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Accept Battery Officers.

The officers' roll of the First battalion, First field artillery, is intact after the medical examination of the unit just completed by Captain Thomas H. Johnson, chief medical officer. Not one officer was disqualified, although Colonel Arthur Johnson, U. S. A., said following the completion of his medical report, the tests disqualified 70 men, 19 in Battery A, 19 in Battery B, 29 in Battery C and 3 in the First artillery band.

One hundred men are still wanted by the battalion, Lieutenant-Colonel W. J. Murphy, battalion commander, said. There are now 115 men on the rolls of Battery A, 135 in Battery B and 148 in Battery C. Battery A must be recruited to peace strength of 133 before the unit can entrain for the south.

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U. S. Troops Healthy.

Good-bye to the good old style of lime whitened army camps. The use of lime has been stopped in all camps by orders of Major W. N. Bispham, sanitary inspector for the army of the lower Rio Grande. "We've discovered that flies like white color," said the major. "What we are looking for is something black in the way of a disinfectant. The latest idea is lampblack mixed with petroleum." "We want Americans to know the exact state of health and sanitary conditions here," said Bispham. "Many wild stories are being sent out about illness among the men. All are untrue."

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To Aid Soldier Students.

A special loan fund has been provided at the University of Minnesota for students who, because of being at the Mexican border, have been unable to earn money in the summer to continue their school work. Announcement to this effect was made by President George E. Vincent. The rules with regard to late payment of fees will, if necessary, be suspended if the soldier boys are unable to comply with regulations. Time schedules and registration cards will be sent the students.

STEAMER APPAM GIVEN TO ENGLISH OWNERS BY JUDGE

CAPTURED BRITISH LINER IS ILLEGALLY HELD ACCORDING TO DECISION FILED IN LIBEL CASE IN FEDERAL COURT.

NEUTRALITY LAWS ARE VIOLATED BY GERMANS

Decision Holds Prussian-American Treaty Does Not Apply and That Ship Must Be Regarded as Abandoned and Stranded on Our Shores —Legal Claim Lost by Dash.

Norfolk, Va., July 31.—Federal Judge Waddill has just decided the libel proceedings for possession of the captured British liner Appam in favor of the English owners and against the German prize crew which brought her here.

The court held that the German government lost all legal claim to the Appam and her cargo as prizes of war when Lieutenant Berg and his prize crew on February 1 last brought them into the neutral waters of Hampton Roads with the intention of "laying up" the vessel indefinitely.

Cites Precedents.

The court held further:

That the Prussia-American treaty of 1799, renewed in 1828, does not apply or control in the case so as to guarantee the prize crew asylum in United States waters;

That the action of the German prize court in declaring the Appam a prize while the case was in litigation in the United States courts has no effect on the jurisdiction of the courts;

That the jurisdiction of the United States courts in the case is established by a long line of precedents including several by the supreme court.

U. S. Neutrality Violated.

"The court's conclusion," the decision reads, "is that the manner of bringing the Appam into the waters of the United States as well as her presence in those waters, constitutes a violation of the neutrality of the United States; that she came in without bidding or permission; that she is here in violation of the law; that she is unable to leave for lack of a crew which she cannot provide or augment without further violation of neutrality; that in her present condition she is without a lawful right to be and remain in the waters; that, as between her captors and owners, to all practical interests and purposes, she must be treated as abandoned and stranded upon our shores; and that her owners are entitled to restitution of their property, which this court should award, irrespective of the prize court proceedings of the court of the imperial government of the German empire; and it will be so ordered."

SEAMEN THREATEN TO STRIKE

Ten Thousand Workers on Great Lakes Make Demands.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 31.—A strike of 10,000 Seamen, firemen, oilers and cooks on the Great Lakes, Sept. 1, is threatened unless vessel owners accede to demands to be fixed by vote of three unions concerned next week.

Union officials, who claim to have organized 65 per cent of the able seamen on the lakes, say a strike would result in a complete tieup of traffic on the lakes.

The men are demanding higher wages and shorter hours. They want a "three watch" system, equivalent to an eight hour working day, instead of the present "two watch" plan.

Wage increases are asked.

U. S. SENATE ACTS FOR IRISH

Requests Wilson to Express Hope of Clemency to British.

Washington, July 31.—By a vote of 46 to 19, the Senate adopted a resolution requesting President Wilson to transmit to the British government an expression of hope that it would exercise clemency in the treatment of Irish political prisoners.

By its action the Senate overturned the report of a majority of its foreign relations committee and followed a course outlined in a minority report made by Chairman Stone and Senators O'Gorman and Pittman. The action primarily is inspired by the case of Sir Roger Casement.

Lloyd-George Expresses Confidence.

London, July 31.—"I don't despair about an eventual solution of the Irish problem, in spite of the recent failure to reach an agreement between the nationalists and the unionists," said David Lloyd George, replying to a request for his views.

Business Arbitration Court Is Plan.

Chicago, July 31.—A business arbitration court, said to be the first of its kind in the world, will be inaugurated in Chicago today. The plan was approved by the judges of the municipal court, who adopted a rule placing the branch in operation. Two judges were named to preside. The new tribunal will have jurisdiction only over questions of law in commercial disputes. Questions of fact are to be decided outside of court by arbitration boards of experts selected from the various trades and industries.

RANCHING

Cattle and Horse Ranching in Western Canada—Steers Brought 10 Cents a Pound on the Seattle Market.

That big money is made by the large cattle rancher in Western Canada, and also by the small farmer as well, is shown by the undisputable facts presented from time to time. A rancher, near Gleichen, Alberta, who commenced in a small way nine years ago, recently disposed of 1,243 cattle at a total of $101,304.50, and this was only his surplus stock for the present season.

A December shipment of 217 head of ranch steers brought the owner an average of over $80 per head. They were taken straight from the range without any grain feeding and were in excellent condition to be sold for the Christmas trade. Another shipment of 100 head, averaging $70 each, was made to Seattle. The highest price paid on the Seattle market was for an Albertan steer, which weighed 1,700 lbs., and brought the fancy price of 10c per lb., or $170.

Six carloads of live stock from ranches 65 miles from Pincher, Alberta, shipped to Spokane, excited keen competition there on account of their exceptional quality. The price realized was $10,028. American dealers say they must look to Canada for beef supplies.

A livestock firm, which has shipped over 2,000 head of beef cattle to the American farmer since the middle of November, reports a splendid reception of Alberta stock in the United States.

A carload of choice Alberta steers were sold early in January for shipment to the British Columbia coast at $6.70 per 100 lbs. and, later on, a lot from Carstairs brought $6.90—the highest price paid since the spring of 1915. Shipments from Calgary livestock yards during 1915 were: Horses, 8,675; cattle, 30,577; hogs, 144,515; sheep, 12,410. A course in agriculture and livestock demonstration which has been conducted by the Provincial Dept. of Agriculture here was well attended, showing the interest taken by city residents in agricultural progress.

John Young, of Sidney, Man., gives his experiences in sheep-raising as follows, as quoted in a local paper:

"I bought a bunch of fifty ewes, which cost me $262.50. With this little flock I demonstrated just what can be done in the sheep business. This fall I sold fifty fat lambs at $6.50 per head, $325, and 18 of the best ewe lambs, which I kept, I value at $8.00 per head, $144. The wool sold at an average of $2.07 per head, $103.50. This makes the very nice total of $572.50."

"They ran out nearly every day all winter. The value of hay and oats was small, and one can make them very comfortable through the winter with very little expense. For shelter I have a shed, about 125 feet long and 14 feet wide, which I cover with straw. This gives them protection from the cold winds; yet it is always cool enough to be healthy."

"I intend going in more for sheep this fall, as I believe them to be the most profitable stock on the farm."

Desire of farmers and ranchers to increase their sheep holdings is indicated by the sale of 2,500 head recently at $9.00 each. High wool prices and profitable demand for mutton are the reason given for such a figure.

Manitoba sheep breeders arranged last year for the Provincial Department of Agriculture to handle their wool output on a co-operative basis and obtained most satisfactory results. About 75,000 lbs. of wool were handled, netting the shippers over 25c per lb.—Advertisement.

He Meant Well, but—

Distinguished Out-of-Town Guest (speaking at banquet)—Your beautiful little city appeals to me. As we came in on the train I remarked to my wife: "Ah, my dear; you and I ought to be living on the top of one of those magnificent hills."

Toastmaster (in hoarse whisper)—Go easy; we've got only two hills in town. The insane asylum is on one, and the sewage works on the other.

ITCHING, BURNING SCALPS

Crusted With Dandruff Yield Readily to Cuticura. Trial Free.

Cuticura Soap to cleanse the scalp of dandruff crustings and scalings, and Cuticura Ointment to soothe and heal itchings and irritations. Nothing better, surer or more economical than these super-creamy emollients for hair and scalp troubles of young or old.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Flush.

"If you please, sir," pleaded the bookkeeper, "I'd like to have three weeks' vacation this year instead of two."

Have you any particular reason for making such a request?" asked his employer.

"Yes, sir. I've saved up more money this year than I usually do, and I'm afraid I won't be able to spend it all in two weeks."

Kansas City (Mo.) property for taxation purposes is valued at $206,032,672.

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"Oh, George!"

"Don't you, Mabel? Just a tiny little bit?"

"W-e-l-l, y-e-s, George."

"And would your mother keep away from us, except when I invited her?"

"She would, George."

"And your brothers and sisters, too?"

"Why, certainly, George."

"And, of course, the old gent would settle my debts?"

"Of course, George."

"Darling, will you marry me?"

"No, George!"

Not a True Idealist.

"I always knew that Binks was lacking in true poetical idealism," said the irate leader of one of the clans. "Just before the last election he made overtures to me for the purchase of 50 votes."

"Well," said the sophisticated friend, "that didn't offend you, did it?"

"Of course not; but when I made the trade and delivered the goods the conscienceless dog refused to pay."

On his bending knees a man may find baggy trousers.

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What's Doing in Minnesota

Jordan, Minn. — Four Minneapolis citizens have been taken into that city all dangerously injured as the result of being hurled twenty-five feet from an automobile near Jordan, Minn., at the breaking of the steering gear.

St. Paul. — D. P. Tierney, assistant state forester, arrived from the forest fire region and conferred with the attorney general's department to ask legal aid for prosecutions under regulations regarding slash and brush disposal.

St. Paul. — First official notice of the appropriation bill recently passed by Congress under which Minnesota will receive more than $1,400,000 Federal good roads aid during the next ten years has been received by Governor Burnquist.

Duluth. — Formal demand for 5 cents more an hour or from 35 to 40 cents, has been made upon the Northern Pacific, which controls the bulk of the Duluth docks. This is for day work. A night rate of 45 cents is asked and 50 cents an hour for loading cement.

St. Paul. — Provision for early establishment of a large industrial and custodial institution to serve as an adjunct to practically all the state penal, correctional and charitable institutions, may be recommended to the next Legislature by the state board of control.

Ortonville.—Ortonville citizens took up arms against an invasion of more than 300 Industrial Workers of the World, and before the latter had been put to rout and driven from town, a number of shots had been fired by both sides, but apparently without injuring anyone.

Duluth. — The big steamer W. Grant Morden, which held the previous record, passed the Soo with 14,404 bushels of wheat more than ever had been carried and cleared from Port Arthur, Ont., with 490,720 bushels of wheat for Port McNicoll, on Georgian bay.

Minneapolis. — Forty-three Minnesotans passed the recent examinations conducted by the state board of pharmacy and have been granted registrations as pharmacists or assistants. As a result of the examinations three Minneapolis men will become pharmacists and 18 will qualify as assistants.

Washington, D. C.—Minnesota gained 1,218 manufacturing establishments in the 10 years from 1904 to 1914, and at the close of the 1914 census had 5,974 establishments of every kind. These figures are in the bulletin, carrying condensation of the forthcoming detailed manufacturing census of the state, that was sent out from Washington. In 1909 there were 5,561 establishments.

St. Paul. — Nothing daunted by their failure to win the route of the Jefferson highway through Northern Minnesota, representatives of the Western and Eastern routes met immediately following the announcement of the choice of the central route by J. D. Clarkson, general manager of the highway, and formulated plans for establishing the Northern Minnesota Scenic highway.

Minneapolis. — Three possibilities for the future of the farm were suggested by President Vincent of the University of Minnesota, speaking at the rural life conference at the university farm. One of these possibilities, the president said, is corporate control of large farming areas; another, cooperative control by farmers themselves, and the third a wider extension of the tenant system.

St. Paul. — Total deposits in the 994 state banks operated under the direction of the state banking department were $93,987,749.41 at the close of business June 30, a net increase of $26,545,958.21 since June 23, 1915. This showing, A. H. Turrittin, state superintendent of banks, regards as the best in the history of the department. The total resources reported were $224,715,202.01, against $198,169,243.80 in 1915.

Wadena. — The tourists in the Jefferson highway sociability run arrived here five minutes ahead of their schedule, although they were delayed by a bad hill between Little Falls and Staples for more than three minutes. On their arrival here a message from Staples was awaiting the officials, which advised the hill will not cause further difficulty to tourists. The business men of Staples have pledged $2,000 to be expended in properly grading the hill.

St. Paul. — Increased revenue from the state tax on liquor licenses and decrease of the wet territory made a paradox discovered by George La Fond, chief clerk in the treasurer's office. "Despite reports of more cities and counties going dry during the year, the state received $41,909.08 liquor license taxes, compared with $38,975.56 during the fiscal year preceding. "The only explantion offered thus far is that wet places must be getting wetter."

Minneapolis. — The animal industry group of the department of agriculture at the University of Minnesota has been reorganized by the acquisition of two new men in such a way as to make it rank with the best similar departments in the country, in the opinion of President Vincent.

Washington, D. C. — The average annual wages of the men employed in industrial plants in Minnesota increased from $560 to $632.43 in the five years between 1909 and 1914, according to the advance report of the United States industrial survey. The increase is nearly 13 per cent.

RECOVERS JEWELS IN DARING TRIP

Mexican Senora in Guise of Peon Rescues Hidden Family Property.

ESCAPES THE BANDITS

Ugly and Poorly-Clad, Aristocratic Wife of Rich Refugee Visits Capital of Chihuahua and Carries Away Treasure.

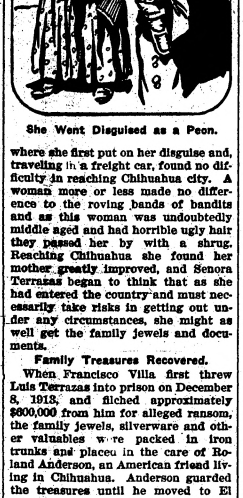
Los Angeles.—After one of the most remarkable adventures ever undertaken by a woman of aristocratic birth, Senora Teresa B. de Terrazas, having eluded by means of clever disguises the hordes of bandits on the lookout to capture and hold her for ransom, returned a few days ago to Los Angeles, bringing with her the Terrazas family jewels, which at infinite peril she rescued from their hiding place in Chihuahua, Mexico. Legal papers and documents of great value also were secured from their hiding place, where they had been secreted by her husband prior to his incarceration in the Mexican federal prison.

The entire journey in Mexico was made by Senora Terrazas disguised as a peon, a heavy black wig completely hiding her white hair, a threadbare shawl draped sloppily about her shoulders, and a cheap calico dress completing her outfit. During her return trip from Chihuahua city, after she had recovered the jewels and papers, it was necessary for her to carry a basket in which the valuable articles rested underneath a collection of rags and cheap ornaments, such as are usually carried by peon women.

Called by Mother's Illness.

The adventure originated more than a month ago when Senora Terrazas received word that her mother was very ill in Chihuahua. Senora Terrazas had not been in Mexico since last year when, after disguising several of her children, who were being held by Villa, she sent them to El Paso and then fled in disguise to work from the border for the release of her husband and son, who had remained under sentence of death at the hands of Villa. Ultimately she succeeded in a plan by which they escaped. She then declared she would never return to Mexico until peace had been restored.

The news of her mother's condition, however, changed her plans. Leaving Los Angeles she journeyed to El Paso, where she first put on her disguise and, traveling in a freight car, found no difficulty in reaching Chihuahua city. A woman more or less made no difference to the roving bands of bandits and as this woman was undoubtedly middle aged and had horrible ugly hair they passed her by with a shrug. Reaching Chihuahua she found her mother greatly improved, and Senora Terrazas began to think that as she had entered the country and must necessarily take risks in getting out under any circumstances, she might as well get the family jewels and documents.



She Went Disguised as a Peon.

Family Treasures Recovered.

When Francisco Villa first threw Luis Terrazas into prison on December 8, 1913, and filched approximately $600,000 from him for alleged ransom, the family jewels, silverware and other valuables were packed in iron trunks and placed in the care of Roland Anderson, an American friend living in Chihuahua. Anderson guarded the treasures until he moved to El Paso, following the murder of his son, Morris Anderson, by the Mexicans, when he transfered the trunks with their precious contents to a secluded hiding place in the rear of a hovel. In this hovel lived an old woman who had been a nurse employed in the Terrazas family for years and who had remained true to her old masters.

Anderson had informed the Terrazas family of the transfer and when Senora Terrazas visited the hovel kept by the aged nurse she recovered the treasures with the assistance of two peons and with the more valued ones in her possession, made her way back to the United States in the same way and by using the same disguise that had assisted her in escaping the close scrutiny of the Mexican bandits along the route.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

by MARY GRAHAM BONNER

TREE TOADS AND FAIRIES.

"Very early one morning," said Daddy, "the Fairies invited the Tree Toads to have Luncheon with them in the Wooded Grove where they are so apt to give their Parties. The Tree Toads had accepted and the day had arrived for the Luncheon.

"The Fairies wanted to look especially lovely, and fresh, and cool, for it had been so hot lately, and they knew that to look cool made other Folks and little Animals almost feel cooler.

Wanted to Look Especially Lovely.

"So they had their Shower Baths the very first thing when they got up."

"Did they have their shower baths in brooks or in streams?" asked Nancy.

"I bet I could guess," said Nick.

"Where?" asked Nancy.

"Why, they have their Shower Baths under the falls that come down the sides of rocks. There are ever so many of them all around that the Fairies can find I suppose."

"Yes, Nick, you're quite right," said Daddy, and Nancy smiled, for she loved to think of the little Fairies bright and early in the morning letting the cool water that shoots down the rocks go all over them.

"And as a special honor because they'd been invited to the Fairies' Luncheon Party, the Tree Toads tried to look their best, too. They asked the Dew Drops if they could wash their little faces in their rare water. And the Dew Drops were very willing, especially when they heard that the Tree Toads wanted to look their best for the Fairies.

"Dew Drops always make the Animals look so much better, and to the fairies they look very handsome when they have washed their faces in the magic dew drops that come all over the ground each morning.

"Now when the Fairies saw the Tree Toads and when the Tree Toads saw the Fairies they all gasped. The Tree Toads had never seen the fairies looking so lovely. They wore dresses of very soft green which were decorated with little purple Daisies. Their wands matched, and their wings were the color of soft, pale green, too.

"And they were sitting around in the Wooded Grove on ferns and mossy patches of ground when the Tree Toads arrived.

"But the Tree Toads gave the Fairies just as much of a surprise, for they wore green suits, too. They looked quite noble for having washed their faces with magic Dew Drops, and they wore green spectacles made out of leaves with holes, to make them look wise. In addition to all this they, carried green canes made out of young trees, and they arrived in an old wagon made out of the root of a tree. The wagon was drawn by the Green Lizard family.

"First got out Grandpa and Grandma Tree Toad, and then all the younger Toads hopped out after.

"'Glad to see you, Toads and Green Lizards, too,' said the Fairies. And the toads made very queer sounds down in their throats which meant: 'We're glad to see you, too.' The Lizards wriggled with pleasure, for, of course, they had been brought along as an excuse to draw the wagon for the Toads and they were delighted when the Fairies said they were glad to see them.

"The Luncheon began of delicious things made out of the best of woodland foods, and last of all came the green woodland ice cream. In fact, I forgot to tell you everything was green.

"But when the ice cream came along, what should be seen on top of it but a little, tiny old Man made out of ice cream, too.

They Looked Quite Noble.

"How the Tree Toads did scream with delight. 'What's your name?' they cried.

"'I'm the little Man of the ice cream freezer. Every time ice cream is made in one of the freezers where I live, I come out on top of the ice cream dressed all up as ice cream, too.'

"'But you look good to eat,' said one of the Toad Children.

"'That's what I'm here for,' and he looked very happy and pleased about it. 'And next time there's ice cream I'll be here again.'

"'Yes,' said the Fairy Queen, 'we're going to have a hopping game, and the one who does the greatest number of queer hops will eat the little ice cream Man!' And little Harvey Hop Tree Toad—quite a shy little fellow, won the prize and ate the ice cream Man, but all the toads had plenty to refresh them after their hopping match."

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MAKE CHUM OF YOUR CHILD

Boy Will Welcome Companionship of Father Who He Feels Can Understand Him.

The influence of a man's companionship in a child's life is usually a larger, less detailed thing than that of a woman, but it is for this very reason the more needed. The child is eager to enlarge his own world; he is, if he is normal, growing and outgrowing—he is longing to step out of his own little circle into the larger one of men and affairs in which he knows his father moves. I think I may say I do not know a single child, and I very much doubt if anyone else does, who would not willingly give up his play at the offer of half an hour's companionship with a grown man whom he can trust and who really understands him. And when the grown man is the child's father, the response is just so much the more ready.

You notice I have said, whom he can trust and who really understands him. And in those two conditions are implied all the obligations as well as all the rewards of fatherhood. If a boy cannot trust his father, or if his father does not understand him, it is likely enough he will prefer his toys; and I cannot help feeling that he shows wisdom in the preference.

It is a pitiful commentary that so many children, given the chance to be with their fathers, to sit beside them, to go for a walk with them, to hear them tell of this or that, will jump at the chance, not because the companionship is so complete and satisfying but because it is a rare treat, a real novelty.—Laura Spencer Portor, in Mother's Magazine.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Simplicity of the Fathers.

Mrs. Everett M. Raynor of New York, president general of the Daughters of the Revolution, said at a luncheon:

"There are many anecdotes in illustration of the simple living of the Fathers.

"One of our country's pre-Revolutionary fathers had occasion to call on the governor of his province, and was invited to stay to luncheon.

"Luncheon began, and a liveried servant moved busily about, serving the wine, carving the fowl, and so forth.

"The guest watched the servant for some minutes, and then said to him irritably:

"'What are you dance, dance, dancing about the room for, man? Can't you pull up a chair and sit down? Surely there's enough for the three of us.'"

Appreciation of a Prodigy.

"Biggins is still talking about the bright things his boy says."

"Well, I envy him. It must be great to have a boy who entertains himself thinking of bright things instead of banging on the cellar door with a board or experimenting with a shotgun."

It is easier to drive men to drink than from it.

The classy woman is the one who can look well in cheap garments.

STAFF AFTER REAL MONEY

Temptation Was More Than Any Newspaper Men Could Be Expected to Resist.

A visitor to a small country town in England unwittingly "held up" the local newspaper. Having lost his dog, an animal that he prized very much, he rushed to the newspaper office and handed in an advertisement offering $50 reward for the return of his pet.

Half an hour later he thought he would add to his advertisement the words, "No questions asked." So he hurried to the office again.

When he got there the place was empty save for a small boy, who looked very sulky.

"Where's the staff?" asked the tourist, glancing around the deserted room.

"Out looking for your dog," replied the boy, who was evidently aggrieved at being left behind.—Youth's Companion.

The Ladies Are Learning.

"Cut out speeches," Miss Mary Garrett Hay, chairman of the Woman's Suffrage party, is reported to have demanded at the recent meeting when the clerks were overworked recording subscriptions to the new campaign fund.

"Cut out the speeches; money talks best," this wise chairman is said to have declared.

The late blind Boss Buckley of San Francisco, however, gained nothing in public esteem when he told his workers upon an occasion of pre-election funds allotment:

"Don't waste this good dough buying talk, but results."—New York Sun.

Drill Amenities.

Mayor John Purroy Mitchel said at a dinner in New York:

"The memories of camp life are a very pleasant thing to any soldier. Even the little vivacities of camp life seem in the retrospect pleasant enough.

"Thus I often laugh about a banker who was being drilled one day at Plattsburg by a broker-sergeant.

"'What'll you give me,' said the broker-sergeant, an old Yale end, 'if I take that hump off your back?'

"'I'll give you,' the banker answered, with a tart laugh, 'something to make your hair grow, sarge.'"

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it
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Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Modern Villain.

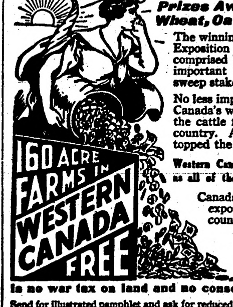
Through the shrubbery Marcus Pelf, the wealthy rejected suitor, watched Harry Harrison, the village blacksmith, clasp Ruth Roberts in his strong young arms.

"Curse 'em!" he hissed, "I'll have me revenge! I'll buy 'em an automobile for a wedding present, and then look on gloatingly while they mortgage the blacksmith shop to buy gasoline!"

Capital and labor are impossible terms to many of us.

Don't wait for the fool killer. Do it yourself.

Bumper Grain Crops
Good Markets—High Prices
Prizes Awarded to Western Canada for Wheat, Oats, Barley, Alfalfa and Grasses



160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

The winnings of Western Canada at the Soil Products Exposition at Denver were easily made. The list comprised Wheat, Oats, Barley and Grasses, the most important being the prizes for Wheat and Oats and sweep stake on Alfalfa.

No less important than the splendid quality of Western Canada's wheat and other grains, is the excellence of the cattle fed and fattened on the grasses of that country. A recent shipment of cattle to Chicago topped the market in that city for quality and price.

Western Canada produced in 1915 one-third as much wheat as all of the United States, or over 300,000,000 bushels.

Canada in proportion to population has a greater exportable surplus of wheat this year than any country in the world, and at present prices you can figure out the revenue for the producer. In Western Canada you will find good markets, splendid schools, exceptional social conditions, perfect climate and other great attractions. There is no war tax on land and no conscription.

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EPITOME OF EVENTS

PARAGRAPHS THAT PERTAIN TO MANY SUBJECTS.

ARE SHORT BUT INTERESTING

Brief Mention of What Is Transpiring in Various Sections of Our Own and Foreign Countries

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

General Calles has demobilized 4,000 Mexican cavalrymen, who had been encamped in Fronteras, Cuchuta and Nacozari, to the south of Douglas, for several weeks.

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It has been announced officially in Mexico City that the differences which have arisen between the United States and Mexico may be considered as satisfactorily settled.

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The Mexico Northwestern train, filled with forage and supplies consigned to Casas Grandes merchants for the use of General Pershing's army, which was held up in Juarez, has been released.

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The military authorities at El Paso, Tex., have learned of negotiations carried on by allied Villa and other Mexican political elements for the turning over of the Carranza garrison at Juarez to Villa.

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A half million dollars for screen wire is reported to have been authorized for General Funston to protect the kitchens and mess rooms in the army along the border from flies and other carriers of disease.

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The Cedile brothers, heading a band of 2,000 rebels in the state of San Luis Potosi, unconditionally surrendered to the Carranza government with their followers. No more rebels are now operating in San Luis Potosi.

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General Pershing has made the declaration that he believes the trouble between the United States and Mexico is settled. He asserts that Mexicans in the vicinity of his column along the Mexican railroad, are very friendly.

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The Mexico Northwestern railroad again has been opened for the shipment of supplies to American troops in Mexico. This action follows the lifting of the embargo on food and other exportations to Mexicans.

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General Matias Ramos, directing Carranza forces operating against Villista bandits in southern Chihuahua, is redisposing his troops preparatory to a quick, powerful drive which, it is hoped, will break the outlaw's power in that section.

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A declaration that he and all other members of the Carranza government are mutually united with the firm determination of establishing order in Mexico, was made by General Jacinto Trevino, military commander of the northwest.

GENERAL.

Five persons died in Pittsburg, Pa., of the oppressive heat in a single day and forty were overcome.

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Iowa democrats for the first time in the memory of any of the leaders went on record in the state platform as favoring prohibition at the state convention at Des Moines.

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That more people in the city of Chicago go to moving picture theaters than attend churches was the statement made by Mrs. Harriett Stokes Thompson, in a report to delegates of the convention of the Motion Picture Exhibitors' League of America.

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William Orpet, the university student charged with murdering Marion Lambert, a high school girl and his former sweetheart, was found not guilty by a jury in Judge Donnelly's court at Waukegan, Ill., after five hours' deliberation. The case including selection of a jury occupied the better part of two months.

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Thirty-two persons lost their lives in the fire at Tatpi forest, which destroyed the chateau of King Constantine of Greece and the crown prince. Twenty-eight of the victims were members of the Royal guards. The king barely escaped with his life, being trapped by the flames and fainted. He was rescued by a soldier.

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Sir Ernest Shackelton, the British Antarctic explorer who, on returning from the south polar zone last April, left twenty-one of his companions on Elephant Island, has sailed from Punta on a small schooner to rescue them.

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A corporation to be known as the American Foreign Securities company, will be organized by a group of bankers in New York, headed by J. P. Morgan & Co., and Brown Brothers & Co., to loan $100,000,000 to the French government.

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Two children have died of infantile paralysis in Mitchell, So. Dak., according to a statement by the city health officer. Children have been prohibited from attending public gatherings.

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Chicago's population, based upon official school population is 2,550,000.

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The bodies of six negro troopers killed at Carrizal in the battle with Carranza troops, were buried with full military honors in Arlington cemetery, Arlington, Va.

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Coinage at the Denver mint for the fiscal year ending June 10, last, totaled 39,188,000 pieces, valued at $1,643,960. This exceeds any former annual production, it is said.

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The new Harahan bridge spanning the Mississippi river at Memphis, Tenn., said to be the largest structure on the river, has been opened to traffic. It cost $5,000,000.

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Colorado, Wyoming and New Mexico coal operators have been invited by the Federal Trade Commission to meet at Denver the latter part of this month for a discussion of producing and marketing conditions.

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Serious floods in North Carolina, South Carolina and Virginia caused fifteen known deaths, rendered hundreds homeless, damaged property and crops to the extent of $10,000,000, according to estimates.

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The Kansas City Park board designated Prospect Point as a park exclusively for women. Appeals from women's organizations for a place where women and girls could go alone without being bothered by mashers, resulted in the opening of the park.

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Terror has seized the multitudes who have bathed at beaches along the New York and New Jersey coasts by the appearance of man-eating sharks, which have caused the death of four swimmers in the past two weeks and comparatively few persons are now venturing into the water. At several resorts wire nets have been strung around the bathing areas.

WASHINGTON.

The McGillicuddy and Kern bill providing a system of workmen's compensation for federal employes passed passed house by a vote of 286 to 3.

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President Wilson nominated Brigadier General Frank McIntyre to succeed himself as chief of the War department's bureau of insular affairs.

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The war department has sent orders to all department commanders to delay transportation to the border of national guardsmen now mobilizing until they are thoroughly equipped and organized.

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Adjournment of congress not later than August 20 was tentatively agreed upon by the senate demands in caucus to revise their legislative program with a view to bringing the session to an early close.

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The house passed the Rucker corrupts practices bill. It fixes $50,000 as the limit of expenditure by a candidate for president, $25,000 by a candidate for vice-president, $5,000 for a senatorship, and $2,500 for representative.

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President Wilson signed the good roads bill recently passed by congress, authorizing the expenditure of $85,000,000 in five years by the federal government on condition that states expend amounts similar to those apportioned by the bill.

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The interstate commerce commission has ruled that existing interstate class rates to Nebraska points from Sioux City, Council Bluffs, St. Joseph, Kansas City and Atchison subject these cities to "undue and unreasonable prejudice" as compared with Omaha, Lincoln and other Nebraska points because of the low interstate class rates put into effect September 6, 1914, and has ordered a revision of rates.

WAR NEWS

The German admiralty announces that on July 11 German submarines sank a British auxiliary cruiser and three patrol boats.

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Agitation in favor of unrestricted submarine warfare against the entente allies continues to be conducted energetically by the press of Germany.

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Nearly 40,000 women in England have already been made widows by the war, according to figures compiled by the British government. As a result of the recent naval battle 1,650 widows were added to the list of women receiving pensions.

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The entente allied offensive on the western front is only in its beginning, declared Premier Asquith in announcing in the House of Commons that the government had decided to ask workers to forego their August holidays be cause of the demand for munitions.

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London reports that positive proof has been found that the two great German dreadnaughts, Kaiser and Kronprinz, were sunk by torpedoes during the battle off Jutland, and that they now have been added to the official British list of German ships destroyed

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The Berlin war office announces that twenty-two British and French aeroplanes have been captured on the western front in the last month. A list of the names and occupants of the aircrafts has been published

MEXICAN BAND IS WIPED OUT; TWO AMERICANS SLAIN

OUTLAWS CROSS RIO GRANDE BELOW FORT HANCOCK, TEXAS, —CAVALRYMAN AND CUSTOMS INSPECTOR KILLED.

U. S. CAVALRY OUTPOST SURPRISES BANDIT GANG

Mounted Patrol Intercepts Alleged Stock Thieves and Forces Fight—All Five of Mexicans Believed Killed—Bandits Thought to Be Villistas.

El Paso, Texas, Aug. 1.—Two Americans were killed and one was wounded in a battle with Mexican bandits who crossed the Rio Grande five miles below Fort Hancock, Texas, early Monday. There were five bandits in the party.

Private John Twoney, troop F, Eigth U. S. Cavalry, and Robert Woods, a United States customs inspector, were killed. Sergeant Lewis Thompson, troop F, Eighth U. S. cavalry, was seriously wounded.

All Bandits Slain.

It is believed all five of the bandits were killed.

More than 200 shots were fired during the engagement. The Mexicans, it is believed, had crossed the line in an attempt to steal horses.

Their presence was discovered by American outposts. The bandits were surprised and attacked by the cavalry patrol. Mounted on good horses, they attempted to flee. They were intercepted and forced to fight.

General George Bell, Jr., commanding the El Paso military district, said that he had learned of the engagement through unofficial sources.

Members of Villa Band.

Reports reaching here said that efforts to identify any of the Mexicans had been futile, but that it was believed they were members of one of the Villista bands recently reported to have been operating south of the Rio Grande in that section.

Several stock stealing raids have taken place in the district within the last few weeks. One of them resulted in a small American detachment crossing the border in pursuit of the raiders.

THREE MONTHS TRAINING FOR BORDER TROOPS SEEN

Orders Received at El Paso Outline Program for Energetic Drills and Maneuvers at Front.

El Paso, Aug. 1.—Three months, it is estimated, will be required for completion of a course of training for the militiamen in the El Paso military district, projected in orders received here. Army officers predicted it might mean the militia would remain on the border for the next three months.

The order, over the signature of General Bell, closed with the following: "Practical field work and maneuvers October 1 to 31."

The program outlines three months of energetic drills and maneuvers designed to whip the militia into shape for any emergency.

Presumably similar orders were issued to all militia along the entire Mexican border.

UNIONIST SUCCEEDS BIRRELL

Henry Duke Appointed Chief Secretary of Ireland.

London, Aug. 1.—Henry Edward Duke, a barrister and Unionist member of parliament for Exeter, has been appointed to be the new chief secretary of Ireland, in succession of Augustine Birrell. The new chief secretary will be given a seat in the cabinet.

No new lord lieutenant of Ireland will be appointed to succeed Lord Wimborne, who resigned after the outbreak of the Dublin rebellion.

GUARDS MAY FIGHT I. W. W.

Militia Company Requested by Mayor of Mitchell, S. D.

Washington, Aug. 1.—Senator Johnson of South Dakota has asked Secretary Baker to send back to Mitchell, S. D., a company of militia now stationed at Redfield. He said the mayor of Mitchell had asked for aid in suppressing disturbances created by Industrial Workers of the World

Secretary Baker said the company would be moved if requested formally by the governor.

Forest Fires in Northern Michigan

Cadillac, Mich., August 1.—Forest fires are raging in half a dozen northern Michigan counties and already heavy damage has been done. Two weeks of the hottest weather in the region's history has dried brush on cut-over lands until it is like tinder. This city is buried beneath smoke clouds coming from nearby fires and homes on the outskirts are threatened. Fifty men were sent to Cherry Grove where three barns and two houses were destroyed. Fires are also doing serious damage in other towns.

Resche Now Brigadier General.

After the mustering in of Brigadier General F. E. Resche as commander of the Minnesota troops and the election of Lieutenant Colonel H. V. Eva of Duluth as his successor as colonel of the Third regiment, brigade headquarters were opened here. Major A. F. Pratt of Anoka was chosen lieutenant colonel and Captain Carl C. Weaver, regimental adjutant, was promoted to major. Lieutenant A. K. Wheaton of Duluth, and H. C. Luers of Owatonna were assigned as aides to General Resche.

The First regiment has received a shipment of 18,000 rounds of rifle ammunition. What is known as Course B will be given the Minnesota troops, this differing from the regular range work and being necessary here because of the lack of an adequate rifle range. After a thorough drill in practice firing the men will shoot at targets representing prostrate figures. Officers say that such an arrangement can be made without all the facilities provided by a range such as the men had at Fort Snelling.

Build New Field Hospital.

Brig. Gen. E. M. Lewis, post commander, announced that work is to be started immediately on a field hospital to cost $15,000, which will replace the present ranch building. This hospital was proved inadequate to handle the cases sent over from camp and is not provide with the conveniences which the surgeons desire in handling the men.

Money has been provided by the War department for the erection of screened mess rooms and kitchens for all the troops now in camp, it was announced. The kitchens will be so constructed that they can be transported with the troops in case they move south. Surgeons declare that only by such measures can the fly problem be solved and danger from disease minimized. Thus far only the Indiana regiments are provided with such enclosures.

Troops Fire on Mexican.

Straw has been provided for those men having ticks, but this was of little assistance to the Minnesota men, who do not have this equipment. The delay in the shipment of cots has not yet been explained, though the quartermaster has been endeavoring to trace the missing articles. Minnesota guardsmen will continue to sleep on the ground until the cots arrive.

Considerable excitement was caused in camp when men from Company A, First regiment, who were patroling the water canals some distance from camp, fired on a Mexican.

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Reorganize Artillery Unit.

Officers and men of the First battalion, Minnesota field artillery, are speculating on rumors of further reorganization of the artillery unit. Captain C. Lesley Ames of B battery probably will be offered the position of major which he recently refused when he nominated Lieutenant Perkins of the regular army for that office. A recent ruling of the War department, which says no commissioned officer in the regular army can accept a position in the national guard which places him under a national guard officer, makes it impossible for Lieutenant Perkins to take the post.

If Captain Ames is made major, it is said Captain Wallace Cole of A battery will be transferred back to B battery, and that Lieutenant Fletcher Rockwood of A battery will be made the commanding officer of A.

Captain Cole formerly was senior first lieutenant of B battery. He was transferred to A when that unit was in the process of organization and brought it up above peace strength by a strenuous recruiting campaign.

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Accept Battery Officers.

The officers' roll of the First battalion, First field artillery, is intact after the medical examination of the unit just completed by Captain Thomas H. Johnson, chief medical officer. Not one officer was disqualified, although Colonel Arthur Johnson, U. S. A., said following the completion of his medical report, the tests disqualified 70 men, 19 in Battery A, 19 in Battery B, 29 in Battery C and 3 in the First artillery band.

One hundred men are still wanted by the battalion, Lieutenant Colonel W. J. Murphy, battalion commander, said. There are now 115 men on the rolls of Battery A, 135 in Battery B and 148 in Battery C. Battery A must be recruited to peace strength of 133 before the unit can entrain for the south.

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U. S. Troops Healthy.

Good-bye to the good old style of lime whitened army camps. The use of lime has been stopped in all camps by orders of Major W. N. Bispham, sanitary inspector for the army of the lower Rio Grande. "We've discovered that flies like white color," said the major. "What we are looking for is something black in the way of a disinfectant. The latest idea is lampblack mixed with petroleum." "We want Americans to know the exact state of health and sanitary conditions here," said Bispham. "Many wild stories are being sent out about illness among the men. All are untrue."

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To Aid Soldier Students.

A special loan fund has been provided at the University of Minnesota for students who, because of being at the Mexican border, have been unable to earn money in the summer to continue their school work. Announcement to this effect was made by President George E. Vincent. The rules with regard to late payment of fees will, if necessary, be suspended if the soldier boys are unable to comply with regulations. Time schedules and registration cards will be sent the students.

STEAMER APPAM GIVEN TO ENGLISH OWNERS BY JUDGE

CAPTURED BRITISH LINER IS ILLEGALLY HELD ACCORDING TO DECISION FILED IN LIBEL CASE IN FEDERAL COURT.

NEUTRALITY LAWS ARE VIOLATED BY GERMANS

Decision Holds Prussian-American Treaty Does Not Apply and That Ship Must Be Regarded as Abandoned and Stranded on Our Shores —Legal Claim Lost by Dash.

Norfolk, Va., July 31.—Federal Judge Waddill has just decided the libel proceedings for possession of the captured British liner Appam in favor of the English owners and against the German prize crew which brought her here.

The court held that the German government lost all legal claim to the Apam and her cargo as prizes of war when Lieutenant Berg and his prize crew on February 1 last brought them into the neutral waters of Hampton Roads with the intention of "laying up" the vessel indefinitely.

Cites Precedents.

The court held further:

That the Prussia-American treaty of 1799, renewed in 1828, does not apply or control in the case so as to guarantee the prize crew asylum in United States waters;

That the action of the German prize court in declaring the Appam a prize while the case was in litigation in the United States courts has no effect on the jurisdiction of the courts;

That the jurisdiction of the United States courts in the case is established by a long line of precedents including several by the supreme court.

U. S. Neutrality Violated.

"The court's conclusion," the decision reads, "is that the manner of bringing the Appam into the waters of the United States as well as her presence in those waters, constitutes a violation of the neutrality of the United States; that she came in without bidding or permission; that she is here in violation of the law; that she is unable to leave for lack of a crew which she cannot provide or augment without further violation of neutrality; that in her present condition she is without a lawful right to be and remain in the waters; that, as between her captors and owners, to all practical interests and purposes, she must be treated as abandoned and stranded upon our shores; and that her owners are entitled to restitution of their property, which this court should award, irrespective of the prize court proceedings of the court of the imperial government of the German empire; and it will be so ordered."

SEAMEN THREATEN TO STRIKE

Ten Thousand Workers on Great Lakes Make Demands.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 31.—A strike of 10,000 Seamen, firemen, oilers and cooks on the Great Lakes, Sept. 1, is threatened unless vessel owners accede to demands to be fixed by vote of three unions concerned next week.

Union officials, who claim to have organized 65 per cent of the able seamen on the lakes, say a strike would result in a complete tieup of traffic on the lakes.

The men are demanding higher wages and shorter hours. They want a "three watch" system, equivalent to an eight hour working day, instead of the present "two watch" plan.

Wage increases are asked.

U. S. SENATE ACTS FOR IRISH

Requests Wilson to Express Hope of Clemency to British

Washington, July 31.—By a vote of 46 to 19, the Senate adopted a resolution requesting President Wilson to transmit to the British government an expression of hope that it would exercise clemency in the treatment of Irish political prisoners.

By its action the Senate overturned the report of a majority of its foreign relations committee and followed a course outlined in a minority report made by Chairman Stone and Senators O'Gorman and Pittman. The action primarily is inspired by the case of Sir Roger Casement.

Lloyd-George Expresses Confidence.

London, July 31.—"I don't despair about an eventual solution of the Irish problem, in spite of the recent failure to reach an agreement between the nationalists and the unionists," said David Lloyd George, replying to a request for his views.

Business Arbitration Court Is Plan.

Chicago, July 31.—A business arbitration court, said to be the first of its kind in the world, will be inaugurated in Chicago today. The plan was approved by the judges of the municipal court, who adopted a rule placing the branch in operation. Two judges were named to preside. The new tribunal will have jurisdiction only over questions of law in commercial disputes. Questions of fact are to be decided outside of court by arbitration boards of experts selected from the various trades and industries.

RANCHING

Cattle and Horse Ranching in Western Canada—Steers Brought 10 Cents a Pound on the Seattle Market.

That big money is made by the large cattle rancher in Western Canada, and also by the small farmer as well, is shown by the undisputable facts presented from time to time. A rancher, near Gleichen, Alberta, who commenced in a small way nine years ago, recently disposed of 1,243 cattle at a total of $101,304.50, and this was only his surplus stock for the present season.

A December shipment of 217 head of ranch steers brought the owner an average of over $80 per head. They were taken straight from the range without any grain feeding and were in excellent condition to be sold for the Christmas trade. Another shipment of 100 head, averaging $70 each, was made to Seattle. The highest price paid on the Seattle market was for an Albertan steer, which weighed 1,700 lbs., and brought the fancy price of 10c per lb., or $170.

Six carloads of live stock from ranches 65 miles from Pincher, Alberta, shipped to Spokane, excited keen competition there on account of their exceptional quality. The price realized was $10,028. American dealers say they must look to Canada for beef supplies.

A livestock firm, which has shipped over 2,000 head of beef cattle to the American farmer since the middle of November, reports a splendid reception of Alberta stock in the United States.

A carload of choice Alberta steers were sold early in January for shipment to the British Columbia coast at $6.70 per 100 lbs. and, later on, a lot from Carstairs brought $6.90—the highest price paid since the spring of 1915. Shipments from Calgary livestock yards during 1915 were: Horses, 8,675; cattle, 30,577; hogs, 144,515; sheep, 12,410. A course in agriculture and livestock demonstration which has been conducted by the Provincial Dept. of Agriculture here was well attended, showing the interest taken by city residents in agricultural progress.

John Young, of Sidney, Man., gives his experiences in sheep-raising as follows, as quoted in a local paper:

"I bought a bunch of fifty ewes, which cost me $262.50. With this little flock I demonstrated just what can be done in the sheep business. This fall I sold fifty fat lambs at $6.50 per head, $325, and 18 of the best ewe lambs, which I kept, I value at $8.00 per head, $144. The wool sold at an average of $2.07 per head, $109.50. This makes the very nice total of $572.50."

"They ran out nearly every day all winter. The value of hay and oats was small, and one can make them very comfortable through the winter with very little expense. For shelter I have a shed, about 125 feet long and 14 feet wide, which I cover with straw. This gives them protection from the cold winds: yet it is always cool enough to be healthy."

"I intend going in more for sheep this fall, as I believe them to be the most profitable stock on the farm."

Desire of farmers and ranchers to increase their sheep holdings is indicated by the sale of 2,500 head recently at $9.00 each. High wool prices and profitable demand for mutton are the reason given for such a figure.

Manitoba sheep breeders arranged last year for the Provincial Department of Agriculture to handle their wool output on a co-operative basis and obtained most satisfactory results. About 75,000 lbs. of wool were handled, netting the shippers over 25c per lb.—Advertisement.

He Meant Well, but

Distinguished Out-of-Town Guest (speaking at banquet)—Your beautiful little city appeals to me. As we came in on the train I remarked to my wife: "Ah, my dear; you and I ought to be living on the top of one of those magnificent hills."

Toastmaster (in hoarse whisper)—Go easy; we've got only two hills in town. The insane asylum is on one, and the sewage works on the other.

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"Yes, sir. I've saved up more money this year than I usually do, and I'm afraid I won't be able to spend it all in two weeks."

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"Dear Mabel, do you love me?"

"Oh, George!"

"Don't you, Mabel? Just a tiny little bit?"

"W-e-ll, y-e-s, George."

"And would your mother keep away from us, except when I invited her?"

"She would, George."

"And your brothers and sisters, too?"

"Why, certainly, George."

"And, of course, the old gent would settle my debts?"

"Of course, George."

"Darling, will you marry me?"

"No, George!"

Not a True Idealist.

"I always knew that Binks was lacking in true poetical idealism," said the irate leader of one of the clans. "Just before the last election he made overtures to me for the purchase of 50 votes."

"Well," said the sophisticated friend, "that didn't offend you, did it?"

"Of course not; but when I made the trade and delivered the goods the conscienceless dog refused to pay."

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What's Doing in Minnesota

Jordan, Minn. — Four Minneapolis citizens have been taken into that city all dangerously injured as the result of being hurled twenty-five feet from an automobile near Jordan, Minn., at the breaking of the steering gear.

St. Paul. — D. P. Tierney, assistant state forester, arrived from the forest fire region and conferred with the attorney general's department to ask legal aid for prosecutions under regulations regarding slash and brush disposal.

St. Paul. — First official notice of the appropriation bill recently passed by Congress under which Minnesota will receive more than $1,400,000 Federal good roads aid during the next ten years has been received by Governor Burnquist.

Duluth. — Formal demand for 5 cents more an hour or from 35 to 40 cents, has been made upon the Northern Pacific, which controls the bulk of the Duluth docks. This is for day work. A night rate of 45 cents is asked and 50 cents an hour for loading cement.

St. Paul. — Provision for early establishment of a large industrial and custodial institution to serve as an adjunct to practically all the state penal, correctional and charitable institutions, may be recommended to the next Legislature by the state board of control.

Ortonville.—Ortonville citizens took up arms against an invasion of more than 300 Industrial Workers of the World, and before the latter had been put to rout and driven from town, a number of shots had been fired by both sides, but apparently without injuring anyone.

Duluth. — The big steamer W. Grant Morden, which held the previous record, passed the Soo with 14,404 bushels of wheat more than ever had been carried and cleared from Port Arthur, Ont., with 490,720 bushels of wheat for Port McNicoll, on Georgian bay.

Minneapolis. — Forty-three Minnesotans passed the recent examinations conducted by the state board of pharmacy and have been granted registrations as pharmacists or assistants. As a result of the examinations three Minneapolis men will become pharmacists and 13 will qualify as assistants.

Washington, D. C.—Minnesota gained 1,218 manufacturing establishments in the 10 years from 1904 to 1914, and at the close of the 1914 census had 5,974 establishments of every kind. These figures are in the bulletin, carrying condensation of the forthcoming detailed manufacturing census of the state, that was sent out from Washington. In 1909 there were 5,561 establishments.

St. Paul. — Nothing daunted by their failure to win the route of the Jefferson highway through Northern Minnesota, representatives of the Western and Eastern routes met immediately following the announcement of the choice of the central route by J. D. Clarkson, general manager of the highway, and formulated plans for establishing the Northern Minnesota Scenic highway.

Minneapolis. — Three possibilities for the future of the farm were suggested by President Vincent of the University of Minnesota, speaking at the rural life conference at the university farm. One of these possibilities, the president said, is corporate control of large farming areas; another, cooperative control by farmers themselves, and the third a wider extension of the tenant system.

St. Paul. — Total deposits in the 994 state banks operated under the direction of the state banking department were $93,987,749.41 at the close of business June 30, a net increase of $26,545,958.21 since June 23, 1915. This showing, A. H. Turrittin, state superintendent of banks, regards as the best in the history of the department. The total resources reported were $224,715,202.01, against $198,169,243.80 in 1915.

Wadena. — The tourists in the Jefferson highway sociability run arrived here five minutes ahead of their schedule, although they were delayed by a bad hill between Little Falls and Staples for more than three minutes. On their arrival here a message from Staples was awaiting the officials, which advised the hill will not cause further difficulty to tourists. The business men of Staples have pledged $2,000 to be expended in properly grading the hill.

St. Paul. — Increased revenue from the state tax on liquor licenses and decrease of the wet territory made a paradox discovered by George La Fond, chief clerk in the treasurer's office. "Despite reports of more cities and counties going dry during the year, the state received $41,909.08 liquor license taxes, compared with $38,975.56 during the fiscal year preceding. "The only explantion offered thus far is that wet places must be getting wetter."

Minneapolis. — The animal industry group of the department of agriculture at the University of Minnesota has been reorganized by the acquisition of two new men in such a way as to make it rank with the best similar departments in the country in the opinion of President Vincent

Washington, D. C. — The average annual wages of the men employed in industrial plants in Minnesota increased from $560 to $632.43 in the five years between 1909 and 1914 according to the advance report of the United States industrial survey. The increase is nearly 13 per cent.

RECOVERS JEWELS IN DARING TRIP

Mexican Senora in Guise of Peon Rescues Hidden Family Property.

ESCAPES THE BANDITS

Ugly and Poorly-Clad, Aristocratic Wife of Rich Refugee Visits Capital of Chihuahua and Carries Away Treasure.

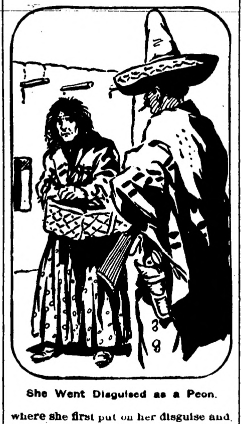
Los Angeles.—After one of the most remarkable adventures ever undertaken by a woman of aristocratic birth, Senora Teresa B. de Terrazas, having eluded by means of clever disguises the hordes of bandits on the lookout to capture and hold her for ransom, returned a few days ago to Los Angeles, bringing with her the Terrazas family jewels, which at infinite peril she rescued from their hiding place in Chihuahua, Mexico. Legal papers and documents of great value also were secured from their hiding place, where they had been secreted by her husband prior to his incarceration in the Mexican federal prison.

The entire journey in Mexico was made by Senora Terrazas disguised as a peon, a heavy black wig completely hiding her white hair, a threadbare shawl draped sloppily about her shoulders, and a cheap calico dress completing her outfit. During her return trip from Chihuahua city, after she had recovered the jewels and papers, it was necessary for her to carry a basket in which the valuable articles rested underneath a collection of rags and cheap ornaments, such as are usually carried by peon women.

Called by Mother's Illness.

The adventure originated more than a month ago when Senora Terrazas received word that her mother was very ill in Chihuahua. Senora Terrazas had not been in Mexico since last year when, after disguising several of her children, who were being held by Villa, she sent them to El Paso and then fled in disguise to work from the border for the release of her husband and son, who had remained under sentence of death at the hands of Villa. Ultimately she succeeded in a plan by which they escaped. She then declared she would never return to Mexico until peace had been restored.

The news of her mother's condition, however, changed her plans. Leaving Los Angeles she journeyed to El Paso, where she first put on her disguise and, traveling in a freight car, found no difficulty in reaching Chihuahua city. A woman more or less made no difference to the roving bands of bandits and as this woman was undoubtedly middle aged and had horrible ugly hair they passed her by with a shrug. Reaching Chihuahua she found her mother greatly improved, and Senora Terrazas began to think that as she had entered the country and must necessarily take risks in getting out under any circumstances, she might as well get the family jewels and documents.



She Went Disguised as a Peon.

Family Treasures Recovered.

When Francisco Villa first threw Luis Terrazas into prison on December 8, 1913, and filched approximately $600,000 from him for alleged ransom, the family jewels, silverware and other valuables were packed in iron trunks and placed in the care of Roland Anderson, an American friend living in Chihuahua. Anderson guarded the treasures until he moved to El Paso, following the murder of his son, Morris Anderson, by the Mexicans, when he transferred the trunks with their precious contents to a secluded hiding place in the rear of a hovel. In this hovel lived an old woman who had been a nurse employed in the Terrazas family for years and who had remained true to her old masters.

Anderson had informed the Terrazas family of the transfer and when Senora Terrazas visited the hovel kept by the aged nurse she recovered the treasures with the assistance of two peons and with the more valued ones in her possession, made her way back to the United States in the same way and by using the same disguise that had assisted her in escaping the close scrutiny of the Mexican bandits along the route.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

by MARY GRAHAM BONNER

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TREE TOADS AND FAIRIES.

"Very early one morning," said Daddy, "the Fairies invited the Tree Toads to have Luncheon with them in the Wooded Grove where they are so apt to give their Parties. The Tree Toads had accepted and the day had arrived for the Luncheon.

"The Fairies wanted to look especially lovely, and fresh, and cool, for it had been so hot lately, and they knew that to look cool made other Folks and little Animals almost feel cooler.

Wanted to Look Especially Lovely.

"So they had their Shower Baths the very first thing when they got up."

"Did they have their shower baths in brooks or in streams?" asked Nancy.

"I bet I could guess," said Nick.

"Where?" asked Nancy.

"Why, they have their Shower Baths under the falls that come down the sides of rocks. There are ever so many of them all around that the Fairies can find I suppose."

"Yes, Nick, you're quite right," said Daddy, and Nancy smiled, for she loved to think of the little Fairies bright and early in the morning letting the cool water that shoots down the rocks go all over them.

"And as a special honor because they'd been invited to the Fairies' Luncheon Party, the Tree Toads tried to look their best, too. They asked the Dew Drops if they could wash their little faces in their rare water. And the Dew Drops were very willing, especially when they heard that the Tree Toads wanted to look their best for the Fairies.

"Dew Drops always make the Animals look so much better, and to the fairies they look very handsome when they have washed their faces in the magic dew drops that come all over the ground each morning.

"Now when the Fairies saw the Tree Toads and when the Tree Toads saw the Fairies they all gasped. The Tree Toads had never seen the fairies looking so lovely. They wore dresses of very soft green which were decorated with little purple Daisies. Their wands matched, and their wings were the color of soft, pale green, too.

"And they were sitting around in the Wooded Grove on ferns and mossy patches of ground when the Tree Toads arrived.

"But the Tree Toads gave the Fairies just as much of a surprise, for they wore green suits, too. They looked quite noble for having washed their faces with magic Dew Drops, and they wore green spectacles made out of leaves with holes, to make them look wise. In addition to all this they, carried green canes made out of young trees, and they arrived in an old wagon made out of the root of a tree. The wagon was drawn by the Green Lizard family.

"First got out Grandpa and Grandma Tree Toad, and then all the younger Toads hopped out after.

"'Glad to see you, Toads and Green Lizards, too,' said the Fairies. And the toads made very queer sounds down in their throats which meant: 'We're glad to see you, too.' The Lizards wriggled with pleasure, for, of course, they had been brought along as an excuse to draw the wagon for the Toads and they were delighted when the Fairies said they were glad to see them.

"The Luncheon began of delicious things made out of the best of woodland foods, and last of all came the green woodland ice cream. In fact, I forgot to tell you everything was green.

"But when the ice cream came along, what should be seen on top of it but a little, tiny old Man made out of ice cream, too.

They Looked Quite Noble.

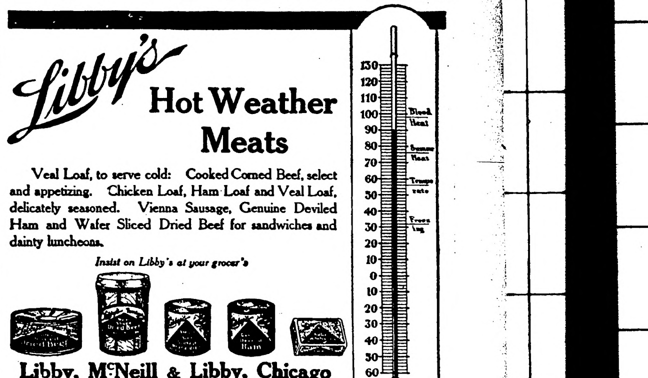
"How the Tree Toads did scream with delight. 'What's your name?' they cried.

"'I'm the little Man of the Ice cream freezer. Every time ice cream is made in one of the freezers where I live, I come out on top of the ice cream dressed all up as ice cream, too.'

"'But you look good to eat,' said one of the Toad Children.

"'That's what I'm here for,' and he looked very happy and pleased about it. 'And next time there's ice cream I'll be here again.'

"'Yes,' said the Fairy Queen, 'we're going to have a hopping game, and the one who does the greatest number of queer hops will eat the little ice cream Man!' And little Harvey Hop Tree Toad—quite a shy little fellow, won the prize and ate the ice cream Man, but all the toads had plenty to refresh them after their hopping match."



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MAKE CHUM OF YOUR CHILD

Boy Will Welcome Companionship of Father Who He Feels Can Understand Him.

The influence of a man's companionship in a child's life is usually a larger, less detailed thing than that of a woman, but it is for this very reason the more needed. The child is eager to enlarge his own world; he is, if he is normal, growing and outgrowing—he is longing to step out of his own little circle into the larger one of men and affairs in which he knows his father moves. I think I may say I do not know a single child, and I very much doubt if anyone else does, who would not willingly give up his play at the offer of half an hour's companionship with a grown man whom he can trust and who really understands him. And when the grown man is the child's father, the response is just so much the more ready.

You notice I have said, whom he can trust and who really understands him. And in those two conditions are implied all the obligations as well as all the rewards of fatherhood. If a boy cannot trust his father, or if his father does not understand him, it is likely enough he will prefer his toys; and I cannot help feeling that he shows wisdom in the preference.

It is a pitiful commentary that so many children, given the chance to be with their fathers, to sit beside them, to go for a walk with them, to hear them tell of this or that, will jump at the chance, not because the companionship is so complete and satisfying but because it is a rare treat, a real novelty.—Laura Spencer Porter, in Mother's Magazine.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Simplicity of the Fathers.

Mrs. Everett M. Raynor of New York, president general of the Daughters of the Revolution, said at a luncheon:

"There are many anecdotes in illustration of the simple living of the Fathers.

"One of our country's pre-Revolutionary fathers had occasion to call on the governor of his province, and was invited to stay to luncheon.

"Luncheon began, and a liveried servant moved busily about, serving the wine, carving the fowl, and so forth.

"The guest watched the servant for some minutes, and then said to him irritably:

"'What are you dance, dance, dancing about the room for, man? Can't you pull up a chair and sit down? Surely there's enough for the three of us.'"

Appreciation of a Prodigy

"Biggins is still talking about the bright things his boy says."

"Well, I envy him. It must be great to have a boy who entertains himself thinking of bright things instead of banging on the cellar door with a board or experimenting with a shotgun."

It is easier to drive men to drink than from it.

The classy woman is the one who can look well in cheap garments.

STAFF AFTER REAL MONEY

Temptation Was More Than Any Newspaper Men Could Be Expected to Resist.

A visitor to a small country town in England unwittingly "held up" the local newspaper. Having lost his dog, an animal that he prized very much, he rushed to the newspaper office and handed in an advertisement offering $50 reward for the return of his pet.

Half an hour later he thought he would add to his advertisement the words, "No questions asked." So he hurried to the office again.

When he got there the place was empty save for a small boy, who looked very sulky.

"Where's the staff?" asked the tourist, glancing around the deserted room.

"Out looking for your dog," replied the boy, who was evidently aggrieved at being left behind.—Youth's Companion.

The Ladies Are Learning.

"Cut out speeches," Miss Mary Garrett Hay, chairman of the Woman's Suffrage party, is reported to have demanded at the recent meeting when the clerks were overworked recording subscriptions to the new campaign fund.

"Cut out the speeches; money talks best," this wise chairman is said to have declared.

The late blind Boss Buckley of San Francisco, however, gained nothing in public esteem when he told his workers upon an occasion of pre-election funds allotment:

"Don't waste this good dough buying talk, but results."—New York Sun.

Drill Amenities.

Mayor John Purroy Mitchel said at a dinner in New York:

"The memories of camp life are a very pleasant thing to any soldier. Even the little vivacities of camp life seem in the retrospect pleasant enough.

"Thus I often laugh about a banker who was being drilled one day at Plattsburg by a broker-sergeant.

"'What'll you give me,' said the broker-sergeant, an old Yale end, 'if I take that hump off your back?'

"'I'll give you,' the banker answered, with a tart laugh, 'something to make your hair grow, sarge.'"

Important to Mothers

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Modern Villain.

Through the shrubbery Marcus Peif, the wealthy rejected suitor, watched Harry Harrison, the village blacksmith, clasp Ruth Roberts in his strong young arms.

"Curse 'em!" he hissed. "I'll have me revenge! I'll buy 'em an automobile for a wedding present, and then look on gloatingly while they mortgage the blacksmith shop to buy gasoline!"

Capital and labor are impossible terms to many of us

Don't wait for the fool killer. Do it yourself

Bumper Grain Crops

Good Markets High Prices

Prizes Awarded to Western Canada for Wheat, Oats, Barley, Alfalfa and Grasses

The winnings of Western Canada at the Soil Products Exposition at Denver were easily made. The list comprised Wheat, Oats, Barley and Grasses, the most important being the prizes for Wheat and Oats and sweep stake on Alfalfa.

No less important than the splendid quality of Western Canada's wheat and other grains, is the excellence of the cattle fed and fattened on the grasses of that country. A recent shipment of cattle to Chicago topped the market in that city for quality and price.

Western Canada produced in 1915 one-third as much wheat as all of the United States, or over 300,000,000 bushels.

Canada in proportion to population has a greater exportable surplus of wheat this year than any country in the world, and at present prices you can figure out the revenue for the producer. In Western Canada you will find good markets, splendid schools, exceptional social conditions, perfect climate and other great attractions. **There is no war tax on land and no conscription.**

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Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors who were so kind and helpful to us during the long sickness of our beloved wife and mother. Also for the help and sympathy given us when the death angel came to our home, and for the many beautiful flowers for the funeral.

Lewis Johnson and family.

At the present price of eggs, what pays better than a good size flock of hens?

The business of the Holt postoffice for the last fiscal year showed an increase of $75.00.

The recent extreme hot weather was the cause of nearly 300 deaths in the city of Chicago.

Ole Brenna the Middle River auctioneer recently sold a milking machine to a farmer near there and another to a farmer near Grygla.

Altho we have as nice a little town as one could wish for---farmers do not linger here long these nice days---they are too busy with the big hay crop and getting ready for harvest.

Despite the hot dry weather our creamery is still making fifty tubs of butter a week. Farmers have long since found out that it pays to keep good cows and to sell their cream to the home creamery.

TO GET RID OF SHYSTERS

Efforts of State Bar Association Are Highly Commended.

The Minnesota State Bar Association is to be congratulated for its heroic efforts to improve the standing of the legal profession with the general public.

In the program of their annual meeting to be held at Duluth, Aug. 8th, 9th and 10th, the committee on ethics (moral duty) express themselves as being desirous of ridding the profession of lawyers whose conduct violates their oaths and requires of the Bar generally a proper standard of moral responsibility. They also say that the public rightly looks to the bar to purge itself of those of its members whose misconduct merits not only the criticism of the bar but its disciplinary action.

For years our courts have been crowded with suits framed up by dishonorable lawyers, mostly of the personal damage kind.

The present laws give them the privilege of bringing a suit, presenting their evidence and getting it dismissed, going through this operation four or five times until the victim of the plaintiff is completely worn out, and compelled to make an unreasonable settlement to prevent being harassed farther.

As the law now reads a personal damage suit can be brought against employers, property owners or householders within five years from the date of an accident. In the larger cities action against the city must be brought within thirty days.

The expense to the taxpayers of Minnesota for such framed up lawsuits is enormous, and the principal reason for the large increase in taxes of recent years.

Special attention will be given to the practice, now so general and so much condemned, of loading down the courts of Minnesota with action by nonresident plaintiffs against nonresident defendants on causes of action arising outside of Minnesota.

In a recent issue of the Pioneer Press it was stated that the cost to the taxpayers of Ramsey county alone for such suits amounted to $90,000 a year. Unnecessary suits brought against residents of the state must cost as much or more.

It is the purpose of the bar association to give the public the same protection from the so called ambulance chasers that the city governments now receive.

The expressed intention of the Minnesota State Bar Association to rid the profession of dishonest and shyster lawyers is to be highly commended and will meet with the approval of all of the leading civic associations of the state and the public generally.

Notice To Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of School District No. 158 of Marshall County Minn., will receive sealed bids, up to 7 o'clock P. M. of August 19th 1916, for building a one room school house in said district, according to plans and specifications on file at Holt State Bank, in the village of Holt, Minn.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

S. G. Svenkeson,
District Clerk.

Runaway Accident

Albert O. Knutson had a narrow escape from receiving a serious injury, when his horse became frightened at a motor cycle operated by Andrew Sorum and accompanied by Fridjof Riesberg, near the depot Monday. The horse running in front of the cycle, caused a collisiou which threw Albert over the dash-board. The front wheels and thills were broken and the horse breaking loose from the vehicle ran down main street halting back of Carlson's store.

The men were fortunate in only receiving a few scratches, altho the cycle as well as buggy is a little worse because of the smash up.

K. O. Flakne has sold a quarter section in town of Mud Lake to parties from Detroit.

A light shower of rain Wednesday morning freshened up everything considerably.

This office acknowledges a pleasant call on Monday from Bro. O. S. Nordine of The Karlstad Advocate. The Village council of which Bro. Nordine is a member, had been out after pointers for an electric light plant which they expect to install soon, and they stopped here on the return trip home from T. R. Falls. They were well pleased with our hall which is practically completed now.

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C. L. Sandberg
Holt - Minn.

We had a good rain last night and everyone is feeling better this morning.

B. Docken has purchased a pure blooded percheron stallion weighing 1850 lbs.

"Tony" Carlson treated the young folks Saturday night to a free dance in the Woodman hall.

T. J. Reierson was a Sunday visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

Miss Olga Saastad came up from T. R. Falls Friday for a short visit at home, returning to the city Monday.

Robert Anderson, who has been spending his vacation with relatives here, left Saturday for his home in Minneapolis.

Mesdames Chris Rustad, Ludwig Monson and Ida Reierson are visiting at Ed. Monson's this week and picking berries.

The weather was a trifle cooler Saturday and Sunday and there was a little relief from the excessive heat of the previous days.

That was some hot game of ball Sunday between the crack players of the village and country. Score 3 to 12 in favor of the village at the close of six innings.

Obituary of Mrs. Lewis Johnson

Anna Johnson was born Jan. 3, 1850, in Sweden, and was married in her native country in the spring of 1881 to Lewis J. Johnson. The next year Mr. Johnson emigrated to America, Mrs. Johnson remaining in Sweden for nine years after her husbands departure. Their first home in this country was at Lockport, Ill., where they lived until five ago, when they moved to this vicinity.

Death came to the family Tuesday night July 25th, when the wife and mother departed this life after about a year of sickness.

Four children were born to this union, one a son who died in Ill, at the age of 13 years and was buried there, another son lives in Joliet, Ill., one daughter Mrs. Augusta Swanson lives near Newfolden and the younger daughter Miss Sophia lives at home with her father and aged grandmother.

The funeral was held Friday afternoon at the Ringbo church, Rev. Breedetson officiating, and interment was made in the cemetery there.

Mrs. Johnson was universally loved and respected for her womanly qualities and will not only be missed by relatives but by a large circle of friends.

The News joins the many friends in extending heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family.

Hilmer Davidson is drilling a well for Lars Chenill.

Ole Backlund has bought the butcher shop and took possession yesterday.

Mrs. Stensrud of Thief River Falls visited friends in this vicinity last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Werner, of T. R. Falls, visited Saturday at the Riesberg home.

L. M. Olson and family from Warren were Sunday visitors at the Gunheim home.

We understand that Rev. Ordahl has resigned his charge at Middle River and that a resident pastor will be employed there.

There will be English services in the Free Mission church on Tuesday evening August 8th. at 8 o'clock by Rev. Osborn Instanes of the Swedish Baptist church.

Reports to the Experiment Station at Crookston indicate the spreading of the sow thistle to places where it has never been seen before. Farmers and land owners are urged to keep on the watch for this weed. All plants in bloom should be destroyed, make war on the sow thistle. Its seeds are carried long distances by the wind and unless checked the weed will soon infest this country. Full information regarding its extermination will be sent upon inquiry to the Crookston Experiment Station.

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Trade in Holt and save money.

Messrs. Docken and Flakne have bought the Gus Opseth place in sec. 35 town of Mud Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson and P. L. Anderson visited Tuesday eve at W. A. Silbaugh's in Mud Lake.

J. J. Kelley, a wealthy farmer living near Rollis, was recently stricken with paralysis on all of the right side of his body and was taken to St. Paul for treatment.

For Sale or Trade!

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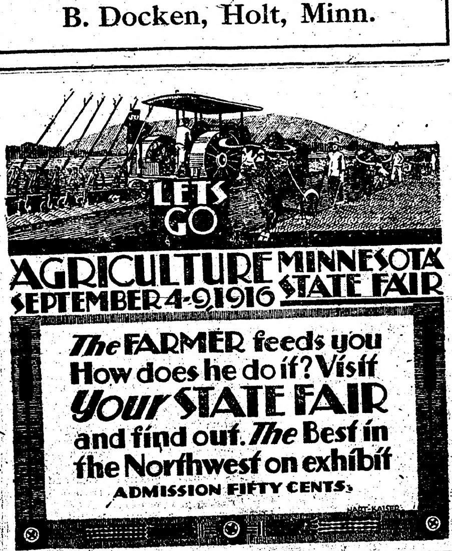
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Biggest Cattle Show in America This Year Predicted for the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 4 to 9—All Records to Be Broken in the Swine Show.

INDICATIONS are that the cattle show at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 4 to 9, will be the largest exposition of its kind in America this year. Last year the Hamline cattle show was the largest in the country, and more entries have been promised in the last few weeks than were obtained a year ago.

The splendid crop conditions in the Northwest, and the greater attention which is being paid to pure-bred livestock, are said to be the principal reasons for the interest which is being taken in the cattle show at the Minnesota State Fair. Breeders in other parts of America are desirous of meeting the farmers of the Northwest, to sell them the pure-bred stock which is being bought in such numbers to raise the standard of livestock breeding in Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, North and South Dakota.

Records Shattered.

The Swine Show will break all records this fall, and it is expected that pen room will be taxed to the limit to accommodate all the swine which is coming. The first national show ever promoted by the American Yorkshire Club is to be held at the Minnesota State Fair this year, and the cream of all American herds will be exhibited. The Duroc-Jersey and Poland-China organizations are offering large futurities and special premiums. The Chester White and Hampshire associations have put up special prizes of value. Hundreds of boys are working hard in the Pig Club contest, and there will be more entries in the Pig Club show than ever before.

Big Draft Show.

The show of draft horses is to be larger than for several years. A number of breeders that have never visited the Northwest are coming this year to show their wares to lovers of horses. Farmers are being urged to attend the State Fair and make their arrangements for any pure-bred mares and stallions they intend to buy. An effort will be made to present an unusual opportunity of studying types and breeds of horses, so farmers may be more familiar with the kinds of horses which bring the most money on the market.

As formerly all stock will be judged at the opening of the State Fair, making a visit to the Fair the first part of the week more valuable than one at the latter part. Judging will probably be over by Thursday, Sept. 7.

Steel vs. Iron.

For some purpose iron is to be preferred to steel and vice versa. To easily distinguish one from the other, make a bright spot on the metal with a file or sand paper and apply a single drop of nitric acid. Allow it to remain for one or two minutes and wash or wipe off. If the spot has a pale ashy appearance it is wrought iron; if it is a brownish black, it is steel; if a deep black, it is cast iron.

The Medicine of Life.

A faithful friend is the medicine of life.—Ecclesiasticus.

What Gives Milk Its Color.

Recent experiments show that the color of milk is chiefly due to the presence of carotin, a coloring matter found abundantly in green plants, especially in grass. The yellow pigments of our bodies also consist of carotin, which is probably derived chiefly from our food.

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O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.28
Wheat No. 2	1.19
Wheat No. 3	1.23
Wheat No. 4	1.06
Flax	1 98
Oats	31
Barley	46 to .51
Rye	.87
Flour, Best Patent	3.75

Notice for Bids for Transportation of School Children

The School Board of School Dist. No. 35, Marshall County, Minnesota, hereby announces that they will receive bids for the transportation of school children to and from the school house as per plat of route and rules of transportation now on file in the office of the Clerk of said District.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids may be filed with Clerk of said District up to 2 o'clock, P. M. August 5, 1916.

B. Docken,
District Clerk.

Sell Your Farm

If you want to sell or trade your farm
Call on or write to

B. Docken
Holt - Minn.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Carl L. Anderson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Carl L. Anderson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Anna Anderson It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 27th day of January 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS as provided by law.

Dated July 20th 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

(Probate Court Seal)

Notice for Bids For Janitor

The School Board of School Dist. No. 35, Marshall Co., Minn., hereby announce that they will receive bids for the position of Janitor of the school house in said district during the school term for the coming year beginning Sept. 5, 1916, the bids to state salary wanted.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids may be filed with the Clerk of said district up to 2 o'clock P. M. August 5, 1916.

B. Docken,
District Clerk.

Making It Personal.

It is sad to see family relics sold at auction, but the most painful thing under the hammer is generally your thumbnail.

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DEPOSITS A STATE BANK A HOME BANK LOANS

YOUR YEAR'S PROFITS!

Your year's earnings represent a profit only as you are able to save some part of them. If at the end of the year you have spent all you have earned you have merely made a living.

Bank your earnings here each month or season. Pay all necessary expenses by check and let the balance accumulate.

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Local Items

Dr. Turley will be here next week Wednesday to do dental work.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. S. H. Nohre is again very sick and suffering considerably.

We had a hard rain and windstorm Wednesday night which fortunately did not last long.

The Standard Oil Co., is putting in a big station here, located south of the elevators and east of Carlson's warehouse.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl will preach in Thief Lake at 10:45 A. M. next Sunday Aug. 13, and in the Wilson school house in Mud Lake at 4 p. m.

Racine Olson finished painting the exterior woodwork of the village hall Tuesday, and we think it is now a very neat building and one that the people of Holt can justly be proud of.

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Trade in Holt and save money.

Mrs. A. H. Huseth went to Thief River Falls Monday to see her sister Verna who had an operation the previous Saturday for the removal of her tonsils.

Mrs. Ole Reierson has grown very weak in the past few weeks and is now unable to speak above a whisper but does not suffer any pain and is patiently awaiting the end.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Sollom drove up from T. R. Falls Wednesday to visit relatives and friends. Adolph recently traded his auto for a team and is trying to find out how well they drive.

Tony Anderson returned Wednesday from a few days visit with relatives at Hillsboro and other points in N. Dak. Mr. A. reports a great amount of damage done by last week Thursdays storm.

The board meet Saturday night and accepted Joe Nelson's bid of $44.00 per month for doing the janitor work for the school. Carl Christoferson's bid was $44.50, John O. Johnson's $45.00 and Ludwig Monson's $50.00 per month.

The bids for running the school bus were not passed on at this meeting as the board is trying to work up another route.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

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Farmers! Take Notice!

All who wish to ship livestock with the Holt Co-Operative Shipping Association will please notify the manager, Charles Skoglund, R. F. D. No. 1, Holt, Minn., or call at Holt State Bank where instructions as to days of shipping will be given.

Chas. Skoglund, Manager.

Notice!

A Sterioptican Lecture will be given by Miss Petra Tunheim next Friday and Saturday evenings Aug. 11 and 12, at 8 o'clock. Pictures will be shown on sceneries, native life, and converts from the island of Java. Miss Tunheim has spent 12 years as a missionary in those foreign fields. Free Mission Church.

A. R. Jones spent Sunday with his family in Crookston.

Dr. Turley, the dentist, will be in Holt next Wednesday Aug. 16.

Clarence Kolden "set em up" to a free dance Saturday night in the Woodmen hall.

Mrs. Thompson, of Grand Forks, came Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. T. Sollom.

Miss Inez Alkenbrack went to Rosewood Saturday where she visited at the B. Sagmoen home.

Geo. Curtiss' 12 year old son died yesterday as a result of being kicked in the stomach by a horse the day before.—Middle River Pioneer.

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Bring us your Job Printing.

P. L. Anderson has sold his auto to S. G. Svenkeson.

Frank Christenson, of Minneapolis visited friends here Friday.

E. T. Eide shipped a car of baled hay, of this years crop, to Spooner the first of the week.

Mrs. Poppenhagen, of Goodridge came Sunday for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

Moe & Larson, the Golden Valley merchants, shipped Saturday, the first car of stock from this station for this season.

While sharpening a scythe Monday R. Reierson cut his hand so badly that several stitches had to be taken to sew up the wound.

Last Thursday night a terrific windstorm struck Crookston and vicinity and extended over into Dakota. Many houses were badly damaged, barns, silos and other buildings were blown down and the crop in the path of the storm is almost a total loss.

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WESTERN CANADA

Co-Operative Creameries Show Tremendous Increase in Butter Production.

The Dairy Commissioner, at first annual convention of Saskatchewan Dairymen's association, reviewed progress of 1915 which shows a great increase in the butter production of the co-operative creameries amounting to 1,500,000 lbs. He also said the improvement in quality is shown by the preference accorded Saskatchewan butter in outside markets. Shipments out of the province for the year totaled 52 carloads.

According to bulletin just issued by the Manitoba department of agriculture, the dairy industry had a very successful year in 1915. There was an increase of over 1,000,000 lbs. of creamery butter produced, as against the previous year, about 260,000 lbs. increase in dairy butter and over 25,000 lbs. increase in the cheese output. The increase of the total value of milk and milk products was over $427,000. The production of dairy butter for Manitoba during the year was 4,150,444 lbs. and it brought an average price of 23c per lb.; of creamery butter 5,839,667 lbs. were produced which commanded 29c per lb. on the average; cheese production was 726,725 lbs. which sold at an average price of 15c—the total value of these three products is given as $2,760,698, in addition to which the milk produced is valued at $925,659 and the cream at $158,827, the average price of the milk being reckoned at 2.1c per lb. and of sweet cream at 32c per lb. butter-fat. In connection with the dairy industry it is interesting to note that almost the most important fodder crop now is corn, of which the 1915 production amounted to 190,132 tons. The biggest cultivated fodder crop is timothy which for last season produced 193,357 tons and the next most popular crop was brome grass with 45,815 tons; of alfalfa and clover there were produced some 38,000 tons. The number of cattle in the province is given as 631,005, which is an increase of 130,000 over the previous year.

The fact that the Red Deer, Alberta, cheese factory is handling four times as much milk this season as last winter shows the growing improvement in the dairy industry. On Feb. 14, it was announced the factory had just shipped two tons of cheese for Calgary market.

Cardston, Alberta, creamery in 1915 paid its patrons a rate of 27½c per lb. for butter fat and had a profit remaining over all expenses of $5,584. The creamery during season distributed among farmers $61,117 and manufactured 256,000 lbs. butter and 13,000 lbs. cheese. Average price realized for butter was 28¼ cents.

The development of the dairy industry of Northern Alberta is well indicated by the growth of a prominent dairy business here, which in 1915 produced 2,525,000 lbs. butter, an increase of 400,000 lbs. over the previous year. This product has found a market in all parts of Canada and this year will enter the export trade. Advertisement.

Somewhat Different.

The circus was in town, and on a prominent corner Bunko Pete was trying to initiate an old farmer into the mysteries of the three-shell game.

"Here, you!" exclaimed a policeman who happened along just then; "don't you know it's against the law to operate a game of chance on the public thoroughfare?"

"Dat's all right, partner," replied Bunko Pete. "Our friend here ain't got no chance."

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It Ought to Make Him.

Mrs. Styles—I understand you have decided to get an automobile?

Mrs. Styles—Yes, that's right.

"I thought you didn't like automobiles?"

"I don't."

"Why, then, are you getting one?"

"Well, you see my husband is such a perfect creature, and an automobile was the only thing I could think of that would make him lose his temper occasionally."

A Subtle System.

"What we want to get," said the editor of the household publication, "is a good series of articles on how to manage a husband."

"What for?"

"In order to buy all the fashionable things we're going to advertise a woman will have to have the husband thoroughly trained."

Regretful Memories.

What has become of the old-fashioned steer that grew the cheaper cuts?

Love and hate have good memories; indifference forgets.

FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Six Carranza soldiers were killed in the Villista attack upon a de facto supply train at Palomas, Chihuahua, according to dispatches received in El Paso.

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It has been announced officially in Mexico City that the differences which have arisen between the United States and Mexico may be considered as satisfactorily settled.

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The Mexico Northwestern train, filled with forage and supplies consigned to Casas Grandes merchants for the use of General Pershing's army, which was held up in Juarez, has been released.

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The military authorities at El Paso, Tex., have learned of negotiations carried on by allied Villa and other Mexican political elements for the turning over of the Carranza garrison at Juarez to Villa.

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A half million dollars for screen wire is reported to have been authorized for General Funston to protect the kitchens and mess rooms in the army along the border from flies and other carriers of disease.

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The tide of travel across the international bridge at Laredo, Tex., again has turned southward and for every American refugee reaching the border from interior Mexico three are entering into Mexico.

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James Linn Rodgers, representative of the American government, informed the Mexican secretary of war at Mexico City that the American expeditionary forces in Mexico would be gradually withdrawn from Mexican territory.

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A declaration that he and all other members of the Carranza government are mutually united with the firm determination of establishing order in Mexico, was made by General Jacinto Trevino, military commander of the northwest.

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Hungry and thirsty soldiers on the Mexican border were remembered by the Woman's Christian Temperance union at their session in Washington. The members voted to send them cases of grape juice and a number of electric fans.

GENERAL.

The new Harahan bridge spanning the Mississippi river at Memphis, Tenn., said to be the largest structure on the river, has been opened to traffic. It cost $5,000,000.

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Frank Gotch, champion wrestler of the world, is out of the game for an indefinite period, having suffered a fractured leg during an exhibition bout at Kenosha, Wis.,

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Settlement of the strike of cloakmakers in New York City, which has been in progress for twelve weeks, probably will be attempted by the federal bureau of conciliation.

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The actual cost of transporting one passenger over Missouri Pacific lines in Nebraska is 2.16 cents, according to testimony offered by that railroad in the 2-cent fare hearing at Omaha.

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Canada's consumption of alcoholic beverages dropped from .872 a gallon per capita to .745 per capita in the fiscal year just ended, according to returns announced by the inland revenue department. The consumption of tobacco also shows a falling off from 3.427 pounds to 3.329 pounds per capita.

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Thirty-two persons lost their lives in the fire at Tatpi forest, which destroyed the chateau of King Constantine of Greece and the crown prince. Twenty-eight of the victims were members of the Royal guards. The king barely escaped with his life, being trapped by the flames and fainted. He was rescued by a soldier.

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A new world's trap shooting record was set at Peru, Ind., by C. A. Young of Springfield, O., at the Hoosier Classic shoot, when he broke 100 consecutive targets at a distance of twenty-three yards.

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Christy Matthewson, who made a reputation as being the premier pitcher of professional baseball during the past sixteen years as a member of the New York Giants, has become manager of the Cincinnati National league club.

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Sir Ernest Shackelton, the British Antarctic explorer who, on returning from the south polar zone last April, left twenty-one of his companions on Elephant Island, has sailed from Punta on a small schooner to rescue them.

Out of the 20,646 trail-hitters at the recent Billy Sunday revival at Kansas City, 5,364 have joined the churches.

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It is said that when all the $400,000,000 gold coin coming from England to the United States has arrived the total of gold coin and bullion in this country will equal the total of any three countries in the world.

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A celebration to be known as the "Golden Wedding" of the first transcontinental railroad and the commemoration of the driving of the golden spike which linked the Union Pacific with the Central Pacific, now known as the Southern Pacific, on May 10, 1969, will be held in Ogden, Utah, in 1919.

WASHINGTON.

The war department has sent orders to all department commanders to delay transportation to the border of national guardsmen now mobilizing until they are thoroughly equipped and organized.

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Secretary Daniels announces that construction of enough high power aircraft guns to supply all active battleships and cruisers of the navy has been completed.

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Adjournment of congress not later than August 20 was tentatively agreed upon by the senate demands in caucus to revise their legislative program with a view to bringing the session to an early close.

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An emergency appropriation of $135,000 was voted by the house for the public health service in its fight against infantile paralysis in New York and to stop its spread to other states.

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Judge John H. Clarke of the United States district court at Cleveland has been nominated by President Wilson for associate justice of the United States supreme court to succeed Associate Justice Charles E. Hughes.

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The 1-cent newspaper will be a thing of the past within a short time, owing to increase cost of paper and the shortage of the product used in paper making, predicts Secretary of Commerce William C. Redfield.

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An informal inquiry has been made by the state department to the British embassy for information concerning the application of Great Britain's "trading with the enemy" act to American business firms and corporations.

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Australia's embargo on wool exports to countries other than the allies will not injure American manufacturers, unless it is extended into September, when the season's principal sales are held, in the opinion of the department of commerce officials.

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President Wilson has signed the rural credits bill passed recently by congress. The measure creates a system of twelve land loan banks under direction of a federal board. The bankers will handle long time mortgages to farmers.

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Senator Poindexter has introduced a bill to make all income tax returns public. He has been assured of support in the finance committee for a proposal to incorporate the idea in the general revenue bill, now before that committee.

WAR NEWS.

The German admiralty announces that on July 11 German submarines sank a British auxiliary cruiser and three patrol boats.

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The entire first class mail of the Danish liners Frederick VIII, for New York, and Oscar II, from New York, was confiscated by the British authorities.

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Half a million shells daily since June 27, or a total of about 10,500,000, have been hurled on the German lines by the British, according to a correspondent of a leading London paper.

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John Redmond, the nationalist leader of the British parliament, declared that the delay in making public the text of the Irish bill and the irritation caused by Lord Lansdowne's recent speech had created a very serious situation in Ireland.

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Every foot of German positions captured by the British on the western front is being drenched with a destructive fire of British high explosives in preparation for a new attack. British military men declare that fighting must go on below as well as above ground. The Germans have catacombed all villages to escape shell fire. At Bazentin-Le-Grand, for instance, the underground caverns sheltered 15,000 men.

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Great Britain has again refused a plea of the American Red Cross for permission to make conditional shipments of Red Cross supplies to Germany and Austria-Hungary.

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German prisoners taken by the British in the Somme region since July 1 total 189 officers and 10,779 men. In addition, seventeen heavy and 133 lighter guns have fallen into British hands during this period, the London war office reports.

TEUTONS UNABLE TO CHECK SLAVS; RETREAT IN EAST

AUSTRIANS ALONG RIVER STRIPA RAPIDLY BEING OUTFLANKED —BAYONET ENCOUNTERS DESPITE FLOODS.

LEMBERG IS MENACED BY RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE

City Is On Direct Line of Advance—Hindenburg's Efforts So Far Are Unsuccessful—British Start Move to Capture German Colony in East Africa.

London, Aug. 8.—General Brussiloff, commander-in-chief of the Russian armies on the east front, is pressing his offensive against the Teutonic allies in northern Galicia, where the passage of the river Sereth was recently forced by the Russians along a wide front south of Brody. Petrograd reports further advances for the Russians with the capture of strongly fortified positions along the Sereth and the Graberka.

The newly gained ground is in the region of Zvyjin, Kostianiec and Renieuv, where the czar's troops scored marked successes. Fierce bayonet encounters are going on in the Sereth river woods under the most difficult weather conditions. A steady downpour has turned the battlefield into a swamp.

Austrians Unsuccessful.

The forward push of the Russians in this sector not only is bringing them closer to Lemberg on the direct line of advance but is pointed out by military critics as likely seriously to endanger the entire Austrian front along the Stripa, to the south, which is rapidly being outflanked.

Meanwhile the Austrians and Germans under the supreme command of Field Marshal von Hindenburg are attempting to resume the initiative from Volhynia to Bukowina, but thus far their efforts have been unable to check the Russian advance.

Attack in East Africa.

General Louis Botha, premier of the union of South Africa has arrived in German East Africa to witness what is believed here to be the last phase of operations against Germany's last remaining colony. General Botha was present at recent fighting north of the German Central railway which resulted in a British occupation of the lines at Kilimatinde and other points.

Meanwhile, with the occupation of Ujiji by the Belgians and of Sadani and other coast ports by the British, the Germans apparently are afforded only the opportunity corner of the colony where the Portguese, in their East African possession, are awaiting them.

U-BOAT REPORTED OFF COAST MAY BE GERMAN

Submarines Bound West Maine Guard Station Captain Says—No American Craft in Vicinity.

Machias Port, Me., Aug. 8.—Captain Small of the Cross island coast guard station has reported his station had sighted a large submarine, accompanied by a smaller subsea craft, bound west. Its nationality could not be determined, but the captain said he had no doubt that it was an undersea craft. The big submarine was coming to the surface when it was sighted, and after running awash 15 minutes again submerged. It was thought the vessel might be the German submarine Bremen. So far as can be learned, there are no United States submarines on the Maine coast.

The lookout who sighted the submarines said he heard several blasts from the signal horn at the lighthouse on Seal Island, a British possession, and that immediately after the whistle sounded the big submarine submerged.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Navy officers said no American submarines were known to be anywhere in the vicinity of Cross island. They thought the boat sighted might be the German merchant submersible Deutschland, on its homeward voyage, or its sister ship ,the Bremen, bound for the United States under convoy.

"RICHEST" TOWN RICHER.

Hibbing, Aug. 8.—Assessment figures given out by John C. Eastman, clerk of the township of Stuntz, give the township of which Hibbing, "the richest town in the world," is the center, a valuation of $121,184,332, the greatest in its history.

Pope Plans Protest to Germany.

Paris, Aug. 8.—The pope, after a careful study of the protest against the deportation of inhabitants of northern France, has decided to make a protest to Germany, according to a news dispatch. The protest was sent to the pope by the bishop of Lille and the archbishop of Rheims. It is stated that the pope will ask Berlin that at least women and young girls be sent back to their homes and that he will publicly express his reprobation of the German military authorities, if his protest is ignored.

A Feminine Egotist.

"I consulted a fortune teller the other day," said the poor but proud young man, "and she told me I was in love with a beautiful heiress, but she would never marry me. It looks like I was up against it!"

"Oh, not necessarily," rejoined the fair maid at the other end of the sofa. "No fortune teller has ever been authorized to speak for me."

When saying "No" it is not necessary to think long before you speak.

Ceramics.

Blink—He thinks ceramics is a foolish hobby.

Blank—Yet I've seen him deep in his cups many and many a time.—Town Topics.

What Her Smile May Mean.

When a girl smiles at you she either thinks you are funny or is looking for a favor.

It's a man's weakness that finally overpowers his strength.

Don't Poison Baby.

FORTY YEARS AGO almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and a FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "*A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death.*" The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician know of what it is composed. CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

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HAD A FEAR OF LIGHTNING

Lifelong Dread Made Woman Unconscious and She Died From Fright.

During a thunderstorm at Newton, N. J., a woman who "through all her life of fifty years had felt a nervous dread of lightning" became unconscious from fright and died.

Cannot the multitudes of otherwise rational people who are obsessed by the same dread take counsel of the fate of this unfortunate and allay their fears? asks the New York World. They suffer an excess of terror in every thunderstorm, and in effect undergo the agony of death many times. Yet there are few other forms of death so painless or remote. In 1912 in the whole country only 243 persons were killed by lightning, of whom but 42 were females. Women, who mainly feel this fear, should be encauraged by their greater immunity.

But, in fact, twice as many people are burned to death in conflagrations in a year as are killed by thunderbolts, and the number of those who die from organic heart disease compared with those who die from lightning is as 354 to 1.

No doubt the superstition that has attached from the earliest times to deaths by lightning has had something to do with the survival of the fear. People who view their inescapable exit from this world with philosophy should be ready to accept a lightning stroke as an end as easy as any other. It is too instantaneous to admit of physical sensation, while the fear-ridden are assured that if the flash is seen the sufferer is safe.

INTERNED MEN MAKE GARDEN

German Sailors Relieve Monotony of Existence by Raising Vegetables.

In order to relieve the monotony of routine work in the tied-up German steamships, officers and men have turned gardeners and truck farmers and have a flourishing garden under cultivation.

The vegetable garden is being cared for by the officers and men of the steamships Amerika and Cincinnati of the Hamburg-American line, while the rose and flower garden is carefully weeded and looked after by the officers and men of the North German Lloyd liners, the Koln, Willehad and Willekind.

Many varieties of flowers, including roses, sunflowers, sweet peasfl geraniums and pansies are in bloom. In the vegetable garden, corn, beans, peas, beets, carrots and lettuce predominate, and the men are looking for warm, sunny days to ripen them.—Boston Post.

Dandelions Will Be Popular.

Dandelions will yet become popular as an article of diet with the people. They have always been so abundant that they have not been appreciated. Now some eastern canning establishments are advertising for dandelions to can. They are about to put on the market, as a staple article of food, to be had at any time of the year. If they are so good for factories to can, they are also good for the home gardener to can. Our schools are now teaching the science of canning, which will be a help in making the dandelion green available. One of the great advantages in favor of this vegetable is that it is extremely hardy. It grows as far north as the shores of the Arctic ocean. Some of the seed houses carry dandelion seed. Anyone, however, can gather his own seed, and it should prove interesting to experiment along the line of raising dandelions from native seed on your rich ground and under garden conditions.

Just Trying to Boss.

"Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "a man gits de notion that he's upliftin' de human race when he's only tryin' to boss it around."

Real Forebodings.

"Do you think it will storm soon?"

"I don't think anything about it. I know it will as soon as I get home."

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RESEARCH WORK IN AMERICA

Future Will Witness Wider Application of Principle Which Has Already Done So Much.

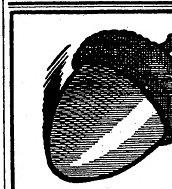
Prophecy is a double-edged tool with a peculiar facility for injuring the user, but the activity of the present leads one to predict that each succeeding year will bring us nearer to the state in which the research work of the country will be national in both scope and effort.

The federal government and the states have done and are conducting research of immense value to agriculture, the foundation of industry; but the future will witness a more general application of this principle—an active national interest in industrial research, and this will serve as a healthy subsidy for American manufacturers.

Research has enabled our industries to make rapid strides. The recognition of this fact has occasioned a recent awakening to an increased sense of appreciation of the need of greater facilities for insuring the scientific development and extension of industry and commerce and of promoting industrial research.

People rarely rush into print "in justice" to a friend unless he needs defense.

The curiosity of others enables some men to make a good thing.



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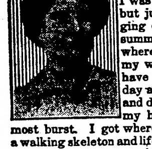

Denison, Texas.—"After my little girl was born two years ago I began suffering with female trouble and could hardly do my work. I was very nervous but just kept dragging on until last summer when I got where I could not do my work." I would have a chill every day and hot flashes and dizzy spells and my head would almost burst. I got where I was almost a walking skeleton and life was a burden to me until one day my husband's stepsister told my husband if he did not do something for me I would not last long and told him to get your medicine. So he got Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me, and after taking the first three doses I began to improve. I continued its use, and I have never had any female trouble since. I feel that I owe my life to you and your remedies. They did for me what doctors could not do and I will always praise it wherever I go."—Mrs. G. O. Lowery, 419 W. Monterey Street, Denison, Texas.

If you are suffering from any form of female ills, get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and commence the treatment without delay.

Ribbon "White Elephant."

Three yards of silk ribbon are the latest contribution to the conscience fund. And thereby a great problem as to how to cover the value into the United States treasury has arisen. The contribtuion seems something of a white elephant, the Washington Star says.

Probably the ribbon will be sold to the highest bidder at public auction and the amount realized covered into the treasury. The value of the ribbon cannot be judged and the prospective amount of the credit to the conscience fund cannot be estimated. The ribbon is about four inches wide, varicolored and of exquisite heavy quality.

The envelope containing the ribbon was postmarked Paterson, N. J. There was no message inclosed, the package being addressed simply to "The Conscience Fund, Washington, D. C." It is presumed that the ribbon itself was smuggled in and is now surrendered.

An Enlister.

"I thought you told me you were on your way to enlist."

"I am," replied Plodding Pete. "I'm tryin' to enlist sympathy for me large an' unsatisfied appetite."

Going It Too Hard

We are inclined nowadays to "go it too hard;" to overwork, worry, eat and drink too much, and to neglect our rest and sleep. This fills the blood with uric acid. The kidneys weaken and then it's a siege of backache, dizzy, nervous spells, rheumatic pains and distressing urinary disorders. Don't wait for worse troubles. Strengthen the kidneys. Use Doan's Kidney Pills.

A Montana Case

James Knowles, 714 Howell St., Missoula, Mont., says: "For many years I suffered from kidney and bladder trouble. I had little control over the kidney secretions and I also suffered from weak back. Sometimes I couldn't stoop at all. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of all these troubles and I have been in good shape since."

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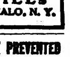

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STATE BREVITIES

St. Paul.—The state tax commission has heard arguments on the question of whether revenue from leased equipment of a railroad represents gross earnings within the meaning of the gross earnings tax law.

St. Paul.—New good roads aid for Minnesota totaling $142,394.06, under the recent Federal appropriation, will be the subject of a special meeting of the state highway commission within a few days, Engineer G. W. Cooley, of the commission announced.

Ely.—According to officials of the Superior national forest service, fire conditions still are serious in this section. Five fires have been put out and one is under control and is being patroled. Three others are being fought with a crew of seventy-five men.

St. Paul.—The State of Minnesota had $5,456,948.52 cash on hand at the close of the fiscal year ending July 31. A report of the condition of the state treasury prepared by State Treasurer Gooding, shows that the state is considerably better off than it was at the close of the fiscal year July 31, 1915.

Austin.—Gold has been discovered in the sands of the Cedar river at this point. Samples sent to assayers were found to run as high as $1,664.80 a ton. With the appearance of the mineral the fever has spread to the surrounding country, and farmers are sending samples for authoritative inspection.

Albert Lea.—In an effort to determine the advisability of continuing the Albert Lea College for Women, a week's campaign was lunched here to procure pledges which will insure an income of $12,500 annually for a period of five years, $2,500 of that amount to be provided yearly by subscribers of this city.

Mankato.—Ernest Kothendeutal, 17 years old, Oliver Owens, 12 years old, and Leo Owens, 8 years old, have been drowned in the Minnesota river seven miles north of here in Nicollet county. The youngest boy stepped into a pitch hole while bathing and was swept off his feet. His companions tried to save him and went off.

Minneiska—Mary Burkhart, 25 years old, is a critical condition at her home, near here, as the result of a peculiar accident. She was working over a wringer on a washing machine, operated by a gasoline engine, when her hair became entangled in the wringer. Before the engine could be stopped, her scalp was torn from her head.

Virginia.—In the case of Louis Novak and Tony Tomisch of Aurora, on trial here on a charge of unlawful assemblage, Assistant County Attorney Funck ordered the arrest of Martin Zupen and John Seber of Aurora, witnesses in the case, when they admitted they had taken part in the trouble near the Hudson mine. The men were given a hearing.

St. Paul.—Creation of a state department of public domain, to place the adminstration of the state mining, timber, investment and land holdings on a solid business basis has been proposed by State Treasurer A. C. Gooding, following the announcement by State Auditor J. A. O. Preus that the next legislature will be asked to provide for an inventory of state property.

Washington, D. C.—"It is a story of public authority prostituted to private interests that is hardly equalled by Colorado," declared a report of the committee on industrial relations, describing the strike of Mesaba range iron workers. Duluth, St. Louis county, and Minnesota state officials were raked severely by George P. West, who wrote the report of the Colorado strike for the United States commission on industrial relations.

Eveleth.—Matt Kovesto, 36 years old, a carpenter, fired three bullets into his wife's head, a fourth through her arm, and then shot himself in the head. Physicians say the woman cannot live and that Kovesto has slight chance for recovery. Kovesto had been working in the hot sun all day and it is believed he had become temporarily unbalanced by the heat. The couple's five children, panic-stricken by the tragedy which they had, witnessed, were given shelter by neighbors.

Hibbing.—Deputy Sheriff Peter Wring, who received a severe gash in the forehead from a rock thrown by a striking miner in a clash between deputies and picketers at Kittsville, is out of the hospital with five stitches in his head. The disturbances that have occurred regularly at Kittsville, Nelson and Leetonia locations were resumed, miners being assailed with rocks and eggs. Deputies say it is impossible to use their riot sticks as mothers unhesitatingly raise their infants as protection for themselves and their men.

Fergus Falls.—Governor Burnquist of Minnesota will address the Otter Tail county fair on September 27, and that day has been set apart as "Governor's Day" by the fair management. An invitation extended to him recently has just been accepted by the Minnesota executive.

Halstad.—Rounding a sharp turn at high speed, six Halstad young people, returning from Galesburg, N. D., were hurled down the side of a steep embankment, their car turning completely over and stopping within a few feet of the Elm river. All were badly bruised.

St. Paul.—Revenue of $837,289.44 from state-owned mines in northern Minnesota for the fiscal year just ended is reported in an official state treasury statement issued. Gain of more than 50 per cent is shown over the previous high record year of 1913 with royalties of $554,702.26.

Changes in Third.

Changes in the non-commissioned officers and in the make up of infantry companies in the Third regiment recently have brought promotion to many men who have made good records since arriving at Llano Grande. Under the new federalized militia act each company is allowed twenty first-class privates, in addition to the lance corporals, corporals and sergeants.

New Adjutant.

Following the recent promotion of Col. F. E. Resche to the brigadier generalship, there was a shift all along the line. Capt. Walter O. Flodin of "C" company, Duluth, is the new regimental adjutant, succeeding Capt. Carl C. Weaver, who was promoted to major of the Second battalion. Capt. R. C. Nelson, also a Duluth man, lieutenant in "C" company when the Third left Duluth and captain of H company since shortly before leaving Fort Snelling, now is back as commander of Capt. Flodin's old company.

Andres is Recruiting Officer.

First Lieut. John H. Andres of the medical corps has been designated as recruiting officer, and will have charge of new men who will be added to the regiment from time to time.

Lieut. William A. Brown has been detailed as post exchange officer, and is in charge of the regimental "store" where enlisted men can purchase tobacco, soft drinks, and even some varieties of candy. Sergt. Harry Nelson of G company, with Private Sam Miller of A company and Private Fred C. James of E company, are storekeepers.

Made Regimental Sergeant.

In C company: Sergt. Ralph R. McIntyre has been promoted to mess sergeant; Private James W. Kidd now is cook; Corporals Richard A. Johnson and Martin Bugle are sergeants; while Privates Edwin F. Postal, Leonard G. Roske, Oliver O. Olson, Benjamin T. Porter, Ira B. McClure, Leslie E. Bowman, Harris D. Panousis and Leo J. Moerke are now corporals.

In the supply company Privates George Doherty, Charles A. Smith and Harry Lawler have been promoted to sergeants.

In M company of Hibbing Quartermaster Sergeant Peter Romansky has been appointed mess sergeant and Private Robert R. Guyette has been appointed cook.

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Says Guards Came for Work.

"We did not come down here to drill, or for pleasure, but for work—and tell your men just what I have said." That was the message of Gen. James Parker, commander of the Brownsville district, when he visited Camp Llano Grande for the first time and talked to the 160 field and staff officers of the Minnesota brigade.

"There is no necessity of going into Mexico today," he said, "but no one can tell but that tomorrow a new government will make an attempt on the present one. Then we will go in, in all probability, and help in the establishment of a stable government."

Long Stay Indicated.

His visit has renewed speculation as to when the Third would be sent home, or when they would go across the line, if the militia is to be sent into the neighboring country.

Preparations here are on such a large scale that everything points to a long stay, in the face of the agitation throughout the states designed to bring matters to a head in the near future.

Large warehouses have been built, and stores supplies of all kinds, including clothing, ammunition and food have been stored ready for use.

Thirty-three large motor trucks recently were added to those stationed at Llano Grande, and a line of them is constantly moving between the camp and nearby towns, carrying supplies.

Athletics Encouraged.

Permanent kitchens, roofed and screened, are being built, and floors will be put in all tents, making them suitable for use in winter as well as summer.

Another issue of clothing, the third since the Duluth men reported at their armory in June, will be made in the near future, requisitions having already gone forward.

Orders from district headquarters at Brownsville have instructed officers to encourage the formation of baseball, polo and athletic teams of various kinds, in the effort to make them as contented as possible with the new life.

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Promotions and Transfers.

Promotions and transfers in the ranks of the Minnesota brigade encamped at Llano Grande, Texas, have been announced by Adjutant General F. B. Wood.

In the Third Minnesota infantry, Captain W. O. Flodin will become adjutant, succeeding C. C. Weaver, promoted to major; Captain R. C. Nelson is transferred from Company H to Company C, and Lieutenant A. N. Nelson succeeds as captain of Company H.

In the Second regiment, Clifford W. Pickle is advanced to second lieutenant of Company M.

Commissions have been signed by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist and forwarded.

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Minneapolis Raises Fund.

Personal solicitation by letter, which was begun by the committee in charge of the Minneapolis fund for the Minnesota state guard at the border, already is bearing fruit in a large number of responses. The letter was written by Mayor Nye as chairman of the committee and was accompanied by a subscription pledge which called for payment in four installments as the money was needed. E. W. Decker reported donations totalling $300. The fund has reached $6,524.42.

STRIKE OF STREET CAR EMPLOYES IN NEW YORK BEGINS

DISORDER INCREASES ALONG LINES OF RAILWAY—PARALYSIS TRAFFIC ON MANHATTAN VIRTUALLY COMPLETE.

THREATENS MOST SERIOUS TIE-UP IN CITY'S HISTORY

Strikers Demand Right to Organize Without Intimidation and Wage Increase From 30 to 33 Cents an Hour—Policemen Detailed to Guard Power Houses.

New York, Aug. 7.—Paralysis of surface car traffic on Manhattan island was virtually complete before dawn today.

Approximately 1,500 employes of the New York Railways company, which operates more cars than any other company in the borough of Manhattan, voted unanimously at 9:30 o'clock p. m. to strike immediately for recognition of their right to organize and to enforce other demands.

The strike vote was taken after the reply of the company to an ultimatum from its employes had been declared unsatisfactory.

Demand Right to Organize.

The report of the negotiations was made by a committee of six which had been appointed to confer with General Manager Frank Hedley. The committee demanded the right to organize without intimidation and a wage increase from 30 cents to 33 cents an hour.

The meeting was marked by enthusiasm and the vote to strike was greeted by cheers, which could be heard for blocks around the assembly hall.

The meeting was attended by a delegation from the Central labor federation, representing 350,000 union men who pledged their moral and financial support to the motormen and conductors in their efforts to unionize.

Police Guard Power Houses.

Prompt action was taken by General Manager Hedley to provide for emergencies. He notified Max Schmittberger, chief inspector of police, that a strike had been called on the lines of the New York Railways company. Inspector Schmittberger at once detailed men to guard the power houses and car barns of the company.

The strike which now threatens to become the most serious of its kind in the history of the city, began in Yonkers, extended from there to the Bronx and then to the lines of the Third Avenue Railroad company. The latter system extends far into Manhattan and the organization of its men was the entering wedge for the union in that borough.

U-BOAT SINKS ITALIAN STEAMER; MANY PERISH

Submarine Shells Five Boats and Kills Occupants, Survivors at Malta Declare.

London, Aug. 5.—The Italian mail steamer Letimbro has been sunk by a submarine and 28 survivors have arrived at Malta, says a Reuter dispatch from that place. Two boat loads with survivors also have arrived at Syracuse. The Letimbro carried a crew of 57 and her passengers numbered 113. It is believed that a large number of them lost their lives. The passengers included women and children.

Survivors report that a submarine fired a warning shot and then gave chase.

"The submarine," adds the dispatch, "continued its bombardment, smashing five boats, the occupants of which perished. Some of the survivors say, that many were killed by shell fire."

WHEAT PRICE IS ADVANCED

September Grain Sells for $1.38¼ in Minneapolis—Rust Feared.

Minneapolis, Aug. 4.—Minneapolis wheat, in a market that fluctuated widely, sold Thursday as high as $1.38¼ for both September and December, and as low as $1.34½ and $1.34⅛ for the two options. The close was at $1.34⅞ for September and $1.34⅝ for December. The Manitoba government statement says southern Manitoba is damaged and the crop will be a 10 bushel average due to the blight and rust. In the north, there will be an average crop, the report says.

Danes Expected to Accept Offer.

Copenhagen, Aug. 4.—It is regarded as probable that the rigsdag will accept the offer of the United States to purchase the Danish West Indies in spite of opposition from several quarters, including the Socialists, who demand that the negroes in the island be given the vote immediately. The offer for the islands is $25,000,000 and the cessation of all American rights in Greenland to Denmark. A condition of the offer is that all existing Danish business interests in the Danish West Indies will be conserved.

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"I do not expect to wait for your chickens to kick themselves out of my garden," replied Gaunt N. Grimm. "The next time I catch them in there I'll grab you by the neck and kick you all over this end of town."

The Backward Lover.

"I'm a-thinking I shall 'list, and go and help fight the enemy, Widow Kelly," said young Regan, who was a bashful suitor for the widow's hand.

"Faith, then, it's a poor soger you'll make."

"What do you mean?"

"Oh, nothin. Only a man who keeps on calling me a widdy for years without pluck enough to spake his mind hasn't the makin' of a soger in him."—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

The good Samaritan didn't wait to be introduced to the man who had fallen among thieves.

There are some men in this world of so little importance that they are not even asked to sign petitions.

Ordering Meals by Telephone.

A cafe in Plainfield, N. J., has installed a unique system for the convenience of its diners. Whether the plan will eventually be welcomed by the dining public has still to be proved, but it has the merits of ingenuity and novelty. Each table in this enterprising cafe is connected directly with the kitchen and the head chef by means of a telephone. The fastidious diner, instead of trusting the fine points of his order to a mere waiter, tells them directly into the ear of the chef. Thus he can have his steak cooked to the exact turn he likes and get exactly the proper number of drops of seasoning in the sauces.

The Vegetarian.

A senior pupil teacher, who was noted for his dilatory habits and slovenly appearance, was one day instructing his class in the art of economy.

"Boys," he said, extending his not over-clean fingers in the direction of the class—"boys, in addition to being a total abstainer and nonsmoker, I am a vegetarian. Now, Johnny Brown, tell me, what is a vegetarian?"

"If you please, sir," answered Johnny Brown, glancing toward the extended fingers, "it must be a man who don't use soap!"—New York Telegraph.

Half the world doesn't stop to consider that it is none of its business how the other half lives.

The fool's money 's the wise man's game.

Three Words
To Your Grocer—
"New Post Toasties"

will bring a package of breakfast flakes with a delicious new corn flavour—flakes that don't mush down when milk or cream is added, nor are they "chaffy" in the package like the ordinary kind.

These New Post Toasties are manufactured by a new process using quick, intense heat which raises tiny bubbles over each flake, the distinguishing characteristic. And the new process also brings out a new corn flavour, never tasted in corn flakes of the past.

Try a handful dry—they're good this way and the test will reveal their superior flavour. But they're usually served with milk or cream.

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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Otto Larson and Emil Simenson went to N. Dak., last week Thursday.

Mrs. Fred Lufkin and children returned Monday to their home in Thief River Falls.

Joe Hesby, N. Nelson, A. and Theo. Stigen, all from Shelly, made H. J. Oien a short but pleasant visit last Friday.

Buy it in Holt, the best little town in northern Minnesota.

Carl Christoferson commenced working on the section Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swartz entertained his daughter from Leonard, over Sunday.

Albert Bennes has improved the interior woodwork of his place with a coat of varnish.

Ole Johnson is the proud owner of a brand new Indian motor-cycle, purchased of the Holt Merc. Co.

Racine Olson and Loyd Adams came up from Leonard, Saturday night, for a short visit at home.

The new M. E. church at Greenbush will be dedicated next Sunday forenoon, by Bishop Mitchell.

The Newfolden Review and Middle River Pioneer have raised their subscription prices to $1.50 a year.

The village of Middle River has granted an electric light franchise to Emil Peterson and S. Loveid, the lights to be in operation by the first of the coming year.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Wednesday

Aug. 16, 1916.

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
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C. Knutson, Holt, Minnesota

Village Notice

Notice is hereby given by the village council of the village of Holt, Marshall County, Minn., that coasting on sidewalks in said village with push-wagons, bicycles or other vehicles is hereby strictly prohibited from and after the publication of this notice in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS.

By order of the village council.
S. S. Kolden, President.
H. B. Young, Clerk.

Village Notice for Bids

For Dynamo and Switchboard

Notice is hereby given that the village council of the village of Holt Marshall County Minnesota will receive sealed bids up to 7:30 P. M. of August 29th 1916 for one 20 K. W. Generator and Switchboard, according to specifications on file with the village clerk.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the village of Holt, Minn., for 5 per cent of the amount of the bid, which will be returned if the bid is not accepted.

The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

S. S. Kolden, President.
H. B. Young, Clerk.

For Electric Line

Notice is hereby given that the village council of the village of Holt Marshall County Minnesota will receive sealed bids up to 7:30 o'clock P. M. of August 29th, 1916 for the erection of a pole line for the transmission of electric current for lighting purposes, according to specifications on file in the office of the village clerk.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the village of Holt, Minn., for 5 per cent of the amount of the bid, which will be returned if bid is not accepted.

The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

S. S. Kolden, President.
H. B. Young, Clerk.

Steiner

G. L. Leisner took a trip to Stephen Minn. the other day.

A large number of people of this community attended the fair at T. R. Falls Thursday

A. Koglin is having a new well drilled. O. Ile is doing the work.

S. R. Rogers has been doing carpenter work for H. Borden the past week.

Louie Meyer called at the Roger home Sunday.

P. B. Malberg did business in Steiner one day last week.

A hard time party was held at John Whittman's place. Various hard time costumes were seen.

Southeast of Holt.

Haying and harvesting is in full blast in this locality.

The Messrs Nels Gudvangen and Alfred Hanson commenced working on the roads in various parts of Agdar township last week.

Olga Klungness returned home on Monday after being employed at the Previc home near Mavie for some time.

Clarenc Larson and Nels Hovde of Golden Valley, passed by here enroute for T. R. Falls on Saturday.

The Misses Alma and Clara Soiney left for Oslo, Minn. on Monday for a weeks visit at the home of their uncle.

Several people went to T. R. Falls last week to attend the Pennington county fair.

Gilbert Michaelson had an auction sale on his farm implements and stock last Monday. He has decided to quit farming but has not as yet planned any work for the future.

Jacob Gabrielson of Golden Valley called around this community the first of the week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Olson a baby girl last week.

Optimistic Thought.
Resolutions taken without thought bring disasters without remedy.

Chas. McLean has purchased C. Knutson's auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretson and children autoed to T. R. Falls, Tuesday.

C. H. Gunheim and S. S. Kolden were business visitors in Thief River Falls, Tuesday.

Miss Myrtle Thomas went to Detroit Tuesday for a few days outing with her mother.

A good rain Saturday night and cooler weather helps to make life seem worth living.

Miss Thompson came from Fargo Tuesday to visit at the home of her aunt Mrs. T. Sollom and family.

Herbert Von Wold and sister Mrs. Wright of Golden Valley were guests at the J. B. Alkenbrack home Thursday.

Loyd Adams has purchased an acre of land, south of the school house, and will build a residence thereon in the near future.

The Holt Merc. Co. have installed a new 300 gallon kerosene storage tank in their basement, with convenient pump and measure on the first floor.

We noticed a can of cream at the depot the other day that was boiling over beautifully after sitting in the broiling sun for an hour or two. We wonder how much would be paid for such cream by the centralizers if there was no creamery in Badger.—Badger Herald-Rustler.

Notice To Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of School District No. 158 of Marshall County Minn., will receive sealed bids, up to 7 o'clock P. M. of August 19th 1916, for building a one room school house in said district, according to plans and specifications on file at Holt State Bank, in the village of Holt, Minn.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

S. G. Svenkeson,
District Clerk.
Holt, Minn.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.
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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.39
Wheat No. 2	1.35
Wheat No. 3	1.29
Wheat No. 4	1.22
Flax	1.96
Oats	.35
Barley	54 to .63
Rye	.93
Flour, Best Patent	4.15

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Carl L. Anderson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

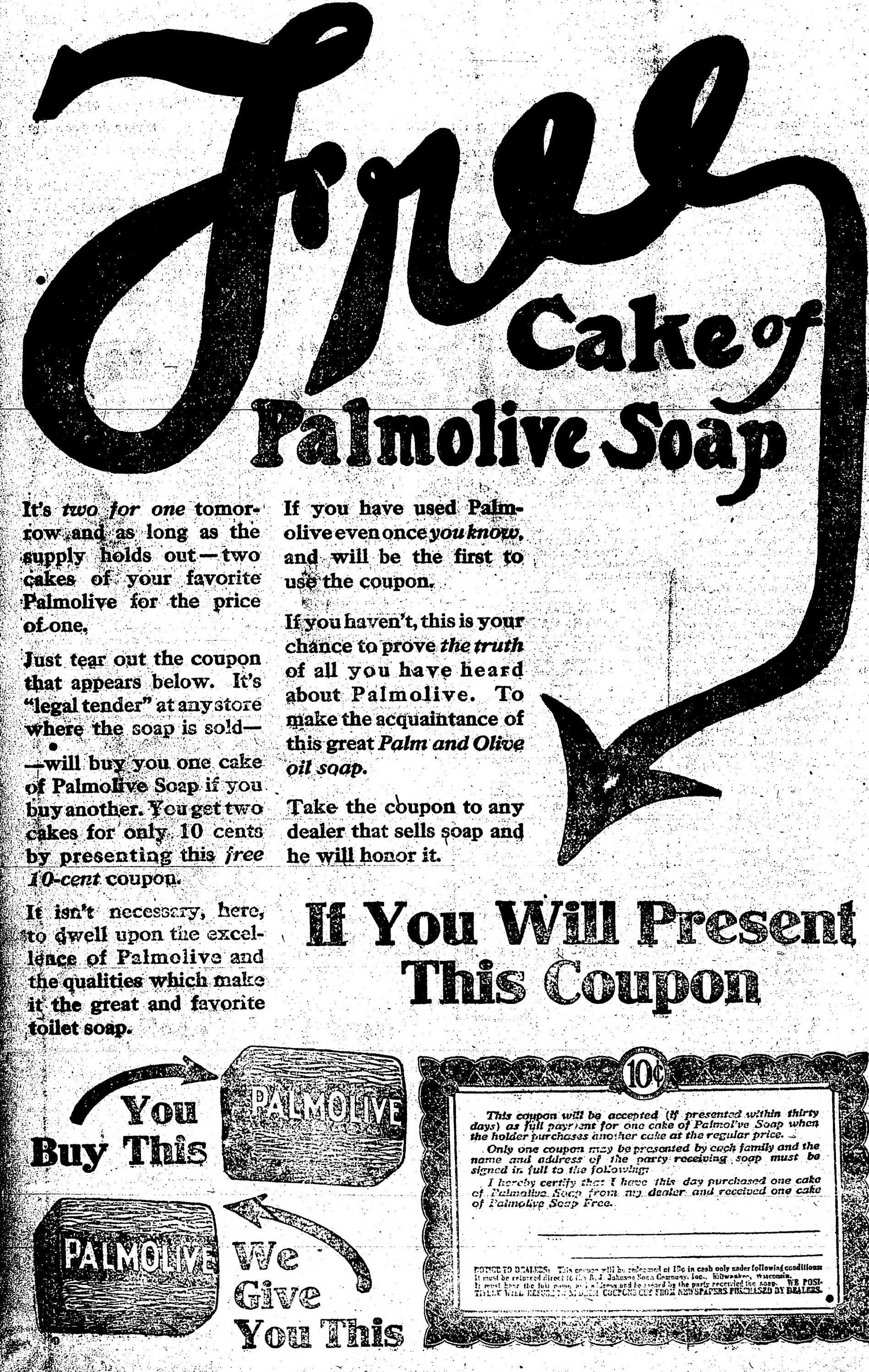
In the matter of the Estate of Carl L. Anderson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Anna Anderson It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 27th day of January 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS as provided by law.

Dated July 20th 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.
(Probate Court Seal)



It's *two for one* tomorrow and as long as the supply holds out—two cakes of your favorite Palmolive for the price of one.

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If you haven't, this is your chance to prove *the truth* of all you have heard about Palmolive. To make the acquaintance of this great *Palm and Olive oil soap.*

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DEPOSITS
A HOME BANK
LOANS

Taking Up The Slack!

A SAVINGS ACCOUNT is a constant urge to lay aside the surplus, to take up the slack.

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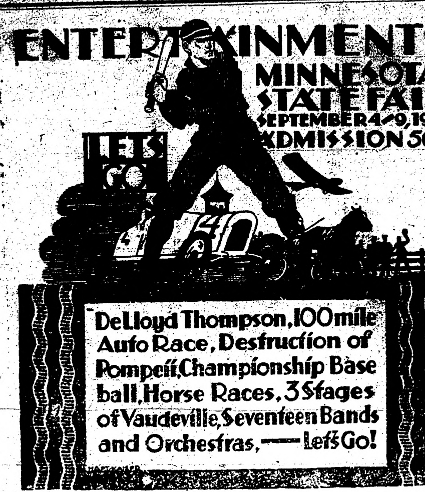
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SEPTEMBER 4-9, 1916
ADMISSION 50¢
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DeLloyd Thompson, 100 mile Auto Race, Destruction of Pompeii, Championship Base ball, Horse Races, 3 Stages of Vaudeville, Seventeen Bands and Orchestras,—Let's Go!

Local Items

Trade in Holt and save money.

Ed. Bjerk went to Middle River, Monday, on business.

S. S. Kolden went to So. St. Paul, Saturday, with a car of cattle.

Olaus Rodahl came up from Leonard Sunday for a short visit at home.

Dr. R. L. Olson and his father attended to business Wednesday in T. R. Falls.

Carl O. Anderson went to Haglund, N. Dak., Monday where he expected to find work.

Mat Larson went to Fargo Saturday to visit relatives for a few days and to continue taking treatments.

Ludwig Monson returned home Wednesday from Silverton where he had been working a few days.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

The contract for running the school bus, on the first route laid out, was awarded to Ole Reierson for $50 per month. The other route will be let later.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hammerstein and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Peterson were all very pleasantly entertained Sunday at the P. A. Riesberg home. The two former named gentlemen are two of the best farmers in the neighborhood of Goodridge and the latter is the blacksmith at Gaske.

Cream Separators

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Mrs. S. H. Nohre is reported as being somewhat better this week.

R. Reierson and son Selmer went to Mud Lake Wednesday to do some plowing on his farm there.

Mrs. Myrem, of Hillsboro, visited her step-daughter, Mrs. John Sorum, a couple of days this week.

The school board have purchased two more buses to be used for hauling the children to and from school.

A card from Dr. Turley informs us that his trunk fell off the auto, while on his return from Grygla, and broke things up so badly that he was unable to be here Wednesday as advertised. Also he informs us he is going to take a six weeks vacation before coming here again.

While visiting the big Minnesota State Fair stop at the New Jewell Hotel, 15 to 19 E. Fifth Street, opposite the City Hall. Street cars to all parts of the city and the Fair Grounds pass the door. Special attention and accommodations made for parties of three or more persons. To reach the Jewell Hotel by street cars from Depot take Hamline Depot car, get off at Fifth and Wabasha Streets.

In Church Circles.

Mrs. Olaf Johnson (Sanberg) will entertain the Synod Ladies Aid on Wednesday Sept. 6. Everyone invited.

Rev. Kilen, of Newfolden, will preach in the Holt Free Mission church at 3 and 8 o'clock P. M. next Sunday August 20th.

Rev. M. E. Ordahl will preach in Holt at 10:45 next Sunday forenoon August 20th, and will hold communion services in East Valley at 7 o'clock the same evening.

It commenced raining about 6:30 Wednesday afternoon and just poured down for about an hour. A heavy wind accompanied the rain which flattened the corn and other garden truck, blew down telephone and telegraph poles crippling the services of both. The railroad windmill was also blown down and a big hole was cut in the water tank. Two big window lights in the front of the Holt Merc. Co's. store were blown in but as they were in the store at the time, things were quickly removed and very little damage was done.

One big light in the front window of the People's Cash Store was also broken but not much damage was done.

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The returns show that Beltrami county voted wet at Mondays election.

A. N. Ness drove up from T. R. Falls Wednesday and visited at the R. Reierson home.

A. Brotten is hauling out lumber for a house which he will build on his farm northwest of town.

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Hans Knutson's sister and her daughter, from the southern part of Iowa, visited at the Knutson home Monday and Tuesday.

Leonard Peterson, the T. R. Falls electrician, was in town Monday to get data for making specifications for an electric pole line for the village.

John Sorum and P. L. Anderson went to Warren Saturday on business. Mr. Sorum has been appointed special assessor for Adjar to make a re assessment for the township and went to the county seat after the assessors books, as noted above.

A jolly company of young people enjoyed a trip to Mud Lake Sunday to pick berries. Those composing the party were: Ed. and Lydia Bjerk, Irene, Evelyn and Raymond Wegge, Lillie, Fred, Tony, Leonard and Herman Peterson and Hilma Nyberg.

Kill the sow thistle. Raise more hay and keep more cattle. Raise less small grain and plant a few acres of corn and potatoes every year, cultivate well and you'll be surprised at the number of weeds that can be killed in one year, and how much better crop can be raised the following year on the cultivated fields. The Crookston Agricultural School send bulletins free that tell how to kill sow thistles.

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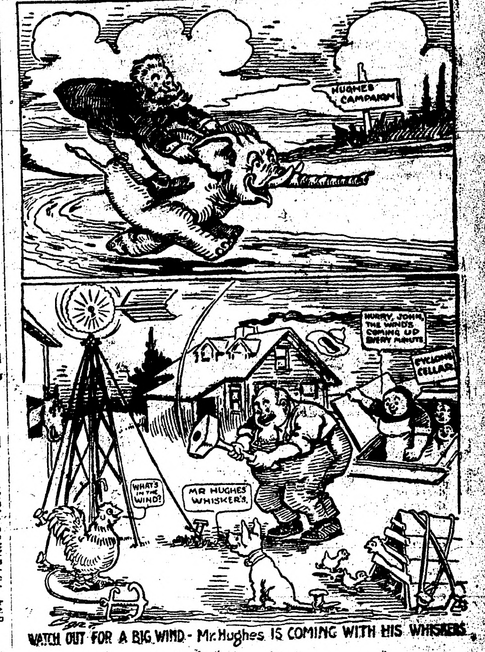

WATCH OUT FOR A BIG WIND - Mr. Hughes IS COMING WITH HIS WHISKERS

The Federal Farm Loan Act

Synopsis of Its Salient Features Prepared by H. M. Hanson, Secretary-Treasurer Farm Mortgage Bankers' Association of America

FEDERAL FARM LOAN ACT

Passed by the House of Representatives and the United States Senate June 27 and 28, 1916, Respectively.

Signed by the President July 17, 1916.

8.—Provides for a federal land bank system in the continental United States (exclusive of Alaska), dividing the country into twelve land bank districts composed of whole states.

3.—The system is operated as a bureau of the United states treasury department and supervised by the federal farm loan board. The secretary of the treasury is ex-officio chairman of the board with four other members appointed by the president for eight years at an annual salary of $10,000. One member is designated farm loan commissioner and is the active executive officer.

3—Appointees of Board: (a) Farm loan registrar for each land bank district and

(b) One or more land appraisers for each land bank district. Salaries paid by federal land bank or joint stock land bank for which they act.

(c) Land bank examiners; salaries paid by the United States.

(d) Attorneys, experts, assistants and other employees to be paid by the United States.

17.—Powers of the Board: (a) To organize and charter federal land banks, joint stock land banks and national farm loan associations.

(b) To review and alter the rate of interest to be charged by federal land banks for loans.

(c) To approve or reject any or all loans for bond issue and to grant or refuse any specific issue of farm loan bonds of federal land banks and joint stock land banks.

(d) To regulate charges for appraisal, examining titles and recording.

(e) To appraise land securing mortgages for bond issue.

(f) To exercise general supervisory authority over the federal land banks, farm loan associations and joint stock land banks.

30.—The farm loan commissioner shall examine the laws of every state and if on examination the laws of any state are shown to afford insufficient protection to holders, its mortgages shall be declared ineligible under this act during the continuance of the laws in question.

32.—The secretary of the treasury is authorized to deposit United States funds in federal land banks at current government rates of interest, the aggregate of such funds not to exceed $6,000,000 at any one time.

FEDERAL FARM LOAN BANKS

ORGANIZATION.

Section 4.—One in each land bank district. Branches permitted within its district. Officers: President, vice president, secretary and treasurer; directors; six representatives of farm loan associations and three representing the public interest. Attorneys, assistants, experts and other employees. All salaries fixed by farm loan board and paid by bank. Subject to semiannual examinations by land bank examiner.

CAPITAL STOCK.

Sec. 5.—$750,000. May be owned by individuals, firms, corporations and the United States and state governments.

Sec. 5.—Shares, $5 each.

Sec. 5.—All stock remaining unsubscribed 30 days after subscription books are opened shall be subscribed by the United States and thereafter only the United States government and borrowers may acquire shares of stock.

Sec. 5.—United States government not to participate in dividends. All other stockholders share dividends equally.

Sec. 5.—The original capital stock shall be gradually retired after the stock held by farm loan associations shall amount to $750,000.

Sec. 5.—Not less than 5 per cent of capital shall be invested in United States government bonds.

POWERS.

Sec. 13.—To buy first farm mortgages within its district and to issue and sell farm loan bonds.

Sec. 13.—To receive from farm loan associations interest and amortization payments on mortgages and farm loan bonds.

Sec. 13.—To acquire and dispose of real and personal property necessary for the convenient transaction of business; and land taken in satisfaction of debts or purchased under judgments, decrees or mortgages held by it. Shall not hold title exceeding five years.

Sec. 13.—To accept deposits of securities or current funds from member associations but pay no interest thereon.

Sec. 13.—To borrow money on security and pay interest thereon.

Sec. 13.—To buy and sell United States bonds.

Sec. 13.—To appraise lands for bond issue and to charge applicants and borrowers the cost of land appraisal, examining titles, recording and other legal fees, said fees to be paid in cash or be made part of loan and paid in amortization payments.

Sec. 14.—To accept mortgages only from farm loan associations and approved agents.

Sec. 14.—To accept deposits of current funds only from its stockholders.

Sec. 6.—To become financial agents of United States government and depository of public money. Public deposits cannot be invested in mortgages or farm loan bonds.

Sec. 13.—To deposit its securities and current funds subject to check with any member bank of the federal reserve system and to receive interest thereon.

BONDS.

Sec. 20.—Issued in series of $50,000 or more, in denominations of $25, $50, $100, $500 and $1,000.

Sec. 20.—May bear a maximum rate of 5 per cent interest per annum.

Sec. 19.—Mortgages and United States government bonds equal in amount to the farm loan bonds issued are retained as collateral security by the land bank registrar.

Sec. 14.—The outstanding farm loan bonds shall not exceed 20 times the capital and surplus.

Sec. 21.—Shall be guaranteed by bank of issue and all other federal land banks.

Sec. 17.—No issue is authorized without the approval of the farm loan board.

Sec. 22.—Substitution of mortgages and United States government bonds held as collateral to farm loan bonds is permitted.

TAXATION.

Sec. 26.—The capital stock, surplus, mortgages and farm loan bonds and all income derived therefrom are exempt from federal, state, municipal and local taxation.

Sec. 26.—Real property taken and held under the provisions of sections 11 and 13 is not tax exempt.

AGENTS.

Sec. 15.—Incorporated banks, trust companies, mortgage companies or chartered savings institutions may act as agents for federal land banks if no farm loan association has been formed in a given locality after one year.

Sec. 15.—Borrowers securing loans through agents are required to subscribe 5 per cent of the loan to the capital of the federal land bank.

Sec. 15.—Agents are entitled to a commission of one-half of 1 per cent per annum on unpaid principal of each loan they negotiate and the bank shall pay agent for actual expenses for appraising land, examining titles, executing and recording the mortgage papers which shall be added to the face of the loan.

Sec. 15.—Agents shall indorse and become liable for the payment of the loans they negotiate and the aggregate unpaid principal of such loans shall not exceed ten times the agent's capital and surplus.

Sec. 15.—Agents are required to make good any default within 30 days after notice.

Sec. 15.—All collections made shall be remitted without charge.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS.

Sec. 22.—Amortization and other payments constitute a trust fund to be invested as follows:

(a) To pay off maturing farm loan bond issues.

(b) To purchase farm loan bonds.

(c) To lend on first farm mortgages within the district.

(d) To buy United States government bonds.

Sec. 23.—Reserve and dividends. No limit is placed on dividend distributions after a reserve account has been built up from earnings equal to 20 per cent of the capital stock and after 5 per cent of the net earnings annually thereafter are added to the reserve account.

Sec. 23.—Reserve funds to be invested as prescribed by the federal farm loan board.

Sec. 27.—Farm loan bonds are lawful investments for fiduciary and trust funds and security for all public deposits.

Sec. 27.—Federal reserve bank may buy and sell farm loan bonds.

Sec. 29.—Provision is made for dissolution and the appointment of a receiver.

Sec. 14.—No commission or charge not specifically authorized in this act shall be demanded or received.

NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATIONS

ORGANIZATION.

Section 7.—Ten farm owners desiring loans aggregating $20,000 or more may form such an association.

Sec. 7.—Its affairs are administered by five directors, including president, vice president and a loan committee of three serving without compensation, and by a secretary treasurer with salary fixed by the farm loan board and paid by the association.

CAPITAL STOCK.

Sec. 8.—Shares, $5 each; (9) carrying double liability; (8) may be owned only by borrowers who are required to subscribe 5 per cent of their loan in the capital stock of the association which in turn subscribes an equal amount of stock in the federal land bank.

Sec. 8.—Shares are paid for in cash or (9) the amount may be added to the face of the loan and retired in amortization payments at par. In such case the face of the loan shall not exceed the 50 per cent and 20 per cent limitation.

Sec. 7.—Assessment on shares may be levied for operating expenses if funds are not otherwise available.

POWERS.

Sec. 10.—To appraise land for mortgage through its loan committee of three.

Sec. 11.—To indorse and become liable for the mortgages of its shareholders.

Sec. 11.—To receive and deliver the proceeds of loans to borrowers.

Sec. 11.—To acquire and dispose of property necessary for the convenient transaction of its business.

Sec. 11.—To issue certificates of deposit for not longer than one year and to pay 4 per cent interest thereon, convertible into farm loan bonds at the federal land bank of its district.

Sec. 7.—To receive and transmit to the federal land bank payments of interest and principal and amortization payments.

LOANS.

Sec. 12.—Loans shall be secured by first mortgages on land within its land bank district.

Section 12.—To run from 5 to 40 years with amortization and with additional optional prepayments after five years.

Sec. 12.—Interest on loans shall not exceed 6 per cent per annum on the unpaid principal.

Sec. 12.—Borrowers shall pay 8 per cent simple interest on defaulted payments.

Sec. 12.—Loans may be made for the following purposes and for no other under penalty:

(a) To purchase land for agricultural purposes.

(b) To purchase equipment, fertilizer and live stock for the operation of the mortgaged farm.

(c) To provide buildings and for the improvement of farm lands.

(d) To pay debts existing at time of organization of the first national farm loan association within the county.

Sec. 12.—Maximum loan $10,000; minimum loan $100.

Sec. 12.—No loan shall exceed 50 per cent of the value of the land mortgaged and 20 per cent of the permanent insured improvements.

Sec. 12.—No loans shall be made to any person who is not at the time or shortly to become engaged in the cultivation of the farm mortgaged.

Note.—All applications for loans originate with the national farm loan associations or agents and all loans are made and closed by the federal land banks. This does not apply to joint stock land banks.

TAXATION.

Sec. 26.—Same as applies to federal land banks.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS.

Sec. 9.—Associations may retain as commission one-eighth of 1 per cent semiannually from interest payments on the unpaid principal of loans.

Sec. 9.—Associations may borrow from federal land banks at 6 per cent annual interest up to one-fourth of its total stockholdings in said bank.

Sec. 24.—Reserves and dividends: No limit is placed on dividend distributions after the reserve account, built up from net earnings equals 20 per cent of the capital stock and after 2 per cent of the net earnings annually thereafter are added to the reserve account.

Sec. 25.—Defaults must be made good within 30 days after notice.

Sec. 29.—Provision is made for dissolution and the appointment of a receiver.

JOINT STOCK LAND BANKS

ORGANIZATION.

Section 16.—A private corporation subject to the requirements under this act which may be formed by ten or more persons with a board of directors of five or more.

Sec. 16.—May operate within the state in which its principal office is located and within some one contiguous state.

Sec. 28.—Subject to semiannual examinations by the federal land bank examiner.

CAPITAL STOCK.

Sec. 16.—$250,000 minimum.

Sec. 16.—Double liability of shareholders.

Sec. 16.—The United States government shall own none of the shares of stock.

Sec. 16.—No farm loan bonds can be issued until the capital stock is fully paid, although the bank may begin business when one-half of the capital is subscribed and paid in cash.

POWERS.

Sec. 16.—To lend money on farm mortgage security.

Sec. 16.—To issue and sell farm loan bonds.

Sec. 16.—To issue farm loan bonds up to 15 times the amount of its capital and surplus.

Sec. 16.—Except as otherwise provided it has the powers of and is subject to the restrictions imposed on federal land banks.

PRIVILEGES.

Sec. 16.—May lend more than $10,000 to any one borrower, but not beyond 50 per cent of the value of the land and 20 per cent of the permanent insured improvements.

Sec. 16.—Loans are not restricted to the purposes prescribed for national farm loan associations.

Sec. 16.—Loans may be made to farm owners regardless of whether engaged in cultivation of the land mortgaged or not.

Sec. 16.—Interest on loans shall not exceed more than 1 per cent, the interest rate established for its last series of bonds, nor more than 6 per cent in any case.

Sec. 16.—Commissions or other charges not specifically authorized by this act shall not be demanded or received.

BONDS.

Sec. 20.—Issued in series of $50,000 or more, in denominations of $25, $50, $100, $500 and $1,000.

Sec. 20.—May bear maximum rate of 5 per cent interest per annum.

Sec. 16.—Bonds shall be so engraved as to be readily distinguishable from federal land bank bonds.

Sec. 19. — Mortgages and United States government bonds equal in amount to the farm loan bonds issued are retained as collateral security by the land bank registrar.

Sec. 17.—No issue is authorized without the approval of the farm loan board.

Sec. 27.—Federal reserve banks are authorized to buy and sell the bonds of joint stock land banks.

Sec. 22.—Substitution of mortgages and United States government bonds held as collateral to farm loan bonds is permitted.

Sec. 27.—Its bonds are lawful investments for fiduciary and trust funds and security for all public deposits.

TAXATION.

Sec. 26.—The capital stock, surplus and earnings are subject to the taxing powers of the state.

Sec. 26.—Its mortgages executed under this act and its farm loan bonds and all income derived therefrom are exempt from federal, state and municipal and local taxation.

Sec. 26.—Real property taken and held under the provisions of sections 11 and 13 is not tax exempt.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS.

Sec. 6.—Joint stock land banks are made public depositories and financial agents of the United States government.

Sec. 6.—Public deposits cannot be invested in farm mortgages or in farm loan bonds.

Sec. 16.—Rates of interest for loans under 6 per cent are not subject to review or alteration by the farm loan board.

Sec. 13.—Shall receive no deposits except public deposits.

Sec. 22.—Amortization and other payments constitute a trust fund to be invested as follows:

(a) To pay off its maturing farm loan bonds.

(b) To purchase farm loan bonds.

(c) To lend on first mortgages within its prescribed field.

(d) To purchase United States government bonds.

Sec. 23.—Reserve and dividends provided for as in the case of federal land banks.

Sec. 29.—Provision is made for dissolution and the appointment of a receiver.

THIS DEALER HAD REAL TACT

Stout and Thin Customers Use Special Mirrors in Wearing Apparel Establishment.

A dealer in wearing apparel, noticing that his stout customers and his very thin customers often were sensitive as to their figures, installed two full length mirrors of special design, says Popular Mechanics magazine. One was slightly concave and the other slightly convex. When a stout customer tried on a suit she was led to the concave mirror for self-inspection, and was able to see her figure as it would appear with its measurements reduced. When a thin person came in to try on clothes she was taken to the convex mirror, where the opposite effect was produced.

Only Moistened His Lips.

Omer Scudder, a Columbus real estate and insurance agent, told some of the other business men who have offices in the Bassett building that he was hot. They agreed that they were just as hot as he was.

"I can eat all the ice cream you fellows are willing to buy," Scudder declared.

The others made up 60 cents and sent out for a half gallon of cream. They had a notion that Scudder would eat about a quart after which they would divide the remaining quart among themselves. Scudder surrounded the entire half gallon of ice cream, smacked his lips and asked them whether they were not going to get him enough ice cream for a real taste. The business men looked at each other, smiled sickly and returned to their places of business. — Indianapolis News.

The Three Philosophers.

For the first time in their lives three genuine, simon-pure philosophers went out riding in a motor car. After they had ridden about twenty miles out in the country the car broke down. Said the first philosopher: "I have long wanted to study certain aspects of nature, and this affords me the particular prospect I most admire." Said the second philosopher: "I observe there is a farmhouse over there where food can doubtless be obtained in sufficient quantities." Said the third philosopher: "I have long wanted to be in a situation where, without moving, sustenance would be brought to me by one friend, while the other discoursed on the beauties of nature."—Life.

PRESIDENT TAKES STEP TO PREVENT RAILROAD STRIKE

NEGOTIATIONS ENTIRELY IN WILSON'S HANDS SPOKESMAN FOR EMPLOYES SAYS FOLLOWING CONFERENCE AT CAPITOL.

NEW HOPE OF AVERTING GENERAL TIE-UP IS SEEN

Brotherhood Leaders Smiling Broadly at End of Parley—Were to See President Again After His Talk With Railway Managers. —Proposals Made.

Washington, Aug. 15.—The first step in the effort of President Wilson to prevent the threatened tieup of the country's railroads by strike ended at noon when representatives for the employes left the White House smiling broadly. They had been in conference wtih the President an hour and a half.

In President's Lands.

"The negotiations are entirely in the President's hands," said A. B. Garretson, spokesman for the employes. He refused to discuss the situation beyond that. Warren S. Stone, representative of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, said:

"I am optimistic."

W. G. Lee of the Order of Railway Trainmen added:

"It looks very good.'

To See Wilson Again.

The employes were to see the President again, following his talk with representatives of the railway managers, which was scheduled for 3 p. m. The President spent part of the intervening time going over the stenographic report of the morning session in order to formulate proposals to make to the managers.

An apparently well authenticated report that preceded the conclusion of the morning conference was to the effect that the employes would agree to arbitration of the case provided the railroads agreed to withdraw their counter proposals and that the railroad managers had so agreed. Following the conference none of the employes' representatives would confirm this report.

No Signs of Discouragement.

These counter proposals were that any discussion should include, besides a wage readjustment, a readjustment of rules and regulations on which present wages are based. The railroad managers contend it is essential that the whole matter be taken up, since it obviously would be unfair to have the old rules and regulations govern the proposed new wage basis.

Several of the representatives, as they left the executive mansion, waved their hats to the newspaper men, 50 of them, waiting outside. There was no indication that the men felt discouraged as a result of their conference.

Garretson's face was flushed and he mopped it with his handkerchief, but he was smiling. Immediately after the men left Judge Chambers returned to the White House for another conference.

CHICAGO WOMEN OPEN CAMP

Begin Month of Work in Service Station at Lake Geneva.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Up to Lake Geneva, where in other years they have spent hot weeks of August picnicking and motoring, several hundred women, recruited from Chicago's elite, started today to learn to do things for their country.

The women are enrolled in the national service station, which is being conducted under the auspices of the Navy league. Their tents are pitched on the campus of Northwestern Military academy, and for one month they will live the life of soldiers—eat, sleep, drill, work.

Tugs Search in Fog For Ship.

San Francisco, Aug. 15.—Groping blindly in the fog off the Golden Gate, the tugs Reliance Queen and Searover searched for the three masted bark Callao, whose captain wirelessed during the night that his crew had mutinied and asked for aid. Aside from three brief radiograms no word came out of the fog to solve the mystery surrounding the ship.

Two Women Hurt in Auto Crash.

Minneapolis, Aug. 15.—Mrs. O. M. Cutler, wife of Captain Cutler of the First Minnesota infantry, and her guest, Miss Evelyn Laughlin, Seattle, suffered possible fatal injuries when the Cadillac car driven by Mrs. Cutler's uncle, Louis LaClair, Glenwood City, Wis., was smashed by a high-powered automobile on East Seventh street, St. Paul.

Oppose Liquor Sales by Grocers.

London, Aug. 15.—The committee appointed some time ago to advise the government in regard to proposals for purchase by the state of the licensed liquor trade of Scotland has recommended that trade in liquor by licensed grocers should be abolished and that hotels and inns which depend mainly on this traffic should be taken over by the state. It is suggested that the price paid for hotels and inns should be estimated on the basis of their annual profits over a fixed number of years.

MEDIATION FAILS IN RAIL DISPUTE, IS KNAPP'S WORD

FEDERAL CHAIRMAN DECLARES SETTLEMENT BY THIS PLAN IS IMPOSSIBLE AND SUGGESTS ARBITRATION.

CONFERENCE ASKED BY WILSON BEFORE STRIKE

President Tells Mediators That Walkout Must Be Avoided and if Deadlock Is Reached He Would Like to Talk to Representatives of Both Sides.

Washington, Aug. 14.—The president was in communication with the Federal mediators by telephone and asked that he be informed if a strike became imminent. The president informed the mediators that a strike must be avoided and that if a deadlock were reached he would like an opportunity to talk to the representatives of the railroad managers and employees.

No Decisions as to Arbitration.

New Work, Aug. 14.—No decision was reached Saturday by the representatives of the brotherhoods of railway employees on the question of accepting a proposal of arbitration. They will give their answer to the United States board of mediation and conciliation shortly.

Judge Makes Announcement.

New York, Aug. 14.—Mediation has failed in the controversy between the 400,000 railroad employees and the managers of the 225 railroads affected.

This was the formal announcement made by Judge Martin Knapp of the United States board of mediation and conciliation in a communication to the trainmen.

Judge Knapp's communication read: "In our judgment, after two days of consideration of difficulties between the railroad managers and the employees, there is no prospect of settlement by mediation and therefore we suggest arbitration."

Arbitration Not Likely.

Immediately they were handed Judge Knapp's communication, the executive board of the brotherhoods, who have been empowered by a 94 per cent vote to call a strike if in their opinion such action is essential to success of their fight for an eight-hour day and time and a half for overtime, went into executive session to consider the suggestion.

From statements made a short time before, the board declared unanimously and unequivocally that they would never consent to arbitration.

A delegate emerging later from the hall said unofficially that the men had voted to reject the proposal for arbitration and to lay their case before the president.

HUGHES CONTINUES HIS ATTACKS ON DEMOCRATS

Charges McAdoo Replaced Henry N. Clapp With Tammany Leader as New York Appraiser.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 14.—Charles E. Hughes, continuing his attacks on the administration for its appointments, charged Secretary W. G. McAdoo, "upon reliable information," with having replaced Henry N. Clapp, formerly confidential secretary to John G. Carlisle, with Daniel E. Finn, son of "Battery Dan" Finn, a Tammany leader, as assistant appraiser of merchandise at New York. Some months after Clapp was "put out of the service," Mr. Hughes said, "through fear of criticism on the part of the department he was made an examiner in the customs service, a much lower position than that held before and at a much lower compensation."

GERMAN AIRMEN RAID DOVER

Drop Bombs on English Coast Town—Damage Slight.

London, Aug. 14.—Two German aeroplanes dropped four bombs on the English coast of Dover at 12:25 p. m. General French, commanding the home forces, reported that no material damage was done. Anti-aircraft guns came into action aeroplanes went in pursuit of the raiders who made off seawards. The casualties were one officer and six men slightly injured.

Woman Candidate Defeated.

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 14.—Complete official returns show that Dr. Eva Harding, democrat, first woman to seek a congressional nomination on a major party ticket, has lost to Rev. H. J. Corwine by a majority of 337.

Ten Dead in Trolley Clash.

Johnstown, Pa., Aug. 14.—From 10 to 15 persons were killed and about 40 others more or less injured at Echo, in a street car wreck.

The accident occurred on the Southern Cambria Electric railroad, which connects Johnstown and Edensburg. One car had just turned a sharp curve when it was telescoped by another dashing down a steep hill.

The motorman had lost control, and the car, running through a switch, had continued at high speed, crashing into the car from Johnstown.

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He Won't Vote.

"I don't like the looks of those Republican nominees," said the barber as he gazed at their bewhiskered portraits.

"But," remarked the man in the chair, "how do you know but what the Democratic nominees use safety razors?"

Cockroach a Troubler.

Recently while inspecting a large plant attention was called to a peculiar incident. On a branch circuit there was some peculiar trouble. Fuses would blow out at various intervals running from one-half to twenty-four hours, sais the Popular Science Monthly. At first no attention was paid, but when the ground detector started to show signs of trouble, first on one side and then on the other, investigation was made. Covers were removed from the outlet boxes and from one box a shower of live and dead cockroaches fell on the head of the examiner. On looking into the box, it was found that the insulation around the joints and especially at the points had been entirely eaten away, the vibration doing the rest toward creating the trouble.

Making More Wood Flour.

One of the new industries increased by the European war is the manufacture of wood flour in the United States. Last month over 20,000 tons valued at $300,000 was manufactured chiefly in small mills which are scattered over the country from Maine to California. The flour is used in the manufacture of linoleum as a substitute for the cork imported from Spain before the war, and also enters largely into the composition of some of the heavier and handsomer wall papers. Wood flour is made from sawdust and other waste lumber which until a few years ago was burned at most American sawmills.

Sleepy Philadelphia.

Church—I see that Philadelphia produces yearly about 50,000,000 yards of carpets.

Gotham—And there's even a nap to them.

Harking Back.

"Lemuel Wombat has bought a fine buggy."

"Must be going to court old-fashioned girl."

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Many are not aware of the ill effects of coffee drinking until a bilious attack, frequent headaches, nervousness, or some other ailment starts them thinking.

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State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Moorhead. — Clay county's potato crop is not up to standard this year, according to A. W. Aumodt of the University of Minnesota extension department.

St. Cloud. — L. M. Foster, agent for a liability company, has been cited by Judge J. A. Roeser of Stearns county for contempt, for failing to carry out the Court's instructions in a compensation case.

St. Cloud. — Harvey Grimmer, newspaper man, has been named chairman of the Democratic congressional committee of the Sixth district by W. F. Donahue of Melrose, party nominee for Congress.

Glyndon. — John Zeigler, escaped inmate of the asylum for the insane at Fergus Falls, and charged with the theft of four horses at Dilworth, Minn., was arrested here. Zeigler was working for a farmer.

Duluth. — Reported to be the only case of its kind successfully treated here is that of J. R. Johnson of Colbyville, Minn., who suffered a broken neck and who was discharged from a hospital as practically cured.

Duluth. — Men who clothe the state of Minnesota, members of the Minnesota Retail Clothiers' association, held their seventh annual convention here. One hundred delegates were in attendance. The first day was devoted to speeches and talks on trade matters. A complimentary dinner was served the delegates by Duluth merchants.

Detroit.—J. J. Farrell, state dairy commissioner, was unanimously elected president of the American Association of Dairy, Food and Drug Officials at the association's convention in Detroit. Mr. Farrell succeeds W. B. Barney, food and dairy commissioner of Iowa, who was elected president at the San Francisco convention in 1915.

Duluth. — With the election of G. H. Dickman of Plainview, Minn., as president, the Minnesota Retail Clothiers' association completed its seventh annual convention. Other officers elected: J. Anderson of Canby, first vice president; J. H. Shock of Red Wing, second vice president; George M. Peterson of Duluth, secretary. The convention indorsed proposals for 1-cent letter postage.

Winona. — Puzzled for three weeks by mysterious fires, officials of the North-Western railway in Winona, believe they have solved the situation by the arrest of Warren B. Hanscom, 19-year-old son of a minister of a leading church of Tracy, Minn. He is charged with setting at least five fires. The authorities say he has confessed. At a preliminary hearing the young man was held on $500 bail.

Austin. — Austin's streets may be graded with gold—at least to a limited extent. A. G. Runyan washed out $1.98 worth of gold from thirty pans of sand from the same source as that used on local streets. All along the Cedar river, where indications of gold have been found, eager farmers have turned prospectors and are "panning" the sand. Traces of gold in Austin were found for the first time two weeks ago.

Duluth. — Five Minnesota attorneys will be stripped of their right to practice law in this state if recommendations adopted by the Minnesota State Bar association, in annual session here, are carried out by the state board of law examiners. The names of the five are withheld. In its report the committee on ethics expressed itself as being desirous of riding the profession of lawyers whose conduct violates their oaths.

St. Paul. — More than $1,000,000 in state aid to high and graded schools, including aid for special departments in such schools, was voted by the state high school board in annual meeting in the capitol for the year ended July 31 last. Of the total $1,191,684, an aggregate of $914,674 went to the 230 high schools and $277,010 went to the 241 graded schools. Nine graded schools were advanced to the high school list. Three of them are the consolidated schools at Carlton, Cleveland and Glyndon. The others are the schools at Crosby-Ironton, Hayfield, Morristown, Mountain Iron, Nashwauk-Keewatin and Roseau.

St. Paul. — Headquarters will be opened by the Republican state central committee September 15 in the new St. Francis hotel, Seventh and Wabasha streets.

The opening will mark the beginning of the fall campaign by Republicans in Minnesota.

These plans were adopted at a meeting of the state central committee in the office of Secretary of State Julius A. Schmahl at the Capitol.

It was decided that to avoid any factional trouble, each county will be asked to organize its own county committee. Call for a big Republican organization day in Minnesota, on which mass meetings will be held in every county, will be sent out probably next week.

St. Paul. — A basis of settlement of more than 1,000 suits involving titles to land on the White Earth Indian reservation in Minnesota has been agreed upon between R. J. Powell, representing virtually all of the defendants, and Francis J. Kearful, special United States attorney assigned to carry on the Indian prosecutions, according to an announcement by the attorneys. The settlement, which will be consummated, according to the two attorneys, within the next two months, will clear the title to millions of dollars worth of valuable land on the White Earth reservation.

Best Drilled Battalion.

"The best drilled battalion I have seen in the division," this was the comment of Major L. M. Nuttman, senior inspector-instructor of this division after inspecting the Second battalion of the First regiment. Major Nuttman, accompanied by Colonel Luce, and Major E. J. Andrews inspected the equipment, tents and kitchens of Companies E, F, G and H, and then took the men out on the regimental parade for a brief drill, the companies were put through extended order formations and company movements and executed the commands with precision.

Assemble in Four Minutes.

As a measure of preparedness and discipline the First regiment was treated to a surprise shortly after noon mess, when "To arms" was sounded. Four minutes after the bugles sounded the call the regiment was arrayed and battalions were in the positions assigned to them in case of a night attack. Each man carried his rifle, and a bundle containing 60 rounds of ammunition.

Major Higbee's battalion took up a position along the road west of camp, which commanded all approaches from the brush in that direction, while Major C. T. Smith's battalion deployed south towards the corral. Major Andrew's battalion was held in reserve. The band reported at the hospital tent to act as stretcher bearers.

Clothes Don't Count.

Taken by surprise, the men reported in all stages of undress, one man wearing only a cartridge belt. Soldiers ran from the shower baths, dropped crap games, and left their blankets to report in their company street.

One man, who was caught in the act of shaving, and reported with his face covered with lather, was the butt of many jokes before the men were dismissed. In case "To arms" is sounded the men are required to report with their rifles and ammunition without regard to the clothing worn.

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Johnson Ordered to Border.

After an absence from regular service for four years, Lieutenant Colonel Arthur Johnson, U. S. A., chief mustering officer at Fort Snelling, has gone to Brownsville, Texas, to join the Thirty-sixth infantry, one of the new regular army regiments provided for by an act of congress on June 3, 1916. Captain George R. Green, U. S. A., will succeed Colonel Johnson as commander at the fort and will superintend the equipment and departure of the First battalion First field artillery.

Colonel Johnson received the order "to move" from the war department at Washington. He wired Major General Thomas H. Barry departmental commander at Chicago, that he was to leave and that he would leave Captain Green in command.

Eligible for Commissions.

Colonel Johnson has served with the Twenty-second the Nineteenth, the Seventeenth, the Thirteenth and the Eleventh regiments.

A telegram from General Barry said that all university students who had at one time attended a cadet camp were eligible for examination for commissions in the regular army. Applications can be made to the adjutant general's office of the war department at once, Colonel Johnson stated, and the examinations for Twin City and Minnesota applicants will probably be held at Fort Snelling.

Invoices on a part of the equipment requisitioned from St. Louis were received. This means that at least some of the supplies are on their way. As soon as they are all here and the men are fully equipped, the departmental headquarters at Chicago will be notified that the unit is ready to leave for border service.

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Two Officers Dismissed.

Two militia officers who were inspectors of small arms at Llano Grande with the Minnesota National guard, have just reached St. Paul with the statement that they were peremptorily discharged because the government had made no provision for such inspection. The men are Capt. F. E. Krembs, St. Paul, and Maj. C. E. Lee of Stillwater. The men were appointed to the inspection after having worked their way up from the ranks. "As I understand the conditions," said Captain Krembs, "it will be necessary for me to enlist as a private in order again to become identified with the guard. I had difficulty in returning to St. Paul because of the suddenness of my dismissal. I was without funds for berth accommodations."

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Town Hard on Nerves.

Mercedes is no place for a nervous person. The oldest inhabitant is apt to frighten the timid visitor by his recital of raids, and later when the timid visitor discovers the electric light dimming and hears shots he is justified in hiding. The next morning he learns that there was a fire in town and that the shots were fired to alarm the villagers.

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Stop Shooting in Brush.

General E. H. Lewis, camp commander, has issued orders to all regimental commanders to take steps to stop promiscuous shooting in the vicinity of the camp. There has been complaint about men shooting in brush south of First Minnesota camp.

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To Safeguard State Loans.

The state investment board considered "the need of throwing reasonable safeguards around $25,000,000 of trust funds," which the state now has out on loans, principally to schools and municipalities. Payments were ordered on applications for new loans aggregating $725,000. Discussion of the need of greater safeguards was precipitated by a communication from Examiner Fritz, criticizing conditions revealed following the sentencing of former Treasurer Walter J. Smith and R. C. Pickit.

PORT OF MISSING WHEELS

Writer Throws Some New Light on the Eventual Fate of Bicycles.

Perhaps you have wondered what has become of all the old bicycles. Not so long ago everybody had one—father, mother, children and aunts from the country. And then, in the night, motor cars got cheaper and all the bicycles disappeared. Like the Palm Beach suits they are all here in Florida. There are bicycles everywhere, on the flat, hard, beautiful roads, on the curbstones, leaning against the piazzas, in the streets. If the motor car has swept them from the northern streets, it has not done that here. Men, women and children on bicycles whirl about the streets, tingling their little bells and the motor-car drivers look out for them. Just beyond the veranda at Palm Beach were hundreds of bicycles waiting to be hired. Out on the shaded roads were other hundreds bearing their gayly attired burdens.

In the lobby, where I was making my way to the desk, were dozens of women dressed for wheeling.—Margaret Tuttle, in Saturday Evening Post.

Saved an Empress.

With the filing of the will of Mrs. Sarah Gray Crane in the Surrogate's court a trust fund of $75,000 became available for the trustees of Amherst college. Dr. Edward A. Crane, her husband, had left the bulk of his estate in trust for the benefit of his widow. After her death it was to go to Amherst. How Doctor Crane saved the life of Empress Eugenie from a Paris mob of September 4, 1870, was told in the will. He planned the secret flight of the empress from Paris to Deauville when the republic was proclaimed after the news of the Sedan surrender. He arranged passage on Lord Burgoyne's yacht and took her to England. The empress rewarded Doctor Crane with a handsome pearl.—New York Times.

Aerial Insurance.

A German insurance company has organized a department of aerial insurance. The company is issuing policies covering damage to all property, real or movable, caused by explosive bodies or other objects thrown or falling from flying machines or caused by airships or aeroplanes themselves in making voluntary or involuntary landings, or parts thereof falling from them. The policies, however, make no provision for injury to or loss of life. It is said that numerous air raids over German cities and towns near the battle fronts, particularly in the West, have caused a demand for such policies.

Yale to Admit Women.

Women have beaten their way into old Yale. The school of medicine at that university has guardedly, cautiously let down the sex bars and will admit a limited number of girl students. They must, however bring testimony that they have "an equipment which will insure continuance of the high standard of the institution," says the New York Sun.

Already Provided.

The minister was shaking hands with a new member of his congregation, a girl fresh from Sweden, and said, cordially, "I would like to know your address, so I can call on you."

"Oh," said the girl innocently, "I haf a man."

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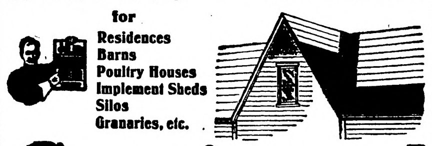

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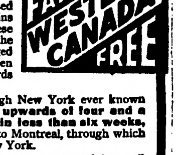
The Wheat Yield
Tells the Story
of Western Canada's Rapid Progress



The heavy crops in Western Canada have caused new records to be made in the handling of grains by railroads. For, while the movement of these heavy shipments has been wonderfully rapid, the resources of the different roads, despite enlarged equipments and increased facilities, have been strained as never before, and previous records have thus been broken in all directions.

The largest Canadian wheat shipments through New York ever known are reported for the period up to October 15th, **upwards of four and a quarter million bushels being exported in less than six weeks,** and this was but the overflow of shipments to Montreal, through which point shipments were much larger than to New York.

Yields as high as 60 bushels of wheat per acre are reported from all parts of the country; while yields of 45 bushels per acre are common.

Thousands of American farmers have taken part in this wonderful production. Land prices are still low and free homestead lands are easily secured in good localities, convenient to churches, schools, markets, railways, etc.

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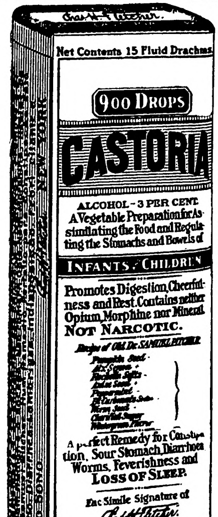
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The railroad strike will probably be settled by President Wilson.

Att'y Quale, of T. R. Falls, was a business visitor in town one day last week.

Twenty nine school houses were burned in this state last year, several owing to carelessness of not cleaning the chimneys etc.

F. W. Tabor and Chas. Mclean commenced drilling the village well Tuesday. They went down about 70 feet and are now waiting for casing.

C. L. Heinze was awarded something over $20.00 in first and second premiums for grains, grasses and vegetables at the Pennington Co. Fair.

Messrs. E. M. Wilson, John Huberg and John Lokstad, members of the Newfolden school board were here Monday to look at our school bus and pick up information that would be of help to them. We understand they expect to run three busses there this year.

The dairy cow requires an ounce or more of salt a day, and while she should be given all she needs, she should not be forced to take more than she wants. It is best, therefore, to give only a small quantity on the feed, and to place rock salt in boxes in the yard.—Farmers' Bulletin 743.

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Holt Must Vote Again.

Last week the village council employed an attorney to assist them in getting a bond issue thru, and he advises, as the first election was to issue bonds to the state of Minnesota that another election must be held to vote on bonds.

The council met Wednesday evening and passed resolutions to issue bonds and to call a special election, and notice of such election will be published next week.

Note: The state refused to make $6000.00 loan because it was more than they loan on what our assessed valuation is, as they don't allow for personal property assessments.

C. W. Christianson and Christ Knutson were Mud Lake visitors Sunday.

Early fall plowing will kill lots of weeds that every farmer wants to get rid of.

George and Frank Anderson have gone to Climax where they expect to work for some time.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Olaf Sandberg Wednesday Sept. 6th. All are welcome.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson and three children returned Wednesday from a couple of weeks visit with relatives at Strandquist.

Hjalmer Dovre and family, Misses Selma Dovre and Emma Kuehne and Hjalmer Peterson were Mud Lake visitors Sunday.

While Hilmer Davidson was working on the well at Lars Chevil's the rope broke and let the drill down about 90 feet. He was unable to grip the rope with his tools and had to dig down about 20 feet, thus losing about a weeks time and doing lots of hard work. We understand he has now drilled down to about 115 feet without striking a sufficient flow of water.

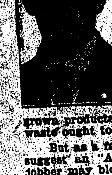
Work is progressing nicely on the building for the oil station here. When the tanks are ready, both kerosene and gasoline will be shipped here, in big car tanks, direct from the refineries in Indiana and supplied to the consumer at a saving of one and three-tenths cents per gallon. We are informed that gasoline dropped a cent a gallon Wednesday. It ought to come down about five to ten cents more.

FOR SALE: Heavy work team, wt. about 3000 lbs. Sound in every way, for sale cheap if taken at once.
C. Knutson, Holt, Minnesota

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Peter Radford

ON ADVERTISE IT IN AMERICA.



As a citizen of this nation and one intensely interested in its material development, I want to add my approval to the "Buy It in America" movement. Commercial patriotism and business pride are the foundation stones of success in industry and no country can become supreme in commerce and trade unless it fosters a spirit of friendship and partiality for its own products and institutions. It is the spirit of the hive that makes the wheels of industry turn and each community should be a progressive unit in our industrial universe. All things being equal the farmer should patronize the local merchant, who is always a good citizen, a heavy taxpayer and friend of the farmer. The farmer sends shiploads of raw material to foreign markets and factories that meet on their way vessels laden with finished and foreign grown products coming to America. Any effort to minimize this economic waste ought to be encouraged.

But as a farmer and friend of the manufacturer and merchant I want to suggest an "Advertise It in America" movement. The manufacturer and jobber may blow loud blasts on the horn of patriotism but if they will put an "ad" in the newspapers in their trade territory, making a business presentation of their goods, they will find it far more effective than waving the Star-Spangled Banner. The farmer is as much interested in the price of the things he has to buy as in the price of the things he has for sale and the advertising columns of his newspaper are his price list. The price is the thing and the farmer wants the figures in cold type. The politicians give him all the patriotic buncombe he cares for. Business enterprise is a far more successful salesman than business patriotism.

There are many most worthy organizations working to promote commerce and trade but we seldom find organized effort to promote the press, yet it is recognized as the most powerful agency for progress the world has ever produced. We have all sorts of days calculated to promote business and honor industry such as Trades Days, Bargain Days, Labor Days, etc.; why not have a press day and all business concerns advertise the things they have to sell and everybody subscribe for the local paper and all delinquents pay a year in advance? There is nothing so elevating in civilization as the smile of an editor and nothing will contribute more toward the welfare of a community than the prosperity of the press.

The farmer is a friend and patron of the newspapers. He subscribes for the local paper and reads every line in it and it is the best investment he can make. There is no news so valuable as store news; no information so interesting as market demands; no tragedy so entertaining as the rise and fall of prices and no page more closely studied by the farmers than the advertising columns of the press.

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Vote for the bond issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Gudvangen's baby has been numbered with the sick the past week.

Sugar went down 25c a cwt. Monday, but is still sky high. Wheat went up 11c last week and then down 5c. Barley and rye are reaching the sky.

About 100 auto loads from Thief River Falls, are expecting to make a trip to Warroad Saturday A M if it don't rain. They should reach this place about 9:20 and our people should be ready to welcome them if they stop here.

For Sale

Sweet corn 10c per dozen ears.
Ripe cucumbers 15c a doz.
At C. L. Heinze farm 1-2 mi. north of Holt.

Farmers! Take Notice!

All who wish to ship livestock with the Holt Co-Operative Shipping Association will please notify the manager, Charles Skoglund, R. F. D. No. 1, Holt, Minn., or call at Holt State Bank where instructions as to days of shipping will be given.

Chas. Skoglund, Manager.

TO ATTACK MINNESOTA STATE FAIR.

De Lloyd Thompson, Fearless Aviator, to Demonstrate Probable Results of an Aerial Attack Upon America by an Enemy Air Fleet at Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 4 to 9.

IS AMERICA prepared for war? Could the United States drive back an aerial war fleet intent upon invading the country?

De Lloyd Thompson, the intrepid birdman who is ranked among the sensations of the year, will give a thrilling preparedness demonstration at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 4 to 9, in imitation of an aerial invasion, dropping bombs upon the principal buildings from a gigantic war plane, now being made for him. Similar demonstrations by Thompson at New York City, Washington and Boston excited wide comment this spring.

Bombs Are Dropped.

Sweeping in from the north at night, Thompson will drop bomb after bomb from his aeroplane in imitation of an aerial attack upon the Fair Grounds. He will attempt to locate the Grandstand, Livestock Pavilion, Agricultural Building, and other big structures with his bombs. The explosion of the bombs at night is a thrilling sight. In addition to his bomb throwing exhibition each evening, Thompson will give two daily flights, looping the loop, tail sliding, flying upside down, dropping in the air, and performing in other ways.

ENTIRE TOWN MOVED.

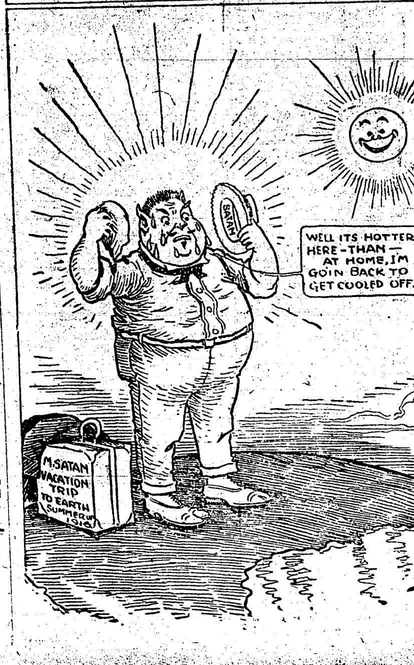
Suburban Residence District Moved 1,000 Miles to Minnesota State Fair.

Moving an entire suburban residence district over 1,000 miles is the magic task which is being undertaken this year to provide the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 4 to 9, with a new feature.

The model suburb, which is coming from Cleveland, O., in August, cost $10,000, and was designed to demonstrate the value of lumber in the erection of homes. It is to be housed in the new Building Materials Building, adjoining the Art Galleries, and will be one of the biggest educational features at the exposition. A pretentious exhibit of building materials will also be shown.

The White Pine Bureau and the Minnesota Art Commission are co-operating with the State Fair in making the venture a success.

HOTTER THAN HE'S USED TO · · · BY BART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WELL ITS HOTTER HERE—THAN— AT HOME, I'M GOIN BACK TO GET COOLED OFF.
M. SATAN VACATION TRIP TO EARTH SUMMER OF 1916

A party of surveyors were working on ditch No. 2 last week.

Village Notice for Bids

For Dynamo and Switchboard

Notice is hereby given that the village council of the village of Holt Marshall County Minnesota will receive sealed bids up to 7:30 P. M. of August 29th 1916 for one 20 K. W. Generator and Switchboard, according to specifications on file with the village clerk.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the village of Holt, Minn., for 5 per cent of the amount of the bid, which will be returned if the bid is not accepted.

The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

S. S. Kolden, President.
H. B. Young, Clerk.

For Electric Line

Notice is hereby given that the village council of the village of Holt Marshall County Minnesota will receive sealed bids up to 7:30 o'clock P. M. of August 29th, 1916 for the erection of a pole line for the transmission of electric current for lighting purposes, according to specifications on file in the office of the village clerk.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the village of Holt, Minn., for 5 per cent of the amount of the bid, which will be returned if bid is not accepted.

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S. S. Kolden, President.
H. B. Young, Clerk.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of John Hansen

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of John Hanson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to B. Docken, of Holt, Minn.

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 24th day of February 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News as provided by law.

Dated August 11th, 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate,

(Probate Court Seal)

Notice To Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of School District No. 158 of Marshall County Minn., will receive sealed bids, up to 7 o'clock P. M. of August 19th 1916, for building a one room school house in said district, according to plans and specifications on file at Holt State Bank, in the village of Holt, Minn.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

S. G. Svenkeson,
District Clerk.
Holt, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Milling Co, at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.39
Wheat No. 2	1.35
Wheat No. 3	1.29
Wheat No. 4	1.19
Flax	1.98
Oats	.34
Barley	.48 to .66
Rye	1.10
Flour, Best Patent	4.25

Southeast of Holt.

Farmers in this locality are very busy in the harvest fields but are not finding their crops in a very good condition owing to the fact that they are almost completely destroyed by the rust. They were also damaged considerably by the frost which swept thru this locality last week.

Mrs. P. Michaelson and mother, Mrs. John Michaelson were very pleasant visitors at the C. Schwartz home Sunday.

Miss Annie Ronnestrand of Park River N. D. spent the first of the week at the J. Klungness home.

Lightening struck and killed one of Andrew Jopperu's valuable cows on Saturday evening of last week.

Oscar Guttrud was a Sunday caller at Moe's.

Willard, the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Gudvangen is reported seriously sick with inflammation of the stomach.

The Misses Ida Guttrud and Gunda Moe drove out to Golden Valley on Saturday and spent a couple of days berry picking.

Mrs. A. Guttrud entertained on Sunday Mrs. O. Johnson and Mrs. S. Moe and children.

Notice For Bids

For Ditching

Notice is hereby given that open bids will be received in S. S. Kolden's store building in Holt, at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon August 26, for approximately 250 rods of ditching, according to specifications on file at C. L. Sandberg's lumber office in Holt.

By order of Committee.

Notice For Bids

For Transportation of School Children

Notice is hereby given that the school board of District No. 35, Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids for the transportation of school children on two routes as per schedule of routes and rules of transportation now on file in the office of the District Clerk.

Bids may be filed with the Clerk of said district up to Tuesday, Aug. 22nd, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

B. Docken,
District Clerk.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of June 1916.

Cream received	46,549 lbs
Average test	28 78
Butter fat	13397.12 lbs
Percent overrun	23 29
Butter made	16518 lbs.
Balance on hand last month	1 32
Received for butter shipped	4058 98
Butter and milk sold patrons	19 56
Cash sales at creamery	58 38
Rec'd from other sources	6 55
Total	$4144 79
Paid patrons by check	3491 73
" " " Butter & milk	19 56
Expense fund, etc.	523 43
Other expense	4 55
To sinking fund	101 14
Balance on hand	4 38
Total	$4144 79

Number of patrons, 126

Price paid for butter fat, 26 1-2c.

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 and over for this month.

Lewis Johnson $67.40, Joseph Jarland $59.61, C. L. Heinze $58.70, Mrs. Malstad 58.66, Tosten Ellefson $57.39, C. E. Smith $57.01, John Knutson 55.38, Nels Fosen 51.81, Ole A. Knutson 50.82, Christine Erickson 48.25, Louis Wegge 48.50, Hans Knutson 47.53, Ole Lunke 46.67, T. O. Dovre 46.01, Aslak Langlie 45.93, John Engstrom 45.84, Ole Saxberg 45.41, J. E. Erickson 45.31, Gunder Tveit 43.89, M. O. Halvorson 43.63, A. Bjerk 43.15, G. P. Sorter 43.04, Conrad Theis 42.87, T. Sevenson 41.29, Ed. Horien 41.04.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

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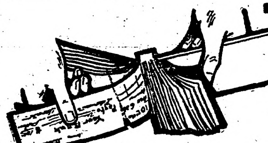

You Owe It To The Children

How often does your wife say that? There is no greater irony than the spectacle of parents who spend their all to give their children luxuries while denying them that great necessity, the inspiring security of a family saving fund.

You surely owe it to your children to give them the example of a family independence based on a bank accout. This silent evidence of prudence will do more than many hours of admonition.

Open an account for each member of the family. $1 isn't too little with which to begin.

Open them today. Interest 5 per cent compounded.

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Mascot Flour
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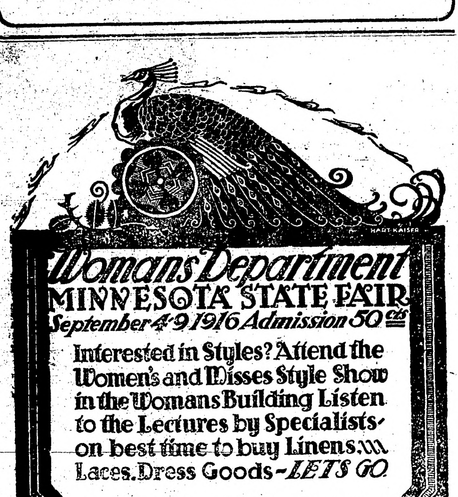

Womans Department
MINNESOTA STATE FAIR
September 4-9 1916 Admission 50 cts
Interested in Styles? Attend the Women's and Misses Style Show in the Womans Building Listen to the Lectures by Specialists on best time to buy Linens, Laces, Dress Goods—LETS GO

Local Items

Mattson Bros. came from McIntosh Friday to get in line for threshing.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bennes of T. R. Falls visited at the Albert Bennes home Sunday.

Chas. Skoglund went to So. St. Paul Saturday with a car of cattle for the farmers shipping association.

Bertha and Myrtle Olson came from Middle River Saturday to visit at the home of their uncle, Dr. R. L. Olson and family.

Joe Nelson returned home Monday from Crookston, and immediately entered upon his duties as janitor of our public school.

Don't fail to vote for bonds, next Tuesday. The village needs the money for fire protection and electric lights and other improvements.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

Notice!

The Holt Public School will commence Monday Sept. 11th.

Timothy Seed Wanted

Can use any amount of seed. In case you have any to offer, send sample and state amount. Will be glad to make bid on same.

Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co.,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Lever Olson went to Thief River Falls Saturday to visit his son.

Arthur Sorum returned home Saturday from working at Red Lake Falls.

B. L. Backe, P. L. Anderson and Chris Knutson autoed to Warren, Saturday, on business.

For Sale at C. L. Heinze's—ripe Cucumbers 15c a doz., Sweet Corn 10c a dozen. 1-2 mi no. of town.

Bonding the village and building an electric light plant are two seperate propositions—so there will be two ballots to vote next Tuesday and everyone should vote both of them.

The school board let the contract for running the school bus on the east route to P. A. Riesberg for $40 per month and C. L. Heinze was awarded the route to the west and south for $49.75 a month.

Coal! Coal!

We have now ordered a big shipment of Hard, Soft and Smokeless Coal. Get your order in early and get benefit of a 50c per ton reduction by taking coal on the tracks.

Winton-Nichols Lumb'r Co
C. L. Sandberg, Agent.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Backe and his brothers, Willie and Edwin, visited at the Docken home Sunday.

Miss Ragna Steenerson and sister of Middle River were over Sunday visitors with Misses Ida and Clara Bennes.

Mrs. G. Townsend returned to her home in Grand Forks Monday after a pleasant visit at the home of her her sister, Mrs. T. Sollom.

P. O. Reierson returned Wednesday from a short visit in T. R. Falls, accompanied by his daugeter Mrs. F. Lufkin and her three children.

Dr. F. H. Stauff will lecture here in the interests of good health and the public schools, the dates to be announced later. The lectures will be free for everyone.

Death of Mrs. Ole Reierson.

Mrs. Ole Reierson died peacefully at 11 o'clock Tuesday forenoon after a long sickness with consumption. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon, Revs. Strom and Breederson officiating, and was attended by a large company of friends and neighbors. Sincere sympathy is extended to the stricken family.

The obituary will be published next week.

In Church Circles.

Mrs. Olaf Johnson (Sanberg) will entertain the Synod Ladies Aid on Wednesday Sept. 6. Everyone invited.

Rev. Bengaard, of Fosston, will preach in the Free Mission church at 3 and 8 P. M., next Sunday August 27th. Everyone invited.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet in the church basement, next Friday Sept. 1st. All the ladies will please assist with the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Jenkins and baby, of Schuyler, Neb., who had been visiting in Golden Valley for a couple of weeks at the home of her sister Mrs. Olaf Dahl, departed yesterday for Detroit, Minn., and Carpenter, Ia., to visit friends and relatives for a few weeks before returning home.

Mr. Jenkins was up here 5 years ago and purchased 160 acres of land near Golden Valley. He sees great improvement in the country since then and is well pleased with his investment.

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C. L. Sandberg
Holt - Minn.

Vote for the bond issue.

Clarence Kolden went to So. St. Paul Saturday with a carload of cattle for the market.

G. L. Cook was awarded the contract for building the school house in district No 148.

Mrs. E. H. Ellestad, of Spring Grove, came Tuesday to visit at the home of her son E. H. and daughter Mrs. G. H. Nohre.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Myre came Friday from Hendrum to be at the bed-side of their step-daughter, Mrs. Ole Reierson, during her last illness.

The G. N. have had men here this week putting in a new pump, and a gasoline engine—to take the place of the old windmill which blew down last week.

Prof. Prushek returned here Saturday from Cuyuna where he spent his vacation on the farm with his folks, and is busy getting things in shape for the school year.

Mrs. Alex Strom brought their children here Tuesday to stay with their grandparents, Messrs. M. T. Strom and P. A. Riesberg and their good wives, while the parents are working in Dakota.

Your State Laws

The laws of our state, as concerns savings banks, have been framed to protect the interests of depositors.

Good banking laws, together with good men in the bank, are the best protection the depositor can have.

If you are a depositor in this bank, you have both. Good men obeying good laws—that is the guarantee we give our patrons.

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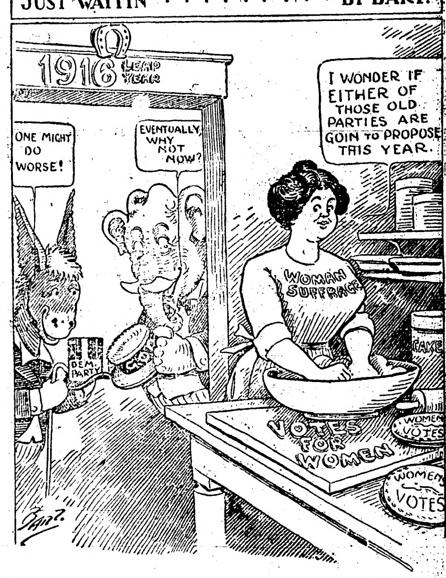

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"And you had to throw it away."

"Or, no. I'll wear it in the show next season. Then they'll pay money to come and see it."

DON'T LOSE ANOTHER HAIR

Treat Your Scalp With Cuticura and Prevent Hair Falling. Trial Free.

For dandruff, itching, burning scalp, the cause of dry, thin and falling hair, Cuticura Soap and Ointment are most effective. Touch spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Then shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. No treatment more successful. Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Electric Wheel Chairs.

Electric wheel chairs similar to those employed at the Panama-Pacific International exposition last year are being used successfully in Europe for the wounded and crippled soldiers. Invariably the convalescent men prefer to direct their own chair rather than to have someone push them about. One of these chairs, which is of Swiss make and costs a small sum, is equipped with a one-quarter horse power motor suspended between the steering and rear wheel. Current is supplied from a battery of 15 lead plate cells housed in three boxes beneath the seat. The battery is of 50 ampere hours' capacity and provides sufficient energy for a run of thirty to forty miles. Five forward and five reverse speeds are provided. The steering and operating mechanism is of the very simplest.

You Bet Paw Knows.

Little Lemuel—Say, paw, what is the difference between a statesman and a politician?

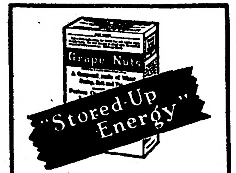
Paw—A statesman, son, is a politician who has made his pile and a politician is a statesman who is still poor.

An Elaborate Dinner.

"Was it much of a dinner?"

"I should say it was. There were seven different kinds of forks at each plate."

Many a man with a will of his own has a codicil added to it by his wife.



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NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What Is Going On at Washington and In Other Sections of the Country.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

At Topolobampo, Mexico, natives have turned to the sea waters to keep themselves from starving and are living mainly on fish. It is virtually impossible to buy meat.

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An epidemic of dysentery has broken out in the national guard camps at Douglas, Ariz., being particularly severe in the camp of the Second Montana infantry. More than 200 cases are said to exist in the regiment.

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General Carl Malcotte, who arrived in Mexico City a few days ago for a conference with Minister of War Obregon to plan concentration of forces for Villa's capture, declared he is determined to make a quick job and to take the bandit general "at all cost."

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As the American-Mexican peace conference draws near General Pershing is drawing his troops closer and closer to the border. It is learned, that on last reports received ten days ago, Pershing was less than thirty miles from the international line.

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Soldier boys along the border who persist in sending home false or exaggerated reports of camp conditions will be subject to court-martial and heavy penalty, according to a recent order from General Parker, in command of the Brownsville district.

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Investigation of shooting reported by American outposts stationed along the border on the outskirts of El Paso disclosed that two privates of Company K, Eighth Massachusetts infantry, had fired upon a cactus plant. The guardsmen contended, however, that they had fired upon smugglers.

GENERAL.

Because of the increased cost of paper the Milwaukee Free Press advanced its price from 1 to 2 cents a copy for street sales.

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Fourteen veteran letter men will return to the University of Nebraska at Lincoln this fall as the neucleus for one of the most promising football elevens the Huskers ever had.

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Sixty-six persons are known to have lost their lives in the flood which swept three West Virginia mountain streams late last week, rendering 10,000 persons homeless, and causing a property loss of $5,000,000.

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Nearly a million acres of grain were completely wiped out by hail, and grain on several million more acres was severely damaged in a terrific storm which swept across northern North Dakota and northwestern Minnesota.

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President Ball of the St. Louis Americans league baseball club offered a bonus of $5,000 to the team if it should go to first place for a day. He also offered a suit of clothes to every man on the team if they went into first division for three days.

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Damage estimated at $100,000 was the result of an electrical storm near Sioux City. Houses were unroofed, plate windows were beaten in upon crowds in stores and street torrents carried away more than a score of automobiles.

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Five automobile bandits held up pay clerks entering the plant of the Burroughs Adding Machine company, at Detroit, Mich., and after shooting one of the clerks escaped with bags said to have contained between $33,000 and $34,000.

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Suit to cancel ninety-eight patents covering approximately 12,000 acres in central Wyoming and recover damages totaling $84,607.85 was filed in the United States district court for Wyoming at Cheyenne by the government.

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A report issued by the New York health department shows that of 848 persons who have succumbed to infantile paralysis since July 1, 685 were under five years of age.

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Frank Gotch, champion wrestler, probably is through with the grappling game for good. Information received by friends of Gotch say that the injury the wrestler sustained in an exhibition match recently will prevent participation in the wrestling game hereafter.

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Al Francis, of Dubuque, Ia., arrested at Detmar, Ia., a few days ago, charged with stealing an automobile at Dubuque, entered a plea of guilty and was given a five-year sentence at Anamosa. The car was recovered.

The South Dakota State Railway commission denied the application of the express companies operating in the state to increase their interstate rates between certain points.

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Dr. Eva Harding of Topeka, a suffragist leader, won the democratic nomination for congressman in the First district over the Rev. H. J. Corwine in the recent Kansas state-wide primary.

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J. Frank Hanly and Ira Landrith were officially notified of their nomination, respectively, for president and vice-president by the prohibition party at Indianapolis.

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An increase of more than $18,000,000 in the gross earnings of the Union Pacific railroad for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1916, over the same period ending in 1915 is reported in a financial statement just issued.

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George Cosson, attorney general of Iowa, believes that operations of a gang of alleged swindlers at Davenport have been general throughout Iowa. According to Mr. Cosson, the gang has cleaned up approximately $100,000 in the last few weeks.

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Twelve men are known to be dead and all mines are closed down, following an explosion in Mine No. 3 at Michel, B. C., Canada. Lightning struck signal wires and carrying the current down to the mines, ignited dust or gas starting the explosion.

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Frank Kunce of Loveland, Colo., was crowned motorcycle champion of Colorado and won a prize of $400 through his prowess in negotiating the Pikes Peak auto race course, a distance of twelve and one-half miles, with an ascent of approximately 6,000 feet, in 22 minutes, 3 seconds.

WASHINGTON.

The republican members of the senate voted to reject the legislative program proposed by the democratic steering committee to enable congress to adjourn before September 1. They favor action on the immigration bill at this session.

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President Wilson has just signed the recent act of congress creating "the Lassen National Volcanic park" in California. Included within its area are Lassen peak, the only active volcano in the United States, and Cinder Cone, which also showed volcanic activity at one time.

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The crisis in the news print paper situation, which already has cut down newspaper profits enormously, will not be reached before late October, when contracts come up for renewal, according to reports received from many sources by the federal trade commission.

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Adverse conditions, due to weather, plant disease and insects, damaged the country's principal crops during July and resulted in a loss of 105,000,000 bushels in prospective wheat production, 89,000,000 in corn and 43,000,000 bushels less of oats than predicted by the Department of Agriculture at the beginning of July.

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The senate passed the bill to prevent interstate commerce in products of child labor. The vote was 52 to 12. The measure had already passed the house. The bill would prohibit interstate commerce in product of any mine or quarry in which children under sixteen years of age have been employed, or in the product of any mill, factory, etc., in which children under fourteen years of age have worked.

WAR NEWS.

Two hundred German soldiers were killed or injured in the recent allied air raid on Metz, capital of Lorraine, according to reports. The station and barracks were seriously damaged.

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The Italian army has captured the city of Gorizia, door to Trieste, Austria's naval stronghold on the Adriatic, together with much war booty and 10,000 prisoners, according to reports.

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An official dispatch from Berlin says that between July 31 and August 5 one German submarine sank in the North Sea, thirteen British steam trawlers and one British government coal steamer.

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Great Britain has reached an agreement with Germany for the exchange of all prisoners over 45 years of age, regardless of numbers, Lord Robert Cecil announced in the British house of commons.

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Another contingent of Russian troops has been landed at Brest, France. The first Russian troops to land in France arrived at Marseilles on April 20, having sailed half way around the world from Vladivostok.

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The giant Zeppelin transcontinental air liners promised by Germany to help her merchant submarines defeat the purposes of the British blockade are nearing completion near Lake Constance, according to information received in this country.

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Though the feeling exists in some quarters that peace may come before Christmas with the defeat of the Anglo-French offensive, Germany is making every preparation in the way of supplies for another winter campaign.

ITALIANS LANDED AT SALONIKI, PLAN DRIVE IN BALKANS

LATIN TROOPS TO TAKE PART IN IMPORTANT CAMPAIGN, JUST OPENING—GREECE REPORTED DISQUIETED.

GERMANY EXPECTED TO FORMALLY DECLARE WAR

Kaiser's Troops Are Employed on Macedonian Front and Actual Conflict Seems Probable—Teutons Use Liquid Fire in Effort to Retake Fleury.

London, Aug. 22.—Italian troops are to take part in the important campaign just opening in the Balkans, according to Saloniki advices, which report the disembarkation of Italian soldiers at that port now in progress. German troops are employed on the Macedonian front and actual war between Germany and Italy, of which there so far has been no formal declaration, now seems probable.

Activity On Long Front.

The Macedonian campaign itself does not yet seem to have developed an engagement of first rate magnitude, but there is pronounced activity along the 150-mile fighting front with successes claimed by each side at various points. In Allied quarters there is said to be no apprehension felt that the plans of General Sarrail, the commander, will be interfered with by the German and Bulgarian attacks on the Allied flanks.

Bulgars Worry Greeks.

Greece, however, is reported to be disquieted over the advance of the Bulgarians toward Kavala, the Greek seaport east of the Allied front, and the southward move of the Bulgarians on the other flank, which resulted in the occupation of Florina.

In the Verdun region the Germans, who again lost the village of Fleury, northeast of the citidale, last week, are making determined efforts to regain the place.

French Stop Assaults.

They have driven against the village with strong forces, using flaming liquid to aid their attacks, but according to the Paris bulletin the French fire effectively stopped the assault.

Along the Somme front in Northern France the artillery battle is raging violently. No infantry actions are reported by Paris, however, although a German counter-attack apparently is in preparation, following the capture by the French of a strongly fortified wood between Gillemont and Maurepas, northwest of Peronne.

ASQUITH HOLDS TEUTON TERMS ARE HUMILIATING

British Premier Denies German Assertion That England Is Preventing Negotiations.

London, Aug. 22.—Germany has shown no disposition toward peace except on terms dishonorable and humiliating to some of the Allies, Premier Asquith has informed the house of commons.

The prime minister's statement was made in answer to assertions by Under-Secretary Zimmerman of the German foreign office, who told a Hungarian newspaper recently that it was England that was blocking peace.

Zimmerman's statement that England prevented her Allies from showing a disposition toward peace is untrue, Asquith said. He reminded the German foreign office official that Germany has never submitted official terms of peace.

STORM ISOLATES GUARDSMEN

Cause Damage to All Three Minnesota Regiments at Llano Grande.

Llano Grande, Texas, Aug. 22.—Minnesota troops have been cut off from the outside world for three days by the severe storm which swept through the Rio Grande valley Friday, putting telegraph lines out of commission, and causing considerable damage in the Brownsville district. All three of the regiments lost tents in the high wind of Friday afternoon, and three companies of the Third regiment were flooded out with eight inches of water in their tents. Damage in the First Minnesota was nominal.

Anthracite Coal 25c Higher

Boston, Aug. 22.—Retail prices for anthracite coal have been marked up 25 cents a ton in this city. The advance is the second of the year and makes the quotation for most grades of hard coal 25 cents higher than a year ago.

Slavs Catch Enemy Off Guard

Petrograd, Aug. 22.—By suddenly shifting his attack to the Stokhod river front northeast of Kovel, General Brisiloff has caught the Germans off their guard, and is driving westward for substantial gains. Realizing that General von Bothmer's army had been crushed, the Germans began stripping their northern front of all available men and sending them southward to defend Lemberg. It was while this troop movement was under way that Brusiloff struck farther north with his right wing.

WILSON'S PLAN TO END WAGE DISPUTE IS MADE PUBLIC

HOLDS EIGHT-HOUR DAY SEEMS FAIR AND PRACTICAL AND PEOPLE HAVE RIGHT TO EXPECT ACCEPTANCE.

HIGHER FREIGHT RATE MAY BE AUTHORIZED

Ray of Hope for Agreement Seen in President's Hint—Trial of Scheme Declared Only Solution—Rail Chiefs Are Expected to Yield—Inquiry Is Suggested.

Washington, Aug. 21.—President Wilson has issued the following statement from the White House outlining his position in the strike situation:

"I have recommended the concession of an eight-hour day—that is, the substitution of an eight-hour day for the present ten-hour day in all the existing practices and agreements. I made this recommendation because I believed the concession right. The eight-hour day now undoubtedly has the sanction of a judgment of society in its favor and should be adopted as a basis for wages even where the actual work to be done cannot be completed within eight hours.

Some Have Adopted Plan.

"Concerning the adjustment which should be made in justice to the railroads and their stockholders, in the payment and privileges to which their men are now entitled (if such adjustments are necessary) there is a wide divergence of opinion. The railroads which have already adopted the eight-hour day do not seem to be at any serious disadvantage in respect of their cost of operation, as compared with the railroads that have retained the ten-hour day, and calculations as to the cost of the change must, if made now, be made without regard to any possible administrative economies or readjustments.

Trial Necessary.

"Only experience can make it certain what rearrangements would be fair and equitable either on behalf of the men or on behalf of the railroads. That experience would be a definite guide to the Interstate Commerce Commission, for example, in determining whether as a consequence of the change it would be necessary and right to authorize an increase of the rates for the handling and carriage of freight (for passenger service is not affected).

Duty to Accept.

"I therefore proposed that the demand for extra pay for overtime made by the men and the contingent proposals of the railroad authorities be postponed until facts shall have taken the place of calculations and forecast with regard to the effects of a change to the eight-hour day; that in the meantime while experience was developing the facts, I should seek and, if need be, obtain authority from Congress to appoint a small body of impartial men to observe and thoroughly acquaint themselves with the results, with a view to reporting to Congress at the earliest possible time the facts disclosed by their inquiries, but without recommendation of any kind; and, that it should then be entirely open to either or both parties to the present controversy to give notice of a termination of the present agreements with a view to instituting inquiry into suggested readjustments of pay or practice.

"This seems to be a thoroughly practical and entirely fair program, and I think that the public has the right to expect its acceptance."

ITALIAN STEAMSHIP IS REPORTED TORPEDOED

Believed Sunk While on Way to New York—Had Accommodations for 1,700 Passengers.

London, Aug. 21—The Italian steamship Stampalia, which plies between New York and Italian ports, has been sunk, says a dispatch to Lloyds.

The Stampalia was a passenger liner of 9,000 tons gross. In common with other Italian liners, it mounted guns for protection from submarines. The last report of its movements was its arrival on July 30 at Genoa from New York, so that it apparently was sunk on the return voyage to the United States. It was commanded by Captain Lavarello. The London dispatch is interpreted as meaning that the Stampalia probably was the victim of an Austrian or German submarine in the Mediterranean.

Germans Enter French Trenches.

Paris, Aug. 21.—The Germans entered a small element of a French trench north of Maurepas in most violent counter attacks against all the newly won French positions north of the Somme, but at every point were completely repulsed, it is officially announced. On the Verdun front the French captured the few ruined houses on the outskirts of Fleury village, to which the Germans still clung. The assaults north of the Somme reached their greatest violence between Maurepas and Clery.

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There is a picture in this year's show at the Royal academy which has a singular history. It was painted by an artist who is now a captain on active service, but the picture is not the one which he showed to his friends at this year's contribution. The original was of a sunset over a plowed field, a fine landscape in a style which has distinguished the artist. Five months ago the painter was home on leave, and he spent working over his picture. Today the canvas shows the plowed field and the sunset; but it also shows six soldiers fallen about a cannon, into the breech of which one survivor is placing the last shell. It is a fine picture, and by no means a pot-boiler. The captain witnessed the incident he depicts. The fortunate thing was that the landscape was ready for the figures—for no academy picture could be painted during 72 hours' leave.

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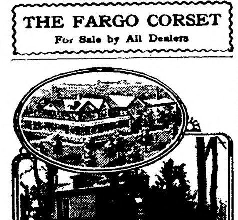

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What's Doing in Minnesota

St. Paul. — The state board of law examiners has recommended to the state supreme court for admission to the bar 32 applicants who passed the board examinations last month.

Stillwater.—Sale of the old state prison property exclusive of the warden's residence to the city of Stillwater for $8,000 has been closed between the state board of control and Mayor John R. Colliner, representing the city.

Duluth. — Trial of ten persons held in connection with the murder of Deputy Sheriff James Myron at Biwabik, has been started before District Judge Martin Hughes at Virginia. These men charged with murder are alleged to be I. W. W. leaders.

St. Cloud. — Three hundred white-clad delegates from the Twin Cities paraded here from their Great Northern special train to the Davidson theater for the opening of the twenty-sixth annual convention of the State Christian Endeavor union.

St. Paul.—State Auditor J. A. O. Preus has announced that the next sale of state timber will take place at the capitol at 10 A. M. Monday, October 16. A considerable amount of stumpage on state lands that is rated liable to waste will be offered.

Le Sueur. — With a record of having had only six pastors in its half century existence, the First Presbyterian church of this city celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its founding. The jubilee exercises mark also the ninth year of the pastorate of Rev. Leon L. Smythe.

Twin Valley.—John A. Jorgenson, harnessmaker, often expressed a horror of having his body long exposed to river water. So when he committed suicide by drowning in the Wild Rice river he tied a rope about one foot and the other end to a tree to prevent the loss of his body.

Kinney, Minn.—Four men, alleged Industrial Workers of the World, attempted to kidnap Mrs. Edward Eno, wife of a deputy sheriff, her sister Mrs. Lucy Clark of Virginia, Minn., and her four-year-old son as they stepped from a Mesaba electric car here. One of the kidnappers struck Mrs. Clark over the head with a club, inflicting a serious scalp wound.

State Treasurer A. C. Gooding signed warrants for the payment of principal and interest on $123,487.50, the first state educational certificate of indebtedness. A recent legislature authorized the issuance of such certificates by the board of control to cover the cost of state university, normal school and other structures in excess of appropriations.

St. Paul.—Marked gains in state revenue this year from the 5 per cent gross earnings tax against railroads are further indicated by reports filed with the state tax commissioner by six additional companies. Although two reports showed decreases, the aggregate is considerable larger for the first half of 1916 than for the corresponding period in 1915.

Faribault.—Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith has directed Louis S. Headley, an assistant, to go to Faribault to make a special investigation of the condition of the Faribault Fire Relief association, following the report of Deputy Public Examiner J. O. Cederberg, alleging that Edward F. Kelly, treasurer of the organization, is short $11,188, according to his examination.

St. Paul. — Possible abolition of the contingent fund system at the University of Minnesota is threatened. State Treasurer Gooding advised the board of university regents that he was unable to find legislative or other legal authorization for the system which involved an average of $30,000 of state funds and at times greater amounts, all used for the payment of minor current expenses.

Minneapolis. — The offer of $84,604 in cash prizes to exhibitors at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 4 to 9, is said by members of the board to be itself sufficient to make the 1916 exposition one of the best in the history of the state. This sum for the educational and material interests of a state, Secretary J. C. Simpson says, has never been equalled by any state fair association in the United States.

Lindstrom.—The seventeenth annual convention of the Luther League of Minnesota, which closed here, elected the following officers: President, Rev. C. J. Kockey of Minneapolis; vice president, Harry Anderson of Minneapolis; secretary-treasurer, Miss Mabel Sander of Lindstrom; statistical secretary, Miss Cora Aslakson of Cannon Falls; corresponding secretary, Miss Serapha Peterson of North St. Paul; and treasurer, Edgar Elfstrand of Lindstrom.

Minneapolis, Aug. 15.—Mrs. O. M. Cutler, wife of Captain Cutler of the First Minnesota infantry, and her guest, Miss Evelyn Laughlin, Seattle, suffered possible fatal injuries when the Cadillac car driven by Mrs. Cutler's uncle, Louis LaClair, Glenwood City, Wis., was smashed by a high-powered automobile on East Seventh street, St. Paul.

Virginia — "The I. W. W. has made a fatal mistake," declared mining operators here. "They have used the United States mail to deliver threatening letters containing pieces of crepe, alleged to be but tiny samples of what would be hanging on the recipient's door unless he stopped work."

Clear Lake — Fire which destroyed the new high school building here, is believed to have been of incendiary origin. The building was erected at a cost of $30,000, and the interior work was just being completed. Plans for rebuilding will be made at once.

Ready to Fight for Dog.

There may be no war with Mexico in the near future, but trouble between the Third Minnesota and the First Indiana regiments is apt to start any time.

The Hoosier regiment, which is camped alongside the Minnesota regiment, stole a dog which was the mascot of B company from Anoka. B company immediately sent a delegation to bring the dog back to the Minnesota camp.

The expedition was successful, but the Indiana men sent a courier to the Third's camp saying they were coming to get the dog again. The Minnesota men are waiting to give the Hoosiers the reception of their lives.

Feet in Better Fix.

The First Minnesota infantry has just completed its third inspection of feet, and regimental surgeons assert the condition of the men's feet is 100 per cent better than at the first inspection. With three or four miles of walking daily in addition to the practice march every Friday good feet are essential, and the last inspection of feet shows that the men are profiting by the suggestions made by medical officers for proper care of the feet.

Nearly every man in camp has been issued a pair of regular army shoes and this has had a tendency to aid in the care of the feet.

Some of the shoes issued the men at Camp Bobleter were not the regulation army shoes and they caused considerable soreness of the feet.

Vaccination Successful.

Medical officers in camp are elated at the splendid results achieved from the anti-typhoid vaccination. Not a single case of typhoid has been reported in this camp of 10,000 men, and only one case has developed in the entire Southern district, numbering more than 100,000 men. In that case the man contracted the disease before he had completed his anti-typhoid treatment.

It would be interesting to compare this record with the typhoid fever record of 1896. In that year Minnesota last a number of men before the guard left the state camp.

Lieutenant Dan Pettigrew, who is managing the First Infantry Regimental exchange, says the store now is doing a daily business of about $200. Perhaps 40 per cent of this amount represents the daily profits, which are divided among the companies having stock in the store.

Want Dangerous Post.

Military regulations permit the issuance of canteen checks to the extent of one-third of a soldier's pay. These are good at the regimental store, but every pay day the soldier has the value of his canteen checks taken from his monthly pay.

In the First Minnesota regiment about $3,000 worth of canteen checks have been issued to date.

Since Albert Bauman of B company was shot through the hand while on guard near the First regiment's picket line, men in every company of the First have asked to be placed on guard at that post.

Zoo in Mail Tent.

Chaplain Emery of the Third regiment, regimental postmaster, is very cautious when he begins distribution of mail.

The boys of the Third have been using the mail boxes for reptiles and bugs caught in camp during the night, removing them next morning before the chaplain began his duties as postmaster.

The boys overlooked a bet one morning and the chaplain found a small-sized zoo in the postal tent when he went to work.

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Guards Publish Paper.

Friends of the Minnesota soldiers in Texas have received the first copy of "The Minnesota Border Patrol," a newspaper published by the boys which contains much that is interesting to "the folks back home." The paper contains much information with regard to the border situation furnished by army officers and also a health guide for the boys. However, a good share of it is given over to the company "reporters" and other correspondents who don't seem to care what they say about their comrades.

On Release of Students.

For instance, "Chuck" De Lano regimental color sergeant has a dissertation on the release of the battery of University students so they may return to school. He suggests that soon they will discharge the Methodists to enable them to attend church, then the Baptists, Unitarians, fat men, the Elks, school fraternity men, Odd Fellows, Eagles, Moose and "the remainder of the animals except the Scorpions and Tarantulas, and as far as he is concerned they can take them too, and no farewells from him."

"Admire Silently," Says Editor.

The official staff is made up of Henry Finkle, editor; J. E. Chamberlain, business manager, W. D. Drubaker, assistant editor, and Eldridge S. Story, treasurer. The editorial column contains articles dealing with the canteen, the troops' Y. M. C. A., the army kitchen and a stern request to the men not to report their ogling and silly remarks should the few fair residents of Llano Grande visit the camp again.

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Grading Hard on Producers

Federal grading of grain will work a hardship on the grain producers of the Northwest, in the opinion of O. P. B. Jacobson, member of the state railroad and warehouse commission. Under a law just passed by both houses of Congress the final appeal on grain grading must go to a board to be established at Washington. There will be state appeal boards at Minneapolis and Duluth, as at present. "The Federal grades will be very technical," said Mr. Jacobson. "But the state inspectors are experts."

WEALTHY WAITER STICKS TO JOB

Falls Heir to $50,000 Estate in Austria, But Continues to Work.

HAS HOST OF FRIENDS

Surprised at Number of People Who Now Call Him by Name—Could Be Happy Only as a Waiter.

New York.—The story that Caesar knew the names of all his legionaries has been taken with some reserve. But the number he would have had to carry in his head is small compared to that of the persons who have demonstrated the ability since last Wednesday to call Sam Peristein by name. Sam is head waiter at a restaurant, in West Forty-first street, but he was such before last Wednesday. In fact, he had been all that for some years.

Sam admits that quite some persons had known and called him by his first name before Wednesday. He supposed, however, that his surname was as dark a secret as a 100-to-1 shot in the sixth race. But since Wednesday he has found that more persons can rattle off his full name than ever before saluted him by any name in his life. He has discovered also that many more persons are solicitous about his health and his family and his unborn future than ever before seemed to care a fig whether he had steak and potatoes or coffee and doughnuts.

New Lap in His Life.

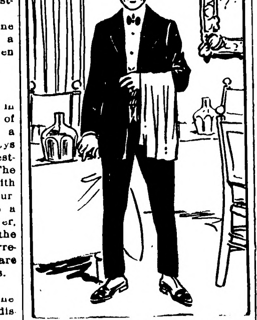
In short, last Wednesday, really marked the beginning of a new lap in "Sam's" life. In fact, there is something of a coincidence about it. For on Wednesday Sam learned he had fallen heir to a $50,000 estate in Austria. Incidentally, many of the persons who suddenly have discovered that his name is a glib and delicate morsel to roll around their tongues, have confided to him as many different ways to double and treble his legacy just as easily as skinning a banana. Of course, they must do the skinning.

Sam learned that the wheel of fortune had rolled the good luck to him from a Park row lawyer, who was apprised of the glad tidings by a Vienna attorney. The wheel was spun by his uncle, Capt. Franz von Diesedorf of the Austrian army, who died recently from wounds received in battle. His uncle's estate is at present a military camp, a large contingent of the Austrian army bivouacing there. But Sam's property rights are intact.

Stays on the Job.

"What am I going to do? Why, stay right here, of course."

That was the way Sam answered the thousandth questioner last night. That is the way he answered the first one, and all the intervening information seekers.



"I Am a Waiter by Choice and a Capitalist Only by Chance."

"I have been here since I was seventeen years old," continued Sam. "I am a waiter by choice and a capitalist only by chance. This money will make no difference to me. I probably shall put some of it in circulation, but I am not going to spend it in idleness luxury or dissipation. I could be happy only as a waiter, and I am not going to let the income-tax law cause me an uneasy moment."

66,000 VOLTS FAIL TO KILL

Bristol, Conn., Man Recovers From Terrific Shock—Body Black as Jet.

Hartford, Conn.—Francis F. Bill of Bristol is recovering from the effects of having 66,000 volts of electricity course through his body. The physicians who are attending him said his case was one of the most remarkable ever reported. Bill was on the roof of a power house looking over the damage done to the wiring system by a storm when he accidentally made a contact with the high tension distributing frame through which 66,000 volts of alternating current flowed. Most of his body is as black as jet as a result of the electric shock.

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This is a dear sweet thought, but it strikes us that the "in between" faces are looking at him and very likely reflecting back to him just about what they see. Quite often it is not either are looking at him and very likely rekindness or tenderness, for, taking it by and large, this is a fairly just world.—Collier's.

Somewhat Different

The honeymoon had slumped the slumps. "On our wedding day," she said, "I was under the impression you had filled my heart with sunshine."

"Well?" he queried, after the manner of his kind.

"But I find," she continued, "it was nothing but moonshine."

Precocity.

"Mercy!" exclaimed Mrs. Diggs. "The baby is chewing on your pocket edition of Epictetus."

"Indeed," replied Professor Diggs with a proud and happy look. "Let the child alone. It is seldom that a mere infant shows such a pronounced taste for the classics."

Making a Start.

Little Louis was a smart boy and very anxious to forge ahead in the world. He got a job in the local bank. A wealthy uncle met him in the street one morning and said:

"Well, Louis, how are you getting on in business? I s'pose the first thing we know you will be president of the bank?"

"Yes, uncle," replied the boy. "I'm draft clerk already."

"What!" exclaimed the uncle. "Draft clerk? Why, that's very surprising, but very good."

"Yes, uncle," replied the boy. "I open and shut the windows according to order, and close the doors when people leave them open!"—Youth's Companion.

Unbiased View.

Hazel—Young de Swift is considered the lion of the season. Have you met him?

Aimee—Yes, and judging from his manners, he is more of a donkey than a lion.

Far Behind the Times

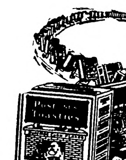
Penelope—Marcella is years and years behind the times.

Percival—What makes you think that?

Penelope—Just now she wanted to know if her hat was on straight.

An optimist says that good intentions are better than no pavements.

Fresh From the Ovens



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Ole Reierson and children.

Ed. Bjerk returned Monday to Middle River where he is doing carpenter work.

Miss Bertella Waggedahl died yesterday afternoon, after a long illness with consumption.

Mrs. Tillie Skjersvold and children went to Hazel Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Hesterkind.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Olaf Sandberg Wednesday Sept. 6th. All are welcome.

Louis Knutson returned home Saturday from Hillsboro where he has been working for some time.

John Knutson has bought from our local yard a bill of lumber for a barn 36x40 with 12 foot posts.

Didrick Nyberg returned home Tuesday from Alvarado where he has been staying for a couple of weeks.

A. H. Huseth came from Grafton Tuesday where he is working and visited until yesterday with his family.

Mrs. G. H. Sollom, of Spring Grove, came Thursday to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. H. Ellestad.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid meet next Friday and all the ladies help with the entertainment. At church basement.

Mrs. Propper departed yesterday for home in Omaha Neb. after several weeks visit at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Werner and family.

W. E. Richardson and Mrs. S. P. Nichols, of Mason City, Iowa, arrived here Tuesday for an extended visit at the home of their sister, Mrs. H. B. Young.

The Riesberg family, Messrs. A. R. Jones, P. L. Anderson, Ben Hoff and Mrs. B. L. Backe were entertained at a chicken supper Friday at the S. S. Kolden home.

Cora and Walter Evenson came up from Goodridge Sunday and visited at the Lars Hillesylt home. Johanna accompanied them home the same day and returned here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes and baby and her father Nels Swanson left Sunday for Fertlile, via T. R. Falls to visit relatives and friends. Mr. Bennes will look after his business interests in Dakota before returning home.

While visiting the big Minnesota State Fair stop at the New Jewell Hotel, 15 to 19 E. Fifth Street, opposite the City Hall. Street cars to all parts of the city and the Fair Grounds pass the door. Special attention and accommodations made for parties of three or more persons. To reach the Jewell Hotel by street cars from Depot take Hamline Depot car, get off at Fifth and Wabasha Streets.

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Steiner

H. Lanska moved to Thief River Falls the other day.

Nancer Hasby called at the Werner home last Saturday evening.

Henry Emmons Rogers, Otto Solem and Louis Meyer made a trip to Thief River Falls Sunday evening on their bycicles.

Club meeting was held in the Ole Hall schoolhouse Saturday evening. A good crowd was assembled.

M. O. Saugen made a trip to Thief River Falls one day last week.

Henry and W. G. Rogers took a trip to Thief River Falls the middle of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lamb and daughter Thelma has been visiting Mrs. Lamb's parents the past week.

Louis Meyer called at the S. R. Rogers home last Thursday evening.

Willis Warring made a trip to T. R. Falls the first of the week returning the next day.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Southeast of Holt.

Mrs. Hans Gudvangen, of Fertile, came Saturday to attend the funeral of her little grandson, Kenneth Gudvangen.

Halvor Listol and son Olaf were callers at the O. Olson home Friday.

John Ose has recently purchased a Reo Automobile.

Mrs. Ole Johnson and son Jerome Mr. and Mrs. John Olson and daughter Clara were visitors at the Albert Klungness home Sunday evening.

Olga Larson returned home on Wednesday after spending the past three weeks near Mud Lake picking blue berries.

John Gudvangen came from Fertile Saturday to attend the funeral of his brothers' child, and will stay here the remainder of the season.

Ludvic and Olga Larson and mother Mrs. C. Larson, Harry, Gunda and Thora Moe and Mother, Mrs. Moe were pleasantly entertained at the C. Heinze home near Holt Sunday afternoon.

John Ose is being employed at the Geo. Greibeck home,

Lesa Olson is being employed at the home of her uncle Halvor Listol.

Mrs. Anna Larson, of Thief River Falls, came Saturday to attend the funeral of the Gudvangen child, and remained this week for a visit at the Gudvangen home.

Obituary

On Friday forenoon at ten o'clock occurred the death of Willard Gudvangen, after six days illness with inflamation of the stomach. Willard was two years eight months and seventeen days old at the time of his death and was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelse Gudvangen of Agdar. Funeral services were held from the Synod church at Holt Sunday, conducted by Rev. M. B. Ordah, and interment made at the Holt cemetary. Sincere sympathy is extended to the bereaved family in the loss of a loving little son and brother.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved little son, Kenneth, Willard. We also wish to thank all who contributed flowers for the casket and grave.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Gudvangen.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes
Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
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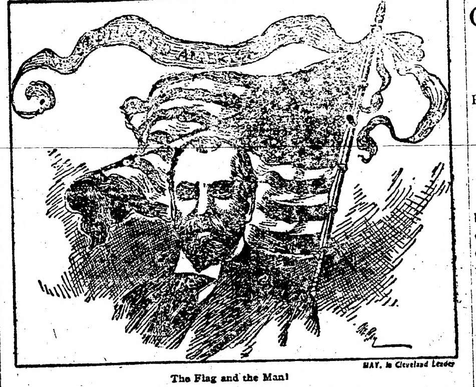

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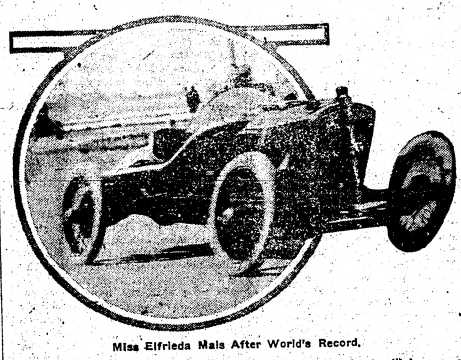


Miss Elfrieda Mais After World's Record.

$10,000 Auto Racing Program at Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 4 to 9—Two Days Set Aside. Fifteen Drivers Entered Already—75-Mile Continuation Race to Be a Feature.

TWO DAYS of auto racing will be held at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 4 to 9, and the most pretentious program ever held on a dirt track anywhere in America is promised auto racing fans. Wednesday, Sept. 6, and Saturday, Sept. 9, are the two days which have been set aside.

A leading feature will be the Minnesota leg of the International State Fair Championship race. The Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois, Michigan, Oklahoma, Texas and Missouri State Fairs, each represented by a noted driver, are competing in this series of races. A big race with all eight drivers competing is to be held at each of the eight fairs, and the State Fair scoring the most points at the eight meets will be given temporary possession of a gigantic loving cup. The Minnesota State Fair is angling for the services of a noted driver whose home is in Minnesota, and as soon as he has been engaged his name will be announced. Two preliminary heats will be run Wednesday, and the final race, a five-mile one, will be held on Saturday.

A purse of $3,500 has been hung up for a 75-mile continuation race, in which fifteen drivers will compete. The first 25-mile heat will be run on Wednesday. The remaining fifty miles will be run on Saturday, the drivers opening the race as it ended on Wednesday. Le Cocq, Raimey, Endicott, Koetzla, Clarke, Hearne, Horey, Hoffman, Kilpatrick, De Craft, Woodbury, Johnny Mais, Kessler, Kizer and Klem are some of the drivers already entered for this event.

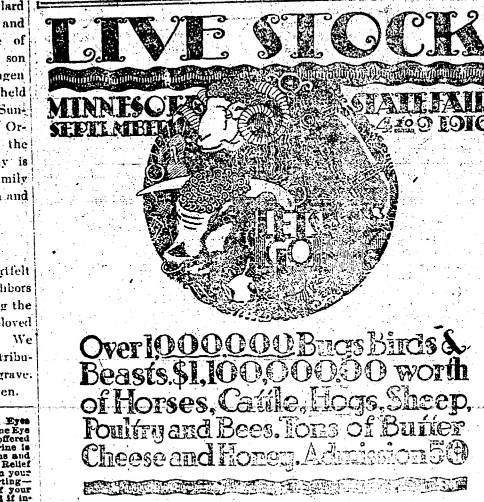
Elfrieda Mais, champion woman driver of the world, will race one mile with De Lloyd Thompson, the famous aviator, each day, both being given a flying start. The aeroplane will not be permitted to cut the corners. A trophy is offered as a prize. Miss Mais will also attempt to break her own one-mile and five-miles world's record each day. She is to drive a Mais Special.

Big Special Race.

A special ten-mile race between Fred Horey of St. Paul and another famous Northwestern driver has been arranged for Saturday, a medal and a championship prize being offered the winner. This is expected to be one of the most grueling races of the program, and fans will be pushed to the limit of excitement.

On Saturday a big feature will consist of an Australian Pursuit race. Cars will be stationed at equal distances about the track and all will be started at once. As soon as one car overtakes another the latter must drop out. If more than one car is running at the end of ten miles the referee will announce the winner.

There will be short world's time trials on both days over a one-mile, five-miles and ten-miles track. A series of short free for all races will also be held. Nothing as good has ever been held anywhere in the Middle West.



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O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Notice For Bids

For Ditching

Notice is hereby given that open bids will be received in S. S. Kolden's store building in Holt, at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon August 26, for approximately 250 rods of ditching, according to specifications on file at C. L. Sandberg's lumber office in Holt.

By order of Committee.

Village Notice for Bids

For Dynamo and Switchboard

Notice is hereby given that the village council of the village of Holt Marshall County Minnesota will receive sealed bids up to 7:30 P. M. of August 29th 1916 for one 20 K. W. Generator and Switchboard, according to specifications on file with the village clerk.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the village of Holt, Minn., for 5 per cent of the amount of the bid, which will be returned if the bid is not accepted.

The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

S. S. Kolden, President.
H. B. Young, Clerk.

For Electric Line

Notice is hereby given that the village council of the village of Holt Marshall County Minnesota will receive sealed bids up to 7:30 o'clock P. M. of August 29th, 1916 for the erection of a pole line for the transmission of electric current for lighting purposes, according to specifications on file in the office of the village clerk.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the village of Holt, Minn., for 5 per cent of the amount of the bid, which will be returned if bid is not accepted.

The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

S. S. Kolden, President.
H. B. Young, Clerk.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of John Hanson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of John Hanson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to B. Docken, of Holt, Minn.

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 24th day of February 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS as provided by law.

Dated August 11th, 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

(Probate Court Seal)

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.49
Wheat No. 2	1.45
Wheat No. 3	1.39
Wheat No. 4	1.29
Flax	1.96
Oats	.36
Barley	.56 to .76
Rye	1.05
Flour, Best Patent	4.60

The Holt Weekly News
Successor to and Continuation of
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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Vote for bonds, fire protection and electric lights, and a better and a bigger village. Vote for bonds.

Notice of Special Election

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of August, 1916, in the Kolden store building on Lot 10 in Block 9, Townsite of Holt, for the purpose of voting upon the proposition of erecting and constructing an Electric Light plant to furnish light for public and private purposes within the Village of Holt, and to be owned and maintained by the Village of Holt, and for the further purpose of voting upon the proposition of issuing and selling the bonds of said Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, in the aggregate sum of Six Thousand Dollars ($6,000.00) bearing interest at the rate of 5 1-2 per centum per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the purpose of erecting and constructing such electric light plant and to be numbered One (1) to Six (6) both inclusive, and to mature in Twenty (20) years, as set forth in the resolution of the Village Council of the Village of Holt now on file in the office of the Village Clerk of said Village, the polls to open at 9 o'clock A. M. and remain open until 5 o'clock P. M. of said day.

Dated at Holt, Minnesota, this 18th day of August, 1916.

H. B. Young,
Village Clerk.
Village of Holt, Marshall County Minnesota.

Teachers' Institute

For Marshall County, Minnesota
Warren, Sept. 5th to 8th.

To the Teachers of Marshall Co:-

The Annunal Teachers' Institute for Marshall County will held at Warren, Sept. 5th to 8th. All who intend to teach in the common schools of Marshall Co., during the year 1916-17 will be expected to attend this Institute. Those who have contracted with School Boards to begin on the 5th. may take the week off to attend this Institute without loss of time.

We are unable at this time to give a definite program. However, the following is a general outline of the work that will be taken up:-

I. Methods and Practical Pedagogy
1. Primary reading, language and hand work.
2. Methods in intermediate and grammar grade subjects.
3. Industrial work, hot lunch.
4. Penmanship.

II. School Organization and Management.

III. Rural Sociology and Community Work.
1. Boys' and girls' clubs, playgrounds.
2. Contests- spelling, industrial.
3. Relation of school to community activities, farmers' clubs, etc.

IV. Inspirational Addresses.

Teachers, do not fail to attend this Institute. You will leave it with an abundance of new material and with renewed enthusiam for your work.

The sessions will be held at the Court House beginning every morning at nine o'clock. Be on hand the first morning in time to earn a certificate of perfect attendance.

Yours very truly,
David Johnson,
Supt. of Schools.

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Put Your Crops to Work

The money you receive for your crops this fall should be made to work for you at once. Money not earning interest is losing money.

Our Certificates issued in any amounts, bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent and are backed by every dollar of our strong resources.

Deposit your funds with this Bank.

Farmers State Bank of Holt

Pay by check

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

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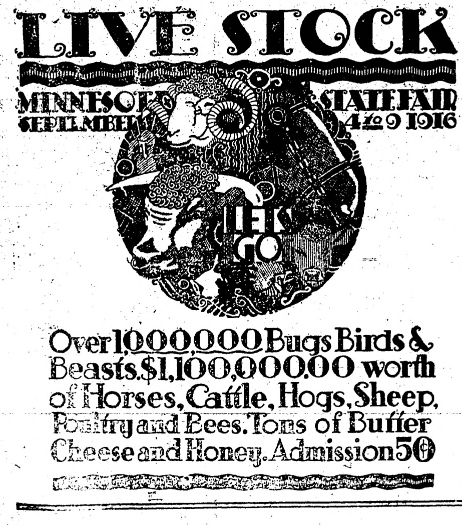

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School Announcements

The Holt School will open Monday Sept. 11.

With transportation provided for all the country children better attendance will be expected. All children of school age should be at school every day from the first. A written excuse will be required for each days absence. Absence without sufficient reason will have to be reported to the County Superintendent.

Children over 14 may be kept out of school for fall work if excused by the Board. However do not keep them out unless necessary as a late start in the fall makes their work hard thruout the year. Also each days absence on the part of those hauled cuts down our transportation aid from the State. Children to be kept at home for work must be reported to a member of the School Board before school starts.

Uniform penciltablets, composition books, spelling tablets, penholders, and pen points will be sold to the children at school.

Parents are urged to visit the school during the year and otherwise keep in touch with the work of the children as this is very essential to the success of the school.

Emil Prushek,
Principal.

Prof. Prushek has been busy since his returned to Holt, erecting different things on the school grounds for the amusement and recreation of the pupil. This phase of school activity is very essential for the development of the child and every parent should appreciate the interest Mr. Prushek has and is taking to make our boys and girls strong physically and mentally.

Coal! Coal!

We have now ordered a big shipment of Hard, Soft and Smokeless Coal. Get your order in early and get benefit of a 50c per ton reduction by taking coal on the tracks.

Winton-Nichols Lumb'r Co
C. L. Sandberg, Agent.

Notice!

Effective at once: This company will not accept perishables or live stock from any connections or shippers that can not be delivered by midnight Sept. 2nd. Effective at once. Explosive will not be accepted.

All other freight will be accepted subject to owners risk of delay. This does not affect Saturday Stock loading which can be delivered at terminal Sunday Sept. 3rd. Be governed accordingly.

T. B. Degmen
Supt. G. N. R. R.

Roumania has entered the war on the side of the allies.

During the past year 208 farm buildings in this state were burned, a loss of $800,000.

Gilbert Johnson and Lars Ring have purchased B. Docken's threshing rig and have commenced work with it and it runs fine.

Dr. Mellby was called yesterday morning to see Egert Johnson, son of E. A. Johnson, who is very low from an attack of consumption.

The young folks gathered at the Alkenbrack home Saturday evening to give Miss Inez a surprise party before her departure for Hopkins to attend high school. A goodly number were present and a delightful evening was spent. Miss Alkenbrack was made the recipient of a beautiful toilet set as a reminder of the occasion.

Bonds Carry

Little interest was taken in Tuesdays village election. Twenty-two votes were cast, all in favor of bonding the village. Twenty votes were cast in favor of the electric light plant and two against it.

Trainmen Will Strike Monday

Indications are that the train crews on nearly all railroads in the U. S. will go on a strike next Monday. The Soo Line and M. & St. L. will probably run out from the twin cities. What the outcome will be no one can tell, but if the strike lasts long there will be suffering untold, business stagnation, failures and probably bloodshed. It is possible the government will take a hand in the deal and run some of the railroads. Perishable freigth will be refused now by the roads.

Look well to your immediate needs.

In Church Circles.

Rev. G. O. Parish will preach in the Mission church at 8 o'clock Monday evening. Sept. 4th.

Mrs. Olaf Johnson (Sanberg) will entertain the Synod Ladies Aid on Wednesday Sept. 6. Everyone invited.

The Free Mission Ladies' Aid will meet in the church basement, this Friday Sept. 1st. All the ladies will please assist with the entertainment.

Rev. Osborn Instanes, of Thief River Falls, will hold English services in the Free Mission church at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening Sept. 5. Everyone invited to attend.

Timothy Seed Wanted

Can use any amount of seed. In case you have any to offer, send sample and state amount. Will be glad to make bid on same.

Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co.,
15 Thief River Falls, Minn.

Doings of the Village Council.

Special meeting Aug. 29th.

The bids of H. J. Olson of Warren were accepted for generator, switchboard and pole line. Price for former $644.95, for pole line, $1073.80. All other bids were considerably higher.

The resignation of R. L. Olson as village official was accepted.

The village ditching job was awarded Saturday afternoon to Tom Larson for 84c a rod.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and two children were Sunday visitors at the August Larson home in Newfolden.

Mrs. S. H. Nohre underwent an operation, at the Warren hospital last week, for appendicitis and tumor of the stomach, and is now getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steinhauer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Steinhauer, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jacobson, Misses Clara and Ada Jacobson, and Pete Jardy were pleasantly entertained at the Frank Coppay home Sunday.

The University of Minnesota
Northwest School of Agriculture

Crookston, Minn., was founded ten years ago. Hundreds of students from Northwestern Minnesota have taken courses and nearly 300 have graduated.

Its various courses running from three months to four years offer a wide range of training. With its competent corps of teachers and specialists, substantial buildings and equipment, and excellent organization, it offers its services to all who apply. Full information upon application to C. G. Selvig, Superintendent, Crookston, Minnesota.

Your State Laws

The laws of our state, as concerns savings banks, have been framed to protect the interests of depositors.

Good banking laws, together with good men in the bank, are the best protection the depositor can have.

If you are a depositor in this bank, you have both. Good men obeying good laws—that is the guarantee we give our patrons.

If such an evidence of protection and service appeals to you, we shall be glad to have you deposit here. You can begin with $1.00.

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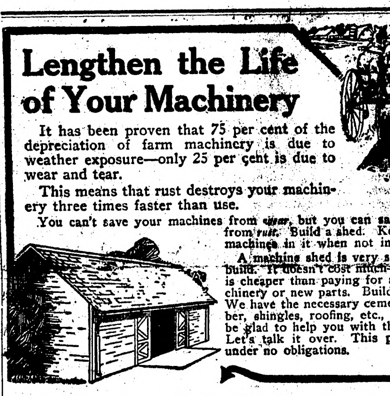

Lengthen the Life of Your Machinery

It has been proven that 75 per cent of the depreciation of farm machinery is due to weather exposure—only 25 per cent is due to wear and tear.

This means that rust destroys your machinery three times faster than use.

You can't save your machines from wear, but you can save them from rust. Build a shed. Keep your machines in it when not in use.

A machine shed is very simple to build. It doesn't cost much—in fact, is cheaper than paying for new machinery or new parts. Build it now. We have the necessary cement, lumber, shingles, roofing, etc., and will be glad to help you with the plans. Let's talk it over. This puts you under no obligations.

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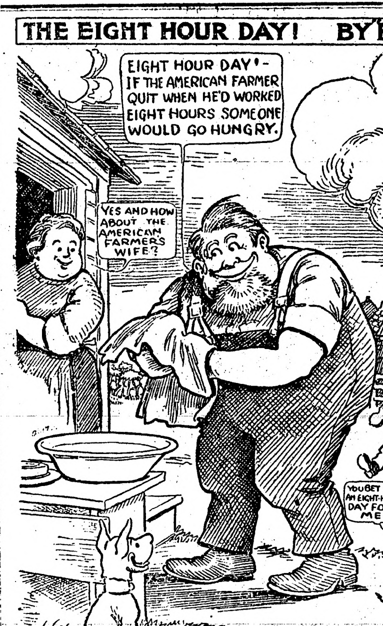

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FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

Reports are to the effect that Greek military authorities have agreed to withdraw their troops from eighteen villages near the frontier.

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The German submarine Bremen reported to be proceeding to the United States, is well on its way, according to a dispatch from Copenhagen.

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Both allied wings on the Saloniki front, where the soldiers of at least seven nations are in battle, are being bent back by the Bulgarians, according to London reports.

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A report has been received in Berlin by the Nachrichter Zeitung which says that the German submarine Deutschland arrived safely at Bremen from the United States.

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Major Norton Mattos, the Portuguese minister of war, announced at Lisbon a few days ago that Portugal soon will participate in the war, fighting on the side of the entente allies.

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Germany has ordered the Bulgarians to discontinue their advance into Greece and to evacuate occupied Greek territory, fearing Greece will be drawn into the war, according to reports.

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An Amsterdam newspaper says it learns that General von Bissing, governor general of the occupied portions of Belgium, has remitted the fine of 50,000 pounds imposed on Brussels for celebrating national fete day, July 21.

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The principal improvement in the larger Zeppelins, in addition to their great carrying capacity, is their increased proof against anti-aircraft shell fire, according to a German naval officer, who commanded a super-Zeppelin in a recent attack on points in England.

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The German government has issued a decree providing for the introduction of meat cards for the whole empire on October 2. The maximum amount of meat provided for under the new card system will be 250 grams (slightly more than half a pound) weekly.

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Herr von Battocki, president of the German Food Regulation board, in an interview with a Hungarian journalist, stated that negotiations are progressing between Berlin and Budapest with a view to inducing Hungary to turn over the surplus of the Hungarian wheat crop to Germany.

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The German commerce submarine Deutschland, which left Baltimore, Md., on August 1, eluded at least eight English warships and a whole fleet of American fishing schooners, in the employ of the allies, off the Virginia capes, and made her way safely to Bremen. During the whole journey of 4,200 miles the Deutschland was submerged only for 110 miles.

GENERAL.

Helen Chimes, champion Nebraska pacer, owned by Schinstock brothers of West Point, won the $2,000 Hal McKinney purse at the Great Western race meet at Omaha.

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During September or October Theodore Roosevelt is to make a speaking tour of Illinois, Indiana and other central and western states in behalf of the republican national ticket.

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All the Baltimore city playgrounds, between thirty and forty in number, were ordered closed by the health authorities as a measure of precaution to prevent infantile paralysis from becoming epidemic in Baltimore.

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A fire and explosion in a Chicago Standard Oil company warehouse containing 38,000 gallons of gasoline and kerosene, resulted in the death of one man, and the serious injuring of eight others. The damage is estimated at $75,000

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Not since the days of the civil war has hogs brought higher prices than that paid on the Chicago stock market last week when several loads of porkers sold for $11.30 per hundred pounds.

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A verdict of murder was brought in at Twin Falls Idaho, by a coroner's jury, against two boys, brothers, 12 and 11 years old, respectively, who have confessed to shooting and killing a manual training teacher of Carson, Nev., when he caught the boys robbing his cabin.

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William J. Bryan will go on a speaking tour for President Wilson, beginning September 15 and continuing until election day, speaking in every eastern and midwest state, except Missouri and Michigan.

The commissioners on uniform state laws at Chicago voted unanimous approval of the Torrens system of land registration.

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Infantile paralysis appears to be spreading in New Jersey. The total number of places now affected in the state is 205, the total number of cases being 2,163.

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The loss of life from the tropical storm which struck Corpus Christi, Texas, and ten adjacent south Texas counties late last week has been placed at thirteen.

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The New York Herald has reduced the price of its weekday issue from 3 cents to 1 cent in New York city and outlying metropolitan districts. The reduction took effect on Tuesday, August 22.

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Residents of Villisca and Montgomery county, Iowa, are raising funds at mass meetings to continue the investigation of the eight Villisca ax murders of the summer of 1912.

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A. W. Garner, of Drapersville, Va., was 90 years old before he ventured to take a ride in an automobile, and the car in which he took his first ride plunged over a sixty-foot embankment killing Garner and injuring four others, including his wife.

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The International Institute of Agriculture at Rome, Italy, reports that with harvesting very nearly completed in most European countries, indications are that the 1916 world's wheat supply will be almost 25 per cent less than last year's.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

A Japanese physician by the name of Nodko claims to have brought about the death of Villa by slow poisoning, given under the guise of medical treatment, according to a story printed in several Chihuahua papers.

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The story of a Villa chief with his own hands cutting off the ears of twenty prisoners, who later were shot, is told by a rescued prisoner in El Democota of Chihuahua City, copies of which arrived at El Paso a few days ago.

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Brigadier General Pershing declared in a report to Washington that the general opinion was that "Villa's prestige is gone and that he can never again become a serious factor in Mexican affairs."

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Leo S. Rowe, professor of political economy at the University of Pennsylvania, who was secretary of the recent Pan-American Financial congress, will be secretary of the American group of the joint commission which will seek a solution of Mexican difficulties.

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Carrier pigeons are the latest recruits to the United States army on the Mexican border. Fifty fliers, donated by the American Carrier Pigeon association to the United States signal corps branch at Columbus, are on hand. It is said the recruits are all racing birds.

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Militiamen encamped along the border are forbidden to act as press correspondents by orders from General Pershing. A number of guardsmen who are newspaper men in civil life and had been acting as correspondents for home papers and other publications are affected by the new rule.

WASHINGTON.

President Wilson let it be known to callers recently that he will veto the immigration bill again if it comes to him for signature.

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Secretary Flanagan of the federal farm loan board has issued a warning to farmers that solicitors are busy in several states without authority of the board attempting to collect money for the organization of national farm loan association.

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Investigation of reports from Panama that a 60,000-acre land concession at the Atlantic end of the canal is being sought by a Spaniard named Fernandez, presumably for Japanese interests, was ordered by Secretary Lansing.

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Secretary Lansing announced that the American members of the joint commission to undertake settlement of differences between the United States and Mexico would be Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior; Judge George Gray of Wilmington, Del., and Dr. John R. Mott of New York City.

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Despite the fact that the cost of living has gone up approximately 10 per cent since the outbreak of the European war, the cost of subsistence in the navy has decreased ¾ of a cent per man this year, as compared with the fiscal year of 1914

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In an effort to curb artificially high prices for news print paper, Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, democrat, proposed an amendment to the revenue bill placing a graduated tax on all news print sold for more than $45 a ton.

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A surplus of $5,200,000 from the postal service during the fiscal year ended June 30 was reported to President Wilson by Postmaster General Burleson.

What's Doing in Minnesota

St. Cloud. — Picnics of the St. Cloud grocers and the M. E. church were postponed because of the spread of infantile paralysis in this section.

Duluth. — Rye sold at $1.20 a bushel, the highest price ever recorded for it on the Duluth Board of Trade, Aug. 22. The highest previous price for rye was $1.17.

Virginia. — An automobile driven by Munroe Shandeling and carrying eleven persons, mostly children, to a Jewish picnic at Ely lake, turned over today, killing one child and injuring most of the others.

Red Lake Falls. — The only remaining "wet" towns in Northwestern Minnesota, Red Lake Falls and Plummer, probably will be "closed" soon by the Federal Indian bureau, according to prohibition headquarters.

Owatonna. — Miss Rosette Hendrix of Minneapolis has been re-elected president of the Minnesota Women's Christian Temperance union of the annual convention here. With but one exception, other executive officers also were re-elected.

Winona. — Funeral services for Charles E. Ely, the first white boy to walk what now are the streets of Winona, have taken place at De Smet, S. D. Ely died in a sanitorium at Hot Springs, S. D. He had been in poor health for years.

Owatonna. — The state board of visitors has submitted to Governor Burnquist a highly commendatory report on conditions at the state public school for indigent children at Owatonna. There are 211 boys and 107 girls in the institution.

St. Paul. — The commission recently appointed by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist to revise and codify Minnesota laws relating to children, at a second meeting which was held at the state capitol, adopted a plan of organization and procedure.

Bemidji. — Members of the state normal school board and the presidents of the five state normals, with their wives, were guests here. They met to consider plans relative to the erection of the new normal school here. The site of the proposed building was inspected and general plans agreed on.

Fergus Falls. — L. L. LaRue, traveling passenger agent of the Great Northern railroad in this district for several years, has been transferred to the freight department, with headquarters at St. Paul. Mr. LaRue will be in charge of the territory out of Great Falls, Mont., and will spend most of his time in that section.

West St. Paul. — Governor J. A. A. Burnquist has signed a proclamation calling a special election November 7 on the petition of citizens of West St Paul and vicinity asking that part of Dakota county be set aside and annexed to Ramsey county. The election will be in the district affected and on the same day as the general election.

St. Paul. — Andrew E. Fritz, state public examiner, in a report of an examination just completed of St. Paul municipal departments and made public shows a practical shortage of $2,575 in armory funds unaccounted for in the records, also numerous minor irregularities and cites a need for more systematic and thorough accounting by the city administration.

St. Paul. — Vigilance for several seasons is necessary in Minnesota to prevent the spread of the white pine blister rust, according to a statement made by F. L. Washburn, state entomologist. The blister attacks many varieties of evergreen trees, as well as many kinds of shrubs. The white pine blister rust has been found in two nurseries near the eastern border of Minnesota.

Faribault. — According to Lyndon A Smith, attorney general, a further inquiry by Louis S. Headley, one of his assistants, into the condition of the Fire Relief association at Faribault, tends to sustain findings in the examination by J. O. Cederberg, deputy public examiner, whose report charged Edward F. Kelley as treasurer of the organization with $11,188 alleged shortage.

St. Paul. — According to a statement issued by State Auditor J. A. O. Preus, a new high record will be set this year in Minnesota's production of iron ore, despite recent reductions attributed to the strike on the Mesaba range. The auditor estimates that 1916 shipments from Minnesota mines will reach or exceed 40,000,000 tons, compared with the previous high record of 36,338,264 tons in 1913.

Minnesota, with an annual potato crop of 36,000,000 bushels, and which last year led all other states of the Union in the harvest of the tubers, will fall far short of its mark this year. This is the opinion expressed by H. G. Krum, Ramsey county agricultural agent, and is based on the shortage of the early crop and the present condition of the late crop which usually is harvested about October 1.

Argyle. — Optimism is rampant in the Red River valley, according to H. L. Melgaard, president of the Farmers & Merchants' bank. Mr. Melgaard asserted the farmers rather take the talk of a crop failure as a joke, as they have so much of last year's big crop left over that many are holding on to it in the hope of $2 wheat.

It is up to the State Highway Commission and the various county boards to make the best possible use of the $142,394.06 which the Federal government has assigned as Minnesota's share of the $5,000,000 appropriation under the Federal road act.

Complain of Drinking Water.

There has been considerable complaint in the national guard camp here concerning the quality of the drinking water, but this problem is being solved by the boiling of the water and the use of large water bags which act not only as filters but cool the water as well. When the Third, the first of the Minnesota regiments to arrive here, went into camp there was scarcely any water at hand. An hour or so after the troops detrained a Mexican teamster brought a tank of water in a tank wagon which apparently had been used for oil.

Taste Oil and Alkali.

In addition to the natural alkali taste of the water it also tasted of oil. It was warm and the men could not drink enough of it to satisfy their thirst.

Barrels were used at first as the receptacles for the drinking water. They were for the most part open and exposed to dust and mosquitos. Ice in sufficient quantities to cool the water for the entire regiment was not forthcoming for several days, and it was during this period that many men of the Third were ill of bowel trouble.

Analysis Shows Larvae.

It was about a week after the Third arrived before water could be drawn from the taps, the officials in charge having rushed the troops in here without adequate provision for supplying them with water.

After about two weeks in camp it finally dawned on the military authorities that it might be well to analyze the water. An analysis was made and the report shows that the water as drawn from the open canals contained mosquito larvae.

It was then that an order was issued to boil the water for twenty minutes before permitting the soldiers to drink it.

Receptacles Too Small.

This was a safe and sane order, but the receptacles for boiling the water were small and the companies were provided with an unsufficient number of receptacles to supply enough water for the men, who were then engaged to a large extent in fatigue duty.

If there had been plenty of ice to cool the boiled water rapidly the system might have been successful, but there was a scarcity of ice for several days, and I saw scores of men drinking from the taps before the water was boiled.

These water bags hold about fifty gallons of water. They are hung above the ground, where the breeze will strike them, thus cooling the contents. Each bag has four taps, operated by the pressure of the finger.

Bags Solve Problem.

There is no contamination of the water by the dipping in of greasy cups. These taps also are used in the filling of canteens.

It is possible to boil the water now and keep these bags filled with a plentiful supply of cool water.

When every company is equipped with one of these water bags—and most of the companies have requisitioned them—there should be no further complaint regarding the quality or quantity of drinking water in this camp.

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Guards Back for Recruits.

Twenty-seven of the Minnesota boys in khaki, brown of skin, hard of muscle and with the gleam of two months of out-of-doors in their eyes, jumped out of a tourist car at the St. Paul union station and joined in a rush to the telephones to call up home or friends. The men are from all three regiments and have come back to get 800 recruits to bring the regiments up to war strength.

Here are the Minneapolis boys.

Lieutenant Henry R. Prescott, Sergeants Sidney Hayes, Reynolds Bairncross and John C. Gates, Corporals Harry S. Shoults and Richard Cullum and Privates James G. Nye and Loring L. Williams. The boys from St. Paul are Lieut. Milo A. Price, Sergeant Frank Fogle and Private John C. Parsons.

From All Parts of State.

The others are from all over the state. They are:

Capt A. O. Stubested commanding the recruit detail and hailing from Winona; Lieut. Donald F. Mackenzie, Second regiment; Lieutenants William A. Brown and Edward B. Coultier, Third; Sergeants Alvin H. Schutz and Robert W. Craig, Second, Sergeants Peter Romanski and George Stevenson, Third; Corporals Rudolph D. Robeck and William Gerrity, Second; Corporals John L. Carmody and Joseph D. Nelson, Third; Privates Stewart Griswold and Russell Barneck, Second, and Privates Ernest Eckhelm and Clinton C. Welborn, Third.

For Indefinite Stay.

The men bought breakfast in a restaurant near the union depot in St. Paul and without waiting to go home entrained on the St. Paul street railway for Fort Snelling, where they reported at 9:30 for orders to Capt. George R. Greene of the United States army, chief mustering officer at the fort, who will assign them to their recruiting divisions.

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To Raze Buildings in 23 Towns.

Orders have been issued by Robert W. Hargadine, state fire marshal, condemning 23 buildings in scattered towns of the state. A shack at the main entrance to the fair grounds at St. Cloud was ordered razed following complaints from citizens there. Other orders included condemnations of four buildings in West Concord, two each in Willmar, Rice, Winnebago, St. Clair and Rushford and one building each in Kenyon, Hutchinson, Mantorville, Dodge Center, Hardwick, New Prague and Glencoe.

ELEVEN CARS PILE UP IN AUTOMOBILE RACE; TWO KILLED

EIGHT ARE INJURED, ONE FATALLY, DURING HUNDRED-MILE CONTEST ON TRACK AT KALAMAZOO PARK.

MECHANICIAN DECAPITATED; DRIVER'S HEAD IS CRUSHED

Peacock's Machine, Leading in Race, Skids and Strikes Fence at First Turn—10 Cars Going at Terrific Clip Plough Through the Wreckage.

Kalamazoo, Aug. 29.—Two men were killed and eight others injured, one of them fatally, when 11 of the 14 automobiles piled up at the first turn during the 100-mile race at Recreation park here.

The dead are: Marion Arnold, mechanician, Chicago, decapitated, and Peacock, driver, Brooklyn, both hips broken and head crushed; died in hospital.

F. E. Marquette, Kalamazoo, mechanician for Peacock, head injured and left leg broken in three places, unconscious, is not expected to live.

Other Racers Injured.

Harold W. Downs, Kalamazoo, driver, cut about face and head.

Roy Newton, Kalamazoo, mechanician for Downs, cuts on face and head.

Thomas Ball, Coldwater, Mich., driver, back injured.

Guy L. Bailey, Coldwater, Mich., mechanician for Ball, face and back injured.

Jimmy Alexander, Sioux City, Ia., mechanician, badly bruised.

Andy Burt, driver, Chicago, badly bruised.

Otto Henning, driver, Chicago, minor injuries.

Car Skids; Strikes Fence.

The accident occurred when Peacock's car, leading in the race, skidded and struck the fence at the first turn. It was overturned and thrown squarely across the track. Ten of the machines going at a terrific clip ploughed into the wreckage.

ECONOMIES ANNOUNCED BY MILWAUKEE PAPERS

Publishers Endeavor to Cope With Famine in Print Paper—To Reduce Sizes.

Milwaukee, Aug. 28.—Newspapers in this city, endeavoring to cope with the famine in print paper, have announced economies that will reduce the consumption of paper 15 to 25 tons a week.

On September 1 eight of the papers here will discontinue the return privilege, whereby unsold copies have been accepted and the news dealers credited with the number unsold.

Reductions in the size of the papers have also been made.

MEXICAN COMMISSIONERS EN ROUTE TO NEW YORK

Will Endeavor to Settle With American Board Points in Dispute Between Two Nations.

Mexico City, Aug 28 The Mexican commissioners who are to endeavor to settle with an American commission points in dispute between the United States and Mexico have departed for New York. Luis Cabrera, president of the Mexican commission, accompanied by James Linn Rodgers, the American representative to the Carranza government, proceeded to Vera Cruz, when they will sail for Key West on board the United States transport Dixie.

ARCHBISHOP SPALDING DIES

Noted Prelate of Catholic Church in Illinois Stricken

Peoria, Ill., Aug. 28. — Archbishop John Lancaster Spalding, noted prelate of the Catholic church in Illinois, and a resident of Peoria, continuously since 1877, when he was elected to the position of bishop of the newly created Peoria diocese, died at his residence here.

He had been ill for a number of years, having suffered a paralytic stroke in 1906.

BREMEN BEARS CARGO DYES

German Merchant Submarine on Way to America, Berlin Says.

Berlin, Aug. 28.—By wireless to Sayville. The Cologne Gazette as quoted by the Overseas News agency says the German merchant submarine Bremen is now on her way to the United States with a cargo of dyes.

Turk Leader Denounces Teuton Aides.

London, Aug. 26.—The Grand Sheriff of Mecca, chief magistrate of the Holy City, who announced his independence of Ottoman rule in June and, supported by Arab tribes, captured the Turkish garrisons of Mecca and several other cities, has proclaimed a definite rupture between orthodox Mohammedans and those represented by the committee of union and progress, which is now in power in Turkey. In his proclamation he denounces Enver Pasha, Talaat Bey and Djemal Pasha, stanch supporters of Germany.

HOW MRS. BEAN MET THE CRISIS

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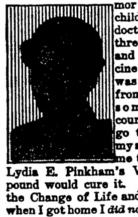

Nashville, Tenn.—"When I was going through the Change of Life I had a tumor as large as a child's head. The doctor said it was three years coming and gave me medicine for it until I was called away from the city for some time. Of course I could not go to him then, so my sister-in-law told me that she thought Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound would cure it. It helped both the Change of Life and the tumor and when I got home I *did not need the doctor*. I took the Pinkham remedies until the tumor was gone, the doctor said, and I have not felt it since. I tell every one how I was cured. If this letter will help others you are welcome to use it."—Mrs. E. H. Bean, 525 Joseph Avenue, Nashville, Tenn.

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NO USE FOR HEARSE THERE

Sleepy Driver's Horses Brought His Unwelcome Vehicle to the Wrong Neighborhood.

Carl Blessing, a young farmer, living near Columbus, was at work in a field some distance from his home. He happened to look in the direction of his house and then stopped to look again. A hearse was being driven up the lane and as he stood there watching, the horses stopped with the hearse at the Blessing gate. Blessing ran to the house to see what had happened. On the front seat of the hearse was the driver, fast asleep. Blessing awakened him.

"are you not dead?" the driver asked.

"Not that you could notice," Blessing returned

"Well, isn't anybody dead here?"

"Not unless they died in the last five minutes," said Blessing.

"Then" the driver realized he had gone to sleep and the horses had turned into the Blessing lane of their own accord He remembered that he was going to the White creek neighborhood, so he turned around, went down the lane and remained awake until he arrived at his destination.—Indianapolis News.

A bore is a person who has nothing to do but sit around and visit.

Many a man has made a fortune by not writing poetry.

That Knife-Like Pain
Have you a lame back, aching day and night? Do you feel sharp pains after stooping? Are the kidneys sore? Is their action irregular? Do you have headaches, backaches, rheumatic pains,—feel tired, nervous, all worn-out? Use Doan's Kidney Pills—the medicine recommended by so many people in this locality. Read the experience that follows:
A Montana Case
J. H. Kugler, R. F. D. No. 1, Bozeman, Mont., says: "I suffered from attacks of backache and pains in my loins for ten years. Work brought a strain on my kidneys. Often the kidney secretions were profuse, then scanty and painful in passage. There was a sort of brickdust sediment in them, too. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me as soon as I took them and before long they rid me of kidney trouble."
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MAKING RAPID STRIDES

Canada Improving in Every Way —Agriculturally, Commercially and Financially.

The reports coming to hand every day from all branches of industry in Canada speak highly of the constructive ability of that country.

Recently the managing directors of the Canadian Credit Men's Association gave out the statement that business in Western Canada was good. In every branch it is better than in 1913, and everyone will remember that in that year business was excellent. He says:

"The beauty of it is the way in which payments are coming in. Merchants all over the West are taking their cash discounts. Such a transformation I never saw.

"From the records in the office I knew it was getting better. We clear here every retail merchant in the country every three months, and we are therefore in the closest touch and have intimate knowledge of the way trade is going and how payments are being made. Conditions at the present moment are better than I had dreamed it was possible that they should be.

"The statements which we are receiving with reference to the standing of country merchants indicates that there will be very few failures this fall. It is quite remarkable. Men who have been behind for years and in the hole are actually paying spot cash for everything, and taking their cash discounts. Banks and loan companies this fall will have more money than they know what to do with.

"This is about the condition of trade, and I am glad to say there is no exaggeration in what I have said. The business of the prairie provinces is in splendid condition."

Crop reports are also good. From all parts comes the word that the crop conditions were never better, and the situation at the time of writing is that there will be fully as great a yield as in 1915, when the average of wheat over the entire country was upwards of 30 bushels per acre. The harvest therefore will be a heavy one—and, following the magnificent harvest of last year, the farmers of Western Canada will all be in splendid shape. Old indebtednesses, much of which followed them from their old homes, are being wiped out, improvements are now being planned, and additional acres added to their present holdings.

During the past year there was a large increase in the land sales both by the Canadian Pacific and Canadian Northern land companies, as well as by private individuals. A great many of the purchases were made by farmers who thus secured adjoining quarters or halves, the best evidence probably that could be had of the value of Western Canada land when those who know the country best are adding to their holdings. A number of outsiders have also been purchasers, but very little land has changed hands for speculative purposes.

An evidence of the prosperity of the country is found in the fact that such a large number of farmers are purchasing automobiles.

Alleged hard times in Manitoba have not dampened the ardor of motorists or prospective ones. The automobile license department reported a few days since that there are 1,600 more private owners of cars in the province this year than last. The number of licenses issued this year was 10,400, as against 8,800 last year. At an average cost of $1,000 each the newly purchased cars represent a total outlay of $1,600,000, while the total number of cars in the province are worth approximately $10,000,000. The new cars are of modern types.

Many people, for some unexplained reason, have feared and continue to fear that this country will experience a period of industrial and business dullness after the war. There seems to be no justification for such a speculation.

On the contrary, there are sound reasons for belief in the prediction of Mr. Kingman Nott Robins, vice president of the Farm Mortgage Bankers' Association of America, who, in the Monetary Times, declares that Canada will experience her greatest proportionate development in production immediately after the conclusion of the war. The country will certainly have exceptionally favorable commercial conditions to take advantage of.

There will be the great need of Europe in the work of reconstruction, and along with this, the natural tendency of the allies to trade among themselves, and perhaps special trading privileges. Mr. Robins points out that the greatest development in the United States followed the costly and destructive civil war.

Mr. Robins, in an address before the Bondmen's Club of Chicago, expressed the opinion of a far-thinking mind and the review of an experience of the last of his numerous trips through the Canadian West. When he said he regarded the spirit of the Canadian people, as he found it, the most admirable and encouraging feature of the entire situation. They are facing the sacrifices of war courageously and with calm confidence as to the result, and in similar spirit they face the economic future, confident, but expecting to solve their problems only by dint of hard and intelligent effort.

An important part of Mr. Robins' address, which invites earnest attention, is that in which he refers to the land situation, and when his remarks are quoted they carry with them the impression gained by one who has given the question the careful thought of a man experienced in economic questions, and specially those relating to soil and its production. He is quoted as saying:

"Agricultural Canada was never so prosperous, and immigration of agricultural population both during and after the war seems a logical expectation, finding support in an increasing immigration at present from the United States, in spite of numerous canards spread broadcast throughout the United States to discourage emigration to Canada. The lands of Western Canada, however, as long as they are as at present the most advantageous for the settler of any on the continent, must continue to attract, despite misrepresentation, and on the increase of its agricultural and other primarily productive population depends the economic future of Canada. All other problems are secondary to this, and the large interests of Canada, recognizing this fact, are preparing to secure and hold this population both during and after the war. They are content to let city development and other secondary phases and superstructure follow in natural course. This recognition of the true basis of economic development is an encouraging augury for the future."

"The war has brought the United States and Canada nearer together economically than ever before. The total investment of United States capital in Canada doubtless exceeds $1,000,000,000, of which $300,000,000 has been invested since the war began. Except for Great Britain, Canada is the United States' best customer. Our exports to all of South America in the last three years were less than a third of our exports to Canada in the same period, although Canada has been rigidly reducing her imports since the war began. Even France, a good customer of the United States, bought $70,000,000 less than Canada during 1913, 1914, 1915. And yet Canada's purchasing power is in the first stages of development only. It has been estimated that the United States can support a population of 600,000,000. Using the same basis of calculation in reference to natural resources, Canada can support a population of 400,000,000.

"Canada is potentially the most populous, and, in primary production, at least, the richest unit of the British empire, and it behooves us in the United States to know our Canada."

The social conditions throughout Western Canada are everything that could be desired. Schools have been established in all districts where there may be ten or twelve children of school age, and these are largely maintained by liberal government grants. A fund for this purpose is raised from the revenue derived from the sale of school land, one-eighteenth of all lands being set aside as school lands. All the higher branches of education are cared for, there being high schools at all important centers, and colleges and universities in the principal cities.

The different religious denominations prevail, each having its separate church, and religious services are held in every hamlet and village, and in far-off settlements the pastor finds an attentive congregation. The rural telephone is one of the great modern conveniences that brings the farm home nearer to the market.

It is not saying too much to state that in matters of social importance, in the most remote settlements they carry with them the same influence as is to be found in the most prosperous farming districts of any of the states of the Union.—Advertisement.

Hard to Suit.

Mrs. Instile—I don't want that hat Nobody wears anything like that now.

The Milliner—Here's a charming little toque.

Mrs. Instile Take it away Every body has one like that

Truthful Wife.

A detective was praising the truthfulness of women.

"If war bulletins were as truthful as women," he said, "we'd have a better idea of how this world struggle is really going.

"I remember a case the other day, it's interesting in its revelation of woman's truthfulness—the case of a husband who had disappeared.

"Questioning the wife, I said to her:

"'And now, madam, tell me—this is very important—tell me what your husband's very last words were when he left?'

"'His last words,' the truthful creature answered, with a blush, 'were, "For heaven's sake, shut up!"'"

Nothing can be made out of nothing.

Forget to Pay.

Patrons of Winchester barber shops seem to have a mania for forgetting to pay their tonsorial bills. In many cases it is done unintentionally.

One evening, recently, a former Winchester resident who now lives in California entered a barber shop for a haircut and shave He was in a hurry. His business for the evening included a lodge meeting and most important of all, catching a train for his home. Many of his old-time friends were in the shop when he stepped from the chair. He bade them all good-by and started to leave the shop He had not yet paid his bill

"Did you forget something?" the barber asked as the customer was leaving the shop.

"Oh, yes. I beg your pardon" the customer replied. "Good by, good by"

And the bill still remains unpaid.—Indianapolis News.

A flirt usually begins to lose interest in a man after she gets him to admit that he loves her.

ROUMANIA CASTS LOT WITH ALLIES; WAR IS DECLARED

SENDS TRAINED ARMY OF 600,000 MEN AGAINST CENTRAL POWERS—AUSTRIA IN PRECARIOUS POSITION.

ENEMY TROOPS TAKEN, BERLIN REPORT CLAIMS

Statement Says Fighting Has Begun—German Federal Council Meets to Declare War—Roumania's Action Expected to Influence Greece.

Berlin, Aug. 29.—Fighting has begun between Roumanian and Teutonic troops on the Transylvanian frontier, a late official announcement indicates. The announcement says the Roumanians were captured on the Transylvanian frontier.

London, Aug. 29.—Roumania has joined the Allies with her well trained army of 600,000 men.

An official statement from Berlin says that Roumania declared war on Austro-Hungary Sunday night. The French foreign office announced that Roumania has issued a declaration of war against the Teutonic powers.

Germany Retaliates.

The German federal council met Monday morning and probably will declare war on Roumania at once, said an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from the Hague. Bulgaria and Turkey are expected to issue similar declarations.

There is every indication that Germany will follow Roumania's action with a declaration of war before many hours.

Greece to Follow Suit.

A message from the Hague says word has been received from Berlin that the German government will hand his passports to the Roumanian minister.

Roumania's decision was reached at a meeting of the crown council summoned by King Ferdinand. It came at the end of two years of anxious waiting in which the Roumanian diplomats watched with tensest interest the military fortunes of the Allies. The Roumanian declaration is expected to signal Greece's early entrance into the war on the side of the Allies.

BULGARIANS ADVANCE; GREECE IS NEARER WAR

King Holds New Conference with Ministers—Pro-Ally Demonstrations Held Throughout Nation.

Athens, Aug. 29.—Bulgaria's continued advance into Greek territory and the occupation of Greek forts at the port of Kavath has brought Greece appreciably nearer to war.

No new decision has been reached by the government, but King Constantine was to hold another conference with his ministers and war chiefs.

Pro-Ally newspapers are demanding an immediate declaration of war against Bulgaria and Germany, while the pro-German papers for the most part are silent.

Pro-Ally demonstrations are being held throughout Greece, centering in Athens, where ex-Premier Venizelos, leader of the Greek war party, addressed 50,000 cheering adherents.

LAW TO HALT STRIKE SOUGHT

Senator and Attorney General Discuss Possible Legislation.

Washington, Aug. 29.—Senator F. G. Newlands, chairman of the commerce committee of the senate, spent an entire morning with Acting Attorney General George C. Todd, Mr Gregory being absent in Maine. The precise object of their conference was not revealed, but it was known to include consideration of possible amendments to the interstate commerce act and also the question of framing an arbitration act which would meet the present situation.

The acting attorney general, looking at the situation from a lawyer's viewpoint, believed that an act might be framed making it unlawful to abandon interstate commerce without notice This would bind the railroads and the men.

Adjournment Hope Fades.

Washington, Aug. 29.—Hope for adjournment of congress this week was killed when Senator John W. Kern, democratic floor leader, announced the senate could not possibly get through with its program by Friday, as had been planned.

Hard to Move Big Australian Crop.

Melbourne, Australia, Aug. 29.—The government's purchase of 15 large steamships in England to be operated by the commonwealth in the movement of Australian wheat to Europe will not go far towards solving the problem. The steamers have a total cargo capacity of 120,000 tons, but it is doubtful if they can make more than two trips each to Europe before the end of the year, and this will dispose of only 5,000,000 bushels of the huge quantity of the cereal that is awaiting shipment here.

RAILROADS PLAN TO RUN TRAINS AS STRIKE IMPENDS

"WE ARE READY" IS STATEMENT FROM BOTH EXECUTIVES AND EMPLOYES—MEN BLAME PRESIDENTS.

ULTIMATUM DEMANDS A DEFINITE REPLY TO PLAN

Wilson's Message Designed to Determine Issue of Peace or War Between Roads and Unions Delivered Following Conference.

Washington, Aug. 28.—"We are ready." This statement came from both railroad executives and employes, as a national transportation paralysis loomed up. Railroad managers contended they could keep sufficient trains running through "loyal" employes to prevent a milk and food famine—and its consequent garnering of death and desolation.

The employes said there might be a few ready to continue work, but that the roads as a whole would be tied up tighter than a drum. In the railroad camp, the grimmest fighters said "Put white lead on the engines and lay everything off."

Must Provide Food.

The most conservative said: "We must see that the babies have their milk and the nation its food."

Down the street, the employes said the guilt for ruin or starvation would lie upon the railroad kings. It developed that while the railroad presidents have been wrestling with the problem of meeting President Wilson's proposal, the managers, somewhat sidetracked from the phase of the situation, have been working out plans for handling an actual strike if it comes.

Train Operation Planned.

A comprehensive plan is complete, they now declare. Plans include details of train operation. Emergency schedules have been made and it is known that since the beginning of the negotiations embargoes on some commodities have been considered. One railroad official said that immediately upon declaration of a strike embargoes would be placed on war munitions and drygoods and imperishable commodities not regarded as necessities. The first thought of the roads would be to carry foodstuffs.

A reason for the extensive strike plans, one executive said, is the roads' feeling that all the brotherhood members are not behind a strike movement.

Sends Ultimatum.

After a conference with the brotherhood presidents, Mr. Wilson called in the spokesmen for the 100 railroad executives gathered here and informed them that they must return a formal and definite answer to his plan for averting the strike.

Following the receipt of the ultimatum, the executives instructed the special committee of eight, headed by President Hale Holden of the Burlington system, to frame an answer accepting in part the president's plan and proposing material modifications therein.

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT OPENS

Veterans of the Civil War Gather in Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug 28 A city of red, white and blue greeted the opening of the golden jubilee encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic here today. All of the buildings in the downtown district, as well as many houses in the residential section, are draped from top to bottom with bunting and flags

Fully 75,000 visitors are in town. Nearly 40,000 of this number are federal veterans of the Civil war. The rest are delegates to the conventions of the auxiliaries of the G. A. R.

At Convention hall tonight the general committee which has made all the arrangements for the encampment will turn over its work to Elias R. Monford of Cincinnati, commander in chief of the G. A. R.

U. S. Guns to Be Larger Than "42s"

Washington, Aug. 28.—Army ordnance experts are at work on designs for huge field howitzers, as large or larger than the German 42 centimeter guns which wrecked Belgian and French forts early in the war. They will be at least 16-inch calibre with a range of 12 to 15 miles, hurling a projectile weighing more than a ton and carrying a huge amount of high explosive.

Would Change Reserve Bank Law.

Washington, Aug. 28.—Representative Kitchin, the Democratic leader, has introduced a bill to authorize member banks of the Federal Reserve system to make "reasonable" instead of the actual cost of charges now allowed by law for the clearing or collection of checks. Representative Glass, chairman of the banking committee, introduced a measure which would facilitate the transfer of large sums of money between federal reserve banks by permitting the issue of gold certificates.

Something in His Favor.

"There's one thing I will say for that fellow whose mistakes cause so much trouble."

"What is it?"

"He doesn't claim that his intentions were good, anyhow."—Detroit Free Press.

Operated like a pair of shears, a new implement revolves a buffer to polish the fingernails.

Comparatively little work can convince a man that he needs a rest.

No Comeback.

"I received a letter from Aunt Matilda asking if we would like to spend our vacation out on her farm."

"We can't possibly accept her invitation, George. If we do, we'll have to ask her to visit us next winter."

"That will be all right. We can move into a two-room apartment in the fall, and then there won't be room for her."

Go ahead when you think you're right, but don't expect the crowd to follow you.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has born the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.
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SOMETHING FLY COULDN'T DO

Robbie Was Able to Point Out Its Limitations When Called Upon to Admire Insect.

In the opinion of some persons, the new teacher was going almost too far in her attention to nature study. However, the children appeared to enjoy it all, and, so far, no parents had made open objection to the little talks on birds, insects, and flowers with which the teacher diversified the routine of school work. So all went along quite comfortably until the afternoon when the fly and the flea were up for consideration.

Following the teacher's lead, the children had all grown enthusiastic over the astonishing acrobatic abilities of the fly—all except Robbie May, who for some time had been staring moodily at his desk, casting only occasional glances at the teacher, and those unmistakably sullen.

It became so noticeable by the time they were all admiring the fact that the fly can walk on the ceiling, that the teacher paused and turned to the boy.

"What is the trouble, Robbie?" she inquired. "Aren't you listening? Aren't you interested in the talk?"

"Ye-es," granted Robbie, reluctantly polite. Then, warming up, "but I bet a fly can't hang by its knees, and every boy in school can do it, all 'cept Laurie Lee, and he's had the dipthery!"—Youth's Companion.

Both in Danger.

At a certain mill there is a notice on the elevator which reads as follows:

"No one allowed to use this elevator except the man in charge. Anyone doing so will be discharged."

One morning Billy ——, a rather witty fellow, was waiting to go up from the second room, when who should step off the elevator alone but the manager.

Billy was stepping on to go up when the manager turned round and said:

"I say, can't you read?"

"Yes," said Billy.

"Well, what does that notice say?" asked the manager.

"By gum, we'll both be sacked if we're catched."

"Lickers" Worth While.

"My papa can lick your papa" boasted Johnny, aged six.

"I don't care; my mamma can lick your mamma," came back Jimmy

"Both of you make me tired," chimed in Sammy. "My papa and my mamma can both lick me, and the worst part of it is they take turns about doin' it." Indianapolis News.

Our work counts for more than our talk.

You might do worse than exaggerate the goodness of your friends.

Case of Necessity.

Ex-President Taft was congratulated, at a New Haven luncheon, on the work he has done in the cause of peace.

"Let me tell you," said Mr. Taft, smiling, "an appropriate story.

"'Why is it,' a fat man was once asked, 'that you fat chaps are always so good-natured?'

"'We have to be,' the fat man replied. 'You see, we can neither fight nor run.'"

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Getting Even.

"Now, what do you want?" asked the sharp-tempered woman.

"I called to see if I could sell you some bakin' powder, ma'am," said the seedy gentleman with the staggering whiskers.

"Well, you can't sell no bakin' powder here, and I ain't got no time to waste on peddlers, anyway."

"Come to think of it, ma'am," said the seedy gentleman, as he fastened his bag, "I wouldn't care to sell you any powder. This poky little kitchen of yours is so low in the ceilin' that the bread wouldn't have no chance to rise."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

The Rod.

Knicker - Smith says he whipped the stream.

Bocker But the stream doesn't know it.

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Local Items

Bring us your Job Printing.

Mrs. Hilda Silverness visited Mrs. Paul Olson Monday.

Tillie Peterson and Hilma Nyberg visited at Bjerks Sunday.

The Holt Public School will commence Monday Sept. 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen and Carl Engebretsen autoed to T. R. Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes and Nels Swanson returned home Monday from Fertile.

A. R. Jones has bought six lots just south of Carlson's store and will move his barn there.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Olaf Sandberg Wednesday Sept. 6th. All are welcome.

For Sale at C. L. Heinze's—ripe Cucumbers 15c a doz., Sweet Corn 10c a dozen. 1-2 mi no. of town.

Fred Stensrud was here from Dak. Tuesday. Thorval Kolden went back with him to work with a threshing crew.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid meet this Friday and all the ladies help with the entertainment. At church basement.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Tvedt and four children autoed down from Greenbush and spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson.

Tom Larson went to Bray Sunday to work with a threshing crew. P. A. Riesberg will do the road dragging during his absence.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

Dr. Mellby was called Tuesday evening to see Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken's baby girl who was threatened with pneumonia but is now better.

Miss Christine Saastad went to Thief River Falls Wednesday and on Thursday with her sister Olga and a company of friends went to Detroit for a few days outing.

Mrs. H. Pavek came last week to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg and family. Mr. and Mrs. Pavek have recently moved to Fonda. N. D. where he has charge of the station.

For Sale: Must be sold to settle estate N. E. 1-4 N. W. 1-4 W1-2 N. W. 1-4 Sec. 11 Twp. 146 Range 43 $15.00 per acre.

Mrs. Ellen Conigan,
4125 27 Ave. So. Minneapolis

Mesdames B. L. Backe, J. B. Alkenbrack and daughter Inez and son Floyd and P. L. Anderson departed early Tuesday morning, via auto route for a weeks visit at the homes of P. A. Von Wold and John Alkenbrack in Tolley, N. D.

R. E. O. White of the Knochler Mfg. Co. was here Thursday and made arrangements with S. S. Kolden to buy flax straw for them. So stack your straw well and haul it in when the roads and weather are good. Highest market price paid.

The **NORTHWEST SCHOOL of AGRICULTURE, CROOKSTON,** offers courses in Agriculture, Home Training, Normal Methods, Gasoline and Auto Engineering. Write the Registrar for illustrated booklet and full information. tf

While visiting the big Minnesota State Fair stop at the New Jewell Hotel, 15 to 19 E. Fifth Street, opposite the City Hall. Street cars to all parts of the city and the Fair Grounds pass the door. Special attention and accommodations made for parties of three or more persons. To reach the Jewell Hotel by street cars from Depot take Hamline Depot car, get off at Fifth and Wabasha Streets.

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Obituary

Allette S. Polset was born in Minneapolis Dec. 22, 1872. Her father died when she was seven years old and her mother married again and they went to Norman county to live when she was 15 years old, where she spent the remainder of her girlhood days. Dec. 14, 1891 she was united in marriage with Ole Reierson at the home of her parents in Norman county. In 1892 they moved onto the farm southwest of Holt which has been their home since then.

About a year and a half ago Mrs. Reierson became afflicted with consumption and all that medical skill and science could do was done to cure her, but to no avail. The death angel came to the home at eleven o'clock on Tuesday forenoon August 22nd and bore the spirit of the faithful wife and mother to the Heavenly home where there is no sickness, pain or sorrow. All the family were at home to help care for their dear one in her last sickness, and a host of friends sympathize with them in their sorrow.

Ten children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Reierson, their first child, a girl, died at the age of seven months. The others: Esther, Rudolph, Anne, Obert, Oscar, Lawerence, Myrtle, Gertrude and the baby LeRoy are all living at home with their father.

Funeral services were held at the home at 12:30 last Thursday, conducted by Rev. M. T. Strom, then the remains were brought to the Free Mission church where services were held at 2 o'clock conducted by Rev. Breederson, assisted by Rev. Strom, and interment was made in the local cemetery.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends for their help and sympathy at the time of our bereavement and especially for the many beautiful flowers for the funeral.

Ole Reierson and children.

Trade in Holt and save money.

Dr. F. H. Stauff will lecture here in the interests of good health and the public schools, the dates to be announced later. The lectures will be free for everyone. A collection will be taken for the benefit of the school.

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Card of Thanks

We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kind help and assistance during the illness and death of our daughter and sister. We also wish to extend thanks for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. Waagedahl
Christine, Gunhild and Elling.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sholeen, of Wylie, were Sunday visitors at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. L. Sandberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Myre returned to their home in Hendrum Friday, having been called here by the sickness and death of their step-daughter Mrs. Ole Reierson.

Thomas Sollom, Reynolds, N. D. visited at the T. T. Sollom and P. O. Reierson homes from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mesdames T. E. Ellestad and O. H. Nohre were Thief River Falls visitors Wednesday.

C. J. Sorenson went to Viking Sunday where he and his brother are running a threshing rig.

Miss Nettie Borsheim who has spent some time visiting relatives here, left Monday for her home in Northwood, Iowa.

Indications are that a plentiful supply of water has been struck in the village well at 107 feet.

Mesdames Joe Wattova and Geo. Dolan, of Thief River Falls, visited Mrs. C. L. Sandberg a couple of days last week.

Dick Sjoberg was down from Middle River last week and persuaded several of our people to file on Beltrami county land, under the Volstad law.

Mrs. Anderson and son Walter left Friday for their home in Minneapolis after an extended visit with relatives here.

Southeast of Holt.

Mrs. John Mickelsen who has been mking her home with her daughter Mrs. P. Michaelsen for some time left on Saturday for Madison, Wis. and other points for an extended visit with relatives

Mrs. Thomas Olson will entertain the ladies Aid on Thursday Sept. 14th.

Miss Clara Larson spent a few days visiting at Golden Valley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Moe and children Manvel, Arthur and Mabel spent Sunday and Monday visiting with relatives in Eckvoll and Mud Lake Twps.

Miss Amanda Klungness spent a few days visiting at Fordville N. Dak. last week.

Mrs. H. Peterson and son Ingvard Olga and Ida Klungness were Sunday visitors at Guttrude's.

We have gone thru the month of August without a frost, and now is the time to save seed corn.

Sam Mickelson came up from Leonard Friday night to make preparations for buiding his house.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Severson, Tuesday morning. Congratulations.

S. S. Kolden and son Peter went to the markets Saturday with a couple of cars of cattle.

CLEAN UP AND PAINT UP A CONTINUOUS CAMPAIGN

Suggestions for Making Our Town a Better Home Town—Chairman of National Bureau Says Start Now and Keep It Up the Year 'Round.

SINCE Hercules diverted the river to renovate the Augean stables "Clean Up" has had its place in the world's vernacular. With Spring the desire to refurbish comes subconsciously into the hearts of men and women, and communities. But without direction and sustained effort the expression of that desire, in the form of the ordinary "Clean Up Day" or "Week," is apt to result in a superficial sally against filth.

Years ago Allen W. Clark, a St. Louis editor, made up his mind that this natural "Clean Up" instinct could be turned to account, that it could be developed into a real campaign working toward definite ideals and accomplishing permanent results. And so, in May 1912, Mr. Clark founded the National "Clean Up and Paint Up" Campaign Bureau, with headquarters in St. Louis. He hoped that a thorough-going movement, national in its scope and practical in its principles, might take the place of the "annual bath" idea as expressed in the old-time "clean up day" or "week."

A National Civic Movement.

For four years the scope of the National Bureau's service has rapidly extended until this year it is co-operating with more than 6,000 local communities in the organization and direction of real "Clean Up and Paint Up" campaigns, not "days," or "weeks." Continuous campaigns for homes and hometowns beautiful, sanitary and safe, conducted by permanent committees, and involving the co-operation of city and town officials, club women, commercial organizations, the children, fire prevention interests, all business men and property owners, is the goal aimed at by all of the National Bureau's propaganda.

Mr. Clark declares that the bane of any community is the citizen who lacks even a semblance of interest in the community, and that, strange as it may seem in a democracy, absence of this interest seems to be pretty generally prevalent in the average American community. Such a citizen would have "The Town" or "The City," whatever those names may signify when the body of citizens is eliminated, keep the streets and alleys clean, preserve the public and individual health, eliminate nuisances, make everything in town spick and span and satisfactory—while the citizen sits back and looks on.

The real "Clean Up and Paint Up" campaign, organized on the plans of the National Bureau, gives everyone something definite to do to help make their hometown beautiful, sanitary and safe. And the campaign's educational influence should work steadily the year 'round and year after year, automatically eliminating many nuisances caused formerly by carelessness or thoughtlessness of property owners and tenants.

A Suggestion for Our Town.

The methods for accomplishing all of this suggested by the National Bureau are well illustrated by a brief description of the local campaign organization in St. Louis. With various adaptations this St. Louis plan has been found practicable in any city, no matter how large or small.

The entire campaign is under the direction of the Continuous St. Louis "Clean Up and Paint Up" Campaign Committee, of which Charles M. Talbert, director of streets and sewers, is chairman. On this committee are various civic and business leaders, including the leading club women of the city.

Each member of the general committee is chairman of a subcommittee responsible for some definite department of the campaign's activity. The Director of Streets and Sewers is chairman of the committee on "Refuse Clean-up," the chief of the Fire Department is chairman of the committee on fire prevention and the head of the Health Department is chairman of the committee on housing reform.

A partial list of these campaign committees, with notation of some of the objects of each follows:

Committees for the Work.

Street Department — Household waste, permanent plan, improvement of districts which will be center of interest in coming National Democratic Convention, smooth paving, signs on public buildings, rubbish boxes.

Landscape Gardening—Ordinances, campaign among property owners, yard planting campaign among children.

Fire Prevention—Clean up rubbish, roofs, condemn shacks that are fire risks.

Housing—Insanitary yards, privies, tenements, lodging houses, garbage receptacles.

Vacant Lots—Reported by Boy Scouts, flower and vegetable gardens by school children and Real Estate Exchange, weed cutting, bird boxes.

Flower Boxes—In congested districts, downtown and opposite Union Station.

Unsightly Advertising—Posters on buildings, "For Rent" signs, ordinances.

Appearances of Buildings—Vacant buildings, painting, lighting of prominent corners.

Street Drinking Fountains—General and on downtown corners.

Smoke Abatement.

Publicity—Billboards, posters, street cars, circulars for children, buttons, newspapers, moving pictures.

Speakers—On general subject, also on special phases of campaign.

District Organization—Report nuisances, see property owners and urge to clean up and paint up and plant trees.

School Children—Distribution of printed matter, school gardens.

Police—Report nuisances, distribute directions for rubbish collections, request co-operation of residents.

The chairmen of these various committees should be the city or town officials or civic leaders who are most interested in the work to be done by the committee.

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Teachers' Institute

For Marshall County, Minnesota
Warren, Sept. 5th to 8th.

To the Teachers of Marshall Co:-

The Annual Teachers' Institute for Marshall County will held at Warren, Sept. 5th to 8th. All who intend to teach in the common schools of Marshall Co., during the year 1916-17 will be expected to attend this Institute. Those who have contracted with School Boards to begin on the 5th. may take the week off to attend this Institute without loss of time.

We are unable at this time to give a definite program. However, the following is a general outline of the work that will be taken up:-

I. Methods and Practical Pedagogy
1. Primary reading, language and hand work.
2. Methods in intermediate and grammar grade subjects.
3. Industrial work, hot lunch.
4. Penmanship.
II. School Organization and Management.
III. Rural Sociology and Community Work.
1. Boys' and girls' clubs, playgrounds.
2. Contests- spelling, industrial.
3. Relation of school to community activities, farmers' clubs, etc.
IV. Inspirational Addresses.

Teachers, do not fail to attend this Institute. You will leave it with an abundance of new material and with renewed enthusiam for your work.

The sessions will be held at the Court House beginning every morning at nine o'clock. Be on hand the first morning in time to earn a certificate of perfect attendance.

Yours very truly,
David Johnson,
Supt. of Schools.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of John Hanson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of John Hanson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to B. Docken, of Holt, Minn.

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 24th day of February 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS as provided by law.

Dated August 11th, 1916.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

(Probate Court Seal)

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.42
Wheat No. 2	1.38
Wheat No. 3	1.34
Wheat No. 4	1.18 to 1.26
Flax	1 88
Oats	35
Barley	45 to .65
Rye	1.03
Flour, Best Patent	4.60

Dressy [illegible]

Patience—"An automobile repair course has been added to the curriculum of an Iowa agricultural college." Patrice—"Now, in speaking of college togs don't forget the overalls."—Yonkers Statesman.

"AMERICA FIRST AND AMERICA EFFICIENT."

We come to state in a plain and direct manner our faith, our purpose and our pledge. This representative gathering is a happy augury. It means the strength of reunion. It means that the party of Lincoln is restored, alert, effective. It means the unity of a common perception of paramount national needs. It means that we are neither deceived nor benumbed by abnormal conditions. We know that we are in a critical period, perhaps more critical than any period since the Civil War. We need a dominant sense of national unity; the exercise of our best constructive powers; the vigor and resourcefulness of a quickened America. We desire that the Republican Party as a great liberty party shall be the agency of national achievement, the organ of the effective expression of dominant Americanism. What do I mean by that? I mean America conscious of power, awake to obligation, erect in self-respect, prepared for every emergency, devoted to the ideals of peace, instinct with the spirit of human brotherhood, safeguarding both individual opportunity and the public interest, maintaining a well-ordered constitutional system adapted to local self-government without the sacrifice of essential national authority, appreciating the necessity of stability, expert knowledge and thorough organization as the indispensable conditions of security and progress; a country loved by its citizens with a patriotic fervor permitting no division in their allegiance and no rivals in their affection—I mean America first and America efficient. It is in this spirit that I respond to your summons.—From Mr. Hughes' speech of acceptance.

ADEQUATE FEDERAL WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAWS.

I stand for adequate Federal Workmen's Compensation laws, dealing not only with the employes of government, but with those employes who are engaged in interstate commerce, and are subject to the hazard of injury, so that those activities which are within the sphere of the constitutional authority of Congress may be dealt with under a suitable law.—From Mr. Hughes' speech of acceptance.

THE NATION IS SHOCKINGLY UNPREPARED.

It is apparent that we are shockingly unprepared. There is no room for controversy on this point since the object lesson on the Mexican border. All our available regular troops (less, I believe, than 40,000) are there or in Mexico, and as these have been deemed insufficient the entire National Guard has been ordered out; that is, we are summoning practically all our movable military forces in order to present bandit incursions. In view of the warnings of the past three years, it is inexcusable that we should find ourselves in this plight. For our faithful guardsmen, who with a fine patriotism responded to this call and are bearing this burden, I have nothing but praise. But I think it little short of absurd that we should be compelled to call men from their shops, their factories, their offices and their professions for such a purpose. This, however, is not all. The units of the National Guard were at peace strength, which was only about one-half the required strength. It was necessary to bring in recruits, for the most part raw and untrained. Only a small percentage of the regiments recruited up to war strength will have had even a year's training in the National Guard, which at the maximum means one hundred hours of military drill, and, on the average, means much less. Men fresh from their peaceful employments and physically unprepared have been hurried to the border for actual service. They were without proper equipment; without necessary supplies; suitable conditions of transportation were not provided. Men with dependent families were sent; and conditions which should have been well known were discovered after the event. And yet the exigency, comparatively speaking, was not a very grave one. It involved nothing that could not readily have been foreseen during the past three years of disturbance, and required only a modest talent for organization. That this Administration while pursuing its course in Mexico should have permitted such conditions to exist is almost incredible.—From Mr. Hughes' speech of acceptance.

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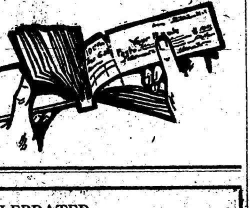

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Farmers State Bank of Holt

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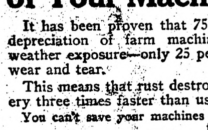

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Local Items

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Olson and Boernstein have started a lunch counter in their place of business.

The vein at the village well, failed to stand the test and the drillers have had to go deeper.

L. M. Bennes of Fertile, visited at the home of his son Albert and family from Saturday until Tuesday.

Ben Hoff returned Wednesday night from a short visit at his parental home near Adams, N. D.

Elmer Sollom and sisters Elevina and Myrtle went to T. R. Falls Wednesday to visit their brother Adolph and wife.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Knochler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it. adv

Misses Esther Lundgren and Irene Olson, of Warren stopped at the Gunheim home Monday for a couple of days visit while enroute home from Bandette.

A tank car of both gasoline and kerosene were shipped here the past week by the Standard Oil Co., also a tank wagon, and both these products are much cheaper now.

Theo Johnson representing the Crookston Dress Club, French Dry Cleaners, will be in Holt next week soliciting work for Dry Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Leave orders with Ben Hoff, Local Agent.

Mesdames B. L. Backe, J. B. Alkenbrack and children and P. L. Anderson returned home Wednesday evening from visiting friends and relatives in Tolley, N. Dakota. They traveled over 800 miles and report a fine trip, a splendid visit and all the Tolley people well and happy.

THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, NORTHWEST SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE, CROOKSTON Four Years' Courses in AGRICULTURE, HOME ECONOMICS, TEACHERS' NORMAL, and MUSIC open Sept. 5. Three Years' Courses - Various Subjects - of Six Months, Each Opens Oct. 3. SPECIAL COURSES Open Oct. 3 and Jan. 9. Send for full information to Registrar.. Agricultural School, Crookston, Minn.

Dr. R. L. Olson was a Warren visitor Saturday.

Lost: A bunch of keys. Return to Holt Merc. Co. for reward.

The Holt Public School will commence Monday Sept. 11th.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl returned Wednesday from attending a Ministers conference in Baudette and reports a most enjoyable meeting.

Mesdames Sollom and Ellestad, who have been visiting at the home of T. E. Ellestad and O. H. Nohre, returned to their homes in Spring Grove Tuesday.

A. C. Jahr went to Bemidji Friday with his daughter Mildred who will attend the high school there the comming year and make her home with her uncle Edgar Jahr and family. It pays to have good country schools so when the pupils graduate from them they are prepared to enter high school.

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Rev. F. D. McMartin will preach in English at 8 o'clock next Monday evening Sept. 11th. Everyone invited to attend.

Plan That Will Destroy Sow Thistle

It is possible that some farmers are not familiar with the perennial sow thistle and are permitting small patches to mature seed and are in this way storing up a great deal of trouble for the future. This must have immediate attention or seed sufficient to sow the entire country will be produced. Usually about July 15 they send up branching seed stems 2 to 4 feet high which bear flowers similiar to dadelions. When these are mature, the seed is distributed by the wind.

The only sure way to eradicate this pest is by concerted action on the part of every farmer whether he be owner or tenant. Prevent seed forming by cutting all green stems early. Eradication methods are similar to those used for quack grass or Canada thistle, namely, thorough summer tillage and the absolute prevention of any green leaves. This may be done by summer fallow or by the the growing of corn and potatoes. If it is kept in mind that plants get their food through the leaves it is easy to see they must die if no leaves are allowed to grow. Failure to kill by this treatment, is the fault of the farmer.

There is upon the statues of Minnesota a weed law which, if enforced rigidly, would in within two years rid the entire Red River Valley of all noxious weeds. This law makes it a misdemeanor to allow noxious weeds to mature seed and provides for the cutting of such weeds by order of the road overseers and the cost added to the taxes of the property. This law does not bind the owner of land alone but also the tenant of such land. It is needless to say that the law has not been obeyed and in many cases has not been enforced by those who have the authority to enforce it.

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Mesdames Paul Olson and Sam Mickelson were Middle River visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Nels Burg and little son was a week end visitor at the Dr. R. L. Olso home.

Miss Nellie Saastad has returned to T. R. Falls to enter the Junior year of the high school.

John A. Sorum was a business caller the first of the week in Thief River Falls and Crookston.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl has recently purchased a Ford which will be a great help to him in his work.

Nearly all the school mams in this vicinity have been attending teachers institute in Warren this week.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good. adv

On account of the strike situation our ready prints were shipped Saturday, so there is no news matter on the inside pages this week, but we hope to have a good news service again next week.

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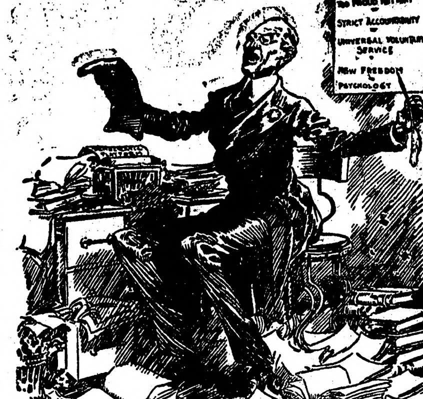

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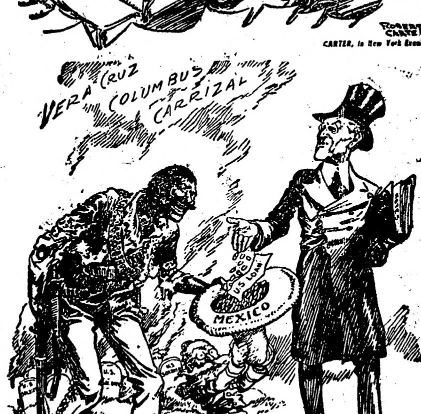


"In a Fighting Mood!"

CARTER in New York Sun.

TRAINING TODAY'S BOYS AND GIRLS

A Little Talk on the Appreciation of Their Efforts.

SHOULD KEEP THE CREATIONS

It Is the Pleasant "How Nice" That Makes All the Difference to the Hearts of the Children.

By SIDONIE M. GRUENBERG.

As each child's name was called he stepped forward and received from the kindergarten the result of his efforts at "making something" for some member of the home. The children were gay and they were anticipating the joy of giving. It was a pleasure to watch them. But when Genevieve's name was called a new note was struck. "Please, Miss White," she said, "my mother does not want me to bother her any more with the things I make." And Miss White laid Genevieve's calendar aside.

It is not difficult to see the point of view expressed in Genevieve's plaintive abnegation. There is really no room for all these things at home. We have all the calendars and blotters and picture frames and shaving pads that we really need. And as for ornaments, these things are not particularly beautiful, and if they are, as may sometimes happen, they do not harmonize with the scheme of things already installed, and, besides, they gather dust, and there are few homes that have not already too many dust catchers. We can well understand that Genevieve's mother was weary of calendars and bookmarks.

But Miss White is also weary of calendars and bookmarks. Where one mother has had half a dozen she has had hundreds. She manages to smile, however, in spite of the clutter and in spite of the obvious monotony through a curious trick of the mind which it would be well for Genevieve's mother and other mothers to learn. The trick is this: Instead of dealing with calendars and bookmarks, she fixes her mind upon the efforts of the tots, she sees trial and tribulation, she sees wonder and experiments, where the rest of us see only crude imitations of tulips or apple blossoms.

Notwithstanding the high rentals we have to pay it ought to be possible for every mother to keep each child's tokens of struggle and conquest for some time at least. For nothing is more important to the child than that his meager and unsuccessful attempts at mastering his material surroundings should receive generous encouragement. And while much is gained by having someone stand by and cheer him when he falters, that is not enough. The product, poor though it be, is the symbol of an idea, an inspiration, and deserves the courtesy of serious and dignified attention from parents and other elders. The calendar is as worthy of a place on the wall as anything you can buy at the store, for by honoring it you teach the child that his efforts are not wasted. As for taste in calendars, leave that to the years.

Of course it is not necessary to display all of the child's creations or to convert the home into an industrial museum. It is, in fact, the latest trophy that carries the greatest interest, and the latest may be made to displace its predecessor, each effort thus receiving its due share of attention and appreciation. Where there are several children it should be possible to provide large paper envelopes and boxes in which these early treasures may be kept.

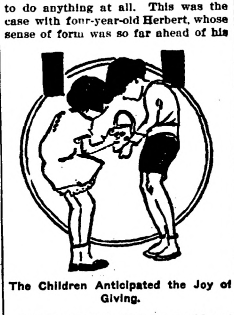
Could Get No Satisfaction Out of the Paper Stars.

Every mother knows that young children can be a nuisance and in the way just when they are trying to help with some "work." The number of peas that the baby can shell or the area that the child can sweep will contribute little to lightening the day's work. But the value of the contribution is not to be measured thus. It is to be measured in good will, in application and in the satisfaction that comes—or should come—from having made a worthy effort at doing something useful. We should therefore not belittle the achievement or make the child feel that his assistance is worthless.

The child works in the spirit of the artist. He is not seeking material rewards; he wants the satisfaction of doing something that has meaning and he wants appreciation. Without these he will become either a shirker, shunning all effort or a perfunctory grind, laboring under compulsion of one kind or another. It is therefore necessary not only that opportunities be furnished for doing various kinds of work, but that the first awkward attempts be appreciated in a way that will lead to further effort. And this is just as true of attempts at singing or invention—invention of a song or story, for example—as it is of attempts at making some object or drawing that others may handle or exhibit.

While this doctrine of appreciation does not permit us to belittle the child's efforts, it still leaves us free to help the child with criticisms calculated to enable him to increase his work. But we should call attention to such defects only as he is in a position to remedy himself, and without too much effort. If the doll's dress is too long, it's a simple matter to cut it down. But if it's too short we note that it's a very nice dress, and think we'll make the next one a little longer. The repeated emphasis on defects of design or execution may have the effect of improving the child's taste or judgment; but they are more likely to discourage all effort.

A child that sees too clearly the shortcomings of his efforts will refuse to do anything at all. This was the case with four-year-old Herbert, whose sense of form was so far ahead of his muscular control that he could get no satisfaction out of the paper stars he cut out himself, and so refused, after one or two attempts, to try again.



The Children Anticipated the Joy of Giving.

When little Allan's mother failed to recognize the child's drawing as that of a "lamp" she was wise enough to take to herself the blame—"How stupid of me!" For, after all, you can recognize even the lamp if you are told what it is supposed to be. And so the burden of keeping keen the edge of effort rests upon us. But don't let the child become conceited.

THEY COULDN'T RESIST HIM

Young Man Surely Had a Taking Way With the Ladies, If You Let Him Tell It.

"Oh, I make friends with people whenever I like," he had explained, "and they never object. They like it. They all like it."

"And you speak to strange young ladies?"

"The last one I spoke to was in London last month. I was standing on the steps of a house in Piccadilly, watching some visiting potentates drive by, when the door opened, and out came the prettiest girl I ever saw in my life. She stood for a moment looking up and down the street, and I said to her: 'Do you know who that fierce, fat man in the last carriage is—the one who looks like a walrus?' She said: 'Oh, that's my Uncle Ethelbert.'"

"But that was the end of it," Mary broke in—"you didn't go on talking to her?"

"The end of it," Krujer Hobbs had concluded, taking off his glove and offering a slim bony hand—"the end was that we had tea at an A. B. C. shop, and she said she was sorry she was engaged to marry her cousin, whose name, I think, was Lionel."—From "Krujer Hobbs," by Marjory Morten, in Century Magazine.

Serum to Save Drowning Persons.

Experiments are being made with a serum which is said to have been used with success in restoring cases of asphyxiation and drowning in animals several hours after life has been to all appearances extinct. There appears to be one drawback in the result thus far, however, in that in many instances there have been serious after effects such as high blood pressure or hardening of the arteries. If the serum is to be perfected, as appears to be likely, the physicians are of the opinion that it can be injected several hours after the accident and restore life. In one case the serum was used on an animal that had been apparently dead from drowning for a period of four hours. The animal was brought back to life, though it died later from blood pressure.

War and the Weather.

If the north Atlantic skippers who think that the bad weather from which they have been suffering is due to the concussion of the bombardment in Europe would compare notes with their colleagues in the West India and Caribbean trade they might take a broader view of the meteorological disturbances. The storms which have been raging in the north Atlantic, the bay of Biscay and the Mediterranean started in the tropics and had already paid respects to our coast before crossing over to add to Europe's troubles. The skepticism of the scientists in regard to the connection between war and weather is well founded. As for the sun spots, all that can be said at present is that they are under suspicion.

TO REDUCE MINE TOLL

Uncle Sam Makes Earnest Effort to Prevent Loss of Life.

Three New Safety Stations Are Established, Equipped With Specially Constructed—Cars for Rescue Work.

Uncle Sam is making an earnest effort to reduce the loss of life that results from accidents in the mines of the United States and at the same time to develop the mining industry to still greater proportions than it has already attained. To this end the department of the interior has begun carrying out the provisions of an act of congress which provides for the establishment of ten mining experiment stations and seven mine-safety stations in addition to those already established. Appropriations are available for only three of the safety stations and three of the experiment stations, but the other will be provided for by subsequent appropriations.

Secretary of the Interior Lane has announced the location of two of the three mining experiment stations and three mine-safety stations. The first of the experiment stations is to be at Fairbanks, Alaska; the second at Tucson, Ariz., and the third, not yet definitely announced, in the Pacific Northwest. The safety stations as decided upon will be at Butte, Mont.; Reno, Nev., and Raton, N. M. The sum of $25,000 is appropriated for each of the mining experiment stations and $101,500 for the three safety stations.

The purpose of all the stations according to the law is to make investigations with a view toward improving conditions in the mining, quarrying, metallurgical and other mineral industries, safeguarding life among employees, preventing unnecessary waste of resources, and otherwise contributing to the advancement of these industries.

Each of the mine-safety stations is to be equipped with an all-steel mine rescue car which will respond to disaster calls within its prescribed territory. Congress has appropriated $53,000 for the purchase of the three cars. These cars will be of special design and will represent the most modern thought in rescue work. They will be manned by expert crews of life savers, who, when they are not employed at a mine disaster, will go to the different mining camps and train the miners to rescue work and first aid to the injured.

Secretary Lane thinks that the experiment stations, by aiding in the development of new metallurgical processes, will aid materially in enlarging the mining industry, providing employment for more men, with the utilization of the low-grade mineral deposits to their highest extent. He regards the new step as a most deserved recognition of an industry which now has a yearly output of probably two and a half billion dollars and which is next to agriculture in its importance to the welfare of the country.

U. S. LEADS ALL WORLD IN PETROLEUM PRODUCTION

Output in 1915 Was 65.85 Per Cent of Total—Russia Second and Mexico Third in List.

The United States supplies 65.85 per cent of all the crude petroleum produced in the world in 1915, according to figures compiled by Uncle Sam. Russia was the nearest competitor of the United States and Mexico, in spite of the unsettled conditions there, was the third largest oil producing country in the world.

The production in the United States was 281,104,104 barrels of 42 gallons each. Russia was a poor second with 68,548,062 barrels, while Mexico produced 32,910,508 barrels.

Figures on petroleum production in the world since 1857 show that the United States has been steadily gaining on other countries. The total production in the United States during that period was 3,616,561,244, or 60.10 per cent of the entire production of the world in that time, while in 1915 the proportion produced by the United States has grown to 65.85 per cent. During the same period, from 1857 to 1915, Russia has produced 1,690,781,907 barrels, or 28.10 per cent of the total production, while in 1915, the output of that country had fallen to 16.06 per cent of the world's total.

The only other country in the world which produced more than 1,000,000 barrels in 1915 were the Dutch East Indies, Roumania, India, Galicia, Japan, and Formosa, and Peru, but the production in most of these countries was less than 1 per cent of the total.

War Costly to Netherlands.

The government of the Netherlands has spent millions of dollars in caring for the Belgian refugees who crossed the frontier when Belgium was invaded at the beginning of the war. Erwin W. Thomson, Uncle Sam's commercial attache, reports that during 1915 there were paid out by the government of the Netherlands $1,700,000 for refugee camps where temporary homes have been made for impoverished Belgians, $1,770,000 for relief of Belgian refugees outside the camps, $36,000 for the education of children of the refugees, $98,000 for assistance in employments outside the camps, and $44,000 for relief to the families of interned soldiers.

RED MAN PROGRESSING

Passing of Indian Medicine Man New Step Forward.

Uncle Sam, In Effort to Perpetuate Race, Aids His Wards in Putting End to the Ravages of Disease.

The day of the old-time Indian medicine man is rapidly passing. Encouraged by Uncle Sam, the red man is turning more and more to the white man's physician and his medicine.

The passing of the Indian medicine man marks another step toward the Americanization of the original American. In the face of the march of civilization through the reservations of the red men, the medicine man has held his own to a remarkable degree until recently, when the ravages of tuberculosis and trachoma among the adults and the heavy mortality among the infants on the reservations led to the conclusion that if the red man was to be perpetuated, modern sanitary and medical measures must be adopted.

Uncle Sam has endeavored to do his part in the protection of his wards by greatly increasing the number of hospitals for the use of the Indians. While there were only 53 hospitals in 1912, with a capacity of 1,256, there were 74 in 1915, with a capacity of 2,045, and more are being built or planned.

Substantial increases have also been made in the number of field matrons and nurses, and an attempt made to furnish the best practicable service with the appropriations that congress would make possible.

In view of the widespread prevalence of trachoma and tuberculosis, as reported by the investigation of the public health service, ophthalmologists have been increased in number from three to seven, and the number of regular agency physicians increased from 89 to 130, and contract physicians from 53 to 76.

The appropriation for relief of distress has been increased from $200,000 to $350,000.

Modern thought having indicated the importance of well-cared-for teeth, seven traveling dentists have been employed, whose duty it is to keep the teeth of the children enrolled in Indian schools in the best condition practicable.

In an effort to improve the sanitary surroundings under which Indians must live, campaigns for sanitary clean-ups have been waged on the various reservations.

The importance of bringing about a real improvement in infant mortality if the Indian is to be perpetuated has been recognized, and an earnest campaign has been instituted and is now in force to save the babies. This campaign has brought out the most cordial co-operation on the part of all employees in the service, and while the results can only be shown after a period of years its effectiveness is even now apparent.

FEW REALIZE VASTNESS OF THE GRAND CANYON

Few persons can realize on a first view of the Grand Canyon that it is more than a mile deep and from eight to ten miles wide. The cliffs descending to its depths form a succession of huge steps, each 300 to 500 feet high, with steep rocky slopes between. The cliffs are the edges of hard beds of limestone or sandstone; the intervening slopes mark the outcrops of softer beds. This series of beds is more than 3,600 feet thick, and the beds lie nearly horizontal. Far down in the canyon is a broad shelf caused by the hard sandstone at the base of this series, deeply trenched by a narrow inner canyon cut a thousand feet or more into the underlying "granite." The rocks vary in color from white and buff to red and pale green. They present a marvelous variety of picturesque forms, mostly on a titanic scale, fashioned mainly by erosion by running water, the agent which has excavated the canyon.

"CONSCIENCE FUND" BOOSTED

Uncle Sam Enriched by More Than $54,000, Biggest Contribution Made in Any One Year.

Whether or not it is indicative of the growth of the public conscience, Uncle Sam profited more in 1915 by the awakening of the consciences of some individuals than he had in any other year since the "conscience fund" of the treasury department came into existence in 1887. In that year the total contributions to the fund were $250. During the last fiscal year the fund was increased by more than $54,000.

It is pointed out that conscience has recently been unusually active, not only to enriching the federal treasury but in helping private and public corporations and individuals. An Ohio man paid 25 cents for apples stolen six years ago; a Californian paid a newspaper subscription 33 years overdue; a woman sent stamps to a Kansas City street railway company to pay for four fares, and a Pennsylvanian paid up a hotel bill he skipped 25 years ago.

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Johnny's Reference to Dictionary Must Have Given Him Considerable Enlightenment.

"Father," said the son, looking up from a book with a puzzled expression on his face, "what is pride?"

"Pride," returned the father, "pride! Why—a—Oh, sure you know what pride is. A sort of being stuck up, a kind of—well, proud, you know. Just get the dictionary; that's the thing to tell you exactly what it is. There's nothing like a dictionary, Johnny."

"Here it is," said the latter, after an exhausting search, "Pride—being proud." "Um—yes, that's it," replied the father.

"But—"

"Well, look at 'proud.' That's the way; you have got to hunt these things out, my lad."

"I've got it," answered Johnny. "Pre—pri—pro—why—"

"What does it say?"

"'Proud—having pride.'"

"That's it! There you are, as clear as day. I tell you, Johnny, there is nothing like a good dictionary when you are young. Take care of the binding, my son, as you put it back."—Pathfinder.

Not Worthy.

"I wish I could afford to own an automobile."

"It doesn't take much money to buy one these days."

"I know, but I don't want that kind. I'd hate to buy an expensive fluid like gasoline and then pour it into one of those cheap cars."

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Don't judge a man altogether by his achievements; his ideals ought to count for something.

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WASHINGTON GOSSIP

Senator Kern Discovers Bad Case of Ignorance

WASHINGTON.—Senator John W. Kern of Indiana had an experience the other day which he will not soon forget. He was crossing the plaza east of the capitol when he was halted by a man and woman with question marks hanging out all over them, obvious signs of sight-seers and strangers in Washington. "What building is that?" asked the man, pointing to the capitol building, which he was facing, and could see its entire length from north to south. The man spoke "United States," his language and tone, as well as his style of dress, showing him to be an educated, pretty well-set-up man.

Senator Kern looked at the man and hesitated just a second, puzzled to know whether the man was making game of him or whether he did not know it was the United States capitol. Presently he replied with a critical smile, "That is the United States capitol."

The man noted the smile and resented it at once.

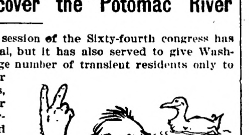
"Well, I do not see any sign on the building to designate what it is." Senator Kern instantly replied, "No, they take the sign down in hot weather, it warps."

Is there a man, woman or child in the United States who has not at some time or other seen in pictures the great white dome of the United States capitol? Once seen it could not possibly be forgotten. There is not another thing like it in the world, and that any human being would not recognize the Washington monument or the United States capitol building upon sight is almost too incredible for belief.

But Senator Kern tells this story, so what are you going to do about it?

Washington Folk Rediscover the Potomac River

FROM one standpoint the prolonged session of the Sixty-fourth congress has only been prolific of things political, but it has also served to give Washington a place in the hearts of a large number of transient residents only to be gained during the midsummer months. The river for water sports, the fine parks and country roads for driving, country clubs and roof gardens, both private and public, and numerous delightful places for dining al fresco are all revelations to those who see the capital only in its midwinter or early spring aspect.



Not even by the greatest stretch of the imagination could one call Washington a watering place, or even a summer resort, but since the rediscovery of the Potomac river through the beautiful drives and walks established along its banks, the capital need no longer hold terrors for those who must remain within the ten-mile limit of the District.

No less a personage than President John Quincy Adams waded through the marshes and tangled grass to the banks of the Potomac for an early morning dip, while the same interesting proceeding is recorded of President Taylor.

Today one meets high officials bent upon the same errand, and almost at the same hour of the morning—just about seven o'clock. The secretary of state and Mrs. Lansing are investigating the charms of the municipal bathing pool with covetous eyes, and Mrs. Lansing longs to try out the skill acquired during the winter months at the natatorium on Capitol Hill.

Senator and Mrs. Morris Sheppard can tell you just exactly where to find the best spot in the pool for striking out, or a dive, or just merely to take it easy and float. Often their companions in the pool are Representative and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, both of whom love the water and are expert swimmers; or Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Day, son and daughter-in-law of Mr. Justice Day, or Representative William P. Borland.

A whole cabinet family of enthusiastic swimmers is that of the secretary of war and Mrs. Baker, who often take a plunge twice a day. They have an ideal pool at In the Woods.

What Uncle Sam's Expert on Charred Money Does

MANY thousands of dollars are saved annually for the good, but often careless, people of these United States by Mrs. Amanda E. Brown, the charred money expert of the treasury department. It is Mrs. Brown's duty to put together burned and cut money when offered for redemption. Many interesting stories are told about her work.

Some years ago, so the story goes, a farmer, while feeding his pigs, dropped a roll of bills, which was devoured by one of them. The pig was killed at once and cut open, and the pulp was found. This was sent to the treasury department, the pieces put together and the money refunded to the happy farmer. The rules of the department are to the effect that if a bill can be successfully put together so that two-fifths of it are found, half of the value is refunded; if three-fifths can be put together the whole value is refunded.

Not so long ago someone sent a large number of very small bits of a bill to the department with a statement that they represented $224. The letter was accompanied by an affidavit to that effect. After many days of work on the part of Mrs. Brown the bits were put together, and it was found that they made a complete one-dollar bill.

The frost line can be traced through the United States each autumn, treasury officials say, through this redemption work. Farmers and others have a habit of hiding money in their stoves. When they light up for the winter, the money is forgotten until it is burned, and the ashes and pieces are sent to the treasury for redemption. Beginning in the North, this same thing occurs until even the Southern farmer is turning in his burned money, when he gets cold enough to light his stove. Each year more than 2,000 such cases are sent to the department.

Rifle Practice Becomes a Fad in the Capital

IF YOU chance to be passing near Fourteenth and [illegible] streets and are attracted by rifle shots, screams, and shouts, be not alarmed. The danger is little. Investigation will show that the rifles are being fired in the gallery of the National Rifle Association of America; the screams are from timid women just learning the use of firearms, and the shouts emanate from husky men who have just rung the bull's-eye.

WHERE SHOT WENT
THESE CARTRIDGES MUST BE BLANKS

Every day a line of people files into the temporary gallery to take advantage of the free use of guns and ammunition which the organization has offered to the public. The crack of the rifles is continuous.

Instructors are kept busy explaining the gun, the shoulder hold, the finger grip, and, most of all, the target. The big fat man who approaches the rail with a confident smile and bangs unsuccessfully 20 times, and then explains what a wonderful shot he once had been, was there. The tall, thin chap, who seems to strain under the weight of the gun and complains of his bad sight, was also there. He squinted 40 times before pulling the trigger, just to prove his assertion. Also there was the athletic fellow with the bulldog jaw who went about shooting targets as though it was part of his day's work. He took his time and hit the bull.

And, best of all, there were pretty young girls, anxious to be instructed. The only trouble the instructors had with them, after getting them to hold the gun, was to convince them that it was impossible to hold one's hands over one's ears and fire the gun at the same time. And the little scream came every time the rifle barked.

Making a Bad Matter Worse.

It is a dangerous thing, when you have let slip an unfortunate remark, to try to cover up the blunder.

Mrs. G. was talking with the wife of Judge H. about her son's choice of a profession. "I don't want him to be a lawyer," she said.

"Why not?" said the judge's wife. "I think there is nothing much finer than the legal profession for a bright boy."

"Well," said Mrs. G. bluntly, "a lawyer has to tell so many lies." Then it dawned on her that she was talking to the wife of a lawyer; so she hastily added, "That is—er—to be a good lawyer!"—Youth's Companion.

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Handicapped.

First Stranger (to second stranger, who is sporting a massive watch-charm)—What's the time, friend?

Second Stranger—Can't tell, just now, mister.

First Stranger—Can't tell me? You've got a watch, ain't you?

Second Stranger—Yes. I've got a watch, mister; but the blamed thing stopped about a month ago, one noontime, an' ever since I ain't been able to tell whether it's right unless I hear the twelve o'clock whistles blowin'.

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Mollycoddle.

"Did you see that?" yelled the excited man in the Panama hat. "That robber of an umpire calls Gilligan out at third and Rafferty never come within a foot of touching him."

"It looked that way to me, too," admitted the man beside him. "Still, I dare say the umpire could see the play better from where he was than we could from up here."

"Aw, go on home!" retorted the other savagely. "You ain't got no business goin' to a ball game. You're one of these blamed pacifists, that's what you are!"

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His Caution.

"Tuther morning," related Mr. Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge, "while I was in bed, wrapped in the arms of Morpheus, and wife cooking breakfast, she suddenly hollered for me to get up quick, b'cuz Rowdy, the baby, had swallowed a quarter.

"'No, I reckon not just yet,' says I. 'While I admire to see a child develop a saving disposition this early in the game, I don't want to flatter the little cuss by paying too much attention to him.'"—Kansas City Star.

If we could only live on the advice that others give us, the high cost of living would lose its sting.

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"I saw a perfect love of a library table at Grumble's this afternoon."

"But, my dear, we don't need a library table."

"I know, love, but there's no telling when we will need one, since Uncle George gave little Georgie that tool chest for his birthday."

Two women like to start a fuss and then leave their husbands to fight it out.

Ordinarily men get better obituary notices than they are entitled to—but who envies them?

Possibility of Combustion.

The danger of fire from oil-soaked rags such as many housekeepers keep on hand for wiping up varnished floors was demonstrated at a fire-risk exhibit given in a New York window recently. A quantity of oil-soaked rags were placed in the window with a placard stating that they were liable to take fire at any time from instantaneous combustion due to the action of the atmosphere upon the rags. A number of small blazes were started by rags in this window. In one instance combustion took place within seven hours after the rags were placed in position.

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The hunting season opened yesterday and our local sportsman have been out after the chickens which are not very plentiful.

Mrs. W. L. Lund, of Red Lake Falls, visited between trains Thursday at the home of her brother, C. W. Christianson and family.

Chas Sandberg of Warren, was instantly killed by the ovepturning of his automobile, last Thursday night on the road south of T. R. Falls.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

G. L. Cook has commenced work on the new school house in District No. 158. This building is 28 feet square and the contract price for it is $1824.00

Miss Elsie Lawson returned here Saturday from her home in Anoka and with Miss Christine Saastad and Prof. Prusheh are attending teacher's institute in Wairen this week.

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The U. S. Congress passed a law Saturday, known as the Adamson Bill, making eight hours a days work for railroad train men and the strike was immediately called off upon the passage of the above bill.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson Sunday night and they say Arvid is very proud of his son and is obliged to wear a hat two sizes larger than usual. The News extends hearty congratulations.

Miss Olga Saastad returned home Tuesday from T. R. Falls where she has been working for some time. Miss Saastad presented her parents with a fine rug of which they are very proud.

Dr. F. H. Stauff will lecture here in the interests of good health and the public schools, the dates to be announced later. The lectures will be free for everyone. A collection will be taken for the benefit of the school.

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Plans for the tuberculosis hospital at T. R. Falls for Roseau, Marshall and Pennington counties have been accepted by the commission for these counties, but will have to be passed on by the state board of control. The main building is 82x80 two stories and full basement with addition 24x40. There will be 24 beds and every modern convenience. The building will cost about $30000 and equipment $5000.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.50
Wheat No. 2	1.46
Wheat No. 3	1.42
Wheat No. 4	1.18 to 1.24
Sample Grade	1.16
Flax	1.86
Oats	.37
Barley	51 to .71
Rye	1.06
Flour, Best Patent	4.75

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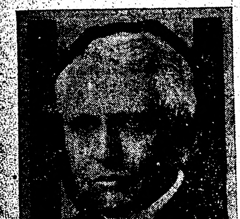

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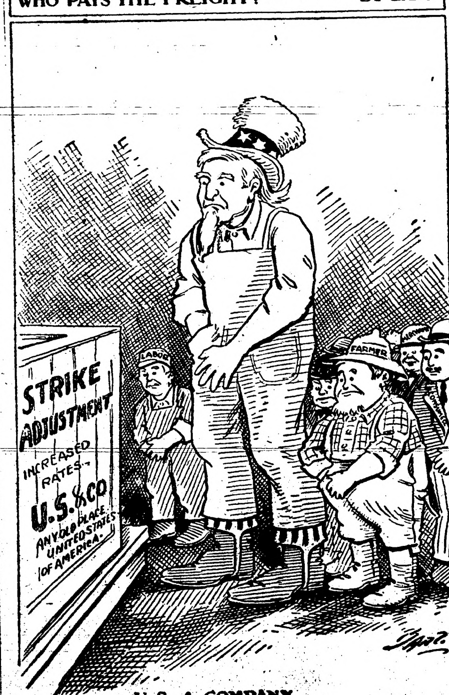

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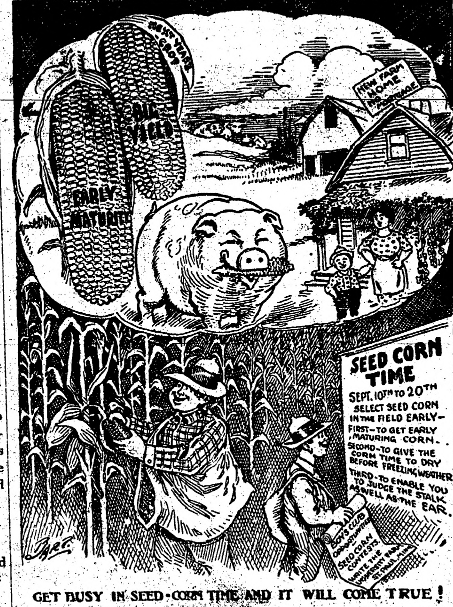
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WHEN every corn grower in Minnesota straps a sack over his shoulders and goes into the cornfield before frost to select seed for planting next year's crop, the prospective annual yield will be increased 15,000,000 bushels. This will add $7,500,000 to the state's wealth every year, and the increase will go into the pocket of the FARMER WHO PRODUCES IT.

HERE IS THE SITUATION: For the last five years the yield of corn in Indiana has been 36.7 bushels to the acre. The yield in Iowa and in Wisconsin has been 35.2. The yield in Minnesota has been 33.2. THE TROUBLE IS the growing season for the corn that is grown in Indiana, Wisconsin and Iowa is too short for the corn that is grown in Minnesota and a variety must be perfected that will mature from ten to thirty days earlier

A variety of corn that would fully mature before frost would add FIVE BUSHELS TO EVERY ACRE of corn raised in Minnesota. The way to get corn that will mature in time is to GET AN EARLY START IN THE SPRING WITH A VARIETY THAT WILL MATURE IN 100 TO 120 DAYS, and the way to get this variety is to SELECT THOROUGHLY MATURED SEED FROM THE FIELD BEFORE FROST.

Minnesota's corn crop this year will produce 77,157,000 bushels. Her spring wheat crop produced 38,931,000 bushels. Her winter wheat crop gave 714,000 bushels.

If these yields were placed on the market at August 1 prices, the corn crop would be worth $11,672,550 more than the entire wheat crop in Minnesota this year.

Acre for acre, good corn yields nearly twice as many pounds of feed as barley, oats or rye. Clover grows well in nearly every part of Minnesota and thousands of tons of alfalfa are raised every year. Isn't it worth while to try to make the crop even better?

A yield of thirty bushels of corn to the acre about pays for raising corn. A yield of thirty-five bushels gives a profit of about $2.50. The addition to the crop made by the selection of good seed and the care for it during the winter means additional profit. MINNESOTA'S CORN CROP MAY BE MADE TO AVERAGE FORTY BUSHELS TO THE ACRE. It will do that when every corn grower spends a day for every ten acres he plants SELECTING HIS SEED FROM THE FIELD AND STORING IT, so as to get a good stand of strong growing corn that will mature.

Seed Corn Time comes September 10 to 20. Put in two days or more selecting and storing seed corn during that time and repeat next year and the next and every year as long as you are in the business of corn growing.

Steiner

Mr. J. Meyer has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Iverson of Thief River Falls called at the S. R. Rogers home Thursday.

Mrs. A. Lanka and friend Cora Steve of T. R. Falls, called at the home of A. Koglin Saturday.

Miss Josie Hasby visited the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Tursteneau and family in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Heider was taken ill the last part of this week. The doctor was called and said she had apendicitis.

She went to the hospital that evening. The last report heard was that she was getting along as well as could be expected.

Miss Celia Sangen of this burg returned home from Minneapolis Friday evening she was under an operation for her ear. She will be able to return to High School in T. R. Falls this fall.

A number of young men from around here attended the club meetinp in the Ole Hall school house Saturday evening.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

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Southeast of Holt.

Constantine Hoffman Sr. had gas lights installed in his house and farm building recently. This is another great improvment on Mr. Hoffmans fine farm.

Dr. F. H. Gambell was called to the S. Torgerson home last week to see their son Carl who has been quite ill for some time. Mrs. Torgerson is also reported as being on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson and son Oleander autored down from their home at Germantown and spent Sunday at the S. Moe home.

Miss Torgerson of Germantown has been enjoying avisit at the home of her cousin Mrs. Tallack Ose for some time.

Miss Ragna Larson went to T. R. Falls last Wednesday returning Thursday.

Gilbert Michaelson returned home last week after spending some time in Chicago and other points on business. He made the trip back in his auto which he purchased while in Chicago.

Tillie Austad of Grand Forks has been at the Tallack Ose home and with other relations and friends for some time.

Nels Gudvangen and Alfred Hansen commenced working on the range line on Monday after a couple of weeks "lay off" on account of rain. They are assisted this week by John Gudvangen of Fertile.

Messrs Jacob Gabrielson and Elmer Odie of Golden Valley passed thru this locality last week and are doing threshing near T. R. Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson very pleasantly entertained on Sunday the following: Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Heinze and sons Frank and Harry, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Saastad and grandchild Irene Edwardson. The Misses Matillda Wendt and Annie Erickson. The Messrs Birkquam, Burky and Harry Moe.

Miss Marie Farman who is employed at the Hoffman home, spent Sunday at home.

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School Announcements

The Holt School will open Monday Sept. 11.

With transportation provided for all the country children better attendance will be expected. All children of school age should be at school every day from the first. A written excuse will be required for each days absence. Absence without sufficient reason will have to be reported to the County Superintendent.

Children over 14 may be kept out of school for fall work if excused by the Board. However do not keep them out unless necessary as a late start in the fall makes their work hard thruout the year. Also each days absence on the part of those hauled cuts down our transportation aid from the State. Children to be kept at home for work must be reported to a member of the School Board before school starts.

Uniforn penciltablets, composition books, spelling tablets, penholders, and pen points will be sold to the children at school.

Parents are urged to visit the school during the year and otherwise keep in touch with the work of the children as this is very essential to the success of the school.

Emil Prushek,
Principal.

Useless Proceeding.

Showing a man that he's wrong won't stop the argument. It will only make him more angry.

MEN PAID FOR FIGHT AGAINST SUFFRAGE

Women Financed Their Own Campaign in State of Massachusetts.

According to the laws of Massachusetts all organizations working either for or against suffrage were compelled at the end of the recent campaign to report all contributions and expenses, unless under $20, with the secretary of state. An analysis of the anti-suffrage contributions made by the Woman's Journal shows the following:

By far the greater part of the anti-suffrage campaign fund was made up of personal contributions as distinct from fairs, rummage sales, dances, etc.

Four-fifths of these personal contributions, or $39,324, was made by men. Contributions amounting to only $9,585 were made by women.

The men's contributions came from 633 men, an average of $62 a man.

More than three-fifths of the anti-suffrage contributions, $31,695, came from 135 men, an average of $235 a man.

"There is only one conclusion that can be drawn from these facts," says the Woman's Journal. "It is the men and not women who are conducting the campaign against equal suffrage in this country, under the guise of women's anti-suffrage associations. The people who claimed to speak for 80 per cent of the women, received 80 per cent of their contributions from men. Furthermore, it was not men in general that financed the anti-suffrage campagn. One hundred and thirty-five men furnished $31,695, nearly half of the total receipts of the entire campaign and 64 per cent of the total contributions. Who are these men? What sort of man can afford to sign a check for $235 with which to fight the enfranchisement of women? They are largely the bankers, brokers and powerful directors of the moneyed section of Boston. They not only did not represent the women of the state, but they did not represent the average man."

A similar study of the pro-suffrage contributions to the same campaign shows:

The greater part of the suffrage campaign funds was made up by actual work on the part of women in arranging fairs, rummage sales, dances, etc., as distinct from personal contributions. (The total receipts were $111,609.47, of which the personal contributions amounted to $39,980.38.)

More than four-fifths of the personal contributions, $32,963, was made by women. Contributions amounting to only $7,017 were made by men.

The women's contributions came from 1,893 women, an average of $17 a woman.

A large chunk of the women's contributions, $8,216, came from 1,654 women, an average of $5 each, and 1,025 women contributed $2,997, an average of less than $8 each.

WHAT ONE BIG MAN THINKS OF ANOTHER

President W. H. P. Faunce, of Brown University, is a pretty live wire who keeps abreast of the times, has keen powers of observation, and knows a good man when he sees him. Here is what he has to say about the Republican Candidate for the Presidency:

"I have known Justice Hughes intimately since we were students together at Brown and have seen him a thousand times at work and at play. No man of our generation has a finer combination of character and intellect. Absolutely fearless, unselfish, loyal to American ideals, he is worthy of a nation's trust.

"All his friends know that behind the dignity of bearing is a rich fund of humor and good fellowship. Whether he is climbing a mountain, reading novels, playing with his children, resisting a political lobby or delivering the opinion of the Supreme Court, he is ever the same rugged, democratic, fairminded American. His varied experience has given him wide horizon and sympathy with every aspect of American life.

"He possesses two qualities rarely found together—the judicial temper and the capacity for swift and resolute action. Under his administration the fog which now besets many public questions would be cleared away.

"His penetrating mind goes to the heart of any subject he selects and strips off the irrelevant at once. Such a mind is peculiarly needed amid the intricate problems that now confront America.

"We need more than good intentions. We need clear vision, sound judgment, strong will, unhesitating decision. In short, we need Charles E. Hughes."

DUTY OF THE ADMINISTRATION TO STOP PLOTS AND CONSPIRACIES.

We denounce all plots and conspiracies in the interest of any foreign nation. Utterly intolerable is the use of our soil for alien intrigues. Every American must unreservedly condemn them, and support every effort for their suppression. But here, also, prompt, vigorous and adequate measures on the part of the Administration were needed. There should have been no hesitation; no notion that it was wise and politic to delay. Such an abuse of our territory demanded immediate and thorough-going action. As soon as the Administration had notice of plots and conspiracies, it was its duty to stop them. It was not lacking in resources. Its responsibility for their continuance cannot be escaped by the condemnation of others.—From Mr. Hughes' speech of acceptance.

FAVORS WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Some time ago, a consideration of our economic conditions and tendencies, of the position of women in gainful occupations, of the nature and course of the demand, led me to the conclusion that the granting of suffrage to women is inevitable. Opposition may delay, but in my judgment cannot defeat this movement. If women are to have the vote, as I believe they are, it seems to me entirely clear that in the interest of the public life of this country, the contest should be ended promptly. I favor the vote for women.—From Mr. Hughes' speech of acceptance.

MAINTENANCE OF AMERICAN RIGHTS

Had this Government by the use of both informal and formal diplomatic opportunities left no doubt that when we said "strict accountability" we meant precisely what we said, and that we should unhesitatingly vindicate that position, I am confident that there would have been no destruction of American lives by the sinking of the Lusitania. There, we had ample notice; in fact, published notice. Furthermore, we knew the situation and we did not require specific notice. Instead of whittling away our formal statements by equivocal conversations, we needed the straight, direct and decisive representations which every diplomat and foreign office would understand. I believe that in this way we should have been spared the repeated assaults on American lives. Moreover, a firm American policy would have been strongly supported by our people and the opportunities for the development of bitter feeling would have been vastly reduced.—From Mr. Hughes' speech of acceptance.

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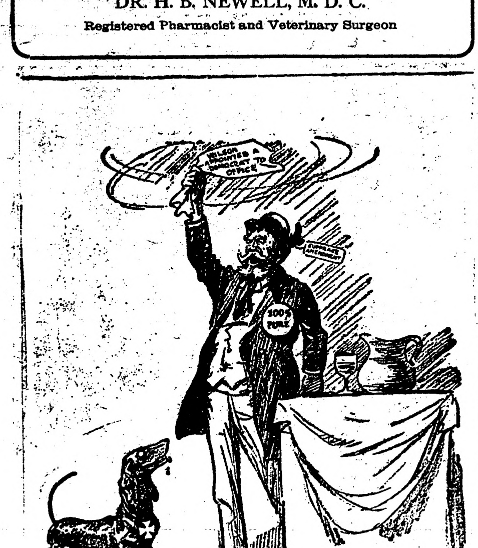

HIS NEW ISSUE —From New York World

No Fun To Be A Soldier

Letter From Jesse Sorum

Below we give our readers a letter from Holt's soldier boy, which was written from the front to P. A. Riesberg and is published with his permission.

Mercedes, Texas, Sept. 1, 1916.

Including the larger camps with their Machine Gun Companies, Supply Companies, Artillery, Cavalry and Infantry there are in all about 250,000 troops encamped on the American side of the Mexican border. At Llano Grande there are about 12,000 men, some from New York, Nebraska, Indiana and Minn. Our camp is about four miles from Llano Grande except for a few Regulars we are the only Regiment encamped at Mercedes.

Our daily life is not altogether one of enjoyment, altho we do like to see and learn things. At times we live good, at times we live poorly. If we are lucky, about twice a week, we get a good big real meal. Daily, we never see butter on our bread or seasoning in our food. We eat many crackers. The officers do not eat the same food we do. They all have seperate mess shacks with special kitchens and cooks.

If we were mustered out to-day, sent back home and then asked to rejoin the National Guard, I do not believe there would be more than 50 Privates out of this Regiment of more than 1000 men, who would write their names upon the enlistment paper.

On the other hand I do not wish to be altogather pessimistic in my view. There are men now encamped here who will be benefited by this experience, more than they will ever know. It is an experience which will either make a tramp of him or bring him home a gentleman of the best type, a man with good habits. Considering the number of men here, there is very little liquor used. If you could see us here, doing our morning hikes with a heavy load to carry, digging ditches and clearing brush, you would be forced to admit that at least the North Dakota boys would come home in perfect physical condition.

There are rumors here that we will all be leaving for home soon. Everyone wants to go and when orders do come this will surely be one camp of pleasant voices and smiling faces.

Very sincerely,
Jesse Sorum.
Co. L 1st N. D. Inf.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

Rev. G. O. Parish will hold services at 8 o'clock next Monday eve, Sept. 18th.

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Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

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Death of Agort Johnson

Agort Johnson was born in the town of East Valley October 12th 1891 and died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson in this village on Sept. 11th, The deceased was employed in a linseed oil factory last winter in Minneapolis and becoming overheated, caught a severe cold which developed into tuberculosis, from which he was a constant sufferer until relieved by death. Funeral services were held at the Free Mission church Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Revs. Kilen and Strom and interment was made in the village cemetery. The News joins the many friends in extending sincere sympathy to the stricken family.

Opening of The Holt School

School commenced Monday with a good attendance, which it is hoped will be kept up throughout the year.

The enrollment is as follows: Advanced grades 23, Mr. Prushek teacher; Intermediate 26 Miss Saastad teacher; Primary 29 Miss Lawson teacher.

Mr. Reierson brings in 18 pupils on his route, Mr. Riesberg 13 and Mr. Heinze 11. These routes will help to keep up the attendance in bad weather. The children are greatly interested in and enjoy to the fullest, the play ground equipment and this helps to keep their interest in the school.

Our school building is already crowded, the domestic science room being used for the intermediate department, and it wont be long until more room will be necessary.

Your New Barn

Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

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In Church Circles.

The Mayflower girls society meets at A. Jahr's Saturday the 16th. All welcome.

The Ladies Aid in East Valley meets with Mrs. Ole B. Johnson the 20th. of Sept. All invited.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. A. I. Sagstuen on next Wednesday Sept. 20th. Every body invited.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl will hold services in the Holt Synod church at 10:45 A. M. next Sunday Sept 17th, and at Ringbo at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

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WAR NEWS.

Since the beginning of the Somme offensive twenty-nine villages have been captured by the allies.

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A total of $31,375,000 already has been subscribed to the fifth German war loan. The city of Berlin is the largest subscriber with $15,000,000.

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It is reported that an official circular has been issued by the Greek government which prohibits all persons between the ages of 17 and 40 to leave the country.

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Canada now has 361,693 men under arms. During the month of August there were 7,246 enlistments, as against 8,675 in July, 10,796 in June and 15,090 in May.

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Field Marshal von Hindenburg has arrived on the western front for the first time since the beginning of the war and is urging his commanders to a more stubborn defense along the Somme.

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An estate of 12,000 acres on which soldiers and sailors can settle after the war has been given to Scotland. The donor is the duke of Sutherland, who owns large tracts of fine land in northern Scotland.

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More than 20,000 Rumanians were taken prisoners when Bulgarian and German troops captured the Rumanian fortress of Turtukan, says an official statement issued by the German army headquarters.

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The allies have lost more than one million men since the grand offensive against the central powers opened with a Russian attack three months ago, is the estimate made by German military experts.

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The thousands of civilians interned in Germany and England may be released and the difficult problem of concentration camps solved altogether, if a plan now under consideration is adopted. The idea is to exchange all civilians on parole not to serve during the war.

GENERAL.

The infantile paralysis epidemic is decreasing in every borough in New York City, according to a report issued by the department of health.

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The United Spanish war veterans, at their annual encampment at Chicago adopted resolutions favoring preparedness on a large scale and offered their services to the president in event of military emergency.

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A deal, which it is said will call for the expenditure of nearly $1,000,000 in Sioux City, Ia., was closed by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, when land was purchased for the erection of shops and roundhouses

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Vernon Castle, one of the foremost exponents of the modern dance on the American stage, who went abroad several months ago to join the colors under the British flag, has been killed in action in France, according to reports received in New York.

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E. W. Ripley, president of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway, has issued a statement declaring that the Santa Fe does not intend to comply with the Adamson eight-hour law, recently enacted by congress to avert a threatened railroad strike, unless ordered to do so by the United States supreme court.

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Suit for $1,000,000 was filed by Henry Ford, the Detroit manufacturer, against the Chicago Tribune in the United States district court at Chicago. Mr. Ford asks for personal damages as compensation for an editorial printed in the Tribune June 23. The bill charges thaht the Tribune sought to bring the plaintiff into "public hatred, contempt, ridicule and financial injury" by publishing the editorial.

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The collapse of a portion of the bleacher seats at the Welsh-White lightweight championship fight at Colorado Springs precipiated two hundred spectators to the ground and injured at least 100 several seriously.

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Official figures on Yukon territory's first vote on prohibition gives the "wets" a majority of only three votes for the entire territory. The contest was to abolish the licensed hotel, the only form of saloon now allowed in the territory.

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Three men were killed and four were more or less seriously injured as the result of the explosion of an ascetylene gas welding machine in the Milwaukee railroad shops at Mitchell, S. D.

A treacherous Kansas wind was responsible for the death of Captain Ralph McMillen, Nebraska Guard aviator, who was killed while making a fight at St. Francis, Kansas.

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A profit of more than $1,000,000 a week was made by the Ford Motor company at Detroit during the year ended July 31. The year's business totalled $206,867,347, the year's profits were $59,994,118.

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Lieut. Sir Ernest H. Shackleton has reached the members of his Antarctic expedition who were marooned on Elephant island and has returned to Punta Arenas, Chile, with his men safe and well.

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John P. St. John, a candidate for the presidency on the prohibition ticket in 1884, twice governor of Kansas and one of the most widely known temperance advocates in the United States, died at Olathe, Kan.

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Friar Rock, the 3-year-old colt, which has won the Brooklyn handicap, the Suburban and other turf classics, was purchased from August Belmont at New York by John E. Madden of Lexington, Ky. The price is said to have been $50,000.

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Freddie Welsh retained his title of champion lightweight puglist of the world after going the full scheduled twenty-rounds with Charley White of Chicago at Colorado Springs. Referee Billy Roche of New York awarded Welsh the decision on points.

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Edgar C. Mills, a Seattle lawyer and candidate for judge of the supreme court, was arrested at Seattle, charged with complicity in an alleged blackmail scheme. The complaint was sworn to by D. E. Thompson of Lincoln, Neb., former ambassador to Brazil.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Francisco Villa with a bandit force estimated at from 700 to 1,500 men has succeeded in making his way into the fastnesses of the Santa Clara canyon.

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Municipal eletcions for mayors and aldermen, held throughout northern Mexico recently resulted in the selection of constitutionalist or Carranza candidates in every instance.

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Twelve bandits who attempted to hold up a Mexican National passenger train just south of San Luis Potosi were captured and hanged by Carranza soldiers. Other bandits were killed in the fight.

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Twenty-five Mexican soldiers and eleven passengers were kileid when a constitutionalist train was wrecked near Tampico. The bandits butchered the train guards and carried away everything moveable.

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Francisco Villa, with a force recruited as a result of his recent victories in the vicinity of Satevo, to about 1,000 men, attacked Gen. Elizondo in the vicinity of Santa Ysabel and forced the Carranza leader, who had about 600 troops, to fall back toward Chihuahua City.

WASHINGTON.

An investigation into the new demands made by Japan upon China is to be made by the United States.

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The treaty providing for the purchase from Denmark of the Danish West Indies for $25,000,000 was ratified by the senate.

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Elimination of all stamp taxes in the emergency revenue bill, seriously objected to by the house, was agreed upon by the conference committee.

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President Wilson signed the federal workmen's compensation act, passed recently by congress, providing for government employes injured at their work.

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President Wilson signed the shipping bill. It authorizes government control of a corporation or corporations with capitalization of not more than $50,000,000 to buy or lease ships and put them in trade if they cannot be leased for operation to private capital.

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The name of Alfred M. Gruenther, Platte Center, Neb., is included in a list of names issued by the war department covering appointees designated to take the entrance examination for the West Point Military academy in March, 1917.

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The National guard organizations, recently ordered from the border to their respective state mobilization camps, will be mustered out of the federal service as soon as practicable and returned to the normal status of National guard troops, Secretary of War Baker directed.

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Students and teachers who are in the militia are apparently there to stay, acording to a memorandum issued by the secretary of war.

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Hearings on the joint congressional sub-committee on railroad problems will begin in Washington on November 20. The committee invites statements from the interstate commerce commission, state railroad commissions, representatives of the railroads and of boards of trade, bankers and others interested.

STATE BREVITIES

Fergus Falls. — Completed tabulation of returns from the recent special election in Fergus Falls shows defeat of all six proposed charter amendments voted upon.

Cloquet. — Indian Agent G. W. Cross hopes to make the third annual Indian fair a success. The fair will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 21, 22 and 23, at the Cloquet baseball park.

Garfield. — George F. Hughes of Emmetsburg, Iowa, was killed and his wife and child injured when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by Great Northern passenger train No. 4, near here.

Brainerd. — Ninety-two days from the time he planted northern Minnesota grown seed in his corn field, full grown, well developed, ripened ears of "Minnesota 23" were gathered on the farm of Cod Kimball in the town of Mission, Crow Wing county.

St. Paul. — The State Board of Investment has gone on record officially recognizing the need for more business-like administration of the state trust funds, which include loans to counties, municipalities and schools aggregating nearly $25,000,000.

Eveleth. — That bullet holes in the boilers of steam shovels would be an effective manner of stopping operations of the mines of the Mesaba range was the suggestion given to local strikers by J. Larton, addressing a crowd of miners, according to report.

State Fair Grounds. — Minnesota livestock in competition with some of the best in the country held its own at the Minnesota state fair even against the pure bred favorites from Iowa. In the 10 Belgian classes, Minnesota horses obtained nine awards.

Lake Crystal. — The general assembly of the Welsh Calvanistic Methodist church is being held at Lake Crystal. This assembly meets every three years. The last meeting was held at Utica, N. Y. Chicago, Racine, Wis., and Columbus, Ohio, are extending invitations.

Bemidji. — Work has commenced here on a $30,000 home for the Bemidji Elks' lodge, to be ready for occupancy by December 1. The building will be 50 feet wide and 140 feet long. The ground will provide room for two stores and a theater with seating room for 400 persons.

Moorhead. — Does not the right of self-defense extend to use of the teeth? Mrs. Andy Charles so pleaded when charged in police court with biting Mrs. Olga Skog's little finger. Judge Wade admitted the question was perplexing, and will consider it before announcing his decision.

Verndale. — Because a brakeman uncoupled some cars from a freight train standing here to permit Levin Smith, a local business man, to pass in his motor, and the latter was struck and killed by a passenger train that did not stop, spectators became enraged at the brakeman and threatened to lynch him.

Virginia. — Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith states that his office will be represented at hearings at International Falls before M. J. Brown, commissioner appointed by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist to take testimony on charges of illegal expenditures by Koochiching county officials, alleged to total more than $200,000.

St. Paul. — A ruling by the state legal department that many timber operators must commit trespass in order to open logging roads, shows the need of amendment to the timber laws, according to state officials. The opinion was given after a trespass claim had been defended on the ground that the cutting was done to open a logging road.

Lake Crystal. — The triennial general assembly of International Welsh Calvinistic churches was held here. The following executive officers were elected for the next three-year period: The Rev. W. E. Evans, Mankato, president; the Rev. R. E. Evans, Philadelphia, secretary; the Rev. S. W. Griffiths, Cleveland, Ohio, statistician; Dr. E. E. Jones, Oakhill, Ohio, treasurer.

International Falls.—Supplementary charges implicating additional Koochiching county officials in alleged illegal expenditures of county funds aggregating more than $200,000 have just been filed with Governor Burnquist. The governor announced that the official investigation ordered on the first charge will proceed as far as the law will allow, despite the resignation of County Auditor L. H. Slocum, the only official named in the original charges.

St. Paul. — A bulwark in the nation's defense in time of war and one of the strongest links in the chain of business prosperity of the nation in time of peace. This is the condition of Minnesota, according to a statement made by J. J. Flather of the University of Minnesota faculty, speaking in behalf of the Minnesota Board of Governors in charge of the work of making an industrial survey of the resources of the state for the naval consulting board.

Chisholm. — Alleging that Municipal Judge Masters sets bail in the cases of I. W. W. pickets arraigned before him at too high a figure, local agitators circulated a petition, addressed to Governor Burnquist, among the strikers of the village demanding that Judge Masters be removed.

Winona. — William Dixon of this city made what is thought to be the season's record catch along the upper Mississippi, when he snared a catfish weighing 95 pounds, near Dresbach, this county. The fish measured four and a half feet from tip to tip. It is said to have been caught on a set line.

Open General Stations.

Lieutenants Milo Price and Henry R. Prescott opened recruiting stations in Minneapolis and St. Paul and the state fair grounds. These will be general stations at which enlisting men can state their preference among the various Minnesota units, General Wood explained.

Four remaining squads made up of one commissioned and two non-commissioned officers and one private each have been sent out on itineraries subject to change and with instructions to move headquarters when a field is exhausted.

To Cover State.

Lieut. W. O. Brown will head the squad ordered to Duluth first and later to the Iron Range towns. Lieut. E. B. Cutler and squad will begin at Anoka and work toward Crookston. Capt. A. O. Stubstadt and squad will open at Winona and work along the river back toward the Twin Cities. The last squad, headed by Lieut. Donald McKenzie, will begin recruiting at Faribault and then move to Northfield, Owatonna, Mankato, St. Peter and other towns in central southern Minnesota.

Ordered Home.

Supplementing the original order for the mustering out of service of Battery F, the unit composed of students at the University of Minnesota, information was received by General Wood that the commanding general of the southern department was directed by the adjutant general of the army to return to the state mobilization camp Battery F, First Minnesota field artillery, and certain units from Illinois, to be held at the camp pending further instructions.

The information included a statement that hereafter no individuals will be discharged on account of being bona fide students or teachers in colleges and schools. This order supersedes all previous orders.

Curb on Discharges.

Another order from the adjutant general's office at Washington, D. C., was as follows:

"In view of the provisions contained in the appropriations bill providing funds for taking care of dependent relatives of soldiers, the Secretary of War directs that previous orders relating to the discharge of enlisted men on account of dependent relatives be revoked to take effect in all cases which originate hereafter."

General Wood explained that while the order is not retroactive, it means few if any discharges for men on the ground of claims of dependents.

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Select Seed Corn Now.

Minnesota farmers should drop everything else to select and store seed corn, in the opinion of farm management experts at University farm. They advise that seed corn selecting be done between September 10 and 20, even though threshing, silo filling and winter crop seeding wait. They hold that any of these may wisely be subordinated to selecting next year's seed corn. They believe the value of the corn crop can be increased by $7,500,000 a year by proper seed selection.

Frosts Impair Quality.

"Seed corn that does not germinate 90 per cent or better is not fit to be planted for the production of ears," said Prof. C. P. Bull. "Germinating qualities alone regulate the value of seed corn. Even fodder corn seed should have high germination testing power, although a false impression to the contrary prevails.

"Killing frosts on standing corn is almost sure to impair the germination of the seed, so it is better to cut too early than too late."

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Pay for Stolen Honey.

Some three weeks ago three men of the Third Minnesota infantry were arrested south of camp on the charge of stealing honey from a farmer and destroying some of the bee hives. The men were tried by summary court and proved they had destroyed no hives.

Meanwhile the thefts of honey continued, and the fact was brought to the attention of General Lewis, who ordered an inquiry made in every regiment in camp.

As a result it was learned men in every regiment had visited the bee farm, and each regiment was assessed an amount of money in proportion to the number of men found to have visited the place. The bee farmer is now on Easy street.

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Guards Stand Test Well

Minnesota soldiers have just undergone a severe test in the stiffest practice march which the troops have experienced. All three regiments covered more than 12 miles in heavy marching order, carrying filled packs, blankets, shelter tents, canteens, and mess kits. Despite the 60-pound load, and the dust and heat very few men dropped out and the regiments marched into camp singing "Cheer, Cheer, the Gang's All Here."

Swim After March.

Colonel Mollison lead his command to Donna while both the First and Third marched east. Colonel Evans permitted his men to take a swim in the lake about seven miles from the camp after the march over dusty roads.

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Resents Governor's Slight.

W. F. Houk, state commissioner of labor, withdrew his acceptance of an invitation to participate in a parade in St. Paul on Labor day, assigning as his reason the departure from the usual custom of the labor organizations to invite the governor to take part. In a letter to Secretary F. W. Lariviere, Mr. Houk asserted that Governor J. A. A. Burnquist has been in sympathy with labor and that in the failure to extend an invitation, the committee did a great wrong.

ALARM IS CAUSED BY PHANTOM BEAR

Residents in Maine Community Fear to Go Out After Dark.

CARRIES BIG KNAPSACK

Eph Mason Tells About Meeting Animal Suddenly, and as Eph Is 6 Feet 2 Inches, His Word Is Not Doubted.

Bar Harbor, Me.—Just up beyond the toll bridge, on the other side of the Trenton line, on Mount Desert, the residents have been alarmed at the presence, so they say, of a phantom bear with a big knapsack on his shoulder.

Even the men, although hardly feigning to believe the yarns, aren't noticeably anxious to wander far from their own firesides after the sun sets.

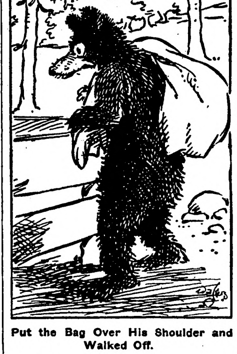
Eph Tells About It.

Eph Mason is known among his neighbors as a man of unimpeachable veracity. Eph saw him, or at least says he did, and as Eph is 6 feet 2 inches in his homespun stockings, no one cares to dispute the fact with him. Eph told about it down at the grocery store:

"I was jest goin' out to my pig pen," said Eph, "with a bucket of swill to feed the pigs. It wuz gittin' kinder dusky, an' I thought I saw somethin' leanin' over the fence, somethin' kinder dark, an' I thought that the dum cow had broken the fence an' had got into the yeard. It provoked me, sorter, 'cause that 'ere cow is gittin' breachier an' breachier, an' I swore at her in some quite considerable language. In fact, I addressed her in what you might call some quite glowin' terms. Finally I picked up a big rock an' let her have it full tilt. I hit her plumb in the side, an' then—

Thought His Time Was Come.

"Sufferin' cats, I thought my time had come, sire! A big black b'ar riz right up stiddy on his hind legs an' looked at me. He looked's big ez a mounting there in the twilight, an' I was so blame skeered I stood still in my tracks without sayin' a word. He stood there an' grunted, an' then picked the fattest shote I had up under one arm. I was countin' considable on that shote, but I didn't dare to say anything, becuz I didn't have so much ez a pitchfork with me. An' what do you think?



Put the Bag Over His Shoulder and Walked Off.

"That b'ar took a big crocus bag, held it wide open in his mouth jest like my wife will a pillow case when she's makin' the bed, an' popped Mr. Shote inter it quicker than you could say scat to a tomcat. Then Mr. B'ar wunk at me kinder solemn, put the bag over his shoulder, an' walked off inter the woods big ez life. I'm not naturally very timid, but I'll be durned if I care to have any dealin's with a beast that's so dum cute as that."

HAS TEMPLE OF DISHONESTY

House Erected in Los Angeles in Which All Component Parts Are Stolen.

Los Angeles.—Somebody is building a temple of dishonesty in the form of a house of which all the component parts are stolen.

Now the thieves are stealing the doors. The last case of such thievery was reported to the police recently by Mrs. W. H. Hill of No. 1414 Fedora street. When Mrs. Hill left home the other morning the back door was locked safely on its hinges. When she returned two hours later the door was gone. Other house parts have been stolen in other neighborhoods recently.

The police are wondering what the thieves will do when they get around to making a basement and cement walk for their home.

Ignore Valuables; Steal Eats.

Bayonne, N. J.—Ignoring jewelry, money and silverware, two burglars stole ham sandwiches from Rev. S. Reichnitzer's home and later purloined fruit and preserves from the house of Floyd Davis.

Libby's Vienna Sausage and Sliced Dried Beef

Both contain less heat producing properties than heavy meats.

Try them for summer luncheons and picnic tidbits.

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Insist on Libby's at your grocer's

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He Would.

"I'm thinking seriously of starting a moving picture theater."

"Well, there's good money in that business."

"It isn't the money I'm after. But I would like to see my wife and children once in a while."

BABY'S ITCHING SKIN

Quickly Soothed and Healed by Cuticura. Trial Free.

Bathe with hot water and Cuticura Soap. If there is any irritation anoint gently with Cuticura Ointment on end of finger. Refreshing slumber for restless, fretful babies usually follows the use of these super-creamy emollients. They are a boon to tired mothers.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

The Vital Point.

A beautiful young lady interviewed a fortune teller on the usual subjects.

"Lady," said the clairvoyant, "you will visit foreign lands and the courts of kings and queens. You will conquer all rivals and marry the man of your choice. He will be tall and dark and aristocratic-looking."

"And young?" interrupted the lady.

"Yes, and very rich."

The beautiful lady grasped the fortune teller's hands and pressed them hard.

"Thank you," she said. "Now tell me one thing more. How shall I get rid of my present husband?"

No Sale for 'em.

"How shall I mark that lot of ladies' hosiery we're sending back to the mill?" asked the department store buyer.

"What is the matter with them?" inquired the manager.

"They're too thick. Nobody ever wears that kind any more, even in the winter."

"Mark them 'Rejected on account of low visibility.'"

Fitted for the Game.

"He pitches his voice too high."

"Yet you must admit he has a catch in it."

Luther Crawford of West Fairview, Pa., born without hands, has been chosen president of the council of his home town.

Grape-Nuts

Gets Attention—

First, because of its wonderfully delicious flavor—

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But the big "get attention" quality is its abundance of well-balanced, easily digestible nourishment.

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BEWARE OF SUBSTITUTES
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SAYS HYPNOTISM IS EASY

Professor Muensterberg Declares He Can Bring Anybody He Ever Met Under Complete Subjection.

Prof. Hugo Muensterberg, the Harvard psychologist, says he can hypnotize anybody he ever met, according to a Cambridge (Mass.) dispatch to the New York Evening Telegram. He knows Kaiser Wilhelm very well, and said he would not except the kaiser. The Harvard summer school students were told how easy it is to hypnotize anybody, almost as easy as "rolling off a log." The professor predicted a great field in the future for the expert in mind control. He said:

"Hypnotism presents a vast field for the expert. It is so easy to produce the hypnotic trance that anyone can do it on others, but it is exceedingly dangerous when thoughtlessly or ignorantly used. It is simply a case of increasing the suggestibility of the mind, and it can be used in medicine to cure the morphine fiend, the alcoholic fiend and all who have abnormal desires. Often only a slight hypnosis is necessary to effect a cure for nervous disorders.

"Medicine, equally with law, is to be the food for the psychologist of the future. Every mental trait can be measured exactly by almost perfect standards. The old methods are obsolete and the whole science of diagnosis has been carried into the field of experiment. Psycho-analysis has a great future."

Chilly, in Fact.

Singleton—Didn't you find it pretty hot last night out your way?

Wedleigh—No! I arrived home late and got a very cool reception.

EXPECT TO RAISE BIG SUM

Anti-Tuberculosis Societies Plan Sale of One Million Dollars' Worth of Red Cross Christmas Seals.

Three hundred million Red Cross Christmas seals are being printed in Cincinnati for the annual holiday campaign to be conducted under the joint auspices of the American Red Cross and the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

The campaign for the sale of Red Cross seals this year will be larger than ever before. Although in 1915 the sale reached the record total of 80,000,000 seals, bringing in $800,000, it is expected that this year at least 100,000,000 seals or $1,000,000 worth will be sold. The sale will be organized from Alaska to the Canal Zone and from Hawaii to Porto Rico. Every state and territory in the United States will have seals on sale. New organizations will be working in a number of the western states, including Montana, Utah and Wyoming. Distribution of the seals is now under way.

Suspicious.

"I used to think Hobbs was as honest as the day, but I'm beginning to have my doubts."

"What makes you distrust him?"

"I called on him yesterday and saw four silk umbrellas in his room."

Among the Missing.

Urban—What do you miss most since moving to the country?

Rural—Trains.—Princeton Tiger.

Soon Diagnosed.

"What is auto-hypnotism?"

"It is what makes fool people walk in front of 'em."

Its place in the sun

To hold "its place in the sun," is the avowed purpose of a great nation's conflict. To hold "its place in the sun," is the object of every business in the great fight for industrial and commercial supremacy.

To be able to hold "its place in the sun," is the supreme test of an asphalt roof. It is the sun, not rain or snow, that plays havoc with a roof. If it can resist the drying out process of the sun beating down upon it, day after day, the rain or snow will not affect it except to wash it clean and keep it sanitary.

Certain-teed Roofing

takes "its place in the sun" and holds it longer than other similar roofing, because it is made of the very best quality roofing felt, thoroughly saturated with the correct blend of soft asphalts, and coated with a blend of harder asphalts. This outer coating keeps the inner saturation soft, and prevents the drying out process so destructive to the ordinary roof.

The blend of asphalts used by "The General" is the result of long experience. It produces a roofing more pliable than those which have less saturation, and which are, therefore, harder and drier.

At each of the General's big mills, expert chemists are constantly employed to refine, test and blend the asphalts used; also to experiment for possible improvements. Their constant endeavor is to make the best roofing still better.

The quality of CERTAIN-TEED is such that it is guaranteed for 5, 10 or 15 years, according to thickness (1, 2 or 3 ply). Experience proves that it lasts longer. Behind this guarantee is the responsibility of the world's largest manufacturer of roofings and building papers.

The General makes one third of America's supply of asphalt roll roofing. His facilities are unequaled, and he is able to produce the highest quality roofing at the lowest manufacturing cost.

CERTAIN-TEED is made in rolls; also in slate covered shingles. There's a type of CERTAIN-TEED for every kind of building, with flat or pitched roofs, from the largest sky-scraper to the smallest residence or out-building.

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BIG CENTRAL SPAN OF QUEBEC BRIDGE FALLS; 25 KILLED

LARGEST CANTILEVER IN WORLD DROPS INTO ST. LAWRENCE RIVER WHILE BEING PUT INTO PLACE.

NINETY MEN ON STRUCTURE ARE HURLED INTO WATERS

Part Which Collapsed Weighs More Than 5,000 Tons and Is 640 Feet Long—Bridge Is Being Constructed at a Cost of $17,000,000.

Quebec, Que., Sept. 12.—The new central span of the Quebec bridge, the largest cantilever suspension in the world, collapsed and fell into the St. Lawrence river while being hoisted into place with the loss of 25 lives.

The bridge was being constructed at a cost of $17,000,000 in order to shorten the railway journey from Halifax to the Canadian Northwest by 200 miles.

The bridge stands on the site of the structure which collapsed on August 29, 1907, with a loss of 70 lives.

The central span which fell weighs more than 5,000 tons and is 640 feet long.

Ninety Men Fall Into River.

Observers said that the span broke in two places, one of the corners first appearing to give way, followed almost immediately by a break in the center.

The collapse occurred when the span was about 15 feet in the air. Ninety men were on the structure when it fell.

Boats from among the hundreds of spectators' craft were rushed to the spot where the span disappeared. The fallen structure sank 200 feet to the bottom of the river and engineers expressed doubts as to whether it would ever be raised.

The span had been constructed on pontoons a few miles east of the bridge and was towed into position under the gap left in the anchor arms of the structure.

AUTOISTS MEET DEATH UNDER ENGINE'S PILOT

Three Instantly Killed and Bodies Mangled in Colorado—Fourth Member of Party Dying.

Loveland, Colo., Sept. 12.—Three persons are dead and a fourth is dying as the result of an automobile accident. The automobile party of four, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Hedelson and Mrs. Clara Jones of Loveland and Mrs. Julia A. Tent of Eureka, Kan., were returning from a mountain trip. At the outskirts of the city Hedelson, driving the machine, attempted to cross the Colorado and Southern railroad tracks ahead of a southbound passenger train. The car was struck squarely in the center. Mrs. Tent, fatally injured, was thrown to one side. The other three, remaining in the automobile, rolled over and over under the engine pilot, were instantly killed and their bodies mangled. Railroad employes worked desperately for over an hour before the bodies were removed from under the engine.

LONGSHOREMEN MAY STRIKE

Buffalo Society's Decision Affects Duluth Grain Men.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 12.—The Longshoreman's association of Buffalo voted to handle no more grain from boats trimmed by nonunion labor at Duluth and Superior. Action will be suspended until after a meeting of representatives and the employers. The principal complaint of the Buffalo men is that the old system of payment through a stevedore instead of direct to the men obtains at Duluth and Superior.

WILSON HELD FIRST REAL PROGRESSIVE IN DECADE

Writer Flays Theodore Roosevelt in Declaring for President—Says Colonel Is Out of Date.

New York, Sept. 12.—"Theodore Roosevelt is out of date," Ida Tarbell, magazine writer and economist, said in declaring for President Wilson. "He does not and never has fully understood what the Progressives are fussing about," Miss Tarbell added, "and there never has been one of them who could tell him so that he could get the idea.

"President Wilson is the first real Progressive this decade has produced."

Roumanians Lose Balkan War Gains.

Berlin, Sept. 12.—Nearly all of the territory taken from Bulgaria by the Rumanians at the close of the second Balkan war has been reconquered by the German-Bulgarian forces. The Rumanians and Russians are again in retreat toward the Danube, abandoning still more positions. In a little more than a week the combined German and Bulgarian forces have captured far more Rumanian territory than the Allies have been able to take of German territory since the beginning of the war.

GERMANS DRIVEN BACK AT VERDUN; BATTLE NEAR END

TEUTONS ARE NOW ENTIRELY ON DEFENSIVE WHILE FRENCH STEADILY WIN BACK THEIR LOST POSITIONS.

GREAT STRUGGLE DYING LIKE EXTINCT VOLCANO

Morale of Kaiser's Troops Shattered When They Are Reduced in Numbers to Mere Defensive Garrison —Fighting On West Bank of Meuse Ceases.

With the French Army at Verdun, Sept. 11.—The Germans are now entirely on the defensive at Verdun. The great battle began 201 days ago and has entered its third and final stage. The French are steadily winning back their lost positions. The battle will gradually die out like an extinct volcano.

It now has been learned definitely that the Germans were forced to remove huge quantities of artillery and men from Verdun to the Somme front three weeks ago to meet the new Anglo-French offensive. This had an immediate effect on the morale of the remaining men.

Morale of Germans Shattered.

In February they had been told they were to capture Verdun. At the end of July they were told it would be sufficient to simply dominate the situation there. But when they had been reduced in numbers to merely a defensive garrison after nearly seven months of fighting their morale was so shattered that groups of prisoners have been surrendering, some of them going through Verdun singing "The Marseillaise," French officers declare.

The seventh and last great German massed attack was made on both banks of the Meuse on July 10. The French checked this blow immediately and took the offensive. Ever since that time they have retained the initiative, capturing in their operations more than 10,000 prisoners, a score of cannon and a hundred machine guns.

For Final Desperate Struggle.

Fighting on the west bank of the Meuse has practically ceased. Hill 304 and Dead Man's hill are now numbered among the glories of the past.

East of the river the Germans are concentrating for a final desperate struggle to retain the forts of Vaux and Douaumont.

Forces of Teutonic powers in the Carpathian mountains northwest of Mount Kapul, yielded before the pressure exerted by the Russians.

SUCCESSFUL CRUISE ENDED

Navy Department Orders Training Ships to Land Men.

Washington, Sept. 11.—With announcement that the "John Paul Jones cruise" on which 2,500 civilians have been in training since August 18 has been highly successful, orders were issued Saturday by the Navy department terminating the training. The six reserve battleships comprising the training fleet will land the men at Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Norfolk, Charleston and New York.

Admiral Benson, acting secretary of the navy, said the orders were intended to relieve the civilians so they might return to their business Monday. The cruise was to have ended Tuesday.

EXPECTS NOTE FROM BRITAIN

Lansing Says Reply to Mail Seizure Protest Is Due.

Washington, Sept. 11.—The state department, Secretary Lansing says, is expecting a further note from Great Britain some time this month replying to the American protest against British seizure of and interferences with American mails. Officials expect a more comprehensive discussion than that given in the preliminary note received July 20.

No information has been received at the State department as to when a reply may be expected to the American note protesting against the British blacklist decree

Steel Soars to New Levels.

New York, Sept. 11.—United States steel common broke its previous high record price for the seventh time in three weeks, Saturday, selling at 102⅝.

Unfilled orders on the books of the company, August 31, totaled 9,660,357 tons, the monthly unfilled tonnage report showed.

List of Speeding Autoists Is Stolen.

Wayzata, Minn., Sept. 11.—One hundred and sixty-eight automobile owners, caught in a trap by Marshal George Strand of Wayzata, will not have to appear in court, even though they did average 20 to 35 miles an hour through the business district of the town. Strand had the names of the violators in his desk in the city hall. Then someone broke into the building and stole the list. The purse that contained the list was found outside the building. "I do not think any of the speeders stole it," said Strand.

GOOD EFFECTS OF TROUBLE

Much of the Advancement of the World May Be Traced to Those Pugnaciously Inclined.

Most of us love trouble—that is, most of the human race. Man cannot remain contentedly out of trouble for any length of time, it seems. And if you doubt the statement, all you have to do is to remember the numerous instances when you were getting along all right, and then deliberately "butted into" something that was not your affair.

Take the matter of politics, if you please. Half of the political troubles we read about are unnecessary. That is to say, a lot of the people mixed up in politics are so mixed for no purpose in this world save that they may make trouble for themselves or somebody else. For it really makes little difference to the average man who is elected; indeed the average man takes an interest in politics not because he thinks by doing so he can best serve the public, but because he wants a fight.

Of course all of us like to flatter ourselves that we are doing something for the nation or the country or a group of people. But the truth is most of us are doing nothing of the kind.

But, did you know that most of the good that has so far resulted to the world has come from the troublemakers, and not from the peacemakers?—Columbus Dispatch.

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Putting Out Gasoline Fire.

Experiments by the British Fire Prevention committee show that the best way to put out a small gasoline fire is to spread over the burning liquid a mixture of ten pounds of bicarbonate of soda and twelve pounds of common sawdust free from chips and shavings.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

The Babies.

Lincoln Springfield, London editor, was talking to an American correspondent.

"I know a regiment," he said, "where the subalterns are so young that not one of them is able to raise the moustache required by etiquette.

"A handful of privates from this regiment swaggered back to quarters late one night singing the popular ditty, 'Another Little Drink Won't Do Us Any Harm.'

"As they passed the officers' billets, the guard on duty growled at them:

"'Shut up, you noisy fools, or you'll wake the war babies!'"

It is natural that those summer furs should be popular with girls who have knuckles on their necks.

It's Foolish to Suffer

You may be brave enough to stand backache, or headache, or dizziness. But if, in addition, urination is disordered, look out! If you don't try to fix your sick kidneys, you may fall into the clutches of kidney trouble before you know it. But if you live more carefully and help your kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills, you can stop the pains you have and avoid future danger as well.

A North Dakota Case

Fred Neumann, tailor, Ellendale, N. D., says: "My work and colds weakened my kidneys. If I tried to straighten, knife-like pains darted through my back. I had headaches and dizzy spells and lost much weight. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me after other medicines failed and now I don't suffer at all."

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Mixing His Lines.

The primer class at school was reading the story of Dick Whittington. They had reached the part of the story where Dick, running away, heard the bells of the village sing to him: "Turn again, Whittington, lord mayor of London!"

The teacher, calling on a little lad to read, was amazed to hear the child say glibly, without even looking at his book:

"Turn again, Whittington, Mayor Bell of London!"

Biblical Geography.

A Chicago kiddie recently "stumped" his mother with this query:

"What's the Miz?"

"The Miz, dear? I'm sure I don't know. Where did you hear about it?"

"At Sunday school. The superintendent said God made heaven and earth an' all that in the Miz!"

A horse is no good until he's well broken, but it is different with automobiles.

A Woman's Problem

How to Feel Well During Middle Life Told by Three Women Who Learned from Experience.

The Change of Life is a most critical period of a woman's existence and neglect of health at this time invites disease and pain. Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to medicine that will so successfully carry women through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs. Read these letters:—

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I started the Change of Life five years ago. I always had a headache and backache with bearing down pains and I would have heat flashes very bad at times with dizzy spells and nervous feelings. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I feel like a new person and am in better health and no more troubled with the aches and pains I had before I took your wonderful remedy. I recommend it to my friends for I cannot praise it enough."—Mrs. Margaret Grassman, 759 N. Ringgold St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Beverly, Mass.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for nervousness and dyspepsia, when I was going through the Change of Life. I found it very helpful and I have always spoken of it to other women who suffer as I did and have had them try it and they also have received good results from it."—Mrs. George A. Dunbar, 17 Roundy St., Beverly, Mass.

Erie, Pa.—"I was in poor health when the Change of Life started with me and I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, or I think I should not have got over it as easy as I did. Even now if I do not feel good I take the Compound and it restores me in a short time. I will praise your remedies to every woman for it may help them as it has me."—Mrs. E. Kissling, 931 East 24th St., Erie, Pa.

No other medicine has been so successful in relieving woman's suffering as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Women may receive free and helpful advice by writing the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. Such letters are received and answered by women only and held in strict confidence.

Local Items

Picnic Ham 22 cents a lb, at the butcher shop. adv

Lost: A bunch of keys. Return to Holt Merc. Co. for reward.

Theo. Sollom went to T. R. Falls last Friday for a few days visit.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Grant Flakne a baby boy. Thursday Aug. 31.

Issac Ostlund was a Crookston business visitor the first of the week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Arnevik, last Sunday night, a baby girl. Congratulations.

Miss Hannah Knutson returned home Monday from several weeks stay in Thief River Falls.

C. W. Christianson and family have rented the Latta house vacated by Chas. Knutson and family.

Miss Gunhild Sollom will leave for Viking tomorrow, near which place she will teach this fall.

For Sale: Feed mill complete with gasoline engine. Call and examine it at R. Reierson's store.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson went to Newfolden Saturday evening for a short visit with relatives and friends.

B. Docken sold 360 acres of land north of Holt and in town of Whiteford on Tuesday to F. M. Coleman of Minneapolis.

Harold Provencher and Ed. Ahlborn of Thief River Falls were pleasantly intertained at the C. Saastad home on Tuesday evening,

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it. adv

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Docken returned to their home in Mekinock N. D. yesterday after several days visit at the home of their son B. Docken and family.

A break down on the engine caused several days delay in drilling the village well. The repairs have since been received and work commenced again yesterday.

Mrs. J. M. Swan received the sad news Tuesday afternoon of the death of her father, Mr. Kronstrom, at his home in Grove City. Mrs. Swan left the same evening to attend the funeral,

Herman Heinze showed us some barley he recently threshed that has no beards nor hulls. Farmers have long wanted barley without beards and we hope that this variety will prove lo be what is wanted.

For Sale: Must be sold to settle estate N. E.1-4 N. W.1-4 W1-2 N. W.1-4 Sec. 11 Twp. 156 Range 43 $15.00 per acre.

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D. Payne came up from Leonard Saturday night, Mrs. Payne and the children (except Lillian who will remain with her grandparents) and her father, L. S. Kolden, came up from Neilsville Monday. Mr. Payne loaded his household goods into a car ready for shipment and departed Tuesday with his family for their home in Leonard.

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S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good. adv

Chas. Knutson came over from Warren Tuesday after his household goods. Mr. Knutson will move his family to Warren where he has employment in a butcher shop.

John A. Sorum returned home on Monday from attending the State Fair and reports attendance and exhibits good, but rain interfered with carrying out the regular daily programs.

P. L. Anderson returned to his work in the creamery, Monday. Mr. Anderson is a great deal better but is still bothered with rheumatism in his feet. Mr. Pace, who supplied in the creamery during Mr. Anderson's absence, returned to Newfolden on Sunday.

The center span, of the great bridge which is being erected across the St. Lawerance at Quebec, suddenly broke on Monday and fell into the river. It is estimated 25 or 30 people lost their lives by the accident. Nine years ago 70 people lost their lives at the same place by a similar accident.

Thief River Falls will have a big Market Day to-morrow.

Mrs. Knute O. Flakne went to Crookston Monday for a short visit.

Found: A coat. Prove property and pay for this notice. Guy Anderson, Holt, Minn.

Mrs. Ollie Werner and children visited at the Riesberg home from Friday until Tuesday.

Irving E. Quist, the county surveyor, was here Friday to do some work for different parties.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson and three children visited over Sunday with relatives in Red Lake Falls.

Walter Johnson, of Minneapolis, came Tuesday to attend the funeral of his brother, Agort Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jens Derickson, of Dixon, Ia., visited their niece, Mrs. Grant Flakne, a few days the past week.

Miss Inez Alkenbrack went to Hopkins Monday where she will make her home with an aunt and attend high school.

Lloyd Adams returned to Leonard Monday where he has the job of building a church for the Congregational people of that village.

DETROIT'S IMPRESSIONS OF A MAN.

Governor Hughes' visit to Detroit opened the presidential campaign of 1916 and if we may forecast the events that are to follow by the omens of Monday we would prognosticate an intensely warm, vivid and humanly interesting period in the next few months.

Setting aside the auspices of meteorological conditions in this provision of the future—although they are approved by numerous professional augurs and by a host of commonalty as well—we base this prophecy on the characteristics of the candidate whose too brief stay with us has been enjoyed by all with whom he came into contact.

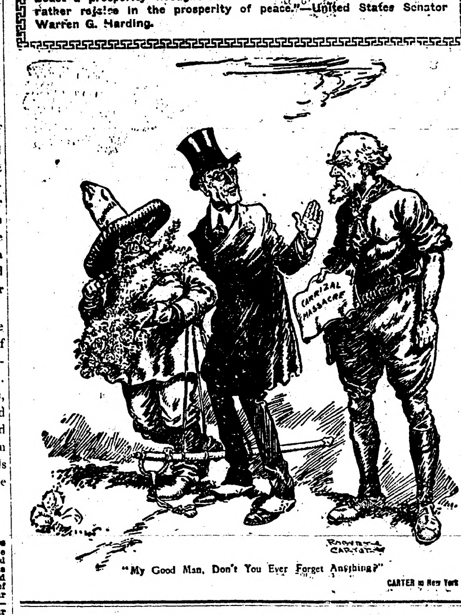
The misguided individuals who have been expecting Charles E. Hughes would prove to be a cold proposition and therefore easy to beat are in for a shock that will make them think they have been hit by an uninsulated trolley wire. There is nothing cold about Mr. Hughes, Detroit has learned. He is about as intensely human a piece of humanity as ever captured the hearts of a crowd, and the more people in the United States he meets between now and November the more votes will be cast for him. As a campaigner he is a revelation. He likes his fellow beings, and they like him because they see he likes them.

And what his personality begins his remarkable powers of intellect and utterance finish. He drives his points home with tremendous force. What he says sticks. There are thousands of Americans today who can retell every step in the arguments he made eight years ago on the Bryan trust policy, yet in 1908 Mr. Hughes was not especially a prominent figure and there was no particular reason why his address more than others should have remained clearly in the memory except the gift of the man to send his own thoughts so deep into the brains of others. They are clear in his own mind first, undoubtedly. He knows precisely what he wants to say because he has reasoned it out before he speaks it out. Probably that has something to do with the ease with which he conveys his meaning. But it is a very rare quality he possesses in his ability to master subjects so thoroughly as to make the most abstruse simple to himself and his hearers. It is a quality eminently desirable in a political candidate; it is infinitely more to be desired in the president of a great country like the United States.

Detroit's impression of Charles E. Hughes is all favorable. The thousands of people who have studied him at close range are convinced that if he is elected president next November he will be a great president, one of the greatest this nation has known, worthy to stand in history with George Washington and Abraham Lincoln, a custodian of the republic's fate to whom that fate may confidently be intrusted. If that conviction is shared by the people of other states whom he is still to meet, the outcome of his swing around the great American circle cannot fail to be propitious for him.—Detroit Free Press.

BLOODY PROSPERITY.

"No one disputes a temporary prosperity in our land today. But it is sectional in its factory aspect, abnormal in its fevered rush, fictitious in its essentials, and perverting in its tendency. Worse, it is the gold sluiced from the river of blood, poured out by the horrifying sacrifice of millions of our fellow men. God forbid that we should boast a prosperity wrought in such waste of human life. We had rather rejoice in the prosperity of peace."—United States Senator Warren G. Harding.



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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Olaus Rodahl, Sam Mickelson, John Hagberg, Racine Olson and Lloyd Adams returned home Saturday night from Leonard, having finished the carpenter work on D. Payne's new house.

Southeast of Holt.

Messrs Carl Gutterud, Targe Sordall, Olaf Olson. Arthur Thorwick and Ole Halsa left on Monday for Austinville Sask where they will be employed in the harvest fields.

Mrs. Ed. Hanson returned home on Sunday from Battle Lake where she has spent the past three weeks visiting with relatives and friends. While there she also attended the funeral of her mother Mrs. A. Hoff.

Amund Sordahl purchased a Ford on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs.. Gilbert Michaelson, Lesa and Landa Olson motored to T. R. Falls Friday evening.

Southeast from Holt.

Mr. Constantine Hoffman is again able to take charge of the duties as mail carrier. Mr. Hoffman's patrons are all very glad to see him back.

Mrs. S. H. Nohre returned last Saturday from the Warren hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Thorna Skomedal spent the past week at Warren attending the teachers institute,

Miss Bertha Nelson, Annie Erickson, Messrs Edvin Bjerkvam, Frank Wendt, Elling Tollefsrud and Oliver Malstad spent Sunday afternoon at the Carl Larson home.

H. Bergland made a busiuess trip to Thief River Falls last Monday.

Annie Sordahl called on Mrs. Bargam Monday afternoon.

Miss Elizabeth Hoffman has returned to Thief River Falls to resume her studies of the junior class.

Dame Rumor has announced that wedding bells will be ringing in the near future,

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.49
Wheat No. 2	1.45
Wheat No. 3	1.41
Wheat No. 4	1.04 to 1.10
Sample Grade	1.03
Flax	1 94
Oats	35
Barley	52 to .72
Rye	1.08
Flour, Best Patent	4.85

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Hon. Frank B. Kellog, candidate for U. S. Senator.

Bring us your Job Printing.

B. Docken sold 320 acres in Mud Lake last week to R. H. Hardman.

Notice of contest has been filed for the Baltrami county's recent county option election.

In order to be fashionable, we suppose, the street car men in New York city have gone on a strike.

The city of Crookston is economizing by turning off their street lights, which causes considerable dissatisfaction.

Revenue stamps are no longer required on ordinary legal papers etc. the time in which they were to be used having expired last week.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

It is being reported that a part at least of the Red Lake timber will be sold before winter. If it is done the saw mill in T. R. Falls will probably be at work next season.

Maine elected a republican governor Monday to succeed the present democratic incumbent. They also elected two republican senators and all of the congressman.

Notice of Sale of Bonds

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, has by special election, duly determined to issue its negotiable, interest-bearing coupon bonds in the sum of Six Thousand Dollars ($6,000.00) in denominations of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) each payable in Twenty years from date and bearing interest at the rate of 5 1-2 per cent, payable semi-annually, and that the Village Council of the Village of Holt will meet on the 30th day of September, 1916, at 8 o'clock P. M. at the office of the Village Clerk in the Village of Holt, Minnesota, then and there to open and consider bids for the sale of such bonds; the said Village Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Holt, Minnesota, September, 11th, 1916.

H. B. Young, Village Clerk,
of the Village of Holt, Minnesota.

Plan That Will Destroy Sow Thistle

It is possible that some farmers are not familiar with the perennial sow thistle and are permitting small patches to mature seed and are in this way storing up a great deal of trouble for the future. This must have immediate attention or seed sufficient to sow the entire country will be produced. Usually about July 15 they send up branching seed stems 2 to 4 feet high which bear flowers similiar to dadelions. When these are mature, the seed is distributed by the wind.

The only sure way to eradicate this pest is by concerted action on the part of every farmer whether he be owner or tenant. Prevent seed forming by cutting all green stems early. Eradication methods are similar to those used for quack grass or Canada thistle, namely, thorough summer tillage and the absolute prevention of any green leaves. This may be done by summer fallow or by the the growing of corn and potatoes. If it is kept in mind that plants get their food through the leaves it is easy to see they must die if no leaves are allowed to grow. Failure to kill by this treatment, is the fault of the farmer.

There is upon the statues of Minnesota a weed law which, if enforced rigidly, would in within two years rid the entire Red River Valley of all noxious weeds. This law makes it a misdemeanor to allow noxious weeds to mature seed and provides for the cutting of such weeds by order of the road overseers and the cost added to the taxes of the property. This law does not bind the owner of land alone but also the tenant of such land. It is needless to say that the law has not been obeyed and in many cases has not been enforced by those who have the authority to enforce it.

F. L. Kennard, Agronomist
N. W. Ex. Station, Crookston

Hughes Points the Way

The speech of the Republican candidate for President was a keynote speech, indeed. Not one person in the great audience at the Carnegie Hall meeting was in doubt for one moment as to just what he meant by everything he said.

His address was comprehensive, logical, clear and all sufficient for the occasion. There can be no dispute as to this. Plainly Mr. Hughes is a man who "knows what he wants when he wants it," and it is the opinion of political authorities who heard him and who have since read his remarks that he knows, also, how to get it.

It was incumbent upon the Republican candidate to confine the scope of his remarks to the limitations of the occasion, but his crushing analysis of the shortcomings of the present administration of the government is merely an earnest of what the tone, and the contents of his speeches will be when he gets on the stump.

At Carnegie Hall Mr. Hughes adverted to every general question that is apt to be a serious issue in the campaign and in language that will be absolutely clear to every man or woman able to read he stated his opinions, his convictions and his purposes. On the stump he will argue those points in detail. As an orator he is eloquent, his personality attractive and his marshalling of facts so cohesive that he holds his audience to the end. He makes it easy for them to follow him and his points are not lost.

There was nothing equivocal, nothing apologetic in the Republican candidate's speech of acceptance. He called a spade a spade, and the unanimous opinion of those who heard him was that he shot to the center and rang the bell. The Republican campaign is now open, and those who will speak and write and work for the success of the Republican ticket can wish for no more adequate campaign document, no more satisfactory statement of issues than are found in the candidate's salutatory.

Brief Sentences Featuring the Speech of Acceptance of Charles E. Hughes.

America First and America Efficient.

We are too great a country to require of our citizens who are engaged in peaceful vocations the sort of military service to which they are now called.

We cherish no illusions. We know that the recurrence of war is not to be prevented by pious wishes.

We denounce all plots and conspiracies in the interest of any foreign nation.

Adequate preparedness is not militarism.

During this critical period, the only danger of war has lain in the weak course of the Administration.

The Nation has no policy of aggression toward Mexico. We have no desire for any part of her territory.

We propose that in the competitive struggle that is about to come the American workingman shall not suffer.

This representative gathering is a happy augury. It means the strength of reunion. It means that the party of Lincoln is restored, alert, effective,

The dealings of the Administration with Mexico constitutes a confused chapter of blunders. It is a record which cannot be examined without a profound sense of humiliation.

We must take Vera Cruz to get Huerta out of office and trust to other nations to get our own citizens out of peril. What a travesty of international policy!

Destroying the government of Huerta, we left Mexico to the ravages of revolution.

I stand for adequate Federal Workmen's compensation laws.

The Administration was to seize and punish Villa for his outrage on our soil. It has not punished any one; we went in only to retire.

I favor the vote for women.

THE COMPELLING PERORATION TO MR. HUGHES' ACCEPTANCE SPEECH.

We live in a fateful hour. In a true sense, the contest for the preservation of the Nation is never ended. We must still be imbued with the spirit of heroic sacrifice which gave us our country and brought us safely through the days of Civil War. We renew our pledge to the ancient ideals of individual liberty, of opportunity denied to none because of race or creed, of unswerving loyalty. We have a vision of America prepared and secure; strong and just; equal to her task; an exemplar of the capacity and efficiency of a free people. I endorse the platform adopted by the Convention and accept its nomination.

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THE OTHER,---- in a Certificate of Deposit,-- safe, convenient and profitable. We pay 6 per cent on Certificates which mature in either six months or a year.

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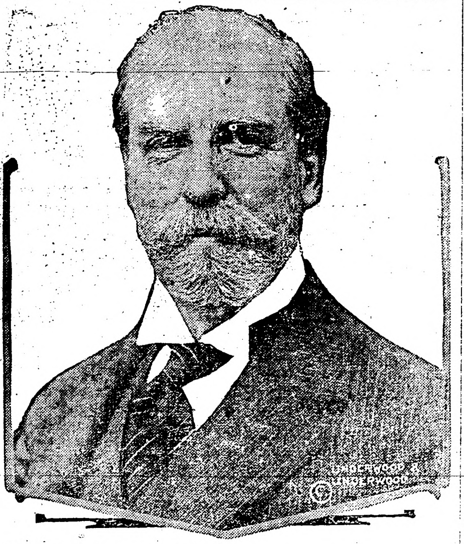

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

Services next Monday evening at 8 o'clock by Rev. McMartin. Remember the date, Sept. 25th.

The Ladies' Aid will meet in the church basement Friday afternoon Sept. 29th. All the ladies will help with the entertaining.

Rev. Kilen will preach next Sunday Sept. 24th at 3 and 8 o'clock P. M., and will meet with the confirmation class at 4 o'clock the same afternoon.

Rev. Geo. O. Parish will preach on Friday evening Sept. 29. This change is necessary to enable him to attend the annual conference the following week.

Everyone invited to attend the above services.

Lars Chenil is building a barn 24 foot square with 10 foot posts.

Peter Kolden went to Neilsville Wednesday to work a few weeks.

Karlstad's village hall is to be 30x70 one story high and will cost them $4580.00

Thief River Falls will have to build another school house or loose their state aid.

H. J. Olson, of Warren, expects to be here this week to commence the wiring for the electric lights.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

The much talked of Indian lid that was going to close the saloons in Red Lake Falls seems to be more talk than anything else.

Five high school girls from Middle River, hiked it down the track to this place Saturday afternoon but were glad to get a ride back.

A scarlet fever epidemic in Goodridge has caused one death and others are seriously ill. The schools have been closed and every precaution taken to check the disease.

The village of Karlstad has awarded the contract for their electric light plant and pole line to a Minneapolis firm for $3200.00 which does not include the engine or street lamps.

H. M. Johnson, of Valley City, N. D., arrived here Monday evening and Tuesday entered upon his duties as cashier of The Farmers State Bank. Mr. Johnson is a brother of Geo. Johnson, the Thief River Falls banker, and comes here highly recommended by his business acquaintances.

C. Chase has decided to quit farming and move south. He will have a public auction Tuesday Oct. 3, on the old Sanberg place 2 1-2 miles north and a half mile west of Holt. Three head of good heavy, young work horses will be sold, also 2 cows, 2 heifer calves, about 60 chickens, new wagon with top boxes complete, new bob-sleds, new sulky plow. 3 section iron drag, 2 sets work harness one set new, hard coal heater, 9 foot extention table, all household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

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School Notes

Three prizes were offered for the best seed collection at the state fair.

The prize winners from the Holt School are as follows:

Selma Saastad	1st Prize	$4.00
Ruby Swan	2nd. "	2.50
Harry Heinze	3rd. "	1.75

Ada Latta received third prize for a map of South America $.75

The Domestic Science girls are studying textiles now.

Mrs. Tobiason visited school on Tuesday afternoon.

The Library books are now in circulation, so any one who wish to take any, may get them on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Southeast from Holt.

Martin Sampson and family are now residing on the Walter Johnson farm, they being forced to leave their home on account of water getting into the buildings.

Thora Moe is visiting at Golden Valley this week.

We feel very sorry to report that Mrs. Martin Nelson is very seriously ill with cancer, and is committed to the hospital at T. R. Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Larson were pleasant visitors at the Tom Saastad home on Sunday.

The Messrs Amund Sordahl and Harry Moe, the Misses Clara and Ragna Larson, Gunda and Thora Moe autoed to the town of Eckvoll on Sunday to visit at the Halvor Tveten home, they also attended the young peoples society at Alfred Tveten. All report having had a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olson and child were delightfully entertained at the Albert Klungness home on Sunday afternoon

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

The publishers co-operative company that were getting out ready prints cheaper than the trust had to quit business, so Bro. Carr of The Middle River Pioneer says. because the printers did'nt pay their bills. The newspaper men could'nt pay because so many subscribers were owing for their papers.

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Mrs. Swan returned Monday from Grove City where she had been called by the death of her father, Nels Cronstom, who had been confined to his bed for six months, caused by a cancer. Mr. Cronstrom was born in Sweden May 4th. 1844, and came to America 1874 and located in Chicago. He was married in 1876 to Miss Hanna Nelson who still survies him, with their four children. The funeral was held last Sunday at the Swedish Lutheran church in Grove City. Sympathy is extended to those who are called to mourn the death of a good husband and father.

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EVEN ONE DOLLAR WILL BE ACCEPTED HERE AS A FIRST DEPOSIT . . . . . .

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 800.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Sept., 12. 1916.

Date of report by Bank, Sept. 12. 1916.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$91,855 11
Overdrafts		298 47
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		3,326 51
Other Real Estate		$2,000 00
Due from Banks	9,980 70	
Cash on Hand	2271 60	
Total Cash Assets		12252 30
Checks and Cash Items		778 13
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		2012 81
Total		$113,423 33
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$3,500.00
Undivided Profits, Net		350.54
Notes Rediscouted and Bills Payable. (including certificates for money borrowed)		3,000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$39,470.08	
Cashier's Checks	1459.68	
Total Immediate Liabilities	40,929.76	
Time Certificates	55,643.03	
Total Deposits		96,572 79
Total		$113,423 33
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$13,030 43
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$8,723 61

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President.
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNHEIM,
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Sept., 1916.

[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

Your New Barn

Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

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WAR NEWS.

The Austrians are retreating from the upper Maros and Alta valleys in Transylvania without resistance, it has been officially announced.

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Pope Benedict will make no more efforts to end the war until he is convinced that one side or the other is approaching a stage of exhaustion.

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A report from Berlin says the grand offensive of the allies will be met by a grand offensive of the central powers, who will swing to the attack when the proper time comes.

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King Constantine of Greece has asked M. Dimitracopulos, former minister of justice, to form a new cabinet. M. Dimitracopulos has accepted in principle and will confer with the king regarding same.

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Construction of a tunnel under the Bosphorus is being discussed at Constantinople. Engineers' plans show that the project is feasible and financially profitable and its strategic importance is obvious.

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Negotiations are in progress between the United States and Serbia for the appointment of a Serbian minister to this country. Serbia never has had a legation in Washington, being represented only by a consul general at New York.

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A new type of ship from the shipyards of Christianiafjord resembles a huge barge, is constructed entirely of concrete, except for the ribs, which are steel, and is the first stone vessel ever floated. It is said that the hull will resist damage better than steel or wood and that the ship therefore is safer.

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The Belgisch Dagblad announces that the German authorities have seized £30,000,000 which had been placed in the coffers of the Belgian National bank, in consequence of the suspension of the moratorium. The newspaper says the Germans have offered to pay 5 per cent interest and to return the money two years after the close of the war.

GENERAL.

W. J. Bryan will make two tours of Nebraska, winding up the campaign in his home state.

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Governor Dunne was renominated for governor of Illinois and Frank O. Lowden will be his republican opponent.

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Another high price was reached on the Omaha cattle market, $11.25 being paid for a fancy, grass-fed steer from Colorado. The former high mark was $11.00.

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The National Republican committee is making plans for Col. Theodore Roosevelt to make a tour of the west, campaigning for Hughes. The route has not been definitely decided upon.

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Robert Bowman of Lake Forest, Ill., a driver of section No. 1 of the American field ambulance service in France has been cited in the orders of the day for "scrupulous devotion to duty, never hesitating in the presence of danger."

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"William Lorimer was beaten by his own hand. In the same manner William Lorimer will win—be it tomorrow, four or a score of more years hence." In these words former Senator Lorimer announced his intention today to "stick to politics."

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Marriage between parties divorced for any cause, either of whom has a husband or wife living, will not be permitted hereafter in the Protestant Episcopal church if a new canon, recommended by the commission on marriage and divorce, is adopted by the general convention of the church at St. Louis, October 11, according to an announcement made recently.

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Fargo was selected as the site for the Society of Equity's proposed million-dollar packing plant. The concern is to be organized under the name of the Equity-Co-operative Packing company.

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Warren K. Billings, a machinist, charged with planting the suitcase bomb whose explosion caused the death of ten persons and injuries to forty more, on Preparedness Day at San Francisco, July 22, went on trial for his life.

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A motorman in Fort Worth, Tex., was fined for speeding a street car. The police campaign against speeding is being pushed in many cities and no driver is exempt.

The trial of the United States government suit against the Great Northern railway for $246,000 damages because of a forest fire within the Lewis and Clark forest reserve in 1910 began at Great Falls.

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Frank Gotch, champion wrestler, has come out with a statement that he has permanently retired from the mat game, that he has money enough and will hereafter devote his time to farming interests in Iowa. Gotch recently turned down an $85,000 contract to perform for a motion picture company.

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James A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel corporation, says that 1916 probably will go down in history as one of the most remarkable years that the iron and steel industry ever has known. He said: "Without the necessity of resorting to prophecy we can assume that the year 1917 will see the blast furnace and steel works of this country operating at capacity."

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Stephen Michniuk, 20 years old, manager of the private bank of Michniuk & Sons, which closed yesterday with nearly $50,000 in deposits missing, surrendered to State's Attorney. All that was found in the closed bank when representatives of the state's attorney chopped their way into it was $119. The failure makes the forty-third private bank that has failed in Chicago within the last five years.

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Announcement was made by the E. I. Dupont de Nemours & Co., at Wilmington, Del., that contracts had been closed in New York for large amounts of smokeless powder. The officials of the company refused to give out any figures or say who the contracts are with. It is understood, however, that they are the largest received by the company for some months, totaling from 50,000,000 to 150,000,000 pounds, and that it is probably for the allies.

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The peyota bean, procured by Indians of the Pine Ridge, S. D., agency from Mexico, ostensibly for religious purposes, is the object of an attack by the federal government which probably will lead to its exclusion. The bean, which is the dried tip of a cactus, is alleged to contain an effective intoxicant which has much the same result as much desired "firewater." Shipments of the plant have been greatly on the increase during the last few years.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

General Funston was advised by the war department today that two regiments of Tennessee infantry have been ordered to the border for duty. He intends placing them at Fort Clark, north of Eagle Pass, and several miles back from the border.

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Mexican military authorities at Ojinaga received word by wire from Chihuahua City that several hundred bandits were in the vicinity of Lajitas, about eighty miles from Presidio, Tex., headed for the border. Troops are awaiting orders to move to intercepting points.

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A protest from enlisted men is being filed with the war department against the trial of white soldiers by the general court-martial organized at Fort Sam Houston because four negro officers are members of the court. The protest includes not only the enlisted men, docketed for trial, but several hundred of their comrades.

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Th first firing across the Rio Grande reported in some weeks occurred below Brownville, Tex. The report came from Lieutenant Parker Finley, Third Iowa infantry, and stated that while on outpost duty twelve miles below Brownsville he was fired on twice from the Meixcan side. Finley reported also that he fired twice at a fleeing form, but apparently without effect.

WASHINGTON.

The Turkish government, in a communication received by the State department, consents to the shipment of relief supplies from the United States to famine sufferers in Syria. The action reverses the previous attitude of Turkish officials who had refused two urgent pleas by the department for the privilege to make shipments.

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Hearings before Secretary Daniels and the general board of the navy on the question of a suitable location for the projected government armor factory closed with approximately 125 cities and rural districts asking for the plant. A selection probably will not be made for more than two months.

Though not able to see the targets eleven miles away, American gunners on the dreadnaught Pennsylvania scored five hits from a simultaneous discharge of twelve big guns.

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The farm loan board has acceded to the demands of Lincoln that a hearing be held there. As a result, September 18, agreed upon for Omaha, has been moved forward. September 21 being fixed as the date for the hearing in Lincoln and September 22 for the hearing in Omaha.

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Secretary McAdoo arranged to join the federal farm loan board at Topeka, Kan., and to be present at the remaining hearings on the location of farm loan banks.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Winona.—Interest of racing fans in this section centered upon the horse races last week at the Winona county fair at St. Charles.

Brainerd.—Proving too heavy for a condemned 75-foot bridge at Pillager, near here, a traction engine fell a distance of 40 feet into the Crow Wing river. No one was injured in the accident.

St. Cloud.—That Minneapolis was the home of the unidentified woman whose body was found in the Mississippi river here was indicted to the police in following up recent discovered clues in the case.

Virginia.—The first authentic case of infantile paralysis on the Mesaba range has been found at Eveleth, where Mollie, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kochevar, was declared to have the disease.

Duluth.—Forty-five dollars a month and board is now being offered in Duluth and other northern cities for woodsmen for the winter cut. This is $10 a month more than was ever offered; yet virtually no men can be hired.

Winona.—When a car ahead of a locomotive on the Great Western railway jumped the track and flipped over the edge of a 75-foot trestle near here, it carried Dominik Bronk, brakeman of Winona, to death. He fell beneath the overturned car.

Duluth.—Shot through the abdomen by the accidental discharge of his revolver, Aywood Frazer, aged 17, Duluthian, was fatally wounded while fishing in the Cloquet river and died following an operation here. Fraser was with five companions.

Brainerd.—With street lights turned off at night pending increase in taxes Brainerd has felt somewhat like an English town dodging Zeppelins. The Minnesota and International Falls railway early morning passenger train came to town and ran by the station in the dark.

Duluth.—Threatened trouble with the Longshoremen's unions of Duluth and Superior which has caused some uneasiness among the grain shippers of the Head of the Lakes will be amiably settled to the satisfaction of the unions, according to W. F. Smith, secretary of the Superior union.

Hibbing.—Charging that the republication at this time of the state report on Hibbing municipal affairs was purely a political move to counteract his forthcoming candidacy for governor on an independent ticket, Mayor Victor L. Power said it would be shown this village received "dollar value for every dollar spent."

Bemidji.—The first criminal indictment ever returned in Minnesota in connection with alleged timber theft on state land has been returned by the Beltrami county grand jury in session at Bemidji. John Miller and M. Purritannen are accused by the grand jury with having unlawfully entered upon state land and cut timber.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist and members of the Minnesota state monumental commission arranged to leave St. Paul to dedicate Minnesota monuments to dead soldiers from this state in three national cemeteries. The exercises will take place as follows: Little Rock, September 22; Memphis, September 23; Andersonville, September 26.

Willmar—Twenty-eight escapes from the state hospital for inebriates at Willmar during August practically equalled the number of admissions during the month, else the capacity of the institution would be overtaxed now, George H. Freeman, superintendent, has reported to the state board of control. There are now 72 inmates in the hospital or one less than a year ago.

Crosby.—After having lost several weeks' work "watching their families and themselves hovering on the brink of starvation with nothing between them and one of Northern Minnesota's wnter's, they said, 200 members of the Industrial Workers of the World, which organization called a strike of iron miners on the Cuyuna range, met in executive session and voted to call off the strike.

Badger, Minn.—The State Drainage board has just inspected the work of deepening and straightening the Roseau river from near this point to the Canadian line and also work of the same character from a point near Roseau lake to that already done. The former contract costing $80,000 is near completion and was approved by the board on condition the contractor remove temporary dams.

Duluth.—Judge Bert Fesler in district court here refused to quash indictments charging murder in the first degree and assault in the first degree brought against Philip Masonovich, Joe Nikich, John Orlandich, Joseph Zernogortovich, Felicia Masonovich, Carlo Tresca, Sam Scarlet and Joseph Schmidt, by a grand jury at Virginia in connection with the alleged killing of Deputy Sheriff James C. Myron.

International Falls.—Investigation of alleged illegal expenditures of more than $200,000 of Koochiching county funds and charges of malfeasance and nonfeasance against County Auditor L. H. Slocum, and County Commissioners William Harrington, Harold Royem and R. S. McDonald, all suspended from office by Governor Burnquist pending an inquiry, will begin September 25 at International Falls.

St. Paul.—Trustees of the Minnesota State teachers' retirement and insurance fund at an annual meeting at the State Capitol accepted thirty-four new members and eleven applications for retirement.

Batteries See Relief.

That A, B and C batteries of the First Minnesota field artillery will be sent to the Mexican border or disbanded within a short time is the opinion expressed by officers at Camp Bobleter.

Lack of equipment, including blankets, cots, clothes and overcoats, already has caused some suffering among the battery members, and more serious results are predicted by members of the medical staff unless proper measures for protection are taken by the government. A drop in temperature, it is said by members of the medical staff, undoubtedly will result in much sickness among the men.

Need Winter Equipment.

In view of this, Lieutenant Horace S. Villars has notified army officials in Washington of the need for winter equipment. He asserted that unless the supplies were forthcoming shortly it would be advisable to put the men in barracks.

This, according to Captain George R. Greene, chief mustering officer at Fort Snelling, will be impracticable because of the condition of the buildings.

"It is certain the men would contract colds, which in some cases might result in serious sickness, unless they are furnished with winter clothing, blankets and proper equipment," Lieutenant Villars said.

"It is reported among the men that many of them are going outside the camp to get relief from colds contracted from sleeping on the damp ground."

With the exception of the non-commissioned officers, only a few of the men in A battery are provided with cots. Many of them have only one blanket and overcoats and sweaters are at a premium. A similar condition exists in the other batteries.

Captain Villars' letter was given the indorsement of Major W. C. Rutherford and was accompanied by a letter from Captain Guy Johnson of the post hospital.

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Proves Fighting Ability.

Private Tischauser, one of the newest recruits of the First Minnesota regiment, had a chance to demonstrate that he was a fighter. Tischauser, who is stationed at the Gateway recruiting station, Minneapolis, with Sergeant Hayes, was endeavoring to get a new recruit for the regiment, when five members of the I. W. W. came up and said insulting things about the flag and about a man who would wear a United States uniform.

Tischauser paid no attention until one of them started to tear the uniform off him and another attempted to haul down the flag.

I. W. W.'s in Hospital.

Then Tischauser started a clean-up campaign and when he was through the police sent two members of the I. W. W. to the city hospital and took the other three to the police station.

"We know we have at least one good fighter in the regiment," said Lieutenant Prescott.

Recruits for the First Minnesota are coming in at the rate of six or eight a day. More than 60 have been enlisted and it has been found necessary to erect a new building to accommodate them at Fort Snelling.

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Widows' Pensions Increased.

Approximately 3,500 widows of war veterans in Minnesota will gain increased pensions under the recently enacted Ashbrok law, which is to become effective at once, Minneapolis pension attorneys say. The act increases their pensions, now $12 a month each, to $20 a month each, and includes widows of veterans of the war of 1812, Mexican war and Civil war. The increase means about $336,000 more a year for Minnesota widows.

Mostly Civil War Widows.

"The widows' pensions were increased from $8 to $12 a month April 19, 1908, and the new law makes it $20 a month," said R. B. Hosteler. "Nearly all the Minnesota women affected are Civil war widows, although there are a few Mexican war widows in the state and possibly a few whose late husbands were veterans of the war of 1812.

"If married subsequent to the Civil war, the widows must be more than 70 years old to be entitled to pensions. If married before or during the war, age makes no difference."

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Indian Cases Near End.

A settlement of the first batch of White Earth Indian cases within three weeks is expected by the representatives of all parties concerned who have begun the work of final adjustment of the suits in the office of F. J. Kearful, special United States attorney in charge of the White Earth Indian cases.

W. C. Pollock, special representative of the secretary of the interior, invested with settlement powers, and R. J. Powell, attorney for about nine-tenths of all the landholders against whom the government suits were brought, are settling the cases in terms of the agreement which was concluded between them more than a month ago.

Frank Carr, special agent for the government, who has spent much time on the ground, and R. C. Bell, assistant to Mr. Kearful, are assisting.

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Governor Pledges Aid.

Governor Burnquist, in a speech of welcome to the National Association of Stationary Engineers, pledged himself to do all in his power to secure the enactment of license legislation to protect the life and property of individuals. The governor showed a knowledge of the work and aims of the association which was appreciated. John W. Lane, editor of the convention daily, said that there was no influence in this country so powerful for good government as fraternal organizations.

GRABS HIS COAT TAILS; HANGS ON

Chicago Spouse Pilots Her Hubby on Eventful Cruise to Jail.

DIDN'T WANT WARRANT

Wild Trip Proves Too Much for Man's Resisting Powers and He Meekly Surrenders—Charged With Nonsupport.

Chicago.—John Peterson, 9534 Wentworth avenue, is locked up at the Harrison police station on a charge of nonsupport, preferred by his wife, Helma Peterson.

That is all there is to that story. If you want to know how John got there, read on.

It was near the noon hour yesterday and the bar in the Postal cafe was well lined with board of trade and railroad men. The top of the bar was comfortably decorated with silver and paper currency, as well as bourbons, rickeys and other rejuvenators.

Suddenly the Van Buren street door flew open and a sturdy Swede of about fifty years came sailing in. Hanging on to his coattails was a woman of about the same age. They were the Petersons. As John sailed and Helma quadroplaned through the hundred feet from the extreme south to the extreme north doors, they did not miss anything nor anybody.

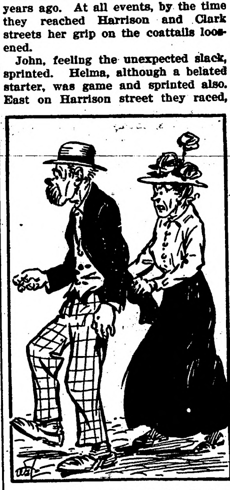
Rejects Cop's Advice.

Arrived in La Salle street, John slowed up and Mrs. Peterson regained her feet. She called a policeman and related the tale of how John had run away and refused to support her.

The officer suggested she get out a warrant for John's arrest. Mrs. Pete said she'd just take Pete to the station herself. She took a fresh grip of the family coattails and told him to march on.

As they proceeded John probably indulged in some of the honeyed words that first led Helma into wedlock 30 years ago. At all events, by the time they reached Harrison and Clark streets her grip on the coattails loosened.

John, feeling the unexpected slack, sprinted. Helma, although a belated starter, was game and sprinted also. East on Harrison street they raced, Helma using some of her surplus wind to address the world at large concerning "Murder!" "Thief!" and "Police!"



Helma Marched Him to the Station.

Her strategy was good. It was only a second or two before John had about 300 men and boys in his wake.

He turned at the first alley and darted through the first open door he found. It happened to be the back door entrance to a South Clark street saloon.

Here there were few standing at the bar. There was no cash in sight and mixed drinks were nix. At the many tables lining the wall, however, were many persons of leisure, with legs stretched out and big schooners of foaming "suds" in hand.

Into this serene and unruffled atmosphere burst John and Helma. Tables were overturned, chairs were broken, the "suds" were spilt, and the "bos" trampled.

John Surrenders.

The passage proved too much for John's resisting powers and he surrendered meekly. Then Helma triumphantly marched him to the station, where she lodged her complaint of nonsupport against him.

When asked to sign the complaint Mrs. Peterson confessed some doubt as what name she should use.

"When I take him for my man," she she said, "he ban Mr. Swanson. Now fallers call him Mr. Peterson. Ay tank maybe it's better I write both."

She did.

Tossed Coin Before Marriage.

San Francisco.—Miss Laurine Michaelson, a Seattle society girl, and Ralph S. Montgomery, an advertising man of San Francisco, have just started on a honeymoon trip to Coronado. The toss of a coin played an important part in their marriage. The couple were undecided as to whether they should wed, so they tossed a coin. Heads were up and the wedding followed.

GIRL COULD NOT WORK

How She Was Relieved from Pain by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Taunton, Mass.—"I had pains in both sides and when my periods came I had to stay at home from work and suffer a long time. One day a woman came to our house and asked my mother why I was suffering. Mother told her that I suffered every month and she said, 'Why don't you buy a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?' My mother bought it and the next month I was so well that I worked all the month without staying at home a day. I am in good health now and have told lots of girls about it."—Miss CLARICE MORIN, 22 Russell Street, Taunton, Mass.

Thousands of girls suffer in silence every month rather than consult a physician. If girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion would take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a safe and pure remedy made from roots and herbs, much suffering might be avoided.

Write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. (confidential) for free advice which will prove helpful.

TO SEEK MISSING EXPLORERS

Russians Who Went to Arctic in 1912 May Yet Be Living.

Apparently hope has not been abandoned entirely of rescuing the members, or some of them, of the Russian polar expeditions which sailed in 1912 in the steam schooner Saint Anna, under command of Lieutenant Brusiloff of the Russian navy, and the motor vessel Hercules, which was in charge of the geologist, M. Bonsanoff. Traces may be discovered in the northern Arctic, in the vicinity of Greenland, and of the North American archipelago.

Through the consul general for Russia appeals are made to all commercial enterprises, navigators, and scientific expeditions cruising in the polar seas and engaged in research work in these regions, and also to the inhabitants along the coastline, to devote efforts to the doscovery of traces of the missing explorers.

Of Military Age.

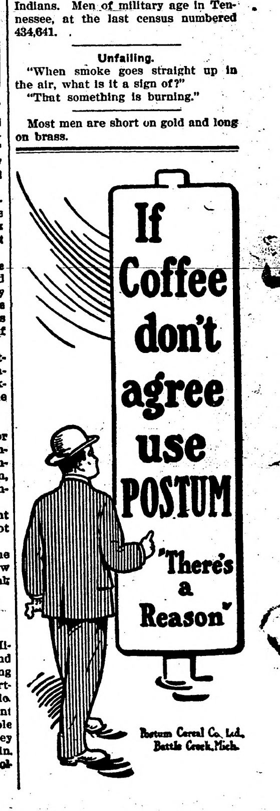
The number of men of military age in Amerca—including citizens and men who have declared their intention of becoming citizens—is said to be not far from 21,000,000. This estimate is based on the assumption that there has been an increase of approximately 10 per cent in the population of the country since 1910. When that census was taken the total number of male citizens and prospective citizens eighteen years of age and over, but under forty-six, was 19,183,000. Of this number 14,224,000 were native whites, 2,857,000 were foreign-born citizens who had become naturalized or had declared their intention of doing so, 2,052,000 were negroes, and 50,000 were Indians. Men of military age in Tennessee, at the last census numbered 434,641.

Unfailing.

"When smoke goes straight up in the air, what is it a sign of?"

"That something is burning."

Most men are short on gold and long on brass.



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A North Dakota Case

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Ancient Blue Law Invoked.

For the first time on record in Oregon, so far as is known, the ancient Sunday-closing law, which recently was held valid by the state supreme court, was invoked to prevent the holding of a dancing party. District Attorney Liljequist notified persons who had arranged to hold a dance at Marshfield on a Sunday night that he had received complaints and would be constrained to prosecute those responsible if the dance were held. The proposed dance was abandoned.

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Dangerous Place.

"That's a peculiar looking bruise you have on the back of your neck," observed the doctor.

"Yes," said his patient. "I'm subject to those. You see, I'm a clarinet player in an orchestra."

"I don't see how that can produce bruises on the back of your neck."

"It doesn't produce them exactly, but it places me in a position where I am very liable to get them."

"How is that?"

"I sit directly in front of the man who plays the slide trombone."

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BERLIN SAYS GERMANS ABANDON TOWNS IN WEST

Leave Berny and Deniecourt to French—Russo-Roumanian Armies, Re-inforced, Take Up Positions on Line Extending to Black Sea—Serbs Defeat Bulgars.

Berlin, Sept. 19.—German troops have abandoned Berny, Deniccourt, and positions between Barleux and Vermandovillers to the French, it is officially announced.

Joined by fresh reinforcesments the Russian-Roumanan armies have taken up positions on a line extending from Rasova through Cobadin to Tuzla on the Black sea, after a three days' retreat, it is officially announced this afternoon.

Break Austrian Lines.

Rome, Sept. 19.—The Italians have broken the Austrian third line in the region of Monfalcone after three days of fierce fighting.

Serbian troops captured Bulgarian first and second lines at the village of Kamakchalen, northwest of Ostrovo lake and near the Serbo-Greek frontier, it was officially announced from Saloniki. Ten machine guns were captured.

On the whole Austrian-Italo front, from Goritz south to the sea, the new Italian drive on Trieste is proceeding satisfactorily. A whole series of Austrian positions, from Oppachiasella southward through Pietra Rossa, have been carried and the Austrians driven back to trench positions in the valleys.

Latins Near Trieste.

Advanced Italian lines are now within less than thirteen miles of Trieste.

Heavy rainstorms have interfered with the progress of the offensive, preventing aerial observation and thus impeding the artillery attack. But despite these obstacles Cadorna's men drove the enemy down the eastern slopes of Hills 144, 208 and several other dominant positions holding up the Italian advance along the Vallone.

WARPLANES ROUT INFANTRY

Used by French to Lead Charge, for First Time.

Paris, Sept. 19.—For the first time in the history of the world the French used an aeroplane squadron to lead the successful attack on the village of Bouchavesnes, north of the Somme.

Twenty fast armored aeroplanes, each mounting three machine guns, one pointing forward and two downward, charged the Germans lines before the French infantry left their trenches.

The French fliers swooped low over the German lines and raked the German trenches with a murderous fire that sent the Germans flying in panic down communicating trenches and in some instances caused machine gun crews to desert their posts.

This new use of aeroplanes proved so successful that it is expected to play a most important part in future operations of the war.

TURKS BEATEN NEAR CANAL

Surprise Attack Successful East of Suez.

London, Sept. 19.—Defeat of the Turks in a minor engagement on the Sinai peninsula, 65 miles east of the Suez canal, was announced officially as follows:

"A mobile column, composed of Anzac mounted troops and a camel corps with artillery left Bir-El-Abd for a reconnaisance of enemy troops west of El-Arish. The column reached an enemy position at Bir-El-Mazar, 65 miles from the canal at dawn Sunday. A sharp engagement followed in which our troop penetrated the enemy trenches at several points and inflicted considerable casualties while our artillery heavily shelled the enemy camps.

"The attack appears to have been a surprise to the Turks."

Son of Premier Asquith Slain.

London, Sept. 19.—Lieutenant Raymond Asquith, son of Premier Asquith, was killed in action on September 15, it is announced. He was the eldest son of the prime minister and a lieutenant in the Grenadier Guards. The official announcement said he was killed Friday.

Russo-Rumanians Retreat 50 Miles.

Berlin, Sept. 19.—Russo-Roumanian forces already have retreated more than 50 miles from the Bulgarian frontier and are falling steadily back on the Cernavoda-Constanza line, where a great battle is expected. In an attempt to relieve the Teutonic pressure in Dobrudja the Russians are attacking in force at several places along the Austro-German front. At only one point, before Halicz, did the Russian attack meet with any success. The Roumanians have abandoned many guns in their hasty flight.

SYMPATHY STRIKE IN GOTHAM; 80,000 LABORERS TO QUIT

TWENTY THOUSAND LONGSHOREMEN FIRST TO RESPOND TO CALL—400,000 WOKMEN MAY BE INVOLVED IN DISPUTE.

TRAINS ARE ATTACKED; BODIES FOUND ON LINES

Police Patrols Established on Roofs—Woman Seriously Hurt by Flying Bricks—Employers Plan to Bring Charges of Criminal Conspiracy Against Leaders.

New York, Sept. 18.—A sympathetic strike which union leaders declare will result in 80,000 laborers leaving their work in support of the striking employees of the traction companies became effective in New York Saturday.

Twenty thousand longshoremen and boatmen were the first to respond to the call. Labor leaders declared that these men would be followed by 25,000 machinists.

By the end of next week, unless there is a change in the traction strike situation, union men predict thousands of others will be out. They will include men employed in all industries contributing to the production of power for the transportation lines and may spread to include painters, carpenters and similar workmen, it is declared.

Plan Conspiracy Charge.

Resolutions on which several New York trade unions voted provide for strikes involving about 80,000 men. These strikes are intended to tie up the traction lines by cutting off their power through shortage of fuel, walkouts of engineers and bringing about strikes among all workmen engaged in labor contributing to operation of the lines. If this does not have the desired effect a general strike of 400,000 workmen—both men and women—in Greater New York is contemplated. To meet this threat employers are said to be laying plans to bring charges of criminal conspiracy sympathetic strikes.

Two Bodies On Tracks.

Police patrols have been established along the roofs of buildings on Ninth avenue, but despite this trains were bombarded with bricks and stones. One woman was seriously injured.

The bodies of two men were found on the tracks of elevated lines. A track walker found the body of a laborer on the Third avenue elevated, but had no idea of how he came to his death. The second body was found badly mangled on the Eighth avenue elevated, and was identified by a health certificate as that of Anthony Ritt, a cook employed by a firm of strikebreakers.

One man was killed and 34 persons were injured in accidents on the elevated and surface carlines within the last 24 hours.

KAISER HOLDS BELGIAN LOANS NULL AND VOID

Notifies State Department That American Bankers Must Obtain German Governments' Consent.

Washington, Sept. 18.—Germany will consider null and void any loans from United States bankers made to Belgium with Belgium railroads as securities, unless previous consent has been obtained from her, German Ambassador Bernstorff has notified the State department.

The text of the State department announcement follows:

"The imperial German government, through its ambassador at Washington, has informed the State department in view of the statement that the Belgium government is trying to contract a loan in the United States and has for this purpose disposed of the Belgium state railroads, any such arrangement made during the German occupation and without previous consent of the German government will be considered null and void by Germany."

U. S. TO BUY NICARAQUA SITE.

News Arouses Resentment in Latin-American Circles.

Washington, Sept. 18.—Keen resentment was expressed in Latin-American circles over the news that the United States government will repudiate the decision of the Central American court of justice denying Nicaragua's right to sell any interest in Fonseca bay to this country without the consent to Salvador and Honduras.

Railroad Shares Replace War Stocks.

New York, Sept. 18.—Railroad shares replaced Steel stocks and 'war brides" as leaders in the market boom when the stock exchange opened Saturday. The strength in rails, which came suddenly at the close of Friday's trading, was continued with gains ranging up 1½ points in Great Northern preferred. Erie advanced half a point, Canadian Pacific seven-eighths of a point, Lehigh Valley half a point, Southern Pacific and Reading three-eighths of a point, Union Pacific 1 and N. Y. Central and St. Paul ½ point.

"Ball Lightning."

Some progress is reported in solving the mystery of "ball lightning." An investigator enumerates three significant characteristics of the phenomenon: The body or ball itself, which is able to retain its individuality as it moves through the air, appears to be composed of gas or matter in some novel luminous condition. The balls appear to exist independently of any large electrical intensity, for they have been observed within closed rooms where large electrical fields are impossible, and have also been observed to pass in and out of parallel telegraph wires. They appear to be associated directly or indirectly with large quantities of energy, for they have been observed to explode with violence and have also been seen to fuse the overhead wire of an electric railway. Dr. G. C. Simpson is inclined to connect the phenomenon of ball lightning with the fact that a mass of nitrogen can be put, by means of an electrical discharge, into a state in which it continues to glow for some time after being removed from the electrical field.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

To Extinguish Gasoline Fire.

Experiments recently carried out by a British fire prevention committee show that the best way to extinguish a small gasoline fire is to spread over the burning surface a mixture of ten pounds of bicarbonate of soda and twelve pounds of common sawdust. The sawdust need not be wet but must be free from chips and shavings. The theory is that the sawdust, by floating on the burning liquid, excludes the oxygen of the air, and the heat of the flames generates carbonic acid gas, which helps extinguish the fire. Sawdust alone gives satisfactory results, better than sand or similar materials.

Going Backward.

"I come of a remarkable long lived family. My great-grandfather lived to be a hundred, my grandfather died at the age of ninety-seven and my father at the age of ninety-four."

"That's a splendid record, old man, but all the same you seem to be losing ground."

IT IS FREE.

If you are interested in a Business course, or a Shorthand or Gas Tractor and Auto Engineering course, write to Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. D., or Fargo, N. D., for their new illustrated catalog. It is free.—Adv.

An Easy Job.

"Yes, dis is sure an easy job. Biggest cinch I ever had."

The speaker was a well-known character of the New York East side. His well-barbered aspect and immaculate evening attire did not altogether disguise him, and therefore an astonished friend—a newspaper man—was asking him questions. The encounter occurred in a very "refined" and high-priced dancing resort at Brighton Beach, on the border of Coney Island.

"Dey had a couple o' fusses down here, early in de season," continued the East Sider, "an' den dey hired me, see. I gotto wear dis make-up so's to look right. It's all right, when y' git used to it. Dey pay all right, too. Twenty a week an' eats. What do I do? W'y, when I sees anybody I knows I puts 'em out. Dat's all."

An Expert.

"There goes Stivers, the famous beauty specialist."

"One of those chaps who undertake to remodel your face if the style of architecture doesn't suit you?"

"Oh, no. Nothing like that. He selects the chorus girls for a producer of musical comedies."

Time's Revenges.

"The authorities wouldn't let me wear my new bathing costume," said the queen of musical comedy. "They said it was too risky."

"And you had to throw it away?"

"Oh, no. I'll wear it in the show next season. Then they'll pay money to come and see it."

The Bathers.

Patience—Aren't you coming in the water?

Patrice—Yes; how is it?

"Pretty cold."

"I thought so. This bathing suit isn't very warm."

"Where are you going now?"

"Back to the bathhouse to get my fur boa."

Equally Industrious.

"See the spider spinning his web."

"Yes, and see the summer girl hanging out her hammock."

Depends.

The Cynic—Women never get a good grasp of anything.

The Husband—Well, that may be if you get your hair cut short enough.

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save a majority of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. Castoria operates exactly the reverse, but you must see that it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Castoria causes the blood to circulate properly, opens the pores of the skin and allays fever.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Bound to Be Heard.

Mr. Flatbush—Did you ever hear a child cry as loud as that one next door?

Mrs. Flatbush—No; but you know the reason, I suppose?

"No, I don't."

"Why, the mother and father are deaf."

Lucky.

"My cousin is to be married on the thirteenth of next month."

"On the thirteenth? I should think she would be afraid of such an unlucky date."

"Evidently you have never seen my cousin. Any day would be a lucky day for her to get married."

W. L. DOUGLAS

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Save Money by Wearing W. L. Douglas shoes. For sale by over 9000 shoe dealers. The Best Known Shoes in the World.

W. L. Douglas name and the retail price is stamped on the bottom of all shoes at the factory. The value is guaranteed and the wearer protected against high prices for inferior shoes. The retail prices are the same everywhere. They cost no more in San Francisco than they do in New York. They are always worth the price paid for them.

The quality of W. L. Douglas product is guaranteed by more than 40 years experience in making fine shoes. The smart styles are the leaders in the Fashion Centres of America. They are made in a well-equipped factory at Brockton, Mass., by the highest paid, skilled shoemakers, under the direction and supervision of experienced men, all working with an honest determination to make the best shoes for the price that money can buy.

Ask your shoe dealer for W. L. Douglas shoes. If he cannot supply you with the kind you want, take no other make. Write for interesting booklet explaining how to get shoes of the highest standard of quality for the price, by return mail, postage free.

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W. L. DOUGLAS $4.00 SHOE

BEWARE OF SUBSTITUTES

Boys' Shoes Best in the World $3.00 $2.50 & $2.00

W. L. Douglas
President
W. L. Douglas Shoe Co., Brockton, Mass.

Good Omen.

"So the actor made no demur about taking the house when you told him it had the reputation of being haunted?"

"No; he said he was only too glad to get any place where the ghost walked."

Cold storage is a failure when it comes to keeping an engagement.

Too Refined.

"I wonder if Mrs. Jones could make this kind of a tart answer for the church supper purposes?"

"My dear man, Mrs. Jones is too much of a lady to make a tart answer for anything."

Hypocrites are men who think one way and lead you to believe they think another.

THE HUNTER'S MOON

Should Find You Equipped With

WINCHESTER RIFLES AND CARTRIDGES

Such an equipment will insure your success, as it has thousands of other hunters. Don't take a chance with other makes, but take along Winchester Rifles and Cartridges—the always-reliable kind. Made for all kinds of shooting.

THE W BRAND BRINGS HOME THE GAME

You may be *famous* for your cooking, or just a "beginner"

In Either Case

KC BAKING POWDER

will help you. Its goodness recommends it.

K C 25 OUNCES FOR 25¢ BAKING POWDER

Local Items

Farm for rent. Enquire at this office.

Lever Olson went to T. R. Falls Friday to visit his son.

Walter Johnson returned Friday to his home in Minneapolis.

Miss Hilma Nyberg was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday.

A. R. Jones was an over Sunday visitor with his family in Crookston.

Henry Wendt commenced clerking in Gunheim's store last Friday.

Dr. R. L. Olson and family spent Sunday with friends in Middle River.

C. W. Christianson and family moved Tuesday into the Latta house.

Racine Olson painted and papered some of the rooms in the Latta house last week.

Geo. Anderson came up from Climax Saturday for an over Sunday visit at home.

B. Docken has moved his auto shed onto to his lots and put a cement floor in it.

Tom Larson returned Sunday from Bray where he had been working with a threshing crew.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson were over Sunday guests of their daughter and son in Thief River Falls.

Preaching services in the Free Mission church next Monday evening Sept. 25. Everyone invited.

Mrs. O. H. Nohre will entertain the Dorcas sewing society to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon September, 23. Everyone invited.

Beginning Oct. 1st. cream will be received on Monday and Thursday.

P. L. Anderson.
Buttermaker

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Pavek last Saturday, at the home of her parents where Mrs. P. has been visiting for several weeks.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

Ole Backlund has had a foundation built under his butcher shop and will build a cement sidewalk in front which will greatly improve his property.

For Sale: Must be sold to settle estate N. E. 1-4 N. W. 1-4 W1-2 N. W. 1-4 Sec. 11 Twp. 156 Range 48 $15.00 per acre.

Mrs. Ellen Corrigan,
4125 27 Ave. So. Minneapolis

Five school buses were shipped here Monday. Two for this district and three for Newfolden. Bro. Wilson of the Review came over Tuesday and set theirs up ready for use.

Miss Lillie Peterson went to Thief River Falls, Friday to visit several days and have dental work done. Miss Olga Saastad had charge of the central office during Miss Peterson's absence.

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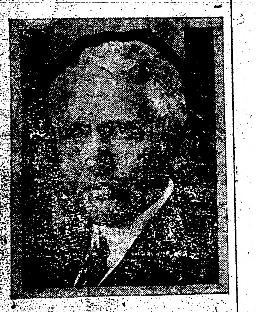

Bring us your Job Printing.

Ole Johnson was a Thief River Falls visitor Saturday.

Arvid Carlson was over from Newfolden on business, Tuesday.

Gus Garvey of Inwood, Ia. was here last week looking after land interests.

Mrs. Nelson came from her home in Middle River Tuesday to visit Mrs Paul Olson.

B. L. Backe has traded his Carter auto to Mr. Harrison for 120 acres of land in Roseau county.

Mrs. C. Chase and Mr. and Mrs. H. Shaw were entertained Sunday afternoon at the H. B. Young home.

Mrs. T. Sollom went to Newfolden Sunday for a few days visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arvid Carlson.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

P. N. Pederson has sold his 280 acre farm in New Solum to A. S. Chase of T. R. Falls.

B. L. Backe has recently sold 80 acres of land northeast of Holt to Ole Rude of Greenbush.

Misses Ida and Clara Bennes who have been staying here at the home of their brother Albert for several months departed Monday for their home in Fertile.

Charley Horien came from Hillsboro Friday night and visited with relatives and friends until Monday when he returned to his work at the former place.

Misses Christine and Olga Saastad Edwin Berkvan, Mrs. S. H. Nohre and Miss Bertha Nelson were Sunday visitors at Mrs. J. L. Nelson's Monday afternoon.

Dr. R. L. Olson took a wagon load of potatoes to Thief River Falls Wednesday and sold them for 75c a bushel. This looks as though it pays to raise potatoes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack very pleasantly entertained Miss Elsie Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Young, Mrs. Nichols and Mr. Richardson at supper Saturday evening.

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Mrs. B. L. Backe has been entertaining her mother from Thief River Falls several days this week.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.48
Wheat No. 2	1.44
Wheat No. 3	1.38
Wheat No. 4	to 1.21
Sample Grade	1.03
Flax	1 93
Oats	36
Barley	54 to .74
Rye	1.05
Flour, Best Patent	4.75

Notice of Sale of Bonds

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, has by special election, duly determined to issue its negotiable, interest-bearing coupon bonds in the sum of Six Thousand Dollars ($6,000.00) in denominations of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) each payable in Twenty years from date and bearing interest at the rate of 5 1-2 per cent, payable semi-annually, and that the Village Council of the Village of Holt will meet on the 30th day of September, 1916, at 8 o'clock P. M. at the office of the Village Clerk in the Village of Holt, Minnesota, then and there to open and consider bids for the sale of such bonds; the said Village Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Holt, Minnesota, September, 11th, 1916.

H. B. Young, Village Clerk,
of the Village of Holt, Minnesota.

It is possible that some farmers are not familiar with the perennial sow thistle and are permitting small patches to mature seed and are in this way storing up a great deal of trouble for the future. This must have immediate attention or seed sufficient to sow the entire country will be produced. Usually about July 15 they send up branching seed stems 2 to 4 feet high which bear flowers similiar to dadelions. When these are mature, the seed is distributed by the wind.

The only sure way to eradicate this pest is by concerted action on the part of every farmer whether he be owner or tenant. Prevent seed forming by cutting all green stems early. Eradication methods are similar to those used for quack grass or Canada thistle, namely, thorough summer tillage and the absolute prevention of any green leaves. This may be done by summer fallow or by the the growing of corn and potatoes. If it is kept in mind that plants get their food through the leaves it is easy to see they must die if no leaves are allowed to grow. Failure to kill by this treatment, is the fault of the farmer.

There is upon the statues of Minnesota a weed law which, if enforced rigidly, would in within two years rid the entire Red River Valley of all noxious weeds. This law makes it a misdemeanor to allow noxious weeds to mature seed and provides for the cutting of such weeds by order of the road overseers and the cost added to the taxes of the property. This law does not bind the owner of land alone but also the tenant of such land. It is needless to say that the law has not been obeyed and in many cases has not been enforced by those who have the authority to enforce it.

F. L. Kennard, Agronomist
N. W. Ex. Station, Crookston

WE WANT THE AMERICAN FLAG UNSULLIED.

"Now, my friends, we want not only American efficiency in business, in efficiency in the organization of business, in the protection of the factors of human industry and commerce, we want the American flag unsullied and the American name honored throughout the world." —From Mr. Hughes' speech at Chicago.

MANANA

Manana, which is Mexican for "watchful waiting," is the Democratic keynote in the campaign. The Wilson drive is to begin "sometime" after September 1; but no definite engagements have been made, it is announced, for him to commence making political speeches. He has tentative engagements to make some Western visits about the middle of September but nothing positive. Plans are being formulated for carrying on a campaign to capture the woman vote of the country, but who will make the speeches on this phase of the controversy has not been determined. It had been expected that Mr. Bryan would speak in the Maine campaign, but it is now believed he cannot do so, but will make some speeches later. And so it goes. Watchful waiting will prevail while, in the meantime, Mr. Hughes is carrying on a positive campaign and arousing the entire Western country.

IN PREPAREDNESS THE ADMINISTRATION HAS FOLLOWED, NOT LED.

In the demand for reasonable preparedness the Administration has followed, not led. Those who demanded more adequate forces were first described as "nervous and excited." Only about a year and a half ago we were told that the question of preparedness was not a pressing one; that the country had been misinformed. Later, under the pressure of other leadership, this attitude was changed. The Administration, it was said, had "learned something" and it made a belated demand for an increased army. Even then, the demand was not prosecuted consistently and the pressure exerted on Congress with respect to other Administrative measures was notably absent.

We are told that the defects revealed by the present mobilization are due to the "system." But it was precisely such plain defects that under the constant warnings of recent years, with the whole world intent on military concerns, should have been studied and rectified. The Administration has failed to discharge its responsibilities. Apparently, it is now seeking to meet political exigencies by its naval program. But it has imposed upon the country an incompetent naval administration. —From Mr. Hughes' speech of acceptance.

TRUE INWARDNESS OF THE VERA CRUZ INCIDENT.

In the Spring of 1914, occurred the capture of Vera Cruz. Men from one of our ships had been arrested at Tampico and had been discharged with an apology. But our Admiral demanded a salute, which was refused. Thereupon the President went to Congress, asking authority to use the armed forces of the United States. Without waiting for the passage of the resolution, Vera Cruz was seized. It appeared that a shipload of ammunition for Huerta was about to enter that port. There was a natural opposition to this invasion and a battle occurred in which nineteen Americans and over a hundred Mexicans were killed. This, of course, was war. Our dead soldiers were praised for dying like heroes in a war of service. Later, we retired from Vera Cruz, giving up this noble warfare. We had not obtained the salute which was demanded. We had not obtained reparation for affronts. The ship with ammunition which could not land at Vera Cruz had soon landed at another port, and its cargo was delivered to Huerta without interference. Recently the naked truth was admitted by a Cabinet officer. We are now informed that "we did not go to Vera Cruz to force Huerta to salute the flag." We are told that we went there "to show Mexico that we were in earnest in our demand that Huera must go." That is, we seized Vera Cruz to depose Huerta. The question of the salute was a mere pretext.—From Mr. Hughes' speech of acceptance.

PROMISE TO REDUCE THE COST OF LIVING NOT KEPT.

Our opponents promised to reduce the cost of living. This they have failed to do; but they did reduce the opportunities of making a living. Let us not forget the conditions that existed in this country under the new tariff prior to the outbreak of the war. Production had decreased, business was languishing, new enterprises were not undertaken, instead of expansion there was curtailment, and our streets were filled with the unemployed. What ground is there for expecting better conditions when the unhealthy stimulus of the war has spent its force and our industries and working-men are exposed to the competition of an energized Europe?

It is plain that we must have protective upbuilding policies. —From Mr. Hughes' speech of acceptance.

WANTS AN EFFECTIVE SYSTEM OF RURAL CREDITS.

We propose to promote by every practicable means our agricultural interests, and we include in this program an effective system of rural credits. We favor the wise conservation of our natural resources. We desire not only that they shall be safeguarded, but that they shall be adequately developed and used to the utmost public advantage.—From Mr. Hughes' speech of acceptance.

AUCTION SALE

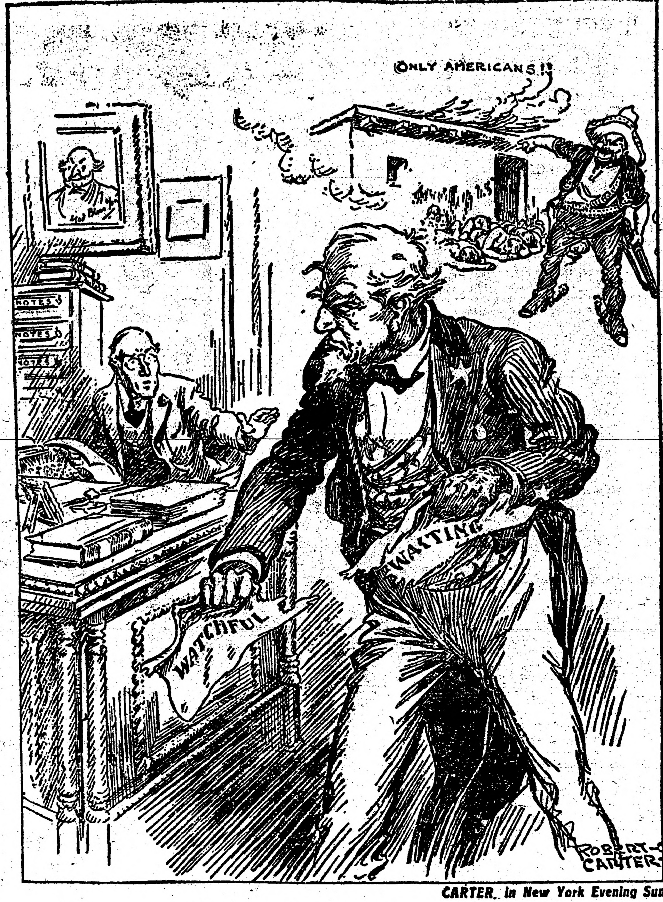
As I am going to quit farming I will sell the following property at public sale, on the H. B. Young farm 2 1-2 miles north and 1-2 mile west of Holt, in section 20 Township of Holt, on

Tuesday Oct., 3, 1916

Commencing at 11 o'clock - Noon, Free Lunch

3 Good young work Horses, 2 milch Cows
2 Heifer Calves, 60 Chickens, good Wagon
Sulky Plow, 3 sec. Drag, new set work Harness, all household goods

C. Chase, Owner



CARTER, in New York Evening Sun

"I've had enough of it"

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Pay by Check

Your Harvest Proceeds!

There are two ways to deposit your harvest proceeds in this Bank. The

ONE,---- in a Check Account,----Safe, convenient and accurate.

THE OTHER,---- in a Certificate of Deposit,-- safe, convenient and profitable. We pay 6 per cent on Certificates which mature in either six months or a year.

If more convenient you can deposit a part in both ways and take advantage of our modern facilities for handling your entire financial business.

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Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Tuesday
Oct. 10, 1916.

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Advertise in Holt Weekly News
Stand by your home paper --- The Weekly News.
$1.00 a Year. Send it to your relatives or friends.

High School for Holt

The first year of High School work will be offered at the Holt School this year. Any who are qualified and wish to take up the work should make arrangements on or before Monday morning.

The classes will commence Monday morning.

Emil Prushek. Prin.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for the sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our beloved son and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson and Family.

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank all for their kindly help and sympathy during the sickness and death of my beloved wife, and for the beautiful flowers for the funeral. Also I wish to thank the ladies of the Royal Neighbor Lodge of Thief River Falls of which my beloved wife was a member, for the many beautiful flowers given her during her sickness.

Martin O. Nelson.

C. Chase has decided to quit farming and move south. He will have a public auction Tuesday Oct. 3, on the old Sanberg place 2 1-2 miles north and a half mile west of Holt. Three head of good heavy, young work horses will be sold, also 2 cows, 2 heifer calves, about 60 chickens, new wagon with top boxes complete, new bob-sleds, new sulky plow, 3 section iron drag, 2 sets work harness one set new, hard coal heater, 9 foot extention table, all household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

Work was commenced last week on the village ditch.

If any one wants a high grade of kerosene, call at Reierson's store.

Mrs. Loyd Adams and little son went to Dugdale for a visit with friends Saturday.

Calderwood, the dry candidate for senator, delivered a short address here last week Thursday.

Two sewing machines arrived in Holt one day last week, to be used by the Domestic Science class.

O. H. Dovre, H. J. Oien, C. W. Christianson and M. E. Mosberg were Beltrami county visitors Sunday.

Dora and Celia Olson returned home Friday from near Grand Forks N. D. where they have been working for some time.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

Gulick Swenson of near Bemidji came Tuesday to visit old friends. Mr. Swenson homesteaded the Fred Larson farm about 30 years ago. Fourteen years ago he sold out and went to western Alberta, Canada and a year ago he came back to Minnesota. Mr. Swenson is well pleased with this country and is thinking of settling here again.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Ole Saastad Wounded

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Saastad received a telegram Monday stating their son Ole was lying in a war hospital in North Hampton Shire, England, having received a wound in his left leg, Sept. 20th. and that further particulars would be sent later. Mr. Saastad moved to Edmundton, Canada a couple of years ago and enlisted in the British army when the war broke out. A card was received from Mr. Ole Saastad a couple of months ago and he was alright at the time, but such is the fortune of war.

Auction Sale

On Monday Oct. 2nd. I will sell all my household goods and numerous other articles at public sale.

The list of goods to be sold includes beds, stoves sewing and washing machines, some good carpenters tools, etc. Everything goes.

I expect to leave Holt shortly and must get rid of these articles before leaving.

Sale will begin at 10:30 A. M. sharp. Terms Cash only.

Chas. W. Latta

For Sale

My 38 acre farm, with buildings, adjoining townsite of Holt, on easy terms. Or will sell 10 acres.

J. B. Alkenbrack
Holt Minn,

Mesdames Huseth and Oien entertained a number of ladies Friday afternoon at the home of the former, in honor of Mrs. S. B. Nichols of Mason City Iowa, a sister of Mrs. H. B. Young. The afternoon was delightfully spent in conversation, games, music and song, when the ladies were invited to a most delicious three course dinner. After pertaking of the repast, a stunt was pulled off which caused considerable merriment. Fine instrumental music and a duet rendered by both hostesses followed, which was appreciated by all. As the ladies dispersed to their separate homes, each one felt they had been royally entertained by two who were ideal entertainers.

Announcement

To the Voters of Marshall County:-

I have served as your Representative in the Legislature one session and am now asking for SECOND term. I am asking this on my record, which contains nothing I desire to conceal.

In the 1915 session I opposed all extravagant appropriations and advocated larger ones than those made in but two cases, viz: for state aid to rural schools, and for the prevention and cure of tuberculosis.

My re-election would result in your Representative in the 1917 Legislature being given better committee, positions and having greater prestige and influence than would be accorded to a new man. With this advantage I would be able to render you better service and be able to secure the passage of any legislation in which you might be specially interested.

The pledges I made you in 1915 have been faithfully kept, as an examination of my record will fully prove.

Soliciting your support and your votes at the election on November 7, 1916, I am,

Respectfully yours,
C. L. STEVENS.

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V. President, A. D. Stephens
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Bank Statement

Bank No. 809.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Sept., 12, 1916.

Date of report by Bank, Sept. 12, 1916.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		201,855 11
Overdrafts		208 47
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		3,320 51
Other Real Estate		$2,000 00
Due from Banks	9,980 70	
Cash on Hand	2271 60	
Total Cash Assets		12252 30
Checks and Cash Items		778 13
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		2012 81
Total		$113,423 33
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$3,500.00
Undivided Profits, Net		350.54
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		3,000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$39,470.08	
Cashier's Checks	1450.08	
Total Immediate Liabilities	40,920.76	
Time Certificates	55,653.03	
Total Deposits		96,572 79
Total		$113,423 33
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$13,030 43
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$8,123 81

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President.
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNHEIM,
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Sept., 1916.

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FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

M. Kalogeropoulos, the new Greek premier, declares the new government will observe the most benevolent neutrality toward the entente.

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Berlin reports say seventy-eight aeroplanes were lost by the British and French as the result of aerial engagements on the western front during August.

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Great Britain will protest against the hearty welcome she expects the United States to accord the arrival of a second German submarine freighter. This was made known by British officials.

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Construction of a tunnel under the Bosphorus is being discussed at Constantinople. Engineers' plans show that the project is feasible and financially profitable and its strategic importance is obvious.

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Ten million eggs, stored by speculators and seized in Italian cities by the government, are being resold publicly at 2 cents each, half the market price. The purpose is to aid in reducing the high cost of living.

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Big German shipping men have formed a million mark shipbuilding company which will begin immediately the construction of a series of 8,000-ton steamers for Germany's freight carrying trade after the war.

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England has now ruled that no more relief rations can be shipped by the United States to neutral countries —Norway, Sweden, Holland and Denmark. This ruling states vessels carrying such rations will be prevented from landing.

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A new type of ship from the shipyards of Christianiafjord resembles a huge barge, is constructed entirely of concrete, except for the ribs, which are steel, and is the first stone vessel ever floated. It is said that the hull will resist damage better than steel or wood and that the ship therefore is safer.

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Russia has induced Roumania to prohibit absolutely the sale of liquors, and to consent to the appointment of Russians as members of the Roumanian secret police and department of finance and as commanders of the forts in northeastern Roumania and administrators of the railroads.

GENERAL.

Governor Dunne was renominated for governor of Illinois and Frank O. Lowden will be his republican opponent.

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All National Guard organizations which have been held at state mobilization points since they were mustered into the federal service are scheduled to start for the Mexican border soon.

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While mortality among women is lower than among men, insurance companies have found risks on the lives of the former unprofitable and write policies on women's lives only for limited amounts and at higher rates or under restrictions.

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Frank Gotch, champion wrestler, has come out with a statement that he has permanently retired from the mat game, that he has money enough and will hereafter devote his time to farming interests in Iowa. Gotch recently turned down an $85,000 contract to perform for a motion picture company.

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Demands of shopmen on Colorado railroads for an eight-hour day and a 5-cent and hour wage increase have been partially met. The roads have agreed to the eight-hour day demand and offered an increase of 1 cent an hour. Representatives of the shopmen are holding out for the 5-cent demand.

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The National Republican committee is making plans for Col. Theodore Roosevelt to make a tour of the west, campaigning for Hughes. The route has not been definitely decided upon.

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"Mary," the big circus elephant, which killed her trainer at Kingsport, Tenn., was hanged. A railroad derrick car was used in the execution. The animal was forced to the tracks by other elephants, heavy chains were tied around her neck and she was hoisted in the air.

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In Chicago special lessons are being given 200 men in how best to capture automobile thieves. In many other cities various measures are being devised having the same object in view.

Seth Low, former mayor of New York, and one time president of Columbia university, died at his country home, Broadbrook Farm, Bedford Hills, N. Y., at the age of 66 years.

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The trial of the United States government suit against the Great Northern railway for $246,000 damages because of a forest fire within the Lewis and Clark forest reserve in 1910 began at Great Falls.

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Resolutions urging an investigation of the packing and live stock industries by the federal trade commission were adopted at the concluding session of the market committee of the American National Live Stock association at Denver.

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A clause giving the president of the United States power to draft citizens into the army in time of war was "smuggled" into the Hay-Chamberlain army bill, was charged by Allan L. Benson, socialist candidate for president, in an address at Stanton, Ill.

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At Scranton, Pa., 267 I. W. W. members were arrested for inciting riots among coal miners. Bail for the bunch was placed at an aggregate sum of $935,000 and all went to jail. Each was also fined $10 for disorderly conduct. The question now is what to do with them.

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Eight members of an alleged blackmail gang, charged with using the beauty of their women members and the fascinating powers of their male members to mulct wealthy men and women out of more than $250,000, were arrested at Chicago by federal authorities.

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James A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel corporation, says that 1916 probably will go down in history as one of the most remarkable years that the iron and steel industry ever has known. He said: "Without the necessity of resorting to prophecy we can assume that the year 1917 will see the blast furnace and steel works of this country operating at capacity."

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Martin Lopez, one of the few surviving leaders of Villa's old command, is said to be in the vicinity of Santa Elena, near Rubio, with 180 followers.

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General Obregon, minister of war, announces that a thousand followers of Francisco Villa, who attacked Chihuahua, were routed with a loss of 600 men killed and many captured.

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Reiterated assurances are being printed in the Mexican newspapers that the withdrawal from Mexico of the United States forces under General Pershing is the only subject under consideration at the conference in New London, Conn.

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Hundreds of persons gathered about the statue of Bonita Juarez in Juarez, in an anti-American demonstration, according to reports. Agitators climbed on the statue and shouted: "Death to the gringoes!" and "Viva Villa!"

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Fourteen thousand and sixty-three officers and men of the regular army and National Guard started out of San Antonio for the biggest practice march in the history of the American army, an eighty-three-mile "hike" to Austin. Eight days will be consumed in the march to Austin and eight days in return.

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A protest from enlisted men is being filed with the war department against the trial of white soldiers by the general court-martial organized at Fort Sam Houston because four negro officers are members of the court. The protest includes not only the enlisted men, docketed for trial, but several hundred of their comrades.

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The first firing across the Rio Grande reported in some weeks occurred below Brownsville, Tex. The report came from Lieutenant Parker Finley, Third Iowa infantry, and stated that while on outpost duty twelve miles below Brownsville he was fired on twice from the Mexican side.

WASHINGTON.

The navy department's official mail, sealed and in government envelopes, has been opened, and censored by Great Britain, it was admitted at the navy department.

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Though not able to see the targets eleven miles away, American gunners on the dreadnaught Pennsylvania scored five hits from a simultaneous discharge of twelve big guns.

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The North Carolina National guard was ordered to the Mexican border by the war department. The guard consists of three regiments of infantry, two troops of cavalry, one ambulance company and one field hospital.

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The Turkish government, in a communication received by the State department, consents to the shipment of relief supplies from the United States to famine sufferers in Syria. The action reverses the previous attitude of Turkish officials who had refused two urgent pleas by the department for the privilege to make shipments.

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President Wilson's sister, Mrs. Annie Howe, died Saturday of peritonitis at Now London, Conn. Burial was at Columbus, S. C., the old home.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Stillwater. — Stillwater was host to the twenty-fifth annual state conference of charities and correction, which held a four-day session here.

Bemidji. — Nymore, a village of 1,500, will become a part of Bemidji October 7 if the local aldermen abide by a vote with which they have adopted the necessary ordinance on first reading.

Lake City. — Despondent because of ill health, Mary Schmauss, 26 years old, took her life by shooting, at her home in this city. She was found in her room with a bullet wound in her heart, when her mother investigated a revolver report.

Moorhead. — A bullet that crashed through a window into the F. L. Getty home here, narrowly missing a member of the family and flattening against a wall, is believed to have been fired by a property owner guarding his apple orchard against a band of boys.

St. Paul. — The apple crop in Minnesota is only 40 per cent of the average this year, according to the reports of dealers, and what apples there are in scattered sections. Hot weather and the ravages of bugs early in the spring are blamed for the poor crop.

St. Paul. — October 9, the anniversary of the Chicago fire in 1871, has been set apart by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist as fire prevention day. An organized effort in cities and villages and on farms is to be made at this time to reduce the fire hazard by a general clean-up.

Minneapolis. — County commissioners of Minnesota are said to have been converted in considerable numbers to a belief in concrete as a desirable bridge material. C. E. Nagel, deputy state highway engineer in charge of bridges said the bridge-testing demonstration at the state fair had convinced many.

Moorhead. — With drainage work amounting to $59,382.97 accomplished the past summer and plans laid for an additional $114,623.33 worth, Clay county's 1916 record in this respect bids fair to stand as a record throughout the state. Appropriations have been made for the work planned bringing the year's total up to $173,806.30 in funds voted.

Duluth. — Odin Halden, St. Louis county auditor, has completed certification to the state of wolf bounties. About 1,000 of the pirates of the wilds were killed in St. Louis county during the last 15 months and approximately $15,000 was paid out for bounties. Last winter the deep snow made it comparatively easy to kill wolves.

St. Paul. — Minnesota spent $6,325,278.84 on its thirty state institutions in the last fiscal year, and more than a third of that sum went to the University of Minnesota, according to figures compiled in the office of A. C. Gooding, state treasurer. The statement comprised all appropriations, including those for buildings, maintenance and the like.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Fires at the Foster Robe & Tanning company plant and the Campbell Livery company stable both starting within a few minutes of each other, shortly after midnight, resulted in the loss of one life and damages estimated at $50,000 to the livery stable, its contents and adjoining buildings, and $40,000 to the tanning plant buildings and contents.

Stillwater. — The forty-second annual session of the St. Croix Valley Old Settlers' association was held at the Sawyer home here, where during the past years the same association has gathered in ever-decreasing numbers. The oldest settler of them all, A. L. Larpenteur, St. Paul, who came to Minnesota in territorial days, Sept. 15, 1843, was among the first to arrive.

Virginia. — The strike on the Mesaba iron range has been declared off by Industrial Workers of the World. The votes of local unions in Biwabik, Aurora, Chisholm, Hibbing and at other points have made it impracticable for other striking miners to continue the fight. No vote was taken in Virginia, according to the I. W. W., and it is not felt it will be necessary to take any further votes.

Rochester. — "The ministry is a poor place to make money. The people see to it a preacher does not get more than enough for a living," declared Bishop Charles B. Mitchell of St. Paul, in an address before the Minnesota conference of the Methodist Episcopal church here. "The ministry has a tendency to develop selfishness, against which the true minister must fight," he said.

International Falls. — Charges of nonfeasance against two more Koochiching county commissioners, not mentioned in the first allegations of illegal expenditures of county funds, aggregating $200,000, which resulted in suspension of the county auditor and three other commissioners, pending investigation, have been filed with Governor Burnquist, together with a petition asking that they likewise be suspended.

St. Cloud. — Vladimir Miller of Minneapolis was slightly wounded here in attempting to escape from the state reformatory with a fellow inmate, Tony Blotti of Duluth. The boys made their dash for liberty by jumping to the outside grounds from an icehouse on which they were working.

St. Paul. — The death rate for the whole state was lowered from 10.8 in 1914 to 10.1 in 1915. "If the death rate of Minnesota can be kept down despite the fact that it daily is developing an older population," Dr. Bracken said, "it will be another feather in the state's cap as a health resort."

NEW HEALTH CODE PLANNED BY BOARD

COMMISSION NAMED BY GOVERNOR TO RECOMMEND LAWS ORGANIZES AT CAPITOL.

REPORTS OF BREAK DENIED

Lieut. Col. Murphy Says Rumors of Dispute Over Command Are Unfounded—Will Not Send Battery Boys Back to Border.

St. Paul.

The commission of nine members recently appointed by Governor Burnquist to recommend any needed legislation on the subject of public health organized at an initial meeting at the Capitol and deferred until needs are ascertained, the decision on the scope of its work—whether it will recommend an entirely new state health code as was done recently in New York or merely supplementary legislation on separate subjects.

Governor Burnquist was requested to ask the United States Public Health service to detail an expert on organization to make a survey of state health administration in Minnesota.

This action followed a statement by Dean E. P. Lyon of the medical college at the University that he had heard reports that "the general impression is the state health department is not all that it should be."

Dean Lyon was chosen chairman; Dr. W. L. Beebe, president of the Minnesota Public Health association, vice chairman, and Dr. I. J. Murphy, secretary of that association, and also secretary of the commission.

At the next meeting to be called by the chairman, members will present for discussion health needs peculiar to their various lines of work.

"Governor Burnquist's idea in appointing this commission was that it should look over the immediate field to find out what health needs are now most urgent in Minnesota," Dr. Murphy said.

"It may be that provision for visiting nurses in country districts, regulations for sanitation in camps, and perhaps other like subjects may develop that a reorganization of the state health work and its machinery may be found desirable."

Mr. Houk suggested the importance of legislation on the subject of occupational or industrial diseases.

"Minnesota is compensating workmen for accidents, but where one is killed or injured there are nearly 100 contracting industrial diseases," he said.

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Denies Reports of Break.

Reports that a dispute as to the superiority of command between Colonel George E. Leach and Lieutenant Colonel W. J. Murphy of the First field artillery, was likely to result in sending four members of Battery F back to the border have been indignantly denied by Colonel Murphy.

The four men were members of the headquarters detail of the field artillery stationed at Camp Llano Grande. Because they were university students and formerly members of Battery F, Colonel Leach ordered them to report at the headquarters company at Camp Bobleter, in command of Colonel Murphy. Monday, the day after the battery returned to Fort Snelling, Colonel Murphy transferred them to Battery F, so that they might be mustered out of the service in time to return to the university.

"There has been no question raised on the possibility of my sending the boys back to the border," said Colonel Murphy. "The order transferring them to Battery F has been issued, and they will be mustered out with their battery. There is no dispute between Colonel Leach and myself relative to the validity of Colonel Leach's command, and I am only too anxious to join him on the border and deliver to him the responsibility of the First battalion."

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Seek Advice on Grain Act.

O. P. B. Jacobson of the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission; R. T. Emerson, chief grain inspector, and E. R. Rehnke, chairman of the state grain appeal board, are in Washington to confer with officials of the Department of Agriculture as to the enforcement of the recently enacted federal grain grading and inspection law. They will meet with the Federal officials in order to become fully informed as to what changes, if any, may be required in the present methods of handling the grain coming under their jurisdiction. Commissioner Jacobson expects to go to Baltimore later and attend the National grain dealers convention.

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Schmahl Answers Charge.

Secretary of State Schmahl, on his return from a drainage inspection trip, made an investigation of the complaint filed by A. A. Trovaten of Barnesville, who says he has been unable yet to get an automobile dealers' license and tags applied for Dec. 28, 1915. Mr. Trovatan has filed his complaint with Governor Burnquist, and asks for Mr. Schmahl's removal for "nonfeasance" in office. "Our records show that Mr. Trovaten's application was received and sent to the factory," said Mr. Schmahl.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

The cruellest lies are often told in silence. A man may have sat in a room hours and not opened his teeth, and yet come out of that room a disloyal friend or a calumniator.—R. L. Stevenson.

FOR SPECIAL OCCASIONS.

A dainty dish for a luncheon is prepared as follows: Boil two pairs of sweetbreads in salted water till tender. Remove and drop in ice water, take off all the skins and gristle and dice them; add a can of diced mushrooms or an equal quantity of fresh ones; melt two tablespoonfuls of butter in a saucepan and stir smoothly into it one tablespoonful of flour. To this add one cupful of stock or a cupful of scalded cream. Allow to boil and then put in the meat and mushrooms. Cook a minute or two then add two well beaten egg yolks. Set away to cool, then form into rolls, dip in egg and crumbs and fry a delicate brown. Serve in nests of watercress.

A thin slice of cheese placed on thin sliced buttered bread in the form of a sandwich and sauted in a little olive oil is a good sandwich to serve hot with a salad.

Breast of Chicken With Virginia Ham.—Take two slices of uncooked chicken breast, two thin slices of ham, six tablespoonfuls of butter, one cupful of cream with paprika and salt. Place the chicken in a hot chafing dish or an omelet pan with two tablespoonfuls of butter and a little cream. When partly cooked turn them over and place on the top of each a slice of ham, add another tablespoonful of butter and a little more cream. When this is partially cooked, turn them over again, still keeping the ham on top; add the remaining butter and cream, with a generous seasoning of salt and paprika; turn until well cooked, always keeping the ham on top. When well done serve a piece of chicken and a piece of ham to each person. Increase the amount for any number of people. Serve with sweet potatoes.

John Chinaman will tell you that you have never tasted really fine flavored chicken until you have seasoned it with ginseng, just a bit of the expensive root is sufficient, giving the meat a delightfully different taste.

Tomatoes Stuffed With Ripe Olives.—Scoop out the tomatoes and fill with stuffed olives that have been stoned, a few tablespoonfuls of bread crumbs, salt and pepper. Fry a small onion until brown; add the pulp of the tomatoes, the bread crumbs and olives; fill the tomatoes and bake. Cover with buttered crumbs to brown and serve hot.

Friends in this world of hurry,
And work and sudden end,
If a thought comes quick, of doing
A kindness to a friend,
Do it that very moment,
Don't put it off, don't wait,
What's the use of doing a kindness
If you do it a day too late?
—Charles Kingsley.

WAYS TO TREAT A PEACH.

To prepare peaches for canning or preserving, or in fact almost any dish, remove the skin by plunging them in a wire basket into boiling water for two minutes, then the skins will come off easily.

Sweet Pickled Peaches.—To seven pounds of peaches allow 3¼ pounds of white sugar, one quart of not too sharp vinegar, two ounces of cloves and two ounces of stick cinnamon. Peel the peaches and insert one or two cloves in each. Boil the sugar and vinegar with the cinnamon for five minutes, then put in the peaches. When the fruit is tender, remove it carefully from the sirup and put it into jars. Boil the sirup until reduced to nearly half and pour over the peaches.

An old-fashioned method of preserving peaches was to fill the jars with the whole fruit, peeled and covered with sugar; bury three feet in the ground below the frost.

Spiced Peaches.—For six pounds of fruit use three pounds of granulated sugar and one pint of vinegar. Into each peach insert two cloves. Put into the sugar and vinegar one ounce of cinnamon, which should be in a cheesecloth bag, and boil. When the mixture is boiling hot, place the peeled fruit in it and cook until tender. Put into jars and seal at once.

Peach Marmalade.—This may be made from the imperfect fruit, using three-fourths the weight of the fruit in sugar and half a pint of water to each pound of sugar. Make a sirup and add the peaches cut in small pieces. Boil until the mixture is thick, for about three-quarters of an hour. Put in jars or tumblers.

Canned Peaches.—Peel and halve the peaches, removing the pits. For four quarts of peaches use three pints of water and a pint of sugar. When the fruit is ready, drop into the boiling sirup and cook gently for ten minutes; seal at once. Peaches canned whole have a richer flavor than those with the pits removed, yet many prefer them so.

It is not enough to believe what you maintain, you must maintain what you believe; and maintain it because you believe it.—Whately.

PERFECT PRESERVES.

A dainty preserve to use with meats in winter or as a sauce for ice cream is:

Preserved Watermelon Rind. — Peel the rind from half a melon, rejecting all the pink. Chop it fine or put it through the meat grinder. Place it in a bowl over night, sprinkling with salt over each layer. In the morning draw off the liquid and freshen with cold water; washing it two or three times. Place in a preserving kettle with an equal measure of sugar and let it cook slowly for three hours.

Fruit Preserve.—Peel and cut into small pieces apples, pears and plums, equal parts; use a pound of sugar for each pound of fruit and cook until of a marmalade consistency. Take from the fire and add a half cupful of blanched and shredded almonds.

Pickled Plums or Pears.—Take nine pounds of fruit and six pounds of sugar, two quarts of vinegar and an ounce of cinnamon. Boil the vinegar and spice together, pour it over the fruit, which has been previously placed in a large crock or bowl, and let it stand for 24 hours. Pour it back over the fruit in the bowl, repeat the process for five mornings, the last time cooking the fruit about 15 minutes. Put into the jars and cover while hot.

Tomato Honey.—Select ripe yellow tomatoes, the small pear-shaped ones are preferred; weigh the tomatoes after scalding and peeling them; cut them in pieces and put into a preserving kettle with the grated yellow rind of one lemon; cook for 20 minutes, press through a fine sieve, then strain. Measure the liquor and to each pint add one pound of sugar and four tablespoonfuls of lemon juice. Boil a moment and seal.

Tomato Figs.—Select six pounds of perfect pear tomatoes, ripe, smooth and yellow. Weigh three pounds of sugar and sprinkle the sugar in layers over the carefully peeled fruit. Stew very gently until the sugar is absorbed, then lift them carefully to dry on plates in the sun; sprinkle with sugar several times while drying. When perfectly dry pack into jars with a layer of sugar between each layer of figs.

Anyone who is prepared for defeat would be half defeated before he commenced.—Admiral Farragut.

Can anything be so elegant as to have few wants, and to serve them oneself.—Emerson.

FOR THE EPICURE.

One tires of vanilla and lemon for flavoring, and anything new or a variety is always welcomed. For those who do not enjoy almond flavoring alone the combination of one teaspoonful of almond extract to six of lemon is a good combination. When using the mixture, shake well and use the teaspoonful, or a few drops, depending upon the dish.

Maplene is a flavor well liked; so is caramel and coffee flavor. The mocha-caramel flavoring is a combination of the two. It is prepared as follows: Put a cupful of granulated or light brown sugar into an iron frying pan, stir until it begins to melt, then lower the heat and continue cooking until it is a rich brown in color, but be careful not to burn it; then add a half cupful of hot, very strong coffee, stir for a moment until dissolved; when cool, put it in a bottle. It will keep for weeks.

This may be used for any number of dishes. For frosting for cake mix powdered sugar with cream until quite stiff, then add enough of the mocha caramel to color well, and a pinch of salt.

Mocha-Caramel Butter.—Wash the salt from half a cupful of butter, cream it and add one and a quarter cupfuls of confectioner's sugar, then cream again. Beat in one beaten egg, two tablespoonfuls of mocha-caramel and one or two tablespoonfuls of strong coffee. To make this, use cold coffee instead of water. Put this butter in a glass jar and set on ice.

Small sponge cakes may be hollowed out and filled with this butter, garnishing the top of each with a candied cherry; put on the lid and frost, if so desired, or serve with fresh fruit, plain. Hot waffles with mocha butter is a delicious combination. There will be any number of ways of using this good flavor.

Any white cooky mixture may be made most tasty by adding a little cooked fruit of dates, prunes or figs on the center of a cooky; place another on top and bake. These are especially well liked by the young folk.

Fried chicken or pressed chicken, boiled tongue, roast beef, are all meats that are well liked for outdoor meals.

Nellie Maxwell

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WASTE INVOLVED IN ILLNESS

Serious Matter to Which Far Too Little Attention Has Been Given by the Country.

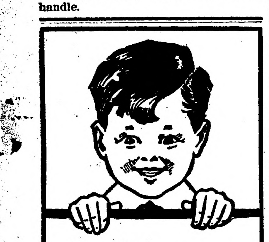
A spectacular event often attracts public attention, while routine matters of larger magnitude go unoticed. For instance, the whole country was recently acutely conscious of a question of wages amounting to $50,000,000. It was an important question and the sum involved was vast.

But take another question involving wages—the question of the illness of workers. Public health bulletin No. 76 of the public health service of the United States estimates on the basis of inquiries here and abroad that the average industrial worker loses about nine days a year on account of illness. This amounts to a loss to the workers of the country, it is estimated, of $800,000,000 a year. If by better sanitation and safety devices the time could be reduced one-half, there would be a saving of $400,000,000. Yet it is exceedingly difficult for health authorities to arouse interest in the question, simply because it concerns everyday matters that lack the excitement of a threatened tieup of transportation.

Biology.

First Girl—What's biology, mean?
Second Girl—Why, it's the science of shopping, I suppose.

A novel umbrella is equipped with a storage battery electric light in its handle.



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"There's a Reason"

MAIL CENSORSHIP PLEAS HEARD BY BRITISH ATTACHE

SIR RICHARD CRAWFORD, IN NEW YORK, TAKES UP CONTROVERSY WITH BANKERS AND EXPORTERS.

OFFICIALS OF U. S. STATE DEPARTMENT IGNORED

Show Great Irritation When Questioned About Conferences According To Word From Washington—Reply To Wilson's Note Mailed.

New York, Sept. 26.—Sir Richard Crawford, commercial attache of the British embassy, is in New York to hear pleas of leading American bankers and exporters for relaxation of the British mail censorship. He arrived from Washington.

Arrangements for the conferences, which will continue for two days, were made by J. P. Morgan, fiscal agent of the Allies, who made a quiet trip to Washington last week and spent most of the day in conferences with the British ambassador and the British commercial attache.

According to word from Washington, state department officials showed great irritation when questioned about the conferences. It was emphatically stated that the state department had not been consulted about the move.

No Statements Made.

During his stay in Washington Mr. Morgan did not call at the state department. No statement was forthcoming from the embassy at Washington indicating whether any promises had been made to Mr. Morgan that the British government will entertain any proposals to lift the censorship restrictions.

It is understood Mr. Morgan and his allied group of bankers will bring the most vigorous pressure to bear on the British government, through its diplomatic representative to relax some of the oppressive features of the censorship. In this the bankers and the exporters who will join them in the effort, will act from self-interest, as they have felt the pinch of the censorship the hardest.

Note Not Received.

The mail note was reported a week ago to have left London by mail. Unofficial forecasts said it refused to meet this government's demands for a change in policy. This note has not reached the United States, British officials said, and it probably will not be here until the conferences here are concluded, so that there will be time for the British government to hear the eleventh hour plea of the bankers and exporters before placing Great Britain's official view before the state department.

REDUCTION IN STATE TAX LEVY ANNOUNCED

New Minnesota Rate Based On Estimated Total Assessed Valuation of $1,560,000,000 In 1916.

St. Paul, Sept. 26.—State Auditor Preus has just announced a reduction of .45 mill in the new state tax levy, equivalent to about $750,000 on the assessed valuation of all the taxable property in the state—a sharing of a huge melon among the people of Minnesota.

Last year the state tax rate was 4.1 mills in Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth, exclusive of the constant one mill "county school tax," and 4.15 mills elsewhere in the state. The new rates are 3.65 mills in the three cities and 3.7 mills elsewhere.

The .05 mill difference is for teachers' pensions under the new state pension law. It is not paid in the three large cities which operate their own pension funds.

The new state rate is based on an estimated total assessed valuation of $1,560,000,000 of taxable property as against $1,491,964,548 in 1915.

10 CENT BINDER TWINE SEEN

Yucatan Sisal Trust Forces Up Prices of Prison Product.

St. Paul, Sept. 26.—Minnesota farmers will have to pay at least 10 cents a pound for sisal twine for binding next year's crop, according to members of the state board of control, who said that at 8¾ cents the state has sold its twine this year too cheaply. In fact, the state now is unable to buy any twine at all from the "Reguladora," as the Yucatan sisal trust is called, and has been forced to stock up to an unusual extent with the higher priced manilla fiber.

Abandon Hope of Saving Ship.

Portland, Me., Sept. 26.—All hope of saving the steamer Bay State of the Eastern Steamship corporation which struck on the rocks off Cape Elizabeth during a dense fog Saturday morning on her regular trip from Boston to Portland has been abandoned. She is pounding to pieces in the heavy ground swell. Fourteen members of the crew, who remained on the steamer while there was a possibility of it being saved, were taken off on the breeches buoy. All the passengers were safely transferred.

TREVINO "CAUGHT NAPPING BY VILLA" GEN. BELL CLAIMS

COMMANDER DECLARES INFORMATION REGARDING ATTACK ON CHIHUAHUA CITY IS ACCURATE.

BAKER DOES NOT REGARD REPORT AS CONCLUSIVE

Arredondo Asserts Resurrection of Bandit Chief Is Not True—Assault by Combination of Juntas Antagonistic to De Facto Government.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 25.—"I am confident that my information regarding Villa's attack on Chihuahua City is accurate, therefore, I do not see that any further investigation is necessary on my part," was General Bell's comment on being informed that he had been invited by General Trevino to send a special agent to Chihuahua to ascertain the facts.

"The truth is," General Bell continued, "General Trevino is up against a fact that cannot be explained away. He was caught napping by Villa. A soldier has an excuse for getting whipped, but he has no excuse for being caught off his guard. The result is he finds he must make extreme claims to clear his reputation as a soldier.

"As the result of further investigation my account of the Chihuahua City battle, as communicated to my superiors, has been, in my belief, absolutely confirmed. I stand by it and have no desire to carry the matter further."

Report Not Conclusive, Baker Says.

Washington, Sept. 23. — Whether Francisco Villa again has become a factor in the military situation in Northern Mexico remained a question of considerable doubt despite nearly a week's effort by the State and War departments to ascertain what part, if any, the bandit chief took in the attack last Saturday on Chihuahua City.

Secretary Baker let it become known during the day that War department officials do not regard as conclusive the report transmitted by Brigadier-General Bell, saying Villa led the Chihuahua City attack in person.

"The resurrection of Villa is not true," said Ambassador Arredondo. "The attack on Chihuahua City was made by a combination of juntas antagonistic to the de facto government."

TO OPEN "PORCH CAMPAIGN"

Wilson Will Deliver Address at Shadow Lawn This Afternoon.

Long Branch, N. J., Sept. 25.—President Wilson has completed an outline of the speech he will deliver this afternoon before a delegation of New Jersey business men at Shadow Lawn. His address will deal almost wholly with various aspects of the business situation, as related to the policies of the administration.

The President's speech will mark the opening of his "porch campaign." Several Democratic leaders are planning to be present.

HUNT FOR GIRL'S ASSAILANT

Posses Search Countryside Near Bemidji—Teacher May Recover.

Bemidji, Minn., Sept. 25.—With prospects for her recovery greatly improved, Miss Olga Dahl, the rural school teacher of Goodhope township, Itasca county, who was attacked and shot twice late Wednesday near her school, was resting easily following an operation in which two bullets were removed from her head.

Out over the countryside were flickering torches and lanterns, marking the progress of the posse of more than 200 men searching for the young woman's assailant. The report that she probably would recover was greeted with cheers.

TO SOLDIERS OF MINNESOTA

Governor Burnquist Dedicates Monument at Memphis.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 25.—In memory of the soldiers of Minnesota who died during the war between the states a monument has been dedicated at the National cemetery here. Addresses were delivered by Governor Burnquist of Minnesota and Judge D. M. Greer of this city, a former Confederate soldier.

The exercises were attended by members of Confederate associations and the school children of the city.

Aviators In 56 Fights In Day.

Paris, Sept. 25.—French aviators took part in 56 air battles Saturday, bringing down 10 enemy fliers, it was officially announced. On perhaps no other day of the war has there been such great aerial activity. Flying nearly 100 miles beyond the German border Flight Warrant Officer Baron bombarded the important works at Ludwigshafen in the Palatinate on the Rhine and at Mannheim, across the river from Ludwigshafen. The official report says the bombardment caused a large fire.

Not an Endurance Test.

Two soldiers caused some amusement at a golf course the other day. The first man teed up and made a mighty swipe, but failed to shift the ball. The miss was repeated no fewer than three times.

His pal was unable to stand it any longer.

"For heaven's sake, Bill," he broke out, "hit the thing. You know we have only four days' leave."

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Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

FOUND FLAW IN DEFENSE

Ingenious Excuse of Man Who Had Imbibed Too Freely Did Not Satisfy Policeman.

When Police Captain Patrick Costello met a man on the main street of Dobbs Ferry loudly and joyfully disturbing the peace of the historic hamlet, he said: "My friend, you're drunk, and I'll have to run you in."

The stranger drew a tattered Bible from his pocket and, leading the captain to the nearest street lamp, read, with fervor: "First Timothy, five, twenty-three: 'Drink no longer water, but use a little wine for thy stomach's sake and thine often infirmities.'"

The captain scratched his head and thought. Finally he said: "What were you drinkin'?"

"Well," replied the stranger, "the last one was beer."

"Then," said the captain, "you lose on a technicality, and it's come with me."

So the stranger, who said he was John Hasch of the Bowery, New York, was locked up to await the morning session of the police court.—Cincinnati Times Star.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Critic Shies.

Theodore Dreiser, the novelist, was talking about the public's literary taste.

"The public," he said, "likes trash. Put good stuff before it and it shies like the critic at the 'Players.'

"A poet smiled affectionately on this critic, thrust a ten-cent cigar in his hand and said:

"'Let me show you the proofs of my new volume of poems.'

"'No, no,' said the critic, rising hastily and grabbing up his hat. 'No, no. I don't need proof. Your word is sufficient.'

"And he rushed off without finishing the two inches of beer that still remained in his glass."

Flight of Imagination.

"I wouldn't marry Claude Sniggins if he were the last man in the world," remarked the haughty girl.

"No," replied Miss Cayenne. "If he were the last man in the world, he'd probably be so much in demand that you wouldn't even get a chance to propose to him."

Not Stationary.

Lady—Mary, I should be delighted if I had as much hair as you.

Servant—Well, ma'am, you can borrow it any time you like!

Like Master Like Man.

"No such thing as stuck-uppishness about her," says the loyal servitor, defending his mistress against the criticisms of the acquaintance who is inveighing against class discrimination and the attitude of the wealthy toward the working element.

"Well, but don't she order you around?"

"Sure she does. But, Lord, she bawls me out just the same as what she does her husband. She don't make no difference between me an' him, even."—Judge.

Disgraceful Behavior.

The little girl who had been instructed not to talk in church because it was very rude was very thoughtful after the service, and when questioned she said in a horrified voice:

"Oh, mamma! I think it was just awful for our minister to show off so rudely in church—he talked all the time."

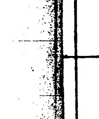
Who is first in bed at your house at night? You will bet it is father.

Never bow to the inevitable before you meet it.

Why That Lame Back?

Morning lameness, sharp twinges when bending, or an all-day backache; each is cause enough to suspect kidney trouble. Get after the cause. Help the kidneys. We Americans go it too hard. We overdo, overeat and neglect our sleep and exercise and so we are fast becoming a nation of kidney sufferers. 72% more deaths than in 1890 is the 1910 census story. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

A Montana Case



"Every Picture Tells a Story."

John S. Woosley, Bozeman, Mont., says: "For years I had kidney complaint with a tired, depressed feeling. My head ached. I had dizzy spells and the kidney secretions were scanty. I was in severe pain and had rheumatic twinges all through my body. I have been practically free from these ailments since I used two or three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills."

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Decimal System for England.

According to the British and Colonial Printer and Stationer, there is now a well-organized movement in Great Britain to secure the immdiate adoption in that country of the decimal system of coinage and weights and measures.

The handicap in securing new foreign trade, with nine-tenths of the world on the decimal basis, is the prime argument in the propaganda, and it is pointed out that in the even keener trade competition after the war this added handicap may prove ruinous.

Had Cause for Wrath.

"I am not surprised that it put the man out of temper," said Magistrate Fordham to a woman who applied for process against a man who smashed her window because a phonograph was playing in her house at ten o'clock at night.

"It is a most vexing and troublesome noise," added his worship, "and it is a wonder he did not smash 20 windows."—London Globe.

Explained.

"How do you happen to miss your way so often when you go touring?"

"That's easily explained," replied Mr. Chuggins. "It's due to the kind of car I bought. They give you a joke book with it instead of a road map."

More than 1,000 kinds of sausages are known in Germany.

Great Britain Growing In Area.

Great Britain is growing in area. During the last 35 years about 6,640 acres have been lost by coast erosion, while 48,000 acres have been reclaimed from the sea.

Lure of the Rural.

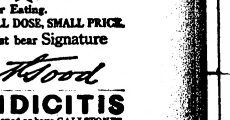
"Can you find servants who will go into the country?"

"Yes, but only when we're living in the city and the picnic season is on."

Make the Liver Do its Duty

Nine times in ten when the liver is right the stomach and bowels are right.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS gently but firmly compel a lazy liver to do its duty.



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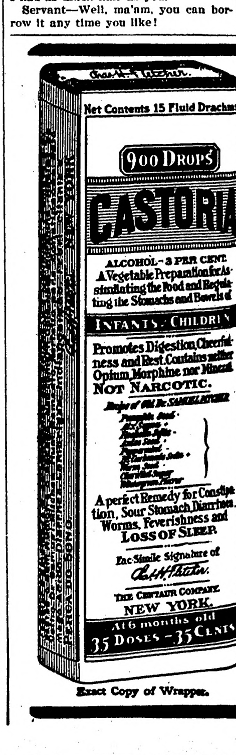

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"You couldn't get a protective measure out of a Democratic Congress sectionally organized any more than you could get a revival meeting out of a disorderly house."—From Mr. Hughes' Speech at Chicago.

PREPARE FOR THIS.

When we contemplate industrial and commercial conditions we see that we are living in a fool's paradise. The temporary prosperity to which our opponents point has been created by the abnormal conditions incident to the war. With the end of the war there will be the new conditions determined by a new Europe. Millions of men in the trenches will then return to work. The energies of each of the now belligerent nations highly trained, will then be turned to production."—Charles E. Hughes.

"WORDS, OR DEEDS?"

"If anything in this campaign is real it is that we are now facing the question whether we want words or whether we want deeds; whether we want that which is written and spoken, or whether we want American action in the interests of the American people, worthy of the American name, maintaining the American honor, and buttressing the prosperity of the United States."—From Mr. Hughes' speech at Chicago.

MR. WILSON HAS HAD NO MEXICAN POLICY.

"We cannot let the American spirit fall so low that, lapped in the luxury occasioned by a foreign war, we shall see American lives sacrificed without a determination to prevent it and to make the American name honored and respected wherever our flag flies. The trouble with this administration is this:—I don't think it ever has had a policy in Mexico worthy of the name."—From Mr. Hughes' speech at Chicago.

MR. HUGHES OPPOSED TO FOOLISH GOVERNMENT.

"I have no respect for the idea that because democratic government is a government of the people, by the people and for the people it is a government of the foolish, for the foolish and by the foolish."—From Mr. Hughes' speech at Chicago.

"I don't care, if I am elected President, what becomes of my personal political fortunes. I propose that we shall have no more if I can stop it, of these 'kiss me and I'll kiss you' appropriations in Congress."—From Mr. Hughes' speech at Chicago.

Now that Mr. Hughes knows he has been nominated for president, we may wait patiently for a few days longer to hear what Mr. Wilson has to say about it.

CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS.

Local Items

Bring us your Job Printing.

Mrs. John Johnson is on the sick list.

Little Lloyd Alkenbrack was quite badly hurt while swinging in the school ground yesterday but is better at this writing.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

Mesdames Ohm, Lonson, Gillette and Weirus of T. R. Falls, visited a short time Monday with Mrs. A. Huseth and family.

W. E. Richardson and Mrs. S. B. Nichols returned to their home at Mason City Ia. Saturday, after enjoying a pleasant visit with their sister Mrs. H. B. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Rude came down from Greenbush yesterday and will make their home on the Rodman farm.

Beginning Oct. 1st. cream will be received on Monday and Thursday.

P. L. Anderson.
Buttermaker

A Yoeman lodge was organized here last Monday night by Deputies Wengeler and Peterson. A number from Middle River were present to witness the initiation of members and enjoy the supper given afterward.

The NORTHWEST SCHOOL of AGRICULTURE, CROOKSTON, offers courses in Agriculture, Home Training, Normal Methods, Gasoline and Auto Engineering. Write the Registrar for illustrated booklet and full information. tf

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

Sam Rierson has been sick several days with tonsilites.

Miss Tillie Nyberg was taken sick with appendicitis last Thursday and is still very sick at this writing.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will meet this P. M. in the church basement.

For Sale: New spring cot. Enquire at this office.

Work was commenced Wednesday on a building 20x28, to shelter the school buses.

Mrs. T. Sollom and daughter, Mrs. A. L. Carlson, went to Grand Forks, Tuesday, to visit relatives for a few days.

Miss Irene Weggie went to Dakota last week to visit her sister Mrs. Oscar Mickelson.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of July 1916.

Cream received	41,792 lbs
Average test	28 46
Butter fat	11896.76 lbs
Percent overrun	23 98
Butter made	14749 lbs
Balance on hand last month	4 38
Received for butter shipped	3737 78
Butter and milk sold patrons	26 81
Cash sales at creamery	34 44
Rec'd from other sources	5 14
Total	$3808 55
Paid patrons by check	3208 58
" " Butter & milk	26 81
Expense fund, etc.	462 57
Other expense	5 14
To sinking fund	90 60
Balance on hand	14 85
Total	$3808 55

Number of patrons, 132

Price paid for butter fat, 27 1-2c.

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 and over for this month.

Louis Johnson $56.68, Joseph Jarland 55.81, A. Langlie 55.31, T. O. Dovre 55.01, Gunder Tveit 54.80, Mrs. Molstad 52.08, Knute Nelson 49.12, C. L. Heinze 48.10, Ole Lunke 45.67, Tosten Ellefson 45.30, J. E. Erickson 44.83, Nels Fosen 43.49, C. E. Smith 43.45, Jno. Magnuson 43.44, Ole A Knutson 43.18, John Engstrom 41.85.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

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Southeast from Holt.

Ingvard Peterson left on Tuesday morning for Austinville, Sash. where he will find employment.

Mrs. A. Klungness called on Sampson's Sunday P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Olson and children, Miss Mary Kaichinger, Mrs. O. O. Listol and Amund Sordahl were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Halvor Listol home.

Amanda Klungness who is attending high school, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hansen and sons Ralph, Floyd, Henry and Russell were Sunday visitors at the S. G. Moe home.

Harry Moe and sister Gunda were pleasantly entertained at the Albert Klungness home Sunday evening.

Ragna Larson left for Golden Valley last Tuesday where she has a position.

Miss Clara Larson will commence teaching a term of school southeast from T. R. Falls on Monday.

Obituary

On Saturday Sept. 23rd., this community was very much grieved when the news was spred that Mrs. Martin Nelson had passed away to the great beyond. About two weeks ago she was taken sick with cancer of the stomach and was committed to the hospital at T. R. Falls where death occurred early Saturday morning. Mrs. Nelson was born in Wisconsin Jan. 5th. 1868 and was married in the spring of 1910. They have since then made their home in verious places in East Valley and Mud Lake townships. Mrs. Nelson was a very kind and loving woman who was loved by all who knew her.

While here she has made a great number of friends who regret her departure very much. Sincere sympathy is extended to the grief stricken husband, Martin Nelson besides a number of other relatives. May the consolation of all who mourn be, that she has gone to claim a higher and more perfect life on the other shore where there shall be no more sorrow or sufferings.

Funeral services were held from the Synod church at Holt on Monday afternoon, Rev. M. B. Ordahl officiating, and the remains laid to rest in the Holt cemetery.

To Clean Copper.

Copper articles that have become discolored can be made to look new again by rubbing them with lemon dipped in salt and afterward rinsing in clear hot water and polishing with a soft cloth.

Farm for rent. Enquire at this office.

Miss Amanda Mickelson came up from Crookston Saturday for an over Sunday visit at home.

The Synod Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. C. L. Heinze next Wednesday Oct. 3rd. Everyone invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Strom came up from Thief River Falls Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the home of their parents Messrs Strom and Riesberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Couch of Crookston, came Saturday for several days visit at the home of the latter parents Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bjerk.

Edwin Berkvan who has been spending the summer vacation at the home of his sister Mrs. S. H. Nohre departed Sunday evening for Minneapolis to attend school.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.56
Wheat No. 2	1.52
Wheat No. 3	1.48
Wheat No. 4	to 1.32
Flax	2 05
Oats	36
Barley	56 to .76
Rye	1.08
Flour, Best Patent	4.85

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION,
Department of the Interior,

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minn., Sept. 23, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Arnold Bornstein, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on July 13th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08277, for N W1-4 NW1-4 Sec. 14, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 7th day of November, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Hans Stensrud, Svenke G. Svenkeson, Frank W. Tabor and Ole. J. Moen, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

The only sure way to eradicate sow thistle is by concerted action on the part of every farmer whether he be owner or tenant. Prevent seed forming by cutting all green stems early. Eradication methods are similar to those used for quack grass or Canada thistle, namely, thorough summer tillage and the absolute prevention of any green leaves. This may be done by summer fallow or by the the growing of corn and potatoes. If it is kept in mind that plants get their food through the leaves it is easy to see they must die if no leaves are allowed to grow.

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Notice of Sale of Bonds

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, has by special election, duly determined to issue its negotiable, interest-bearing coupon bonds in the sum of Six Thousand Dollars ($6,000.00) in denominations of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) each payable in Twenty years from date and bearing interest at the rate of 5 1-2 per cent, payable semi-annually, and that the Village Council of the Village of Holt will meet on the 30th day of September, 1916, at 8 o'clock P. M. at the office of the Village Clerk in the Village of Holt, Minnesota, then and there to open and consider bids for the sale of such bonds; the said Village Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Holt, Minnesota, September, 11th, 1916.

H. B. Young, Village Clerk, of the Village of Holt, Minnesota.

The Real Thing.

An aim in life is the only fortune worth the finding, says Stevenson; and it is not to be found in foreign lands, but in the heart itself.

WILSON'S POLICIES BLOWN UP.

Charles Evans Hughes did have explosives with him when his motor car was searched by a Canadian soldier, but they were under the candidate's hat. Mr. Hughes will set them off on his Western tour and some of Mr. Wilson's policies will be blown up.—New York Sun.

HUGHES and FAIRBANKS.

PUBLIC SALE

As I am going to quit farming I will sell the following property at public sale, on the H. B. Young farm 2 1-2 miles north and 1-2 mile west of Holt, in section 20 Township of Holt, on

TUESDAY, OCT., 3.

Sale Commences at 11 o'clock A. M.
Free Lunch at Noon

3 Good young work Horses, 2 milch Cows
2 Heifer Calves, 60 Chickens, good Wagon
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Bank Statement

Bank No. 1064.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on Sept., 12, 1916.

Date of report by bank, Sept., 13, 1916.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$53,697 25
Overdrafts		596 54
Bonds and Securities		27 02
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,654 13
Other Real Estate		101 20
Due from Banks	6,920 80	
Cash on hand	428 75	
Total cash assets		7,349 55
Checks and cash items		297 12
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		1710 56
Interest Unearned		66 62
Total		$66,440 12
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2,000 00
Undivided Profits, Net		
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		25,964 73
Deposits Subject to Check	$8,075 33	
Demand Certificates	50 00	
Cashier's Checks	8012 19	
Due to Banks	116 28	
Total Immediate Liabilities	16,253 80	
Time Certificates	12,221 59	
Total Deposits	28,475 39	
Total		$66,440 12
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$7,646 67
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$3,250 76

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, Lars Backe President, and Bertil Sollom Asst. Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LARS BACKE, President,
Bertil Sollom, Asst. Cashier.

Correct Attest: Lars Backe
(Two) Directors H. J. Oien

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of Sept., 1916.

(Seal) Nils Engelbretson. Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-15-1919

Sale of School Lands

Sale Of School And Other State Lands

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 25, 1916.
State of Minnesota,
State Auditor's Office,

Notice is hereby given that on November 25, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the office of the County Auditor at Warren, Marshall County, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands, which have reverted to the State by reason of the non-payment of interest.

TERMS of SALE

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part on or before forty years from the date of sale at an interest rate of four per cent per per annum, due on June 1st of each year; provided that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June and May thirty-first without penalty.

Appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid for in full at the time of sale.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale, to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption, "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land as provided by the General Laws 1905; provided, however, that state lands purchased previous to 1905 are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office. List giving legal descriptions of land to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and the County Auditor at above address.

J. A. O. PREUS,
State Auditor.

And There Are Others.

The only actress who is willing to admit that she does not know all about acting is she who has been at it all her life.—Margaret Nybloc.

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Pay by Check

Safe Short-Time Investments

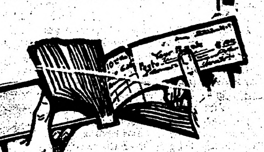
For firms or individuals having funds for short-time investments, our Certificate of Deposit offer an excellent opportunity.

They are direct obligations secured by the entire resources of this Bank and can be readily converted into cash.

Interest at the rate of 5 percent for six months; 6 per cent for a year.

For Trust Funds awaiting permament investment no better or safe form of short-time securities exist.

Farmers State Bank of Holt



The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
H. J. OIEN, Agent - - - - Holt, Minn.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Tuesday
Oct. 10, 1916.

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Advertise in Holt Weekly News
Stand by your home paper --- The Weekly News.
$1.00 a Year. Send it to your relatives or friends.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

Rev. F. D. McMartin will preach in the Free Mission church Monday evening Oct. 9th.

Rev. Werkland will hold Norwegian services in the Free Mission church on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock Oct. 9th.

Ole Sande will preach Sunday afternoon Oct. 8th. at 3 o'clock and in the evening at eight o'clock.

School Notes

Quite a number of the older pupils who have been absent during the first part of the term commenced school on Tuesday.

The attendance for the first month of school has been very good.

Miss Cora Hansen visited school on Monday morning. Miss Hansen taught at Holt some time ago and was glad to see the improved schoolrooms.

Miss Esther Werner and Ruth Knutson were visitors at our school on Tuesday afternoon.

There are three pupils enrolled in the Freshmen class, but more are expected to commence.

Tilda Nyberg was taken sick in school on Thursday. The pupils miss her very much.

Minnesota Peat May Prove Very Valuable

"Dried and powdered peat is equal in value for the generation of producer gas to low grade coals like lignite, and about half as valuable for that purpose as the high grade bituminous coals" said Prof. Peter Christianson of the University of Minnesota, in an address before the annual convention of the American peat society recently.

"The great value of Minnesota peat, however, is the ammonia by-product. It has been shown by chemical analysis that the Minnesota peat is higher in ammonia contents than the peat from any other field. The utilization of peat as a fuel, however, has been retarded owing to the large capital required to establish a suitable plant. The time may come, however, when the Minnesota product will be used for fuel and for its chemical constituents."—Ex.

Stevens is advertising in all the county papers and is receiving good support. Malberg only advertises in one paper. Wonder if he dont care for any one else's support?

There is upon the statues of Minnesota a weed law which, if enforced rigidly, would in within two years rid the entire Red River Valley of all noxious weeds. This law makes it a misdemeanor to allow noxious weeds to mature seed and provides for the cutting of such weeds by order of the road overseers and the cost added to the taxes of the property. This law does not bind the owner of land alone but also the tenant of such land. It is needless to say that the law has not been obeyed and in many cases has not been enforced by those who have the authority to enforce it.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Pay By Check

The custom is becoming more general among farmers and others of paying their current bills by check on the local banks. This plan has many advantages over the old way of carrying a pocket full of currency and silver when settlements were made with creditors. It is not only much more convenient, but more satisfactory to all concerned.

A bill paid by a check on the bank is thereafter beyond dispute, as the check constitutes the best receipt that can be had. It is not generally the custom among farmers to ask for a receipted bill when they settle an account, and oftentimes in the past estrangements have arisen between good citizens as a result of disputing over some small account which one man said had been paid and the other man denied. This was generally due to the absence of any method of account keeping and in most cases both parties to the dispute were honest in their belief. All this could be avoided by paying bills by check.

Another and perhaps a greater advantage is the fact that this custom places one in closer touch with the local bankers and gives him a standing as a business man. A man who has even a small balance to his credit in his local bank is in a much better position to ask for a favor when he needs one than a man who has no account at all. The banker recognizes such a man as one with business ideas, with whom he will the more readily enter into negotiations on any matter that may be pending.

There is another feature to this proposition which is considered of importance, and that is the encouragement of local enterprises. If all the people in the community followed the custom of depositing their money in the local bank and then paid their bills by check a showing which the bank is able to make to the world at large is very much better than if this custom were not followed. The best advertisement which any town or community can have before the world at large is prosperous and healthy banks. Any stranger visiting there is quite likely to ask about the deposits which the local banks carry and gauge his estimate of the prosperity of the community thereby. If he finds that the banks are in a profitable and thriving condition he quite likely concludes that the entire community is also prosperous. If he is looking for an investment he is much more favorably impressed than if the banking institutions seemed to be struggling along and eking out a mere existence.

It is a mistake to think that the banker does not like to be bothered with small accounts. He is just like any other business man. He caters to the small depositors as well as to the man who carries a large account. It is the many small depositors that make up a large portion of his gross business.

Trade in Holt and save money.

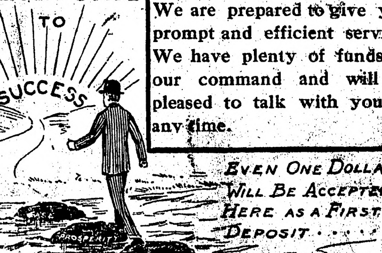
S. S. Kolden and Alfred Anderson went to the markets Saturday with two cars of cattle.

Backed by Senators Nord and O'Neill it seems that the matter of peat land development is certain to receive consideration by the next state legislature. It is proposed that an experiment farm be established on the peat lands, and there is no question but such an institution would be a wise investment. Both senators are firm believers in the ultimate availability of peat lands for agricultural purposes and have devoted much time to the study of the proposition.

Holt State Bank
Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	3,500
President,	D. B. Bakke
V. President,	A. D. Stephens
Cashier,	B. Docken

Good Service
Because of our long experience in the matter of
Farm Loans
We are prepared to give you prompt and efficient service. We have plenty of funds at our command and will be pleased to talk with you at any time.



Give Them Good Winter Quarters

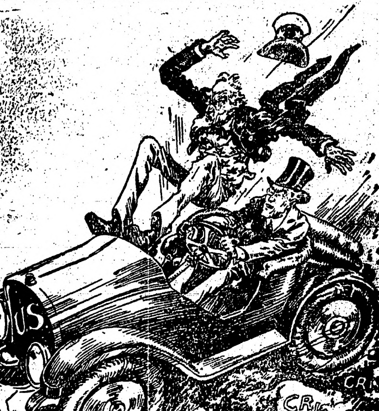
The summer and fall selling season for hogs is just about over. Of course, you will keep some of the best stock to make a start next year.

See that the hog house is comfortable for these money-makers during the cold winter months. Good buildings are a short-cut to greater profit whether you raise fancy or ordinary stock.

And don't forget that fall is the ideal season to make a start on any farm building—whether it's a new barn, new corn crib or machine shed. It will pay you to do your repair work, too.

A few cents now saves dollars next year.

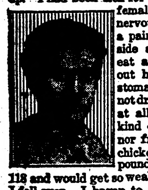
Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
Holt, Minnesota.



"Great Scott, Woodrow! I've Been Up in the Air Almost Four Years!"

AFTER SIX YEARS OF SUFFERING

Woman Made Well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Columbus, Ohio.—"I had almost given up. I had been sick for six years with female troubles and nervousness. I had a pain in my right side and could not eat anything without hurting my stomach. I could not drink cold water at all nor eat any kind of raw fruit, nor fresh meat nor chicken. From 178 pounds I went to 118 and would get so weak at times that I fell over. I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and ten days later I could eat and it did not hurt my stomach. I have taken the medicine ever since and I feel like a new woman. I now weigh 127 pounds so you can see what it has done for me already. My husband says he knows your medicine has saved my life."—Mrs. J. S. Barlow, 1624 South 4th St., Columbus, Ohio.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound contains just the virtues of roots and herbs needed to restore health and strength to the weakened organs of the body. That is why Mrs. Barlow, a chronic invalid, recovered so completely.

It pays for women suffering from any female ailments to insist upon having Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

New Shoes Protect Linemen.

A number of linemen have lost their lives because the shoes they wore were not properly protected from transmitting electric current. A special lineman's shoe has been patented recently which will completely overcome this risk. Its sole is composed of two separate layers of rubber which lessen the possibility of blowholes through which current enough to produce shock might be carried. Tests prove that this new shoe will prevent the passage of a current of at least thirty thousand volts without in any way affecting the wearer.

IT IS FREE.

If you are interested in a Business course, or a Shorthand or Gas Tractor and Auto Engineering course, write to Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. D., or Fargo, N. D., for their new illustrated catalog. It is free.—Adv.

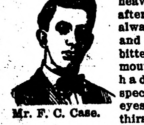
A Little Practice Cruise.

The Squire—Another air raid last night, George; bombs dropped in several districts and some damage done.

George—Lor', master! Now wuz it done by them German fellers or would that be our party?—London Sketch.

A GRATEFUL ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mr. F. C. Case of Welcome Lake, Pa., writes: "I suffered with Backache and Kidney Trouble. My head ached, my sleep was broken and unrefreshing. I felt heavy and sleepy after meals, was always nervous and tired, had a bitter taste in my mouth, was dizzy, had floating specks before my eyes, was always thirsty, had a dragging sensation across my loins, difficulty in collecting my thoughts and was troubled with shortness of breath. Dodds Kidney Pills have cured me of these complaints. You are at liberty to publish this letter for the benefit of any sufferer who doubts the merit of Dodds Kidney Pills."



Mr. F. C. Case.

Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodds Dyspepsia Tablets for Indigestion have been proved. 50c. per box.—Adv.

This Is No Joke.

They had graduated in June.

"What are you doing now?" asked the dear girl in the dialogue.

"Newspaper work," replied the young man. "I have charge of the 'Hints to Mothers' column on the Daily Planet. And you?"

"Oh, I'm doing a similar stunt," answered the dear girl. "I write the 'Man About Town' articles for the Daily Gusher."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Was She Wise?

"Mother doesn't think she'll go to the theater with us tonight, Albert."

"Is that so? I have got three tickets. What shall I do with the third one?"

"Give it to the man you always go out to see between the acts. He can sit with us, and you won't have to go out to see him."

For Outdoor Life.

There are 10,000 Girl Scouts in this country, organized in 328 cities. State councils have been formed.

Denmark's greatly increased use of margarine is due to the high cost of butter.

FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

The Dutch government has prohibited the export of cattle. All preserves containing meat also will come under the prohibition.

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Sixty persons were killed and a large number wounded in Bucharest, Rumania, by bombs dropped from a squadron of aeroplanes of the Teutons.

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A recapitulation of the prisoners and booty taken by the Russians shows a total since the offensive began of 420,000 officers and men taken prisoners and the capture of 2,500 machine guns and mine throwers and 600 cannon.

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It is announced officially in Paris that the number of prisoners taken by the Anglo-French forces on the Somme from July 1 to September 18, amounted to more than 55,800. Of these, 34,050 fell into the hands of the French.

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Germany will yield to the demands of the Greek government for the return of the 6,000 Greek soldiers removed from Kavala, if the allies agree not to impede the progress of the return and not to punish the Greek officers.

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Paris newspapers declare that another winter campaign is unavoidable, and that France is making all necessary arrangements for supplying the troops with garments, blankets and other essentials for winter warfare.

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The salaries of all German officers have been reduced. The salary of the minister of war and the chief army commanders is cut 1,000 marks a month and lieutenants 60 marks. Married officers and those who have parents depending upon them are allowed special indemnities.

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The Amsterdam correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph says travelers who have arrived from Bremen report that a third German commercial submarine will be ready to sail within a month for American waters, to be known as the Kaiser, is said to be larger than the Deutschland.

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The Australian senate passed by a vote of 17 to 9 the bill calling for a referendum on the question of conscription, which had already passed the house. Women will vote at the election, registering their decision on the question of sending their men to war, for probably the first time in history.

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Combles, the pivotal point in the German line guarding the approach to Bapaume on the north and Peronne on the south of the Somme front, has fallen before attacks of French and British. At the end of the fighting the town was filled with the bodies of Germans, the French official statement says.

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Two Zeppelin airships were brought down by British gunners in the recent raid on London. The entire crew of one perished in the fire which destroyed the dirigible, while those aboard the other landed safely and were made prisoners. Forty Britons were killed during the raid. Twelve Zeppelins accompanied by many aeroplanes, took part in the attack.

GENERAL.

Increases in the price of flour to the highest point since the civil war caused Chicago bread-making concerns to increase the price of bread from 5 to 6 cents a loaf with a corresponding increase in the price of other baked goods.

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Senator Warren G. Harding of Ohio will begin a speaking trip through the west in behalf of Hughes and Fairbanks early this month. He will visit Montana, Idaho, Utah, Wyoming, Nebraska, Missouri, Indiana and Kentucky.

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The widely exploited sympathetic "walkout" of trades unionists in Greater New York in aid of the striking carmen, which was supposed to have started last Wednesday, has failed to materialize, according to the police.

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More people have been killed and injured by automobiles on the streets of American cities during this year than in all the Zeppelin raids on England. Chicago and New York lead in the number of deaths with more than 200 each between January 1 and September 1.

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Exports from the port of New York for August, 1916, totalled $271,357,862, as compared with $141,971,554 for the same month in 1915, according to a compilation issued by the custom house.

Minneapolis millers declare that flour may retail at $10 a barrel in the near future if wheat prices continue to rise.

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The private bank of Campbell, Dubia & Co., the tenth to fail in Chicago within the last month, closed its doors on September the 22nd.

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Forty members of the Industrial Workers of the World were locked in refrigerator cars at North Yakima, Wash., by 150 citizens, and railroaded out of town.

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A large hotel for working girls and women is to be constructed in Chicago and conducted under Catholic auspices, Archbishop George W. Mundelein announced.

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The Sioux City Journal (evening) and Sioux City Tribune (evening) have advanced the price from 1 to 2 cents. The raise, it is announced, is due to the increased cost of paper.

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Standard Oil stocks advanced to the highest levels in history on the curb market on Sept. 28. The aggregate quotation of Standard Oil subsidiaries was $2,000, the highest in history. Before the dissolution Standard Oil was quoted at $600.

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Congressional investigation of the livestock industry, including production, marketing, slaughter and distribution and sale of all cattle, was asked in a resolution presented to the American Bankers' association at their convention in Kansas City.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

The Mexican finance department has issued a circular giving the National bank and the Bank of London and Mexico permission to reopen.

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Dispatches reaching Juarez from Casus Grandes stated that Villa's bandit army is approaching the outposts of the Pershing expedition near El Valle.

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The return of the national guard regiments to their state camps from El Paso has been temporarily held up because of recent developments in Mexico.

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Bandits are robbing passenger trains in the interior of Mexico and are taking even the shoes from the feet of the passengrs, a Mexican refugee who reached Juarez reported.

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Wholesale executions are taking place in Chihuahua City following the Villa attack. Five hundred Villa adherents have been executed since the fight, and many other prisoners have been taken.

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Two British subjects and thirty-six Carranza soldiers were killed when Villistas raided an oil camp near Tuxpam, September 16, according to officers of the tank steamer Topila, which arrived at Galveston a few days ago.

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Telegraphic communication west of Chihuahua City on the Mexico Northwestern has been interrupted and more bridges are reported to have been burnd near Santa Ysabel. This is believed to be the work of Villa soldiers.

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Over 100 Villa followers were killed, the bandit leader, Baudelio Uribe, was taken prisoner and heavy casualties suffered by Carranza forces in a terrific fight at Cusihuiriachic, an important mining center about fifty miles southwest of Chihuahua City.

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Agents have been sent into every de facto garrison in Chihuahua state by Pancho Villa in an attempt to undermine the garrisons and stir up revolts against First Chief Carranza. By Carranza officials it is feared this is the first step by the bandit chief toward a threatened attack upon border towns.

WASHINGTON.

Japan's purpose to renew at the end of the European war her contention for the right of her people to emigrate to and own land in the United States, was admitted at the Japanese embassy.

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Secretary Lansing announced officially that James W. Gerrard, American ambassador to Germany, was en route home for a belated vacation, probably to stay about two months. Secretary Grew of the embassy will be in charge at Berlin.

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American exports passed the half billion dollar a month mark during the month of August. Figures show that goods sent abroad during the month were valued at $510,000,000, a record not only for this country but for the world. The total is $35,000,000 above the previous high record established in May.

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Six thousand National guardsmen from thirteen states were ordered to the Mexican border by the War department and Major-General Funston was directed to select 10,000 troops now on the border for return to their home states, to be mustered out of the federal service.

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Word has reached the State department that Great Britain has withdrawn regulations for the importation of cigar tobacco which American growers have declared would ruin their business.

RUMANIANS CROSS DANUBE; BULGARIA INVADED BY ENEMY

MOVE MAY THREATEN REAR OF TEUTON ARMY IN DOBRUDJA AND FORCE RETIREMENT.

RUSSIANS RENEW DRIVE ON GALICIAN CAPITAL

Vienna Reports Great Battle For Lemberg Is Developing On Wide Front—Austrian Counter-Attacks Repelled—Gains For Czar's Armies Admitted

Berlin, Oct. 3.—Rumanian troops have invaded Bulgaria for the first time since Rumania entered the war. An official statement from the war office announced that a Rumanian column succeeded in crossing the Danube south of Bucharest, gaining a footing in Bulgarian soil. Crossing in force would threaten the rear of the Teutonic army in Dobrudja and force its retirement.

Renew Lemberg Drive.

Vienna, Oct. 3.—Russian troops have renewed their drive toward Lemberg. A great battle is developing along a wide front in Galicia.

The fighting is particularly stubborn along the river Nariauvka, northeast of Halicz, and also on the right bank of the Zlota Lipa river. Austrian counterattacks have been repelled. Gains for the czar's armies are admitted in a statement issued by the war office as follows:

Czar's Gains Admitted.

"Front of Archduke Francis: Fighting in the Carpathians is slackening. Southwest and south of Brezezany the enemy attacked with strong forces the Turkish troops operating between the Zlota Lipa and the Potuory railway station. The Russians gained some meters of ground.

"Front of Prince Leopold: Opposite General Boehm Ermolli's army the enemy attacked our positions north of the road from Brody to Zlochoff, but were completely repulsed. At one spot three and at another seven attacks were shattered. South of the road one regiment. A counterattack is progressing favorably and has regained the greater part of the lost trenches.

PROMPT ACTION ON "LID" CASES ASKED OF COURT

"Indian Country" Problem Involves 17,000 Square Miles of Territory In Minnesota.

Washington, Oct. 3.—Early determination by the supreme court of whether railroads may be required to transport liquor into a large section of Minnesota, in which the government is seeking to prohibit the traffic on the ground that it is "Indian country" is requested in an appeal just placed on file.

The court has been asked to advance for hearing a test case of a Milwaukee brewing company against the government and the Great Northern Railway company, which refused shipments of beer.

The territory involved, formerly the Chippewa Indian reservation embraces 17,000 square miles, an area equal to the four states of Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Delaware and Connecticut, and has 500,000 white inhabitants. It includes the towns of Brainerd, Grand Rapids, Cohasset and Bemidji.

THREE WOMEN IN DEATH PACT

Found Lifeless in Rocking Chairs in Ohio Town.

Lancaster, Ohio, Oct. 3.—Never willing to be separated in life, three spinsters, two of them sisters, lay together in death in the "old Smetters' mansion." The three women were found dead sitting in rocking chairs in the mansion's living rooms. They are the Misses Alice and Agnes Smetters, 54 and 48 years old, and Miss Mary Stretton, 30, a neighbor and bosom friend.

The viscera of the three women were sent to the state health department at Columbus, where chemical examinations for poison will be made. Authorities were impressed by the theory that the three friends might have entered into a suicide pact, fearing that some agency as yet unknown to their friends might separate them.

Norwegian Steamer Torpedoed.

London, Oct. 3. — The Norwegian steamer Rolf Jarl, 1,285 tons, has been torpedoed, according to a Reuter dispatch from Trondhjem. The crew was saved.

Chemistry Student Earns $10,000,000

New York, Oct. 3.—How a poor student of chemistry, who came here from Germany in 1868, attracted the attention of Rockefeller, became chief chemist of the Standard Oil company and massed a fortune of $10,485,823 is disclosed by appraisal of the estate of the late Herman Frasch. Frasch developed a sulphur mine in Louisiana which had passed through the hands of four companies that were unable to make it pay as the sulphur lay 800 feet below the surface. The stock is worth $12,003 a share.

ROUMANIANS ARE FORCED TO RETIRE AT HERMANSTADT

DRIVEN SOUTHWARD BY TEUTONS, WHO INFLICT SEVERE DEFEAT, BERLIN REPORTS —REMNANTS FLEEING.

GREEK FLYING CORPS JOINS ALLIED FLEET

Entire Military Division Ready to Battle Teutonic Allies, Athens Dispatches Announce—Bulgarians Claim Success Near Serbian Frontier.

Athens, Oct. 2.—The entire Greek flying corps has joined the Allied fleet.

Berlin, Oct. 2.—Teutonic forces have inflicted a severe defeat on the Roumanian troops that occupied Hermannstadt, former capital of Transylvania, it is officially announced.

By an encircling attack, the Teutons drove the Roumanians southward. Part of the first Roumanian army was annihilated, the remnants fleeing in disorder.

Desperate Fighting on Somme.

London, Oct. 2.—Desperate fighting has been in progress along the northern end of the Somme front where the British recently made important inroads upon German positions south of the Ancre.

London reports heavy counter-attacks by the Germans near the Stuff redoubt and the Hessian trench and declares that a division of the new British army acquitted itself most creditably in beating off the Germans.

Claim Serbs Are Beaten.

Further down the line toward the Somme the French have resumed their attacks, pushing further the wedge into the German lines north of Rancourt. The new French advance, according to Paris, was scored by means of hand grenade operations.

In Macedonia the Bulgarians report a success in the Kaimakcalan region near the Serbian border, where a trench of the main Serbian position was captured after a Serbian attack had been repulsed. No important changes in the situation elsewhere in Macedonia or in Dobrudja are announced.

Petrograd reports that there have been no important happenings either on the Russian front or in the Caucasus.

CAPTURE 92 SQUARE MILES

Allies Gains on Somme Exceed Germans' Verdun Progress.

Grand Headquarters of the French Armies, Oct. 2.—In the first 13 weeks of the Somme offensive the French and British have captured more ground than has been taken by the Germans in more than six months of battling at Verdun.

A survey of the results of the great Allied drive, halted temporarily by a terrific downpour of rain, shows that the Allies have reconquered 285 square kilometers of French territory (about 92 square miles), exceeding by 15 square kilometers, the territory gained by the Germans at Verdun.

WILSON IS CALLED DICTATOR

President Arraigned by Minnesota's Senior Senator.

Sunburg, Minn., Oct. 2.—United States Senator Knute Nelson, sounding the keynote of the Republican state campaign in Minnesota here, criticised the legislation enacted under the present administration and declared that "no president, since the days of Jackson, has so sought to dominate Congress and to subrogate it to his will and to dictate the legislative policy of the country as President Wilson."

General Strike Move Unpopular.

New York, Oct. 2.—Officials of the Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees have begun the distribution of a $55,000 strike benefit fund among the streetcar men here on strike since Sept. 6. Each striker was to receive $5. The fund came from the headquarters of the association and the organizers said a similar amount will be distributed each week. Efforts to organize a general strike in support of the carmen suffered a check when 900 brewery workers returned to work.

Want Warships for Relief Work.

Washington, Oct. 2.—Use of a United States warship to transport American relief supplies to Syrians is sought from the Navy department by Red Cross officials and Secretary S. T. Dutton of the American committee on Armenian and Syrian relief.

Mexican Robbers Get $100,000.

Mexico City, Oct. 2.—The police of Mexico City believe that with the capture recently of Ramen Canteli they have broken up a band of burglars and robbers which has taken loot said to amount to more than $100,000 from the prosperous residence districts.

The band was known as "The Grasping Hand," from the black imprint of a hand which always was left somewhere about the place where they operated. It is believed many persons have not reported their losses for fear of vengeance.

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COLLEGES ARE NOT AFFECTED

Enrollment of German Universities Shows Increase in Number of Students During War.

War has not made much difference with German universities. On the books of the 22 universities of the German empire there was an enrollment during the last half-year of 53,800 students, against 52,500 in the first winter of the war, and 61,200 in the last half-year before the war.

All students serving in the army have continued their connection with the university, and of the 43,800 carried on the books of the university last winter there were 43,000 in the ranks of the soldiers, or 82 per cent.

Of the total enrollment 4,800 were women and 1,400 were foreigners. The University of Warsaw, reopened after the Germans and Austrians captured the city, has already 1,125 students, men and women, desiring the honor of associating their names with this famous old institution of Poland, which had been suppressed by the Russians.

Its Sort.

"De Jones gives a very spicy account of his victory over a wrestling bear at the show."

"Yes, I heard him say it was a cinnamon bear."

An Unwelcome Variety.

"Is Bliggins an optimist?"

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An air-propelled hydroplane has been built in France for use on shallow rivers in Africa.

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The Closed Circle.

Young Girl—Yes; I feel an intense longing to do something for others.

Friend—Just whom do you mean by others?

"Well, I suppose almost anybody outside of my immediate family."—Life.

Something New in Law.

"What about your case?" demanded the judge, who couldn't quite make out what the prisoner was trying to say.

"Please, your honor, the district attorney said it was to be nolle prostrated."

Hard to Please.

"I'd like to show this patent cleaner to your wife."

"My wife is out."

"I'll leave it on approval."

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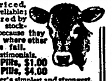

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SAYS PRISON MUST HELP RESTORE MEN

CHAIRMAN OF BOARD OF CONTROL TELLS WHAT STATE DOES FOR PRISONERS.

GOVERNOR OFFERS A REWARD

Seeks Information That Will Lead to Arrest and Conviction of Man Who Attacked Itasca County School Teacher.

St. Paul.

"The prison should be a place of social change. The offender must feel not that the mighty structure of society is against him, but its forces are directed toward helping and restoring him." This was the declaration of Charles E. Vasaly of St. Paul, chairman of the State Board of Control, in an address before the state conference of charities and corrections, in session here.

He outlined some of the things Minnesota is doing for its prisoners as follows:

Factories which have produced 250,000,000 pounds of grain binding twine since their establishment in 1891, at a saving to farmers of $7,500,000 and earnings to prisoners varying from 15 cents a day to $1.50.

Machinery plants which last year manufactured 16,000 machines, including 3,700 binders and 5,000 mowers, and which provide means of learning the trades of molder, blacksmith, painter, machinist and woodworker.

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Reward For Assailant's Capture.

Governor Burnquist has offered a reward of $250 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the man who attacked and twice shot Miss Olga Dahl, rural school teacher, near her school in Goodhue township, Itasca county, last Wednesday. This money is available from a special "reward" fund of $2,000, appropriated by the last Legislature. The issuance of the proclamation was the first business to receive the attention of the executive on his return from a trip to Little Rock and Memphis.

While the Governor was having the proclamation prepared the following telegram signed by Cyrus M. King, was received from Deer River.

"All Northern Minnesota rural folk in dread while murderous ravisher of Olga Dahl is at large. We beg you to offer $1,000 reward for his apprehension. Expert sleuths necessary."

Because of the limited fund at his disposal, Governor Burnquist decided to let the reward stand at $250, at least for the present. He did not indicate whether he had any intention of increasing it if renewed efforts failed to cause the capture of Miss Dahl's assailant.

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Pouring Rain Halts Guards.

After a week of test drills, maneuvers and Federal inspections, the Minnesota brigade at Llano Grande led by Gen. Resche and his staff, started on a fourteen-mile test hike in the pouring rain. Saturday afternoon, usually a rest period for soldiers, was taken as the most practicable time, and shortly after noon the entire three regiments and the field artillery, equipped completely for a field campaign and carrying sixty rounds of ammunition, left camp. Bad roads, made almost impassable by heavy rains, caused the supply wagons so much trouble that the maneuver was abandoned after the long column had moved about three miles.

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Educators to Discuss Laws.

Possible changes in school laws by the next state Legislature will be the principal topic of discussion at the annual state conference of county superintendents of schools November 1 in the senate chamber of the Capitol. The conference is called by C. G. Schulz state superintendent of education, under the law providing for the payment of the expenses of superintendents attending the conference.

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Battery F Mustered Out.

One hundred and seventy-four university students, composing F battery of Minnesota's First field artillery, have been mustered out. Practically all the men will re-enter the university it is said. Since their return from the border a week ago the men have enrolled and are ready to begin their studies.

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Three Batteries Go To Border.

Batteries A, B, and C of the First artillery, Minnesota National Guard, have left Camp Bobleter for the Mexican border, following orders received from the war department a few days ago. They have been in camp at Fort Snelling since June.

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Treaty Stirs Game Officials.

Carlos Avery, state game commissioner has been advised that a federal treaty with the Indians, dated 1855, may be used as a defense for John Light, Indian charged with recently killing two moose cows, north of Tower. The case was set for hearing September 30, at Tower. Mr. Avery requested County Attorney Waren E. Greene to represent the state at the hearing. It is claimed that the treaty, granted the Indians perpetual hunting and fishing rights in certain territory in Northern Minnesota.

State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Bemidji.—The jury in the case of Mike Haley, charged with entering state land and cutting timber, disagreed last night and was discharged.

Marshall. — J. O. Thompson, proprietor of a local restaurant, shot himself through the head, following an attempt to kill his wife. Mrs. Thompson was not seriously injured. Thompson's death was instantaneous.

Cedar Mills. — Albert Kruger, a harvest hand, is dead from infantile paralysis after a few days' illness. He had contracted the disease while working in a threshing crew. There is one other case in this vicinity.

St. Paul. — The yield of potatoes in Minnesota this year will be about half a normal crop, according to a statement given out by the state immigration department and based on reports from the principal tuber-growing districts.

Winona.—Thwarted in attempts to take her life, one by poisoning and a second by shooting, Mrs. Godfrey Schultze succeeded in drowning herself in the waters of Crooken Slough, two miles north of Minnesota City, where her body was found.

Le Sueur Center. — Following indictments by the grand jury, Sam Campbell, farm hand, charged with having attacked a 7-year-old girl near New Prague, June 17 last, pleaded guilty before Judge Morrison in district court here and was sentenced to the state prison in Stillwater for life.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has just signed orders suspending Commissioners John Bursack and M. A. Ulvedahl of Koochiching county pending investigation of charges of nonfeasance against them and appointed to the respective vacancies so caused C. P. Ellingson of Northome and Gust Holm of Ericksburg.

Duluth.—Completion of the official count showed that the proposal for an additional 3-mill tax assessment for street improvements was defeated nearly two to one in the special referendum here. The tax increase proposal was the outgrowth of June elections resulting in the voting out of saloons and $170,000 annual revenue.

St. Cloud. — Glenn S. Rogers of St. Cloud spent twelve days in the United States army. An effort is being made to procure a pension for him. Rogers enlisted in the regulars at Chicago and was sent to Jefferson barracks in Missouri. He remained there only twelve days when he was released because he had contracted bronchial pneumonia.

St. Paul.—Joseph T. Mannix, state printer, is out to save the state money. He has written to heads of state departments requesting them to "boil it down" as much as possible in preparing annual or biennial reports this fall. He hints that "expenditure for reports can be reduced if unnecessary verbiage and useless detail are eliminated."

Fergus Falls.—The potato crop in this county is about half as large as it was last year, but will bring in a third more money. Last year the average yield was 200 bushels per acre, and the potatoes sold at from 18 cents to 35 cents during the marketing season. This year the average probably is 100 bushels per acre, but marketing began at $1 per bushel.

Blackduck. — Travel-stained, and showing signs of long exposure, a man who refused to give his name arrived in this place with a rural mail driver and, according to Deputy Sheriff Frank Carson, who placed him under arrest, he answers the description of the assailant of Miss Olga Dahl, the Round Lake school teacher, in every particular. The man has refused to give his name and will give no information regarding himself except to say that he walked nearly all the way from Cass Lake.

Crystal Bay, Minn., Sept. 28.—Sixty days in the county jail is to be the punishment of Harold Chapman, Spring Park, Lake Minnetonka, who confessed that he threw the dead body of his infant child into Lake Minnetonka and did not notify the authorities of the child's death. Chapman was arraigned before Justice Fred White at Crystal Bay late Tuesday. He pleaded guilty to unlawfully burying the child's body and was sentenced. The child's body has not been recovered.

Minneapolis. — Writing from "somewhere in France" to his brother, the Rev. T. W. Graham, pastor of Andrew Presbyterian church, Lieutenant John R. Graham of the Ninety-sixth brigade, British field artillery, sent news that his command, which had been in action on the Somme front during July and had later been put to rest, had been ordered into action at Arras, "which is ever so much quieter than where we were. It will not seem like war at all." That was in August. Mr. Graham has just received news that his brother had died Friday from wounds suffered September 16 at Arras.

St. Paul.—In practically every city and village in the state having a firemen's relief association, the 1909 law relating to investment of funds of such organizations as interpreted by Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith is being violated, State Public Examiner Andrew E. Fritz asserts.

Grand Rapids.—Three suspects held at the Itasca county jail here in connection with the search for the assailant of Miss Olga Dahl, Goodhope township school teacher, were released after Round Lake farmers, who had seen the assailant, had declared none of the trio was the man wanted.

ACT WENT BIG UNTIL ENCORE

Actor's Assisted Exit Is Surrounded by Rather Violent Circumstances.

GETS THE BOSS' GOAT

Saloonkeeper Borrows Twenty-Five Cents to Give Panhandler Who Comes Back Next Day and Demands Remainder of Dollar.

New York.—The hurried battering to and fro of a squeaky swinging door and the gentle thud of an actor en route from the bar to the pavement are sounds not unusual on, in and around Broadway—especially if it is a bad actor. The other day, however, an assisted exit was surrounded by such violent circumstances that a rather large audience gathered.

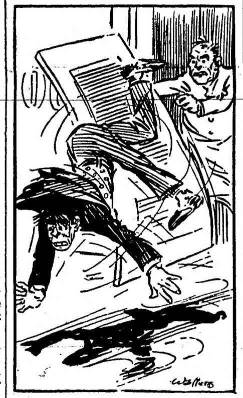
In this case the door was removed entirely, the actor went further, landed harder and bounded higher than usual and the remarks of the sole owner of the premises were nothing short of exquisite in their variety and intensity.

Violence Ensued.

Inquiry within the damp room brought forth no satisfactory explanation. The customers had noticed a well-dressed young man walk over to the owner and say about five words to him. Then the violence which ended with the young man's excursion out into the open began. This being so, there was nothing to do but to ask the boss about the mystery. He was approached as he sat having his shoes shined as if in an effort to begin life anew after a moment of horror. He told all—freely.

"Last night," he said, in a totally unconscious imitation of Lew Fields, "that actor came in here and began acting. He said he had just come back from the West and that he was as flat as a cookie and needed a dollar. I told him I needed a dollar. I told him I hadn't even the sport of going West and that I needed a dollar bad. I'd accept fifty cents even.

"Well, then he began acting. He rolled his eyes and asked if I was going to let him stay in the street and asked me where was my heart and if I had a soul, and, if so, what was the idea.



Landed Harder and Bounded Higher.

Worried the Boss.

"I couldn't get rid of him. Every time I waited on a customer he ran along in front of the bar parallel with me and asked me how I could act that way and if he hadn't been a good fellow when he had it. I never knew him when he had it. Well, anyway, he pleaded, demanded and talked about that dollar until one o'clock in the morning. When I started home he started after me.

"Up at the corner he asked me, throwing his arms out wide, if I realized that there was one above looking down on me and watching what I was going to do about the dollar.

"Well, I can stand just so much. I didn't have a cent in my pocket, but I called to a hackman I know and asked him if he would let me have a quarter. He gave it to me and I gave it to that blockhead and told him that if I ever saw his face again I would knock him from under it. I bid him good-by forever in this life."

The boss paused.

"Well?" was the natural inquiry, "what happened today?"

The boss hissed through his teeth.

"He came in and asked me for the seventy-five cents I owed him."

Aged Pastor Elopes.

Fruitvale, Cal.—Marriage has no terrors for Rev. James Sunderland. After being married four times in church, with a gathering of friends on hand each time to congratulate him at the completion of the ceremonies, he eloped with Miss Mary Ham and was married quietly in Monterey.

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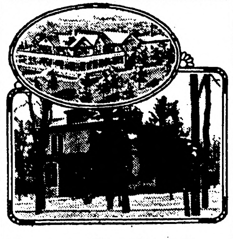

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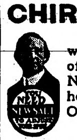
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OMEN SHOULD BE FOR CHARLES E. HUGHES, SAYS ROOSEVELT.

"Mr. Hughes has unequivocal- taken the right position, and regards all other positions he, not his opponent, is enti- d to the support of both men d women, and therefore the men in the enfranchised tes who do not in this elec- n support him forfeit the ght to say they have done eir utmost for their sisters in e non-enfranchised states."— m a letter of Theodore oosevelt to Miss Alice Carpen- r.

od of Constructive Legislation.

st before the European war broke we had a million skilled mechan- ut of work and nearly half a mil- railroad men were idle, together nearly half a million freight cars. railroads were suffering from of freight to carry to market, and stry was gradually becoming nant. In Louisiana two hundred sand acres of sugar land were ed up because of Democratic ges in the tariff law. It is gen- y conceded by all save the blind the country was not progressing mpts were made to keep courage y the predictions made by Secre- McAdoo and Redfield and Presi- Wilson of the great trade booms h were soon to appear but which d to materialize until the outbreak ar on the continent.

EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS.

wo futile invasions of Mexico and separate and distinct policies or question of permitting arms and munition to be sent into that coun- are included in the performance of Wilson administration in its deal- with our southern neighbors in than three years. It is this char- eristic instability of the govern- t that makes people want a nge.

hen Charles E. Hughes said: "The lings of the administration with ico constitute a confused chapter blunders," he gave an explicit char- erization of the Wilson administra- [illegible] in one sentence.

[illegible] is now obstinately shut- [illegible] eyes to the need of indus- [illegible] preparedness, for three years the [illegible] administration refused to see [illegible] of adequate military pre- [illegible] With war on our southern [illegible] it was content to rely on a [illegible] army that could only muster [illegible] available men, and refused to tinue the established policy of ding up our navy. When the time e for action the country had not cient troops to police the border this force has been supplemented a little more than one third the strength of the national guard. If national administration had had ability to interpret the signs of time military preparedness would e been well under way instead of ely begun.

Charles E. Hughes, the Republican didate, recognizes an important t that Woodrow Wilson, the Demo- tic president, appears to have rlooked—that the United States is enough to help Mexico out of the dition of anarchy in which that ntry is plunged and, by securing ce in Mexico, insure peace on our der.

The insuperable handicap of the mocratic party in this campaign is record.

If the Democratic national adminis- ation had left on the statute books 1894 the federal corrupt practices placed there by the Republicans ere would be no occasion for the esent administration's campaign blicity measure which, at best, is very poor substitute for the law re- aled.

President Wilson's campaign man- ers are entitled to all the comfort ey can get out of calling the roll Progressives who are going to vote him. It would be an endless task call the roll of Progressives who e not going to vote him.

For every reason that can be ad- anced why Progressives should vote r Wilson ten can be advanced why ey should vote for Hughes and the [illegible] that they know the rea- [illegible] without having to be told.

The Wilson administration went in- Mexico to punish Villa for his out- [illegible] on American soil. The only punishment inflicted has been on American soldiers, who were shot down at Carrizal by order of First [illegible] Carranza.

[illegible] Roosevelt, assistant sec- [illegible] of the navy, sees strong trend [illegible] Wilson in Maine"—News Dis- [illegible] Who can blame a man who for [illegible] has been assistant to Jo- [illegible] Daniels for "seeing things?"

[illegible] Woodrow Wilson could not [illegible] infamous Clarke amendment [illegible] Philippines bill. He lost the [illegible] of his cabinet, Secre- [illegible] because of his advoca- [illegible] of scuttle, but even [illegible]

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For Representative

To the Voters of Marshall County:-

I have served as your Representative in the Legislature one session and am now asking for SECOND term. I am asking this on my record, which contains nothing I desire to conceal.

In the 1915 session I opposed all extravagant appropriations and advocated larger ones than those made in but two cases, viz: for state aid to rural schools, and for the prevention and cure of tuberculosis.

My re-election would result in your Representative in the 1917 Legislature being given better committee positions and having greater prestige and influence than would be accorded to a new man. With this advantage I would be able to render you better service and be able to secure the passage of any legislation in which you might be specially interested.

The pledges I made you in 1915 have been faithfully kept, as an examination of my record will fully prove.

Soliciting your support and your votes at the election on November 7, 1916, I am,

Respectfully yours,
C. L. STEVENS.

Newfolden has passed a village ordinance prohibiting the keeping of pool tables.

Next Monday is Fire Prevention Day. Clean up everything a fire could get a start in.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

John L. Stewart, chief of division of agricultural engineers at the University of Minnesota, has notified Secretary Lincoln of the Commercial club that he will arrive in Thief River Falls on the morning of Oct. 11, and that he will proceed from here to make an inspection of the peat lands as far as Red lake. Mr. Stewart says that he is particularly interested in looking over the drainage conditions between the lake and Thief River Falls.—T. R. F. Ex.

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Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of July 1916.

Cream received	41,792 lbs
Average test	28.46
Butter fat	11896.76 lbs
Percent overrun	23.98
Butter made	14749 lbs
Balance on hand last month	4.38
Received for butter shipped	[illegible]
Butter and milk sold patrons	26.81
Cash sales at creamery	34.44
Rec'd from other sources	5.14
Total	$3808.55
Paid patrons by check	3208.58
" " " Butter & milk	26.81
Expense fund, etc.	462.5[illegible]
Other expense	4.14
To sinking fund	90.60
Balance on hand	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

Number of patrons, [illegible]

Price paid for butter fat, [illegible]

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 and over for this month.

Louis Johnson $59.08, Joseph [illegible]land 55.81, A. Langlie [illegible], T. O. Dovre 55.01, Gunder Tveit 54.80, Mrs. Molstad 52.08, Knute Nelson 49.12, C. L. Heinze 48.10, Ole Lunke 45.67, Tosten Ellefson 45.30, J. E. Erickson 44.83, Nels Fosen 43.49, C. E. Smith 43.45, Jno. Magnuson 43.44, Ole A. Knutson 43.18, John Engstrom 41.85.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Local Items

Dr. Turley will be here next Tuesday.

If any one wants a high grade of kerosene, call at Reierson's store.

Workman have been here this week wiring some of the buildings for electric lights.

Rev. M. T. Strom will preach next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Andrew Engstrom's in Ringbo.

Ole Olson and family of Middle River were Sunday visitors at the home of his brother Dr. R. L. Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunheim and children and J. P. Lein visited relatives and friends in Grafton, Saturday and Sunday,

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

Mrs. H. Pavek and baby and her mother Mrs. P. A. Riesberg went to Fonda, N. D. Friday where her husband is now located.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

Wanted: Laborers for construction work $2.60 and $2.75 per day; no labor trouble; steady work all winter. Minnesota & Ontario Power Company International Falls, Minn.

Ole Johnson is nursing a very sore hand as a result of stopping his motor cycle too quickly. While out for a ride Sunday his tool box came open and as he dident want to scatter his tools along the road he tried to stop quickly and the cycle swerved to one side and threw him off with the above result.

Tillie Nyberg was taken sick one day last week at school, which proved to be a severe attack of appendicitis. Last Friday Tillie was taken to the hospital at T. R. Falls accompanied by her sister Alberta and was operated upon that night. She is reported as getting along nicely and her many friends will be glad to see her well and strong again.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brotten northwest of here, was put under quarantine Tuesday by Dr. Mellby, the health officer for the township. Their eleven months old baby boy died Wednesday night of infantile paralysis and another child is sick with this dreaded disease.

This is a very sad case and the sincere sympathy of our people is extended to the grief stricken parents.

Southeast of Holt.

School opened in various places on Monday Oct. 2nd. with fairly good attendances. Olga Larson being the teacher in Dist. 20, Alice Sollom in Dist. 112, Signora Sandbo of Mentor in Dist. 159.

The members of the Synod Silver Creek Congregation are having an addition built to their church and the entire building is being completely remodeled. Mr. Norby having secured the contract for same.

T. S. Brokke of Thief River Falls, was a caller at the S. Moe home on Wednesday of last week. He was also looking after his farm interests here.

The Ladies Aid will be entertained at the Soren Bergland home Oct. 12th.

A large number of their friends and relatives were entertained at S. Moe's home Sunday. Those present were the Messrs Amund Sordahl Tyler Wold, Oliver Molstad, Ralph Hansen, Alfred Klungness, Arthur Larson, Elling Tollefsrud and the Misses Olga and Ragna Larson, Olga and Ida Klungness, Mrs. Clarence Larson and children.

Signora Sandbo, Mrs. Peter Mickelson and children were Sunday visitors at the O. Olsen home.

Mr and Mrs. G. A. Soiney entertained a number of their friends on Sunday afternoon.

Ringbo Rumbles

The weather is exceedingly niee in Ringbo.

Misses Esther and Anna Sorter were over night callers at Sophie Johnson Monday evening.

Elmer Engstrom entered school Monday Oct. 3rd.

Miss Sophie Johnson and Mrs. A. Youngquist took in the auction sale at Chases Tuesday.

A party of young people gathered at G. P. Sorter's Sunday evening Those present are as follows: The Misses Alma, Frances and Francelia Culver, and Messrs Eli Saastad, Helmer Davidson, George Hanson, Hal Stanton, Leslie Provenchers, all of T. R. Falls.

Pete Sorter has been quite an ambitious thrasher at Munson's for a few dayss.

Hazel Davidson is on the sick list this week.

Oliver Grondahl visited at Slag Sunday.

Miss Flora Culver visited at her home at T. R. Falls Friday evening and returned Sunday evening.

A big entertainment will be held at Palms Saturday evening. Everybody welcome.

For Sale: New spring cot. Enquire at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe visited friends in Grand Forks Saturday.

Ole Rude has been moving his household goods down from Greenbush this week.

Theodore Sollom returned Tuesday for several days visit with relatives in Dakota.

H. Shaw and family left yesterday for Williamsburg, Ia. where they expect to make their home.

Goodridge now has electric lights. The plant is owned by a private party who started out with thirty customers.

Miss Hilma Nyberg has resigned her position in the postoffice and is now in the employment of the Holt Merc. Co. as saleslady. Mrs. Ben Eide is assisting Mr. Engebretsen with the work in the postoffice for the present.

Andrew Bjerk and family Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Kantz, Aug Peterson and family, Torger Ness and family and Lilian Peterson and Hilma Nyberg was pleasantly entertained at the C. L. Heinze home last week Sunday.

The Real Thing.

An aim in life is the only fortune worth the finding, says Stevenson; and it is not to be found in foreign lands, but in the heart itself.

Trouble.

"Are you coming when I call you, or is there going to be trouble?" said papa to his four-year-old daughter. "I t'ink dere's goin' to be trouble, papa," replied the tot, keeping out of reach.

To Clean Copper.

Copper articles that have become discolored can be made to look new again by rubbing them with lemon dipped in salt and afterward rinsing in clear hot water and polishing with a soft cloth.

Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

Aluminum.

Aluminum cooking utensils are a delight until they turn dark inside—then they are abomination. It is easy, however, to keep them bright. Either wash them in soda and water or boil tomato parings in them; cuttings from rhubarb and the water it was washed in alone will often do the work. So will lemon and table salt.

Impedimenta.

I cannot call riches better than the baggage of virtue; the Roman word is better, impedimenta; for as the baggage is to an army, so is riches to virtue; it cannot be spared nor left behind, but it hindereth the march; yea, and the care of it sometimes loseth or disturbeth the victory; of great riches there is no real use, except it be in the distribution; the rest is but conceit.—Bacon.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Miss Albertina Nyberg came Friday from Grand Forks to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Olava Sollom went to Viking Sunday to teach school in one of the neighboring districts.

B. L. Backe returned home last week Friday from a business trip to the southern part of the state.

Miss Ella Olberg returned to her home in Thief Lake Tuesday after a few months stay here with her sister Mrs. S. S. Kolden.

Mrs. Ole Kjelgren went to Thief Rivea Falls Saturday for a few days visit with her little daughter Tillie Nyberg, at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson and Mrs. T. Sollom went to Newfolden Tuesday to help Mr. and Mrs Arvid Carlson move into another house in that thriving little village.

Mrs. Sven Johnson has rented her farm to Mr. Rodman and has bought four lots of Mr. Kolden in the north part of this village and will build a house and move here. Olaus Rodahl commenced work yesterday on the basement for the house. The house will be 16x26 two stories high and will make Mrs. Johnson a nice home.

The only sure way to eradicate sow thistle is by concerted action on the part of every farmer whether he be owner or tenant. Prevent seed forming by cutting all green stems early. Eradication methods are similar to those used for quack grass or Canada thistle, namely, thorough summer tillage and the absolute prevention of any green leaves. This may be done by summer fallow or by the the growing of corn and potatoes. If it is kept in mind that plants get heir food through the leaves it is easy to see they must die if no leaves are allowed to grow.

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The Local Market.

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Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.64
Wheat No. 2	1.60
Wheat No. 3	1.58
Wheat No. 4	1.49
Flax	2.26
Oats	37
Barley	48 to .74
Rye	1.10
Flour, Best Patent	4.95

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minn., Sept. 23, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Arnold Bornstein, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on July 13th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08217, for N W1-4 NW1-4 Sec. 14, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 7th day of November, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Hans Stensrud, Svenke G. Svenkeson, Frank W. Tabor and Ole J. Moen, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Bank Statement

Bank No. 1064.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on Sept., 12, 1916.

Date of report by bank, Sept., 13, 1916.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$53,697 25
Overdrafts		536 54
Bonds and Securities		27 02
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,654 13
Other Real Estate		101 29
Due from Banks	6,920 80	
Cash on hand	428 75	
Total cash assets		7,349 55
Checks and cash items		297 12
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		1710 50
Interest Unearned		[illegible] 63
Total		$66,440 12
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2,000 00
Undivided Profits, Net		
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		25,964 73
Deposits Subject to Check	$8,075 39	
Demand Certificates	50 00	
Cashier's Checks	8012 19	
Due to Banks	116 22	
Total Immediate Liabilities	16,253 80	
Time Certificates	12,221 59	
Total Deposits	28,475 39	
Total		$66,440 12
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$7,646 07
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$3,250 76

State of Minnesota, } ss
County of Marshall }

We, Lars Backe President, and Bertil Sollom Asst. Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief,

LARS BACKE, President,
Bertil Sollom, Asst. Cashier.

Correct Attest: Lars Backe
(Two) Directors H. J. Olen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of Sept., 1916.
(Seal) Nils Engebretson, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-15-1919

Sale of School Lands

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St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 25, 1916
State of Minnesota,
State Auditor's Office,

Notice is hereby given that on November 25, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the office of the County Auditor at Warren, Marshall County, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the State by reason of the non-payment of interest.

TERMS of SALE

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part on or before forty years from the date of sale at an interest rate of four per cent per per annum, due on June 1st of each year; provided that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June and May thirty-first without penalty,

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J. A. O. PREUS,
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The Submarine.

To get a submarine ready for diving water is admitted into the "ballast" tanks. To keep the vessel on an even keel water is taken into the "trimming tanks." By means of these tanks the vessel is made to sink or rise, and to preserve the right position.

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State of Minnesota,
County of Marshall.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared B. Docken, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says he that he is the Business manager The Holt Weekly that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement. That the [illegible] Publisher, The Holt Publishing Co., Holt, Minn. Editor and Managing [illegible] H. B. Young, Holt, Minn. Business Manager, B. Docken, Holt, Minn. Owners, P. A. Riesberg, C. [illegible] Gunheim, R. Reierson, Axel Nelson, D. L. Bakke, Arvid Carlson, A. [illegible], O. T. Backlund, Oscar [illegible] and B. Docken, all of Holt, Minn. [illegible] Bondholders, mortgagees, [illegible]

B. Docken, Business Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this [illegible] day of Oct. 1916.

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[Seal] My commission expires [illegible] 1919.

Fast on the Wing.

Homing pigeons in calm weather [illegible] travel at a speed of 1,200 yards a [illegible] With a brisk wind [illegible] blowing in the direction [illegible] pigeon has been known to [illegible] yards a minute.

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E. C. Nielsen
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Legislative District;

Having been nominated by the people at the Primary election in June as a non-partisan candidate for Representative for Marshall county, the voters kindly giving me the highest number of votes cast for that office. I do hereby respectfully announce my candidacy for Representative at the General Election to be held Nov., 7, 1916. I have no special promises to make, but I will look after your interests and the interests of this district without fear or favor.

No special interests have ever had any influence over me, and there will be none in the future.

I respectfully ask for your influence and vote at the General Election, Nov. 7th.

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Ringbo School Notes.

Roy Rude entered school Thursday Oct. 5th.

Hazel Davidson started on her school career again Monday after a weeks illness. We are all glad to have her back.

Miss Jensin Udstrand visited school Monday.

Committees of Order were organized in the school, and the duty of each committe is as follows: To examine the desks, Keep hall and library in order, Dust erasers, Carrying water, Sweeping the room at noon, Wash blackboard, Looking after the waste basket, Keep the drinking cups clean, and Carrying in wood. If each committee does not perform their duties faithfully and well, there are laws in the organization governing the same.

John Engstrom has been hauling out lumber for a hog house.

Don't forget to read the state amendments in this weeks paper.

S. S. Kolden has been hauling lumber out to his farm and Olaus Rodahl is there making some repairs on the buildings.

The Yeoman met last night in Kolden's hall and voted on several new members, besides initiating some.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Chase left yesterday by the auto route for Carroll, Ia.

Nordlum & Peterson, of Middle River, harvested $150.00 worth of potatoes to the acre.

Water has been found in the village well at a depth of 210 feet.

H. J. Olson's crew of men are working on the electric pole line this week.

Christie & Cutten are the new publishers of the Red Lake Falls Gazette.

M. T. Strom brot. us a sample of potatoes one day last week which he raised on his farm. They are big ones and show that potatoes can be raised successfully here.

A. H. Huseth has bought a barber shop in Glentana, Montana, and expects to move his family there next summer.

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Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.
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To the Voters of Marshall County:-

I have served as your Representative in the Legislature one session and am now asking for SECOND term. I am asking this on my record, which contains nothing I desire to conceal.

In the 1915 session I opposed all extravagant appropriations and advocated larger ones than those made in but two cases, viz: for state aid to rural schools, and for the prevention and cure of tuberculosis.

My re-election would result in your Representative in the 1917 Legislature being given better committee positions and having greater prestige and influence than would be accorded to a new man. With this advantage I would be able to render you better service and be able to secure the passage of any legislation in which you might be specially interested.

The pledges I made you in 1915 have been faithfully kept, as an examination of my record will fully prove.

Soliciting your support and your votes at the election on November 7, 1916, I am,

Respectfully yours,
C. L. STEVENS.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston [illegible]

Notice is hereby given that Arnold Bornstein, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on July 13th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 082[illegible], for N W1-4 NW1-4 Sec. 14, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 7th day of November, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Hans Stensrud, Svenke G. Svenkeson, Frank W. Tabor and Ole J. Moen, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

C. W. Eatta and family left Friday for Brinkman, Oklahoma where he expects to engage in the newspaper business.

Wanted: Laborers for construction work $2.60 and $2.75 per day; no labor trouble; steady work all winter. Minnesota & Ontario Power Company International Falls, Minn,

Nelson Bros. of Middle River did plastering for Paul Olson and C. L. Sanberg the past week and went out Tuesday to plaster the new school house that G. L. Cook is building in Mud Lake.

Master Cleaners: Elmer Johnson representing the Crookston Dress Club, French Dry Cleaners, will be in Holt next week soliciting work for Dry Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Call or leave orders with B. Hoff, Local Agent.

We were misinformed about another child of Ed. Brotten's being sick with infantile paralysis and gladly correct the mistake. Also we are sure that all will be glad to hear that the other children are well and have not shown symptons of the disease.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

If any one wants a high grade of kerosene, call at Reierson's store.

Mrs. Maguns visited over Sunday with friends in T. R. Falls.

Big supper Saturday evening Oct. 28th. Benefit Free Mission church.

Mr. and Mrs. Raftesat and son of Rosewood visited at Dr. R. L. Olson's, Sunday.

Mrs. Arvid Carlson and baby came Sunday to visit relatives and friends a few days.

Mrs. Geo. Anderson returned Monday from visiting relatives and friends at Climax.

There will be a Sunday School picnic at the Ole Hall school house, next Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and children visited with relatives and friends in T. R. Falls Sunday.

Rierson will buy all the good potatoes you have. Bring them in Friday, Saturday and Monday.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

Must Be.

A Boston professor says that a man is at his best on January 15. That must be pay day with him.

R. Reierson was a business visitor in T. R. Falls Tuesday.

A. H. Langley shipped a carload of cattle to the city markets Saturday.

Sam Mickelson has commenced work on the basement for his new house.

John Leslie and family, recently of Spooner, have moved onto the H. B. Young farm.

R. Reierson is going to close out his store on account of poor health. Read his big ad in this paper.

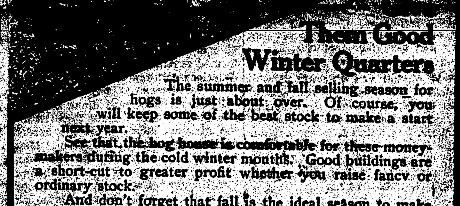
Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

A. M. Locker, General Secretary of the Minnesota Sunday School Association will conduct a Sunday School Convention in Middle River Friday afternoon and evening Oct. 27th. Everyone invited.

There are indications that there will be a scarcity of seed grain next year, as this years grain will make poor seed. A move is on to induce farmers to get their seed at once for next years crop. Delays are dangerous.

No Indication.

Because a man makes a profession of religion is no sign that he is way up in his profession.—Philadelphia Inquirer.



[illegible] Them Good Winter Quarters

The summer and fall selling season for hogs is just about over. Of course, you will keep some of the best stock to make a start next year.

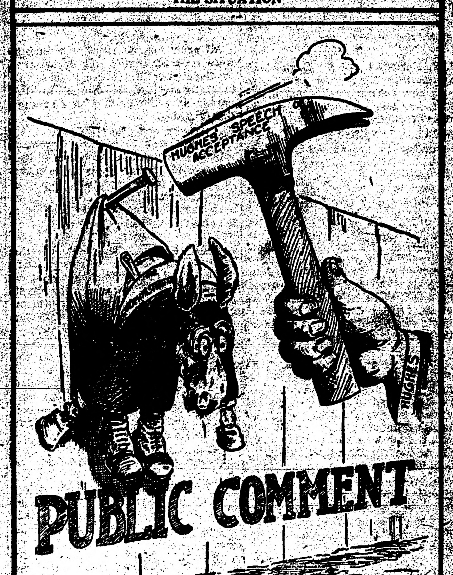
See that the hog house is comfortable for these money-makers during the cold winter months. Good buildings are a short-cut to greater profit whether you raise fancy or ordinary stock.

And don't forget that fall is the ideal season to make a start on any farm building—whether it's a new barn, new corn crib or machine shed. It will pay you to do your repair work, too.

A few cents now saves dollars next year.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
Holt, Minnesota.

THE SITUATION



EPITOME OF EVENTS

PARAGRAPHS THAT PERTAIN TO MANY SUBJECTS.

ARE SHORT BUT INTERESTING

Brief Mention of What Is Transpiring in Various Sections of Our Own and Foreign Countries

WAR NEWS.

The entire Sixth corp of the Greek army with its 20 officers, has deserted to the revolutionists, according to a Central News dispatch from Athens.

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The Grand Duke Nicholas, former commander-in-chief of the Russian armies, has been placed in command of the Russo-Rumanian drive against Bulgaria.

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The French, English, Russian and Belgian soldiers in the German prison camps will in the future have to wear wooden shoes, due to the scarcity of leather in Germany.

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Along the 125 mile line from Vladimir-Volynski in Volhynia, to the Dneister near Halicz in Galicia, the Russians are continuing their determined strugle for Lemberg.

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"In their latest raid on Bucharest," says the Times, Bucharest correspondent, "the German aeroplanes dropped proclamations declaring that the city will be laid in ruins unless Roumania hastens to make a separate peace."

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Troops of the central powers have crushed the Rumanians between two forces in a battle which raged for three days in central Transylvania. The Rumanians are reported to have fled in disorder, leaving many dead and prisoners behind.

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German submarines between September 20 and 29 sank in the North sea and the English channel thirty-five hostile vessels with a total tonnage of 14,000. The vessels destroyed are in addition to eleven fish steamers and four Belgian lighters previously reported.

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General Sir William Robertson, British chief of the imperial staff, said in a speech at Dalderby, Lincolnshire, that while the allies were winning the war slowly, but surely, he wished to impress upon his hearers the necessity of precuring more men for the army and munitions factories.

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Field Mrshal von Mackensen, who commands the forces of the central allies operating against the Rumanians and Russians in the province of Dobrudja, has ordered the evacuation of the Danube fortresses of Silistra and Turtukai, recently captured by the Teuton-Bulgarian-Turkish forces, says a dispatch from Rome.

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The relations between Sweden and the entente powers are attracting unusual attention and there is every indication that the situation threatens to become serious. The allied powers charge that the neutrality of Sweden is not so loyal and impartial as it should be, and Sweden has sent a hot note to London denying the accusations.

GENERAL.

Major William Warner, former United States senator from Missouri, died at his home in Kansas City after a brief illness.

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J. P. Morgan sailed for England on the American liner New York, to float a new quarter of a billion dollar British war loan, according to reports in New York financial circles.

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According to the annual report of the Northern Pacific railway the total gross earnings of the road for the past year is $75,939,231, an increase of $12,767,578 over the previous year.

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Rights of Christian Scientists to treat persons afflicted with disease without obtaining a license to practice medicine were upheld by New York court of appeals. The only qualification is that Christian Science practitioners, in the treatment of bodily ailments, must conform to the tenets of the Christian Science church.

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United States Senator James P. Clarke, president pro tempore of the United States senate, died at his home at Little Rock, Ark. Senator Clark was 62 years old and a native of Mississippi.

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Butter and eggs are now selling in Chicago at the highest price ever known at this season of the year. Creamery butter is 38 to 40 cents a pound as against 27 cents a year ago. Eggs retail around 37 cents a dozen, the same selling a year ago at 23½ to 24 cents.

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Fourteen person were killed and more than twenty-five injured, several probably fatally, when a switch engine pushing two freight cars crashed into a crowded street car at Detroit, Mich.

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Two persons were killed and more than thirty injured as the result of two street cars colliding on a bridge, causing it to collapse and precipitate the cars thirty feet below at Cleveland, O.

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This country will now have matches to burn, a shipment of 103,680,000 boxes having been brought to New York by the Swedish-American liner Stockholm, in port from Gothenburg.

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Wage increas of 2½ cents an hour for employes of the operating departments all over the United States, was announced by Wilson & Co., Armour & Co., Libby, McNeil company and Norris & Co. packers.

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C. S. Noble of Nobleford, Alberta, Canada, has a thousand-acre field, the wheat crop of which, threshed, gave a yield of fifty-two bushels to the acre, the highest ever known in any part of the world, according to estimates.

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Two hundred men fought all day at Phelps, Wis., in a successful attempt to save the town from destruction by fire, which burned the large sawmill and lumber mills, 1,000 cords of wood and several railroad cars. The loss is estimated at $300,000.

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A movement to place the next Thanksgiving day on November 23, instead of November 30 was inaugurated at Kansas City by the marchants' association. A telegram was sent to President Wilson requesting the earlier date.

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George A. Joslyn, president and principal stockholder of the Western Newspaper Union, died at his home in Omaha. He was a pioneer in the ready-print business, in which he amassed a fortune estimated at $8,000,000 to $10,000,000.

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Total transactions of the New York clearing house for the year ended September 30, exceeded $155,000,000,000, breaking all the previous records, according to the annual report Total transactions since the organization of the clearing, house, sixty-three years ago, aggregate nearly three trillions of dollars.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Francisco Villa, with 600 men, was in the Santa Clara canyon district September 22, according to the most reliable information, planning to capture the towns of Namiquipa, Cruecs and Bachineva.

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Satisfactory solution of internal questions having an international bearing must be an intergral part of the general program for the rehabilitation of Mexico, the Mexican members of the joint commission were informed at Atlantic City, N. J., by their American colleagues.

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Rumors are current along the border that Carranza intends to withdraw the Mexican members of the border mediation commission from New London within three weeks unless an agreement has been reached before that time to withdraw American troops from Mexico, and will then issue an ultimatum to the United States demanding that Pershing's expedition be withdrawn at once.

WASHINGTON.

Contracts for structural steel for new naval vessels were awarded by the Navy department at prices about 33 per cent higher than were paid for similar material last December.

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Constant complaint that automobile users are receiving adulterated gasoline from dealers has prompted the Department of Commerce to undertake standardization of the oil.

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All army departmental commanders were ordered by the war department to dispatch militia organizations still in state mobilization camps to the border as soon as they can arrange the facilities.

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No new step to end the European war has been taken by the United States, and none is likely to be taken in the near future, according to an authoritative statement of the government's position, obtained in high official circles.

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Major Goethels, governor of the Panama canal, and Commissioner Clark, of the interstate commerce commission, have been selected by President Wilson as two of the three members of the board created by congress to investigate the eight-hour law.

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Health reports from troops on the Mexican border announced by the War department for the week ended September 30 gives the militia percentage of sick as 2.25 with seven deaths, and that of regulars as 3.42 with five deaths.

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Strong protest has been made to the state department by the British and French embassies against the action of the Carranza government in Mexico in seizing the assets of British and French banking institutions in the Mexican capital.

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The American commission for Armenian and Syrian relief has launched a campaign to raise a fund of $5,000,000 to relieve 1,000,000 destitute, exiled and starving Armenians and Syrians scattered broadcast over Turkey, Persia, Syria and Palestine.

WILSON DECLARES BERLIN MUST KEEP PROMISES TO U. S.

MAKES BRIEF STATEMENT TO AMERICAN PEOPLE ON GERMAN SUBMARINE ATTACKS OFF NEW ENGLAND.

INTERNATIONAL LAW NOT VIOLATED, DANIELS SAYS

Secretary Makes Preliminary Report—Officials Express Anxiety That Submarine Might Cause Loss of Lives of Americans.

Long Branch, N. J., Oct. 10.—"The German government will be held to the complete fulfilment of its promises to the government of the United States," President Wilson said in a statement to the American people, upon the German submarine attacks off New England.

The statement follows:

"The government will of course first inform itself as to all the facts that there may be no mistake or doubt so far as they are concerned and the country may rest assured that the German government will be held to the complete fulfillment of its promises to the government of the United States.

"I have no right to question their willingness to fulfill them.

"WOODROW WILSON."

U-Boats Gave Notice.

The German submarine activities in the steamship lane off Nantucket complied with all rules of international law before acting, Secretary Daniels informed President Wilson in a preliminary report. Daniels was expected to make a formal report later in the day. The President will make no statement until complete evidence regarding the submarines is in his hands.

Daniels reported early advices received show no loss of life as a result of the attacks and the submarines gave full notice of their intention before striking any of the vessels.

Officials Anxious.

Anxiety was expressed by officials here, however, that in an effort to attack more vessels a submarine might cause the loss of American lives or possibly sink an American vessel.

Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, was due to confer with the President during the afternoon for the primary purpose of presenting a letter from the German emperor on Polish relief. It was taken for granted that the President would ask what information the ambassador has regarding the intentions of the submarine.

FARGO GIRL TAKES POISON

Attempts to End Life When Inheritance Is Lost.

Minneapolis, Oct. 10.—Suffering from poison which she took early Monday when told that $10,000 left to her by her parents had been swept away by an investment in mining stock, Miss Hazel Allen of Fargo is a patient at the city hospital. The girl refused to tell the names of her friends or on whose advice she had invested her money.

Days and possibly weeks of mental torture are ahead of the girl, for corrosive sublimate, the poison she took, is uncertain and may cause her death even after she has apparently recovered her health, she was told. She declared this would make no difference.

RED SOX TAKE SECOND GAME

Again Defeat Brooklyn in Fourteen Inning Contest.

Braves Field, Boston, Oct. 10.—The Boston Red Sox, by winning the second game of the world's series from the Brooklyn Dodgers, became a heavier favorite than ever for the season's highest honors in baseball. Boston has now won two games straight.

The batteries for Boston were Ruth and Thomas; for Brooklyn, Smith and Miller.

Scores by Innings		R	H	E
Brooklyn	..1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	6	2
Boston	....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	2	7	1

Two Balloons Come to Grief.

Muskogee, Okla., Oct. 10.—Two balloons of six which ascended here Saturday in an endurance race have come to grief. The St. Louis No. 1 piloted by William F. Assman of St. Louis, split while sailing at an altitude of 14,000 feet and came to earth near Macon, Mo. Mr. Assman telegraphed that a landing was made without accident. Dr. L. E. Custer, representing the Aero club of Wichita, Kan., reported that the Wichita landed near Coweta, Okla, 25 miles from Muskogee.

U-Boats Demoralize Stock Markets

New York, Oct. 10.—The stock market was demoralized at Monday's opening, standard issues as well as war stocks breaking 5, 10 and even 12 points at the outset on enormous liquidation. The break was attributed to the German submarine activities and their possible consequences. The opening was in a whirl of excitement. United States Steel sold at 109 to 112, off 4 to 7 points, on a sale of 30,000 shares. Baldwin Locomotive was down 9; Crucible, 8, and Marine preferred was down 7 to 11½ points.

LATIN OFFENSIVE AGAINST TEUTONS IN BALKANS BEGUN

ITALIANS ACT IN CONJUNCTION WITH BRITISH, FRENCH, RUSSIAN AND SERBIAN FORCES—ATTACK NEAR BUTKOVO.

SECOND GERMAN U-BOAT ARRIVES IN U. S. HARBOR

Craft Is Man-of-War and Crossed Ocean in 17 Days—Russian Troops Win Victory Over Mackensen—Allies Campaign Against Monastir Developing.

U-BOAT CROSSES ATLANTIC.

Newport, R. I., Oct. 9.—A German submarine has just arrived in the harbor here. This announcement was made by the navy radio state here. The submarine U-53 is from Wilhelmshaven. She crossed the ocean in 17 days. The U-53 is a man-of-war, flies the flag of German navy and has a single gun mounted on her deck.

London, Oct. 9.—A fresh Rumanian expedition is said to have crossed the river Danube into Bulgaria, according to a wireless message from Rome. Field Marshal von Mackensen, the German commander, is said to have sent troops to attack the Rumanian force, but without success.

London, Oct. 9.—Acting in conjunction with the British, French, Russians and Serbians, Italian troops have taken the offensive in the great allied drive in the Balkans. They are attacking in the region of Butkovo, east of the Vardar, according to an official statement from Paris.

On the allied left wing the Serbs have pushed their advance guards forward into Belavoda valley, French troops have occupied German positions.

Allies Nearer Monastir.

The Allies' campaign against Monastir in southern Serbia is developing rapidly from both the south and the east. While allied forces have pressed to within not more than a half dozen miles from Monastir on the south, the Serbians have advanced northwest from Kaimakcalan on the western slopes of the Nidje ridge. Here they are reported by Paris to have reached the valley of the Vela Boda, which empties into the Cerna at a point almost directly east of Monastir and about 16 miles distant from that city.

Slavs Beat Mackesen.

Russian troops have won a victory over Field Marshal von Mackensen's German-Bulgar-Turkish army in Dobrudja, occupying the villages of Karabaka and Besaul and also the heights between, it is officially announced. The enemy counter-attacked but was repulsed with losses. German troops made four consecutive counter-attacks in an effort to recapture ground lost to the Russians on the Ceniuvka and Zlota Lipa rivers in Galicia, says the official statement, but each time the attackers were repulsed with heavy losses.

FIRST GAME OF WORLD'S SERIES WON BY BOSTON

Red Sox and Brooklyn Dodgers Clash Before Crowd of 42,000 Thousand Spectators.

Braves Field, Boston, Oct. 9.—First honors go to Boston. The Red Sox won the first clash of the world series here Saturday, playing before a crowd that filled every niche and cranny of the big field. The score by innings:

Innings—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Brooklyn ...	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	5	10	4
Boston ...	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	1	.	6	8	1

Some 42,000 or more spectators filled every seat in the expansive reaches of the stands and then overflowed into a large space temporarily fenced in for standing spectators in deep right centerfield. Speculators reaped the proverbial harvest and then a little more on grandstand tickets.

ROUMANIAN LOSSES 50,000

Berlin Claims Ill-Trained Troops Now Oppose Teutons.

Berlin, Oct. 9.—The Roumanians have lost 50,000 men in the last two weeks of fighting in Transylvania, where they have suffered two decisive defeats at the hands of Field Marshal von Falkenhayn. Budapest dispatches asserted that some of the crack Roumanian regiments have been entirely wiped out.

Loss of Life in Crash Now Feared.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 9.—Reports of the exact magnitude of the disaster in Hampton Roads in which the steamer City of Norfolk, loaded with excursionists, crashed headlong into the British tramp steamer Hawkhead, were awaited with anxiety here. The Hawkhead sank 15 minutes after the collision. Although preliminary reports received here late indicated no loss of life, fear is felt there may have been loss in transferring the passengers off the City of Norfolk to passing steamers.

MACHINE TO PEEL PEACHES

Industry in California Will Be Revolutionized by Remarkable Invention, Growers Predict.

There has been quietly and secretly installed at the California Peach Growers' Plant No. 9, which is better known as the Fresno Home Packing company's plant, a peeled peach machine which promises to revolutionize the peach industry and make it profitable to market peeled peaches at the low price of 8 or 9 cents a pound.

With the advent of the peeled peach machine, which can put out a perfect peeled peach at less cost than can be done by hand, it is predicted that there will be a big demand for the peeled peaches, and this will form one of the important outlets for the peach industry.

Guessed Wrong.

Captain (to new recruit)—Always remember that a soldier's first duty is prompt and unquestioning obedience to his superior.

Recruit—And I joined the army to get away from my wife.

A New Delight

Libby's Chili Con Carne

With real Bayou beans, or plain. Made after the real and famous Mexican formula. The seasoning is most piquant—a zestful tasty dish anywhere—any time.

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The quality of W. L. Douglas product is guaranteed by more than 40 years experience in making fine shoes. The smart styles are the leaders in the Fashion Centres of America. They are made in a well-equipped factory at Brockton, Mass., by the highest paid, skilled shoemakers, under the direction and supervision of experienced men, all working with an honest determination to make the best shoes for the price that money can buy.

Ask your shoe dealer for W. L. Douglas shoes. If he cannot supply you with the kind you want, take no other make. Write for interesting booklet explaining how to get shoes of the highest standard of quality for the price, by return mail, postage free.

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The People Pay.

The people of the United States are paying war prices for a great many articles of everyday use because those articles are not produced at home. In other words, they are having a practical demonstration at so much per of the Democratic free-trade idea. The idea is that we ought to buy where we can buy cheapest. It may have worked in the old days, but it doesn't work now, because all the cheap sources of supply are closed. If the old Republican idea of protecting industry in our own country had been followed consistently for the last ten or fifteen years we should have had factories busy in the production of all these things, and our people would be able to purchase them at reasonable prices. Right now the mistake of abandoning the theory of protection is costing the people of this country more than it costs any European nation to do its part in the war.—Yakima Republic.

TENDER SKINNED BABIES

With Rashes and Irritations Find Comfort in Cuticura. Trial Free.

Baby's tender skin requires mild, soothing properties such as are found in the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Cuticura Soap is so sweet, pure and cleansing and Cuticura Ointment so soothing and healing, especially when baby's skin is irritated and rashy.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Chinese Trade and the War.

United States trade with China increased in 1915, although foreign business men throughout the world suffered a loss of more than $100,000,000 in their exports to that country last year. China has for years been in an unsettled condition, yet the country's foreign trade mounted higher and higher until the European war, when the trade was crippled. Wherever a railroad has been built in China new trade opportunities have sprung up and new markets have been created. On the upper Yangtze river in western China, a rich inland empire in the Chungking consular district, having a population of upward of 75,000,000, no adequate transportation facilities exist, and no railway connection whatever.

In the Conservatory.

Nina—I understand the young grass widow has failed in her efforts to share the rich old bachelor.

Verne—Is she much disappointed?

Nina—Indeed, she is! One would think she was from Kentucky.

Verne—Because why?

Nina—She's such a blue grass widow.

Enemies Now.

"A burglar got into our house last night and stole a diamond ring and a pie I made yesterday. The police are watching the pawnshops, but have found no trace of him yet."

"Has anyone had sense enough to visit the morgue?"

Undoubtedly.

Said She—I understand a Terre Haute shoemaker has written a book.

Said He—I suppose it consists mostly of footnotes.

What Did She Mean?

Chollie—Some girls can't take a joke.

Jess—Has Bess refused you?—Town Topics.

EVEN THE PREMIER IS HIT

Only Allowed Six Gallons of Gasoline a Month by New Restrictions.

In England the private motorist is no longer allowed to use gasoline freely. So much is needed for military purposes that the new restrictions are severe. High and low are being treated alike, and it is, perhaps, some consolation to the ordinary motor car owner to know that the prime minister and the speaker of the house of commons are allowed only six gallons of petrol a month. Mr. Lowther, the speaker, cannot dream of motoring, as usual, to Penrith, and Mr. Asquith will be hard put to it to run down to his Berkshire home for a week-end. Mr. Asquith, however, rarely uses his car in town, and can be seen any evening, unescorted and almost unnoticed, strolling from the house back to Downing street.

As for the speaker, one day recently a traveler on the top of a South London tramcar bound for Westminster observed among his fellow-passengers the picturesque figure of Right Hon. J. W. Lowther, immaculately clad in a suit of summer gray, with a white top-hat. Next to him was a carpenter, burdened with the implements of his trade.

One Exception.

"I see where some college professor says he has never met a man he could not hypnotize."

"Then he's never had a fellow try to sell him the latest encyclopedia or a highly pedigreed pup."

December is the wheat harvest month in New South Wales.

New Zealand's public revenue is increasing.

Adds to the Joy of Living—

It isn't alone the deliciously sweet nut-like taste of Grape-Nuts that has made the food famous, though taste makes first appeal, and goes a long way.

But with the zestful flavor there is in Grape-Nuts the entire nutriment of finest wheat and barley. And this includes the rich mineral elements of the grain, necessary for vigorous health—the greatest joy of life.

Every table should have its daily ration of

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THE PERFECT GUM

Let us make you acquainted with the new, luscious flavor—

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Now three flavors:

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CHEWING GUM
PEPPERMINT

Putting It Up to Father.

After several unsuccessful attempts to draw her husband into conversation at the restaurant, the wife discovered the cause of his abstraction to be a beautiful girl dressed in black at a nearby table.

"An attractive widow," observed the wife coolly.

"Yes, indeed, a very attractive widow," agreed the husband enthusiastically.

"Yes," sighed the wife. "I wish I were one."—Ladies' Home Journal.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Quite Flattering.

"I wonder if Wombat intended to pay me a compliment or it just happened that way?"

"What happened?"

"I was glancing through his bookcase today, and he has my works next to Shakespeare's."

Strategic Move.

Blanche—Captain Dasher proposed to me after lunch today.

Barbara—Good gracious, you only met him this morning.

Blanche—I know, but you see he goes back tonight.—To-day.

Ultimately.

"Hey, Jimmie! Did you hear the news? The schoolhouse burned down last night."

"Ain't that just our luck? Of course it had to happen in vacation."

Very True.

Teacher—What must we do before our sins can be forgiven?

Walter—We must sin.

Possibly.

The Maid—I wonder why we never hear of the dude any more?

The Bachelor—Oh, I presume he got married and is now sub-dude.

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Didn't Feaze Him.

"Bang!" went the rifles at the maneuvers.

"Oo-oo!" screamed the pretty girl, a nice decorous, surprised little scream. She stepped backward into the arms of a young man.

"Oh!" she said, blushing. "I was frightened by the rifles. I beg your pardon.

Not at all," said the young man. "Let's go over and watch the artillery."

Why She Liked Saturn.

"I wonder," said the youthful astronomer, who was slow to do what was expected of him, "if—if you would let me associate you with some star—Venus, perhaps, star of love?"

"Well, no," said the lady addressed, thoughtfully; "I would rather you thought of me as Saturn."

"Indeed! Why?"

"Oh, well, you know, didn't you tell me that Saturn has a ring?"

He bought one the next day.

Blissful Ignorance.

Aimee—I wonder what the mosquitoes do in winter?

Hazel—My dear girl, you ought to be thankful that you don't know.

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The Case Stated.

"Mr. Jones came home last night and raised a racket about the dessert his landlady gave him."

"I suppose it was stewed prunes again."

"No, the prunes weren't stewed; he was."

An Instance.

"You say women are not inherently honest?"

"Certainly they are not. Didn't you yourself rob me of my heart and steal my peace of mind?"

Won't Hurt Them.

"The sultan is said to have written a poem."

"But he can't make the enemy read it, so what good will it do?"

Nothing Doing.

"Folks tell me that I have no sense,
But I love you," he cried.
"And I haven't got a single dollar,
So cut it out," she replied.

His Kill.

"Did Jaeger bag anything on his hunting trip last week?"

"Not much. Only the hunting dog he borrowed from me."

Harness to suspend a basket from a fruit picker's shoulders and leave both hands free has been invented.

A mouse can bore a passage through an inch board in three hours.

State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Bemidji. — The Nymore school district has just been annexed by Bemidji. The village of Nymore will become a part of Bemidji Oct. 17.

Faribault. — "Faribault is far from bankrupt," O. H. Schroeder, president of the Chase State bank, said in discussing reports that the city is in poor financial condition.

Grand Rapids. — Action growing out of the assault on Miss Olga Dahl, Round Lake school teacher, crystalized when the board of county commissioners offered $500 reward for the capture of her assailant with a "dead or alive" clause in the offer.

Duluth. — The shipments of iron ore from the docks at the American Head of the Lakes for the season ending September 30, 1916, shows an increase of 9,535,710 tons over the same period last year, according to reports of the several shipping companies.

St. Paul. — Chisago and Pine counties will receive $45,000 or $50,000 each from the state for the improvement of the Twin Cities-Duluth highway, if the state highway commission acts favorably on the resolution adopted by the Ramsey county board of commissioners.

Hibbing. — State Public Examiner Andrew E. Fritz, Deputy Examiner John Davis and Assistant Attorney General C. Louis Weeks, were in St. Louis county to resume the investigation of alleged irregularities in the municipal affairs of Hibbing, "world's richest village."

St. Paul. — The internal revenue returns in Minnesota for September showed a decrease of $109,172.92, as compared with September of last year, and the custom house returns for the ports of Minneapolis and St. Paul showed a decrease of $1,388.69, according to official figures given out in St. Paul.

Bluffton. — A hearing has been arranged by the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission to be held October 17th, at Bluffton, Ottertail county, on the application of the New York Mills Telephone company for a permit to construct a telephone pole line to that village for local telephone service.

Bemidji. — Asserting approximately 1,000,000 acres of land along Red lake and tributary rivers have been flooded by high water, members of the Bemidji Commercial club have authorized President E. H. Denu to appoint a committee to investigate the situation, with a view to having the lake lowered.

Madelia, Minn.—Theft of an automobile in Minneapolis ended disastrously for two men near Madelia. The stolen car, a seven passenger Buick, skidded and tipped over on making a turn. One of the men was killed and the other, though escaping unhurt, later was arrested at St. James and is being held there for the Minneapolis police.

Washington. — Suits by North and South Dakota against Minnesota to recover $1,250,000 alleged damages and to obtain permanent relief against flooding of areas in the eastern parts of the complaining states by drainage water from the western part of Minnesota through drainage ditches may be settled in the coming term of the United States Supreme Court.

Bemidji. — This city will be granted a loan of $25,000 for the purchase for park purposes of a picturesque tract of virgin pine on the opposite side of Lake Bemidji from the town, provided the project is approved at an election and the citizens are willing to wait the regular turn with other applicants for state loans, the state board of investment has decided.

Wadena. — Speaking before the Northern Minnesota conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, the Rev. A. L. Phagkynet of Philadelphia urged the church to make provisions for extending its missionary service to immigrants as they enter this country. "It is the quickest and surest way of getting in touch with foreigners," he said, "because they will not seek the church."

St. Paul. — The state began October business with $7,165,322.51 in the treasury—the largest October 1 balance on record. Despite indications that unusually heavy disbursements this month may pull the funds down to $4,000 on November 1, treasury officials said, the state will not be compelled as in former years to go into the market and obtain a short term loan of $2,000,000 or $3,000,000.

Minneapolis. — Minnesota is expected to be the chief potato storehouse of the world before the winter is over, particularly if high prices, with a general shortage in other parts of the country should develop, potato growers and buyers assert. A federal report showing that Minnesota will have 21,300,000 bushels of potatoes caused prices to drop at various Minnesota points, and growers now are getting about 85 cents a bushel, 25 cetns lower than three weeks ago.

St. Paul. — Attorney General Smith will draft a bill calling for the creation of a state conservation department to have charge of all reclamation, drainage and relief work in Minnesota, it was announced at the state capitol, following a visit by M. G. Barnes, consulting engineer, New York.

Northfield. — Increased interest in missionary work in the United States was seen in the unusually large attendance at the annual convention of the Woman's Home Mission Society of the Methodist Episcopal church, Minnesota conference, here.

BOARD TO DIRECT RELIEF PROJECT

CREATION OF STATE CONSERVATION COMMISSION SUGGESTED AT CONFERENCE.

PLAN SEED SURVEY OF STATE

Officials of University Laboratory to Make Probe—Situation in Regard to Wheat, Barley, Rye, Alfalfa, Clover and Timothy to be Investigated.

St. Paul.

Creation of a state conservation commission to take official charge of the state-wide reclamation, drainage and flood relief project undertaken by a committee of the All-Minnesota Development association has been suggested by M. G. Barnes, New York consulting engineer, at a committee conference with Attorney-General Lyndon A. Smith.

Mr. Barnes outlined what he thinks the state ought to do to provide a foundation for a comprehensive, systematic plan of conservation and relief, offering a suggestion for a commission to assume direction of topographical, forestry, agricultural and hydraulic phases of the general project.

Attorney-General Smith consented to sketch a bill embodying the general plan for presentation to the next Legislature. Besides Mr. Smith and Mr. Barnes, who aided in similar projects in New York State, there were present at the conference Chairman A. L. Crocker of the committee, State Representative L. S. Spooner, Dr. F. W. Sardesen of the Federal geological survey of Minnesota and E. V. Willard, acting state drainage engineer.

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To Probe Seed Situation.

The state seed laboratory at the university farm is making plans to find out at once about the wheat situation in Minnesota, and to look into conditions of barley, rye, alfalfa, clover and timothy. This investigation is going to be made under the direction of W. L. Oswald, who has charge of the seed laboratory, largely through the teachers in agriculture, which have agricultural departments.

Mr. Oswald has sent to each of these high school agriculturalists a letter asking him to make it his business to send in a sample of each of the grains named from at least half a dozen farms in the vicinity of his school. When the seed is received it will be carefully examined and the results will be tabulated by counties. The tabulation will show almost at a glance the condition of the various grains in every part of the state.

It is possible that an effort will be made to make this grain survey more complete by appealing for grain samples from the officers of the 1,200 farmers' clubs of the state.

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Is Trust Company a Bank?

A. H. Turrittin, state superintendent of banks, has asked Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith for an opinion on the question of whether a commercial trust company is a bank within the meaning given that term in the negotiable instruments act. Minnesota's banking system may be vitally affected by the interpretation placed on this law, Mr. Turrittin said, and the opinion will be awaited with great interest by all bankers in the state. It is expected to be the last and the decisive opinion in a recent series.

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Organize Rifle Teams.

Adjutant General Fred B. Wood has organized state national guard and civilian rifle teams to participate in the national rifle matches October 20 at Black Point, Fla. He requested officers of the Minnesota brigade at Llano Grande, Tex., to select a team there and assume charge of the movement to form a civilian team among members of Minnesota rifle clubs of the National association. The First Minnesota won the regimental championship last year.

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Malaria in Second.

The Second Minnesota infantry regiment, in camp at Llano Grande, Tex., has been hardest hit by the malaria epidemic in the camp, said Captain Arnt G. Andersen of the First Minnesota medical corps, whose resignation from the army has been accepted and who has returned to Minneapolis. At one time 400 men of the Second had the disease, Dr. Andersen reported.

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Battery F Still Part of Guard.

Battery F boys who believed that they were through with the army when they were mustered out recently are due to be keenly disappointed on account of a new ruling of the War department which provides that the university unit in the First Minnesota field artillery retains it identity and is still a part of the state national guard.

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Cadet Commander Relieved.

Orders have been received by Captain Bernard Lentz of the United States army, commandant of the cadets at the University of Minnesota, directing him to report at San Diego, Cal., to take command of his company. Captain Lentz has been at the university two years and had expected to remain for the usual term of four years. Capt. W. F. Rhinow, who commanded Battery F of the First Minnesota field artillery until it was mustered out, will become acting commandant of the university cadets.

HOW LLOYD-GEORGE WORKS

Depends Much on Secretaries and Never Writes a Letter If He Can Help It.

It is said that Lloyd-George, the British war minister, depends very much on his secretaries, and never writes a letter if he can help it. He has a knack of getting the men he wants and of getting a lot of work out of them, and, as would be expected, sees that they are properly rewarded. When he went to the war office Lloyd-George took three of his secretaries with him, Mr. H. J. Creedy, who was Lord Kitchener's secretary, being retained also; J. T. Davies, who has served Mr. Lloyd-George in a very confidential post for some time; Miss F. L. Stephenson, who is probably the first woman to occupy such a post with a responsible statesman, and Mr. W. Sutherland, who is underpaid. Lloyd-George, by the way, has made more than one find among his private secretaries, and, even in face of comment, he has not hesitated to secure their promotion to responsible posts. There is, for instance, Sir W. H. Clark, a former board of trade clerk, who was the present war secretary's "ghost" at the board of trade and the exchequer, who became a member of the council of India, and who, at the age of forty, is a knight, busily engaged in organizing the capture of German trade. Another of Mr. Lloyd-George's former private seretaries is Mr. John Rowland, a brilliant Welshman, who has done good work as Welsh insurance commissioner.

The Duffer.

"I heard today that Mr. Brown plays golf on Sunday."

"Well, what of it?"

"I think it's dreadfully wicked."

"It's wicked to play the kind of golf Brown does on any day of the week."

Good-Night, George.

Hazel—Is that your will you are writing, Aimee?

Aimee—No; it's my won't.

Hazel—Why, what do you mean?

Aimee—George proposed to me last night and I promised to mail my answer today.

Some Noise.

"I am cheer leader at the florist's."

"What do you mean?"

"I root for them."—Froth

That's What.

"What is an ultimatum, pa?"

"It's when your mother says she wants a new hat."

A butter substitute, made of cocoanut oil, egg yolks and a small amount of cream, has been invented in Bohemia.

Waterprof electric flashlights to be attached to life preservers for night use are a recent invention.

The cork oak of Spain is said to grow best in poorest soil.

When Work Is Hard

That kidney troubles are so common is due to the strain put upon the kidneys in so many occupations, such as:
Jarring and jolting on railroads, etc.
Cramp and strain as in barbering, moulding, heavy lifting, etc.
Exposure to changes of temperature in iron furnaces, refrigerators, etc.
Dampness as in tanneries, quarries, mines, etc.
Inhaling poisonous fumes in painting, printing and chemical shops.
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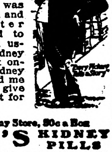
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In a small country newspaper in Wurttemberg appears an official notice ordering the peasants to remove any old clothing from the scarecrow in the field. It has been found that escaping prisoners of war have exchanged clothes with the scarecrows.

Higher Up.

Mrs. English—Is your husband a representative American?

Mrs. U. S. A.—No, indeed! He's a senator!—Life.

The government health service has discovered a new and cheap disinfectant. It is obtained from pine oil.

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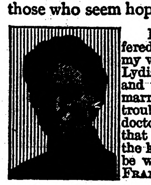


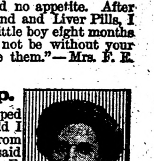
Harrisburg, Penn.—"When I was single I suffered a great deal from female weakness because my work compelled me to stand all day. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for that and was made stronger by its use. After I was married I took the Compound again for a female trouble and after three months I passed what the doctor called a growth. He said it was a miracle that it came away as one generally goes under the knife to have them removed. I never want to be without your Compound in the house."—Mrs. Frank Knobl, 1642 Fulton St., Harrisburg, Penn.

Hardly Able to Move.

Albert Lea, Minn.—"For about a year I had sharp pains across my back and hips and was hardly able to move around the house. My head would ache and I was dizzy and had no appetite. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills, I am feeling stronger than for years. I have a little boy eight months old and am doing my work all alone. I would not be without your remedies in the house as there are none like them."—Mrs. F. E. Yost, 611 Water St., Albert Lea, Minn.

Three Doctors Gave Her Up.

Pittsburg, Penn.—"Your medicine has helped me wonderfully. When I was a girl 18 years old I was always sickly and delicate and suffered from irregularities. Three doctors gave me up and said I would go into consumption. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and with the third bottle began to feel better. I soon became regular and I got strong and shortly after I was married. Now I have two nice stout healthy children and am able to work hard every day."—Mrs. Clementina Duerring, 34 Gardner St., Troy Hill, Pittsburg, Penn.



All women are invited to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special advice,—it will be confidential.

THE EIGHT Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the STATE OF MINNESOTA

Submitted by the Legislature at Its General Session, 1915, Together With a Statement of the PURPOSES AND EFFECTS,

Prepared by Hon. Lyndon A. Smith, Attorney General of Minnesota.

Addressed to Julius A. Schmahl Secretary of State

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, ST. PAUL.

April 7, 1916.

Honorable Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State,
Capitol.

DEAR SIR: Pursuant to your request and in accordance with the provisions of Section 46, Statutes 1913, I herewith hand you statement of the purposes and effect of all amendments to the Constitution proposed by the legislature of 1915 and to be submitted to the electors at the next general election; such statement also shows the reading of the existing sections and the way the same will read if the amendments are adopted.

Yours truly,
LYNDON A. SMITH,
Attorney General.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 1.

By Chapter 379, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Section Two (2) of Article Eight of the Constitution by adding to said Section Two a new paragraph.

Section Two as it now stands reads as follows:

"Section 2. SCHOOL AND SWAMP LANDS—SCHOOL FUNDS FROM SALE.—The proceeds of such lands as are or hereafter may be granted by the United States for the use of schools within each township in this state shall remain a perpetual school fund to the state, and not more than one-third of said lands may be sold in two years, one-third in five years, and one-third in ten years; but the lands of the greatest valuation shall be sold first; provided, that no portion of said lands shall be sold otherwise than at public sale. The principal of all funds arising from sales or other disposition of lands or other property, granted or entrusted to this state in each township for educational purposes, shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished; and the income arising from the lease or sale of said school land shall be distributed to the different townships throughout the state, in proportion to the number of scholars in each township, between the ages of five and twenty-one years; and shall be faithfully applied to the specific objects of the original grants or appropriations. Suitable laws shall be enacted by the legislature for the safe investment of the principal of all funds which have heretofore arisen or which may hereafter arise from the sale or other disposition of such lands, or the income from such lands accruing in any way before the sale or disposition thereof in interest-bearing bonds of the United States, or of the State of Minnesota issued after the year 1860, or of such other state as the legislature may by law from time to time direct. All swamp lands now held by the state, or that may hereafter accrue to the state, shall be appraised and sold in the same manner and by the same officers, and the minimum price shall be the same less one-third, as is provided by law for the appraisement and sale of the school lands under the provisions of title one of chapter thirty-eight of the General Statutes. The principal of all funds derived from sales of swamp lands as aforesaid shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished. One-half of the proceeds of said principal shall be appropriated to the common school fund of the state; the remaining one-half shall be appropriated to the educational and charitable institutions of the state in the relative ratio of cost to support said institutions."

The paragraph which it is proposed to add to said Section Two reads as follows:

"A revolving fund of not over two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) may be set apart from the fund derived from the sale of school and swamp lands, to be used in constructing roads, ditches and fire breaks in, through and around unsold school and swamp lands and in clearing such lands, such fund to be replenished as long as needed from the enhanced value realized from the sale of such lands so benefited."

Under Section Two as it now stands the proceeds of the sale of school and swamp lands constitute the principal of a trust fund, the income of which is used for the support of the schools, educational and charitable institutions of the state. Section Two as it now stands provides that the principal of such fund "shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished."

THE EFFECT of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to modify the provision last quoted to the extent of permitting the legislature to set aside not to exceed $250,000 of the principal of the trust fund as a revolving fund to be used for the purposes stated in the amendment proposed.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 2.

By Chapter 380, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Section Six (6), of Article Eight (8) of the Constitution.

Section Six as it now stands reads as follows:

"Section 6. INVESTMENT OF SCHOOL FUNDS — The permanent school and university fund of this state may be invested in the bonds of any county, school district, city, town, or village of this state, but no such investment shall be made until approved by the board of commissioners designated by law to regulate the investment of the permanent school fund and the permanent university fund of this state; nor shall such loan or investment be made when the bonds to be issued or purchased would make the entire bonded indebtedness exceed fifteen per cent of the assessed valuation of the taxable real property of the county, school district, city, town or village issuing such bonds; nor shall such loans or indebtedness be made at a lower rate of interest than three per cent per annum, nor for a shorter period than five years, nor for a longer period than twenty years, and no change of the town, school district, city, village or of county lines shall relieve the real property in such town, school district, county, village or city in this state at the time of the issuing of such bonds from any liability for taxation to pay such bonds."

If the proposed amendment is adopted it will then read as follows:

"The permanent school and university fund of this state may be invested in the bonds of any county, school district, city, town or village of this state, and in first mortgage loans secured upon improved and cultivated farm lands of this state. But no such investment or loan shall be made until approved by the board of commissioners designated by law to regulate the investment of the permanent school fund and the permanent university fund of this state; nor shall such loan or investment be made when the bonds to be issued or purchased would make the entire bonded indebtedness exceed 15 per cent of the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the county, school district, city, town or village issuing such bonds; nor shall any farm loan, or investment be made when such investment or loan would exceed 30 per cent of the actual cash value of the farm land mortgage to secure said investment; nor shall such investments or loans be made at a lower rate of interest than 3 per cent per annum, nor for a shorter period than five years, nor for a longer period than thirty years, and no change of the town, school district, city, village or of county lines shall relieve the real property in such town, school district, county, village or city in this state at the time of issuing of such bonds from any liability for taxation to pay such bonds."

THE PURPOSE of the amendment is to authorize the investment of the permanent school and university funds in first mortgage loans secured upon improved and cultivated farm lands where the amount of the loans so secured does not exceed 30 per cent of the value of the land mortgaged.

THE EFFECT of the adoption of the proposed amendment will be to permit the legislature to authorize the investment of the permanent school and university funds in farm mortgages as above stated, as well as in the bonds of any county, school district, city, town or village of this state. Under Section Six as it now reads bonds cannot be purchased unless they mature at least five and not more than twenty years after purchase. If the amendment is adopted, bonds and mortgages may be purchased if they mature not less than five nor more than thirty years after purchase.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 3.

By Chapter 381, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Article Nine (9) of the Constitution by adding thereto a new section, which reads as follows:

"Section 17. The legislature is hereby authorized to provide by law for the mining and sale of any iron ore or other minerals which the state owns, in its sovereign capacity, and as trustee for the people of the state, which are situate under the waters or bed of any meandered public lake or river, and for that purpose may provide for the drainage of any such lake or river, or the diversion of the waters thereof to a new bed or channel, provided, however, that the vested riparian rights of private persons or corporations owning land adjoining such lakes shall not be destroyed or damaged without their consent, unless compensation therefor shall be first paid or secured. The principal of all funds arising from the sale of such iron ore, or other minerals, shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished, but the income therefrom shall be used for the construction, improvement and maintenance of the public roads of the state. The principal of such funds shall be loaned or invested in the same manner, by the same officers and upon the same terms as is, or from time to time hereafter may be authorized by the constitution and laws, for the loaning or investment of the permanent school and university funds of the state."

THE PURPOSE of the proposed amendment cannot be more clearly stated than is expressed therein.

THE EFFECT of the amendment, if adopted, would be to confer power on the legislature to provide by law for the mining of iron ore and other minerals, which the state owns in its sovereign capacity and situate under the bed of any meandered public lake or river, subject to the restriction that the rights of riparian owners on any such lake or river, shall not be destroyed or injured without compensation. If the legislature exercises the power, in case it is conferred, it could also provide for the drainage or diversion of the waters of the lake or river with reference to which it so legislates; it could also prescribe by whom such minerals could be mined and the compensation to be paid to the state therefor. The proceeds of the sale of any such minerals would constitute a fund, to be loaned and invested the same as the permanent school and university funds, the income of such fund to be used in the construction, improvement and maintenance of public roads.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 4.

By Chapter 382, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed an amendment to Section Two (2) of Article Six of the Constitution.

Said Section 2 now reads as follows:

"Section 2. SUPREME COURT— The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and two associate justices, but the number of associate justices may be increased to a number not exceeding four, by the legislature, by a two-thirds vote, when it shall be deemed necessary. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions. There shall be chosen, by the qualified electors of the state, one clerk of the supreme court, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and until his successor is duly elected and qualified; and the judges of the supreme court, or a majority of them, shall have the power to fill any vacancy in the office of clerk of the supreme court until an election can be regularly had."

If the proposed amendment is adopted the section will then read as follows:

"Section 2. The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and six associate justices. Five shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of at least four shall be necessary to a decision. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions and a clerk of the supreme court."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Supreme Court as now constituted consists of a chief justice and four associate justices. The clerk of said court is now elected. If the amendment is adopted, two associate justices will be added to the court and the clerk will be appointed by the court instead of being elected by the voters.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 5.

By Chapter 383, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Section Eleven (11) of Article Four (4) of the Constitution.

Said section now reads as follows:

"Section 11. APPROVAL OF BILLS BY GOVERNOR — VETO POWER— Every bill which shall have passed the senate and house of representatives, in conformity to the rules of each house and the joint rules of the two houses, shall, before it becomes a law, be presented to the governor of the state. If he approves he shall sign and deposit it in the office of the secretary of state for preservation, and notify the house where it originated of the fact. But if not, he shall return it with his objections, to the house in which it shall have originated; when such objections shall be entered at large on the journal of the same, and the house shall proceed to reconsider the bill. If, after such reconsideration, two-thirds of that house shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered; and if it be approved by two-thirds of that house it shall become a law. But in all such cases the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the persons voting for or against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each house respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the governor within three days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the legislature, by adjournment within that time, prevents its return; in which case it shall not be a law. The governor may approve, sign and file in the office of the secretary of state, within three days after the adjournment of the legislature, any act passed during the last three days of the session, and the same shall become a law. If any bill presented to the governor contains several items of appropriation of money he may object to one or more of such items, while approving of the other portion of the bill. In such case, he shall append to the bill, at the time of signing it, a statement of the items to which he objects, and the appropriation so objected to shall not take effect. If the legislature be in session, he shall transmit to the house in which the bill originated a copy of such statement, and the items objected to shall be separately reconsidered. If, on reconsideration, one or more of such items be approved by two-thirds of the members elected to each house, the same shall be a part of the law, notwithstanding the objections of the governor. All the provisions of this section, in relation to bills not approved by the governor, shall apply in cases in which he shall withhold his approval from any item or items contained in a bill appropriating money."

It is proposed to amend that section so that it shall read as follows:

"Section 11. Every bill which shall have passed the senate and house of representatives, in conformity to the rules of each house and the joint rules of the two houses, shall, before it becomes a law, be presented to the governor of the state. If he approves he shall sign and deposit it in the office of the secretary of state for preservation, and notify the house where it originated of the fact. But if not, he shall return it, with his objections, to the house in which it shall have originated; when such objections shall be entered at large on the journal of the same, and the house shall proceed to reconsider the bill. If, after such reconsideration, two-thirds of that house shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered; and if it be approved by two-thirds of that house it shall become a law. But in all such cases the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the persons voting for or against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each house respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the governor within three days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the legislature by adjournment within that time, prevent its return; in which case it shall not be a law. The governor may approve, sign and file in the office of the secretary of state, within three days after the adjournment of the legislature, any act passed during the last three days of the session, and the same shall become a law. If any bill presented to the governor contains several items of appropriation of money, he may object to one or more of such items in whole or in part, while approving of the other portion of the bill. In such case he shall append to the bill, at the time of signing it, a statement of the items and parts of items to which he objects, and the part of any appropriation so objected to shall not take effect. If the legislature be in session, he shall transmit to the house in which the bill originated a copy of such statement, and the items objected to in whole or in part shall be separately reconsidered. If, on reconsideration, one or more of such items be approved by two-thirds of the members elected to each house, the same shall be a part of the law, notwithstanding the objections of the governor. All the provisions of this section, in relation to bills not approved by the governor, shall apply in cases in which he shall withhold his approval in whole or in part from any item or items contained in a bill appropriating money."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: Under the Constitution as it now is, the governor may veto any item in an appropriation bill, but he cannot cut down the amount appropriated for any specific purpose. The amendment, if adopted, will give the governor power to reduce the amount of an appropriation for any given purpose, unless upon transmittal to the legislature of a statement of the part of an item of an appropriation bill to which he objects, the two houses, each by a two-thirds vote, approve the item as it was originally passed.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 6.

By Chapter 384, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed an amendment of Section Thirteen (13) of Article One (1) of the Constitution.

The section as it now stands reads as follows:

"Section 13. PRIVATE PROPERTY FOR PUBLIC USE.—Private property shall not be taken, destroyed or damaged for public use, without just compensation therefor first paid or secured."

If the amendment is adopted the section will read as follows:

"Section 13. Private property shall not be taken, destroyed or damaged for public use, without just compensation therefor first paid or secured, and such private property may be taken, destroyed or damaged for the purpose of private as well as public drainage upon just compensation therefor being first paid or secured."

THE PURPOSE of the proposed amendment is to permit the taking of private lands for the purpose of drainage purposes where the drain or ditch will be of no public benefit, but on the contrary will only benefit the land or lands of the person or persons constructing the drainage ditch.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 7.

By Chapter 385, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Section One (1) of Article Four (4) of the Constitution.

Section One as it now stands, reads as follows:

"Section 1. TWO HOUSES — SESSIONS — The legislature shall consist of the senate and house of representatives, which shall meet biennially at the seat of government of the state, at such time as shall be prescribed by law, but no session shall exceed the term of ninety legislative days, and no new bill shall be introduced in either branch except on the written request of the governor, during the last twenty days of such session, except the attention of the legislature shall be called to some important matter of general interest by a special message from the governor."

If the amendment is adopted, the section will then read as follows:

"Sec. 1. TWO HOUSES—SESSIONS. — The legislature shall consist of the senate and house of representatives, which shall meet biennially at the seat of government of the state, at such time as shall be prescribed by law, but no session shall exceed the term of ninety (90) legislative days, and no bill shall be introduced in either branch, except on the written request of the governor, during the last twenty days of such session, except the attention of the legislature shall be called to some important matter of general interest by a special message from the governor; but the people reserve to themselves direct power as follows:

(a) CONSTITUTIONAL INITIATIVE.—When at any time prior to the commencement of any session of the legislature, there shall have been filed with the secretary of state a petition proposing an amendment to the constitution, signed by two per centum of the electors of the state, the secretary of state shall transmit the same to the legislature not later than ten (10) days after the commencement of the session. If the amendment so proposed be not submitted to the electors by the legislature at such session, or if it be submitted in an amended form, then, upon a further petition or petitions, each signed by eight per centum of the electors of the state, filed with the secretary of state within six months after the adjournment of the legislature, the amendment proposed in the first petition, or one or more amended forms thereof, shall be submitted to the electors for their approval or rejection at the next general or special state-wide election occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of any such further petition. Any amendment proposed by initiative petition and to its original or in an amended form, submitted to the electors by the legislature or by a further petition, shall become a part of the constitution, if approved by a majority of the electors voting at such election, or by four-sevenths of the electors voting on the proposed amendment; provided, not less than three-sevenths of the electors voting at said election voted for the proposed amendment. This section shall be construed as a means in addition to Section 1, Article 14, of the state constitution, for amending the same.

(b) STATUTORY INITIATIVE. —When at any time prior to the commencement of any session of the legislature there shall have been filed with the secretary of state, a petition proposing a law, signed by two per centum of the electors of the state, the secretary of state shall transmit the same to the legislature not later than ten (10) days after the commencement of the session. If the law so proposed be not passed by the legislature at such session, or if it be passed in an amended form, then upon a further petition or petitions, each signed by six per centum of the electors of the state, filed with the secretary of state within six months after the adjournment of the legislature, the law proposed in the first petition or one or more amended forms thereof, shall be submitted to the electors at the next general or special state-wide election, occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of any such further petition or petitions, and if approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon, provided the vote in favor of the proposed law be not less than thirty-three per centum of the total number of votes cast at such election, the same shall become a law and go into effect thirty days after such election, and shall supersede any amended form of such law which may have been passed by the legislature. No law passed by the initiative petition and approved by the electors shall be subject to the veto of the governor. The authority of the people to enact laws, as provided in this subdivision, shall extend only to laws authorized by the provisions of the constitution.

(c) THE REFERENDUM. — If within ninety days after the final adjournment of any session of the legislature, a referendum petition, signed by six per centum of the electors of the state, shall be filed with the secretary of state against any law or any part of a law, passed by the legislature at such session, such law, or such part of a law shall be submitted to the electors at the next general or special state-wide election, occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of said petition. If a majority of the votes cast thereon be in the negative, provided such negative vote be not less than thirty-three per centum of the total number of votes cast at such election, such law or such part of a law shall thereby be repealed. Provided, that if a referendum petition is signed by fifteen per centum of the electors of the state, the law, or part of a law, against which such petition is filed shall be suspended pending the referendum vote thereon. Provided the same shall equal 33 per cent of the votes at such election.

Any law providing for a tax levy or appropriating money for the current expenses of the state government or state institutions, any act of the legislature submitting a constitutional amendment or other question to the electors of the state, or any emergency law necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, shall go into effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the governor, and such laws, except emergency laws, shall not be subject to a referendum vote. All other laws shall go into effect ninety days after the adjournment of the legislature. A bill proposing an emergency law shall contain a preamble briefly setting forth the facts constituting the emergency. A separate vote shall be taken upon the preamble of such bill by a call of the yeas and nays, and if the preamble be adopted by a two-thirds vote of all the members of each house, it shall be an emergency law.

(d) GENERAL PROVISIONS.— All petitions provided for in this section shall contain a title indicating the subject and purpose of the proposed law or constitutional amendment, or the law, or part of a law to be referred, and if a change is proposed in an existing constitutional provision or statute, in addition to referring to the same, it shall state the general effect of the proposed change and also the full text of the proposed law or amendment to the constitution, or of the law or part of a law, to be referred. Any initiative or referendum petition may be signed in separate parts but each part shall conform to the provisions herein contained. All petitions shall be signed and verified before a person authorized to administer an oath, and shall be in such form that a person signing a petition thereby states under oath, the date of his signature, his residence, that he is a qualified elector, that he has not previously signed any part of such petition, and that he has signed the petition with knowledge of the contents thereof. To each part of such petition shall be attached the affidavit of the person before whom the same was signed, which affidavit shall contain a statement of the number of signers thereon, that each of the signatures attached to such part was made in the presence of the affiant, that to the best of his knowledge and belief each signature is the genuine signature of the person whose name it purports to be, that he believes the persons who have signed such petition to be electors, that they signed such petition with knowledge of the contents thereof, and that each person signed the same on the date stated opposite his name. The circulation of the petition provided for herein, or the prohibition of the circulation thereof, may be regulated by law, and in case the circulation of any petition is prohibited by law, the percentage of signers required on any petition provided for in this section shall be one-half of the percentage specified in subdivisions a, b and c of this section.

The percentage in any case shall be based upon the total number of votes cast for governor at the next preceding election. All petitions provided for in this section shall contain the signature of not less than one-half of the designated percentage of the electors in not less than one-fourth of the counties of the state. In initiating a law or constitutional amendment, electors who have signed the first shall be qualified to sign the second petition.

The sufficiency of all petitions shall be decided by the secretary of state subject to review by the court. If the secretary of state decides that any petition is insufficient, he shall permit a reasonable time for making corrections or for filing additional signatures. In the event of legal proceedings in court to prevent giving effect to any such petition on account of insufficiency, or any other ground, the burden of proof shall be upon the person attacking the petition. No law or amendment to the constitution initiated and approved by the electors as herein provided, shall be held unconstitutional or void on account of the insufficiency of any initiative petition; nor shall the repeal of any law submitted by referendum petition be held invalid for such insufficiency.

All initiative laws and constitutional amendments shall be so submitted to the electors as to permit an affirmative or negative vote upon each measure submitted. If conflicting proposed laws or conflicting proposed amendments to the constitution be approved at the same election, the one receiving the highest number of affirmative votes shall prevail as to conflicting provisions.

The style of all legislative measures and amendments to the constitution initiated by the people under this section shall be: "Be it enacted by the People of the State of Minnesota."

The provisions of this section may be enforced by appropriate legislation, but until such legislation has been enacted, this section shall be self executing.

THE PURPOSE AND EFFECT of this amendment, if adopted, will be three-fold.

(a) It will permit the voters to propose amendments to the state constitution, for adoption, without action by the legislature. Under the constitution as it now stands constitutional amendments can be proposed only by the legislature.

(b) So, too, if adopted, the amendment will permit electors to propose laws for enactment and if not enacted by the legislatures, the voters may by sufficient petition, require the question of the enactment of the proposed law to be submitted to the voters. If approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon, provided the vote in favor of the proposed law is not less than thirty-three per cent of the total number of votes cast at such election, the same becomes a law with the same force and effect as though passed by the legislature. The governor will have no power to veto a law so passed, but the people cannot so pass any law which is prohibited by the constitution.

(c) So too, if adopted, the amendment will permit the voters by proper petition to require a vote on the question of whether or not any law or part thereof, of certain classes of laws, passed by the legislature shall be repealed. If the petition asking for the referendum is signed by fifteen per cent of the voters of the state, the number of whom is to be determined by the number of votes cast for Governor at the preceding election, the law so referred to the voters will not take effect pending the referendum vote thereon. The vote required to repeal a law passed by the legislature and the classes of laws which cannot be so repealed are specified in Subdivision "C" of the proposed amendment as above printed.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 8.

By Chapter 386, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors an amendment of Section 7, Article 6, of the constitution.

The section now reads as follows:

"Section 7. PROBATE COURTS— There shall be established in each organized county in the state a probate court, which shall be a court of record, and be held at such times and places as may be prescribed by law. It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of two years. He shall be a resident of such county at the time of his election, and reside therein during his continuance in office; and his compensation shall be provided by law. He may appoint his own clerk where none has been elected; but the legislature may authorize the election, by the electors of any county, of one clerk or register of probate for such county, whose powers, duties, term of office and compensation shall be prescribed by law. A probate court shall have jurisdiction over the estates of deceased persons and persons under guardianship, but no other jurisdiction, except as prescribed by this constitution."

The amendment simply proposes to substitute the word "four" for the word "two" so that the sentence prescribing the duration of the term of office will, if the amendment is adopted, read as follows:

"It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of four years."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The amendment, if adopted will make the term of office of the Judge of Probate four years instead of two.

Visited by the Catacombs.

"Did I understand you to say you were in Europe?" he asked of the man who was talking to a drummer across the aisle.

"Yes, sir."

"Were you in Rome?"

"I was there for a month, sir."

"Ah, I am glad to have met you. I wanted to ask about Rome. You visited the catacombs, of course?"

"Didn't have to. They visited me."

"How do you mean?"

"Why, I never stirred out of the hotel that they weren't striking me for alms. Never saw such an infernal set in all my born days."

"Don't you mean the lazzaroni?"

"Of course. The catacombs and the lazzaroni are the same thing, only 'catacombs' is the Italian of it and the other is the English. If you haven't been over I'd advise you to go—if you can raise the dudads. You don't know how much a trip abroad will broaden and liberalize your mind."

And the other sank back and hid himself in a corner, and he did not get over looking pale for the next 20 miles.

Real Academic Dignity.

Max Muller tells a story of one of Dr. Strachan Davidson's predecessors as master of Balliol. "Once, when returning from a solitary walk, Doctor Jenkins, whose regard for his own dignity was very great, slipped and fell. Two undergraduates, seeing the accident, ran to assist him, and were just laying hands on him to lift him up when he descried a master of arts coming. 'Stop!' he cried, 'I see a master of arts coming down the street,' and he dismissed the undergraduates with many thanks, and was helped on his legs by the M. A."—London Chronicle.

The Clever Wasp.

Wasps appear to be well-nigh as industrious as ants or bees. One authority has declared that the cardinal doctrine of the wasp is: "If any wasp will not work, neither shall he eat."

Division of labor is clearly seen in the wasp's nest. Some of the workers seem to be specially employed as foragers and soldiers, others appear to be told off as nurses and guardians, while yet others are engaged as paper makers and masons.

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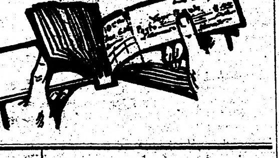
WHEN THE BOSS GIVES YOU A RAISE, don't think you can spend that much more but SAVE THAT MUCH MORE each week or month as the case may be.

It's the raises you put in the bank now which will see you safely down the slope on the hill of life.

Start an account to-day and get ready for the raise to follow.

Farmers State Bank of Holt



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For Sale

The N. W. 1-4 sec. 12 town 155 range 42. Also the S. W. 1-4 sec. 14 town 153 range 42. All in Marshall county.

E. C. Nielsen
[illegible]

2,000,000 acres of state land will be improved and placed on the market if the first amendment carries. The permanent school fund will receive the money from the sale of the newly improved land. Vote for amendment No. One. All northern Minnesota is interested in this.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minn., Sept. 23, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Arnold Bornstein, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on July 13th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08277, for N W1-4 NW1-4 Sec. 14, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 7th day of November, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Hans Stensrud, Svenke G. Svenkeson, Frank W. Tabor and Ole J. Moen, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

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Sale Of School And Other State Lands

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 25, 1916
State of Minnesota,
State Auditor's Office,

Notice is hereby given that on November 25, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the office of the County Auditor at Warren, Marshall County, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the State by reason [illegible]

TERMS OF SALE

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part on or before forty years from the date of sale at an interest rate of four per cent per per annum, due on June 1st of each year; provided that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June and May thirty-first without penalty.

Appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid for in full at the time of sale.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale, to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption, "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land as provided by the General Laws 1905; provided, however, that state lands purchased previous to 1905 are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office. List giving legal descriptions of land to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and the County Auditor at above address.

J. A. O. PREUS,
State Auditor.

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Soldier Boy Returns

Jesse Sorum returned home Wednesday from the Mexican border, where had been serving in the Federal army. Six from his regiment, of N. Dak. National Guards, were discharged. When they left Mercedes, Texas, last week Thursday, the thermometer stood at 106. That is some different than here.

Jesse is glad to get home and says he does'nt like army life.

Miss Christine Saastad went to T. R. Falls Friday for a short visit.

W. DeBoer, of Fisher, was a business caller in town the first of the week.

Mrs. Johnson, of Erskine, visited Mrs. Albert Bennes a couple of days last week.

Willie Bakke commenced working in the Holt State Bank, one day last week.

Misses Gunhild and Olava Sollom came over from Viking and spent Sunday at home.

Rev. McMartin will preach here at eight o'clock next Monday evening. All invited.

Railroad carpenters made some repairs, the past week, on the depot and water tank.

Hjalmer Johnson has been hauling out lumber for a small house which he will build on his place.

K. T. Knutson returned last week Thursday from a weeks visit with his daughters in Gary, Norman Co.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Hagelie and family, of Crookston, were Sunday visitors at the pleasant home of Mrs. J. L. Nelson.

The Misses Selma Dovre and Lydia Bjerk have been clerking in R. Reierson's store for several days during their closing out sale.

We pay freight on 100 lb. or over, [illegible] copper. Rags [illegible] to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson, of Olender, California, visited a few days this week at the home of the latters sister, Mrs. K. O. Flakne, and family.

H. M. Olson returned Wednesday from Milton, N. D., where he has been working for a few months. He reports snow there Tuesday and the threshing not quite done.

Carpenters have been working at the Red Lake Falls elevator for several days, putting in a shipping scale and making some repairs inside and outside of the building.

C. L. Stevens was over from Warren, Saturday. Mr. Stevens has done good work in the state legislature, has had only one term, and is deserving of re-election. Remember this when you mark your ballot on Nov. 7th.

John A. Thompson will sell three good work horses, 1 imported Stallion, 8 head of cattle, nearly new farm machinery, oats and nearly new household goods, at public auction at 11 o'clock A. M., Saturday Oct. 28. Three miles west and one mile north of Holt.

W. Malberg was here Friday and Saturday interviewing the voters of Holt and vicinity. Perhaps he was trying to explain to them just why he told Co. Com. Fladeland Holt had enough roads and that we did'nt need the road and bridge across Thief River between Holt and Grygla. We hav'ent that bridge yet and the voters will remember that on election day.

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A Small Blaze

A straw pile north of the livery barn caught fire Saturday afternoon and but for prompt work on the part of the people it would undoubtedly have proven a very disastrous fire for our village. The well in the barn furnished lots of water and it was freely used to good advantage.

The carpenters have the frame up for Mrs. Sven Johnson's new house.

The big engine and force pump for the village finally arrived here Wednesday.

Albert Bjerk returned home Friday from Hillsboro, where he had employment the past season.

Mesdames D. B. Bakke and Fred Lufkin, of T. R. Falls, were Sunday visitors at the Docken home.

It is being reported the Crookston Land Office has rejected the applications of the Mud Lake squatters.

Julius Olson came down from Strathcona, Saturday for a short visited with relatives and friends.

Reierson is closing out his stock of Duck Coats at $4.50, 4.75, and 5.00. Donit forget his closing out sale.

Hallowe'en party and basket social at the school house Tuesday evening Oct. 31th. Proceeds, benefit of the school.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kolden, Tuesday, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Martin Strom, in T. R. Falls

Ida Kjelgren went to Thief River Falls, Saturday, to visit Tillie Nyberg at the hospital. Tillie is getting along fine and expects to return home soon.

H. M. Johnson, P. L. Anderson, Ole Backlund, Ludwig Gullickson, Albert Knutson and Clarance Dockson went to Middle River Saturday [illegible] they report as being a splendid entertainment.

For Representative

To the Voters of Marshall County:-

I have served as your Representative in the Legislature one session and am now asking for SECOND term. I am asking this on my record, which contains nothing I desire to conceal.

In the 1915 session I opposed all extravagant appropriations and advocated larger ones than those made in but two cases, viz: for state aid to rural schools, and for the prevention and cure of tuberculosis.

My re-election would result in your Representative in the 1917 Legislature being given better committee positions and having greater prestige and influence than would be accorded to a new man. With this advantage I would be able to render you better service and be able to secure the passage of any legislation in which you might be specially interested.

The pledges I made you in 1915 have been faithfully kept, as an examination of my record will fully prove.

Soliciting your support and your votes at the election on November 7, 1916, I am,

Respectfully yours,
C. L. STEVENS.

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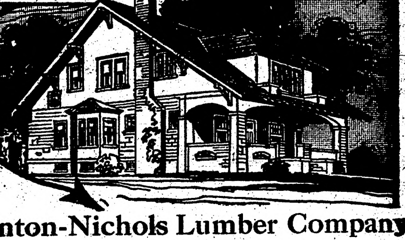

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WAR NEWS.

Austria-Hungary is calling up fifteen classes of men which heretofore had been exempt from military service, says a dispatch from Berne, Switzerland.

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Total casualties among officers and men of the Canadian expeditionary forces were 52,026 up to October 11, according to figures compiled by the casualty record office at Ottawa, Ont.

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Since the start of the war a total of 1,217 mines have been washed on the coast of Holland. Of these 656 were British, 62 French, 219 German and 280 of undetermined origin.

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Word has been received in London that the German submarine Bremen is on its way to German East Africa and that it was never intended for it to go to the United States.

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Nearly 650 troops lost their lives when the cruiser Gallia, carrying 2,000 Serb and French soldiers, was torpedoed and sunk in the Mediterranean on October 4.

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Further evidence of the heavy toll neutral shipping is paying in the world war is contained in a statement given out in London, showing that nineteen Dutch vessels had been sunk by enemy mines from June 1 and Sept. 24.

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The British official press bureau announces the German losses during the war up to the end of September as: Dead, 870,182; prisoners and missing, 428,829, and wounded, 2,257,007—a total of 3,556,018. The figures were compiled from German official lists.

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Casualties among the Russian armies during this year's offensive on the eastern front, according to German calculations, have been 1,250,000 officers and men. According to conservative Danish calculations, during the first two years of the war Russia lost considerably more than 6,000,000 men.

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Latest reports on the situation in Greece are that the Greek authorities have yielded to the allies demands for the turning over of virtually the entire Greek navy and the dismantling or surrender of forts on the sea coast and control of railroad, mail and telegraph service.

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Four British freight steamers, the Strathdene, West Point, Stephano and the Kingston, also one Dutch freighter, Bloomesdjk, and a Norwegian craft were sunk by a German U-boat off the Massachusetts coast on Sunday, Oct. 8. It is reported all were given warning before being sent to the bottom of the ocean and no lives were lost.

GENERAL.

During the fiscal year ending with July, 1916, the population of Berlin, Germany, declined to 1,790,821 from the 1915 total of 1,860,484.

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The Spanish government has given definite orders prohibiting the revictualing of submarines in Spanish waters.

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Nine men lost their lives in a fire which destroyed the central portion of the main building of Christian Brothers' college at St. Louis.

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A public drinking fountain will be erected by the Women's Christian Temperance union of Kansas as a memorial to Mrs. Carrie Nation, militant crusader against saloons, in Capitol square at Topeka.

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James Couzens, Detroit's multimillionaire police commissioner, announced the establishment of a bonus system for members of the Detroit police force. The bonus provided personally by Mr. Couzens will amount to about $10,000 annually. It is believed to be the first of its kind ever established in the United States.

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The Topeka Western League Baseball club will be moved to some other city, probably Peoria, Ill., or Kansas City, Kas., or sold soon, according to an announcement by John Savage, owner of the club.

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A starvation period is an excellent substitute for a month's vacation, according to Prof. Carlson of the University of Chicago physiology department. He and an assistant went without food for five days and claim to have proved the theory.

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Denver bakers were justified in their recent proposed increase in the price of from 5 to 8 cents a loaf, according to a report by a special committee from the Denver Civic and Comercial association.

Rev. Irl R. Hicks, astronomer and "long distance" weather forecaster and publisher, died at St. Louis. He was 71 years old. He is said to have amassed a fortune through the publication of "Hick's almanac."

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A woman was killed, two men probably mortally wounded and a half dozen other persons less seriously hurt when the police fired a volley into a crowd of Standard Oil strikers and their sympathizers at Bayonne, N. J.

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Armour Packing company will cut a 400 per cent melon at the next meeting of the board of directors. R. J. Dunham, vice president, in a statement at Chicago said an increase of the capitalization from $20,000,000 to $100,000,000 also would be considered.

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Former King Otto of Bavaria, who has been insane for many years, has died suddenly, according to a Berlin official announcement. The mad king died at Fuerestenried castle, near Munich, where he has been confined since 1873.

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A cyclone swept over St. Thomas, D. W. I., with disastrous results. Almost every building in the city was damaged. The damage is estimated at $2,000,000. The Island of St. Croix and the town of Christianstad suffered heavily.

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In reporting to its membership a baseball game between Brooklyn and Boston during the world-series at Brooklyn, the Associated Press delivered the descriptive play to 400 offices, using a total of 26,000 miles of telegraph wires, all operated and controlled by the sender at the park.

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The Boston American lague baseball team gained the title of world's champions when they defeated the Brooklyn Nationals, in the fifth and final game of the world's series of 1916, making four wins for the Red Socks to one for the Dodgers. The attendance for the five games amounted to 162,359, and the receipts $385,590.50.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

A new element has been injected into the discussions of the American and Mexican commission at Atlantic City, N. J., by the inability of the Carranza government to pay its soldiers.

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General Carranza may not be a candidate for the presidency of Mexico at the election to be held by the de facto government, J. J. Pesquiera, Carranza consul at Los Angeles, Cal., declared recently.

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Notwithstanding the sufferings of peons in the district which Villa is now preying on, they would rise to a man in his behalf if the American expedition were to operate south of its present base, according to a report received in El Paso.

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Nineteen Mexicans who are being held by the army authorities at Colonia Dublan for alleged connection with the Villa raid on Columbus, N. M., March 9, have been indicted by the Luna county grand jury. All are charged with murder.

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The Mexican government has prepared a decree providing for the death penalty for robbers, bandits and those convicted of holdups. The decree is similar to the one issued by Benito Juarez, and is for the purpose of putting an end to banditry.

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General Carranza has signed a decree prohibiting bull fighting throughout Mexico. The decree is the climax of a campaign waged by the newspaper, El Universal, which attracted wide attention throughout the republic.

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An official report to Maj. Gen. Frederick Funston confirmed reports that a small band of Villistas is within ten miles of General Pershing's column. Villa himself is at the head of 1,800 men at Guerrero, on the Mexican Northwestern line, where Pershing's cavalry had a battle last spring.

WASHINGTON.

Further decrease in production prospects of the country's principal farm crops, excepting corn, flax, rice and kafirs was indicated in the Department of Agriculture's monthly report, just issued.

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Submarines of belligerent powers visiting American waters will be treated as warships under international law. This fact was made known to the allies by the state department in answer to a memorandum asking that submarines be prevented from the use of neutral waters and that such vessels entering neutral harbors be interned.

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The pension bureau has received 66,000 applications for increases in widows' pensions under the law passed by congress at the last session. Of the applications 25,000 already have been allowed and allowances are being made at the rate of about 2,000 a day.

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The federal farm loan board has fixed on 4 per cent as the interest on farm loan bank bonds. This means that farmers who patronize the farm loan banks will pay from 4½ to 5 per cent for loans.

THREE ROADS MAY BE ONE FOR RATES

R. R. AND WAREHOUSE COMMISSION BEGINS HEARINGS ON ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

HEALTH RULES ARE ADOPTED

State Board Passes Regulations to Prevent Blindness of Infants and Disposes of Other Matters—To Ask No New Laws of Legislature.

St. Paul.

The state railroad and warehouse commission has begun hearings on an order to the Northern Pacific, Minnesota & International, and Big Forks & International Railway companies to show cause why they should not be treated as one line for rate making purposes following the supreme court decision that the North Western & Omaha roads should be so regarded.

The answer of the companies is that the roads are independently owned and that further reduction of rates, under those established under the Cassman distant tariff law, would be confiscatory.

The Backus-Brooks company and E. W. Backus, the latter as an individual and also a trustee, intervening, claim to own 30 per cent of the Minnesota & International road, and maintain that line is managed, operated and owned independently of the other companies.

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To Check Infant Blindness.

The state board of health has just passed regulations, which have the effect of law, to prevent blindness among infants and to protect the city water supply in St. Paul, modified those relating to transportation of the dead, and disposed of numerous minor matters.

The regulation to prevent blindness among infants requires physicians or others in attendance at births to "treat the eyes of every new born babe with a one per cent solution of silver nitrate." Midwives are required to call a licensed physician when inflammation develops in both eyes of the infant under their care.

The policy of the board in the next Legislature will be simply to carry on its work and it will introduce little or no new legislation, it was announced.

The subject has been one of some speculation following the organization of various agencies to formulate new bills relating to public health in the state.

"With these various organizations at work," said Dr. H. M. Bracken, executive officer, "the board did not feel that much activity is demanded from it although we expect to be consulted on the subjects as they claim attention from the legislators."

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Food Quality Improves.

Sixteen years' fight by the Minnesota Dairy and Food Commission against the use of injurious preservatives and other adulteratives has affected a marked improvement in the wholesomeness of food products sold in Minnesota, according to Julius Hortvet, state chemist. Only one of thirty samples of tomato catsup, for example, he said, was found illegal, while more than 50 per cent of the samples were "outside the law" in other years. Salicylic acid, sulphates and coal tar dye have entirely disappeared since the state began allowing a harmless amount of preservatives, the chemist said.

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State Aids Stammerers.

C. G. Schulz, state commissioner of education, has notified George F. Womrath, business superintendent of schools, that the state aid for special work for stammerers, deaf children and special classes conducted in the Minneapolis schools will this year amount to $12,451.65. This is apportioned $10,285; for the work with deaf children $1,300. Miss May E. Byrne has supervised the schools.

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Projects For Sanitoria Safe.

Delays in pending projects for three new county tuberculosis sanitoria, threatened, according to reports at the capitol, by a new clash between the state board of health and the state tuberculosis advisory commission like that during the last legislature, were avoided under an agreement reached at a conference of interested state officials.

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To Ask Explosives Law.

The use of explosives in agriculture and other peaceful pursuits has increased so rapidly in recent years, Robert W. Hargadine, state fire marshal, said that he plans to recommend to the next Legislature the passage of a law establishing safety zones around places where dynamite and other explosives are stored in Minnesota.

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Plague Probe Ordered.

Special investigation of the handling of an outbreak of infantile paralysis at Brainerd last August has been ordered by the state board of health. Dr. A. J. Chesley of the division of preventable diseases, said sudden deaths of five or six children were reported in that city about the time of the reported outbreak, that it was stated no attention was paid to quarantine regulations and that there were indications of the existence of cases other than those located later by board experts.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Red Wing. — More than 100 cities and villages were represented at the fourth annual convention of the League of Minnesota Municipalities, at Red Wing. The organization has a membership of 121 municipalities.

St. Paul. — Special state aid of $27,219.67 to schools in eight Minnesota cities maintaining classes for deaf and sub-normal pupils is apportioned according to a report from S. A. Challman, inspector, to C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of instruction.

Northfield. — Charles J. Hunt of St. Paul sounded the keynote of Congregationalism here in the moderator's address before the sixty-first annual state conference of the denomination at the opening meeting of a two days' program.

St. Paul. — Property loss of $617,358 resulted from 251 fires in Minnesota during September, Robert W. Hargadine, state fire marshal, announces. In the corresponding month last year 208 fires caused $317,662 loss, he added.

Bemidji. — Nymore, a suburb, was annexed to Bemidji and a $75,000 gas franchise granted to the Public Improvement company of Minneapolis at a meeting of the city council. With the incorporation, Bemidji has a population exceeding 8,000.

St. Paul. — Only a "general demand from over the state" for laws to permit the Minnesota guardsmen on the border to vote Nov. 7, Governor J. A. A. Burnquist said, will result in a call for an extra session of the legislature. "Such a demand doesn't exist at this time, in my opinion," said the governor.

Winona. — Through the use of large pumps, the steamer Frontenac has been floated and towed to Fountain City, under the direction of W. D. Wisherd of the Mississippi Excursion Boat agency. The Frontenac, 18 months ago, struck the lower railway bridge in Winona. She sank after being partly beached.

Minneapolis. — George H. Reif, superintendent of schools for Ramsey county, in an address before the Minnesota Public Health association, in session at the Radisson hotel, Minneapolis, advocated legislation covering the medical examination of school children and providing for county nurses in rural communities.

Brainerd. — L. H. Slocum, who was removed as auditor of Koochiching county, following irregularities found in the books of his office, cannot be compelled to testify before M. J. Brown, special commissioner appointed by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist to investigate the county finances, Judge W. S. McClenahan has ruled.

Wabasso. — Minnesota state banks number 1,290 with the opening of the Farmers' State Bank of Wabasso, which has just been chartered by A. H. Turrittin, state superintendent of banks. It begins with $15,000 capital and $3,000 surplus. C. L. Burley and M. J. Burley, both of Wabasso, are president and cashier respectively.

Northfield. — A unanimous indorsement was given the plan for co-operation between the Baptists and Congregationalists of Minnesota in the support of Carleton college here and Pillsbury academy, Owatonna, and St. Paul was chosen as the 1917 meeting place at the business session of the Minnesota Congregational conference here.

Brainerd.—Each of the twelve counties interested in the Minnesota Scenic highway will take fifty memberships, according to plans adopted by the directors of the association behind the enterprise at a meeting here. The territory includes Hennepin and Ramsey counties. Membership buttons are being sold at $1 each to furnish financial support.

Brainerd. — It was a motion picture play that brought light here. For weeks the city had been in darkness because the general fund was overdrawn and the city owed the water and light board $13,000. The Brainerd Amusement company staged a benefit movie performance to raise money to buy enough street light for a month or more. The event was a thorough success.

St. Paul. — Radical changes in the organization of Minnesota's state government have just been proposed by Representative L. C. Spooner of Morris to members of the state efficiency and economy commission, meeting at the state capitol. The program has been the subject of conferences, and it was said that most of the changes suggested by Mr. Spooner were likely to be approved.

Crookston. — Resolutions asking that the legislatures of Minnesota, North and South Dakota appropriate a fund for a topographical survey of the Red river valley, and also appoint a commission to eradicate noxious weeds, were passed by more than 300 representative business and professional men of northwestern Minnesota, North and South Dakota, in session here to discuss grain and flood control of the Red river valley.

Boy River. — Two children, one and two years old, were burned to death, and their mother, Mrs. Charles Robbins, suffered severe injuries in her attempt to rescue them, when the Robbins farm home three miles east of here, was entirely destroyed by fire.

Northfield. — Mrs. M. W. Skinner, who gave to Carleton college the new Skinner Memorial chapel dedicated as the opening ceremony in celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the school was announced by President D. J. Cowling as the donor of the pipe organ in the chapel, at a cost of $17,000.

SEPARATES FROM WITCHMAD WIFE

Mr. Gable Didn't Mind Charms and Things, but He Feared for His Safety.

SALT BETWEEN SHEETS

Shouts at Night and Knife Stab in Pillow Broke His Nerve, So He Put the Case Up to Divorce Master.

Reading, Pa.—Still a believer in "hexerei," the German term for witchcraft in this part of Pennsylvania, Mrs. Laura Gable of this city has just learned that charms and incantations may be more successful in keeping away witches than in keeping a husband.

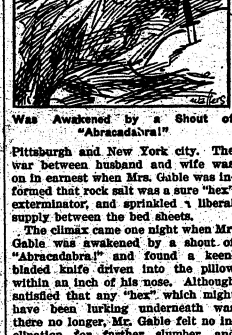
John K. Hahn, master in divorce, has recommended a decree to Joseph H. Gable, whose life appears to have been anything but monotonous because of his wife's weird superstitions. Mr. Hahn decided that Mrs. Gable's campaign to prevent a threatened drive by the witches was not productive of household harmony. His recommendation is equivalent to a decree.

Charms for Protection.

Mr. Gable testified he did not mind so much when Mrs. Gable marked a double cross on the door to keep away witches and wore a charm around her neck and papers with prayers and incantations in her hair for the purpose of keeping the evil one where he belonged.

He remonstrated mildly when, instead of preparing food for the table, Mrs. Gable used the top of the kitchen stove to make strange brews in a caldron, while he took his three meals a day more or less uncomplainingly from the pantry shelf. There was coolness but no open hostilities when Mr. Gable, returning late one night, stumbled over his cane and the family collection of umbrellas arranged in the form of a pantagram just inside the front door.

Patience No Virtue.



Was Awakened by a Shout of "Abracadabra!"

Patience ceased to be a virtue with Mr. Gable when Mrs. Gable's fear of "hexes" led her to use the family purse to visit "hexerei" specialists in Pittsburgh and New York city. The war between husband and wife was on in earnest when Mrs. Gable was informed that rock salt was a sure "hex" exterminator, and sprinkled a liberal supply between the bed sheets.

The climax came one night when Mr. Gable was awakened by a shout of "Abracadabra!" and found a keen-bladed knife driven into the pillow within an inch of his nose. Although satisfied that any "hex" which might have been lurking underneath was there no longer, Mr. Gable felt no inclination for further slumber, and passed the rest of the night in the attitude of a sentinel fearing a surprise attack from the enemy's first-line trench.

The action for divorce followed. After what he had been through, Mr. Gable said he would have no fear in meeting the maddest "hex" that ever rode a broomstick face to face.

HUSBAND WORE THE SKIRTS

Now He Is in Jail in Lewistown, Pa., Charged With Masquerading.

Lewistown, Pa.—James Burnell is serving 30 days in jail because he preferred to wear his wife's skirts while enjoying a day in Burnham park. Burnell has been a leading figure in masquerades near Lewistown for several years and decided to spend a day among the ladies as one of their number. When he withdrew to an isolated spot to change his wearing apparel he was arrested by an officer and escorted to jail.

Sheriff Van Zandt, who admires an "old-fashioned" mother, took Burnell as he appeared and confined him for a night and a day in the women's apartments in the jail. Then the prisoner broke down, confessed his crime and felt better after his wife had called and taken her best clothes back to their home.

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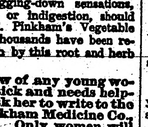

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Last of Fine Exposition.

An event which was not without its regrettable aspects was the recent wreckage of the beautiful buildings and monuments of the exposition at San Francisco, which were erected only about two years ago. Despite any desire to preserve them that admirers may have had, the temporary character of the buildings made their demolition advisable. Many of the fine monumental structures, such as the "Arch of the Rising Sun," surmounted by a group entitled "The Nations of the East," were thrown to the ground by exploding charges of dynamite under them.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

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"And didn't he bring you the yarn?"

"Not the yarn I wanted. Only a yarn about not being able to match the shade."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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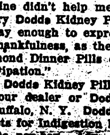

Mr. J. M. Sinclair.

Mr. J. M. Sinclair of Olivehill, Tenn., writes: "I strained my back, which weakened my kidneys and caused an awful bad backache and inflammation of the bladder. Later I became so much worse that I consulted a doctor, who said that I had Diabetes and that my heart was affected. I suffered for four years and was in a nervous state and very much depressed. The doctor's medicine didn't help me, so I decided to try Dodds Kidney Pills, and I cannot say enough to express my relief and thankfulness, as they cured me. Diamond Dinner Pills cured me of Constipation."

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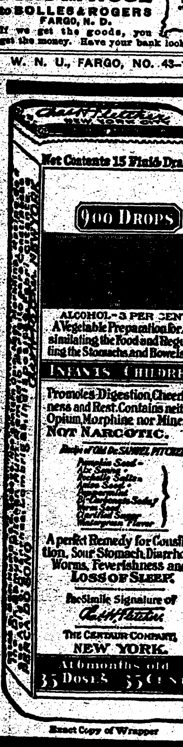

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ROUMANIAN FORCE LOSES 2 DIVISIONS GERMANS ASSERT

SECOND ARMY'S RETREAT IN TRANSYLVANIA DISASTROUS, BERLIN HEARS—TEUTONS LEARN ENEMY PLANS.

BRITISH LOSE CAPTURED GROUND; FRENCH ATTACK

Allied Efforts Unsuccessful on West Front—Strong Assaults Made by Russians in Volhynia—Venizelos Government Recognized by Allies.

London, Oct. 17.—The Entente Allies have formally recognized the provisional government of Greece in the island of Crete set up by former Premier Venizelos.

Berlin, Oct. 17.—"The Rumanian second army in its retreat in Transylvania has lost approximately two divisions," says the Overseas news agency. "The Rumanian first army and the larger part of the second army virtually have been annihilated.

Completely Disorganized.

When the successful attack was made on the first army at Hermannstadt by the Austro-German troops, the Rumanians planned to send the second army to its assistance. This plan was learned from reports of aviators which were found. The second army advanced too far to the west and was forced to retreat in haste. Its retreat became a panicky flight. On Oct. 13 isolated detachments still were being rounded up. Captured officers say the army was completely disorganized. It would have been completely annihilated if Rumanian forces had not been hurried in through the Torzburg er and Predeal passes.

Lost Direction.

"The Rumanian leaders lost their surety of direction. Brigades and regiments, in desperation, were moved hastily forward and back on railroads and even on carts. Only pitiful fragments of the army could be rescued from Transylvania.

"Transylvania today is clear of the Rumanians except for small sections near the border. At the same time, the Rumanians' hopes of obtaining assistance from the people of Transylvania have been frustrated. The entire Transylvanian population and the better Rumanian element feel they have been delivered from a nightmare, as the Rumanians have been expelled after a short reign of terror."

British, French and Slavs Attack.

British troops attacked the German positions northeast of Guendecourt, three miles south of Bapaume, and penetrated the German first line, but the ground was recaptured, says the official statement issued by the German army headquarters staff.

French troops made an attack on the German positions west of the town of Sailly-Saillisel, the statement adds. The attackers were driven back south of the village.

Strong attacks were made by the Russians in Volhynia east of Lutsk. Monday's announcement says these assaults broke down with severe losses for the Russians.

MILK IS CALLED CARRIER OF CHILD PLAGUE GERM

Scientists Declare Microbes of Infantile Paralysis Found in the Intestines Enter Through Mouth.

Baltimore, Oct. 17.—Dr. Horace T. Burrows, pathologist at Johns Hopkins hospital, has found the infantile paralysis germ discovered nine years ago by Dr. Simon Flexner of Rockefeller institute.

Dr. Burrows and his assistants, under the direction of Professor William H. Welch, have been making autopsies upon every victim of the disease since July in a careful microscopic search.

It has been found that the germs occur only in the colon. The investigations prove that 100 per cent are infected in this big intestine. It is only possible for the germs to enter the big intestine by way of the mouth in food and drink.

This discovery demonstrates for the first time clearly that raw food, the milk and water fed babies, contains the germ of infantile paralysis.

Kentuckians Lynch Negroes.

Paducah, Ky., Oct. 17.—Two negroes were lynched by a mob here and their bodies burned. One was charged with attacking a white woman and the other was accused of voicing approval of his action.

Liner Lafayette Docks Unharmed.

New York, Oct. 17.—Unharmed, the French liner Lafayette, with many notables aboard, docked here Monday from Bordeaux. Paris and the United States had feared for her safety because of the recent submarine warfare off the American coast. The Lafayette, the finest passenger French ship now afloat, carried 324 persons, including Enrico Caruso, singer; Frank A. Munsey, and S. S. McClure, publishers; Mr. and Mrs. William Vanderbilt, Miss Ann Morgan, John Barrett and Gatti-Casazza.

JAPAN AND RUSSIA PROTEST RAILWAY GRANT TO U. S. FIRM

OBJECT TO CONTRACTS FOR RAILROAD AND CANAL CONSTRUCTION IN CHINA BASED ON SIXTY MILLION DOLLAR LOAN.

NO DIPLOMATIC ISSUE TO INVOLVE UNITED STATES

Private Organization Secured Job Without Communication with State Department—Entitled to Aid if Rights Are Violated — No Change in Plans Expected.

Peking, Oct. 16.—Japan and Russia have entered protests against concessions for railway and canal construction in China which have been granted to Americans.

Washington, Oct. 16.—Negotiations for American railway construction in China were concluded a fortnight ago and called for a $60,000,000 loan by the American International corporation and the construction, as soon as possible, of 1,500 miles of railway through the richest section of China by the Siems-Carey company of St. Paul.

An optional contract for the construction of an additional 1,500 miles of railway later was contained in the agreement.

The Japanese and Russian protest against the Chinese contract with the American International corporation for railroad building have not been officially reported to the state department, but officials expressed deep interest and expected to hear from Minister Reinsch at Peking.

No Diplomatic Issue.

At present, however, there seems to be no diplomatic issue to involve this government. The American International corporation as a private American organization secured the contract, through a loan to China entirely on its own account and without communication with the state department.

As an American corporation, however, it will be entitled to the good offices of the government in case it becomes evident that its rights are being actually violated or in case it makes a direct appeal to the state department for aid.

Urged Appointment of American.

The loan was to be secured by the property in the road itself and not by concessions or government guarantees. The Chinese government agent urged the appointment of an American engineer who later was to act as the chief engineer of the road. George A. Kyle, a Great Northern railway engineer, was appointed recently and confirmed by China for the position. The appointment of Americans as auditor and traffic manager also was agreed upon.

It was planned to construct the lines through territory so as to avoid interfering with any agreements covering railway construction existing between China and foreign governments or financial groups. It was believed a year would elapse before the location of the lines would be determined.

TEUTONS HURLED BACK FROM RED TOWER PASS

Falkenhayn's Attempted Invasion of Roumania Is Failure, London Hears —Austrians Lose 28,000 Men.

London, Oct. 16.—General von Falkenhayn's attempted invasion of Rumania through the Red Tower pass on the eastern border has been thrown back several miles into Transylvania.

Bucharest dispatches reported that General von Falkenhayn's advance had been checked everywhere along the southern Transylvania frontier. On the eastern frontier, the Germans have been stopped on the Rumanian northern wing and thrown back at some points by strong counterattacks. Elsewhere the Rumanian resistance is stiffening.

The Austrians have lost 28,000 men in the last two days of fighting on the Carso plateau, said a wireless dispatch from Rome. The battle continues with undiminished violence.

FRENCH CRUISER IS SUNK.

Berlin, Oct. 16.—The French cruiser Rigel, built as a submarine destroyer, was sunk in the Mediterranean Oct. 2, by two torpedoes fired by a German submarine, it is officially announced here. German submarines, Oct. 4, the admiralty statement adds, sank the French auxiliary cruiser Gallia. Of the Serbian and French troops on board, bound for Saloniki, 1,000 were drowned.

American Flyer in France Hurt.

Paris, Oct. 16.—Norman Prince of Boston, sergeant major in the Franco-American aviation corps, who was decorated for distinguished services last week, has been wounded. Both Prince's legs are broken, but his condition is reported satisfactory. Prince is a Harvard graduate, who gave up a law practice in Chicago to volunteer for service with the Allies. He was decorated in October, 1915, for destroying a German warplane. His machine was shot down in an aerial battle over Verdun last June.

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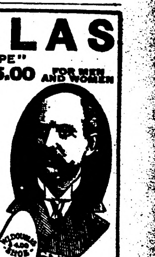

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The balloon was shaped like a large cigar, but carried no motive power. It was guided by means of planes, and the trip was made for the purpose of testing the steering, elevation and lowering apparatus.

The pilots said that it was the first time that such a trip in a balloon so equipped had been attempted in this country, and that the idea is a new and undeveloped one in Europe. They said that the fast time and perfect control proved the value of the craft.

The balloon was shot at over a farm in Green county, but ballast was thrown overboard, and the machine rose out of range.

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No other one thing so generally attracted the attention of the farmers from distant parts of the state while they were in Columbus attending the state fair as the squirrels they saw in the parks, lawns and even leaping from tree to tree in the streets. Not that they do not see squirrels at home in their native woods, but there they see them wild, darting for their holes the moment they note the approach of man. To see squirrels careless of the presence of people, and even soliciting food from them, seemed a strange condition.—Columbus (O.) Dispatch.

His Weather Eye.

Two ladies were hurrying down the street in Worcester in the rain, carrying their umbrellas low for protection. In turning a corner sharply the point of one umbrella struck a passerby in the forehead.

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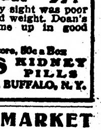
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Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the STATE OF MINNESOTA

Submitted by the Legislature at Its General Session, 1915, Together With a Statement of the

PURPOSES AND EFFECTS,

Prepared by Hon. Lyndon A. Smith, Attorney General of Minnesota.

Addressed to Julius A. Schmahl Secretary of State

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, ST. PAUL.

April 7, 1916.

Honorable Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State,
Capitol.

DEAR SIR: Pursuant to your request and in accordance with the provisions of Section 46, Statutes 1913, I herewith hand you statement of the purposes and effect of all amendments to the Constitution proposed by the legislature of 1915 and to be submitted to the electors at the next general election; such statement also shows the reading of the existing sections and the way the same will read if the amendments are adopted.

Yours truly,
LYNDON A. SMITH,
Attorney General.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 1.

By Chapter 379, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Section Two (2) of Article Eight of the Constitution, by adding to said Section Two a new paragraph.

Section Two as it now stands reads as follows:

"Section 2. SCHOOL AND SWAMP LANDS—SCHOOL FUNDS FROM SALE [illegible] the proceeds of such lands as are or hereafter may be granted by the United States for the use of schools within each township in this state shall remain a perpetual school fund to the state, and not more than one-third [illegible] be sold in two years, and one-third in five years, and one-third in ten years; but the lands of the greatest valuation shall be sold first; provided, that no portion of said lands shall be sold otherwise than at public sale. The principal of all funds arising from sales or other disposition of lands or other property, granted or entrusted to this state in each township for educational purposes, shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished; and the income arising from the lease or sale of said school land shall be distributed to the different townships throughout the state, in proportion to the number of scholars in each township, between the ages of five and twenty-one years; and shall be faithfully applied to the specific objects of the original grants or appropriations. Suitable laws shall be enacted by the legislature for the safe investment of the principal of all funds which have heretofore arisen or which may hereafter arise from the sale or other disposition of such lands, or the income from such lands accruing in any way before the sale or disposition thereof in interest-bearing bonds of the United States, or of the State of Minnesota issued after the year 1860, or of such other state as the legislature may by law from time to time direct. All swamp lands now held by the state, or that may hereafter accrue to the state, shall be appraised and sold in the same manner and by the same officers, and the minimum price shall be the same less one-third, as is provided by law for the appraisement and sale of the school lands under the provisions of title one of chapter thirty-eight of the General Statutes. The principal of all funds derived from sales of swamp lands as aforesaid shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished. One-half of the proceeds of said principal shall be appropriated to the common school fund of the state; the remaining one-half shall be appropriated to the educational and charitable institutions of the state in the relative ratio of cost to support said institutions."

The paragraph which it is proposed to add to said Section Two reads as follows:

"A revolving fund of not over two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) may be set apart from the fund derived from the sale of school and swamp lands, to be used in constructing roads, ditches and fire breaks in, through and around unsold school and swamp lands and in clearing such lands, such fund to be replenished as long as needed from the enhanced value realized from the sale of such lands so benefited."

Under Section Two as it now stands the proceeds of the sale of school and swamp lands constitute the principal of a trust fund, the income of which is used for the support of the schools, educational and charitable institutions of the state. Section Two as it now stands provides that the principal of such fund "shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished."

THE EFFECT of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to modify the provision last quoted to the extent of permitting the legislature to set aside not to exceed $250,000 of the principal of the trust fund as a revolving fund to be used for the purposes stated in the amendment proposed.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 2.

By Chapter 380, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Section Six (6), of Article Eight (8) of the Constitution.

Section Six as it now stands reads as follows:

"Section 6. INVESTMENT OF SCHOOL FUNDS — The permanent school and university fund of this state may be invested in the bonds of any county, school district, city, town or village of this state, but no such investment shall be made until approved by the board of commissioners designated by law to regulate the investment of the permanent school fund and the permanent university fund of this state; nor shall such loan or investment be made when the bonds to be issued or purchased would make the entire bonded indebtedness exceed fifteen per cent of the assessed valuation of the taxable real property of the county, school district, city, town or village issuing such bonds; nor shall such loans or indebtedness be made at a lower rate of interest than three per cent per annum, nor for a shorter period than five years, nor for a longer period than twenty years, and no change of the town, school district, city, village or of county lines shall relieve the real property in such town, school district, county, village or city in this state at the time of the issuing of such bonds from any liability for taxation to pay such bonds."

If the proposed amendment is adopted it will then read as follows:

"The permanent school and university fund of this state may be invested in the bonds of any county, school district, city, town or village of this state, and in first mortgage loans secured upon improved and cultivated farm lands of this state. But no such investment or loan shall be made until approved by the board of commissioners designated by law to regulate the investment of the permanent school fund and the permanent university fund of this state; nor shall such loan or investment be made when the bonds to be issued or purchased would make the entire bonded indebtedness exceed 15 per cent of the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the county, school district, city, town or village issuing such bonds; nor shall any farm loan, or investment be made when such investment or loan would exceed 30 per cent of the actual cash value of the farm land mortgage to secure said investment; nor shall such investments or loans be made at a lower rate of interest than 3 per cent per annum, nor for a shorter period than five years, nor for a longer period than thirty years, and no change of the town, school district, city, village or of county lines shall relieve the real property in such town, school district, county, village or city in this state at the time of issuing of such bonds from any liability for taxation to pay such bonds."

THE PURPOSE of the amendment is to authorize the investment of the permanent school and university funds in first mortgage loans secured upon improved and cultivated farm lands where the amount of the loans so secured does not exceed 30 per cent of the value of the land mortgaged.

THE EFFECT of the adoption of the proposed amendment will be to permit the legislature to authorize the investment of the permanent school and university funds in farm mortgages as above stated, as well as in the bonds of any county, school district, city, town or village of this state. Under Section Six as it now reads bonds cannot be purchased unless they mature at least five and not more than twenty years after purchase. If the amendment is adopted, bonds and mortgages may be purchased if they mature not less than five nor more than thirty years after purchase.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 3.

By Chapter 381, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Article Nine (9) of the Constitution by adding thereto a new section, which reads as follows:

"Section 17. The legislature is hereby authorized to provide by law for the mining and sale of any iron ore or other minerals which the state owns, in its sovereign capacity, and as trustee for the people of the state, which are situate under the waters or bed of any meandered public lake or river, and for that purpose may provide for the drainage of any such lake or river, or the diversion of the waters thereof to a new bed or channel, provided, however, that the vested riparian rights of private persons or corporations owning land adjoining such lakes shall not be destroyed or damaged without their consent, unless compensation therefor shall be first paid or secured. The principal of all funds arising from the sale of such iron ore, or other minerals, shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished, but the income therefrom shall be used for the construction, improvement and maintenance of the public roads of the state. The principal of such funds shall be loaned or invested in the same manner, by the same officers and upon the same terms as is, or from time to time hereafter may be authorized by the constitution and laws, for the loaning or investment of the permanent school and university funds of the state."

THE PURPOSE of the proposed amendment cannot be more clearly stated than is expressed therein.

THE EFFECT of the amendment, if adopted, would be to confer power on the legislature to provide by law for the mining of iron ore and other minerals, which the state owns in its sovereign capacity and situate under the bed of any meandered public lake or river, subject to the restriction that the rights of riparian owners on any such lake or river, shall not be destroyed or injured without compensation. If the legislature exercises the power, in case it is conferred, it could also provide for the drainage or diversion of the waters of the lake or river with reference to which it so legislates; it could also prescribe by whom such minerals could be mined and the compensation to be paid to the state therefor. The proceeds of the sale of any such minerals would constitute a fund to be loaned and invested the same as the permanent school and university funds, the income of such fund to be used in the construction, improvement and maintenance of public roads.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 4.

By Chapter 382, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed an amendment to Section Two (2) of Article Six of the Constitution.

Said Section 2 now reads as follows:

"Section 2. SUPREME COURT—The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and two associate justices, but the number of associate justices may be increased to a number not exceeding four, by the legislature, by a two-thirds vote, when it shall be deemed necessary. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions. There shall be chosen, by the qualified electors of the state, one clerk of the supreme court, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and until his successor is duly elected and qualified; and the judges of the supreme court, or a majority of them, shall have the power to fill any vacancy in the office of clerk of the supreme court until an election can be regularly had."

If the proposed amendment is adopted the section will then read as follows:

"Section 2. The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and six associate justices. Five shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of at least four shall be necessary to a decision. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction in all cases both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions and a clerk of the supreme court."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Supreme Court as now constituted consists of a chief justice and four associate justices. The clerk of said court is now elected. If the amendment is adopted, two associate justices will be added to the court and the clerk will be appointed by the court instead of being elected by the voters.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 5.

By Chapter 383, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Section Eleven (11) of Article Four (4) of the Constitution.

Said section now reads as follows:

"Section 11. APPROVAL OF BILLS BY GOVERNOR — VETO POWER—Every bill which shall have passed the senate and house of representatives, in conformity to the rules of each house and the joint rules of the two houses, shall, before it becomes a law, be presented to the governor of the state. If he approves he shall sign and deposit it in the office of the secretary of state for preservation, and notify the house where it originated of the fact. But if not, he shall return it with his objections, to the house in which it shall have originated; when such objections shall be entered at large on the journal of the same, and the house shall proceed to reconsider the bill. If, after such reconsideration, two-thirds of that house shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered; and if it be approved by two-thirds of that house it shall become a law. But in all such cases the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the persons voting for or against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each house respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the governor within three days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the legislature, by adjournment within that time, prevents its return; in which case it shall not be a law. The governor may approve, sign and file in the office of the secretary of state, within three days after the adjournment of the legislature, any act passed during the last three days of the session, and the same shall become a law. If any bill presented to the governor contains several items of appropriation of money he may object to one or more of such items, while approving of the other portion of the bill. In such case, he shall append to the bill, at the time of signing it, a statement of the items to which he objects, and the appropriation so objected to shall not take effect. If the legislature be in session, he shall transmit to the house in which the bill originated a copy of such statement, and the items objected to shall be separately reconsidered. If, on reconsideration, one or more of such items be approved by two-thirds of the members elected to each house, the same shall be a part of the law, notwithstanding the objections of the governor. All the provisions of this section, in relation to bills not approved by the governor, shall apply in cases in which he shall withhold his approval from any item or items contained in a bill appropriating money."

It is proposed to amend that section so that it shall read as follows:

"Section 11. Every bill which shall have passed the senate and house of representatives, in conformity to the rules of each house and the joint rules of the two houses, shall, before it becomes a law, be presented to the governor of the state. If he approves he shall sign and deposit it in the office of the secretary of state for preservation, and notify the house where it originated of the fact. But if not, he shall return it, with his objections, to the house in which it shall have originated; when such objections shall be entered at large on the journal of the same, and the house shall proceed to reconsider the bill. If, after such reconsideration, two-thirds of that house shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered; and if it be approved by two-thirds of that house it shall become a law. But in all such cases the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the persons voting for or against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each house respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the governor within three days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the legislature by adjournment within that time, prevent its return; in which case it shall not be a law. The governor may approve, sign and file in the office of the secretary of state, within three days after the adjournment of the legislature, any act passed during the last three days of the session, and the same shall become a law. If any bill presented to the governor contains several items of appropriation of money, he may object to one or more of such items in whole or in part, while approving of the other portion of the bill. In such case he shall append to the bill, at the time of signing it, a statement of the items and parts of items to which he objects, and the part of any appropriation so objected to shall not take effect. If the legislature be in session, he shall transmit to the house in which the bill originated a copy of such statement, and the items objected to in whole or in part shall be separately reconsidered. If, on reconsideration, one or more of such items be approved by two-thirds of the members elected to each house the same shall be a part of the law, notwithstanding the objections of the governor. All the provisions of this section, in relation to bills not approved by the governor, shall apply in cases in which he shall withhold his approval in whole or in part from any item or items contained in a bill appropriating money."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: Under the Constitution as it now is, the governor may veto any item in an appropriation bill, but he cannot cut down the amount appropriated for any specific purpose. The amendment, if adopted, will give the governor power to reduce the amount of an appropriation for any given purpose, unless upon transmittal to the legislature of a statement of the part of an item of an appropriation bill to which he objects, the two houses, each by a two-thirds vote, approve the item as it was originally passed.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 6.

By Chapter 384, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed an amendment of Section Thirteen (13) of Article One (1) of the Constitution.

The section as it now stands reads as follows:

"Section 13. PRIVATE PROPERTY FOR PUBLIC USE — Private property shall not be taken, destroyed or damaged for public use, without just compensation therefor first paid or secured."

If the amendment is adopted the section will read as follows:

"Section 13. Private property shall not be taken, destroyed or damaged for public use, without just compensation therefor first paid or secured, and such private property may be taken, destroyed or damaged for the purpose of private as well as public drainage upon just compensation therefor being first paid or secured."

THE PURPOSE of the proposed amendment is to permit the taking of private lands for the purpose of drainage purposes where the drain or ditch will be of no public benefit, but on the contrary will only benefit the land or lands of the person or persons constructing the drainage ditch.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 7.

By Chapter 385, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Section One (1) of Article Four (4) of the Constitution.

Section One as it now stands, reads as follows:

"Section 1. TWO HOUSES — SESSIONS — The legislature shall consist of the senate and house of representatives, which shall meet biennially at the seat of government of the state, at such time as shall be prescribed by law, but no session shall exceed the term of ninety legislative days, and no new bill shall be introduced in either branch, except on the written request of the governor, during the last twenty days of such session, except the attention of the legislature shall be called to some important matter of general interest by a special message from the governor."

If the amendment is adopted, the section will then read as follows:

Sec. 1. TWO HOUSES—SESSIONS. — The legislature shall consist of the senate and house of representatives, which shall meet biennially at the seat of government of the state, at such time as shall be prescribed by law, but no session shall exceed the term of ninety (90) legislative days, and no bill shall be introduced in either branch, except on the written request of the governor, during the last twenty days of such session, except the attention of the legislature shall be called to some important matter of general interest by a special message from the governor; but the people reserve to themselves direct power as follows:

(a) CONSTITUTIONAL INITIATIVE.—When at any time prior to the commencement of any session of the legislature, there shall have been filed with the secretary of state a petition proposing an amendment to the constitution, signed by two per centum of the electors of the state, the secretary of state shall transmit the same to the legislature not later than ten (10) days after the commencement of the session. If the amendment so proposed be not submitted to the electors by the legislature at such session, or if it be submitted in an amended form, then upon a further petition or petitions, each signed by eight per centum of the electors of the state, filed with the secretary of state within six months after the adjournment of the legislature, the amendment proposed in the first petition, or one or more amended forms thereof, shall be submitted to the electors for their approval or rejection at the next general or special state-wide election occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of any such further petition. Any amendment proposed by initiative petition and its original or in an amended form, submitted to the electors by the legislature or by a further petition, shall become a part of the constitution, if approved by a majority of the electors voting at such election, or by four-sevenths of the electors voting on the proposed amendment; provided, not less than three-sevenths of the electors voting at said election voted for the proposed amendment. This section shall be construed as a means in addition to Section 1, Article 14, of the state constitution, for amending the same.

(b) STATUTORY INITIATIVE.—When at any time prior to the commencement of any session of the legislature there shall have been filed with the secretary of state, a petition proposing a law, signed by two per centum of the electors of the state, the secretary of state shall transmit the same to the legislature not later than ten (10) days after the commencement of the session. If the law so proposed be not passed by the legislature at such session, or if it be passed in an amended form, then upon a further petition or petitions, each signed by six per centum of the electors of the state, filed with the secretary of state within six months after the adjournment of the legislature, the law proposed in the first petition or one or more amended forms thereof, shall be submitted to the electors at the next general or special state-wide election, occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of any such further petition or petitions, and if approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon, provided the vote in favor of the proposed law be not less than thirty-three per centum of the total number of votes cast at such election, the same shall become a law and go into effect thirty days after such election, and shall supersede any amended form of such law which may have been passed by the legislature. No law passed by the initiative petition and approved by the electors shall be subject to the veto of the governor. The authority of the people to enact laws, as provided in this subdivision, shall extend only to laws authorized by the provisions of the constitution.

(c) THE REFERENDUM. — If within ninety days after the final adjournment of any session of the legislature, a referendum petition, signed by six per centum of the electors of the state, shall be filed with the secretary of state against any law or any part of a law, passed by the legislature at such session, such law, or such part of a law shall be submitted to the electors at the next general or special state-wide election, occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of said petition. If a majority of the votes cast thereon be in the negative, provided such negative vote be not less than thirty-three per centum of the total number of votes cast at such election, such law or such part of a law shall thereby be repealed. Provided, that if a referendum petition is signed by fifteen per centum of the electors of the state, the law, or part of a law, against which such petition is filed shall be suspended pending the referendum vote thereon. Provided the same shall equal 33 per cent of the votes at such election.

Any law providing for a tax levy or appropriating money for the current expenses of the state government or state institutions, any act of the legislature submitting a constitutional amendment or other question to the electors of the state, or any emergency law necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, shall go into effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the governor, and such laws, except emergency laws, shall not be subject to a referendum vote. All other laws shall go into effect ninety days after the adjournment of the legislature. A bill proposing an emergency law shall contain a preamble briefly setting forth the facts constituting the emergency. A separate vote shall be taken upon the preamble of such bill by a call of the yeas and nays, and if the preamble be adopted by a two-thirds vote of all the members of each house, it shall be an emergency law.

(d) GENERAL PROVISIONS.—All petitions provided for in this section shall contain a title indicating the subject and purpose of the proposed law or constitutional amendment, or the law, or part of a law to be referred, and if a change is proposed in an existing constitutional provision or statute, in addition to referring to the same, it shall state the general effect of the proposed change and also the full text of the proposed law or amendment to the constitution, or of the law or part of a law, to be referred. Any initiative or referendum petition may be signed in separate parts but each part shall conform to the provisions herein contained. All petitions shall be signed and verified before a person authorized to administer an oath, and shall be in such form that a person signing a petition thereby states under oath, the date of his signature, his residence, that he is a qualified elector, that he has not previously signed any part of such petition, and that he has signed the petition with knowledge of the contents thereof. To each part of such petition shall be attached the affidavit of the person before whom the same was signed, which affidavit shall contain a statement of the number of signers thereon, that each of the signatures attached to such part was made in the presence of the affiant, that to the best of his knowledge and belief each signature is the genuine signature of the person whose name it purports to be, that he believes the persons who have signed such petition to be electors, that they signed such petition with knowledge of the contents thereof, and that each person signed the same on the date stated opposite his name. The circulation of the petition provided for herein, or the prohibition of the circulation thereof, may be regulated by law, and in case the circulation of any petition is prohibited by law, the percentage of signers required on any petition provided for in this section shall be one-half of the percentage specified in subdivisions a, b and c of this section.

The percentage in any case shall be based upon the total number of votes cast for governor at the next preceding election. All petitions provided for in this section shall contain the signature of not less than one-half of the designated percentage of the electors in not less than one-fourth of the counties of the state. In initiating a law or constitutional amendment, electors who have signed the first shall be qualified to sign the second petition.

The sufficiency of all petitions shall be decided by the secretary of state subject to review by the court. If the secretary of state decides that any petition is insufficient, he shall permit a reasonable time for making corrections or for filing additional signatures. In the event of legal proceedings in court to prevent giving effect to any such petition on account of insufficiency, or any other ground, the burden of proof shall be upon the person attacking the petition. No law or amendment to the constitution initiated and approved by the electors as herein provided, shall be held unconstitutional or void on account of the insufficiency of any initiative petition; nor shall the repeal of any law submitted by referendum petition be held invalid for such insufficiency.

All initiative laws and constitutional amendments shall be so submitted to the electors as to permit an affirmative or negative vote upon each measure submitted. If conflicting proposed laws or conflicting proposed amendments to the constitution be approved at the same election, the one receiving the highest number of affirmative votes shall prevail as to conflicting provisions.

The style of all legislative measures and amendments to the constitution initiated by the people under this section shall be: "Be it enacted by the People of the State of Minnesota."

The provisions of this section may be enforced by appropriate legislation, but until such legislation has been enacted, this section shall be self executing.

THE PURPOSE AND EFFECT of this amendment, if adopted, will be three-fold.

(a) It will permit the voters to propose amendments to the state constitution, for adoption, without action by the legislature. Under the constitution as it now stands constitutional amendments can be proposed only by the legislature.

(b) So, too, if adopted, the amendment will permit electors to propose laws for enactment and if not enacted by the legislatures, the voters may by sufficient petition, require the question of the enactment of the proposed law, to be submitted to the voters. If approved by a majority of the electors voting, thereon, provided the vote in favor of the proposed law is not less than thirty-three per cent of the total number of votes cast at such election, the same becomes a law with the same force and effect as though passed by the legislature. The governor will have no power to veto a law so passed, but the people cannot so pass any law which is prohibited by the constitution.

(c) So too, if adopted, the amendment will permit the voters by proper petition to require a vote on the question of whether or not any law or part thereof, of certain classes of laws, passed by the legislature shall be repealed. If the petition asking for the referendum is signed by fifteen per cent of the voters of the state, the number of whom is to be determined by the number of votes cast for Governor at the preceding election, the law so referred to the voters will not take effect pending the referendum vote thereon. The vote required to repeal a law passed by the legislature and the classes of laws which cannot be so repealed are specified in Subdivision "C" of the proposed amendment as above printed.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 8.

By Chapter 386, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors an amendment of Section 7, Article 6, of the constitution.

The section now reads as follows:

"Section 7. PROBATE COURTS—There shall be established in each organized county in the state a probate court, which shall be a court of record, and be held at such times and places as may be prescribed by law. It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of two years. He shall be a resident of such county at the time of his election, and reside therein during his continuance in office; and his compensation shall be provided by law. He may appoint his own clerk where none has been elected; but the legislature may authorize the election, by the electors of any county, of one clerk of register of probate for such county, whose powers, duties, term of office and compensation shall be prescribed by law. A probate court shall have jurisdiction over the estates of deceased persons and persons under guardianship, but no other jurisdiction, except as prescribed by this constitution."

The amendment simply proposes to substitute the word "four" for the word "two" so that the sentence, [illegible] duration [illegible] judge will, if the amendment is adopted, read as follows:

"It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of four years."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The amendment, if adopted will make the term of office of the Judge of Probate four years instead of two.

Visited by the Catacombs.

"Did I understand you to say you were in Europe?" he asked of the man who was talking to a drummer across the aisle.

"Yes, sir."

"Were you in Rome?"

"I was there for a month, sir."

"Ah, I am glad to have met you. I wanted to ask about Rome. You visited the catacombs, of course?"

"Didn't have to. They visited me."

"How do you mean?"

"Why, I never stirred out of the hotel that they weren't striking me for alms. Never saw such an infernal set in all my born days."

"Don't you mean the lazzaroni?"

"Of course. The catacombs and the lazzaroni are the same thing, only 'catacombs' is the Italian of it and the other is the English. If you haven't been over I'd advise you to go—if you can raise the dudads. You don't know how much a trip abroad will broaden and liberalize your mind."

And the other sank back and hid himself in a corner, and he did not get over looking pale for the next 30 miles.

Real Academic Dignity.

Max Muller tells a story of one of Dr. Strachan Davidson's predecessors as master of Balliol. "Once, when returning from a solitary walk, Doctor Jenkins, whose regard for his own dignity was very great, slipped and fell. Two undergraduates, seeing the accident, ran to assist him, and were just laying hands on him to lift him up when he descried a master of arts coming. 'Stop!' he cried. 'I see a master of arts coming down the street,' and he dismissed the undergraduates with many thanks, and was helped on his legs by the M. A."—London Chronicle.

The Clever Wasp.

Wasps appear to be well-nigh as industrious as ants or bees. One authority has declared that the cardinal doctrine of the wasp is: "If any wasp will not work, neither shall he eat."

Division of labor is clearly seen in the wasp's nest. Some of the workers seem to be specially employed as foragers and soldiers, others appear to be told off as nurses and guardians, while yet others are engaged as paper makers and masons.

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Holt, Minn., Oct. 20, 1916.

To the Editor of HOLT WEEKLY NEWS
Holt, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I wish to announce through your paper that Bertel L. Backe has severed his connection in our bank, as an officer, and that Mr. H. M. Johnson now has and will continue to have the active management of the Farmers State Bank of Holt.

Mr. Johnson comes here highly recommended and business intrusted to his care will receive and be handled by him in a prompt and efficient manner.

We solicit your business and assure you that it will receive the most careful consideration. We are here to stay with you, your interest is our interest and we can give service in the same measure that we are supported by the community.

Do not forget to call at the Farmers State Bank when in town—we are never too busy to shake hands and pass the word of the day.

Respectfully yours,
Lars Backe, President,
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Sept. 23, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Arnold Bornstein, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on July 13th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08277, for N W1-4 NW1-4 Sec. 14, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 7th day of November, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Hans Stensrud, Svenke G. Svenkeson, Frank W. Tabor and Ole J. Moen, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

School Notes

A total of 87 are now enrolled in the three rooms with three more to enter. The High School classes consist of from 5 to 9 pupils each.

Mesdames A. Huseth, H. J. Olen and C. Christianson were recent visitors at school.

A Hallowe'en party and basket social will be given at the school house Tuesday Eve Oct. 31. Everybody is invited.

Steiner Items

Miss Alice Solem returned home Friday evening. She has been teaching the Torwick school.

R. L. Mussy and Waldie Christianson took a trip to Thief River Falls in Christianson's car.

Misses Inga and Celia Saugen gave a party in their new house Saturday evening. A large crowd attended and all reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers took a trip to Thief River Falls, Saturday.

A. Langley, stock buyer of Newfolden, bought cattle in different parts of this community the past week.

Mrs. S. Warring and son Omer made a trip to Thief River, Saturday.

Harold Berg was a business caller in this berg last Sunday.

S. Warring made a trip to Holt the middle of the week.

Oscar Dahl rode his bicycle to T. R. Falls, Friday afternoon.

R. Werner took a trip to Thief River Falls the middle of the week.

Henry Rogers took a trip to Thief River Falls the other day.

Mrs. P. [illegible] made a visit in Thief River Falls at her friends home, Mrs. Carlson.

Miss Ella Meyer has been spending the past week in T. R. Falls with her sister, Mrs. P. Lamb.

J. Batton is putting up a large new barn besides his new house.

Dr. Turley will be here next Tuesday to do dental work.

Dr. R. L. Olson went to Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Mesdames Adolph Sollom and B. L. Backe came up from Thief River Falls Monday to pack the latters household goods.

We understand J. E. Mosberg has rented the Backe house and will move therein Nov. 1st.

Quality Leather Tops

Here is foot-comfort for the coldest day or the wettest snow. These rubbers have a pure gum over with thick, durable soles and heels. Heavy wool socks inside will keep your feet warm. High-grade leather tops protect ankles and legs.

Both the Duck Lawton and the Ribbed Logan are "Ball-Band" Footwear—the kind that gives More Days Wear.

The Lawton is the same as the Logan except that it has heels and tap soles instead of spring heels, and is made with heavy duck linings, while the Logan is a heavy ribbed over. Made by Mishawaka Woolen Mfg. Co., "The House that Pays Millions for Quality."

Holt Mercantile Company.
Two Stores
Holt — Newfolden

Local Items

Mrs. Oswald Hoel was a Thief River Falls visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Clarence Knutson went to Grand Forks Tuesday to visit relatives.

Rev. Parish will hold services in the Free Mission church next Monday evening, Oct 30th.

Chas. Skoglund went to So. St. Paul Saturday with a car of stock for the Holt Farmers Shipping Assn.

Mrs. Docken and children and her brother, Willie Bakke, visited over Sunday with their parents in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Willie Warner and baby of Thief River Falls came last Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peterson.

Hans Boyson returned Tuesday from Fordville, N. D., where he was working during the harvest and threshing seasons.

Have you laid in your supply of wool shirts? If not get yours now at Holt Merc. Co. They have a sample line where you can save money.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl expects to attend the dedication of the Goodridge church next Sunday, therefore he will not be able to preach at any of his charges on that date.

Miss Tillie Nyberg returned home Saturday from the hospital and is getting along nicely.

Carl Newton came up from Climax Friday to attend to business matters.

Holt Merc. Co. have just received 500 Men's and Boy's Wool and Flannel Sample Shirts that are sold at a Big Reduction. Prices from 49c and up.

Walmer Riesberg received a letter Monday from one of the Latta boys in Brinkman, Okla. They arrived O. K. and he had a job of picking cotton at $1.50 a hundred lbs.

Seven teachers met at the school house Saturday and organized the Holt Teachers Reading Circle. The meetings to consist of a study period, discussions, a social time, refreshments, etc. Similar meetings are held thruout the county each month.

On Confirmation Sunday the following were pleasantly entertained at the C. L. Heinze home: Rev. Ordahl and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erickson, John Simanson and family, Mr. A. Hanson and Oscar Hanson and family, Mrs. Edward Peterson, Miss Hilda Mawick, Mrs. Sven Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Folden and Hans Fosholm and family.

Ben Hoff was summoned Monday evening to the bedside of his brother Martin at St. Hilaire who was taken suddenly sick with brain fever.

Mr. Hoff departed that same evening accompanied by his sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kvennes of Middle River but before the party arrived at St. Hilaire the brother had passed away. Martin Hoft was 38 years old and was employed as a mail carrier at that place. The funeral services were held at St. Hilaire Thursday. The people of Holt extend sincere sympathy to Mr. Hoff in his great sorrow.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.
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Ringbo Rumbles

The heavy snow fall made fine trackings this week.

Miss Esther Movik left for T. R. Falls Monday.

Miss Sophie Johnson and Hjalmer Erickson made a swift trip to Newfolden Friday evening.

Gyda Udstrand visited at Sorter's Saturday.

Miss Flora Culver visited at her home in T. R. Falls Friday and returned Sunday.

Mrs. P. G Sorter and Mrs. J. Jernberg and son Kenneth visited at Joe Joeland's Sunday.

Hjalmer Erickson departed for Grand Forks Monday.

Oliver Grondahl was an over night caller at Slag's Sunday.

Pete Sorter visited at Mohson's Sunday.

Quite a bunch from this vicinity took in the concert at Middle River Saturday evening.

Misses Esther and Anna Sorter and Mrs. Rudman, Messrs. Hilmer Davidson and Eli Saastad visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Breese Sunday afternoon.

A number of young folks gathered at the home of G. Sorter's Friday evening and spent the evening playing games. All reported a good time.

Mrs. O. Rude visited school last week.

Mrs. Edwardson and Mrs. J. Tystad called at Skoglund's last Sunday.

Misses Esther and Anna Sorter and Flora Culver entertained a lively bunch of young people Sunday evening.

Hilmer Davidson, Pete Sorter and Oliver Grondahl were out hunting early Thursday morning at Mud Lake returning home with lot of game and reported fine hunting grounds out there.

Hilmer Davidson and Eli Saastad autoed to T. R. Falls.

Mrs. P. G. Sorter and J. C. Jernberg and son visited at T. O. Saastad's.

Southeast of Holt.

About a foot of snow fell in this locality last week and considerable threshing and plowing is still undone.

Mr. Langley, the cattle buyer of Newfolden was calling around in this locality the first of the week.

Miss Signora Sandbo was a Sunday caller at the A. Klungness home.

Peter Hornseth was a caller at the S. Moe home on Monday.

There will be a Shadow social in the Sam Groven school house this Friday evening. All are welcome to attend.

There will be confirmation services at the Free church on Sunday Nov. 5th. commencing at 10:30 A. M. Rev. A. Breederson Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nustvold were delightfully entertained at the J. Klungness home on Sunday.

A baby boy has recently arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Groven.

Tom Bakken returned home on Friday after being employed at the Rasmuss Oen farm south from T. R. Falls during the Summer and Fall.

The Messrs. Oliver and Albert Molstad were callers at the Sordahl home Saturday evening.

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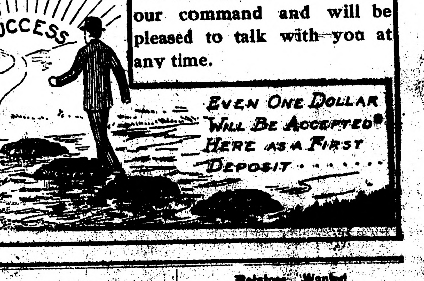

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Holt, Minnesota

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Cashier, B. Docken

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Workmen came Wednesday to install the village engine and pump.

Mrs. P. O. Relerson visited over Sunday with relatives in T. R. Falls.

The railroad company shipped a small building here Monday which will be used for their pumping station.

500 Wool and Flannel Sample Shirts, Men's and Boy's, sold at a big reduction at Holt Merc. Co.'s store. Get yours now and money.

Geo. Anderson came up from Climax Friday for a short visit at home. He reported there were several thousand bushel of potatoes yet to be dug on the farm where he was working, and that they had already dug 21000 bu., the most of which were stored.

George is enthusiastic about growing potatoes and expects to plant 200 bu. next spring.

For Representative

To the Voters of Marshall County:-

I have served as your Representative in the Legislature one session and am now asking for SECOND term. I am asking this on my record, which contains nothing I desire to conceal.

In the 1915 session I opposed all extravagant appropriations and advocated larger ones than those made in but two cases, viz: for state aid to rural schools, and for the prevention and cure of tuberculosis.

My re-election would result in your Representative in the 1917 Legislature being given better committee positions and having greater prestige and influence than would be accorded to a new man. With this advantage I would be able to render you better service and be able to secure the passage of any legislation in which you might be specially interested.

The pledges I made you in 1915 have been faithfully kept, as an examination of my records will fully prove.

Soliciting your support and your votes at the election on November 7, 1916, I am,

Respectfully yours,
C. L. STEVENS.

Potatoes Wanted

Bring us your potatoes. We pay cash for them at all times.

Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co.
Thief River Falls Minn.

Bring us your Job Printing.

This is the last week the amendments will be published, so you better get posted on them, now.

Hallowe'en party and basket social at the school house Tuesday evening Oct. 31th. Proceeds, benefit of the school.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when day and weather is good.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lbs. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kruehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will serve a general supper on Oct. 28th. Supper will be served from 5:30 to 7:30 All ladies will help furnish entertainment.

Don't fail to be present at John Thompson's sale Oct. 28th. when cattle, horses, hogs, machinery and house hold goods will be sold to the highest bidder. Come and enjoy free lunch at noon.

Newfolden will hold a special election next Monday to decide if the village shall buy the present electric light plant for $3000 and issue bonds for $3500, the extra $500 being for improvements.

P. A. Riesberg and Fred Peterson shipped their potato crop last Thursday. They put exactly two bushels in a sack and shipped 814 bushels besides keeping out enough for next years seed. This crop was all one kind, Early Ohios, and on that account they received a fancy price.

It pays to raise potatoes from pure seed and the Early Ohio is the best for this [illegible].

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What is Going On at Washington and in Other Sections of the Country.

WAR NEWS.

The entente allies have formally recognized the provisional government of Greece in the island of Crete, set up by former Premier Venizelos.

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King Haakon of Norway has approved an ordinance forbidding submarines of belligerent powers from traversing Norwegian waters except in cases of emergency.

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Seventy-four hostile aeroplanes, of which twenty-one were French and fifty-three British, were shot down by the Geramns during September, according to a list compiled by German military authorities.

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Despite the inclement weather, the Italians continue to push their new offensive toward Trieste. Rome officials estimated that the Austrians have lost 40,000 in killed, wounded and captured since the offensive began.

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Loss of the German submarine merchantman Bremen has been virtually conceded by Teutonic displomats in this country who are in position to be familiar with the movements of the vessel. The Bremen is now one month overdue.

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British and French divisions with a total of more than 1,000,000 men have been virtually annihilated in the Somme battle, says a German military critic. According to figures from Swiss sources, the Russian losses from June 1 to October 2 were about one million men.

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A woman has been commissioned by the government of Wuerttemberg as second in command of a small gunboat on Lake Constance which is employed in guard duty at Friedrichshafen, where the Zeppelin works are located. She has been given the rank and uniform of lieutenant.

GENERAL.

Iowa troops on the Mexican border will be allowed to vote under a decision just handed down by Attorney General George Cosson at Des Moines.

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A gift of $60,000 for an observatory and thirty-six inch telescope was announced at a meeting of the board of regents of the University of Arizona.

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Women were denied equal rights with men in two actions taken by the house of bishops in the Protestant Episcopal general convention at St. Louis.

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Nine persons were burned to death in a fire which destroyed two factories in the manufacturing section of New York City.

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The wheat crop of Canada for the present year will be only 159,123,000 bushels, as compared with 276,303,600 bushels in 1915, according to an official estimate.

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Means of meeting the requirements of the Adamson eight-hour law are to be considered at a meeting of the American railway association at Denver November 17.

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Estimate of the ministry of agriculture of the areas sown to crops in Argentina for the next harvest are: Wheat, 6,511,000 hectares; oats, 1,022,000; linseed, 1,298,000.

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Officials of the First National bank of Centralia, Okla., which was robbed recently, announced that practically all the notes held by the bank, to the amount of about $75,000, had been taken by the robbers, who also obtained $6,118 in currency.

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A hurricane that reached a velocity of one hundred and fourteen miles an hour swept over Pensacola, Fla., lifted roofs from houses, and sunk a number of vessels in the harbor. One life was lost. The property loss was estimated at $1,000,000. Several men caught on the street were hurled through plate glass windows by the gale.

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By writing an average of 137 accurate words a minute for an hour Miss Margaret R. Owen of New York City has again won the world's typewriting championship and a $1,000 cup and beaten her own previous record.

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The first carload of beets to leave South Dakota was shipped from Nisland to the Great Western Sugar company at Scottsbluff, Neb. It is estimated that over 100 cars will be shipped from the Belle Fourche territory this season.

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Chicago's voting population for the November election breaks all records with the unprecedented total, men and women, of 808,728. This places New York in second place with a total of 80,000 registered voters less.

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Plans for a campaign to make Chicago "dry" in 1918 was formally announced at a luncheon of the Dry Chicago federation in the city. Fifty thousand dollars was pledged.

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The Elephant Butte dam, at Elephant Butte, New Mexico, completed recently at a cost of $5,000,000 and intended to impound the largest artificially retained body of water in the world, was dedicated on Oct. 19.

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A shortage of both hard and soft coal is in prospect for New York City this winter, according to the dealers, who assert that their bins are being depleted, their shipments delayed and that the outlook for immediate or eventual relief is poor.

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The proposed change in the canons of the Protestant Episcopal church forbidding the re-marriage of persons divorced for causes arising after marriage, regardless of the cause, was rejected by the house of deputies of the general convention at St. Louis.

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Luis Cabrera, chairman of the Mexican commission, placed before the American members of the Mexican-American joint commission at Atlantic City a statement from Ambassador Designate Arredondo containing the assurance that his government had planned an active campaign against Villa.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Three Mexican bandits and several constitutionalist soldiers were killed last Saturday when the bandits attempted to hold up a train between San Luis Potosi and Rio Varde.

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American cavalry columns are patrolling south, east and west of Colonia Dublan, field headquarters of the punitive expeditin in Mexico, for the first time since the Carrizal clash, according to trustworthy advices brought to the border.

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At no time since the mobilization of the National Guard has it been safe to reduce the number of men on the Mexican border, declared Major General Frederick Funston, commanding the Southern department of the United states army.

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The First Illinois cavalry will be the first troops to leave Brownsville, Tex., since the mobilization in July. The regiment will be replaced by three troops of Colorado, a squadron of Virginia cavalry and a troop of New Hampshire cavalry.

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An official report to Maj. Gen. Frederick Funston confirmed reports that a small band of Villistas is within ten miles of General Pershing's column. Villa himself is at the head of 1,800 men at Guerrero, on the Mexican Northwestern line, where Pershing's cavalry had a battle last spring.

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Francisco Villa and a part of his bandit command took possession of the mining town of San Andres, and because the male population of the town had fled to prevent being impressed into his service, Villa ordered the houses burned and permitted his men to commit atrocities upon the defenseless inhabitants.

WASHINGTON.

Release of the members of the Wisconsin national guard now on the Mexican border is asked by Governor Phillipp in a letter to Secretary of War Baker.

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Acting Secretary Roosevelt announced that the four dreadnoughts announced for the coming year will be named Colorado, Maryland, Washington and West Virginia.

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Short measuring gasoline pumps, according to an investigation by the federal bureau of standards, are mulcting motorists of millions of dollars a year. In Illinois alone the loss is not less than $500,000 a year.

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A recent executive order opening a tract of 110,000 acres in Fresno, Monterey and San Benito counties, Cal., to homestead entry on November 7 was amended so that some of the land will be opened November 14 and the remainder December 12.

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Need of all available soldiers in the regular army for continued active service has caused Secretary Baker to stop all applications for furloughs to the reserve which under the national defense act may be requested by men who have served one year with the colors.

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Capt. W. R. Rush, U. S. N., commandant of the Boston naval yard, who led the force of 6,000 marines and sailors which landed at Vera Cruz from the Atlantic fleet in 1914, is to retire from the service.

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The supreme court refused to review the convictions of four labor leaders in the 1913 West Virginia coal strike, who were sentenced to six months' imprisonment for contempt of court in failing to obey an injunction by a federal district judge.

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Farmers who borrow through the national farm loan associations are not required to pay any advance commissions. So all of these enterprises requiring payments from farmers are declared by the Federal Farm board to be fraudulent.

BULGARS WREST BLACK SEA PORT FROM ROUMANIA; DEFENDERS FLEE

MACKENSEN'S AUSTRO-GERMAN-BULGAR-TURK ARMY OCCUPIES CONSTANZA—ALLIES SUFFER DISASTROUS ROUT.

TEUTONS ASSERT VICTORY IS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE

Declare Capture Offsets All Gains Made by Allies Since Somme Offensive Began—City Was Useful as Entrance for Allied Troops and Ammunition.

Berlin, Oct. 24.—Constanza, Roumania's greatest seaport, has fallen before Field Marshal von Mackensen's army, it has just been officially announced. Capture of the city is hailed by German military men as of more importance than all the gains made by the Allies since the Somme offensive began.

Official dispatches from the German and Bulgarian war office indicate that the Russo-Roumanians have suffered a disastrous rout.

Allies Demoralized.

Smashing northward along the Black sea coast, Von Mackensen's Austro-German-Bulgar-Turk army occupied first the Roumanian port of Tuzla and then swept onward through strongly fortified Roumanian lines of defense, marching 12 miles to Constanza in a little more than two days. The rapidity of the Teutonic advance is accepted as an indication that the Russians and Roumanians became demoralized and made an extremely disordered retreat.

Berlin Not Surprised.

An official statement from Sofia earlier in the day, reporting the capture of a village six miles south of Constanza, prepared Berlin for news of a great victory. No surprise was manifested here when it was announced that Von Mackensen had pushed on through the ruins of the Old Trojan's wall and had occupied Constanza itself.

The 35-mile Constanza-Cernavoda railway, leading across the Danube, is the carrier over which Roumania has derived a large quantity of her supplies. The Teutonic right wing is now astride that railway at Constanza, while Mackensen's center and left wing are swinging forward to capture the remainder of the road. Von Mackensen is aiming principally at Cernovoda and the great bridge over the Danube.

Is Railroad Terminus.

Troops of the Teutonic powers have crossed the railway line running between the Black sea port of Constanza and the river Danube at a point to the east of Murfattar, the official announcement says.

Constanza was one of the principal objectives of Field Marshal von Mackensen in his campaign in Dobrudja. It is of particular importance by reason of the fact that it is the eastern terminus of the only railroad between the Black sea and the Danube. Thence the railroad runs westward into old Roumania.

Entrance for Troops.

Constanza has been notably useful in offering a seaport and railway entrance for Russian troops and ammunition sent to the aid of Roumania. Its capture cuts off the most convenient water route for Roumanian replenishment, especially in munitions, of which the Roumanians have been reported badly in need. Possession of the entire line would give the Germanic force the easiest road to interior Roumania from the southwest over the Tchernavoda bridge.

FARMERS REALIZE DREAM; WHEAT PRICE REACHES $2

Several Cars of No. 1 Durum Sold for Record Price in Cash Market—Chicago Prices Soaring.

Minneapolis, Oct. 24.—Two-dollar wheat, for years the dream of the farmer, became a reality in Minneapolis for the first time in Chamber of Commerce history, when several cars of No. 1 durum wheat were sold in the cash market at that figure.

Other premium varieties of wheat fetched record prices in the cash market, while in the pit December wheat soared to $1.86⅝, also the highest price in the local market's history.

Chicago wheat prices also reached their highest level of the present rise. In Chicago, however, prices were still below that paid for May wheat in the Leither "corner" of 1898.

Suits Against Capitalists Argued.

Washington, Oct. 24.—Argument has been begun before the supreme court on the suits of James Sim and Thomas P. Alder of New York against William Edenborn, capitalist, to recover subscriptions of nearly $110,000 they gave Edenborn in his promotion of the $2,500,000 Sheffield Coal & Iron company in 1902. The corporation later became insolvent. Edenborn, a former associate of John W. Gates, organized the American Steel & Wire company and was connected with interests in St. Louis.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Owatonna. — Two prisoners sawed their way to freedom from the Steele county jail, took an automobile owned by County Superintendent of Schools James Mort, and escaped.

Minneapolis. — A boom for the establishment of a state normal school in the St. Anthony Park district was started at a meeting of the St. Anthony Park North Improvement association.

Minneapolis. — Indorsement of the serum-only method of treatment for hog cholera, as distinguished from the serum-virus method, is made in the current issue of the University Farm Bulletin.

Stillwater. — Double funeral services were held here for Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Chatterton, pioneer residents of Stillwater, whose deaths occurred within six and a half hours of the other. Each was 84 years old.

Albert Lea. — Ernest Hanson, son of Fred Hanson of Clarks Grove, was killed almost instantly near here when the motorcycle on which he was riding collided head-on with an automobile driven by Severe Olson of this city.

Stillwater.—High school boys served as judges at the Stillwater Horse and Cattle show. Heretofore state university students have acted in this capacity. The entries included many animals that have won prizes at the state fair.

Brainerd. — Pending the arrival of "Fisherman John" of Stillwater, five rivermen of Brainerd and Outing have been enlisted in the search for the body of Selwyn P. Coffrain a Brainerd business man, who was drowned in Lake George Oct. 15 while duck hunting.

Brainerd.—District schools in Dukeman and Neutral have been closed following an infantile paralysis investigation conducted in Crow Wing county by Dr. R. A. Beise of this city, at the solicitation of the farmers in Garrison and Maple Grove townships. Quarantine regulations have been established.

Pipestone. — The sun appeared in the role of a firebug in Pipestone and but for the prompt discovery of a fire which started in the window of a large jewelry store, a heavy loss would have resulted. Lying in the window, with numerous valuable pieces of jewelry, was a pair of spectacles, which reflected the rays of the sun onto the plush.

Grand Rapids. — Olga Dahl, who was assaulted and shot September 21, has recovered sufficiently to travel by automobile. She has made her first visit to her parents at Warba since receiving her injuries, and was driven to Deer River, where she is staying at the home of Mrs. Marian Taylor, the nurse who has been in charge of the case.

Minneapolis. — Mallard ducks have been placed on the open market here for the first time since Hennepin county pioneer days. The ducks were placed on sale at two downtown stores. They were raised on C. D. Velie's game breeding farm at Maxwell's bay, Lake Minnetonka. They are absolutely the first "legal mallards" ever placed on the open market.

Minneapolis. — The state campaign for the adoption of Amendment No. 1, intended to improve state lands and make them more salable, is in full swing. It has been decided that it will be better for the campaigners to divide the territory and campaign individually, because in that way they can cover much more territory than one party could cover in an automobile.

St. Paul. — Frederick T. Price, convicted wife murderer, has made his last fight for liberty before members of the Minnesota supreme court, asking for a new trial on the grounds of errors at his trial, and alleging misconduct on the part of George W. Armstrong, assistant county attorney, who prosecuted him. After arguments by Price's attorney and by Mr. Armstrong, the court took the case under advisement.

Duluth. — Henry Johnson, age 36, formerly of Ray, Minn., has been arrested in a Duluth saloon as a suspect in the criminal shooting of Miss Olga Dahl, Itasca county school teacher. Questioned by Chief of Police McKercher, Johnson said he came here from Skibo, and that he had been in Round Lake "a long time ago." Johnson has served a 10 months' term in a Canadian prison for an unnatural crime and has also been an inmate of the Fergus Falls asylum for the insane.

Minneapolis.—The University of Minnesota is to become, in effect, a second West Point. It has been named as one of the sixteen of the leading universities and colleges of the United States authorized to train reserve officers along lines laid down in the army reorganization law. President Vincent was appointed one of a committee to work but a curriculum adapted to the various institutions, and to the government's requirements, and to arrange other details for beginning instruction.

Mankato. — That highest self-realization as the aim of education is the basis for the new state course of study for elementary schools was pointed out here by Miss Theda Gildemeister, supervisor of training in Winona normal school, in an address at the Southern Minnesota Teachers' convention.

Duluth. — The validity of the Duluth wheelage tax ordinance is sustained on all points raised in an appeal decided by the State Supreme court. The appeal was taken by James D. Park against the City of Duluth and others to test the ordinance after it had been upheld by the lower court.

BOARD OF PARDONS COMMUTES TERMS

DENIES THREE PARDON APPLICATIONS AND TAKES OTHER CASES UNDER ADVISEMENT.

TO TRY 'ABSENT VOTERS' LAW'

Traveling Salesmen and Others May May Cast Ballots Anywhere in Minnesota on Election Day, Under Statute—Must Have Certificate.

St. Paul.

The board of pardons has commuted the sentences of three prisoners at Stillwater, denied three pardon applications and has taken the remaining eight cases heard under advisement until November 9, to which date the board adjourned. Fred Wagner, Jr., "lifer"; Christ I. Lucken and Earl Scrafield, serving indeterminate sentences, were voted commutations.

Denials were voted on the petitions of Mike Lah, Petro Bacani and Jim Francisetti, a trio serving reformatory sentences for assault.

The pardon pleas of "Kid" Scully, sentenced at Minneapolis in March, and that of Harry T. Robinson, under 20 years' sentence for burglary of the Shubert theater in St. Paul, were among those taken under advisement.

Vincent Wood is in the state prison for life because he tried to play a practical joke on his best friends, his attorney told the pardon board in an appeal for a pardon of sentence commutation for his client.

Wood, whose practical joke cost a man's life, went to prison for the rest of his day's with his lips sealed on a story that might have won him acquittal, said his attorney.

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Absentees to Vote.

Traveling salesmen and others expecting to be absent from home on election day are preparing in many cases to cast their votes for president and for state officers under the "absent voters' law." The law does not cover absence from the state, but a voter anywhere in Minnesota on election day can cast his ballot if he has prepared for the contingency.

Sections 468 to 471 of the revised statutes, provide a method for an absent voter to cast his vote for president, for a state officer "voted for by the voters throughout the state as a whole" or on any constitutional amendment.

First, he must go on a registration day, which will be Oct. 28, before the judges of his home precinct and get a certificate from them, saying that he is a resident and legal voter of that precinct. On election day he is to present the certificate at the precinct where he desires to vote. Two "qualified resident voters" are to identify him as the man named in the certificate. He then is to be given a state ballot. After he has marked it and handed it to the judges, they are to place it in an envelope and send it by registered mail to the auditors of the voter's home county. It is to be opened and counted by the county canvassing board.

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Citizens' Camp at Fort.

Fort Snelling has been designated as a military training camp for business men similar to the camp at Plattsburg, N. Y. Major-General Barry commanding the Central department of the army, authorized the maintenance of two such camps of 30 days each during August and September, 1917, at Fort Snelling, civic workers announced.

All of Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Wisconsin and Montana will be asked to co-operate in making this camp a success. Fully 1,000 men will be necessary to make the camp a success, but the general interest in the eastern training camps, shown by business and professional men, warrants the belief that at least 1,500 will train at Fort Snelling next year."

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Soldiers Plan Carnival.

Minnesota soldiers in camp at Llano Grande, Texas, will have an outdoor sports carnival of their own. They expext to be denied the pleasure of participating in the St. Paul Outdoor affair to take place early next month. They will be aided by the home folk in supplying some of the articles necessary for the carnival for a letter from Rev. L. R. S. Ferguson, chaplain of the First Field artillery, met with a prompt response.

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Hearing on Adjustments.

The State Tax Commission has held hearings looking toward adjustments of assessments of mineral lands in Minnesota. Representatives of about fifteen mining companies and other owners of mineral properties appeared, a small number in comparison to those in past years.

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Cavalry Troop for "U."

A cavalry troop may be established at the University of Minnesota during the next college year, according to Major George W. Moses, new commandant of the cadet corps and instructor in military science. "Three branches of instruction in colleges are provided in the new army law and next year we expect to see the infantry, artillery and cavalry all at the university," said the commandant. Three more regular army officers will be sent to the university to give instruction, he said.

CHINESE LAND IS SEIZED BY FRENCH ARMY AT TIEN TSIN

SQUARE MILE OF TERRITORY OCCUPIED BY CONSUL WITH ASSISTANCE OF TROOPS—ORIENTALS THREATEN VIOLENCE.

GREAT BATTLES RAGE IN BALKANS; BRITISH GAIN

Serbians Make Notable Headway in Campaign Against Monastir—Rains on Somme Front and Heavy Snows in Carpathians Impede Infantry Actions—Bulgars Repulsed.

Peking, Oct. 23.—A square mile of territory adjoining the French concession at Tien Tsin has been forcibly seized by the French consul, with the assistance of troops.

The Chinese police were arrested and Frenchmen substituted for them.

Replying to a protest from the Chinese foreign office, the French legation at Peking replied that it assumed responsibility for any violence that might result from the action.

Violence Threatened.

The district occupied by the French is thickly populated and the Chinese are threatening violence, as they have stubbornly resisted for many years annexation to the French concession.

In its protest to the French legation the foreign office gave warning that it would not be responsible if violence resulted.

The Chinese press is violently assailing the action of the French, declaring that it "surpasses Japanese tactics and is actual warfare against defenseless China."

Two Big Battles in Balkans.

London, Oct. 23.—Two great battles are raging in the Balkans, while rainy weather on the Somme front and heavy snows in the Carpathians have impeded infantry actions in two main theaters of war.

Notable headway is being made by the Serbians on the Macedonian front in their campaign for Monastir, according to the current reports from Allied sources.

Paris announced further gains against the Bulgarians in the bend of the Cerna, southeast of Monastir, where the Serbians have pushed well to the north of the river following their recent passage at Brod.

Serbs Menace Monastir.

The official account says that the Serbians have thrust back the Bulgarians and captured several villages.

Unofficial advices also report the Serbians, assisted by French troops, attacking in the Kenali region to the west, along the Florina-Monastir railway.

Kenali is less than 10 miles from Monastir. The Bulgarian position here is declared by Allied military commentators to be virtually outflanked by the Serbian capture of Velyselo, in the Cerna sector, six miles northeast of Kenali.

ALLIES NOW CONTROL SITUATION AT ATHENS

French Admiral Appointed Chief Inspector by Greek Minister of Interior—Directs Activities of Police.

London, Oct. p3.—Vice Admiral Dufournet, commanding the Allied fleet in Greek waters, has assumed complete control of the situation at Athens and has taken drastic steps to prevent further rioting.

The Greek police and gendarmerie now perform their duties under the eye of the French commander, who approves all police orders. No police officer can be dismissed nor transferred without his sanction.

The vice admiral received these powers through an appointment from the Greek ministry of the interior to be "chief inspector." He is empowered to appoint inspectors with similar powers in other Greek cities.

Warships Aid Grounded Steamer.

Washington, Oct. 23.—Admiral Pond is proceeding at full speed aboard the gunboat Prairie to aid the steamer Seward, aground off Cape Haitien, the Navy department announces. Admiral Pond also has ordered the tug Pontiac to aid the Seward. No word has reached the Navy department as to the vessel's state except the bare information that she is aground.

Episcopalians Select Detroit.

St. Louis, Oct. 23.—Detroit has been selected as the conference city of the Protestant Episcopal Church of America in 1919. The house of bishops selected Detroit and the house of deputies concurred in the selection without a fight.

One Killed in Fight for Jewels.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Chicago police are searching for three masked bandits who shot and killed Louis Lichtenstein, a newspaper advertising solicitor, after failing to obtain a bag of jewels for which they invaded a garage at the home of the victim and his brother-in-law, Emil Noel, a jeweler. Lichtenstein and Noel had just reached their home and were putting up their automobile when the attack was made. Noel had a package containing diamonds and other jewels, which he managed to hide.

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Willie Meant Rabid.

Wee Willie was greatly excited.

"Mamma," he cried, "you know Jones' pup?"

"Yes, William."

"We thought it was a fox terrier didn't we?"

"Yes, William."

"And they took off its head and sent it to Pittsburgh and found it wasn't a fox terrier after all."

"What was it?"

"Mrs. Jones said the doctor found out it was a rabbit dog."—Youngstown Telegram.

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A Good Reverse.

"I hear of reversed reforms on railroads?"

"What are they?"

"Watering stock less on their capital and more on their cattle trains."

Probably a Lawyer.

Farmer (to angler)—Hey, mister, be you a-talkin' to yerself or to the fish?

Angler—To the fish. I'm trying to draw them out.—Boston Transcript.

Base envy withers at another's joy.

Is Work Too Hard?

Many kinds of work wear out the kidneys, and kidney trouble makes any kind of work hard. It brings morning lameness, backache, headache, nervousness, rheumatism and urinary troubles. If your work is confining, strains the back, or exposes you to extreme heat or cold or damp, it's well to keep the kidneys active. Doan's Kidney Pills are reliable and safe. Thousands recommend them.

A North Dakota Case

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THE KITCHEN CABINET

A very sublime and grand thing is truth, in its way though, like other sublime and grand things, such as thunderstorms, and that we're not always over and above glad to see it.—Dickens.

PALATABLE FOODS.

A nice, rich, steamed brown bread with raisins may be served with a rich pudding sauce, making an excellent dessert, and no one need be the wiser as to its being a makeshift in an emergency. If no raisins are steamed in the bread a few may be steamed and sprinkled over each slice with a few chopped nuts.

Savory Beans.—A pint of kidney beans boiled until tender with a piece of salt pork or bacon, when done, will have a rich sauce. Add more water if necessary; add a fried onion and some chopped parsley to the beans. Season to taste and when serving add a tablespoonful each of oil and vinegar to further season them.

Roquefort Cheese Dressing.—Mix together half a teaspoonful of salt, a quarter of a teaspoonful of white pepper, six tablespoonfuls of olive oil, and when well mixed add three tablespoonfuls of vinegar or lemon juice. Beat all together until an emulsion is formed. Add to this an eighth of a pound of Roquefort cheese, crushed fine, and a little chopped pimento or tabasco sauce.

Boiled Fresh Tongue Sardellan Sauce.—Cook a fresh tongue in simmering water for three hours until it is tender. Skim it and cut in quarter-inch slices, arrange on a platter and pour over it the following sauce: Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter and add two tablespoonfuls of flour; mix and cook, then add gradually two cupfuls of the liquor in which the tongue was boiled, six anchovies, cut fine, let boil a minute, season with salt and pepper and pour over the tongue.

Blitzkuchen.—Cream a cupful of butter, add a cupful of powdered sugar, add the grated rind of half a lemon, sift two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, a teaspoonful of salt and two cupfuls of flour together; add three-quarters of a cupful of milk, alternating with the flour, and the yolks of four eggs; beat well, fold in the whites and bake in a shallow pan; brush the top with egg, sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon and finely chopped almonds. Bake 20 minutes.

Among men who have any sound and sterling qualities there is nothing so contagious as pure openness of heart.

Speak with tact. Without it, better not to speak at all.

FOR BREAKFAST.

There are several things which enter into the right kind of a breakfast: first, the individual to be served, age, state of health, occupation, season and climate, as well as the supplies to be obtained.

The old standbys of bacon, toast, coffee, preceded by some sort of fruit is the breakfast of the average person. It is the meal which most housewives complain about the oftenest, being hard to give variety.

Grapes are one of the fruits most enjoyed in the fall and are a most wholesome fruit; apples, pears and peaches all have a wholesome acid, very beneficial to the digestion.

Plain boiled rice makes a welcome breakfast cereal; omelets of various kinds give a change from the every-day shell-cooked, poached or fried egg. A most appetizing method of serving eggs is to drop them into individual ramekins, cover with cream, dot with bits of butter and season with salt and pepper; place in the oven in a dish of hot water and bake until the eggs are set.

Where fresh mackerel is obtained, no more tasty dish can be offered than broiled mackerel or the fish backed in cream. Place it in a dripping pan with a little water, skin side down, and place in the hot oven; when the water has evaporated pour over the fish a cupful of good cream; heat through and serve, adding the seasonings at the last, not to curdle the cream, although that need not entirely spoil the dish, but it does detract from its appearance.

Chops, liver and bacon, sausages of various kinds, are all meats used for breakfast. Only a small portion should be served, as it is much better for the health to eat meat but once a day and that at the heavy meal, or dinner.

Hot breads are liked for breakfast, and griddle cakes the year round never seem to lose their popularity. For the Sunday breakfast it is wise to have an entire change. As it is a meal of more leisure than every-day breakfasts, it may be a little more elaborate.

A fruit that is subacid is best to serve in the morning; a cereal with cream is given, though the practice of serving acid fruits and cereals with cream is quite general.

The next best thing to understanding the whole of any subject, is to be aware of that part of it we do not understand.—Whately.

A drop of ink may make a million think.

APPETIZING DISHES.

Very pretty and useful little receptacles for holding ices may be made by using the sweet wafers held together at the ends with frosting to make boxlike dishes; fill with cream and serve.

Fig Preserve.—Wash ripe figs in soda water and drop the figs into boiling hot sirup, using six pounds of sugar to eight pounds of fruit; cook until the figs become clear, a half hour or longer. Flavor with a branch of lemon verbena, leaves of rose geranium and a small box of crystallized ginger. Seal with paraffin in small jars.

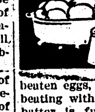
Delicious Muffins.—Beat well the yolks of two eggs. Into this stir one pint of flour in which three teaspoonfuls of baking powder have been mixed; then stir in gradually, one pint of water and the beaten whites of three eggs, and a pinch of salt. Bake in hot, well greased muffin pans 20 minutes.

Oyster Salad.—Heat a quart of small oysters until they are plump, then pour off the liquor, add the juice of a lemon and place on ice until well chilled. Before serving mix them with finely cut celery, a half cupful of nuts or more and a cupful of mayonnaise dressing; garnish with beets, tiny cucumbers or pimentos cut in fancy shapes.

Escaloped Eggs.—If the price of eggs keeps on going up this dish may be one we will enjoy looking at and hoping for when eggs are reasonable. Cook hard six eggs, by dropping them into three quarts of boiling water; cover closely, allow to stand near the heat, but not on it, for a half hour. Then remove them, lay in cold water, and take off the shells. Make a white sauce of a quarter of a cupful each of butter and flour cooked together; then add a pint of milk, cook until smooth and add one chopped green pepper and salt and pepper to season. Slice the eggs and put them into a buttered dish, a layer of white sauce and a layer of eggs; sprinkle with grated cheese, finish with a layer of white sauce and a thick covering of buttered crumbs. Bake until brown in a hot oven.

A college education is not a scheme to enable a man to live without work. Its purpose is to help him to work to advantage, to make every stroke count.—David Starr Jordan.

FOR THE HOME TABLE.



When serving a roast of beef the yorkshire pudding or muffins will help out with the meat if it seems to be too small a roast for the number served.

Yorkshire Muffins.—Stir into two cupfuls of sifted flour a pinch of salt, three well-beaten eggs, and two cupfuls of milk, beating with an egg beater until the butter is full of bubbles. Half an hour before the roast is to be served, pour out a little of the drippings into a shallow pan containing hot-greased muffin rings and fill with the batter. Serve nicely browned as a border to the roast.

Royal Bouillon.—Take two and a half pounds of lean beef, finely chopped, cover with two quarts of water, allowing it to stand an hour, then bring to the simmering point and cook three hours, removing any scum that may arise. Now add one small onion, a carrot, one bay leaf, two cloves, four peppercorns, and two stalks of minced celery; simmer until the vegetables are tender. Strain into an earthenware bowl and let it cool. When ready to serve remove any fat, clear by stirring in the white of an egg, boil up, strain and serve at once.

Fish Pudding, Russian.—Take one and a half to two pounds of fresh mackerel, one and a half tablespoonfuls of butter, one cupful of cracker crumbs, three cupfuls of milk, six eggs, one grated onion, six peppercorns, and one tablespoonful of sour cream. Cut the fish lengthwise, wash it, take out the bones, removing the skin. Chop the meat fine, with half a tablespoonful of butter, put into a bowl the yolks of the eggs, with the salt needed, onion, peppercorns, cracker crumbs, a tablespoonful of butter and the sour cream. Beat well, add the fish, stir in the beaten whites and put into a buttered baking dish; cover and cook slowly for two hours. Serve with caper sauce.

Caper Sauce.—Cook together a tablespoonful each of butter and flour, add pepper, a cupful of milk, salt and two tablespoonfuls of capers. Cook slowly and serve hot.

Almond cakes may be prepared the same way, using six egg whites, a pound of sugar and a pound of almonds finely sliced.

Nellie Maxwell

ELOPES WITH HIS SON'S SWEETHEART

Steady Business Man Quits Wife and Children for Stenographer.

TWO HOMES SORROW

Girl's Telegram Shows She Could Not Resist Mature Admirer—Her Betrothed Away With His State Regiment.

Boston, Mass.—Charles H. Gretter, forty-five years old, treasurer of the Louis E. Merry company, bakers, with a fine residence in Malden and a summer home in North Weymouth, has eloped with the sweetheart of his nineteen-year-old son, Leslie, who has been with the Massachusetts militia at El Paso, Tex.

The broken-hearted mother of Mr. Gretter's three children admitted that fact at the Gretter home. She was corroborated by the father of Mildred Merrill, twenty-two years old, a stenographer, who sacrificed her soldier sweetheart and her home to elope with a man old enough to be her father.

Crushed by the weight of a double sorrow—his mother having committed suicide two weeks ago—Fred Merrill of Eastman road, Somerville, quoted from a yellow slip of paper:

"I fought him for six years.

"MILDRED."

It was a telegram he received last Sunday from Worcester, in which his daughter told of her step.

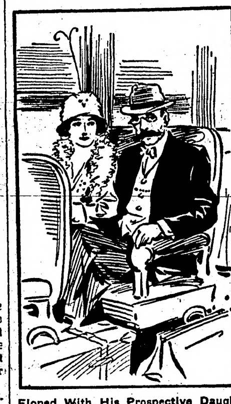
Employed in His Office.

Where she and her forty-five-year-old companion may be now is not known either to Mr. Merrill or Mrs. Gretter.

"I want my husband home again in spite of everything," said Mrs. Gretter.

"All I want is my little daughter back again," said Mr. Merrill.

Miss Merrill was employed as a stenographer for several years in Mr. Gretter's office, and the two were openly fond of each other's society, but no one thought that Mr. Gretter's liking was anything more than admiration of his supposedly prospective daughter-in-law.



Eloped With His Prospective Daughter-in-Law.

The fact that Mr. Gretter frequently took Miss Merrill riding in his touring automobile was known to both families, and was never given a thought. Nor was it considered strange that Miss Merrill should constantly be lauding the qualities of her employer.

Gretter Family Prostrated.

Mrs. Gretter and her two daughters, both in their teens, are prostrated. But Mrs. Gretter has not a single bitter word to say, either of her husband or of his companion.

"I hope the girl is restored to her father," she said, "and as for my husband, I want him to come back again. Not here, though; not here. What is there left for him here? He has lost every friend, or will lose them, when the affair becomes known. Oh, how could he? How could he?'

STOPPED HIS WIFE'S TONGUE

Husband Used "Dumbcane" Because He Tired of Her Chatter—Later Paid Hospital Bill Cheerfully.

St. Louis, Mo.—Mr. and Mrs. John Kearne were inspecting a botanical garden here when the gardener pointed to a plant and called it "dumbcane."

Kearne's curiosity was aroused and he asked, "Why the dumb?" The gardener replied that if a leaf is placed on the tongue it renders the person speechless. Some time later Kearne approached his wife smilingly.

"Shut your eyes and open your mouth. I've something good for you," he said, and his wife obeyed. At the city hospital Mrs. Kearne recovered her speech and she told on Kearne. He confessed. Likewise he footed the hospital bill.

"I didn't have faith in what that gardener said, but sometimes my wife talks too much and I thought I'd try it," he explained.

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Interest.

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"I have no doubt," replied Miss Cayenne, "that many are surprised to see how much easier it is to make dollars draw interest than to make them create interest."

Cardui Wins Suit.

After a trial in the United States District Court of Chicago, before Judge Carpenter and a federal jury, the jury found the American Medical Association guilty of libeling Cardui, the woman's tonic, which they had denounced as a "nostrum."

This is a vindication of the medicine and a proof that it has merit, which was recognized by a jury after a trial of three months, one of the longest civil cases on record.

Many doctors and chemists testified on both sides and the evidence totaled nearly four million words.

Doing Credit to It.

"Who are those two men who seem to be attracting so much attention on the platform?"

"Those are men who have both done credit to their Alma Mater. One is an honor man of Harvard."

"And who is the other?"

"Oh, he is an honor man of Sing Sing."

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English Learning Other Languages.

The English have never been distinguished in the past as linguists, their own mother tongue answering their requirements, commercially, intellectually and otherwise. Their insularity in this respect is disappearing, however, and two anonymous donors have each given $5,000 to Leeds university, one gift being for the development of the Russian language and literature, and the other as an initial endowment to found a chair of Spanish.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

WHY STRIVE TO KILL TIME?

If Annihilation Were Possible, the World Would Remain Just Exactly as It Is Today.

There are so many gentle proverbs devoted to the praise of Time, that it is wonderful to think how, in our day, that comely Titan has come to be regarded by the most of us as our worst enemy.

We are forever scheming how to forereach him, to get the better of him, even—in the extravagant phrase of the speed-at-any-price maniacs—to annihilate him.

Those, to be sure, fail to see how the consummation of their ideal would leave them exactly at the point from which they started.

Even the forty minutes girdle round about the earth, if achieved, would soon exhaust the excursive potentialities of existence; and, unless science is prepared to deal triumphantly with the problem of penetrating and breathing atmosphereless space, one fails to see what the world would gain through a perfected system of aeroplanes but the taedium vitae in its final and quite incurable form.

Oldtime Musical Watch.

An extraordinary timepiece has come into the possession of a jeweler living in Chillicothe, O., who is said to have got it on a recent visit to London. It is a watch of the antique class, made in Paris 125 years ago at a time when musical watches were much in vogue among the well-to-do classes. It is a fine specimen of the handmade article, and besides playing beautiful melodies strikes the hours and quarters. The dial is noteworthy on account of its rare and exquisite enamel work on beautifully chased gold. It is looked upon as a curio of great value.

Contradictory Methods.

"How is it you are always so ready with everything needed?"

"Because I make it my standing rule to have everything in running order."

An enemy knocks a man down, then a friend proceeds to kick him.

TRACTOR SCHOOL

Demand for tractor operators is increasing so rapidly that we have decided to conduct the Twin City Tractor School, as during past years, at our factory in Minneapolis. This is an inexpensive opportunity to get the most practical tractor instruction right in the plant of one of the largest tractor manufacturers where 2500 men are employed. Terms are five weeks in length and the first term opens November 13th. Other terms January 2nd, February 6th and March 18th. A small tuition fee is charged to insure active interest of students. Only competent men admitted and the number is limited. Write for catalog and application card today to Minneapolis Steel & Machinery Co., 29th St., and Minnehaha Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

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GOOD WORD FOR DANDELION

Americans Could Save Money by Systematic Cultivation of Yellow-Flowered Plant.

It is astonishing to most of us to learn, from an authoritative source, that our annual supply of dandelion roots comes chiefly from Germany, Austria and France. By the way, who started the notion that this highly decorative yellow-flowered plant should be banished where the owner makes a pretext of a well-kept lawn?

Well, dandelions were made before lawns, and, luckily, they persist in flourishing. The leaves supply us with early "greens," and the roots with something renowned medicinally as "good for the liver." But why should our truck gardeners stand idly by while the makers of drugs import tons of dandelion roots every year from Europe?

For the same reason, very likely, that American sugar-beet growers buy —or did, before the war—their seed from thrifty and enterprising German and French farmers. For the same reason that we have been sending good money to Europe for many another necessity that we might have produced ourselves without waiting for a world war to cut off the supply.

Just what the reason is it might be hard to say. Probably a part of it is something we overlook when we boast of our national characteristics—sheer laziness.—Providence Journal.

Smallest He Had.

Parson—Good morning, Mr. Skinner. I was pleased to see you contribute to the missionary collection this morning.

Skinner—Yes, I gave a nickel.

Parson—A nickel! Why, I'm surprised that a man of your standing should make a contribution like that.

Skinner—Well, I know it was a good deal to give, but I felt that I ought to contribute something, and I didn't have anything smaller.

The Main Thing.

"I suppose it takes a certain amount of tact to get into society," said the Climber.

"Yes, one must know just whom to snub," replied the Woman Who Had Arrived.

Sunny Dispositions

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"There's a Reason"

THE EIGHT

Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the STATE OF MINNESOTA

Submitted by the Legislature at Its General Session, 1915, Together With a Statement of the

PURPOSES AND EFFECTS,

Prepared by Hon. Lyndon A. Smith, Attorney General of Minnesota.

Addressed to Julius A. Schmahl Secretary of State

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, ST. PAUL.

April 7, 1916.

Honorable Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State,
Capitol.

DEAR SIR: Pursuant to your request and in accordance with the provisions of Section 46, Statutes 1913, I herewith hand you statement of the purposes and effect of all amendments to the Constitution proposed by the legislature of 1915 and to be submitted to the electors at the next general election; such statement also shows the reading of the existing sections and the way the same will read if the amendments are adopted.

Yours truly,
LYNDON A. SMITH,
Attorney General.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 1.

By Chapter 379, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Section Two (2) of Article Eight of the Constitution by adding to said Section Two a new paragraph.

Section Two as it now stands reads as follows:

"Section 2. SCHOOL AND SWAMP LANDS—SCHOOL FUNDS FROM SALE OF—The proceeds of such lands as are or hereafter may be granted by the United States for the use of schools within each township in this state shall remain a perpetual school fund to the state; and not more than one-third of said lands may be sold in two years, one-third in five years, and one-third in ten years; but the lands of the greatest valuation shall be sold first: Provided, that no portion of said lands shall be sold otherwise than at public sale. The principal of all funds arising from sales or other disposition of lands or other property, granted or intrusted to this state in each township for educational purposes, shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished; and the income arising from the lease or sale of said school land shall be distributed to the different townships throughout the state, in proportion to the number of scholars in each township, between the ages of five and twenty-one years; and shall be faithfully applied to the specific objects of the original grants or appropriations. Suitable laws shall be enacted by the legislature for the safe investment of the principal of all funds which have heretofore arisen or which may hereafter arise from the sale or other disposition of such lands, or the income from such lands accruing in any way before the sale or disposition thereof in interest-bearing bonds of the United States, or of the State of Minnesota issued after the year 1860, or of such other state as the legislature may by law from time to time direct. All swamp lands now held by the state, or that may hereafter accrue to the state, shall be appraised and sold in the same manner and by the same officers, and the minimum price shall be the same less one-third, as is provided by law for the appraisement and sale of the school lands under the provisions of title one of chapter thirty-eight of the General Statutes. The principal of all funds derived from sales of swamp lands as aforesaid shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished. One-half of the proceeds of said principal shall be appropriated to the common school fund of the state; the remaining one-half shall be appropriated to the educational and charitable institutions of the state in the relative ratio of cost to support said institutions."

The paragraph which it is proposed to add to said Section Two reads as follows:

"A revolving fund of not over two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) may be set apart from the fund derived from the sale of school and swamp lands, to be used in constructing roads, ditches and fire breaks in, through and around unsold school and swamp lands and in clearing such lands, such fund to be replenished as long as needed from the enhanced value realized from the sale of such lands so benefited."

Under Section Two as it now stands the proceeds of the sale of school and swamp lands constitute the principal of a trust fund, the income of which is used for the support of the schools, educational and charitable institutions of the state. Section Two as it now stands provides that the principal of such fund "shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished."

THE EFFECT of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to modify the provision last quoted to the extent of permitting the legislature to set aside not to exceed $250,000 of the principal of the trust fund as a revolving fund to be used for the purposes stated in the amendment proposed.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 2.

By Chapter 380, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Section Six (6), of Article Eight (8) of the Constitution.

Section Six as it now stands reads as follows:

"Section 6. INVESTMENT OF SCHOOL FUNDS — The permanent school and university fund of this state may be invested in the bonds of any county, school district, city, town or village of this state, but no such investment shall be made until approved by the board of commissioners designated by law to regulate the investment of the permanent school fund and the permanent university fund of this state; nor shall such loan or investment be made when the bonds to be issued or purchased would make the entire bonded indebtedness exceed fifteen per cent of the assessed valuation of the taxable real property of the county, school district, city, town or village issuing such bonds, nor shall such loan or indebtedness be made at a lower rate of interest than three per cent per annum, nor for a shorter period than five years, nor for a longer period than twenty years, and no change of the town, school district, city, village or of county lines shall relieve the real property in such town, school district, county, village or city in this state at the time of the issuing of such bonds from any liability for taxation to pay such bonds."

If the proposed amendment is adopted it will then read as follows:

"The permanent school and university fund of this state may be invested in the bonds of any county, school district, city, town or village of this state, and in first mortgage loans secured upon improved and cultivated farm lands of this state. But no such investment or loan shall be made until approved by the board of commissioners designated by law to regulate the investment of the permanent school fund and the permanent university fund of this state; nor shall such loan or investment be made when the bonds to be issued or purchased would make the entire bonded indebtedness exceed 15 per cent of the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the county, school district, city, town or village issuing such bonds; nor shall any farm loan, or investment be made when such investment or loan would exceed 30 per cent of the actual cash value of the farm land mortgage to secure said investment; nor shall such investments or loans be made at a lower rate of interest than 3 per cent per annum nor for a shorter period than five years, nor for a longer period than thirty years, and no change of the town, school district, city, village or of county lines shall relieve the real property in such town, school district, county, village or city in this state at the time of issuing of such bonds from any liability for taxation to pay such bonds."

THE PURPOSE of the amendment is to authorize the investment of the permanent school and university funds in first mortgage loans secured upon improved and cultivated farm lands where the amount of the loans so secured does not exceed 30 per cent of the value of the land mortgaged.

THE EFFECT of the adoption of the proposed amendment will be to permit the legislature to authorize the investment of the permanent school and university funds in farm mortgages as above stated, as well as in the bonds of any county, school district, city, town or village of this state. Under Section Six as it now reads bonds cannot be purchased unless they mature at least five and not more than twenty years after purchase. If the amendment is adopted, bonds and mortgages may be purchased if they mature not less than five nor more than thirty years after purchase.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 3.

By Chapter 381, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Article Nine (9) of the Constitution by adding thereto a new section, which reads as follows:

"Section 17. The legislature is hereby authorized to provide by law for the mining and sale of any iron ore, or other minerals which the state owns, in its sovereign capacity, and as trustee for the people of the state, which are situate under the waters or bed of any meandered public lake or river, and for that purpose may provide for the drainage of any such lake or river, or the diversion of the waters thereof to a new bed or channel, provided, however, that the vested riparian rights of private persons or corporations owning land adjoining such lakes shall not be destroyed or damaged without their consent, unless compensation therefor shall be first paid or secured. The principal of all funds arising from the sale of such iron ore, or other minerals, shall forever be preserved inviolate and undiminished, but the income therefrom shall be used for the construction, improvement and maintenance of the public roads of the state. The principal of such funds shall be loaned or invested in the same manner, by the same officers, and upon the same terms as is, or from time to time hereafter may be authorized by the constitution and laws, for the loaning or investment of the permanent school and university funds of the state."

THE PURPOSE of the proposed amendment cannot be more clearly stated than is expressed therein.

THE EFFECT of the amendment, if adopted, would be to confer power on the legislature to provide by law for the mining of iron ore and other minerals, which the state owns in its sovereign capacity and situate under the bed of any meandered public lake or river, subject to the restriction that the rights of riparian owners on any such lake or river, shall not be destroyed or injured without compensation. If the legislature exercises the power, in case it is conferred, it could also provide for the drainage or diversion of the waters of the lake or river with reference to which it so legislates; it could also prescribe by whom such minerals could be mined and the compensation to be paid to the state therefor. The proceeds of the sale of any such minerals would constitute a fund to be loaned and invested the same as the permanent school and university funds, the income of such fund to be used in the construction, improvement and maintenance of public roads.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 4.

By Chapter 382, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed an amendment to Section Two (2) of Article Six of the Constitution.

Said Section 2 now reads as follows:

"Section 2. SUPREME COURT— The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and two associate justices, but the number of associate justices may be increased to a number not exceeding four, by the legislature, by a two-thirds vote, when it shall be deemed necessary. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions. There shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the state, one clerk of the supreme court, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and until his successor is duly elected and qualified; and the judges of the supreme court, or a majority of them, shall have the power to fill any vacancy in the office of clerk of the supreme court until an election can be regularly had."

If the proposed amendment is adopted the section will then read as follows:

"Section 2. The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and six associate justices. Five shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of at least four shall be necessary to a decision. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions and a clerk of the supreme court."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Supreme Court as now constituted consists of a chief justice and four associate justices. The clerk of said court is now elected. If the amendment is adopted, two associate justices will be added to the court and the clerk will be appointed by the court instead of being elected by the voters.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 5.

By Chapter 383, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors, an amendment of Section Eleven (11) of Article Four (4) of the Constitution.

Said section now reads as follows:

"Section 11. APPROVAL OF BILLS BY GOVERNOR — VETO POWER— Every bill which shall have passed the senate and house of representatives, in conformity to the rules of each house and the joint rules of the two houses, shall, before it becomes a law, be presented to the governor of the state. If he approves he shall sign and deposit it in the office of the secretary of state for preservation, and notify the house where it originated of the fact. But if not, he shall return it with his objections to the house in which it shall have originated; when such objections shall be entered at large on the journal of the same, and the house shall proceed to reconsider the bill. If, after such reconsideration, two-thirds of that house shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered; and if it be approved by two-thirds of that house it shall become a law. But in all such cases the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the persons voting for or against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each house respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the governor within three days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the legislature, by adjournment within that time, prevents its return; in which case it shall not be a law. The governor may approve, sign and file in the office of the secretary of state, within three days after the adjournment of the legislature, any act passed during the last three days of the session, and the same shall become a law. If any bill presented to the governor contains several items of appropriation of money, he may object to one or more of such items, while approving of the other portion of the bill. In such case, he shall append to the bill at the time of signing it, a statement of the items to which he objects, and the appropriation so objected to shall not take effect. If the legislature be in session, he shall transmit to the house in which the bill originated a copy of such statement, and the items objected to shall be separately reconsidered. If, on reconsideration, one or more of such items be approved by two-thirds of the members elected to each house, the same shall be a part of the law, notwithstanding the objections of the governor. All the provisions of this section, in relation to bills not approved by the governor, shall apply in cases in which he shall withhold his approval from any item or items contained in a bill appropriating money."

It is proposed to amend that section so that it shall read as follows:

"Section 11. Every bill which shall have passed the senate and house of representatives, in conformity to the rules of each house and the joint rules of the two houses, shall, before it becomes a law, be presented to the governor of the state. If he approves he shall sign and deposit it in the office of the secretary of state for preservation, and notify the house where it originated of the fact. But if not, he shall return it, with his objections, to the house in which it shall have originated; when such objections shall be entered at large on the journal of the same, and the house shall proceed to reconsider the bill. If, after such reconsideration, two-thirds of that house shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered; and if it be approved by two-thirds of that house it shall become a law. But in all such cases the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the persons voting for or against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each house respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the governor within three days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the legislature by adjournment within that time, prevent its return; in which case it shall not be a law. The governor may approve, sign and file in the office of the secretary of state within three days after the adjournment of the legislature, any act passed during the last three days of the session, and the same shall become a law. If any bill presented to the governor contains several items of appropriation of money, he may object to one or more of such items in whole or in part, while approving of the other portion of the bill. In such case he shall append to the bill, at the time of signing it, a statement of the items and parts of items to which he objects, and the part of any appropriation so objected to shall not take effect. If the legislature be in session, he shall transmit to the house in which the bill originated a copy of such statement, and the items objected to in whole or in part shall be separately reconsidered. If, on reconsideration, one or more of such items be approved by two-thirds of the members elected to each house the same shall be a part of the law, notwithstanding the objections of the governor. All the provisions of this section, in relation to bills not approved by the governor, shall apply in cases in which he shall withhold his approval in whole or in part from any item or items contained in a bill appropriating money."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: Under the Constitution as it now is, the governor may veto any item in an appropriation bill, but he cannot cut down the amount appropriated for any specific purpose. The amendment, if adopted, will give the governor power to reduce the amount of an appropriation for any given purpose, unless upon transmittal to the legislature of a statement of the part of an item of an appropriation bill to which he objects, the two houses, each by a two-thirds vote, approve the item as it was originally passed.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 6.

By Chapter 384, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed an amendment of Section Thirteen (13) of Article One (1) of the Constitution.

The section as it now stands reads as follows:

"Section 13. PRIVATE PROPERTY FOR PUBLIC USE. — Private property shall not be taken, destroyed or damaged for public use, without just compensation therefor first paid or secured."

If the amendment is adopted the section will read as follows:

"Section 13. Private property shall not be taken, destroyed or damaged for public use, without just compensation therefor first paid or secured, and such private property may be taken, destroyed or damaged for the purpose of private as well as public drainage upon just compensation therefor being first paid or secured."

THE PURPOSE of the proposed amendment is to permit the taking of private lands for the purpose of drainage purposes where the drain or ditch will be of no public benefit, but on the contrary will only benefit the land or lands of the person or persons constructing the drainage ditch.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 7.

By Chapter 385, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors an amendment of Section One (1) of Article Four (4) of the Constitution.

Section One as it now stands, reads as follows:

"Section 1. TWO HOUSES — SESSIONS — The legislature shall consist of the senate and house of representatives, which shall meet biennially at the seat of government of the state, at such time as shall be prescribed by law, but no session shall exceed the term of ninety legislative days, and no new bill shall be introduced in either branch except on the written request of the governor during the last twenty days of such session, except the attention of the legislature shall be called to some important matter of general interest by a special message from the governor."

If the amendment is adopted, the section will then read as follows:

"Sec. 1. TWO HOUSES—SESSIONS — The legislature shall consist of the senate and house of representatives, which shall meet biennially at the seat of government of the state, at such time as shall be prescribed by law, but no session shall exceed the term of ninety (90) legislative days, and no bill shall be introduced in either branch except on the written request of the governor during the last twenty days of such session, except the attention of the legislature shall be called to some important matter of general interest by a special message from the governor; but the people reserve to themselves direct power as follows:

(a) CONSTITUTIONAL INITIATIVE.—When at any time prior to the commencement of any session of the legislature, there shall have been filed with the secretary of state a petition proposing an amendment to the constitution, signed by two per centum of the electors of the state, the secretary of state shall transmit the same to the legislature not later than ten (10) days after the commencement of the session. If the amendment so proposed be not submitted to the electors by the legislature at such session, or if it be submitted in an amended form, then, upon a further petition or petitions, each signed by eight per centum of the electors of the state, filed with the secretary of state within six months after the adjournment of the legislature, the amendment proposed in the first petition, or one or more amended forms thereof, shall be submitted to the electors for their approval or rejection at the next general or special state-wide election occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of any such further petition. Any amendment proposed by initiative petition and, in its original or in an amended form, submitted to the electors by the legislature or by a further petition, shall become a part of the constitution, if approved by a majority of the electors voting at such election, or by four-sevenths of the electors voting on the proposed amendment; provided, not less than three-sevenths of the electors voting at said election voted for the proposed amendment. This section shall be construed as a means in addition to Section 1, Article 14, of the state constitution, for amending the same.

(b) STATUTORY INITIATIVE.—When at any time prior to the commencement of any session of the legislature there shall have been filed with the secretary of state, a petition proposing a law, signed by two per centum of the electors of the state, the secretary of state shall transmit the same to the legislature not later than ten (10) days after the commencement of the session. If the law so proposed be not passed by the legislature at such session, or if it be passed in an amended form, then upon a further petition or petitions, each signed by six per centum of the electors of the state, filed with the secretary of state within six months after the adjournment of the legislature, the law proposed in the first petition or one or more amended forms thereof, shall be submitted to the electors at the next general or special state-wide election, occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of any such further petition or petitions, and if approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon, provided the vote in favor of the proposed law be not less than thirty-three per centum of the total number of votes cast at such election, the same shall become a law and go into effect thirty days after such election, and shall supersede any amended form of such law which may have been passed by the legislature. No law passed by the initiative petition and approved by the electors shall be subject to the veto of the governor. The authority of the people to enact laws, as provided in this subdivision, shall extend only to laws authorized by the provisions of the constitution.

(c) THE REFERENDUM. — If within ninety days after the final adjournment of any session of the legislature, a referendum petition, signed by six per centum of the electors of the state, shall be filed with the secretary of state against any law or any part of a law, passed by the legislature at such session, such law, or such part of a law shall be submitted to the electors at the next general or special state-wide election, occurring not less than ninety days after the filing of said petition. If a majority of the votes cast thereon be in the negative, provided such negative vote be not less than thirty-three per centum of the total number of votes cast at such election, such law or such part of a law shall thereby be repealed. Provided, that if a referendum petition is signed by fifteen per centum of the electors of the state, the law, or part of a law, against which such petition is filed shall be suspended pending the referendum vote thereon. Provided the same shall equal 33 per cent of the votes at such election.

Any law providing for a tax levy or appropriating money for the current expenses of the state government or state institutions, any act of the legislature submitting a constitutional amendment or other question to the electors of the state, or any emergency law necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, shall go into effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the governor, and such laws, except emergency laws, shall not be subject to a referendum vote. All other laws shall go into effect ninety days after the adjournment of the legislature. A bill proposing an emergency law shall contain a preamble briefly setting forth the facts constituting the emergency. A separate vote shall be taken upon the preamble of such bill by a call of the yeas and nays, and if the preamble be adopted by a two-thirds vote of all the members of each house, it shall be an emergency law.

(d) GENERAL PROVISIONS.— All petitions provided for in this section shall contain a title indicating the subject and purpose of the proposed law or constitutional amendment, or the law, or part of a law to be referred, and if a change is proposed in an existing constitutional provision or statute, in addition to referring to the same, it shall state the general effect of the proposed change and also the full text of the proposed law or amendment to the constitution, or of the law or part of a law, to be referred. Any initiative or referendum petition may be signed in separate parts but each part shall conform to the provisions herein contained. All petitions shall be signed and verified before a person authorized to administer an oath, and shall be in such form that a person signing a petition thereby states under oath, the date of his signature, his residence, that he is a qualified elector, that he has not previously signed any part of such petition, and that he has signed the petition with knowledge of the contents thereof. To each part of such petition shall be attached the affidavit of the person before whom the same was signed, which affidavit shall contain a statement of the number of signers thereon, that each of the signatures attached to such part was made in the presence of the affiant, that to the best of his knowledge and belief each signature is the genuine signature of the person whose name it purports to be, that he believes the persons who have signed such petition to be electors, that they signed such petition with knowledge of the contents thereof, and that each person signed the same on the date stated opposite his name. The circulation of the petition provided for herein, or the prohibition of the circulation thereof, may be regulated by law, and in case the circulation of any petition is prohibited by law, the percentage of signers required on any petition provided for in this section shall be one-half of the percentage specified in subdivisions a, b and c of this section.

The percentage in any case shall be based upon the total number of votes cast for governor at the next preceding election. All petitions provided for in this section shall contain the signature of not less than one-half of the designated percentage of the electors in not less than one-fourth of the counties of the state. In initiating a law or constitutional amendment, electors who have signed the first shall be qualified to sign the second petition.

The sufficiency of all petitions shall be decided by the secretary of state subject to review by the court. If the secretary of state decides that any petition is insufficient, he shall permit a reasonable time for making corrections or for filing additional signatures. In the event of legal proceedings in court to prevent giving effect to any such petition on account of insufficiency, or any other ground, the burden of proof shall be upon the person attacking the petition. No law or amendment to the constitution initiated and approved by the electors as herein provided, shall be held unconstitutional or void on account of the insufficiency of any initiative petition; nor shall the repeal of any law submitted by referendum petition be held invalid for such insufficiency.

All initiative laws and constitutional amendments shall be so submitted to the electors as to permit an affirmative or negative vote upon each measure submitted. If conflicting proposed laws or conflicting proposed amendments to the constitution be approved at the same election, the one receiving the highest number of affirmative votes shall prevail as to conflicting provisions.

The style of all legislative measures and amendments to the constitution initiated by the people under this section shall be: "Be it enacted by the People of the State of Minnesota."

The provisions of this section may be enforced by appropriate legislation, but until such legislation has been enacted, this section shall be self executing.

THE PURPOSE AND EFFECT of this amendment, if adopted, will be three-fold.

(a) It will permit the voters to propose amendments to the state constitution, for adoption, without action by the legislature. Under the constitution as it now stands constitutional amendments can be proposed only by the legislature.

(b) So, too, if adopted, the amendment will permit electors to propose laws for enactment and if not enacted by the legislature, the voters may by sufficient petition, require the question of the enactment of the proposed law to be submitted to the voters. If approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon, provided the vote in favor of the proposed law is not less than thirty-three per cent of the total number of votes cast at such election, the same becomes a law with the same force and effect as though passed by the legislature. The governor will have no power to veto a law so passed, but the people cannot so pass any law which is prohibited by the constitution.

(c) So too, if adopted, the amendment will permit the voters by proper petition to require a vote on the question of whether or not any law or part thereof, of certain classes of laws, passed by the legislature shall be repealed. If the petition asking for the referendum is signed by fifteen per cent of the voters of the state, the number of whom is to be determined by the number of votes cast for Governor at the preceding election, the law so referred to the voters will not take effect pending the referendum vote thereon. The vote required to repeal a law passed by the legislature and the classes of laws which cannot be so repealed are specified in Subdivision "C" of the proposed amendment as above printed.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 8.

By Chapter 386, Laws 1915, the legislature proposed for adoption by the electors an amendment of Section 7, Article 6, of the constitution.

The section now reads as follows:

"Section 7. PROBATE COURTS.— There shall be established in each organized county in the state a probate court, which shall be a court of record, and be held at such times and places as may be prescribed by law. It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of t[illegible]. He shall be a resident of [illegible] at the time of his election and reside therein during his con[illegible] in office; and his compensation shall be provided by law. He [illegible] his own clerk where none has been elected; but the legislature may authorize the election, by the electors of any county, of one clerk or register of probate for such county, whose powers, duties, term of office and compensation shall be prescribed by law. A probate court shall have jurisdiction over the estates of deceased persons and persons under guardianship, but no other jurisdiction, except as prescribed by this constitution."

The amendment simply proposes to substitute the word "four" for the word "two" so that the sentence prescribing the duration of the term of office will, if the amendment is adopted, read as follows:

"It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of four years."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The amendment, if adopted will make the term of office of the Judge of Probate four years instead of two.

Visited by the Catacombs.

"Did I understand you to say you were in Europe?" he asked of the man who was talking to a drummer across the aisle.

"Yes, sir."

"Were you in Rome?"

"I was there for a month, sir."

"Ah, I am glad to have met you. I wanted to ask about Rome. You visited the catacombs, of course?"

"Didn't have to. They visited me."

"How do you mean?"

"Why, I never stirred out of the hotel that they weren't striking me for alms. Never saw such an infernal set in all my born days."

"Don't you mean the lazzaroni?"

"Of course. The catacombs and the lazzaroni are the same thing, only 'catacombs' is the Italian of it and the other is the English. If you haven't been over I'd advise you to go—if you can raise the dudads. You don't know how much a trip abroad will broaden and liberalize your mind."

And the other sank back and hid himself in a corner, and he did not get over looking pale for the next 30 miles.

Real Academic Dignity.

Max Muller tells a story of one of Dr. Strachan Davidson's predecessors as master of Balliol. "Once, when returning from a solitary walk, Doctor Jenkins, whose regard for his own dignity was very great, slipped and fell. Two undergraduates, seeing the accident, ran to assist him, and were just laying hands on him to lift him up when he descried a master of arts coming. 'Stop!' he cried. 'I see a master of arts coming down the street,' and he dismissed the undergraduates with many thanks, and was helped on his legs by the M. A."—London Chronicle.

The Clever Wasp.

Wasps appear to be well-nigh as industrious as ants or bees. One authority has declared that the cardinal doctrine of the wasp is: "If any wasp will not work, neither shall he eat."

Division of labor is clearly seen in the wasp's nest. Some of the workers seem to be specially employed as foragers and soldiers, others appear to be told off as nurses and guardians, while yet others are engaged as paper makers and masons.

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Local Items

Bring us your Job Printing.

Be sure to vote next Tuesday.

Frank Anderson returned Saturday from Climax.

O. A. Westin was up from T. R. Falls Monday on business.

Otto Larson returned Wednesday from a couple of months stay in Dak.

J. E. Mosberg and family moved into the B. L. Backe house Wednesday.

The Docken family were pleasantly entertained Sunday at the Gunheim home.

Don't forget the date of the Ranee Comanpy, Nov. 10, Good Vaudeville. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Are you making use of the State Free Traveling Libraries? Books for [illegible]

A. H. Langley shipped two cars of stock Saturday. Christ Saastad went along and visited friends a short time in the city.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

Holt Merc. Co. have just recived 500 Men's and Boy's Wool and Flannel Sample Shirts that are sold at a Big Reduction. Prices from 49c and up.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Backe came up from Thief River Falls Monday and moved their household goods into the Kolden building for temporary storage.

Guy Anderson was unable to make all of his mail route Monday on account of the poor roads and did'nt get back until Tuesday morning. He says he will be glad when the middle of the month comes then he will leave the post office here at seven o'clock in the morning.

Gulick Swenson moved his family here yesterday from near Bemidji. They will live on C. W. Christianson's farm this winter. During the meantime Mr. Swenson will look for a stock farm to buy. He brot a car of stock and machinery here, so it looks as though he intended to make this his home. All extend a hearty welcome to them.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

School Notes

A large number attended the Hallowe'en Social at the school house Friday evening. The proceeds of the baskets, fishpond and fortune telling amounted to $48.86.

A few new books have been added to the library. Books may be taken by anyone in the district. A list of books in the library may be borrowed thru any of the children.

During September 48 books were in circulation and during October 176.

Estray

A sheep came to my place some time ago. Owner please prove property and pay expenses of advertising and keeping.

Tom Severson
Holt
Minn.

E. M. Bennes was here Wednesday writing life insurance.

Alfred Sollom has moved his family onto his Mud Lake claim.

Mrs. Willie Werner returned Monday to her home in T. R. Falls.

The young folks enjoyed a party at the Rux home Sunday evening.

Ed. Nyberg returned home Sunday from several months stay in Alvarado.

F. S. Graham, of Minneapolis, was here the first of the week on business.

L. A. Lambertson and family left Monday for South Dakota, where they formerly lived.

O. W. Carlson of T. R. Falls, [illegible] interests in this vicinity.

Thirty two dollars was taken in at the Ladies Aid Supper, at the church Saturday evening.

Next Tuesday is election. Exercise your right as a citizen and vote the complete ticket, amendment and all.

J. A. Thompson and family went to Allendale, Mo., Monday night, where they expect to spend the winter.

Rev. M. T. Strom left Wednesday for Thief River Falls and Fosston where he will assist in gospel meetings.

The Ranee Company will be at Holt, Friday Nov. 10, presenting the five reel feature "Ten Nights in a Barroom."

Mrs. E. T. Eide and two children came down from Spooner Tuesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Hoel.

Have you laid in your supply of wool shirts? If not get yours now at Holt Merc. Co. They have a sample line where you can save money.

There will be a basket social in the Martin Jarshaw school house Saturday evening Nov. 11th. to raise money for a Christmas treat for the children.

Lewis Poppenhagen came up from Goodridge Wednesday returning home the same day accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson who will visit there until Monday.

Robert Wilson, the 16 year old son of the Newfolden editor, had his right hand badly crushed in the rolls of their press, last Friday. This is a very unfortunate accident for the young printer and it is sincerely hope that his hand will not be crippled in any way.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes
Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

Rev. Kilen will hold services next Sunday Nov. 5th, at 3 and 8 P. M.

Rev. McMartin will preach at 8 o'clock next Monday evening Nov. 6th.

Missionary meetings will be held in the Free Mission church, commencing at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon Nov. 16th. and continuing over Sunday. Several ministers will be present and a good meetings are assured. Everyone invited.

For Representative

To the Voters of Marshall County:-

I have served as your Representative in the Legislature one session and am now asking for SECOND term. I am asking this on my record, which contains nothing I desire to conceal.

In the 1915 session I opposed all extravagant appropriations and advocated larger ones than those made in but two cases, viz: for state aid to rural schools, and for the prevention and cure of tuberculosis.

My re-election would result in your Representative in the 1917 Legislature being given better committee positions and having greater prestige and influence than would be accorded to a new man. With this advantage I would be able to render you better service and be able to secure the passage of any legislation in which you might be specially interested.

The pledges I made you in [illegible] have been faithfully kept, as an examination of my record will fully [illegible].

Soliciting your support and your votes at the election on November 7, 1916, I am,

Respectfully yours,
C. L. STEVENS.

Vote next Tuesday.

Sheriff Hanson was here Wednesday on official business.

Carl Newton returned Tuesday to his home in McIntosh.

Miss Alma Knutson went to T. R. Falls Monday for a short visit.

Miss Olga Saastad came up from Thief River Falls Tuesday to attend the basket social.

E. T. Eide came down from Spooner Tuesday night to look after the hay and grain business.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

500 Wool and Flannel Sample Shirts, Men's and Boy's, sold at a big reduction at Holt Merc. Co.'s store. Get yours now and money.

The state legislature met Saturday in special session and passed a law allowing the soldiers absent from the state, to vote next Tuesday. A commission will go to the border to secure the votes.

Some farmers say it is too much work to take care of cows, but T. O. Dovre don't say that. His cream check for July was $55.67, for Aug. $68.55 and for Sept. $62.88. Mr. Dovre is'nt robbing his soil by keeping cows, but on the other hand his farm is improving every year. The farmer who depends on small grains alone will loose out in any country.

The soil requires rotation of crops in order to produce what it should.

2,000,000 acres of state land will be improved and placed on the market if the first amendment carries. The permanent school fund will receive the money from the sale of the newly improved land. Vote for amendment No. One. All northern Minnesota is interested in this.

To the Voters of Marshall County Legislative District:

Having been nominated by the people at the Primary election in June as a non-partisan candidate for Representative for Marshall county, the voters kindly giving me the highest number of votes cast for that office. I do hereby respectfully announce my candidacy for Representative at the General Election to be held Nov., 7, 1916. I have no special promises to make, but I will look after your interests and the interests of this district without fear or favor.

No special interests have ever had any influence over me, and there will be none in the future.

I respectfully ask for your influence and vote at the General Election, Nov. 7th.

Very Sincerely Yours,
P. B. MALBERG.

H. O. Kjomme spoke here Wednesday evening to an interested crowd of men. Mr. Kjomme is a pleasing speaker but as he presented only one side of the question it sounds differently than when you hear both sides. The talk that Hughs wants war is campaign buncombe.

No sane man wants war after hearing of the fearful carnage in Europe.

The Best Attachment.
Boys in forming life attachments should not overlook the association of that fellow, Will Power.—Omaha Bee.

FLEETING PROSPERITY IS FOOL'S PARADISE

Don't Let Smoke From Munition Factories Cloud Your Brain With Belief It's Abiding.

PROTECTION, OUR BULWARK

Forget Not the Dire Conditions Which Depressed This Country Under the Democratic Free Trade Tariff Prior to the War—They Will Return to Plague and Hunger You Unless the Republicans Are Restored to Power.

"When we contemplate industrial and commercial conditions," says Mr. Hughes, "we see that we are living in a fool's paradise." This is the condition to which the administration and its supporters have deliberately closed their eyes. When the war cloud broke over Europe, this country was experiencing the most serious depression it had known since 1893, when the Democratic party and its policies were in full control of the United States.

Suddenly there came from over the sea a demand for munitions of war, clothing, food, supplies, everything needed by vast armies and by countries whose sons were taken from the field and the workshop, never to return.

As a result our exports and the balance of trade in our favor have reached figures far surpassing any ever before known. Temporarily, especially in the East, there is no lack of work at high wages, for Europe must pay whatever price America asks. No thoughtful person would imagine that this condition is anything like real prosperity. How false it is, we in Oregon, who have the clearer vision, because not clouded by the smoke from munitions factories, have fully felt and fully appreciated.

What the Republican candidate for president says about it the Democrats know to be true:

"Our opponents promised to reduce the cost of living. This they have failed to do, but did reduce the opportunities of making a living. Let us not forget the conditions that existed in this country under the new tariff prior to the war. Production had decreased; business was languishing; new enterprises were not undertaken; instead of expansion there was curtailment and our streets were filled with the unemployed."

The suspension of these conditions is not nation wide [illegible] depends upon the duration of the war. Those who [illegible] deed, living in a fool's [illegible] land [illegible]

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Bring us your potatoes. We pay cash for them at all times.

Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co.
Thief River Falls Minn.

Yo-Ho Freckle-Face

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

Do you know how easy it is to remove those ugly spots so that no one will call you freckle-face?

Simply get an ounce of carpol, extra strong, from your druggist, and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of freckles and get a beautiful complexion. The sun and winds this month have a strong tendency to bring out freckles, and as a result more carpol is sold in these months. Be sure to ask for the extra strong, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove the freckles.—Carpol Laboratories, Boston, Mass., Sta. M. Mail orders filled.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minn., Sept. 28, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Arnold Bornstein, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on July 13th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 08277, for NW1-4 NW1-4 Sec. 14, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on [illegible] November, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Hans Stensrud, Svenke G. Svenkeson, Frank W. Tabor, and Ole J. Moen, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

The Real Thing.
An aim in life is the only fortune worth the finding, says Stevenson; and it is not to be found in foreign lands, but in the heart itself.

Southeast of Holt.

John Jahr was a caller at the M. Sampson home on Monday forenoon.

Olaf Olsen returned home on Friday from Scotsguard Sask, where he has been employed in a cook car during the threshing season.

Amanda Klungness spent Sunday at home.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl was a very pleasant visitor at the homes of Ole Peterson and Soren Moe while enroute to his home from Goodridge where he had been in attendance at the church dedication.

Ed. Hansen made a business trip to T. R. Falls on Monday returning Tuesday.

Gjermund Johnson called at the Sordahl home on Monday evening.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the Knute Osa home on Thursday Nov. 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Thom Olsen and children spent Monday at the Sordahl home.

Mrs. Albert Klungness was a Sunday visitor at the Ed. Hansen home.

Say! Come to the Rag Ball Social in the school house Dist. 159 on Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock Nov. 18th., girls will kindly bring a box of lunch.

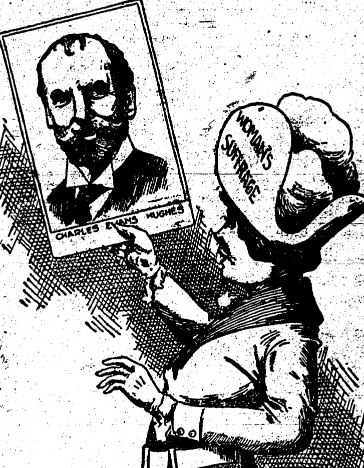
Quite a number from around here were in attendance at the dedication at Goodridge on Sunday.

Same Thing.
Doctor—"You must go away for a long rest." Overworked Merchant—"But, doctor I'm too busy to get away." Doctor—"Well, then, you must stop advertising."

The Submarine.
To get a submarine ready for diving water is admitted into the "ballast" tanks. To keep the vessel on an even keel water is taken into the "trimming tanks." By means of these tanks the vessel is made to sink or rise, and to preserve the right position.

FOR STATE DEVELOPMENT
and GOVERNMENT BY THE PEOPLE
VOTE FOR
INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM
AMENDMENT No. 7

ISN'T HE THE HANDSOME MAN!



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PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
A toilet preparation of merit.
Helps to eradicate dandruff.
For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair.
50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

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COSTUMES for RENTAL
Write for special discount. L. Kopfmann, Costumer, Successor to Smith Costume Co. 812-F Marquette Ave., Minneapolis

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For CHICKENS, TURKEYS, DUX, CALVES, CREAM, CATTLE HIDES, HORSEHIDES, FURS, WOOL, BEANS.
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Established in 1878 Fargo, North Dakota
United States Depositary. Capital, Surplus and Profits: $525,000.00. The oldest bank in North Dakota.

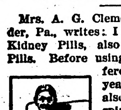
Plenty of Those Everywhere.

"Any cheap sites about your suburban place?"

"Lots of cheap parasites."

A GRATEFUL OLD LADY.

Mrs. A. G. Clemens, West Alexander, Pa., writes: I have used Dodd's Kidney Pills, also Diamond Dinner Pills. Before using them I had suffered for a number of years with backache, also tender spots on spine, and had at times black floating specks before my eyes. I also had lumbago and heart trouble. Since using this medicine I have been relieved of my suffering. It is agreeable to me for you to publish this letter. I am glad to have an opportunity to say to all who are suffering as I have done that I obtained relief by using Dodd's Kidney Pills and Diamond Dinner Pills.



Mrs. A. G. Clemens.

Dodd's Kidney Pills 50c per box at your dealer or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets for Indigestion have been proved. 50c per box.—Adv.

Unpremeditated Hoax.

The measles were making their annual round of the juvenile population of the community, and Flossie was very vexed because she didn't catch them. She felt that a nice little vacation was being denied her. One day she came rushing into the schoolroom, clapping her hands with delight.

"Oh, Miss Nichols! They're coming down the avenue!"

"Who?" asked the teacher, hurrying to the window and looking for—she knew not what.

"The measles! Bessy Tubbs, right on our corner, has just got them, and now it'll be my turn next!"—New York Times.

Bavarian Colony in Greece.

In Greece there is at least one tiny German oasis as a set-off to the kaiser's 30,000 Greek guests now being fed in Bavaria. A few miles north of Athens is a village with a churchyard upon whose tombstone German names alone appear. The village has been the home for 80 years of a colony of Bavarians brought to Greece by King Otho. The villagers have the fair hair and the blue eyes of Bavaria, and although very few now speak their grandmothers' tongue, service is performed in the old church according to the Roman ritual.

Scarcely any article of ammunition is made complete in any one establishment.

When The Doctor Says "Quit"

—many tea or coffee drinkers find themselves in the grip of a "habit" and think they can't. But they can—easily—by changing to the delicious, pure food-drink,

POSTUM

This fine cereal beverage contains true nourishment, but no caffeine, as do tea and coffee.

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"There's a Reason"

FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

The entente allies have formally recognized the provisional government of Greece in the island of Crete, set up by former Premier Venizelos.

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According to a report from Amsterdam, the sailing of the Deutschland on another voyage across the Atlantic has been cancelled, due to the fact, it is said, that the Bremen is thought to have been lost.

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Advices received from Berlin are to the effect that a bill will be introduced in the Reichsag soon, asking for a new war credit of 12,000,000,000 marks, or $2,856,000,000.

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Despite the inclement weather, the Italians continue to push their new offensive toward Trieste. Rome officials estimated that the Austrians have lost 40,000 in killed, wounded and captured since the offensive began.

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Field Marshal von Kluck, who commanded the right wing of the German army during the invasion of France in the fall of 1914, has been appointed by Emperor William chief of the Sixth Pommeranian regiment, an honorary position.

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The Austrian premier, Count Karl Stuergkh, was assasinated at Vienna by Dr. Frederich Adler, a Vienna newspaper man. The deed was purely political and was induced, it is said, by the statesman's refusal to convene parliament.

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The presentation by the entente allies of further demands on Greece, including the removal of Greek troops to the southern part of the country and handing over of Greek war supplies, is reported by Reuter's Athens correspondent.

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King Constantine is reported to have told the British minister at Athens that the allies, having deprived him of all power and recognized the provisional government of Saloniki, had better address further proposals regarding the course of Greece to the Venizelos revolutionary government.

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The German war office announced that Field Marshal von Mackensen's army in Dobrudja had gained a decisive victory over the Russians and Rumanians, driving them from their positions overe the whole front. Topraí Sari and Cobadin have been captured.

GENERAL.

Estimate of the ministry of agriculture of the areas sown to crops in Argentina for the next harvest are: Wheat, 6,511,000 hectares; oats, 1,022,000; linseed, 1,298,000.

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An important discovery of very rich gold mines has been made at a point near Krosnoyozisk, in Siberia. For the purpose of exploiting these mines foreign capital, possibly American, will be solicited.

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Officials of the First National bank of Centralia, Okla., which was robbed recently, announced that practically all the notes held by the bank, to the amount of about $75,000, had been taken by the robbers, who also obtained $6,118 in currency.

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Curtailment of profits because of the increase in the cost of wheat and flour was instrumental in causing 185 bakers of the United States to fail in business during June, July and August, according to figures compiled by the National Association of Master Bakers.

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A hurricane that reached a velocity of one hundred and fourteen miles an hour swept over Pensacola, Fla., lifted roofs from houses, and sunk a number of vessels in the harbor. One life was lost. The property loss was estimated at $1,000,000. Several men caught on the street were hurled through plate glass windows by the gale.

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Claims and suits aggregating more than $500,000 have been filed against the Colorado Springs Athletic club by persons who were injured when a section of the grandstand collapsed at the Welsh-White fight Labor Day.

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A petition to President Wilson, asking that the United States take the initiative in calling a neutral conference of nations with a view to terminating the European war, will be sent to the president after election, it was announced at New York by the American Neutral Conference committee.

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By writing an average of 137 accurate words a minute for an hour Miss Margaret R. Owen of New York City has again won the world's typewriting championship and a $1,000 cup and beaten her own previous record.

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Several thousand inhabitants of the Island of Nonivak, Alaska, have never heard of the Bible, according to a report to the women's missionary society in session at Columbus, O.

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Richard Cullen, aged 22, a machinist, who was taken into custody at Pittsburgh, Pa., after attempting to jump on the running board of an automobile in which President Wilson was riding, was examined by physicians and ordered detained for further observation regarding his sanity.

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Hugo Muensterberg, professor of psychology at Harvard university, in an address at Cambridge, Mass., asserted that he had been reliably informed that Russia and Germany would sign terms of a separate peace before spring, and that after this peace there would be an alliance between Germany, Russia and Japan.

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After traveling 1,800 miles from the middle of the continent to the western rim, the Nebraska Cornhuskers' football squad defeated the Oregon Aggies, at Portland, Ore., 17 to 7, and gave a decisive demonstration of the fact that Missouri Valley football is superior to the article in the Pacific northwest.

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Should the demand for such a committee grow S. F. McDonald of Memphis, president of the national association of master bakers, declared that he would appoint a committee of bakers to go to Washington to ask President Wilson for an embargo on wheat and flour in an effort to solve the high cost of these articles.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Three Mexican bandits and several constitutionalist soldiers were killed last Saturday when the bandits attempted to hold up a train between San Luis Potosi and Rio Varde.

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By executing a feigned retreat while General Salazar flanked the Mexican defacto troops, Villa inflicted a crushing defeat on Carranzistas in a battle near Chihuahua City, according to private advices received at El Paso.

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American cavalry columns are patrolling south, east and west of Colonia Dublan, field headquarters of the punitive expeditin in Mexico, for the first time since the Carrizal clash, according to trustworthy advices brought to the border.

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An official report to Maj. Gen. Frederick Funston confirmed reports that a small band of Villistas is within ten miles of General Pershing's column. Villa himself is at the head of 1,800 men at Guerrero, on the Mexican Northwestern line, where Pershing's cavalry had a battle last spring.

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The entire western and southern portions of Chihuahua state are under control of Pancho Villa, according to admissions made by Mexican defacto officials at Juarez. Thousands of Carranza troops from southern Mexico are being held in Chihuahua city, in expectation of another attack by Villa.

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Francisco Villa and a part of his bandit command took possession of the mining town of San Andres, and because the male population of the town had fled to prevent being impressed into his service, Villa ordered the houses burned and permitted his men to commit atrocities upon the defenseless inhabitants.

WASHINGTON.

Acting Secretary Roosevelt announced that the four dreadnoughts announced for the coming year will be named Colorado, Maryland, Washington and West Virginia.

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Under the apportionment of federal funds for the arming and equipment of the national guard, as announced by the war department, the state of Nebraska will receive only a printing allowance of $325.

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Prediction of an acute freight car shortage "if the present prosperity continues and grain prices hold," was made by the interstate commerce commission in a report on the car shortage in the western grain belt.

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Promoters of fraudulent schemes for organizing joint stock land banks in the new rural credits system cannot be prosecuted under federal fraud and conspiracy laws according to an opinion given the Farm Loan board by Attorney General Gregory.

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American exports made a new record during September, when $512,847,957 worth of goods were sent abroad. The exports were greater than ever before in one month and exceeded the previous record, made last August, by about $3,000,000.

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A recent executive order opening a tract of 110,000 acres in Fresno, Monterey and San Benito counties, Cal., to homestead entry on November 7 was amended so that some of the land will be opened November 14 and the remainder December 12.

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Short measuring gasoline pumps, according to an investigation by the federal bureau of standards, are mulcting motorists of millions of dollars a year. In Illinois alone the loss is not less than $500,000 a year.

AMERICAN LIVES MAY BE LOST ON TORPEDOED BOAT; SHIP NOT WARNED

STEAMER MARINA DESTROYED BY SUBMARINE WITH POSSIBLE LOSS OF LIVES—ONLY 34 OF CREW LANDED.

LIFEBOATS ARE SHELLED, CHARGE OF SURVIVORS

Fired Upon By Submarine Attacking Steamer Rowanmore According to Affidavits Given Consul Frost—Horsetenders on Marina May not be Entitled to Immunity.

London, Oct. 31.—The steamer Marina of Glasgow has been sunk by a submarine with a possible loss of 70 lives. A number of Americans were among the Marina's crew.

A report to the American embassy here from Wesley Frost, American consul at Queenstown, said the Marina was sunk by shell fire without warning. Mr. Frost, however, added that this information was "provisional."

Twenty Are Missing.

Of the vessel's crew of 104 only 34 have been landed at Crookhaven, Ireland. Reports of tahe destruction of four othert ships have reached London in the past 24 hours. These were the Danish steamer Sif, the Russian three-master Ingersoll, the Norwegian bark Regina and the Greek steamer Angheliki.

The Marina, which has been engaged in trans-Atlantic service, was a vessel of 5,204 tons gross, built in 1900. She was last reported as having arrived at Glasgow on October 10 after having sailed from Newport News on September 21.

Say Lifeboats Were Shelled.

Mr. Frost now is procuring affidavits from survivors.

A report on the sinking on October 26 of the British steamship Rowanmore also was made to the American embassy today by Mr. Frost. Seven Americans, including five Filipinos, were on board the Rowanmore. Several of them have given Mr. Frost affidavits stating that a submarine shelled lifeboats while they were being lowered and after they were clear of the ship.

State Department Informed.

Washington, Oct. 31.—Dispatches to the State department say the Marina had a mixed crew of British and Americans and that she was sunk by gunfire without warning.

Consul Frost at Queenstown specified that the information he transmitted was "provisional." Investigation will be made at once of the status of the Marina and the nature of the attack to determine whether any of Germany's pledges to the United States have been violated.

May Have Been Transport.

The report on the destruction of the Marina refers to the ship as a "British horse transport." If it turns out that she was in fact in the transport service of the British government it may be found that the mixed crew of British and American horse tenders could claim none of the immunity against attack without warning that attaches to a merchant ship.

Summary of Frost's Dispatch.

The State department issued this summary of Consul Frost's dispatch:

"The British horse transport Marina, with a mixed crew of British and Americans, was reported sunk without warning by German submarine gunfire at 3 p. m. October 28, 100 miles west of Cape Clear, in an official report received at the State department from Consul Frost at Queenstown. Thirty-four of the crew of 194 have been landed at Crookhoven, while 70 others—presumably those in boats 1 and 3—are missing. Consul Frost says his information so far is purely 'provisional.'"

VILLA TAKES SANTA ROSALIA

Occupy Town With Little Bloodshed—Garrison Flees.

El Paso, Oct. 31.—The town of Santa Rosalia, about 80 miles south of Chihuahua City, is in the hands of Villista bandits while the main force of Villistas on three trains is moving southward toward Jiminez and Parral, according to reports made to United States department agents and to mining company representatives here. The occupation of the town took place with little bloodshed. As the Villistas approached Santa Rosalia a part of the garrison fled.

Women's Missionary Societies Elect.

Ladysmith, Wis., Oct. 31.—The third annual convention of the Women's Foreign Missionary societies of the Methodist Episcopal church came to a close with the election of the following officers: President, Mrs. C. J. Duer, New Richmond; vice president, Mrs. E. R. Webster, Ladysmith; recording secretary, Mrs. M. H. Morrill, Superior; corresponding secretary, Miss Josephine E. Toal, New Richmond; treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Kundert, Rice Lake. The 1917 convention will be held in Spooner or New Richmond.

RUSSIANS ATTACK ON EAST FRONT TO RELIEVE RUMANIA

RENEW DRIVE ON AUSTRO-GERMAN POSITIONS NEAR LUTSK IN VOLHYNIA—BERLIN REPORTS ENEMY REPULSED.

ALLIES REOCCUPY TOWN; BULGARS TAKE HIRSOVA

Win Victory On Moldavian Frontier, Bucharest Says—Teutons Pursuing Russo-Rumanians—Capture City 40 Miles Northwest of Constanza-Cernovoda Line.

Petrograd, Oct. 30.—Slav and Teutonic armies are engaged along the entire battlefront in Russia, with reconnaissances and hot exchanges of rifle and artillery fire, the petrograd war department announces.

Bucharest, Oct. 30.—Rumanian troops on the Moldavian frontier have won a victory over the Austro-German forces, the war office announced late Saturday. In the Trotus valley the recaptured Piscul from the vicinity which the Teutonic troops are fleeing in disorder, the official statement declares.

Russians Start New Drive.

Berlin, Oct. 30 (By Wireless to Sayville.—Renewing their drive against the Austro-German lines on the eastern front, the Russians have launched attacks on the Teutons' positions west of Lutsk in Volhynia, the war office announces.

After two days of artillery preparation, heavy Russian infantry forces were thrown forward to the attack in the vicinity of Zaturze. The assault, according to the official statement, failed completely, with heavy losses for the Russians.

To Relieve Roumania.

The new Russian onslaught apparently has been launched in an effort to relieve the pressure in Rumania.

Teutonic troops have won a victory in the Dorna Watra region, near the junction point of the frontiers of Bukowina, Transylvania and Rumania, according to the war office announcement.

Austro-Hungarian forces captured several heights from the Russians at the point of the bayonet and took more than 500 prisoners.

On the northern frontier of Rumania, Austro-German forces captured from the Rumanians a height in the region south of Kronstadt and extended their advance into the Partzuga valley.

Bulgars Take Town.

Continuing their six day retreat in Dobrudja, the Russo-Rumanians are showing signs of demoralization under Mackensen's swift pursuit, the German war office declared

The pursuing armies have brought in 500 enemy stragglers, cut off from the main Russo-Rumanian column, several munition columns and quantities of baggage. The defeated forces are offering little resistance and apparently retreating in haste.

Bulgarian troops have occupied the Danube town of Hirsova, 40 miles northwest of the Cernovoda-Constanza line in their pursuit of the Russo-Rumanians, it was officially announced at Sofia.

GREAT BRITAIN REPLIES TO BLACKLIST PROTEST

Believed to Reiterate Contention for Right to Boycott But Offers Relief in Some Cases.

Washington, Oct. 30.—Great Britain's note in reply to American representations against the commercial blacklist has just been received at the State department. It is understood to reiterate the contention for the right to blacklist but offers methods of relief to Americans in certain circumstances.

The British note is in reply to the American note of July 28 which denounced the blacklists as an "arbitrary interference with neutral trade" and "inconsistent with that true justice, sincere amity and impartial fairness which should characterize the dealings of friendly governments with one another."

The names of some American firms already have been taken from the blacklist and the note is understood to offer means of removing others.

Bandits Isolate Santa Rosalia.

El Paso, Texas, Oct. 30.—The important railway town of Santa Rosalia, about 80 miles south of Chihuahua City, has been cut off from communication with the south by Villistas.

December Wheat Takes Another Jump.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—December wheat jumped to $1.88 at the opening of the market Saturday, a rise of 1⅝c. May wheat was up 1⅝c also, being quoted at $1.86. The figure for December wheat is the record on the Chicago grain market since the $2 mark reached during the Civil war.

New York, Oct. 30.—Utah Copper furnished the excitement of early trading on the stock exchange, jumping 2⅞ to $1.08¼, following a 4½-point advance. The new quotation is a high record.

HELP FOR WORKING WOMEN

Some Have to Keep on Until They Almost Drop. How Mrs. Conley Got Help.

Here is a letter from a woman who had to work, but was too weak and suffered too much to continue. How she regained health:—

Frankfort, Ky.—"I suffered so much with female weakness that I could not do my own work, had to hire it done. I heard so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I tried it. I took three bottles and I found it to be all you claim. Now I feel as well as ever I did and am able to do all my own work again. I recommend it to any woman suffering from female weakness. You may publish my letter if you wish."—Mrs. JAMES CONLEY, 516 St. Clair St., Frankfort, Ky.

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Motley Garb of an Office Giver.

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Bocker—A life preserver.

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SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemists, Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.

Latest in Photography.

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What's Doing in Minnesota

Princeton.—Guy Ewing, superintendent of the Mille Lacs county schools, died in the family home here.

Thief River Falls.—The charred body of Charles Westby has been found in the ruins of a small shack here, which was destroyed by fire.

Duluth.—The prospect of a coal shortage in the Northwest is getting more pronounced, coal men say. No longer do they expect the supply to fill out the demands of the winter.

St. Paul.—Wild ducks are flying south and are reported unusually plentiful in practically all sections of the state, Commissioner Carlos Avery of the state game and fish department, says.

Grand Rapids.—The women's club of Grand Rapids, which will entertain the women's clubs at the Eighth Minnesota district at their next annual convention, has selected May 2 as the date.

Minneapolis.—Lieutenant Prescott of the First Minnesota, in charge of the recruiting detail which has obtained more than 200 recruits in this district, has been ordered to rejoin his regiment at Llano Grande, Tex.

Minneapolis.—Two-dollar wheat, for years the dream of the farmer, became a reality in Minneapolis for the first time in Chamber of Commerce history, when several cars of No. 1 durum wheat were sold in the cash market at that figure.

Minneapolis.—Seven thousand members and friends of the congregation passed through the portals of the Hennepin Avenue Methodist church, in the various services that accompanied the dedication of the finest Methodist Episcopal temple in the world.

Duluth.—On order of United States Commissioner Arch L. Le Rue, $1,000 bail was paid by an attorney for Private E. B. Connell, who failed to appear to answer a charge of violating the neutrality laws of the United States in the alleged securing of recruits in the United States for the British army.

Crookston.—At a special election Crookston has voted to adopt the charter amendment authorizing an increase in the tax levy from 8 to 15 mills for the general funds of the municipality. At two previous elections within a year the amendment failed to gain the required 60 per cent of all votes cast.

St. Paul.—Echoes of the clash in the last legislature between officers of the State Board of Health and State Tuberculosis Advisory commission were heard in a joint conference of the commission revising Minnesota health laws and the public health committee of the state efficiency and economy commission.

Duluth.—Two thousand one hundred recruits for the regular army from Minnesota will have to be obtained by the recruiting forces next year under the new orders just received, which set the ratio for recruiting at one man from every 1,000 population. Orders advise the officers to "comb all rural sections"; also to get the aid of postmasters.

Duluth.—Charles G. Bryant, chairman of the Duluth Board of Grain Appeals, killed himself in his offices in the Board of Trade building by firing a revolver bullet into his temple. The motive for the suicide is unknown, but is believed by friends to have been prompted by business worries as well as by the fact that he failed to gain a reappointment to the board.

St. Paul.—Minnesota towns and schools waiting to borrow 4 per cent money from the state with which to build schools and make other public improvements are in a fair way to having their wants filled at the next meeting of the state board of investment. Announcements have been made at the capitol that $538,000 is now available to state trust funds.

Owatonna.—Plans for a new $56,000 high school at Owatonna have been submitted for the approval of C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education, by Guy B. Bennett of the Owatonna board of education. Mr. Schulz said the site for the new building is one of the best in the state for size and location, in his opinion, and that Owatonna is handling the project well.

St. Paul.—Punishment of parents who let their young sons and daughters loiter on the streets, as a method of overcoming a great amount of crime, was advocated by Mrs. T. B. Wells, for more than thirty-five years identified with charities and correction in Minneapolis, before the commission recodifying state laws relating to children, which met at the Capitol.

St. Paul.—Apportionment of $142,000 that Minnesota is to receive in the first annual installment of federal good roads aid will be undertaken at a meeting of the State Highway commission the latter part of this week, George W. Cooley, highway engineer, has announced. The main requirement for aid designation is that the county shall provide funds to cover half the cost of the improvement, the remainder to be federal aid.

Would Stop Wheat Exports.

Mangum, Okla., Oct. 28.—Allan T. Benson, Socialist nominee for the presidency, told an audience here if he were president he would use the navy to blockade American ports to prevent the further exportation of wheat.

"We produced only 615,000,000 bushels of wheat this year," he said, "while we need 630,000,000 bushels, and 400,000,000 bushels of this year's crop has already been sold by exporters."

He quoted bulletins of the department of agriculture recommending potatoes to be used to make flour.

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SEEKS TO END CAR SHORTAGE

Chairman Mills of Rail Commission Blames Failure to Return Cars From East and South for Present Condition in Minnesota.

St. Paul.

Every one of the 400 boy students in the school of agriculture of the University of Minnesota is self-supporting, Professor D. D. Mayne, principal, announced after completing registration figures for the fall semester. "I did not find a single boy in the school who is a financial burden to his family," Professor Mayne said, in commenting on his roll of ambitious farm boy students.

"The majority of them work on farms during the summer months and many of them save more than enough money to pay their expenses for the six months of school."

Most of the boys are compelled to support themselves, and because of this, come to school to get the most out of it, the principal said. The average age of the boy entering is 19 years, and this factor of maturity enables them to earn good wages during the summer. Since nearly all of them work on farms, the opportunity for spending their earnings is minimized. Besides this, their vacation season comes when the highest wages of the year are paid on the farm.

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Would End Car Shortage.

Blaming the existing car shortage that is tying up the movement of farm products in the Northwest to failure of Eastern and Southern roads to return cars owned by Northwestern roads, Chairman Ira B. Mills of the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission has demanded in a letter to Chairman B. H. Meyer of the Interstate Commerce Commission that that body issue an order to correct the cause of the evil.

Calling attention to the shortage of cars needed to move Minnesota farm products, particularly potatoes, Chairman Mills says that last December he took the matter up with the Interstate Commerce Commission and an interchange of refrigerator cars was suggested, but that does not meet the situation now, he asserts.

"It is impossible now to get foreign cars, either refrigerators or others, to move any farm products from this state either east or south," Chairman Mills complained.

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To Educate Prisoners.

Early reorganization of the educational systems in Minnesota penal institutions, with special regard to substituting day for night classes and establishing vocational courses in the state reformatory, was predicted by Chairman C. J. Swendsen and C. E. Vasaly of the State Board of Control on their return from a meeting of the American Prison congress and visits to correctional institutions in the East.

"Minnesota's prison and reformatory are models, except as to their educational facilities," said Chairman Swendsen. "Eastern states have no institutions to compare with the new Stillwater prison, and this state is a leader in other respects. Our big need now is for an indurtrial building at the state reformatory, where building and other mechanical trades may be taught the prisoner. There should also be a gymnasium at that institution."

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Securities Are Renewed.

State Treasurer Gooding, in his campaign to renew and bring up to date securities for state funds, has just presented new bonds filed by thirty-four state depositaries which were approved by the state board of depositors at a special meeting. Mr. Gooding began the campaign upon finding that some of the surety bonds had not been renewed for several years.

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Need Instructor for Battery.

The formation of a cadet field artillery unit at the University of Minnesota is dependent on the possibility of finding a United States army artillery officer as instructor, Major George W. Moses, new commandant at the University, said after conferring with President George E. Vincent.

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Plans Tour for Students.

An inspection trip through northern Minnesota agricultural districts, for University of Minnesota students is the plan of Prof. Dana D. Durand, head of the agricultural economics department at the University and former director of the United States census.

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Fund for Militia Only $375.

Because Minnesota state troops were on the Mexican border serving their country at the time of the fall inspection, the state will get nothing but stationery money from the federal militia apportionment. The total will be $375, according to Washington dispatches. The militia apportionment of $4,000,000 under two bills is allotted to the states according to the number of men enlisted at the time of inspection. Minnesota had no men that were not under the government call Sept. 15, hence no money was sent.

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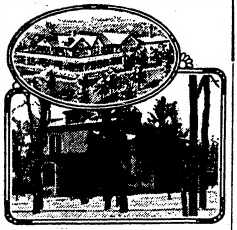

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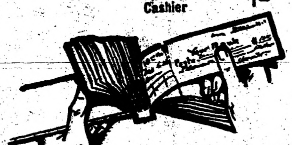

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If you fail to answer the complaint within such time the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

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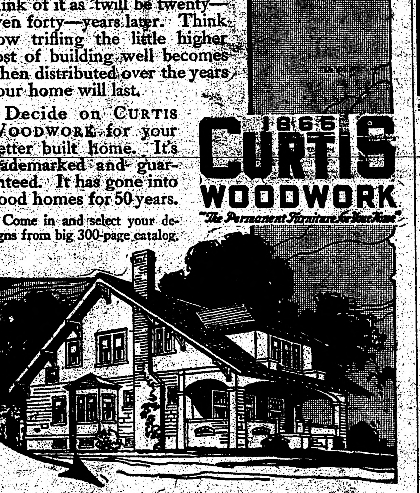

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Local Items

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Be sure to attend J. M. Ryan's sale to-morrow.

Dr. Turley, the dentist will be in Holt Tuesday Nov. 21st.

Winter is gradually approaching, skidoo to your trenches.

Mrs. Alfred Anderson will entertain the Synod Ladies Aid Thursday Nov. 16th. Everybody invited.

Mesdames Olaf Ramstad and Oscar Sponheim, of T. R. Falls visited Mrs. B. Docken between trains Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hadman of McIntosh visited at Dr. R. L. Olson a couple of days. Mrs. Hadman is a cousin of Mrs. R. L. Olson.

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Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

There will be a basket social in the Martin Jarshaw school house Saturday evening Nov. 11th. to raise money for a Christmas treat for the children.

Clarence Kolden went to T. R. Fall Friday and returned with his wife and baby, Mrs. Martin Strom came with them and visited her parents between trains.

Mrs. Robert E. Spinks visited her sister Mrs. B. Docken the first of the week. Dr. Spinks has bought out Dr. Walters at Middle River and expects to move there this week.

While burning brush last Saturday Clarence Swan had the misfortune to have the fire get away from him and burned about 25 tons of hay that belonged to his father and to Alfred and Guy Anderson.

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On Friday evening Nov 3rd. occurred the death of Owen Johnson son of Mr. and Mrs. Ole A. Johnson of T. R. Falls. Owen was seventeen years of age, and was taken suddenly sick on Sunday Oct. 29th. and was then committed to the hospital where he underwent an operation for appendicitis. He was a kind and loving boy who will be missed very much by his many friends both here and in T. R. Falls. He also leaves to mourns for him, his parents and several sisters and brothers. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. I. T. Aastad of T. R. Falls at the Silver Creek church and interment was made at the cemetery there.

The most sincere sympathy is extended to the grief stricken family in the loss of their loving son and brother.

Mrs. G. Troisness of T. R. Falls was a guest at the home of her son Tarkel the first of the week.

Mesdames Ole and Hans Peterson entertained the ladies aid on Tuesday.

Mrs. Halvor Tveten, Mrs. Alfred Tveten and daughters, Evelyn and Selina of Germantown were visitors at the S. Moe home last week.

Say! Come to the Rag Ball Social in the school house Dist. 159 on Saturday evening at 7.30 o'clock Nov. 18th., girls will kindly bring a box of lunch.

Sunnyside

Mrs. A. Kuehne and daughter Emma were callers at the L. Wegge home Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lindholm autoed up from Stranquist last Saturday for a visit with the latters parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dovre.

Gust Peterson, wife and children were pleasantly entertained at Kuehne's Sunday.

Miss Alma Dovre is spending the week visiting with her sister Mrs. Carl Lindholm.

School Notes

J. Sorum and L. Wegge visited school Monday and Tuesday,

New library books have been received and the children like them.

The sixth grade have made product maps of Africa.

The fifth grade made plasticine maps of South America.

Our game of Volley Ball is here and we all think we'll like it after a little more practice.

The school children enjoyed a nice Hallowe'en program given by themselves Tuesday afternoon.

A. R. Jones spent Sunday with his family in Crookston.

Andrew Sorum went to Hillsboro Saturday to work a few weeks.

S. S. Kolden and family moved Saturday onto his farm east of town.

The Lutheran parsonage is painted up and made ready for Rev. Ordahl and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson went to T. R. Falls, Friday for a few days visit with relatives.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

The Silent Hour.

One of the most valuable and effective methods of relaxation, recently tried for both children and mother, has been "the silent hour" immediately after luncheon. Each member of the family's privilege of reading, writing or sleeping is respected during this hour, in which children—after a few days' trial—readily co-operate.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

Missionary meetings will be held in the Free Mission church, commencing at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon Nov. 16th. and continuing over Sunday. Several ministers will be present and a good meetings are assured. Everyone invited.

Mrs. E. T. Eide visited Mrs. B. Docken Tuesday.

C. L. Heinze was a business visitor in T. R. Falls Saturday.

Miss Esther Reierson visited in Thief River Falls a couple of days last week.

Ben Nyberg returned home Monday from several months stay in Hillsboro, N. D.

Lewis Brandt of near Newfolden loaded an emigrant car last Friday and moved to Roseau.

Don't forget the date of the Ranee Comanpy. Nov. 10. Good Vaudeville. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Are you making use of the State Free Traveling Libraries? Books for the asking at the Holt State Bank.

Ole Moen and Alfred Sollom went to Steiner Saturday where they have a job grading a couple of miles of state road.

The Ranee Company will be at Holt, Friday Nov. 10, presenting the five reel feature "Ten Nights in a Barroom."

Guy Anderson will leave the post-office at seven o'clock in the morning with the mail for the rural route on and after Nov. 15th.

Rev. G. O. Parish expects to be here next Friday Nov. 17th. to assist in the Missionary meetings to be held at the Free Mission church.

Ben and Clarence Docken, H. M. Johnson, P. L. Anderson and Willie Bakke autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday night to hear the election news.

Mrs. Collins, of T. R. Falls, came Monday and will teach in the new school house in District No 158.

Mrs. Collins is a sister of Hans and Henry Stensrud and will make her home with them while teaching.

Thom Olson will sell at public auction on Tuesday Nov. 14th., 4 head of oxen, 4 cows, 2 heifers, 2 bulls, 2 pigs, 30 chickens, 25 tons of hay, household good, farm machinery and numerous other articles.

T. A. Tobiason has kindly given one cord of wood to the Free Mission Sunday School and Nils Engebretsen one cord to the church. Now if others will donate a few cords more the church would be sure to have plenty of fuel for the Winter.

Mr. Cottrel and family moved here Monday from Langdon, N. D. They expected to move onto the farm north of C. L. Heinze where Martin Nygaard lives but there was some misunderstanding and Mr. Nygaard refused to vacate the premises. Mr. Cottrel moved onto the Hanson & Barzen farm northeast of town for the Winter.

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Common Practice.

As soon as some young fellows get what they think is going to be a steady job they begin to estimate the possible number of vacations they will get in a year.—Toledo Blade.

Must Be.

A Boston professor says that a man is at his best on January 15. That must be pay day with him.

Potatoes Wanted

Bring us your potatoes. We pay cash for them at all times.

Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co.
Thief River Falls Minn.

Estray

A sheep came to my place some time ago. Owner please prove property and pay expenses of advertising and keeping.

Tom Severson
Holt
Minn.

Synod Church

The English Comforments meet at 11 o'clock and the Norwegian at 1 o'clock. on Saturday

The Young Peoples Society will meet at 7 o'clock Saturday evening at Rev. M. B. Ordahl's.

There will be services in the Wilson school house next Sunday at 4 o'clock P. M. and also at Thief Lake at eight o'clock.

The Synod Ladies Aid meets at John Knutson's at 2 o'clock Wednesday Nov. 15th.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Sandridge cemetery Incorporation, will be held at The Holt, State Bank Holt Minn. at 10 o'clock in the fornoon, on Saturday the 16th day of Nov. 1916. To elect a Director to serve for the term of 3 years, and also to transact other business of the Incorporation. All members will please be present. Dated Nov. 8th. 1916.

Nils Engebretsen Sec.

Yo-Ho Freckle-Face

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

Do you know how easy it is to remove those ugly spots so that no one will call you freckle-face?

Simply get an ounce of carpol, extra strong, from your druggist, and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of freckles and get a beautiful complexion. The sun and winds this month have a strong tendency to bring out freckles, and as a result more carpol is sold in these months. Be sure to ask for the extra strong, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove the freckles.—Carpol Laboratories, Boston, Mass., Sta. M. Mail orders filled.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.86
Wheat No. 2	1.81
Wheat No. 3	1.74
Wheat No. 4	1.53
Flax	2.61
Oats	45
Barley	51 to .77
Rye	1.27
Flour, Best Patent	5.35

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President Wilson a Winner

By a narrow margin

Hughes carried New York, New Jersey and all the big states except Ohio and Texas. Burnquist elected Governor by a big majority.

Stevens a Winner over Malberg

Vote of Holt Village

Holt Village voted as follows: Hughs 21, Wilson 26, Kellog 21 Lawler 7, Calderwood 19, Burnquist 36, Dywer 5 Frankson 32, Thorn 9, Schmahl 33 Johnson 12 Rines 38, Smith 37, Mills 24, Lind 13, Hedin 7, Anderson 25, Quinn 16, Steenerson 38, Swanson 7, Grindeland 37 Watts 28 Malberg 14, Stevens 37, Holm 45.

It was a very quiet day. Several did not vote. 52 votes were cast.

Vote Holt Township

A total of 56 votes was cast as follows: Hughes 28, Wilson 21, Kellog 32, Lawler 7, Calderwood 11, Burnquist 40, Dywer 9, Frankson 34, Thorson 10, Schmahl 36, Johnson 13, Rines 42, Smith 36, Mills 28, Hedin 6 and Lind 14. Anderson 26, Quinn 14, Steenerson 45, Swanson 8, Grindeland 41, Watts 26, Malberg 25 and Stevens 28. Holm 35. Amendment No. 34 Yes and 8 No. Scattering votes on the others.

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss
In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District

Alma Christenson......Plaintiff
vs.
Julius Christenson......Defendant

SUMMONS.

The State Of Minnesota To the above named Defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in the above entitled action, which has been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer thereto upon the subscriber at his office in the First National Bank Building in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, within thirty days of the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service.

If you fail to answer the complaint within such time the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

Dated this 6th day of Nov. 1916.

J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for the Plaintiff,
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Useless Proceeding.

Showing a man that he's wrong won't stop the argument. It will only make him more angry.

Human Doormats.

Some men could be sized up in two words: Human doormats. — Florida Times-Union.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

CONDENSATIONS OF GREATER OR LESSER IMPORTANCE.

A BOILING DOWN OF EVENTS

National, Political, Personal and Other Matters in Brief Form for All Classes of Readers.

WAR NEWS.

The German submarine U-53 has returned safely to a German port, according to an official announcement.

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Six Americans were killed in the sinking of the British steamer Marina by a German submarine, according to a report of American Consul Frost at Queenstown.

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A Reuter dispatch from Amsterdam says: "According to the Berliner Tageblatt there is no longer any milk in greater Berlin or other large towns except for invalids."

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October losses of 107,033, bring the total British casualties for the four months of the Somme offensive to 414,202. The daily average loss for October is 3,452.

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The British steamer Marina, a vessel of 5,000 tons engaged in trans-Atlantic service, has been sunk near the Irish coast. A London dispatch states that she was torpedoed without warning.

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According to official German statistics from the beginning of the war until October 12, 1,253 hostile ships of 2,569,501 tons were sunk, but only 200 neutral ships of 276,528 tons were sunk for carrying contraband of war.

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Conscription was defeated in Australia, the first dependency of the British empire to put the draft rule to a vote. It is probably the first time in history women have voted on the question of sending sons and sweethearts to war.

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Activities of German submarines against Norwegian ships in Arctic waters has increased to such an extent since the German-Norwegian submarine dispute that shipping firms canceled all sailings through the White sea.

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Pope Benedict's appeal to bishops throughout the world to help in the relief of Poland has brought to the vatican the sum of $800,000, which will be sent to the Polish committee in Switzerland for the relief of suffering.

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There is no age limit for General Foch, commander of the French in the battle of the Somme. He has just reached the retiring age, 65 years, but President Poincare has issued a special decree retaining him in service indefinitely.

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At least eleven outpost steamers and two or three torpedo boat destroyers or torpedo boats were sunk by a German torpedo boat squadron in the English channel between Folkstone and Bolougne, according to an official communication issued at Berlin.

GENERAL.

Divorces are on the increase in Chicago. In 1914 divorces numbered 3,614; in 1915 there were 4,116, according to a report.

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Six persons were killed, when an interurban car of the South Michigan railroad company struck an auto north of South Bend, Indiana.

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The town of Mazatlan, Mex., claims as resident the oldest man in the world—Jose Juan Venasquez, an Indian, who, according to all records, is 122 years old.

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Virginia has been added to the dry column, making the eighteenth state to abolish saloons. The new statewide prohibition law went into effect at midnight October 31st.

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A Thanksgiving appeal for funds to relieve suffering among the widows and orphans in Germany was issued by the American relief committee, backed by James W. Gerard, United States ambassador to Germany, who expressed the belief that a liberal contribution would tend to make for a more friendly feeling between Germany and the United States.

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New York City faces a serious coal shortage, dealers say, and unless a limitation is placed on deliveries to one ton to a consumer a famine cannot be averted. Domestic coal is sell- $12.50 a ton.

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Full reconsideration of the question of the advisability of constructing a tunnel under the English channel to connect England and France was promised by Premier Asquith in receiving a deputation in favor of the project.

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The new Trolpastts canal in Sweden has been opened by King Gustave. The canal establishes communication between Wener lake and the North sea and its construction took seven years.

Chicago's revenue will drop $75,000 next year by the lapse of seventy-five saloon licenses for the year beginning November 1. There remain, however, 7,100 saloons in operation.

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It is now believed that between 40 and 50 persons lost their lives instead of 19 reported in the burning of St. Elizabeth's hospital at Farnham, Quebec, Canada.

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Seventy-five per cent of the corn crop of Oklahoma still is in the hands of the farmers, who apparently hope to profit by further price advances, according to a report issued by the Oklahoma Board of Agriculture.

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The German under sea merchantman Deutschland, commanded by Captain Koenig and a crew of twenty-five men, has arrived safely at New London, Conn., completing its second trip across the Atlantic. The Deutschland was twenty-one days making the voyage and carried a cargo valued a $10,000,000.

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The increase in thefts of automobiles in Chicago from insignificance in 1911 to a value in excess of $1,120,000 thus far in 1916 was shown in a report by the police department. The thefts since January 1, this year, were 2,571 cars and the total since 1911 was 8,023 cars of which 6,669 were recovered.

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Drastic and immediate action will be taken in the federal investigation of the soaring prices of food products, Charles F. Clyne, United States district attorney at Chicago, announced. He said that he had information that the jobbers in several large cities hold daily conversations over long distance telephones and fix the prices of foodstuffs.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

The Mexican-American joint commission rejected the proposition to transfer the coneferences from Atlantic City to Washington.

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Preparations for an all winter stay of the American forces in Mexico are under way at Pershing's headquarters. Abode houses are in course of construction for winter shelter.

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Dr. G. R. Servin, a naturalized American, was arrested at Tucson, Ariz., charged with conspiracy to export arms to revolutionists in Mexico. Warrants also were issued for a number of other persons.

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The four Villa bandits who were captured at the Babicora ranch, seventy-five miles southeast of Casas Grandes, following a fight between the bandits and the Carranza forces stationed at the Babicora ranch, have been summarily executed.

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Jose Diaz, said to be a naturalized American citizen, was executed at Parral on October 3, at the order of General Luis Herrera, the Carranza commandant, according to the statement by Mrs. Margarita Diaz, his wife, at El Paso.

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An army of 175,000 loyal men, well equipped, provisioned and clothed, is now under command of General Carranza, according to Andres G. Garcia, inspector genral of consulates for the de facto government of Mexico, who arrived in New York from El Paso.

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Charges by Luis Cabrera of the Mexican peace commission, that ammunition and supplies are being smuggled across the border to Villa under the eyes of United States officials were discredited by customs and other United States department officials at El Paso.

WASHINGTON.

Great Britain's note in reply to American representatives against the commercial blacklist has been received at the state department. It is understood to reiterate the contention for the right to blacklist, but offers methods of relief to Americans in certain circumstances.

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More than 10,000 men, mostly negroes, are said to have gone from Florida alone to northern points, particularly Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, to take employment offered them during the past two or three months, the department of justice has been informed.

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The postoffice department is prepared to accept a proposal submitted by Count von Bernstorff, that mails between this country and Germany be transported in merchant submarines. Announcement to this effect was made by the second assistant postmaster general.

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While shipments of all classes of freight are piling up in most of the important producing centers of the country, and shippers frantically calling for relief the interstate commerce commission has begun an inquiry into the situation.

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The navy department has withdrawn its demands that banks using the wireless to send messages to Europe shall file with the government censor copies of their secret ciphers used for testing messages addressed by banks to their foreign correspondents.

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The unparalleled growth of the country's banking resources since passage of the federal reserve act is put at $6,500,000,000 in a statement issued by the comptroller of the treasury.

16,000,000 VOTERS OF COUNTRY NAME PRESIDENT TODAY

WILL CAST THEIR VOTES BEFORE NIGHTFALL FOR ELECTORS OF CHIEF EXECUTIVE OF UNITED STATES.

MANY 'DOUBTFUL' STATES; WOMEN'S VOTES PUZZLING

Thirty-five United States Senators to Be Elected By Popular Vote—Four Hundred Thirty-five Representatives and Thirty-six Governors Are To Be Chosen Today.

Washington, Nov. 7.—Sixteen million Americans will have cast their votes before nightfall today for electors of a president and vice president of the United States.

The total popular vote of all candidates four years ago was 15,036,542. With the growth of the nation, the naturalization of aliens resident here in 1912 and the spread of woman suffrage, the number of ballots cast is quite certain to reach 16,000,000, and may go much higher.

The citizens will choose 531 members of the electoral college, those ornamental officials who will solemnly meet some time hence and confirm a result everyone will know by midnight tonight. The number of electoral votes necessary for a choice is 266.

Many "Doubtful" States.

It is easy to find those on either side who will tell you to a dot just how each state will go. But as the detailed predictions of Republicans and Democrats are distressingly out of harmony, the best one who would rid himself of party feeling can say is that the following states are in doubt and should be watched tonight for an indication of how the final result is going:

Indiana, 15 electoral votes; Illinois, 29; New York, 45; Ohio, 24; California, 13; Nebraska, 8; Wyoming, 3; New Jersey, 14; West Virginia, 8; Connecticut, 7; Delaware, 3; Maryland, 8; Kentucky, 13; Missouri, 18; Wisconsin, 13; Michigan, 15; Colorado, 6; New Mexico, 3; Arizona, 3; Washington, 7. Total of electoral votes in doubtful states—255.

In this table are put all the states called doubtful by either side. Some of those listed are very doubtful, others only moderately so, and a few scarcely at all. It will be noticed that the total of doubtful electoral votes, 255, is more than half of the whole number to be chosen.

In 1912 Wilson had 435 electoral votes, Roosevelt 88 and Taft 8. But Wilson's total popular vote—6,293,019—was 1,311,444 less than Taft and Roosevelt's combined and 2,450,504 less than that of all other presidential candidates combined.

Senators and Representatives.

Thirty-five United States senators will be elected today by popular vote, as follows:

Arizona, Arkansas, California, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Indiana (2), Maine (2), Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming.

Four hundred and thirty-five members of the house of representatives will be chosen, as follows:

Alabama, 10; Arizona, 1; Arkansas, 7; California, 11; Colorado, 4; Connecticut, 5; Delaware, 1; Florida, 4; Georgia, 12; Idaho, 2; Illinois, 27; Indiana, 13; Iowa, 11; Kansas, 8; Kentucky, 11; Louisiana, 8; Maine, 4; Maryland, 6; Massachusetts, 16; Michigan, 13; Minnesota, 10; Mississippi, 8; Missouri, 16; Montana, 2; Nebraska, 6; Nevada, 1; New Hampshire, 2; New Jersey, 12; New Mexico, 1; New York, 43; North Carolina, 10; North Dakota, 3; Ohio, 22; Oklahoma, 8; Oregon, 3; Pennsylvania, 36; Rhode Island, 3; South Carolina, 7; South Dakota, 3; Tennessee, 10; Texas, 18; Utah, 2; Vermont, 2; Virginia, 10; Washington, 5; West Virginia, 6; Wisconsin, 11; Wyoming, 1.

Hawaii and Alaska will each elect a delegates to congress.

The following states will elect governors:

Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kausas, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin.

South Dakota, West Virginia and Iowa hold referendums on woman suffrage today. California, Missouri, Montana, Utah, Nebraska and South Dakota vote on proposals to introduce prohibition.

Women are running for congress in Montana and California and for a host of minor offices in suffrage states.

"Pastor" Russell's Funeral Arranged.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 7. — Funeral services for the Rev. C. T. Russell, known throughout the United States as "Pastor" Russell, will be held here this afternoon.

ALLIED WARSHIPS WAIT FOR ATTACK ON DEUTSCHLAND

BRITISH AND FRENCH CRUISERS LYING OFF NEW ENGLAND COAST TO DESTROY GERMAN UNDERSEA FREIGHTER.

ARMORED SUBMARINE TO ACT AS DIVER'S CONVOY

Captain Koenig Expects U-57 to Appear Off Coast at Any Moment—Valuable Cargo Is Discharged at New London—German Sailors In Trouble.

New London, Conn., Nov. 6.—That British and French cruisers are lying in wait off the New England coast with the object of destroying the German undersea freighter Deutschland when she puts to sea, is the statement which was given out from reliable sources here.

No confirmation was obtainable and Commander Yates Stirling of the United States submarine base in the Thames river, placed little credence in the reports. He was of the opinion that the tender Bushnell and four United States submarines maneuvering off Block island and adjacent waters had been mistaken for the foreign warships.

U-Boat Captain Not Worried.

The Deutschland skipper was not worried last night by the rumors. He said he would not be surprised if the armored submarine U-57, reported to have left Bremen three days after he did to act as a convoy to the Deutschland, would appear off the coast any moment. Captain Koenig said he considered that protection enough against the allied cruisers, if any should attempt to attack him. The U-57 is the sister ship of the U-53, which recently sank five vessels off the New England coast.

Cargo Is Discharged.

Officials of the Eastern Forwarding company announced that the Deutschland's cargo was discharged at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Great care was exercised to prevent outsiders from seeing the work. Nothing has been made public concerning the Deutschland's manifest.

The citizen's committee which was arranging a complimentary banquet to the Deutschland's crew next Wednesday, announced that a gold watch, suitably inscribed, will be presented to Captain Koenig.

Sailors in Stabbing Affray.

Unless they succeed in rounding up two men said to be sailors from the German subsea freighter Deutschland, involved in a stabbing affray, the local police probably will demand that Captain Koenig turn them over.

According to the authorities, one of the sailors forced his attentions on a girl in a restaurant and when a waiter interposed the latter was stabbed in the arm with a pocket knife.

ARMED CITIZENS FIGHT BATTLE WITH YEGGMEN

Awakened by Explosion in Randolph, Minn., State Bank In Time to Prevent Looting—Bandits Escape.

Randolph, Minn., Nov. 6.—Awakened by an explosion, a dozen men, armed with shot guns and rifles, raced to the Randolph State bank at Randolph, 30 miles south of St. Paul, at 2 A. M. A running battle with three armed yeggmen who had blown the vault door from the bank followed. The bank's money is intact, the bandits not having time to pry open the money compartment in the vault.

Escape Toward Cities.

The posse, led by Charles Eno, village marshal, and Pete Orcutt, his deputy, followed the bandits to the edge of the village. About 20 shots were exchanged. The bandits leaped into a waiting automobile and escaped, driving furiously toward the Twin Cities.

GERMANY EXPRESSES REGRET

Airship Cruised Over Dutch Territory, Reuter Dispatch Says.

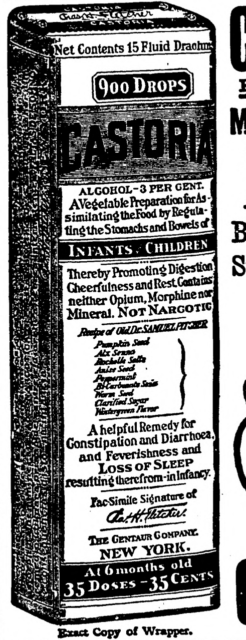
London, Nov. 6.—The German government has expressed regret for the action of a German airship in cruising over Dutch territory October 22, says a Reuter dispatch from the Hague.

$350,000 Raised for Armenians.

Washington, Nov. 6.—Red Cross headquarters estimates that nearly $350,000 has been raised so far for relief of Syrian and Armenian war sufferers as a result of contributions received on Oct. 21 and 22, designated as special relief days.

American Flyers Sent to Somme.

Grand Headquarters, French Armies, Nov. 6.—Following a month's hard fighting at Verdun, the American aviation squadron attached to the French army has been transferred to the Somme front, now the center of the greatest aerial activity. The American flyers, after several days' of comparative quiet on the Verdun front, took part in the reconnaissances that preceded the French victory at Verdun. They aided General Nivelle in the bold dash that won back Fort Douaumont and Fort Vaux.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Davis' Hard Hit.

The late Richard Harding Davis, bluff and hearty, detested a snob, and whenever a snob's head popped up he took a whack at it.

A guest at one of his dinners at Crossroads farm, his estate near New York, made a snobbish remark about a son of the Revolution who had married a chorus girl of great beauty and talent.

Mr. Davis glared at his guest. His ruddy face grew redder. Then he said:

"You, my boy, are one of those chaps who think the social scale is life's only reliable weighing machine!"—New York Globe.

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Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Umbrella Feet.

Several negro waiters were standing at a railroad station in a southern town discussing the merits of one of their fellow craftsmen.

"Dat nigger Henry sure am a hustler, but when he moves his feet dey look laik pancakes," said one.

"Pancakes?" shouted another. "W'y, man, w'en dat nigger gits good an' goin' dem feet o' his'n resemble no pancake—dey's jes laik embraller, all spread out."

Pimples, boils, carbuncles, dry up and disappear with Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. In tablets or liquid. —Adv.

TOLD HER STORY IN FULL

Impossible to Stop Colored Woman Once She Had Begun to Relate Tale of Trouble.

Adequate proof of the traditional volubility of women was given in a justice of the peace court the other day. A colored woman was on trial on a charge of provoking assault. After listening impatiently to the testimony of another witness, she took the stand and, turning to Justice Kiefer, drawled:

"Now, looky here, judge, let me tell you all the way this here thing happened."

Then began an actual flow of speech. Nothing could stop her. Justice Kiefer pounded and the deputies shouted, but to no avail. On and on she talked—about everything—pausing only to emphasize her remarks in a more forcible manner. At the end of 15 minutes she ceased. Her breath was exhausted. In the doorway was an astonished group of on-lookers from surrounding offices.

"We thought you had installed a phonograph, squire," one of them said, —Indianapolis News.

Generous Offer.

"Time and again I've given you a lift in my motor car."

"So you have."

"Now that I am hard up and can't meet this month's payment on it you refuse to lend me any money."

"Well, I'll tell you what I'll do to help you out. You estimate the number of times you have taken me to town in your car and I'll pay you ten cents for each ride, which is twice the fare charged by a jitney bus."

Siam's rosewood forests have been heavily overexploited. The government is now protecting them.

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A Caproni fighting aeroplane that had gone from the Italian side was hit by the antiaircraft guns and fell within the Austrian lines. The pilot was killed, the observer was somewhat scratched, but otherwise unhurt. His trousers, however, were ripped "from A to Z."

Captain Amegliano, the captured flyer, was inconsolable, and to an Austrian officer who sympathized with him he said:

"My poor comrade will be buried and I cannot even pay him my last respects—not in this gear."

"I" that is all," remarked the Austrian, "we'll soon mend that." And, after obtaining permission, he went up in his Fokker machine and threw a letter into the Italian line, acquainting them with the fact, and requesting "a pair of new trousers for Captain Amegliano."

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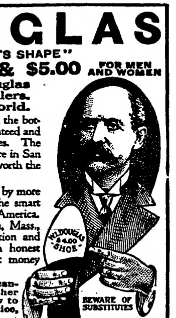

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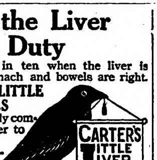
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Easy to Understand.

Daughter—Mamma, what is a stepmother?

Mother—Suppose I died and your father married another woman that woman would be your stepmother.

The child paused for a moment, and then exclaimed:

"Oh, I see, mamma! You step out and she steps in!"

A man never knows how foolish he can look until he attends a five-o'clock tea.

GOT HEMLOCK SEED CHEAP

Englishman's Shrewd Scheme for Procuring Drug That Commanded Good Price on Market.

Mr. Pickwick's valet and all-around servant, Samuel Weller, whose limited acquaintance with physicians and apothecaries did not hamper his festive imagination in the relation of medical novelties which were heard with wonder and amazement by Mr. Pickwick and his friends, should have had in his repertoire the following from the London Garden: Every autumn a man used to bring to a wholesale drug house in London a quantity of hemlock seed which he sold at half the market price. The curiosity of a member of the house at last becoming aroused he asked the man how he could afford to sell the drug so cheaply. After being promised that nothing would be done to interfere with his business he described his method. Every spring he filled his pockets with the seed and went out into the country. Wherever he saw a good wide hedgerow he sowed the seed broadcast. Then he went his way and worried no more over his crop until the fall, when he revisited the scene of his labors. He would then call the farmer's attention to the "weeds" in his hedge, offering to cut them down for a shilling a hedge, an offer which the farmer gladly accepted. Thus was the ground furnished free and he was paid to cut the harvest.

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More Watchful Waiting.

A quiet but sorrowful motorist sat one afternoon by the side of a car that was drawn up near the pavement. A man in another car, who had passed the disconsolate one that morning, slowed up on coming level with him again and inquired:

"How long have you been here?"

"Several hours."

"Can't you find out what is the matter? Inlet valve all right?"

The other smiled. "That's all right," he said.

"Trouble with the spark plug?"

"Think not."

"How are the batteries?"

"All right."

"Got plenty of spirit?"

"Yes, plenty."

"Your tires look all right. What is wrong?"

"Oh," replied the waiting motorist, "there's nothing wrong with the car. But ever since ten o'clock my wife's been in that house. She came to see her sister's first baby."

Loud Enough.

"What on earth will I do? Here's my automobile horn on the blink and won't make a sound!"

"That's all right. Ethel here has on her new sports skirt."

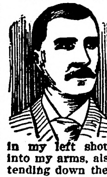
If you bet $13 and lose it's unlucky.

To Live Long!

A recipe given by a famous physician for long life was: "Keep the kidneys in good order! Try to eliminate through the skin and intestines the poisons that otherwise clog the kidneys. Avoid eating meat as much as possible; avoid too much salt, alcohol, tea. Drink plenty of water."

For those past middle life, for those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation, as backache, scalding "water," or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, "rusty" joints, stiffness, get Anuric at the drug store. This is a wonderful eliminator of uric acid and was discovered by Dr. Pierce of Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. If your druggist does not keep it send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce for trial package and you will know that it is many times more potent than lithia and that it dissolves uric acid as hot water does sugar.

NEWS OF ST. PAUL



St. Paul, Minn.—"I just want to say that Anuric has done for me what many other remedies have utterly failed to do. For over thirty years I suffered with rheumatic pains. At times I would have them in my back, then they would start in my left shoulder and run down into my arms, also in my left side, extending down the limb to my ankle. I can't begin to tell how much I suffered during this time. A short time ago I heard of Dr. Pierce's Anuric. I have only taken one bottle of the tablets and today have not a pain or an ache—thanks to Anuric. I cannot say enough in its praise."—MR. JOHN EVENSON, 1069 Greenbrier Ave.—Adv.

State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Bemidji.—R. F. Bell, formerly agent of the Great Northern railway at Deer River, has been arraigned before United States Commissioner Hiram A. Simons, on a charge of stealing a mail bag at Deer River Oct. 19.

Brainerd. — Marion Cunningham of Crosby has sued N. C. Anderson for $5,334.70 damages—alleging the latter drove his automobile into the plaintiff's motorcycle while speeding on the wrong side of the Crosby-Deerwood highway.

Rush City. — A resolution indorsing Curtis M. Johnson, Rush City, to succeed W. W. Sivright, Hutchinson, as a director of the Minnesota State Agricultural society has been adopted by the Minnesota Implement Dealers' association.

Brainerd. — Brainerd residents once more are "feeling" their way through unlighted streets at night. The fund raised by a local amusement company through a benefit performance, to keep the lights on downtown, has been exhausted.

Donnelly. — Donnelly's business district has been virtually destroyed by fire, damage estimated at $300,000 resulting before apparatus and firemen from Morris and Herman, rushed here in automobiles, halted the spread of the flames.

Minneapolis.—Assignment of Methodist bishops to 60 annual conference sessions ranging between November of this year and August, 1917, were made by the board of bishops in semi-annual session at Hennepin Avenue Methodist church.

Duluth.—It was said at the St. Louis county courthouse that indictments against village officials and others at Hibbing for alleged malfeasance in the conduct of the affairs of the village probably would be sought from the November grand jury.

Duluth.—Northern Indians, schooled in woodcraft, through the signs of stream and forest see a kindly softened winter and their labors thus are lessened. They will not put forth any great efforts to have their squaws build warm wigwams, they say.

St. Paul. — Physical examinations as a requisite to all Minnesota marriages, except where ten days' advance announcement is given, formed a recommendation from the committee on defectives to the commission revising state laws relating to children.

Thief River Falls.—To the end that Pennington county may receive a part of the Federal road aid amounting to $142,000 in Minnesota the coming year, a meeting of the executive, good roads and Jefferson highway committees of the Commercial club was held at the clubrooms to consider the matter.

Anoka. — After lying for years in a vacant building here with its whereabouts unknown, the sword of Captain J. S. Cady, A company, First Minnesota volunteers, who was killed in 1863 during an Indian uprising near Paynesville, has been found and presented to the local G. A. R. post, which bears Captain Cady's name.

St. Paul. — An army of 481,653 pupils and 17,792 teachers are employed in 9,250 schools in Minnesota, according to a survey of the state system of public instructions made public by C. G. Schulz, superintendent of education. The same department a year ago reported 466,060 pupils under 17,138 teachers in 9,254 schools.

Duluth. — Eleven million more tons of iron ore have been shipped from the docks of the five companies at the American head of the lakes during the season up to November 1 than during the corresponding period last year. Up to November 1 last year 29,345,174 tons were shipped, while during the same period of 1916, 40,608,767 tons have gone forward.

Minneapolis — The University students and alumni are co-operating in an effort to make the annual Home-Coming of the university one of the big events of the year. The date of the Home-Coming is Saturday, November 18, when the Minnesota-Wisconsin football game will be played. The prospect of a victory for Minnesota is proving a strong drawing card.

Washington, D. C.—Attorney General Smith of Minnesota has asked the supreme court for leave to file suit to test title to land in the Itasca state park at the headwaters of the Mississippi. The government, the court was told, contemplates giving a patent for timber land worth $75,000 within the park reservation to the Immigration Land company of Minnesota.

Washington, D. C.—Growth of the country's banking resources since passage of the Federal reserve act is put at $6,500,000,000, in a statement issued today by the comptroller of the treasury. The increase in resources of the western states has been phenomenal. Minnesota stands third in this increase with 40 per cent greater resources than at the time the act went into effect.

St. Paul. — Dean L. D. Coffman and Prof. F. E. Spalding of the College of Education of the University of Minnesota, have been appointed members of the national committee of the Carnegie Foundation, to standardize courses in the state normal schools of the United States.

Cloquet. — Indians on the Fond du Lac reservation are receiving their annuity payment of $19.50, the interest on tribal funds. At this time one-quarter of the Minnesota Chippewa fund, amounting to $130.60 per capita, is also being distributed, making a total of $150.10 per capita.

DAYS SCHOOLS AT PRISONS PLANNED

BOARD OF CONTROL CONTEMPLATES ASKING LEGISLATURE TO PROVIDE FOR BUILDINGS.

EDUCATORS MEET IN ST. PAUL

Hear Discussions on Militarism, Suffrage and Motherhood—Addition of Two Years of College Work to High School Course in State Urged.

St. Paul.

Establishment of day schools at the state prison and the state refomatory is contempdated by the Board of Control just as soon as the legislature makes provision for them. Board members said they were considering a recommendation to the coming legislature, providing for erection of school buildings in connection with each institution, each building to be a model for the purpose to be served.

Night schools are now conducted at both prison and reformatory, but the courses are admitted to be of the traditional type. Little effort has been made to emphasize educational opportunities for inmates as paramount to other activities that engage them.

C. J. Swendsen and C. E. Vasaly, members of the board, recently returned from a tour of inspection of penal institutions of the Eastern states with special reference to the kind of schools maintained for inmates. They came back confirmed in their belief that Minnesota was ready to give to its prison population the schooling it did not get before entering prison. They were particularly impressed by the opportunities for emphasizing vocational education.

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State Teachers Gather.

Militarism was denounced, woman suffrage advocated and motherhood declared the most overworked of the professions, by speakers before the Minnesota Educational association in St. Paul.

Dr. Yamoi Kin, head of the Woman's Medical school, Pie-Yang, China, flayed militarism. She said the height of barbarism was the settlement of difficulties by force. Charles Zeublin of Boston, sociologist, said that principles of government and the duties of citizens could not be well taught to children when the majority of their teachers were treated like slaves in that they were denied the franchise. William Wirt, superintendent of the Gary, Ind., schools, put in the good word for mother.

Carrol G. Pearse, president of the Milwaukee Normal school, said at a department of secondary education that the adding of two years of college work to the high school course would not only prevent crowding in the university, but would aid the student by giving him the benefit of home influences in his early youth.

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I. C. C. Declines To Aid.

The car shortage situation in Minneapolis and the Northwest will not be clearedup by the Interstate Commerce commission. Ira B. Mills, chairman of the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse commission, recently issued a statement blaming the Eastern and Southern roads for the car shortage here and appealed to the federal body for aid. He has received word from E. H. Meyer, chairman of the I. C. C., that the matter is one over which the commission has no control.

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On Educators' Conveyances.

That the cost of keeping up "old Dobbin or the flivver or other conveyance used by county superintendents in making their rounds of rural schools should be borne by the county was a contention by Superintendent N. A. Thorson of Polk county before the conference of county school superintendents. His sentiments were vigorously applauded by the gathering, which filled the Senate chamber at the Capitol.

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Battery "F" Mustered Out.

Battery F, the State University's contingent in the First Minnesota field artillery, which returned from the Mexican border more than a month ago, has been mustered out of the state service. Captain W. H. Rhinow, acting on authority from the adjutant-general's office, read the list of 171 men and declared them mustered out. Honerable discharge papers will be furnished the men later.

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Favors Pure Milk Laws.

Pure milk regulations enacted by the Legislature to have state-wide effect and place Minnesota in the front rank among other states were advocated by Commissioner J. J. Farrell of the state dairy and food department at a hearing before the commission recently appointed to propose revision of Minnesota laws relating to public health.

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Young Girls Poor Teachers.

Seventeen-year-old-girls are all right in their place, but they are as a rule ill suited to teach in the rural schools of Minnesota. This was the concensus of opinion expressed by county superintendents at a public conference with C. G. Schulz, superintendent of education. Nearly every county of the state was represented. Girls of that age lack the mature judgment and training necessary for instructors, speakers declared. W. E. Boerger of Stearns county favored an amendment to the statutes.

Credit.

A rich nabob, ambitious to be known as a good fellow, gave a feast which cost a thousand sequins a plate.

"What wicked, wanton waste!" exclaimed the world.

Another nabob, thirsting for glory, went to war.

"The brutal, bloody butcher," the world protested.

A third nabob, desiring only to do what was right, bestowed his riches in alms.

"He makes paupers!" sniffed the world.

The recording angel hesitated, but after some thought he dipped his pen and wrote, to the credit of each of the nabobs:

"He kept his money in circulation."

Surely an Antique.

"Now here," said the second-hand dealer, "is a rare bargain in an antique phonograph, which—"

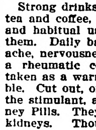
"Whoever heard of a phonograph classed as antique furniture?" broke in the scornful customer.

"Well, believe it or not," returned the dealer, "but the man I bought it from had had it so long it was all paid for."—Kansas City Star.

Strong Drinks Irritate

Strong drinks like beer, whiskey, tea and coffee, irritate the kidneys and habitual use tends to weaken them. Daily backache, with headache, nervousness, dizzy spells and a rheumatic condition should be taken as a warning of kidney trouble. Cut out, or at least moderate, the stimulant, and use Doan's Kidney Pills. They are fine for weak kidneys. Thousands recommend them.

A Minnesota Case


"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Fred Kandler, East Grand Forks, Minn., says: "I had a dull pain through my kidneys and my back got so weak I couldn't lift. At times, I was obliged to give up work. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage and deposited sediment. Finally, I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and used them. The backache and other ailments gradually left and in a few weeks, I was restored to good health."

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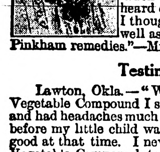
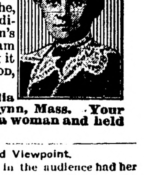


North Crandon, Wis.—"When I was 16 years old I got married and at 18 years I gave birth to twins and it left me with very poor health. I could not walk across the floor without having to sit down to rest and it was hard for me to keep about and do my work. I went to a doctor and he told me I had a displacement and ulcers, and would have to have an operation. This frightened me so much that I did not know what to do. Having heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I thought I would give it a trial and it made me as well as ever. I cannot say enough in favor of the Pinkham remedies."—Mrs. MAYME ASBACH, North Crandon, Wis.

Testimony from Oklahoma.

Lawton, Okla.—"When I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I seemed to be good for nothing. I tired easily and had headaches much of the time and was irregular. I took it again before my little child was born and it did me a wonderful amount of good at that time. I never fail to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to ailing women because it has done so much for me."—Mrs. A. L. McCASLAND, 509 Have St., Lawton, Okla.

From a Grateful Massachusetts Woman.



Roxbury, Mass.—"I was suffering from inflammation and was examined by a physician who found that my trouble was caused by a displacement. My symptoms were bearing down pains, backache, and sluggish liver. I tried several kinds of medicine; then I was asked to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has cured me and I am pleased to be in my usual good health by using it and highly recommend it."—Mrs. B. M. OSGOOD, 1 Haynes Park, Roxbury, Mass.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Nature's Great Hoodoo Temple.

In the Hoodoo basin of western Wyoming are curious formations which resemble Punch and Judy heads, grim savages, simpering old maids, monkeys, rabbits, birds and animals in every grotesque and exaggerated shape imaginable, and in every possible position. There are 50 different shapes of heads; over 40 different animal and human faces have been counted. The rock out of which the hoodoos have been carved by Dame Nature is what is known as volcanic breccia.—Popular Science Monthly.

Vivid Past.

Husband (telling of accident) And as I thought I was drowning my past life came before me in one vivid flash.

Wife—William, you never told me before that you had that kind of a past.

We always feel sorry for the 200-pound girl who tries to act cute.

Odd Viewpoint.

One woman in the audience had her own ideas about Julian Eltinge, the famous impersonator of feminine types.

"Wouldn't it be great fun to be married to a man like that?" she said to her husband.

"You mean because he is good looking?"

"No, you are good looking enough to suit me."

"Then what do you mean?"

"Think what a novelty it would be to be able to dress in the Paris gowns your own husband wears to work."—Youngstown Telegram.

Sure Proof.

"How did you know the play would be a howling success?"

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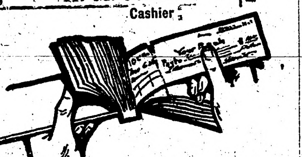
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Team red Oxen 7 years old 2 spring Pigs
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Red and white Cow 6 years old, now giving milk
Roan Cow 3 years old, will be fresh in December
Red Cow 2 1-2 years old, will be fresh in December
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Present Incumbent Returned to United States Senate by About 8,000 Majority—Frazier Runs Five to One Ahead of Democratic Opponent.

Fargo, Nov. 8.—Lynn J. Frazier, Nonpartisan League candidate and running on the republican ticket, was elected governor of North Dakota at Tuesday's election. With him the entire ticket put up by the Nonpartisan League went through to victory, including Casey for state treasurer, the only democrat endorsed by the league. The Nonpartisan League candidates for the state supreme court were also elected.

LYNN J. FRAZIER

While definite figures are unobtainable at this time owing to the slowness in counting the vote, enough returns have been received to show that if the same proportion continues in the entire state Frazier ran at least five to one ahead of his only opponent, McArthur, democratic candidate. It can safely be said that this same margin will apply to the whole ticket.

The league claims the election of its entire legislative ticket with possibly a few exceptions in isolated cases.

Returns from the country districts are slow in coming in and it will probably be several days before a complete detailed count can be given.

McCumber Elected Senator.

Porter J. McCumber defeated John Burke for United States senator. The indications are that his majority will reach 8,000 at least. In some parts of the state Burke gave his opponent a close race but the handicap under which he ran was too great to overcome and the incumbent was an easy winner.

Helgeson, Young and Norton, present congressmen, were re-elected, all by decisive majorities.

Judge Pollock Defeated.

Judge Charles Pollock, judge of the district court for Cass, Traill and Steele counties for the past twenty-two years, was defeated for re-election by A. T. Cole, whose majority will be about 1,500.

MICHIGAN GOES DRY

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 8.—Democratic leaders shortly before midnight Tuesday practically conceded that Hughes would carry Michigan. Returns from 350 precincts or about one-tenth of the state gave Hughes 32,048 and Wilson 27,022. Hughes' plurality had been growing consistently since the first returns were received. The amendment for state-wide prohibition with 244 precincts in 43 counties had a majority of more than 12,000. The amendment providing for home rule which the anti-prohibition forces supported was being beaten by a constantly growing majority.

Albert Sleeper, republican candidate for governor, increased his lead to 4,390.

NEBRASKA VOTES FOR PROHIBITION

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 8.—Scattering returns of the state and incomplete returns from Omaha indicate the prohibitory amendment carried in the state by a small majority.

Wilmington, Dela., Nov. 8.—Returns at 1:45 a. m. make Delaware very close on both the national and state tickets with the democrats claiming victory. Out of 117 districts 100 gave Hughes 10,092, [illegible]

WISCONSIN GIVES LEAD TO HUGHES

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 8.—Returns for president from 840 precincts out of 2,250 in the state give Wilson 75,274, Hughes [illegible].

[illegible] 701 precincts Williams, democrat, 44,153; Phillips, republican, [illegible]

United States senator, 465 precincts, [illegible] 12,496; LaFollette, [illegible] 33,509.

STEWART REELECTED MONTANA GOVERNOR

Wilson Carries State by a Two to One Vote—Drys Win.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 8.—Returns received up to an early hour this morning indicate that Wilson has carried the state by a two-to-one vote, and that Samuel V. Stewart, democratic incumbent, has been reelected governor over Frank Edwards, republican, by a safe majority.

The first returns from the state on the presidential candidates came from the Brown's quarry precinct, which gave Wilson 46 and Hughes 22, and this proportion was maintained on later returns from different parts of the state.

SAMUEL V. STEWART

Looks Like Drys Win

While no definite figures are at hand at this time returns so far received on the vote for statewide prohibition gives every assurance that the state has gone dry by a safe margin.

Drys Claim South Dakota

Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 8.—Leaders in the fight for prohibition in South Dakota claim that the "dry" amendment has been adopted by a large majority. Present returns show that the vote on the suffrage amendment is very close.

BURNQUIST IS ELECTED GOVERNOR OF MINNESOTA

Early Returns Give Lead to President.

St. Paul, Nov. 8.—J. A. A. Burnquist, republican, was reelected governor of Minnesota Tuesday by a decisive plurality, returns now indicate. Ninety-seven precincts, principally in Duluth and Minneapolis, gave Wilson 13,654; Hughes 12,026. Duluth's complete vote was: Wilson, 6,685; Hughes, 6,089.

The vote in 201 of the 3,024 precincts in the state show Wilson 30,349, Hughes 25,433.

Most of these returns were from the three largest cities of the state, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth, and republican leaders expressed confidence that complete returns from the rural districts would turn the tide to Hughes, while democratic spokesmen maintained that the present ratio, which would give Wilson a plurality of [illegible] would be maintained.

Available returns showed Frank B. Kellogg of St. Paul, republican candidate for United States senator, leading his democratic opponent, Daniel W. Lawler, also of St. Paul, and Kellogg's supporters claimed his election by a decisive majority.

Minnesota's delegation in the lower house of congress will consist of eight republicans, one democrat and one progressive. Thomas D. Schall, progressive, was re-elected in the Tenth district, and Carl V. Vandick, democrat, was again chosen in the Fourth. The republican congressmen are: Anderson, Ellsworth, Davis, Lundeen, Knutson, Volstead, Miller and Steenerson. All but Lundeen and Knutsen were re-elected.

SOUTH DAKOTA VOTES REPUBLICAN

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Nov. 8.—More than one-tenth of the precincts in the state indicate Hughes has carried South Dakota by 15,000. The prohibition amendment was adopted by 20,000 and the suffrage amendment by 10,000.

COLORADO GIVES WILSON 15,000

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 8.—Wilson has carried Colorado by a plurality of at least 15,000 votes.

Julius C. Gunter, democrat, for governor, is leading Governor Carlson, republican.

HUGHES LEADING WILSON IN KANSAS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 7.—Hughes took the lead from Wilson in Kansas when 527 precincts of the 2,171 in the state had been reported, the total showing Wilson 78,166 and Hughes 79,551. The count was 64 of the 105 counties.

BISMARCK REPUBLICAN

BISMARCK, Nov. 8.—City gives Hughes 538; Wilson 531; McCumber is leading Burke.

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I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

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Local Items

Attend the moving picture show in the hall to-night.

Andrew McMillian of Strathcona visited over Sunday with B. Hoff.

Oscar Anderson returned home Saturday from Valley City N. D.

Mrs. Olaf Johnson was a Thief River Falls visitor the middle of the week.

Mrs. Ollie Werner came yesterday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg.

Mrs. R. L. Olson and son Martin were over Sunday guests of Thief River Falls friends.

[illegible] children [illegible] weeks [illegible]

[illegible] will now pay $4.00 per ton for loose Flax Straw delivered at Holt.

Boyd Adams returned home last week from Leonard where he had been doing carpenter work.

Miss Beatha Nelson returned home Saturday from a pleasant visit with friends in Fertile and Crookston.

Alfred Olson and Martin Mattson were over in Beltrami Co. a few days this week, hunting big game.

Miss Olga Furr arrived home Saturday from Fargo, where she has been employed in a dressmaking shop.

Several ministers came yesterday to assist with the meetings which commenced last night at the Free Mission church.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

We pay freight on 100 lb., or over, shipments of rags, rubbers, brass and copper. Rags 75c to $1.50 a 100 lb. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. F.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

The Ranee Co. gave a good clean show here Friday night that is well worth the price of admission. Their second company will be here to-night with a different show.

Commencing Saturday evening Nov. 25th. at 7.30 o'clock, Dr. F. H. Stauff will deliver a series of free lectures in the Holt Public School Building. Watch for further announcements.

Taber and McLane struck a good vein of water at seventy feet of water at Torger Ness' and moved their well drill to Edwin Erickson's. [illegible] Davidson has found [illegible] Lars Chenil, after many [illegible] break downs. Emil Ost[illegible] [illegible] well drillers outfit shipped [illegible] of the week so the [illegible] well supplied with well [illegible]

Free lecture Nov. 25th.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Dr. Turley, the dentist will be in Holt Tuesday Nov. 21st.

Are you making use of the State Free Traveling Libraries? Books for the asking at the Holt State Bank.

The Ladies Aid of the Free Mission church will entertain in the church basement Thursday Nov. 23rd Everybody invited.

The Northwestern Minnesota Educational Association will hold its annual convention at Crookston on November 22, 23, and 24th.

The Mayflower girls Sewing Club will give a basket social at the East Valley School Saturday evening Nov. 18th. All be sure and come.

Fridjof Riesberg went to T. R. Falls Friday for a short visit with relatives. He returned home Monday accompanied by his little nephew Bartle Werner.

A little group of neighbors of Mrs. J. Nelson gathered at her home Saturday evening in honor of her birthday. Mrs. Nelson was the recipitent of some useful presents from the assembled party.

E. M. Wilson, of The Newfolden Review, has bought the list of the Oslo Tribune and will move his plant over there and continue the publication of the two papers. We wish him success.

Announcements regarding students short courses in farm Husbandry, Stock Raising, Gasoline and Tractor Engineering and Dressmaking are being sent out by the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and will be mailed to anyone who makes application for them.

Steiner Items

R. L. Muzzy made a business trip to T. R. Falls last Tuesday.

S. R. Rogers and son Henry returned home from J. Bottom's place, the other day, where they put up a large set of buildings.

Peter Solem did business in this berg one day this week.

J. A. Russell made a trip to Thief River Falls the last of the week.

Oscar Dahl and Willie Rucks rode to T. R. Falls on their bicycles, last Friday.

Mr. Werner made a trip to Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

W. G. Rogers left for Tenino, Washington, sometime ago. He does'nt seem to think very much of our weather.

A. Koglin made a business trip to Thief River one day last week.

N. Baker has moved from R. L. Muzzy's north farm to Oscar Spoonheim's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers called at the J. A. Russell home Sunday.

A rag ball social was held in the O. Hall schoolhouse Saturday. Everybody reports a good time.

Louie Meyers made a trip to Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

H. Borden and son Jesse made a trip to T. R. Falls Saturday.

John Whittman transacted business in this berg one day last week.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Read the election news on the inside pages of this paper.

If you need dental work, see Dr. Turley, next Tuesday.

Lost: A large envelope containing an abstract of Thief River Falls property. Finder please return to P. N. Peterson, Newfolden, or to this office. Reward given for prompt return.

Mrs. J. E. Mosberg and children departed Monday for a short visit with relatives in Minneapolis. From there they go to Sturgeon Lake for a couple of weeks visit with Mrs. Mosberg's parents.

Southeast of Holt.

Tom Olsen sold at public auction all his personal property on Tuesday.

Mr. Olsen and family expect to leave for Canada in the near future where they will make it their home.

Dr. F. H. Gambell was called to the Mikkel Johnson home on Monday to see Mrs. Johnson who is reported as being very ill.

Miss Mary Keichinger returned home las week after a few months stay at the Tom Olsen home.

Don't forget to be present at the Rag Ball Social at the Sordahl school house this Saturday evening Nov. 18th, commencing at 7.30 o'clock.

Chicken Pox seems to be quite a fad around this locality. So many children are suffering with the disease.

The Messrs. Lars Berg, Martin Johnson and Nathan Soiney left for [illegible] last week where they will spend some time trapping.

Rev. A. Bredeson has recently sold his farm to Ingvald Wold for $85 per acre.

Miss Olga Klungness left for T. R. Falls last week where she has a position.

Mikkel Johnson was in attendance at the church conference at Warren last week.

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District

Alma Christenson......Plaintiff
vs.
Julius Christenson......Defendant

SUMMONS.

The State Of Minnesota—To the above named Defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in the above entitled action, which has been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer thereto upon the subscriber at his office in the First National Bank Building in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, within thirty days of the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service.

If you fail to answer the complaint within such time the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

Dated this 6th day of Nov. 1916.

J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for the Plaintiff,
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

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Useless Proceeding.

Showing a man that he's wrong won't stop the argument. It will only make him more angry.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Sandridge cemetery Incorporation, will be held at The Holt, State Bank Holt Minn. at 10 o'clock in the fornoon, on Saturday the 18th day of Nov. 1916. To elect a Director to serve for the term of 3 years, and also to transact other business of the Incorporation. All members will please be present. Dated Nov. 8th, 1916.

Nils Engebretsen Sec.

Rosewood

(Written for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sagmoen son Byron and Miss Clara Johnson were entertained at the Emil Blomberg home last Sunday at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vorseth and daughter Elsie autoed to Thief River Falls last Sunday afternoon to visit relatives.

Miss Lillie Gunstad teacher at Dist. No. 41 left for St. Hilaire on Friday evening to visit at her parental home over Sunday.

Mrs. James Johnson of Thief River Falls spent Friday at her parental home, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hellquist, near this place.

Miss Olga Thoreson left for Thief River Falls on Friday evening for a few days visit with friends.

Marie Hellquist spent Sunday at Thief River Falls visiting at the C. E. Hellquist home.

Herbert Carlson and Matt Rafteseth took in the basket party at the Swensley school house last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and Melvin and Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Nelson, all of Viking, visited at the T. Mellem home over Sunday.

Joel Shoberg spent hallowe'en eve at the A. G. Vorseth home.

Thure Styrlund and Axel Larson spent a couple days of the week at Viking attending to various matters of business.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 190 Residence 167

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.83
Wheat No. 2	1.78
Wheat No. 3	1.68
Wheat No. 4	1.47
Flax	2 57
Oats	.47
Barley	.60 to .92
Rye	1.34
Flour, Best Patent	5.45

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Potatoes Wanted

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Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co.,
Thief River Falls Minn.

Olaf Klevyan of Rollis, was in town Wednesday on business.

Mrs. R. Reierson is in Thief River Falls taking treatments for the asthma.

Geo. Walker returned Wednesday from St Paul where he had been with a car of cattle for the market.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Nov. 11, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Carl August Lydin, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on April 7, 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 05959, for SE 1-4 Section 27, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 18th day of December, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Rudolph Dahl, Emil Ostlund, Carl Dahl and Nils Omberg, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 11, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Anne Anderson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on April 7th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05960, for SW 1-4 Section 47, Township 156 N Range 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 18th day of Dec., 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: C. A. Lydin, Rudolph Dahl, Axel Benson and Emil Ostlund, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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There is'nt any reason why anyone should be too stout, when there's this much-tried, perfectly satisfactory remedy at any good druggists. Tassco tablets, (don't forget the name) are recommended by physicians and are guaranteed to be perfectly harmless. Refuse substitutes, if you can't come to our store, we will mail tassco to you.

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Free Tassco Coupon
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Send me by return mail a 50c box of your wonderful obesity treatment. I enclose 10c in silver or stamps to help pay postage and packing.

Notice of Sale of Bonds

Notice is hereby given that School District No. 148 of Marshall County, Minnesota, has by special election duly determined to issue its negotiable, interest-bearing bonds in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000.00) in denominations of Two Hundred Dollars ($200,00) each payable October 1st, 1931, and bearing interest at a rate not to exceed seven per cent per annum, payable annually and that the School Board of District No. 158 of Marshall County, Minnesota, will meet on the 9th day December 1916 at 8 o'clock P. M. at the office of the District Clerk in said District, then and there to open and consider bids for the sale of such bonds; the said School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Dated at Holt Minnesota this 14th. day of November 1916.

Svenke Svenkeson, District Clerk of School District No. 148 of Marshall Co. Minnesota.

Sale Of School And Other State Lands

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 25, 1916

State of Minnesota,
State Auditor's Office,

Notice is hereby given that on November 20, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the office of the County Auditor at Warren, Marshall County, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the State by reason of the non-payment of interest.

TERMS OF SALE

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part on or before forty years from the date of sale at an interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st of each year; provided that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June and May thirty-[illegible] without penalty.

Appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid for in full at the time of sale.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

All mineral [illegible] are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the [illegible] of sale, or before resale, to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption, "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land as provided by the General Laws 1905; provided, however, that state lands purchased previous to 1905 are not chargeable against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports [illegible] quality and kind of soil are on [illegible] this office. List giving legal descriptions of land to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor [illegible] the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and the County Auditor at above address.

J. A. O. PREUS,
State Auditor.

Optimistic Thought.

Resolutions taken without thought bring disasters without remedy.

The Real Thing.

"An aim in life is the only [illegible] worth the finding," says Stevenson, "and it is not to be found in [illegible] lands, but in the heart itself."

And There Are Others.

"The only actress who is willing [illegible] that she does not know all about acting is the kind [illegible] has been [illegible] her life."—[illegible]

WILSON AND MARSHALL WILL SERVE FOUR YEARS MORE

~~PRESIDENT WINS~~ RE-ELECTION BY SLIGHT MARGIN

ONLY BAREST POSSIBILITY REMAINS THAT RECOUNTS AND POSSIBLE COURT CONTESTS WILL CHANGE SITUATION.

HUGHES CANNOT WIN IF GIVEN MINNESOTA'S VOTE

G. O. P. National Committee Makes Preparations to Begin Legal Proceedings for Recounts in States Where Results Are Close—Democrats on Alert.

New York, Nov. 11.—America has chosen Woodrow Wilson president and Thomas R. Marshall vice president for four years more.

There is only the barest possibility that recounts and possible court contests predicted by unyielding Republicans will change the situation.

California was the pivotal state. Its 13 electoral votes, finally added to the Wilson column, gave him a total of 272, more than the necessary majority of 266 in the electoral college. To this may be added New Hampshire.

Apparently it is no longer a question of victory for Wilson, but a question of how large will be his electoral college lead.

Hughes Issues No Statement.

With the democrats over the nation planning to celebrate victory, the republican national committee still declines to concede Wilson's election.

Lawrence Green, secretary to Charles E. Hughes, said in response to questions by newspaper men that Mr. Hughes would not send congratulations to President Wilson today.

"Not yet," said Mr. Green.

Mr. Hughes himself declined to make any comment upon the election results. He arose about 8 a. m. and after reading the news went for an automobile ride. He apparently was in cheerful spirits.

Election Not Conceded.

Chairman W. B. Willcox, refusing to concede the election of President Wilson, said in a formal statement issued after a conference with other republican campaign managers that the result still depends on the vote of a few close states and that their returns thus far announced are in most states unofficial and may be changed by the official counts.

"The result still depends upon the votes in a few close states," Mr. Willcox's statement read. "It must be borne in mind that the returns thus far announced in most states are unofficial and may be changed by the official count required by the laws of those states. Twice during the unofficial competition yesterday in California mistakes in additions were announced from that state substantially changing figures previously given. It is common experience that the result of the official count almost always varies from the returns first announced.

May Demand Recount.

"Where the vote is as close as that reported in several states it may be that material changes will result from the official count. We owe it to the country to take all necessary steps to see that an exact, honest count of the votes is made. When the current seemed to be running against Mr. Wilson on Wednesday the democratic managers announced their intention to demand a recount in every close state.

"All we desire is to make sure that the vote is counted as cast."

Mr. Willcox added verbally that it was superhumanly impossible for the preliminary count to conform exactly with the official count.

NUMBER 13 LUCKY FOR WILSON, NOT HUGHES

Washington, Nov. 11.—Superstitiously inclined, saw another instance of President Wilson's belief in his good luck in the "hoodoo number 13."

Apparently Mr. Wilson won the presidency with California's 13 votes.

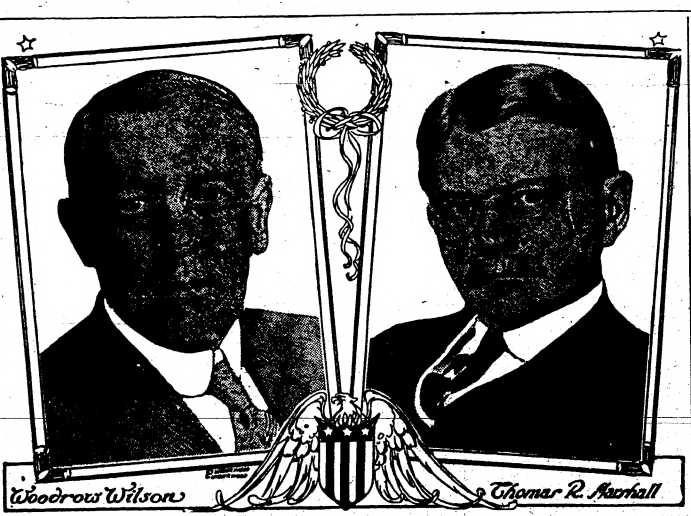
Mr. Hughes, his opponent, voted ballot No. 13 Tuesday.

To Enlarge Patrol Squadron.

Newport, Nov. 8.—Enlargement and improvement of the volunteer scout patrol squadron is under consideration by a board of naval officers which began sessions here. The board is headed by Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight.

Train Hits Jitney; Four Dead.

Camden, N. J., Nov. 8.—Three men and a woman were killed by a Pennsylvania railroad train which struck a jitney bus in which they were riding at Freeman station, near here.



HALF OF NATION NOW "DRY"

TWENTY-FOUR STATES IN PROHIBITION COLUMN.

Michigan, Montana, Nebraska and South Dakota New "Dry" States—Beer Amendments Fail.

NEW DRY STATES—Michigan, Montana, Nebraska and South Dakota—4.

STATES ALREADY DRY—Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Georgia, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Mississippi, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, Washington, and West Virginia.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The Methodist board of temperance here has just announced that Michigan, South Dakota, Nebraska and Montana have voted dry. Counting Utah, there are 24 states, or half the union, now in the dry column. Local option laws in several states add to the saloonless territory.

The wet majority in Missouri has apparently been cut by 125,000 votes. Most of the beer amendments and repeals offered in dry states seem to have been defeated and Idaho, which has statutory prohibition, has enacted a prohibitional constitutional amendment by probably two to one.

HUGHES HAS PLURALITY OF 250 IN MINNESOTA

Three Additions to Election Returns Increase Lead of Republican by Two Votes.

St. Paul, Nov. 13.—Three additions to election returns throughout the state, received Sunday, raised the Minnesota plurality of Charles Evans Hughes by two votes, making his lead 250. The total figures now stand, Wilson 178,569 and Hughes 178,819.

The changes came from Cass county, which reported a revised and complete total of 1,260 for Wilson and 982 for Hughes; from Faribault county with corrected totals of Wilson 1,115 and Hughes 2,120, and from the soldiers of Fairmont county, members of Company E, Second Minnesota infantry, who cast 21 votes for Wilson and 11 for Hughes.

WILSON LEADS HUGHES BY 3,278 VOTES IN CALIFORNIA

Official Count Started, But Result Is Not Expected to Change Results Materially.

San Francisco, Nov. 13.—With 17 isolated precincts still to hear from, Wilson leads Hughes by 3,278 votes in the presidential race. The vote now stands Wilson, 466,106; Hughes, 462,828. The missing votes, it is generally believed, will not materially change President Wilson's majority.

The official count of California's vote was begun today. Steps have been taken not only to expedite the enumeration, but to insure its accuracy. Both the Democratic and Republican state central committees have engaged checkers and attorneys to scrutinize the count of each tally sheet.

Iowa Elects Harding Governor.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 9—Republicans swept Iowa practically clean, turning in pluralities of 60,000 for Hughes, 120,000 for W. L. Harding for governor, electing the entire state ticket and reelecting the 10 Republican congressmen. T. J. Steele, Democratic congressman from the 11th district, ran a close race for re-election. Havener, Republican for attorney-general, led his ticket. Harding's overwhelming defeat of E. T. Meredith, Democrat, was the outstanding feature of the election.

WILSON'S POPULAR VOTE IS 8,563,927

New York, Nov. 13.—The total popular vote received in each of the states by President Wilson and Charles E. Hughes, but based on incomplete reports and estimated, indicated that the President received 403,312 more votes than Mr. Hughes. The table follows:

States—	Wilson.	Hughes
Alabama	89,000	30,000
Arizona	29,641	19,363
Arkansas	85,000	37,000
California	466,269	462,838
Colorado	158,257	95,716
Connecticut	99,687	106,378
Delaware	26,111	27,909
Florida	60,000	12,000
Georgia	109,200	28,000
Idaho	68,000	54,500
Illinois	869,152	1,044,608
Indiana	338,588	340,882
Iowa	215,918	279,086
Kansas	315,000	277,000
Kentucky	219,000	193,000
Louisiana	68,000	9,000
Maine	64,148	69,491
Maryland	133,211	113,773
Massachusetts	247,327	268,361
Michigan	237,114	308,122
Minnesota	177,669	178,212
Mississippi	91,000	5,000
Missouri	376,000	345,000
Montana	80,927	54,608
Nebraska	98,323	75,081
Nevada	12,448	9,842
New Hampshire	42,905	42,723
New Jersey	209,332	264,320
New Mexico	34,545	33,251
New York	756,010	863,987
North Carolina	158,000	110,000
North Dakota	54,449	52,831
Ohio	578,000	496,720
Oklahoma	140,000	110,000
Oregon	116,550	128,570
Pennsylvania	510,747	695,734
Rhode Island	39,353	44,159
South Carolina	68,000	1,500
South Dakota	45,449	50,892
Tennessee	138,647	97,553
Texas	228,000	58,000
Utah	77,381	48,948
Vermont	21,832	38,254
Virginia	60,107	21,132
Washington	197,000	183,000
Wisconsin	194,000	220,000
W. Virginia	139,013	141,432
Wyoming	25,617	19,998
Totals	8,563,927	8,161,773

Wilson over Hughes—402,154.

CAN "SHE" BE CONGRESSMAN? "HE" ONLY IN CONSTITUTION

Chicago, Nov. 13.—"No person shall be a representative * * * who shall not, when elected, be an inhabitant of that state in which HE shall be chosen."

The capitals are gratuitous, but the quotation is from the constitution of the United States and it concerns quite profoundly the prospects of Miss Jeannette Rankin, congresswoman-elect from Montana. The question is:

Can "SHE" be a congressman?

Students of laws and constitutions and things like that are shaking their heads dubiously. The pronoun in the constitution is undeniably masculine and the congress "Man" elect is just as undeniably "Miss." As a matter of grammar SHE cannot be HE. But as a matter of law—?

And politics?

Shelled in Neutral Waters, Claim.

Berlin, Nov. 11 — Reports from Christiania say that a Russian torpedoboat destroyer shelled on November 2 a German submarine while the Russian vessel was between two and a half and three miles from the Norwegian town of Homoen near Vardoe and while the submarine was from three to four miles distant from the Norwegian coast. The Norwegian government, according to the dispatch, has instructed the Norwegian minister at Petrograd to protest against this new alleged violation of neutrality.

"LET US FORGET IT"—WILSON

NATION IS NOW UNITED, PRESIDENT DECLARES.

Executive Issues No Statement Regarding Election While Visiting Daughter in Massachusetts.

Williamstown, Mass., Nov. 13.—In a speech here before several thousand persons who came from nearby towns to congratulate him on his re-election, President Wilson said:

"I want to say that now the campaign is over we must think of only one thing and that is not of parties, but of the interest of the great country we all love. Let us forget all our differences and unite for common service. Only in that way can we work for the great nation that has given us liberty and peace.

Politics Merely Ideas.

"Politics," he continued, "is after all a means of getting something done; of putting forward ideas. It is a fight, but the man who does not love the fight has no red blood in his veins."

The President's second speech of the day here was delivered before a crowd of men from North Adams, Pittsfield, and other towns, who came here by automobile, trolley and railroad trains and marched to the home of Francis B. Sayre, the President's son-in-law, where Mr. Wilson is staying. The delegation surrounded the house and cheered until the President appeared on the porch.

Mr. Wilson, after thanking the crowd for "this generous outpouring," said he had to come to Williamstown to avoid making public speeches.

"You will forgive me if I do not discuss public affairs," he added.

During the day the President was in communication with Democratic national headquarters regarding the progress of the counting of the ballots in the election. He made no statement, however. As the delegation began leaving, a man called out: "Three cheers for Baby Sayre," and they were given.

LINE UP OF ELECTORAL VOTES

WILSON STATES.

Arkansas	9	Nevada	3
Alabama	12	New Hampshire	4
Arizona	3	New Mexico	3
California	13	North Carolina	12
Colorado	6	North Dakota	5
Florida	6	Ohio	24
Georgia	14	Oklahoma	10
Idaho	4	South Carolina	9
Kansas	10	Tennessee	12
Kentucky	13	Texas	20
Louisiana	10	Utah	4
Maryland	8	Virginia	12
Mississippi	10	Washington	7
Missouri	18	Wyoming	3
Montana	4		
Nebraska	8	Total	276

HUGHES STATES.

Connecticut	7	New Jersey	14
Delaware	3	Oregon	5
Illinois	29	Pennsylvania	38
Indiana	15	Rhode Island	5
Iowa	13	South Dakota	5
Maine	6	Vermont	4
New York	45	West Virginia	8
Michigan	15	Wisconsin	13
Massachusetts	18	Total	243

IN DOUBT.

Minnesota 12

"Wet Majority 124,000 in Missouri.

St. Louis, Nov. 11.—Returns from more than half the precincts of the state gave a majority of more than 124,000 against prohibition. The majority against the proposed amendment in St. Louis was 127,000. The majority for prohibition in the 1,353 precincts outside of St. Louis reported about 1,250. If that ratio holds in the remaining precincts outside St. Louis the majority of the state outside this city for prohibition will approximate 6,000.

REPUBLICANS TO HAVE 217 VOTES IN LOWER HOUSE

LATEST RETURNS INDICATE SMALL PLURALITY OVER DEMOCRATS—CONTESTS MAY CHANGE LINE-UP.

MANN, PRESENT MINORITY LEADER, OUT FOR SPEAKER

New Senate Will Be Democratic by Safe Working Margin—Leaders to Rush Legislative Program Before Sixty-fourth Congress Ends.

Washington, Nov. 13.—The Republicans will have 217 votes in the next Congress, according to the latest returns available.

This is an increase of one in the total Republican membership previously reported. The change is based on reports from the sixth New Jersey district showing the election of John H. Ramsey, Republican, by a plurality of about 1,500 over Robert Heath, Democrat.

Democrats Have 212 Votes.

It does not take into account a probable contest in the tenth North Carolina district; the third New Jersey district where Thomas J. Scully, Democrat, claims to have been elected by a plurality of 14 votes or the eleventh Iowa or third Louisiana districts where the pluralities are so small that recounts are considered possible.

The election of Mr. Ramsey from New Jersey and the consequent loss of one Democrat from that state leaves the Democratic membership of the House at 212, as indicated by returns thus far received. All other parties have elected six members. According to present figures, the Republicans fall one short of the 218 votes necessary for a working majority.

No Certain Working Majority.

On the face of the unofficial returns the political division of the House is so close that an effective and certain working majority does not exist. In view of the situation it is regarded by Democratic leaders as improbable that President Wilson will call an extra session of the new Congress next spring. In that case the organization fight will not come until the regular session in December, 1917, which will mean maneuvering for more than a year in the contest for speakership.

As matters stand today, the candidate of the Republicans for speaker will be James R. Mann, present minority leader. Speaker Clark generally is regarded as the Democratic choice to succeed himself. Already, however, there are rumblings of uncertainties because of the close political division.

Clark May Not Run.

Some interesting and lively party conferences on both sides before any organization tickets are finally launched, is assured. As the Democrats apparently will be in the minority, some friends of Champ Clark are not certain he will be a candidate to succeed himself. Unless he can be elected speaker they prefer that he abandon the race and become a candidate for minority leader, the post he held for many years before the Democratic ascendency in 1912. Such a development might precipitate a lively contest within the Democratic ranks with Claude Kitchin, the present majority leader, and Speaker Clark as rival candidates for the minority leadership.

Soldier Vote May Change Figures.

The congressional result in New Mexico is doubtful, the chances now favoring the Democrats. In Pennsylvania there are two districts and possibly three where the soldier vote, when counted, may change the results. In two of these Republicans, and in one a Democrat, have been elected by small majorities on the face of the returns thus far reported. In the Tenth North Carolina district, Britt, a Republican, is claiming the election over Weaver, Democrat, by 13 majority.

Whatever happens, Republicans cannot control legislation in the next Congress because the new senate will be Democratic by a safe working majority of 12. In this situation little partisan legislation can be looked for during the first part of the new Wilson administration. Because of this administration leaders will exert every possible effort to complete the Democratic legislative program before March 4 next, when the Sixty-fourth Congress will end.

Wilson Wins Washington by 11,000.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 11.—Although about 250 precincts of Washington have not reported, they are mostly small and remote and will not change the result already announced. Some of them have only a dozen votes. The majority for President Wilson probably will not go much above 11,000. Governor E. Lister, Democrat, who was re-elected, will have about the same majority as President Wilson. Miles Poindexter, Republican candidate for senator, appears to have carried nearly every county in the state.

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"Well, excuse me," said Robert, who could take a hint, "but I thought maybe you might like someone you knew stay around if he wasn't nice to you."

"Gowan," exclaimed the cook. "What's me two fists fer?"

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(BY V. M. PIERCE, M. D.)

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MACKENSEN LOSES THIRD OF FORCES; FLEES DOBRUDJA

RUSSIANS CROSS DANUBE AT TWO POINTS AND SLAV FLEET RENEWS BOMBARDMENT OF CONSTANZA.

TEUTON DEMORALIZED BY DISEASE AND REVERSES

Fighting About Cernavoda for Possession of Danube Bridge Reaches Most Critical Stage—Falkenhayn's Drive in Transylvania May Weaken Allies' Thrust in Roumania.

London, Nov. 14.—British troops in their new offensive north of the Ancre river have advanced to a maximum depth of one mile, capturing from the Germans the towns of Beaumont-Hamel and Saint Pierre Division, according to the correspondent of Reuter's Telegram company at British headquarters.

Fighting is still going on between the German and British troops around the town of Serre, about two miles north of Beaumont-Hamel. Two thousand prisoners already have been taken by the British.

Russians Cross Danube.

London, Nov. 14.—The Russians have crossed the Danube into Dobrudja at two points south of Cernavoda and the Russian fleet has renewed the bombardment of Constanza, according to Petrograd advices received by wireless by way of Rome.

Field Marshal von Mackensen is reported continuing his retreat with demoralized forces, and with one-third of his effectives lost.

Teuton Retreat Disastrous.

The ravages of disease and military reverses sustained are declared in the Petrograd advices to have seriously affected the morale of Von Mackensen's army, while the reinforcements he requested to make good his losses are said not to have been provided. His retreat, therefore, is being conducted under disastrous conditions.

At some points Germans and Austrians are attacking fiercely, but according to advices at all the capitals the largest successes are being won by the arms of the Allies.

Battle at Critical Stage.

The fighting about Cernavoda for possession of the great Danube span that forms the longest bridge in Europe and where for days the Russian right wing is reported from Petrograd to have partly succeeded in turning Mackensen's left flank, apparently has reached its most critical stage.

Since the dispatches which told of Cernavoda in flames and of Constanza, where the Austro-German-Bulgarian extreme right has had its base on the Black sea, fired, only meager details have reached here regarding the Dobrudja clash.

Would Weaken Mackensen.

Military experts believe the result at Cernavoda will depend partly on the 50-mile forward dash of Russo-Roumanians against General Falkenhayn's armies in Transylvania far below the Bukowina border, where defensive movements have been succeeded by a sledgehammer offensive.

Any measurable successes in this region, the experts believe, must weaken the Cernavoda-Constanza front of Mackensen.

MANY CLAIM CREDIT FOR RE-ELECTION OF WILSON

Declaration That "Fighting Pacifists" Were Responsible Causes Government Statistician to Compile List.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The American Union Against Militarism has just issued a statement declaring "Fighting Pacifists" elected Wilson.

This led a government statistician to compile the following list of statements, which, he says, is not complete:

"President Wilson declared for preparedness and the American people decided to keep him four years more."—The Navy League.

"The cause of labor, justice and freedom has been vindicated."—President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor.

"Progressives were absolutely responsible."—John M. Parker, Progressive nominee for vice president.

"General Otis, W. H. Crocker and Francis V. Keesling have the proud distinction."—Hiram Johnson of California.

"Treachery of the Johnson machine."—General Harrison Grey Otis.

"Excuse me."—Colonel Roosevelt.

Probes Alleged Vote Frauds.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—United States District Attorney Charles Cline is investigating new charges that large Chicago business firms made attempts to coerce the votes of their employes last week. Because of this new development Cline said the federal grand jury would postpone its hearing until later in the week. Meanwhile investigators are running down every tip. Irregularities are said to cover a large territory around Chicago. It is alleged that $380,000 was spent to swing votes in northern Indiana.

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Writing to a student at Yale, a member of the American ambulance corps in France says: "Two of the American aviators have gotten the 'wooden cross' in the past week. We have just heard that Bill Thaw, ex-Yale '15, was killed a few days ago. It did not come out in the papers."

There is the iron cross of the first class, and the iron cross of the second class, the Victoria cross, the cross of the Legion of Honor—all of those are decorations given by the war chiefs of Europe. But the "wooden cross"—that costs more than all others. That is the decoration given by Moloch.—Chattanooga News.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels.—Adv.

Dissipation and Health.

Here's another neighborhood story from Columbia, Tenn.

An aged mother, it seems, was scolding her oldest son for some of his bad habits.

"Ain't you 'shamed of yourself," she exclaimed, "to be chawin' tobaccer and smokin' that old pipe? You are jes' ruinin' your health."

"But listen, ma," replied her son. "I am seventy years of age, ain't I?"

"Yes, you is," admitted the mother, "but maybe if you didn't chaw an' smoke you'd be ninety now."—Youngstown Telegram.

AN APPRECIATIVE LETTER.

Mr. M. A. Page, Osceola, Wis., under date of Feb. 16, 1916, writes: Some years ago I was troubled with my kidneys and was advised to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. It is now three years since I finished taking these Pills and I have had no trouble with my kidneys since. I was pretty bad for ten or twelve years prior to taking your treatment, and will say that I have been in good health since and able to do considerable work at the advanced age of seventy-two. I am glad you induced me to continue their use at the time, as I am cured.

Mr. M. A. Page

Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets for indigestion have been proved. 50c per box.—Adv.

GREAT ACTOR ON HIS DIGNITY

Richard Mansfield's Rebuke to Subordinate Who Spoke Lightly of Theatrical Production.

With reference to fine discrimination in the use of the well-known English language, it is possible to overdo the thing.

Diving into the trunk of recollections for the suitable illustration to adorn this remark and point the moral, we find it in Richard Mansfield's occupancy of the Garrick theater in New York days of hilarity on that stage.

To Mansfield this theater was a temple. He tolerated no lightly spoken references to it. One day, when an attache reported, Mansfield gave instructions and started for his dressing room.

"I'll see you after the show," said the business lieutenant in parting.

"'After the show?'" repeated the actor-manager, with dignity. "Are we acrobats?"

"After the performance," replied his associate, humbly.

"'The performance!'" exclaimed Mansfield. "Are we ants?"

"I'm very sorry," mumbled the crushed manager; "I'll see you after the play, sir."

"I shall be pleased to see you then," answered Mansfield.

"Kidded" the Inspectors.

The other day two sanitary inspectors were making a round of the cottages in a certain English village. During their visit they came to one where lived three adults. On being admitted, after waiting about ten minutes, one of the inspectors said, angrily:

"How many persons are there in this house?"

"There are five," answered the man of the house.

"Five!" exclaimed the inspector, "there'll have to be two less in it."

"So there will when you two get out," was the sarcastic reply.

An old bachelor observes that married men are often as anxious to get out of matrimony as single fools are to get in.

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GAVE HIS WIFE A SURPRISE

Indiana Man, Dressed for Festive Occasion, Was Taken by Spouse for Bold Burglar.

A member of the degree team of the Columbus lodge of Eagles was getting himself ready to go to Greensburg, where the Columbus team was to give the work to a class of candidates, relates the Indianapolis News. Each member of the Columbus team was to wear a dress suit. This member did not have any evening clothes, so he borrowed an outfit, including a boiled shirt, high collar and white tie. He got home rather late and found his wife in bed, asleep. He wished to try the thing on to see just how he looked. So, after dint of much nervous expenditure, he had everything in shape and rather admired himself in the mirror. He felt it was a shame for his wife to miss the great sight, so he went into the bedroom, shook her gently and waited for her to awaken. The woman opened her eyes and looked into the face of a strange man attired in fashionable evening clothes. She gave one scream and ducked under the cover.

"Go away, go away," she begged the supposed gentleman burglar, "we haven't any money."

"Nobody knows that any better than I do," her husband retorted, "but that's no reason why you should carry on like this."

Then she recognized his voice, came from under the covers and admired him to his heart's content.

Old Lady Meant Well, But—

The old lady had had a charge of drunkenness dismissed, and was profuse in her gratitude to the magistrate.

"I thought you wouldn't be 'ard on me, your worship," she remarked, as she left the dock. "I know how often a kind 'eart beats beneath an ugly face."

A Hint.

He—I love all kinds of birds.

She—I don't. I hate a jay.—Baltimore American.

Hawaii is making bricks from lava.

ALL ILLS CURED BY WALKING

That Is the Belief of New York Professor, Who Covers 500 Miles a Month.

Prof. Charles Gray Shaw, head of the department of philosophy of New York university, who has just completed a walk from Philadelphia to New York, ninety miles, in a little less than 24 hours, recommends walking as a panacea for all ills, mental and physical, a New York correspondent of the Pittsburgh Dispatch writes. During the last three months he has walked, altogether, 1,600 miles, an average of more than 500 miles a month. A little journey of 35 or 40 miles a day he considers a mere nothing, a trot around the block. And for regaining mental poise, calming distraught nerves, exterminating worry, there is nothing, take it from the professor, equal to a good long walk. He belongs to the peripatetic school of philosophy. "Walking is the most valuable exercise in the world," he said. "Also it is the cheapest. It is one of the best ways I know of cheating the doctor and the undertaker. Walking, in the first place, draws the blood from the head to the feet. Then, when one walks, there are so many delightful trivial things to cajole one's attention away from oneself; the color and shape of the clouds, the flowers and the horizon, the amusing and transitory companions of the road. And women ought to walk more, too. Their complexions and figures would improve if they did. Most people take too short steps and walk from the knee. The further up the body the swing comes, the less strain."

How True.

"What in your opinion is the most startling transformation?"

"When a note becomes due."

She Did.

Bob—You look sweet enough to eat!

Gertie—I do eat. Where shall we go?—London Answers.

No man is ever perfectly sure of a girl's love until she declares that she hates him.

Think of It—

People cut out tea or coffee before retiring when these beverages interfere with sleep. In the morning they drink freely of them, strangely overlooking the fact that at whatever time of day the cup is drunk the drug, caffeine, in tea and coffee is irritating to the nerves.

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Local Items

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School Notes

Dr. F. H. Stauff gave a lecture on tobacco to the children Thursday morning.

S. A. Challman, State Commissioner of School Buildings, looked over our building Thursday of last week.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl and T. E. Ellestad were also school visitors last week.

One hot dish is now served to each of the 47 children who eat their dinners at school. Miss Staastad is in charge of the work.

Attendance is now almost perfect and the work of the children is noticeably better.

Geo. Smith went to T. R. Falls Monday.

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Rindahl Rumbles

Miss Gyda Udstrad is visiting with her friend Sophie Johnson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Eagen visited at Ellef Sorter Sunday.

Misses Hilda Erickson, Alice Johnson and Esther Movik, Helmer Swenson, Ludvig Larson and Lars Ring spent Sunday evening at Ole Davidson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Grandahl visited at Sorter's and Davidson's Sunday.

Sam Swenson called at T. O. Dovre's last Friday.

Alf Movik left for Thief River Falls Saturday.

Quite a bunch from out here took in the show at Holt last Friday eve.

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Notice

Lost: A large envelope containing an abstract of Thief River Falls property. Finder please return to P. N. Peterson, Newfolden, or to this office. Reward given for prompt return.

Wood Wanted

Farmers co-operative Creamery of Holt, Minn., will receive bids up to Dec. 18th, 1916 on delivering to the Creamery in lots from one to 60 cords dry or green good white poplar wood. State price wanted. The Board of Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

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East Valley Zion Notes.

The Young People's Society met, for the first time last Saturday eve, at Rev. Ordahl's home. All seemed very enthuseastic and an active society is looked forward to.

The "Zion Society" meets at the J. Jahr home Friday eve Nov. 24, from 7 until 11 P. M. There will be a program (including an interesting debate). All are entirely welcome.

Rev. Ordahl will deliver a sermon at the East Valley School Thanksgiving Day, 3 P. M. All are welcome.

A large crowd attended the Ladies Sewing Club at J. Knutsen's, Wednesday last.

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Dated at Holt, Minnesota, this 11th. day of November, 1916.

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Sale Of School And Other State Lands

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 25, 1916
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Notice is hereby given that on November 2[illegible], 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the office of the County Auditor at Warren, Marshall County, in the State of Minnesota, [illegible]

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A land mine in warfare consists of a charge of high explosive buried in the ground, and arranged so as to explode when the enemy's troops are over it. Mines are also used in siege warfare, tunnels being driven under the enemy's fortifications and enormous quantities of high explosive placed in them.

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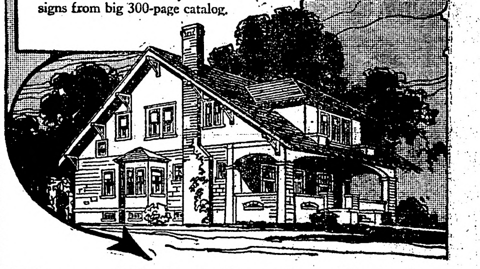

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Guy Harrison moved his household goods to Warread, Tuesday.

Several farmers are busy hauling in flax straw, which is bringing a good price.

Mrs. Carl Christoferson went to St Hilaire Saturday for a few days visit with relatives.

Otto Larson left Monday for Reynolds N. D., where he expects to spend the winter.

Jno. Lein of Grafton N. D. autoed over here Sunday for a short visit at the Gunheim home.

NOTICE. S. S. Kolden will now pay $4.00 per ton for loose Flax Straw delivered at Holt.

Axel Nelson and Lewis Wegge were business visitors in T. R. Falls last Thursday and Friday.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

Angell's 3 piece orchestra will furnish the music for the dance to be given in the Woodman hall on Saturday evening of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Sollem drove up from T. R. Falls Sunday and spent a few days visiting his mother, Mrs. T. Sollom and family.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

Don't fail to come to the basket social to be held in Sunnyside School, District 59, Saturday Dec. 2nd.

Martha Heng and Matilda [illegible],
Teachers.

A big crowd attended the show Friday night and all seemed well pleased with the second entertainment given here by the [illegible] company. All speak highly of the first one, also.

Ed. Horien and Hjalmer Peterson were Middle River business visitors Monday. We understand Mr. Horien while there filed on a claim of 488 acres that is only 12 miles from Baudette.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

School Notes

Dr. F. H. Stauff gave a lecture on tobacco to the children Thursday morning.

S. A. Challman, State Commissioner of School Buildings, looked over our building Thursday of last week.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl and T. E. Ellestad were also school visitors last week.

One hot dish is now served to each of the 47 children who eat their dinners at school. Miss Saastad is in charge of the work.

Attendance is now almost perfect and the work of the children is noticeably better.

Geo. Smith went to T. R. Falls Monday.

Ben Nyberg has gone to Spooner where he expects to find work.

P. L. Anderson was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday and Saturday.

E. A. Johnson has recently built a nice little barn on his place here in town.

Several young ladies gave a parcel showers Sunday afternoon for Miss Alma Dovre.

Mrs. Oien and children returned home Saturday from a weeks visit with her parents at Fertile.

A large number of farmers and a few of our business men are in Warren to-day to attend the hearing on ditch No. 26.

Local telephone rates will be cheaper after Dec. 1st. Then the rates will be 15 cents to Newfolden, T. R. Falls [illegible].

Thanksgiving services in Holt Synod church at 10:45 Thursday Nov. 30th, conducted by the pastor Rev. Ordahl. Everyone welcome.

It may be alright to have a good time now, but there is always a rainy day ahead of every one, and it might be well to think a little about the future.

Rev. Ordahl will hold services in Holt next Sunday Nov. 26th. at 10:45 and at the school house in Dist. No. 158 at 4 o'clock the same afternoon.

The Northwestern Minnesota Educational Association will hold its annual convention at Crookston on November 22, 23, and 24th.

Commencing Saturday evening Nov. 25th. at 7.30 o'clock, Dr. F. H. Stauff will deliver a series of free lectures in the Holt Public School Building. Watch for further announcements.

If you are looking for war prices on your hides, furs and junk ship them to us, we pay freight and express. Write for prices. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. Falls, Minn. Located north of G. N. depot. 1 11

The Gospel Mission meetings held here last week were well attended and much interest was manifested in them. Those from a distance were: Rev. Carlson of Beresford, S. D. Rev. Kilen and wife and Miss Lockstar all of Newfolden. Hans and Ole Sands, Mr. and Mrs. Rud, Mr. and Mrs. Stephens, all of Viking. A Vold of Baltic S. D. and Mr. and Mrs. Ole Nyhus of T. R. Falls.

The collection for the Gospel Mission amounts to $22.50 and the one for the Ministers in attendance was $5.14.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Ringbo Rumbles

Miss Gyda Udstrad is visiting with her friend Sophie Johnson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Engen visited at Ellef Sorter Sunday.

Misses Hilda Erickson, Alice Johnson and Esther Movik, Helmer Swenson, Ludvig Larson and Lars Ring spent Sunday evening at Ole Davidson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Grandahl visited at Sorter's and Davidson's Sunday.

Sam Swenson called at T. O. Dovre's last Friday.

Alf Movik left for Thief River Falls Saturday.

Quite a bunch from out here took in the show at Holt last Friday eve.

Mrs. Hilmer Erickson and Hilda Erickson called at L. Johnson's one day last week.

Messrs. Eddie and Martin Davidson and Lars Ring autoed to Ilag Monday to look over their homesteads.

Jno. Engstrom and wife, Charles McLean and family, E. Johnson and wife spent Sunday afternoon at A. Engstrom's.

Miss Hazel Davidson called at A Movik's Tuesday.

Christ Yttre went to Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Erickson called at C. Yttre last Sunday.

Miss Esther and Anna Sorter, Flora Culver, Pete Sorter and Hilmer Davidson called at Ole Christianson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson of Golden Valley visited at Chris Yttre's last Saturday.

Misses Esther and Anna Sorter, Flora Culver and Esther Movik, Pete Sorter, Hilmer and Oliver Davidson spent last Sunday afternoon at John Engstrom's.

Miss Sophie Johnson and Jensin Udstrand visited at M. Udstrand Sunday.

Mrs. Hilmer Erickson has been visiting at Henry Erickson while her husband has been out hunting.

Bank Statement

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Nov. 17, 1916.

Date of report by Bank, Nov. 22, 1916.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$100,111 61
Overdrafts		207 73
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		3,880 01
Other Real Estate		$1,000 00
Due from Banks	10,401 47	
Cash on Hand	1759 35	
Total Cash Assets		12 160 82
Checks and Cash Items		6,078 90
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		380 82
Total		$131,819 95
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$3,500.00
Undivided Profits, Net		350.54
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		8,000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$49,970.22	
Cashier's Checks	948.00	
Total Immediate Liabilities	50,925.18	
Time Certificates	58,044.23	
Total Deposits		114,969 41
Total		$131,819 95
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$19,130 78
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$9,733 23

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall } ss

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President.
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNHEIM.
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Nov., 1916.

[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

Optimistic Thought.

Resolutions taken without thought bring disasters without remedy.

Notice

Lost: A large envelope containing an abstract of Thief River Falls property. Finder please return to P. N. Peterson, Newfolden, or to this office. Reward given for prompt return.

Wood Wanted.

Farmers co-operative Creamery of Holt Minn. will receive bids up to Dec. 18th. 1916 on delivering to the Creamery in lots from one to 60 cords dry or green good white poplar wood. State price wanted. The Board of Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

T. B. Folden Secy. Holt Minn.

Southeast of Holt.

The Rag Ball social at the Sordahl school house was very well attended and the sum of about $26 taken in for the benfit of the school.

There will be a basket social at the Schwartz school house Saturday evening Nov. 25. All are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness entertained on Sunday, Tollef Brokke, Arthur and Ethel Nustvold, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden and son.

There will be a ladies aid sale at Jacob Hansen's place on Saturday Saturday Nov. 25. Dinner will be served. All are welcome.

Gertrude Preice who teaches the Sam Groven school was an over Sunday visitor at P. Michaelson's.

Salve Brokkee left for Bemidji last week near which place he will work in the woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Thom Olson and family left on Monday for Admiral, Sask, Canada, to make their home.

Olga Larson spent Saturday and Sunday at Golden Valley.

Carl Guttrud and Ingvard Peterson have returned home from Canada where they had been employed for some time past.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Michaelson and family left for Chicago, Ill., last week where they will reside.

Mrs. Theo. Sorum was a Sunday visitor at Solney's.

There will be a Ladies Aid sale at the S. Moe home on Thanksgiving day commencing at 2 o'clock P. M. There will also be a basket social in connection. All welcome.

Thorval Kollen returned home Wednesday from Maddock, N. D.

Mrs. A. Kuehne returned Tuesday from a weeks visit with relatives in T. R. Falls.

Are you making use of the State Free Traveling Libraries? Books for the asking at the Holt State Bank.

Misses Gunhild and Olava Sollom came home from Viking Wednesday to attend the convention of the educational assn.

The official count of the Minnesota votes gives Hughes a lead of 396 votes. Kellog for U. S. Senator has a plurality of 67,628. Quinn for supreme court justice has 5,161 over Anderson, Burnquist gets 152,737 for governor.

H. Dovre, Albert Knutson, Henry Wendt and Ole Johnson went out to Beltrami county Friday to hunt deer and look at their claims. They returned Sunday with out any deer but were well pleased with their land. Thats the wrong place to hunt for dears, there're plenty of them here.

Mines in Warfare.

A land mine in warfare consists of a charge of high explosive buried in the ground, and arranged so as to explode when the enemy's troops are over it. Mines are also used in siege warfare, tunnels being driven under the enemy's fortifications and enormous quantities of high explosive placed in them.

Potatoes Wanted

Bring us your potatoes. We pay cash for them at all times.

Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co.
Thief River Falls Minn.

East Valley Zion Notes.

The Young People's Society met, for the first time last Saturday eve, at Rev. Ordahl's home. All seemed very enthuseastic and an active society is looked forward to.

The "Zion Society" meets at the J. Jahr home Friday eve Nov. 24, from 7 until 11 P. M. There will be a program (including an interesting debate). All are entirely welcome.

Rev. Ordahl will deliver a sermon at the East Valley School Thanksgiving Day, 8 P. M. All are welcome.

A large crowd attended the Ladies Sewing Club at J. Knutson's, Wednesday last.

East Valley School Notes.

Elmer Severson started Monday. There are now thirty pupils attending.

The Mayflower Girl's Sewing Club netted a neat sum from the proceeds of their basket social and auction last Saturday evening. All reported a good time.

Some new Text books were received Friday.

The older girls are supervising play at P. M. recess for the kindergarten and first grades.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Mrs. Olaf Johnson went to T. R. Falls Monday.

Free scholarship are being offered by the Northwest School of Agriculture, at Crookston. Write them direct for full information.

D. Payne came Tuesday for a short visit with old friends and neighbors.

Ole Onstad came up from T. R. Falls Monday to do the plastering in Mrs. Sven Johnson's house.

We understand Jno. Hagberg has bought the building formerly used by Winton-Nichols as an office, and will move it and fix it up for a dwelling.

Easy Way to Reduce Flesh

Drink Hot Water and Take Tassco

Heve'nt you often wished for a medicne to reduce your flesh? Something that does not require dieting or calisthenics? Well right here you have it in 5-grain tassco tablets, that you may secure of any good druggist. They are pleasant to take, perfectly harmless and cause no restrictions of habit or eating and reduce the flesh, little by little, until you are down to the number of pounds you wish to weigh. Too much flesh is undesirable, as most quite stout people will readily admit and it detracts from one's good appearance, makes one clumsy and short of breath.

There is'nt any reason why anyone should be too stout, when there's this much-tried, perfectly satisfactory remedy at any good druggists. Tassco tablets, (don't forget the name) are recommended by physicians and are guaranteed to be perfectly harmless. Refuse substitutes, if you can't come to our store; we will mail tassco to you.

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Free Tassco Coupon
The Tassco Co.
Boston - Mass.
Send me by return mail a 50c box of your wonderful obesity treatment. I enclose 10c in silver or stamps to help pay postage and packing.

Notice of Sale of Bonds

Notice is hereby given that School District No. 148 of Marshall County, Minnesota, has by special election duly determined to issue its negotiable, interest-bearing bonds in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000.00) in denominations of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00) each payable October 1st. 1931, and bearing interest at a rate not to exceed seven per cent per annum, payable annually and that the School Board of District No. 158 of Marshall County, Minnesota, will meet on the 9th. day December 1916 at 8 o'clock P. M. at the office of the District Clerk in said District, then and there to open and consider bids for the sale of such bonds; the said School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Holt, Minnesota, this 14th. day of November, 1916.

Svenke Svenkeson, District Clerk of School District No. 148, of Marshall Co., Minnesota.

Sale Of School And Other State Lands

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 25, 1916

State of Minnesota,
State Auditor's Office,

Notice is hereby given that on November 25, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the office of the County Auditor at Warren, Marshall County, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the State by reason of the non-payment of interest.

TERMS OF SALE

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any [illegible] forty years from the date of sale at an interest rate of four per cent per per annum, due on June 1st of each year; provided that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June and May thirty-first without penalty.

Appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid for in full at the time of sale.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale, to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption, "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land as provided by the General Laws 1905; provided, however, that state lands purchased previous to 1905 are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office. List giving legal descriptions of land to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and the County Auditor at above address.

J. A. O. PREUS,
State Auditor.

See our merchants when in need of winter goods. They will sell you cheaper, net. than the catalog firms.

The [illegible] cemetery corporation met Saturday and re-elected Dr. R. L. Olson director. They raised the price of the best lots to $15.00 each. They also decided to build an archway over the gate and change the name to "The Holt Cemetery.

Announcements regarding students short courses in farm Husbandry, Stock Raising, Gasoline and Tractor Engineering and Dressmaking are being sent out by the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and will be mailed to anyone who makes application for them.

EPITOME OF EVENTS

PARAGRAPHS THAT PERTAIN TO MANY SUBJECTS.

ARE SHORT BUT INTERESTING

Brief Mention of What Is Transpiring in Various Sections of Our Own and Foreign Countries

WAR NEWS.

It is reported that an extraordinary sitting of the German Reichstag is to be convoked, supposedly to pass a bill calling up all fit civilians for "service in the interest of the fatherland."

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The total number of persons killed and wounded by a single bomb dropped by an Austrian aviator at Pedua, Italy, aggregated ninety, of whom thirty-two were killed, says a Paris dispatch.

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Another great trans-Atlantic merchant submarine to take the place of the Bremen, sister ship of the Deutschland, which was lost with all hands on her maiden voyage to the United States, now is being built in Germany.

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A Stockholm newspaper says that some days ago an explosion occurred on board the Russian ammunition steamer Baron Breceni at the Russian seaport of Archangel, causing the death of 150 persons and the wounding of 650 others.

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Berlin newspapers publish a statement from "competent military authorities" saying the Anglo-French drive on the Somme has been halted by the exhaustion of the entente troops and their heavy losses and by unfavorable weather.

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The invasion of Rumania is continuing successfully, Berlin announces, although increasing resistance is apparently being encountered by General von Falkenhayn, the tenacious defense of the Rumanians being continued.

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A Berlin paper says that the supplies captured by Field Marshal von Mackensen's army in the Roumanian seaport of Constanza include 30,000 tons of petroleum, 27,000 tons of bensine, 17,000 tons of other oils, and large stores of corn, sugar and coffee.

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After an all-day battle in Galicia, southeast of Lemberg, Austro-German forces captured a sector of the Russian trenches, the Petrograd war office reports. The engagement occurred in the vicinity of Lipnichadelna and Syistelniki.

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The Spanish newspaper Heraldo estimates the French losses since the beginning of the war at 3,917,850 men. From reports published by French journals the paper figures 19,620 French officers and 1,063,000 men have been killed, and 39,420 officers and 2,126,000 men wounded or captured.

GENERAL.

Henryk Sientieficz, the Polish novelist, best known in this country as the author of "Quo Vadis," died at Vevey, Switzerland.

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A loan of $5,000,000 gold has been made by the Continental and Commercial National bank of Chicago to the Chinese government.

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Four trainmen were killed near Hainesburg, N. J., when a locomotive drawing a freight train on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad blew up.

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Portland, Ore., housewives are now paying twenty cents a pound for lard, said to be the biggest price ever paid for it in that city. Under normal conditions lard sold for 12 and 15 cents.

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Aeroplane mail routes making nightly trips are planned between Chicago, Detroit and New York by Glen Muffley of the Aero Club of America.

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The Montana state board of land commissioners proposes to put the farm loan act into immediate operation following a favorable decision of the supreme court on the law. The state has now available for farm loans a total of $728,786.20.

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Prohibition in Nebraska will cause a decrease approximating $3,500,000 in the receipts of the internal revenue office at Omaha and may result in the termination of a profitable employment for a score of men.

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New Year greetings from San Diego to Paris, Berlin, Vienna, Budapest, London, Tokio and the capitals of South American republics will be flashed from the naval radio station at San Diego, Cal., at midnight, December 31, according to plans now being arranged.

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A new campaign for the purpose of raising $10,000,000 for the relief of Jewish war sufferers will be inaugurated at a mass meeting to be held in Carnegie hall, New York, December 21.

Eight and possibly nine persons were drowned in the north arm of the Fraser river, Vancouver, B. C., Canada, when the Vancouver-Ladner stage plunged through the open draw in the bridge joining the mainland with Lulu Island.

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Exports of war supplies for the nine months ending September 31 amounted to $997,970,000, or more than 25 per cent of the country's total export trade for the period, according to figures published by the New York Journal of Commerce.

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Enactment of the prohibitory amendment in no way means the end of the Anti-Saloon Leage of Nebraska. The league will now devote its energies to enforcing the prohibitory law, District Superintendent F. A. High of the Omaha district announced.

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The price of the London Times will be increased to 3½ pence after November 30 and other important London daily newspapers probably will follow suit. Owing to the cost of production a number of leading newspapers are being conducted at heavy losses.

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"Dry" advocates of Kansas City, Mo., are circulating a petition calling a local option election in Jackson county. The statewide prohibition amendment voted on in the election of November 7 received a majority of several thousand in Jackson county and a few hundred in Kansas City.

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MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Villa now is somewhere on the northern border of the state of Durango, Mex., south and west of the Carranza army sent north to capture him and his followers.

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Villa and his main force of bandits are going south to form a junction with the Zapata forces in the state of Morelos, he announced at Santa Rosalia, according to reports reaching the border.

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Because Carranza officials feared they might be disloyal, scores of former Villa soldiers who have been serving as customs guards in Juarez since the Villa garrison joined the Carranza army, were ordered to the Juarez customs house and disarmed by the artillery.

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It is reported that General Francisco Murguia, newly appointed Carranza commander of Chihuahua, lost two battalions of his column near Gomez Palacio, when he engaged a bandit force under Calixto Contreras. A majority of the men in the two battalions deserted to Villa.

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Theodore Hoemuller, a merchant of Parrall, Chihuahua, together with his wife and baby, were killed by Villa bandits when Villa occupied Parral, a report received at El Paso by a Parral mining company states. Hoemuller is said to be a German subject.

WASHINGTON.

Gold in the treasury of the United States amounting to $2,700,136,976 on November 1, an increase of $502,023,214, since that date last year.

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Ten thousand Washingtonians and people from the surrounding country marched from the capitol to the White house, with bands, red fire and banners in honor of the homecoming and re-election of President Wilson.

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The war department announces that Nebraska's expenses in the mobilization of the national guard is $4,242,32, a lower figure than that incurred by any other state, following the call by the president last June.

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Count de Tarnow-Tarnowski, who was secretary of the Austrian embassy at Washington from 1899 to 1901, has been appointed ambassador to the United States in place of Dr. Dumba, recalled at the instance of this government.

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The war department has ordered five national guard regiments home from the Mexican border. They are the First regiment of South Carolina, Seventh New York, Third Indiana, Third Wisconsin and Third Minnesota.

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Turkeys and "trimmings" for 150,000 men are being bought by the war department through the chief commissary officer of the southern department, for the Thanksgiving dinner of the soldiers along the border and General Pershing's troops.

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Attorney General Gregory announces that the government has plans laid to defend suits by railroads attacking the constitutionality of the eight-hour railroad law which have begun in many parts of the country.

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Deportation of Belgian civilians into Germany for forced labor has reached such serious proportions that American Charge Grew at Berlin, has been directed by the State department to take the matter up personally with the German chancellor.

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President Wilson blamed middlemen for the high cost of foodstuffs in a speech welcoming to Washington the convention of the National Grange, the first formal speech he has delivered since the election.

BUREAU OF CHILD WELFARE URGED

COMMISSION REVISING LAWS MAY FAVOR AMPLIFICATION OF CONTROL BOARD'S POWERS.

NORMAL SCHOOL BODY DOOMED

Measures Recommended and Ordered Drawn by Economy Commission for Next Legislature Would Divorce Grain Inspection From Rail Body.

St. Paul.

Amplification of the powers of the state board of control, with provision for creation of a bureau of child welfare in charge of a director, was the recommendation offered by Charles E. Vasaly to the commission revising Minnesota laws relating to children.

The commission's work has reached a point where the form of state guardianship of children to be recommended must be decided upon, members agreed, and this brought Mr. Vasaly's suggestion, which was left for further discussion.

The commission then took up the recommendations of the committee on delinquent children, with an understanding that they will be definitely adopted only when presented to the governor for transmission to the next legislature.

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Normal Board Doomed.

Measures for the next Minnesota legislature to divorce the state grain inspection from the railroad and warehouse commission, to create one state board of education to replace the normal and various other state school boards, and to extend the newly established budget system to various state departments, institutions and boards, have been recommended and ordered drawn by the state efficiency and economy commission.

While the commission was adopting a plan to wipe out of existence the state normal school board, that body was meeting in an adjoining room to make up the normal school budget for the next legislature.

Separation of the grain inspection from the railroad and warehouse commission was a subject at previous meetings and its discussion was brief.

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State Schools Spend More.

Budget estimates for the next biennial period submitted to the state normal school board meeting at the state capitol, according to C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education, show a slight increase over 1916-17 appropriations. Eight per cent increase in the item for support, he added, is typical and is due to a proposal to add new members to normal school faculties and increased salaries of present instructors. Dr. H. M. Bracken, executive officer of the state board of health, suggested to the board that a permanent record be made of all water mains and sewer systems serving state normal schools.

Present at the meeting were: Directors S. H. Somson, Winona; C. L. Atwood, St. Cloud; J. C. Wise, Mankato; Leslie Walter, Moorhead; J. L. Washburn, Duluth; E. J. Jones, Morris; and A. P. White, Bemidji; and presidents G. E. Maxwell, Winona; J. C. Brown, St. Cloud; C. N. Cooper, Mankato; F. A. Wolz, Moorhead; and E. W. Bohannon of Duluth.

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Buttermakers to Ask Laws.

A state law requiring the pasteurization of all cream used in buttermaking, the abolition of a flat rate for cream whether good, bad, or indifferent, and payment according to grade, were among the subjects discussed at the convention of the National Creamery Buttermakers' association in Minneapolis. Nearly 1,200 buttermakers from all parts of the United States attended the convention, which was in session for three days.

The address of welcome was made by Charles M. Andrist, secretary of Governor Burnquist, W. J. Stephanson responding. The president's address was delivered by J. J. Farrell of St. Paul.

The fancy prices butter has reached also yielded a favorite subject of conversation. Buttermakers are unanimous in blaming the rise on the export demand. They see no prospect of lower prices, rather a certainty of further rise.

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Wants Investment Bureau.

State Treasurer A. C. Gooding has urged creation of a bureau of investment as a safeguard to state trust funds which now total more than $25,000,000, at a meeting of the state efficiency and economy commission at the state capitol. Mr. Gooding pointed out that school and other trust funds will increase with the continued development of Minnesota and urged that the investment of these moneys be placed on a sound business basis, in a permanent administrative department.

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To Probe Car Shortage.

The state railroad and warehouse commission will begin an inquiry at once into the car shortage that is seriously affecting Minneapolis. Commissioner C. E. Elmquist, following a conference of the commissioners with shippers said, in making the announcement of the investigation, that the situation is becoming worse daily. The embargo that was put on export shipments by the eastern roads is beginning to have effect to check sales. It is also affecting the milling and linseed oil industries.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Mankota—Lieut. John Aitkin, a veteran of the British and United States armies and an old Indian fighter, is dead at his home in this city from heart disease.

Minneapolis, Minnesota—Confronted by a coal famine as result of the car shortage, Cokato, Annandale, Kimball Prairie and other towns, whose storage bins are empty, have appealed to Minneapolis for help.

St. Paul. — The state supreme court has heard arguments in the appeal of the Great Northern road from the judgment of the Norman county district court affirming the order of the State Railroad and Warehouse commission directing the erection of a new station at Ada.

St. Paul. — Practically complete returns on the election in Minnesota show that Julius A. Schmahl, Secretary of State,, as candidate for re-election, led the entire Republican state ticket. He received 24,083 more votes than any other candidate for state office, and will enter upon his sixth term in January, 1917.

Minneapolis, Minn.—The Third Minnesota infantry has been ordered home from the Mexican border. The Third Minnesota is stationed at Llano Grande. Colonel Eva is in command. Its companies include units from Duluth, Anoka, Zumbrota, Eveleth, Princeton, Crookston, Stillwater, Red Wing, Hibbing and Rochester.

St. Paul. — Thomas H. Canfield of Lake Park has accepted the position tendered him as secretary of the Minnesota State Fair, to succeed John C. Simpson, who resigned to accept a $12,000 position with a New England development company. Mr. Canfield has rented his large stock farm and sold his stock and machinery.

St. Paul. —Increased appropriations amounting to $625,790 over those for the current year will be asked of the next legislature by the state normal school board whose proposed budget has just been announced. The last legislature appropriated $787,310 for the five schools and the program for the next few years calls for $1,413,100.

St. Paul.—Already famed for its beneficences to its free public school, Minnesota has just set a new high record by apportioning nearly $2,000,000 of special state aid. The warrant for the total to be disbursed next week is the largest ever issued by the state. Practically all high, graded, consolidated and rural schools in the state share in the grand total of $1,942,215.

St. Paul, Minn.—William Sindell, a bank robber, was shot and instantly killed while he was attempting to hold up the Security State bank, 111 Concord street, St. Paul, for the second time in a year. He was slain in a gun fight with Detective William R. Oliver, who had been concealed in the bank ever since Sindell robbed it March 8, in a daring single-handed daylight hold-up.

Mankato.—A tragedy was narrowly averted on the Schutte farm, two miles west of Mapleton, when Miss Rose Schutte escaped death in an attack by a bull while she was driving cattle into the yard. She was thrown down by the bull, several of her ribs and her collar bone were broken and she suffered severe bruises. Each time she tried to crawl away the angry beast pushed her over, and she finally escaped by lying still until the animal, believing her dead had gone away.

Mankato.—The remains of Thomas Kelly of this city, a member of Company H, Second regiment, Minnesota National guard, whose death occurred during the past week on the Mexican border as a result of injuries sustained while bathing, will be taken to Zumbro Falls for burial. Kelly was 20 years old. He was born at Hammond, Minn., and was a son of James Kelly, now of Zumbro Falls. One brother lives in this city and three brothers and three sisters are with the parents at Zumbro Falls.

Duluth—Up to November 1 coal shipments from Duluth were 22,900 tons more than receipts during the present navigation season. Last year the reverse was the case, the receipts being 463,100 more than the shipments up to November 1 coal stocks on the Duluth Superior docks are 5,863,050 tons. Last year at this time the stocks were 6,600,750. Unless coal receipts increase during the present month, which is expected, coal users in the Northwest will face the winter 1,000,000 tons short.

St. Paul.—The state board of investment is again receiving applications for loans from schools, municipalities and counties. At a meeting it rescinded its previous resolution to the effect that no more applications would be received before January 1. This followed an announcement that $100,000 of stumpage sales revenue will be received within a month and fill all applications now on file, including those by counties to finance ditch projects. Disbursements on all other pending applications were ordered.

New Ulm. — "That's gratitude," said William Johnke, deputy sheriff, when he was released from the county jail late at night after discharging his pistol five times in order to attract attention. "That's gratitude," he said again. "Two prisoners asked me into the cell to fix a water top," Johnke said. "They took my keys and locked me in. Then they went away."

Ely. — Misled by a compass deflected by iron deposits, Horace E. Jackson, Chicago grain broker, wandered deeper into Minnesota woods north of here and was lost five days. Searchers found him exhausted.

BABIES MIXED BY HOSPITAL NURSE

One Mother Learns "Dead" Child Is Cured, Other Finds "Cured" Child Dead.

JOY TURNS TO GRIEF

Mistake Brings Happiness to One Home and Sorrow to Another—Dead Baby Sent in Sealed Coffin to Wrong Home.

Yonkers, N. Y.—As a result of a mistake in the records of the Contagious Diseases hospital here, one mother recently learned that her child, whom she believed she had buried, was alive and well, and another mother, called to the hospital to claim her baby as cured, found that her child was dead.

Michael Napis went to work the other morning humming a Russian melody, for a card which the priest had translated for him had lifted the shadow that had hung over his home for weeks. It said that his little girl, eighteen months old, whom a white-jacketed man had taken away in an ambulance despite his wife's protests, had recovered from infantile paralysis.

In obedience to the summons, Mrs. Napis was to call at the hospital and when Michael returned that evening there would be one more smile to welcome him.

Clutching the card, Mrs. Napis took her seat on the edge of a bench in the office of the hospital. When her turn came she thrust the bit of pasteboard at the trim, efficient-looking nurse who questioned her.

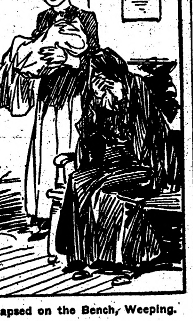
Not Her Baby.

A few more tense minutes, and the nurse returned, carrying a baby. Smiling at the rapture in the mother's face, she laid the child in her arms, drawing down the blanket a trifle.

Mrs. Napis, turning to hide her emotion from the people who had kept her baby so long, bent her head over the nestling burden. Then she wheeled suddenly, suspicion glowing in her features. Torrential Slavic sentences burst from her lips. She thrust the baby back into the arms of the nurse and collapsed on the bench, weeping.

An interpreter was called. He explained that Mrs. Napis said the child was not hers; that she wanted her own baby.

There was considerable delay. Mrs. Napis sat silent on the edge of the bench, rocking back and forth. Another woman entered. She was in mourning, and it was plain to see that she, too, was a Russian. Mrs. Napis paid no heed.



Collapsed on the Bench, Weeping.

With dulled eyes she saw the child that she had refused placed in the arms of the woman in black. She saw the grief-stricken face go blank for a moment and then kindle with joy.

Baby She Sought Was Dead.

Then the interpreter was called again. Sitting beside Mrs. Napis, he told her that her little girl was dead. It had succumbed two weeks ago, and through some error had been sent in a sealed coffin to the home of Mrs. John Valkoff, whose daughter Rose, eighteen months old, was also in the paralysis ward.

"It was a mistake," the interpreter repeated. "Your child died and they thought it was Rose Valkoff."

Mrs. Napis arose slowly and, without a glance at the happy woman in black, the smiling baby or the efficient-looking nurse, she walked from the room. She muttered something as she walked.

"What does she say?" asked the nurse, who feared the shock might have unbalanced the woman.

"She says, 'What shall I tell Michael?'" replied the interpreter.

Waits 22 Years for Evidence.

Long Island City, N. Y.—Declaring it took him 22 years to secure grounds for action, William M. Purdy has just secured a divorce. Purdy and his wife had been separated for 22 years.

Pledges Gold Teeth for a Drink.

Chicago.—Joseph Hefferman admitted to Judge Mahoney that he had his gold teeth extracted and pawned them for drink. He was fined $25.

"I DON'T SUFFER ANY MORE"

"Feel Like a New Person," says Mrs. Hamilton.

New Castle, Ind.—"From the time I was eleven years old until I was seventeen I suffered each month so I had to be in bed. I had headache, backache and such pains I would cramp double every month. I did not know what it was to be easy a minute. My health was all run down and the doctors did not do me any good. A neighbor told my mother about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I took it, and now I feel like a new person. I don't suffer any more and I am regular every month."—Mrs. HAZEL HAMILTON, 822 South 15th St.

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Are They Really Masters?

"Can you tell me where the prohibition of bigamy is referred to in the Bible?" asked a Sunday school teacher of small children.

Willie immediately answered: "Yes, teacher. No man can serve two masters."

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Prevent It by Using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Trial Free.

If your scalp is irritated, itching and burning and your hair dry and falling out in handfuls try the following treatment: touch spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment and follow with hot shampoo of Cuticura Soap. Absolutely nothing better.

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His Qualification.

"What did that fellow, who is always bragging about how he did everything for himself, advance to qualify for a position in the automobile works?"

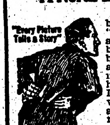
"He claimed he was a self-starter."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong, sick women well, no alcohol. Sold in tablets or liquid.—Adv.

Elks Saved From Famine.

About seven thousand elk were fed last winter at Jackson Hole, Wyo., by the biological survey.

Good temper oils the wheels of life.



Meat Eaters' Backache

Meat lovers are apt to have backaches and rheumatic attacks. Unless you do heavy work and get lots of fresh air, don't eat too much meat. It's rich in nitrogen and helps to form uric acid—a solid poison that irritates the nerves, damages the kidneys and often causes dropsy, gravel and urinary disorders. Doan's Kidney Pills help weak kidneys to throw off uric acid. Thousands recommend them.

A North Dakota Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Ole Carlson, Hillsboro, N. D., says: "Four or five years ago I was troubled by weak kidneys. My back ached terribly and it was hard for me to do my work. I heard of the good Doan's Kidney Pills were doing others and finally used them myself. Four boxes cured me and the cure has proven permanent."

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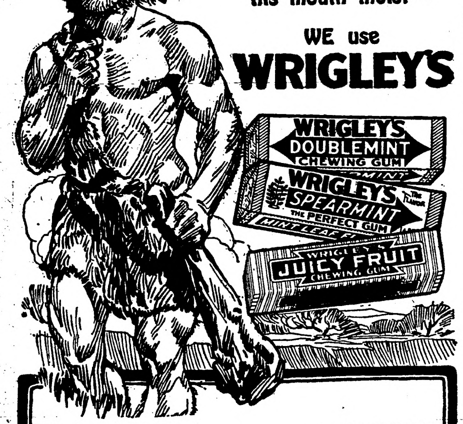

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The Flavor Lasts!

MY NAME'S BROWN AND I'M IN TOWN. GET ME!

COULD TRUST HIS MEMORY

Mr. Wanamaker Able to Turn at Once to Any Book on His Miles of Shelves.

A couple of weeks ago John Wanamaker did something which he said he had not done before in his 55 years' experience as a merchant. He opened his store on Sunday. That will interest you even less than something else which Mr. Wanamaker did that afternoon and which was told me by one of the dozen persons who were present, writes "Girard" in the Philadelphia Public Ledger. There had been a dinner for a party of distinguished Japanese visitors, and Mr. Wanamaker volunteered to show the oriental gentlemen the inside of his store.

Before departing from the big granite building Mr. Wanamaker said to the chief guest:

"Baron, there is a book here I wish you to have."

Naming another book, Mr. Wanamaker walked to another case and got it. Then he proceeded to present to each gentleman present a volume or two, in each instance naming what he intended to give before he went to a bookshelf to get it. Which feat of memory caused my informant to remark when he related the incident to me:

"I have seen John Wanamaker do a great many extraordinary things in 40 years, but his ability to pick here and there a book out of many thousands amazed me the most."

Paradoxical Effect.

"They say the habit of motoring produces a fixed, set expression."

"Yes; it seems strange, doesn't it, that an auto face shouldn't be also a mobile one?"

Mystery.

"What did Rastus git married for?"

"Lawd only knows, chile. He keeps right on workin'."

MORE THAN SHE COULD STAND

Mrs. De Graw, After Short Interview With Maggie, Is Again Advertising for a Maid.

Mrs. De Graw is minus a maid again. It happened this way:

"Maggie, I think you had better wash the windows today, before we put up the new white curtains."

"I don't wash no windows for nobody, mum. I don't wash my own windows at hum, and I certainly won't wash yours."

"But washing windows is just as much a part of housework as washing floors, Maggie."

"I don't wash no floors, either."

The door bell rang. Maggie stood still.

"Why don't you go to the door, Maggie?"

"Go to the door yourself. You look better than I do."

"Maggie, do as your told."

"Not when I ain't dressed up, mum. And while we're talkin' frank, let me tell you that I don't like the way this house is managed. Not a bit!"

"Then, my dear young woman, you trot up stairs and pack your trunk, and get out of here as fast as you can. I didn't hire you to be the lady of the house."

(Exit Maggie in a great rage.)

Mrs. De Graw's "help wanted" ad appears in another column.—Newark News.

For Chapped Lips or Burns.

Equal parts of turpentine, sweet oil and beeswax; melt the oil and wax together and when a little cool, add the turpentine, and stir until cool, to keep them evenly mixed. Apply with a thin linen cloth.

The Kind.

"I am afraid my fate has put me in the hands of sharks."

"Then it looks like it was your fate to a fin-ish."

The Flavor Lasts—

In the making of Grape-Nuts there is added to the sweet, rich nutriment of whole wheat, the rare flavor of malted barley, a combination creating a most unusually delicious taste. The palate never tires of it.

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Every table should have its daily ration of Grape-Nuts.

"There's a Reason"

FEDERAL PROBE OF RAIL PROBLEMS IS BEGUN AT CAPITAL

PRESIDENT CONFERS WITH ADAMSON ON ENACTMENT OF PENDING LEGISLATION COMPLIMENTING RECENT ACT.

BROTHERHOOD CHIEF'S VISIT THE WHITE HOUSE

Expected to Discuss Plans Briefly with Wilson—Inquiry Is Designed to Furnish Congress with Information—Financiers and Labor Leaders to Make Views Known.

Washington, Nov. 21.—With the opening of the investigation of railroad conditions by the Newlands congressional joint committee, and a conference between President Wilson and Representative William C. Adamson on the enactment of the pending legislation complementing the Adamson act, the greatest economic problems of recent years are brought to the fore.

To Report January 8.

At frequent sessions during the next six weeks the Newlands committee expects to receive the views of railway officials, financiers, labor leaders, shippers, heads of express, telephone and telegraph companies and other students of transportation problems. The committee is to report Jan. 8.

While it was insisted they came only to "pay their respects," the heads of the four great railway brotherhoods made an engagement at the White House to confer with President Wilson. It was expected that the eight hour day fight and probably the plans for co-operation of the brotherhoods with the American Federation of Labor would be discussed, if only briefly.

Information for Congress.

The investigation by the congressional joint committee is designed to furnish congress with information upon which to determine whether there shall be a radical readjustment and extension of government supervision of railroads and of their relations with their employees.

When the inquiry is concluded it will be up to congress to pass judgment on these major proposals:

Government ownership of all railroads.

Federal incorporation of interstate carriers.

Extension of government supervision to the exclusion of state control.

Extension of federal supervision to include all phases of operation.

Regulation of wages as well as rates.

Issuance of railroad securities.

Oppose Compulsory Probes.

The railway brotherhoods are preparing to employ every ounce of their political influence in congress to defeat particularly the bill providing for compulsory investigation of wage disputes modeled on the Canadian act.

They do not want to be hampered by anything akin to compulsory arbitration in gaining their ends as they did last September. President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor has proclaimed that the Adamson law will go into effect, "injunction or no injunction."

TREVINO RETURNS FROM ILL-FATED EXPEDITION

Carranza Leader Pressing All Able-Bodied Men Into Service—Attack on Chihuahua Now Feared.

El Paso, Nov 21.—From the passengers of a refugee train reaching Jaurez, U. S. government agents obtained information of the return of General Trevino to Chihuahua City after marching his army out to open a campaign against Villa.

The train brought 300 frightened natives, many of them women, to the border. Trevino is impressing all able-bodied men into his army, the natives said, and the civil population of Chihuahua City is momentarily expecting a bandit attack upon the city.

THIRD LEAVES BORDER DEC. 2

Regiment's Departure Delayed by Maneuvers.

Llano Grande Tex.—Because of maneuvers in which the Minnesota brigade is engaged between Brownsville and Camp Llano Grande, Texas, it is not probable that the Third Minnesota Infantry will leave the border before December 2, according to dispatches received from San Antonio.

The dates for the departure of other regiments affected by the War department's order of last week have been announced by General Funston. All save the Minnesota unit and the Third Indiana will leave this week.

W. C. T. U. Elects Officers Today.

Indianapolis, Nov. 21.—The general subject of W. C. T. U. and government was discussed from all sides at the annual convention of the National Women's Christian Temperance union here. Under the general topic "legislation and its needs," "prison reform," "suffrage campaigns" and other like subjects taken up were in detail. The speakers told of how various branches were working or better government along the lines in which they were interested. The annual election of officers will take place today.

ALLIES CONTINUE MONASTIR DRIVE DESPITE FLOODS

SERBIANS CAPTURE 800 METERS OF TRENCHES FROM TEUTON DEFENDERS EAST OF CERNA —TAKE HEIGHT 1,212.

BRITISH RENEW ATTACK IN WEST, HAIG REPORTS

Anglo-French Push Back German Lines Near Beaucourt—Heavy Enemy Shelling Continues—Roumanians Make Progress on Transylvanian Front.

Paris, Nov. 20.—The Allied advance toward Monastir continues. The latest French official statement credited the Serbian troops in this theater of the war with capturing 800 meters of trenches east of the Cerna from the Teuton defenders and the taking of height 1,212, northwest of Ivan, with bloody losses to the Bulgarians and Germans.

Advance Despite Floods.

The advance about Monastir is being made despite heavy floods, it was stated. The statement also detailed an easy repulse by hand grenades of a strong enemy detachment which attempted to reach French trenches at Biaches. Six German airplanes were brought down in air fights.

Claim Allies Are Beaten.

Berlin, Nov. 20.—Attacks of allied forces on the plains south of monastir, on the Macedonian front, were defeated with heavy losses it is announced officially. A height position near Chegel captured by the Serbians on Nov. 15 was retaken by German troops.

Efforts of Rumanians to hurl back the German troops in Rumania, northeast of Campulung were defeated, the war office announced, with heavy losses to the attackers. The Germans and Austrians made further gains in the Alt and Jiul valleys.

Roumanians Gain.

Bucharest, Nov. 20.—The Rumanians have made considerable progress on the Transylvanian front in the region of Pragoslavele, the war office announces.

French troops made a strong attack on the Somme front near Sailly-Saillisel. The war office announces that the assault broke down under the German fire.

Heavy Fighting in West.

London, Nov. 20.—Further British advances northeast of Beaumont-Hamel and northward of Beaucourt are reported by General Sir Douglas Haig. The British commander-in-chief reported a continuation of the heavy enemy shelling directed against Beaumont, Hamel and Hebuterne. To the north of Ypres he detailed a successful raid by his forces of a German redoubt, wherein a number of prisoners and a machine gun were captured.

SON OF U. S. ARMY HEAD SLAIN IN MEXICO, RUMOR

Gen. Scott's Son May Be Victim of Massacre at Parral—All Foreigners Killed, Report.

El Paso, Nov. 20.—United States government agents here have received a report that all foreigners remaining in Parral, exclusive of five who were known to have left for Culican, had been killed by the Villa bandits.

Those reported to have been killed included at least six Americans, all of the German residents of Parral, numbering approximately eight, together with their families, all of the Chinese, Arabs and Hebrews.

Among the Americans killed is said to have been William Scott, son of Major General Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff of the United States army.

SLIDES IN PANAMA ARE DESCRIBED BY GOETHALS

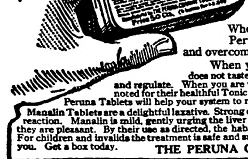
Governor in Annual Report to Secretary of War Devotes Much Space to Troubles Encountered in Culebra.

Washington, Nov. 20.—In his annual report to the secretary of war, made public today, General Goethals, governor of the Panama canal, discusses at considerable length and not without some warmth of expression the slides in the Culebra cut region that have repeatedly blocked the waterway and tells what has been done to overcome them. In concluding that part of his report he says:

As predicted at the time the great Culebra movement occurred, the slides will be overcome finally and for all time, notwithstanding the calamity howlers and in spite of the disastrous predictions of the 'know-it-alls.'"

Deutschland Ready But Must Wait.

New London, Conn., Nov. 20.—The German super-submarine Deutschland, in spite of its collision with the tug T. A. Scott, Jr., could again attempt her voyage back to Germany at once. She was only slightly damaged and it will not be necessary to take her into drydock. When she will prepare to leave will not be discussed by Captain Koenig nor members of his crew. The Deutschland must remain in port until United States authorities have completed an investigation into the accident.



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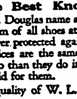

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With Sorrow.

An example of the genially naive is the following, clipped from an exchange:

"It is with sorrow that we announce an accident to Mrs. John Whitman, wife of the well-known grocer, who sells three pounds and a half of sugar for a quarter. While he was chasing her around the yard in fun the other evening she stepped on an old tomato can and severely lacerated her foot. Should blood poisoning set in and she be removed from our midst the Banner will turn its column rules as a tribute to her."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Lesson Had Sunk In.

The hygiene instructor in the public schools had made his talk sufficiently impressive in respect to the catastrophic consequences of leaving the abenoids alone. When he had finished, the teacher ordered the class to write a paper on the subject. This was one:

"Tommy had adenoids and was a very stupid and slow boy, at home, at work, and at school. His mother and father said, 'What is the matter?' The doctor cut his adenoids out. Tommy later became president of the United States."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Early Christian.

"Does your minister practice what he preaches?" the newcomer questioned.

"He does," the citizen answered with a sigh, "and I'd be perfectly willing to have him stop. He lives next door to me, and begins at seven o'clock Sunday morning to practice what he is going to preach."

Stop the Pain.

The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolisalve is applied. It heals quickly without scars. 25c and 50c by all druggists. For free sample write The J. W. Cole Co, Rockford, Ill.—Adv.

Warning.

She—You shouldn't do that. They say one catches lots of thinks by kissing.

He—Yes, dear, even husbands.

Appropriate Exclamation.

She—Just look! That church up the street is on fire!

He—Holy smoke!

The More Effective Way.

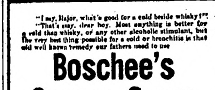
The sign, "Boy Wanted," is more frequent, in windows and in advertisement columns, than it was a year ago. Between improved economic conditions and laws enforcing school attendance, it has come to pass, iin the United States, that few lads who want work need go unemployed. On the other hand, never were school and colleges so crowded, and administrators so put to it to find room for pupils of high school and college age. In this way, far more effectively than by specific statutory enactment, is child labor being reduced.—Christian Science Monitor.

Settler for Father.

A young English officer, lately home from the front, scored off his father, one of those who take the gloomiest views of the war from its inception to its probable end. At dinner the elder's usual gloomy diatribe against the existing conditions was interrupted and ended thus: "Oh, we all know about you, father—one foot in the grave and another on a banana skin, as usual."

Carried Boy on Cot Fifteen Miles.

When a physician at Red Oak Top, Va., found that Robert Anderson, nine years old, had appendicitis, 20 men volunteered to carry the boy on his cot 15 miles to a hospital, where he received an operation. The men took their turns at the cot.

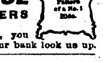


"I say, Major, what's good for a cold beside whisky?"

"That's easy, dear boy. Most anything is better for a cold than whisky, or any other alcoholic stimulant, but the very best thing possible for a cold or bronchitis is that old well known remedy our fathers used to use

Boschee's German Syrup

Has for the last 51 years been steadily used in all parts of the civilized world for the rapid relief of colds, coughs, bronchitis, throat and lung irritation. No other remedy has such a remarkable record of widespread distribution. 25c. and 75c. sizes at druggists everywhere.



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Fargo Directory

Ship your HIDES, FURS and WOOL to BOLLES & ROGERS FARGO, N. D.

If we get the goods, you get the money. Have your bank look us up.

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The most simple methods are usually the most effective ones when treating any disorder of the human system. The mere drinking a cup of hot water each morning, plenty of pure water all day, and a little Anuric before every meal has been found the most effective means of overcoming kidney trouble. Death would occur if the kidneys did not work day and night in separating poisons and uric acid from the blood.

The danger signals are backache, depressions, pains, heaviness, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, chilliness, rheumatic twinges, swollen joints or gout.

Since it is such a simple matter to step into your favorite drug store and obtain Anuric, anyone who earnestly desires to regain health and new life will waste no time in beginning this treatment.

DAKOTA WOMEN SHOULD TAKE THIS ADVICE

Fargo, N. Dak.—"When I was a girl, I would suffer with severe backaches and pains in my side. My mother gave me Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for this and it so completely cured me that I have never suffered or been distressed in this way since. I have also taken the 'Golden Medical Discovery' as a blood tonic, which proved to be very beneficial as well.

"My mother always used Dr. Pierce's medicines and was greatly benefited by their use. I am glad to recommend them."—MRS. DICK CARR, 1330 1st Ave. S.—Adv.

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Combine Cash and Credit!

If you are a business man it is well to consider the advantages of combining cash and credit.

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The two work side by side for you at this Bank and we are always ready to meet the credit needs of our customers.

Farmers State Bank of Holt

Lars Backe, President - H. M. Johnson, Cashier

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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

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Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

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The Best Two for all the family for only $2.10
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The favorite family weekly of America. 12 Great Serials or Groups in 1917, and 250 Short Stories, a thousand Articles and Suggestions, a thousand Funnyisms. Special Pages for all ages.

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The Fashion AUTHORITY followed by millions of American women. You will get the 12 monthly issues of McCall's, making not merely a "department" but a fashion magazine every month of 1917.

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Stand by your home paper --- The Weekly News.

$1.00 a Year. Send it to your relatives or friends.

Trouble.

"Are you coming when I call you, or is there going to be trouble?" said papa to his four-year-old daughter. "I t'ink dere's goin' to be trouble papa," replied the tot, keeping out of reach.

Paraguay's Forest Wealth.

Paraguay has valuable forest resources, the most important of which is quebracho, particularly rich in tannin.

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WILL DELIGHT YOU

Most Subscribers consider TODAY'S a genuine necessity because it actually helps to solve almost every problem of the wife, mother and homemaker.

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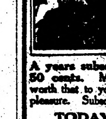

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CANTON, OHIO

P.S.—If your church needs money, write for free details of TODAY'S $100.00 Cash Offer to Every Church. Send for free sample copy.

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss.

In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District

Alma Christenson....., Plaintiff
vs.
Julius Christenson ..... Defendant

SUMMONS.

The State Of Minnesota To the above named Defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in the above entitled action, which has been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer thereto upon the subscriber at his office in the First National Bank Building in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, within thirty days of the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service.

If you fail to answer the complaint within such time the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

Dated this 6th day of Nov. 1916.

J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for the Plaintiff,
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.80
Wheat No. 2	1.75
Wheat No. 3	1.65
Wheat No. 4	1.48
Flax	2.67
Oats	.47
Barley	84 to .90
Rye	1.34
Flour, Best Patent	5.35

Worthen's Wonder Workers

Great Nerve and Brain Food

Highly recommended for Nervous Debility, Nervous Prostration, Premature Decline, Drainage, Lost Vigor, Reproductive Incapacity, Paralysis and Paralytic Tendencies, Decline of Strength, Premature Old Age, Loss of Ambition, Insomnia, Melancholy, Nervous Dyspepsis, Kidney and Bladder Trouble and Constipation. These tablets will be found valuable in the treatment of Various Debilitating Diseases of men and in the most extreme cases of Nervous Prostration in women.

Guarantee—We will send six boxes of Worthen's Wonder Workers to you for $5.00 and guarantee them to give satisfaction or return the money.

Price $1 a box 6 boxes, $5

Sent by mail on receipt of price

The Worthern Wonder Worker Co.

Boston, Mass., U. S. A.

Jewell Hotel

LOCATED IN HEART OF BUSINESS DISTRICT

RATES: Rooms with detached bath and shower bath—
One person 75c, $1.00 and $1.50 per day.
Two persons in same room, 50c extra.
ROOMS with private baths and toilets—
One person $1.50 and $2.00 per day
Two persons in same room, $1.00 extra.

Send postal card for colored blotters.

WE AIM TO PLEASE

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Nov. 11, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Carl August Lydin, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on April 7, 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 05959, for SE 1-4 Section 27, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 18th day of December, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Rudolph Dahl, Emil Ostlund, Carl Dahl and Nils Omberg, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 11, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Anne Anderson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on April 7lb, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05960, for SW 1-4 Section 27, Township 156 N Range 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 18th day of Dec., 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: C. A. Lydin, Rudolph Dahl, Axel Benson and Emil Ostlund, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Can't Loose Hair

Twenty Years from Today a Baldheaded Man will be an Unusual Sight

One of the most prominent druggists of America made a statement a few weeks ago which has caused a great deal of discussion among scientists in the medical press. He said: If the new hair grower, Mildredina Hair Remedy, increases its sales as it has during the past year, it will be used by nearly every man, woman and child in America within 8 years.

When Mildredina Hair Remedy is used almost universally, dandruff will disappear and with its departure baldness, itching scalp, splitting hair and all scalp diseases will follow and twenty years frim now a bald will be a rarity.

There is only one way to cure dandruff, and that is to kill the germs. There is only one hair preparation that will kill the germs and that is Mildredina Hair Remedy. This unusual hair restorer with its record of thousands of cures will grow hair on any head where there is any life left; it will cure dandruff, stop falling hair and itching of the scalp in three weeks or money back. It is the most pleasant and invigorating tonic, is not not sticky nor greasy and is used extensively by ladies of refinement who desire to have and to keep their hair soft, lustrous and luxuriant. Fifty cents for a large bottle of druggists everywhere. Mail orders filled by American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.

CUT THIS OUT

FREE to show how quickly Mildredina Hair Remedy acts, we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this Coupon to American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass., with their name and address and ten cents in silver to pay postage.

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Your Best Market for Chickens, Ducks, Turkeys, Cream, Dressed Calves, Hogs, Mutton, Wool, Cattle Hides, Horse Hides, Pelts, Furs, Muskrat, Skunk, Beans, Rabbits. Get our price list before selling. Make more money by shipping here. Write us now for quotations, tags.

The R. E. COBB Co.

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Inconsistent.

Many a man who sighs to be an independent farmer kicks like anything when he happens to wake up some morning in time to hear the milkman.

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	3,500

President, D. B. Bakke

V. President, A. D. Stephens

Cashier, B. Docken

MAKE A BANK ACCOUNT WITH US THE STEPPING STONE TO SUCCESS
PROSPERITY
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Good Service

Because of our long experience in the matter of

Farm Loans

We are prepared to give you prompt and efficient service. We have plenty of funds at our command and will be pleased to talk with you at any time.

EVEN ONE DOLLAR WILL BE ACCEPTED HERE AS A FIRST DEPOSIT

Advertise your wants in The Holt Weekly News

How a Wise Farmer Saves His Machinery

Here it is—a good, up-to-date machine shed on an Iowa farm. It's evident this farmer realizes that rust destroys machinery exposed to the weather. Machines well cared for and kept in a shed when not in use, will last much longer than when left in the open.

We have sold a great deal of material for building machine sheds and other farm buildings. Naturally, we have learned some things that may be profitable for you to know. You are very welcome to this information. This is just a part of our helpful, free service to customers. Come in and let us help you save your machinery from rust.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
Holt, Minnesota.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Tuesday

Date will be announced later

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50

Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00

Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free

When Plates or Bridges are Ordered

Always Come In Early

You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

The Holt Weekly News!

Only $1.00 A Year

Send it to your friends

Common Practice.

As soon as some young fellows get what they think is going to be a steady job they begin to estimate the possible number of vacations they will get in a year.—Toledo Blade.

Same Thing.

Doctor—"You must go away for a long rest." Overworked Merchant—"But, doctor I'm too busy to get away." Doctor—"Well, then, you must stop advertising."

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

VOL. VI. HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1916 NO. 26.

The Holt Weekly News

Successor to and Continuation of

The Northern Light

By The

Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Local Items

Are you feeling thankful?

Bring us your Job Printing.

Oyster shells make hens lay eggs. For sale at Reierson's store.

Arnold Boernstein and Rinehart Rierson went to Strathcona, Monday.

Mrs. Docken visited her sister Mrs. Spinks, in Middle River, Saturday.

John Ewald went to Holloway Monday for several weeks visit with relatives.

Ludvoc Larson and Elmer Odie went to Montana Monday to spend the winter.

K. O. Flakne and family have moved into the Reierson building on main street.

Rev. M. T. Strom went to Reynolds, N. D., Wednesday to hold gospel meetings.

NOTICE. S. S. Kolden will now pay $4.00 per ton for loose Flax Straw delivered at Holt.

Ole Olson and family of Middle River visited at the R. L. Olson home Sunday afternoon.

The school house chimney has been built several feet higher, which takes it above the ventilators, where it should be.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

Rev. Ordahl and family moved here last week Thursday and are now comfortably settled in the Lutheran parsonage.

The Farmer's State Bank and S. S. Kolden shipped a car of cattle to the markets Saturday. Mr. Kolden went with the car and stopped at Warren on his return to serve on the jury.

If you are looking for war prices on your hides, furs and junk ship them to us, we pay freight and express. Write for prices. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. Falls, Minn. Located north of G. N. depot. 1-11

Next Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 6-7, the big dairy convention will be held in T. R. Falls and all the farmers are urged to attend, as it is a very important meeting and will mean much to those who attend.

Dr. F. H. Stauff gave his series of lectures here, per announcements, and brought out some startling facts. The collections gave a good start toward a fund for parking the school ground. An effort will be made to raise at least $100.00 for this very worthy purpose.

Announcements regarding students short courses in farm Husbandry, Stock Raising, Gasoline and Tractor Engineering and Dressmaking are being sent out by the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and will be mailed to anyone who makes application for them.

Southeast of Holt.

Services were held at the Free church last week, conducted by the following pastors; Rev. O. M. Anderson of Minneapolis Rev. Cleven of Grygla, Rev. Lars Berg of Mayville N. Dak. These services were very well attended.

Mrs. Molstad entertained a few of her friends on Sunday.

Ludovic Larson accompanied by Elmer Odie and Ole Lee of Golden Valley left Monday for a business trip thru Montana.

Mrs. Hans Peterson left last week for an extended visit at various points in North Dakota.

The Misses Julia Johnson and Tina Johnson of T. R. Falls, spent the first of the week with the formers parents Mr. and Mrs. Mike Johnson.

The Misses Cora Steen and Alice Sollom were in attendance at the teachers convention at Crookston.

Miss Clara Larson spent the week end at home.

Arthur Thorwick has recently returned from Canada, where he has been employed the past two months

Among the many from this locality who were in attendance at the church dedication at Thief River Falls on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Skomedahl, Harry and Gunda Moe, Gunvor and Torbjor Skomedal Ingvald and Tyler Wold, Cora Steen and Alice Sollom.

Dr. Spinks visited relatives here Monday.

Henry Wende spent Sunday with his parents on the farm.

Medicine that will cure the catarrh is sold at Reierson's store.

See our merchants when in need of winter goods. They will sell you cheaper, net, than the catalog firms.

It has been found necessary to "clean house" in neighboring counties in the past. A word to the wise should be sufficient.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

Don't fail to come to the basket social to be held in Sunnyside School, District 59 Saturday Dec. 2nd.

Martha Heng and Matilda Furr,
Teachers.

L. S. Kolden made a short business call in town Monday.

Miss Effie Christenson, of Thief River Falls spent Thanksgiving at the homes of her sisters, Mesdames Huseth and Oien.

Hereafter all who ship stock to So. St. Paul are notified to get their return tickets there instead of at St. Paul, as they previously did.

Several farmers went to Warren the first of the week to attend the 27 different lawsuits on Ditch No. 25. We hope the farmers will win their cases as they are the ones who should have something to say about the ditches.

Free scholarship are being offered by the Northwest School of Agriculture, at Crookston. Write them direct for full information.

Are you making use of the State Free Traveling Libraries? Books for the asking at the Holt State Bank.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes

Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Attempted Bank Robbery.

One night last week, about nine o'clock, B. Docken was called to the door of the bank by a loud and rapid knock. Mr. Docken raised the curtain to see who was there, when a man stepped in front of the door, pointed a revolver at him and demanded that he "open up," but instead he jerked the curtain down and made for the back of the bank in double quick time. A traveling man was running the typewriter, in the back room of the bank, but knew nothing of the attempted hold-up until Mr. Docken told him. About this time two men who had been at the council meeting went past the bank and probably frightened the would be robber away as nothing was seen of him afterwards. He is described by Mr. Docken as being a square built man of medium height and wore a slouch hat and a gray coat. As he had a white handkerchief tied over his face, it is impossible to describe his features.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp. The children will practice for the Christmas program.

Rev. McMartin will hold services here next Monday evening.

Mrs. K. O. Flakne went to Crookston, Saturday, to visit her sister.

S. Svenkeson and Fred Stensrud autoed to T. R. Falls, Saturday.

"All roads would lead to Warren," if some people had their way about it.

A. R. Jones went to Crookston, Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with his family.

E. T. Eide came from Spooner last week Thursday to attend the hearing on ditch No. 26.

L. Gill is selling out the big store at T. R. Falls, recently purchased of Korstad Bros. See their big ad.

Congressman Stafford, of Wisconsin, is the author of a bill to reduce the postage to one cent on local delivery letters on the rural routes.

Potatoes are selling here for $1.00 a bushel, but will be much higher in the spring. Perhaps the selling next year will be only 25 cents or even less, but the farmer who is wise enough to raise a few acres of potatoes is getting his ground in good condition for a crop of small grain.

Then too potatoes make good feed for stock but care should be taken to cut them before feeding to cattle. If horses are fed potatoes once a week they will not be troubled with worms.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.68
Wheat No. 2	1.63
Wheat No. 3	1.55
Wheat No. 4	1.38
Flax	2.57
Oats	.48
Barley	53 to .79
Rye	1.30
Flour, Best Patent	5.15

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Potatoes Wanted

Bring us your potatoes. We pay cash for them at all times.

Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co.
Thief River Falls Minn.

Take Notice

Taking gravel out of public highway north of the Holt cemetry is stictly forbidden by order of the village council of Holt, Minn.

C. H. Gunheim, President.
H. B. Young, Clerk.

Wood Wanted.

Farmers co-operative Creamery of Holt Minn. will receive bids up to Dec. 18th. 1916 on delivering to the Creamery in lots from one to 60 cords dry or green good white poplar wood. State price wanted. The Board of Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

T. B. Folden Secy. Holt, Minn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Nov. 11, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Carl August Lydin, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on April 7, 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 05959, for SE 1-4 Section 27, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 18th day of December, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Rudolph Dahl, Emil Ostlund, Carl Dahl and Nils Omberg, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 11, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Anne Anderson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on April 7lb, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05960, for SW 1-4 Section 27, Township 156 N Range 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 18th day of Dec., 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: C. A. Lydin, Rudolph Dahl, Axel Benson and Emil Ostlund, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

The Submarine.

To get a submarine ready for diving water is admitted into the "ballast" tanks. To keep the vessel on an even keel water is taken into the "trimming tanks." By means of these tanks the vessel is made to sink or rise, and to preserve the right position.

Yo-Ho Freckle-Face

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

Do you know how easy it is to remove those ugly spots so that no one will call you freckle-face?

Simply get an ounce of carpol, extra strong, from your druggist, and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of freckles and get a beautiful complexion. The sun and winds this month have a strong tendency to bring out freckles, and as a result more carpol is sold in these months. Be sure to ask for the extra strong, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove the freckles.—Carpol Laboratories, Boston, Mass., Sta. M. Mail orders filled.

Hearing on Ditch No. 26.

From forty to fifty farmers from the townships of Holt, New Solum and Excel attended the hearing in Warren last Friday on ditch No. 26. Newfolden township was represented by forty farmers and a large number were there from Marsh Grove.

The officials seemed surprised at such a strong protest against the ditch and finally they offered to give up digging the ditch, if $2,500.00 cash was raised by 2:30 that afternoon, to pay the expenses incured so far. Afterward they became a little more lenient and in the meantime the amount will be raised if everyone interested will help with their share and stop the ditch.

The farmers held a meeting and appointed Charles Johnson, of Newfolden, chairman, and the different townships agreed to try and raise the following amounts: Newfolden $1000, Holt $600, New Solum $300, Marsh Grove $500 and Excel $100.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Sept. 1916.

Cream received	24,876 lbs
Average test	28 67
Butter fat	7303.38 lbs
Percent overrun	23 11
Butter made	8981 lbs
Balance on hand last month	2 70
Received for butter shipped	2666 77
Butter and milk sold patrons	17 96
Cash sales at creamery	32 03
Rec'd from other sources	7 37
Total	$2726 83
Paid patrons by check	2413 45
Butter & milk	17 96
Expense fund, etc.	230 63
Other sources	3 63
To sinking fund	54 67
Balance on hand	6 49
Total	$2726 83

Number of patrons, 112

Price paid for butter fat, 33 1-2c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 (will be published next week.—Ed.)

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary

The Adamson 8 hour bill was a political fishtrap that caught lots of suckers.

Bank Statement

Bank No. 1004.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn., at close of business on Nov. 17, 1916.

Date of report by bank, Nov. 17, 1916.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$48,233 09
Overdrafts		625 49
Bonds and Securities		27 02
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,654 13
Other Real Estate		165 30
Due from Banks	1,678 80	
Cash on hand	445 85	
Total cash assets		2,124 65
Checks and cash items		90 57
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		2,290 53
Interest Unearned		60 62
Total		$53,262 39

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2,000 00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		15,850 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$8,230 19	
Demand Certificates		
Cashier's Checks	7550 35	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	15,780 54	
Time Certificates	9,625 85	
Total Deposits	25,412 39	
Total		$53,262 39
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$2124 65
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		2,151 20

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County of Marshall } ss.

We, Lars Backe, President and H. M. Johnson, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LARS BACKE, President,
H. M. JOHNSON, Cashier.

Correct Attest: Lars Backe
(Two Directors) H. J. Oien

Subscribed and sworn to before me this [illegible] day of Nov. 1916

(Seal) Nils Engelbretsen, Notary Public
My commission expires [illegible]

Notice

On account of the Red River Valley Dairymen's convention being held in the city of Thief River Falls Minn. Dec. the 6th., & 7th. cream will be received on Monday only, of next week. All Dairymen want to make it a point to be in Thief River Falls, for the two above named dates, which I assure you will be time well spent.

P. L. Anderson,
Buttermaker

Notice of Sale of Bonds

Notice is hereby given that School District No. 158 of Marshall County, Minnesota, has by special election duly determined to issue its negotiable, interest-bearing bonds in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000.00) in denominations of Two Hundred Dollars ($200,00) each payable October 1st. 1931, and bearing interest at a rate not to exceed seven per cent per annum, payable annually and that the School Board of District No. 158 of Marshall County, Minnesota, will meet on the 9th. day December 1916 at 8 o'clock P. M. at the office of the District Clerk in said District, then and there to open and consider bids for the sale of such bonds; the said School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Holt, Minnesota, this 14th. day of November, 1916.

Sveuke Svenkeson, District Clerk of School District No. 158, of Marshall Co., Minnesota.

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FOR THE BUSY MAN

NEWS EPITOME THAT CAN SOON BE COMPASSED.

MANY EVENTS ARE MENTIONED

Home and Foreign Intelligence Condensed Into Two and Four Line Paragraphs.

WAR NEWS.

A German submarine sank in the English channel November 14 a French guard vessel and seven merchantmen, one of them a Norwegian, according to an official communication.

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A newspaper at Baku, in Transcaucasia, says Reuter's Petrograd correspondent, states that the Turks have massacreed 5,000 to 6,000 Armenian's at Syvas, Turkish Armenia.

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French troops have captured from the German and Bulgarian forces the chief southern Serbian town of Monastir, according to an official announcement by the French war department.

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According to the Central Identification office at Kiev, Russia, says the Berlin Overseas News Agency, the number of Russian casualties since June 1, 1916, has reached 100,621 officers and 2, 027,853 men.

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The Greek government has refused to comply with the demand of the entente allies for the surrender of part of its supplies of arms and ammunition, Reuter's Athens' correspondent states.

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A dispatch from Amsterdam quotes the following message from Vienna: "By order of the new emperor the troops in all the military districts of the monarchy and generals, other officers and the military officials, have taken the oath of allegiance in the name of Emperor Charles I."

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Berlin reports that troops of the Central powers have captured the town of Cralova from the Rumanians. Cralova lies on the main line about 120 miles west of Bucharest. Before the war it had a population of 50,000 and was an important Rumanian trading point. Its possession by the central powers cuts the railway communications of the Rumanian armies holding the Orsova region to the west.

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The British admiralty officially announced that the White Star liner Britannic has been sunk in the Aegean sea with a loss of about fifty lives. Whether the disaster was caused by a mine or torpedo is unknown. The Britannic was being used as a hospital ship and had nearly 1,000 sick and wounded soldiers aboard. It was considered the largest steamship afloat, having a displacement of 48,158 tons.

GENERAL.

The Right Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Kansas, died at his home at Topeka, Kans., recently.

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Salary increases amounting to $1,147,180 for 18,400 employes of the city of New York are provided for in the 1917 budget, just made public.

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Jack London, one of America's most famous authors, died very suddenly at his ranch near Santa Rosa, California, a victim of uraemic poisoning.

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The German merchant submarine Deutschland, with a $2,000,000 cargo aboard, made another start for Bremen, from New London, Conn., the first start being frustrated when she sank a convoying tug, necessitating a return to port for minor repairs.

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Plans to make a gigantic loan, described as "one of the largest in the history of the world," without interest, to place the Jews of Europe definitely beyond the reach of suffering after the war, were announced in New York.

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Forty thousand nine hundred dollars was estimated to have been stolen from a Southern Express Co. transfer wagon in the Western & Atlantic railroad yards at Chattanooga, Tenn., by two men who held up the driver.

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A threat to buy coal and deliver it to small consumers in the city street cleaning wagons at reasonable prices, unless dealers bring down present prices, was made in New York City by Mayor John P. Mitchel.

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E. T. Meredith, defeated candidate for governor of Iowa, on the democratic ticket, spent $36,352.29 in his campaign. W. L. Harding of Sioux City, governor-elect, spent $6,770.77. The republican state central committee spent $25,012.41 and the democratic state central committee $26,000.

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William Jennings Bryan has given up attempting to solve economic problems, and hereafter will devote himself to moral issues, he declared in an address before the Rotary club of New York City.

Alderman George Pretzel called on Chicago citizens to declare a boycott on eggs, for the purpose of compelling dealers to reduce their price.

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Two masked men held up the messenger on an express car on a Chicago & Northwestern train near Barrington, Ill., rifled the safe of cash estimated at $1,000, and escaped.

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The Nebraska football team was defeated by Kansas, 7 to 3 at Lincoln. For the first time in seven years the Cornhuskers have bowed to a Missouri Valley foe. For the first time in four years they have tasted defeat.

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Statistics published in New York show that 2,243 switchmen and yardmen were killed and injured in the months of July, August and September, 1915. A table based on those figures gave 9,732 killed and injured for a year, or about one man in five among the 45,000 switchmen and yard men in the United States.

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Public demand for pennies, nickels and dimes is so much greater than the supply that superintendents and officials of San Francisco, Denver, Philadelphia mints and the New York assay office are at a loss how to meet the situation. All the mints are running behind, although working night and day.

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Charles E. Hughes, republican candidate for president in the recent election, sent a telegram of congratulation to President Wilson on his reelection. The message was sent from Lakewood, N. J., and declared the closeness of the vote was responsible for the delay in extending regards. Mr. Hughes wished the president a successful administration.

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The Adamson eight-hour law was held unconstitutional by Judge Wm. C. Hook in United States district court at Kansas City. The judge directed the receivers of the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad, who brought the action in the case to enjoin the law from going into effect, to assist the government in expediting the case to the supreme court of the United States for final decision.

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The recent election brought the most sweeping victories for the antisaloon cause in the history of the movement. Four states, containing a population of 5,400,165 and area of 326,112 square miles, went from wet to dry. Of the 2,543 counties in the United States, 2,047 were dry, either by statute or local option, before the election November 7, when 191 more counties were added, leaving only 355 wet counties in the entire nation.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Because Carranza officials feared they might be disloyal, scores of former Villa soldiers who have been serving as customs guards in Juarez since the Villa garrison joined the Carranza army, were ordered to the Juarez customs house and disarmed by the artillery.

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Twenty-five Chinese were massacreed by Villa bandits near Santa Rosalia, Mexico, a few days ago, according to an American who arrived at Laredo, Tex., from Durango. Amputation of the ears of prisoners by Villa, this American says, is a common happening.

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An unidentified American was killed when a Villa band took Jiminez and four Americans were seen under guard of bandits at Parral during Villa's occupation of that town, according to reports believed by federal agents to be authentic, brought to the border by refugees.

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Three times Francisco Villa attacked the first line trenches which defend Chihuahua City, and three times he was repulsed, leaving his dead and wounded on the plains outside of the city to the south, according to military dispatches received by Gen. Francisco Gonzales at Juarez.

WASHINGTON.

President Wilson's annual message to congress, now in the hands of the printer, contains about 2,000 words, and is among the shortest documents of its kind on record.

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Princess Kawananakoa of Hawaii is in Washington to lobby, perhaps the only one at the next session of congress to be headed by a real princess. The purpose of the lobby is to have one of the new battleships named "Hawaii."

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Official announcement of the death of Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria was received from the Vienna foreign office by Baron Zwiedin, charge d'affaires of the Austro-Hungarian embassy, who immediately communicated the information to Secretary Lansing.

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Severe damage to crops in the far west and south was done by the record-breaking cold wave of November 10-17, the weather bureau announced. Practically no harm to fall sown grain was reported, but in California tomatoes were a total loss and truck suffered except in a few sections.

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Milk prices asked by producers have advanced as much as 5 cents a gallon in some states and averaged 1.1 cents, or 5.4 per cent higher, during the last year, the department of agriculture announced.

DE FACTO FORCES GO TO CHIHUAHUA TO AID IN DEFENSE

REINFORCEMENTS RUSHED TO TREVINO—U. S. AGENTS AT EL PASO LEARN BATTLE HAS ENTERED FIFTH DAY.

BRIDGES BURNED, ARMY MAKES FORCEE MARCH

General Maycotte With 3,500 Carranza Troops Hurrying North of Santa Rosalia to Relieve Garrison—Villistas Headed Toward American Border.

El Paso, Nov. 28.—That the attempted storming of Chihuahua City by an army of 4,000 Villistas, under personal command of Villa, was still in progress early Monday, was the declaration of United States department agents here. They base their statements upon the action of the Mexican de facto government authorities in sending every Carranzista soldier available in Northern Mexico to the relief of the besieged city. This is the fifth day of the battle for possession of Chihuahua City, the key to Northern Mexico.

Gonzales Rushes Aid.

Juarez, Mexico, Nov. 28.—Although no inkling of the fate of Jacinto Trevino and Carranzista defenders of Chihuahua City had reached here. General Gonzales, commander of the Mexican de facto garrison here, is hurrying every available soldier in the entire state of Chihuahua northward by rail to the relief of the state capital. From Santa Buena Ventura the garrison of 150 Carranzistas is being withdrawn, together with garrisons at Namiquipa, Casa Grandes and Guzman, numbering about 100 each. These reinforcements are being rushed north on the Mexican-Northwestern railway to Juarez, where they will be transferred to the Mexican Central and started south.

Burned Bridges Cause Delay.

Gonzales announced that General Maycotte, with 3,500 de facto troops, is making a forced march north of Santa Rosalia to aid the beleaguered garrison. Because every bridge south of Chihuahua City has been burned, Gonzales declares it will take several days for Maycotte's forces to reach that city.

A band of Villistas, under the Murga brothers, were at Bachineva two days ago and are now headed for the border, according to a report made to Gonzales.

STOCKYARDS IN CHICAGO PUT EMBARGO ON CATTLE

Alarm Over Possibility of New Outbreak of Hoof and Mouth Disease Reflected in Orders.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—Alarm over possibility of a new outbreak of the disastrous hoof and mouth disease has spread and is reflected in quarantine orders.

The Union stock yards here have declared an embargo against all cattle, horses, sheep and swine originating in Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska. A train load of livestock was held up at Clinton, Ia., for examination.

Dr. O. E. Dyson, state veterinarian of Illinois, issued orders in the stock yards of Chicago and East St. Louis forbidding the shipment of any livestock except for immediate slaughter.

THIRTY-FIFTH VICTIM IS KILLED BY BLACK HAND

Grocer Latest to Pay Penalty—Detectives Arrest 250 In Effort to Check "Death Corner."

Chicago, Nov. 28.—Joseph Diovardi, grocer in Little Italy, lies dead, the thirty-fifth victim this year of the sawed-off shotgun of the Black Hand.

In a desperate effort to check the deadly work of "death corner" assassins, 120 detectives arrested 250 suspicious characters from whom they took dozens of revolvers, knives, black jacks and many rounds of ammunition.

Indentifications are difficult because the terror-stricken Italians merely shrug their shoulders, fearing that information from them will mean death.

Colorado Declares Embargo.

Denver, Col., Nov. 28.—An embargo against shipment of cattle, sheep or swine into Colorado has been placed against Kansas, Nebraska and Missouri, "until the nature of the disease among cattle reported there" has been determined, Charles G. Lamb, state veterinarian, announced.

Battleship Goes to Aid Steamer.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 28.—The Norwegian steamer Nels Nielsen is in distress 250 miles west of Seattle, according to advices which have been received by the United States Naval radio station here. Wireless advices were that the vessel had lost its propeller and was attempting to return to an American port. The U. S. Battleship South Dakota and other vessels in the Pacific are going to the location given by the Nielsen. The Nielsen sailed from Seattle Nov. 20 for Vladivostok, carrying a cargo of munitions.

WAR IS DECLARED AGAINST BULGARIA BY GREEK REBELS

FORMAL DECLARATION OF HOSTILITIES MADE BY GOVERNMENT HEADED BY FORMER PREMIER VENIZELOS.

ULTIMATUM TO GREECE IS DELIVERED BY ALLIES

Requires Delivery of Greek Arms, Recently Demanded—Resignation of Cabinet Seen—Teutons Cross Alt and Score Two Victories—Capture Several Small Towns.

Athens, Nov. 27.—The Entente Allies have delivered an ultimatum to Greece requiring delivery of Greek arms, which was demanded recently. The ultimatum, while allowing only a short period in which the arms now in Athens are to be surrendered, declares willingness to grant a longer time for delivery of war materials in Thessaly and Macedonia.

Unless the demand is complied with measures will be taken calculated to induce compliance, progressing in severity if the delay increases. The resignation of the cabinet is considered imminent.

Declare War On Bulgaria.

Athens, Nov. 27.—The Greek provisional government, headed by former Premier Venizelos, has formally declared war against Bulgaria. Venizelos established a revolutionary or "provisional" government of Greece on the island of Crete several weeks ago.

Clashed With King.

The former premier first clashed with King Constantine because of Venizelos' vigorous pro-Ally war views and his insistence that Greece cast its lot against Germany. At the Greek elections, Venizelos apparently obtained support in this position from the people, but he failed to move the Greek monarch to any change in his attitude of neutrality. The establishment of a Venizelos party and, finally of a Venizelos government followed.

Two Victories for Teutons.

Berlin, Nov. 27 (By Wireless to Sayville).—Two signal victories have crowned the arms of the Teutonic troops squeezing the triple jaws of their vise closer about Bucharest.

Pushing eastward after their capture of Cralova and the conquest of Little Wallachia, General von Falkenhayn's forces have broken Rumanian resistance in the valley of the lower Alt and apparently already have turned this supposedly strong line of defense across western Rumania, to which the Rumanians had retreated.

Force Crossing of River.

Austro-German troops have forced the crossing of the Alt. Several towns in Rumania, south of the Alt pass, have been captured.

Concurrently, Field Marshal von Mackensen, operating the second jaw of the vise, has forced a passage of the Danube near Zimnitza, giving him a footing on Rumanian soil 25 miles in the rear of the Danube end of the Alt line, which touches the river near Turnu Magurele. The landing at Zimnitza also placed von Mackensen but 70 miles from Bucharest, to the northeast.

LAUNCH UPSET BY RIVER STEAMER; ONE DROWNED

Small Boat Carrying Fifty Sailors Swept Under Stern Wheel—Stem Clipped Off.

San Francisco, Nov. 27.—A launch carrying 50 sailors to the naval supply ship Glacier was overturned here by the river steamer Apache, backing out from her berth. One man is known to have been drowned. It was said a roll call would be necessary to determine how many, if any others, were lost.

The launch, putting off crowded with men returning from shore leave, was swept by the tide under the stern wheel of the Apache. The big steel paddle blade sheared off the stem of the launch which sank like a stone.

A fleet of small boats was rushed to the scene and began picking up men. The United States cruiser South Dakota at anchor a mile away rushed her launches to the rescue and picked up the first body.

New Super-Zeppelin Wrecked.

London, Nov. 27.—The wrecking of a super-Zeppelin in a storm of Tuesday is reported by travelers reaching Amsterdam from Munich, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam. They report there was only one survivor of the crew of 28.

Ready to Take Case to High Court.

Washington, Nov. 27.—The department of justice is ready to take to the supreme court the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf suit to test the constitutionality of the Adamson act. Transcript in the case decided against the government by Federal Judge Hook at Kansas City was expected to reach the department Saturday and will be filed at once with the supreme court. Counsel for the government and the railroads agreed to make a test case of that suit and both sides will request early argument.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Winona. — Henry Steen, representative from this district, will introduce a bill in the Legislature to provide payment for Minnesota soldiers on the Mexican border.

Austin. — Theodore Christianson of Dawson was endorsed as speaker of Minnesota's lower house at the coming legislature at a conference here of representatives of the First district.

Virginia. — Helmer Johnson, aged 9, was seriously injured here and five boy companions received less serious injuries when a blasting powder cap, thrown into a bonfire around which the lads were playing, exploded.

Sauk Rapids. — Governor Burnquist has announced the first of a number of appointments he will make before the end of the year. J. E. Bonner of Sauk Center was named special municipal judge in that city.

St. Peter. — Deep inroads are being made into the poultry population of Nicollet county by chicken thieves, who have been operating the past two months. It is believed an organized gang is at work. The farmers of one township have offered a reward of $200.

Crookston.—The Northwestern Minnesota Educational association held a three days' session here. The opening address of the convention was on "The School in Education," by Dean Joseph Kennedy, North Dakota university. "Education As Preparedness" was the topic of a lecture by A. C. Prosser, Minneapolis.

Holdingford. — Hard work and regular habits are preached as the gospel of longevity by Mrs. Katherine Conpton, 102 years old, of this village. Mrs. Compton was born in Virginia in 1814. She married at the age of 16 and her oldest child is now 84. The baby of the family is 52. Mrs. Conpton is still able to do needlework.

St. Paul. — Dr. I. J. Murphy, executive secretary of the Minnesota Public Health association, which is acting as state agent for the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals, reported that the sale of seals in Minnesota this year will be considerably larger than they were in 1915, judging from the first orders received from the larger communities.

Minneapolis. — The University of Minnesota has defeated to some extent the high cost of living. With prices on all commodities increased approximately 30 per cent over those of 1915, Controller G. H. Hayes said that the maintenance cost of the university for the fiscal year ending July 31, 1916, was approximately only 11 per cent higher than for the same period last year.

St. Paul. — The state free employment agencies in Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth filled 5,202 jobs at an average cost of 16½ cents during the last fiscal year, according to figures made public by W. F. Houk, state labor commissioner. Maintenance costs of the agencies were $441.92 a month in Minneapolis, $180.21 in St. Paul and $227.32 in Duluth. Men were given 3,229 places and women 1,937, the statement shows.

Fairmont. — The Minnesota Crop Improvement association will hold its annual meeting in Fairmont February 13-15. C. L. Blanchar of Fairmont, president of the association, says the meeting should be unusually well attended because of the success of Martin county in growing good crops. The county is said to produce more corn and oats than any other county in the state and also to have the greatest number of champion corn breeders.

St. Paul. — The state department of labor in its biennial report shows that the application of the workmen's compensation law providing for 50 per cent of the wage loss to injured workmen who are disabled for two weeks or more, resulted in the payment of about 37.5 per cent of the wage loss. There were about 19,000 accidents which caused disabilities lasting less than two weeks. The total compensation paid in the 12,768 cases closed by June 30 was $983,418.06.

Bemidji.—The seventh annual meeting of the Northern Minnesota Development league will be held in Bemidji, Minn., December 7 and 8. The sessions will be given over to a Good Roads meeting and a number of prominent speakers have been engaged. Among them are Senators R. C. Dunn of Princeton and John H. Baldwin of Frasee. Senator Baldwin will speak on "Prison Labor on Public Highways." He is sent to Bemidji by the office of public roads at Washington.

Duluth. — Twenty prominent citizens of Hibbing are said by county officials to be among those indicted by the grand jury. That body returned 30 secret true bills in district court. The names of the indicted persons were temporarily kept secret. According to officials, the jury has been devoting much time to investigation of Hibbing matters and has taken an enormous amount of testimony, hearing many witnesses in connection with the charges of alleged "extravagance and graft."

Mankato. — Drs. Arnold Schwyzer and Archibald MacLaren of St. Paul will be speakers on the opening program of the two days' annual meeting of the Southern Minnesota Medical association, to be held in this city December 4 and 5, according to a program announced here.

St. Paul. — Adoption by Minnesota of the New York plan of state public health administration has been recommended by J. T. Geroulđ, librarian at the University of Minnesota, to the commission named by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist to make a proposed revision of laws relating to public health.

ASKS OPINIONS ON STATE AID POLICY

MINNESOTA SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION SENDS CIRCULAR LETTER TO SCHOOL HEADS.

"U" REGENTS TO ASK MILLIONS

To Present Budget of $4,000,000 to Legislature—Board Determines on Retrenchment to Include Economy In Every Department of University.

St. Paul.

Questions as to the policy regarding state aid to school to be advocated by school authorities before the next legislature are asked in a letter mailed to superintendents and directors by C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education.

Mr. Schulz cites that there has been a shortage in the state aid for each of the last two years as appropriated by the legislature. The failure of the lawmakers to appropriate up to the full amount for high, graded, rural and consolidated schools and for special departments in all these is explained by Mr. Schulz as due to a desire to restrict the tax rate. The amount available for state aid the last two years was $3,825,000, as against $4,778,718 necessary, if the full amounts earned by the schools had been paid.

The state superintendent asks school officers to advise legislators in their districts as to their own attitude toward the questions.

The move follows the recent distribution of $1,942,000 of state aid which, although representing the largest single disbursement in the history of state business, was only 70 per cent of the total intended.

"It is of the utmost importance that we should have a stable, progressive and expanding public school policy in Minnesota," Superintendent Schulz states in a circular.

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Millions For University.

With a budget estimate of nearly $4,000,000 to present to the Legislature, the University of Minnesota Board of Regents has determined on a retrenchment policy which will include strict economy in every department, and restriction of enrollment wherever possible rather than to increase the teaching staff.

More than a score of requests and petitions for new buildings, increased equipment, increased salaries and enlargement of teaching staffs were heard by the board, but only a few of them received encouragement.

Among the expenditures the board looked on favorably, however, are:

Erection of a $200,000 hospital for contagious diseases, to provide more patients for clinical study.

Establishment of a separate department of public health, requiring an initial expenditure of $9,000.

Creation of an associate professorship of railroad transportation.

Provisions for giving women vocational training in lines other than teaching.

Enlargement of the industrial work of the college of chemistry to meet the new demands brought about by the war.

Additions to the university library and the engineering research laboratory.

Governor Names Delegates.

Governor Burnquist has just appointed twenty-four Minnesota delegates to the National Rivers and Harbors Congress on December 6 to 8 at Washington. The list of delegates contains these names:

St. Paul—P. T. Glidden, Paul Doty, C. J. McConville, J. W. Cooper, A. J. Krank, George Lambert and H. T. Quinlan.

Minneapolis—W. F. Decker, J. C. Andrews, J. L. Record, Charles D. Gould, Theodore Wold, F. G. Winston, R. W. Chadbourn and S. C. Woodhull.

Delegates named from other Minnesota cities are: W. Hayes Laird, Winona; James K. Grondahl, Red Wing; W. C. Masterman, Stillwater; E. C. Anthony, Hastings; J. E. Reynolds, Mankato; Mille, Bunnell and A. C. Weiss, Duluth; A. H. Reed, Glencoe, and J. M. Elder, Brainerd.

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Seed Wheat Shortage Seen.

The farmer who is forced to buy seed wheat this winter will feel the effects of the prevailing high prices of farm products. Though milling wheat is bringing close to $2 a bushel, the man whose own product is too poor for seed purposes will have to pay as high as $3 or even higher in getting a supply elsewhere. The corn crop, late in starting, rounded under favorable weather and there is no seed corn problems, according to Mr. Bull.

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To Check Baby Blindness.

A regulation directed against baby blindness recently adopted by the state board of health has been signed by Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith and will have the effect of a state law. It requires all physicians or other of newborn children with one per cent port to health authorities any signs of.

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Place Car Shortage Blame.

Car shortage conditions, as complained of especially in the West and Southwest, are blamed in a great measure to the seaports by C. E. Elmquist and O. P. B. Jacobson, state railroad and warehouse commissioners, who have just returned from an Eastern trip on which they investigated the situation. The commissioners went East primarily to attend the meeting of the National Association of held November 14 to 17, inclusive, at Washington, D. C.

Getting Old Too Fast?

Late in life the body shows signs of wear and often the kidneys weaken first. The back is lame, bent and achy, and the kidney action distressing. This makes people feel older than they are. Don't wait for dropsy, gravel, hardening of the arteries or Bright's disease. Use a mild kidney stimulant. Try Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands of elderly folks recommend them.

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. W. M. Lemmay, 1001 N. Fifth St., Grand Forks, N. Dak., says: "My back began to pain and was very lame. When I tried to get up after sitting, I had to place my hands on my back for support. Mornings when I first got up, I could hardly endure the pain. Finally, I used Doan's Kidney Pills and after I had taken three boxes, the trouble entirely left me."

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"Children should be taught first of all to control their emotions, to tolerate pain without outward sign and to suppress as much as possible the tendency toward that condition which ordinarily is termed nervousness, but in reality is mere force of habit," Doctor Croft says.

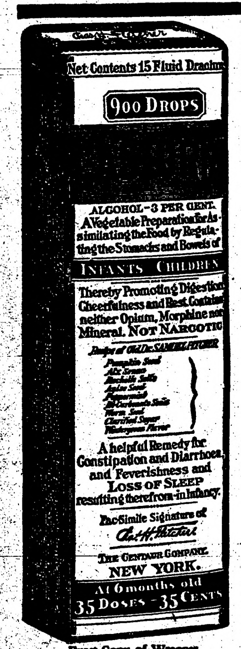
Winter Fatalities to Babies.

Although there is a general impression that summer is the only time that babies are sick, statistics show that the toll from respiratory diseases in the winter is nearly as great as that from intestinal diseases in the summer.

Sentence Sermon.

If a good face is a letter of recommendation, a good heart is a letter of credit.—Bulwer-Lytton.

Some folks consider themselves charitable because they give their old clothes away.



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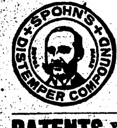

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Genuine must bear Signature Brent Good

Cost of Army Rations.

In 1918 the cost of a day's rations for army men in this country was 23 cents per capita. Now the cost is 30 cents.

Very Much So.

"Is this really cut glass?"

"I should say so! Cut from $1.25 to 98 cents."

The Leavings.

"You know, that tramp we just saw comes from a fine family."

"Is that so? Why did he leave it?"

"The Spirit Was Willing."

Despite the exhortations of her teacher, small Mary persistently lagged during the march in the kindergarten one morning.

At last the teacher called Mary to her side, and said: "Mary, dear, can't you keep up with the music and the little boy in front of you."

"Yes," answered Mary, with a beaming and obliging smile, "I can, but my new shoes can't."

Poverty is the only luxury the rich man can't afford.

Bodily Housekeeping

(BY V. M. PIERCE, M. D.)

The subject of drinking water with meals has been misunderstood.

In recent years investigation by means of X-rays, the observations of scientists such as Cannon, Grutzner, Pavlov, Fowler, Hawk, prove that an abundance of water taken during digestion is necessary in good bodily housekeeping.

If your kidneys are sick, or you suffer with lumbago or rheumatism at times, pain in the back or back of the neck, take a little Anuric before meals. This can be found at any good drug store. Therefore my advice to young or old is, always drink plenty of pure water. And for long life, occasionally take tablets of Anuric three or four times a day.

Anuric acts—much more quickly than lithia. Many find that it dissolves uric acid as water does sugar.

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HOUSE, MONUMENT TO HIS OLD LOVE

Prepared for Bride It Stood Vacant for More Than Forty Years.

REVEALED BY ACCIDENT

Death of Two Men In Old Mansion Reveals Faithlessness of Woman Who Fled With Owner's Brother on Wedding Day.

London. — An accident recently brought to light a house of mystery in the heart of fashionable London. Two workmen, making structural repairs on a residence near the home of J. Pierpont Morgan's London home, fell with riven rafters and were dashed to death.

At the coroner's inquest the contractor declared the whole house was dangerous with dry-rot.

"Since 1871," he said, "not a nail has been driven within its walls, and no one has entered the living rooms except the caretaker."

"Summon the owner," commanded the coroner.

"He is dead, sir," was the reply. "The house recently changed hands at an executor's sale."

"Then call the caretaker."

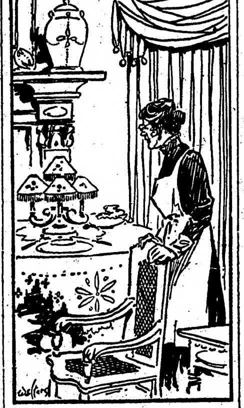
She came at once—a little, genteel, elderly woman who had lived a great part of her life in the shadows of the house of mystery.

Bride Changed Her Mind.

"The owner was W. C. Nation, a rich man, lord of the manor of Rockbeare," testified the little, old woman. "Five-and-forty years ago, when I was but a girl, Mr. Nation bought the property, contemplating marriage.

"Mosaic workers came from Italy and art decorators from Paris to prepare the home for his chosen bride. My mother was engaged as housekeeper, with orders to choose her maids. The butler came and hired his men. Everything was ready, even to bridal bouquets in the chambers—but there was no wedding. On her marriage morning the bride eloped with her fiance's brother. London knew her no more.

"What Mr. Nation thought, no one ever learned. Mother received orders to dismiss the servants and live on as caretaker. Nothing was to be altered. The table set for the wedding breakfast remained undisturbed. No chair or ornament ever was removed from the reception rooms, even the beds were never stripped. For 20 years mother and I waited for the arrival of our employer. Then we knew he could not bear to enter the house again.



Nothing Was to Be Altered.

Guarded "Proud Man's Secret."

"One day, 15 years ago, an elderly, delicate lady in widow's weeds, sat in the park opposite for hours, staring sadly at our shaded windows. Mother thought she looked like the bride's portrait in the large drawing room. But she went away, and we never saw her again.

"After mother died I lived on alone, guarding a proud man's secret. I had only to keep silent. If the world was ever curious, it soon forgot. Seldom, if ever, did anyone ask a question about the emptiness of the old house. Many's the time mother said to me, 'Dear, dear, this is a thoughtless world and selfish. How little the best of, people trouble themselves about their next neighbors!'"

LOSES TOES TO BE CADET

Kansas Youth Submits to Amputation to Enable Him to Enter West Point.

Atchison, Kan.—Two toes amputated that he might pass entrance examination to West Point, Harold De Forest of Wetmore has been discharged from a hospital here. He had what is known as "hammer toes"—that is, two toes were drawn back and wouldn't straighten out. Those two toes wouldn't pass the examination, and he was promised admittance in case the toes were amputated.

"My! These KC doughnuts are good"

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It will never disappoint you—try it if you like good things to eat.

25 Ounces for 25¢ (More than a pound and a half for a quarter)

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College Men in War.

Possibly more than any other war ever waged, the present European struggle has drawn into its vortex men of education, men of mental attainments and students. In the very nature of this war it could not be otherwise. With the possible exception of Russia there is not a nation engaged but has had to draw deeply upon its human reserve sources. It is doubtful if there is a family in France, Germany or Great Britain that does not have a representative somewhere among the fighters. What a toll this war has taken of the intellect of England is indicated by a report of Doctor Burrows, principal of King's college. From this it appears that regular men students of English birth have fallen from 800 in the year previous to the war to about 100 now. The college has contributed 512 officers to the army and navy. And the work of the college itself, especially the scientific part of it, is directed largely along lines incidental to the war.

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Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Quail an Industrious Bird.

In a plea for the bobwhite, W. L. Nelson, assistant secretary of the board of agriculture, states that they eat at least 85 kinds of weed seed. For meat he chooses among 57 kinds of beetles, 27 kinds of bugs, 9 kinds of grasshoppers, 13 kinds of caterpillars and a variety of ants, flies and wasps. One bobwhite has been known to eat as many as 5,000 plant lice in two hours, and he is fond of boll weevils, cinch bugs, cabbage worms, cucumber beetles, squash bugs, army worms and Hessian flies.

And yet there are farmers who are willing to have all the bobwhites on their farms killed. Shooting the hired man would be more logical, remarks the St. Louis Republic. The hired man demands wages, while the bobwhite works for nothing.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

The Two Lights.

J. T. Scheidt, German consul to Galveston, was discussing the German losses on the Somme.

"Losses on the Somme," he said, "gain in the Dobrudja. There are two lights, a good and a bad one, to look at every situation by.

"It is like the philanthropist who said:

"'Ach, God bless woman! She is the same as the ivy on the ruined wall. The more dilapidated you become, the more she clings to you.'

"But a misogynist grunted in reply: "'Yes, and the more she clings to you, the more dilapidated you become.'"

Stop the Pain.

The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolisalve is applied. It heals quickly without scars. 25c and 50c by all druggists. For free sample write The J. W. Cole Co, Rockford, Ill.—Adv.

Efficient Employers.

We hear a great deal these days about the efficiency of employees, and it is well worth while to turn our attention to the efficiency of the engineer and the employer of labor as well. It was said of H. W. Thornton, the well-known railroad engineer, who was called to assume charge of the Great Eastern railroad in England: "Anyone can handle engines and cars and tunnels, but Thornton is a wonder at handling men. Nor does he ever block the door of his office to a man who has something to say."—Industrial Management.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Hard on the Burglar.

"I hear that the home of Scribbins, the writer, was entered last night and a number of manuscripts stolen."

"Is that so? I suppose Scribbins has set the police on track of the thief?"

"Oh, he says that if the fellow has any better success in placing the stuff than he has had himself, he's only too glad to let him try it."—Farm Life.

Let the other fellow have it his way—as long as it is only talk.

Sniff, Sniff.

"How can I get to Flubdub's fish market?"

"Follow your nose."

"Follow my nose? Now, that seems indefinite advice to give a man."

"It is all right when hunting for a fish market."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Spiteful.

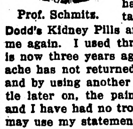
She—I hardly ever get a new dress, and everybody thinks you are a millionaire.

He—Why should they have that idea?

She—It's the only reason they can think of for my marrying you.—Boston Evening Transcript.

THE PROFESSOR'S STATEMENT.

Prof. Aug. F. W. Schmitz, Thomas, Okla., writes: "I was troubled with Backache for about twenty-five years. When told I had Bright's Disease in its last stages, I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. After using two boxes I was somewhat relieved and I stopped the treatment. In the spring of the next year I had another attack. I went for Dodd's Kidney Pills and they relieved me again. I used three boxes. That is now three years ago and my Backache has not returned in its severity, and by using another two boxes a little later on, the pain left altogether and I have had no trouble since. You may use my statement. I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills when and wherever I can." Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.



Prof. Schmitz.

Helping Along.

Timid Admirer—Will you be engaged tomorrow, Miss Ella?

Desperate Maiden—I may be if somebody plucks up nerve enough to ask me.

Literally So.

"The style of that writer is perfectly killing."

"I should say so, the way he murders the king's english."

It is easy enough to rectify whisky, but it is sometimes hard to rectify errors which whisky causes.

Some Bill for Jam, This.

When we think or read of the vast expenses of the present war our minds naturally turn to munitions, airplanes, submarines, equipments and items of a similar warlike nature, but the English army account for the last financial year opens another vista. During the 12 months we are told $10,000,000 was spent on jam!

Does not this suggest a possibility that this item might advantageously appear on our domestic menu with greater frequency?

No man or woman has ever been educated to great usefulness or lasting distinction outside the school of adversity.

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Bank Statement.

Bank No. 809.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank at Holt, Minn. at close of business on Nov. 17, 1916.

Date of report by Bank, Nov. 22, 1916.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$106,111 61
Overdrafts		807 73
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		5,880 01
Other Real Estate		$1,900 00
Due from Banks	10,401 47	
Cash on Hand	1750 35	
Total Cash Assets		12 180 82
Checks and Cash Items		6,078 96
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		390 82
Total		$131,819 95

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$3,500.00
Undivided Profits, Net		350.54
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		3,000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$49,978.22	
Cashier's Checks	6948.96	
Total Immediate Liabilities	56,925.18	
Time Certificates	58,044.23	
Total Deposits		114,969 41
Total		$131,819 95
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$19,139 78
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$8,733 23

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President,
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNHEIM,
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Nov., 1916.

[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

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One of the most prominent druggists of America made a statement a few weeks ago which has caused a great deal of discussion among scientists in the medical press. He said: If the new hair grower, Mildredina Hair Remedy, increases its sales as it has during the past year, it will be used by nearly every man, woman and child in America within 8 years.

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CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE BEGINS RAILWAY INQUIRY

Proposed by President to Better Condition of Carriers.

MAY CHANGE PRESENT SYSTEM

Officials of Roads Prepared to Advocate Federal Incorporation, Supervision of Securities and Extension of Authority of Interstate Commerce Commission.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Ten members of Congress, five Senators and five members of the House of Representatives, began here today an inquiry into the subject of public control and supervision of railroads that may lead to the revolutionizing of the whole scheme of governmental regulation of the country's transportation lines. Incidentally the committee is to look into the question of government ownership of railways, telephone and telegraph lines and express companies.

The members of the committee which will conduct this important investigation are Senator Newlands of Nevada, chairman; Senators Robinson of Arkansas, Underwood of Alabama, Cummins of Iowa and Brandegee of Connecticut, and Representatives Adamson of Georgia, Sims of Tennessee, Cullop of Indiana, Esch of Wisconsin and Hamilton of Michigan. The inquiry was recommended by President Wilson in his message to Congress in December of last year. He described as its purpose to determine what could be done "for bettering the conditions under which the railroads are operated and for making them more useful servants of the country as a whole."

Prominent Men as Witnesses.

In order to obtain the views of all interests affected by the operations of the transportation lines the committee has invited prominent shippers, bankers, representatives of commercial organizations, railway executives, economists and others to appear before them.

The first to be heard are railroad commissioners of various states who began their evidence today. Their testimony is directed chiefly to opposing any enlargement of the federal authority over commerce that would detract from the powers now exercised by state bodies. They will be followed shortly by officials of railway labor organizations who are expected to register their opposition to the increase of governmental authority over wages and conditions of labor.

Chief interest in the hearings centers in the proposals that will be put forward by representatives of the railroads, for it is reported that they will advocate an extension of federal authority over rates and securities to the practical exclusion of state control of these matters. It is understood also that they will go on record in favor of federal incorporation of all railroad lines.

Legislative Program of Railroads.

From an authoritative source is obtained the following outline of the legislative program which the railroads will ask the committee to consider in its investigation. They will endeavor to demonstrate to the commission that one of the principal defects in the present system of railroad regulation is the lack of coordination resulting from the simultaneous and conflicting regulation by the federal government and by the 48 states. They will, therefore, ask that entire governmental control of the rates and practices of interstate carriers, except purely local matters, be placed in the hands of a federal body so that interstate traffic may be regulated without reference to state lines, leaving to the state commissions jurisdiction only over local matters and local public utilities. As a part of this plan, a compulsory system of federal incorporation is to be recommended, accompanied by federal supervision of railroad stock and bond issues.

A reorganization of the Interstate Commerce Commission will be asked in order to enable the commission properly to exercise its increased powers. It is also proposed that the preparation and prosecution of cases against the railroads shall be delegated to some other agency of the government, possibly the Department of Justice, so that the commission may devote its energies to its administrative functions.

With the commission thus relieved of some of its present duties and equipped to handle its business more promptly, the railroads will urge that the period during which the commission may now suspend proposed increases in rates be reduced from ten months to 60 days, with provision for reparation to be paid to the shippers if the advance shall be declared unreasonable.

They will also ask that the commission be given the power to prescribe minimum as well as maximum rates so that in meeting complaints of discrimination the commission may order the advance of a rate which it considers too low.

One of the most important recommendations for which the railroads will ask favorable consideration is that the commission be specifically authorized to take into account in rate regulation the effect of rates upon total earnings in the light of expenses.

While the Newlands Committee is required, under the resolution creating it, to submit a report by January 2 next, it is not anticipated that the Committee will have come anywhere near completing its labors then.

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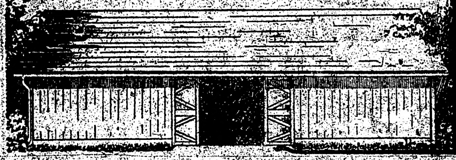

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Local Items

Bring us your Job Printing.

10 pounds Fancy Whole Rice for 69cents at Holt Merc. Co.

Prof. Prushek visited Prof. Johnson in Middle River Friday.

Misses Dora and Celia Olson visited friends in Thief River Falls Friday and Saturday.

Carl Olen, of Shelly, came Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the home of his brother, H. J. Olen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Dovre, of Hamidahl, N. D., came last week to spend Thanksgiving with his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dovre.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

Twenty one cases were tried the past week in the district court at Warren the past week, that were appeals from the assessments on ditch No. 25. At last reports it is stated the farmers won their cases.

If you are looking for war prices on your hides, furs and junk ship them to us, we pay freight and express. Write for prices. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. Falls, Minn. Located north of G. N. depot. 1 11

E. E. Peehie and family have moved to T. R. Falls.

K. O. Flakne went to Minneapolis Sunday on business.

10 pounds Fancy Whole Rice for 69 cents at Holt Merc. Co.

The Golden Hour Society will meet with Mrs. Gust Peterson, Saturday Dec. 16th.

NOTICE: S. S. Kolden will now pay $4.00 per ton for loose Flax Straw delivered at Holt.

Albert Bjerk has sprained his ankle so that he is obliged to go on crutches a part of the time.

Mrs. Wingness, of Hamidahl, N. D., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. T. O. Dovre, the past week.

Peter and Martin Turnlund of Radium visited their cousin, P. A. Biesberg last Friday.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

Ben Hoff spent Thanksgiving at the home of his sister Mrs. A. C. Kveennes, in Middle River.

Misses Gunhild and Olava Sollom came over from Viking to spend Thanksgiving at home.

E. T. Eide has been loading and shipping five cars of baled hay, the past week.

We have been having some fine weather for several weeks past, and there has been so far no need to go to California to find a mild climate.

Alex [illegible] came up from T. R. Falls last week with his son Loyd who will stay with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson.

Miss Gladys Hagen went to Middle River last Thursday for a couple of days visit at the Ole Olsen home.

Taber & McLane have recently finished a [illegible] foot well for Erwin Erickson that has a plentiful supply of water.

Blanket Week!

Dec. 11th to Dec. 16th

We have over 200 wool and cotton blankets that are to be sold at a sacrifice price. Why freeze when you can get them at these prices:

Reg.	65c	Cotton Blankets, this week	49c
"	$1.00	" " "	79c
"	1.25	" " "	98c
"	1.75	" " "	$1.48
"	1.85	" " "	1.59
"	2.75	" " "	2.19
"	2.75	Wool Finish " "	1.98
"	4.95	Wool Blankets " "	3.98
"	5.50	" " "	4.39
"	6.25	" " "	4.98
"	6.95	" " "	5.39

Now is your chance

Holt Mercantile Co.

Southeast of Holt.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Trockman on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Ole Johnson of T. R. Falls spent a few days last week visiting her daughter Mrs. John Olsen.

Annie Knutsen returned home from Fisher last week, where she had been visiting for some time.

Olga Efteland of T. R. Falls spent Thanksgiving with Amanda and Constance Klungness.

Carl Larson had the misfortune of loosing a valueable horse this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Abrahamson of Gatzke spent a few days last week visiting with her father, S. Borsheim.

Miss Minnie Ekre came down from her school at Gonvick on Wednesday and spent Thanksgiving visiting at the Carl Larson home. She returned to her school Sunday.

The Ladies Aid of the Free church held their annual sale at the S. Moe home on Thursday. A very large crowd was present and everything proved a success.

10 pounds Fancy Whole Rice for 69c at Holt Merc. Co.

Simon Moe returned home last Tuesday from Grafton, North Dak., where he had been employed the past four months. He also visited a few days at Edmore before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson and family entertained a few of their friends on Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Larson, Chester and Eleanor Larson, Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe, Simon and Gunda Moe, Elling Tollefsrode and Obert [illegible].

The Misses Olga Larson and Minnie Ekre went to Golden Valley on Saturday returning Sunday.

Carl Dahl who several years ago resided on a homestead, now owned by P. Michaelson, came down from his home near Outlook Sask Canada, on Saturday and spent a few days shaking hands with old acquaintances. Mr. Dahl's last visit to this country was nine years ago. He notes many great changes here and thinks well of our country now.

Taber & McLane are drilling a well for Lars Chenill.

J. A. Sorum left yesterday for Warren, via of Crookston.

10 pounds Fancy Whole Rice for 69 cents at Holt Merc. Co.

Elling Tollefsrud and Olof Dahl were Middle River visitors Saturday.

Martin Donaldson is quite sick at the home if his sister, Mrs. Ole Kjeldren.

Miss Gundy [illegible] who teaches the Dahl school, spent last week at her home in Warren.

P. L. Anderson and a few of the farmers attended the dairy meeting in T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Alfred Olson has purchased Arnold Bogenstein's interest in the pool hall and confectionery store.

A very successful basket social was held in the Rosand school house Nov. 29th. The sum of $23.40 was received. Quite a crowd from East Valley attended.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.72
Wheat No. 2	1.67
Wheat No. 3	1.50
Wheat No. 4	[illegible]
Flax	[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]
Barley	[illegible] to .73
Rye	1.27
Flour, Best Patent	5.25

A Birthday Surprise

Despite the inclemency of the weather, eight ladies responded to an invitation to be present at Mrs. A. L. Carlson's home Wednesday afternoon for a birthday surprise on Mrs. Carlson's mother Mrs. T. Sollom. Mrs. A. L. was assisted by her sister Mrs. Arvid Carlson of Newfolden and by scheming, the daughters contrived and succeeded in getting their mother to come that afternoon. The surprise was complete and it took some time for the Lady of Honor to recover from it. The ladies were then invited to a fine spread, the chief feature being a large birthday cake adorned with 52 candles, the lighting of each was performed bp Mrs. Sollom. After the repast, each lady presented her with a gift which the recipient enjoyed and appreciated very much.

At a seasonable hour the ladies departed wishing Mrs. Sollom many happy returns of the day.

Mrs. J E. Mosberg and children returned home Friday from Sturgeon Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindholm of Strandquist, visited at T. O. Dover's last week.

Mrs. Arvid Carlson and baby came over from Newfolden last week to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson and baby spent Sunday at the old home with his brother Arthur and wife.

T. B. Folden, H. O. Ekerdalen Joseph Jarland and John Magnuson returned home yesterday from Warren where they had been attending court in the appeal cases from the assessments on Ditch No. 25 and all are feeling good over the outcome.

Steiner Items

Mr. Best drove to T. R. Falls on Saturday.

Ed Werner and wife spent Thanksgiving day with A. Koglin's.

Mr. Malberg's new house is taking on form. If this nice weather lasts a few days more the outside work will be well along.

Arthur Simmonson transacted business in this berg the latter part of the week.

Albert Swanson drove his new "Ford" automobile down to the basket social Saturday.

Miss Mildred Malberg, who has been teaching at Clearbrook, spent her Thanksgiving vacation at home.

The Stigen family and Hasby family dined together Thanksgiving day.

Harvey Copp hauled cordwood to T. R. Falls Saturday.

S. R. Rogers made a trip to Thief River Falls on his bicycle, Saturday.

Miss Blomquist returned home to Middle River over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers ate a sumptuous Thanksgiving dinner at the home of H. Border and family near Thief River Falls.

J. A. Russell and family had dinner Thanksgiving day at the home of R. L. Muzzy.

The young people of this community gave a surprise party Thanksgiving eve for Amy Whittman, who is teaching near Warren.

A basket social was held at the county line school near Fred Copp's place, to raise money for Xmas purposes. A large crowd was assembled.

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Rosewood

(Written for last weeks paper.)

Ninth Meeting of Rosewood Farmers Club. More than eighty people attend

Lovely weather prevails

Debate a success

The ninth meeting of the Rosewood Farmers Club was held at the Rosebank schoolhouse last Friday evening with an attendance of over eighty. Taking advantage of the lovely weather several persons from both Holt and Steiner attended.

The meeting was called to order by vice-president Vorseth taking the presidents place who was absent at 8:45.

The roll was first called and the references read, after which member O. J. Dahl introduced the subject, "Which kind of stock is best suitable for this particulary community?, and the Short Horns and Holsteins received the most favorable comment. Next the question arose what kind will stand this cold climate best? And several members still favored the Short Horns while others seem to favor the Aberdeen Angus. Which is more profitable, diarying or beef raising? was discussed and different opinions was expressed. The meeting was now left to the program committee who rendered the following program:

Song- Flow gently sweet Afton.
Recitation- When Pa begins to shave by John Nakken.
Song- Twilight is falling.
Dialogue- In want of a servant.
Song- Jaunita.
Recitation- Mothers Almanac, By Simon Nakken.
Song- Be Kind.

The debate, "Resolved: That women suffrage is justifiable" was next called and continued for over half an hour. Matt Raftesetha was leader on the affirmative side and Renie Werner of Holt on the negative. The following persons served as judges: Hilda Opseth, Mabel Mellem, Emil Styrlund, J. Regers and William Sorenson. The negative side was victorious with a vote of 4 to 1. Both sides were well studied and many good points brought forth.

It was further decided that the next meeting shall be held at the same place three weeks from date, under the auspices of Harvey Copp, Jerry Rogers and Louis Meyer, as program committee, and Emil Blomberg, E. Schankey and Renie Werner are to take charge of the coffee serving. The question box was opened and questions read. Willie Rux and August Sjade were admitted as members. Meeting was moved to adjourn at 11:25 after which coffee and cake was served. Parlor games were played.

Religious meetings by Rev. O. M. Anderson were conducted at the Bredeson church on Saturday and Sunday and at the A. T. Thoreson home on Saturday evening. All the meetings were well attended.

Messrs John Schromer and Henry Sagmoen high school students of T. R. Falls came home on Thursday morning to spead a few days at their respective parental homes.

Alex. Hellquist, Julius Alby and Joel Shoberg were callers at the S. J. Haugen home at Sunday dinner.

Clarissa and Arthur Anderson of Warren arrived here Friday evening for an over Sunday visit at the home of their uncle Peder Sorenson.

Matt Rafteseth attended the funeral of Ed. Iverson at Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Misses Hazel and Ruth Flann left for a shopping and pleasure trip to Thief River Falls on Thursday eve.

The Young Peoples Society held their meeting at the Congregational church last Thursday evening, with quite a number present.

Benhard Ranum left for Viking on Saturday morning from which place he was to proceed to Minneapolis the same day in company with a friend.

The Emil Blomberg family spent Sunday afternoon visiting friends at Rosewood.

Carl Stromberg of Nekoma, North Dakota, arrived here last Saturday evening for an over Sunday stay at the S. Rafteseth home.

10 pounds Fancy Whole Rice for 69 cents at Holt Merc. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Sollom visited in town a few days the past week.

Miss Olga Saastad came from T. R. Falls to spend Thanksgiving at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Saastad.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bjerk returned home Monday from Crookston where they spent Thanksgiving with their daughter.

C. L. Heinze and family and J. E. Mosberg were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Young Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Agnes Fosen was a business caller in Middle River Saturday.

Carl and Leonard Brekkestran, of near Newfolden, were in town Wednesday looking up the prospects for a garage.

A. L. Carlson, H. M. Johnson and P. L. Anderson went to Thief River Falls Friday evening to attend the Elks lodge.

[illegible] coal shed built on the rear of [illegible] lot. It is hoped it will soon be needed to keep the electrician [illegible] and probably will be if the [illegible] ever comes.

J. B. Alkenbrack received word Monday that his son John was taken sick last week with the appendicitis and was taken to the hospital at Kenmare N. D. last week Thursday evening and was operated upon and had recovered from the effects of it and was getting along as well as could be expected.

There is more Catarrh in [illegible] of the country than all [illegible] put together, and for years it was [illegible] to be incurable. [illegible] local remedies, and by [illegible] failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. [illegible] Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock. [illegible] The children will practice for the Christmas program.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

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FOR THE BUSY MAN

NEWS EPITOME THAT CAN SOON BE COMPASSED.

MANY EVENTS ARE MENTIONED

Home and Foreign Intelligence Condensed Into Two and Four Line Paragraphs.

WAR NEWS.

The provisional government of Greece, formed by supporters of former Premier Venizelos, has formally declared war on Bulgaria, says an Athens dispatch.

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British casualties in the month of November, as reported from all fronts, were 74,650. Of the total, 2,351 of the casualties were among officers and 72,299 men.

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The Germans will go through the winter without change in their present rations of important foodstuffs except a reduction in the potato ration, according to reports from Berlin.

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The British cruiser New Castle is reported to have been sunk at the entrance to the Firth of Forth, Scotland, November 15, by coming in contact with a mine, according to the Berlin Overseas News agency.

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According to German calculations the total losses to the British navy up to November 28, so far as can be ascertained, have reached 121 ships of 567,950 tons, not counting auxiliary cruisers or auxiliary ships.

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J. L. Garvin, editor of the London Observer, declares in that paper that it is impossible for the Anglo-French to break through the western front unless the allies totally change their policy regarding southeastern Europe, with a view to eliminating Turkey and Bulgaria.

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Paris reports that the Rumanian seat of government has been moved from Bucharest to Jassy as the result of the rapidity of the advance of the Teutonic armies in Rumania. Jassy lies about two hundred miles northeast of Bucharest, near the Russian frontier.

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The Berlin correspondent of the Berlingske Tiden says the German government is considering a proposal of conservatives in the reichstag that the universities and other of the higher schools in the empire be virtually closed so that the teachers and scholars may be embraced in the plan for mobilization of civilians.

GENERAL.

Wage increases to employees all over the United States which will amount to approximately $50,000,000 annually, have been announced since November 1.

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The deficit of the democratic campaign has been announced at $300,000. This amount will be apportioned among the state. The republicans announce a deficit of $21,144. Their total receipts were $2,420,421, contributed by 34,205.

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One hundred and thirty young soldiers have been killed in a collision of a freight train with the train on which they were being conveyed to Aomori, a seaport on the north coast of Japan.

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Sales of the Cudahy Packing company in the fiscal year ending October 28 were $133,960,968, compared with $116,161,138 the previous year, while net profits were $3,011,415 against $728,642 in the previous twelve months.

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The Nebraska football team went down to defeat before the husky Notre Dame team Thanksgiving Day at Lincoln by the one-sided score of 20 to 0. The South Bend, Ind., squad outweighed the Cornhuskers more than seventeen pounds to the man. Ten thousand people witnessed the contest.

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Five men were killed and seven others injured when a passenger train on the Lackawanna railroad ploughed through a crowd of about four hundred employes of the Canadian car and Foundry company who were walking along the tracks at Passaic, N. J.

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The second big dye manufacturing plant in the United States and the only one west of Buffalo, N. Y., opened at Quincy, Ill. Orders for more than $600,000 worth of dyes have been booked by the owners.

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For the first time in nine years the Yale football team scored a victory over Harvard. The game was played before what is considered the greatest football crowd in history. It is estimated that 80,000 persons saw Harvard go down to defeat by a score of 6 to 3.

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Fifty thousand people witnessed the annual football game between the Army and Navy elevens at the Polo grounds, New York City. The Army team of West Point defeated the Annapolis squad by a score of 15 to 7.

President Wilson's plurality in California is 3,773 votes, according to semi-official figures announced by Secretary of State Frank C. Jordan.

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Charles E. Hughes announced at Lakewood, N. Y., that on January 1 he will resume the practice of law as a member of the New York city firm of Rounds, Schurman and Dwight.

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The Pennsylvania railroad's statement of the month of October shows a decrease of $293,960 in the operating income, as compared to the same month last year.

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"Wire tappers" have enriched themselves by $7,500 within the last two weeks through operations in Kansas City, Mo., according to a statement of one of their victims to the police.

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Twenty-seven deaths were the toll of the hunting season in Wisconsin and the upper peninsula of Michigan for the season just closed, according to figures compiled by the Milwaukee Sentinel.

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Eight children appointed by the New York Protective association, presented to President Wilson a peace resolution calling upon him to use his good offices to promote the idea of peace among the belligerent nations.

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Complete official statistics of the crops in France in 1916 show that the wheat crop is only 3½ per cent that of 1915, though the surface sowed was 5 per cent less. In bushels the comparative results were: In 1915, 226,000,000; in 1916, 214,000,000. The oats crop of 1916 is nearly 14 per cent heavier than last year.

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An official call upon the people of Chicago to boycott the egg market was issued by Dr. John Dill Robertson, health commissioner, who asserted that eggs are being held in cold storage while the sick and destitute need and cannot get them, and that it has been proven that one firm alone has 72,000,000 eggs in warehouses. He asked everybody to stop buying eggs until January 21, when, by law, they will have to be put on the market.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Francisco Villa's forces have captured Chihuahua City and now hold that city, as well as Parral, according to reports reaching the border from authentic sources.

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Richard Wisbrun, an American member of a party arriving at El Paso from Chihuahua, said that 1,000 Carranza troops sent out by General Trevino to meet Villa troops, had gone over to the bandits without firing a shot.

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Because Carranza officials feared they might be disloyal, scores of former Villa soldiers who have been serving as customs guards in Juarez since the Villa garrison joined the Carranza army, were ordered to the Juarez customs house and disarmed by the artillery.

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General Funston does not intend taking any action looking to withdrawal of American troops from Mexico unless the return movement is ordered by the War department. He denied a report that the matter of withdrawing General Pershing's command at such time as it was deemed best had been placed in his hands.

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A protocol providing for the conditional withdrawal of the American troops now in Chihuahua, Mexico, and for the military control of the border, but with the stipulation that United States troops shall be sent into Mexico in pursuit of bandits, at any time the American government deems it necessary, was signed at Atlantic City, N. Y., by members of the Mexican-American commission.

WASHINGTON.

The transcript in the case of the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad, chosen to test the constitutionality of the Adamson law, is now in the hands of the supreme court.

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Secretary Daniels has awarded contracts for more than $65,000,000 worth of new fighting ships for the navy, including four battleships at $11,000,000 each; two fleet submarines at approximately $1,190,000 each, and twenty-seven coast submarines at about $994,000 each.

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American bankers were warned by the federal reserve board to avoid locking up their funds by purchasing treasury bills of foreign governments involving long term obligations. While specifically disclaiming "any intention of reflecting upon the financial stability of any nation," the board advises all investors to proceed with caution.

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The federal trade commission has fixed December 12 as the date for another public hearing on the news print paper situation and invited manufacturers, jobbers, newspaper publishers and any others interested to appear.

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The Seattle Construction and Drydock company was awarded contract by the navy department for the construction of a 35-knot scout cruiser for $4,975,000. Delivery will be made within thirty months.

FINAL SESSION OF THE SIXTY-FOURTH CONGRESS BEGINS

EPOCH MAKING NATIONAL LEGISLATIVE BODY CONVENES WITH ONLY THREE MONTHS OF ITS LIFE REMAINING.

IMPORTANT PROBLEMS TO DEMAND RAPID WORK

Recurring Crisis in Railroad Situation Must be Met—Legislation Needed to Protect Foreign Trade—Routine Business Rather Than General Legislation Worries House.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Today marked the beginning of the end of the Sixty-fourth congress—an epoch-making national legislative body. With only three months of its life remaining, the congress at noon today opened its final session, confronted with domestic and foreign legislative problems of vast moment.

In the legislative program laid down by President Wilson for the "short session" which ends March 4, time will be the essence of the contract. From the first call of the gavels in the house and senate at noon today the national legislators began a fight against time and a drive for speed.

With Democratic control of the house in the Sixty-fifth congress a matter of grave doubt, the administration is prepared to make every effort to put through its important measures within the next three months and avoid an extra session next spring.

Must Meet Rail Crisis.

Despite the declaration of the house and senate leaders that the short session will barely have time to do the routine work of providing funds for the next fiscal year, the congress is confronted with demands for action along many general legislative lines.

Legislation must be passed, it is felt, to meet the recurring crisis in the railroad labor situation. It has become apparent that the eight-hour law passed in the closing hours of the last session merely postponed the struggle between the railroads and their operating employees.

Investigations by various commissions and committees are already under way seeking a solution of the railroad problem, but with the constitutionality of the eight-hour law under attack in the courts, and the brotherhoods threatening a general strike unless the eight-hour day becomes effective January 1, congress will be forced to act at once, without awaiting the results of the investigations.

Foreign Trade Legislation.

The administration plans for extending American foreign trade and equipping American export commerce for the world trade war that will follow settlement of the European conflict call for extensive legislation. The start on this program has already been made. The house at the last session passed the Webb bill exempting from the operations of the anti-trust laws combinations of American merchants and manufacturers formed for the sole purpose of engaging in the foreign trade. This measure failed to pass the senate, but will be taken up in the upper house at once. Despite strenuous opposition, the bill is expected to become a law.

The administration, through the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, and the federal trade commission, plans a general foreign trade legislative program supplemental to the Webb law, which will demand lengthy consideration.

A complete code of neutrality laws, worked out in detail for the administration by the department of justice is awaiting action in both houses and senate.

Other Matters Pending.

President Wilson's demand for conservation legislation, presented to the congress a year ago, has not yet been satisfied, and work on the conservation program must be continued. The elaborate revision of the general dam act; liberalizing conditions under which water power may be developed on navigable rivers and other waterways under federal jurisdiction, is in dispute between the two houses.

An elaborate bill, closely restricting the use of funds and providing complete publicity of contributions and expenditures by all committees and individuals connected with elections, for president, vice president, senators and representatives was passed by the house during the last session. The measure has the indorsement of the president, and an effort will be made to put it through the senate.

Lots of Work for the House.

Routine business, the big appropriation bills—which must be disposed of before March 4—rather than general legislation, worries the house leaders. Speaker Clark and Chairman Fitzgerald of the appropriations committee served notice on the house that long hours and no vacations were to be the program from the beginning. The appropriations committee, which had been at work for weeks, was ready to bring in the first of the big supply bills and get the house down to work at once.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Winona.—While a Thanksgiving dinner crowd was making merry in a restaurant here a lone bandit entered, held up the cashier and took between $30 and $40 from the cash register.

Bemidji.—Mistaking the deer he was carrying for a live buck, eight St. Paul hunters fired a volley at the carcass, seriously wounding Angus Chisholm, a homesteader, near his home, 16 miles northeast of Blackduck.

Moorhead.—Despite the fact more than thirty saloons were closed last year, bringing the declaration that business would fall off, the bank deposits total $1,446,288.46 as compared with $1,297,575.35 in 1915.

St. Paul.—A cash balance of $4,073,248.98 in its treasury is the largest November 30 balance in Minnesota's history. A year ago the state had borrowed $450,000 to tide its finances over a temporary stringency.

Monticello.—The faithful protection of a dog saved his youthful master from death when Allan Mieske, 16 years old, living on a farm near here, was attacked by an infuriated bull. The animal had knocked the boy to the ground unconscious.

Brainerd.—Speeches by A. D. Wilson, head of agricultural extension bureau service of the University of Minnesota, and Frank E. Palmer, state agricultural agent, closed a farmers' short course of four days in this city.

Minneapolis.—William Lowe Bryan, president of Indiana university, and Livingston Farrand, president of the University of Colorado, are among those to be considered for the presidency of the University of Minnesota to succeed Dr. George E. Vincent.

Duluth.—Although lake navigation is supposed to have closed officially on Nov. 20, with the expiration of insurance, it is predicted here boats will be in operation until stopped by ice. The demand for ore down lake is so great vessel men have been reluctant to close the season.

St. Paul. — What its makers say will be the best map ever published of Minnesota for the use of automobile tourists, road officials and others, is in course of preparation by engineers of the Minnesota Highway commission and will be ready for distribution about January 1.

St. Paul.—For the first time in many years the two men whom Minnesota voters have elected to the United States Senate dined together in St. Paul, Senator Knute Nelson was the guest of Senator-elect Frank B. Kellogg at the Minnesota club. Senators Nelson and Clapp have not agreed well enough to be on cordial visiting terms.

St. Paul—Overtime and extra pay for state officials and employes is the subject of an opinion given by Lyndon A. Smith, attorney general. The opinion probably will be the first of a series of legal rulings on such questions because of a dozen or more claims for pay for overtime and extra services now awaiting action by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor.

St. Paul.—Inheritance taxes totaling $672,841.37 were collected by the state during the past fiscal year, according to figures given out in the state treasury. The statement supplements that recently made public showing $47,322.75 distributed under the law effective April 20, 1911, providing that 10 per cent shall be refunded to the county remitting any tax.

Brownsville, Texas.—In target practice at Loma, Alta, near here, B battery, St. Paul's "silk-stocking battery," broke all records for effectiveness in firing. The three-inch pieces under direction of Captain Charles L. Ames scored one hit after another and demolished so many targets that regular army officers, who served as observers, broke into spirited applause.

St. Paul.—Governor J. A. A. Burnquist has issued his official proclamation, declaring the 12 Hughes presidential electors to have been chosen by the people of Minnesota. Governor Burnquist also proclaimed the election of Frank B. Kellogg as United States senator, of the 10 members of congress, and the ratification of Amendments No. 1 and 2 to the state constitution.

St. Paul. — Minnesota lands unsuitable for farming, but which are good pine lands, could be made worth $200,000,000 and furnish the state a net annual income of $6,000,000, according to C. C. Andrews, secretary of the state forestry board, in his annual report to the governor. The report covers the reforestation that has been done by the state, which work General Andrews declares should be greatly extended.

Winona.—The effectiveness of an embargo on soaring food products was demonstrated here when milk receded a cent because of marked curtailment in consumption. Winona dealers announced ten days ago the price of milk would be 8 cents a quart. The increase came in the face of the announcement of experts that there was a sufficient supply, and that there was a reasonable margin of profit at 7 cents.

Moorhead — To relieve congested schools the Moorhead board of education has constructed two portable buildings to be moved from one school ground to another as conditions may demand. The board contemplate construction of a portable gymnasium for use at the several schools.

St. Paul. — Thousands of farmers from Minnesota and the Dakotas gathered in St. Paul this week for the annual grain growers' convention and the dedication of the new terminal elevator built by the Equity Co-operative exchange. The convention began Tuesday, and was to last three days.

FOOD EMBARGOES TO CUT HIGH COST OF LIVING SOUGHT

REPRESENTATIVE FITZGERALD OFFERS FOUR MEASURES DEALING WITH SITUATION—MASS OF PETITIONS FILED.

CONGRESSMEN RESUME HARD GRIND AT CAPITOL

Senator to Introduce Bill to Empower Government to Seize Food on Which "Corner" Is Attempted—Both Houses Ready For Wilson's Message.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Legislative proposals intended to shatter the high cost of living marked the reopening of congress.

Representative John J. Fitzgerald, leader of the embargo forces, introduced four bills. His bills in brief are:

Provision for an out and out export embargo of farm products and of manufactured foodstuffs for one year.

Provision for the president to suspend exportation whenever prices become extortionate and the public interest requires such action.

To Regulate Cold Storage.

Regulation of cold storage by prohibiting interstate shipments of foods, other then butter, stored longer than 10 months; with distinct labeling of the date on which the goods were stored.

Abolition of postal zones insofar as farm products and manufactured foodstuffs are concerned; admission of such goods to parcel post in packages up to 150 pounds at 3 cents for the first pound and 1 cent for pounds thereafter, with slightly higher charges.

Food Embargo Proposed.

"The enactment of either of the bills" said Representative Fitzgerald, "will bring immediate relief to the country. The people want action; they are heartily tired of talk and investigation." A mass of petitions was filed in favor of the legislation.

Representative John R. Farr of Pennsylvania proposed an embargo on wheat and Representative Meyer London of New York, socialist, proposed a virtual food dictatorship, with an incidental food export ban.

Senator James E. Martine of New Jersey announced he will propose a food embargo on all staple articles later this week.

To Seize "Cornered" Foodstuffs.

Senator J. H. Lewis of Illinois said he would introduce a bill to empower the government to seize foodstuffs on which a corner is attempted, condemn them and resell to the public.

Reference of all bills relating to an embargo on food products to a joint committee of eight representatives and eight senators is a proposed resolution introduced by Representative Charles A. Lindbergh. The committee is to investigate the operations of "parasite speculations" and to report to congress not later than Feb. 20. In the preamble Mr. Lindbergh declares that the effect of an embargo upon food products would force the producers to abandon their farms because of inability to making a living.

Both houses passed resolutions notifying President Wilson that they were ready for his message.

TWO HUNDRED ARE SLAIN IN REVOLT IN ANTWERP

Inhabitants Rebel as Result of Call to Work in Germany—Many Teuton Soldiers Reported Slain.

London, Dec. 5.—Two Belgians who have arrived at Sluiskill, Holland, from Ghent report that there was a revolt in Antwerp November 30 in which between 200 and 300 inhabitants and many German soldiers are said to have been killed, according to a Reuter Amsterdam dispatch, quoting a Sluiskill correspondent. The reported revolt was due to a call on the inhabitants for work in Germany.

GREEKS DELIVER BATTERIES

Normal Relations Reported Reestablished With Allies.

Athens, Dec. 5.—Eight batteries of field artillery will be delivered to the Allies as soon as a protocol has been formally drafted between the government and Admiral Du Fournet. Those in touch with the palace said normal relations had been reestablished between the Allied commander, Vice Admiral du Fournet, and the Greek government.

Rae Tanzer Mystery Is Solved.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—The story of Charles H. Wax, under arrest here, clears the mystery of the $50,000 breach of promise suit by Miss Rae Tanzer, milliner, against James W. Osborne, former assistant district attorney of New York city and noted criminal lawyer. Wax, who was graduated from the Columbia university medical school in 1907, says he is the "Oliver Osborne" who taught Miss Tanzer to enjoy New York night life. Miss Tanzer brought suit in March, 1915, against James W. Osborne.

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"Oh, well, Brown," said the old man, as he thoughtfully eyed the cigar the suitor offered him, "you needn't be so conceited about it! You're the seventh young chap I've accepted as a prospective son-in-law this year, and I'm expecting two more to come along next week."

"W-w-what!" stammered Brown. "I—I don't understand what you mean."

"It means," said the elderly cynic, "amusement for my girl and free cigars for me!"

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

ADULT DEATH RATE TOO HIGH

Australian Commission, After Investigation, Points Out Causes of Mortality in Middle Age.

The statement made in a recent bulletin of the New York board of health by Dr. Charles F. Bolduan, that the expectation of life for a man of forty was actually at least a year shorter than it was ten years ago, receives confirmation from Australia in the report of a commission appointed to inquire into the causes of death and invalidity.

The Lancet (London) quotes this commission's report as saying that the principal risk of middle age is in high blood tension. The principal causes of this are found in overstrain and in chronic poisoning of the blood by foods and drinks, and from the bowels and the throat.

The Lancet says the recommendations of the New York and the Australian bodies are somewhat vague, but it welcomes a campaign against avoidable adult mortality which, it says, "need not become an opportunity for the exhibition of rampant faddiness, though risk lies in this direction."

Unobservant.

"Can you tell me, for I never could make it out, why a wagon has a tongue?"

"Didn't you ever notice the wheel spoke?"

Proof Positive.

"That man's argument," exclaimed Jorkins, "as put forth in this printed page, has not a leg to stand on."

"Why, pa," interrupted his better half, "look at the footnotes."

To Be Eggsact.

"Waiter, how long will my omelet be?"

"I'll ask the cook to measure it, sir."

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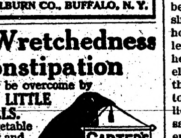

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"No?"

"Mrs. Jibway belongs to so many clubs that she never has time to figure out whether her soul is being starved or not and Mr. Jibway is so absorbed in business that he has long since forgotten that he ever had a soul."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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A Sad Case.

The proud mother was showing off her son to a neighbor.

"He grows more like his father every day," she said.

The neighbor, being a man and one of the father's former pals, did not expand with appreciation.

"Dear me," he said. "And have you tried everything?"

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

Same Idea.

"The man over there plunged in deep and apparently unpleasant thought, and the dog with him chasing his tail, are both bent on the same thing."

"What's that?"

"Trying to make both ends meet."

Would Be Kept Busy.

Most of us would have to work 24 hours a day if we loved our neighbors as they love themselves.

A mule reasons with his hind feet, but he makes himself understood.

Percy—This morning I awoke with a dreadful cold. Reggie—That's too bad, how do you account for it? Percy—Well, you see there's a spring in the bed and I suppose I got my feet wet! Reggie—Haw! haw! "gosh" ha! ha, you. Use Boschee's German Syrup for a cold or bronchitis.

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MESSAGE OF WILSON

PRESIDENT DELIVERS A SHORT ADDRESS TO CONGRESS IN JOINT SESSION.

ASKS MORE RAILWAY LAWS

Calls for Early Action on Remaining Measures of His Program of Settlement and Regulation—Other Legislation That Is Advised.

Washington, Dec. 5.—President Wilson's message, delivered to congress in joint session today, was brief and to the point. The president said:

Gentlemen of the Congress:

In fulfilling at this time the duty laid upon me by the Constitution of communicating to you from time to time information of the state of the Union and recommending to your consideration such legislative measures as may be judged necessary and expedient I shall continue the practice, which I hope has been acceptable to you, of leaving to the reports of the several heads of the executive departments the elaboration of the detailed needs of the public service and confine myself to those matters of more general public policy with which it seems necessary and feasible to deal at the present session of the congress.

I realize the limitations of time under which you will necessarily act at this session and shall make my suggestions as few as possible; but there were some things left undone at the last session which there will now be time to complete and which it seems necessary in the interest of the public to do at once.

In the first place, it seems to me imperatively necessary that the earliest possible consideration and action should be accorded the remaining measures of the program of settlement and regulation which I had occasion to recommend to you at the close of your last session in view of the public dangers disclosed by the unaccommodated difficulties which then existed, and which still unhappily continue to exist, between the railroads of the country and their locomotive engineers, conductors, and trainmen.

Railway Troubles First.

I then recommended:

First, immediate provision for the enlargement and administrative reorganization of the interstate commerce commission along the lines embodied in the bill recently passed by the house of representatives and now awaiting action by the senate; in order that the commission may be enabled to deal with the many great and various duties now devolving upon it with a promptness and thoroughness which are, with its present constitution and means of action, practically impossible.

Second, the establishment of an eight-hour day as the legal basis alike of work and of wages in the employment of all railway employees who are actually engaged in the work of operating trains in interstate transportation.

Third, the authorization of the appointment by the president of a small body of men to observe the actual results in experience of the adoption of the eight-hour day in railway transportation alike for the men and for the railroads.

Fourth, explicit approval by the congress of the consideration by the interstate commerce commission of an increase of freight rates to meet such additional expenditures by the railroads as may have been rendered necessary by the adoption of the eight-hour day and which have not been offset by administrative readjustments and economies, should the facts disclosed justify the increase.

Fifth, an amendment of the existing federal statute which provides for the mediation, conciliation, and arbitration of such controversies as the present by adding to it a provision that, in case the methods of accommodation now provided for should fail, a full public investigation of the merits of every such dispute shall be instituted and completed before a strike or lockout may lawfully be attempted.

And, sixth, the lodgment in the hands of the executive of the power, in case of military necessity, to take control of such portions and such rolling stock of the railroads of the country as may be required for military use and to operate them for military purposes, with authority to draft into the military service of the United States such train crews and administrative officials as the circumstances require for their safe and efficient use.

Renews His Recommendations.

The second and third of these recommendations the congress immediately acted on: it established the eight-hour day as the legal basis of work and wages in train service and it authorized the appointment of a commission to observe and report upon the practical results, deeming these the measures most immediately needed; but it postponed action upon the other suggestions until an opportunity should be offered for a more deliberate consideration of them. The fourth recommendation I do not deem it necessary to renew. The power of the interstate commerce commission to grant an increase of rates on the ground referred to is indisputably clear and a recommendation by the congress with regard to such a matter might seem to draw in question the scope of the commission's authority or its inclination to do justice when there is no reason to doubt either.

The other suggestions—the increase in the interstate commerce commission's membership and in its facilities for performing its manifold duties, the provision for full public investigation and assessment of industrial disputes, and the grant to the executive of the power to control and operate the railways when necessary in time of war or other like public necessity—I now very earnestly renew.

The necessity for such legislation is manifest and pressing. Those who have intrusted us with the responsibility and duty of serving and safeguarding them in such matters would find it hard, I believe, to excuse a failure to act upon these grave matters or any unnecessary postponement of action upon them.

Not only does the interstate commerce commission now find it practically impossible, with its present membership and organization, to perform its great functions promptly and thoroughly, but it is not unlikely that it may presently be found advisable to add to its duties still others equally heavy and exacting. It must first be perfected as an administrative instrument.

The country cannot and should not consent to remain any longer exposed to profound industrial disturbances for lack of additional means of arbitration and conciliation which the congress can easily and promptly supply. And all will agree that there must be no doubt as to the power of the executive to make immediate and uninterrupted use of the railroads for the concentration of the military forces of the nation wherever they are needed and whenever they are needed.

This is a program of regulation, prevention and administrative efficiency which argues its own case in the mere statement of it. With regard to one of its items, the increase in the efficiency of the interstate commerce commission, the house of representatives has already acted; its action needs only the concurrence of the senate.

For Control and Operation.

I would hesitate to recommend, and I dare say the congress would hesitate to act upon the suggestion should I make it, that any man in any occupation should be obliged by law to continue in an employment which he desired to leave. To pass a law which forbade or prevented the individual workman to leave his work before receiving the approval of society in doing so would be to adopt a new principle into our jurisprudence which I take it for granted we are not prepared to introduce. But the proposal that the operation of the railways of the country shall not be stopped or interrupted by the concerted action of organized bodies of men until a public investigation shall have been instituted which shall make the whole question at issue plain for the judgment of the opinion of the nation is not to propose any such principle. It is based upon the very different principle that the concerted action of powerful bodies of men shall not be permitted to stop the industrial processes of the nation, at any rate before the nation shall have had an opportunity to acquaint itself with the merits of the case as between employee and employer, time to form its opinion upon an impartial statement of the merits, and opportunity to consider all practicable means of conciliation or arbitration.

I can see nothing in that proposition but the justifiable safeguarding by society of the necessary processes of its very life. There is nothing arbitrary or unjust in it unless it be arbitrarily and unjustly done. It can and should be done with a full and scrupulous regard for the interests and liberties of all concerned as well as for the permanent interests of society itself.

Other Legislation Urged.

Three matters of capital importance await the action of the senate which have already been acted upon by the house of representatives: the bill which seeks to extend greater freedom of combination to those engaged in promoting the foreign commerce of the country than is now thought by some to be legal under the terms of the laws against monopoly; the bill amending the present organic law of Porto Rico; and the bill proposing a more thorough and systematic regulation of the expenditure of money in elections, commonly called the Corrupt Practices Act. I need not labor my advice that these measures be enacted into law. Their urgency lies in the manifest circumstances which render their adoption at this time not only opportune but necessary. Even delay would seriously jeopard the interests of the country and of the government.

Immediate passage of the bill to regulate the expenditure of money in elections may seem to be less necessary than the immediate enactment of the other measures to which I refer; because at least two years will elapse before another election in which federal offices are to be filled; but it would greatly relieve the public mind if this important matter were dealt with while the circumstances and the dangers to the public morals of the present method of obtaining and spending campaign funds stand clear under recent observation and the methods of expenditure can be frankly studied in the light of present experience; and a delay would have the further very serious disadvantage of postponing action until another election was at hand and some special object connected with it might be thought to be in the mind of those who urged it. Action can be taken now with facts for guidance and without suspicion of partisan purpose.

I shall not argue at length the desirability of giving a freer hand in the matter of combined and concerted effort to those who shall undertake the essential enterprise of building up our export trade. That enterprise will presently, will immediately assume, has indeed already assumed, a magnitude unprecedented in our experience. We have not the necessary instrumentalities for its prosecution; it is deemed to be doubtful whether they could be created upon an adequate scale under our present laws. We should clear away all legal obstacles and create a basis of undoubted law for it which will give freedom without permitting unregulated license. The thing must be done now, because the opportunity is here and may escape us if we hesitate or delay.

Porto Rico's Needs.

The argument for the proposed amendments of the organic law of Porto Rico is brief and conclusive. The present laws governing the island and regulating the rights and privileges of its people are not just. We have created expectations of extended privilege which we have not satisfied. There is uneasiness among the people of the island and even a suspicious doubt with regard to our intentions concerning them which the adoption of the pending measure would happily remove. We do not doubt what we wish to do in any essential particular. We ought to do it at once.

There are other matters already advanced to the stage of conference between the two houses of which it is not necessary that I should speak. Some practicable basis of agreement concerning them will no doubt be found and action taken upon them.

Inasmuch as this is, gentlemen, probably the last occasion I shall have to address the Sixty-fourth congress, I hope that you will permit me to say with what genuine pleasure and satisfaction I have co-operated with you in the many measures of constructive policy with which you have enriched the legislative annals of the country. It has been a privilege to labor in such company. I take the liberty of congratulating you upon the completion of a record of rare serviceableness and distinction.

The Years After Fifty.

When men pass the half-century mark, they usually regard themselves as going down hill.

A discovery which I made by talking with those who were really living in the latter period was that many of them regarded their experience of life in the advancing years as the best part of the whole. It did not appear on the surface; it was not any marked success before the world, and it was not appeal, perhaps, to those in the earlier life; but many of those people told me they felt that they were living the happiest days of all. There seems to be a mysterious quality of life in these later years which is not found in the earlier part, something that is worth while in the living of it; and no one has had all of human life until he has been through these years and found it.

Then, and not before, I came back to the conviction that one who has attained a half-century of clean, honest living, is worthy of congratulation; that he ought to pass his fiftieth birthday without a particle of dread as to his future years, and understand that the greatest opportunity of his life is yet before him.—American Magazine.

That's Right.

Father was attempting to read the evening newspaper and Bobby seemed to be rather fuller of questions than usual, the flow being uninterrupted in spite of the elder man's persistent admonitions for the youngster to cease talking.

"Say, papa, just tell me something else and then I'll quit bothering you," promised Bobby. "I will, for sure, papa."

"Well, what is it?"

"I've got to write a composition in school tomorrow and don't know what to write about. What shall I write about?"

"I'm surprised at such a question," replied the fond and doting parent, "and I want you to remember for future reference that whenever you don't know what to write about, you can always right about face."

Eating Higher Up.

Bert Swor, famous delineator of darky types, hails from Fort Worth, Tex., where he had exceptional opportunities for studying the characters which he now impersonates in a professional way.

Swor loves to tell about a certain dusky swain who, when he found the door closed against him, tried to cozen his sweetheart with soft promises.

After long and unsuccessful coaxing Henry tried a masterstroke.

"Better let me in, honey," he said, "kase I's got sumfin' you all like."

"What is it?" inquired Clarissa, suspiciously.

"Pigs' feet."

With a sniff of contempt Clarissa retorted:

"Go on away wif youah pigs' feet; I done got me a new beau, n' now I am eatin' higher up on de hog."

Times Change.

"I see that Fifi Flubdub, the actress, is so temperamental that she swoons at the odor of tuberoses. So her management has to watch her constantly."

"Um. Time brings great changes. I knew her once. She was raised in a block next to a gas house."

Knew Scales Were All Right.

"I'm sure that grocer of ours gives us short weight," said he. "No, he doesn't," said ma. "His scales are correct. I weighed myself on them this morning and they showed that I am twenty pounds lighter than I thought I was."—Detroit Free Press

Uric Acid Poisoning?

The most eminent physicians recognize that uric acid stored up in the system is the cause of rheumatism, that this uric acid poison is present in the joints, muscles, or nerves. By experimenting and analysis at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y., Dr. Pierce discovered a combination of native remedies that he called Anuric—which drives out the uric acid from the system, and in this way the pain, swelling and inflammation subside. If you are a sufferer from rheumatism, backache, pains here or there, you can obtain Anuric at any drug store and get relief from the pains and ills brought about by uric acid; or send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial pkg. Anuric which you will find many times more potent than lithia and eliminates uric acid as hot water melts sugar. A short trial will convince you.

ALL POINTING TO ONE FACT

Events Scheduled to Come Off in Petunia Positive Proof That Fool Killer Was on Vacation.

"There are several events of an educational nature to be pulled off in our progressive little city today," the landlord of the Petunia tavern informed a guest who wished for some means by which to pass the time. "At two o'clock Burt Blurt will wheelbarrow old Riley Rezzidew, adorned with a new plug hat and freshly dyed whiskers, three times around the public square. Judge Puffer will eat his own hat without butter at 4:30. Meanwhile, Hyson Hush will chaperon the customary peanut with the usual toothpick round and round most all the afternoon, and Doc Snort and Homer Spraddle probably will be fighting off and on until a late hour. And some time during the evening Purley Purt and Miss Kissie McQuick will be made one—the bet was that if Wilson won Purley would marry Kissie and if Hughes was victorious Kissie would wed Purley. All of these episodes will be instructive, showing beyond a reasonable doubt that the fools are not all dead yet."—Kansas City Star.

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Ginger, Pep, Punch and Kick.

A writer of rejected manuscripts tells in the Contributors' club of the Atlantic Monthly some of the reasons for his lack of success. Ten years ago his manuscripts were returned because they did not "quite compel acceptance;" a little later they "lack ginger;" then editors wanted "a little more pep, please;" then his contributions did not have the "punch;" and now the long-suffering writer gets his offerings back with the comment, "Excellent of their kind, but we prefer stories with more 'kick'!" His letter to the Contributors' club seems to have had all the desirable elements which his earlier efforts lacked, for it was published!—Outlook.

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Paraguay has valuable forest resources, the most important of which is quebracho, particularly rich in tannin.

East Valley News.

The Ladies Sewing Club will meet at Mrs. P. Rosand's Wednesday the 18th of Dec. All are welcome.

There will be a Christmas program also services by Rev. Ordahl in the East Valley School Thursday Dec. 21, at 7 P. M.

The Zion Y. P. S. of East Valley meets Sunday at Silbaugh's home at 2 P. M.

Wood Wanted.

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T. B. Folden Secy. Holt, Minn.

E. T. Eide finds that his barn room is too small and is taking advantage of the fine weather of this season to build an addition to his feed and livery barn so that he will be enabled to take care of his customers in proper manner during the coming season. He expects to have the work completed next week.—Spooner News.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Sept. 1916.

Cream received	24,876 lbs
Average test	28 67
Butter fat	7303.38 lbs
Percent overrun	23 11
Butter made	8981 lbs
Balance on hand last month	2 70
Received for butter shipped	2666 77
Butter and milk sold patrons	17 96
Cash sales at creamery	32 03
Rec'd from other sources	7 37
Total	$2726 83
Paid patrons by check	2413 46
" " Butter & milk	17 96
Expense fund, etc.	230 63
Other sources	3 63
To sinking fund	54 67
Balance on hand	6 49
Total	$2726 83

Number of patrons 112

Price paid for butter fat 33 1-2c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

T. O. Dovre $68.50, C. L. Heinze 52.95, John Knutson 51.28, Erick Johnson 49.79, Swan Carlson 48.98, Tosten Ellefson 43.35, S. H. Nohre 43.28, Chris Yttre 42.45, Ed. Horien 42.85, Louis Johnson 41.58, August Kuehne 40.22, Henry Wigge 40.10.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary

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Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Nov. 11, 1916.

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Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 11, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Anne Anderson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on April 7th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05960, for SW 1-4 Section 27, Township 156 N Range 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 18th day of Dec., 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: C. A. Lydin, Rudolph Dahl, Axel Benson and Emil Ostlund, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

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NEW POLICY NEEDED IN GOVERNMENT RAILWAY CONTROL

Helpfulness and Encouragement Urged by Alfred P. Thom.

CREDIT MUST BE IMPROVED

Increase of Transportation Facilities Necessary to Secure Relief From High Cost of Living May Thus Be Provided For by the Railroads.

Washington, Nov. 28.—A new policy of government railroad regulation, based on constructive principles of helpfulness and encouragement instead of upon principles of repression and punishment, was urged by Alfred P. Thom, counsel for the Railway Executives' Advisory Committee, the first witness on behalf of the railroads before the Newlands Joint Committee on Interstate Commerce, which has instituted a general inquiry into the problems of railroad regulation.

"It is proposed by the joint resolution of Congress," said Mr. Thom, "to go into a comprehensive study of the whole subject of transportation, to make a new assessment, after 29 years of experiment, of its history, its present conditions and its future needs. The railroads accept the view that regulation is a permanent and enduring part of government in America and that the first duty of the carriers is to the public. That duty is to afford reasonable facilities on reasonable terms and at reasonable rates, and this must be done before any private interests can be considered."

Certainty, Safety and Sufficiency.

Mr. Thom contended that the real interest of the public is in being assured of certainty, safety and sufficiency of transportation facilities, rather than in rates. "The first consideration of the public is to obtain transportation facilities. What the cost is, is in reality a second consideration, he said.

Mr. Thom proposed an increase of transportation facilities as a method of securing relief from the high cost of living. "There have been less than 1,000 miles of new railroad constructed in the United States during the past year," he said, "less than in any year since 1848, except the period of the Civil War, and yet the cost of living is daily advancing owing to a shortage of supplies which might be remedied by securing access to new areas of production.

Credit Must Be Improved.

"This leads to the consideration as to whether railroad credit is as good as the public interest requires. It is impossible for railroads to earn enough to supply the necessary new facilities from current revenue. They must be provided from credit. Investors cannot be coerced, but must be attracted."

Among the conditions affecting railroad credit which deter investors he mentioned the following:

"First, Railroad revenues are not controlled by investors, but are fixed and limited by governmental authority and not by one but by several governmental authorities, which do not recognize responsibility for assured results to investors and are uncoordinated.

"Second, Railroads cannot control and the government cannot and does not limit the expense account.

"Third, The present system of regulation is based on a policy of regulation and correction and not on a policy of helpfulness and encouragement.

"Fourth, The outstanding obligations of the railroads have already exceeded the financial rule of safety and involve a disproportionate amount of obligations bearing fixed charges.

"Fifth, The investor must accept a subordinate obligation or security with no assurance of a surplus of earnings to support it.

"Sixth, Other competing lines of investment present superior attractions.

"Seventh, The railroad business is largely controlled by political instead of business considerations.

Look Forward, Not Back.

"We may debate about what has caused the present conditions," said Mr. Thom, "but we cannot debate about what the people need. The President has taken the view that we must look forward in this matter and make a fresh assessment of circumstances in order to deal helpfully and intelligently with the problem. Abuses are no more prevalent in the railroad business today than in any other business humanely conducted. The great question now is whether the existing system of regulation gives the public reliable assurance of sufficient present and future railroad facilities.

"Those who oppose any change must make their appeal on the ground that the present systems assure the public of the continued adequacy of transportation facilities. If they do not, no argument based on the desirability of the present dual system of regulation will be accepted by public judgment. The question of states' rights is not involved. If the regulation of transportation facilities privately owned should fail government ownership must follow, and then all power of the states over the railroads would disappear.

"Let us debate this question, then, not upon any mere theory or jealousy as to the distribution of governmental power, but upon the large issue of what the public interest requires in respect of the assurance of adequate transportation service."

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C. H. Gunheim, President.
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H. O. Ekerdalen and T. B. Folden visited frinds in Argyle Sunday.

Mr. Himly of Oslo, came Tuesday for a few days visit with T. O. Dovre.

Ollie Werner and son Bertie visited at the Riesberg home between trains Tuesday.

Our nice weather suffered a relapse Wednesday and several inches of the "beautiful" fell.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunheim were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson.

Jno. A. Sorum made a trip to Red Lake last Friday and crossed the lake on the ice, just for the fun of it.

Edwin Nelson came from Grand Forks last Thursday to visit at the home of his mother Mrs. J. L. Nelson.

Announcements regarding students short courses in farm Husbandry, Stock Raising, Gasoline and Tractor Engineering and Dressmaking are being sent out by the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and will be mailed to anyone who makes application for them.

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Local Items

Lever Olson returned home yesterday from T. R. Falls.

10 pounds Fancy Whole Rice for 69cents at Holt Merc. Co.

Fred Peterson was a busines visitor in T. R. Falls Friday.

NOTICE: S. S. Kolden will now pay $4.00 per ton for loose Flax Straw delivered at Holt.

Walmer Riesberg made a short visit with relatives in T. R. Falls this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson drove to Newfolden Sunday with Mrs. Arvid Carlson and baby.

A. H. Huseth arrived home Saturday from Montana and will visit his family until after Christmas.

Miss Lizzie Hanson came Friday from her home in Albert Lea for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Christianson.

Red Cross Seals should always be put on the backs- on the backs- of letters and packages. It is against the law to put them on the front.

Mrs. Oscar Hensrud and brother Elmer Docken, both of Mekinock, N. D., came Tuesday for a few days visit at the home of their brother, B. Docken and family.

Southeast of Holt.

Services were held at the Sam Groven school house conducted by Rev. Geo. Larson on Sunday forenoon. His next service will be Dec. 26th. commencing at 2:30 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Sordahl returned home from near Scotsguard, Sask last Tuesday where they have been staying since last spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Groven very delightfully entertained on Sunday the following people:

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Swanson, Iven Senum and daughter Tarjer, Lesa Olsen, Harry Moe and sisters, Gunda and Thora.

Oscar Guttrud succeeded in shooting a wolf last week.

Teachers and pupils are busy selling red cross Christmas seals.

There will be a Christmas tree and program at the Sam Groven school house Wednesday evening Dec. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Sordahl entertained the following, on Sunday P. M., Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sampson and family, Mrs. P. Michaelson, Miss Signora Sandbo, Gjermund Johnson, Simon and Oscar Moe.

Mrs. John Espeleeden who has been confined to the hospital in T. R. Falls with typhoid fever, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Ose and family moved down from their home at Sunbeam last week and are now residing on Mrs. J. Olsen's farm, which they have rented.

Gjermund Johnson was a visitor at Moe'e Monday evening.

Albert Klungness made a business trip to Warren the first of the week.

Torald Tharaldson and Tellef Brokke left last week for Saetersdalen, Norway, where they expect to reside permanently.

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Mission services Sunday at 10:45 by Rev. H. Bjonson of Morris Minn. Offering for missions in China.

Children meet at 2 o'clock to practice for Christmas program.

Young People's Society meet at Parsonage at 7 P. M., entertained Mrs. Jacob Nelson and Mrs. M. B. Ordahl.

Christmas services Dec. 25th. at 10:45 and in Ringbo at 3 P. M.

Services at Wilson school house in Golden Valley at 7 P.M. Dec. 26th.

Christmas tree and program at 7 o'clock Thursday evening Dec. 28th.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Mrs. L. Wegge was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday.

Oscar Bergen of Middle River was in town Monday on business.

10 pounds Fancy Whole Rice for 69 cents at Holt Merc. Co.

The Golden Hour Society will meet with Mrs. Gust Peterson, Saturday Dec. 16th.

Rev. Strom returned home yesterday from Grand Forks and other points in N. Dak.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kreehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

Miss Edna M. Anderson has just begun a school of dressmaking at 213 1-2 Third St., Thief River Falls. Write her for full particulars at above address.

John Hagberg moved his building Friday. He will build on a kitchen and will soon have a nice little home which is one of many which are so much needed here.

Some ladies met at Mrs. Docken's Monday evening to prepare for Christmas tree, and all interested will meet at Mrs. Ellestad's this week for the same purpose.

Mrs. Lystad and daughter, Miss Mabel, both of Montana, arrived here last week Thursday and are visiting at Charles H. Gunheim's. Mrs. Lystad is a sister of J. P. Lein and an aunt to Mrs. Gunheim.

If you are looking for war prices on your hides, furs and junk ship them to us, we pay freight and express. Write for prices. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. Falls, Minn. Located north of G. N. depot. 1 11

The seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Dahl was taken sick last Thursday afternoon. She became so ill Sunday that they took her to the doctor in T. R. Falls who found it to be an attack of appendicitis, but there was so much inflamation they did not think it best to operate now. Mrs. Dahl remained there a few days with her little girl, who is getting better.

Mail your Christmas packages early and be sure they are plainly addressed and securely tied. The name of the sender is required on all parcel post packages. Packages mailed late when the rush is on are apt to be crushed or lost. Shop Early.

The Sixth Annual Farm Crops Show which has been a great school of instruction for the people generally of the Red River Valley will be in session again in Crookston, Feb. 5th to 8th. The executive committee is planning even greater and more varied entertainment and profitable features than in the past.

Ringbo Rumbles

Mr. and Mrs. Ellif Sorter and son Selmer, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Sorter and Mrs. Erick Johnson and daughter Pearl, called at G. P. Sorter's last Sunday.

Misses Gyda Udstrand, Hazel Davidson and Esther Movik and Messrs Hilmer and Oliver Davidson Pete Sorter, Melvin Bjerk, and Oscar Anderson spent last Sunday afternoon at Gulick Erickson's.

The Synod Ladies Aid Auction sale that was held at Magnus Grandahl last Wednesday was well attended and they took in quite a sum of money.

Miss Sophie Johnson has been staying with her sister Mrs. Swanson a couple of days.

Julius Erickson left for Dawson Minn. last Friday.

A surprise party was given on Mrs. Conrad Thies last Thursday Dec. 7th. They presented her with some money. There was quite a crowd there but there would have been more had it not been for the snow. A good time is reported.

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Entertainment and Christmas tree at the school house Friday evening, Dec. 22.

Edwin Erickson took out a windmill Tuesday which he will erect over his new well.

Clarence Kolden went to So. St. Paul Saturday with a car of cattle and hogs, for his father.

Are you making use of the State Free Traveling Libraries? Books for the asking at the Holt State Bank.

Lars Sollom of Grand Forks came last week Thursday to visit at the home of his aunt, Mrs. T. T. Sollom.

See our merchants when in need of winter goods. They will sell you cheaper, net, than the catalog firms.

Free scholarship are being offered by the Northwest School of Agriculture, at Crookston. Write them direct for full information.

The annual short course of the T. R. Falls high school will open on Monday, Jan. 8, and continue three months. Everything is free. If you wish to enroll, write at once to

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Sunnyside School Notes

The basket social held in Sunnyside school Dist. No. 59 on Dec. 2nd. was well attended which was highly appreciated.

The fact that the seats are not movable is to be deplored. We would have felt better pleased if more room could have been obtained tor playing of games.

The proceeds from the sale of baskets and fishpound was $51.40. This money is to be used for buying playground apparatus and Xmas tree trimmings.

The coming of the snow made a change in the good attendance of the primary room. A good plan that we have adopted is exchanging Library and text books with other districts.

Do your Christmas shopping early.

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As health is a first aid to beauty this story told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

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"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said: 'Take tonoline.'

Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

"What tonoline really did for me I cannot say. I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline publicly."

"Tonoline is a purely vegetable preparation which goes to the seat of common maladies—stomach and kidney trouble, catarrhal affections of the mucous membranes, liver ailments and impurities of the of the blood—and quickly restores proper action. Tonoline is being explained daily at your druggists.

Notice:—As tonoline is a wonderful flesh builder it should not be taken by any one not wishing to increase his weight ten pounds or more. Although many reports are received from those who have been benefited by tonoline in severe cases of stomach trouble and nervous dyspepsia, chronic constipation, etc.

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American Proprietary Co.
Boston, Mass.
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For Sale.

Good driving team eight years old, weight 2000 lbs., gentle and in first class shape.

Chas. H. Johnson,
Newfolden, Minn.

Notice

On account of Christmas and New Years days being on Mondays I have decided to receive cream on Thursdays only for those 2 weeks.

P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker

Free Mission Church

The Sunday School children will meet at one o'clock next Sunday to practice for the Christmas program.

Rev. Kilen will hold Norwegian services at 3 o'clock next Sunday.

At 8 o'clock in the evening he will be assisted by the young people in holding an English service, to which all are invited.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.61
Wheat No. 2	1.56
Wheat No. 3	1.43
Wheat No. 4	1.10
Flax	2 61
Oats	.39
Barley	48 to .74
Rye	1.17
Flour, Best Patent	5.05

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U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, Nov. 11, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Anne Anderson, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on April 7th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05960, for SW 1-4 Section 27, Township 156 N Range 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 18th day of Dec., 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: C. A. Lydin, Rudolph Dahl, Axel Benson and Emil Ostlund, all of Golden Valley, Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

A Smooth Hairless Skin for Women

From Beauty Secrets

With the aid of a plain medol paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with powdered medol. This is applied to the hairs not wanted and after 2 or 3 minutes is rubbed off and the skin washed. When every trace of hair will have vanished. When you ask your druggist for medol be sure you get the genuine article, and if he will not supply you send the American Proprietary Co. of [illegible]

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NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What Is Going On at Washington and in Other Sections of the Country.

WAR NEWS.

King Constantine of Greece formally advised Vice Admiral du Fornet that Greece had determined to refuse the surrender of arms demanded by the allies.

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Premier Radoslavoff of Bulgaria has announced that Sofia will follow the example of her allies and mobilize labor for the production of munitions, according to a Sofia dispatch.

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The French transport Karnak has been sunk near Malta by a German submarine, according to an announcement by the German admiralty. The transport is said to have been loaded with troops bound for Saloniki.

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David Lloyd-George has become premier of Great Britain, succeeding Herbert Asquith, who resigned after holding the position for eight years, and will form another coalition ministry.

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The French gunboat Surprise has been sunk by German submarines at Funchal, Maderia, according to an announcement by the Portuguese minister of marine in a dispatch from Lisbon.

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Belgians, who have arrived at Sluiskill, Holland, from Ghent report that there was a revolt in Antwerp on November 30, in which between two and three hundred inhabitants and many German soldiers are said to have been killed.

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The Italian steamship Palermo, with twenty-five Americans on board, has been torpedoed off the Spanish coast. One sailor, reported to be an American, was wounded by a shell and died in a hospital at Palafrugell, Spain.

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The total losses of the entente in the present war have been 15,100,000, according to figures given out by the Association for Research into the Social Consequences of the War of Copenhagen. "Of this number," says the report, "Great Britain has lost 1,200,000 men; Russia, $8,500,000; France, 3,700,000; Italy, 800,000; Serbia, 480,000; Belgium, 220,000, and Roumania, 200,000.

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Bucharest, the capital of Rumania, has been captured by the Teutonic forces. Ploechlit, an important railway junction, thirty-six miles northwest of Bucharest, is also in the hands of the Central powers, thus the Teutons control virtually half of the kingdom of Rumania. The fall of Bucharest gives the Central powers possession of four capital cities of enemy nations.

GENERAL.

Colonel William Withers, leader of the orchestra in Ford's theater on the night Abraham Lincoln was shot, died at New York.

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John Dustin Archbold, capitalist, president of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey and officer and director in various other enterprises, died at his home at Tarrytown, N. Y.

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Miss Edith Colby, newspaper woman, was found guilty at Thompson Falls, Mont., of murder in the second degree, for shooting and killing A. C. Thomas, a politician, who she alleged had insulted her.

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A corporation controlling seven of the largest bakeries in St. Louis advanced the price of bread. Hereafter the small loaf will sell at retail for 6 cents and the large loaf for 12 cents. The retail price of rolls and doughnuts will be 15 cents a dozen.

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The United States mail stage running from Rogerson, Idaho, to Jarbridge, Nev., was held up and robbed and its driver was shot and killed by bandits. The mail sacks were rifled and an amount reported to be between $3,100 and $7,000 taken by the robbers.

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Prohibition of betting on elections was proposed in an amendment to the corrupt practice bill offered by Senator Kenyon, republican, of Iowa. Betting would be made punishable by a fine of $500 for each offense.

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Ambassador James W. Gerard has sailed from New York on the steamer Frederik VIII, to return to his post at Berlin. He carried with him $25,000 collected by the American relief committee for the benefit of the widows and orphans of German soldiers killed in the war.

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A dispatch from Calcutta says it is estimated 1,000 lives were lost in the recent cyclone in Pondicherry, the chief of the French possessions in India. Four hundred bodies have been found.

Reports from various eastern cities are to the effect that thousands of turkeys were left on the hands of the dealers Thanksgiving as the result of the refusal of housewives to pay high prices.

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Twenty-five Kansas editors, threatened with suspension because of print paper shortage, met at Kansas City, Kan., and took steps to meet the crisis by delegating George W. Marble of the Fort Scott Tribune-Monitor to present their necessities to the federal trade commission in Washington.

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California Favorite, awarded the grand steer championship of the international live stock exposition at Chicago, was sold at auction to a Detroit packing firm for $1,960. The price is declared to be the highest ever paid for beef. The price per pound was $1.75.

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Oscar McDaniel, prosecuting attorney of Buchanan county, Missouri, was acquitted by a jury in the criminal court at St. Joseph, on a charge of having murdered Mrs. Harriet Moss McDaniel, his wife. Mrs. McDaniel was found beaten and dying in her bed room in St. Joseph the night of July 14.

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The right of the members of the tri-city central trades council of East St. Louis to picket the plant of the American Steel foundries was upheld by the United States circuit court of appeals at Chicago in a decision reversing the United States district court. The lower court was directed to enter an order in accordance with the ruling of the upper court.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Scores of soldiers of the Thirty-second Michigan national guard staged a demonstration in their camp at El Paso against being held on border duty any longer.

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"Above the average" was the summary of health reports received at San Antonio from 100,000 troops on Mexican border service by Colonel Walter D. McCaw, chief surgeon of the southern department.

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One million cartridges for the Mexican government, said to have been shipped from New York by way of Vera Cruz, arrived at Mexico City. According to information from Vera Cruz the cartridges were shipped in disguised packages.

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Carranza forces are again in control of Chihuahua City and Villa and his band of outlaws have fled to the mountains to the west of the capital city, it was announced by General Francisco Gonzales, commander of the Carranza brigade at Juarez.

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Mexicans reaching border points declare that Villa took out of Chihuahua fully 4,000 recruits, of whom half were government soldiers left officerless during the panic that followed Villa's capture of the artillery on Santa Rosa hill.

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Howard Gray, an American employee of the Alvarado Mining company, was tortured and hanged by Villistas when they entered Parral a month ago, according to two mining men who arrived at El Paso a few days ago.

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Shortage of ammunition and food rather than lack of morale among the Carranza troops at Chihuahua City is held by Ambassador Designate Arredondo at Washington to be the real cause of the defeat of General Trevino and the Carranza forces by Villa bandits.

WASHINGTON.

An embargo to prohibit the export of print papers used by publishers of newspapers is asked in a resolution introduced in the house at Washington by Representative Campbell.

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Iowa and Pennsylvania law prescribing butter fat standards for ice cream were upheld as constitutional by the supreme court in test cases attacking their validity as arbitrary exercise of state "police powers" although designed to prevent adulteration of food products.

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Information in the hands of government officials concerning the nationwide inquiry into the high cost of living, has proven beyond question that the soaring prices of foodstuffs were due to the manpulation of speculators in food commodities who had combined to force quotations upward.

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It has become known that the federal farm loan banks will declare a $1,000,000 bond issue, after the new banks open, probably in February. The bonds will be issued in denominations of from $25 to $1,000, and will bear between 4 and 5 per cent interest.

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Withdrawal from entry of 45,000 acres of public land in Colorado and 86,000 acres in Utah, including a part of the Green river formation, which it is estimated, will yield not lesss than 1,000,000,000 barrels of fuel oil, was recommended to President Wilson by Secretary Lane.

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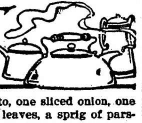
Acting on its own behalf, the American government has informed Germany anew of its deep concern over the deportation of Belgians from their own country by the German military authorities.

The KITCHEN CABINET



We eat to live, not live to eat. Any excess in eating or drinking, alike is a source of countless ills. In all living, health is of primary consideration.

SEASONABLE DISHES.

The following are a few choice dishes which may be served when entertaining friends:

Jugged Rabbit.—Cut the rabbits in serving-sized pieces, saute them in a hot frying pan in a little butter or bacon fat, cooking a few slices at the same time. Put the rabbit into a casserole with a small onion, and the juice of a lemon; add a cupful of stock, cover and set the dish in a pan of hot water in the oven and cook three hours and a half; serve with brown sauce, poured over all.

Somerset Salad. — Chill stewed prunes and remove the stones. Fill the cavities with peanuts. Arrange the prunes in groups of threes in nests of head lettuce, sprinkle with finely-chopped peanuts and pour over it a chilled, highly-seasoned, French dressing just as it goes to the table.

Sauted Lima Beans.—Soak dried lima beans in cold water to cover until soft, drain them and dry between soft cloth, after cooking in boiling water until tender. Then cook in a hot frying pan with a little butter until well browned; sprinkle with chopped parsley and serve piping hot.

West Chester Salad.—Use one-half a grapefruit, one orange, one cupful of pineapple, one apple, one cupful of white grapes and a half cupful of tender celery. Cut all in uniform pieces, the grapes in half and remove the seeds. Make a French dressing of a fourth of a cupful of oil, the juice of a lemon (not more than two tablespoonfuls); one teaspoonful each of sugar and salt and a half teaspoonful of paprika. Add this to the fruits and let stand an hour to marinate. Drain and arrange on lettuce leaves with a half cupful of boiled or steamed raisins and mayonnaise dressing.

Moravian Sugar Bread.—When making bread take out a piece, roll thin and lay in a pie tin. When risen make holes with the finger and fill with butter and brown sugar, then dust cinnamon over the loaf and bake. Coffee-cake dough may be treated in this manner.

Among all the basic principles of economic life, none is more vital than this that every able-bodied adult should have a job; that he should work at the thing for which he is best suited and best fitted, and that he should be paid the full value for what he produces.

GOOD DISHES FOR DINNER.

An appetizing dish to make from left-over roast of beef is beef olives.

Beef Olives.—Cut thin slices of roast beef and put aside; chop the trimmings and bits too small to serve, season with poultry dressing and crumbs, allow one tablespoonful of the dressing for each slice of beef; spread the slices with the mixture, tie up and put into a saucepan with a little fat to brown; when well browned add a little hot water and simmer until they are thoroughly heated through. Season with salt and pepper, make a brown sauce and pour over the rolls when ready to serve.

Add very thinly sliced oranges to a clear tomato soup.

Roast Squabs.—Stuff the birds with the livers fried and chopped fine, to which has been added two tablespoonfuls of butter, one teaspoonful of chives, chopped fine; one-half a cupful of bread crumbs, one beaten egg, salt, pepper, cayenne and a little nutmeg. After stuffing tuck the necks of the birds under the wings, tie, rub with butter and bake twenty to thirty minutes. Serve on toast moistened with the gravy from the pan. Garnish with watercress.

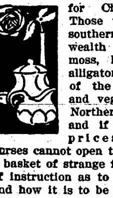
Try this stuffing for your Christmas goose: Two cupfuls of hot mashed potatoes, a half cupful of sliced walnut meats, one teaspoonful of grated onion, one teaspoonful of salt, a half teaspoonful of paprika, one tablespoonful of butter, one teaspoonful of powdered sage, the yolks of two eggs and four tablespoonfuls of cream; blend well and stuff the goose, not too full.

Chocolate Soup (From the German).—Heat gradually one quart of sweet milk; with a portion of it soften and stir smooth five tablespoonfuls of grated chocolate, let gradually come to a boil and simmer eight minutes, sweetening to taste. Beat four eggs, add a little of the milk before it is too hot, then add the eggs, beating well. Let stand where it will keep hot, add the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs, sweetened with two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Drop the egg white by teaspoonfuls and cover with a close lid to cook the whites. Serve cold.

Chicken Livers With Rice.—Cook a cupful of rice in a kettle of salted water until tender, then drain in a colander and set in the oven with the door open. Sprinkle four to six chicken livers with flour, salt and pepper and saute in a little butter. Make a tomato sauce, cooking 15 minutes, a pint or can of tomato, one sliced onion, one clove, two bay leaves, a sprig of parsley, two stalks of celery or a saltspoonful of celery seed, a blade of mace, two teaspoonfuls of sugar, and salt and pepper to taste. Put through a sieve and add a tablespoonful each of butter and flour rubbed together. Pour slowly into this the hot strained tomato. Arrange the hot livers in the center of a platter, with the rice as a border and the sauce poured over the livers.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS AT HAND.

Few young people realize what a wealth of resources the women who live in the country have for Christmas giving. Those who live in the southern states with the wealth of beautiful moss, kumquats, limes, alligator pears and many of the different fruits and vegetables that the Northerner seldom sees, and if seen cost such prices that ordinary purses cannot open to them. For such a basket of strange foods with a note of instruction as to what it contains and how it is to be prepared, the recipients would thank them most gratefully. How many people in the North ever saw a chayote or a dasheen, yet these are quite as common in the South as cauliflower in the North. Those who are sick of the sight of fish, might delight an inland cousin with a basket of the fish so highly prized because not near at hand. Where wild game abounds and the laws do not prohibit sending it, such a gift is a choice present. If you live near the woods where pine abounds with its beautiful cones, a gunny sack of them for your friend to use in his fireplace for Christmas eve would surely be appreciated. A bunch of herbs, or lavender for the linen closet, a pillow of hops for the wakeful friend, a basket of popcorn balls or a few vegetables, well washed and arranged in a basket, for the friend with a small family, this may be so filled that it will be as attractive as a basket of flowers.



If you ever tried to buy a spruce tree in the city you may appreciate what the gift of a small one for her dinner table would mean to your city cousin. Five-cent baskets filled with ferns, alder berries and other bits of nature which delight the eye may be given for a centerpiece for her living-room table for your city friend. Rose hips, partridge berries, wintergreen berries and others may be strung to decorate the Christmas tree. Do you have honey, or make maple sirup, canned fruit and jellies, make fruit cakes, cookies or country doughnuts, be sure any of these will be hailed with joy by the friends in town.

Jasamine is sweet and has many loves,
And the broom's betrothed to the bee;
But I will plight with the dainty rose,
For fairest of all is she.
—Hood.

DISHES NOT EXPENSIVE.

To the housewife who needs to use every care in her expenditure, rice is a food to which we should turn. It is still at a reasonable price and may be used two or three times a week on our tables in the form of a vegetable or dessert. Seasoned with butter, pepper and salt it makes a very good substitute for potato. Simply boiled and salted and served with cream and sugar it is a very dainty breakfast food and the numerous ways in which it may serve as a dessert are too many to name. If you have never tried a chocolate sauce with plain boiled rice, you have yet to enjoy a popular dish.

Baked Pears.—Wash and arrange the pears in a deep baking dish with water, sugar, lemon juice, and butter in the pan to use for basting. Baste them during the baking and cook long enough to give the sauce a rich brown color and the pears will be especially delicious. Serve as a dessert or they may be served with the roast if so desired.

Coffee Ice Cream.—Scald a pint of milk with a half cupful of dry coffee, until well steeped. Strain into three slightly beaten eggs, one cupful of sugar and a pinch of salt. Return to the fire and cook until the mixture coats the spoon. Add a quart of cream and freeze. Serve with marshmallow sauce.

Marshmallow Sauce.—In the upper part of a double boiler put a fourth of a pound of marshmallows. When melted, pour on a sirup made by boiling one cupful of sugar and a fourth of a cupful of water ten minutes. Add one-half a teaspoonful of vanilla and cool.

Roast Beef Salad.—Very rare roast beef is excellent for salad. Cut in very thin slices and marinate in a French dressing in which a finely chopped slice of onion has been added. Serve on a platter garnished with potato salad, pickled beets and lettuce.

Nellie Maxwell

BANKS' CONDITION NEVER WAS BETTER

STATEMENTS UNDER LATEST CALL SHOW HEALTHY GAINS IN ASSETS AND DEPOSITS.

MILLIONS NEEDED FOR "U"

Budget Tentatively Adopted by Regents for Presenation to Legislature by Governor—Provision Made for Consulting Engineer.

St. Paul.

On statements under the November 17 call showing gains of about 20 per cent in deposits and nearly 16 per cent in assets for the year, A. H. Turrittin, state superintendent of banks declared that Minnesota state banks collectively were never in more satisfactory condition.

Comparisons were made public of the statements on the recent call with those under date of November 10, 1915—almost exactly a year.

Deposits on the latest date were $210,841,522.80 or $34,152,194.60 greater than on November 10, 1916, according to the tabulation just finished. Assets totalled $243,978,727.71, showing a net increase of $36,508,757.45. The item of loans and discounts increased from $164,350,723.26 to $191,828,005.31, a gain of $27,477,282.05. Sixty-eight new state banks were chartered during the year.

Five Millions for "U."

A budget totaling $5,139,000 has been tentatively adopted by the board of regents of the University of Minnesota for the maintenance of the university for two years. This budget was to be submitted to Governor Burnquist for presentation to the Legislature with a probability that he would call another conference of regents for reduction.

Provision was made in the budget for the employment of a consulting engineer in the extension department. His services will be free to Minnesota cities and towns.

A ten-year contract was made for electric power, terminable at any time under a graduated penalty if the high dam proves available for the development of power for the university.

The establishment of a college of commerce was postponed indefinitely. Large cuts were made in the appropriations for practically all departments with the exception of the arts college, which President Vincent characterized as the weakest point.

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Xmas Fire Warning Out.

With the approach of the holiday season as shown by the store window displays, Robert W. Hargadine, state fire marshal has issued warning against carelessness. "It is most urgent that everybody keep in mind the fire hazard," said Mr. Hargadine. "These displays were installed in anticipation of the Christmas business, and while many of the window dressers adopted noninflamable materials for decorative purposes, there still is room for improvement."

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To Choose Vincent's Successor.

Pierce Butler of St. Paul, Fred B. Snyder of Minneapolis and C. W. Glotfelter of Waterville have been appointed at a meeting of the university regents as a committee to seek a successor to President Vincent. The committee received no instructions other than to use its own judgment as to method and to get the best man available. It is understood that the committee leaves soon on a tour that may take it to many of the universities of the East and Middle West.

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State Helps Save Eyes.

The state will supply, temporarily at least, a specially prepared solution containing 1 per cent silver nitrate for the use of physicians and other attendents to prevent "baby blindness," as required by a newly adopted regulation of the State Board of Health. Dr. H. M. Bracken, executive officer of the board, has so anounced, adding that the supply is now available. The expense of the solution is estimated at about 2 cents for each treatment.

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Prison Given Silk Flag.

Nearly 100 members and friends of Mary E. Starkweather Tent No. 1, Daughters of Veterans, Minneapolis attended a gathering in the chapel of the state penitentiary when a big silk flag, the gift of the Starkweather Daughters, was presented to the institution.

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Road Officials in Chicago.

John H. Mullen, deputy state highway engineer in charge of roads and C. Nagle, deputy engineer in charge of bridges, were in Chicago to attend the annual meetings of the Northwestern Road congress.

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State to Lend $1,500,000.

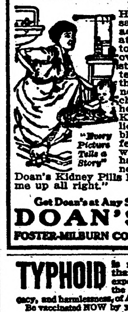
The state board of investment has voted to receive applications for loans up to a limit of $1,500,000, the amount estimated to become available before Aug. 1, 1917. It was decided also to receive applications for loans for the construction of county roads. Board rules were amended to provide for meetings on the first and third Mondays of each month, to expedite business. William E. Lee of Long Prairie presented the application of Reynolds, Todd county, for a loan of $17,000 with which to build two roads

A Mother's Burden

A mother who suffers kidney trouble, finds it hard to keep up her daily work. Lameness, backache, sharp pains when stooping and "blue", nervous or dizzy spells, make home life dreary. Active kidneys bring back vigor, health and a pleasure in family duties. If the kidneys are weak try a box of Doan's Kidney Pills.

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. I. Iverson, Hillsboro, N. D., says: "My back ached so severely at times that I had to walk all stooped over. I couldn't straighten without terrible pains through my kidneys. I also had chills and constant headaches. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved these troubles and made me feel better in every way. Whenever I have needed a kidney medicine since, Doan's Kidney Pills have quickly fixed me up all right."



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"What does that mean?"

"I take it to mean he won't give a cent."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

KEEN MEMORY FOR FACES

Colonel Roosevelt Remembered, After Two Years, Man Whom He Had Only Met in a Crowd.

Colonel Roosevelt has one of the most wonderful memories I ever heard of, particularly for faces and names," said C. E. Embree of the Maine Farmers' Union. "I first met him somewhere about 1906 at Riverhead, Long Island, when perhaps 3,000 persons were introduced to him.

"About two years later I met him on the street at Oyster Bay. He was in his shirtsleeves, swinging along to the postoffice, and being hailed by every one who saw him, old and young, I said: 'Good morning, sir,' as we met.

"He paused, rather squinted at my face and slowly replied: 'Good morning. Your name is Embree, is it not?' I admitted it, in astonishment at his memory, and asked, 'But where did you meet me?' and as quickly as a flash came: 'Riverhead, wasn't it?' 'But you met 3,000 men that day.' 'O, that doesn't make any difference.'

"The next meeting with the colonel was in 1912 at Nashua, N. H. I was passing around one car to take another and stepped a little one side to allow a man to pass. He casually looked at me and sang out with a smile: 'Hello, Long Island!' and was gone. It is wonderful to me that man's memory of names and faces."—Kennebec Journal.

A kiss returned is a kiss unearned.

Childish Craving

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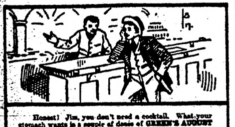

Honest! Jim, you don't need a cocktail. What your stomach wants is a couple of doses of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER—lots of the boys use it to sweeten their stomachs and carry off the miserable stuff in their bowels—it stops nervousness and headache, makes you feel like a new man. Slip 'round to the drug store and try it. It will put new life into you, I know from experience.—Remember the name

Green's August Flower

Most men think they need a cocktail or a drink when their stomach is out of order and they "feel bad" with nervous indigestion, or constipation. What they really do need is two or three doses of "AUGUST FLOWER" which quickly restores the stomach, cleansing the whole system generally.

As Times Change.

"A man used to be afraid his wife would find out that he had been to see a big spectacular show with a ballet."

"Yes. And now he's regarded as an inconsiderate person if he doesn't go to every one that comes along and take the entire family."

Cole's Carbolisalve Quickly Relieves and heals burning, itching and torturing skin diseases. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Heals without scars. 25c and 50c by druggists. For free sample write to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Adv.

Old Master, Anyway.

Miss Manyears—Yes, that was painted of me when I was a little girl.

Col. Bunt—Is it a Rubens or a Rembrandt?—London Opinion.

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GREEK SITUATION IS CRITICAL; KING MOBILIZES ARMY

SUBJECTS OF ENTENTE LEAVING ATHENS—GERMAN EMPEROR URGES GREECE TO JOIN THE TEUTONS.

GERMAN WARSHIP STOPS BOAT IN ATLANTIC, CLAIM

Light Cruiser Succeeds in Running British Cordon in North Sea and Is Now Roving Ocean, According To Captain of Vessel Arriving At London.

London, Dec. 11.—A German war ship has succeeded in running the British cordon in the North sea, according to the report of a ship captain, who says his vessel was held up and examined in the Atlantic. The vessel, the captain said on his arrival here, is a regular light cruiser.

Greek Troops Mobilize.

London, Dec. 11.—The Greek situation has reached its most critical stage. Mobilization of King Constantine's royalists forces, reports of Teutonic negotiations with the monarch, departure of all allied subjects from the capital and of concentration of allied forces near Athens were among the elements which gave concern here. All dispatches from the capital are greatly delayed.

Atrocities Charged.

One dispatch dated early in the week declared that adherents of former Premier Venizelos, now head of the provisional government established at Saloniki, were suffering persecution from the royalist forces, and are fleeing in terror from Athens. Atrocities were charges against the Greek troops.

Within a week King Constantine of Greece will be an exile, deposed from his throne by the Allies, and M. Venizelos will be in charge of the Greek government. The Greek army also will be disarmed. This is the expectation here.

Kaiser Seeks New Ally.

The kaiser has urged King Constantine to declare war upon the Allies and join the Central Powers in a great campaign to sweep the Allies from the Balkans, according to a dispatch which says the Greeks were to attack General Sarrail's army in the rear, while the Teutons attacked in front. Mobilization of a Greek royalist army at Larissa for the assault on Sarrail is reported planned.

U. S. PROBE HIGH COST OF FOOD IN NORTHWEST

Expected to Extend Federal Grand Jury Investigation to Minneapolis—Many "Corners" Charged.

Washington, Dec. 11.—Federal grand jury investigations into the high cost of living have been ordered by Attorney General Gregory to begin in New York and in Detroit next week.

Similar investigations in Cleveland, Kansas City, St. Louis, Minneapolis and other points are under consideration. Frank M. Swacker, an assistant attorney general for the government in the New Haven case, will be asked to take charge of the New York investigation.

PAGE QUITS POST IS REPORT

American Ambassador to England Seeks Rest.

Washington, Dec. 11.—Walter Hines Page has tendered his resignation as U. S. ambassador to England, it is reported on good authority. From the same source it is learned that the resignation of Ambassador Page has been in the hands of President Wilson for several days.

The informant let it be clearly understood that there is no political significance whatever in the resignation of the ambassador. His action, it is stated, is merely the result of a desire on the part of Mr. Page to be relieved of the extremely arduous duties and responsibilities of his official position.

Morgan Finds British Optimistic.

New York, Dec. 11.—J. P. Morgan, who has been in England for the last two months on a financial mission, has just returned on the steamship Finland from Liverpool. Mr. Morgan is understood to have conferred with fiscal representatives of the Allies on the subject of marketing additional loans in this country. He had an audience with King George. Mr. Morgan declined to discuss the results of his mission. "I will say, however, that people in England are very optimistic."

Bill To Smash Loan Sharks.

Chicago, Dec. 11.—Loan sharks here hold the poor who borrow from them in a steel trap by means of an organized clearing house and secret codes, signs and passwords, it has become known. The secret ring of 139 loan sharks is a marvel of co-operation, according to a report of the public welfare department and a bill to smash the ring will be introduced in the Illinois legislature this winter. Loan sharks get information about the past of every applicant for a loan from the clearing house.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Stillwater.—Forty men, employes of the Connolly Shoe factory, went on a strike here, following a disagreement with officials over a wage contract.

Albany.—Four men are in jail and the police are searching for two more as a result of an assault on John Brinkman, village marshal, when the officer attempted to arrest one of them.

Brainerd. — Pouring kerosene on a kitchen fire resulted in serious burns to Mrs. J. W. Sewell here. With the aid of her children, Mrs. Sewell wrapped rugs about herself, stifling the flames.

Mankota.—Topics of vital interest to the medical profession were discussed by prominent speakers at the annual meeting of the Southern Minnesota Medical association, which was held here last week.

Minneapolis. — Minnesota farmers were urged to grow more apples by C. S. Harrison of York, Neb., and E. G. Lee of St. Paul, speakers at the annual meeting of the Minnesota Horticultural society at the West hotel.

Washington, D. C.—Customs receipts in the district of Minnesota, including the ports of St. Paul and Minneapolis, in November, were $53,292.64. The receipts for the district in November, 1915, were $54,831.19, showing a decrease this year of $1,538.55.

Duluth.—After working all day a party of rescuers recovered the body of Rudolph Torgrin, aged 28, who, with Miss Margaret Swendby, aged 23, was drowned in Pike Lake. "Mr. Torgrin undoubtedly sacrificed his own life in an attempt to save Miss Swendby," said Gilbert Bates.

Duluth—"I am innocent of any crime in the strike of Mesabi range miners, and so are my fellow workers. Being as innocent as they, I feel my place is with them to share their lot. So I return to prison." Schmidt was released from jail November 25, on $2,000 bonds to go to his home at Scranton, Pa., where his wife lay dangerously ill.

Brainerd.—It has been announced that James M. Elder of this city, appointed by Governor Burnquist as a member of the National River and Harbor conference in Washington, has gone to the meeting with instructions from the local Chamber of Commerce to urge that the Mississippi river be opened for navigation as far north as Grand Forks.

Minneapolis.—Laura Hintze, 16 years old, of Spring Valley, and Carl Potthoff, 12 years old, of Jordan, have been presented at the annual meeting of the State Horticultural society in the West hotel with the gold medals which the government awards annually to the two members of the Boys' and Girls' Home Garden and Canning club who make the best showing for the year.

Virginia.—An ultimatum was announced at the Industrial Workers of the World mass meeting by Elizabeth Gurley Flynn that if any of the eight defendants charged with the murder of James Myron, Duluth deputy sheriff, were convicted on any charge in the face of any evidence or circumstances, the Mesaba iron range miners would lay down their tools for 24 hours.

Thief River Falls.—C. G. Selvig of Crookston was re-elected president of the Red River Valley Dairymen's association at the final session here of the thirteenth annual convention. All the other officers of the association also were re-elected, including first vice president, J. Jensen, of Clearbrook; second vice president, A. B. Stensgaard of McIntosh; secretary, L. J. Houske of Halstad; treasurer, C. M. Davidson of Climax.

Minneapolis. — Applauding tumultuously as each of the 10 speakers privileged to extoll Dr. Cyrus Northrop, president emeritus of the University of Minnesota, paid tribute to him as an educator, scholar, builder, moulder of character and friend, at a testimonial dinner given in his honor, nearly 500 representative Minnesota men registered the esteem and appreciation they were unable individually to voice.

Bemidji, Minn.—Rejoicing over their victory in the recent election, the "fathers of Amendment No. 1" assembled here as delegates to the seventh annual meeting of the Northern Minnesota Development association. Only one element of dissatisfaction was manifest in the celebration—that the promoters had not asked for more than the $250,000 fund with which to develop Minnesota lands. President C. R. Middleton of Baudette called the convention to order.

St. Paul. — Tentatively adopting drafts of seven separate bills for introduction in the next Legislature, the State Efficiency and Economy Commission named a committee of four to put unfinished bills in shape and submit a preliminary report to Governor Burnquist, and adjourned until December 20, when it plans to finally ratify its program and begin a campaign. Chairman A. J. Rockne, L. C. Spooner, Thomas H. Girling and T. J. McGrath, make up the committee named.

Georgetown.—Two persons were killed and five others injured in two auto accidents near here, when the two machines skidded, struck the railing of a bridge near here and plunged into the creek beneath. The first accident occurred about 9 o'clock and the second about an hour later.

St. Paul.—Preparations are being made by the State Pharmaceutical association to accommodate 750 delegates to the annual convention in St. Paul, February 13 to 15. The local arrangements committee, which met at the Ryan hotel, decided on The Saint Paul for convention headquarters.

BRITAIN ASKED FOR FACTS REGARDING STATUS OF ARABIC

PRESIDENT INSTRUCTS LANSING TO FORWARD OUTLINE OF GERMAN NOTE IN CASE TO ENGLISH GOVERNMENT.

U. S. POLICY UNCHANGED; TO PERMIT DISCUSSION

Belief Growing That Germany Has Transgressed Rules Laid Down by America—Berlin Admits U-Boat Sunk Ship on Presumption Arabia Was Transport.

Washington, Dec. 9.—After consideration of the German "explanations" in the Arabia case, President Wilson has instructed Secretary Lansing to forward an outline of the reply to England with the request that any facts the British government might have as to status of the ship when she was sunk would be welcome to this government.

Delays Decision.

On the result of inquiries by agents of this government and on what facts England may be able to show, therefore, will depend this government's formal opinion on the Arabia attack.

The action just taken, it was explained, will necessarily delay for several days at least any chance of final decision in the matter. The Arabia case was to be thoroughly discussed at the cabinet meeting.

U. S. Policy Unchanged.

America's policy toward the German submarine situation remains exactly what it was when this government told Germany she must stop her ruthless methods of torpedoing. This has just been stated officially, but there was reason to believe that the United States had not unalterably put up the gates at least to brief discussion of serious submarine problems now before the administration.

Taken at its face, the statement that the American government stands pat on her attitude expressed in the Sussex notes, means that she would break diplomatic relations if Germany transgressed.

America's Mandates Overstepped.

There is growing belief that in the Arabia case, at least, and perhaps in the Marina, she far overstepped America's mandates. But in line with a policy of averting anything that might ultimately lead to war, the administration is regarded as likely to steer clear of a break up to the last possible point.

Experts believe that the Arabia case presents a situation in which Germany openly flouts American interpretation of submarine rules and American rights.

CHICAGO EGG KING STUCK COMMISSION MEN THINK

Wetz, Who Boasts He Owns 72,000,000 Admits He Has "Got Enough"—Boycott Cuts Prices.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—The corner in eggs and other produce appeared to have been smashed late Friday when prices, already sharply lower, were expected to tumble still more. Widespread boycotts on butter, eggs and produce and the extension of grain and meat embargoes to include practically all foodstuffs were chiefly responsible.

Eggs were down 5 cents below the high point and butter had declined 8 cents a pound. Potatoes have dropped 10 to 15 cents a bushel. Commission men are beginning to give credence to the report that Wetz, the "egg king," is stuck with 72,000,000 eggs on his hands. Wetz himself admitted that he has "got enough of this."

Rouman Troops Cut Off.

Berlin, Dec. 9.—Roumanian troops retreating from the Predeal and Altschanz passes, were cut off by Teutonic forces and most of them have been captured. In Western Roumania the pursuit is being continued by the Austro-German troops which took more than 10,000 prisoners.

BIG FRENCH BATTLESHIP SUFFREN FEARED LOST

Paris, Dec. 9.—The French battleship Suffren is officially classified as lost in a statement issued by the minister of marine. Apparently all hands were lost. The vessel left Gibraltar for the orient on Nov. 24 and has not been heard of since.

Farmer Welcomes Runaway Wife.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—John Churilla, a kindly old farmer, near Ramey, Pa., learned by patient search that his wife, who ran away with John Zyoboros, a young farm hand, was living with him here. He went to the house with Policewoman Lulu Burt and Louise Hassard. He had been bitter toward the helpmeet who had left him, but when he again looked on her face—the face of the mother of his five children—his own grim look softened. He threw his arms about her neck and she returned the embrace.

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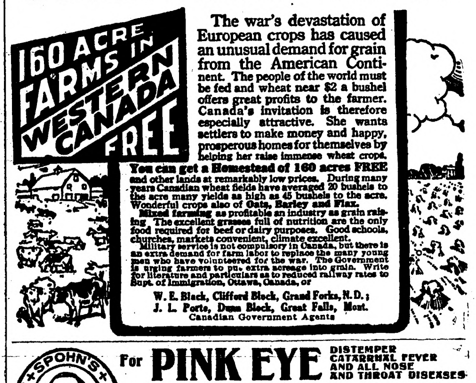

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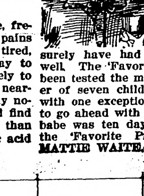

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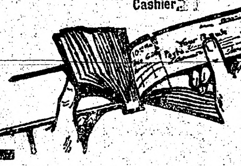

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Human Doormats.

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Butter and milk sold patrons	17 96
Cash sales at creamery	32 08
Rec'd from other sources	7 37
Total	$2726 83
Paid patrons by check	2413 45
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Expense fund, etc.	230 63
Other sources	3 63
To sinking fund	54 67
Balance on hand	6 49
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T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary

SAFETY DEMANDS FEDERAL CONTROL OF THE RAILROADS

Only Way to Meet Emergencies of Nation, Says A. P. Thom.

STATES' RIGHTS PRESERVED

Principles Which Railways Hold Should Govern Regulatory System in Interests of Public and the Roads—Compulsory System of Federal Incorporation Favored.

Washington, Dec. 4.—That the interests of national defense require that control of railway lines should rest with the federal government and not with the states was the claim advanced by Alfred P. Thom, counsel to the Railway Executives' Advisory Committee, in concluding his preliminary statement of the case for the railways before the Newlands Joint Committee on Interstate Commerce.

"We must be efficient as a nation if we are to deal successfully with our national emergencies," said Mr. Thom, "and we must appreciate that efficient transportation is an essential condition of national efficiency. If we are to halt and weaken our transportation systems by state lines, by the permanent imposition of burdens by unwise regulation, we will make national efficiency impossible."

States' Rights Would Not Suffer.

Mr. Thom cited many instances in which shippers in one state were injuriously affected by selfish regulations imposed on the railroads by neighboring states. He pointed out that federal regulation would be no invasion of the rights of the states but would be the means of preserving the rights which they acquired when they entered the Union, one of which was the right to the free movement of their products across state boundaries.

What the Railroads Advocate.

The principles which the railroads believe should be incorporated in any just system of regulation were summarized by Mr. Thom as follows:

1. The entire power and duty of regulation should be in the hands of the national government, except as to matters so essentially local and incidental that they cannot be used to interfere with the efficiency of the service or the just rights of the carriers.

2. As one of the means of accomplishing this, a system of compulsory federal incorporation should be adopted, into which should be brought all railroad corporations engaged in interstate or foreign commerce.

3. The Interstate Commerce Commission under existing laws has too much to do and is charged with conflicting functions, including the investigation, prosecution and decision of cases. The latter duties should be placed in the hands of a new body which might be called the Federal Railroad Commission. Regional Commissions should be established in different parts of the country to assist the Interstate Commerce Commission by handling local cases.

4. The power of the Commission should be extended to enable it to prescribe minimum rates and not merely maximum rates as at present. This would increase their power to prevent unjust discriminations.

Justice to Public and Roads.

5. It should be made the duty of the Interstate Commerce Commission, in the exercise of its powers to fix reasonable rates, to so adjust these rates that they shall be just at once to the public and to the carriers. To this end the Commission, in determining rates, should consider the necessity of maintaining efficient transportation and extensions of facilities, the relation of expenses to rates and the rights of shippers, stockholders and creditors of the roads.

6. The Interstate Commerce Commission should be invested with the power to fix the rates for carrying mails.

7. The federal government should have exclusive power to supervise the issue of stocks and bonds by railroad carriers engaged in interstate and foreign commerce.

8. The law should recognize the essential difference between things which restrain trade in the case of ordinary mercantile concerns and those which restrain trade in the case of common carriers. The question of competition is not the only fair criterion.

9. The law should expressly provide for the meeting and agreement of traffic or other officers of railroads in respect of rates or practices. This should, however, be safeguarded by requiring the agreements to be filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission and to be subject to be disapproved by it.

"My legal proposition," Mr. Thom said, "is that the Constitution as it now is gives full authority to Congress to regulate the instrumentalities of interstate commerce in all their parts. If the power of regulation is to reach the public requirements, it must be coextensive with the instrumentalities of commerce."

Mr. Thom explained that the roads are not asking either of the Committee or of Congress any increase in revenues, but that they are merely asking the perfection of a system which will be responsible to any need that may arise.

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Heve'nt you often wished for a medicine to reduce your flesh? Something that does not require dieting or calisthenics? Well right here you have it in 5-grain tassco tablets, that you may secure of any good druggist. They are pleasant to take, perfectly harmless and cause no restrictions of habit or eating and reduce the flesh, little by little, until you are down to the number of pounds you wish to weigh. Too much flesh is undesirable, as most quite stout people will readily admit and it detracts from one's good appearance; makes one clumsy and short of breath.

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To get a submarine ready for diving water is admitted into the "ballast" tanks. To keep the vessel on an even keel water is taken into the "trimming tanks." By means of these tanks the vessel is made to sink or rise, and to preserve the right position.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Tuesday

Date will be announced later

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:

Alloy Fillings $1.00 — Treatments $1.50
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Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
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Always Come In Early

Watch for the date of my visit in The Holt Weekly News.

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Our Christmas Greeting To You

Our Greetings and Gift to you, our friends, at this Yuletide season, is the service of this Bank. We can conscientiously say that we have put in our time, thought and money to make this institution a true servant of the public. If we can prove to you in counsel, Security and Safety, real Bank-Service, we shall feel that we have done our share as fellow men to repay you for your kind patronage the past year. Right now on the eve of the great holidays, we ask that you put us to the test and give us that opportunity.

Santa Claus Banks Here.

Farmers State Bank of Holt

Lars Backe, President — H. M. Johnson, Cashier

Merry Christmas!

The Season's Greetings Are Heartily Extended To All Of Our Friends And Customers.

May not only your Christmas be a Merry one but may the coming Year be full of Happiness, Peace and Plenty.

We Thank All For Their Kindly Patronage And Solicit A Fair Share Of It For The Future.

R. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

Yuletide Greetings!

At this Merry Christmas Time we wish to extend to all the Seasons Greetings. May this be the Best and Merriest Christmas you have ever enjoyed and may you be kindly remembered by relatives and friends.

May the coming year bring you a full measure of Health, Wealth and Happiness, and a host of genuine friends.

You will be sure of good health if you use our Pure Groceries, of wealth if you take advantage of our extremely Low Prices and of happiness if you Trade with Us.

We thank all for their very liberal patronage the past year and assure you we will work harder than ever to merit a continuance of the same.

Holt Mercantile Co.

Silver Wedding.

Monday was the 25th. wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fosholm and it so happened that their son Ingvald was 21 years old on that day.

The friends and neighbors heard of this, and a crowd was gathered Monday evening and the pleasant home of these good people was suddenly surrounded and invaded, much to the surprise of host and hostess.

A most enjoyable evening was spent and before the departure of the guests, several beautiful and useful gifts were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Fosholm, with hearty good wishes from all for a happy and properous future

Merry Christmas to all.

Mrs. Sven Johnson moved into her new house, Saturday.

10 pounds Fancy Whole Rice for 69 cents at Holt Merc. Co.,

Mrs. Paulson of Randen, visited Mrs. R. Reierson a few days the past week.

NOTICE: S. S. Kolden will now pay $4.00 per ton for loose Flax Straw delivered at Holt.

Hjalmer Peterson has bought O. H. Dovre's interest in the dray line and will continue the business alone.

A baby boy was born to Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Spinks on Monday Dec. 18 at their home in Middle River. Mrs. Spinks will be remembered by many as Miss Olga Bakke.

Horses for sale or trade--- Will consider Beltrami Co., land with small incumberance, if interest is not over 8 pe. cent.

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If you are looking for war prices on your hides, furs and junk ship them to us, we pay freight and express. Write for prices. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. Falls, Minn. Located north of G. N. depot. 1 11

Gilbert Johnson had his face badly cut while sawing wood, one day last week. The belt came off the pulley of the saw and the end of it struck him across the face, cutting a deep gash which required several stitches to sew it up.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Dahl was operated upon at the Thief River Falls hospital Tuesday and seemed to recover from it alright, but was taken worse during the night and her father was sent for and went down early Wednesday morning. Later.—The little girl died Wednesday morning and was brot home that same afternoon.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Oct. 1916.

Cream received	14,357 lbs
Average test	28 09
Butter fat	4031.96 lbs
Percent overrun	23 24
Butter made	4968 lbs
Balance on hand last month	6 48
Received for butter shipped	1516 67
Butter and milk sold patrons	14 87
Cash sales at creamery	65 12
Rec'd from other sources	2 27
Total	$1605 42
Paid patrons by check	1466 90
" " " Butter & milk	14 87
Expense fund, etc.	80 63
Other sources	
To sinking fund	29 63
Balance on hand	13 39
Total	$1605 42

Number of patrons, 92

Price paid for butter fat, 37c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

C. L. Heinze 50 15, S. H. Nohre 43.51, T. O. Dovre 44.61.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Christmas Greetings

This The Season Of Good Cheer Is An Opportunity To Thank You For Past Favors And To Wish You A Merry Christmas And A Prosperous New Year.

Holt State Bank

For Sale.

Good driving team eight years old, weight 2000 lbs., gentle and in first class shape.

Chas. H. Johnson,
Newfolden, Minn.

Notice

On account of Christmas and New Years days being on Mondays I have decided to receive cream on Thursdays only for those 2 weeks.

P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker

Free Mission Church

The Sunday School children will meet at one o'clock next Sunday to practice for the Christmas program.

Christmas program at the church 7:30 Monday evening Dec. 25th.

The Ladies Aid will serve lunch in the basement at the close of the Christmas program.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Children meet at 10 o'clock to practice for Christmas program.

Christmas services Dec. 25th. at 10:45 and in Ringbo at 3 P. M.

Services at Wilson school house in Golden Valley at 7 P.M. Dec. 26th.

Christmas tree and program at 7 o'clock Thursday evening Dec. 28th.

There will be a New Years Eve Social Sunday evening Dec. 31st. at the parsonage. Ladies will bring lunch basket for two. All invited.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Potatoes Wanted

Bring us your potatoes. We pay cash for them at all times.

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The Sixth Annual Farm Crops Show which has been a great school of instruction for the people generally of the Red River Valley will be in session again in Crookston, Feb. 5th to 9th. The executive committee is planning even greater and more varied entertainment and profitable features than in the past.

Dreary Occupations

Patience—"An automobile repair course has been added to the curriculum of an Iowa agricultural college." Patrice—"Now, in speaking of college togs, don't forget the overalls."—Yonkers Statesman.

To Our Friends And Customers

We take this occasion to extend

The Season's Greetings

We wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year

We wish to thank you all for the liberal patronage accorded us the past year, and hope that during the Season 1917 we can gain a part of your Patronage by

Square Dealing

As always has been our Motto.

C. H. Gunheim

Holt, Minnesota

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.53
Wheat No. 2	1.48
Wheat No. 3	1.35
Wheat No. 4	1.12
Flax	2.62
Oats	.37
Barley	.35 to .71
Rye	1.14
Flour, Best Patent	4.85

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

And There Are Others.

The only actress who is willing to admit that she does not know all about acting is she who has been at it all her life.—Margaret Nyblöc.

Tonoline is Beauty Aid

Announces Specialist

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest To Women

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said, 'Take tonoline.'

Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

"What tonoline really did for me I cannot say. I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline publicly."

Tonoline is a purely vegetable preparation which goes to the seat of common maladies—stomach and kidney trouble, catarrhal affections of the mucous membranes, liver ailments and impurities of the of the blood—and quickly restores proper action. Tonoline is being explained daily at your druggists.

Notice:—As tonoline is a wonderful flesh builder it should not be taken by any one not wishing to increase his weight ten pounds or more. Although many reports are received from those who have been benefited by tonoline in severe cases of stomach trouble and nervous dyspepsia, chronic constipation, etc.

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NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What is Going On at Washington and in Other Sections of the Country.

WAR NEWS.

The Italian government has called to the colors the class of 1898, bringing this group into the war one year in advance of the time they would normally be available.

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King Constantine of Greece has informed one of the legations at Athens that he would join with Germany if the entente allies break off diplomatic relations with him.

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The new British war ministry comprises: Premier, David Lloyd George; lord president of the council, Earl Curzon, Arthur Henderson, Lord Milner and Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer.

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The French battleship Suffren, which left port on November 24, has not been heard from since and the minister of marine considers the vessel lost with all on board. The battleship complement was 730 men.

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All along the front in Rumania, the Teutonic forces are making progress, it is announced officially at Berlin. All of great Wallachia south of the railroad between Bucharest and Tchernavoda is now in the hands of the Teutonic forces.

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German submarines between November 28 and December 8, sank off the French Atlantic coast (among other vessels), steamships carrying coal cargos amounting to 17,000 tons and one English ship with 6,000 tons of war material.

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Of the civilian population in the French and Belgian districts occupied by the Germans, ten men, twelve women and seven children were killed in the month of November by artillery fire or bombs dropped by aeroplanes of the entente allies.

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The Rumanian losses since the beginning of their campaign are placed by the military critic of the Berlin Overseas News agency at 140,000 prisoners and 500 cannon, in addition to the dead and wounded, war material destroyed and the booty captured at Bucharest.

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German aircrafts lost during November, says an official Berlin statement, was thirty-one airplanes. While the enemy losses during the same period were seventy-one airplanes in aerial fights, sixteen shot down from the ground and seven by involuntary landings, a total loss of ninety-four airplanes.

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Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, submitted an estimate to the British House of Commons which provides for 1,000,000 men from all ranks of life for army service during the present fiscal year, and made the declaration that the average daily expenditure of Great Britain in the war had risen to £5,710,000, or about $25,000,000.

GENERAL.

"Germany's action should be applauded around the world," declared Henry Ford in commenting on Von Bethmann-Hollweg peace proposals.

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J. L. Wilson and J. R. Grunter, Atlanta, striking motormen, convicted of dynamiting a street car, were sentenced to ten years' imprisonment.

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A resolution making October 9 a national fire prevention day was passed at the concluding session of the safety first federation convention at Baltimore.

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Clarence Glass, 30, cashier of the Point (Tex.) National bank, died from wounds received when he was shot down by a masked robber who took $244 from the bank.

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Twenty-nine miners were killed and seven injured in an explosion in the Reedy & Ryan coal mine at Stone City, Kan. A combination gas and powder explosion is believed to have been the cause of the disaster.

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Use of the country's schools for all branches of community work was urged by Miss Margaret Wilson, the president's daughter, before the annual convention at Washington of the American Civic association.

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The plebisotte held in Denmark on the question of the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States resulted in 238,000 votes cast in favor of the sale and 157,000 against such action. It was the first time, according to the new constitution, that women exercised suffrage.

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The Boston Americans will bid $60,000 for the services of Walter Johnson, crack pitcher of the Washington club, if he is on the market, President Harry Frazee of the Boston club stated recently

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Federal grand jurors have been called to consider indictments against Cleveland, Ohio, food and coal dealers for violation of the anti-trust law.

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Prohibition, adopted at the November election in Arizona, became effective December 8, with the issuance by Governor George W. P. Hunt of a proclamation.

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A record achievement is chronicled of a German submarine which has returned to its base after fifty-five days at sea, without entering harbor or receiving outside assistance of any form. The weather generally was bad.

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Gustav Blumm, thirty-five years old, secretary of the naval military training ship Granite State, shot and killed his son, John, ten years old, and his daughter, four, and then committed suicide at the family home at Richmond Hill, N. Y.

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Orders for 135 members of the Oklahoma National Guard to report for duty immediately or be prosecuted as deserters were received at Oklahoma City from Colonel R. A. Brown at Fort Sam Houston, Tex. These men failed to go to the border when the First Oklahoma infantry went south.

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Yale university receives a bequest of $300,000, the Art museum of Cleveland, O., $100,000; the Germantown, dispensary and hospital, Germantown, Pa., $100,000, and the Flagler hospital, St. Aubgustine, Fla., $100,000 from the fortune of the late Mary Warden Harkness, widow of Charles W. Harkness, the Standard Oil millionaire.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Information gathered by United States agents at the border shows that Villa commands about 7,000 men, and that he carried away from Chihuahua city about 100 or more carloads of supplies.

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Reports have reached border points that Francisco Villa forced foreign and native merchants of Chihuahua City to raise for him a sum estimated at $40,000 in gold after he entered the state capitol.

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Francisco Villa announced in Chihuauh City he intended to divide his men into groups of twenty-five each and distribute them along the American border and in the interior of the United States to loot and burn property under his instructions, a letter received from a prominent Chihuahua City business man and forwarded to Washington stated.

WASHINGTON.

The Indian appropriation bill, carrying approximately $9,000,000, first of the annual supply measures, was passed by the house without a roll call.

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Nine million dollars is the sum last year's epidemic of foot and mouth disease took from federal and state treasuries, according to the annual report of the Bureau of Ainamj Husbandry.

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Use of shark skins as a substitute for leather is being investigated by the United States bureau of fisheries as a possible solution of the high cost of animal skins.

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Representative Lewis of Maryland, author of the parcel post law, introduced a bill proposing government ownership of the public telephone system in the capital.

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The immigration bills, containing the restricting literacy test for admission of aliens which has caused three presidents to veto such a measure, was passed by the senate 64 to 7.

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General approval of the investigation conducted by the department of justice into the increased cost of living was given by President Wilson at a conference with District Attorney Anderson of Boston, in charge of the inquiry.

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Arguments on constitutionality of the Adamson eight-hour law were set by the supreme court for January 8. The case was ordered heard before a dozen other important cases previously assigned for January 8. The law becomes effective January 1.

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The War department is paying out $75,000 a day to the dependent families of enlisted men of the regular army and National guard, Major General Sharpe, quartermaster general, told the house committee.

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The proposed national prohibition amendment was ordered favorably reported to the house by the judiciary committee by a vote of 12 to 7. The proposed universal suffrage amendment was ordered reported without recommendation. The vote on the suffrage proposal was 11 to 8.

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The Interstate Commerce commission has issued a ruling in the long-drawn-out rate-case involving rates on yellow pine, which allows the railroads to advance the rates from 25 to 26½ cents per 100 pounds from the southern producing districts to Omaha, Lincoln and Des Moines.

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Erection of a government flour mill and bakery in the capital to demonstrate the real cost of making bread is proposed in a bill introduced by Representative Young of North Dakota.

FUND OFFERED FOR RELIEF WOULD AID IN BRINGING PEACE

ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION INVESTIGATOR URGES CONGRESSMEN TO RAISE $500,000,000 FOR WAR SUFFERERS.

SAYS ACT WOULD CREATE POPULAR DEMONSTRATIONS

Wilson Does Not Intend to Make Another Move Until He Is Fully Informed as to Reception Accorded the Teutonic Proposal in the Allied Capitals.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Frederick C. Walcott of New York, who recently investigated conditions in Poland and Belgium for the Rockefeller foundation, told a number of senators and representatives who met at the home of Miss Mabel T. Boardman, of the Red Cross, that a fund of $500,000,000 collected in this country and offered for relief of non-combatants in Europe would be a powerful peace influence at this time.

He said such an act would tend to create great popular demonstrations for peace among civilian populations of warring nations, because they would be anxious for the assistance in rehabilitating their homes and restoring normal living conditions.

Wants Popular Contributions.

Mr. Walcott suggested that a fund of that size should be raised by combined popular contributions and congressional appropriation. Considering the wealth of the United States, he declared it was not an exorbitant sum to give. Since 1914 the estimated aggregate income of the United States has been $80,000,000,000, he said, and the combined offerings for war sufferers has amounted to $40,000,000, or one-twentieth of 1 per cent of the income.

United States Takes First Step.

With the forwarding of the notes of the Central Powers proposing peace negotiations, the United States government performed its role of intermediary and took the only immediate step contemplated by President Wilson.

Now everyone in official and diplomatic quarters here is awaiting with profoundest interest some word indicating what nature of replies may be expected from the Allied powers. It it believed that the speech before the British parliament to be made tomorrow by Premier Lloyd-George will set forth England's attitude, and the hope is generally expressed here that the premier's illness will not prevent him from speaking.

No Move by Wilson Now.

No further light was shed on the purpose of the American government. There is every indication, however, that the President now does not intend to make another move, at least until he is fully informed as to the reception accorded the Teutonic proposal.

FLOUR TAKES LONG TUMBLE AFTER WHEAT PRICES FALL

Wholesale Quotations in Minneapolis Are $8.60 a Barrel—German Peace Move Responsible.

Minneapolis, Dec. 18.—Flour took a long tumble in the wake of the day's great break in the price of wheat.

The 14-cent decline in wheat had its reflection in a 40-cent decline in flour. Wholesale quotations at the close of the day were $8.60 a barrel. The drop in wholesale figures had its effect also on retail prices. Sacks of flour that sold for $2.50 a few weeks ago could be bought yesterday at $2.25.

Friday was the fourth day of a panicky condition in the wheat market in all the market centers of the country. Germany's peace move is held responsible.

ENGLAND TO CALL NEW ARMY OF MILLION MEN

Vote of Credit of $2,000,000,000 Bringing Total for War Up to $18,000,000,000 Moved in Commons.

London, Dec. 15.—A war office supplementary estimate provides for an additional million men of all ranks in the army for the year ending March 31, 1917—making a total of 5,000,000 for that 12-month period.

Great Britain is on the eve of taking further war measures. In the house of commons a vote of credit of £400,000,000 was moved, bringing the total for the war up to £3,532,000,000 nearly $18,000,000,000.

Crops Set Record for Value.

Washington, Dec. 18. — All records for value of the country's important farm crops were exceeded this year despite the smaller size of the crops. Their value was placed at $7,641,609,000 by the Department of Agriculture in its final estimates of the year that is $1,750,000,000 more than the same crops were worth last year. Higher prices, due partly to reduced production and partly to the demands for American food from the warring nations in Europe, were responsible for the vast increase in value.

VON BETHMANN-HOLLWEG

Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg made public Germany's peace proposals in a speech delivered in the reichstag.

PROSPECTS FOR PEACE

Germany has sent in effect an invitation to Entente Powers, neutral nations acting as messengers, to join in parley to discuss possible basis of peace.

Semiofficial announcement was made in the United States outlining terms that Allies may gain some idea of Germany's probable concessions.

Newspapers of Entente Powers hasten to deride or denounce suggestion of Central Powers, and question their motives.

Second thought reveals undercurrent of sentiment among allied officials and people to consider Teutonic proposal at full worth, and possibly reply by making known officially for the first time the objects of the Entente Powers.

If this is done, Germany will in reality have accomplished Bethmann-Hollweg's real object—the "smoking out" of the Allies' peace terms.

It would then be up to Germany and her Allies officially to make known their probable terms, thus reaching basis for intelligent comparison with the Entente's terms and discussion of prospects of ending the war.

If the Allies by even faintest hint indicate they may consider Teuton Powers' proffer, it is belief in Washington President Wilson immediately will propose an armistice that fighting may be halted while discussion is under way.

'NO REPEAL OF ADAMSON LAW'

SPANK BOTH SIDES IF NECESSARY, SAYS AUTHOR.

Representative Looks Optimistically Upon Efforts of Roads and Brotherhoods to Get Together.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Reports that railroad and brotherhood heads in peace conferences have planned to propose the repeal of the Adamson act and the substitution of a working agreement of their own making for it, aroused Representative Adamson, author of the law, to declare that Congress would "spank both sides to the controversy if necessary."

Mr. Adamson, who is the House representative of President Wilson in railway legislation matters, is willing to co-operate in any plan employes and employers may evolve for the interpretation of his law as applied to working conditions, but will vigorously oppose repeal of it as he thinks will the majorities of both houses.

"Congress will not agree to any repeal of the Adamson law," he said. The measure was passed in good faith and it is a constitutional enactment regulating hours of labor and not wages.

"I hope that the negotiations between the railroads and their employes will result in an agreement which will not make further legislation necessary, but Congress will see that the public gets a fair deal. If it becomes necessary to spank both sides, we'll spank them, though I hope that won't be necessary."

BRITISH DEFEAT TURKS IN REGION OF KUT-EL-AMARA

Take Offensive in Mesopotamia and Occupy Enemy Positions on Hal River.

London, Dec. 18. — British troops have taken the offensive in the region of Kut-el-Amara, in Mesopotamia, and have occupied Turkish positions on the Hai river, south of Kut-el-Amara, says an official statement. In the offensive movement the British crossed to the right bank of the Hai river and took Turkish trenches near Kala Haji Fahan, two and a half miles from Kut-el-Amara.

Progress in High Price Inquiry.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Progress in the government's inquiry into the high cost of living is confined largely to collection of information relating to the subject and to the study by the Department of Justice of existing laws to determine whether they are adequate to enable them to cope with the situation. Attorney General Gregory announced he would determine within a few days, after further study of data, whether he would recommend to the President that Congress be asked to pass additional legislation.

NO REPEAL OF THE EIGHT-HOUR LAW IS SEEN BY ADAMSON

CONGRESS WILL SPANK BOTH SIDES TO CONTROVERSY, IF NECESSARY, AUTHOR OF MEASURE SAYS.

ROADS AND BROTHERHOODS NOW IN CONCILIATORY MOOD

Representative Looks Upon Efforts of Managers and Employes to Get Together Optimistically—Aroused by Report of Working Agreement as Substitution.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Reports that railroad and brotherhood heads in peace conferences have planned to propose the repeal of the Adamson act and the substitution of a working agreement of their own making for it, aroused Representative Adamson, author of the law, to declare that Congress would "spank both sides to the controversy if necessary."

Mr. Adamson, who is the House representative of President Wilson in railway legislation matters, is willing to co-operate in any plan employes and employers may evolve for the interpretation of his law as applied to working conditions, but will vigorously oppose repeal of it as he thinks will the majorities of both houses.

"Congress will not agree to any repeal of the Adamson law," he said. The measure was passed in good faith and it is a constitutional enactment regulating hours of labor and not wages.

"I hope that the negotiations between the railroads and their employes will result in an agreement which will not make further legislation necessary, but Congress will see that the public gets a fair deal. If it becomes necessary to spank both sides, we'll spank them, though I hope that won't be necessary."

Both in Conciliatory Mood.

Representative Adamson looks upon the efforts of the railroads and brotherhood heads to get together optimistically, however. He says the result of the presidential election made the employers more eager for peace than they were last fall and that the growing belief that the President stands for a compulsory arbitration law has put the brotherhood leaders in a conciliatory frame of mind.

Labor is determined that no compulsory arbitration law shall go on the statute books, but realizing that the President evidently is very serious in his determination to prevent strike crises without investigation, they will exert every effort to draft a compromise plan that will have his endorsement.

THIRD REGIMENT READY TO QUIT FORT SNELLING

Every Company Is Expected to Be on Way to Home Town by Tuesday.

Minneapolis, Dec. 19.—Federal paymasters will start paying off the members of the Third Minnesota infantry at 8 a. m. Tuesday, and before the day is over every company in the regiment is expected to be on its way to its home city armory. Duluth, Eveleth and Hibbing companies will leave at 10:30 a. m. Red Wing, Rochester, Stillwater, Crookston and other units will leave later in the day.

WARNED OF GERMAN RAIDER

Allied Vessel Advised to Be on Guard Near U. S. Coast.

New York, Dec. 19.—Another warning to shipping of the Entente allies to be on guard against a German raider on this side of the Atlantic has been sent out by a British cruiser off Sandy Hook.

Motor Busses for Yellowstone.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Completion of long-talked of plans for substituting automobiles for the picturesque horse-drawn stages in Yellowstone National park has been announced by Secretary Lane. Next Summer there will be big ten-passenger motor cars to speed visitors through the long stretches of Lodge Pole forest, giving them time to linger at points of special interest. The passing of the horse is a feature of general reorganization of living and transportation facilities in the park.

Drug Watchmen; Get $1,000.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Five safe-blowers entered a State street store before daylight, chloroformed two watchmen, blew the safe and escaped with $1,000.

Germany Wants Conference.

London, Dec. 19. — Telegraphing from Copenhagen, the correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company quotes the Frankfurter Zeitung as saying: "Germany does not want a cessation of fighting but merely a conference at which all the belligerents shall openly state their peace proposals. A conference will be held at The Hague about January 15. While the conference is in session all the belligerents will be allowed to continue military operations."

What's Doing in Minnesota

Northfield. — Following the development of a case of scarlet fever, St. Olaf college has been closed. An employe at the men's dormitory has the disease.

Thief River Falls. — Only 60 arrests for drunkenness were made here from the first of the year until Dec. 6, as against 220 for the year 1915. Thief River Falls went dry the first of the year.

Lake City. — F. D. Currier, secretary of the Minnesota State Dairymen's association, has just announced the completion of the program for the annual convention, here January 16 to 19.

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Duluth.—With 100 members already signed up, the Duluth Domestic Women's union is working along plans which the Industrial Workers of the World organizers hope will include all women in this city who make their living as servants.

Mankato. — Charles J. Macbeth, prominent in the business life of Mankato for years and father of Florence Macbeth, grand opera singer, died in Chicago. The funeral was held here. Mr. Macbeth had been a sufferer of diabetes for years.

St. Paul. — The least Minnesota can do for its troops on the Mexican border, in the opinion of Secretary of State Julius A. Schmahl, back from ten days' visit at Camp Llano Grande, is to provide tent stoves for the comfort of the men. Secretary Schmahl was the first state official from Minnesota to visit the camps.

Kimball. — The zeal of a hunting dog was responsible for the death of its master, John Macbeth of this city. Macereth and Stephen McLean had chased a mink into a hole and the dog jumped into the hole, but in leaping out struck the gun Macereth had stood against a tree. The gun was discharged and Macereth struck in the thigh with the full load.

Minneapolis. — The American Association of Fairs and Expositions, consisting of the 60 largest in the United States and Canada, is to establish a co-operative publicity bureau at the Minnesota state fair which will supervise the expenditure of approximately $500,000 annually. It is to be placed in charge of Ray P. Speer, publicity manager of the Minnesota state fair.

St. Paul. — Increase of $1,851,417 in the total of current money and credits assessments in the state and 1,987 in the number of persons so assessed, the state tax commission announces, have resulted from reassessments on that special classification in 122 scattered districts. The new figures show assessments against 3,281 persons totaling $3,045,966 in the districts covered.

St. Paul. — A public domain department of the state government, creation of which will be recommended along more or less similar lines by various organizations reporting to the next legislature, was the subject of a conference of advocates of the plan, especially the reclamation, soil survey, drainage and like features, in the office of the state immigration department at the new state capitol.

St. Paul. — Delegates to the annual meeting of the State Grange at University farm recalled the activity of the grange in the Eighties when that body was largely instrumental in promoting establishment of the school of agriculture under university auspices. Fewer than 100 delegates met, representing chapters in various rural communities. Dean Woods and Prof. C. P. Bull of the college of agriculture were speakers.

St. Paul. — Dates for coming state and county sales of approximately 50,000,000 feet of timber on state-owned lands in Northern Minnesota, have been fixed by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, and Oscar Arneson, chief of the timber bureau in his department. About 28,000,000 feet of state timber will be offered at county sales scheduled as follows: January 15, 9 a. m., Two Harbors; 2 p. m., Duluth; January 16, Grand Rapids; January 17, Walker; January 18, International Falls.

Minneapolis. — The best of everything that grows in the Red river valley, farm crops, fruits, livestock and poultry, will be shown at the annual farm crop show of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association Feb. 5 to 9 and in conjunction with the show will be a farmers' short course. Many parts of Minnesota are looking to these counties to furnish seed for the 1917 crop and the word has been sent out that the district has the seed. An especially good potato crop, a large part of which was held in warehouses, will furnish a supply for many other sections. The show will be the sixth that the association has given.

Minneapolis.—A professor of public health in the University of Minnesota is demanded by medical faculty members, backed up by President George E. Vincent and Dr. William J. Mayo and declared necessary to enable the institution to keep the pace with other states.

Minneapolis. — Hardware and machinery dealers who belong to the Minnesota Retail Hardware Dealers' association will be in Minneapolis Jan. 9, 10 and 11 for the annual convention. L. C. Pryor of Minneapolis, chairman of the arrangements committee, is planning for 1,000 delegates.

CANADA AGAIN A PRIZE WINNER

Highest Premiums Awarded at Many Exhibitions.

The Fall fair season is past and a retrospect of them shows that Western Canada is stronger than ever in the matter of exhibits, and has taken more than her usual share of the prize money. From Western Canada to Texas is a long look, from Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba to the southwestern corner of Texas is several days' journey, but the enterprising farmers from this new country to the northwest were wide awake to the possibilities that waited them at the International Dry Farming Congress held at El Paso, Texas, a few weeks ago, to bring to the attention of those in that far-off corner what the land of Western Canada could do in the production of grains and roots from its soil. And what did these farmers do? The first thing was to carry off the first prize and sweepstakes for wheat. That was a foregone conclusion, for it has now become an established fact that nowhere else in the world is there grown wheat of the high character and market value of Western Canadian wheat. The same may be said of oats, of barley and of rye. But when it came to notice that Western Canada took first prize for alfalfa, it was then that more special attention was given to the products from Western Canada. It showed that in that country there lies the opportunity for supplementing the wonderful native grasses, so full of nutrition that with the tamed varieties, among them being alfalfa, the cattle with no other food were fattened and fitted for the shambles. Western Canada's worth was proved as probably the greatest mixed farming portion of the continent. When the steers from the Western Canadian prairies reach the Chicago stockyards they bring the top price and outweigh those from other places where grass fattening is the process. But it was not only in grains that Western Canada carried off the highest honors at the El Paso exhibition. Potatoes, parsnips, beets, carrots and rutabagas also took the highest honors. In root production this country is becoming favorably known.

The question often arises as to markets. There is always the highest price awaiting the producer, and as soon as the Hudson Bay Railway, now about completed, reaches the Bay, there will be an additional outlet for the product of the farm. The Pacific coast route, via the Panama canal, will give another outlet of which full advantage may be taken. With virgin land selling at from $15 to $20 per acre, and improved farms at reasonable prices and on easy terms, there is no better opportunity for the man with limited means and a desire to secure a home at the least cost in a country where he can soon become wealthy, as thousands of others have done, than in Western Canada. To the man with less means and who is prepared to accept a farm of 160 acres free, the Dominion Government offers him his choice in districts that have land of the highest type, but at present being from ten to twenty miles from a railway.

The Peace River Country, now being opened for settlement and reached by railway affords excellent opportunity to the homesteader. To secure information as to Western Canadian lands write the Canadian Government agent, whose name appears elsewhere in this paper.—Advertisement.

Harvard Students Pay Bills.

Testimony to the truth of the statement that Harvard students are as a rule reliable in the matter of payment of bills, is given in the report of the Co-Operative society. "The society loses very little through uncollectable accounts," runs the report, "in spite of the fact that by far the larger part of its sales are on credit. During the past year, in a total business of $445,000, the entire amount written off the books as uncollectable was $212.23."

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And around all this, Two Arms—a Man's.

GOOD WISHES

By FORTUNE FREE.

SOMEONE said that the richest person was the one who was fullest of good wishes for others and who received their good wishes in return. Wishing others well did him or her all the good in the world, and the good wishes in return were powerful for good. Don't we find it so ourselves? No one can do without them. They are our dearest possessions.

Montague Williams, the celebrated British barrister, once related the story of a rather unlovely old gentleman of miserly habits and rejoicing in the nickname amongst the urchins of the neighborhood of "Old Pickbones." Generosity was not one of his virtues, and if he wished any human creatures well he kept it a secret to himself. He was a man who seemed impervious to all good wishes—a solitary old grudger who cared nothing for the good or the bad wishes of any human creature. When he died, however, it turned out that he had been by no means as thick-skinned as he seemed. He left a will in which he bequeathed money to different persons, and ten thousand pounds to some unknown individual whom he directed his solicitor to discover if possible. That person had been accustomed to send him yearly an anonymous post card with just, "Best wishes at this time to you."

The writer gave no clue as to who he was. Did the old gentleman tear the cards up or throw them into the fire? Not a bit of it. He had carefully preserved them—tied them up in a nice packet. "If the writer can be discovered," he ordered in his will, "I bequeath him ten thousand pounds for his good will."

I would dearly have liked for the sender of those post cards to have got that money, but all efforts to find him proved unavailing.

One cannot help wishing well to the person who wishes others well. Good wishes are the biggest bond on earth. Isn't it a delightful thing to think that others are thinking of us?

The well-wisher is thinking of us. He also puts his good thought for us into words: "I wish you every good luck," or something of that kind. It is like a grasp of a hand pressing ours. It blesses both the giver and the receiver. I don't know which gets the most out of it.

There are times when the world breaks out into a mighty shout, as it were, of good wishes. Christmas time is the great season. Never had we more need of them than at this coming Christmas time. It is an enormous opportunity for the good wisher to make his power felt.

It is a curious and beautiful thing about this Christmas spirit that year after year it leads us to attempt the all but impossible, in order to give pleasure to others; while in the end everyone's joy is the result, not of what he has received from others, but of what he has done for them.

Taking Him at His Word.

Hem (opening a fancy box)—What do you think of the new necktie?

Shimmer—Gee, it's a marvel of beauty. Where'd you get it?

"I got it from one of my aunts for Christmas, but I have decided to give it to you. Put it right on and wear it."

"Aw, go on! Can't you take a joke?"—Youngstown Telegram.

The One-Idea Man.

It pays to stick to one thing. Only those persons in whose lives some one great purpose outweighs everything else rise above the shoulders of the crowd. Concentration does it. Stragglers in the commercial world are reminded that "the man who minds his own business will soon have a business of his own to mind." Paul had a passion for one thing, as he said, "Forgetting the things which are behind, and stretching forward to the things which are before, I press on toward the goal unto the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." And Paul succeeded, by holding to that one thing, so that his life was glorified by the presence of Christ, and made fruitful to the rest of the world, as few if any other lives of the Christian era. Have you decided what your one goal is?—Sunday School Times.

Christ can give even a profane swearer a new heart—and also a new vocabulary. Cussing men are a menace.

STATE OFFERS BIG AREA TO SETTLERS

368,000 ACRES OPENED BY FILING OF SELECTIONS UNDER RAILROAD GRANTS.

FARMERS' WEEK AT STATE "U"

More Than Score of Associations to Hold Meetings for Discussion of Problems Related to Agriculture and Home Life.

St. Paul.

More than 368,000 acres of state-owned swamp land in St. Louis, Lake and Cook counties are opened for sale and settlement by the filing of final selections under railroad grants, according to State Auditor J. A. O. Preus. The announcement, he added, is of great importance to the counties affected.

Showing a total of 4,711,278.18 acres conveyed to the state under the swamp land act passed by Congress March 12, 1860, the auditor reports that 2,892,141.30 acres, or more than half, were given away to railroads to encourage building projects.

The figures relate only to swamp land grants, a recent report by D. F. Jurgensen, chief engineer of the state railroad and warehouse commission, having shown that the state in early days donated land actually worth about $65,000,000 to secure the construction of railroads that cost less than $40,000,000.

The total area now released includes 245,622.82 acres in St. Louis county, 76,623.85 in Lake and 46,426.75 acres in Cook county.

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Farmers' Week at "U."

More than a score of state-wide associations or groups related to the agriculture or home life of Minnesota will hold individual or joint meetings at University Farm, during Farmers' and Home-Makers' Week, January 1-6, 1917.

These organizations and groups are as follows:

January 2—Minnesota State Federation of Farmers' Clubs; Minnesota Crop Improvement Association; Poultry Association and Clubs.

Jan. 3—Minnesota Sheep Breeders' Association; Minnesota Horse Breeders' Association; Minnesota Potato Growers' Association; Small Fruit Growers; Farm Crops, farm management, and seed grain conference; Housewives' League.

January 4—Minnesota Livestock Breeders' Association; Minnesota Vegetable Growers; Mothers' Club Council.

Jan. 5—All-Minnesota Development Association; Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' Association; Red-Polled Breeders' Association; Holstein Breeders, Association; Guernsey Breeders' Association; Jersey Breeders' Association; Ayrshire Breeders' Association; Garden Flower Society; Farm Bureau Conference—all farm bureau associations in state.

The gathering of these various groups, together with those who attend the regular lectures and demonstrations of the week will make Farmers' and Home-Makers' Week this year the largest gathering of the kind ever held in Minnesota.

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For Women's Reformatory.

After nearly two years of deliberation and many inspection tours, members of the state board of control are preparing to select a site for the women's reformatory, a new state institution created by the last legislature.

Towns understood still to be in the running are Cambridge, Litchfield, Cokato, Shakopee, Watertown, Cleveland and Sandstone. The decision is to be reported to the incoming legislature, which then will have to make an appropriation for building. The site probably will be selected within 30 days.

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Would Restrict Marriage.

Marriage in Minnesota of persons having communicable disease will be forbidden by law, if a recommendation of the voluntary commission on laws relating to children passes the legislature. The commission tentatively adopted the plan at a meeting in St. Paul. It probably will be presented to the legislature.

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Militia at Stillwater.

Company K, Third Minnesota infantry, was given a royal welcome on its home-coming from the Mexican border. The guardsmen arrived in special cars from Fort Snelling, where they were awaiting their mustering out, and accompanied by Colonel Eva marched into town to the music of the regimental band.

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Fund to Revolve in 5 Years.

The proposed "revolving fund" authorized by a constitutional amendment passed Nov. 7 to finance the development of unsold state lands will revolve every five years, according to the plans being worked out in a bill by Senator P. H. McGarry of Walker, one of the fathers of the amendment. Senator McGarry said that the bill will provide for a superintendent to direct the development work, under an advisory board of seven members, of which the governor and state auditor will be ex-officio members.

THERE IS SOMEBODY ELSE

One Thing the Average Man and Woman Ought Always to Keep in Mind.

One thing that the average man, and woman, too, ought to remember is that there is somebody else. It is not actual and offensive conceit, it seems to be simply self-absorption, forgetting that there really is anybody else. We have nothing to say against the condemnation of careless and reckless drivers of automobiles. The offenders deserve it all. But nobody knows how many lives are spared every day by the careful drivers.

It is customary for foot passengers to step from the sidewalk to the highway without thinking to look up and down the street. Sometimes they do look one way and keep on walking into and across the street with eyes pointed steadily that way. An automobile coming from the other direction is of no more interest than a comet said also to be approaching. If it were not for the obnoxious horns, there would be many more killings than there are. Nobody gets any credit for this. Instead, the horrid horns are condemned as a nuisance. This habit of self-absorption is not limited to people who risk their lives in stepping into the crowded streets. On the regular sidewalk often people turn sharp around without looking to see what or who is coming and it is they who get mad at the collision they produce. When they do not turn they often stop short. Bump follows and it is the bumper who is to blame. Such is life.—Hartford Courier.

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Higher Education.

Mrs. Brown called at the home of Mrs. Jones to talk over the fashions and things, and somewhere about the sixty-fifth lap of the conversation the caller referred to the young daughter of the host. "By the way, dear," remarked Mrs. Brown inquisitively, "where is Minnie? I haven't seen her for an age." "Minnie is at college," proudly responded the fond mother, and then added: "And I am so worried about her. I haven't had a letter for nearly two weeks." "There is where you make a mistake," was the prompt rejoinder of Mrs. Brown. "Instead of letting her go to college why don't you send her to one of those correspondence schools?"

Colleges for the Wounded.

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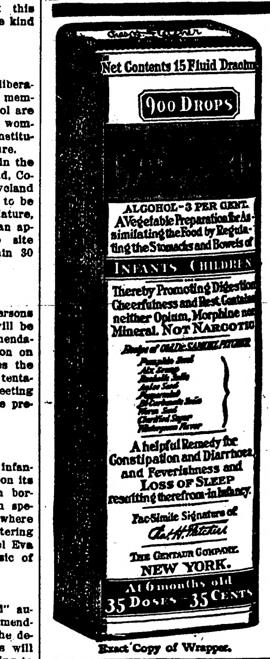

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A Merry Christmas to all.

There will be a christmas tree and program at the Schwartz school house this Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sampson and family were Sunday visitors at the P. Michaelson home.

Simon and Gunda Moe spent a few days visiting relatives and friends at Golden Valley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness were entertained at the Sordahl home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ole Olson entertained the Ladies Aid last week. The next meeting will be held at S. Moe's the second Thursday in January. All members are requested to be present at this meeting.

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Entertainment and Christmas tree at the school house Friday evening, Dec. 22.

Prof. Prushek leaves to-day to spend the holiday vacation with his parents at Cuyuna this state.

Mrs. B. L. Backe and her mother visited in town between trains Saturday.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

The annual short course of the T. R. Falls high school will open on Monday, Jan. 8, and continue three months. Everything is free. If you wish to enroll, write at once to

J. H. Hay, Supt.

Miss Lawson expects to leave tomorrow for her home at Anoka where she will spend her vacation with relatives.

Miss Christine Waggedahl returned home from Fargo last week Thursday to recuperate from the effects of a broken bone in her arm, which she sustained a few days before when she fell into the basement of the place where she was working.

See our merchants when in need of winter goods. They will sell you cheaper, net, than the catalog firms.

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[CORPORATE SEAL]

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Our public school closes to-day for a two weeks vacation which will be enjoyed by teachers and pupils.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg over the arrival of a baby girl at their home on Saturday Dec. 16th.

J. B. Alkenbrack drove to Thief River Falls, Monday, with a load of household goods for B. L. Backe.

Adolph Sollom was here on business Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Inanda Fosholm returned home Monday from near Thief River Falls where she has been making her home for the past year with her aunt Mrs. Folstad.

Mr. Oklee, who has been visiting for some time at the restaurant, left Saturday for T. R. Falls where he expected to find work.

There will be no presents on the Christmas tree or given out Monday eve, but a good program will be given.

Can't Loose Hair

Twenty Years from Today a Baldheaded Man will be an Unusual Sight

One of the most prominent druggists of America made a statement a few weeks ago which has caused a great deal of discussion among scientists in the medical press. He said: "If the new hair grower, Mildredina Hair Remedy, increases its sales as it has during the past year, it will be used by nearly every man, woman and child in America within 8 years

When Mildredina Hair Remedy is used almost universally, dandruff will disappear and with its departure baldness, itching scalp, splitting hair and all scalp diseases will follow and twenty years frim now a bald will be a rarity

There is only one way to cure dandruff, and that is to kill the germs. There is only one hair preparation that will kill the germs and that is Mildredina Hair Remedy. This unusual hair restorer with its record of thousands of cures will grow hair on any head where there is any life left; it will cure dandruff, stop falling hair and itching of the scalp in three weeks or money back. It is the most pleasant and invigorating tonic, is not not sticky nor greasy and is used extensively by ladies of refinement who desire to have and to keep their hair soft, lustrous and luxuriant. Fifty cents for a large bottle of druggists everywhere Mail orders filled by American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.

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BRYAN AGAINST OWNERSHIP BY THE GOVERNMENT

Gives Newlands Committee His Views on Railroad Control.

COMPETITION PREFERABLE.

Federal Regulation Should Not Be Allowed to Exclude Exercise of State Authority, He Contends—Thinks Railroad Stocks Should Represent Actual Value and Be Stable as Government Bonds.

Washington, Dec. 11.—William J. Bryan, who startled the country ten years ago by advocating government ownership of railroads, appeared before the Newlands Joint Committee on Interstate Commerce last week in support of the claim that the states should be allowed to retain authority over the regulation of all transportation lines within their borders. Mr. Bryan explained that he had long regarded government ownership as inevitable, but only because of railroad opposition to effective regulation.

Against Government Ownership.

"Personally I cannot say that I desire government ownership," he explained, "because I lean to the individual idea rather than to the collective idea; that is, I believe that government ownership is desirable only where competition is impossible."

Alfred P. Thom, counsel to the Railway Executives' Advisory Committee, previously had presented before the members of the Newlands Committee as one of his reasons for urging a better balanced and more systematic regulation of railroads the argument that this is the only alternative to government ownership. Calling attention to the restrictions imposed upon the transportation lines by conflicting state laws and regulations, to the practical cessation of new construction and to the impossibility under existing conditions of securing the new capital needed for extensions and betterments of railway facilities, he warned the Congressmen that unless they provided a fair and reasonable system of regulation that would enable the railroads to meet the growing needs of the country's business the national government would be compelled to take over the ownership of the lines with all the evils attendant upon such a system.

Preservation of Competition.

Mr. Bryan, on the other hand, holds that the further extension of federal authority over the railroads would be a step in the direction of government ownership. He advanced the view that the centralization of control in the hands of the national government would impose too great a burden upon the regulating body, would offer strong temptation to railroads to interfere in politics and would encourage the general movement toward centralization of power in the federal government at the expense of the states. He said that he did not object to consolidations of railroad lines so long as they did not destroy competition, that he knew of no complaint against great railway systems because of their size and that he believed that the preservation of competition was the test to be applied to all consolidations.

Regulation of Securities.

Mr. Bryan declared himself in favor of national regulation of railway stock and bond issues, but added that he saw no reason why that should exclude the states from acting on the same subject as to state corporations. "I would like to see the stock of a railroad, as long as it is in private hands, made as substantial and as unvarying as the value of a government bond," he asserted.

He suggested that railroad capitalization be readjusted to equalize it with actual valuation of the property represented, making due allowance for equities, and that when this was done the roads should be allowed to earn sufficient income to keep their stock at par and to create a surplus. The latter, he tentatively proposed, might be allowed to amount to 25 per cent of the capital.

Railway Earnings Low.

This subject of railroad capitalization and the amount of railroad earnings received further attention from the committee during its recent sessions. In answer to questions by Senator Cummins, Mr. Thom submitted figures showing the net earnings of the roads in recent years. These figures show that during the five years from 1905 to 1910 the average net earnings were 5.25 per cent of the net capitalization, while for the five years from 1910 to 1915 the average was only 4.59 per cent. The total earnings on the stock, computed by adding to the net operating income the income from the securities owned and deducting bond interest, were for 1910, 7.09 per cent; for 1911, 6.17 per cent; for 1912, 4.9 per cent; for 1913, 5.94 per cent; for 1914, 4.06 per cent; for 1915, 3.44 per cent, thus showing an almost continuous decrease throughout this six year period. It was announced that Halford Erickson, formerly chairman of the Wisconsin Railroad Commission, would submit more complete information on this subject to the Committee at a later date.

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Announcements regarding students short courses in farm Husbandry, Stock Raising, Gasoline and Tractor Engineering and Dressmaking are being sent out by the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and will be mailed to anyone who makes application for them.

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The Real Thing.

An aim in life is the only fortune worth the finding, says Stevenson; and it is not to be found in foreign lands, but in the heart itself.

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Happy New Year!

We wish all our friends and patrons a Bright, Prosperous and Happy New Year. Come and make us a visit. Better still, make a small deposit- take a pass book and

Start the New Year Right

By doing business with Us.

Farmers State Bank of Holt

Lars Backe, President
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Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock, sharp.

Rev. Emil Simenson will hold Norwegian services at 8 o'clock tonight and Saturday night and a 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. He will also hold a watch meeting service Sunday night from 9 to 12 and expects to have others assistance in [illegible]

NOTICE: S. S. Kolden will now pay $4.00 per ton for loose Flax Straw delivered at Holt.

Somebody changed lanterns with us, by mistake, at the Christmas program in the Free Mission church, Monday night, and if they would be so kind we would like to trade back.

Monck's four piece orchestra will furnish the music for the big dance to be given by the Yeomen lodge, of this place, on Saturday evening Dec. 30th, in the M. W. A. hall.

Miss Betty Johnson is spending the holiday vacation with relatives and friends.

Some winter we are having, but it's better than rain this time of the year, better than cyclones, earthquakes, plagues, famine and Wars.

Willie Bakke spent Xmas at his home in Thief River Falls.

See our merchants when in need of winter goods. They will sell you cheaper, net, than the catalog firms.

Free scholarship are being offered by the Northwest School of Agriculture, at Crookston. Write them direct for full information.

Bring us your Job Printing.

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The Stephen Messenger issued a special holiday number, with colored cover, last week. The paper also contained a fine write-up of their village which would be a credit to a much larger print shop.

Ole Hammerness, Arthur Brotten and Ole [illegible] of Moose Jaw, Canada, came Sunday to visit at R. Reierson's and also at Ole Reierson's.

Mrs. Kotbert and little girl of Manitoba, came Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Knutsen.

Happy New Year to all our readers.

Miss Amanda Mickelson came home Monday from Crookston for a few days vacation.

Misses Lucy and Irene Wegge came home last week Thursday from York, N. D., to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Misses Olga and Clara Furr came up from Thief River Falls Saturday to spend Christmas at home.

Dehard Johnson and sister, Tina, returned home last week from Hillsboro, N. D.

Clarence Docken spent Christmas with his parents at Mekinock, N. D.

Watch meeting services in Norwegian and English at the Free Mission church next Sunday night from 9 to 12. The meeting will be led by Rev. Emil Simenson and he will be assisted by others. Everyone invited. Come and watch the old year out and the new year in.

Mr. Hansen came up from Ada, Wednesday to visit R. Reierson and also Ole Reierson.

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Happy New Year To All

Deal with us and we will do our very best to make the coming year a Happy and a Prosperous one for you. Again thanking you for your patrontage and wishing you a Happy New Year,

We remain
Sincerely Yours,

R. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

Local Items

We wish you all a Happy and a Prosperous New Year.

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Ole Kjelgren returned home Saturday from an extended visit with his son and daughter in Canada.

Mrs. Lufkin and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson, several days this week.

It commenced storming Monday night and kept it up all day Tuesday so we now have plenty of snow.

Miss Effie Christenson of Thief River Falls, spent Christmas with her sisters, Mesdames Huseth and Oien.

Misses Olga and Nellie Saastad are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Saastad.

Rev. Emil Simenson arrived here Friday from South Dakota and has been holding meetings in this vicinity. He commenced a series of meetings at the Mission church last night.

A big crowd listened to a well rendered program at the school house last Friday night and everyone, especially the children, enjoyed the Christmas tree.

Horses for sale or trade—Will consider Beltrami Co., land with small incumberance, if interest is not over 8 per cent.

Alfred Johnson,
Box 107 Newfolden, Minn.

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[illegible] on your hides, furs and junk ship them to us, we pay freight and express. Write for prices. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. Falls, Minn. Located north of G. N. depot. 1 11

P. L. Anderson went to St. Hilaire Saturday for a few days visit with his parents.

Ernest Kuehne returned home Saturday from several months stay in Warren.

The passenger train from the south was five hours late Saturday and it seems to be running an hour or more late every day.

Ed. Bjerk visited several days last week at the home of his sister, Mrs. Kantz, in Crookston, also with friends at Grand Forks.

A. R. Jones went to Crookston Saturday to spend Christmas with his family.

Tom Larson went to Wylie Saturday for a short visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and children came from Manitoba Saturday to visit Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Knutson.

H. M. Johnson went to Thief River Falls Saturday for a short visit with his brothers.

Charley Horien came from Hillsboro last week for a few days visit.

Ole Backlund spent Xmas with relatives at Randen.

Adolph Johnson came from Minot, N. D., last week Thursday, for an extended visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson.

Mrs. B. J. Bakke of Thief River Falls, visited at the Docken home, Monday and Tuesday.

Fridjof Riesberg went to Fonda, N. D., Tuesday to visit his sister, Mrs. H. Pavela.

Misses Gunhild and Olava Sollom are spending the holiday vacation at home with their mother.

Miss Albertina Nyberg came from Grand Forks last Thursday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Waimer Riesberg went to Thief River Falls to have dental work done on Tuesday.

Holiday Greetings!

For your interest and patronage we wish to express our gratitude and hope that the New Year will bring you the blessings of health, contentment and prosperity.

Holt State Bank

Dahl.

Ruth Olive Dahl, the second child of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Dahl, was born Jan. 24th 1910 and baptized Feb. 23rd by Rev. M. E. Waldeland, of St. Ansgar, Iowa. She died at the hospital at Thief River Falls, Minn., at the age of 6 years, 10 months and 26 days. Her death was caused by abcess of the stomach. She was attending school at the time she was taken sick and her parents decided to take her away where she could have special treatment. Ruth was operated on Monday Dec. 18th and died Wednesday the 20th at 6 o'clock A. M. She bore her terrible suffering patiently and while in the greatest of pain, when asked how she was, would answer in her sweet little cheerful way "I am better".

Her mother was constantly with her and Tuesday evening seeing the end of the short life was nearing, [illegible] her death bed 2 hours before she passed away.

Ruth leaves to mourn her death: her father and mother; two brothers, Harvey age 13 and Leslie age 8-1-2 years and one sister, little Gladys, age 1 1-2 years, also a host of relatives and friends, who mourn her early departure. Four little girls, Myrtle, Ruby and Anna Johnson and Ellie Norbeck carried the little white casket covered with beautiful flowers, to her last resting place. She was laid to rest in the Golden Valley cemetery December 22, 1916; Rev. M. B. Ordahl, of Holt, officiating at the funeral.—C.

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The Free Mission church was well filled by an orderly audience Monday night, who gathered to hear the Christmas program which is highly spoken of by all in attendance.

Misses Alma and Gaya Olson came down from Middle River Monday and visited at the Dr. R. L. Olson home for a few days.

Martin Donaldson died Monday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ole Kjelgren. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Obituary next week.

The Golden Hour Society's auction sale will be held at T. O. Bovre's, Saturday evening, Jan. 6th., at 7:30. Everybody welcome.

Miss Johanna Larson who is teaching near Argyle, came home last week to spend the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Larson Helleqvlt.

Mrs. Carl Dahl returned Saturday from an extended visit with relatives at Carpenter, Iowa.

Useless Proceeding.

Showing a man that he's wrong won't stop the argument. It will only make him more angry.

For Sale.

Good driving team eight years old, weight 2000 lbs., gentle and in first class shape.

Chas. H. Johnson,
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Notice

On account of Christmas and New Years days being on Mondays I have decided to receive cream on Thursdays only for those 2 weeks.

P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

There will be a New Years Eve Social Sunday evening Dec. 31st, at the parsonage. Ladies will bring lunch basket for two. All invited.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Potatoes Wanted

Bring us your potatoes. We pay cash for them at all times.

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Dorothy, Celia, Emma and Theodore Olson were entertained Saturday and Sunday by their brother Arthur and wife at their old home in New Solum. While there they attended the Xmas program held in the Jarshaw school house.

Miss Christine Saastad and Fred Peterson were united in marriage last evening in T. R. Falls, by Rev. G. O. Parish, Pastor of the M. E. church in that city. The News joins the many friends of this popular young couple in wishing them a hearty [illegible] joy.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. at close of business every [illegible].)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.61
Wheat No. 2	1.56
Wheat No. 3	1.
Wheat No. 4	1.
Flax	[illegible]
Oats	
Barley	43 to
Rye	1.
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"Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my nervous [illegible] improvement in my condition. [illegible] health is the quickest to beauty [illegible] was particularly noticeable in my [illegible]

"What tonoline really did for me I [illegible] say. I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline [illegible]"

Tonoline is a purely vegetable preparation which goes to the seat of common maladies, stomach and kidney trouble, catarrhal affections of the mucous membranes, fever [illegible] and impurities of the blood—and [illegible] restores pro[illegible]. Tonoline is [illegible] explained daily at your druggists.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

CONDENSATIONS OF GREATER OR LESSER IMPORTANCE.

A BOILING DOWN OF EVENTS

National, Political, Personal and Other Matters in Brief Form for All Classes of Readers.

WAR NEWS.

The new Almanach De Gotha's list of nobility fallen in the war includes 258 counts, 567 barons, and 1,465 lesser nobility.

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The losses of the French army to date have been 3,800,000 and of the British 1,300,000 according to "competent military authority," says the Berlin Overseas News agency.

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The German peace proposals were delivered to the Japanese government at Tokyo. Commenting on the proposals, the newspapers declare that Japan will never agree to surrender Kiao Chou.

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Seventten American muleteers were killed on December 14 when the British horse transport Russian was sunk by a submarine in the Mediterranean sea, according to an announcement by the British admiralty.

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The British house of commons passed a resolution presented by the government "that an additional number of land forces, not exceeding 1,000,000, shall be maintained at home and abroad."

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David Lloyd George, the new British prime minister, formally stated in the House of Commons that England rejected the proposal of the central powers for a peace conference and endorsed similar action previously taken by Russia and France.

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Adolph von Batacki, president of the German food regulation board, is quoted as declaring that the Austro-Germans seized 60,000,000 bushels of grain and maize in Rumania, insuring to the central powers sufficient supplies until the next harvest.

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A dispatch from Zurich says information has been received there from Berlin that Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German chancellor, has been given full powers to conduct peace negotiations without further consultation even with the party leaders.

GENERAL.

Smallpox and an unnamed fever, thought to be typhus, have caused 500 deaths in the Ures district of Sonora, Mexico.

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Canada has begun to tear up 1,000 miles of railway to meet the needs of war on the western front in France and Belgium.

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Half a million dollars to insure grand opera to Chicago for the next five years has been pledged by wealthy Chicagoans.

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A new record for butter production has been established by a cow belonging to M. J. Smiley of Belle Fourche, S. D., which shows a production of 47.77 pounds of butter in seven days.

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Sir Richard Winfrey, under-secretary of state for agriculture, announced in the British house of commons that the government would fix a price for home grown wheat for the season of 1916-17.

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The whole city of Waterbury, Conn., may have to be vaccinated in an effort to check the spread of smallpox now prevalent there, in the opinion of Dr. John T. Black, secretary of the state board of health.

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The South Dakota state board of railroad comissioners at Pierre grantedn the application of railways operating in South Dakota for an increase of demmuerage rates. The permission was granted to relieve the car shortage.

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Willie Hoppe, billiard champion of the world made a new world's record at San Francisco in an exhibition match with Jake Schaeffer of Chicago, in which Hoppe made an unfinished run of 250 points from the spot in 18.2 balk line match of 250 points.

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The Australian commonwealth has provided for the suppression of the industrial workers of the world, says a dispatch from Melbourne. Premier Hughes denounced the organization and its leaders.

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That there are grounds for suspicion that the recent increase in the price of coal was the result of an "artificial and illegal combination" was the statement made at New York by George W. Anderson, who is in charge of the government's national food and fuel inquiry.

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For setting a new record in her flight from Chicago to New York Miss Ruth B. Law received a gift of $2,500 at a dinner given in her honor at New York City by the Civic Forum and the Aero Club of America

Two men were killed and three others probably fatally injured in an explosion of an oil plant of the Midwest Oil Co., near Casper, Wyo.

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After a single reading the Danish Folkesthing adopted the bill ratifying the treaty for the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States.

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Omaha was chosen as the meeting place for the next annual gathering of the Western Surgical association, which ended its two days' session in St. Paul.

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The association of Paris theater managers has notified the government that if the proposed new tax on theaters is imposed all the theaters will be closed.

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Three persons were killed and two injured at Thermopolis, Wyo., when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad train.

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By a vote of 53,459 to 29,997 the city of Boston, Mass., decided to continue the licensing of saloons. Rev. "Billy" Sunday, who is conducting an evangelistic campaign in the city, took a prominent part in the campaign.

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Mayor MacVicar of Des Moines, Ia., ordered the seizure of a carload of coal in the yards of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad and instructed that it be delivered to the poor. The mayor informed the railroad and the owners of the coal that it had been seized "by virtue of dire necessity and in accordance with the law."

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Seven foreigners, all of whom at various times had been reported killed by the bandits in Mexico, have arrived at Eagle Pass, Texas.

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Fifty constitutionalist soldiers constituting a garrison at Bocas, near San Luis Potosi, were attacked by Villa followers and completely annihilated, according to reliable information reaching the border.

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Puebla and Orizaba, Mexico, have fallen into the hands of followers of Felix Diaz, and Jalapa is in the hands of other revolutionary forces, according to reports received by United States government agents.

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Secretary Lane and his colleagues on the Mexican-American joint commission at Philadelphia placed upon General Carranza the responsibility of deciding whether the American government should continue its efforts to effect a satisfactory and amicable adjustment of the questions affecting the relations of the two countries, and then adjourned until after the holidays.

WASHINGTON.

President Wilson received a telegram from former Secretary Bryan congratulating him on his peace note to the belligerents.

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The president and Mrs. Wilson celebrated their first wedding anniversary with a motor ride, a family dinner party and a visit to the moving pictures.

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Memphis, Tenn., will probably be selected by the war department for the winter establishment of the army aviation school for the central states, now located at Chicago, it is said.

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An urgent deficiency appropriation bill, carrying approximately $4,500,000, has been passed by both house and senate. It provides $4,250,000 for dependents of National Guardsmen engaged in Mexican border service.

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Immediately after the holidays advocates of prohibition in congress plan to carry on a vigirous campaign for the proposed federal constitutional amendment and exert every effort to get a vote on it at this session of congress.

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National guard organizations aggregating 16,000 troops were designated by General Funston to leave the border service and return to their respective states to be mustered out of the federal service. The Fourth infantry, Nebraska National Guard and Company A Iowa are included in the units to be returned home.

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Secretary Baker asked congress to appropriate for immediate use $8,500,000 required by the war department for the support of dependent families of enlisted men of the army and national guard during the present fiscal year.

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Salary increases of from 5 to 10 per cent for about 16,000 government employes receiving less than $1,800 a year was provided for in the legislative, executive and judiciary appropriation bill passed by the house.

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The first 100 national banks of the country in size formerly congested in a few financial centers, but now scattered among thirty-three cities in twenty-two states, increased their resources between the bank calls of September 12 and November 17 by $50,000,000, or about 9 per cent.

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Winter wheat was sown this fall on an estimated area of 40,090,000 acres, an increase of 887,000 acres over the revised estimated of the area shown in the fall of 1915, the department of agriculture announced.

VILLISTA FORCES REACH VITAL RAIL CENTER IN MEXICO

MET FEEBLE RESISTANCE FROM CARRANZA GARRISON A TORREON—REPORTS TRANSMITTED TO WASHINGTON.

VILLISTA LEADER NOW AT NEW PINNACLE OF POWER

Villa Makes Bold Stroke to Crush Murguia—Fall of Pivotal Town Paralyzes Transportation Systems —New Attack On Chihuahua City Seen.

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 26.—It was reported that Joe Ynex Alazar is attacking Chihuahua City and that Villa is approaching Jimenez on his way north to Participate in this attack.

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 26.—Villa is now in possession of Torreon, the most important railway center in northern Mexico. The Villistas met with a brief resistance from the Carranzista garrison, which then abandoned the city.

At Height of Power.

Authentic reports of the fall of Torreon were obtained by United Sates department agents here during the night and transmitted to Washington. Despite the silence of the Mexican consulate United States authorities here appear sure of their ground.

This stroke places Villa at the height of his power since General Pershing's expedition chased his broken bands into Durango.

Attack at Daybreak.

Through "underground" sources mining men here learned additional details of the Carranzista disaster. With six troop trains the bandit chief passed through Bermejillo after the government forces had hastily withdrawn. Led by Colonel Ferandez, the Villistas started their attacks upon the Coahuila metropolis through Gomes Palacia and Lerdo before daybreak. They met with desultory resistance from the Carransa forces, meantime the government garrisons, estimated at from 1,000 to 3,000 men, evacuating the city.

To Again Attack Chihuahua.

Several Americans in charge of three foreign owned enterprises fled from Aguas Calientes before the attack began. Perceiving preparations for evacuations, the Villistas waited until the garrison of Torreon had made good their escape. All lines of communication at the north are now held by the bandit chief.

Advices place General Salazar, next in command to Villa, south of Chihuahua City, in a strategic position holding General Murguia in the northern capital and preventing movement of government troops toward Torreon. Salazar is reported to be making preparations for another attack upon Chihuahua City.

Battle Lasts Three Days.

Continuous fighting has been going on the last three days a short distance south of the city between a column sent out by Murguia to halt the approach of the Villistas.

In military circles here the latest movements of Villa are being watched with keenest interest. Officials discern in the reported capture of Torreon Villa's boldest stroke—a smashing blow at the army of General Murguia in northern Mexico.

SWITCHMEN GET EIGHT HOUR DAY AND OVERTIME

Part of Demands Granted by Federal Arbitration Board—Adamson Law Not Approved, Claim.

New York, Dec. 26.—The eight hour day with straight pro rata time for overtime is granted to the Switchmen's union by the Federal Arbitration board in a decision in the switchmen's controversy with the railroads. The award gives an increase of 5 cents per hour for both foremen and helpers.

It was said on behalf of the railroads that the award was interpreted by them as "not giving an O. K. to the Adamson law."

The switchmen had asked an advance of 10 to 12 cents. They had demanded also time and a half pay for overtime work instead of the pro rata basis fixed by the board.

Arabia No Transport, Britain Says.

Washington, Dec. 26.—Contradicting Germany's contention that the steamer Arabia was a British transport, the British government has informed the state department the Arabia was not in admiralty service when she was submarined, nor had she ever been in such service.

Rumored Lansing May Resign.

Washington, Dec. 26.—The resignation of Secretary of State Lansing would be no surprise to senators, especially those on the upper house's foreign affairs committee. Though none would permit himself to be quoted, criticism of the secretary by both administration and anti-administration factions was indulged in because he had "crudely complicated an already confused diplomatic situation" in his comments on the President's message to the warring nations suggesting a peace conference.

BRITISH REPLY TO WILSON TO AWAIT ALLIES' DECISIONS

BONAR LAW DECLARES IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO MAKE STATEMENT NOW—KING PROROGUES PARLIAMENT.

BERLIN TO MAKE KNOWN TERMS OF PEACE AT ONCE

Semi-Official "Feeler" Sent Out From The Hague—British Ruler Says Armies Will Fight Until Victory Is Won—Is Confident of Final Success.

London, Dec. 23.—Great Britain will formulate no reply to President Wilson's peace note until after consultation with all the Allies. This was the official announcement by A. Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, in the house of commons shortly before parliament was prorogued until Feb. 7 by the king.

Asked for Statement.

The chancellor was asked whether a statement could be made regarding the American note. He replied:

"It must be obvious to the house that this is a question that can only be dealt with in communication with our allies and that it is absolutely impossible to make a statement now."

The American communication has been delivered to Premier Briand of France, says a dispatch from Paris. It is also reported to have been received by the Berlin government.

To Make Known Chief Terms.

Regarding the recent proposals of the Teutonic Powers that peace negotiations be entered into forthwith, an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from The Hague says it is announced semi-officially that should the Entente Allies in their reply to the peace proposals of the Central Powers leave the door open for negotiations, Germany will make known its chief peace terms immediately.

King George Talks.

King George, in proroguing parliament, made no mention of the Wilson peace note, but added the weight of his words to the sentiment expressed Tuesday by Premier David Lloyd George.

"The vigorous prosecution of the war must be our single endeavor," the king declared, "until we have vindicated the rights so ruthlessly violated by our enemies and established the security of Europe on a sure foundation."

King George thanked the house of commons for its "unstinted liberality" in providing for funds to carry on the burdens of the war.

Confident of Victory.

"In this sacred cause," the king declared, "I am assured of the united support of all my peoples. I pray God may give us His blessing."

"My government," he continued after summarizing the nation's aims in the war, "was reconstructed with the sole object of furthering those aims unaltered and unimpaired. I am confident that, however long the struggle may be, my army and my navy, with those of my faithful allies, aided by subjects throughout the empire, will achieve victorious consummation of the aims for which I entered the war."

GERMAN SUBMARINE IS SUNK

U-45 Victim of Destroyers—British Capture El Arish.

London, Dec. 23.—El Arish, 90 miles east of the Suez canal, has been captured by the British.

Paris, Dec. 23.—The German submarine U-45 has been sunk by destroyers, according to a Mantes dispatch. The U-45 recently sank steamers off Saint Nazaire.

An artillery duel of great intensity occurred north of Monastir Thursday on the Macedonia front. Along the easterly end of the line on the Struma front encounters between patrols occurred.

SLAYER DENIED NEW TRIAL

Fred T. Price Loses Fight in Supreme Court—Life Sentence Upheld.

Minneapolis, Dec. 23.—Fred T. Price, convicted of the murder of his wife, Mary Fridley Price, on East River drive, Minneapolis, November 28, 1914, has just been denied a new trial in his appeal to the state supreme court. The higher court affirms the Hennepin county district court order, holds the evidence sufficient to find Price guilty and overrules the assignments of errors in his trial. The case was argued nine weeks ago. The supreme court gave opinions in 20 appeals.

"No! No! No! British Paper's Reply.

London, Dec. 23.—The general public had their first news of President Wilson's note from the morning papers and the matter was the one topic of conversation on incoming trains and in the country. The evening papers, which do not print editorials, came out with big headlines which expressed their views. The Evening News, the afternoon edition of the Daily Mail, heads a reprint of the comment of the morning with the one word "No" and under it "Our answer to President Wilson."

What's Doing in Minnesota

Marine Mills. — A defective gasoline stove is believed to have caused the fire that destroyed the Marine Mills creamery, with a loss of more than $3,000.

Mankato.—Edward Dawson, a farmer living south of Good Thunder, was killed when his automobile turned over while he was returning home from Mankato. He was 38 years old.

Duluth. — After operating continuously in Duluth and on the Minnesota Iron Ranges for a year, the Industrial Workers of the World will fold their tents and leave this part of the country, it is said at I. W. W. headquarters.

St. Paul.—Re-appointments of Samuel Lord as state tax commissioner and of C. J. Swendson to the board of control, has just been announced by Governor Burnquist. Both men serve for terms of six years, with salaries of $4,500.

Detroit. — George Lamoreaux, 35 years old, a Sioux City Indian, shot and killed Mrs. Caroline Holstein, a Chippewa Indian, and then killed himself at White Earth, a little village on the Indian reservation of that name north of here.

Northfield. — A co-operative milk exchange will be established in the Twin Cities as the result of action taken by members of the Twin City Milk Producers' association and farmers from Northfield, Dennison, Stanton and Randolph here.

Faribault.—Faribault witnessed the dedication of the biggest co-operative enterprise in southern Minnesota, when approximately 1,000 stockholders, mostly farmers, formally viewed the recently organized Faribault Packing & Provision company's plant and were dined at noon in the cooler building.

Fort Snelling. — The Second Minnesota infantry regiment, ordered home by the War department, probably will not reach Fort Snelling until late in January. This was indicated in dispatches from Chicago, which said the troops will be among the last of the 16,000 ordered returned from the border.

Owatonna. — Ninety-three Christmas presents, one for each of I Company, Second Minnesota Infantry, and one for each local soldier at the Mexican border, were sent to Llano Grande, Texas, as Owatonna's offering. One hundred dollars of I Company Soldiers' Fund was used to buy the presents and a like amount has been set aside for the soldiers' Christmas dinner.

Thief River Falls. — Drainage of lands along the Red Lake river by officials of the Red Lake Indian reservation has been assured land owners, according to information received by Senator D. P. O'Neill. This drainage will be of inestimable value to many farmers in the far eastern part of Pennington county and those living on the western border of the reservation.

St. Paul. — At a meeting of the Minnesota Fish and Game Protective league in St. Paul, it was recommended that there be a closed season for three years on all species of grouse, including the prairie chicken, quail and other game birds. Steps to protect game birds from enemies such as the skunk, crow, weasel and other destroyers were embodied in a resolution adopted at the meeting.

Minneapolis. — Establishment of a bureau of child welfare in the State Board of Control and creation of boards of children's guardians in each county of the state are recommended in a preliminary report from the voluntary commission on revision of Minnesota laws relating to children, presented by Judge E. F. Waite, Minneapolis, as chairman, to Governor Burnquist.

St. Paul. — "A $2,154,000 fire" in the heating and lighting plant service in the state capitol made no perceptible difference in the heat emanating from the boilers or the smoke curling from the chimney. Governor Burnquist, Attorney General Smith and State Treasurer Gooding, making up the state board of audit, burned in the big fire boxes 1,308 state bonds that had been redeemed and cancelled.

Mankato. — The Blue Earth county group of bankers, at a meeting held in this city, took a strong stand against itinerant investment brokers and resolved to discourage in every way possible the making of investments by local residents in property far from home. They favored the passage of a "blue sky" law, and also a law requiring the licensing of traveling promoters and putting them under bonds.

St. Paul. — "There is practically no remedy for the present high prices," E. Dana Durand, professor of political economy at the University of Minnesota, said in addressing the Current Topics club at the Commercial club. "The present high prices are due primarily to the increased amount of gold. But we are not concerned with them so much as the lack of increases in salaries and wages. There is no harm in high prices if they are accompanied by higher wages."

St. Paul. — Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith has announced that he will ask the incoming legislature to give him an additional assistant. He said he expects to reappoint the five assistants now in his office, but that a new man is needed to attend to railroad matters.

St. Paul.—Denying the pardon petitions of one prisoner at Stillwater and four others in workhouses and county jails, and either continuing to the regular term, January 8, or taking under advisement the remaining applications, the state board of pardons finished its special pre-holiday meeting.

MORE WHEAT, MORE CATTLE, MORE HOGS

Land Values Sure to Advance Because of Increasing Demand for Farm Products.

The cry from countries abroad for more of the necessaries of life is acute today; tomorrow it will be still more insistent, and there will be no letup after the war. This is the day for the farmer, the day that he is coming into his own. He is gradually becoming the dictator as it becomes more apparent that upon his industry depends the great problem of feeding a great world. The farmer of Canada and the United States has it within himself to hold the position that stress of circumstances has lifted him into today. The conditions abroad are such that the utmost dependence will rest upon the farmers of this continent for some time after the war, and for this reason there is no hesitation in making the statement that war's demands are, and for a long time will be, inexhaustible, and the claims that will be made upon the soil will with difficulty be met. There are today 25,000,000 men in the fighting ranks in the old world. The best of authority gives 75 per cent and over as having been drawn from the farms. There is therefore nearly 75 per cent of the land formerly tilled now being unworked. Much of this land is today in a devastated condition and if the war should end tomorrow it will take years to bring it back to its former producing capacity.

Instead of the farmer-producer producing, he has become a consumer, making the strain upon those who have been left to do the farming a very difficult one. There may be agitation as to the high cost of living, and doubtless there is reason for it in many cases. The middleman may boost the prices, combines may organize to elevate the cost, but one cannot get away from the fact that the demand regulates the supply, and the supply regulates the price. The price of wheat—in fact, all grains—as well as cattle, will remain high for some time, and the low prices that have prevailed will not come again for some time.

After the war the demand for cattle, not alone for beef, but for stock purposes, to replenish the exhausted herds of Europe, will be keen. Farm educators and advisers are telling you to prepare for this emergency. How much better it can be done on the low-priced lands of today, on lands that cost from ten to twenty dollars per acre, than it can on two and three hundred-dollar-an-acre land. The lands of Western Canada meet all the requirements. They are productive in every sense of the word. The best of grasses can be grown with abundant yields and the grain can be produced from these soils that beats the world, and the same may be said of cattle and horses. The climate is all that is required.

Those who are competent to judge claim that land prices will rise in value from twenty to fifty per cent. This is looked for in Western Canada, where lands are decidedly cheap today, and those who are fortunate enough to secure now will realize wonderfully by means of such an investment. The land that the Dominion Government is giving away as free homesteads in the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are of a high class; they are abundant in every constituent that goes to make the most productive soils. The yields of wheat, oats and barley that have been grown on these lands gives the best evidence of their productiveness, and when backed up by the experience of the thousands of settlers from the United States who have worked them and become wealthy upon them, little more should be required to convince those who are seeking a home, even with limited means, that nowhere can they secure anything that will better equip them to become one of the army of industry to assist in taking care of the problem of feeding the world. These lands are free; but to those who desire larger holdings than 160 acres, there are the railroad companies and land corporations from whom purchase can be made at reasonable prices, and information can be secured from the Canadian government agent, whose advertisement appears elsewhere in this paper.—Advertisement.

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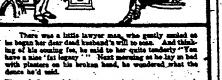
A Sure Sign.

"Is he very rich?"

"He must be. He's kicking about his taxes."—Detroit Free Press.

New York will centralize in a new city department all municipal repair work.



There was a little lawyer man, who gently smiled as he began her dear dead husband's will to scan. And thinking of his coming fee, he said to her quite tenderly "You have a nice 'fat legacy.'" Next morning as he lay in bed with plasters on his broken head, he wondered what the deuce he'd said.

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The Japanese have been studying the toy market and have taken advantage of the international combat to bring toymaking up to the usual Oriental perfection, and they will make a strong bid for the toy market even after the war.

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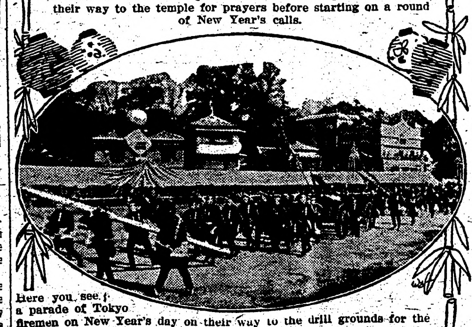
NEW YEAR'S DAY IN JAPAN

New Year's day has come to rank as one of the most popular of the Flowery Kingdom's holidays. As in America it is a day of feasting and good cheer, though oddly tempered by religious observances. The above picture shows three Japanese belles on their way to the temple for prayers before starting on a round of New Year's calls.



Here you see a parade of Tokyo firemen on New Year's day on their way to the drill grounds for the annual inspection, one of the big features in the way of celebrating the first day of the year in every Japanese city of any size. Fire engines and equipment pass in review before the city officials, after which fire drills are performed and the firemen take part in contests of various kinds. The fire engine has only recently been introduced into the Island Kingdom and the modern auto-truck is not yet known there. In the lower picture are shown the firemen with their bamboo scaling ladders which are used not only for life-saving and as an elevation from which to direct the water from the hose nozzle, but as a ram with which to knock down buildings too far gone to save and so prevent the spread of the conflagration. The Japanese firemen are wonderful acrobats and perform truly remarkable feats on the tall ladders, scaling them with the agility of monkeys. Men, women and children turn out to watch the exhibitions. Note the odd costumes of this brigade from Tokyo.

NEW YEAR SUPERSTITIONS

When the master enters the house for the first time in the new year he must take something in which he did not take out.

A piece of money placed on the doorstep on New Year's eve and brought in the moment the clock strikes will insure plenty throughout the year.

Never go out on New Year's day until someone has come in.

Throw out all peacock's feathers before New Year's day or you will have bad luck.

When the clock strikes 12 on New Year's eve open both the front and back door of the house, so that all evil spirits may pass out and the good ones pass in. But be sure to close the door as soon as the clock has finished striking, so that the good spirits may not escape.

On New Year's eve take a little money, bread, salt, wood and coal, tie them in a bundle and lay them on the doorstep. If the first person who comes to the door possesses a name whose initials are made up of straight lines, allow him to pick up the bundle and bring it in. Give him a gift, and let him pass out through the back door. Then you will have good luck for another year.

LAW BEING SOUGHT FOR PAPER MILLS

ATTORNEY GENERAL SMITH DRAFTS BILL AT REQUEST OF MINNESOTA EDITORS.

RECOMMENDS TEN CHANGES

State Efficiency Commission Urges Creation of Department of Public Domain Embracing Several Bureaus With Commissioners.

St. Paul.

Attorney General Smith is giving personal attention to drafting a bill for introduction in the next legislature for the establishment of state-owned paper mills on state timber lands, as proposed by the Minnesota Editorial association following the conclusion that the situation as to 1917 supply of print paper is so serious as to threaten discontinuance of many Minnesota newspapers.

A draft of such a bill was requested by Frank A. Day of the Fairmont Sentinel, and once secretary to the late Governor John A. Johnson, Chairman Herman Roe of the Northfield News; and other publishers on the legislation committee of the association, who consulted Attorney General Smith and other state officials on the subject.

Although the state supreme court more than 20 years ago ruled adversely on a proposal that the state engage in commercial business, the attorney general said, conditions have greatly changed in the interim and he hoped to draw a bill that would stand the constitutionality and all other tests, and afford the desired relief to the Minnesota newspaper publishers as well as returning the advantages promised to the state.

And in the paper mill project, it is explained, the state will be assured of a good market for pulpwood from state lands and grounds for a big reforestation undertaking.

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Efficiency Board Reports.

The report of the state efficiency and economy commission summarizing its recommendations for 10 changes in Minnesota's system of government, has been presented to Governor J. A. A. Burnquist by A. J. Rockne, chairman of the commission. The commission will meet again Dec. 29 to make possible minor changes and plan a campaign for getting the program through the legislature. The recommendations will be incorporated into 10 separate bills and the argument and data compiled will be made public more fully.

Recommendations in the report include:

Creation of a state department of public domain, embracing bureaus of public lands, fish and game, forests, immigration, mines, highways and drainage and waters, each headed by a commissioner.

Elimination of unsalaried state boards and substitution of salaried commissions, the members to devote their entire time to the state's work.

A single state board of education to replace all existing boards with the exception of the university boards.

Designation of the state board of control to act as state purchasing agent, manage the capitol and handle other new duties.

A state bureau of investments.

Reorganization of the state health department.

Amendment of the state constitution to limit the house membership to 160 and the senate membership to 90.

A constitutional convention for the complete revision of the state constitution.

A law compelling all state departments to turn all miscellaneous receipts over to the state treasurer as soon as received.

Divorce of the state grain inspection system from the railroad and warehouse commission.

Abolition of present hotel and oil inspections system, and the transfer of these duties to the dairy and food commission.

The report represents the commission's work since Aug. 3, 1915, when it was organized.

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Wealth Under Lakes.

State Auditor J. A. O. Preus states that fabulous mineral wealth underlying numerous lakes in Northern Minnesota may be mined and converted to useful ends. He plans to recommend new laws on the subject to the next Legislature, if only to get court rulings on various phases of the subject, and mainly that of ownership. "Numerous lakes in Northern Minnesota are underlaid with rich iron ore deposits worth probably many millions of dollars," Mr. Preus said.

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To Ask More Teachers.

The need of betterment of the teaching facilities in the arts college is to be employed by the board of regents in its request for appropriations. Under direction of President Vincent facts are being marshaled to show how inadequately this college has been looked after in recent years. In the two college years ended July 31 last, a statement from the president discloses, student enrollment in the arts college increased 47.5 per cent, almost one-half, while faculty membership increased only 14 per cent.

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Luck for Three Murphys.

Because they possess the name of Murphy, three students in search of an education are on their way to their ambition, through the terms of the will of the late William S. Murphy, a Harvard alumnus, who left $100,000 to the university, the income of which is to support scholarships for men of his name.

As there are no freshmen of that name entered this fall, three scholarships were given instead to students in the graduate schools, only one of whom holds a Harvard degree.

The holders are Clifton Murphy of Georgetown, S. C., first-year student in the law school; William A. Murphy of Boston in his first year in the medical school, and Gardner Murphy of Boston, a student in the graduate school.

The Young Idea Again.

The three-year-old son of Dr. B. S. Potter, superintendent of the county hospital for the incurable insane at Julietta, has been with his father often in his automobile when his father exclaimed: "Now, I've killed it!" as the engine stopped.

The boy was watching his mother use the sewing machine recently, when the needle broke and the machine stopped suddenly.

"Now you've killed it, mamma!" he exclaimed.

Poison Gas Found in Kelp.

In the "floaters" of kelp, or giant seaweed of the Pacific, Dr. Seth C. Langdon, instructor in chemistry at the University of Washington, has discovered the poisonous gas carbon monoxide. The total gas content of these cells has from 8 to 12 per cent of the carbon monoxide.

A man may be in love without being quite insane enough to occupy a padded cell.

Many blouses are made to wear outside the skirt.

PRISONERS OF PARLIAMENT

Offenders May Be Shut Up in Clock Tower, but Buy Own Meals.

Few people are aware that the houses of parliament have their own prison. Yet situated high up in the clock tower is the M. P.'s prison, consisting of four bedrooms and two sitting rooms, London Tit-Bits says.

The honorable member who has been dishonored by imprisonment for a breach of parliamentary etiquette does not have a very hard life in St. Stephen's prison. The prisoner's meals are sent up to him from the house of commons' kitchens and he can choose whatever dishes he likes from the ordinary menu. Unlike an ordinary prisoner, he receives the bill for his meals from the catering authorities!

Perhaps the best remembered occupant of parliament's prison was Mr. Bradlaugh, who was sentenced by the speaker to imprisonment in the clock tower for refusing to withdraw when requested so to do.

Offenders against parliament other than members have before now been sentenced to imprisonment in the clock tower. These "outsiders" have included several public speakers and the editor of a prominent newspaper.

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Raise High Priced Wheat on Fertile Canadian Soil

Canada extends to you a hearty invitation to settle on her FREE Homestead lands of 160 acres each or secure some of the low priced lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. This year wheat is higher but Canadian land just as cheap, so the opportunity is more attractive than ever. Canada wants you to help feed the world by tilling some of her fertile soil—land similar to that which during many years has averaged 20 to 45 bushels of wheat to the acre. Think of the money you can make with wheat around $2 a bushel and land so easy to get. Wonderful yields also of Oats, Barley and Flax. Mixed farming in Western Canada is as profitable an industry as grain growing.

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

The Government this year is asking farmers to put increased acreage into grain. Military service is not compulsory in Canada but there is a great demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for service. The climate is healthful and agreeable, railway facilities excellent, good schools and churches convenient. Write for literature as to reduced railway rates to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Can., or to

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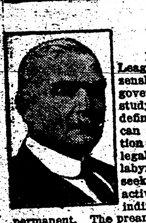
OUR PUBLIC FORUM

J. S. Cullinan
ON CITIZENSHIP.



Mr. J. S. Cullinan, President of the Texas Economic League, in inviting the people to study and discuss citizenship and to give special attention to the problems of government, said in part: "Before we can intelligently study so important a subject as citizenship we must first define it. What is citizenship? Who is the best American citizen? Search the statute books for a definition of citizenship and unless one is a member of the legal profession we immediately become entangled in a labyrinth of confusing and ofttimes contradictory laws, seeking to promote or restrain most every form of human activity, much of them good, some of them bad and others indifferent. But laws come and go; the Constitution is permanent. The preamble of our Federal Constitution states that our government is organized to give its citizens liberty and happiness. Read the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States and one cannot escape the conclusion that the best American citizen is he who is most free, patriotic, just, happy and active and who hands down to posterity a civilization more capable than he found it. The spirit of our country is freedom and no man can become a true American citizen unless he is free.

"Turning a moment from documents of State perhaps the best authority on citizenship, and one universally accepted by the public, is Webster's International Dictionary, which defines a citizen as 'A member of a State; a person, native or naturalized, of either sex, who owes allegiance to government and is entitled to reciprocal protection from it.' Further: 'A citizen as such is entitled to the protection of life, liberty and property at home and abroad.'

"We now have before us the authoritative definition of citizenship by both government and society and in order that the most humble citizen may feel perfectly free to enter into a study and discussion of this subject I will briefly outline my conception of what citizenship involves, for the work of the Texas Economic League will be in vain if the most lowly citizen does not feel free to give serious thought and expression to his obligation to government and his responsibility to his fellow man.

"Applied to able-bodied adult males, with whom, I take it we will have chiefly to do, a citizen's duty, in return for the rights, privileges and protection outlined above, would seem to be: First, to expend sufficient labor in production, or auxiliary occupations, viz., manufacture, transportation and distribution, to support himself and his family in comfort. Second, conform to all laws framed in the interest of society under the Constitution. Third, contribute his just proportion to the maintenance of government in personal time, payment of taxes or, if need be, bearing arms in the defense of the nation.

"In reaching the above conclusions I have assumed that under our system of government citizens are owners in common and are entitled to the rights and benefits of government during the term of their natural lives and for such period only."

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed and delivered by John F. Tapper, a single man, Mortgagor, to Holt State Bank, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of August, 1915, and with a power of attorney contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of August, 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 73 of mortgages on page 151. Such default consisting in the following, to-wit:

(1) Failure on the part of said mortgagor to pay the sum of six and 50-100 (6.50) dollars, due and payable under the terms of said mortgage on August 12, 1916.

(2) Failure on the part of said Mortgagor to pay the interest in the amount of seventy-eight ($78.00) dollars due August 12, 1916, on a prior mortgagor in the sum of thirteen hundred ($1300.00) dollars; by reason whereof the said undersigned was compelled to pay and did pay said interest so due.

(3) Failure on the part of said Mortgagor to pay the taxes and assessments against said land in the sum of nineteen and 42-100 ($19.42) dollars, which became delinquent on June 1, 1916, by reason whereof the undersigned was compelled to pay and did pay said taxes.

And whereas, the said Mortgagee has elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of one hundred fifty-two and 52-100 ($152.52) dollars, including such interest, so paid on said prior mortgage, and the taxes paid as aforesaid, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said morgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz; Lot one (1) of Section Nineteen (19) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) and the East half of the Northeast Quarter (E½ NE¼) of Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-one (41) West of the fifth principal meridan, in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court house in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 17th day of February, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay and satisfy said debt of One Hundred Fifty-one and 52-100 ($151.52), and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars attorney's fees and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1916.

Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota.
Mortgagee.

H. O. KJOMME,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Oct., 1916.

Cream received	14,857 lbs
Average test	28 09
Butter fat	4031.96 lbs
Percent overrun	23 24
Butter made	4968 lbs
Balance on hand last month	8 49
Received for butter shipped	1516 67
Butter and milk sold patrons	14 87
Cash sales at creamery	65 12
Rec'd from other sources	2 27
Total	$1605 42
Paid patrons by check	1465 90
" " " Butter & milk	14 87
Expense fund, etc.	80 63
Other sources	
To sinking fund	29 63
Balance on hand	13 30
Total	$1605 42

Number of patrons, 92

Price paid for butter fat, 37c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

C. L. Heinze 50 14, S. H. Nohre 43.41, T. O. Dovre 42.64.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Human Doormats.

Some men could be sized up in two words: Human doormats.—Florida Times-Union.

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The annual short course of the T. R. Falls high school will open on Monday, Jan. 8, and continue three months. Everything is free. If you wish to enroll, write at once to

J. H. Hay, Supt.

The Sixth Annual Farm Crops Show which has been a great school of instruction for the people generally of the Red River Valley will be in session again in Crookston, Feb. 5th to 9th. The executive committee is planning even greater and more varied entertainment and profitable features than in the past.

Can't Loose Hair

Twenty Years from Today a Baldheaded Man will be an Unusual Sight

One of the most prominent druggists of America made a statement a few weeks ago which has caused a great deal of discussion among scientists in the medical press. He said: If the new hair grower, Mildredina Hair Remedy, increases its sales as it has during the past year, it will be used by nearly every man, woman and child in America within 8 years

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PLAN TO RESUME RAILWAY INQUIRY AFTER MARCH 4TH

Postponement Forced by Press of Congressional Business

COUNTRY DEMANDS ACTION

Shippers, Investors and Representatives of All Branches of Business Demand Unification of System of Railway Regulation—Roads Ask Fewer Masters.

Washington, Dec. 18.—The Congressional Joint Committee on Interstate Commerce, which has been conducting the inquiry into government regulation and control of transportation, last week decided to suspend its hearings on the subject and adjourned, subject to the call of the chairman, because of the pressure of other work before Congress. According to the resolution creating the committee, it is required to submit a report by January 8th next. It is understood that before that time the committee will ask for an extension of time and that the hearings will be resumed at a later date, when some of those who already have appeared before the committee will be questioned further and a great many others will be heard. It is probable, however, that the hearings will not be resumed until after adjournment of Congress on March 4th. In addition to regular routine business the commerce committees of the two houses are charged with the important duty of preparing and presenting the legislation asked for by President Wilson to make impossible a railroad strike without previous investigation. This will leave little or no time for the consideration of the general questions of railway regulation.

Country Wants Something Done.

Members of Congress and others who are interested in the inquiry undertaken by the Newlands Committee insist that there is no intention of abandoning it.

It seems doubtful, indeed, if the country would permit the matter to be dropped if there were evidence of a desire on the part of Congress to do so. The nation-wide evidences of interest evoked by the initiation of the Newlands inquiry show that the people of the country—shippers, consumers and investors, as well as railway men themselves—are alive to the fact that the railway situation is highly unsatisfactory and that steps must be taken without unnecessary delay to make it possible for the railroads to meet the growing needs of the nation.

From reports received here it seems as though almost every commercial organization and business interest in the country were engaged in studying the railroad question. The Chamber of Commerce of the United States has been conducting an elaborate inquiry into various phases of the subject for many months past. Many local and state commercial bodies in every part of the country have committees engaged in study of the problem and have indicated a desire to come here and present their views. National organizations of manufacturers, lumbermen, coal operators, wholesale and retail dealers, have expressed through resolutions their desire for the unification of the system of railway regulation. The National Industrial Traffic League, speaking from the viewpoint of shippers using the railways, has indorsed exclusive federal regulation providing it is accomplished in such a way as to give full protection and prompt adjustment in matters relating to transportation within the states.

Many Interests Studying Problem.

All these organizations represent primarily the shippers of the country, but they are not the only ones who are taking a hand in the discussion. The investors of the nation, through their own associations and through committees representing the savings banks and other financial organizations, are preparing to show the necessity of improving railroad credit and protecting the rights of those whose money is invested in railway securities. Finally the railroads themselves, being vitally concerned in the improvement of existing conditions, are planning to submit their views through their executives, operating officials and traffic experts and to assert their willingness to accept far reaching federal regulation along lines that will enable them to attract capital and to provide the facilities needed for the prompt and efficient handling of the country's transportation business.

Main Trouble Is Too Many Masters.

Not all of these interests are in accord as to the remedies that should be adopted. There seems to be a general agreement, however, that many of the difficulties which confront the railroads and which make it impossible for them to meet the requirements of the nation's commerce promptly and satisfactorily arise from the haphazard and often conflicting measures of regulation that have been adopted from time to time by the federal government and the forty-eight states and that what is needed is a well ordered, systematic scheme of federal regulation that shall cover the whole country and make it possible for the railroads to provide the extensions and improved facilities so badly needed, while at the same time protecting fully the public interests.

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The Real Thing.

An aim in life is the only fortune worth the finding, says Stevenson, and it is not to be found in foreign lands, but in the heart itself.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Save money by trading in Holt.

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Miss Hilma Nyberg has resigned her place in Carlson's store.

10 pounds Fancy Whole Rice for 69 cents at Holt Merc. Co.

Miss Albertina Nyberg returned Monday to her work in Grand Forks.

John Gudvangen went to Fertile Monday to visit his brother Willie.

Hilmer Johnson of Strathcona visited friends here a few days last week.

Tom Larson drove to T. R. Falls Monday, where he expects to stay this winter.

Mr. [illegible]erson, proprietor of the [illegible]

[illegible] delivered at Holt.

John Hagberg, Loyd and Harold Adams went to Baudette Monday to work in the lumber camps.

See our merchants when in need of winter goods. They will sell you cheaper, net, than the catalog firms.

Bertil Sollom has resigned his position in the Farmers State Bank to enter a business college in Grand Forks.

Mrs. Martin Jarshaw took her little daughter to Grand Forks, Monday to consult a physician regarding her health.

Ole Olson came down from Middle River Monday to visit his brother Dr. R. L. Olson who had been sick for a few days.

Ole Danielson, who had been here to attend the funeral of his brother Martin Danielson, returned Monday to his home at Dassel, Minn.

R. Reierson used a snow scraper and a team last Saturday to clean away the snow in front of his store. This is a commendable work and worth being done by others too.

Mrs. Sam Mickelson and daughter Amanda went to Crookston Tuesday. Mrs. Mickelson's father is in poor health and she will visit him for a few days. Miss Amanda will return to her work as a stenographer.

G. P. Sorter took his daughter Anna to T. R. Falls last Thursday, and Friday morning, the latter had her tonsils removed. Miss Anna returned home Monday and is recovering nicely from the effects of the operation.

Start the new year right by trading at home.

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Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock, sharp.

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 7:30 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

Be sure to write it 1917.

L. S. Kolden visited his brother S. S. here Wednesday.

10 pounds Fancy Whole Rice for 69 cents at Holt Merc. Co.

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

Brekkestra Bros., from west of Newfolden, have bought the Hanson & Barsen lumber shed and will start a garage in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Christianson and family and Miss Lizzie Hanson were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Young Monday evening.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

Sam Mickelson has the frame up for his new house and is taking advantage of the nice weather to rush the work.

Harold Adams of Dundale, came last week Thursday for a few days visit with his brother Loyd Adams.

Mesdames A. H. Langley and Paul Olson went to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht and children [illegible] T. R. Falls Saturday [illegible] with [illegible]

Somebody exchanged [illegible] with us, by mistake, at the Christmas program in the Free Mission church, Monday night, and if they would be so kind we would like to trade back.

If you are looking for war prices on your hides, furs and junk ship them to us, we pay freight and express. Write for prices. Thief River Hide & Fur Co. T. R. Falls, Minn. Located north of G. N. depot. 1-11

A big crowd attended the Christmas exercises in the Synod church last Thursday evening. A good program was given, which was enjoyed by all present.

The Modern Woodmen took in 118000 new members in the first 11 months of last year.

The families of C. L. Heinze, B. Docken and Racine Olson were entertained New Years day at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson.

Dr. J. T. Turley, the dentist, will make his regular trip here during February. He is opening an office in Duluth and is too busy to come here this month.

Yo-Ho Freckle-Face

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

Do you know how easy it is to remove those ugly spots so that no one will call you freckle-face?

Simply get an ounce of carpol, extra strong, from your druggist, and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of freckles and get a beautiful complexion. The sun and winds this month have a strong tendency to bring out freckles, and as a result more carpol is sold in these months. Be sure to ask for the extra strong, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove the freckles.—Carpol Laboratories, Boston, Mass. Star M[illegible] Mail orders filled.

Obituary.

Martin Danilson was born in Molskaga, Sweden Dec., 1st. 1868 and died Dec. 25th 1917 at the home of his sister Mrs. Ole Kjelgren near Holt, Minn.

His father came to this country in 1880 and homesteaded a little farm near Cokato, Minn. Three years later the family joined him there, where the deceased lived for several years when he went to Butte, Montana where he worked in the coal and copper mines for 3 or 4 years. While working in the mines the seed of consumption were sown in his system but did not develop until about 3 years ago, since which time he has been under the doctors care. After quitting the mines Mr. Danilson went to Canada and entered a homestead which he still owned at the time of his death.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon in the Holt Free Mission church by Rev. Kilen assisted by Rev. Tunheim and interment was made in the Holt cemetery.

The News joins the many friends in extending sympathy to the sorrowing relatives.

Bring us your Job Printing.

10 pounds Fancy Whole Rice for 69 cents at Holt Merc. Co.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 7:30 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

Mrs. G. M. Christenson of Fertile and daughters Effie and Verna, came Saturday for a short visit at the home of the formers daughters, Mesdames Haugh and Olson.

[illegible] New Years with his family.

The annual meeting of the Holt Farmer's Creamery Co., will be held Saturday Jan. 27th.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

Mrs. August Kuehne and son Ernest went to T. R. Falls Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Albin Knauf.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson, Gunhild, Olava, Bertil and Elmer Sollom drove to Newfolden Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson.

Elling Tollefesrud was setting up the cigars Saturday, so its the general supposition that he is married.

Last week it seemed as though the freights could'nt get through and this week they are being run on double time.

If speakers are desired for farmers meetings of any kind, they can be had by making early requests to the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston. Can we not have some farmers meetings here?

The Golden Hour Society's auction sale will be held at T. O. Dovre's Saturday evening, Jan. 6th, at 7:30. Everybody welcome.

The T. R. Falls Times stated last week that the U. S. Com., of the General land office at Washington had decided against the Mud Lake squatters and affirmed the decision of the Crookston office. The only thing left for the squatters is to contest the claims.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Adv.

Southeast of Holt.

Heres wishing you a very happy and prosperous New Year.

Mrs. C. Guttrud entertained a few friends on New Years Day. All had a very enjoyable time.

Minnie Ekre come down from Gonvick Saturday for a short visit at the Larson home.

A surprise party was given in honor of Mrs. C. Hoffman last Saturday evening. All present had an enjoyable time.

Harold Saastad, Bernard and Clara Larson were pleasantly entertained at the Martin Mattson home one evening last week.

A surprise party was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. N. Sordahl Saturday evening. A white linen table cloth was presented to them from the company. All report a good time.

Mrs. G. A. Soiney was a visitor at the Michaelson home on New Years Day.

Alfred Klungness, Arne Sordahl, Nathan Soiney, and Oliver Michaelson were visitors with the Moe boys on Monday.

Signor Sandbo, teacher in Dist. 159 is spending her Christmas vacation with her sister at Superior Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Togerson and son Carl returned home on Friday from Wisconsin where they have been visiting the past few weeks.

Miss Gertrude Pries, teacher in the Sam Groven school is spending several weeks vacation with her folks in Chicago, Ill.

Elling Tollefsrud of Golden Valley is making [illegible]

Bank Statement

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Dec. 27, 1916.

Date of report by Bank, Jan. 3, 1917.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$101,073 57
Overdrafts		781 15
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		3,860 01
Other Real Estate		$1,000 00
Due from Banks	5,080 67	
Cash on Hand	2990 85	
Total Cash Assets		8 027 52
Checks and Cash Items		1,781 37
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		
Total		$118,901 92

LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$3,500.00
Undivided Profits, Net		1,959 25
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		3,000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$41,137,30	
Cashier's Checks	1293.47	
Total Immediate Liabilities	42,430.81	
Time Certificates	$8,011.84	
Total Deposits		100,442 67
Total		$118,901 92
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$10,412 10
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$7,002 19

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President.
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNDER[illegible]
[Two] Directors. [illegible] REIERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of Jan., 1917.

[SEAL] Nils Elleitsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

Are you making use of the State Free Traveling Libraries? Books for the asking at the Holt State Bank.

Announcements regarding students short courses in farm Husbandry, Stock Raising, Gasoline and Tractor Engineering and Dressmaking are being sent out by the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and will be mailed to anyone who makes application for them.

No Indication.

Because a man makes a profession of religion is no sign that he is way up in his profession.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Ringbo Rumbles

Pete Sorter and Hilmer Davidson called at John Engstrom's Sunday evening.

Alf Movik spent Sunday afternoon with Martin Davidson.

Hazel Davidson and Hilda Erickson were visitors at Ole Rude's Sunday.

Miss Esther Movik spent her Christmas at G. P. Sorter's.

Miss Flora Culver left Saturday for her home in Thief River Falls.

A bunch of young folks gathered at John Engstrom's Christmas eve and a most enjoyable evening was spent by all in attendance.

Pete Sorter and Oliver Grondahl called at Ole Davidson's Wednesday evening.

There were a large number of Christmas fools out in this vicinity during Christmas.

Elling Wagedahl called at Movik's Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Engstrom were visitors at Christ Engen's Christmas.

Miss Hilda Erickson was an over night visitor with Hazel Davidson last week.

Alice Johnson, Elmer and Sidney Engstrom spent Tuesday evening at G. P. Sorter's.

Elef Sorter shot a wolf last week.

G. H. Sorter, his daughter Anna and Sophie Johnson went to Thief River Falls Thursday to consult a physician.

Percy Sorter was an over night visitor with Eiden Erickson Wednesday of last week.

[illegible] visited at P. G. Sorter's New Years Day.

Harry Ostby from Fargo N. D. is visiting at M. Grondahl's and also Davidson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grondahl are visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Grondahl.

Pete Sorter, Oliver Grondahl, Harry Ostby, and Esther Movik were callers at Ole Davidson's New Years eve.

Mrs. Ole Davidson, daughter Hazel and Hilda Erickson called at M. Grondahl's Sunday.

Martin Davidson and Olf Movik called at Matt Larson's New Years Day.

Potatoes Wanted

Bring us your potatoes. We pay cash for them at all times.

Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co.
Thief River Falls Minn.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Nov., 1916.

Cream received	6,489 lbs
Average test	26 09
Butter fat	1693.39 lbs
Percent overrun	22 68
Butter made	2077 lbs
Balance on hand last month	13 39
Received for butter shipped	578 80
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 23
Cash sales at creamery	95 37
Rec'd from other sources	23 77
Total	$717 56
Paid patrons by check	667 40
" " Butter & milk	6 23
Expense fund, etc.	21 39
Other sources	10 81
To sinking fund	11 43
Balance on hand	30
Total	$717 56

Number of patrons, 55

Price paid for butter fat, 40c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

John Simonson $42.95.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

From Oklahoma.

(Chas. W. Latta is publishing The Courier at Brinkman, Okla. Below we give a few extracts from a personal letter written to Dr. R. L. Olson)

We had a fine trip by Ford through North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas and Oklahoma. The roads were good most of the way and we made an average run of 150 miles a day which was pretty fair traveling, considering there were eight of us in the car, besides baggage.

This is a lively little town and is the best cotton market in this section.

The country around here is prairie, cut up with lots of little creeks, mostly dry. There are lots of quail and rabbits here.

There is very little dairying done, but a lot of cattle, hogs and poultry are raised. There are lots of mules here [illegible]

When it rains the [illegible] like grease but it dries quickly and the roads are fair most of the time.

Cotton is the main crop, but they also raise considerable corn, alfalfa and lots of wheat.

The weather is fine nearly all the time, but we have some wind and sudden changes.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern [illegible]
[illegible]
Oats
Barley
Rye
Flour, Best Patent

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Tonoline is Beauty Aid

Announces Specialist

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest To Women

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

"I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of [illegible] woman who said, 'Take tonoline.'

"Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

"What tonoline really did for me I cannot say. I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline publicly."

Tonoline is a purely vegetable preparation which goes to the seat of common maladies—stomach and kidney trouble, catarrhal affections of the mucous membranes, liver ailments and impurities of the blood—and quickly restores proper action. Tonoline is being explained daily at your druggists.

Notice:—As tonoline is a wonderful flesh builder it should not be taken by any one not wishing to increase his weight ten pounds or more. Although many reports are received from those who have been benefited by tonoline in severe cases of stomach trouble and nervous dyspepsia, chronic constipation, etc.

—50c Box Free—

FREE TONOLINE COUPON
American Proprietary Co.
Boston, Mass.

Send me by return mail a 50c box of your celebrated flesh builder. I enclose 10c to help pay postage and packing.

Why Good Men Are Busy.

"Marry a busy man," advises Helen Rowland. It can't be done legally. All the busy men are married. That's what makes them busy.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

CONDENSATIONS OF GREATER OR LESSER IMPORTANCE.

A BOILING DOWN OF EVENTS

National, Political, Personal and Other Matters in Brief Form for All Classes of Readers.

WAR NEWS.

A Havas dispatch from Berne says it is believed in certain circles there that the British government is about to approach the belligerents on the subject of peace in the same way as the Swiss president.

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Since the beginning of the war, according to calculations by a London shipping paper, Great Britain has lost 345 steam vessels, representing 1,744,000 tons. When the war started Great Britain had 3,600 vessels.

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W. W. Rutherford of the Rumanian Consolidated Oil Fields Co., made the assertion in London that the value of the oil fields destroyed by the allies in the Rumanian retreat amounted to $150,000,000.

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Announcement is made in the Berlin newspapers that the Order of Merit has been conferred on Captain Valentiner, commander of a German submarine, for sinking 128 ships, of a total tonnage of 282,000.

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Pope Benedict, in speaking to Cardinal Gasparri, papal secretary of state, regarding President Wilson's note to the belligerents, said: "It is a document showing the honesty, justice and far-sightedness of the American president."

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"The number of civilians assassinated in East Prussia in 1914 during the Russian invasion, now has been officially made public by the Koenigsburg statistical office and totals 6,048, of whom ninety-nine were women," says a Berlin statement.

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Germany and her allies—Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey—replied to the note of President Wilson in which he asked that the belligerent nations state the aims for which they were fighting. The proposal is made [illegible] of the delegates of all the belligerents [illegible] held immediately in a

GENERAL.

Frank R. Roberson, 46, noted traveler and lecturer, died at a Denver hospital of appendicitis.

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Six passengers were killed and several others were injured in a railroad wreck at St. Polycarpe junction, Canada.

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Three thousand five hundred dollars' worth of cattle were killed or crippled by a Burlington passenger train when they broke through the right-of-way near Lingle, Wyo.

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A tornado in Arkansas caused the death of twelve persons, the injury to twenty-three and an estimated property damage of $3,000,000. Four counties were in the path of the tornado.

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Illinois is to have a woman assistant attorney general, it was announced by Edward J. Brundage, attorney general-elect, who said he would appoint Miss Jeannette Bates to the position.

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Representatives of the railroads and the four brotherhoods failed to reach a settlement of the eight-hour controversy at a conference in New York. It was announced that both sides would await the supreme court's action on the constitutionality of the law.

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Oscar Egg, of Sweden, and Marcel Dupuy, of France, the "hard boiled egg" team, won the annual six-day bike race at Madison Square Garden, New York. They covered a distance of 2,625 miles in 143 hours and carried away the first prize of $5,000.

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Although the entire forces of the sheriff, chief of police and United States marshal at Salt Lake City have worked unceasingly for days, no clew has been obtained of the person who planted a bomb at the home of Governor Spry of Utah.

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In their answer to the school board's decision in not granting a Christmas vacation of one week, 15,000 school children of the 22,000 enrolled in the public schools of Scranton, Pa., remained away from sessions.

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John N. Reeves, his wife and three children, two boys, aged 5 and 11 and a baby 15 months old, were found dead in their home near Minden, La. The bodies were battered and chopped, apparently from axe strokes. Robbery was the motive, it is thought.

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Five persons lost their lives and property damage to the extent of $250,000 was sustained when fire completely destroyed the Kansas Masonic home at Wichita.

An analysis on crime conditions in Chicago, shows that there is a hold-up there every six hours, a murder every second day, two suicides a day and an arrest every seven and a half minutes.

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More than one billion dollars net income from operations was made by the railroads of the country during the year now closing. Statistics gathered by the interstate commerce commission complete for nine months indicate that the total net income from operations will be approximately $1,098,000,000 for the entire year.

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The year just passing saw the completion of more than 275 tennis tournaments, according to information made public by Paul Williams, field secretary of the United States National lawn tennis association. Figures show that about 500,000 dozen balls were smashed over the net during the playing season, which amounts to 6,000,000 balls.

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Nine defendents were found guilty of use of the mails to defraud in the sale of phantom wild horses in Coconino county, Arizona, by a federal jury at Omaha. Those convicted are: Albert Hastings, Silver Creek, Neb.; C. M. West, Lincoln; W. Hinkley, Brayton, Neb.; J. Shercliff, Minneapolis; B. F. Burwinkle, Elston, Ia.; and J. S. Smith, C. M. Thompson and John Bolec, Omaha. Two were discharged.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

A report was received at El Paso, Tex., by sources known to be close to Francisco Villa, and by government agents, saying that Villa's forces captured San Luis Potosi.

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Confirmation was received at Mexico City of the report that General Luis Herrera, in command of a government force, had been killed in battle with Villa adherents near Torreon.

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Three hundred recruits for the regular army on the border and in Mexico were quarantined in tents on the parade ground at Fort Bliss because five of the recruits were found to have measles.

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The appearance of a band of Villa troops south of Chihuahua City, Mexico, was reported to have caused General Francisco Murguia to order General Gonzales south with his command.

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Puebla and Orizaba, Mexico, have fallen into the hands of followers of Felix Dias; and Jalapa is in the hands of other revolutionary forces, according to reports received by United States government agents.

WASHINGTON.

Money in circulation in the United States on November 1 amounted to $4,241,162,189, treasury officials report. The per capita circulation was $41.18 on that date.

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President Wilson told callers he would veto the $28,000,000 public buildings bill if it comes to him in the form in which it is now pending in the house.

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Erection of a government pulp and paper mill to assure the government a paper supply at reasonable prices was recommended to the joint congressional committee on printing.

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Figures published by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce show that in the first eight months of this year foodstuffs shipped to Europe reached a value of about $670,000,000, or at the rate of more than $60,000,000 a month.

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Every able-bodied male citizen of the United States between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years is held liable for service in the national guard in war time, without further act of congress, by war department regulations for the government of the guard issued under the national defense act.

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Omaha, Neb.; Berkeley, Cal.; Spokane, Wash.; Springfield, Mass.; Baltimore, Md.; Columbia, S. C.; Louisville, Ky.; New Orleans, La.; St. Louis, Mo.; St. Paul, Minn.; Wichita, Kans.; Houston, Tex., have been chosen as locations for twelve federal farm loan banks. The banks will be established as soon as practicable. Under the law each will have a capital of $750,000.

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Resources of national banks of the United States, Comptroller Williams announced, aggregate $15,520,000,000, exceeding by about $1,000,000,000 the total resources of the Bank of England, the Bank of France, the Bank of Russia, the German Reichsbank, the Bank of Italy, the Bank of Spain, the Bank of The Netherlands, the Bank of Denmark, the Swiss National bank, and the Imperial Bank of Japan combined.

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A bill to make effective in the United States "the daylight saving" plan by which the clock would be advanced one hour, from May 1, 1917, will be introduced in congress by Representative William P. Borland of Missouri.

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Leo Stevens, a balloonist of international reputation, has been engaged by the war department as instructor at the army balloon school which will soon be reopened at Fort Omaha.

FORTY-SIX WOMEN DIE AS CANADIAN ASYLUM IS BURNED

INMATES LOSE LIVES WHEN TRAPPED IN BLAZE WHICH DESTROYS INSTITUTION NEAR MONTREAL.

SCENES ATTENDING FIRE ARE DESCRIBED AS HORRIFYING

Victims Crouch in Terror Until Flames Reach Them and Leap From High Windows—Attendant Meets Death in Effort to Rescue Unfortunates.

Montreal, Jan. 2.—Forty-six women were burned to death in a fire that destroyed St. Ferdinand de Halifax asylum at St. Ferdinand de Halifax, Megantic county, Quebec, according to a report received here. Patients of the asylum, of whom there were 180, were all women.

St. Ferdinand de Halifax is in an almost inaccessible section of the province and communications are poor.

Inmates Leap from Windows.

Meager reports obtained from available sources give no intimation of the cause of the fire which started while the inmates were asleep and apparently spread rapidly.

Reports described the scenes attending the fire as horrifying. The inmates of the asylum were uncontrollable and many of them were said to have leaped from high windows. Others in bewilderment crouched in terror near the windows until the flames caught them.

One of the sisters met death in an effort to rescue several of the unfortunate girls who were trapped by the flames.

Mercury 20 Below Zero.

Owing to the intensely cold weather, the mercury registering 20 below zero, the water in the hydrants about the building was frozen and little could be done to stay the progress of the flames.

According to advices received here many of the girls who fled from the scene were located by villagers who took them to their homes.

Thirty girls who were students at a convent adjoining the asylum, which also was burned, are said to have had narrow escapes.

The property damage is estimated at $200,000.

DO NOT DENY STRIKE IS NEAR

BROTHERHOOD CHIEFS PUT NEXT STEP UP TO MEMBERS.

Send Telegrams to 400,000 Employes—Displeased With Threatening Attitude of Railroads.

New York, Dec. 31.—Special circulars putting up to the 400,000 members responsibility for the next step to be taken by the railroad brotherhoods in their controversy with the railroads over the application and interpretation of the Adamson act, were sent broadcast by telegraph after a conference of the four brotherhood chiefs here.

Announcement of the action taken was made by William G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, prior to his departure for the West.

Four Chiefs Issue Statement.

He was accompanied by the other brotherhood leaders whose conference with the railway managers Thursday resulted in a disagreement. Earlier in the day the four chiefs issued a statement over their signatures declaring the attitude of the railroads threatened to wipe out the benefits that should accrue to the men from the passage of the Adamson act and asserting that for that reason "the entire situation is to be placed before the membership."

The chiefs refused to say whether the action was a veiled threat of another strike vote such as brought about the eight-hour day legislation.

No Charge Against Bomb Maker.

Los Angeles, Dec. 30.—No charge can be made against the person who manufactured the 25 cigar "bombs" recently sent through the mails, Post-office Inspector Ranger says. A. C. Garner, a conductor, placed the loaded cigars in the mail, having found the package of containers on a vacant seat in the train. "The fact that the maker did not place the 'bombs' in the mail," Ranger said, "and that Garner was entirely innocent leaves us without a culprit."

Railroad Committees Confer.

New York, Dec. 29.—The national conference committee of railroad managers and representatives of the four brotherhoods of railroad employees late Thursday resumed their conference relative to the application of the Adamson law in the event that it is held constitutional by the United States supreme court. Through an agreement between Attorney General T. W. Gregory and the railroad attorneys, the effectiveness of the Adamson law has been suspended pending the outcome of the test suit.

PEACE PARLEY IS PUT UP TO ALLIES BY GERMAN MOVE

TEUTONS INDICATE WILLINGNESS TO CONSIDER ALTERNATIVE PROPOSAL IF GERMAN PLANS ARE OPPOSED.

WILSON'S DECISION TO AWAIT ENTENTE REPLY

President Not to Communicate German Answer to Peace Note, Pending Receipt of Message from Allies—Negotiations Take on Broader Scope.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Turkey's reply to President Wilson's peace note has been received at the state department. It is substantially the same as the replies of Germany and Austria.

Washington, Dec. 30.—The peace negotiations of which President Wilson is the medium have taken on a much broader scope.

Germany, it transpires, has advised Mr. Wilson that its proposal of a conference of the belligerents is not to be regarded as a condition precedent upon which it consents to discuss peace with its enemies.

Would Not Shun Allies' Plan.

The German government proposed a conference in the belief that such would be the most effective means of ascertaining whether there exists any basis for an agreement to end the war at this time.

If the Entente Allies are opposed to meeting the Teutonic powers in a conference, and have any alternative proposal to make for achieving an exchange of views of peace conditions by the belligerents, Germany stands ready to give the suggestion serious consideration.

The view of the German government, as communicated to the administration, is that if the Allies sincerely desire peace at this time but merely object to the German suggestion of a conference, they will make an alternative proposal.

In this way Germany has informed the president that it does not intend to be blamed for "closing the door in the face of peace." It is willing to negotiate for a peace discussion so long as President Wilson believes there is any possibility of establishing a basis therefor.

Squarely Up to Allies.

The next move, therefore, is put squarely up to the Allies. Not until their reply to his peace note is received will the president be able to determine whether there is a possibility of bringing about a peace discussion, either by a conference or other means.

The White House stated late Friday that the president has not communicated the German reply to his appeal to the Allies and does not intend to, pending the receipt of the Entente answer.

When he has before him the formal replies from each side, and such confidential information of the attitude of the belligerents as has been vouchsafed him, Wilson will decide whether a further effort to achieve a working basis for peace is warranted.

ENGLAND MAY PURCHASE DRINK TRADE, IS BELIEF

Action Believed Imminent, Says Daily Express—Estimated Cost Is More Than Billion Dollars.

London, Dec. 30.—The purchase of the drink trade in Great Britain by the state is believed to be imminent, says the Daily Express.

"The matter has been closely considered by the liquor control board during the last fortnight," continues the newspaper. "Several members of the board long have advocated the purchase, and the change in the government has brought a renewal of their argument."

MAY REPLACE BRITISH ENVOY

Foreign Office Announcement Causes Little Surprise.

Washington, Dec. 30.—London reports that the British foreign office is considering replacing Ambassador Sir Cecil Spring-Rice here caused little surprise here.

The British ambassador has not been in good health and it is an open secret that he has been outplayed in the matter of publicity by German Ambassador Count Johann von Bernstorff.

It also is well known here that Lord Northcliffe, who opposes Spring-Rice, has suggested an ambassadorial change here.

Austria-Hungary Celebrates Coronation

Budapest, (via Berlin), Dec. 30.—Hungary is in gala array for the coronation of Kaiser Karl as emperor of Hungary. An enthusiastic reception has been accorded the young ruler and his wife. Crowds massed in the streets from the railroad station to the palace, gave the couple a continuous ovation. The city is gaily decorated with flags. The ceremony of the coronation is to take place today. Cardinal Ezernoch, presented the new emperor with a coronation diploma, which both the king and queen signed.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Peterson, Minn.—Result of a village referendum conducted here was that Peterson is too common a name in Minnesota. The people voted for a change. "Amidon" was the most favored substitute.

St. Paul. — Governor J. A. A. Burnquist at a recent interview indicated no additional appointments to state offices in Minnesota will be announced before the close of the legislature, but did not commit himself irrevocably.

St. Paul.—State inheritance tax revenue of $730,744.03, collected during the last five months, exceeded by approximately $70,000 that of the entire fiscal year preceding, according to figures given out by State Treasurer Gooding.

Winona.—Theodore Tsatsos, a Winona confectioner, returned to Greece to wed. After the marriage plans had been frustrated twice by death, the ceremony was performed. Friends here have received a cablegram, dated Christmas day, telling of the death of the bride Christmas day.

Minneapolis.—A mining experiment station, to be built at a cost of $175,000, practically is assured for the University of Minnesota this year, it was made known after a conference between Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane and Representatives Thomas D. Schall and Halvor Steenerson at Washington.

Nicollet. — Men prominent in the dairying industry in this state will address the thirty-ninth annual convention of the Minnesota State Dairymen's association at Lake City, January 16 to 19, according to the completed program of the meeting made public here by F. D. Currier, secretary of the organization.

St. Paul. — Approximately 700,000 acres of northern Minnesota land will be subjected to a soil survey if the Legislature passes a bill that Northwest development committee of the Association of Commerce and the Minneapolis Civic and Commerce association will recommend. It will be introduced by Asher Howard of Minneapolis.

Washington, D. C.—Attention is called sharply to the fact that the white pine blister disease has been found in western Wisconsin and along the border of Minnesota by Charles Lathrop Pack, president of the American Forestry association. "The disease has a strong foothold in New England and other northeastern states," said Mr. Pack.

Llano Grande. — John Matchetts of Virginia, Minn., private in Battery D, First Minnesota field artillery, died here of bullet wounds received after a dispute with James Macenespie, private in the same battery, over the possession of one dollar. Macenespie made his escape after the shooting but was captured later and charged with the killing.

Duluth.—High prices of coal in Duluth have drawn the attention of the federal government, and the department of justice has sent special investigators here to investigate conditions and to learn if there has been collusion of dealers to hold up prices in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. Duluth is the distributing point for the entire northwest.

St. Paul.—The 1917 Minnesota legislature, the 40th lawmaking body since statehood was attained in 1858, convened at the state capitol Tuesday, Jan. 2, at noon. On the opening day the members took the oath of office and the two houses organized. The house was to elect one of its members speaker, and both houses will elect their principal clerks, sergeants at arms and chaplains.

New Ulm. — Representatives from nearly every city in the Red River and Mississippi valleys in the Dakotas and Minnesota are expected to attend the meeting of the Tri-State Flood Control association here January 10. It is expected the delegates will decide upon some plan of flood control to be presented to the legislatures of the three states.

Hibbing. — The so-called Hibbing graft cases were to come up Dec. 30 in district court before Judge Hughes and it was expected arguments attacking the indictments would be heard there. H. B. Fryberger of Duluth was to be the chief counsel for the defense, assisted by Mayor Victor Power of Hibbing, one of the indicted persons, and Joseph Austin of Chisholm.

Minneapolis.—Farmer members of the Legislature are out to obtain a change in the financial policy of the Minnesota State Fair, and in the make-up of the board of directors. To this end they are urging the various county agricultural societies to send their delegates unpledged to the state meeting in Minneapolis, January 9. At that meeting there will be at least three vacancies to be filled. If F. W. Murphy of Wheaton is elected president, as now seems likely, there will be four, for Mr. Murphy's term as director does not expire for two years.

Virginia. — An exciting trip with alleged bootleggers in which weapons were used in making arrests was related by Indian Agent Victor Ellis in Federal court before Commissioner O. A. Poirier at the arraignment of Joseph Voich on a charge of introducing liquor into Indian territory.

Virginia. — Agitation fostered by the Industrial Workers of the World among men employed in the sawmills here of the Virginia and Rainy Lake Lumber company, said to be one of the largest of its kind in the world, employing 1,100 men, may cause the suspension of the plant for the winter.

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Missive Traveled Far Over United States Before It Finally Reached Proper Destination.

A certain publishing house in London, England, has discovered that there is more than one Madison in the United States of America. The discovery cost a University of Wisconsin professor a large amount of anxiety, for it involved a valuable manuscript on which he had spent months of labor.

The manuscript is a translation of Lucretius' works prepared by Prof. William Ellery Leonard of the English department and visiting professor this year of New York university, sent to London for publication in the Everyman Library. When the manuscript was sent back to him with the first proof sheets, it was addressed "Madison, U. S. A." How many of the other Madisons it visited is not recorded, but after weeks of search the postal authorities found it and returned it to the anxious author.

Talented Person.

"As we grow older our ideas of amusement undergo a radical change," remarked the philosophic man.

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Not Worth Much.

"I have just been listening to a war expert talk."

"Get much information?"

"A great deal, but I'm afraid it is just about as reliable as the average weather prediction."

A Motorist's Criticism.

"Here's a map that will show you all the points of interest on the route."

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Neither Gone Nor Forgotten.

Knicker—Everybody's pay is to be raised.

Bocker—Including the Piper's.

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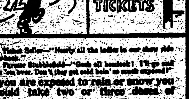

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STATE DEPOSITS YIELD $3,500,000 IN ROYALTIES, TAXES AND OTHER REVENUES.

FAIR PROPERTIES BIG ASSET

Represent Double Original Investment According to Report of Retiring Secretary—Net Cash Gain of $91,779 Made in Four Years.

St. Paul.

In a record breaking year in the iron mining industry in Minnesota that is now ending, the state was directly enriched more than $3,500,000 by royalties, taxes and other revenue derived through the deposits of iron within its borders, State Auditor J. A. O. Preus announces. Approximately 45,000,000 tons of iron ore have been shipped in the last 12 months from state and privately owned mines in Minnesota, according to reports to the auditor.

This great total is far in excess of the 1915 output and eclipses the previous high record of 1913. Shipments from state owned mines reached the 4,000,000 ton record mark, showing that those properties were the scenes of as great activity as the privately owned properties.

"Minnesota owns about one-tenth of the known, developed, marketable ore within its confines," said Mr. Preus, "the total of the last official estimates being 1,481,919,783 tons, of which 143,891,603 tons is in school, university and other state lands. The state receives 25 cents a ton royalty. Out of 30 opened mines, 21 were on the shipping list this year."

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Fair Is Big State Asset.

Featuring a statement disclosing "some startling facts regarding the 'terrible burden' the Minnesota State Fair has been to the taxpayers of the state," and showing a net cash gain of $91,779 from the last four fairs, the report of J. C. Simpson, retiring secretary of the Minnesota State Agricultural society has been presented to Governor J. A. A. Burnquist. The secretary asserts that the fair properties are worth $1,728,565, and represent $2.65 for every $1 of original investment.

The comparisons include direct state appropriations of $15,000 a year in 1913 and 1914 and $10,000 a year for the two succeeding years, also net cash gains from fairs of $34,945 in 1913, $19,273 in 1914, $27,183 in 1915 and $16,828 in 1916. Earnings for the four year period total $45,348 in addition, making a total gain of $187,127 as reported.

"It must be gratifying to the people of Minnesota to know that they have such a magnificent institution as the Minnesota State Fair which, in addition to all the benefits they have gained from it, has a property worth $2.60 for every dollar put into it," continues Secretary Simpson. "While it is contrary to the laws of nature to commercialize any educational institution, and make it return money dividends upon capital invested, this has been the case with the Minnesota State Fair."

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For Taxation Conference.

A movement has been started by Senator George H. Gardner of Brainerd for the organization of a state conference on taxation among representative men from all parts of the state during the session of the Legislature, probably late in February.

The proposal is for a series of conferences to aid the Legislature in bringing about important and necessary changes in Minnesota laws relating to taxation, as explained by Senator Gardner.

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Solves School Problems.

Minnesota gradually is solving her own problem as affecting the encouragement of individual talent among grade school pupils, a modern idea of educational system. The twenty-first annual report of the inspectors of State graded schools, filed with the Governor, shows that whereas one teacher was responsible for forty-four pupils sixteen years ago, the present average enrollment per teacher is twenty-eight.

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Blame Demurrage Rates.

Minnesota railroads given an inning in the hearing before the state railroad and warehouse commission on their application for permission to increase demurrage charges on intrastate traffic, introduced testimony by traffic experts that car shortage relief has resulted from higher demurrage rates in other states. The experts denied that the advances of demurrage charges increased railroad revenue.

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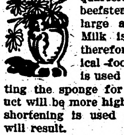
Solem Gets New Trial.

Ole O. Solem, convicted in Jackson county of the murder of his mother-in-law, Sigri Halderson, it being charged that he gave her poison November 28, 1914, causing her death eight days later, is awarded a new trial on his appeal to the state supreme court. The court reverses the lower court after finding that, while the evidence sustains the conclusion that the death was caused by poison, it is insufficient to sustain a finding that Solem administered it. Several other decisions were made.

The KITCHEN CABINET

There is no true work ever done without enthusiasm. The artist whose heart is cold is a mere artisan. With no wide reaching affection and no uplifting ideal we make life a treadmill and of our duty an unwelcome drudgery.—Philip Moxom.

MORE MILK DISHES.



For economy let us use more milk, it is a valuable food and one quart even at 15 cents has as much nutrition as three-quarters of a pound of beefsteak which has a large amount of waste. Milk is without waste, therefore a most economical food. If skim milk is used largely, when setting the sponge for bread, the product will be more highly nutritious, less shortening is used and a tasty loaf will result.

Potato Soup.—Cook and mash three medium-sized potatoes. In a quart of milk, skim milk may be used, add a slice of onion and a stalk of celery; scald and remove the vegetables, pour over the mashed potato. In a saucepan put two tablespoonfuls of butter, if the milk is skimmed, one if whole milk is used; add two tablespoonfuls of flour, a teaspoonful of salt, and when well blended add a little cold milk and pour it into the soup. Boil up and serve piping hot with toasted crackers.

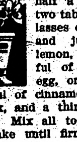
Cream of Tomato Soup.—In a saucepan melt three tablespoonfuls of butter, add three and a half tablespoonfuls of flour and stir until smooth, add a teaspoonful of salt, a teaspoonful of chopped onion, then add a pint of canned tomatoes, mixing well. Add soda and onion, return to the fire after straining and pour this mixture, slightly cooled into a cupful and a half of milk. Reheat and serve hot. Do not boil or the soup will curdle.

Cheese Soup.—Scald a quart of milk, add a slice of onion, a blade of mace, and a pepper pod. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter in a saucepan, add the same amount of flour, when well blended add the milk, removing the seasonings, and cook until creamy. Just before serving add a half cupful of grated cheese, two egg yolks, well beaten, salt and pepper to taste, stir until the cheese is melted. Serve at once.

The cream soups which are so nourishing and which are made of various vegetables may all be made with skim milk, adding a little more butter to the flour for the binding, thus giving the food its right balance of fat.

The home-maker must fill many niches in her home and at the same time have the ability to direct with force and initiative all the business of the household.

GOOD EATING.



Bananas are like the poor, always with us, and the many ways that this wholesome fruit may be served is legion.

Banana Pie. — Rice enough peeled bananas to fill a cup. To this add half a cupful of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of molasses or the grated rind and juice of half a lemon, half a teaspoonful of salt, one beaten egg, one-third of a teaspoonful of cinnamon, half a cupful of milk, and a third of a cupful of cream. Mix all together thoroughly and bake until firm in a pie plate lined with pastry.

Nougatine Cake.—Make a fine, light butter cake and bake in a shallow pan about three-quarters of an inch thick when done. Cut this into squares and cover both top and sides with a creamy thick chocolate frosting, filled with minced and browned almonds. The nuts are ground fine and then browned and sprinkled thick into the frosting.

Mexican Rabbit.—Melt a tablespoonful of butter in a saucepan, add half a pound of American cheese, cut up in fine bits; stir until the cheese melts, add three-fourths of a cupful of cornmeal and a large red pepper, cut in squares or shreds; then add the yolks or two eggs, beaten, and mixed with half a cupful of thick tomato puree, half a teaspoonful of salt, and half a teaspoonful of paprika; stir constantly until the mixture is thick and smooth. Have ready four slices of toasted bread, toasted on one side only. Cut a clove of garlic in halves and touch the untoasted side of the hot bread here and there with the garlic; pour over the rabbit and serve at once. A carefully poached egg may be set above each slice, which will furnish a hearty meal.

Graham Bread.—Make a soft sponge of one cupful of warm milk, one teaspoonful of sugar, one teaspoonful of salt, a tablespoonful of butter, one-third of a yeast cake, dissolved in a fourth of a cupful of warm water, and white flour to make a thick batter. Cut the dough with a knife after beating it well and letting it stand overnight, then add three-fourths of a cupful of milk, three tablespoonfuls of molasses, a half teaspoonful of soda and graham flour to make a thick batter. Knead with white flour; let rise, and when double its bulk, bake 45 minutes.

Peas in Potato Cups.—Make small cups of mashed potato, brush with egg and brown, fill with creamed peas and serve at once.

It is a good and safe rule to sojourn in every place as if you meant to spend your life there, never omitting an opportunity of doing a kindness, or speaking a true word, or making a friend.—John Ruskin.

GOOD SANDWICH FILLINGS.

Peanut butter mixed with whipped cream is a filling well liked by those who enjoy peanut butter.

Ripe Olive Sandwiches.—Chop a half-cupful of ripe olives with one sweet, green pepper, combine with cream cheese which has been moistened with French dressing.

Sweet Sandwiches.—Chop a half-cupful of raisins, one cupful of walnuts, a fourth of a cupful of grated coconut and a tablespoonful of grated chocolate; mix with thick, sweet cream.

Green olives chopped fine and mixed with mayonnaise. Figs and nuts or nuts and dates, finely chopped and mixed. Nuts and raisins, chopped fine.

Orange marmalade, jelly, grated maple sugar with browned almonds, finely chopped. Equal parts of grated Swiss cheese and nuts, chopped. Dutch cheese mixed with chopped olives.

Finely-chopped celery with mayonnaise.

Ham mixed with chopped pickle and celery. Equal parts of ham; celery and mayonnaise. Cold roast chicken, roast beef, or cooked oysters, chopped fine.

Lettuce leaves and mayonnaise. Cream cheese, French dressing, and lettuce.

One cupful of cold roast chicken, three olives, one pickle, a tablespoonful of capers, all minced fine and mixed with mayonnaise.

Hard-cooked eggs and watercress, finely chopped, mixed with softened butter.

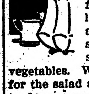
Maraschino cherries and nut meats, chopped fine. Cottage cheese and cherries.

Cream cheese and bar-le-duc mixed to a cream. Quince jelly and walnut meats, chopped. Cream cheese, chives and chopped green peppers.

Grated cheese, seasoned with salt, pepper, mustard and anchovy paste. Cheese with chopped olives and pickles added.

A home based on right principles will be simple. No ostentation or living beyond one's means; simplicity in entertainment, in offering freely of what one has to friends, without apology or explanation.

SOUR CREAM DISHES.



A few tablespoonfuls or half a cupful of sour cream is valuable these days, and should be used with economy.

Sour Cream Salad Dressing.—Whip a cupful of sour cream with a little lemon juice or pineapple juice for flavoring, season with salt, a little sugar and use on fruit or vegetables. When vegetables are used for the salad a bit of red pepper, mustard or worcestershire sauce may be added. Sour cream may be substituted for sweet cream in any salad dressing.

Cottage Cheese.—Pour boiling water over a dish of thick sour milk, which will cook the milk enough so that it may be drained in a sieve. Season with plenty of cream, salt, a dash of red pepper and some melted butter, if there's not enough cream to give it richness. If plenty of boiling water is used, this method makes a tender curd and is quickly made.

Sour Cream Cookies.—Cream a half cupful of butter, add one and a half cupfuls of sugar, a half cupful of sour cream, two eggs, a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in the cream; mix well, add flour to roll, sprinkle the top with sugar.

Sour Cream Pie.—This pie is baked with two crusts and is delicious. Take cupful each of sour cream, sugar, raisins and one egg, a tablespoonful of vinegar, a half teaspoonful each of salt, cinnamon and nutmeg, a fourth of a teaspoonful of cloves.

Codfish With Sour-Cream White Sauce.—A white sauce, using sour cream; a cupful and a half for a sauce to serve three or four people is sufficient. Melt a tablespoonful of butter and when bubbling hot stir in two tablespoonfuls of flour and a cupful and a half of sour cream; cook until heated through; add shredded codfish and serve. Delicious with baked potatoes.

An escalloped dish, using codfish, white sauce, made with sour cream, and sliced potatoes, is very appetizing. Butter the dish, put in a layer of the potatoes, then one of white sauce, then a layer of fish, finish with the potatoes and white sauce, with buttered crumbs on top. The potatoes are previously cooked.

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But She'd Heard of Them.

Humor of a piano studio is related to us by Clarice Balas, the Cleveland pianist, who writes: "One young girl who charged all she forgot to the neglect of her former teacher in the few words, 'he never told me anything about that,' was provoking me by her poor reading and bad time. 'What kind of notes have you in the right hand here?' I asked.

"She guessed wrong immediately. 'I suppose you never heard of such a thing as triplets?' I asked, in thorough disgust.

"'Why, yes, Miss Balas, I have heard of triplets,' said she with offended dignity, 'but not in music.'"

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The monkey originally was the mascot of an English merchantman that was halted by the German submarine. He made trip after trip with the U-35 and was "in at the death" of several merchantmen. His transfer to the zoo was ordered only when it became so cold that he was likely to suffer if exposed.

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Aunt—I suppose, Edith, you said "This is so sudden!" when Mr. Slowboy proposed.

Niece—No; I fully intended to, but I was so excited I forgot and exclaimed "At last!"—Boston Evening Transcript.

One Exception.

"Not everybody smokes at the woman's club."

"No—not the men waiters."—Life.

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Guessed Wrong.

Two sober citizens met on a street in Babylon.

"You and I will live to see the day when this dancing craze will end," said the first sober citizen.

"I don't doubt it," answered the second sober citizen. "The world will soon outgrow such madness."

And that was 2716 years before the Castles took New York by storm.

Argument Against a Minor Coin.

Mrs. Knicker—Do you approve of the idea of a two and a half-cent piece?

Mrs. Bocker—No, men are stingy enough as it is.

Spain in 1915 mined 2,402,000 tons of coal and imported 1,200,000 tons.

He Never Knew Temptation.

Rev. Fred Winslow Adams, pastor of St. Andrew's Methodist Episcopal church in West Seventy-sixth street, who recently read from his pulpit answers to the question, "What are the greatest safeguards against temptation?" received a reply to his question from Thomas A. Edison. He said:

"I cannot answer the question as I have never had any experience in such matters. I have never had time, not even five minutes, to be tempted to do anything against the moral law, civil law or any law whatever. If I were to hazard a guess as to what young people should do to avoid temptation, it would be to get a job and work at it so hard that temptation would not exist for them."—New York Mail.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed and delivered by John F. Tapper, a single man, Mortgagor, to Holt State Bank, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of August, 1915, and with a power of attorney contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of August, 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 73 of mortgages on page 151. Such default consisting in the following, to-wit:

(1) Failure on the part of said mortgagor to pay the sum of six and 50-100 (6.50) dollars, due and payable under the terms of said mortgage on August 12, 1916.

(2) Failure on the part of said Mortgagor to pay the interest in the amount of seventy-eight ($78.00) dollars due August 12, 1916, on a prior mortgagor in the sum of thirteen hundred ($1300.00) dollars; by reason whereof the said undersigned was compelled to pay and did pay said interest so due.

(3) Failure on the part of said Mortgagor to pay the taxes and assessments against said land in the sum of nineteen and 42-100 ($19.42) dollars, which became delinquent on June 1, 1916, by reason whereof the undersigned was compelled to pay and did pay said taxes.

And whereas, the said Mortgagee has elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of one hundred fifty-two and 52-100 ($152.52) dollars, including such interest, so paid on said prior mortgage, and the taxes paid as aforesaid, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said morgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: Lot one (1) of Section Nineteen (19) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) and the East half of the Northeast Quarter (E½ NE¼) of Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-one (41) West of the fifth principal meridan, in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court house in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 17th day of February, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay and satisfy said debt of One Hundred Fifty-one and 52-100 ($151.52), and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars attorney's fees and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1916.

Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota.
Mortgagee.

H. O. KJOMME,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Amendment to Certificate of Incorporation of the Farmers State Bank of Holt, Minn.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 20th day of December A. D. 1916, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock.

Resolved; That section Five of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Five—The Amount of Capital Stock shall be Fifteen Thousand dollars ($15000.00 fully paid in, in cash which shall be devided into 150 shares of $100.00 each.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Holt, Minn., on the 20th day of December A. D. 1916.

Lars Backe, President.
H. M. Johnson, Cashier.

[CORPORATE SEAL]

Daily Thought

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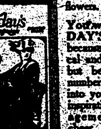

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The annual short course of the T. R. Falls high school will open on Monday, Jan. 8 and continue three months. Everything is free. If you wish to enroll, write at once to

J. H. Hay, Supt.

The Sixth Annual Farm Crops Show which has been a great school of instruction for the people generally of the Red River Valley will be in session again in Crookston, Feb. 5th to 9th. The executive committee is planning even greater and more varied entertainment and profitable features than in the past.

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The Real Thing.

A thing in life is the only fortune worth the finding, says Stevenson; and it is not to be found in foreign lands, but in the heart itself.

Benefit in Comradeship.

Half the difficulty of fighting any severe battle or accomplishing any hard task vanishes when a man feels that he has comrades at his side fighting in the same cause, so that the eyes of those he loves are upon him, and their hearts praying for his victory.—C. J. Perry.

Taking No Chances.

At a Scottish watering place one summer, Macpherson was found stretched in a contented mood on the sands, puffing his old pipe. "Come on, Mac," said his companion, who had just come from town, "let's go for a sail." "Na, na," replied Macpherson, slowly shaking his head. "I hae had a guid dinner at the cost o' three and saxpence, an' I'm takin' nae risks."

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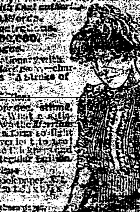

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A sense of duty pursues us ever. It is omnipresent, like the deity. If we take to ourselves the wings of the morning and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea, duty performed or duty violated is still with us, for our happiness or our misery.—Daniel Webster.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Save money by trading in Holt.

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Miss Nellie Saastad returned Monday to her school work in T. R. Falls.

S. S. Kolden was a business visitor in T. R. Falls Monday and Tuesday.

Rev. Strom went to T. R. Falls Saturday where he conducted meetings Sunday.

H. J. Olson, of Warren, was here Saturday looking after the electric light business.

Ole Qwale returned to his home in Roseau last week after a short visit at R. Rieerson.

Carl Brekkestra, from west of Newfolden, was here for a few days this week on business.

NOTICE: S. S. Kolden will [illegible] Straw delivered at Holt.

G. A. Garonson, a student in a St. Paul theological school, visited C. O. Saastad, Friday and Saturday.

Thorval Anderson returned Tuesday from International Falls, where he has been working for some time.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Olson went to Grand Forks, Tuesday, to consult a physician regarding the formers health.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

Miss Mabel Fosen returned to her teaching duties in Cambridge, Friday after spending the holiday vacation with her mother and other relatives.

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Alex Strom came Monday to visit his parents and his son Loyd who is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg. Mr. Strom has his family on a homestead 48 miles east from Steiner and he may decide to go to the woods for a couple of months work.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hanson and daughter Elsie arrived here Monday from Wadena, Canada, for a visit with old neighbors and friends. Mr. Hanson homesteaded the SE quarter of Sec. 23, Town of Holt, in the early days all are glad to see him again and hope they will make a long visit here. They moved to Canada 11 years ago and all will be glad to hear that they have made good.

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While George and Frank Anderson were hauling wood Tuesday and when about four miles east of home, a very painful accident occurred to George. The rifle which was lying on the load, seemed to be too far back and Geo. reached for it to bring it towards him. As he did so, the trigger caught discharging its load into his hand. The bullet was a 30—30 which went through his right hand passing up his coat sleeve making a flesh wound in his arm. He was taken to T. R. Falls as soon as possible and the doctors found the bones of the first two fingers to be so badly shattered, it was necessary to amputate them.

It is uncertain at this writing whether the thumb can be saved or not. This is hard luck for Geo. but it is a miracle he ever escaped being killed.

The News joins his many friends in sympathy for his unfortunate accident.

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Bring us your potatoes. We pay cash for them at all times.

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Notice of Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Company, of Holt, Minn., will be held in the M. W. A. Hall, Saturday Jan. 27th, '17 at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year and to transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Start the new year right by trading at home.

Mrs. Carl Engebretsen and Mrs. Ben Eide were visitors in T. R. Falls Monday.

R. Reierson visited a few days the past week with relatives in Ada and Crookston.

Mrs. George Anderson went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to see her husband.

Nels Dahlman of Alvarado came Friday to visit at the home of his sisters Mrs. C. O. Saastad and Mrs. Herman Heinze.

Misses Gunhild and Olava Sollom returned Monday to their school work near Viking.

School commenced Monday after a two weeks vacation which was greatly enjoyed by teachers and pupils.

Are you making use of the State Free Traveling Libraries? Books for the asking at the Holt State Bank.

If speakers are desired for farmers meetings of any kind, they can be had by making early requests to the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston. Can we not have some farmers meetings here?

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

Announcements regarding students short courses in farm Husbandry, Stock Raising, Gasoline and Tractor Engineering and Dressmaking are being sent out by the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and will be mailed to anyone who makes application for them.

The Modern Woodmen took in 116000 new members in the first 11 months of last year.

Steiner Items

Mr. E. Werner transacted business in Thief River Falls, one day recently.

Miss Sarah Swanson who has been spending her vacation with her parents, returned to Lancaster Monday to take up her work again.

A crowd of young folks were entertained at the P. B. Malberg home Tuesday evening. All report a very pleasant time.

Mrs. Flint left the first of the week for Fargo where she expects to spend a few days with her daughter.

Mr. O. Saugen transacted business in T. R. Falls, the first of the week.

Peter Solem transacted business in this burg Friday.

Omer Warring returned home the first part of the week from Thief River Falls where he attended to business matters.

A surprise party was given at the home of Harvey Copp. A large crowd was present and all reported a good time.

J. Skomedahl transacted business in this burg the latter part of the week.

R. S. Rogers, who is attending the U. of M., returned to Minneapolis after spending his vacation with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kisch called at the C. Swartz home Saturday.

A. Koglin made a trip to Thief River Falls Saturday.

N. Muzzy attended the Masonic lodge Thursday evening in Thief River Falls.

Jerry Rogers made a trip to Thief River Falls the middle of the week.

[illegible] Meyer hauled a load of wood to town the latter part of the week.

The berg boys shot two wolves the past week. A number of other persons have been out hunting but did not get any.

A. Simonson attended to business matters in Thief River Falls one day this week.

J. Whittman has been on the sick list for a week or more, but at this time is some better.

(Written for last weeks paper.)

Steve and Willie Warring left for the woods Monday.

Jerry Rogers took a load of wood to town Wednesday.

J. Meyer and family called at the home of E. Werner Monday evening.

N. Baker did business in this burg last Tuesday.

S. Warring and wife visited at the home of J. Whittman Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kisch called at the home of C. Swartz Sunday.

A surprise party was given Mrs. C. Hoffman. A large crowd was present and all reported a good time.

Yo-Ho Freckle-Face

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

Do you know how easy it is to remove those ugly spots so that no one will call you freckle-face?

Simply get an ounce of carpol, extra strong, from your druggist, and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of freckles and get a beautiful complexion. The sun and winds this month have a strong tendency to bring out freckles, and as a result more carpol is sold in these months. Be sure to ask for the extra strong, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove the freckles.—Carpol Laboratories, Boston, Mass., Sta. M. Mail orders filled.

Southeast of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson entertained a number of their friends on Friday afternoon, it being their 18th wedding anniversary. The following were present, Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Soiney, Mr. and Mrs. A. Klungness and Mr. and Mrs. N. Sordahl.

Silas Torgerson and Albert Klungness made a business trip to Warren on Tuesday.

Carl Guttrud who for some time has been employed in the woods near International Falls spent the first of the week at home.

Knut Brevich of Outlook, Sask Canada has been spending a few days visiting with old acquaintances. He left on Monday to visit his brother Olaf at Mavie before returning home.

Miss Signora Sandbo returned on Saturday from Superior Wis. and commenced teaching Monday morning.

Miss Olga Klungness spent a few days visiting at the Soren Bergland home last week.

Engebreth Moe came down from his home at Golden Valley Tuesday and visited at the home of his father S. Moe, leaving for T. R. Falls on Wednesday.

Annual Bank Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Holt State Back was held last Wednesday at the banking rooms.

There were no changes made in the directors and officers, the old set being re-elected for another year.

After examination and auditing of of the report of the condition of the bank as presented by Cashier B. Docken, a complimentary vote of thanks was extended him for the excellent showing and condition of the bank.

Stockholders and directors present and voting were, T. L. Melgaard, D. B. Bakke, C. H. Gunheim, J. A. Sorum, R. Rejerson and B. Docken.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

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Mr. and Mrs Frank McKinley of Dakota, came Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heinze.

See our merchants when in need of winter goods. They will sell you cheaper, net, than the catalog firms.

The annual meeting of the Holt Farmer's Creamery Co., will be held Saturday Jan. 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kolden and little son returned home last week from visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden on the farm.

Ben Eide writes home from Spooner where he went last week to work in the woods, that there is plenty of work for men, but there are already too many teams there after work.

Ole Hammerness and Art Brotten went to Minneapolis Friday for a couple of weeks visit.

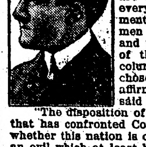
Bertil Sollom went to Grand Forks Saturday where he will take a business-course in one of schools.

Dr. J. T. Turley, the dentist, will make his regular trip here during February. He is opening an office in Duluth and is too busy to come here this month.

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Senator Morris Sheppard

ON PROHIBITION.



It is the mission of a newspaper to give the news. The reader is entitled to information on both sides of all economic issues and especially on those questions which are before the public for solution, for it is the duty of every citizen to carefully study the problems of government. We shall present from time to time the views of men who are recognized authority on important questions and who are responsible for their utterances. The views of this paper will be expressed through the editorial column. United States Senator Morris Sheppard, the chosen leader of the prohibition forces in presenting the affirmative side of National prohibition to the Senate, said in part:

"The disposition of this prohibition amendment is the most solemn duty that has confronted Congress since the death of slavery. It will determine whether this nation is capable of invoking its constituent powers to consider an evil which at least half the population believes to mean the nation's ruin and to make what Constitutional changes they may deem proper for its extermination. It will determine whether the moral forces of the nation are the dominant ones. It will determine whether this is a Christian nation. We need not deceive ourselves. The issue is plain. A Christian nation cannot tolerate the liquor traffic.

"Not only will he who votes against the submission of this amendment keep the people of the states, acting through legislatures, or conventions, from exercising their fundamental prerogative of deciding what is national and what local, but he will also deny the right of petition to millions of his fellow citizens. Seventy per cent of the territory of this country is already under prohibitory law and over 50 per cent of the American people live in this prohibition territory. A committee of more than two thousand men and women from every section of the Republic, representing through their various organizations probably twenty million people, marched to the steps of the Capitol on a freezing day last December and presented to Representative Hobson for the House and myself for the Senate their request that Congress give the American people a chance to expel the liquor traffic from the country. In the face of a biting December gale, despite sunless skies and the penetrating cold, they came, the joy of a righteous movement in their souls, the cry for a clean United States upon their lips. It was the most radiant and inspiring sight my eyes have ever seen. Theirs was no selfish purpose; hundreds and thousands of miles they had traveled at their own expense and at great personal sacrifice to demonstrate the power of a moral impulse. And I tell you that I would rather have been chosen by that band of consecrated men and women to present this prohibition amendment than to hold any office in this Republic. It is safe to say that the twenty million people represented by that wonderful committee are joined by thirty million or forty million more in the determination that the liquor traffic shall not be tolerated on a single inch of American soil. It is not an exaggeration to say that a majority of the American people would vote today for a saloonless land and a stainless flag."

Bank Statement

Bank No. 1014.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on Dec. 27, 1916.

Date of report by bank: Dec. 27, 1916.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$47,008 80
Overdrafts		547 74
Bonds and Securities		27 02
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,654 13
Other Real Estate		207 45
Due from Banks	1,415 03	
Cash on hand	420 01	
Total cash assets		1,835 04
Checks and cash items		18 25
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		2748 71
Interest Unearned		
Total		$55,047 83
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2,000 00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		20,850 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$7,679 25	
Demand Certificates		
Cashier's Checks	7550 35	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	15,229 60	
Time Certificates	7,538 23	
Total Deposits	22,767 83	
Total		$55,047 83
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$1,853 80
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$3,045 02

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, Lars Backe, President and H. M. Johnson, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LARS BACKE, President.
H. M. JOHNSON, Cashier.

Correct Attest: Lars Backe
(Two) Directors H. J. Oien

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Jan., 1917.

(Seal) Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-15-1919

A Smooth Hairless Skin for Women.

From Beauty Secrets

With the aid of a plain medol paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with powdered medol. This is applied to the hairs not wanted and after 2 or 3 minutes rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. When you go to your druggist for medol be sure you get the genuine article and if he will not supply you, the American Proprietary Co. of Boston, will send you a 50c or $1.00 package by mail.

Horse Chestnut Tree in Bottle.

Horse chestnuts can be grown in a bottle of water. Use a bottle with a neck wide enough to hold the chestnut, adding water to just touch the nut and stand it in a window. Roots will form, followed by a stem and leaves. If the water is constantly supplied the tree can grow for years in the bottle.

Pipefish Has "Pocket."

The pipefish, as it is called, from the length of its jaws, has a pocket on the under side of its body nearly half its length. It is found in the male species only, and is the only part of its body which is unprotected by large flat plates, which take the place of scales in its protective armor. In this pocket the young fish are carried very similar to the way the kangaroo carries its young.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.74
Wheat No. 2	1.69
Wheat No. 3	1.60
Wheat No. 4	1.43
Flax	2.64
Oats	44
Barley	59 to 85
Rye	1.25
Flour, Best Patent	5.35

Tonoline is Beauty Aid

Announces Specialist

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest To Women

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said, "Take tonoline."

Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

"What tonoline really did for me, I cannot say. I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline publicly."

Tonoline is a purely vegetable preparation which goes to the seat of common maladies—stomach and kidney trouble, catarrhal affections of the mucous membranes, liver ailments and impurities of the of the blood—and quickly restores proper action. Tonoline is being explained daily at your druggists.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

CONDENSATIONS OF GREATER OR LESSER IMPORTANCE.

A BOILING DOWN OF EVENTS

National, Political, Personal and Other Matters in Brief Form for All Classes of Readers.

WAR NEWS.

The French armored cruiser Gaulois was torpedoed in the Mediterrean sea on December 27 and sank in a half hour, with a loss of four lives.

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In the month of November the allied powers lost 138 mechant ships of a total of 314,500 gross tons "by the war measures of the central powers."

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During the year just closed 178,537 men were recruited in Canada, or nearly half the total of 385,955 since the outbreak of the war.

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Three thousand prisoners, six cannon and more than twenty machine guns fell before the advancing Teutonic forces in Wallachia on December 29, according to a Vienna official statement.

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The British transport Ivernia has been sunk, and one hundred and fifty military officers and men are missing, according to an official announcement by the British admiralty.

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An entire Russian regiment of coast artillery—about 1,500 men—with the exception of 50 men, was lost when the Finnish steamship Olhonne struck a mine near the Gulf of Finland.

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The entente governments, in replying to Germany's peace proposal, refuse to consider the proffer and declared it is insincere and ineffective. The suggested conference without conditions is not a peace offer, the note says, but is rather a war maneuver.

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Comments of the German papers on the entente reply to the German peace proposals indicate the universal conviction that peace now is impossible and that the central powers must continue to prosecute the war with the utmost vigor.

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The increase in the national debt of Great Britain, France, Russia, Germany and Austria-Hungary is estimated at $49,455,000,000 from the beginning of the war to the latter part of 1916, except in the case of Austria-Hungary, in which the estimate extends only to May, 1916.

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In 1916 75,500 Germans were captured by the French and 40,000 by the British, while in Serbia and Macedonia the entente allied army took 11,173 Bulgarian and Turk prisoners. During the same period the Italians made prisoners of 52,250 Austrians, while the Russians captured more than 400,000 Germans and Austrians.

GENERAL.

The South Dakota supreme court decided the state tax laws under which express companies are taxed is unconstitutional.

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Exports of American manufactures and commodities through the port of New York were $2,785,331,906 in 1916, or approximately $1,000,000,000 more than in 1915.

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The first Domestic Servants' union reported organization east of the Missouri river has been formed at Duluth, Minn., with 100 charter members.

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Eleven School children were killed, four probably fatally hurt and eight seriously injured when a tornado wrecked the Vreton rural school house near McAlester, Oklahoma.

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The insurance which the Union Pacific railway system recently announced it had placed on the lives of its employes covers 40,000 persons and amounts to $30,000,000.

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Nearly half a million dollars to guard against infantile paralysis in Chicago next summer is the request made of the city council finance committee by health authorities.

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Two million oranges, much too ripe for consumption, were destroyed in New York by a squad under the supervision of Lucius P. Brown, head of the bureau of foods and drugs of the department of health.

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Under giant Mount MacDonald, in the Selkirks of British Columbia, the Canadian Pacific railway has just completed the longest double track mountain tunnel in the western hemisphere. The tunnel is over five miles long and cost over $1,000,000.

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The death rate for 1916 in New York was the lowest on record, according to a report issued by the department of health. With a population estimated at 5,624,841 there were 77,801 deaths in the year.

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Industrial accidents in Pennsylvania during 1916 totaled 251,488, of which 2,587 resulted fatally, according to statistics just made public.

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Ad Santel, Pacific coast champion heavyweight grappler, will go on the mat at San Francisco February 22 with Joe Stecher of Nebraska, it was announced.

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Breaking all its coinage records, the Philadelphia mint during 1916 produced 238,469,769 domestic coins in denominations ranging from 1 cent to half dollars and valued at $9,344,266.

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Eleven persons were killed and 40 injured when a train loaded with persons returning after the New Year holiday collided with a switch engine ten miles outside Edinburg, Scotland.

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One hundred persons are believed to have been drowned in Clermont, Queensland, Australia, by a flood which washed away the main street and all the houses in low lying places.

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The coronation of Emperor Charles and Empress Zita of Austria as king and queen of Hungary, took place December 30 in St. Mathay church at Budapest.

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Fifty-four persons were lynched in the United States in 1916. Fifty of the victims were negroes and four white persons, and included in the record are three negro women.

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More than one billion dollars net income from operations was made by the railroads of the country during the year now closing. Statistics gathered by the interstate commerce commission complete for nine months indicate that the total net income from operations will be approximately $1,[illegible]8,000,000 for the entire year.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Villa followers have captured and looted the town of Sabinas, Hidalgo, between Laredo and Monterey, according to advices reaching the border.

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After levying a "war loan" of 100,000 pesos on the city, Villa has evacuated Torreon, according to reports at Juarez. Villa harmed no foreigners or their property in Torreon.

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Continuation of the conference of the Mexican-American joint commission without regard to the question of withdrawing American troops from Mexico is proposed by General Carranza in his message refusing to ratify the Atlantic City protocol.

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One hundred and forty prisoners were taken, twenty-five were killed and a large quantity of loot taken from Chihuahua City by Francisco Villa, was recovered by a Carranza force, near Guerrero when the 600 Villa followers were defeated by the de facto forces.

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Adherents of Francisco Villa are already arranging details of a Mexican provisional government, to be set up by the bandit chief, and a tentative seat of government has been chosen, according to information in the hands of United States authorities on the border.

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Increasing evidence that General Carranza's government is being menaced by bands of insurgents, coupled with the prospect that the first chief will not accept the Atlantic City protocol has brought the Mexican situation to a stage that is causing growing concern in Washington. Officials admit that the conditions are embarrassing.

WASHINGTON.

Senator Hitchcock has introduced a bill appropriating $800,000 for the construction of a dam and reservoir in the North Platte river, near Guernsey, Wyo.

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President Wilson has nominated Lieutenant Colonel Chester Harding, army engineer corps, to be governor of the Panama canal zone, to succeed Major General Gothels, who resigned.

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A bill to patent to the regents of the University of Nebraska 800 acres of land adjoining the agricultural experiment station at Scottsbluff, Neb., was introduced in the house by Congressman Kinkaid. The land is to be used for dry farming experimentation.

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Almost nine billion dollars was the aggregate value of all crops of the country last year. In an estimate announced by the department of agriculture, the exact value was set at $8,934,587,000. That was an increase of $2,165,989,000 over the value of 1915 crops.

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The problem of raising additional revenue for the government to avoid the threatened deficit at the end of the next fiscal year has assumed such proportions that administration leaders are considering the advisability of placing tariff duties on commodities now on the free list.

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Exports from the United States during the eleven months of 1916, ending November 30, jumped more than a billion and three-quarters in value for the same period of 1915, the department of commerce announced.

REGENTS HONOR 9 MINNESOTANS

COMMITTEE VOTES SPECIAL RECOGNITION FOR WORK IN AIDING FARMERS.

NEW "U" PRESIDENT SOUGHT

Successor to Vincent Informally Discussed—Outside Candidate May Get Place—Relatives of Hill and Owen Get Memorials.

St. Paul. — Nine Minnesotans have been named for special recognition of distinguished work in the advancement of agriculture in the state by the executive committee of the University of Minnesota board of regents Relatives of J. J. Hill and Sidney M. Owen, deceased, were sent memorial certificates of distinction at the close of the Farmers' and Home-Makers' week in progress at the University farm.

Others to be honored with certificates of distinction are Hans Peter Jensen of Freeborn county, Mathew Henry Hegerle of St. Bonifacius, Finley McMartin of Dodge county, Everett Ford Irwin and C. M. Loring of Hennepin county, Seth H. Kinney and Henry Schroeder of Clay county.

The committee voted to attempt to get action on the long-delayed Northern Pacific railroad campus track covering by inviting George T. Slade, vice president, to attend the next board meeting.

Committee members said selecting a successor to President Vincent was discussed informally at an executive session while they were at lunch, but no progress was made. They intimated that having looked over available alumni and faculty members they had begun considering outside candidates.

Timber Disturbance Ends.

Virginia. — Fifty-three woodsmen arraigned in municipal court here were discharged on motion of the county attorney. They were charged with coercion, it being alleged that they were members of the I. W. W. "rebel gang" that drove working lumberjacks from their camps. Unless fresh trouble breaks out in the north woods, the threatened suspension of timber activities because of I. W. W. disturbances appears to be over, was the opinion voiced by lumbermen here.

None of the witnesses could positively identify any one of the prisoners as a man who had made threats of violence or bodily injury to the workers.

E. W. Backus of the International Lumber company, one of the large interests concerned in the threatened trouble, said his information from the affected districts was that the sheriffs of Koochiching, Beltrami and St. Louis counties, and their deputies, are fully in control of the situation and are prepared to furnish complete protection for all men going into the woods to take the places of those lumberjacks who struck or were driven from the camps by the I. W. W. forces.

"With the protection of the men fully arranged," Mr. Backus said, "we have begun sending men to work again and already more than 100 have entered the camps as the first installment needed to fill the 1,000 places left vacant in our camps through I. W. W. activities. We now are able to assure all men who offer to work that they will be fully protected."

Second Infantry Leaves Border.

Llano Grande, Tex. — Minnesota has but one body of militia remaining on the Texas border. With the departure recently of the Second regiment of infantry, the First field artillery of the North Star state is the only organization now on border duty.

The First infantry, one of the finest bodies of troops in Texas, is in camp at San Antonio, and plans are on foot to give it a prominent place in a "crack" division of infantry to be organized by Gen. Frederick Funston.

With the Second infantry went Minnesota brigade headquarters and Brigadier-General F. E. Resche.

Farm Bank Subscriptions Open.

St. Paul. — Subscription lists are to be opened in St. Paul at once for the $750,000 bonds of the St. Paul Federal land bank, one of the twelve banks authorized by the act of Congress creating the Federal farm loan board. The lists will be kept open for thirty days.

Farmers Plan 71 Meetings.

Moorhead. — Among the speakers for 71 meetings of 13 Clay county farmers' clubs arranged for the half year are N. E. Chapman, Charles Wolf and C. R. Knutson, all of St. Paul, according to schedule announced here by P. E. Clement, retiring county agricultural agent.

Washington County Board Elects.

Stillwater. — W. R. Sawyer has been re-elected president of the Washington county board of commissioners. Other selections made were: Charles Cappellan, county physician and poor commissioner; N. A. Nelson, custodian of the courthouse, and John Martinson, janitor. County Auditor Nelson reported he had conferred with the Ramsey county commissioners relative to expending $3,000 on the Forest Lake road and that they had promised him early investigation of the subject.

Ask Places on Boards.

St. Paul. — Farmer representation on the new board or commission to be established to handle the farm loan business of the state as provided for in Amendment No. 2, recently adopted by popular vote, and on the University Board of Regents, Board of Control, Highway commission, Drainage commission and other bodies dealing directly with the farmers, is urged of the Legislature and the Governor by the Minnesota Federation of Farmers' clubs in resolutions passed at University farm.

Federation Board Named.

A suitable system for handling the loans to state farmers from the school funds under Amendment No. 2 is desired as "quickly as convenient" by the farmers. The motion for the adoption of these resolutions was made by John W. Holiday of Pine City, member of the legislative committee, which also includes A. L. Sayers of Lakeville and Ben Franklin of Roseau.

The federation committee to study the rural credit situation in the state and make suggestions to the Legislature is composed of these three men and President L. H. Bugbee of Carlton and Frank Mueller of Hayfield.

Re-elect Mrs. Gilfillan.

St. Paul. — Mrs. J. R. Gilfillan of Minneapolis was re-elected president of the Minnesota Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, at the annual meeting in St. Paul. Apart from elections, the address by Charles McLean, Dubuque, Iowa, featured the meeting. Mr. McLean was active in the campaign to prevent the enactment of suffrage bills in South Dakota and Iowa last fall.

"The proposal of the suffragists of Minnesota to secure from your state legislature statutory suffrage is open to all the objections which can be made to constitutional suffrage," said Mr. McLean.

Demurrage Rate Stands.

St. Paul. — The Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse commission has denied the application of Minnesota railroads for permission to increase demurrage charges on all intra-state traffic. The petition was opposed by numerous organizations of shippers. The recent hearing continued a full week.

Judge Ira B. Mills, chairman of the commission, said the railroads failed to show by evidence that increases in demurrage rates would solve the car-shortage problem. He said further that the case was decided on the testimony and on its merits alone.

Pure-Bred Cattle Sold at Auction.

South St. Paul. — Sale of 62 head of pure-bred cattle at South St. Paul under the auspices of the Minnesota Shorthorn Breeders' association was said by members to register the highest recorded auction sale price for stock in the northwest. Marshal's Masterpiece, a bull owned by O. F. Henkel of Kenyon, was sold to R. C. Oliver, McCluskey, N. D., for $1,035, the top figure. A yearling heifer, Banner Blossom IX, selling for $1,010, was second highest. Bids on bulls averaged $250 and those on the cows and heifers $278.50.

Head of Faribault School Dies.

Faribault. — Dr. A. C. Rogers, for 31 years superintendent of the Minnesota School for Feeble Minded and Colony for Epileptics, Faribault, died in University hospital. He had been a patient in the hospital since September. Pernicious anemia, with complications toward the end, caused his death, despite four transfusion operations in as many months. He was 60 years old.

His death removes from the state one of its foremost figures in welfare and medical work and a national authority on mental diseases.

Short Course at Farm School.

Minneapolis.—Men and women from the farms of Minnesota, young and old, attending sometimes by scores, frequently by hundreds, the many meetings at the university farm, represent the interest the tiller of 1917 has in his land and his stock, and the concern the housewife has for her children and for her home.

In every building, almost in every room, there is a class session or club meeting of some sort—pipe fitting attracting the men, waist fitting the women and the farmers' club federation both.

Welsh Endeavorers to Gather.

Lake Crystal.—Lake Crystal, Minn., is to be the meeting place in August for the twenty-seventh annual convention of Welsh Christian Endeavor societies of the synod of Minnesota, Iowa and South Dakota. At a convention held at Lime Springs, Iowa, resolutions were passed favoring state-wide prohibition.

Walks in Sleep, Frozen.

Winona. — Clad only in his undergarments, in bare feet and bare-headed, G. J. Beach, 78 years old, during a spell of somnambulism brought on by a siege of illness, was so badly frozen at St. Charles that physicians did not believe he would recover.

Sportsmen Organize Gun Club.

Red Lake Falls. — A large number of local sportsmen have organized a gun club known as the Red Lake Falls Gun Club and Protective association. The local club decided not to join the Minnesota Game Refuge association. Resolutions were adopted urging the legislature to restrict the season on chickens to two weeks, from Sept. 15 to Oct. 1, and on quail, pheasants and partridges, from Oct. 15 to Nov. 1, and to close the season on turtle doves woodcock, wood ducks and plovers until Sept. 15, 1918.

LAWSON TESTIFIES IN "LEAK" INQUIRY; TUMULTY CLEARED

BOSTON FINANCIER WRANGLES WITH CONGRESSMEN—MUCH OF STATEMENT EXPUNGED FROM RECORD.

KNOWLEDGE OF EXPOSURE IS DENIED BY OFFICIALS

Lansing and Tumulty Give Testimony—Statement Clears Secretary—Session Enlivened by Mention of Gerard's Name—Lawson Says He "Can Tell But Won't."

Washington, Jan. 9.—Thomas W. Lawson, testifying before the house rules committee hearing on the alleged stock market "leak" on President Wilson's peace note, occupied much of Monday's session with a running row with the committee which ended in much of his statement being expunged from the record. The Boston financier concluded with the declaration that he could tell where the leak was, but would not.

Alleges Gigantic Robbery.

After indulging in an exchange of personalities with Representative B. M. Chiperfield, in which Chiperfield said he "could see a four flush and call it," and which threatened to turn into a personal encounter, Lawson declared that "in the last two years there has been a gigantic robbery of the American people—a deliberate robbery carefully worked out."

"There have been leaks and thousands and tens of thousands of persons have been ruthlessly robbed," Lawson said.

"Common Thing in Wall Street."

"One of the commonest things in Wall street, where all these things center, is a Washington leak on things of such importance that they affect the prices of stocks. I mean by that, leaks from the supreme court of the United States, from the senate, advance information from the White House."

Lawson added that he personally had profited by the peace note leak.

These statements were included in the testimony later expunged from the record.

Envoy's Name Mentioned.

The session otherwise was enlivened by mention of Ambassador James W. Gerard desiring to buy bonds on his last visit here; by testimony from Secretary to the President J. P. Tumulty that he had introduced Gerard at Hibbs & Co., brokerage offices here; a statement from President Wilson upholding Tumulty in his denial of responsibility for the leak, and a sharp criticism of the committee by Tumulty for permitting the possible besmirching of reputations upon hearsay evidence.

President Defends Tumulty.

Secretary of State Robert Lansing gave testimony about the handling of the document after it got to the state department. Both Lansing and Tumulty denied they had been able to find any "leak."

Secretary Tumulty was the first witness before the rules committee.

Tumulty in a formal statement to the committee, closed with the following "permitted" quotation from President Wilson:

"I wish, in justice to Mr. Tumulty, to say that he has stated the exact fact. He had no knowledge of the note whatever, until it was given out for publication."

ARGUMENTS BEGUN IN U. S. COURT ON RAIL LAW CASE

Test Involves Constitutionality of Adamson Act—Decision Is Expected in Few Weeks.

Washington, Jan. 9.—Argument was begun Monday in the United States supreme court on the test case involving the question of constitutionality of the Adamson law. It is in the form of an appeal by the department of justice from a decision of Circuit Justice W. C. Hook at Kansas City, upholding the claim of the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad that the law is unconstitutional and void.

It was expected that the argument would be continued all day today. Monday's hearing was the first on the merits of the Adamson law in any court, Judge Hook having decided the case without formal hearings in order to expediate the appeal for the supreme court's final determination. A decision is expected within a few weeks at most.

Time Not Ripe for Peace, Pope Thinks.

Rome, Jan. 9.—Pope Benedict will declare the present moment inopportune for a peace movement in notes to Germany and America, the newspaper Messagero asserts. According to this source the notes will be practically identical in terms and will be dispatched by the Vatican on Wednesday. In them, the Messagero declares, the Pope will narrate his own personal efforts toward peace and his desire for stopping of the great war, but sums up his conclusions that the time is not yet ripe.

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Statistics on Electricity.

The electricity output of the various power plants of the United States reclamation service operated in 1914 was over 66,000,000 kw.-hr. The total capacity of the 12 plants in operation was 27,134 kw., and the first cost of the plants $2,542,000. Of the total output, 39 per cent was sold to customers, 32 per cent was used for irrigation pumping, 17 per cent for construction purposes, 4 per cent for drainage, the remaining 8 per cent representing losses. It was estimated that the power remaining undeveloped on all the different projects amounted to a total of 489,000 horsepower. Of this 360,000 horsepower consisted of the estimated capacity on the Flathead river, in Montana, the remainder being distributed through 21 other power sites.

Before and After.

"All Europe prepared for war for a generation," said Henry Ford at a dinner. "Europe has now got what she prepared for. And look at her.

"The picture of Europe before and after all this war preparation is a distressing and ugly one. It's as terrible a before-and-after picture as the one which was described by a young Dearborn bride.

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Occasionally a man on the downward path is traveling in the opposite direction.

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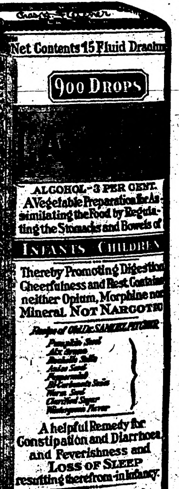
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"Pape's Diapepsin" makes Sick, Sour, Gassy Stomachs surely feel fine in five minutes.

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach-headache, you can get blessed relief in five minutes. Put an end to stomach trouble forever by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder. It's the quickest, surest stomach doctor in the world. It's wonderful.—Adv.

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Of all colors, red is the most conspicuous at a distance.

In Italy the refuse gathered in the streets is sold at auction.

London, England, can spare no more firemen for the army.

A Great Discovery

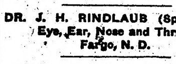
(BY J. H. WATSON, M. D.)

Swollen hands, ankles, feet are due to a dropsical condition, often caused by disordered kidneys. Naturally when the kidneys are deranged the blood is filled with poisonous waste matter, which settles in the feet, ankles and wrists; or under the eyes in bag-like formations.

As a remedy for those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation caused by uric acid—as scalding urine, backache and frequent urination, as well as sediment in the urine, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gout, it is simply wonderful how quickly Anuric acts; the pains and stiffness rapidly disappear.

Take a glass of hot water before meals and Anuric to flush the kidneys.

Step into any drug store and ask for Anuric, many times more potent than lithia and eliminates uric acid as hot water melts sugar.



A WOMAN'S BURDENS are lightened when she turns to the right medicine. If her existence is made gloomy by the chronic weaknesses, delicate derangements, and painful disorders that afflict her sex, she will find relief and emancipation from her troubles in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. If she's overworked, nervous, or "run-down," she finds new life and strength. It's a powerful, invigorating tonic and nervine which was discovered and used by an eminent physician for many years, in all cases of "female complaints" and weaknesses. For young girls just entering womanhood; for women at the critical "change of life;" in bearing-down sensations, periodical pains, ulceration, inflammation, and every kindred ailment, the "Favorite Prescription" is guaranteed to benefit or cure. Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure biliousness.

SWIFT ADVANCE OF TEUTONIC ARMIES MENACE TO ALLIES

FOLLOWING CAPTURE OF BRAILA GERMAN FORCES TAKE FIVE MORE TOWNS AND REACH RIVER SERETH AT TWO POINTS.

ROUMANIA'S CHIEF CITY UNDER ARTILLERY FIRE

Russians Bring Reinforcements and Fight Desperately On North End of Russo-Galician Front—Germans Take 900 Prisoners and Several Machine Guns.

Berlin (By Wireless to Sayville), Jan. 8.—The whole Russo-Rumanian line along the Sereth is menaced by the swift advance of the Teutonic armies in Rumania.

Sweeping on after their capture of Braila, Field Marshal von Mackensen's armies have taken five more towns, reached the Sereth river at at least two points and laid Galatz, most important Rumanian city still in the hands of the Allies, under artillery fire.

Many Towns Taken.

Capture of Rimnicenci, Tartaru, Olancasca, Guilianca and Maxineni, in Rumania, and penetration of German vanguards to the Sereth river line is announced by the war office.

With their southern flank in peril, the Russians have brought up reinforcements and renewed their attacks on the northern end of the Russo-Galician front, near the gulf of Riga, it is announced officially here.

The Russians entered German positions east of the river Aa, but elsewhere were repulsed. In a counterattack the Germans took 900 prisoners and several machine guns.

Greek Towns Shelled.

Bavarian and Austro-Hungarian troops have stormed Russian defenses on an extended front south of the Trotus valley, near the Moldavian frontier, the war office announces.

The following official report from the Macedonian front was given out here:

"Artillery fighting occurred in the Cerna bend and skirmishing of patrols on the Struma front. Greek coast towns between the mouth of the Struman and Mesta rivers are shelled every day from the sea by Entente warships."

CANADIAN WAR LEADER DIES

Sir F. W. Borden Was Minister of Militia Until 1911.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 8.—Sir Frederick William Borden, who was minister of militia and defense in the Laurier administration from its formation in 1898 until its defeat at the general election in 1911, is dead, according to a dispatch received here from Canning, Nova Scotia. Sir Frederick served as an army surgeon and was credited with efficient organization of the Canadian troops which fought in South Africa, where his son, Lieutenant Harold L. Borden, was killed in action. Sir Frederick was born in Cornwallis, N. S., in 1847.

REPLY "AN ARROGANT CRIME"

Kaiser Issues Order to Army—Urges Firm Stand.

London, Jan. 8.—Kaiser William regards the Allies' rejection of Germany's peace terms as "an arrogant crime" and responsibility is on them for further bloodshed, according to an order issued to the German army and navy, reported in Amsterdam dispatches.

The kaiser is quoted as saying that the Allies' "hunger for power" makes them desire destruction of Germany and as urging that the army and navy stand firm as steel to force the peace offered by Germany, but refused.

APPAM OWNERS FILE BRIEF

Claim Prize Crew Lost Title on Entering U. S. Waters.

Washington, Jan. 8.—British claimants of the prize ship Appam, brought to Newport News last February by a German prize crew, have filed their brief with the supreme court in the libel proceedings brought to regain possession of the vessel and her cargo. The case will be argued this week. The brief contends that under German-American treaties and Hague conventions the Appam's captors lost title to their prize when they brought her into American waters.

Greek Soldiers Rob Americans.

London, Jan. 8.—News dispatches from Athens quote passages from a note presented to the Greek government Dec. 24 by the American minister detailing the case of an American citizen, Basil Saffis, who was arrested Dec. 2 as a revolutionary by soldiers. The soldiers are said to have ignored Saffis' passports, to have taken 3,535 francs from his pocket, and to have marched him outside the city, where he was to be executed. An orderly overtook the soldiers and Saffis was ordered released.

MAN WINS BACK BRIDE HE LOST

Secret Vow Made in Divorce Court Led Husband to Make Good.

HAD LIVED TOO HIGH

L. F. Reynolds of Los Angeles Weathers Business and Family Crash and Returns After Three Years to Wife and Son.

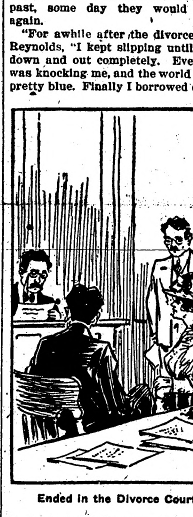
Los Angeles.—Renewing a romance which hinged on a secret agreement made at the time of their divorce in Denver, Colo., three years ago, Linn F. Reynolds of this city and his former wife have just been married the second time.

"She told me that if I would go away and make good we would be married again," said Reynolds. "Now we have carried out our promises to each other—promises known to none but God and ourselves. Three months before the decree was granted, our little son, John David, was born, and it was that little mite of humanity, more than anything else, that determined us to live down the past and make a new home."

Lived Beyond Their Means.

When Louise Lawlor married Linn Reynolds, she was a popular society girl, just twenty years old, the daughter of a wealthy manufacturer of Denver. Reynolds, twenty-two years old, was in business and was making $4,000 a year. But he and his bride had not learned to value money, and lived far beyond their means. Soon the crash came. Reynolds was left without a dollar and heavily in debt. This, with other complications, made trouble for them which ended in the divorce court. But before they parted they agreed that, if the husband lived down the past, some day they would marry again.

"For awhile after the divorce," said Reynolds, "I kept slipping until I was down and out completely. Everybody was knocking me, and the world looked pretty blue. Finally I borrowed enough money to leave Denver and go to San Francisco. But I failed in every effort I made to get along. Discouraged and almost penniless, I went to Los Angeles, and there for six months I all but starved, working as an extra at six dollars a week in motion picture studios. It seemed as if fate had decreed that I must never again see my wife and baby."



Ended in the Divorce Court.

Husband "Came Back."

But one day Reynolds saw his chance, took advantage of it, and won out. Stories of his success reached his former wife. Yet not one word did they write each other until a short time ago, when Reynolds sent her a letter reminding her of their secret promise, declaring that he still loved her, and that he wanted to hear his little boy call him "daddy."

The very next mail brought the girl's answer, and a few days later she was in Los Angeles with curly-headed John David.

WANTED SON IN CHAIN GANG

Georgia Mother Preferred That to Having Him Sent to the Reformatory.

Atlanta, Ga.—"Try my boy for bootlegging and send him to the chain gang, judge, but don't send him back to that reform school," was the plea made before Judge Johnson by the mother of D. A. Dougherty, an eighteen-year-old boy, who was brought before the recorder on a charge of having failed to return to the reformatory after having been given a leave of absence to have his teeth fixed at Atlanta.

His mother charged that he had been given 30 lashes and put on bread and water and that he had been forced to work "like a dog" at the reformatory.

Blinded by Sunlight.

Manhattan, Kan.—A flash of sunlight on newly painted woodwork caused L. E. Wood of Newton, Kan., to lose his eyesight. Physicians say it may be permanent.

Suffered Several Years. PERUNA MADE ME WELL

Its My Standby for a Cold.

Mrs. Elizabeth Reuther, 1002 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C., writes: "I am pleased to endorse Peruna as a splendid medicine for catarrh and stomach trouble, from which I suffered for several years. I took it for several months, and at the end of that time found my health was restored and have felt splendidly ever since. I now take it when I contract a cold, and it soon rids the system of any catarrhal tendencies."

Those who object to liquid medicines can now procure Peruna Tablets.

What About the Eggs?

A country store in Delaware county, until the proprietor was made to see the point, bore this sign designated to catch the eye of the farmer bound Muncieward with his produce: "If you want to trade your eggs and butter for something good, come in here."—Indianapolis News.

ACTRESS TELLS SECRET.

A well known actress gives the following recipe for gray hair: To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

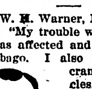
Appropriate Conduct.

"Mrs. Jimps is a consistent nagger."

"Yes; she is always sticking her husband for pin money."

A MINISTER'S CONFESSION

Rev. W. H. Warner, Myersville, Md., writes: "My trouble was sciatica. My back was affected and took the form of lumbago. I also had neuralgia, cramps in my muscles, pressure or sharp pain on the top of my head, and nervous dizzy spells. I had other symptoms showing my kidneys were at fault, so I took Dodd's Kidney Pills. They were the means of saving my life. I write to say that your medicine restored me to perfect health." Be sure and get "DODD'S," the name with the three D's for diseased, disordered, deranged kidneys; just as Rev. Warner did, no similarly named article will do.—Adv.



A Stickler for Pa.

"Pa."

"Well, my son?"

"How can a solid fact leak out?"

Send 10c to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, for large trial package of Anuric for kidneys—cures backache.—Adv.

Not That Kind.

"I understand your husband is something of a valetudinarian, Mrs. Comeup."

"Oh, dear me, no! He eats meat regularly three times a day."

TAKES OFF DANDRUFF, HAIR STOPS FALLING

Save your Hair! Get a 25 cent bottle of Danderine right now—Also stops itching scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scurf.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store. You surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine. Save your hair! Try it!—Adv.

To lessen the shocks a new detachable tandem seat for motorcycles is equipped with both horizontal and vertical springs and has a back rest.

In some quarters it is held that Russia is the greatest single field in the world for new business.

Quite So.

"That man is in a grave revery."

"Yes; I noticed he was buried in thought."

IF YOUR CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH, CONSTIPATED

Look Mother! If tongue is coated, cleanse little bowels with "California Syrup of Figs."

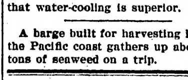
Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups.—Adv.

Air-cooling methods of the rapid-fire guns now in use have proved inadequate, and the soldiers seem to think that water-cooling is superior.

A barge built for harvesting kelp on the Pacific coast gathers up about 500 tons of seaweed on a trip.



Marjorie—"What do you think John said, Daddy, when I told him that when we were married I wanted a city residence, a country place, six autos and a lot of servants?"

Daddy—"Well, what did the paragon say?"

Marjorie—"He said that if I would sleep more on my right side I wouldn't have such dreams."

Bad dreams are a good sign of poor digestion, when the hard worked stomach begins to complain the whole system suffers and we have constipation, offensive breath, dyspepsia and all sorts of similar disorders every one of which, if you did but know it, cries aloud for

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The excellent grasses, full of nutrition, are the only food required either for beef or dairy purposes. Good schools, churches, markets convenient, climate excellent. Military service is not compulsory in Canada but there is an unusual demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for the war. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Can., or to

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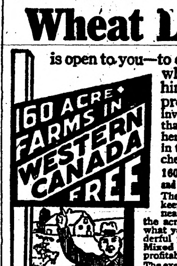
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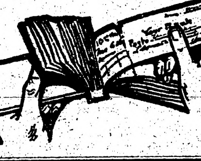
Farmers State Bank of Holt

Lars Backe, President H. M. Johnson, Cashier



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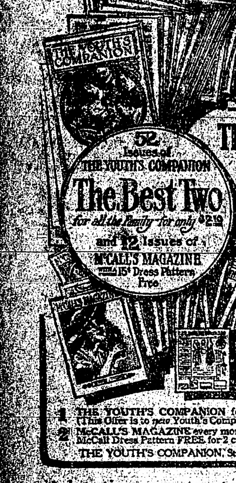

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed and delivered by John F. Tapper, a single man, Mortgagor, to Holt State Bank, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of August, 1915, and with a power of attorney contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of August, 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 73 of mortgages on page 151. Such default consisting in the following, to-wit:

(1) Failure on the part of said mortgagor to pay the sum of six and 50-100 (6.50) dollars, due and payable under the terms of said mortgage on August 12, 1916.

(2) Failure on the part of said Mortgagor to pay the interest in the amount of seventy-eight ($78.00) dollars due August 12, 1916, on a prior mortgagor in the sum of thirteen hundred ($1300.00) dollars; by reason whereof the said undersigned was compelled to pay and did pay said interest so due.

(3) Failure on the part of said Mortgagor to pay the taxes and assessments against said land in the sum of nineteen and 42-100 ($19.42) dollars, which became delinquent on June 1, 1916, by reason whereof the undersigned was compelled to pay and did pay said taxes.

And whereas, the said Mortgagee has elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of one hundred fifty-two and 52-100 ($152.52) dollars, including such interest, so paid on said prior mortgage, and the taxes paid as aforesaid, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said morgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: Lot one (1) of Section Nineteen (19) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) and the East half of the Northeast Quarter (E½ NE¼) of Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-one (41) West of the fifth principal meridan, in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court house in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 17th day of February, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay and satisfy said debt of One Hundred Fifty-one and 52-100 ($151.52), and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars attorney's fees and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1916.

Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota.
Mortgagee.
H. O. KJOMME,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Amendment to Certificate of Incorporation of the Farmers State Bank of Holt, Minn.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 20th day of December A. D. 1916, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock.

Resolved; That section Five of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Five—The Amount of Capital Stock shall be Fifteen Thousand dollars ($15000.00 fully paid in, in cash which shall be devided into 150 shares of $100.00 each.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Holt, Minn., on the 20th day of December A. D. 1916.

Lars Backe, President.
H. M. Johnson, Cashier.
[CORPORATE SEAL]

Daily Thought.

If a man has nothing to reproach himself with, he can bear anything.—Phillips Brooks.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Dec., 27. 1916.
Date of report by Bank, Jan. 8, 1917.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$101,973 57
Overdrafts		736 15
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		3,880 01
Other Real Estate		$1,900 00
Due from Banks	5,630 67	
Cash on Hand	2996 85	
Total Cash Assets		8 627 52
Checks and Cash Items		1,784 67
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		
Total		$118,901 92

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$3,500.00
Undivided Profits, Net		1,950 25
Notes Rediscouted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		3,000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$41,137.36	
Cashier's Checks	1293.47	
Total Immediate Liabilities	42,430.83	
Time Certificates	58,011.84	
Total Deposits		100,442 67
Total		$118,901 92
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$10,412 19
Amt. of Reserve Requried by Law		$7,903 19

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President.
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNHEIM,
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of Jan., 1917.
[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Nov. 1916.

Cream received	6,489 lbs
Average test	26 09
Butter fat	1693.39 lbs
Percent overrun	22 68
Butter made	2077 lbs
Balance on hand last month	13 89
Received for butter shipped	5[illegible] 80
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 23
Cash sales at creamery	95 37
Rec'd from other sources	23 77
Total	$717 56
Paid patrons by check	667 40
" " " Butter & milk	6 28
Expense fund, etc.	21 39
Other sources	10 81
To sinking fund	11 48
Balance on hand	80
Total	$717 56

Number of patrons, 55
Price paid for butter fat, 40c
Patrons receiving checks for $40.00
John Simonson $42.95.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

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Great Nerve and Brain Food

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Half the difficulty of fighting any severe battle or accomplishing any hard task vanishes when a man feels that he has comrades at his side fighting in the same cause, so that the eyes of those he loves are upon him, and their hearts praying for his victory.—C. J. Perry.

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DEPOSITS
GLAD I COMMENCED EARLY AND KEPT IT UP
THRIFT
BANK ACCOUNT

Stand by your home paper — The Weekly News.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Tuesday
Date will be announced later

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
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Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
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You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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LOCATED IN HEART OF BUSINESS DISTRICT
RATES: Rooms with detached bath and shower bath—
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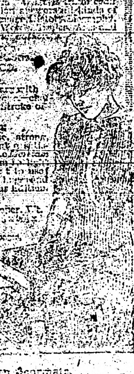

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Drink Hot Water and Take Tassco

Haven't you often wished for a medicine to reduce your flesh? Something that does not require dieting or calisthenics. Well right here you have it in 5-grain tassco tablets, which you may secure of any good druggist. They are pleasant to take, perfectly harmless and cause no restrictions of habit or eating and reduce the flesh little by little, until you are down to the number of pounds you wish to weigh. Too much flesh is undesirable, as most quite stout people will readily admit and it detracts from one's good appearance, makes one clumsy and short of breath.

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Free Tassco Coupon
The Tassco Co.
Boston Mass.
Send me by return mail a 50c box of your wonderful obesity treatment. I enclose 10c in silver or stamps to help pay postage and packing.

Duty Ever Present.

A sense of duty pursues us ever. It is omnipresent, like the Deity. If we take to ourselves the wings of the morning, and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea, duty performed or duty violated is still with us, for our happiness or our misery.—Daniel Webster.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Save money by trading in Holt.

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

B. Docken was a business visitor in T. R. Falls, Friday and Saturday.

P. L. Anderson and Clarence Docken went to Grand Forks Tuesday to witness a boxing match.

Rev. Ordahl went to West Valley Saturday where he held services on Sunday.

Rev. Parish will hold services in the Free Mission church next Monday evening.

[illegible] Reierson came up from T. R. Falls Monday for a few days visit with his parents.

[illegible] Flakne returned home Saturday from several weeks business in Minneapolis.

[illegible] delivered at Holt.

The Young People's Society will be entertained to-morrow (Saturday) evening at the Gunheim home.

The Golden Hour Society will meet with Mrs. August Kuehne Saturday Jan. 20th. Everyone invited.

Carl Christoferson was able to return to his work on the section Wednesday after a couple days of sickness.

Miss Lydia Bjerk and brother Al[illegible] returned home Monday from a weeks visit with their sister in Crookston.

The Red Lake Falls elevator expects to have a car of shelled corn for sale on track, next week.—H. J. Oien, Agent.

Mrs. Geo. Anderson and his brother Frank came up from T. R. Falls Tuesday and report George is getting along nicely.

Mrs. August Kuehne returned home Tuesday from a two weeks visit in T. R. Falls with her daughter Mrs. Albin Knauf.

Miss Ruth Owen, of Alexandria, arrived here Saturday and is teaching the intermediate department in the public school, Mrs. Fred Peterson having resigned that position.

Ben Eide received his markings this week from the postoffice department, in his examination for rural carrier. His markings were good and unless others get better he will probably be given a chance to work up a route here. Holt needs and is entitled to at least one more rural route and we hope to get it this year.

All should get together and boost for Holt and the surrounding country.

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Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
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Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet next Saturday from 11 to 3 o'clock.

The Nazareth Young People's Society will be entertained Saturday Jan. 20th, at 7:30 P. M., by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim. Everyone invited.

Preaching services in Ringbo next Sunday at 10:45 A. M., and in Holt at 3 o'clock P. M.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Undergoes Eighth Operation

Dr. R. L. Olson underwent an operation for gall stones last Saturday at the hospital in Grand Forks, Dr. Bratrud successfully performing the work. There were so many stones found in the gall bladder, it was deemed necessary to remove the bladder entirely. Mr. Olson suffered intensely from the effects of the ether and operation, but on Tuesday when Mrs. Olson returned home, he was resting very comfortably and the doctors were much pleased at the outcome of the operation. This is the eighth operation the doctor has had for different ailments and his friends sincerely hope this will be the last one he will be oblige to have, and that he will indeed enjoy good health after this.

It can't always be winter.

John Leslie was a Middle River visitor Monday.

Art. Brutten returned Saturday from a weeks visit in Minneapolis.

The Warren Sheaf has been awarded the county printing for this [illegible]

The residents of the village of Grygla will vote on incorporation, Feb. 2nd.

Tom Severson has been fortunate enough to kill his second wolf this year with his long range rifle.

Dr. Froehlick was called Monday to see Carl Christoferson and Miss Annie Nygaard who were on the sick list.

Misses Dorthy and Celia Olson went to Grand Forks last week where they expect to work for some time.

Col. Wm. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) the well known wild west showman, died at his home in Denver during the past week.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

Nels Dahlman returned Monday to his home in Alvarado after a few days visit at the Herman Heinze and C. O. Saastad homes.

Admiral Geo. Dewey, The Hero of Manila Bay during the war with Spain, died at his home in Washington Tuesday in his 80th year.

How much are you going to do to build up your town and community this year? It will do you good to give this matter the attention it deserves. Think it over, then act.

The Red Lake Falls elevator expects to have a car of shelled corn here next week. Those who wish to buy feed will do well to look this up. Corn is a good heavy feed and not too much should be given at one time to any kind of stock.

The Sixth Annual Farm Crops Show which has been a great school of instruction for the people generally of the Red River Valley will be in session again in Crookston, Feb. 5th to 9th. The executive committee is planning even greater and more varied entertainment and profitable features than in the past.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Parish will preach next Monday evening Jan. 22, at 8 o'clock. Everyone invited.

School Notes.

Ninety are now attending in the three rooms. The total enrollment so far this year is 96.

Miss Ruth Owen of Alexandria is in charge of the intermediate grades this term.

The library has been quite popular the last two months. The circulation was: for November 196 books and for December 150 books.

A fourth bus line has been in operation since the vacation. George Ruehmann a high school student drives in and picks up the children from two homes on the way.

A letter to the school has been received from Ada Latta telling about school and other things of interest down in Oklahoma.

Bring us your Job Printing.

We are getting more snow to-day.

Ernest Kuehne was a Middle River visitor yesterday.

Plenty of timber is'nt such a bad thing this cold winter weather.

P. O. Reierson visited a few days last week with relatives in Thief River Falls.

Misses Tina Johnson and Hilma Nyberg went to Hillsboro, Friday where they expect to work for some time.

Negotiations have been closed between U. S. and Denmark for the [illegible] 000,000.

P. P. Rierson went to Greenbush Saturday to assist Emil Simenson with meetings there. They returned home Monday.

The farmers of the U. S. raised about fifty million bushels of rye in 1915, nearly 80 per cent being raised east of the North Dakota line.

Mrs. Sollom returned Monday from a few days visit with her daughter in Newfolden, and reports that both Mrs. Carlson and the baby who have been sick, were recovering from the grippe.

Miss Annie Nygaard who had been sick with pneumonia at the hotel for about a week, was removed to her home Tuesday. It was reported that she was still very sick, but it is hoped she will soon be better.

The Duluth Herald wants the I. W. W. driven out of Minnesota, on the grounds that they are a lawless mob and as much opposed to labor unions as to employers, that socialism is too slow for them, and they seek to accomplish their ends by revolution.

The offer of the Youth Companion and McCall's Magazine both for a full year and a 15c McCall Dress Pattern all for only $2.10 will be withdrawn March 31st, on account of the high price of print paper, ink etc. Read their ad in this paper and send us your subscription to day.

As she went through her letters at the breakfast table, little Miss Newwedde frowned thoughtfully.

"Herbert, I can't understand this," she said, as she handed over one epistle to her husband. "Here is a notice from the bank to say that my account is overdrawn."

"Goodness!" gasped Herbert, startled. "But I gave you a check for a hundred dollars last week! Surely you hav'nt spent all that yet?"

Of course I hav'nt! replied the lady indignantly. "That's locked away in my desk. I hav'nt touched it since you gave it to me."—Ex.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Company, of Holt, Minn., will be held in the M. W. A. Hall, Saturday Jan. 27th, '17 at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year and to transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

It takes a rich man to pay the coal bills at present prices.

Alfred Olson has been painting the interior of his confectionary store the past week.

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

Are you making use of the State Free Traveling Libraries? Books for the asking at the Holt State Bank.

Miss Inanda Fosholm went to Lankin, N. D. Wednesday for a couple of weeks visit with relatives.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

Paul Olson, Albert Bennes, H. B. Young and wives and Mrs. Loyd Adams and son were pleasantly entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken.

Minneapolis has a population of 364,000, St. Paul 248,000, Duluth 95,000, Hibbing 16,000 and Virginia 15,000. These figures are based on estimates of the U. S. census bureau.

Seventeen premiums amounting to $1[illegible] are being offered for the best displays of potatoes at the Farm Crops Show in Crookston, Feb. 5 to 9. Also 10 premiums for wheat, 12 for oats, 10 for barley, and 4 each for alfalfa, clover, rye and flax.

If speakers are desired for farmers meetings of any kind, they can be had by making early requests to the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston. Can we not have some farmers meetings here?

Announcements regarding students short courses in farm Husbandry, Stock Raising, Gasoline and Tractor Engineering and Dressmaking are being sent out by the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and will be mailed to anyone who makes application for them.

While all live stock is apt to remain high priced, regardless of when the war ends, the best bet is sheep. The big range in Montana and other parts of the west are gone. There are but few large flocks left. Those who have land that is dry, can gain profits by raising sheep. It takes some capital for a start, as woven wire fencing is almost essential to success, but the start can be made in a small way. On brush and timber farms the help they render in clearing land is worth the cost of their keep.

Warroad Pioneer

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Kilometer.

A kilometer is a length of 1,000 meters, equal to 3,280 feet, or 0.621 of a mile. The kilometer is the chief unit for long distances in the metric system of measurement.

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Peter Radford

ON THE BUSINESS PREACHER.

The recent confession of Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis from the pulpit of the Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, that he erred in becoming secular is in many respects the most important statement made from the American pulpit in this generation and if it marks the high tide of ministerial lust for worldly power that has been flooding this country for the past quarter of a century then Dr. Hillis has not erred in vain.

It must be said to the credit of this noted divine that his purpose in stepping out of the pulpit was to acquire the means of rendering a more capable service to those who need and deserve assistance, but the pathway from the pulpit to the world is always strewn with good intentions. Satan knows as well how to tempt a saint as he does a sinner and he has lured many a minister down the primrose pathway of worldly power to ruin, for no one knows better than his satanic majesty how easy it is to get a preacher to enter business or politics "in the name of the Lord."

The laymen of this nation have viewed with alarm and the world with derision, the growing tendency of ministers of the gospel to abandon the pulpit as a power against evil and seek the influence of worldly agencies to put into effect their Christian ideals. The man who has not sufficient faith in the power of religion to grapple with the sins of this world ought not to be in the pulpit and if he wants to accumulate wealth in order to relieve poverty or wield a scepter in order to enforce morality, then he ought to be a banker or a mayor, instead of a preacher.

The two great temptations that confront the Christian ministry today are business and politics and between the two evils, Dr. Hillis chose the least and by his able conduct has turned error to his credit and transgression to the advantage of the pulpit. It is no compliment to say a preacher is a sharp trader or a smooth politician and certainly no applicant for the ministry would offer such qualifications as evidence of equipment for Christian work, and ministers engaged in undue activities in either field become a menace to the church and a peril to the state.

It is true the ministers, as a class, are underpaid, but their average income will exceed that of the average farmer. Stocks and bonds, land and securities, politics and the lecture platform have tempted many a preacher but the plow handles are without sin so far as luring the minister from the pulpit is concerned. Any preacher who feels the inclination to abandon the pulpit should plow a few rounds and I venture the suggestion that he will hurry back to the pulpit.

Now that Dr. Hillis has led the business preacher back to the pulpit will some one of our leading political preachers confess their sins and lead their wayward brethren back to the fold?

Dr. J. T. Turley, the dentist, will make his regular trip here during February. He is opening an office in Duluth and is too busy to come here this month.

See our merchants when in need of winter goods. They will sell you cheaper, net, than the catalog firms.

The annual meeting of the Holt Farmer's Creamery Co., will be held Saturday Jan. 27th.

Free scholarship are being offered by the Northwest School of Agriculture, at Crookston. Write them direct for full information.

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A Smooth Hairless Skin for Women.

From Beauty Secrets

With the aid of a plain medol paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with powdered medol. This is applied to the hairs not wanted and after 2 or 3 minutes rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. When you go to your druggist for medol be sure you get the genuine article, and if he will not supply you, the American Proprietary Co. of Boston, will send you a 50c or $1.00 package by mail.

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The Boy Who Dreams.

It is a good thing for the farmer [illegible] to have an imagination, says the Prairie Farmer. It is a good thing [illegible] him to "dream [illegible] and see visions." It takes a [illegible] to see the transformation [illegible] of [illegible] will bring to [illegible] old pla[illegible] [illegible] how much more desirable that place will be in ten years than a job in a dry goods store.—Emporia Gazette.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.7
Wheat No. 2	1.7
Wheat No. 3	1.6
Wheat No. 4	1.4
Flax	2.6
Oats	
Barley	59 to .8
Rye	1.2
Flour, Best Patent	5.2

Tonoline is Beauty Aid

Announces Special[illegible]

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest

To Women

As health is a first aid to beauty this story told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise. "I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Indigestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said, 'Take tonoline.'

Not long after I started the tonoline treatment my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

"What tonoline really did for me I cannot say. I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline publicly."

Tonoline is a purely vegetable preparation which goes to the seat of common maladies, stomach and kidney trouble, catarrhal affections of the mucous membranes, liver ailments and impurities of the of the blood—and quickly restores proper action. Tonoline is being explained daily at your druggists.

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Send me by return mail a 50c box of your celebrated flesh builder. I enclose 10c to help pay postage and packing.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

CONDENSATIONS OF GREATER OR LESSER IMPORTANCE.

A BOILING DOWN OF EVENTS

National, Political, Personal and Other Matters in Brief Form for All Classes of Readers.

WAR NEWS.

Canadian casualties from the opening of the war to December 31, a period of twenty months, total 68,290.

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A German admiralty statement says that a German submersible, number not given, has sunk eleven entente steamers in eleven days.

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During the year just closed 178,537 men were recruited in Canada, or nearly half the total of 385,955 since the outbreak of the war.

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Field Marshal von Mackensen's troops have taken the Rumanian fortress Fokshani with nearly 4,000 prisoners and some cannon and machine guns.

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The British transport Ivernia has been sunk, and one hundred and fifty military officers and men are missing, according to an official announcement by the British admiralty.

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Fodder and cereals are to be grown in Richmond and Bushy parks, London, the first step in the new food campaign. London's parks are royal property and the step has the sanction of King George.

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German Field Marshal von Mackensen's army, operating in southern Moldavia, has crossed the Putna river north of Fokshani, and between Fokshani and Fundeni has forced the Russians and Rumanians across the Sereth river, taking, in the latter operation, 550 prisoners.

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The increase in the national debt of Great Britain, France, Russia, Germany and Austria-Hungary is estimated at $49,455,000,000 from the beginning of the war to the latter part of 1916, except in the case of Austria-Hungary, in which the estimate extends only to May, 1916.

GENERAL.

A two-mile board automobile speedway, costing $500,000, will be built at Salt Lake City, Utah, this summer.

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The National Farmers association will hold its annual meeting in Kansas City, Mo., February 21, 22, 23.

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Judges Evans, Carpenter and Landis of the United States district court, denied the petition of twenty-eight railroads operating in Illinois to restrain the state public utilities commission from enforceing the Illinois 2-cent fare law.

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Franz Bopp, German consul general at San Francisco, and four of his attaches and employes were found guilty by a jury in the United States district court of having violated this country's neutrality.

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The first bill introduced in the Utah legislature was a statewide prohibition bill. It would prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor in Utah after August 1, 1917, and makes the possession of intoxicants a misdemeanor.

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The life of George Brandeis, of Omaha, head of the J. L. Brandeis interests, has been insured for $600,000 by his firm. So far as is known this is the largest insurance ever taken out on the life of one man in the middle west.

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A $400,000 commission for obtaining a war munition contract calling for an expenditure of $37,500,000 by the Russian government was awarded by the N. Y. supreme court to Charles Fuller, a New York City lawyer.

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Floyd Fuller of Lexington, Neb., who on December 21 shot and killed his sweetheart, Dorothy Rader-Carberry, when she met him by appointment on a crowded street in Omaha, pleaded guilty to second degree murder and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

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Colonel William Frederick Cody (Buffalo Bill), soldier, hunter and scout, the idol of juvenile America, died at Denver. William F. Cody was 71 years old and was born in Scott county, Iowa.

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Harry K. Thaw, who was released fifteen months ago from an asylum for the insane where he was sent after he had killed Stanford White, was indicted in New York, charged with kidnaping Fred Gump, jr., 19, of Kansas City, Mo., and assaulting him with a whip.

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The increase of 1½ cents per 100-weight on lumber rates from the southern producing field to Omaha, Des Moines and Lincoln will not go into effect until February 15.

Only enough eggs sufficient for one breakfast for all Indiana were found in the state, in a survey made by the State Food and Drug commission.

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California's thirteen electoral votes were cast in the assembly of the California legislature at Sacramento, for President Wilson and Vice President Marshall.

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Eight men were killed and nine others wounded in the hunt for 12,000 deer slaughtered in California in 1916, according to a report submitted to the state fish and game commission.

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Twenty-four cases of infantile paralysis have been reported in Montevideo, Uruguay. Specialists are carefully studying the disease and the authorities have decided to consult New York medical men on steps to stamp it out.

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Citizens of Pierce county, Wash., voted at a special election to issue bonds to the amount of $2,000,000 for the purchase of a tract of 70,000 acres of land, to be turned over to the United States government for a great military mobilization camp and division army grounds.

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Wishing to have a live subject to work with, the girl students of the domestic science department of the Appleton, Wisconsin, high school have adopted a 2-months-old baby and the girls are now kept busy feeding it scientifically and dressing it according to the best health hints.

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Every foot of the Dixie highway through the state of Georgia will be beautified by shade trees, according to plans announced by the Savannah Automobile club. If contemplated plans are carried out there will be a double row of trees reaching from the Tennessee line to St. Mary's river, in Florida.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

Nicifero Zambrano, treasurer of the de facto government in Mexico, recently sent to Washington by General Carranza as his personal representative, issued a statement in which he predicted an early settlement of the border difficulties.

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In an army of more than 150,000 National guardsmen and regulars on the Mexican border only 274 death have occurred in the last seven months. Of the deaths 108 were classified as caused by violence, while 166 were caused by disease.

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Adherents of Francisco Villa are already arranging details of a Mexican provisional government, to be set up by the bandit chief, and a tentative seat of government has been chosen, according to information in the hands of United States authorities on the border.

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Villa forces were defeated at Jiminez by General Francisco Murguia, with a loss of 1,500 rebel dead, wounded and captured, with the noted rebel leader, Martin Lopez, and another Villa general among the slain, according to an official report from the Carranza commander.

WASHINGTON.

Final agreement on the annual rivers and harbors appropriation bill was reported by the house committee. The measure carries $38,155,399, of which $1,110,000 is for Missouri river improvements.

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By a vote of 55 to 32 the senate passed the Sheppard prohibition bill forbidding the sale of intoxicating liquors in the District of Columbia, but allowing small importations for personal use.

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A new issue of the one and two dollar greenbacks of civil war days, discontinued more than thirty years ago, well be put into circulation probably about February 1, the treasury department announced.

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The International Harvester Co. and other American manufacturers of binder twine have been exonerated of responsibility for its increased price in the report of the senate committee which investigated the Yucatan monopoly.

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The Webb-Kenyon law, designed to prevent liquor shipments from "wet" to "dry" states was declared constitutional by the supreme court, which also upheld West Virginia's prohibition amendment prohibiting citizens from receiving liquor for personal use, shipped by common carrier in interstate commerce.

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Secretary Daniels appealed to congress for $12,000,000 to add to navy yard construction facilities because of the failure of the private builders to submit bids for the battle cruisers and scout cruisers.

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Ordnance and air craft innovations designed from lines developed by European belligerents have been authorized by both war and navy departments. They include Zeppelin type airships, large caliber mobile rifles and howitzers to be mounted on railroad trucks.

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At the conclusion of three days of stirring debate, the senate voted to indorse President Wilson's note requesting a statement of peace terms from the warring powers of Europe by a vote of 48 to 17.

TEUTON LINES ARE BROKEN SOUTH OF RIGA BY RUSSIANS

TREMENDOUS PRESSURE EXERTED BY SLAVS MAY HAVE EFFECT ON GERMAN PROGRESS AGAINST ROUMANIA.

LAST CITY HELD BY SLAVS SOUTH OF SERETH FALLS

Vadeni Captured by Storm in Hand to Hand Encounter Despite Unfavorable Weather Conditions—Lively Artillery Fire Continues North of Somme.

London, Jan. 16.—Russia is exerting tremendous pressure on the German line south of Riga and it may conceivably have its effect on the German progress in Roumania.

At several places the Russians have broken through the German lines and the positions they took were those constructed in the Teuton's 12 months of occupancy. The Russian advances were made also despite heavy snowstorms, freezingly cold weather and great stretches of marsh land.

Take Guns and Brandy.

A message from General Dimitrieff, published here, pays a tribute to his men's heroism and cites their capture of 50 machine guns, 30 cannon and a vast amount of material—including 100,000 bottles of brandy—as evidence of the irresistible force of the advance.

Germans May Withdraw.

Already weakened at several places by the battering of the Russian assaults, it is believed here the Germans must make early reinforcement of their lines in this theater or undertake a general withdrawal. If reinforcements are given it is believed they will be taken from the Roumanian front.

Dispatches from Roumania indicate that the Teutons are again making desperate efforts to approach Galatz. For 10 days the Teutonic forces have been unable to make much progress out of Bralia toward Galatz.

Teutons Take Vadeni.

Berlin, Jan. 16.—Capture by storm in hand to hand encounter of the village of Vadeni, the last city held by Russian forces south of the river Sereth, is announced in the latest official statement. The capture was effected despite unfavorable weather conditions.

North of the Susita valley, the statement said, recently captured German positions were attacked by Russian and Rumanian forces, but the enemy was everywhere repulsed.

"North of the Somme lively artillery fire continues," says the report on the western front operations. "While at several places advances by hostile patrols were repulsed, our reconnoitering detachments in successful enterprises brought in prisoners and machine guns."

WIFE, SUED FOR DIVORCE, GETS BUSY WITH PISTOL

"Cleans Up" Store Where Husband Is Employed—Spouse Shot Through Hips—Porter Hit.

Chicago, Jan. 16.—Angered because of her husband's pending suit for divorce and declaring that he had failed to support her and two chidren, Mrs. Dora Selcer entered the Gage Hat company's store where her husband, William Selcer, is employed, with the avowed intention of cleaning up the establishment.

When she ceased hostilities Selcer lay on the floor with a bullet through his hips; William P. Allison, porter, had one arm shattered and a half dozen customers and clerks were peering cautiusly around corners of adjoining buildings.

The belligerent wife is under arrest and the divorce hearing postponed.

NAVAL FIGHTER NEAR DEATH

Admiral Dewey, Hero of Manilla Bay Reported Sinking.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Admiral Dewey's death is expected momentarily, according to a bulletin issued Monday afternoon by his attending physician, Dr. A. M. Fauntleroy.

After an irrational night, the hero of Manilla bay began to decline.

Admiral Dewey was at his office daily until he was taken sick last week. The day after Christmas he celebrated his seventy-ninth birthday with a reception in his office at which Secretary of the Navy Daniels and all the ranking officers in Washington were present.

U-Boat Sighted May Be Deutschland.

New York, Jan. 16.—News that an unidentified submarine was moving westward in the Atlantic as late as last Thursday morning has just been brought to port here by the British freight steamship Clematis in from Bordeaux, France. Persons on the freighter thought the undersea boat might be the German submarine merchantman Deutschland on a third voyage to America. The stranger made no move to attack the Clematis, which was at the time approximately 800 miles east of Newport, R. I.

RECALL OF TROOPS NOW IN MEXICO IN WEEK IS FORECAST

WITHDRAWAL OF PERSHING'S EXPEDITIONARY FORCES BY WAR DEPARTMENT IS RUMORED—NEW PROGRAM EFFECTIVE.

MILITIA GUARD TO QUIT BORDER BEFORE MARCH 1

Administration Plans to Strip Territory According to Announcement in Washington — Policies Include Sending Ambassador Fletcher to Mexico City at Once.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The administration plans to strip the border of its militia guard before March 1, it has been announced authoritatively. General Pershing's withdrawal from Mexico is slated for an early date.

Early Recall Seen.

Washington, Jan. 14.—General John J. Pershing's expeditionary forces may be recalled from Mexico by the war department within a week.

Reports were current in official circles here that a military movement looking to the immediate withdrawal of the Pershing army from Mexico and the withdrawal of the national guard forces remaining on the border would be ordered soon.

War Office Besieged.

Many inquiries were made at the war department by members of congress who refused to discuss the information, if any, which they received.

It is stated that following the final American-Mexican peace commission session in New York, the administration will put into effect as soon as possible its new policies toward Mexico.

To Send Ambassador.

These policies, in addition to providing for the withdrawal of General Pershing's column and the relieving of probably all the border militia, include sending Ambassador H. P. Fletcher to Mexico City.

Fletcher, appointed months since to that position, has been drawing his salary, but never has been sent to his post.

TO TRANSMIT TO BERLIN ENTENTE ALLIES' REPLY

President Laying Plans for New Move—Undecided As to Inquiry Regarding Teuton Attitude.

Washington, Jan. 15.—President Wilson has decided to transmit to Germany the reply of the Entente Allies to his peace appeal. He has not decided, so far as can be learned, whether to send with the Allies' note an inquiry concerning Germany's attitude toward further peace negotiations in view of the Entente answer.

The president denied a few days ago that he contemplated sending another note to the belligerents. He allowed only cursory consideration of the reply at the cabinet meeting, but thereafter discussed the situation with Secretary of State Robert Lansing for two hours.

KAISER IN PROCLAMATION SAYS "IT'S FIGHT TO END"

Declares Allies Have Dropped Mask and Revealed Plan to Crush Germany and Enslave Europe.

Amsterdam, Jan. 15. — The Allies' purpose to crush Germany and enslave Europe is now made clear, but as they have failed in 30 months of bloody war and "unscrupulous economic" fighting to subjugate the Teutonic powers, so will their future efforts fail.

Kaiser Wilhelm thus summed up his belief of the Allies' position in a "proclamation to the German people." In it he declares his people were "ready for all sacrifices" and asserted his confidence in "full victory over all the enemy's lust for power and rage for destruction."

BERLIN TALK RIGHTLY QUOTED GERARD SAYS

Washington, Jan. 15.—The wireless report that Ambassador Gerard had said at a recent Berlin banquet that relations between Germany and America were never better since the war started than at present is substantially correct, according to word from Gerard to the State department.

Deputies Battle Blackmailers.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Jan. 15.—Deputy Sheriff George Gillapey lies in a precarious condition and Roland Barbee is in jail as the result of a pitched battle in the dark at Oscar Lawson's farm, near Oakland, this cunty. Twenty-seven bullet holes were counted in doors of the driveway at the barn where the battle occurred. Lawson received blackmail letters instructing him to place $300 in currency in the feed grinder in the barn, under penalty of burned buildings, and three officers lay in wait for the blackmailers.

SHE TURNS HER BACK ON SOCIETY

Wealthy St. Louis Matron Is Touched by the Misery Around Her.

TO TRY CHARITY WORK

Young and Pretty Woman Decides That Her Life's Work Must Be That of Caring for Poor and Needy.

St. Louis.—Mrs. Lucile Bernheimer Lowenstein, a wealthy young widow of this city, who has been spending her time and money freely in helping to prepare a code of state laws that will govern with a kindly and sympathetic interest the lives and destinies of destitute children, the deaf, feeble-minded, the delinquent, insane and others of the less fortunate members of the human family, chose the work of charity above that of society, rounds of pleasure and a life of luxuriant ease, simply because she was touched by the misery that she saw about her and decided that her life would be devoted to the dispensing of aid and the administering of philanthropy.

Prepares for the Work.

In order to prepare herself for the work, Mrs. Lowenstein studied for two years in the New York School of Social Economy to perfect herself for work in her chosen field. Returning to her native city, she plunged into the study of conditions existing among the poor and friendless, forsaking all social functions, parties and entertainments in order that she might devote all her time to the work she had undertaken. Mrs. Lowenstein says:

"We are working toward an end that will mean salvation for the children of the poor and of the delinquents. They will have a chance to become useful citizens. Their education will be cared for and everything possible will be done to give them the right outlook and bring them to the realization that the world is not against them. The fact that Missouri is the first state to undertake the work makes it doubly important that there be no failure here.

Chose the Work of Charity.

Children's Court.

"Every county will have a children's court, to which all children who break the law will be brought. No child will be left in a common jail with adults, and no destitute child will be confined in state reformatories with delinquents. Boys under eighteen no longer will be committed to the penitentiary, and adults responsible for the delinquency of a child will be dealt with by the same tribunal that disposes of the child's case.

"The education of the blind, the deaf, the feeble-minded, and the epileptic will be placed under the state department of education. These institutions now are under the direct charge of the heads of the separate organizations with no means of inspection.

HUNG ON WITH CRUSHED LEG

Man Swing From Trestle With Bad Wound to Avoid Further Injury.

Cathlamet, Wash.—With one leg crushed, P. Gossard, a brakeman for the Portland Lumber company, held himself suspended from the ends of the ties of a 40-foot trestle to save himself from being crushed by plunging to the bottom of the canyon. The accident occurred late the other afternoon, when the two engines were making a transfer of loads. A truck loaded with logs jumped the track, throwing Gossard between the brakebeams, crushing the leg so badly that the attending physician amputated it at once.

To save himself from further injury, the plucky man lowered himself over the edge of the trestle and, despite his injury, remained in that position several minutes until help arrived. He was taken to a Portland hospital.

Five Boys Killed in Cave-In.

West Baltimore, Md.—Five boys were buried alive in the cave-in of a sandbank here. Four were taken out dead and the fifth, Frank Davis, aged fourteen years, was so badly crushed that his death occurred a few hours later.

SYRUP OF FIGS FOR A CHILD'S BOWELS

It is cruel to force nauseating, harsh physic into a sick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Adv.

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ABOUT THE MAN WHO SMOKES

He Consumes Much Tobacco, But Not Nearly as Much as Man Who Chews.

We smoke more than three times as many cigarettes in this country as cigars, but we burn up twice as much tobacco in the cigars as in the cigarettes.

A pound of tobacco will make nearly six times as many cigarettes as cigars. So it seems that the man who smokes only three cigars a day is using the equivalent of 18 cigarettes.

Often we flatter ourselves that the habit of chewing tobacco is passing out, it isn't. More tobacco is "chewed" every day than is smoked in the shape of cigars, Girard asserts in the Philadelphia Record. Indeed, chewing tobacco weighs almost as much as the cigars and cigarettes together.

More cigars are made in Philadelphia than in any other city on earth, and our manufacturers are swamped with work. They are many millions of cigars behind in filling orders. Oh, yes, prices are going up in some directions so that it costs more than ever before to come within the class thus described by Bulwer-Lytton: "The man who smokes thinks like a sage and acts like a Samaritan."

Martial Loyalty.

"Here's a woman who has chased her recreant spouse across the Atlantic twice."

"She evidently believes it is a wife's duty to follow her husband."

Favored by Circumstances.

"Wonderful time that aviator made!"

"Yes," replied Mr. Chuggins. "But think of the advantage she had. Not a traffic policeman on the entire route."

Before Drinking Coffee, You Should Consider Whether Or Not It Is Harmful

"There's a Reason" for POSTUM

FALLING HAIR MEANS DANDRUFF IS ACTIVE

Save Your Hair! Get a 25 Cent Bottle of Danderine Right Now—Also Stops Itching Scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scurf.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its luster, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, luster and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance; an incomparable gloss and softness, but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp. Adv.

H. C. L. FILLS ORPHANAGES

Parents of Poorer Class Are Forced to Give Up Children in Oakland, Cal.

Not "war babies" perhaps, but "high-cost-of-living babies," are one of the more affecting manifestations of the inability of poorer folk to get along against the odds of rising prices; and as a result Oakland is facing the pathetic situation of an overproduction of abandoned children, the San Francisco Bulletin announces.

In several orphanages of the city the increase in children whose parents can no longer feed them has became so marked as to create a serious problem for the social workers.

At the Ladies' Relief Society orphanage there are 108 tots left in the care of the nurses, as against 54 two years ago. Of these parentless youngsters, 84 are more than four years old and 24 are under that age. Most of them have parents living who come to visit them just often enough to keep them from being adopted.

"The high cost of living is telling in a most touching manner," a director of the Ladies' Relief home said. "We would establish more beds if people weren't being pressed so hard for aid for the Belgians, Poles, Serbians and other more dire sufferers from the terrible war. Our babies might be called 'war babies,' too, for it is partly the condition brought on by the war that is making many of them institution children."

Contrary Methods.

"How are you going to learn to drive your motor car?"

"I am going to employ a coach."

Russian women predominate among foreign-born students of their sex in Paris.

When Work Is Hard

That kidney troubles are so common is due to the strain put upon the kidneys in so many occupations, such as: Jarring and jolting on railroads, etc. Cramp and strain as in barbering, moulding, heavy lifting, etc. Exposure to changes of temperature in iron furnaces, refrigerators, etc. Dampness as in tanneries, quarries, mines, etc. Inhaling poisonous fumes in painting, printing and chemical shops. Doan's Kidney Pills are fine for strengthening weak kidneys.

A North Dakota Case

T. A. Matehke, Hillsboro, N. D., says: "My back was so lame, I could hardly work and I had headaches and dizzy spells. I was nervous, run down and discouraged. After the doctor failed to help me, I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and they not only rid me of kidney trouble but helped me in every way. I give them all the credit for my cure."

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OPPORTUNITIES THAT ARE MISSED

Why Wait? Why Not Go to Western Canada Now?

The writer has frequently heard the remark that "after the war we will go to Western Canada." It does not occur to those making the remark that if they wish to secure lands in Western Canada, whether by homestead or purchase, the best time to go is now. After the war the welcome will be just as hearty as ever, but the chances are that land values will increase and today homesteads are plentiful and land is reasonable in price. There is no question about what the land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta will do, what it will give under proper cultivation.

Farmers in Western Canada are paying for their land holdings with the proceeds of last year's crop. That this is no idle statement may be gleaned from the three following items, which are picked out at random:

"In the spring of 1916 a half-section of land was offered for sale at $17.00 per acre. There were 105 acres of summer-fallow, which because the owner could not at the time find a buyer, were seeded to wheat. A yield of 40 bushels per acre, 4,200 bushels all told, grading No. 1, was obtained. The price the day the grain was sold (which was very early in the season, before grain prices advanced to round about $2.00) was $1.60, which brought the handsome total of $6,720.00. Three hundred and twenty acres at $17.00 equals $5,440.00, so that a buyer, by placing less than half of the whole under crop, would have made a profit of $1,280.00." — Robson Messenger, Robson, Sask.

"That the Indiana Boys' farm this year raised sufficient crop to pay for the land, all the machinery and all overhead expenses as well as make a handsome profit, is the information given by N. B. Davis, the manager. The wheat yield was over 22,000 bushels. Of twelve cars already sold, nine graded No. 1, and Mr. Davis has sold over 2,600 bushels locally for seed at $2.00. Naturally, when he gets to Indiana he will be a big booster for Alberta."—Bassano Mail, Bassano, Alta.

"Oscar Castalor, who bought land at Blusson after the crop had been put in last spring, for $3,800.00, has threshed 3,900 bushels of wheat, which is worth at present prices about $7,500.00. He refused an offer of $5,000.00 for the land after the crop had been taken off."—Lethbridge Herald, Lethbridge, Alta.

Reports from the wheat fields are highly encouraging and show that the wheat crop of many farmers in Western Canada was highly satisfactory.

Coblenz, Sask.—W. A. Rose has threshed an average of 33 bushels per acre and 83 bushels of oats.

Gleichen, Alberta.—Up to date 237,812 bushels of grain have been received by local elevators, of which nearly 180,000 bushels were wheat. Seventy-one cars of grain have already been shipped.

Stoop Creek, Sask.—James McRae has threshed 5,400 bushels of grain, 2,000 bushels of which were wheat, grading No. 1 Northern. One field averaged 44 bushels per acre, and a large field of oats averaged 88 bushels.

If information as to the best location is required, it will be gladly furnished by any Canadian Government Agent, whose advertisement appears elsewhere.—Advertisement.

The atmosphere of the home in which the wife puts on more airs than the husband can afford is never what it should be.

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Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Adv.

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The odds in favor of marriage are two to one.

SPEARERS CATCH MILLIONS OF FISH

PROFESSIONALS AND AMATEURS PROSPER AS RESULT OF THE FLOOD LAST SPRING.

CROWD EAGERLY TO HOLES

Finny Tribes Which Remained in Shallow Sloughs When Waters Recede Become Easy Victims—Many Tons Shipped Daily.

Winona. — The flood which caused enormous damage in the Upper Mississippi river valley last spring is being reflected in the most palmy days professional and amateur fishermen in this section ever have known. Some are earning as high as $50 a day and tons and tons of fish are being brought here daily.

Water broke through the Burlington road's right-of-way which formed a dyke across the river from Winona. A thousand acres of land were inundated and fish by the millions were carried behind the dyke. Much of the water flowed back into the river as the Mississippi gradually lowered, but the fish remained in the newly created sloughs. They became very thickly populated with fish.

When the recent cold weather developed the shallow sloughs froze solidly and in many cases cut off the air for the fish. Suffocating, they crowded eagerly to the first holes in the ice. Here fishermen have been waiting with spears. Hundreds of the holes have been cut and spearers have taken millions of the fish.

Strike to Send Paper Price Up.

Grand Rapids, Minn. — Pulp wood, which has increased 100 per cent in price the past year, may set a new record soon. Paper men who paid $4 to $4.50 a cord for pulp wood two years ago are paying $8 and $9 at present and predict the price may go to $12 and even higher. The increasing cost of the wood will be reflected in the cost of paper. The great scarcity is due to lack of snow in December and the lumberjack strike agitated by the I. W. W.

Virtually no pulp wood was received until the last of December. This left the mills with a greatly depleted stock on hand. When the lumberjacks walked out recently they crippled two big companies that were devoting considerable energy to the cutting of pulp wood. The strike will bring the cutting of pulp wood this month to a minimum.

U. S. Rail Valuation Flayed.

Asserting that many millions of dollars have been extended, but no practical information gained in the Federal valuation of railroads in the United States, D. F. Jurgensen, chief engineer of the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission, has written Clyde B. Atchison, solicitor for the National Association of Railroad Commissioners, urging that vigorous protest be made at once.

Tentative valuations thus far, with possible minor exceptions, Mr. Jurgensen asserts, are based on a false assumption of the property's non-existence and the necessity of its reacquisition, reconstruction and other like items, a premise that he says was strongly condemned by the United States Supreme Court in the Minnesota rate cases.

Appeal for U. S. Canal Aid.

New Ulm, Minn. — One more appeal will be made to Congress for an appropriation to help finance the construction of the proposed canal to connect Big Stone lake and Lake Traverse, to control the flood waters of the Minnesota and Red rivers, before the plans of the Tri-State Flood Control congress, perfected at a meeting here, providing for relief measures by the three states, are put into practice, it was decided.

Should Congress refuse the request, it will be asked to grant the necessary legal power to Minnesota, North and South Dakota to handle the problem, enabling acts will be solicited of the three legislatures, funds will be subscribed from farmers and individuals, and the work on the canal started at once.

For Feeble-Minded.

Minneapolis. — That the women of Minnesota work for legislation that will provide for the compulsory commitment of feeble-minded to custodial care was the plea which Prof. Maria Sanford made in her talk on "Our Duty to the Feeble-Minded" at the regular monthly meeting of the Minneapolis League of Catholic Women.

"Beware of your duty in this matter," she urged. "There are now in Minnesota about 10,000 feeble-minded persons and more than 300 about the community at large unable to be cared for by the state institutions."

Electors Name Dalzell.

St. Paul. — Minnesota's presidential electors placed their party above their appetites. They elected John Dalzell of Morton to carry their vote to Washington over Walter N. Carroll of Minneapolis on the thirteenth ballot after being deadlocked several hours.

Mr. Carroll offered to use the $300 expense allowance to give a big Republican dinner to the electors, state officials and party chiefs. Mr. Dalzell countered with an offer to turn the money over to the Republican committee.

Heads Agricultural Board.

St. Paul.—George Atchison of Mankato was elected president of the Minnesota State Agricultural society at its closing meeting. With the office goes the presidency of the state fair board of managers. Mr. Atchison won against F. W. Murphy of Wheaton by a vote of 162 to 149½. The split vote is explained by the society's method of voting by counties and member associations.

Charles Patterson of St. Paul was re-elected vice president; Mike Holm, judge of probate in Roseau county, was elected member of the board of governors for a two-year term. This is the unexpired term of Thomas H. Canfield of Lake Park, who recently resigned from the board to become its secretary.

Mr. Atchison's victory was explained, according to delegates afterward, by the fact that he had served for nine years as a member of the board and deserved the promotion, whereas Mr. Murphy was a member of the board with two years of his term yet to serve.

Girl Is Potato Champion.

Duluth. — A girl student in the State Normal school at Duluth is the champion potato grower of Minnesota, as determined in the potato growing contest conducted by the University's agricultural extension division. She is Ruth Ehnstrom of Carlton, 18 years old. Prize winners have been announced by T. A. Erickson, state leader of boys' and girls' club work, promoted by the University and the United States Department of Agriculture.

Miss Ehnstrom is a farmer's daughter. She lives on the farm when not in Duluth, and she tills it, too. "When Adam delved and Eve spun" runs the old verse. Miss Ehnstrom doesn't indorse such a division of labor. She likes to delve and does delve—and it pays her. It is making it possible for her to take the normal course, for she is paying her own way. On one-eighth of an acre she grew 55.12 bushels of potatoes last summer.

To Supervise Private Schools.

Charging that the state, while assuming responsibility for the education of its young people, doesn't know to what extent they are being trained in good American citizenship, C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education, advocates state supervision of all private schools in Minnesota. Recommendations concerning this subject have been filed with Secretary W. W. Hodson of the state voluntary commission on revision of laws pertaining to children, but the superintendent will not make public the text of his recommendation until it has reached the commission.

Reserve Bank Prospers.

Minneapolis. — During 1916 the Ninth Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis earned $238,000 as compared to gross earnings of $96,000 in 1915. The total resources of the bank now are $37,487,000. A year ago the resources totaled $16,466,000. These figures are contained in the second annual report of Chairman John H. Rich. The bank paid a dividend of $57,715.

The bank closed the year with about $12,000,000 of earning assets and with an excellent outlook for 1917 business.

Society of Risk Concerns Meets.

St. Paul. — The Minnesota Association of Mutual Insurance companies has concluded its annual convention here. A. E. Anderson, manager of the Cottonwood County Mutual association, gave the association the results of his company's experiences. The company has now outstanding $8,000,000 worth of risks and has a surplus on hand of $58,000. The premium is 15 cents and is based on two-thirds value of real estate or three-quarters' value on personal property.

Sisters Live Together, Die Together.

St. Cloud. — When in their 'teens, Bessie Hicks and her sister, Juliet, agreed to live together all their lives and never to marry. Since then, they had faithfully observed the pact. Three weeks ago both became ill with influenza, and finally both died within a few hours. They were buried together.

Merger Involves Million.

Eveleth. — The Minnesota Utilities company, a Minnesota corporation with an authorized capitalization of $1,000,000, has effected a merger of the Home Electric & Heating company of this city, the Chisholm Electric company of Chisholm, and the Western Electric company of Coleraine.

Fat Man Falls on Smaller Friend.

Albany, Minn. — Math Perne, weighing 250 pounds, and Herman Cooper, 145 pounds, stepped out of a business place here. They slipped on the sidewalk and both fell, the small man being beneath the heavy one. Cooper suffered three fractures to his left leg.

To Enlarge St. Cloud Shops.

St. Cloud. — The announcement that the Great Northern railroad will build additions to its shops here costing $100,000 means that its force of men will be increased from 800 to 1,500 or 1,600 in the near future, officials state.

$300,000 Blaze Hits Rochester.

Rochester. — One of Rochester's oldest and largest business building, the Horton block, has been destroyed by fire, entailing an estimated loss to the building and several store stocks of $300,000. A heavy wind fanned the flames.

Puts Head on Rail to Stop Train.

Fergus Falls. — An unidentified man stopped a Great Northern coast train near Rothsay by putting his head on the rail. The engineer saw him in time to prevent hitting him.

Women of Middle Age

Many distressing Ailments experienced by them are Alleviated by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Here is Proof by Women who Know.

Lowell, Mass.—"For the last three years I have been troubled with the Change of Life and the bad feelings common at that time. I was in a very nervous condition, with headaches and pain a good deal of the time so I was unfit to do my work. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I did, and it has helped me in every way. I am not nearly so nervous, no headache or pain. I must say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best remedy any sick woman can take."—Mrs. MARGARET QUINN, Rear 259 Worthen St., Lowell, Mass.

She Tells Her Friends to Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Remedies.

North Haven, Conn.—"When I was 45 I had the Change of Life which is a trouble all women have. At first it didn't bother me but after a while I got bearing down pains. I called in doctors who told me to try different things but they did not cure my pains. One day my husband came home and said, 'Why don't you try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash?' Well, I got them and took about 10 bottles of Vegetable Compound and could feel myself regaining my health. I also used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and it has done me a great deal of good. Any one coming to my house who suffers from female troubles or Change of Life, I tell them to take the Pinkham remedies. There are about 20 of us here who think the world of them."—Mrs. FLORENCE ISELLA, Box 197, North Haven, Conn.

You are Invited to Write for Free Advice.

No other medicine has been so successful in relieving woman's suffering as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Women may receive free and helpful advice by writing the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. Such letters are received and answered by women only and held in strict confidence.

Unkind Interpretation.

"My fingers are all thumbs."

"I guess they are, at the identification bureau."

Cole's Carbolisalve Quickly Relieves and heals burning, itching and torturing skin diseases. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Heals without scars. 25c and 50c by druggists. For free sample write to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Adv.

Quite in Keeping.

"Did you see where the price of monkeys has gone up?"

"Just like 'em—aping the rest of the world."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

The Reason.

"Why did the founders of our nation take a bald eagle for our emblem?"

"I suppose it was to show we had no use for hairs apparent."

Only One "BROMO QUININE" To get the genuine, call for full name LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. 25c.

Could It Be Pleasant?

Redd—I hear your brother spent the autumn in his airplane.

Greene—Yes, he did.

"Well, I hope he had a pleasant fall."—Yonkers Statesman.

ACTRESS TELLS SECRET.

A well known actress gives the following recipe for gray hair: To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Interested in the Time of Day.

"Is Bliggins obliged to catch a train?"

"No. His wife gave him a gold watch for Christmas."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

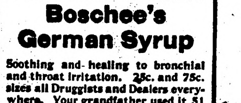
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Something Accomplished.

"My wife went to a beauty doctor to have her complexion cleared."

"Well, was it?"

"No, but my pocketbook was."



Mr. Wise—"Do you know what's good for rats?"
Miss Slowe—"Why, poison, of course."
Mr. Wise—"No, that would kill them—cheese."

Do you know what's good for a cough, throat and lung troubles, that will allay inflammation and insure a good night's sleep with free and easy expectoration in the morning? The answer always the same year after year, is

Boschee's German Syrup

Soothing and healing to bronchial and throat irritation. 25c. and 75c. sizes all Druggists and Dealers everywhere. Your grandfather used it 51 years ago. Try it yourself and see how it stops a hacking cough like magic.

The Army of Constipation Is Growing Smaller Every Day. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are responsible — they not only give relief — they permanently cure Constipation. Millions use them for Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Sallow Skin.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.

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CANCER and Tumors successfully treated (removed) without knife or pain. All work guaranteed. Come, or write for free Sanatorium book Dr. WILLIAMS SANATORIUM 3023 University Av., Minneapolis, Minn.

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"ROUGH on RATS" Ends Rats, Mice, Bugs. Die outdoors. 15c and 25c.

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The New Method

(BY L. W. BOWER, M. D.)

Backache of any kind is often caused by kidney disorder, which means that the kidneys are not working properly. Poisonous matter and uric acid accumulate within the body in great abundance over-working the sick kidneys, hence the congestion of blood causes backache in the same manner as a similar congestion in the head causes headache. You become nervous, despondent, sick, feverish, irritable, have spots appearing before the eyes, bags under the lids, and lack ambition to do things.

The latest and most effective means of overcoming this trouble, is to eat sparingly of meat, drink plenty water between meals and take a single Anuric tablet before each meal for a while.

Simply ask your favorite druggist for Anuric. If you have lumbago, rheumatism, gout, dropsy, begin immediately with this novel treatment.

LOSS OF POWER and vital force follow loss of flesh, or emaciation. These come from impoverished blood. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery enriches the blood, stops the waste of strength and tissue, and builds up healthy flesh.

Thin, pale, puny and scrofulous children are made plump, rosy and robust by the "Discovery." They like it too.

In recovering from "Grippe," or in convalescence from pneumonia, fevers, or other wasting diseases, it speedily and surely invigorates and builds up the whole system. As an appetizing, restorative tonic, it sets at work all the processes of digestion and nutrition, rouses every organ into natural action, and brings back health and strength.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. Constipation is the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. Easy to take as candy.

Check

For Payment At All Times!

Use a check-book.

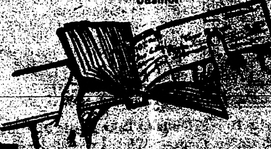
Whether you carry an account with the merchants of our village or make cash payments—the check book offers the safest, easiest and most accurate method of payment.

A check at the end of the month or for each individual purchase gives you a legal receipt for the money paid.

A bank check is a time saver and a money saver to merchants, farmers or home-makers. We invite your account and assure you of careful attention to all your requirements.

Farmers State Bank of Holt

Lars Backe, President   H. M. Johnson, Cashier



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Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction

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No Combination of Reading Like It

Both All For $2.10

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64 Issues and 15c McCall Dress Pattern for $2.10

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THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, St. Paul St., BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

Advertise your wants in The Holt Weekly News

[illegible] Year. Send it to your relatives or friends.

Worthen's Wonder Workers

Great Nerve and Brain Food

Highly recommended for Nervous Debility, Nervous Prostration, Premature Decline, Drainage, Lost Vigor, Reproductive Incapacity, Paralysis and Paralytic Tendencies, Decline of Strength, Premature Old Age, Loss of Ambition, Insomnia, Melancholy, Nervous Dyspepsia, Kidney and Bladder Trouble and Constipation. These tablets will be found valuable in the treatment of Various Debilitating Diseases of men and in the most extreme cases of Nervous Prostration in women.

Guarantee—We will send six boxes of Worthen's Wonder Workers to you for $5.00 and guarantee them to give satisfaction or return the money.

Price $1 a box   6 boxes, $5

Sent by mail on receipt of price

The Worthern Wonder Worker Co.

Boston, Mass., U S A

Greatest Poets.

Homer, Lucretius, Dante, Shakespeare, Goethe, Milton, Shelley, Byron, Tennyson, Browning. Perhaps others might be added. It is largely a matter of taste and temperament—although there is but little room for argument about the first six names.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed and delivered by John F. Tanner, a single man, Mortgagor, to Holt State Bank, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of August, 1915, and with a power of attorney contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of Aug[illegible]

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NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: Lot one (1) of Section Nineteen (19) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) and the East half of the Northeast Quarter [illegible] of Section Thirty [illegible] in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-one (41) West of the fifth principal meridian in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State on the 17th day of February, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Hundred Fifty-one and 52-100 ($151.52), and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars attorney's fees and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1916.

Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota, Mortgagee.

H. O. KJOMME,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Keep Up the Fight.

This alone is thy concern, to fight manfully, and never, however manifold thy wounds, to lay down thine arms, or to take to flight.—Lorenzo Scupoli.

Fully Prepared.

"How is this, Herr Zwetscke! You have got your room full of oleanders and other tropical plants, and a telephone, I see." "You see I have been asked to compose a poem on spring, that is why I have had a telephone laid on the public park to enable me to listen to the singing of the birds."—Der Floh.

Fireproof Wood.

To make wood fireproof, slack a small quantity of fresh lime and add water until it has the consistency of cream; stir well and add one pound of alum, 12 ounces of commercial potash and about one pound of salt. Stir again and apply while hot. Two or three coats will keep wood fireproof for many months.

Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand therein above the turbulence of the waves!—Trinities and Sanctities.

Can't Loose Hair

Twenty Years from Today a Baldheaded Man will be an Unusual Sight

One of the most prominent druggists of America made a statement a few weeks ago which has caused a great deal of discussion among scientists in the medical press. He said: "If the new hair grower, Mildredina Hair Remedy, increases its sales as it has during the past year, it will be used by nearly every man, woman and child in America within 8 years.

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CUT THIS OUT

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Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt Creamery for the month of Dec. 1916.

Cream received	6389 lbs
Average test	[illegible]
Butter fat	[illegible] lbs
Per cent overrun	22.08
Butter made	2007 lbs
Balance on hand last month	33 30
Received for butter shipped	578 30
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 25
Cash sales at creamery	95 37
Rec'd from other sources	23 77
Total	$717 58
Paid patrons by check	607 40
" " Butter & milk	6 25
Expense fund, etc.	21 30
Other expenses	10 87
To sinking fund	11 48
Balance on hand	[illegible] 36
Total	$717 58

Number of patrons, 55

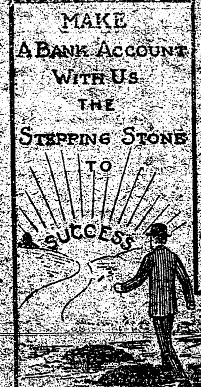
Price paid for butter fat, 40c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

John Simonson $42.05.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

GLAD I COMMENCED EARLY AND KEPT IT UP



Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	3,500

President, D. B. Bakke

V. President, A. D. Stephens

Cashier, B. Docken

MAKE A BANK ACCOUNT WITH US THE STEPPING STONE TO SUCCESS

Youth's Persistent Savings In The Banks Old Age Inherits With Heartfelt Thanks

EVEN ONE DOLLAR WILL BE ACCEPTED HERE AS A FIRST DEPOSIT.

Stand by your home paper --- The Weekly News

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on Tuesday

Date will be announced later

I will visit Holt about every month [illegible] an opportunity to get your dental work done [illegible] expense. My prices are as follows:

Alloy Fillings $1.00   Treatments $1.50

Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00   Porcelain $5.00

Plates $10.00 and up

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Painless Extraction of Teeth Free

When Plates or Bridges are Ordered

Always Come In Early

You'll always find the date of my visit in The Holt Weekly News.

Jewell Hotel

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Here is the Answer in WEBSTER'S NEW INTERNATIONAL

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Easy Way to Reduce Flesh

Drink Hot Water and Take Tassco

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Free Tassco Coupon

The Tassco Co.

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Send me by return mail a box of your wonderful obesity treatment. I enclose 10c in silver or stamps to help pay postage and packing.

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Local Items

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Miss Ruth Owen visited in Middle River Saturday.

A. H. Huseth was up from T. R. Falls between trains, Monday.

Miss Annie Nygaard is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Dr. Turley will be here Monday Feb. 12 th. to do dental work.

Mr. Shaggerud of Albert Lea, visted C. W. Christenson, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Docken and children visited in T. R. Falls Friday and Saturday.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 7:30 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

NOTICE. S. S. Kolden will now pay $4.00 per ton for loose Flax Straw delivered at Holt.

Mrs. Anderson, of the Central Hotel, returned home Wednesday from a few days visit at Cass Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes and baby returned Saturday from a couple of days visit with relatives in T. R. Falls.

H. A. Fosholm and son Henry returned home Wednesday from a few days visit with relatives near T. R. Falls.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

Mrs. A. H. Huseth entertained the three teachers, Prof. Prushek, Misses Lawson and Owen, and Joe Nelson to a six o'clock dinner Tuesday evening. The evening was pleasantly spent in playing games.

Mrs. Geo. Anderson returned home Tuesday from T. R. Falls and reports that her husband is getting along nicely. He has left the hospital but has to have his hand dressed twice every day, so he will not be able to come home for some time yet. We are glad to report the doctor was able to save Mr. Anderson's thumb which will be quite a help to him.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and children and Mrs. Kotbert and little girl, all of Manitoba who have been visiting at the home of the ladies' parents Mr. and Mrs. Hans Knutson departed Monday for a short visit with relatives in Middle River before returning to Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Knutson and daughter Alma accompanied them to Middle River where they also made a short visit returning home Tuesday.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes

Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.

MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

For Sale.

1915 Oats for sale. Enquire of Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.

East Valley

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. O. Rodahl Wednesday.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl will hold services Sunday P. M. at the A. Jahr home.

The Young Peoples Society was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. O. Knutson. A good time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Jahr will entertain the Y. P. S. Sunday Jan. 28th. at 3 o'clock There will be a program including an interesting debate by the older members. Everyone invited.

H. J. Walker, of Golden Valley, was a passenger Tuesday for East Grand Forks.

Chas. Martel and Oscar Norbeck of Mud Lake, were hauling wood to town this week.

Mrs. B. Docken and baby visited her sister Mrs. Spinks in Middle River between trains Saturday.

Renie Werner was obliged to quit work last week on account of a badly swoolen hand, which is better now.

Gen. Pershing has been ordered to bring in his outposts and it looks as though the U. S. army will soon be withdrawn from Mexico.

Newfolden township will vote tomorrow on the proposition of raising $400. to pay their share of the expenses on ditch No. 26.

Getting rid of the sow thistle is one of the questions that will be discussed every day at the Crookston Farm Crops Show Feb. 5th. to 9th.

Fourteen boats and seventy-three lives were lost on the great lakes in 1916. Sixty-seven seamen were the toll of three wrecks, one on Lake Superior and two on Lake Erie.

Ludwig Gullickson went to Crookston Tuesday to take the examination required of section foremen, passing so successfully that he will not have to take the examination again for four years.

One death resulted from the severe snow storm that swept North Dakota Sunday. John Smythe, a farmer of near Alfred, was found frozen to death in a sleigh which his team apparently had brought unguided to his own door.—Duluth Herald.

Fred Ewald returned home Wednesday from visiting friends in St. Paul, Rochester and other points. He reports lots of snow down in that country. In some places it is almost impossible for the train to get thru. Mr. Ewald says that he was compelled to wait 38 hours in Dodge Center for the twin city trains.

At present we are up against the proposition, either comply with the state requirement or discontinue our High school. With a class of about twenty-five graduating each year from our eighth grade, and probably as many more from the nearby rural schools, can we afford to be without a High school? No! and the best is none too good. The cheapest eventually.—Warroad Pioneer.

Snow drifts have no terror for Iver Amundgaard. He has rebuilt a Ford into a snow motor car that travels along ordinary roads at a rapid rate and plows through drifts with little difficulty. The motor is mounted on a heavy set of front bobs, and a set of bind wheels cut down to sleigh gauge are used as propellers. Iver has made several demonstrations with the car and hasn't had to dig it out of a drift yet.—Argyle Banner.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock, sharp.

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 7:30 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

The Ladies Aid will meet Thursday Feb. 1st. and serve lunch in basement. All members will assist with the entertainment. This is the annual election of officers and all members are urged to be present.

Southeast of Holt.

Olaf Olson and family has moved their household goods to the farm which they have rented in Sec. 12 town of Excell. They expect to make their home here for some time.

Armund Sordahl left for Larimore N. D. on Thursday to visit relatives for some time.

Tonnes Michaelson left for Chicago last week to visit with his family.

Mrs. Gutterud was a Sunday visitor with her daughter Mrs. Olaf Olson.

The shareholders of the Excell Union Telephone Company held their annual meeting at the Skomedal school house on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson gave a party at their home on Sunday. The following young people were present: The Misses Olga and Ida Klungness, Alma and Clara Soiney, Lesa and Landa Olson, Thora Moe and Signora Sandbo. The Messrs Ludvig Olson, Nathan and Walter Soiney, Alfred and Peter Klungness, Harry and Simon Moe. A delicious six o'clock dinner was served and the evening was enjoyably spent. All present reported a very enjoyoble time.

The Red Lake Falls elevator expects to have a car of shelled corn for sale on track, next week.—H. J. Oien, Agent.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will hold their annual meeting in the church; Thursday Feb. 1st. for election of officers, reports etc. Lunch will be served for all. COME.

Last week Monday the old frame school building in Warroad was destroyed by fire. It was being used by the Agriculture, Domestic Science, Manual Training and Physic departments of the high school. Loss of building and equipment, $9,000, insurance $4,000!

The offer of the Youth Companion and McCall's Magazine both for a full year and a 15c McCall Dress Pattern all for only $2.10 will be withdrawn March 31st, on account of the high price of print paper, ink etc. Read their ad in this paper and send us your subscription to day.

The Sixth Annual Farm Crops Show which has been a great school of instruction for the people generally of the Red River Valley will be in session again in Crookston, Feb. 5th to 9th. The executive committee is planning even greater and more varied entertainment and profitable features than in the past.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

New Bank Building.

The Holt State Bank have decided to build a brick bank building on the present site, work to commence as soon as the weather will permit. The building will be fifty feet long with full size basement and will be furnished with all the latest up-to-date bank fixtures, and will be a great improvement to our little village.

The News wishes to congratulate the bank officials on this evidence of their prosperity and the progressive spirit they have shown.

Lars Ring was a business visitor in T. R. Falls, Monday.

The school board of Newfolden are making plans to build a $20000. brick school house.

Holger Hongaard, of Stranquist, visited Saturday with C. W. Christianson and family.

Miss Esther Sorter left Thursday for Minneapolis where she will visit relatives until spring.

A big crowd attended the young people's meeting at the Gunheim home Saturday evening.

Olaf Klevin from east of Golden Valley was a business caller in Holt Tuesday and Wednesday.

Ben Eide came down from Spooner Saturday for a few days visit and reports all quiet in the woods.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson drove over to Newfolden Sunday and visited at the Arvid Carlson home.

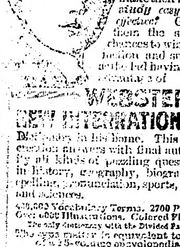
Miss Lizzie Hanson went to Red Lake Falls Thursday to spend a short time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lund.

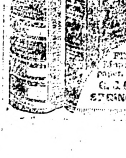
Game wardens say that the birds and prairie chickens should be fed while the snow is deep, as they are in danger of starving.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Evenson on Wednesday, Jan. 24th. Congratulations are extended to the happy parents.

Word was received yesterday from Dr. R. L. Olson, at the hospital in Grand Forks, that he is feeling better and is getting along as well as could be expected.

Miss Flora Culver who teaches in Dist. No. 58 was obliged to return to her home in T. R. Falls for two weeks on account of sickness. Miss Laura, her sister, taught for her during her absence. Miss Flora returned to her school duties yesterday and her sister returned to her home in T. R. Falls.





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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. January 17, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Ole A. Christenson, of Holt, Minn., who on March 19th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05141, for Lot 9, SE 1-4, SE 1-4 Sec. 2, SW 1-4, SW 1-4 Sec. 1, and NW 1-4, NW 1-4, Sec. 12, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Middle River, Minn., on the 12th day of March, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Hans Stensrud, Henry Stensrud, S. G. Svenkeson and Ole J. Moen, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Company, of Holt, Minn., will be held in the M. W. A. Hall, Saturday Jan. 27th, '17 at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year and to transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Willie Bakke visited over Sunday with his folks in T. R. Falls.

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

Are you making use of the State Free Traveling Libraries? Books for the asking at the Holt State Bank.

The creamery board met yesterday to examine the books and audit their accounts for the annual meeting tomorrow.

If speakers are desired for farmers meetings of any kind, they can be had by making early requests to the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston. Can we not have some farmers meetings here?

Seventeen premiums amounting to $175.00 are being offered for the best displays of potatoes at the Farm Crops Show in Crookston, Feb. 5 to 9. Also 16 premiums for wheat, 12 for oats, 10 for barley, and 4 each for alfalfa, clover, rye and flax.

Announcements regarding students short courses in farm Husbandry, Stock Raising, Gasoline and Tractor Engineering and Dressmaking are being sent out by the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and will be mailed to anyone who makes application for them.

Wrong Position for Sleep.

Sleep cannot knit up the raveled sleeve of care or do any other reparative knitting, if the head is bent sharply to an acute angle with the collar joints. Frequently men and women who have slept in this supposedly objectionable fashion for years and years suddenly lose the capacity for sleep with no new discoverable reason. It is difficult to convince them that the elasticity and resiliency of youth has heretofore made up for their lifelong awkward pose.

A Smooth Hairless Skin for Women.

From Beauty Secrets

With the aid of a plain medol paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with powdered medol. This is applied to the hairs not wanted and after 2 or 3 minutes rubbed off and the skin washed. When every trace of hair will have vanished. When you go to your druggist for medol be sure you get the genuine article, and if he will not supply you, the American Proprietary Co. of Boston, will send you a 50c [illegible]

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.72
Wheat No. 2	1.67
Wheat No. 3	1.58
Wheat No. 4	1.41
Flax	2 68
Oats	46
Barley	61 to .87
Rye	1.24
Flour, Best Patent	5.25

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The annual meeting of the Holt Farmer's Creamery Co., will be held Saturday Jan. 27th.

See our merchants when in need of winter goods. They will sell you cheaper, not than the catalog firms.

Free scholarship are being offered by the Northwest School of Agriculture, at Crookston. Write them direct for full information.

Dr. J. T. Turley, the dentist, will make his regular trip here during February. He is opening an office in Duluth and is too busy to come here this month.

Early Slave-Holding State.

Maryland [illegible] holding colony, for in 1642 Governor Calvert bargained with a certain shipmaster for the delivery of 13 African "slaves."

Can't Loose Hair

Twenty Years from Today a Baldheaded Man will be an Unusual Sight

One of the most prominent druggists of America made a statement a few weeks ago which has caused a great deal of discussion among scientists in the medical press. He said: "If the new hair grower, Mildredina Hair Remedy, increases its sales as it has during the past year, it will be used by nearly every man, woman and child in America within 8 years

When Mildredina Hair Remedy is used almost universally, dandruff will disappear and with its departure baldness, itching scalp, splitting hair and all scalp diseases will follow and twenty years frim now a bald will be a rarity

There is only one way to cure dandruff, and that is to kill the germs. There is only one hair preparation that will kill the germs and that is Mildredina Hair Remedy. This unusual hair restorer with its record of thousands of cures will grow hair on any head where there is any life left; it will cure dandruff, stop falling hair and itching of the scalp in three weeks or money back. It is the most pleasant and invigorating tonic, is not not sticky nor greasy and is used extensively by ladies of refinement who desire to have and to keep their hair soft, lustrous and luxuriant. Fifty cents for a large bottle of druggists everywhere. Mail orders filled by American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.

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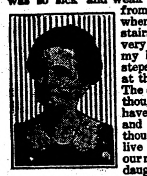
CLIMBED STAIRS ON HER HANDS

Too Ill to Walk Upright. Operation Advised. Saved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

This woman now raises chickens and does manual labor. Read her story:

Richmond, Ind.—"For two years I was so sick and weak with troubles from my age that when going up stairs I had to go very slowly with my hands on the steps, then sit down at the top to rest. The doctor said he thought I should have an operation, and my friends thought I would not live to move into our new house. My daughter asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she had taken it with good results. I did so, my weakness disappeared, I gained in strength, moved into our new home, did all kinds of garden work, shoveled dirt, did building and cement work, and raised hundreds of chickens and ducks. I cannot say enough in praise of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and if these facts are useful you may publish them for the benefit of other women."—Mrs. M. O. JOHNSTON, Route D, Box 190, Richmond, Ind.



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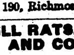

Real Unhappiness.

The most unhappy man in the world is he who is not patient in adversity.

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Cuticura Is Best—Samples Free by Mail to Anyone Anywhere.

An easy, speedy way to remove pimples and blackheads. Smear the affected surfaces with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water, bathing some minutes. Repeat night and morning. No better toilet preparations exist.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

MONROVIA NOT UGLY CITY

Unprosperous and "Shiftless," But Still in Many Ways a Place of Attraction for the Tourist.

The one word that describes Monrovia is "shiftless." Here came the former negro slave in the early eighties, backed by philanthropists who wanted to see him given a chance in his own country. And here is the former negro slave today, idling away his life in the tropical luxuriance of the jungle, which feeds him without cultivation, and watching his one big chance fall to ruins.

After all, the negro can hardly be blamed if he fails in a task that has tried the nerves of white men. Colonizing Liberia has not been all a delightful experience. There are still many lions, leopards, and snakes in the jungle, which make road-building a dangerous occupation, and occasionally the interior tribes of negroes get obstreperous and eat a couple of their civilized brethren.

Monrovia is pitiful, but not ugly. Over all its shabbiness and decay grow the scarlet hibiscus, pink oleanders and other tropical flowers, decorating with their brilliant blossoms the corpse of a fine ideal.

Force of Business Habit.

"That man has such a pushing manner."

"It is not surprising when you stop to think he manufactured electric buttons."

There has been

No Increase

In the price of

Grape-Nuts

Nor

Any Decrease

In the

Size of Package

Or Quality

Of the Food.

FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

WAR NEWS.

The sinking of the British warship Cornwallis by a submarine in the Mediterranean was announced by the admiralty. Thirteen men from the Cornwallis are missing and are believed to have been killed by the explosion.

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It is officially announced that the Italian battleship Regina Margherita struck a mine and sank December 11. Six hundred and seventy-five men on board perished. Two hundred and seventy were saved.

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A raid on the Anatolian coast by a Russian squadron is reported in a dispatch from Petrograd. The Russians sank forty Turkish sailing vessels which were carrying food to Constantinople.

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Lieutenant General Bandini, commander of the Albanian expeditionary corps, was among those lost aboard the Italian battleship Regina Margherita, which was sunk by a mine December 11.

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In the mountainous section of Moldavia attempts by the Russians and Roumanians to recapture lost positions by means of counter-attacks were all repulsed, the Berlin war office announced.

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Dr. Alfred Zimmerman, the German foreign minister, announced at Berlin that, in his opinion, the entente reply to President Wilson's peace note, bars the possibility, for the present, of further German steps to bring about peace.

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A German commerce raider for the last month has been working havoc in the Atlantic ocean on entente allied shipping. During the period from December 12 to January 10 twenty-four vessels were captured by the raider, and it is presumed that most of them were sunk.

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According to the Overseas News Agency, from the beginning of the war up to December, 1916, a total of 2,577 French and Belgian civilians had been killed by Anglo-French shells and bombs from airplanes. In 1916 147 children of less than 15 years of age were killed and 360 children were wounded.

GENERAL.

The freight car shortage which in November was becoming increasingly serious has decreased nearly fifty per cent since that time according to figures for January 1.

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Plans for the erection at Cody, Wyo., of a life-size equestrian statue of Colonel William F. Cody "Buffalo Bill," who died recently in Denver, have been launched by city officials. The monument will cost $25,000.

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Admiral George Dewey, the nation's Spanish war hero and by priority of grade the ranking naval officer of the world, died at his home in Washington, D. C. Admiral Dewey was born in Montpelier, Vt., December 26, 1837.

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A union of news writers as one means to avoid misrepresentation of labor in the daily press was suggested by Hugh Frayne, of New York, state organizer for the American Federation of Labor, before the Labor Publicity organization at New York.

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The Japanese battle cruiser Tsukuba was destroyed by an explosion in the harbor of Yokosuka. Fire on the Tsubuka caused the magazine to blow up. One hundred and fifty-three members of the crew were killed and 157 injured.

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Wyoming will vote in 1918 on a constitutional amendment providing for prohibition. A bill prviding for submission of the question to the people of the state has passed both houses of the legislature and has been signed by the governor.

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The upper house of the South Dakota legislature after a heated discussion passed a bill providing for the resubmission of the equal suffrage amendment to the state constitution at the next general election.

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The financial statement of Armour & Co., for the year ending October 28, 1916, shows gross sales of $525,000,000, as compared with $425,000,000 the previous year, and net profits $27,000,000, against $18,000,000 the year before.

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Federal agents seized the books of the Chicago butter and egg board and will conduct an investigation to learn whether that body has violated the order issued by Judge Landis in 1914, restraining it from fixing prices.

The Wyoming senate passed a bill submitting prohibition, as a constitutional amendment, to the people of the state in 1918.

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During the hunting season which began September 15, and ended January 15, ten hunters met violent deaths in the state of Washington.

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The ashes of Joe Hillstrom, who was executed last year for murder, were scattered from small balloons over the countryside near Salt Lake City, Utah, after a memorial service in the city hall plaza.

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Another new British loan amounting to $250,000,000 will be floated in this country by J. P. Morgan & Co. This is the third floatation including the Anglo-French, of British loans in the United States since the outbreak of the war.

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Deer are being killed in such numbers in the United States that the day is not far off when none will be seen outside of the state estuaries and parks, Dr. William T. Hornaday, director of the Zoological park at New York declared.

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Judge J. H. Brady of Kansas City has put into effect in the police court a new idea among deterrents for wife beaters. Hereafter, the judge announced, every man convicted before him of beating his wife will have his picture taken and posted in the city hall lobby, with his name and court record.

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Sixty years in prison was the sentence imposed upon Lee Whithers, negro convicted of committing a murderous assault upon two Council Bluffs women, several months ago. In pronouncing sentence, Judge A. B. Thornell remarked that if the crime had been committed south of the Mason and Dixon line it is likely the case would never have come to trial.

MEXICAN TROUBLE.

The Villa chief Zeferino Moreno and sixty followers were killed in the fight on January 10 at Pilar De Conchos, forty miles north of Parral.

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Reinforcements from the south totalling 1,000 men under command of General Diegues have arrived at Torreon, Mexico, to assist the Carranza garrison there campaigning against Villa bandits.

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It was stated in Mexico City by men high in the councils of the provisional government, that the result of the conference between the Mexican and United States commissioner, has been most satisfactory to Mexico.

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The Mexican-American joint commission, which failed to effect an adjustment of the questions at issue between Mexico and the United States after a series of conferences that began four months ago, has been dissolved.

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General Pablo Gonzales with de facto forces defeated a column of Villa followers at Pilar De Concho, sixty miles west of Santa Rosalia and forty miles north of Parral, it was officially announced. Many Villa prisoners were captured and the Villa losses were said to have been heavy.

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General Frederick Funston, on his return to Columbus, N. M., from a visit to the pnitive expedition in Mexico, expressed the opinion that the menace of border raids by Mexican rebels and bandits has been reduced to such an extent that the regular forces are now sufficient for protective purposes.

WASHINGTON.

Value of farm animals on farms and ranges of the United States on January 1, aggregated $6,680,020,000, the department of agriculture announced. That is an increase of $664,350,000 over their value a year ago.

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The federal white slave law was construed by the supreme court in two specific cases to prohibit interstate transportation of women for any immoral purpose, including private escapades, as well as commercialized vice.

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The house has approved the immigration bill and it has been sent to President Wilson. Whether the bill will be vetoed by President Wilson on account of the literacy test, which in similar bills has led to vetoes, is not known.

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Free distribution of 39,098,239 bulletins, pamphlets, circulars, reports and documents by the department of agriculture was made last year and the government's superintendent of documents sold $22,277 worth of the department's publications.

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An advance list of members of the next house of representatives, prepared by South Kimball, clerk of the house, and made public, gives 215 democrats, 215 republicans, 2 progressives, one prohibitionist, one socialist and one independent.

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Secretary Daniels laid before the house naval committee his tentative plan for spending $18,000,000 to equip government yards for ship building to hasten the strengthening of the navy.

GREAT GAIN SHOWN IN BANK DEPOSITS

COMBINED ASSETS OF STATE INSTITUTIONS $38,426,178 GREATER THAN A YEAR AGO.

GROWTH HELD REMARKABLE

Superintendent Says Figures Show Increases in Cash Reserves and Decrease in Bills Payable—Deposits Near $250,000,000.

St. Paul. — Combined assets of 1,046 state banks in Minnesota December 27, 1916, were $38,426,178.72 greater than those of 971 such banks on December 31, 1915, according to a comparative abstract from statements on those dates under state calls, as made public by F. E. Pearson, state superintendent of banks. The net increase in deposits during the comparative period was $35,889,227.64.

"The growth of deposits is remarkable," Superintendent Pearson said. "The total assets of Minnesota state banks aggregate nearly $250,000,000. Comparison with the tabulation under the last call on November 17, the figures show increases in the percentage of cash reserve and decrease in bills payable, which is very encouraging."

Dairymen Elect Ulrich.

Lake City. — Talks by Thomas P. Cooper of the North Dakota Agricultural Experiment station at Fargo; Forest Henry of Dover, Minn.; F. W. Merrill of Fargo, and Robert S. Seed of Birmingham, Pa., at the thirty-ninth annual convention of the Minnesota State Dairymen's association, drew the largest crowd of the week. Edward H. Ulrich of Biscay was re-elected president at a business session and George P. Grout of Duluth was chosen first vice president F. B. McLaren of Wrenshall, second vice president; Chris Heen of Osakis, secretary, and J. M. Jack of Northfield, treasurer

Interest centered on the last day of the meeting on the boys' dairy cattle judging contest. "Junior Dairy Man's Day" was an innovation in the program of the association and for that reason officials were anxious to learn the interest which would be displayed by the boys.

Two carloads of pure bred dairy cattle, of different breeds and ages, were shipped to Lake City for the contest and demonstration purposes.

Fair Board Re-elects.

Minneapolis. — Thomas H. Canfield of Lake Park was chosen secretary of the 1917 Minnesota State Fair to succeed himself, at the reorganization meeting of the state fair board. He is given the new title of secretary-general manager. Lester T. Banks of Minneapolis was re-elected treasurer of the board. Practically all the 1916 department heads of the state fair were re-elected.

Superintendents of the auto show, girls' camp, ice, poultry and public safety departments are the only 1917 officials to be chosen.

The dates of the 1917 state fair were fixed for September 3 to 8.

Two full memberships and two half memberships to the farm boys' camp were given to the Northwest Minnesota Farm Crops show, at Crookston, to be used as premiums in rewarding deserving boy exhibitors.

Editors at Brainerd.

Brainerd. — The print paper situation was one of the principal discussions at the annual business meeting of the Northern Minnesota Editorial association, held here. The discussion was led by Frank A. Day of the Fairmont Sentinel, who talked on "Prohibitive Paper Prices and the Real Remedy Required." Mr. Day has made an extensive study of the print paper situation and has proposed state-owned mills, as a relief for the present high price of paper. Charles S. Mitchell of Duluth, H. M. Wheelock, president of the association, and Herman Roe, secretary, also talked on the cost problem as related to print-paper.

Cokato Boy Corn Champion.

Cokato. — Verne Johnson of Cokato, 15 years old, is the 1916 champion corn grower of Minnesota. The university so acclaims him. Verne carries off the sweepstakes place, beating several thousand boys who entered the acre yield corn contest last spring. The agricultural extension division of the university supervises this contest. Verne's yield, in dry, shelled corn, was 123.96 bushels on that single acre.

Lawyers Fleece I. W. W. Clients?

Virginia.—City Attorney S. S. Dahl, in the trial of "Vic" Mattson, I. W. W. agitator, on a charge of "loitering with intent to do mischief," declared that "I. W. W. legal sharps are bleeding their clients."

Canadians Stop State Officials.

International Falls. — State Auditor J. A. O. Preus and State Treasurer Henry Rines, on their way from this city to Duluth, were quizzed and for a time threatened with detention by a Canadian immigration inspector here. The state officials had been here conducting a state timber sale. The official demanded Treasurer Rines, who claimed Sweden as his birthplace, show his second papers. At this point Auditor Preus interfered and explained their identity to the representative of the

To Observe 50th Anniversary.

St. Paul. — The University of Minnesota will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of its founding in 1918

The herald of this celebration will arrive on the university campus next April in the person of the Golden Jubilee Gopher, the college annual now being prepared by the class of 1918. The present Junior class plans to spread the gospel of the anniversary this spring and then lead in the celebration next winter.

Since Dr. William Watts Folwell became the first president a half century ago, the university has grown to eleven colleges, ranking with the great educational institutions of the nation, and has conferred 12,650 degrees upon graduates.

Selecting the greatest of these alumni will be a task of the Golden Jubilee Gopher, and one of the anniversary features. Through the Alumni Weekly, the Gopher is asking each of the living alumni to vote on who they think are the five greatest graduates of Minnesota. The greatest in public life, in science, in business, and the greatest woman in any field, will be given distinction in an Alumni Honor Roll in the big annual.

State Developers Meet.

St. Paul. — Drainage and flood control, junior courses in high schools, a state soil investigation and compulsory military training in public schools, four problems pertinently connected with the development of Minnesota, received the concentrated attention of the All-Minnesota Development association at the annual convention held in St. Paul. More than 100 delegates were in attendance.

President Vincent of the University of Minnesota, and Dr. William Watts Folwell, first president of that institution, advocated the beginning of junior courses in high schools, but cautioning against hasty action without proper survey.

The association appointed committees to go before the legislature to advocate remedial steps for flood conditions in the north and also the appointment of a committee to make an investigation of soil conditions.

Good Roads Sentiment Gains.

St. Paul. — That the sentiment for good roads is spreading rapidly in Minnesota is indicated, the State Highway commission says, by the fact that 51 of the state's 86 counties have drawn all the state aid to which they are entitled in 1916. This amounts to $1,370,000.

From 50 to 90 per cent of the cost of a road is paid by the state and from 10 to 50 per cent by the counties. The percentage of counties drawing all their state aid last year was the largest Minnesota has ever known.

Move to Clear River Channel.

Brainerd. — In an effort to prevent the continued overflow of the Mississippi on valuable lands in the upper river country, delegates from Aitkin, Crow Wing, Itasca and Cass counties met here and drew up resolution for presentation to Congress, recommending the clearance of all obstructions in the Mississippi from Pine Knoll, in Aitkin county, to where the Pine river enters. The delegates perfected an organization, with R. A. Stone of Grand Rapids, president.

Pine Scarcity Exaggerated.

Minneapolis. — That the scarcity of white pine is by no means as great as many call it, was the assertion made by J. J. Cummings of Brainerd at the annual meeting of the Northwestern Lumbermen's association. "Figures of the census bureau show that 17 states cut as recently as 1912 from 16,000,000 to 1,225,000,000 feet of white pine," Mr. Cummings said. "Minnesota cut the most, and Connecticut the least among these, but 14 other states cut some."

Reception for Mankato Guards.

Mankato, Minn. — Public organizations have united in preparing a reception for H company, Second regiment, when its members reach their homes after being mustered out at Fort Snelling. The companies from New Ulm, Redwood Falls, Worthington and Fairmont are expected to arrive here with H company and will be guests of the city.

Orders Hibbing Officials Tried.

Duluth. — Major Victor L. Power of Hibbing and Trustees D. D. Haley, B. J. Burrows, John Curran and Rupert Swinnerton of Hibbing, must stand trial on charges of irregularity preferred by the state, at the next session of district court at Virginia. District Judge Bert Fesler of Duluth has quashed a demurrer by the defendants and ordered the cases to trial.

For Beltrami County Division.

Spooner. — Two hundred people attended the Beltrami county division mass meeting at the auditorium here. Joseph Melloney of Spooner was appointed chairman, and V. E. Lindholm of Spooner, secretary. A resolution favoring an amendment to the law of 1913 regarding county division was unanimously adopted.

"Race Depends on Milk Producers."

Lake City. — Declaring that the very existence of the human race depends primarily on the milk producers, J. J. Farrell, state dairy and food commissioner, in an address here before the Minnesota State Dairymen's association, advocated the establishment of local co-operative creameries. The location of the creameries near the source of production would expedite shipment and insure in all probability, the delivery of fresh milk to the cities, the commissioner said.

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An Awakening.

Wife—I dreamed last night that I was in heaven!

Husband—Did you see me there?

Wife—I did—then I knew I was dreaming!—Town Topics.

ACTRESS TELLS SECRET.

A well known actress gives the following recipe for gray hair: To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Cutting Politeness.

"See here," snarled the angry telephone subscriber, "must I stand all day and wait for you to give me a number?"

"No, indeed," replied the operator, sweetly. "Don't let me detain you if you haven't anything else to do."

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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"So you have given up smoking?"

"Well, yes. You might say I have surrendered the habit."

"Why surrender?"

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Good health makes housework easy. Bad health takes all happiness out of it. Hosts of women drag along in daily misery, back aching, worried, "blue," tired, because they don't know what ails them.

These same troubles come with weak kidneys, and, if the kidney action is distressingly disordered, there should be no doubt that the kidneys need help.

Get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands of discouraged women.

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. James Alsbury, 911 Sweet St., Bismarck, N. D., says: "My back bothered me for years and at times was so lame and sore, I could hardly stoop. I had such sharp pains at times, I had to cry out. I didn't sleep well and mornings was all tired out. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me from the first and four boxes made me well. I am now in good health."

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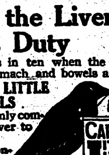
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WILSON OUTLINES PLANS FOR WORLD PEACE IN SPEECH BEFORE SENATE

RECOMMENDS THAT U. S. JOIN LEAGUE OF NATIONS—URGES MONROE DOCTRINE FOR ALL COUNTRIES.

PRECEDENT BROKEN BY EXECUTIVE'S TALK

President Addresses Branch of Congress Separately for First Time Since Jefferson—Declares Self in Favor of Peace Without Victory.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Until Monday no president had addressed either branch of Congress separately since Thomas Jefferson in 1801. In fact, no president addressed Congress in joint session since that time until President Wilson revived the custom in 1913.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Speaking, he said, "for liberals and friends of humanity in every nation and of every program of liberty," President Wilson has just outlined to the United States Senate a program of peace for the world, which he believed would keep all the world safe from future aggression.

He declared that the only peace which can last is a peace based upon "equality and a common participation in a common benefit."

The guarantees exchanged, he said, "must neither recognize nor imply a difference between big nations and small."

Lays Down Basis.

He then laid down the following basis for a lasting peace:

Add the authority and power of the United States to the authority and force of other nations to guarantee peace and justice throughout the world.

A peace founded on an equality of rights. A united, independent and autonomous plan.

So far as practicable freedom to all nations for full development of resources and direct outlet to the great highways of the seas.

Freedom of the seas and limitation of naval and military armament.

Explains Course.

The President explained his course by declaring that it was "inconceivable" that this government should play no part in the "great enterprise" of peace. Owing, he said, to the fact that this government did not wish to withhold its services, he felt the people of the United States were called upon "to state the conditions under which they will feel free to render it."

In closing his address, the President said:

"I am proposing, as it were, that the nations should with one accord adopt the doctrine of President Monroe as the doctrine of the world; that no nation should seek to extend its policy over any other nation or people, but that every people should be left free to determine its own policy; its own way of development, unhindered, unthreatened, unafraid, the little along with the great and powerful.

Avoid Alliances.

"I am proposing that all nations henceforth avoid entangling alliances which would drive them into competitions of power, catch them in a net of intrigue and selfish rivalry and disturb their own affairs with influences intruded from without."

Of some form of a league to enforce peace, the President said:

"There is no entangling alliance in a concert of powers. When all unite to act in the same sense and with the same purpose, all act in the common interest and are free to live their own lives under a common protection."

The President declared these to be the American principles and policy.

"We could stand for no others," he declared.

"Peace Without Victory."

The President declared that "the very explicit assurances" regarding peace, received from belligerents, imply that the peace that comes must be "a peace without victory." Victory, he declared, would be peace forced upon the loser, a victor's terms imposed upon the vanquished.

The President's speech to the Senate is already in the hands of foreign governments, it was officially announced. At the same time it was stated there was no need for press agencies here to cable it, leaving the impression that it was available for publication from the foreign governments.

Seeks Senate Approval.

The step is taken by the President, it is understood, following what was regarded as a suggestion in Sir Arthur J. Balfour's recent communication that the most important question facing the Allies is insurance against "future aggression."

Balfour contended that there must be some international sanction to back up treaties and international agreements in preventing or at least making less probable sudden war outbreaks such as that of 1914.

The President seeks the approval of the Senate in promulgating some international agreement by which peace in the future may be enforced. He regards this as the most important step now possible toward eventually ending the great war.

Prolonged Debate Expected.

With future assurances for safety accomplished, he considers a great step will have been made toward bringing about discussion of terms on which peace may be accomplished.

The President made no request for action by the Senate, but appeared before that body "for counsel" as to how he shall proceed.

Owing to a wide difference of opinion among Senate leaders as to the advisability of this country entering into a league to enforce peace, prolonged and acrimonious debate is expected to follow the President's appearance.

MRS WILLIAM C. ADAMSON

Mrs. William C. Adamson, wife of the chairman of the house committee on interstate commerce, is the most recent congressional bride. Her marriage to the Georgia representative took place during the holidays.

SNOWFALL RECORD SHATTERED

NORTHWEST VISITED BY HEAVIEST SNOWSTORM IN HISTORY.

Wind Reaching Proportions of Gale Is An Accompaniment—Railroad Traffic Paralized.

Minneapolis, Jan. 22. — Minneapolis has just passed through the worst snowstorm recorded since the establishment of a government weather observing station in the Twin Cities 40 years ago. Streets and sidewalks were blocked, street railway service demoralized, passenger train schedules were upset and freight traffic stopped by the violence of the storm.

The storm was general throughout the Northwest with central and southern Minnesota and central South Dakota apparently receiving the most serious portion of it, according to reports received.

Snowfall Record Broken.

The snowfall here was 17 inches. The deepest previous fall on record for the Twin Cities is 14 inches, recorded about 30 years ago in the old St. Paul observation station.

Accompanying the snow was a north wind that often reached the dimensions of a gale, the maximum speed of the wind having been 42 miles an hour. An average of 30 miles an hour was maintained for the time the snow fell. This caused heavy drifting and was in a large measure responsible for the paralysis of traffic conditions, in all directions.

The storm was central over Utah. It moved in a northeasterly direction, toward the Great Lakes region, and has passed over Lake Michigan and is headed toward the eastern provinces of Canada.

West Virginia Rivers Overflow.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 23.—Rivers continued to rise throughout the night in Northern West Virginia, following a heavy downpour of rain on top of a three-inch snow, and reports indicated a heavy property damage. Street car traffic between Fairmount and Mannington has been suspended, while parts of the latter place have been flooded. The lower section of Weston was also inundated. Reports from Elkins said that the Tygarts river was rising rapidly and a flood stage was expected.

National Civic Society Meets

New York, Jan. 23.—Discussion of industrial preparedness, universal military service, international peace, regulation of immigration, and compulsory insurance with executives, labor leaders and noted publicists among the speakers, is on the program of the National Civic Federation's 17th annual meeting here. Memorial services were held for Seth Low, late president, with addreses by Talcott Williams for the public, Frank Trumbull for employers and Gompers for labor.

IN THE MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

BURNQUIST UNDER FIRE FOR FAILURE TO CHECK BUDGET

EXECUTIVE CRITICIZED FOR ALLEGED PLAN TO SEND IN BUDGET WITHOUT MAKING REVISIONS THERETO.

STATE FINANCE PROBE DECISION OF SOLONS

Resolution for Immediate Inquiry in Fnancial Affairs of All Departments Passes House Unanimously, Though Meeting Committee Opposition.

St. Paul, Jan. 20.—Storm clouds are gathering in the legislature following the announcement that Governor Burnquist planned to send in the state budget without having made revisions as required by law.

Legislators who helped pass the budget law in 1915, while withholding definite criticism until the governor's forthcoming message is read, are nevertheless planning to unburden themselves of some strong opinions on the matter.

Leaders said that the first important step in the reform of the state's fiscal system and the method of appropriating money would be nullified unless the revisions were made.

Governor Burnquist may make some eleventh-hour changes in his plans to turn the whole task over to the legislature, it is intimated now.

It is pointed out that the desire of the legislature was expressly stated in the budget law, which requires the governor to revise the estimates. It is known that the governor had his message on the subject prepared some time ago. That he may make some last-minute changes is now considered possible, however.

To Probe State Finances.

An immediate investigation of financial affairs of the various state departments was decided upon when the Minnesota House of Representatives, without a dissenting vote, adopted Representative Anton Peterson's resolution for an inquiry by the House committee on public accounts and expenditures.

The resolution provides for the appointment of two expert accountants and a stenographer to aid the committee in its work.

"Dry" Bill Redrafted.

St. Paul, Jan. 19.—Some of the more drastic features of the proposed prohibition constitutional amendment have just been redrafted at a secret conference of dry leaders of the Minnesota House and Senate.

The provisions in the original draft which would prohibit the transportation of liquor were stricken out. Under the amendment as now constructed, any person could have liquor sent to his own home for his own use from outside of the state.

The bill as first introduced in both House and Senate was patterned after the West Virginia law and was said to be "bone dry." It would not permit any one's even having liquor in his possession.

Decide On Concessions.

In order to satisfy the so-called "political drys," in the legislature, those who would not go the limit in preventing people from purchasing liquor for their own use, the legislators having the constitutional amendment in charge decided to make the concessions.

The conference was held at the Saint Paul hotel. Among the legislators present were Senator Gandrud, who introduced the bill in the Senate; W. I. Norton of Minneapolis, Senator Ole Sageng of Dalton, Theodore Christensen of Dawson, George B. Sutherland of Fairmont, chairman of the House temperance committee, and the Rev. George B. Safford, superintendent of the Minnesota Anti-Saloon league.

For State Insurance Board.

A bill creating a state industrial and insurance board of three members at annual salaries of $5,000 each has been introduced in the Minnesota House by Representatives Henry Holmes of Big Lake, Thomas J. McGrath, St. Paul, and John H. Gill of Virginia.

Under the provisions of the bill the governor is empowered to appoint a board of three members

Admits Farmers By "Proxy."

Farmers "by proxy" are made eligible to membership in the Farmers' Forum, an organization of the farmers of both houses, under rules just adopted at a meeting. The rules define the term, agriculturists.

Hearings on Economy Bills.

St. Paul, Jan. 18.—Public hearings on ten efficiency and economy commission bills for reorganization of the state government will be held daily, beginning Jan. 23. This was determined at a joint meeting.

LEGISLATURE MAY VOTE TO REPEAL PRIMARY ACT

First Step to Reform Election Laws Taken—Opinion Unanimous On Necessity for Change.

St. Paul, Jan. 19.—As the first step in reforming Minnesota's election laws legislators are determined either to repeal or amend the so-called presidential preference primary act.

Indications are that a majority of the lawmakers are willing to wipe the statute off the books.

The amendments of the primary election laws providing for a return to a modified convention system and placing the legislature and county offices back on a partisan basis, are the subjects of many informal conferences.

While there is a unanimity of opinion on the necessity for changing the presidential preference primary, there is an evident fear on the part of some senators and representatives to commit themselves on the changes in the regular primary.

Three Important Bills.

St. Paul, Jan. 18.—Three interesting measures have just been introduced in the Minnesota legislature. They are:

A bill providing that women may vote for president and vice president; introduced in the Senate.

A bill to repeal the boxing law; introduced in the Senate.

A resolution providing for legislative investigation of the affairs of the University of Minnesota; introduced in the House.

Backed by Women.

The bill which would permit women to vote for president and vice president was presented by Senators Frank E. Putnam of Blue Earth and Ole A. Sageng of Dalton.

The measure has the backing of the Minnesota State Woman Suffrage association and smaller organizations. Its introduction has marked the suspension, at least for a time, of the protracted fight to obtain passage of a constitutional amendment granting women full suffrage.

Law Subcommittees Named.

Subcommittees of the house judiciary committee have been named by Chairman Albert F. Pratt and all bills going to the committee will be considered first by the proper subcommittee. Daily sessions of the full committee are to take place an hour before the house meets. The subcommittees are as follows:

Substantive Law—Searls, chairman; Christianson, Davies, Konzen, Swanson.

Pleading, Practice and Evidence—A. M. Peterson, chairman; Levin, Gleason, Hammer, Pattison.

Criminal Law—Mueller, chairman; Howard, Reed, Pittenger, Nordlin.

Constitutional Law—Marwin, chairman; Hammer, Child, Levin, A. M. Peterson.

Probate Courts and Probate Law—Bjorge, chairman; Madigan, Moen, Sudheimer, Bjorklund.

Courts and Court Officers—Madigan, chairman; Ryberg, Bjorge, Frye, Stevens.

Real Property and Curative Acts—Reed, chairman; Stenvick, Ryberg, Norton, J. M. Harrison.

Commercial Law and Uniform State Laws—Child, chairman; Davis, Praxel, Searls, Erickson.

Municipal Corporations—Bjorklund, chairman; Mueller, McGrath, Southwick, Davis.

Corporations Other Than Municipal—Pittenger, chairman; Pattison, Siegel, Solem, Sudheimer.

To Bar So-called "Shysters."

So-called "shysters" and "ambulance chasers" will be removed from the bar under the provisions of a bill introduced in the Senate with two other measures recommended by the Minnesota Bar association.

The three bills will be sponsored by the judiciary committee of the Senate. Five other measures recommended by the bar association were considered, but it was found they already had been introduced.

The bill, aimed to check unethical practices by lawyers, provides for censure, suspension or removal from practice of attorneys who employ runners, solicit business persistently, either personally or by means of circulars, or obtain settlement of personal injury cases for inadequate amounts.

For Fund to Oust I. W. W.'s

As a sequel to Senator E. J. Westlake's resolution offered for a legislative investigation of the I. W. W. disturbances and the labor situation in northern Minnesota, the general legislation committee of the state has introduced a bill providing the governor with a fund of $50,000 to be used in emergencies for the suppression of disorders. The unused portion of the fund each year is to be returned to the general revenue fund of the state.

For State Board of Conciliation.

Representative Knutson of Benson has introduced a bill providing for a state board of conciliation and investigation. The members of the board would be appointed by the governor whenever a strike threatens.

Prohibits Sales On Margins.

Another of the bills advocated by farmer members of the legislature has been presented to the House by Representative A. F. Telgen, and would prohibit the sale of grain or stocks on margin or option.

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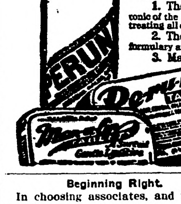

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Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Adv.

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Immigration into Canada has fallen off. The total for the fiscal year ending last March was only 48,537.

Health.

Health is the condition of wisdom and the sign is cheerfulness—an open and noble temper.—Emerson.

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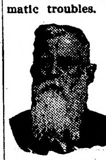

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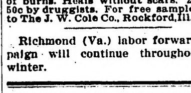
Richmond (Va.) labor forward campaign will continue throughout the winter.



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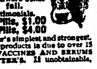

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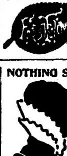

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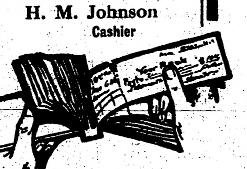

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And whereas, the said Mortgagee has elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of one hundred fifty-two and 52-100 ($152.52) dollars, including such interest, so paid on said prior mortgage, and the taxes paid as aforesaid, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

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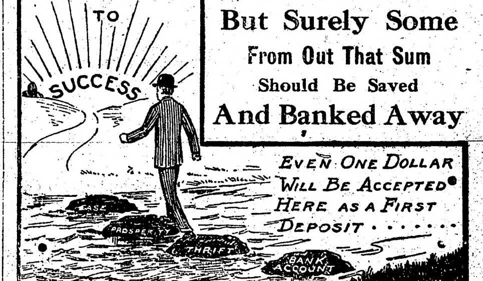
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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Successor to and Continuation of
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Local Items

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

H. R. Ekerdalen was a Thief River Falls visitor last Friday.

The long looked for dynamo finally arrived here Saturday.

Dr. Turlay will be here Monday Feb. 12th. to do dental work.

Mrs. P. O. Reierson visited relatives in T. R. Falls, Friday and Saturday.

NOTICE: S. S. Kolden will now pay $4.00 per ton for loose Flax Straw delivered at Holt.

A. C. Anderson, of the Central Hotel, returned home Saturday from a few days visit at Cass Lake and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hanson and [illegible] Sunday at the home of Postmaster Engerbretsen and family.

B. L. Backe shipped the remainder of his household goods, which were stored in the Kolden building, to Thief River Falls, Tuesday.

K. O. Flakne was a business visitor in Crookston Tuesday and Wednesday.

Lewis Erickson, of Plentywood, Mont., visited Albert Bennes between trains Wednesday.

J. P. Lein was a business visitor in Crookston Tuesday.

Miss Effie Christenson came from T. R. Falls Monday and visited her sisters Mesdames Huseth and Oien between trains.

H. J. Olson came from Warren on Wednesday to set up the dynamo and get the electric lighting plant in running order.

Three wood saws have been trying to keep our village people supplied with wood this cold weather.

Co. Supt. Johnson visited the Holt school Wednesday and left yesterday for visits at the country schools in this vicinity.

Miss Lizzie Hanson returned Wednesday from a few days stay at Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. Oscar Sockness of Greenbush, visited at the home of her cousin, B. Dokken and family, Friday and Saturday.

Bert Olde returned home Saturday from Little Falls where he has been working in the woods for sometime. Mr. Olde was obliged to give up work on account of an injury to his eye, caused by getting a splinter in it.

After several weeks of tiresome waiting for cars, E. T. Eide was finally able to ship two cars of hay on Saturday, two Tuesday, and he still has enough hay left for another car, when he can get it.

Peter Haugen, of Menville, N. D. returned home Tuesday after a few days visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Knutson.

For Sale.

1916 Oats for sale. Enquire of Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.

Free Mission Church

Parents Meeting at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon with the children. Important business, all parents of the Sunday School children are requested to be present. Lunch will be served and all are invited to bring something to eat as requested by the lunch committee.

Returns From Hospital.

Geo. Anderson returned home Tuesday from T. R. Falls and is getting a long as well as could be expected. All are glad to see him again and hope he will have the full use of his thumb and be able to do considerable work.

Dr. R. L. Olson returned home Monday from the hospital in Grand Forks and at the rate he is gaining will soon have his normal strength again, though he is yet weak and somewhat sore from the effects of the operation. All are glad to see him home again and hope he will have good health hereafter.

Trade at home.

Getting rid of the sow thistle is one of the questions that will be discussed every day at the Crookston Farm Crops Show Feb. 5th. to 9th.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

Should you think you have discovered a motor-sled or something of that sort- the chances are you have only seen Willie Bakke on his new snow shoes.

There were 7 fires in Marshall Co., last year with a total loss of $14650. Holt needs a good volunteer fire company to protect the lives and property of its people.

There is time now that can be used to good advantage in planning for the seasons crop. Don't forget that potato patch, also corn if the spring seems favorable.

Some of the markets taken from an old account book of 1824-26, are as follows:

Eggs 4 cents a dozen, butter 8 cts. a pound, pepper 50 cents a pound, sugar 10 cents a pound, whiskey 25 cents a gallon, wheat 40 cents a bushel, muslin 20 to 38 cents a yard, calico 36 to 50 cents a yard, salt 3 cents a pound.—Badger Herald-Rustler.

The Woodmad lodge met Saturday evening and initiated Clarence Larson, after which visiting Neighbor A. R. Jones installed the following officers:

A. L. Carlson, Consul; H. B. Young, Adviser; J. A. Sorum, Banker; P. A. Riesberg, Clerk and Engebreth Moe, Watchman.

After adjournment a feed was enjoyed by all present.

The annual creamery meeting Saturday was a quiet affair, the farmers seemingly not taking enough interest to attend in any great numbers. The old officers were all re-elected, which shows the people are satisfied with the management of the creamery. A good cooperative creamery is one of the very best assets of any community and the Holt creamery should get the cream of every farmer tributary to it. If Holt had no creamery shippers would not get the present prices for their cream and every one would feel the hard times worse than they now do.

Stand by home business men and home industries. It's your duty.

School Notes.

Visitors during the month have been Mesdames Hagberg and Adams and children; Messrs. Saastad, Dahlman, Docken and Ellestad.

Palma Johnson entered the eighth grade here Monday.

Some of the boys in the intermediate room are now having manual training in the form of Sloyd knife work. The work is given once a week by Miss Owen while the rest of the room have drawing.

Two hundred twelve books have been taken from the library during the month of January.

Some new books have been bought with a part of the "social money" and are ready for circulation.

Bulletins and other material on most subjects in agriculture may be had by those who are interested.

Steiner Items

Mr. Hasby is hauling hay these days.

Nat Muzzy is hauling hay from the north farm.

Mr. Warring lost a good horse the past week.

Paul Shanke was a Steiner caller last Friday.

Nick Baker has been hauling hay from Arthur Simonson's.

Emil Ruprie hauled wheat to Steiner last Friday.

Mr. Meyer lost a two year old colt last week.

Renie Werner was a caller at the Rogers home last week.

[illegible] Steiner Saturday.

A few of the young folks spent a very pleasant time at the Rogers home last Saturday evening.

A bunch of boys from this neighborhood skied to the Rosewood farmers club.

It's never too late to reform.

It looks as though Minnesota will vote on state wide prohibition next year.

Clarence Larson, the Golden Valley merchant, was a business visitor in T. R. Falls, Friday.

The U. S. troops have been withdrawn from Mexico, now that they see they can't get Villa.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

Dr. Marion Burton. president of Smith college at Northhampton Mass., has accepted the presidency of the Minnescta University.

With a yield of 49.29 bushels to the acre, Herman Protst, age 13, of Warren, claims recognition as a corn grower. As far as the boys' corn clubs are concerned, he has been given it, for he was awarded one of the ten honors for the best yields in the northern section of the state this year, according to announcements this week from the office of T. A. Erickson, University farm, St. Paul, state leader of boys' and girls' clubs.

A free trip to the Minnesota state fair next fall, when he may live in the boys' club camp under the state leader, was also awarded Herman for making the best record in Marshall county. Sixty-four winners were given free trips to the state fair.—Warren Register.

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Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
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Southeast of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kisch entertained a number of friends Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jacob Klungness and daughter Constance were pleasant visitors at the Ole Peterson home on Sunday.

Mrs. Ed. Hanson will entertain the Ladies Aid on Thursday Feb. 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson attended the Y. P. S. at the Albert Jahr home in East Valley on Sunday.

A number of the young folks met and organized a club at the school house in Dist. No. 159 on Saturday evening. The club was named the "Country Life Club." The following officers were elected: President, Oliver Molstad; V. Pres., Nathan Soiney; Sec'y, Thora Moe; Treasurer, Agnes Hansen. Program committee: Alma Soiney, Gunda Moe, Simon Moe, Albert Molstad. Editor of society paper, Signora Sanbo. Marshall, Harry Moe. Arne Sordahl will act as janitor when meetings are held at school house. A large number have already joined and more are expected.

On Sunday morning at nine o'clock occured the death of Mrs. Mikkel Johnson at her home in Excell township. She was born in Sweden, Feb. 1863, coming to America where she was united in marriage with Mikkel Johnson. To this union nine children were born, all surviving but one daughter.

Funeral services were held at the Johnson home on Tuesday at one o'clock and at the Synod church at 3 o'clock. Rev. Bioenson officiating. Interment was made in the Silver Creek cemetery.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the grief stricken family in the loss of the loving wife and mother.

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D. B. Bakke was here Wednesday on business.

Albert Bennes was a T. R. Falls visitor Tuesday.

A cold wave has certainly struck the northwest country.

The offer of the Youth Companion and McCall's Magazine both for a full year and a 15c McCall Dress Pattern all for only $2.10 will be withdrawn March 31st, on account of the high price of print paper, ink etc. Read their ad in this paper and send us your subscription to day.

The Karlstad Advocate winds up a long article favoring school consolidation, in the following fashion:

"There is only one objection you could have to a consolidated school and that is it might cost you a little more in taxes. How soon would a dollar a year more in taxes bring you to the poor house? Cut out smoking, liquors, candies or some other luxury for a week every year and you would save enough to educate your children in your home school. You live in the present, you can't take your money with you when you die and you should provide for your ultimate future with the Lord. For your children's future you can't give them anything better than an education."

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. January [illegible]

Notice is hereby given that [illegible] A. Christenson, of Holt, Minn., who on March 19th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05141, for [illegible] SE 1-4, SE 1-4 Sec. 2, SW 1-4 [illegible] 1-4 Sec. 1, and NW 1-4, NW 1-4, Sec. 12, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Middle River, Minn., on the 12th day of March, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Hans Stensrud, Henry Stensrud, S. G. Svenkeson and Ole J. Moen, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

A potato warehouse will be built in Viking next summer.

Mr. Holmgren, of Golden Valley, went to Warren Saturday where he expects to run a ru[illegible] livery route.

The Grygla creamery made over 115,000 lbs. of butter last year and distributed $29,282 among the farmers of that locality.

Marshall county isn't the only one that has ditch troubles. Down in Pennington county the farmers are vigorously opposing the digging of judicial ditch No. 39, which will cost $250,000.00.

When an excuse is needed for almost anything under the [illegible] invariably laid to the war. We wonder if the war is too blame for the cold weather and our chill blains.

Miss Steenerson, who has been visiting Mrs. Albert Bennes for some time, departed Monday for a few days visit in Erskine before going to the cities to buy her spring stock of millinery.

Germany commenced a campaign of submarine warfare yesterday and has sent this country a note to that effect.

Game wardens say that the birds and prairie chickens should be fed while the snow is deep, as they are in danger of starving.

Announcements regarding students short courses in farm Husbandry, Stock Raising, Gasoline and Tractor Engineering and Dressmaking are being sent out by the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and will be mailed to anyone who makes application for them.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Dec. 1916.

Cream received	6,552 lbs
Average test	25 54
Butter fat	1673.90 lbs
Percent overrun	21 88
Butter made	2033 lbs
Balance on hand last month	80
Received for butter shipped	668 01
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 64
Cash sales at creamery	47 00
Rec'd from other sources	1 72
Total	$718 60
Paid patrons by check	634 86
" " " Butter & milk	6 64
Expense fund, etc.	61 95
Other sources	72
To sinking fund	10 69
Balance on hand	3 83
Total	$718 69

Number of patrons, 40

Price paid for butter fat, 33 1-2c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

John Simonson $41.04.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

The [illegible]
(Grain prices [illegible] Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of [illegible] every Thursday.)

[illegible]	[illegible]
Wheat No. 2	[illegible]
Wheat No. [illegible]	1.52
[illegible]	1.[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Rye	[illegible]
Flour, Best Patent	[illegible]

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Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence [illegible]

Are you making use of Free Traveling Libraries? Books for the asking at the Holt State Bank.

See our merchants when in need of winter goods. They will sell you cheaper, net, than the catalog firms.

The G. N. is building a 66 foot steel bridge across the Red Lake river, just this side of Red Lake Falls.

The Sixth Annual Farm Crops [illegible] which has been a great school of instruction for the people generally of the Red River Valley will be in session again in Crookston, Feb. 5th to 9th. The executive committee is planning even greater and more varied entertainment and profitable features than in the past.

[illegible] by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

Can't Loose Hair

Twenty Years from Today a Baldheaded Man will be an Unusual Sight

One of the most prominent druggists of America made a statement a few weeks ago which has caused a great deal of discussion among scientists in the medical press. He said: If the new hair grower, Mildredina Hair Remedy, increases its sales as it has during the past year, it will be used by nearly every man, woman and child in America within 8 years

When Mildredina Hair Remedy is used almost universally, dandruff will disappear and with its departure baldness, itching scalp, splitting hair and all scalp diseases will follow and twenty years from now a bald will be a rarity.

There is only one way to cure dandruff, and that is to kill the germs. There is only one hair preparation that will kill the germs and that is Mildredina Hair Remedy. This unusual hair restorer with its record of thousands of cures will grow hair on any head where there is any life left; it will cure dandruff, stop falling hair and itching of the scalp in three weeks or money back. It is the most pleasant and invigorating tonic, is not not sticky nor greasy and is used extensively by ladies of refinement who desire to have and to keep their hair soft, lustrous and luxuriant. Fifty cents for a large bottle of druggists everywhere. Mail orders filled by American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.

CUT THIS OUT

FREE to show how quickly Mildredina Hair Remedy acts, we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this Coupon to American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass., with their name and address and ten cents in silver to pay postage.

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No sick headache, sour stomach, biliousness or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box now.

Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out to-night and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels or an upset stomach.

Don't put in another day [illegible]. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach; remove the sour fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated [illegible] and poison in the [illegible]. Then you will feel great. A Cascaret to-night straightens you [illegible] by morning. They work while [illegible]. A 10-cent box from [illegible] store means a clear head, [illegible] and clean, healthy liver [illegible] action for months. Children love Cascarets because they [illegible] gripe or sicken. Adv.

Not a Learner.

"Do you think you will learn anything from this stock market investi-[illegible]"

"[illegible]," replied Mr. Dustin Stax, "I [illegible] there are any kinks in [illegible] game that I don't al-[illegible]"

HA[illegible] WHITE HANDS

Clear [illegible] by Using [illegible]

The [illegible] cleanse and purify, the Ointment [illegible] and heal. Besides these [illegible] super-creamy emollients [illegible] skin troubles becoming [illegible] keeping the pores free from [illegible]. Nothing better at any [illegible] all toilet purposes. Free [illegible] by mail [illegible] Address [illegible] Cuticura, [illegible] Boston. [illegible] everywhere.—Adv.

PREFER TALKING TO READING

Writer Asserts That Southerners Excel in One of the Most Charming of Accomplishments.

Fifteen years ago, or thereabouts, I heard a publisher describe the South as "the home of the paper-covered novel and the ten-cent magazine." Since the demise of Poe's Southern Literary Messenger, no magazine of any large significance of popularity has been edited in Dixie. Today, there is no great publishing house in the South.

But the aristocrats of Dixie, the fine, cultured, delightful Southerners one knows—how comes it that they confess to an utter and absolute indifference toward reading? Come here and live and you will soon see. It is because of talk. They are the most charming talkers on earth. Instead of burying their noses in books when the sun goes down, they sit about and chat. Match them at that if you can. A subject will last from dinner to bedtime. They turn it over and over and inside out and illumine it with the quaintest observations, the most comical stories. By comparison, reading becomes odious because at once toilsome and solitary.—Rollin Lynde Hartt in Boston Transcript.

More Understandable.

Some wise gent has arisen to inform the less erudite that scriptural references to bottles don't really mean bottles, whereby the implication of a "skin full" takes on a clearer significance.—Washington Post.

Just Why He Objected.

Jack—"But what does your father see in me to object to?" Edith—"He doesn't see anything in you. That's why he objects."—Boston Transcript.

The average wage of plumbers throughout the country is $5 for an eight-hour day.

Before starting the youngsters to school give them a piping hot cup of

Instant Postum

School teachers, doctors and food experts agree on two points—that the child needs a hot drink, and that the drink shouldn't be coffee.

Postum fills the need admirably and its very extensive use among thoughtful parents, coupled with the child's fondness for this flavory, nourishing food-drink, show how completely it meets the requirement.

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MANY EVENTS ARE MENTIONED

Home and Foreign Intelligence Condensed Into Two and Four Line Paragraphs.

WASHINGTON.

Senator Norris of Nebraska introduced an amendment to the agricultural appropriation bill to increase from $5,000 to $10,000 the appropriation for the Niobrara national forest.

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Pesident Wilson notified the United States senate that the Danish treaty, negotiated for the purchase of the Danish west Indies, has been ratified by both this government and Denmark.

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President Wilson signed the bill recently passed by congress opening to settlement and sale 40,000 acres in Arizona comprising an auxiliary reclamation project in connection with the Yuma project.

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The United States has taken the lead as the world's greatest buyer and seller, final statistics of last year's foreign commerce announced by the department of commerce showing the new world trade record as $7,873,000,000.

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President Wilson desires if possible to establish more than one nitrate plant in accordance with the provisions of the last army reorganization bi[illegible] available $20,000,000 for th[illegible]ure of nitrogen from the [illegible] for use in explosives for the government.

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Food exports generally from the United States fell off $43,000,000 last year. Department of commerce statistics show their value to have been $745,000,000, compared with $788,000,000 in 1915. Meat and dairy products showed increases but breadstuffs fell off sharply.

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Consumption of cigarets in 1916 reached the highest mark ever recorded, according to a treasury department report. The tremendous increase, more than 40 per cent over 1915, is attributed to increased prosperity and growth of the cigaret habit among women. The total number of "ready made" cigarets consumed was placed at 25,232,960,928.

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Apportionment of $10,000,000 to aid the states in the construction of rural post roads, the second annual distribution in accordance with the federal aid road law, was announced by the Department of Agriculture. Nebraska gets $292,351; Iowa, $286,414; Colorado, $167,380; South Dakota, $161,992; and Wyoming, $122,393, of the fund, which is divided among forty-eight states.

DOMESTIC.

A bill providing for a state-wide referendum on the prohibition question in 1918 was introduced in the Wisconsin assembly at Madison.

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Governor Brough of Arkansas placed his official signature on the "bone dry" bill at the annual dinner of the Little Rock Board of Commerce.

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The stock judging team from the University of Nebraska won the annual college students' stock judging contest at the Denver livestock show.

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A bill legalizing boxing exhibitions and providing for the creation of a commission to regulate and supervise the conduct of all boxing exhibitions was presented in the lower house of the Iowa legislature.

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"America must be prepared to defend herself in a war-mad world and it must abolish the Monroe doctrine or fight." That was the declaration of Dr. R. A. White in a plea for universal military training at Chicago.

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The lower house of the South Dakota legislature passed the resolution which, with Governor Norbeck's signature, will provide for the submission of an equal suffrage amendment to the constitution in the 1918 election.

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The food value of a quart of milk is equal to eight eggs, according to a report of the commission appointed from Maryland, Pennsylvania and Delaware with a view to standardizing the production and sale of milk.

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High prices paid for potatoes on the Chicago market have attracted big shipments from England to compete with the American grown product, according to a statement by Sol Westerfield, former president of the National Retail Grocers' association.

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Philadelphia newspapers hereafter will sell at 2 cents instead of 1. The high cost of print paper and other materials entering into the making of a newspaper is given as the cause for the increase.

An anti-saloon bill, proposing statewide prohibition in Illinois, was introduced in both houses of the Illinois general assembly.

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Tietjo Queen de Kol, the cow which recently broke the record by giving 542.7 pounds of milk in seven days with a yield of 42.26 pounds of butter, was sold at Utica, N. Y., for $5,000.

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George McMullen of Kansas City, Mo., set a new record for purchases made by one man at the Denver Union Stock yards when he bought for $58,000 seventy-eight head of feeder cattle.

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By a vote of 70 to 28 the lower branch of the Indiana legislature passed a bill prohibiting the sale, manufacture, distribution, or advertisement of liquor in the state after January 1, 1918.

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More than 25,000 national guardsmen now on the Mexico border have been designated by Major General Funston for return home and muster out of the federal service. Their departure will leave between 45,000 and 50,000 men of the guard still in the federal service doing border patrol.

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Franz Bopp, former consul general of Germany, stationed at San Francisco, was sentenced to two years in prison and a fine of $10,000 for conspiring to violate the neutrality of the United States and restrain interstate war munitions shipments. E. H. Von Shack, former vice consul, and Lieutenant von Brinken, attache, similarly convicted, were given the same sentence.

FOREIGN.

Sixteen men were killed in a stevedore's strike in Santiago, Cuba, two weeks ago, according to reports.

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Swedish newspapers of both parties interpret President Wilson's speech as that of a Germanophile antagonistic to the entente nations.

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The secretary of the organization of German Newspaper Publishers reports that since the beginning of the war 247 daily papers have ceased to exist in Germany.

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The casualties in the recent munitions explosion in London were officially announced at sixty-nine killed, seventy-two seriously injured and 328 slightly injured.

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The British government has refused permission to the Hadfields, Ltd., to proceed with work on the contract for shells for the American navy "so long as the exigencies of war continue."

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The emperor of Japan dissolved the house of representatives, following the excitement caused by the attempt to assassinate the leader of the constitutional party. Elections to the new house of representatives will be held in April or May.

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In order to reduce the consumption of food stuffs by breweries, Baron Davenport, the British food controller, has decided that the quantity of beer to be brewed for the year beginning April 1 shall be restristed to 70 per cent of the output of the previous year.

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Lieutenant Harry G. Bishop and Lieutenant W. A. Robertson, missing army aviators, exhausted from walking four days in the wilds of Sonora, Mex., without food or water, were found more than 200 miles south of the border by a civilian searching party from Wellton, Ariz.

WAR NEWS.

The number of prisoners of war taken in Rumania has now reached nearly 200,000, says the Berlin Overseas News agency.

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Canada has recruited an army of 434,539 men for the war, 120,000 is excess of the force Great Britain asked the Dominion to contribute at the beginning of the conflict.

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An encounter occurred on January 23 in the North Sea between fourteen German torpedo boat destroyers and a British flotilla, in which a German destroyer was sunk.

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London reports the sinking of a British torpedo boat destroyer in an engagement with German torpedo boat destroyers in the vicinity of Schouwen Bank, with the loss of three officers and forty-four of its crew.

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Estimating the total German losses in the war at about 2,000,000, the National Zeitung of Berlin says that there are available sufficient forces to carry on the war for several years more.

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Warning that the British government will not "hesitate to take any step necessary to push the war to a successful conclusion—even including compulsory national service," was made by Colonel Sir Neville Chamberlain, the director of national service.

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Since the beginning of the war five hundred and ten thousand persons have died of starvation in Syria, according to an article published by a Rome newspaper.

SOLDIERS CHARGE MEXICANS TRYING TO CROSS BRIDGE

AMERICANS CLUB GUNS AND DRIVE BACK MOB OF 500 AT JUAREZ—GREASERS YELL "DEATH TO GRINGOES."

QUARANTINE ORDER IS CAUSE OF DISTURBANCE

U. S. Precaution Against Typhus Menace Resented by Servant Women Who Refuse to Take Disinfectant Bath—Two American Soldiers Hurt.

El Paso, Jan. 20.—Juarez is virtually under the rule of the "great unwashed," although Mexican cavalrymen are patrolling the streets and endeavoring to maintain order.

Rioting which began as a result of an American quarantine order has been resumed.

American soldiers with clubbed rifles charged a mob of 500 Mexicans attempting to advance across the international bridge and drove them back.

Two Soldiers Hurt.

A semblance of order has been restored, but no Americans are permitted to cross into Juarez, street car traffic across the bridge has been abandoned and hoots of "death to the gringoes!" from the Juarez side reach American ears.

Rioters approaching the middle of an international bridge hurled missiles at United States soldiers on guard.

Two noncommissioned officers were injured. Sergeant Peck of Company A, Twenty-third United States infantry, was struck by the shower of stones and injured about the head. Roy Schuyler of the customs guard was struck by a bottle and slightly injured.

Carranza Hailed as Hero.

Company A charged the mob and pushed them back across the center of the bridge. Mexican cavalry with whips then charged the mob.

The Mexican papers printed here declared that the rioting was the outgrowth of a feeling of triumph over General Pershing's withdrawal from Mexico, which the newspapers declared was forced by the Carranza government. The Spanish Times, in commenting on action by the mob, said:

"The leaders were telling the crowd that the Americans can do nothing to us, as was demonstrated by First Chief Carranza in driving out the 'gringo' army."

Rebel at Benzine Bath.

The trouble began when, by order of the United States health service, because of the typhus menace, quarantine regulations against Juarez went into effect, although the fact was not generally known in Juarez. Accordingly, when the first street car load of Mexican servant women crossed to El Paso, the women were amazed when some of their number were ordered by American immigration inspectors to enter the disinfecting station and take a disinfectant bath of gasoline.

The women refused, remembering the gasoline bath in the El Paso city jail last year in which 25 men were burned to death.

SUGGESTS JAIL FOR LAWSON

New York Banker Denies Charges At "Leak" Hearing.

New York, Jan. 30.—After entering categorical denial of having had any leak information from a cabinet member or sharing of a leak pool with Secretary McAdoo, Pliny Fisk, a New York banker, suggested to the House note leak committte that Thomas W. Lawson be imprisoned as a perjurer.

Fisk, a member of Harvey Fisk & Sons, lawyers, was named by Lawson as the banker in the mysterious "cabinet member-senator-banker" investment trio. He declared that he never had been interested with Secretary McAdoo or a "senator" in any joint stock account.

GERMANY EXPLAINS SINKING

Hands Gerard Note on Destruction of Steamer Traterrack.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—Germany has handed her answer to American Ambassador Gerard on the sinking of the Steamer Traterrack.

"The steamer," the note says, "was stopped by a German submarine November 16 last. The crew left upon signal without further complications. They sailed away in boats from the steamer. The ship was then searched and sunk as a hostile ship."

Kansas Holds Peace Meetings.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 30.—Meetings in an effort to obtain peace throughout the world have just been held here and also throughout Kansas as a part of the efforts of the Kansas branch of the League to Enforce Peace. The observance was made statewide by an appeal to Governor Arthur Capper, who in a statement said the response was the heartiest evere given to any proclamation issued by him. Special exercises held in Kansas schools were held by the 7,000 teachers throughout the state.

PITTSBURGH BLAZE SWEEPS BUSINESS DISTRICT; 16 HURT

THIRTEEN BUILDINGS ARE DESTROYED WITH A LOSS ESTIMATED AT FROM $3,000,000 TO $4,000,000.

INTENSE COLD HINDERS WORK OF FIRE FIGHTERS

Firemen Seriously Handicapped by Intense Cold—Heavy Fire Walls Finally Stay Progress of the Flames—Oldest Skyscraper in City Is Threatened.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 29.—Fire, starting soon after midnight, swept through a section of the retail business district here, destroying the Frank & Seder department store, the Grand opera house, the Hilton Clothing company, and a dozen smaller buildings, with a loss estimated at from $3,000,000 to $4,000,000.

Four firemen were seriously hurt and a dozen or more so badly injured that they were removed to hospitals.

It appeared for a time as though the fire would sweep the entire square, but heavy fire walls finally stayed the progress of the flames which ate through the hundreds of tons of merchandise piled in the stricken buildings.

The fire is said to have started in the J. G. McCrory & Co., five and ten cent store, but gave the firemen no concern until after 4 a. m., when it had eaten its way into the Frank & Seder store. A general alarm was then turned in, but the flames, hidden from view by dense clouds of smoke, had made such progress into the adjacent buildings that they were seen to be doomed.

Firemen were seriously handicapped by the intense cold, it having been necessary to carry hot water from neighboring restaurants to thaw street hydrants before streams were available.

The fire ate its way down Fifth avenue from Smithfield street toward Wood street, and breaking windows in buildings across Fifth avenue, drove scores of guests from their rooms in the Newell hotel.

The flames were fanned by a high wind, which threatened to carry the fire farther west along Fifth avenue, while plate glass windows in business buildings a block away were being broken by the intense heat.

"MOIST" PROHIBITION BILL MAY MEET OPPOSITION

Speculation as Fate of Measure Indulged in at Capitol—Views of Committees Differ.

St. Paul, Jan. 29.—With the fight for state-wide prohibition in Minnesota well under way in the House, speculation as to the fate of the measure in the Senate is being indulged in at the capitol.

It is asserted the Senate committee on temperance does not agree with a "moist" measure has a greater chance of carrying the state than a "bonedry" measure and is prepared to amend the bill calling for the submission of a constitutional amendment to popular vote by reinstating the word "transportation," eliminated by the House committee.

SHOOT UP NEWSPAPER OFFICE

Three Highwaymen Demand Payroll of Western Newspaper Union.

Minneapolis, Jan. 29.—Two masked highwaymen, assisted by a "lookout," who entered the Western Newspaper Union's offices at noon, Saturday, and demanded the company's payroll, were frightened away without obtaining any loot. The holdups fired a dozen shots in an effort to intimidate the office employes but no one was injured. They effected their escape before the police arrived on the scene.

Jewel Robbery Cleared Up.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—After 13 months of patient detective work the $30,000 Art institute jewel robbery was partly cleared up with announcement of the arrest of Aage Larsen, son of a distinguished Copenhagen family, as a participant. Two other men, one of whom disappeared from public gaze when Larsen was taken, are still to be arrested.

Germans Successful Near Riga.

Berlin, Jan. 29.—The German operations southwest of Riga on the northern end of the Russian front are meeting with success, writes the military critic of the Overseas News agency in his review of military conditions in that region.

Snow Blocks Railroad Traffic.

Laramie, Wyo., Jan. 29.—Driven by a strong north wind, snow has filled the cuts between Rock river and Hanna, bringing traffic on the Union Pacific railroad to a standstill. The blockade was temporarily broken permitting passage of several east bond trains. Railroad officials now say additional equipment is necessary to buck the huge drifts. Twelve passenger trains are held here. Hundreds of passengers are being fed at hotels and restaurants, the supply on diners being exhausted.

MOTHERHOOD WOMAN'S JOY

Suggestions to Childless Women.

Among the virtues of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the ability to correct sterility in the cases of many women. This fact is well established as evidenced by the following letter and hundreds of others we have published in these colums.

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"Whatever are you doing, Willie?" shouted the frantic mother.

"I am waxinating Eva," replied the youngster proudly.

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Don't Call on Pneumonia Patient.

"Kissing a pneumonia patient is almost as hazardous as to kiss a diphtheria or scarlet fever patient." Health Officer J. H. Landis asserts in an editorial in the weekly bulletin of the health department, in which he declares that "pneumonia is a communicable disease and that contact is an important factor in its spread." He declares that "numerous physicians have referred to the unusual prevalence of the disease and the severe type that prevails."

"Visitors have no business calling on a pneumonia patient," Doctor Landis states.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong, sick women well, no alcohol. Sold in tablets or liquid.—Adv.

It is said that the famous Thousand and One Nights was written on the Island of Java.

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A North Dakota Case

Sidney Goodnow, machinist, 208 W. Eleventh St., Devils Lake, N. D., says: "Three years ago I was suffering from my back. It was lame and weak and ached most all the time. My kidneys were weak and disordered, too. The first few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills gave me relief and as I continued using them, they removed the trouble. I have found this medicine to be just as represented."

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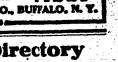

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WESTERN CANADA LEADS AS WHEAT PRODUCER

342,000,000 Bushels Wheat in 1915; In 1916 Many Farmers Paid for Their Land Out of Their Crop.

That Western Canada is indeed "Mistress of Wheat" to the extent that its 1915 crop exceeded, acre for acre, the production of any country on this continent is a striking fact proved by the following figures:

In 1915 the Dominion of Canada produced 376,000,000 bushels of wheat, which represented an average yield of 29 bushels to the acre. The United States produced 1,011,505,000 bushels, yield of 17 bushels per acre. The only serious competitors in wheat production in South America were Argentine, with 178,221,000 bushels, or less than 12 bushels per acre, and Chile, with 19,000,000 bushels or 13 bushels per acre.

The three Western Canadian prairie provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta produced between them 342,000,000 bushels out of the total Canadian 376,000,000 bushels. It will be seen, therefore, that, outside of the United States, Western Canada produced considerably more than the combined production of North and South America. Canada is of course a new-settled country, and the fact that the crop of the United States was practically three times as much is no discouragement. The United States has at present more than twelve times the population of Canada in approximately the same area.

To illustrate further the greater productiveness of Western Canadian land, we submit the following figures, showing the 1915 yields per acre in the three provinces of Western Canada and in the states which in that year produced the greatest quantity of wheat. The figures are taken from the U. S. department of agriculture's annual report and from the figures of the Dominion census bureau:

	Bushels per acre 1915
All Canada	29
Western Canada only	29 1-5
Province of Manitoba	28 4-5
Province of Saskatchewan	28 1-2
Province of Alberta	32 4-5
United States, all	17
Montana	26 1-2
Washington	25 1-5
Wisconsin	22 3-4
Ohio	20 2-5
Iowa	19 4-5
Illinois	19
Pennsylvania	18 1-2
Nebraska	18 2-5
North Dakota	18 1-5
Indiana	17 1-5
South Dakota	17 1-10
Minnesota	17
Texas	15 1-2
Virginia	13 4-5
Kansas	12 1-2
Missouri	12 3-10
Oklahoma	11 3-5

In 1916 the crop was not as heavy, but the yields in many districts were very large. So large, indeed, was the acreage under cultivation in 1915 that the resulting crop proved too large to be all threshed the same fall. It overloaded railroads, and made marketing slow. A less amount of fall plowing was done than would have been done in a less heavy year, because the average farmer was too busy with his threshing. All these conditions necessarily reacted upon the acreage seeded in the spring of 1916. Add to this that labor last year, owing to the great number of Canadians who have enlisted, was scarce and high-priced, and one factor in the decreased yield—smaller acreage under crop was evident.

Another factor is that this year Western Canada has experienced, in common with the entire North American continent, conditions that have been less favorable to the production of big crops. The conditions have resulted in smaller yield per acre and reduced grade of grain in certain localities.

The average yield of wheat in the three western provinces is estimated by the government at about 16 bushels per acre, oats 43 bushels, and barley 27 bushels.

The financial value of their crops to Western Canadian farmers has been greater this year than ever before. Owing to the high prices of grain that are prevailing, returns have been received that are extremely profitable. With wheat standing at the present time at over $1.90 per bushel at the Great Lakes, a wheat crop at present figures would pay the farmer, even supposing he had only the average of 16 bushels per acre, over $30.00 per acre. A large number are receiving $50.00 per acre—some have received $75.00, and a few even more than that.

This price, of course, is not all profit; it represents the gross return, and the cost of operation must be deducted. But it does not, even at the highest figures, cost more than 65 cents to raise a bushel of wheat in Western Canada, so that the profit can be figured accordingly. It must be emphasized that the acre which produces a $30.00 crop costs in the first case, probably less than that. In the United States the same class of land would cost in many districts from $100 to $200 per acre, and even then a return of $30.00 would be considered extremely satisfactory. In Western Canada the best class of agricultural land, capable of producing crops that in size compare with any country in the world except, perhaps, some European countries, can be obtained at, on the average, from $20 to $30 per acre, with irrigated lands somewhat higher. It is no exaggeration whatever to say that a number of Western Canadian farmers have paid for their land entirely from the proceeds of last year's crop, and this includes men who last year began for the first time.—Advertisement.

The Richest Loot.

"I see where some men who broke into a store left the money in the cash drawer, and took all the fresh eggs."

"Of course they did. They were after the valuables in the place."

IS CHILD CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well child again.

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Unmarried and Cross!

"Pop!"

"Yes, my son."

"My schoolteacher isn't married, is she?"

"No, I believe not, my boy."

"What makes her so cross, then, pop?"—Yonkers Statesman.

Estimating the Breakage.

"You won't have to take the pledge any more, when prohibition prevails."

"That's right. And I have no doubt it is rather more difficult to break a law than it is to break a pledge."

Natural Tendency.

"I suppose the majority of women who vote scratch their tickets."

"What makes you think so?"

"Because not one woman in ten could cast a ballot straight."

ACTRESS TELLS SECRET.

A well known actress gives the following recipe for gray hair: To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Millions Spent on Music.

If expenditure of money is any test, America can certainly claim the credit of being a musical country. According to an estimate compiled some time ago by an expert, the United States spends no less than £120,000,000 on music every year. This is three times as much as the same country spends on its army and navy; while "musical Germany," it is pointed out, spends ten times as much on its army and navy as on its music.

In the American total, church music accounts for £10,000,000 a year. The sale of pianos reaches £27,000,000, of organs £13,000,000, and of sheet music and music books, £2,100,000.

ANY CORN LIFTS OUT, DOESN'T HURT A BIT!

No foolishness! Lift your corns and calluses off with fingers—it's like magic!

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn, can harmlessly be lifted right out with the fingers if you apply upon the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

For little cost one can get a small bottle of freezone at any drug store, which will positively rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain.

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This announcement will interest many of our readers. If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to surely get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

Must Be Spared.

First Mother—Isn't it a nuisance to have to slow up so often on account of these fool pedestrians?

Second Mother—Indeed, it is, but everybody says we've got to have a bigger standing army.

Guatemala has only one furniture factory. It employs 150 men.

'PHONE COMPANIES BLAMED FOR DELAY

MEMBER OF STATE RAILROAD COMMISSION DEFENDS BOARD IN SPEECH IN ST. PAUL.

INFORMATION IS WITHHELD

Large Per Cent of 1,800 Concerns Failed to Fill Out Blanks Properly, Elmquist Says in Reply to Complaint of Slow Action.

St. Paul. — Telephone companies that complain that the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse commission has been slow in performing the function of telephone regulation delegated to it by the 1915 Legislature, have themselves largely to blame, Charles E. Elmquist, a member of the commission, told 100 members of the Minnesota Independent Telephone association, who held their eighth annual convention in St. Paul.

"A very large per cent of the 1,800 telephone companies in the state failed to fill out properly blanks the commission issued for filing information regarding their business affairs, and it was necessary in many cases to send back the blanks several times and write three or four letters to get the information that might have been given promptly," Mr. Elmquist said.

The commissioner's remarks were in reply to the address of President M. M. Woolley of Howard Lake, who said member companies complained of slow action of the commission.

Teachers See Art Exhibit.

Moorhead. — Featuring the annual convention here of the Northwest Central Minnesota Educational association, was an exhibit of Medici prints from the Beard galleries at Minneapolis. The art exhibition was held at the normal school, where most of the convention sessions took place.

Among the speakers scheduled to appear on the program were: J. Frank Hanley, prohibition candidate for president in the last election; Dr. Frank L. McVey, president of the University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, and Dr. L. C. Lord, head of the state normal school at Charleston, Ill.

A tour of the Moorhead and Fargo schools preceded the meeting proper. The annual "schoolmasters' banquet" was held at Comstock, near here, on the evening of the second day.

Fowls at Show Worth Fortune.

St. Paul. — Nearly 2,000 chickens from ten states, representing many small fortunes in fowls, are on exhibition at the Armory for the fifteenth annual poultry display by the Minnesota Fanciers' association.

Among the aristocracy of chickendom to be shown are the Barred Plymouth Rocks owned by George McPherson of Stillwater, who has refused as high as $1,000 for certain members of his flock.

Another interesting exhibit is a practically new breed, known as Rhode Island Whites, owned by J. H. Movius, Lidgerwood, N. D.

Power to Be Candidate.

Hibbing, Minn. — The annual village election is still some time off but interest is already shown. While no official announcement has been made by President Victor Power it is rumored he will again be a candidate although not all of the present administration will seek re-election. Last year three tickets were in the field and this year it is almost a certainty to expect at least two with a dark horse party making a last minute entrance.

Business Man Alleged Fugitive.

Austin. — Charged with escaping from the Wisconsin state penitentiary at Waupun in November, 1914, where he was serving a life sentence for conviction of murder, William Coles, who has run a tailor shop in this city for the last two years, has been arrested here by Sheriff Nicholson. Coles has confessed that he is the man wanted, according to the sheriff.

1,000 Scribes to Meet.

Mapleton. — H. C. Hotaling, Mapleton states that the National Editorial association, of which he is vice president and which is to have its annual convention in Minneapolis July 8, will bring more than 1,000 delegates and visitors. This would make a new attendance record for the association conventions.

Supervision of Teachers.

Moorhead. — More and better supervision of teachers is the great need of rural schools of Minnesota, in the opinion of C. C. Swain, state commissioner of rural schools, who presided here at a conference of ten county superintendents in the territory of the Northwest Minnesota Educational association.

Report on Water Levels.

Minneapolis. — The International Boundary Commission, comprising representatives of the United States and Canadian governments, has just met in executive session in Minneapolis to draft a report concerning the water level of the Lake of the Woods, on the boundary between the United States and Canada. The report was to be drafted after a four years' investigation by the commission, and will affect water powers, agricultural, fishing, lumber and shipping industries valued at more than $100,000,000.

State Gets Road Aid.

St. Paul. — The Minnesota State Highway Commission has been informed that $284,788 has been apportioned to Minnesota for this year under the Federal aid road law as the state's share in the second annual distribution of the $10,000,000 fund. Last year's apportionment for rural post roads was $142,394.

That amount will be increased by $142,394 during each of the three remaining years covered by the law until the total amount for Minnesota will have amounted to $2,135,910. The last apportionment in 1920 will be $711,970.

John H. Mullen, deputy state engineer in charge of roads, said that the commission has tentatively decided on applying the Federal aid on about 6,000 miles of road connecting all the main towns and county seats of the state and including all the main roads of travel.

"The commission," said Mr. Mullen, "has approved applications for Federal aid amounting to about $295,000 and has received other applications for Federal aid amounting to $300,000 which have not yet been acted upon. The commission is now ready to receive applications for Federal aid from the counties for future aid amounting to the full amount of the five-year apportionment. The condition under which the applications may be approved is that the county applying for the aid must spend an amount equal to the Federal aid asked."

Second Mustered Out.

Fort Snelling, Minn. — With six months in the service of their "Uncle Sam" to their credit, the soldiers of the Second Minnesota infantry have just been mustered out. The mustering out was in charge of Major George E. Huell. Each company appeared before its barracks, where the men answered roll call by stepping forward one pace. This took place between 7:30 and 8:30 a. m.

Company F of Worthington was the first off the reservation. As it marched by each barracks and the headquarters post the men were cheered by their comrades. The Company F soldiers took streetcars for St. Paul to make a 10:10 a. m. train home.

Captain L. F. D. Rucker, commandant at the post, paid out $45,000 of federal money to the Second regiment soldiers for their January service, and as refunds on clothing deposits. The federal clothing equipment will remain with each company, the United States transferring it to the state.

Discussion League Meets.

Akeley. — The first of the district contests of the Minnesota Discussion league, the only one of its kind in the United States, has just been held at Akeley. The contests are under the auspices of Macalester college.

Th league was organized last year by Dean Glenn Clark to stimulate interest of students in public questions and encourage discussions from their own viewpoint.

Each student contestant chooses his own side of the question, which this year is, "The Federal government should own and operate the railways in the United States."

State Probes "U" Gifts.

St. Paul. — Securities totaling nearly $120,000 belonging to the University of Minnesota, in the custody of the state treasurer, which include $9,300 worth of Northern Pacific Railroad company shares, the dividends being paid to Mrs. W. A. Smith, formerly Mrs. J. A. Johnson, wife of the late governor, and other stocks in private corporations, as listed by a recent investigation, are the subject of an inquiry begun by Secretary Schmahl, as a member of the state board of audits.

Lawyers Get I. W. W. Money.

Hibbing. — The auditing Industrial Workers of the World committee, James Gilday and Joseph Ettor, have made public the "defense fund." The total receipts were $33,500; expenditures, $32,000. The receipts included moneys received from various I. W. W. organizations, organized labor contributions, loans, and moneys collected by Elizabeth Flynn and others. Among expenditures were $8,000 for attorneys, paying fines, etc., outside of the Virginia murder trials.

Needs Soap, Water and Paint.

Minneapolis.—The Little Red School House is in need of soap, water and paint. This was made clear to more than a score of county superintendents gathered at a sectional meeting here to discuss the work of the county superintendents in the field, with special reference to a practical health program and the activities of the superintendent outside his office.

Virginia Affairs Probed.

Virginia. — The affairs of Virginia wealthy iron range town and neighbor of Hibbing, the world's richest village, are being investigated by Andrew Fritz, state public examiner, who recently conducted a similar inquiry at Hibbing. The Virginia investigation was begun, Mr. Fritz said, on a petition by more than 100 citizens.

All Is Quiet in Woods.

Virginia.—There appears to be nothing doing in local labor troubles, the I. W. W., due to the recent heavy sentencing of convicted ones, having apparently quit the game of harrassing industrial concerns in this section. There has been no picketing around the Rainy Lake mill. The No. 2 mill which ran a day shift last week, was expected to start a night force. No. [illegible] is running without incident. No trouble in the woods is reported, and the police and deputy sheriffs are taking it easy.

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The Trouble.

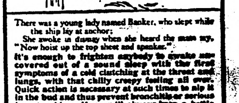
"What do you think of this wonderful work of art?" she asked as she proudly led him to where was hanging in state the impressionist landscape she had purchased.

"I think," he replied, after careful investigation, "that the man who did it must have had painter's colic."

Explanation.

She—I wonder why men lie so.

He—Because their wives are so blamed inquisitive.



There was a young lady named Banker, who slept while the ship lay at anchor;
She awoke in dismay when she heard the mate say,
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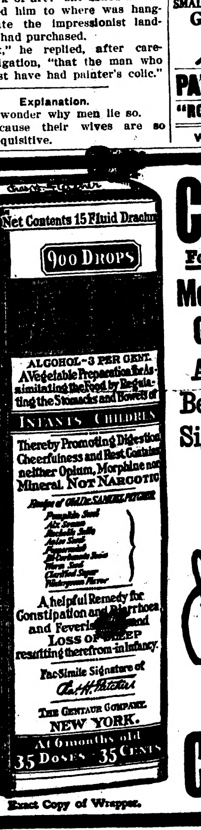

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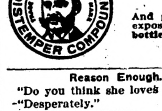

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"Waiter," said a guest at the summer hotel, "call the manager."

The waiter did so and the manager came.

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"We do," replied the manager, "and I believe you will find that we live up to our promises."

"Very well. Please put a maxim silencer on your orchestra."

Better go back than go wrong.

Why Rheumatism Comes With Cold Weather!

BY VALENTINE MOTT PIERCE, M. D.

A close connection exists between these two—cold weather and rheumatism. Prof. Alex. Haig, of London, has the most followers in the medical profession in the belief that the presence in the system of uric acid, or its salts in excess, is the real cause of rheumatism. Everyone has recognized the difference in the appearance of their water as soon as it gets cold; there is often a copious sediment of brickdust.

Several causes may lead up to an accumulation of uric acid in the system, which, in turn, causes rheumatism or gout, or creaky joints, or swollen fingers, or painful joints. For one reason the skin does not throw off the uric acid, by profuse sweating, as in the hot weather, and the kidneys are unable to take care of the double burden. Another reason is that people do not drink as much water in cold weather as in summer, which helps to flush the kidneys. Again, they eat more meat in cold weather, and some people are so susceptible that they soon develop rheumatism after eating meat.

At all such times persons should drink copiously of hot water, say, a pint morning and night, and take Anuric three or four times a day. This Anuric comes in tablet form and can be had at almost any drug store. It dissolves the uric acid in the system and carries it outward. I would advise everyone to take Anuric occasionally, and continue for three or four weeks, and in that way avoid rheumatism, gout and many of the painful disorders due to uric acid.—Adv.

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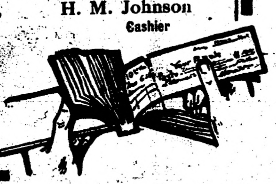

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(1) Failure on the part of said mortgagor to pay the sum of six and 50-100 (6.50) dollars, due and payable under the terms of said mortgage on August 12, 1916.

(2) Failure on the part of said Mortgagor to pay the interest in the amount of seventy-eight ($78.00) dollars due August 12, 1916, on a prior mortgagor in the sum of thirteen hundred ($1300.00) dollars; by reason whereof the said undersigned was compelled to pay and did pay said interest so due.

(3) Failure on the part of said Mortgagor to pay the taxes and assessments against said land in the sum of nineteen and 42-100 ($19.42) dollars, which became delinquent on June 1, 1916, by reason whereof the undersigned was compelled to pay and did pay said taxes.

And whereas, the said Mortgagee has elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of one hundred fifty-two and 52-100 ($152.52) dollars, including such interest, so paid on said prior mortgage, and the taxes paid as aforesaid, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said morgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz; Lot one (1) of Section Nineteen (19) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) and the East half of the Northeast Quarter (E½ NE¼) of Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-one (41) West of the fifth principal meridan, in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court house in the City of Warren; in said County and State, on the 17th day of February, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay and satisfy said debt of One Hundred Fifty-one and 52-100 ($151.52), and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars attorney's fees and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1916.

Holt State Bank of Holt, Minnesota.
Mortgagee.

H. O. KJOMME,
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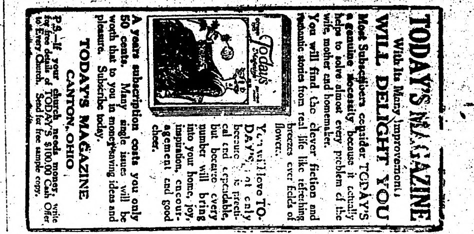

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Local Items

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

E. M. Anderson, of Westby, Minn. was here Friday on business.

Dr. Turley will be here Monday Feb. 12th. to do dental work.

P. L. Anderson went to T. R Falls Friday on business.

Olaf Ness visited in T. R. Falls Saturday.

Arthur Sorenson was a Crookston visitor Friday.

Chas. Skoglund shot a good-sized wolf last Saturday.

Ben Hoff visited relatives and friends in Middle River Friday and Saturday.

NOTICE: S. S. Kolden will now pay $4.00 per ton for loose Flax Straw delivered at Holt.

The old churn in the creamery here was so badly broken Tuesday that a new one had to be ordered. The old churn will be sold Feb. 19.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid, at their annual meeting last week Thursday, re-elected Mrs. R. L. Olson, president and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg, secretary, Mrs. C. W. Christianson was elected treasurer. They will entertain at the church again Feb. 22th.

J. E. Mosberg received word Saturday from his brother F. H. Mosberg at Minneapolis, that their twin baby boy three days old, had died the night before.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

Albert Knutson left Friday for an extended visit at Gary, Minnesota, where two sisters of his are residing. Some are wondering how long it takes to make the trip from Holt to Gary?

A. R. Jones, Ben Docken and A. L. Carlson went to Crookston Friday to attend Masonic lodge and witness work in the third degree and take in the banquet given after the work was completed. Mr. Jones entertained the others at his pleasant home during their short stay in Crookston.

For Sale!

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Preaching services next Sunday, Feb. 11th, at 10:45 a. m.

The Young People's Society will meet in Holt at 7:30 Thursday evening Feb. 22nd. A debate will form a part of the program.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Notice For Ice Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Directors of The Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Co., up to two o'clock P. M. Feb. 19th, for hauling about 60 tons of Ice from the cars and packing it in the creamery ice house also furnish necessary saw dust.

Sealed bids for the old churn will be received at the same time as the ice bids.

The Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Save money by trading in Holt.

The Stephen creamery paid the farmers nearly $14000 last year.

Guy Anderson is taking the annual fifteen days vacation allowed rural carries. His brother Alfred is carrying the mail for Guy.

Between 130 to 140 farmers in the territory adjacent to Holt drew over $21000 from the Holt creamery last year. At least 200 farmers should have sold to this creamery in the same time and received at least $50-000 for their cream. When this is done the community will be prosperous.

B. Docken was a Sunday visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. C. A. Heen, in Grand Forks.

Trade at home.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

A. H. Huseth visited his family Tuesday and Wednesday.

Karlstad now has its municipal electriic light plant running.

Rev. F. J. Seltz will conduct services in the German Language at the Synod Church next Sunday Feb 11th. at 3 o'clock P. M.

Racine Olson has been appointed village fire warden, marshall and electric light engineer at a salary of $30.00 per month.

Dr. R. L. Olson was up town on Wednesday for the first time since he returned home from the hospital. He is still gaining in strength we are glad to report.

Read E. [illegible] Nielson's public sale ad of cows and young stock, Feb. 16, on the back page of this paper.

Clarence Kolden was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday.

Jno. A. Sorum looked after business in Crookston the forepart of the week.

President Wilson broke off diplomatic relations with Germany, Saturday, but if reason and good judgement prevail, it is'nt likely war will follow.

County ditch No. 26 has cost the farmers $1,733.12 and there won't be any ditch. There is something wrong with the ditch laws that allow an engineer to spend the people's money without giving them any benefit in return.

The offer of the Youth Companion and McCall's Magazine both for a full year and a 15c McCall Dress Pattern all for only $2.10 will be withdrawn March 31st, on account of the high price of print paper, ink etc. Read their ad in this paper and send us your subscription to day.

For Sale.

1915 Oats for sale. Enquire of Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.

Annual Church Meeting

The Annual Meeting of The Free Mission Church will be held Thursday Feb. 22nd, 1917, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the church. All interested are requested to attend.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Ringbo Rumbles

The cold northwest wind swept over Ringbo Sunday.

The Misses Alice and Sophie Johnson, Jensine Udstrand, and Flora Culver called at Rude's Sunday evening.

Hilmar Johnson and Miss Anna Sorter visited at Louis Johnson Sunday.

Nellie Waggedall, after a week's visit with Sophie Johnson, returned home Saturday.

Mary Rude and Hilda Erickson were out joy riding Saturday.

Nellie Waggedahl Flora Culver and Sophie Johnson called at John Udstrand's home Thursday.

A large crowd attended the Ladies Aid at Elvin Erickson Wednesday.

Supt. David Johnson visited school Thursday.

Mary Rude visited school Friday.

The Young People Society at Saastad's was well attended Monday.

George Hanson has a free taxi.

The raffling match was well attended Saturday and all reported a good time.

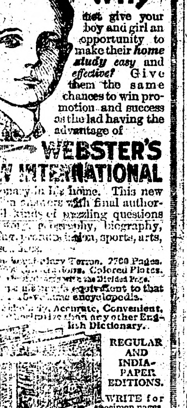
The farmers are all [illegible] the cold weather was over.

Elmer Engstrom and Eiden Erickson froze their nose going to school last week.

Rag Ball party to be held at Ringbo school house Friday evening Feb. 16th. at 8 o'clock sharp. Funds to be used for school purposes. Everybody welcome.

A letter was received from Esther Sorter stating that they had a great snow storm in Minneapolis recently.

Mrs. Jarland called at the home of Louis Johnson Wednesday evening.



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Old Settler Passed Away

Hans B. Engen, an old settler, died at the home of his son John Feb. 1st. at the ripe old age of nearly eighty years.

Mr. Engen emigrated from Norway and was one of the earliest settlers in Holt Township. He saw this country in its new and raw state, and endured many hardships and passed thru much suffering during those early days. He was postmaster at Ringbo for several years and made friends of all the early settlers.

The deceased leaves two sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of a beloved father: Christ of Ringbo, John and Mrs. Alfred Hammerstein of Highlanding and Mrs. Ranfness of Goodridge, besides a host of neighbors and friends.

The funeral was held in the Free Lutheran church at Ringo Feb. 5th.

Free Mission Church

Annual meeting Feb. 22. See the call elsewhere.

Ladies Aid will entertain Thursday Feb. 22. All invited to come.

Parents Meeting at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon with the children. Important business, all parents of the Sunday School children are requested to be present. Lunch will be served and all are invited to bring something to eat as requested by the lunch committee. NOTE: This meeting was postponed one week on account of stormy weather. The program will be carried out as previously arranged.

Christian people often take vacations, the devil never does—he is always on the job.

If the ground hog was foolish enough to stay out long last Friday he surely got his nose frost bitten.

Faith is the anchor and hope is the rudder of ships that carry many a weary soul over the sea of life.

People don't realize how well off they are until the day of adversity comes.

If speakers are desired for farmers meetings of any kind, they can be had by making early requests to the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston. Can we not have some farmers meetings here?

Early Slave-Holding State.

Maryland was an early slaveholding colony, for in 1642 Governor Calvert bargained with a certain shipmaster for the delivery of 13 African "slaves."

Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand therein above the turbulence of the waves.—Trinities and Sanctities.

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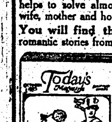

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P.S.—If your church needs money, write for free details of TODAY'S $100.00 Cash Offer to Every Church. Send for free sample copy.

Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank.

Annual Telephone Meeting

The Holt Telephone Company will hold their annual meeting Feb. 17th at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing officers and to do any other business that will come before said meeting. Meeting will be held at the Woodman hall.

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Annual Statement

Of The Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Co., of Holt, Minnesota For the Year, 1916.

Cream received	251,458 lbs.
Per cent test	27.74
Butterfat	69,779.87
Per cent overrun	23.18
Butter made	85,959 lbs
Average gross price received for butter	.31.18
" " " paid for butterfat	30.35
" cost making 1 lb butter	[illegible].78
Receipts	
Bal'on hand beginning of year	$1.19
Rec'd from butter sold	26,807.70
" from other sources	149.33
Total Receipts	$26,958.22
Disbursements	
Pd patrons for butterfat	$21,183.63
" freight & commission	2,774.53
" to other sources	51.82
" running expenses	2,393.72
" sinking fund	550.00
Balance on hand	[illegible]
Totals	$26,958.22

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Local Representatives Wanted

Jewell products are sold with a guarantee to replace failures.

This requires the services of a local man who has some spare time and can look after the interests of our customers. The work would also include the introduction and sale of new fruit and flowers.

If you are not interested, please call this to the attention of some one you think would welcome the position. If you are interested, write at once for particulars. Adress

Service Department,
The Jewell Nursery Co.
Founded 1868
Lake City, Minnesota

Announcements regarding students short courses in farm Husbandry, Stock Raising, Gasoline and Tractor Engineering and Dressmaking are being sent out by the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and will be mailed to anyone who makes application for them.

Are you making use of the State Free Traveling Libraries? Books for the asking at the Holt State Bank.

See our merchants when in need of winter goods. They will sell you cheaper, net, than the catalog firms.

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

Age of the Ostrich.

The average age of an ostrich is thirty years, and the annual yield of a bird in captivity is from two to four pounds of plumes.

Above Them All.

Homan—"One of the waiters at this place was formerly a duke, one of the chefs was a count and the bellhop was a prince." Ryontoo—"I suppose the manager was formerly a king or emperor?" Homan—"No; he was a milk wagon driver."—New York Sun.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.59
Wheat No. 2	1.54
Wheat No. 3	1.45
Wheat No. 4	1.28
Flax	2 60
Oats	.48
Barley	53 to .79
Rye	1.19
Flour, Best Patent	4.95

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Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 196 Residence [illegible]

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. January 17, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Ole A. Christenson, of Holt, Minn., who on March 19th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05141, for Lot [illegible], SE 1-4, SE 1-4 Sec. 2, SW 1-4, SW 1-4 Sec. 1, and NW 1-4, NW 1-4, Sec. 12, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Middle River, Minn., on the 12th day of March, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Hans Stenrud, Henry Stenrud, S. G. Svenkeson and Ole [illegible], all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Can't Loose Hair

Twenty Years from Today a Baldheaded Man will be an Unusual Sight

One of the most prominent druggists of America made a statement a few weeks ago which has caused a great deal of discussion among scientists in the medical press. He said: "If the new hair grower, Mildredina Hair Remedy, increases its sales as it has during the past year, it will be used by nearly every man, woman and child in America within 8 years

When Mildredina Hair Remedy is used almost universally, dandruff will disappear and with its departure baldness, itching scalp, splitting hair and all scalp diseases will follow and twenty years frim now a bald will be a rarity

There is only one way to cure dandruff, and that is to kill the germs. There is only one hair preparation that will kill the germs and that is Mildredina Hair Remedy. This unusual hair restorer with its record of thousands of cures will grow hair on any head where there is any life left; it will cure dandruff, stop falling hair and itching of the scalp in three weeks or money back. It is the most pleasant and invigorating tonic, is not not sticky nor greasy and is used extensively by ladies of refinement who desire to have and to keep their hair soft, lustrous and luxuriant. Fifty cents for a large bottle of druggists everywhere Mail orders filled by American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.

CUT THIS OUT

FREE to show how quickly Mildredina Hair Remedy acts, we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this Coupon to American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass., with their name and address and ten cents in silver to pay postage.

"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath, Sour Stomach and constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now.

No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels —you always get the desired results with Cascarets.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets to-night; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All stores sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a cleansing, too. Adv.

Natural Conclusion.

"Smith called Jones a toad."

"What happened?"

"Jones got hopping mad."

ACTRESS TELLS SECRET.

A well known actress gives the following recipe for gray hair: To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

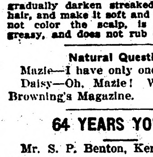
Natural Question.

Mazie—I have only one wish—

Daisy—Oh, Mazie! Who is he?—Browning's Magazine.

64 YEARS YOUNG!

Mr. S. P. Benton, Kerrvile, Texas, writes: "For several years prior to 1906 I suffered from kidney and rheumatic troubles. Was bent over and forced to use a cane. For these disorders I am glad to say I used Dodd's Kidney Pills, which proved to be the proper remedy. I am 64 years young, feel fine and once again stand as straight as an arrow. Dodd's Kidney Pills deserve great credit." Get a 50c box at your dealer's to-day.



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Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Send me a big Free trial box of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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Matrimony is a catch—as many an ex-bachelor has discovered to his sorrow.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

If a good face is a letter of recommendation, a good heart is a letter of credit.—Bulwer-Lytton.

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

One of Them.

Guide—Oh, that's Castle de Fournoy. That's the first place where the young Duke d'Or was killed.

Spain devotes 3,500,000 acres to olives.

Barroom generosity is only skin deep.

DIPLOMATIC BREAK WITH TEUTONS COMES

WILSON SEVERS RELATIONS WITH GERMAN NATION

HANDS VON BERNSTORFF PASSPORT AND ORDERS AMERICAN ENVOY IN BERLIN HOME—ADDRESSES CONGRESS.

ALL NEUTRALS CALLED ON TO TAKE SIMILAR STAND

President Confident That Sentiment of Country Is Behind Him and Is Assured of United Support of Congress—Breaking of Relations Brings U. S. to Verge of War.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The severance of diplomatic relations with Germany has been formally announced to the country and the world by President Wilson at a joint session of Congress.

This speech contained a plea that all neutral nations join with the United States in the course adopted.

The United States now stands on the verge of war, with all the historic precedent of centuries pressing it forward.

On Verge of War.

Fervently invoking thhe guidance of Almighty God in the step he had taken, President Wilson detailed to the Congress why the United States could not continue relations with a warring power which repeatedly invades its sacred rights and takes the lives of its citizens.

President Speaks Solemnly.

Calm with a sense of right in what may prove thhe most somber moment of American history, the President stood in thhe historic hall of the House of Representatives and spoke the words which may carry the country into the world conflict—not for aggression and not for power; only for law and humanity.

Silent and attentive the grim company of the nation's lawmakers listened with rapt attention while President Wilson told of America's course in the now unsuccessful diplomatic struggle to dissuade Germany from her campaign of ruthlessness.

"Refuses to Believe."

The President declared that "notwithstanding this unexpected action of the German government, this sudden and deeply deplorable renunciation of its assurances given this government," he refused to believe that "it is the intention of the German authorities to do in fact what they have warned us they feel at liberty to do."

In concluding his address, President Wilson declared that if overt acts are forthcoming he will again come before Congress to ask authority "to use any means that may be necessary for the protection of our seamen and our people." All neutral governments, he believes, will take the same course.

Stands by Principles.

"We wish to serve no selfish ends," the President stated. "We seek merely to stand true alike in thought and in action to the immemorial principles of our people . . . seek merely to vindicate our right to liberty and justice and an unmolested life. These are the bases of peace, not war. God grant that we may not be challenged to defend them by acts of willful injustice on the part of the government of Germany."

Bernstorff Bets Passport.

While the President was addressing Congress, Law Adviser Woolsey of the State department was at the German embassy delivering to Count von Bernstorff passports for the ambassador, his wife, the embassy staff and his suite, which comprised more than a hundred persons. A note believed to be substantially the same as the President's address to Congress was included.

HOLLAND GREATLY ALARMED

Germans Massing on Frontier Is the Cause.

Rotterdam, Feb. 5.—Massing of German troops on the Holland frontier continues, causing apprehension in Holland. It is reported here that large bodies of troops are being concentrated near Weilen and Venebrugge and this country is waiting with much anxiety the answer of the United States to Germany's blockade note with the fear that Holland will be involved if drastic steps are taken.

Gold From South American.

Baltimore, Feb. 4.—The Au Sable the first of the three steamships which left here during the last two months with consignments of gold for South America has arrived in Buenos Aires. It is learned on unimpeachable authority that the gold on the Au Sable as well as that on the other two ships, the Maumee and Winnebago, is intended to pay for a large part of the wool crop in Argentina bought by American and British interests. It was stated previously that the gold was for the German raiders off South America.

Wilson In Address to Congress Calls on All Neutrals to Aid U. S.

Washington, Feb. 5.—President Wilson in his address to congress on the crisis with Germany spoke as follows: "Gentlemen of the Congress:

"The imperial German government on the 31st day of January announced to this government and to the governments of the other neutral nations that on and after the 1st day of February, the present month, it would adopt a policy with regard to the use of submarines against all shipping seeking to pass through certain designated areas of the high seas, to which it is clearly my duty to call your attention.

"Let me remind the Congress that on the 8th day of April last, in view of the sinking on the 24th of March of the cross-channel passenger steamer Sussex by a German submarine, without summons or warning and the consequent loss of lives of several citizens of the United States who were passengers aboard her, this government addressed a note to the imperial German government in which it made the following declaration:

Reviews Sussex Case.

"'If it is still the purpose of the imperial government to prosecute relentless and indiscriminate warfare against vessels of commerce by the use of submarines without regard to what the government of the United States must consider the sacred and indisputable rules of international law and the universally recognized dictates of humanity, the government of the United States is at last forced to the conclusion that there is but one course it can pursue. Unless the imperial government should now immediately declare and effect an abandonment of its present methods of submarine warfare against passenger and freight-carrying vessels, the government of the United States can have no choice but to sever diplomatic relations with the German empire altogether.'

Gave Assurances to U. S.

"In reply to the declaration the imperial German government gave this government the following assurances: 'The German government is prepared to do its utmost to confine the operations of war for the rest of its duration to the fighting forces of belligerents, thereby also insuring the freedom of the seas, a principle upon which the German government believes now, as before, to be in agreement with the government of the United tSates.

"'The German government, guided by this idea, notifies the government of the United States that the German naval forces have received the following orders: In accordance with the general principles of visit and search and destruction of merchant vessels recognized by international law such vessels, both within and without the area declared a naval war zone, shall not be sunk without warning and without saving human lives, unless these ships attempt to escape or offer resistance.

Germany's Statement.

"'But,' it added, 'neutrals cannot expect that Germany, forced to fight for her existence, shall for the sake of neutral interests restrict the use of an effective weapon if her enemy is permitted to continue to apply at will methods of warfare violating the rules of international law. Such a demand would be incompatible with the character of neutrality and the German government is convinced that the government of the United States does not think of making such a demand, knowing that the government of the United States has repeatedly declared that it is determined to restore the principle of the freedom of the seas, from whatever quarter it has been violated.'

Accepts Assurances.

"To this the government of the United States replied on the 8th of May, accepting, of course, the assurances given, but adding:

"'The government of the United States feels it necessary to state that it takes its for granted that the imperial German government does not intend to imply that the maintenance of its newly announced policy is in any way contingent upon the course or result of diplomatic negotiations between the government of the United States and any other belligerent government, notwithstanding the fact that certain passages in the imperial government's note of the 4th instant might appear to be susceptible of that construction.

"'In order, however, to avoid any misunderstanding the government of the United States notifies the imperial government that it cannot for a moment entertain, much less discuss, a suggestion that respect by German naval authorities for the rights of citizens of the United States upon the high seas should in any way or in the slightest degree be made contingent upon the conduct of any other government affecting the rights of neutrals and non-combatants. Responsibility in such matters is single, not joint, absolute, no relative.'

Kaiser Fails to Reply.

"To this note of the eighth of May, thhe imperial German government made no reply.

"On the 31st of January, the Wednesday of the present week, the German ambassador handed to the secretary of state, along with a formal note, a memorium which contained the following statement:

"'The imperial government, therefore, does not doubt that the government of the United States will understand the situation thus forced upon Germany by the Allies' brutal methods of war, and by their determination to destroy the Central powers and that the government of the United States will further realize that the now openly disclosed intention of the Entente Allies gives back to Germany the freedom of action which she reserved in her note addressed to the government of the United States on May 4, 1916.

Announces Blockade.

"'Under these circumstances Germany wil. meet the illegal measures of her enemies by forcibly preventing after Feb. 1, 1917, in a zone around Great Britain, France, Italy and in the eastern Mediterranean, all navigation, that of neutrals included, from and to England and from and to France, etc. All ships met within thhe zone will be sunk.'

"I think that you will agree with me that, in view of this declaration, which suddenly and without prior intimation of any kind, deliberately withdraws the solemn assurance given in the imperial government's note of May 4, 1916, this government has no alternative consistent with the dignity and honor of the United States but to take the course which, in its note of April 18, 1916, it announced that it would take in the event that the German government did not declare and effect an abandonment of the methods of submarine warfare which it was then employing and to which it now purposes again to resort.

Severs Relations.

"I have, therefore, directed the Secretary of State to announce to his excellency the German ambassador, that all diplomatic relations between the United States and the German empire are severed, and the American ambassador at Berlin will immediately be withdrawn, and in accordance with this decision to hand to his excellency his passports.

"Notwithstanding this unexpected action of the German government this sudden and deeply deplorable renunciation of its assurances, given this government at one of the most critical moments of tension in the relations of the two governments, I refuse to believe that it is the intention of the German authorities to do in fact what they have warned us they will feel at liberty to do so. I cannot bring myself to believe that they will indeed pay no regard to the ancient friendship between their people and our own or to the solemn obligations which have been exchanged between them and destroy American ships and take the lives of American citizens in the willful prosecution of the ruthless naval program they have announced their intention to adopt. Only actual overt acts on their part can make me believe it even now.

"If this inveterate confidence on my part in the sobriety and prudent foresight of their purpose should unhappily prove unfounded; if American ships and American lives should in fact be sacrificed by their naval commanders in heedless contravention of the just and reasonable understandings of international law and the obvious dictates of humanity, shall take the liberty of coming again before the Congress to ask that authority be given to use any means that may be necessary for the protection of our seamen and our people in the prosecution of their peaceful and legitimate errands on the high seas. I can do nothing less. I take it for granted that all neutral governments will take the same course.

Desires No Conflict.

"We do not desire any hostile conflict with the imperial German government. We are the sincere friends of the German people and earnestly desire to remain at peace with the government which speaks for them. We shall not believe that they are hostile to us until we are obliged to believe it, and we purpose nothing more than the reasonable defense of the undoubted rights of our people. We wish to serve no selfish ends. We seek merely to stand true alike in thought and in action to the immemorial principles of our people which I have sought in my address only two weeks ago—seek merely to vindicate our right to liberty and justice and an unmolested life. These are the bases of peace, not war. God grant that we may not be challenged to defend them by acts of wilful injustice on the part of the government of Germany."

Pays Tribute to American Navy.

Paris, Feb. 5.—Rear Admiral Degouy, retired, of the French navy paid a tribute to the officers and men of the American navy in an interview on the submarine issue which he gave to a correspondent of the Associated Press. "Should Germany's new policy," said the admiral, "bring the United States into the European conflict. American sailors may be depended on to give a good account of themselves in fighting submarines which are now on the other side of the Atlantic."

Golden Gate Entrance Guarded.

San Francisco, Feb. 5.—On receipt of a message from Washington this afternoon, United States Collector of the Port J. O. Davis, ordered a torpedo boat to patrol the entrance to the Golden Gate. Davis admitted the action was taken to prevent any vessels leaving without clearance papers. Should interned German ships in San Francisco bay attempt to leave, he said, they will be held up. Special guards have been detailed to watch these ships along the waterfront.

PROVIDES QUIZ OF DULUTH AND TWIN CITY TRADE BODIES

RESOLUTION ADOPTED AFTER LENGTHY APPEAL IN HOUSE—EQUITY SOCIETY TO COME UNDER SEARCHLIGHT.

AMENDMENT BILL GETS GOOD MARGIN IN HOUSE

Proposed Constitutional Prohibition Measure Clears First Hurdle By Vote of 86-44—Prohibits Transportation, Manufacture, Gift, Sale or Barter—Now Up to Senate.

St. Paul, Feb. 2.—An investigation of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, the Duluth Board of Trade and the Equity Co-operative association will be conducted by a special house committee.

The resolution authorizing the investigation, introduced by Representative A. F. Teigen, of Montevideo, has been adopted by the House after a lengthy appeal for such action by the author of the resolution. On motion of Representative Magnus Johnson the portion of the preamble of Mr. Teigen's resolution which criticised the Equity association was stricken out.

An amendment offered by Representative Charles H. Warner referred to the committee on rules the section of the Teigen resolution empowering the committee to employ counsel, clerks and stenographers.

Tax on Futures to Come Up.

Representative Knute Knutson's bill proposing a tax on future trades in grain and stocks will come to the floor of the House, despite the action of the tax committee, which voted 13 to 2 to postpone indefinitely consideration of the measure.

Mr. Knutson forced the issue by asking that the bill be taken from the committee and placed on general orders.

This plan was opposed by Representatives A. F. Teigen, H. H. Harrison and Asher Howard. Their contention was that the tax burden would fall on the farmers.

Dry Amendment Bill Passes.

St. Paul, Feb. 2.—The proposed constitutional amendment for state-wide prohibition cleared the first hurdle when it was passed by the Minnesota House of Representatives by a vote of 86 to 44. Two more hurdles remain —the Senate and the voters of the state.

The measure passed is "bone dry," prohibiting the transportation of liquor as well as its manufacture, gift, sale or barter. The drys themselves took the moisture out of the bill reported by the temperance committee. All efforts to further amend the bill failed.

Prohibition Victory.

The action making the measure "bone dry" by re-inserting the transportation prohibitory clause, while ostensibly fostered by the dry leaders, was, in reality, a victory for the Prohibition party leaders and a defeat for certain leaders of the Minnesota Anti-Saloon league. The latter consented to the "just dry" measure going onto the floor of the House. When the Prohibitionists, headed by W. G. Calderwood, got into the game, enough drys were induced to desert the leadership of the men in charge of the bill so far as the "just dry" feature was concerned.

W. I. Norton of Minneapolis, floor leader of the drys, introduced the amendment re-inserting the word transportation.

Plan Statutory Prohibition Bill.

A statutory prohibition bill is to be introduced in the House, according to the plans of the "ultra-drys." The bill has been prepared and will provide for a "bone dry" law effective January 1, 1919.

Representative A. V. Anderson of Goodhue has been selected to introduce the bill. At least 10 other representatives will affix their names to the measure, according to statements made by prohibition leaders.

The result of the fight over the constitutional amendment proposal has convinced the uncompromising drys that they can pass a statutory bill in the House, Mr. Anderson said.

Pay Day for State Lawmakers.

Thursday was the first payday for members of the legislature and the third for legislative employees. Senators received checks totaling $17,250 and house members $32,500. Senate employees received $4,042 and those of the house $3,620. The total disbursement was $57,412. The next pay day for members will be March 15.

Selling Orders Swamp Market.

New York, Feb. 2.—The stock market broke sharply before an avalanche of selling orders at the opening Thursday, prices showing losses ranging from 1 to 17½ points. U. S. Steel broke 7 to 12 points, opening with 35,000 shares at 105 to 100. Mercantile Marine preferred broke 12½ to 17½. Among the heaviest breaks were Mexican Petroleum, off 11⅞ at 87; Central Leather, 8½ at 75; Republic Steel 12¼ at 64; Cuba Cane Sugar, off 7½ at 38, Atlantic Gulf, 13 at 100; General Motors, off 10¾ at 100.

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RECOGNIZED WORK OF BIRDS

Occasion When Growers of Grain Responded to Appeal to Save Their Friends From Extermination.

Three hundred million dollars' worth of the cotton crop was damaged by the cotton boll weevil in the last year and birds, especially quail, consider such fare a treat and have a fondness for ridding the farmer of the enemies of his crops. What the good birds do in the destruction of insects injurious to man's interests is little short of marvelous.

One year at the headquarters of the National Audubon society a wire came stating: "Birds are dying in Kansas, Nebraska and Missouri in great numbers—result of sleet and snow." In response to the wire $600 worth of grain, seed and chaff was distributed, together with grit, to the birds and saved many of the insectivorous birds and game birds. The postmaster general ordered the rural mail carriers to distribute the feed free of charge.

New Industry for Detroit.

It is estimated that $10,000,000 worth of the 1916-17 fur exports will pass into the American channels before next June. The manufactured product, of course, will more than double these figures, for every one who touches a skin increases the profit which the ultimate purchaser must pay to the ancient industry. The cream of this new business will center in Detroit, one of the big fur manufacturing points of the country, New York, Chicago, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, St. Louis and other cities.

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If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to order a small bottle from his wholesale drug house for you.—adv.

Purity is the essence of heavenly wisdom; it is the pure in heart alone who arrive at this wisdom.—Rutherford.

Self-admiration is apt to cause a man to stretch the truth.

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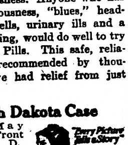

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United States Settlers Becoming Rich on Western Canada Lands.

The large number of United States settlers coming to the Western provinces of Canada are easily explained by the case of Mr. C. Lacy, late of Wisconsin and later of Alberta.

Mr. Lacy came to Canada from Wisconsin in the summer of 1914 with $1,500 available cash in his possession. He rented a half-section of partly improved land in Alberta and commenced summer fallowing. He broke 300 acres with oats, 20 with barley, and 260 with wheat. Also he had two cows and 20 head of young live stock. He was fortunate in buying feed at a bargain and managed to rent the adjoining quarter-section as pasture.

A few weeks ago he decided to realize his profits—and they amounted to $6,000 absolutely clear from the crop and the stock.

W. J. Winstead, of Brooks, Alberta, says:

"I landed in Brooks, March 18th, 1916, with one car of household effects, and nine head of good horses, and less than $500 in cash. I have put $1,500 worth of improvements on my farm. I have 31 head of cattle, 16 head of horses, debts all paid, a new automobile, and a good, stiff bank account. At present prices, I can cash in for $16,000. I am well satisfied, and expect to double this next year.

I have threshed altogether 7,000 bushels of No. 1 Northern wheat from two hundred acres, which went from 24 to 56 bushels per acre.

Seven thousand bushels of wheat, all No. 1 Northern, two thousand bushels of oats, 670 bushels of flax, 700 bushels of barley—all at market prices—well, figure this out for yourself at the market price. I sold 3,100 bushels of wheat at $1.74⅞, am holding the remainder for $2.00. Also all the oats, barley and flax for higher prices."

Intelligent farming pays always according to Alex. Wattie, a prosperous farmer. Some figures to prove his contention that he has "made good."

In 1914 Mr. Wattie threshed 40 bushels to the acre from a 30-acre crop. This sold for $1.60¾ per bushel, which, after deducting seed, labor, twine, threshing and freight, left a clear profit of $50 per acre, or a total of $1,500. From last year's crop of 34 acres, just sold, he received after freight had been deducted, $1,876.94.—Advertisement.

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GUARD INSPECTION DATES ANNOUNCED

FEDERAL OFFICER BEGINS EXAMINATION OF THIRD INFANTRY REGIMENT.

CONFERS WITH GEN. WOOD

Major Settle to Visit Hibbing, Eveleth, Rochester, Zumbrota, Lake City, Red Wing, Stillwater, Lake City and St. Paul.

St. Paul. — Dates of inspection of the Third infantry, Minnesota National guard, have been announced by the inspecting officer, Maj. Douglas Settle, U. S. A., after a conference with Adjt. Gen. Fred B. Wood.

At Duluth Major Settle will inspect Companies A, C and E and the headquarters and supply companies between February 7 and 14 in the order named, and on February 17 the brigade and regimental headquarters. He will go to Hibbing to inspect Company M February 15 and to Eveleth February 16 to inspect Company F. The machine run company at Rochester will be inspected February 20; Company D, Zumbrota, on February 21; the storehouse at Lake City February 22 and 23, and Companies L, Red Wing; K, Stillwater; G, Princeton; B, Anoka, and I, Crookston, on the respective dates between February 24 and March 2, inclusive, and Company H, Olivia, on March 5.

The state storehouse at St. Paul will be inspected March 6 and 7 and the state administration staff, also at St. Paul, on March 8.

Co-operation at "U" Urged.

St. Paul. — A plea for co-operation with the new president of the University, Dr. Marion L. Burton, has been made to more than 200 faculty members of the institution by Fred B. Snyder, president of the board of regents. The occasion was the second midwinter dinner given to the regents by the faculty in the Men's Union.

President Vincent joined Mr. Snyder in counseling loyalty to the new president and asking the faculty to withhold judgment of him until they have had an opportunity for better acquaintance. They cautioned faculty folk against taking too seriously the threatened budget "cuts" that have been taken to mean few if any salary increases at the University.

Dr. L. G. Rowntree, chief of the department of medicine, made the suggestion that friends of the University should interest themselves in the enterprise of seeking endowments for the institution to supplement its support from the state.

Interest in Sanitation.

St. Paul.—Minnesota Communities are fast becoming aware of the dangers associated with improper sanitation, according to H. A. Whittaker, director of the sanitation division of the state board of health, who points to the records of his office as indicative. They show the people are increasing their demands on his office to undertake work for the protection of public health.

The sanitation division is engaged in investigating water supplies, garbage disposal and the sanitary arrangements of certain public buildings.

Order Obliterates Village.

St. Cloud.—The village of El Rose has been obliterated by a stroke of the pen. Judge Roeser in district court signed an order dissolving the village recently incorporated, and declaring the village officers jobless The action was brought on behalf of the attorney general and residents opposed to the incorporation.

It was shown that the village in order to get the proper number of freeholders within its boundaries, was forced to spread out over five square miles, only about thirty acres of which was used for the actual village.

Range Power Company Expands.

Virginia.—Range Supt. H. J. Underhill of the Great Northern Power company, who has returned from a business trip to the East, states that the construction work of his company on the range this season will exceed any previous year. A considerable addition has been made to the range power station here. Much additional machinery has been ordered and will be placed before spring.

Rule Bars Handbills.

Duluth —Candidates for city offices and officials of the "wet" and "dry" forces will be barred from distributing literature, cards or handbills in the spring campaign. This is the interpretation made of the handbill ordinance passed as an emergency measure by the city commissioners during the I. W. W. movement.

Federal Agent Freed.

Duluth.—W. J. Johnson, special officer of the United States Indian service, has been ordered liberated from the Beltrami county jail by Judge Wilbur F. Booth at Duluth. Judge Booth granted the writ of habeas corpus taken out by U. S. District Attorney Alfred Jacques and the effect of the decision is that the state courts have no right to interfere with federal officers. Johnson forced an entrance into a hotel to look for liquor. An employe charged Johnson with pointing a revolver at him.

Heads Sheriffs' Society.

New Ulm.—Sheriff W. J. Julius of New Ulm was re-elected president of the Minnesota Sheriffs' association at the closing session of the annual convention at the courthouse in St. Paul. H. W. McKinnon, Carleton, elected treasurer, is the only new officer. He succeeds W. F. Geiger of Faribault. P. A. Peterson, Ada, is vice president and L. S. Kent, Alexandria, is secretary.

The sheriffs indorsed bills before the Legislature to increase sheriffs' salaries in the three smaller classes of counties and to increase the mileage fees.

Record for February Assets.

St. Paul. — Minnesota began February business in better financial condition than ever before at this time of the year, State Treasurer Rines states. His books at the close of January business showed a balance of $3,055,075.36 cash on hand in the state treasury.

"On February 1 on every other year of its history, the state has had temporary loans outstanding against it," Treasurer Rines said. "This year we have managed to avoid borrowing and thus far have not drawn on deposits in country banks."

Wood Formally Resigns.

St. Paul.—Albert F. Woods, dean of the College of Agriculture of the University of Minnesota, has just tendered his formal resignation at a meeting of the board of regents of the institution, to accept the presidency of the Maryland State College of Agriculture at a salary of $10,000 a year.

The St. Paul educator, who will receive the highest salary ever paid by Maryland to a public official, will leave for his new field of work on July 1.

Militiamen to Be Jobless.

Minneapolis.—The homecoming and mustering out of Minnesota troops now in Texas will leave nearly 1,000 men jobless, according to information made public by Adjt. Gen. Fred B. Wood.

"Lieut. Col. Hugh McGee wired that 569 out of 1,090 men in the First Minnesota infantry at San Antonio, Tex., will need new positions when they are discharged from active service and that the cases of 39 others are doubtful," said General Wood.

Famers Must Waive Claims.

Thief River Falls.—Specially prepared blanks have been furnished to County Commissioners Wold and Peterson to procure relinquishments for damages that might result from straightening, widening and deepening the Red Lake river east of Thief River Falls. The state will not undertake this work of improving the river to aid the drainage problem without these relinquishments.

Red Wing.—Driven by hunger from the woods, covered with heavy snow, wolves are prowling about barnyards and attacking sheep in rural districts about Red Wing In the vicinity of Nerstrand, F. J. Bosshart shot three wolves near the doorstep of his home. The animals appear to be more numerous in this region than ever before. The state pays a bounty of $7.50 for the scalp of each wolf.

Many Towns Ask Reformatory.

St. Paul.—Difficulty in selecting a site for the proposed state reformatory for women is being experienced by the State Board of Control. The board expects, however, to reach a decision soon. Cambridge is the latest town to urge its claims to the proposed new state institution. Watertown, on the Luce Electric line, west of Minneapolis, also is asking consideration.

Elks at Brainerd Carnival.

Brainerd.—The Cuyuna Range Elks will march in the Brainerd Outdoor carnival February 10. Clad in novel regalia, headed by the Ironton band and accompanied by a bevy of queens, the range Elks will invade Brainerd. All the marchers will be uniformed as miners They will wear the regulation miners' slicker coat and helmet with head light.

More Immigrants Come to Minnesota.

St. Paul.—Figures showing that Minnesota continues to lead other Northwest states in receipts of immigrant movables as furnished by the Minnesoto Transfer Railway company, have just been made public by Commissioner Fred D. Sherman of the state immigration department.

I. W. W. Log Rollers' Strike Fails.

Duluth.—The strike of forty-three log rollers and longshoremen here has been broken by the return to work of fifteen strikers, according to officials of the company. It had been stated that the strike was brought about by I. W. W. members. All of the men are unskilled laborers.

Avalanche Crushes Youth.

Bear River.—Charles M. Jacobs, age 24, was crushed to death by an avalanche of debris and stone in the quarry here as he was standing under a ledge watching his team. Other pit men seeing the ledge waver, shouted a warning but it came too late.

Auto Upset; Woman Burned.

International Falls, Minn. Mrs. George Stoffel of Ranier was burned to death, two persons were burned seriously and several others were injured when an automobile bus, which was filled with Ranier people, caught fire from an overturned heater after the car was hit by a Minnesota, Dakota & Western Switch engine at a grade crossing here. Mrs. Mouska, mother of Mrs. Stoffel, and George Anderson, a Ranier banker, are said to be the most seriously hurt.

100 Years Old

"The kidneys play a most important part in causing premature old age and death—the more injurious the poisons passing thru the kidneys the sooner comes decay"—so says a distinguished physician, who further advises all people who are past thirty to preserve the vitality of the kidneys and free the blood from poisonous elements, such as uric acid—drink plenty of water—sweat some daily and take Anuric before meals.

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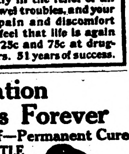

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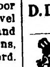

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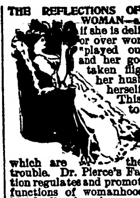

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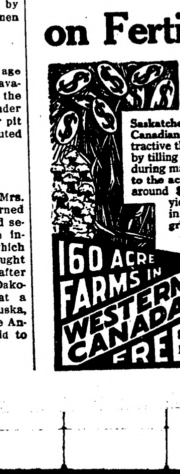

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

Canada extends to you a hearty invitation to settle on her FREE Homestead lands of 160 acres each or secure some of the low priced lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. This year wheat is higher but Canadian land just as cheap, so the opportunity is more attractive than ever. Canada wants you to help feed the world by tilling some of her fertile soil—land similar to that which during many years has averaged 20 to 45 bushels of wheat to the acre. Think of the money you can make with wheat around $2 a bushel and land so easy to get. Wonderful yields also of Oats, Barley and Flax. Mixed farming in Western Canada is as profitable an industry as grain growing.

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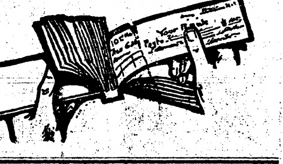

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I will sell to the highest bidder at Public Auction on Feb. 16, 1917 commencing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, in Section 28, Town of Mud Lake, 1 mile South and 1 mile West of Golden Valley and 14 miles East of Holt.

Friday Feb. 16th, 1917

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Tonoline is Beauty Aid

Announces Specialist

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest

To Women

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

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Send me by return mail a 50c box of your celebrated flesh builder. I enclose 10c to help pay postage and packing.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Dec. 1916.

Cream received	6,552 lbs
Average test	25 54
Butter fat	1673.90 lbs
Percent overrun	21 38
Butter made	2033 lbs
Balance on hand last month	30
Received for butter shipped	663 01
Butter and milk sold patrons	6 64
Cash sales at creamery	47 00
Rec'd from other sources	1 74
Total	$718 69
Paid patrons by check	634 86
" " " Butter & milk	6 64
Expense fund, etc.	61 95
Other sources	72
To sinking fund	10 69
Balance on hand	3 83
Total	$718 69

Number of patrons, 49

Price paid for butter fat, 38 1-2c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

John Simonson $41.04.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed and delivered by John F. Tapper, an unmarried man, mortgagor, to Julia Flakne, mortgagee, dated August 12th, 1915, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for Marshall county, Minnesota, on October 26th, 1915, at nine o'clock a. m. in Book 79 of Mortgages at page 121; and which said mortgage was duly assigned by said Julia Flakne to M. P. Shuemaker, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 12th, 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnsota, on January 25th, 1916, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 75 of Mortgages at page 247; and was again duly assigned by the said M. P. Shuemaker to M. H. Evans, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 17th 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota, on January 13th, 1917, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 86 of Mortgages at page 27; that the amount due and claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date hereof is five hundred and fifty-nine dollars and thirty-three cents ($559.33); that the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage are Lot numbered One, of Section Nineteen, and Lots numbered One and Two, and the east half of the northeast quarter, of Section Thirty, in Township one hundred and fifty-six North, of Range forty-one West of the 5th Principal Meridian, in Marshall county, Minnesota, containing 162.55 acres, according to the United States Government survey thereof; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren, Marshall county, Minnesota, on the 26th day of March, 1917, at eleven o'clock a. m., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, together with the costs of such sale, and fifty dollars attorney'y fees stipulated in said mortgage, and the taxes, if any, on said premises.

Dated February 6th, 1917.

M. H. Evans,
Assignee of Mortgagee,
St. Paul, Minn.

L. E. Grossman,
Attorney for assignee of mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota.

A Smooth Hairless Skin for Women.

From Beauty Secrets

With the aid of a plain medol paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with powdered medol. This is applied to the hairs not wanted and after 2 or 3 minutes rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. When you go to your druggist for medol be sure you get the genuine article, and if he will not supply you, the American Proprietary Co. of Boston, will send you a 50c or $1.00 package by mail.

A Slight Difference.

First Father—"What? Your son is an undertaker? Why, I thought you said he was a doctor." Second Paternal Relative—"No; I said that he followed the medical profession."—Harvard Lampoon.

Invented in 1589.

The knitting frame was invented in 1589, by William Lee, a graduate of Cambridge university and a native of Woodborough, near Nottingham, England. So perfect was the invention in every detail that to this day the essential features of the machine continue in use for the class of work to which Lee applied it.

Kilometer.

A kilometer is a length of 1,000 meters, equal to 3,280 feet, or 0.621 of a mile. The kilometer is the chief unit for long distances in the metric system of measurement.

Mines in Warfare.

A land mine in warfare consists of a charge of high explosive buried in the ground and arranged so as to explode when the enemy's troops are [illegible] [illegible] are also used in siege warfare, tunnels being driven under the enemy's fortifications and enormous quantities of high explosive placed in them.

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	3,500
President,	D. B. Bakke
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If you need KIDNECO and have never used it, please send this Coupon below. Do this in justice to yourself and we will help you to get well. This offer itself should convince you that KIDNECO will do what we claim. Certainly, we would not give them to you if we had any doubt of results. You certainly want to be well and should in justice to yourself send this Coupon today.

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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By The

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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

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Local Items

Did your girl get a valentine Wednesday?

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Mrs. C. L. Heinze was a T. R. Falls visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. M. T. Strom and little Alfa went to T. R. Falls Saturday to visit relatives.

Miss Tina Johnson returned home Saturday from a few weeks visit in Hillsboro.

Brekkastran Bros., came Wednesday to make preparations for working on their garage.

H. M. Olson went to Fordville, N. D., Monday to visit his brother for a couple of weeks.

Rev. Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 7:30 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

NOTICE. S. S. Kolden will now pay $4.00 per ton for loose Flax Straw delivered at Holt.

K. O. Flakne returned home Saturday from Minneapolis and left again Tuesday for points south.

Lind Olson of Elbow Lake, visited a few days this week at the home of his uncle Dr. R. L. Olson and family.

Andrew Bjerk visited several days at the home of his daughter in Crookston last week and attended the Farm Crop Show.

S. S. Kolden wants to buy all the flax straw he can get, if well stacked and hauled to town when dry and weather is good.

Boys and girls of the rural schools who wish to take part in an essay contest for $10.00 should write at once to Co. Supt. Johnson for information.

The baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. John Hagberg has been quite sick with bronchial pneumonia. A physician was called Monday and the little child is now some better.

The new Perfection churn came Tuesday and Pete says it works to perfection. It has a capacity of about 1000 pounds of butter and will be a great help during the busy season.

C L. Heinze and family, C. H. Gunheim and family, H. A. Fosholm and wife, Mrs. Ole Johnson and daughter were all pleasantly entertained Sunday at the B. Docken home.

Mrs. A. H. Huseth was taken sick Tuesday afternoon and Mr. Huseth and Dr. Mellby were called that night. At present writing Mrs. Huseth is reported as being somewhat better.

Charles Martel and Mrs. Lillian S. Beck were married Saturday by Rev. M. B. Ordahl, at the home of groom. Mrs. Martel came from Cedar Rapids Ia. and was accompanied here by her friend Mrs. Martha Stantz of the same place.

Black Leg Epidemic

Several farmers in and around Mud Lake township have the black leg among their cattle. The cattle get weak and are unable to get up and eat. Mr. Riesberg telephoned the veterinary at the Crookston experiment station, giving the symptoms, and he said the cattle had the black leg and those that had it would die and the only way to save the others was to vaccinate them.

He recommended that a veterinary be gotten at once to do the work and stop the spread of the disease, which is very contagious. Farmers should do all that is possible to stop the spreading of this epidemic.

Cost of Co. Ditch No. 26.

(From County Auditor's Report)

J. P. Mattson, publishing	$ 8.40
Com. Adolphson, special meet	4.20
" Enge " "	5.30
Sheriff Hanson, postin notices	12.30
Com. Fladeland, spec meeting	10.20
" Lodoen, " "	3.20
" Rokke, " "	5.50
I. Grindeland, chainman	66.00
E. M. Erickson, office work	28.00
R. F. Gilmore, Asst Engineer	308.00
Erick Wagsren, rodman	113.60
Ed Rankin, chainman	95.00
F. V. King, Asst. Engineer	105.00
J. H. Baugh, Engineer	152.00
F. V. King, Asst. Engineer	123.00
W. Braggans, stenographer	164.42
" "	38.40
H. Gunderson, Viewer	123.50
A. Lundquist, "	138.00
Nels Malm "	175.00
Julius Johnson, livery	45.00
H. Hanson, posting notices	19.10

A total of $1733.12 which must be paid by the farmers, regardless of other burdens caused by poor crops and hard times.

Holt farmers first agreed to pay $500 and later another $100 with the understanding it should be paid back if the full amount of $2500.00 raised, was not needed. The Holt State Bank has received a refund of $378.40 which after deducting Holts $100 leaves $278.40 to be divided, in same ratio as signed for, between Holt, New Solum and Excel.

Is the Non-Partisan League a Fake?

The Grand Forks Herald claims to have received information that people who have furnished funds and endorsed notes for A. C. Townley, president of the Nonpartisan league are not finding themselves in an enviable position.

They say it is a matter of common knowledge that in addition to having received the dues of members of the league, Mr. Townley also borrowed heavily on the credit of both local business men and farmers, probably to the extent of about $140000.00 and they want the matter investigated. The league is not incorporated and has no assets and does not even own the two newspapers published in its interests.

But the bankers are not worrying, the farmers are good for all amounts borrowed.

The league wanted to put farmers on the judges bench over in Dakota even those farmers were not qualified for the places. Of course they propose many good things but are just as selfish as other people.

At any rate we would hate to pay the league $16.00 for having them tell us who to vote for. It don't pay to play the fellows game.

Rudolph Releason shot a wolf early yesterday morning.

If speakers are desired for farmers meetings of any kind, they can be had by making early requests to the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston. Can we not have some farmers meetings here?

Annual Church Meeting

The Annual Meeting of The Free Mission Church will be held Thursday Feb. 22nd, 1917, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the church. All interested are requested to attend.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Pigs For Sale!

I have about a dozen pigs that will be six weeks old the last of this month. Price $3.00, each. Will bring them to Holt if orders are given by writing to me at Golden Valley, Minn.

J. S. Gabrielson.

Winner At Farm Crops Show

That Holt and vicinity is on the map is shown by the fact that at the Farm Crops Show held at Crookston last week, John A. Sorum received First Prize and Sweepstakes for Alfalfa seed, which he raised on his farm in Town of East Valley. It's the Grimm's variety and has been successfully raised by Mr. Sorum for several seasons.

Notice For Ice Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Directors of The Farmers Co-Operative Creamery Co., up to two o'clock P. M. Feb. 19th, for hauling about 60 tons of Ice from the cars and packing it in the creamery ice house also furnish necessary saw dust.

Sealed bids for the old churn will be received at the same time as the ice bids.

The Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Nazareth Lutheran Church

Confirmants meet in Holt at 2 o-clock Thursday afternoon Feb. 22nd.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Hans Thompson in Thief Lake, Wednesday Feb. 21st.

Rev. Ordahl is attending a meeting of the Norwegian Lutheran churches which will be held in T. R. Falls, Feb. 16, 17 and 18.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Surmo Feb. 20th. A business meeting of the church will be held and all the men are requested to be present.

The Nazarth Young Peoples Society will meet at home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken Thursday evening Feb. 22nd. Mesdames B. Docken and S. Mickelson will serve the lunch. A debate on woman sufferage will be the principal feature of the evening.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Grygla will hold their first village election the 24th of this month.

The Thief River Falls creamery paid over $100,000.00 to its patrons last year.

The Badger Herald-Rustler is boosting for a municipal electric lighting and power plant for their village.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Age of the Ostrich.

The average age of an ostrich is thirty years, and the annual yield of a bird in captivity is from two to four pounds of plumes.

For Sale!

Good team of horses for sale cheap and on easy terms.

Holt State Bank.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock, sharp

Annual meeting Feb. 22. See the call elsewhere.

Ladies Aid will entertain Thursday Feb. 22. All invited to come.

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 7:30 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

Southeast of Holt.

The Country Life Club was entertained at the home of Peter Michaelson's on Monday evening.

The next meeting will be held at the school house on Saturday evening Feb. 24th. at 7:30 There will also be a debate in connection. The subject will be "Resolve: That city life has more opportunities than country life. A lunch will be served and a fee of ten cents will be charged to raise money for books for the benefit of the club. The following program was rendered at Mondays meeting.

Song Jesus kalder Synders ven, by club Secretarys report. Rec. Country boys creed, by Joseph Hansen. Reading An encounter with an interview by Miss Sandbo. Rec. Somebodys mother, by Thora Moe. Song Den tause midnatstime by club. Rec. Second handed stuff, by Manvel Moe Rec. Farmers creed, by Harry Moe. Song: Den gode Hyrde by Misses Sandbo and Soiney, Rec. Would'ent be a girl by N. Soiney. Rec. The modern housekeeper by M. Johnson Song The Lord is my Shepherd Rec. A kind word. Rec. Easy farming. [illegible] Old Black Joe Rec. Aunt Lizzie Song Tell Mother I'll be there by club. Society Paper by Editor.

Albert Molsted was on the sick list last week.

Julia Johnson returned to T. R. Falls on Saturday where she has a position. She was accompanied by her brother Martin, who returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Guttrud, Mr. and Mrs. A. Steinhauer and son were Sunday visitors at Molstad's.

The following were entertained at the Sordahl home on Sunday afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Soiney, Mr. and Mrs. Moe, Mr. and Mrs. Klungness, Mesdames Sampson and Michaelson.

Trade at home.

Miss Olga Furr visited over Sunday in Thief River Falls.

R. Reierson atteeded the Farm Crops Show in Crockston last week.

C. L. Heinze is shipping a car of tame and a car of wild hay to T. R. Falls, this week.

The Grygla creamery paid Otto Lee $94.10 for the cream he sold them during the month of December, last year.

C. L. Sanberg has sold Martin Kish a bill of lumber for a barn 30x 60 with 14 posts and hip roof, which he will build in the spring.

Don't burn your flax straw. Sell it to S. S. Kolden, local agent of the Kroehler Manufacturing Company of Naperville, Ill., and get your cash for it.

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Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank.

Annual Telephone Meeting

The Holt Telephone Company will hold their annual meeting Feb. 17th at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing officers and to do any other business that will come before said meeting. Meeting will be held at the Woodman hall.

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Little Mamie Peterson is on the sick list.

Ole Hammerness returned here last week Thursday from Minneapolis where he attended an automobile school.

A whist club was organized Tuesday evening. The single men are going to play the married men for the price of a feed.

Andrew Quale of Dakota, who has been visiting relatives at Ada, came up here Monday to visit the Reier and Ole Releson families.

A. D. Stephens, the well known banker of Crookston and vice-president of the Holt State Bank, has bought a controlling interest in a bank at Portland, Oregon and will move there.

Announcements regarding students short courses in farm Husbandry, Stock Raising, Gasoline and Tractor Engineering and Dressmaking are being sent out by the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and will be [illegible] who makes application for them.

The offer of the Youth Companion and McCall's Magazine both for a full year and a 15c McCall Dress Pattern all for only $2.10 will be withdrawn March 31st, on account of the high price of print paper, ink etc. Read their ad in this paper and send us your subscription to day.

Local Representatives Wanted

Jewell products are sold with a guarantee to replace failures.

This requires the services of a local man who has some spare time and can look after the interests of our customers. The work would also include the introduction and sale of new fruit and flowers.

If you are not interested, please call this to the attention of some one you think would welcome the position. If you are interested, write at once for particulars. Adress

Service Department,
The Jewell Nursery Co.
Founded 1868
Lake City, Minnesota

Important Accessory, Anyhow.

The automobile people to the contrary notwithstanding, the best sparking device continues to be a sofa, with the lights turned low.—Judge.

Worse Than Work.

"After a man has loafed awhile," said Uncle Eben, "he generally decides dat he'd rather go to work dan be so lonesome."

Out for the Dollars.

"I hear Rev. Mr. Sharpe intends to resign from the ministry." "Yes. He says there is no money in marrying people, so he intends to practice law and divorce them."

Skunks Enemies of Caterpillars.

A new field of usefulness has been found for the much-ridiculed skunk in the fact that it is a vigorous enemy of the full-grown range caterpillars. Birds are of no service whatever in destroying these large caterpillars, but skunks devour quantities of them, and this is another reason why these little creatures should receive more consideration than they now do.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.61
Wheat No. 2	1.56
Wheat No. 3	1.47
Wheat No. 4	1.30
Flax	2.57
Oats	.45
Barley	.58 to .84
Rye	1.24
Flour, Best Patent	4.95

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. January 17, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Ole A. Christenson, of Holt, Minn., who on March 19th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05141, for Lot 2, SE 1-4, SE 1-4 Sec. 2, SW 1-4, SW 1-4 Sec. 1, and NW 1-4, NW 1-4, Sec. 12, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, [illegible] Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Middle River, Minn., on the 1[illegible] day of March, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Hans Stensrud, Henry Stensrud, S. G. Svenbeson and Ole J. Moe, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

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Can't Loose Hair

Twenty Years from Today a Baldheaded Man will be an Unusual Sight

One of the most prominent druggists of America made a statement a few weeks ago which has caused a great deal of discussion among scientists in the medical press. He said: If the new hair grower, Mildredina Hair Remedy, increases its sales as it has during the past year, it will be used by nearly every man, woman and child in America within 8 years.

When Mildredina Hair Remedy is used almost universally, dandruff will disappear and with its departure baldness, itching scalp, splitting hair and all scalp diseases will follow and twenty years frim now a bald will be a rarity

There is only one way to cure dandruff, and that is to kill the germs. There is only one hair preparation that will kill the germs and that is Mildredina Hair Remedy. This unusual hair restorer with its record of thousands of cures will grow hair on any head where there is any life left; it will cure dandruff, stop falling hair and itching of the scalp in three weeks or money back. It is the most pleasant and invigorating tonic, is not not sticky nor greasy and is used extensively by ladies of refinement who desire to have and to keep their hair soft, lustrous and luxuriant. Fifty cents for a large bottle of druggists everywhere Mail orders filled by American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.

CUT THIS OUT

FREE to show how quickly Mildredina Hair Remedy acts, we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this Coupon to American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass., with their name and address and ten cents in silver to pay postage.

WHAT A JEWELRY FIRM DID

They Invested Some of Their Spare Money in Canadian Lands.

S. Joseph & Sons, of Des Moines, Iowa, are looked upon as being shrewd careful business men. Having some spare money on hand, and looking for a suitable investment, they decided to purchase Canadian lands, and farm it.

With the assistance of the Canadian Government Agent, at Des Moines, Iowa, they made selection near Champion, Alberta. They put 240 acres of land in wheat, and in writing to Mr. Hewitt, the Canadian Government Agent at Des Moines, one of the members of the firm says:

"I have much pleasure in advising you that on our farm five miles east of Champion, in the Province of Alberta, Canada, this year (1916 we harvested and threshed 10,600 bushels of wheat from 240 acres, this being an average of 44 bushels and 10 pounds to the acre. A considerable portion of the wheat was No. 1 Northern, worth at Champion approximately $1.85 per bushel, making a total return of $19,610, or an average of $81.70 per acre gross yields. Needless to say, we are extremely well pleased with our lands."

It might not be uninteresting to read the report of C. A. Wright of Milo, Iowa, who bought 160 acres at Champion, Alberta, for $3,300 in December, 1915. He stubbled in the whole lot of it, and threshed 4,487 bushels Grade No. 2 Northern.

Mr. Wright, being a thorough business man, gives the cost of work, and the amount realized. These figures show that after paying for his land and cost of operation he had $2,472.67 left.

4,487 bushels, worth $1.55 at Champion		$6,954.35
Threshing bill, 11c per bushel	$ 493.57	
Seed at 95c	144.00	
Drilling	160.00	
Cutting	160.00	
Twine	50.00	
Shocking	40.00	
Hauling to town, 3c.	134.61	
Total cost	$1,1[illegible].18	
Cost of land	3,300.00	
	$4,482.18	$4,482.18

Net profit after paying for farm and all cost of operation $2,472.67

—Advertisement.

The Eternal Triangle.

"Mother, I just hate that little Smith girl, and I am not going to play with her any more."

"Why, Mary, dear, what has that litle girl done to you?"

"Well, she hasn't done anything to me, but she gives Bobby half of her apple every recess time before I get a chance to give him half of mine."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

Prayer of the Righteous.

Louise was naughty all day, while Margaret's conduct was most upright. At bedtime the mother said to Margaret: "You were such a comfort to me today when Louise was so trying."

Margaret at once dropped upon her knees and prayed, "Oh, Lord, bless Louise and make her as good as me—if you can."—Harper's.

Finding Fault.

Caller—How pleased you must be to find that your new cook is a stayer.

Hostess—My dear, don't mention it! She's a stayer all right, but unfortunately, she's not a cook.—Boston Transcript.

SYRUP OF FIGS FOR A CHILD'S BOWELS

It is cruel to force nauseating, harsh physic into a sick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Adv.

Caught in the Net.

"Do people ever take advantage of the invitation to use this church for meditation and prayer?" a city verger was once asked.

"Yes," he replied, "I catched two of 'em at it the other day!"—Tit-Bits.

But it's all right for a deaf man to tell his wife everything he hears.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What Is Going On at Washington and In Other Sections of the Country.

WASHINGTON.

Announcement has been made that in spite of the foreign situation the public inauguration ceremonies March 5 will be held as planned.

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The supreme court took no action on the Adamson eight-hour law. The court took a recess until March 5, so an opinion before that day is impossible.

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An emergency appropriation of $500,000 for relief, protection and transportation of American citizens in Europe was asked of congress by Secretary Lansing.

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Secretary Wilson of the Department of Labor ordered all immigration officials to suspend the deportation of undesirable aliens because of the unsettled condition of American foreign affairs.

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The house interstate commerce committee reported favorably the Adamson railway bill providing draft of railway employees into military service in time of war.

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Construction of three coast guard cutters, to be stationed at Beufort, N. C., Detroit and Honolulu is authorized in a bill passed by the senate. An appropriation of $1,350,000 is made for the vessels.

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By a vote of 78 to 5 the senate adopted a resolution submitted by Chairman Stone of the foreign relations committee endorsing President Wilson's severance of diplomatic relations with Germany.

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The announcement has been made by the State department, on the authority of President Wilson, that in case of war between the United States and a foreign country, the government will under no circumstances take possession of the property of subjects of such foreign country.

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The senate, by a vote of 65 to 19, passed the immigration with the literacy test provision over President Wilson's veto. The house had previously taken the same action. Thus ends a long-fought contest of twenty years, during which the bill has been vetoed by Presidents Cleveland and Taft and twice by President Wilson.

DOMESTIC.

Sailing of the American line steamships St. Louis and St. Paul, now in the port of New York, have been indefinitely postponed.

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While endeavoring to reach home during a blizzard, Mrs. C. M. McConnell and three children were frozen to death near Vananda, Mont.

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The American union against militarism has undertaken a nationwide post card referendum of whether the United States should go to war to uphold the rights of its citizens to go into the war zone.

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By an almost unanimous vote the Ohio house of the state legislature passed a bill to put quail on the song bird list and prevent hunters from killing them. The measure now goes to the senate. Under existing law quail may not be killed until 1920.

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The Utah statewide prohibition law, which will become effective August 1, 1917, is one of the most drastic dry laws passed by any legislature. Under its terms mere possession of alcohol is unlawful, except for mechanical, scientific and sacramental purposes.

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The refugee German steamer Kronprinzessin Cecilie, now in the Boston harbor, built at a cost of $4,500,000, has been rendered useless for months by the disabling of her engines, it was discovered by Captain John B. Coyle, an engineer of the United States coast guard service.

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All distilling plants in Kentucky were placed at the disposal of the United States for the production of alcohol to be used in the manufacture of munitions. There are 203 distilleries in the state.

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Albert Campbell, the Cree halfbreed of Le Pas, Manitoba, won the 509.2 dog race from Winnipeg to St. Paul. The three other leaders followed the winner closely bunched, Bill Grayson coming in second, Joe Metcalf third and Gabriel Campbell, brother of the winner, fourth.

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In a serious emergency nearly 18,000,000 men are available for military service in the United States, according to an estimate made by a committee on national defense, appointed by Mayor Mitchell of New York.

Governor Neville of Nebraska sent a message to Wilson, declaring that "Nebraska will uphold you in any contingency that may arise."

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The upper house of the New York legislature passed a bill appropriating $1,000,000 for the expenses of the national guard, naval militia and other organizations called into service in connection with the present international situation.

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Airplanes manufacturers of the United States can turn out 100 machines a week and if urgent necessity arises, from 200 to 300 a week, it was announced at a meeting of the Airplane Manufacturers' association in New York.

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Pledges of loyalty to the United States in the event of war with Germany were made by the German-American National alliance, which claims a membership of 3,000,000, at a meeting of delegates from twenty-eight states at Philadelphia.

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Every one of seventeen war-bound German merchant ships examined by American officials at Philippine ports since the break with Germany has been so badly damaged by her crew that six months or more would be required to make any of them seaworthy, said an official report.

FOREIGN.

A bread card system has been put into operation throughout The Netherlands. A central bread bureau will control distribution of all bread and flour.

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According to Les Nouvelles of Maestricht, Holland, a dynamite factory at Schlebusch, Germany, was blown up on January 27, causing the death of 200 persons, mostly women.

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Three hundred persons suffered death by drowning or freezing on the Japanese steamer Hankaka, which ran aground during a terrific snow storm near Chesso, Shantau Province, China.

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A bill will be introduced in the French parliament shortly providing for the addition of 15 per cent of maize, rye or barley flour to wheat used for bread-making. The stopping of the sale of fresh bread is also proposed.

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In view of the critical situation created by the German submarine campaign, the federal council of Switzerland has decided on a number of measures tending to restrict food consumption. Among these measures are prohibitions on night work in bakeries and the sale of fresh bread.

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"The German-Irish association has been founded in Berlin," says an Overseas News Agency announcement. "T. St. John Gaffney, formerly United States consul general at Munich, who was born in Ireland, is included on the board of directors."

WAR NEWS.

Brazil has duplicated to the Austro-Hungarian government the note which she dispatched to Germany protesting against the Teutonic submarine policy.

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Formal protest has made to Germany by the Peruvian government against sinking by a German submarine of the Peruvian sailing vessel Lorton.

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The Roumanian minister of foreign affairs reports that Germany has begun to transport for internment in Germany all Roumanian males from 16 to 67 years of age.

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During the first nine days of Germany's ruthless submarine campaign a total of seventy vessels were sent to the bottom of the sea. During this period ships were being sunk at the rate of a million tons a month.

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The Swedish government rejected President Wilson's suggestion that other neutral countries join with the United States in severing diplomatic relations with Germany and declared its intention to follow the strictest neutrality as long as it is possible.

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The Dutch legation at Paris issued a statement declaring that all Dutch subjects having military obligations to fulfill, whether in the militia reserve or territorials, must present themselves without delay to the Dutch consulate.

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The destruction of merchant tonnage due to submarines, mines and kindred war causes, was greater during January than in any previous month. The gross tonnage lost 336,997, involving the sinking of 154 vessels, which brings the total destruction during the war to 4,368,766 gross tons, or 2,361 ships.

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The French foreign office has been advised by the Spanish ambassador at Berlin that the German government has broken up reprisal camps at Halle, Cuestrin and Beekaw. A number of French officers have been interned in these camps in retaliation for alleged ill treatment given German officers held prisoner in France.

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The British passenger liner California, 8,622 tons gross, one of the crack ships of the Anchor line fleet, has been sunk off the coast of Ireland, with a loss of a number of lives.

BOARD NEEDS CASH TO LOAN COUNTIES

TAKES STEPS TO DISPOSE OF $4,322,000 OF OTHER STATES' SECURITIES.

HAVE MANY APPLICATIONS

State Officials Believe Pressure for Funds Can Be Relieved If $2,000,000 of Securities Can Be Converted to Cash—Law Prevents Sacrifice.

St. Paul. — Swamped with applications for loans to Minnesota counties, towns and schools, the state board of investment has taken tentative steps toward disposing of $4,322,000 of securities of other states which it holds. State Treasurer Rines and State Auditor Preus were directed to ascertain whether the securities are salable under the requirements that the bonds shall be sold only for as much or more than the state paid for them. It is possible that the two officials will go to New York city to investigate market conditions and report back at the investment board meeting March 5.

The board agreed that the pressure for loans can be relieved greatly if $2,000,000 or more of the securities of other states can be converted into cash. There are on hand now approximately $2,000,000 of approved applications for loans waiting for state funds to be made available.

'Phone Connection Ordered.

St. Paul. — In a first formal order for physical telephone connections under the Minette law of 1915, the state railroad and warehouse commission has directed the Northwestern Telephone Exchange company to connect its local exchange at Owatonna with the toll lines of the Tri-State Telephone and Telegraph company, its strongest competitor, to furnish toll line service to the subscribers and patrons of both companies.

The order is the most important telephone regulation established by the commission since that function was delegated to it and fixes important precedents.

County Spellers at Bee.

Crookston. — Virtually every rural school in this community was represented at the spelling contest held in connection with the Red River Valley Farm Crops Show and Development association convention. The affair was conducted according to the rules of the old-fashioned spelling bee.

Professors H. H. Kildee, W. A. McKerrow and N. E. Chapman of the University of Minnesota farm school made addresses. "Dairying and Poultry Day" was observed.

Virginia Night School Popular.

Virginia. — Since the mass meeting held here to arouse interest in night school work, thirty-three new pupils have been added, and it is believed the attendance will show a substantial increase. A new class has been started at the primary school, with twenty-five in attendance. English is the chief subject taught. Miss Clara Voht of the North side faculty is in charge of the class. The night school classes are being held Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Benson Heads Lutherans.

Stillwater.—The Rev. C. E. Benson of Stillwater has been elected president of the Swedish Lutheran conference of the Chisago district at the closing session of a two-day meeting. The Rev. C. H. Frisk, Taylor Falls was chosen vice president; the Rev. A. W. Knox, Forest Lake, secretary; the Rev. Theodore Seinert, Marine, treasurer; the Rev. Mr. Ofland, Center City, statistician, and the Rev. J. A. Elmquist, Scandia, field representative.

Drainage Benefits Seen.

Minneapolis.—An increase of 50 per cent in the population of the rural districts of Minnesota and a similar increase in the price of agricultural lands within a period of from 5 to 10 years would result if drainage of lands in Minnesota were conducted properly according to E. G. Minter of Slayton, Minn., drainage referee for the 13th judicial district who spoke at the convention of the Minnesota Surveyors and Engineers' society here.

Ore Income $970,000.

St. Paul. — Minnesota's 1916 income in royalties on iron ore from state-owned mines was within $30,000 of the $1,000,000 mark, and broke all previous records, according to final official figures made public by State Auditor J. A. O. Preus. The Leonidas topped the list of state mines, with 1,147,107 tons output for the year, and other important revenue producers were the Missabe mountain, with 539,913 tons and the Helmer with 395,821 tons.

Hibbing Water Supply Imperiled.

Hibbing. — Claiming that allowing water to run continuously during the cold spell is imperiling the water supply for fire and drinking purposes here, F. M. Smith, chairman of the water and light board, issued a warning to close all taps and other sources of water waste. "The supply from the Penobscot, Scranton, the old city well and new well south is overtaxed," stated Mr. Smith, "and all together they do not take care of the present needs. The new well system has not been completed.

Appointments to 10 Boards.

St. Paul. — Governor Burnquist has just announced appointments to ten state boards. New appointments are: John H. Beise, Fergus Falls, to succeed Robert T. Moreland, Worthington, on the State Board of Pharmacy, for five-year term; Clinton E. Conley, Le Sueur, to succeed F. W. Prail, Waseco, on the State Board of Dental Examiners, for three-year term; Dr. J. W. Hawkinson, Luverne, to succeed Dr. F. D. Parker, St. Paul, on the State Board of Osteopathy, for five-year term; Dr. W. L. Boyd, St. Paul, to succeed Dr. W. L. Beebe, St. Paul, on State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, for five-year term.

Reappointments were made as follows:

Automobile examiners, two-year term, Walter S. Milnor, Minneapolis; W. H. Healy, Duluth, and W. O. Larson, St. Paul; dental examiners, three-year term, Glen F. Andrews, St. Paul, and Charles W. Benson, Duluth; nurses' examiners, five-year term, Dr. Jeanette McLaren, St. Paul; visitors' board, six-year term, J. R. Swann, Madison, and Swan J. Turnblad, Minneapolis; live stock sanitary board, five-year term, E. J. Pratt, St. Paul.

The appointments are made effective immediately.

Storm's Death Toll Six.

Minneapolis. — News of the death of Dr. J. L. Pollock of Hanley Falls, Minn., who was frozen to death in snowdrifts near that village, has brought the total of deaths in the storm to six. Dr. Pollock was a brother of Dr. D. K. Pollock of Minneapolis. Minnesota towns, many of them isolated since Feb. 3, have just gotten their heads above the drifts and rail traffic in many cases has been renewed just in time to save the village from fuel famines. With a record of caring for 600 storm refugees from three passenger trains tied up there, Glencoe took the honors for municipal heroism.

Storm Delays Crop Show.

Fairmont. — Because of the snow blockade and irregular train service, the annual Minnesota Crop Improvement convention and show, scheduled to be held at Fairmont February 13-14 and 15, has been postponed until March 6, 7 and 8. President Vincent of the university will speak March 6 and Governor Burnquist on March 7.

C. P. Bull, University farm, St. Paul, secretary of the association says that any exhibits sent for the show with the expectation that it would be held this month will be cared for and displayed in the later dates.

Policemen Quarrel; One Slain.

Aurora. — B. C Belcher shot and killed Julius Gullickson here at the village hall during a quarrel. Both men were employed on the night police force. Belcher gave himself up immediately, waived examination and asked to be taken before grand jury as soon as possible asserting that he acted in self defense and feeling confident that he would be given his liberty. There were no witnesses to the affair and the details were not given out.

Prize for Handless Girl.

St. Cloud. — Susie A. Klaphake, 12 years old, of New Munich, near St. Cloud, has overcome the disability of being handless and has obtained a Palmer button as a prize in penmanship.

A specimen of the girl's work was given to A. N. Palmer, founder of the institution for awarding penmanship prizes, and County Superintendent Boeger has been notified of the award to her.

138,000 Autos in Minnesota.

St. Paul. — There are more than 138,000 automobiles in Minnesota, according to an estimate made by Secretary of State Julius A. Schmahl and based on state licenses issued. Five years ago the number was 17,960. State revenue from sales of automobile licenses totaled $241,007 for the first two years of the current three-year period, against $144,531 for the entire three-year period preceding.

Coal Shortage Hits Mankato.

Mankato. — The city's schools and several public buildings were closed last week because of the coal shortage occasioned by the tie-up of railway traffic following the recent snowstorms. Mayor Lamm made a personal appeal to the railway companies to expedite the shipment of fuel into Mankato.

Tries to Skate 24 Hours.

Pipestone.—Because he failed to stay on the skating floor for twenty-four hours, Will Reimer of Luverne has been forced to pay the skating rink manager $22. Reimer agreed to skate for twenty-four hours without stopping and was to receive $26 if he accomplished the feat.

State Druggists Gather.

St. Paul—More than 1,000 pharmacist were expected to attend the thirty-third annual convention of the Minnesota Pharmaceutical association which opened here Tuesday.

The business sessions took place in the roof garden of The Saint Paul.

Cow Praised As Food Producer.

Crookston.—Feeding and breeding of dairy cattle for profit was discussed in its various phases by H. H. Kildee, department of dairy husbandry, University of Minnesota, college of agriculture, in an address before the Red River Valley Development association metting here. Mr. Kildee pointed out that "of all farm anivals, the dairy cow is the most economical and most efficient producer of human food." Several sectional meetings were held during the day.

BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK "CASCARETS"

Gently cleanse your liver and sluggish bowels while you sleep.

Get a 10-cent box.

Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Adv.

Indian Battleax Found.

A copper banner stone or ceremonial weapon of ancient Indian days, which was recently unearthed in Fond du Lac during the digging of a sewer, is described and pictured in the last issue of the Wisconsin Archaeologist.

The weapon is shaped like an ancient battleax and has two blades and a hole for a handle. It was found six feet in the earth and is believed to have been lost on the lake shore many ages ago, before the lake receded to its present level, or buried by a later generation of Indians. A cache of interesting Indian relics and weapons was dug up in the same city several years ago.

The Test.

What assurance have I that you do not wish to marry me merely for my money?" demanded the heiress.

The impecunious suitor drew himself up proudly.

"Money is nothing to me," he sneered. "I shall be happy in the prospect of never earning a cent in my life, so long as I have you."

And, having put him to the test, she was supremely content.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" To get the genuine, call for full name LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. 25c.

Probably Not.

"The clock is striking twelve," said the impassioned suitor. "Oh, that I might turn back the hands of time for one hour!"

"You might be able to do that, Algernon," said the beauteous maid, "but father will be coming downstairs soon and I'm afraid you couldn't turn him back."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Remedy for H. C. L.

The price of living might not be so high if more people merely ate what they need instead of all they can.—Cleveland Leader.

FALLING HAIR MEANS DANDRUFF IS ACTIVE

Save Your Hair! Get a 25 Cent Bottle of Danderine Right Now—Also Stops Itching Scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scurf.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its luster, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, luster and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance; an incomparable gloss and softness, but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp. Adv.

To Be Exact.

"What is meant by God's acre?" asked the teacher, referring to the expression in the reading lesson.

"It means one hundred and sixty square rods," said Herbert, fresh from the arithmetic class.

The Brief Spell of Confidence.

"She believes every word he tells her."

"How long have they been married?"

"They're not married. They're going to be."—Detroit Free Press.

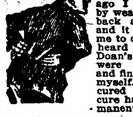
Fortunate is the woman whose husband is as smart as she thinks he is.

When a dentist is buried he has filled his last cavity.

Meat Eaters' Backache

Meat lovers are apt to have backaches and rheumatic attacks. Unless you do heavy work and get lots of fresh air, don't eat too much meat. It's rich in nitrogen and helps to form uric acid—a solid poison that irritates the nerves, damages the kidneys and often causes dropsy, gravel and urinary disorders. Doan's Kidney Pills help weak kidneys to throw off uric acid. Thousands recommend them.

A North Dakota Case


"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Ole Carlson, Hillsboro, N. D., says: "Four or five years ago I was troubled by weak kidneys. My back ached terribly and it was hard for me to do my work. I heard of the good Doan's Kidney Pills were doing others and finally used them myself. Four boxes cured me and the cure has proven permanent."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box
DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

When Love Was Exhausted.

They had just become engaged. He had kissed her long and incessantly and when finally he stopped, the tears came into her eyes, and she said:

"Oh, dearest, you have ceased to love me."

"No, I haven't," he replied. "I just stopped to get my breath."

YES! LIFT A CORN OFF WITHOUT PAIN!

Cincinnati man tells how to dry up a corn or callus so it lifts off with fingers.

You corn-pestered men and women need suffer no longer. Wear the shoes that nearly killed you before, says this Cincinnati authority, because a few drops of freezone applied directly on a tender, aching corn or callus, stops soreness at once and soon the corn or hardened callus loosens so it can be lifted off, root and all, without pain.

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If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

Educator's Opinion.

I believe that organized emotion can never take the place of brains; that Yale's first duty in preparing American citizens, whether for peace or war, is to adhere to rigid standards of discipline and scholarship and well-developed sense of proportionate values.

If our students have these things as a basis, the more they prepare themselves for the possible requirement of military service the better. Without them the spirit of preparedness may become a danger; with them it is a safeguard and a blessing.—President Hadley of Yale University.

Husbands Disposed Of.

They were seatmates in a traction car headed for the port of Terre Haute. The seats are rather narrow, and of course there had to be apologies based on sitting snugly.

"Narrow seats," he said.

"I'll say they are," she said.

That started them toward more intimate conversation. And before the car reached Coatesville she had confessed that she was a widow—twice.

"Had two husbands?" he queried.

"Yep, two of 'em," she confessed. "Sodded one of 'em, and the court took the other one."

Full of Sympathy.

He—Is your sister's fiance rich?

She—Oh, no. Every time mother talks about the wedding father says "poor man!"

You Can Snap Your Fingers at the ill effects of caffeine when you change from coffee to

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"There's a Reason"

IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN THE MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

A Review of Events of the Past Few Days

DID NOT REQUEST ADDITIONAL POWER SO GOVERNOR SAYS

BURNQUIST DENIES THAT HE ASKED LEGISLATORS FOR RIGHT TO CURB DISORDERS CAUSED BY I. W. W.

SOLONS INSIST THAT HE IS "PASSING THE BUCK"

Senators and Representatives Aroused by Statement of Executive That He Does Not Approve Features of Proposed Bill—Does Not Want Responsibility.

St. Paul, Feb. 10.—Governor Burnquist insists emphatically that he did not ask legislators to grant him additional power to curb disorders beyond the control of local officials.

Legislators, who conferred with the executive several times, insist emphatically that Governor Burnquist did ask for additional power to curb disorders.

Statements by the governor that he did not approve certain features of the bill passed by the Senate appropriating $50,000 a year for the payment of deputy sheriffs, aroused senators and representatives. The bill, now being considered by House committees, was drawn only because the governor asked for such legislation, they say. They charge that the governor is simply "passing the buck again."

The governor has made plain his objections to the bill. He said that he didn't want the responsibility for appointing deputy sheriffs to be placed in the hands of the governor. He said that he was not averse to granting sheriffs more power and counties some aid. But, he doesn't want the responsibility or additional power.

"Didn't you suggest to certain senators that you did not have sufficient power to quell such disturbances as those caused by the I. W. W. in the north woods, short of calling out the militia?" the governor was asked.

"When the committee of senators came to me and suggested that the sheriffs be given additional power, I favored the proposal," replied the governor.

"What are your suggestions now as to this legislation?"

Dry Bill Delay Proposed.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—The bill for the submission of a constitutional amendment for state-wide prohibition passed by the House has been amended by the Senate committee on temperance so that the time of operation of the proposed measure is extended 11 months. The change was asked by the wets. The time was changed from January 1, 1920 to December 1, 1920.

By a vote of five to four, the committee changed the House bill, contrary to requests made by George B. Safford, superintendent of the Minnesota Anti-Saloon league.

The I. W. W. believe in direct action, they believe that legislation is too slow a method to right wrongs, they will use any means necessary to gain their ends, they are making no excuse for things they have done.

Minnesota legislators, members of the House committee on labor, were given the above information. Lawmakers sat aghast while George Andreychine, I. W. W. agitator, expounded the doctrines of the organization. For the first time, some of them realized the seriousness of the situation. An official I. W. W. circular gave the legislators more food for thought.

To Reform Primary Election Law.

St. Paul, Feb. 10.—The first step in proposed reform of the Minnesota primary election system was taken when Representative John M. Harrison of Minneapolis introduced a bill designed to remedy the evil of minority nominations by a return to a modified convention.

The measure, patterned after the Iowa law, leaves the primary law intact, except as to minority nominations. It provides supplementary conventions to make nominations where candidates have not received a specified percentage of the vote cast in the primary. The conventions are also authorized to draft platforms.

To Regulate Tobacco Sales.

St. Paul, Feb. 10.—Regulation of the sale of all sorts of tobacco and prohibition of its use by or sale to minors are provided for in a bill introduced in the Minnesota senate by Senator E. E. Lobeck. The measure proposes licensing all dealers by the dairy and food commissioner, retailers to pay $50 and wholesalers $100 each two years. Selling to minors is punishable by revocation of license.

Authors Explain Bill.

St. Paul, Feb. 8.—Representatives of the Farmers' Non-Partisan league in Minnesota were seeing hobgoblins when they shied at the two "blue sky" bills introduced in the House of Representatives, it is charged.

A denial that the two bills, identical in text, destroying the negotiability of promissory notes given to agents, solicitors and peddlers, were aimed at the league, has been made by all of the authors.

Instead of being new bills, drawn at this session, Sherman W. Child, a coauthor of one of the bills, pointed out that the measure had been drawn by his father, S. R. Child, and himself. The bill was passed by the House in 1913 and was supported by the farmers at that time, he said.

Officials of the league have been told that they would be permitted to submit amendments correcting any of the provisions that they thought were directed at them. Such amendments are now being drafted.

Recommendation that the bill repealing the boxing law be passed has been made by the Senate committee on general legislation. After a public hearing in which the operation of the law was scathingly condemned by representatives of the Y. M. C. A. and churches of Minneapolis the committee voted to report favorably on the repeal measure, 9 to 2.

This brings the fight against the repeal to the floor of the Senate, and in the opinion of many to the House. The boxing law passed the Senate with but one vote to spare, 35 to 32, in 1915, and its opponents unhesitatingly claim enough switches to carry the repeal bill.

House Supports Wilson.

St. Paul, Feb. 7.—Ernest G. Strand, Socialist, from Two Harbors, went on record in the Minnesota House of Representatives as being opposed to any resolution supporting the President of the United States in the present crisis.

Representative Strand was the only member who raised his voice in protest against a resolution pledging support to the President. Every other member of the House voted for the resolution by a rising vote. Strand was hissed by his fellow members.

The farmers in the House of Representatives have had another inning. They passed, by a vote of 93 to 2, an anti-discrimination bill introduced by Magnus Johnson.

The bill would prohibit old line elevator companies from paying more for grain at any one point than at others "for the purpose of creating monopolies."

Representatives Gleason, Devold, Lang and Lennon introduced a bill repealing the present workmen's compensation law.

Leaders of the Farmers' Non-Partisan league charged that an attempt is being made in the legislature to cripple the mmebership campaign of the organization in Minnesota.

To Re-Enact Elwell Road Law.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—A bill to re-enact the Elwell outside road law, repealed by the 1915 legislature, has been introduced in the state senate. Backers of the measure said it was designed to eliminate objectionable features that led to the repeal of the former law.

Drawn by former Senator J. T. Elwell, Minneapolis, the new bill was introduced by Senators J. W. Andrews, Mankato; C. E. Adams, Duluth; J. H. Baldwin, Frazee; L. H. Nord, International Falls, and O. H. Griggs.

One objection to the former law was that it adopted the drainage ditch law principles to the construction of roads, whereas the measure just offered is selfcontained. The new act provides that a petition for construction of an Elwell road, to be known as a "state rural highway," must be signed by a majority of the resident landowners benefitted. The old law required only three signatures. The new bill provides that such a petition must be approved by both the board of county commissioners and the state rural highway commission before the road is ordered.

Statutory "Dry" Bill Introduced.

St. Paul, Feb. 8.—Statutory prohibition that is intended to make Minnesota the dryest of all "bone dry" states, is provided in the bill backed by the St. Paul radical drys and introduced in the Minnesota House of Representatives by A. V. Anderson, W. L. Bernar, Theodore Christianson, James Cummings, P. J. Frye, H. A. Putnam, C. S. Ryberg, Oscar Stenvick, and W. I. Nolan.

The bill was referred to the committee on temperance.

Meanwhile the Senate temperance committee held a public hearing on the constitutional prohibition bill passed by the House. Dry workers attended this meeting in force, while a sprinkling of representatives of the liquor interests were prepared to make a fight to kill the bill in the Senate.

I. W. W. Probe Concluded.

St. Paul, Feb. 7.—The house labor committee's investigation into industrial conditions in northern Minnesota has come to an end so far as the taking of testimony is concerned, according to Chairman George L. Siegel.

AMERICANS TAKEN BY GERMAN RAIDER HELD AS HOSTAGES

SEVENTY-TWO U. S. CITIZENS DETAINED PENDING NEWS OF STATUS OF INTERNED TEUTON SHIPS IN AMERICAN PORTS.

AGREEMENT LIBERATING SEAMEN IS RESCINDED

Foreign Secretary Acts on Rumor—Requests Swiss Government to Make Inquiry—Teuton Vessels in Two Classes—Only Warships Are Interned by U. S.

Berlin, Feb. 13.—Foreign Secretary Zimmerman declares he has requested the Swiss government to make inquiry in Washington regarding the status of the crews of interned German ships in American ports.

Pending an answer, the 72 Americans taken by the German raider and brought in by the Yarrowdale, whose release had been agreed to, are being held in Germany, the foreign secretary stated.

Rumors Reach Berlin.

During the last week recurring rumors have reached Berlin by way of London in which it was announced that the United States government had sequestered the German ships and interned their crews. No definite official denial having been received the government was prompted to ask the Swiss government to obtain specific information.

"We could not consent to the release of the Yarrowdale prisoners which was taken to be agreed to a week ago," said the foreign secretary.

To Await News from U. S.

"These men had been taken off armed merchantmen and their status had been established. They will be liberated just as soon as we learn the fate of the German crews in American ports."

The release of the Yarrowdale prisoners was agreed to with Ambassador Gerard on the eve of the break in relations, but the possibility of the German crews being interned in the United States prompted the admiralty to rescind the orders liberating the Americans held with the rest of the Yarrowdale prisoners.

Divided in Two Classes.

Washington, Feb. 13.—There are two classes of German ships in American ports. Those interned are war vessels such as the commerce raiders Prinz Eitel Frierich, Kron Prinz Wilhelm and Geier at Honolulu. The crews of these vessels, as well as the ships being part of the German naval forces which have taken refuge in neutral harbors, are interned as prisoners for the duration of the war under provisions of international law and the Hague conventions. The status of warbound German merchantmen is different, and so is the status of their crews. The merchant ships are not interned in any sense of the word but are remaining in the harbor of refuge.

IS SUNK IN NEUTRAL HARBOR

Greek Ship Torpedoed in Canary Islands, By Germans.

New York, Feb. 13.—A German submarine entered the neutral Spanish harbor of Las Palmas, Canary Islands, December 6 and sank the Greek steamship Spyros, according to two of the seamen who have arrived on the steamship Moro Castle.

The sailors arriving here said the Spyros put into Las Palmas on her voyage for Hull, England. The U-Boat entered the harbor, they asserted, and notified the captain to abandon his ship within 40 hours, at the end of which time it would be destroyed, and the threat was fulfilled.

BLIZZARD IN NEW ENGLAND

Coldest Weather of Winter Reported At Many Points.

Boston, Feb. 13.—The coldest weather of the winter is reported by a number of points in New England. Minimum temperatures during the night ranged from 24 degrees below zero to 6 above. In Boston the minium was zero. Northfield, Vt., showed a minimum of 24 below.

Oppose Arming Merchant Ships.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Senator La Follette, Wisconsin, Republican has offered a joint resolution to make unlawful the arming of American merchant ships while the United States is not at war. La Follette asked that the resolution lay on the table to be called up later for further consideration.

Probe Fails to Worry Packers.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Chicago packers are not in the least worried over the prospect of a government investigation into the high price of foods, especially meats, and are waiting unconcerned for any action that Hinton G. Clabaugh, head of the local branch of the department of justice make take. "I see no reason to believe that the investigation asked by President Wilson will be directed especially against packing interests here," J. Ogden Armour said. "I don't think the packers have anything to fear."

ACTRESS TELLS SECRET.

A well known actress gives the following recipe for gray hair: To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Intellectually Murdered.

Randolph Bourne, an editor of the New Republic, in an address recently said American colleges are institutions in which youths are "intellectually murdered," and the efficiency system upon which universities operated has resulted "in a card-index system of education impersonal and materialistic." This indictment is true as to the field, but there are many institutions that are not so—those that consult the spirit more than the intellect, and that construct purpose and aspiration rather than devote themselves to learning and knowledge. The fact is that the end of education will never be reached or mankind be substantially advanced until the spiritual dominates the intellectual in the training of the youth. It is hard for scholars to understand that the intellectual is materialistic, but it is.—Ohio State Journal.

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"Don't you get awfully tired of having men come up and declare they've always voted for you and always will?"

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A Remedy.

He—My brain is on fire.

She—Why don't you blow it out?—Chicago News.

Appropriate Warning.

"That man is as deep as a well."

"Well, don't go to boring him."—Baltimore American.

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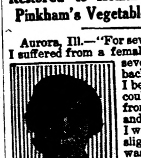

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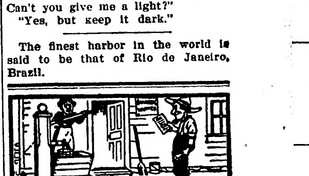

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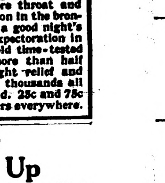

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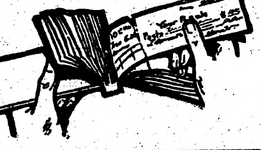

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Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand therein above the turbulence of the [illegible] Trinities and Sanctities.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed and delivered by John F. Tapper, an unmarried man, mortgagor, to Julia Flakne, mortgagee, dated August 12th, 1915, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for Marshall county, Minnesota, on October 26th, 1915, at nine o'clock a. m. in Book 79 of Mortgages at page 121; and which said mortgage was duly assigned by said Julia Flakne to M. P. Shuemaker, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 12th, 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota, on January 25th, 1916, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 75 of Mortgages at page 247; and was again duly assigned by the said M. P. Shuemaker to M. H. Evans, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 17th 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota, on January 13th, 1917, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 86 of Mortgages at page 27; that the amount due and claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date hereof is five hundred and fifty-nine dollars and thirty-three cents ($559.33); that the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage are Lot numbered One, of Section Nineteen, and Lots numbered One and Two, and the east half of the northeast quarter, of Section Thirty, in Township one hundred and fifty-six North, of Range forty-one West of the 5th Principal Meridian, in Marshall county, Minnesota, containing 162.55 acres, according to the United States Government survey thereof; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren, Marshall county, Minnesota, on the 26th day of March, 1917, at eleven o'clock a. m., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, together with the costs of such sale, and fifty dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, and the taxes, if any, on said premises.

Dated February 6th, 1917.

M. H. Evans,
Assignee of Mortgagee,
St. Paul, Minn.

L. E. Gossman,
Attorney for assignee of mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota.

A Smooth Hairless Skin for Women.

From Beauty Secrets

With the aid of a plain medol paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with powdered medol. This is applied to the hairs not wanted and after 2 or 3 minutes rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. When you go to your druggist for medol be sure you get the genuine article, and if he will not supply you, the American Proprietary Co. of Boston, will send you a 50c or $1.00 package by mail.

A Slight Differnce.

First Father—"What? Your son is an undertaker? Why, I thought you said he was a doctor." Second Paternal Relative—"No; I said that he followed the medical profession."—Harvard Lampoon.

Invented in 1589.

The knitting frame was invented in 1589 by William Lee, a graduate of Cambridge university and a native of Woodborough, near Nottingham, England. So perfect was the invention in every detail that to this day the essential feaures of the machine continue in use for the class of work to which Lee applied it.

Kilometer.

A kilometer is a length of 1,000 meters, equal to 3,280 feet, or 0.621 of a mile. The kilometer is the chief unit for long distances in the metric system of measurement.

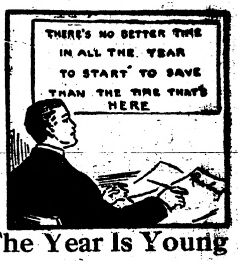
Mines in Warfare.

A land mine in warfare consists of a charge of high explosive buried in the ground, and arranged so as to explode when the enemy's troops are over it. Mines are also used in siege warfare, tunnels being driven under the enemy's fortifications and enormous quantities of high explosive placed in them.

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	3,500
President,	D. B. Bakke
V. President,	A. D. Stephens
Cashier,	B. Docken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Smiply fill out the Coupon below and send it to us today, and we will send you a box of Kidneco by return mail. This is our free gift and we make it because it seems the quickest way to convince you of the merits of these tablets. Then our only request will be that you tell your sick friends what they have done for you. When we at our expense have helped you to get well, we wish you to help us by telling your friends about it. Do this for the good of suffering humanity. In this way we have seen one cure lead to hundreds of other cures; that is why we make this remarkable offer.

If you are suffering from any of the following diseases, you should send to us today for a 25c box of KIDNECO FREE, as these diseases yield at once to its wonderful curative powers. We have seen thousands of these troubles ended in a week, though they have resisted every other remedy known to science.

Bad Blood, Kidney Complaint, Highly Colored Urine, Brick Dust in Urine, Tube Casts, Hemmorage of Kidneys, Bright's Disease, Urinary Troubles, Sudden Stoppage of Urine, Gravel, Stone in the Bladder, Irritation of the Bladder, Dribbling, Retention of Urine, Straining after Urinating, Pain or Frequent Calls, Weak Kidneys, Uric Acid, Pass Blood or Mucus in Urine, Backache, Pain in Urethra, Catarrh of Bladder or Bowels, Ulceration of the Bladder, Rheumatism, Pain in Joints or Hips, Diabetes, Scanty Urine, Thick or Sluggish Urine, Gall Stone, Gastric Acid.

If you need KIDNECO and have never used it, please send the Coupon below. Do this in justice to yourself and we will help you to get well. This offer itself should convince you that KIDNECO will do what we claim. Certainly, we would not give them to you if we had any doubt of results. You certainly want to be well and should in justice to yourself send this Coupon today.

Kidneco costs 25c, 50c and $1.00 a Package

THIS COUPON with Ten Cents in Silver for Postage, etc., entitles the holders to one 25c Package of Kidneco FREE. Address Dept. M. The Kidneco Co., Boston, Mass

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Mrs. Oklee went to Minneapolis Wednesday.

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Miss Hilma Nyberg returned home Wednesday from a few weeks stay [illegible]

Mrs. Amanda Fosholm returned Wednesday from a few days visit with her aunt Mrs. Fodstad east of T. R. Falls.

Mrs. Oswal Holl returned home Monday from Spooner where she had been visiting her daughter Mrs. E. T. Eide.

Hjalmer Johnson got the job of filling the creamery ice house for $[illegible], or $36 if he has to haul two loads of sawdust.

[illegible] Sollom and son Theodore visited [illegible] homestead in Mud Lake, a couple of days last week.

Dr. Mellby was called again Monday to see Helmer Udstrand who has been sick for a couple of weeks.

Announcement

New Garage!

I will open a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building about March 15th

New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

Ole Hammerness

Holt - Minn.

K. O. Flakne went to T. R. Falls Monday on business.

A. L. Carlson was re-elected director at the annual meeting of the Holt Telephone Co.

Come to Holt next Thursday and help organize a farmer's club, elevator and shipping association.

John Leslie is obliged to give up farming on account of his wife's health. He will have a public sale next Tuesday. Read his Ad. on the back page.

Alex McConochie of Fillmore Co., was here the past week on business. He is well pleased with the country and expects to return here later and invest in land.

Mrs. Docken returned home Tuesday from a weeks visit with her parints in T. R. Falls and her sister Mrs. Halverson in Hillsboro.

Sen. Hegnes has introduced a bill in the state senate which if it passes will place the office of register of deeds of this county on a salary basis. Let the good work go on.

Some More Ditch Tax

Last week we copied from the official financial report of the county auditor, the expenses of ditch No. 26, beleiving it to be correct.

Monday of this week the Holt State Bank received a copy of "Warrents issued on county ditch No. 26."

There are thirteen more items given in this copy, as follows:

J. P. Mattson	pub notices		$69.50
W. O. Braggans,	reporting		10.00
H. C. Hanson	post notices		21.50
A. Lundquist	Viewer		21.75
Nels Malm			22.25
H. Gunderson			13.88
A. N. Eckstrom	Attorney		100.00
Com. Fladeland	final	hearing	3.00
" Enge	"	"	3.00
" Adolphson	"	"	3.00
" Rokke	"	"	3.00
" Lodoen	"	"	3.00
A. Lundgren	office service		114.60

Making an additional expense of $388.48 and a grand total of $2121.60

Altho no letter accompanied the above copy of warrants, it is easily figured out that the $378.40 which was sent the Holt State Bank, is the refund in full, or all the taxpayers will ever get back.

Therefore it follows that this last amount includes the first $100.00 that Holt was to have and leaves $278.40 to be divided between the five townships of Holt, Excel, New Solum, Newfolden, and Marsh Grove.

A Serious Accident

Henry, the 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fosholm, was the victim of a very serious injury on Tuesday. During the noon hour the boys of his home school were playing in the basement with a cartridge that had some powder in it. One of the boys lit a match, the powder went off and struck Henry in the eye. His father imediately took him to the hospital in T. R. Falls, where it is reported they can save the sight of the eye.

For Sale!

Good team of horses for sale cheap and on easy terms.

Holt State Bank.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Oldberg and Tunheim shipped two cars of cattle Saturday.

Read the Community Day Ad in this paper and be sure to attend the meeting next Thursday.

Mrs. Iver Engebretsen and daughter Amy were visitors in T. R. Falls Monday and Tuesday.

A. H. Huseth who had been here during his wife's sickness, returned Tuesday to his work in T. R. Falls.

Sheriff Hanson was in this vicinity Tuesday on official business.

The printing plant of the Red Lake Falls Gazette was totally destroyed by fire early Thursday morning of last week.

Sam Mickelson was a business visitor in Warren Tuesday.

Mrs. A. L. Carlson and her brother Elmer Sollom went over to Newfolden Monday for a few days visit at the Arvid Carlson home.

Ole Hammerness went to Canada Monday to close up his business affairs there. He will return here about March 1st. to get ready for opening up a garage in the Reierson building which he has purchased.

Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank.

Southeast of Holt.

Amund Sordahl returned home on Thursday from a few weeks visit at Lanmore North Dak. He was accompanied by his uncle Tellef Johnson who will remain here for an indefinite time with his brothers Nels Sordahl and Gjermund Johnson.

The following were Sunday visitors at the Albert Klungness home: Misses Alice Sollom, Margaret and Thora Bergland, Messrs. Olaf Bergland Arne and Amund Sordahl and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hansen.

Several people from this locality were in attendance at the church conference held at Thief River Falls on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The Moe brothers are busy chopping cord wood for T. S. Brokkee.

The Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. G. A. Solney at her home, the 2nd. Thursday in March.

School closed in Dist. 159 for a few days on account of the teacher and pupils having the mumps.

Engeborg Olson the aged sister of Mrs. Signe Molstad, has been very ill for the past three weeks.

Amund Sordahl left on Monday for Kansas City Mo. where he will take up a course at the Sweeney automobile school.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes. Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

East Valley News

Rev. and Mrs. Ordahl visited in East Valley last week.

A large crowd attended the Ladies Aid at Carl Surmos.

The Y. P. S. met at Albert Jahr's the last time.

Miss Helen Johnson was a middle River visiter last Saturday and Sunday.

Holt Dray and Livery

H. Peterson, Prop.

Auto Livery

In connection with teams and rigs

Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson

Holt, Minn.

Stiener News

L. Meyer was hauling wood and potatoes to T. R. Falls last week.

Mrs. Omer Warring went to Thief River Monday.

Mabel Rogers left the first of the week for Thief River Falls.

Celia Sawgen was an over Sunday visitor with her parents.

Omer Warring went to T. R. Falls the past week.

Joe Russell is hauling wood from Mr. Sulens.

Nick Baker was a caller at Stiener last week.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

-COMMUNITY-

DAY IN HOLT

THURS MAR 1

Given under the auspices of the

Farmer's Co-Op. Creamery

All the Farmers in this vicinity are cordially invited to come to Holt, Mar. 1, to enjoy a general good time

There will be a good speaker to talk on

Community Co-operation

And other subjects of interests. Entertaining Program being arranged for

One of the objects of this gathering is to discuss the matter of organizing an

Equity Association which will include a

Farmer's Elevator, Shipping Assn. & Club

Free Lunch 11 a m to 1 p m

The business men have arranged to give the farmers a free hot lunch from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. Get your lunch tickets at the M. W. A. Hall.

Speeches and Program, M. W. A. Hall, 1 p. m. Sharp

Come One, Come All and fill the Hall

Ringbo Rumbles

Miss Alice Johnson called on Sophie Johnson Monday evening of last week.

Miss Hazel Davidson and Hilda Erickson called at G. P. Sorter's last Sunday.

Miss Anna Sorter called on Alice Johnson last Wednesday.

The Rag Ball social held at the Ringbo school was well attended in spite of the bad weather. Quite a sum of money was taken in.

Messrs Oliver Grondahl and Hilmer Davidson called at P. G. Sorter's Sunday.

Misses Sophie Johnson, Flora Culver, Alice Johnson and Jensine Udstrand spent Sunday evening at Chas. Skoglund's.

Miss Lizzie Hanson is visiting at G. P. Sorter's.

Miss Esther Movik returned from T. R. Falls last week where she has been visiting.

Misses Sophie Johnson and Flora Culver spent Sunday afternoon at Gunder Sorter's.

Messrs Pete Sorter and Oliver Grondahl, called at Ole Davidson's Sunday.

Miss Jensine Udstrand called on Sophie Johnson Tuesday evening.

Messrs. Hilmer and Oliver Davidson, Pete Sorter and Willie Larson spent Sunday evening at G. Sorter's.

Elef Sorter, and son Selmer have been on the sick list but is now improving at this writing.

Another bad blizard swept over Ringbo last Friday evening.

A bunch from Sunnyside called at George Hanson's place Sunday.

Hilda Erickson, Mary Rude, Ed. Davidson and Olive. Grondahl called at the Carl Skoglund home Sunday afternoon.

The Messes Pete Sorter, Oliver Davidson, Hilmer Davidson, and Oliver Grondahl called at Rude's Sunday evening.

As Hilda Erickson and Mary Rude were walking home from Davidson's one evening last week, they saw something coming towards them from the field. Thinking it might be wild animals they ran nearly half a mile before discovering it was only two of Henry's pigs out for a stroll.

Ervine Rude and Eneas Erickson are out each day hunting wolves. [illegible] Eneas was fortunate enough to get one.

Hazel Davidson, Mary Rude, Hilda Erickson, Adolph Johnson, Ervine Rude, and Eneas Erickson went out for a sleigh ride to Holt Monday. The snow was so deep in some places they had a hard time getting through, but all had a jolly time just the same.

The Roseau creamery had 101 patrons last year and paid them over $25000.00.

We learn from the Duluth Herald that Editor Carter, of the T. R. Falls News-Press, died suddenly of heart trouble at a hotel in Chicago, Monday of this week.

Considerable interest is being taken in the Northwest School of Agriculture essay contest. The prizes of $10.00 each are to be awarded, one to boys and the other to girls. The boys will write on "The advantage of an agricultural education. The girls will write on "The advantage of securing school training in home making. The awards will be made during the latter part of March.

"CASCARETS" ACT ON LIVER; BOWELS

No sick headache, biliousness, bad taste or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box.

Are you keeping your bowels, liver, and stomach clean, pure and fresh with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days with Salts, Cathartic Pills, Castor Oil or Purgative Waters?

Stop having a bowel wash-day. Let Cascarets thoroughly cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will make you feel great by morning. They work while you sleep—never gripe, sicken or cause any inconvenience, and cost only 10 cents a box from your store. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never have Headache, Biliousness, Coated Tongue, Indigestion, Sour Stomach or Constipation. Adv.

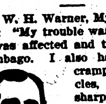
The Proof.

"Does love really blind a man?"

"It must, when you see the way girls put powder on their noses."

A MINISTER'S CONFESSION

Rev. W. H. Warner, Myersville, Md., writes: "My trouble was sciatica. My back was affected and took the form of lumbago. I also had neuralgia, cramps in my muscles, pressure or sharp pain on the top of my head, and nervous dizzy spells. I had other symptoms showing my kidneys were at fault, so I took Dodd's Kidney Pills. They were the means of saving my life. I write to say that your medicine restored me to perfect health." Be sure and get "DODD'S," the name with the three D's for diseased, disordered, deranged kidneys; just as Rev. Warner did, no similarly named article will do.—Adv.



Oil From Fruit Stone Kernels.

Germany is preparing to take steps toward relieving her shortage of oils and fats by extracting an oil from the kernels of fruit stones, such as the pits of the plum and the cherry, both of which grow freely there. The pits are boiled in a calcium chloride solution, which separates the kernel from its shell. The oil is expressed from the kernel. The chief difficulty lies in the fact that the kernels of such fruits, especially the peach, contain minute quantities of hydrocyanic acid, sometimes called oil of bitter almonds. This is extremely poisonous, but special methods have resulted in its presence being reduced to a mere negligible trace, according to the reports.

They're All Alike.

"To elevate the stage," said Augustus Thomas, at the Players' club in New York, "to elevate the stage would be an easy enough job if there weren't so many people like the new Shakespeare club.

"I said to the treasurer of this organization:

"'I understand your new Shakespeare club is a great success.'

"'Great success? You bet your sweet life it's a great success,' he answered warmly. 'Why, we accumulated enough in fines for nonattendance during the first month to take us all to a box party at the musical comedy of "Back Up Bettina."'"

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combined with good judgment counts in business now-a-days.

Grape-Nuts
FOOD

supplies balanced nourishment for sturdy muscles and active brains.

"There's a Reason"

No change in price, quality or size of package.

DRUGGISTS URGED TO ASK NEW LAWS

MUST TAKE MORE ACTIVE PART IN POLITICS, STATE ASSOCIATION IS TOLD.

450 GUESTS ATTEND BANQUET

Members of Minnesota Legislature and State and City Officials Are Entertained—Many Prominent Speakers.

St. Paul. — "To get the necessary legislation to prohibit the use of trading stamps or coupons, retail druggists must take a more active part in politics," Eugene C. Brokmeyer of Washington, general attorney of the National Association of Retail Druggists, said to the members of the Minnesota State Pharmaceutical Ass'n. in session here. About 450 guests attended the annual banquet of the association, and at least fifty more could not be accommodated.

Members of the State Legislature and state and city officers were guests of the association. H. W. Reitzke of St. Paul served as toastmaster.

Among the prominent speakers were: Prof. Henry Kraemer, editor of the American Journal of Pharmacy and dean of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy; Mayor V. R. Irvin, Thos. W. Potts, Chicago, secretary of the National Association of Retail Druggists; F. J. Willing, dean of the college of pharmacy, University of Minnesota; C. D. Johnson, Brainerd; Charles H. Huhn, Minneapolis, and others.

Following the dinner the women adjourned to play cards, while the men enjoyed a smoker.

Would Supervise Schools.

St. Paul. — State supervision of private schools in Minnesota is recommended by the state child welfare commission in a final report adopted for presentation to Governor Burnquist. "Closer co-operation between public and private schools will be recommended," said W. W. Hodson, secretary of the commission.

Need for legislation on this subject was suggested to the commission by C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education, in a recent communication.

While private schools are doing excellent work, the superintendent stated, there is no official knowledge that they fit modern American life and ideals.

Vincent Addresses Scribes.

St. Paul. — How the newspaper has at different periods in the history of the nation accurately reflected the prevailing social and political conditions, and, by reason of this, has become recognized as a leading element in all public affairs in the community it serves, was explained by President George E. Vincent of the University of Minnesota to fifty editors of the state who attended the opening session of the three-day short course at the college of agriculture.

State's Support Pledged.

Minneapolis. — Secretary of State Schmahl has pledged the loyal support of 2,250,00 citizens of Minnesota to President Wilson and the national government in facing the foreign crisis. Mr. Schmahl's pledge was made in seconding resolutions introduced by Eli Torrance at the twenty-eighth Lincoln banquet of the Minnesota Commandery of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion at the West hotel.

Minnesota Poles Loyal.

Virginia. — Announcing their allegiance to the American flag and loyalty to the President, Polish residents of northern Minnesota sent a telegram to President Wilson. Representatives of the following Polish societies were signed: Society of John Sobieski, Polish Falcons, Koscioski society, and the St. John Baptist society.

State Gets Small Land Fund.

St. Paul. — State Auditor Preus received $357.68 from the federal government, representing 5 per cent of the net proceeds of sales of United States public lands in Minnesota during the last fiscal year. The comparatively small remittance is regarded as an indication that demand for public lands is decreasing.

Road System Big Business Project.

St. Paul. — The state road system is a bigger business project, considering mileage and cost, than many railroads, according to George W. Cooley, secretary and engineer of the State Highway commission, who is working on his annual report, containing some impressive figures regarding the highways of the state.

River Torpedo Boat for St. Paul.

St. Paul, Minn. — St. Paul, according to Captain Guy Eaton and Executive Officer C. W. Kelly, naval officers of Duluth who were here recently to inspect the local division of the naval militia, stands an excellent chance of getting a torpedo boat for militiamen here. "If the local division can get the right kind of support and the branch here is recruited up to not fewer than ninety men, I will recommend that a torpedo boat be stationed here," Captain Eaton stated while here.

Farmers Grain Dealers Meet.

Minneapolis. — The proposal to put the financial management of farmer elevator companies under state supervision, preferably the banking department, was discussed at the convention of the Minnesota Farmers Grain Dealers association, at the West hotel. President H. R. Meisch presided. The directors of the elevator companies went on record as favoring the passage of such legislation as would make supervision possible, to eliminate unsafe financing and resultant loss to the farmers.

At a meeting of the managers, the association went on record as favoring the cleaning of grain before shipment. Such precaution would mean 14 cents more a bushel for the company, it was said.

Charles Kenning, chairman of the legislative committee, appeared before a committee hearing at the capitol to present the resolutions, opposing bills now pending, relating to taxation of grain and elevator properties. The act passed by congress providing for uniform grading of grain in all states was indorsed. Independent companies were declared a menace.

Gopher Scribes Convene.

St. Paul. — "If the European press had been free to print unclouded and uncolored news dealing with questions of an international character, instead of printing what the various governments wished its people and the peoples of other nations to believe, this world shadowing war never would have come." This declaration was made without equivocation and without reservation by Walter Williams, dean of the school of journalism, University of Missouri, in an address before editors of the state attending the short course at the university farm. His subject was "A New Weapon for Democracy."

The print paper shortage, that is threatening newspapers, large and small, was discussed from several angles.

Frank A. Day of the Fairmont Sentinel opened the discussion, advocating co-operative manufacture of print paper with state aid in furnishing a supply of raw material. The question of raising subscriptions to $2 annually on weekly newspapers also was considered.

Insane Recluses Arrested.

Preston. — Their 160-acre farm all but abandoned, part of their live stock and chickens dead from starvation, Nora and Mary Donahue, recluses, are in the custody of Sheriff E. K. Blexrud, following complaint of neighbors. It is alleged both are insane. The women have been taken from the farm and will be arraigned before Probate Judge D. K. Michener to determine their mental condition.

According to the authorities, the two women lived with their mother until about two years ago, when she died. Two days after the mother's death, they notified the authorities and it was with difficulty the coroner was admitted to the house.

Death was due to natural causes. Since then the women have lived apart from the outside world.

New Highway Planned.

Mankato. — Steps are being taken to establish a new automobile trail or highway through one of the most historical portions of the state, rich with memories of some of the most stirring scenes ever enacted in the northwest. It may be called the Sioux Indian historical highway, and it will lead through territory where the Sioux uprising of 1862 occurred.

The trail, as thus far planned, will start at Camp Release, near Montevideo, and end at Traverse des Sioux or at this city. Birch Coole, Fort Ridgely, New Ulm and other places of historical interest are included in the route.

Teachers' Home Dedicated.

St. Paul. — Hope of Minnesota educators for better living conditions for country school teachers was partially realized when the first home for teachers ever built in the West was dedicated at Alberta, Minn., a town nine miles from Morris. The building expense of the home was $7,500.

Teachers Meet in Winona.

Winona. — Teachers and superintendents of southeastern Minnesota took part in the first annual elementary school conference held at the state normal school in connection with the Southeastern Minnesota Educational association convention.

Smallpox at Normal.

St. Cloud. — Six hundred students of the state normal school here have been vaccinated following the outbreak of smallpox in the girls' dormitory. Six girls are suffering with the contagion and these have been isolated by the health authorities.

Railroads Earn More.

St. Paul.—Increases in gross earnings of railroads and express companies during 1916 are shown in additional reports filed with the state tax commission under the 5 per cent gross earnings tax law.

"Sons of Rest" Leave Work Camp.

Duluth.—Fourteen Industrial Workers of the World, the last of a group serving terms at the county work farm, have bade farewell to the prison camp after spending 20 days and 20 nights continuously in their beds, except for meals. On arrival at the work farm the I. W. W. formed "Work Farm Local No. 1, Industrial Workers of the World," and "Branch 711 of the Sons of Rest," and thereupon declared a strike against any form of manual labor. They were then put to bed.

'BONE DRY' BILL IS PASSED; NOW UP TO VOTERS OF STATE

VOTE IS 49 TO 16 IN SENATE—HOUSE REPASSES MEASURE AFTER AMENDMENT IS MADE BY 87 TO 24.

DATE OF ENFORCEMENT EXTENDED SIX MONTHS

Upper House Favors Additional Time—Fight Goes to People—Governor Lacks Power to Sign or Veto Measure—May be Amendment 1 On Ballot.

St. Paul, Feb. 17.—The question of making Minnesota "bone dry" by constitutional amendment is now up to the voters of the state.

The House of Representatives has accepted the change of time made in the original bill by the Senate. Without any debate, the lower branch voted unanimously to accept the Senate's change and then repassed the bill with a vote of 87 to 24.

Senate Extends Time.

The Senate had extended the time of operation of amendment from January 1, 1920, to July 1, 1920, giving the liquor interests an additional six months in which to go out of business if the voters approve the amendment.

Adolph S. Larson, author of the original bill introduced in the House, moved that the House accept the change made by the Senate. Thomas H. Girling of Robbinsdale, leader of the wet faction, seconded the motion.

Big Margin In Senate.

In the Senate there were 49 votes for and 16 against the bill. Those who looked for a real field day in the Senate were disappointed. There were no speeches. The differences between the radical drys, who wanted the date set by the House, the near drys and some of the wets who wanted the time extended 11 months had had the bill re-referred and had made the necessary change.

The fight for the constitutional amendment for state-wide prohibition so far as the legislature is concerned is now at an end. The governor does not have the power to sign or veto the measure. It goes directly to the people.

May Be Amendment No. 1.

It is understood that an effort will be made to have the amendment made No. 1 on the ballot at the general election. While those backing statutory prohibition are still continuing their efforts to pass the measure in the House, it has been conceded that there is only a still chance that it will be approved.

Both drys and wets are already laying their plans for the state wide campaign.

"I do not believe that the people of the state will approve the amendment which makes Minnesota 'bone dry,' said Thomas H. Girling. "This amendment would prevent even the personal possession of liquor."

Restores Assembly to Partisan Basis.

St. Paul, Feb. 17.—A bill restoring the legislature to its former partisan basis and restoring some form of county and state conventions, without doing away entirely with the primary system, will be recommended for passage by the senate and house committees on elections, according to a unanimous decision reached at a conference of members of both committees.

A joint subcommittee of five senators and five representatives was decided upon to draft a bill that will cover all the election law amendments now before the legislature.

AMERICANS IN RELIEF WORK

Germany Allows Continuation of Efforts in Belgium.

London, Feb. 17.—A Reuter dispatch from The Hague says the German legation there states that Germany is permitting Americans to continue relief work in Belgium and northern France. An official note to this effect, the legation states, was addressed on February 10 to the diplomatic controller of nutrition work. Furthermore, the American minister at Brussels is given the opportunity to participate in the central management of the nutrition work.

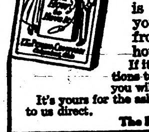
Debate on Army Bill Begun.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Debate on the annual army appropriation bill, carrying $247,000,000 has begun in the House. Chairman Dent of the military committee asserted that the bill was not a war measure and was designed solely to carry on the military establishment in time of peace.

Villa Has Disappeared.

El Paso, Feb. 17.—Francisco Villa has disappeared after promising his men he would return at the end of three months and give them "some startling news," according to reports brought to the border by passengers from Mexico.

Washington, Feb. 17.—An additional deficiency estimate of $988,913 to meet the needs of the national guard during the last part of the present fiscal year has been submitted to Congress by Secretary Baker.



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When He Failed.

The pretty girl of the party was bantering the genial bachelor on his reasons for remaining single.

"No-oo, I never was exactly disappointed in love," he meditated. "I was more what you might call discouraged. You see, when I was very young I became very much enamored of a young lady of my acquaintance; I was mortally afraid to tell her of my feeling, but at last I screwed up my courage to the proposing point. I said, 'Let's get married.'

"And she said, 'Good Lord! Who'd have us!'"—Everybody's Magazine.

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It takes about ten minutes to prove that a hot bath with Cuticura Soap followed by gentle applications of Cuticura Ointment will afford relief and point to speedy healment of eczemas, itchings and irritations. They are ideal for all toilet purposes.

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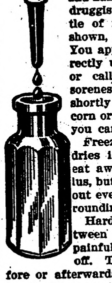
New Meter Successful.

The latest development in metering appliances is a coal meter built on the principle of a water or gas meter. This instrument was devised primarily to measure the coal consumption of factory boiler rooms, but it may find a wider application on a smaller scale. It operates on the same principle as a water meter, the stream of broken coal pouring down a chute and turning an inclosed vane. The meter can also be used for grain, according to the inventor. Its use on coal was entirely successful.

WOMEN! IT IS MAGIC! LIFT OUT ANY CORN

Apply a few drops then lift corns or calluses off with fingers—no pain.



Just think! You can lift off any corn or callus without pain or soreness.

A Cincinnati man discovered this ether compound and named it freezone. Any druggist will sell a tiny bottle of freezone, like here shown, for very little cost. You apply a few drops directly upon a tender corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears, then shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it right off.

Freezone is wonderful. It dries instantly. It doesn't eat away the corn or callus, but shrivels it up without even irritating the surrounding skin.

Hard, soft or corns between the toes, as well as painful calluses, lift right off. There is no pain before or afterwards. If your druggist hasn't freezone, tell him to order a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

Absinthe-Minded.

"Did you hear how Bill queered himself last night?"

"No, what was it about?"

"Well, he was at his girl's house, and he was talking to her father when it happened. You know Bill is a little absent-minded at times, and that caused the trouble. The old gentleman said to Bill: 'Are you twenty-one yet?'"

"And Bill—"

"The darn fool blurted out: 'Yes; I'll take a little bourbon.'"—Michigan Gargoyle.

Belgian war airplanes are sometimes decorated with brownies or other grotesque figures.

Uric Acid!

Ever since the discovery of Scheele in 1775 that uric acid was found within the body—most eminent physicians agree that rheumatism is caused by it; also many distressing symptoms as headache, pain in back, stomach distress, swollen feet and ankles, gout, etc.

It was Dr. Pierce of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N.Y., who discovered a new agent—called Anuric, a harmless remedy that if taken before meals will carry off the uric acid from the system and in this way the pains and aches, the creaky joints and all the distressing symptoms of rheumatism and other maladies disappear. You can easily prove this yourself, by obtaining Anuric at almost any drug store, or send Dr. Pierce 10c. for trial package. Try it and be convinced that Anuric is many times more active than lithia and eliminates uric acid as hot water melts sugar.

Word to Girls.

The late Inez Milholland Boissevain, the beautiful suffragist, never wearied of impressing on young girls the duty of being as beautiful as possible, for she knew what an instrument for good beauty, rightly used, can be.

One of Mrs. Boissevain's favorite dicta was:

"A girl can't help her looks, but her looks can help her."

GIRLS! GIRLS! TRY IT, BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR

Make It Thick, Glossy, Wavy, Luxuriant and Remove Dandruff—Real Surprise for You.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few m[illegible] doubled the beauty o[illegible]

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it, surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store and just try it. Adv.

Evidently Knew How to Get "Pork."

Guide—This is the Parthenon.

Tourist—Gee, what a congressman they must have had!—Life.

Absurd Wish.

Blinks—What is your dearest wish?

Jinks—That I knew as much as my son thinks I do.—Judge.

Green's August Flower

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You will escape many ills and clear up the coated tongue, the sallow complexion, the dull headache, the lazy liver, if you will take a pleasant laxative made up of the May-apple, juice of the leaves of aloes, root of jalap, and called "Pleasant Pellets." You can obtain at drug store these vegetable pellets in vials for 25c.—ask for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Adv.

Appropriate.

"What head shall I put on this story about the electrocution at Sing Sing?" asked the new man at the copy desk.

"You might run it under 'Current Events,'" suggested the man who edited the alleged funny column.

Anuric cures Backache, Lumbago, Rheumatism. Send 10c. Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for large trial package.—Adv.

A Common Liking.

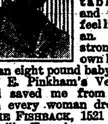
"I hate an obese man."

"So do I, but I like a fat job."—Chicago News.

A FRIEND'S ADVICE

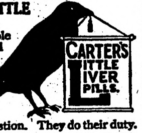
Woman Saved From a Serious Surgical Operation.

Louisville, Ky.—"For four years I suffered from female troubles, headaches, and nervousness. I could not sleep, had no appetite and it hurt me to walk. If I tried to do any work, I would have to lie down before it was finished. The doctors said I would have to be operated on and I simply broke down. A friend advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and the result is I feel like a new woman. I am well and strong, do all my own house work and have an eight pound baby girl. I know Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved me from an operation which every woman dreads."—Mrs. NELLIE FISHBACK, 1521 Christy Ave., Louisville, Ky.



Everyone naturally dreads the surgeon's knife. Sometimes nothing else will do, but many times Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has saved the patient and made an operation unnecessary.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free.



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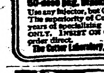

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JOHN A. DONALD

John A. Donald has entered upon his duties as a member of the federal shipping board, which body is now complete.

GREEK SITUATION IS ACUTE

FAMINE RESULTING FROM ALLIED BLOCKADE OF COAST.

Deaths From Starvation Have Occurred and Epidemics Spread—Blockade Continues Despite Compliance With Ultimatum.

Washington, Feb. 20.—The Greek legation, in a statement issued here, says famine is resulting from the Allied blockade of the coast of Greece and the poor classes are living on herbs and grass. It also is declared that despite compliance with the ultimatum of the Allies there has been no retaliation of blockading measures. The statement follows:

"The Greek legation has received information that the results of the blockade of the Greek coasts enforced by the Allies since December 8 are of most gruesome character.

"Ten deaths from starvation have been reported from the province of Jannina; one at Laurium, 10 in Ccarnania, two in the province of Preveze, one in Eubia and one in Messina. The poor classes have begun to live on herbs and grass. The epidemics of enteritis and dysentery are rapidly spreading in the country.

"Notwithstanding the complete execution of the Allies' ultimatum, no relaxation of the blockade has been brought about. Numbers of fishing boats constantly are sunk or sequestered by the ships enforcing the blockade. Coasting trade between ports of the kingdom is completely prohibited."

CRISIS OF WAR IS COMING WITHIN NEXT FEW MONTHS

English Official Announces That Britain's Greatest Need Is for More Men.

London, Feb. 20. — The Earl of Derby, secretary of state for war, speaking at Bolton, has expressed the opinion that the critical period of the war would come in the next few months.

"I would be a false friend," he said, "if I did not warn the country that the war is going to be long continued and the struggle even more bitter than in the past. It can only be won by everyone doing his utmost.

"The three things most vital are money, men and munitions. Money and munitions are being supplied in large quantities. Men we want and must have. The nation will have to make greater sacrifices in the way of giving its manhood to fight its battles. You will not win the war by saying you have won it."

THREE SINKINGS BY U-BOATS

Two of Crew of One Ship Killed and Nine Missing.

London, Feb. 20.—Lloyds Shipping agency announces that the British steamship Worcestershire of 7,175 tons gross, was reported sunk. Lloyds announced the British steamship Valdes of 2,285 tons gross had been torpedoed and sunk without warning. Two members of the vessel's crew were killed and nine are missing. The captain and others of the crew have been landed. The sinking of the British steamship Romsdalen, of 2,548 tons gross, also is announced.

U. S. Firms To Make Navy Shells.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Contracts for navy projectiles which had been let to Hadfields, limited, an English concern, have been given to the Midvale Steel company, the Washington Steel company, the Washington Steel and Ordnance company and the Crucible Steel company.

Independents Fail to Agree.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Four of the five so-called independent representatives-elect who may have the balance of power in the organization of the next House have held a conference here to make plans for co-operation but have failed to agree to act as a unit on any proposal. They did agree to meet again shortly before the convening of the new Congress. The conferees pledged themselves not to caucus with any party before their next meeting.

SEVEN YEARS AGO AND TO-DAY

Then He Had 6 Mules, $660 Cash and Some Equity—Today He Has $20,000 and Owns 2 Sections of Land.

The story of the wealth of Western Canada cannot be told too often; the truth will bear repeatings. And in telling of it it is hoped that advantage will be taken of the great opportunities that Western Canada offers by those who are today struggling for a mere existence, by those who are occupying lands, high in price and high in rentals.

From grain, live stock and dairying in 1916, there was a return from the three Prairie Provinces of $258,000,000, or an increase of four million dollars over 1915, and 118 million dollars over 1914.

A prominent Trust Company says: Some of our contract holders have paid off their purchase money on lands bought a year ago out of this year's crop, and what one man can do another can do. Thousands of Southern Alberta farmers harvested an average of 40 to 50 bushels of No. 1 wheat to the acre. These farmers have more real money to spend than any other people on the American Continent. J. D. Johnston of Bladsworth, Sask., left Johnson County, Kansas, seven years ago. When he left he had $660 in cash, six mules, some settler's effects and an equity in some prairie land. Mr. Johnston tells his story:

"In my seven years' residence in Saskatchewan, I have raised seven good crops the value of this year's crop alone being Twenty thousand dollars. I now own Two Sections of improved land, 17 horses and mules, 40 cattle, a large steam thresher and a full line of farm machinery."

We have made five trips to Kansas, one trip to the Pacific Coast and return. We have enjoyed the society of a class of people than whom none better can be found. The climate is healthful and invigorating. The soil is fertile and productive, well adapted for the production of the best quality and large yields of all cereals and vegetables, wild and tame grasses. It is an excellent stock country."

The question of taxes is one that carries with it considerable weight. Coming from a man like Mr. Johnston the same weight should be given the answer. He says:

The tax system especially commends itself to me as being simple, reasonable and just. All direct taxes are levied on the land at its appraised market value, exclusive of improvements thereon. No tax on personal property. This tends to discourage the holding of lands by speculators who prevent its cultivation or improvement, hoping to realize profits from the enhanced value of their holdings due to the industrial activities of the bona fide settlers. It tends to encourage the settlers to rear substantial improvements upon their land without paying a penalty in the form of taxation therefor. It encourages the raising of live stock and the possession of other personal property necessary to the development of the country.

"The laws are well and economically administered. Citizens of the Dominion vote on election of members of parliament and members of the Provincial assembly, while on questions of local improvements and school matters the franchise is exercised by ratepayers, irrespective of citizenship.

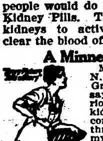
The people are enterprising, school facilities are good Taxation, just and reasonable. Military service voluntary. Patriotic fervor unsurpassed, law and order the rule, and crime the rare exception. It is the land of banks, schools, telephones, grain elevators, broad, fertile acres, good climate, good citizenship and abounding in opportunities for the industrious man or woman of good morals, in short, the land of promise and fulfillment, I know of no better anywhere."—Advertisement.

Gratitude.

Grocer—Now that I gave you a banana, what do you say?

Mary—Please open it.

Do you happen to know a father who would want his son to follow in his footsteps?



Feel Achy All Over?

To ache all over in damp weather, or after taking a cold, isn't natural, and often indicates kidney weakness. Uric acid causes many queer aches, pains and disorders of the organs. Well kidneys keep uric acid down. Tired, dizzy, nervous people would do well to try Doan's Kidney Pills. They stimulate the kidneys to activity and so help clear the blood of irritating poisons.

A Minnesota Case

Mrs. M. Racine, 223 N. Second St., East Grand Forks, Minn., says: "I was in a serious condition from kidney trouble. I had constant pains through the small of my back, felt very nervous and was troubled by too frequent kidney action. Sometimes, my back got so stiff, I couldn't get around and I often suffered from dizzy spells. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me as soon as I took them and continued use restored me to good health."

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TESTIFIES GERMAN OFFICIAL ORDERED LINERS DISABLED

CAPTAIN OF STEAMER KRON PRINZESSIN CECELIE TESTIFIES AT HEARING ON PETITION FOR SALE OF VESSEL.

FEARS TREASON CHARGE IF NAME IS DISCLOSED

Witness Says He Is Teuton Naval Officer—Objectionable Question Not Pressed—Engines Crippled to Prevent Use of Craft by United States in Case of Hostilities.

Boston, Feb. 19.—Capt. Charles A. Polack, of the North German Lloyd steamship Kron Prinzessin Cecilie, testified at a federal court hearing on a petition for the sale of the vessel, that he had been ordered by a man, connnected in an official capacity with the German embassy, to disable its machinery.

Refuses to Give Names.

This was done, he said, to prevent the ship's use by this government in the event of hostilities with Germany. He refused to divulge the name of the man giving the order.

Captain Polack said he was in Hoboken, N. J., when he received the order and that he telegraphed his chief engineer here to disable the engines. The work of destruction was done on January 31 and February 1, he said.

Order Given in Hoboken.

Captain Polack told of meeting the embassy official in January at the North German Lloyd offices in Hoboken. The orders to disable the ship were given at that time in the presence of Captain Moller, superintendent of the company's lines in this country, he testified. Captain Polack was preparing to visit Hot Springs, Va., at the time, but changed his plans and returned to this city.

Question Not Pressed.

When asked by counsel for the petitioners to give the name of the person from whom the order was received Captain Polack said:

"Your honor—I am an officer of the German navy and if I should have to disclose the name of this gentleman in this hearing I might be tried for treason when I went home to Germany I wish you would not oblige me to answer that question."

The question was not pressed and Judge Morton decided that it would not be necessary for the captain to answer it at this time.

Continues Testimony.

Continuing his testimony the captain declared that the embassy officials said to him:

"The relations between the two countries are being severed and the condition is very serious."

The witness testified that he inquired whether the machinery was to be disabled immediately and that he received an affirmative answer. Captain Moller, he said, did not participate in this conversation.

FIRE THREATENS MILL CITY RETAIL DISTRICT

Half-Million Dollar Blaze, Fanned by Gale, Wipes Out Old Narragansett Block in Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Feb. 19.—Fire, driven by a gale, threatened for two hours to sweep through the retail district and destroyed the old Narragansett block, 722-728 Nicollet avenue, occupied by the shoe department of the Dayton company and stores of three other concerns.

The loss on the stock of the Dayton company, in the opinion of Chief C. W. Ringer, will be between $300,000 and $500,000. Members of the firm said they could not yet estimate the total damage, but that it is heavier than at first estimated.

VIRTUAL BLOCKADE MAY FORCE WILSON TO ACT

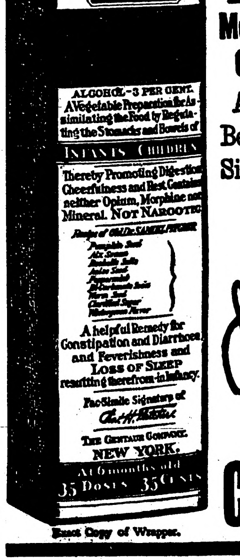
Submarine Activity Causing Congestion in American Ports—Hundreds of Messages Urge Relief Measures.

Washington, Feb. 19.—What has virtually become a blockade of American Atlantic ports by Germany's ruthless submarine campaign is regarded by officials as overshadowing the collateral issues of the situation.

That President Wilson soon will go before Congress to announce steps to relieve the situation was the generally accepted view, but no time has been set for his action. Hundreds of telegrams were received by govrnment officials urging that something be done to relieve the congestion.

Sentenced For Mail Frauds.

Spokane, Feb. 19.—Four former officers of the Northwestern General Trading company of Spokane, convicted of having used the mails to defraud, have just been sentenced in United district court here. Gale Smith was sentenced to serve a year in jail and pay a fine of $10,000; S. T. Knudson must serve a year and pay a fine of $7,500; C. L. Davis was sentenced to nine months and fined $5.00, and O. C. Fowler to three months and fined $750. Motion for a new trial was denied.



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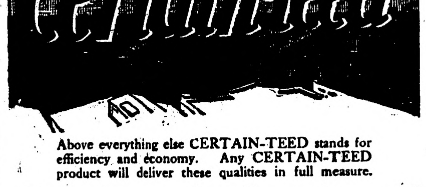

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As I am going to quit farming on account of my wife's health, I will sell at public auction, on the H. B. Young farm 2 1-2 miles north and 1-2 mile west of Holt in Section 20 Town of Holt, on Tuesday Feb. 27

TUESDAY FEB. 27, '17

Commencing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon

Livestock.

- 2 Geldings, 5 and 6 years, wt. 3000
- 1 Cow red & white fresh in March
- 1 Cow, red, was fresh last Nov.
- 1 Cow, red, will be fresh Sept. '17
- 1 Heifer, Hereford, 2 years old
- 1 Heifer, red, 1 1-2 years old
- 1 Holstein heifer calf 3 mts. old
- 2 Sow Pigs 8 months old
- 20 Chickens

Machinery, Grain, Etc.

- 1 Double Harness
- 1 wide tire Wagon   Hay rack
- 1 John Deere Sulky Plow
- 1 14 inch walking Plow
- 1 disc Harrow   1 Bob-Sled
- 1 DeLaval Cream Seperator
- 80 bu. 1915 heavy oats, fit for seed
- 30 bu., more or less, seed oats
- Household Goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS: Time will be given until November 1st, 1917, on bankable papers bearing ten per cent interest, on amounts of $10.00 and over. Amounts under $10.00, Cash.

Free Lunch At Noon

John Leslie, Owner

Holt State Bank, Clerk   Ole Brenna, Auct.

Free Mission Church

The boys'' class will meet at 1:30 o'clock next Sunday, the rest of the Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock the regular hour.

All adults are cordially invited to attend Anybodys class.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.68
Wheat No. 2	1.65
Wheat No. 3	1.59
Wheat No. 4	1.42
Flax	2 60
Oats	47
Barley	63 to .89
Rye	1.28
Flour, Best Patent	5.15

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. January 17, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Ole A. Christenson, of Holt, Minn., who on March 19th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05141, for Lot 9, SE 1-4, SE 1-4 Sec. 2, SW 1-4, SW 1-4 Sec. 1, and NW 1-4, NW 1-4, Sec. 12, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Middle River, Minn., on the 12th day of March, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Hans Stensrud, Henry Stensrud, S. G. Sveukeson and Ole J. Moen, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 196 / Residence 167

The Nazareth Young People's Society will meet at O. B. Johnson's at 2 P. M. next Sunday. Come.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account And for Distribution

Estate Of Sven H. Johnson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court:

In the Matter of the Estate of Sven H. Johnson Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Britta Johnson, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of March 1917 at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 9th day of February 1917.

Peter H. Holm,
Probate Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Warren, Minnesota.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed and delivered by John F. Tapper, an unmarried man, mortgagor, to Julia Flakne, mortgagee, dated August 12th, 1915, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for Marshall county, Minnesota, on October 26th, 1915, at nine o'clock a. m. in Book 29 of Mortgages at page 121; and which said mortgage was duly assigned by said Julia Flakne to M. P. Shuemaker, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 12th, 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota, on January 25th, 1916, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 75 of Mortgages at page 247; and was again duly assigned by the said M. P. Shuemaker to M. H. Evans, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 17th 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota, on January 13th, 1917, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 86 of Mortgages at page 27; that the amount due and claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date hereof is five hundred and fifty-nine dollars and thirty-three cents ($559.33); that the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage are Lot numbered One, of Section Nineteen, and Lots numbered One and Two, and the east half of the northeast quarter, of Section Thirty, in Township one hundred and fifty-six North, of Range forty-one West of the 5th Principal Meridian, in Marshall county, Minnesota, containing 162.55 acres, according to the United States Government survey thereof; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren, Marshall county, Minnesota, on the 26th day of March, 1917, at eleven o'clock a. m., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, together with the costs of such sale, and fifty dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, and the taxes, if any, on said premises.

Dated February 6th, 1917.

M. H. Evans,
Assignee of Mortgagee,
St. Paul, Minn.

L. E. Gossman,
Attorney for assignee of mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

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Successor to "The Northern Light".

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Successor to and Continuation of

The Northern Light

By The

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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Local Items

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Debard Johnson went to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Lever Olson went to Middle River Monday to visit his son and family near there.

Bently Nelson came from Moorhead last week to visit his mother, Mrs. J. L. Nelson and family.

Rudolph Dahl and Chas. Holmgren will have a public sale next Wednesday. Read their ad. in this paper.

Chas. Knutson was over from Warren, Wednesday.

Henry [illegible] returned home [illegible] T. R. Falls hospital and is getting along as well as [illegible]

[illegible] received a message Tuesday stating his sister Miss Eba died that morning at her home in Harmony, Minn. We understand she had been sick for a long time with consumption.

Carl Sorenson was struck and slightly injured by a falling tree while chopping in the woods Wednesday.

Gilbert Johnson is moving onto the H. B. Young farm, just vacated by John Leslie.

Announcement

New Garage!

I will open a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building about March 15th

New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New. All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

Ole Hammerness
Holt - Minn.

Hjalmer Johnson filled the creamery ice house this week.

Ole Backlund is enlarging his ice house before filling it for the season.

The Holt boys loaded a car of hay the first of the week for E. T. Eide at Spooner. John Shea shipped a car of hay at the same time to Mr. Eide.

John Leslie sold his property at auction Tuesday and will leave the first of next week for Rochester, where Mrs. Leslie will receive medical treatment.

The neighbors and friends of Mrs. Paul Olson gathered at her pleasant home Sunday evening to surprise her on her 52nd. birthday. They brot. along lots of good things to eat and several very nice presents for Mrs. Olson and a very enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Choir practice at the parsonage at 8 o'clock Friday evening.

Services Sunday at 10:45 A. M.

Norwegian, Swedish and English Sunday School at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the School Dist. No 58 of Marshall Co. at The School House on the 10th, day of March 1917 from 4 o'clock P. M. to 8 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said municipality in the aggregate sum of $2500.00 bearing interest at the rate of four (4) per centum per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purposes;

$2500.00 for building a new school house,

to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the Clerk.

Dated Febr. 28th. 1917

G. P. Sorter, Clerk.

D. B. Bakke was up from Thief River Falls, Tuesday.

Misses Lucy and Irene Wegge went to York N. D. yesterday.

John Sorum received two cars of [illegible]

Miss Skogen returned Tuesday to her home in Hillsboro after a pleasant visit with friends in this vicinity. She was accompanied by Burndette Horien who will work there.

Mrs. A. Kuehne and daughter Emma went to T. R. Falls Monday, the former for a weeks visit with her daughter Mrs. Knauf and the latter has employment with Mrs. O. W Carlson.

Miss Nelson who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nelson since Christmas returned to T. R. Falls yesterday where she has employment.

J. A. Sorum received $10.00 cash premium for sweepstakes on alfalfa seed at the Farm Crops Show, also an order good for 10 bu. of Canadian Marquis Wheat.

Messrs Martel, Lanin and Waller of the eastern part of the county were in town one day this week on business.

Mrs. A. Carlson returned yesterday to her home in T. R. Falls after a weeks pleasant visit at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Wegge.

Chas. Mclane has been here the past week working on the well and H. J. Olson has also been working on the electric line and it is hoped things will soon be in running order.

A crowd of neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Anderson and his brother Frank gathered at their home Saturday evening to give them a farewell party, and a most enjoyable time is reported. The Andersons have rented a farm near Climax and will move there about the middle of the month.

Considerable interest is being taken in the Northwest School of Agriculture essay contest. The prizes of $10.00 each are to be offered, one to boys and the other to girls. The boys will write on "The advantage of an agricultural education. The girls will write on "The advantage of securing school training in home making. The awards will be made during the latter part of March.

Free Mission Church

The boys'' class will meet at 1:30 o'clock next Sunday, the rest of the Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock the regular hour.

All adults are cordially invited to attend Anybodys class.

Rev. T. M. Herber, a missionary for the American Sunday School Union, visited our Sunday School last Sunday and gave a short talk and preached here in the evening.

Rev. Parish held services here Monday evening and expects to return here for services in a couple of weeks.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting: Foreman, M. T. Strom; Treas., N. Engebretsen; Secy., T. B. Folden; Trustee, P. O. Reierson; S. S. Supt, H. B. Young; President and Vice-President Y. P. S., H. B. Young and P. P. Reierson.

Notice to Dragging Contractors.

Sealed proposals for dragging State Roads in Marshall County, Minnesota, during the season of 1917, will be received by the County Auditor, until 1:30 o'clock P. M. of Wednesday, March 21, 1917, when the County Board will open and publicly read the same.

Dragging specifications on file in the offices of the County Auditor and Highway Engineer.

Successful bidders must furnish bonds in the amount of Two Hundred and Fifty ($250.00) Dollars.

The County Board reserves the [illegible] the contracts as is deemed to be for the best interest of the County.

By order of the County Board.
A. G. Lundgren, County Auditor.
Oswald Lind, Highway Engineer.

Holt Dray and Livery

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In connection with teams and rigs

Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank.

Save money by trading in Holt.

If our memory is right, we had no thawing days in February and only one in January. That makes a pretty cold winter.

According to The Argyle Banner Chas. E. Grinler, is making a desperate fight against the bill that Senator Hegnes introduced to regulate the salary of Register of deeds. Wonder why?

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Raises Lemons in Minnesota

Olaf Johnson showed us a large lemon Monday that they raised in their house. The lemon is 13 inches in circumference and weighs one and a half lbs. It grew on a very strong bush that is 5 or 6 years old and about 3 ft. high. This is called the Wonderful Lemon bush and the lemon is certainly a wonder. Mr. Johnson says they have raised several lemons on this bush before, but they were of ordinary size. This lemon is now on exhibition at the Holt State Bank.

Praises Hospital

Geo. Anderson went to T. R. Falls Monday to have his hand dressed by the doctor. He returned home Tuesday and is getting along fully as well as could be expected. The doctor saved his thumb and two fingers and did a good job as there was little left to work on. This will leave him a hand of which he can get considerable work. Mr. Anderson was well cared for while in the T. R. Falls hospital, and he gives splendid recommendations to both doctors and and nurses. This hospital is convenient for the people of this locality and the majority of them go there when obliged to have medical aid.

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Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
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Annual Telephone Meeting

The Annual Meeting of The Farmers & Village Switch Board Co. will be held in the M. W. A. Hall Monday Mar. 12th, 1917 at 1 o'clock P. M. sharp, to elect officers and to transact any other business that may come before said meeting.

All shareholders and others interested in telephone service in switchboard are requested to meet.

T. B. Folden Secy.

For Sale!

Good team of horses for sale cheap and on easy terms.

Holt State Bank.

Boys and girls of the rural schools who wish to take part in an essay contest for $10.00 should write at once to Co. Supt. Johnson for information.

The offer of the Youth Companion and McCall's Magazine both for a full year and a 15c McCall Dress Pattern all for only $2.10 will be withdrawn March 31st, on account of the high price of print paper, ink etc. Read their ad in this paper and send us your subscription to day.

Free scholarship are being offered by the Northwest School of Agriculture, at Crookston. Write them direct for full information.

Yo-Ho Freckle-Face

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

Do you know how easy it is to remove those ugly spots so that no one will call you freckle-face?

Simply get an ounce of carpol, extra strong, from your druggist, and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of freckles and get a beautiful complexion. The sun and winds this month have a strong tendency to bring out freckles, and as a result more carpol is sold in these months. Be sure to ask for the extra strong, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove the freckles. Carpol Laboratories, Boston, Mass. Sta. M. Mail orders filled.

Ringbo Rumbles

Miss Hilda Ericson called on Hazel Davidson Thursday evening.

A bunch of young folks spent Sunday afternoon at George Hanson's.

Misses Lizzie Hanson and Anna Sorter spent Thursday afternoon and evening with Miss Sophie Johnson.

Elef Sorter has moved with his family to P. G. Sorter's.

Mrs. Andrew Engstrom has been very sick lately but is reported better at this writing.

Misses Anna Sorter and Lizzie Hanson called on Alice Johnson Tuesday afternoon.

Wonder who the new member is on the telephone line?

Messrs Oliver Grondahl and Ed. Davidson called at Rudd's Saturday evening.

Miss Alice Johnson is staying at Andrew Engstrom's.

Messrs. Percy Sorter and Ingvald Johnson called on Eidin Erickson Sunday afternoon.

The Ringbo orchestra practiced at Ole Davidson Wednesday evening.

Messrs. Elmer and Sidney Engstrom called at Chas. Skoglund Sunday afternoon.

Quite a crowd from this vicinity took in the big time at Mud Lake Thursday evening.

Albert Surmo is visiting in Ringbo where he used to have his old home.

Miss Lizzie Hanson returned home Monday from a weeks stay at G. Sorter's home.

Financial Report

Of the Village of Holt, Minnesota, for the year ending March 1st, 1917.

Expenditures

C. W. Latta	election clerk	$ 4.20
C. S. Kolden		7 20
J. Alkenbrack	judge	4 20
R. Reierson	"	"
P. O.	"	"
B. Docken	recording deed	1
A. Mickelson	typewriting	67
R. L. Olson	fire warden	5
Holt Pub Co	pub ordinances	18 75
Edna Riesberg	telephoning	1 53
H. B. Young	expres dog checks	1 35
I. Quist	surveying blue prints	24 27
O. Erickson	"	6 87
A. Bennes	refund pool table lis	2 15
O. Rodahl	payment vill hall	200
O. Dovre	cleaning village lot	1
H. Young	blanks & postage	1 50
R. L. Olson	fire warden salary	5
O. Rodahl	payment vil hall	700
Sam Reierson	labor on street	18
Fridjof Riesberg	same	21
Diedrick Nyberg	same	16
O. H. Dovre	same	26
Joe Nelson	same	8
J. B. Alkenbrack	same	12
J. M. Swan	same	23 40
Tom Larson	same	16 35
Elmer Haggland	same	16
Oscar Sorenson	same	16
Dewey Sorenson	same	8
Arthur Sorenson	same	4
C Kolden	survey, election clerk	8 90
H. B. Young	" "	3 90
J. B. Alkenbrack	" judge	"
P. O. Reierson	" "	"
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Ludwig Monson	surveying	5
Holt State Bank	flag for hall	5 25
R. L. Olson	fire warden salary	5
C. W. Christianson	blacksmith	3
Racine Olson	assessor's work	27 50
Racine Olson	drawing hall plan	2
R. L. Olson	fire warden salary	5
Winton-Nichols Co.	lumber	1 76
O. Rodahl	payment on hall	2000

(To be continued)

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.72
Wheat No. 2	1.69
Wheat No. 3	1.63
Wheat No. 4	1.46
Flax	2 60
Oats	47
Barley	63 to .89
Rye	1.33
Flour, Best Patent	5.15

Local Representatives Wanted

Jewell products are sold with a guarantee to replace failures.

This requires the services of a local man who has some spare time and can look after the interests of our customers. The work would also include the introduction and sale of new fruit and flowers.

If you are not interested, please call this to the attention of some one you think would welcome the position. If you are interested, write at once for particulars. Adress

Service Department,
The Jewell Nursery Co.
Founded 1868
Lake City, Minnesota

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. January 17, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Ole A. Christenson, of Holt, Minn., who on March 19th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05141, for Lot 9, [illegible] 1-4 Sec. 1, and NW 1-4, NW 1-4, Sec. 12, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Middle River, Minn., on the 12th day of March, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Hans Stensrud, Henry Stensrud, S. G. Sveukeson and Ole J. Moen, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account And for Distribution

Estate Of Sven H. Johnson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court:

In the Matter of the Estate of Sven H. Johnson Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Britta Johnson, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of March 1917 at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 9th day of February 1917.

Peter H. Holm,
Probate Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Warren, Minnesota.

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Defective Page

A DIFFERENCE IN THE INVESTMENT

The Western Canada Farm Profits Are Away in Excess.

Mr. George H. Barr, of Iowa, holds seven sections of land in Saskatchewan. These he has fenced and rented, either for pasture or cultivation, all paying good interest on the investment.

Mr. Barr says that farm land at home in Iowa is held at $150 per acre. These lands are in a high state of cultivation, with splendid improvements in houses, barns, stables and silos, and yet, the revenue returns from them are only from two to three per cent per annum on investment.

Last year, 1915, his half share of crop on a quarter section in Saskatchewan, wheat on new breaking, gave him 35 per cent on the capital invested—$25.00 an acre. The crop yield was 35 bushels per acre. This year the same quarter-section, sown to Red Fife on stubble gave 3,286 bushels. His share, 1,643 bushels of 1 Northern at $1.56 per bushel, gave him $2,563.08. Seed, half the twine and half the threshing bill cost him $453.00. Allowing a share of the expense of his annual inspection trip, charged to this quarter-section even to $110.00, and he has left $2,000.00, that is 50 per cent of the original cost of the land. Anyone can figure up that another average crop will pay, not 2 or 3 per cent on investment, as in Iowa, but the total price of the land. Mr. Barr says: "That's no joke now."

Mr. Barr was instrumental in bringing a number of farmers from Iowa to Saskatchewan in 1913. He referred to one of them, Geo. H. Kerton, a tenant farmer in Iowa. He bought a quarter-section of improved land at $32.00 an acre near Hanley. From proceeds of crop in 1914, 1915, 1916, he has paid for the land. Mr. Barr asked him a week ago: "Well, George, what shall I tell friends down home for you?" The reply was: "Tell them I shall never go back to be a tenant for any man." Another man, Charles Haight, realized $18,000 in cash for his wheat crops in 1915 and 1916.

Mr. Barr when at home devotes most of his time to raising and dealing in live stock. On his first visit of inspection to Saskatchewan, he realized the opportunity there was here for grazing cattle. So his quarter-sections, not occupied, were fenced and rented as pasture lands to farmers adjoining. His creed is: "Let nature supply the feed all summer while cattle are growing, and then in the fall, take them to farmsteads to be finished for market. There is money in it."—Advertisement.

Too Common to Be Worth Much.

Little red-headed Mike Casey got a job as office boy for the president of a large Western railway. After he had been upon the job several days, they gave him a form to fill out with his "Personal Record."

When young Mike came to a particular paragraph that said, "Have you any visible marks for identification in case of accident or death?" he rose from his chair and rushed over to a mirror near by, to give himself a general inspection. Then he returned to his task and wrote as his answer to this personal query, "Nothing except freckles!"—Youth's Companion.

"CASCARETS" FOR SLUGGISH BOWELS

No sick headache, sour stomach, biliousness or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box now.

Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out to-night and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels or an upset stomach.

Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach; remove the sour fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great.

A Cascaret to-night straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean, healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken. Adv.

Poor Father.

Daughter—Pa, what is your birthstone?

Father of Seven (wearily)—The grindstone, I guess, my child.

Weary's Joke.

"De hen must be a gloomy critter."

"Why?"

"Always broodin', you know."

"Honesty is the best policy—for all your neighbors.

Success in any enterprise consists largely in knowing when to quit.

SONS TO OBSERVE STATE'S BIRTHDAY

NATIVE SETTLERS PLAN CELEBRATION OF PASSAGE OF ACT CREATING TERRITORY.

PIONEERS CALLED GOPHERS

Name Is Outgrowth of Indian Custom—All Native Sons Invited to Banquet—Organization Promotes Better Citizenship.

Minneapolis. — On March 3rd, the Native Sons of Minnesota will celebrate the 68th anniversary of the birthday of their state. For on that date, 1849, the act creating the territory of Minnesota passed Congress, and from that time Minnesota appeared as a separate political division on the map of the United States. Previous to that time all of the country between Michigan and the Missouri river belonged to Wisconsin territory. In 1846 Wisconsin was ready to enter statehood, but the people along the St. Croix valley and round about Fort Snelling wished to form a government all their own, and after several unsuccessful attempts, finally persuaded the National Government to create a new territory called Minnesota, taking its name from the largest river wholly within its borders, and at that time the principal center of population. Some ten years later the territory was considered large enough to become a state, and while the 3rd of March is not statehood day, it is the day that the state was named in its infancy.

Minnesota, as most everyone knows, means Sky Colored in the Sioux language. This name was given to the river known by that name, but at one time called the St. Peter.

Settlers Called Gophers.

The early settlers of Minnesota were called Gophers, following no doubt, the Indian custom of adopting some animal as a mascot or totem for a clan.

For a number of years the older Natives of Minnesota, resident in Minneapolis, have made it a custom to gather round the banquet table once a year, to renew old friendship, rehearse old adventures and to extol the many advantages of Minnesota as a place of birth. The Association of the Native Sons of Minnesota is an incorporated body with headquarters in Minneapolis.

Such an organization can be useful to the state by inculcating a high ideal of citizenship, and to the individual in maintaining the friendship of a previous generation. The officers for the present year are: W. L. Bassett, president; B. H. Cobb, 1st vice president; Dr. A. M. Eastman, 2nd vice president; P. M. Holl, secretary; F. L. Gowen, treasurer.

A cordial invitation is extended to all of the Native Sons of the state, wherever located, to attend the annual banquet at the West hotel, at 7 p. m., on March 3rd.

Grocers Choose St. Paul.

St. Paul. — Selection of St. Paul for the 1918 meeting place and election of officers brought the annual three-day convention of the Minnesota Retail Grocers' association to a close in Minneapolis.

A. C. Ekelund of Minneapolis was re-elected president of the association. Other officers chosen are M. R. Bush, Duluth, first vice president; Herman Dahn, Minneapolis, second vice president; John W. Lux, St. Paul, treasurer, and State Senator George M. Peterson of Duluth, secretary.

Teachers at Montevideo.

Montevideo. — Teachers of Western Minnesota opened a three-day convention here and devoted most of the first day to visiting the local public schools.

A. J. Kittleson of Madison, superintendent of Lac qui Parle county schools, presided. An address on the "Mutual Responsibility of Superintendent and Teacher," by Dean L. D. Coffman, College of Education, University of Minnesota, was the principal number on the program.

On "Marks of a Methodist."

Northfield. — Bishop Charles Bayard Mitchell of St. Paul, speaking on "The Marks of a Methodist," addressed the closing session of the midyear council of the Minnesota annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Winona Guards Take Oath.

Winona. — C company of the Second Minnesota infantry will continue, it is announced. There has developed some opposition among members to signing the dual oath. When explained by Captain O. A. Stubstad, the oath was taken readily.

Teachers Adopt Resolutions.

Winona. — The Southeastern Minnesota Educational association, at the closing session of the twenty-first annual convention, went on record in opposition to the tendency of the state legislature to curtail educational appropriations to such an extent that full aid is not available. Resolutions also were adopted protesting against the movement to secure the repeal of the teachers' retirement act. Officers were elected. Next year's convention was voted to Rochester, Minn.

Governors to Confer.

St. Paul. — Governor Burnquist has called a conference of governors of states in the Minnesota, Ohio and Missouri river valleys March 19, at New Orleans to form a permanent organization for river improvement and river traffic development. Governor Burnquist said Minnesota citizens are showing special interest in the undertaking.

"I regard this matter of the greatest importance," said Governor Burnquist. "For more than a year I have been co-operating with officers of various organizations on the general improvement and development plan.

"Those officials are convinced that the time has arrived to press the project to a successful conclusion and have requested me to call the governors of interested states to perfect a permanent congress."

A. L. Crocker and other Twin City supporters of the river improvement project are in New Orleans Mr. Crocker said before his departure that an effort was being made to have the large shipping concerns in all river towns represented at a meeting in New Orleans next month.

Commission Rule Attacked.

Duluth. — Petitions calling for an election on a charter amendment abolishing the commission form of government and substituting the old ward system with a city manager as the administrative head of all city affairs has been filed by C. L. Hood, secretary of the Taxpayers' league, with C. F. MacDonald, secretary of the charter commission. It is believed that these amendments will come up for a vote at the election on April 3.

The petitions bear a total of 1,500 signatures, according to Mr. Hood, while only 720 are required.

Veterans Offer Services.

Pipestone.—Members of Simon Mix post, G. A. R., of Pipestone, have unanimously passed a resolution offering their services to the government in case of war. The resolution reads: "In the event of foreign invasion, or attack upon the United States by enemies within or without our border, this post and its members hereby tender its services to the Governor of Minnesota, and through him to the United States in defense of same."

Bulwark in Nation's Defense.

Duluth. — Minnesota is shown to be the bulwark in the nation's defense, and one of the strongest links in the chain of business prosperity in time of peace or war, according to the industrial survey made by the Minnesota board of governors for the naval consulting board. None of the members are at liberty to give out details of the survey, but it is stated generally that the results have proved surprising.

"Reform" Candidate Beaten.

Bemidji.—By a majority of 95 votes Charles W. Vandersluis has been reelected mayor, getting 582 votes to 487 for T. Carlson. Carlson ran as a reform candidate, while the mayor insisted that "Bemidji is reformed." The proposal to issue $8,000 in bonds to build an armory carried. John F. Gibbons was chosen municipal judge over six candidates.

State Delegates Named.

St. Paul. — Governor Burnquist has announced the appointments of five Minnesota delegates to the Thirteenth National Conference on Child Labor, March 23-25, at Baltimore. They are Mrs. A. Tomlinson and George W. Wyckoff, St. Paul; Mrs. J. S. Thurston and Henry F. Burt, Minneapolis, and W. B. McEwen of Duluth.

Frost Hinders Mining.

Hibbing. — Stripping operations on the Minnesota iron ranges are being handicapped greatly by the unusual depth of frost, requiring slow and costly work. Engineers say that the frost in the ore is as deep as seven feet, which is record breaking, due to extremely cold weather and lack of snow.

Grocers in Mill City.

Minneapolis. — About 1,000 grocers were in Minneapolis to attend the sessions of the annual convention of the Retail Grocers and General Merchants' Association of Minnesota. Mayor Van Lear welcomed the visitors to Minneapolis.

No Hard Coal in Duluth.

Duluth. — Citizens have been unable to buy hard coal here. With the exception of stove coal, and a small amount of buckwheat size, companies announced they were "out" and most of them refused to take orders.

Towns Want License Vote.

Jackson. — Petitions to vote on the license question have been filed by the wets at Jackson and Litchfield and apparently every effort will be made to keep an oasis in Jackson county after the spring election.

Fair Managers Organize.

Rochester.—The Federation of Fair Managers, embracing twenty fairs in Southern Minnesota, has been organized here.

To Check Excessive Fire Waste.

St. Paul. — Deploring the excessive fire waste in Minnesota as well as other parts of the United States, John B. Sanborn, state insurance commissioner, urged officers and policyholders of the Retail Hardware Fire Insurance company, at their annual meeting at the Auditorium, to agitate public sentiment against negligence. "To reduce the excessive fire waste in the State of Minnesota," he said, "we must build up a strong public sentiment against negligence in fire prevention."

IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN THE MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

A Review of Events of the Past Few Days

SUFFRAGE BILL IS PASSED BY HOUSE; FINAL VOTE IS 85-41

LOWER BODY OF LEGISLATURE VOTES TO SUBMIT TO PEOPLE QUESTION OF FULL SUFFRAGE TO WOMEN.

WOULD BE AMENDMENT TO STATE CONSTITUTION

Measure Passed Is Peterson Bill, Which Now Goes to Senate—Was Opposed by One Wing of Suffragists Who Wanted Suffrage by Statute.

St. Paul, Feb. 26.—The bill for constitutional woman suffrage will not be reported to the Senate for two weeks, Senator P. A. Gandrud, chairman of the Senate committee on temperance and one of the leaders in the Senate, states. It is the drys, acting under the advice of Dr. George B. Safford of the Anti-saloon league, who are opposing the passage of the suffrage bill, he said.

Suffrage Bill Is Passed.

St. Paul, Feb. 23.—By an overwhelming vote, the Minnesota House of Representatives passed the bill providing for the submission to the people of a constitutional amendment granting suffrage to women. The vote was 85 to 41.

The bill now goes to the Senate. If passed by the upper body, it will be voted on by the people in November, 1918, at the same time that the prohibition amendment is considered. A close fight in the Senate is predicted.

The fight for the bill was the tamest suffrage contest ever witnessed in the Minnesota legislature. Heretofore, there has been intense interest. The day when a suffrage bill came up for a vote was always a real "field day."

There was a lot of oratory before the vote, but it all lacked the old time fervor. The proponents were led by A. M. Peterson of Coleraine, author of the bill. Others who spoke for the bill included Representatives Leavitt Corning, H. H. Holmes, Oscar Stenvick and P. H. Konzen.

Thomas H. Girling of Robbinsdale, declaring that the fight was "too one-sided" spoke against the bill. He declared that a law should be passed making all men vote. George H. Nordlin of St. Paul also spoke against the bill. The only excitement of the day came over a parliamentary tangle.

General Orders Ban Sought.

St. Paul, Feb. 26.—"No more general orders in the House." This will be the slogan of the members whose favorite bills have been sidetracked for the consideration of other fellows' pet measures in the past two weeks.

Other members who have no special pets, but who say they want to see fair play, have agreed to join the protest.

"The making of so many special orders clogs business on general orders," Oscar Swenson, chairman of the committee on general legislation, said. "There is too much time wasted on oratory when we have a special order."

No Funds For Grain Probe.

St. Paul, Feb. 24.—By its failure to receive the "buck" passed to it by the rules committee, the House of Representatives has put a quietus on the proposed inquiry into grain exchanges asked for by A. F. Teigen.

The rules committee sent in a report calling for the employment of help amounting to $57 a day. The House, after listening to impassioned orators for two hours, refused to adopt the report by a vote of 53 to 61.

Economy Bills Ready.

St. Paul, Feb. 26.—Senator F. A. Duxbury, chairman of the Senate committee on civil administration, has just announced that the public domain bill, the bill separating the grain and warehouse department from the jurisdiction of the railroad commission, and the bill re-organizing the department of education and the state department of health would be reported to the Senate at once.

Confident Veto Is Valid.

St. Paul, Feb. 26.—Governor Burnquist has expressed confidence that his veto of the Pratt bill, assigning to the state supreme court rooms now occupied by the tax commission and adjutant general, conforms to all constitutional and statute requirements. His statement followed a report that he had not acted within the limited time prescribed by the constitution.

OPPONENTS WANT ORE TAX ACTION HURRIED

Believe Measure Can Be Killed In Senate—Bill Appropriating $4,424,050 State "U" Budget Introduced.

St. Paul, Feb. 26.—Efforts are being made to have the tonnage tax bill passed by the House considered by the Senate within a week or 10 days. Senator W. S. Dwinnell, chairman of the Senate committee on taxes and tax laws, has called a meeting to consider the measure.

It is understood that the opponents of the bill will ask that it be reported out and made a special order.

Representative W. I. Norton has introduced a bill appropriating $4,424,050 for the state university budget for the next two years. The bill was prepared by the state board of university regents. It provides $1,637,025 a year for maintenance, $45,000 each year for special equipment in the various departments, $522,250 a year for extraordinary repairs and new buildings.

Tonnage Tax Bill Passed

St. Paul, Feb. 22.—After one of the most bitter legislative struggles in the history of the state, the Minnesota house of representatives passed the so-called tonnage tax bill. The vote was 69 to 61.

The bill, termed a super-tax proposal, because it would levy a tax of 2 per cent of the value of merchantable ore, in addition to the present ad valorem tax on mining property, now goes to the senate. In the words of several house members, the lower body "passed the buck" to the upper branch.

Northern Minnesota was almost solidly arrayed against the measure.

The spectre of sectionalism, deprecated by leaders on both sides, crept into the four-hour debate on the bill. It would not down. Representatives from the northern part of the state said frankly their section was being discriminated against in the bill. Representatives from the southern part insisted that there was no discrimination.

While there were some notable exceptions, representatives from farming communities in the southern and western portions of the state were lined up for the bill.

Guard Bill Is Special Order.

St. Paul, Feb. 26.—Without giving its appropriations committee a chance to consider the measure, the Minnesota House of Representatives decided to make the bill appropriating nearly $500,000 for soldier pay a special order of business.

George H. Moeller of St. Paul, chairman of the committee on military affairs, who, with Representative Henry Steen of Winona, introduced the bill granting pay of 50 cents a day to all guardsmen who went to the border, asked for a suspension of the rules to make the bill a special order.

Bendixen Boom Launched.

St. Paul, Feb. 26.—Representative C. M. Bendixen of Morgan, chairman of the House committee on drainage and one of the leaders of the farmers' forum, probably will be a candidate for railroad and warehouse commissioner against Charles E Elmquist next year, or for railroad commissioner, if the grain and warehouse department is divorced from the railroad commission.

Mr. Bendixen is being boomed for the position by members of the forum and by other friends in the House.

Fund for Statue of Ramsey.

St. Paul, Feb. 26.—An appropriation of $10,000 is sought for a statue of former Governor Alexander Ramsey in the national statuary hall at Washington, and a replica of the statue to be placed in the capitol in St. Paul in a bill introduced in the house by Representative Thomas H. Girling and Frank Nimrocks of Minneapolis. The legislature of 1905 designated Alexander Ramsey as one of the state's citizens whose statue should be placed in the national statuary hall.

Lawmakers Fear "Leaks."

St. Paul, Feb. 24.—The possibility of "leaks" was urged as one of the most important reasons why the trade commission bill before the Legislature should not be reported favorably by Senate and House committees at a public hearing by a joint committee from both houses.

Makes Thanksgiving Holiday.

St. Paul, Feb. 24.—The supreme court has decided since the last session of the Legislature that Thanksgiving day is not a legal holiday in Minnesota, and so Senator J. A. Jackson of St. Paul has introduced a bill adding it to the legal holidays listed in the statutes.

To Help Plague Victims.

St. Paul, Feb. 24.—Scores of persons in Minnesota who need special treatment to overcome or mitigate the after effects of infantile paralysis will be benefited if the legislature passes a bill appropriating $50,000 to care for such cases and to fight new outbreaks.

TAKES OFF DANDRUFF HAIR STOPS FALLING

Girls! Try This! Makes Hair Thick, Glossy, Fluffy, Beautiful—No More Itching Scalp.

Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable luster, softness and luxuriance.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine. Adv.

Jaundiced Atmosphere.

Naval Secretary Daniels said at a dinner in Washington:

"Our friend's views are jaundiced. Is he aware that the navy is shooting better than it ever did?

"Our friend lives in an atmosphere as jaundiced as that wherein the schoolmaster said:

"'A synonym for "friends," please.'

"'Money,' the pupil answered.

"'Quite right,' said the schoolmaster."

Only One "BROMO QUININE"
To get the genuine, call for full name LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. 25c.

Reclaim Land Valued at Three Million.

Since commencing operations, the Toronto harbor commission has reclaimed 300 acres of land in connection with their part of the work of the harbor front development scheme. Taking the value of the new land at $10,000 an acre, the harbor board has created an additional asset of $3,000,000.—Toronto Globe.

LIFT YOUR CORNS OFF WITH FINGERS

How to loosen a tender corn or callus so it lifts out without pain.

Let folks step on your feet hereafter; wear shoes a size smaller if you like, for corns will never again send electric sparks of pain through you, according to this Cincinnati authority.

He says that a few drops of a drug called freezone, applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, instantly relieves soreness, and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts right out.

This drug dries at once and simply shrivels up the corn or callus without even irritating the surrounding skin.

A small bottle of freezone obtained at any drug store will cost very little but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

If your druggist hasn't stocked this new drug yet, tell him to get a small bottle of freezone for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

Sorry He Didn't.

Jim Wells paid a visit to old Lawyer Collingwood one morning and told him he wanted to get a divorce from his wife.

"Oh, nonsense, Jim!" said the lawyer, gazing at the enraged young man, "you don't want a divorce from Nancy. Why, it was only about two months ago you told me you were so much in love with her you could eat her."

"Well, gol dern it!" said Jim, terribly in earnest, "I wish I had et her!"—Mrs. James Todd, Michigan.

CUTICURA IS SO SOOTHING

To Itching, Burning Skins—It Not Only Soothes, but Heals—Trial Free.

Treatment: Bathe the affected surface with Cuticura Soap and hot water, dry gently and apply Cuticura Ointment. Repeat morning and night. This method affords immediate relief, and points to speedy healment. They are ideal for every-day toilet uses.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Between Girls.

"I caught Harold kissing one of your gloves."

"Well, as I was away, the dear boy couldn't kiss me."

"True. But if he could have got hold of your powder puff, he wouldn't have known the difference; would he, dear?"—Kansas City Journal.

Allen's Foot-Ease for the Troops.
Many war zone hospitals have ordered Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder, for use among the troops. Shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath, Allen's Foot-Ease gives rest and comfort, and makes walking a delight. Sold everywhere 25c. Try it today. Adv.

Singapore motion-picture theaters have cheaper seats behind the scenes for poorer-class natives.

Doubtless the original board of education was the blackboard.

IS CHILD CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Between Friends.

Mike—And where be ye going wid th' flowers?

Pat—To th' hospital to see me frind Kelly.

Mike—Kelly in th' hospital? And phwat ails Kelly?

Pat—Oh, Kelly has a few cracked ribs from a bit av a frindly argument that he and I had lasht evening.

Cole's Carbolisalve Quickly Relieves and heals burning, itching and torturing skin diseases. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Heals without scars. 25c and 50c. Ask your druggist, or send 25c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill., for a pkg. Adv.

Would Be Dangerous.

Heck—A doctor says it helps digestion to laugh at your meals.

Peck—If I were to laugh at the meals my wife prepares I'd probably get a plate thrown at my head.

Send 10c to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, for large trial package of Anuric for kidneys—cures backache.—Adv.

Jawcrackers.

"Why do they call him the unspeakable Turk?"

"Wait until the fighting gets to the Turkish towns and you'll soon find out."

Defined.

"Aren't the fashions this season less extreme?"

"Oh, extremely less."

Pennsylvania railway will add $20,000,000 worth of new rolling stock this year.

Strong Drinks Irritate

Strong drinks like beer, whiskey, tea and coffee, irritate the kidneys and habitual use tends to weaken them. Daily backache, with headache, nervousness, dizzy spells and a rheumatic condition should be taken as a warning of kidney trouble. Cut out, or at least moderate, the stimulant, and use Doan's Kidney Pills. They are fine for weak kidneys. Thousands recommend them.

A Minnesota Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

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DEFENSE POWERS AND FUNDS ASKED BY WILSON IN TALK BEFORE CONGRESS

AUTHORITY TO PLACE UNITED STATES IN STATE OF ARMED NEUTRALITY TO RESIST SUBMARINE MENACE REQUESTED.

CONVOYING OR ARMING OF MERCHANTMEN IS SOUGHT

President Asserts "Overt Act" Is Lacking but Continued Invasion of Rights and Blockade of Commerce Have Forced Step Toward Actual War.

Washington, Feb. 27.—President Wilson has appeared before Congress and asked for authority to place the United States in a state of "armed neutrality" to resist the German submarine menace.

Devoutly expressing the hope that it would not become necessary to put armed forces into action, the President specifically asked for authority to supply American merchant ships with defensive arms "with the means of using them" and "to employ any other instrumentalities" as well as a "sufficient credit" to enable him to provide "adequate means of protection."

This without being specific in terms was a request for the use of the army and navy and the necessary money to make them effective.

The President's Message.

The President spoke as follows:

"Gentlemen of the Congress:

"I have again asked the privilege of addressing you because we are moving through critical times during which it seems to me to be my duty to keep in close touch with houses of Congress so that neither counsel nor action shall run at cross-purposes between us.

Reviews Former Talk.

"On the third of February I officially informed you of the sudden and unexpected action of the imperial German government in declaring its intention to disregard the promises it had made to this government in April last and undertake immediate submarine operations against all commerce whether of belligerents or neutrals, that should seek to approach Great Britain and Ireland, the Atlantic coasts of Europe or the harbors of the eastern Mediterranean and to conduct those operations without regard to the established restrictions of international practice, without regard to any consideration of humanity whatever which might interfere with their object. That policy was forthwith put into practice. It has now been in active execution for nearly four weeks.

Co-operation Asked of Neutrals.

"Its practical results are not fully disclosed. The commerce of other neutral nations, is suffering severely but not, perhaps very much more severely than it was already suffering before the first of February, when the new policy of the imperial government was put into operation. We have asked the co-operation of the other neutral governments to prevent these depredations, but I fear none of them has thought it wise to join us in any common course of action. Our own commerce has suffered, is suffering, rather in apprehension than in fact, rather because so many of our ships are timidly keeping to their home ports than because American ships have been sunk.

Two U. S. Ships Lost.

"Two American vessels have been sunk, the Housatonic, and the Lyman M. Law. The case of the Housatonic, which was carrying foodstuffs consigned to a London firm, was essentially like the case of the Frye, in which, it will be recalled, the German government admitted its liability for damages, and the lives of the crew, as in the case of the Frye, were safeguarded with reasonable care.

"The case of the Law which was carrying lemon-box staves to Palermo disclosed a ruthlessness of method which deserves grave condemnation, but was accompanied by no circumstances which might not have been expected at any time in connection with the use of the submarine against merchantmen as the German government has used it.

Situation Grows Worse.

"In sum, therefore, the situation we find ourselves in with regard to the actual conduct of the German submarine warfare against commerce and its effects upon our own ships and people is substantially the same that it was when I addressed you on the third of February except for the tying up of our shipping in our own ports because of the unwillingness of our shipowners to risk their vessels at sea without insurance or adequate protection and the very serious congestion of our commerce which has resulted, a congestion which is growing rapidly more and more serious every day.

"This in itself might presently accomplish, in effect, what the new German submarine orders were meant to accomplish, so far as we are concerned. We can only say therefore that the overt act, which I have ventured to hope the German commanders would in fact avoid, has not occurred.

Escapes Due to Chance.

"But while this is happily true, it must be admitted that there have been certain additional indications and expressions of purpose on the part of the German press and the German authorities which have increased rather than lessened the impression that, if our ships and our people are spared it will be because of fortunate circumstances or because the commanders of the German submarine which they may happen to encounter exercise an unexpected discretion and restraint rather than because of the instructions under which those commanders are acting.

"It would be foolish to deny that the situation is fraught with the gravest possibilities and dangers. No thoughtful man can fail to see that the necessity for definite action may come at any time, if we are in fact and not in word merely to defend our elementary rights as a neutral nation It would be most impudent to be unprepared.

Asks Full Authority.

"I cannot in such circumstances be unmindful of the fact that the expiration of the term of the present Congress is immediately at hand by constitutional limitations, and that it would in all likelihood require an unusual length of time to assemble and organize the Congress which succeeds it.

"I feel that I ought in view of that fact, to obtain from you full and immediate assurance of the authority which I may need at any moment to exercise. No doubt I already possess that power without special warrant of law, by the plain indication of my constitutional duties and powers; but I prefer in the present circumstances not to act upon general implication. I wish to feel that the authority and power of Congress are behind me in whatever it may become necessary for me to do. We are jointly the servants of the people and must act together and in their spirit so far as we can divine and interpret it.

To Stand Steadfast.

"No one doubts what it is our duty to do. We must defend our commerce and the lives of our people in the midst of the present trying circumstances, with discretion, but with clear and steadfast purpose. Only the method and the extent remain to be chosen, upon the occasion, if occasion should indeed arise.

"Since it has unhappily proved impossible to safeguard our neutral rights by diplomatic means against the unwarranted infringements they are suffering at the hands of Germany, there may be no recourse but to armed neutrality, which we shall know how to maintain and for which there is abundant American precedent.

Hope to Avoid Conflict.

"It is devoutly to be hoped that it will not be necessary to put armed force anywhere into action. The American people do not desire it and our desire is not different from theirs. I am sure that they will understand the spirit in which I am now acting, the purpose I hold nearest my heart and I would wish to exhibit in every thing I do. I am anxious that the people of the nations at war also should understand and not mistrust us. I hope that I need give no further proofs and assurances than I have already given throughout nearly three years of anxious patience that I am the friend of peace and mean to preserve it for America so long as I am able. I am not now proposing or contemplating war or any steps that need lead to it.

"I merely request that you will accord me by your own vote and definite bestowal of the means and the authority to safeguard in practice the right of a great people who are at peace and who are desirous of exercising none but the rights of peace to follow the pursuit of peace in quietness and good will—rights recognized time out of mind by all the civilized nations of the world. No course of my choosing or of theirs will lead to war. War can come only by the willful acts and aggressions of others.

Can't Make Known Course.

"You will understand why I can make no definite proposals or forecasts of action now and must ask for your supporting authority in the most general terms. The form in which action may become necessary cannot yet be foreseen. I believe that the people will be willing to trust me to act with restraint, with prudence and in the true spirit of amity and good faith that they have themselves displayed throughout these trying months; and it is in that belief that I request that you will authorize me to supply our merchant ships with defensive arms should that become necessary, and with the means of using them, and to employ any other instrumentalities or methods that may be necessary and adequate to protect our ships and our people in their legitimate and peaceful pursuits on the seas. I request also that you will grant me at the same time, along with the powers I ask, a sufficient credit to enable me to provide adequate means of protection where they are lacking, providing adequate insurance against the present war risks.

Considers Rights of Humanity.

"I have spoken of our commerce and of the legitimate errands of our people, on the seas, but you will not be misled as to my main thought, the thought that lies beneath these phrases and gives them dignity and weight. It is not of material interest merely that we are thinking. It is, rather, of fundamental human rights, chief of all the right of life itself. I am thinking not only of the rights of Americans to go and come about their proper business by way of the sea, but also of something much deeper, much more fundamental than that. I am thinking of those rights of humanity without which there is no civilization.

Confident of Support.

"My theme is of those great principles of compassion and of protection which mankind has sought to throw about human lives, the lives of non-combatants, the lives of men who are peacefully at work keeping the industrial processes of the world quick and vital, the lives of women and children and of those who supply the labor which ministers to their sustenance. We are speaking of no selfish material rights, but of rights which our hearts support and whose foundation is that righteous passion for justice upon which all law, all structures alike of family, of state and of mankind, must rest as upon the ultimate base of our existence and our liberty. I cannot imagine any man with American principles at his heart hesitating to defend these things."

Navy Has Secret Devices.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The navy's advisory board of scientists has developed several new devices that are far in advance of anything today possessed by the navies of Europe, according to Elmer E. Sperry, chairman of two of the board's committees. Mr. Sperry asserted that, in the event of war, these devices would give the American navy a decided advantage over any opponent. Such invention as have been perfected by the board of scientists have been kept secret.

"Thirst Burglars" Appear in Kansas.

Wichita, Kan., Feb. 27.—With the advent of the "bone dry" law in Kansas the "thirst burglar" has made his apearance here. During the last 24 hours the police department has been flooded with reports of petty robberies, the majority of which have to do with losses of private stocks of beer, whisky and wines, laid by before the present law went into effect. Silverware and other valuables repeatedly have been left undisturbed while entire supplies of wet goods have been taken.

KUT-EL-AMARA TAKEN BY BRITISH FORCES

London, Feb. 27.—Kut-el-Amara has been recaptured by British forces. Chancellor of the Exchequer Andrew Bonar Law made the announcement in the house of commons. He said the Turkish garrison was in full retreat.

"The whole enemy's positions at Sannai-Yat and Kut-el-Amara have been secured," the Mesopotamian statement announced. "Kut itself is automatically ours. The Turks on the Tigris river front are in full retreat towards Baghailah, 24 miles to the west of Kut-el-Amara. The fleeing Turks are being harassed by the pursuing British cavalry."

LINER LACONIA, CARRYING AMERICANS IS TORPEDOED

Biggest Victim of New German Submarine Campaign Sunk Without Warning U. S. Consul Reports.

Queenstown, Feb. 27.—The Cunard line steamship Laconia of 18,099 tons gross which sailed from New York Feb. 18 for Liverpool, has been sunk. Wesley Frost, American consul at Queenstown, telegraphed the American embassy here:

"Cunarder Laconia torpedoed. Two hundred and seventy-eight survivors landed. Details lacking, but known some missing, one dead."

The Laconia is the biggest victim of the German submarine warfare since the new decree was announced. The Laconia was torpedoed without warning, it was reported here.

A further statement said that a majority of the survivors were expected to land at Queenstown and the others at Bantry, Ireland.

Twenty Americans, all native born were members of the crew of the Laconia.

U. S. VESSELS TO SAIL IF WILSON GETS AUTHORITY

American Line Steamships to Depart As Soon As Guns Can Be Provided According to Officials.

New York, Feb. 27.—If President Wilson is authorized by Congress to arm ships to protect American merchantmen on the high seas, the American line steamships tied up here will resume sailings as soon as guns can be provided, it is stated by the line's officials here.

Two freight steamships, the Falkland (Norwegian), from Manchester, and the Manxman (British), for Genoa, arrived here after passing through the German submarine zone.

Germany to Force War on Holland.

London, Feb. 27.—Holland now understands why two months ago Germany began massing troops near the Dutch border. Rumors are widespread that these troops have constructed trenches paralleling the line. Public indignation over the sinking of seven Dutch ships by German submarines, was tempered by realization of the danger to The Netherlands in these massed German forces. Conviction grew in Great Britain that Germany deliberately planned the torpedoing of the seven Dutch ships.

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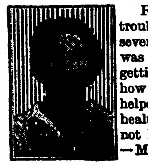

Ridgway, Penn. — "I suffered from female trouble with backache and pain in my side for over seven months so I could not do any of my work. I was treated by three different doctors and was getting discouraged when my sister-in-law told me how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had helped her. I decided to try it, and it restored my health, so I now do all of my housework which is not light as I have a little boy three years old."—Mrs. O. M. Rhines, Ridgway, Penn.

Mrs. Lindsey Now Keeps House For Seven.

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Woman Dressed as a Soldier.

Mme. Simone Puget, widow of Henri Puget, the French novelist, clipped her hair and donned the uniform of a British "Tommy", in order to reach her husband, who was dying in Belgium of wounds received in battle. Mme. Puget arrived in New York recently.

"Assisted by some English friends, I cut off my hair and obtained the uniform of a British soldier, which I donned after the military authorities had denied me permission to go to my husband," she said. "Thus garbed, I attracted no attention when I marched with an English artillery detachment into Belgium by way of Hazebrouck. Thank God, I reached my husband's side a few hours before he died."

ACTRESS TELLS SECRET.

A well known actress gives the following recipe for gray hair: To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

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What Is Uric Acid?

Everyone has uric acid in the system, but naturally in small quantities. Excessive amount is caused by eating too much meat and foods that ferment in stomach. The kidneys, being the filters of the blood, are supposed to separate and throw the poisons out of the system. Weak, tired and overworked kidneys fail to do this, hence the uric acid accumulates and the urate salts are carried by the blood to the solid tissue structure, causing backache, lumbago, rheumatism, dropsy, drowsiness, and tired feeling.

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Experience taught Doctor Pierce that Anuric is a more powerful agent than lithia in dissolving uric acid, and it is then carried out of the system.

Taking Sides.

"Truth is mighty and will prevail," said the vociferous man.

"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum; "but when truth is making the fight, maybe she'd prevail quicker if a lot of us wasn't so neutral."

Timely Advice.

Church—I see a device of spring metal and wire to encircle a person's feet prevents the loss of an overshoe.

Gotham—Why couldn't this device be used to prevent the loss of a fellow's umbrella?

Why She Could Do It.

Patience—Did you hear that Peggy gave her hand in marriage to a man one night and two nights later gave another man her hand?

Patrice—Oh, yes; you know she's ambidextrous.

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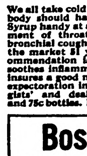

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The Boy Who Dreams.

It is a good thing for the farmer boy to have an imagination, says the Prairie Farmer. It is a good thing for him to "dream dreams and see visions." It takes a dreamer to see the transformation that intelligent effort will bring to pass on the old place. It takes a dreamer to see how much more desirable that place will be in ten years than a job in a dry goods store.—Emporia Gazette.

Age of the Ostrich.

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Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed and delivered by John F. Tapper, an unmarried man, mortgagor, to Julia Flakne, mortgagee, dated August 12th, 1915, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for Marshall county, Minnesota, on October 26th, 1915, at nine o'clock a. m. in Book 79 of Mortgages at page 121; and which said mortgage was duly assigned by said Julia Flakne to M. P. Shuemaker, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 12th, 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota, on January 25th, 1916, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 75 of Mortgages at page 247; and was again duly assigned by the said M. P. Shuemaker to M. H. Evans, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 17th 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota, on January 13th, 1917, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 86 of Mortgages at page 27; that the amount due and claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date hereof is five hundred and fifty-nine dollars and thirty-three cents ($559.33); that the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage are Lot numbered One, of Section Nineteen, and Lots numbered One and Two, and the east half of the northeast quarter, of Section Thirty, in Township one hundred and fifty-six North, of Range forty-one West of the 5th Principal Meridian, in Marshall county, Minnesota, containing 162.55 acres, according to the United States Government survey thereof; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren, Marshall county, Minnesota, on the 26th day of March, 1917, at eleven o'clock a. m., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, together with the costs of such sale, and fifty dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, and the taxes, if any, on said premises.

Dated February 6th, 1917.

M. H. Evans,
Assignee of Mortgagee,
St. Paul, Minn.

L. E. Gossman,
Attorney for assignee of mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota

Important Accessory, Anyhow.

The automobile people to the contrary notwithstanding, the best sparking device continues to be a sofa with the lights turned low.—Judge.

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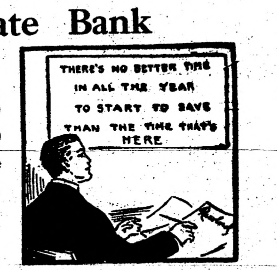

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If you are suffering from any of the following diseases, you should send to us today for a 25c box of KIDNECO FREE, as these diseases yield at once to its wonderful curative powers. We have seen thousands of these troubles ended in a week, though they have resisted every other remedy known to science —Bad Blood, Kidney Complaint, Highly Colored Urine, Brick Dust in Urine, Tube Casts, Hemmorage of Kidneys, Bright's Disease, Urinary Troubles, Sudden Stoppage of Urine, Gravel, Stone in the Bladder, Irritation of the Bladder, Dribbling, Retention of Urine, Straining after Urinating, Pain or Frequent Calls, Weak Kidneys, Uric Acid, Pass Blood or Mucus in Urine, Backache, Pain in Urethra, Catarrh of Bladder or Bowels, Ulceration of the Bladder, Rheumatism, Pain in Joints or Hips, Diabetes, Scanty Urine, Thick or Sluggish Urine, Gall Stone, Gastric Acid.

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Kidneco costs 25c, 50c and $1.00 a Package

THIS COUPON with Ten Cents in Silver for Postage, etc., entitles the holders to one 25c Package of Kidneco FREE. Address Dept. M. The Kidneco Co., Boston, Mass

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Mrs. Docken went to T. R. Falls Tuesday for a few days visit.

Wait for Dr. Turley, the dentist, he will be here Friday March 23.

Spring is on the way and will soon arrive here, so get ready for it.

Albert Knutson returned Monday from several weeks visit at Gary.

Otto Kuehne went to Warroad, Monday [illegible] he expected to find work.

J. B. A[illegible] has sold a lot to C. L. S[illegible] east of his residence.

Services [illegible] Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock [illegible] 7:30 in the evening by Rev. [illegible]len.

[illegible] returned Monday [illegible] death of his brother.

Mrs. P. A. Riesberg went to T. R. Falls last week Thursday to see her daughter Mrs. Ollie Werner who is on the sick list.

Mrs. August Kuehne returned home Monday from T. R. Falls accompanied by her daughter Mrs. Albin Knauf who will visit here a few days.

Announcement

New Garage!

I will open a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building about March 15th

New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

Ole Hammerness

Holt - Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Davidson's daughter and her husband came Monday from Fargo for a visit at the Davidson home.

Mrs. Nils Cronstrom and daughter Esther have been visiting their daughter and sister Mrs. J. M. Swan and family for several days.

There were arrivals of baby girls at the O. H. Nohre and Hjalmer Johnson homes Sunday. Congratulations are extended to the parents.

The married men scored a gain of 64 points at the whist club Wednesday night which closes the contest with the benedicts 154 points in the lead and it is now up to the single fellows to do the entertaining. They better get married or quite playing whist.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 1:30, Choir practice at 2.15

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 7:30 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

Rev. Parish will preach next Monday evening March 12th. Everybody cordially invited.

The Ladies Aid will entertain at the church basement Saturday evening March 17th.

A short program will be given and there will be a fish pond for those who want to try their luck.

All who are interested in the songs for Easter, are invited to come and help us practice next Sunday. Come at 1:30 and visit the Sunday School.

Rev. Low and a gospel singer from Minneapolis held meetings here several evenings this week.

Ringbo Rumbles

Quite a bunch from Ringbo attended the show and dance in Holt Saturday evening.

Miss Hilda Erickson is expecting to leave for Dawson, Minn Friday, where she will visit with her sister. Mrs. Rude will accompany her as far as T. R. Falls.

Oscar Knutson spent Sunday afternoon and evening at Rude's.

The Ringbo busy bees have been hauling hay this week.

Miss N[illegible] Christianson and Hans Stensrud called at the P. G. Sorter home Sunday.

Oliver [illegible]dahl has been on the sick list this week.

[illegible] Geo. Hanson Saturday, and also for Ed. Erickson.

Mrs. Lillian Rude and Mary Rude called on Sophie Johnson and Flora Culver Tuesday of last week.

The jolly Sunnysiders called at Geo. Hanson's Sunday

Miss Hilda Erickson and Mary Rude called on Jensine Udstrand Thursday.

For Sale.

Good timothy hay for sale, only one mile from town.

Holt State Bank.

Community Day

A big crowd of farmers were in town on community day. Mr. Bell of Crookston was the speaker and a large audience listened to his address. Hot lunches were served at the hotel and restaurant and were generously paid for by the business men. Steps were taken to organize a farmers elevator and it is expected it will go thru O. K.

The several ice houses in town have been filled this week.

A full set of village officers, and then some, were nominated Monday evening at the caucus.

A gas tractor and power rig were shipped to Kirkhaven, Minn., Monday by a real estate firm there.

John Olson of Roseau visited J. M. Swan a couple of days last week while enroute home from Minneapolis.

Brekkestran Bros. are working on their garage and will be all ready for business by the time the season opens up.

Mrs Hagglund and daughter Ida went to Dugdale Saturday to see the former's mother who was reported critically ill.

Potatoes are selling at $3.00 a bu. and up, in all the large cities. Wonder why it would'nt pay to raise a good sized patch of the tubers this year?

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will be entertained Saturday 2 P. M. at the parsonage.

Sunday School at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Ladies Aid were entertained Wednesday by Mrs. G. P. Sorter.

Services at Chris Norbeck's next Sunday at 10:30

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Stiener News

Mr. and Mrs. Simmonson and family called at the home of Mr. and Mr. Nick Baker Saturday evening.

Oscar Shauke transacted business in Steiner the middle of the week.

J. Steiner made a business trip to T. R. Falls the first of the week.

J. A. Russell and son, Kenneth, were business callers in T. R. Falls Friday.

Peter Solemn transacted business in Steiner Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Werner made a trip to T. R. Falls the first of the week.

Paul and Andrew Kisch attended the Dietz show in Holt Saturday evening.

G. L. Leisner was surprised by a crowd of young folks Friday evening. A large crowd was present and all report a good time.

Southeast of Holt.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tallack Ose on Friday. Congratulations.

There will be confirmation services conducted by Rev. Bjolmen at the Synod church on Sunday forenoon Mar. 11th.

Several people from this locality were in attendance at the Market Day celebration at Holt on Thursday,

Mrs. Clarence Larson and childen departed for their home at Golden Valley on Tuesday after a short visit with relatives in this locality.

A number of boys in this vicinity who have been spending the winter in the woods returned home last week.

Mrs. Nels Sordahl has been a few days at the T. Ose home.

Don't forget the election Mar. 13.

N. Sordahl, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sampson were Sunday visitors at the Nels Gunderson home.

Adolph Larson was a visitor at the Soren Moe home on Monday.

Martin Johnson and Oliver Molstad spent a few days in the tameracks last week.

Every body is busy hauling hay.

Ragna Larson spent from Friday till Monday visiting with her sister Clara who is teaching school near T. R. Falls.

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Chris Yttri has a sale ad on the back page of this paper.

P. O. Reierson visited over Sunday with relatives in T. R. Falls.

Miss Ruth Owen visited in Middle River between trains Saturday.

The village well is'nt working right and the storage cistern for fire protection has been filled from the well at Axel Nelson's residence

H. M. Johnson departed Tuesday for his home in Red Wing. B. J. Bakke is in temporary charge of the Farmers State bank which is now being run under the supervision of the Holt State Bank.

Financial Report

Of the Village of Holt, Minnesota, for the year ending March 1st, 1917.

Receipts

Pool table lisences	$ 25
Dog “	11
Poll tax	57
Justice court fines	10
Refunds freight and express	19 11
County Treasurer taxes	342 27
J F Sinclair Co Bond issuse	5882 60
Total Receipts	$6,346.98

Disbursements

C. W. Latta election clerk	$ 4.20
C. S. Kolden	7 20
J. Alkenbrack judge	4 20
R. Reierson	“
P. O. “	“
B. Docken recording deed	1
A. Mickelson typewriting	67
R. L. Olson fire warden	5
Holt Pub Co pub ordinances	18 75
Edna Riesberg telephoning	1 58
H. B. Young expres dog checks	1 35
I. Quist surveying blue prints	24 27
O. Erickson “	6 87
A. Beynes refund pool table lis	2 15
O. Rodahl payment vill hall	200
O. Dovre cleaning village lot	1
H. Young blanks & postage	1 50
R. L. Olson fire warden salary	5
O. Rodahl payment vil hall	700
Sam Reierson labor on street	16
Fridjof Riesberg same	21
Diedrick Nyberg same	16
O. H. Dovre same	26
Joe Nelson same	8
J. B. Alkenbrack same	12
J. M. Swan same	23 40
Tom Larson same	16 35
Elmer Haggland same	16
Oscar Sorenson same	16
Dewey Sorenson same	8
Arthur Sorenson same	4
C Kolden survey, election clerk	8 90
H. B. Young “ “	3 90
J. B. Alkenbrack “ judge	“
P. O. Reierson “ “	“
Reier Reierson “ “	“
Ludwig Monson surveying	5
Holt State Bank flag for hall	5 25
R. L. Olson fire warden salary	5
C. W. Christianson blacksmith	3
Racine Olson assessor's work	27 50
Racine Olson drawing hall plan	2
R. L. Olson fire warden salary	5
Winton-Nichols Co. lumber	1 76
O. Rodahl payment on hall	2000
R. L. Olson fire warden salary	5
J. B. Alkenbrack election judge	3
P. O. Reierson “ “	3
Clarence Kolden “ clerk	3
Imp. Bulletin ad sale of bonds	4 25
H. B. Young postage stat. gas	1
Holt Pub Co. legal notices	19 82
O. Rodahl discount vil orders	36 25
C. H. Gunheim desk & chairs	20 30
Taber & McLane well pay'mt	50
H. Peterson express & draying	3 36
S. S. Kolden w casing d shoe	100
G N R R ft engine & pump	127 88
H Olson elect line & dynamo	859 40
O. Rodahl balance on hall	190
J. M. Swan grading ar'd hall	8
Joe Johnson labor on engine	1 75
Holt Merc Co kerosene	4 80
Olaf Ness labor engine & pump	15 50
Theo Quale legal services	50
H Peterson ft dray hose cart	8 65
C. Gunheim stove, pipes, gas	41 18
S. Mickelson elect judge, labor	5 70
P. O. Reierson election judge	4 20
J. B. Alkenbrack “	“
Clarence Kolden “ cler	“
H. B. Young “ “	“
“ postage & expense	1
C. Christianson blacksmithing	75
G N Railway freight on culvert	1 48
Hardy Bjerk labor “ “	75
Albert “ “ “	“
H. Peterson “ & freight	7 07
“ freight, dray pump	5 10
Andrae & Sons Co lamps, etc,	42 42
to correct above	3 39
H. Peterson freight & dray	82
	2 43
John Hagberg labor gas tank	2
Crane & Ordway pump nipple	82
Taber, McLane well payment	24
Holt Town 1-2 drag'g line road	1 40
Winton-Nichols l'mbr, cem't	111 37
S. Mickelson build coal shed	30
Andrae & Sons meters, wire	249 26
“ lamps	39 04
H. Peterson frt, dray on meter	3 45
“ frt express draying	3 62
“ frt dray on dynamo	2 88
“ express & draying	2 29
Stand Oil Co gas tractor oil	20 85
Winton-Nichols lbr coal cemt	17 16
C L Sandberg gravel tel post	2 45
C Christianson bolts cross pieces	3
Peo Cash Store pipes, dynamite	3
John O Johnson buildin culvert	1
Plant Rubber Co dynamo belt	44 63
W. S. Booth village blanks	1 65
Crane & Ordway pipe supplies	1 60
H. Peterson ex ft dray st bat'y	81 58
Oen Merc Co doz cyld leathers	1 20
Total Disbursements	$5,520.20

Outstanding Unpaid Orders

Holt News publish ordinances	71 50
Carl Newton village lot	400
Irv Quist surveying streets	24 27
O. Rodahl vil hall payments	2900
F. Riesberg labor on streets	21
D. Nyberg same	16
J. Alkenbrack same	15 90
J. M. Swan same	23 40
Tom Larson same	16 35
P. O. Reierson election judge	3 90
Total Outstanding Orders	$3,492.82
Orders issued during year	
Outstanding Unpaid	$3,020.82

Respectfully submitted,
H. B. Young,
Village Clerk

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Holt State Bank.

Albert Knutson had a cousin come Tuesday from Mahomen for a few days visit.

Mrs. Martells' two sons came here Monday from Cedar Rapids Iowa and we understand they expect to make their home with their mother.

J. M. Ryan has been assisted by J. M. Swan this week in hauling oats etc. to the Ole Ostby farm onto which the former will soon move.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jahr and daughters Grace and Evelyn and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Knutson and son Lanie were pleasant visitors at the Tom Severson home Sunday afternoon.

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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The Local Market

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.78
Wheat No. 2	1.75
Wheat No. 3	1.69
Wheat No. 4	1.52
Flax	2 65
Oats	.50
Barley	.67 to .93
Rye	1.37
Flour, Best Patent	5.35

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Harald H. Gunheim, Hans H. Gunheim, Chas. H. Gunheim, Gunnar H. Gunheim, Thone H. Gunheim, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each Of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of March, 1917 at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 28th day of February, 1917.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Probate Judge.

Julius J. Olson & Rasmus Hage,
Attorneys for Petitioner
Warren, Minnesota.

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This requires the services of a local man who has some spare time and can look after the interests of our customers. The work would also include the introduction and sale of new fruit and flowers.

If you are not interested, please call this to the attention of some one you think would welcome the position. If you are interested, write at once for particulars. Adress

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Founded 1868.
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, January 17, 1917.

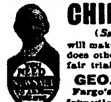
Notice is hereby given that Ole A. Christenson, of Holt, Minn., who on March 19th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 05143, for Lot 2, SE 1-4, SE 1-4 Sec. 2, SW 1-4, SW 1-4 Sec. 1, and NW 1-4, NW 1-4, Sec. 12, Twp. 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the Dist. of Minn. at Middle River, Minn., on the 12th day of March, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Hans Steusrud, Henry Steusrud, S. G. Svewke on and Ole J. Moen, all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.



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In calculating the recent big increase in railway fares, the powers that be unfortunately took the present-day ordinary rates, remarks London Tit-Bits. Travelers would have been better pleased had they taken as a basis the fares in vogue sixty years ago. Competition then reacted most beneficially for the traveler. During the winter of 1856-57 the fare from London to Peterborough was one shilling, the distance being 76 miles, and during the same period the ordinary return fare between York and London, 377 miles, was 3s 6d.

A year later there was a competitive effort to capture the Manchester passenger traffic, with the result that the double journey of 367 miles cost but five shillings. After that the companies became more commercial and less philanthropic.

Long-Distance Heroism.

"I see where a vaudeville performer bills himself as the 'Lusitania Singing Fireman.'"

"I presume he sang while the Lusitania was sinking?"

"That is what he wishes the public to infer, but he may have been singing in a theater 4,000 or 5,000 miles away."

Natural Result.

"Binks and I had an altercation yesterday and I called him a toad."

"What did he do?"

"He got hopping mad."

There would be fewer old bachelors if single men were not allowed to associate with married men.

The widow's mite is used too often as an excuse for small contributions.

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TAX CONFERENCE MADE PERMANENT

MINNESOTA ORGANIZATION TO BE NON-PARTISAN AND NON-POLITICAL, IS DECIDED.

NELSON IS MADE PRESIDENT

Chairman From Washington County Chosen—Four Vice Presidents Elected and Executive Committee of 11 Named.

St. Paul. — The Minnesota Tax Conference, a permanent organization that will concern itself with all problems relative to taxation, is in existence as result of the two-day conference of business men and taxation experts that has just adjourned after a two-day session in the old capitol, St. Paul. The organization will be non-political and non-partisan. From time to time it will publish data bearing upon taxation probelms, will concern itself with legislation of an important nature that may arise relative to taxation and will co-operate closely with the Minnesota tax commission. N. A. Nelson of Washington county, who was chairman of the conference, was made president.

Four vice presidents were elected: George H. Gardner, Crow Wing county; John F. Gustafson, Cottonwood county; Clayton Kennedy, Blue Earth county, and E. W. Smith, Otter Tail county.

An executive committee of 11 members will guide the commission and will meet at intervals between the annual conferences. The committee comprises W. L. Harris, Minneapolis; M. D. Munn, St. Paul; J. J. Springer, Zumbro Falls; Frank Simon, Mapleton; Henry Robel, Mankato; C. T. Kelley, Menahga; E. C. Wellin, Willmar; Henry H. Nolte, Duluth; Israel Sjoberg, Roseau; A. P. Moody, Cokato, and J. E. Kessner, Foley.

Taxable Assets $1,580,000,958.

St. Paul. — Current taxes of $55,969,523 are levied against Minnesota property of the taxable value of $1,580,200,958, according to an abstract of county tax lists made public in the office of State Auditor Preus. The last tax levy totaled $52,055,180 and the taxable value was $1,491,864,548. The average rate is 35.42 mills for taxes for collection this year, against 34.89 mills last year.

This average tax rate in Minnesota is the highest of record, despite the fact that the total of taxable values is also much larger than ever before.

Listed in the new abstract are 44,776,417 acres of land, valued, with structures, at $931,627,282, or an average of $20.80 an acre, and $486,092,140 of city realty and structures, also personal property of $212,481,536 taxable value.

A gain of $59,330,927 in unplatted real estate is the big item in the $88,236,437 increase in the taxable value total.

Thousand Dentists at Clinic.

Minneapolis.—More than 1,000 Minnesota dentists attended a clinic held by Dr. Arthur E. Smith, Chicago, and Dr. Henry B. Clark, Minneapolis, on the subject of practical nerve blocking, an extension of the local anesthesia, at the University of Minnesota, college of dentistry. A lecture by Dr. Rupert E. Hall, Philadelphia, on "Prosphesies," and another by Dr. Rodriquez Ottolenqui, New York, on "The Banishment of Infected Teeth," were the features of the program. The convention closed with the election of officers.

Political Leader Dies.

Little Falls. — Clarence B. Buckman, for forty-two years a resident of this vicinity, and prominent in public and business affairs, died at a sanatorium at Battle Creek, Mich., where he had been confined for several weeks suffering from Bright's disease.

Mr. Buckman was a former Republican representative in Congress from this district, and had served in the state Legislature several terms. For several years he was deputy United States marshal.

Loyalty Contest Planned.

Brainerd. — A "Loyalty Contest" among high school students has been planned by the chamber of commerce. Ten dollars in gold is offered in prizes for the best essays of 200 words on "Brainerd, What It Needs to Promote Better Community Spirit and What I Can Do to Assist."

Oldest Gopher Banker Dies.

St. Peter.—Frederick A. Donahower, said to be the oldest banker in Minnesota, died at his home here. He was 86 years old and complications incident to his advanced age caused his death.

Organize Farm Boys' Pig Club.

Blooming Prairie.—W. V. Goussoff, head of the Steele County Farm Bureau, and B. B. Jones, director of the Owatonna high school department of agriculture, have completed the organization of a farm boys' pig club here as the first unit of a series of farm boys' and girls' clubs. Other clubs, including corn and cow-testing organizations for boys, and garden and canning, sewing and bread-making clubs for girls, will be formed in the near future.

MADE $5,000 OUT OF HOGS

On His Western Canadian Farm.

It is getting to be a long drawn out story, the way that Western Canadian farmers have made money. Many of them a few years ago, came to the country with little more than their few household effects, probably a team of horses and a cow or two, and sufficient money to do them for a few months, until they got a start. Hundreds of such can be pointed out, who today have splendid homes, well equipped farms, the latest machinery and an automobile. Here is the case of A. E. Merriam, formerly of Devil's Lake, N. D. He didn't leave there because the land was poor, or farming not a success, for all who know that country are aware that it is an excellent country. He wanted to expand, to take advantage of the cheap land that Western Canada offers. And that same story has appealed to hundreds of others who have had like success with Mr. Merriam. But his story, and he signs it, too, is:

"I came to Alberta in the Spring of 1909 from Devil's Lake, North Dakota, locating on my farm near Dalroy.

"I arrived with six head of horses and two head of cattle and about $1,500. Since then, I have increased my live stock to seven head of horses, four head of cattle, and about one hundred head of hogs, a four-roomed house, good barn with all modern improvements, a feed grinder, elevator, chopper, fanning mill, etc. I have increased my original capital at least four times more since coming here.

"From the feeding of hogs during the last year, I had a gross return of $5,000.

"I first started grain farming, but during the past four years I have made hogs my specialty, and you may see by the foregoing statement for 1916 that I have not done so badly.

"Land has increased at least twenty per cent in value during the past few years, now selling for from $25 to $35 per acre, with nominal taxes of about $27 a quarter section yearly.

"The climate here is better than Dakota in that we do not have so much dry wind; the winters are similar to Dakota.

"As for farming in general, the growing and feeding of live stock is more sure than the grain farming, if continued year after year, and if every farmer follows this he will be ahead of the grain growers in the long run. Taking everything into consideration, I feel satisfied with my success in Alberta."

(Sgd.) A. E. MERRIAM.

Dalroy, Alberta, Jan. 12th, 1917.

There will be the greatest demand for farm labor in Western Canada during the early spring, and, in fact, all season until November, and the highest wages will be paid. There is an absolute guarantee by the Canadian Government that those who go to Canada for this purpose need have no fear of conscription.—Advertisement.

Built for It.

"I beg your pardon. I didn't mean to step on your foot."

"That's all right. I walk on 'em myself."—Ohio Sun Dial.

Cole's Carbolisalve Quickly Relieves and heals burning, itching and torturing skin diseases. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Heals without scars. 25c and 50c. Ask your druggist, or send 25c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill., for a pkg. Adv.

Its Condition.

"This Zeppelin raid business does not seem to have panned out."

"No; paradoxically speaking, it has gone up."

"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath, Sour Stomach and constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now.

No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels—you always get the desired results with Cascarets.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets to-night; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All stores sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a cleansing, too. Adv.

When a drunken man doesn't think he is exceptionally wise, he is beyond the thinking stage.

British soldiers at the front are writing 5,000,000 letters a week.

How it tickles a man's vanity when he is asked to settle a disputed point!

MINNESOTA HOUSE KILLS BILL AIMED AT FUTURE TRADES

KNUTSON AND TEIGEN BILLS FOR TAXATION AND ABOLISHMENT OF FUTURE TRADES ARE PUT TO SLEEP.

DEBATES ARE ACRIMONIOUS AND LAST FOR SIX HOURS

Amendments Follow in Quick Succession Until Bills Could Hardly Be Recognized Before They Finally Are Slaughtered—Farmer Members Active.

St. Paul, March 2.—Two measures, both designed to cripple the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, sponsored by certain farmer members, have been slaughtered in the Minnesota House of Representatives.

Men from the rural districts joined hands with city representatives in putting to sleep the Knutson bill for taxing future trades and the Teigen proposal to abolish future trading.

For nearly six hours, the House was surfeited with oratory. Every one of the so-called agricultural leaders had his say. A. F. Teigen took nearly two hours to explain his bill.

The Knutson bill looked like an old-fashioned "crazy quilt" by the time the host of amendments to it had been adopted. One amendment by T. H. Girling of Robbinsdale rendered the measure innocuous and presaged its defeat. The vote, taken after repeated attempts to send it back to committees, was 39 to 86.

Teigen Bill Amended.

The Teigen bill was amended on motion of C. M. Bendixen of Morgan. The amendment would permit hedging. Magnus Johnson of Kimball insisted that the Bendixen amendment killed the purpose of the bill. The vote on the Teigen bill was 34 to 72.

Asher Howard of Minneapolis, speaking against the Teigen bill, defended trading in options and pointed out the great harm that would be worked to the farmers of the Northwest and to Minneapolis by its passage.

Committee Is Sustained.

By its action on the Knutson bill the House sustained the action of the committee on taxes and tax laws which originally reported the bill for indefinite postponement by a vote of 13 to 2. Farmer members were responsible for bringing the bill before the House despite the committee's report.

Following the lengthy debate and the super-abundance of oratory, the House passed a resolution to limit debate hereafter. It was introduced by Charles H. Warner of Aitkin.

"This House never was intended to be a school of oratory," read the resolution. "It is desirable that we act more and talk less."

Constitution Revision Beaten.

St. Paul, March 2.—The House of Representatives has defeated the bill by C. E. Ryberg for submission of an amendment providing for a convention for revision of the state constitution.

The bill received 49 affirmative and 73 negative votes. Two-thirds majority was necessary for passage. A similar bill was defeated two years ago in the House by a substantial majority.

Evidence of I. W. W. Disorder.

The transcript of the evidence before the House labor committee in the recent investigation of labor disorders in Northern Minnesota has been delivered to Chairman George L. Siegel.

The subcommittee headed by Representative W. C. Briggs, named to prepare a report on the investigation, held a meeting to review the testimony.

Better ventilation of the House chamber at the state capitol is sought in a resolution presented by Representative J. I. Levin, which authorizes the rules committee to make the necessary arrangements.

The resolution recites that "it is a physiological fact that mental and physical efficiency of a person engaged in sedentary occupation depends on the generous inhalation of fresh air. The resolution was adopted.

Boxing Law Action Delayed.

A bill to authorize the little village of Mounds to dig a canal from Mounds lake to Lake Minnetonka was introduced by Senator Turnham of Long Lake. The bill provides for the levying of a tax on abutting property owners.

Action on the Sageng bill for the repeal of the boxing law has been again delayed by the state Senate. There were 124 bills on general orders, the greatest number during this session and but six on the calendar, so the calendar with the Sageng measure was skipped that bills might be cleared from general orders.

Keepers Favor Taxation of Bees.

Winona, Minn., March 2.— Members of the Southern Minnesota and Western Wisconsin Beekeepers association, in annual convention here, have gone on record as favoring taxation of bees. Their action is in harmony with that taken by the state association recently. The local association will make a recommendation to the state tax commission, asking that bees be given a separate classification in the schedules. They will urge that each colony be valued at $3 to $5, and that deductions be made from that amount.

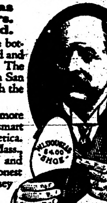
Catarrh for Years No Relief

Three Bottles PERUNA Made Me Well.

Mr. Eli Lefevre, Jr., 854 Brush St., Detroit, Mich., writes: "I had been troubled with catarrh for a number of years, and had been taking medicine for it, but they did me no good. In reading one of Dr. Hartman's books entitled 'Winter Catarrh,' I discovered that Peruna was good for catarrh. After I had taken only three bottles of Peruna I was cured of the catarrh. I now advise everybody troubled with catarrh to take Dr. Hartman's Peruna, as it is a sure cure for catarrh.

"Friends to whom I recommend Peruna tell me that it is also good for headache, dizziness, and pain in the stomach."

Those who object to liquid medicines can now procure Peruna Tablets.



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"THE SHOE THAT HOLDS ITS SHAPE"

$3 $3.50 $4 $4.50 $5 $6 $7 & $8 FOR MEN AND WOMEN

Save Money by Wearing W. L. Douglas shoes. For sale by over 9000 shoe dealers. The Best Known Shoes in the World.

W. L. Douglas name and the retail price is stamped on the bottom of all shoes at the factory. The value is guaranteed and the wearer protected against high prices for inferior shoes. The retail prices are the same everywhere. They cost no more in San Francisco than they do in New York. They are always worth the price paid for them.

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Ask your shoe dealer for W. L. Douglas shoes. If he cannot supply you with the kind you want, take no other make. Write for interesting booklet explaining how to get shoes of the highest standard of quality for the price, by return mail, postage free.

LOOK FOR W. L. Douglas name and the retail price stamped on the bottom.

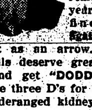
W. L. Douglas
President W. L. Douglas Shoe Co., 185 Spark St., Brockton, Mass.

Boys' Shoes Best in the World $3.00 $2.50 & $2.00

Truthful.

He—I could die dancing with you, dear.

She—I am.—Froth.



GAVE HIS CANE AWAY!

Mr. S. P. Benton, Kerrville, Texas, writes: "For several years prior to 1906 I suffered from kidney and rheumatic troubles. Was bent over and forced to use a cane. For these disorders I am glad to say I used Dodd's Kidney Pills, which proved to be the proper remedy. I am 64 years old, feel fine and once again stand as straight as an arrow. Dodd's Kidney Pills deserve great credit." Be sure and get "DODD'S," the name with the three D's for diseased, disordered, deranged kidneys; just as Mr. Benton did. No similarly named article will do.—Adv.

Presumptive Evidence.

"Is he learning to read law?"

"I suppose so. He told me he was prosecuting his studies."

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine — double strength — is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Rainbow chasers get at least a run for their money.

The pessimist never bores us with his alleged funny stories.

YOU MAY TRY CUTICURA FREE

That's the Rule—Free Samples to Anyone Anywhere.

We have so much confidence in the wonderful soothing and healing properties of Cuticura Ointment for all skin troubles, supplemented by hot baths with Cuticura Soap that we are ready to send samples on request. They are ideal for the toilet.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

No matter how loose the engagement ring may be, the diamond never slips around out of sight on a girl's finger.

Encouraging Example.

"When you begin to think this country is not democratic, stop a moment and study the average traffic policeman."

"But why?"

"You will discover that the dusky George Washington Jones, driving a dray, gets exactly the same treatment from him that is received by a millionaire reclining in his limousine."

Quickly Inspired.

"Dubbs has a lively imagination."

"I've noticed that. Dubbs can glance over a pamphlet issued by some western railroad and then rave about the scenic wonders of Arizona as if he had just been there."

Green's August Flower

When the stomach and liver are in good working order, in ninety-nine cases out of every hundred general good health prevails.

Green's August Flower has proven a blessing and has been used all over the civilized world during the last fifty odd years. It is a universal remedy for weak stomach, constipation and nervous indigestion. A dull headache, bad taste in the mouth in the morning, or that "tired feeling" are nature's warnings that something is wrong in the digestive apparatus. At such times Green's August Flower will quickly correct the difficulty and establish a normal condition. At all druggists' or dealers', 25c and 75c bottles.

Green's August Flower

Hotel Dyckman FIRE PROOF 325 Rooms, all with Private Bath. Rates: $1.50 per day and up. H. J. Tremaine, Minneapolis, U. S. A.

SNEEZING? GOT A HEADACHE? "Doctor-on-the-Spot" has just the help you need. An emergency case with fourteen remedies carefully planned to cover all general ailments—grippe, colds, croup, colic, etc., can be checked in the beginning. Pin a $1 bill to this advertisement now, and be ready with a reliable family medicine case. Send to PACIFIC HOMEOPATHIC FAMILY MEDICINE COMPANY, L. C. SMITH BUILDING, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

CANCER and Tumors successfully treated (removed) without knife or pain. All work guaranteed. *Come, or write for free Sanatorium book* Dr. WILLIAMS SANATORIUM 3023 University Av., Minneapolis, Minn.

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W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 10–1917.

Diet, Exercise or Death!

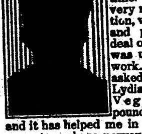
An eminent medical authority writes that most of our city folks die of a thickening of the arteries or of kidney disease. The kidneys become clogged and do not filter the poisons from the blood, and one trouble follows another, high blood pressure damages the heart, arteries and kidneys. Usually its danger signals are backache, pain here or there, swollen feet or ankles, rheumatic twinges or spots appearing before the eyes.

"The very best remedy is this: Eat meat but once a day, or not at all. Plenty of outdoor exercise, and drink pure water frequently. Before meals take a little Anuric, the great uric acid, neutralizer that is easily obtained at the drug store. When you have dizziness, chills or sweating, worry, or dragging pains in back, try this wonderful enemy to uric acid, which Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y., discovered and named Anuric. Anuric, more potent than lithia, dissolves uric acid as hot water does sugar."

HEALTHY CHILDREN come from healthy mothers. And mothers will certainly be healthy if they'll take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Nothing can equal it in building up a woman's strength, in regulating and assisting all her natural functions, and in putting in perfect order every part of the female system. It lessens the pains and burdens, supports and strengthens weak, nursing mothers.

It's an invigorating, restorative tonic, a soothing and bracing nervine.

Castor oil is good for children or adults, and especially good for aged people. A pleasant form of a vegetable laxative that is to be had at any drug store, was invented by Dr. Pierce, who put together May-apple (podophyllin), aloes, jalap. Ask at any drug store for "Pleasant Pellets," and they can be had for little money. They contain no calomel and are of vegetable constituents, therefore harmless.



WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Mrs. Quinn's Experience Ought to Help You Over the Critical Period.

Lowell, Mass.—"For the last three years I have been troubled with the Change of Life and the bad feelings common at that time. I was in a very nervous condition, with headaches and pain a good deal of the time so I was unfit to do my work. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I did, and it has helped me in every way. I am not nearly so nervous, no headache or pain. I must say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best remedy any sick woman can take."—Mrs. MARGARET QUINN, Rear 259 Worthen St., Lowell, Mass.

Other warning symptoms are a sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness, inquietude, and dizziness.

If you need special advice, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.

MICE CARRY DISEASE Kill These Pests By Using STEARNS' ELECTRIC PASTE U. S. Government Buys It SOLD EVERYWHERE—25c and $1.00

Prudent Decision.

"Would you go to war if your country called you?"

"Of course I would," answered the patriotic citizen, "but I would first make sure that my country was calling me, and not a lot of leather-lunged jingoes."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Undaunted.

"Have you a bete noire, Mrs. Comeup?"

"Yes, indeed. I got one the last time we were in dear Paris, and we all just dote on it."

Important to Mothers Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

When an author's books are popular enough for paper covers he can afford to cover himself with broadcloth.

The less you talk the less likely you are to choke if compelled to swallow your words.

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

A Mother's Burden

A mother who suffers kidney trouble, finds it hard to keep up her daily work. Lameness, backache, sharp pains when stooping and "blue", nervous or dizzy spells, make home life dreary. Active kidneys bring back vigor, health and a pleasure in family duties. If the kidneys are weak try a box of Doan's Kidney Pills.

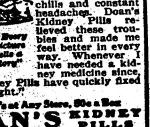
A North Dakota Case

Mrs. L. Iverson, Hillsboro, N. D., says: "My back ached so severely at times that I had to walk all stooped over. I couldn't straighten without terrible pains through my kidneys. I also had chills and constant headaches. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved these troubles and made me feel better in every way. Whenever I have needed a kidney medicine since, Doan's Kidney Pills have quickly fixed me up all right."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.



CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Make the Liver Do its Duty

Nine times in ten when the liver is right the stomach and bowels are right.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS gently but firmly compel a lazy liver to do its duty.

Cures Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache, and Distress After Eating.

SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.

Genuine must bear Signature Brent Good

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

"ROUGH on RATS" Ends Rats, Mice, Bugs. Die outdoors. 15c and 25c.

APPENDICITIS If you have been threatened or have GALLSTONES, INDIGESTION, GAS or pains in the right side write for valuable Book of Information FREE E. E. BOWERS, DEPT. W-6, 519 S. DEARBORN ST., CHICAGO

NEUTRALITY BILL FILIBUSTERED TO DEATH IN SENATE

CHAMPIONS OF PRESIDENT LET MEASURE DIE WHEN DOZEN SENATORS BLOCK ACTION FOR PASSAGE.

LA FOLLETTE IS NEVER GIVEN CHANCE TO SPEAK

Wisconsin Senator, However, Makes Expected Objection That Prevents Roll Call on Armed Neutrality Measure Which Expires With Session.

Washington, March 6.—Twelve senators, led by Senator La Follette and encouraged by Senator Stone, Democratic chairman of the foreign relations committee, in a filibuster, denounced by President Wilson's spokesman as the most reprehensible in the history of any civilized nation, defied the will of an overwhelmingly majority in Congress up to the last minute and denied to the President a law authorizing him to arm American merchant ships to meet the German submarine menace.

Unyielding through 26 hours of continuous session to appeals that their defiance of the President would be humiliating to the country; uncompromising in a crisis described to them as the most serious to the nation since the Civil war, La Follette and his small group of supporters refused a majority of their colleagues an opportunity to vote on the armed neutrality bill and it died with the Sixty-fourth Congress.

Seventy-six Sign Manifesto.

To fix responsibility before the country, 76 senators, 30 Republicans and 46 Democrats, signed a manifesto to proclaim to the world that they favored passage of the measure.

This declaration, embodied in the record of the Senate, referred to the fact that the House had passed a similar bill by a vote of 403 to 13, and also recited that the Senate rule permitting unlimited debate gave a small minority opportunity to throttle the will of the majority.

The Manifesto.

The text of the manifesto follows: "The majority of the United States senators favored the passage of the Senate bill authorizing the President of the United States to arm American merchant vessels, a similar bill having already passed the House by a vote of 403 to 13. Under the rules of the Senate allowing unlimited debate, it appears to be impossible to obtain a vote previous to noon, March 4, 1917, when this session of Congress expires. We desire the statement entered on the record to establish that the Senate favored the legislation and would pass it if a vote could be obtained."

Thirteen senators declined to sign the declaration, but one of them, Senator Penrose, Republican, of Pennsylvania, announced that he would have voted for the bill had opportunity been afforded him.

GOMPERS ISSUES CALL FOR LABOR GATHERING

Summons Spokesmen of Wage Earners to Determine Part Labor Should Take.

Washington, March 6.—Spokesmen of more than 3,000,000 American wage earners have been called to meet in conference here March 12 to determine and announce the part labor shall claim in the formulation of policies of preparedness and defense in the crisis confronting the nation.

The call was issued by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, under authority of the federation's executive council. It went to presidents of 110 national and international unions affiliated with the federation, department presidents, and the four great railroad employes' brotherhoods.

There will be a preliminary meeting of the executive council next Friday to arrange for the conference which promises to be the most notable gathering of American labor representatives ever held.

Division of Belgium Planned.

Amsterdam, March 5.—The Berliner Tageblatt, a copy of which has been received here dealing with the plan to grant independence to the Flemish nation, says the civil administration of Belgum will be divided with the Flemish part having Brussels as the capital and the Walloon part having Namur as the capital. The political department and the relief department will remain united.

Fletcher Visits Carranza.

Guadalajara, Mexico, March 5—United States Ambassador H. P. Fletcher has formally presented his credentials to First Chief Carranza, marking the complete restoration of diplomatic interchange between Mexico and the United States and the final step in entire recognition of the Carranza government. Fletcher's first official act as ambassador was expected to be presentation of an inquiry at the Mexican foreign office requesting a statement from that government as to its position with regard to the United States.

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

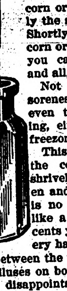
Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

A Preference.

"What's this book, Josh?" asked Farmer Corntossel.

"That's a work on the higher mathematics, father."

"Well, I b'lieve I'd like it more than the regular arithmetic. There wouldn't be so many people ready to call you down if you didn't get the right answer."



PAIN? NOT A BIT! LIFT YOUR CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF

No humbug! Apply few drops then just lift them away with fingers.

This new drug is an ether compound discovered by a Cincinnati chemist. It is called freezone, and can now be obtained in tiny bottles as here shown at very little cost from any drug store. Just ask for freezone. Apply a drop or two directly upon a tender corn or callus and instantly the soreness disappears. Shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it off, root and all, with the fingers.

Not a twinge of pain, soreness or irritation; not even the slightest smarting, either when applying freezone or afterwards.

This drug doesn't eat up the corn or callus, but shrivels them so they loosen and come right out. It is no humbug! It works like a charm. For a few cents you can get rid of every hard corn, soft corn or corn between the toes, as well as painful calluses on bottom of your feet. It never disappoints and never burns, bites or inflames. If your druggist hasn't any freezone yet, tell him to get a little bottle for you from his wholesale house.—adv.

The Kind It Was.

"How did that smart yachting party get on?"

"They found the sea very rough."

"Then it was a real swell affair."

THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Girls! Beautify Your Hair! Make It Soft, Fluffy and Luxuriant—Try the Moist Cloth.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable luster, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all. Adv.

Phew!

"There's something in his face I don't like."

"It must be that rank cigar he is smoking."

Our mistakes of yesterday are mainly responsible for our worries of today.

GERMANY ADMITS PLOT AGAINST U. S.; WAR MOVE UPHELD

FOREIGN SECRETARY MAKES ATTEMPT TO JUSTIFY CONSPIRACY — CALLS ACT "DEFENSE MEASURE."

CABAL NOTE PUBLISHED IN U. S. CORRECTLY QUOTED

Teuton Official Explains Plan Was to Fall Flat in Case United States Failed to Declare War—Says Traitor Must Have Given Away Secret.

Berlin, March 5.—Berlin has admitted that it set on foot the conspiracy to embroil Mexico and Japan in war against the United States, as revealed by the Washington administration.

German Foreign Secretary Zimmermann, in a statement given out by the official German news agency, stated that the imperial government had "prepared measures of defense" against the United States in case that government declared war over the submarine controversy.

Zimmerman Admits Cabal.

Zimmerman upheld the admitted cabal against the United States on the ground that its execution was to be contingent upon an actual declaration of hostilities by Washington.

Another admission that Germany had attempted to instigate an attack on the American frontier by Mexico came to light through another semi-official news bureau.

Zimmermann's instructions to the kaiser's minister in Mexico City, as admitted published in the United States, are admitted to have been correctly quoted.

Reports Based On Fact.

"The American press," says the bureau, "contains reports about instructions from the ministry of foreign affairs to the German minister in Mexico City, in the event that Germany, after the proclamation of unrestricted submarine warfare, failed to keep the United States neutral. These reports are based on the following facts: After the decision had been taken to begin unrestricted submarine warfare on Feb. 1 we had to reckon, in view of the previous attitude of the American government, with the possibility of conflict with the United States. That this calculation was right is proved by the fact that the American government severed diplomatic relations with Germany soon after the proclamation of a barred zone and asked other neutrals to follow its example.

Treachery Blamed.

"Anticipating these possibilities, it was not only the right but also the duty of our government to take precautions in time—in the event of a military conflict with us—in order to balance if possible the adhesion to our foes of a new enemy.

"How the American government received information of the instructions sent by a secret way to Mexico is not known. It appears, however, that treachery—and it only must have been treachery, was committed on German territory."

U. S. MILITARY ATTACHE KILLED ON ITALIAN FRONT

Major E. R. Heiberg of Rome Embassy Dies When Horse Falls, Ambassador Page Reports.

Washington, March 5.—Major E. R. Heiberg, American military attache to the Rome embassy, has been killed while at the Carso front. Major Heiberg, it was said, was killed while on duty in a fall from his horse.

Ambassador T. N. Page's report follows: "Please notify the secretary of war that Major Heiberg, military attache, was killed in an accident while riding during the performance of his duty visiting the Italian front. The king has sent personal condolences on the death of this distinguished officer."

Signs Revenue And Dry Act Bill.

Washington, March 5.—President Wilson has signed the postoffice appropriation bill containing the "bone dry" prohibition provision. He also signed the revenue bill designed to raise $350,000,000 through special taxes and bond issues.

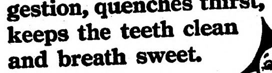
"Zep" Explodes During Test.

Amsterdam, March 5.—A new Zeppelin, on its speed trial at Ghent, exploded, burning 10 of those aboard her, according to dispatches received here from Belgium.

Austrian Field Marshal "Fired."

London, March 5.—Emperor Charles of Austria has dismissed Field Marshal Conrad von Hoetzendorf, Austrian chief of staff, according to a Vienna dispatch to Reuter's. Baron Strauzzenberg succeeds Von Hotezendorf. Hoetzendorf has played an important part in almost all the major operations of the Austro-Hungarian forces. He has been credited with being one of the few Austrian generals held in favor in Berlin and in May, 1915, was decorated with the order of Pour le Merite by the Kaiser.

SOLDIERS IN EUROPE
JAPANESE GIRLS IN TOKYO
SHEEP HERDER IN AUSTRALIA
OX DRIVER IN SINGAPORE



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Fresh, clean, wholesome and delicious always.

It aids appetite and digestion, quenches thirst, keeps the teeth clean and breath sweet.

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Three Fine Flavors

"After every meal"

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Before marriage a woman worries because she is single, and after marriage she worries because she isn't.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, Laxative Bromo Quinine can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Don't ask to know too much. That was where Mother Eve made her great mistake.

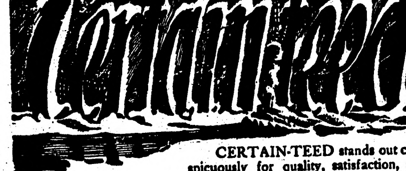
His Estimate.

"Money isn't everything."

"No, only about 97 per cent."

Pimples, boils, carbuncles, dry up and disappear with Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. In tablets or liquid.—Adv.

Many a man's idea of comfortable clothing is the kind his wife won't let him wear.



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Farm Hands Wanted

Western Canada Farmers require 50,000 American farm labourers at once. Urgent demand sent out for farm help by the Government of Canada.

Good Wages Steady Employment
Low Railway Fares
Pleasant Surroundings Comfortable Homes
No Compulsory Military Service

Farm hands from the United States are absolutely guaranteed against conscription. This advertisement is to secure farm help to replace Canadian farmers who have enlisted for the war.

A splendid opportunity for the young man to investigate Western Canada's agricultural offerings, and to do so at but little expense.

Only Those Accustomed to Farming Need Apply

For particulars as to railway rates and districts requiring labour, or any other information regarding Western Canada apply to

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. L. Porte, Dunn Blk., Great-Falls, Mont. Canadian Government Agents

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For Payment At All Times!

Use a check-book.

Whether you carry an account with the merchants of our village or make cash payments—the check-book offers the safest, easiest and most accurate method of payment.

A check at the end of the month or for each individual purchase gives you a legal receipt for the money paid.

A bank check is a time saver and a money saver to merchants, farmers or home-makers. We invite your account and assure you of careful attention to all your requirements.

Farmers State Bank of Holt

Lars Backe, President **H. M. Johnson** Cashier

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes, which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.

Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

AUCTION!

As I am going to move away I will sell the following property at public auction in E 1-2 SE 1-4 Sec. 2 Town of Holt, 4 1-2 miles north and 2 1-2 miles east of the village of Holt, on Saturday March 17th

SATURDAY MAR. 17

Commencing at 11 o'clock A. M. **Free Lunch at Noon**

Horses and Cattle

Bay mare with foal, 10 years old
Gray " " " " " "
Gray mare 14 years old
Red and white cow 6 years old fresh in January
" & " cow 5 years old " " "
Pure bred Hereford cows 5 years fresh in April
Red cow was fresh in November
Red cow fresh in Apr. 3 years old
Hereford cow fresh in Mar. 6 yrs
2 yearling heifers 2 yearling steers
2 Pigs 4 months old

Machinery, Etc.

Wide tire wagon com., nearly new
Narrow tire wagon with box
Single buggy Pair bob-sleds
Sulky plow nearly new
Walking plow nearly new
McCormick mower Hay rake
Hay rack 3 section iron drag
Set harness Single harness
U. S. Cream Seperator
Cultivator & many other articles

Household Goods

Sewing machine 2 iron beds
Steel couch Chiffonier
Kitchen cupboard Range
Extension table Center table
Washing machine Heater

TERMS: Time will be given until November 1st, 1917, on bankable papers bearing ten per cent interest, on amounts of $10.00 and over. Amounts under $10.00, Cash.

Chris Yttri, Owner

Holt State Bank, Clerk. Ole Brenna, Auct.

Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank.

Annual Telephone Meeting.

The Annual Meeting of The Farmers & Village Switch Board Co. will be held in the M. W. A. Hall Monday Mar. 12th. 1917 at 1 o'clock P. M. sharp, to elect officers, and to transact any other business that may come before said meeting.

All shareholders and others interested in telephone service in switchboard are requested to meet.

T. B. Folden Secy.

Notice to Dragging Contractors.

Sealed proposals for dragging State Roads in Marshall County, Minnesota, during the season of 1917, will be received by the County Auditor, until 1:30 o'clock P. M. of Wednesday, March 21, 1917, when the County Board will open and publicly read the same.

Dragging specifications on file in the offices of the County Auditor and Highway Engineer.

Successful bidders must furnish bonds in the amount of Two Hundred and Fifty ($250.00) Dollars.

The County Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to divide the dragging and award the the contracts as is deemed to be for the best interest of the County.

By order of the County Board.
A. G. Lundgren, County Auditor.
Oswald Lind, Highway Engineer.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

Notice

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the School Dist. No 58 of Marshall Co. at The School House on the 10th. day of March 1917 from 4 o'clock P. M. to 8 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said municipality in the aggregate sum of $2500.00 bearing interest at the rate of four (4) per centum per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purposes;

$2500.00 for building a new school house,

to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the Clerk.

Dated Febr. 28th. 1917

G. P. Sorter, Clerk.

Trade at home.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Important Accessory, Anyhow.

The automobile people to the contrary notwithstanding, the best sparking device continues to be a sofa, with the lights turned low.—Judge.

F-O-U-N-D

Your Best Market for Chickens, Ducks, Turkeys, Cream, Dressed Calves, Hogs Mutton, Wool, Cattle Hides, Horse Hides Pelts, Furs, Muskrat, Skunk, Beans, Rabbits. Get our price list before selling. Make more money by shipping here. Write us now for quotations, tags.

The R. E. COBB Co.

E. THIRD ST. ST. PAUL, MINN.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed and delivered by John F. Tapper, an unmarried man, mortgagor, to Julia Flakne, mortgagee, dated August 12th, 1915, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for Marshall county, Minnesota, on October 26th, 1915, at nine o'clock a. m. in Book 79 of Mortgages at page 121; and which said mortgage was duly assigned by said Julia Flakne to M. P. Shuemaker, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 12th, 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota, on January 25th, 1916, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 75 of Mortgages at page 247; and was again duly assigned by the said M. P. Shuemaker to M. H. Evans, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 17th 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota, on January 18th, 1917, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 86 of Mortgages at page 27; that the amount due and claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date hereof is five hundred and fifty-nine dollars and thirty-three cents ($559.33); that the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage are Lot numbered One, of Section Nineteen, and Lots numbered One and Two, and the east half of the northeast quarter of Section Thirty, in Township one hundred and fifty-six North, of Range forty-one West of the 5th Principal Meridian, in Marshall county, Minnesota, containing 162.55 acres, according to the United States Government survey thereof; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren, Marshall county, Minnesota, on the 26th day of March, 1917, at eleven o'clock a. m. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, together with the costs of such sale, and fifty dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, and the taxes, if any, on said premises.

Dated February 6th, 1917.

M. H. Evans,
Assignee of Mortgagee,
St. Paul, Minn.

L. E. Gossman,
Attorney for assignee of mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	3,500

President, D. B. Bakke
V. President, A. D. Stephens
Cashier, B. Docken

MAKE A BANK ACCOUNT WITH US THE STEPPING STONE TO SUCCESS
PROSP
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EVEN ONE DOLLAR WILL BE ACCEPTED HERE AS A FIRST DEPOSIT

No Workman

Will put in all his time working for you, nor will you for anyone else

Your Spare Dollars

However, will work every hour of every day of every year earning interest continually

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Mascot Flour

Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the

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We Buy All Kinds of Grain

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Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction

H. J. OIEN, Agent - - - **Holt, Minn.**

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on

Friday, March 23, 1917

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50

Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00

Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free

When Plates or Bridges are Ordered

Always Come In Early

You'll always find the date of my visit in The Holt Weekly News

Bring us your Job Printing.

Tonoline is Beauty Aid

Announces Specialist

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest To Women

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said. "Take tonoline.

"Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

"What tonoline really did for me I cannot say. I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline publicly."

Tonoline is a purely vegetable preparation which goes to the seat of common maladies—stomach and kidney trouble, catarrhal affections of the mucous membranes, liver ailments and impurities of the of the blood—and quickly restores proper action. Tonoline is being explained daily at your druggists.

Notice:—As tonoline is a wonderful flesh builder it should not be taken by any one not wishing to increase his weight ten pounds or more. Although many reports are received from those who have been benefited by tonoline in severe cases of stomach trouble and nervous dyspepsia, chronic constipation, etc.

—50c Box Free—

FREE TONOLINE COUPON
American Proprietory Co.
Boston, Mass.
Send me by return mail a 50c box of your celebrated flesh builder. I enclose 10c to help pay postage and packing.

Invented in 1589.

The knitting frame was invented in 1589 by William Lee, a graduate of Cambridge university and a native of Woodborough, near Nottingham, England. So perfect was the invention in every detail that to this day the essential features of the machine continue in use for the class of work to which Lee applied it.

Age of the Ostrich.

The average age of an ostrich is thirty years, and the annual yield of a bird in captivity is from two to four pounds of plumes

A Smooth Hairless Skin for Women.

From Beauty Secrets

With the aid of a plain delatone paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with a little powdered delatone. This is applied to the hairs and allowed to remain 2 or 3 minutes then rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. When you go to your druggist for delatone be sure you get the genuine article and if he will not supply you the American Proprietary Co. of Boston, will send you a 50c package by mail.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

VOL. VI. HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1917. NO. 35.

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Wait for Dr. Turley, the dentist, he will be here Friday March 23.

In is rummored that our village is to have another bank in the near future.

Eggs for hatching from pure barred Plymouth Rock hens for sale by C. L. Sandberg, Holt, Minn. 46

Ed. Swensrud left Monday for Williston, N. D. where he has employment in the repair department of a shoe store.

Sam Groven came Wednesday to visit at the home of his brother Dr. R. L. Olson and family.

Ben Nyberg returned Wednesday from Spooner where he has been working for sometime.

Reier Reierson has some good seed wheat for sale. Call or write at once if you need any.

Miss Selma Dovre went to Hillsboro Monday for a few weeks stay with friends.

Miss Gunhild and Olava Sollom visited at home Saturday and Sunday.

Timothy seed for sale at my farm [illegible] east of Holt. S. H. No[illegible] 30

Miss Laura Hall and Ruth Flam went to Greenbush Tuesday, the former to [illegible] and the latter to [illegible]

[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Bennes and baby visited relatives and friends in T. R. Falls [illegible] days the latter part [illegible]

[illegible] in a camp for the Northwestern Drainage Co.

Frank Taber and Chas. McLane came Monday to commence drilling on the well at Lars Chenill's.

Geo. Anderson and family have moved to Climax where he expects to work his mother-in-laws farm this season.

Hjalmer and Lillie Peterson visited relatives and friends over Sunday in T. R. Falls.

Miss Inanda Fosholm returned home last week Thursday from visiting relatives near T. R. Falls.

J. M. Ryan has moved onto Ole Ostby's farm which Ed. Munson left to move onto his own place at Rinden.

The North Holt Telephone Co. held their annual meeting Saturday and elected the following officers: President, August Nass, Vice-Pres. John Manguson, Treas, H. A. Fosholm, Secy. T. B. Folden, Trustee, K. K. Moen.

An assessment of $1.00 was levied on each shareholder for making repairs and extending the line.

Nels Nass has moved onto the Fred Johnson farm which Iver Engebretsen vacated to move onto the Ole Davidson farm.

Ole Hammerness returned last week from Canada and is busy getting his garage ready for business and he will be pleased to have you call on him.

On account of a street car delay in Duluth, Dr. Turley missed his train and was unable to make his last date here. He now writes he will be here next Friday Mar. 23rd.

Mrs. Kjelgren was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Cronstrom and daughter Esther who have been visiting Mrs. Swan, left Monday for a short visit with relatives in T. R. Falls before returning to their home in Grove City.

Rev. Ordahl went to Middle River Wednesday to attend some meetings of this circuit of the Lutheran churches.

Electric Lights At Last

The electric current was turned on last night and the street lights, village hall and a few others tested out and all work fine, and everyone seems to be pleased with them.

Free Mission Church

The Ladies Aid will entertain at the church basement Saturday evening March 17th.

A short program will be given and there will be a fish pond for those who want to try their luck.

Sunday School 2:00 o'clock sharp, after which the children will practice for the Easter program.

Choir practice at the church Tuesday evening. All who are interested in the song for Easter are invited.

Ringbo Rumbles

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Orcutt and daughter Leona, came up Monday for a few weeks visit with Mrs. Orcutt's parents Mr. and Mrs. Ole Davidson.

Oliver Grondahl has been on the sick list for the last few days.

Hilmer Davidson called on Pete Sorter Sunday evening.

The Synod ladies Aid was entertained by Mrs. G. Sorter Wednesday. A very big crowd attended it.

Miss Hilma Nyberg is visiting at Erick Johnson.

Miss Esther Movik spent Wednesday evening with Miss Anna Sorter.

The Misses Sophie Johnson, Jen[illegible] and Elora Culver called [illegible] John Engstrom [illegible]

The Free Mission Ladies Aid was entertained last Monday at Mrs. Erick Johnson. A very big crowd was present.

Miss Anna Sorter is visiting with Miss Esther Movik for a few days.

Ed. Davidson has been hauling hay for M. Grondahl a few days.

Markus Udstrand called at A. Movik's Friday.

Messrs. Hilmer and Oliver Davidson are working at Elvin Erickson.

The weather has been exceedingly nice lately which is a sure sign of spring.

Oliver, Hilmer and Hazel Davidson spent Thursday evening at A. Movik's.

A. Movik called at Erick Johnson's Friday.

Mr. Martin Davidson has been on the sick list but is reported better at this writing.

Miss Anna Sorter and Esther Movik spent Friday evening at Ole Davidson.

Miss Anna Sorter called on Sophie Johnson last Tuesday.

Miss Hilda Erickson left for Dawson Minn. Friday to visit her sister who resides there.

Louis Hermanson came up from Thief River Falls Saturday to visit at A. Movik's home

Elvin Erickson arrived home from Harmony Saturday where he has been attending the funeral of his sister Elba.

Messrs. M. Grondahl, Christ Engen, Walter Wegge, Joseph Johnson, Alf Movik, Peter Sorter Arthur Anderson and Misses Esther Movik and Anna Sorter were callers at Ole Davidson's Sunday last.

The school meeting Saturday was well attended.

Chas. M. Orcutt left for his home in Fargo after a few days visit at Ole Davidson.

Chris Yttri called at Ole Davidson Wednesday.

Ludvig Larsen called at A. Movik's Sunday.

Trade at home.

R. R. Strike Called

Agent Mosberg received a message Wednesday evening stating a strike was called for next Sunday on both [illegible] N. and N. P. railroads. It is hard to say just what the out come will be, but we hope it will be settled before it is due to take place.

The railroad company will not accept shipments that cannot be delivered to destination or transfer point by Sunday afternoon.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services next Sunday at 11 A. M. by Rev. Selts.

Sunday School at 12:30 o'clock.

Young People's Society meet at the Alfred Anderson home at 2 P. M. Mrs. John Simonson will assist the hostess in entertaining, Sunday March 18th.

Ladies Aid Thursday March 22nd, C.L. Sandberg's. Entertained by Mrs. Sandberg and Mrs. Racine Olson.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will be entertained Saturday March 24th by Mrs. B. Docken.

Services in Holt Sunday March 25th at 11 o'clock and in Ringbo at 3:20

The Golden Valley Ladies Aid will be entertained Monday March 26th by Mrs. Mick Leiran.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

State Examinations

The March State Examinations will be given at the Holt School [illegible] the following dates:

Thursday, March 22.

Spelling	8:30 A. M.
Composition and Grammar	9:00
American History	2: P. M.

Friday, March 23

Arithmetic	9:00 A. M.
Geography	2:00 P. M.

Hay For Sale!

I have for sale about 40 ton of early cut wild hay at $6.00 per ton. SW 1-4 Sec. 8 Town of Adger.

Peter Michaelson,
Thief River Falls,
R. 2. Box 45 Minn.

Read the new ad of Brekkestum Bros., on the back page of this paper They are busy getting ready for the spring trade and will be glad to C U

The engine men came Wednesday to test and start the engine and pump for the village and both work fine.

The U. S. merchant ships are to be armed, but it is to be hoped, even at that, judgement and coolness will prevail and war prevented.

Since writing the above news comes of the sinking of one of our ships, Monday, but as the crew were given time to leave the ship, it will not change the situation.

Formaldehyde will prevent smut on seed wheat, oats and barley and will prevent scab on potatoes. As an inducement to farmers to use it, the Hanson & Barzen Milling Co. will sell it at cost.

We understand Carl Sorenson has traded his Beltrami Co. land to Viking parties for an auto.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Southeast of Holt.

Confirmation services were held at the Synod church, conducted by Rev. Bjornson on Sunday. Those confirmed were Thea Guttrud, Emilia Johnson, Bertha Gunderson, Melvin and Norman Torgeson and Arthur Nustvold.

The Misses Alma Suiney, Landa Olson and Julia Lunker were Sunday visitors at the T. Sorum home.

Mr. Fosse of T. R. Falls held services at the Free church on Monday.

Lesa Olson is employed at the Tallack Ose home.

Messrs. Martin Sampson and Ed. Hanson were among the many who attended the auction sale at the Dahl home near Golden Valley last Wednesday. The former having purchased a horse and cow and the latter three cows.

Albert Swanson has been spending some time visiting with his brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Victor Swanson who resides near Silverton.

The State Examinations will be given at the public schools next Thursday and Friday Mar. 22nd. and 23rd.

Alice Sorum is employed in Golden Valley.

Martin Johnson went to T. R. Falls on Saturday and returned Friday. We understand he has rented Mrs. I. Brokke's farm for the season.

Mrs. T. Austad and sons from near Hazel are visitors at the Tellack Ose home.

The Misses Amanda Klungness and Myrtle Sandum who are attending [illegible] at T. R. Falls made an over Sunday visit with the formers parents Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Klungness.

A Rag Ball social was held at the Groven school house on Friday evening. A program was held in connection. A large crowd was present and a most enjoyable time was had.

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 890.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Mar., 5, 1917.

Date of report by Bank, Mar. 18, 1917.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$100,750 30
Overdrafts		465 00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,800 00
Other Real Estate		$2,125 00
Due from Banks	8,328 85	
Cash on Hand	1854 59	
Total Cash Assets		$,0178 44
Checks and Cash Items		5,708 02
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		74 02
Total		$122,107 74

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$4,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		
Deposits Subject to Check	$13,352.52	
Cashier's Checks	2443.17	
Due to Banks	1750.54	
Total Immediate Liabilities	17,558.20	
Time Certificates	86,540.54	
Total Deposits		108,107 74
Total		$122,107 74
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$15,885 46
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$9,511 64

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall } ss

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Bakke, President.
B. Docken, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. Gunheim.
[Two] Directors. R. Reierson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Mar., 1917.

[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

Bring us your Job Printing.

Election Results

The village of Holt elected offiers Tuesday by the following votes: President, B. Docken 43. Treasurer, Clarence Docken 38. Clerk, H. B. Young 43. Trustees, Theo. Sollom 39, C. L. Sandberg 33 H. J. Oien 22. Assessor, Racine Olson 40. Justices, K. O. Flakne, 37, A. L. Carlson 15. Constables, Ludwig Monson 42, Hjalmer Peterson 40.

Fifty ballots were cast for officers and as there were two tickets, there were some scattering votes for each office. Fifty-one votes were cast on the question "Shall pool halls be prohibited," 16 were favorable to retaining them and 35 to prohibit.

Holt township elected the following officers; Supervisor, O. H. Nohre. Treasurer, G. P. Sorter. Clerk, T. B. Folden. Assessor, Erik Johnson. Justices, Chas. Skoglund and August Nass. Constables, T. A. Tobiason and Ole Davidson. Pound Master, Geo. A. Gusa.

East Valley township elected the following officers: Supervisor 3 yrs., Svenke Svenkeson, Supervisor 1 yr., Tom Severson. Treasurer, A. C. Jahr. Clerk and Assessor, J. A. Sorum. Justice, W. A. Silbaugh. Constable, Ole M. Larson.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional [illegible] and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Can't Loose Hair

Twenty Years from Today a Baldheaded Man will be an Unusual Sight

One of the most prominent druggists of America made a statement a few weeks ago which has caused a great deal of discussion among scientists in the medical press. He said: If the new hair grower, Mildredina Hair Remedy, increases its sales as it has during the past year, it will be used by nearly every man, woman and child in America within 8 years.

When Mildredina Hair Remedy is used almost universally, dandruff will disappear and with its departure baldness, itching scalp, splitting hair and all scalp diseases will follow and twenty years from now a bald will be a rarity.

There is only one way to cure dandruff, and that is to kill the germs. There is only one hair preparation that will kill the germs and that is Mildredina Hair Remedy. This unusual hair restorer with its record of thousands of cures will grow hair on any head where there is any life left; it will cure dandruff, stop falling hair and itching of the scalp in three weeks or money back. It is the most pleasant and invigorating tonic, is not not sticky nor greasy and is used extensively by ladies of refinement who desire to have and to keep their hair soft, lustrous and luxuriant. Fifty cents for a large bottle of druggists everywhere Mail orders filled by American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.

CUT THIS OUT

FREE to show how quickly Mildredina Hair Remedy acts, we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this Coupon to American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass., with their name and address and ten cents in silver to pay postage.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.68
Wheat No. 2	1.75
Wheat No. 3	1.57
Wheat No. 4	1.37
Flax	2.63
Oats	47
Barley	.87 to .93
Rye	1.38
Flour, Best Patent	5.45

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Harald H. Gunheim, Hans H. Gunheim, Chas. H. Gunheim, Gunnar H. Gunheim, Thone H. Gunheim, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each Of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of March, 1917 at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 28th day of February, 1917.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Probate Judge.

Julius J. Olson & Rasmus Hage,
Attorneys for Petitioner
Warren, Minnesota.

Bank Statement

Bank No. 1064.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on Mar. 5, 1917.

Date of report by bank, Mar. 13, 1917.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$47,050 44
Overdrafts		53 11
Bonds and Securities		27
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,054 13
Other Real Estate		207 45
Due from Banks	555 10	
Cash on Hand	280 03	
Total cash assets		835 13
Checks and cash items		1200 00
Paid out for Expenses, etc. in Excess of Earnings		533 13
Interest Unearned		
Total		$50,647 60

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2,000 00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		22,862 85
Deposits Subject to Check	$8,220.62	
Cashier's Checks	7,565 35	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	15,785 97	
Time Certificates	6,318 84	
Total Deposits	22,104 81	
Total		$50,647 60
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$835 13
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$2,210 25

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, Lars Backe, President and B. J. Bakke Asst. Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Lars Backe, President.
B. J. Bakke, Assistant Cashier

Correct Attest: Lars Backe
(Two) Directors H. J. Oien

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Mar., 1917.

(Seal) Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-15-1919

For Sale!

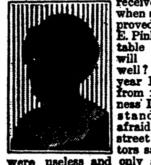
Good team of horses for sale cheap and on easy terms.

Holt State Bank.

Save money by trading in Holt.

WOMAN COULD HARDLY STAND

Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Fulton, N. Y. — "Why will women pay out their money for treatment and receive no benefit, when so many have proved that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will make them well? For over a year I suffered so from female weakness I could hardly stand and was afraid to go on the street alone. Doctors said medicines were useless and only an operation would help me, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has proved it otherwise. I am now perfectly well and can do any kind of work."—Mrs. NELLIE PHELPS, care of R. A. Rider, R.F.D. No. 5, Fulton, N. Y.

We wish every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, backache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you have bad symptoms and do not understand the cause, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free.

Real Luck.

At a club meeting recently a South side woman said to a friend:

"Mrs. Whatyoumaycall is the luckiest woman I ever knew."

"Somebody leave her a fortune?" the friend inquired.

"No."

"Then why do you consider her so lucky?"

"The other day she accidentally knocked her percolator off the stove and bent the pedestal."

"Well—"

"And yesterday, when she knocked it off again, the pedestal went back into its proper position."

Cole's Carbolisalve Quickly Relieves and heals burning, itching and torturing skin diseases. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Heals without scars. 25c and 50c. Ask your druggist, or send 25c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill., for a pkg. Adv.

17-YEAR LOCUST AGAIN DUE

Coming of Periodical Cicada Is Predicted in Pennsylvania by College Professor.

The "17-year locust" is due in Pennsylvania this year, according to C. H. Hadley, Jr., in charge of entomology extension at State college. The pest is what is known as "brood eight of the periodical cicada," and it apeared here last in 1900.

"This is one of the largest insect broods to occur in this state," Hadley says. "While locusts are usually of importance mainly because of the popular interest aroused, it is quite possible that considerable damage may be caused in those places where the insects appear in unusual abundance."—Philadelphia North American.

Roger Williams.

Roger Williams was the founder of the state of Rhode Island. He was born in London in either 1604 or 1605. He refused to join the congregation at Boston because the people would not make public declaration of their repentance for having been in communion with the Church of England. Banished from the Massachusetts Bay colony in 1635, he escaped to the shores of Narragansett bay, accompanied by a few of the adherents of the extreme puritanism which he advocated; he purchased land of the Indians and founded the city of Providence in 1636.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Not Attracted.

"Some day you'll be rich enough to retire from business."

"Give up my nice, pleasant office and stay home?" rejoined Mr. Growcher. "I should say not."

Foods Are Increasing In Price

But you can still buy

Grape-Nuts

at the same price.

This staple cereal in its air-tight, wax-protected package will keep indefinitely, yet is ready to eat at a moment's notice.

Grape-Nuts is full of compact nourishment with a delightful wheat and barley flavor,

The Most Economical of Prepared Cereals

OFFICERS CHOSEN BY FARM SOCIETY

ELECTION MARKS CLOSING SESSION OF CROP IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION'S MEETING.

CONTEST WINNERS NAMED

Valuable Prizes Awarded in Various Divisions—Two Binders Offered in Oats Class—C. L. Blanchar of Sherburn Again President.

Fairmont. — Re-election of all old officers with the exception of one member of the executive committee marked the closing session of the thirteenth annual convention of the Minnesota Crop Improvement association. Officers re-elected follow: C. L. Blanchar, Sherburn, president; C. W. Gotfelter, Waterville, first vice president; L. H. Robbins, Osakis, second vice president; F. H. Gibbs, St. Paul, secretary, and C. P. Bull, university farm, St. Paul, treasurer. Winners in the several events were announced.

A. D. Vansickle of Warren won first place in the barley and flax divisions.

In the oats class, N. C. Rasmusson of Hartlin took first place in the southern section, winning a $125 binder, and George Copp of Warren won the northern section prize, a $132 binder. Mr. Copp also took the sweepstakes event in oats.

Henry Holt of Cokato was first in rye, buckwheat, field peas and wheat.

The first prize for alfalfa went to Gust Raschke of West Brook.

Narum brothers of Hallock took first place for red clover and timothy, and N. Schneider captured the prize for alsike.

N. E. Anderson of St. Peter won the sorghum prize, Mrs. Mike Spefter of Cokato took first place for field beans and Ed Johnson of Fairmont won the millet prize.

Joe Mannix Again at Capitol.

Minneapolis. — Joseph T. Mannix, state expert printer, who has been confined in the Eitel hospital, Minneapolis, for the past three months, has sufficiently recovered to be able to resume his duties at the State Capitol. He has been a sufferer from pernicious anaemia.

"Joe" Mannix, as he is known throughout Minnesota and the Northwest, learned the printer's trade in New York state. He came to Minnesota in the eighties and for twenty years was engaged in reportorial and other capacities on Twin City dailies. He served as a state representative during the 1905 legislative session and in 1907 was chosen state expert printer, which position he has held continuously up to the present time.

Mr. Mannix has hosts of friends among the state officials and the newspaper fraternity, as well as others who will be glad to know of his recovery.

Funds for State Schools.

St. Paul. — Minnesota schools will receive $2.10 for each pupil, the same as last year, under the March semi-annual apportionment of $901,427.10 of current school funds, announced by C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education. The fund represents the proceeds of the state one mill tax and the income on permanent school funds. Schools conducted for six months minimum are given the allowance for every pupil in attendance forty days or longer.

The current apportionment is based on a total attendance of 429,251 pupils.

Mayor to Keep Bemidji "Clean."

Bemidji. — Mayor Vandersluis, in taking office for the second time, announced he would keep the city as "clean" as he had in the past; urged economy and advocated the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi river to be built by the city bonding itself.

Newport Pioneer Passes.

Newport. — Levi W. Shelton, retired farmer and resident of this place for fifty-six years, died here after an illness of several years. He was 72 years old and was a native of Danbury, Conn., having come to Minnesota in 1861.

Mother and Babies Burned.

Fish Lake. — Mrs. Sander Peterson and her two young children were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their farm home near here. The charred bodies were recovered. The fire, it is believed, resulted from a stove explosion.

St. Charles Remains Wet.

St. Charles. — By a majority of 95 St. Charles has voted to retain its six saloon.

Wreck Near Red Wing.

Red Wing. — One person was seriously injured and many other passengers suffered minor hurts when two coaches of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway's coach train, the eastbound Columbian, left the rails at Eggleston, six miles west of here. One coach turned over on its side. J. Rowland of Sioux Falls, S. D., was severely cut about the head and face. He was attended by physicians from Red Wing, who also aided others suffering from less serious cuts and bruises.

Burton Makes Good Impression.

Minneapolis.—Before 150 members of the University of Minnesota senate, composed of faculty members and student leaders, President-elect Marion Le Roy Burton declared that President George E. Vincent and the regents are altogether right in asking, through the university budget, now in hands of the legislature, funds with which to provide a larger faculty, and to pay bigger salaries to professors.

"It is a basic principle of educational work," he continued, "that you must not only have enough instructors for the classes, but you must pay them sufficient salaries."

This announcement of the incoming president regarding the salary question brought gratification to the face of every instructor present, and when Dr. Burton cited his efforts at Smith college, where he now is president, to keep salaries high enough to retain good instructors, the professors broke into enthusiastic applause."

Turrittin Gets Appointment.

Washington, D. C. — A. H. Turrittin of St. Paul, former superintendent of state banks, has been appointed treasurer and director of the new St. Paul Federal Farm Loan bank, it has just been announced.

E. G. Quamme of Finley, N. D., was appointed president; Ben F. Faast of Eau Claire, Wis., vice president, and H. K. Jennings of Charlotte, Mich., secretary.

Walter S. Harris of Minneapolis and the officers comprise the directorate. F. W. McLean of Fargo, N. D., was appointed registrar and attorney.

The bank is expected to be organized and ready for business by April 1.

County Builds Bridges.

Austin.—Mower county is entering on one of the biggest bridge-building projects ever taken by any one county in the West, according to word received by the State Highway commission, and will spend $200,000 on 102 new bridges. All the old and worn-out wooden structures which are a danger to traffic and which cost large sums for repairs and when washed out in the spring, will be replaced by reinforced concrete bridges. A bond issue of $175,000 was voted recently in a close county election, committing the county to the project.

Less Wheat on Farms.

Washington, D. C.—The amount of wheat on farms in Minnesota March 1 of this year was virtually one-fourth that of a year ago, and half of that of two years ago, according to the government crop report just made public.

The estimated stock this year was 5,790,000 bushels, compared with 19,844,000 a year ago.

The amount of corn on farms in the state on March 1 was 18,570,000 bushels, compared with 9,016,000 a year ago and 26,390,000 two years ago.

Slain in Fight Over Straw.

Becker. — Following a quarrel over some straw, James Murphy, 38 years old, section foreman, shot and killed C. D. Hamilton, a farmer living between Becker and Clear Lake. The shooting occurred on the farm occupied by Hamilton and was witnessed by the victim's wife and two sons.

Murphy, who has lived in this vicinity all his life and is well known, is in jail here charged with murder. Hamilton was 40 years old and has lived in this vicinity three years.

Avery Addresses Farmers.

Fairmont.—Rare natural resources of Minnesota were pointed out by Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, in an illustrated address at the Minneapolis Crop Improvement association's thirteenth annual convention. Advantages to be gained from fostering the fish and game of the state were illustrated by Mr. Avery, who also showed the expense involved in carrying out the work of his department.

Road Credits $1,613,500.

St. Paul.—Credits to the state road and bridge fund for 1917 will total $1,613,500, according to the official estimate furnished by State Auditor Preus to the State Highway Commission to govern its current apportionments. The amount is based on the following items: One mill tax levy, $1,550,000; motor vehicle licenses, $50,000; interest on internal land improvements, $12,000; miscellaneous receipts, $1,500.

Lambert Resigns as Colonel.

St. Paul. — After 27 years of service in the Minnesota National Guard, Col. George C. Lamber, St. Paul, has announced his resignation. He was mustered out of federal service last July, following a decision by federal medical officers, and has nominally remained in state service since.

Sells 20 Steers for $2,900.

Fairmont. — George Johnson of the Triumph stock farm finds it profitable to raise steers, for he has just sold twenty head to M. Seerup of this place for $2,900, an average of $145 a head.

Lutherans to Celebrate in June.

Pipestone. — Lutherans of this section are making plans for a celebration of the quadricentennial of the Reformation, to be held at Worthington Sunday, June 2. All the congregations in this district, which includes Pipestone, Lakefield, Rose Town, Delafield, Brewster, Windom, Mountain Lake, Butterfield, Okabena, Rushmore, Jasper, Bigelow, Luverne and Worthington, will take part. The program will be conducted in both the German and English language.

NEW UNIVERSITY HEAD WELCOMED BY STATE SOLONS

DR. MARION LE ROY BURTON IS INTRODUCED TO JOINT ASSEMBLY BY FRED B. SNYDER OF REGENT BOARD.

ONCE SOLD NEWSPAPERS IN MILL CITY STREETS

President-elect Receives Ovation—Tells Audience He is "Extremely Receptive and Brutally Independent"—To Devote Life to Institution.

St. Paul, March 10.—The Minnesota legislature in joint session of both houses welcomed a former Minnesota boy back home. The "boy" was Marion LeRoy Burton, once a newsboy in the streets of Minneapolis, returned after 14 years to be president of the state university.

Dr. Burton was introduced by Fred B. Snyder, president of the board of regents, who reviewed the career of the president-elect of the state's greatest institution and asked that the legislators extend him its welcome and take him to their hearts.

Both Houses Applaud.

They did both. The two houses, meeting in the chamber of the House of Representatives, rose when Dr. Burton was introduced and gave him generous applause, but the applause mounted to an ovation after he had addressed them.

The president-elect said he had no policies to announce for the future of the university. He intended to spend the first few months or a year, after taking hold July 3, to "watching the wheels go round."

The university, he was sure, needed no surgical operation. He paid tribute to the leadership of President Vincent and voiced the belief that the legislature and the people of the state were of one mind in desiring to make the university as big and as powerful and as serviceable as it was possible to make it.

Democracy and Education.

Because Mr. Snyder had set forth something of his personal history, Dr. Burton said he felt justified in referring to it himself.

"If I were to tell you my experiences in Minnesota," he said, "what I have undergone, what this state means to me, I could make every man and woman in this room blubber like a baby.

"I never had a cent of money that I didn't earn, every cent came to me through toil. I have no desire to parade my own experience before you, but I want to make this point—that my own experiences in this state, which I love, are a proof of the marvelous connection between democracy and education.

Is Good Listener.

The president-elect told the lawmakers that he was "extremely receptive and brutally independent"; that he was a good listener and wanted to hear from all who might have any suggestion to make about the university. "However," he added, "I want to say that while I possess an open mind, it is not an empty one."

Public Domain Bill Reported.

St. Paul, March 10.—The efficiency and economy bill creating a department of public domain and abolishing a number of boards has been reported to the senate for passage by the committee on civil administration bearing a number of minor amendments.

The bill groups the state land, mines and timber administration and the departments of immigration, game and fish, highways and drainage under a single director of public domain, with each division under a commissioner.

GERMANS HAVE WIRELESS CONNECTION WITH MEXICO

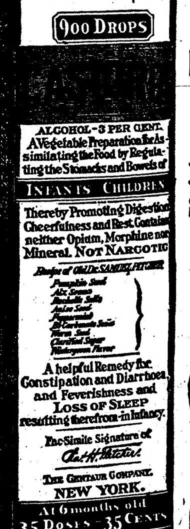
Information of Direct Communication Between Two Countries Reach Government at Washington.

Washington, March 10.—Information has reached the government from a semi-official source that through the perfection of a powerful wireless telegraph plant in Mexico City, direct communication between the Mexican capital and Germany has been established.

Officials realize that if confirmed this news is of great importance and an investigation has been ordered. Through connection by Mexico City with the land telegraphs leading into the United States, Germany would be able to secure complete exemption from the censorship which is now imposed upon its communications by the American government at the wireless stations at Sayville and Tuckerton and by the British and French governments in their control of the Atlantic cables.

Badger Solons Criticize La Follette.

Madison, Wis., March 10. — Senator J. Henry Bennett says he has the signature of 16 senators to an address directed to President Wilson pledging loyalty to him and criticizing Senator La Follette for his part in the recent senatorial filibuster. The State Senate has 33 members.



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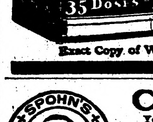

COLT DISTEMPER

You can prevent this loathsome disease from running through your stable and cure all the colts suffering with it when you begin the treatment. No matter how young, SPOHN'S is safe to use on any colt. It is wonderful how it prevents all distempers, no matter how colts [illegible] at any age are "exposed." All good druggists [illegible] goods houses and manufacturers sell SPOHN'S at 50 cents and $1 a bottle; $5 and $10 a dozen. SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemists and Bacteriologists, Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.

Sure Test of Diamond.

The fact that real diamonds are phosphorescent after being treated in the following manner is said to make the following test a sure one: First of all, expose the stone for a few minutes to the light of an electric lamp. Then rub briskly on wood or metal. Now take it into a dark place, when the diamond will glow brightly. This does not occur in the case of a false gem.

FALLING HAIR MEANS DANDRUFF IS ACTIVE

Save Your Hair! Get a 25 Cent Bottle of Danderine. Right Now—Also Stops Itching Scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scurf.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its luster, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, luster and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance; an incomparable gloss and softness, but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp. Adv.

Anticipated Eyesores.

Ma—I think Josephine had better study painting instead of music, then she won't make any noise practicing.

Pa—Oh, I don't know. There's an end to noise, but pictures will last for years.

Not If He's on Time.

"Don't you miss the noise and bustle of the city, now that you live in the country?"

"Not if I catch my train to town."—Browning's Magazine.

Closing your eyes to your own faults does not close other people's.

Barber Worked by Pattern.

A man wearing his hair long under a wide western hat and concealing his face behind a beard of much length and breadth strode into the barber shop of the Parker house in Boston and settled into a chair. "Just a minute," he said, searching in a pocket. "Five years ago I came to Boston and got a shave and haircut here. I liked the work so well that I had my picture taken. Here is the picture. That's how I want to look. Do it again." And with the photograph on a stand before him as a pattern, the barber began operations.

Chinese Like Them.

These Chinese have taken quickly to the electric toasters sent from this country.

French textile experts have developed a method of printing silks by color photography.

Boschee's German Syrup

We all take cold some time and everybody should have Boschee's German Syrup handy at all times for the treatment of throat and lung troubles, bronchial coughs, etc. It has been on the market 51 years. No better recommendation is possible. It gently soothes inflammation, eases a cough, insures a good night's sleep, with free expectoration in the morning. Druggists' and dealers' everywhere, 25c and 75c bottles. Don't take substitutes.

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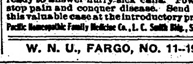
Sudden Death

Before an insurance company will take a risk on your life the examining physician will test your water and report whether you are a good risk. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, sick-headache, dizzy spells, or twinges and pains of lumbago, rheumatism and gout, or sleep is disturbed two or three times a night—take heed, before too late!

You can readily overcome such conditions and prolong life by taking the advice of a famous physician, which is: "Keep the kidneys in good order, avoid too much meat, salt, alcohol or tea. Drink plenty of pure water and drive the uric acid out of the system by taking Anuric, in tablet form." You can obtain Anuric at drug stores, the discovery of Dr. Pierce of Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo.



THE VERY BEST TIME to take Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is *now*, if you feel that your blood is out of order. Don't wait until you have to *cure* disease; it's easier and better to *prevent* it.

With the first blotches or eruption, or the dullness, weariness, and depression that are some of the symptoms, you need this medicine. It will rouse every organ into healthy action, thoroughly cleanse and repair your system, and build up needed flesh, health, and strength. It's the only reliable blood remedy. In the most stubborn Skin or Scalp affections; in the worst forms of Scrofula; in *every* disease caused by a torpid liver or impure blood—it never fails to benefit or cure.

The machinery of the body needs to be well oiled, kept in good condition just as the automobile, steam engine or bicycle. Most people neglect themselves. To clean the system take a pleasant laxative, such as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. For sale by druggists—25 cents a vial.

BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK "CASCARETS"

Gently cleanse your liver and sluggish bowels while you sleep.

Get a 10-cent box.

Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels of sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Adv.

Heads—She Lost.

The room was full of little girls in pink slips and pigtails. They sat in rows at wooden desks, as quiet as mice. Over them presided a sweet-faced damsel, stern withal. The lesson concerned coins of the realm, and they had been through the entire range, from pennies to silver dollars. One little miss, however, was singularly inattentive. Her gaze was fixed upon a playful sparrow on the window-sill, and she had no thought for coins. Suddenly the teacher pounced upon her. Placing a half-dollar on the pupil's desk, she demanded: "What's that?" "Heads," came the instantaneous reply.

SOOTHES ITCHING SCALPS

And Prevents Falling Hair Do Cuticura Soap and Ointment.

On retiring, gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water using plenty of Soap. Cultivate the use of Cuticura Soap and Ointment for everyday toilet purposes.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Not Always.

Doctor (examining recruit)—And do you always stutter like that?

Recruit — No-n-no, sir. Only w-w-when I t-talk.

Tobacco Ash.

According to a British chemist, tobacco ashes contain 20 per cent of potash.

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

That Knife-Like Pain

Have you a lame back, aching day and night? Do you feel sharp pains after stooping? Are the kidneys sore? Is their action irregular? Do you have headaches, backaches, rheumatic pains,—feel tired, nervous, all worn-out? Use Doan's Kidney Pills—the medicine recommended by so many people in this locality. Read the experience that follows:

A Montana Case

J. H. Kugler, R. F. D. No. 1, Bozeman, Mont., says: "I suffered from attacks of backache and pains in my loins for ten years. Work brought a strain on my kidneys. Often the kidney secretions were profuse, then again scanty and painful in passage. There was a sort of brickdust sediment in them, too. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me as soon as I took them and before long they rid me of kidney trouble."

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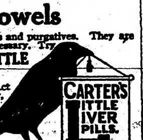

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Avoid operations. Positive Liver & Stomach remedy (No Oil)—Results sure; home remedy. Write today. Gallstone Remedy Co., Dept. W-7, 219 S. Dearborn St., Chicago

U.S. WARNS WORLD SHIPS WILL CARRY GUNS FOR DEFENSE

FORMAL NOTICE SENT OUT BY STATE DEPARTMENT TO ALL FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS FOLLOWING CONFERENCE.

DOUBLY ARMED FRENCH LINER CLEARS NEW YORK

Permission Granted Rochambeau to Depart with Cannon Mounted Fore and Aft—Armed Guard Will Be American Navy Gunners—Neutrals' Action in Doubt.

Washington, March 13.—Formal notice that American ships traversing the German submarine zone are to carry "armed guard for the protection of the vessel and the lives of the persons on board" has been sent by the State department to embassies and legations of all foreign governments in Washington.

Armed Liner Clears.

Permission for clearance of the French liner Rochambeau from New York, the first belligerent merchantman to arrive in an American harbor with guns mounted fore as well as aft, also was granted by the State department, which ruled that the Rochambeau as a passenger-carrying vessel plying usual routes was a peaceable merchantman, entitled to take adequate precautions against illegal attack.

Communication Public.

Following is the text of the communication to foreign envoys as made public by the State department:

"In view of the announcement of the imperial German government on January 31, 1917, that all ships, those of neutrals included, met within certain zones of the high seas, would be sunk without any precaution being taken for the safety of the persons on board and without the exercise of visit and search, the government of the United States has determined to place upon all American merchant vessels sailing through the barred areas an armed guard for the protection of the vessels and the lives of the persons on board."

Mistakes Not Likely.

The official notice will serve to warn submarines of the Allied powers as to America's intentions. British undersea boats, however, are understood to be operated only under convoy, hence there is little likelihood that the armed ships will make mistakes as to recognizing the nationality of submarine.

The notification, it is expected, will be sent to Germany by the Swiss legation here. No obstacle will be placed in the way of such action. Whether other neutral governments will admit American armed ships to their ports is a question for them to decide, but it is not expected here that objections will be made. Holland is the only neutral known to have barred armed merchantmen from her harbors.

Conference at White House.

State department officials did not wish to make it clear whether it was mandatory for all American vessels to have arms or whether they might sail without them if they so desired. The Navy department position is that it will equip with arms all ships whose owners apply for it.

The State department gave out the copy of its statement shortly after Secretary Lansing had conferred at the White House with President Wilson.

The armed guard will be American navy gunners. The official statement shows, too, that it is the intention of the government to arm not only passenger steamers, but also to provide guns and navy gunners for munition ships.

TAUSSIG HEADS NEW BOARD

Professor Named By Wilson for Tariff Commission.

Washington, March 13.—Professor Frank W. Taussig of Harvard university, has been selected by President Wilson as chairman of the new tariff commission of six members. Daniel G. Roper, democrat, of South Carolina, former first assistant postmaster general, and former Representative William M. Kent, republican, of California, are other probable members. The following are under consideration: E. P. Costigan of Denver; Professor Irving Fisher of Yale; E. E. Pratt, chief of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, and Miss Ira Tarbell, a writer.

Swiss Feed Yarrowdale Americans.

Zurich, Switzerland, March 13.—Laden with cigars, cigarettes and food showered upon them by the hospitable Swiss, 59 of the new historic Yarrowdale prisoners are in Zurich, after a continuous trip from the prison camp at Brandenburg to the German frontier at Lindau. The sailors, although emaciated from imprisonment and serious lack of food since their arrival in Germany Dec. 31, are in fair condition and confident they will soon be themselves again. The party was met here by Consul Keene.

CANADA'S BONUS TO FARM LABORERS

Offering 160 Acres to Farm Hands.

Canada today, with the great demand that is made upon it for foodstuffs, finds itself almost in the throes of a labor famine. A novel means of solving the problem has been evolved by the Canadian Government at Ottawa on Wednesday last, when it was decided to practically bonus every farmhand going to Canada, by giving him 160 acres free as a homestead, and to allow the time he would be working out for, the good wages offered, to count as residence duties on the homestead. Western Canada has been a big producer of grain and it is estimated that there is a shortage of over thirty thousand men, necessary to produce an average crop in 1917. This shortage has been caused by so many young men having left the farms to go to war, and it is essential to make an unprecedented offer of this kind, to fill their places on the land at once.

It has been required in the past to do three years' duties on homesteads to get title, but an additional inducement has been offered by practically reducing this term to two years. As explained by an official of the Canadian Government, Canada's need for farm laborers is intense, and exceptional inducements are being offered to get the needed farm workers at once. A farmhand will make his entry for one of the 160-acre farms, satisfy the Government that he is working for a farmer and that time will apply as residence on the land filed for, just the same as if he was actually living on it.—Advertisement.

Swearing Off.

"Why are you so strong for prohibition?"

"Well," replied Uncle Bill Bottletop, "a country is a good deal like an individual. After havin' had liquor without limit for a period of years, it's a mighty good thing to go without for awhile."—Washington Star.

With the Fingers! Says Corns Lift Out Without Any Pain

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn can shortly be lifted right out with the fingers if you will apply on the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

At little cost one can get a small bottle of freezone at any drug store, which will positively rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain or soreness or the danger of infection.

This new drug is an ether compound, and dries the moment it is applied and does not inflame or even irritate the surrounding skin. Just think! You can lift off your corns and calluses now without a bit of pain or soreness. If your druggist hasn't freezone he can easily get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

She Knew Him.

"One night while you were away I heard a burglar. You should have seen me going downstairs three steps at a time."

Wife (who knows him)—Where was he, on the roof?

SYRUP OF FIGS FOR A CHILD'S BOWELS

It is cruel to force nauseating, harsh physic into a sick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Adv.

His Stroke of Luck.

"I've had a bit of luck. I picked up $100 day before yesterday, and, learning this morning that it belonged to that old miser Marx, I returned it to him."

"I see; and he gave you a reward."

"Oh, no; but he didn't charge me any interest for the two days I had it."

An eloquent prayer doesn't get any higher than the other kind.

TRIAL BY ORDEAL IN POISONING CASE IS URGED BY DEFENSE

TESTS TO PROVE INNOCENCE OF PRISONERS CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY TO MURDER SUGGESTED.

APPEAL OF MOHAMMEDAN LAWYER PUZZLES JUDGE

Application for Revival of Ancient Method of Conducting Trial Rejected—Mysterious Secret Government Agent Fails to Testify.

London, March 12.—In an eloquent and vigorous speech in summing up the case of the four prisoners on trial charged with conspiring to murder Lloyd George and Arthur Henderson, member of the war council, S. H. Riza, the Mohammedan lawyer, who is acting as attorney for the defendants, startled the courtroom by suggesting a trial by ordeal. He referred to the medieval form of judicial trial in which in the place of evidence supernatural aid is invoked as in a test by fire, water, poison or other agencies.

Witness Not Produced.

Attorney Riza had been endeavoring to impress the jury with the alleged sinister significance of the failure of the crown to produce a certain witness against the four defendants—Mrs. Alice Weeldon, her two daughters and Alfred George Mason, husband of one of the daughters. This person, he said, was a man who should have been its principal witness, namely the mysterious secret government agent known as "Gordon."

Suggests Trial by Ordeal.

The attorney declared Gordon was a police spy who had started the whole plot, who had lured the defendants on and then when he had got them well within his net had handed them over to another agent named Booth so that his own connection with the case would not be so flagrantly apparent.

Then after a long and impressive pause Attorney Riza suddenly said: "In the absence of Gordon I would suggest that the defendants should have a trial by ordeal."

Judge Is Puzzled.

The judge was puzzled and said: "I fear that would be impossible. It has been abolished. Do you seriously suggest the ladies should walk over hot ploughshares in order to prove their innocence?"

Riza: "I do."

The judge: "It is no use submitting such a suggestion. You are not serious."

Riza: "I do sincerely suggest it."

FALL OF BAGDAD REPORTED

London Paper Prints Unofficial News of Capture.

London, March 12.—The Daily Chronicle says that it is virtually certain that the British troops now are in Bagdad and that official confirmation of this may be expected at any moment.

The Chronicle's military correspondent, upon whose information the assertion apparently is based, writes:

"One is entitled to assume that the city was occupied without any serious fighting and we probably shall learn that our cavalry dashed through it and along the Tigris toward Samdra."

MOVE STRENGTHENS MARKET

Stocks Respond to U. S. Decision to Arm Merchant Ships.

New York, March 12.—Responding to the administration decision to arm American merchantmen, Marine jumped 1¼ points at the stock market opening Saturday.

General strength was shown in other issues, with United States Steel touching 112⅞, an advance of ⅝ over Friday's close.

Crucible Steel opened at 68½, up ⅝; General Motors 119⅞, up ⅞; Central Leather 93½, up ½; Utah Copper 115, up 1¼.

FREIGHTER REPORTED SUNK

French Steamer Ohio Torpedoed, New York Hears.

New York, March 12.—A report is current in shipping circles that the 8-700-ton freight steamship Ohio flying the French flag has been torpedoed. The vessel left here February 19 and is overdue in Havre. The French line said it had no confirmation of the report but had cabled for information. The Ohio, one of the largest freighters in the Allied service, was well armed.

German Swindler Held.

New York, March 12.—Max Wex, a native of Hamburg, is under arrest here charged with swindling Germans in different parts of the country by means of a machine said to be capable of reproducing paper currency. The police say they have complaints from Germans in New York, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Chicago and other places. Frank Sternberg of this city told the police that Wex assured him that he had been sent out by the German government on a mission to entangle the currency in this country.

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Ask your shoe dealer for W. L. Douglas shoes. If he cannot supply you with the kind you want, take no other make. Write for interesting booklet explaining how to get shoes of the highest standard of quality for the price, by return mail, postage free.

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Was Sick All Right.

"Jock Bloggs," said the manager, severely, "you got off your work yesterday afternoon with the excuse that you were ill. I saw you going to the races, and you did not appear to be bad at all."

Jock was fully equal to the occasion.

"You ought to have seen me after the second race," he said.

ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE DOES IT.

When your shoes pinch or your corns and bunions ache get Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath. Gives instant relief to Tired, Aching, Swollen, Tender feet. Over 100,000 packages are being used by the troops at the front. Sold everywhere, 25c. *Don't accept any substitute.*—Adv.

In a Quandary.

"You seemed much affected by Spenson's hard-luck story."

"I don't deny it. Spenson saw me get a ten-dollar bill changed and I was racking my brain to think up a good excuse for not lending him a quarter."

Of Course.

The big apples would never stay at the top of the measure if there were no little ones below to hold them up.

Hasty With His Gun.

New Dentist (in Frozen Dog)—Will you take gas.

Bronco Bill—Will it hurt much if I don't?

New Dentist—It will.

Bronco Bill—Then, stranger, for your sake I reckon I'd better take it.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Hard Part Yet to Be Faced.

She—What's this I hear about your being engaged?

He—It's merely a protocol; we haven't had the treaty ratified by her father.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"

To get the genuine, call for full name LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. 25c.

Some men are so unworthy of confidence that their own dogs distrust them.

Many a man suffers painful exposure, although all wrapped up in himself.

Saves Eggs

Royal Baking Powder makes it possible to produce appetizing and wholesome cakes, muffins, cornbread, etc., with fewer eggs than are usually required.

In many recipes the number of eggs may be reduced and excellent results obtained by using an additional quantity of Royal Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, for each egg omitted. The following tested recipe is a practical illustration:

SPONGE CAKE

1 cup sugar
½ cup water
3 eggs
2 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1 cup flour
1 teaspoon salt
⅛ cup cold water
1 teaspoon flavoring

DIRECTIONS:—Boil sugar and water until syrup spins a thread and add to the stiffly beaten whites of eggs, beating until the mixture is cold. Sift together three times the flour, salt and baking powder; beat yolks of eggs until thick; add a little at a time flour mixture and egg yolks alternately to white of egg mixture, stirring after each addition. Add ⅛ cup cold water and flavoring. Mix lightly and bake in moderate oven one hour.

The old method called for six eggs and no baking powder

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"You said you'd go through fire and water for me."

"Show me a combination of the two and I will."

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Vacuum cleaners have been designed especially for cleansing school blackboards.

If milk is used to soften shoe polish it will improve the gloss.

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"I see they are going to teach swimming in the public schools."

"Happy days! Spitball throwing will be legitimate before they get through."—Kansas City Journal.

Bobby's Reason.

"Why did you spell 'bank' with a capital, Bobby?"

"'Cause pa says a bank ought always to have a good big capital."

Being sorry for yourself doesn't enlist the sympathy of others.

Canada Offers 160 Acres Free to Farm Hands

Bonus of Western Canada Land to Men Assisting in Maintaining Needed Grain Production

The demand for farm labor in Canada is great. As an inducement to secure the necessary help at once, Canada will give

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and allow the time of the farm laborer, who has filed on the land, to apply as residence duties, the same as if he actually had lived on it. Another special concession is the reduction of one year in the time to complete duties. Two years instead of three as heretofore, but only to men working on the farms for at least six months in 1917. This appeal for farm help is in no way connected with enlistment for military service but solely to increase agricultural output. A wonderful opportunity to secure a farm and draw good wages at the same time. Information as to low railway rates may be had on application to

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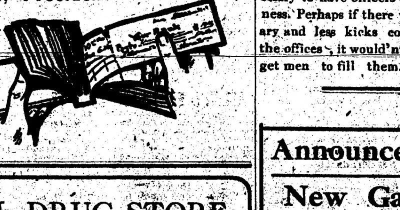

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Farms For Rent.

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Holt State Bank.

A. L. Carlson was a Crookston visitor last week Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Sorenson and children were Sunday visitors with friends at Viking.

Miss Betty Johnson returned home Tuesday from near Grygla where she has been teaching school.

The Switchboard Co. held their annual meeting Monday and elected officers as follows; Trustees, Aug. Nass, Lew Wegge and John Simonson, Treas., B. Docken; Secy., Nils Engebretsen.

We understand some of those elected do not wish to serve. It is necessary to have officers or quit business. Perhaps if there was more salary and less kicks connected with the offices, it would'nt be so hard to get men to fill them.

Announcement

New Garage!

I will open a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building about March 15th

New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New

All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

Ole Hammerness

Holt - Minn.

AUCTION!

As I am going to move away I will sell the following property at public auction in E 1-2 SE 1-4 Sec. 2 Town of Holt, 4 1-2 miles north and 1-2 miles east of the village of Holt, on Saturday March 17th

SATURDAY MAR. 17

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Bay mare with foal, 10 years old

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Highly recommended for Nervous Debility. Nervous Prostration, Premature Decline, Drainage, Lost Vigor, Reproductive Incapacity, Paralysis and Paralytic Tendencies, Decline of Strength, Premature Old Age. Loss of Ambition, Insomnia, Melancholy, Nervous Dyspepsia, Kidney and Bladder Trouble and Constipation. These tablets will be found valuable in the treatment of Various Debilitating Diseases of men and in the most extreme cases of Nervous Prostration in women.

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Boston, Mass., U S A

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed and delivered by John F. Tapper, an unmarried man, mortgagor, to Julia Flakne, mortgagee, dated August 12th, 1915, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for Marshall county, Minnesota, on October 26th, 1915, at nine o'clock a. m. in Book 79 of Mortgages at page 121; and which said mortgage was duly assigned by said Julia Flakne to M. P. Shuemaker, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 12th, 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota, on January 25th, 1916, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 75 of Mortgages at page 247; and was again duly assigned by the said M. P. Shuemaker to M. H. Evans, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 17th, 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota on January 18th, 1917, at one o'clock p. m. in Book [illegible] of Mortgages at page 23; that the amount due and claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date hereof is five hundred and fifty-nine dollars and thirty-three cents ($559.33); that the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage are Lot numbered One, of Section Nineteen, and Lots numbered One and Two, and the east half of the northeast quarter, of Section Thirty, in Township one hundred and fifty-six North, of Range forty-one West of the 5th Principal Meridian, in Marshall county, Minnesota, containing 162.55 acres, according to the United States Government survey thereof; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren, Marshall county, Minnesota, on the 26th day of March, 1917, at eleven o'clock a. m., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, together with the costs of such sale, and fifty dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, and the taxes, if any, on said premises.

Dated February 6th, 1917.

M. H. Evans,
Assignee of Mortgagee,
St. Paul, Minn.

L. E. Gossman,
Attorney for assignee of mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota

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Art Brotten returned home Monday to Moose Jaw, Canada.

Mrs. Riesberg returned Wednesday from a few days visit in T. R. Falls where she had been to see the little grandson which arrived at the Ollie Werner home last week Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. Hagglund and daughter Ida returned home last week Thursday from Dugdale where they had been called by the sickness of Mrs. Hagglund's mother, who we understand is now getting better.

Mrs. T. T. Sollom was called to Newfolden Sunday evening by the sickness of her little grandson at the Arvid Carlson home who is reported better.

S. H. Nohre returned home Wednesday from a few weeks visit with his parents at Spring Grove Minn. While there Mr. Nohre had an auction sale and sold his stock and has rented his farm for cash rent. He reports spring is no further advanced in southern Minnesota than it is here.

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Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on

Friday, March 23, 1917

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50

Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00

Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Successor to and Continuation of

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Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Local Items

Bring us your Job Printing.

We are having some real spring weather.

Read the joint sale ad on the back page of this paper.

We want to close out our stock of shoes for men, women and children and will sell them cheap.—Reierson's store.

Mrs. B. J. Bakke and Mrs. John Malla came up from T. R. Falls yesterday for a short visit with Mrs. B. Docken.

The electric lights are now in working order and are giving good satisfaction. The pump and hose are ready too with water in the cistern and a meeting will be held next Thursday evening Mar. 29 to organize a fire department.

[illegible] manage one of his father-in-law's farms. Mr. Yttri expresses himself as well pleased with this country and expects to return here some day and only leaves for business reasons. Ole Davidson and family will move onto Mr. Yttri's farm.

Hay For Sale!

I have for sale about 40 ton of early cut wild hay at $6.00 per ton. S W 1-4 Sec. 8 Town of Adger.

Peter Michaelson,
Thief River Falls,
R. 2, Box 45 Minn.

Dr. Olson was a Middle River visitor Tuesday.

Found; A watch. Prove property and pay for this notice, at this office.

The Y. P. S. took in between $7 and $8 at their meeting Sunday at the Alfred Anderson home.

Ben Eide returned Friday from Spooner where he had been employed in the lumber camps.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen over the arrival of a baby girl at their home Monday Mar. 19th.

Mrs. Sollom returned home Friday accompanied by her daughter Mrs. Arvid Carlson and baby who will visit here for sometime.

The Holt State Bank received three autos here this week which they had taken in trade for three quarter sections of land.

All kinds of spring and summer hats for men and women will be sold cheap at R. Reierson's store to close them out.

Section foreman Hardy and wife went to Warroad, Saturday, for an over Sunday visit with his brother, who is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.

Notice

The village council has decided to call a public meeting of the citizens for next Thursday evening Mar. 29, at 8 o'clock, at the village hall for the purpose of organizing a Volunteer Fire Department. Everyone is urged to attend as this meeting is of great importance to the village.

H. B. Young, Village Clerk.

Prize Winner Again.

At the Seed & Farm crop show held at Fairmont, Minn. this month, J. A. Sorum was awarded second premium for alfalfa seed exhibited at the show, in competition with the entire state. This speaks mighty well for Mr. Sorum's farming ability and is another boost for the fertile and excellent producing soil of this immediate section.

Announcement.

It has been circulated in this vicinity that we have bought out the Farmers State Bank of Holt, but we wish to announce that this is not true. We have not bought out the Farmers State Bank of Holt, nor have we any intention of buying it.

The true fact is that we are just in temporary charge to assist them to collect and secure the outstanding papers of the bank.

As far as we know the Farmers State Bank of Holt will continue to do business same as heretofore.

Holt State Bank
By B. Docken, Cashier.

Save money by trading in Holt.

[illegible] Flakne went to Crookston [illegible]

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Wait for Dr. Turley, the dentist, he will be here Friday March 23.

Ole Kjelgren went to Canada last week to look after business matters.

Timothy seed for sale at my farm two miles east of Holt. S. H. Nohre. 30

The Ladies Aid took in $14.30 Saturday evening despite the stormy weather.

Mr. Stearns, manager of the Tri-State Telephone Co., was here Tuesday on business.

Master Harald Gullickson of Middle River visited over Sunday here with his brother Ludwig.

The twin city mail failed to reach us Saturday on account of heavy storms in that part of the state.

Mrs. B. L. Backe came Saturday and visited over Sunday with Mrs. Martin Mattson.

Tonnes Nelson of Newfolden shipped a car of cattle to the markets Saturday from here.

A public meeting will be held on Mar. 29th, to organize a fire department.

Eggs for hatching from pure bred Plymouth Rock hens for sale by C. L. Sandberg, Holt, Minn. 46

Mrs. Gilbert Brotten and daughter Amanda from Ross, Minn., visited the week end at the Otto Johnson home.

Mrs. Hagglund received word on Tuesday night that her mother had died that day and she went to Dugdale Wednesday to attend the funeral.

Walmer Riesberg took his little nephew Loyd Strom to T. R. Falls Friday where he will stay with relatives and attend school.

The stork has brought so many girls to the Nils Engebretsen home that his auto was not large enough for all to ride at once, so he has purchased the one formerly owned by Ed. K. Johnson.

Free Mission Church

Children will practice the Easter songs at 1:30.

Sunday School 2:00 o'clock sharp.

Choir practice at 3 for the Easter program.

Ole Nyhus of Thief River Falls will preach next Sunday March 25th at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and 8 o'clock in the evening.

Rev. Parish will hold services at 8 o'clock next Monday evening March 26th. Everyone invited to attend.

Choir practice next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Southeast of Holt.

There will be a basket social given for the benefit of the Synod church at the home of Jacob Klungness on Saturday evening March 24th. Open your hearts and pocket-books and Come.

Oscar Moe went to Golden Valley on Saturday for a short visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Klungness entertained a few friends on Sunday afternoon. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe and daughter Gunda, Mrs. A. Guttrud and daughter Ida, Ludvig Olson, Nathan and Alma Spiney.

Dr. F. H. Gamble was called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Steinhaur to see their son Adolph who is reported as being quite sick.

A very large crowd was in attendance at the Ladies Aid at the J. Klungness home on Thursday.

Dr. F. H. Gamble was called to the Fred Steinhaur home last week [illegible] Mrs. Steinhaur who is [illegible]

Lynn Olson of Clay Co. has been a guest at the home of his uncle Sam Groven for some time.

A large number of young folks from this locality were in attendance at the Senior Class Play given at Thief River Falls Friday evening.

The township election of Agdar was held at the Groven school house last Tuesday and the following officers elected. Supervisor, John Ristare. Treasurer, Silas Torgenson, Assessor, John Keller, Clerk, Christ Nelson, Justice of the Peace. Halvor Moe, Constable. Oscar Peterson.

E. Norton, agent for the Adams Grader Company of Indianapolis Ind. was present at the recent township election of Agdar.

Ludvig Olson, Arne Sordahl and Nathan Soiney, left on Tuesday for Admiral, Sask, Can. where they expect to find work for the coming year.

Ed. K. Johnson shipped his personal property and moved his family to Montevideo this week. Chris Rustad has rented Mr. Johnson's farm for this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson and daughter Tina of T. R. Falls came Tuesday for a short visit at the Dr. R. L. Olson and Ole Knutson homes.

T. E. Ellestad has sold Ben Eide a plot of land containing about 3-4 acre and lying just north of Ole Ellingson. Mr. Eide will build a house thereon and become a resident of our village.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet Saturday 24th. 10:30 to 3.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will be entertained Saturday March 24th by Mrs. B. Docken.

Sunday school 12 to 1 o'clock.

Services in Holt Sunday March 25th at 11 o'clock and in Ringbo at 3:20

The Golden Valley Ladies Aid will be entertained Monday March 26th by Mrs. Mick Leiran.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

For Sale!

Good team of horses for sale cheap and on easy terms.

Holt State Bank.

Stiener News

A bunch of the young people from this neighborhood attended the farmers club meeting at Rosewood Friday evening.

Ella Meyers of T. R. Falls visited her parents over Sunday.

Reine Werner has been hauling oats to T. R. Falls the past week.

Harry Copp visited his parents first of the week.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers and Miss Jessie attended the class play Friday evening at T. R. Falls.

P. B. Malberg and brother did business in Steiner one day last week.

Mr. Hanson has been hauling his machinery and household goods to this station getting ready to ship a car to N. Dak.

Lervis Meyer called at the Rogers home Sunday.

S. R. Rogers arrived home from Kelliher, Minn. where he has been blacksmithing in the woods the past winter. He reports lot of snow in the woods.

Peter Solom did business in this village last of the week.

Arthur Simonson and Mike Baker went to the Ed. Larson's auction sale first of the week.

John Myers sold $640.00 worth of cattle to a Thief River cattle man this past week, and then bot a team of horses. He says no more oxen for uncle John.

Omer Warring attended the Antone Gulseth sale Saturday.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

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Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank.

Twenty Years from Today a Baldheaded Man will be an Unusual Sight

One of the most prominent druggists of America made a statement a few weeks ago which has caused a great deal of discussion among scientists in the medical press. He said: If the new hair grower, Mildredina Hair Remedy, increases its sales as it has during the past year, it will be used by nearly every man, woman and child in America within 6 years.

When Mildredina Hair Remedy is used almost universally, dandruff will disappear and with its departure baldness, itching scalp, splitting hair and all scalp diseases will follow and twenty years frim now a bald will be a rarity

There is only one way to cure dandruff, and that is to kill the germs. There is only one hair preparation that will kill the germs and that is Mildredina Hair Remedy. This unusual hair restorer with its record of thousands of cures will grow hair on any head where there is any life left; it will cure dandruff, stop falling hair and itching of the scalp in three weeks or money back. It is the most pleasant and invigorating tonic, is not not sticky nor greasy and is used extensively by ladies of refinement who desire to have and to keep their hair soft, lustrous and luxuriant. Fifty cents for a large bottle of druggists everywhere. Mail orders filled by American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.

CUT THIS OUT

FREE to show how quickly Mildredina Hair Remedy acts, we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this Coupon to American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass., with their name and address and ten cents in silver to pay postage.

Trade at home.

Several ladies meet with Mrs. B. Docken Wednesday evening for the purpose of organizing an Arts and Crafts club.

Potatoes are selling at $3.00 a bu. and up, in all the large cities. Wonder why it would'nt pay to raise a good sized patch of the tubers this year?

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

On account of a street car delay in Duluth, Dr. Turley missed his train and was unable to make his last date here. He now writes he will be here next Friday Mar. 23rd.

Formaldehyde will prevent smut on seed wheat, oats and barley and will prevent scab on potatoes. As an inducement to farmers to use it, the Hanson & Barzen Milling Co. will sell it at cost.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand therein above the turbulence of the waves!—Trinities and Sanctities.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.73
Wheat No. 2	1.70
Wheat No. 3	1.60
Wheat No. 4	1.37
Flax	2.67
Oats	50
Barley	.69 to .95
Rye	1.44
Flour, Best Patent	5.35

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall—in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Harald H. Gunheim, Hans H. Gunheim, [illegible] H. Gunheim, Gunnar H. Gunheim, Thone H. Gunheim, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of March, 1917, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this [illegible] day of February, 1917.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Probate Judge.

Julius J. Olson & Rasmus Hage,
Attorneys for Petitioner
Warren, Minnesota.

Local Representatives Wanted

Jewell products are sold with a guarantee to replace failures.

This requires the services of a local man who has some spare time and can look after the interests of our customers. The work would also include the introduction and sale of new fruit and flowers.

If you are not interested, please call this to the attention of someone you think would welcome the position. If you are interested, write at once for particulars. Adress

Service Department,
The Jewell Nursery Co.
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A Smooth Hairless Skin for Women

From Beauty Secrets

With the aid of a plain delatone paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with powdered delatone. This is applied to the hairs not wanted and after 2 or 3 minutes rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. When you go to your druggist for delatone be sure you get the genuine article, and if he will not supply you, the American Proprietary Co. of Boston, will send you a 50c or $1.00 package by mail.

Age of the Ostrich.

The average age of an ostrich is thirty years, and the annual yield of a bird in captivity is from two to four pounds of plumes.

Fireproof Wood.

To make wood fireproof, slack a small quantity of fresh lime and add water until it has the consistency of cream; stir well and add one pound of alum, 12 ounces of commercial potash and about one pound of salt. Stir again and apply while hot. Two or three coats will keep wood fireproof for many months.

FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Adv.

PRICES OF FISH HAVE RISEN

Why Product of the Sea Should Cost as Much as Choice Steaks Is Question Asked.

One of the inexplicable things in connection with the tremendous increase in the cost of foodstuffs in New York is the rise in the price of fish. Nothing gives a more specific evidence of the necessity of some sort of regulation to prevent artificial price making, a New York correspondent of the Cincinnati Times-Star says. Neither the freight congestion nor the increased demand which prosperity has brought can be argued as a cause. Fish cost more simply because the dealers have the opportunity to charge more. Spanish mackerel, brought a few miles into New York harbor by the fishermen, are now selling for as much per pound as the choicest steaks.

Only a few months ago, when a local newspaper chartered a score of big fishing boats and opened sale stations all over the city, it was possible for housewives to buy the choicest and freshest fish at 6 cents a pound. It was contended and it is no doubt true that an inexhaustible supply of fish is ready to the nets near New York and that the cost of taking them is small. It is a common thing for dealers to dump cargoes of fresh food fish into the harbor, after they have bought them, in order that an oversupply may not reduce prices.

In Boston.

"Now," said a Boston schoolteacher to her class in English, "can anyone give me a word ending in 'ous,' meaning full of, as 'dangerous,' full of danger, and 'hazardous,' full of hazard?"

For a moment there was a dead silence. Then a small boy raised his hand.

"Well," queried the teacher, "what is your word?"

Then came the reply: "'Pious, full of pie!'"—Tit-Bits.

Woman Judges in Queensland.

Woman justices are sitting in the present session of the high court at Brisbane, Australia, for the first time in the history of Queenstown.

Progressive Motion.

"The world moves in cycles."

"Yes, and it is fast getting to move on motorcycles."

Have You Ever Suspected

that the cause of various annoying ills might lie in the daily cup of tea or coffee?

A sure and easy way out of coffee and tea troubles is to shift to

Instant Postum

There's no caffeine nor anything harmful in this delightful, pure food-drink—just the nourishing goodness of wheat.

Postum has put thousands of former tea and coffee drinkers on the Road to wellville.

"There's a Reason"

ADAMSON RAIL ACT IS CONSTITUTIONAL HIGH COURT RULES

EIGHT-HOUR RAILROAD LAW VALID IN ALL RESPECTS—ESTABLISHES STANDARD FOR DAY'S WORK AND WAGES.

CONGRESS HAS RIGHT TO REGULATE WAGES

Nation's Highest Tribunal By Vote of 5 to 4 Settles Controversy—Chief Justice Writes Opinion—Reviews President's Efforts—400,000 Men Win Wage Increases.

Washington, March 20.—The Adamson eight-hour railroad law has been held constitutional and valid in all respects by the supreme court.

The decision makes eight hours the standard of a day's work and wages for men in operation of trains and legalizes the wage increases which went into tentative effect on its passage.

Upholds Right of Congress.

Besides declaring the Adamson law constitutional, the highest tribunal held congress has a right to legislate on wages.

The court's decision was 5 to 4, with Justices William R. Day, Mahlon Pitney and Willis Van Deventer dissenting from the bench and Justice J. C. McReynolds later announcing his non-concurrence.

The immediate temporary wage increases won by the railroad employees affect 400,000 trainmen as of Jan. 1 and are estimated to total between $40,000,000 and $50,000,000.

Hook's Ruling Reversed.

Federal Judge W. C. Hook's ruling in the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad test case, enjoining enforcement of the Adamson act and holding it "unconstitutional, null and void," was reversed.

The majority opinion was handed down by Chief Justice Edward D. White.

In announcing the opinion, the chief justice reviewed the negotiations leading to the enactment of the law. He did not read from a prepared opinion, giving it apparently from memory. He told of the president's efforts to avert the strike last September.

Reviews Wilson's Efforts.

"He suggested arbitration. The employers accepted and the employees refused," said the chief justice. "He then suggested a basic eight-hour day standard. The employers rejected that and the employees accepted."

How the president went to congress was then recited.

"Congress passed the law that is before us and the carriers refused to recognize it," he continued. He said the agreement to expedite the case was "very laudable."

Eight-Hour Provision Paramount.

In the early course of the opinion the chief justice said the law was both an eight-hour day act and also a wage fixing statute. He said it "strips the parties of the power of contract" as to wages. He said the eight-hour provision was the paramount feature.

SOURCE OF BIG GERMAN WAR LOANS IS MYSTERY

Issue Raises Question Among Financial Experts — Foreign Trade Ceases—Few Workmen Left.

Berne, March 20.—The issue of Germany's sixth war loan again has raised the question as to the sources of the empire's sinews of war. Financial experts point out the German people are living more economically than before, while earnings have greatly increased and capital formerly used in carrying on the foreign trade of the country has been invested in war bonds.

Two facts which cannot be dodged are that nearly the entire ablebodied male population has been withdrawn from production and has become a burden and that foreign trade practically has ceased.

To Loan to Farmers at 5 Per Cent.

Washington, March 20.—The Farm Loan board announces that the interest rate on all loans made to farmers throughout the country by federal land banks would be 5 per cent. A rate of 4½ per cent on bonds to be issued by the land banks also was officially announced.

Chinese Take German Concessions.

Peking, March 20.—Chinese troops have occupied without opposition the German concessions at Tien-tsin and Hankow. The Dutch have taken over the German consulates.

Oregon National Forest Enlarged.

Washington D. C., March 20.—Acting under the authority of a special act of Congress, approved September 8, 1916, the President has, on recommendation of the Secretary of Agriculture, signed a proclamation adding approximately 50,000 acres to the Whitman National forest, Oregon. The lands involved are situated on the divide between the John Day, Powder and Burnt rivers. Over 4,000 acres consist of timber lands. As the result of suits by the United States, the patents had been canceled.

PAYS FOR 160 ACRES OF LAND

From the Crop of Wheat on 53 Acres in Western Canada.

This story of paying for your land out of one year's crop is fully authenticated by a great many farmers in Western Canada.

And now, all that the farmer makes is velvet and you find him going more extensively into stock raising, for all authorities agree that in a short time there will be a demand for live stock, such as even will tax the vast resources of Western Canada. They will go into stock raising because of the adaptability of the country to provide food and fodder without feeding grain if necessary. They will go into stock and improve their places. They will install steam and heating plants—in fact, many are now doing it. They will have automobiles, in fact in many districts there is not a farmer but has one. They will beautify their homes and erect fine barns until the whole country will be as attractive as many of the counties in the best states in the Union. But we started out to tell you of the farmer who paid for 160 acres of land from the crop of wheat off of 53 acres. The Holden district on the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific does not appear to the ordinary observer to be any better than many other districts along that line, and probably isn't. It was in this district that John Larcome, a settler, purchased in 1915 160 acres of raw prairie land. He broke and seeded 53 acres. His crop turned out well, and he sold the greater portion of it for $2,970. His land cost him $16.50 per acre, or $2,640. So that the crop from the 53 acres paid for the land and left a balance of over $300, which with part of the crop left over would just pay for the cost of operation. This is not really an unusual case, hundreds of other farmers in Alberta and Saskatchewan having been able to do the same.

Sales of land are being reported from many districts in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta at good prices. And values are yet low, but with the flow of any value that will take place after the war, no doubt they will be considerably increased. The homesteads in the Park sections which are to be had actually free are having the attention of a good class of settlers, who want to go into mixed farming.—Advertisement.

Paints King by Proxy.

King Alfonso of Spain, absorbed by his occupation, has been unable to give the necessary number of sittings to Carlo Vasquez, who is engaged in painting the monarch's portrait. Senor Vasquez, however, has solved the difficulty. No matter at what time one visits his studio the king can be seen there sitting in a familiar pose in the uniform of a colonel of infantry.

If one examines the sovereign attentively it can be seen that he retains his immovability—it is a wax figure which represents him. The figure and attitude of Alfonso have been exactly copied and he will have to pose only for the face and hands.

"CASCARETS" ACT ON LIVER; BOWELS

No sick headache, biliousness, bad taste or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box.

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Stop having a bowel wash-day. Let Cascarets thoroughly cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will make you feel great by morning. They work while you sleep—never gripe, sicken or cause any inconvenience, and cost only 10 cents a box from your store. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never have Headache, Biliousness, Coated Tongue, Indigestion, Sour Stomach or Constipation. Adv.

A Monument to Pioneer Cowboy.

The memory of James (Kid) Willoughby, pioneer Wyoming cowboy, who died in Los Angeles recently, will be perpetuated by the frontier days committee, which will erect a monument in Pioneer park to commemorate his early deeds. The memorial will be paid for by popular subscription. Already subscriptions are pouring in from pioneer plainsmen, former associates of the noted cowboy.—Cheyenne State Leader.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chat. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

A baby makes the home a happy place at all times and more so when it's asleep.

U. S. VESSELS SUNK; RAIL STRIKE OFF; WAR IS IMMINENT

GERMAN U-BOATS GET THREE AMERICAN CRAFT—FEELING IS MOST INTENSE

RAIL HEADS AVERT STRIKE AS WAR MENACE NEARS

Unofficial Washington Thinks Virtual Warfare Already Exists —Technical Status Is Same as Before.

London, March 18.—The sinking of the American steamships City of Memphis, Illinois and Vigilancia was announced today. Fourteen men from the Vigilancia are missing, as are some of the men from the City of Memphis. The crew of the Illinois landed safely.

The City of Memphis, in ballast from Cardiff for New York, was sunk by gun fire. The second officer and fifteen men of the crew have been landed. A patrol boat has gone in search of the other members of the crew. The Illinois, from London for Port Arthur, Tex., in ballast, was sunk at 8 o'clock this morning.

Vigilancia Not Warned.

The Vigilancia was torpedoed without warning. The submarine did not appear. The captain, first and second mates, first, second and third engineers and 23 men of the crew have been landed at the Scilly islands. The fourth engineer and thirteen men are missing.

Memphis Sunk Saturday.

London, March 18.—The American vessel, City of Memphis, which left Cardiff Friday in ballast for New York was sunk Saturday. When she left port the City of Memphis had the Stars and Stripes painted on both sides. She encountered a submarine about 5 o'clock Saturday evening. The German commander ordered the captain of the steamer to leave his ship within 15 minutes.

The entire crew entered five boats and the submarine then fired a torpedo which struck the vessel, tearing a great hole. The ship foundered within a few minutes.

Virtual Warfare Now Exists.

Washington, March 18.—With the announcement of the ruthless destruction of three unarmed American merchant ships by submarines it was unofficially admitted here tonight that virtually a state of war exists between the United States and Germany. Technically the United States remains in a position of armed neutrality. Whether this shall be changed between April 16, the date fixed for a special session of congress, the war-making branch of the government, President Wilson has not decided.

One step the president is contemplating is a call for an immediate session of congress to hear an address asking for authority to adopt aggressive measures against the submarine menace. Already American ships are being armed to defend themselves; the next move must be to send warships with orders to seek out submarines and clear the trans-Atlantic lanes.

RAIL HEADS AVERT STRIKE

Chairman Lee Issues Letter Conceding Government's Request

New York, March 19.—The conference committee of railroad managers early this morning authorized President Wilson's mediators to make whatever arrangements were necessary with the railroad brotherhoods to call off the threatened strike.

The formal letter in which this authorization was made, signed by Elisha Lee, chairman of the managers' committee, was as follows:

"In the national crisis precipitated by events of which we heard this afternoon the national conference of railroads joins with you in the conviction that neither at home nor abroad should there be fear or hope that the efficient operation of the railroads of the country will be hampered or impaired.

Assures no Strike

"Therefore you are authorized to assure the nation there will be no strike, and as a basis for such assurance we hereby authorize the committee of the council of national defense to grant to the employes who are about to strike whatever adjustment your committee deems necessary to guarantee the uninterrupted and efficient operation of the railroads as an indispensible arm of national defense."

The decision reached by the managers at their midnight conference means that the brotherhoods have won an important victory altho it does not bring them all their original demands. By the agreement it is assumed they will be awarded pro rata time for overtime on the basic 8-hour day which they have been assured.

Berlin Announces Retreat.

Berlin, March 18.—via Sayville.—Systematic retirement of the German troops between Arras and the Oise on the French front is announced by the war office today. Peronne, Noyon, Bapaume, Roye and several other towns have been abandoned by the Germans.

Peronne was one of the strongholds of the Germans on the Franco-Belgian front. It is a town of about 4,000, on the Somme, and is of strategical importance on account of its railway and high road connections.

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Ward off attacks of grip, colds and indigestion by timely medication with the thoroughly tested and reliable remedy of the American household

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It's better to be safe than sorry. Many a long spell of distressing sickness might have been prevented if this proved remedy had been resorted to in the first stages. Any article that has been efficiently used for nearly half a century has proved its value. Tablet form if you desire it. At your druggists.

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BIRD UTILIZES SNAKE SKIN

Various Reasons Advanced by Naturalists for the Action of the Crested Fly-Catcher.

Habit of generations leads the crested fly-catcher to select a dried snake skin to line his nest. There are various explanations of why he does it. Some naturalists believe it is an effort on the part of the bird to render the nest waterproof. Others think the dried skin serves as a burglar alarm, to rattle at the approach of a squirrel or another enemy and warn the bird to defend his home.

He builds his nest in hollow trees, stumps or posts, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. Sometimes he rents the abandoned home of a woodpecker. Prof. H. A. Surface, Pennsylvania state zoologist, tells of one that usurped a rural mail box for his flat; of recent years they have been known to inhabit box homes put up for their special benefit.

So if you want to encourage the crested fly-catcher, build him a box nest. He'll pay his rent many times over. He eats beetles, flies, grasshoppers, butterflies and moths, and few insects are speedy enough to escape the snapping of his bill.

ANY CORN LIFTS OUT, DOESN'T HURT A BIT!

No foolishness! Lift your corns and calluses off with fingers—It's like magic!

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn, can harmlessly be lifted right out with the fingers if you apply upon the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

For little cost one can get a small bottle of freezone at any drug store, which will positively rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain.

This simple drug dries the moment it is applied and does not even irritate the surrounding skin while applying it or afterwards.

This announcement will interest many of our readers. If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to surely get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

Woman's Reason.

"You say he has no money?"

"None."

"No prospects?"

"None."

"Why on earth does she want to marry such a man?"

"She says she loves him."

If a wife refuses to divorce her dyspeptic husband—that is love.

At the poles there is neither latitude nor longitude.

Died of Premature Old Age!

(BY V. M. PIERCE, M. D.)

How many times we hear of comparatively young persons passing away when they should have lived to be 70 or 80 years of age. This fatal work is usually attributed to the kidneys, as, when the kidneys degenerate, it causes auto-intoxication. The more injurious the poisons passing thru the kidneys, the quicker will those noble organs be degenerated, and the sooner they decay.

To prevent premature old age and promote long life, lighten the work of the kidneys by drinking plenty of pure water all day long, and occasionally taking a little Anuric before meals. This can be obtained at almost any drug store. Anuric will overcome such conditions as rheumatism, dropsical swellings, cold extremities, scalding and burning urine and sleeplessness due to constant arising.

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Natural Inference.

"Pa, is the sick man the doctor was telling you about a carpenter?"

"No, child; what made you think so?"

"It was the doctor saying he had the shingles."

At the Farm.

"Aren't you on good terms with your relations, Mr. Hayseed?"

"Sure, but since I took 'em as boarders they are not on good relations with my terms."

Tire of Steel Wire.

Of German invention is a bicycle tire made of steel wire that is closely coiled.

Cole's Carbolisalve Quickly Relieves and heals burning, itching and torturing skin diseases. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Heals without scars. 25c and 50c. Ask your druggist, or send 25c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill., for a pkg. Adv.

Spain contains more than eleven and a half million acres of unproductive land.

Contentment is a virtue, but even in the matter of virtues one should beware of counterfeits.

YOU GET STRONG, if you're a tired-out or "run-down" woman, with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. And, if you suffer from any "female complaint" or disorder, you get well. For these two things—to build up women's strength, and to cure women's ailments—this is the best medicine to benefit or cure. The "Prescription" regulates and promotes all the natural functions, never conflicts with them, and is perfectly harmless in any condition of the female system. It brings refreshing sleep, and restores health and vigor.

If you eat the right foods, and not too much of them, the poisons in your system can be kept down and thrown out by taking a natural laxative, such as that composed of May-apple, juice of aloes, root of jalap, sugar-coated, and long sold by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Get them to-day.

Canada Offers 160 Acres Free to Farm Hands

Bonus of Western Canada Land to Men Assisting in Maintaining Needed Grain Production

The demand for farm labor in Canada is great. As an inducement to secure the necessary help at once, Canada will give

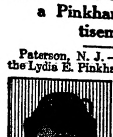
ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY ACRES OF LAND FREE AS A HOMESTEAD

and allow the time of the farm laborer, who has filed on the land, to apply as residence duties, the same as if he actually had lived on it. Another special concession is the reduction of one year in the time to complete duties. Two years instead of three as heretofore, but only to men working on the farms for at least six months in 1917. This appeal for farm help is in no way connected with enlistment for military service but solely to increase agricultural output. A wonderful opportunity to secure a farm and draw good wages at the same time. Canadian Government will pay all fare over one cent per mile from St. Paul or Duluth to Canadian destination. Information as to low railway rates may be had on application to

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. L. Porte, Dunn Blk., Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents

WOMAN NOW IN PERFECT HEALTH

What Came From Reading a Pinkham Advertisement.



Paterson, N. J.—"I thank you for the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies as they have made me well and healthy. Sometime ago I felt so run down, had pains in my back and side, was very irregular, tired, nervous, had such bad dreams, did not feel like eating and had short breath. I read your advertisement in the newspapers and decided to try a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It worked from the first bottle, so I took a second and a third, also a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Purifier, and now I am just as well as any other woman. I advise every woman, single or married, who is troubled with any of the aforesaid ailments, to try your wonderful Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier and I am sure they will help her to get rid of her troubles as they did me."—Mrs. ELSIE J. VAN DER SANDE, 36 No. York St., Paterson, N. J.

Write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass, if you need special advice.

Ambiguous.

"My husband's a brute," sobbed the pretty bride.

"What has he done?" asked her sympathetic friend.

"I told him today I had a letter saying mother was ill and couldn't come to visit us."

"And what did he do?"

"He said—he said he hoped it was nothing trivial."

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

Few persons can be sick who use Green's August Flower. It has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart from gases created in the stomach, pains in the stomach, and many other organic disturbances. August Flower is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion, both in the stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and whole alimentary canal, and stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. Try it. Two doses will relieve you. Used for fifty years in every town and hamlet in the United States and in all civilized countries.—Adv.

The Cause.

"So Gladys has no longer golden hair. What is the reason?"

"I suppose it is the high cost of dyeing."

Her Penalty.

He—Does your father object to my staying so late?

She—No; pa says it serves me right for being in when you call.

Rest Those Worn Nerves

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Don't give up. When you feel all unstrung; when family cares seem too hard to bear, and backache, dizzy headaches, queer pains and irregular action of the kidneys and bladder may mystify you, remember that such troubles often come from weak kidneys and it may be that you only need Doan's Kidney Pills to make you well. When the kidneys are weak there's danger of dropsy, gravel and Bright's disease. Don't delay. Start using Doan's now.

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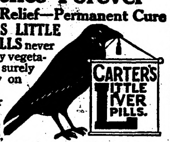
Prompt Relief—Permanent Cure

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS never fail. Purely vegetable — act surely but gently on the liver. Stop after dinner distress—cure indigestion, improve the complexion, brighten the eyes.



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RUSSIAN REGENT ALSO ABDICATES FOLLOWING CZAR

NAMED AS REGENT BY RETIRING EMPEROR HE HIMSELF QUITS BRINGING ROMANOFF DYNASTY TO END.

MONARCHY FOR THE TIME BEING DOES NOT EXIST

Duma Committee to Rule Until Constitutional Assembly Meets and Order Returns to Country With New Regime at Helm, Receiving Support of People.

Petrograd, March 19. — Emperor Nicholas abdicated on behalf of himself and the heir apparent, Grand Duke Alexis, in favor of Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch.

Now Grand Duke Michael himself has abdicated, thus bringing the Romanoff dynasty to an end.

The government, pending a meeting of the constitutional assembly is vested in the executive committee of the Duma and the newly chosen council of ministers. A manifesto to this effect has been issued by the Duma committee and it was telegraphed to the general army headquarters.

Russia appears to be in a fair way toward solving the greatest problem with which, perhaps, any nation was ever confronted. Order is growing with incredible rapidity out of the chaos of the last week and the new government, gathering up the broken threads of national and municipal life is striving to set the organization of the country in motion so that the conduct of the war will suffer as little as possible from the revolution.

The members of the new ministry already have assumed their posts and the government buildings, empty and deserted for four days, are again open for official business. The banks, all the commercial and financial houses, and some of the factories, have already responded to the new government's appeal, opened their doors and express a willingness to do everything in their power to effect as quick a recovery as possible from the paralysis of the last week. The soldier-policemen are guarding the streets in place of the old gendarmes.

Masses of soldiers and others daily gather around the Duma building where remarkable scenes are taking place. The lobby seethes with earnest colloquies and mob oratory mingles with calls for patriotic work and self-sacrifice.

Hundreds of messages have been received from all over the country, declaring the allegiance of important cities and fortresses to the new regime. Moscow, Kharkhov, Tsaritsyn and Vologda already have formally acknowledged the new government. Supported by unanimous vote the present government is really a government of the people.

IRISH OPPOSITION MAY FORCE BRITISH ELECTION

Bonar Law Appeals Eloquently to All Factions to Join in Negotiations to Settle Questions.

London, March 17.—If the Irish party members continue their opposition to the Lloyd George government, a general election will be forced and England's activity in the war will be paralyzed, according to the chancellor of exchequer, Andrew Bonar Law, in a statement made in the house of commons.

He appealed eloquently to all Irish members to join in negotiations designed to effect a settlement of the Irish question. He declared an appeal to the country might be forced on the ground that the nationalists were unwilling to permit the government to get on with the war.

EXECUTION OF CREWS OF U. S. SHIPS THREATENED

German Paper Says Gunners Who Fire on U-Boats May Expect Fate of Captain Fryatt.

Berne, Switzerland, March 17.—The crews of armed American merchantmen who venture to fire on German submarines must expect to meet the fate of Captain Fryatt, warns the Muenchner Neueste Nachrichten, in commenting on the announcement of the state department that American merchantmen will be armed.

Captain Charles Fryatt of the Great Eastern Railway steamer Brussels was tried before a German naval court martial in July, 1916, and sentenced to hang on a charge that he had attempted to ram the German submarine U. 33.

Predicts More Effective Education.

New York, March 17.—In its annual summary of educational research work, the General Education board, established by John D. Rockefeller, states that a more effective and more economical education ultimately should result from the new scientific attitude toward proposed innovations as well as established traditions. The board put aside $900,000 for 10 colleges in various parts of the country during the year ending June 30. It had on hand at that time funds totaling $45,735,440.

GIRLS! GIRLS! TRY IT, BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR

Make It Thick, Glossy, Wavy, Luxuriant and Remove Dandruff—Real Surprise for You.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it, surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store and just try it. Adv.

A Day's Wage.

It is interesting to note the definition of a living wage as formulated by the court of industrial arbitration of New South Wales in 1914:

"The living wage is standardized as the wage which will do neither more nor less than enable a worker of the class to which the lowest wage would be awarded to maintain himself, his wife and two children—the average dependent family—in a house of three rooms and a kitchen, with food, plain and inexpensive, but quite sufficient in quantity and quality to maintain health and efficiency, and with an allowance for the following other expenses: Fuel, clothes, boots, furniture, utensils, rates, life insurance, savings, accident or benefit societies, loss of employment, union pay, books and newspapers, train and tram fares, sewing machine, mangle, school requisites, amusements and holiday intoxicating liquors, tobacco, sickness and death, domestic help, unusual contingencies, religion, or charity."—National Geographic Magazine.

THE 3 D'S IN DODD'S

Mr. Robert W. Ferguson, Hingham, Mass., writes: I suffered from kidney disorder for years. Had incessant backache and trouble. Nearly died from it at one time while in Vancouver, but overcame it by a persistent use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. Finally I was completely cured. I occasionally use the remedy now in order to keep the kidneys regulated. I have the highest praise for Dodd's. Be sure to get "DODD'S," the name with the three D's for deranged, disordered, diseased kidneys, just as Mr. Ferguson did. No similar named article will do.—Adv.

Airship Losses in Europe.

An official recapitulation in Berlin of the statistics of airship losses during the year 1916 indicates that the Germans lost 221 machines and their opponents sacrificed 784. The bulk of the losses on both sides was in the West, where the Germans lost 181 airships and the English and French 739, it is declared.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine — double strength — is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

An Exchange of Courtesies.

"Six cents a loaf for bread? How's that?"

"You'll pay ten before the winter's over," snapped the baker.

"Maybe so, but I won't pay it here." And Mr. Dumdum walked out.

CLEAR YOUR COMPLEXION

While You Sleep With Cuticura Soap and Ointment—Trial Free.

On retiring, gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment, wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water, and continue bathing a few minutes with the Soap. The influence of this treatment on the pores extends through the night.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

When a man hears the first spring robin he gives himself all the credit that belongs to the robin.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong, sick women well, no alcohol. Sold in tablets or liquid.—Adv.

Nothing jolts a woman's sweet and trusting disposition like marriage.

Ancient Rome was built on seven hills.

FIRST MINNESOTA IS MUSTERED OUT

INFANTRY REGIMENT IS LAST OF STATE TROOPS TO LEAVE FEDERAL SERVICE.

FORT SNELLING IS DESERTED

Group of Mustering Officers Expected to Return to Mexican Border—Last Issue of "Border Patrol" Contains Appeal for Universal Service.

Fort Snelling.—With the mustering out of the First Minnesota infantry the long line of Gopher and Flickertail guardsmen who have passed through the hands of the mustering officers at Fort Snelling is ended and the group of officers will depart. The First infantry received $27,000 in gold for 14 days' pay and clothing allowance, together with the best wishes of Colonel Erle D. Luce, who complimented the men on their excellent showing. He said the border trip had cemented the friendship between the two cities.

The last issue of "The Border Patrol," the popular magazine published by the soldiers while on the border, was issued to the men. Among other things, it carried a strong editorial appeal for universal military service.

Captain L. P. Butler and Captain C. H. Danforth are the assisting officers in the mustering group. The fort will be deserted except for Captain L. F. D. Rucker, quartermaster and post commander, with his staff of 20 men.

To Develop Lake of Woods Power.

Winona. — Immediate development of water power in the Lake of the Woods region is expected to follow the early adoption by the international joint commission of the United States and Great Britain of the report to be made to that body April 3, according to James A. Tawney, member of the commission.

The special commission has been working on the report for the past five years and it is expected to be formally passed upon at the next semi-annual meeting. A special meeting has been called for March 30 at Washington to receive the report from the committee.

The report will recommend the most advantageous use of waters of the Lake of the Woods and the waters into and from the lake, also an agreement as to compensation to riparian land owners and others who would suffer loss and damage on account of the overflowing of their lands; according to Tawney.

Veteran Newspaperman Dies.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Smith B. Hall, veteran newspaperman, who had lived in Minneapolis most of the time since 1884, died early Friday in Eitel hospital where he had been ill for 10 days with pneumonia.

Mr. Hall came to Minneapolis after spending two years as editor of a newspaper in Fergus Falls, Minn. He was Minneapolis representative of the St. Paul Globe and later was managing editor of that paper. He also was city editor of the Minneapolis Times and at one time city editor of the Kansas City Star. He was employed for a time by papers in Omaha, Neb. About 15 years ago he was a member of the New York Journal staff.

U. S. to Call Naval Militia.

St. Paul. — Positive announcement that the Minnesota Naval militia, in common with other Federal naval forces, will be called out soon has been made in St. Paul by Captain Guy W. Eaton, Duluth, commander of the Minnesota units, on his return from Washington, where he conferred with navy officers. "They told me to go home and get ready and that I would be back very soon with the Minnesota naval militiamen," said Captain Eaton. "Everything looks like business."

Grade Permit Mixed Durum.

St. Paul. — New Federal wheat grades will permit a percentage of mixed durum in spring wheat as now carried in Minnesota grades O. P. B. Jacobson of the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission announced on his return from Washington where at the direction of the state Legislature, he attended the final hearing on the Federal grain grading act. Resolution of the Minnesota Legislature urging adoption of established grades carried great weight.

$2,000,000 Road Pledged.

Minneapolis. — A hard surface road, built of brick or concrete, to extend across the state of Minnesota at a cost of $2,000,000, has been pledged by the Minnesota division of the Yellowstone Trail association at the annual state meeting here. Minnesota is the eighth state to pledge such a road to be completed before 1920.

Recruiting Begun at University.

Minneapolis.—Under the direction of the secretary of the navy, recruiting of officers in the United States Marine corps has been started among the men students in the senior class at the University of Minnesota. Four students in the senior class will be appointed second lieutenants in the Marine corps immediately. They will be recommended by President Vincent and the commandant of the University Cadet corps, and, after taking a physical examination, will be given commissions upon graduation.

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The assertion that the birds of South Africa are not song birds has been disproved.

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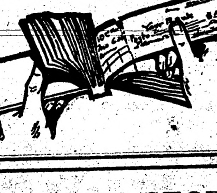

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We will sell the following property at public auction on NW 1-4 Section 36, Town of Mud Lake, 2 1-4 mi. so. of Golden Valley and 16 miles due east of Holt, on

Sat. Mar. 31

Commencing at 10:30 A. M:

2 Mares 9 years old wts 1300, 1150 Mare wt 1350
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Wide tire wagon good as new Wide tire wagon
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Deere sulky plow 14 in breaker Hay rake & rack
16 in brush breaker 3 section drag Deering hay rake
4 grind stones 2 section steel harrow Hay bucker
16 in Van Brunt drill nearly new Hay rope slings
14 disc harrow Acme Overshot hay stacker
Bush & bog harrow, new 2 corn plows ride & walk
Heavy breeching harness 2 sets work harness
New riding bridle Flax attachment
Blacksmith forge and tools Revolving churn
3 burner oil stove Box heater DeLaval seperator
Cook stove Economy separator, new, 800 lb cap
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Regular Terms Free Lunch at Noon

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Tonoline is Beauty Aid Announces Specialist

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest To Women

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said, "Take tonoline.

Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

"What tonoline really did for me I cannot say. I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline publicly."

Tonoline is a purely vegetable preparation which goes to the seat of common maladies--stomach and kidney trouble, catarrhal affections of the mucous membranes, liver ailments and impurities of the of the blood--and quickly restores proper action. Tonoline is being explained daily at your druggists.

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—50c Box Free—

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Send me by return mail a 50c box of your celebrated flesh builder. I enclose 10c to help pay postage and packing.

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Guarantee—We will send six boxes of Worthen's Wonder Workers to you for $5.00 and guarantee them to give satisfaction or return the money.

Price $1 a box 6 boxes $5
Sent by mail on receipt of price
The Worthern Wonder Worker Co.
Boston, Mass., U S A

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed and delivered by John F. Tapper, an unmarried man, mortgagor, to Julia Flakne, mortgagee, dated August 12th, 1915, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for Marshall county, Minnesota, on October 26th, 1915, at nine o'clock a. m. in Book 79 of Mortgages at page 121; and which said mortgage was duly assigned by said Julia Flakne to M. P. Shuemaker, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 12th, 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota, on January 25th, 1916, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 75 of Mortgages at page 247; and was again duly assigned by the said M. P. Shuemaker to M. H. Evans, assignee, by written instrument of assignment, dated January 17th 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said Marshall county, Minnesota, on January 13th, 1917, at one o'clock p. m., in Book 80 of Mortgages at page 27; that the amount due and claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date hereof is five hundred and fifty-nine dollars and thirty-three cents ($559.33); that the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage are Lot numbered One, of Section Nineteen, and Lots numbered One and Two, and the east half of the northeast quarter, of Section Thirty, in Township one hundred and fifty-six North, of Range forty-one West of the 5th Principal Meridian, in Marshall county, Minnesota, containing 162.55 acres, according to the United States Government survey thereof; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren, Marshall county, Minnesota, on the 26th day of March, 1917, at eleven o'clock a. m., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, together with the costs of such sale, and fifty dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, and the taxes, if any, on said premises.

Dated February 6th, 1917.

M. H. Evans,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
St. Paul, Minn.

L. E. Gossman,
Attorney for assignee of mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota

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Beyond the land of the Berbers, in the far south of Morocco, lies the great oasis of Tafilet, famous for its vast groves of date-palms. Here, for hundreds of square miles, the land is covered with a thick growth of the tall, straight stems of the palm, and the product of these close-growing trees is enormous in quantity. They produce the finest dates in the world.

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Homing pigeons in calm weather can travel at a speed of 1,200 yards a minute. With a brisk wind prevailing and blowing in the direction of its flight, a pigeon has been known to make 1,900 yards a minute.

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Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
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Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

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Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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The Northern Light
By The
Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Local Items

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Nels Nass was a business visitor in T. R. Falls Monday and Tuesday.

Timothy seed for sale at my farm two miles east of Holt. S. H. Nohre. 30

Adolph Johnson and Sam Reierson left Monday for Moose Jaw Canada.

Teachers and pupils of the Holt public school have been enjoying a vacation this week.

Rev. Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 8:00 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

Eggs for hatching from pure barred Plymouth Rock hens for sale by C. L. Sandberg, Holt, Minn. 46

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Oien Friday Night. [illegible] Congratulations are extended to the happy parents.

Mrs. Landre left Wednesday for her home in Stady N. D, after a few days visit at the home of her brother Alfred Anderson and family.

V. Beck who came here sometime ago to visit his mother Mrs. Chas. Martell, was called back to Iowa Tuesday to join his regiment of the Iowa National Guard.

Hay For Sale!

I have for sale about 40 ton of early cut wild hay at $6.00 per ton. S W 1-4 Sec. 8 Town of Adger.

Peter Michaelson,
Thief River Falls,
R. 2. Box 45 Minn.

Mrs. J. L. Nelson has been on the sick list this week.

Oscar Anderson returned Wednesday to his work in Fordville, N. D.

Found; A watch. Prove property and pay for this notice, at this office.

Miss Olga Saastad and her friend Miss Nickelson went to T. R. Falls, Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Owen went to Alexandria Saturday for a weeks visit with her parents.

G. P. Sorter went to So. St. Paul Saturday with a car of cattle for Tonnes Nelson.

I have about 200 bushels of White Russian seed oats for sale, at Olof Johnson's place 3 miles north of Holt. Victor Johnson,
413 Holt, Minn.

Albert Knutson, Albert Bjerk, Clarence Swan, Debard Johnson, Nels Larson, Charley Horien, Ben Nyberg and Ed Knutson left yesterday for Moose Jaw, Canada, where they expect to get big wages as farm laborers.

Notice for Bids

For Road Dragging

Sealed bids will be received by the Town Board of Holt, up to April 9th, 1917, for dragging the following roads:

Between Sections 25 and 36, 26 and 35, 27 and 34, 28 and 33, and Sections 29 and 32, 30 and 31, and Sections 17 and 20, 18 and 19, and Sections 7 and 18, 8 and 17, 9 and 16, and Sections 10 and 15, 11 and 14, 1 and 2, Sections 25 and 26, 23 and 24, 13 and 14, and on range line between Holt and East Valley, 5 miles. State price wanted per mile traveled. Send all bids to the Town Clerk.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By Order of Town Board.

T. B. Folden, Town Clerk.
Holt, Minnesota.

Read the sale ad on the back page.

A. H. Huseth visited his family Monday and Tuesday.

Thorval Kolden was a T. R. Falls visitor Monday.

John K. Johnson went to Montevideo Monday.

Miss Emma Kuehne returned yesterday from T. R. Falls.

C. O. Saastad was a Thief River Falls visitor the first of the week.

Co. Supt. Johnson was in this vicinity last week visiting schools.

B. Docken was a business visitor in T. R. Falls the fore part of the week.

C. H. Gunheim was a business visitor at the county seat the latter part of the week.

H. M. Hicks of T. R. Falls was in town Tuesday and Wednesday on insurance business.

Ed. Nyberg and Morris Holl went to Dakota Tuesday where they expect to find work.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. Ellestead Saturday afternoon April 7th.

Ole Garthus, Oscar and Edwin Surmo left Wednesday for Canada, attracted by the big prices offered for farm hands.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Von Wold of Mud Lake visited at the home of J. A. Alkenbrack Monday returning home Tuesday.

Commencing next Monday, Guy Anderson will leave the postoffice at one o'clock each day with the mail for the rural route.

Mrs. Erick Johnson and daughter Betty left yesterday for a few days visit with relative in Minneapolis and from there they go to California to visit the formers daughters.

Farms for sale or rent on easy terms and at reasonable prices.

Farmers State Bank

Announcement

New Garage!

I will open a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building about March 15th

New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

Ole Hammerness
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Notice

Sealed bids will be received by The Farmers and Village Switchboard Co., for telephone operator at their switchboard in Holt, by the secretary, T. B. Folden, until two o'clock P. M., April 9th, 1917. For terms see Telephone Board.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Notice

For Dragging Roads

Sealed proposals for draging roads in Town of East Valley during the season of 1917, will be received by the Town Board until 10 A. M. Apr. 14th, 1917, at which time the board will meet and open same. Specifications on file in Town Clerk's office. Successful bidder must furnish bonds in the amount of $250.00. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By Order of the Town Board.

J. A. Sorum, Town Clerk.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School 1:30 o'clock sharp, and the Choir will meet at 2:30 to practice the Easter songs.

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

Choir practice next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Children will also practice the Easter songs the same evening.

Southeast of Holt.

Snow has been disappearing [illegible] ed to think spring is here.

Mrs. Hans Peterson and daughter Olive returned from a few months stay with relatives near Pekin, N. Dak.

Jacob Hans and family have left to make theis home in N. Dak.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Petergnn and family has moved onto the farm formerly occupied by Jacob Hanson.

Otto Lee of Grygla is busy with a crew of men hauling a dredge from the range line between Adgar and Grand Plain into Thief River Falls.

Engebret Moe of Golden Valley spent the last of the week visiting at the home of his father S. G. Moe.

The basket social at the Jacob Klungness home Saturday evening was well attended and a neat sum collected. The evening was most delfully spent in music and singing and all present report a good time.

Notice to Farmers!

Will stand my New Black Percheron Stallion in Holt every Monday commencing April 2nd.

Be sure to come and see my horse before you breed elsewhere.

A. W. Williams.
Thief River Falls.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Fireproof Wood.

To make wood fireproof, slack a small quantity of fresh lime and add water until it has the consistency of cream: stir well and add one pound of alum, 12 ounces of commercial potash and about one pound of salt. Stir again and apply while hot. Two or three coats will keep wood fireproof for many months.

For Sale!

Good team of horses for sale cheap and on easy terms.

Holt State Bank.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 2 o'clock

Comfirments will meet from 10 to 3 o'clock Saturday.

There will be preaching services in Golden Valley at Mrs. T. G. Dahl's at 10:45 next Sunday.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Golden Valley Sunbeams.

(Written for last week)

Jesse Sorum was visiting friends at Golden Valley a few days last week.

Edith Hinchman returned from Thief River Falls last Tuesday, accompanied by her brother Howard from Ohio.

The Golden Valley Ladies Aid met with Mrs. Mike Lieran March 26th.

Services will be held at the home of Mrs. T. G. Dahl Sunday April 1st. at 11 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Anderson entertained Sunday evening March 11th the following: Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Dahl and family, Mrs. T. G. Dahl Leonard and Albin Dahl, Jessie Sorum and Mabel and Ethel Rosand.

Mr. Anderson left Tuesday for Solol where he has a job cooking for Northwestern Drainage Co.

The Young Peoples Society was entertained by Mrs. Carl Sumner [illegible]

Mrs. K. Twettin left Tuesday for Superior Wis.

Oscar Moe is a visitor at the Clarence Larson home this week.

The Surmo boys are busy sawing wood and grinding feed in this vicinity.

Chas. Holmgren and family and Gundy Loden visited at Olaf Dahl's one evening last week.

Nels Omberg was a caller at Benson's Monday.

Announcement,

It has been circulated in this vicinity that we have bought out the Farmers State Bank of Holt, but we wish to announce that this is not true. We have not bought out the Farmers State Bank of Holt, nor have we any intention of buying it.

The true fact is that we are just in temporary charge to assist them to collect and secure the outstanding papers of the bank.

As far as we know the Farmers State Bank of Holt will continue to do business same as heretofore.

Holt State Bank
By B. Docken, Cashier.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
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Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

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Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Rollef H. Gunheim, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Harald H. Gunheim, Hans H. Gunheim, Chas. H. Gunheim, Gunnar H. Gunheim, Thone H. Gunheim, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each Of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the [illegible] day of March, 1917 at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 28th day of February, 1917.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Probate Judge.

Julius J. Olson & Rasmus Hage,
Attorneys for Petitioner
Warren, Minnesota.

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One of the attendants at an art gallery is a baseball enthusiast, a fact he generally manages to conceal there, though it did come out once.

One afternoon a director came bustling into the room where this attendant was at the time and demanded.

"How is it that Shakespeare's statue is standing on the pedestal marked 'Scott?'"

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Not Fussy.

"There's one thing I'll say for them, they're not a nervous family."

"How do you know?"

"Every picture on their walls is tilted off straight, and they didn't seem to mind it a bit."

Diplomacy.

Mrs. Green—Your cook told mine that your husband is getting a very small salary.

Mrs. Wyse—We just tell her that to keep her from demanding a large one.

A Growl.

"Are your married daughter and her husband living with you?"

"No; they're living on me."

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DENY KNOWLEDGE OF PACIFIST NOTE

FACULTY MEMBERS DISCUSS LETTER CIRCULATED BY 87 STUDENTS OF MACALESTER.

STATEMENT BY PRESIDENT

Dr. Hodgman Declines to Discuss Opinion of Letter Which Drew Spirited Rebuke From Congressman Miller.

St. Paul. — Dr. Thomas M. Hodgman, president of Macalester college, has declared that the pacifist and "pro-enemy" letter circulated by 87 students of that school and which caused Congressman C. B. Miller of Duluth to address them in rebuke, was sent out without the knowledge of the faculty.

The letter indulged in the usual statement of pro-Germans that a "munitions trust" is trying to inflame public sentiment, that the newspapers were suborned, and indicated a weak-kneed spirit which would surrender all American rights rather than meet the test to uphold them.

President Hodgman said the letter is not necessarily indicative of the attitude of the faculty, but he declined to discuss his view. It is not known among the professors who started the letter, he said. Congressman Miller's reply had not been received at the college

Mr. Miller roundly spanks these student pacifists and rebukes the spirit of surrender generally.

Professors Urge War.

St. Paul.—Declaring the petition circulated by the so-called Macalester Neutrality and Peace association, and forwarded to Minnesota senators and representatives in Congress does not represent the true sentiment of Macalester college, students and faculty members have taken steps to counteract the impression it has given of the institution.

Dr. James Wallace and fourteen of the other sixteen men of the faculty signed a message to President Wilson urging immediate participation in the European war in the interests of "democracy, the rights of humanity and its own good name."

Church Academy for Red Wing.

Red Wing. — With the forming of a new church body by the merging of the United church and the Hauge and Norwegian synods, the leading academy of the new organization will be established in Red Wing.

Two departments of Red Wing seminary are to be transferred to other institutions as the result of the merging of the synods. The college department will be taken over by St. Olaf college at Northfield and the theological department will form a part of the work at the United Church seminary at St. Anthony Park.

Pioneers Die on Same Day.

Hastings. — Lauren E. Traine, aged 66, artist and engraver, for 23 years a resident of Minneapolis, died here of heart trouble. He is survived by his widow, one daughter and a son, Fred H., of Saskatchewan. Interment was at Rochester. Patrick Burlong, 82 years old, pioneer resident of Dakota county, died at the home of his son at Ridge Valley the same day. The funeral was from his home at Inver Grove. He is survived by two sons and three daughters.

No Choice in Road Material.

St. Paul.—The department of agriculture, which has charge of the expenditure of money under the Federal Road Aid act, has sent word to George W. Cooley, secretary and chief engineer of the Minnesota Highway commission denying reports circulated in this state that states to obtain federal aid must build only expensive roads, and making it clear that no particular kind of material will be required or favored by his department.

Duluth Holds Primary.

Duluth. — Complete primary election returns place John T. Armstead and C. R. Magney as mayoralty nominees on the ballot for the general municipal election April 3. The final count was: Armstead, 5,327; Magney, 5,287; Mayor W. L. Prince, 5,140.

Candidates nominated for commissioners were Fred J. Voss, Edward R. Ribenack, P. G. Phillips and H. H. Phelps. Judge W. H. Smallwood and J. A. P. Neil were nominated for municipal judge.

Rare Books Given High Court.

St. Paul. — Rare and valuable law books, some of which are more than 100 years old, have been presented to the Supreme Court law library by John W. Willis, a St. Paul attorney. Chief Justice Calvin L. Brown, on behalf of members of the court, accepted the gift and expressed to Mr. Willis the thanks of the court.

Bankers Back Boys' Contest.

St. Peter.—The First National bank of this city has decided again to hold an annual acre yield contest for youthful corn growers living in the trade territory of St. Peter. Prizes aggregating about $100 will be offered as an incentive to the young men to show their abilities as agriculturists. The contest is open to boys less than 18 years old and the winners will have an opportunity to enter the state contest, conducted by the Minnesota Agricultural society.

U. S. to Call Gopher Troops.

Washington. — That the Minnesota national guard will be called into the general service soon after congress meets in extra session is indicated at the war department. The plan of the army general staff is to recruit the regular army up to its maximum strength, and also to have the national guard enlarge its number to the extent authorized in the army reorganization law of last year, an aggregate of 400,000 national guardsmen.

"Precautionary Instructions."

Minneapolis.—Orders directing preliminary steps looking to a mobilization of the Minnesota National guard have been received by regimental commanders, has become known. The orders are from the war department and are known in military parlance as "precautionary instructions."

In Duluth, Brigadier General F. E. Resche, commander of the Minnesota troops, and Colonel H. V. Eva of the Third Minnesota, were in conference concerning the order.

In Minneapolis Colonel Erle D. Luce, while he refused to affirm or deny the report that precautionary instructions had been received, was in conference with officers of the First Minnesota infantry. Colonel George E. Leach had gone to St. Paul and left word that he could not be reached.

Ready for Quick Mobilization.

As a result of the orders, commanders, it was said, will revise their regimental rosters, check up on equipment and arrange to be ready for speedy mobilization at Fort Snelling.

The Minnesota guard would be in much better condition for quick mobilization than when the call came for border service.

Two Harbors Socialists Lose.

Mapleton, Minn., has voted out the saloons by a majority of 55 votes, the climax of an exciting anti-saloon fight that has continued several years. Two Harbors voted to continue dry and ousted the Socialists from the control of public affairs they have enjoyed for six years. Good Thunder, Minn., voted to continue wet, 76 to 58.

The vote at Two Harbors was the largest in the history of the city. The vote on the no license issue was 620 to 329.

W. R. Irwin, Progressive and Independent league candidate, was chosen mayor over C. E. Bergren, Socialist, by 53 votes.

Serious Coal Shortage Unlikely.

Duluth. — Prospects of a serious coal shortage in the Northwest until the opening of navigation on the Great Lakes are remote, local dealers say. Consumers will have to burn soft coal instead of hard in many cases. Stocks on the docks will last out, according to A. C. Beuglet, a coal company sales agent. Prospects of lower prices are remote, it was said. Vessel charterings from Lake Erie will be at 50 cents a ton, compared with 30 cents last year.

To Arm Pleasure Craft.

Duluth.—Great Lakes pleasure boat owners, at the American Head of the Lakes at least, will be given an opportunity to contribute to the nation's defense in the event of war. Scout patrol companies will be organized. Each company will consist of six of the larger type of pleasure boats. Each boat will be equipped for war by an armament of a 3-inch gun, machine guns, anti-aircraft gun, wireless plant and signal outfit.

Democratic Body Incorporates.

St. Paul. — The Minnesota Democratic association, organized with headquarters in St. Paul to encourage loyalty and devotion to democratic principles and establish a forum and medium for like purposes, has filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state. Its emblem will be a portrait of Thomas Jefferson and an M. D. A. monogram on an outline map of Minnesota. Officers have been chosen.

Sees $4 Potatoes.

Chisholm.—Potatoes on the Iron ranges soon will sell for $4 a bushel, J. J. Hayes, president of the Balkan Farmers' club, declares.

"I see no prospect of relief from high prices until the new crop is harvested," Hayes asserted. "There are no potatoes on the market. What few potatoes farmers have they need for seed."

Sister of Lawmaker Expires.

Brainerd. — Mrs. Caroline Sundberg, 69 years old, died of pernicious anemia. She had been at Rochester where transfusion of blood failed to save her. She was a sister of Representative Sydney Anderson of Winona.

Pin Kills After Nine Years.

Winona.—A pin swallowed with food when he was 3 years old, has caused the death of Francis Chapman in a hospital at Wabasha. The boy was 12 years old.

New Farmers' League Incorporates.

St. Paul. — An organization terming itself the Minnesota Nonpartisan league has just filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state.

St. Cloud Gets 1919 Convention.

St. Cloud.—The next biennial convention of the Minnesota grand lodge, Woodmen Circle, will be held at St. Cloud in 1919. The date was left in the hands of the incoming officers of the Circle. The delegates to the convention in St. Paul completed their business at the session by providing for the payment of railway fares of the fifty-four delegates and fifteen grand officers. Incoming officers were installed by Mrs. Mary E. La Rocca. The ceremony was followed by a dance.

SENATE TO ACT ON BILL FOR SUFFRAGE BY STATUTE SOON

SAGENG-PUTNAM MEASURE PROVIDING LIMITED FRANCHISE FOR WOMEN SPECIAL ORDER FOR MARCH 29.

BILLS BY CHILD WELFARE BOARD ARE INTRODUCED

Forty-one Measures in Senate Are Duplicates of House Bills—Oil Inspection Fee Reduction Resolution Passes House—Health Bill Delayed.

St. Paul, March 22.—The Sageng-Putnam statutory suffrage bill, enactment of which would allow Minnesota women to vote for president and vice president, will come before the Senate on special order on March 29 at 2 p. m. The bill was made a special order by motion of Senator Putnam.

All the pending bills relating to the game and fish laws were made a special order for 11 o'clock Saturday in the House.

Other Special Orders.

The track scales bill and the measure giving shippers a lien on memberships in grain exchanges were made a special order for 11 o'clock Tuesday.

The fee for inspection of oil would be reduced from seven cents a barrel to five cents if the Senate concurs in a bill which was passed by the House.

The 41 bills drawn by the child welfare commission were introduced in the Senate. They are duplicates of the bills introduced in the House.

Public Domain Bills Delayed.

On request of Senator F. A. Duxbury, chairman of the civil administration committee, the special order on bills creating a department of public domain and reorganizing the department of health was postponed by the Senate until Tuesday at 11 o'clock. The bill reorganizing the department of education will come up on special order at the same time.

The members of the House visited the state prison at Stillwater.

Hennepin County Bills Passed.

St. Paul, March 22.—The Minnesota House of Representatives did a "land office business" in Hennepin county measures. In three hours' time, 48 bills were sent through the legislative hopper. Bond bills, big and little, tax levies, enabling acts, salary increases, pension changes and extensions, measures affecting the courts, all went through the mill without any show of dissension among the members of the Hennepin county delegation.

Won't Hurry Committee.

The Senate decided overwhelmingly yesterday to permit its Finance committee to consider fully the bill to pay state militia men 50 cents a day before passing the measure. Senator W. A. Campbell of Minneapolis asked that the bill be taken from the committee and passed.

The Senate by a vote of 60 to 4 turned down the Campbell motion. Senator after senator pointed out that while they believed the measure itself meritorious, they objected to hurrying a committee that was doing its best to gather the necessary information.

The attempt to take it from committee was labeled by some of the senators as simply a "grand stand" play and unworthy of consideration.

Only three senators out of the 64 present voted with Senator Campbell.

Resent Interference.

Ernest Lundeen and Thomas D. Schall, Minneapolis congressmen, now in Washington, have sent telegrams to legislators from the Fifth and Tenth districts urging them to vote against changes in the primary election laws.

Representatives who received the message from the congressmen stated that the latter evidently were not aware that the bills before the Legislature did not contemplate any change in the method of selecting nominees for Congress. Some of those who received the messages were incensed at the attempt on the part of the congressmen to take a hand in state legislation, a procedure heretofore unprecedented.

Dispatches from Washington stated that neither of the congressmen was willing to give a lengthy explanation of his reasons for interfering in state politics.

So far as known, this is the first time congressmen from Washington have attempted to direct legislation in Minnesota.

No Lives Lost on Memphis.

New York, March 22. — No lives were lost in the sinking of the American steamship City of Memphis in the German submarine zone. The missing Captain Borum and seven men have reached Glasgow safely, according to a dispatch received here from the captain by the owners, the Ocean Steamship company.

Germans Add to Tonnage Destroyed.

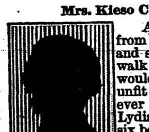
Berlin, March 22.—An official communication issued by the German admiralty reports that German submarines have destroyed an additional 116,000 gross tons of shipping in the British channel, in the Atlantic ocean and in the North sea.

A Medicine for Women

For Forty Years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has Relieved the Sufferings of Women.

It hardly seems possible that there is a woman in this country who continues to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial after all the evidence that is continually being published, proving beyond contradiction that this grand old medicine has relieved more suffering among women than any other medicine in the world.

Mrs. Kieso Cured After Seven Month's Illness.



Aurora, Ill.—"For seven long months I suffered from a female trouble, with severe pains in my back and sides until I became so weak I could hardly walk from chair to chair, and got so nervous I would jump at the slightest noise. I was entirely unfit to do my house work, I was giving up hope of ever being well, when my sister asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took six bottles and today I am a healthy woman able to do my own housework. I wish every suffering woman would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and find out for herself how good it is."—Mrs. Karl A. Kieso, 596 North Ave., Aurora, Ill.

Could Hardly Get Off Her Bed.

Cincinnati, Ohio.—"I want you to know the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I was in such bad health from female troubles that I could hardly get off my bed. I had been doctoring for a long time and my mother said, 'I want you to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.' So I did, and it has certainly made me a well woman. I am able to do my house work and am so happy as I never expected to go around the way I do again, and I want others to know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Mrs. Josie Copner, 1668 Harrison Ave., Fairmount, Cincinnati, Ohio.

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Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Getting Around a Difficulty.

Automobile manufacturers of the United States do not purpose allowing a serious matter, such as railway traffic congestion, to interfere with their business, if they can help it. When the big freight tieup first began to look formidable, automobile makers faced a prospective loss running into many millions of dollars, because, apparently, they could not secure deliveries. Not until then did it occur to them that, if an automobile was worth anything at all, it should be able to deliver itself. And now what is known to the trade as the "drive-away" has been inaugurated. The cars leave the factory and arrive at their destination under their own power. A drove of 62 cars was recently sent from Cleveland to Chicago in this way. It is expected that the "drive-away" will become a fashionable thing during the coming summer.—Christian Science Monitor.

Harmonious Help.

Stage Manager—Now don't forget what I told you about speaking in trumpet tones.

Actor—How can I forget those trumpet tones the way they have been drummed into me?

So long as you can succeed in owing money, you need not bother to make it.

Only a woman can see the point of a pointless joke.

"Chinese Knew the English."

An Englishman who was appointed to an important post in China married soon after. Among the recipients of the usual little cardboard boxes containing pieces of wedding cake was a Chinese merchant with whom the bridegroom had an outstanding account for goods supplied. After the honeymoon one of the first persons the newly-wedded husband met was his Celestial creditor.

"And how did you like the cake?" said the Englishman, laughingly, after the usual congratulations.

"Ah, ha," returned the Chinaman, with a cunning leer, "me no such big fool to eat him, sah, me put cakee in fire. Burn him up. Ha! he!"

"Oh, that's too bad," said the Englishman, very much hurt. "You might have tasted it at least, out of compliment to my wife and myself. Why didn't you?"

"Me too clute, sah," said the Celestial, with the same cunning smile. "You owe me monee, sah; sendee poison cakee; I eat him; I die; you no payee up. Houp-la! He! he! he! I know you Ingleesh!"

Too Presumptive.

He—Does your mother object to kissing?

She—Now, just because I allow you to kiss me, you needn't think you can kiss the whole family.

Woke Him Up.

"Do you believe in dreams?"

"Not since I married one."

Wisdom sometimes strikes a fellow as does a snowslide from a roof.

The fault finder finds few faults greater than his faultfinding.

Of Course.

"How is a floating debt paid?"

"It is liquidated, I suppose."

Rather the skylark than the earthworm.

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At grocers everywhere.

GREAT DEMAND FOR CANADIAN LAND

Americans Are Buyers and Becoming Settlers—Anxious to Get Cheap and Productive Land.

Reports are to hand that there will be a large influx of settlers from the United States into the Canadian West during the coming Spring. For a time there has been a falling off, on account of the fear of conscription, which of course was not possible, and which the Canadian Government gave every assurance would not be put into operation. In any case it would not affect the American settler, and more than that the man who was working on the farm, helping to produce the grain that goes to feed those who are at war, would not be affected.

The excellent yields of the Western Canada crops, and the high prices secured is having its influence on those looking for homes. The authenticated reports that have been sent out from time to time that this farmer and that farmer had paid for their entire farm holdings out of one crop has reached the ears of the man looking for a farm. When he hears that G. H. Beatty of Nanton, Alberta, had 679 bushels of wheat from 12 acres or an average of 56½ bushels to the acre, he becomes interested. When he learns that Sidney E. Phillips of Beddeford, Alberta, threshed ten hundred and fifty-three bushels of wheat, the average being 52½ bushels per acre, his interest is further aroused. Thos. Long of Lethbridge had 120 bushels of oats to the acre from a field of 25 acres, W. Quinn of Milk River had 6,094 bushels of wheat from 100 acres, an average of 60 bushels per acre, and Robert Tackaberry of Nobleford makes affidavit that he had an average of seventy-six bushels of wheat per acre from a field of 10.63 acres. Thos. Boulton of the same place makes affidavit that from fifty acres he had a yield of fifty-three bushels of wheat per acre. Newell J. Noble's affidavit of getting 54 bushels per acre from 1,000 acres stands out most strongly as evidence of what the wheat grower can do. This affidavit is strengthened by a paragraph stating that he had 122 bushels and 30 lbs. per acre from 394.69 acres. Mrs. Nancy Coe makes affidavit that on her farm at Nobleford she threshed six thousand one hundred and ten bushels of wheat from one hundred and fifteen acres, or fifty-three bushels and eight lbs. per acre, and from a flax field (stubble field) she got 20 bushels and 38 pounds per acre.

It cannot be said that these were freak yields because so many had such great success. When these reports are read, the man looking for a farm becomes convinced.

These are only a few of the reasons that will cause a large influx of American farmers into the Canadian West during the coming Spring.

The farmers now resident in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are purchasing additional lands. Prices are low and Free homestead land can be had in many districts and the homesteader is welcome.—Advertisement.

Resourceful.

Two women were having a confab on the troubles of life, that connected with husbands in particular, relates George Mellinger of Sweeney's.

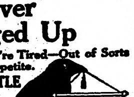
"I dinna wonder at some puir wives having to help themselves out of their husband's trousers," remarked one of them.

"I canna say that I like them underhand ways meself," said the other matron. "I usually jist turn ma man's breeches doon side up an' help myself off the carpet."

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Candles High in Paris.

Candles have risen in price in France since the adoption of numerous measures respecting the consumption of gas, electricity and petroleum for illuminating purposes. Retail grocers throughout Paris generally now charge seven to eight cents for tallow candles that previously sold for three or four cents each. Small solid candles five inches long, which formerly retailed at two cents each, now cost the consumer six or seven cents.



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WAR DEPARTMENT CALLS GUARDSMEN INTO U. S. SERVICE

AMERICA PLACED ON WAR FOOTING BY PRESIDENT — POLICE SYSTEM BY MILITIA TANTAMOUNT TO MARTIAL LAW.

20 INFANTRY REGIMENTS ARE ORDERED MOBILIZED

Force Comprises About 25,000 Men —"To Prevent Interference With Postal, Commercial and Military Channels and Instrumentalities."

Washington, March 27.—By order of the President of the United States the United States has been placed on a war footing and certain sections at once policed by the national guard under a system that is tantamount to martial law.

By the time Congress convenes in extraordinary session it is expected the entire land forces of the country will be in a state of complete readiness and the naval armament will be ready for any duty demanded of it by the representatives of the people.

Twenty Regiments Called.

Washington, March 27.—Twenty additional complete infantry regiments and five additional separate battalions of national guard troops, comprising about 25,000 men, have been ordered into the federal service for the protection of property in the event of possible internal disorder. The troops have been called out in 18 western and middle western states, not including the list of similar orders made public yesterday.

War Department's Statement.

The War department's statement follows:

"Following additional national guard organizations have been called into the federal service for general purposes of police protection against possible interference with the postal, commercial and military channels and instrumentalities:

"Illinois, First, Fifth and Sixth regiments infantry; Indiana, Second regiment infantry; Iowa, First regiment infantry; Missouri, First and Third regiments infantry; Nebraska, Fourth regiment infantry; Minnesota, First regiment infantry; Michigan, Thirty-third regiment infantry; Wisconsin, Third regiment infantry; South Dakota, Third battalion of Fourth regiment infantry; North Dakota, Second battalion of First regiment infantry; Colorado, First and Second separate battalions infantry; Wyoming, Second separate battalion infantry; Ohio, Third and Sixth regiments infantry; Washington, Second regiment infantry; Oregon, Third regiment infantry; California, Second, Fifth and Seventh regiments infantry; Idaho, Second regiment infantry; Montana, Second regiment infantry.

Voluntary Censorship Requested.

"Of these organizations the following are already in the federal service, and in consequence will not be mustered out as originally planned:

"Michigan, Thirty-third infantry; Colorado, First and Second separate battalions; Ohio, Third and Sixth regiments.

"It is requested that no details of locality be carried in the press with regard to further distributions of these troops unless given out by the War department."

FARMER SLAYS FAMILY OF 5

Kills Wife and Children With Ax and Hangs Self.

Redwood Falls, Minn., March 27.—William Kleeman, a well known young farmer living near Clements, Redwood county, killed his wife and four little children with an ax, and then hanged himself.

Discovery of the gruesome tragedy was made by Miss Ruth Snyder, a young school mistress, a boarder at the Kleeman home, upon her return from a week-end visit at her home in Mankato. Local authorities were notified.

CHANGES IN CABINET SEEN

Goethals May Be War Secretary—Baker to Succeed Gregory.

Washington, March 27.—Reports have again spread that President Wilson is contemplating the reorganization of his cabinet. Attorney General T. W. Gregory is slated to go, according to reports, and will be succeeded by Secretary of War Newton D. Baker. As secretary of war the president is said to be considering Major General George W. Goethals, who built the Panama canal.

U. S. Plot Probe Is Demanded.

Chicago, March 27.—United States government investigation of the San Francisco preparedness parade bomb plot is demanded in a resolution adopted by 8,000 persons who heard W. Bourke Cockran, New York lawyer, tell labor's side of the case at a mass meeting. Cockran was defense counsel for Thomas Mooney, San Francisco labor leader, convicted of murder in connection with the plot and now under sentence of death. He told the mass meeting the charge against Mooney was a "frameup."

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A Lucky Bullet.

Hussar declares that there is no mascot to compare with the bullet with which a man has been wounded. "At the Battle of the Marne," he says, "I was struck by a bullet which lodged in my right thigh without doing much damage. When it was extracted I drilled a hole through it, and suspended it by a string from my neck. And, although I have been through dozens of fierce battles since then, including the hottest fights on the Somme, and have seen my comrades fall in hundreds, I have come through them all without a scratch, thanks, I firmly believe, to my bullet mascot."—Tit-Bits.

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Customer Had Change Coming.

A man bearing a small basket of potatoes on his arm went into a grocery store to make a purchase. He could not produce enough change by 5 cents and, handing the clerk a medium-sized potato, started out. The clerk called to him, saying: "You have forgotten your change," and walking back to a sack, picked out two lima beans and passed them to the customer.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

YES! MAGICALLY! CORNS LIFT OUT WITH FINGERS

You say to the drug store man, "Give me a small bottle of freezone." This will cost very little but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

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This new way to rid one's feet of corns was introduced by a Cincinnati man, who says that freezone dries in a moment, and simply shrivels up the corn or callus without irritating the surrounding skin.

If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to order a small bottle from his wholesale drug house for you.—adv.

She's Right, at That.

"She's so old-fashioned in her ideas."

"Yes; she believes that as a punishment for children spanking takes the palm."

BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

Why take ordinary cough remedies when Boschee's German Syrup has been used for fifty-one years in all towns in the United States, Canada, Australia, and other countries, for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung trouble. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, giving nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health, assisted by pure air and sunshine when possible. Trial size 25c, and 75c family size. Sold in all towns in the United States, Canada, Australia, and other countries.—Adv.

Full of Faith.

Mrs. Barton—Have you any faith in life insurance?

Mrs. Grill—Yes, indeed, I've realized $10,000 from two husbands, and they weren't good ones, either.

In hunting dangerous game, don't shake the bushes to scare the quarry.

TEUTONS THREATEN WAR DECLARATION AT FIRST U. S. SHOT

SAY WAR TO BE DECLARED JUST AS SOON AS U-BOAT IS FIRED UPON BY AN AMERICN GUN.

WAR WON'T BE SHORT IS WASHINGTON'S WARNING

Administration Cautions That Preparations Must Be Made For Long and Bitter Struggle—Preparing People for Sacrifices That Must Be Made.

Washington, March 26.—The crash of war with Germany may come at any moment.

Word has been wired from Zurich that several of the German newspapers received there assert the kaiser will declare war on the United States just as soon as the first American shot is fired at a German submarine.

It is understood here that several American merchantmen armed for defense are now approaching the barred zone and the news of a clash is likely to come shortly.

In the event of a declaration by Germany, America is prepared to strike and strike hard.

To Be Aggressive.

The United States government is getting ready to put into effect measures of the most far-reaching and aggressive character. It will not be satisfied with mere attempts to protect American merchant vessels. Its preparations will be designed to meet any eventuality—a long war, if necessary. There will be no half-way measures.

This program was agreed upon at a long cabinet meeting and it guided the Council of National Defense when it met with its advisory commission.

May Send Army Abroad.

The program decided upon includes military, naval, industrial and financial measures.

The question of sending an army abroad will be left for future consideration.

Whether political alliances with the Allies will be formed is not known, although military as well as naval co-operation is possible and the government will furnish both money and supplies to the Allies without stint.

Suggestions before President Wilson include the possibility of floating a loan of $5,000,000,000 for the Allies.

People Are Warned.

In the meantime the administration is sounding a warning to the people of the nation that preparations must be made for the possibility of a long and bitter war. It is part of a "preparedness program" of the administration to "prepare" the people to a full realization of what sacrifices they must be ready to make; to achieve sober realization of all citizens of the magnitude of the task ahead of the nation; to displace a careless optimism with a studious knowledge of what is ahead.

Part of this preparation is in advance of the demands which will be made shortly by the government for men, money, labor and materials, on a scale unprecedented in the nation's history. The administration proposes no half way measures if it can be avoided.

BILLION DOLLAR GIFT TO FRANCE IS POPULAR

Suggestion Made By New York Newspaper Seems to Be Meeting Approval Over Country.

New York, March 26.—Following up its suggestion of a gift of $1,000,000,000 from the United States to France, the New York World declares the plan has met with approval from every quarter.

Bankers, business men and toilers, the World said, had registered unqualified approval of the plan. Telegrams from editors of newspapers in various parts of the country indorsing the idea were printed. They came from Philadelphia, Seattle, Charleston, Cleveland, Columbia, S. C., and many other points.

Should France refuse to accept such a gift from this country, the World suggests it be made in the form of a loan, carrying only such interest as would pay its expenses. It was declared Wall street, through interviews and letters, had swung solidly behind the plan.

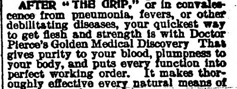
Infantry to Guard Germans.

Washington, March 26.—The Seventeenth infantry will arrive soon at Forts McPherson and Oglethorpe, Ga., to guard the German interned sailors to be removed from the Philadelphia navy yards. Six companies have been sent to Fort McPherson and six to Oglethorpe. The regiment left Fort Bliss several days ago. Secretary Daniels will order the interned Germans south as soon as the Seventeenth arrives and completes its arrangements. A marine guard will act as escort for the sailors.

Healthy Skin

DEPENDS ON KIDNEYS.

The skin and the intestines, which work together with the kidneys to throw out the poisons of the body, do a part of the work, but a clean body and a healthy one depends on the kidneys. If the kidneys are clogged with toxic poisons you suffer from stiffness in the knees in the morning on arising, your joints seem "rusty," you may have rheumatic pains, pain in the back, stiff neck, headaches, sometimes swollen feet, or neuralgic pains—all due to the uric acid or toxic poisons in the blood. This is the time to go to the nearest drug store and simply obtain a 50c. package of Anuric, the discovery of Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y. Then drink a cup of hot water before meals, with an Anuric Tablet, and notice the gratifying results. You will find Anuric more active than lithia. Dissolves uric acid as water does sugar.



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Wolfe's Sash to a Museum.

A new and valued addition has just been made to the museum of the Chateau de Ramezay. It consists of a cabinet containing a portion of the garnet silk sash worn by Gen. James Wolfe on the day he became the "victor of Quebec" in 1759. In addition to the sash are the original letters that prove unmistakably the authenticity of the relic.—Montreal Star.

So He Would.

Bill—They say one of the kings of Europe has a bed which cost $25,000.

Gill—Gee! If I had that I'd retire on a fortune!

Explained.

"My daughter, don't use powder on your face so much. It is so loud."

"But, pa, this is noiseless powder."

A Bit of "Old" Canada.

There exists at Unionville, Ontario, a pioneer house 124 years old. This is probably a unique record for a Canadian log house, and it is said to be the oldest log house of similar dimensions in the Dominion. Some of the logs are from 30 to 36 inches in diameter. It is still occupied, and it is interesting to note, as a testimony to the comfort of the house, that its occupants, numbering 13, took first prize in 1912 at a political picnic as the "heaviest family attending the event."

The Reason.

"The young officer you introduced to me appeared to be blue."

"Naturally. He is a sub marine."

The man who is too busy to figure out whether he is losing generally is.

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CREAM LAYER CAKE

Old Way	New Way
1 cup sugar	1 cup sugar
½ cup milk	1 cup milk
2 cups flour	2 cups flour
2 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder	4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
3 eggs	1 egg
½ cup shortening	2 tablespoons shortening
1 teaspoon flavoring	1 teaspoon flavoring

Makes 1 Large 2-Layer Cake

DIRECTIONS—Cream the sugar and shortening together, then mix in the egg. After sifting the flour and Royal Baking Powder together, two or three times, add it all to the mixture. Gradually add the milk and beat with spoon until you have a smooth pour batter. Add the flavoring. Pour into greased layer cake tins and bake in a moderately hot oven for twenty minutes. This cake is best baked in two layers. Put together with cream filling and spread with white icing.

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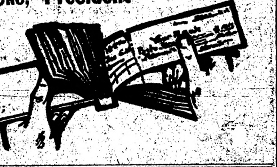

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Cream received	8,859 lbs
Average test	24 54
Butter fat	2175.22 lbs
Percent overrun	25 28
Butter made	2725 lbs
Balance on hand last month	3 83
Received for butter shipped	872 40
Butter and milk sold patrons	4 25
Cash sales at creamery	49 52
Rec'd from other sources	60
Total	$930 60
Paid patrons by check	819 44
" " " Butter & milk	4 25
Expense fund, etc.	81 61
Other sources	9 40
To sinking fund	13 69
Balance on hand	2 21
Total	$930 60

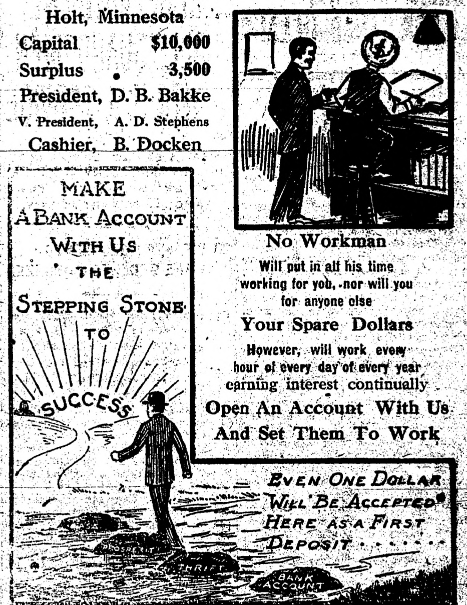
Number of patrons, 48
Price paid for butter fat, 38c
Patrons receiving checks for $40.00
John Simonson $41.50.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	3,500
President,	D. B. Bakke
V. President,	A. D. Stephens
Cashier,	B. Docken



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Gilbert O. Johnson
Holt, Minnesota

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Your county needs you— Young Man, Are you ready to defend her?

Ben Eide has commenced work on his house, which he is building in the north part of town.

Sam Mickelson and family moved this week into their new house and will have a fine home.

[illegible] seed wheat, 1916 crop, [illegible] For sale by [illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Albert [illegible] spent a couple of days in the twin cities last week, where the latter received treatment for her eyes.

I have about 200 bushels of White Russian seed-oats for sale, at Olof Johnson's place 3 miles north of Holt. Victor Johnson,
413 Holt, Minn.

The fire department adjorned the meeting that was to have been held Wednesday night to next week Thursday April 12th. Be sure to be there next Thursday night and help along a good cause.

All kinds of spring and summer hats for men and women will be sold cheap at R. Reierson's store to close them out.

A. R. Jones goes to Crookston Saturday to spend Easter with his family and to attend the special services given in one of the churches which the Knights Templar will attend in full uniform.

Mrs. Sollom has moved onto the old farm and will keep house for her son Kettle this summer. Theodore and Elmer are keeping bachelors hall and Elevena and Myrtle are living with their sister, Mrs. A. L. Carlson, and attending school.

The U. S. Navy needs men. There is a Recruiting Station at No. 804 Marquette Ave. Minneapolis, also at Duluth, Fargo and Grand Forks If you are able bodied and between the ages of 17 and 30, they need you NOW.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Our High School Girls.

We've got some dandy High school Girls,
And with me you'll make a bet,
If they can't get their ALGEBRA
They'l just sit down and Fret.

Now Myrtle you should figure right,
As all the others do.
Cause you are so big and strong.
And make ALGEBRA come to you.

And there is another GIRL
Her name I will not WRITE.
And if she can't get her ALGEBRA
She'll make an awful FIGHT.

Another girl I will mention,
Rosie is her name.
ALGEBRA she would not take.
Because it was too tame.

And as for the High school Boys,
I have'nt any time.
To sit down and figure,
And get everthing to RHYME.

Joe.

Willie Rux went to Hatton, N. D. last week Thursday.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elof Sester March 30th. Congratulations.

Herm Gunnenson has rented a farm near Sauk Center and moved there Tuesday.

[illegible] went to Warren Monday on business.

[illegible] moved Wednesday with his family to Alexandria where [illegible]

[illegible] and Jno. F. Tapper [illegible] visitors in T. R. Falls [illegible]

[illegible] Grand Forks where he has been taking a business course.

J. A. Sorum went to Middle River Wednesday on business.

Upland wild hay cut fore part of July. Stacked on Sec. 8 Town of Mud Lake. For sale by K. O. Flakne. Holt Minn.

Some of the married men are wondering when they are going to get that supper they won in the whist contest.

Taber & McLane struck water Friday in the well at Lars Chenill's at a depth of 210 feet.

Henry Wendt has resigned his job in Gunheim's store and will farm again this summer.

Isaac Ostland was a business visitor in T. R. Falls the latter part of last week.

Parties wishing to enlist in either the army or navy can leave their applications with Postmaster Engebretsen who will foward them to the recruiting office in Duluth.

Defective flues caused four times the fire loss in the state last year as did gasoline. This does'nt mean that chimneys are four times as dangerous as gasoline, but people are four times as careless with them. Look out for chimney fires.

The Red River Valley Seed Growers Assn. has a list of farmers in this part of the state who have seed grain for sale. Send to the Northwest Experiment Station at Crookston, Minn., for a copy of the list.

The long cold winter has caused a shortage of feed of all kinds. If farmers will plant a few acres of corn they will be surprised at the amount of feed that can be raised from even 2 or 3 acres of corn. Plan for a small field now.

Farms for sale or rent on easy terms and at reasonable prices.

Farmers State Bank

Southeast of Holt.

Miss Signora Sandbo closed her school in Dist. 159 on Friday. The children enjoyed a "taffy pull" the last day. Parents and friends were also present bringing with them refreshments. The afternoon was enjoyed very much by all present. Miss Sandbo left for her home at Mentor the following day.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nels Gudvangen on Tuesday Mar. 27th. Congratulations is extended to the happy parents.

Gjirmund Johnson was a Sunday visitor at the Molstad home.

The Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Sordahl at her home Thursday April 12th.

Alice Sollom closed her school in Dist. 112 on Tuesday.

Thea and Ida Guttrud were Sunday visitors with their sister Mrs. Olaf Olson.

Alma Soiney is assisting Mrs. Sordal with her work this week.

Oster Guttrued was a Sunday visitor at Peterson's.

Mrs. Ed. Hanson is lending a helping at Gudvangen's.

Arthur Mustvold is staying at the Jacab Kluggness home for a while.

John Bergland was a caller at the John Skomedal home on Monday.

Carl Guttrud and Lars Ose are busy grinding feed and sawing wood.

Martin Sampson has rented the H. Olson farm and moved there with his family last week.

Arne Steinhauer who for some time has been residing on the John Nelson farm moved onto his own [illegible] ly.

S. T. Brekke left for N. D. last week to seek employment.

Notice to Farmers!

Will stand my New Black Percheron Stallion in Holt every Monday commencing April 2nd.

Be sure to come and see my horse before you breed elsewhere.

A. W. Williams.
Thief River Falls.

Raymond Kiechinger went to North Dakota yesterday to work on a farm.

Mr. Tufti came from Thief Lake Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden for a time.

The Spooner News issued a spring number last week which would be a credit to a much larger office and village.

The Yeomen lodge will hold their regular meeting next Tuesday evening.

L. S. Kolden visited in town between trains a couple of days this week, while enroute home from visiting at the D. Payne home in Leonard.

The switchboard for the electric lighting plant arrived here Saturday night and it is hoped the storage battery can soon be used so people can have lights whenever needed.

Twenty one men joined the volunteers fire department last week Thursday evening. A. R. Jones was elected Chief, A. L. Carlson, Asst, and Clarence Kolden Secy. After the fire department meeting, steps were taken to organize a baseball team.

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Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Easter services as follows: 10.45 next Sunday in Holt, with special music by the choir, and at 4 oclock in East Valley. Wilson school house in Golden Valley next Monday at 10:45 A. M. Thief Lake 10:45 Tuesday A. M.

The Dorcas Sewing Society will meet with Mrs, Ellestead Saturday afternoon April 7th.

The Synod Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Nels Lysne Wednesday April 18th.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

FARM HORSES In the Spring

must spend long hours at hard work. Their systems should be strengthened—their blood purified—their digestion and assimilation made better through the use of

INTERNATIONAL STOCK FOOD TONIC

By improving their digestion, the horses will get full nourishment from their grain feed and as the waste is prevented, the amount of feed can easily be reduced from 20 to 33 per cent.

Holt Mercantile Company
Two Stores
Holt Newfolden

The Prayer of the Horse

To Thee, My Master, I Offer My Prayer:

Feed me, water and care for me, and when the day's work is done provide me with a shelter: a clean dry bed and a stall wide enough for me to lie down in comfort. Talk to me. Your voice often means as much to me as the reins. Pet me sometimes, that I may serve you the more gladly and learn to love you.

Do not jerk the reins, and do not whip me when going up hill. Never strike, beat or kick me when I do not understand what you mean; but give me a chance to understand you.

Watch me, and if I fail to do your bidding, see if something is not wrong with my harness or feet.

Examine my teeth when I do not eat. I may have an ulcerated tooth, and that, you know, is very painful. Do not tie my head in an unnatural position or take away my best defense against flies and mosquitoes by cutting off my tail.

And finally, Oh my master, when my useful strength is gone, do not turn me out to starve or freeze, or sell me to some cruel owner to be slowly tortured and starved to death; but do thou, my master, take my life in the kindest way and your God will reward you here and hereafter. You may not consider me irreverent if I ask this in the name of Him who was born in a stable. Amen.
—Published by request.

INTERNATIONAL STOCK FOOD TONIC

Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank.

Free Mission Church

Choir practice at the church tomorrow (Saturday) evening Please be there promplly at eight.

Sunday School 2 o'clock.

The Children will practice at 3 o'clock for the Easter program.

Easter program at 8 o'clock Sunday evening. All are welcome.

Rev. Parish will hold Easter services here next Monday evening.

Notice

Sealed bids will be received by The Farmers and Village Switchboard Co., for telephone operator at their switchboard in Holt, by the secretary, T. B. Folden, until two o'clock P. M., April 9th, 1917. For terms see Telephone Board.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Notice
For Dragging Roads

Sealed proposals for draging roads in Town of East Valley during the season of 1917, will be received by the Town Board until 10 A. M. Apr. 14th, 1917, at which time the board will meet and open same. Specifications on file in Town Clerk's office. Successful bidder must furnish bonds in the amount of $250.00. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By Order of the Town Board.

J. A. Sorum, Town Clerk.

Be an American.

Duluth voted dry Wednesday by 1850 majority.

E. M. Bennes was a business visitor in town Saturday.

B. Docken was a business caller in T. R. Falls Monday.

Edward Halsa of T. R. Falls came Tuesday to visit old time friends at Ringbo.

Henry Wegge was a Thief River Falls business visitor the fore part of the week.

O. H. Dovre has rented Gust Nelson's farm and moved his family there this week.

George and Art Smith, Carson Sagstuen and David Johnson left Tuesday for Adams N. D.

Heavy work harness in good repair, for sale, cheap, at the shoe shop. Iver Engebretsen.

This is a pretty good time to keep cool and to realize that we all live in America and not Europe, and that your country is entitled to your support. Be patriotic.

F. B. Jordan of Minneapolis, lectured here Tuesday night on the war and its causes. Wednesday night his lecture was about the public schools and opposing forces. He also lectured yesterday but we were unable to attend and report it.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.84
Wheat No. 2	1.81
Wheat No. 3	1.71
Wheat No. 4	1.48
Flax	2 77
Oats	56
Barley	73 to .99
Rye	1.52
Flour, Best Patent	5.55

Trade at home.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Announcement

New Garage!

I will open a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building about March 15th New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

Ole Hammerness
Holt - Minn.

Notice for Bids
For Road Dragging

Sealed bids will be received by [illegible] 9th, 1917, for dragging the following roads:

Between Sections 35 and 36, [illegible] and 35, 27 and 34, 28 and 33, and Sections 29 and 32, 30 and 31, and Sections 17 and 20, 18 and 19, and Sections 7 and 18, 8 and 17, 9 and 16, and Sections 10 and 15, 11 and 14, 1 and 2, Sections 25 and 26, 23 and 24, 13 and 14, and on range line between Holt and East Valley, 5 miles. State price wanted per mile traveled. Send all bids to the Town Clerk.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By Order of Town Board.

T. B. Folden, Town Clerk.
Holt, Minnesota.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence [illegible]

Wrong Position for Sleep.

Sleep cannot knit up the raveled sleeve of care or do any other reparative knitting, if the head is bent sharply to an acute angle with the collar joints. Frequently men and women who have slept in this supposedly objectionable fashion for years and years suddenly lose the capacity for sleep with no new discoverable reason. It is difficult to convince them that the elasticity and resiliency of youth has heretofore made up for their lifelong awkward pose.

Holt Motor Inn

We do all kinds of
Auto and Tractor Repairing
Bring your cars in early for overhauling
We overhaul and charge storage batteries
Located south of Printing Office

Brekkestran Bros.

Defective Page

"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath, Sour Stomach and constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now.

No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels —you always get the desired results with Cascarets.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets to-night; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All stores sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a cleansing, too. Adv.

A Turn Down.

The late Jack London once arranged with a magazine editor to do a short story for $1,500.

"And," said London, hopefully, the deal being concluded, "can I have the money now, before I write the stuff?"

The editor gave a laugh and a shrug.

"Your stories, my dear London," he said, "are immortal, but you, unfortunately, are not."

YES! LIFT A CORN OFF WITHOUT PAIN!

Cincinnati man tells how to dry up a corn or callus so it lifts off with fingers.

You corn-pestered men and women need suffer no longer. Wear the shoes that nearly killed you before, says this Cincinnati authority, because a few drops of freezone applied directly on a tender, aching corn or callus, stops soreness at once and soon the corn or hardened callus loosens so it can be lifted off, root and all, without pain.

A small bottle of freezone costs very little at any drug store, but will positively take off every hard or soft corn or callus. This should be tried, as it is inexpensive and is said not to irritate the surrounding skin.

If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

Strictly Literal.

"Maria, is your husband vacillating?"

"No, 'm, he's whitewashing."

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine — double strength — is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Hard Luck.

Hard Luck—How's the world treating you?

"Not very often."

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

Few persons can be sick who use **Green's August Flower.** It has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart from gases created in the stomach, pains in the stomach, and many other organic disturbances. **August Flower** is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion, both in the stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and whole alimentary canal, and stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. Try it. Two doses will relieve you. Used for fifty years in every town and hamlet in the United States and in all civilized countries.—Adv.

The Likeliest One.

"Whom shall we send to write up this bear story?"

"Why not send a cub reporter?"

For a practical illustration of economy watch a small boy when he has occasion to use soap.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, Laxative Bromo Quinine can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

A new clothesline, if boiled for a short time, will become tougher, will last longer and will not tangle.

Polish mirrors with a cloth soaked in alcohol, followed by a soft, dry cloth.

When Your Eyes Need Care
Try Murine Eye Remedy
No Smarting — Just Eye Comfort. 50 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

ASKS CONGRESS TO DECLARE THAT STATE OF WAR EXISTS

Washington, April 2.—President Wilson at 8 o'clock this evening delivered to congress his message relative to the German submarine situation. He said:

"I have called the congress into extraordinary session because there are serious, very serious, choices of policy to be made, and made immediately, which it was neither right nor constitutionally permissible that I should assume the responsibility of making."

After reviewing the development of the German submarine policy since the beginning of February, he continued:

Criticizes Submarine Policy

"The new policy has swept every restriction aside. Vessels of every kind, whatever their flag, their character, their cargo, their destination, their errand, have been ruthlessly sent to the bottom without warning and without thought of help or mercy for those on board, the vessels of friendly neutrals along with those of belligerents. Even hospital ships and ships carrying relief to the sorely bereaved and stricken people of Belgium, though the latter were provided with safe conduct through the proscribed areas by the German government itself, and were distinguished by unmistakeable marks of identity, have been sunk with the same reckless lack of compassion or principle.

"I was for a little while unable to believe that such things would in fact be done by any government that had hitherto subscribed to the humane practices of civilized nations. International law had its origin in the attempt to set up some law, which would be respected and observed upon the seas, where no nation had right of dominion and where lay the free highways of the world. By painful stage after stage that law has been built up with meager enough results, indeed, after all was accomplished that could be accomplished, but always with a clear view, at least, of what the heart and conscience of mankind demanded.

Scruples Thrown to the Winds

"This minimum of right the German government has swept aside, under the plea of retaliation and necessity, and because it had no weapons which it could use at sea except these, which it is impossible to employ as it is employing them without throwing to the winds all scruples of humanity or of respect for the understandings that were supposed to underlie the intercourse of the world.

"I am not now thinking of the loss of property involved, immense and serious as that is, but only of the wanton and wholesale destruction of the lives of non-combatants, men, women and children, engaged in pursuits which have always, even in the darkest periods of modern history, been deemed innocent and legitimate. Property can be paid for; the lives of peaceful and innocent people cannot be."

The president denominated the present German submarine campaign as a warfare against mankind; and expressed his withdrawal from the belief that it could be dealt with by methods of armed neutrality. He continued:

"The German government denies the right of neutrals to use arms at all within the areas of the sea which it has proscribed, even in defense of rights which no modern publicist has ever before questioned their right to defend. The intimation is conveyed that the armed guards which we have placed on our merchant ships will be treated as beyond the pale of law and subject to be dealt with as pirates would be. Armed neutrality is ineffectual enough at best; in such circumstances and in the face of such pretentions it is worse than ineffectual; it is likely once to produce what it was meant to prevent; it is practically certain to draw us into the war without either the rights or the effectiveness of belligerents.

Declaration of War Advised

"With a profound sense of the solemn and even tragical character of the step I am taking and of the grave responsibilities which it involves, but in unhesitating obedience to what I deem my constitutional duty, I advise that the congress declare the recent course of the imperial German government to be in fact nothing less than war against the government and people of the United States; that it formally accept the status of a belligerent which has thus been thrust upon it and that it take immediate steps not only to put the country in a more thorough state of defense, but also to exert all its power and employ all its resources to bring the government of the German empire to terms and end the war.

Co-operate With Allies

"What this will involve is clear. It will involve the utmost practicable co-operation in counsel and action with the governments now at war with Germany and, as incident to that, the extension to those governments of the most liberal financial credits, in order that our resources may, so far as possible, be added to theirs. It will involve the organization and mobilization of all the material resources of the country to supply the materials of war and serve the incidental needs of the nation in the most abundant, and yet the most economical and efficient way possible. It will involve the immediate full equipment of the navy in all respects but particularly in supplying it with the best means of dealing with the enemy's submarines. It will involve the immediate addition to the armed forces of the United States already provided for by law in case of war, at least 500,000 men who should, in my opinion, be chosen upon the principle of universal liability to service, and also the authorization of subsequent additional increments of equal forces as soon as they may be needed and can be handled in training.

Plans for War Fully Prepared

"I shall take the liberty of suggesting, through the several executive departments of the government for the consideration of your committees, measures for the accomplishment of the several objects I have mentioned. I hope that it will be your pleasures to deal with them as having been framed after very careful thought by the branch of the government upon which the responsibility of conducting the war and safeguarding the nation will most directly fall.

"While we do these things, these deeply momentous things, let us be very clear, and make very clear to all the world what our motives and our objects are. My own thought has not been driven from its habitual and normal course by the unhappy events of the last two months, and I do not believe that the thought of the nation has been altered or clouded by them.

Autocracies Menace Peace

"I have exactly the same things in mind now that I had in mind when I addressed the senate on the 22nd of January last; the same that I had in mind when I addressed the congress on the third of February and on the 26th of February. Our object, now as then, is to vindicate the principles of peace and the justice in the life of the world as against selfish and autocratic power and to set up amongst the really free and self-governed peoples of the world such a concert of purpose and of action as will henceforth insure the observance of those principles; neutrality is no longer feasible or desirable where the peace of the world is involved and the freedom of its peoples, and the menace to that peace and freedom lies in the existence of autocratic governments backed by organized force which is controlled wholly by their will, not by the will of their people. We have seen the last of neutrality in such circumstances.

No Quarrel With German People

"We have no quarrel with the German people. We have no feeling towards them but one of sympathy and friendship. It was not upon their impulse that their government acted in entering this war. It was not with their previous knowledge or approval.

"It was a war determined upon as wars used to be determined on in the old, unhappy days when peoples were nowhere consulted by their rulers and wars were provoked and waged in the interest of dynasties or of little groups of ambitious men who were accustomed to use their fellowmen as pawns and tools.

"Self-governed nations do not fill their neighbor states with spies or set the course of intrigue to bring about some critical posture of affairs which will give them an opportunity to strike and make conquest. Such designs can be successfully worked only under cover and where no one has the right to ask questions.

"A steadfast concert for peace can never be maintained except by a partnership of democratic nations. No autocratic government could be trusted to keep faith within it or observe its covenants. It must be a league of honor, a partnership of opinion. Intrigue would eat its vitals away; the plottings of inner circles who could plan what they would and render account to no one would be a corruption seated at its very heart. Only free peoples can hold their purpose and their honor steady to a common end and prefer the interests of mankind to any narrow interest of their own."

Hope From Russian Revolution

The president expressed high hopes from free Russia, as a factor in world affairs; and bitterly assailed the espionage systems of Germany. He said:

"We are now about to accept the guage of battle with this natural foe to liberty and shall, if necessary, spend the whole force of the nation to check and nullify its pretensions and its power. We are glad, now that we see the facts with no veil of false pretense about them, to fight thus, for the ultimate peace of the world and for the liberation of its peoples, the German peoples included; for the rights of nations, great and small, and the privilege of men everywhere to choose their way of life and of obedience. The world must be made safe for democracy. Its peace must be planted upon the trusted foundations of political liberty."

The president disavowed any present wish to include Germany's allies in the declaration of war. Reverting again to the spirit of the undertaking proposed, he said:

"It will be all the easier for us to conduct ourselves as belligerents in a high spirit of right and fairness because we act without animus, not in enmity towards a people or with the desire to bring any injury or disadvantage upon them, but only in armed opposition to an irresponsible government which has thrown aside all considerations of humanity and of right and is running amuck."

FRAZIER PROMISES SUPPORT OF STATE

BISMARCK, N. D., April 2.—Governor Lynn J. Frazier of North Dakota tonight issued the following statement:

"President Wilson in this crisis may depend upon the support of every loyal North Dakotan. There never has been any question as to the stand of North Dakota in any matter where loyalty and true patriotism were concerned. There can be no question now."

CHANGES PLAN FOR TRAINING BILLS

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Changing it to make it effective in promptly raising armed forces, Senator Chamberlain today virtually completed his universal compulsory military training bill.

The chief change provides for registration and training this year of men between 20 and 23. In subsequent years men of 21, 22 and 23 years would be subject to training upon call of the president.

MORE AMERICANS DIE ON SHIPS SUNK WITHOUT WARNING

BRITISH STEAMERS THE SNOWDON RANGE AND THE LINER CRISPIN TORPEDOED, CONSUL FROST REPORTS.

EACH OF ILL-FATED SHIPS CARRIED DEFENSE GUNS

Submarines Submerged and Not Seen by Survivors—Wakes of Torpedoes Visible—Second Dispatch Establishes Death of At Least One American.

Washington, April 2.—A second dispatch from Consul Wesley Frost definitely established the killing of one American and said others probably had been killed on the British ship Crispin, torpedoed without warning.

Two Ships Torpedoed.

Washington, April 2.—Two British steamers, the Snowden Range and the Booth liner Crispin, both with Americans aboard, of whom a number are unaccounted for, have been reported to the state department to have been sunk without warning by a submarine.

On the Crispin the torpedo which struck the engine room killed five men.

Two Believed Americans.

Two of them are believed to have been Americans.

United States Consul Wesley Frost, at Queenstown, reporting the loss of the freight liner Crispin, says:

"The liner Crispin, 2,483 tons, Newport News to Liverpool, carrying 686 horses, was torpedoed without warning 14 miles off Hook head at 7:15 p. m. on March 29. Sixty-eight of the ship's complement of 112 were Americans. Two boats are missing, not improbably lost.

"The torpedo struck the engine room on the starboard side, the explosion killing five men, two of whom are believed to be Americans. The submarine was not seen, but the wake of a torpedo was seen by Americans. The vessel carried a gun and wireless. The latter was wrecked by the explosion. The vessel sank slowly, but return on board was not feasible owing to heavy sea."

Torpedo Shot While Submerged.

The dispatch from Liverpool reporting the sinking of the Snowdon Range follows:

"The British steamer Snowdon Range, Philadelphia to Liverpool with a general cargo and powder, carrying one gun aft, was torpedoed without warning at 8:45 a. m. March 28, 35 miles from Hollyhead. No vessel was in sight, the sea calm, the weather hazy, no resistance was made, the submarine being submerged at the time of the attack.

"Four were killed by the explosion; the remainder of the crew took to the boats, including James Carroll, Philadelphia; George Alexander, colored, Wilmington, N. C.; Burt Thebalt, Philadelphia, native born American, and Harry McCabe, naturalized."

MAMMOTH PATRIOTIC GATHERING IN CHICAGO

Flag Day, Set Aside by Mayor Thompson, Ends with Great Mass Meeting — Enthusiasm Rampant.

Chicago, April 2.—Chicago on Saturday staged a mammoth patriotic demonstration which concluded with a mass meeting which promised to become one of the most profound in the history of the city. The day was set apart by Mayor W. H. Thompson as Flag day, and thousands of the national emblems hung in the downtown and residence districts.

The patriotic enthusiasm began early, when two battalions of the First Illinois infantry, accompanied by a detachment of mounted police, paraded downtown streets.

STARS AND STRIPES NOW FLY OVER WEST INDIES

Final Act of 50 Years of Negotiations Completed—Danish Minister Handed $25,000,000 Warrant.

Washington, April 2.—The final act of more than 50 years effort to bring the Danish West Indies under the American flag was completed with formal ceremonies at the state department when Danish Minister Brun was handed a treasury warrant for $25,000,000, the purchase price, and wireless messages were sent to the American and Danish authorities at the islands to lower the Danish flag and raise the Stars and Stripes. Secretary Lansing said the warrant was worth 48 tons of gold.

Chicago Bars 1-Piece Bathing Suits.

Chicago, April 2.—Young women may not wear white or flesh colored bathing suits on Chicago beaches this summer, the city council committee on bathing beaches has just decreed. One-piece bathing suits also were put under the ban, it being ruled that all garments must be provided with a skirt or a "skirt effect." The distance between the bottom of the skirt and the top of the knee shall not be greater than six inches, and that all blouses must have quarter arm sleeves or close fitting armholes.

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In the Trenches.

"No blankets, captain."

"Well, boys, we'll just have to cover ourselves with glory."

SKIN-TORTURED BABIES

Sleep, Mothers Rest After Treatment With Cuticura—Trial Free.

Send today for free samples of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and learn how quickly they relieve itching, burning skin troubles, and point to speedy healment of baby rashes, eczema and itchings. Having cleared baby's skin keep it clear by using Cuticura exclusively.

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If you think you can't it's a cinch you won't.

Ajax may have defied the lightning, but he never bumped into a "U" boat.

To Prevent Old Age Coming Too Soon!

"Toxic poisons in the blood are thrown out by the kidneys. The kidneys act as filters for such products. If we wish to prevent old age coming too soon and increase our chances for a long life, we should drink plenty of pure water and take a little Anuric," says the world-famed Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y.

When suffering from backache, frequent or scanty urine, rheumatic pains here or there, or that constant tired, worn-out feeling, the simple way to overcome these disorders is merely to obtain a little Anuric from your nearest druggist and you will quickly notice the grand results. You will find it many times more potent than lithia, and that it dissolves uric acid as hot water does sugar.

A PRETTY FACE is the result of a healthy physical condition. "Beauty is but skin deep" yet it greatly depends on a clear complexion, free from wrinkles and hollow cheeks.

Health always brings wealth of beauty. A healthy state of the system comes with Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It's a medicine prepared for woman's ailments—it cures those derangements and weaknesses which make woman's life miserable.

You can overcome most bodily ills, escape sickness, build up your health with regular hours, plenty of water, sensible food, and a chance to get the poison out of the system. Take a natural laxative once or twice weekly. Such a one is made of May-apple, juice of aloes, and root of jalap, sugar-coated and supplied to all druggists years ago by Doctor Pierce and known as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Get them to-day!

Farm Hands Wanted

Western Canada Farmers require 50,000 American farm labourers at once. Urgent demand sent out for farm help by the Government of Canada.

Good Wages **Steady Employment**
Low Railway Fares
Pleasant Surroundings **Comfortable Homes**
No Compulsory Military Service

Farm hands from the United States are absolutely guaranteed against conscription. This advertisement is to secure farm help to replace Canadian farmers who have enlisted for the war.

A splendid opportunity for the young man to investigate Western Canada's agricultural offerings, and to do so at but little expense.

☛ ***Only Those Accustomed to Farming Need Apply***

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Woman Thought She Would Die. Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Ogdensburg, Wis.—"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. ETTA DORION, Ogdensburg, Wis.

Physicians undoubtedly did their best, battled with this case steadily and could do no more, but often the most scientific treatment is surpassed by the medicinal properties of the good old fashioned roots and herbs contained in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If any complication exists it pays to write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special free advice.

The Hint Sufficient.

"Pa, why do you insist on my singing when Mr. Rimley calls?"

"Well, I don't like the fellow, and yet I hate to come right out and tell him to go."

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Best He Could Offer.

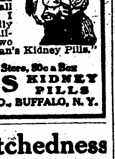
"Then you think I can't learn to sing?"

"I fear not."

"But, professor, I do so yearn to be musical."

"Take up yodeling is my advice."

If you have a little success don't camp on it for the rest of your life.


"Every Picture Tells a Story."

Why That Lame Back?

Morning lameness, sharp twinges when bending, or an all-day backache; each is cause enough to suspect kidney trouble. Get after the cause. Help the kidneys. We Americans go it too hard. We overdo, overeat and neglect our sleep and exercise and so we are fast becoming a nation of kidney sufferers. 72% more deaths than in 1890 is the 1910 census story. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

A Montana Case

John S. Woosley, Bozeman, Mont., says: "For years I had kidney complaint with a tired, depressed feeling. My head ached, I had dizzy spells and the kidney secretions were scanty. I was in severe pain and had rheumatic twinges all through my body. I have been practically free from these ailments since I used two or three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills."

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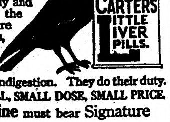
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CALL FOR 2 MORE REGIMENTS SEEN

SECOND AND THIRD MINNESOTA EXPECT SUMMONS TO JOIN TWIN CITY UNIT.

FORT SNELLING MADE READY

To Be Regimental Headquarters at Least During Mobilization—Col. Luce of First Appeals for Recruits.

St. Paul. — The Second and Third Infantry regiments of the Minnesota National guard may be called into service following the convening of Congress. Military officials at the state capitol have indicated belief that the remaining infantry would be called to arms shortly to supplement the First infantry in meeting policing demands provided in the orders of the Central department.

Col. Erle D. Luce of the First Infantry regiment has issued an appeal for recruits, to bring the regiment from peace to war strength to meet the requirements of the Central department for proper policing.

Fort Snelling is being put into shape as quarters for the troops. The regiment headquarters will be quartered at the Fort, at least during mobilization and recruiting.

H. W. Howland, Philippine war veteran, was elected colonel and F. E. Williamson, vice president of the Central Commercial club of Minneapolis, who spent 15 years in national guard service in Illinois, was named lieutenant-colonel, when 20 men who are expected to be commissioned or noncommissioned officers of a provisional regiment met to elect officers. The regiment, which numbers more than 600 men, officers hope, will be allowed to join any expeditionary force to France that Colonel Roosevelt may organize.

Babcock Is Road Commissioner.

St. Paul. — Governor J. A. A. Burnquist has just announced the appointment of Charles M. Babcock of Elk River as highway commissioner of Minnesota, under the provisions of the highway act passed by the present Legislature and signed by the Governor. The commissioner's term of office is six years, with an annual salary of $4,500.

Mr. Babcock was a member of the old highway commission of three members, which is abolished by the new law. Other members were C. I. McNair of Cloquet and Fred B. Lynch of St. Paul.

The new law, which was introduced in the Legislature by Senator R. C. Dunn of Princeton, also abolishes the office of secretary and state engineer, long held by George W. Cooley.

To Fight Pine Blister Rust.

St. Paul. — A call from the United States department of agriculture for a conference April 10 to consider a white pine blister rust quarantine in several states, including Minnesota, has caused the division of entomology, University of Minnesota agricultural college, to request speedy action on senate and house bills providing a fund for stamping out the disease.

"The only place the rust has been found in this state is along the St. Croix river and we have bills before the legislature now asking for money to stamp it out." A quarantine would cause a large loss to nurserymen, Mr. Washburn said.

Shippers Await Opening.

Duluth. — Commissioner Robert MacFarlane of the Lake Carriers' association states that he is preparing to ship several crews for ordinary overhauling that must be done on all steamers before they go into commission. The crews are expected to arrive during the week. The commissioner has men waiting for berths and more are coming in each day so that there will be little difficulty in manning the vessels when they are ready.

Says Mayo Foundation Is Gift.

St. Paul.—"The Mayo Foundation is a gift; it does not perpetuate a private business, and the income may be spent either within or without the state at the discretion of the board of regents." This was the answer of F. B. Snyder, president of the Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota, to the statement of Dr. C. L. Greene.

Free Dentistry For Recruits.

St. Paul.—Any applicant for enlistment in United States war service in St. Paul, whether for army, navy, marine corps or national guard, who is rejected because of bad teeth, will have his teeth put in shape for acceptance. The work will be done free by members of the St. Paul Dental society.

Win Buttermakers' Contest Prize.

Hills. — Fritz Lemberg of Hills, Rock county, with a score of 95½, won the March competition in the winter contest for butter and cheesemakers under the direction of the State Dairy and Food Commission. Carl Bomholtz of Georgeville was second. Four buttermakers tied on a score of 93¾ for third place are Carl P. Olson, Litchfield; N. J. Hedlund, Annandale; August Schoberg, Rush City, and Ben Carlson, Braham. Prize winners in the winter contest will be announced later.

HAD A CAPITAL OF $400

In Six Years He Was Well Off

An Alberta farmer, who had borrowed from a loan company, in remitting to them the last payment on his mortgage, decided to give them the history of his experience, on a Manitoba farm. It was that of many another farmer, and for the benefit of those who contemplate a change the liberty is taken of reproducing it.

"I will give you here a brief summary of my experience since coming here six years ago. I was a new hand at farming, my trade being meat-cutting and butchering. My capital was $400, which was a first payment on my quarter section (160 acres). Most of my stock, harness, implements, etc., were bought at sales, all "on time," necessarily. The buildings on the place were about as good as nothing and had either to be rebuilt or replaced entirely. There were 26 acres broken, and very badly farmed, bringing poor returns the first year." After mentioning a number of mischances, he says: "In spite of all these drawbacks, I have done well. I consider my farm worth $3,500 to $4,000. I have four head of horses, 12 of cattle, over 400 purebred Buff Orpington chickens and 125 turkeys, besides implements, harness, etc., to run my place. I have a well 170 feet deep with an inexhaustible supply of water. The well with pump cost me $400. I have built a $125 chicken house and put up nearly $50 worth of poultry fencing; have built root cellars to hold over 3,000 bushels of potatoes and other vegetables. As to income, I raise about ten acres of garden and roots annually which net from $600 to $1,000 total. I generally sell from 20 to 40 tons timothy hay which brings from $6 to $14 per ton. My grain is most all used on the farm except a few hundred bushels sold to the neighbors for seed. My four milk cows bring in from $50 to $80 each (counting calf). Last year 80 hens laid 600 dozen eggs which averaged more than 25 cents a dozen (I always work for winter egg production). The surplus hens were sold in spring, dressed at $1 each. My turkeys average $2.50 each in fall. By having vegetables to feed my young cattle, the two-year-old steers bring $75 each in spring."—Advertisement.

Filling Up.

"What will we put in the magazine this month?"

"About forty pages concerning what we had last month."

"Yes."

"And forty more about what we will have next month."

"And then?"

"That ought to be enough for this month."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

Couldn't Suit Her.

"Do you guarantee these colors fast?" asked the customer at the hosiery counter.

"Certainly not, madam," replied the new clerk in the fullness of his knowledge. "Black is never considered a fast color, you know. But I can show you something pretty swift in stripes."

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Girls! Beautify Your Hair! Make It Soft, Fluffy and Luxuriant—Try the Moist Cloth.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable luster, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all. Adv.

A Good Description.

"What does a shad consist of, anyhow?" asked the Western man who had never eaten that kind of fish.

"Well," replied the Eastern expert, "it is mostly backbone, wishbone, funnybone, and then some."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist),
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In the Crowd.

"This is a jam!"

"Yes, we're in a pickle. Heaven preserve us!"

The Kind.

"He writes with a vitriolic pen."

"Is that one of them new self-fillers?"

You miss getting many good things by failing to ask for them.

HOUSE PASSES BUT SIX CHILD WELFARE MEASURES IN DAY

REMAINING THIRTY-FOUR BILLS UNDER SAME CATEGORY ARE PUT OVER AND MADE SPECIAL ORDER.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ACT CAUSES DELAY IN PLAN

Requirement for Advance Notice Eliminated From Bill After Long Debate—Commissioner's Bill for Care of Children by Welfare Boards Is Passed.

St. Paul, March 28.—The so-called child welfare program struck a snag in the House and instead of the 40 measures going through according to advance plans, only six were passed, and only one of these was of major importance. The others will be considered on special order later.

The bill amending the present law governing the issuance of marriage licenses caused the split that disarranged the plans of the sponsers for the measures.

The bill was originally presented with a recommendation that applicants be compelled to give ten days' notice of their intention to wed.

The joint legislative committee changed the bill so that only five days' notice should be required.

Representatives George L. Siegel and George H. Moeller started a fight to eliminate the notice altogether and won by a vote of 61 to 48.

Both Parties Must Appear.

The existing law requires the clerk of court to examine the applicant for a marriage license relative to the legality of the contemplated union. The proposed new law would compel both parties to appear.

If objection is made in writing, the application must be certified to the district court and no license issued without a judge's order.

Marriage of persons afflicted with contagious diseases also would be prohibited by the proposed law.

After several unsuccessful efforts had been made to amend it, the commissioner's bill to centralize the responsibility for the care of all children needing the care of guardians, was passed. The bill provides for welfare boards in each county under the direction of the State Board of Control.

Refuses to Testify.

M. W. Thatcher, public accountant who has examined the books of the Equity Co-Operative Exchange at intervals in the past two years, refused to give the Teigen investigating committee any information regarding the financial affairs of the company.

Chairman A. F. Teigen of the committee believes that Mr. Thatcher can be compelled to testify. Attorney James Manahan for the Equity takes an opposite view, and is waiting for Mr. Teigen to make a move to compel the witness to testify.

"The Equity books are open to the committee," Mr. Manahan declared. "We welcome an inquiry, but Mr. Thatcher was within his rights in refusing to testify. He simply is an employe of the Equity company."

Dry Forces Receive Setback.

St. Paul, March 28.—The dry forces in the Minnesota House of Representatives received a setback when they failed to muster enough votes to make the Cummings-Norton bill relating to blind pigs a special order of business. The vote was 63 to 57. The drys needed 66 votes, however.

Wet leaders in the House object to the bill in its present form on the ground that it is so drastic that a brewery, a hotel or a cafe could be abated as being a blind pig.

Public Domain Bill Up.

The public domain bill, the first of the important bills prepared by the efficiency and economy commission, was considered by the Senate.

That the vote on the measure would be very close was the prediction of leaders on both sides.

Very little surface opposition was developed in the first two hours of debate. But there is much opposition just the same, sufficient, say many, to defeat it.

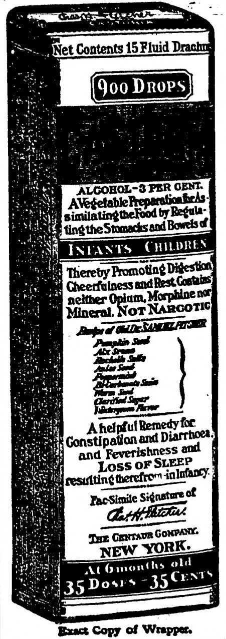
The bill making two years in college one of the requirements for registration as a pharmacist was killed in the state Senate.

May Break Teuton Grip in Balkans.

Petrograd, March 28.— Russia may break the grip of the Teutonic empires in the Balkans—may even bring about withdrawal of Bulgaria and Turkey from the war. Two moves by the new government leaders were cited as likely to have far-reaching effect to this end.

Dead Naval Hero Awarded V. C.

London, March 28.—For "most conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty." in the battle of Jutland, a posthumous Victoria cross has just been awarded Commander Loftus Jones. Jones in the torpedo boat destroyer Shark led a division of destroyers to attack the enemy battle cruiser squadron. A shell hit the Shark's bridge, putting the steering gear out of order, and disabled the main engine. Although wounded in the leg Jones went aft to help connect and man the after wheel. He went down with his ship.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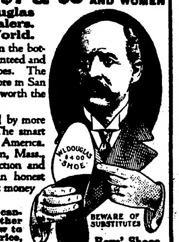

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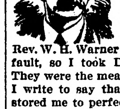
Had Evidence.

Tommie—Grandma, did you used to lick daddie when he was a boy?

Grandma—Yes, Tommie, why do you ask?

Tommie—Well, then, I guess it's true what teacher said about history repeating itself.

A MINISTER'S CONFESSION



Rev. W. H. Warner

Rev. W. H. Warner, Route 2, Myersville, Md., writes: "My trouble was sciatica. My back was affected and took the form of lumbago. I also had neuralgia, cramps in my muscles, pressure or sharp pain on the top of my head, and nervous dizzy spells. I had other symptoms showing my kidneys were at fault, so I took Dodd's Kidney Pills. They were the means of saving my life. I write to say that your medicine restored me to perfect health." DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS, 50c box, any store. Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

New Species.

Mrs. Knicker—Did you enjoy the star?

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Perfectly Harmonious

"Do their lives blend well?"

"Very. She has the gray matter and he has the long green."

An Optimist.

He—Good heavens, the clock just struck one, and I promised your mother I'd leave at twelve.

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY ACRES OF LAND FREE AS A HOMESTEAD

and allow the time of the farm laborer, who has filed on the land, to apply as residence duties, the same as if he actually had lived on it. This special concession is the reduction of one year in the time to complete duties. Two years' residence instead of three as heretofore, but only to men working on the farms for at least six months in 1917. This appeal for farm help is in no way connected with enlistment for military service but solely to increase agricultural output. A wonderful opportunity to secure a farm and draw good wages at the same time. Canadian Government will pay all fare over one cent per mile from St. Paul or Duluth to Canadian destination. Information as to low railway rates may be had on application to

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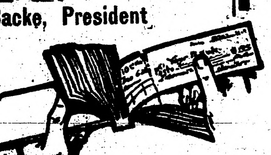

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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

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In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Jan. 1917.

Cream received	8,859 lbs
Average test	24 54
Butter fat	2175.22 lbs
Percent overrun	25 28
Butter made	2725 lbs
Balance on hand last month	3 83
Received for butter shipped	872 40
Butter and milk sold patrons	4 25
Cash sales at creamery	49 52
Rec'd from other sources	60
Total	$930 60
Paid patrons by check	819 44
" " " Butter & milk	4 25
Expense fund, etc.	84 61
Other sources	9 40
To sinking fund	18 69
Balance on hand	2 21
Total	$930 60
Number of patrons,	52
Price paid for butter fat,	38c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00
John Simonson $41.50.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

A Smooth Hairless Skin for Women.

From Beauty Secrets

With the aid of a plain medol paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with powdered medol. This is applied to the hairs not wanted and after 2 or 3 minutes rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. When you go to your druggist for medol be sure you get the genuine article, and if he will not supply you, the American Proprietary Co. of Boston, will send you a 50c or $1.00 package by mail.

Have You Kidney Trouble

SIGNS OF DANGER

Bachache, dizziness and headache, with "speccks before the eyes" irregular heart action and liver trouble The severity of the early symptoms depending upon the amount of poisons which the kidneys have allowed to remain in the system.

SYMPTOMS

Aching Pains over Hips, Backache, Sediment or Deposit in Urine, Irritation of the Bladder, Pain in Urinating, Rheumatism, (uric acid in blood), Sudden Stoppage of Urine, Highly Colored or Milky White Urine, Pass Blood or Mucus in Urine, Retention of Urine, Straining after Urinating, Thick or Sluggish Urine, Stone in the Bladder, Cystitis (inflammation of bladder) Catarrh of Bladder or Bowels, Puffiness under Eyes, Voracious Appetite, Thirst, Gall Stone, Gravel, Pain in Uretha, Swollen Ankles, Dimmed Vision, Specks before the Eyes, Scanty Urine, Frequent Calls, Mouth Dry, Biliousness, Dribling Lumbago, Loss of Flesh, Weakness, Irregular Heart Action, Ulceration of the Bladder, Skin Pale Waxy and Dry, Bad Odor of Perspiration

Simple Test For Kidney Disease

Fill a bottle with urine; let it stand for twelve hours, if there is a sediment or cloudiness of any kind, you have kidney or bladder trouble, and you should begin taking KIDNECO treatment today. Don't delay until the disease is too far advanced. KIDNECO is put up in 25c, 50c and $1.00 packages.

Free KIDNECO COUPON

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Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

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Your Best Market for Chickens, Ducks, Turkeys, Cream, Dressed Calves, Hogs Mutton, Wool, Cattle Hides, Horse Hides Pelts, Furs, Muskrat, Skunk, Pecans, Rabbits. Get our price list before selling. Make more money by shipping here. Write us now for quotations, tags.

The R. E. COBB Co.
E. THIRD ST. ST. PAUL, MINN

RAILROAD SITUATION IS NOW LARGELY UP TO CONGRESS

Must Share Responsibility In Future Development.

ROBERT S. LOVETT'S VIEWS

"Unification of Regulation Is Essential." A Complete, Harmonious, Consistent and Related System Needed—Federal Incorporation of Railroads by General Law Favored.

Washington, March 26. — Responsibility for the railway development of the country, for providing necessary transportation facilities to care for the growing business and population of the country, now rests largely with congress and not entirely with the railroad managers. This was the statement of Judge Robert S. Lovett, chairman of the executive committee of the Union Pacific system, to the Newlands joint congressional committee when that body resumed its inquiry into the subject of railroad regulation this week.

In making this statement of the changed conditions of the railroad situation Judge Lovett undoubtedly had in mind the decision of the supreme court on the Adamson law, handed down last week, which establishes the right of the federal government to fix railroad wages and to prevent strikes. This decision is regarded by railroad men and lawyers as marking an epoch in the development of transportation in the United States.

"We have our share of responsibility," said Judge Lovett, "but it rests primarily on congress. When the government regulates the rates and the financial administration of the railroads, the borrowing of money and the issuance of securities it relieves the railroad officers of the responsibility of providing and developing transportation systems, except within the limits of the revenue that can be realized from such rates and under such restrictions.

"For a country such as ours, for a people situated as we are, to blunder along with a series of unrelated, inconsistent, conflicting statutes enacted by different states without relation to each other, instead of providing a complete and carefully studied and prepared system of regulation for a business that is so vital to the life of the nation, is worse than folly."

He summed up the present problems and difficulties of the railroads as follows:

First.—The multiplicity of regulations by the several states with respect to the issue of securities, involving delays and conflicting state policies generally dangerous and possibly disastrous.

Second.—The state regulation of rates in such a manner as to unduly reduce revenues, to discriminate in favor of localities and shippers within its own borders as against localities and shippers in other states and to disturb and disarrange the structure of interstate rates.

Third.—The inability of the Interstate Commerce Commission, whoever the commissioners may be, to perform the vast duties devolving upon it under existing laws, resulting in delay—which should never occur in commercial matters—and compelling the commissioners to accept the conclusions of their employees as final in deciding matters of great importance to the commercial and railroad interests of the country.

Fourth.—The practical legality that has been accorded conspiracies to tie up and suspend the operation of the railroads of the country by strikes and violence and the absence of any law to compel the settlement of such disputes by arbitration or other judicial means, as all other issues between citizens in civilized states are to be settled.

Fifth.—The phenomenal increase in the taxation of railroads in recent years.

Sixth.—The cumulative effect of these conditions upon the investing public, to which railroad companies must look for the capital necessary to continue development.

"We believe that the unification of regulation is essential," said Judge Lovett, "and that with the rapid increase of state commissions in recent years congress will in time be compelled to exercise its power in the premises. To unify regulation there should be a complete, harmonious, consistent and related system. We believe the best, if not the only practical plan, is the federal incorporation of railroads by general law, which will make incorporation thereunder compulsory, thus imposing on all railroad companies throughout the United States the same corporate powers and restrictions with respect to their financial operations and the same duties and obligations to the public and the government, so that every investor will know precisely what every railroad corporation may and may not lawfully do."

Judge Lovett contended that the solution of these problems and difficulties rested with congress. He told the committee that under the constitution the authority of the federal government is paramount, that congress has the power to legislate for a centralized control of railroads under federal charters and that it only remains for that body to exercise that power.

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest To Women

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said, "Take tonoline,

Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

"What tonoline really did for me I cannot say. I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline publicly."

Tonoline is a purely vegetable preparation which goes to the seat of common maladies—stomach and kidney trouble, catarrhal affections of the mucous membranes, liver ailments and impurities of the of the blood—and quickly restores proper action. Tonoline is being explained daily at your druggists.

Notice:—As tonoline is a wonderful flesh builder it should not be taken by any one not wishing to increase his weight ten pounds or more. Although many reports are received from those who have been benefited by tonoline in severe cases of stomach trouble and nervous dyspepsia, chronic constipation, etc.

—50c Box Free—

FREE TONOLINE COUPON
American Proprietory Co.
Boston, Mass.
Send me by return mail a 50c box of your celebrated flesh builder. I enclose 10c to help pay postage and packing.

For Sale!

Good team of horses for sale cheap, and on easy terms.

Holt State Bank.

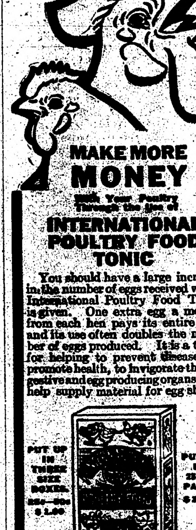
The Boy Who Dreams.

It is a good thing for the farmer boy to have an imagination, says the Prairie Farmer. It is a good thing for him to "dream dreams and see visions." It takes a dreamer to see the transformation that intelligent effort will bring to pass on the old place. It takes a dreamer to see how much more desirable that place will be in ten years than a job in a dry goods store.—Emporia Gazette.

Above Them All.

Homan—"One of the waiters at this place was formerly a duke, one of the chefs was a count and the bellhop was a prince." Ryontoo—"I suppose the manager was formerly a king or emperor?" Homan—"No; he was a milk wagon driver."—New York Sun.

Potatoes are selling at $3.00 a bu. and up, in all the large cities. Wonder why it would'nt pay to raise a good sized patch of the tubers this year?



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With Your Poultry Through the Use of
INTERNATIONAL POULTRY FOOD TONIC
PUT UP IN THREE SIZE BOXES. 25c—50c $1.00
PUT UP IN 25 LB. PAILS. $2.50

You should have a large increase in the number of eggs received when International Poultry Food Tonic is given. One extra egg a month from each hen pays its entire cost and its use often doubles the number of eggs produced. It is a tonic for helping to prevent disease, to promote health, to invigorate the digestive and egg producing organs, and help supply material for egg shells.

FOR SALE BY
Holt Merc. Co.
Two Stores
Holt Newfolden

Lessen From the Lily.

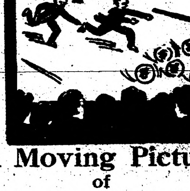
How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand therein above the turbulence of the waves!—Trinities and Sanctities.

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	3,500

President, D. B. Bakke
V. President, A. D. Stephens
Cashier, B. Docken



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The Dollars Oft Way Ahead
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EVEN ONE DOLLAR WILL BE ACCEPTED HERE AS A FIRST DEPOSIT . . . . . .

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We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
H. J. [illegible], Agent Holt, Minn.

Greatest Poets.

Homer, Lucretius, Dante, Shakespeare, Goethe, Milton, Shelley, Byron, Tennyson, Browning. Perhaps others might be added. It is largely a matter of taste and temperament—although there is but little room for argument about the first six names.

Invented in 1589.

The knitting frame was invented in 1589 by William Lee, a graduate of Cambridge university and a native of Woodborough, near Nottingham, England. So perfect was the invention in every detail that to this day the essential feaures of the machine continue in use for the class of work to which Lee applied it.

Early Slave-Holding State.

Maryland was an early slave-holding colony, for in 1642 Governor Calvert bargained with a certain shipmaster for the delivery of 13 African "slaves."

Local Representatives Wanted

Jewell products are sold with a guarantee to replace failures.

This requires the services of a local man who has some spare time and can look after the interests of our customers. The work would also include the introduction and sale of new fruit and flowers.

If you are not interested, please call this to the attention of some one you think would welcome the position. If you are interested, write at once for particulars. Adress

Service Department,
The Jewell Nursery Co.
Founded 1868
Lake City, Minnesota

Farmers Horse Breeders ! Attention !

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The French Black Percheron Stallion.
A Pedigreed Stallion Imported from France
The Finest and Best Bred Stallion in the country
Going prices will be charged. Will be in Holt
Fridays and Saturdays
For particulars call on or write to
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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS
Successor to "The Northern Light"
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The Holt Weekly News
Successor to and Continuation of
The Northern Light
By The
Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday at Holt Marshall County, Minnesota.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Miss Anna Sorter is clerking in C. H. Gunheim's store.

C. E. Peterson, of Badger, is the new agent at the depot.

Ben [illegible] has sold one of his [illegible] to C. L. Sandberg.

Mrs. H. E. [illegible] went to Thief River Falls Monday for a short visit with relatives.

Arvid Carlson came over from Newfolden Wednesday to visit his family [illegible]

Mrs. Pavek and baby came Saturday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]. Mr. Pavek came Tuesday [illegible] being obliged to [illegible]

Miss Effie Christenson came from Thief River Falls last week for an extended visit with her sisters Mesdames Huseth and Olen.

The Synod Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Nels Lysne Wednesday April 18th.

Blue Stem seed wheat, 1915 crop, free from foul seed. For sale by Ole Reierson, Holt, Minn.

Misses Gunhild and Olava Sollom spent the Easter vacation with their mother on the farm.

Anton Peterson, of T. R. Falls, came Wednesday to visit relatives and friends a few days.

Upland wild hay cut fore part of July. Stacked on Sec. 8 Town of Mud Lake. For sale by K. O. Flakne. Holt Minn.

John Melquist from Erskine has moved here and is now section foreman in place of Ludwig Gullickson, who resigned.

Hans Rodahl commenced Tuesday the work of moving the old building of the Holt State Bank into the street, preparatory to commencing work on the basement of their new building.

Ludwig Gullickson has resigned as section foreman and after a few days visit with his parents at Middle River, he will go to Red Lake Falls to work there for the railroad company.

The Switchboard Co., received four bids for telephone operator in answer to their notice for bids. Mrs. Ben Eide's bid was accepted and she will enter upon her new duties on May 1st.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

War Declared.

The United States Congress has passed a resolution declaring that a state of war exists with Germany and extensive preparations are being made all over the country to protect the lives and property of our people on both land and sea.

Now that war has been declared it is no time for discussions about it, but everyone should show their loyalty. Despite the fact that Germany previous to Feb. 1st, (when the ruthless submarine campaign was commenced that caused the war) tried to get Mexico to make war on us in case the U. S. entered the war against Germany, and promised them they could annex Texas, New Mexico and Arizona to Mexico and also wanted them to get Japan to fight us too and promise them the Philippine Islands as their reward,— despite all this and lots more— there are still a few people who think the United States should not go to war, but instead let the Kaiser "Lord it" over the world.

The United States Navy wants 40 men a day from Minnesota. Warships are waiting for men to run them. One man to-day may be worth two to-morrow. Minnesota should not be backward. If the volunteer system does not bring men fast enough the draft will be resorted to, in fact such a bill is being urged on Congress right now.

Nils Engebretsen has received word from the Navy Department, if two or more from here want to enlist a recruiting agent will be sent [illegible] tation to the Minneapolis station will be furnished at Government expense. Apprentices, firemen and clerks are sent to the Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Illinois, machinists and experienced marine boiler firemen to the Navy Yard at Bremerton, Wash., electricians to the Navy Electrical School at the Navy Yard in New York, for training. Slight physicial defects will not bar a man from joining the navy The army needs men too. Full information at the postoffice. Get busy and do something for your country.

Willie Bakke spent Easter with his parents in T. R. Falls.

Alfred Sollom went to Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Nordlum & Schenkey's big farm sale takes place Friday April 20th.

Miss Nellie Saastad spent the Easter vacation with her parents.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Olson on Tuesday Apr. the 10th.

Elmer Sollom went to Newfolden, Monday, to work in the store for Arvid Carlson.

Atty. Halvorson was up from T. R. Falls last week superintending the erection of some monuments in the local cemetery.

Ole Hammerness had a cement floor put in his new garage last week.

Hugort Johnson returned Friday from near Bemidji where he had employment in the pineries.

Miss Amanda Mickelson came up from Crookston Saturday to spend the Easter vacation with relatives and friends.

A. F. Peterson, of Crookston, organizing deputy for the Yeomen, installed the officers of the local lodge Tuesday evening.

Mangels, stock carrots and rutabagas yield 12 to 20 tons per acre and should be grown as feed for stock. They can be used to some extent in place of grain and will be easy to raise. Try it.

Stiener News

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lant of Thief River Falls are spending a few days with their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers called at the Russell home Sunday.

Miss Amy Whittman visited her parents over Good Friday.

The Sunday School was organized at Steiner Easter Sunday by R. Lightner.

Miss Katharine Russell has been spending a few days with her brother and sister Mr. and Mrs. A. Russell.

S. Warring made a trip to T. R. Falls the latter part of this week.

Miss Ellen J. Bloomquist spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents in Middle River.

Miss Cora Stone, teacher of Dist. 84 spent Saturday Friday with her parents in T. R. Falls returning Monday morning to continue her work.

Miss Anna Kojlin leaves Friday for Grand Forks where she will spend a few days with relatives.

Be an American.

Read Nordlum & Schenkey's sale ad on the supplement.

Mrs. Docken went to T. R. Falls Tuesday to visit her parents.

Kettle Sollom was in T. R. Falls on business the latter part of last week.

Elmer Haggland returned Friday from several months stay near International Falls.

Alex Strom and family came Tuesday to visit at the Riesberg and Strom homes for a few days.

Oscar Gunstad of the St. Hilaire Spectator was a pleasant caller at this office Friday of last week.

Tom Larson came from T. R. Falls Wednesday for a short visit at the home of his sister Mrs. C. L. Sandberg and family.

J. E. Mosberg has resigned as station agent and moved his family to Minneapolis yesterday where the best wishes of their many friends will follow them.

Farms for sale or rent on easy terms and at reasonable prices.

Farmers State Bank

INTERNATIONAL STOCK FOOD TONIC

For Sale By
Holt Merc. Co.
Two Stores
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Notice to Farmers!

Will stand my New Black Percheron Stallion in Holt every Monday commencing April 2nd.

Be sure to come and see my horse before you breed elsewhere.

A. W. Williams.
Thief River Falls.

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Southeast of Holt.

Mrs. Mickleson, who has been spending the winter at Madison Wis and Minneapolis, returned to the home of her daughter Mrs. Peter Michaelson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Klungness and daughter Amanda and Constance were very pleasant visitors at the George Mustvold home Easter Sunday.

Lars Berg came down from his home at Grygla on Saturday to visit with ralatives in this locality.

Nels Gudvangen is reported quite sick this week.

Lesa Olson returned home on Sunday after being employed at the T. Ose home for some time.

Ingvard Peterson entertained a few of his friends on Sunday. Those present were Walter Evenson, Peter Peterson, Arthur and Oscar Mustvold.

Clara Larson who teaches school near T. R. Falls spent her Easter vacation at home.

G. Johnson had the misfortune of losing a valuable calf by drowning in the river on Sunday.

Carl Hovie, our rural mail carrier receives credit for his promptness in making his route in spite of the very bad roads.

Mrs. Guttrud will entertain the Ladies Aid at her home Thursday afternoon April 19th.

Several of the High school students of T. R. Falls are spending their Easter vacation at their homes here.

Julia Johnson who is employed at Thief River Falls come home on [illegible] to visit with her sister Minnie who is sick.

Walter Evenson returned home last week after taking up a short course at T. R. Falls.

Trade in Holt and get rich.

Mr. and Mrs C. L. Heinze very pleasantly entertained the following on Easter Sunday:

Mr. Andrew Bjerk and family, Mr. Sam Mickelson and family, Mr. Olaf Iverson, Mr. Torger Ness and family, Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson and little daughter and Mr. Prushek.

Ernest and Emma Kuehne visited their sister in T. R. Falls Tuesday and Wednesday.

Brekkestran Bros. have been hauling sand for a cement floor in their new garage.

Peter Ostlund went to Warren yesterday where he expects to work for a time.

A baby girl was born Sunday April 1st. to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Olson in Town of New Solum.

In planning for the seasons crop, do'nt forget that patch of potatoes and corn, which you will need this year. There is need that every acre be made to produce a full crop.

The bill to divide Beltrami county has passed the legislature and been signed by the governor. It will probably be voted on in the county next year.

While playing with some boys Sunday night Jessie Sorum slipped and his hand went thru the window in front of Reierson's store. His hand was badly cut and Hjalmer Peterson immediately took him to a doctor in T. R. Falls who took five stiches to sew up the wound.

Twenty-six horses, 26 head of cattle, 3 hogs, baled hay, seed oats and barley, 2 mowers, 2 hayrakes, corn planters and cultivators, discs, gang, sulky and breaking plows, all kinds of harrows, wagons, boxes and buggies, gas engines, feed and fanning mills, seperators, drill, potato planter, harnesses, etc., will be sold Friday April 20, by Nordlum & Schenkey, on their farm, a half mile north of Middle River.

Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School 2 o'clock. Anybody's class extends a hearty invitation to all adults.

The Choir will meet immediately after Sunday school to practice songs for a young people's program.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Thorval Kolden was a visitor in T. R. Falls Monday and Thursday.

Ernest Kuehne went to Warren yesterday where he will work at the carpenters trade.

Thief River Falls will have a big patriotic day celebration to morrow with program, music, parades etc.

H. Z. Mitchel of St. Cloud has recently purchased the Thief River Falls News-Press and will assume control next week. We wish him success.

Mrs. Rupprecht of T. R. Falls has been visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Werner the past week.

We enjoyed our first rain Tuesday night but it dident amount to much.

J. P. Lein went to Grafton, N. D. Wednesday to visit his son John for a few days.

Ole Kjelgren returned home from Canada Sunday morning, accompanied by his son John who will work for Mr. Nohre this summer.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.92
Wheat No. 2	1.89
Wheat No. 3	1.79
Wheat No. 4	1.56
Flax	2 87
Oats	56
Barley	76 to 1.02
Rye	1.62
Flour, Best Patent	5.75

Trade at home.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Announcement

New Garage!

I have opened a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

Ole Hammerness
Holt - Minn.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Hog Raisers Can Lower the Cost of Pork Production

Big profits can not be expected from hogs that cost too much to fatten. Unless a hog's digestion is good he can not earn you a penny as too much high priced grain passes through its system undigested and is wasted.

Can You Afford to Waste High Priced Grain Feed?

Under ordinary feeding conditions, an animal will fail to digest about 45 per cent of its grain food—nearly one-half will pass through its system and be wasted. You can improve the digestion and assimilation of farm animals through the use of

INTERNATIONAL STOCK FOOD TONIC

You can save from 20 to 33 per cent of their grain feed. It improves digestion and assimilation, purifies the blood, strengthens the entire system and keeps the animal in good health and condition.

Good For All Kinds of Live Stock

It will help to fatten hogs, beef cattle and sheep quickly, will improve the milk flow of cows, and will help horses to do more work at a big saving in grain feed.

Packages 25c, 50c, $1.00. 25 Lb. Pails, $3.50.

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Two Stores
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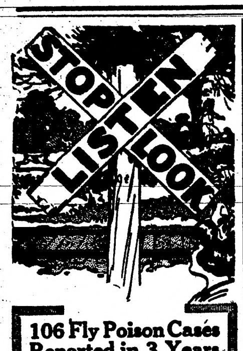
We do all kinds of
Auto and Tractor Repairing
Bring your cars in early for overhauling
We overhaul and charge storage batteries
Located south of Printing Office
Brekkestran Bros.



106 Fly Poison Cases Reported in 3 Years

A Large Percentage Fatal

Appalling as this record seems, it is only a fraction of the real number. The symptoms of cholera infantum and arsenical poisoning are almost identical. Diagnosis is extremely difficult. Many actual fly poison cases are unrecognized and unreported.

The Government recognizes this danger to childhood and issues this warning, in supplement No. 29 to the Public Health Report:

"Of other fly poisons mentioned, mention should be made, merely for the purpose of condemnation, of those composed of arsenic. Fatal cases of poisoning of children through the use of such compounds are far too frequent, and owing to the resemblance of arsenical poisoning to summer diarrhea and cholera infantum, it is believed that the cases reported do not, by any means, comprise the total. Arsenical fly-destroying devices must be rated as extremely dangerous, and should never be used, even if other measures are not at hand."

TANGLEFOOT

catches flies and embalms their disease-bearing bodies with a disinfecting varnish. It is safe, efficient, non-poisonous, and your protector from both fly and fly poisons.

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Rats and Fires.

At a time when everyone is complaining of the high cost of living it might be well to see if we cannot eliminate two great sources of waste—fires and rats.

Most fires are needless. All rats are so. Some years ago a study of the rat problem in Philadelphia arrived at the conclusion that the rodents of that city ate more than a million dollars' worth of food each year. At that rate, the disgusting creatures can hardly cost less than $100,000,000 per year to the whole country. This is a pretty high price to pay for the companionship of impish pests which, besides their other bad habits, undermine floors and carry the most dreaded of all diseases, bubonic plague.

Yet fires are more expensive than rats. In 1915—the last year for which figures are at hand—the American people paid out in premiums for fire insurance $419,361,346. Of this vast sum at least three-fourths could be saved by reducing our fire record to the rate prevailing in England, France or Germany; and even in our time and nation $300,000,000 per year is a saving worth noting, and one which would have a perceptible effect on the cost of living.

An extravagant man is always talking to his wife about the necessity of economy.

Electric traction lines in the United states in 1916 had an estimated gross income of $750,000,000.

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contains the rich supplies of phosphate of potash grown in wheat and barley.
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CONGRESS DECLARES STATE OF WAR BETWEEN U. S. AND GERMANY

Adopts Joint Resolution That Places This Country in the Ranks of the Belligerents—Six Senators Vote Against Measure After Hot Debate—Great Majority in the House Favors the Action.

Text of the joint resolution adopted by congress, declaring a state of war between the United States and Germany:

"Whereas, The imperial German government has committed repeated acts of war against the government and the people of the United States of America; therefore, be it

"Resolved, by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled, That the state of war between the United States and the imperial German government which has thus been thrust upon the United States is hereby formally declared; and that the president be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to employ the entire naval and military forces of the United States and the resources of the government to carry on war against the imperial German government; and to bring the conflict to a successful termination, all of the resources of the country are hereby pledged by the congress of the United States."

Washington, April 6.—The United States is now formally enlisted among the belligerents in the great war, for congress has adopted the resolution declaring a state of war between this country and Germany, brought on by the imperial government's repeated hostile acts.

The senate was the first to act on the war resolution and adopted it by a vote of 82 to 6. The six senators who voted against the resolution for war were:

ASLE J. GRONNA, Republican, North Dakota.

HARRY LANE, Democrat, Oregon.

R. M. LA FOLLETTE, Republican, Wisconsin.

G. W. NORRIS, Republican, Nebraska.

WILLIAM J. STONE, Democrat, Missouri.

J. K. VARDAMAN, Democrat, Mississippi.

There were eight senators absent or paired. They were: Bankhead, Goff, Gore, Hollis, Newlands, Smith of Maryland, Thomas, and Tillman. Of those absent it was announced that all except Senator Gore of Oklahoma against the resolution were members would have voted for the resolution if present.

All six of the senators who voted against the resolution were members of the group of twelve which defeated the armed neutrality bill at the last session. There was no attempt to filibuster this time, however.

Thirteen Hour Debate.

Thirteen hours of heated debate preceded the vote. Party lines disappeared in this discussion and Republicans joined with Democrats in sounding the call to the nation to support the president unitedly.

The little group opposed to the resolution drew fire from every side. Senator La Follette, defending Germany and heaping blame upon England, was informed by Senator Williams that Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German chancellor, would have made the same speech in the reichstag had he been imbued with sufficient effrontery.

Senator Norris, charging that the United States is going to war at the behest of the munition barons of Wall street, drew from Senator Reed the retort that such an accusation is "almost treason."

The assertion that the nation was going to war on the demand of gold, he said, was "an indictment of the president of the United States, an indictment of congress, of the American people, and of the truth."

"The president is not calling America to arms for the sake of a few paltry dollars," Senator Reed continued, "but for the life, honor, and integrity of this country."

Introduced by Hitchcock.

In introducing the resolution into the senate, Senator Hitchcock made a brief statement in which he said that the present time was one "for action, not discussion."

"The time for discussion has passed," he said. "The president has stated clearly, effectively, more conclusively the reasons which make this grave step necessary. The resolution provides for war against the imperial German government. It places responsibility for the war squarely upon the shoulders of the German government, charged with repeated acts of war against the United States.

"We want no more territory. We will demand no indemnity. We have no grudge to settle, nor racial antipathy. We will spend our treasure and our blood and sacrifice our lives without the thought of gain. We are going to war to vindicate our honor and independence as a great nation and in defense of humanity.

"Such quarrel as we have with Germany is not of our choosing. It was forced upon us and we did much to avoid it. For nearly three years the president, congress, and the American people have hoped to avoid it. But one desperate act by the imperial German government has followed another."

German Pledges Broken.

Senator Hitchcock was followed by Senator Swanson of Virginia, who said the German government "has repeatedly and grossly violated its treaty obligations to us, and wantonly broken solemn assurances."

"The issue is not peace or war," Senator Swanson continued. "War has already been declared upon us. The issue is whether we shall accept war or abject and cowardly submission."

Reciting the sinking of American ships, German plots, and outrages in this country, Senator Swanson said the Zimmermann plot to incite Mexico against this country "reaches the lowest depths of national turpitude."

Many other senators took part in the debate, Gronna, Stone, Vardaman, Norris and LaFollette, all opposing the resolution.

Senator Smoot made the last speech—a short prayer that God would "hasten the day when liberty will be enjoyed by all the peoples of the earth."

The roll call was taken while the senators and spectators sat solemn. A few cheers greeted the result and then all filed quietly out of the chamber.

House Vote, 373 to 50.

The house, after a debate lasting about seventeen hours, adopted the joint resolution by a vote of 373 to 50. Nearly a hundred representatives made speeches.

In offering the senate resolution as a substitute for its own, the house foreign affairs committee submitted a long report reviewing the history of submarine warfare and America's futile protests against it, German intrigues and bomb plots in this country, the effort to ally Japan and Mexico against the United States and the mistreatment of American officials and citizens in Germany.

"It is with the deepest sense of responsibility for the momentous results which will follow the passage of this resolution," said the report, "that your committee reports it to the house, with the recommendation that it be passed.

"The conduct of the imperial German government toward this government, its citizens and its interests, has been so discourteous, unjust, cruel, barbarous, and so lacking in honesty and practice that it has constituted a violation of the course of conduct which should obtain between friendly nations.

"In addition to this the German government is actually making war upon the people and commerce of this country, and leaves no course open to this government but to accept its gage of battle and declare that a state of war exists."

Flood Opens the Debate.

Under the unanimous consent rule by which the resolution was considered Representative Flood could move the previous question at any time after one hour and, if sustained, bring the measure to a vote. He was disposed, however, to give members every opportunity to speak throughout the day. The debate began without any limitation.

"War is being made upon our country and its people," Representative Flood said in opening. "Our ships are being sunk. Our noncombatant citizens, including men, women and children, are being murdered, our merchantmen are denied the freedom of the seas. There is no choice as to our course. We are compelled by the acts of the German government to enter into this most colossal war.

"We should take our stand by the side of the allied nations who have been fighting humanity's battles for two and one-half years, determined that our power shall be so employed that complete victory shall crown their efforts and that Prussian militarism shall be crushed and the world shall be delivered from the threat and danger of the Hohenzollern dynasty."

Villa to Be "Neutral."

El Paso, Tex., April 6.—Villa will be an "incorruptible neutral" in the event of war between the United States and Germany, it was announced by leaders of the Villa junta here, after the arrival of a courier with this message direct from Villa's camp in Mexico. Villa wants Mexico to avoid any entangling alliances. He is expected to make a statement defining his attitude, which will be sent out by messenger as soon as news of war reaches Villa's camp.

Edison Toils on War Devices.

Washington, April 6.—Somewhere on the seaboard, guarded from prying eyes, Thomas A. Edison and a little group of super-inventors are working hard—plotting Germany's downfall.

Just what the brain children are—just how far they will upset all past methods of warfare—and just how far the German government will come to fear this little group of workers, is yet to be revealed. Other than a small inner circle of governmental experts their activities are known to no one.

SYRUP OF FIGS FOR A CHILD'S BOWELS

It is cruel to force nauseating, harsh physic into a sick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

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If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Adv.

Plain Words.

"I have hired a lawyer to—"

"Don't say you have 'hired' a lawyer," protested the finicky person. "It is more elegant to used the word 'retained.'"

"Maybe so, but I told the lawyer that if he didn't win the case he wouldn't get a fee, so I guess he's hired."

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"Why are you so unfavorable to matrimony?"

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WOMEN! IT IS MAGIC! LIFT OUT ANY CORN

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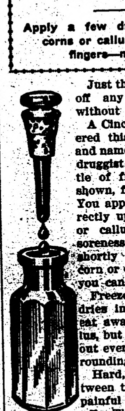

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A Cincinnati man discovered this ether compound and named it freezone. Any druggist will sell a tiny bottle of freezone, like here shown, for very little cost. You apply a few drops directly upon a tender corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears, then shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it right off.

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Hard, soft or corns between the toes, as well as painful calluses, lift right off. There is no pain before or afterwards. If your druggist hasn't freezone, tell him to order a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

South African Paint Factory.

Earth pigments and ochres have been discovered near the Cape of Good Hope and South Africa's first paint factory has been opened.

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One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder for the feet. Shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath, Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight shoes feel easy and gives instant relief to corns and bunions. Try *it today*. Sold everywhere, 25c. For FREE trial package address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.—Adv

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San Francisco is to build a mausoleum to cost $4,000,000.

Kansas state expenditures for the next two years will exceed $10,500,000.

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AUSTRIA SEVERS RELATIONS WITH U. S.; WAR SEEN

ENVOY AT WASHINGTON ASKS FOR PASSPORTS FOR STAFF —U. S. AMBASSADOR NOW OUT OF AUSTRIA.

GERMAN PRESSURE IS BLAMED FOR DECISION

Breach Believed Prelude to Declaration of State of War—Communication With Sofia and Constantinople Cut—Bulgars and Turks to Act.

Washington, April 10.—Austria-Hungary, under pressure of Germany, has severed diplomatic relations with the United States.

Baron Erick Zweidinek, charge d' affaires of the Austro-Hungarian embassy here, has called at the state department and asked for passports for himself and the embassy staff.

Word From Switzerland.

Almost at the same time a dispatch was received from American Minister P. A. Stovall at Berne, Switzerland, saying the dual monarchy had broken off diplomatic relations with the United States in Vienna.

It is presumed this was done by handing passports to American Charge J. C. Grew.

Spain Takes Over Interest.

American Ambassador F. C. Penfield, who had left Vienna on Saturday, probably did not know of the government's action.

By prearrangement, Spain will take over the diplomatic and consular interests of the United States in Austria-Hungary. All Austrian consular agents will depart from the United States with the diplomatic mission, as was the case with Germany.

Austria-Hungary has asked Sweden to take over its interest in the United States.

Expect Bulgars and Turks to Act.

Up to the time Charge Swiedinek asked for his passports no similar action had been taken by Bulgaria and Turkey—Germany's two other allies—and their representatives here disclaimed having any knowledge of the intention of their governments. It is expected here they will follow by breaking diplomatic relations.

Austria's break with the United States undoubtedly is the prelude to a declaration of a state of war. Sixty-two days elapsed between the break in relations between the United States and Germany and the formal declaration of a state of war.

War Believed Certain.

How many days will elapse before Germany's chief ally enters a state of war with Germany's newest enemy will be decided entirely by circumstances. The diplomatic history of civilization and the precedents of centuries show a state of war invariably follows a breach in diplomatic relations between first class powers.

Quite aside from this, Austria has subscribed, even if only academically, to Germany's campaign of ruthlessness, although it has not carried it out against American interests.

Besides that it is considered that it would be quite impossible to have abroad in the United States on a friendly status the diplomatic and consular agents of Germany's ally.

Penfield at Zurich.

The safe arrival of Ambassador and Mrs. Penfield at Zurich, Switzerland, with three members of the embassy was reported to the department.

Joseph C. Grew, formerly secretary at Berlin, is charge in Vienna. He received his passports at Berlin, so this is the second diplomatic break in which he has been a participant.

Austria's severance cuts off all communication with Sofia and Constantinople as the Greek cable to the latter city, the only route except via Vienna, has just been cut.

$5,000,000,000 WAR BOND BILL COMES UP THURSDAY

Decision Reached by McAdoo and Member of Committee—Bill Aimed at Plotters Passed.

Washington, April 10.—A decision to introduce the $5,000,000,000 bond issue measure on Thursday in the house has been reached by Secretary W. G. McAdoo and Representative Henry T. Rainey of Illinois, ranking democratic member of the ways and means committee.

Without discussion a bill providing for punishment for destruction of war materials has been passed by the senate. It is the first legislation passed aimed at the activities of plotters in this country.

U. S. Supreme Court Reconvenes.

Washington, April 10.—The Supreme court has reconvened after a fortnight's recess. Numerous decisions are anticipated, but it is generally believed that, because of the nation's entrance into the war, the court will refrain from deciding litigation such as the federal dissolution suits against the so-called "Steel," "Harvester" and "Anthracite Coal" trusts, which might disturb economic conditions or interests involved in the mobilization and utilization of industrial resources for war purposes.

CRISIS OF WOMAN'S LIFE

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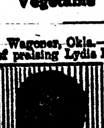

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FARM LABOR IN DEMAND IN WESTERN CANADA

Extraordinary Inducements Being Offered.

Previous articles have dealt with the necessity of producing extra quantities of foods to feed the world during this stress of high consumption and paucity of production. Instead of the condition improving it is growing worse, and unless drastic and immediate action is taken, prices will continue to climb high. It is hoped by the Canadian government that by offering extra inducements to secure a homestead of 160 acres of excellent land in the homesteading areas of Western Canada, with the combined effort of the farmer in extraordinary preparation of tillage and bigger wages than ever, that Western Canada, with the assistance of a Divine Providence, may produce a greater number of million acres of wheat than ever in the past. The farm laborer can now secure a homestead on easier conditions than ever before. All the time that he works for a Western Canadian farmer during 1917, after he makes his entry or filing will count as residence on his homestead for that year, leaving him but two additional years' residence, before getting title to a piece of land that should then be easily worth $1,600. The response to this offer has been wonderful, and hundreds have already taken advantage of it.

The climate of Western Canada is one that breeds energy, instils life and buoyancy, and with the soil that the country possesses, no greater asset could be desired. The country is past the pioneering stage; its ability to grow all the smaller grains better than any other portion of the continent has been proven so often that it seems a waste of time to speak of it. The high name that has been given the country in the splendid class of live stock that it raises, has placed it in the high column with the best states of the Union. And then social conditions, something that every housewife asks about, are as nearly perfect as could be wished for. Thousands of miles of telephone line connect the remotest hamlet with the principal cities of the country and continent, miles of excellent graded roads, as well as the perfect natural roads of the prairie, make driving and hauling easy. Gridironed as these provinces are with railway lines bring the farm near to Atlantic or Pacific, or United States markets, rural mail delivery brings the settler still closer to the homes abroad. Rural and consolidated schools everywhere are easy adjuncts to the colleges and universities, which are said to be among the best on the continent.

Taxation is light, and only applied on the farm land, cattle, implements, etc., on the farm being exempt. Many farmers, having realized sufficient from one crop of wheat to pay for their entire farm holdings, have installed their own electric light and heating plants, have their automobiles and many luxuries they would not have possessed on their old home abroad. Life is comfortable and existence enjoyable in Western Canada. In no country is there a greater per centage of contented farmers, and in no part of the continent is farming easier or more profitable.

Land there will produce 30 bushels of wheat to the acre, while there are many cases where the yield was higher, as high as 70 bushels. What this means to the farm laborer does not fully appear on the surface. He will get good wages, he can secure a homestead worth at the end of three years about $1,600, while working for wages he can put in residence duties, and can also look around, and find a good location.

Besides the homesteading attraction of Western Canada, there remains the other fact that other lands can be purchased at from $15 to $30, while improved farms may be had at reasonable figures.

The desire to have a piece of land of one's own is a natural instinct in the heart of every properly developed man and woman. In earlier years, on account of the great areas of land available in the United States, no great difficulty was experienced by any ambitious settler of that country who wished to become his own landholder, but the rapid increase in population, combined with the corresponding rise in the price of land, has completely changed this condition. Land, which a generation ago might be had for the homesteading, now commands prices ranging to $100 an acre and over. At such prices it is quite hopeless for the tenant farmer or the farmer's son in moderate circumstances, or the city man with limited capital, to attempt to buy a farm of his own. To pay for it becomes a life-long task, and the probability is that he will never do more than meet the interest charges. If he is serious in his desire to secure a farm home, he must look to countries where there is still abundant fertile land available at moderate cost, and where these lands are to be purchased on terms which make it possible for the settler with small capital to become a farm owner as the result of a few years' labor. He will also want land in a country where the practices of the people are similar to those to which he has been accustomed; a country with the same language, same religion, same general habits of living, with laws, currency, weights and measures, etc., based on the same principles as those with which he is familiar. He wants a country where he can buy land from $10.00 to $30.00 an acre, which will produce as big or bigger crops as those he has been accustomed to from lands at $100.00 an acre. He wants this land where social conditions will be attractive to himself and his family, and where he can look forward with confidence to being in a few years independent, and well started on the road to financial success.

All these conditions he will find in Western Canada, and nowhere else. The provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, commonly called "Western Canada," provide the one and only answer to the land-hungry. The land is here; it is the kind of land he wants; the conditions are as nearly ideal as is possible, and the prices and terms are such that the man of moderate capital has an opportunity not available to him elsewhere.—Advertisement.

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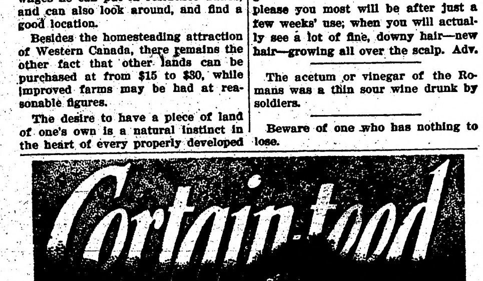
The acetum or vinegar of the Romans was a thin sour wine drunk by soldiers.

Beware of one who has nothing to lose.



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WAR PROCLAMATION BY THE PRESIDENT; ALIENS ARE WARNED

Subjects of Kaiser Ordered to Keep the Peace.

CITIZENS OF U. S. ASKED TO SUPPORT GOVERNMENT

Wilson Calls for Volunteers for Both the Navy and Army—May Resort to Selective Draft Later—Enemy Foreigners Barred From Government Property.

Washington, April 7.—The state of war proclamation which President Wilson signed on Friday follows:

"Whereas, the congress of the United States, in the exercise of the constitutional authority vested in them, have resolved by joint resolution of the senate and house of representatives bearing date this day, 'that a state of war between the United States and the imperial German government, which has been thrust upon the United States,' is hereby formally declared:

"Whereas, it is provided by section 4067 of the revised statutes as follows:

"'Whenever there is declared a war between the United States and any foreign nation or government or any invasion or predatory incursion is perpetrated, attempts or threatened against the territory of the United States by any foreign nation or government and the president makes public proclamation of the event, all natives, citizens, denizens or subjects of a hostile nation or government being male of the age of fourteen years and upward who shall be within the United States and not actually naturalized shall be liable to be apprehended, restrained, secured and removed as alien enemies.'

Authority Given President.

"The president is authorized in any such event by his proclamation thereof or other public acts to direct the conduct to be observed on the part of the United States toward the aliens who become so liable; the manner and degree of the restraint to which they shall be subjected.

"Whereas, by sections 4068, 4069 and 4070 of the revised statutes, further provision is made relative to alien enemies:

Proclaims a State of War.

"Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States of America, do hereby proclaim to all whom it may concern that a state of war exists between the United States and the imperial German government, and I do specially direct all officers, civil or military, of the United States that they exercise vigilance and zeal in the discharge of the duties incident to such a state of war, and I do, moreover, earnestly appeal to all American citizens that they in loyal devotion to their country, dedicated from its foundation to the principles of liberty and justice, uphold the laws of the land and give undivided and willing support to those measures which may be adopted by the constitutional authorities in prosecuting the war to a successful issue and in obtaining a secure and just peace.

Duties of American Citizens.

"And, acting under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution of the United States and the said sections of the revised statutes, I do hereby furher proclaim and direct that the conduct to be observed on the part of the United States toward all natives, citizens, denizens or subjects of Germany, being male, of the age of fourteen years and upward, who shall be within the United States and not actually naturalized, who for the purpose of this proclamation and under such sections of the revised statutes are termed alien enemies, shall be as follows:

Position of Aliens.

"All alien enemies are enjoined to preserve the peace toward the United States and to refrain from crime against the public safety and from violating the laws of the United States and of the states and territories thereof, and to refrain from actual hostility or giving information, aid or comfort to the enemies of the United States and to comply strictly with the regulations which are hereby or which may be from time to time promulgated by the president, and so long as they shall conduct themselves in accordance with law they shall be undisturbed in the peaceful pursuit of their lives and occupations and be accorded the consideration due to all peaceful and lawabiding persons, except so far as restrictions may be necessary for their own protection and for the safety of the United States, and toward such alien enemies as conduct themselves in accordance with law all citizens of the United States are enjoined to preserve the peace and to treat them with all such friendliness as may be compatible with loyalty and allegiance to the United States.

Penalties for Disobedience.

"And all alien enemies who fail to conduct themselves as so enjoined, in addition to all other penalties prescribed by law shall be liable to restraint or to give security or to remove, depart from the United States.

"And pursuant to the authority vested in me, I hereby declare and establish the following regulations, which I find necessary in the premises and for the public safety:

"1. An alien enemy shall not have in his possession at any time or place any firearms, weapons or implements of war or component parts thereof, ammunition, maxim or other silencer, arms or explosives or material used in the manufacture of explosives.

"2. An alien enemy shall not have in his possession at any time or place, or use or operate, any aircraft or wireless apparatus, or any form of signaling devices, or any form of cipher code or any paper, document or book, written or printed in cipher or in which there may be invisible writing.

"3. All property found in the possession of an alien enemy in violation of the foregoing regulations shall be subject to seizure by the United States.

Must Not Approach Forts.

"4. An alien enemy shall not approach or be found within one-half of a mile of any federal or state fort, camp, arsenal, aircraft station, government or naval vessel, navy yard, factory or workshop for the manufacture of munitions of war, or of any products for the use of the army or navy.

"5. An alien enemy shall not write, print or publish any attack or threat against the government or congress of the United States or either branch therof, or against the measures or policy of the United States, or against the persons or property of any person in the military, naval or civil service of the United States, or of the states or territories, or the District of Columbia or of the municipal governments therein.

Residences Restricted.

"6. An alien enemy shall not commit or abet any hostile acts against the United States or give information, aid or comfort to its enemies.

"7. An alien enemy shall not reside in or continue to reside in, to remain in or enter any locality which the president may from time to time designate by an executive order as a prohibitive area.

"8. An alien enemy whom the president shall have reasonable cause to believe to be aiding or about to aid the enemy or to be at large to the danger of the public peace or safety of the United States, or to have violated or to be about to violate any of these regulations, shall remove to any locality designated by the president by executive order and shall not remove therefrom without permit, or shall depart from the United States if so required by the president.

"9. No alien enemy shall depart from the United States until he shall have received such permit as the president shall prescribe or except under order of a court, judge or justice, under sections 4069 and 4070 of the revised statutes.

"10. No alien enemy shall land in or enter the United States except under such restrictions and at such places as the president may prescribe.

May Compel Registration.

"11. If necessary to prevent violation of the regulations all alien enemies will be obliged to register.

"12. An alien enemy whom there may be reasonable cause to believe to be aiding or about to aid the enemy, or to be at large to the danger of the public peace or safety, or who violates or who attempts to violate, or of whom there is reasonable grounds to believe that he is about to violate, any regulation to be promulgated by the president or any criminal law of the United States or of the states or territories thereof will be subject to summary arrest by the United States marshal or his deputy or such other officers as the president shall designate, and confinement in such penitentiary, prison, jail, military camp or other place of detention as may be directed by the president.

"This proclamation and the regulations herein contained shall extend and apply to all land and water, continental or insular, in any way within the jurisdiction of the United States."

Call for Volunteers.

The president also issued a call for volunteers to bring the army and navy up to war strength, and gave his indorsement to the general staff army bill designated to obtain men by selective conscription.

"The necessary men," said the president in a statement, "will be secured for the regular army and the National Guard by volunteering, as at present, until, in the judgment of the president, a resort to selective draft is advisable.

"The principles embodied in the legislation presented by the war department to the military committee of the senate and house have my entire approval, and its specific recommendations embody the best judgment of the officers of the war department."

SHOULD SUPPORT RED CROSS

President Wilson Recognizes Society as Official Volunteer Aid Organization of the Country.

Washington, April 7.—"Relief work which is undoubtedly ahead of us" was referred to by President Wilson in a letter sent to the Washington branch of the American Red Cross, saying that as the official volunteer aid organization of the country the society should receive the generous support of the American people. The letter was read at a meeting to raise funds for the local organization.

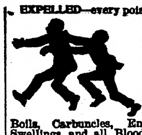
"In order that the relief work which is undoubtedly ahead of us should be made thoroughly efficient," the president wrote, "it is most desirable that it should be concentrated under one organization. The American Red Cross comes under the protection of the treaty of Geneva and has received due recognition from all foreign governments. Its status is thus definitely determined and assured."

Old Looks?

(BY DR. L. H. SMITH)

Persons suffering from too much uric acid in the system frequently look older than they should. They age faster and the appearance of gray hair or baldhead in early years is, indeed, often a sign of uric acid. The face appears lean and haggard, lines and wrinkles appearing in young men or women.

The best way to combat this premature age and the obstruction to the arteries and faulty circulation is of the simplest: Drink copiously of pure water between meals. This will not make you fat, as it is only the water taken with the meals that fattens. Obtain at any drug store a small package of Anuric, which is to be taken before meals, in order to expel the uric acid from the system. The painful effects of backache, lumbago, rheumatism, gout, due to uric acid in the blood should quickly disappear after treatment with Anuric.



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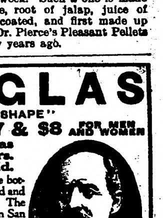

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If you can't get over a matter, get under it, for that may be the only way of getting around it.

BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK "CASCARETS"

Gently cleanse your liver and sluggish bowels while you sleep.

Get a 10-cent box.

Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

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Skilled woman munition workers in England are to be paid a common maximum of 10¼ pence an hour.

Slight Distinction.

"Papa, what is the difference between a sanitarium and an asylum?"

"About one hundred dollars a week."

The complaint now in Manila is that too many young Filipinos are turning to the law.

BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

Why take ordinary cough remedies when Boschee's German Syrup has been used for fifty-one years in all towns in the United States, Canada, Australia, and other countries, for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung trouble. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, giving nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health, assisted by pure air and sunshine when possible. Trial size 25c, and 75c family size. Sold in all towns in the United States, Canada, Australia, and other countries.—Adv.

A girl imagines she's in love with a man when she doesn't enjoy flirting with other men as much as she thought she would.

The flower most closely associated with the Confederacy probably was the magnolia blossom.

San Francisco has 18,751 schoolchildren who have a total of $323,289.86 in savings banks.

No Eggs, Milk or Butter

The following recipe shows how an appetizing, wholesome cake can be made without expensive ingredients.

In many other recipes the number of eggs may be reduced one-half or more by using an additional quantity of ROYAL Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.

EGGLESS, MILKLESS, BUTTERLESS CAKE

1 cup brown sugar
1¼ cups water
1 cup seeded raisins
2 ounces citron
⅓ cup shortening
1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon salt
2 cups flour
5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

The old method (fruit cake) called for 2 eggs

DIRECTIONS—Put the first eight ingredients into saucepan and boil three minutes. When cool, add the flour and baking powder which have been sifted together; mix well. Bake in moderate oven in loaf pan (round tin with hole in center is best) for 35 or 40 minutes. Ice with white icing.

Booklet of recipes which economize in eggs and other expensive ingredients mailed free. Address Royal Baking Powder Co., 125 William Street, New York.

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Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Jan. 1917.

Cream received	8,859 lbs
Average test	24 54
Butter fat	2175.22 lbs
Percent overrun	25 28
Butter made	2725 lbs
Balance on hand last month	3 83
Received for butter shipped	872 40
Butter and milk sold patrons	4 25
Cash sales at creamery	49 52
Rec'd from other sources	60
Total	$930 60
Paid patrons by check	819 44
" " Butter & milk	4 25
Expense fund, etc.	81 61
Other sources	9 40
To sinking fund	13 60
Balance on hand	2 21
Total	$930 60

Number of patrons, 52

Price paid for butter fat, 38c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

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T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Smooth Hairless Skin for Women.

From Beauty Secrets

[illegible] the aid of a plain medol paste it is an [illegible] matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy [illegible]. The paste is made by mixing some [illegible] with powdered medol. This is applied [illegible] hairs not wanted and after 2 or 3 minutes rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. When [illegible] go to your druggist for medol be sure you [illegible] the genuine article, and if he will not supply you, the American Proprietary Co. of [illegible], will send you a 50c or $1.00 package by

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Have You Kidney Trouble

SIGNS OF DANGER

Bachache, dizziness and headache, with "specks before the eyes" irregular heart action and liver trouble. The severity of the early symptoms depending upon the amount of poisons which the kidneys have allowed to remain in the system.

SYMPTOMS

Aching Pains over Hips, Backache, Sediment or Deposit in Urine, Irritation of the Bladder, Pain in Urinating, Rheumatism, (uric acid in blood), Sudden Stoppage of Urine, Highly Colored or Milky White Urine, Pass Blood or Mucus in Urine, Retention of Urine, Straining after Urinating, Thick or Sluggish Urine, Stone in the Bladder, Cystitis (inflammation of bladder) Catarrh of Bladder or Bowels, Puffiness under Eyes, Voracious Appetite, Thirst, Gall Stone, Gravel, Pain in Uretha, Swollen Ankles, Dimmed Vision, Specks before the Eyes, Scanty Urine, Frequent Calls, Mouth Dry, Biliousness, Dribling Lumbago, Loss of Flesh, Weakness, Irregular Heart Action, Ulceration of the Bladder, Skin Pale Waxy and Dry, Bad Odor of Perspiration

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Fill a bottle with urine; let it stand for twelve hours, if there is a sediment or cloudiness of any kind, you have kidney or bladder trouble, and you should begin taking KIDNECO treatment today. Don't delay until the disease is too far advanced. KIDNECO is put up in 25c, 50c and $1.00 packages.

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Service Will Be Crippled Unless Relief Comes Soon.

EXPENSES UP, RATES DOWN

Wasteful and Conflicting Regulations Hamper Railroad Credit, While Advance In Labor and Materials Outstrips Revenues, Chairman Kruttschnitt Tells Congress Committee. Unified Federal Control Will Improve Conditions.

Washington, April 2.—The condition in which the railroads find themselves as a result of constant increases in wages, prices of material, taxes and other expenses, while their revenues are restricted by legislation, was strikingly described by Julius Kruttschnitt, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Southern Pacific Company, in his testimony during the past few days before the Joint Congressional Committee on Interstate Commerce, which is making a study of the question of railroad regulation. Mr. Kruttschnitt urged the committee to recommend a plan of regulation which will center responsibility for regulation and its results in the federal government, so that conditions affecting both expenses and revenues may be made subject to a uniform policy instead of the wasteful and often conflicting policies involved in the system of combined state and federal regulation.

Why Roads Need More Money.

Mr. Kruttschnitt's testimony also had a bearing on the reasons for the application of the roads to the Interstate Commerce Commission for a general advance in freight rates. He showed that while the price of transportation has declined in recent years, the cost of producing transportation, like the cost of almost everything else, has rapidly advanced. This he illustrated by showing that if freight and passenger rates had increased during the past twenty years in the same proportion as average commodity prices the railroads of the United States would have received $1,654,000,000 more for transportation in 1915 than they did receive.

This saving to the public was effected, in spite of an increase of 93 per cent in the cost of operation of trains, by a reduction in the average passenger rate per mile from 2.04 cents in 1895 to 1.98 cents in 1915, a decrease of 3 per cent, and by a reduction in the average freight rate per ton mile from 8.39 mills in 1895 to 7.3 mills in 1915, or 13 per cent. During the same period the cost of operation per train mile rose from 92 cents to $1.78, almost doubling. At the same time the average price of 340 commodities enumerated in a bulletin of the Department of Agriculture increased 115 per cent. Transportation is practically the only commodity in general use that has not increased tremendously in price during the past twenty years, freight and passenger charges being lower than they were twenty years ago.

Big Saving to Public.

If rates had risen proportionately to the increase in the cost of other articles of ordinary use, Mr. Kruttschnitt told the committee, the average passenger rate in 1915 would have been 2.95 cents a mile, or 50 per cent higher than it was, and the average freight rate would have been 1.21 cents, or 66 per cent higher than it was. The saving to the public in passenger fares through this difference was $314,000,000 and in freight rates $1,340,000,000.

Universal railroad bankruptcy under this reduction in rates and increased cost of operation, he said, was avoided only by heavy expenditures to obtain increased efficiency in train movement, making it possible to haul more tons of freight per locomotive. This had reduced the average cost of hauling a ton of freight, but the decline in the average freight rate had reduced the net revenue of the roads from each ton hauled. If the operating costs of the railroads, including the prices of coal, labor and material, continue to advance at the present rate a lot of railroads will be in the hands of receivers by 1918 unless some relief is afforded Mr. Kruttschnitt told the committee.

"Owing to the rise of commodity prices," he said, "the purchasing power of the dollar has fallen 55 per cent and the railroads are in the position of being compelled by law to accept payment for their service to the public in currency worth 45 cents on the dollar.

Public's Chief Interest.

"The public's greatest interest is in adequate transportation facilities and not so much in low rates. As to most commodities freight rates form a very small proportion of their cost. Excluding low grade commodities, the percentage of the freight rate to the cost is so slight as to offer no justification for any substantial increase in prices to the consumer. It may be stated with little fear of contradiction that the consumer seldom, if ever, profits from a lowering of freight rates.

"Extortionate charges are a thing of the past, and under the attempt to cut rates to their lowest possible figure the interest of the whole public in the character and standard of transportation is subordinated to the interest of that part of the public only that profits by lower rates—that is to say, the shippers and their agents and not the general public, the ultimate consumer."

The Boy Who Dreams.

It is a good thing for the farmer boy to have an imagination, says the Prairie Farmer. It is a good thing for him to "dream dreams and see visions." It takes a dreamer to see the transformation that intelligent effort will bring to pass on the old place. It takes a dreamer to see how much more desirable that place will be in ten years than a job in a dry goods store.—Emporia Gazette.

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest To Women

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said, "Take tonoline.

Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

"What tonoline really did for me I cannot say. I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline publicly."

Tonoline is a purely vegetable preparation which goes to the seat of common maladies—stomach and kidney trouble, catarrhal affections of the mucous membranes, liver ailments and impurities of the of the blood—and quickly restores proper action. Tonoline is being explained daily at your druggists.

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Wrong Position for Sleep.

Sleep cannot knit up the raveled sleeve of care or do any other reparative knitting, if the head is bent sharply to an acute angle with the collar joints. Frequently men and women who have slept in this supposedly objectionable fashion for years and years suddenly lose the capacity for sleep with no new discoverable reason. It is difficult to convince them that the elasticity and resiliency of youth has heretofore made up for their lifelong awkward pose.

The Red River Valley Seed Growers Assn. has a list of farmers in this part of the state who have seed grain for sale. Send to the Northwest Experiment Station at Crookston, Minn., for a copy of the list.

Potatoes are selling at $3.00 a bu. and up, in all the large cities. Wonder why it would'nt pay to raise a good sized patch of the tubers this year?

Greatest Poets.

Homer, Lucretius, Dante, Shakespeare, Goethe, Milton, Shelley, Byron, Tennyson, Browning. Perhaps others might be added. It is largely a matter of taste and temperament—although there is but little room for argument about the first six names.

Early Slave-Holding State.

Maryland was an early slave-holding colony, for in 1642 Governor Calvert bargained with a certain shipmaster for the delivery of 13 African "slaves."

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

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Potato yields can in most cases be doubled by the corrosive sublimate treatment. Well rotted manure is what is needed on potato fields.

A few people (there should'nt be any) apparently think they are living in Europe instead of the United States. People of that class should live under a monarchy until they get enough of it.

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Local Items

Be an American.

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Trade in Holt and get rich.

P. L. Anderson was a Greenbush visitor Friday.

Ed. Bjerk returned Monday from Middle River.

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Hans Folstad of St. Hilaire visited with frieds here the past week.

L. Flack of Mabel, Minn. came Tuesday to look after his farm interests here.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain at the church next Thursday afternoon April 26th.

Mrs. Poppenhagen came last Thursday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

Upland wild hay cut fore part of July. Stacked on Sec. 8 Town of [illegible] Lake. For sale by K. O. Flakne. Holt Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Adams and little son returned yesterday from about a months visit with relatives at Dugdale.

Word was received Friday from Peter Kolden that he had been transferred from the naval training station, at Great Lakes Ill. to the battleship Florida.

Mrs. N. J. Engebretsen came Saturday from Everett, Wash., for an extended visit at the home of her sons Nils and Carl Engebretsen. This was quite a trip for a lady 76 years old.

The bank building was moved Tuesday. Then the postoffice was moved next. Wont Holt be proud though when we have a nice big brick building for the bank, postoffice and other businesses?

Mrs. A. C. Anderson and children left Wednesday for Minneapolis where her husband is. We understand they expect to conduct a rooming house there. Mr. and Mrs. Mickelson again have charge of the Central Hotel but would like to sell it on account of poor health.

Andrew Sorum is suffering from the effects of a broken collar bone. He was riding behind on their motor cycle and jumped off to make a short cut home to save two of them riding across the field. As he jumped he lost his balance and fell on the ground with such force as to cause a bad fracture. His father took him to Thief River Falls hospital for treatment.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
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Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Our Country's Peril

The Authorities at Washington have called upon the people at this time to assist the nation by intensive cultivation of the soil, thereby increasing all kinds of crops, vegetables and food-stuffs. Also to increase herds, flocks, etc., and their products. Butter, cheese, eggs and all kinds of meats will bring good prices, also vegetables of all kinds as flour is already higher than at any time since the civil war.

The need is great. Every patriot should do their part, whether fighting for their country or raising food for the people. A large Army and Navy is to be fed, and their fighting strength depends on food and care. They must be fed no matter what the cost. Then too there are those to feed who toil in factories, shops and other trades, the business and professional men, the women and children, all must eat or die as they have by the thousands in Europe and Asia. Many have been and more will be taken from the producing class and become consumers of food. The awfulness of war, which pen cannot describe, is upon on. Our peril is great from within and without. Foes are within and without that will give the country lots of trouble, there will be loss of life and property, sickness, suffering and untold sorrow, too terrible to think about. The farmer must not add to the burdens of this government, but must produce the largest crop possible. Town people must help with the largest gardens possible. Already prices of food-stuffs are soaring skyward and unless a halt is soon called— there will be starvation [illegible]

With all possible loyalty to the flag and to our country, we say from a heart that cannot feel any bitterness for the common people of Germany, "May God hasten the day when the Dove of Peace shall again reign over this fair land of ours," "the home of the Free and the Land of the Brave." Our Country First, Last and All the Time.

Since setting the above in type an S. O. S. message has come from the U. S. Navy Dept., stating their great need for men at this time, the most critical and perilous, in our national history. Congress can vote money, ammunition, cannon, etc., but the men must come from all the walks of life. The enlistment papers are ready at the postoffice for all who desire to serve their country.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Save money by trading in Holt.

John Melquist's family came Monday and they are now settled in the section house.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 8:00 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

Ole Reierson recently sold five head of sheep to Guy Anderson for $100.00. Who says stock raising doesn't pay?

We had a good rain Monday and Monday night and as it has just started, we'll probably get all we need.

Miss Huldah Johnson returned home Monday from Minneapolis, and was accompanied by Miss Lena Olberg for a few days visit.

A home talent play will be given in the Woodman hall Saturday evening by people from Middle River. It is a comedy and they guarantee to make you laugh.

Farms for sale or rent on easy terms and at reasonable prices.

Farmers State Bank

For Sale.

Twelve room hotel, central location in good live town, for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Write the owner, Sam Mickelson, Holt, Minn.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Morning services at the Lutheran church Sunday April 22nd. at 10:45

Sunday School at 9:30 o'clock A. M.

Young People Society at the parsonage Sunday afternoon April 22.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Recruits Wanted!

Having received official orders to act as a recruiting agent, I take this opportunity of soliciting young men for enlistment in the Army and especially for the Navy, which needs men to run ships that are already and waiting.

The safety of the United States is in peril and men are needed to protect the country, its citizens and their rights. Will you heed your country's call for help? How many men of this community are willing to go to the front now, while you may enlist for the duration of the war, only, under legislation just enacted by congress? Give us your application which will have prompt attention.

Yours for the United States,
Nils Engebretsen,
Postmaster.

Notice

The United States Government at the present time is [illegible] the people the necessity of increasing the production of food stuffs to the utmost extent, with a view to making the crop this year the largest in history, in all products of the soil. By so doing they will not only be performing a patriotic duty but will be acting in their own best interests, as the prospects point to a continuation of high prices with a ready market.

In line with this movement, we urge upon all the importance of increasing the acreage in crop to the largest possible extent. No field should lie idle. As much new land as possible should be opened up for crop. All available spaces in the country and in town should be made truck gardens.

Wherever seed is lacking we will endeavor to supply same as far as we may be able at lowest possible prices.

Yours truly,
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

Everyone is urged to raise a big garden this year, the bigger the better. A garden will pay big profits.

Melvin Mortrud came over from Newfolden the first of the week to run the butcher shop for Ole Pachlund.

A farmer recently told us that he was going to treat all his seed grain and potatoes for smut and scab and that he would thereby get a much larger yield at very little expense. He also told us he was going to plant 15 acres of corn and that raising corn was better for the land than summer fallowing, also the same was true of potato raising.

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Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.
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Sheriff's Proclamation To Foreign Born Residents.

I, Hans C. Hanson, Sheriff of Marshall County, deem it wise in the present crisis, in this formal proclamation to assure all residents of foreign birth that even in the event of the United States becoming actively involed in the great European war, no citizen of any foreign power, resident in Marshall County, need fear any invasion of his personal or property rights so long as he goes peaceably about his business and conducts himself in a law-abiding manner.

The United States has never, in any war, confiscated the property of any foreign resident unless by his own hostile acts he made it necessary.

I take this formal means of declaring to all foreign born residents that they will be protected in the ownership of their property and money, and that they will be free from personal molestation, so long as they obey the laws of the State and Nation.

Let it be understood that every citizen owes undivided allegiance to the American flag, that he is expected to loyally fulfill all obligations which citizenship and residence impose upon him, and that any act, however slight, tending to give aid or comfort to the enemy is treason, for which severe penalities are provided in addition to that punishment which public opinion inflicts upon the memory of all traitors in all lands.

I urgently request that all our people refrain from publicly criticising our Government in [illegible] present crisis and maintain a calm and considerate attitude toward all without regard to their nationality.

Dated this 17th. day of April 1917
Hans C. Hanson
Sheriff of Marshall County Minn.

The Marshall county press is loyal to the country in this time of dire distress, with but one exception.

If you need seed of any kind and cannot get it here, try the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston.

Chas Hagglund has moved back onto the farm just west of town. His son Oscar will work the Johnson farm this year.

Lewis Brandt moved from Roseau Wednesday with a car of stock, mchinery, etc which he moved onto a farm near Newfolden.

Thirty five cases of eggs were shipped from this station last Saturday. Wonder how much they would bring at present prices?

Young men can now enlist in the army just for the time the war lasts, and have all the advantages of soldiers even if never sent to the front. Enlist now.

The war may last a long time, and it will take many men from their regular employments. They must be feed no matter what the cost. Farmers are urged to plant every available acre to potatoes beans peas, rutabagas, carrots, onions and all kinds of vegtables. About 20 pounds of navy beans are required to plant an acre. They have always been on the rations of the army and the price will be high.

Notice to Farmers!

Will stand my New Black Percheron Stallion in Holt every Monday commencing April 2nd.

Be sure to come and see my horse before you breed elsewhere.

A. W. Williams.
Thief River Falls.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

The Choir will meet at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening to practice some new songs.

The Ladies Aid will entertain at the church next Thursday April 26th. Every one invited.

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

For Sale!

Good team of horses for sale cheap and on easy terms.

Holt State Bank.

Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank.

Trade at home.

Potatoes are selling at $3.00 a bu. and up, in all the large cities. Wonder why it would'nt pay to raise a good sized patch of the tubers this year?

In planning for the seasons crop, don't forget that patch of potatoes and corn, which you will need this year. There is need that every acre be made to produce a full crop.

Mangels, stock carrots and rutabagas yield 12 to 20 tons per acre and should be grown as feed for stock. They can be used to some extent in place of grain and will be [illegible]

The Red River Valley Seed Growers Assn. has a list of farmers in this part of the state who have seed grain for sale. Send to the Northwest Experiment Station at Crookston, Minn., for a copy of the list.

Ole Reierson recently shipped 43 bu. pure Early Ohio seed potatoes to Clarksville, Iowa, which he sold for $2.00 a bushel F. O. B., Holt. Does it pay to raise pure seed? Try it and see if it don't pay.

There is already a shortage of food stuffs in this country. Just in the last few days it was announced that the supply of wheat in the United States and Canada will be exhausted before the 1917 crop is ready.

This should be sufficient warning to the farmers. The granaries of the world are nearly empty. A shortage of crops in the United States this year will mean a shortage all over the world next winter. This warning is sent out by the county agent, R. C. Matwig, at Warren.

Twenty-six horses, 26 head of cattle, 3 hogs, baled hay, seed oats and barley, 2 mowers, 2 hayrakes, corn planters and cultivators, discs, gang, sulky and breaking plows, all kinds of harrows, wagons, boxes and buggies, gas engines, feed and fanning mills, seperators, drill, potato planter, harnesses, etc., will be sold Friday April 20, by Nordlum & Schenkey, on their farm, a half mile north of Middle River.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.22
Wheat No. 2	2.19
Wheat No. 3	2.09
Wheat No. 4	1.85
Flax	3 04
Oats	59
Barley	88 to 1.09
Rye	1.71
Flour, Best Patent	6.25

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Feb. 1917.

Cream received	10,175 lbs
Average test	24.84
Butter fat	2526.80 lbs
Percent overrun	21 37
Butter made	3066 lbs
Balance on hand last month	2 21
Received for butter shipped	1077 71
Butter and milk sold patrons	7 85
Cash sales at creamery	31 31
Rec'd from other sources	60
Total	$1119 68
Paid patrons by check	998 44
" " " Butter & milk	7 85
Expense fund, etc.	97 02
Other sources	
To sinking fund	16 35
Balance on hand	02
Total	$1119 68

Number of patrons, 61

Price paid for butter fat, 40c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

T. O. Dovre $44.21.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Sell your cream to the home firm.

Sleep cannot knit up the raveled sleeve of care or do any other reparative knitting, if the head is bent sharply to an acute angle with the collar joints. Frequently men and women who have slept in this supposedly objectionable fashion for years and years suddenly lose the capacity for sleep with no new discoverable reason. It is difficult to convince them that the elasticity and resiliency of youth has heretofore made up for their lifelong awkward pose.

Announcement

New Garage!

I have opened a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building. New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New. All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

Ole Hammerness
Holt Minn.

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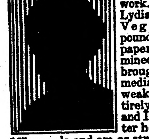

Chicago, Ill.—"For about two years I suffered from a female trouble so I was unable to walk or do any of my own work. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspapers and determined to try it. It brought almost immediate relief. My weakness has entirely disappeared and I never had better health. I weigh 165 pounds and am as strong as a man. I think money is well spent which purchases Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. Jos. O'Bryan, 1755 Newport Ave., Chicago, Ill.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, and nervous prostration. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the standard remedy for female ills.

Sure Thing.

"How are we going to pilot the ship of state?"

"I suppose by a tug of war."

FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Adv.

A Horse on Him.

"How well groomed young Dapper always looks."

"Yes; his valet used to be a 'ostler."

LIFT YOUR CORNS OFF WITH FINGERS

How to loosen a tender corn or callus so it lifts out without pain.

Let folks step on your feet hereafter; wear shoes a size smaller if you like, for corns will never again send electric sparks of pain through you, according to this Cincinnati authority.

He says that a few drops of a drug called freezone, applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, instantly relieves soreness, and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts right out.

This drug dries at once and simply shrivels up the corn or callus without even irritating the surrounding skin

A small bottle of freezone obtained at any drug store will cost very little but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

If your druggist hasn't stocked this new drug yet, tell him to get a small bottle of freezone for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

Spain and possessions last year sold to the United States goods valued at $35,458,377.

RED FACES AND RED HANDS

Soothed and Healed by Cuticura—Sample Each Free by Mail.

Treatment for the face: On rising and retiring smear affected parts with Cuticura Ointment. Then wash off with Cuticura Soap and hot water. For the hands: Soak them in a hot lather of Cuticura Soap. Dry, and rub in Cuticura Ointment.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Matrimony is the postgraduate course in a woman's education.

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SMALL TOWNS ASK MILITARY GUARDS

REQUESTS FOR PROTECTION OF GRAIN ELEVATORS AND OTHER PROPERTY RECEIVED.

MANY OWNERS ARE ANXIOUS

Uneasiness Attributed to Reports of Incendiary Fires in Minneapolis Industrial Plants in the East. Much Seed Wheat Stored.

St. Paul.—Numerous requests for military guards to protect various property, and especially grain elevators in small towns, which are being made to state executives are attributed by Lyndon A. Smith, attorney general, to anxiety on the part of owners following reports of incendiary fires in Minneapolis elevators and industrial plants and war demonstrations in eastern cities.

"Large quantities of seed wheat are stored in country elevators and a general fear seems to be that efforts will be made to destroy it," Mr. Smith said. "The anxiety expressed in many quarters appears genuine, whether the real situation is such to demand extra precautions in this direction."

Investigation by state inspectors showed that in the case of the recent fires in Minneapolis flames were communicated from one elevator to the other, but failed to disclose the origin of the first fire, R. W. Hargadine, state fire marshal, announces.

Offers Services to Nation.

St. Paul.—Public officials, professional and business men and other patriotic citizens in all sections of Minnesota are bombarding Governor Burnquist with tenders of service to American fighting forces. Mayors of towns without national guard organizations are offering volunteer companies. Physicians and dentists, clergymen, business executives, veterans of other wars and numerous others are sending telegrams and letters urging that they be called whenever the country needs their services.

Merwin M. Carleton Post No. 5, Veterans of Foreign Wars, St. Paul, tendered the services of its members through Commander William H. Eckley.

Offers of volunteer organizations have been received from Mayor G. A. Hansen, Tracy, and Mayor F. J. Schisler, Winthrop; Charles M. Brewer, a St. Paul attorney; Van Gordon of Brown's Valley; George P. Gurley, attorney, Pipestone; C. N. Carver, Lamberton, and Putnam Grey, 82 years old, Minneiska.

F. E. Kenaston of Hopkins, Capt. J. H. Barnard, United States cavalry, and A. X. Schall, a Minneapolis attorney, are others who have made similar tenders to the governor. All these communications were acknowledged and referred to Adjutant General Wood, pending further developments.

Baptist Young People Meet.

Little Falls.—Predictions were made by those in charge of arrangements that attendance records would be shattered at the seventh annual convention of the Baptist Young People's union of the Northwestern Association of Minnesota, which held a four-day session here.

Election of officers took place Saturday noon. The afternoon session was marked by a debate between representatives of the Brainerd and Detroit branches of the union. The question at issue, "Resolved, that the challenge legion will be of greater value to the B. Y. P. U. than the standard of excellence."

On Indian Land Sales.

Minneapolis. — The immediate development of more than 700,000 acres of land lying idle in Minnesota because of litigation over title is the probable result of a decision handed down by the United States supreme court in a test case involving the right of mixed-blood Indians to sell their lands.

This is the statement of Marshall A. Spooner, Bemidji, who made the winning argument before the court at Washington, March 15, and who was in Minneapolis when the news of the decision reached him.

Cooley, State Engineer, Retires.

St. Paul. — George W. Cooley, state engineer and secretary of the state highway commission during the last 11 years, has retired from active service. He declined appointment as deputy commissioner under Babcock.

Grow Hemp at Crookston.

Crookston. — A group of farmers in this vicinity are co-operating with the Northwest Experiment station and the International Harvester company in growing hemp.

Youths to Help Feed Nation.

St. Cloud.—Corn, pig raising, chicken raising and potato contests feature the program of the schools of Stearns and Benton counties to meet emergencies during the coming farming season. The work will be carried on under the high schools of St. Cloud and Sauk Rapids, and boys and girls from 10 to 18 years will take part. The Stearns county fair also has offered inducements on pig raising and the Benton county fair has offered big prizes for increased yield in all departments.

PERMANENT PROGRAM OF WORK ADOPTED BY CLUBS

Farmers' Federation Urges Erection of County Exhibition Building at Brainerd.

Brainerd. — The County Federation of Farmers' Clubs, in session in Brainerd, has adopted a permanent program of work, the projects to be followed up and progress reported at monthly meetings of clubs. These include:

The organization of live stock shipping association. Organization of federal farm loan association. Formation of cow-testing association. Organization of potato growers' association to be affiliated with the State Potato Growers' association. To promote the erection of a county exhibition building in Brainerd. Preliminary exhibitions are advocated to show the need of the proposed building.

Demonstrations and experiments with soils, farm crops and live stock to be carried on by club members in co-operation with the county agents.

Officer Faces Court-Martial.

Duluth. — Brigadier General F. E. Resche, commanding the Minnesota National Guard, has stated that charges had been preferred against Lieutenant Colonel Oliver J. Quane of St. Peter, Minn., by Colonel William T. Mollison, commanding the Second infantry, Minnesota National Guard, his immediate superior.

The court-martial will convene in St. Paul late in April, the general said. Specifications of the charges against Lieutenant Colonel Quane were not made public here, although it was said that he was accused of being instrumental in circulating a petition signed by ten officers of the Second regiment calling upon Colonel Mollison to resign.

Lieutenant Colonel Quane was given his rank last January.

Can Aid U. S. in Building Roads.

St. Paul. — Virtually one-half the road building outfits used in Minnesota can be turned over to the government on short notice should such equipment be needed for the defense of the country. Charles M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, has been investigating the available resources of the state for road construction in connection with military operations in defense of the country and has received data which warranted this conclusion.

The response by the counties and townships to the inquiries sent out by the commission was almost immediate.

Funds for Armory at Crosby.

Crosby. — The State Board of Investment has voted to buy $10,000 of certificates of indebtedness issued by the armory board to provide funds for a new armory at Crosby. Applications for a loan of $1,000 from Rose town, Ramsey county, on refunding bonds, and another of $2,000 from School District No. 35 in Big Stone county were approved. A disbursement of $20,000 was ordered on a loan to District No. 84, Lincoln county, for a new school at Hendricks.

More Guards to Be Called.

Minneapolis. — Drafting into the federal service of the Second and Third infantry regiments and First Field artillery, Minnesota National guard, is being considered by the War department, in the belief of army officers in the Twin Cities. It has been pointed out that all officers in the First infantry now rendering federal service must be recommissioned or new officers placed in command of the regiment by President Wilson.

State Plants Salmon Fry.

Duluth. — Millions of land-locked salmon fry are being planted this spring in the inland lakes of Northern Minnesota, according to a report given out by John C. Green of Duluth, deputy game warden. So far 3,500,000 fry have been planted. Fifteen years ago all of the inland lakes of the North contained these fish, but they disappeared.

Medical School Open All Summer.

Minneapolis. — At the request of the Council of National Defense, the University of Minnesota medical school will not close for the summer. Sessions will continue until the war ends. "Under this plan," the dean said, "the present junior class may be graduated next February and the sophomore class in August, 1918."

Dead Fish in Lake Winona.

Winona. — Dead fish, smothered in Lake Winona, have given the authorities here a health problem. The matter of hauling away millions of the decaying bodies of the fish washed up on the shore is receiving serious consideration. It is difficult to get to the point where the fish lie.

Students to Hold Stock Show.

Minneapolis. — The second annual live stock show by students of the Minnesota Agricultural college who are members of the Live Stock club will be held Saturday afternoon, April 21.

City Fights High Living Cost.

Duluth.—To help fight the high cost of living, employes of the public works division of Duluth will plow ground for home gardens. The Exposition association is bringing together owners of lots and growers who lack ground. Two men and a team will be used for the work until the need for a larger force is apparent, when further city teams will be employed. T. W. Walker, president of the Duluth Exposition association, has in mind using boy scouts to weed the gardens.

ATTEMPT IS MADE TO CALL SUFFRAGE BILL BACK TO LIFE

RESURRECTION OF MEASURE FAILS IN STATE SENATE WHEN 49 DECIDE TO LET BILL REST IN ITS GRAVE.

ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION IS ATTEMPTED IN VAIN

Outcome Is Foregone Conclusion Before Contest Is Started—Several Military Bills Introduced in Both Houses—Governor Delays Safety Bill.

St. Paul, April 10.—Attempts to resurrect the suffrage issue in the Minnesota legislature have failed.

Senator D. P. O'Neill and 13 others tried to bring the constitutional suffrage amendment bill back to life by voting to overturn the report of the election committee whereby the measure had been killed. There were 49 who decided to let the measure rest in its grave.

The efforts of Senator O'Neill and his small number of followers were directed mainly to putting some of the heretofore ardent supporters of suffrage into the open. Senator Olai Lende, chairman of the elections committee, frankly stated that the bill had been killed because the drys did not want to submit the suffrage amendment at the same time that prohibition is submitted to the people.

Outcome Was Foreseen.

The outcome of the resurrection attempts were a foregone conclusion long before the fight was started. A group of women, comprising members of the Equal Franchise league, were responsible for the attempts, however.

Senator Ward of Martin county, aroused many of the senators when he insisted that the vote would show who was hypocritical on the suffrage question. Incidentally, Senator Ward had voted against constitutional suffrage two years ago and was criticized for his "change of heart."

With the action the last vestige of hope—if it could have been called such—for resurrecting the suffrage issue, vanished.

Governor Delays Bill.

Upon the request of Governor Burnquist, action on the public safety commission bill was delayed.

It is understood the governor objects to the present form of the section relating to pay for the soldiers who served on the Mexican border. He wants the legislature to fix the amount. The bill gives the public safety commission such power.

The Senate finance committee will go over the bill again and will later report it to the Senate for action.

Military Bills Introduced.

Several military bills were introduced in both houses. One to prevent interference with enlistments, another to prohibit aliens from having firearms or explosives in their possession were introduced by Senator George H. Sullivan and Representative Albert F. Pratt.

Representative Sudheimer introduced a resolution in the House urging the federal government to place the burden of the war upon persons having incomes of $7,500 or more a year. Representative Devold, Socialist, introduced a resolution asking for confiscation of railroads, warehouses, mines and incomes of $10,000 or more.

Public Safety Bill Passed.

St. Paul, April 11.—Without a dissenting vote the Minnesota Senate has passed the George H. Sullivan bill providing for creation of a public safety commission with wide powers to handle the war situation so far as Minnesota is concerned. The bill carries an appropriation of $1,000,000.

Immediately after the passage of the big "war measure," a drastic bill aimed at the I. W. W.'s and all others who advocate criminal syndicalism, terrorism and sabotage, was passed with only the Socialist member, Richard Jones of Duluth, opposing it.

"Product of an Emergency."

The Public Safety commission bill had been amended by the finance committee so as to provide for the establishment of home guards. Governor Burnquist's request that the Legislature take all of the responsibility for the pay of soldiers who served on the Mexican border was turned down by the committee. Under the bill as passed by the Senate, the commission, with the governor acting as the chairman, will have to take full responsibility.

Senator G. H. Sullivan, in asking for immediate passage of the Public Safety commission bill, said that it was the "product of an emergency."

Three Changes Made.

Three important changes were made in the bill before it was passed. Provisions for establishment of home guards was the most striking change. The summary removal of civil officers by the governor upon the recommendation of the commission was another change.

Both the Public Safety commission and the I. W. W. measure will now go to the House for action. Supporters will ask that the two bills be passed under suspension of rules.

GREAT BATTLE ON FROM NORTH SEA TO SWISS BORDER

FIGHTING ON WESTERN FRONT HAS ASSUMED PROPORTIONS OF GENERAL ENGAGEMENT ON LONG LINE.

ENEMY WRECKING LENS; HAIG NEAR ST. QUENTIN

Desperate German Resistance and British Choice of Action Delay Fall —Raiding Operations Carried Out by Belgian and French Troops.

London, April 17.—Fighting on the western front has assumed almost the proportions of a general engagement from the North Sea to the Swiss border.

As yet the infantry has not been heavily engaged except to the north of Loos, in the Lens region or east of the Soissons region, within which confines the battle of Arras and the struggle for St. Quentin are being waged.

Artillery Duels More Intense.

The artillery duel, however, is growing in intensity in the region of Rheims, in the Champagne and down the line to Lorraine and Alsace.

Raiding operations by the French in these sectors also have assumed great importance and similar significant activities are being displayed by the Belgians north of the present great battlefield.

Infantry Offensive Seen.

Were attention not centered at present on the dramatic situations about Lens and St. Quentin, the fall of both being considered imminent, the great artillery battle in the region between Soissons and Rheims, which has been going on for several days, doubtless would have attracted more notice. As it is, the potential importance of this duel of the big guns cannot be minimized, presaging, as it may, offensive movements of the infantry on a large scale.

German Resistance Desperate.

In this connection the probability of a northward push by the French from the Rheims region to turn the left flank of the Hindenburg line as the British have turned the right at Vimy, has come to the front while the artillery battle has been raging.

Desperate German resistance and a probable desire by the British to squeeze the Germans out of Lens, rather than drive them from this coal mine and factory town by a direct bombardment and frontal attack, have delayed the fall of the city.

Lens Being Wrecked.

The latest official statement from London, however, shows the British lines creeping steadily closer, notably on the northwest.

Within the town the Germans are reported working havoc in the destruction of industrial plants and mines and feverishly removing guns and stores to follow the population in the exodus which already has been effected.

The situation around St. Quentin is little changed, but both the British and French statements reveal a situation there which is making the town untenable for the Germans.

Haig Closing on St. Quentin.

London, April 17.—In the face of the fiercest opposition yet rallied against the British drive, Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's forces have battered their way still further around Lens and pushed another wedge to within a mile and a half of the Cambrai-St. Quentin line.

EVENTFUL WEEK FACED BY PEOPLE OF AMERICA

Congress to Put War on Firm Footing—President's Appeal to Hasten Active Participation.

Washington, April 17.—One of the most eventful weeks in American history lies before the United States.

With President Wilson's appeal calling for the co-operation of every man and woman of the nation in waging a successful war, bringing the conflict home to every farm, factory and household, events of the next few days will move America rapidly forward to participation in the struggle with Germany. Congress will put the war on a firm footing this week.

ALEXIEFF MADE CHIEF OF ALL RUSSIAN ARMIES

Petrograd, April 17.—General Alexieff has been named commander-in-chief of all the Russian armies. He had been chief of staff of the army.

German-Americans Are Loyal.

Kansas City, April 17.—In a great Americanization meeting here, 10,000 Americans, born under 14 different flags, sprang to their feet, waving the American colors and rending the Sabbath peace with shouts of approval at the utterances of Rev. Andreas Bard, German pastor here. "The word is spoken," he told his audience, 1,000 of whom were German-Americans, "we will back the president to the limit. We raise the Stars and Stripes and shout to the world: 'America for all; all for America!'"

Makes Hard Work Harder

A bad back makes a day's work twice as hard. Backache usually comes from weak kidneys, and if headaches, dizziness or urinary disorders are added, don't wait—get help before the kidney disease takes a grip—before dropsy, gravel or Bright's disease sets in. Doan's Kidney Pills have brought new life and new strength to thousands of working men and women. Used and recommended the world over.

A North Dakota Case

Sidney Goodnow, machinist, 208 W. Eleventh St., Devils Lake, N. D., says: "Three years ago I was suffering from my back. It was lame and weak and ached most all the time. My kidneys were weak and disordered, too. The first few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills gave me relief and as I continued using them, they removed the trouble. I have found this medicine to be just as represented."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

A Jewel.

He—Each hour I spend with you is like a pearl to me.

She—Aw, quit stringing me.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

Used All Over the Civilized World for More Than 50 Years.

Stomach troubles seem to be almost universal the last few years; I mean indigestion in many forms, internal nervousness, caused by incompatible food fermentation, coming up of food, sour stomach, headache, apparent palpitation of the heart, habitual constipation, intestinal indigestion, caused by a torpid liver, and a general breakdown with low spirits and depressed feeling. Green's August Flower was introduced in this and foreign countries fifty years ago with wonderful success in relieving the above complaints. Sold by dealers everywhere at 25c trial bottles or 75c family size. Sole manufacturer, G. G. Green, Woodbury, N. J., U. S. A., Australia and Toronto, Canada.—Adv.

New Test for Color Blindness.

A new and accurate test for color blindness has been devised in Sweden and is described in the Upsala Lakareforenings Forhandlingar by Drs. C. G. Bostrom, G. F. Gothlin and H. J. Ohrvall.

It is made with a chart on which are evenly scattered patches of color, all very much alike and of irregular outline, showing the white background between them all. They are a light and a dark reddish lavender and a dull cherry red. The dull red patches are arranged in such a way that they form a large figure three or six, but as these are exactly the same tone as the lighter lavender it would be impossible to distinguish the figure unless one was certain of the difference in tint between the red and the lavender.

The figures are to be spoken aloud as read.

Caution.

"You are not making as many speeches as usual."

"I'm not feeling oratorical at present," replied Senator Sorghum. "The folks out home are differing on several questions so violently that I don't know which side to agree with."

A Big Saving.

"I'm thinking of buying a car."

"Where do you expect to get the money?"

"Oh, that will be easy. My doctor has ordered me to stop eating potatoes."

HEALTH FIRST
POSTUM

Scientific facts prove the drug, caffeine, in coffee is harmful to many, while the pure food-drink—

POSTUM

is not only free from drugs, but is economical, delicious and nourishing.

Made of wheat and a bit of wholesome molasses, Postum is highly recommended by physicians for those with whom coffee disagrees.

Postum is especially suitable for children.

"There's a Reason"

Sold by Grocers.

Died of Premature Old Age!

How many times we hear of comparatively young persons passing away when they should have lived to be 70 or 80 years of age. This fatal work is usually attributed to the kidneys, as, when the kidneys degenerate, it causes auto-intoxication. The more injurious the poisons passing thru the kidneys the quicker will those noble organs be degenerated, and the sooner they decay.

It is thus the wisest policy, to prevent premature old age and promote long life, to lighten the work of the kidneys. This can be done by drinking plenty of pure water all day long, and occasionally taking a little Anuric before meals. This can be obtained at almost any drug store. You will find Anuric more potent than lithia for it dissolves uric acid as water does sugar.

WITH YOUR HANDS TIED by some chronic "female complaint" or weakness, what can you expect? There's nothing you can accomplish—nothing you can enjoy. And no good reason for it. Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription will *cure* you, safely and certainly, if you'll give it faithful use. For every one of these womanly troubles, this is the only remedy: In periodical pains, bearing-down sensations, organic displacements, and every kindred ailment, and in all the nervous disorders caused by functional derangements.

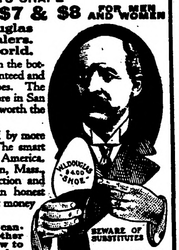
An easily procured vegetable pill is made up of May-apple, the dried juice of the leaves of aloes, and the root of jalap, made into a tiny pellet and coated with sugar. It was first put into ready-to-use form by Dr. Pierce nearly 50 years ago. Almost every drug store in this country sells these vegetable pellets in vials for 25c—simply ask for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They have Dr. R. V. Pierce stamp.

W. L. DOUGLAS

"THE SHOE THAT HOLDS ITS SHAPE"

$3 $3.50 $4 $4.50 $5 $6 $7 & $8 FOR MEN AND WOMEN

Save Money by Wearing W. L. Douglas shoes. For sale by over 9000 shoe dealers. The Best Known Shoes in the World.



W. L. Douglas name and the retail price is stamped on the bottom of all shoes at the factory. The value is guaranteed and the wearer protected against high prices for inferior shoes. The retail prices are the same everywhere. They cost no more in San Francisco than they do in New York. They are always worth the price paid for them.

The quality of W. L. Douglas product is guaranteed by more than 40 years experience in making fine shoes. The smart styles are the leaders in the Fashion Centres of America. They are made in a well-equipped factory at Brockton, Mass., by the highest paid, skilled shoemakers, under the direction and supervision of experienced men, all working with an honest determination to make the best shoes for the price that money can buy.

Ask your shoe dealer for W. L. Douglas shoes. If he cannot supply you with the kind you want, take no other make. Write for interesting booklet explaining how to get shoes of the highest standard of quality for the price, by return mail, postage free.

Boys' Shoes Best in the World $3.00 $2.50 & $2.00

LOOK FOR W. L. Douglas name and the retail price stamped on the bottom.

W.L.Douglas
President W. L. Douglas Shoe Co., 155 Spark St., Brockton, Mass.

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Boss—My man, it is my painful duty to discharge you.

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Use any injector, but Cutter's simplest and strongest. The superiority of Cutter products is due to over 15 years of specializing in VACCINES AND SERUMS ONLY. INSIST ON CUTTER'S. If unobtainable, order direct. The Cutter Laboratory, Berkeley, Cal., or Chicago, Ill.

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A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

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An application of Norwegian Paste will double the wear and waterproof your shoes. Send 25c coin or money order for large can. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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Make It Thick, Glossy, Wavy, Luxuriant and Remove Dandruff—Real Surprise for You.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it, surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store and just try it. Adv.

Bragging.

"They own a limousine."

"That's nothing. I know people who eat potatoes twice every day."

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine — double strength — is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Never That Way.

"Jack, do you love me still?"

"Try it once, pet, and let me see what it's like."

Send 10c to Dr. Pierce, Invalids Hotel, Buffalo, for large trial package of Anuric for kidneys—cures backache.—Adv.

"Going Up."

Calico is said to be the highest in 50 years, and the same is true of all skirts.—Columbus (S. C.) State.

Carter's Little Liver Pills For Constipation

The Great Vegetable Remedy

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Puts You Right Over Night

Genuine bears signature Brent Good

Small Pill
Small Dose
Small Price

Colorless or Pale Faces usually indicate the absence of Iron in the blood, a condition which will be greatly helped by **Carter's Iron Pills**

PRESIDENT CALLS ON NATION TO JOIN TO SERVE COUNTRY

REGARDLESS OF AGE, ALL ARE URGED TO HELP SHOW EFFICIENCY OF GREAT DEMOCRACY SUCH AS OURS.

SUPREME TEST HAS COME; ALL MUST ACT TOGETHER

The Food Supply Is Paramount and "Everyone Helps Who Cultivates a Garden"—Housewives Are Asked to Use Economy—Duty Is Outlined.

Washington, April 16. — President Wilson has issued the following personal appeal to the people of the United States:

Text of Address.

"My Fellow Countrymen—The entrance of our own beloved country into the grim, terrible war for democracy and human rights which has shaken the world, creates so many problems of national life and action which call for immediate consideration and settlement that I hope you will permit me to address to you a few words of earnest counsel and appeal with regard to them.

"To do this great thing worthily and successfully we must devote ourselves to the service without regard to profit or material advantage and with an energy and intelligence that will rise to the level of the enterprise itself. We must realize to the full how great the task is and how many things, how many kinds and elements of capacity and service and self-sacrifice it involves.

Armament a Simple Task.

"We are rapidly putting our navy on an effective war footing and are about to create and equip a great army, but these are the simplest parts of the great task to which we have addressed ourselves. There is not a single selfish element, so far as I can see, in the cause we are fighting for. We are fighting for what we believe and wish to be the rights of mankind and for the future peace and security of the world.

"These then are the things we must do and do well, besides fighting—the things without which mere fighting would be fruitless:

"We must not only supply abundant food for ourselves and for our armies and our seamen but also for a large part of the nations with whom we have now made common cause, in whose support and by whose sides we shall be fighting.

"We must supply ships by the hundreds out of our shipyards to carry to the other side of the sea, submarines or no submarines, what will every day be needed there and abundant materials out of our fields and our mines and our factories with which not only to clothe and equip our own forces on land and sea but also to clothe and support our people for whom the gallant fellows under arms can no longer work, to help clothe and equip the armies with which we are co-operating in Europe to keep the looms and manufactories there in raw material; coal to keep the fires going on ships at sea and in the furnaces in hundreds of factories across the sea; steel out of which to make arms and ammunition both here and there; rails for worn-out railways back of the fighting fronts; locomotives and rolling stock to take the place of those every day going to pieces; mules, horses, cattle for labor and for military service; everything with which the people of England and France and Italy and Russia have usually supplied themselves but cannot now afford the men, the materials or the machinery to make.

More Efficiency Needed.

"It is evident to every thinking man that our industries, in farms, in shipyards, in the mines, in the factories, must be made more prolific and more efficient than ever and that they must be more economically managed and better adapted to the particular requirements of our task than they have been; and what I want to say is that the men and the women who devote their thought and their energy to these things will be serving the country and conducting the fight for peace and freedom just as truly and just as effectively as the men on the battlefield or in the trenches. The industrial forces of the country, men and women alike, will be a great national, a great international reserve army—a notable and honored host engaged in the service of the nation and the world, the efficient friends and saviors of free men everywhere. Thousands, nay, hundreds of thousands of men otherwise liable to military service will of right and of necessity be excused from that service and assigned to the fundamental, sustaining work of the fields and factories and mines, and they will be as much part of the great patriotic forces of the nation as the men under fire.

Addresses the Farmers.

"I take the liberty therefore of addressing this word to the farmers of the country and to all who work on the farms. The supreme need of our own nation and of the nations with which we are co-operating is an abundance of supplies and especially of foodstuffs. The importance of an adequate food supply, especially for the present year, is superlative.

"Without abundant food alike for the armies and the peoples now at war, the whole great enterprise on which we have embarked will break down and fail. The world's food reserves are low. Not only during the present emergency, but for some time after peace shall have come both our own people and a large proportion of the people of Europe must rely on the harvests in America. On the farmers of this country therefore, in large measure rests the fate of the war and the fate of the nations. May the nation not count on them to omit no step that will increase the production of their land or that will bring about the most effectual co-operation in the sale and distribution of their products? The time is short. It is of the most imperative importance that everything possible be done and done immediately to make sure of large harvests.

"I call on young men and old alike and on the able-bodied boys of the land to accept and act on this duty—to turn in hosts to the farms and make certain that no pains and no labor is lacking in this great matter.

Appeals to the South.

"I particularly appeal to the farmers of the South to plant abundant foodstuffs as well as cotton. They can show their patriotism in no better or more convincing way than by resisting the great temptation of the present price of cotton and helping, helping on a great scale, to feed the nation and the peoples everywhere who are fighting for their liberties and for our own.

"The government of the United States and the governments of the several states stand ready to co-operate. They will do everything possible to assist farmers in securing an adequate supply of seed, an adequate force of laborers when they are most needed at harvest time and the means of expediting shipments of fertilizers and farm machinery as well as of the crops themselves when harvested. The course of trade shall be as unhampered as it is possible to make it and there shall be no unwarranted manipulation of the nation's food supply by those who handle it on its way to the consumer. This is our opportunity to demonstrate the efficiency of a great democracy and we shall not fall short of it.

Middlemen Admonished.

"This let me say to the middlemen of every sort, whether they are handling our foodstuffs or our raw materials of manufacture or the products of our mills and factories: The eyes of the country will be especially on you. This is your opportunity for signal service, efficient and disinterested. The country expect you as it expects all others, to forego unusual profits, to organize and expedite shipments of supplies of every kind, but especially of food with an eye to the service you are rendering and in the spirit of those who enlist in the ranks, for their people, not for themselves.

"I shall confidently expect you to deserve and win the confidence of people of every sort and station.

"To the men who run the railways of the country, whether they be managers or operative employes, let me say that the railways are the arteries of the nation's life and that on them rests the immense responsibility of seeing to it that these arteries suffer no obstruction of any kind, no inefficiency or slackened power.

"To the merchant let me suggest the motto 'small profits and quick service'; and to the shipbuilder the thought that the life of the war depends on him. The food and the war supplies must be carried across the seas no matter how many ships are sent to the bottom. The places of those that go down must be supplied and supplied at once.

Miner Stands With Farmer.

"To the miner let me say that he stands where the farmer does. The work of the world waits on him. If he slackens or fails, armies and statesmen are helpless. He also is enlisted in the great service army. The manufacturer does not need to be told, I hope, that the nation looks to him to speed and to perfect every process; and I want only to remind his employes that their service is absolutely indispensable and is counted on by every man who loves the country and its liberties.

"Let me suggest also that everyone who creates or cultivates a garden helps and helps greatly to solve the problem of the feeding of the nations and that every housewife who practices strict economy puts herself in the ranks of those who serve the nation. This is the time for America to correct her unpardonable fault of wastefulness and extravagance. Let every man and every woman assume the duty of careful, provident use and expenditure as a public duty and as a dictate of patriotism which no one can now expect ever to be excused or forgiven for ignoring.

"In the hope that this statement of the needs of the nation and of the world in this hour of supreme crisis may stimulate those to whom it comes and remind all who need reminder of the solemn duties of a time such as the world has never seen before, I beg that all editors and publishers everywhere will give as prominent publication and as wide circulation as possible to this appeal. I venture to suggest also to all advertising agencies that they would perhaps render a very substantial and timely service to the country if they would give it widespread repetition. And I hope that clergymen will not think the theme of it an unworthy or inappropriate subject of comment and homily from their pulpits.

"The supreme test of the nation has come, we must all speak, act and serve together.

"WOODROW WILSON."

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She slipped a stick in every letter and mailed him a box now and then.

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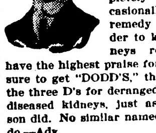

Mr. Robert W. Ferguson, Hingham, Mass., writes: I suffered from kidney disorder for years. Had incessant backache and trouble. Nearly died from it at one time while in Vancouver, but overcame it by a persistent use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. Finally I was completely cured. I occasionally use the remedy now in order to keep the kidneys regulated. I have the highest praise for Dodd's. Be sure to get "DODD'S," the name with the three D's for deranged, disordered, diseased kidneys, just as Mr. Ferguson did. No similar named article will do.—Adv.

He Knew.

"What is so rare as a day in June?" she quoted.

"Well, the twenty-ninth of February's got one beat a thousand ways," said the fellow who knows.

Proper to the Subject.

"What did you have in your medical lesson today?"

"An essay on appendicitis illustrated with cuts."

Naturally it takes a crank to get up a revolution.

The ball is the oldest toy

Don't Cry Over Spilt Milk.

"I'm so sorry I missed that opportunity to kiss you."

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No Compulsory Military Service

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A splendid opportunity for the young man to investigate Western Canada's agricultural offerings, and to do so at but little expense.

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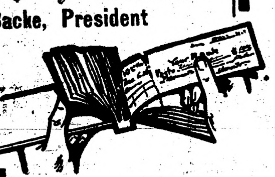

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U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn, April 13, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Lars Ingebrigtsli, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on May 6, 1913, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08906, for SW 1-4 NW 1-4 Sec. 1, Lot 2 S 1-2 NE 1-4, Sec. 2, Township 155 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of May 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Nels Omberg, Carl Dahl, Reno Boe and Clarence Larson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.
Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.
Peter M, Ringald, Register.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 11, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Nels Omberg, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on Nov. 9, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 08582 for NE 1-4, Sec. 26, Twp. 156 N., Ran.. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minn., at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of May 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Olaf Dahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Axel Benson all of Golden Valley, Minn.
Proof made under Act June 6. 1912.
Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest To Women

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

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If you are not interested, please call this to the attention of some one you think would welcome the position. If you are interested, write at once for particulars. Adress

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Greatest Poets.

Homer, Lucretius, Dante, Shakespeare, Goethe, Milton, Shelley, Byron, Tennyson, Browning. Perhaps others might be added. It is largely a matter of taste and temperament—although there is but little room for argument about the first six names.

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Homan—"One of the waiters at this place was formerly a duke, one of the chefs was a count and the bellhop was a prince." Ryontoo—"I suppose the manager was formerly a king or emperor?" Homan—"No; he was a milk wagon driver."—New York Sun.

Fireproof Wood.

To make wood fireproof, slack a small quantity of fresh lime and add water until it has the consistency of cream; stir well and add one pound of alum, 12 ounces of commercial potash and about one pound of salt. Stir again and apply while hot. Two or three coats will keep wood fireproof for many months.

Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand t... in above the turbulence of the waves.—Trinities and Sanctities.

The Boy Who Dreams.

It is a good thing for the farmer boy to have an imagination, says the Prairie Farmer. It is a good thing for him to "dream dreams and see visions." It takes a dreamer to see the transformation that intelligent effort will bring to pass on the old place. It takes a dreamer to see how much more desirable that place will be in ten years than a job in a dry goods store.—Emporia Gazette.

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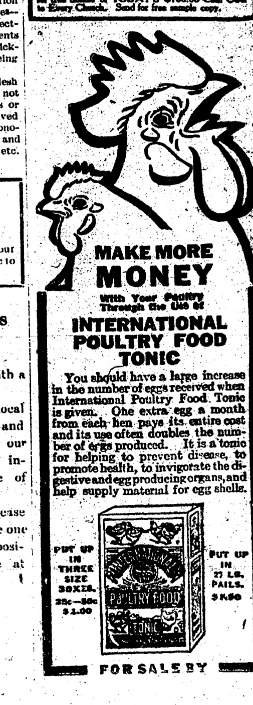

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Start raising pure seed potatoes or grains this year. T. M. McCall, Experiment Station, Crookston gives full information free. They can also tell how to treat potato seed for any kind of diseases.

Potato yields can in most cases be doubled by the corrosive sublimate treatment. Well rotted manure is what is needed on potato fields.

A few people (there should'nt be any) apparently think they are living in Europe instead of the United States. People of that class should live under a monarchy until they get enough of it.

The U. S. Navy needs men. There is a Recruiting Station at No. 304 Marquette Ave. Minneapolis, also at Duluth, Fargo and Grand Forks. If you are able bodied and between the ages of 17 and 30, they need you NOW.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Be an American.

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Trade in Holt and get rich.

Dr. Turley, dentist, May the 7th.

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

Brekkestran Bros. are putting a cement floor in their garage.

Hugort Johnson has gone to Montana to look for homestead land.

Miss Beatha Nelson visited over Sunday with friends at Strathcona.

Racine Olson went to Warren yesterday to attend an assessors meeting.

Miss Lizzie Hanson left last week for a visit with relatives at Strandquist.

Don't forget the movie shows at the hall every Saturday and Wednesday nights.

[illegible] cut his hand quite badly Wednesday while whittling out a model with his pocket knife.

Rev. Breederson, of Thief River Falls, visited Nils Engebretsen Tuesday, being enroute home from Ringbo where he held meetings.

The Red Lake Falls Elevator Co., shipped a full car of 1915 wheat on Tuesday. Wonder how much that car will bring at present prices.

Upland wild hay cut fore part of July. Stacked on Sec. 8 Town of Mud Lake. For sale by K. O. Flakne. Holt Minn.

Workmen commenced Monday to excavate ground for the new brick bank and postoffice building, which will be 24x71, one story high and full size basement.

Nels Gudvangen received word Saturday that his brother Richard, who enlisted in a Canadian regiment, had been wounded on the battle field in France. The young man received a gunshot wound in the head and thigh, April 11th, but no further particulars were given in the telegram relating the sad news.

A party of neighbors and friends gathered Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hanson to help their aged father, Andrew Hansen celebrate his 84th birthday. All report a very enjoyable social evening. Mr. Hanson is one of the early settlers here and is a most respected citizen. His step is very feeble but despite his age and physical infirmities, his mind is still clear and active.

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Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Southeast of Holt.

Miss Julia Ose commenced teaching a two months term of parochial school on Monday for the Free church congregation.

Gertrude Pries was an over Sunday visitor at the Guttrud home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole A. Johnson and son Jerone were very pleasant visitors at the S. G. Moe home on Sunday.

Anolph Rupprech had the misfortune of breaking his arm on Thursday.

Amund Sordahl returned, via Holt from Kansas City Missouri on Thursday at which place he finished a course at the Sweeney Auto school.

In spite of bad roads a very large crowd was present at the ladies aid at Guttrud's home last Thursday.

Annie Griebrok will entertain at her home May 17th.

Olga Larson was a week end visitor at Golden Valley.

The Country Life Club held their regular meeting at the school house Saturday evening. A very large crowd was present and a very interesting debate and program rendered. The next meeting will be held May 18th. at one o'clock.

Albert Swanson is busy breaking on his farm east of T. R. Falls and expects to seed it to flax.

Spring work is in full force around this locality, and all are looking for nice weather.

Trade at home.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Dr. Turley is coming May 7.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Moving picture show Saturday night.

Tony Carlson is sporting a handsome new auto.

Martin Nelson went to Warren Wednesday on business.

The Northwest Experiment Station, Crookston, has 400 lbs. Grimm Minnesota grown Alfalfa seed for sale to farmers who will sow 2 or 3 acres of it as an experiment.

Mr. Beck returned Friday to the home of his mother, Mrs. Chas. Martel, having been discharged from the army on account of physical disability caused by a broken arch of the foot.

A secret service man visited Kennedy a short time ago and straightened out some crooked fellows there.

Karlstad wants a potato warehouse built by home capital, instead of being tied to the apron string of an outside corporation.

Senator N. S. Hegnes, of Argyle, got the bill thru which places the office of Register of Deeds in certain counties on a salary basis. This will add several thousand dollars yearly to the Marshall county treasury.

Early planted corn does the best and yields the most. Frosts in the fall hurts corn more than spring frosts.

All the farmers clubs of Marshall county will have a big picnic June 16th. Farmers clubs in the neighboring counties will be invited to attend.

The Minnesota Commission on Food Production is sending out a warning that, Elements beside the law of supply and demand are at work which willl insure good prices for products and farmers are urged to plant all their fields and the people of the cities and villiages will have to help harvest the crops.

Farms for sale or rent on easy terms and at reasonable prices.

Farmers State Bank

For Sale!

Good team of horses for sale cheap and on easy terms.
Holt State Bank.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

The Choir will meet at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening to practice some new songs.

Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.
Holt State Bank.

For Sale.

Twelve room hotel, central location in good live town, for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Write the owner, Sam Mickelson, Holt, Minn.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

The Dorcas Society will meet at Mrs. J. L. Nelson next Saturday afternoon.

Sunday School at 2:00 o'clock P. M.

English services by Rev. Seltz next Sunday at 10:30 A. M.

Services in Golden Valley at Wilson school house next Sunday at 2 o'clock.

Ladies Aid and Services at Mrs. Engen's in Ringbo Friday May 4th. at 2 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Dump Ground Notice!

Notice is hereby given that a permanent dump ground has been bargained for of T. J. Bruce, in northwest corner sec. 4 of Excel. Owners and occupants of lots and parcels of ground can clean them up, also streets and alleys adjacent, and haul all rubbish, ashes and manure onto the above place--- 1-2 mile south of town and to the east of the road.

B. Docken, Village President.
H. B. Young, Village Clerk.

Stiener News

(Written for last weeks paper.)

John Christiansen of this place conducted religious services at Rosewood church Sunday evening.

Arthur Simonson and two sons were callers at Steiner last Saturday afternoon.

John Christianson sawed some lumber last week.

C. A. Swanson called at the John Kellog home Tuesday morning.

Oscar Smith of Norden township, was a caller at the home of John Christiansen on Tuesday of last week.

Several of the farmers in our vicinity have been working in their fields these last days.

The first rain of this year fell here Tuesday night of last week. It did not fall very heavily but continued through the night.

Several persons are reported ill with the mumps, which disease is making the rounds in our vicinity.

Arnil Solem was a Saturday afternoon caller at G. L. Leisner's last week.

Four members of the Peter Solem family have been reported on the sick list. One has recovered and the others are getting better.

P. Linden called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Sor of Rosewood last Monday.

The Malberg Bros. have been busy plowing these days and have been useing two plows and eight horses.

John Christiansen tranacted business at T. R. Falls one day last week.

Albert Swanson autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday afternoon.

Your county needs you— Young Man. Are you ready to defend her?

Notice to Farmers!

Will stand my New Black Percheron Stallion in Holt every Monday commencing April 2nd.

Be sure to come and see my horse before you breed elsewhere.

A. W. Williams.
Thief River Falls.

Coming
SATURDAY NIGHT
Holt - - Minnesota
Woodmen Hall April 28th
H. J. Olson's Movies
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Sheriff's Proclamation
To Foreign Born Residents.

I, Hans C. Hanson, Sheriff of Marshall County, deem it wise in the present crisis, in this formal proclamation to assure all residents of foreign birth that even in the event of the United States becoming actively involed in the great European war, no citizen of any foreign power, resident in Marshall County, need fear any invasion of his personal or property rights so long as he goes peaceably about his business and conducts himself in a law-abiding manner.

The United States has never, in any war, confiscated the property of any foreign resident unless by his own hostile acts he made it necessary.

I take this formal means of declaring to all foreign born residents that they will be protected in the ownership of their property and money, and that they will be free from personal molestation, so long as they obey the laws of the State and Nation.

Let it be understood that every citizen owes undivided allegiance to the American flag, that he is expected to loyally fulfill all obligations which citizenship and residence impose upon him, and that any act, however slight, tending to give aid or comfort to the enemy is treason, for which severe penalities are provided in addition to that punishment which public opinion inflicts upon the memory of all traitors in all lands.

I urgently request that all our people refrain from publicly criticising our Government in the present crisis and maintain a calm and considerate attitude toward all without regard to their nationality.

Dated this 17th. day of April 1917
Hans C. Hanson
Sheriff of Marshall County Minn.

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Recruits Wanted!

Having received official orders to act as a recruiting agent, I take this opportunity of soliciting young men for enlistment in the Army and especially for the Navy, which needs men to run ships that are already and waiting.

The safety of the United States is in peril and men are needed to protect the country, its citizens and their rights. Will you heed your country's call for help? How many men of this community are willing to go to the front now, while you may enlist for the duration of the war, only, under legislation just enacted by congress? Give us your application which will have prompt attention.

Yours for the United States,
Nils Engebretsen;
Postmaster.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.36
Wheat No. 2	2.31
Wheat No. 3	2.25
Wheat No. 4	2.08
Flax	3 10
Oats	[illegible]
Barley	92 to 1.17
Rye	1.79
Flour, Best Patent	7.15

Statement

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Bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders: none.

H. B. Young, Editor.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of April 1917.

B. Docken, Notary Public,
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My Commission expires 11-15-[illegible]

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"In a war like this, they also serve and serve effectively who till the fields and gardens.

"It cannot be repeated too often that the world needs every ounce of food it can produce this year, and that the growers of that food are sure of good prices. When men now of middle age were casting their first ballot, 'dollar wheat' was the farmer's ideal of prosperity. Today, we have two-dollar wheat, with other grains and meats and vegetables in proportion; and indications that any shift from these prices is as likely to be up as down.

"Every acre must work. The farmer who increases his crops is performing a national service, as well as assuring prosperity for himself. There cannot be too much, and unless a united and consistent effort is made, there will not be enough."—Chicago Journal.

Now that the United States has joined with the Allies, the sentiment of the past has merged into the personal interest of the present. The duty of the loyal and patriotic citizen is to bend every effort to bring the great World's War to a satisfactory conclusion, to assist in all ways the forces that have been fighting at tremendous odds the giant power of autocracy. Victory is now assured; the union of the great fighting force of the United States navy, its military, its financial co-operation, its full and complete sympathy, will eventually bring about a peace that will be solid and lasting. Canada, just across the border line, that has no mark of fortification, no signs of defense, welcomes the assistance that the United States is rendering, welcomes this new partner into the arena that is battling for a disruption of the forces that breed and beget tyranny and oppression, and fighting for a democratic and free world. What a sight it will be to see the American and the Canadian, with the Stars and Stripes and the Maple Leaf of Canada emblazoned in one fold and entwined in their effort to rid the world of an incubus that has disregarded all laws—human and divine.

There is a necessity for the greatest effort ever was made, not only on the battlefields of Europe, not only on the mined and submarined seas, but in carrying out on the peaceful fields of agriculture, the plans so urgently requested by those at the head of the departments of resources. The recent reports by the Government show a great falling off in the amount of grain that may be expected from the crop as of recent date, being only a little over 60 per cent, 16 per cent less than the average. Every patriotic American will bend all his effort towards increasing this. He may not shoulder a musket, but he can handle a hoe, he can drive a team and manage a plow. He will be doing yeoman service in this way, and assist in a wonderful manner the man who is fighting in the trenches. If he does not now own a piece of land, by all means get one—rent it, buy it—get it. There is lot of vacant land that will give ample return for his labor.

The desire to possess a home, to improve it and to prosper, is natural to every American, and today unprecedented offers are being made to secure the residence of the home-hunter. The war condition is draining the continent of its foodstuffs and economists are endeavoring to meet the rapid depletion of the nation's stores of grain and other farm products. Western Canada has proven her claim to being the natural producer of economically grown foodstuffs and is endeavoring to overcome a world's shortage in necessities by offering her lands, practically free, to anyone who will take them and produce. Labor is scarce in Canada, and is now being bonused. Good wages are offered and the time a farm hand is drawing pay in 1917, is considered by the Canadian Government, the same as residence duties on one of the free 160-acre farms, that this Government is giving away, in order to settle the fertile prairies and bring about within a few years a half billion annual crop of wheat.

The most conclusive evidence is available to any inquirer, that Western Canada farm lands will produce more wheat of a better quality and at a lower cost of production per acre than has heretofore been known in grain-growing countries. It is no idle statement to say, that yields of fifty bushels to the acre of wheat are grown in Canada; the statement is made in all seriousness and is backed up by the letters and affidavits of reliable farmers in Western Canada. These farmers are enjoying the same home comforts that their neighbors to the south participate; they have the same good houses, the same good horses and cattle, the same good roads and communication, as well as the same good social conditions, and, best of all, they own their land and what they earn they own for themselves, being a foundation for greater wealth and independence.—Advertisement.

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TWENTY-FIVE MILLION BUSHELS OF GRAIN NOW HELD IN MINNEAPOLIS.

FLOUR MILLS ARE AFFECTED

Able to Run Only at Half Capacity According to Complaint to Rail Commission—Moving of Next Crop May Be Hindered.

Minneapolis. — A glut of 25,000,000 bushels of grain now paralyzing the big Minneapolis terminals will not be more than one-third moved at the present rate before the new 1917 crop begins to arrive. Minneapolis flour mills, running only from 40 to 60 per cent of capacity since last fall, present another serious phase of a car shortage situation almost without precedent.

The foregoing complaints laid before the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission, are to be taken up with George T. Slade, vice president of the Northern Pacific road, who will represent Western lines on the railway war board, immediately on his return from the East.

This was the only method of seeking relief suggested, following expressions of doubt of the commission's authority because the problem involves interstate traffic largely.

"Unless relief is given, the Northern Pacific and Great Northern roads will be in worse shape than ever next fall because there will be no place available to carry the grain," W. T. Fraser, manager of the Cereal Grading company, said.

New Court Law Explained.

St. Paul. — Chief Justice Calvin L. Brown of the supreme court has issued a statement explaining the workings of the act passed by the Legislature abolishing the two terms of the court, with their call of the calendar. Hereafter appeals will be set by the court as they come in, and the attorneys notified.

This, the chief justice says, will greatly reduce the ever-increasing cost of appeals, for it will do away with the necessity of the client's paying the expense of an attorney's journey to St. Paul on the opening day of the term.

Ice Smothers Fish.

Fairmont.—Thousands of rough and game fish were smothered to death in the ice-covered lakes of Martin county in the past winter. Game Warden Altenberg, who has been making a survey of the fish piled on the shores of the lakes, estimates that no less than 1,777,000 pounds of edible fish, with a market value of $65,000, perished from preventible causes.

Many muskrats also died. The disposition of the dead fish is a problem for local health boards.

First Steamer Loads at Duluth.

Duluth.—The frozen expanse of Lake Superior shifted before the howling blast of the recent northeaster, and great cracks and open spaces showed on the surface in front of Duluth for the first time this spring. Coincident with the coming break-up the steamer Saxonia smashed its way through eighteen inches of blue ice in the harbor to Elevator D for a cargo of grain. The Saxonia will take 250,000 bushels of wheat, and it is expected that more vessels will follow.

Company G Goes to Duluth.

Duluth. — Requests for more troops at the head of the lakes have led to the shifting of Company G, First infantry, to Duluth, Lieutenant-Colonel McGee, in charge during the illness of Colonel Erle D. Luce, it has just been announced. The troops will perform duties similar to those on guard in Minneapolis.

Gopher Debaters Beat Badgers.

Minneapolis. — The University of Minnesota debaters have won a unanimous victory over the University of Wisconsin team on the question of compulsory military training in the United States. The Minnesota team upheld the affirmative side, arguing in favor of universal service.

Pledge Loyalty to U. S.

Wheaton. — In a demonstration of intense loyalty to America fully 1,500 residents of Traverse and adjoining counties gathered in the community school building here and pledged their lives and fortunes to the nation in its war for human freedom.

Pipestone High School Burns.

Pipestone.—Fire of somewhat mysterious origin has destroyed the Pipestone high school building with a loss estimated at $100,000, though it will cost, it is believed, $150,000 to rebuild it.

Owners Offer Use of Idle Tracts.

St. Paul. — Owners of idle tracts of land in Northern Minnesota are literally swamping R. E. Hilton, association commissioner of the St. Paul association, who is listing the lands for use by stockmen in an effort to increase the area available for grains.

Business Men Enroll For Drill.

Stillwater.—More than 30 business men have enrolled for special drill. The list includes a number of former members of Company K, who saw service in the Philippines.

Plan Big Red River Crops.

Crookston. — Northwestern Minnesota will do its share toward providing food stuffs for the United States and its Allies in the war against Germany. This was the expressed conviction of 100 representative farmers, bankers and business men, who met here to formulate plans for increasing food production in the Red River valley.

A survey of the seed and labor supply was urged as the first step to be taken in the campaign for a "bumper" crop. Speakers also laid stress on the necessity for an increase of acreage by farmers.

The labor supply was declared to be one of the big problems that must be solved. It was asserted that the Red River valley will require nearly 20,000 farm hands to harvest the increased crops.

U. S. Appeals to 38 Counties.

Washington, D. C. — Thirty-eight Minnesota counties are called on specifically in an appeal by Secretary Houston of the Department of Agriculture to serve the world need by increasing their spring acreage this month.

The Minnesota counties named in the appeal, in order of importance as spring wheat producers, as the government lists them, are:

Ottertail, Polk, Clay, Kittson, Lac Qui Parle, Marshall, Renville, Stearns, Wilkin, Big Stone, Blue Earth, Norman, Sibley, Swift, Traverse, Faribault, Kandiyohi, Meeker, Pope, Redwood, Yellow Medicine, Brown, Chippewa, Douglas, Le Sueur, McLeod, Stevens, Waseca, Wright, Grant, Nicollet, Becker, Carver, Freeborn, Morrison, Rice, Steele, Todd.

Fight Mosquitos With Fish.

Winona, Minn.—Armed with authority, as well as facts and data collected by the U. S. bureau of entomology, and pressing forward with his most able ally, the bureau of fisheries, F. M. Barnes, a scientist, is now waging a war which he says will never end until mosquitos ask for quarter. The relationship of fish to the mosquito larvae is being investigated. It is known that in southern waters and even in lakes in the north, fish feed on mosquito larvae.

New Range Tax Fight Up.

St. Paul. — Another fight in the long series by iron range towns to tax mining companies has come before the supreme court on arguments in a certiorari review on the petition of the City of Ely against the Minnesota Tax commission. The city is attacking the action of the commission in reducing assessments of certain companies on ore, totaling several million dollars, and contending that the commission exceeded its legal authority.

Hospital Reforms Assured.

Hastings.—Prompt action is planned by the State Board of Control, Chairman Ralph W. Wheelock says, to provide proper medical and other protection for patients, to establish an efficient system of discipline among the employes and to correct other conditions at the Hastings State Insane hospital, which was criticized by the state board of visitors after an investigation of the administration of the institution in a report just made public.

Settlers for Minnesota.

St. Paul.—Minnesota received the largest percentage of settlers who passed through the Minnesota Transfer in April, according to the Transfer report just made public. Of 1,592 settlers who were routed by the Transfer, 489 were on their way to homes in this state. North Dakota was second with 337, Montana third with 321 and Canada fourth with 231.

Snelling Is Training Post.

Fort Snelling has been designated by the War department as one of four army posts where 2,500 reserve officers and candidates for commissions will be given three months of intensive training. The four groups will constitute the first 10,000 to become officers of the half-million troops to be raised for the United States army.

Cloudburst Hits Houston.

Houston.—A cloudburst passed over a six-mile section near this village and in the period of twenty minutes enough water fell to swell a small stream in Looney valley out of its banks. A score or more of small bridges were washed out.

J. J. Hill Estate $50,000,000.

The estate of James J. Hill to be disposed of through the Ramsey county probate court will total more than $50,000,000. It is estimated that $1,500,000 inheritance tax, the largest ever paid in Minnesota, will be paid by the Hill estate.

Orders Flood Range Houses.

Duluth.—The entrance of the United States into the world war has brought a flood of orders for materials of all kinds which have made the range country famous. Private consumers are pressing to obtain deliveries of goods ordered months ago.

Seed Shortage Not Feared.

Minneapolis.—Fear of a shortage of seed wheat and seed potatoes has passed in Minnesota, the crop production sub-committee of the state committee on food production and conservation announces.

C. P. Bull, a member of the subcommittee, explained that the farmers of this state had been notifying the body, since it instituted inquiry, that they were supplied with enough potatoes to plant the increased acreage urged. Seed wheat is now known to be available in sufficient quantities.

U. S. WAR GARDENS WILL HELP TO END WORLD STRUGGLE

MINNESOTA STATE FOOD PRODUCTION COMMITTEE URGES UNIVERSAL PLANTING AS WAR MEASURE.

FOOD SHORTAGE THREATENS

Peril Moves Thousands to Activity—Gardeners Advised to Obtain Bulletin By University—Work Encouraged Because Women Can Carry it on If Men Are Called.

St. Paul.—The peril of a food shortage during the coming winter is moving tens of thousands of persons to start war gardens this spring. Many of these gardeners are new at the game. For this reason some suggestions are given here—suggestions that may be of use even to veteran gardeners.

Gardeners are advised by those familiar with a bulletin on Vegetable Gardening, published by the Agricultural Extension Division of the University of Minnesota, University Farm, St. Paul, to get the bulletin, as it is full of valuable hints and directions of a very practical nature. It gives information regarding the treatment of the soil, manures, seed-sowing, transplanting, insects, plant diseases, hotbeds, amount of seed required, and instructions as to the cultivation of all of the garden vegetables.

This is the kind of an emergency in which every person must do his bit, say the gardeners at University Farm. The gardens started in Minnesota this spring should go far toward feeding those who operate them, thus releasing enormous stores of food for the sustenance of those who are fighting the battles of permanent peace and free government. For this reason the slogan, "Eat more vegetables," should be the guide of all of Minnesota's people, say those in charge of the food production campaign.

The eating of more vegetables during the summer, and in canned form during the winter will mean the saving of large quantities of corn and other non-perishable foodstuffs that may be shipped to America's allies. With these allies bread will count as much as bullets.

Gardening is encouraged, too, because the work can be done largely by women and the young folk in the homes if the men are called to other duties. It is estimated that 20,000 boys and girls can be enrolled in the garden and canning projects, which will help to feed America's armies.

R. S. Mackintosh, of the Agricultural Extension Division of the University, recommends a square-rod garden as the unit from which to work. If one has more space than this to work he can simply add more units on the same plan, or more fractions of units. A plan for a square-rod war garden is given herewith. Mr. Mackintosh suggests that the gardener should find out what he wants and plan his garden accordingly. Only a few vegetables are suggested in the plan he gives, but others may be substituted—potatoes, for example. Every garden, he says, should be just as large as it can be made in order that more than enough vegetables for the summer can be grown—enough for the winter. Early white turnips are suggested as a means of saving potatoes. These turnips mature very soon. Carrots, beets, chard, tomatoes, cabbage, squash, sweet corn, peas, beans (lots of them), parsnips, and early and late potatoes, are other desirable products of the vegetable garden.

In addition to the bulletin already mentioned, a two-page letter containing valuable hints may be had by addressing the Agricultural Extension Division, University Farm, St. Paul.

The plan for the war garden mentioned follows:

Row No.	PLAN FOR A SQUARE ROD GARDEN	Inches between rows
1	Radish and Carrots followed by Tomatoes	12 18
2	Early Peas	12
3	Early Peas	18
4	Radish and Carrots followed by Tomatoes	18 18
5	Early Peas	12
6	Early Peas	18
7	Lettuce followed by Tomatoes	18
8	String Beans	12
9	String Beans	18
10	Spinach followed by Tomatoes	18
11	Early Beets	12
12	Early Beets	12 12

This garden is 16½ feet each way, and is given simply as a suggestion for a garden plan.

Training School For Troops Open.

Superior, Wis., April 21.—A military industrial training school for troops in service has just been opened in Superior. Three hundred and eighty-four enrollments were listed ranging from 23 to 93 in the various classes. Soldiers off duty will be instructed in locomotive and stationary engineering, Morse and wireless telegraphy, field telephony, operation and mechanism of autos, trucks and motorcycles, hippology and the care and treatment of horses and mules, topography, maps, etc.

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The largest settlement in Greenland has a population of less than 800.

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A North Dakota Case

Mrs. W. M. Lemmay, 1001 N. Fifth St., Grand Forks, N. Dak., says: "My back began to pain and was very lame. When I tried to get up after sitting, I had to place my hands on my back for support. Mornings when I first got up, I could hardly endure the pain. Finally, I used Doan's Kidney Pills and after I had taken three boxes, the trouble entirely left me."

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Another Operation Avoided.

Richmond, Ind.—"For two years I was so sick and weak from female troubles that when going up stairs I had to go very slowly with my hands on the steps, then sit down at the top to rest. The doctor said he thought I should have an operation, and my friends thought I would not live to move into our new house. My daughter asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she had taken it with good results. I did so, my weakness disappeared, I gained in strength, moved into our new home, do all kinds of garden work, and raised hundreds of chickens and ducks. I cannot say enough in praise of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. M. O. JOHNSTON, Route D, Box 190, Richmond, Ind.

Of course there are many serious cases that only a surgical operation will relieve. We freely acknowledge this, but the above letters, and many others like them, amply prove that many operations are recommended when medicine in many cases is all that is needed.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

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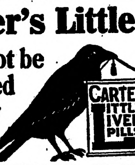
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Satan is the father of lies and matrimony is the mother of excuses.

Took No Chances.

"Have any trouble with your car during the winter?" "No; I put it away last fall until spring."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist),
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Fargo, N. D.

The Wise Fool.

"There is no such thing as luck," observed the Sage. "Did you ever have a set of fours beaten?" asked the Fool.

Do You Neglect Your Machinery?

The machinery of the body needs to be well oiled, kept in good condition just as the automobile, steam engine or bicycle. Why should the human neglect his own machinery more than that of his horse or his engine? Yet most people do neglect themselves. To clean the system at least once a week is to practice preventive measures. You will escape many ills and clear up the coated tongue, the sallow complexion, the dull headache, the lazy liver, if you will take a pleasant laxative made up of the May-apple, juice of the leaves of aloes, root of jalap, and called Pleasant Pellets. You can obtain at almost any drug store in this country these vegetable pellets in vials for 25c—simply ask for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. There can be no counterfeit if they have the Dr. Pierce stamp. Proven good by 50 years' use.

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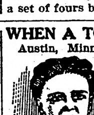

Austin, Minn.—"I have taken Dr. Pierce's Favorite prescription and Golden Medical Discovery together several times during the last few years when I have felt the need of something to tone up my system and they have always built me up so that I have never had to call in a doctor. I have also taken the 'Pleasant Pellets.' Before I took them I was terribly constipated and since they cured me of that I have not found it necessary to take any purgative at all. I am very glad to recommend Dr. Pierce's remedies."—MRS. GRACE PUGH, 303 Cedar Street.

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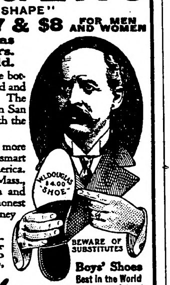

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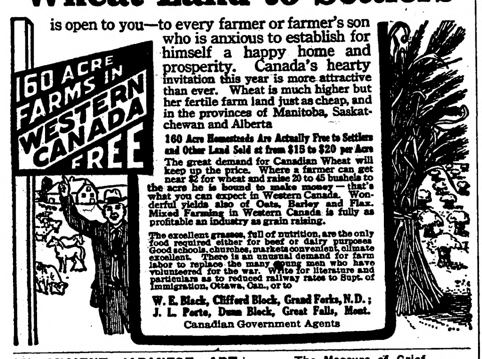
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AN ANCIENT JAPANESE ART

Embroidery Made in Flowery Kingdom for Centuries Before Country Was Opened to World.

Japanese embroidary, now so popular in this country, is one of the oldest arts of the mikado's people. For centuries before the country was opened to foreign intercourse heavily embroidered silk kimonos, screens, and other articles were made by professional embroidery experts, principally in Kyoto. This same profession continues today, having been handed down from father to son for many generations. For this reason the center of the country's art-embroidery industry is at Kyoto, although cheaper embroideries, principally for export, are produced in large quantities in other part of the Kobe district.

The majority of the workers in Kyoto are men, who produce the finer grades of embroidery. It is essentially a household industry, and is usually conducted in small shops, where from three to ten apprentices and skilled embroiderers are employed. The men received from 40 to 75 cents gold per day. The women, however, are able to earn from 15 to 50 cents gold per day, depending upon their ability and diligence.

The manufacture of hand-made lace is a comparatively new industry in Japan, as lace was not used by the Japanese before the advent of foreigners. The industry is still in its infancy, and the output is small.

Takes a Strong Wind, Too.

Dr. George T. MacCoy of Columbus recalls that when the Spanish-American war broke out, in April, 1898, two Irishmen were at work on a new asphalt pavement, being laid on Washington street. He was watching them when one stopped handling his pick and glanced up at the courthouse tower, where a flag was waving.

"What's the use of putting a flag up there?" the man questioned. "The wind will whip it to pieces."

"Yes, but the wind's the only thing that can whip it," was the other's quick reply.—Indianapolis News.

While a man's will may be law, in the case of a married man the law is seldom enforced.

A lie has no legs, but it never feels the need of them while on its travels.

The Measure of Grief.

"Why is Miss Fitleigh wearing only half mourning for her brother?"

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CHINESE MILITARY TACTICS

Celestials Planned to Trip Up Foes, Throw Water in Their Faces and Then Cut Off Their Heads.

At the beginning of the Chino-Japanese war, says a contributor to the Washington Star, one of our military attaches saw a Chinese regiment take the field at a review and go through a very curious performance.

The soldiers carried long bamboo poles like fishing rods, and with these they rushed at one another, yelling wildly and making very queer gestures and grimaces.

"What's the game?" asked the American.

"That regiment," a Chinese general answered, "is one of our very oldest. It is now practicing a form of assault that dates from prehistoric times. The idea is to trip the enemy up with the long wand, throw water in his face and, in the midst of his bewilderment at this extraordinary treatment, to cut off his head."—Youth's Companion.

Couldn't Keep It Up.

The City Man (to ninety year-old peasant)—Tell me, what must one do to grow to be as old as you are?

Peasant—Don't drink, don't smoke, keep out in the fresh air.

City Man—My father did all those things and died at sixty.

Peasant—Yes, but he didn't do them long enough.—Fliegende Blaetter (Munich).

Forgetfulness is the noblest remedy for injuries.

THOUSANDS UPON THOUSANDS OF HEALTHY BOYS & GIRLS EAT

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AND CREAM EVERY MORNING BECAUSE WISE MOTHERS KNOW

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NEW DRIVE ON WIDE FRONT IN FRANCE IS LAUNCHED BY HAIG

THIRD PHASE OF OPERATIONS AGAINST FORMIDABLE ENEMY DEFENSE BEGUN AFTER A WEEK OF PREPARATION.

TEUTON FLEETS PREPARE FOR BLOW AT PETROGRAD

Transports Leave Libau for Unknown Destination—Believed to Presage Attack—Allies Take Wood and Village from Invaders—General Offensive Resumed.

London, April 24.—While momentous battles are being fought on the western front a new movement of possible vital importance may have been initiated by the Germans in the eastern theater of war. A dispatch from Petrograd reports the departure from Libau on the Baltic south of the gulf of Riga of German transports for an unknown destination.

May Mean Petrograd Offensive.

This may mean that the Germans have begun their threatened operation of making a combined land and sea movement against the Russians by landing on the gulf of Finland in the rear of the Russian northern flank, fighting their way inland and cutting off Petrograd.

British Begin New Drive.

London, April 24.—After a week's interlude, during which they had been consolidating the gains of the first week's offensive and bringing up their guns, the British at dawn began another phase of the operations against the formidable German defense on the front in northern France.

Haig Reports Progress.

General Sir Douglas Haig reports that the forces under his command attacked on a wide front on both sides of the river Scarpe where a portion of the Hindenburg line forms a barrier defending Cambrai, and that they are making satisfactory progress.

More Ground Captured.

Further south, British troops have captured the remainder of the village of Trescault and occupied the greater part of Havrincourt Wood, which formed a two-mile bulge in their line. From this point to St. Quentin, the line approaches very closely the Cambrai-St. Quentin road and canal.

Contemplate Alternate Smashes.

London hailed Haig's report as indicative of resumption of the general British offensive. While there has been no abatement in the pressure around Lens and on the Cambrai-St. Quentin line in the last week, nevertheless it was felt here that the Franco-British strategical plans contemplated alternate smashes in force between the Haig and Nivelle armies. While the French army was making its terrific assault on the Soissons-Auberive front, the British seized the time to consolidate the positions they won in the first smashing drive.

Force Enemy to Concentrate.

Now, however, according to military experts' belief, the British army has started its concerted, all along the front offensive, forcing Hindenburg to concentrate his reserves in opposition and permitting the French in turn to consolidate their positions, bring up more guns and get a breathing spell.

CHINESE LOYAL TROOPS BATTLE REBEL FORCES

Fighting in Cheng Tu Breaks Out As Result of Friction Between Parties—Foreigners Safe So Far.

Cheng Tu, China, April 24.—Fierce fighting has broken out in the streets here between the Sze-Chuen and Yunnan troops, after friction between the two parties since the Yunnanese forces entered Cheng Tu last April. The direct cause of the outbreak was the attempt of the military governor of Sze-Chuen, who is a Yunnanese, to disband the provincial troops and strengthen his grip on the province.

The British, French and Japanese consuls, at much personal risk, have succeeded in arranging an armistice, but the situation is still critical. All foreigners are safe so far.

Turks Sent to West Front.

Copenhagen, April 24.—Berlin is thronged with Turkish troops en route to the western front, and stirred by Socialist peace talk, according to information from the German capital reaching here.

Swedes Would Fight for U. S.

Stockholm, April 24.—More than a hundred Swedish citizens have called on American Minister Morris offering to serve against Germany in the American army.

Ousted pro-German Professor Watched.

Chicago, April 24.—Federal officials are reported closely watching the activities and speech of Scott Nearing, ousted professor of social sciences at Toledo university. Nearing's recent statement in an address at the University of Chicago that "following the President now would lead to the ruin of the republic" is regarded in some quarters as at least seditious if not treasonable. German propagandists are again becoming active here, federal officials declare.

TEUTON WARSHIPS SUNK OFF DOVER IN FIGHT WITH BRITISH

TWO DESTROYERS AND POSSIBLY THREE LOST—105 GERMANS RESCUED, ADMIRALTY ANNOUNCES.

TURKS DECIDE TO SEVER DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS

Constantinople Dispatch Relayed Thru Switzerland—State Department Announces Safe Arrival of British Foreign Minister Balfour and Party.

London, April 23.—The admiralty announces that two German destroyers, possibly three, have been sunk in the course of a German raid near Dover.

Five German destroyers took part in the Dover raid. They were engaged by two Dover patrol vessels. The British suffered no material damage.

The British casualties were slight in comparison with the results obtained. One hundred and five Germans were saved.

Turkey Breaks With United States.

Basel, Switzerland, April 23.—A dispatch from Constantinople says the Ottoman government has notified the American embassy that following the example of its ally, Austria-Hungary, it has broken diplomatic relations with the United States.

Relief Ship Ringhorn Sunk.

London, April 23.—Officials here of the American commission for relief in Belgium have been advised that the steamship Ringhorn, outward bound from Rotterdam with a safe conduct, has been sunk.

Relief Ship Destroyed.

Amsterdam, April 23.—The relief ship Kongsli has been sunk by a mine or submarine. One member of the crew is missing.

Balfour and Party Arrive.

Washington, April 23.—The safe landing of British Foreign Minister Arthur J. Balfour and his party has been announced by the state department. The official announcement said: "The department of state has been advised of the safe landing of Mr. Balfour and his party."

THREE BROADWAY STARS PASS AWAY WITHIN WEEK

"Dave" Montgomery, Ben Teal and "Diamond Jim" Brady Are Dead—"Tin Woodman" To Be Seen No More.

New York, April 23.—For the second time within a week, death has checked the laughter and the song of Broadway.

The theatrical district mourns the loss of three men who contributed much to its life, its art and its works which made the world a little brighter.

The "tin woodman" will never oil his creaky joints again.

The man who first produced "Ben Hur" and who directed the elaborate staging of "Humpty Dumpty," "Beauty and the Beast," and other famous musical productions, will never again add his artistic touch to an author's works.

"Dave" Montgomery, Ben Teal and "Diamond Jim" Brady have been taken away from Broadway within a week.

MINNESOTA CAMPAIGN FOR BIG 1917 CROP LAUNCHED

Committee Named By Governor Holds First Meeting and Decides On Initial Step.

Minneapolis, April 23.—Minnesota's statewide campaign for a big 1917 crop that has been in the planning stage since war with Germany was declared, actually got under way when the Minnesota committee on food production and conservation had its first meeting at the state agricultural college.

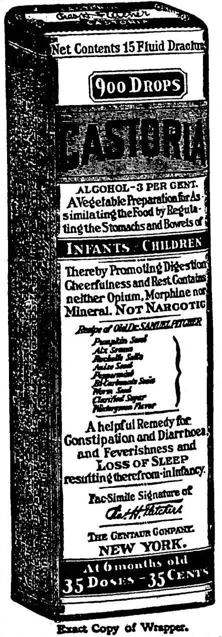
Every train going out of Minneapolis Saturday night carried letters to mayors of country towns, commercial clubs and other organizations asking cooperation. Statewide organization was the first step decided upon.

REVOLT IS IMMINENT IN HUNGARY IS REPORT

Rome, April 23.—A revolution is imminent in Hungary, according to Vatican advices. As a result of various disturbances, the information here asserted, Budapest and 25 other cities and towns had been proclaimed in a state of siege.

Woman Cleared at "Greek Trial."

Chicago, April 23.—Mrs. Carrie A. Herndon, for five years principal of Irving school, Hammond, Ind., has been given what she termed a trial after the manner of the ancient Greeks. She herself had demanded the public trial. The proceedings embodied a hearing in the auditorium of her school, before a mass meeting of citizens, under the auspices of the Hammond school board. Mrs. Herndon defended herself, and many of her pupils testified in her behalf. She cleared herself of several charges.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"I wish I could afford to wear fine clothes." "I don't. I wish I could afford to wear any old thing."

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LIFT YOUR CORNS
OR CALLUSES OFF

No humbug! Apply few drops then just lift them away with fingers.

This new drug is an ether compound discovered by a Cincinnati chemist. It is called freezone, and can now be obtained in tiny bottles as here shown at very little cost from any drug store. Just ask for freezone. Apply a drop or two directly upon a tender corn or callus and instantly the soreness disappears. Shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it off, root and all, with the fingers.

Not a twinge of pain, soreness or irritation; not even the slightest smarting, either when applying freezone or afterwards.

This drug doesn't eat up the corn or callus, but shrivels them so they loosen and come right out. It is no humbug! It works like a charm. For a few cents you can get rid of every hard corn, soft corn or corn between the toes, as well as painful calluses on bottom of your feet. It never disappoints and never burns, bites or inflames. If your druggist hasn't any freezone yet, tell him to get a little bottle for you from his wholesale house.—adv.

Unloading the Responsibility.

"Can you keep a secret?" "Yes." "Then listen while I give you one that I can't keep any longer."

Shortly after marrying a widow a man discovers the true meaning of the deadly parallel.

The Man Hire Up.

"Hello, hello, is this the fire department?" asked an excited voice on the telephone.

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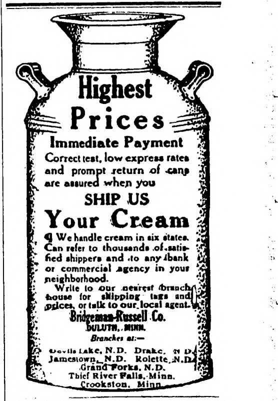

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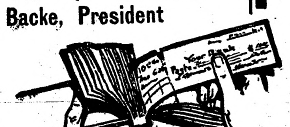

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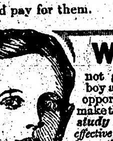

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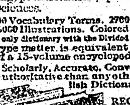

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The United States Government at the present time is impressing upon the people the necessity of increasing the production of food stuffs to the utmost extent, with a view to making the crop this year the largest in history, in all products of the soil. By so doing they will not only be performing a patriotic duty but will be acting in their own best interests, as the prospects point to a continuation of high prices with a ready market.

In line with this movement, we urge upon all the importance of increasing the acreage in crop to the largest possible extent. No field should lie idle. As much new land as possible should be opened up for crop. All available spaces in the country and in town should be made truck gardens.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn, April 13, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Lars Ingebrigtsli, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on May 6, 1913, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08906, for SW 1-4 NW 1-4 Sec. 1, Lot 2 S 1-2 NE 1-4, Sec. 2, Township 155 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of May 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Nels Omberg, Carl Dahl, Reno Boe and Clarence Larson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringald, Register.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 11, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Nels Omberg, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on Nov. 9, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 08582 for NE 1-4, Sec. 26, Twp. 156 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minn., at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of May 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Olaf Dahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Axel Benson all of Golden Valley, Minn.

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Mildred Louise Talk of Interest

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said, "Take tonoline."

Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

"What tonoline really did for me I cannot say; I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline publicly."

Tonoline is a purely vegetable preparation which goes to the seat of common maladies--stomach and kidney trouble, catarrhal affections of the mucous membranes, liver ailments and impurities of the of the blood--and quickly restores proper action. Tonoline is being explained daily at your druggists.

Notice:--As tonoline is a wonderful flesh builder it should not be taken by any one not wishing to increase his weight ten pounds or more. Although many reports are received from those who have been benefitted by tonoline in severe cases of stomach trouble and nervous dyspepsia, chronic constipation, etc.

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Everyone is urged to raise a big garden this year, the bigger the better. A garden will pay big profits.

If you need seed of any kind and cannot get it here, try the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston.

Young men can now enlist in the army just for the time the war lasts, and have all the advantages of soldiers even if never sent to the front. Enlist now.

Start raising pure seed potatoes or grains this year. T. M. McCall, Experiment Station, Crookston gives full information free. They can also tell how to treat potato seed for any kind of diseases.

The war may last a long time, and it will take many men from their regular employments. They must be feed no matter what the cost. Farmers are urged to plant every available acre to potatoes beans peas, rutabagas, carrots, onions and all kinds of vegtables. About 20 pounds of navy beans are required to plant an acre. They have always been on the rations of the army and the price will be high.

A farmer recently told us that he was going to treat all his seed grain and potatoes for smut and scab and that he would thereby get a much larger yield at very little expense. He also told us he was going to plant 15 acres of corn and that raising corn was better for the land than summer fallowing, also the same was true of potato raising.

Mangels, stock carrots and rutabagas yield 12 to 20 tons per acre and should be grown as feed for stock. They can be used to some extent in place of grain and will be easy to raise. Try it.

The Red River Valley Seed Growers Assn. has a list of farmers in this part of the state who have seed grain for sale. Send to the Northwest Experiment Station at Crookston, Minn., for a copy of the list.

Parties wishing to enlist in either the army or navy can leave their applications with Postmaster Engebretsen who will foward them to the recruting office in Duluth.

Potatoes are selling at $3.00 a bu. and up, in all the large cities. Wonder why it would'nt pay to raise a good sized patch of the tubers this year?

In planning for the seasons crop, don't forget that patch of potatoes and corn, which you will need this year. There is need that every acre be made to produce a full crop.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Feb. 1917.

Cream received	10,175 lbs
Average test	24 84
Butter fat	2526.80 lbs
Percent overrun	21 37
Butter made	3066 lbs
Balance on hand last month	2 21
Received for butter shipped	1077 71
Butter and milk sold patrons	7 85
Cash sales at creamery	31 31
Rec'd from other sources	60
Total	$1119 68
Paid patrons by check	998 44
" " " Butter & milk	7 85
Expense fund, etc.	97 02
Other sources	
To sinking fund	16 35
Balance on hand	02
Total	$1119 68

Number of patrons, 61

Price paid for butter fat, 40c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

T. O. Dovre $44.21.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Sell your cream to the home firm.

There is already a shortage of food stuffs in this country. Just in the last few days it was announced that the supply of wheat in the United States and Canada will be exhausted before the 1917 crop is ready.

This should be sufficient warning to the farmers. The granaries of the world are nearly empty. A shortage of crops in the United States this year will mean a shortage all over the world next winter. This warning is sent out by the county agent, R. C. Matwig, at Warren.

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

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Potato yields can in most cases be doubled by the corrosive sublimate treatment. Well rotted manure is what is needed on potato fields.

A few people (there should'nt be any) apparently think they are living in Europe instead of the United States. People of that class should live under a monarchy until they get enough of it.

The U. S. Navy needs men. There is a Recruiting Station at No. 304 Marquette Ave. Minneapolis, also at Duluth, Fargo and Grand Forks

If you are able bodied and between the ages of 17 and 30, they need you NOW.

Early Slave-Holding State.

Maryland was an early slave-holding colony, for in 1642 Governor Calvert bargained with a certain shipmaster for the delivery of 13 African "slaves."

Why Good Men Are Busy.

"Marry a busy man," advises Helen Rowland. It can't be done legally. All the busy men are married. That's what makes them busy.

Fireproof Wood.

To make wood fireproof, slack a small quantity of fresh lime and add water until it has the consistency of cream; stir well and add one pound of alum, 12 ounces of commercial potash and about one pound of salt. Stir again and apply while hot. Two or three coats will keep wood fireproof for many months.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Dr. Turley, dentist, May the 7th.

Dressed hogs wanted at the Holt Meat Market.

K. T. Knutson is running the school bus while Mr. Reierson is putting in his crops.

Miss Lilly Peterson has returned home where she expects to spend the summer.

Miss Hilma Nyberg went to Climax Monday where she expects to work for some time.

Mrs. Ben Eide has entered upon her duties as telephone operator for the local switchboard company.

Oscar Knutson, who has employment at Climax, spent a few days the past week visiting here.

Miss Ruth Owen and Beatha Nelson entertained the Misses Johnson and Heng last week over Saturday night.

Ben Hoff has moved his barber shop into the Latta building which he has papered and made ready for occupancy.

We understand that Eli Saastad has left to join the navy, but we have been unable to get any particulars.

Hans J. Olson showed here Saturday and Wednesday nights to good houses and his pictures gave general satisfaction.

Miss Mamie Herman of Milwaukee came Monday to visit at the homes of her uncles Herman and Charley Heinze.

Arnold Boernstein and Leo Horien went to Warroad Monday to work on the section for Ludwig Gullickson who is located there.

Irving E. Quist, county surveyor, was here Saturday making measurements for the location of the new bank and postoffice building.

Misses Dora and Celia Olson returned home Friday from several months stay at Inkster, N. D. and will spend the summer here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and B. J. Bakke returned yesterday from T. R. Falls where they had been to bid good bye to Willie Bakke before his departure to join the army.

A lot of shade and a few ornamental trees and shrubbery have been set out in the school yard the past week, which will greatly add to the attractiveness of the place.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
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Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Our first Volunteer.

Willie Bakke went to Thief River Falls to spend Sunday with his parents and while there enlisted with the First Minnesota Regiment of U. S. Troops for service in the war. Mr. Bakke is the first one from Holt who has offered his services in defence of our country since the call was made for volunteers. He went to Minneapolis last night, and the best wishes of his many friends in Holt go with him for a safe return to home and loved ones.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services 10:45 Sunday May 6th.

Confirmants meet Saturday 11 to 3 o'clock.

Services in East Valley School Dist. No. 148 next Sunday at 4 o'clock.

Ladies Aid at Louis Wegge's May 9th. at 2 o'clock.

Sunday School at 2:00 o'clock P. M.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Southeast of Holt.

About six inches of snow fell last Wednesday, which somewhat delayed spring work. It also rained on Sunday.

Gilbert Johnson of Holt was seen around this locality looking for hay on Saturday.

Alma Soiney is assisting Mrs. Molstad with her work for some time.

Ludovic Larson returned last week from Montana at which place he has been employed during the winter. He has now secured the position as mail carrier on Route No. 2 to fill the place of Carl Hovie who has enlisted in the navy.

Henry Wendt was a caller at the Moe home on Monday.

Mrs. John Skomedal will entertain the Ladiee aid at her home on Thursday May 10.

On Saturday evening at ten o'clock at the hospital in Grand Forks occurred the death of Minnie Johnson daughter of Mike Johnson of Excell.

Minnie was born December 1st. 1897, in Excell. She had been in ill health for some time previous to her death and was taken to the hospital at Grand Forks about three weeks ago where she underwent two operations. This is the second death in the Johnson family during this year, her mother died Jan. 28th.

Besides a large number of friends, Minnie leaves to mourn her departure a father, four sisters, Alma, Julia Sina and Emilia and three brothers Martin, Emil and Henry. Sincere sympathy is extended to the grief stricken family in the loss of a dear and loving sister and daughter.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Fred Ewald went to T. R. Falls Friday to have dental work done.

Upland wild hay cut fore part of July. Stacked on Sec. 8 Town of Mud Lake. For sale by K. O. Flakne. Holt Minn.

Another American ship, a schooner of 744 tons, has been sunk by a German submarine. The crew were saved. Thus the toll of war will be added to from time to time, and still some stand back and refuse to support the government. Every man should be made to either work or fight in the army or navy.

Farms for sale or rent on easy terms and at reasonable prices.

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East Valley News

Mrs. J. Knutson will entertain for the May flower Girl's sewing bee, Saturday May 5.

Mrs. J. Knutson entertained the Y. P. S. last Sunday. In spite of bad weather and poor roads, a large crowd attended.

Mrs. Saastad visited with her daughter Mrs. F. Peterson at Mud Lake.

Thorval Kolden visited in East Valley this week.

Miss Martha Heng visited in East Valley last Sunday.

Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank.

For Sale.

Twelve room hotel, central location in good live town, for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Write the owner, Sam Mickelson, Holt, Minn.

Dr. Turley is coming May 7.

Ben Docken sold two quarter sections of land last week.

Miss Helen Johnson was an over Sunday visitor in Middle River.

Keep the law supplements as they may be needed as references later.

"Either work or fight," will have to be our slogan, if we win this war.

Loyd Adams visited at his old home in Dugdale the forepart of the week.

Hilmer Davidson sold his Beltrami county claim to Adolph Sollom, one day last week.

Miss Effie Christenson visited a few days the past week with friends in T. R. Falls.

Hans Boyeson from Badger came Tuesday to visit J. E. Boyeson and Carl Engebretsen.

Read about the sinking of our first ship since the war officially started. You will find it on the inside pages.

We understand some of our young fellows have found the walking to be quite good between here and T. R. Falls.

Work was commenced Tuesday on the footings for the basement walls of the new brick building for the bank and postoffice.

Mitchell & Vandersluis is the firm name of the new owners of the Thief River Falls News-Press. The News wishes them success.

Mrs. Julius Faiman brot in $24.00 worth of eggs and $14.00 worth of cream Wednesday and still some say farming does'nt pay.

Albert Bennes has sold two of his pool tables, candy counter etc. to parties at Leonard. Mr. Bennes is painting and fixing up his room for a lunch counter and ice cream parlor which ought to pay well here.

"To carry the Allies over until the next harvest we must reduce our wheat consumption 30 per cent," so says Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of our relief commission in Beligum, who knows the situation.

A man from Hayfield recently bot 600 bushels of potatoes in the vicinity of Grygla for $1.50 per bu. This at first may seem like a small price until it is explained that Grygla is 20 miles from the nearest railroad station and after the freight has been paid to the southern part of the state and hauling charges for 20 miles added, they will be pretty expensive spuds. Moral: No matter where you live, raise spuds.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

The Choir will meet at 8 o'clock Thursday evening to practice some new songs.

Stiener News

J. Kelberg made a trip to Thief River Falls the last part of the week.

John Whittman transacted business in the berg the middle of the week.

S. Hasby made a business trip to Steiner Friday.

Nathaniel Muzzy took the half past three o'clock flyer for Thief River Falls Thursday to attend to business there.

Arthur Simmonson was seeding grain the last part of the week.

Harvey Copp visited over Sunday with his parents.

O Berg transacted business in T. R. Falls the last of the week.

Hobson Rogers who has been attending the Lincoln High in T. R. Falls returned home to work on the farm.

M. O. Saugen did business in T. R. Falls the first of the week.

Neck Baker was a Steiner caller one day last week.

A number of the yonng men of this community attended the club held at the Ole Hall school house Saturday. A very large crowd was present.

Be an American.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Show your colors. Flags for sale at this office.

Taber & McLane are drilling a well for Willie Steinhauer.

The Yeomen will hold their regular meeting next Tuesday evening.

Early planted corn does the best and yields the most. Frosts in the fall hurts corn more than spring frosts.

The Fordville, N. Dak., Chronicle came to our exchange table last week with the name of E. M. Wilson flying at the mast head. We wish Mr. Wilson success in his venture.

As seeding is well under way, and soon will be a thing of the past, expect you are planning your work further on, but hope you so plan that yourself and family can attend the Get-together Picnic of the Marshall Federation of Farmers Clubs to be held east of Argyle, June 16.

Theodore Willer, Sec'y.,
Argyle, Minn.

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U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 11, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Nels Omberg, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on Nov. 9, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 08582 for NE 1-4, Sec. 26, Twp. 156 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minn., at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of May 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Olaf Dahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Axel Benson all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Official Notice!

St. Paul, Minn., Apr. 21, 1917.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by Proclamation, dated Apr., 5, 1917, the President of the United States provided:

1. That an alien enemy shall not have in his possession, at any time or place, any firearms, weapon, or implement of war, or compotent part thereof, ammunition, Maxim or other silencer, bomb or explosive, or material used in the manufacture of explosives.

2. That an alien enemy shall not have in his possession, at any time or place, or use or operate, any air craft or wireless apparatus, or any form of signaling device, or any form of cipher code, or any paper, document, book, written or printed in cipher, or in which there may be invisible writing.

3. Now Therefore, It Is Ordered and Directed, that all aliens of any country that now is, at war with the United States, shall immediately deliver to the United States Marshall for the District of Minnesota at St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Fergus Falls, Mankato, or Winona, or to the Sheriff of the County wherein such alien resides, or is domiciled, or Chief of Police of any City, Village or Town in which such alien resides or is domiciled, any of the property hereinbefore described that may be in the possession or control of such aliens, or any of them, and secure a receipt therefor from the officer to whom the same is delivered, providing that the same shall be redelivered to such alien at the close of the war between the United States and the country of such alien.

The United States Marshall may for good cause shown permit such articles to be retained temporarily, under such restrictions as he may deem necessary, any such alien enemy who has not complied with the above proclamation is subject to arrest by the United States Marshall after April 24th, 1917.

Joseph A. Wessel,
United States Marshall
District of Minnesota

Alfred Jaques,
United States Attorney
District of Minnesota
By Hans C. Hanson, Sheriff
of Marshall Co., Minn.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn, April 13, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Lars Ingebrigtsli, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on May 6, 1913, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08906, for SW 1-4 NW 1-4 Sec. 1, Lot 2 S 1-2 NE 1-4, Sec. 2, Township 165 N. Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of May 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Nels Omberg, Carl Dahl, Reno Boe and Clarence Larson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringald, Register.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.48
Wheat No. 2	2.45
Wheat No. 3	2.39
Wheat No. 4	2.26
Flax	3 00
Oats	61
Barley	94 to 1.20
Rye	1.86
Flour, Best Patent	7.45

Moving picture show Saturday night.

Don't forget the movie shows at the hall every Saturday and Wednesday nights.

Dance after the show Saturday night by the Ringo Orchestra.

For Sale!

Good team of horses for sale cheap and on easy terms.

Holt State Bank.

The Minnesota Commission on Food Production is sending out a warning that, Elements beside the law of supply and demand are at work which willl insure good prices for products and farmers are urged to plant all their fields and the people of the cities and villiages will have to help harvest the crops.

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GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What Is Going On at Washington and In Other Sections of the Country.

U. S.-Teutonic War News.

The British blacklist of shipping has been withdrawn, so far as it concerns the United States.

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America's commission to the new democratic government of Russia will be headed by Elihu Root, senator from New York.

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The German foreign office has notified American correspondents who have remained in Berlin that their presence in Germany is no longer desirable.

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Censorship on all cables touching the United States and on telegraph and telephone lines into Mexico will be established shortly by executive order.

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The Turkish government on April 20 officially informed the American embassy that diplomatic relations with the United States had been broken off, according to unofficial reports.

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The American steamship Mongolia, the largest merchantman flying the Stars and Stripes, encountered a German submarine in British waters on April 19, and is reported to have sunk the under-water craft.

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The movement to bring about nation-wide prohibition during the war in order that grain used in the manufacture of alcoholic beverages may be diverted into food channels, is gaining ground in Washington.

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Secretary McAdoo has turned over to the British ambassador a treasury warrant for $200,000,000, the first loan made to any entente government by the United States under the $7,000,000,000 war finance measure.

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The British foreign secretary, Balfour, shortly after his arrival in this country, while commenting on what form American participation in the war might take, said he had no doubt America's efforts would astonish the world, particularly Germany.

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Official advices to the State department declared that the Mexican government had warned Germans in Mexico that any concentration of Germans near the border would be followed immediately by their arrest.

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Approximately 3,000 German residents of the United States are under close surveilance, Department of Justice officials announced, because of their activities in behalf of the German government before America's entry into the war, or because of their pro-German sympathies.

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Two years of war. That is what the national council of defense and the several departments of the government, with the approval of President Wilson, are preparing for. It developed that a secret meeting of the national council of defense and other officials took place at Washington.

General News.

Brewers of the United States in the last fiscal year used 67,000,000 bushels of grain.

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With Nebraska added to the suffrage column the total voting strength of women in the United States now is 8,557,308.

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It is said there are between 30,000,000 and 36,000,000 eggs being held in Chicago by speculators to keep up high prices.

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The 6-cent loaf of bread, the cheapest obtainable in New York, has disappeared from the market. The 10-cent loaf is now the cheapest and its size is cut materially.

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J. Ogden Armour of the Armour Packing company, has tendered the entire billion-dollar beef industry of Chicago to the United States government for the duration of the war.

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Nevada is the first state to furnish her full quota of recruits to the United States army. Nevada's total is 137—eleven more than her pro rata share of recruits.

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Senator Frank Raguse, Milwaukee socialist, was expelled from membership in the Wisconsin senate for contempt, disorderly behavior and conduct unbecoming a senator of Wisconsin in making a disloyal statement on the floor of the senate.

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Hoarding of sugar by American consumers has led to suspension of export business to meet the abnormal domestic demand, according to the president of the American Sugar Refining company of New York

The Canadian minister of marines made the statement recently that wheat would sell for $4 a bushel before it sold again for $2.

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Approximately 123,000 men have applied thus far and been found to meet the necessary requirements for membership in Colonel Roosevelt's proposed army division.

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Fifty-five per cent of the 1917 wheat crop in Kansas has been abandoned, leaving the smallest acreage since 1897, according to an official crop report.

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Five alleged anti-American rioters are under arrest in Chicago, following the death of an Italian, who was beaten to death because he shouted "Vive America."

Washington Notes.

George Bakhmeteff, Russian ambassador to the United States has resigned. Mr. Bakhmeteff was a member of the old imperial regime.

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President Wilson is to outline all legislation to be passed at this extraordinary war session of congress. When it is passed the house is done.

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Nebraska ranks ninth of the forty-eight states of the union in its contribution of men to the regular United States army, proportionate to population, according to announcement by the War department.

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The supreme court decided in favor of the government in the Oregon and California land case, involving millions of acres of land granted to railroads and claimed by the United States by forfeiture.

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Plans for supplying 2,000,000,000 male workers for the country's farms were announced by Secretary of Labor Wilson. The department's employment service has been ordered to comb the country for men to till the soil.

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To permit experienced federal employes to assist state and municipal organizations in mobilizing and conserving the country's resources, President Wilson, by executive order, has suspended the rule of more than forty years by which federal employes are prohibited from accepting other employment.

European War News.

During the week ending April 21 forty British and neutral vessels of over 1,600 tons each were sunk by mines or submarines.

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It is announced that the Norwegian steamer Bergencut has been sunk by a German submarine and that eight of the crew were killed.

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In the first eighteen days of the Arras battle, British casualties have been something less than half what they were in the corresponding period of the Somme offensive.

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Reports from Paris are to the effect that the Germans threw fifteen large caliber shells at the Rheims cathedral, damaging several important parts of the famous monument.

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One French torpedo boat was sunk in an engagement between a German flotilla of destroyers and British and French patrol ships after the Germans had bombarded Dunkirk.

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A British torpedo boat destroyer struck a mine in the English channel recently and was sunk, says an official announcement. One man was killed and twenty-eight sailors are missing. It is presumed these men were drowned.

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The movement for the overthrow of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, halted for a time by the adoption of ruthless submarine warfare, is again becoming evident in Germany, according to Copenhagen reports.

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A German correspondent in Amsterdam says that Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the imperial German chancellor, in his next speech in the reichstag will specifically propose peace terms in greater detail.

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Upward of 300,000 copies of President Wilson's war address to congress are to be dropped over the German lines by French and American aviators. The text of the message, translated into German, is now ready for distribution.

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The Spanish government's note to Germany regarding Germany's submarine campaign contains a paragraph stating that if Germany continues in its determination to sink all vessels in order to defend its life. Spain must take a like step to defend her own life.

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In a naval battle off the coast of Dover on April 20th, between two British and six German light warships, one German destroyer was rammed and sunk and another torpedoed. The British vessels returned safely to port, badly damaged. The German casualties were heavy.

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England will shortly be placed on bread rations, it is understood. It is generally conceded that the bread problem is the crux of the whole situation, for it is upon bread that the working class depend.

AMERICAN ARMED SHIP SUNK; 10 U. S. GUNNERS MISSING

STEAMER VACUUM TORPEDOED—UNITED STATES LOSES FIRST FIGHTING FORCE OF WAR WITH GERMANY.

CAPTAIN AND GUN CREW ARE UNACCOUNTED FOR

Cablegram Indicates 16 Men of Ship's Crew Lost—Hope Nearly Abandoned for Sailor from Aztec—Vacuum Was Engaged in Carrying Oil to Allies in Europe.

London, May 1.—America has lost its first fighting force in the war with Germany in the torpedoing of the American armed steamer Vacuum, reports received here indicate.

The lieutenant in command of the gun crew and nine of his men were among the missing.

Three naval gunners were among those saved. Those rescued included the chief mate and 17 men in all. The captain of the Vacuum and some of the crew are still unaccounted for.

One Life Boat Missing.

Captain S. S. Harris was in the one lifeboat still missing, with the American bluejackets and their lieutenant and other members of the Vacuum's crew still unaccounted for.

The Vacuum was of 1,992 tons. It carried two guns, forward and aft, in charge of a naval gun crew. The Vacuum had a crew of 34. It has been carrying oil to Europe since 1914.

J. I. Epolucci, a boatswain's mate, United States navy, is still missing from the Aztec torpedoing, and he may be the first of America's fighting men to be killed.

Sixteen of 34 Believed Lost.

New York, May 1.—Only three of the American gunners aboard the American oil tanker Vacuum, sunk by a submarine, are listed as saved in a cablegram received at the oil company's offices here.

The cablegram indicated that 16 men, including Captain Harris and most of the American gun crew, probably were lost. The Vacuum's crew numbered 34, and 18 were reported landed in the reports from London. Fifteen members of the crew were Americans. With the gunners and the lieutenant in command the Americans aboard numbered 25.

Text of Message.

The message follows:

"Vacuum torpedoed 28th, 140 miles west of Barra. No. 1 lifeboat with captain and others drowned. No. 2, with chief officer and following saved: Simpson and Williams, engineers; Linegren, carpenter; Lotus, quartermaster; Witzen, Gissos, oilers; Parde, stoker; Singros, Vimegapham, Byl, seamen; Dia and Andrews, stewards; Hatton, wireless; William Orell and Nichola Hitson and Lasker, naval."

Lieutenant Thomas in Command.

Lieutenant Thomas, U. S. N., commanded the American navy gun crew aboard it, according to information obtained here.

Among the Vacuum's crew were: R. Williams, assistant engineer, born in Wisconsin, and L. J. Hatton, wireless operator, of Niagara, Wis.

IRISH QUESTION MAY BE NEAR SETTLEMENT

Lord Northcliffe Says "Happiness of Ireland Is in Hands of Balfour and British Mission.

London, May 1.—Lord Northcliffe has issued a statement to The Associated Press respecting the Irish situation which includes the following phrase:

"The happiness of Ireland is entirely in the hands of Mr. Balfour and the British mission in the United States. Differences between the two parties here have been so slight that Mr. Balfour's influence can settle the difficulty."

States to Aid in Price Probes.

Washington, May 1.—State aid in the federal trade commission's investigation of high food prices was taken up here at a conference of representatives of state food boards with the commission. Governors of states that have no boards also sent delegates.

Lake Navigation Season Opens.

Duluth, May 1.—Navigation opened at midnight. Six big steamers have broken from the ice field in Whitefish bay near the Soo and are now out in open Lake Superior headed for Duluth. These announcements were made by the Lake Carriers' association.

Stranded Americans at New York.

New York, May 1.—A Norwegian steamship, the first passenger liner to leave a Scandinavian port for the United States since February, has arrived here with a large number of Americans stranded in Denmark, Norway and Sweden when sea traffic was interrupted. Among the Americans on the ship were a number of physicians who had been working in German and Austrian hospitals. One passenger said he learned just previous to sailing that the reported labor troubles were widespread.

BOTH HOUSES PASS CONSCRIPTION BILL BY BIG MAJORITIES

OPPONENTS OF BILL RALLY TO ITS SUPPORT AFTER VOLUNTEER AMENDMENTS HAVE FAILED

AGRICULTURAL WORKERS MAY BE HELD EXEMPT

Pay of Enlisted Men Will Be Materially Increased—Conference to Settle Minor Details—Big Appropriation Held Up by the House

Washington, April 28.—By overwhelming majorities, both the senate and house passed late tonight the administration bill to raise a war army by selective draft.

The final roll call brought into line behind the bill many senators and representatives who had fought for the volunteer system until routed by decisive defeat of volunteer amendments earlier in the day in both houses. The senate, which had voted down the volunteer plan, 69 to 18, passed the bill by a vote of 81 to 8. In the house the vote against the volunteer plan was 313 to 119 and that by which the bill itself was passed was 397 to 24.

As passed by the senate, the measure provides for the draft of men between the ages of 21 to 27 years, while in the house measure the limits are fixed at 21 to 40. This and lesser discrepancies, will be threshed out in conference early in the week. The war department already has completed plans for carrying it into effect.

Senators who voted against the bill were: Democrats—Gore, Hardwick, Kirby, Thomas and Tramell; Republicans—Borah, Gronna and LaFollette.

Representatives who voted no were: Democrats—Burnett, Church, Clarke of Florida, Claypool, Crosser, Dill, Dominick, Gordon, Hilliard, Huddleston, Keating, Sears, Sherwood, Sisson; Republicans—Bacon, Hayes, King, LaFollette, Lundeen of Minnesota, Mason, Nolan, Powers. Prohibitionists—Randall. Socialist—London.

Increase Soldiers' Pay

Both senate and house adopted bills just before final roll call which would greatly increase the pay of enlisted men during the war. The house provision would make their pay $30 a month, and that approved by the senate would fix it at $29 a month. The present pay is only $15.

In the house, Chairman Fitzgerald of the appropriations committee opposed the appropriation of $3,000,000,000, carried in the bill for the expense of the new army, and the section was finally eliminated. Mr. Fitzgerald declared this amount in the hands of the secretary of war would "make congress a mere automaton," and proposed that if the section were voted down the committee would provide funds promptly in a separate measure.

To Exempt Agriculturists

Among the more important amendments adopted in the house was one empowering the president to exempt from the draft, in his discretion, persons engaged in agricultural work.

In the senate, among amendments adopted, was one to make it unlawful to sell intoxicating liquors to soldiers in uniform, and giving the president wide discretionary authority to make other prohibition regulations. In the house a similar amendment was rejected on a point of order.

SUPREME COURT SAYS OLD REGENTS MAY HOLD JOBS

Hands Down Decision Denying Petition of Governor Frazier in Behalf of the State

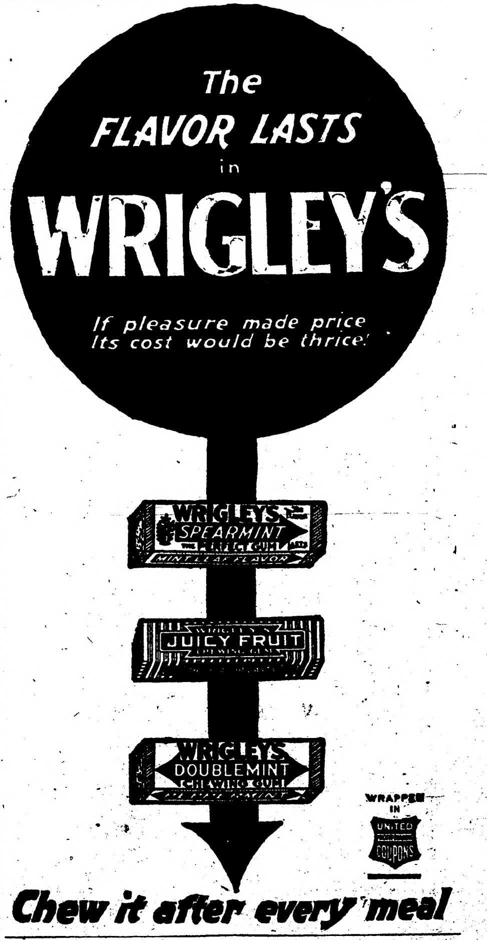
Bismarck, N. D., April 28.—The state supreme court today denied the petition of the state in quo warranto proceedings brought to oust L. F. Crawford, Frank White, J. D. Taylor, Emil Scow and J. A. Power as members of the state board of regents. Under the decision the old board will continue in office, including two members whose terms expire in July of this year, unless further action is brought to test the case relative to these two members. Justices Birdzell and Grace wrote dissenting opinions.

Another Murder Mystery

St. Paul. April 28.—The headless body of a man believed to be Val Phillips, of Great Falls, found today lying besides a railroad track, has added another murder mystery here.

NO HOPE FOR ENTOMBED MEN

Hastings, Colo., April 28.—Virtually all hope of saving any of the 120 men entombed in the Hastings mine of the Victor-American fuel company here yesterday morning by an explosion, was abandoned today. James Dalrymple, state coal mine inspector, who came from the mine late today, gave it as his opinion that there was no one left alive in the mine. Rescue men expressed themselves similarly.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"What did you stop me for?" he asked the presiding genius, after the affair was over.

"Why, you spoke for two hours and didn't advance a single idea," replied the toastmaster.

"Yes, but you cut me off too soon. I was coming to it."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels.—Adv.

A Hazy Impression.

"What's your idea of true poetry?"

"I haven't any," replied Mr. Cumrox. "According to mother and the girls, it has to be somethinng I don't understand, written by somebody whose name I can't pronounce."

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Psychology of Strife.

"Are we going to undertake a war of ruthlessness?"

"I hope not," replied Senator Sorghum. "I've seen many a fight of one kind and another and I have never known a bad conscience to operate as anything but a handicap."

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Sad Stories, Mostly.

"He's a great reader."

"Of what?"

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"Think so?"

"There is something wistful about her expression."

"She gets that way just before meal time. We got corned beef and cabbage today. She likes that."

GAVE HIS CANE AWAY!

Mr. S. P. Benton, Kerrville, Texas, writes: "For several years prior to 1906 I suffered from kidney and rheumatic troubles. Was bent over and forced to use a cane. For these disorders I am glad to say I used Dodd's Kidney Pills, which proved to be the proper remedy. I am 64 years old, feel fine and once again stand as straight as an arrow. Dodd's Kidney Pills deserve great credit." Be sure and get "DODD'S," the name with the three D's for diseased, disordered, deranged kidneys; just as Mr. Benton did. No similarly named article will do.—Adv.

Early Opportunity.

"We came to this country and took the innocent red man's land away from him."

"Yes," replied the man who has been having trouble with real estate; "and in some cases the innocent red man was lucky to unload just when he did."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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"Sure, the goat did eat 'em up today, Pat."

"Well, he wasn't feeling first rate; perhaps they'll tone him up a bit."

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There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine — double strength — is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

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Such testimony should be accepted by all women as convincing evidence of the excellence of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a remedy for the distressing ills of women such as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, backache, painful periods, nervousness and kindred ailments.

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Accidental Pudding.

Stopping a friend in a department store recently, a Glenwood avenue woman enthusiastically said:

"I am so glad to meet you, because I have been wanting to ask you for a recipe."

"If I have any recipe you like," the friend answered, "you surely shall have it."

"It is the recipe for that pudding you served the last time I had dinner at your house."

"Last week."

"Uh huh! What do you call it?"

"Well, I think I should call that 'accidental pudding.'"

"What an odd name!"

"But it fits the dish exactly."

"How do you make it?"

"By accident."

"Really?"

"Yes. You see it was like this: I had baked a fine raisin pie and was taking it from the oven when I dropped it on the table where it lit right on the edge. I didn't want to waste it altogether, so I just scrambled it up a little more, put it in sauce dishes, and put some whipped cream on it. I am so glad you liked it."—Youngstown Telegram.

A Plunge Into Hostilities.

"It was a mistake for me to marry in order to keep from going into the army," remarked the man with a black eye and a lump on his forehead.

"You seem to have been in some sort of action."

"It's becoming the usual thing. And they tell me that in the army a man may go month after month without seeing any real fighting."

Backyard Information.

"Cats are very sensitive animals."

"I suppose that is why they are always taking a fence."

Being fit for the best society enables one to keep out of it.

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The answer to the Health Question often lies in a change of table drink

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What's Doing in Minnesota

St. Paul. — Former Governor Samuel R. Van Sant has written Governor Burnquist, tendering his services to the state and nation in war.

Red Wing.—The wets carried the city in the recent election by 183. Both sides increased their vote over last year but the wets added to their majority which was then 151.

Duluth.—At a meeting of the striking Duluth boilermakers and helpers a proposition submitted by seven of the contract shop owners was turned down by a unanimous vote.

St. Paul.—Local committees throughout the state are taking hold of the food problem with enthusiasm, reports received at the headquarters of the state food commission show.

St. Paul. — L. W. Hill, president of the Great Northern railroad, has left for Washington and will spend about a week in conference with government officials on the war situation.

Hastings. — Mrs. Thomas A. Brown of Hastings was elected president of the Third District Federation of Women's Clubs at the closing session here. Winthrop was voted the 1918 meeting.

Minneapolis. — About 100 members of the Tenth district group of the Minnesota Bankers' association were present when J. E. Vanstrom of Chisago City, group president, called the fourth annual session to order here

Hibbing. — The Mesabi iron range is ready for the shipping season which has been officially opened and from present prospects, conditions look favorable for a record in output which will equal last year's banner season.

Stillwater. — The soldiers and sailors monument erected on the courthouse grounds here by the Washington County Monument association was unveiled at 3 p. m. Friday, April 27. A patriotic program was carried out.

Duluth. — Charles H. Hamilton walked 150 miles to get to the Duluth naval recruiting office to enlist, according to Officer F. L. McClure, who received the young man's application here. Hamilton was rejected on account of illness.

St. Paul. — The printing of 5,000 booklets outlining the plan for utilizing idle lands in Northern Minnesota and Wisconsin for grazing purposes has been authorized by the Northwest development subdivision of the St. Paul association.

Pipestone.—The meeting held here to discuss plans for having the route of the King of Trails highway from Winnipeg to the Gulf changed so as to come down through this section of the state resulted in an organization to take up the matter.

Minneapolis.—Jeanette Rankin, representative in Congress for Montana, and Dr. Marion L. Burton of Smith college, president-elect of the University of Minnesota, will be among the speakers of the 55th annual meeting of the Minnesota Educational association to be held in Minneapolis October 31 to November 3.

St. Paul. — More than 200 telegrams to state officials and men interested in live stock were sent out by the committee on arrangements for the Northwest live stock conference in St. Paul May 1. The call for the meeting was signed by Governor Burnquist. Governors of Montana, North Dakota and Wisconsin were invited.

Beroun, Minn.—Free use of 320 acres of excellent potato land twelve miles east of Beroun, Pine county, has been offered by the owner, Thomas C. Kohin, LaSalle, Ill., in a letter to Governor Burnquist, to any one who desires to crop it. "About one-third of the land is natural meadow and ready for the plow," Mr. Kohin wrote.

Winona. — Pleading that the discontinuance of the manufacture and sale of liquor will release a large number of men for productive service and the army and navy and will conserve for necessary purposes a vast amount of grain, three leading local churches have sent messages to congressmen and senators, urging support of the measure providing for national prohibition as a war necessity.

Minneapolis. — That the federal government guarantee every wheat raising farmer $1.50 a bushel for his 1917 crop is the suggestion of Reserve Agent John H. Rich of the Minneapolis federal reserve board before the authorities in Washington. Mr. Rich said he believes such a step would be wise. The question of a maximum price naturally arises, he said, as a corollary to a minimum price.

St. Paul.—Exercising his constitutional right to veto separate items in appropriations bills, Governor Burnquist has slashed $2,027,018 from the total of $23,867,329 voted by the Legislature. The veto of some of the items in the appropriation measure and in his pocket veto of at least one other bill, is considered an aftermath of the bitter fight over the public domain bill.

More than half the total reduction was effected by executive disapproval of single items of deficiency school aid Other appropriations for educational purposes were cut more than $200,000 in addition.

Winona.—Farmers are plowing under their hay lands and large pastures in many cases to replace them with crops that will produce more dollars per acre. In a vast territory waste land along public highways is under plow and will be seeded to "nonperishable" crops.

St. Paul.—Every one of Minnesota's agricultural counties may have a county agent soon under the United States Department of Agriculture if Congress grants the $25,000,000 appropriation asked by Secretary of Agriculture Houston to promote the country's food production possibilities.

FIRST REGIMENT IS AT FULL STRENGTH

FIELD ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY DIVISIONS AWAIT ORDERS—SUSPEND RECRUITING.

FIGHT ON PLAGUES STARTED

Health Officials to Wage Aggressive War on Meningitis and Infantile Paralysis—Frequent Conferences Planned.

St. Paul.

The First Field artillery and First Infantry regiments, Minnesota National Guard, have attained full peace strength and suspended recruiting. Eight men from Pipestone brought the First Infantry up to its peace strength of 1,372 men and similar delegations from Virginia and other points brought the artillery up to its peace strength.

Both regiments expect orders to recruit to war strength and for that reason will accept and list applications for enlistment, and swear the men in later when the order arrives.

The Minneapolis batteries of the artillery are overloaded and many men will be transferred to St. Paul batteries, Col. George E. Leach of that branch said.

Twenty marine corps recruits including seven University of Minnesota students have left for the training quarters at Mare Island.

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Plan War on Plagues.

A fight against the present epidemic of cerebro-spinal meningitis and toward prevention of a general recurrence of infantile paralysis will be features of enlargements of state health activities made possible by largely increased appropriations and outlined at a recent meeting of the Minnesota board of health.

The campaign is to start immediately, financed by a new appropriation of $25,000 now available for the coming year.

Frequent conferences are planned between Dr. H. M. Bracken, executive officer, Dr. A. J. Chesley, director of the communicable diseases branch, and members of the executive committee of the board.

The state health department has a fund totaling $102,000 for the coming year against $72,000 last year, exclusive of the special poliomyelitis fund of $25,000 compared with an emergency appropriation of $5,000 for the special epidemic work last year.

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Food Commission Enlarged.

Appointments of four additional members on the state committee on food production and conservation have been announced by Governor Burnquist. They are: John H. Rich, Minneapolis, superintendent of the Federal Reserve bank; Ira B. Mills, St. Paul, chairman of the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission; C. G. Selvig, Crookston, superintendent of Northwestern agricultural school, and Fred Lorenz, Minneapolis, a sales agent.

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Clause Veto Kills Bill.

By disapproving numerous items in the state park appropriations allowed by the legislature, Governor J. A. A. Burnquist in effect vetoed the accompanying provisions for commissions to administer the fund. The attorney general holds that the commission clause is meaningless and of no effect since the appropriation was vetoed. The same ruling will apply to several similar provisions in the bill.

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Names Deputy Inspectors.

A. M. Opsahl, state inspector of illuminating oils, has announced appointments of 62 deputy inspectors in his department. Appointments for Ramsey and St. Louis counties will be made public in a few days, Inspector Opsahl said. The deputyships are on the fee basis, and compensations depend largely on the amount of oils for inspection in the various districts.

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Advised to Work at Home.

New York men who wish to come to Minnesota and work on farms, on condition that their railroad fare to the place of employment be paid, have been advised by the labor committee of the state labor commission to seek employment on the farms in their own state.

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Officials Aid War Work.

Heads of the various state departments are casting about for ways to aid the government in its campaign to increase production and to conserve the product, and nearly every one has found some way in which his department can be of service.

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State Farm Work Extended.

Farm work is planned on enlarged scales at practically all state institutions, Chairman Ralph W. Wheelock of the board of control announces.

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Taxes for 1918 Expenses 2.8 Mills.

New state tax rates will be 2.8 mills for 1918 expenses and 1.6 mills for 1919 expenses, according to figures based on the total appropriations granted by the recent legislature and made public by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor. Compared with these rates are 1 mill levied for 1917 and 1.4 mills for 1916 state expenses.

Estimated receipts of $8,223,100 and $7,323,200 leave the sums of $4,098,769 and $2,460,975 of expense funds for the respective years 1918 and 1919 to be raised by taxation.

POLYNESIAN KING SHRIEKS IN LIFT

Harrowing Experience in Great City Too Much for Island Monarch.

RETURNS TO SUBJECTS

Takes Back Some New Ideas About Victuals, Having Learned to Appreciate the Virtues of the Tastable T-Bone.

San Francisco.—Across the perilous channel leading to Tari Tari, northernmost of the equatorial Gilbert islands, the current averages 70 miles in 24 hours. But navigating it is simple compared to crossing Market street, this city, for Chief Tumbremaa, eighty-five years old, Polynesian ruler of the far-away isle.

Chief Tumbremaa is in San Francisco getting his first glimpse of twentieth century civilization, while nestled in the foliage of a 100-foot high royal palm on Tari Tari, hour by hour and every day, there sits a lookout, watching for a sail.

But nary a sail. And if there was, it wouldn't do any good, because the natives couldn't get out and the vessel couldn't get in. The only pilot who knows the intricate waters of Tari Tari is Chief Tumbremaa and he isn't sure he wants to go back, having tasted steam beer.

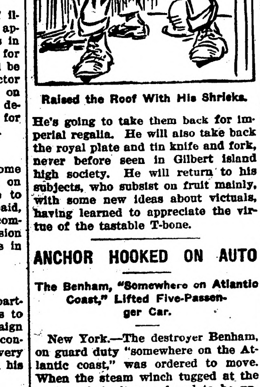
So He Came Along.

Tumbremaa came here uninvited and without a passport on the steamer Expansion, which he boarded to pilot into his bailiwick. But the winds went wrong after he had sent his royal flagship back to port under command of his prime minister. For six weeks the Expansion tried to land, but could not, so it gave up the attempt and came here, bringing along the island's king.

From the waterfront the captain of the Expansion took the chief in an automobile to the center of the city, and the hardy old fighting man trembled with fear. Trolley cars terrified him. He was escorted into an express elevator of a tall building and the lift made the longest trip on record there because His Royal Highness raised the roof the equivalent of two stories with his shrieks.

Clad in Regal Dignity.

The chief boarded the Expansion in his regal dignity and nothing else, but when the vessel reached colder weather he put on his first habiliments; overalls, a shirt and shoes.



Raised the Roof With His Shrieks.

He's going to take them back for imperial regalia. He will also take back the royal plate and tin knife and fork, never before seen in Gilbert Island high society. He will return to his subjects, who subsist on fruit mainly, with some new ideas about victuals, having learned to appreciate the virtue of the tastable T-bone.

ANCHOR HOOKED ON AUTO

The Benham, "Somewhere on Atlantic Coast," Lifted Five-Passenger Car.

New York.—The destroyer Benham, on guard duty "somewhere on the Atlantic coast," was ordered to move. When the steam winch tugged at the anchor chain it was found to be unusually difficult to lift, and more power was applied. When the anchor came out of the water it carried a five-passenger auto. The car was sold to a dealer and the funds divided among the crew of the Benham.

Just how the car happened to be in the sea is not known, but it is supposed to have slipped from a distant ferry and to have been driven toward shore by the action of the tide.

Stealing Cats Not a Crime.

Bellefonte, Pa.—Judge Henry C. Quigley of Center County, Pa., has ruled that stealing cats is not a crime in Pennsylvania. Judge Quigley found that cats are not subjects of larceny of common law and have not been made such by a statute

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(BY DR. J. H. WATSON)

The kidneys and the skin work in harmony. They're companions, the skin being the second partner. If we are anxious to keep well and preserve the vitality of the kidneys and, also, free the blood from noxious elements, we must pay special attention to a good action of the skin and to see that the kidneys are flushed so as to eliminate the poisons from the blood.

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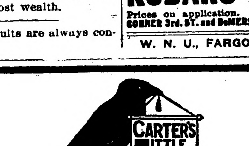
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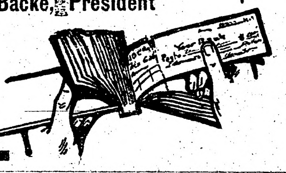

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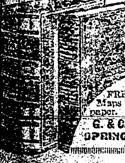

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Lesson From the Lily.

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Wrong Position for Sleep.

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Veteran Still Living Who Joined at Tender Age of Seven Years.

WHEN it comes to drummer boys of the military services of the early days of the countries, there can be no denial to Washington, D. C., of the honor of having the oldest drummer boy, living right within her bounds. He beat his drum in the United States marine corps when some of the drummer boys of the Civil war were not heard of; he beat in Washington during the Mexican war days; was with Perry when Japan's doors were opened to the trade of the world; shouldered a musket and fought throughout the Civil war, and played "Yankee Doodle" when the corner stone of the Washington monument was laid. In fact, since he was seven years old he has been under the finger of Uncle Sam, answering his every beck and call, and is still answering it.

This veteran is Jared Mundell of 649 E street southeast, and he is employed at the Washington navy yard. He is in charge of the museum containing hundreds of naval war relics and trophies, dating from the Revolution down to the war with Spain. And when a reporter called on him for some information about "his" museum he got down his lists and read various articles cherished sentimentally by a proud government, and read from them without the aid of glasses. Born in Washington, D. C., December 22, 1839, he has claimed it as his residence ever since, leaving it only "under orders" to help in defending the nation. He is a member of Kit Carson Post No. 2, G. A. R.

Mr. Mundell has under his charge hundreds of relics and trophies, and he watches over them every day, explaining every phase of the advance of naval ordnance from the Revolution.

When but seven years old, the country was embroiled in the Mexican troubles, and the then patriotic young Mundell was imbued with the military spirit. The marines which then garrisoned Washington were needed at the front. They were sent, and then they needed more to garrison the post at the capital. The officials were willing to accept young men for the post there while the older and more trained men went to the front. So, Mr. Mundell enlisted as a drummer boy. When the regular garrison returned the youngsters were mustered out. But Mr. Mundell remained out only a short time. He liked the marine corps so well that he re-enlisted when he became a few years older.

"TAPS."

We have sought
What is right.
We have fought
The good fight
In God's light.
Now we rest—
Ay, we rest
On his breast!
God still reigns
O'er the deep;
For our pains,
While we weep;
Gives us sleep,
And my soul—
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Knows its goal!

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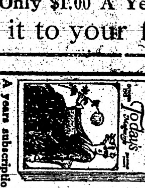

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Miss Annie Nyberg is on the sick list.

Moving picture show Saturday night.

Mrs. Huseth has been on the sick list, but is now reported better.

Rev. A. O. Nesseth, of Middle River, visited Rev. Ordahl Tuesday.

Ludwig Monson has moved his family onto the R. Reierson farm.

Mrs. Wright from Mud Lake visited Mrs. Alkenbrack last week Thursday.

Arvid Carlson and Alfred Johnson were over from Newfolden Monday on business.

Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Ordahl and children and Mrs. J. L. Nelson autoed to Fertile Monday.

[illegible] Peoples Society will meet at the C. L. Heinze home Sunday May 13th. at 2 o'clock, all welcome.

H. J. Olson's movie show Saturday evening is entitled "Excuse Me", closing with a comedy entitled "Pretty Rough on Auntie."

H. J. Oien has purchased, of Guy Anderson, the front half of the lot just west of his residence, and will follow President Wilson's advice and plant a garden.

The forms for the basement walls of the bank and postoffice building were put in the forepart of the week. Cement work on the walls was commenced Wednesday P. M.

Moving pictures are all the rage. You will be right in style if you attend the movies, put on by Hans J. Olson, every Wednesday and Saturday nights. His pictures are good.

The ladies met Saturday at the parsonage for a surprise birthday party for Mrs. Ordahl. They gave her a handsome present by which to be remembered. All present report a most enjoyalbe time.

The work of charging the storage battery for the village electric light plant was commenced about four o'clock Monday afternoon and the engine was run continously until one o'clock yesterday afternoon. We now have a twentyfour hour service which will be much more convenient.

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Jens Sorter Commits Suicide.

Jens Sorter committed suicide early Saturday morning by shooting himself in the roof of the mouth with a 22 rifle. Himself and wife had been doing the morning chores and while in the well house he told her she could go to the house and he would be there soon. Mrs. Sorter told him not to stay long for breakfast would soon be ready. When he failed to come, she sent the children but they only called to him. She then went to the pump house and found him dead. The coroner was notified and upon arrival and investigation did not consider an inquest necessary. Mr. Sorter had been in poor health and suffered a good deal from headaches, which undoubtedly unbalanced his mind temporarily, and caused him to take his own life. The day before he had been to Thief River Falls to consult a traveling doctor whose charges worried him so much he was unable to sleep that night. He was in good circumstances, and there is no reason known for the rash act, except temporary insanity.

Jens P. Sorter was born in Telemark, Norway Oct. 4th, 1874, and came with his parents to Marshall Co., where they settled on a homestead in 1888 and had lived in the same vicinity since then. About 15 years ago he was united in marriage with Miss Emma Patzrick and their married life had been happy. Four children, all boys, are left with the sorrowing widow to mourn the death of a loving husband and father. Also the aged parents, four brothers and two sisters. One brother in Roseau Co. was unable to attend the funeral, also the two sisters, one of whom lives in Portland Ore., and the other in Minneapolis. The latter was quarantined because a niece Miss Esther Sorter a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gunder Sorter who made her home with her aunt had a slight attack of scarlet fever. A cousin, Elev Aakre, of Goodridge was the only relative from a distance in attendance at the funeral which was held at the Ringbo church Monday afternoon, Rev. Kettman of Chicago officiating. Interment was made in the Ringbo cemetery. The News extends sincere sympathy to the sorrowing family.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their kindly help and tender sympathy at the time of the tragic death and the funeral of our beloved husband, father, son and brother.

Mrs. Jens P. Sorter and children, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Sorter and the brothers and sisters.

Congress Gives Money and Material

The Northwest must give the men. The Nation has called for its sons. It is up to the Northwest to answer. Young men have been coming forward at a fair rate, but more must come. Part of the fleet is idle and will be until America wakes up. Another 40 men a day would put four more big guns in action. Leave your application at the postoffice. Recruiting stations at 304 Marquette Avenue Minneapolis, Commercial Bldg., St. Paul, also at postoffices in Duluth, Fargo, Grand Forks and other cities. Information at this office as to requirements for enlistment in the navy.

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Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Choir practice at the church Friday evening.

The Dorcas Society will meet at 2 o'clock Saturday at H. A. Fosholm's.

The Y. P. S. will meet at C. L. Heinze's Sunday at 3 oclock.

The Mayflower Society will meet at John Knutson at 2 o'clock Saturday.

Zion Sunday school at 10 o'clock Sunday May 13th.

East Valley Ladies Aid meet May 16th. at S. S. Kolden's.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Southeast of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Klungness and daughter Clara were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Klungness.

Mrs. J. Michaelson visited with Mrs. N. Sordahl on Monday afternoon.

Albert Klungness was looking around for hired man on Sunday.

A number of friends spent Sunday afternoon at the C. Larson home.

A number of young folks were seen out Fording on Sunday evening.

Amanda Klungness who is attending high school at T. R. Falls visited with her folks over Sunday.

Bernard Larson is visiting at Odie's.

Gunda Moe is assisting Mrs. R. A. Ganson who lives near Silverton with her work.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Michaelson and children, Oliver and Esther visited at the J. Fairnan home Sunday.

Thora Skomedahl left for Grand Forks No. Dak. last week, where she has a position.

Emma Omlid is visiting at the Knute Ose home this week.

Mrs. Tweten and Engebreth Moe of Golden Valley, were visitors at the Moe home the first of the week.

Nels Gudvangen and Alfred Hanson were business callers at the N. Sordahl home one day last week.

For Sale

A good second hand Buick and also a Marion automobiles for sale or trade. Enquire at Holt State Bank.

For Sale

Pure blooded Holstein bull, two years old, for sale cheap.
J. M. Swan. Holt Minn.

Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.
Holt State Bank.

For Sale.

Twelve room hotel, central location in good live town, for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Write the owner, Sam Mickelson, Holt, Minn.

Notice.

We have on hand soue extra hardy No. 1 apple and other trees which can be bot at less than cost, if taken at once. Edwin Nelson, agent, Holt Minn.

Movie show Saturday night.

"To carry the Allies over until the next harvest we must reduce our wheat consumption 30 per cent," so says Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of our relief commission in Beligum, who knows the situation.

For Sale!

NE 1-4 NW 1-4, W 1-2, NW 1-4 Sec. 11, Twp. 156, R. 43, 120 acres, $18.00 per acre, $100.00 down, balance on crop payments.
Mrs. E. C. Corrigan,
4125, 27 Ave, So. Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Bank Statement

Bank No. 890.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on May, 1. 1917.
Date of report by Bank, May, 9, 1917.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$116,025 18
Overdrafts		233 77
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,800 00
Other Real Estate		$2,333 00
Due from Banks	3,994 89	
Cash on Hand	1620 20	
Total Cash Assets		5,615 09
Checks and Cash Items		2,071 08
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		1 609 01
Total		$131,287 71

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$4,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		1076 97
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		
Deposits Subject to Check	$43,621.80	
Cashier's Checks	3098.39	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	46,720.20	
Time Certificates	68,890.45	
Total Deposits		115,610 74
Total		$131,287 71
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$7,686 75
Amt. of Reserve Requried by Law		$9,050 90

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
D. B. Bakke, President,
B. Docken, Cashier.
Correct Attest: C. H. [illegible],
(Two) Directors [illegible]
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, 1917.
[Seal] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919

Bank Statement

Bank No. 1004.

Statement of the condition of Farmers State Bank of Holt, Holt, Minn. at close of business on May, 1, 1917.
Date of report by bank, May, 9, 1917.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$45,257 47
Overdrafts		51 28
Bonds and Securities		27 02
Banking House, furniture and Fixtures		2,666 51
Other Real Estate		207 45
Due from Banks	821 93	
Cash on hand	234 07	
Total cash assets		1056 00
Checks and cash items		274 50
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		4634 48
Interest Unearned		
Total		$54,175 31

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		2,000 00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		21,095 84
Deposits Subject to Check	$6,420 03	
Cashier's Checks	8081 02	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	14,510 95	
Time Certificates	6,568 52	
Total Deposits	21,079 47	
Total		$54 175 31
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$1 331 10
Amt of Reserve Required by Law		$2,069 73

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, Lars Backe President and Bert J. Bakke Asst. Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
Lars Backe, President.
Bert J. Bakke, Asst. Cashier
Correct Attest: Lars Backe
(Two) Directors H. J. Oien
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of May, 1917.
(Seal) Nils Engebretson, Notary Public.
My Commission expires 6-15-1919

Clean Up Notice

The village council have made arrangements for a dump ground in Mrs. Math Olson pasture on the east side of the railroad track. Everyone is notified to have their premisies cleaned up by one week from day of the publication of this notice.

B. Docken, Village President.
H. B. Young, Village Clerk.

Bring us your Job Printing.

For Sale

One seven room house and one five room house for sale or trade for land. C. Andrew Niss, Thief River Falls Minn.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

The Choir will meet at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening to practice some new songs.

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota May 2, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Olaf G. Tharaldson of Germantown Minn. who, on April 22nd, 1911 made Homestead Entry Serial No. 06010, for NE 1-4 Sec. 15, Twp. 155 N., R. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James [illegible], U. S. Commissioner, for the District of Minnesota, at Grygla, Minn., on the 12th day of June 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Alexander Magee, Hilbert O. Berve, Salve G. Tharaldson and Oliver Secours all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.
Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 11, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Nels Omberg, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on Nov. 9, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 08582 for NE 1-4, Sec. 26, Twp. 156 N., Ran.. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minn., at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of May 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Olaf Dahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Axel Benson all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6. 1912.
Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn, April 13, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Lars Ingebrigtsli, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on May 6, 1913, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08906, for SW 1-4 NW 1-4 Sec. 1, Lot 2 S 1-2 NE 1-4, Sec. 2, Township 155 N. Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of May 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Nels Omberg, Carl Dahl, Remo Boe and Clarence Larson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.
Peter M, Ringald, Register.

Save money by trading in Holt.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.87
Wheat No. 2	2.84
Wheat No. 3	2.76
Wheat No. 4	2.55
Flax	3 29
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Government Issues Warning Against Fly Poisons

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"Of other fly poisons mentioned, mention should be made, merely for a purpose of condemnation, of those composed of arsenic. Fatal cases of poisoning of children through the use of such compounds are far too frequent, and owing to the resemblance of arsenical poisoning to summer diarrhea and cholera infantum, it is believed that the cases reported do not, by any means, comprise the total. Arsenical fly-destroying devices must be rated as extremely dangerous, and should never be used, even if other measures are not at hand."

106 fly poisoning cases have been reported by the press within the last three years. As stated above this number is but a fraction of the real number. Protect your children by using the safe, efficient, non-poisonous fly catcher

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"Billy kicked you? Billy, how dare you kick your little sister? You coward, to kick a girl! Don't you know it's only donkeys that kick? If I hear of this again I'll give you tit for tat, and kick you!"

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This announcement will interest many of our readers. If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to surely get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

Pecuniary Impressiveness.

"Money talks!" said the man who was figuring on the effect of seven billion dollars."

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Caged Insects.

Pussy's constant loss of flesh, despite her good food, worried Jackie.

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EXPLAINS METHODS OF OPERATION OF ARMY DRAFT LAW

EXPLICIT INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE GUIDANCE OF THOSE HAVING MATTER IN CHARGE.

COUNTY OFFICIALS TO ACT

Their Duties Designated, With the Governors of Each State Placed at the Head of All Registration Machinery—Voting Places to Be Used as Centers of Gatherings.

Washington.—To facilitate the work of raising the military forces called for by the army draft law, now in effect, the war department has issued the following letter of instruction, by which all officials connected with the duty will be governed:

The approval of the new national army bill and the president's proclamation thereunder have been coincident. All persons within the age limits prescribed are required to present themselves for registration at the customary voting places in the voting precincts in which they have their permanent homes, on a day which the president will announce.

There was a time in the country's history when military enumerators, backed by bayonets, went out among the people to take a compulsory service census. Today, under the principle of universal liability to service, the execution of the law is put into the hands of the people.

The governor of each state is the chief of registration therein. The machinery of registration in each county is in charge of the sheriff, the county clerk, and the county physician, acting ex officio, unless a different board shall be announced by the governor. In cities containing populations of more than 30,000, the registration will be under the control of the mayor and selected boards of registration. In order that the disignated county and city officials, and the people generally, can get a clear understanding of the census methods the following brief outline is given:

The sheriffs, or other designated officials, immediately upon receiving notice from the governor, shall appoint registrars for each voting precinct.

Apportionment of Registrars.

The proportion of registrars shall be one for each 170 persons to be registered. Each age to be registered will comprise about 1 per cent of the population.

If, for instance, all men between nineteen and twenty-five years of age, inclusive, are to be registered, the registrar would have to enroll about 7 per cent of the precinct population.

It is desirable to accept the services of competent volunteer registrars to serve without compensation. All registrars must be sworn.

The voting place in each precinct must be prepared for registration. Full printed instructions covering every detail of registration will be in the hands of sheriffs and mayors on the fifth day after the president's proclamation.

Cities of Over 30,000 Population.

The mayor of a city containing more than 30,000 inhabitants, or the officials designated by the governor therein, shall, with approval of the governor, appoint for each ward or convenient minor subdivision containing about 30,000 people one registration board, and shall designate one officer of each board to perform duties similar to those imposed on the sheriff, as heretofore outlined. If the mayor desires, he may appoint a central board to coordinate the work of minor boards.

Duties of County Clerks, and of Clerks of Cities of Over 30,000 People.

On the fifth day after the president has issued his proclamation, clerks of counties and cities of over 30,000 must secure a supply of blanks and copies of the registration regulations from the sheriff or from the mayor. Absentees and the sick will apply to such clerks to have their registration cards filled out. In no case shall such persons be given registration certificates. They are to be instructed by the clerk that the burden is on them to see to it that the cards reach the registrars of their home precincts by registration day.

Absentees and the Sick.

Persons absent from their home counties may be registered by mail. If so absent, a man should go to the clerk of the county where he may be staying, on the sixth day after the date of the president's proclamation. If he is in a city of over 30,000 population, the city clerk is the official to whom to apply. The absentee will be told how to register, but he must mail his card in time to reach his precinct by registration day.

Persons too sick to present themselves for registration must send a competent person to the county or city clerk on the sixth day after the issuing of the proclamation. The clerk will give instructions for registration.

Colleges, Universities, Homes and Other Institutions.

Officials of educational, charitable and other institutions should apply for instructions to the county or city clerk on the sixth day after the date of the proclamation for instructions as to a convenient method of registration.

The wardens of jails, penitentiaries, and reformatories should apply to the county or city clerk for instructions on the sixth day.

Five days after the date of the president's proclamation complete regulations will be in the hands of all sheriffs and of the officials of cities of over 30,000 population.

The president is authorized to call upon all public officers to assist in the execution of the law. The plan is, however, to rely on the people for the proper execution of the law. It is expected that patriotic citizens will offer their services free as registrars. Such edged. Volunteers for this service should communicate immediately with the proper official.

BANKS ASKED TO CO-OPERATE

Secretary Authorizes Financial Institutions to Receive Subscriptions for the Bond Offerings.

Washington.—Secretary McAdoo telegraphed the entire list of 27,513 national and state banks and trust companies in the United States, authorizing them to receive subscriptions for the $2,000,000,000 bond offering, enlisting their co-operation, and requesting them to telegraph a rough estimate of the amount of bonds each would take for itself and its patrons.

"You can render an invaluable service to your country," Mr. McAdoo told the banks, "by receiving subscriptions and co-operating with the federal reserve bank in your district."

Loan Subscriptions Pour In.

To all clearing house associations in the country Mr. McAdoo sent a telegram in which he said:

"The amount of the initial loan has been determined by the needs of the government and not arbitrarily. The enthusiastic and patriotic co-operation of the banks and bankers of the country will guarantee the success of the undertaking."

The result of the first announcement of the loan has been a deluge of subscriptions, aggregating many millions. Most of these came in by wire to the treasury. Virtually every large city and every state in the Union was represented.

Lend $100,000,000 to Italy.

Negotiations continued today with representatives of the nations to which the United States is extending credit. Count di Cellere, the Italian ambassador, received the full amount of the first $100,000,000 loan made by this government to Italy.

Subscriptions to the second offering of treasury certificates were received during the day by the federal reserve banks. Indications are that the secretary will call for the proceeds within a week, possibly a few days.

The $100,000,000 loan to France will be turned over to Ambassador Jusserand, in whole or part, within a day or so.

MAY CENTER IN WASHINGTON

Probability That One Committee Will Purchase All Supplies Needed by the Allied Countries.

Washington.—Creation of a central purchasing committee in Washington for all supplies bought in the United States for the allied governments was forecast here by Sir Hardman Lever, financial expert of the British war mission. The committee will supplant J. P. Morgan & Co.

Discussing the world financial situation, the British expert expressed the opinion that Germany will be practically bankrupt in the credit markets after the war.

"Our enemies," he said, "for all their boasted efficiency, have never had the courage to face their financial problems, with the result that when the war is over they will be hard put to it."

The Teutonic governments having pyramided one internal loan upon another, he explained, their interest charges would be so great that he believed they would either have to repudiate a large part of their debt or face inability to buy the enormous quantities of material they would need for reconstruction.

The allies, he added, had paid their way in the war "by the straightforward and natural means, by pouring out their gold, by selling enormous masses of American securities, by raising loans." As a result, he predicted that the end of the war would find the allies in good shape financially, despite their enormous permanent debts.

Another U. S. Ship Sunk.

Washington, May 4.—The American sailing vessel Willard Abrahams was sunk off the Irish coast, the crew of six being rescued, according to a message received by the state department.

CONTROL OF FOOD SUPPLIES

Measure Introduced in Congress to Give President Full Authority in the Matter.

Washington.—Governmental control of food, fuel, clothing and other necessaries of life is contemplated in a bill which Representative Lever introduced. The measure has administration support.

The bill would bring every agency connected with the food supply under control of the president. This will include stimulation of production, prevention of waste, regulation of distribution, prohibition of hoarding and elimination of speculation.

The president would have authority to direct shipments of foodstuffs into markets where needed most. He would also have power to requisition factories, mines and other establishments.

The bill contains a clause to prevent flooding of the American market by importations, so these articles will not compete with American products.

GAP MILE DEEP IS CUT IN ENEMY LINE BY AUSTRALIANS

COLONIALS PENETRATE TEUTON FRONT AROUND REINCOURT, HEMMED TO EAST, WEST AND SOUTH BY BRITISH.

BULLECOURT IS ENTERED BY BRITISH, IS REPORT

War Office Statement Shows Many Prisoners Taken—Dutch Fishermen Lay Up Boats as Result of Torpedoings—German Supply of Fish Cut Off—Norse Ships Sunk.

London, May 8.—Australian troops have forged ahead a mile into the German lines around Reincourt.

Reincourt is hemmed in by British troops to the west, the east and the south.

After sharp fighting the British have pushed forward east of Bullecourt and have taken a number of prisoners, according to a statement by the war office.

British Enter Bullecourt.

"There was sharp fighting in the Hindenburg line," says the announcement. "East of Bullecourt our position has been improved. We progressed westward in the direction of the village and took a number of prisoners. A hostile bombing attack during the night on our front line south of Oppy delivered after heavy artillery preparation was successfully driven off."

A dispatch from British headquarters in France says the British have pushed their way well within the town of Bullecourt and hand to hand fighting has developed there.

Dutch Resent Torpedoing.

According to a dispatch from Copenhagen, the Norwegian foreign office has announced the sinking by German submarines of the steamships Capto and Natuna. The crews were rescued.

Special dispatches from Holland say that the persistent torpedoing of Dutch trawlers has caused the fishermen to lay up their boats. The trawlers were guaranteed safety within prescribed limits and a supply of German coal on condition that they supply fish for the German market. The promised coal was not received and the sinkings continued, so the German legation at The Hague is said to have been notified that no more fish will be supplied.

BLAST WRECKS PART OF GREAT MUNITIONS PLANT

One Dead and Two Fatally Burned at Kingsport, Tenn.—Wild Excitement Follows Explosion.

Kingsport, Tenn., May 8.—One-third of the mammoth munitions plant of the Federal Dyestuff and Chemical company has been destroyed by a terrific explosion.

One man was killed and two others probably fatally burned. No statement has been obtained as to the cause of the explosion.

Some of the federal troops stationed outside the factory were thrown to the ground by the shock of the explosion. None was reported injured.

Wildest excitement followed the explosion and officials feared for the safety of suspects, should any be arrested.

MAY WIPE OUT THREE BUREAUS

Governor and Advisers Said to Be Working Out Changes.

St. Paul, May 8.—Practical wiping out of three state departments in the interests of "efficiency and economy," through consolidation with other departments, is to be effected through plans being worked out by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist and his advisers, it has just been learned.

The departments affected are oil inspection, hotel inspection and state fire marshal. The oil inspection department is to be handled under the dairy and food department, according to the plans. The state first marshal and the hotel inspection service are to work under the insurance commissioner.

AIRPLANE SHELLS LONDON

Bombs Kill One in Outskirts, According to Statement.

London, May 8.—An airplane has dropped four bombs on the northwestern outskirts of London killing one person and injuring two, according to a statement issued by Lord French, commander in chief of the home defense forces. Slight damage was done to buildings, the statement said.

Wind Frees Steamers at Soo.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., May 8.—Steamers which lay here waiting favorable conditions are having better luck than those which went into the ice pack to run their chances of getting through. A large fleet has left the Soo and by taking a course to the east of Parisian island succeeded in getting into open water. The north wind had pinned the ice tight to the south shore, holding steamers there and at the same time clearing water toward the Canadian shore. West of Parisian island ice is heavy.

WAY TO CLEAR SEA OF SUBMARINES IS FOUND BY AMERICA

CHAIRMAN OF NAVAL CONSULTING BOARD MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT—TESTS PROVE METHOD IS SUCCESSFUL.

PRESIDENT IN GALLERY, HEARS BALFOUR SPEECH

Wilson Sets Precedent by Action—Is Among Those Who Applaud English Statesman Loudest—Many Notables Present in Diplomatic Gallery.

New York, May 7.—W. L. Saunders, chairman of the naval consulting board, announced here late Saturday that the board had forwarded to Washington plans for dealing with the submarine menace which, it is believed, has solved the problem successfully.

Successful Solution Reached.

Mr. Saunders, who has been chairman of the naval consulting board about two months, supplemented his announcement by saying that, while the submarine problem cannot be considered in reality to have been solved until the U-boats have been destroyed, nevertheless numerous experiments made along the Atlantic coast led the board to feel confident that a successful solution had been reached.

President in Galleries.

Washington, May 7.—President Wilson occupied a seat in the executive gallery of the house while British Foreign Minister Arthur J. Balfour and members of the British mission were received on the floor.

It was the first time as far as capitol historians could find that any president of the United States had appeared in the galleries.

Balfour Addresses House.

Minister Balfour in his address said in part:

"The menace of militarism increases. We free peoples of western civilization are banded together to fight this menace. In this cause we will surely conquer."

President Wilson was among those who applauded loudest as Mr. Balfour began speaking.

The president entered unnoticed while Representative Albert Estinopal of Louisiana was reading, in French, a message from the president of the chambers of deputies of Rumánia. Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. W. G. McAdoo accompanied the president.

Wilson Joins Handshakers.

Mr. Balfour concluded his address by again thanking the house and saying he had a "profound sense of this unique greeting."

Apparently he did not know President Wilson was one of the most interested listeners and when he ended his speech went to the well of the house, where members began passing by to shake his hand.

President Wilson came down from the gallery and joined the line. As he appeared on the floor he was cheered again and took a place just ahead of Representative Jeanette Rankin.

Supreme Court Suspended.

Justices of the supreme court occupied chairs on the floor. In the diplomatic gallery were American, British and French officials.

Accompanying Minister Balfour were Major General G. T. Bridges, Captain H. H. Spencer-Clay, Rear Admiral Sir Dudley R. S. De Chair, Fleet Paymaster General V. A. Lawford, Lord Cunliffe, governor of the Bank of England, Assistant Secretary Philips and Hugh Gibbons of the state department.

REICHSTAG MAY CURTAIL POWER OF THE EMPEROR

Committee Decides to Alter Section of Imperial Constitution, According to Dispatch from Berlin.

Amsterdam, May 7.—A restriction of the power of the emperor of Germany has been decided upon by the constitution committee of the reichstag, according to a dispatch from Berlin.

The committee has decided to alter Article XVII of the imperial constitution as follows:

"Ordinances and decrees of the kaiser will be issued in the name of the empire and will require for validity the countersignature of the imperial chancellor or his representative, who thereby assumes responsibility to the reichstag."

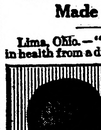
The decision of the committee was in accordance with a joint proposal by the centrists, national liberals and the progressives. Four conservative members voted against the change.

To Avert Tin Can Shortage.

Washington, May 7.—A committee of tin can makers and consumers has made public a series of specific recommendations to farmers, and manufacturers, canners and dealers, by which a shortage may be avoided. Manufacturers are urged to give preference to orders for can material, and can makers to sell only to customers who will pack perishable products. The committee includes representatives of manufacturers, the National Cannery association and the National Wholesale Grocers.

BROKEN DOWN IN HEALTH

Woman Tells How $5 Worth of Pinkham's Compound Made Her Well.



Lima, Ohio.—"I was all broken down in health from a displacement. One of my lady friends came to see me and she advised me to commence taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash. I began taking your remedies and took $5.00 worth and in two months was a well woman after three doctors said I never would stand up straight again. I was a midwife for seven years and I recommended the Vegetable Compound to every woman to take before birth and afterwards, and they all got along so nicely that it surely is a godsend to suffering women. If women wish to write to me I will be delighted to answer them."—Mrs. JENNIE MOYER, 342 E. North St., Lima, Ohio.

Women who suffer from displacements, weakness, irregularities, nervousness, backache, or bearing-down pains, need the tonic properties of the roots and herbs contained in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

A Question.

"Does your boy Josh help you to run the farm?"

"I can't say," replied Farmer Corntossel. "Sometimes I think Josh puts in too much time lecturin' th' help on efficiency, when they might be plantin' potatoes."

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The Children's Poet.

In the St. Nicholas Magazine Hildegarde Hawthorne gives a sympathetic sketch of the life of Robert Louis Stevenson, whose "Child's Garden of Verses" is perhaps the most popular book of poetry ever written. His passionate attachment to children is expressed best by Andrew Lang, whom Miss Hawthorne quotes:

"There was a very pleasant trait in Stevenson's character which, perhaps, does not display itself in most of his writings—his great affection for children. . . . In an early letter he writes: 'Kids is what is the matter with me. . . . Children are too good to be true.' He had a natural infatuation, so to say, for children as children . . . little boys and girls were his delight, and he was theirs."

Classified.

Patriot—One who goes with his wife to buy a hat and enjoys himself.

Martyr—One that goes with her, but falls asleep in the store.

Hero—One that goes with her and flirts with all the cashgirls.

Coward—The sneaky character that always remembers he has an engagement.

Obstructing Navigation.

"They tell me that Smith was arrested today because he drowned his dog in the river," said Jones.

"How could they arrest him for drowning a dog in the river?" demanded Brown.

"Why, they claimed that a sunken bark obstructed navigation."

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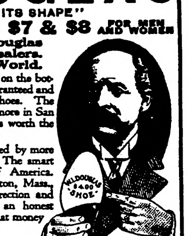

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Preserve the Wild Flowers.

An earnest appeal has been made for the preservation of one of the most beautiful of wild flowers, the columbine, particularly along tourist routes. This appeal will find sympathetic support everywhere throughout the states in which the columbine is a natural annual, but it should be broadened to include all wild flowering plants that are needlessly, and often wantonly pulled up by the roots. The conservation of wild flowers is a patriotic duty.—Christian Science Monitor.

BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

Panacea of the Home the World Over.

Why will you allow a cold to advance in your system and thus encourage more serious maladies, such as pneumonia or lung trouble, when by the timely use of a few doses of Boschee's German Syrup you can get relief. This medicine has stood the test of fifty years. It induces a good night's sleep with easy expectoration in the morning. For sale by druggists in all parts of the civilized world in 25 and 75 cent bottles.—Adv.

Not Natural.

"I presume your sculptor friend is wedded to his art?"

"By no means; he is with it too much."

By keeping everlastingly at it a man accomplishes a lot of things that are not worth the effort.

Occasionally a woman makes a fool of a man, but more often she makes him make a fool of himself.

A Collegiate Primer.

"What is that red brick building on the cam-pus?"

"That is the ad-min-is-tra-tion build-ing."

"What do we do there?"

"That is where we pay our tu-i-tion."

"Do we like to pay our tu-i-tion?"

"No, but we must. If we do not, we must leave col-lege and go to work."

"Oh, let us hurry and pay our tu-i-tion."—Orange Peel.

Home, Sweet Home.

After the battle of Mons an officer congratulated an Irishman on his conspicuous bravery under fire.

"Well, Pat," he said, "how did you feel during the engagement?"

"Feel, captain?" answered Pat. "I felt as if every hair on me head was a band of music, and they were all playing 'Home, Sweet Home.'"—Everybody's Magazine.

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One Nurse to Ten Patients.

One nurse to every 200 soldiers is the requirement in modern conflict, as the war in Europe has demonstrated. The proportion of sick and wounded to the entire army is about 5 per cent. That is, if we throw 1,000,000 soldiers against an enemy, at least 50,000 of them will be in the hospitals continually. In a war hospital the average proportion of patients to nurses is ten to one.—Red Cross Magazine.

Probably Not.

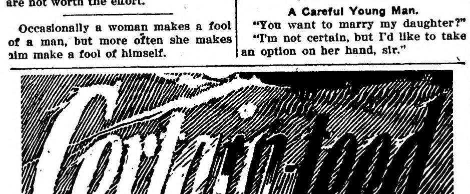
"The circus has cut out thrillers."

"Couldn't compete with the movies, I s'pose."

A Careful Young Man.

"You want to marry my daughter?"

"I'm not certain, but I'd like to take an option on her hand, sir."



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Canadian Farmers Profit From Wheat

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

The war's devastation of European crops has caused an unusual demand for grain from the American Continent. The people of the world must be fed and wheat near $2 a bushel offers great profits to the farmer. Canada's invitation is therefore especially attractive. She wants settlers to make money and happy, prosperous homes for themselves by helping her raise immense wheat crops.

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There is an extra demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for the war. The Government is urging farmers to put extra acreage into grain. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.;
J. L. Porte, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents

What's Doing in Minnesota

Winona. — With more than 75 per cent of the small grain in the ground in this section, there is nothing alarming in the weather conditions at present, according to E. F. Heim, grain expert.

St. Peter. — A petition signed by 125 farmers adjacent to Swan lake has been presented to the board of county commissioners, praying that the lake be drained. A hearing on the petition will be held in this city May 28.

Le Sueur Center. — Mrs. Mary Casey, the oldest resident of this place, is dead, aged 100 years 2 months and 20 days. She was born in County Cork, Ireland, and came to Minnesota in 1855, first locating in Nicollet county.

St. Paul.—For the first time since 1876, the Minnesota State Fire Department association will not hold a convention this summer. The executive board, at a meeting in St. Paul, decided to postpone it this year because of the war.

Fergus Falls. — A milk war is on in this city. The milkmen here announced that on May 1 they would raise the price from 8 cents per quart to 10 cents. Mayor Erickson announced they would not if there was any legal way to prevent it.

Stillwater.—The Washington county board of commissioners has authorized a bond issue of $10,000 toward paying its share of a highway around White Bear lake from White Bear to Wildwood. Ramsey county proposes to bear $20,000 of the expense.

Red Wing.—Joseph Evans, 30 years old, farmer of Leon township, was killed instantly, and Ludwig Johnson, his companion, was injured seriously when Evans' automobile crashed through the railing of a bridge at Stanton and plunged into the creek.

Winona. — More than half the population of Winona participated in a parade and patriotic demonstration of greater magnitude than anything of that nature ever before in the city's history. Nearly 20,000 men, women and children marched three miles in the parade.

St. Paul. — Andrew E. Fritz, state public examiner has certified to the Minnesota Tax commission a list of more than 100 freight line and private car companies failing to report for the last year as required by the gross earnings tax law and 35 companies found to have omitted earnings from reports.

Mankato. — At a largely attended meeting of farmers and business men, at the courthouse, the Blue Earth County Farmers' and Business Men's league was organized, with County Commissioner T. H. Foley, chairman; County Auditor C. L. Kennedy, secretary, and the five county commissioners an executive committee.

St. Paul.—The officers of the Public Safety commission are being flooded with letters from towns all over the state, asking how the people shall go about organizing a home guard. In reply the commission is sending out a letter and a blank, containing the form of enlistment and space for the signatures of those who enlist.

St. Paul. — Premiums paid for fire, tornado and hail insurance in Minnesota during the last calendar year show an increase of $289,974, while the losses were $141,052 greater than the previous year, according to a preliminary report by John B. Sanborn, state insurance commissioner, which will be ready soon for distribution.

St. Paul.—John H. Mullen has been named deputy state highway commissioner by Charles M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, and his salary fixed at $3,500 a year. At the same time it was announced that Carl E. Nagel, who has been deputy engineer of bridges, will be retained as deputy engineer at a salary of $2,500 a year.

Minneota. — Minneota, Lime county, made a vigorous clutch at the banner for champion recruiting when it sent a delegation of twenty-four young men to Minneapolis to join the army and navy. Nine already have enlisted from Minneota, making thirty-three from this village of 950 persons, or more than 3 per cent, and probably a fourth of the men of fighting age.

St. Paul.—Important Minnesota war developments have just been announced Captain W. F. Rhinow, United States army officer detailed as military instructor at the University of Minnesota, has become military secretary to Governor J. A. A. Burnquist. Adjutant General Fred B. Wood was placed in charge of registration for conscription in the state and will devote his time to that task, while Captain Rhinow will take over other military duties, including supervision of the national guard.

Fort Snelling. — The opening date for the Fort Snelling training camp for reserve corps officers was postponed from May 8 to May 14. This action was taken by the War department, "in order to enable a more careful selection to be made of the limited number that can be accommodated."

Brainerd.—The body of Selwyn P. Coffrain, Brainerd business man, drowned last October while hunting, was found in Lake George by a homesteader living near the lake. An extensive search has been made for the body by men who accompanied Coffrain on his trip.

Duluth. — Precautions adopted by authorities in guarding the ore docks here have been doubled in the past twenty-four hours, since the loading of vessels started. Strict orders have been given to shoot to kill any suspicious persons refusing to halt after being challenged, guards say.

MORE MAN POWER NEEDED ON FARMS

FOOD CONSERVATION COMMITTEE CALLS ON MINNESOTANS TO HELP SOLVE PROBLEMS.

MORE GUARDS MAY BE CALLED

Call, Possibly for Service in Trenches in Europe, Expected to Follow Conference on Transportation at Capitol.

St. Paul.

The present food shortage is due not to inefficiency on the farm but to the fact that there are not enough people on the land to feed all of the rest of the people, says A. D. Wilson, chairman of the state committee on food production and conservation, and the man-shortage is caused in part by war conditions and in part by the preferences of people for the shorter hours of labor in town.

It is believed that bankers, merchants and others in farming trade centers should in periods of labor stress on the farms go out and take a hand with the farmers. This will not only help to solve the present labor problem, but it will help to bind town and country into closer union for their permanent good.

The crop production committee of the state committee is making a final appeal to the farmers of the corn belt to plant the largest possible acreage of corn as a means of offsetting the shortage in the wheat of the winter wheat states.

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To Call 2nd and 3rd Regiments.

A call to the colors, perhaps, to put the flag on the fighting front, was reported an early probability for the Second and Third Minnesota regiments when Major Harry L. Brady called operating officials of Northwestern railroads into conference at the Capitol to arrange schedules for transportation of troops.

Major Brady, in charge of troop transportation as United States property and disbursing officer, admitted that the War department has directed immediate preparation of such schedules but declined to give any further information, believing it would be contrary to public policy.

The conference was to forward schedules to central headquarters at Chicago and early mobilization calls for the Second and Third infantry are expected.

The meeting to arrange for actual railroad movements of troops and the fact that most companies already are recruited to the maximum, was regarded as an indication that the regiments will be sent soon to Fort Snelling and perhaps prepared without delay to go to the fighting front.

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To Hold Recruits' Positions Open.

The Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission by formal resolution has pledged that body to retain the places of any of its employes who are enlisted for military purposes during the war. Several of them already have joined the colors without any assurance that their positions would be restored to them on their return and it was to show their appreciation for such action and to assure others in the department who have desired to enlist that their places will be protected, that the commission made their position a matter of formal record.

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Grain Department Chief Resigns.

H. E. Emerson, chief of the Minnesota grain department, retired from the office May 1 after serving 26 years and after passing every grade from helper to the chief office. He will be succeeded by G. H. Tunell, who has been in the grain department since 1889, being appointed from Albert Lea in that year. Richard Gibbs is promoted to be chief deputy inspector at Minneapolis after thirty-two years in the service.

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Relatives to Care for Insane.

Inquiry to determine how many of more than 6,000 patients in Minnesota institutions for the insane are financially responsible or have relatives able to pay for their care and treatment by the state has been ordered by the state board of control.

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Pine Quarantine Declared.

An absolute quarantine against shipment into Minnesota of five leaf pine nursery stock from states where white pine blister rust is prevalent has been declared by F. L. Washburn, state entomologist.

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Kill No Spawning Fish Plea.

A plea to the public to not kill fish during the spawning season has been made by the executive committee of the state food conservation committee.

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Border Service Pay Ready.

Guardsmen who served on the Mexican border last summer will receive their additional state pay of 50 cents a day as soon as payrolls now in the hands of the printers have been checked up and signed, it has been announced. How soon the men actually will receive this money, which amounts to from $75 to $125 for each, cannot be predicted, Adjutant General Fred B. Wood said. The money has been available for two weeks. Payment will be made through company and battery commanders.

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Is Your Back Stiff, Lame and Achy?

Do Weak Kidneys Keep You Sick, Tired and All Worn Out?

IF YOU have a constant, dull ache, or sharp pains whenever you bend or twist your back, and the kidney secretions seem disordered, too, don't waste time plastering or rubbing the bad back. It's likely that the cause is kidney weakness, and delay in treating the kidneys may invite uric acid poisoning, gravel, dropsy or fatal Bright's disease.

Get *Doan's Kidney Pills*, a special remedy for weak kidneys, used around the world and publicly recommended by 50,000 people in the U. S. A.

Personal Reports of Real Cases

HEALTH WAS RESTORED.
T. A. Matchke, Hillsboro, N. D., says: "My back got so lame I could hardly work and before long headaches and dizzy spells came on. I was nervous and run down and doctors failed to help me. I was becoming discouraged until a friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills. The first box helped me and by the time I had used six boxes, my kidneys were in good shape and my back was cured. All the other ailments left me and I was restored to good health."

GIVES DOAN'S THE CREDIT.
Mrs. R. S. Andrews, 1621 Eighth Ave., N., Great Falls, Mont., says: "I suffered intensely from my back and rheumatic pains. My hands, feet and limbs swelled and I was unable to stand. Finally, I had to take to my bed and leave my housework undone. I lost so much weight that my garments just hung on me. Finally I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and they rid me of all the trouble. I give them the credit for my cure."

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Not the Only One.

Jane started to tell a secret which Uncle Jack had told her, but her mother warned her that secrets must not be told to anyone. After a while she came to her mother and said dolefully:

"Mother, I don't like secrets."

"Why not?"

"I don't know. I guess I like to talk too well," returned Jane.—F. G.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Fought With Hessians.

An ancestor of Count von Bernstorff, the dismissed German ambassador, fought against America in our war for freedom. The fact is brought out by a passage in the "Souvenirs du Chevalier de Cussy." Among the acquaintances made by the chevalier in 1820, when he joined the staff of the French embassy in Berlin, was the court chamberlain, Count von Bernstorff, grandfather of the former ambassador. "Countess Bernstorff," wrote De Cussy, "bears a singular forename, 'America.' This was bestowed on her because she was born in that country during the war of independence. Her father was in command of one of the regiments hired out to the English by the elector of Hesse."

Selfish.

Jack—Can she keep a secret?

Maud—Yes, the disagreeable thing.

Don't boast of your blood—you may need a purifier this spring.

It Sounds Ridiculous.

Joseph H. Choate said, at a luncheon in New York:

"When the Germans talk about protecting little nations, freeing the seas and championing international law, it sounds so ridiculous that it reminds me of the tramp.

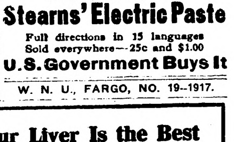
"'Lady,' said a tramp to a farmer's wife, 'could you oblige me with the loan of a cake of soap?'

"The farmer's wife threw up her hands.

"'Soap!' she said. 'Do you mean to tell me you desire soap?'

"'Yas'm,' said the tramp. 'Me partner's got the hiccups and I want to scare him.'"

Pie crusts are bound, crimped and trimmed at the same time with a new kitchen utensil.



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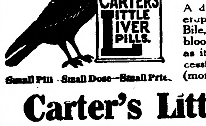

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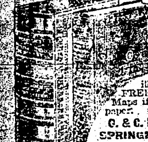

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SYMPTOMS

Aching Pains over Hips. Backache. Sediment or Deposit in Urine. Irritation of the Bladder. Pain in Urinating. Rheumatism. (uric acid in blood). Sudden Stoppage of Urine. Highly Colored or Milky White Urine. Pass Blood or Mucus in Urine. Retention of Urine. Straining after Urinating. Thick or Sluggish Urine. Stone in the Bladder. Cystitis (Inflammation of bladder) Catarrh of Bladder or Bowels. Puffiness under Eyes. Voracious Appetite. Thirst. Gall Stone. Gravel. Pain in Uretha. Swollen Ankles. Dimmed Vision. Specks before the Eyes. Scanty Urine. Frequent Calls. Mouth D... Biliousness. Dribbling. Lumbago. Loss of Flesh. Weakness. Irregular Heart Action. Ulceration of the Bladder. Skin Pale Waxy and Dry. Bad Odor of Perspiration

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Trade at home.

J. B. Alkenbrack and Axel Nelson were business visitors in Thief River Falls Monday.

Miss Esther Werner went to T. R. Falls Saturday where she expects to stay for some time.

Tom Hoefect and Anna Ness of T. R. Falls visited at the latter's parents home last week.

Early planted corn does the best and yields the most. Frosts in the fall hurts corn more than spring frosts.

John O. Johnson has had to take a few days vacation the past week on account of a bad attack of rheumatism.

The young folks of the neighborhood gave John Ewald a party Saturday night. All present, report a splendid time.

Upland wild hay cut fore part of July. Stacked on Sec. 8 Town of Mud Lake, For sale by K. O. Flakne. Holt Minn.

B. Docken and B. J. Bakke were county seat visitors Monday. We understand they assisted with organizing the Marshall county Bankers Association.

Pure Bred Stallion
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Will Stand In Holt
Every Monday
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Mildred Louise Talk of Interest

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said, "Take tonoline."

Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

"What tonoline really did for me I cannot say. I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline publicly."

Tonoline is a purely vegetable preparation which goes to the seat of common maladies—stomach and kidney trouble, catarrhal affections of the mucous membranes, liver ailments and impurities of the of the blood—and quickly restores proper action. Tonoline is being explained daily at your druggists.

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Send me by return mail a 50c box of your celebrated flesh builder. I enclose 10c to help pay postage and packing.

For Sale!

Good team of horses for sale cheap and on easy terms.

Holt State Bank.

Edwin Nelson returned home from Tilden Junction yesterday.

Don't forget the movie shows at the hall every Saturday and Wednesday nights.

Several auto loads from town attended the ladies aid at Lewis Wegge's Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Swanson of Warren were Holt visitors Wednesday P. M.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 8:00 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

L. Gill the T. R. Falls merchant is compelled to move on account of the remodeling of the building in which he is located. He is advertising a big removal sale in the supplement.

Our rules are not to publish unsigned articles nor those apt to give offense. If the writer of "A Plea for the Boys" will call, the poem will be returned, or it will be returned if postage and the author's name is sent us.

Readers of the News will find an article on the inside page of this issue, describing The Operation of the New Draft Law. Don't Over look It.

"Either work or fight", will have to be our slogan, if we win this war

See "Pretty Rough on Auntie" at the Opera House Saturday night.

Alfred Olson has partitioned off the back part of his building for a club room.

E. T. Eide was down from Spooner Monday. He says business is good and that Sponer is the livelist town in northern Minnesota.

Fridjof Riesberg is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. Pavek, in Fordville, N. Dak.

Work will soon commence on a modern new school building for Newfolden, which will cost about $27000.00

Show your colors. Flags for sale at this office.

As seeding is well under way, and soon will be a thing of the past, expect you are planning your work further on, but hope you so plan that yourself and family can attend the Get-together Picnic of the Marshall Federation of Farmers Clubs to be held east of Argyle, June 16.

Theodore Willer, Sec'y.,
Argyle, Minn.

Boost for Holt, first, last and all the time. Boost.

The Minnesota Commission on Food Production is sending out a warning that, Elements beside the law of supply and demand are at work which will insure good prices for products and farmers are urged to plant all their fields and the people of the cities and villiages will have to help harvest the crops.

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Wonderful Cuban Caves.

The wonderful caves of Bellamar, Cuba, to the east of Havana, attract the attention of the ambitious tourist. They are on a plateau as level as a table top, which presents no signs of the existence of such caves. After descending into the earth, however, a picture unfolds itself. Then come many passages, and at last the great "Catholic temple," 250 feet long and 80 feet wide.

The Boy Who Dreams.

It is a good thing for the farmer boy to have an imagination, says the Prairie Farmer. It is a good thing for him to "dream dreams and see visions." It takes a dreamer to see the transformation that intelligent effort will bring to pass on the old place. It takes a dreamer to see how much more desirable that place will be in ten years than a job in a dry goods [illegible]

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Wake Up! Our country is at war

Dr. R. L. Olson has some Burbank seed potatoes for sale.

Albert Bennes went to St. Paul last Thursday night on business.

Miss Lizzie Hanson returned Sunday from a three weeks visit with relatuves at Strandqist.

Mrs. A. L. Carlson of T. R. Falls visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wegge several days last week.

Taber & McLane struck water at a depth of 120 feet in the well at Willie Steinhauer's. The water comes up to 30 feet of the surface, so that ought to make easy pumping.

H. J. Olson was unable to have his picture show Saturday evening as oweing to a mistake the flims did not come. We understand he will show once a week here after, on Saturday nights.

Delicious ice cream only 10c a dish at the Young People's meeting next Wednesday evening in the Free Mission church. A short patriotic program will also be given to which all are invited.

Mrs. A. H. Huseth went to T. R. Falls Tuesday and underwent an operation at the hospital Wednesday. At last reports she was getting along nicely, which will be good news to the many friends of the family.

Albert Bennes has received a part of his fixtures for his ice cream parlor and expects the soda fountain and other fixtures soon. Mr. Bennes is going to have a fine place and no doubt will have a good business.

Albert Haglund, the Grand Forks photographer, has rented the farm house recently vacated by C. Rustad and family. We understand his mother and sisters will live there and and he will continue his work of taking pictures thru out the country.

B. Docken and B. J. Bakke went to Crookson Tuesday evening to attend the 9th. district bankers convention which was held the next day. Mr. Docken met some parties there who were on their way here to look at some of his land, so returned with them Wednesday noon, thus he was unable to attend the convention.

Farms for sale or rent on easy terms and at reasonable prices.

Farmers State Bank

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Lady Recruiting Officer.

Miss Beatha Nelson has been appointed a recruiting officer for the goverment and will be furnished a ladys' uniform to wear while serving her country. She will gladly furnished full information to any one in Holt or vicinity who is eligible for enlistment in Uncle Sam's service. We expect to see several of our young men volunteer for service in in the navy, uow that Miss Nelson will be actively engaged in the work.

Appointed Conscription Registar.

Sheriff Hanson has appointed Clarence Kolden to register all those in this village who are liable for military duty. The date of registration will be some time this month which will be announced later. As we understand it, the government will still receive volunteers for the army as same as for the navy, so no one need wait to be drafted.

Alfred Sollom was a Warren visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Clarence Kolden has been on the sick list this week.

Patriotic programs at the Mission church next Wednesday evening.

Mr. Mussey and Miss Langseth of T. R. Falls visited at the H. A. Fosholm Sunday.

The kind of weather we have been having of late would make even a prohibitionest "dry."

Mrs. Abrahamson of Gatzke came Friday for a few days visit with her sister Mrs. Alfred Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lund of Red Lake Falls visited Sunday evening at the home of her brother C. W. Christianson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson and baby and Elmer Sollom were over from Newfolden Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Hougaard and two sons of Standquist visited on Sunday at the home of their niece Mrs. C. W. Christianson and family.

Mrs. Kantz returned Monday to her home in Crookston after a few days pleasant visit at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bjerk.

Our first thunder shower came Wednesday night. Although it did not rain much, it freshened things up considerably. So far this season has been dry.

Messrs Momberg, J. A. Johnson, Sunden and their wives and the latters two sons, all of Alvarado, and Miss Tina Johnson were entertained Sunday at the Dr. R. L. Olson home.

A fly killed now will save the hatching of thousands later in ther season.

Flies are the cause of nealy all diseases. They are more dangerous to the lives of people than fires, floods and cyclone. Swat the fly.

Edwin Berkvan came up from Spring Grove last week to visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. S. H. Nolte. Mr. Berkvan has been clerking in the People's Cash store for several days while Mr. Ellestad has been farming.

A large crowd attended the Y. P. S. at the C. L. Heinze home Sunday afternoon and all had an enjoyable time. The feature of the occasion was the address, by Miss Levina Rokkre of near Newfolden, which was highly spoken of by all present,

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Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet Saturday 11 to 3 o'clock.

Sunday School at 10. Services at 11 o'clock next Sunday forenoon.

Young Peoples Society 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Edwin Erickson's, 3 miles south of Holt.

Services and Sunday School by L. Haudgaard in Wilson school house, Golden Valley congregation, at 11 o'clock next Sunday.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

School Examinations

Friday May 25

Physiology	2 p m

Monday May 28

American History	8 a m

Tuesday May 29

Spelling	10:15 a m
Eighth Grade Grammar and Composition	2 p m
Arithmetic	8 a m

Thursday May 31

Geography	2 p m

Johnson Dredge Arrived

Olaf Johnson's dredge came Monday and he has been hauling it a distance of 12 miles from here to about 6 miles east of Steiner. This dredge is a big affair and cost about $6000. It is something of a job to unload it and haul it to its destination, which was done with a traction engine, as were also the cook and sleeping cabins.

Mr. Johnson has a $16000 contract for excavating a ditch 18 1-2 miles long in Adjar and Grand Plain. His outfit is equipped with an electric light plant, so they can work day and night shifts.

For Sale

One seven room house and one five room house for sale or trade for land. C. Andrew Niss, Thief River Falls Minn.

For Sale

A good second hand Buick and also a Marion automobiles for sale or trade. Enquire at Holt State Bank.

For Sale

Pure blooded Holstein bull, two years old, for sale cheap.

J. M. Swan, Holt Minn.

Farms For Rent.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank.

For Sale.

Twelve room hotel, central location in good live town, for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Write the owner, Sam Mickelson,

Holt, Minn.

We are requested to urge that a large acreage of corn be planted for food, grain and fodder. Row it both ways as cross cultivation kills lots of weeds and keeps the ground in better condition. Do not plant thick simply for fodder, for by following above directions, you raise grain and fodder at the same time.

E. A. Johnson received word a few days ago that his son Elof of Minot, N. D. had his foot badly cut a few days before. He seems he was working around a gasoline engine and his foot slipped into the gearing, cutting off one side of it. As the younger Mr. Johnson will be unable to work for sometime, he is expected home on a visit.

For Sale!

NE 1-4 NW 1-4, W 1-2 NW 1-4 Sec. 11, Twp. 156, R. 43, 120 acres, $18.00 per acre, $100.00 down, balance on crop payments.

Mrs. E. C. Corrigan,
4125, 27 Ave. So. Minneapolis,
Minnesota.

Stiener News

August Koglin did business in this village one day last week.

The boys of this neighborhood have been having great sport catching fish along the big ditch the past week.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers went to Holt last week to see the dentist.

Harvey Copp visited his parents last Sunday.

Simon Warring and S. R. Rogers did business in Thief River Falls last Friday.

John Whitman was a business caller in T. R. Falls last week.

Arthur Simonson was hauling wheat to Thief River Falls the past week.

Miss Celia Saugen and Mable Rogers visited their parents over Sunday last week.

Omar Warring took the train at this place for T. R. Falls last Friday. He is shearing sheep out east these days.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson made a business trip to Thief River Falls the first of the week.

M. O. Saugen did business in T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Berg and son, Christian, made a trip to Thief River Falls Friday.

Miss Amy Whitman called at the S. Warring home Sunday.

Mrs. O. Lamb of T. R. Falls has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Meyer.

Several of the boys of this community rode their bicycles to T. R. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell and family called at the home of S. R. Rogers Sunday.

Miss Lena Riedle went to T. R. Falls, Sunday.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account

Estate of Hogan Anderson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hogan Anderson, Decedent.

The State Of MINNESOTA To All Persons Interested In The Above Entitled Matter: Whereas, Alfred B. Anderson has filed in this court his final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: It Is Ordered, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 9th day of June 1917, at ten o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted: and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in The Holt Weekly News according to law.

Witness the honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 11th day of May 1917.

Peter H. Holm,
[Court Seal] Probate Judge.
Julius J. Olson and Rasmus Hage,
Attorneys for Petitioners.
Warren, Minnesota.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

The Choir will meet at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening to practice some new songs.

The Young People will give a patriotic program, in the church, at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening May 23. Ice Cream will be served instead of the usual lunch. Everyone invited.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota May 2, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Olaf G. Tharaldson of Germantown Minn. who, on April 22nd, 1910 made Homestead Entry Serial No. 06010, for NE 1-4 Sec. 15, Twp. 155 N., R. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James C. Wilson, U. S. Commissioner, for the District of Minnesota, at Grygla, Minn., on the 12th day of June 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Alexander Magee, Hilbert ... Salve G. Tharaldson and Oliver ... cours all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., April 11, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Nels Omberg, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on Nov. 9, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 0[illegible] for [illegible] Sec. 20, Twp. 156 N., Ran. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minn., at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of May 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Olaf Dahl, Carl Dahl, Clarence Larson and Axel Benson all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6. 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn, April 13, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Lars Ingebrigtsli, of Golden Valley, Minn., who on May 6, 1913, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08906, for SW 1-4 NW 1-4 Sec. 1, Lot 2 S 1-2 NE 1-4, Sec. 2, Township 155 N, Range 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 22nd day of May 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Nels Omberg, Carl Dahl, Reno Boe and Clarence Larson, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Useless Proceeding.

Showing a man that he's wrong won't stop the argument. It will only make him more angry.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern		$2.24
Wheat No. 2		2.14
Wheat No. 3		2.03
Wheat No. 4		1.77
Flax		3 03
Oats		.51
Barley	74 to	1.00
Rye		2.06
Flour, Best Patent		7.85

Congress Gives Money and Material

The Northwest must give the men. The Nation has called for its sons. It is up to the Northwest to answer. Young men have been coming forward at a fair rate, but more must come. Part of the fleet is idle and will be until America wakes up. Another 40 men a day would put four more big guns in action. Leave your application at the postoffice. Recruiting stations at 304 Marquette Avenue Minneapolis, Commercial Bldg., St. Paul, also at postoffices in Duluth, Fargo, Grand Forks and other cities. Information at this office as to requirements for enlistment in the navy.

Making It Personal.

It is sad to see family relics sold at auction, but the most painful thing under the hammer is generally your thumbnail.

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Announcement
New Garage!
I have opened a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building
New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New
All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.
Ole Hammerness
Holt - Minn.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence [illegible]

Holt Motor Inn
We do all kinds of
Auto and Tractor Repairing
Bring your cars in early for overhauling
We overhaul and charge storage batteries
Located south of Printing Office
Brekkestran Bros.

PREPARE MORE LAND -GROW MORE FOOD

"Seed and Feed" the Slogan of the Year.

The papers are filled with the appeal for soldiers, sailors and farmers, and all are timely, all are necessary. The sailor is needed to man the ships that protect the shores, police the seas and clear the ocean of tormenting and meddlesome masked buccaneers, to give help to the allies, to make more efficient the present fighting units that are keeping free the sea lanes and ocean routes. The soldier is required to keep alive and intact the unity of the nation and the freedom of the world, to protect the lives of its citizens from incursions without and raids within, to guard the honor and preserve the dignity of the great United States, to render not only sentimental but practical assistance to those who for two and a half years on the battlefields of Flanders and the steppes of the East have been fighting for the freedom of the world against a dominant autocratic and militarist Prussianism, which, were it to become successful, would mean autocratism, militarism and Prussianism, and a "get-off-the-sidewalkism" over the entire world. The allies are proud to welcome these new accessions to the fighting forces, which mean an earlier termination of the war and the dawn of an era that will be historic, one that we will all be proud that we lived in. Throughout all Canada, Great Britain, France, and all the allied countries, when the news was received that the United States had entered the war, a thrill went up and down the nation's sides, and the pulses throbbed with a new life, keenly appreciative of the practical sentiment that had brought to their sides an ally of the strength and virility of the United States.

But the soldier and the sailor need to be fed, and therefore the cry for agricultural enlistment. The strength of the fighting man must be maintained. In his absence from the field there comes the necessity for provision to take his place. The appeal for farm help is well timed, opportune and important. There are vacant lands aplenty in the United States that, given a fair opportunity under competent advisement and reasonable help, will produce abundantly. Western Canada also provides an excellent field for the prosecution of work in growing wheat and other grains, and while it is not the desire of the Canadian Government to draw from the resources of the United States, believing that it is the duty of every patriotic citizen to do all he possibly can to build up the stores of depleted foods and making use of every energy at home, the wish is to lay before the public the fact that Canada has millions of acres of excellent land capable of producing wonderful crops. If for any reason the reader, having patriotism and a love of his country in his heart, and a desire to forward the cause of the allies, cannot avail himself of the opportunities afforded in the United States, Western Canada will be glad to render him any assistance it can in locating him on its vacant areas, where large crops can be grown at minimum of cost. Let us grow the grain, raise the cattle, produce the food to feed our soldiers, our sailors and provide food for our allies, no matter whether it is done to the North or to the South of the boundary line that in the object in view should not be known as a boundary. Let us keep up the spirit of patriotism, whether it be growing grain in the United States or in Canada, but Canada, fully alive to the necessity, joins in the appeal of its allies—the United States—for more food and more food.—Advertisement.

Something Promised.

"Of course you expect to reduce the cost of living with that little two by four garden of yours," sneered the cynical person.

"Not materially," replied the suburban optimist. "But I've given away several cans of angleworms dug up in the course of my agricultural labors. If there is such a thing as luck in fishing and gratitude in the human heart I may have some fish for breakfast."

HEAL BABY RASHES

That Itch, Burn and Torture With Cuticura—Trial Free.

A hot Cuticura Soap bath is soothing to irritated skins when followed by a gentle application of Cuticura Ointment. Use Cuticura for every-day toilet preparations to prevent such troubles. After this treatment baby sleeps mother rests and healment follows.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

His Affliction.

"I see you have a glass eater here in the hospital. What is the matter with him?"

"He says he has a pane in his stomach."

Life is worth living better than most men live it.

Many a man has money to burn simply because he doesn't burn it.

When Your Eyes Need Care
Try Murine Eye Remedy
No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. 50 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book.
MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

WAR REVENUE BILL PLANNED TO RAISE $1,800,000,000 IN YEAR

Ten Per Cent Increase Added to All Existing Duties and Articles Now on Free List Are Taxed 10 Per Cent—Incomes Are Hit Hard—An Extra Tax of One-Third Added to All Individual Incomes for 1916.

Following are some of the articles in daily use which will be taxed under the new war revenue bill:

Stock Exchange Transactions—On each sale future delivery for each $100	2 cents
Capital stock on each original issue of $100, 5 cents; on transfers on each $100 face value	2 cents
Bonds, debentures, etc., on each $100 face value	5 cents
Indemnity bonds, 50 cents; where premium is in excess of $100	1 per cent of premium charge
Drafts, checks, notes (and renewals or extensions) for each $100	2 cents
Deeds, conveying lands or realty, for the first $100 to $500, 50 cents; for each $500 or additional or fraction	50 cents
Life insurance policies (except industrial or weekly)	8 cents on each $100
Marine, international and fire insurance premiums	1 per cent
Casualty policy premiums	1 per cent
Freight bills	3 per cent
Passenger tickets	10 per cent
Steamship tickets for foreign port, $10 to $30, $1; $30 to $60, $3; exceeding $60, $5.	
Seats, berths or staterooms, rail or water	10 per cent
Express rates	10 per cent
Automobiles and motorcycles	5 per cent on wholesale price
Tires	5 per cent
Light, heat and telephone bills	5 per cent
Telephone (long distance)	5 cents on each toll message over 15c
Musical instruments	5 per cent on those costing over $10
Talking machines	5 per cent on those costing over $10
Jewelry	5 per cent
Cosmetics and proprietary medicines	5 per cent on wholesale price
Amusement tickets (charity excepted)	1 cents for each 10 cents of admission price, except where maximum is 5 cents.

Washington.—The administration war revenue bill as unanimously agreed upon by the house committee on ways and means and reported to the house Wednesday, is estimated to produce $1,800,000,000 a year.

If the framers overlooked any tangible article upon which it is possible to levy a tax, it was not because of any desire to do so.

Incomes, inheritances, business profits, amusements, liquors, tobacco, automobiles, moving pictures, baseball games, medicines, letter postage, transportation and jewelry are among some of the things which will feel the burden of taxation.

Tariff Will Yield $200,000,000.

The committee found it necessary to go to the tariff to make up a deficit of something like $200,000,000. This was done by an agreement to a tax of 10 per cent upon all articles now on the free list and 10 per cent additional upon all articles now upon the dutiable list.

Income-tax increases as made public by Chairman Kitchin follow:

Taxes for the year ending December 31, 1916, have been increased exactly one-third. These taxes are due in June.

Exemption limits have been reduced to $1,000 for single men and $2,000 for married men.

The normal tax on new classes of incomes to be taxed, those between $1,000 and $3,000 for single men and between $2,000 and $4,000 for married men, has been fixed at 2 per cent.

Normal taxes on all incomes formerly taxed, those above $3,000 for single men and $4,000 for married men, have been increased from 2 to 4 per cent.

Increases in All Surtaxes.

The increased surtaxes are as follows:

$ 5,000 to	$ 7,500	1 per cent
7,500 to	10,000	2 per cent
10,000 to	12,500	3 per cent
12,500 to	15,000	4 per cent
15,000 to	20,000	5 per cent
20,000 to	40,000	6 per cent
40,000 to	60,000	8 per cent
60,000 to	80,000	11 per cent
80,000 to	100,000	14 per cent
100,000 to	150,000	17 per cent
150,000 to	200,000	20 per cent
200,000 to	250,000	24 per cent
250,000 to	300,000	27 per cent
300,000 to	500,000	30 per cent
500,000 and upwards		37 per cent

The inheritance tax starts with one-half of 1 per cent as the basic tax on all estates of $50,000 or less. The remainder of the schedule is applied to the various excesses in graduation as follows:

Inheritance Tax Scale.

On excess of more than $50,000, but not exceeding $150,000, 1 per cent.

On excess of more than $150,000, but not exceeding $250,000, 1½ per cent.

On excess of more than $250,000, but not exceeding $450,000, 2 per cent.

On excess of more than $450,000, but not exceeding $1,000,000, 2½ per cent.

On excess of more than $1,000,000, but not exceeding $2,000,000, 3 per cent.

On excess of more than $2,000,000, but not exceeding $3,000,000, 3½ per cent.

On excess of more than $3,000,000, but not exceeding $4,000,000, 4 per cent.

On excess of more than $4,000,000, but not exceeding $5,000,000, 4½ per cent.

On excess of more than $5,000,000, but not exceeding $8,000,000, 5 per cent.

On excess of more than $8,000,000, but not exceeding $11,000,000 7 per cent.

On excess of more than $11,000,000, but not exceeding $15,000,000, 10 per cent.

On excess of more than $15,000,000, 15 per cent.

The income tax schedules were not changed except for the determination to place an added tax of one-third on individual income taxes which are due in June of this year. Under this provision those who already have paid their income taxes for the year ending December 31, 1916, will have to pay another one-third of their taxes again, and those who have not paid will have to pay one-third more when they do pay.

The tax on excess profits was not changed and stands as printed previously at 16 per cent on profits over 8 per cent and $5,000.

Liquor Touched Up.

The tax on spirits, whisky and similar beverages has been increased to $2.20 per gallon.

The tax on beer is $2.75 per barrel.

The tax on rectifiers is 15 cents per gallon.

The tax on tobacco has been doubled.

The taxes on cigars have been advanced to a new schedule ranging from 50 cents to $10 per thousand, retail value.

The bill specifies that purchasers shall pay the 10 per cent tax on amusement, theater, and baseball tickets.

A new tax of 5 per cent on heat, light, and telephone bills was inserted in the bill. Under this section when the householder goes to pay his monthly bills for these articles he will have to pay an additional 5 per cent of the amount of the bills for the support of the government.

The stamp tax on telephone and telegraph messages was fixed at 5 cents on each message the toll of which is more than 15 cents.

Commuters' tickets were exempt from the passenger ticket tax of 10 per cent tax where the one way fare is less than 25 cents.

Mail Rate Increases.

The second-class mail rate increase was decided on according to the zone system. On motion of Representative Dixon of Indiana, this was reduced to the following:

Two cents a pound on second-class mail in first and second zones.

Three cents a pound on second-class mail in the third and fourth zones.

Five cents a pound on second-class mail in the fifth and sixth zones.

Six cents a pound on second-class mail in the seventh and eighth zones.

Religious, fraternal, labor and agricultural papers not operated for profit were put on a straight one and one-half-cent-a-pound basis.

The old regulations concerning the free distribution of small papers within the county were unchanged.

A tax of 5 per cent was inserted in the bill on pleasure boats.

Musical instruments costing less than $10 each, were exempted from the provisions of the 5 per cent tax on these articles.

A motion was made in committee to reduce the automobile tax to 3 per cent, but failed by a large margin.

Lodging-House Geometry.

Learning is one thing and wit is another, but that does not prevent them from meeting at times in the same brain. One of the most amusing of those jests, which it takes a certain amount of scholarship to make or enjoy, was the collection of Euclidean axioms that Prof. Stephen Leacock of McGill university wrote some years ago for Truth. Here is one of the cleverest of them: If there be two boarders on the same flat and the amount of side of the one be equal to the amount of side of the other, each to each, and the wrangle between one boarder and the landlady be equal to the wrangle between the landlady and the other boarder, then shall the weekly bills of the two boarders be equal, each to each. For, if not, let one bill be the greater. Then the other bill is less than it might have been, which is absurd.—Youth's Companion.

On the Job.

The Sphinx knew how to keep her mouth shut and is still in business.

PLANS FOR RAISING NEW UNITED STATES ARMIES BY DRAFT

DETAILS OF THE UNIVERSAL SERVICE LAW AS DECIDED UPON BY CONGRESS.

CALLS MEN FROM 21 TO 30

Provisions Also Made for Volunteers Who Wish to Join the Military Forces of the Country—Prohibition Clause Is Made Drastic—Army Medical Officers Assigned to Duty in France.

Approximately ten million men between the ages of twenty-one and thirty inclusive will be required to register as available for military service in the war with Germany under the terms of the new national army bill perfected by the conference committee of the house and senate.

From these ten million men there will be selected the first 500,000 recruits to the selective conscription army, the second 500,000 when the president decides to call for them, and recruits to bring the regular army and National Guard up to maximum war strength in the event that volunteers to these forces fail to come forward in sufficient numbers and the president exercises his power to draft.

But in order that men under twenty-one and over thirty may serve their country if they so desire, the measure provides for the acceptance of volunteers over eighteen years and under forty years.

The gigantic number of men subject to draft will not all be called to the colors by any means. The proposed law gives authority to the president to draft as many men as he deems necessary to fill up the regular army, the National Guard and the conscription force of 1,000,000 men.

2,001,000 Armed Men.

It is estimated by the war department that as a result of the authority conferred and the action to be taken 2,001,000 officers and men will comprise the military establishment of the United States.

Under the new bill agreed to authority is given to fill up by draft the regular army and the National Guard to war strength, and to raise outside this 1,000,000 men, 500,000 to come as the first quota.

The war strength of the regular army is about 290,000 men. It has now about 135,000 men and is short about 155,000. The National Guard has a war strength of 625,000 men. It has now about 125,000 and is short about 500,000 men.

Therefore, on the first call there can be taken for war service about 655,000 men to fill up gaps in the regular army and National Guard and in addition 500,000 as the first quota of the conscript army of 1,000,000 men.

In the first draft it is possible about 1,155,000 men will be taken for active service, leaving authorization under the present bill to call out immediately 500,000 more for another conscript army.

No Place for Roosevelt.

The action allowing Col. Theodore Roosevelt to enlist volunteers for foreign service has been eliminated.

What the colonel will do now that his pet project is incapable of realization is a question. It is generally understood that President Wilson is absolutely opposed to the idea of a volunteer organization under command of the colonel.

Pay for enlisted men and noncommissioned officers was agreed upon as follows:

Men now receiving less than $21 per month are increased to $31 per month; those who received $24 are increased to $32; men who receive $30, $36 or $40 are increased $6 each; men who receive $45 are increased to $50.

Army Officers Pleased.

Army officers received notice of the age limit with pleasure. They had expected a higher maximum, though they would rather have had the original ages of nineteen to twenty-five.

A new section in the bill authorizes the president to organize and equip three machine-gun companies for each infantry and cavalry brigade and four machine-gun companies and an armored motorcar for each infantry and cavalry division. These will be additional to those already provided.

An interesting change is that the draft will not be based upon the number of persons "available for service," as first proposed, but upon the population.

A man may register by mail, if necessary. Fraud in registration, examination, etc., is punishable by the same imprisonment, "or, if subject to military law, the individual shall be tried by court-martial and suffer such punishment as a court-martial may direct."

Dry Clause Drastic.

The prohibition provision is exceedingly drastic. The president is authorized to make regulations governing the prohibition of alcoholic liquors "in or near" military camps. Not only can liquor not be sold or supplied but it will be illegal for any person to have in his possession any intoxicating or spirituous liquors at any military station, cantonment, camp, fort, post or officers' or enlisted men's club.

It will be unlawful for anyone to sell intoxicating liquor, including beer, to any officer or member of the military forces while in uniform.

Likewise, the social evil is guarded against through the suppression and prevention of the setting up of any houses used for immoral purposes.

The fact that under the authority of congress the president is authorized to call 11,000,000 men to the colors is expected to have a great moral effect in Germany. It is quite true that the entire force he can commandeer at this time will number two and a quarter million. But even this number would constitute a re-enforcement which British and French officers say would assure victory if employed in France.

Could Relieve British.

England to date has raised some 6,000,000 men. With the exception of a couple of million these men are at the front in France, Belgium, Egypt, the Balkans and Mesopotamia.

What the president and Secretary Baker desire first and above all is to train the officers and men. When they are ready to fight the drilled troops of Germany, then probably they will be sent abroad, and not before.

But Germany doubtless will watch with increasing anxiety the preparedness of the American people and will realize that peace will be most desirable and necessary, before they are ready for service in France.

Officers Go to France.

Three army medical officers—Maj. William L. Keller and Capts. Daniel P. Card and George M. Edwards—were assigned to duty at the French military hospital at Ris Orangis, France.

Organization of two reserve air squadrons for the army was authorized by Major General Scott, chief of staff.

The first class at West Point will be graduated August 30, the war department announced, and immediately commissioned to supply 154 highly trained officers to aid in the instruction of the first 500,000 selective draft army to be called to the colors some time in September. Under normal conditions the cadets would have completed their course in June, 1918.

Women Form Committee.

The woman's liberty loan committee has been formed. Announcement to this effect is made by the treasury department.

The committee met in the office of the secretary of the treasury. The members present were Mrs. George Bass, Mrs. Antoinette Funk and Mrs. Kellogg Fairbanks of Chicago, Mrs. Gilford Dudley of Tennessee, Miss Pierce of Kansas City, representing Mrs. Guernsey, and Mrs. John O. Miller of Pittsburgh.

Explaining Workings of New Conscription Law

Washington.—Outstanding features of the universal service law are as follows:

Ages of Draft, 21 to 30 inclusive.

Ages of Volunteers, 18 to 40 inclusive.

Number subject to draft..11,000,000

To be Obtained by Draft or Volunteers:

Number to be drawn by selective conscription	1,000,000
[In two drafts of 500,000 each.]	
Regular army	300,000
National Guard	625,000
Special and technical troops	76,000
Total strength provided	2,001,000

Term of Service: Period of Emergency.

Exemptions:

Federal and state officers.

Ministers of religion and theological students.

Members of religious sects opposed to war.

Liable to Exemption:

County and municipal officers.

Customhouse clerks, mail employees.

Employees of armories, arsenals and navy yards.

Persons engaged in industries, including agriculture.

Those supporting dependents.

The physically and morally deficient.

Method for Draft:

Proclamation by the president for registration.

Immediate registration by those of draft age.

Selection from register of men for service.

Dispatch of men drafted to nearest training camp.

Provision for Pay:

Second-class private	$25
First-class private	31
Corporal	32
Sergeant of the line	$36 and 42
Quartermaster and hospital sergeants	46
First sergeant	50

Safeguards Thrown Around the Army:

Prohibition.

Suppression of the social evil.

READY FOR SEPARATE PEACE

Russian Socialists Announce Willingness to Act With Germans in Plans to End the War.

Petrograd.—Twelve members of the council of soldiers' and workmen's delegates, including the president, have gone to Schlusselburg to cope with the situation created by the district committee in declaring itself an autonomous unit.

Skobeleff, who moved the report of the executive committee of the council concerning the proposed socialist conference at Stockholm, said that for the sake of restoring the internationale and stopping the war he was willing to meet not only Scheidemann but the devil and his grandmother.

The tone adopted by the Russian socialist pacifists is exemplified by Gorki's Novaia Zhizn, which declares that even if the British and French socialists refuse to participate in the conference the Russian socialists will, in any event, participate.

AN OPERATION AVERTED

Philadelphia, Pa.—"One year ago I was very sick and I suffered with pains in my side and back until I nearly went crazy. I went to different doctors and they all said I had female trouble and would not get any relief until I would be operated on. I had suffered for four years before this time, but I kept getting worse the more medicine I took. Every month since I was a young girl I had suffered with cramps in my sides at periods and was never regular. I saw your advertisement in the newspaper and the picture of a woman who had been saved from an operation and this picture was impressed on my mind. The doctor had given me only two more days to make up my mind so I sent my husband to the drug store at once for a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and believe me, I soon noticed a change and when I had finished the third bottle I was cured and never felt better. I grant you the privilege to publish my letter and am only too glad to let other women know of my cure."—Mrs. THOS. MCGONIGAL, 3432 Hartville Street, Phila., Pa.

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For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair.
50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

No Time to Save.

"The time to save is when you're young."

"That's all right; but a fellow doesn't earn anything till he gets well along and then it costs more to live."

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine — double strength — is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

No Sense at All.

Out in the cold and dreary street, where the icy wind whipped the puddles into little whirlpools, two men were talking together.

It was Saturday forenoon and they were undecided as to how they should amuse themselves in the afternoon.

One of them was heard to say:

"Coom on, Jack. T' finest match o' t' season is on today. Coom along with me."

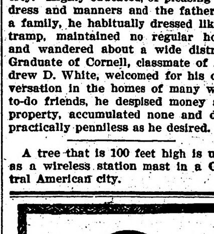
The other shook his head, and a contemptuous smile curled his lip.

"Nay," he replied. "Does ta think Ah've no more sense than to go an' watch a football match on a cowd day like this? No' me! Ah'm goin' fishin'."—London Tit-Bits.

Apostle of Poverty.

Eaton La Rue Moses, who died recently in Jamestown, N. Y., at the age of eighty years, was an apostle of poverty. Highly educated, of pleasing address and manners and the father of a family, he habitually dressed like a tramp, maintained no regular home and wandered about a wide district. Graduate of Cornell, classmate of Andrew D. White, welcomed for his conversation in the homes of many well-to-do friends, he despised money and property, accumulated none and died practically penniless as he desired.

A tree that is 100 feet high is used as a wireless station mast in a Central American city.



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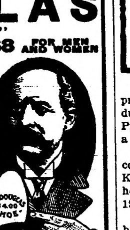
NO SLEEP LAST NIGHT?
If coffee was the cause change to POSTUM and sleep!
"There's a Reason"



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Difficult Feat.

"Tell Mr. Smith I want to see him at the telephone."

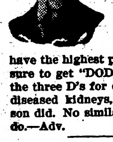
"I told Mr. Smith, sir, and he wants to know if you have a periscope at your end."

Naturally.

"What caused that awkward break in the conversation?"

"Someone dropped the subject."

THE 3 D'S IN DODD'S



Mr. Robert W. Ferguson, Hingham, Mass., writes: I suffered from kidney disorder for years. Had incessant backache and trouble. Nearly died from it at one time while in Vancouver, but overcame it by a persistent use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. Finally I was completely cured. I occasionally use the remedy now in order to keep the kidneys regulated. I have the highest praise for Dodd's. Be sure to get "DODD'S," the name with the three D's for deranged, disordered, diseased kidneys, just as Mr. Ferguson did. No similar named article will do.—Adv.

The Reason.

"She looks so discontented and dissatisfied."

"No wonder. She has a husband who gets her everything she wants."

Fortunate Individual.

Hix—Who is the lucky man at a wedding?

Dix—The one who loved and lost.

Histrionic Aspirations.

"Has your friend any histrionic aspirations?"

"Oh, he don't bother any about history. He wants to be an actor."

It is good to be wise, but it is wiser to be good.

LENGTH OF WIRELESS WAVE

Naturally, It Is Four Times That of the Aerial, But This Does Not Always Hold Good.

In articles of wireless telegraphy such expressions as 200-meter wave-lengths, 600-meter wave-lengths, 15,000-meter wave-lengths are constantly used. In reply to a correspondent who asks how the length of the waves is measured the Scientific American gives the following simple explanation:

"The length of an electric wave is determined by a wave-meter. The natural wave-length of an aerial is four times its linear length, just as the wave-length of a note of a closed organ pipe is four times the length of the pipe, and the wave-length of the note of a tuning fork is four times the length of the box which is resonant with the note. However, other considerations make it difficult to measure the wave-length by a rule, and the wave-meter gives a more correct result than can be found by measuring the length of the wire."

He Couldn't Lose.

One of the justices of the Supreme court tells of a young lawyer in the West who was trying his first case before the late Justice Harlan. The youthful attorney had evidently conned his argument until he knew it by heart. Before he had consumed ten minutes in his oratorical effort the justice had decided the case in his favor and told him so. Despite this, the young lawyer would not cease. It seemed that he had attained such a momentum that he could not stop.

Finally Justice Harlan leaned forward and in the politest of tones, said:

"Mr. Smith, despite your arguments, the court has concluded to decide this case in your favor."—Harper's Magazine.

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What's Doing in Minnesota

Duluth.—Prediction of a record ore production from the state's iron mines during 1917 has been made by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, who was here for a day.

Red Wing, Minn.—At the annual convention of the state council of the Knights of Columbus, which was held here, St. Cloud was chosen as the 1918 convention city.

Bemidji.—One hundred Bemidji business men attended a banquet held in honor of Minnesota legislators who led the fight for a bill appropriating $75,000 for the construction of a new normal school here.

Washington, D. C.—Charles E. Elmquist, representing the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse commission, and president of the interstate organization, has proposed that the state commission enlist in the war.

Pipestone.—F. E. Cogswell has been named as manager of all municipal affairs in Pipestone. He has been made chief of police and chief of the fire department and will have supervision of the other departments.

Dunnell.—Frank A. Sandin, banker of this village, has been arrested by Sheriff Carver charged with having made utterances tending to discourage enlistments and derogatory to the United States and President Wilson.

Rochester.—Ralph Rasmusson, 30 years old, proprietor of the Queen City restaurant here, was shot and seriously wounded by his cousin, Pete Rasmusson, who confessed, following his arrest five hours after the shooting.

Brainerd.—The Cuyuna district will supply a large quota of members for the engineering corps of the government. A number already have been examined in Duluth by Lieutenant Colonel E. H. Schulz, engineer corps, U. S. A.

Minneapolis.—Minnesota club women took their first big step in war preparedness, when a union was effected between the state federation of women's clubs and the Red Cross. The plan was announced at the state Red Cross headquarters by J. T. Gerould, assistant director.

Jackson, Minn.—Seeding is all done here and there is a good stand of young grain. Farmers are plowing for corn and some began planting about May 14. Indications point to a big acreage. Gardening clubs and individual gardeners are unusually active and there will be a big supply of staple vegetables.

Hutchinson.—Twenty-three young men, who left here three weeks ago with the town on the zenith of a wave of patriotism, to become members of C battery, First Minnesota field artillery, are home again and wondering where they are at and what kind of system obtains at the military headquarters of the state.

Browns Valley.—Minnesota's $1,000,000 war board has aided Dr. Edward Hayes of Browns Valley to get in touch with commission men to purchase a carload of about 600 bushels of seed potatoes for distribution among Traverse county farmers, by the Browns Valley Defense league in the general movement to increase production of food products.

Crookston.—The guarantee of deposits in state banks, the operation of the Federal Land bank and the food situation were to be the main topics of discussion at the fourth annual convention of the Ninth congressional group of the Minnesota Bankers' association in Crookston, May 16. Two hundred bankers from northwestern Minnesota expected to attend.

St. Paul.—The war movement to make Minnesota produce this year its mightiest crops finds encouraging conditions reflected in a new crop prospect summary based on reports from 18 scattered counties and made public by Fred D. Sherman, state immigration commissioner. Seeding is finished in most localities in the state, although in some it has been retarded by continued cold and damp weather.

St. Paul.—County fairs cancelled this year for military reasons or war necessity will not lose their official status and right to share in future appropriations made by the state, unless other associations establish fairs where they omit them without sufficient reason, Attorney General Smith advised in an opinion given State Auditor J. A. O. Preus. He added that while nothing in the war situation now appears to necessitate abandonment of fair plans, grounds may arise later.

Center City, Minn.—Loyalty to the nation and its government were expressed in a telegram to President Wilson sent by the Minnesota conference of the Lutheran Augustant synod, which held its sessions here. The telegram, signed by President P. A. Mattson and Secretary J. B. A. Idstrom, was as follows: "The Minnesota conference of the Lutheran Augustant synod, in session assembled in Center City, expresses its loyalty to our country and its government in the present crisis, and asks the Lord to guide you in the trying duties that confront you."

Winona.—Final reports on the Lake of the Woods controversy will probably be signed at a meeting of the International joint commission to be held at Detroit May 15, according to James A. Tawney, a member of the joint body, who has returned to Winona, following a meeting at Toronto, Ont.

Minneapolis.—Twenty-seven Minnesota men, including students from the state university, Hamline university and Macalester college, will leave New York soon for France, where they will drive ambulances in the Norton-Harjes corps on the Western front.

MILLIONS IN CASH HELD IN TREASURY

BALANCE IS AT RECORD-BREAKING POINT, STATE TREASURER RINES ASSERTS.

PLAN FOR HOME GUARD READY

Total of About 3,000 Men Needed to Protect Cities and Towns of Minnesota, Public Safety Commission Is Told.

St. Paul.

Totaling nearly $7,000,000, the state treasury cash balance is at a record-breaking point, State Treasurer Rines says. The report was made to the state board of deposit, which met to approve bonds of banks designated as state depositories, and took no action relating to the cash fund on hand.

The record for big balances in the state treasury was broken with a total of $6,992,652.02 reached when the advance payment of nearly $1,500,000 of inheritance taxes was made on the estate of James J. Hill, late of St. Paul. Soldiers' pay of more than $500,000 and other immediate disbursements on appropriations of $1,575,000 soon will reduce the cash, the treasurer said, but tax revenue forthcoming in June will again swell the big total.

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Home Guard Plans Ready.

Home guard organization plans, based where possible on needs shown by the military guard service and providing for 63 companies, totaling 3,000 men, have been presented to the State Public Safety commission as recommended by Major Oscar Seebach, in charge of details in the home guard movement.

Home guard units will include 12 companies of 500 men in Minneapolis, like numbers of companies of 400 men in both St. Paul and Duluth and 27 companies of varying strength, but totaling 1,740 men in other cities of the state, according to Major Seebach's plans. These figures are based where possible on demands made on the temporary military guard service and in contemplation of relieving these forces when called into federal service.

Chairman of county units in the "Make and Save the Crop" movement probably will be announced by the State Public Safety commission at once.

Decisive steps in home guard organization also may be made public.

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New Timber Fraud Probes.

New investigations of alleged timber frauds on state-owned lands have been begun by State Auditor Preus under authority of the timber board to spend $5,000 of the new appropriation of $25,000 granted by the Legislature for that purpose. Rescale will be made under numerous timber cutting permits, inquiries will be directed to sales of agricultural lands later reported to contain valuable timber and other steps will be taken to insure the state fair returns.

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War Takes Normal Students.

Numerous students are leaving their studies in State Normal schools to engage in military or farming activities incident to the war, presidents of the institutions have reported to the State Normal School Board, meeting at the Capitol. The presidents and faculties were empowered to use their discretion in granting credits and diplomas to these students, including women who enlist in the Red Cross.

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Say Farewell to Vincent.

Three thousand students at the Minnesota university bade President George E. Vincent, whose resignation takes effect May 31, farewell at the last convocation of the year. Representatives of each class and of the all-university students' council paid the departing president tribute.

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To Get Land and Men Together.

How to bring together some of the men who want to return to the farm, and who have at least part of the equipment, and some of the vacant land that is waiting to be farmed, is one of the problems the state food committee is trying to solve.

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Uniform War Risk Clause.

John B. Sanborn, state insurance commissioner, has recommended to the seven life insurance companies located in Minnesota the adoption of a uniform war clause, to be used as a rider or inserted in the policies as the companies may see fit.

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Transferred to Health Board.

Dr. C. L. Scofield of Benson will be transferred from the state tuberculosis advisory board to the board of health by one of a number of appointments announced by Governor Burnquist.

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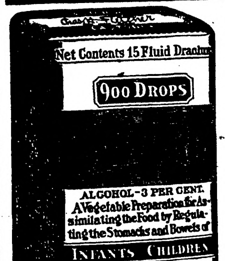
Celebrates State's Birthday.

Minnesota's admission to the Union was celebrated by the Minnesota Territorial Pioneers' association in the Capitol building, St. Paul, May 11, the 58th anniversary. Governor Burnquist, Samuel R. Van Sant, former governor; E. W. Durant and Frank Chaska Ford gave addresses. A musical program was arranged. The pioneers held their annual meeting also and the Pioneer Women's club met in the same building. Later in the day the two organizations held a joint meeting.



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From Last Year.

Kathryn—Did she wear a picture hat?

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This new way to rid one's feet of corns was introduced by a Cincinnati man, who says that freezone dries in a moment, and simply shrivels up the corn or callus without irritating the surrounding skin.

If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to order a small bottle from his wholesale drug house for you.—adv.

Come to Judgment.

The person who writes the "Post-Impressions" for this magazine went forth to luncheon in the company of one who is now in Boswell for the first and last time. They entered one of those frugal places where the bill of fare is set forth on blackboards on the wall.

"I shall take a dairy lunch," he said.

Then he gazed at the bill of fare, and surrendered.

"Menu, menu, tekel upharsin," the great man said, "the handwriting on the wall!"

Whereupon he ordered an English beef and kidney pie, and strawberry shortcake.—New York Evening Post.

Some Objection.

"I would like to run over in my automobile some fine evening if you're willing."

"Hold on a minute; not if you want to run over me."

Mothers' Pensions.

Thirty states now have laws governing the payment of pensions to widows with children.

Accounting for It.

"How very seedy your friend looks."

"Naturally. He's just come out of an agricultural college."

Insomnia is responsible for much of the imagination and ignorance in the world.

Window Box Gardens.

Now that potatoes are scarce every bit of available space is being used in growing them. Already the women of the nation have worked out a scheme of growing seed potatoes in window boxes, thereby adding several dollars to the family income. When the housewife prepares her potatoes for the evening meal she cuts a piece from the "rose" end of the potato off before peeling and plants it in the sitting room window box, which contains either leaf mold, coconut fibre or sand. Each piece, says one potato planter, should weigh not less than one and a half ounces, and the box should be kept in the window of a cool—but not too cool—room until the sprouts are from one-half to an inch high. Thus the housewife has a supply of seed potatoes, which are daily increasing in value.

Fair to His Opponent.

One day in parliament a young member, one of John Redmond's political opponents, rose to make his maiden speech.

Although obviously suffering an agony of nervousness, he managed to say some bitter things about the Irish members.

Whereupon one of the Nationalists started to punctuate his remarks with jeers, thereby intensifying the youthful member's nervousness to an almost pitiable degree. Redmond turned on his follower in fury.

"Give the lad a chance!" he snapped. The jeers ceased.

Safe Position.

"I heard the boys say, Sam, that you were bragging to them about going to the front."

"Yes, sir. I've just got a job as a hotel bellboy."

Extremes Meeting.

"This spring has been raw, hasn't it?" "That's right, and it's been well roasted."

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LITTLE HANDS HELP

Children Accompanied by Veterans Decorate Graves of Soldiers in Arlington

A PRETTY custom is observed in Washington, as it is at Arlington, on the other side of the capital city. Since age has set its stiffening fingers upon the faculties of the veterans, youth is employed to serve as hands and bending knees when it comes to decorating the graves. Bands of little girls clad in white accompany the veterans to the burial places, and as each grave is reached a veteran stands at either side. The child salutes, then kneels down and lays a bouquet upon the grave, the men standing at salute meanwhile. Rising, the little white-clad girl again salutes, turns and all march away to decorate the next grave.

This pleasing ceremony is also carried out at Battle Ground cemetery at Washington, two miles north of Soldiers' home. This sacred plot, the smallest national burying ground in the United States, covers just one acre of ground, but each Memorial day it is accorded as full and as beautiful ceremonies as are held at its famous prototype, Arlington, across the river, the veterans and the school children joining forces in paying it due homage.

This brave little "eternal camping ground" contains the bodies of soldiers of the Civil war who fought and died in what is known as Early's raid, the one conflict of the Civil war taking place within the borders of the District of Columbia. The Union soldiers who fell in this conflict were interred close to the battlefield, where they now lie, the graves ranged in a circle round a natural mound, in whose center the Stars and Stripes fly from a tall flag staff. On the lawn in front a granite monument tells the story of the conflict.

This veritable God's acre gains its chief interest from the fact of its being the scene of the one battle of the Civil war witnessed by President Lincoln. Mr. Lincoln had driven out with his friend Doctor Crawford to Fort Stevens, close by the scene of action, to watch the course of events. The strife was in progress and he climbed the rampart to look on. His tall, spare figure was so conspicuous an object for the enemy's bullets those about him begged him to descend. He would not, seeming to feel no fear and expressing sorrow for those engaged in the struggle.

The danger to the president was seen by his friends, and General Wright, who was in command of the fort, went up to him and said:

"Mr. President, I know that you are commander of the armies of the United States, but I am in command here, and as you are not safe where you are standing and as I am responsible for your personal safety, I order you to come down."

"Mr. Lincoln looked at me," said General Wright in telling of the incident later, "smiled, and then, more in consideration of my earnestness than from inclination, stepped down and took position behind the parapet."

Debt Never Can Be Fully Paid.

Without the brave defenders of this nation's honor when its honor was assailed; without their undaunted courage when a national crisis had to be resolutely faced; without their promptness and willingness to offer up on their country's bloody altar all that they held dear, it is not at all unlikely that this nation would have perished from the goodly company of sovereign states.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account

Estate Of Anna Anderson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anna Anderson, Decedent.

The State of MINNESOTA To All Persons Interested In The Above Entitled Matter: Whereas, Alfred B. Anderson has filed in this court his final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: It Is Ordered, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the ninth day of June 1917, at ten o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren, in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS according to law.

Witness the honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 11th day of May 1917.

Peter H. Holm,
[Court Seal] Probate Judge.
Julius J. Olson and Rasmus Hage,
Attorneys for Petitioners,
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Alfred Anderson is making arrangements to buy his brothers and sisters interests in the old home farm of 110 acres.

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Slavery Originated in the East.

Absolute slavery seems to have appeared in the eastern colonies somewhat earlier than in the southern, for slavery existed in New York in 1628, in New Jersey in 1628, in Massachusetts in 1630, in Connecticut in 1631 and in Delaware in 1636. There was a statutory recognition of slavery in Massachusetts in 1641, which was considerably ahead of such recognition of slavery in Virginia or Maryland.

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We have been informed that Willie Bakke failed to pass the examination for enlistment in the army on account of being too light in weight.

But this did not keep him out of his countrys service, for he enlisted in the navy and left for Minneapolis Monday night, but found that the training station was full of men and he would have to wait a few days before being assigned to duty, so he came back here yesterday.

Mrs. Carr was operated on in St. Michaels hospital, Grand Forks last Thursday morning and is doing nicely. It was expected that she would not have to stay in the hospital over a week and will be home the last of this week or the first of next week.---Middle River Pioneer of May 10th.

Mrs. Carr is the wife of the Middle River editor and we join their friends in wishing her a speedy recovery.

Leonard Peterson, supt. of the T. R. Falls electric light and water plant, was here Tuesday to look over our line and approve of it. He was well pleased with our plant, the line and the work done on it, and he says we can be proud of it, all of which makes us feel good. Hans J. Olson of Warren, had the contract for the pole line and electric part and his work has proven very satisfactory.

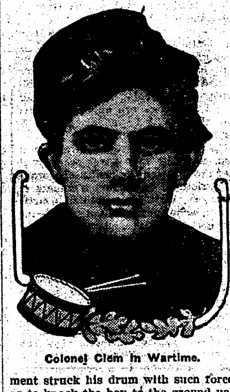
OFFICERS ALL GONE

Colonel Clem, Ten-Year-Old Civil War Soldier, Last to Serve in Regular Army.

OF THE nearly five thousand officers of of United States army, there is now not a single one left who took part in the Civil war. The last of the Union veterans of Uncle Sam's fighting forces retired from active service two years ago, on August 13, after having held for more than a year the distinction of being the last Civil war survivor in the army. He was John Clem, and at his retirement he held the rank of brigadier general, to which he was promoted from that of colonel not long before he was eliminated from the list of active officers.

Gen. "Johnny" Clem was born in Newark, O., on August 13, 1851, and he was not quite ten when President Lincoln issued his first call for volunteers. Johnny was an orphan, and he wanted very, very much to go to war. He appealed to a friend, Captain McDougal, a company commander in the Third Ohio, asking that he be enlisted as a drummer boy. McDougall was impressed with the earnestness of the lad, but he refused to accept the responsibility. Nevertheless, when the Third Ohio set out for the front Johnny Clem accompanied the regiment. McDougal remaining obstinate, Johnny crossed the river to Covington, Ky., and appealed to the commanding officer of the Twenty-second Michigan, there encamped. At length, after making use of all his persuasive powers, the youngster was enlisted as a sort of reserve drummer. Johnny quickly made himself the pet of the regiment, and he was fitted out not only with a drum, but with a musket. The barrel of the latter was sawed off, so as to make it light enough for the lad to carry.

The future last survivor of Civil war officers got into his first action at the battle of Shiloh. He didn't stay in the rear, but was in the very midst of the fighting. During the battle a shell exploded near him and a fragment struck his drum with such force as to knock the boy to the ground unconscious.



Colonel Clem in Wartime.

After that experience Johnny Clem became "Johnny Shiloh," and his nickname and the fame of it spread over the land. At Chickamauga he was again in the hottest part of the battlefield. This time he left his drum behind and, armed with his sawed-off musket, became an active combatant. Throughout that bloody struggle the boy fought with all the valor and coolness of a veteran, and his bravery won official recognition from General Rosecrans, who made the lad a sergeant. He was the youngest of that rank who ever fought in the United States army.

Besides Shiloh and Chickamauga, the youthful sergeant fought in the battles of Kenesaw mountain, Perryville, Murfreesboro, Atlanta, Nashville and other engagements. After the war General Grant used his influence to get Johnny Clem appointed to West Point, and he appeared at that institution in 1871. Having spent so much of his youth as a soldier instead of at school, young Clem's education was rather deficient in spots, and he failed to pass the entrance examinations. Grant was determined to make an officer of his young protege, so he immediately commissioned Johnny a second lieutenant of the regular army. From that beginning he rose to the rank of brigadier general, and at his retirement he was known as one of the ablest men in the army.

Colonel Clem naturally has been a prominent figure at G. A. R. reunions.

Results of Civil War.

"That is what gives dignity to a day like this. It is not a day of regret; it is not a day of weakening memory. It is a day of stimulation. But, my friends, these stimulating memories we are sometimes apt to minimize because we do not see the full significance of them. We are constantly speaking of the great war, of which we think today as a war which saved the Union, and it did, indeed, save the Union, but it was a war that did a great deal more than that. It created in this country what had never existed before—a national consciousness. It was not the salvation of the Union; it was the rebirth of the Union. It was the time when America for the first time realized its unity and saw the vision of its united destiny.

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Ed. Chynka, of Lankin, N.-Dak., was here Monday on business.

John Hagberg returned Saturday from the northern part of the state.

Get a copy of the official bulletin at the postoffice, they are important.

Peter Bjerken of Mahnomen visited a couple of days last week at Ole Reierson's.

Arnold Peterson of Badger visited Monday and Tuesday with his brother, C. E., the popular agent of the G. N. in this burg.

Mrs. G. M. Christenson of Fertile visited a couple of days with her daughters Mrs. H. J. Oien and Miss Effie Christenson.

Miss Clara Ellestad returned Tuesday to her home in Spring Grove after a few weeks visit at the homes of T. E. Ellestad and O. H. Nabre.

The Holt public school will have an exhibit of their work, a picnic and a field meet, the last day of school, Friday June 1st. Bring your lunches and enjoy eating to-gether.

Mrs. B. Docken was given a surprise birthday party last week Thursday night by the ladies of the village. Everyone present reports a most enjoyable time. Mrs. Docken was presented with a very pretty present as a token of esteem.

A new merchant arrived in town Tuesday night. He is going to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson for twenty-one years. Congratulations are extended to the happy parents.

Miss Ruth Owen was taken sick with tonsilitis Monday and was obliged to give up her school. She departed Tuesday for home in Alexandria. Miss Gunhild Sollom is teaching out the unexpired term of school.

Anyone can still offer themselves as volunteers and not wait to be drafted. Those who enlist before the time to register can select any branch of the service they like, army navy, artilley, aviation, signal and wireless corps, etc. Men can now enlist for the WAR ONLY and be discharged as soon as the war is over. See the postmaster and get a free ticket to the recruiting office.

Farms for sale or rent on easy terms and at reasonable prices.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
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Sudden Death of B. O. Waggedahl.

B. O. Waggedahl died Wednesday morning from an attack of heart failure. He was taken sick at one o'clock in the night and was unconscious a part of the time until seven when death came to his relief.

Mr. Waggedahl was born in Norway May 17, 1856 and came to this country in early life. He leaves to mourn his sudden death, the sorrowing widow, one son, two daughters, a host friends and neigbors.

Funeral services will be held at the home at 2 o'clock and at the Ringbo church at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Notice

The Town Board of Holt will meet at E. A. Erickson's place in Sec. 11, June 2nd 1917, at 10 o-clock A. M., to contract out some road work.

By Order of Town Board.
T. B. Folden,
Town Clerk.

Notice!

Notice is hereby given that all premises not cleaned up by June 1st, will be cleaned up by order of the village council and the costs assessed against the property.

By order of the village council.
B. Docken, President of Council.
H. B. Young, Village Clerk.

B. Docken sold a Marion car to Lewis Johnson Monday.

Miss Elsie Lawson visited at the Ole Reierson home Friday evening.

Ed. Harloff was recently married to a young lady at Badger, where he is agent for the G. N.

A patriotic program will be given at the school house next Wednesday evening May 30th at 8 o'clock. Everyone welcome.

P. L. Anderson and Ole Johnson and ladies, attended the Winnepeg-Warren game, which was won by the former, with a score of 10 to 8.

Miss Christine Waggedahl was called home yesterday from Fargo by the sudden death of her father.

Miss Mamie Herman, who has been visiting for some time at the homes of her uncles Herman and Charley Heinse, left yesterday to visit at the home of her brother in Niagara, N. D.

A good sized audience attended the patriotic program Wednesday night. Prof. Hay of T. R. Falls delivered a splendid patriotic address which was highly spoken of by all present.

I will pay $5.50 a ton until June 25, for all kinds of scrap iron, as I have a contract with the Thief River Hide and Fur Co., which expires at that time. R. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

President Wilson has issued a proclamation that all male residents of the U. S. between the ages of 21 and 31 must register for military service on Tuesday June 5th. No excuse will be accepted for failing to register.

Mr. Norstad came up from T. R. Falls Monday to work on the new bank and postoffice building. He is an experienced bricklayer and contractor and will superintend the building operations from now on.

A. T. Hagen, of Fergus Falls, has been employed by the school board to teach the higher grades of the school for the coming year. Mr. Hagen has experience in teaching and comes well recommended. At present he is attending the Park Region Luther College and will graduate from that institution at the close of the school year.

Will Close Memorial Day

All business places will be closed next Wednesday May 30th, Memorial Day.

By order of the Mayor.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Choir practice Friday evening, 8 o'clock.

Confirmants meet Saturday 11 to 3 o'clock.

Sunday School 9;30, Pentecostal Services at 10:45 next Sunday.

Services in East Valley Zion Congregation at 3 o'clock and in the Wilson school house at 6 o'clock.

The Ladies Aid will be entertained June 6th at Gust Peterson's.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Southeast of Holt.

A large number of people attended the Y. P. S at the Edwin Erickson home Sunday afternoon.

Londa Olson is staying with her sister Mrs. Gilbert Michaelson these days.

Miss Gunda Moe who is employed at the K. A. Gausen home, near Silverton, visited at her home Sunday evening.

Carl Erickson of Espelee visited his brother Edwin, the first of the week.

Annie Greibrok entertained the Synod Ladies Aid on Thursday of last week.

A large number of boys enjoyed a base ball game Sunday afternoon.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hanson last week.

Buy a Liberty Bond. They sell as low as $50 and are not taxable.

Forder & Kennison of T. R. Falls took in a lot of cattle here Monday.

Theo. Sollom was in T. R. Falls, Friday on business.

Memorial Day program at the school-house Wednesday 8 P. M.

The state fire insurance inspector was here Tuesday.

Elling Tollefsrud has resigned his job in Albert Bennes confectionery.

Ben Hoff visited his parents at their home near Adams N. D. the fore part of the week.

J. B. Alkenbrack drove to T. R. Falls Tuesday after a load of lunch counter fixtures for Albert Bennes.

T. B. Folden has been appointed on June 5th to register all those in Town of Holt who are liable for military duty.

We understand the next time that Holt and Newfolden play ball they are going to take along a load of lumber out of which to make a score board.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Christianson were over Sunday visitors with relatives at Red Lake Falls.

Tom Larson came the first of the week and finished the work on the village ditch. This ditch carries off all the water on the east side of the railroad track. It is 260 rods long, was paid for by popular subscription, and is one of the best investments ever made by our business men.

For Sale

A good second hand Buick and also a Marion automobiles for sale or trade. Enquire at Holt State Bank.

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Citation for Hearing on Final Account

Estate of Hogan Anderson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hogan Anderson, Decedent.

The State Of MINNESOTA To All Persons Interested In The Above Entitled Matter: Whereas, Alfred B. Anderson has filed in this court his final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: It Is Ordered, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 9th day of June 1917, at ten o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted: and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS according to law.

Witness the honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 11th day of May 1917.

Peter H. Holm,
[Court Seal] Probate Judge.
Julius J. Olson and Rasmus Hage,
Attorneys for Petitioners,
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Warren, Minn.

Pay your real estate taxes, now.

Miss Nellie Saastad returned last week Thursday from T. R. Falls, where she has been attending school the past year. All pupils were excused who would return home and make gardens.

Someone has maliciously strewed mustard seed on A. L. Sagstuen's breaking across from Moen's which was discovered when they commenced cultivating the land preparatory to seeding it. Mr. Sagstuen states that he is not quite sure who the culprit is but if he is discovered it might fare rather hard with him.

Parties desiring to rent farms for either cash or a share of the crop will find it to their advantage to call on or write to us at Holt, Minn.

Holt State Bank.

Buy a Liberty Bond.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Wake Up! Our country is at war.

Taber & McLane are drilling a well for Arnold Steinhauer.

The Ole Olson family visited at R. L. Olson's Sunday.

Ole Hammerness brot. home a new Ford Saturday. We understand he has the agency for that car and has already sold some.

The draft measure has been signed by President Wilson. Registration takes place June 5, and its provisions will be rigorously enforced.

Roosevelt will not be permitted to lead a volunteer organization to the front. All this and more, including the President's proclamation on another page this week. Look it up.

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Holt $ $ $ Minnesota
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Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.39
Wheat No. 2	2.29
Wheat No. 3	2.18
Wheat No. 4	1.92
Flax	3 06
Oats	55
Barley	'69 to .95
Rye	2.16
Flour, Best Patent	7.85

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Will help this condition

Woman's Rifle Club.

"I see Lakewood, N. J., has a woman's rifle club."

"What do they do—rifle their husbands' pockets?"

"No. I think the object of the club is to improve woman's aim in life."

YES! LIFT A CORN OFF WITHOUT PAIN!

Cincinnati man tells how to dry up a corn or callus so it lifts off with fingers.

You corn-pestered men and women need suffer no longer. Wear the shoes that nearly killed you before, says this Cincinnati authority, because a few drops of freezone applied directly on a tender, aching corn or callus, stops soreness at once and soon the corn or hardened callus loosens so it can be lifted off, root and all, without pain.

A small bottle of freezone costs very little at any drug store, but will positively take off every hard or soft corn or callus. This should be tried, as it is inexpensive and is said not to irritate the surrounding skin.

If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

One Advantage.

"Well, after all," remarked the Tommy who had lost a leg at the war, "there's one advantage in 'aving a wooden leg."

"What's that?" asked his friend.

"You can hold up yer bloomin' sock with a tin-tack!" chuckled the hero.

Exodus of Genesis.

She—Don't you just love to think of Eden and our first parents?

He—Oh, I don't know. You see, mine got divorced so often that I can't remember which were the first.—Judge.

SOFT, CLEAR SKINS

Made So by Daily Use of Cuticura Soap and Ointment—Trial Free.

The last thing at night and the first in the morning, bathe the face freely with Cuticura Soap and hot water. If there are pimples or dandruff smear them with Cuticura Ointment before bathing. Nothing better than Cuticura for daily toilet preparations.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

A Timely Gift.

Belle—Bob writes that the smoke in the trenches is something fierce.

Beulah—Is that so? Well, that gives me a hint.

"A hint for what?"

"I promised to send him a birthday present."

"Well?"

"I'll send him a smoking jacket."

USE ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE
The antiseptic powder to be shaken into shoes and sprinkled into the foot-bath. It relieves painful, swollen, smarting feet and takes the sting out of corns and bunions. The greatest comforter ever discovered for all foot-aches. Sold everywhere, 25c. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.—Adv.

Physically Impossible.

"The engineers of those trains must have been off their heads to come together in such a way."

"Not at all. It was a head-on collision."

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER
has been the most successful family remedy for the last fifty-one years for biliousness and stomach troubles, to which the American people are addicted, causing sick headache, nervous indigestion, sour stomach, coming up of food and a general physical depression. 25 and 75c.—Adv.

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DRAFT MEASURE IS SIGNED BY WILSON; TROOPS TO FRANCE

Wilson Sets June 5 as Date for Registration.

U. S. DIVISION TO FRANCE UNDER MAJ. GEN. PERSHING

President Rejects Roosevelt Volunteer Army Plan—Says Experts of Country and Allies Opposed Proposal—National Guard to Mobilize in July—Call to Colors September 1.

Washington, May 21.—President Wilson signed the conscription bill after rejecting that section of the measure which would permit Col. Theodore Roosevelt to organize volunteer divisions.

The president signed the army bill just after dinner at 8 p. m. on Friday, without formality, and set June 5 as the date of registration for all men between the ages of twenty-one and thirty-one for military service.

President Issues Proclamation.

President Wilson's proclamation, putting into effect the selective draft provision of the war army bill, signed last night, follows in part:

"A proclamation by the president of the United States:

"Whereas, Congress has enacted and the president has on the 18th day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, approved a law which contains the following provisions:

"Section 5. That all male persons between the ages of twenty-one and thirty, both inclusive, shall be subject to registration in accordance with regulations to be prescribed by the president; and upon proclamation by the president or other public notice given by him or by his direction, stating the time and place on such registration, it shall be the duty of all persons of the designated ages, except officers and enlisted men of the regular army, the navy and the National Guard and naval militia while in the service of the United States, to present themselves for and submit to registration under the provisions of this act, and every such person shall be deemed to have notice of the requirements of this act upon the publication of said proclamation or other notice as aforesaid given by the president or by his direction; and any person who shall willfully fail or refuse to present himself for registration or to submit thereto as herein provided, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction in the district court of the United States having jurisdiction thereof, be punished by imprisonment for not more than one year, and shall thereupon be duly registered; provided, that in the call of the docket precedence shall be given in courts trying the same, to the trial of criminal proceedings under this act: Provided further, that persons shall be subject to registration as herein provided who shall have attained their twenty-first birthday and who shall not have attained their thirty-first birthday on or before the day set for registration, and all persons so registered shall be and remain subject to draft into the forces hereby authorized, unless exempted or excused therefrom as in this act provided.

Registration on June 5.

"Now, therefore, I Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States, do call upon the governor of each of the several states and territories, the board of commissioners of the District of Columbia and all officers and agents of the several states and territories, of the District of Columbia and of the counties and municipalities therein to perform certain duties in the execution of the foregoing law, which duties will be communicated to them directly in regulations of even date herewith.

"And I do further proclaim and give notice to all persons subject to registration in the several states and in the District of Columbia in accordance with the above law that the time and place of such registration shall be between 7 a. m. and 9 p. m. on the 5th day of June, 1917, at the registration place in the precinct wherein they have their permanent homes. Those who shall have attained their twenty-first birthday and who shall not have attained their thirty-first birthday on or before the day here named are required to register, excepting only officers and enlisted men of the regular army, the navy, the Marine corps and the National Guard and naval militia while in the service of the United States, and officers in the officers' reserve corps and enlisted men in the enlisted reserve corps while in active service. In the territories of Alaska, Hawaii and Porto Rico a day for registration will be named in a later proclamation.

All Must Co-Operate.

"The power against which we are arrayed has sought to impose its will upon the world by force. To this end it has increased armament until it has changed the face of war. In the sense in which we have been wont to think of armies there are no armies in this struggle. There are entire nations armed. Thus, the men who remain to till the soil and man the factories are no less a part of the army that is in France than the men beneath the battle flags. It must be so with us. It is not an army that we must shape and train for war; it is a nation. To this end our people must draw close in one compact front against a common foe. But this cannot be if each man pursues a private purpose. All must pursue one purpose.

"The nation needs all men, but it needs each man, not in the field that will most pleasure him, but in the endeavor that will best serve the common good.

"It is in no sense a conscription of the unwilling—it is rather selection from a nation which has volunteered in mass.

"The day here named is the time upon which all shall present themselves for assignment to their tasks.

"It is essential that the day be approached in thoughtful apprehension of its significance and that we accord to it the honor and the meaning that it deserves. Our industrial need prescribes that it be not made a technical holiday, but the stern sacrifice that is before us urges that it be carried in all our hearts as a great day of patriotic devotion and obligation when the duty shall lie upon every man, whether he is himself to be registered or not, to see to it that the name of every male person of the designated ages is written on these lists of honor.

"By the president:
"ROBERT LANSING,
"Secretary of State."

Division Ordered to France.

President Wilson directed that an expeditionary force of approximately a division of regular troops, under command of Maj. Gen. John J. Pershing, proceed to France at as early a date as practicable. General Pershing and staff will precede the troops.

A division contains approximately 28,000 men. It is understood that at least 20,000 will be infantry.

The war bill was carefully gone over during the day by Brigadier General Crowder, judge advocate general and provost marshal general.

It was announced that all existing regiments of the guard will be called into service by August 5, and officials estimate that with from a month to six weeks' intensive training these troops will be ready to go forward for final preparation behind the fighting lines in Europe for the fighting that is before them.

President's Statement.

The president issued the following statement at the White House:

"I shall not avail myself, at any rate, at the present stage of the war, of the authorization conferred by the act to organize volunteer divisions.

"To do so would seriously interfere with the carrying out of the chief and most immediately important purpose contemplated by this legislation:

"The prompt creation and early use of an effective army would contribute practically nothing to the effective strength of the armies now engaged against Germany.

"No Time for Compliments."

"I understand that the section of this act which authorizes the creation of volunteer divisions in addition to the draft was added with a view to providing an independent command for Mr. Roosevelt and giving the military authorities an opportunity to use his fine vigor and enthusiasm recruiting the forces now at the western front.

"It would be very agreeable to me to pay Mr. Roosevelt this compliment and the allies the compliment of sending to their aid one of our most distinguished public men, an ex-president, who has rendered many conspicuous public services and proved his gallantry in many striking ways.

Seeks Advice From Both Sides.

"The business now in hand is undramatic, practical and of scientific definiteness and precision.

"I shall act with regard to it at every step and in every particular under expert and profession advice, from both sides of the water.

"The first troops sent to France will be taken from the present force of the regular army and will be under the command of trained soldiers only.

"The issues involved are too immense for me to take into consideration anything whatever except the best, most effective, most immediate means of military action. What these means are I know from the mouths of men who have seen war as it is conducted, who have no illusions and to whom the whole grim matter is a matter of business. I shall center my attention upon those matters and let everything else wait. I should be deeply to blame should I do otherwise, whatever the argument of policy or of personal gratification of advantage."

SEND FORESTERS TO FRANCE

Regiment of Experienced Woodsmen to Be Raised to Assist in Lumbering Operations.

Washington.—In addition to regiments of engineers, corps of physicians, and eventually divisions of regular soldiers, the United States will send a "forestry regiment" to France. This regiment is to be composed of foresters and others experienced in lumbering operations.

THIRD OF THE MEN ENLIST

Every Bachelor, Between Ages of Twenty-One and Thirty-One, in Westernmost Hamlet, to Serve.

Portland, Ore.—Every unmarried man, aged twenty-one to thirty-one, who lives in Port Orford, Curry county, Oregon, already has volunteered for service either in the army or the navy. The volunteers from the little town of 250 people number one-third of the adult male population.

HINDENBURG LINE IS PIERCED IN TWO PLACES BY ALLIES

BRITISH AND FRENCH STRIKE NEW OFFENSIVE BLOW—BOTH HAIG'S AND NIVELLE'S MEN SUCCESSFUL.

RESUMPTION OF DRIVE FOLLOWS WEEK'S LULL

British Forward Move Registered From Bullecourt to Fontaines Les Croisilles—French Gains All in Champagne—Prisoner Predicts Petrograd Offensive.

London, May 22.—British and French forces have struck another joint offensive blow. Field Marshal Haig's Tommies took additional sections of German Hindenburg line positions, and General Nivelle's Poilus achieved a brilliant success in the capture of "several lines" of German trenches on the north slopes of Mont Cornillet.

"At Bullecourt and Fontaines Les Croisilles, along the Hindenburg line, our success was continued at night, and counter-attacks repelled," the statement said.

Hindenburg Line Broken.

"A Hindenburg line support trench was captured and 150 taken prisoner," Haig continued. "A large number of dead were found there. Two German divisions have been engaged there since yesterday morning."

The British advance was registered in the sector embracing Bullecourt and Fontaines Les Croisilles, the foundation for the Oppy-Queant part of the Hindenburg line. It was made despite massing of formidable fresh German divisions from the Russian front.

Drive Resume After Week.

The French gains were all in the Champagne district, in that section from Rheims east to Auberive, where six weeks ago General Nivelle started the general offensive timed with the British drive on Douai.

Resumption of the offensive by the Franco-British lines comes after nearly a week's lull. There had been considerable fighting at Bullecourt on the British front, and that village was finally gained by the British, but there was no general "drive" apparent on the action.

Germans Shift Divisions.

On the French front, General Nivelle's troops had been kept busy repelling unceasing waves of German counter-attacks, launched for the most part in the Soissons-Rheims sector, and designed patently to relieve pressure on Laon.

Field Marshal von Hindenburg is shunting his shattered and exhausted divisions on the West front to the Northern and Eastern battle lines, and fresh divisions from the Russian front are being sent to France.

To Try to Take Petrograd.

"We expect Hindenburg to try to take Petrograd," said a German prisoner, "or at least additional Russian territory. Just now, however, the east front lines are thin. Exhausted divisions and those whose losses have brought them far below the regular strength are being transferred from France to Russia. In return fresh divisions on the Russian front are being switched here. Some from Russia are being hurled against the British and French without waiting for replacement on the Russian front."

COAL PRICE CONTROL URGED

Federal Board Tells Congress Charges are Exorbitant.

Washington, May 22.—Declaring that coal mine operators are charging exorbitant prices—often several hundred times the cost of their production—the federal trade commission has urged congress to establish control by governmental agencies which may fix prices.

The commission asserted that coal operators have "doctored" their books, vast discrepancies being found in the actual prices at the mine and the recorded prices.

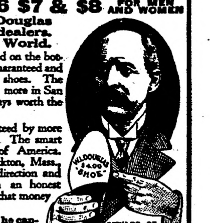
Regulation of coal distribution from the mouth of the mine to the ultimate consumer—with authority to allot quantities of coal to various classes of consumers—also was urged.

ARMY ENLISTMENT AGE RAISED TO 18 TO 40

New York, May 22.—The age limit of applicants for enlistment in the regular army have been raised from 17 to 35 years to 18 to 40 years, according to an order made public here at recruiting headquarters.

Want Oil Field Curb Lifted.

Washington, May 19.—Representative Kahn of California has appealed to President Wilson to remove government restrictions on the development of California oil fields. Lands in South California oil fields is being held by the navy as a fuel oil reserve. Mr. Kahn said that California industries, many of which abandoned the use of coal and turned to oil at the opening of the California fields, find now that production in the state is running far behind consumption and that the situation is becoming serious.



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"So?"

"Yes," he continued. "The way they run things down there at Washington nowadays there's no chance for a man like me. I could be mighty valuable to them if they'd only take me."

"I'll tell you how you can serve your country if you really want to," said a meek little man.

"All right. Tell me what to do and I'll do it."

"Just keep your mouth shut."

Cynics should avoid human society and go out where the dogs are barking at the moon.

Many a man who claims to be self-made does his tailor a great injustice.

To Dynamite a Stream.

The editor of a Jersey newspaper, a thorough sportsman, is said to have received this query from a reader:

"Please advise me how to dynamite a stream."

The newspaper man sent the following advice:

"Four sticks of dynamite are sufficient. Tie them securely around your neck, attach fuse, light it and run as fast as you can away from the water to avoid injuring the other snakes and reptiles."—All Outdoors.

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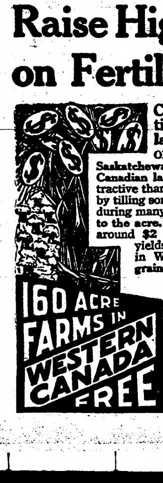

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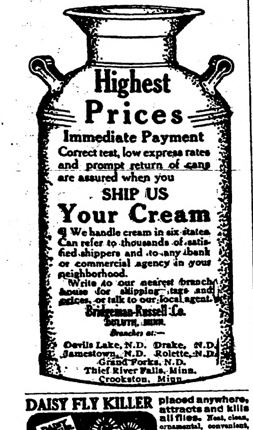

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A Promising Recruit.

On his way to the provincial hydro building in Toronto a few days ago, Sir Adam Beck was asked if he would "join up" by a recruiting sergeant in front of the armories. Sir Adam expressed his willingness, and the man led him to the door of the armories, asking him what unit he would like to join.

"I'll leave that to you," was the reply, "but what are the conditions as to age?"

"Under forty-eight," was the prompt reply of the recruiting sergeant, who took a second look at the vigorous outdoor countenance of Sir Adam.

"Oh, a few years doesn't matter. What's your job?"

"Well, I'm nearly sixty," replied Sir Adam, "and it's a hard job."

"You certainly have the courage, but perhaps you are a little over age, but what is your job?" replied the sergeant.

"I am remount commissioner for Canada," was Sir Adam's smiling reply, as he left the recruiting sergeant, who, after a salute, looked at the retreating figure and wondered whom he had been asking to enlist.—Montreal Herald.

An Effective Plea.

"What do you mean by begging from door to door when your country needs such husky fellows as you?" asked the patriotic person, indignantly.

"I've walked sixty miles te enlist, guv'nor," answered the tramp. "Dis is de las' lap of the journey, an' I t'ought under de circumstances you wouldn't mind givin' me a handout."

"Certainly not. Step around to the kitchen and I'll have the cook fix you up a good breakfast."

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What's Doing in Minnesota

St. Paul.—The All-Minnesota Development association has held a meeting in the House chamber of the Old Capitol to discuss the formation of a defense league in every county of the state.

Blue Earth.—Less than a week after their attempt to rob H. C. Eders' store here, M. R. Murphy and Charles Adams began to serve indeterminate sentences in the state prison at Stillwater.

Red Wing.—Twin brothers, 80 years old, who have lived together constantly, were separated by the death of O. A. Sutherland in a hospital here. The other brother is Andrew Sutherland.

Buhl.—Police on the iron range are still baffled in their effort to solve the mystery surrounding the killing of Fred C. Neally, son of a prominent Chisholm hotel man, whose body was found here badly mutilated.

Pipestone.—When Judge Nelson opened the spring term of district court here he gave notice that there would be no jury trials so that the farmers might stay on their farms and cultivate the crop without interruption.

Rochester.—Rochester has voted, 1,194 to 225, to issue $650,000 bonds for the construction of a municipal power dam to furnish electricity for the city. The dam will be built in the Zumbro river ten miles from here. Work will begin immediately.

Crookston.—A resolution indorsing the Liberty loan and pledging its aid in selling the Red River valley's share was adopted at the closing session of the annual meeting of the Ninth Congressional Group of the Minnesota State Bankers' association.

Crookston.—Pleas for war food conservation and an increased production were made in the addresses of Superintendent C. G. Selvig of the Northwest School of Agriculture, and Dr. E. Dana Durand of the University of Minnesota, at the fourteenth annual convention of the Ninth congressional group of the Minnesota Bankers' association, held in Crookston.

St. Paul.—Steps for a state-wide Loyalty campaign, in which several hundred speakers will drive home the duties of Americans in this war and aid to form local organisations to co-operate with the Public Safety Commission, were taken at a meeting of the All-Minnesota Development association, attended by civic workers from all sections of the state.

St. Paul.—Minnesota can aid materially in averting a food shortage during the war and save thousands of dollars annually in food in times of peace if it will take steps to utilize the millions of fish which inhabit its thousands of lakes. This is the contention of Sam F. Fullerton, for years fish and game commissioner of Minnesota, who has presented his method to Governor Burnquist.

Duluth.—More than 5,000 Minnesotans are combating forest fires. Rangers, village fire departments, settlers and farmers have been engaged for days in desperate struggles to halt the spread of the menace. Governor Burnquist has announced that the state is keeping in touch with forest fire conditions in northern sections and will give aid when required. Should the situation get beyond control, he said, the national guard will be called out.

Brainerd.—The body of Mrs. Laura Adelle Richardson, 61, was found near her home on the east side of Bass lake, where she was burned to death in the brush fire. She is survived by her husband and several children. Clouds of smoke rolled over Brainerd from the fires that extend up into Beltrami and Itasca counties, as far north as Remer, in Beltrami and east of Kelliher into Itasca. All that region is exceedingly dry, as there have been no rains for weeks.

St. Paul.—Two proposed laws for Minnesota, one of which requires at least twenty minutes' physical training for each pupil in every school in the state every day, and the other authorizing local authorities to organize recreational systems to be financed by special taxes when ratified by a majority vote, were discussed at the conference on the conservation and mobilization of Minnesota's human resources under the auspices of the Playground and Recreation Association of America here.

St. Paul.—Minnesota crop conditions are the most encouraging in years, Fred D. Sherman, state immigration commissioner, said after reviewing additional reports from ten counties. Everywhere the war-time appeal to farmers to increase production of food crops is meeting with hearty response. The result is increased acreage in every section of the state. Seeding is almost finished and unusually large plantings of potatoes, beans and other vegetables will swell Minnesota's contribution to the food supply.

Blue Earth.—M. R. Murphy and Charles Adams, said to have confessed to an attempt to rob H. C. Eders' store of $2,000 worth of silks here on May 13, have just been brought here by Sheriff George Freer from Worthington, where they were captured.

Hibbing.—Shipments for the week ending May 14 last, from the state-owned mines on the Mesaba range were approximately 49,575 tons, as reported to J. A. Preus, state auditor, by F. A. Wildes, chief inspector. The Leonidas, Deason, Woodbride, Wanless, Shiras, Pool, Philbin and Smith mines were the leading shippers.

WHEAT ACREAGE IN STATE INCREASED

PROFESSOR BULL FINDS CAMPAIGN BRINGS RESULTS—MANY BEANS PLANTED.

COUNTY DIRECTORS CHOSEN

Are to Guide War Aid and Defense Work in Minnesota Communities Under Supervision of Public Safety Commission.

St. Paul.

An increase of 10 per cent in wheat acreage in Minnesota proves the success of the campaign made to increase the production of foodstuffs, Prof. C. P. Bull of the university college of agriculture has told members of the state food production and conservation committee. This increase was based on reports from county agents and individuals throughout the state.

Other acreage increases he predicts will be: Flax, 10 per cent; corn, 20 per cent; oats, 15 per cent; barley, 10 per cent, and beans, 500 per cent.

The big increase in beans is held due to interest stimulated by advancing prices and judicious publicity.

Twice as much ground will be used this year as in 1916 for gardens, but is not expected to produce an oversupply.

The crop committee will make a complete survey of the state at once, and will report about July 1.

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Names County Directors.

The Minnesota Public Safety Commission has just made public appointments of county directors through which it will extend its activities to every section of the state and bring every one of the 2,500,000 men, women and children in Minnesota into the best possible relations to the national defense movement that each may do his or her bit in the war.

Directors appointed in the respective counties, and their postoffice addresses, are:

Anoka, John Palmer, Anoka; Aitkin, W. F. Knox, Aitkin; Becker, Fred Dennis, Detroit; Beltrami, Charles H. Carter, Hines; Benton, Ed. Indrehus, Foley; Big Stone, M. S. Stevens, Graceville; Blue Earth, Samuel Wilson, Mankato; Brown, Prof. H. C. Hess, New Ulm; Carlton, Senator Fred D. Vibert, Cloquet; Carver, Dana Dutoit, Chaska; Cass, Senator P. H. McGarry, Walker; Chippewa, S. G. Elliason, Montevideo; Chisago, Victor A. Joanson, Center City; Clay, H. R. Roberts, Moorhead; Clearwater, L. Jensen, Clearbrook; Cook, Charles Johnson, Grand Marais; Cottonwood, D. W. Weld, Windom; Crow Wing, R. R. Wise, Brainerd; Dakota, R. A. Pollock, Farmington; Dodge, John L. Curtis, Mantorville; Douglas Tollef Jacobson, Alexandria; Faribault, O. D. Ackerman, Wells; Fillmore, L. D. Hamlin, Spring Valley; Freeborn, Oscar Subby, Albert Lea; Goodhue, W. H. Putnam, Red Wing; Grant, J. S. Jacobson, Elbow Lake; Houston, Rev. A. O. Johnson, Spring Grove; Hubbard, M. J. Wooley, Park Rapids; Isanti, John W. Clover, Cambridge; Itasca, E. C. Kiley, Grand Rapids; Jackson, Robert Mueir, Jackson; Kanabec, C. F. Serline, Mora; Kandiyohi, William A. Rice, Willmar; Kittson, J. D. Henry, Hallock; Koochiching, John Brown, International Falls; Lac qui Parle, John Dale, Madison; Lake, John Dwan, Two Harbors; Le Sueur, Thomas H. Smullen, Le Sueur; Lincoln, George Graff, Ivanhoe; Lyon, James Hall, Marshall; McLeod, Senator H. H. Bonnewell, Hutchinson; Mahnomen, Theodore H. Beaulieu, White Earth; Marshall, A. N. Eckstrum, Warren; Martin, John F. Haeckel, Fairmont; Meeker, H. I. Peterson, Litchfield; Mille Lacs, I. G. Stanley, Princeton; Morrison, M. M. Williams, Little Falls; Mower, W. A. Nolan, Grand Meadow; Murray, Burt Weld, Slayton; Nicollet, M. H. Olsen, St. Peter; Nobles, J. B. Ludlow, Rushmore; Norman, E. J. Herringer, Ada; Olmstad, A. C. Gooding, Rochester; Otter Tail, Henry Dahl, Fergus Falls; Pennington, J. H. Hay, Thief River Falls; Pine, Henry W. Harte, Pine City; Pipestone, John Gray, Pipestone; Polk, A. D. Stephens, Crookston; Pope, John R. Serrin, Glenwood; Ramsey, D. R. Cotton, St. Paul; Red Lake, Dr. N. M. Watson, Red Lake Falls; Redwood, A. D. Stewart, Redwood Falls; Renville, Tim O'Connor, Renville; Rice, Richard B. Kent, Faribault; Rock, C. H. Christopherson, Luverne; Roseau, Israel Sjorberg, Roseau; St. Louis, G. G. Hartley, Duluth; Scott, Theodore Wieland, Shakopee; Sherburne, Andrew Davis, Elk River; Sibley, John W. Book, Gibbon; Stearns, Charles F. Ladder, St. Cloud; Steele, Senator Thomas E. Cashman, Owatonna; Stevens, R. W. Adams, Morris; Swift, Frank C. Thornton, Benson; Todd, Rudolph Lee, Long Prairie; Traverse, Charles E. Huseton, Wheaton; Wabasha, Joseph M. Underwood, Lake City; Wadena, John H. Mark, Wadena; Waseca, R. P. Ward, Waseca; Washington, R. A. Wilkinson, Stillwater; Watonwan, O. C. Peterson, Madelia; Wilkin, J. P. Buscher, Breckenridge; Winona, H. E. Blair, Winona; Wright, John Kelly, Waverly; Yellow Medicine, A. J. Johnson, Granite Falls.

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Fair as "Food Training Camp."

The Minnesota State Fair, which is to be held Sept. 3 to 8, has tendered its services as a "food training camp" to President Wilson, to assist the government in its efforts to increase crop production, and reduce the waste of food in this country, which is known to be enormous.

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Encourages Silo Building.

The state committee on food production and conservation will encourage this summer only one kind of building on the farm, and that is the silo. The silo saves all the feed in the corn, and in its effort for food conservation the state committee feels that silos are very necessary.

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Pay for Guards' Border Service.

Minnesota has distributed $460,000 among the guardsmen for service on the Mexican border. Each guardsman who served the full period was paid about $120 at the 50 cents a day rate. The smallest checks were for $50. Captain Jerome Jackman, Battery F, Minneapolis, presented a payroll footing of $13,460.50. In addition to this reward to its soldiers the state has refunded nearly $6,000 tuition payments to about 200 soldier students at the University of Minnesota, under another 1917 reward law.

CANADA'S IMMIGRATION

Increased by About Sixty Per Cent in Past Six Months.

That Canada is at war is now more fully appreciated on this side of the boundary line, now that the United States has stepped alongside its northern neighbor and linked hands in the great struggle for a freer democracy throughout the civilized world. As a result of this a greater interest than ever is seen in the mutual effort to develop both the United States and Canada. Recently, just before the time that the United States declared its intention to enter the contest and contribute of its resources to the defeat of the autocracy, whose design was to permeate the world, Western Canada made an appeal for farm labor to till the fields and prepare the soil for the crops of grain that were necessary to feed the fighting forces and keep up the requirements necessary for the Allies. The responses were so great that before half the time limit expired, over six thousand laborers were secured. This was not sufficient, but once the United States was declared to be in a condition of war, and farm labor required here to meet any exigency as to short rations that might arise, the sister to the north, withdrew from attempts, which might mean a restriction of the farm labor supply in the United States. But even with this it is thought Canada will now be fairly well supplied.

Apart, however, from the farm labor proposition, it is gratifying from both a United States and Canadian point of view that the immigration of farmers to take up homestead lands and to purchase improved and unimproved land in Canada, has shown such a wonderful increase in the past three months. The great struggle for increasing the food supply has a broader and greater significance than ever. The food must come into existence, whether the rich soils of the United States or those of Canada be the factor.

It is altogether probable that the action of the Canadian Government in taking the duty off wheat going into Canada, thus automatically lifting the duty off that coming into the United States, may not be responsible for an increased immigration to Canada. Canada's reputation for growing larger average yields and a better quality of grain, and on lands, many of which are free, as well as those that range from $15 to $35 an acre, is an appeal that is being responded to by farmers who are now renting high-priced lands, is another reason for expecting an increasing number of farmers from the United States.

Mr. W. D. Scott, Superintendent of Immigration at Ottawa, Canada, recently gave out figures concerning immigration from the United States, which shows that the increase in the past three or four months was 60 per cent over the same period last year, and Mr. Scott forecasts that during the calendar year of 1917 there will be over one hundred per cent increase and be much heavier than for many years past. Mr. Scott declares that already this spring more settlers' effects have entered Canada than crossed during the whole of last year, and the movement has just merely started.

The new settlers are coming from numerous states through the ports of Emerson, North Portal and Coutts, as well as from Oregon and Washington, through Kingsgate and Vancouver.

There arrived in Saskatchewan during the year ending December 31, 1916, a total of 8,136 persons as compared with 5,812 during the twelve months previous. At the same time nearly twice as many immigrants passed through the immigration department at Edmonton, Alberta, in the last twelve months as for the same period of the year before.

The number of settlers from Eastern Canada migrating to the west also increased. From January 1 to March 31, 1917, the number of cars of stock that passed through the Winnipeg yards was 750, as compared with 361 last year. A fair estimate of the value of each car would be about $2,000, which means that the west has secured additional live stock to the value of $150,000 or more, during the first three months of 1917, not taking into account that brought in by immigrants from the United States.—Advertisement.

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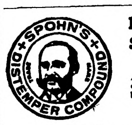

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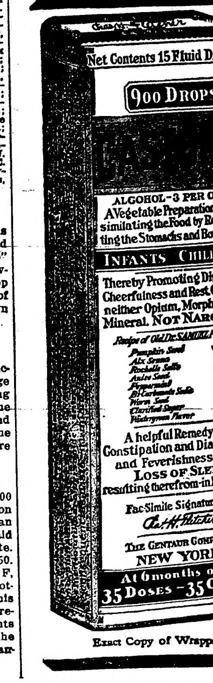

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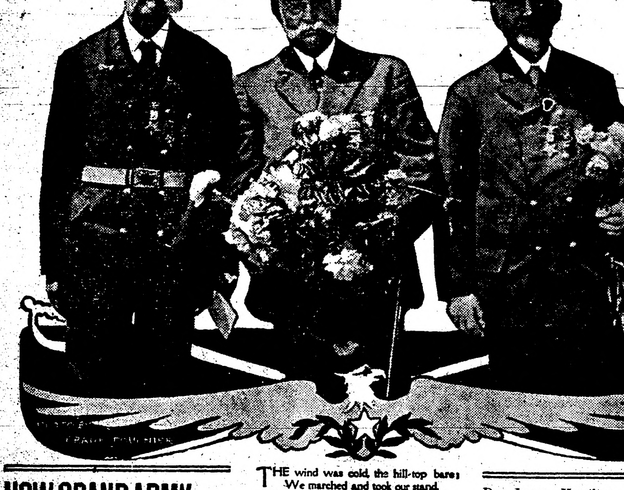

HOW GRAND ARMY CAME INTO BEING

Famous Organization Had Its Inception Before the Close of the Civil War.

GATHERED PATRIOTS IN FOLD

To Inculcate Loyalty to the Nation Which They Saved, and the Upholding of Its Institutions, the Foundation Stone of the Great Order.

THE earliest reliable written records of the Grand Army of the Republic were consumed at Boston during the great conflagration on Memorial day, 1873. Fortunately, however, although the early preliminary history is lost to the country, enough of printed and written records in other locations was found to enable the historians of the G. A. R. to piece out the interesting story of its birth.

In the quaint old hall of records at the national G. A. R. headquarters in Independence square, Philadelphia, the original minute-book of the national encampments, beginning with the Soldiers and Sailors' convention at Pittsburgh, September 25, 1866, may be seen carefully preserved among other historic G. A. R. literature.

It is a heavy sheepskin folio in good condition, of 780 pages, of which 353 are written upon. The minutes cover the story of the national encampments for the first six years, from 1867 to 1872, after which the proceedings were printed. These records and others of the departments contain the history of the Grand Army organization after it became an embodied fact. There is, however, because of the lost records a nebulous atmosphere about the movements leading up to its formation. But the organization, it is clearly known, is the evolution of the active political and social movements among the soldiers in the 12 months succeeding the close of the war.

IT SEEMS a far cry from the modern era of prosperous commercial and industrial peace in the United States back to the troubled days of '65 and '66, "when Johnny came marching home."

The discharged soldiers came back to meet and conquer with a soldier's courage a difficulty more complex and intangible than that of fighting an enemy—the problem of his own readjustment of the workaday world which he had left.

Previous to the war the general feeling had prevailed, as voiced by Gov. John A. Andrews, speaking of the people of Massachusetts, that the family of every man who enlisted should be fully provided for. The return of the soldier in health made it possible for him to resume responsibility. All he needed was an opportunity.

THE sentiment of patriotic supporters of the army was that the men who had given up their chance of advancement at home and of supporting their families in the many avenues of trade and commerce stimulated by the war who had returned with good record of service, wounded or disabled, should be entitled to consideration in the distribution of offices under the local, state and national government. Places of honor and profit, it was held, should be given to the veterans whose services and sacrifices had been so great. But politicians intrenched in office were not willing to

THE wind was cold, the hill-top bare;
We marched and took our stand.
Smith was the army we had there,
With Hawkins in command.

WE placed a flag above the mound,
And from a book I read,
"The Lord God bless this hallowed ground
Where lies the nation's dead."

THEN to the road we turned again
Hawkins and Smith and I,
The same as though a thousand men
Were in our company.

FOR not alone we three had come
To that one soldier's grave;
The wide land rife with tramp and drum,
Its immanent presence gave.

ITS voice, which filled the wayside pine,
Chanted of martial days;
It's great soul through our slender line,
Rendered memorial praise.

Stephen Tracy Livingston, in Harper's Weekly.

retire in favor of the army men; consequently clubs and societies of soldiers and their supporters for the promotion of their candidacy for positions of trust and emolument sprang up everywhere. There was soon a great host of organizations, among them the Boys in Blue, Soldiers and Sailors' league, Conservative Army and Navy Union, White Boys in Blue, Colored Soldiers' league—a vast mass of varied tinted bodies of assorted minds, who were destined to form the nucleus for the all-embracing G. A. R.

THE idea of the organization of the Grand Army of the Republic was really conceived, however, before the close of the war. The signer of the first general order, calling the first encampment in Indianapolis, November 20, 1866, carefully preserved in the venerable general order book in the Hall of Records at Philadelphia, was Maj. Benjamin Franklin Stephenson, provisional commander in chief in 1866 and the founder of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Major Stephenson was a native of Wayne county, Illinois, where he was born in 1822. Reared in poverty, but managing to wrest an education from difficult conditions, he entered the medical profession, graduating from Rush Medical college, Chicago, in 1851, and practicing in Petersburg, Ill. He enlisted and served three years as surgeon of the Fourteenth Illinois infantry and immediately after the war he resumed the practice of his profession, locating at Springfield, Ill. Major Stephenson during the war was closely associated with Chaplain William Rutledge, a Virginian by birth, a resident of Illinois and a Methodist preacher, who was his tentmate and bosom companion.

IT WAS while upon the campaign of Sherman's expedition to Meridian, Fla., in 1864, that Chaplain Rutledge is said to have made the fruitful suggestion to Major Stephenson that "soldiers so closely allied in fellowship of suffering would when mustered out desire some form of association to preserve the friendship and the memories of their common trials and dangers."

The two friends agreed that if spared they would work out together some plan of allegiance to meet the need. This suggestion and agreement proved to be the germ of the Grand Army of the Republic, the greatest and most influential body of veterans in the world. It was not until nearly a year after the grand muster out that Major Stephenson and Chaplain Rutledge met in Springfield and laid the foundation plans for the new national order. The work of a Missouri organization called the Grand Army of Progress suggested the form of ritual which was adopted and which was printed in great secrecy.

FOURTEEN charter members of the Grand Army participated in the first conference, and united 15 from the first historic pioneer G. A. R. post at Decatur, Ill., April 6, 1866. These men were Col. John M. Snyder, Dr. James Hamilton, Maj. R. M. Woods and 11 others.

The makers of the G. A. R., it appears, adopted, in part, the "title of officers" and the general organization of the Loyal Legion of the United States, the essential difference inhering in the terms of eligibility to office, the Loyal Legion restricting membership of the first class to officers.

The plan of organization embraced, first, the formation of precincts, called posts; second, county unions, called districts; third, state associations, known as departments, and the national organization formed originally of two delegates from each department.

The declaration of principles, a clear statement of the fraternal, patriotic and charitable purpose of the new organization, was introduced by a paragraph in high-sounding and rounded phraseology after the style of the times, as follows:

"THE soldiers of the Volunteer Army of the United States during the war of 1861-1865 actuated by the impulse and convictions of patriotism and eternal right; combined in the strong bonds of fellowship and unity by the toils, the dangers and the victories of a long and vigorously waged war, feel themselves called on to declare in definite form of words, and in determined co-operative action, those principles and rules which should guide the earnest patriot, the enlightened freeman and the Christian citizen in his course of action, and to agree upon those plans and laws which should govern them in a united and systematic working method with which in some measure shall be effected the preservation of the grand results of the war, the fruits of their labor and toil, so as to benefit the deserving and worthy."

The Grand Army organization, it appears, at first made little headway in the various states. In two years but thirteen states were permanently organized, the order being Illinois, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, Ohio, New York, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Maine, California, Nevada, Rhode Island, New Hampshire and Vermont. The chief cause of the slow progress seemed to be that the soldiers had become weary of organization in the ineffective clubs already referred to, which had grown into popular disfavor, and almost total disruption was threatened by the indifference and opposition of those who at first conceived the G. A. R. to be some sort of secret society of partisan proclivities.

MANY wise heads, however, recognized the power for good in the organization, and its future prosperity was happily assured by the adoption of a resolution of the national encampment of 1868 that the purpose of the G. A. R. is "to secure the rights of these defenders of their country by all moral, social and political means in our control."

Emphasis was appropriately placed on the primary objects of the organization to maintain and strengthen the fraternal feelings which bind together the soldiers and marines of the Civil war, to perpetuate the memory and history of those who have died, and to lend assistance to the needy and to their widows and orphans, and all distinctions of party, creed, rank or color were eliminated.

Message Held Most Dear.

In my native town there is a monument that crowns its central hill—a plain white shaft, writes a correspondent of the Boston Globe. Deep cut into its shining side is a name dear to me above the names of men. Not for all the glories of America, from Plymouth Rock all the way, would I exchange the heritage he left me in his soldier's death. This message comes from consecrated ground—sacred soil to all of us—rich in memories that make us purer and stronger and better, an eloquent witness in its white peace.

For Sale!

Good team of horses for sale cheap and on easy terms.

Holt State Bank.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota May 2, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Olaf G. Tharaldson of Germantown Minn. who, on April 22nd, 1911 made Homestead Entry Serial No. 06010, for NE 1-4 Sec. 15, Twp. 155 N., R. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James C. Wilson, U. S. Commissioner, for the District of Minnesota, at Grygla, Minn., on the 12th day of June 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Alexander Magee, Hilbert O. Berve, Salve G. Tharaldson and Oliver Secours all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Sidewalk Resolution.

At a special meeting of the Village Council of the Village of Holt, Marshall Co., Minn., held in the Council Rooms in the said Village on the 18th day of May, 1917, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Trustee C. L. Sandberg offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Whereas, the Village Council of the Village of Holt deem it necessary and expedient to rebuild the sidewalks in front of and adjoining the following lots and parcels of land in the said Village of Holt, to-wit: Lot 16, Block 8, owned by M. W. A. Lodge. Lot 17, Block 8, owned by Chas. W. Latta. Lot 18, block 8, owned by Ole Backlund.

Now, Therefore, Be it resolved, that said M. W. A. Lodge be and they are hereby ordered and required to rebuild at their own expense and charge the said sidewalk in front of said Lot 16, Block 8, in the said Village of Holt, and that said Chas. W. Latta be and he is hereby ordered and required to rebuild at his own expense and charge the said sidewalk in front of said Lot 17, Block 8, in the said Village of Holt, and that said Ole Backlund be and he is hereby ordered and required to rebuild at his own expense and charge the said sidewalk in front of Lot 18, Block 8 in the said Village of Holt. It is further, resolved and ordered that said sidewalks be built of concrete and cement materials, to be ten (10) feet wide, to be built on grade as established by said Village Council, and to be built and completed on or before the 25th day of July 1917.

Trustee H. J. Oien seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the Village Council, B. Docken, C. L. Sandberg, H. J. Oien, H. B. Young all voted Yes, and was duly carried and was by the President, then presiding, so declared.

B. Docken,
President, Village Council.

Attest:
H. B. Young,
Village Clerk.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., May 15, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Peter Anderson, of Thief River Falls Minn., who, on January 27th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 07209, for SW 1-4 Section 15, Twp. 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 27th day of June, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Halvor Moe, Charles Stevenson, Martin Sampson and Christ Nelson all Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

A. R. Jones spent Memorial Day with his family in Crookston.

Miss Emma Kuehne returned home Saturday from T. R. Falls.

Ingvold Bakke of Newfolden visited Melvin Mortrud, Wednesday.

Lars Chenil is having his house painted. Johnny Johnson is doing the work.

B. Docken has sold another quarter section of land to a South Dakota party.

Mr. Tufte went to Shutley Friday to visit his daugter and to observe Decoration Day.

Miss Huldah Johnson returned home Monday from a few weeks stay in T. R. Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy entertained her sister and husband from Warroad, a few days this week.

Mrs. S. Mickelson went to Crookston Monday to visit relatives, also to observe Memorial Day there.

Math Barzen, of the Hanson & Barzen Milling Co, of T. R. Falls made A. R. Jones a short visit Monday.

Mrs. Huseth was brot home from the hospital Friday evening and is getting along fully as well as could be expected, which all will be glad to hear.

Every male person between the age of 21 and 31 whether citizens or not must register June 5th. A heavy penalty is provided for failure or refusal to register.

The People's Cash Store has been sold to The Farmers State Bank of this place. We understand the store will remain closed until it is decided what disposition will be made of the stock of goods.

Clarence Kolden received a letter Monday from his brother Peter, saying the battleship Florida, on which he is stationed, is now in dry dock at Norfolk, Va. and that it was thot they would probably be transferred to merchant ships that run to Europe. Peter is bound to see something of the world.—Later: A telegram has been received saying Peter expected to soon leave for a foreign port.

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Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants and all children wanting Religious instruction in June should meet Saturday in the church at 1 o'clock. English class 11 a. m. Books then needed will be ordered. The school begins at 9 o'clock June 19th. The place will be decided on June 2nd.

Sunday School and Services June 17th at 10 and 12 o'clock. Y. P. S. 3 o'clock at Carl Larson's.

Golden Valley Ladies Aid meet at John Anderson's June 20th for their yearly meeting.

L. Handegaard, the teacher. will meet in District School No. 59 at 10 o'clock June 3rd, with all interested in Religious School.

The Ladies Aid will be entertained June 6th at Gust Peterson's.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

School Program.

The Holt Public School gave a fine patriotic program to an appreciative audience Wednesday evening at the school house. The doors between the two rooms were thrown open, affording a large and commodious assembly room fit for the occasion. There were twenty five numbers and each pupil, both little and big, seemed bent on doing their best, which reflects credit on the instructors, and greatly pleased the audience. While there was a spirit of patriotism running through the whole program, yet the Flag Drill and the Patriotic Hoe was inspiring and was met with hearty applause. Rev. Ordahl gave a Memorial address emphasizing true patriotism for our beloved country. The closing number, which was the Statute of Liberty shown in red light, was beautiful and a fitting conclusion to the evenings entertainment.

Take Notice

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn., for the ditching of 118 rods on town line between Sec. 32, - 156, - 43 and Sec. 5, - 155 43, as per plans and speifications now on file at said Holt State Bank.

Bids will be received up to June 9, 1917, at 1 o'clock P. M.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

B. Docken and R. L. Olson,
Committee.

Registration Day
Tuesday June 5th, 1917.
From 7 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Notice

Notice is hereby given to all male residents of Holt township, Marshall county, Minn., between the ages of 21 and 31 years, to present themselves for registration, under a recent Act of Congress and a Proclamation of the President, at A. L. Sagstuen's residence in said township between the hours of 7 o'clock A. M. and 9 o'clock P. M. of Tuesday the 5th day of June, 1917. Any person who fails or refuses to register shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction thereof be punished by imprisonment for not more than one year, and shall thereupon be duly registered.

T. B. Folden,
Registar,
Holt Township.

Be an American.

County Attorney Kjomme has given notice that all persons under 21 years of age will be prohibited from attending public dances in Thief River Falls.

Registration Day!
Tuesday June 5th, 1917.
From 7 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Notice!

To all male persons residing in the Village of Holt, who shall have attained their twenty-first birthday and who shall not have attained their thirty-first birthday on or before June 5th, 1917. All such persons must present themselves for and submit to registration, at S. S. Kolden's store building, under the provisions of a recent Act of Congress and prescribed by the President. Any person who shall fail or refuse to present himself for registration, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction thereof be punished by imprisonment for not more than one year, and shall thereupon be duly registered.

Clarence S. Kolden,
Register,
Village of Holt.

Free Mission Church

Scandanavian services to-night (Friday) by Rev. P. S. Pearson, who is a traveling missionary.

Sunday School at 2 o'clock sharp.

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our thanks to neighbors and friends for their sympathy and assistance at the death and burial of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. Martha Waagedahl and Children.

Stiener News

J. A. Russell has the frame of his new house up, he being assisted by S. R. Rogers and son Henry.

August Koglin went to T. R. Falls this week.

Criss Johnson did business in T. R. Falls last of the week.

Henry Rogers made a business trip over west in his Maxwell.

A big dance was given at Nick Baker's Saturday evening.

The Meyers Bros. attended the Commercial club at the Ole Hall school house Saturday evening.

Simon Warring did business in T. R. Falls one day last week.

G. L. Leisner is having considerable grubbing and cleaning done this spring. The Steiner Bros. are doing the work.

Our school closed Friday of last week. The same teacher has been employed for next year, we understand.

The flag is now proudly floating from the top of the pole on the public school building, it being raised by our youthful patriots last Sunday.

Buy a Liberty Bond.

Moving picture show Saturday night.

Mr. Dahlquist of T. R. Falls shipped a car of cattle from here Tuesday.

Otto Kuehne came over from Newfolden Saturday for an over Sunday visit at home.

Several of the good people of Newfolden attended the Memorial Day program at the school house on Wednesday evening.

I will pay $5.50 a ton until June 25, for all kinds of scrap iron, as I have a contract with the Thief River Hide and Fur Co., which expires at that time. R. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

East Valley Notice!

Notice is hereby given that all male persons between the ages of 21 and 31 residing in the township of East Valley shall register between the hours of 7 A. M. and 9 P. M. on Tuesday June 5th, 1917, at the home of J. A. Sorum in said township.

J. A. Sorum, Registar.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account

Estate of Hogan Anderson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hogan Anderson, Decedent.

The State Of MINNESOTA To All Persons Interested In The Above Entitled Matter: Whereas, Alfred B. Anderson has filed in this court his final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: It Is Ordered, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 9th day of June 1917, at ten o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted: and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS according to law.

Witness the honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 11th day of May 1917.

Peter H. Holm,
[Court Seal] Probate Judge.
Julius J. Olson and Rasmus Hage,
Attorneys for Petitioners,
Warren, Minnesota.

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Notice

Beginning June the 4th., cream will be received on the following days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Would like to have all cream delivered before 12 o'clock noon. Let us all boost for the "Home creamery".

Yours very truly,
P. L. Anderson.

Take Notice

Notice is hereby given that dog licenses must be procured before the tenth dav of June. All bird dogs and others of destructive habits must be confined or muzzled, regardless of the fact whether a license has been procured for them or not.

All dogs running at large after June 10th. without a tag will be dealt with according to the provisions of the ordinance relating thereto.

B Docken, President.
H. B. Young, Village Clerk.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
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PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

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Wheat No. 4	1.62
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Rye	2.01
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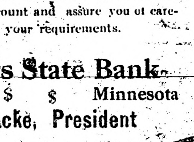

LIST OF QUESTIONS THAT WILL BE PUT TO MEN ON JUNE 5

Government Has Issued Circulars Tending to Make Registration Work Easy.

ONLY SICK AND ABSENTEES EXEMPT FROM ANSWERING

Prison Is the Penalty of Failing to Appear Unless One Is Unable, and Then Arrangements Must Be Made—How Interrogations Should Be Answered.

The government has adopted a plan to facilitate and simplify the filling in of conscription registration cards June 5. Circulars containing the twelve questions to be asked and advice as to how they should be answered have been prepared for distribution.

How to Answer Questions.

The circular, which bears the heading, "How to Answer Questions on Registration Cards," reads as follows:

"Questions will be asked for you to answer in the order in which they appear on this paper. These questions are set out below with detailed information to help you answer them.

"Do not write on, mark or otherwise mutilate these instructions. Do not remove them. They should be carefully read so that you will have your answers ready when you go before the registrar.

"All answers will be written on the registration card in ink by the registrar, who should be careful to spell all names correctly and to write legibly.

"1. Name in full. Age in years, ——

"This means all your names spelled out in full.

"State your age today in years only. Disregard additional months or days. Be prepared to say 'nineteen' or 'twenty-five,' not 'nineteen years three months' or the like.

"2. Home address.

"This means the place where you have your permanent home, not the place where you work. Be prepared to give the address in this way: '232 Main street, Chicago, Cook county, Illinois;' that is, give number and name of street first, then town, then county and state.

Write Birth Date in Advance.

"Date of birth.

"Write your birthday (month, day and year) on a piece of paper before going to the registrar and give the paper to him the first thing. Example: 'August 5, 1894.'

"If you do not remember the year, start to answer as you would if someone asked you your birthday, as 'August 5.' Then say, 'on my birthday this year I will be (or was) —— years old.' The registrar will then fill in the year of birth. Many people do not carry in mind the year they were born. This may be obtained by the registrar by subtracting the age in years on this year's birthday from 1917.

"4. Are you (1) a natural born citizen; (2) a naturalized citizen; (3) an alien; (4) or have you declared your intention to become a citizen (specify which)?

"(1) If you were born in the United States, including Alaska and Hawaii, you are a natural born citizen, no matter what may have been the citizenship or nationality of your parents. If you were born in Porto Rico you are a citizen of the United States, unless you were born of alien parentage. If you were born abroad, you are still a citizen of the United States, if your father was a citizen of the United States at the time you were born, unless you have expatriated yourself.

"(2) You are a naturalized citizen if you have completed your naturalization; that is, if you have 'taken final papers.' But you are not a citizen if you have only declared your intention to become a citizen (that is, if you have only 'taken out first papers'); in the latter case you are only a 'declarant.'

"You are also a naturalized citizen if, although foreign born, your father or surviving parent became fully naturalized while you were under twenty-one years of age, and if you came to the United States under twenty-one.

"(3) You are a declarant if, although a citizen or subject of some foreign country, you have declared on oath before a naturalization court your intention to become a citizen of the United States. Receipt from the clerk of the court of the certified copy of such declaration is often called 'taking out first papers.' You are not a declarant if your first paper was taken out after September 26, 1906, and is more than seven years old.

"(4) You are an alien if you do not fall within one of the three classes above mentioned.

"5. Where were you born?

"First name the town, then the state, then the country, as 'Columbus, O.; 'Vienna, Austria;' 'Paris, France;' 'Sofia, Bulgaria.'

"6. If not a citizen, of what country are you a citizen or subject?"

"This need be answered only by aliens and declarants. Remember that a 'declarant' is not yet a citizen of the United States. If an alien or declarant, state the name of your country, as 'France,' 'Japan,' 'China,' etc.

What Is Your Job Right Now?

"7. What is your present trade, occupation or office?

"This does not ask what you once did, nor what you have done most of the time, nor what you are best fitted to do. It asks what your job is right now. State briefly, as farmer, miner, student, laborer (on farm, in rolling mill, in automobile, wagon or other factory, etc. If you hold an office under state or federal government, name the office you hold.

"If you are in one of the following offices or employments, use one of the names hereafter mentioned: 'Custom house clerk, 'employed in the transmission of the mails,' or 'employed in an armory, arsenal or navy yard, 'mariner actually employed in the sea service of citizen or merchant within the United States.'

"8. By whom employed? Where employed?

"If you are working for an individual, firm, corporation or association state its name. If in business, trade, profession or employment for yourself, so state. If you are an officer of the state or federal government say whether your office is under the United States, the state, the county or a municipality. In answer to the question as to where you are employed give the town, county and state where you work.

"9. Have you a father, mother, wife, child under twelve or a sister or brother under twelve solely dependent upon you for support (specify which):

"Consider your answer thoughtfully. If it is true that there is another mouth than your own which you alone have a duty to feed do not let your military ardor interfere with the wish of the nation to reduce war's misery to a minimum. On the other hand, unless the person you have in mind is solely dependent on you do not hide behind petticoats or children.

"10. Married or single (which)? Race (specify which)?

"This does not ask whether you were once married, but whether you are married now. In answer to the question as to your race state briefly whether Caucasian, Mongolian, negro, Malayan or Indian.

As to Past Military Service.

"11. What military service have you had? Rank? Branch? Years? Nation or state?

"No matter what country you served, you must give complete information. In answering these questions first name your rank, using one of the following words: 'Commissioned officer,' 'noncommissioned officer,' 'private.' Next, state branch in which you served in one of the following words: 'Infantry,' 'cavalry,' 'artillery,' 'medical,' 'signal,' 'aviation,' 'supply,' 'marine,' 'navy.' Next, state the number of years' service, not counting time spent in the reserve. Finally, name the nation or state you served. If you served under the United States or one of the states of the United States, name your service in one of the following terms: 'National Guard' (of such and such a state), 'militia' (of such and such a state), 'volunteers of United States' or 'regular army (navy) of United States.'

"12. Do you claim exemption from draft? Specify grounds.

"Because you claim exemption from draft, it by no means follows that you are exempt. For the information of the war department you should make a claim now if you intend to prosecute it. Some persons will be exempted on account of their occupations or offices, some on account of the fact that they have relatives dependent upon them for support. Your answer touching these things will be important in supporting the claim you now intend to make in your answer to the present questions. Be sure, therefore, that the grounds you now state are in conformity with your answers to questions 7 and 8.

"In stating grounds you claim as exempting you use one of the following terms: If you claim to be an executive, legislative or judicial officer of the state or nation, name your office and say whether it is an office of the state or nation. If you claim to be a member of a religious sect whose creed forbids its members to participate in war in any form, simply name the sect. If you are employed in the transmission of the United States mails or as an artificer or workman in an armory, arsenal or navy yard of the United States, or if you are a mariner employed in the sea service of any citizen or merchant within the United States, so state. If you are a felon or otherwise morally deficient and desire to claim exemption on that ground, state your ground briefly. If you claim physical disability, state that briefly. If you claim exemption on any other ground, state your ground briefly."

WHERE AIRMEN WILL TRAIN

Six Colleges Designated by the War Department as Points for the Instruction of Aviators.

The work of turning out army aviators will be quickened 50 per cent as the result of an order issued by the war department.

In the future the groundwork and elementals of aerodynamics will be taught to army aviator students at six of the larger universities throughout the country under the direction of army officers. This will enable those in charge of operations to devote their entire energy to turning out competent aviators, who will take their place as reserve lieutenants in the signal corps.

The schools which have been designated to do the elementary work are the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cornell university, Ohio State university, University of Illinois, University of Texas and the University of California.

TRIESTE BATTLE ENTERS 18TH DAY; ITALIANS ADVANCE

LATINS REACH MOST FORMIDABLE NATURAL BARRIER BETWEEN THEM AND GOAL —MEDEAZZA ENTERED.

SENSATIONS IN AUSTRIA PROMISED; BERLIN UPSET

Battle Between Liberals and Reactionaries Continues—Further Ministerial Resignations in Vienna and Budapest Are Reported Impending —Hollweg Is Attacked.

Rome, May 29.—The Italians, having fought their way forward to within two miles of Duino, the most formidable natural barrier between them and Trieste, the great battle now enters its eighteenth day without any sign of an abatement in the fury of the struggle.

Vienna stubbornly refuses to concede the Italian victories, but the map tells the story of General Cadorna's steady advance.

Latins Reach Medeazza.

Duino marks a point at which the Carso plateau almost touches the sea. Protected by the ocean on the one side it is powerfully defended to the north by Mount Querceto.

At the foot of Mount Querceto, facing west, lies the little town of Medeazza, and the Italians have smashed their way to within a few hundred yards of this village.

From no other theater of the war comes any news of importance.

Teuton Powers Face Crises.

The battle between the reactionaries and Liberals in Austria-Hungary goes merrily forward and there are reports of further impending ministerial resignations in Vienna and Budapest. Sensations are promised at the sessions of the Austrian parliament, but it remains to be seen how much news will be able to escape the censor.

In Germany the violence of the attacks on Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg indicates the acuteness of the political crisis, but the recess of the reichstag renders even more meager than usual the information that seeps across the border.

"Lines Unbroken," Says Vienna.

Vienna, May 29.—"Our defenders' lines remain unbroken," declares an official statement on the Italian front fighting, claiming capture of 13,000 prisoners from the enemy since the beginning of the tenth Isonzo battle. Furious fighting was reported.

POLICE QUELL CHICAGO SOCIALIST DISTURBANCE

Bruised Heads and Arrests Follow Rioting Started by 2,000 Undesirables—Germans Suspected.

Chicago, May 29.—An anarchistic mob of some 2,000 undesirables of the pro-German socialistic element held an overflow peace terms meeting in the Auditorium and came to grief when a riot call was sent in and police and secret service reserves scattered the participants, broke heads, arrested many and took the ringleaders before the government investigating bureau, where they were to be questioned and later arraigned in court.

Arrests of several suspected German agents was expected as a direct result of the riot, it was announced by Hinton G. Clabaugh, special investigator for the department of justice.

100,000 U. S. SOLDIERS TO GO ON BATTLE LINE SOON

Statement Issued in London—America to Furnish 3,500 War Planes and 6,000 Aviators.

London, May 29.—An official statement issued here says that, counting the Americans serving in the British and French armies and the additional units ordered to France, there will shortly be 100,000 Americans in France.

The statement says 3,500 war airplanes will be constructed and 6,000 aviators trained in the United States this year.

Another contingent of the American medical corps has arrived in England. The contingent comprised units from Philadelphia and St. Louis.

Decides on Tax Exemptions.

Washington, May 29.—Involving further reduction of the house tax bill by $15,500,000, the senate finance committee has decided to exempt motion picture films, jewelry and chewing gum from taxation. A new confectionery tax was considered.

Paris Women's Strike Spreads.

Paris, May 26.—The strike of women workers has spread rapidly and has met with considerable success. Milliners, furriers, lace makers, embroiderers, water proofers and feather workers are out. Employees of several department stores reached an agreement with the managements regarding Saturday half holidays and extra pay on account of the high cost of living. Butchers, waiters and grocers' unions are considering joining the strike. Fur trade workers reached an agreement.

GERMANS LOSE 3 AIRCRAFT IN RAID; SEVENTY-SIX SLAIN

SIXTEEN ENEMY RAIDERS VISIT SOUTHEAST ENGLAND—DAMAGE INFLICTED IN ORE TOWN SAYS REPORT.

50 WOMEN AND CHILDREN SLAUGHTERED BY ENEMY

Casualties Announced in Official Report by Head of Home Defense Forces—Encounter Takes Place in Mid-Channel—Allied Flyers Return Safely.

London, May 28.—Sixteen German aircraft have just raided southeast England.

Seventy-six persons were killed and 174 wounded.

Of the dead 23 were children and 27 women, the injured included 19 children and 93 women. The casualties were announced in an official report issued by Lord French, commander of the House Defense forces.

Three German Raiders Lost.

Three of the German raiders were shot down by British aviators who drove the invaders back across the North Sea.

One British aviator engaged three of the enemy off the coast of Belgium and sent one into the sea. Two German machines fell into the water in the retreat.

Nearly all the damage occurred in ore towns where some bombs fell in the streets causing considerable casualties among the civilian population.

Report by Marshal French.

The following report was made by Field Marshal Viscount French:

"A large squadron of enemy aircraft—about 16—attacked southeast England between 5:15 and 6:30 o'clock last evening. Bombs were dropped at a number of places, but nearly all the damage occurred in one town, where some bombs fell into the streets, causing considerable casualties among the civil population. Some shops and houses also were seriously damaged.

British Planes Pursue.

"Airplanes of the Royal Flying corps went in pursuit and the raiding aircraft were engaged by fighting squadrons of the royal naval air service from Dunkirk on their return journey. The admiralty reports that three enemy airplanes were shot down later by the latter."

An admiralty statement says:

"Naval airplanes attacked the airdrome at St. Dennis Westre, near Bruges, dropping many bombs.

"In the evening several enemy aircraft returning from the raid on England were engaged oversea. An encounter took place between one British and three hostile airplanes in midchannel, and one of the latter was destroyed. Several encounters also took place off the Belgian coast, in which two large twin-engined hostile machines were shot down. All our machines returned safe."

This is the second German raid on England within three days.

FORMER RUSSIAN CZAR'S FAMILY HOES POTATOES

Romanoffs Join "Back to the Soil" Movement—Spectacle Is Enjoyed by Big Audience.

Petrograd, May 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Romanoff, with the Misses Romanoff and Master Romanoff, have joined the "Back to the soil" movement. They are planting and hoeing potatoes in the park at Tsarskoe Selo palace—where the same group, when they were known as the royal family, used to deal out life and death to all the Russians.

The spectacle of the seven members of erstwhile royalty garbed in peasants' clothes and doing peasants' work, was enjoyed by a big audience.

SLACKERS WOULD BE QUAKERS

Rush to Escape Draft to Cause Placing of Ban on Conversion.

New York, May 28.—Slackers can't be Quakers.

So great has been the rush of conscriptable youths to the tenets of the Quaker faith, whose members are exempted from conscription by virtue of their religious opposition to war, that the Society of Friends has planned to bar all converts of military age for the period of the war. James Wood, presiding officer of the New York yearly meeting, will so recommend to the society generally. Indications are that the ban will be put on throughout the country.

Loss of Warcraft by U. S. Denied.

Washington, May 28.—A categorical denial that any American naval vessels have been sunk in the war has been issued by Secretary Daniels to counteract a "campaign of vicious rumors that is being carried on so industriously by persons unknown." was the first official notice to be taken of reports of disasters that started almost as soon as American destroyers were in the war zone. "The department has given repeated assurance that its policy is to be one of absolute frankness."

Her Garden.

"I'm going to have a garden, John."

"Oh, yes, of course."

"And I'm going to raise macaroni and spaghetti and noodles for soup."

"That'll be nice."

"And strawberries; I must raise some strawberries."

"But they'll require sugar, you know."

"Of course. I've got a place in the garden to raise sugar. I think I'll raise powdered sugar; I guess it's easier to raise than lump sugar."

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Hardly Noticeable.

"Young man, you don't appear to know on which side your bread is buttered."

"I can't see that I'm to blame for that. Any butter on my bread has been spread on mighty thin."

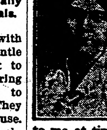
Careful.

"Is he a careful driver?"

"Oh, yes; whenever he spots a cop he slows up."

NERVOUSNESS AND BLUES

Symptoms of More Serious Sickness.



Washington Park, Ill.—"I am the mother of four children and have suffered with female trouble, backache, nervous spells and the blues. My children's loud talking and romping would make me so nervous I could just tear everything to pieces and I would ache all over and feel so sick that I would not want anyone to talk to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills restored me to health and I want to thank you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies."—Mrs. ROBT. STOPIEL, Sage Avenue, Washington Park, Illinois.

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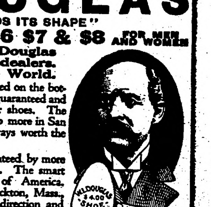

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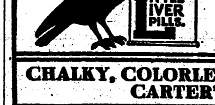
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How He Won Them.

"So your boy's going in for war?"

"Yes, he is."

"What branch of the army is he in?"

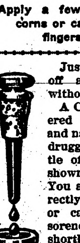
"Cavalry."

"And has he won his spurs?"

"He has that. He went downtown and got a pair and had 'em charged to me."—Yonkers Statesman.

WOMEN! IT IS MAGIC! LIFT OUT ANY CORN

Apply a few drops then lift corns or calluses off with fingers—no pain.



Just think! You can lift off any corn or callus without pain or soreness.

A Cincinnati man discovered this ether compound and named it freezone. Any druggist will sell a tiny bottle of freezone, like here shown, for very little cost. You apply a few drops directly upon a tender corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears, then shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it right off.

Freezone is wonderful. It dries instantly. It doesn't eat away the corn or callus, but shrivels it up without even irritating the surrounding skin.

Hard, soft or corns between the toes, as well as painful calluses, lift right off. There is no pain before or afterwards. If your druggist hasn't freezone, tell him to order a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

Australia Has Most Sheep.

Australia, it is estimated, contains two-elevenths of the world's total of sheep.

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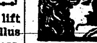

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That Was Easy.

One small Great Bend chap was allotted a 6-foot space in the back yard in which to raise a garden "just like daddy's." He didn't give it all the intelligent care daddy's garden got, however, and when daddy's radishes sprouted, the little boy's produce hadn't made an appearance. That difficulty was easily corrected. The little boy simply pulled enough out of daddy's garden to replenish his own.—Kansas City Star.

Not Bearlike.

"He's very nice to his wife when they are out in company, but at home he acts like a bear."

"Oh, no, he doesn't. She says he never hugs her."

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FARMING NOW A BUSINESS

The Modern Day Farmer Applies Business Methods and Seeks More Than a Living on the Farm.

A nation-wide cry is being made for more economy and greater production, and probably never was the need of foodstuffs equal to that of the present. Grain prices are the highest in the nation's history and today the agricultural fields of America offer inducements that are unequaled in any other line of commerce or business. The ideal life is that close to nature, enjoying the freedom of God's great outdoors and fulfilling a duty to humanity by producing from a fertile soil that which is essential to the very existence of a less fortunate people who are actually starving to death for foodstuffs that can be produced so economically in the United States and Canada.

High prices for all grains, undoubtedly, will be maintained for a number of years, and it appears a certainty that the agriculturist will reap a bounteous return for his labor and at the same time carry out the demands of patriotic citizenship. A wrong conception has been generally noticed as to "Life on the Farm." It has been, to a large extent, considered as only a place to live peacefully and afford a living for those who are satisfied with merely a comfortable existence. Such a wrong impression has been created, in a measure, by the lack of systematic business principles to farming in general. But today farming and agriculture have been given a supremacy in the business world and require the same advanced methods as any other line of commerce. In no other business does a system adoption pay better than on the farm, and it is certain that there is no other line of work, that, generally speaking, needs it as much. The old idea of getting a living off the farm and not knowing how it was made and following up the details of each branch of farming to get the maximum of profit, at the least expense, is fast being done away with.

Farming is now being considered as a business and a living is not sufficient for the modern agriculturist; a small per cent on the investment is not enough, the present-day farmer must have a percentage return equal to that of other lines of business. The prices for produce are high enough, but the cost of producing has been the factor, in many places, that has reduced the profit. It is the application of a system to the cost of various work on the farm that it is possible to give figures on profits made in grain-growing in Western Canada.

Mr. C. A. Wright of Milo, Iowa, bought a hundred and sixty acres of land in Western Canada for $3,300 in December, 1915, and took his first crop from it in 1916. After paying for the land in full and the cost of cultivating it and marketing the grain, he sold his grain at $1.55 a bushel (a low price compared with the present market), had a surplus of $2,472.67. His figures are as follows:

4,487 bushels worth $1.55 at Champion	$6,954.85	$6,954.85
Threshing bill 11c per bushel	493.57	
Seed at 95c	144.00	
Drilling	160.00	
Cutting	160.00	
Twine	50.00	
Shocking	40.00	
Hauling to town 3c	134.61	
Total cost	1,182.18	
Cost of land	3,300.00	
	$4,482.18	$4,482.18
Net profit after paying for farm and all cost		$2,472.67

S. Joseph and Sons of Des Moines, Ia., are looked upon as being shrewd, careful business men. Having some spare money on hand, and looking for a suitable investment, they decided to purchase Canadian lands, and farm them.

With the assistance of the Canadian Government Agent, at Des Moines, Ia., they made selection near Champion, Alberta. They put 240 acres of land in wheat, and in writing to Mr. Hewitt, The Canadian Government Agent at Des Moines, one of the members of the firm says: "I have much pleasure in advising you that on our farm five miles east of Champion, in the Province of Alberta, Canada, this year (1916) we harvested and threshed 10,600 bushels of wheat from 240 acres, this being an average of 44 bushels and 10 pounds to the acre. A considerable portion of the wheat was No. 1 Northern, worth at Champion, approximately $1.85 per bushel, making a total return of $19,610, or an average of $81.70 per acre gross yields. And by aid of a thorough system were able to keep the cost of growing wheat at about 25 cents a bushel."

Messrs. Smith & Sons of Vulcan, Alberta, are growers of wheat on a large scale and have demonstrated that there is greater profit in Western Canada wheat-raising than probably in any other business anywhere. Speaking of their experience Mr. Smith says:

"I have three sections of land at the present time and am farming yearly 1,200 to 1,400 acres of land. My returns from the farm for the past two years have been around 200%, that is for every dollar I have spent I have received three, now I do not know where you can do that well.

"This is surely the country for the man with the small capital as the land is still reasonable in price, payments in long term and work of all kinds for every man to do. I feel that if I was turned out here without a dollar that in less than ten years I could own a section of land and have it well equipped."

Western Canada's soil and climate is suitable to graining large and profitable yields of wheat, many so large that those not acquainted with the facts hesitate to believe the reports sent out by the farmers in that country. As an evidence of their sincerity in reporting correct yields affidavits of a couple of grain growers are reproduced.

"I Newell J. Noble, of the town of Nobleford, Province of Alberta, do solemnly declare that from 1,000 acres of wheat on the said farm there was, in the season of 1916, threshed 54,395 bushels of wheat, being at the average of 54 bushels and 23 pounds per acre. And that from 394.69 acres of oats on the said farm, there was threshed in the said season of 1916, 48,506 bushels of oats, being at the average of 122 bushels and 30 pounds per acre.

"And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously, believing it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of The Canada Evidence Act." NEWELL J. NOBLE.

A Woman Takes Affidavit as to Yields.—On January 4, 1917, Mrs. Nancy Coe of Nobleford made oath as follows:

In the matter of yield of wheat, oats and flax on my farm for harvest of 1916, I, Nancy Coe, of the town of Nobleford, Province of Alberta, do solemnly declare that I threshed from 115 acres on my farm 6,110 bushels of wheat (machine measure, which it is believed will hold out in weights fully —about three-fourths of the crop already having been weighed), being at the average of 53 bushels and 8 pounds per acre, and that from 48 acres of flax on stubble ground, I threshed 993 bushels of flax, being at an average of 20 bushels and 38 pounds per acre, and that from 5.06 acres of oats I threshed 586 bushels, machine measure, being at an average of 115 bushels and 27 pounds per acre. —Advertisement.

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"Dolbyn seems popular with his relatives."

"Oh, yes. They all say there is nothing they wouldn't do for him."

"You surprise me. I had no idea he had accumulated a fortune."

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And using their feet more than ever before. For all these workers the frequent use of Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath, increases their efficiency and insures needed physical comfort. It takes the Friction from the Shoe, freshens the feet, and prevents tired, aching and blistered feet. Women everywhere are constant users of Allen's Foot-Ease. Don't get foot sore, get Allen's Foot-Ease. Sold by dealers everywhere, 25c.—Adv.

Not Womanlike.

"Do you see a face in the moon, dear?" said the sweet young thing.

"Yes," he replied.

"Does it seem like a man or a woman?"

"Like a man, dear. It's altogether too still to be like a woman."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

She Knew Him.

"Did you make these biscuit, wife?"

"I did."

"They're smaller than usual, aren't they?"

"They are. That's so you'll have less to find fault with."

Safe Deduction.

Simson—I wonder where the stepladder is?

Mrs. S.—Willie had it last.

Simson—Then it must be in the pantry.

What is Castoria

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With a Nation's Gratitude

Go to their graves, O children fair—
Go to their graves and scatter there
Sweet flow'rets of a thousand hues—
Flow'rets that bloom in the matin dews;
Scatter them—scatter them deep—
Scatter them o'er where heroes sleep.

Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand [illegible] above the turbulence of the waves.—Trinities and Sanctities.

Fireproof Wood.

To make wood fireproof, slack a small quantity of fresh lime and add water until it has the consistency of cream; stir well and add one pound of alum, 12 ounces of commercial potash and about one pound of salt. Stir again and apply while hot. Two or three coats will keep wood fireproof for many months.

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Movie show Saturday night.

Swat the fly. Kill him dead.

Buy a Liberty Bond. They sell as low as $50 and are not taxable.

Get a copy of the official bulletin at the postoffice, they are important.

The Warren Sheaf has recently installed a $3350 typesetting machine.

T. E. Ellestad was a business caller at T. R. Falls the forepart of the week.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 8:00 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

Martin Benson and Mr. and Mrs. Nesset and children of T. R. Falls visited at R. L. Olson's Sunday afternoon.

The farmers creamery is now making 40 tubs of butter a week and the make is increasing right along.

The village of Gary lost a large number of business places which were destroyed by fire last week Thursday.

A fly killed now will save the hatching of thousands later in ther season.

Flies are the cause of nealy all diseases. They are more dangerous to the lives of people than fires, floods and cyclone. Swat the fly.

We shouldent be at all surprised if several of our pretty girls were treated to auto rides these fine evenings for who is more popular than the genial Ole Johnson who is now the proud owner of a pretty little Ford car.

Anyone can still offer themselves as volunteers and not wait to be drafted. Those who enlist before the time to register can select any branch of the service they like, army navy, artilley, aviation, signal and wireless corps, etc. Men can now enlist for the WAR ONLY and be discharged as soon as the war is over. See the postmaster and get a free ticket to the recruiting office.

Obituary of B. O Waagedahl

Bertil O. Waagedahl was born in Stavanger, Norway, May 17, 1856 and died at his home in Ringo at 1 o'clock Wednesday morning May 23, aged 61 years and 5 days.

Mr. Waagedahl emigrated to this country in 1879, settling in Iowa.

Later he moved to Audubon, Becker Co., remaining there a few years.

He was married March 17th. 1889 at Lake Park, to Miss Martha Wahl. They moved to Walsh Co. N. Dak. where he farmed a couple of years, coming to Holt township in 1891 where they have lived since then and where their children grew to maturity. Two sons and two daughters and the loving wife are left to mourn the death of a kind husband and father. He will be greatly missed in the community as he was a kind, helpful neighbor and friend, and showed forth the true christian life which he led.

A large concourse of relatives and friends attended the funeral services which were held Friday May 25th, conducted by Rev. Brederson at the late home of the deceased and at the Free church in Ringbo. Interment was made in the Free church cemetery.

Those from a distance in attendance at the funeral were, E. T. Vigen and son and Miss Abeltoft, all of Lake Park, who are old time friends of the family.

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With the aid of a plain medol paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with powdered medol. This is applied to the hairs not wanted and after 2 or 3 minutes rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. When you go to your druggist for medol be sure you get the genuine article, and if he will not supply you, the American Proprietary Co. of Boston, will send you a 50c or $1.00 package by mail.

Age of the Ostrich.

The average age of an ostrich is thirty years, and the annual yield of a bird in captivity is from two to four pounds of plumes.

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Good team of horses for sale cheap and on easy terms.

Holt State Bank.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota May 2, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Olaf G. Tharaldson of Germantown Minn. who, on April 22nd, 1911 made Homestead Entry Serial No. 06010, for NE 1-4 Sec. 15, Twp. 155 N., R. 41 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James C. Wilson, U. S. Commissioner, for the District of Minnesota, at Grygla, Minn., on the 12th day of June 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Alexander Magee, Hilbert O. Berve, Salve G. Tharaldson and Oliver Secours all of Germantown, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Sidewalk Resolution.

At a special meeting of the Village Council of the Village of Holt, Marshall Co., Minn., held in the Council Rooms in the said Village on the 18th day of May, 1917, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Trustee C. L. Sandberg offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Whereas, the Village Council of the Village of Holt deem it necessary and expedient to rebuild the sidewalks in front of and adjoining the following lots and parcels of land in the said Village of Holt, to-wit: Lot 16, Block 8, owned by M. W. A. Lodge. Lot 17, Block 8, owned by Chas. W. Latta. Lot 18, block 8, owned by Ole Backlund.

Now, Therefore, Be it resolved, that said M. W. A. Lodge be and they are hereby ordered and required to rebuild at their own expense and charge the said sidewalk in front of said Lot 16, Block 8, in the said Village of Holt, and that said Chas. W. Latta be and he is hereby ordered and required to rebuild at his own expense and charge the said sidewalk in front of said Lot 17, Block 8, in the said Village of Holt, and that said Ole Backlund be and he is hereby ordered and required to rebuild at his own expense and charge the said sidewalk in front of Lot 18, Block 8 in the said Village of Holt. It is further, resolved and ordered that said sidewalks be built of concrete and cement materials, to be ten (10) feet wide, to be built on grade as established by said Village Council, and to be built and completed on or before the 25th day of July 1917.

Trustee H. J. Oien seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the Village Council, B. Docken, C. L. Sandberg, H. J. Oien, H. B. Young all voted Yes, and was duly carried and was by the President, then presiding, so declared.

B. Docken,
President, Village Council.

Attest:
H. B. Young,
Village Clerk.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., May 15, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Peter Anderson, of Thief River Falls Minn., who, on January 27th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 07209, for SW 1-4 Section 15, Twp. 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 27th day of June, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Halvor Moe, Charles Stenerson, Martin Sampson and Christ Nelson all Thief River Falls, Minn.

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Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Moving picture show Saturday night.

R. Reierson was a Crookston visitor Tuesday.

See the funny pictures at the movie Show Saturday night.

Miss Gladys Hagen has commenced working in the postoffice since the close of school.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson went to Red Lake Falls Tuesday for a short visit with relatives and to have dental work done.

Mrs. R. L. Olson and son Martin and Mrs. Ole Knutson went to Minneapolis Saturday for a few weeks visit with relatives.

A. H. Huseth was called to Greenbush last week Thursday to work in the barber shop the proprietor having broken [illegible]

Rev. M. B. Ordahl went to Minneapolis Tuesday to attend a convention of the three Lutheran churches that are uniting under one head.

Pay your Dog License Tax to the Village Treasurer, get a receipt and take it to the clerk and get your license tag. Do this at once as all dogs without tags are liable to be killed after June 10th.

Elof Johnson came Monday from Minnot, N. D. to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson, for sometime. The young man is obliged to go on crutches on account of the injury to his foot, which we reported a few weeks ago.

Cy Brennon of T. R. Ealls came Wednesday to help with the brick work on the new bank and postoffice building. The work has been somewhat delayed while waiting for the frames, which have finally arrived and are being put up as fast as possible.

Miss Elsie Lawson returned Saturday to her home in Anoka having completed a very successful year as teacher in our public school. Miss Lawson made many friends who regret to know that she is not to return here for school work another year.

Mrs. C. L. Meinee was taken sick Saturday night and suffered considerably for a few days but is better at this writing. Dr. Mellby was called Sunday and said it was a case of inflamation of the blood vessels, which was caused by a swollen hand and arm that has been troubling her for some time.

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Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Buy a Liberty Bond.

Movie show Saturday night.

Swat the fly. Kill him dead.

Ed Brotten returned Tuesday from a few days visit at Ada.

Miss Lilly Peterson is clerking in C. H. Gunheim's store.

Carson Sagstuen came home last week from Dakota to register.

Buy a Liberty Bond. They sell as low as $50 and are not taxable.

Get a copy of the official bulletin at the postoffice, they are important.

See a good three reel drama at the moving picture show next Saturday night.

Oscar Knutson came up from Climax Saturday for a few days visit and to register.

Chas. McLane, Frank Taber and P. A. Riesberg autoed to T. R. Falls Monday evening.

Two side splitting reels of comedy will be shown at the movie show next Saturday night.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ole B. Johnson last week Thursday. Congratulations.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson, nee Clara Furr, came Saturday for a few days visit with her mother, Mrs. H. Furr.

Marie and Roy Eggum went to Funkly Monday where their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Eggum, are now residing.

Taber & McLane have finished drilling Arnold Steinhauer's well. It is 128 feet deep and the water comes to within 15 feet of the surface.

Miss Olaya Sollom returned Thursday from Viking, having completed a successful year of teaching [illegible]

Dr. R. L. Olson and his father autoed out to his brother Sam Groven's Monday where the elder Mr. Olson will remain for a few weeks visit.

I will pay $5.50 a ton until June 25, for all kinds of scrap iron, as I have a contract with the Thief River Hide and Fur Co., which expires at that time. R. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

Ingaborg Nelson and Mabel Hagberg went to Fertile Friday to attend confirmation services on Sunday and for a couple of weeks visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Eide and children and Miss Hanson autoed down from Spooner Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Holl.

Miss Esther Sorter returned Monday from Minneapolis, having just been discharged from the hospital where she had been confined for a few weeks with an attack of scarlet fever.

The Holt Public school closed its years work by having a picnic on the school grounds, last Friday.

Many parents and friends attended and much interest and surprise was manifested in the school exhibits which were carefully and attractively arranged in the different rooms. Pupils in the manual training room certainly did credit to their teacher Mr. Prushek, in the large exhibit of furniture they so cleverly made. Nor were the girls in the Domestic Science room in the background of achievments. Many useful and beautiful articles of wearing apparel were made by them which testifies of the skill and patience Miss Lawson, their teacher had, in instructing the girls along this line of work. The work in the different grades shows plainly that the teachers have given their best in trying to raise the efficiency of our school and each and everyone should appreciate to the fullest, their untiring effort to make our school a credit to the community.

Notice

The Town Board of Holt will meet at T. B. Folden's place on June 12th. 1917 at 10 o'clock A. M. to contract out some road work in Dist. 2 and 3.

By Order of Town board.
T. B. Folden, Clerk.

Take Notice

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn., for the ditching of 118 rods on town line between Sec. 32, - 156,- 43 and Sec. 5, - 155 43, as per plans and speifications now on file at said Holt State Bank.

Bids will be received up to June 9, 1917, at 1 o'clock P. M.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

B. Docken and R. L. Olson,
Committee.

Take Notice

Notice is hereby given that dog licenses must be procured before the tenth day of June. All bird dogs and others of destructive habits must be confined or muzzled, regardless of the fact whether a license has been procured for them or not.

All dogs running at large after June 10th. without a tag will be dealt with according to the provisions of the ordinance relating thereto.

B. Docken, President.
H. B. Young, Village Clerk.

Southeast of Holt.

Miss Louise Ness of Waphton, N. Dak. is teaching a seven weeks term of parochial school for the Synod congregation.

Laura Johnson was a Sunday visitor at the Ose home.

Harry and Simon Moe are busy breaking for T. S. Brokkae.

The Ladies Aid of the Free church will meet with Mrs. Ole Johnson Thursday June 14th.

The following were entertained at the Ed Hanson home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Nels Gudvangen and children, Mr. and Mrs. S. Torgenson and son Carl.

O. Olsen called at the S. Moe home Saturday.

Carl Kuehne of Chicago, Ill. is visiting at the Kuehne home for some time.

Peter Michaelson had the misfortune of loosing one of his vulueable horses last week.

Albert Klungness purchased a Ford car from Mr. Sorenson of Newfolden recently.

Get a license for your "dawg."

Next Thursday is FLAG DAY.

Oscar Erickson recently became the owner of a new Ford.

Albert Knutson came up from T. R. Falls Monday to register.

Eighteen men registered in Holt village Tuesday, 28 in Holt township, 15 in East Valley and 49 in Excel.

Sheriff Hanson and one of his deputies were over here in the eastern part of the county Wednesday gathering the returns from the local registars.

Farms for sale or rent on easy terms and at reasonable prices.

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Trade in Holt and get rich.

Printers always need money.

Rip roaring fun at the movie show Saturday nite.

Miss Lydia Bjerk is clerking in Reierson's store.

E. M. Bennes was in town a couple of days writing insurance.

They're better than medicine. We mean the funny pictures at the movies Saturday night.

P. A. Riesberg has torn up the old board walk in front of the hall and will build a cement walk.

Reduce the high cost of living by planting another garden, or at least more garden truck than usual.

Teachers Training School, Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, Minn., July 18 to 27. Enroll now.

Willie Rux came home from Hatton, N. D. Monday to register. He says it is just as dry there as it is here.

Olaf Johnson commenced work with his dredge Monday and is making the dirt fly both day and night.

On account of the high prices for potatoes, rutabagas will undoubtedly sell well next fall. It will be a good plan to raise a lot of them this year. Then too, rutabagas can be planted later than ordinary crops.

Anyone can still offer themselves as volunteers and not wait to be drafted. Those who enlist before the time to register can select any branch of the service they like, army navy, artilley, aviation, signal and wireless corps, etc. Men can now enlist for the WAR ONLY and be discharged as soon as the war is over. See the postmaster and get a free ticket to the recruiting office.

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Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., May 15, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Peter Anderson, of Thief River Falls Minn., who, on January 27th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 07209, for SW 1-4 Section 15, Twp. 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 27th day of June, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Halvor Moe, Charles Stenerson, Martin Sampson and Christ Nelson all Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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FROM MANY POINTS

EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Readers.

U. S.-Teutonic War News.

The Brazilian congress has authorized President Braz to announce Brazil's revocation of neutrality as between the United States and Germany.

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Provost Marshal General Crowder has made known the fact that it is likely the jury wheel system will be followed in selecting the first increment of 500,000 men under the new draft law.

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War department officials are pointing to the daily recruiting figures as proof that the volunteer system is a failure in time of national emergency. On May 28 regular army recruiting brought in 2237 men, making a total of but 87,518 since April 1.

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Men selected by draft may be called to the colors by June 30. This was indicated in instructions to the southern department at San Antonio, Tex., that units not to required war strength by June 30 will be biult up by men drafted for the first increment of the new army.

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The United States air craft production board announces that 10,000 American airmen are to be trained and equipped for immediate service. The announcement followed Germany's recent air raid on the British coast, which cost the lives of 75 persons and the injury to 300 others.

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The State department has exposed a campaign by German agents to align South and Central American nations against this country. The plotters' aim, it is said, is to create irritation in Argentina, Venezuela, Brazil and other countries against the United States. The propaganda has assumed menacing proportions.

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Secretary of State Lansing, testifying before the house commerce committee in support of the trading-with-the-enemy bill, said the government had evidence that Germany, while the United States still was neutral, had sent an agent to this country who organized a steamship company and loaned Americans the money to buy the grain aboard a ship in order to raise an issue with Great Britain and France over her seizure.

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Rear Admiral Sims at London cabled the Navy department that four days before the American destroyer flotilla arrived in European waters, German authorities at Berlin knew it was on the way and to what port it was going, thus revealing that German spies are still at work in this country. The admiral reports that submarines strew mines about the harbor entrance to Queenstown the day before the U. S. fleet landed there but the flotilla passed safely through the danger zone. He said his information was positive.

General News.

Three white men and three negroes were wounded in a riot at East St. Louis, Ill., after a meeting to protest against the wholesale importation of negro laborers.

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Nearly 250 persons killed, 1,000 or more injured and property damage estimated at $5,000,000 resulted from a series of tornadoes that swept through the states of Kansas, Illinois, Indiana, Tennessee, Alabama, Arkansas and Kentucky.

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Oklahoma this year will produce between 25,000,000 and 30,000,000 bushels of wheat, virtually a normal crop from a production standpoint, according to the monthly crop report issued by the State Board of Agriculture.

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Milton J. Whitson of Seattle, Wash., an engineer and builder well known throughout the west, has been appointed construction manager to have charge of the building of all the federal cantonments for the new United States army.

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The tentative date for the trial of Rev. L. G. J. Kelly, in jail at Logan, Ia., charged with the Villisca ax murders of 1912, has been advanced from June 18 to June 25. The trial will be held at Red Oak, Ia.

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Reports are current on the western coast that the government is seriously considering the recent offer of the Chinese Six companies of San Francisco to import Chinese laborers up to the number of 500,000 for farm work in this country during the war.

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Seventy persons were killed and 200 injured in a series of terrific explosions and a fire which occurred in the warehouse district of Osaka, Japan. The damage to property is estimated at about $6,000,000.

The faculty delegates to the Missouri Valley conference, in session at Ames, Ia., voted to continue athletics during the war.

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Prisoners at the Maryland penitentiary have bought $2,150 worth of Liberty loan bonds with savings from their small wage allowance.

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All but two of the twenty-nine mines in the Jerome, Arizona mining district, have been closed down as the result of a strike, according to labor leaders.

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Emiliano Zapata, Mexican rebel leader, has signified his intention to surrender to the government. The matter is in the hands of President Carranza.

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Knight Starr Jordan, son of Dr. David Starr Jordan, the pacifist leader, has signed an application for the naval officers' reserve corps. He gave his residence as Provo, Utah.

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Seventy-eight persons were killed and hundreds injured in the tornado that swept through several counties in southeast Missouri and southern Illinois. Hail accompanied the storm and great damage was done to crops. Mineral Point, Mo., was virtually wiped out. Three hundred and fifty inhabitants of the village lost almost all their belongings.

Washington Notes.

President Wilson has joined the ranks of participants in the Liberty loan by subscribing for a $10,000 bond.

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Appropriation of $7,455,000 for submarine and aircraft bases on the Pacific coast is recommended in a fourth report of the special naval yard and station committee sent to congress by Secretary Daniels.

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The administration's trading with the enemy bill has been introduced in the house. It is modeled after the British act and would forbid and penalize trading by Americans with enemies, directly or indirectly.

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The administration's food survey bill, the first of the food control measures, passed the house without a record vote. It appropriates $14,700,000 for an immediate investigation of the country's food resources and for measures to stimulate production.

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President Wilson has designated the week beginning June 25 as Red Cross week and has issued a proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to "give generously and in a spirit of patriotic sacrifice" to the Red Cross during that week.

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Hoarding, storage or destruction of food, fuel, or other necessaries of life to limit supply or affect prices would be a felony under an amendment to the government's first food bill adopted by the senate without a record vote.

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The naval armed guard and its commander of the liner Mongolia are held blameless from all responsibility for the gun-practice accident that resulted in the death of two Red Cross nurses aboard the vessel recently, in a report made public by the navy department.

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Treasury officials are giving attention to the unexpected and somewhat disconcerting discovery that for the past month Japan has been withdrawing gold from the United States at the rate of $150,000,000 to $200,000,000 a year. Gold exports to Japan within the last three or four weeks, it was stated authoritatively, have been between $10,000,000 and $15,000,000.

European War News.

Six Swedish steamers have been sunk while on voyages from Sweden to Finland, in the Baltic sea, says a dispatch from Stockholm.

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A German air raid over the "southeast coast" of England on May 25 resulted in seventy-six killed and 174 injured.

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Forty-eight passengers and eighty-five members of the crew of the Spanish steamer C De Elzaguirre, 4,376 tons, perished as a result of the sinking of the steamer.

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The British hospital ship Dover Castle was torpedoed and sunk without warning in the Mediterranean with a loss of six members of the crew. it is officially announced.

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Rowland E. Protheroe, president of the British board of agriculture declared recently that Great Britain would grow sufficient wheat in 1918 for all the needs of the population with a liberal supply left over for live stock.

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Statistics were produced in the French Chamber of Deputies at Paris showing that merchant ships, aggregating 5,400,000 tons have been sunk since the beginning of 1915, by Deputy Jules Cels. It created a sensation in the chamber.

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During the week ending May 26, eighteen vessels of 1,600 tons or over fell prey to the German U-boats. Smaller ships sunk, three in all, make a total of twenty-one, as compared with thirty lost the previous week.

BIG INDEMNITY TO BE ASSESSED U. S.; PRUSSIAN THREAT

SEE ALLIES STARVED OUT, PEACE WITH RUSSIA AND AMERICA LEFT ALONE IN FIELD TO BEAR BRUNT OF WAR.

OFFICER SEES VICTORY BEFORE U. S. AWAKES

Germans Base Their Hopes on Triumph of Submarines, Russian Peace and "Sluggish, Half-hearted America"—Revolution in Germany Far Off, Papers Assert.

With the British Armies in the Field, June 5.—The war will be over and a staggering indemnity saddled on the United States before she knows she is in—according to the Prussian attitude today.

The prisoners reflect this view. A typically arrogant Prussian officer jeered contemptuously as he stood inside a barbed wire compound, fresh from a battlefield where the Canadians had mauled his division into scraps.

Victory Is Seen.

"Before America awakes we will have starved England, France and Italy into submission, and have made peace with Russia, leaving America alone in the field," he said.

The plain truth is that Germany is prepared to fight a telling defensive war indefinitely—provided she is able to keep her hungry population in line. The Prussian officer and prisoners generally agree to this, basing their hopes principally on the U boats, a separate peace with Russia and the "sluggish, half hearted American public."

Teuton Revolution Discounted.

Talks with German prisoners and documents captured in the British advance do not encourage the belief there will be a German revolution, at least not soon. The junkers still control Germany and Hohenzollernism is as rampant as over. The German high command, despite terrific losses, is depending on machine guns and barbed wire to compensate for the thinning ranks in Germany's line.

The only antidote is to fight. If the Germans are to be beaten in the field, the fight necessarily will be long.

CHARGED AS BEING SPIES; DEATH ON CONVICTION

Four Men Arrested in New York Thought to Have Smuggled News to Germany of U. S. Activity.

New York, June 5.—Four men believed to be German military spies smuggling American secrets to the kaiser through letters concealed in trunk lining aboard liners leaving this port will be arraigned before United States Commissioner Hitchcock.

The penalty on conviction during wartime is death by shooting.

Government code experts are puzzling over the batch of letters seized from the prisoners. Tests were being made to disclose the use of invisible ink.

The police made public the names of the three men. They are Harry Perissi, superintendent of a steamship company, with offices in New York; George Melcher, a Harlem saloonkeeper, and Irving Bonaparth, a clerk, who lives in the Bronx. The police declined late today to give out the name of the fourth prisoner.

Two are native born Americans, one is a naturalized native of Sweden, and the fourth is the son of a German army captain.

Government officials believe the arrests may lead to clearing the mystery of Germany's knowledge that American destroyers were on their way to England in time to sow their path with mines.

PRINCE ILL; TRIP POSTPONED

Italian War Envoys Compelled to Put Off Visit to U. S. Cities.

Washington, June 5.—The trip of the Italian war mission through the south and middle west has been postponed owing to the illness of the Prince of Udine and Signor William Marconi. Italians living in this country were urged to register by the Prince of Udine, head of Italy's war mission, in an address to a delegation of his countrymen who called on him at the embassy. At the home of Joseph Leiter, where the prince is stopping, it was said that he is suffering from a slight fever which developed from a cold.

Stocks Lower and Active.

New York, June 5.—With the exception of Lackawanna Steel and a few specialties the stock market opened fractionally lower but active. United States Steel sold at 128⅝ and 128¾, off three-eighths and one-eighth of a point. Lackawanna was up three-quarters of a point at 97¼. Bethlehem was off one-quarter of a point at 134¼, Crucible half a point at 80, Mexican Petroleum one-eighth of a point at 101, Anaconda one-eighth of a point at 74⅞, Central Leather three-quarters of a point at 93⅛.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Minneapolis. — A party of 27 Minnesota men, which recently sailed for France to enter ambulance service in the Norton-Harjes corps, has arrived safely in Bordeaux.

Olivia. — The Renville county chapter of the American National Red Cross, with jurisdiction over all of Renville county, has 615 members, as the result of a ten days' campaign for members.

Duluth.—The ice at the end of the lake is so mushy now that boats find little difficulty in getting through. Tugmen say that in a few days the ice will have worn away, for that process now is going on.

St. Paul. — Minnesota began June business with the biggest June 1 cash balance of record in its treasury. Treasurer Rines announced $6,191,733.73 in cash in his official possession at the close of business May 31.

Blooming Prairie.—Blooming Prairie business men, 100 strong, plan to give material aid to farmers of this vicinity, in the form of their own services at such a time as they are needed and other help cannot be obtained.

St. Paul.—State Treasurer Rines, State Auditor Preus and two of the latter's deputies, M. J. Desmond and Oscar Arneson, have returned from an eastern trip made primarily to inspect accounting systems preparatory to changing that of the state.

Eveleth.—Serbians on the Minnesota iron ranges are organizing to return to the Balkans and fight under the colors of the Allies. A company of 100 men is being recruited in this vicinity under the direction of the Serbian National Defense society.

Brainerd. — Bob Nukoyich was killed and two other miners were injured in a free-for-all knife battle which took place in the rooming house of Louis Malovich, on Balkan street, Crosby. A woman over whom the fight is said to have started is held.

Minneapolis.—Whether or not Minnesota will have ninety more licensed dentists this year is to be decided by the state board of examiners. The work of the men taking the examination at the University of Minnesota Dental college has been graded.

Minneapolis. — The Minnesota College of Agriculture is sending out warnings to gardeners who are planting beans this year. The warning is to the effect that bean planters must be on the guard against two serious bean diseases — anthracnose and blight.

Minneapolis.—Many stores in the Twin Cities are perpetrating a gross libel on the navy bean, according to D. C. Arny of the University of Minnesota Farm school. Mr. Arny says soy beans are being sold under the name of navy beans. Soy beans are cheaper.

St. Paul. — Major Oliver J. Quane, Second infantry, Minnesota national guard, has been suspended for six months by Brigadier General F. E. Resche, on conviction before a court-martial of charges of insubordination preferred against him by Colonel W. T. Mollison, Faribault, of the Second regiment.

Duluth—Following a long and vigorous campaign for street car extension and reduction from 10 to 5 cent fare on prominent car line extensions, immediate steps for condemnation of the Duluth Street Railway company's plant, under the exercise of the right of eminent domain, have been ordered unanimously by the Duluth City Commission.

Minneapolis. — Appointment of C. G. Schultz, a young Minneapolis attorney, as secretary of the new state blue sky law commission has been tentatively agreed upon. Because the law creating the commission was not effective until July 1 and no funds available until August 1, it was explained, no official action toward organizing had been taken.

Winona. — Tardiness of the steamer Quincy, first of the packets in the St. Paul-St. Louis trade on its voyage, was explained by the fact that river lamps have not yet been lighted and that the channel has shifted greatly during the past winter and spring. The boat was compelled to feel its way; but once the new treacherous places are discovered the boats will be able to maintain the schedule. Running on time will be the supreme effort of the lines.

Austin—Peter Paule, 26, of Austin, Minn., designated by Colonel W. T. Mollison as one of the members of the Second infantry, Minnesota national guard, to attend the officers' reserve training school, Fort Snelling, has been rejected as an alien enemy. Captain Adjutant C. H. Mason, after examining Paule, said there was no possibility of his entering the camp. Paule was born in Germany and came to the United States as a small boy after the death of his parents. He lived at Austin with his grandmother. He had supposed himself a citizen, he said, although he had never applied for papers.

St. Paul. — Early formation of an additional artillery regiment and field hospital corps to augment the Minnesota National guard and the state's fighting forces, as favorably recommended by the State Military board, probably will be ordered, Governor Burnquist announces.

St. Paul. — The State Land Improvement board, created by the last Legislature and provided with $50,000 a year to prepare tracts of state land for settlement, will be made up of A. P. Silliman, Hibbing; Otto Bergh, Grand Rapids, and L. B. Arnold, Duluth, Governor Burnquist announces.

PINE INDUSTRY IS MENACED BY RUST

MINNESOTANS WARNED AGAINST IMPORTING TREES BY STATE ENTOMOLOGIST.

USE MEAL IN PLACE OF FLOUR

Appeal to Minnesotans to Assist in Conservation of Food for Exportation Is Issued—Policies Are Outlined.

St. Paul.

To keep out the white pine blister rust which, if it should get into Minnesota, would ruin the white pine industry in this state, F. L. Washburn, state entomologist, is urging residents not to import white or other five-leafed pines.

His appeal is based on the fact that white pines and evergreens are being shipped in from Illinois. While at present the nursery from which these shipments have been made is supposed to be free from rust, shipments from 1908-1909 are believed to have been the source of infection around St. Croix Falls, Wis., and across the St. Croix river in Minnesota. The state entomologist has power to destroy suspicious stock within a radius of half a mile of plantings or nurseries containing such stock.

A quarantine recently was established against Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Wisconsin.

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Use of Corn Meal Urged.

A. D. Wilson, head of the agricultural department of the Minnesota Agricultural college, who recently was appointed chairman of the committee on food production and food conservation, in an interview, has outlined the general policy which will be pursued in the committee's fight for the preservation of food during the war.

"This year the question of conservation is much greater than that of production," Mr. Wilson said. "What we intend doing is to urge the use of corn meal in place of white flour, cut meat consumption 10 pounds per capita annually and try to abolish the manufacture of liquors in which grain is used. The substitution of corn meal for flour will not be undertaken unless great economy becomes absolutely necessary, but if the need should arise we could save 150,000,000 bushels of wheat for export through this single change. The substitution would not be a disagreeable one."

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Sanitary Corps for Army Camps.

Creation of a state sanitary corps to safeguard the moral and physical welfare of men in Minnesota military camps have been recommended by Dr. H. M. Bracken, executive officer of the State Board of Health, to Governor Burnquist and it probably will be referred to the State Public Safety Commission for early action. Dr. Bracken's suggestion is in line with that made by Secretary of War Baker in a letter to governors of all the states, calling for co-operation.

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Ruling on School Appropriations.

The school appropriations made by the 1917 Legislature can be used for meeting any school obligations incurred to that time. This is the opinion of Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith, expressed in a letter to Governor Burnquist, who, in vetoing a portion of the school aid appropriations bill several weeks ago, declared it was not clear to him whether school funds could be used for meeting prior "moral obligations."

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Urges Coal Relief Measures.

A telegram urging that "extraordinary measures" be adopted immediately to avert a threatened fuel shortage in the Northwest by insuring an adequate supply of bituminous coal moving to Lake Erie for the head of Lake Superior has been sent President Wilson by Governor Burnquist, following a conference between the governor and prominent coal dock men of Duluth.

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State Seal Butter to Be Worth More.

Betterments of market conditions to increase the value of the official state brand of butter were planned at a conference between Commissioner J. J. Farrell of the State Dairy and Food department and the managers and butter makers of 13 Minnesota creameries using the brand.

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Avery Announces New Reserve.

Commissioner Carlos Avery has announced the establishment of the first new game refuge this year by the state game and fish department, in the prairie chicken country south of Little Falls. It covers about 25 sections between the Mississippi and Platte rivers.

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State to Inspect "Movie" Theaters.

The office force of the state fire marshal has begun the task of putting into operation the law passed by the last legislature providing for state supervision of all motion picture theaters. Blanks are being sent to proprietors of all such places of amusement to be filled out and returned. The blanks provide for specific details, especially as regards seating accommodations, exits, fire hazards, and provisions made to prevent fires or explosions. Return of the forms will be followed by inspection.

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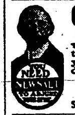

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"Well," said the minder, "I think I just know one."

"Well, out with it," said the judge.

"Well, I think owd Bill Kite the quietest mon I know."

The minders looked, and then they all exclaimed at once: "Why, mon, he's dead!"

"I know that. I think he's the quietest mon I know. He's never spoken to me for nearly twenty years!"—London Tit-Bits.

New Language in Making.

A new language is in the making in France, where the French and English troops have developed a peculiar language, known only to themselves, which answers all their common needs. The words nonplus the official interpreters, but an English soldier with no French at all can ask a French soldier with no English at all for virtually anything he wants—and gets it.

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HEAVILY ARMED ANARCHISTS PARADE CARRYING BANNERS INSCRIBED "DOWN WITH AUTHORITY!"

CRIMINALS SET FREE, MAKE CAPITOL UNSAFE

Wave of Violent Crimes and Robberies Sweeping Petrograd—6,000 Clerks Strike, Demanding Double Wages—Minister of Commerce Resigns.

Petrograd, June 4.—A number of heavily armed anarchists paraded the Nevsky prospect bearing banners inscribed, "Down with authority! Long live the Social revolution!"

Speakers at various meetings of the paraders urged the people to loot the banks.

Soldiers and Sailors Join.

Many soldiers and sailors joined in the demonstration. The paraders were armed with rifles, revolvers and grenades. No attempt was made to arrest them.

Russia's criminals, all released from prison in the first joyous celebration of independence, are fast making Petrograd unsafe. A wave of robberies and violent crimes is sweeping the city.

Commerce Minister Quits.

Minister of Commerce Konovoloff has tendered his resignation on account of differences with the minister of labor as to financial and economic measures.

A millionaire merchant, Gregorioff, was shot down at his mansion in the very heart of the city by three men. The trio claimed to be anarchists and demanded money from the merchant.

Militiamen and workers responding to Gregorioff's cries for help killed one bandit and captured a second. The third committed suicide. The 30,000 roubles ($15,000) which they had forced Gregorioff to give them were recovered.

Released Criminals Bold.

When the new democratic government took hold, all criminals were released from the prisons. They sought out the cities and towns and have grown bolder and bolder in thievery and murder.

The unrest in the city has been augmented by the strike of 6,000 clerks in Petrograd's shops. They are demanding double wages—retroactive since the start of the war—which would be an equivalent of from 10,000 to 20,000 roubles ($5,000 to $10,000) per clerk.

Petrograd Shops Close.

Many shops were closed, proprietors declaring that they would remain so. Some owners insisted even if the clerks' demands were acceded to, the men would not work. Twenty-five shopkeepers complied with their employes' demands.

No additional details have been received on the rioting at Kiev, where 15,000 absentee soldiers were said to have organized a formidable demonstration in protest against Minister of War Kerensky's rigorous orders punishing desertion with penal servitude. The latest information was that a number of rioters were killed and wounded.

The Journal of the workmen and soldiers' delegates announced that confiscation of property and money may be necessary owing to the slow progress made in obtaining subscriptions to the Russian liberty loan.

SERB WOMEN, CHILDREN, HANGED BY THOUSANDS

Austrians, Taken Prisoner, Say Bulgars, Because of Atrocities, Termed Barbaric By Own Allies.

Udine, Italy, June 4.—Fragmentary news received here through neutral countries of widespread insurrectionary movements in Serbia is supplemented by statements of Austrians captured in the recent Italian advance.

The insurgents were gradually surrounded by Austrian, German and Bulgarian regiments and all who fell into their hands, chiefly old men, women and children, are declared to have been massacred.

Fierce resistance was offered for three weeks and heavy losses inflicted on the invaders, especially the Bulgarians. The insurgents finally succumbed to superior numbers and were hanged by the thousands.

According to the prisoners the Bulgarians were guilty of such atrocities, especially against women and children, that even their Austro-German allies termed them barbaric.

Kidnaped Baby Still Missing.

Springfield, Mo., June 4.—James Holland Keet's 14-months-old son, who has been kidnaped, is still missing, but an attempt has been made by the kidnapers to get into touch with Keet, police believe. Shortly after 1 o'clock a small boy was observed to sneak stealthily up to the Keet home. The banker answered the door bell and took the message, read it and disappeared in the house. A few minutes later he backed out his roadster and hurried away. Two hours later he was back—without the child.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

Let us realize that thoughts are forces, that like creates like, and attracts like and to determine one's thinking therefore is to determine his life.—Ralph Waldo Trine.

SHELLFISH DISHES.

When the oyster season closes clams, crabs and shrimps have their season. In many parts of our country these may be obtained fresh from the water, but the canned variety is not to be despised.

Plain boiled crab eaten right from the shell with a bowl of melted butter to dip them into, must once be eaten to prove it is one of the choicest of dishes.

Crab Salad.—The crab meat is carefully removed from the shell after being cooked in boiling salted water, mixed with salad dressing and served on lettuce or a bed of water cress.

Deviled Crab.—To the meat from a dozen crabs add a tablespoonful of bread crumbs, one tablespoonful of melted butter, one hard cooked egg, chopped fine, a dash of pepper, two tablespoonfuls of salad dressing and onion or catchup to suit the taste. Put this mixture into the cleaned shells, sprinkle with buttered crumbs and bake until the crumbs are brown.

Clam Chowder.—Fry four slices of salt pork, cut in fine dice, until brown; then add two tablespoonfuls of flour, and one large onion chopped fine. When the onion is light yellow add a cupful or two of diced raw potato and a pint of boiling water and when they are nearly tender drop in a quart of clams that have been chopped or ground, season with salt and pepper, add a pint of hot milk and serve piping hot with crackers.

Crab Stew.—Melt a tablespoonful of butter, add two of flour and cook until well blended. Add a beaten egg with a pint of milk, a pinch of soda and the meat of half a dozen crabs, salt, pepper and celery salt to taste. Serve with hot hominy. Shrimps carefully cleaned are served with celery on a bed of lettuce with salad dressing.

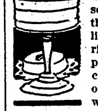
Crab Croquettes.—Prepare the crabs as for deviled crab, removing the brown part. Mold in the form of croquettes, add a little baking powder to the bread crumbs used for dipping, using a yolk of egg and as much cold water as egg. Dip the croquettes in the crumbs, then egg and crumbs again and fry as usual in deep fat.

Fish Soup.—This is made of the fish bones and trimming cooked with carrots, bay leaf, leeks, parsley, a half dozen oysters and three potatoes, using a quart of the fish stock.

Happiness depends quite as much on what we don't do as upon what we do do.

Gold is good in its place: but living, patriotic men are better than gold.—J. R. Lowell.

GOOD SEASONING.



There seems to be no difference of opinion in regard to the value of properly seasoning food. A plain dish, with an artist's hand in seasoning, becomes something unusual and delightful, while all the rich foods in the world put together with no care as to combination or of proper seasoning will be "a mixture and a mess."

We must revive the old-fashioned herb garden of our grandmothers if we are to realize the true zest of well-preserved herbs. She realized that her meats, soups, as well as cakes, doughnuts and crullers, lacked charm without the well-chosen herbs or spices. She did not know that when she used a bit of parsley to garnish her platter of cold meat she was contributing to the health of her family as well as their artistic sense. Parsley acts upon the kidneys, assisting in the elimination of waste.

Some of the most inexpensive seasonings that may be grown in the kitchen garden, and will prove a delight to see growing as well as to use in winter to increase the palatability of various dishes, are the following: Parsley, mint, dill, tarragon, sage, thyme, marjoram, chervil, horseradish, mustard, celery (celery tips dried), caraway seed, and mushrooms, dried. To these we add curry, mace, nutmeg, cloves, mixed pickle spices and bay leaves.

Mint is used with lamb in different salads and as an addition to a refreshing drink.

Sage as a seasoning in stuffings for pork roasts or poultry or ham. Added to cornmeal mush for frying on as a seasoning for string beans.

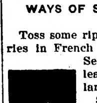
Thyme and marjoram, with fowl, squab or fish and in dressing for meats and with boiled beans.

Chervil as a garnish for salads and meats, green mustard sprinkled over lettuce or any salad, horseradish as a relish for meat and a seasoning for pickles as well as sauce for fish. Curry adds zest to various meat dishes or served with rice or cabbage, cauliflower, carrots or onions.

Dill, fresh, in egg or plain salads, cream soups or boiled fish.

Happiness is the only good. The place to be happy is here. The time to be happy is now. The way to be happy is to make others so.—Robert Ingersoll.

WAYS OF SERVING FRUITS.



Toss some ripe even sized strawberries in French dressing to marinate. Serve them on lettuce leaves with chicken or lamb.

Strawberry Gateau.—Make a round sponge cake and when cold scoop out the inside and cover with a pink icing, then fill the center with whipped cream and strawberries that have been cut up and sugared to taste. Pile high and garnish with small ripe berries. Make a handle of angelica and serve at once.

Strawberry Sirup.—Take six pounds of strawberries, two pints of water, two ounces of tartaric acid and the sugar needed. Dissolve the acid in the water and pour over the fruit. Let stand twenty-four hours, then strain off the juice without crushing the fruit. All or three cupfuls of sugar to every pint of juice and when boiling hot, bottle and seal. This sirup may be used for fruit drinks, pudding sauces and sherbets.

Cherry Mousse.—Cook together a pound of cherries and one-half cupful of sugar. Put two tablespoonfuls of cherry juice into a basin, add the yolks of two eggs and cook over water stirring until creamy; dissolve one and a half teaspoonfuls of powdered gelatin with a half cupful of cherry juice, add it to the yolks, with one-half cupful of whipped cream and the whites of the eggs beaten stiff and a few drops of red color. Pour into small wet molds lined round with paper; decorate with whipped cream and pistachio nuts.

Fruit Salad.—Take a cupful of strawberries, one-half cupful of ripe raspberries, half a cupful of stoned cherries, three bananas, one-half cupful of red currants, one-half cupful of white currants and two tablespoonfuls of chopped coconut. For the salad dressing, cook together a half cupful of water, six tablespoonfuls of sugar, and a cupful of fruit juice, when thick as sirup remove and chill. Pour over the fruit and sprinkle with chopped coconut just before serving.

Almond Sauce.—Stone and chop six olives, add half a cupful of blanched and shredded almonds and half a cupful of celery cut fine. Serve on lettuce leaves with mayonnaise.

When serving a cold drink, to make the glass more attractive roll it in hot water then fill with the iced drink.

To be honest, to be fearless, to be just, joyous, kind. To get up immediately when we stumble, face again to the light and travel on without wasting even a moment in regret.—R. W. Trine.

GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.

The following dish is a good one for a hot dish, as a large number may be served at slight cost.

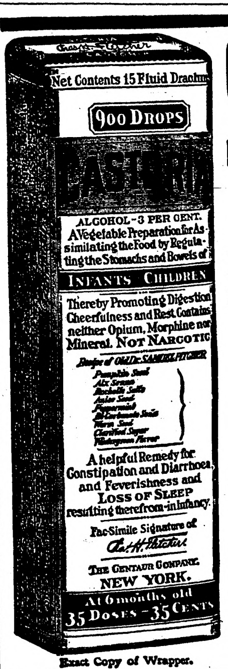
Hot Chicken Sandwich. — Cook the chicken until very tender in plenty of water, which will be used in making the gravy. Cool and remove the meat from the bones and cut it into bits with the scissors. Put the skin and giblets, omitting the liver, through the meat chopper and mix the chicken with enough stock to make the mixture moist; season well with salt and pepper. Thicken the remaining stock with one and a half tablespoonfuls of flour mixed with cold water, using this amount for every cupful of stock. Let it boil and season well. When serving, allow two slices of bread cut thin; place one slice on a hot plate, spread a spoonful of the chicken mixture over it and cover with a second slice, then dip a ladle of gravy over it. Serve with a generous portion of well-cooked rice or mashed potatoes. One chicken cooked and served in this manner will serve 45 people.

Boiled Russian Dressing.—Take two-thirds of a cupful of any kind of boiled salad dressing, four tablespoonfuls of strained chili sauce, two tablespoonfuls of diced pimentos, a half tablespoonful of chives cut in half-inch lengths, and a tablespoonful of tarragon vinegar. Mix all the ingredients and chill well; then serve on lettuce.

Egg Dish.—Melt a tablespoonful of butter in a baking dish, cover with crumbs and pour over a half a can of mock turtle soup diluted with a third of a cupful of hot water. Break five eggs very carefully over the top. Sprinkle with half a teaspoonful of salt, an eighth of a teaspoonful of pepper and a third of a teaspoonful of curry powder well mixed. Dot with bits of butter and bake from 12 to 15 minutes.

Green Pea Omelet.—A few left-over green peas may be stirred into an omelet just before putting to cook and served with a circle of them around the platter.

Nellie Maxwell



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Washington, May 14.—That the United States is face to face with a serious crisis in its commercial affairs, due to the conditions by which its transportation system is confronted, was the opinion expressed by W. M. Acworth, England's leading authority on railways, before the Newlands joint committee on interstate commerce at a special session held here to enable the committee to hear his views before his departure for London this week. Two steps are necessary, according to Mr. Acworth, to avert this crisis and to solve the threatening railroad problem confronting the country.

The first is to allow the railroads to charge freight rates sufficient to meet the great advance in operating expenses which is taking place and to enable them to command the credit necessary to provide the extensions and improvements needed to meet the growing demands of business. The second is to do away with the multiple and conflicting systems of regulation that now hamper railway operation and to provide one centralized regulatory agency with such local subdivisions as may be necessary.

Higher Rates a Public Necessity.

Mr. Acworth's views on the transportation situation in the United States were expressed in answer to questions by members of the committee, who asked him to apply his knowledge of railway conditions throughout the world and of the experience of other countries with government ownership to the present problem before the United States.

"The fundamental factor in the situation is very simple," said Mr. Acworth. "It lies in the fact that you cannot get three-quarters of a cent's worth of work done for less than three-quarters of a cent, no matter whether the agency performing it is a government or private enterprise. Freight rates must advance when the cost of performing the service advances as it is doing at present, just as the price of bread or meat or any other commodity increases with increased cost or production."

In answer to a question Mr. Acworth said that he thought American freight rates had been at much too low a level for several years past, that they had reached this low point during the period of cutthroat competition among the roads and had since been held there by regulating bodies. Unless relief were afforded to the carriers very promptly, he said, the result would be a tremendous loss to the people of the whole country through insufficiency of transportation facilities.

Weakness of Government Ownership.

On the subject of government ownership of railways Mr. Acworth said:

"It is impossible to obtain satisfactory results on government railways in a democratic state unless the management is cut loose from direct political control. Neither Australia nor any other country with a democratic constitution—perhaps an exception ought to be made of Switzerland—has succeeded in maintaining a permanent severance. In France, in Belgium, in Italy, parliamentary interference never has been abandoned for a moment. The facts show that government interference has meant running the railways not for the benefit of the people at large, but to satisfy local and sectional and even personal interests.

Prussia, Mr. Acworth said, was the best example of an efficient government railway system, and he pointed out that military considerations were treated as of paramount importance in the Prussian railway system. While American freight rates had been reduced nearly 40 per cent in thirty years, rates in Prussia were nearly as high as at the beginning of the period. While the charge for moving a ton of freight one mile in the United States was a trifle over three-quarters of a cent, the rate in Prussia was 1.41 cents.

As illustrating the difference in rates between government and private roads Mr. Acworth compared the railways of New South Wales, Australia, with those of Texas. While the amount of traffic to each mile of line was about the same in both cases, he pointed out, the Texas railways performed for the public four times as much service as the government owned roads of New South Wales. The charge in Texas for hauling a ton of freight one mile was less than 1 cent, while in the Australian state it was well over 2 cents.

"American railways lead the world," said Mr. Acworth. "Nowadays when men in any other part of the world want to know how to run a railway they come to the United States and study your railways here. The American railways are entirely the result of private enterprise, and I think they go a long way toward proving the case against government ownership."

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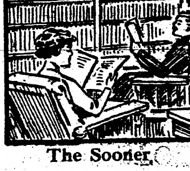

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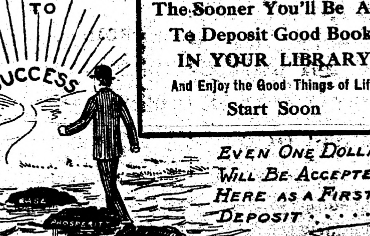

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Moving picture show Saturday night.

Arthur Sorenson returned Monday from a few days visit at Climax.

Found: A horse blanket. Please prove property and pay for this notice.

H. M. Olson went to Milton, N. Dak., Friday where he will work this summer.

Bertil Sollom commenced his duties Wednesday as cashier of The Farmers State Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg and children autoed to Bray Sunday for a short visit with relatives.

Mrs. C. L. Heinze has been improving right along and is now able to be around the house again.

Rev. M. T. Strom went to T. R. Falls Wednesday to attend a big meeting of the Gospel Mission.

Miss Inez Alkenbrack returned Saturday from Hopkins where she attended school the past year.

Mrs. Lund and daughter from near Goodridge, visited Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Reierson the first of the week.

June 18 to 25 is Red Cross Week. Minnesota's part is to raise two million dollars for the sake of Humanity.

Ole Moen, Alfred Sollom and P. P. Reierson went to Steiner the fore part of the week to do a job of grading on the state road.

Three bids were in for digging the ditch on the Town line just south and west of the village. N. N. Ness got the job for $1.80 per rod.

Mrs. Erick Johnson and daughter, Miss Betty, returned Saturday from several months visit with their daughters and sisters in Turlock, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Israelson, of Bronson, who were recently married, came Friday for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heinze.

Ben Hoff joined an auto party of young fellows from Middle River, on Sunday on a trip to Park River N. D. where he he visited a short time with his parents, returning home Tuesday evening

B. J. Bakke went to Duluth Monday where a lucrative position had been offered him as traveling salesman for J. E. Decker & Co., a wholesale produce house. We understand this is a good position and that the salary is considerable more than he received in the bank here, which is the reason for his making the change.

C. H. Gunheim has torn the roof off the east part of his store and will raise it another story, so as to provide more living rooms and a large hall way up stairs. He has five carpenters at work and will soon have the building completed.

We are pleased to note this evidence of prosperity on the part of Mr. Gunheim.

For Sale.

Good 15 Jewel Elgin Watch in good condition. Will sell cheap as I have two of them.

Elof Johnson, Holt, Minn.

Notice!

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for Tractor power pulling one 24 inch plow or road grader. State price per mile traveled, Town to furnish grader.

Bids will be received up to June 25th 1917, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Township Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Town Board.

J. A. Sorum, Town Clerk,
Town of East Valley.

Buy a Liberty Bond.

Movie show Saturday night.

Farmers Club picnic east of Argyle to-morrow, June 16th.

See the funny pictures at the movie Show Saturday night.

Get a copy of the official bulletin at the postoffice, they are important.

The section men have had another raise in wages and are now getting $2.25 a day.

We are late with the creamery report which has been unavoidly crowded out heretofore.

Sheriff Hanson has notified the village marshall to shut out all punch boards, slot machines and gambling devices of any kind, in accordance with instructions from the grand jury.

Three brick masons have been working on the bank and postoffice building for several days past and they will soon have their part of the work completed. Even with the work partly done, it is easy to see that this building is going to add much to the looks of the town, and the builders thereof are deserving of much praise for their enterprise and spirit of progressiveness.

A. R. Jones showed us some fine rye from his farm that was pulled up the first of the week, that measured four feet high and had good heads. This is pretty good considering the dry weather. Now that we have had rain the rye will grow several inches taller and the heads will be well filled.

Mr. Jones had his field summer fallowed and the seed bed well prepared before seeding. He is a firm believer in a thorough cultivation of the soil and his crops show what can be done by that method.

Prof Prushek left Wednesday for his home in Cuyuna. He will have only about a day to visit his parents before departing for Minneapolis to attend a six weeks term of summer school. After the close of that he wil have a couple of weeks vacation before entering the State University which he will attend next year.

Mr. Prushek is a hard worker and deserves much credit for his work in the Holt public school, and he will be greatly missed the coming year by the pupils and the many friends he made while here. All will join with us in wishing him success in his studies both at the summer school and State University.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.

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Call For Mass Meeting

To the Citizens of Marshall County:

The Minnesota Commission Public Safety has named me as its representative for Marshall County.

It is the desire of the Commission that Marshall County be effectively organized at once, and to that end and purpose I invite every man and woman to attend a patriotic mass meeting to be held at the Court House at Warren Tuesday afternoon June 19th at two o'clock, when an organization will be affected for Marshall County, and each precinct thereof. It is desired that a representative delegation from each Township of the County be present at this meeting.

Dated at Warren. June 9th.

A. N. Eckstrom.
County Representative,
Minn. Com. of Public Safety.

Southeast of Holt.

Rain fell in this locality on Monday. It was getting very dry, so was badly needed. The farmers are all looking forward to a bumper crop in the fall.

Harry and Simon Moe are busy breaking for Soren Bergland these days.

The Molstad Brothers had the misfortune of loosing one of their valueable horses last week.

Messrs. Amund Sordahl and Arthur Thorwick were Sunday afternoon callers at the Albert Klungness home.

G. A. Solney is busy shingling the roof of Jacob Klungnes' house.

A dance will be given at the E. O. Williams home Saturday evening June 16. Good music will be furnished by the Mavie orchestra. Everybody welcome

Mrs. E. Nustvold and grandchild Richard Olsen, of Minneapolis visited at the Jacob Klungnes home Sunday.

Miss Gunda Moe who is employed at the R. A. Gausen home, near Silverton, spent Sunday evening at her home.

Miss Alma Soinev who has been assisting Mrs. E. Molstad for a few weeks, returned to her home on Sunday.

T. S. Brokke came up from Thief River Falls on Sunday to look over his land and is well pleased with the work there this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe and children, Arthur and Mabel, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Schwartz and son, Henry, were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Michaelson.

Miss Anna Sorter has resigned her position in Gunheim's store.

Mr. and Mr. J. B. Alkenbrack entertained A. R. Jones and Prof. Prushek at supper Tuesday evening.

Sam Mickelson improved his hotel property last week by putting in new walls and a cement floor in the basement.

Arnold Peterson returned to his home Monday in Badger after a few days visit with his brother, C. E. at the depot.

Miss Ruth Knutson commenced working last week Thursday, in Albert Bennes' confectionery and lunch room.

Clarence Kolden, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Oien and children autoed out to the S. S. Kolden farm Sunday for a short visit.

Have Healthy, Strong, Beautiful Eyes Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Stiener News

(Written for last weeks paper.)

A pound social was held at the Steiner school house Tuesday evening. A large crowd was present. All report a good time.

Misses Sarah and Augusta Swanson attended graduating exercises in T. R. Falls Thursday and Friday evening.

Miss Amy Whitteman spent Thursday and Friday evening of last week in Thief River Falls.

C. Steiner made a trip to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Miss Koglin visited over Thursday and Friday with her sister, Mrs. A. Lanska.

August Riedl is working for Nick Baker a few days this week.

Miss Lena Riedl and Miss Ellen Blomquist called at the home of S. R. Rogers Wednesday.

Emmons Rogers has been doing carpenter work for R. L. Mussy the past week.

Willie Swanson attended the club meeting at Rosewood Saturday evening.

Louie and Willie Meyer attended graduating exercises in Thief River Falls Thursday and Friday evening.

Miss Georgia Mussy called at the Sollem home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Hasby made a business trip to T. R. Falls Friday.

Miss Celia Saugen returned home Saturday from T. R. Falls where she was attending High School.

Mrs. J. Meyer called at the Werner home Monday afternoon.

Miss Alice Solemn is the proud possessor of a new piano.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Borden and family were callers at the J. A. Russel home last Sunday.

Trade in Holt and get rich.

Ole Backlund has been doing some painting this week on his butcher shop.

You can buy hats at your own price at Reierson's store, for both men and women.

C. E. Smith and son Ruben were visitors in Middle River between trains on Monday.

We had the first good rain Monday and the ground was pretty well soaked, and now there is good prospects for crops and everybody is happy.

Harald S. Berg assumed control of The Middle River Pioneer last week, having leased the paper for a few months. He is doing good work and we wish him success.

A joint meeting of the Red River Valley Development Assn. and that of the Live Stock, Breeders will be held in Red Lake Falls, June 27 ahd 28. Speakers will there from thruout the northwest and Canada and it will be worth ones time to attend.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., May 15, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Peter Anderson, of Thief River Falls Minn., who, on January 27th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 07209, for SW 1-4 Section 15, Twp. 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Mychelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 27th day of June, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Halvor Moe, Charles Stenerson, Martin Sampson and Christ Nelson all Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday School and Services June 17th at 10 and 11 o'clock. Y. P. S. 3 o'clock at Carl Larson's.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Scrap Iron Wanted! Uutil June 25th

I will pay $5.50 per ton for all kinds of Scrap Iron up to that time, as I have a contract with the Thief River Hide & Fur Co. which expires then.

R. Reierson
Holt, Minn.

Rip roaring fun at the movie show Saturday nite.

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Wheat No. 2		2.56
Wheat No. 3		2.45
Wheat No. 4		2.19
Flax		2.88
Oats		59
Barley	70 to	.96
Rye		2.18
Flour, Best Patent		8.25

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Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

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Holt, Minn.

Announcement

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Trade at home.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Wake Up! Our country is at war.

Boost for Holt, first, last and all the time. Boost.

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

Reduce the high cost of living by planting another garden, or at least more garden truck than usual.

A fly killed now will save the hatching of thousands later in ther season.

Flies are the cause of nealy all diseases. They are more dangerous to the lives of people than fires, floods and cyclone. Swat the fly.

Bring Your Scrap Iron to Steiner

I will pay the Highest Market Price in cash or trade, up to July 15th, for scrap iron of all kinds.

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EPITOME OF EVENTS

PARAGRAPHS THAT PERTAIN TO MANY SUBJECTS.

ARE SHORT BUT INTERESTING

Brief Mention of What is Transpiring in Various Sections of Our Own and Foreign Countries

U. S.-Teutonic War News.

Only about 15,000 men will be tried in the second series of eight officers' training camps to be held from August 27 to November 26, it is announced.

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Five divisions of national guardsmen, about 125,000 men, will be in Europe by the time snow flies, if plans under consideration by the army general staff are adopted.

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The Navy department announced that an armed American steamer engaged in a running fight with a German U-boat and it is believed that a shot from the vessel sunk the submarine.

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Announcement has been made by Provost Marshal Crowder that claims for exemption from military service under the draft law will be determined by local boards appointed by the president for each 30,000 population.

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The first military census ever taken in the United States was completed on June 5, with but few weeks of preparation, when more than 10,000,000 American youths registered for war service without serious disturbance anywhere in the country.

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Preparations are being made in France for the arrival of American troops. The navy department announced that an American transport containing food for them has arrived in a French port and American warships are anchored off the French coast.

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The grain requirements of the allies and the European neutrals were put at 971,000,000 bushels, a total much greater than the United States can supply, in a statement by Herbert C. Hoover, listing the minimum needs of each nation for human consumption and for feed.

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Following the arrest of three men in New York, charged with conspiring to send military information to Germany it became known that two complete wireless outfits had been assembled in the city and shipped to Mexico for use of a German spy system in this country.

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Herbert C. Hoover, recently named food administrator of the United States, emphatically denies reports quoting him as saying that this country's sugar supply would soon be exhausted. He declared it is his belief that the price of sugar will be lowered during the coming year and the supply will be ample.

General News.

John M. Haines, born in Jasper county, Iowa, January 1, 1863, and governor of Idaho in 1913 and 1915, died at his home at Boise, Idaho, after a long illness.

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Fifty buildings in Perry, Okla., were demolished by a tornado that swept the district last Thursday. It was the fifth tornado in the state during the week. The damage is placed at $150,000. No one was killed.

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D. W. Fields of Brockton, Mass., paid $53,200 for a 5-months-old bull calf at the Holstein-Friesian association convention auction sale at Worcester, Mass. The previous record price for a bull was $35,000.

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Three persons were killed, several injured and heavy property loss resulted when a tornado destroyed the towns of Elmont, Valencia, Maple Hill and Menoken, Kansas. All the records for the registration for the draft were lost in the storm.

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Despondent because of his wife's ill health and the poor condition of his crop, Bruno Herold, aged 50, of Austin, Tex., shot and killed his wife, beat to death his two children, aged 9 and 11, set fire to his home, then shot and killed himself.

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For the second time in two weeks Kansas and Missouri were visited by death dealing tornadoes, which took a toll of thirty-one lives in the two states and caused property damages estimated at $1,000,000.

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Final tribute was paid to Colonel William F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) when the remains of the famous plainsman were laid to rest in a tomb hewn from solid rock on Lookout mountain, near Denver, June 2. The Golden Masonic lodge conducted the ceremonies.

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Three deaths, the injury of more than thirty and damage estimated at more than $500,000 were caused by the tornado that swept over Coffeyville, Kan. More than 100 homes were destroyed.

Henry Ford, Detroit automobile manufacturer subscribed for $5,000,000 worth of Liberty loan bonds.

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Eleven provinces of China, including the province Chi Li, in which Peking is situated, have declared their independence and now no longer recognize the authority of the Peking government. The situation is said to be serious.

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Allan L. Benson, candidate for president of the United States on the socialist ticket at the last election, announced that he will resign from the party unless it repudiates the antidraft resolutions adopted at the St. Louis convention April 7.

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Three quarter sections of land in Kern county, Calif., worth $1,000,000, were ordered restored to the government by Federal Judge Bean of Portland, Ore., in a suit filed by the government in the United States court at Los Angeles, to recover land under the Taft withdrawal order issued September 27, 1909, to establish a fuel oil reserve for the navy.

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The Colorado supreme court reversed the action of the lower court in the conviction of John R. Lawson, former executive board member of the United Mine Workers, found guilty of murder in connection with the strike of coal miners in the southern Colorado fields in 1914. The court did not remand the case for new trial and no further prosecution will be made.

Washington Notes.

A campaign to recruit and train 10,000 men to officer the ships of the new American merchant marine was announced by the federal shipping board and the department of commerce.

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The senate finance committee put a 2-cent tax on checks and drafts over $5 as a new levy in the war revenue bill. It is expected that $10,000,000 will be raised under the new section.

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A delegation from the National Farmers' union, representing agricultural interests in thirty-two states, told President Wilson that they endorsed the administration plan for food control.

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Former Governor W. R. Stubbs of Kansas told the interstate commerce commission that the railroads of the United States have $1,000,000,000 surplus and that if an emergency exists now is the time for them to spend it.

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President Wilson has issued an appeal to the citizens of Nebraska, Iowa, North Dakota, Montana, Wyoming and five other western states to raise the west's share of the $100,000,000 sought by the National Red Cross.

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Exemption of popular priced moving picture theaters from amusement taxes and the levying of a new federal license tax on automobile owners, ranging from $7.50 to $25, were agreed upon by the senate finance committee in revising the revenue bill.

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The supreme court of the United States affirmed the decision of the supreme court of Nebraska upholding the validity of the state law under which irrigation companies in certain instances may be compelled to bridge their canals.

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Healthy business conditions generally are reported in the federal reserve board's monthly summary of business conditions, though war economies are being felt in many sections. The freight traffic situation in some places is improving, but it still is serious.

European War News.

The house passed the senate bill to authorize issue of rifles and other equipment for organization of home guards.

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Petrograd reports declare that the so-called Kronstadt republic has surrendered unconditionally to the Russian government.

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Fifteen vessels of 1,600 tons and over were sunk by mines or submarines during the week ending June 2, according to official announcement by the British admiralty. This is three fewer than the losses for the previous week. The admiralty praises the effective co-operation of the American navy in reducing the destruction by submarines.

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Announcement has been made that the French steamship Yarra, 4,163 tons gross, was torpedoed and sunk in the Mediterranean on May 29. Of the 690 persons on board, thirty-six were lost.

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Over a front of more than nine miles, from Ypres to Armentieres, British forces under General Haig dealt a mighty blow to the Germans last Thursday. They took 5,000 prisoners, a number of heavy guns and gained much ground. The attack started by blowing up 1,000,000 pounds of explosives in front of the German position, the detonation being heard in England, 130 miles away.

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British casualties published during May totaled 114,118 officers and men killed, wounded and missing.

ORDNANCE PLANS BARED BY TRAITOR OR SPY—DANIELS

GERMAN AGENT OPERATING IN NAVY DEPARTMENT OR PROVING GROUNDS, SECRETARY OF NAVY ASSERTS.

OFFICERS OF PERSHING'S STAFF ARRIVE IN PARIS

Report Last Lap of Voyage Uneventful—German Hold On Submarine Bases at Ostend and Zeebrugge Believed Threatened by Allied Drive.

Washington, June 12.—That a spy or traitor to the government is operating in the Navy department or the proving grounds at Indianhead is the declaration of Secretary Daniels before the Senate naval affairs committee.

Daniels' charges developed when Senator Frelinghuysen of New Jersey presented copies of confidential reports bearing on ordnance, which he said had been sent him in an anonymous letter.

To Substantiate Charges of Laxity.

The reports were designed to substantiate charges of laxity, which resulted in the accidents aboard the American liners Mongolia and St. Louis during gun practice.

When the committee resumed investigation of the Mongolia shell accident, Senator Frelinghuysen produced the letter. Secretary Daniels asked to have it turned over to the secret service.

Attempt to Find Author.

Senator Frelinghuysen said he had attempted to find out something about the author and could not.

Secretary Daniels urged the committee to uncover the author of the letters and make him disclose everything. Secretary Daniels contended that charges of incompetency were made in the letters against inspectors and contained grave reflections upon the basic defense of the country. One of the letters was postmarked Detroit, Mich.

Pershing's Officers in Paris.

Paris, June 12.—Colonels McCarthy, Taylor and Ireland and Captains Dunn and Moore, the advance guard of Pershing's staff, have reached Paris. The populace had not been apprised of their arrival and only a few local officials were on hand to extend a welcome.

Paris is planning a tremendous reception to Major General Pershing.

The American officers said their voyage to Bologne and the trip from there to Paris were uneventful.

Drive On U-Boat Bases Seen.

London, June 12.—The wiping out of the German salient at Messines apparently is merely the prelude to a far mightier battle. After a German reaction of a surprisingly feeble character, the British have resumed trench raids from north of Ypres to as far south as Epehy, 70 miles as the crow flies, but far more than that along the tortuous windings of the battle front.

From Ypres the Allied front curves sharply to the sea and an advance here would threaten the German hold on their great submarine bases on the Belgian coast, Ostend and Zeebrugge.

CAPITOL HEARS JAPAN IS SENDING ARMY TO CHINA

Tokio Making Preparations on Gigantic Scale—Domination of Republic Believed Object.

Washington, June 12.—Japan is making preparations on a gigantic scale to quell disorders in China incident to the various rebellions against the Peking government, according to secret advices to Washington.

Japanese troops, it is reported, are being dispatched in large numbers to the continent.

The opinion is widely held that this move is likely to turn out another step in the Japanese program to acquire complete domination of China.

IRISH AGREE TO CONVENTION

Factions to Map Out Future Home Rule at Meeting.

London, June 12.—All Irish parties have agreed to the government's plan for a convention of all factions which shall map out future home rule for Ireland, Premier Lloyd-George has announced in the house of commons.

John Redmond, nationalist leader, will be invited to nominate five members of the Irish convention. Sir John Lonsdale also will be invited to nominate five members, the premier added, and William O'Brien two members.

Sues For Million Heart Balm.

New York, June 12.—Miss Honora May O'Brien, 28 years old, has started her effort to get $1,000,000 heart balm from John B. Manning, aged stock broker, in the supreme court at Long Island City. Manning is 85 and has been a widower 12 years. He is rated a multimillionaire. Miss O'Brien, who was Manning's stenographer before he wanted to marry her, is a native of Ireland, where Manning also was born. They met in Ireland years ago and when she came to America they met again, when the courtship began.

What's Doing in Minnesota

St. Paul.—James H. Ege, charter member of the first G. A. R. post in Minneapolis and former state commander of the organization, died here after a long illness. A daughter and two sons survive.

St. Paul.—While more than 200,000 Minnesota young men are offering themselves to Uncle Sam for service in France, 500 veterans of the Civil War assembled in St. Paul for their annual G. A. R. encampment.

Saloonkeepers who permit men to become intoxicated in their places and who help or allow their bartenders to ply men with liquor are liable to damages for death or injuries that may result from the consumption of the liquor, the Minnesota supreme court has decided.

Construction of the Twin City-Duluth highway, which is to be aided by federal funds, will be completed as far as the north line of Washington county this fall, grading will be under way for some distance north, and the road will be completed to Duluth next season, officials of the state highway department predicted.

Moorhead.—The need of rain to insure the potato crop in the Red River valley is indicated by many familiar with the crop conditions of this section. In the vicinity of Sabin and Baker, the largest potato raising district of the state, a good soaking rain would benefit the crop, which was missed by recent rains which soaked territory surrounding that district.

St. Paul.—Eighteen colonels in the United States army have been promoted to be brigadier generals. Among them are Col. W. H. Sage, now in command of the officer training camp at Fort Snelling; Col. S. D. Sturgis, formerly of St. Paul, brother of Mrs. Edmund Pennington of Minneapolis; Col. E. F. Glenn, formerly commandant at the University of Minnesota in the early nineties.

St. Paul.—The Rev. William C. Pope, senior priest of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Minnesota, St. Paul pioneer of 1857, soldier of the Indian wars, organizer of the Church of the Good Shepherd in 1868, and pastor of its congregation continuously since that time, died at his home here of pneumonia, by which he was attacked following an operation. Mrs. Pope is so seriously ill that she has not been told of her husband's death.

St. Paul.—The state printing commission has elected Sam Y. Gordon of Browns Valley, state expert printer to succeed Joseph T. Mannix, who has held the office since 1909. The appointment is effective Aug. 1. Mr. Mannix said he had no intimation of a proposed change in the office and has no definite plans for the future. Secretary of State Julius A. Schmahl said he voted to re-elect Mannix, while State Auditor J. A. A. Preus and State Treasurer Henry Rines supported Gordon.

St. Paul.—The state military board will meet at the capitol soon to further consider plans for the organization of an additional artillery regiment and field hospital corps in the Minnesota National guard. It is planned to enlist one new battalion in Minneapolis and St. Paul and the other in three Southern Minnesota towns, probably Mankato, St. Peter and Albert Lea, Captain Rhinow said, but active recruiting is delayed pending decision on officers to be commissioned in the new unit.

St. Paul.—Minnesota will supply 13,756 men when the draft is applied to registered men. This is based upon 625,000 for service in the first increment.

These figures, say Washington advices, may be slightly reduced by enlistments. The quota is figured on the pro rata population of the state. The war department adds to the total to be drafted the enlistments since April 1 and the total strength of the national guard. That number stands nationally at 935,943.

Washington. — Prohibition forces throughout the nation are making a determined effort to force Congress to enact dry legislation, at least for the war. Every senator and representative is being swamped with letters, postal cards and petitions urging the passage of a prohibitory law. Minnesota is particularly active in this campaign. Petitions are being received from every congressional district. Fully half the signatures are those of women. The petitions have been circulated throughout the state.

Minneapolis.—Minnesota and the Northwest will make a census of the skilled labor man-power of this section of the country for the government with a view to its use in the various branches of the military service in the work for which the men are trained. The census also is being made in the hope that as the government draws men to its service, the men can be taken from the various individual industries on a pro rated plan so as not to interfere with the efficient operation of the plants.

Stillwater.—Sherman F. Staples is dead. He was a son of the late Edward Staples and a grandson of the late Isaac Staples, a pioneer lumberman and merchant. He is survived by a widow (daughter of the late Samuel McClure, a pioneer lumberman), and two children.

Brainerd.—The Crow Wing county public safety commission organized at Brainerd, with R. R. Wise, director for the county, chairman of the meeting, elected as officers: President, R. R. Wise; vice president, S. R. Adair; secretary, Fred T. Lincoln, and treasurer, Giles P. O'Brien.

BURNQUIST TO HEAD STATE CAMPAIGN

TO BE CHAIRMAN OF GENERAL COMMITTEE OF RED CROSS TO RAISE MINNESOTA QUOTA.

$2,000,000 WANTED IN STATE

National Campaign Provides for Raising $100,000,000 and Minnesota Is Expected to Do Its Share Toward That Amount.

St. Paul.

Governor Burnquist will head the general committee for the state Red Cross campaign, according to the announcement made from the state headquarters. E. N. Huntress, experienced Red Cross campaign worker assigned to the Minnesota district by the society's Washington office, will be state campaign director and Harry Wilbern of Minneapolis will be associate director. The state quota of the national campaign for $100,000,000 is $2,000,000.

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Contest Over School Finances.

The prospect for a sharp contest at the July meeting of the State High School Board over Governor Burnquist's proposal that any deficit in school aid which may have occurred in the past two years be paid out of the appropriation for this year, increased with the appearance of a letter to school superintendents and members of school boards by John Munroe, superintendent of schools at Faribault, and newly appointed member of the High School Board.

Mr. Munroe states that the attorney general, having held that such payment could be legally made by the board, the matter should have been determined at the recent meeting of the High School Board, that local boards could have arranged their budget accordingly, but that State Superintendent C. Schulz opposed paying the deficit, and his opposition forced the board to defer action until July.

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State to Fall Short.

Of 90,000 men registering in 59 counties, approximately 50,000 may claim exemption, according to a tabulation made by Adjutant General Fred B. Wood.

The total registration of 116,135 against the government estimate of 123,593 was shown in official returns from 66 counties and Duluth city. These were exclusive, however, of Minneapolis, St. Paul and other thickly populated districts. At the present ratio, the Minnesota total will fall short by approximately 15,000 of the official estimate of 250,551.

Tabulations were complete on 59 counties and the city of Duluth. The grand total of 102,568 in this table includes 91,788 white citizens of whom 51,150 claim exemption; 171 colored citizens with 93 claiming exemption; 126,659 aliens and 670 alien enemies.

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State's Army Quota Short.

In addition to its quota of the new national army to be raised by the selective draft, Minnesota must furnish more than 10,000 men for the regular army and national guard. These ranks will be filled by draft if enough volunteers do not come forward. The number of men needed for the new guard units are: One regiment of field artillery, 1,308 men; one battalion engineers, 513; one radio signal company, 78; one supply train, 309; and one engineers' train, 170; a total of 8,207.

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Discuss Tornado Relief Fund.

An appeal from municipal authorities at Mattoon and Charleston for financial help for Illinois tornado relief work was taken up by the Minnesota organization of the American Red Cross at a meeting in Governor Burnquist's office at the Capitol. The Governor called the meeting of officials who raised the Red Cross fund for the Baudette-Spooner fire sufferers in 1910, and it was reported that an unexpected balance of nearly $13,000 in that fund may be found available.

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Woman Assistant to School Head.

Word is received that Miss Katherine Hamilton, supervisor of elementary work in the Decatur, Ill., public schools, has resigned to come to St. Paul as an assistant superintendent of public schools. School officials said this means the inauguration here of a school administrative organization involving two or three assistant superintendents specializing in various departments of the school system.

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War Field Training for Nurses.

Candidates for degrees at the school for nurses, University of Minnesota, are to be given a year's course in field nursing, university authorities announce. College women will be admitted to the nurses' school for a two years' course of intensive training, the required third year of study to be spent in the field.

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Co-operation of Cities Asked.

Co-operation of Twin City officials is asked by Governor Burnquist in keeping all army camps clean. The War department has declared that immoral influences must be removed from all places where soldiers or recruits gather. This order will be enforced, Secretary of War Baker said in a letter to Governor Burnquist, by taking the camps away from cities that do not see to it that liquor and other bad influences are kept beyond the reach of men at the different military posts.

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TO GUARD WORKERS' HEALTH

National Board to Supervise Conditions in Plants Working on War Contracts, Is Urged.

A health conservation board, corresponding to the general munitions board announced by the council of national defense, is imperatively needed to supervise health conditions in government plants and to co-operate with similar state boards in the regulation of private plants under contract with the government. Dr. Frederick Martin of the council of national defense is thoroughly qualified to head such an organization, says the New Republic. No labor laws should be suspended or modified except after investigation and approval by this body of experts. Indeed, it would be to the best interest of the nation if the government could be persuaded to make minimum standards of hours, wages and shop conditions integral parts of all munition contracts. In war time the workers will be willing to forego comforts and to work nearer the margin of physical exhaustion than in times of peace, but the country cannot afford the extravagance of paying for work done during incapacity from fatigue or the further extravagance of urging armies of workmen toward relative incapacity by neglect of proved physiological law.

He'd Come Back.

A boy who had done something to incur the wrath of his mother and then had taken to his heels was hotly pursued for some distance by her.

Finding it was useless to continue the pursuit, and almost beside herself with rage, the old lady shouted at the top of her voice:

"I'll give anybody sixpence to catch that boy."

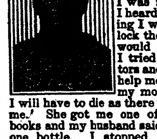
The boy instantly stopped and, turning around, shouted in reply:

"Give me the sixpence and I'll come back!"

American beef costs $1 a pound in Paris, but just think how much a pound of Paris hat costs in America.

Grape-Nuts for Lunch Puts "PEP" into the afternoon's work
"There's a Reason"

SICK WOMAN HAD CRYING SPELLS



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Enhaut, Pa.—"I was all run down and weak inwardly. I had female troubles and nervous feelings and my head bothered me. I would often have crying spells and feel as if I was not safe. If I heard anyone coming I would run and lock the door so they would not see me. I tried several doctors and they did not help me so I said to my mother 'I guess I will have to die as there is no help for me.' She got me one of your little books and my husband said I should try one bottle. I stopped the doctor's medicine and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It soon made a change in me and now I am strong and do all my work."—Mrs. AUGUSTUS BAUGHMAN, Box 86, Enhaut, Pa.

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Poor Way to Help.

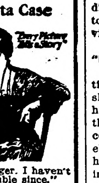
"I'm going to offer my services to my country in case of war."

"To do what?"

"To cook."

"Don't. It's hard enough to get recruits as it is."

United States prohibits flags on hosiery.



Nerves All On Edge?

Just as nerve wear is a case of kidney weakness, so is kidney trouble a cause of nervousness. Anyone who has backache, nervousness, "blues," headaches, dizzy spells, urinary ills and a tired, worn feeling, would do well to try Doan's Kidney Pills. This safe, reliable remedy is recommended by thousands who have had relief from just such troubles.

A North Dakota Case

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200 MEN TRAPPED IN BIG BUTTE MINE; 150 THOUGHT DEAD

HALF OF 415 MEN WORKING ON PROPERTY OF SPECULATOR MINE UNACCOUNTED FOR WHEN FLAMES BREAK OUT.

FEDERAL RESCUE CARS ARE RUSHED TO SCENE

Entombed Miners Believed to Have No Chance for Life—Twelve Bodies Are Recovered—Efforts of Rescuers Prove Fruitless Because of Smoke and Gas.

Butte, Mont., June 11.—With 35 known dead and 167 men missing as the result of a fire which broke out in the Speculator copper mine, Butte is facing the worst mining disaster in its history. The fire broke out in the lower levels of the mine, starting from a broken power cable that carried electricity to the underground pumps. Lower levels of the mine quickly filled with smoke and gas.

Escape Through Other Mines.

There were 415 men on the night shift. Of these 213 escaped through levels connecting with other mines. The gas spread to the Diamond mine and took a further toll of life in that property.

Helmet men, mine rescue crews and safety-first squads from all the mines in Butte undertook to penetrate the gasfilled workings of the Speculator, the Diamond and high ore mines, in the hope of finding the missing miners.

Officials said that if the 167 missing miners are not found to have made their way to the high ore mine workings they are doomed.

Missing Men Probably Doomed.

The fire which started on the 2,400 foot level spread quickly, cutting off the escape of men on lower levels. Dense smoke retarded rescue work. Miners from adjoining properties ordered up from underground as a precaution, went to work as rescuing gangs, aiding national guardsmen who had been called to the scene. They were able to do little.

Rescue Efforts In Vain.

Their efforts were fruitless. After the arrival of the bureau of mines safety first cars, which carried gas and smoke proof helmets from Red Lodge and Colorado Springs, rescuers equipped with safety helmets tried to enter the shaft but were driven back to the surface.

Rescue Cars To Scene.

Pittsburgh, June 10.—Officers of the bureau of mines stationed here received word from the district engineer at Butte that probably 100 men at least had perished in the accident at Speculator mine.

Rescue car No. 5, which belongs in that district, has been at Billings, Mont., and has been called to the scene, as has car No. 2, which is in Colorado.

The mining interests at Butte have one of the best rescue organizations in the country. It will co-operate with trained crews from the federal cars.

CHARGES THAT LEAGUE IS FOE TO LIBERTY LOAN

Head of Reserve Band Says Non-partisan Organization Is Blocking Campaign in Northwest.

Minneapolis, June 11.—Governor Theodore Wold of the Minneapolis Federal Reserve bank said officially that the bank has received what appears to be substantial evidence that the Non-Partisan League is working to defeat the success of the Liberty Loan campaign in the northwest.

The Non-Partisan League is strong in North Dakota, operates extensively in Minnesota, and maintains national headquarters in St. Paul.

Washington has been advised of the situation, Mr. Wold said. A thorough investigation is being made, and further reports will go to Washington as fast as the facts can be established, he added.

BALFOUR HAS REACHED HOME

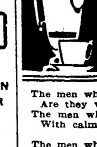
Arrives in London Safely After Trip to United States.

London, June 11.—Foreign Secretary Arthur J. Balfour arrived at a British port on his return from his trip to America at the head of the British mission. Mr. Balfour at once departed for London, arriving there late in the day.

Minister Balfour arrived at a Canadian port in the middle of April and touched American soil first at a Maine village April 21.

"Business as Usual" U. C. T. Slogan.

Owatonna, Minn., June 11.—Resolutions indorsing the "business as usual" slogan for the war period were adopted here at the closing business session of the annual conference of the grand council of United Commercial Travelers of Minnesota and North Dakota here. Other resolutions opposed any increase of the second class postage rate, urged individual members of the order to invest in Liberty Loan bonds, and favored the erection soon of a home for the member of the order at an early future time.



THE KITCHEN CABINET

The men who are not satisfied
Are they who set the pace—
The men who do not meet defeat
With calm, contented face.

The men who labor on and on
With minds and fingers skilled—
They are the great unsatisfied
Who plan and fight and build.

LET US RAISE OUR OWN VEGETABLES.

Now is the time for the forehanded woman to look to her gardening if she hopes to have vegetables for her family this winter. Our women can show their patriotism in no better or more convincing way than by conserving food, elimination of waste and producing her own vegetables on every available foot of ground that can be cultivated. Spinach, chard, peas, beans, cauliflower, tomatoes and corn may all be satisfactorily canned at home, and, even counting the initial cost of glass jars, putting up one's own vegetables costs no more than buying the cheapest grade of tin-canned ones at the grocery, while the expense after one has acquired the jars is very small. One may buy the standard makes for five and ten cents as needed, thus making it possible to lay in a good stock by degrees.

If there were no other advantage in putting up one's own vegetables, when they are in their prime and may be canned a few at a time, it would pay in the matter of convenience, as one may can in pints, quarts or two-quart sizes. In tomatoes, the average grocer carries nothing smaller than the quart can, which once opened must be used at once. One's own little pint jars hold just enough for a sauce for a soup for two or three and its superior quality is beyond question.

Later in the season plans are being made to hold canning clubs for all who desire instruction in the art of canning vegetables. In the meantime prepare. It might be well to think of the future. If war does become a reality, we will need all the surplus that can possibly be spared from home to furnish the hospitals. If each housewife in her canning season sets apart a few cans of fruit, vegetables and glasses of jelly for her country it will mean a splendid supply in time of need.

There is a jewel which no Indian mines can buy, no chemic art can counterfeit; it makes men rich in greatest poverty, makes water wine, turns wooden cups to gold, the homely whistle to sweet music's strain; seldom it comes, to few heaven sent, that much in little, all in naught—Content.

THE VALUE OF SUCCULENT VEGETABLES.

We underestimate the value of the succulent green vegetable, usually counting it as bulk with little nourishment. Many of our green vegetables besides their acids and mineral matters, contain a most valuable, but as yet little understood, growth determinant. This substance makes clover and alfalfa so valuable as food for growing stock. We will soon be eating and appreciating alfalfa bread, as it is being more used for human food.

Vegetables are appetizers, for example, the onion, garlic, chives, parsley and celery. The woody fiber being indigestible, serves as a brush in the alimentary canal to carry along all waste and excite peristaltic action. Vegetables, because of their bulk, satisfy hunger without over-feeding. In their service as a broom to the body, they keep the system cleansed, beautifying the complexion and removing all waste that clogs the skin and produces sallow, muddy complexions.

The proper cooking of vegetables is another important thing to bear in mind. All vegetables when cooked should be put on to cook in boiling water. Salt may be added to those vegetables that are not toughened by its use, for example, potatoes and other fibrous root vegetables. Too long cooking, especially of such delicately flavored vegetables as asparagus will dissolve the flavor and send it out with steam, so both nourishment and flavor will be lost. Left-over green vegetables, or in fact any kind of vegetable, makes a good cream soup. Asparagus, string beans, tomatoes in any form, and celery with onion all make most delicious salads.

A garden containing all the crisp vegetables used for salads and as many others as the space allows will be a constant source of delight all the summer and fall. Pumpkins and squashes, as well as cucumbers and melons will all climb on the back yard fence and take up little room on the ground. Planting beans with corn saves space and gives the beans something to climb upon.

Tender young carrots cooked in as little water as possible so that every bit of the mineral matter is saved and then served with butter, salt and a grating of nutmeg with a dash of lemon juice is a most delicious vegetable for which to cultivate an appetite.

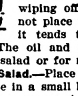
Tomatoes peeled and sliced down nearly to the stem end, making petals like a flower, then fill the center with chopped pepper and onion and place a spoonful of mayonnaise on top, is a most dainty spring salad.

There is a road to yesterday—
A wondrous thoroughfare,
Where wanton breezes idly play
And blossoms scent the air.

It stretches long and far and straight;
It wanders up and down!
It passes many an open gate
And many a little town.

GOOD THINGS WORTH TRYING.

For the lovers of ripe olives the following will be enjoyed: Soak them for an hour or two in olive oil to which a clove of garlic has been added. Place the olives while soaking in the ice chest and serve them without wiping off the oil. Do not place them in ice as it tends to make them watery. The oil and garlic may be saved for salad or for more olives.



Carrot Salad.—Place a spoonful of mayonnaise in a small head of lettuce and in the mayonnaise mix grated raw carrots until the dressing is pink as shrimp. The carrots should be grated very fine.

Tomatoes Stuffed With Ripe Olives.—Scoop out the pulp from the tomatoes. Fry a small onion chopped fine in butter, add the pulp that has come out of the tomatoes and a cupful of ripe olives from which the seeds have been removed, two tablespoonfuls of breadcrumbs, salt and pepper. Fill the tomatoes and bake.

Savory String Beans.—Cook the beans until tender. Melt a tablespoonful of butter or beef drippings in a frying pan and cook in it a small onion, finely chopped, until tender, but not brown. Add the beans to the onion, season well with salt and pepper and add a dash of vinegar to give it zest.

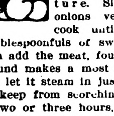
Sponge Cake.—Take four eggs, one cupful of sugar and one cupful of flour. Beat the whites of the eggs very stiff, then fold in the sugar a quarter of a cupful at a time, add the yolks one at a time, cutting each in half and stir them in so lightly that the mixture is streaked with yellow. Cut the flour into the egg in the same way, put into a buttered pan and bake forty-five minutes.

Small green onions sliced thin and sprinkled over lettuce with a handful of fresh peanuts and French dressing make a most delicious salad.

The difference between pride and vanity depends upon whether we have it or it is possessed by someone else.

WHAT TO EAT.

The following is a homely dish well liked by most people:



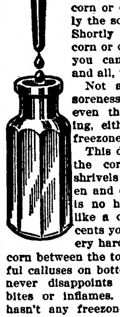
Pot Roast.—The secret of well flavored, tender meat is usually in the cooking. A pot roast should cook at a low temperature. Slice two onions very thin, cook until yellow in two tablespoonfuls of sweet drippings then add the meat, four pounds of the round makes a most delicious roast, and let it steam in just enough water to keep from scorching. Cook at least two or three hours, when a fine gravy will be formed and the onion will all have disappeared. A can of tomatoes with two chopped boiled carrots will be an addition to the gravy, or if one likes a sour gravy a tablespoonful of vinegar added gives zest to the dish.

Beef Tongue With Raisins.—So far raisins are one of the good things that haven't jumped into the high prices, though any day they may be beyond reach. Wash a fresh beef tongue and place in a kettle with a teaspoonful of salt and boiling water to cover. Simmer very gently one hour. Remove and take off the skin, trimming the roots carefully. Place in a casserole with a teaspoonful of butter and two cupfuls of water with three tablespoonfuls of lemon juice and any flavoring herbs. Cover and cook four hours slowly. An hour before serving add a cupful of seeded raisins, one-half a tumbler of currant jelly and more water if needed. Just before serving, thicken the sauce with two tablespoonfuls of flour, wet to a paste with water. Cook long enough to cook the starch.

Macaroni With Sausage.—Put layers of cooked macaroni in a buttered dish and alternate with layers of cooked leftover sausage, hamburger steak or other chopped meat, add some good beef gravy or if none is at hand a cupful of rich white sauce. A few tablespoonfuls of tomato puree add variety to the dish.

String beans, peas and asparagus, if boiled in an open saucepan, will have a better color. Cabbage, onions and turnips will not scent the house if cooked uncovered, as the steam and odor passes off without combining under the lid.

Nellie Maxwell



PAIN? NOT A BIT!
LIFT YOUR CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF

No humbug! Apply few drops then just lift them away with fingers.

This new drug is an ether compound discovered by a Cincinnati chemist. It is called freezone, and can now be obtained in tiny bottles as here shown at very little cost from any drug store. Just ask for freezone. Apply a drop or two directly upon a tender corn or callus and instantly the soreness disappears. Shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it off, root and all, with the fingers.

Not a twinge of pain, soreness or irritation; not even the slightest smarting, either when applying freezone or afterwards.

This drug doesn't eat up the corn or callus, but shrivels them so they loosen and come right out. It is no humbug! It works like a charm. For a few cents you can get rid of every hard corn, soft corn or corn between the toes, as well as painful calluses on bottom of your feet. It never disappoints and never burns, bites or inflames. If your druggist hasn't any freezone yet, tell him to get a little bottle for you from his wholesale house.—adv.

Tin Music.

One of the inmates of the Masonic home near Franklin is past ninety years of age. In all his long life he had never heard a phonograph. Recently the members of one of the lodges in the state presented the home with a phonograph. This was a source of wonder to the old man. He had occasion to visit some friends in Franklin, and while there was asked how he liked his new home. "It's all right," he said, "just fine. And, say, we've got a machine down there that is the queerest thing I ever saw. They take a pie pan that has a hole cut in the middle, and put it in the machine. Then they turn a crank and grind up that tin, and it makes music. It's dang good music, too."—Indianapolis News.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES
Allen's Foot—Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath. It relieves painful, swollen, smarting feet and takes the sting out of corns and bunions. Used by the British and French troops at the front. Allen's Foot—Ease is a certain relief for tired, aching feet. Sold everywhere—Adv.

Up to the Cook.

"Hi, Mr. Jack, mighty surprised to see you out here," said a negro cook in one of the Indiana company barracks for candidates for the officers' reserve corps at Ft. Harrison. "You sure look different."

"Mr. Jack" looked at the negro and recognized him as a waiter for years in the cafes of big hotels down town.

"What are you doing here?" he asked.

"I'm the cook for the company, and if you don't get enough to eat just sneak 'round to the kitchen."

"I surely will," said the soldier. "I gave you about a million dollars in tips in my life and it's up to you to make good."—Indianapolis News.

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Fargo, N. D.

Cheaper Than Potatoes.

Carl J. Carter, prosecuting attorney of Bartholomew county, passed a delivery truck from a grocery. In the rear of the truck were a half-dozen oil cans and on the end of each spout was a gumdrop.

"What's the idea?" Carter asked the man in charge.

"Gumdrops are cheaper than potatoes," he replied.—Indianapolis News.

Serious Work to Do.

"Are you going to take any city boarders this summer?"

"No," replied Farmer Corntossel. "Me and th' hired men will be so busy raisin' food crops that we won't be able ter entertain 'em with our quaint rural dialect and unsophisticated ways."

CULTIVATE! CULTIVATE!

Produce More Food, But at the Lowest Cost.

A trip through most of the grain growing districts of Western Canada, and information received from authentic sources, reveals that the spring seeding of wheat, barley and oats is finished and the grain is having a most rapid growth. Men of farming experience here say that the conditions are similar to those years when there was an abundant harvest reaped. During the past year a number of new settlers came into the country, and they will undoubtedly have a good crop this year. This added to the normal acreage, made considerably less by the lack of labor owing to the number who have gone to the front, will give a fair general yield. It is surprising the growth that this country is capable of producing.

Wheat has this spring germinated and shown three or four inches growth in five or six days, and with anything like favorable weather, harvesting should commence about the 15th of August, or a little over one hundred days from first seeding. Hundreds of farmers throughout this vast country paid for their entire holdings out of one year's crop and it would not be surprising if the same experience met a great many more this year.

The best authorities on the wheat situation give it as their opinion that for many years to come, wheat prices will be high. They base their opinion on a scientific calculation and their reasoning seems to be sound. Anyway, it is quite evident that for some years to come, the producer of wheat will be amply rewarded for any effort he may make to develop this branch of agricultural industry. Money may be made on the high-priced lands of the wheat-growing districts of the United States, but it is a question if these high-priced lands would not be more profitably employed in other branches of farming than in growing the smaller grains, leaving it to lands just as productive for wheat, less expensive to operate, and with a much smaller initial price, to provide the world with this necessity of life. Here is where Western Canada, with its vast rich fertile plains, its low railway rates, its exceptionally good shipping privileges, its excellent climate, and its perfect social conditions, has a combination of advantages not possessed by any other portion of the continent.

Furthermore, these lands, of unexcelled quality, are extraordinarily cheap, while for the man who does not care to undertake farming on so extensive a scale there is the free homestead which offers him all the opportunity for which he is looking.

The prospective purchaser will have no difficulty at all in making a selection of a fine piece of land, well located and convenient to transportation, which may be had for from $15 to $25 an acre, and the railway companies or other holders of large tracts are always glad to sell on easy terms. Or if he desires a farm that is already under cultivation and improved, many such are to be had from farmers who already have made comfortable fortunes and are ready to retire.

It is not to the grain grower only that Western Canada offers great opportunities. If one wishes to go in for cattle raising, there are great stretches of range land both free and for lease; and in many sections of the country there are the finest of grazing lands that may be purchased at very low prices.

The appeal which has been sent out both by the United States and Canadian governments, for an unstinted, unlimited production of food stuffs to prevent what might otherwise be a famine throughout this great continent—and then consequently, throughout the world—should in itself arouse all the ambition and desire in the heart and soul of the man who is not fighting at the front, to produce all he can. In addition, there is the potent fact that no chances are being taken in answering the appeal. Take it from either standpoint you answer the country's call, although not fighting, and you are also insured against any loss by the high prices that are bound to exist for some time. Whether it be in the United States on its excellent grain lands or in Canada on its splendid grain lands, all should do their bit.—Advertisement.

Autos haul plows around Greensburg, Pa.

The Effects of Opiates.

THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotic, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous dyspepsia and lack of staying powers are a result of dosing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable.

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"Yes, his wife throws that at him along with the platter."

Ventilation.

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In asking you to subscribe to the Liberty Loan your Government does not ask you to spend your money. Instead it holds out an opportunity to save and invest. It offers bonds backed by all of the resources of the richest nation in the world—bonds which can be immediately turned into cash — which pays 3½% interest—and which are exempt from all taxes except those on estates and inheritances.

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Liberty bonds are United States Government Bonds secured by all the resources of the Federal Government. They are issued in multiples of $50 and bear interest at the rate of 3½% per annum, payable semi annually December 15 and June 15 of each year. These bonds mature in 30 years and may be redeemed by the Government in 15 years. Should the Government put out any future issues at an interest rate higher than 3½% before the close of the war, the "Liberty Loan" will immediately become convertible into higher rate bonds.

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Our country—and that means every one in our country—is at war today for the protection of our nation. This Loan is the first step in this war. If you do not respond now and the Imperial German Government should win this war the fate of your home would be the fate of the homes of Belgium.

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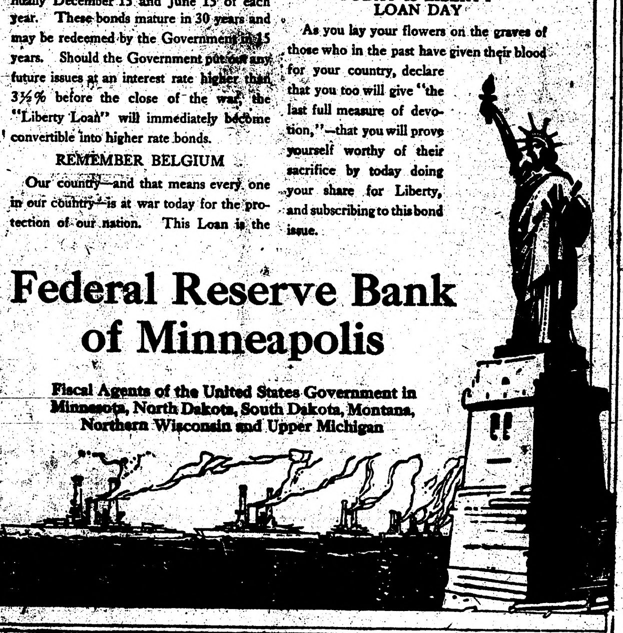
On August 15th	15.00	30.00	150.00	300.00
On August 30th	15.00	30.00	150.00	300.00
	$50.00	$100.00	$500.00	$1000.00

Plus accrued interest to be settled with final payment August 30th.

Don't wait for anyone to ask you to buy a bond. Go at once to your nearest bank or post office and subscribe. This bond issue is your chance to volunteer. If this money is not raised by bonds, your government will be forced to draft it in the form of taxes.

TODAY IS LIBERTY LOAN DAY

As you lay your flowers on the graves of those who in the past have given their blood for your country, declare that you too will give "the last full measure of devotion,"—that you will prove yourself worthy of their sacrifice by today doing your share for Liberty, and subscribing to this bond issue.



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Advertise your wants in The Holt Weekly News

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Teachers Training School, Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, Minn., July 18 to 27. Enroll now.

I will pay $5.50 a ton until June 25, for all kinds of scrap iron, as I have a contract with the Thief River Hide and Fur Co., which expires at that time. R. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

On account of the high prices for potatoes, rutabagas will undoubtedly sell well next fall. It will be a good plan to raise a lot of them this year. Then too, rutabagas can be planted later than ordinary crops.

Anyone can still offer themselves as volunteers and not wait to be drafted. Those who enlist before the time to register can select any branch of the service they like, army navy, artilley, aviation, signal and wireless corps, etc. Men can now enlist for the WAR ONLY and be discharged as soon as the war is over. See the postmaster and get a free ticket to the recruiting office.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Mar. 1917.

Cream received	12,327 lbs
Average test	26 1
Butter fat	3119.56 lbs
Percent overrun	24 58
Butter made	3885 lbs
Balance on hand last month	02
Received for butter shipped	1419 51
Butter and milk sold patrons	14 15
Cash sales at creamery	45 15
Rec'd from other sources	
Total	$1478 83
Paid patrons by check	1289 90
" " " Butter & milk	14 15
Expense fund, etc.	130 74
Other sources	18 00
To sinking fund	21 78
Balance on hand	4 28
Total	$1478 83

Number of patrons, 70

Price paid for butter fat, 42c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 Rudolph Dahl $71.31, T. O. Dovre $46.36, John Magnuson $44.63, Andrew Bjerk $40.34.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

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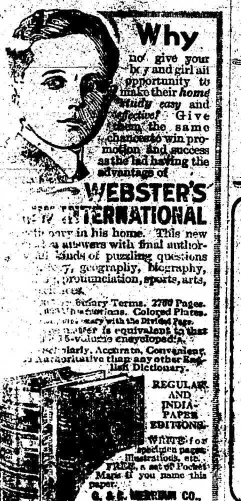

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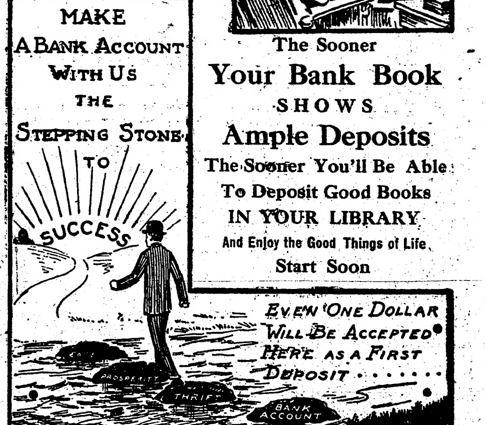

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Rip roaring fun at the movie show Saturday nite.

The stores will close at 7 o'clock from now on until farther notice.

Miss Betty Johnson left Monday for Crookston where she will attend Summer School.

H. H. Harding the McConnon medicine man will be in Holt the 26 and 27th. of June.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 8:00 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

Mrs. C. E. Russell and children of Superior, Wis., came Tuesday to visit at the homes of her sisters, Mrs. A. H. Huseth and Mrs. H. J. Oien.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will have an auction sale and lunch in the church basement. Tuesday evening June 26th. Everyone invited.

Mrs. Ingebrigtson, of Fertile, arrived here Saturday for a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Nelson. Mabel Hagberg returned home with her.

E. M. Bennes autoed up from T. R. Falls Sunday with his father, L. M. Bennes, brother, Ed. and wife, and his uncle B. M. Bennes and wife, all of Fertile, for a visit at the home of his brother, Albert Bennes and family.

The Village Board of Review will meet at the Council Room at 8 o'clock next Monday evening. If you have any kick on your assessment, then is the time to make it.

E. R. Rudman returned home last week Wednesday from a business trip to Kansas and a short visit with friends in Illinois. He also passed thru the states of Nebraska, Missouri Iowa and southern Minnesota and reports the crops generally as being quite late.

Among those from this vicinity who attended different sessions of the Gospel Mission meetings in T. R. Falls last week we note the following: Rev. M. T. Strom, Martin Evenson, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson, Mrs. John Thompson, Messrs. P. O. and P. P. Reierson and their wives, Ole Moen and Alfred Sollom.

Guy Anderson had six lambs killed Saturday night and Sunday night, because there were no more lambs, two sheep were so badly injured they may not live. It is thought to be the work of wolves.

This is quite a loss to Mr. Anderson and very discouraging as he was just getting nicely started in sheep raising.

Nils Engebretsen has received notice that more volunteers are wanted before July 1st. to fill the ranks of the regular army, that each place is expected to furnish their quota and if no one volunteers from here, that a larger proportion will be drafted. Unmarried men between the ages of 18 and 40 will be accepted and reduce our quota for the draft.

Local Bank Buys Liberty Bonds.

Holt State Bank has purchased $1000.00 worth of Liberty Bonds all in $50.00 denominations and will be glad to furnish them to their customers. Easy terms of payment.

Take Notice

Sealed bids will be received by the Farmers and Village Switchboard Co. of Holt, for operator at the switchboard, up to 1 o'clock P. M. of June 26th 1917. State salary wanted per month, operator to commence work July 1st, 1917.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Fire in Middle River

Fire from an unknown origin completely destroyed the Red Lake Falls Milling Company's elevator at Middle River Tuesday night. The agent, C. A. Berg, saved his books, by crawling thru the fire and smoke. He had about 800 bushel of grain on hand which was to have been loaded out the next day.

A telephone call for help reached our people a little before 9 o'clock and several autos and the two railroad speeders loaded with men quickly responded but upon arrival they found they were powerless to help without more hose. The fire was quite a distance from the power house and their hose was not long enough to reach it. The other elevator was barely saved by hard work even to carrying water to the roof in pails and having men there to put out the sparks as they fell. It is reported that one of these men was badly burned.

Olson's movies are always good. He shows here every Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken, A. R. Jones and P. L. Anderson autoed to T. R. Falls Sunday.

C. L. Sanberg and family visited friends in St. Hilaire Sunday.

C. L. Heinze has been laid up for several days with an attack of the rheumatism.

Mrs. A. L. Carlson and baby are visiting her mother on the farm this week.

Mrs. Ollie Werner and children have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg since Sunday.

The McConnon medicine man H. H. Harding, was seen on our streets this week.

Mrs. Mary Angove and Miss Mattie Volstad of Minneapolis held gospel meetings here Tuesday night.

Buy yourself rich at the auction sale next Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Ladies Aid, at the Mission church.

Mesdames Ole Knutson, R. L. Olson and son Martin, returned Saturday from visiting relatives in Minneapolis and Dassel.

The farmers and business men of Karlstad have organized a potato growers association and will build a warehouse to take care of the big acreage planted there.

They're better than medicine. We mean the funny pictures at the movies Saturday night.

Some people are rich and do'nt know it.

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Southeast of Holt.

The Ladies Aid of the Free church will have their picnic at the S. Moe home, Sunday June 24, commencing at 11 o'clock.

There will be services conducted at the Free church in Excell June 26, 27, 28th.

Mrs. J. Skomdal is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. M. Anderson and sons Martin and Arthur, and daughter Ida autoed up from Union N. D. on Sunday and visited with the formers sister Mrs. Albert Klungness, Miss Olga Klungness accompanied them back.

The young People Society at the C. Larson home on Sunday afternoon was well attended. A good time was reported by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Guttrud and son Willie of Union, N. Dak. autoed up to the Guttrud home Sunday returning Tuesday.

The Ose young folks and Mrs. Johnson were pleasantly entertained at the Klungness home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. P. Michaelson and children Oliver and Esther and Mrs. Peterson visited at the home of Mrs. Guttrud Sunday afternoon.

Cut the high cost of living by taking in the lunch at the Ladies Aid next Tuesday evening.

Patriotism Pays, make that your slogan, then go practice what you preach.

This is Red Cross Week. Minnesota's share is two million dollars. This office will gladly receive and [illegible] of Humanity.

The Holt boys are feeling pretty good over the Sunday ball game which they won on the home ground from Middle River by a score of 7 to 2 in a seven inning game.

Saturday night is the regular schedule for the moving picture show. Popular prices.

John Engstrom and family went to Argyle Saturday to take in the Farmers Club picnic.

Peter Kolden was still at Norfolk at last reports, but expected to leave soon.

Rev. Ordahl is conducting a parochial school in the basement of the public school building, to continue one month.

Save the Waste. The American people waste in a thousand different ways. It must be stopped if we are to win the war. Now is the time to begin. Get busy at once.

Axel Nelson and Svenke Svenkeson have commenced grading on the state road south from here to Steiner. They are using their big tractor to pull the road grader.

Mrs. Frank Gavere and children from Middle River visited the past week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Haldor Hanson, also with Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen and other old friends.

Yesterday we received a Ringbo letter which we cannot publish as the writers failed to sign their names. The name of the writer should be signed to all correspondence, which should reach this office not later than Wednesday.

Mrs. Andrew Movik was on the sick list last week.

A pleasant surprise was given Mrs. R. L. Olson Tuesday afternoon when several of her neighbor friends walked in unceremoniously, to help celebrate her birthday. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent and after partaking of a delicious lunch, the company departed leaving for the hostess some very pretty gifts with which to remember the occasion.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 11 o'clock A. M.

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

The Ladies Aid will hold an auction sale and serve lunch in the basement, Tuesday eve. June 26th.

For Sale.

Good 15 Jewel Elgin Watch in good condition. Will sell cheap as I have two of them.

Elof Johnson, Holt, Minn.

Notice!

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for Tractor power pulling one 24 inch plow or road grader. State price per mile traveled, Town to furnish grader.

Bids will be received up to June 25th 1917, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Township Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Town Board.

J. A. Sorum, Town Clerk,
Town of East Valley.

Boost for Holt, first, last and all the time. Boost.

Atty. E. M. Stanton was here from T. R. Falls Monday on business.

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

Teachers Training School, Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, Minn., July 18 to 27. Enroll now.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Olson, Miss [illegible] Olson attended a birthday party Sunday given for Mrs. Ole Kjelgren at her home.

Be a booster, the selfish never yet built up a town.

H. P. Oien of Shelly, visited here Monday and Tuesday at the home of his son, H. J. Oien and family.

The Steigen Brothers of Steiner came here Monday to saw wood for several parties in town.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ellestad went to Spring Grove Monday for a couple of weeks visit with relatives and friends.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Christ Birkeland Sunday June 10th.

Miss Mabel Flakne has gone to Canada, where she has employment.

John Ostlund, who has been drilling a well near Newfolden, was probably fatally injured one night last week when his auto overturned with him. He was taken to Warren and at last reports the doctors had given up hopes of his recovery.

The upper joists for the ceiling of the bank building have been put up and the brick work will soon be finished.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., May 15, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Peter Anderson, of Thief River Falls Minn., who, on January 27th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 07209, for SW 1-4 Section 15, Twp. 155 N., Range 42 W., 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 27th day of June, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Halvor Moe, Charles Stenerson, Martin Sampson and Christ Nelson all Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Wake Up! Our country is at war.

Geo. Gusa and H. O. Ekerdalen are grading the road for four miles east from C. L. Heinze's corner.

Dr. Haney of T. R. Falls was here Monday in counsel with Dr. Olson over a veterinary case.

Mrs. Ole Lund and daughter returned to Goodridge Monday after a few days visit with old friends and neighbors in and near Holt.

It has been pretty cool so far for June. We'll get paid after while—with interest at at "bout leven per cent."

The hook worm causes laziness in the person afflicted with it. It is commonly supposed that it is found only in the south, but they occassionly come north.

Mrs. K. T. Knutson returned on Monday from an extended visit at the homes of her two daughters in Gary.

C. E. Peterson visited Sunday at Badger with his parents. He made the trip with an auto party of friends from St. Hilaire.

Holt is bound to grow [illegible] you forget it.

This damp weather is ideal for the seeding of millet, which is a good crop to smother weeds.

The U. S. Navy is still calling for men to run ships that are ready and waiting.

Scrap Iron Wanted!

Until June 25th

I will pay market price for all kinds of Scrap Iron up to that time, as I have a contract with the Thief River Hide & Fur Co. which expires then.

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Wheat No. 2	1.98
Wheat No. 3	1.87
Wheat No. 4	1.61
Flax	2.86
Oats	.56
Barley	68 to .94
Rye	2.09
Flour, Best Patent	7.25

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Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

Fireproof Wood.

To make wood fireproof, slack a small quantity of fresh lime and add water until it has the consistency of cream; stir well and add one pound of alum, 12 ounces of commercial potash and about one pound of salt. Stir again and apply while hot. Two or three coats will keep wood fireproof for many months.

Bring Your Scrap Iron to Steiner

I will pay the Highest Market Price in cash or trade, up to July 15th, for scrap iron of all kinds.

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ARE SHORT BUT INTERESTING

Brief Mention of What Is Transpiring in Various Sections of Our Own and Foreign Countries

U. S.-Teutonic War News.

The War department has issued a call for 70,000 single men, 18 to 40, without dependents, to fill the regular army to war strength before June 30.

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Orders for the arrest of every man beween the ages of 21 and 30, inclusive, in the United States who cannot show a certificate of registration for war service, was issued by Provost Marshal General Crowder.

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Germany has notified the United States that she regards the seventy-four American merchant sailors brought in by the raider Moewe, as prisoners of war and that they will be treated as such.

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The submarine chaser building program is more than a month ahead of schedule. The Navy department announced that nearly three times the expected number of 110-foot chasers will be delivered by August 1.

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One hundred American aviators from the navy flying corps have arrived safely in France for any duty that may present itself, according to a statement issued by Secretary Daniels. They are the first of the American fighting forces to reach France.

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Secretary Daniels told t[illegible] naval affairs committee that a [illegible] traitor to the government is operating in the navy department and that information is being furnished Germany regarding America's war plans.

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Shortage of ships for military transport service constitutes one of the biggest problems before America's war chiefs. That the dispatch of the new army may have to be delayed by reason of this lack of transports is admitted.

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General John J. Pershing, commander of America's first expeditionary force, has arrived in France. It is made known that he will be an important commander, such as Marshal Haig, co-operating with the French commander while on French soil.

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The War department has chosen sites for the sixteen cantonment camps at which military towns are to be built by September 1, when the first draft troops will be called to the colors. Troops from Nebraska, Minnesota, Iowa and the Dakotas will be trained at Des Moines.

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President Wilson warned the American people in his flag day address at Washington that Germany has carried into effect the greater part of her immediate plan of conquest and now is negotiationg a new "intrigue of peace" designed to end the war while her aggressions are secure.

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General Pershing and his staff, numberg 198 officers and enlisted men, the vanguard of America's first expeditionary force, arrived safely at a British port last Friday. The party started about June 1, without any publicity being given their departure. Gen. Pershing made known, immediately upon his arrival that he and his officers were anxious to get into harness at their base in France. The party was given a great ovation in England.

General News.

Ten dead and a property loss of $1,000,000 resulted from the fire at the American Sugar Refining company's plant in Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Final estimates place the number of miners killed in a fire at the Granite mountain mine of the North Butte Copper company near Butte, Mont., at 171.

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At least 20,000 persons are living in the streets and parks of San Salvador, Nicaragua, made destitute and without food and shelter as a result of the earthquake and volcanic eruption.

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Governor Gardner of Missouri, by proclamation, has placed a quarantine on the shipment of stock hogs from other states into Missouri until they are inoculated against hog cholera and held for fourteen days.

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The United States note to China, expressing regret over the dissensions in that country and a sincere desire that tranquility be forthwith established caused surprise and unfavorable criticism in Jaapn, where the action is regarded as ignoring Japan's special position in China.

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San Salvador, Nicaragua, a city of 65,000 population, and several towns and villages nearby, were partially destroyed by a violent earthquake. The casualties were enormous, according to early reports.

San Diego, Cal., has added an aerial fire fighting machine to its department. This is believed to be the first fire fighting unit of its kind in the world.

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The supreme board of directors of the Knights of Columbus announced the appropriation of $1,000,000 by the order for the establishment and maintenance of recreation centers at all the principal army concentration camps.

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Every railroad in Illinois has raised its passenger rate from 2 cents a mile to 2.4 cents a mile, applicable to intrastate and interstate traffic. The order is in compliance with a ruling issued by Federal Judge Dwyer of the United States circuit court at St. Louis, which empowered railroads to increase their passenger fares on or before June 12.

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The body of the 14-months-old baby, Lloyd Keet, who was kidnaped from his home at Springfield, Mo., on June 8, was found in a well near a "haunted" house, long since abandoned, in the Ozark mountains, eight miles southwest of the city. It is believed the child was thrown into the well shortly after being spirited away. Several arrests have been made.

Washington Notes.

Congress has passed the $3,000,000,000 war budget measure. It appropriates the greatest sum ever voted at one time by any legislative body. Its amount is greater than the total cost of the civil war.

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The house tax bill was decreased about $9,000,000 more by the senate finance committee in deciding to reduce the manufacture tax on athletic goods, patent medicines, perfumeries and cosmetics from 5 to 2 per cent.

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[illegible]on against labor unions under the Sherman anti-trust law, the supreme court decided in dismissing proceedings against New York carpenters' unions, can be secured only by the government and not by private persons.

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In the belief that the establishment of a federal food administration will result in lower prices, organized labor forces in the United States has started an active campaign for passage by July 1 of the food bills pending in congress.

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Despite the fact that America's 1917 wheat crop is placed at 656,000,000 bushels, 16,000,000 bushels more than last year's crop, the United States must practice rigid economy, says the Department of Agriculture, if needs of the allies are to be met. The report states that this country has virtually no reserve supply of wheat.

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Announcing failure of its plan to relieve the news print paper situation and predicting panic prices unless the government steps in, the federal trade commission asked congress to authorize a government pooling scheme to insure both an equitable distribution of the product to consumers and a fair profit to manufacturer.

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Lamb for the table will be almost unknown if the farmers of the country heed the admonition which is being pressed on them by the experts of the U. S. department of agriculture. The experts say ewe lambs should be saved for breeding purposes and only those slaughtered which are absolutely worthless for breeding stock.

European War News.

The death by starvation within three months of 500 Belgans interned in Germany is reported in a semi-official statement given out in Paris.

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The German line in Belgium is crumbling under the British offensive there. Evidence of this appears in the announcement by London of a German retreat on a front of approximately two miles in the area southwest of Warenton.

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In response to demands by the allies King Constantine of Greece, who had reigned over the nation since 1913, abdicated his throne in favor of his second son, Prince Alexander. The fallen monarch and his son, Crown Prince George, heir apparent, both accused of being pro-German in sympathy, have left the country, it is said.

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Hamburg, Germany, has just bidden farewell to the noted chimes in two principal churches, St. Nicholas and St. Peters, from which the bells have been seized by German authorities to be melted into cannon.

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London announces the destruction by a submarine of the British Red Star Line Steamship Southland with a loss of possibly thirty-three lives. It is said that five men aboard the ship were killed outright and that twenty-eight are missing.

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"No man in the Russian army dares speak of a separate peace. If he did, his comrades would shoot him," declared Nicholas Nackoff, a former New York editor, who just returned to Petrograd from the front.

HEAVY ATTACK BY ENEMY IN FRANCE FORCES HAIG BACK

TREMENDOUS ASSAULT ON NEWLY WON POSITIONS EAST OF MONCHY LE PREUX COMPELS BRITISH TO RETIRE.

MACEDONIA RETIREMENT IS REPORTED BY BERLIN

British Withdrawal from Struma Lowlands Also Heralded by Bulgarians —Russians Resume Offensive— Saloniki Expedition Criticized in Commons.

London, June 19.—A tremendous German attack on newly won British positions east of Monchy Le Preux forced the British to fall back from certain advanced posts, Field Marshal Haig reports.

Reports from Berlin and Sofia assert a general retirement of the British in the Struma lowland, Macedonia.

Active participation of Russian troops on the northern front is reported by Petrograd.

Compelled to Retire.

"Early Monday morning the enemy strongly attacked our new positions east of Monchy Le Preux," Haig stated. "After severe fighting we were compelled to fall back from certain advanced posts in front of our main new position. We still hold Infantry hill."

Monchy Le Preux, five miles southeast of Arras, is one of the turning points on the General Hindenburg front, being on the so-called Drocourt-Queant "switch line." It has been the scene of tremendous fighting ever since the British struck out from the Vimy ridge and drove toward Douai.

Berlin Readjusts Activities.

Berlin official reports hinted at readjustment of fighting activities on two widely separated fronts.

First was the resumption of offensive war by the Russians in the Lutsk sector, which, combined with Petrograd dispatches detailing the vote of a secret session of the duma urging an immediate offensive, gave great hope here that Russia was making ready to "do her bit."

Second was the Berlin statement indicating a withdrawal by the British Saloniki expeditionary force from certain positions in the Struma lowlands. An official Bulgarian report also asserts the British are making a general retirement there.

Explanation Sought.

There have been numerous attempts in the house of commons to obtain from the ministry an explanation of the full reasons of the British participation in the Macedonian offensive.

Certain members have insisted that the British forces now there under General Sarrail could be utilized to vastly better effect on the western front, backing up Field Marshal Haig's offensive.

ENORMOUS SUPPLIES OF FUEL FOR NAVY ORDERED

Secretary Daniels Directs Producers to Furnish Coal and Oil At Prices to Be Fixed Later.

Washington, June 19.—Secretary Josephus Daniels has ordered coal and oil producers to supply the enormous quantities needed by the navy at prices to be fixed later by the president when the federal trade commission has determined a fair rate. The navy will purchase 1,750,000 tons of coal and 50,000,000 barrels of oil under this application of authority granted by congress.

A basic price of $56.20 a ton was fixed for steel plates in contracts for 10 steel ships signed by Chairman Denman of the shipping board. Future contracts will be let at that price instead of $95 paid for steel in some earlier contracts.

Secretary Daniels said that the coal operators proposed to furnish coal at a rate of $2.95 a ton at the mine. The navy has been paying $2.88 a ton delivered.

I. C. C. MEMBER PASSES AWAY

Judson C. Clements Dies in Washington—Served Since 1892.

Washington, June 19.—Commissioner Judson C. Clements of the Interstate Commerce commission died here. Commissioner Clements had served on the rate making body since 1892 and once had been chairman. He was 60 years old, a native of Georgia and before going on the commission had served five terms in Congress, representing the district of which his home, Rome, Ga., was the center. He was a Democrat and was first appointed by President Cleveland.

First Woman Minister in Russia.

Petrograd, June 19.—In a workman's blouse and leather skirt Countess Sophie Panin has appeared to take up the post of assistant minister of social tutelage, a department of state with the function of administering the charitable and social institutions and also the care of children. The countess is the world's first woman minister. She is 45 years old and wealthy. In a statement to the Associated Press she declared that her staff of officials would consist mostly of women.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Minneapolis. — William Williamson of Mankato has been taken to the City hospital with what were believed to be fatal injuries, suffered when he was run down by an automobile.

Gilbert. — J. Neimi, the village water wagon driver, was taken off his wagon by officers and arrested for not registering in accordance with the provisions of the draft law.

Minneapolis. — The Minnesota National guard, including the new units about to be organized, will need about 3,350 recruits to bring the organization up to full war strength.

St. Cloud. — J. C. Munro, former grand commander of the state Masonic body, died at his home here. He was secretary of the St. Cloud lodge for the last thirteen years. He was 74 years old.

St. Cloud. — A $1,000,000 theatrical corporation with Minneapolis as the nucleus, has been formed by a company headed by Frank E. Nemec, a local exhibitor, and a number of bankers and others.

Virginia. — Nick Luona, 28 years old, an I. W. W., was shot in the back by a policeman at Virginia, Minn., while seeking to escape arrest as a slacker. Sixty-one arrests have been made in and near Virginia.

St. Paul. — Rains have finally checked the forest fires in Northern Minnesota and conditions are greatly improved, according to reports to the capitol. More charges of incendiary forest fires have been received.

Northfield. — Eighty-two received diplomas at the 50th annual commencement exercises of Carleton college in Skinner Memorial chapel. Prof. Maria Sanford and President-emeritus Cyrus Northrop of the University of Minnesota delivered the commencement addresses.

Cloquet. — Three men were injured, one seriously, here when the piston rod in the Cloquet water power mill broke and partially wrecked the plant. John Sironen escaped death when rescued from the slasher chain, on which he had been thrown and which was carrying him into a rapidly revolving saw.

Minneapolis. — Every organization of women in Minnesota will be expected to dovetail its war work with that of all the other organizations. War work centralization will be through the woman's auxiliary committee of the State Public Safety commission, of which Mrs. T. G. Winter of Minneapolis is director.

Minneapolis. — More than 33 per cent of Minnesota's fire losses are partly preventable, 25 per cent are strictly preventable and a large percentage of the balance are "unknown but probably preventable," according to a report furnished Chief Ringer of the fire department by the National Board of Fire Underwriters.

St. Paul. — Reports from 14 additional scattered counties in Minnesota all carry the same story, "Crop prospects are excellent." Fred D. Sherman, immigration commissioner, has given out reports from Ottertail, Houston, Nobles, Pennington, Waseca, Dakota, Todd, Goodhue, Wilkin, Mower, Lincoln, Renville, St. Louis and Pipestone counties.

St. Paul. — Captain W. F. Rhinow, military secretary to Governor Burnquist; Colonel William J. Murphy, newly commissioned commandant of the proposed Second Minnesota field artillery, and Major Harry L. Brady, United States disbursing officer, left last Friday for an automobile tour of Southern Minnesota towns to look after plans to enlist a new artillery battalion.

St. Paul. — Organization of the additional regiment of artillery and a new field hospital corps to strengthen the Minnesota National guard and increase the state's contribution to the fighting forces of the nation is to be deferred temporarily, Captain Walter F. Rhinow, military secretary to Governor Burnquist, indicated, pending further investigation on plans to assign a battalion of new artillery units among Southern Minnesota towns.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist, who has been mentioned as a possible aspirant for the United States Senate to succeed Senator Knute Nelson, who, it has been announced, would not succeed himself, has announced officially he would not become a candidate for the office. "I should prefer," the governor said, "to be a candidate for re-election as governor, should I determine to remain in public life." State Auditor Preus has been considered a likely man.

St. Paul. — With only St. Paul city, Koochiching county and the Northwest angle precinct returns lacking, Minnesota registrations under the selective draft proclamation totaled 197,015 against the government's estimate of 215,578 for the districts included. Every slacker in Minnesota will be arrested. Both state and federal authorities have received specific orders to arrest every man eligible under the selective draft act who failed to register for military duty.

Rochester. — Roy Rasmussen, 18 years old, slayer of his cousin, Ralph Rasmussen, former restaurant man here, was sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge G. W. Granger in district court. The boy pleaded guilty to a charge of murder.

Washington. — Three projects for the improvement of 103 miles of road in Minnesota through federal aid have been approved by D. F. Houston, secretary of agriculture. These are the first of the road improvement projects to be approved in the middle western states. The improvements will cost $316,200.

ROADS MAY ATTACK STATE 2-CENT RATE

U. S. COURT'S DECISIONS MAY AFFECT SITUATION—MOVE TO BE CONTESTED.

HAPPENINGS AT STATE HOUSE

What Is Transpiring in the Different Departments Where the Affairs of State Government Are Administered.

St. Paul.

Minnesota's 2 cent passenger rate may be attacked as a result of a decision in the United States circuit court at St. Louis and the decision rendered by the United States Supreme Court in the South Dakota express rate case.

Such an attempt is considered probable by C. E. Elmquist, member of the State Railroad Commission, who says that any such action in Minnesota will be vigorously contested.

E. C. Lindley, general counsel of the Great Northern railroad, said the Great Northern railroad, said in these two cases might be broad enough to affect the situation in Minnesota, but that he could not say definitely until he had seen the text of the decisions. Nothing new in principle is involved, he said.

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State Draft Returns 221,747.

The official Minnesota return, showing 221,747 selective draft registrations, has been sent by Governor Burnquist to Provost Marshal General E. H. Crowder at Washington, D. C. Koochiching county reports completed the returns. Minnesota's registration is now 18,804 below the government estimate of 250,551, but is subject to corrections on rechecks of the summaries and to supplementary returns on late registrations.

Exemption claims are indicated on the cards of 108,796 out of 194,163 white citizens and of 589 out of 982 negroes registered. The Indians included 32 in Carlton county, the cards of other Minnesota red men having been sent direct to Washington by the Indian agent.

Aliens numbering 24,599 and 1,971 alien enemies make up the balance of the state registration total.

Preliminary checks of the summary, Adjt. Gen. Fred B. Wood said, indicate that there will be numerous changes in the present returns by counties.

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Murphy Colonel of Second Artillery.

Governor J. A. A. Burnquist has announced the promotion of Lieutenant Colonel William J. Murphy of St. Paul to the coloneicy of the Second Minnesota Field artillery. The appointment was recommended some time ago by the state military board and has been ratified by the governor. Major W. C. Rutherford, St. Paul, was at the same time appointed to have charge of the organization of the new field hospital corps. Commissions will be issued at once according to the announcement of Captain W. F. Rhinow, military secretary to the governor. Immediate work on the reorganization of these units will start.

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Summer Session at "U" Open.

The summer session of the University of Minnesota has just opened with a full curriculum and a large teaching force. For the first time the summer session will retain the form of registration in use during the regular college year and offer only courses of strictly college grade, L. D. Coffman, dean of the college of education, and director of the summer session, announced.

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New State Tuberculosis Resort.

Proposals to erect the joint Crow Wing-Aitkin county tuberculosis sanitarium at Deerwood have been received by the State Board of Control. The new sanitarium will be located on the old state fish hatchery site at Deerwood. It will be the eighteenth tuberculosis hospital erected under the law providing that the state will bear half the cost up to $50,000 maximum.

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Receives Loan Applications.

The State Board of Investment has voted to again begin receiving applications for state loans from counties, municipalities and schools, beginning July 1. The board last December decided to take no further applications until a long-pending list was disposed of.

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To Aid Guards Attain War Strength.

The commander of each Minnesota national guard regiment was authorized to expend $2,000 to bring his unit to the full quota at a conference between Governor Burnquist and the State Public Safety Commission. There are four units.

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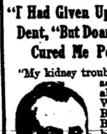
Pine Rust Fight Is Begun.

Six experts from the state entomologist's office have begun a campaign for the eradication of the white pine blister rust. Every nursery, park, cemetery and private grove in the staate is to be inspected. F. L. Washburn, state entomologist, is in charge of the work and his five assistants are running down every "lead" from infected nurseries. In two instances diseased stock has been found and adjoining pines destroyed. The work of inspection is not confined to pine groves.



"Doans Saved My Life"
"I Had Given Up Hope" Says Mr. Dent, "But Doan's Kidney Pills Cured Me Permanently."

"My kidney trouble began with backache, which ran on about a year," says W. H. Dent, 2213 Reynolds Street, Brunswick, Ga. "My back got so I was at times unable to sleep, even in a chair. Often the pain bent me double. I would be prostrated and someone would have to move me. Uric acid got into my blood and I began to break out. This got so bad I went to a hospital for treatment. I stayed there three months, but got but little better. Dropsy set in and I bloated until nearly half again my size. My knees were so swollen the flesh burst in strips. I lay there panting, and just about able to catch my breath. I had five doctors; each one said it was impossible for me to live.

"I hadn't taken Doan's Kidney Pills long before I began to feel better. I kept on and was soon able to get up. The swelling gradually went away and when I had used eleven boxes I was completely cured. I have never had a bit of trouble since. I owe my life and my health to Doan's Kidney Pills."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box
DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

Mr. Dent

Will Have to Dig.

They were talking in Washington about putting a heavy tax on idle lands. In other words, the landlords will have to dig one way or another.—Houston Post.

DON'T WORRY ABOUT PIMPLES

Because Cuticura Quickly Removes Them—Trial Free.

On rising and retiring gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off the Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water, using plenty of Soap. Keep your skin clear by making Cuticura your every-day toilet preparations.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Venal Justice.

Former President Taft, during a visit to Texas, said at a dinner in Galveston:

"There is a story which illustrates the importance of keeping our judges out of business or trade.

"It's a story about a magistrate who was also a flour and feed dealer. A farmer was brought before the man for failing to notify of a case of cattle disease. The magistrate delivered judgment as follows:

"'You are fined $5 for this offense, with $2.50 costs, making $7.50, and $9 you owe me for your last bill of feed, or $16.50 in all—$16.50, or thirty days.'"

Tomb of Mohammed Looted.

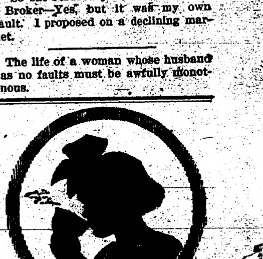
Intense indignation has been aroused throughout the Mussulman world by the sacrilege of the Turkish government, which seized the jewels and money which the faithful in the course of centuries have deposited on the tomb of Mohammed. Among these treasures are a large number of precious stones, including the famous diamond known as the "Shining Star," which the Turkish government has carried away. This stone is valued at more than one and one-half million dollars.

Wrong Time.

"So she refused you?"

Broker—Yes, but it was my own fault. I proposed on a declining market.

The life of a woman whose husband has no faults must be awfully monotonous.



PARENTS
who love to gratify children's desire for the same articles of food and drink that grown-ups use, find
INSTANT POSTUM
just the thing.
"There's a Reason"

BUSINESS GOOD IN CANADA

No Financial Depression, and None Since the War Began.

A well-known correspondent of an important Western daily paper recently made an extended visit to Western Canada, and in summing up the results, after going thoroughly into conditions there, says there is no financial depression in Canada, nor has there been anything of the sort since the war began. Anyone who has watched the barometer of trade, and seen the bank clearings of the different cities grow and continue to grow will have arrived at the same conclusion. The trade statistics reveal a like situation. The progress that the farmers are making is highly satisfactory. As this correspondent says: "It is true there have been adaptations to meet new conditions, and taxes have been revised, and that a very large burden of added expense in many lines has been assumed, but it has all been done methodically, carefully and with full regard for the resources to be called on.

"That this has been done fairly and wisely is proved by the present comfortable financial position.

"With the exception of a restricted area in the east, Canada is not an industrial country. The greater portion of the Dominion must be classed as agricultural area, with only an infinitesimal part of it fully developed.

"Lacking complete development, the agricultural portion of Canada has naturally placed its main dependence upon fewer resources than would be the case in the States. Even in peace times, business would be subject to more frequent and wider fluctuations, due to the narrower foundation upon which it rests.

"Thus, Canada has been able to come up to the war with efficiency and sufficiency and to maintain and even advance its civilian activities.

"Canada's first element of financial strength lay in its branch bank system. This system has two great advantages: it makes the financial resources of the Dominion fluid so that supplies of capital can run quickly from the high spots to the low spots; also, it places at the command of each individual branch the combined resources of the whole institution so that there is an efficient safeguard against severe strain at any one point.

"Here in Winnipeg, the all-Canada banking houses maintain big, strong branches and, as elsewhere in the Dominion, these held to an attitude of saneness and solidity that prevented even the start of any financial disturbance.

That business generally is now coming strong on an even keel is largely due to the absolute refusal of the banks, both branch and independent, to exhibit the slightest signs of excitement or apprehensiveness.

"For all Canada the savings bank figures are astonishing. Beginning with 1913, they are, for the fiscal year ending March 31:

1913	$622,928,968
1914	663,650,230
1915	683,761,432
1916	738,169,212
1917	888,765,698

"These figures represent what Canadians have put away after paying the increased living cost, which is about the same as in the States, all increases in taxes and imports of all kinds made necessary by the war and generous subscriptions to war bond issues.

"Prohibition has helped greatly in keeping the money supplies circulating in the normal, necessary channels. Tradesmen generally attribute a large part of the good financial condition to the fact that the booze bill has been eliminated. Canada takes law enforcement with true British seriousness.

"Financially, as in every other respect, Canada has developed sufficiency. She has done it in spite of initial conditions which would not look promising in the States and she has done it in a big, strong way.

"One of the best things we did," said one of the leading Winnipeg bankers to me, "was to decide early in the game that we simply would not borrow trouble.

"We started in ignorance of how the war would develop and without knowing exactly what our resources were, and had to find the way.

"And yet Canadians are not overburdened with taxes nor are they complaining of them. For the common people there has been but a slight tax increase, if any, in a direct way. Indirect payments, of course, are made in the shape of higher prices for living commodities, but the price advance on such items is no heavier than in the States in the same period."—Advertisement.

One-Sided.

"Do you and your husband disagree?"

"He never does."

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Experience is a dear teacher—when it comes in the form of a pretty school-ma'am.

Many a man's first mistake lies in the selection of his parents.

PEACE OFFER SENT TO SLAVS THROUGH SWISS, PAPER SAYS

PROPOSAL FOR PEACE REPORTED BY STOCKHOLM PUBLICATION —FORMER TEUTON ADVANCES DENOUNCED.

STRONGHOLD CAPTURED BY ITALIANS, ROME SAYS

Cardona Takes Guns and Other Booty —Spanish Army Reported Leading Revolutionary Movement Which Threatens Nation's Ancient Throne—Issues Not Clear.

Stockholm, June 18.—The Social Demokraten says: Germany has made an offer of peace to Russia through a member of the Swiss federal council.

Various moves on the part of Germany and Austria since the Russian revolution to arrange a separate peace with Russia have been reported, although not in the form of an offer directly by either government. A week ago the Council of Workmen and Soldiers of Russia made public the fact that the German commander in chief on the Eastern front had sent a wireless message inviting the Russian armies to a separate armistice to be followed by secret negotiations with the German leaders. This proposal was denounced by the council.

Vienna Denies Rumor.

Maxim Gorky, the Russian author, last month made it known that D. Rizow, the Bulgarian minister at Berlin, had attempted to inveigle him into secret peace negotiations. It was reported recently from Petrograd that two Austrian generals, ten other Austrian officers and 15 privates had appeared in Kishinev, Russia, declaring that they were peace delegates. This report was denied in Vienna.

Italian Troops Advance.

Rome, June 18.—General Cardona's troops swept forward in another successful offensive dash east of Adaniello, capturing "a strongly fortified position at Corno Cavento," according to an official war office report. The remnants of the garrison and 275 guns were captured with other booty.

Spanish Throne Menaced.

The upheaval caused by the great war, which has already hurled two monarchs from their thrones, now menaces the ancient throne of Spain. The utmost exertions of the Spanish censors have failed to suppress completely the reports of grave happenings in the peninsular kingdom.

The Spanish army is taking the lead in the revolutionary movement, which is further accelerated by the food scarcity and industrial unrest. Rumors of revolt have been current for several months and at the end of May it was announced that the constitutional guarantees would be suspended while the government prohibited all public manifestations in respect to international questions. This was followed by an outbreak at Barcelona June 1, the seriousness of which was indicated by the fact that the soldiers sided with the revolters and imprisoned a number of their officers.

People Favor Allies.

The exact part which the issues of the war play in the Spanish crisis is difficult to determine. The masses of the people have been greatly credited with being strong pro-Ally in sentiment while the aristocracy leaned toward the side of Germany.

BELGIUM'S MISSION TO UNITED STATES ARRIVES

Party Lands in Port After Sea Voyage —Former Minister and American Wife in Party.

Washington, June 18.—Belgium's mission to the United States has arrived at an American port. The personnel includes M. Moncheur, former minister to the United States; General Leclercq, Colonel Durrell, Jean Mertens and Hector Cartier, counsellor of the commission; Major Osterrieth, Count D'Ursel. Baron Moncheur's wife is an American woman, daughter of General Powell Clayton, once United States minister to Mexico.

M'COOL CONVICTED OF MURDER

Found Guilty in Third Degree By Jury —Helped Slay Patrolman.

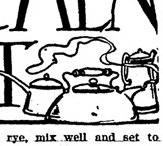
Minneapolis, June 18.—Frank McCool has been convicted of murder in the third degree, in connection with the slaying of Patrolman George Connery, by a jury in district court before Judge Hale.

The conviction carries with it a sentence to the penitentiary of from 7 to 30 years. Sentence will be imposed by Judge Hale.

Aged Actress Dies in New York.

New York, June 18.—Mrs. Sedley Smith, America's oldest actress, died in her sleep at her home in this city. Her last appearance was a year ago. She was born 87 years ago in Boston and at 20 made her debut in "The Child of the Regiment." Mrs. Smith was the widow of Sol Smith, actor, and a cousin of the late Sol Smith Russell of Minneapolis. Her husband died many years ago. Mrs. Smith's birthday was an "event" in stageland, and on this occasion she received hundreds of letters.

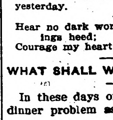
The KITCHEN CABINET



Most of the things that are put off until tomorrow should have been done yesterday.

Hear no dark words, and no forebodings heed;
Courage my heart!

WHAT SHALL WE HAVE TO EAT?



In these days of soaring prices the dinner problem as well as the other meals is one that is constantly growing harder of solution. We hope with a full supply of vegetables fresh from our well-tended gardens that we can cut down on much outside expense, as well as eliminate waste.

Eggs are fairly reasonable and with rice still within reach we shall be able to keep up the body balance if enough thought is given to the preparation of the food given to the children. Adults need food only to supply waste and give heat and energy, while the growing youth need building material which is supplied in green vegetables, milk, cream, butter and eggs, of which they must not be deprived.

Summer squash, spinach, chard, green corn are all vegetables that when well seasoned with some form of fat will make a good meal.

Vegetable soups using a few bones to give flavor to the stock and a small piece of soup-meat, with the addition of vegetables should make two or three good meals. Two toasted slices of bread well buttered placed in the bottom of the soup plate and the soup poured over it will make a most satisfying luncheon for a child or anyone not doing hard labor. The soup meat after all the extractives have been removed is still nutritious meat and with a little judicious seasoning makes a good meat loaf or chopped with cold potatoes or bits of vegetables left from the soup a good hash results.

The first day serve the soup with vegetables and small cubes of the meat, the next time the meat may be in the form of a loaf, and if any is left the hash will be its last appearance.

Cook a cupful of rice until tender, adding a teaspoonful of salt. Melt three tablespoonfuls of butter and add one teaspoonful of curry powder. Stir this lightly into the rice. Pack in buttered molds and let stand until well molded. For those who do not enjoy curry a little chopped green pepper cooked in butter adds a most appetizing flavor.

People who mind their own business usually succeed. They have so little competition.

Time is money, provided you don't spend a dollar's worth of time trying to save a penny.

DISHES FROM THE HOME GARDEN

If indications are any criterion, of home vegetables this summer we will all have all we need and be able to divide with apartment friends, as everybody has a garden spot watched and tended with care. Vegetables taken fresh from one's own garden that have been cared for by members of the family, are much more appreciated than those that are bought in the market and are often wilted and unpalatable.

Spinach.—This is one of our valuable spring greens, called the broom of the blood because it contains valuable mineral matters which are especially valuable in the spring to purify the blood. Cook it in the water that clings to the leaves after washing if you want to retain all of the mineral salts. Pouring off the water from the vegetables after cooking wastes the mineral matters largely as they are soluble in water.

Don't imagine because so many women say so, that soup meat is not nourishing. Soup meat has lost its chief charms, the delicate extractive and flavor which appeal to the taste and smell, but the food is all there and with a little care in seasoning a most delicious meat loaf will result. Add a clove of garlic to a pint of chopped meat, one small onion, a dash or two of red pepper a little poultry dressing with salt, mold into a loaf and press. Serve either hot or cold.

In soup making the addition of vegetables makes a soup much more nourishing than those without, as the vegetable acids, mineral water and the recently discovered substances which are so important to growth called "growth determinant" are all invaluable as food. Any small bits of vegetables may be used as soup flavor and at the same time provide those elements so necessary to the body processes.

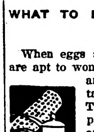
Gipsy Stew.—Cook together a few new potatoes, new carrots, peas and onions, add three or four slices of crisply cooked bacon broken in bits or a little salt pork cut in cubes and browned, add a little hot milk and serve as a chowder with crackers or as a vegetable.

Swedish Rye Bread.—Add to a quart of hot milk a tablespoonful of salt and three-quarters of a cupful of sugar. Add a softened yeast cake, beat well and stir in a quart of wheat flour and a quart of rye, mix well and set to rise. When light, add another quart each of wheat and rye and a little more sugar; knead well and make into six or seven small loaves. If a bread-mixer is used it will be easier to knead as the rye is hard to handle.

If all the world's a stage, a lot of us need more rehearsals.

This would be a much different world if we were all as free with assistance as we are with advice.

WHAT TO EAT IN PLACE OF MEAT.



When eggs are very expensive we are apt to wonder what there is good and wholesome that will take the place of meat. The fuel value of food depends largely upon the amount of fat it contains. When cream, butter milk and olive oil are used freely there is less desire for the fat of meats. Such oils as are extractions of seeds and nuts are more and more common on the market and may be found after fair trial to be worth consideration. The distinctive flavors which have been the only objection to them are gradually being eliminated by greater care in their preparation. There are those who have become accustomed to the flavor by frequent use.

Olive oil is a valuable food much recommended by dieteticians. A salad dressed with oil and served with a cracker or two, with a piece of cheese and a cup of cocoa will supply all the nutriment needed for an ordinary luncheon.

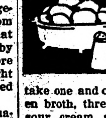
The value of soups, unless cream or purees, is rather overestimated, as the food value of a strong broth which is ninety-five per cent water, even tasting good, is not very great. Soups serve a valuable purpose in stimulating the flow of gastric juices to meet the heavy dinner which follows.

Cheese in combination with rice or macaroni will take the place of meat at luncheon or even a dinner. Crackers dusted with cheese and served with the salad add much food value to the meal. Cheese must not be looked upon only as a relish and we need to give it larger place in our menus.

Pie and doughnuts, contrary to the usual idea, are most nourishing foods for those who work in the open, for picnic lunches. A healthy body will take care of such food with no trouble. Nuts, beans and vegetables served with cream sauces are all foods which will supply all the needed nitrogen without meat.

It is easy enough to be present
When everyone's singing a song,
But the diner worth while
Is the one who will smile
And will stay when your speech is too long.

SOMETHING FOR DINNER.



Cut a chicken or fowl as for fricassee and cook slowly until tender. Salt when nearly done. Remove to a platter on which is spread crisp buttered toast or baking powder biscuits, split or broken in halves. Pour over the following sour cream gravy: take one and one-half cupfuls of chicken broth, three-fourths of a cupful of sour cream and two tablespoonfuls each of butter and flour creamed together. Cook the flour, butter and broth together until smooth, add seasonings and the sour cream, not allowing it to boil as the cream will separate.

Vegetable Curry.—Fry one large onion in two tablespoonfuls of butter until yellow add to this a cupful of boiling water, a tablespoonful of lemon juice and a half teaspoonful of curry powder, cook for five minutes, then add a pint of green peas, a cupful of diced turnips, two cupfuls of potatoes and a half cupful of shredded carrots, all previously cooked. Let stand ten minutes to season and serve very hot. Nice with lamb.

Batter Graham Bread.—At night make a batter of a quart of tepid water, a teaspoonful of salt and about three cupfuls of graham flour, with a yeast cake dissolved in a fourth of a cupful of warm water. Cover closely and let rise. In the morning add a cupful of sugar and enough graham flour to make the dough so stiff that it may be lifted with the hand. Butter pound-sized coffee cans, and fill half full, let rise until three-quarters full and bake an hour in a slow oven.

Asparagus Soup.—Remove the tender tips from a bunch of asparagus and cook in boiling water until tender. Cut the stalks in small pieces and add them to three cupfuls of well seasoned veal or chicken stock, together with a bay leaf, three tablespoonfuls of rice, one tablespoonful each of minced onion, and parsley which should be friend in butter; simmer 30 minutes. Rub through a sieve, add a half cupful of cream, season with salt and pepper and pour onto a well beaten egg yolk. Serve the tips as a garnish.

Nellie Maxwell

What Could He Do?

The Monon passenger car was filled and when a stop was made at a small way station a man and woman boarded it.

Mr. S., who was occupying a seat by himself, arose and offered the woman a seat. She accepted, but when Mr. S. resumed his seat she remarked: "I prefer my husband to sit by me, if you please."

When asked what he did, Mr. S. replied: "Well, what could I do but comply?"—Indianapolis News.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
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Would Have Doctors Exempted.

Many members of the medical profession are indignant at the fact that medical students have not been exempted from military service under the compulsory-service bill, although theological students have been exempted. The need for a supply of physicians, of course, will be increased by the war, which will take many of them to the front. Keeping enough doctors at home to take care of the civil population is one of the perplexing questions faced by the council of national defense. Also, the number of students in this country has been reduced in recent years by the strict standards imposed upon schools, which has put many of them out of business and increased the length of time required for a physician to qualify for practice.

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Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn can shortly be lifted right out with the fingers if you will apply on the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

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To Hear Her Talk.

Willis—What is the total wealth of the United States?

Gillis—To hear Mrs. Bump talk you would think it was a combination of what her father has got, what her husband gets and what she is going to get when her rich uncle dies.—Judge.

Oh, That's Different.

May—Has Mr. Eaton declared his intentions?

Dora—Yes.

May—What did he say?

Dora—He declared in a most decided manner that he would never marry.

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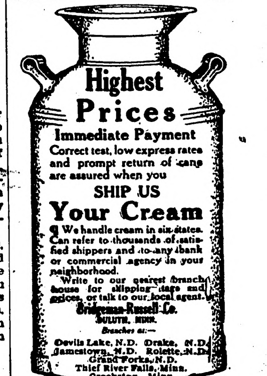

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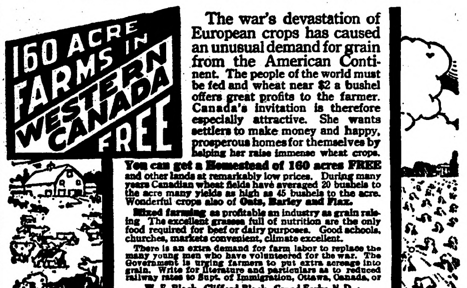
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Disappointed.

He—I only know that I love you.

She—Oh, dear! I thought you knew how to make money, too.

A man should be proud of his enemies if they are of the right sort.

It Was Heavy on His Mind.

Two gross inebriates had approached Ninth street and Grand avenue the other night, reports C. H. S., when one said:

"Wait a minute. I've sumpn very 'mportant to say to you."

"Aw, come on," protested the other. "We're 'n a hurry."

"Yes, I know, but this is vast 'mportance. You'd never guess."

"C'mon, 'slate."

"Aw right. But you'll see. And don't blame me."

"Well, then, what is it?"

"'Tis jus this (very solemnly): D—— a Turk."—Kansas City Star.

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HOW SHALL WE PAY FOR THE WAR?

A Constructive Criticism on the House Revenue Bill.

LOANS BETTER THAN TAXES

Five Reasons Why Excessive Taxes at the Outset of War Are Disadvantageous—Great Britain Example Worthy of Emulation—How the Taxes Should Be Apportioned.

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On May 23, 1917, the House of Representatives passed an act "to provide revenue to defray war expenses and for other purposes." In the original bill as presented by the Committee of Ways and Means, the additional revenue to be derived was estimated at $1,810,420,000. The amendment to the income tax, which was tacked on to the bill during the discussion in the House, was expected to yield another $40,000,000 or $50,000,000.

In discussing the House bill, two problems arise:

I. How much should be raised by taxation?

II. In what manner should this sum be raised?

I. How Much Should Be Raised by Taxation?

How was the figure of $1,800,000,000 arrived at? The answer is simple. When the Secretary of the Treasury came to estimate the additional war expenses for the year 1917-18, he calculated that they would amount to some $6,000,000,000, of which $3,000,000,000 was to be allotted to the allies, and $3,000,000,000 was to be utilized for the domestic purposes. Thinking that it would be a fair proposition to divide this latter sum between loans and taxes, he concluded that the amount to be raised by taxes was $1,800,000,000.

There are two extreme theories, each of which may be dismissed with scant courtesy. The one is that all war expenditures should be defrayed by loans, and the other is that all war expenditures should be defrayed by taxes. Each theory is untenable.

It is indeed true that the burdens of the war should be borne by the present rather than the future generation; but this does not mean that they should be borne by this year's taxation.

Meeting all war expenses by taxation makes the taxpayers in one or two years bear the burden of benefits that ought to be distributed at least over a decade within the same generation.

In the second place, when expenditures approach the gigantic sums of present-day warfare, the tax-only policy would require more than the total surplus of social income. Were this absolutely necessary, the ensuing havoc in the economic life of the community would have to be endured. But where the disasters are so great and at the same time so unnecessary, the tax-only policy may be declared impracticable.

Secretary McAdoo had the right instinct and highly commendable courage in deciding that a substantial portion, at least, of the revenues should be derived from taxation. But when he hit upon the plan of 50-50 per cent., that is, of raising one-half of all domestic war expenditures by taxes, the question arises whether he did not go too far.

The relative proportion of loans to taxes is after all a purely business proposition. Not to rely to a large extent on loans at the outset of a war is a mistake.

Disadvantages of Excessive Taxes.

The disadvantages of excessive taxes at the outset of the war are as follows:

1. Excessive taxes on consumption will cause popular resentment.

2. Excessive taxes on industry will disarrange business, damp enthusiasm and restrict the spirit of enterprise at the very time when the opposite is needed.

3. Excessive taxes on incomes will deplete the surplus available for investments and interfere with the placing of the enormous loans which will be necessary in any event.

4. Excessive taxes on wealth will cause a serious diminution of the incomes which are at present largely drawn upon for the support of educational and philanthropic enterprises. Moreover, these sources of support would be dried up precisely at the time when the need would be greatest.

5. Excessive taxation at the outset of the war will reduce the elasticity available for the increasing demands that are soon to come.

Great Britain's Policy.

Take Great Britain as an example. During the first year of the war she increased taxes only slightly, in order to keep industries going at top notch. During the second year she raised by new taxes only 0 per cent. of her war expenditures. During the third year she levied by additional taxes (over and above the pre-war level) only slightly more than 17 per cent. of her war expenses.

If we should attempt to do as much in the first year of the war as Great Britain did in the third year it would suffice to raise by taxation $1,250,000,000. If, in order to be absolutely on the safe side, it seemed advisable to increase the sum to $1,500,000,000, this should, in our opinion, be the maximum.

In considering the apportionment of the extraordinary burden of taxes in war times certain scientific principles are definitely established:

How Taxes Should Be Apportioned.

(1) The burden of taxes must be spread as far as possible over the whole community so as to cause each individual to share in the sacrifices according to his ability to pay and according to his share in the Government.

(2) Taxes on consumption, which are necessarily borne by the community at large, should be imposed as far as possible on articles of quasi-luxury rather than on those of necessity.

(3) Excises should be imposed as far as possible upon commodities in the hands of the final consumer rather than upon the articles which serve primarily as raw material for further production.

(4) Taxes upon business should be imposed as far as possible upon net earnings rather than upon gross receipts or capital invested.

(5) Taxes upon income which will necessarily be severe should be both differentiated and graduated. That is, there should be a distinction between earned and unearned incomes and there should be a higher rate upon the larger incomes. It is essential, however, not to make the income rate so excessive as to lead to evasion, administrative difficulties, or to the more fundamental objections which have been urged above.

(6) The excess profits which are due to the war constitute the most obvious and reasonable source of revenue during war times. But the principle upon which these war-profit taxes are laid must be equitable in theory and easily calculable in practice.

The Proposed Income Tax.

The additional income tax as passed by the House runs up to a rate of 60 per cent. This is a sum unheard of in the history of civilized society. It must be remembered that it was only after the first year of the war that Great Britain increased her income tax to the maximum of 34 per cent., and that even now in the fourth year of the war the income tax does not exceed 42½ per cent.

It could easily be shown that a tax with rates on moderate incomes substantially less than in Great Britain, and on the larger incomes about as high, would yield only slightly less than the $532,000,000 originally estimated in the House bill.

It is to be hoped that the Senate will reduce the total rate on the highest incomes to 34 per cent, or at most to 40 per cent, and that at the same time it will reduce the rate on the smaller incomes derived from personal or professional earnings.

If the war continues we shall have to depend more and more upon the income tax. By imposing excessive rates now we are not only endangering the future, but are inviting all manner of difficulties which even Great Britain has been able to escape.

Conclusion.

The House bill contains other fundamental defects which may be summed up as follows:

(1) It pursues an erroneous principle in imposing retroactive taxes.

(2) It selects an unjust and unworkable criterion for the excess-profits tax.

(3) It proceeds to an unheard-of height in the income tax.

(4) It imposes unwarranted burdens upon the consumption of the community.

(5) It is calculated to throw business into confusion by levying taxes on gross receipts instead of upon commodities.

(6) It fails to make a proper use of stamp taxes.

(7) It follows an unscientific system in its flat rate on imports.

(8) It includes a multiplicity of petty and unlucrative taxes, the vexatiousness of which is out of all proportion to the revenue they produce.

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The fundamental lines on which the House bill should be modified are summed up herewith:

(1) The amount of new taxation should be limited to $1,250,000,000—or at the outset to $1,100,000,000. To do more than this would be an unwise as it is unnecessary. To do even this would be to do more than has ever been done by any civilized Government in time of stress.

(2) The excess-profits tax based upon a sound system ought to yield about $500,000,000.

(3) The income-tax schedule ought to be revised with a lowering of the rates on earned incomes below $10,000, and with an analogous lowering of the rates on the higher incomes, so as not to exceed 34 per cent. A careful calculation shows that an income tax of this kind would yield some $450,000,000 additional.

(4) The tax on whisky and tobacco ought to remain approximately as it is, with a yield of about $250,000,000.

These three taxes, together with the stamp tax at even the low rate of the House bill, and with an improved automobile tax, will yield over $1,250,000,000, which is the amount of money thought desirable.

The above program would be in harmony with an approved scientific system. It will do away with almost all of the complaints that are being urged against the present. It will refrain from taxing the consumption of the poor.

It will throw a far heavier burden upon the rich, but will not go to the extremes of confiscation. It will obviate interference with business and will keep unimpaired the social productivity of the community.

It will establish a just balance between loans and taxes and will not succumb to the danger of approaching either the tax-only policy or the loan-only policy. Above all, it will keep an undisturbed elastic margin, which must be more and more heavily drawn upon as the war proceeds.

TERMS USED IN FEEDING

Scientific Nomenclature Reduced to Every-Day Meanings.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Stockfood consists briefly of three chief parts or compounds, omitting the water and minerals. They are:

Protein (containing nitrogen), a muscle former.

Fat (not containing nitrogen), a fuel or fattening substance.

Carbohydrates (meaning made of carbon, hydrogen and oxygen).

These three substances are called organic matter, because they will burn.

Mineral matter is called inorganic. An animal can live on protein alone, but would not under normal conditions, because protein (or albumen) is only found mixed with fat in the case of meat and with fat and carbohydrates in the case of plants and cereals. Familiar examples of protein are white of egg, lean meat and the gluten which can be chewed out of wheat. Fat or oil we all know.

Carbohydrates include sugar, starch, cellulose, fibre, gums, etc.

To keep alive and not lose weight an animal must have small amounts of protein and larger amounts of fat or carbohydrates. They serve as building material to replace worn-out tissue and flesh and also to furnish power (energy) to move, work, and do all the inside work of the body.

The ash or mineral matter furnishes bone material and is also necessary but abundant in nature. A growing animal needs plenty of protein and ash (bone food) and of carbohydrates and fat. A grown-up animal needs less of either the first two, but plenty of the last two. A pregnant animal needs plenty of food for its unborn young.

BUYING FEED INGREDIENTS

Difficult to Buy Proper Feed Stuffs at Random.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

There are not a dozen feed stores in the country that carry in stock all the ingredients of a first-class mixed feed at all times and at reasonable prices, and usually they do not carry feeds of the same high quality used by the mixers who work scientifically through a laboratory. This is human nature. Competition compels a dealer to sell the cheapest quality. The best quality of feed is seldom carried, because the average buyer will not pay the highest price. A good many experiment stations in a general way will advocate that a farmer mix all his own feed, but they are human like the rest of us and they will use recognized brands in their own feeding operations rather than go to the trouble and take the time to follow their own advice.

There are a good many herds at experiment stations which are kept as sort of a clinic for professors to practice theories upon. The poor brutes are used a good deal as guinea pigs in hospital practice. On the other hand, at the experiment stations are to be found many of the finest animals ever bred.

The mixed feeds of the first grade can be fed alone or in connection with home-grown corn, oats or barley. To do this widens your ration, and it is correct to do so if it will reduce your cost of feeding. Mixed feeds, therefore, are largely a matter of arithmetic.

You can usually get the result for less money than by feeding more expensive grains separately.

THE MANURIAL INGREDIENTS OF FEEDS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Nitrogen is the most important and most valuable fertilizing element supplied by feeds, and it is in this element that they show the greatest variation.

The Connecticut Experiment Station states that it was found that the average mixed fertilizer contained 2.95 per cent nitrogen and showed in a table that eighteen of fifty-two different feeds contained 3.23 per cent. Among this list is cottonseed and linseed meals, gluten seed, middlings, brewers' and distillers' products and a few of the feed mixtures. It is obvious, therefore, that a wise selection of feeds enhances the value of the manure and consequently plays an important part in farm economy.

BARLEY PRODUCTS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Prof. J. P. Street, in the Annual Report of the Connecticut Agricultural Station for 1912, says: "That malt sprouts should receive more consideration from dairymen, especially in comparison with many of the proprietary mixed feeds containing only from one-third to one-half as much protein as malt sprouts, prices being considered."

He also states that dried brewers' grains, prices considered, in connection with the feed's high analysis, is one of the cheapest high-grade feeds on the market.

WHAT'S IN A MIXED FEED?

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

A high-grade mixed feed suitable for any kind or breed of dairy cow should have high protein content, with an exact digestible analysis. It can be mixed with corn, oats, barley, hay or other forage, which should be grown upon the farm, provided the mixture would save the farmer any money. As a rule, the ingredients of the highest grades are corn, distillers' grains, gluten feed, cottonseed meal, hominy meal, malt sprouts, brewers' grains, linseed meal, pure wheat bran and salt. The best grades contain no cheap fillers of any kind and so the food is highly concentrated and roughage can be supplied at home.

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Found: A horse blanket. Please prove property and pay for this notice.

You can buy hats at your own price at Reierson's store, for both men and women.

John Augustuine, of Goodhue Co., is building a house on his farm east of town.

Miss Effie Christenson visited wit friends in T. R. Falls from Friday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vagle, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Higgins and family autoed down from Bronson Sunday to visit the latters parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heinze.

'Tis a wise man or woman that knows when to keep still.

Mrs. Albert Johnson of Golden Valley visited friends in this locality a couple of days last week.

The Free Mission Sunday School will meet at 11 o'clock next Sunday forenoon. Everyone invited.

Do not eat too much. Doctors say it's not good for one's health. Then too think of the starving ones in Europe who you can divide with.

Mrs. Ben Eide has resigned the position of telephone operator at the local switchboard and the Board of Directors are advertising in this paper for a new operator.

A. H. Huseth returned home last week Thursday from Greenbush and left Tuesday for T. R. Falls on a business trip.

Miss Huldah Johnson left Tuesday for Thief River Falls.

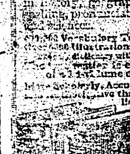
Calf Meal for sale at Reierson's store.

Arvid Carlson was over from Newfolden yesterday.

June 18 to 25 is Red Cross Week Minnesota's part is to raise two million dollars for the sake of Humanity.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co., have sold material for a large bridge in Town of Whiteford.

A joint meeting of the Red River Valley Development Assn. and that of the Live Stock Breeders will be held in Red Lake Falls, June 27 and 28. Speakers will there from thruout the northwest and Canada and it will be worth ones time to attend.



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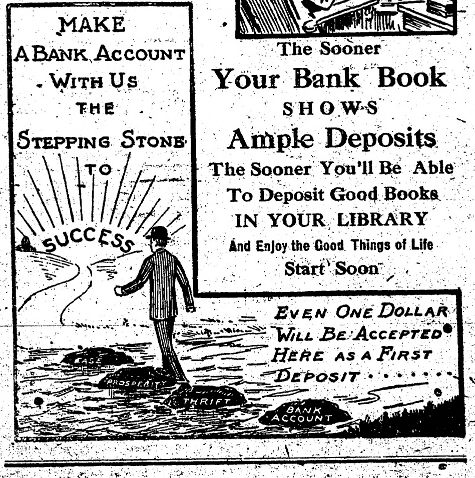

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Boost for Holt, first, last and all the time. Boost.

All the stores will be closed next Wednesday July 4th.

No work will be done at our barber shop on July 4th. Ben Hoff.

If you need fly nets for your horses, go to Reierson's store for them.

Nels Swanson went to Erskine Monday for a couple of weeks visit at the home of his daughter there.

John Engstrom and family autoed to Highlanding Saturday for a short visit with friends.

Miss Albertina Nyberg came from Grand Forks Monday to visit with relatives and friends.

C. M. Strom came up from T. R. Falls Wednesday for a short visit with his parents Rev. and Mrs. M. T. Strom.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and children and Mrs. D. B. Bakke went to McKinock, N. D. Wednesday for a few days visit at the home of Mr. Docken's parents.

Thomas Ronneberg, of Alberta, Canada, came Tuesday to visit his old neighbor Paul Olson. The two gentlemen were old friends and neighbors both in the old country and here until about 14 years ago, when Mr. Ronneberg moved to Canada.

Celebration July 4th. at John Knutson's in East Valley. Picnic lunches, ice cream, Lemonade, fruits, candies and soft drinks will be served. There will be games and sports of all kinds. A dance in the afternoon and evening with good music.

Eddie Davidson had his face badly scratched last Saturday when the motorcycle he was riding, skidded near the C. L. Heinze corner and ran into a drag lying side of the road and threw him to the ground. The frame of the motorcyle was bent and had to be taken to the garage for repairs.

The Warren Auto Club were here Monday advertising the county fair for next week Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. They brot. along the Warren band which gave a couple of selections while waiting here.

Fifteen autos made the trip, taking in the villages of Newfolden, Middle River, Holt, Rosewood, and Viking.

This trip was first scheduled for Friday but the rain at that time caused a changed in the program.

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services in Holt next Sunday at 10:45 and at Wilson school house in Mud Lake township at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. J. M. Swan will entertain the Dorcas society Saturday June 30th.

Mrs. Frank Carlson will entertain the Ladies Aid Wednesday, July 11.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

MARRIED

Elmer Odie and Miss Olga Larson were married at 3 oclock Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson, Rev. M. B. Ordahl officiating. The happy couple will live on the old Odie farm near Golden Valley. The best wishes of relatives and frinds are extended them for a bright and prosperous wedded life.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Wake Up! Our country is at war.

Holt is bound to grow and don't you forget it.

Thief River Falls will celebrate next Wednesday.

Found: A horse blanket. Please prove property and pay for this notice.

The U. S. Navy is still calling for men to run ships that are ready and waiting.

Nels Omberg went to Gully yesterday to prove up on a claim for his mother.

You can buy hats at your own price at Reierson's store, for both men and women.

It is reported that John Ostlund is getting better and there are bright hopes for his recovery.

Mrs. Nora Thornton, of Marietta, Ohio, came Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. H. Von Wold.

E. M. Bennes was up from T. R. Falls Saturday looking up the insurance business.

Master Orville Lumpkin of T. R. Falls came Tuesday to visit his aunt, Mrs. Carl Sorenson.

N. N. Ness has commenced work on the ditch and road just south and west of town. We expect to see a big improvement on that part of the road.

A baby girl arrived Sunday morning to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson.

Mrs. Russell and children, who have been visiting at the Huseth and Oien homes, left Monday for Fertile to visit the formers parents. Miss Effie Christenson accompanied them home.

Printers always need money.

Sen. E. E. Lobeck, of Minneapolis, will lecture here Friday evening July 6th. Those who are acquainted with Mr. Lobeck say that he is a splendid speaker and well worth going several miles to hear. We hope all the people will turn out to hear him.

I wish to thank the farmers in the vicinity of Holt for their patronage both in scrap iron and from my Medicine wagon. You received cash for your scrap iron and your farms look neater and better by having the scrap iron taken away.

H. H. Harding
The McConnon Medicine man.

The Kroehler Mfg. Co., of Naperville, Ill., shipped one of their portable tow mills here Friday and are busy with a crew of several men running their flax straw thru the mill, baling and loading it n the cars.

S. S. Kolden & Co.. bot. over 150 tons of this flax straw for the above firm and will undoubtedly buy again this season as there is a large acreage of flax sown.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 11 o'clock A. M. Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

Senator E. E. Lobeck of Minneapolis will give a free lecture here Friday July 6th at 8 P. M. Everyone should hear him on a most vital topic.

Trade at home.

C. H. Gunheim's addition is now ready for lathing and plastering.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg and baby autoed to T. R. Falls Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Sorter, daughter Anna and Pete Sorter, went to Crookston Tuesday.

Mrs. Clarence Kolden will be the new telephone operator at the local switchboard, after July 1st.

H. A. Von Wold and family and Miss Nora Thornton, were entertained at the J. B. Alkenbrack home Wednesday.

The brick work on the bank and P. O. buildidg is finished except the front cornish which is delayed while waiting for the name plate for the bank.

Miss Rangnild Stenerson and John August Sater, both of Middle River were married June 14th. Mrs. Sater is known to some of the ladies here as she has often visited Mrs. Albert Bennes.

A. R. Jones has on display at the Holt State Bank some rye that is six foot high, and just ready to fill. Two weeks ago rye in the same field was 4 ft. high, thus the rains have caused it to grow at the rate of a foot a week, which is going some.

Miss Ingeborg Nelson returned home Saturday from a few weeks visit with relatives at Fertile.

Sunday July 1st. is to be observed as "Food Saving Day".

Senator Lobeck of Minneapolis will lecture here July 6th.

P. A. Riesberg autoed to T. R. Falls Friday, taking his daughter, Mrs. Ollie Warren and children, to their home there, after spending a pleasant time with relatives in Holt.

Julius Olson came down from Strathcona Monday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

The Woodmen and Yeomen will have charge of the celebration next Wednesday at Middle River.

Save the Waste. The American people waste in a thousand different ways. It must be stopped if we are to win the war. Now is the time to begin. Get busy at once.

This damp weather is ideal for the seeding of millet, which is a good crop to smother weeds.

New correspondents should write news items. If we want nonsense we can write that ourselves.

Fine weather we are having.

If they keep their promises, after awhile the city people will be out helping and showing the farmers how to do their work.(?)

Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

Dressy Collegians.

Patience—"An automobile repair course has been added to the curriculum of an Iowa agricultural college." Patrice—"Now, in speaking of college togs, don't forget the overalls."—Yonkers Statesman.

For Sale.

Good 15 Jewel Elgin Watch in good condition. Will sell cheap as I have two of them.

Elof Johnson, Holt, Minn.

Notice

Being the Fourth of July comes on Wednesday, I have decided to receive cream on Monday and Friday, only, next week.

P. L. Anderson.

Scrap Iron Wanted

Highest Market Prices Paid

Cash or Trade

R. Reierson

Holt, Minn.

Save money by trading in Holt.

If you want a flag for the 'Fourth' we still have a few left.

Ole Reierson is building an addition, 14x24, to his poultry house.

Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack entertained her Sunday school class Friday afternoon, at a picnic at her home.

Something over $49.00 was taken in at the auction sale and lunch given by the Ladies Aid Tuesday evening.

Rev. Strom went to Goodridge yesterday to hold meetings.

Mrs. Ingebrigtson returned to her home in Fertile Saturday after a short visit with her sister Mrs. J. L. Nelson.

The Thief River Falls Concert Band will have charge of the celebration in T. R. Falls. They will have a good patriotic program, ball game, good music and all kinds of sports.

Carl Brekkestran and Ingvald Bakke went to Newfolden Tuesday to fix up a tractor ready for work.

The farmers are busy making war on the weeds.

Trade in Holt and get rich.

Age of the Ostrich.

The average age of an ostrich is thirty years, and the annual yield of a bird in captivity is from two to four pounds of plumes.

Fireproof Wood.

To make wood fireproof, slack a small quantity of fresh lime and add water until it has the consistency of cream; stir well and add one pound of alum, 12 ounces of commercial potash and about one pound of salt. Stir again and apply while hot. Two or three coats will keep wood fireproof for many months.

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Stiener News

(Written for last weeks paper.)

Miss Hilda Swanson took the G. N. flyer at Steiner for Thief River Falls one day last week.

Miss Alice Solem left Saturday for Crookston where she will attend the six weeks normal school.

A number of boys of this community went to Holt Saturday evening on their bicycles.

Mrs. O. Warring spent Sunday in Thief River Falls.

Otto Solemn transacted business in Steiner Saturday.

Miss Amy Whittman called at the S. Warring home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs A. Jord visited at the T. Jacobson home Sunday.

Miss Ellen J. Bloomquist and Miss Lena A. Riedl attended the dance given at the William's home Saturday evening.

Miss Frances Reidl did trading in this burg one day last week.

Misses Elsie and Annie Simmons attended Sunday School in Steiner Sunday.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Apr. 191

Cream received	13,959
Average test	26 02
Butter fat	3632.57 lbs
Percent overrun	24 14
Butter made	4510 lbs
Balance on hand last month	4 28
Received for butter shipped and sold patrons	1622 54
Cash sales at creamery	66 65
Total	$1693 47
Paid patrons by check,	
Butter & milk	1518 23
Expense fund, etc.	136 41
Other sources	12 00
To sinking fund	25 64
Balance on hand	1 19
Total	$1693 47

Number of patrons, 83

Price paid for butter fat, 42c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

John Magnuson $58.08, Rudolph Dahl 55.25, T. O. Dovre 53.06, Olaus Rodahl 45.06, C. E. Smith 42.66, John Simonson 42.29.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

If there was'nt a creamery here you'd all be wanting one.

Every time you play the other fellows game, you loose. Do not monkey with a buzz saw or a centralizer. They are second cousins.

Why Good Men Are Busy.

"Marry a busy man," advises Helen Rowland. It can't be done legally. All the busy men are married. That's what makes them busy.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.03
Wheat No. 2	1.93
Wheat No. 3	1.82
Wheat No. 4	1.56
Flax	2.72
Oats	57
Barley	58 to 79
Rye	1.99
Flour, Best Patent	6.75

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Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand [illegible] above the turbulence of the waves:—Trinities and Sanctities.

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GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

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GREATEST OF WAR LOANS.

More than two and one-half times as many persons answered the call of the Liberty loan as responded to Germany's first war loan of 4,460,000,000 marks, approximately 1,061,490,000 dollars. The first German loan was floated in September, 1914, when victory seemed certain. The subscribers to this loan numbered 1,177,233.

Great Britain's first loan was 458,147,702 pounds sterling, approximately $2,229,575,792. It was taken by 100,000 subscribers or less than 4 per cent of the number that subscribed to America's first war loan.

Measured by the standard of total subscribers, the Liberty loan stands in a class by itself as a nation's first war offering.

U. S.-Teutonic War News.

Four American lost their lives as the result of the torpedoeing of the Standard Oil tanker John D. Archbold, off the French coast.

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War registration returns, virtually complete, show 9,649,938 men between the ages of 21 and 30 years, enrolled for the country's service on registration day, June 5.

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A pamphlet entitled "How the War Came to America," and inten[illegible] an answer to the question, "Wh[illegible] the United States go to [illegible] be published soon by the government and circulated broadcast.

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In greeting Belgium's war mission, which arrived in Washington a few days ago President Wilson expressed America's solemn determination that on the day of victory, Belgium shall be restored to her position before the war.

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Construction of sixteen war army cantonments, each to house 40,000 troops, has proved such an enormous task that officials do not now believe it can be completed in time to permit mobiliziation of the first full quota of 650,000 men by September 1.

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El Universal, the most prominent newspaper in Mexico recently printed a statement from twenty-three prominent civilians of Mexico asserting that Mexico's place in the war is on the side of the United States and the allies and advocating a break in relations with Germany.

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Feed the allies or fight the great war alone is what America must do, Herbert Hoover, food administrator, told senators in explaining the purpose of the administration food control bill now pending in congress. He declared food manipulators have taken $250,000,000 from the people of this country in the last five months and that unless action was taken at once to prevent such speculation a great industrial disturbance would occur.

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Herbert C. Hoover, new food administrator, has appealed to the American women to aid him in the fight for the conservation of the country's food supply and the elimination of waste. Between July 1 and 15, the women of the country will be enrolled through the council of national defense and the state defense councils. Mr. Hoover, as directed by the president, is proceeding with organization of the food administration so far as it contemplates assembling volunteer efforts.

General News.

Boy Scouts of the United States during the Liberty bond drive secured nearly 100,000 individual subscriptions, the total aggregating approximately $9,000,000.

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Thousands of dollars damage to property and two lives is the toll exacted by flood of the Grand and North Fork rivers in the Grand valley, Colo., near Grand Junction.

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Word is being sent to men in Utah between the ages of 18 and 23 informing them that under a state law they are subject to draft for service in the Utah national guard, if a sufficient number do not volunteer.

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Three women were killed, the residence section of Ojai, Cal., wiped out, crops over a wide area destroyed, and about 100 persons have been made homeless as the result of a forest fire in Ojai Valley.

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Property valued at $700,000,000, from which Nicholas Romanoff, formerly emperor of Russia, enjoyed the revenues for life only, have been taken from him by the provisional government.

The act of registering under the selective draft law does not prevent men from enlisting in any of the government's forces that are now organized. Men between the ages of eighteen and forty can volunteer for the regular army, the navy, the marine corps, the national guard or the naval militia. Men are needed at once to fill the ranks of all of these branches of the service.

Ten dead and a property loss of $1,000,000 resulted from the fire at the American Sugar Refining company's plant in Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Over 200 persons have been arrested in St. Louis county, Minnesota, for alleged neglect to register June 5 and the jail in Duluth is overcrowded.

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Six hours after he had been removed to the hospital at Kemmerer, Wyo., Phillip Buddendick, who was thought to have been drowned, was resuscitated. He had been pinned to the bottom of a river beneath his automobile, which had fallen from a bridge. The water completely covered him.

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Sensational allegations of a widespread traffic in girls in New York city resulted in the ordering of a rigid investigation of the charges. The action followed the announcement that between 700 and 800 girls have disappeared from their homes in the city since January 1. This was the result of the discovery of the murder of Ruth Cruger, 18 years old high school student, months after the police had ended a search for her.

Washington Notes.

A force of from 60,000 to 80,000 workmen will be required in the construction of the sixteen great cantonments for the new national army.

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Congress must pass food legislation by July 1 to protect the people of the United States from speculators. This was the message sent to congress by President Wilson.

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President Wilson has signed the $3,000,000 war budget bill, which carries appropriations for the new army and other war propositions. It is the largest single appropriation measure ever enacted by any government.

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Government pools of coal production and distribution were recommended to congress by the federal trade commission as the only means of avoiding a disastrous coal shortage next winter.

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President Wilson has proclaimed the week of June 23-30 recruiting week for the regular army and urges unmarried men without dependents to enroll for war service in order that the ranks of the regulars might be filled promptly.

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Retail food prices in the United States jumped on an average 9 per cent between March 15 and April 16, as shown in statistics compiled by the Department of Labor. It was the sharpest advance in any one month since the beginning of the war.

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Revenues of $3,000,000 annually from the increase in postage rates to 1¼ cents a pound, and about $9,000,000 from the profits tax are expected as a result of the senate finance committee's action on the postal section of the war tax bill.

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Secretary McAdoo announced that no part of the great oversubscription to the Liberty loan would be accepted, and that the issue would be limited to $2,000,000,000. It is possible that all subscribers up to $10,000 will receive their allotment in full. The total subscription to the loan is $3,035,226,850.

European War News.

It is authentically reported that more than 30,000 citizens of Poland, who were in sympathy with the cause of the allies, have been hanged by order of the German authorities.

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Twenty-seven British ships of more than 1,600 tons were sunk during the week ending June 16, according to the British summary. Five British vessels under 1,600 tons were sent to the bottom. The report for the previous week shower 22 vessels of over 1,600 tons sunk, ten of under 1,600 tons and six fishing vessels.

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Official admission of food difficulties in Germany, resulting from a shortage of potatoes and the inadequacy of grain stocks to afford a supplementary bread ration, is made in an announcement of the Berlin food control department.

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The allies have lifted the long standing blockade of Greece. This, it is believed, means that the allies are satisfied with the Greek situation since Constantine abdicated, and there is no further need to apply repressive or punitive measures.

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The Russian duma passed a resolution for an immediate offensive by Russian troops. The resolution declares a separate peace with Germany or prolonged inactivity on the battle front to be ignoble treason toward Russia's allies.

NOTE TO CARRANZA SENT AS RESULT OF NEW HIGH OIL TAX

FIRM REPRESENTATIONS AGAINST ADVANCES IN TAMPICO OIL FIELDS MADE BY AMERICAN GOVERNMENT.

KAISER'S AGENTS BUSY IN GULF COAST REGION

Teuton Consul in Tuxpan District Stirring Up Trouble—Great Britain Understood to Have Seconded Representations—Tone of Note Is Firm.

Washington, June 26.—Firm but friendly representations to Mexico against new high taxes in the Tampico oil fields and other representations against the so-called "denationalization" of foreign companies, have been made to the Carranza government by the United States government, it has been learned.

Great Britain is understood to have seconded the representations against the oil taxes, though whether she took the course of sending the note to Carranza is not known.

Would Fill Mexican Treasury.

The taxation representations, entirely friendly in tone, but quite insistent upon a change, seek to lower taxes which many oil men now regard as almost confiscatory.

The other representations are directed against the Carranza decree compelling all foreign companies to operate under a Mexican charter, thus taking them out from under the protection of their own guns.

Carranza's position is known to be that the oil taxes will furnish considerable money to run his government; but the American and British governments hold that with their large drafts of oil for navy and air service they are entitled to a greater consideration than has thus far been shown them.

German Agents Busy.

The new tax law goes into effect July 10. Foreign operators, including Americans, will probably pay their taxes under protest, relying on the hope and belief that General Carranza will make modifications.

Agents of the kaiser have been busy plotting to bring on complications all through the oil region of the Gulf coast.

Unknown to Carranza, it was learned the German consul in the Tuxpan district has been stirring up trouble.

Effort to Have Reserve Opened.

Some disturbances have occurred, but these have not been sufficient to cause any particular alarm in government circles. Oil has been coming out freely at the rate of hundreds of thousands of barrels a day. Meantime there is an effort on the part of some government authorities to have California oil reserves opened up to meet increasing needs for crude oil.

The navy maintains its reserve should be kept intact; the interior department feels that America's needs at present, especially for her proposed airplane fleet, are such that freeing of supplies would be advisable.

OFFICIAL COUNT SHOWS 9,569,382 REGISTERED

Final Returns Made Public—Enrollment 96% of Estimate—Shortage Offset by Enlistments.

Washington, June 26.—Official war registration returns with Niagara county, New York, and three Wyoming precincts missing, made public, show a total enrolment of 9,569,382, or approximately 96 per cent of the census bureau's estimate. The apparent shortage is more than offset by the number of men in the army and navy who were not required to register.

Of the registrants reported 7,347,794 are white citizens; 953,890 colored; 123,865 aliens from countries other than Germany; 111,823 unnaturalized Germans, including those who have taken out first papers; and 6,001 Indians.

GREEK CABINET QUITS; VENIZELOS MAY ACT

Athens, June 26.—The entire Zaimis ministry has resigned. It was reported that Elutheros Venizelos, former premier and president of the provisional Greek government, now en route here, would probably be named by King Alexander as the head of a new cabinet.

On Trial for Alleged Gold Theft.

Cheyenne, Wyo., June 26.—Antonio Cuaz and 17 other men, accused of conspiracy to defraud the United States government through the sale to mints and assay offices of several hundred thousand dollars worth of gold alleged to have been stolen from mines in the Cripple Creek, Col., district, went on trial in United States district court here. The conspiracy is alleged to have extended over several years and to have had ramifications in many states east and west. Cuaz was arrested in San Francisco.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Rochester.—The fifty-second annual convention of the Universalist churches of Minnesota has just been held here.

Twenty-eight members attended the quarterly meeting of the Red River Valley Medical association at Thief River Falls.

More than 3,000 gathered in the Dodge Center park for the forty-first annual program of the Dodge County Old Settlers' association.

Patrick Hammel, of Duluth, has won his fight to establish a claim to partnership in Cuyuna range from lands valued at $5,000,000.

Henry Slade Goff, educator, author, poet, soldier and pioneer of the northwest, is dead at his home in Minneapolis. He was 75 years old.

Twenty-five vacancies in the Sixth enlisted engineers' regiment, now in training at Detroit, Mich., are being held open for recruits from St. Paul.

Winona.—The state convention of Elks opened here June 21 and brought 2,000 or more visitors. The city has taken on its gala attire. Flags are draped in the business district.

An unfavorable report has been submitted to the House by the Secretary of War and chief of engineers upon the proposed drainage project of Traverse and Big Stone lakes.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission has continued until July 5 further hearings on the application of Minnesota railroads for a 15 per cent horizontal increase in intrastate freight rates.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has re-appointed William F. Houk, commissioner of labor. The appointment is for two years. Houk was first appointed by Governor Eberhart in 1911 and has served continuously since.

The bodies of the two young men and two young women who were drowned when a launch in which they were returning from an outing down river struck a submerged piling, have been found two miles below the city.

St. Paul.—A warning has been issued to manufacturers and licensed dealers in intoxicants to see that the state laws are observed with regard to selling liquor. A "bone dry" order is threatened if the warning is disregarded.

St. Paul.—The state supply of automobile license tags is again exhausted, Secretary of State Schmahl announces. Special certificates are being issued to license applicants to protect them against arrest for failure to display licenses.

The annual meeting of the veterans of the St. Paul railroad, of this division, known in 1864 as the Central Minnesota and McGregor Western railroad, has just been held in Austin, thirty-three of those who were in the service, 1864 and 1870, attending.

Twenty farm superintendents and gardeners from fifteen state institutions attended a semi-annual convention at Fairmont. Demonstrations in soil tests and spraying of plants to rid them of disease and parasites were featured. Prof. R. S. McIntosh lectured at the state school for the feeble-minded.

Winona.—Roadmaster G. H. Clayton probably saved the lives of several score of passengers on the North Western railroad when he drove his gasoline speeder over a device that derailed the machine and caused minor injuries. Clayton's car was demolished but he escaped without broken bones.

Virginia. — A general Industrial Workers of the World strike of Mesaba iron range miners was threatened in an appeal "to workers in the iron industry," made in circulars. The miners are urged to prepare for a walkout, and to demand that the imprisoned "fellow workers," who are slackers, be released.

Deer River.—Fighting interference by government authorities in their medicine dance, which they hold a religious rite and unobjectionable to even the white brother, a delegation of Indians, representing about 1,000 Chippewas on the Red Lake reservation, have appealed to Governor Burnquist to use his influence at Washington in their behalf.

The American flag predominated in the annual parade of Minnesota Elks, the crowning feature of the order's annual convention in Winona. There was little of the ludicrous that heretofore has characterized the annual pageant. Two companies of national guard, five bands, two drum corps and 1,000 members of the order participated. Every Elks lodge in Minnesota is represented at the convention.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota Public Safety Commission has asked permission of T. W. Gregory, United States attorney general, to erect a stockade at Fort Snelling in which to confine the registration slackers. The message to Attorney General Gregory advised him that the St. Louis county jail is now overcrowded with draft slackers. More than 200 men are being held and more than 100 additional arrests are anticipated.

Waseca.—Colonel W. J. Murphy, commanding officer of the new Second Minnesota Field artillery, told members of the Waseca Commercial club that this city probably will get one of the three new batteries to be organized in the southern part of the state.

A. C. Gooding, of Rochester, former state treasurer, has been elected president of the Minnesota Bankers' association, succeeding Henry von der Weyer, of the Merchants National bank, St. Paul. The bankers were the guests of the St. Paul bankers on a steamboat excursion down the river.

DEMANDS ARREST OF ALL SLACKERS

SAFETY COMMISSION TO ENFORCE NEW LAWS AGAINST SYNDICALISM.

AFFECTS COUNTIES IN NORTH

Edict Following Conference With Mayors and Police Chiefs Addressed Chiefly to St. Louis and Itasca Authorities.

The State Public Safety commission has passed a resolution calling upon police officers of the state to enforce 1917 laws against criminal syndicalism and interference with military enlistment.

The action followed a conference with mayors and police chiefs of town in the northern part of the state and the edict, the secretary of the commission said, is addressed especially to the authorities of St. Louis and Itasca counties where conditions the law is intended to reach are most marked.

The commission issued a statement to the effect that it apprehends no recurrence of last summer's trouble on the Iron Range.

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Wood Checks Guard Accounts.

What was believed to be a hopeless attempt to find missing property, valued at between $38,000 and $50,000 and unaccounted for in Minnesota national guard records, has been begun by Adjutant General Fred B. Wood, following a conference with Governor Burnquist, Captain W. F. Rhinow, military secretary to the Governor, and Major H. L. Brady, Federal property and disbursing officer, and custodian for the government of Minnesota national guard property.

Approximately $48,000 of unpaid 1916 bills are outstanding against the guard in addition to the unaccounted military property, it is reported.

"It is hard to see how General Wood can do much," Major Brady said. "He is short on property and it is up to him to find out where the shortages exist and where the property now is.

"But he does not know where he can find the property and probably no one else does."

Demands by Governor Burnquist and the chief of the Federal militia bureau for an immediate accounting started General Wood in the work of checking over lists. He refused to make any statement.

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1917 Crop Outlook Favorable.

Col. C. H. March of Litchfield, food commissioner on the state public safety commission, is sanguine over the outlook for a big 1917 crop in this state. "Minnesota has the best prospects ever—beautiful," he exclaimed.

S. W. Fraser, aide to Colonel March in the movement to make and save the Minnesota war crop, is on a tour of the state to assist county directors, and is finding everything in excellent shape.

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Census Shows Labor Conditions.

The first complete census returns of labor conditions in Minnesota, so far as they pertain to farm help, have been received at the newly created Public Employment bureau in Minneapolis.

These returns will be used by the bureau as a means of locating farm help wants.

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Insane Patients to Go on Farm.

Transfer of 60 chronic insane patients from various state hospitals to the asylum to be established in connection with the state farm for inebriates at Wilmar will be made Aug. 1, and the erection of two cottages there for housing insane patients will be rushed.

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Educators Study at "U."

At the College of Agriculture 900 rural and elementary teachers of the state have become students once more. They will attend classes until July 27 to earn credits toward first and second class state certificates and to raise their professional status in general.

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54 Join Second Field Artillery.

Fifty young men enlisted for Albert Lea's new battery in the Second Minnesota Field artillery at a mass meeting here. Colonel W. J. Murphy, commanding officer of the new artillery regiment was the principal speaker. A patriotic parade preceded the meeting.

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To Investigate I. W. W. Lawlessness.

A reign of lawlessness and I. W. W. demonstration at International Falls, reported to the State Public Safety commission has resulted in the appointment by Governor Burnquist of a commission of three to make an immediate investigation there.

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Buys Mine Bureau Building.

Purchase of a building at Hibbing to be used by the state bureau on mines has been consummated by State Auditor Preus and representatives of the E. J. Longyear company, Minneapolis, at a consideration of $35,000, as authorized at the last session of the Legislature. A complete laboratory for testing iron ore, Mr. Preus said, will be installed. The building is a two-story brick structure, with a vault and has been partly occupied by the state mining department.

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He Found the Key.

"Oh, Clarence! Clarence!" cried little wifey, just returning from her holiday. "Come up quickly. We've had burglars! There's not a thing in my wardrobe. All my dresses are gone."

"Oh, that's all right," Clarence calmly replied. "There's been no burglars here. It's really your fault."

"My fault! How?"

"Well, after I'd nearly starved for two days, you wrote and said that the key of the pantry was in the pocket of your crepe de chine, and—"

"Walking skirt, I said. Idiot!"

"Well, I don't know the difference between a crepe de chine and a walking skirt and I was hungry. So I took the whole bunch out into the garden and made a bonfire. Then I raked among the ashes and found the key!"—Boston Globe.

Wonderful.

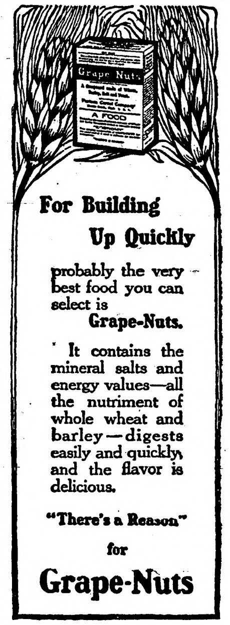
The old soldier was again giving the youngster accounts of the wonders he had experienced, especially in the way of climate. Said he:

"I remember when we were at Fyzardum we used to toast our bread in the sun, and—"

Youngster (interrupting)—Yes, I know, and you were supplied with corkscrews to draw your breath.

Any man you lend money to will be your friend until you ask him to return it.

He has great need of a fool who makes himself one.



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FARMS THE SOURCE OF WEALTH

Careful Tillage, Good Management and a Beneficent Soil.

Reading the reports of the managers of the chartered banks in Canada, one is struck by the wonderful showing that they have made during the past two or three years. They are careful in their statements, and while they attribute the success that they have met with, together with that which has followed other lines of business, they are careful to emphasize the fact that the condition of big business may not continue. On the other hand, they point out that the material and fundamental source of wealth is the farm. While other lines of business may have their setbacks, and while care and scrupulous care, will have to be exercised to keep an even balance, there is but little risk to the farmer who on economic and studied lines will carry on his branch of industry and endeavor to produce what the world wants not only today, but for a long distance into the future, with a greater demand than ever in the past.

Speaking recently before a Canadian bank board at its annual meeting, the vice president, once a farmer himself, said:

"The farm is the chief source of wealth. We have now three transcontinental railways with branches running through thousands of miles of the very best undeveloped agricultural land in the world. In the natural course of things, these must attract immigration. The products of the farm are now commanding the highest prices ever known, and in my opinion even after the end of the war, high prices for foodstuffs must continue to prevail. With the mechanical appliances now available for farm work, the farmer needs no considerable supply of extra capital, but should be helped to the extent needed upon good security. The food supply of the world is short, the demand is likely to increase rather than decrease. Development of mines, extension of factories and the reconstruction of devastated Europe must all call for supplies for the workers. On the whole, the farmer has been helped rather than hurt by the war, and will continue to be, at least for a long time to come."

Many men of authority and intelligence support what the vice president has said, and their statements are borne out by the facts that readily present themselves. The different grain-producing countries of Europe have been robbed of the man power that developed their agriculture, the farms have been devastated and laid waste. Full and complete reliance will have to be placed on the United States and Canada, and from what we see today, it will take the combined forces of these two countries to come anywhere near meeting the cry that will go out for food. The warnings and appeals sent out by the heads of these two countries are none too soon nor too urgent. Therefore, it becomes necessary for those who can produce to exert themselves. Secure land, rent it, buy it. Get it somewhere, some way, and have it operated. The Canadian Government, sending out its appeal, is not selfish in this matter. Thousands of acres in the United States await the tiller's efforts, and none of it should be idle. Canada, too, offers wonderful advantages, with its free lands and its low-priced lands, to those desirous of helping the nation, and improving their own condition at the same time. Many are taking advantage of this wonderful opportunity.—Advertisement.

Its Possibilities.

"Germany has ordered a census of all shoes in the country."

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Caesar Rodney's Ride

By Richard J. Beamish

HOW the historians and romanticists have missed the true and dramatic story of Caesar Rodney's ride is one of the mysteries which surround the Declaration of Independence.

Pennsylvania and South Carolina had voted against independence. New York held aloof because her delegates had not received instructions from the assembly. Congress was in turmoil, the army panic-stricken, the sentiment for submission to Great Britain growing hourly in all the colonies. It was necessary that all the colonies should vote in the affirmative if independence was to be proclaimed, as the defection of anyone in the federation would mean division and inevitable defeat.

In the vote that was taken in the State House (now Independence Hall) on July 1, Delaware's vote was not cast, there being but two of the three delegates present. Thomas McKean voted for freedom, and George Reed against it. Caesar Rodney was ill at his home with a cancer that had attacked his face to such an extent that he was compelled to wear a veil to conceal the fearful ravages of the disease.

McKean shrewdly calculating that if Delaware's vote was cast for independence on the following day, Pennsylvania and South Carolina might be induced to change their votes, sent a horseman to Rodney and arranged relays of horses to bring the sick man to Philadelphia.

In spite of the terrific heat, the urging of relatives and the commands of a nurse and physician, who warned him that the ride might mean his death, the patriotic Delawarean set out for Philadelphia. There with his remaining strength Rodney cast the vote of Delaware for American independence. Edward Rutledge of South Carolina thereupon was deeply moved and changed the vote of his colony. After a stormy scene the Pennsylvania delegates opposed to independence left the chamber, and the patriotic faction, with Franklin at its head, promptly cast the colony's vote for freedom.

Rodney rallied from the strain of his ride and died at Byfield a few years later in his forty-sixth year.

TEACHERS, tell us of Rodney, Rodney of Delaware!
Some of you start and stammer. Others stand mute and stare.
Put up your sums and fables. Listen that you may hear
The gallop of Caesar Rodney with Death always riding near.

Heat, like a thick, black blanket, closely on Byfield lay.
It harried the flesh and spirit of him who waited for day,

His fevered eyes watched the candle that blinked like a far-off star.
They looked from a face upon which all the grace was hid by a cruel scar.

Out of the heat and blackness clamors a-trooping came,
Barking of dogs and a thunder of knocks on a door's stout frame.
Sternly a nurse hissed, "Silence!" and then came a stranger's call:
"McKean bids you ride. I will be at your side. Come quickly or freedom will fall."

"He'll die on the way," shrilled a servant, but Rodney was out of his bed.
"Boots, horses and spurs," he commanded; "and the veiling to cover my head."
"Horses are posted to meet you," the voice in the doorway said.
"It is well. I am ready." The weak voice was steady. "I will vote or you'll bear me there dead."

It's seventy miles to the State House in the city of William Penn.
Seventy miles of torture, to forward the freedom of men.
For some in the Congress were Tories and others too timid to dare,
So Rodney must ride that his vote might decide the ballot of Delaware.

Neck by neck through old Dover they galloped, and Rodney bent low to his task.
It was gray in the East when he tarried to cover his face with the mask.

A woman screamed loud at the vision, but Rodney was riding again,
Though, beneath him, the back of his horse was a rack to torture the bravest of men.

Great weariness came upon Rodney. He galloped as one in a dream;
But lightning-like pains broke his trances as rocks break a mountain stream.
Somewhere, in the misty morning, his comrade faltered and fell.
Thence rode at his side, with a long silent stride, a Shape that Rodney knew well.

The tropical heat-haze closed round him, the Veiled and the wraith at his side,
At inns and by-lanes he changed horses, then, on with the furious ride.
Weakness at last made him falter. He fed and then slumbered awhile.
But the will was so strong that the rest was not long, for the goal still lay many a mile.

And then he came into the city, the half-Tory town of Penn.
Down Passyunk Road he galloped, past wondering women and men.
His veil streamed, a pennon of Freedom, and his limbs hung like bags of sand;
But the horse he bestrode knew the turns of the road and needed no guiding hand.

So to the State House came Rodney, merely the shell of a man.
There McKean met and bore him as gently as only a sturdy friend can.

Steadied him in the chamber, and gloried to hear him declare:
"For the right to be free, and to end tyranny, we vote aye, for our Delaware."

You know the rest of the story, you teachers who teach by rote,
How prudent South Carolina announced the change of its vote;
How Pennsylvania also veered round in Freedom's gale;
How the Thirteen broke from their necks the yoke, and a nation came through travail.

Paint us a noble portrait, Story or Sargent or Chase.
One of the missing Signers Show us an eager face.
Glorified through its veiling, and we will uplift it where
He ended his ride with Death by his side, brave Rodney of Delaware.

INDEPENDENCE DAY IN 1835

Revolutionary Officers and Soldiers Still Living and Taking Part in the Celebrations.

(From Files of New Hampshire Telegraph, Nashua, N. H., 1835.)

Revolutionary Soldiers: —The committee of arrangements for the celebration of the Fourth of July respectfully invite all the remaining officers and soldiers of the Revolution in this and the neighboring towns to join the citizens in celebrating the anniversary of our national independence on Saturday the Fourth of July next. They are requested to meet at the Washington house on the morning of said day.—Issue, June 22, 1835.

The presentation of a standard by the ladies of this community to the Nashua guards will add much to the interest of the coming celebration of the Fourth. We anticipate for those who take part an excellent and highly interesting celebration.

Its coming was welcomed with appropriate manifestations of joy and rejoicing through the medium of bells and cannon. The procession formed under direction of Capt. Thomas G. Buck, as chief marshal, with able assistants, at half-past ten on the green, near Tyler's Coffee house, and proceeded under escort of the Nashua guards commanded by Capt. Daniel M. Fisk, to the Oval, where the standard was presented by Miss Ann G. Smith, assisted by Misses Belinda Gibson and Sarah Knowlton, her aids. It was accepted by Ensign Sheldon.

Procession then moved to Rev. Mr. Nott's church. Order of exercises: 1. Select music, by the choir; 2, prayer by Rev. Mr. Pratt; 3, hymn, "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," etc., read by Rev. Mr. Emmons; 4, Declaration of Independence, by B. F. French, Esq.; 5, oration, by Jonathan Lewis Clark; 6, prayer, by Rev. Mr. McGee; 7, music, by the choir; 8, benediction, by Rev. Mr. Mott.

The procession was again formed and proceeded to the Washington house, where a splendid dinner was provided.

Citizenship Imposes Duty

Citizens of a free nation owe a duty, not only to their country and themselves, but to the whole world—to humanity. There is hardly a moment in the life of any man when some sacrifice for liberty and free government is not called for. This is as true in peace as in war. The lesson is being impressed on the national conscience today as it has not been before for many years.

HE PLANTED "RARE FLOWER"

Amateur Gardener Discovered That the Brassica Campestri Was Known to Others as Turnips.

"I am a victim of the 'every-man-his-own gardener,'" said the North Alabama street man. "In my back yard in a space no larger than a tablecloth. I have planted seeds of a dozen kinds of vegetables and will soon be entirely independent of the greengrocer. If the city ordinance were not adverse to practical economy I should finish the meat dealer by keeping a couple of shoats.

"While I was putting in my garden a friend of mine came by and asked why I did not put in something to beautify the front yard. 'Here,' he said, 'are some seeds of the brasica campestris. When these come up you'll have something.'

"'What colored flower has it?' I asked.

"'Yellow,' was the answer.

"So I planted the seeds and they came up promptly.

"A neighbor passing by asked what I had in the bed. I had written the name brassica campestris in my notebook, and spelled it out to him. I told him it was a rare flower with a beautiful yellow blossom.

"'All right,' he said. 'I have some. We call 'em turnips.'

"My kind friend has gone on a trip. When he gets back there'll be something doing."—Indianapolis News.

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WAYS OF SUMMER BOARDERS

They Are Usually Very Witty Persons Who Make Comical Remarks to the Farmer.

Summer boarders are people who spend several weeks in the country each summer longing for a trip home. They are usually very witty persons and make comical remarks to the farmer. Aside from the board they pay him the farmer cleans up a tidy sum each summer sending the things his boarders say to the comic weeklies. A summer boarder can merely look at a cow and quick as a wink he will say something funny. The farmer puts this down in a book he always carries around with him. In the course of a couple of weeks he has several pages of good jokes to sell at his own rates, says the Philadelphia Star.

If you board with a farmer this summer say some funny things to him about the cows or the pigs. If he keeps a horse always poke fun at his horse. He will laugh at the funny things you say. Then he will go in and open up a can of fresh country peas out of his own cellar so that when you go back to the city you will miss the country vegetables. When you leave be sure and tell him how you enjoyed the country eating so that he can laugh some more.

Wouldn't Have Him.

"Very handsome typewriter you've hired," commented his aristocratic sister.

"Um."

"I s'pose she'll be marrying you for you money, next."

"No danger, sis. She knows too much about the business."

Many people when granted favors shy at gratitude as if it would bite them.

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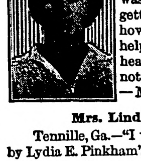

Ridgway, Penn. — "I suffered from female trouble with backache and pain in my side for over seven months so I could not do any of my work. I was treated by three different doctors and was getting discouraged when my sister-in-law told me how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had helped her. I decided to try it, and it restored my health, so I now do all of my housework which is not light as I have a little boy three years old." —Mrs. O. M. Rhines, Ridgway, Penn.

Mrs. Lindsey Now Keeps House For Seven.

Tennille, Ga.—"I want to tell you how much I have been benefited by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. About eight years ago I got in such a low state of health I was unable to keep house for three in the family. I had dull, tired, dizzy feelings, cold feet and hands nearly all the time and could scarcely sleep at all. The doctor said I had a severe case of ulceration and without an operation I would always be an invalid, but I told him I wanted to wait awhile. Our druggist advised my husband to get Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it has entirely cured me. Now I keep house for seven and work in the garden some, too. I am so thankful I got this medicine. I feel as though it saved my life and have recommended it to others and they have been benefited".—Mrs. W. E. Lindsey, R. R. 3, Tennille, Ga.

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How Animals Feed.

The squirrel carries it food in its mouth by means of its paws, while the elephant uses its trunk. The giraffe, anteater and toad employ their tongues, but spiders masticate their food with horny jaws.

The caterpillar is provided with saw-edged jaws, and uses them so well that every day he consumes at last three times his own weight in food. Toads, turtles and tortoises do not possess teeth.

Frogs have only an upper row of teeth, and lobsters and crabs have a set of teeth in their stomachs. The tiger and lion do not grind their food; as a matter of fact, their teeth only work with an up-and-down movement, much like chopping knives.—Minneapolis Tribune.

The Most Unkindest Cut.

A physician claims to have discovered an explosive so powerful that a five-grain tablet of it would wreck New York's tallest building. All right, doctor! Just pass into that dark room up the corridor of time, third door at your left, and join the chap who discovered that mild green substitute for gasoline that could be manufactured for a cent a gallon.—Providence (R. I.) Evening Bulletin.

His Kind.

"The old rooster over yonder wants a drink."

"All right; take him a cocktail."

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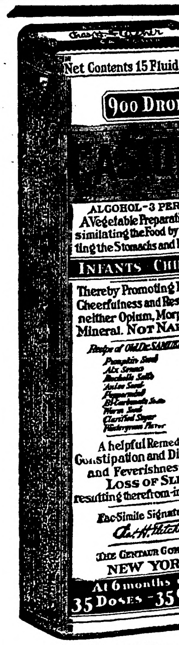
No Quarter for Him.

Mrs. Jones was standing in the doorway talking with old Mr. Ham, a neighbor. They were speaking in uncomplimentary terms about an impostor who had lately passed through the village, swindling right and left.

"He'd better not come around here again!" exclaimed Mrs. Jones indignantly. "If he does, I'll give him no quarter."

"Quarter!" shouted the enraged old man; "quarter! Well, I guess not! I wouldn't give him ten cents!"—Youth's Companion.

No one has ever been able to explain why bald-headed men have their hair cut oftener than other men.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A Dairy Ration Has Two Main Uses—Life and Product.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

A ration is divided into two parts:

1. The part needed to maintain or keep the animal alive.

2. The part needed to make stored up material like wool, fat, meat or milk.

Milk is roughly in solids, one-third each casein (protein), fat and sugar. The casein in milk can only be furnished by the protein in the food. The fat and sugar may be derived from either protein, fat or carbohydrates.

If a cow has the ability to give 50 pounds of milk containing two pounds of casein, and only gets enough protein to make one pound of casein, then she will only give 25 pounds of milk.

A balanced ration is one that has just the exact amount of protein, fat and carbohydrates that the cow needs. Just what this is we cannot ever say exactly, because the amounts vary from week to week and no two cows are alike, nor are feeds alike.

A practical ration is one that has sufficient protein and enough total food to make the greatest amount of milk without the cow losing weight.

A commercially successful ration is the one that makes the most milk or profit, keeps the cow healthy and enables the use of the most roughage.

All the hay and ensilage a cow can eat will keep her alive and make about 15 pounds of milk. Any more milk has to come from grain or grain feed.

The farm can usually raise carbohydrates cheap in the form of hay and ensilage, and, outside of clover, peas, etc., protein can usually be bought cheaper than it can be raised.

The average price of protein feeds with 20 per cent digestible protein was about $25 to $35 per ton before the war, but the prices are much higher now, while hay (clover) with 5½ per cent digestible protein has been rated at $10 per ton, so the protein feed at $40 would furnish protein about the same as clover at $10.

DIFFERENT COWS, DIFFERENT FEEDS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

No suggestions that we can offer nor any other formula that can be made can be followed to the letter as a druggist follows the prescription of a physician. Feeds vary in their nutritive values, some being better than the average and some not as good, and cows vary in their ability to digest and transform nutriment. These conditions make it necessary for the feeder to use a good deal of judgment and not follow too blindly the suggestions of others. Any good stock feed is recommended as a base, to be supplemented by home-grown roughage.

CONCENTRATES FOR RATIONS

Taken From an Article by E. S. Savage, Professor of Animal Husbandry, New York College of Agriculture.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

A good rule to follow in all rations is to have at least three plants represented in the ration. There are seven factors which should be considered: (1) Bulk, (2) Digestibility, (3) Relation between the digestible protein and carbohydrates and fat, (4) Variety, (5) Suitability of the feeds to the animal and product, (6) Palatability, (7) Cost.

As an example, choosing the cheapest feeds relatively, considering manurial values, suitability and all, we would recommend the following mixture of grains as suitable for dairy cows at present prices:

600 pounds distillers dried grains.
400 pounds gluten feed.
300 pounds wheat bran or brewers dried grains.
400 pounds hominy feed.
300 pounds cottonseed or oil meal.

SALT FOR CATTLE.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Professor Henry says that a cow requires three-quarters of an ounce per day per 1000 lbs. of weight and six-tenths of an ounce per day per 20 lbs. milk. Therefore, a cow which weighs 1200 lbs. and gives 30 lbs. milk should have 1.8 ounce salt. It must be remembered, however, that salt is generally included in high-grade dairy feeds. It is well to give cows access to extra salt. They will take what their roughage demands.

THE PRICE OF FEED.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Feed is handled on a smaller margin than coal, ton for ton. The retail feed dealer who buys in carload lots can sell as cheap as the manufacturer can in less-than-carload lots, the difference in freight rates being the dealer's gross profit. In nearly every instance, a group of farmers can order their feed, through a dealer, in carloads and make a material saving. The difference in freight alone will show a good profit.

Take the chill off the drinking water in cold weather and cows will drink more and produce more.

Don't figure too fine on rations. Be liberal but don't overfeed. You can kill all of your profit by feeding more than the cow can assimilate.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

The human element in dairy feed is important. Two men may have the same equipment, one make good money, the other fail, while both are supposed to be feeding by the same system and the same tables.

Horse sense is good cow sense.

FARMER FEED EXPERTS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

A farmer who has devoted his lifetime to the study of feeding generally has more success through his common sense methods than any scientific analysis can supply. If such a feeder could have on hand all of the ingredients (most by-products of cereal manufacture), which according to the market at the time would be more economical, he could, through his experience, be very successful in mixing his feeds. But the difficulty with the average man is to maintain an economical ration from the products of his own farm.

He may be an expert, if he chooses to study out a new ration every time the market changes, but he generally prefers to let someone who makes a business of mixing feeds do it for him. No doubt the majority of users of mixed feeds begin to buy it because of a shortage of forage and grain crops on the farm.

If such a man will keep books he will find that as a usual thing the use of mixed stock feed is a mere matter of arithmetic whether he could buy the ingredients cheaper than he could buy them in a so-called "balanced" ration.

MUST TASTE GOOD.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

A dairy ration must, of all things, be palatable so that a cow will eat it. It must be bulky and coarse so as to avoid indigestion and sickness. It must contain a variety of foods so that the cow will not tire of it or get off her feed. It must contain enough real protein—all protein is not alike. It must contain the right amounts and kinds of mineral substances necessary to life, health and milk secretion. It must be highly digestible. Many feeds are only about fifty to sixty per cent digestible and the work of excreting so much waste matter is costly in that it uses up the energy of the food to do it.

SUCCESSFUL FEEDING.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

It is most significant and probably the best argument for mixed feeds when it is considered that a large number of the most prominent and skilled men in America have discarded their own mixed feeds and rations because they have found a satisfactory brand of feed which will make as much milk at less cost and no trouble and, above all, keeps cows in perfect health.

Many agricultural schools and experiment stations use and have used them for the same reason.

You can verify this by writing to any experiment station and they will give you the names of mixed brands which are best adapted to your purpose.

FIVE POUNDS OF MILK ON ONE POUND OF GRAIN.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

C. H. Packard, of Delavan, Wisconsin, a progressive and practical dairyman, was not satisfied with his ration of home-grown feed. Although he mixed his ration with brains and it seemed to be theoretically correct, he thought he would try out his own mixture in comparison with a first class dairy feed. Much to his surprise he found that he could save about five lbs. of grain per cow per day and nearly 5 cents per cow. He figured his own grain at prices much below the wholesale market and bought his mixed feed at retail.

Also when his ration was figured according to Armsby or Energy method his mixed feed proved to be the right combination to make a balanced ration with his own farm roughage.

EXPENSIVE PASTURE.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

When you stop to consider that an acre of pasture will feed a cow, but that that same acre will raise ten tons of silage during the time the cow is feeding on it, it would seem that a grass cafeteria would be the most expensive way to feed your stock.

MORE FEED, MORE MILK.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Cows of a decided dairy type will return the greatest profit when fed to their full capacity.—Nebraska Experiment Station.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Ordinarily, silage will correct the tendency to costiveness. When it is not sufficiently effective for this purpose, add enough old process oil meal to keep the droppings moderately soft, but not necessarily loose. Usually all that is needed is to increase the allowance of concentrates.

There are always two sides to every question. If the government insists on more bran in flour, bossy will have to turn to still more artificial bran.

Wheat bran is a dear feed. Barley and rye by-products are more economical.

Poverty holds a mortgage on the feeder who can see nothing but the price. Some feeds are as cheap at $50 as other at $25 per ton.

When you buy hay for cows it usually costs more than grain by-products, although it costs half as much per ton.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

It is a fair assumption that any farmer who talks against mixed feeds does not know what a mixed feed ought to be. There is no danger of any man buying a fraudulent feed. The state laws are very stringent on this point and if any man has any doubt as to the value of a feed, all he has to do is to write his State Experiment Station and get the truth.

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Mildred Louise Talk of Interest

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

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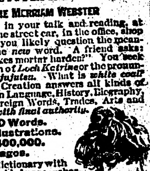

Be a booster, the selfish never yet built up a town.

B. Docken was a business visitor in Goodridge Saturday.

Miss Emma Kuehne returned from Thief River Falls Saturday.

Patriotism Pays, make that your slogan, then go practice what you preach.

This is a good time to make war on the fly. Swat him good.

The Free Mission Sunday School will meet at 11 o'clock next Sunday forenoon. Everyone invited.

Miss Tina Johnson visited friends in T. R. Falls returning home Saturday.

H. H. Harding, of Thief River Falls bought about 50 tons of scrap iron here this week, from the farmers.

Teachers Training School, Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, Minn., July 18 to 27. Enroll now.

The Navy is Uncle Sam's first line of defense. If offers every man an opportunity to serve his country in any of the trades or professions.

J. G. Devine and family, of Goodwin, S. Dak., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Tobiason and family, from Friday until Wednesday.

Do not eat too much. Doctors say it's not good for one's health. Then too think of the starving ones in Europe who you can divide with.

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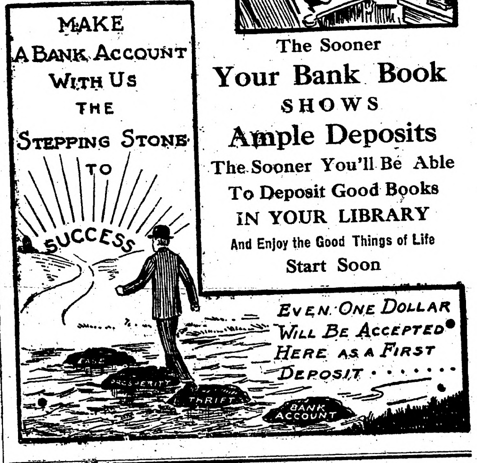

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Trade in Holt and get rich.

Senator Lobeck of Minneapolis will lecture here July 6th.

Arnold Boernstein and Leo Horien returned Monday from Warroad.

Miss Hilma Nyberg came up from Climax Tuesday for a few days visit.

If you need fly nets for your horses, go to Reierson's store for them.

You can buy hats at your own price at Reierson's store, for both men and women.

Miss Burndette Horien came home Monday from Hillsboro for a few days visit.

The village well was finally accepted by the council last week Thursday evening and settlement made for same.

[illegible] Sunday night from Mekinock, N. Dak., where they visited his parents.

Miss Amanda Mickelson came home Tuesday from Crookson for a short visit

Mrs. E. M. Ostby of T. R. Falls came Monday to visits at the home of Mrs. P. A. Riesberg and Mrs. Ole Kjelgen.

R. Rierson shipped a car of scrap iron Saturday and is still buying up more for shipment later.

Miss Bertha Ingbrightson of Fertile came Saturday to visit at the Mrs. J. L. Nelson home.

P. L. Anderson and H. J. Oien and family autoed down to Fertile Tuesday for a few days visit with Mrs. Oien's parents.

Martin Tunheim shipped a car of cattle from here Tuesday to So. St. Paul.

Ludwig Gullickson has been transferred from Warroad to the foremanship of the section here, to take the place of C. A. Hardy who was transferred to Badger. Ludwig arrived here Saturday, after a short visit with his parents at Middle River. The Hardy family moved to Badger Monday.

Save the Waste, and Win the War.

Sen. E. E. Lobeck, of Minneapolis, will lecture here Friday evening July 6th. Those who are acquainted with Mr. Lobeck say that he is a splendid speaker and well worth going several miles to hear. We hope all the people will turn out to hear him.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell made a trip to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson returned home Wednesday from a visit at Trail, Minn., their son Oscar met them at the train.

Harvey Copp called at his parents home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren attended the funeral of S. Kennison Saturday.

Mrs J. Meyers called at the S. R. Roger home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs M. O. Saugen transacted business in Thief River Falls Monday.

P. Solemn made a trip to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Emmons Rogers transacted business in T. R. Falls Friday.

Mrs. H. Culver has been a guest at the S. Warring's, home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Meyers called at the J. Heider home Sunday.

J. Whittman, spent a few days in Thief River Falls the past week with his sister, Mrs. Kennison.

Misses Lena and Frances Riedl spent Sunday in T. R. Falls.

Misses Inga and Celia Saugen attended church in Rosewood Sunday.

Miss Mathidla Leidon attended the meeting held at the J. Christianson home Wednesday.

Fine weather we are having.

Boost for Holt, first, last and all the time. Boost.

If there was'nt a creamery here you'd all be wanting one.

Arvid Carlson autoed over from Newfolden Monday after some large sizes in men's suits that he had sold out of there. His wife made the trip with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Eide moved the first of the week into the little home they recently built in the north part of town.

The milling and baling of the flax straw, bot by S. S. Kolden, was finished Tuesday and the tow mill was shipped to western Dakota. This company paid out several hundred dollars for flax straw which heretofore never brot the farmer anything, and the money came mighty handy the past year.

A. R. Jones spent the "Fourth" with his family at Crookston.

Hjalmer Dovre has the job of grading, two miles west from the river, on the road one half mile north of town.

Master Ernest Davidson visited Walmer Riesberg this week.

H. J. Olson accompanied by Miss Lydia Bjerk and Alma Knutson autoed to Crookston Tuesday to celebrate the "Fourth."

Mrs. Frank Coppay's niece and her children came from Grand Forks, Tuesday for a few days visit.

Tom Severson's brother, and nephew from Fordville, N. D. made him a visit week before last.

The brick masons finished the work on the bank Saturday and left for Warren where they are to put up a brick residence. The carpenter work on the bank roof is now being done, and the entire building is being wired for electric lights.

S. S. Kolden, John Sorum, Tom Severson, Svenke Svenkeson and Albert Klungness were in Warren Monday trying to induce the county board to build a couple of bridges across Thief River. On account of a shortage of funds it was decided to build only one, the one on the road between the township of East Valley and Adgar, a half mile south and about 6 miles east of Holt. The contract was let for a trifle over $6100.

Mr. American Citizen

Do you realize that the United States Navy is still short many thousands of men to properly man the ships now building to be ready for active war service the latter part of this year?

The Navy needs real men—red blooded Americans who are willing to do their bit for good old U. S. A. as did the men and boys of 1776 and 1861. Are you going to sit tight and "Let George do it" and in the future be ashamed to answer your children and grandchildren when they say "Daddy, what did you do during the great War?," or are you going to be in a position to say to them "Daddy was a Navy Volunteer, fought for this country of ours and helped to make the blessings of Liberty secure for ourselves and our posterity, and also helped save some of the starving mothers and children of Europe." Now is the time for you to step forward and volunteer for the Navy—always found ready when needed by your Uncle Sam. Men of the type of Farragut, Dewey, Lawerence, Perry and Nathan Hale are wanted. There are plenty of them in this county who will "make history" when they finally volunteer. The Northwest has never been found wanting when the Nation needed men. Volunteer now, write or telegraph Navy Recruiting Station, at Minneapolis. Branch stations at St. Paul, St. Cloud, Duluth and at Brainerd, Minn., and Fargo, Grand Forks, Minot and Bismarck, N. D.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and For Hearing Thereon

Estate of Jens P. Sorter.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Jens P. Sorter, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emma Sorter It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 12th day of January 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News as provided by law.

Dated June 30th 1917
(Court Seal) Peter H. Holm
Judge of Probate.

Fireproof Wood.

To make wood fireproof, slack a small quantity of fresh lime and add water until it has the consistency of cream; stir well and add one pound of alum, 12 ounces of commercial potash and about one pound of salt. Stir again and apply while hot. Two or three coats will keep wood fireproof for many months.

Save the Waste. The American people waste in a thousand different ways. It must be stopped if we are to win the war. Now is the time to begin. Get busy at once.

Dressy Collegians.

Patience—"An automobile repair course has been added to the curriculum of an Iowa agricultural college." Patrice—"Now, in speaking of college togs, don't forget the overalls."—Yonkers Statesman.

Greatest Poets.

Homer, Lucretius, Dante, Shakespeare, Goethe, Milton, Shelley, Byron, Tennyson, Browning. Perhaps others might be added. It is largely a matter of taste and temperament—although there is but little room for argument about the first six names.

Southeast of Holt.

(Too late for last week)

The Ladies Aid of the Synod congregation will have their picnic at Mrs. H. Peterson's on Sunday July 1st. Dinner will be served after which Rev. Bjorness will speak and the children of the Norwegian school will have their program.

Messrs. Harry Moe and Charlie Steenerson were business callers at Middle River between trains Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagen and daughter Nina of Grand Forks, N. D., Mr. P. Olsen and daughter Mabel of Oslo, autoed up to the G. A. Soiney home on Saturday, returning home Sunday.

The picnic at S. Moe's on Sunday was well attended. A large sum was taken in and an enjoyable time was reported by all present.

Gilbert Michaelson came up from Chicago on Saturday.

M. Lunke is building an addition to his house.

Mrs. Ole Johnson was a visitor at the John Skomedal home Monday.

Mrs. A. Klungnes and children autoed up to the S. Moe home and had their "second picnic" on Monday.

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Save money by trading in Holt.

The farmers are busy making war on the weeds.

So many cows have been butchered in the eastern states that there is such a shortage of milk that it is selling for 14 to 16 cents a quart in New York city. There is also a shortage of beef cattle there, and they are looking to the west for beef and butter. Don't veal your calves, they are more valueable to keep until they are older. Hides, leather and shoes were never so high as at present. We would strongly advise farmers to keep their calves.

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Notice of Annual School Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting in District No. 35 in Marshall County, Minnesota, for the election of Officers and the transaction of other business required by law at the Annual Meeting, will be held at the School House on the 21st day of July 1917, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Dated this 5th day of July 1917.
B. Docken, District Clerk.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota July 2, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Peter Anderson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who on January 27th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07209, for SW 1-4, Section 15, Township 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Carl Stenerson, Halvor Moe, Martin Samson and Christ Nelson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Trade at home.

Printers always need money.

Worse Than Work.

"After a man has loafed awhile," said Uncle Eben, "he generally decides dat he'd rather go to work dan be so lonesome."

Slavery Originated in the East.

Absolute slavery seems to have appeared in the eastern colonies somewhat earlier than in the southern, for slavery existed in New York in 1628, in New Jersey in 1628, in Massachusetts in 1630, in Connecticut in 1631 and in Delaware in 1636. There was a statutory recognition of slavery in Massachusetts in 1641, which was considerably ahead of such recognition of slavery in Virginia or Maryland.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.91
Wheat No. 2	1.81
Wheat No. 3	1.70
Wheat No. 4	1.58
Flax	2.58
Oats	.62
Barley	.53 to .84
Rye	1.94
Flour, Best Patent	6.25

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Holt, Minn.

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Bring us your Job Printing.

Wake Up! Our country is at war.

Holt is bound to grow and don't you forget it.

Found: A horse blanket. Please prove property and pay for this notice.

The U. S. Navy is still calling for men to run ships that are ready and waiting.

Every time you play the other fellows game, you loose. Do not monkey with a buzz saw or a centralizer. They are second cousins.

Bring Your Scrap Iron to Steiner
Am paying up to July 15th $8.00 Cash
or $9.00 in trade, a Ton for scrap iron of all kinds
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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

U. S.—Teutonic War News

Ten units of American woodmen sent over by New England states and organizations to turn various forests of the United Kingdom into lumber have arrived on English soil.

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Safe arrival at a British port of about 125 aircraft experts sent from this country to investigate European methods of aircraft designing and manufacture, was announced by the aircraft production board at Washington.

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Several contingents of U. S. troops have been landed at a French port without mishap. They were received with frantic cheers by the people, and were immediately transferred to a camp near the front.

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The Providence (R. I.) Journal says: "The United States government is in possession of information which has revived the belief that German U-boats are again on this side of the Atlantic and that they have established a base somewhere off the south side of Cuba."

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How the Providence (R. I.) Journal met guile with guile, and spy with spy, how it had its man in Bernstorff's own household and its two wireless stations "listening in" on the German Sayville "line" to Berlin—how, in fact, this one New England newspaper for almost three years kept the United States government informed of the German-Austrian plots in America—has at last been revealed by John R. Rathom, editor of the Journal.

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On hundred and twenty Americans concentrated at Constantinople include all American consular officers and forty-nine missionaries from Syria. Turkish authorities have granted permission for them to leave for Switzerland.

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The war department at Washington has received complete reports from Maj. Gen. John J. Pershing on what has been accomplished in preparation for American regulars in France. The American base will be south of St. Quentin, historic in the stories of the war on the western front.

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More than a dozen suffragists were arrested by the police at Washington when they marched in front of the White House, lined up against the fence and unfurled suffrage banners.

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Domestic

Two resolutions pledging loyalty of Wisconsin to the nation were adopted by overwhelming votes in the assembly at Madison, Wis.

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Under the provisions of the new espionage act the Savannah (Ga.) post office held up deliveries of Thomas E. Watson's weekly newspaper, which has been attacking the army draft, pending a decision by the post office department.

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Percy Grainger, noted pianist, has enlisted in the army and is playing the oboe in a coast artillery band at Fort Totten, it was learned. Grainger, who has received more than $1,000 for playing at a single concert, is now a third-class musician, receiving $30 a month.

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Twenty-nine men, who have been in the Winnebago county jail for violating the draft registration law at Rockford, Ill., June 5, pleaded guilty at Freeport, Ill. These were in addition to 103 cases Tuesday.

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The Belgian diplomatic mission has tentatively arranged a trip through the United States extending to the Pacific coast.

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The United States cruiser Olympia, Admiral Dewey's flagship at the battle of Manila, ran aground in the fog off Block Island, R. I. Chief Machinists' Mate William M. Babb lost his life. The crew abandoned the ship.

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It was announced at Cambridge, Mass., that Henry Moore Bates, dean of the law school at the University of Michigan, has been elected professor of law at Harvard.

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Reports from Haines say the town of Rock Creek, Ore., virtually was swept away when a 50-foot dam at the flooded Killamancue lake gave way. Residents of Haines, which is in the path of the flood, hurried for high ground. Nearly every building in the town was destroyed.

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Adolph Swimer at Newark, N. J., convicted in May of having threatened to kill President Wilson, was sentenced to one year and one day in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta. He was a farmhand.

European War News

Under a protecting concentration of artillery fire Canadian troops stormed and captured the German front line before Avion, a suburb of Lens, says a dispatch from France. By this advance the British line has been carried forward to within one mile of the center of Lens.

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The Elder-Dempster steamer Addah was torpedoed without warning and sunk by a German submarine on June 15. The submarine fired on the captain's boat, killing eight men.

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The French made a surprise attack northwest of Hurtebise. The Paris war office announces the capture of the entire first line German trenches. More than 300 prisoners were taken.

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A dispatch to the London Times from Athens says French troops entered Athens and occupied several points in the city. A Reuter dispatch from Athens says there was a demonstration in the city and that the allies' troops entered the city to assist in maintenance of order.

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There was sharp fighting between the Teutons and Russians on the battle fronts in southeastern Galicia and in the Carpathian mountains, says the official statement issued by the German war department at Berlin.

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Sailors on a British steamer which arrived here reported having sunk an attacking German submarine. The British vessel sent a shell into the U-boat magazine, causing an explosion which parted the underwater boat about amidships.

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Washington

An immediate general reduction of $1 to $1.50 a ton in the price of coal at the mine was agreed upon at Washington by representatives of the coal operators. The reduction relates to bituminous coal. Hundreds of millions of dollars will be saved to the American people through this decision.

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With revision of the war tax bill virtually completed and now totaling $1,449,000,000, against the $1,800,000,000 levy of increased taxes adopted by the house, the senate finance committee at Washington considered authorization of additional bonds and proposed a bond issue of $500,000,000.

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The daylight saving bill, amended to take effect next year, passed the senate at Washington without discussion or record vote and was sent to the house. Under the bill all timepieces would be turned forward one hour beginning the last Sunday in April and continuing until the last Sunday in September.

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Behind jail bars, six woman suffragists, convicted in the police court at Washington of obstructing the sidewalk by displaying propaganda banners before the White House, held a song service and suffrage meeting for the other 40 woman inmates of the prison.

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Extension of government control to iron and steel and their products, farm implements and sisal, jute and hemp products, such as binding twine, was decided upon as an amendment to the administration food control bill by the senate agricultural subcommittee at Washington.

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As a result of federal forces set in motion at Washington, 400 coal operators, representing the great fields of both bituminous and anthracite, pledged themselves to sell their product at a fair and reasonable price to be fixed with the approval of the national defense council's coal committee. The action of the coal barons followed an all-day conference with defense council's coal committee.

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President Wilson at Washington appointed the local boards named by the governors to hear exemption claims on the first draft by which 650,000 are to be selected for the army. The rules governing exemptions have not yet been issued, but will be soon, so the work of selecting the army may be begun.

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President Wilson, by executive order issued at Washington, created the new export council, better known as the embargo board. It will have complete authority to declare embargoes on exports from this country and is expected to prove a most powerful weapon in dealing with the neutral nations that are known to have been engaged in supplying Germany with foodstuffs and materials for the manufacture of munitions.

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Foreign

A Reuter dispatch to London from Athens says it is stated on good authority that M. Venizelos will form a cabinet.

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The declaration that a general strike of organized labor in Canada will be called if the government attempts to apply conscription without first obtaining a majority vote by the people, was made in parliament at Ottawa, Ont., by Alphonse Verville.

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The lower house of the Austrian reichsrath at Vienna has approved the proposal of its presiding officer for a discussion of the preparations and war aims of the nation which would be preliminary to any peace negotiations.

BRAZIL NAVY AIDS AMERICA IN HUNT FOR SEA RAIDERS

BEGINS CO-OPERATING WITH U. S. FLEET IN SOUTH ATLANTIC WATERS—WASHINGTON SENDS ENVOYS.

FORMAL DECLARATION OF WAR HELD DOUBTFUL

Rio de Janeiro Government Inclined to Regard Action as Defensive Only—Argentina May Yet Join Allies, State Department Feels.

Washington, July 2.—Brazil's navy has begun co-operating with the American fleet in South American waters in hunting down German sea raiders and watching for German submarines.

Sending of a special diplomatic mission to Brazil to arrange for greater co-ordination of forces and the closest possible co-operation of the two governments, is under consideration by the United States.

War Not Yet Declared.

Without formal declaration of war, Brazil thus probably has joined the United States against Germany. Coincident with the inauguration of Brazil's naval operations a plan for protecting her merchant ships in their voyages to allied ports with frozen meats and other foodstuffs, has been put into effect.

Whether Brazil will supplement her action by a formal declaration of war is not known here and by some officials such action is regarded as doubtful.

Action Held Defensive.

The government at Rio de Janeiro is inclined to regard its action rather defensive than aggressive.

For the present it is believed Brazil's part will be adequately done if she contributes to the safety of southern seas and to the movement to Europe of foodstuffs.

Brazil's navy is the largest of the South American group and in connection with the American fleet commanded by Admiral Caperton, it is believed the work of keeping the South Atlantic clear of enemy craft will be greatly facilitated.

Won't Patrol Argentine Waters.

It is not the intention of the Brazilian government at present to use its navy in patrolling water off Argentina, but that feature, it is believed, will not weaken materially the scheme of ocean sweeping, since the long field of operations off the coast of Brazil comprises the more important sector of southern operations.

Argentina May Act.

Hope is still felt at the State department that the Argentine government yet may join the war for world democracy. This was indicated by dispatches from Buenos Aires, which say it is regarded by some there as merely a question of time before Argentina will adopt a course similar to that of Brazil.

GOVERNORS CALLED ON TO NAME DRAFT COURTS

Are Warned of Gravity of Task—Farmers, Big Employers and Laborers to Be Represented.

Washington, July 2.—Warning of the gravity of the task, the war department has called upon state governors for their nominations to the upper tribunals that will single out the men for America's new armies. On the boards the farmer, the big employer and the laboring man each will have "a friend at court."

In a letter to each governor Secretary Baker drew attention to the double responsibility that rests upon the boards—to raise armies and at the same time avoid injuring the vital industrial needs of the nation. He declared it was the "most vital problem of the war to strike a balance between military and industrial necessity."

HELD FOR DEATH OF 62 BABIES

Two Men Under Arrest in Missouri—Government Investigates.

St. Louis, July 2.—Two men are under arrest at Kennett, Mo., in connection with the deaths of 62 children from enterocolitis in Scott and Dunklin counties.

The men are held on prohibitive bail, with bond in case bail should be offered subject to approval by government officials in Washington before they can be released, it is said.

Government agents from Washington and St. Louis are said to have gone to Kennett, where they are conducting a rigid investigation.

Have Clue to Murderer of Girl.

Sioux City, Iowa, July 2.—Miss Theola Gerken, of Woonsocket, S. D., who was shot and killed on a street here and her girl chum, Miss Mabel Houlihan, met two young men the night before the murder while on their way home. The four arranged an engagement for the next evening, which the girls did not keep. This information was obtained by the police along with other clues, which they believe will lead to the capture of the murderer. The names of the young men were not revealed.

The State News of the Week in Brief

An Epitome of All the Big and Interesting Events of the Past Few Days in the State.

More than 3,000 gathered in the Dodge Center park for the forty-first annual program of the Dodge County Old Settlers' association.

Patrick Hammel, of Duluth, has won his fight to establish a claim to partnership in Cuyuna range from lands valued at $5,000,000.

Henry Slade Goff, educator, author, poet, soldier and pioneer of the northwest, is dead at his home in Minneapolis. He was 75 years old.

Twenty-five vacancies in the Sixth enlisted engineers' regiment, now in training at Detroit, Mich., are being held open for recruits from St. Paul.

Construction work on Rochester's municipal owned water power dam, the first public owned hydro-electric plant in the state, is under way at top speed at the dam site.

The question of voting St. Louis county, Minnesota, dry, will be submitted to the voters Monday, September 10, under the county option law, according to plans.

Ed Bosky, editor of the Referendum, a newspaper of Faribault, indicted by the Ramsey county grand jury for discouraging enlistments, has been released on $1,000 bonds.

An unfavorable report has been submitted to the House by the Secretary of War and chief of engineers upon the proposed drainage project of Traverse and Big Stone lakes.

The bodies of the two young men and two young women who were drowned when a launch in which they were returning from an outing down river struck a submerged piling, have been found two miles below the city.

A meeting of committees from North Dakota, South Dakota and Minnesota to perfect the drainage district has been held in Breckenridge. The delegates considered further steps in the Red River reclamation proceedings.

Fifty-five automobiles, containing 300 farmers and business men interested in silos, have visited stock and dairy farms on which silos are a part of the equipment, in the vicinity of Staples, Motley, Aldrich and Verndale.

Women at the Virginia & Rainy Lake Lumber company's plant, recently employed to take the places of enlisted men, are making good, according to S. J. Cusson, general superintendent.

Under authority given by the measure passed by the City council, prohibiting unpatriotic demonstrations by professional agitators, Elizabeth Gurley Flynn, of New York city, who recently arrived in Duluth, was arrested.

Ray P. Speer of St. Paul, publicity manager of the American Association of Fairs and Expositions, has received a telegram from Herbert C. Hoover, food controller, calling him to Washington for a conference on the part of food training camps.

Charles E. Lamberton, Redwood Falls transfer man and garage owner, has been shot and instantly killed here. His alleged slayer, William Rosendahl, formerly a blacksmith in Lamberton's employ, and now an automobile agent, is under arrest.

Brewery officials of Duluth called into conference by Sheriff Meining have pledged their support to the requirements of the Order No. 8, issued by the State Public Safety Commission regulating the sale and disposition of liquor in Minnesota during the war.

The convention of the Minnesota Live Stock Breeders' association was crowded with meetings and addresses. C. H. Frederickson of Clements talked on "use of farm pastures." Dr. C. W. Gay of the University farm, St. Paul, and W. F. Shilling of Northfield also addressed the convention.

Plans whereby Minnesota will have a day all her own at Peoria, Ill., fair, September 18 to 29, have been announced by Fred D Sherman, state immigration commissioner. The state's immigration exhibit will be shown at this fair, in competition with those of several other states, for a large silver trophy cup offered for the best state display of crop products.

The American flag predominated in the annual parade of Minnesota Elks, the crowning feature of the order's annual convention in Winona. There was little of the ludicrous that heretofore has characterized the annual pageant. Two companies of national guard, five bands, two drum corps and 1,000 members of the order participated. Every Elks lodge in Minnesota is represented at the convention.

A. C. Gooding, of Rochester, former state treasurer, has been elected president of the Minnesota Bankers' association, succeeding Henry von der Weyer, of the Merchants National bank, St. Paul. The bankers were the guests of the St. Paul bankers on a steamboat excursion down the river.

Twenty farm superintendents and gardeners from fifteen state institutions attended a semi-annual convention at Fairmont. Demonstrations in soil tests and spraying of plants to rid them of disease and parasites were featured. Prof. R. S. McIntosh lectured at the state school for the feeble-minded.

Three boxcars were loaded with clamshells in Fairfax last week, the first of a large shipment which will be made this year from hauls made in the Minnesota river. Shells bring $32 a ton. The bulk of the shells are shipped to button factories in Iowa.

DEMANDS ARREST OF ALL SLACKERS

SAFETY COMMISSION TO ENFORCE NEW LAWS AGAINST SYNDICALISM.

AFFECTS COUNTIES IN NORTH

Edict Following Conference With Mayors and Police Chiefs Addressed Chiefly to St. Louis and Itasca Authorities.

The State Public Safety commission has passed a resolution calling upon police officers of the state to enforce 1917 laws against criminal syndicalism and interference with military enlistment.

The action followed a conference with mayors and police chiefs of town in the northern part of the state and the edict, the secretary of the commission said, is addressed especially to the authorities of St. Louis and Itasca counties where conditions the law is intended to reach are most marked.

The commission issued a statement to the effect that it apprehends no recurrence of last summer's trouble on the Iron Range.

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U. S. Calls First Artillery.

With the machinery of mobilization well under way and only awaiting receipt of the formal order from General Thomas H. Barry of the central division officers of the First Minnesota artillery were busy rounding up the men of the regiment. About 200 members of the regiment were out of the city, when the order came, among the number being three officers.

The notification of intention to mobilize the regiment and to assign battalions to the officers' training camps at Fort Snelling and to Fort Riley, Kan., was received by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist in a telegram from the war department.

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Fish Planted in 377 Lakes.

Owing to the extraordinary need for increasing the food supply of the people the Minnesota Game and Fish department has made unusual efforts this spring. The distribution of wall-eyed pike has just been completed. The total output was 273,626,000 pike. These were distributed in sixty counties and planted in 377 lakes.

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Census Shows Labor Conditions.

The first complete census returns of labor conditions in Minnesota, so far as they pertain to farm help, have been received at the newly created Public Employment bureau in Minneapolis.

These returns will be used by the bureau as a means of locating farm help wants.

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Insane Patients to Go on Farm.

Transfer of 60 chronic insane patients from various state hospitals to the asylum to be established in connection with the state farm for inebriates at Wilmar will be made Aug. 1, and the erection of two cottages there for housing insane patients will be rushed.

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Educators Study at "U."

At the College of Agriculture 900 rural and elementary teachers of the state have become students once more. They will attend classes until July 27 to earn credits toward first and second class state certificates and to raise their professional status in general.

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54 Join Second Field Artillery.

Fifty young men enlisted for Albert Lea's new battery in the Second Minnesota Field artillery at a mass meeting here. Colonel W. J. Murphy, commanding officer of the new artillery regiment was the principal speaker. A patriotic parade preceded the meeting.

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To Investigate I. W. W. Lawlessness.

A reign of lawlessness and I. W. W. demonstration at International Falls, reported to the State Public Safety commission has resulted in the appointment by Governor Burnquist of a commission of three to make an immediate investigation there.

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Wood's Resignation Expected.

Adjutant General Fred B. Wood may resign within a few days, it has become known, but his resignation has not yet been requested. The next move is up to the Federal government, it was said at the Governor's office.

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1917 Crop Outlook Favorable.

Col. C. H. March of Litchfield, food commissioner on the state public safety commission, is sanguine over the outlook for a big 1917 crop in this state. "Minnesota has the best prospects ever—beautiful," he exclaimed

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Buys Mine Bureau Building.

Purchase of a building at Hibbing to be used by the state bureau on mines has been consummated by State Auditor Preus and representatives of the E. J. Longyear company, Minneapolis, at a consideration of $35,000, as authorized at the last session of the Legislature. A complete laboratory for testing iron ore, Mr. Preus said, will be installed. The building is a two-story brick structure, with a vault and has been partly occupied by the state mining department.

Is Your Work Hard?

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Catching On.

"What is the meaning of 'alter ego?'" asked the teacher of the beginners' class in Latin.

"It means the 'other I,'" responded a pupil.

"Give me a sentence containing the phrase."

"He winked his alter ego."—Boston Transcript.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

His Trouble.

Visitor—My poor man, when you get out of this place, do not yield too hastily to temptation. Take time to think; take time.

Convict—That's wot I'm in fer. I took too many watches.

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Expectations Realized.

"Look'ee, George, didn' I tell'ee my boy would make th' folks sit up an' open their mouths when 'e got to Lunnon?"

"Zo you did, an has 'e done it?"

"Aye. 'E've started business as a dentist!"—Passing Show.

Unsophisticated.

Woman—"But these strawberries are quite green." Fruit Peddler—"Well, mum, they're just from the country."

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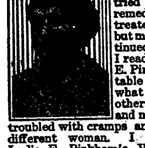

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BREAD AS ECONOMICAL FOOD

Would Be Used More Extensively If Home-Baked Variety Was Always Good, Say Government Experts.

If home-baked bread were uniformly well made, it would be used more extensively than at present in place of more expensive foods, say specialists in the United States department of agriculture, and this would be a distinct economy. From the standpoint of nutrition it makes very little difference whether breadstuffs are served in the form of bread or in the form of breakfast cereals, side dishes with meat, or desserts.

A man engaged in moderate muscular work can profitably consume about three-fourths of a pound a day of breadstuffs in any one of these forms. This quantity is the equivalent of one pound of baked bread. As a matter of fact, however, it is not probable that in the average family this quantity is consumed and the deficiency is made up by the use of more expensive substances. Of course bread alone is not sufficient for the maintenance of health, but from both an economical and a hygienic point of view should be used more extensively than it usually is, declare the experts.

War Spirit Contagious.

Sir Herbert Beerbohm Tree was more than once placed in a perplexing position by the loss of members of his cast during his tour throughout Canada and the United States. No less than ten members enlisted, including two ladies for service in war hospitals. One humorous incident occurred after the engagement of a "deputy" in the United States. She was not very much interested in the war prior to her appointment, but the talk behind the scenes among the company bore so frequently on the loss of relatives at the front that she felt one night impelled to volunteer as a nurse, was eventually accepted, and her place had to be filled.

Rare Case.

"This criminal has a streak of honesty, anyway."

"Eh?"

"He says he's sane and guilty."

In the case of divorce the key to matrimony becomes a shift key.

The Danger Zone for Many Is Coffee Drinking

Some people find it wise to quit coffee when their nerves begin to "act up."

The easy way nowadays is to switch to

Instant Postum

Nothing in pleasure is missed by the change, and greater comfort follows as the nerves rebuild,

Postum is economical to both health and purse.

"There's a Reason"

WARNS OF DANGER IN PEACE BEFORE ALLIES WIN GOAL

LLOYD GEORGE DECLARES INDEMNITIES TO PREVENT FUTURE WARS ARE ESSENTIAL, IN SPEECH.

PEACE IS POSSIBLE NOW ONLY AT KAISER'S PRICE

British Premier Says Germany Wants Economic and Other Control Over Invaded Nations—Asserts Russia Will Become More Formidable.

Glasgow, June 30.—Peace without victory would constitute the greatest disaster in the history of mankind.

Indemnities constitute an essential part of the mechanism of civilization everywhere and insure future peace.

Mesopotamia can never be restored to the Turks because of their blasting tyranny. The same holds true of Armenia.

Must Fight to End.

The Allies must fight on until they have reached the end they set out to attain when they accepted Germany's challenge to civilization.

These are some of the salient statements made here by Premier Lloyd George in a discussion of questions of peace.

Early Peace a Disaster.

In discussing the question of peace Premier Lloyd George said that if the war should be concluded a single hour before the Allied powers reached the end they set out to attain at the beginning of the war it would be the greatest disaster that ever befell mankind.

"Without indemnities," the prime minister went on, "we have no guarantee against a repetition of events."

For Democracy's Future.

Lloyd George predicted that the Russian revolution would eventually insure "victory of a higher and more exalted nature than any one could have contemplated before — because now free people are fighting for democracy's future."

"Russia will regain her strength with a bound and become mightier and more formidable than ever," Lloyd George asserted. "Although these distractions had the effect of postponing complete victory, they made victory more sure than ever, more complete than ever, and, what is more important, they made surer than ever the quality of victory."

Can Have Peace at Enemy Price.

"No doubt we can have peace now at a price. Germany wants peace—even Prussia desires it. They said: 'Give us some indemnity for the wrongs we have done, just a little territory here and a little there and just a few privileges in other directions and we will clear out.' We are told that if we are prepared to make peace now Germany will restore the independence of Belgium. But who has said so?

"No German statesman has ever said he would restore the independence of Belgium. The German chancellor came very near to it, but all the junkers fell on him and he received a sound box from the mailed fist.

Germany Seeks Control.

"No doubt Germany wants peace," declared the British premier in his speech, "but it is a peace which would give her economic and other control over the countries which she has invaded."

EDUCATOR HELD FOR CRIME

One Dead With Throat Cut, Two Others Badly Hurt.

Laconia, N. H., June 30.—In a cottage on Lake Winnisquam, police have found Miss Alice Black Richards, head teacher of the school for feebleminded here, dead with her throat cut and two other women connected with the school in a serious condition from an attack.

Held for the crime at the police station at his own request is Morris P. Bradford, manual training teacher at the school.

CANADA TO PASS DRAFT BILL

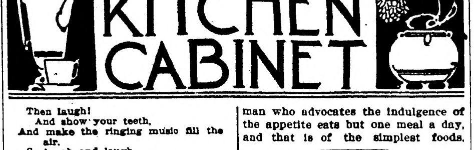
Labor's Threat of Strike Believed Unavailing.

Ottawa, June 30.—Canada's bitterly debated conscription bill is expected to become law, despite the threat in commons from Alphone Verville, Labor member, of a general strike unless the proposed measure is first submitted to the people.

The general feeling is that the bill will pass in the house with from 40 to 60 majority and that it will undoubtedly be carried in the upper house.

Suffragettes Finish Jail Term.

Washington, June 30.—Welcomed by their militant suffrage sisters and hailed as heroines, six White House pickets stepped forth from the district women's prison after doing a "three day bolt." Militants greeted the prisoners and took them to the Cameron house where a suffrage breakfast was served. The women seem almost famished. Thursday they had for breakfast boiled rice, molasses and coffee; Friday, raspberries and cream, creamed eggs, bacon, hot rolls and coffee.

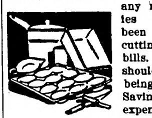


THE KITCHEN CABINET

Then laugh!
 And show your teeth,
And make the ringing music fill the air.
 So laugh and laugh,
 It puts a wreath
Of joy and lasting grace on ev'ry care.

INEXPENSIVE DISHES.

To be popular these days means the ability to use economy and pass on any new discoveries which have been helpful in cutting down food bills. Wisdom should be used in being economical. Saving food at the expense of the health of the family is being "penny wise." For the plump, well-fed individual a meal missed two or three times a week will be found most advantageous, and let that food or its equivalent be given to those who have not food enough.



Butterscotch Pie.—Line a deep plate with pastry and fill with the following mixture: Melt two large tablespoonfuls of butter and a cupful of brown sugar; cook till a rich brown, then add a large cupful of scalded milk. Simmer until the sugar is dissolved and whip in the yolk of an egg which has been stirred with a tablespoonful of cornstarch. Bake until the custard is set and spread with a meringue made from the egg white well beaten and a tablespoonful of powdered sugar. Flavor both filling and meringue with vanilla.

Strawberries Preserved Whole.—Crush two quarts of small berries and simmer gently for 20 minutes, then strain. For a pint of juice allow a pound of sugar. Heat the sugar and add the juice, return to the heat and cook until thick, skimming when necessary. Fill hot glasses with hulled, whole berries, cover with the boiling sirup and put on covers.

Bran Pudding.—To a half-cupful each of bran and whole-wheat flour, add one-half cupful of chopped raisins, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one cupful of milk, one well-beaten egg, one tablespoonful of melted butter, one teaspoonful of grated lemon rind and a half-teaspoonful of salt. Steam two hours and serve with a hot lemon sauce.

Irish Stew.—Cut up and brown in a hot pan a pound of mutton. Add sliced potatoes, onions, carrots, a teaspoonful of flour, salt and pepper to season; cover with a cupful of boiling water and stew gently for two hours. Pile on a dish and serve hot.

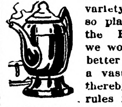
Tomato With Sardines.—Place slices of tomato with two skinned and boned sardines to each slice, arrange on lettuce leaves and serve with French dressing.

Those who will live on white flour exclusively will have various forms of liver and stomach troubles as well as constipation.

"Out of the silence comes thy strength." Try to be calm for a few days, be silent, patiently listen and wait for the strength that is bestowed on all. Begin today.

ECONOMICAL LIVING.

Everybody is trying to be as careful as possible about wasting foods and not serving any great variety. If we could all so plan our lives using the Fletcher methods, we would have infinitely better health and save a vast amount of food thereby. One of the first rules is: 1. Do not eat until you are hungry even if you skip two or three meals. 2. Never eat when you are hurried, worried, unhappy or angry. 3. Consult the appetite before eating and eat just what is demanded at the time. 4. Hold every mouthful of food in the mouth as if it were the last you ever expected to get. Give the entire attention to it, taste it until there is no taste left. Enjoy it for all it is worth. The third rule is the one on which trouble might easily hinge, as those who have appetites have not all trained them to right living.



In discussing rule three with Mr. Fletcher one man said, "Can the indulgence of the animal appetites lead to temperate habits when history shows that they have always, from the beginning of time, led to gluttony? Why, if I followed my appetite, I should never pass a saloon and should always go to bed with my boots on every night." Mr. Fletcher replied, "Suppose you try it and see." The stipulations were that he should surrender without a struggle to everyone of his impulses to eat or drink, the one condition being that he should make sure that the impulse sprang from a physical demand and not a mental craving. He proved that it was a restless mind and not physical appetite that was calling for alcohol. The principle that excess springs not from our natural appetites, but from acquired cravings, teaches us that our natural appetites, rightly observed, understood and interpreted can be trusted to guide us aright. By following this teaching the desire for elaborate and expensive concoctions as well as condiments or liquors will be lost and an appreciation for the delicate and subtle flavors of such food as rice and bread will be developed. This man who advocates the indulgence of the appetite eats but one meal a day, and that is of the simplest foods.

Laugh!
For mirth is next to health,
 When mirth springs up from innocence and fun;
Laugh! 'Tis quite ahead of wealth!
 'Tis joy that knows no pang when once begun!

PRUNE DISHES.

There is no more wholesome fruit than the luscious dried prunes which are always in market. It is an advantage to buy the large-sized prunes, as the smaller ones have as large pits with less meat.

Prune Cake.—Take a half cupful of shortening, add one cupful of molasses, a cupful of sour milk, one egg and a cupful of brown sugar. Mix a teaspoonful of soda in the sour milk, add a little salt and spices to taste, with four cupfuls of flour and three and a half cupfuls of chopped prunes. Bake in a slow oven.

Stewed prunes, pitted and cut fine, filled into a baked shell and covered with sweetened whipped cream, make a most delicious dessert.

Stuffed Prunes.—Select large, perfect prunes. Steam them until tender but not too soft. Remove the pits carefully and stuff the prunes with finely chopped hickory nuts and raisins well mixed. Other fillings may be used, but this seems to be especially good. Roll in granulated sugar just before sending to the table.

Prune juice is especially good for small children, alternating it with orange juice. These juices supply the needed mineral ingredients necessary to the blood.

Prune Brown Bread.—Take a cupful of corn meal, two cupfuls of graham flour, one-half cupful of molasses, one cupful of sour milk, one teaspoonful of soda, one teaspoonful of salt and one cupful of finely chopped pitted prunes which have not been stewed. Scald the corn meal and add the other ingredients. Put into greased tins and steam three hours.

Simple Prune Whip.—Press a cupful of well-cooked prunes through a colander, add one-half cupful of sugar and the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs. Mix lightly and heap in sherbet cups. This is especially good for children or invalids, and also makes a fine cake filling.

Potted Lentil Cheese.—Mix well cooked lentils with grated cheese, various seasonings, press to squeeze out all the moisture and put into glasses. Keep in a cool dry place.

Such savory plants must sure be good
That serve at once for emblems and for food.

THINGS TO CONSIDER.

A pound of split peas, whatever the price, is at the present moment a better food than a pound of meat. Peas are easily digested. Peas, beans, macaroni, rice and oatmeal are all superior foods. Potatoes digest in about the same time as beans, but the advantage is far on the side of the beans.

This year with potatoes so high, the substitutes have been studied greatly to the disadvantage of the ubiquitous potato. Rice is cheap and is more easily digested than potatoes; it takes rice one hour to digest, the potato three. Rye, as well as whole wheat and cornmeal, should take the place of white bread on our tables.

In the cooking of vegetables in many households the valuable mineral salts are thrown down the kitchen sink and the family are being starved for the elements that keep a well-balanced organism. The doctor is called on to administer iron which should be taken naturally from the vegetable foods.

It should be the aim of every house mother to study the needs of her family as to the physical, mental as well as moral life. There is no doubt that food has a great influence upon the body and mind. Many a man is a drunkard because of insufficient food or improperly balanced diet

Children who are given highly seasoned foods, pickles and condiments, are paving the way for future stomach trouble or dissipation. Poor cooking, bakers' bread and such food creates dyspepsia and its gnawings are often mistaken demands for stimulants until the habit is formed

Food should be properly but not over, seasoned. To season food to such an excess that its flavor is entirely disguised is neither good sense nor good cooking. Salt should be used to make food more palatable, an excess of salt is not good for the system, and pepper and all spices should be used most sparingly.

After the pie is made and put into the oven, unless you are a most exact workman there will be small bits left which may be used in several ways.

Nellie Maxwell

NEW METALS BEING SOUGHT

Manufacturers Looking for Substitutes for Those Now Used, Because of Advance in Prices.

The recent advance in price of many of the more commonly used metals has led manufacturers to adopt or consider the adoption of various substitute metals or alloys for certain purposes. The advice of the bureau of standards has frequently been sought in this connection. An interesting field of investigation is opened up by such inquiries.

It appears that the metals traditionally and currently used for various articles are in many cases no better adapted for the purpose than others, and a slight difference in price would warrant a substitution. It is not usually possible, however, to suggest substitutes offhand, as there are many factors involving manufacturing peculiarities, durability and other physical and chemical properties that first have to be determined. "There is," says the bureau, "a very wide field of research here, which would undoubtedly repay manyfold the efforts put upon it."—Scientific American.

An Abandoned Industry.

Henry—I see it be ordained as the farmers should grow pigs these times. Have you any coming along, Jarge?

George—No, 'Enery; I 'aven't taken no interest in pigs much since the missus died.—London Tattler.

Demonstrate thrift in your home.

Psychology and the War.

Prof. G. Stanley Hall of the Clark university, United States, places the subject of applied psychology on a high plane in relation to the war. He states:

"Whatever system has been employed, it is evident that applied psychology has produced results in this war which it was never possible to attain before. Men have endured more, they have shown more heroism and daring and have submitted to more punishment than in any previous war. No such slaughter would have been possible in former wars, without provoking a panic. This has unquestionably been due to the system of psychological selection, not only for the various grades of service but for special activities within each grade. Our country may as well think of going to war without first-class military equipment as without a knowledge of applied psychology. The council of national defense seems to have recognized this; and the National Research council within that body will, I understand, contain representative psychologists."

Consolation.

Mistress—Oh, Norah, you've broken that willow pattern plate into a dozen pieces.

Norah—Never mind, mum; shure it'll make a foine picture puzzle for Masther Harold.

James J. Hill, deceased, left $50,000,000 worth of property in Minnesota.

Save the Babies

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save many of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. There can be no danger in the use of Castoria if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher as it contains no opiates or narcotics of any kind.

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Canada extends to you a hearty invitation to settle on her FREE Homestead lands of 160 acres each or secure some of the low priced lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. This year wheat is higher but Canadian land just as cheap, so the opportunity is more attractive than ever. Canada wants you to help feed the world by tilling some of her fertile soil—land similar to that which during many years has averaged 20 to 45 bushels of wheat to the acre. Think of the money you can make with wheat around $2 a bushel and land so easy to get. Wonderful yields also of Oats, Barley and Flax. Mixed farming in Western Canada is as profitable an industry as grain growing.

The Government this year is asking farmers to put increased acreage into grain. There is a great demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for service. The climate is healthful and agreeable, railway facilities excellent, good schools and churches convenient. Write for literature as to reduced railway rates to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Can., or to

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N.D.;
J. L. Porte, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents

Smart Man.

After the supper party the host handed round a box of cigars with an expansive smile of the help-yourself-and-don't-mind-me variety.

"Lovely cigars, ye know!" he declared, offering the box to the first guest. "They were a present from my wife."

Gently but none the less firmly, every man present swore that smoking would expand his heart to colossal proportions, or else that he had sworn off the weed for the duration, says London Ideas.

When they had all gone the host extracted a card from under the first layer of cigars: "From Uncle James."

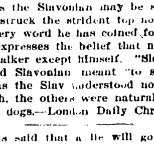
"That little speech saved me that box," he mused "Jolly smart wheeze!"

The Reichsrath a Babel

That parliament of Babel the reichsrath, now engaged in playing an obscure part in the Austro Hungarian peace hunt, is permitted to express its emotions in eight official languages—symbolic of the war of tongues raging in the empire itself. In the great vocal chorus the Slavonian may be said to have struck the strident top note, for the very word he has coined for himself expresses the belief that no man is a talker except himself. "Slowan," in Old Slavonian meant "to speak," and as the Slav understood no other speech, the others were naturally the dumb dogs.—London Daily Chronicle.

It is said that a lie will go much farther than the truth but in nine cases out of ten the sender has to pay the freight

"Give all the kids Post Toasties —They like 'em"



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This is a good time to make war on the fly. Swat him good.

We had another good rain yesterday and crops are growing fine.

Oscar Furr went to Bergland, Ont. Wednesday for a few days visit with relatives.

The Yankee Robinson three ring circus will exhibit in T. R. Falls next Wednesday July 11th.

Holt won a baseball game from Newfolden Sunday and also won the the game at Middle River the Fourth from Gatzke by a score of three to two.

Mrs. Erick Larson and two daughters came from East Grand Forks Saturday for a few days visit at the home of the formers brother-in-law, John Hagberg and family.

The "Fourth" was a quiet day in Holt. The day was ideal for a celebration and many of our people went to either Middle River or T. R. Falls.

Middle River's celebration was a success in every way. They had a quiet orderly crowd and every thing passed off pleasantly. The boys band of T. R. Falls furnished the good music and Prof. Hay delivered a fine patriotic address. Middle River is a nice little town and doesn't do things by halves.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota June 30, 1917.

Notice is hereby given, that Halvor Moe, of Thief River Falls, Minn. R. 2, who on Dec. 28th 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07104, for NW 1-4, Section 15, Twp 155 N. Ran. 42 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Carl Stenerson, Martin Samson, Gunder Brokke, Peter Anderson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn. R. 2.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Finest Dates Grow There.

Beyond the land of the Berbers, in the far south of Morocco, lies the great oasis of Tafilet, famous for its vast groves of date-palms. Here, for hundreds of square miles, the land is covered with a thick growth of the tall, straight stems of the palm, and the product of these close-growing trees is enormous in quantity. They produce the finest dates in the world.

Have You Kidney Trouble

SYMPTOMS

Aching Pains over Hips. Backache. Sediment or Deposit in Urine. Irritation of the Bladder. Pain in Urinating. Rheumatism. (uric acid in blood). Sudden Stoppage of Urine. Highly Colored or Milky White Urine. Pass Blood or Mucus in Urine. Retention of Urine. Straining after Urinating. Thick or Sluggish Urine. Stone in the Bladder. Cystitis. (Inflammation of bladder) Catarrh of Bladder or Bowels. Puffiness under Eyes. Voracious Appetite. Thirst. Gall Stone. Gravel. Pain in Uretha. Swollen Ankles. Dimmed Vision. Specks before the Eyes. Scanty Urine. Frequent Calls. Mouth Dry. Biliousness. Dribbling Lumbago. Loss of Flesh. Weakness. Irregular Heart Action. Ulceration of the Bladder. Skin Pale Waxy and Dry. Bad Odor of Perspiration

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Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

Above Them All.

Homan—"One of the waiters at this place was formerly a duke, one of the chefs was a count and the bellhop was a prince." Ryontoo—"I suppose the manager was formerly a king or emperor?" Homan—"No; he was a milk wagon driver."—New York Sun.

Wrong Position for Sleep.

Sleep cannot knit up the raveled sleeve of care or do any other reparative knitting, if the head is bent sharply to an acute angle with the collar joints. Frequently men and women who have slept in this supposedly objectionable fashion for years and years suddenly lose the capacity for sleep with no new discoverable reason. It is difficult to convince them that the elasticity and resiliency of youth has heretofore made up for their lifelong awkward pose.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 11 o'clock A. M.

Senator E. E. Lobeck of Minneapolis will give a free lecture here Friday July 6th at 8 P. M. Everyone should hear him on a most vital topic.

Did you celebrate?

Mrs. Albert Halvorson and baby came from Hillsboro Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Ben Docken and family.

Helmer Flakne, of Minneapolis, came Monday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Flakne.

If they keep their promises, after awhile the city people will be out helping and showing the farmers how to do their work.(?)

Mrs. Charles T. Lindberg and children of Litchfield and Miss Mabel Fosen came Tuesday for a few weeks visit at the home of their mother, Mrs. A. N. Fosen.

Patriotism Pays, make that your slogan, then go practice what you preach.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ellestead returned home Tuesday from Spring Grove.

Ole Hammerness and Ludvig Monson and family autoed to Randen for an over Sunday visit with Mr. Mon son's parents.

We understand H. J. Olson has sold his moving picture machine to parties at Viking.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. June 30, 1917.

Notice is hereby that Carl J. Stenerson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., R., 2, who on March 16th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07492, for NE 1-4, Sec. 15, Township 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August 1917.

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Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Apr. 1917.

Cream received	13,959 lbs
Average test	26 02
Butter fat	3632.57 lbs
Percent overrun	24 14
Butter made	4510 lbs
Balance on hand last month	4 28
Received for butter shipped and sold patrons	1622 54
Cash sales at creamery	66 65
Total	$1693 47
Paid patrons by check, Butter & milk	1518 23
Expense fund, etc.	136 41
Other sources	12 00
To sinking fund	25 64
Balance on hand	1 19
Total	$1693 47

Number of patrons, 83

Price paid for butter fat, 42c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

John Magnuson $58.08, Rudolph Dahl 65.25, T. O. Dovre 53,06, Olaus Rodahl 45.06, C. E. Smith 42.66, John Simonson 42.29.

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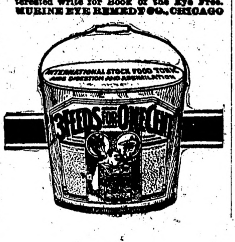

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Mildred Louise Talk of Interest

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said, "Take tonoline."

Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

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Mrs. Frank Carlson will entertain the Ladies Aid Wednesday, July 11.

Religious school Tuesday 9 o'clock Confirmants meet Tuesdays and Fridays.

The Dorcas Society will have an Ice Cream Social July 13, at 4 o' clock and evening at church park. Proceeds go to buy electric lights for the church.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Lars Ring returned Saturday from a couple of months stay at Alexandria.

Senator Lobeck will lecture here Friday evening (to-night.) He will speak the English language. Come and hear him.

Albert Cairns, of Crookston, was here Friday on business for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., of which he is auditor.

This damp weather is ideal for the seeding of millet, which is a good crop to smother weeds.

New correspondents should write news items. If we want nonsense we can write that ourselves.

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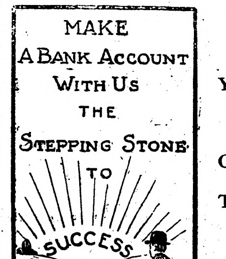

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell-phone 140.

Trade in Holt and get rich.

Ground feed for sale at the Red Lake Falls elevator.

Read about the bomb explosions on the inside pages.

The May creamery report is published in this weeks paper, read it.

Miss Lizzie Hanson departed last Friday for her home in Albert Lea.

Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Flakne and son Helmer were visitors in Thief River Falls Friday.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 8:00 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

Rev. M. T. Strom left Wednesday for Reynolds and other points in Dakota where he will hold meetings.

Can, preserve or dry all fruit and vegetables not needed for immediate use. Save the waste and win the war.

Miss Esther Reierson with some of the smaller children went to Thief River Falls Tuesday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. O. Saastad and little Hermana returned Tuesday from a few days visit with friends in Thief River Falls.

Andrew Arnevick and little daughter were visitors in Middle River between trains Monday.

John Hagberg and Lloyd Adams went out to the Ole Ostby farm on Monday to rebuild and repair the barn thereon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes and little daughter left Saturday for a couple of weeks visit with relatives and friends at Fertile, Erskine and other points.

Minnesota Machinery of all kinds and the best twine for sale at Rierson's store. Place your order early so as to be sure to get what you need.

Ole P. Ness, of Battle Lake, came last week Wednesday to visit his brother, August Ness, and to look after his farm interests.

Peter Turnlund, his son Carl and niece Miss Hegstrom, all of Radium, his sister Mrs. Holten and son Alfred of Washington, were Sunday visitors at the P. A. Riesberg and E. A. Johnson homes.

In years gone by, our grandmothers used to dry their surplus fruits and vegetables. That is one of the ways now recommended to solve the food problem.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 11 o'clock A. M.

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

Be a booster, the selfish never yet built up a town.

S. Boersheim was a visitor in Middle River Saturday.

Bro. Ross of The Thief River Falls Times was a pleasant caller at this office Monday.

A number of our people took in the circus at T. R. Falls Wednesday afternoon and evening.

Many recipes can be gotten for canning without sugar, and the fruit will keep too. Try it.

Chas. H. Johnson, of Newfolden, was a business caller in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Sam Mickelson will entertain the Dorcas Society on Saturday July 21st.

Miss Palma Johnson returned on Tuesday from a few days visit with her sister at Middle River also at the Ole Nelson home near there.

Miss Hilma Nyberg returned Tuesday to her work near Climax.

Helmer Flakne returned Saturday to his home in Minneapolis after a few days visit with his parents.

Ole Reierson received the returns Tuesday from a shipment of about 140 lbs of wool, which netted him 57 cents a lb. Some of his sheep produce as high as 12 lbs. of wool a piece. No wonder there is money in sheep.

Senator Lobeck spoke here Friday night to a crowded house. Mr. Lobeck has a message for the people and should he come this way again, he would receive a hearty welcome.

Fridjof Riesberg returned home Saturday night from Fonda, N. D. where he has been studying telegraphy for the past two months with his brother-in-law, H. Pavek. Fridjof expects to leave to-day for Minneapolis to attend a term in one of the schools of telegraphy there.

While U. S. Senators have been monkeying with food legislation, the speculators have been getting richer and the consumers poorer. The senators do'nt seem to realize that everyone is'nt drawing a salary of seven thousand five hundred a year.

Summer heat has the same effect on fertile eggs as the hen or incubator, and spoils them quickly. Kill or pen your rooster, now that the hatching season is over, and your eggs will keep much longer.

A. L. Carlson autoed to T. R. Falls Monday night to meet his friend B. Haydon from Minneapolis.

The next day his brother, V. M. Carlson and their friend R. V. Morgan, both of Minneapolis, arrived here having made about a 600 mile trip via the auto route. They all expect to return home to day, accompanied by Tony and Arvid in the formers auto.

Save the Waste. The American people waste in a thousand different ways. It must be stopped if we are to win the war. Now is the time to begin. Get busy at once.

Ordinarily three or four times more corn than wheat is grown in this country, but only 5 to 10 per cent has been used for human food, and only 5 per cent has been exported in times of peace. This may give one way of solving the food problem.

Tuesday, July 24, has been designated as the annual visiting and inspection day at the Northwest Experiment Station at Crookston. On that day the various experiments will be viewed by experts from St. Paul. Good speakers will be there, and farmers and their wives are invited to attend.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services in Holt next Sunday at 8: P. M. and at Wilson school house in Mud Lake township at 11 o'clock. The evening sermon will be in English. Everyone invited.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Our Team Win Another Game

The Holt base ball nine went to Badger Sunday and put it all over their nine to the tune of 28 to one. This makes several games the boys have won of late and we predict it will not be their last, if they stick to down right hard practice and not get puffed up over easy victories.

Save the Waste, and Win the War.

Boost for Holt, first, last and all the time. Boost.

School election Saturday July 21st at 7 o'clock P. M.

The Pennington Co. fair will be held August 1, 2 and 3.

Everything is growing fine now, weeds included.

Cultivated crops will probably be the best yielders this year.

Don't kick the government that you look to, to protect you and your family. That isn't fair play.

Now that it has started, we are getting plenty of rain.

Eling Tollefsrud is clerking in Bennes' confectionery during the latters absence.

Jacob Anderson, Chris Norbeck and Chas Martel were in from Rollis Wednesday on business.

Dealers are getting anxious to sell their old potatoes as they are coming down in price.

Lars Lee, of T. R. Falls, has been here a few days to oversee putting tar and gravel roof on the new brick building.

Oscar Hanson brot in a fine sample of rye Tuesday. Also some new potatoes that were large enough to eat.

The Roseau Region and the Roseau County Times have been merged into one paper by their owners and will hereafter be known as The Roseau Time-Region. We wish them success. This move was made on account of the rising prices of every thing the printer uses, and is only a sample of what is going on all over the United States, some having to quit business entirely.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and For Hearing Thereon

Estate of Jens P. Sorter.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Jens P. Sorter, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emma Sorter It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 12th day of January 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS as provided by law.

Dated June 30th 1917
(Court Seal) Peter H. Holm
Judge of Probate.

For Sale.

NE 1-4 NW 1-4, W 1-2 NW 1-4, Sec. 11 Twp. 156, Range 43. Will sacrifice this place for $14.00 per acre. Address
4125-27th Ave So. Minneapolis. Minn.

Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., July 10, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Melvin Olson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Jan. 11th 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05811, for S 1-2 SW 1-4 Sec. 15, N 1-2 NW 1-4 Sec. 22, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 21st day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Andrew Olson, Lenny Olson, Joseph Rankin all of Middle River, Minn., Edwin G. Johnson, of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of May 1917.

Cream received	21,836 lbs
Average test	26 73
Butter fat	5838.19 lbs
Percent overrun	24 28
Butter made	7256 lbs
Balance on hand last month	1 19
Received for butter shipped and sold patrons	2508 37
Rec'd from other sources	[illegible] 24
Total	$2508 80
Paid patrons by check, Butter & milk	2264 11
Expense fund, etc.	181 40
Other sources	20 00
To sinking fund	41 93
Balance on hand	1 36
Total	$2508 80

Number of patrons, 99

Price paid for butter fat, 39c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 T. O. Dovre $62.01, Ryan & Ostby 59.65, C. E. Smith 58.87, Rudolph Dahl 57.08, Mrs. E. Molstad 58.48, Ole J. Lunke 49.50, John Magnuson 49.18, Louis Wegge 48.60, Louis Johnson 48.82, Julius Feiman 46.61, Andrew Bjerk 46.41, John Simonson 48.61, Gunder Tveit 42 95, Ed Horten 42.75, C. L. Heinze 42.49, G. P. Sorter 41.36, Swan Carlson 40.82

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

So many cows have been butchered in the eastern states that there is such a shortage of milk that it is selling for 14 to 16 cents a quart in New York city. There is also a shortage of beef cattle there, and they are looking to the west for beef and butter. Don't veal your calves, they are more valueable to keep until they are older. Hides, leather and shoes were never so high as at present. We would strongly advise farmers to keep their calves.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Wake Up! Our country is at war.

Dressy Collegians.

Patience—"An automobile repair course has been added to the curriculum of an Iowa agricultural college." Patrice—"Now, in speaking of college togs, don't forget the overalls."—Yonkers Statesman.

Slavery Originated in the East.

Absolute slavery seems to have appeared in the eastern colonies some what earlier than in the southern, for slavery existed in New York in 1628, in New Jersey in 1628, in Massachusetts in 1630, in Connecticut in 1631 and in Delaware in 1636. There was a statutory recognition of slavery in Massachusetts in 1641, which was considerably ahead of such recognition of slavery in Virginia or Maryland.

Notice of Annual School Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting in District No. 35 in Marshall County, Minnesota, for the election of Officers and the transaction of other business required by law at the Annual Meeting, will be held at the School House on the 21st day of July 1917, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Dated this 5th day of July 1917.

B. Docken, District Clerk.

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We will ship by parcel post to your address PREPAID one of our FAST COLOR "All WEATHER Brand" 4x6 feet sewed U. S. FLAGS for $2.50. These flags have strong canvas headings and brass grommets, and will stand all kinds of weather, and are of our own manufacture. The scarcity and advance in price of materials at this time makes this offer limited. Send in yours at once. Send check, money order or draft with order.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota July 2, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Peter Anderson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who on January 27th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07209, for SW 1-4, Section 15, Township 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Carl Stenerson, Halvor Moe, Martin Samson and Christ Nelson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Printers always need money.

Holt is bound to grow and don't you forget it.

This is a good time to make war on the fly. Swat him good.

Patriotism Pays, make that your slogan, then go practice what you preach.

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The Navy is Uncle Sam's first line of defense. If offers every man an opportunity to serve his country in any of the trades or professions.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.93
Wheat No. 2	1.88
Wheat No. 3	1.72
Wheat No. 4	1.46
Flax	2.58
Oats	68
Barley	.78 to 1.04
Rye	1.99
Flour, Best Patent	6.55

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In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
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New Garage!

I have opened a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building
New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New
All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.
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Trade at home.

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

The U. S. Navy is still calling for men to run ships that are ready and waiting.

Ben Hoff is on the sick list. A man came down from Middle River yesterday to look after the [illegible] shop.

Every time you play the other fellows game, you loose. Do not monkey with a buzz saw or a centralizer. They are second cousins.

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Am paying up to July 15th $8.00 Cash or $9.00 in trade, a Ton for scrap iron of all kinds
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Happenings of the World Tersely Told

U. S.—Teutonic War News

An additional war loan of $100,000,000 was made at Washington to France, bringing the total credits to that country to $310,000,000 and the grand total of American loans to the allies to $1,303,000,000.

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Agents for the department of justice at New York arrested two Germans, one reputed to be a paymaster for the German spy system in this country and the other alleged to have been formerly associated with Capt. Franz von Papen. The prisoners are described as Carl Heynen and F. A. Burgemeister.

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American shipping losses due to submarine activities during the first six months of 1917, amounted to nine times the total losses of the two previous years, Dr. William C. De Lanoy, chief of the United States war risk insurance bureau at Washington reports.

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Seizure by the government of documents which will lead, it is said, to the identity of hitherto unsuspected men in New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago as German spies was disclosed by the arrest of three sailors at New York from the Danish steamship United States.

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Seventy-eight draft evaders were sentenced to serve a year and a day each in the Chicago house of correction by Judge K. M. Landis in the federal district court at Freeport, Ill. The sentences specified "hard labor."

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Charged with being an agent for the German government, Joseph Graber, thirty-three, organizer for the Industrial Workers of the World, was arrested at Scranton, Pa.

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Concern over the German spy system in this country is spreading in military circles at Washington. It is feared that to the thoroughness of this system can be traced the advance information given Germany of the routes and sea lanes to be traveled by the Pershing troops on their way to France.

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An American transport joined in the firing at the German submarine which bombarded Ponta Delgada, the Azores, says an official announcement by the Portuguese minister of marine. The transport aided the land batteries in forcing the submarine to withdraw out of range.

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Paris went wild with enthusiasm on the Fourth in acclaiming its gratitude to America. Its millions cheered themselves hoarse as a battalion of General Pershing's bronzed veterans swung along in parade, eagerness to get at the foe appearing in every snappy step.

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Secretary of War Baker announced at Washington the National Guard will be ordered out in three groups on July 15, July 22 and August 5. The entire guard will be drafted into the federal service on August 5.

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The last units of the American expeditionary force, comprising vessels loaded with supplies and horses, arrived at a French seaport amid the screeching of whistles and moaning of sirens.

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American destroyers convoying transports with troops for France fought off two submarine attacks. The first news of the fights was given out at Washington with the formal announcement of the safe arrival of the last of the transports with their convoys. At least one submarine was sunk. Both of the attacks were made in force, showing that the Germans had information of the coming of the transports and planned to get them.

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Domestic

Four persons were killed and one injured when a Cleveland & Pittsburgh passenger train struck an automobile at the Jeddo grade crossing, five miles north of Steubenville, O.

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Word has gone forth from Herbert C. Hoover, food administrator at Washington, that federal encouragement is to be given the state agricultural exhibitions this year.

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Werner Horne, German reservist, who attempted in February, 1915, to destroy the Canadian Pacific railway bridge, left Boston in charge of federal officers for Atlanta to begin an 18-months' sentence.

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Stockades surrounding all grain elevators in the grain-growing regions of the United States for protection against possible enemy plots have been requested by Herbert C. Hoover, United States food administrator, in a letter to President J. P. Griffin of the Chicago board of trade.

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The Day Book went out of business on Friday. The Day Book was Chicago's "adless" newspaper. It had been doing business for three years, but the present high cost of material caused it to shut up shop.

Denial by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, that trades unions had had any share in the East St. Louis riots, which was met by a vehement denunciation by Theodore Roosevelt of the murder of helpless negroes, precipitated a tumultuous demonstration at a mass meeting held in New York in honor of the Russian mission to the United States.

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Two women were killed and twenty persons injured as a result of a collision at Manistee, Mich., between an excursion train on the Manistee & Northeastern and a trolley car.

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Losing control of her airplane 200 feet in the air, Miss Hettie Nixon, twenty-five-year-old woman aviator, was killed near Marlin Tex., while making a practice flight.

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East St. Louis, Ill., was placed under martial law following the worst race war in the history of the state. It was reported that 250 negroes were killed. Property damage was estimated at $3,000,000. Almost the entire negro section of the city was destroyed by fire started by mobs. One hundred blacks were wounded. Several were hanged. Several white men were killed. The fight followed the killing of two police officers by a crowd of blacks.

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Personal

Dr. W. S. Woods, a retired banker of Kansas City, Mo., died at Excelsior Springs, Mo., from an attack of paralysis. He was seventy-six years old and was a dominant figure in Kansas City financial affairs.

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Foreign

Die Zukunft, Maximilian Harden's famous weekly, which Wilhelmstrasse considers infamous, has again been suppressed, says a Copenhagen dispatch.

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The doom of the new Chinese monarchy already is sealed. It is a matter of hours until the troops of the republic again will be in control with Peking in their hands. Chinese officials in Washington are authority for these statements.

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A special mining commission of the ministry of trade of Russia has decided to recommend the transfer to American hands of a great part of the empire's mines and other mineral deposits.

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Washington

In what was regarded as the first real test of strength between senate wets and drys, the senate at Washington rejected, 52 to 34, a food bill amendment by Senator Myers to prohibit manufacture of beer and vinous beverages along with distilled liquors.

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Wives of all the cabinet members at Washington have become members of the food administration and pledged themselves to one wheatless meal a day, to have beef, mutton or pork only once a day and to serve no veal or lamb.

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It was announced at Washington that additional loans of $100,000,000 to Great Britain and $60,000,000 to Italy brought the total war loans of the United States to the allies to $1,203,000,000.

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A suffrage demonstration by members of the Woman's party in front of the White House at Washington on the Fourth resulted in a comedy riot, 18 arrests and much amusement for a holiday crowd. President Wilson was yachting on the Potomac at the time.

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European War News

Gen. William Holmes was killed and W. A. Holmes, premier of New South Wales, was bruised and severely shocked by splinters of a German shell which burst a few yards from them on the west front, according to a London dispatch.

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The Canadian house of commons at Ottawa, Ont., adopted the resolution offered by Premier Borden passing to second reading the bill for compulsory military service. Exciting scenes marked the taking of the vote which stood 118 for conscription and 55 against.

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Since the beginning of the war the British have captured 117,776 prisoners, exclusive of natives taken prisoner in the African campangns, many of whom have been released, said Maj. Gen. F. B. Maurice, director of military operations, at the war office in London.

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After their strongest offensive effort since Verdun, the Germans found themselves thrown back everywhere along an 11-mile front on the Chemin-des-Dames, leaving the ground thickly strewn with their dead and having failed to take even one French prisoner. The French lines remaind intact.

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One German submarine was sunk and one captured by American and British war vessels during the last week, according to reports received by the French scientific mission at Washington. Members of the mission said the report came from the French admiralty. The captured U-boat was taken to a British port.

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Bound from England for Philadelphia, the Norwegian steamship Benguela was sunk by a U-boat, says a dispatch from Copenhagen. The crew was transferred to a Spanish vessel.

MARE ISLAND NAVY YARD'S MAGAZINES WRECKED BY BLAST

BLACK POWDER STOREHOUSES EXPLODE—EIGHT MISSING ARE BELIEVED LOST—THIRTY ARE HURT.

CENSORS SUPPRESS ALL NEWS OF THE EXPLOSION

No Official Statements Available—Newspaper Men and Other Outsiders Barred From Entrance—Thousand Marines Fight Fire—Houses Damaged.

Vallejo, Cal., July 10.—The black powder magazine, at the south end of Mare Island navy yard, blew up shortly before 8 o'clock Monday morning.

Eight persons are missing and are feared to have perished. Thirty injured persons have been taken to the navy yard hospital, but it is not believed any of them will die.

No Official Report.

This is the latest information gathered by newspaper men investigating the terrific explosion which shook the navy yard, Vallejo, South Vallejo and surrounding cities. No official statements of any kind have been issued and this statement is based on reports by workmen and rescuers who returned to Vallejo after battling the resultant fire at the navy yard, or telephoned their reports to their families.

Opinions As To Cause Lacking.

First reports that the entire magazine of the navy was destroyed. Later, workmen explained that what is known as the black powder magazine consists of several buildings. One of these is the "black powder store house," and it was there the explosion occurred.

Nearly three hours after the explosion it was impossible to get any definite statement from navy officials at the yard. Newspaper men and other outsiders were still barred from entrance.

No opinion as to the cause of the explosion has been ventured by returning workmen.

Houses Damaged.

It is impossible to get details because of the strict censorship established by the Navy department at the beginning of the hostilities with Germany and which is still in effect.

One of the workmen, returning to Vallejo, declared his belief that all the houses at the scene had been "blown to pieces."

So terrific was the blast that most of the houses in South Vallejo across the straits, facing part of the yard where the magazine was located, were badly damaged. Most of them had their fronts blown in and several were unroofed. The roof of the roundhouse at that point was blown in.

Marines Fight Flames.

A few minutes after the explosion all the naval officers at Mare Island, and about 1,000 marines and other recruits, were hurried to the scene to fight the fire which was expected to result.

The explosion was the most terrific heard hereabouts in years. The blast was heard as far away as Sacramento, where buildings were rocked and dishes shaken from shelves. It was also felt in Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley.

NATION'S EDITORS PLEDGE SUPPORT TO PRESIDENT

Resolution Adopted at Opening Session of Convention in Minneapolis Wired to Wilson.

Minneapolis, July 10.—Newspaper makers of the United States, members of the National Editorial association, telegraphed from Minneapolis to President Wilson assurance of their belief in the justice of America's war, of their confidence in his leadership and pledged their united support to him in its prosecution. A resolution to this effect was adopted at the opening session of the association's convention in the West hotel.

NEUTRALS CALLED TO CONFER WITH KAISER

London, July 10.—According to reports reaching Rotterdam from Berlin and forwarded by the Exchange Telegraph, Emperor William invited the neutral ambassadors and ministers to a conference on Saturday.

Part of Cargo Sunk in '65 Recovered.

Alpena, Mich., July 10.—Part of the valuable cargo of copper and relics from the steamer Pewabic, sunk in Thunder bay, Lake Huron, in 1865, has just left here in a steamer bound for Toledo, Ohio. The Pewabic was sunk in a collision and only a few of those on board were saved. Several lives have been added to those lost with the vessel, in efforts to salvage the cargo which, in addition to copper, said to be worth approximately $200,000, included a quantity of pig iron and other valuable material.

State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

A dollar for every mile that a speeder exceeds the speed limit is a new method invoked by Municipal Judge J. J. Fitzpatrick of Winona, in arriving at the basis for imposing fines.

More than one-half of the State of Minnesota became bone dry when the act of Congress prohibiting the sending of liquor advertisements through the mails into dry territory went into effect July 1.

Minnesota suffragists will have a building all of their own at the Minnesota State Fair, September 3 to 8. The State Fair directors have voted to allow the women to erect a building on the Fair grounds.

The women of Minnesota will be asked by the women's auxiliary to the State Public Safety commission to register themselves by occupation or training to aid the war program of the United States government.

Ray P. Speer, Minnesota State Fair publicity agent, probably will be delegated by the American Association of Fairs and Expositions to serve at Washington as an aide to Herbert C. Hoover, food administrator.

Roads running between the Head of the Lakes and the Twin Cities are hauling from 25 to 40 per cent more coal this year than last. For the week ending June 23, 4,432 cars of coal were handled as against 3,300 for the same week a year ago.

Judge John C. Nethaway of Stillwater, former assistant attorney general of Minnesota and Democratic politician, died at Shakopee. He was 67 years old. Mr. Nethaway was appointed to a judgeship in the Thirteen district by Governor Burnquist more than a year ago.

Minnesota boasts twenty species of mosquitoes—eleven of which are common. Further collections probably will increase these numbers. These facts are taken from an article by C. W. Howard, of the Minnesota experiment station in the sixteenth report of F. L. Washburn, state entomologist.

Robert C. Pickit, former clerk of the State Investment Board, who, with Walter J. Smith, former state treasurer, was sentenced to the state prison at Stillwater for misappropriating state funds, has filed application for a pardon with the clerk of the State Pardon Board. Mr. Smith's application was filed previously.

The State Fair board has decided to arrange for a big military display at the fair Sept. 3 to 8. The display will take place on a day to be designated as Patriotic day. The fair directors will take the matter up with army and navy authorities in an effort to secure their co-operation in making the display one of the greatest since the Civil war.

The long dispute between Minnesota and Wisconsin over where lies the boundary line between them in the St. Louis river, is at last definitely on the way to a determination by the United States Supreme Court and Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith of Minnesota is in Duluth to arrange the details for the presentation of Minnesota's case.

The absence of a car shortage in the Northwest, increased hauling of coal by railroads running between Duluth, Superior and the Twin Cities and the general success with which the national car shortage has been met are commented on in a report by George W. Murnane, secretary of the Twin Cities subcommittee of the special committee on national defense of the American Railway association.

At the first drill of the Red Wing home guards held at the armory with Captain Fred Seebach in charge, 72 men were in line.

Twice voted out of existence by Duluthians, once on a saloon men's petition questioning the intent of the voters at the first wet and dry election two years ago, the final 69 saloons here have gone out of business.

A resolution urging Senators Nelson and Kellogg to support the bill now pending in Congress to prohibit the use of grains in the manufacture of liquors was adopted at the closing session of the State Dairymen's association at Brainerd.

Minnesota will have a food commissioner, who will be named shortly by Washington. The state also will have a woman economics expert. These wartime food conservation plans have been announced by Josephine Berry of the University of Minnesota. The defice of Herbert C. Hoover, national fice of Herbert C. Hoover, national food commissioner, in Washington.

Elizabeth Gurley Flynn told Duluth police before departing for her home that William Haywood of Chicago, president of the Industrial Workers of the World, had discharged her from the organization. Miss Flynn said Haywood and his advisers say she conspired with Carl Tresca, former lieutenant to Haywood, to "double cross" four I. W. W. on the Minnesota iron range last summer.

Twenty persons were injured, ten seriously, at Winona, when a high powered racing car, driven by King Kelley, Chicago millionaire sportsman, crashed through a fence and into a crowd of spectators at a race program at the Tri-County fair grounds. Ten of the injured were treated at the local hospital. All will recover.

Read's Landing association has held its tenth annual "Home coming". More than 200 former residents gathered on the site of the once prosperous lumbering town to renew former acquaintances and tell again the old river stories they once reveled in.

ORDERS PROBE OF HIGH FOOD PRICES

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION TO HAVE COMMITTEE MAKE INVESTIGATION.

PLEDGES SIGNED BY BAKERS

Fifty Wholesalers Meet With War Board and Agree to Discontinue Taking Back Unsold Bread—To Co-operate with Government.

St. Paul.

A resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to make a sweeping investigation throughout Minnesota into the high cost of living, the alleged practice of speculators in storing immese quantities of commodities to await higher prices and the railroad car situation with regard to the coal supply has been adopted by the Minnesota Public Safety Commission.

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Child Desertion Now Felony.

The statute framed by the State Child Welfare commission and passed by the last Legislature, providing for more drastic provisions regarding abandonment has gone into effect.

It now is a felony to abandon a child under 16 years of age, and maximum punishment for this crime has been raised from one year to five years imprisonment. A divorced husband who is responsible for the support of a child, or the father of an illegitimate child is considered as the head of a family. Desertion of a pregnant wife is considered as sufficient evidence of intention to abandon the child.

By the new law not only the wife of a deserter but anyone can make a complaint against the offender.

While before it was a misdemeanor to fail to provide for a child under 15 years, the age now has been raised to 16.

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Agree to Suppress Blind Pigs.

Representatives of practically all brewing companies doing business in Minnesota, assembled in St. Paul, have assured the Minnesota Public Safety commission that they will take effective measures to suppress blind pigs, according to Judge J. F. McGee who had just returned from Washington and represented the state authorities.

Home guard uniforms are to be prescribed by order of the war department, Judge McGee announced. It is believed, the Minnesota home guard will be able to use the uniforms they now have, with little modification.

"We also were assured," Judge McGee said, "that 4,000 rifles for the Minnesota home guard will be sent us at an early date. They will be partly Krag-Jergensons and partly Springfields."

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To Survey Red Lake River.

The state drainage engineers will begin a survey of Red Lake river August 1. This assurance has been given Congressman Halvor Steenerson of Crookston by state officials. The survey will be the first step toward the establishment of a drainage and flood control district which will bring with it the drainage of 500,000 acres of land, of a deep waterway for the movement of logs and perhaps boats, waterpower and an all-year supply of water for the cities and villages that depend upon the river for their supply.

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To Inspect State Iron Mines.

J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, has received a letter from Van H. Manning, director of the bureau of mines, Washington, stating that an engineer soon will be appointed to inspect the iron mines of Minnesota. There are thirty-four iron mines and the auditor recently made application for an examination of mining methods. The question at issue is whether the leaseholders should be compelled to remove both the lean and the merchantable ore.

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Swamp Land Sale Held Fraud.

In purchasing a 140 acre farm in Yellow Medicine county in the dry summer of 1915, Hans H. Sievers was deceived, the supreme court holds in a decision just handed down, because Frank Humphrey, who sold the land failed to tell the purchaser that in ordinary years 66 acres of the land was under the waters of a former meandered lake.

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Federal Highway Sought by Boosters.

A delegation of thirty good roads boosters from Anoka, Isanti, Kanabec and Pine counties has called on the State Highway Commission and asked that a road leading from Central avenue, Minneapolis, through Columbia Heights, Eastern Anoka county, Isanti county and Northern Pine county be made a Federal highway.

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Valuable Timber Threatened.

Twenty-five billion feet of merchantable white pine in Minnesota, worth perhaps $25,000,000 as it stands, is threatened by the possible further spread of the white pine blister rust, according to information contained in the sixteenth report of the state entomologist, F. L. Washburn, University farm, just made public.

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Rains Benefit State Crops.

Minnesota's crops have been benefited by the recent rains, according to state authorities.

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An All-around Surprise.

When the first shipment of frozen eggs had arrived, their extreme hardness astonished the brokers, and a gentleman calling at a broker's office was amazed to see him taking aim at the wall with an egg.

"What the dickens are you doing?" he asked.

But the man let drive, the only result being a slight dent in the wall.

The thing being explained to him, he took a couple of eggs and put them in his trousers pocket, intending to startle his wife with them. Arriving home, he waited till the family were seated at dinner and then banged one of the eggs at the new wallpaper.

But the smile quickly faded from his face. The egg had thawed.

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Deceptive but Effective.

Tobias Knowal peeped through the window of his office, then tiptoeing to his desk, put a flannel bandage around his neck, put his arm in a sling, ran his hands through his hair, and limped to the door.

"Mr. Knowal?" inquired the caller.

"Yes," groaned Knowal. "What can I do for you?"

"You appear to be far from well," said the caller.

"Appear to be?" exclaimed Knowal. "Do you think I'm doing this for fun? But what can I do for you?"

"Oh—er—I won't trouble you now," said the caller, hurriedly. "Any time will do." And he departed.

It's some trouble, murmured Knowal, pulling off his bandages. "But it's really the quickest way to get rid of these life insurance agents. That one won't trouble me again, anyhow!"

Matter of Sex.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox said at a literary luncheon in New York:

"The poet must be accurate. The loftiest flights of poetry become ridiculous if they contain mistakes. It's like the town girl in the country.

"A town girl in the country said to a farmer friend:

"'Oh, look at the adorable little cowlets in the poppy fields!'

"'Them ain't cowlets,' he said. 'Them's bullets.'"

Local Color in Monkey Game

Marian's mother frequently played games with her while doing the morning's tasks, thus amusing the little one, without interrupting her own work. One morning after a visit to the zoo, Marian asked to play "monkey," and her mother laughingly answered, "All right, I'll be the monkey while I dust. Now what shall I do?"

"Oh, no, I'll be the monkey," said Marian, "and you has to go buy peanuts to feed me first."

Gets His Boyhood Wish.

When a boy in New York John D. Rockefeller, Jr., used to drive his pony to a knoll near Dyckman street and enjoy the view. Often he spoke of a desire to own a large stretch of the scenery. Not so long ago he became owner of 50 acres of it, and he has donated it to the city as a park. The land is valued at about $5,000,000.

Who Saw the Gentleman?

Advertisement: "Lost — Walking stick by a gentleman with an ivory head."—Boston Transcript.

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Cultivate for the Soldier at the Front.

This question of conservation of food has become so agitated by those who have a knowledge of what it means in the preservation of life, who have made a study of the food conditions, and the requirements of the country, that it is beginning to arouse the entire nation. The economist whose duty it is to study the output and compare it with the consumption, sees a rapidly creeping up of one on the other, and, when the appetite of consumption gets a headway on the output, where will the nation be? It is time the people were aroused, for there is danger ahead unless the intelligence of the people is awakened to the facts. The crop of 1917 will be less than an average one, and see the work it has to perform. It has to feed the man producing it, and he is of less efficiency today than a year ago. His strength has been reduced by the drawing away of the thousands from the farms, who are now in the ranks of the consumer instead of in that of the producer. There is an inverse ratio here that can only be understood when confronted with the appalling figures presented by those in charge of the conservation work. The army has to be fed, dependents cared for, the navy has to have provisions, and we cannot sit idly by and see the women and children of the countries across the sea starve. There is such a great call for active participation in the matter of providing food, that those who are left at home in charge of this work have a responsibility placed upon them fully as great as has the man at the front who has gone out to protect the homes, the sanctity and the honor of those who are left behind. The producer should think only of this; there should be economy, not only of labor. Every acre of available land should be producing. Advantage should be taken of every daylight hour. It must not be a case of how much can we make. It must be a case of "fight" with those who have gone overseas, but in our way, fight to win the war. Where that spirit pervades will be found the spirit of the patriotic American. There is no difficulty in securing land in any of the states. It may be rented on easy terms or purchased at low prices, and there should be little difficulty arranging with bankers to get the necessary funds to carry on operations. Should you not be able to get what you want in your own state, Western Canada offers an immense wide field for operations at the lowest possible cost, and Americans are welcomed with open arms. Homesteads of 160 acres each may be had on easy conditions, and other lands may be purchased at low prices on easy terms. The yields of all kinds of small grains are heavy. The prospects for a 1917 crop are excellent, and it looks today as if there would be as good a return as at any time in the past, and when it is realized that there have been yields of forty and forty-five bushels of wheat over large areas this should be encouraging. Now that the two countries are allies and the cause is a common one there should be no hesitation in accepting whatever offer seems to be the best in order to increase the production so necessary, and which should it not be met, will prove a serious menace. Particulars as to Canadian lands, whether for purchase or homestead, may be had on application to any Canadian Government Agent.—Advertisement.

Some Grievance!

The railroad official invited the stern citizen to communicate his troubles.

"I want you to give orders," demanded the visitor, "that the engineer of the express which passes through Elm Grove at about 11:55 be restrained from blowing his whistle on Sunday mornings."

"Impossible!" exploded the official. "What prompts you to make such a ridiculous request?"

"Well, you see," explained the citizen in an undertone, "our pastor preaches until he hears the whistle blow, and that confounded express was twenty minutes late last Sunday."

Lamb

A Test Required.

"[illegible], it was very wrong for you and the boy next door to fight."

"We couldn't help it, father."

"Could you not have settled your differences by a peaceful discussion of the matter, calling in the assistance of unprejudiced opinion, if need be?"

"No, father. He was sure he could whip me, and I was sure I could whip him, and there was only one way to find out."

An Early Instance.

"We'd have got on all right if that snake hadn't come along and taken charge of the apple crop," said Eve.

"Yes," replied Adam, "this is the original case of the ultimate consumer getting the worst of it at the hands of the middleman."

When a woman plans to do anything out of the ordinary she always wonders what the neighbors will say.

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AIR RAID ON HEART OF LONDON WORST OF WAR IS BELIEF

TWENTY GERMAN AIRPLANES BOMBARD METROPOLIS—DROP EXPLOSIVES ON CITY FOR FIFTEEN MINUTES.

INVADERS SLAY 37 AND MAIM 141, SAYS REPORT

Sky Pirates Fly Fast and Low—Thousands Witness Battle—Roar of Guns Deafening—People in Capital Urge Quick Reprisals.

London, July 9.—Twenty German airplanes have bombarded London in one of the greatest war raids ever made by the enemy, according to an official statement by the war office.

For 15 minutes the air pirates rained explosives on the city, doing great damage in the very heart of the metropolis. They finally fled before the fire of anti-aircraft guns.

Thirty-seven persons were killed in the air raid and 141 injured, it was officially announced this afternoon.

Three Are Shot Down.

An official statement, issued by the British admiralty, said that three of the German airplanes which had dropped bombs on London had been brought down at sea.

"Enemy airplanes returning from the raid were met 40 miles off the east coast," the admiralty statement said. "Two crashed into the sea and a third fell flaming into the Scheldt. Our machines returned safely."

Engaged Over North Sea.

From the admiralty's statement, it is apparent the raiding airplanes were engaged out over the North sea in a runnig fight. The River Scheldt empties into the North sea after passing Antwerp.

Two parties of aviators appeared along the north bank of the Thames, moving north and west across the city. It was about 9:30 o'clock in the morning and the streets were thronged with people. Few persons realized that a raid was in progress until the sound of explosions from the bombs was heard.

Fly Fast and Low.

Almost simultaneously with the blasts of the bombs came the booming of the anti-craft guns.

The Germans were traveling at tremendous speed and appeared to be flying at a lower altitude than in the last raid when they exacted such a heavy toll of life in London.

With the first popping of bombs and guns, people indoors rushed to the streets to gaze at the pirates swarming in the skies. There were many women and children among the excited spectators. The police and soldiers had difficulty in holding back the people. Many persons were seen at windows.

Noise of Battle Deafening.

Anti-aircraft guns throughout the city and British airplanes immediately engaged the hostile craft and for a time the sound of exploding bombs and the vicious reply of guns was flew the squadron of raiders, pur- deafening. Straight over the city sued by bursting shrapnel.

The sun was shining brightly but the sky was overcast with a haze such as is favorable to raiders. Notwithstanding the haze, however, the Germans were visible plainly to the people in the streets.

Reprisals Are Demanded

The German air raiders came from the north and left by way of the south. Glass in some of the streets in the city resembles that in the streets of New York and its suburbs following the explosion on Black Tom island in the upper New York harbor last July.

The people in the capital are urging that quick reprisals be taken.

PINSK REPORTED AFIRE, SLAVS START NEW DRIVE

Russian Artillery Leveling All Obstacles—Violent Fighting in Progress—Enemy Positions Taken.

Petrograd, July 9.—Violent fighting has begun on the Russian front west of Pinsk. The city of Pinsk is in flames according to announcement by the semi-official news agency.

The Russian artillery, the announcement says, is leveling all obstacles.

The Russians have captured the fortified forest of Sianka with all the enemy's organized positions and also Hill 388. They have penetrated the village of Godov.

Advices from the front record the taking of first line trenches in Galicia by troops of the Eleventh army, who also at some points captured second line positions.

Institutions Bequeathed Millions

New York, July 9.—Cash bequests of more than $7,000,000 to charitable and educational institutions are provided in the will of Colonel Oliver H. Payne who died in this city last week. A permanent endowment of $500,000 is bequeathed to Cornell University, while other large gifts include: Phillips' academy, Andover, Mass., $500,000; St. Vincent Charity hospital, Cleveland, $200,000; Cleveland Jewish Orphan asylum, $200,000; Hamilton college, $200,000, and the University of Virginia, $200,000.

The KITCHEN CABINET

A man never reaches his highest efficiency until he loves his work more than his pay envelope.

Many a fellow has been cornered who isn't square.

DAINTY RAMEKIN DISHES.

Small amounts of food may be served in small casseroles or ramekins without the suggestion that they are leftovers. Vegetable leftovers may be taken from the table, put into the ramekins, and covered with a cream sauce, then when the meal is to be served all that is necessary is to add a spoonful of buttered crumbs and set them in a pan of hot water in the oven to heat. Asparagus tips, peas, beans, cauliflower, or onions, or two or three of each may be served, allowing the family to make a choice of the one most pleasing. Leftover desserts, of various kinds, may be reheated and served with addition of a little fruit or a custard or some liquid sauce which enhances the flavor of the pudding.

A hard-cooked egg added to a few ramekin dishes of macaroni and white sauce, or rice and cheese, will make an appetizing dish.

Dried beef, lobster, crab, chicken, or any remnant of beef, may be served in this manner most attractively.

Chicken pie in ramekins is worth trying. Put a few bits of chicken and some of the gravy and a little cream into a ramekin, place a biscuit on top to just fit it; punch a few holes in it to let the steam escape, and bake until the biscuit is brown. Set ramekins in another dish so that no gravy is wasted, if it boils over.

Beef Tongue En Casserole.—Choose a tongue which has been slightly corned, remove all of the unsightly portions, rub with flour to which has been added a dash of ginger and allspice. Fry a few slices of salt pork, then put in a sliced onion and the tongue, tying it into shape. Flour it lightly on all sides. Make a cupful of gravy, adding the juice of a lemon, three tablespoonfuls of shredded almonds and a half cupful of seeded raisins. Put the tongue in a round casserole, pour the gravy over it and bake half an hour in a moderate oven. Untie the meat, turn out on a plate, and serve with the gravy over it.

Casseroled Calves' Hearts.—Fry an onion in a little bacon fat, roll four calves' hearts in flour and brown. Put into a hot casserole one cupful of stock, a shredded pimento and half a teaspoonful of mixed whole spices. Cover tightly and bake two hours. Garnish the meat with curled bacon.

Good manners are made up of petty sacrifices. Temperance, courage, love are made up of the same jewels.

FOOD FOR THE FAMILY.

As we will soon have an abundance of green peas it is timely to consider some of the many ways of serving them. If one desires to have every bit of the flavor as well as the mineral salts in the peas, the pods should be boiled after shelling the peas and the liquor used in which to cook them. The custom of cooking any tender green vegetable in a large amount of water and then throwing away the water is most reprehensible at any time and especially now when every scrap of food should be conserved.

The liquid in which the vegetables are cooked is rich in soluble matters that are valuable in the body and should never be thrown away but served with the vegetable as a sauce or added to soup stock.

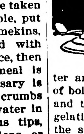
In cooking any of the succulent green vegetables, salt should not be added until they are ready to be seasoned. If peas are inclined to lack sweetness a teaspoonful of sugar to a pint of peas will aid wonderfully in the flavor of the finished dish. Cook all vegetables in boiling water and peas in an open kettle as they keep their green color better.

For variety one may enjoy some of the following ways of preparing peas:

Peas With Braised Carrots.—Put four tablespoonfuls of butter into a saucepan with two cupfuls of freshly shelled peas, a bunch of mint, one peeled onion, half a cupful of cream, a well washed crisp head of lettuce, finely shredded and a teaspoonful of sugar; cover and cook for twenty minutes, shaking the pan occasionally while the contents are cooking. When the peas are cooked, remove the onion and mint from the pan, add three egg yolks that have been beaten with two tablespoonfuls of cream, a pinch of salt and red pepper, shake until the contents are well mixed, then dish up the peas. Cook the carrots shredded in strings in a very little water, add three tablespoonfuls of butter to the tender drained carrots and dust with paprika and fry until a golden brown, then add a cupful of stock or the liquor in which the carrots were cooked; simmer one hour. Serve with the peas.

It really doesn't make much difference what a man thinks, so long as he doesn't think out loud.

INEXPENSIVE SUMMER DISHES.



There can be no improvement on the sweet, juicy, ripe strawberry, and we all agree with the writer who said "God might have made a better berry, but he never did." For those who like variety a few simple ways of using the strawberry will follow:

Southern Strawberry Gelatin.—Soak half a package of gelatin in half a cupful of cold water and when dissolved add a cupful of boiled water; add a cupful of sugar and the juice of half a lemon to the gelatin while it is hot, and then add the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs as it begins to stiffen. Arrange alternate layers of firm, ripe berries and the gelatin in layers, serve in a large or in individual dishes. Plain sweet cream may be served with this, but it is not necessary. Strawberries with French dressing on lettuce make a most tasty salad to serve at luncheon.

Florida Favorite.—Make a lemon jelly and let it cool partly. Line a mold with thin strips of sponge cake and pour over a layer of the gelatin and allow it to stiffen. The remainder of the gelatin is kept in a warm place. Fill the mold with ripe berries and pour over the remainder of the gelatin. When cold and firm the loaf is turned from the mold and served plain or with a few whole ripe berries.

Marble Mousse.—Whip a pint of cream sweetened and flavor to taste. Before putting it into the mold melt two tablespoonfuls of cocoa or chocolate with the same amount of sugar. Put a few tablespoonfuls of the whipped cream into the bottom of the mold, then add a little dab of chocolate, alternating with the plain cream until all is used. Pack and freeze as usual. When the mousse is cut it will have the marble effect. Strawberry jam may be used equally as well for those who prefer those flavors.

If you have never tried waffles for breakfast with fresh strawberries mashed to a paste with sugar served with them, there is a gustatory delight yet awaiting you.

Strawberries mashed with powdered sugar and used with whipped cream as a cake filling is hard to find an equal in deliciousness.

Miracles are good, but to relieve a brother, to draw a friend from the depths of misery, to pardon the virtues of an enemy, these are greater miracles.

A FEW THIRST QUENCHERS FOR HOT DAYS.

There is nothing that more appeals to the palate than a well blended drink, cool and refreshing, on a hot day.

Mint Punch.—From 12 stalks of mint strip off all the leaves and chop them very fine, rub to a paste, adding a pint of cold water, add a pound of sugar, boil five minutes, and strain through a cheesecloth. When cold add the juice of six lemons. At serving time place this mixture in a punch bowl over a block of ice, throw in a bunch of fresh mint leaves and add sufficient apollinaris water to give it sparkle, and serve at once.

Currant Punch.—Whip to a froth a tumblerful of currant jelly, adding one pint of boiling water; add a half-cupful of sugar and the juice of a lemon; then put aside to cool. At serving time add a quart of plain cold water and a bottle of sparkling water.

Ginger Punch.—Boil for five minutes a pint of water and a pound of sugar with the grated yellow rind of a lemon; strain, and while hot stir into it two sliced bananas and a quarter of a pound of candied cherries; stand aside to cool. At serving time put a good sized block of ice into the punch bowl, add the juice of six lemons to the banana mixture, turn it into the punch bowl, add two bottles of ginger ale and one quart of sparkling water. Serve at once.

Iced Cocoa.—Put two heaping teaspoonfuls of cocoa into a double boiler, add a half-pint of boiling water, and cook five minutes, add a half-pint of milk, beat thoroughly, take from the fire, and stand aside to cool. At serving time fill the glasses one third full of chipped ice, add a teaspoonful of powdered sugar, fill the glass two-thirds full of cocoa, and fill with whipped cream.

Ice tea, if made fresh then cooled and served in the same way the cocoa is served, with the exchange of a slice of lemon for the cream, allowing each to add sugar to taste, makes a most refreshing drink.

A very hot beverage such as hot milk or soup are stimulants to the digestion, while colder drinks retard the digestive processes. It is best to give cold drinks between meals rather than with them.

Nellie Maxwell

WET ROPE SAVES LIFE OF INDIAN

Dampness Causes Noose Placed Around Neck by Bandits to Stretch.

BEARS CHARMED LIFE

Has Slain Many a Wild Beast With No Other Weapon Than a Tomahawk, Which He Prefers to a Rifle.

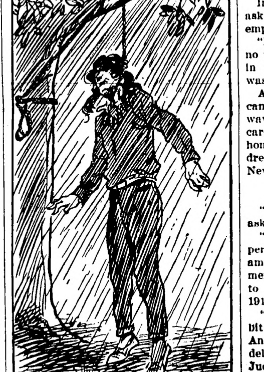
Antlers, Okla.—Bear Claw, Indian ranch owner, recently escaped hanging near his home here, when a timely rain dampened the rope which bandits had put around his neck. The downpour and the resultant stretching of the rope made it possible for him to reach ground with his toes and free himself.

"Bear Claw is the terror of horse and cattle thieves in the region of Jack Fork mountains. It was while he was pursuing some "rustlers" who had made off with his cattle that darkness settled and made the Indian easy prey for the bandits. They waylaid him and strung him up to a tree, expecting that he would soon be dead. The rain that started to fall immediately saved his life.

Fought Bear With Tomahawk.

The stoic old Indian has had many other narrow escapes from death. A few months ago a bear cornered him in the mountains, when the red man's only weapon was the tomahawk which he invariably carries. After a fierce encounter the bear's head was split open and the Indian escaped without a scratch.

Last summer a ten-year-old boy became lost from his parents, who were camping near Bear Claw's ranch. The lad had wandered into the woods when a panther knocked the boy to the ground with his paw. The animal was about to carry its victim away when Bear Claw appeared and killed the beast with one shot from a rifle. The Indian firmly refused to accept any money from the grateful parents, who later gave him a gold medal.



Dampness Made the Rope Stretch.

Bear Claw No Man for Dress

Bear Claw is a fine type of Indian, being wealthy and educated. But he has an utter disdain for "swell" clothes. He always wears a necklace of bears' claws, but this habit did not give him his name. He had the name before he knew what a bear's claw looked like. His tomahawk has seen him safely through many combats with beasts or men as savage as beasts.

ONLY WIFE AS ESCORT KEEPS HIM FROM JAIL

Emporia, Kan.—If Harvey Williams, an Emporia blacksmith, is seen on Emporia streets, except in the company of his wife, he must serve out a three months' jail sentence, imposed upon him here.

Williams, convicted on a disorderly charge, was given three months in jail by the Rev. J. H. J. Rice, the Emporia police judge, and paroled. He will be allowed to travel from his shop to his home unmolested, but otherwise he may leave home only in the company of his wife. Williams accepted the conditions of his parole.

Wants to Know Wife's Name

Chicago.—"Will you do me a favor of telling me the name of the girl I married in Will county in February, 1912, and also the day and hour of the marriage?" This request was sent by W. A. Montgomery to the clerk of Will county.

Thirteen Stolen Cents Fatal to Negro

Youngstown, O.—Thomas Eden, a negro, snatched a purse from a woman's hand on the street here, and fell dead as he started to run. The purse contained 13 cents.

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DOG FANCIERS FACING RUIN

Dealers in England See Disaster in High Taxes Placed on Animals to Conserve Food Supply.

Dog fanciers in England, especially the women, say that the new dog taxes are going to kill the business they have been carefully building up for years. They do not object to the suggested increase on old licenses, but they fear the big tax on new dogs is going to frighten away all their customers.

There are many British women with small incomes living in the country who have invested most of their money in dogs as a business. They were willing to mark time till the end of the war, looking forward to a revival in their business afterward. Trade is of course slack just now, but with no money coming in at all they will be unable to retain their kennels.

One fancier spoke bitterly of the sensational stories told in certain quarters about pampered dogs and the impossible amount of food they were accused of eating.

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Live and Learn.

In Precinct 3, Muncie, the registrar asked of a youth: "Do you claim exemption and, if so, on what grounds?"

"I have a wife and child, and see no way in which I could support them in the army," was the reply, which was noted, and the youth left.

A few minutes later the young man came rushing back, all out of breath, waving his card: "Hey, change this card!" he shouted. "I've just been home, and find I now have two children instead of one."—Indianapolis News.

Considerate.

"Have you a calendar for 1914?" asked the gentleman.

"I don't know, sir," replied the salesperson. "We might have such a thing among the odds and ends in the basement. But if you wish to make a gift to someone, surely a calendar for 1917—"

"This is for a lady who is—er—a bit sensitive about her age, you see. And I thought—well, it would be more delicate, in a manner of speaking."—Judge.

No Wonder.

The cynical person was standing in front of a part of an exhibition of local art talent labeled "Art Objects."

The native, swelling with pride, awaited the visitor's verdict.

"What do you think of our efforts?" he asked at last.

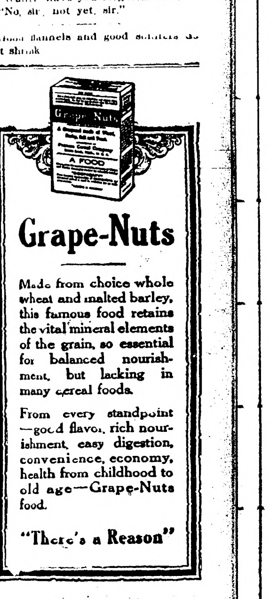
"Well," said the cynical one, "I suppose Art does object, and I can't blame her, but there doesn't seem to be any help for it."

Yet Hope.

"Waiter, have you forgotten me?"

"No, sir, not yet, sir."

Good flannels and good soldiers do not shrink.



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"There's a Reason"

Postmaster Engebretsen and family took in the circus at T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. R. Reierson visited a few days this week at the Andrew Ness home in T. R. Falls.

The U. S. Agricultural Department recommends the raising of Belgian rabbits for meat.

Word comes from H. M. Johnson that he is again on the job as state weighmaster at different points.

The Northwestern Drainage Co. have been loading a large dredge here for shipment to another place.

The government crop report for July estimates that there will be an increase in the amount of all crop in this state, except corn and hay.

Camp meetings at 2 and 8 o'clock P. M. July 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 at Herman Heinze's home. Everybody welcome.

R. Reierson was a T. R. Falls business visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg, sons Fridjof and Walmer and Mrs. E. A. Johnson autoed to Radium yesterday for the days visit with relatives.

Ice cream social this afternoon also this evening at the grounds of the Synod church, to raise funds for the installation of electric lights in the church.

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Infertile eggs do not have blood rings, which soon spoil eggs in hot weather. One-third of all spoiled eggs is due to their being fertile. Eggs should be kept in a cool dry room or cellar, and taken to market at least once a week, or oftener if possible. Keep the nests clean as eggs shouldn't be washed as that opens the pores so that they absorb odors both good and bad, very easily.

Editor S. E. Thompson, of this paper is slowly improving in health and is now able to leave his bed each day, to which he had been confined for over a year, and get out about the yard. Last Friday he enjoyed an auto ride about town for the first time since taking to his bed.—Argyle Banner. Here's hoping Bro. Thompson will soon completely recover.—Ed.

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Out for the Dollars.

"I hear Rev. Mr. Sharpe intends to resign from the ministry." "Yes. He says there is no money in marrying people, so he intends to practice law and divorce them."

Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

Finest Dates Grow There.

Beyond the land of the Berbers, in the far south of Morocco, lies the great oasis of Tafilet, famous for its vast groves of date-palms. Here, for hundreds of square miles, the land is covered with a thick growth of the tall, straight stems of the palm, and the product of these close-growing trees is enormous in quantity. They produce the finest dates in the world.

Greatest Poets.

Homer, Lucretius, Dante, Shakespeare, Goethe, Milton, Shelley, Byron, Tennyson, Browning. Perhaps others might be added. It is largely a matter of taste and temperament—although there is but little room for argument about the first six names.

Fireproof Wood.

To make wood fireproof, slack a small quantity of fresh lime and add water until it has the consistency of cream; stir well and add one pound of alum, 12 ounces of commercial potash and about one pound of salt. Stir again and apply while hot. Two or three coats will keep wood fireproof for many months.

Fast on the Wing.

Homing pigeons in calm weather can travel at a speed of 1,200 yards a minute. With a brisk wind prevailing and blowing in the direction of the flight, a pigeon has been known to make 1,900 yards a minute.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate Of Mathias Olson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the of Estate of Mathias Olson Decedent.

The State Of Minnesota To Antonette Olson, Oscar A. Olson, Amalia Roe, Julius C. Olson, Martin T. Olson, John A. Olson, Alfred C. Olson, Emma M. Mattson, Otto W. Olson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Antonette Olson having been filed in this court, representing that, Mathias Olson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 17th day of September 1913; and praying that letters of administration on his estate be granted to Antonette Olson, and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU, and EACH of YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of August 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 5th day of July 1917.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. June 30, 1917.

Notice is hereby that Carl J. Stenerson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., R., 2, who on March 16th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07492, for NE 1-4, Sec. 15, Township 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witness:
Halvor Moe, Martin Samson, Gunder Brokke, Peter Anderson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn., R. 2.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota June 30, 1917.

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Dr. Brandenberg, of Minneapolis, came Saturday to visit friends and look after his farm interests for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes and little daughter and Nels Swanson returned Monday night from enjoying their summer vacation.

Minnesota Machinery of all kinds and the best twine for sale at Rierson's store. Place your order early so as to be sure to get what you need.

The sympathy of their friends is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mattson for the death of their baby boy that was born last Saturday afternoon.

LOST: A log chain, Friday July 13th, somewhere on the road between my place and Holt. Finder please return to me or leave it at the printing office and oblige,

C. O. Saastad.

Peter Hanson moved his family here Friday from Badger. Mr. Hanson will have charge of the section here and Ludwig Gullickson has gone to Middle River to relieve his father for a couple of months as section foreman.

Ben Hoff who has been sick for the past week at the home of his sister at Middle River, came down for a short time yesterday. He thinks he'll be on deck for work again next week. Henry Offerdahl of Litchfield N. D. has had charge of the barber shop during Mr. Hoff's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg and two children and Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack, daughter Inez and son Floyd, autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday. The Sandbergs attended the funeral of her girlhood friend, Mrs. Frank Mickaletski, and Mrs. Alkenbrack and children visited Mrs. Bertil L. Backe.

Flag pins for sale here

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Non-Partisian League Picnic

Arrangements have been made for a Big Picnic at Viking on Tuesday July 24th. under the direction of the National Nonpartisan League at which time the people of this section will have an opportunity to hear Mr. Wood and Mr. Bowen, speaker and chief Clerk of the farmers House of Representatives in North Dakota explaining the causes that led up to this League movement. the objects of this organization and its method of work.

Another picnic will be held in T. R. Falls on Thursday July 26th. and Gov. Frazier will be principal speaker. Everyone invited.

Farmers State Bank
In Hands of Supt.

The Farmers State Bank was closed one day last week by the state banking department.

G. Howard Smith of T. R. Falls has been appointed a special bank examiner and will look after the affairs of this bank.

Mr. Roetert of the state banking department has been here several days this week and will be in charge of the bank until Mr. Smith's arrival.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services East Valley 10:30 July 22nd. Ladies Aid at Fred Larson's August 1st. School picnic July 25th. at 2 o'clock at schoolhouse.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Who said we would'nt get any hot weather this season?

Mrs. Sam Mickelson will entertain the Dorcas Society on Saturday July 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen autoed over to Newfolden Sunday after her sister, Mrs. Nils Skaug, who visited here a few days.

John Ostrum, Lewis Shores and John Wollrey all of Tolley, N. D., called on J. B. Alkenbreck Saturday, while here looking for hay land.

Ed. Bjerk, who is helping G. L. Cook build a house for himself in Middle River, spent Sunday at home.

Ant. Petersom of T. R. Falls was in this vicinity last week soliciting subscriptions for a farm paper.

Brekkestran Bros. have installed a gasoline tank at their garage for the convenience of their customers.

Albert Huseth came Saturday from Grand Forks and went to T. R. Falls Monday to work in a barber shop.

Mrs. Peter Hanson and baby went to Cass Lake Monday to visit relatives and friends.

Melvin Mortrud has quit work in the butcher shop.

C. H. Gunheim and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rudman and the editor and wife were very pleasantly entertained Sunday at the pretty farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Johnson.

We forgot to mention last week that on the previous Saturday, Misses Inez Alkenbrack and Nellie Saastad entertained their Sunday school classes with a picnic at the old school grounds, and a good time is reported.

A plasterer from T. R. Falls was here this week doing the plastering on the bank and postoffice building.

James D. Wilson, who has been in charge of the navy recruiting office in Minneapolis, has been promoted to recruiting inspector at Kansas City. In a letter thanking the press for their loyal co-operation in the work, he says the navy is still short of machinist.

Save the Waste, and Win the War.

Stiener News

Harvey Copp attended Sunday School in North Star school house July 8th.

Mrs. H. Borden and son, Jesse, attended the services held in Steiner Sunday

Misses Jessie Rogers and Ruby Warring called at the J. Whittman home Monday.

Louie Meyer and Henry attended the circus in Thief River Falls Wednesday evening.

Willis Warring has returned home from International Falls where he had been running an engine in the factory.

Mrs. J. Kelberg and family attended services held in Steiner July eighth.

Several of the young men of this community attended the Rosewood club picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Saugen made a trip to Newfolden Saturday.

Henry Rogers did business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. J. Swanson was a Steiner caller Thursday.

Mrs. Alby and son were business callers in this burg Tuesday.

R. L. Muzzy and family attended the confirmation exercises held in the Norwegian Synod church Sunday.

Cyrus Malberg attended the Farmers club held at Rosewood Saturday evening.

C. Steiner and son, John, transacted business in Steiner Tuesday.

For Sale.

NE 1-4 NW 1-4, W 1-2 NW 1-4, Sec. 11 Twp. 156, Range 43. Will sacrifice this place for $14.00 per acre. Address Mrs. Corrigan, 4125-27th Ave So. Minneapolis, Minn.

Bring us your Job Printing.

Bertil Sollom has quit the banking business and gone back to farm life.

G. Nelson has been here this week doing plastering for C. H. Gunheim on the addition to his residence.

Taber & McLane have completed a well 165 feet deep for J. J. Little on his farm 6 miles east of town.

Mrs. Hoglin and Miss Cora Hanson were up from Thief River Falls Friday to visit the formers sister, Mrs. B. Docken, and to attend the ice cream social.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and For Hearing Thereon

Estate of Jens P. Sorter.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Jens P. Sorter, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emma Sorter It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 12th day of January 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS as provided by law.

Dated June 30th 1917
(Court Seal) Peter H. Holm
Judge of Probate.

Southeast of Holt.

Mrs. Henry Jensen and sons Harvey and Ernest of Pekin, N. Dak. are visiting at the Mrs. Hans Peterson home.

Mrs. Molstad and son Oliver were visitors at the C. Larson home on Sunday.

R. Storm and his brother of Virginia, Minn., have spent sometime here looking over their farm interests also calling on friends in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hansen and their daughters Ella, Grace, Esther and Mary autoed down here from Joplin, Montana, and arrived Saturday at the home of Ed. Hansen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Klungness and daughter Constance were Sunday P. M. at the John Klungness home.

Torbjon Skomedal is erecting a fine new residence on his farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness and family were visitors at the Clarence Larson home in Golden Valley Sunday afternoon.

Tollef Johnson who has spent the past few months with his brother, Gjermund, returned Monday to his home at Larimore, N. Dak., accompanied by Mrs. Johnson and his daughter Minnie who was called here by the sickness and death of Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. G. Froesnts at T. R. Falls.

Henry Wendt recently purchased a horse from Amund Sordahl.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arno Steinhauer on Monday of last week.

Department of the Interior

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., July 10, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Melvin Olson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Jan. 11th 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05811, for S 1-2 SW 1-4 Sec. 15, N 1-2 NW 1-4 Sec. 22, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 21st day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Andrew Olson, Lenny Olson, Joseph Rankin all of Middle River, Minn., Edwin G. Johnson, of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Oide visited in T. R. Falls Tuesday and Wednesday.

Washable celluloid lapel flags for sale at this office at 5 cents each.

The Rosewood farmers club will have a big picnic next Sunday P. M.

Sam Mickelson is putting a basement under his residence. Oscar Anderson is helping him with the work.

Mrs. Arvid Carlson was over from Newfolden a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. A. L. Carlson.

The Non-Partisian League will have a picnic in Viking next Tuesday July 24th. Everyone invited.

The school board have employed Miss Helen Johnson of Tower City, Minn., to teach the intermediate department and Miss Martha M. Peterson of Vining, Minn., to teach the primary room and the domestic science classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Anderson, Guy Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Docked, Mr. and Mrs. Sandberg, Mr. and Mrs. Cronstrom of T. R. Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Olson from Canada, were all pleasantly entertained on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. John M. Swan and family.

Notice!

A meeting will be held at the Holt State Bank next Monday evening at 8 o'clock July 23rd. to organize an auxillary branch of the Red Cross Society. Everyone invited to attend.

Big Picnic.

The Rosewood Farmers Club will have a big picnic at the Rosebank school house next Sunday afternoon. A patriotic program will be given and the proceeds go the Red Cross. Several speakers will be present and the Thief River Falls band will furnish plenty of music. Everyone invited.

Notice to Teachers

Examination for Common School Certificates.

The State Teachers' Examination will be given at Warren, Minn., on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, July 30th and 31st, and August 1st. The examination in the second grade subjects will be given on the first two days. The First grade subjects will be given on Wednesday.

David Johnson,
Supt. of Schools.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota July 2, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Peter Anderson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who on January 27th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07209, for SW 1-4, Section 15, Township 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Carl Stenerson, Halvor Moe, Martin Samson and Christ Nelson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Printers always need money.

This is a good time to make war on the fly. Swat him good.

Teachers Training School, Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, Minn., July 18 to 27. Enroll now.

The Navy is Uncle Sam's first line of defense. It offers every man an opportunity to serve his country in any of the trades or professions.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern		$2.13
Wheat No. 2		2.03
Wheat No. 3		1.92
Wheat No. 4		1.66
Flax		2.69
Oats		.63
Barley	78 to	1.04
Rye		1.84
Flour, Best Patent		6.85

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Announcement
New Garage!
I have opened a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building
New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New
All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.
Ole Hammerness
Holt - Minn.

Notice of Annual School Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting in District No. 35 in Marshall County, Minnesota, for the election of Officers and the transaction of other business required by law at the Annual Meeting, will be held at the School House on the 21st day of July 1917, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Dated this 5th day of July 1917.
B. Docken, District Clerk.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Red Cross Meeting Monday Eve
To Organize An Auxillary Chapter
We Need Your Help Right Now
The American Red Cross Society

Holt Motor Inn
We do all kinds of
Auto and Tractor Repairing
Bring your cars in early for overhauling
We overhaul and charge storage batteries
Located south of Printing Office
Brekkestran Bros.

Happenings of the World Tersely Told

U.S.—Teutonic War News

War appropriations of about $3,000,000,000 in addition to the enormous sums already appropriated or sought, will be asked of congress at Washington is estimates which administration officials have given notice will be submitted next week.

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Formal announcement was made by the war department at Washington that 687,000 men will be selected from those registered on June 5 for the first national war army, and to fill vacancies in the National Guard and the regular army.

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Secretary Baker announced at Washington that in the drawing to select men for draft into the war army numbers will be drawn representing every one of the nearly 10,000,000 registered, so that each man may know the order in which he is liable to be called for service.

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Rudolph Haecht, cousin of Otto H. Kahn, the banker and prominent in society, was taken into custody at New York by federal secret service men and will be interned on Ellis island for the balance of the war.

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Dispatches to Washington announcing the destruction of the Kansan by a German submarine, said that four members of the crew were missing, but all the armed naval guard was safe. The vessel was valued at $3,000,000.

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Peace without annexation is not acceptable to Germany. Germany can win if she holds out. Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg so declared in a speech before the main committee of the reichstag at Berlin, according to the Lokal Anzeiger. "I consider it my duty to remain as chancellor for the protection of the fatherland. I cannot give Germany's peace terms now," he said.

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While becalmed, the American barkentine Hildegard, 622 tons, was sunk by a submarine. The crew was landed.

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Domestic

A child was killed, a number of people injured and thousands of dollars' worth of damage was done at Fairmont, Ill., by a storm which attained cyclonic violence. The three-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pritchard lost her life and the mother suffered a broken arm.

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Thirty men were injured, several probably fatally, in rioting between Americans and foreigners employed in the lead mines at Flat River, Mo. Several hundred men formed an unofficial posse and have undertaken to drive from the town every foreign laborer known to sympathize with I. W. W. agitators or with German agents believed to have been active in the district.

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More than 1,100 alleged Industrial Workers of the World, deported from Bisbee, Ariz., were put aboard 24 cattle cars and sent to New Mexico. The men were driven from the city by deputy sheriffs and about 2,000 armed men, members of an organization known as the "Citizens' Protective league." Two men were killed.

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"A reign of terror" has struck northern Idaho. Industrial Workers of the World are spreading all over the state. Two thousand troops are needed in northern Idaho to cope with the gigantic fight being put up by the I. W. W. to prevent the United States from getting 2,000,000,000 feet of lumber necessary to carry on its war program. This was the gist of the recommendation made by the state defense council in its report to the secretary of war.

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The Nebraska council of defense issued a statement at Lincoln, charging "certain professors of the University of Nebraska" and "the conspicuous representatives of the Lutheran church" in the state with "disloyal activity and passivity that has tended to give aid and comfort to Germany as an enemy."

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Names for four of the cantonment camps at which the national army will be trained were designated by the war department at Washington as follows: Second division, Yaphank, L. I., Camp Long Island; Third division, Wrightstown, N. J., Camp Wrightstown; Fourth division, Annapolis Junction, Md., Camp Admiral; Fifth division, Petersburg, Va., Camp Virginia.

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The United States government has decided to take out of the I. W. W. organization that part of it which is German or dominated by Germanic influence, according to announcement at Seattle, Wash., by United States District Attorney Clay Allen. The men will be interned.

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Returns indicate the election of John M. Baer of Fargo, N. D., the nonpartisan candidate, as congressman to succeed the late Henry T. Helgesen. Baer has a majority of approximately 3,000.

A petition for a receiver for the Pugh Stores company, capitalized at $20,000,000, and operating 39 stores in six states, was filed in the superior court at Chicago by stockholders.

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Washington

Secretary McAdoo at Washington ordered that no further information regarding shipping be given out by customs officials. All such information hereafter will be under direction of the department of commerce in order to eliminate conflicting reports.

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William H. Gale, former American consul general at Munich, has arrived to take charge of the consulate at Copenhagen. Edward D. Winslow, the present consul general, has been summoned to Washington.

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Steel manufacturers have agreed to operate their plants for the benefit of the government until a satisfactory price for their products can be arranged, it was learned at Washington.

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Unanimous consent to begin final voting on the food control bill and all amendments not later than 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, July 21, was given in the senate at Washington and the cloture motion was withdrawn.

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President Wilson appealed to the country's business interests to put aside every selfish consideration and to give their aid to the nation as freely as those who go out to offer their lives on the battlefield. In a statement at Washington addressed to the coal operators and manufacturers he gave assurances that just prices will be paid by the government and the public during the war, but warned that no attempt to extort unusual profits will be tolerated.

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A report on the food situation prepared for President Wilson by Herbert Hoover, holding that both the farmer and the consuming public are suffering while food speculators made unearned profits from the delay in enactment of food control legislation, was given out at the White House in Washington.

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Foreign

Count Michael Karolyi, leader of the Hungarian independent party, speaking in the house of deputies, declared: "The central point of the present crisis is the question of peace. Every one in Germany wants peace, but it is not enough to desire it, the nation must negotiate for it."

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Emperor William of Germany has issued an imperial manifesto declaring for equal franchise in Prussia.

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J. Austen Chamberlain, secretary for India, has resigned, says a dispatch from London. Lord Hardinge, the former viceroy of India, also presented his resignation as undersecretary for foreign affairs. His resignation, however, was not accepted.

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A rumor has reached Amsterdam, Holland, that the entire German government will resign with Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, the main committee of the reichstag having refused to vote a war credit unless the government declares its policy regarding peace and reform, which the government has declined to do. An imperial proclamation is considered imminent.

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Die Zukunft, Maximilian Harden's publication, has now been suppressed for the remainder of the war, according to the Berlin Tageblatt. Herr Harden will be employed as a military clerk.

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German Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, says the Koelnische Volks Zeitung, promised the reichstag that he would consent to the resignation from the cabinet of Foreign Minister Zimmermann and Dr. Karl Helfferich, secretary of the interior and vice chancellor. In addition five members of the Prussian cabinet will be asked to resign.

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The North China Daily News declares it is virtually established that Gen. Chang Hsun, leader of the imperialist forces, is on German pay, says a Reuter dispatch to London from Shanghai. If the monarchial movement had succeeded, the newspaper continues, the rupture of relations between China and Germany would have been canceled.

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European War News

Two German seaplanes were destroyed by an armed British trawler, it was officially announced at London. Four Germans were captured.

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An air raid on the enemy fleet off Constantinople was announced in a statement of the British war office at London. Bombs were dropped on the Turkish cruiser Ywuz Sultan Selim, formerly the German cruiser Goeben.

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More than 1,250 prisoners, including 27 officers, have been taken by the German Marine corps in the Yser district of Belgium, Berlin army headquarters announced. The official report says that the British were driven over the Yser and that their losses were very high.

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Official announcement that Kalusz, the headquarters of the enemy in Galicia, had been occupied by the Russians was made at Petrograd, coupled with the statement that the occupation was effected after a sanguinary battle.

WILSON MAKES PLEA

PRESIDENT ASKS MANUFACTURERS AND MINE OWNERS TO BACK U. S. IN WAR.

TOLD TO FORGET PRICES

President Declares Victory or Defeat Depends on Prices—Denounces Dollar Patriots—Everyone Must Make Sacrifices.

Washington.—President Wilson appealed to the country's business interests Wednesday to put aside every selfish consideration and to give their aid to the nation as freely as those who go to offer their lives on the battlefield.

In a statement addressed to the coal operators and manufacturers he gave assurance that just prices will be paid by the government and the public during the war, but warned that no attempt to extort unusual profits will be tolerated.

The president's statement follows:

"The government is about to attempt to determine the prices at which it will ask you henceforth to furnish various supplies which are necessary for the prosecution of the war, and various materials which will be needed in the industries by which the war must be sustained. We shall, of course, try to determine them justly and to the best advantage of the nation as a whole; but justice is easier to speak of than to arrive at, and there are some considerations which I hope we shall keep steadily in mind while this particular problem of justice is being worked out.

Promises Just Price.

"Therefore I take the liberty of stating very candidly my own view of the situation and of the principles which should guide both the government and the mine owners and manufacturers of the country in this difficult matter.

"A just price must, of course, be paid for everything the government buys. By a just price I mean a price which will sustain the industries concerned in a high state of efficiency, provide a living for those who conduct them, enable them to pay good wages, and make possible the expansions of their enterprises which will from time to time become necessary as the stupendous undertakings of this great war develop.

Must Face the Facts.

"We could not wisely or reasonably do less than pay such prices. They are necessary for the maintenance and development of industry, and the maintenance and development of industry are necessary for the great task we have in hand.

"But I trust that we shall not surround the matter with a mist of sentiment. Facts are our masters now. We ought not to put the acceptance of such prices on the ground of patriotism."

"Patriotism has nothing to do with profits in a case like this. Patriotism and profits ought never in the present circumstances be mentioned together.

"It is perfectly proper to discuss profits as a matter of business, with a view to maintaining the integrity of capital and the efficiency of labor in these tragical months, when the liberty of free men everywhere and of industry itself trembles in the balance; but it would be absurd to discuss them as a motive for helping to serve and save our country.

"Patriotism leaves profits out of the question. In these days of our supreme trial, when we are sending hundreds of thousands of our young men across the seas to serve a great cause, no true man who stays behind to work for them and sustain them by his labor will ask himself what he is personally going to make out of that labor.

"No true patriot will permit himself to take toll of their heroism in money or seek to grow rich by the shedding of their blood. He will give as freely and with as unstinted self-sacrifice as they. When they are giving their lives, will he not at least give his money?

Assails "Bribery."

"I hear it insisted that more than a just price, more than a price that will sustain our industries, must be paid; that it is necessary to pay very liberal and unusual profits in order to 'stimulate' production; that nothing but pecuniary rewards will do—rewards paid in money, not in the mere liberation of the world.

"I take it for granted that those who argue thus do not stop to think what that means.

"Do they mean that you must be paid, must be bribed, to make your contribution, a contribution that costs you neither a drop of blood nor a tear, when the whole world is in travail and men everywhere depend upon and call to you to bring them out of bondage and make the world a fit place to live in again, amidst peace and justice?

"Do they mean that you will exact a price, drive a bargain, with the men who are enduring the agony of this war on the battlefields, in the trenches, amidst the lurking dangers of the sea, or with the bereaved women and pitiful children, before you will come forward to do your duty and give some part of your life, in easy, peaceful fashion, for the things we are fighting for, the things we have pledged our fortunes, our lives, our sacred honor to vindicate and defend—liberty and justice and fair dealing and the peace of nations?

"Of course you will not. It is inconceivable. Your patriotism is of the same self-denying stuff as the patriotism of the men dead or maimed on the fields of France, or else it is not patriotism at all.

Full Dollar's Worth.

"Let us never speak, then, of profits and of patriotism in the same sentence, but face facts and meet them. Let us do sound business, but not in the midst of a mist.

"Many a grievous burden of taxation will be laid on this nation, in this generation and in the next, to pay for this war; let us see to it that for every dollar that is taken from the people's pockets it shall be possible to obtain a dollar's worth of the sound stuff they need.

"Let me turn for a moment to the ship owners of the United States and the other ocean carriers whose example they have followed, and ask them if they realize what obstacles, what almost insuperable obstacles, they have been putting in the way of the successful prosecution of this war by the ocean freight rates they have been exacting.

Making War a Failure.

"They are doing everything that high freight charges can do to make the war a failure, to make it impossible.

"I do not say that they realize this or intend it. The thing has happened naturally enough because the commercial processes which we are content to see operate in ordinary times have without sufficient thought been continued into a period where they have no proper place.

"I am not questioning motives. I am merely stating a fact, and stating it in order that attention may be fixed upon it.

"The fact is that those who have fixed war freight rates have taken the most effective means in their power to defeat the armies engaged against Germany. When they realize this we may, I take it for granted, count upon them to reconsider the whole matter. It is high time. Their extra hazards are covered by war risk insurance.

Warning Is Sounded.

"I know, and you know, what response to this great challenge of duty and of opportunity the nation will expect of you; and I know what response you will make.

"Those who do not respond, who do not respond in the spirit of those who have gone to give their lives for us on bloody fields far away, may safely be left to be dealt with by opinion and the law—for the law must, of course, command those things.

"I am dealing with the matter thus publicly and frankly, not because I have any doubt or fear as to the result but only in order that in all our thinking and in all our dealings with one another we may move in a perfectly clear air of mutual understanding.

Must Have Same Prices.

"And there is something more that we must add to our thinking. The public is now as much a part of the government as are the army and navy themselves; the whole people in all their activities are now mobilized and in service for the accomplishment of the nation's task in this war; it is in such circumstances impossible justly to distinguish between industrial purchases made by the government and industrial purchases made by the managers of industries, and it is just as much our duty to sustain the industrials of the country with all the industries that contribute to its life as it is to sustain our forces in the field and on the sea.

Think Not of Self.

"We must make prices to the public the same as the prices to the government. Prices mean the same thing everywhere now. They mean the efficiency or the inefficiency of the nation, whether it is the government that pays them or not. They mean victory or defeat. They mean that America will win her place once for all among the foremost free nations of the world or that she will sink to defeat and become a second-rate power alike in thought and in action. This is a day of her reckoning and every man among us must personally face that reckoning along with her.

"The case needs no arguing. I assume that I am only expressing your own thoughts—what must be in the mind of every true man when he faces the tragedy and the solemn glory of the present war, for the emancipation of mankind.

"I summon you to a great duty, a great privilege, a shining dignity and distinction. I shall expect every man who is not a slacker to be at my side throughout this great enterprise. In it no man can win honor who thinks of himself."

Asphalt Found by Accident.

Asphalt, with which so many roads are paved, was found by accident. Many years ago, in Switzerland, natural rock asphalt was discovered, and for more than a century it was used for the purpose of extracting the rich stores of bitumen it contained.

Expected to, at Least.

It is in part because we have to pay for it that we value the advice of a physician more than the advice of a friend.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Matter of Interest.

The Sick Doctor—When I am dead I want a careful autopsy made. Observe the liver especially—it will interest me greatly to know what really is the matter with it.

Selfishness.

The word selfishness is said to be only 200 years old, but the thing itself dates back to the Garden of Eden, when Adam tried to hide behind the skirts of Eve before she had any.—Flordia Times-Union.

RUSSIANS ATTACK FURIOUSLY ALONG ENTIRE FRONTIER

BATTLE RAGING FROM GULF OF RIGA TO ROUMANIA—AUSTRIANS IN FLIGHT IN CARPATHIANS.

TEUTONS SHIFT TROOPS; LEMBERG IS THREATENED

Germany Draining French and Italian Fronts—Dolina Falls to Russians—Enemy Plans Counter-Offensive—Allied Baltic Fleet in Fine Condition.

Washington, July 17.—Desperate battles are raging over the entire Russian front from the Gulf of Riga to Roumania, according to messages received by the Russian embassy here.

The Austrian army on the southern front in Galicia is reported in full flight into Carpathians, with Cossacks in pursuit. The Slav troops have occupied Dolina, one of the key forts defending Lemberg and only 30 miles from that stronghold.

Kaiser Drains Other Fronts.

Germany is draining every soldier possible from the French and Italian fronts and rushing them to the Russian front to stay the rush of the Slav troops.

On the northern front near Riga, German reinforcements are rushing up by sea transport.

On the Lemberg front the troops are being shifted back and forth by means of heavy automobiles in an attempt to prevent further advances by General Korniloff.

On the southern front in the Carpathians the Austrians are said to be in full flight.

Key to Lemberg Taken.

The occupation by the Russians of the Galician town of Dolina is reported in a Petrograd dispatch to the Idea Nazionale of Rome, as quoted in a Central News dispatch from that city.

The Austrian army of General Boehm-Ermolli is said to have been thrown back in the Carpathians.

Dolina is an important Galician center, 22 miles southeast of Stryj and about 15 miles southwest of Kalusch. It is another of the key cities around Lemberg, which lies 30 miles to the north.

Baltic Fleet Fit.

The German re-enforcement of the Riga front by transport is understood here to be for a German counter offensive as a diversion to the severe Russian attacks further south. This has been long threatened and it is thought now that General von Moedre, in command there, has been given orders to go ahead.

Dispatches report that the Russian Baltic fleet is in splendid condition and capable of meeting any naval offensive in that quarter. Former Deputy Nipko of the first duma, commissary officer of the fleet, has just made a long report to Minister of War Kerensky, saying that the ships are in fine shape, the men enthusiastic for action and the land forts well supplied with war material.

FOUR BIG GERMAN U-BOATS SUNK BY AMERICAN SHIPS

Largest and Most Modern Submarines Destroyed by Warships Convoying Transports Is German Story.

London, July 17.—Four of the largest and most modern German submarines were destroyed by American warships, which were convoying the first instalment of American troops to France, according to a report from German sources as contained in a Berne dispatch to a Rome news agency and forwarded from Rome by the Central News.

SPIES TO MURDER RUSSIANS

Seven Hundred Detailed by Germany According to Report.

Petrograd, July 17.—Germany is sending 700 spies into Russia to attempt assassination of Minister of War Kerensky, General Brusiloff and other leaders, according to information obtained by the Russian intelligence department. A strong bodyguard was immediately ordered for all of these officials.

Delays Commandeering Vessels.

Washington, July 17.—Major General Goethals has postponed his plan for the commandeering of private merchant shipping under construction in the United States, and for contracting immediately for building two government shipbuilding plants.

Mill City Girl Drowned in Chicago.

Chicago, July 17.—Miss Queen Duckler, of Minneapolis, a visitor at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Emma Ansell, here, was killed on the Wheeling road, south of Halfday. Miss Duckler, with Mrs. Ansell, Meyer Berkowsky, and M. Rudd, were speeding northward just before 3 a. m. The dimmed lights on Berkowsky's car made indistinct the railings on a bridge over a tributary of the Des Plaines river and the car plunged over. It overturned in midair. Miss Duckler was caught under the car and drowned.

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"Dressmaking Not an Art."

That dressmaking is not an art, but labor, was held by a jury in the United States district court recently, in the case of Albert de Vroye, husband of Marie de Vroye, fashionable dressmaker, says the St. Louis Star. He was fined $1,000 for violation of a federal statute forbidding the importation of contract labor into the United States.

The statute leaves several exceptions, including actors and artists. Shepard Barclay, attorney for De Vroye, contended a skilled dressmaker is an artist.

The prosecuting witness was a Belgian woman. She testified that in 1911 she answered an advertisement inserted by De Vroye in a Brussels newspaper for a premier dressmaker, capable of designing and executing dress patterns. She testified she was hired by De Vroye in Brussels at 375 francs (about $72) a month and brought to the United States.

Quite All Right.

"But, daughter, he has yellow fingers."

"Well; yellow is my color, dad."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

No Place for Them.

"Any beech trees on your place?"

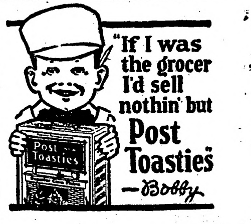
"Oh, no; we are not near the ocean. We have no beach."

Retort Discourteous.

She—You don't deserve a good wife.

Her Husband—Well, I got what I did. Now rub it in.—Judge.

The man who isn't capable of winning the love of at least one woman made a mistake in getting born.



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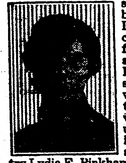

Aurora, Ill.—"For seven long months I suffered from a female trouble, with severe pains in my back and sides until I became so weak I could hardly walk from chair to chair, and got so nervous I would jump at the slightest noise. I was entirely unfit to do my housework, I was giving up hope of ever being well, when my sister asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took six bottles and today I am a healthy woman able to do my own housework. I wish every suffering woman would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and find out for themselves how good it is."—Mrs. CARL A. KIESO, 596 North Ave., Aurora, Ill.

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WAS SIMPLE 'WAR LUNCHEON'

Woman Wanted Something as Unpretentious as Possible and She Got It at Ten Dollars a Plate.

The matter of war rations depends entirely on the individual, as is indicated by the following story from New York:

The other day one of the feminine customers on the Plaza hotel approached an assistant manager and told him that she wanted to give a "war luncheon"—something quite simple and unpretentious.

"Yes, madam," said the assistant manager, mentally groaning at another example of thrift.

"Now," said the woman, "I want champaigne served instead of cocktails while my guests are in the reception room. I want"—and she named a brut which costs $10 a quart. "And for luncheon I want some caviar"—and on and on she went, with the assistant manager's pencil scratching busily as she talked and his spirits rising with each scratch.

"How much?" she asked after she had explained the menu. "How much will that be?" The assistant manager made a hasty calculation.

"Ten dollars a plate," he said.

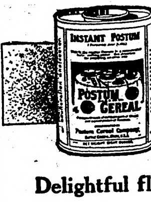
"Oh, dear!" she said. "Isn't food becoming almost prohibitive! There will be plates for twenty. Please have everything as simple as possible."

X-Ray for San Salvador.

The secretary of the treasury of the government of Salvador has ordered from the United States an X-ray apparatus of the most improved type, which the government proposes to present to the Rosales hospital in the city of San Salvador for the use of that institution.

One little word may make a new friendship or break an old one.

It is a poor elevator that won't work both ways.



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NEW ARMY QUOTA FOR EACH STATE IS MADE PUBLIC

WAR DEPARTMENT FIGURES SHOW HOW AMERICA'S TOLL OF MANHOOD WILL BE DISTRIBUTED.

NEW YORK TO GIVE 69,241; OREGON ASKED FOR LEAST

Figures Based on Initial Draft of 687,000 Men—Federal Census Population Estimates Used—Minnesota Required to Furnish Approximately Nine Regiments.

Washington, July 14.—The toll of manhood that each state must furnish to America's citizen army, is announced by the War Department.

The figures are based upon a total initial draft of 687,000 men. In assigning the quota that each state must yield, the War Department used the federal census population estimates.

New York High; Oregon Low.

New York leads all others with 69,241. Oregon is asked to yield the least—717.

Many of the Western states' quotas are unusually low because the registration was only 50 to 80 per cent of the first estimates of the census bureau. Other states in the Middle West—Ohio, Wisconsin, Illinois—ran over the estimates by 10 to 20 per cent.

The quotas were sent to the governors of each state and territory and the commissioners of the District of Columbia, who were directed to apportion the quotas through the local boards.

Each State's Quota Given.

The quota of men which the various states will be required to furnish follows:

Alabama,	18,612
Arizona,	3,472
Arkansas,	10,267
California,	23,060
Colorado,	4,753
Connecticut,	19,977
Delaware,	1,202
District of Columbia,	929
Florida,	6,325
Georgia,	18,337
Idaho,	2,287
Illinois,	51,653
Indiana,	17,510
Iowa,	12,749
Kansas,	6,439
Kentucky,	14,236
Louisiana,	13,582
Maine,	11,821
Maryland,	7,096
Massachusetts,	20,596
Michigan,	30,291
Minnesota,	17,854
Mississippi,	10,801
Missouri,	18,660
Montana,	7,872
Nebraska,	8,185
Nevada,	1,051
New Hampshire,	1,204
New Jersey,	20,665
New Mexico,	2,292
New York,	69,241
North Carolina,	15,974
North Dakota,	5,606
Ohio,	38,773
Oklahoma,	15,564
Oregon,	717
Pennsylvania,	60,859
Rhode Island,	1,801
South Carolina,	10,081
South Dakota,	2,717
Tennessee,	14,528
Texas,	30,545
Utah,	2,870
Vermont,	1,049
Virginia,	13,795
Washington,	7,296
West Virginia,	9,101
Wisconsin,	12,876
Wyoming,	810
Alaska,	696
Hawaii,	none.
Porto Rico,	12,833

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT OF GUARD UNITS MADE

Troops From Minnesota, Dakotas, Iowa and Nebraska to Go to Deming, New Mexico.

Washington, July 16.—Assignments of national guard troops to training camps already selected have been announced by the War department as follows:

Thirteenth division, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Iowa and Nebraska troops to Deming, N. M.

Nineteenth division, California, Utah, Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico and Nevada troops to Linda Vista, Cal.

Twentieth division, Washington, Oregon, Montana, Idaho and Wyoming troops to Palo Alto, Cal.

Eleventh division, Michigan and Wisconsin troops, Waco, Texas.

Twelfth division, Illinois troops to Houston, Texas.

I. W. W. EXILES ARE HELD IN CAMP AT COLUMBUS BY U. S.

Twelve Hundred Deported in Freight Trains From Hermanas by Troops From Douglas, Ariz.

Columbus, N. M., July 16. Closely guarded by United States cavalry troops from Douglas, Ariz., the special freight train carrying the deported strikers and others from Hermanas, N. M., has arrived here. The deported men were placed in a detention camp prepared by United States cavalry.

Rations of canned salmon, bread and water were issued upon their arrival.

The transfer of the 1,200 exiles was carried out by Col. James J. Hornbrook, with a command of 192 officers and men, assisted by Sheriff Simpson of Luna county, New Mexico. The embarkation was orderly.

QUIET AGAIN REIGNS AT CHINESE CAPITAL

Washington, July 16.—A Chinese legation dispatch from Peking said that quiet had been restored in the capital after a battle in which the monarchist troops of General Chang Hsun were overwhelmed by Republican forces.

More Peace Propaganda in Russia.

Petrograd, July 14.—Germany is desperately pouring a new flood of propaganda into Russia in a superlative effort to dampen the popular war ardor. The directing point seems to be Stockholm. Some of the evidence of this tide of argument as gathered were German arguments against further Russian advances on the ground that the German minority Socialists had agreed to every point of the Russian peace aims, even including Alsace-Lorraine. Agitators are spreading these arguments.

State News in Brief

Doings of Last Few Days Throughout Minnesota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

The Minnesota Epworth League institute has begun a ten days' session at Groveland, Lake Minnetonka. The meeting will be attended by delegates from all parts of Minnesota.

Crop reports from eighteen additional counties made public by F. D. Sherman, state commissioner of immigration, show that wheat and other grains are generally in good condition.

A blackbird alighting on the high tension wire of the power line between Coon Rapids and Anoka, put out all electric lights and caused the suspension of car service for two hours. The bird was electrocuted.

A resolution demanding that the Bureau of Indian affairs be abolished and charging that officials at the head of the bureau are incompetent was adopted at Bemidji at the council of Minnesota Chippewas.

Searching parties have recovered from the waters of Big Stone lake the last bodies of the seven persons who lost their lives when the excursion steamer Muskegon was swamped during a heavy storm on the lake.

Fort Snelling may yet be chosen for the second officers' training camp which opens August 27. This information has been received from Washington by Donald R. Cotton, head of the training camp association in St. Paul.

A series of freight shipments on the Mississippi river to demonstrate the economy and practicability of water transportation to and from Minneapolis has been inaugurated with the arrival of a big cargo of plows from Moline, Ill.

Minnesota, according to the official war department announcement, will be called upon to furnish 17,854 men by draft. Of these approximately 15,601 will go into the new national army, 1,495 into the regular army and the remainder into the national guard.

The consumer is at last coming into his own, in so far as potatoes go. Hundreds of growers over the north country who had been holding out for even higher prices than those recently paid, now find that they overstayed their market, according to commission house men.

After years of agitation for a bridge across the Red Lake river at one or more points between this city and the Red Lakes, the county commissioners of Pennington county have decided to bond the county in the sum of $15,000 for a substantial bridge to be located at High Landing.

E. P. Bertrand, 80, who came to St. Paul in 1856 and was a friend of the late James J. Hill and Archbishop John Ireland, acted the part of best man at the wedding of his son, L. J. Bertrand, and Miss Anna Schueller at Sleepy Eye. More than 1,500 persons attended the ceremony at St. Mary's church.

J. J. Lomen, 61 years old, for many years active in Minnesota politics, died at the St. Paul hospital of locomotor ataxia after an illness of six years.

The thirteenth annual encampment of the Minnesota veterans of the Spanish-American war has been held with almost 300 members attending.

The office of Captain H. S. Nelson, regimental adjutant of the Second Minnesota infantry, reports a gain in a week of more than 200 enlistments.

Poison beans, shipped into the United States either with intent to cause harm to consumers or sent by mistake, have been found in Minnesota.

Authority for the tri-state flood control agreement between Minnesota, North and South Dakota is given in the rivers and harbors bill in Congress.

Olga, 8-year-old daughter of John Pakiz, Chisholm, has been lost in the woods. Two hundred volunteer searchers, men and women, were out at last report.

The embargo placed by the United States government on the exportation of grain, effective July 15, is already beginning to affect sales of wheat in Minnesota.

Colonel Benjamin B. Herbert of Chicago, founder of the National Editorial association, who has taken suddenly ill, died at the University of Minnesota farm school hospital. Death was due to heart disease. Col. Herbert had been attending the editors' convention in Minneapolis.

Congressional action requiring the Federal Trade commission immediately to take over the operation of American paper mills for the benefit of the war and to import and distribute Canadian news print paper, was demanded in resolutions adopted by the National Editorial association in session in Minneapolis.

One hundred clubwomen from all parts of Minnesota gathered at the state capitol for a two-day convention, the like of which no group of clubwomen ever staged in Minnesota before. Each of the 86 counties in Minnesota had at least one delegate and all of the 10 congressional districts were represented.

Active preparation for mobilization of the Minnesota National Guard units not already in the Federal service began upon receipt of the expected orders calling them into the Federal service. The guard units affected are the Second and Third infantry regiments, hospital corps, Second artillery, now being organized, and the ambulance company, yet to be organized.

Less than half the states in the Central Western department have reached their quota in applications for the second officers' training camp to be held soon. Minnesota's quota is 361 and 225 have applied.

MINNESOTA CROPS IN GOOD CONDITION

TWENTY-TWO COUNTIES SEND OPTIMISTIC REPORTS TO STATE IMMIGRATION COMMISSIONER.

CALLS FOR FARM HELP SEEN

Many Localities Indicate Probable Need of Additional Labor Soon—Potatoes Flourish—Small Grains Normal.

St. Paul

Minnesota crops generally are in good condition and the yield will surpass that of last year, according to reports from twenty-two counties received by F. D. Sherman, state commissioner of immigration. The potato crop in particular, the reports indicate, is in excellent condition, while wheat and oats are about normal. Corn, however, is somewhat backward and will take several days of hot weather to bring it up to the yearly average.

Many of the reports contain statements that additional farm help will be required soon.

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First and Second in U. S. Service.

Official copies of the orders calling into Federal service all units of the Minnesota national guard, except staff corps and departments, have been received by Captain W. F. Rhinow, military secretary to Governor Burnquist. Approximately 4,000 men of the Second and Third infantry regiments are affected, Captain Rhinow said.

Officers at Fort Snelling are making arrangements for the mobilization of the Second and Third Minnesota infantry regiments at this post about August 1. The camp sites have been selected. While the regiments were called into federal service July 15, they are expected to remain at their home stations until about the first of next month. It is expected they will remain at Fort Snelling 10 or 15 days before going south.

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For School of Mines Building.

Changes in the school of mines building and the mines testing works to cost $6,000 have been authorized by the board of regents of the University to meet the requirements of the government for the establishing of a federal mines' experiment station at the university. The board pledged itself to try to get the next Legislature to provide a suitable building for the station. Furtherance of plans to establish a school of military aeronautics was delegated to the executive committee.

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Food Experts to Tour State.

Fifty food experts will be sent into the country districts of Minnesota in August, Miss Josephine Barry announces, to follow up the work of food conservation now being preached by the 100 women who left for their homes after two days in session at the capitol at the request of the state public safety commission.

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Hospital Unit Passes Inspection.

At the close of his inspection of the First Minnesota Field hospital company in the St. Paul armory, Maj. J. L. Bevans announced that he would wire to Washington at once, recommending that the unit be accepted for federal service. The company has been recruited to war strength in the Twin Cities.

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Farrell Visits Hoover.

J. J. Farrell, food and dairy commissioner for Minnesota, has held a conference with H. C. Hoover, food administrator, and with Mr. Requa, assistant to Mr. Hoover, the purpose of which was to reach an understanding as to how the food control bill was to be administered in Minnesota.

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Seeks Coal Famine Relief.

In telegrams sent to Senators Nelson and Kellogg in Washington, Governor Burnquist urged that every effort be made to secure action from the federal government to relieve the coal shortage in Minnesota. This is the second time that the governor has appealed.

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Crops to Outstrip 1916 Records.

Official government crop estimates for July 1 show that, with the exception of corn and hay, Minnesota will far outstrip the records of 1916. The estimate of winter wheat places the Minnesota crop at 1,270,000 bushels. The December estimate was 910,000 bushels.

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Discuss State Paper Making.

To determine whether the state of Minnesota should engage in the production of wood pulp and the manufacture of paper by the inmates of the state reformatory, St. Cloud, a preliminary meeting has been called by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor.

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Minnesota will double its output of canned goods this season, according to a report filed by Inspector August J. Anderson of the State Dairy and Food department, with Commissioner J. J. Farrell. Sweet corn is the principal output.

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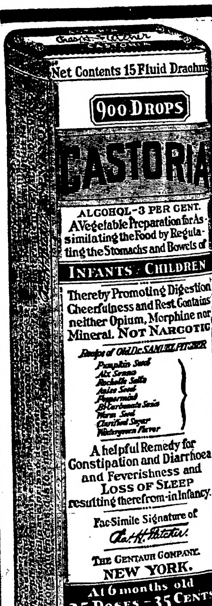
The applications for clemency of Walter J. Smith, former state treasurer, and Robert B. Picket, former state investment clerk, now serving indeterminate sentences in the state prison for misappropriation, have been denied by the state pardon board.



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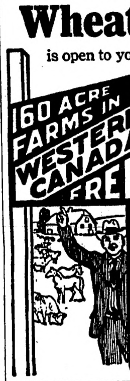

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Undoubtedly.

A party from the west of England was being shown over the British museum and in one of the rooms the keeper pointed out a collection of antique vases which had been recently unearthed.

"Do you mean they were dug up?" echoed one of the party.

"Yes, sir."

"What—out of the ground?"

"Undoubtedly."

"What—just as they now are?"

"Perhaps some little pains have been taken in cleaning them, but in all other respects they were found just as you see them."

The countryman turned to one of his companions and, with an incredulous shake of the head, whispered:

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In Bed.

John—I'm going to kill that mosquito.

Wife—Don't bother, John.

John—You think I want to be bitten just as I doze off?

Wife—But they always buzz first. They buzz like a telephone.

John—Yes, and like a telephone buzz, they don't buzz till the connection's been made."—Chaparral.

Just So.

"What do you think of fish crops for farmers?"

"Just the thing. Then the hired man could excuse himself for going fishing at a busy season on the ground that he was fish harvesting."

Revised.

"Did he tell you all the bright things his youngsters have been saying?"

"Yes."

"What did you say?"

"I told him children should be seen and not heard from."

Being a fool and knowing it is the prelude to wisdom.

Tons of Gold Dollars.

The statement that there has just been counted in New York, at the United States assay office, the enormous sum of $765,000,000 in gold may be visualized somewhat when this is translated into ounces, pounds and tons, writes Girard in the Philadelphia Ledger.

While it has been asserted that this sum probably is the largest amount of gold coin and bullion ever accumulated in one place, it is well to remember that only so recently as a year ago there was said to be $800,000,000 in gold and bullion in the Russian State bank.

The sum in New York figures out something like this. There are approximately 39,000,000 ounces or 3,000,000 pounds or 1,946 tons. The figures are not exact.

DR J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Marine Life.

According to C. R. Shoemaker of the United States National museum, the Danish West Indies offer an interesting field for study in marine life. In one of his expeditions to St. Thomas he found among other specimens, great numbers of a beautiful dark purplish red crab and many species of small, vividly-colored fish swimming about the coral. These were in shades of red and blue, and through the clear waters were beautiful objects.

Rastus as Detective.

Rapid disappearance of coal from his bin alarmed Major Higgins and he determined to trace it. He questioned the man who tended his garden.

"George," he asked, "where do you reckon my coal has disappeared to?" George scratched his head thoughtfully. "Well, sir," he replied, "Ah—ah—ah reckon them squirrels done took it. Yes, squirrels, Major Higgins. That was nut coal, sir."

From a mother's point of view it is always the sins of the father that are visited on the children.

A little red riding hood these days means an auto hat.

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How Much the Little Heroes Need Our Help!

It is less theatrical to give a bowl of soup to a hungry, frightened little child than to stanch the wound of a fallen soldier in the fighting line, but the American Red Cross has undertaken to care for the suffering civilians in war-torn Europe as well as to nurse the wounded fighters. These little ones are just as heroic, in their way, as any man who charges the German guns. And the children are often wounded, too.

Here is an extract from a letter written by Mrs. Marian Bonsall Davis, who was for six months a volunteer worker in France, among those noncombatants who are almost hourly in danger from German guns and bombs:

"Because so many bombs fall on the town of Nancy, and because the place is sometimes bombarded, the children all know that on a certain signal they must run into the cellar of the nearest house marked with the great red cross. There, perhaps, they will have protection.

"There are children in the hospitals, victims of the bombs. There is one little girl, both legs taken off by a German bomb, hugging tight her dolly, with never a smile on her grave face.

"There are two little boys who also suffered amputations because of the bombs. They begged to be allowed to lie in the hospital ward with the wounded soldiers, and when the soldiers heard of the request they smiled and said "bien!" (It is well.) And now the little fellows are inordinately proud of the mutilations that permit them to lie in the ward of crippled soldiers, the equals in rank of the heroes of battle.

"Then there are the little ones in the refugee colonies. If you have helped with your money, with service, to carry the world-burden, you can look into their eyes; otherwise you turn your head when they gaze at you with child wisdom.

"These little ones are very like other children except in one thing—no horrible thing can ever surprise them. Their baby eyes have looked upon the unspeakable. They have gazed on violence and wrath in their most perverted forms, have seen their grandparents hunted and driven, their mothers hunted down. They are too young to know that these things are not a common part of life. And they are so much older than you in knowledge of violence and suffering and terror, yet because you are so big, and seem to them wise, they look up to you in child appeal.

"When you have seen that from these little ones, you have touched the war; and when you have touched the war, there is only one kind of relief possible to you—and that is to help. There is a very definite, practical way to help—the American Red Cross. Every cent you give will go further than you ever would believe that a cent could go. A cent will give a bowl of soup to a hungry, frightened child."

O'CONNOR, RED CROSS CHASER OF CYCLONES

The world is full of rainbow chasers, but the one and only official cyclone chaser is John J. O'Connor, director of the central division of the American Red Cross, with headquarters at Chicago. The Red Cross Magazine has graphically told how he personally administered relief at Newcastle and New Albany, Ind., when those cities were wrecked by storms. But it is not generally known that, beginning with the disaster at Mattoon and Charleston, where 90 lives were lost, Mr. O'Connor directed relief work in 55 communities scattered over seven states! Not only did he get calls for help from several of the nine states then in his division, but Washington ordered him to take over the cyclone relief work in Kansas and Oklahoma, which ordinarily are administered from Denver.

MAKE YOUR CHOICE—IT'S RED CROSS OR IRON CROSS

One of the most striking phrases expressive of the duty of every American to uphold the Red Cross is that of J. Roe Purchase, editor of a trade paper in Chicago. Here is what he tells his readers:

"You'd better bear the Red Cross burden now than bear the Iron Cross burden all the rest of your life."

Never was spoken a truer word. The first appeal of the Red Cross was for $100,000,000, which means about $1 per capita. This fund is for the care of sick and wounded soldiers, and the destitute in war-desolated lands.

But when the German heel is stamped down upon a land—Belgium, Serbia, Poland, Roumania, France—as far as the crown prince has been able to go—there is no such thing as a contribution; it is confiscation. Why, more money has been ravished from the one city of Brussels than the Red Cross asked for its whole first year campaign. Millions of dollars in "fines" are taken from every Belgian city every month. Only a few weeks ago a fine of millions was imposed on Brussels because a newspaper published by Belgians in England had printed a story of German savagery.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate Of Mathias Olson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the of Estate of Mathias Olson Decedent.

The State Of Minnesota To Antonette Olson, Oscar A. Olson, Amalia Roe, Julius C. Olson, Martin T. Olson, John A. Olson, Alfred C. Olson, Emma M. Mattson, Otto W. Olson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Antonette Olson having been filed in this court, representing that Mathias Olson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 17th day of September 1913; and praying that letters of administration on his estate be granted to Antonette Olson, and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU, and EACH of YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of August 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 5th day of July 1917.

Peter H. Holm
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.
A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. June 30, 1917.

Notice is hereby that Carl J. Stenerson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., R. 2, who on March 16th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07492, for NE 1-4, Sec. 15, Township 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witness:

Halvor Moe, Martin Samson, Gunder Brokke, Peter Anderson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn., R. 2.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota June 30, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Halvor Moe, of Thief River Falls, Minn. R. 2, who on Dec. 28th 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07104, for NW 1-4, Section 15, Twp 155 N. Ran. 42 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Carl Stenerson, Martin Samson, Gunder Brokke, Peter Anderson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn. R. 2.

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Have You Kidney Trouble

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Worse Than Work.

"After a man has loafed awhile," said Uncle Eben, "he generally decides dat he'd rather go to work dan be so lonesome."

Trade at home.

Be a booster, the selfish never yet built up a town.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rauehmann Saturday last.

The U. S. Navy is still calling for men to run ships that are ready and waiting.

Mrs. Melquist and baby went to Erskine Monday to visit relatives and friends.

Save and make money by trading in Holt. See the goods before you buy and pay for them.

Many recipes can be gotten for canning without sugar, and the fruit will keep too. Try it.

Tuesday, July 24, has been designated as the annual visiting and inspection day at the Northwest Experiment Station at Crookston. On that day the various experiments will be viewed by experts from St. Paul. Good speakers will be there, and farmers and their wives are invited to attend.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said, "Take tonoline.

Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

"What tonoline really did for me I cannot say. I am so grateful that I am very willing to recommend tonoline publicly."

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Send me by return mail a 50c box of your celebrated flesh builder. I enclose 10c to help pay postage and packing.

Red Cross meeting Monday night.

Boost for Holt, first, last and all the time. Boost.

School election Saturday July 21st at 7 o'clock P. M.

The Pennington Co. fair will be held August 1, 2 and 3.

Dr. Brandenberg went to Duluth Tuesday to visit at the home of his daughter.

The Rosewood farmers club will have a big picnic Sunday afternoon. See announcement in this paper

Can, preserve or dry all fruit and vegetables not needed for immediate use. Save the waste and win the war.

Elmer Haggland returned home Wednesday from Grand Forks accompanied by his cousin Master Albert Tufte.

Miss Beatha Nelson and her guest Miss Martha Larson of Grand Forks, departed Tuesday for a visit with friends at Maple Bay and Fertile.

The auto run leading thru this place that was suggested for last Sunday by the T. R. Falls News-Press, was taken advantage of, by several joy riders of that place and this will undoubtedly lead to others coming this way. There should be co-operation between all cities and villages in this way.

The Red Cross needs your help.

In years gone by, our grandmothers used to dry their surplus fruits and vegetables. That is one of the ways now recommended to solve the food problem.

Summer heat has the same effect on fertile eggs as the hen or incubator, and spoils them quickly. Kill or pen your rooster, now that the hatching season is over, and your eggs will keep much longer.

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If you need KIDNECO, and have never used it, please send the Coupon below. Do this in justice to yourself and we will help you to get well. This offer itself should convince you that KIDNECO will do what we claim. Certainly, we would not give them to you if we had any doubt of results. You certainly want to be well and should in justice to yourself send this Coupon today.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Trade in Holt and get rich.

Dr. Turley, dentist, Aug. 6th.

Meet with the Red Cross to-night.

Ground feed for sale at the Red Lake Falls elevator..

Mrs. J. M. Swan visited relatives in Thief River Falls, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken visited at the Dr. Spinks home in Middle River Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Odin Olson and two children of Grand Forks came Saturday to visit at the C. H. Gunheim home.

Mrs. Henry Bjerk and two children of Benwood came Tuesday to visit Mrs. R. Reierson for a few days.

Mrs. Willie Werner and baby of Thief River Falls visited over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson.

Oscar Hanson has another farm hand. He arrived Saturday and mother and baby are reported as doing nicely and papa Hanson is as proud as can be.

Mrs. Gus Johnson and baby and Mrs. John Hegstad and little son, all of Badger, came Saturday to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson, for a few days.

LOST: A log chain, Friday July 13th, somewhere on the road between my place and Holt. Finder please return to me or leave it at the printing office and oblige,

C. O. Saastad.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bennes and children of T. R. Falls, came Wednesday to visit at the Albert Bennes home. They were accompanied by Miss Ida Bennes and Miss Sollom both of Fertile who will visit here a couple of weeks.

Mrs. H. Pavek and baby came Saturday night to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg. The Pavek family moved this week to Gardena, N. D., a village 29 miles west of his former station at Fonda. Mrs. Pavek left Wednesday morning for their new home.

Aryid and A. L. Carlson returned home Wednesday from Minneapolis and report a pleasant visit, a fine trip and generally good roads. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Carlson and little daughter of Minneapolis came home with them for a visit here and at Newfolden with their son and brother.

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Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 11 o'clock A. M.

The Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement next Wednesday Aug. 1st. Everyone invited.

The Army Draft

Everyone who registered June 5th comes under the draft law and will be called in the order their number was drawn at Washington last Friday and Saturday. Just before the drawing commenced it was found that in some places, particularly in New Jersey, that the names had not been shuffled or mixed according to instructions before having been numbered serially. So it was decided to draw all the numbers at that time and save the work and expense of a second or more drawings. The numbers were then mixed so that they do not follow in rotation, and are the same for all the states and territories, and the drawing was done as fairly as it is possible to do. The first number drawn was 258. The holder of that number in Marshall county is Henry Gust Walhaupt of Comstock township. If about 400 names are needed to make up Marshall county's quota of 179 men, they will be called in the order their numbers were drawn. We understand those drawn for the first draft will be notified when to appear for examination. No one is exempt until he has received his discharge by the local board, which is composed of the county auditor, sheriff and a physician.

Dr. Turley, August the sixth.

You can help suffering humanity by giving to the Red Cross.

Mrs. T. O. Saastad visited in T. R. Falls, returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. Anton Peterson and children of T. R. Falls came Monday to visit relatives and friends.

B. Docken closed a deal this week for the sale of a Beltrami county quarter to parties in Stevens county.

Ole Hammernes has sold Fords to both Clarence Docken and Olaf Halvorson, within the past few days.

Mrs. Henry Peterson and children of Thief River Falls came last week Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Strom.

Marcus Johnson and S. M. Sivertson, president and treasurer of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., were here Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunheim and children and Mrs. Odin Olson and children autoed to Fork Saturday to spend Sunday with Mrs. Gunheim's sister, Mrs. I. Arness and family.

Fred Ewald has sold his farm, live stock, machinery and all household goods, etc., to Ed O'Hara, of T. R. Falls, who gets immediate possession of all, also with the growing crops.

Erick Hagen, from near Greenbush, came Saturday to visit at the homes of T. O. and C. O. Saastad. The gentlemen were neighbors in the old country and very much enjoy this visit.

P. A. Riesberg has three acres of dent corn that will average five or six feet high and the most of it is tasseled out. Mr. Riesberg says it is the best piece of corn he has seen around here.

According to a ruling of the post-office department, no kind of liquor advertising has a right to be circulated thru the mails of this or any other local option county in the state, and such matter will be barred from the mail. Beltrami county's local option election last August has been declared illegal by the state supreme court on account of some Indians voting who were not citizens. The wets carried the county by 19 votes.

Southeast of Holt.

Engebreth Moe of Golden Valley was a guest at the home of his father S. Moe, the first of the week.

Mrs. P. Michaelson was a Sunday afternoon visitor at G. A. Soiney's.

The Ose young people autoed down to Grygla on Sunday.

Mrs. Tarkel Freisness entertained the Ladies Aid on Thursday of last week.

The Misses Ella, Tillie and Inga Oftedahl, and the Messrs John and Pete Oftereahl autoed down from T. R. Falls and spent Sunday visiting at the S. Moe home.

Knute Gunderson of Shauawan Sask, Canada is a visitor at the Nels Sordahl home.

The Messrs Arthur Thouvick, Carl Guttrud and Alfred Klungness and the Misses Amanda Klungness and Ida Guttrud autoed Saturday to Union, N. D. and other points for a short visit.

Red Cross News

Save the Waste, and Win the War.

Come to Red Cross meeting in the hall to-night (Friday).

Mrs. R. L. Olson and Mrs. B. Docken were appointed at the Red Cross meeting Monday evening to solicit donations for the society and everyone will be given a chance to help in this work for the good of humanity. Another meeting will be held to-night, in the Woodman hall to complete the work of organization. All the ladies are invited to be present also as their advice is needed.

Farmers are busy "haying."

Fred Ewald was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday.

Dr. Turley will be here Monday, Aug. 6th to do dental work.

C. O. Saastad and Erick Hagen visited at Carl Larson's Sunday.

Elling Tollesfsrud is again hauling the mail on the Golden Valley route.

Dr. R. L. Olson and family visited at the home of his brother Ole Olson near Middle River, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and Mrs. Dagny Halvorson visited at the Arthur Olson home Monday evening.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain at the church basement on Wednesday afternoon, August 1st.

Clarence Docken, P. L. Anderson and Willie Bakke autoed to Maple Lake Saturday evening and spent Sunday there.

Carl Brekkestran is driving a new Dort auto. He has the agency for this car and will probably sell several of them before the season closes.

T. E. Ellestead was re-elected president of the school board at the annual meeting, held last Saturday night. A tax of $3500.00 was voted for the general fund, also it was voted to have a deep well drilled, to furnish drinking water.

Messrs. Baumgartner and Sanderson, farm loan examiners, from Winona were here Saturday and Sunday looking over the country with a view of making farm loans in connection with the Holt State Bank. They seemed to be very much pleased with this section of the country and its future prospects.

Notice!

Bids For Drilling Well

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received up to to 7 o'clock P. M. of Aug. 9th 1917, for the drilling of a 4 inch well and furnishing casing, pump and everything complete, on the school ground in District No. 148 of Marshall county, Minnesota.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Information as to specifications will be furnished by the Clerk, to whom all bids should be sent.

W. A. Silbaugh, Clerk,
Holt, Minn.
School District No. 148.

Notice

Bids for Janitor

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the School Board of School Dist. No. 35, Marshall Co. Minn. for the position of Janitor of the school, up to Aug. 4, 1917 at 5 o'clock P. M., as per terms and agreement on file in the office of the Clerk of said District. Bids to be filed with the Clerk. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated July 24, 1917.

B. Docken, Clerk,
Dist. No. 35.

Notice for Bids

Drilling Well

Notice is hereby given that the school board of School District No. 35, of Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive bids for the drilling of a 4 inch well on the school grounds of said district, as per plans and specifications now on file in the office of the Clerk of said school district. Bids must be filed with the Clerk of said District, on or before 5 o'clock P. M. of Aug. 4th 1917.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated July 24th, 1917.

B. Docken, Clerk,
Dist. No. 35.

Notice for Bids

Transportation of Pupils

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the school board of School District No. 35, Marshall County, Minnesota, for the transportation of pupils to and from the school house in said District as per plans and schedules of routes now on file with the Clerk of said District. Bids will be received for transportation over three routes. Bids must be filed with the said Clerk up to 5 o'clock P. M. August 4th, 1917.

The school board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated July 24th, 1917.

B. Docken, Clerk,
Dist. No. 35.

Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., July 10, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Melvin Olson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Jan. 11th 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05811, for S 1-2 SW 1-4 Sec 15, N 1-2 NW 1-4 Sec. 22, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land, above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 21st day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Andrew Olson, Lenny Olson, Joseph Rankin all of Middle River, Minn., Edwin G. Johnson, of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice to Teachers

Examination for Common School Certificates.

The State Teachers' Examination will be given at Warren, Minn., on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, July 30th and 31st, and August 1st.

The examination in the second grade subjects will be given on the first two days. The First grade subjects will be given on Wednesday.

David Johnson,
Supt. of Schools.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota July 2, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Peter Anderson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who on January 27th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07209, for SW 1-4, Section 15, Township 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Carl Stenerson, Halvor Moe, Martin Samson and Christ Nelson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

This is a good time to make war on the fly. Swat him good.

The Navy is Uncle Sam's first line of defense. It offers every man an opportunity to serve his country in any of the trades or professions.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.38
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Flax	2.76
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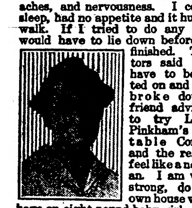
A FRIEND'S ADVICE

Woman Saved From a Serious Surgical Operation.

Louisville, Ky.—"For four years I suffered from female troubles, headaches, and nervousness. I could not sleep, had no appetite and it hurt me to walk. If I tried to do any work, I would have to lie down before it was finished. The doctors said I would have to be operated on and I simply broke down. A friend advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and the result is I feel like a new woman. I am well and strong, do all my own house work and have an eight pound baby girl. I know Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved me from an operation which every woman dreads."—Mrs. NELLIE FISHBACK, 1521 Christy Ave., Louisville, Ky.



Everyone naturally dreads the surgeon's knife. Sometimes nothing else will do, but many times Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has saved the patient and made an operation unnecessary.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free.

IDEA JUST SUITED DR. HALE

Famous Minister Declares That He Had Always Wanted His Church Called "The Exeter Club."

The sexton of Edward Everett Hale's church suffered from that convenient form of deafness that prevented a man from hearing what he does not wish to hear and enables him to hear what he does wish to hear. Occasionally, when sweeping the sidewalk in front of the church, some stranger would ask him for information, and his usual answer was a wave of the hand. "I'm totally deaf, totally deaf. You will have to ask someone in the church."

It often happened that Doctor Hale, in the midst of a busy day, would find the luncheon hour at hand and an important appointment still unmet. It was his custom to invite his caller into his study and ask the janitress to make an oyster stew. The sexton resented Doctor Hale's informality.

The time came for a new sign to be placed on the front of the church, and Doctor Hale and the assistant pastor were standing in the vestry aisle discussing just what the wording of it should be. To their surprise the conversation was suddenly interrupted by the deaf sexton, who stood far enough away to make doubtful the ability of a normal person's overhearing what had been said. "I'll tell you what to put on that sign!" he exclaimed. "'Come in! Everybody welcome! Meals served at all hours of the day and night!'"

"All right," said Doctor Hale quickly, "That's what we will do. I've always wanted to call the church 'The Exeter Club!'"—Youth's Companion.

The Essential Spirit.

"Can you recite the Declaration of Independence?"

"No," replied the man in khaki. "All I can remember is, 'When in the course of human events it becomes necessary.' And I expect soon to land somewhere in France to ascertain what's necessary and then attend to it."—Washington Evening Star.

Getting Theirs.

Marley—Here's a prominent woman giving the bachelors an awful calldown.

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After a man has made his pile he believes in himself.

Whole Wheat and Malted Barley skillfully blended and processed make Grape-Nuts a most delicious food in flavor as well as a great body, brain and nerve builder. "There's a Reason"

SELECTIVE ARMY HAS BEEN DRAWN AT WASHINGTON

Order for Liability for Service Established by Historic Lottery.

258 FIRST NUMBER OUT

Secretary Baker Takes Out Initial Number—Drawing Continues All Day Friday and Throughout Night.

Long List of Numbers Given in Order as Drawn, From Which Those Who Will Be Called to Serve in First Army Will Be Selected.

Washington, July 21.—The drawing for the big United States army was not completed until early Saturday morning. The drawing began at 9:45 Friday morning, and continued throughout the day and night. Altogether 10,500 numbers were drawn from the big fish bowl. It was officially stated that the first 1,000 numbers drawn represented more than 1,000,000 men, and it is not considered probable that men representing any number drawn after the first 2,000 will be called before any exemption board for the first army. The first eight numbers were drawn respectively by Secretary of War Baker, Senator Chamberlain of the senate military committee, Congressman Dent of the house military committee, Senator Warren and Representative Kahn, ranking minority members of the senate and house military committees; Maj. Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, acting chief of staff of the army; Maj. Gen. Enoch Crowder, provost marshal of the army; and Major General McCain, adjutant general of the army. After the first eight numbers had been drawn the regular tellers took hold, and worked through until the long task was completed.

In only a small number of the largest districts will the numbers above a few thousand affect registrants. Of the 4,557 registration districts throughout the country the largest has something over 10,200 numbers, while the smallest has only about 185, and the average is about 3,000. As the drawing proceeded, 157 numbers were withdrawn before one low enough to affect the smallest district came out. It was 126, placing 4,557 men numbered 126 on their local lists as 157th in order of liability.

The following list shows the numbers in the order in which they were drawn. The first number in each case represents the order in which the second, or red-ink registry, number was taken from the bowl. Four numbers are given in each line. Beginning with the first number, which was drawn by Secretary Baker.

1—258	2—2522	3—9613	4—4532
5—10218	6—458	7—2403	8—10015
9—9899	10—8934	11—1436	12—2624
13—4762	14—854	15—6985	16—7183
17—6597	18—5977	19—1894	20—4614
21—4501	22—9922	23—1878	24—4142
25—4063	26—10425	27—9018	28—6251
29—6423	30—9136	31—3257	32—6799
33—10240	34—6767	35—1095	36—8666
37—2022	38—3383	39—6551	40—6952
41—9420	42—3383	43—9258	44—4306
45—4320	46—7103	47—9852	48—4881
49—1453	50—3679	51—6183	52—3755
53—783	54—1813	55—8462	56—2787
57—1858	58—8239	59—2389	60—10385
61—5034	62—7269	63—8904	64—5706
65—3567	66—3637	67—9933	68—5227
69—1752	70—5497	71—8836	72—8596
73—4520	74—2494	75—6463	76—4137
77—5885	78—3674	79—5939	80—5769
81—3200	82—3082	83—6181	84—6809
85—3505	86—1117	87—8343	88—1572
89—5897	90—2762	91—9594	92—1748
93—5988	94—7952	95—9316	96—2195
97—4487	98—8159	99—839	100—5019
101—9369	102—7730	103—2036	104—8671
105—5997	106—7376	107—10254	108—337
109—5810	110—676	111—6446	112—6768
113—7355	114—275	115—6047	116—6833
117—6259	118—9985	119—4410	120—3827
121—509	122—1185	123—564	124—4056
125—10088	126—5637	127—2166	128—945
129—1913	130—8806	131—10496	132—596
133—10070	134—5980	135—3543	136—5830
137—3067	138—2620	139—2936	140—9309
141—1287	142—4433	143—3746	144—5510
145—2148	146—536	147—3812	148—1495
149—2453	150—7191	151—3640	152—10093
153—10242	154—7753	155—648	156—126
157—3070	158—7319	159—7025	160—9149
161—1679	162—5878	163—9453	164—3604
165—3331	166—7719	167—1237	168—784
169—1732	170—755	171—107	172—3786
173—5773	174—6926	175—1546	176—1563
177—2099	178—8512	179—1369	180—9352
181—8843	182—2691	183—4658	184—9726
185—6206	186—616	187—6087	188—373
189—4294	190—1676	191—1266	192—1891
193—8135	194—775	195—3183	196—2684
197—8412	198—7327	199—3557	200—3159
201—7282	202—8685	203—486	204—3499
205—692	206—3721	207—600	208—8381
209—8256	210—9221	211—4805	212—3496
213—7579	214—1986	215—10135	216—3539
217—8238	218—6832	219—8784	220—4701
221—810	222—4097	223—4644	224—8697
225—4189	226—9364	227—1539	228—9636
229—10334	230—7510	231—10036	232—2549
233—1682	234—4712	235—5338	236—507
237—5316	238—10500	239—7196	240—6874
241—6689	242—6218	243—8691	244—3553
245—[illegible]	246—9583	247—6484	248—309
249—[illegible]	250—10267	251—437	252—2967
253—4089	254—3254	255—3586	256—9072
257—1324	258—8047	259—604	260—7851
261—3317	262—5442	263—8750	264—4268
265—4807	266—3359	267—8589	268—43
269—8614	270—9930	271—9567	272—10390
273—4620	274—3706	275—5180	276—2181
277—7998	278—3852	279—8029	280—4763
281—4940	282—9051	283—6229	284—1548
285—1062	286—1066	287—5748	288—924
289—9234	290—9302	291—5447	292—8823
293—10024	294—2455	295—4920	296—2501
297—7335	298—3992	299—7556	300—3340
301—7975	302—420	303—1014	304—4115
305—7748	306—9216	307—1178	308—5608

BAKER OPENS DRAFT DRAWING

Secretary of War Explains Briefly the Care Taken in Arrangements.

Washington.—Secretary Baker made a short address in opening the selective army drawing ceremonies. He said:

"We have met this morning to conduct the lot or draft by which the national army and such additions as may be necessary to bring the regular army and the National guard up to war strength, are to be selected. This is an occasion of very great dignity and some solemnity. It represents the first application of a principle, believed by many of us to be thoroughly democratic, equal and fair in selecting soldiers to defend the national honor abroad and at home.

"I take this occasion to say that every step has been most honestly studied with a view not only to preserving throughout the utmost fairness in the selection, but also to preserve all those appearances of fairness which are necessary to satisfy the country that this great selection has been made in accordance with every principle of justice.

"There are assembled here this morning, in addition to officers of the army, who are going to conduct for the most part the mechanical part of the work, the chief of staff, the adjutant general and other men high in the military establishment, and the drawing is to be held under the observation of the senate and house military committees, so that both the executive and legislative branches of the government are here to see that fairness is given to every person."

How Odd.

Mother (of six daughters)—Just think of it! They took away our pianola because the installment was only one day overdue, and the installment people are our very next door neighbors, too.

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POISON GAS FOR HIGHWAYMEN

Army Man Invents Device Designed to Prevent Robbers From Entering Railway Car.

It would be a sad gang of robbers who tried to break into the railway car invented by George W. Meyers of the United States army and described in the Popular Science Monthly. They would be greeted with clouds of poisonous gas fumes.

Meyers' robber-proof car works with extreme simplicity. Two tanks, in which fumes of cyanide of potassium are stored, under pressure, are fitted inside the car at each end. These are connected with a perforated pipe which extends all around the door of the car, just in back of the outer framework. Should the train be held up, the locomotive engineer would telephone the guards within the car, who would immediately open the valves of the tank. The fumes would stream out through the pipe perforations and into the robbers' faces. The door being gas-tight, the deadly gas could not penetrate the car.

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In His Pocket.

To prevent private automobiles entering the road at Fort Benjamin Harrison leading past the quartermaster's office, and interfering with government hauling, a civilian employee has been placed at the junction of the quartermaster's road with the main road entering the post from the south. It is his job to permit only automobiles bearing Q. M. D. signs to pass him, says the Indianapolis News.

The other day an automobile, plainly a private machine and driven by a liveried chauffeur, turned down the forbidden road.

"Hey, where you goin'? Have you got a pass?" shouted the traffic man.

The chauffeur nodded "Yes."

"Where you got it?" the traffic "cop" continued.

"I've got it here in my pocket," the chauffeur replied.

"All right, then, go ahead," the traffic "cop" ordered, and the chauffeur winked as he shifted gears and started down the road.

Funny Big Boy Scouts.

Two Ohio members of the officers' reserve corps at Fort Benjamin Harrison were walking along East Tenth street, near the technical high school campus, two weeks ago. They passed a group of small boys, who gazed, so the men thought, in tremendous admiration and awe. Just as the near-officers-maybe puffed out their chests in just pride, one of the young irrepressibles shouted:

"Oh, Jimmy, look at the funny big Boy Scouts."—Indianapolis News.

Companions in Suffering.

"I'm glad this car isn't heavy enough to hurt you," said Mr. Chuggins to the man he had run over.

"It's mighty uncomfortable under there, just the same."

"I know it. But think of me! I have spent hours under that car trying to fix it."

Cool Food on a Hot Day! Bobby SAYS TRY Post Toasties for lunch! THE NEW CORN FLAKES

EXEMPTION RULES ARE MADE PUBLIC

Directions for Registered Men Given Step by Step.

ALL CLAIMS UNDER OATH

Industrial Needs and Dependents Are Chief Basis on Which Draft May Be Avoided—Make Claims in Person.

Washington.—Provost Marshal General Crowder has issued complete instructions for the men registered under the selective conscription law. So that everyone will understand just what is to be done, he gives the directions, step by step, as follows:

1. LOCAL BOARDS—In every county in the United States and for every city of over 30,000 there are one or more local exemption boards. Each of such boards is in charge of the registration cards of persons registered in the area, over which the board has jurisdiction, and has jurisdiction of all claims for exemption, except those based on industrial grounds. FIND OUT WHAT BOARD HAS YOUR CARD AND WHERE THE OFFICE OF THAT BOARD IS.

2. DISTRICT BOARDS—In every federal judicial district there are one or more district boards, having appellate jurisdiction over a number of local boards and having original jurisdiction of claims for exemption on industrial grounds. IF YOU INTEND TO MAKE A CLAIM ON INDUSTRIAL GROUNDS, INCLUDING AGRICULTURE, LEARN WHAT DISTRICT BOARD TO APPLY TO.

Meaning of Numbers.

3. RED INK SERIAL NUMBERS—Every board has numbered the cards in its jurisdiction with red ink in a series running from 1 to the number representing the total number of cards in its jurisdiction. Lists showing the names of persons in the jurisdiction of each board and the red ink number of each are open to inspection at the office of each board. INSPECT THE LIST AND INFORM YOURSELF OF YOUR RED INK SERIAL NUMBER.

4. ORDER OF LIABILITY—These red ink numbers are to be drawn by lot to determine the order in which registered persons are to be called by the various local boards. As soon as the drawing is complete lists showing the order in which these red ink numbers are drawn will be published in the press, and will be posted at the office of each local board. GO TO YOUR LOCAL BOARD AND FIND OUT THE ORDER IN WHICH YOU STAND FOR CALL.

5. As soon as quotas are assigned to each state and each board, each board will call upon persons whose cards are in its jurisdiction instructing them to present themselves for examination. This call will be posted at the office of the local board and the papers will be requested to print it. A notice will also be mailed to you, but the posting of the list at the office of the board will be deemed sufficient notice to charge you with the duty of presenting yourself. The law therefore makes it your duty to inform yourself when you are called. The mailing is for your convenience, but if the letter never reaches you you cannot make that an excuse.

Watch the lists at the office of your board and see when you are called for examination.

6. Physical examination—you must report for physical examination on the day named in your call.

If you are found physically disqualified the board will give you a certificate which will explain to you what your further duties are.

If you are found physically qualified and file a claim for exemption within seven days after your call you will be given ten days after filing your claim of exemption to file proof in support of your claim of exemption. See (VII) below.

Watch for Your Name.

If you are found physically qualified and file no claim for exemption, or if you do not appear for physical examination, your name will be posted to the district board as one who was called for military service and was not exempted or discharged. On the eighth day after call, or within two days thereafter, copies of the list of persons so posted to the district boards will be given to the press with a request for publication, will be posted in a place at the office of the local board accessible to the public view, and notice will be mailed to you at the address on your registration card.

THEREFORE WATCH THE NOTICES POSTED IN THE OFFICE OF THE BOARD ABOUT TEN DAYS AFTER THE DAY YOU WERE CALLED AND MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE PROMPT RECEIPT OF MAIL.

7. EXEMPTION OR DISCHARGE. No claim or discharge on account of the industry in which you are engaged can be decided by a local board. (See Par. XV, below.)

WHETHER YOU FILE A CLAIM OF EXEMPTION OR NOT, YOU MUST PRESENT YOURSELF FOR PHYSICAL EXAMINATION ON THE DAY NAMED IN THE NOTICE.

From the day notice that you are called is mailed and posted you have seven days in which you may file a claim of exemption or discharge. The form for filing this claim is simple. If you wish to file such a claim—

Go to the board and get Form 110 for exemption or Form 121 for discharge. If the board has not the printed forms ask to consult the form pamphlet and copy the form shown there.

Fill out the proper form and file it with the board.

Do this within seven days of the posting and mailing of notice to you to present yourself.

The following are the only grounds for exemption:

That you are an officer, legislative, executive or judicial of the United States, a state or territory, or the District of Columbia.

That you are a regular or duly ordained minister of religion.

That you were on May 18, 1917, a student preparing for the ministry in any recognized theological or divinity school.

That you are in the military or naval service of the United States.

That you are a subject of Germany, whether you have taken out papers or not.

That you are a resident alien who has not taken out first papers.

In addition to claims for exemption claims for discharge may be made on any of the following grounds, which are the only grounds for discharge by a local board:

That you are a county or municipal officer.

That you are a custom-house clerk.

That you are employed by the United States in the transmission of mails.

That you are an artificer or workman employed in an armory, arsenal or navy yard of the United States.

That you are employed in the service of the United States (under certain conditions). See paragraph (e) of section 20, Regulations.

That you are a licensed pilot regularly employed in the pursuit of your vocation.

That you are a mariner actually employed in the sea service of any citizen or merchant within the United States.

That you are a married man with a wife or child dependent on you for support.

That you have aged or infirm parents dependent upon your labor for support.

That you have a widowed mother dependent on your labor for support.

That you are the father of a motherless child under sixteen dependent upon your labor for support.

That you are a brother of an orphan child or children under sixteen dependent on your labor for support.

That you are a member of any well-recognized religious sect or organization organized and existent May 17, 1917, and whose then existing creed or principles forbade its members to participate in war in any form and whose religious convictions are against war or participation therein in accordance with the creed or principles of said religious organization.

These are the only grounds for exemption or discharge by a local board.

Another person can file a claim in your behalf, but must use different forms in filing the claim.

8. Proof of claims—Your claim of exemption or discharge must be filed within seven days of the day on which notice to you that you are called was posted and mailed. But after you have filed your claim for exemption or discharge you have ten days within which to file proof.

The method of proving claims is very simple, but it is rather exact. If you follow the rules given below you will have done what is required of you:

(a) Go to the local board and consult the regulations to find out the form number of the affidavits that you must submit for your particular claim.

(b) Ask the board for the blank affidavits that are necessary in presenting your proof; if the board has not the forms, ask to consult the pamphlet of forms.

(c) Have the affidavits properly accomplished and return them to the board within the time limit assigned you—ten days from the filing of your claim.

Remember:

(a) You must submit your proof in the prescribed form and the board has no authority to exempt or discharge you unless you submit all the affidavits required by regulations.

(b) There will be no argument before the board and no proof other than the prescribed affidavits, unless the board calls for other proof, which it will do in only a limited number of cases.

Action as to Claims.

9. WHEN CLAIMS ARE DECIDED. Every claim for discharge or exemption will be decided by the local board within three days after your affidavits have been filed.

10. CERTIFICATES OF EXEMPTION OR DISCHARGE—If your claim is allowed, a certificate of exemption or discharge will be issued to you.

Remember:

(a) This certificate may be recalled at any time.

(b) If it is temporary or conditional it becomes of no effect when the time or the condition named is fulfilled.

(c) You have been drawn for military service and when the condition that has postponed your posting to the colors ceases you may be recalled at any time.

(d) Remember that your case may still be appealed to the district board by the government, and on this appeal your certificate may be withdrawn at once. When so withdrawn you stand precisely as though you had been selected for military service by the local board.

11. ADVERSE DECISIONS ON CLAIM—If your claim is disallowed by the local board your name will be certified and sent by the local board to the district board as one who has been called for military service and not exempted or discharged. Within two days thereafter, if practicable, a list of those so certified to the district board will be given to the press with a request for publication, will be posted in the offices of the local board accessible to the public view, and notice will be mailed to the address on the registration card.

Therefore, if you have filed a claim for exemption and proof in support thereof watch the notices in the office of the local board, beginning about five days after you have filed your proof, to see what disposition was made of your case and make arrangements for the prompt receipt of mail.

Carrying Up Appeals.

12. HOW TO CLAIM APPEALS TO DISTRICT BOARDS—Claims of appeal may be made by a person within ten days after the day when notice has been posted and mailed that such person's name has been certified to the district board as one who has been called for service and not exempted or discharged.

Therefore if you desire to appeal—

(a) Go to the local board and get or copy form 153 or 154 for filing your claim of appeal.

(b) Get or copy also form 151 or 152 for notifying the district board of appeal.

(c) File your claim of appeal (153 or 154) with the local board.

(d) Send your notice of appeal (form 151 or 152) to the district board.

(e) Do this within ten days from the day when notice that your name was certified to the district board was posted and mailed.

Remember:

(a) You can only appeal the final order of the board exempting or discharging or refusing to exempt or discharge you. You cannot appeal other orders or actions of the local board.

13. PROVING YOUR APPEAL—You have five days after the district board receives your notice that you have filed a claim of appeal in which to file evidence additional to that filed by you in the local board, but all such evidence must consist of affidavits.

Reception of Decisions.

14. DECISIONS ON APPEAL—The decision on your appeal must be made within five days of the closing of proof, and you will be notified by mail of the action of the board on your appeal.

15. CLAIMS FOR DISCHARGE ON INDUSTRIAL GROUNDS—Only the district board can receive claims for discharge on the ground that they are engaged in industry, including agriculture, found to be necessary to the maintenance of the military establishment, the effective operation of the military forces, or the maintenance of national interest during the emergency.

Such claims must be filed with the district board on or before the fifth day after the mailing and posting of notice that you have been certified by the local board as one who has been called for service and not exempted or discharged.

If you desire to file such a claim:

(a) Get a copy at the local or district board of form 161 or 161a.

(b) Fill the form out properly.

(c) File it with the district board within five days after the mailing and posting of notice that your name has been certified from the local board to the district board. See section 44, regulations.

16. PROOF IN SUPPORT OF INDUSTRIAL CLAIM—Only affidavits can be used in filing proof before the industrial board of a claim for exemption on industrial grounds. All such affidavits must be filed within five days after the filing of the claim.

Industrial Claim Rulings.

17. DECISIONS ON INDUSTRIAL CLAIM—Within five days after the closing of proof in any industrial claim the district board must decide the claim.

If the decision of the district board is in favor of the claim the board will issue a certificate of discharge. If the decision is against the claim the district boards will so notify you.

Remember that you have been called for military service and that the certificate of the district boad is only conditional on your remaining in the kind of industrial service on account of which you were discharged. No such exemption shall continue when a cause therefor no longer exists and your certificate of discharge may be withdrawn or modified by the district board at any time that the district board shall determine that the circumstances require it.

18. APPEALS TO THE PRESIDENT—Only decisions of district boards on industrial claims for discharge can be appealed.

If you desire to appeal the decision of the district boards to the president, you may do so within seven days of the date of mailing to you of the decision of the district board. To perfect your appeal:

(a) Get or copy from the district or local board Form 163.

(b) Fill out the form and file it with the district board.

(c) Do this within seven days after the mailing of notice to you of the decision of the district board in your case.

19. HOW YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED—As soon as your case is finally disposed of, the adjutant general of your state will notify you by mail that you have been selected for military service.

Your local boards will post a list of all persons selected for military service in a place at the office of the local boards accessible to public view. The local boards will also give lists of persons selected for military service to the press with the requests for publication.

Notice that you have been selected for military service will not necessarily order you into service.

The notice to report for military service will come when the government is ready to receive you.

Naturally.

"The last time I saw Jones he looked to be going down hill very fast."

"Has he fallen in bad health?"

"No; he was coasting on his wheel."

The Main Point.

Young Lawyer—How do you think I acquitted myself in that trial.

Old Friend—Much better than you did your client.

New Method of Waterproofing.

A French scientist has recently recommended a comparatively simple formula for waterproofing shoes and clothing. It is a solution of paraffin and gasoline, the proportion being approximately one avoirdupois ounce of paraffin to one quart of gasoline. For shoes it can be applied warm, with a brush, while clothes can be dipped into it cold. The solution tends to preserve the softness and color of the material. Uniforms can be treated with it without removing the buttons or insignia.

Familiar.

Enthusiastic D. A. R.—Wasn't that a great speech made by the grand old senator, when he so eloquently and tearfully appealed to young Americans to buckle on the armor of patriotism and march forth to battle with the enemies of their country's flag?

Legless Old Soldier—I guess so, lady. I know it sounded blamed familiar. It reminded me of the speech he made to me privately, in the perilous times of 1863, when he coaxed me to be his substitute.—The Lamb.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Very True.

She—It's great fun to flirt with a man till you get him to propose and then say "No."

He—It's fun for the man, too, but he runs a great risk.

She—How?

He—The girl might deceive him and say "Yes."

No Gloves for Her.

"And are Mr. and Mrs. Carnisee working hand in glove together now?"

"Oh, no; she handles him without gloves."

Woman is the nearest perfect when the most womanly.

Worth makes the man, but not his bank account.

Poultry Flocks Smaller.

Reports recently gathered concerning 5,298 flocks of poultry on farms and in small towns in all parts of the country show that the average number of hens per flock this year is 107, as compared with 146 in 1914. This information, which was obtained by an incubator manufacturer in the middle West, indicates that shortage of supply had been an important factor in producing present high prices for poultry and eggs. It appears that a very considerable number of poultry raisers have sacrificed many of their hens for the sake of immediate profits—a policy the effects of which are now being felt by the entire country.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Flesh Color.

The large, portly colored man entered the drug store and looked around uncertainly.

"Young man," he said to the clerk confidentially, "has you got any letter paper and envelopes with flesh-colored borders?"

"Was it mourning paper you wished for, sir?" inquired the clever clerk.

"You's struck it exactly! But I dis remember the name. Gib me a box of it, if you please, sah."

Near Fast

Tim—When is your meeting day?

Tom—Friday.

Tim—That's my meatless day.

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Personal Reports of Real Cases

A MONTANA CASE. Mrs. R. S. Andrews, 1621 Eighth Ave., N., Great Falls, Mont., says: "I suffered terribly from lame back and rheumatic pains. I also had symptoms of dropsy and my feet and hands became swollen. I lost so much weight my garments just seemed to hang on me. Frequently, I had to go to bed and leave my housework undone. Nothing helped me and I had almost given up when I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills. They rid me of the trouble and the cure has lasted."

A NORTH DAKOTA CASE. T. A. Matchke, Hillsboro, N. D., says: "My back was so lame I could hardly work and I had headaches and nervous spells. I was all run down in spirits and nothing helped me until I took Doan's Kidney Pills. They cured me and my kidneys have since been strong and healthy. I give Doan's a world of credit and I can heartily recommend them as a reliable kidney medicine."

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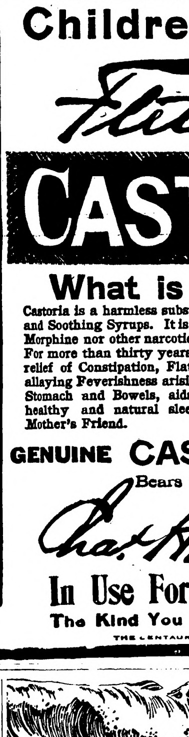
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THE AVERAGE REFORMER.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

The average reformer having so little at stake himself, plunges about like a bull in a china shop, regardless of the results of his ardor.

An amusing incident is told of the Secretary of Commerce. The can manufacturers put up a howl that unless they could get tin-plate to make up, no canning of fruits and vegetables could be done, so without looking over the field it is said that an order was made that steel was to be diverted by the manufacturers from other projects and put at the disposal of the can manufacturers. It looked all right on the face of it, but when the manufacturers of harvesting machinery demanded steel which they contracted for, and found that there was not steel for aprons, it having been diverted to cans, a hurry-up call modifying the order was issued, so that our harvesting machines could be made in time for the growing crop.

This illustrates how many plans are ignorantly made robbing Peter to pay Paul. Every enthusiast who has a pet reform which is always hitting some other business instead of his own, never looks around to see what the effect will be before he plunges. The manufacturers of feed and the most successful feeders in the country have a right to demand that that delicate machine—the dairy cow—shall not be wrecked by hasty legislation.

Revolutionary reforms are seldom efficacious. Anything which disturbs the food equilibrium should be handled gradually. Experience has shown that the most efficient way to handle cereal products is to remove the human food first and feed the residue to stock. Any other system is sheer extravagance.

WRONG FEEDING METHODS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

There is an old story about a ship captain who had a medicine chest. A sailor was sick and he found that No. 47 in his book was the indicated remedy, but alas! the bottle of No. 47 was empty, so he took equal parts of No. 40, which was strychnine, and No. 7, which was carbolic acid, and added them together and made No. 47—and the sailor died.

The application of this old story is that many a feeder will think that if a little of cottonseed or oilseed meal is good, a whole lot will be better. And, like the man who put the green spectacles on the horse and fed him shavings—just after he got him trained the horse died.

It is human nature to experiment in feeds, and the poor cow has to suffer for an overdose or an underdose before the proper ration is established.

DIFFICULT TO MIX FEEDS

A More Scientific Result Can Be Produced By Machinery.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

As no two lots run alike, it is very difficult to mix straight by-products of oats, barley, rye, corn, cotton-seed, flaxseed, etc., by measure, because it is purely guessing. Only a few years ago intentional fraud or unintentional carelessness was the rule. Before the feed laws were passed, each manufacturer adulterated all the trade would stand.

Every car of feed sold to the consumer is not analyzed, and the farmer cannot become a feed expert because he has no laboratory. Not one car out of five hundred is officially inspected. In the old days country millers were throwing feeds together with no knowledge of feed and were ruining valuable cows and making the farmer poorer. In those days the feed tables were wrong, the feeds didn't fit the tables; the digestible analysis method was incorrect; feed standards for animals were not agreed upon nor complete; the animals didn't fit the standards; the buyer didn't know what was in the feeds he bought to mix; and there was an unavoidable variation in the concentration of the feed.

These conditions have been largely overcome through the joint action of the government and state experiment stations and the mixed feed manufacturers who have every facility for maintaining a uniform product. By using these scientifically prepared feeds, many a herd has doubled its yield and profits. There are some painters who can buy lead, oil and dryer and mix and match their own color uniformly but the best painters of today have learned that mill-made brands are much better than anything they can mix with a paddle. The same is true in fertilizers to a great extent. In mixed feeds there can be no economy in home mixing because the mixing factories, being near the large markets, can utilize by-products to the very best advantage. Home mixing cannot be accomplished at one-tenth of a cent per lb., besides the result is never twice alike and cannot be without the help of a laboratory.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

A practical test shows that eight tons of a first class dairy feed will replace 13 1-3 tons of farm grain, making a proportionate saving of about $20 per ton and it also puts three times as much fertilizer back on the [illegible] in the grain this farmer could sell.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

There is no sense in hauling two loads of cheap feed when one load of high-grade feed will do the work and costs but three-fourths as much as the two loads.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate Of Mathias Olson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the of Estate of Mathias Olson Decedent.

The State Of Minnesota To Antonette Olson, Oscar A. Olson, Amalia Roe, Julius C. Olson, Martin T. Olson, John A. Olson, Alfred C. Olson, Emma M. Mattson, Otto W. Olson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Antonette Olson having been filed in this court, representing that Mathias Olson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 17th day of September 1913; and praying that letters of administration on his estate be granted to Antonette Olson, and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU, and EACH of YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of August 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 5th day of July 1917.

Peter H. Holm
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.
A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. June 30, 1917.

Notice is hereby that Carl J. Stenerson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., R. 2, who on March 16th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07492, for NE 1-4, Sec. 15, Township 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witness: Halvor Moe, Martin Samson, Gunder Brokke, Peter Anderson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn., R. 2.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota June 30, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Halvor Moe, of Thief River Falls, Minn. R. 2, who on Dec. 28th 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07104, for NW 1-4, Section 15, Twp 155 N. Ran. 42 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Carl Stenerson, Martin Samson, Gunder Brokke, Peter Anderson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn. R. 2.

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Have You Kidney Trouble SYMPTOMS

Aching Pains over Hips, Backache, Sediment or Deposit in Urine, Irritation of the Bladder, Pain in Urinating, Rheumatism, (uric acid in blood), Sudden Stoppage of Urine, Highly Colored or Milky White Urine, Pass Blood or Mucus in Urine, Retention of Urine, Straining after Urinating, Thick or Sluggish Urine, Stone in the Bladder, Cystitis (inflammation of bladder) Catarrh of Bladder or Bowels, Puffiness under Eyes, Voracious Appetite, Thirst, Gall Stone, Gravel, Pain in Uretha, Swollen Ankles, Dimmed Vision, Specks before the Eyes, Scanty Urine, Frequent Calls, Mouth Dry, Biliousness, Dribbling Lumbago, Loss of Flesh, Weakness, Irregular Heart Action, Ulceration of the Bladder, Skin Pale Waxy and Dry, Bad Odor of Perspiration

Free KIDNECO COUPON

Early Slave-Holding State.

Maryland was an early slave-holding colony, for in 1642 Governor Calvert bargained with a certain shipmaster for the delivery of 13 African "slaves."

Many recipes can be gotten for canning without sugar, and the fruit will keep too. Try it.

E. T. Eide was down from Spooner Friday to look after his hay-crop on his place which he is having put up.

Seven auto loads of our people spent Sunday at Maple Lake which is getting to be quite a summer resort.

The army draft figures are given on the inside pages of this paper, also the rules for making claims of exemption.

Rev. M. T. Strom returned home last week Thursday from Nielsville and other points where he held gospel meetings.

The Holt creamery issued its checks Monday for the month of June. One farmer received a check for over $90.00 and there were several for over $50.00. We'll bet a cookie that cows pay better than wheat any old day.

Flag pins for sale here.

The food bill passed the senate Saturday with only six opposing votes. It will be sent back to the houe for their approval of the changes made.

In an article about the sow thistle the Northwest Experiment Station at Crookton say that farmers should seek their advice and help, and we say, for the land sake write to them and see if they can help.

The dredge which the Northwestern Drainage Co. have been loading here for some time was shipped to Fargo yesterday. J. A. Sorum had charge of hauling it in from near the river east of town. The crane which alone weighs several tons, was hauled in by Axel Nelson and S. Svenkeson with their big tractor.

H. C. Conn of Middle River bossed the job of loading the dredge on the cars. The outfit weighed about 60 tons and was loaded on three cars.

AMERICAN RED CROSS HOSPITAL UNITS FIRST TO ANSWER NATION'S CALL FOR HELP ON EUROPE'S BATTLEFIELDS

Organized in Peace Times, These Groups of Surgeons, Nurses and Privates Are Showing the Allies That Uncle Sam Is Prepared to Aid Them Fully in One Department at Least—This Community Must Do Its Part—We Must Give Our Time, Services, Money.

After wounded soldiers received first aid in the trench dressing stations they are carried back by Red Cross workers under fire to waiting Red Cross ambulances in which they are conveyed to a field hospital. Thence they are removed to the base hospital.

LIVE STOCK SHOW WILL BE BIG ONE

Minnesota State Fair To Co-operate With Government Officials In Campaign To Save The Fast Diminishing Producing Herds—Stock Exchange To Be Held To Bring Buyer and Seller Together.

One of the most important features of the Minnesota State Fair, which this year is to be held September 3 to 8, and which is to be conducted as a government "Food Training Camp," will be the livestock exhibits.

These exhibits have always been an important part of the State Fair, but they are made doubly important this year because of the fact that the great world war has for several years been draining the supply, especially in America, which has been obliged to feed the world almost from the very start of the struggle for humanity.

Realizing the great necessity of producing and conserving food, the government officials at Washington have joined the movement recently started to make the fairs and expositions throughout the country centers where the people can be taught these things.

Especially are the government officials eager to stimulate the raising of sheep, swine, horses, cattle and poultry and they will leave no stone unturned in the effort to produce greater efficiency.

To this end the State Fair management has offered inducements in the way of attractive premiums for the best in the various branches in the livestock department.

A Livestock Exchange.

Among the various features which will interest those who are interested in the raising of stock, and also those who attend the wonderful shows held each year at the fair, will be the cattle exchange, which is to be located near the livestock pavilion. This exchange will serve a double purpose; it will bring together men who have high grade cattle to sell and men who wish to buy such cattle.

The idea of instituting a cattle exchange was originated by Prof. H. H. Kildes, head of the dairy husbandry department of the Minnesota College of Agriculture, who is recognized as one of the best authorities in the country on the dairy industry, and who has long realized that stringent measures must be adopted if the producing herds of the country are to be saved. He is authority for the statement that the dairying industry of the United States is being seriously threatened by the rapidity with which the herds are being killed off and that something must be done at once to impress upon the people that they must do their share or there will be a disastrous shortage of food from those sources.

The wonderful opportunity afforded the government to spread the doctrine of production and conservation of food through the big state fairs and expositions will doubtless do more than anything else to remedy the situation which exists at present and which each year has been getting more serious.

First Training Camp.

At the Minnesota State Fair, which is to be the model "Food Training Camp" for the country, and which will be copied by the other big fairs and expositions, thousands of people from all sections of the Northwest will gather and to these persons will be given the urgent message of President Woodrow Wilson—that each and every individual in the country must realize the importance of and must do his share in producing and conserving food if America and her allies are to win the titanic struggle for democracy and humanity.

Farmers and stock growers all over the West will doubtless take advantage of the opportunity to show their stock this season. The State Fair officials are of the opinion that the livestock show this year will far surpass any yet held, despite the war conditions, and that the campaign already started by the government to encourage production and conservation will have its effect.

Secretary Thomas Canfield of the Minnesota State Fair is optimistic over the prospects of the big annual show and believes that, with the government behind it to the extent of sending several exhibits and also speakers the 1917 State Fair will be the best ever.

"We are doing everything in our power," said Mr. Canfield, "to encourage the raising and showing of livestock of all kinds. We want to cooperate with the government so as to stimulate activity, especially in the raising of stock. No efforts will be spared this year to make the displays in the different departments of the livestock section the best we have ever had. We have experts who this year will give their co-operation in every possible way and, I believe, the results of the fair will be evident in the next two or three years."

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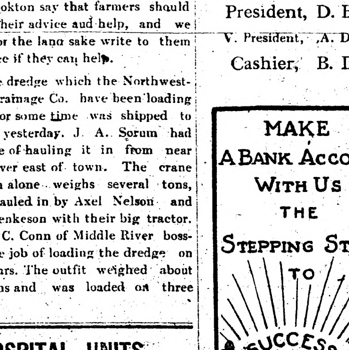
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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

E. E. Fuchs was up from T. R. Falls Friday afternoon.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 8:00 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Johnson are the proud parents of a baby girl that was born last week Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Warner of T. R. Falls came up Sunday and visited at the P. A. Risberg home.

Carl Brekkestran has sold his new Dort machine to Anton Sagstuen taking in the latters Buick in the deal.

Miss Agnes Gunderson of Crookston, came Saturday to visit her aunt Mrs. G. P. Sorter and family, returning home Monday.

Miss Ida Bennes and Miss [illegible] Albert Bennes home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Ames and son, Eddie, and daughters, Laura and [illegible], of Fork came Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the C. H. Gunheim home.

C. L. Sandberg and J. B. Alkenbrack and family autoed out east of Golden Valley Sunday and visited at the homes of Herbert VonWold and Mrs. Fannie Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Strom and children, Henry Peterson and Alex Strom autoed up from T. R. Falls Sunday and spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Strom.

Bently Nelson, of Grand Forks visited over Sunday at the home of his mother Mrs. J. L. Nelson. Mr. Nelson has enlisted in the army and expects to leave in a day or two for the training camp near San Francisco, Cal., where the machine gun corps are located.

The recent heat wave, which spread over a wide scope of country, caused fifteen deaths in Chicago, six in Milwaukee, two in Boston and several prostrations in New York.—Latest report are, that 131 have died from the excessive heat.

Miss Beatrice Von Wold of Tolley N. D. visited over Tuesday night with Miss Ines Alkenbrack. Her father, Ernest Von Wold and his brother Clifford arrived Wednesday via the auto route, from near Viking where they were looking for hay and left the same day for a visit at the Von Wold and Wright homes, east of Golden Valley.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Drafted From This Vicinity.

Those called for the draft in the county are appearing before the board this week and some will appear the first of next week. Ole Ellingson the only one from this place went to Warren yesterday and will undoubtedly receive his discharge as he has his mother to support and is not a citizen. Those drawn from Holt township were: Hilmer Davidson; Olaf Halverson, Albert Oscar Knutson and Algot Skoglund; from East Valley: O. H. Dovre, Ed Furr, Ernest Sefkow, Willie Sorum and Anton Rodahl; from Exdel: Harold Berg, Harvey Copp, Carl Guttrud, Martin Mattson, Selmer Quammen, Willie Swanson and Omer Warring; from Mud Lake; Frank Brown, Albin Dahl, Ollie Ingebrigtsle, Nels Omberg, Elling Tolfsrud; from Newfolden: Ole Farstad, Carl B. Gustafson, P. P. Reierson, Lewis Roseland and Martin Saugen, from New Solum: Hagebert Halvorson, Martin R. Nelson, Albert S. Olby, Arthur C. Olson, Selmer I. Sorenson, and Joe Weis. Ernest Kaehne and Hans J. Olson, the electrician, are drawn from the city of Warren.

Nels Swanson visited a couple of days last week in Erskine.

Miss Beatha Nelson returned home Monday from Grand Forks.

Dr. Torley will be here Monday Aug. 6th, to do dental work.

Olga Farr of T. R. Falls came Tuesday to visit her folks.

Mrs. Melquist returned from her visit at Erskine, Minn., Wednesday.

John Arild and another gentlemen from Seattle visited Albert Bennes.

Many of our people have been attending the Pennington county fair this week.

Albertine Nyberg and Dora Olson visited in T. R. Falls Thursday and Friday of last week.

Ole Johnson, A. R. Jones, Christ Knutson and sister, Miss Terwold, autoed to Thief River Falls Monday evening.

Miss Anna Garrison of Kalamazoo Mich., has been chosen superintendent of the tri-county sanitarium at T. R. Falls.

P. P. Reierson and Alfred Sollom have completed their contract of road grading near Steiner and have returned home to put up their crop of hay.

Martin Smeby and Alfred Johnson were over from Newfolden Monday to unload a tractor the former had sold to Anderson Bros. of Spruce Valley.

Willie Bakke expects to leave (to-night) Friday, for the naval training station at Great Lakes, Ill. The best wishes of his friends will follow him there.

Rev. F. J. Seltz, of Thief River Falls will conduct services in the German language in the Synod church at Holt next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The government has offered the timber for sale on 51000 acres of the Red Lake Indian reservation, the sale to take place Sept. 26. This may mean that the saw mill in T. R. Falls will run again.

J. P. Carlson returned Monday night, via Newfolden, to his home in Minneapolis. Mrs. Carlson and daughter Bernice will remain here for a longer visit at the home of her son A.L. and family.

The Holt boys won a hotly contested ball game Sunday at Newfolden from the Strandquist nine, by a score of two to one. So far the Holt boys have not lost any games this season but keep just a trifle ahead of the others and try not to beat them badly enough to discourage them.

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U. S.—Teutonic War News

By an unanimous vote the senate military affairs committee at Washington decided to recommend immediate adoption of Senator Chamberlain's resolution to conscript resident aliens of military age.

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Secretary McAdoo, submitting estimates to congress at Washington for the new war budget, said the first year of the war promised now to cost $10,735,807,000 exclusive of loans to the allies, making it necessary to raise more than $6,500,000,000 additional revenue.

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Every enlisted man will be credited to his state when the second increment of the new national army is drawn, according to announcement made at the office of Provost Marshal General Crowder at Washington.

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American and French soldiers will train together in the U. S. camp in France. Two battalions of "Sammies" will drill with one battalion of French "poilus." This is expected to hasten the Americans' full development as soldiers.

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Congress at Washington is going to order the drafting of all aliens of military age, except subjects of the central powers, unless the state department, which has taken a hand in the question, can furnish a very convincing argument to the contrary.

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Berlin will be entered by the air route and the United States is stacking up its resources behind the allies to furnish enough machines to make the conquest possible. This was the declaration at Washington of Brig. Gen. George O. Squier.

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Nearly 100,000 additional National Guardsmen were called into the federal service by the war department at Washington as the second increment of state troops from 19 states and the District of Columbia.

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An American army of 1,000,000 men for service abroad at once, instead of the 500,000 contemplated for the first draft, is foreshadowed by the Washington government's request for an additional $5,000,000,000 made to the senate finance committee. The first million men are to be made up of the first draft army of 500,000, the National Guard and the regulars. It is improbable that the first draft will be increased, but the government is arranging its finances for other drafts without the necessity of going to congress again for money.

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President Wilson at Washington has cleaned house in the shipping board. He eliminated Major General Goethals, William Denman and John B. White from the board and the emergency fleet corporation, accepting the proffered resignations of Goethals and White and requesting the resignation of Mr. Denman. The president then appointed Edward N. Hurley of Chicago, former member of the federal trade commission, to succeed Mr. Denman; Bainbridge Colby of New York to succeed Mr. White, Rear Admiral Washington L. Capps to succeed General Goethals.

Washington

It was announced at Washington that the American flag had been raised over the great German steamship Vaterland, the largest of the German merchantmen taken over by this country when war was declared. The navy department took possession of the vessel. The navy department also took over 15 other German merchant vessels undergoing repairs in American ports and will push the work of fitting them up as transports rapidly.

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Senator Borah, discussing the river and harbor bill in the senate at Washington, said: "Never at any time in this struggle has the outlook been as serious. Russia, to all appearances, is out of the conflict because of internal conflicts. It means that millions of American boys will find graves on European battlefields. No more serious condition could confront us than confronts the allies now. The situation is here and the hour of sacrifice has arrived."

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Secretary of War Baker sent to the house commissioners at Washington an estimate for $5,197,877,347.98 additional war expenditures. Baker asked deficiency appropriations totaling $5,275,753,756.98 and supplemental appropriations of $642,124,591 for the Signal corps and the army.

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Loans of $75,000,000 to Russia and $60,000,000 to France brought the total sum advanced to the allies within the last three months up to $1,523,000,000, says a Washington dispatch.

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America's war bill, including budgets already noted and new sums to be asked by the administration, will reach the stupendous total of $17,000,000,000, Senator Smoot of Utah, one of the leading financial experts in congress, informed the senate at Washington.

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Domestic

Information made public at Panama shows that 1,876 ships passed through the Panama canal in the fiscal year just closed. In 1916 the number of vessels passing through the waterway was 787 and in 1915 the number was 1,008.

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One of the biggest "liquor raids" in the history of Des Moines, Ia., was staged when county and state agents seized wines and liquors valued at $75,000 at the Des Moines Drug company, together with certain books and records.

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Five American sailors were killed and three injured in an explosion which wrecked the interior of the submarine A-7 at the Cavite naval station, Manila. The cause of the explosion was the ignition of gasoline vapor which had collected in a pocket within the submarine.

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United States District Judge Hollister at Cincinnati sentenced Alonzo J. Whitman, fifty-eight, of Danville, N. Y., known as the "king of forgers," to two years in the Atlanta federal prison.

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European War News

A German submarine was destroyed on the French coast west of Calais. The undersea boat went ashore and the crew, unable to free her, opened the gasoline tanks and set fire to the vessel. The members of the crew reached the shore, where they were made prisoners, according to a Paris dispatch.

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Czernowitz, capital of Bukowina, has fallen to the Austro-Germans. This report was received at London from Vienna, by way of Amsterdam. The dispatch is credited, as the official Berlin statement reported the Russians driven from Kolomea. Kolomea lies about midway on the railroad between Stanislau and Czernowitz. The Russians have held the Bukowina capital ever since the province was cleared of the Germans in the great winter drive of 1915.

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Five violent German attacks southwest of Moronvilliers (Champagne front), following an intense bombardment, were without gain to the enemy, the Paris official statement says. Two hundred and fifty guns were massed over the two-mile front on which the German crown prince tried for the seventh successive night to wrest ground from French lines on the Chemin des Dames.

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The occupation of ten villages by the Roumanians in their new offensive is announced at Jassy, Roumania. The Austro-German forces retired in disorder. The statement follows: "We continued our advance as far as 12 kilometers (seven and one-half miles) from our old front, occupying all our objectives and taking possession of ten villages. We captured 450 prisoners, many guns and much war material. The enemy is retiring in disorder."

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The commander in chief and the commanders of the various armies at the front having insisted that restoration of discipline in the army inevitably would compel infliction of the death penalty, the government at Petrograd has agreed unanimously to restore capital punishment. The measure is of a temporary character, to have effect until the end of the military operations.

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In the battle on the Roumanian front Roumanian forces captured more than 1,000 prisoners, says the official statement issued by the Russian war department at Petrograd. The Roumanians also took 33 guns, 17 machine guns, 10 mine throwers and much military material. On the same front, the statement says, the Russians captured about 1,000 prisoners and 24 guns.

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Dictator Kerensky's "Bismarckian policy" of restoring discipline and order has found its first expression in the passage of death sentences upon a number of mutinous soldiers and pro-German anarchists, said a dispatch from Petrograd.

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Twenty-one British ships of more than 1,600 tons and three of less tonnage were sunk by submarines or mines in the last week, according to the official report issued at London.

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The British submarine C-34 has been sunk by a submarine, it was officially announced at Berlin. The sole survivor was taken prisoner.

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Foreign

Nikolai Lenine, pacifist agitator, alleged German spy and fugitive from Petrograd since July 22, has been arrested after the greatest man-hunt Russia has ever known. Lenine was seized at Ozerki, Finland. It came when practically every citizen of Russia was participating in a house-to-house search for the man whom the government charged with complicity in the German plot of a counter-revolution against the provisional government.

JUNKERS STAGED GERMANY'S RECENT "CRISIS" IS CLAIM

RUTHLESS ELEMENT WORKING HARD WITH TEUTON PEOPLE TO JUSTIFY MILITARISM—ERZBERGER HELD TOOL.

CHARGES ALLIES SEEK TO "ENSLAVE GERMANY"

Michaelis' Peace Interview Made Occasion For Bitter Assault On England and France—Negotiator Talks For "Peace By Understanding."

London, July 31.—Germany's Junkers are working hard with the German people to justify militarism. An effort by the militarists to delude the public into belief that Germany is beset by rapacious foes who started the war to dismember Germany is what London sees behind the "peace interview" granted by Chancellor Michaelis of Germany and Foreign Minister Czernin of Austria. The reported presence in Switzerland of Matthias Erzberger, the political leader recently head of the reichstag coalition, presumably as a peace negotiator, was regarded as proof that the militarists deliberately staged the recent "crisis" in the parliament and that Erzberger was merely a tool of those interests.

Interview Made Assault on England.

Michaelis' peace interview was rather an assault on England and France. He charged the Allies with secret agreements aiming at "enslavement of Germany." He was particularly bitter in responding to Sir Edward Carson's suggestion that the first step toward peace would be for Germany to announce her willingness to surrender occupied territory.

Count Czernin's statement was along the usual Germanic lines, asserting complete agreement between Germany and Austria-Hungary and reiterating the old plea that Germany's enemies were responsible for continuation of the war.

"Peace By Understanding."

Of curious collateral interest in the peace talk was an interview attributed to Dr. Erzberger at Zurich, in which he declared if he could talk with Premier Lloyd George or Foreign Minister Balfour a few hours, an "understanding" which would permit peace negotiations would result.

The Michaelis and Czernin statements come on the eve of the Moscow conference of Russian governmental leaders. This coincidence was too striking not to arouse comment here. Moreover, it was pointed out that the German strictures on the Allies' "aim of conquest" were probably carefully prepared with the idea of creating distrust in Russia against England and France in view of Russia's insistence on a war policy of "no annexations."

POLES REFUSE TO SWEAR FIDELITY TO GERMANS

Rioting Follows Imposing of Oath and Arrest of General Pilsudski—Protests Made.

London, July 31.—Extensive street demonstrations have occurred in Warsaw as a result of the arrest of General Pilsudski of the Polish legion and other leaders in the movement against imposing an oath of fidelity to the Austro-German sovereigns upon the Polish army.

Many of the legionaries have refused to take such an oath.

The Polish council of state has protested to the governor general against the arrests as unjustifiable.

A Zurich dispatch to Reuter's Limited says that telegrams from Cracow report that unless General Pilsudski is released immediately it is believed that serious consequences will ensue.

ICE FAMINE FELT IN CHICAGO

Situation Endangers Lives of Thousands of Infants.

Chicago, July 31.—With Chicago in the vise of another baking day, the city was brought closer to an ice famine which may endanger the lives of many infants. Meat markets, dairies, restaurants and hospitals were exerting every influence to obtain ice.

J. B. Boyle, of the Chicago district ice association committee, said: "If a scarcity of ice is added to the heat, the death rate among infants will be terrible."

Gen. Harrison Gray Otis Dead.

Los Angeles, July 31.—Gen. Harrison Gray Otis, president and general manager of the Los Angeles Times, is dead at the home here of his son-in-law, Harry Chandler.

Alleged Enemy Spy Confesses.

Lexington, Ky., July 31.—George Majors, alias Frank Irvine, who was arrested in Paris, Ky., charged with wearing a United States army uniform and held by orders of the State department, suspected of being a German spy, has confessed as being employed by the mysterious "Captain Cutts" of the German army, according to the authorities. It is said Majors made two ocean trips with "Cutts," during which Cutts supplied the German government with valuable information regarding American affairs.

The State In Brief

New Ulm's parade and mass meeting of protest against sending her drafted men abroad to fight did not develop into as sensational an affair as early indications presaged.

The Minnesota State Live Stock Breeders' association has held its annual convention at Grand Rapids. The Itasca County Development association met at the same time. There was a record-breaking crowd.

The outlook for a good crop never was better in Kanabec county than it is now for all small grains. Corn is somewhat behind, but will make rapid progress from this time on, and with a late fall may make a fair crop.

The city council of Thief River Falls tabled indefinitely the request of the State Public Safety Commission through Mayor F. H. Gambell for a vagrancy ordinance imposing a fine of not to exceed $100 and a jail sentence of not to exceed thirty days.

Al Palzer, well known prizefighter, was shot and perhaps fatally injured at Fergus Falls by his father when the latter attacked the fighter's mother. Palzer is now in a hospital. He was at one time a contender for the heavyweight championship.

With word that only three cargoes of commercial coal were arriving in Duluth daily, an average far below that of last year, business interests planned to redouble their efforts to get a sufficient supply into this territory before the lake shipping season ends.

Plans for the Patriotic, Soldiers' and Pioneers' day at the Minnesota State Fair, Thursday, September 6, were suddenly halted when a telegram was received from Ray P. Speer, now in Washington, asking that all arrangements for the patriotic demonstration be deferred.

Organization of rural guard companies throughout the state to supplement the protection expected from the home guards after the national guardsmen have left for training camp will be started at once, under plans approved by the Minnesota Public Safety Commission.

With speakers from North Dakota, the Pennington County Nonpartisan league has its first picnic at Thief River Falls. Governor Lynn J. Frazier, House Speaker Howard Wood and A. Bowen, chief clerk of the house, all of North Dakota, spoke. Bankers, flour "barons" and American "autocracy" were scored.

Following phone reports that the thirty members of the I. W. W. who were deported from Bemidji as being undesirable citizens were on their way back to "clean up" the city, officials swore in more than a score of extra police and set watches at various parts of the city to aid in quieting any disorders that might arise.

An anti-conscription meeting has been held in Cologne, Carver county. The meeting was organized by members of the Nonpartisan league.

Coal operators will have to pay 15 cents more a ton for shipping coal into Minnesota as a result of orders issued by the Interstate Commerce commission.

The summer session of the state teachers' train school, held at the University farm, came to a close Saturday, July 28. Examinations for common school certificates were held.

Governor Burnquist has announced that until draft business is finished he will take no action on demands by the state military board for the resignation or removal of Adj. Gen. Fred B. Wood.

Nine Wellesley college girls, visitors at the Bennet mine at Keewatin, who are studying Minnesota industries, donned overalls and oilskins before being taken through the underground workings and the open pit.

Warning has been issued to Southern Minnesota farmers through the farm labor committee of the Winona county board of the Minnesota Public Safety Commission against the operations of two men who say they are Federal agents.

Thomas H. Canfield, secretary of the Minnesota State Fair, has returned from a visit to the North Dakota state fair at Grand Forks. As a result of his visit Mr. Canfield's hopes for the most successful fair ever held by the State Agricultural society have been materially raised.

Robert Hulbert, chemist of the North Dakota Agricultural college, has announced that he could find no trace of common poison in the water taken from the tank of the Moorhead, Minn., water works, but that he would continue his analysis. A sample of the water was sent to the Minnesota State Board of Health.

The annual joint meeting of the National Association of Game and Fish Commissioners and the American Fisheries society will take place August 27 to 31, with headquarters at the Saint Paul hotel, Commissioner Carlos Avery of the State Game and Fish commission announces, and will attract about 200 delegates.

With a potato crop beginning to come out of the ground that experts said today may go over 30,000,000 bushels and equal or break former production records, farmers of Minnesota are preparing to smite the high cost of living and at the same time bring themselves a record harvest of potato dollars.

Employers will face a strict enforcement of the Federal child labor law September 1. The law will be effective August 2, for it prohibits the shipment of goods made by child labor in thirty days of the date the law goes into effect.

AUTO RESERVE IS TO MAINTAIN LAW

CORPS WITH 100,000 MEMBERSHIP STARTED BY PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION.

COUNTY MARKETING BOARDS

Move Undertaken to Facilitate Disposal of Products and to Aid in Procuring Reasonable Prices and Storage Accommodations.

St. Paul.

Formation of a state automobile reserve corps with a membership of nearly 100,000 members was started by the action of the State Public Safety commission in accepting the offer of the Minneapolis Automobile Trade association to form such an organization for the purpose of assisting in maintaining law and order throughout the state.

Each county unit is to be composed of squads of 27 cars, which are to be in charge of two civilian sergeants and two civilian corporals, who in turn are responsible to the sheriff of the county. The sheriff in each county will be the head of the county unit.

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Plans County Marketing Boards.

The Minnesota Public Safety Commission has adopted a resolution instructing county directors to appoint a marketing committee for each county to aid in marketing potatoes, beans, cabbages and like products and also to aid in procuring reasonable prices and storage facilities where needed.

Governor Burnquist was authorized to appoint a commission to investigate the saloon situation in Martin and Pipestone counties, where are the only wet sections in a great dry area.

The inquiry board will be empowered to subpoena witnesses and obtain statements in the form of legal evidence, the Governor said. Appointments will be announced soon.

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Commissions Are Issued.

Commissions to five officers of Battery A, Second Minnesota Field artillery, newly organized at Albert Lea, and six new commissions in the Second infantry of the Minnesota National guard have just been issued by Governor Burnquist.

The Albert Lea battery commissions were issued to Captain Oscar Subby, First Lieutenants Joseph P. Kilbride and Thomas Considine, and Second Lieutenants Magnus B. Fossum and Louis O. Isackson, all of Albert Lea.

Second infantry commissions were announced as follows: Capt. Herbert M. Hauck, Mankato, Vice Francis Magner, transferred to reserve; Capt. Joseph D. Burke, Winona; Vice Myron W. Hingsley, promoted; First Lieut. Cyril B. Spicer, Mankato; Vice Herbert M. Hauck, promoted; First Lieut. Francis A. Schmidt, Duluth; Vice Alphonse Weisgerber, transferred to reserve; Second Lieut. Victor E. Carlson, Mankato; Vice Cyril B. Spicer, promoted, Second Lieut. George A. Damm, Austin; Vice Henry I. Church, resigned.

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School Aid to Be Paid.

Proposed payment of the 1915-16 deficit in state aid to high and graded schools from available funds as ordered recently by the State High School Board after a prolonged fight following Governor Burnquist's veto of the special appropriation by the last Legislature to cover the deficit, will be certified by State Auditor Preus, it is announced by C. E. Schulz, state superintendent of education.

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Important Phone Case Trial.

Appeal from the recent order of the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission directing physical connections of the Northwestern and Tri-State telephone lines at Owatonna, which is expected to be carried to the highest court and become the most important telephone regulation case on record has gone to trial before Judge A. B. Childress in the Steele county district court.

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Record Sum in Treasury.

Minnesota began business July 26 with $9,947,000 in cash in its treasury—the largest cash balance in the history of the state. State Treasurer Henry Rines predicted that new high records will be established next month. The previous high record was made Aug. 31, 1916, with a treasury balance of $7,812,000.

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Calls for Bank Statements.

A call has been issued by F. E. Pearson, state superintendent of banks, for statements from state banks showing conditions at the close of business July 25. Superintendent Pearson did not issue a state bank call June 20 when the last national bank call was made by the federal controller of currency.

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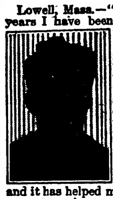
Horse for Each Four Men Sought.

Dr. Carl W. Gay, professor of animal husbandry at the University of Minnesota, has returned from Washington, where a conference had been called July 18 by Henry G. Sharpe, quartermaster general, to consider ways and means of purchasing horses and mules for the army.

"The war's demand for horses is imperative," said Dr. Gay, "one horse for every four men being required The War department wishes to procure 250,000 horses at once."

WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Mrs. Quinn's Experience Ought to Help You Over the Critical Period.



Lowell, Mass.—"For the last three years I have been troubled with the Change of Life and the bad feelings common at that time. I was in a very nervous condition, with headaches and pain a good deal of the time so I was unfit to do my work. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I did, and it has helped me in every way. I am not nearly so nervous, no headache or pain. I must say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best remedy any sick woman can take."—Mrs. MARGARET QUINN, Rear 259 Worthen St., Lowell, Mass.

Other warning symptoms are a sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness, inquietude, and dizziness.

If you need special advice, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.

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Place for Him.

"But isn't your son rather young to join the army?" "Well, he is very young, but, then, he's going to join the infantry."—Boston Transcript.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

The Last of the Caribs.

The Carib Indian was the first representative of Lo the poor red man to meet the tide of European travel. He was the one found by Columbus and the later Spanish explorers in the West Indies, and he has given the Caribbean sea his name. Thus he is assured a monument as long as geography shall last, and he needs it, because as a living race he has practically disappeared.

How many thousands of Caribs dwelt in the West Indies in 1492 is largely a matter of conjecture. They quickly began to die out under the hand of the conqueror, who worked them as slaves, and shot them when they made war. Today it is doubtful whether there are a hundred pure-blooded Caribs alive. Practically all of them live on the British island of Dominica, on a reservation set apart for them called Salybia.

His Defenders.

Recruiting Officer—"How about joining the colors? Have you anyone dependent on you?" Motorist—"Have I? There are two garage owners, six mechanics, four tire dealers, and every gasoline agent within a radius of one hundred and twenty-five miles."—Judge.

Mental Exercise.

"Do you enjoy modern poetry?"

"Very much. It's such good fun trying to figure out what it means."

Time may be a success as a wound healer, but it seldom removes the scar.

Preparing for Tomorrow

Many people seem able to drink coffee for a time without apparent harm, but when health disturbance, even though slight, follows coffee's use, it is wise to investigate.

Thousands of homes, where coffee was found to disagree, have changed the family table drink to

Instant Postum

With improved health, and it usually follows, the change made becomes a permanent one. It pays to prepare for the health of tomorrow.

"There's a Reason"

GRAIN CROPS ARE PROMISING

Western Canada 1917 Crops in Good Shape.

While it is a little early to predict what the Western Canada grain crop will produce, there is every indication at the present writing that the 1917 crop will give an excellent return. Reports received from all portions of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta speak of good growing weather, a fairly advanced stage of all grains, with prospects as good as in the past two years. Should conditions continue as at present, it is safe to conclude that Western Canadian farmers, already free of debt, as a result of the splendid crops and prevailing high prices, expect from this season's returns to be in a position that will place them away beyond any fear of the future.

The acreage of Western Canada will be about the same as last year. Seeding was somewhat later than last year, but germination was quicker. The only possible drawback now would seem to be a scarcity of harvest hands, but it is felt by the authorities that the situation will be pretty well cared for by that time.

Land values are increasing, but there is room for a much greater increase than in the past, owing to the returns that farmed land will give when compared with its cost. In some districts land that could have been bought five years ago for $15 an acre is changing hands at $60 an acre, the seller satisfied that he is giving the purchaser good value for his money. And why not, when it is known that in a great many cases during the past two years crops have been grown on this land that have produced a profit of forty and fifty dollars per acre, over and above cost of production. These cases, while not general, were not exceptional.

In addition to the lands that are offered for sale by railway companies, land companies and private individuals, the homesteading areas offer great inducements for those who are willing to do a little pioneering for a year or two. By that time settlements would come into existence, and this means a condition similar to that enjoyed by many of the older settlements of today—schools, churches, railways. The land is of high-class quality, strong and vigorous, easily worked, and capable of producing the very best of crops.

The demand for all grains for some years will be great, and it will require all the resources of man, beast and soil to meet it. That the prices will be good goes without saying, but at the present time there is something more appealing than the lucrative prices that prevail. That is, the desire to assist in winning the world war. The man at the plow is doing his "bit," and the spirit of patriotism that prevails will lead him into a broader sphere of action. No matter where he may be he will look about him that he may find land to further develop the country's resources. It is possible that his own state may furnish the land, in which case he will be quick to take advantage of the offer. If land in his own state is not available, Canada (now our ally) will be glad to furnish it in unlimited quantity, as she is vitally interested in largely increasing the supply of foodstuff which is now as urgently needed and is as valuable as ammunition to the allied countries.

The appeal made by Mr. Hoover, United States controller of foods, and also by Hon. W. J. Hanna, Canadian controller, emphasizes the need of the allies, urges economy and the prevention of the waste in food, and bespeaks whole-hearted public co-operation. Speaking of Great Britain, France, Italy, Belgium and their European allies, they say:

"For nearly three years their man power has been engaged in the direct work of war, and in some cases large areas of their most productive lands have been overrun by the enemy. Their food shortage and the food to supply the armies of Canada and the United States must be wholly provided from this side of the Atlantic. The supply must also be sufficient to cover losses at sea. Australia, New Zealand, the Argentine Republic and other countries are not now available to relieve the situation because of their remoteness and the shortage of tonnage.

"The crop of storeable foods grown in Canada and the United States suitable for shipment overseas threatens to be entirely inadequate to meet the demand unless the whole people determine by every means in their power to make up the shortage. Every individual is under a direct obligation to assist in rationing the allied forces. There must be national self-denial and national co-operation to provide the necessary supplies."—Advertisement.

See!

"I see they are looking for draft dump sites."

"Yep; suppose that will give the opticians lots of work."

Quite So.

"He is in a grave revery, isn't he?"

"He does seem to be buried in thought."

Natural Noise.

"That's a yellow-dog fund."

"Then why wonder there's a row about it?"

MORE U. S. TROOPS ARRIVE SAFELY AT A EUROPEAN PORT

DISEMBARKATION IS WITNESSED ONLY BY REPRESENTATIVES OF GENERAL STAFF AND FEW SPECTATORS.

GOVERNMENT MAKES NO COMMENT ON DISPATCH

Declines to Give Out Any Information On Landing—Soldiers Shout, "Are We Downhearted?" Then Answer Selves With Roaring "No"—Cheers Follow.

A European Port, July 30.—Another American contingent has safely arrived and disembarked.

The American troops arrived by the same steamer on which Kermit Roosevelt, his wife and child traveled. When tenders went alongside the vessel the men were in high spirits and frequently shouted:

"Are we downhearted?" which was answered with a roaring "No," given with great enthusiasm.

No Demonstration.

Representatives of the general staff watched the disembarkation. There was no civic demonstration. Only a few spectators knew of the landing. These cheered and the troops cheered back. The men entrained quickly and left for their new quarters. A signal company remained at the port for some hours and these were the only representatives of the contingent which the public saw.

Government Withholds Comment.

Washington, July 30.—The government withholds information or comment on the foregoing dispatch.

MOTHER OF BOLLINGER BABY DIES; SHOCK CAUSE

Passes Away In Room Adjoining That In Which Deformed Infant Was Allowed to Die.

Chicago, July 30.—The death of Baby Bollinger, the hopelessly deformed infant whose life Dr. Harry J. Haiselden refused to save at the German-American hospital in November, 1916, is believed to have been directly responsible for the death of Mrs. Anna Bollinger, the baby's mother.

"After the baby's death," said Allen Bollinger, husband of the dead woman, a repair foreman in the Lincoln avenue car barns, "my wife fell into a settled melancholy and wasted away. The child died in a room in the hospital adjoining that in which its mother was confined."

CARLOS AVERY RE-APPOINTED

State Game Chief Retains Position—Farrell to Retire.

St. Paul, July 30.—Governor J. A. A. Burnquist has announced the reappointment of Carlos Avery as state game and fish commissioner. He has selected W. S. Moscrip of Lake Elmo as state dairy and food commissioner, he said, but Mr. Moscrip has asked for time to consider, and the appointment cannot be positively announced. He is to succeed J. J. Farrell of Carver.

Avery and Farrell are both democrats, appointed by Governor W. S. Hammond, and have held office under Governor Burnquist for a year and a half.

RUSSIAN FRONTIER CLOSED

To Allow Only Those With Passports To Travel Before Aug. 15.

Petrograd, July 30.—The provisional government, in view of the existing exceptional circumstances, has issued a decree closing the frontiers of Russia until Aug. 15 inclusive both for persons desiring to enter and those wishing to leave the country. The only exceptions will be persons holding diplomatic passports and diplomatic couriers.

Check But Fail To Stop Germans.

London, July 30.—Russia has failed so far to do more than slow up the German advance in Galicia. Dispatches indicate a hardening of the Russian lines in the threatened sector and desperate offensive attacks launched at other points in the great front, designed to relieve the pressure that was strongly closing about Czernowitz.

Teutons Repulsed In West.

Paris, July 30.—After a violent bombardment, the Germans returned to the offensive on the Aisne front, delivering a series of attacks. The war office announces that the Germans were repulsed with heavy losses.

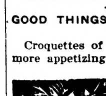
Bail For Woman Anarchist.

New York, July 30.—Emma Goldman, anarchist, convicted of conspiracy to obstruct the operation of the selective draft law, was expected to be released from the Tombs late Saturday on $25,000 bail, according to her attorney. Miss Goldman was brought back to New York from the penitentiary at Jefferson City, Mo., where she had been taken following her conviction. The action to admit her to bail was granted by Justice Brandeis in the United States supreme court, pending the determination of her appeal.

The KITCHEN CABINET

"Eat what you want when you want it" is wise counsel only for those who have trained themselves by long practice and careful attention to their peculiar needs to want what is proper.

GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.



Croquettes of lamb are made much more appetizing by the addition of a little parboiled and chopped green pepper.

Fish Souffle.—Make a white sauce of two tablespoonfuls of butter, two tablespoonfuls of flour, one cupful of milk, salt and pepper and a teaspoonful of onion juice. When cooked, pour over two well-beaten egg yolks, add one cupful of cooked whitefish flaked. Add two stiffly beaten whites of eggs and bake 25 minutes in a moderate oven.

Corned Beef Puff.—To a cupful of cooked corned beef, chopped fine, add two cupfuls of mashed potato, which has been seasoned with four tablespoonfuls of milk and three of butter, season with salt and pepper and add the beaten yolks of two eggs, then fold in the whites. Bake 25 minutes in a quick oven.

Mint and Parsley Sandwiches.—Take a cupful each of mint leaves and parsley, pound them to a paste with a tablespoonful of onion juice; when smooth, add two tablespoonfuls of butter and cream them until well mixed. Chill and use as a butter for sandwiches.

Tutti-Frutti Sandwiches. — Put through a meat chopper a cupful of pecan meats, one tart apple and a cupful of raisins; moisten with a little thick sirup made from white sugar and water boiled together, add a little lemon juice and spread on buttered whole-wheat bread.

Rice Custard.—Wash a half cupful of rice, put it in a double boiler with one quart of milk and cook until tender, then add four well-beaten eggs, four tablespoonfuls of sugar, one teaspoonful of vanilla and a pinch of salt. Mix well and put into a pudding dish. Cover with a meringue made from the whites of the eggs with four tablespoonfuls of sugar. Brown in the oven.

Chocolate Sultana.—Make a custard of a third of a cupful of milk, one-fourth of a cupful of sugar, one tablespoonful of butter, one egg and a third of a cupful of cocoa, a fourth of a cupful of raisins and the same amount of walnut meats. Spread on white bread, the top slice being cut with a doughnut cutter, and the cavity is filled with the mixture.

Candied cherries finely chopped, moistened with orange and a little lemon juice makes a most delicious sweet sandwich filling. Use on either white or brown bread. Cold cooked eggs and boiled ham chopped fine and mixed, using a little butter to make the filling creamy is another nice filling.

A girl who would have a graceful carriage, a sound digestion, a clear complexion and fine teeth must work for them every day, and no work is better for the purpose than the ordinary work about the house done with diligence and carefulness.

SWEET OMELETS AS DESSERTS

As eggs are now at their cheapest which is not cheap by any means, but far cheaper than they will be when December comes, it is wise to use eggs more freely and pack them for winter use. When they are 75 cents a dozen we may congratulate ourselves that we have a supply for everyday needs.

For a sweet omelet to add lightness one or two whites may be added to the usual combination. Most tastes prefer the fluffy, foamy, omelet made by beating the whites until stiff then stirring in the beaten yolks lightly, after adding a tablespoonful of water for each egg, and a pinch of salt.

Orange rind, finely grated sprinkled over the omelet, after it is ready to fold, using the juice of the orange for the moisture instead of water and sections of orange laid around the omelet just as it is ready to serve is one nice, sweet omelet. Sprinkle with powdered sugar just before serving.

Almond and Maple Omelet.—Put a handful of blanched and halved almonds into an omelet pan that is ready for the omelet. Pour in the egg mixture and cook well on the bottom, being careful to run a knife around the edges, to let the soft egg cook well, through to the center, and using care not to scorch the almonds. Roll and place in the oven to finish and pour a hot maple sirup over the omelet just as it goes to the table. A spoonful of creamed peas, asparagus chopped ham, or many other bits of fish, flesh or fowl may be added to an omelet, enhancing its food value as well as its palatability.

Strawberry or raspberry jam spread over an omelet, just before folding, or fresh berries, using a few mashed with sugar for a sauce to serve with the omelet, is a most dainty dish.

Omelet aux Marrons.—Make a puree of 25 large chestnuts, cook them until soft, then pound to a paste adding cream, mix a little grated chocolate or cocoa and sugar and cook a few minutes. Cover the omelet with this mixture, fold and sprinkle with powdered sugar and serve.

There are no friends like old friends
To help us with the load
That all must bear who journey
O'er life's uneven road;
And when unconquered sorrows
The weary hours invest
The kindly words of old friends
Are always found the best.

CREOLE DISHES.

The Creole housewife can make an appetizing meal from what many of our servants would throw away; and she is proud of her art. On special occasions elaborate menus are offered, but as a rule economy governs the cookery.

Lost Bread.—Stir two well-beaten eggs into a pint of milk, adding a bit of salt and sugar if desired. Cut six slices of white bread and soak them a few minutes in the custard, then fry in a little hot butter or sweet fryings.

Molasses pies are very popular 'way down South. Take a pint of molasses, beat into it three eggs and one large spoonful of butter. Pour the mixture into a pie plate lined with rich paste and bake.

Pork and Apple Pie.—Line a deep dish with nice fat pork, cut very thin and slice some apples. Place a layer of apples then a layer of pork. Sprinkle each layer with allspice, pepper and sugar. Have three or four layers and let the last one be apples. Sprinkle with sugar and spice and cover with a top crust. Bake one hour.

Milk Cracker Pudding.—Split milk crackers and place a few raisins inside, put the halves together and lay them in a cloth bag. Lay in a steamer or tie closely and drop into boiling water; leave room enough in the cloth for the crackers to swell. Remove in 15 minutes and serve with a rich sauce of butter, sugar, fruit juice and nutmeg.

A loaf of bread may be cut nearly through in four or five places, raisins sprinkled into the slits and then the loaf is tied up. Place in a cloth and boil half an hour. Serve with a rich pudding sauce.

Gumbo.—Slice two onions and brown in butter, add a pound each of ham and lean beef, cut in cubes and well dredged with flour; put into the kettle with the onions, when well fried add one each of okra, corn and tomatoes, salt, pepper, six or eight cloves and a little paprika. Boil all together in about two quarts of water all day. Serve with a spoonful of rice in the center of each serving.

There is in the world a Paradise
That no man enters alone,
For only the light of a woman's eyes
Can make the pathway known.

BEGIN NOW TO PREPARE RELISHES.

The following is an excellent and simple recipe for pickling onions. Take the silver-skinned onions the size of marbles, peel with a silver knife, wipe dry. Prepare a strong brine of salt and water, and let the onions soak in this two days, then drain them and wipe them quite dry. Put them into jars with a little pepper, mustard and allspice, steeped in a little vinegar, pour this hot over the onions, using two teaspoonfuls each of allspice, whole peppers and a teaspoonful of mustard seed to a quart of vinegar. When the jars are filled see that two inches of vinegar or more are above the onions or they will not keep.

Walnuts are pickled just as one does onions. They must be picked green and tender enough to be pierced with a needle.

Bengal Recipe for Chutney.—Take one-half pound of brown sugar, one teaspoonful of salt, one-half a pound of garlic, one-fourth of a pound of powdered ginger, one-half a pound of onions, one-fourth of a pound each of dried chillies, and mustard seed and three fourths of a pound of stoned raisins, two pints of the best vinegar and 30 unripe sour apples. The sugar is cooked with part of the vinegar to make a sirup. The garlic, onions and chillies are pounded into a mortar. The mustard seed is washed in cold vinegar and dried in the sun, the apples cored, sliced and boiled, and one and one-half pints of vinegar. When all this is done and the apples quite cold, put them into a large pan and gradually mix the ingredients, and cook, including the remaining vinegar. Stir until the whole is well blended and then put into bottles for use.

Tomato Chutney.—One pound of ripe tomatoes put through a sieve, one pound of peeled, sliced apples, a half pound of raisins, a fourth of a pound of peeled onion, the same of brown sugar, a fourth of a pint of vinegar, one-fourth of an ounce each of powdered ginger and black pepper. Mince and simmer together until dark and thick.

Nellie Maxwell

To Be Brief—.

"What on earth did that fellow mean when he said that he was a peregrinating pedestrian, castigating his itinerary from the classic Athens of America?"

"He meant he was a tramp, beating his way from Boston."—Indianapolis News.

The man who loves a woman as much as she wants to be loved has no time for outside flirtations.

Often Sour.

"Sweets to the sweet, eh?" said the girl at the candy counter. "Nothing to it."

"What do you mean?"

"They're often just as fussy at the candy counter as they are anywhere else."

Natural Life.

"People like tramps really vegetate, don't they?"

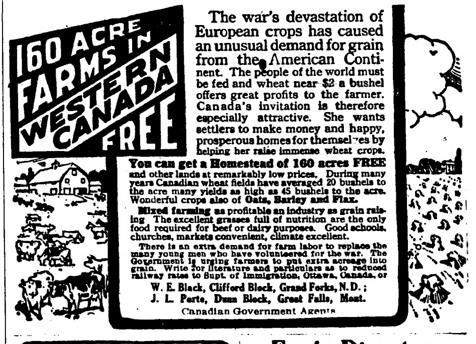
"Well, aren't they beets?"

Don't Poison Baby.

FORTY YEARS AGO almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and a FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: *"A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death."* The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician know of what it is composed. CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Canadian Farmers Profit From Wheat



160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

The war's devastation of European crops has caused an unusual demand for grain from the American Continent. The people of the world must be fed and wheat near $2 a bushel offers great profits to the farmer. Canada's invitation is therefore especially attractive. She wants settlers to make money and happy, prosperous homes for themselves by helping her raise immense wheat crops.

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W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 31--1917.

How Women Fish.

It doesn't serve to mellow a man's disposition to take a woman or two into the boat when he goes bass fishing. For women always want to fish, yet never could they or would they stick those horrid, nasty, wriggling angleworms on the hook. So, between baiting their hooks and removing the perch and pumpkin seeds and straining your spine to keep the boat from turning turtle and the lines from getting snarled up, you have a most enjoyable outing, do you not? Yes, you do not: I'll run the risk of answering that question for you, "Zim" writes in Cartoons Magazine. And then, when you finally hook a five-pound bass weighing at least three pounds and eight ounces by his own standard scales and play him for twenty minutes against their earnest entreaties not to bring that big, ugly thing into the boat or else they'd jump out!—you calmly ease up on the line and give him slack, also his freedom do you not? Yes, you do not: And when the day is spent, they tell you what a gorgeous time they have had and make you promise to fetch them again, and you promise of course, do you not? You do like heaven!

Take No Chances.

"... one way to drive ... automobile."

"What's that?"

"Whenever you approach a railroad crossing or a street car track and a train or car is coming if you have to wonder whether or not it is safe to try to cross, decide that it isn't."

Crude Job.

"I'm a self-made man."

"You knocked off work too soon."—Boston Transcript.

Matching Sizes.

"That was such a little ring to give his girl."

"But she is such a little belle."

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—Bobby

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Naturally.

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"Soft things."

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Trade in Holt and get rich.

Dr. Turley, August the sixth.

Boost for Holt, first, last and all the time. Boost.

Clarence Docken and John Melquist autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday night.

Mrs. Kalsh of New Solum visited Mrs. Paul Olson Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams of Dugdale came Saturday to visit their son, Loyd Adams and family.

The dairy cow is never a failure and the same is true of the laying hen.

Ole Johnson, H. J. Oien, Guy Anderson and Clarence Kolden autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday night.

Oscar Johnson, of Newfolden, has completed the grading of a mile of the road on State road No. 7, near C. E. Smith's.

Carl Christoferson bot one day last week the lots and buildings of Ludvig Monson, that lie just north of B. Docken's.

Joe Nelson who went over to Newfolden to help the plasters on the school house, came back to spend Sunday at home.

Many recipes can be gotten for canning without sugar, and the fruit will keep too. Try it.

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on July 25, 1917.

Date of report by Bank, July 25 1917.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$121,212 49
Overdrafts		961 21
Bonds and Securities		200 00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		6,734 60
Other Real Estate		$2,106 60
Due from Banks	4,841 06	
Cash on Hand	1996 39	
Total Cash Assets		6,835 05
Checks and Cash Items		9,125 08
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		
Total		$147,176 43

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$4,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		233 88
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		8 000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$45,719.66	
Cashier.s Checks	1383.09	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	47,103.35	
Time Certificates	77,839.20	
Total Deposits		124,942 55
Total		$147,176 43
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$15,960 13
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$9,344 31

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Bakke, President.
B. Docken, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. Gunheim,
[Two] Directors. R. Ruffinson,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Aug. 1917.

[Seal] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919

Trade at home.

The Red Cross needs your help.

Some hot weather Saturday.

Printers always need money.

Save money by trading in Holt.

Sow thistle is a noxious weed and according to law should be destroyed, but we somew hat doubt if the law is being enforced.

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Bring us your Job Printing.

Be a booster, the selfish never yet built up a town.

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Minnesota Machinery of all kinds and the best twine for sale at Rierson's store. Place your order early so as to be sure to get what you need.

Do not eat too much. Doctors say it's not good for one's health. Then too think of the starving ones in Europe who you can divide with.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota July 2, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Peter Anderson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., who on January 27th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07209, for SW 1-4, Section 15, Township 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Carl Stenerson, Halvor Moe, Martin Samson and Christ Nelson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., July 10, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Melvin Olson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Jan. 11th 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05811, for S 1-2 SW 1-4 Sec. 13, N 1-2 NW 1-4 Sec. 22, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 21st day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Andrew Olson, Lenny Olson, Joseph Rankin all of Middle River, Minn., Edwin G. Johnson, of Golden Valley, Minn.

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Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. June 30, 1917.

Notice is hereby that Carl J. Stenerson, of Thief River Falls, Minn., R., 2, who on March 16th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07493, for NE 1-4, Sec. 15, Township 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witness: Halvor Moe, Martin Samson, Gunder Brokke, Peter Anderson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn., R. 2.

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Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota June 30, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Halvor Moe, of Thief River Falls, Minn. R. 2, who on Dec. 28th 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 07104, for NW 1-4, Section 15, Twp 155 N. Ran. 42 W. 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 16th day of August, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Carl Stenerson, Martin Samson, Gunder Brokke, Peter Anderson, all of Thief River Falls, Minn. R. 2.

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INTEREST INCREASES IN FOOD CAMP

President Wilson And Food Administrator Hoover Back Movement To Utilize State Fairs And Expositions As Food Training Camps—People To Be Taught To Produce And Conserve.

The Food Training Camp to be conducted in connection with the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 3 to 8, is expected to prove one of the strongest cards in the government's food conservation campaign in this section of the country.

The food training camp movement is gathering force every day; public interest is becoming aroused; practically every organization in this state taking part in the food conservation work is co-operating to make the camp a success; the government has endorsed and is now helping to direct the movement and the exhibitors at the fair are offering to do their share in making it a success.

Practically every department at the fair will take a part in the work of food training. Virtually all of the exhibitors will in their displays, lay emphasis upon the necessity of conserving our food supplies. Lecturers and demonstrators will be on hand to explain the food problems which now confront the American people, the plan being, not only to impress upon all visitors to the fair the necessity of making an economical use of food, but to show specific ways in which every man, woman and child may do a share.

Government Enthusiastic.

The government, particularly, is enthusiastic over the possibilities the food training camp offers for teaching food efficiency. Not only Mr. Hoover, food administrator, but President Wilson, himself, and the Department of Agriculture have endorsed the camp. It is the plan of the government to make the most of the opportunities offered by sending out lecturers and demonstrators to speak at the fair, and by arranging a series of exhibits by the different government departments, including the Army, Navy, Agricultural and Mr. Hoover's food department.

The government sees in the food training camp, for one thing, the possibility of reaching, in a result-getting manner, the men and women of the rural districts and from the farm. This has been one of the government's big problems in its food conservation campaign.

The people of the cities it is not so difficult to reach because of the many clubs and other organizations which already exist and which have taken up the food conservation work. As a large part of the attendance at the Minnesota State Fair comes from the rural districts, the food training camp, the government believes, offers a good opportunity to reach them with a direct appeal.

For, it is necessary that they be reached if the fruits and other food products, grown in abundance, are to be saved and prevented from going to waste.

The livestock exhibits and the exhibits and demonstrations to be put on by the dairy department of the University Farm are other departments in which valuable food efficiency work will be done. The directors of the fair are urging a greater production of meat by working for large exhibits of livestock so that the farmer may study the different types and breeds and decide as to which is best for the purpose.

To Develop Herds.

Much of the effort of the University Farm will be directed to the development of more efficient dairy herds and to the utilization of all possible dairy products. Much milk, especially skim-milk, goes to waste in this state every year, and the dairy exhibits will point out the way to make use of all this food which is now being wasted.

In order to make the food training camp the greatest possible success in order that both the government and the people may derive the maximum benefit from it, the Minnesota State Fair directors are endeavoring to make the exposition a record breaker in all departments this year.

As one way of encouraging attendance plans have been outlined for materially increasing the exhibits, and a greater variety of amusement and entertainment features have been secured.

Auto races, aviation, vaudeville, and a number of big spectacles, including the "War of the Nations," a gigantic display in which the famous British tanks and the other great forces of modern warfare are seen in action, are some of the entertainment features.

LIVE STOCK SHOW WILL BE BIG ONE

Minnesota State Fair To Co-operate With Government Officials In Campaign To Save The Fast Diminishing Producing Herds—Stock Exchange To Be Held To Bring Buyer and Seller Together.

One of the most important features of the Minnesota State Fair, which this year is to be held September 3 to 8, and which is to be conducted as a government "Food Training Camp," will be the livestock exhibits.

These exhibits have always been an important part of the State Fair, but they are made doubly important this year because of the fact that the great world war has for several years been draining the supply, especially in America, which has been obliged to feed the world almost from the very start of the struggle for humanity.

Realizing the great necessity of producing and conserving food, the government officials at Washington have joined the movement recently started to make the fairs and expositions throughout the country centers where the people can be taught these things.

Especially are the government officials eager to stimulate the raising of sheep, swine, horses, cattle and poultry and they will leave no stone unturned in the effort to produce greater efficiency.

To this end the State Fair management has offered inducements in the way of attractive premiums for the best in the various branches in the livestock department.

A Livestock Exchange.

Among the various features which will interest those who are interested in the raising of stock and also those who attend the wonderful shows held each year at the fair, will be the cattle exchange, which is to be located near the livestock pavilion. This exchange will serve a double purpose; it will bring together men who have high grade cattle to sell and men who wish to buy such cattle.

The idea of instituting a cattle exchange was originated by Prof. H. H. Kildes, head of the dairy husbandry department of the Minnesota College of Agriculture, who is recognized as one of the best authorities in the country on the dairy industry, and who has long realized that stringent measures must be adopted if the producing herds of the country are to be saved. He is authority for the statement that the dairying industry of the United States is being seriously threatened by the rapidity with which the herds are being killed off and that something must be done at once to impress upon the people that they must do their share or there will be a disastrous shortage of food from those sources.

The wonderful opportunity afforded the government to spread the doctrine of production and conservation of food through the big state fairs and expositions will doubtless do more than anything else to remedy the situation which exists at present and which each year has been getting more serious.

First Training Camp.

At the Minnesota State Fair, which is to be the model "Food Training Camp" for the country and which will be copied by the other big fairs and expositions, thousands of people from all sections of the Northwest will gather and to these persons will be given the urgent message of President Woodrow Wilson—that each and every individual in the country must realize the importance of and must do his share in producing and conserving food if America and her allies are to win the titanic struggle for democracy and humanity.

Farmers and stock growers all over the West will doubtless take advantage of the opportunity to show their stock this season. The State Fair officials are of the opinion that the livestock show this year will far surpass any yet held, despite the war conditions, and that the campaign already started by the government to encourage production and conservation will have its effect.

Secretary Thomas Canfield of the Minnesota State Fair is optimistic over the prospects of the big annual show and believes that, with the government behind it to the extent of sending several exhibits and also speakers the 1917 State Fair will be the best ever.

"We are doing everything in our power," said Mr. Canfield, "to encourage the raising and showing of livestock of all kinds. We want to co-operate with the government so as to stimulate activity, especially in the raising of stock. No efforts will be spared this year to make the displays in the different departments of the livestock section the best we have ever had. We have experts who this year will give their co-operation in every possible way and, I believe, the results of the fair will be evident in the next two or three years."

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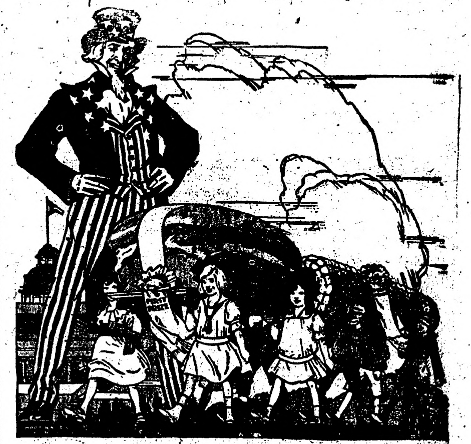

WAR SERVICE FOR CHILDREN.

The children as well as the grown-ups must do their bit for their country. The Minnesota State Fair Food Training Camp, Sept. 3 to 8, will devote an entire department to stimulating interest in children's work and to pointing out ways in which the children may best serve their country.

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Local Items

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Eide Sunday night.

Ernest Kuehne was over from Warren for an over Sunday visit with his parents.

Arnold Boernstein and Oscar Mantoh went to Climax Tuesday to work during harvest.

Mrs. Wright and Herbert Von Wold and their brothers from Dakota visited at the Alkenbrack home on Monday.

Miss Amy Carlson of Minneapolis came Sunday morning to visit at the home of her brother, A. L. and family.

Marius Hoel returned home Mon- [illegible] with typhoid fever at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. Hoel.

Mr. and Mrs P. G. Hougaard and family, Sam Hougaard and Miss Minnie Peterson of Standquist, visited C. W. Christianson's Sunday.

Mrs. Tufte and children came on Saturday from Grand Forks to visit Mrs. Charles Hagglund and family a few days. The two ladies are sisters.

Mrs. G. M. Christenson and her daughters Effie and Verna came up from Fertile on Friday for a few days visit at the A. H. Huseth and H. J. Oien homes.

Miss Nora Thornton returned Wednesday to her home in Marietta, Ohio after several weeks visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Herbert Von Wold and family.

Mrs. B. L. Backe and sister Myrtle Thomas and their mother, autoed here from T. R. Falls Monday afternoon and visited Mrs. C. L. Heinse and Mrs. T. E. Ellestead.

Rev. Skogerboe, pastor of the Hauges Synod church in T. R. Falls, will hold Norwegian services in the Holt Synod church at 8 o'clock Monday evening Aug. 13th. Everyone invited.

Congressman Steenerson has sent us a mail sack full of books that fully explain cold, hot and other methods of canning and preserving fruits, vegtables, meat, etc. They will de given free to those who call for them.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 11 o'clock A. M.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening, Aug. 13, and everyone is invited to attend.

School Board Matters.

At the regular meeting Aug. 4th the following bids were submitted: Ed Werner, for transportation of pupils on route No. 1, $60.00 per mo.; on route 2, C. L. Heinze $47.99, C. J. Sorenson $49, T. A. Tobiason $49 on route No. 3, Oscar Hoffman $48, Lawerence Tobiason $49, John Swan $54.50, P. A. Riesberg $55; for janitor, P. T. Olson $42.25 per month, C. J. Sorenson $49.00.

The bids of Chas. Heinse and Oscar Hoffman for running school busses and that of Paul Olson for janitor were accepted. The board decided to re-advertise for a bus driver for route 1 and will receive bids up to Aug. 14th, the notice of which appears in this paper.

We understand the matter of letting the contract for the well was not fully decided upon, but that there were several bids in, so that probably some of them will be accepted later on.

Found: A coat. Prove property and pay for this notice at Reierson's store.

The experiment station is boosting the building of silos. Now if they will find a way to raise corn in a cold season, perhaps farmers would have something to put into silos.

Books, given away at this office, that tell all about how to do canning cold, hot, etc., etc. They were sent to us by Hon. Halvor Steenerson, for free distribution.

County agents in Clay and Lac qui Parle have worked out plans for farmers clubs, which include topics important to every farmer. Wish we could have something of that kind here.

The State Board of Health will conduct free examinations, for children that have ever afflicted with infantile paralysis or symptoms of it, at Mahnomen on Aug. 14 and 15. Full information can be obtained by writing or telephoning Dr. F. M. Archibald at Mahnomen.

The first one-third, or 229,000, of the drafted men will be called to the colors Sept. 1st and sent to the training camps between then and Sept. 5th. This notice has been sent to the governors of all states by U. S. Provost Marshall General Crowder.

The food control bill was again passed by the U. S. Senate, at 4 o' clock Wednesday afternoon, by a vote of 66 to 7. The form in which the bill was passed had been approved by the House, so President Wilson's signature will make it a law. La Follette and Gronna, as usual, voted against the bill.

B. J. Bakke came up from T. R. Falls Saturday and is now employed as assistant cashier in the Holt State Bank. Mr. Bakke informs us that his wife and three children left a few days ago for four or five weeks visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Arne Moe, at Granville, N. D. Mr. Bakke accompanied her as far as Grand Forks.

The barn of J. J. Sinclair, a farmer near Stephen, was struck by lightning a week ago Sunday morning and two of his best horses killed. Two hired men were knocked down by the force of the shock, but only stunned. The bolt struck almost in the center of a mow of 32 loads of hay, but quick work of Mr. Sinclair and his men assisted by neighbors and town people, saved the barn and most of the hay.

Southeast of Holt.

The first annual harvest picnic of the County Life Club for the benefit of the Red Cross will be held at the Brokkee farm in Agdar Aug. 19th. Come and Bring your dinner.

Mrs. Geo. Mustvold will entertain the Ladies Aid Aug. 15th.

Thora Moe, Allen and Walter Adolphson, Mr. hnd Mrs. Nels Gudvangen and sons Chester, Henry and Milfred were Sunday afternoon visitors at Hansen's.

Gunda Moe who has been enjoying a visit at her home returned to the R. A. Gausin home near Silverton on Friday where she is employed.

Alma Soiney was a Sunday visitor at M. Johnson's.

Misses Sina and Emelia Johnson visited the Reuhmon girls on Sunday afternoon.

A large number of relatives and friendst visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Klungness Sundayafternoon.

Gunvor Skomedol entertained the Ladies Aid on Thursday.

Attend Golden Wedding

S. G. Svenkeson, P. A. Riesberg and wife, C. S. Kolden, wife and baby autoed over to the Turnlund home near Radium, Sunday, to attend the Golden Wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Turnland. Mr. Turnland is an uncle of Mr. Riesberg and the latter and those of his company greatly enjoyed the days doings. A large crowd assembled to help the [illegible] ple celebrate the memorable occasion, and before departure presented them with some useful and handsome presents, and their hearty good wishes for many more happy years of wedded life.

We are having some genuine autumn weather of late.

Ernest and Clifford Von Wold and their mother and the formers daughter Beatrice, left Wednesday for Tolley N. D.

There will be preaching services in both the churches next Monday evening and all are invited to attend these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson and daughter Emma visited over Sunday at the home of their son Arthur and attended services in the Hauges Synod church near there.

Workmen, the past week, have been painting and laying the floors in the new brick. Next week the builders expect to have the cement floors put in the basement and the sidewalk around the building repaired and made as good as a new walk.

The Blue Sky Law is expected to protect investors. Unreliable firms will not be granted a license and it is against the law to do business unless their agents are provided with licenses.

Possibly, there are some who would be interested to know that the Free Mission Sunday school tithes each Sunday's collection, for missionary purposes. Recently the school has sent $2.00 to China thru Rev. Kilen.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Flakne entertained the latters father and sister a few days the past week. They returned to their home in Iowa Tuesday. Mrs. Flake went home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers from Steiner were in town Monday. Mr. Rogers has been working for several mouths in a ship building yard on the Pacific coast and returned home Friday to help with the harvesting on his farm.

Stiener News

Several of the young women of this neighborhood attended the meeting held in Rosewood Sunday. Mr. Gabriel was the speaker.

Jesse Borden and Jerry Rogers spent Sunday with S. R. Rogers and family August 5th.

Henry Copp spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Copp.

Mrs. J. Christianson did trading in Stiener Friday.

Miss Grace Russell spent Sunday at the home of Miss Amy Whitman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Koglin visited at the E. Werner home Sunday afternoon.

Otto Solemn called at the J. Meyer home Sunday.

Miss Esther Meyer called at the A. Koglin home Sunday.

Messrs. Henry Rogers, Otto Solemn, and Louie Meyers attended the services held in Rosewood Sunday evening.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday School 9:45.

Services at East Valley Aug. 12th 11 o'clock in Ole Johnson's grove, and picnic dinner by Young Ladies Society.

Services at Carl Dahl's August 12, at 2 o'clock and Aids picnic dinner.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

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Holt, Minn.

For Sale!

As we will soon be ready to move into our new bank building, we have decided to sell our old building at a reasonable price. If interested write or call on us

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Take Notice

Teacher Wanted!

Notice is here by given that the school board of Dist. No. 158 of Marchall Co. Minn., will receive applications for a teacher for a seven months term of school in said district.

S. G. Svenkeson
Dist. Clerk.
Holt, Minn.

Notice for Bids

Transportation of Pupils

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the school board of School District No. 35, Marshall County, Minnesota, for the transportation of pupils to and from the school house in said District as per plan and schedule of route now on file with the Clerk of said District. Bids will be received for transportation over route No. 1. Bids must be filed with the said Clerk up to 5 o'clock P. M. August 14th, 1917.

The school board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated Aug. 6th, 1917.

B. Docken, Clerk,
Dist. No. 35.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

Making It Personal.

It is sad to see family relics sold at auction, but the most painful thing under the hammer is generally your thumbnail.

The Army Draft Again.

So far as we have beeh able to learn very few young men from this vicinity failed to pass the physicial examination for the army draft. Among those who failed to pass are: Albin Dahl, Frank Brown, Oscar Norbeck and Albert Oscar Knutson. Ole Ellingson and A. Skoglund were not passed on as they are not citizens. The most of the farmer boys and all of the married men will claim exemptions, which will most probably be granted and another call for more men for examination made at once, so as to fill the countys full quota for the new army.

Trade in Holt and get rich.

Peter Hansen made a business to Badger Monday.

Lloyd Strom of T. R. Falls is visiting his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg.

It is reported that Hans J. Olson was recently married to a Middle River young lady.

Guy Anderson and Sam Mickelson were business visitors in T. R. Falls Tuesday afternoon.

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In connection with teams and rigs
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Holt, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.39
Wheat No. 2	2.34
Wheat No. 3	2.24
Wheat No. 4	2.14
Flax	2.98
Oats	48
Barley	1.05 to 1.24
Rye	1.64
Flour, Best Patent	7.45

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Slavery Originated in the East.

Absolute slavery seems to have appeared in the eastern colonies somewhat earlier than in the southern, for slavery existed in New York in 1626, in New Jersey in 1628, in Massachusetts [illegible] in Delaware in 1636. There was a statutory recognition of slavery in Massachusetts in 1641, which was considerably ahead of such recognition of slavery in Virginia or Maryland.

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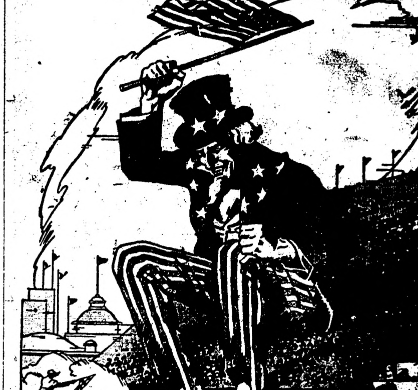

BIG RECREATION PROGRAM.

President Wilson has said that he favors the continuance of athletics and sport events during the progress of the war; that these things tend to make strong and healthy men. The program of sporting events at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 3 to 8, will this year be more varied and much more attractive than ever. Do not fail to attend the speed contests between horses and also the dazzling automobile races.

MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

U. S.—Teutonic War News

Secretary of the Treasury William G. McAdoo in a speech at Monterey, Pa., declared: "We intend to vindicate and make triumphant the principles of human liberty if it takes every drop of blood in the veins of every American freeman."

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Nine gunners and 24 men of the crew of the American steamer Motano were lost when the vessel was sunk, the state department at Washington was officially advised. Nine were saved.

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All danger from the Russian retreat has passed. That is the inspiring message Ambassador Boris A. Bakhmetieff sends to the American people upon his arrival in Chicago with the Russian commission, of which he is the head.

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Germany had possession of Austria's ultimatum to Serbia 14 hours before it was delivered to Belgrade, according to positive information which has reached officials at Washington and is now made public for the first time.

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The second Liberty loan—for $3,000,000,000—will be launched November 15, treasury officials announced at Washington.

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The torpedoing on July 27 of the American schooner John Twohy was reported at St. John, N. B. The schooner was built at Newburyport, Mass., in 1891 and carried a crew of nine men.

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Plans for taking over for operation all American ocean-going merchant ships soon will be announced by the shipping board at Washington. Charters will be requisitioned under a recent act of congress authorizing the president to commandeer tonnage for government uses.

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"Looking from the broadest aspect at the events of the last fortnight in Russia," said Maj. Gen. Frederick B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the London war office, in his weekly talk, "it will necessarily mean a prolongation of the war. We cannot longer count on any great material assistance from Russia. This means a greater burden and for the United States it means that she must come into the field as soon as possible and with the greatest possible force."

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America played a small but important part in the battle of Flanders. Several American "surgical teams," which were brought to the front from the base hospital by the director general of the medical service, worked side by side with their British allies in caring for the wounded.

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It was reported at the American consulate in London that 24 members of the crew of the American steamship Motano, which was sunk by a German submarine July 31, lost their lives.

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Senator McCumber's resolution requesting the president to negotiate with the allies for an agreement to allow drafting of their alien nationals in this country was adopted by the senate at Washington.

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Recruiting for the regular army Monday was the heaviest since the outbreak of war. It was learned that 2,705 enlistments were reported. Seven states turned in more than 100.

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European War News

Austro-Hungarian troops have entered Czernowitz, the capital of the crownland of Bukowina, it was announced at Vienna.

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France must win peace by force of arms or its people will become the slaves of Germany, Premier Ribot declared in the chamber of deputies at Paris.

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The work done by the British air service in Tuesday's offensive has not been surpassed in efficiency and spectacular features since the war began. The Germans lost six machines and the allies three. One British flyer scattered two hundred Germans, bombed trains, fought several successful duels with the kaiser's airmen and directed his own artillery.

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Forty thousand Greeks have been starved to death in eastern Macedonia since the Bulgarian occupation began, according to authentic reports received by the Greek government, says a Havas dispatch to Paris from Athens.

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Some falling off in the loss of British merchantmen by submarines is noted in the official summary issued at London. Eighteen British vessels of more than 1,600 tons were sunk by submarines or mines last week. Three vessels under 1,600 tons were sunk.

Thirty-eight members of the crew of the steamship Belgian Prince were drowned in a deliberate manner by the German submarine which sank the vessel, according to the account given by survivors of that British vessel who have reached British shores.

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Major General Maurice of England, in commenting on the Flanders battle, said: "This week the battle in Flanders was an entire success. Gen. Sir Douglas Haig fixed a definite line of objectives and, speaking generally, he attained it successfully."

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German forces have occupied the Uskull bridgehead, on the northern Russian front, 15 miles southeast of Riga, according to reports received at Petrograd from the battle front. The positions had been evacuated by the Russians.

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Northeast of Ypres, in Flanders, Field Marshal Haig's troops have established themselves in the town of St. Julien, from which they were driven early this week, says the official statement to London from British headquarters in France.

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Kimpolung in southern Bukowina has been evacuated by the Russians, the Petrograd war office announced.

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As a result of the heroic conduct at the front of Miss Vera Butchkareff's feminine battalion the movement for the creation of a great woman's army is progressing throughout Russia like wildfire, says a Petrograd dispatch.

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Emperor William has called a war council of the high military and naval leaders in Germany to meet at Brussels, Belgium.

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Gen. Alexis A. Brussiloff, commander in chief of the Russian armies, has resigned, says a dispatch from Petrograd. Gen. L. G. Korniloff has been appointed generalissimo. General Tcheremissoff has been appointed to succeed General Korniloff on the southwestern front.

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Italian vessels lost as a result of submarines last week numbered four sailing ships, according to an official statement issued at Rome.

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Russian troops retreating on the eastern Galician front have retired behind the Russian border at Huslatyn, the German general staff announced officially at Berlin. Further south the Russians made a stand between the Dniester and Pruith rivers, but a powerful German attack broke their resistance. Kutty, in the Galician Carpathians, has been captured by the Teutons.

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Foreign

A bill was passed at Peking authorizing a declaration of war on Germany by China. Only the president's confirmation is needed to make the action effective.

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Premier and War Minister Kerensky of Russia and all the other members of his cabinet, except Vice Premier Nekrasoff, resigned. Later, with the exception of M. Terestchenko, the foreign minister, they withdrew their resignations. M. Tchernoff was accused of having been connected with the German general staff.

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Rear Admiral Lacaze, minister of marine in the French cabinet, handed his resignation to Premier Ribot at Paris.

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Personal

Frank Richardson, barrister and novelist, was found dead in London. Richardson was born in 1870.

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Washington

Oscar A. Price of West Virginia, auditor for the interior department at Washington, has been appointed publicity director of the Liberty loan by Secretary McAdoo.

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A resolution for submission to the states of a prohibition amendment to the federal Constitution was adopted by the senate at Washington. The vote was 65 to 20. As adopted, the resolution contains a provision that the states must be asked to ratify the amendment within six years. The house must still act on the resolution.

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Domestic

Rev. John Reichart, pastor of the German Evangelical church at Lowden, Ia., has been held to the federal grand jury in $5,000 bond on charge of preaching seditious sermons.

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The young men who have thronged to marriage license bureaus in hope the government would exempt them from army service have got married in vain. They may be liable to prosecution. If this is so, their war brides, as aiding them in the misdemeanor, also will be liable to prosecution, according to a statement issued at Washington by General Crowder.

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Edna Larson, her sister, Hazell, both of Altoona, and Hilda Boquist, twenty, and Kenneth Swanson of Rock Island, Ill., were instantly killed when their auto was struck by a train.

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Frank Little, member of the executive board of the Industrial Workers of the World and prominent in labor troubles in Arizona, was hanged at Butte, Mont., by masked men. Little in a recent speech referred to United States troops as "Uncle Sam's scabs in uniform."

TEN MEMBERS OF GERMAN CABINET QUIT THEIR POST

FOREIGN SECRETARY ZIMMERMANN AND NINE OTHERS RESIGN OFFICE AND SUCCESSORS ARE APPOINTED.

VON KUEHLMANN NAMED AS DIPLOMATIC CHIEF

Resignations Come from Premier, Four Ministers of State and Five Secretaries of State—Changes in Prussian Reichstag Are Also Announced.

Berlin, Aug. 7.—Official announcement is made that five ministers of state, including Foreign Secretary Alfred Zimmermann and four secretaries of state, including Finance Minister Lentze and Interior Minister Von Loebell, had resigned their portfolios.

The ministers and secretaries of state who resigned were:

Minister of justice—Dr. Beseler, appointed November, 1905.

Minister of ecclesiastical affairs and instruction—Dr. Von Trott Zu Golz, appointed July, 1909.

Minister of agriculture, domains and forests—Dr. Von Schorlemer, appointed in 1910.

Minister of finance—Dr. Lentze, appointed August, 1910.

Minister for interior—Herr von Losbell, appointed May, 1914.

Secretary of state—imperial postoffice—Herr Kraetke.

Imperial secretary of justice—Dr. Lisco.

Secretary for foreign affairs—Dr. Alfred Zimmermann, appointed November, 1916.

President of the food regulation board—Adolph von Batocki.

Dr. Richter, under secretary of the imperial home office, also resigned his post.

Dr. Karl Helfferich will continue to be the representative of the imperial chancellor and a member of the ministry of state and temporary minister of the interior.

Dr. Richard von Ruchlmann, the German ambassador to Turkey, has been appointed secretary for foreign affairs in succession to Dr. Zimmermann.

New Ministers Chosen.

The Landrat von Graevinitz was appointed to succeed Arnold Wahnschaffe as chief of the imperial chancellory.

The ministry of economics will ultimately be separated from the ministry of the interior and Herr Waldraff, mayor of Cologne, will be appointed minister of the interior and Herr Schwander, mayor of Strassburg, minister of economics, with the titles of excellency.

In addition to the appointment of Dr. Von Kuehlmann as secretary for foreign affairs, Herr Ruedlin was made director of railways and minister of posts, and Privy Counsellor von Krause was named secretary of justice. Overpresident von Waldow was appointed chief of the department of army nourishment.

The vacant Prussian ministerial posts were filled as follows:

Minister of justice, Dr. Peter Spahn, leader of the Catholic party in the reichstag.

Minister of the interior, Undersecretary Drews.

Minister of instruction, Ministerial Director Schmidt.

Minister of Agriculture, Dr. Essen-Hartruthe.

Minister of finances, Dr. Hertz.

CHINA'S PRESIDENT GIVES APPROVAL TO TEUTON WAR

Sanctions Hostilities Against Germany Voted by Parliament Recently.

Peking, Aug. 7.—Acting President Feng Kwo-Chang has approved the unanimous decision reached at a special meeting of the Chinese cabinet to declare war on Germany and Austria-Hungary.

The ministers of the entente powers met at the Chinese foreign office, it is believed, to discuss a Chinese declaration of war.

Prominent Germans in Peking are conferring with the Dutch minister to China to make arrangements to go to Java. The Spanish minister probably will take over the interests of Austria-Hungary.

Premier Tuan Chi-Jpi and his political followers insist that Feng Kwo-Chang as vice president automatically became president when Li Yuan-Hung declined to resume office.

Parliamentarians are assembling in Canton and are preparing to organize a military government with the sanction of parliament and to elect a president.

Villa Not Military Factor.

Juarez, Mexico, Aug. 7.—Francisco Villa has been eliminated as a military factor in Mexico and has reverted to his old methods of banditry, General Murgula, commander-in-chief of the Northeastern military zone, said here. General Murgula, accompanied by his wife and children, came from Chihuahua City for a visit. "Villa has less than 100 men and is no longer to be reckoned with in a military way. He now is leading the life of a bandit," said General Murgula, "and is no longer a factor."

GOVERNMENT TO CURB OKLAHOMA ANTI-DRAFT MOBS

MAY SEND TROOPS INTO SEVERAL STATES TO QUELL DEMONSTRATIONS OF GROWING PROPORTIONS.

RESISTERS TO BE TRIED BY ARMY AS DESERTERS

Offenders to Be Run Down and Punished Regardless of the Cost—High Officials Confer—Tenant Farmers, Indians and Negroes Burn Bridges.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Federal troops may be sent into Oklahoma and other states to quell antidraft demonstrations which recently have assumed growing proportions. The possibility of sending federal troops into sections where antidraft agitators have been busy, was discussed at conferences between officials of the justice and war departments. The national guard of the country has gone under federal control.

To Be Caught at Any Cost.

Persons resisting the draft law, department of justice officials announced, whether in Oklahoma or elsewhere, will be sought out, run down and brought before the proper authorities, no matter at what cost.

Provost Marshal General E. H. Crowder and Assistant Attorney General Fitts, in charge of the enforcement of the draft law, conferred as to steps to be taken to check draft agitators in North Carolina, Georgia, Oklahoma and other localities.

Face Trial as Deserters.

"Any eligible man taking part in such movements may make my work much easier," said General Crowder. "We will certify them into the new national army, order them to camp and if they fail to answer, we will treat them as ordinary deserters. Then they will not have an opportunity to face an exemption board of their neighbors, but will be made to face a military court."

Mobs Running Rampant.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 5.—Indulging in a dream of revolution and resisting the draft law, at least half a dozen armed bands of tenant farmers, half-breed Indians and negroes are running rampant throughout five counties in east central Oklahoma today.

Three Bridges Burned.

Three railroad bridges are reported to have been burned by the mobs. They are two structures of the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf railway near Calvin and across the Canadian river at Tyrola and one over Salt creek, between Konowa and Maud.

500 to 1,500 Resisters.

As the disturbed territory is about 100 miles long by 90 miles wide, the topography of which is rugged and full of thickets, only an estimate can be made of the total number of rioters. Reports placed the number of resisters variously at 500 to 1,500.

SHIPS BEING BUILT ARE COMMANDEERED BY U. S.

About 675 Vessels Affected By Order Score of Largest Yards Notified By Telegraph.

Washington, Aug. 6.—The shipping board has telegraphed orders to more than a score of the country's largest shipyards requisitioning all ships of 2,500 dead weight tons or more now building. Management of the yards will be in the hands of the present owners, but under government direction.

About 675 ships are affected by the government's order. Their aggregate tonnage is more than 1,500,000. Included are many English, Norwegian, and other vessels on foreign account.

The shipyards and owners of the vessels will receive compensation for the construction work on them so far. The government will take over the contracts and expedite completion of the ships in order to make room for more emergency vessels to overcome submarine losses.

Allies To Fight Until Victory Is Won.

London, Aug. 6.—David Lloyd George, British premier, in the presence of a distinguished gathering in Queens hall to mark the third anniversary of the declaration of war, reiterated the aims for which the Entente Allies were fighting and indicated such were the only conditions under which they would consent to a suspension of hostilities with the Central Powers. The meeting was under the auspices of the National War Aims committee and was probably the greatest patriotic demonstration of the year.

Railroad Laborers on Strike.

Davenport, Iowa, Aug. 6.—Two hundred unorganized laborers at the Rock Island railroad shops at Silvis, Ill., are on strike, demanding a 10 per cent wage increase. Whether a funeral procession would be permitted when the body of Frank Little is borne to the train for transportation to Yale, Okla., was uncertain. City officials fear further violence. Friends of the slain agitator are confident there will be no interference. The inquest has been opened by Coroner Lane, with miners as his jury.

Minnesota State Fair Food Training Camp

SEPTEMBER 3 TO 8

MUCH HONEY WASTED

John Jager—Bee Expert, Tells of Chance for Conservation.

John Jager, superintendent of the Bee and Honey exhibit of the Minnesota State Fair, is authority for the statement that in Minnesota alone there is wasted annually about $19,000,000 in honey which is allowed to go untaken and that there is, therefore, a splendid opportunity for work along the food conservation idea.

If this situation is true in Minnesota, it is also true in other Northwestern states and when the figures are compiled an amazing amount of the purest food obtainable—nature's own food—is found to be absolutely wasted.

Mr. Jager explains that the reason for this tremendous waste is that there are altogether too few bee keepers and he recently predicted that the government will some day provided apiaries for wounded and crippled soldiers returned from the European battlefields, who will be unable to do work of any other kind.

The government this year is to utilize the fairs of the country as food training camps as a means of spreading the doctrine of production and conservation of food and in Washington authorities of the government, working in co-operation with representatives of the fairs, are busy preparing exhibits and demonstrations to show the people how best they can do their individual "bits" to make the movement a success.

Mr. Jager will have charge of the bee and honey exhibit at the state fair and recently he stated that this year's show will be far superior to those of recent years and that visitors to his department will be told of the necessity for more bee keepers and of the attractiveness of the business from a money making point of view.

"Honey is one of nature's purest foods," declared Mr. Jager recently, "and it is a shame to see so much of it actually go to waste merely because there are not enough bee keepers to take care of it. There is a fine chance for attention by those who are working for the conservation of food and I look for added interest in the bee business, which, to my notion, is the most interesting and paying business one can enter.

"There is so much scientific research work connected with bee keeping," he concluded, "that even professional men are beginning to desert their professions and go into the business of raising bees."

INTEREST IS GENERAL

People in All Classes Join Food Conservation Move.

That the food conservation movement has taken on a national aspect and that there is general interest being manifested in it is evident from the reports being published in newspapers throughout the country.

The Twin Cities and the surrounding territory are deeply interested and people in all walks of life have already demonstrated that they are ready and willing to do their bits to help the work along.

Women in the humblest homes are doing all they can to save food and the same may be said of those of the wealthy classes. Prominent people in every line of activity have been enlisted in the cause and during the coming year there should be noticeable results of the work.

So widespread is the interest in the movement that it is predicted the exhibits and demonstrations at the variour fairs which will be turned into food training camps will be given more attention than any of the other features.

War conditions have caused most women to study to do their own housework in the most economical and practical way, is the opinion of a well known member of a women's club. Through the conservation movement to be carried on by the food training camps at the various state fairs the most efficient methods of conserving food and of doing housework are to be explained and demonstrated by government experts.

This is the first year the government has given its official recognition to the fairs and it is predicted both the fairs and the government will benefit by it.

To Divide Roumanian Crop.

Berlin, Aug. 6.—(Via London.)—In addition to the conference of representatives of the Central Powers called to meet at Budapest to discuss the Danube problems, there will be this month an important conference of German and Austro-Hungarian representatives in Vienna to discuss the future disposition of the Roumanian crops. The present understanding covers only the current year.

Mrs. De Saulles Thought Insane.

New York, Aug. 6.—Belief that Mrs. Bianca De Saulles was temporarily insane when she shot and killed her former husband, John L. De Saulles, former famous Yale football player at his Long Island home, has been expressed by Attorney Uterhart, attorney for Mrs. De Saulles. Fear that Mr. De Saulles would insist on keeping their four-year-old son longer than he is said to have agreed, was assigned by Mr. Uterhart as the cause of the mother's dementia and the consequent tragedy.

Was Laid Up In Bed

Doan's, However, Restored Mrs. Vogt to Health and Strength. Hasn't Suffered Since.

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MRS. VOGT.

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Then the voice said, "This house will not hold thee and me."

And the door was not opened.

Then went the lover into the desert, where there is nothing but Allah, and fasted and prayed in solitude.

And after a year he returned and knocked again at the door.

And again the voice asked, "Who is there?"

And he said, "It is thyself."

And the door was opened to him.—Exchange.

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HE WAS WAITING PATIENTLY

Constant Attendant at Play Was Bound to Be on Hand when Erring Wife Was Caught by Husband.

A problem play was being produced in Chicago. One evening it was discovered that a certain man, evidently from the rural district, had attended the play six nights in succession and always sat well down in front. Each night he leaned forward eagerly in his seat and drank in the words of the drama.

These facts were communicated to the theater press agent, who scented a good story. Approaching the interested spectator between the acts, he apologized for his intrusion and said: "Would you mind telling me just why you are so interested in this play? Do you know some member of the cast?"

"Nope," said the man from the outlands. "That ain't it. But I'll tell you about it. You know the scene in the private room of the restaurant, where the dark man and the other man's wife get up and leave by the left-hand door just a moment before the woman's husband enters by the right-hand door?"

"Yes," said the press agent expectantly.

"Well," said the interested spectator, "some night the husband's going to come in before they leave."

Her Idea.

Wifey—James, make a little garden for me in the back yard.

Hubby—Going into amateur gardening?

Wifey—Yes; I get some bird seed and I'm going to try to raise canaries.

His Wife's Little Shot.

"I'm glad you're over the draft age."

"Why?"

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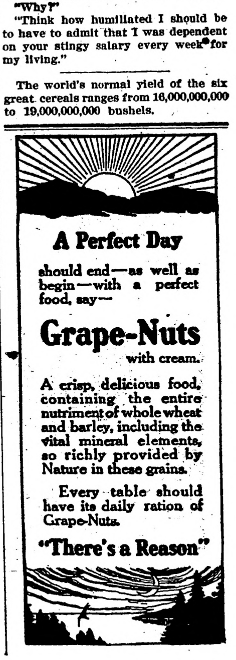

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The True Word.

Two elderly New York clubmen who have retired spend much of their time gazing out upon the Fifth avenue throngs from their leather rest chairs at a club lounge window.

Charles B. Towns was seated near them the other day. A very stunning woman of middle age passed in a handsome turnout.

"I wonder how old she is?" said one.

"Woman is as old as she looks," was the reply.

There was a pause. "And man is not old until he quits looking," said the first—and both resumed their gazing.

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Quite Happy.

Through the wild way of her good-for-nothing husband, a hard-working charwoman had to remove to a little two-roomed cottage, where there was scarcely space to sneeze without shaking the ornaments from the mantelpiece.

"It's hard lines for you to be brought down like this, after what you've been accustomed to," said a sympathetic neighbor. "I don't doubt you feel very miserable, Mrs. Jones."

"No, I don't," the charwoman stoutly denied. "I'm happier here by a long way than I used to be in the old place. For one thing, when my husband comes home in a brute of a temper, he can't throw me down the cellar steps, as he used to, 'cos there ain't none now!"—Pearson's Weekly.

Didn't Seem to Be "Free" Seeds.

An Indiana congressman recently made a liberal distribution of free seeds, sending them to his constituents in franked envelopes on which appeared the regular warning, "Penalty for private use, $300," says the Indianapolis News. A few days later one of his supporters wrote:

"I don't know what to do about those garden seeds you sent me. I notice it is $300 fine for private use. I don't want to use them for the public. I want to plant them in my private garden. I can't afford to pay $300 for the privilege. Won't you see if you can fix it so I can use them privately? I am a law-abiding citizen, and do not want to commit a crime."

An Apology.

"Are you not ashamed to use poisoned arrows?

"I'm doing the best I can in my limited way," whimpered the savage. "Of course, poisoned arrows only get 'em one at a time. But we lack the mechanical facilities for wholesale operations with U-boats."

The Only Way

"Senor, can you handle any [illegible] money?"

"That depends. Is it baled?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Bobby SAYS "Try a dish of Post Toasties with cream for lunch on hot days"

The State In Brief

On the basis that it is unpatriotic not to work during the vacation period in war times, Winona business men and their employes are enlisting to work on farms through the Minnesota Safety Commission's farm labor bureau in Winona.

The Federal Trade Commission will begin in a few days a flour milling investigation as a part of its general food inquiry. A corps of investigators under Dr. E. O. Merchant of the commission will come to Minneapolis within a few days from Washington for the purpose.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety, of which Mrs. T. G. Winter is director, offers a prize of $15 for the best patriotic poster made by a pupil in the public schools of the state, and $5 for the second prize.

Another advance of 10 cents a ton in the price of coal has gone into effect at Duluth. Consumers are paying the highest prices in the history of the trade there. Quotations in anthracite coal are now $1.10 higher than at this time last year. Dealers do not hold out hope of lower prices.

The threat made by Industrial Workers of the World agitators in Gogebic county, Michigan, that the Mesaba range miners would walk out in sympathy with the Wolverine strike, was branded falsehood by miners themselves at Hibbing, who are satisfied with conditions and wages.

At least 75 per cent of the men examined so far by Minneapolis ward boards have signified intention of claiming exemptions, according to announcements from those boards which have begun their tasks. The chief reason given for exemption claims is that of dependent families or other relatives.

The First Minnesota infantry will be continued on property guard service in Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth until August 15, and possibly until August 31, depending on the organization of the new Fourth infantry, according to a telegram received by Governor Burnquist, from General Barry at Chicago.

A new form of patriotism has developed in Winona. Notaries public have come forth prepared to do their "bit" in the war. Notices have been sent local young men who will report for physical examinations for the new selective army. Those who ask exemption will require affidavits. These the notaries public will furnish free.

A near riot occurred at Hutchinson when J. O. Bentall, a socialist speaker, accused Postmaster Sam G. Anderson of holding up mail for him containing anti-draft literature. The postmaster jumped on the platform and offered to thrash the speaker. Fully 5,000 persons, mostly German farmers, witnessed the affair. Bentall later apologized and escaped from the town before a mob, made up of draft supporters, could reach him.

With a prospect of dozens of crates of berries going to waste because of the labor shortage, fruit growers in the vicinity of Minneapolis are sending out urgent S. O. S.—or rather, "Save Our Berries"—calls for amateur pickers. A hurry call for pickers came to the Minnesota Public Safety commission's free employment bureau. Some of the farmers, rather than allow the berries to rot on the bushes, are offering 50 per cent for the picking.

Students at the Fort Snelling officers' training camp who fail to qualify for commissions and the students who already have been dismissed from camp are to have an opportunity to enlist in the infantry service of the national army with the understanding that they are to be assigned as noncommissioned officers and that they may be promoted to commissioned grades. This information was received by Brig. Gen. William H. Sage, camp commandant at Fort Snelling, in a telegram from the Central department.

Conrad Heimlein, 55 years old, a well known Goodhue county farmer, was killed near Red Wing when struck by lightning.

W. H. Sherman, 60 years old, of Winnipeg, formerly wholesale liquor dealer, died at Detroit from potomaine poisoning.

Forest fires which threatened early Sunday to become serious in the Bemidji neighborhood are reported under control by rangers at Brush, Shevlin, Leonard, Lengby, Ebro and Witched Forest.

Winona hotels will not join in the meatless day proposals unless all hotels in the state agree upon definite days upon which to refrain from using meat, according to C. A. Hine, manager of Hotel Winona.

Establishment of public markets in Minnesota cities and suspension of license regulations hindering food products sales are recommended to city councils in a resolution adopted by the State Public Safety Commission in executive session at the Capitol.

Instructions have been issued to department commanders to withdraw no national guard troops from their states without first consulting the governor of the state to which the units belong. In case of a disagreement between any governor and commander the proposal must be submitted to Washington. This is according to word received by Governor Burnquist from Washington.

After his mother warned him to stay away from the river, Clifford Mahnes, 13 years old of St. Cloud went in bathing Saturday and was drowned.

GOOD ROADS WORK TO BEGIN SHORTLY

STATE AND FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO SHARE IN COST OF IMPROVING HIGHWAYS.

TO HELP MARKET NEW CROPS

Eleven Are Named by State Food Commission to Assist in Fighting Waste in Selling Products.

St. Paul.

Minnesota good roads work toward which the federal government will contribute $142,000 this year, will begin within the next few weeks, George C. Scales, assistant manager of the Minneapolis office of the United States department of public roads, announces.

The first project to which the government will contribute will be a $110,000 road in Chisago county. Other road work in which the government will join includes a $46,000 project in Freeborn county, and a $160,000 expenditure in Pine county; Crow Wing county, $60,000; Mille Lacs county, $100,000; Winona county, $24,000, and Washington county, $20,000.

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The markets division of the state food production and conservation commission perfected plans to educate the farmers and gardeners in every county of the state through a personal service campaign to advantageously market their surplus products without waste to themselves or the consumers.

The plan is intended mainly to aid the producer in finding markets for crops he has grown for the first time.

A corps of eleven representative men will scatter over the state to cover every county and assist the local committees already proposed by the State Public Safety Commission to work out various market problems.

Special attention will be given to arranging for storage for perishable crops on the farms and in towns.

The movement will extend also to distribution of the coal supply, deliveries of necessary machinery and machine repairs and to handling crops.

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Other Appointments.

Other appointments announced by Gov. Burnquist are:

Carrie Rankeillour of Minneapolis, member of the State Board of Examiners of Nurses, vice Harriet B. Leach of Minneapolis, resigned.

Mrs. Margaret Huntington of Northfield, member of State Library Commission, re-appointed.

W. M. Taber of Park Rapids, member of State Forestry Board, vice H. Oldenburg of Carlton, who declined reappointment.

J. F. Ingersoll of Crookston, member of State Board of Grain Appeals re-appointed.

W. H. Rubins of Minneapolis, member of Governing Board of State Art Society, vice Edwin H. Hewitt of Minneapolis, whose term expired, and Mrs. Andreas Ueland of Minneapolis and Thomas C. Holyoke of St. Paul, re-appointed.

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State Food Quiz Program.

Beginning with the "staff of life," the state investigation committee charged by the Minnesota Public Safety Commission with the duty of ascertaining the cost of living and notably any exorbitant prices of the necessities of life decided at a meeting at the Capitol to inquire first into the cost of flour.

"Ham and bacon and other meats will be taken up next," the chairman, Colonel C. H. March, said, "but the flour prices will be dealt with first of all. Then in order will be considered the prices of wheat and next the prices of pork and beef and other meats as staple food products."

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Quane Quits Second Infantry.

Major Oliver J. Quane, St. Paul, has announced his decision to resign from the Second Minnesota Infantry to become a major in the newly organized Second Minnesota Field artillery.

This followed the commission to Major George T. Gorham as lieutenant colonel of the new regiment of gunners.

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Mannix Quits Office.

Joseph T. Mannix, whose two years' service as state printer ended Tuesday at midnight, is going on a long trip through the Orient. It will not be Mr. Mannix's first visit to the Eastern hemisphere. He has been there several times.

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State Has Fifth Woman Chauffeur.

Miss Emma Shanks of Morristown was granted a chauffeur's license by the state examining board. She is the fifth woman to pass the examination, Chairman W. O. Larson said, and her paper was creditable.

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Will Not Remove Sheriff.

Sheriff Joseph J. Urness of Mahnomen county will not be removed from office on the evidence on which the State Public Safety commission recommended his summary removal by Governor Burnquist under the authority of the 1917 law creating the commission, according to a statement made last night by the governor. The sheriff denied the charges on which the state commission recommended his removal and the governor was advised that removal at this time would be ill advised.

WHERE SEASONS ARE MIXED

Caves Exist in United States in Which Ice Freezes in Summer and Thaws in Winter.

There are several caves in the United States where nature seems to have become confused as to the seasons, according to Popular Science Monthly. During the late spring and summer ice forms, but as winter comes on the interior of the caves becomes milder, the ice gradually melts and a kind of subdued summer sets in underground.

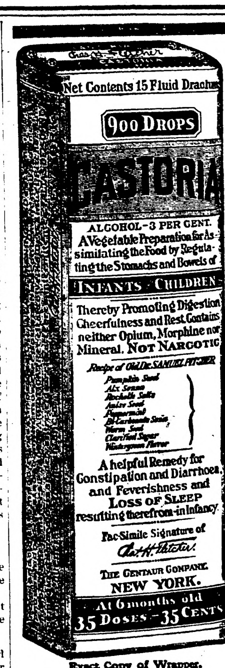
One of these peculiar caves is to be found at Coudersport, Pa., and one at Decorah, Ia. The superstitious among the residents of those localities give the caves a wide berth and look with suspicion upon anyone daring enough to attempt to investigate them. Edwin S. Balch of Philadelphia, who has made a study of the subterranean ice mines, as they are called, states that according to the theory evolved by investigators the formation of the caverns is such that the cold air of winter does not penetrate and settle in them until late in the spring at the time when the water from spring thaws is seping through the walls and roof. This water meeting the cold air freezes and stays frozen all summer until, as the fall season approaches, the warm summer air at last finds its way into the cave and melts the ice.

Wise Caddie.

Green Golfer (to caddie)—What are you looking there for? I must have driven it 50 yards farther than that.

Diplomatic Caddie—Yes, sir; but sometimes they hit a stone and bounce back a terrible distance, sir.

A wise bachelor never tells a girl she is pretty in the presence of her rival.



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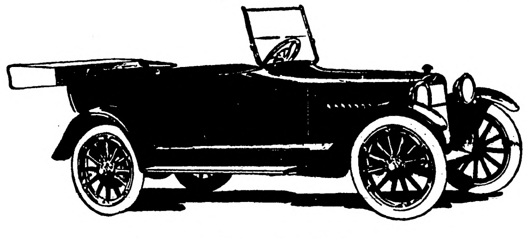

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Madge was three years older than her baby brother and felt herself equal to assuming the responsibilities of big sisterhood. When therefore her mother asked her to "keep an eye" on the baby and see that he didn't fall out of bed, Madge answered:

"Yes, mamma. I'll mind him an' if he falls I'll call you the minute he hits the floor."—Pearson's Weekly.

Capable Housewives.

"[illegible] of modern girls [illegible] clean and mend."

"Just as their grandmothers did [illegible]."

"Well, they know how to mend a tire and clean a spark plug."

Exactly.

[illegible] fishermen [illegible] formed a club."

"A sort of [illegible] society, [illegible]?"

Near a Storm Center.

"I'm sorry I built right here."

"Why?"

"Because they do say that some[illegible] best southeast of a storm [illegible]."

"What has that got to do with it?"

"Well, I've just discovered by [illegible]ing your wife's voice every night when you arrive home late that I live in a southeast direction from your house."

Naturally.

[illegible] Your daughter [illegible] spent a great deal [illegible] in Italy.

Mrs. Blumenty: [illegible] she's quite Italicized.

At the Ringside.

[illegible] Why does [illegible] so?

The old sport [illegible] [illegible]er.

Suspicious.

Molly—Everything went off splendidly and didn't the bride look beautiful?

Dolly—Yes, [illegible] she told me after the ceremony that [illegible] was only one drawback, that she thought her father looked too cheerful when he gave her away.

[illegible] Fortune.

[illegible] lucky girl! She [illegible] he [illegible] nobleman and he turned [illegible] movie actor.

Hard Luck.

[illegible] Could you help a poor [illegible] who has a starving wife and children and the gout?

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tice is hereby given that Peter erson, of Thief River Falls, n., who on January 27th, 1912, e Homestead Application Serial 07209, for SW 1-4, Section 15, nship 155 N., Range 42 W. 5th M., has filed notice of intention ake Five Year Proof, to estab- claim to the land above describ- Before Knute Nelson, U. S. Com- ioner for the District of Minne- a, at Middle River, Minn., on the h day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: l Stenerson, Halvor Moe, Martin son and Christ Nelson, all of ief River Falls, Minn.

Proof made according to law un- which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office at Crookston, nn., July 10, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Mel- Olson, of Holt, Minn., who, on . 11th 1911, made Homestead plication Serial No. 05811, for S SW 1-4 Sec. 15, N 1-2 NW 1-4 c. 22, Township 156 N, Range 41 5th P. M. has filed notice of in- tion to make Five Year Proof, establish claim to the land above cribed, before Knute Nelson, U. Commissioner for the District of nnesota, at Middle River, Minn., the 21st day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: rew Olson, Lenny Olson, Joseph all of Middle River, Minn., in G. Johnson, of Golden Val- Minn.

Proof made according to law un- which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, nn. June 30, 1917.

Notice is hereby that Carl J. enson, of Thief River Falls, n., R. 2, who on March 16th, 12, made Homestead Application ial No. 07492, for NE 1-4, Sec. Township 155 N., Range 42 W. P. M., has filed notice of inten- on to make Five Year Proot, to es- blish claim to the land above des- ibed, before Knute Nelson, U. S. mmissioner for the District of innesota, at Middle River, Minn., the 16th day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witness: lvor Moe, Martin Samson, Gun- r Brokke, Peter Anderson, all of ief River Falls, Minn., R. 2.

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Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Department of the Interior, U. S. nd Office at Crookston, Minnesota ne 30, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Hal- r Moe, of Thief River Falls, Minn. 2, who on Dec. 28th 1911, made mestead Application Serial No. 104, for NW 1-4, Section 15, Twp 5 N. Ran. 42 W. 5th P. M. has ed notice of intention to make ve Year Proof, to establish claim the land above described, before ute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner the District of Minnesota, at ddle River, Minn., on the 16th of August, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: l Stenerson, Martin Samson, nder Brokke, Peter Anderson, all ief River Falls, Minn. R. 2.

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Peter M. Ringdal, Registe

ave You Kidney Trouble

SYMPTOMS

Pains over Hips. Backache. Sedi- Deposit in Urine. Irritation of the . Pain in Urinating. Rheumatism. acid in blood). Sudden Stoppage of Ur- Highly Colored or Milky White Urine. Blood or Mucus in Urine. Retention of e. Straining after Urinating. Thick or ish Urine, Stone in the Bladder, Cystitis mmation of bladder) Catarrh of Bladder wels. Puffiness under Eyes. Nervous etite, Thirst. Gall Stone. Gravel. Pain in ths. Swollen Ankles. Dimmed Vision. before the Eyes. Scanty Urine. Fre- Calls. Mouth Dry. Biliousness. Dribbling Loss of Flesh, Weakness, Irregular Action. Ulceration of the Bladder. Skin Waxy and Dry, Bad Odor of Perspiration

Are You Eating To Win the War?

This Newspaper recommends Today's Housewife to every patriotic woman who wishes to help win the great war

Today's Housewife is especially needed by every homemaker in the present war-crisis, because the seven Courses in Domestic Science now running in the magazine help housewives to better select, prepare and conserve food supplies, to cut down waste, and at the same time to add to the health and welfare of the entire family.

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The American Red Cross Society

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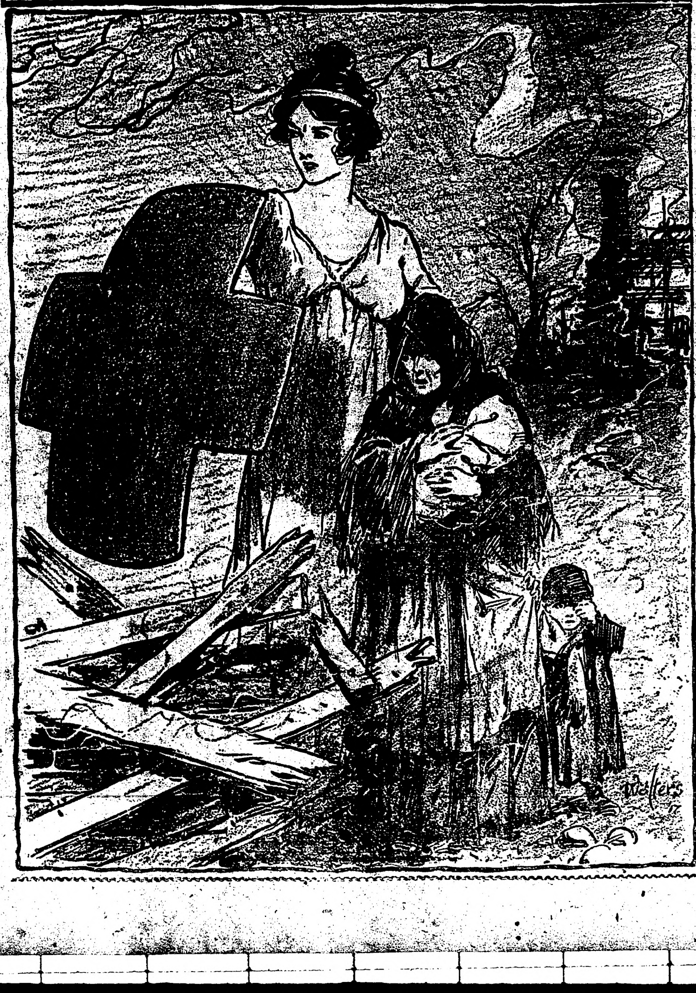


Fred Hoffman has bot a Ford of Ole Hamernes.

A. R. Jones spent Sunday with his family in Crookston.

Mrs. T. Dahl of Golden Valley visited Mrs. Ordahl Monday.

Oscar Norbeck returned home on Monday from Crosby, N. Dak.

Mrs. Ordahl was given a surprise party by the ladies Tuesday night.

Messrs. Monson, Mickelson and Flakne were Randen visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Martin Evenson visited in Thief River Falls the forepart of the week.

Axel Nelson and R. Relerson were visitors in T. R. Falls Tuesday evening

Mrs. John Sathre of Middle River visited Mrs. Albert Bennes last week Friday.

English services at the Misson church next Monday evening Aug. 18th, by Rev. G. O. Parish of Thief River Falls. Everyone invited.

It seems awful hard for it to rain. Perhaps the reason is, farmers are too busy haying and harvesting to be hindered with their work.

Rats should be killed off. Besides destroying food and feed—they carry disease germs and are a real menace to the health of a community.

Guy Anderson autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday and brot home his little nieces Hazel and Alvah Anderson for an over Sunday visit at the Alfred Anderson home.

While at work in the hay field Tuesday afternoon, Dr. R. L. Olson and son Martin saw three deer and a fawn feeding in the woods nearby, but they did not stay in sight very long.

A. R. Jones has sold two acres of land out of the northwest corner of his farm to his school district. Mr. Jones says he understands that each district is required to own that much land in order to get state aid.

Constantine Hoffman has a new threshing rig composed of a Ferquhar seperator and a C. O. D. tractor, which were shipped here Monday and unloaded and taken home by Mr. Hoffman so he would be ready for work.

Holt State Bank

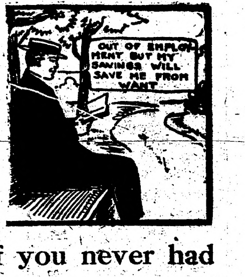
Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	4,000

President, D. B. Bakke

V. President, A. D. Stephens

Cashier, B. Docken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The children as well as the grown-ups must do their bit for their country. The Minnesota State Fair Food Training Camp, Sept. 3 to 8, will devote an entire department to stimulating interest in children's work and to pointing out ways in which the children may best serve their country.

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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Successor to and Continuation of

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By The

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Local Items

Are you helping to win the war?

Ben Hoff visited relatives in Middle River, Sunday and Monday.

Ole Brenna shipped a car of cattle from here Tuesday to the city markets.

Mr. Lucian, the electrician from T. R. Falls, was here yesterday on business.

Miss Tina Johnson went to Hillsboro Monday where she has employment.

Can all you can, and then can some more. Hard times are ahead of all of us. Take warning.

Otto Kuehne went to T. R. Falls Saturday and brot Albin Knauf here for an over Sunday visit at the August Kuehne home.

Hilmer Davidson was hired to drill the well at the school house for $2.10 per foot and furnish every thing except the pump.

Carl Christoferson has moved his house onto his own lots. Ed Berkvam did the moving last Friday with C. H. Gunheim's tractor.

Mrs. Olaf Johnson spent a few days near Steiner last week where her husband and nephews are still working with their dredge.

Postmaster Engebretsen, accompanied by his mother and Mrs. Carl Engebretsen and children, autoed to Thief River Falls, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ness and children of T. R. Falls visited several days this week at the home of her father, R. Reierson and family.

B. J. Bakke, C. S. Kolden and Joe Nelson went to Crookston Tuesday and filed on Beltrami county homesteads under the Volstad act.

Good care should be taken of all straw, corn stocks and everything else that can be fed, but usually is wasted. Everything will be needed before another crop is grown.

Theodore Olson and family visited Sunday at the home of his brother, Dr. R. L. Olson and family. The former lives about ten miles east of T. R. Falls and they made the trip with their new Ford.

James Trourud and wife of Crookston visited Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. N. J. Engebretsen, also with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Engebretsen. Mr. Trourud is a salesman for the Crookston Milling Co.

Elmer Hagglund's bid of $47.75 per month for running the school bus, on route No. 1, was accepted by the school board. P. A. Riesberg also submitted a bid of $53.00, and Rudolph Reierson one for $54.50.

Mat Barzen and W. B. Fuller, of the Hanson & Barzen Milling Co. visited their agent, A. R. Jones, last week Thursday. Mr. Jones tells us they expect to soon have their elevator wired for electric lights.

Try a want ad in our columns.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday School 10 o'clock.

English Services at 8 o'cock Sunday evening. Everybody invited.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Red Cross Picnic.

The Country Life Club of Marshall County will have a picnic for the benefit of the Red Cross.

The first annual Harvest Picnic of the Country Life Club will be on Sunday Aug. 19, at the Brokkee farm in Agdar formerly occupied by Martin Johnson.

It is hoped that a large crowd will be present to show their patriotism and to aid in the work of the Red Cross. Come and bring your dinner.

Trade at home.

Attending the big State Fair beats "going abroad" just now.

Now is the time to advertise seed rye, if you have any for sale.

W. A. Silbaugh purchased a new Ford Wednesday of Ole Hamernes.

Messrs. Loring and Lindquist of Crookston were in Holt Wednesday on business.

Ole Johnson is enjoying a two weeks vacation in Minneapolis and other points.

A discount of twenty-five per cent will be given on ladies hats at Reier Reierson's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Docken and Mrs. Gunheim visited in Middle River on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Chas. Martel returned home Saturday from a few weeks visit with her daughter in Minneapolis.

Every straw of any kind should be well stacked as already inquiries are being made for baled straw for sale.

Jacob Gabrielson of Golden Valley, was a business visitor in Thief River Falls, the forepart of the week.

Master Loyd Strom returned Tuesday to his home in T. R. Falls, after a few days visit at the P. A. Riesberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen and children and Mrs. Halfdon Hanson visited Sunday at the Frank Gavere home near Middle River.

President Wilson has appointed Mr. Hoover food administrator and now we hope food prices will soon be lowered to where they should be.

J. M. Swan brot in the first load of rye to A. R. Jones Thursday night and Alfred Anderson brot in a load to H. J. Olen the next morning.

There is no danger of anyone doing too much canning. Any kind of food will be saleable during war times and until the world gets back to normal and sane conditions.

W. A. Silbaugh says he is sure of a good crop of potatoes, this year; some of which are on display at the Holt State Bank. He expects to plant 20 acres of potatoes next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Gugrub and Miss Fosholm of Bumberg, N. D. came last week for a few days visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ellestead. Mrs. Ellestead is a sister of Mrs. Gugrub and it is needless to say they have greatly enjoyed this visit.

Dr. Lewis Olson and a Mr. Larson from McIntosh visited Dr. R. L. Olson a short time Sunday. Dr. Olson was on his way to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Olson, near Middle River. We understand he expects to soon be called to the colors and will serve in the veterinary corps in the army.

Trade in Holt and get rich.

Southeast of Holt.

Alma Gudvangen, Mrs. Johnson and daughter Violet are guests at the home of their brother Nels Gudvangen this week.

A large crowd from this vicinity were present at the picnic at O. B. Johnson on Sunday. A good time was reported by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sampson and children Harry and Gladys were Sunday afternoon visitor at P. Michaelson.

Mrs. P. Michaelson is enjoying a visit with her sister.

Misses Ida Guttrud, Amanda Klungness and the Messrs. Arthur Thorwick, Invard Peterson, Oscar Guttrud were up to Mud Lake and picked blue berries on Sunday.

Allen Adolphson of T. R. Falls is assisting Nels Gudvangen with haying.

Harry and Thora Moe visited at the M. Sampson home Sunday evening.

Save the Waste, and Win the War.

H. B. Young was a business visitor in T. R. Falls, Tuesday.

Several young ladies went to Mud Lake Sunday for a picnic dinner.

It's dry enough now to suit the most radical prohibitionist.

Found: A coat. Prove property and pay for this notice at Reierson's store.

Joseph Johnson went to Warren Monday to work during the threshing season.

The Marshall Co. Teachers Institute will be held in Warren August 27th to 31st.

Mrs. J. L. Nelson went to Fertile and other points last week Thursday to visit relatives.

C. H. Gunheim and family spent Sunday at the Ole Christenson home in Mud Lake township.

Mrs. Carl Frederickson and children visited in Thief River Falls last week Thursday and Friday.

Ruby Bennes and Doris Richter of T. R. Falls came Wednesday to visit at the Albert Bennes home.

Mrs. Fred Lumpkin and children came Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

No slacker about the dairy cow, if she has plenty to eat. Here is where the need of a silo comes in.

E. T. Eide was down from Spooner a couple of days this week visiting his family and looking after his farm.

Mrs. Albin Knauf and baby came Saturday for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kuehne.

Olaus Rodahl came in town Monday with his cement mixer and has been busy putting the basement floors in the new brick.

Tony Anderson has taken a vacation from his work with the dredge crew near Roseau, and has been spending a few days at home.

E. M. Wilson has sold the subscription list of the Newfolden Review to Mattson & Sons of The Warren Sheaf. E. Bergsman will act as local editor.

Hilmer Davidson's bid was the lowest submitted for drilling the well in Dist. No. 148. He is to have $2.35 a foot for finishing the well complete with pump, etc.

Save all rough feeds for stock, and all grains possible for feeding the people. The drouth, high prices and the war,— means that everybody Must Save in every possible way.

For Sale.

For Sale, by owner, 4 forties in Section 16, and one forty in Section 30. Apply to

Mrs. Julia Le Suer,
Jasper, Minn.

Estray Notice

A couple of spring calves came to my place about ten days ago. Owner please prove property and pay expenses of this notice and of keeping.

M. S. Sampson
Holt, Minn.

For Sale!

A 1914 Carter car, in complete running order, with electric lights and self starter. Will sell cheap or consider a trade.

B. Docken,
Holt, Minn.

For Sale!

As we will soon be ready to move into our new bank building, we have decided to sell our old building at a reasonable price. If interested write or call on us.

Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

Holt Dray and Livery

H. Peterson, Prop.

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In connection with teams and rigs

Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson

Holt, Minn.

Marius Hoel is still quite sick at the home of his parents.

Miss Olga Saastrd returned home yesterday from T. R. Falls.

The American passenger ship, City of Athens struck a mine Aug. 10th. near Cape Town, South Africa. Five Americans were lost, and also 10 other passengers and four of the crew. Four of the Americans were missionaries from Minneapolis.

The Turks are not only looting Jerusalem, but have embarked on a campaign of plundering and killing the native people, calculating if they are forced to vacate the country, to leave it poverty stricken and depopulated. Turkey is the cruelest nation in the world. yet Germany has her for her ally and sanctions all the blood curdling crimes she may commit.

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., July 10, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Melvin Olson, of Holt, Minn., who, on Jan. 11th 1911, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05811, for S 1-2 SW 1-4 Sec. 15, N 1-2 NW 1-4 Sec. 22, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 21st day of August 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Andrew Olson, Lenny Olson, Joseph Rankin all of Middle River, Minn., Edwin G. Johnson, of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Mathias Olson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Mathias Olson Decedent

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Antonette Olson,

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 23rd day of February 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News as provided by law.

Dated Aug. 13, 1917.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

The Red Cross needs your help.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.94
Wheat No. 2	1.89
Wheat No. 3	1.79
Wheat No. 4	1.69
Flax	3.13
Oats	48
Barley	88 to 1.07
Rye	1.54
Flour, Best Patent	7.35

Announcement

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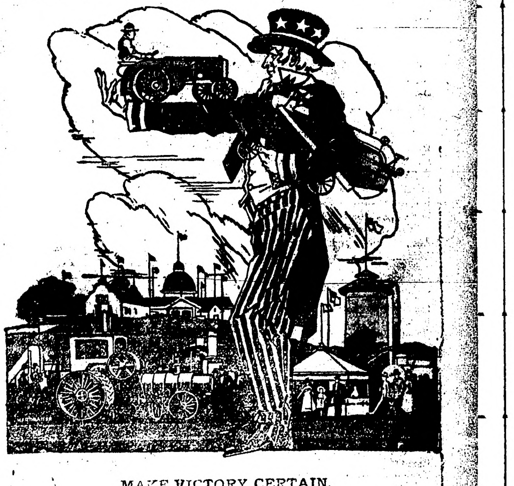

MAKE VICTORY CERTAIN.

Food or defeat—that is the problem that confronts America. We must have abundant food to win this war. The Minnesota State Fair Food Training Camp, Sept. 3 to 8, through its machinery exhibits, will point out the way to obtain greater crop yields from the same land. Do your bit by showing your interest in this work. Attend the Minnesota State Fair.

SOLD SHOTGUN FOR TEN DOLLARS

And Filed on Western Canada Land. Now Worth $50,000.

Lawrence Bros. of Vera, Saskatchewan, are looked upon as being amongst the most progressive farmers in Western Canada. They have had their "ups-and-downs," and know what it is to be in tight pinches. They persevered, and are now in an excellent financial position. Their story is an interesting one. Coming in from the states they traveled overland from Calgary across the Battle river, the Red Deer river, through the Eagle Hills and on to Battleford. On the way their horses were stolen, but this did not dishearten them. They had some money, with which they bought more horses, and some provisions. When they reached Battleford they had only money enough to pay their ferriage over the Saskatchewan river, and this they had to borrow. It was in 1906 that they filed on homesteads, having to sell a shotgun for ten dollars in order to get sufficient money to do so. Frank Lawrence says:

"Since that time we have acquired altogether a section and a half of land, in addition to renting another three quarters of a section. If we had to sell out now we could probably realize about $50,000, and have made all this since we came here. We get crops in this district of from 30 to 35 bushels of wheat to the acre and oats from 40 to 80 bushels to the acre. Stock here pays well. We have 1,700 sheep, 70 cattle and 60 horses, of which a number are registered Clydes."

Similar successes might be given of the experiences of hundreds of farmers throughout Western Canada, who have done comparatively as well. Why should they not dress well, live well, have comfortable homes, with all modern equipments, electric light, steam heat, pure ventilation, and automobiles. Speaking of automobiles it will be a revelation to the reader to learn that during the first half of 1917, 16,000 automobile licenses were issued in Alberta, twice as many as in the whole of 1916. In Saskatchewan, 21,000 licenses were issued up to the first of May, 1917. In its monthly bulletin for June the Canadian Bank of Commerce makes special reference to this phase and to the general prosperity of the West in the following:

"Generally speaking the western farmer is, in many respects, in a much better position than hitherto to increase his production. Two years of high prices for his products have enabled him, even with a normal crop, to liquidate a substantial proportion of his liabilities and at the same time to buy improved farm machinery. His prosperity is reflected in the demand for building materials motor cars and other equipment. It is no doubt true that some extravagance is evidenced by the astonishing demand for motor cars, but it must be remembered that many of these cars will make for efficiency on the farm and economize both time and labor."—Advertisement.

Why Bottle Was Empty.

One delight of small Harold was to go on an errand to a neighboring store. After school yesterday at No. 3 he was sent by his mother to get a siphon of vichy. He was long in returning. When he did arrive, his mother scolded him for consuming so much time.

"Why," she exclaimed, "and the siphon is nearly empty. Do you mean to tell me that is all the vichy there was in the bottle when you got it?"

"Well, mamma," Harold replied, "on the way home I met little Sarah's cat."

"Well?"

"The cat said 'p-s-s-t' to me and the siphon said 'p-s-s-t' to her."

CUTICURA KILLS DANDRUFF

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Anoint spots of dandruff, itching and irritation with Cuticura Ointment. Follow at once by a hot shampoo with Cuticura Soap, if a man, and next morning if a woman. When Dandruff goes the hair comes. Use Cuticura Soap daily for the toilet.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Maybe He Did.

The couple had stopped before the brilliantly bejeweled window of a shop in Fifth avenue, near Thirty-seventh street, New York. The girl, petite and altogether a treat to the passing masculine eye—passing, but hesitatingly so—was gowned charmingly in something which clung to her affectionately, pardonably so.

"Oh, Harold!" she exclaimed, "did you know that knee vanity boxes were becoming all the rage?"

"So I see," replied the unashamed Harold.

"You horrid thing! You do not."

The board of health consists of three square meals a day.

Many of the words that burn go from the waste basket into the incinerator.

After the Movies Murine is for Tired Eyes. Red Eyes—Sore Eyes—Granulated Eyelids. Rests—Refreshes—Restores. Murine is a Favorite Treatment for Eyes that feel dry and smart. Give your Eyes as much of your loving care as your Teeth and with the same regularity. CARE FOR THEM. YOU CANNOT BUY NEW EYES! Sold at Drug and Optical Stores or by Mail. Ask Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, for Free Book

News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

U. S.—Teutonic War News

Denouncing some senators, congressmen and newspaper editors as "standing where the copperheads stood in the Civil war," Colonel Roosevelt demanded in an address at New York suppression of the German language press, deportation of "50-50 Americans" and called upon every man, woman and child in the country to exert every ounce of energy to win the war.

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The commander of the armed guard of an American merchantman has reported to the navy department at Washington that his crew sank a submarine after the Germans had made an unsuccessful attempt to sink the ship.

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More than 3,500 training camp students at Fort Sheridan, Ill., were made commissioned officers in the new American national army.

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The regular army is at full strength. When recruiting began Thursday only 593 enlistments were needed to make the total in this branch 313,898, the authorized strength. Since April 1 over 184,000 men have enlisted, says a dispatch from Washington.

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United States agents at Seattle, Wash., uncovered a gigantic plot to break down the selective service army plans by engineering wholesale exemptions. Propaganda is being mailed to men called for physical examination.

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Dr. Fritz Bergmeier, president of the St. Paul Volks Zeitung, was arrested by order of President Wilson under the proclamation of April 6. The general policy of the Volks Zeitung has been to "cast aspersion by innuendo" on American war measures, it is charged.

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Local exemption boards will be in full charge of assembling the men called to the colors September 1, says a statement issued at Washington. The civilian control of the men will continue up to the time they march through the gates of the cantonments and report to the commandants.

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Revised regulations to govern physical examination of men registered under the selective draft were issued at Washington by Surgeon General Gorgas of the army and communicated to the governors of the states for information of local boards. The changes deal for the most part with questions of proportionate weight and height, but may result in the recall of some men rejected heretofore on physical grounds.

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Four Americans were among those lost on the British steamer Belgian Prince, which was sunk July 31 by a German submarine. The submarine submerged while the men were on the deck. The Americans who lost their lives were William Crissy, James Shew, Detroit, Mich.; Thomas Gilmore, Merrick, Mass.; Ben Cain, negro.

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Domestic

Coal prices in Illinois are to go tumbling. Illinois citizens are assured a bounteous supply of coal. The state now has a "coal dictator." He is Chief Justice Orrin N. Carter of the state supreme court. Illinois coal mine operators threw up their hands in absolute surrender to Gov. Frank O. Lowden after a five-hour grueling conference at Chicago.

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After the department of justice had received anonymous letters alleging that draft exemptions were being bought in district No. 99, in New York, the members of the local board were summarily removed from office by Governor Whitman. The members of the board were Louis I. Cherry, Dr. Henry M. Groehl and Dr. S. J. Bernfeld.

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Heads of union labor called out 1,000 men employed at Brooklyn navy yard. Last week the men employed on construction work at the Mineola aviation grounds were called out.

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The indicated corn yield this year, according to the August government crop report, is 3,191,000,000 bushels—a larger crop than was ever raised in a single year before. The winter wheat yield is estimated at 417,000,000 bushels. The promise for the whole nation is 653,000,000. The oats crop is a record breaker. It is estimated at 1,456,000,000. The indicated yield of white potatoes is 467,000,000 bushels, compared with 285,000,000 last year.

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All danger of a general strike of carpenters on government war construction work throughout the country was averted when an agreement covering the points in dispute was signed at New York.

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Rioting broke out in the street car strike at Lima, O. Three men were shot in a clash between strike sympathizers and armed guards on the city cars of the Ohio Electric Railway company. Two street cars were burned during the battle. Police dispersed a crowd of 5,000 persons.

Over 200 slackers, handcuffed in three corrals in the federal building at Chicago, while awaiting arraignment, secured little sympathy from United States commissioners. The cases were disposed of at the rate of about five minutes to a case.

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It was announced at Washington that the president nominated Sheldon C. Hopkins of Cheyenne, Wyo., to be assistant secretary of the interior.

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Washington

James J. P. Delamy, a telegraph operator in the navy department at Washington, incensed at what he considered an insulting banner borne by Miss Lucy Burns, militant suffrage leader, in front of the White House, led a crowd of 200 men and women and to the official statement given out at touched by the crowd.

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Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo at Washington will ask for an additional bond issue at this session of congress, it was learned, following a conference he held at the capitol with several house leaders. The issue will run into billions, it is understood.

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The administration food control and food survey bills were signed at Washington by President Wilson and became law. Formal appointment of Herbert Hoover as food administrator was announced at the White House later. The first bill provides for stimulation of production and the second for control of foods and fuel.

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Bearing the president's stamp of approval and Secretary McAdoo's plea that it be made law, in justice to America's fighting men and their families, the long-expected war compensation, indemnity and insurance bill was introduced in both houses of congress at Washington. Drafted by international experts under Secretary McAdoo's direction, the proposed law is a substitute for the Civil war pension system.

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Creation of a "labor adjustment commission" of three representatives each of the government, employers and labor, was officially announced at Washington. It is designed to have jurisdiction over all labor disputes concerning wages or employment conditions on government contracts.

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The American steamship Navajo has been burned at sea, according to advices reaching the navy department at Washington. The entire crew and naval armed guard were rescued and have been landed at an unnamed port.

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Oversubscription of the $300,000,000 issue of short-term treasury certificates of indebtedness, Secretary McAdoo announced at Washington, was $61,525,000, more than 20 per cent.

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The senate at Washington confirmed the nomination of Bainbridge Colby of New York to be a member of the government shipping board.

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It was announced at Washington that the treasury's offer of $300,000,000 in certificates of indebtedness maturing November 15, first financing under the projected second offering of Liberty bonds, was largely oversubscribed when subscriptions closed.

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European War News

The French forces made further progress against the German positions on the Belgian front. The Frenchmen broke into the German lines, occupied several farms to the east of Bixschoote and west of Langemarck, and captured a number of machine guns, according to the official statement given out at Paris.

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Russian and Roumanian troops repulsed enemy attacks in the Trotus valley and then launched vigorous counter-attacks which gained them prisoners and captured machine guns, according to an official statement issued by the Roumanian war office.

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Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's forces at daybreak attacked and captured virtually all the German forward positions east of the Belgian town of Hooge on the battle front between Frezenburg and the Ypres-Menin road. The assaulting forces gained virtually all their objectives to the depth of several hundred yards in the first rush.

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Another merchantman has sunk a submarine, but, because of the fate of Capt. Charles Fryatt of the British steamer Brussels, who was executed, the name of the vessel and its commander are kept secret.

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Official announcement was made at the admiralty at London that Admiral Sir Cecil Burney, second sea lord, had been replaced by Vice Admiral Sir Roselyn Wemyss. Alan Garrett Anderson, hitherto vice chairman of the wheat commission, succeeds Sir Eric Campbell Geddes, the new first lord of the admiralty, as controller of naval construction.

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Entente warships bombarded the Turkish batteries along the coast of Asia Minor, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company at London. British monitors successfully reduced to silence one of the Turkish batteries and destroyed an airdrome.

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French troops broke into the lines of the German crown prince on the Champagne front at three places, inflicting losses on the Germans and bringing back prisoners, it was announced officially by the war department at Paris.

SOCIALIST ENVOYS TO PEACE MEETING DENIED PASSPORTS

ALLIED NATIONS FOLLOW UNITED STATES' LEAD—FORBID ATTENDANCE AT STOCKHOLM PARLEY.

LLOYD GEORGE BITTERLY ARRAIGNED IN COMMONS

Premier Criticized By Arthur Henderson Who Resigned As Member of Cabinet—Bonar Law Holds Conference With Enemy Subjects Is Illegal.

London, Aug. 14.—The Allied nations have agreed that no passports shall be issued to Socialists desiring to attend the international conference scheduled in Stockholm next month at which peace was to be discussed.

Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, speaking for the government in the house of commons, announced that Great Britain, France and Italy had agreed with the United States that passports permitting attendance at the Stockholm conference would be withheld.

Bonar Law's Statement.

Mr. Bonar Law said:

"The law offices of the crown have advised the government that it is not legal for any person resident in his majesty's dominions to engage in a conference with enemy subjects. Therefore permission to attend the Stockholm conference will not be granted."

England's decision not to grant passports was also announced by Foreign Minister Arthur J. Balfour. He told commons that passports for Irish trade unionists to Stockholm could not be granted.

Invitations By Slavs.

Invitations to the conference were originally issued by the Russians. Premier Kerensky is declared to be opposed to the session, but whether passports will be denied Russian delegates is not yet clear.

The decision of the governments to act in concert in refusing passports will nullify the action taken by French Socialists in voting to send ten delegates.

Arthur Henderson, who resigned as Labor member of the British cabinet, following action taken by the Labor party in voting to send delegates to Stockholm, bitterly arraigned Premier Lloyd George in the house of commons.

TEMPORARY "DRY" ORDER IN KANSAS CITY SEEN

U. S. Marshals "Advise" Nearly 300 Saloonkeepers To Close While Troops Are In Town.

Kansas City, Aug. 14.—United States deputy marshals have been "advising" between 200 and 300 saloonkeepers, principally in the heart of the business district, to cease the sale of intoxicating liquor in line with President Wilson's recent proclamation ordering saloons closed within half a mile of military camps.

Federal officials expected that the outcome would make the downtown district of Kansas City "dry" for the first time in its history.

The troops quartered here may be moved out of the city within a few days and the saloons permitted to reopen.

TWO OF TWENTY GERMAN RAIDERS BROUGHT DOWN

Enemy Airplanes, Which Killed 23 and Injured 50 In England Attacked Off Flanders Coast.

London, Aug. 14.—Two of the German airplanes which raided the coast resort of South End and other towns Sunday, were brought down by British flyers, the admiralty announces.

The machines were brought down off the coast of Flanders. One of them was a "Gotha," the new type of German plane, while the other was a seaplane.

The admiralty statement estimated 20 machines as taking part in the raid which resulted in the death of 23 persons and the injury of 50.

Pastor Denounces La Follette.

Washington, Aug. 14.—Denouncing Senator La Follette "and his pacifist colleagues in Congress" as "friends of the kaiser," Rev. D. H. Martin, pastor of Wesley M. E. church, declared them "unfit to hold seats in Congress." The pastor's sermon was on "The Friends of the Kaiser in America."

To Curb U. S. Gasoline Waste.

Washington, Aug. 14.—Warning of the possibility of drastic action by the federal government to stop excessive pleasure use of automobiles during the war in order that the gasoline needs of the United States and its Allies may be met is given in a statement issued by Director Van H. Manning of the Bureau of Mines, in which he asks the co-operation of automobile owners in stopping the practice. Enough gasoline to care for the requirements of America and perhaps those of its Allies would be saved.

TEUTONS EJECTED FROM ST. QUENTIN REGION BY FRENCH

DRIVEN FROM POSITIONS THEY HAD PREVIOUSLY CAPTURED THE GERMANS ALSO LOSE GROUND NEAR FAYET.

SIX GERMAN ASSAULTS ON BRITISH ARE FAILURES

Army of Crown Prince in Flanders Suffers Further Losses—Canadians Come in For Heavy Shelling By Enemy—Austrians Are Gaining on Russians.

Paris, Aug. 13.—North of St. Quentin French troops have made important progress in the region of Fayet, says the official statement given out by the French war department. The French ejected the Germans from a large part of the terrain which they had captured on the night of August 9-10.

Six German Attacks Fail.

London, Aug. 12.—Six German assaults were made on the British positions to the east of Ypres during the night, according to the British official statement. They all broke down after fierce fighting.

Field Marshal Haig reported the British maintained their positions to the east of Ypres and gained ground near the Ypres-Menin road.

Gain on Teuton Lines.

Both the British and French armies in Flanders have again struck hard blows at the Germans and made further gains in the line of Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria. While the fighting has occurred only on isolated sectors, it appears that the heavy artillery duels all along the front are the forerunners of a resumption of the big allied offensive which the rain stopped almost at its inception more than a week ago.

Driving eastward from the sector of Ypres, the British took all the German first line positions east of Hooge, on a nine-mile front, between Frezenburg and the Ypres-Menin road, and held them in their entirety despite the usual counter-attacks launched by the Germans under an extremely heavy barrage fire.

French Capture Farms.

To the north near Bixschoote and Langwarck, French troops have captured several farms held by the Germans and also have captured a number of machine guns. These gains are another forward step toward the Ostend-Lille railroad.

The Canadians, in their trenches at the doorstep of Lens and the British forces holding trenches south of Vimy ridge are coming in for intensive shelling from the Germans. On the long-neglected front near St. Quentin the Germans have delivered a surprise attack of considerable proportions, but were unsuccessful except at some weak points in the center of the French line. The Germans suffered heavy casualties in these attacks.

Likewise along the Aisne front the Germans have delivered onslaughts against the French, but here also they met with defeat.

Russians Lose Positions.

Aside from the front in France little fighting of moment is taking place except in Galicia, Bukowina and southern Moldavia. In all these sectors the Germans and Austro-Hungarians are declared by Berlin to be continuing their gains. Southeast of Czernowitz the Germans have penetrated the Russian frontier positions and further south with their allies they have taken height positions between the Trotus and Putna valleys, and in southern Moldavia, in the region of Fokshani, they have thrown their forces across the Suchina river on a wide front.

Allied warships have been bombarding the Turkish batteries along the coast of Asia Minor, according to a dispatch from Athens.

OFFERS PEACE RESOLUTION

La Follette Wants U. S. to Definitely Define Objects.

Washington, Aug. 13.—A peace resolution has been introduced in the Senate by Senator La Follette providing that the United States define definitely the objects for which it shall continue to wage war and that the Allies also make a public restatement of the peace terms which they will demand.

The resolution seeks to put congress on record as opposing support by the United States for annexation or indemnities for other nations and proposes the amassing of a common fund by all the belligerents for restoration of battle-devastated territory.

Regular Army at War Strength.

Washington, Aug. 13.—The regular army is raised to its full strength of 300,000. Twenty-three states which filled their quotas are California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New York, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Utah, Washington and Wyoming.

Recruiting will continue without any let-up, as the war department expects to keep up a steady flow of volunteers into the reserve.

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Disturbing Remark.

A country lawyer was defending a prisoner who had killed a man by hitting him on the head with a brick. The case against the prisoner being quite clear, the counsel endeavored to get his client off by making a perfervid speech. He said: "The responsibility of defending my client is almost overwhelming. This morning, as I was walking in my garden enjoying the lovely sunshine and balmy air, listening to the birds singing, and looking at all the beautiful flowers, I said to myself, 'My poor client, immured in his cell, can see none of these things!'"

Just then a spectator at the back of the court shouted: Neither can the man he hit on the head with a brick!"

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Children and Untruths.

Why do children lie? Edwin S. Puller in the Mothers' Magazine answers the question by saying that the imagination of a child is stronger than his intellect, that fiction is as real to a child as fact.

"The cure for lies inspired by imagination," he asserted, "is the education of the child's intellect to distinguish between fact and fancy. As his error is mental, not normal, his cure must be mental. It would be a grave error of training to attempt to suppress his imagination as a cure for his untruths. Imagination is the mainspring which moves his mentality to growth, hence it should be directed into rational channels and not curbed.

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The Secret of Youth.

After all, the plain truth is that adventure consists less in the experiences one actually has than in the indefatigable expectancy with which one awaits them, writes Edgar J. Goodspeed in the Atlantic. Indeed, I sometimes fear that people must be divided into those who have adventures and those who appreciate them. And between the two the affinity for adventure is greater treasure than the experiencing of it. If we are possessed of the affinity, adventure itself is, at most, just round the corner from us. This opens the life of adventure to all who crave it. What possibilities lie in merely crossing a street, for example! Some one remarked the other day as he dodged across among the motorcars, "Why not take a chance now and then and lead a real life for a few minutes?"

I therefore recommend the life of adventure. It conceives each day as a fresh enterprise, full of delightful possibilities and promise, and so preserves the wine of life from growing flat.

Here is the secret of youth.

Squelched.

A family tree is unquestionably of equal value to some persons as is real estate of a more material nature. But it all depends upon whether or not the branches of the tree are clean limbed. This was the decision reached by the two men discussing ancestry and heredity and such philosophy.

"I had my own family pedigree traced by a genealogical authority last week," said the taller of the two men.

"Indeed! What did it cost you?"

"Fifty dollars hush money."

St. Paul citizens must take out permits from park department before setting out shade trees.

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News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Fifty-five Austrians, only part of the crew, quietly have gone out on strike at the Belgrade mine near Biwabik.

Miss Dorothy Swannum of Fertile received a broken arm in a collision between two automobiles driven by Norman Nelson of Fertile and Dr. Nelson of Crookston.

Two men giving the names of Jim Hynes and Robert Taylor are awaiting hearing at St. Cloud on charges of plotting to rob the Northern Pacific station and a fast train.

Ignatz Brabec, a wealthy farmer, and his two sons, Joseph, 19, and Edward, 17, are in the county jail at Albert Lea charged with assault, and Mrs. Brabec is suffering from cuts and bruises as the result of a family quarrel, according to Sheriff Peter Fosse.

E. A. Williams of Clarrissa, has been elected superintendent of schools of Todd county to fill the unexpired term of V. S. Knutson who had resigned, following the institution of malfeasance proceedings. Mr. Williams is a member of the Farmers' Nonpartisan league.

During an electrical storm at Stephen a barn owned by J. J. Sinclair was struck by lightning and two horses were killed, while two of his men, Severson and Underberg, were knocked down by the shock. They recovered in a few minutes and extinguished a fire that had started in the hay mow.

Closely following the arrest of A. L. Sugarman, state secretary of the Socialist party, J. O. Bentall, Socialist candidate for governor of Minnesota in the last state election, and one of the best known Socialist leaders in the state, was arrested on his farm at Litchfield by United States agents headed by De J. Buisson, deputy United States marshal. The warrant charges Bentall with "wrongfully attempting to cause insubordination, mutiny and refusal of duty in the military forces of the country."

Guy Empey, more than 80 years old, was pinned beneath his car when it turned over near Waterville. He was taken to Owatonna and examination disclosed two broken ribs and a badly bruised face. The car was almost demolished. Mr. Empey declares he is going to cut out fast driving in the future.

Ellen McCadden, a 15-year-old girl, saved the life of Harvey H. Warwick, a St. Paul architect, when the latter was thrown into the Mississippi river by the capsizing of his canoe yesterday. The girl on shore saw him struggling jumped into the river and swam to him, bringing both the man and the canoe to safety.

John Boarth of Winona, Minn., an I. W. W. held in the Dunn county jail at Manning for seditious utterances and for failure to register at Rochester, Minn., his last legal residence, was indicted as slacker by the federal grand jury on testimony of State's Attorney Johnson and Deputy Sheriff Dawes of Dunn county.

A score of patrons of the Dan Patch Electric line, many of them stockholders, were in Federal court in Minneapolis to fight the petition of the bondholders, now before Judge Wilbur F. Booth, to have the road dismantled and sold for junk. Harlan P. Roberts, representing the patrons of the road, told the court the road could be operated with profit.

In the western section of Minnesota, in the Red River valley region, a good crop is being harvested. This is true particularly of Clay, Wilkin and Norman counties. The grain crop is better than earlier reports indicated. Rain has been of material benefit to the potato and corn crops. The great potato acreage in Clay county now bids fair to yield well.

MINNESOTA WHEAT CROP TO BE 61,332,000 BUSHELS

Minnesota's wheat crop this year will be 61,332,000 bushels, or approximately 34,000,000 bushels more than last year, according to the United States Department of Agriculture estimates for Aug. 1.

Prospects are for 15,000,000 bushels more corn; 33,000,000 bushels more oats; 11,000,000 bushels more rye and approximately 19,000,000 bushels more potatoes than in 1916.

The crop summary, as prepared by the Department of Agriculture, follows:

	This year. Bushels.	Last year. Bushels.
Corn	99,800,000	84,420,000
Win. wheat	1,332,000	910,000
Spr. wheat	60,000,000	26,645,000
Oats	121,300,000	88,112,000
Barley	37,800,000	26,125,000
Rye	16,440,000	5,025,000
Flaxseed	2,680,000	2,338,000
Potatoes	35,400,000	16,800,000
All hay, tons	5,740,000	6,384,000
Apples, bbls. of 3 bu.	473,000	422,000

More than 200 stationary engineers from Minnesota attended the eighth annual convention of the Minnesota Stationary Engineers' association, which convened at the Merchants' Hotel for a three days' session. The Central States Exhibitors' association, displaying new appliances for stationary engines, met jointly with the engineers.

Acting under orders from the war department, Captain P. I. McClay of Minneapolis of the First Minnesota infantry has reopened the state muster-in office at the Capitol

COST TO STATE OF FOURTH INFANTRY

EXPENSE AMOUNTS TO HALF MILLION DOLLARS A YEAR FOR ONLY FIVE COMPANIES.

NO CHANGE IN FOOD PLANS

State Dairy Commissioner Gives Opinions on Distribution Following Conference He Attended at Washington.

St. Paul.

A war bill for Minnesota taxpayers will be increased at the rate of an additional $500,000 a year for maintenance of the new Fourth infantry of the Minnesota national guard which is being organized to remain at home and relieve the First Minnesota infantry and other forces now guarding industries and other property. Capt. W. F. Rhinow, military secretary to the governor, announced that the new regiment would be maintained from the general revenue fund of the state under legal provision.

Announcement of the plans for organization of the new regiment caused much speculation as to how it would be financed. Guardsmen in state service receive $2 a day and 75 cents additional for subsistence, and a military statistician estimated that maintenance of a full regiment would cost the state approximately $1,000,000 a year. Then it was explained that only five companies are to be recruited and the expense probably would not exceed $500,000 a year.

Subsequent reports were that the regular national guard funds of about $116,000 for the current year and a balance of approximately $500,000 in the $1,000,000 appropriation of the Public Safety commission would not warrant such an expenditure. The announcement by Captain Rhinow yesterday that the general revenue funds of the state may be drawn upon for the maintenance of the new regiment ended speculation on the subject of finances.

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No Change in Food Distribution.

Continuation of food distribution through the usual channels without important changes in methods during the war was predicted by Commissioner J. J. Farrell of the State Dairy and Food commission. He has just returned from a brief conference in Washington, D. C., with Herbert C. Hoover, federal food controller, and the annual meeting at Atlantic City of the American Association of Dairy, Food and Drug Officials, of which he was president.

"Food distribution will go on through the regular established channels, in my opinion," said Mr. Farrell, "and the most important wartime regulation will be toward preventing waste and speculation.

"Government officials may be expected to keep in close touch with available supplies to guard against unnecessary shortages. The federal control will be primarily to conserve foodstuffs.

"The merchants 'in transit,' those who keep food surpluses in cars on track and pay demurrage and still make big profits, will be eliminated to a great extent, I believe."

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To Charge for State Patients.

Secretary Downer and E. W. Allen, an agent of the State Board of Control, have gone to Columbus, Ohio, to inspect a system by which that state collects $10 a month for the care of patients in state hospitals and asylums for the insane. A similar system is to be established in Minnesota under a 1917 law and may be copied after the Ohio plan. Investigation, to determine which patients are financially able or who have relatives who can partly reimburse the state for their care, was begun several weeks ago by the board of control. The board of control members are in St. Cloud today for a quarterly conference with superintendents of state institutions on new laws relating to child welfare.

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Anti-Draft Talk Wide.

Anti-draft sentiment has infected large areas in scattered sections of Minnesota and is fast spreading, Secretary John S. Pardee of the Public Safety Commission said, following receipt of reports of new outbreaks in various districts and in advance of a conference of safety commissioners to further discuss the existing conditions.

The state war board has given much consideration to the prevalence of un-American sentiment in various localities of the state, but has yet to make public any moves to counteract it other than to instruct local authorities of their sworn duty to prevent disorder and to enforce the laws, notably that relating to unlawful assembly.

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Hearing of Officials Postponed.

Postponement for a few days of the conference with New Ulm officials who took part in the recent anti-draft meeting there was announced today by the Public Safety Commission because of lack of a quorum. The officials previously were cited to appear before the board late today.

The members said that postponement of the meeting with New Ulm and Brown county officials for a full quorum did not indicate that any drastic action was contemplated.

HAWAIIANS SEEK DEATH IN LAVA

Fanatics Attempt to Make Sacrifice to Pele, the Goddess of Fire.

LED BY SCHOOL GIRL

Twenty-Six Persons Begin Trip Up the Lava-Encrusted Slopes, but Exhaustion Thwarts Their Purpose.

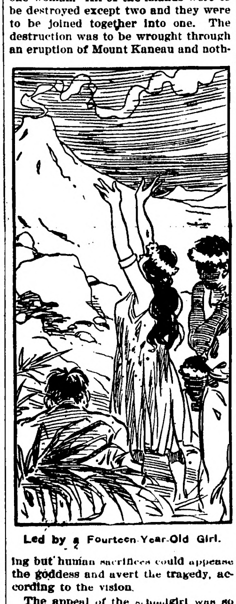
Honolulu.—Twenty-six Hawaiians, led by a fourteen-year-old schoolgirl, sought to fling themselves into the boiling lava of Kilahea crater on the recent anniversary of King Kamehameha the Great. The fanatics were attempting to make a human sacrifice to Pele, the goddess of fire. Their plans were frustrated when they fell exhausted on the mountainsides after the long journey toward the volcano.

The pilgrimage was started from Hookena, Hawaii, by old men and women, children and even infants in arms, all unprovided with food and water and scantily clad. The blazing sun of the lava-encrusted slopes overcame the pilgrims after a day and a night of continuous traveling, and they were found by A. R. Gasper, who operates an automobile stage around the island from Hilo to Kona.

Vision Revealed to Girl.

The schoolgirl, Kaneau by name, had recently made an appeal to the people of Hookena telling them of a vision that had been revealed to her in a dream. She said that the spirit of the goddess Pele had come to her and told of the destruction that was to visit the islands on the king's anniversary.

Every living being was to be destroyed, she said, except one man and one woman. All of the islands were to be destroyed except two and they were to be joined together into one. The destruction was to be wrought through an eruption of Mount Kaneau and nothing but human sacrifices could appease the goddess and avert the tragedy, according to the vision.



Led by a Fourteen-Year-Old Girl.

The appeal of the schoolgirl was so eloquent that 26 persons were imbued with the spirit of primitive Hawaii and decided to sacrifice themselves. They planned to go to the brink of the crater and leap into the seething lava.

USES FIRE TO START MULE

Percy Lands in Jail After Furnishing Considerable Excitement for Fire Department.

Pleasantville, N. J.—Percy Cline saw a balky Missouri mule leaning sound asleep against a lamp post in one of the busiest streets of Pleasantville last night. Percy stopped and watched with interest while the mule owner tried every conceivable way to make the animal go, except the Missouri sure-fire method of tickling the mule's left hand hoof with a straw, but the mule only blinked, sighed deeply and settled himself more firmly against the post.

"I'll bet I can make her go," remarked Percy with the modesty of genius. "I'll build a fire under her, and then she'll go."

"If you do," said an agent of the S. P. C. A., who was also a spectator, "I'll arrest you for cruelty to animals."

"Shucks!" said Percy. "You can't be cruel to a mule. I'll do it, and I bet he'll go."

He did. And the mule did. And the agent did.

The fire department put out the fire, the society's agent put Percy in jail and the mule was still going in the general direction of San Francisco when last seen.

Lightning Snipped Off Woman's Toe.

Kimball, Neb.—A bolt of lightning snipped off one toe from the foot of Mrs. Isaac Barrett when she was sitting on her porch during a storm. She was left otherwise uninjured.

Kilauea's Lava Lake.

Early reports indicate that the alarms of war will not prevent many Americans from visiting their new national park in Hawaii. Three celebrated volcanoes, Kilauea, Mauna Loa and Haleakala are in the new reservation. The lava lake at Kilauea, a spectacle which has drawn thousands of visitors in past years from every part of the world, will be, it is predicted, unusually spectacular this season because of the recent increased volcanic activity in the region.

Natural End.

"How did the women take those lectures on canned fruits?"

"They just ate them up."

In a Book Store.

Customer—Have you Shakespeare's works?

New Clerk—We have his plays, sir.

Going to Land Him.

"He was engaged three times before he proposed to her."

"Yes."

"And she accepted him?"

"Yes, but she's insisting on an immediate marriage. Profiting by the experience of the other girls she isn't going to take any chances on his breaking another engagement."

A Little Too Much.

Father—Gladys, I want you to give your beau a message. Tell him I don't object to his staying here and running up my light bills, but I do object to his carrying off the morning paper when he leaves.

History spends half its time repeating itself and the other half in getting itself revised.

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Raymond Blathwayt Tells of His Experiences While Connected With a Traveling Menagerie.

In a book of reminiscences, "Through Life and Round the World," Raymond Blathwayt tells the following story in connection with a traveling menagerie he attached himself to while knocking about the West during his salad days.

"One day just after breakfast," he says, "I peeped in at the messroom door. There was a full-grown tiger licking the jam and bacon off the plates.

"'Oh, I beg your pardon!' I ejaculated, as I hastily shut the door. A moment after I met Jack, the tiger's keeper.

"'I can't find that other tiger nowhere,' he said to me. 'I guess I've mislaid the old critter.'

"'You have,' I testily replied, for I was a good deal annoyed with the danger I had so narrowly escaped. 'You'll find him in the messroom licking the plates.'

"'Thank you, mate,' he said.

"An hour after I overheard the proprietor asking his little son if he had washed up the breakfast dishes.

"'Hadn't no need to, pop; the tiger licked 'em like he knew they wanted cleanin'!'"

The Family Pride.

"I suppose you're proud of your boy Josh, now that he's in the army."

"Of course," said Farmer Corntossel. "But that's not so important just now. What I'm supposed to do is to hustle an' run this farm in a way that'll make Josh proud o' me."

Subtle Patriotism.

"That's a funny little coat you're wearing."

"I know it. The tailors are doing the proper thing just now and making all clothes that aren't soldier clothes look as ridiculous as possible."

Position.

"What is your old enemy's position on this event?"

"I don't know exactly," replied Senator Sorghum. "But whatever his position is, it pays a good salary, or he wouldn't accept it."—Washington Star.

"OUR GROCER TOLD ME" —Bobby
After folks taste Post Toasties they don't like common corn flakes

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"What business did you say the boss was in?" asked the clerk.

"Why, he's a promoter," replied the superintendent.

"Well, there must be some mistake. He's never promoted me. I've held the same insignificant job ever since I've been here."

The Serene Uninformed.

"What a man doesn't know doesn't hurt him," said the superficial philosopher.

"No," replied the cynical statesman; "but if he gets into a responsible position what he doesn't know is likely to hurt a whole lot of other people."

In All Things.

"Mrs. Smith is a consistent woman."

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TABLES OF DIGESTIBLE NUTRIENTS AND ENERGY VALUES

Compiled From Henry & Morrison, 1915 Edition, Massachusetts 1911 Annual Report, Pennsylvania Bulletin 114.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

d—Armsby Corrections.

k—Kellner.

Kind of Feed	Digestible Protein	Total Nutriment	Therms Energy
Corn Meal (dry)	6.9	83.3	d76.6
Corn & Cob Meal	6.1	78.1	d65.2
Hominy Meal	6.3	83.	d87.6
Gluten Feed	21.6	80.7	(k68.2 (73.
Gluten Meal	31.7	80.	74.9
Corn Bran	5.8	73.1	...
Wheat	9.2	80.1	82.6
Red Dog Flour	14.8	79.2	...
Flour Mid.	15.7	78.2	77.6
Standard Mid.	13.4	69.3	57.6
Wheat Bran	12.5	60.9	d52.5
Wheat Mix. Feed	12.9	67.	...
Oats	9.7	70.4	66.2
Barley	9.	79.4	(k72.6 (80.7
Malt Sprouts	20.3	70.6	46.3
Brewers' Grains	a18.7	63.6	60.
Buckwheat	8.1	63.4	...
Buckwheat Mid.	24.6	76.6	75.9
Cottonseed Meal	33.9	75.6	73.7
Cottonseed Hulls	.3	37.	15.
Linseed Oil Meal	30.2	77.9	78.9
Beet Pulp—dried	4.6	71.0	60.
Corn Dist. Grains	16.2	67.6	57.5
Rye	9.9	81.	...
Rye Dist. Grains	8.4	48.1	43.2
CORN FODDER			
Fod., med. dry	3.1	53.7	d30.5
Fodder, wet	2.2	39.9	24.
Stover, med. dry	2.1	46.1	32.5
Stover, wet	1.4	33.9	24.18
HAYS			
Timothy Hay	3.	48.5	d41.9
Alfalfa	10.6	51.6	d30.4
Red Clover	7.6	50.9	d39.93
Clov. & Tim., Mxd.	4.	46.2	40.6
GREEN GRASSES			
Alfalfa	3.	14.6	12.45
Red Clover	2.7	17.1	16.17
Mixed Hay	2.2	17.7	...
Timothy	1.5	22.2	19.08
ROOTS AND SILAGE			
Sugar Beet	1.2	14.	k16.9
Potatoes	1.1	17.1	18.05
Rutabaga	1.	9.4	8.
Mangels	.8	7.4	4.62
Silage	1.1	17.7	16.56

STRAW SHOULD BE SPREAD.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

The feeding value of straw being comparatively low, and the fertilizing value being high, all straw should be spread upon the fields and not burned or wasted. The use of straw to prevent winter-killing of wheat is now well established.

THE DAIRY RATION

Feeding Tables Hard to Follow on Account of Variation of Ingredients.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

For many years feeders have endeavored to use so-called standard tables showing the theoretical number of pounds each of so-called digestible protein, fats and carbohydrates. These methods are fatally defective for the following reasons:

First, the tables call for so much digestible food. If there was such a thing as digestible food it might furnish a basis to go by, but digestible food is really apparently digestible food, in that it disappears in the body. Just what use is made of it is not always clear. Some of it turns into gas, some is converted into heat, and much of it is used in the labor of digesting and handling the food. In the case of straw and similar material, nearly all of its energy is used up in the labor of digesting it, leaving little or no net gain. Straw should be returned to the soil. Take two samples of dried barley grains, each containing the same amount of digestible food, and one will give twenty more therms or heat units than the other.

One hundred pounds of digestible food derived from roughage is about equal to eighty pounds derived from grain, so if we add together things which are unlike, we get no tangible results. It is like adding so many pounds to so many gallons. So, the digestible basis of figuring rations is very inaccurate. The correct way is, first, to ascertain how much protein and energy a cow needs to sustain life and keep weight. You can get this from your experiment station, and ascertain how much is necessary to make one pound of milk of a certain fat test, and then feed her as much protein and energy as is needed to maintain her and supply food for as many pounds of milk as she can make.

This is a very difficult problem and few can do it, and we challenge any two men to tackle the same problem under the same conditions and arrive at the same result.

We cannot tell unless we try to find out, that a cow will not give more milk on more feed, or maybe as much milk on less feed. So feeding is largely experimental, as no two cows are alike.

However, the law of averages will hold, and the feeder can save all this trouble and much loss by feeding a ration which his experiment station has in most cases made, say three to four pounds of milk for each pound of mixed feed.

There is one thing certain. The more solids and fat in the milk, the more feed needed per pound of milk. So, a good mixed feed which is properly combined and all the roughage she will eat will greatly simplify your feeding problem and a very little experimenting will soon show you how much concentrates each cow needs to produce a maximum yield.

Are You Eating To Win the War?

This Newspaper recommends Today's Housewife to every patriotic woman who wishes to help win the great war

Today's Housewife is especially needed by every homemaker in the present war-crisis, because the seven Courses in Domestic Science now running in the magazine help housewives to better select, prepare and conserve food supplies, to cut down waste, and at the same time to add to the health and welfare of the entire family.

Today's Housewife is the only magazine that maintains a model home where cookery recipes, new household devices, cleaning methods, etc., are put to practical tests before their appearance in the pages of the magazine.

The monthly lesson on "Cookery, Foods and Nutrition" under the direction of Caroline Hunt of the Department of Agriculture, is alone worth the price of a ten-year subscription not only to the woman who follows each lesson but to the government of the United States in helping to win the terrific war with the Central Empires of Europe.

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INTEREST INCREASES IN FOOD CAMP

President Wilson And Food Administrator Hoover Back Movement To Utilize State Fairs And Expositions As Food Training Camps—People To Be Taught To Produce And Conserve.

The Food Training Camp to be conducted in connection with the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 3 to 8, is expected to prove one of the strongest cards in the government's food conservation campaign in this section of the country.

The food training camp movement is gathering force every day; public interest is becoming aroused; practically every organization in this state taking part in the food conservation work is co-operating to make the camp a success; the government has endorsed and is now helping to direct the movement and the exhibitors at the fair are offering to do their share in making it a success.

Practically every department at the fair will take a part in the work of food training. Virtually all of the exhibitors will, in their displays, lay emphasis upon the necessity of conserving our food supplies. Lecturers and demonstrators will be on hand to explain the food problems which now confront the American people, the plan being, not only to impress upon all visitors to the fair the necessity of making an economical use of food, but to show specific ways in which every man, woman and child may do a share.

Government Enthusiastic.

The government, particularly, is enthusiastic over the possibilities the food training camp offers for teaching food efficiency. Not only Mr. Hoover, food administrator, but President Wilson, himself, and the Department of Agriculture have endorsed the camp. It is the plan of the government to make the most of the opportunities offered by sending out lecturers and demonstrators to speak at the fair, and by arranging a series of exhibits by the different government departments, including the Army, Navy, Agricultural and Mr. Hoover's food department.

The government sees in the food training camp, for one thing, the possibility of reaching, in a result-getting manner, the men and women of the rural districts and from the farm. This has been one of the government's big problems in its food conservation campaign.

The people of the cities it is not so difficult to reach because of the many clubs and other organizations which already exist and which have taken up the food conservation work. As a large part of the attendance at the Minnesota State Fair comes from the rural districts, the food training camp, the government believes, offers a good opportunity to reach them with a direct appeal.

For, it is necessary that they be reached if the fruits and other food products, grown in abundance, are to be saved and prevented from going to waste.

The livestock exhibits and the exhibits and demonstrations to be put on by the dairy department of the University Farm are other departments in which valuable food efficiency work will be done. The directors of the fair are urging a greater production of meat by working for large exhibits of livestock so that the farmer may study the different types and breeds and decide as to which is best for the purpose.

To Develop Herds.

Much of the effort of the University Farm will be directed to the development of more efficient dairy herds and to the utilization of all possible dairy products. Much milk, especially skim milk, goes to waste in this state every year, and the dairy exhibits will point out the way to make use of all this food which is now being wasted.

In order to make the food training camp the greatest possible success in order that both the government and the people may derive the maximum benefit from it, the Minnesota State Fair directors are endeavoring to make the exposition a record breaker in all departments this year.

As one way of encouraging attendance, plans have been outlined for materially increasing the exhibits, and a greater variety of amusement and entertainment features have been secured.

Auto races, aviation, vaudeville, and a number of big spectacles, including the "War of the Nations," a gigantic display in which the famous British tanks and the other great forces of modern warfare are seen in action, are some of the entertainment features.

THE BEST DAIRY FEED

Made From Grain From Which the Human Food Values Have Been Taken.

By Prof. F. D. Fuller.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

The reason why the best dairy feeds are less expensive than the same grains on the farm is because the principal elements of human food are taken from these grains before they are ever made into feed. The by-products of cereal mills, glucose factories, malt houses, etc., constitute often more than 50 per cent of the total bulk of mixed dairy feeds of the better class.

These oats, barley and corn by-products are considered by experts in animal nutrition as very valuable feed materials. After these cereals are ground in the manufacture of alcohol, for which the use is growing more important daily in the arts, the solid residue is dried in vacuo, and is then known as "dried grains." If made from corn, these grains contain on an average of about 30 per cent crude protein and 10 per cent crude fat. If made from rye, while valuable, they are of somewhat lower feed value. **The barley residue contains over 70 per cent more crude protein than wheat bran and twice as much crude fat.** In fact, their food value is largely increased by the process.

All these products are widely used by the best dairy feeders and are relied upon very extensively in milk production. There is no doubt of the fact that if the supply of these products were radically limited or entirely exhausted, it would have a serious effect upon the milk production throughout the country and the dairymen would have one more burden added to their already overtaxed strength.

Cottonseed meal is composed principally of the kernel, with such portion of the hull as is necessary in the manufacture of oil. Cottonseed meal, if choice, must contain at least 41 per cent crude protein. It is one of the richest of all feeds in this substance and carries about 8 per cent crude fat. On account of its extreme concentration it can be fed only in limited quantities and always in conjunction with some products to furnish bulk. This meal is an important ingredient in many manufactured feeds.

HOME MIXED FEEDS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

When a man undertakes to mix his own rations, what does he do? He buys straight feeds. Take cottonseed meal as a common example. There are a great many different grades of cottonseed meal, and the man who is looking for a low-priced feed is sure to get a low grade. The demand for cheap feeding ingredients has caused the quality to be gradually whittled down. Consequently the farmer nearly always works with feeds which are poorer than he believes them to be. He does not get adequate state protection because inspectors do not go to a farmer's barn to draw samples, and even if they did, it would be hard to get a complete chain of evidence.

A farmer has no facilities for having his feed analyzed and he doesn't know what he is working with. The analyses of mixed feeds costs about ten cents per ton, and if every farmer will read the various bulletins from the agricultural colleges he will soon know those brands which can be depended upon. There is no doubt that at the present prices of grain any farmer can save money by selling his cereal crops and buying mixed feed. Cornmeal, oil meal and cottonseed meal are all high, but the by-products of barley and rye are all more reasonable in price.

Corn has become costly largely due to the demand for pork and beef. Americans will have those meats at almost any price. This puts corn on a meat basis, and the dairy business will have to fall back on the by-products of grains.

GIVE COWS PLENTY OF WATER.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

When cows are in full milk they require plenty of water. It is stated authoritatively that cows in full flow of milk will consume 50 per cent more water than when dry.

Poor feed sells to poor feeders.

Only that part of the feed that digest is of use—the rest is mostly fertilizer material.

No protein—no casein; no casein—no milk; not enough protein—not so much milk; also not enough feed—not so much food.

Foods with the highest protein and highest analysis are usually but not always the cheapest to use.

Cows won't make milk out of water and air.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Starchy feeds like corn and oats often sell as high as protein feeds because of the demand for them for horses and other work animals. Starchy feeds are also good to fatten steers. That is why they are often as high in price as dairy feeds, which are strong in protein.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Home-grown grains can often be profitably traded for protein feeds. While oats are generally demanded for horse feed, they are nearly always too expensive for dairy feed. Oats by-products, however, are very useful for bulk.

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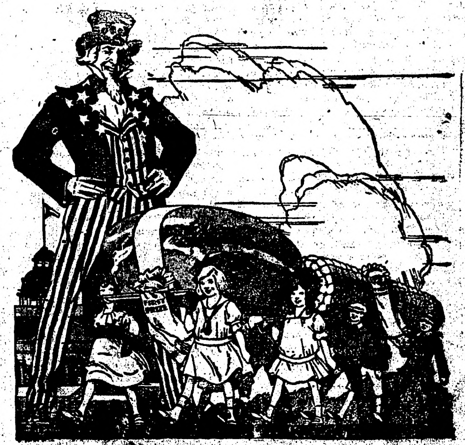

WAR SERVICE FOR CHILDREN.

The children as well as the grown-ups must do their bit for their country. The Minnesota State Fair Food Training Camp, Sept. 3 to 8, will devote an entire department to stimulating interest in children's work and to pointing out ways in which the children may best serve their country.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Are you helping to win the war?

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

Mrs. D. Kilen of Newfolden visited Mrs. R. L. Olson last week Thursday.

Clarence Kolden has bot Alfred Olson's confectionery store and took possession of it Tuesday.

Both elevators have been wired and are ready for electric lights as soon as the feeders are put up.

S. S. Kolden and Ole Brenna went to So. St. Paul Tuesday, each with a car of cattle for the markets.

John Hagberg and Loyd Adams went to Dugdale Monday to build a coal shed for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

Paul Olson and son Theodore have been working several days the past week at repairing the state road between here and Steiner.

Dick and Albert Mattson arrived here Saturday night from McIntosh and have been getting their threshing rig ready for the seasons work.

Ole Nyhus of T. R. Falls and M. T. Strom held meetings Sunday afternoon and evening at John Swenson's residence and at the Sollom school house.

Clarence Docken, A. R. Jones, P. L. Anderson and C. E. Peterson autoed over to Newfolden Friday evening to attend the church services there conducted by Rev. G. O. Parish of Thief River Falls.

A. H. Huseth has leased a barber shop at Greenbush and expects to move his family there in a couple of weeks. Mr. Huseth went to Greenbush Monday to take possession of the shop, and Mrs H. and children went to Fertile to visit her parents for a few days, before packing and moving away.

T. B. Folden was accidentally knocked down, Sunday afternoon and considerably shaken up, by an auto driven by Olaf Halvorson. Messrs Folden and Nass were walking on the road north of the latters place and when they came to the corner of the road they stepped out, one on each side to let the auto pass. Mr. Halvorson could not see Mr. Folden for the brush and no blame is attached to him for the accident. He took Mr. Folden to the doctor Monday. At last accounts he is getting along nicely tho somewhat sore from the fall.

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G. Bengaard of Fosston will hold meetings here next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 8 o'clock in the evening. Everybody invited.

Change of Ownership.

I have purchased A. S. Olson's Confectionary and Lunch business, and will continue at the old stand.

I respectfully solicit a share of your patronage.

Clarence S. Kolden.

New Settler

J. J. Little of Madison, Minnesota arrived here Sunday and is busy putting up the hay crop and erecting buildings on his farm, a few miles east of town. Mr. and Mrs. Erickson came with Mr. Little and will have charge of his farm for the coming year.

Their car of household goods, live stock and machinery arrived Wednesday. Mr. Little seems satisfied of the possibilities of this country and expects to make considerable improvements on his place.

The coal barons are holding up prices and are not shipping to distributing points as they have always done before. It's about impossible to buy a supply at any price, for the above reason. Unless there is a change, some people will actually freeze to death next winter. President Wilson is seriously considering government control of the coal supply. The government should control the coal and oil fields and prices to the consumer, and send the coal barons where it is so hot, fuel is not needed to roast them.—Later: The President has issued an order fixing prices on coal at the mines and another is expected soon that will control the profits of the middle men and retailers. Already soft coal has dropped from $1.00 to $1.80 a ton in Chicago.

The following from Holt and vicinity were notified to appear in Warren this week for the army draft: Ed. Bjerk on Monday; Victor Johnson and Hjalmer Garte, Tuesday; Andrew Sorum, Wednesday; A. L. Carlson, Ben Hoff, H. Peterson, O. Furr and Ludvig Larson. Thursday H. J Oien and Loyd Adams, Friday. According to latest reports, the second draft will not be made until next spring.

A big crowd attended the Red Cross picnic on the Brokke farm in Adgar Sunday afternoon. Rev. Barackman delivered an excellent patriotic address. Nets proceeds were $34.05 besides five annual memberships. The Young People's Country Club are to be congratulated for the success of the program and picnic.

Ole Ellingson has bot the ten acres of land of Guy Anderson, that lies 40 rods east of Sam Mickelson's.

Wild fruit is good for canning and will help out wonderfully during the winter time. Get a canning book free now at the printing office.

Sam Groven and family and John Sorum Jr. and family, both from east of T. R. Falls, were Sunday guests at the home of Dr. R. L. Olson and family.

Buy a car of sheep for fall grazing, is the advice of the N. W. Experiment Station and the Duluth Com. club wants interested parties to get in touch with their agricultural committee and invite them to write for information.

Stiener News

Mrs. P. Solemn did business in Steiner the first of the week.

A dance was given at the Riedl home Saturday evening. Quite a number of young people were present and all report a good time.

Mrs. S. Warring and granddaughter Ruby, returned to their home Monday after a few days visit with relatives residing near Angus.

Miss Ella Meyers made a trip to Steiner the later part of the week.

Tom Stigen has been helping N. Muzzy with his harvest the past week.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers and family spent Sunday at the J. R. Russell home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Borden spent Sunday at the Rogers home Aug. 12th.

Miss Amy Whittman of the burg called on Miss Grace Russell Sunday.

Julius Leiden called at the E. Werner home Wednesday.

Mrs H. Culver has been spending a few days at the S. Warring home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Meyer spent Sunday at the E. Werner home.

Otto Solemn spent Sunday at the J. Meyer home.

John Christianson attended the services held in Holt Sunday.

Paul Koghn attended the Red Cross picnic held in Thorwick.

Rev. G. O. Parish and his brother Dr. S. L. Parish, Dist. Supt. from Fergus Falls, will hold services in Steiner school house at 8 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. Everybody invited to attend.

Trade at home.

Try a want ad in our columns.

Boost for Holt, first, last and all the time. Boost.

H. J. Oien is building an addition to his wood shed.

Mrs. J. L. Nelson returned home Friday from Fertile and other points.

Found: A coat. Prove property and pay for this notice at Reierson's store.

The Marshall Co. Teachers Institute will be held in Warren August 27th to 31st.

Mrs. Frank Cavere of Middle River visited Mrs. Nils Engebretsen on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kolden and baby visited Sunday with S. S. Kolden and family on the farm.

Miss Soderberg, a trained nurse, was called Saturday to care for Marius Hoel who is apparently a trifle better at present.

Herbert Hoover wants the price of wheat fixed at $1.65 and the farmers are kicking as all want at least $2.00 and some think $2.50 is not too high.

Otto Olson autoed over to Rosewood Monday morning with the Misses Matilda Wendt and Minnie Rux, the ladies taking the train for Hatton, N. D., where they expect to work for sometime.

Miss Olga Saustad returned home Thursday Aug. 16th from an extended trip through N. Dakota, Montana and Detroit Lakes and left Saturday for Mud Lake to visit her sister Mrs. Peterson, before returning to Fargo.

Anton Sagstuen and his father, H. A. Fosholm and H. O. Ekerdalen made an auto trip Sunday thru Golden Valley, Grygla and over into Beltrami Co., and visited an old friend, Martin Taude. They report having a nice trip and seeing some fine crops and country.

Worse Than Work.

"After a man has loafed awhile," said Uncle Eben, "he generally decides dat he'd rather go to work dan be so lonesome."

Notice for Bids

Having decided to sell the old bank building we will be pleased to receive sealed bids for the purchase of same up to Sept. 5th, 1917. We reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Holt State Bank,
By B. Docken, Cashier.

For Sale.

For Sale, by owner, 4 forties in Section 16, and one forty in Section 30. Apply to

Mrs. Julia Le Suer,
Jasper, Minn.

For Sale!

A 1914 Carter car, in complete running order, with electric lights and self starter. Will sell cheap or consider a trade.

B. Docken,
Holt, Minn.

Holt Dray and Livery

H. Peterson, Prop.

Auto Livery

In connection with teams and rigs

Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson

Holt, Minn.

A discount of twenty-five per cent will be given on ladies hats at Reierson's store.

English services at the Misson church next Monday evening Aug. 27th, by Rev. G. O. Parish of Thief River Falls. Everyone invited.

Over at Rosewood the farmers are talking of building a creamery, tho they do not have to ship any farther than to T. R. Falls, and to a big farmers creamery at that.

Good care should be taken of all straw, corn stocks and everything else that can be fed, but usually is wasted. Everything will be needed before another crop is grown.

The hog market went to $20.00 a cwt. this week Tuesday. If the farmers beef cattle were hogs just now, they would be in it with the coal barons for a little while in making money off the consumer.

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Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Mathias Olson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Mathias Olson Decedent

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Antonette Olson,

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 23rd day of February 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS as provided by law.

Dated Aug. 13, 1917.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

The Red Cross needs your help.

We still have a few books left on "Home Canning by the One-Period Cold-Pack Method." They will be given free to anyone calling at the printing office for them.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.89
Wheat No. 2	1.84
Wheat No. 3	1.74
Wheat No. 4	1.64
Flax	3.18
Oats	.44
Barley	77 to .96
Rye	1.54
Flour, Best Patent	6.65

Announcement

New Garage!

I have opened a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

Ole Hammerness

Holt - Minn.

For Sale!

As we will soon be ready to move into our new bank building, we have decided to sell our old building at a reasonable price. If interested write or call on us.

Hott State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

Why not try sheep for killing the sow thistle and other noxious weeds?

Holt Motor Inn

We do all kinds of

Auto and Tractor Repairing

Bring your cars in early for overhauling

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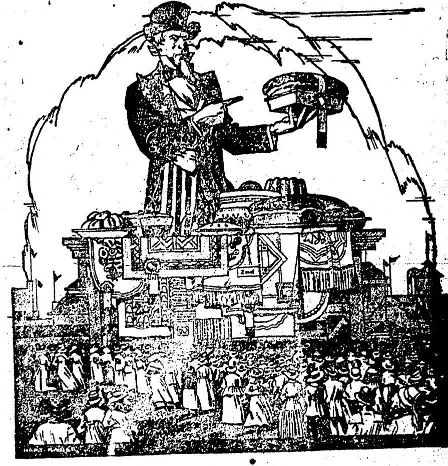

WOMEN TO MOBILIZE.

The Minnesota State Fair Food Training Camp, Sept. 3 to 8, will be a short course in Food Efficiency for women. Abundant food is necessary if we are to win this war. Attend the Food Training Camp and learn how you may best do your part in conserving our food supplies.

News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

U.S.—Teutonic War News

Denouncing some senators, congressmen and newspaper editors as "standing where the copperheads stood in the Civil war," Colonel Roosevelt demanded in an address at New York suppression of the German language press, deportation of "50-50 Americans" and called upon every man, woman and child in the country to exert every ounce of energy to win the war.

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The commander of the armed guard of an American merchantman has reported to the navy department at Washington that his crew sank a submarine after the Germans had made an unsuccessful attempt to sink the ship.

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More than 3,500 training camp students at Fort Sheridan, Ill., were made commissioned officers in the new American national army.

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The regular army is at full strength. When recruiting began Thursday only 593 enlistments were needed to make the total in this branch 313,898, the authorized strength. Since April 1 over 184,000 men have enlisted, says a dispatch from Washington.

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United States agents at Seattle, Wash., uncovered a gigantic plot to break down the selective service army plans by engineering wholesale exemptions. Propaganda is being mailed to men called for physical examination.

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Dr. Fritz Bergmeier, president of the St. Paul Volks Zeitung, was arrested by order of President Wilson under the proclamation of April 6. The general policy of the Volks Zeitung has been to "cast aspersion by innuendo" on American war measures, it is charged.

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Local exemption boards will be in full charge of assembling the men called to the colors September 1, says a statement issued at Washington. The civilian control of the men will continue up to the time they march through the gates of the cantonments and report to the commandants.

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Revised regulations to govern physical examination of men registered under the selective draft were issued at Washington by Surgeon General Gorgas of the army and communicated to the governors of the states for information of local boards. The changes deal for the most part with questions of proportionate weight and height, but may result in the recall of some men rejected heretofore on physical grounds.

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Four Americans were among those lost on the British steamer Belgian Prince, which was sunk July 31 by a German submarine. The submarine submerged while the men were on the deck. The Americans who lost their lives were William Crissy, James Shew, Detroit, Mich.; Thomas Gilmore, Merrick, Mass.; Ben Cain, negro.

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Domestic

Coal prices in Illinois are to go tumbling. Illinois citizens are assured a bounteous supply of coal. The state now has a "coal dictator." He is Chief Justice Orrin N. Carter of the state supreme court. Illinois coal mine operators threw up their hands in absolute surrender to Gov. Frank O. Lowden after a five-hour grueling conference at Chicago.

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After the department of justice had received anonymous letters alleging that draft exemptions were being bought in district No. 99, in New York, the members of the local board were summarily removed from office by Governor Whitman. The members of the board were Louis I. Cherry, Dr. Henry M. Groehl and Dr. S. J. Bernfeld.

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Heads of union labor called out 1,000 men employed at Brooklyn navy yard. Last week the men employed on construction work at the Mineola aviation grounds were called out.

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The indicated corn yield this year, according to the August government crop report, is 3,191,000,000 bushels—a larger crop than was ever raised in a single year before. The winter wheat yield is estimated at 417,000,000 bushels. The promise for the whole nation is 653,000,000. The oats crop is a record breaker. It is estimated at 1,456,000,000. The indicated yield of white potatoes is 467,000,000 bushels, compared with 285,000,000 last year.

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All danger of a general strike of carpenters on government war construction work throughout the country was averted when an agreement covering the points in dispute was signed at New York.

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Rioting broke out in the street car strike at Lima, O. Three men were shot in a clash between strike sympathizers and armed guards on the city cars of the Ohio Electric Railway company. Two street cars were burned during the battle. Police dispersed a crowd of 5,000 persons.

Over 200 slackers, handcuffed in three corrals in the federal building at Chicago, while awaiting arraignment, secured little sympathy from United States commissioners. The cases were disposed of at the rate of about five minutes to a case.

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It was announced at Washington that the president nominated Sheldon C. Hopkins of Cheyenne, Wyo., to be assistant secretary of the interior.

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Washington

James J. P. Delamy, a telegraph operator in the navy department at Washington, incensed at what he considered an insulting banner borne by Miss Lucy Burns, militant suffrage leader, in front of the White House, led a crowd of 200 men and women and to the official statement given out at touched by the crowd.

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Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo at Washington will ask for an additional bond issue at this session of congress, it was learned, following a conference he held at the capitol with several house leaders. The issue will run into billions, it is understood.

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The administration food control and food survey bills were signed at Washington by President Wilson and became law. Formal appointment of Herbert Hoover as food administrator was announced at the White House later. The first bill provides for stimulation of production and the second for control of foods and fuel.

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Bearing the president's stamp of approval and Secretary McAdoo's plea that it be made law, in justice to America's fighting men and their families, the long-expected war compensation, indemnity and insurance bill was introduced in both houses of congress at Washington. Drafted by international experts under Secretary McAdoo's direction, the proposed law is a substitute for the Civil war pension system.

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Creation of a "labor adjustment commission" of three representatives each of the government, employers and labor, was officially announced at Washington. It is designed to have jurisdiction over all labor disputes concerning wages or employment conditions on government contracts.

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The American steamship Navajo has been burned at sea, according to advices reaching the navy department at Washington. The entire crew and naval armed guard were rescued and have been landed at an unnamed port.

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Oversubscription of the $300,000,000 issue of short-term treasury certificates of indebtedness, Secretary McAdoo announced at Washington, was $61,525,000, more than 20 per cent.

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The senate at Washington confirmed the nomination of Bainbridge Colby of New York to be a member of the government shipping board.

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It was announced at Washington that the treasury's offer of $300,000,000 in certificates of indebtedness maturing November 15, first financing under the projected second offering of Liberty bonds, was largely oversubscribed when subscriptions closed.

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European War News

The French forces made further progress against the German positions on the Belgian front. The Frenchmen broke into the German lines, occupied several farms to the east of Bixschoote and west of Langemarek, and captured a number of machine guns, according to the official statement given out at Paris.

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Russian and Roumanian troops repulsed enemy attacks in the Trotus valley and then launched vigorous counter attacks which gained them prisoners and captured machine guns, according to an official statement issued by the Roumanian war office.

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Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's forces at daybreak attacked and captured virtually all the German forward positions east of the Belgian town of Hooge on the battle front between Frezenburg and the Ypres-Menin road. The assaulting forces gained virtually all their objectives to the depth of several hundred yards in the first rush.

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Another merchantman has sunk a submarine, but, because of the fate of Capt. Charles Fryatt of the British steamer Brussels, who was executed, the name of the vessel and its commander are kept secret.

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Official announcement was made at the admiralty at London that Admiral Sir Cecil Burney, second sea lord, had been replaced by Vice Admiral Sir Roselyn Wemyss. Alan Garrett Anderson, hitherto vice chairman of the wheat commission, succeeds Sir Eric Campbell Geddes, the new first lord of the admiralty, as controller of naval construction.

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Entente warships bombarded the Turkish batteries along the coast of Asia Minor, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company at London. British monitors successfully reduced to silence one of the Turkish batteries and destroyed an airdrome.

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French troops broke into the lines of the German crown prince on the Champagne front at three places, inflicting losses on the Germans and bringing back prisoners, it was announced officially by the war department at Paris.

BLAST WRECKS BIG WAR FACTORY; 250 REPORTED KILLED

EXPLOSIONS WIPE OUT POWDER PLANT AT RIGAUD, QUEBEC, WHICH COVERED FIVE SQUARE MILES.

FLAMES SWEEP DEBRIS; SMOKE COVERS COUNTRY

Disrupted Communication Makes It Difficult of Confirmation—Special Train Brings Aid—Explosion Heard Twenty Miles.

Ottawa, Aug. 20.—First reports here from the scene of the explosion at Rigaud, Quebec, said that in the neighborhood of 250 persons had been killed.

Montreal, Aug. 20.—A terrific explosion at the powder plant of Curtis & Harvey, limited, at Rigaud, Quebec, is believed to have caused heavy loss of life. At latest reports the entire plant, covering five square miles, was in flames, and the fire had communicated to the village of Dragon at noon. It looked as though the village would be destroyed. Rigaud is south of the Ottawa river, 32 miles west of Montreal.

Five Thousand Employed.

Five thousand men and women are employed at the plant. Passengers on a Canadian Pacific railroad train, which passed the scene of the disaster, placed the number of dead in the first explosion at 20. Two other heavy explosions followed.

From points near Rigaud it was learned that three separate explosions occurred. The first, at 9 a. m., was heard in Vaudreuil, 20 miles away. This was followed by two others in quick succession.

Houses Miles Away Wrecked.

The terrific force of the explosion could be judged by the fact that two farmhouses more than a mile from the plant were blown down.

The passengers said it was impossible to obtain definite figures, as hundreds rushed into the open country when the first explosion occurred and few had returned when their train left for Montreal.

The explosion disrupted telephone and telegraph communication with Rigaud, making it difficult to obtain information. Traffic on the Canadian Pacific railroad's Ottawa-Montreal line, which passes close to the plant, has been suspended.

PERSHING SAYS ONLY HARD BLOWS CAN WIN FOR U. S.

Deplores Lukewarmness of American People—Says More Than Talk and Money Needed.

Paris, Aug. 20.—Major General Pershing, the American commander, has told the Associated Press that the war can be won only by hard and forceful blows delivered by a well-trained American army working in conjunction with the Allied armies.

Deploring the lukewarmness of the American people in regard to the war, General Pershing added:

"Every man, woman and child should support the administration in its determination to arm and equip the American army and to keep up its morale and that of the Allied armies. This war will not be won by talk or by subscribing to the Red Cross. The American people must come to a full realization of what the war means. It can be won only by striking hard and forceful blows, not otherwise."

The general was most emphatic in the interview, which lasted but a few minutes.

ENEMY WORKER MAY STRIKE

Excitement at Saxony—Stettin and Solingen Stirred.

Copenhagen, Aug. 20.—Textile workers in Saxony are highly excited over wage and food conditions and a general strike is threatened.

To Deny Right to Hold Meetings.

Copenhagen, Aug. 19.—Agitation at Stetting, Germany, over the announcement that the authorities proposed to suspend or limit the right to hold meetings has spread to Solingen.

BRITAIN FACES RAIL STRIKE

Engineers and Firemen Want 8-Hour Day Recognized.

London, Aug. 20.—There is considerable danger of an immediate strike involving about half the engineers and firemen employed on British railroads. The main point at issue is recognition of the principle of an eight-hour day. About 40,000 men are concerned.

To Oppose War Insurance Plan.

Washington, Aug. 20.—A pension clique in the house, headed by Representative John A. Key of Ohio, is to make an organized fight on the government's war insurance plan of compensation for soldiers on the battle line. The pension group, according to champions of the compensation system, is opposed to the government's plan for the reason that it will supplant the pension system and provide automatic aid for soliders' dependents that will remove the pension problem from politics.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

The sophomore and junior classes have presented the Pine City high school with a new 6 by 10-foot flag.

H. L. Buck, postmaster of Winona for four years, has been re-appointed by President Wilson. The appointment has been confirmed by the Senate.

John Clausen of Germantown says he counted eighty straws from one kernel of rye in his rye field. The yield in that section, he stated, is going to run quite heavy

Annie Tettkowske, 20 years old, a domestic, is being held at St. Cloud on a charge of slaying her baby girl at the home where she was employed yesterday. The girl had tied a bandage tightly around the baby's throat. The child's head also was cut.

Morgan Keaton was exceedingly busy winning his commission at the reserve officers' training camp at Fort Snelling—he's Lieutenant Keaton now—but he found time to slip away to Red Wing with his fiancee, Miss Jessie Helen Brown, July 14, where they were married, unknown to their friends and relatives.

Burr Buswell of Winona beat the draft by a single day. He enlisted at Minneapolis Monday, and Tuesday his name was posted here as one of a group of registrants called to the colors. He enlisted in the quartermasters' reserve corps and will take the six months' course in baking at Dunwoody institute.

L. C. Brown was declared elected to the school board in the decision of Judge Rosser in district court filed in the office of the clerk of court at St. Cloud. Twelve ballots, considered doubtful by the election judges, were given to Brown. He had contested the election of W. W. Smith, president of the board. The vote on the court decision stood; Brown, 338; Smith, 222.

The actual fusion of the Evangelical Lutheran synods of Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan and Nebraska is expected to be accomplished in St. Paul, delegates to the fourteenth biennial convention of the joint synods of these and other states predicted on their arrival there.

Favorable action by a local draft board on a claim for discharge is not in all cases to assure the claimant that he's "off." The government assistant to each local board, the "intervenor" for the government, is to be on the job and, if his investigation seems to justify it, he will ask the district board to overrule the lower one.

Mrs. Herbert Flansburg, wife of a county commissioner near Brainerd, broke her right leg near the ankle when a log fell from an old barn which had previously been badly damaged by a wind storm, as she passed by while putting the sheep in the lot. She was thrown to the ground by the log which rolled from the building without warning.

A jury has been completed at Brainerd for the trial of George A. Elder, Duluth bond broker, charged with offering $50 to a Koochiching county official to influence official action. The case was transferred to Crow Wing county on the plea of the defendant for a change of venue. Eighty talesmen were called before the jury was selected.

The offer of A. G. Whitney, St. Cloud, of $2,000 or more for an acre of ground in the State Normal school site in that city, adjoining his residence property, was presented to the state normal school board in session at the Capitol. It was said that the committee to which the matter was referred would report unfavorably and that the proposal would be rejected.

An anti-draft meeting, widely advertised by word of mouth in the vicinity of Hanover, lost its standing as such and was changed into a patriotic demonstration. At its close more than 300 persons, assembled to protest against sending American troops to Europe, stood with bared heads in a salute to the American flag and lustily sang "The Star Spangled Banner." Previous to this they had cheered the men who delivered the patriotic speeches and had made verbal pledges of fealty to the American government.

State Auditor Preus has accepted an invitation from Van H. Manning of the Federal department of mines to assist in drafting regulations to enforce the proposed new Federal law governing the manufacture, distribution and handling of explosives in time of war. Robert W. Hargadine, former state fire marshal, also will assist and both Minnesota men plan to go to Washington for an early conference with Mr. Manning.

J. O. Bentall, candidate for governor on the Socialist ticket, who was arrested on charges of interfering with enlistments and with the draft, has been unable to obtain bond of $6,000 and is still in the Hennepin county jail. When arraigned before United States Commissioner Abbott, Bentall asserted that he was sure the Socialist party would furnish the bond set by the commissioner.

Of the 650 men called for service in District No. 1, Stearns county, 338 have claimed exemption, the list shows. A large majority of the men claim exemption on account of marriage, while many of the others seek to be excused because of the fact that they are employed on farms or are conducting them.

Colonel George H. Hollman, who formerly was in charge of the improvement of the Upper Mississippi river in the Winona territory, now is serving in the American army in France. He is in the engineering corps, letters received here reveal

THREE ROADS SHOW LOWER EARNINGS

DECREASE FOR FIRST HALF YEAR —OTHER ROADS ENJOY INCREASE IN REVENUES.

SHERIFFS PLEDGE LOYALTY

Renew Allegiance at Conference Held With State Public Safety Commission at State Capitol.

St. Paul.

Three railroads operating in Minnesota report marked decreases in gross earnings for the first half of 1917, compared with the corresponding 1916 period, and two smaller roads show increases in returns filed late yesterday in the offices of the State Tax Commission, pursuant to the 5 per cent gross earnings tax law.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway reports $6,879,198 for 1917, against $7,230,230 for 1916; the Duluth, Missabe & Northern railway, $4,111,419, against $4,636,623, and the Minneapolis & St. Paul Suburban railroad $178,512, against $180,477.

Increases were reported by the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway to $1,017,048 from $879,384, and by the Minneapolis, Anoka & Cuyuna Range railway to $40,631 from $30,099.

The state tax is computed at $611,341 on the above Minnesota earnings.

The Railway Transfer company of Minneapolis made a return of $163,748 against $119,851 and the Minnesota Transfer Railway company of $12,853 against $6,967 for the respective first half periods of 1917 and 1916.

Decreases were shown by the report of the Soo line to $4,482,764 from $5,065,725 and that of the Minneapolis & St. Louis road to $1,706,485 from $1,844,789.

Increases were shown by three other reports, as follows: The Burlington road, $375,209 against $335,198; the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic, $2,853 against $2,389, and the Dubuque & Sioux City, $61,639 against $59,296.

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Sheriffs Renew Allegiance.

Minnesota sheriffs are today under a voluntary pledge to Uncle Sam to perform any duties that may be assigned to them by the federal authorities, without compensation. A resolution by Sheriff Peter Bonde of Kandiyohi county was adopted at the meeting of sheriffs from all over the state. The sheriffs conferred with the Minnesota Public Safety commission at the state capitol:

The resolution follows:

Whereas, the sheriffs of the state of Minnesota have been appointed to assist the government of the United States in the registration, exemption and selection of our conscriptive army pursuant to act of congress;

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that we, the sheriffs of Minnesota assembled at the state capitol of Minnesota this 15th day of August, A. D. 1917, do hereby renew our pledge of allegiance to our beloved country and cheerfully consent to perform the duties so required of us during such time as may please the president and those acting under his authority, and be it further resolved that we cheerfully tender such services without compensation or emoluments.

Another resolution, offered by Sheriff N. Nicholson of Mower county, pledges the sheriffs to do not only their official duties, but any other service that the United States may ask of them.

The sheriffs had an "experience meeting," and were advised by Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith how to handle problems of vagrancy, liquor law enforcement and sedition.

The sheriffs were advised that when a man is found with a supply of seditious literature he should be arrested on the presumption that he has it for distribution and is not "carrying it around for ballast."

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Phone Valuation Crews Start.

In three new automobiles of popular make, field crews in the telephone valuation work undertaken by the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission, left the Capitol for Winona, where a practical school of instruction will be conducted. The physical valuation of all telephone properties in the state will be taken to serve as a basis for telephone rates and regulations.

D. F. Jurgenson, chief engineer for the commission, and two assistant engineers, F. F. Post and W. T. Donaldson, were in charge of the three crews. The crews are made up of a chief, one assistant and a chauffeur.

The pole counting and wire measuring crews will be increased to ten as the necessary help can be secured, Engineer Jurgenson announced.

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Home guard commanders throughout of the state have been notified that home guard uniforms will consist of khaki or olive drab coats, pants and shirts, canvas leggings and campaigns, but that no insignia will be worn on the coat collar and no cords on the hat. Distribution of 2,523 rifles among the home guard companies has been begun. Major Oscar Seebach said that additional companies cannot be organized because of lack of rifles, the present number being sufficient to equip only three-fourths of the members of each company so far organized.

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Something Lacking.

For the first time Louis was hearing the cherry-tree-and-hatchet story. It was very dramatically related by a patriotic aunt, but Louis was not so deeply impressed as he might have been. When the climax was reached and George Washington said, "I cannot tell a lie," Louis displayed his first glimmer of enthusiasm.

"Couldn't he?" he asked. "What was the matter with him?"—Philadelphia Star.

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UNCLE JOE'S TRUE VERSION

Veteran Congressman Retells Green Corn Story Which He Declares Is Thirty Years Old.

"Uncle Joe," said a new member of the house to Representative Cannon of Illinois, "I heard a good story about you and green corn."

"Great guns, man, that story is thirty years old," said Mr. Cannon.

"Well, I am a new congressman and I fell for it."

"If you are going to tell it again," went on Mr. Cannon, "let me tell it to you right. I have seen more versions of it than there are silk threads in a corn tassel. It's true, all right.

"It happened at the old Willard hotel when it used to be run on the American plan, with three meals a day. I am a light eater, but I am powerfully fond of green corn. One day I had a neighbor on from Danville, who took dinner with me. I had three orders of green corn.

"'Joe,' says he to me, 'how much board do you pay at this tavern?' I told him. He looked at the stack of corncobs, ruminated a moment, and then remarked: 'Don't you think it would be cheaper for you to board at a livery stable?'"

No Time.

An Italian, having applied for citizenship was being examined in naturalization court.

"Who is the president of the United States?"

"Mr. Wils."

"Who is the vice president?"

"Mr. Marsh."

"If the president should die, who then would be president?"

"Mr. Marsh."

"Could you be president?"

"No."

"Why?"

"Mister, you 'scuse, please. I very busy worka da mine."—Everybody's.

When Mark Moved.

When Mark Twain was young and struggling, a friend of his met him walking through the streets with a cigar box under his arm. She said to him:

"Mr. Clemens, whenever I see you there is a cigar box under your arm. I'm afraid you are smoking too much."

"It isn't that," said the imperturbable Mark; "I'm only moving again."

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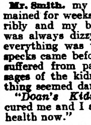
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In April, 1916, Louis Smith, 90 New St., Hackensack, N. J., said: "Words fail to describe the misery I endured from kidney complaint. In my work I have to do a lot of heavy lifting and this weakened my kidneys. At first I only suffered from a slight backache, but almost before I knew it, I was all bent over like a man a hundred years old.

Mr. Smith.

"I began to grow worse as the days passed and finally I had to take to my bed where I remained for weeks. My head pained terribly and my back just throbbed. I was always dizzy and it seemed as if everything was whirling. Little black specks came before my eyes and I also suffered from painful and scanty passages of the kidney secretions. Everything seemed dark and dreary. "Doan's Kidney Pills completely cured me and I am enjoying the best of health now."

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Frenzied Finance.

"I just thought of a great scheme," grinned the plumber.

"Hand it to me and I'll eat it," replied the thin carpenter.

"No, this is on the level."

"What it is all about?"

"It is to get in touch with all the paymasters in the country—"

"Yes—"

"And find out when the pay day comes."

"Yes—"

"Then, on the pay day I plan to go to each paymaster and see how many envelopes have not been called for."

"Huh!"

"Then I plan to take all the uncalled-for pay envelopes and share them fifty-fifty with the paymasters."

As he turned to go the thin carpenter shook his head and remarked sorrowfully:

"And just to think, I used to know you when you were all right."—Exchange.

A Peep Ahead.

This old millionaire and his beautiful bride, after their quiet wedding, had a quiet wedding breakfast, a deux. Astrakhan cavair, eggs pompadour, a truffed chicken, fresh California peas, champagne—so the quiet breakfast ran.

"My dear," said the old millionaire, as the fruit course, a superb Florida melon, came on, "tell me, my dear"—and he laid his withered hand on her young one—"do you love me for what I am or for what I was?"

The beautiful girl smiled down from the window into the admiring eyes of a young clubman who was passing; then she bent her clear, considering gaze on the gray ruin opposite and replied:

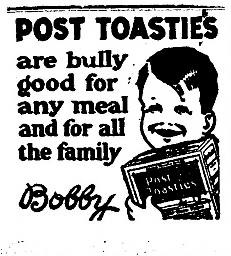
"I love you, George, for what you will be."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch

One Guess.

He—You used to say there was something about me you liked.

She—So I did. But you've spent it all.

Pretending to know things you should know but don't know occasionally answers the same purpose.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HOOVER TELLS AMERICAN PEOPLE OF THE FOOD PROBLEM AND ITS SOLUTION

Shows Absolute Necessity of Increased Production and Elimination of Waste, Backing Up His Statements With Facts and Figures of the Supply and Demand.

Washington, Aug. 20.—Food Administrator Hoover tells the American people, in a lengthy statement issued today, just what is the food situation of the world, what are to be the needs of the nations allied against the central powers, and what must be done to supply those needs and to feed the population of our own land.

The normal imports of wheat and other cereals by France, Italy, the United Kingdom and Belgium, and the estimates of the 1917 crop in those countries compared to the normal production are given by Mr. Hoover in tabulated form, and the conclusion is drawn that in order to provide normal consumption it will be necessary for them to import in the next 12 months 577,000,000 bushels of wheat and 674,000,000 bushels of other cereals. If the crops of the United States and Canada all mature safely, North America will have an apparent surplus of 208,000,000 bushels of wheat and 950,000,000 bushels of other cereals. The allies, therefore, must use other cereals than wheat for mixing in their war bread, and the people of America must reduce their consumption of wheat flour from five to four pounds per week per person.

Decrease in Food Animals.

A careful estimate of the world's food animal position shows a total net decrease of 115,005,000, and this will be greater as the war goes on. As the increase of herds and flocks takes years, we must reduce the consumption, eliminate waste and carefully control meat exports.

Our home dairy products supplies are decreasing, while our population is increasing, and we must ship increasing amounts of such products to our allies. Consequently this industry must be stimulated, and home users must save the wastes in milk and butter. Much the same may be said in the case of sugar.

Mr. Hoover urges a greater consumption of fish and sea foods, in which our coasts and lakes are enormously rich. The products of the land, he reminds us, are conserved by the eating of those of the sea.

Our Duty.

In conclusion the food administrator says:

I have endeavored to show in previous articles that the world is short of food; that Europe is confronted with the grim specter of starvation unless from our abundance and our waste we keep the wolf from the door. Not only must we have a proper use of our food supply in order that we may furnish our allies with the sinews with which they may fight our battles, but it is an act of humanity towards fellow men, women and children.

By the diversion of millions of men from production to war, by the occupation of land by armies, by the isolation of markets, by belligerent lines, and by the destruction of shipping by submarines, not only has the home production of our allies fallen by over 500,000,000 bushels of grain, but they are thrown upon us for a much larger proportion of their normal imports formerly obtained from other markets.

They have reduced consumption at every point, but men in the trenches, men in the shops, and the millions of women placed at physical labor require more food than during peace times and the incidence of their saving and any shortage which they may suffer, falls first upon women and children. If this privation becomes too great, their peoples cannot be maintained constant in the war, and we will be left alone to fight the battle of democracy with Germany.

The problem of food conservation is one of many complexions. We cannot, and we do not wish, with our free institutions and our large resources of food, to imitate Europe in its policed rations, but we must voluntarily and intelligently assume the responsibility before us as one in which everyone has a direct and inescapable interest. We must increase our export of foods to the allies, and in the circumstances of our shipping situation these exports must be of the most concentrated foods. These are wheat, flour, beef, pork and dairy products. We have other foods in great abundance which we can use instead of these commodities, and we can prevent wastes in a thousand directions. We must guard the drainage of exports from the United States, that we retain a proper supply for our own country, and we must adopt such measures as will ameliorate, so far as may be, the price conditions of our less fortunate. We might so drain the supplies from the country to Europe as by the high prices that would follow to force our people to shorten their consumption. This operation of "normal economic forces" would starve that element of the community to whom we owe the most protection. We must try to impose the burden equally upon all.

Action Must Be Voluntary.

There is no royal road to food conservation. We can only accomplish this by the voluntary action of our whole people, each element in proportion to its means. It is a matter of equality of burden; a matter of minute saving and substitution at every point in the 20,000,000 kitchens, on the 20,000,000 dinner tables and in the 2,000,000 manufacturing, wholesale and retail establishments of the country. The task is thus in its essence the daily individual service of all the people. Every group can substitute and even the great majority of thrifty people can save a little—and the more luxurious elements of the population can by reduction to simple living save much. The final result of substituting other products and saving one pound of wheat flour, two ounces of fats, seven ounces of sugar and seven ounces of meat weekly, by each person, will, when we have multiplied this by one hundred million, have increased our exports to the amounts absolutely required by our allies. This means no more than that we should eat plenty, but eat wisely and without waste.

Food conservation has other aspects of utmost importance. Wars must be paid for by savings. We must save in the consumption in commodities and the consumption of unproductive labor in order that we may divert our manhood to the army and to the shops.

The whole of Europe has been engaged ever since the war began in the elimination of waste, the simplification of life, and the increase of its industrial capacity. When the war is over the consuming power of the world will be reduced by the loss of prosperity and man power, and we shall enter a period of competition without parallel in ferocity. After the war, we must maintain our foreign markets if our working people are to be employed.

The impact of the food shortage of Europe has knocked at every door of the United States during the past three years. The prices of foodstuffs have nearly doubled, and the reverberations of Europe's increasing shortage would have thundered twice as loudly during the coming year even had we not entered the war, and it can now only be mitigated if we can exert a strong control and this in many directions.

We are today in an era of high prices. We must maintain prices at such a level as will stimulate production, for we are faced by a starving world and the value of a commodity to the hungry is greater than its price.

As a result of the world shortage of supplies, our consumers have suffered from speculation and extortion. While wages for some kinds of labor have increased with the rise in food prices, in others, it has been difficult to maintain our high standard of nutrition.

By the elimination of waste in all classes, by the reduction in the consumption of foodstuffs by the more fortunate, we shall increase our supplies not only for export but for home, and by increased supplies we can help in the amelioration of prices.

For Better Distribution.

Beyond this the duty has been laid upon the food administration to co-operate with the patriotic men in trades and commerce, that we may eliminate the evils which have grown into our system of distribution, that the burden may fall equitably upon all by restoration, so far as may be, of the normal course of trade. It is the purpose of the food administration to use its utmost power and the utmost ability that patriotism can assemble to ameliorate this situation to such a degree as may be possible.

The food administration is assembling the best expert advice in the country on home economics, on food utilization, on trade practices and trade wastes, and on the conduct of public eating places, and we shall outline from time to time detailed suggestions, which if honestly carried out by such individuals in the country, we believe will effect the result which we must attain. We are asking every home, every public eating place and many trades to sign a pledge card to accept these directions, so far as their circumstances permit, and we are organizing various instrumentalities to ameliorate speculation. We are asking the men of the country who are not actually engaged in the handling of food to sign similar pledges that they shall see to it, so far as they are able, that these directions are followed.

Peculiarities of Sleep.

A person absolutely without sleep for nine days will die. Sufferers from insomnia sometimes maintain that they have gone for weeks without sleep but it has been proved that they actually sleep without being aware of it. At a certain point sleep is inevitable, no matter what the bodily condition, the alternative being death. A method of taming wild elephants is said to be that of depriving the animals of sleep when first caught. In a few days they become practically spiritless and harmless. The brain of the elephant is held to be more highly developed than that of any other wild animal; but, of course, as compared with a human brain, can be easily fatigued by new impressions, and so made dependent on sleep.

Wasted Energy

Smith told me he felt [illegible] run down and was going to a doctor to build him up." "He ought to be able to do that himself. He's a good architect.

GIVES SECRET OF SUCCESS

George W. Perkins' Method Is to Live Every Day as if It Were to Be the Only One.

"My own method has been to live every day as though it was the only day I had to live, and to crowd everything possible into that day. Pay no attention to the clock or what you are paid, but work and live for all that is in it—just as you play football—and everything else will take care of itself," said George W. Perkins.

"The head of the table is the place where there is most room. It is the tree that grows and grows until it overtops the others that gets the most air and sunshine. The thing for the young man to do is to strive with all the energy he possesses to excel in actual ability.

"Pull is not necessary. Nor should a young man bother too much about his wages. I never asked an increase in my life. You can command sooner or later what you are entitled to—if you pre-eminently deserve it.

"But you have got to be ultra-proficient in some particular thing. You must stand out and do it better than the fellows around you whether you are an office boy, a stenographer or an executive. You must use your head as well as your hands. Don't be afraid to do extra work lest it interfere with your theater going. I don't go to the theater half a dozen times during the winter, not that I don't like it, but there are other things more worth doing."—Leslie's Weekly.

A Reasonable Supposition.

The farmer alleged a freight train of the defendant company had hit one of his mules.

"Now, Mr. Jones," said the attorney for the corporation to the aggrieved party, who occupied the witness stand, "will you kindly tell the court whether or not your mule was on the track, the property of the defendant, when hit by the train?"

"Well, sir," replied Mr. Jones, "I didn't witness the occurrence, but I suppose things must have been about as you say. This was a pretty bright mule and I reckon if that train had took out after him in the woods which fringe the track there where he was killed he would have got behind a tree."—Macon Telegraph.

Eliminating Waste.

"Are you doing anything to save the food supply?"

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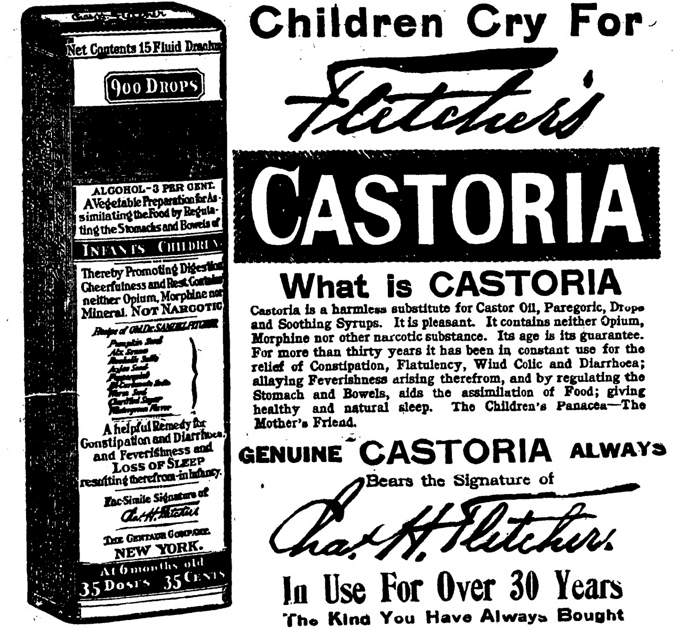
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Upon which the lady whose gown had been trodden on, turning round, replied with a sweet smile:

"Pardon me. It was the angel who stood in the way and the ass which spoke."

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Surgical Stupidity.

A French soldier had been shot in the leg and was taken to the hospital for treatment. For some time the surgeon probed the wound until at last the sufferer demanded what he was doing.

"I am trying to find the bullet," was the reply.

"What stupidity," [illegible] the patient. Why, I have it in my pocket."

A Good Comeback.

Tom Moore, the poet, was the son of a Dublin grocer. Without any pushing on his part his genius and his unaffected manner made him a welcome guest everywhere. All London went mad over him. On one occasion at a banquet he had made some brilliant witticisms. A snob thinking to humiliate him leaned over the table to the poet and quite audibly said in a drawling tone:

"Pway, sir, wasn't your father a grossah?"

Moore smilingly replied that he was.

"Then pway," continued the snob, "why didn't he make a grossah of you?"

Moore quite affably retorted: "Wasn't your father a gentleman?"

"Of course he was," was the rejoinder.

"Then why, pray, didn't he make a gentleman of you?"

Another Sherlock.

I wonder where [illegible]

[illegible]

Mrs. S[illegible]—Wim [illegible]

Simpson—Then it must be in the [illegible]

A Curious Stone.

Johnny came home from school several times within a month with various bruises on his face and body, received in fights with his schoolmates, and on the last occasion his mother threatened him with severe punishment if he ever engaged in a fight again. Only a few days after the lad appeared with a black eye and scared by the stern, maternal greeting, "Well, sir?" he departed from his usual truthful ways, and stammered:

"I fell down and hit my head on a stone."

"And which got the worst of it?" asked his big brother.

"Oh, the other fellow," answered Johnny. "He's gone home with two black eyes."

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Save the Waste, and Win the War.

Mrs H. O. Ekerdalen was a T. R. Falls visitor the first of the week.

Every straw of any kind should be well stacked as already inquiries are being made for baled straw for sale.

Axel Nelson, P. L. Anderson and Clarence Docken were Sunday visitors in Fargo.

Julius and Alfred Olson have gone to Milton, N. Dak., to work during the threshing season.

Ole Hammernes went to Canada Tuesday to look after the crops on his farm there.

H. J. Olson and wife of Middle River were in town Tuesday on business and pleasure.

Ole Skiple of Maple Lake visited from Saturday until Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. Hagglund and family.

Ole Johnson returned home Tuesday from Minneapolis, where he spent most of his vacation, and is again at work in Carlson's store.

If the government can control the prices of wheat, flour and other food stuffs, why not coal, too? Freezing may be an easier and quicker method of dying, than starving but the end is the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hagglund and children and her father, Ole Skiple, visited Monday with relatives near Grygla.

A big picnic for their drafted men, will be held in T. R. Falls, Sept. 1st. The Marshall Co. boys will also be welcome to attend.

There is no danger of anyone doing too much canning. Any kind of food will be saleable during war times and until the world gets back to normal and sane conditions.

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

"Relief came, however, when I took the advice of several women who said, "Take tonoline.

Not long after I started the tonoline treatment, my patrons began to remind me of the improvement in my condition. And because health is the quickest to beauty, the improvement was particularly noticeable in my face.

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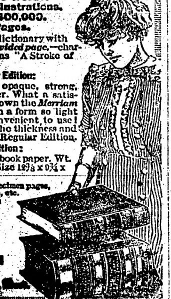

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WOMEN AND CHILDREN IMPORTANT

Extra Efforts To Be Made To Have Exhibits At State Fair Bigger And Better Than Ever—Style Show To Eclipse Anything Yet Held—Children's Contests To Interest Many.

Women and children will take a most important part in the Minnesota State Fair, which is to be held September 3 to 8 and which, this year, is to be conducted as a Food Training Camp in the voluntary service of the government.

For years past the women and children have done their share to make the Minnesota State Fair the success it has been, but this year, possibly due to war conditions, they will be called upon, as has everybody else, to put forth extra efforts to make conditions as near normal as possible.

Because of a shortage of materials for the manufacture of high grade clothing it has become necessary for manufacturers to turn their attention to other materials besides pure woolens and other fabrics, which, before the war, were easily obtainable.

Big Style Show.

For some time past the women who will have charge of the exhibits in the women's department have been busily engaged planning the affairs and, while definite plans have not been announced as yet it is certain that among other things to be seen in the women's building will be a style show, which will eclipse anything of the kind yet attempted at the Minnesota State Fair. Living models will be used to display the very latest styles.

Plain sewing will be given special attention this year. This feature is particularly important because the war has brought about conditions that have necessitated doing away with frills and fancy things and has replaced them with the simpler and plainer wearables.

Demonstrations will be held along the line of how to do plain sewing and how to utilize different materials which will come into more common use as time goes on.

Boys' and Girls' Camps.

In the children's department there will be many features of interest. Among these will be the camp for farm boys and also one for girls.

Winners in last year's contests for farm boys, in raising pigs, corn and potatoes will contest for honors at the fair. They will make up the farm boys' camp and during the week will live right on the fair grounds. Great rivalry is said to exist this year and it is expected the judges will have more difficulty in selecting the winners than for some time.

The girls, who will contest in breadmaking and canning, will also have their share of attention. These girls have already been selected in the various counties, where they have won prizes and this year, with government officials present, they will doubtless outdo themselves to produce the best possible results. The girls will be quartered at the State Agricultural School near the Fair Grounds.

Besides these contests there will also be the annual spelling contest open to both boys and girls, by which the champion speller of the state will be determined. This contest, too, has always attracted lots of attention and this year will be no exception.

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Mrs. Melquist has been entertaining her sister from Crookston since Saturday.

Sam Mickelson went to Newfolden Wednesday to work on the new school house.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Olson and son Martin autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday on business.

A light shower of rain fell Wednesday night, which freshened things up considerably.

Norwegian services in the Mission chuch next Sunday afternoon and evening, by G. Bengaard of Fosston.

Chis Norbeck, Emil Ostlund, Bert Odie and Knute Nelson of near Golden Valley were in town Wednesday on business.

Rats should be killed off. Besides destroying food and feed--they carry disease germs and are a real menace to the health of a community.

Hilmer Davidson has struck water in the well on the school grounds, at a depth of 86 feet with a rise of 49 ft. that is, the water comes up within 37 feet from the top.

Save all rough feeds for stock, and all grains possible for feeding the people. The drouth, high prices and the war,-- means that everybody Must Save in every possible way.

T. O. Saastad says they recently received word from their son, Ole, who is with the British army at the front in France. It has been reported that he was dead, but it was a mistake.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of June 1917.

Cream received	35,314 lbs
Average test	
Butter fat	9735.44 lbs
Percent overrun	
Butter made	12120 lbs
Balance on hand last month	1 36
Received for butter shipped and sold patrons	4186 87
Rec'd from cash sales	26 41
Total	$4214 64
Paid patrons by check, Butter & milk	3774 50
Expense fund, etc.	369 16
Other sources	
To sinking fund	70 90
Balance on hand	08
Total	$4214 64

Number of patrons, 108

Price paid for butter fat, 39c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 Rudolph Dahl $92.50 C. L. Heinze 88 81, T. O. Dovre 87 72, Ryan & Ostby 87 28, O. J. Lunke 83 99, C. E. Smith 76 64, Swan Carlson 71 58 Ed Horien 74 13, L. Wegge 68 59 Jno Magnuson 68 21, Louis Johnson 66 85, M. O. Halvorson 60 32, Ed Werner 59 33, A. Bjerk 58 97, G. Tveit 58.43, O. Rodahl 56 78, Hans Knutson 56 37, Herman Heinze 54 39, G. P. Sorter 54 23 Nels Gudvangen 53 93, M. J. Lunke 53 61, J. Faiman 52 56, L. Helfesylt 51 96, J. Jarlard 50 15, Willie Steinhauer 48 17, Ole A. Knutson 46 52, J. Engstrom 44 83, J. Simonson 43 08, H. Fosholm 42.66, L. R. Buckman 42 25, N. Fosen 41 96, A. Hoffman 41 20. Theo Sorum 59 63

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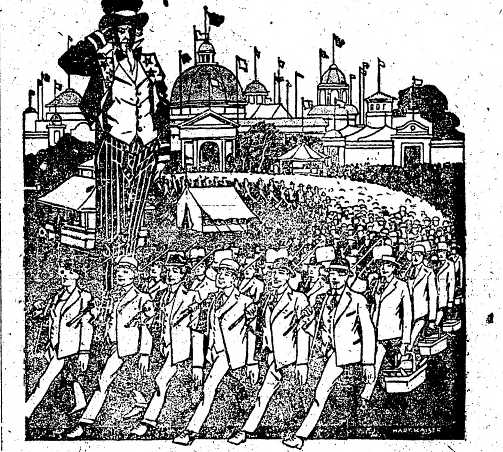

DO YOUR BIT.

Now more than ever is the importance emphasized of large crops. A shortage of crops in the United States would mean less chance for America and her allies to win the war for Humanity. Every man and boy who is unable to go to the trenches to fight for his country should do his bit by helping on the farm. The Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 3 to 8, is doing everything it can to encourage food prodution and conservation. You should not miss the big fair.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Ladies Aid this p. m. at church.

Miss Amanda Mickelson came Saturday from Crookston for a weeks visit at home.

Mrs. Johnson of Fargo, N. Dakota came one day last week to visit her sister, Mrs. Alfred Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes and baby went to Grand Forks Wednesday for a short business visit.

Rev. Ophus ot St. Paul will preach here next Sunday afternoon at 3 o-clock, also at 8 o'clock at night.

Messrs Lucian and Barzen have been here a few days the past week, working on the electric pole line.

Misses Gunhild and Olava Sollom went to Grand Forks Saturday for a short visit with relatives there.

Misses Ellen and Selma Fellman of Thief River Falls were over Sunday visitors at the C. L. Sandberg home.

A bright little baby girl was born to Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Ordahl on Tuesday night of this week and both mother and baby are doing nicely under the care of Dr. Mellby.

Mr. Gubrud and wife of Hamburg N. D., who have been visiting at the T. E. Ellestead home have rented E. A. Johnson's farm and will move onto it soon.

Two Holt boys, Ed. Nyberg and Adolph Johnson, who went to Canada this spring are now sick in the hospitals there with typhoid fever.

The condition of Marius Hoel seems to remain about the same and all the nourishment he is allowed to have is a small amount of milk each day.

Middle River is going to have a big celebration for the soldier boys this Saturday evening Sept. 1st. and all the Holt boys are invited to attend. Rev. Parish and C. L. Hanson of T. R. Falls will be the principal speakers.

A big banquet will be held at the Rex Cafe, a dance will also be given the boys.

The opening of the Holt public school has been postponed until the 17th of Sept., as it is not yet certain that Prof. Hagen will be able to get an exemption from the draft army, also the school commencing two weeks later than usual will enable the pupils from the country to assist that much longer on the farm.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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School Notice.

Opening of the Holt Public School has been postponed until Sept. 17th.

By order of the School Board.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 11 o'clock A. M.

The Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement this (Friday) afternoon. Everyone invited.

Rev. Ophus of St. Paul will assist Rev. Kilen in holding meetings here next Sunday afternoon and evening at the regular hours. All invited.

The Holt public school will commence Sept. 17th.

P. L. Anderson visited Sunday with friends at Fertile.

Everyone in Holt should use electric lights this coming winter.

A. C. Jahr has bot Henry Stensrud's tractor to use for hauling his potatoes to this market.

The Synod Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. J. E. Erickson of Excel on Wednesday Aug. 12th.

Ole Backlund and Ben Hoff were Middle River visitors Friday evening.

Miss Clara Larson has been employed to teach the school in Dist. No. 148, commencing Sept 4th.

Clarence Docken went to Mekinock, N. D., Monday, for a weeks visit with his parents.

Mrs. Albin Knauf and baby returned Saturday to their home in T. R. Falls after a couple of weeks pleasant visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kuehne.

T. A. Tobiason is going to run the school bus on route No. 3 instead of Oscar Hoffman who gave up the job on account of not being 21 years old.

John Hagberg returned home on Wednesday from Dugdale accompanied by little Marie Murphy who will visit a few days at the Hagberg home,

Save all rough feeds for stock, and all grains possible for feeding the people. The drouth, high priced and the war,-- means that everybody Must Save in every possible way.

F. W. Ramaley of St. Paul was here this week and made arrangements to put up a set of buildings on his farm in section 32, East Valley township. Mr. Ramaley also expects to have a well drilled and make other improvements there.

Dr. Mellby was called Monday night to see Mrs. Hjalmer Dovre and Mrs. M. S. Sampson both of whom were on the sick list. The latter was poisoned by eating canned salmon and was quite sick for a while but is now better.

Thief River Falls will observe "Dedication Day" to-morrow Saturday Sept. 1st. and eastern Marshall county boys who have been drafted, will be welcomed by them. They are expecting a big crowd to march in the parade.

If the Russian Army or certain divisions in the Russian army continues to show the white feather and yield to the German army without resistance what ever, the time will come when they will have to bend under the heavy yoke of Germatic Servitude to the tune of the shackles that will ever be in evidence. There is no question but what these treasonable acts will prolong the war, and place heavier burdens upon her allies.

For Sale.

For Sale, by owner, 5 forties in Section 16, and one forty in Section 30. Apply to

Mrs. Julia Le Sag,
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Change of Ownership.

I have purchased A. S. Olson's Confectionary and Lunch business, and will continue at the old stand.

I respectfully solicit a share of your patronage.

Clarence S. Kolden.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmation services next Sunday at 10:45. Communion at 2 o'clock. No Sunday School.

Ladies Aid on the 12th. of Sept. at Edwin Erickson's.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Trade at home.

Try a want ad in our columns.

Boost for Holt, first, last and all the time. Boost.

Found: A coat. Prove property and pay for this notice at Reierson's store.

Miss Olga Furr came Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. H. Furr and family.

The Ladies Aid entertain this afternoon in the church basement.

B. Docken has sold another Beltrami county quarter to parties in Minneapolis.

Regular autumn weather for a few days past, just for a change.

Conrad Theis returned home on Tuesday from several months stay in the state of Montana.

Misses Andria Ness, Albertina Nyberg, Dorothy and Celia Olson left Saturday for Searles, N. Dakota, where they expect to work several weeks in the cook car of a threshing crew.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jarshaw Saturday night August 25th.

Master LeRoy Groven from east of T. R. Falls was an over Sunday guest of Martin Olson.

E. T. Eide commenced this week, shipping his crop of hay to his feed store in the busy little city of Spooner.

P. A. Riesberg had a sheep so badly injured by a wolf last Sunday that it died a few days later. Mr. Riesberg had previously lost several lambs by the depredations of wolves.

Fireman, machinists and water tenders for shore duty at the Naval Training Station at Great Lakes Ill. Wages are from $41.00 to $52.00 per month, with board, lodging and medical attendance.

Rudolph Reierson, H. J. Oien and Loyd Adams were in Warren on Friday before the army draft board. The two latter failed to pass the physicial examinations and are the only ones from this vicinity in the second call who were rejected.

Buy a car of sheep for fall grazing, is the advice of the N. W. Experiment Station and the Duluth Com. club wants interested parties to get in touch with their agricultural committee and invite them to write for information.

The Dye Industry of the United States, after much trial and tribulations, have succeeded in producing dyes that compare favorably with the kind formerly obtained from Germany. The old saying that Necessity is the mother of invention has surely been proven in this csae, for the time is coming when America will be in a position to compete with Germany in this industry.

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Notice for Bids

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Holt State Bank
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A 1914 Carter car, in complete running order, with electric lights and self starter. Will sell cheap or consider a trade.

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Holt, Minn.

Minnesota mills manufacture over 20 per cent of the wheat flour made in the United States.

The city of Portland, Oregon is calling for some 12,000 laborers to go to work at once. Surely no one needs to be, nor should be allowed to remain idle during the war.

Will Rux, Theodore Olson, Obert Reierson and Alfred Wendt left on Friday for Hatton, N. Dak., to work during the threshing season.

The Northwest Experiment Station at Crookston has received Information regarding high class breeding stock that is offered for sale at market prices. Anyone interested in high class beef or dairy cattle will do well to write Supt. Selvig regarding this matter.

The Farmers' Creamery issued the checks Friday for July deliveries. Amongst the largest checks was one of $102.76 for Rudolph Dahl, T. O. Dovre's $101.01, C. L Heinze $81, E. J. Werner $76.42, Ed Horien $72.30, M. O. Halvorson $69.60, Lewis Wegge $64.69.

One day we were foolish enough to venture the assertion that hay would be worth $20 00 a ton before another crop is grown, and only to be laughed at. Nevertheless from all over the northwest warnings are being sent out to cut every spear of grass and save all straw and fodder of everykind, also that throut the western part of Dakota and nearly all of Montana that farmers are obliged to sell their stock because of drought and a consequent lack of feed, thereby causing low prices for stock this year, a scarcity of same next year and high prices for stock for both meat and breeding purposes. Save your feed and keep all young breeding stock is advice worth taking, especially that the world war now confronts everyone in America. —Later: Since the above was put in type, we have learned on good authority that hay is selling for $25. a ton in Duluth. Did we set the selling price too high?

A big picnic for their drafted men, will be held in T. R. Falls, Sept. 1st. The Marshall Co. boys will also be welcome to attend.

There is no danger of anyone doing too much canning. Any kind of food will be saleable during war times and until the world gets back to normal and sane conditions.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Mathias Olson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Mathias Olson Decedent

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Antonette Olson,

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 23rd day of February 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS as provided by law.

Dated Aug. 13, 1917.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

The Red Cross needs your help.

We still have a few books left on "Home Canning by the One-Period Cold-Pack Method." They will be given free to anyone calling at the printing office for them.

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WOMEN TO MOBILIZE.

The Minnesota State Fair Food Training Camp, Sept. 3 to 8, will be a short course in Food Efficiency for women. Abundant food is necessary if we are to win this war. Attend the Food Training Camp and learn how you may best do your part in conserving our food supplies.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.99
Wheat No. 2	1.94
Wheat No. 3	1.84
Wheat No. 4	1.74
Flax	3.15
Oats	45
Barley	81 to 1.00
Rye	1.57
Flour, Best Patent	6.55

Announcement

New Garage!

I have opened a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

Ole Hammerness
Holt - Minn.

For Sale!

As we will soon be ready to move into our new bank building, we have decided to sell our old building at a reasonable price. If interested write or call on us.

Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

Why not try sheep for killing the sow thistle and other noxious weeds.

News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

U. S.—Teutonic War News

Financial circles in New York learned the government is taking steps to control millions of dollars in German-owned cash in Wall street banks, and has blacklisted all German banks in South America. This will prevent financial connections through which German agents might be able to get funds for their operations.

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National Guardsmen from Wyoming, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana will form the third Guard division sent to France. This became known at Washington when it was announced the northwest contingent will encamp at Camp Greene, Charlotte, S. C.

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Five United States navy gunners as well as the imprisoned captain of the Standard Oil tanker Campana may have died in the German submarine U-2, which sank the vessel, according to Third Officer J. H. Bruce, who, with 40 members of the ship's crew and eight of the gun crew, arrived at an Atlantic port on a French steamship.

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Aliens who are exempt from draft under the conscription law will be forced to fight in the war with Germany as a foreign legation if a bill which Representative Stephen G. Porter of Pittsburgh will introduce in the house at Washington becomes a law.

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Major General Pershing, commander of the American expedition in France, returned to his Paris headquarters after witnessing the French offensive on the Verdun front with General Petain, the commander in chief of the French armies.

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Fifteen Germans were arrested at Tripp, S. D., by federal officers, charged with violation of the espionage act.

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More destroyers, deadliest enemy of the submarine, than any other nation in the world possesses, will be built by the navy department, to enable America to master the U-boat problem. This was made plain at a conference at Washington between Secretary Daniels and 25 shipbuilders summoned by him to Washington.

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Domestic

Orlando A. Somers of Kokomo, Ind., was elected commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic at the last session of the annual encampment at Boston.

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Twelve white men, civilians, police officers and National Guardsmen, were killed and more than a score of persons wounded in the outbreak of negro soldiers of the Twenty-fourth United States infantry at Houston, Tex. It is not known how many negroes are dead. Capt. J. W. Mattes, Battery A, Second Illinois field artillery, was among the dead.

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Twenty-seven I. W. W.'s are in jail at Cleveland, O., as a result of a spectacular raid made by federal officers and detectives on "the Finnish slackers' nest" on the West side.

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B. D. Whitelaw, son of a manufacturer at St. Louis was slain in a running battle with Patrolman Bert Stanley after he and two other men had held up a bartender and six men in a saloon.

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Federal Judge George A. Carpenter at Chicago cleared the way for the prosecution of disloyal spellbinders in a far-reaching decision at the preliminary hearing of Adolph Germer, national secretary of the Socialist party, who is charged with violating the selective service act. Judge Carpenter held Germer in $5,000 bonds to the United States grand jury.

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Ohio's defense council blamed German sympathizers for the closing of five Ohio mines with a production of 400,000 tons daily.

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A verdict of guilty was found at New York against Kalman Gruher, "go-between" for Dr. S. J. Bernfeld and Louis J. Cherey, members of exemption board No. 99, who pleaded guilty to receiving bribes for granting exemptions. He was sentenced to two years in the Atlanta penitentiary.

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Three explosions, along what is called the "powder line," a series of small buildings, at the Kings Mills Powder company's plant at Kings Mills, O., caused the death of four men.

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One person was killed, a half dozen others injured fatally, and 20 to 30 others more or less seriously hurt in the wreck of a Toledo & Ohio Central excursion train at Lime City near Toledo, O.

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Judge Speer of the federal court at Mount Airy, Ga., held the selective draft law constitutional in a decision in the case of Albert Jones, a negro, represented by Thomas E. Watson. Watson contended that the law is in contravention of the involuntary servitude provision of the Constitution.

Arthur Shattuck, the concert pianist, who inherited a large estate upon the death of his father, F. C. Shattuck, a Wisconsin paper manufacturer, has turned the entire income from the estate over to the war relief for the duration of the conflict, it was learned at Chicago.

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Foreign

Dr. George Michaelis, the German chancellor, is reported in a Central News dispatch to London from Amsterdam to have said to the reichstag main committee that the German reply to the papal peace note would be based on aiming at peace by compromise agreement, in line with the peace resolution adopted by the reichstag.

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Violent rioting took place in Barcelona, Spain, and the neighboring towns after a general strike was proclaimed.

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Washington

The senate at Washington rejected, 58 to 21, Senator La Follette's amendment to raise $658,784,000 from individuals' incomes instead of $490,164,000, as proposed in the war tax bill.

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Prices of anthracite coal were fixed in a statement issued at Washington by President Wilson and Harry A. Garfield, president of Williams college, was named coal administrator. The anthracite prices, effective September 1, range from $4 to $5 per ton (2,240 pounds) f. o. b. mines. Jobbers are allowed to add a profit of not more than 20 cents per ton east of Buffalo and 30 cents west of Buffalo.

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Seventy-five million dollars more tax was laid upon wealth. By vote of 35 to 31 the senate at Washington adopted the Lenroot amendments imposing much higher taxes upon individual incomes than the senate finance committee planned.

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A stinging rebuke was the reply of Secretary of Commerce William C. Redfield of Washington to J. E. Van Dyke of East Orange, N. J., who wrote the secretary asking him to support the La Follette peace resolution. Redfield flayed his correspondent as exhibiting "nothing of the American spirit."

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Flat feet do not necessarily disqualify a man for army service. Provost Marshal Crowder of Washington, in a telegram to the state governors, called attention to the army physical regulations which specify that "a broad, flat sole is common in laboring classes, particularly among negroes, and is in no way disabling."

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The extensive scope of preparations for the health, comfort and recreation of American soldiers in France is indicated by reports from Maj. Grayson M. P. Murphy, head of the Red Cross commission in France, made public at Washington.

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Without opposition the senate at Washington confirmed the nominations of former Representative Victor Murdock of Kansas to the federal trade commission and all except two of nearly 200 major and brigadier generals recently named by President Wilson.

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The senate at Washington was startled with a warning that the cost of living must be reduced at once to prevent destitution, and a protest against army selection and a war to which many are opposed and which may lead to sanguinary rebellion. La Follette read the letter to the senate. It was written by a miner of West Frankfort, Ill.

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Information was obtained at Washington that a complete embargo will be placed on exportation of meats. After the order is effective the food administration will determine the quantities of meats that may be shipped to allied countries, and the exports council will carry out the decision reached.

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European War News

Riga, the gateway to Petrograd, is in peril from the Germans, if it has not already fallen into the hands of Hindenburg's men. The rumor of the fall of the Baltic seaport has been current in Washington.

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The Italians continue to gain, says Rome. Their prisoners now exceed 16,000. The Austrians are said to be preparing to evacuate Trieste. An Italian estimate is that the enemy's total casualties in two days reached 30,000.

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The Leyland liner Devonian, which left an Atlantic port on July 28, has been sunk, presumably by a German submarine. Officers of the line at Boston confirmed the report that the vessel was lost.

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Eleven persons are reported to have been killed and thirteen injured at Dover in a raid by ten German airplanes. Two of the enemy machines in Kent county, England, were brought down.

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British casualties reported to London in the week ending Tuesday aggregate 14,243 officers and men. Of this number 2,873 soldiers lost their lives.

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A smashing French victory on the Verdun front is recorded in the official report issued by the Paris war office. The French have captured the enemy defenses on both sides of the Meuse over a front of more than eleven miles, penetrating the German lines at divers points to a depth of a mile and a quarter. More than 4,000 unwounded German prisoners have been taken.

ITALIANS ENGAGED IN DESPERATE FRAY; FRENCH HOLD GAINS

BATTLE IN PROGRESS NORTH OF GORIZIA—AUSTRIAN RESISTANCE OVERCOME AT VARIOUS POINTS.

ALLIED LINES IN WEST WITHSTAND ASSAULTS

Petain Reports Repulse of Counter-Attacks Launched By Crown Prince in Verdun Region and Capture of More Prisoners—Austrians Retiring.

Rome, Aug. 28.—A desperate battle is in progress on the Bainsizza plateau, on the front north of Gorizia, it is announced officially. The resistance of the Austrians has been overcome at various points.

Roumanians Repulse Enemy.

Petrograd, Aug. 28.—An Austro-German attack on Roumanian positions south of Ocna was repulsed, the war office announces. Northeast of Soveia the Roumanians recovered a height which had been wrested from them.

Petain Holding Gains.

General Petain is holding all his gains of the great Verdun offensive movement in the face of formidable counter attacks which the German crown prince now is launching.

The French commander reports the repulse of strong assaults on newly-won positions in this sector. He announces also the capture of 1,100 prisoners when the French lines were carried forward two-thirds of a mile on a two-and-a-half mile front to the outskirts of Beaumont village.

Thrusts By Crown Prince Fail.

The Germans have resumed their attacks in the Aisne region, where for many days in July and early August they met with repeated checks in attempts to drive the French from the valuable ground on the Chemin-des-Dames, won in the spring offensive. The renewal of the attempt met with no better success, the breaking up of the crown prince thrusts being announced by the Paris war office.

German Bases Smashed.

The British are continuing their systematic smashing of aviation and other bases behind the German front in Belgium. The dropping of a large number of bombs by naval airmen on the airdrome of St. Denis Western is announced. In infantry operations the only activity reported is a successful trench raid carried out near Oostaverne.

Austrians on Osonzo Front Retire.

It was reported from Austrian headquarters that the Austrian troops who were fighting to the north of Gorizia on the Isonzo front have now retired, says a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam.

SPIES IN U. S. KEEP U-BOATS POSTED ON SHIP SAILINGS

Efficiency With Which German Agents Work Described By Crew of Destroyed Vessel.

An Atlantic Port, Aug. 28.—The efficiency with which German spies are keeping the kaiser's submarines informed of the movements of American merchantmen was described here by the captain and members of the crew of the schooner Childe Harold, which was sunk by a U-boat.

The schooner was stopped by the submarine off the French coast June 21. The captain immediately asked where the ships Sherman and Crossley were. The Sherman and Crossley left New York at the same time the Childe Harold sailed, but only the shippers and owners were supposed to know this.

I. W. W. IS HELD FOR LYNCHING

Arrested in Connection with Death of Frank H. Little.

Butte, Aug. 28.—It has become known that C. A. McCarthy, alias Albright, local executive board member of the Industrial Workers of the World, has been arrested in connection with the recent lynching here of Frank H. Little, national executive board member of the I. W. W.

KAISER HAS EYES ON U. S., GOVERNMENT HAS PROOF

Washington, Aug. 28.—Evidence which made American government officials believe Germany planned to war on the United States after defeating France and England is in the hands of the administration, the State department announces.

Idle Miners Walk Butte Streets.

Butte, Mont., Aug. 28.—Butte streets are crowded with thousands of miners who are idle because of the shut down of copper mines, made necessary by the closing of the Washoe smelting plant of the Anaconda company at Anaconda, when of 3,000 men employed on the day shift only 110 reported for work. Indications are that the independent mines of the district which did not shut down will be compelled to cease operations soon. There is a belief that the machinists union will declare a strike.

ITALIANS CAPTURE MOUNTAIN; FRENCH WIN NEW VICTORY

TRICOLOR OF ITALY FLIES AT SUMMIT OF MONTE SANTO—AUSTRIAN DEFENSE LINES ARE BROKEN.

FORTIFIED WORKS NEAR BETHINCOURT CAPTURED

Allies Take More Prisoners in West—201 German Officers Captured and Three Regiments Annihilated—British Occupy Important Trench Near Lens.

Paris, Aug. 27.—The French have scored a new victory on the Verdun front north of Hill 304. Three fortified works near Bethincourt were captured. The number of prisoners taken has been increased to 8,101.

"In Belgium there were rather violent artillery engagements in the region of Bixschoote," says the French statement.

"South of St. Quentin our detachments penetrated a German trench and brought back 31 prisoners. Another raid west of Pantheon also resulted in the taking of prisoners.

Fighting in Champagne.

"In the Champagne the artillery fighting became intense in the region of the heights. Enemy surprise attacks near Vauquois and northeast of Avocourt were completely repulsed. On the left bank of the Meuse our troops made new progress north of Hill 304. In a brilliant action they carried three fortified works in the vicinity of Bethincourt. The number of unwounded prisoners taken on the left bank of the river was 450. This brings up the total to 8,101."

Enemy Officers Taken.

One of the striking phases of the Verdun fighting is the large proportion of German officers captured, 201 being taken Monday with about 6,700 men. This is in sharp contrast with the number of officers taken in the French attack last December. At that time 208 officers and 11,000 men were captured.

Three regiments forming the German Sixth reserve division were annihilated as fighting units, losing 69 officers and about 2,800 men in prisoners. This was a Brandenburg division.

The newspapers recall that at the time of the great German attack last year several weeks elapsed before the Germans were masters of strong points west of the Meuse which the French took in a few days this week.

Austrian Lines Broken.

Rome, Aug. 27.—The tricolor of Italy is flying on the summit of Monte Santo, which was an Austrian stronghold on the Isonzo front, according to the official statement issued by the Italian war department.

The Italian second army, General Cadorna reports, has broken through the Austro-Hungarian line of defense at several points and is closely pursuing the Austro-Hungarians, who are retiring and defending the difficult ground yard by yard.

Lens Trench Taken.

London, Aug. 27.—The capture of a German position near Lens is announced by the war department. The statement follows:

"By successful attacks carried out with slight casualties west of Lens we captured a short length of a German trench of some local importance. We also captured an enemy post during the night in the neighborhood of Lombaertzyde and secured a few prisoners and a machine gun. There was considerable artillery activity east of Epehy."

ATTACKS ON HOSPITALS ARE PROVED DELIBERATE

German Aviator Brought Down Behind French Lines Found to Possess Incriminating Photograph.

With the French Armies in the Field, Aug. 27.—Proof that Germany is deliberately attacking field hospitals in air raids, has been obtained. A German aviator brought down behind the French lines was found to be carrying a photograph of the hospital at Vadelaincourt, which plainly showed the Red Cross insignia on the roof.

Four Hospitals Bombarded.

To date the Germans have bombarded four hospitals in the Verdun region—at Dugny, Mount Hairon, Belrupt and Vadelaincourt. They have killed 43 nurses and patients and wounded 55. Most of their bombs were incendiary. Nearly always the aviators swept close to earth and fired machine gun bullets at fleeing nurses and patients.

Hunt Woman Drug Smuggler.

Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—Three members of what the police believe to be an international drug ring, operating between the Twin Cities and Winnipeg, said in police court here that an unidentified woman was the brains of the gang. The police are searching for her. She is thought to be the missing link in the chain of drug thieves, carriers and peddlers, who since the operation of the Harrison anti-drug act have earned a living by smuggling drugs. The men were charged with stealing habit forming drugs.

The State In Brief

At a meeting of the members of the Clay County Fair association it was decided to hold the fair at Barnesville, Oct. 17, 18 and 19.

Herbert Conner, son of John B. Conner, president of the Thief River Falls Commercial club, was attacked by a bull on his farm and was seriously injured.

The Kingfisher, the cruising yacht of E. L. King, wealthy medicine manufacturer and banker of Winona, has left here for its first trip up the Mississippi to the head of navigation.

At a special election held in the village of Albany the citizens voted 56 to 2, to sell the municipal electric light and power plant to the Union Light & Power company of St. Cloud for $12,000.

Andrew E. Reardon of Mora, who received injuries of the spine and concussion of the brain by a fall in the dropping of the elevator at the new school building is rapidly regaining his health.

The Purchase, an excursion steamer on the Mississippi river that was caught on the rocks near Wabasha, is now practically a total loss. The boat was one of the finest excursion steamers that ply the river.

The Minnesota Guernsey Breeders' association has assured Secretary Charles F. Schroeder of the Beltrami County Fair association that it has a silver cup to be awarded at the Beltrami county fair this year.

Henry Zaender a German farmer living at Albert Lea, was arrested on complaint of Capt. Oscar Suby of the local Battery A, charged with insulting the American flag. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced to jail.

Former State Auditor Sam Iverson has received a commission as first lieutenant in the adjutant general's department of the national army and has reported to Fort Snelling. His first military experience was with Company C, Minnesota National Guard.

Miss Laura Kvernstoen of Dalton is the champion breadmaker in Ottertail county. The committee was unanimous in awarding to the Dalton young woman a trip to the Minnesota state fair, where she will compete with other county winners for the state championship.

County Surveyor John M. Greene of Walker has received his official notice requiring him to report at Fort Snelling for training in the officers' camp.

Carl Ilertson of Eagle Bend is the first Todd county boy to die in France. He was shot some time in February last, dying a few days later.

J. A. Anderegg, for the past several years a practicing attorney at Sauk Rapids, has been elected to a position in the legal department of the Federal Farm Loan bank located at St. Paul. Mr. Anderegg will be the fourth attorney employed in this department for the consideration of mortgages and loans.

Mrs. Axel Stark of St. James died of injuries received when the automobile in which she and her two daughters were riding overturned. The woman was pinned beneath the car.

Twenty women are now employed at the Northern Pacific railway shops at Brainerd, some in the car shops, some in the airbrake department, storeroom and other sections. Mrs. Pete Larson is the lady boss in charge of the women.

The body of Chris Erickson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arne Erickson of Slayton, the first of General Pershing's force in France to lose his life, arrived here and was buried. He enlisted in the infantry at Mankato April 27, and died of diphtheria.

Five automobiles which have been confiscated by Indian agents as the property of alleged blindpiggers were sold at public auction here. The bunch consisted of a seven-passenger Kissel, five-passenger Oakland, a Ford, a Velie and an Overland roadster.

Reports from farmers who have begun threshing about Long Prairie indicate that the rye crop will average about twenty-five bushels to the acre. The quality is exceptionally good. It is estimated that the wheat crop will overreach last year's by fully 50 per cent.

The Chisago county safety committee representing all towns in the county, met at Wyoming and appointed a subcommittee to arrange for the dedication day services September 1 at North Branch. A program was prepared and all the bands of the county will be invited to give a patriotic send-off to the boys who are called to the colors.

Allen S. Broms of St. Paul is in the Meeker county jail at Litchfield, following his arrest for alleged seditious utterances. He was arrested while speaking at an anti-draft meeting at Lake Manuella, nine miles southeast of Litchfield. The meeting was attended by more than 4,000 persons. Broms was arrested after he had attacked the government for passing the draft law.

Enlistments from Becker county total 186 men, which, together with the draft, will make a total of 354 men who will represent the county in the war. The city of Detroit has furnished 117 volunteers. Word has been received that a former resident of this city, Harold Tuve, who enlisted with the Canadian forces, was killed on the battlefield.

Fireman James Larkin, 28, of St. Paul, had both of his legs crushed in a freight train wreck at Burrows. The engine and four cars were derailed when they went through an open switch.

GOVERNOR SLATED FOR 2 ADDRESSES

WILL SPEAK TO CROWDS AT DULUTH AND KIRKHOVEN ON DEDICATION DAY.

3 NEW ULM OFFICIALS OUSTED

Mayor, City Attorney and Auditor Suspended by Governor for Participating in Anti-Draft Meeting—Must Face Hearings.

St. Paul.

Governor Burnquist has accepted two speaking engagements at patriotic demonstrations.

On Dedication day, September 1, when all Minnesota is to entertain for the drafted soldiers, Duluth proposes to have a big celebration and Governor Burnquist will deliver the principal patriotic address.

Kirkhoven will give Labor day a loyalty demonstration and Governor Burnquist again will make the principal speech, urging loyalty to the government.

Ray P. Chase of the Loyalty lyceum, organized to furnish speakers for patriotic meetings, said the numerous requests are being received from all parts of the state.

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New Ulm Officials Suspended.

Three public officials of New Ulm who participated in the anti-draft meeting at that place July 25, have been suspended from public office by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist, on recommendation of the Minnesota Public Safety commission, and face possible removal after due hearings.

Mayor L. A. Fritsche, City Attorney Albert Pfaender, and County Auditor Louis G. Vogel of Brown county are the officials to feel the weight of the executive action. Their conduct is reviewed in scathing fashion in a statement issued by the Public Safety commission.

The boycott of loyal business men in New Ulm was referred to in the commission's statement. "It is an appalling situation," said the commission, "when loyal merchants and bankers can be boycotted in Minnesota because they are loyal, as the commission is advised is the case; when a county auditor, who is clerk of the local exemption board, encourages and even leads a procession of draft malcontents, and when the mayor and the city attorney of one of the most prosperous cities of the Minnesota valley openly promote a pro-German propaganda."

Mayor Thomas Van Lear of Minneapolis is billed as principal speaker at an anti-war meeting in Lester Prarie.

Governor Burnquist, commenting on this information, said:

"Any public official who makes anti-American speeches or statements is subject to the same action that has been taken with regard to the New Ulm officials."

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Potato Bread at State Fair.

Plans for making only potato bread at the bread making contest at the state fair have been changed. That the contestants might become a part of the save-the-wheat campaign, arrangements were made whereby only potato breads might be made in the contests. This has been found inadvisable. The contestants have given their year of preparation for the state fair contest in the making of the white bread. In fairness it seemed more advisable to conduct the contests on the white bread as heretofore and bestow the prizes for this contest. In addition, however, the same groups of bread makers will contest in the making of potato bread—a contest which will amount to a demonstration in that no prizes will be offered. In this fashion it is felt that every state fair contestant will be doing "her bit" and at the same time conform to the contest plans.

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Willibald Eibner will serve as acting mayor and is authorized to select a temporary city attorney during the suspension of Mayor Fritsche and City Attorney Pfaender, and William P. Backer, will act as temporary auditor until the charges against Vogel are disposed of. Whether these appointments will be permanent, the Governor indicated, will depend first upon the result of the investigation.

Patrick Ryan of St. Paul was named by Governor Burnquist as commissioner to take testimony on the charges involving the three officials. He is expected to announce definite dates in the near future when the hearings at New Ulm will begin.

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Back From Inspection Trip.

Charles E. Vasaly and S. J. Swanson of the State Board of Control have returned from Illinois where they visited a number of state insane hospitals.

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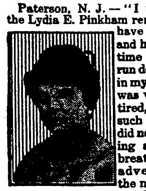
Suicide of a patient in the Rochester State Hospital for Insane, and an accident in which an elderly woman patient at the state insane hospital at Fergus Falls suffered a broken leg have been reported to the State Board of Control.

Carl Foemmel, a non-resident, committed from Minneapolis, last Tuesday hanged himself to his bed before he had been in the Rochester institution twenty-four hours.

Mrs. C. Taylor, an old and feeble patient at the Fergus Falls hospital, is suffering from a broken leg.



WOMAN NOW IN PERFECT HEALTH

What Came From Reading a Pinkham Advertisement.

Paterson, N. J.—"I thank you for the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies as they have made me well and healthy. Sometime ago I felt so run down, had pains in my back and side, was very irregular, tired, nervous, had such bad dreams, did not feel like eating and had short breath. I read your advertisement in the newspapers and decided to try a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It worked from the first bottle, so I took a second and a third, also a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Purifier, and now I am just as well as any other woman. I advise every woman, single or married, who is troubled with any of the aforesaid ailments, to try your wonderful Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier and I am sure they will help her to get rid of her troubles as they did me."—Mrs. ELSIE J. VAN DER SANDE, 36 No. York St., Paterson, N. J.

Write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass, if you need special advice.

No Telling.

"At your country place how warm is it in the shade?"

"There ain't any."

The Situation.

"How are you making out with your chicken farming?"

"I find it hard scratching."

Vision.

"Can your wife see two sides of a question?" "Yes; her own and her mother's."—Life.

University of Notre Dame

NOTRE DAME, INDIANA

Offers Complete Course in Agriculture

Full courses also in Letters, Journalism, Library Science, Chemistry, Pharmacy, Medicine, Architecture, Commerce and Law.

LIKE AJAX AND ACHILLES

Individual Prowess in This War Counts for as Much as It Did in Days of Ancient Greece.

Individual prowess counts for as much as it did in the days of ancient Greece, Waldemar Kaempffert writes in McClure's. Names will stand out in the history of this war like those of Ajax and Achilles in the epic of Homer. Lieutenants Immelmann and Boelke on the German side have brought down nine and ten adversaries in mortal combat. Their exploits are tinged with a chivalric glamour which seems anything but modern.

When Boelke landed to aid an enemy whom he had wounded he was greeted with the comment: "Since it is Immelmann who beat me, I am satisfied." When the German replied that it was "only Boelke," the interchange of compliments seemed like a parley between Hector and Ajax.

The analogy between Homer's battles and twentieth century aerial combats extends even to the vehicles used. What is a flying machine but the ancient war chariot soaring on wings? In many an encounter two man machines still battle for supremacy—one man an observer, the other a pilot. The observer is the fighting hero of old, wielding a machine gun instead of a sword; the pilot his faithful charioteer.

Carry the analogy still further and consider how much is at stake when battle plane meets battle plane. The fate of an ancient army depended on a prince in his war chariot; the fate of any army corps now hangs on the information gleaned by a victorious flier.

Almost Correct.

Charles was an only child and always associating with his very learned parents he sometimes talked like a book.

"My father is a sociologist," he told Petey, who lived in an alley and had met plenty of sociologists but had never learned to classify them.

"A what?" asked Petey.

"A sociologist, and he is very much interested in studying the conditions of the mentally deficient."

Petey considered for a moment and then asked: "Is he in a bughouse?"

It amounts to the same thing whether we eat in the kitchen or cook in the dining room.

Feed the Fighters! Win the War!!

Harvest the Crops—Save the Yields

On the battle fields of France and Flanders, the United States boys and the Canadian boys are fighting side by side to win for the World the freedom that Prussianism would destroy. While doing this they must be fed and every ounce of muscle that can be requisitioned must go into use to save this year's crop. A short harvest period requires the combined forces of the two countries in team work, such as the soldier boys in France and Flanders are demonstrating.

The Combined Fighters in France and Flanders and the Combined Harvesters in America WILL Bring the Allied Victory Nearer.

A reciprocal arrangement for the use of farm workers has been perfected between the Department of the Interior of Canada and the Departments of Labor and Agriculture of the United States, under which it is proposed to permit the harvesters that are now engaged in the wheat fields of Oklahoma, Kansas, Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Minnesota and Wisconsin to move over into Canada, with the privilege of later returning to the United States, when the crops in the United States have been conserved, and help to save the enormous crops in Canada which by that time will be ready for harvesting.

HELP YOUR CANADIAN NEIGHBOURS WHEN YOUR OWN CROP IS HARVESTED !!!

Canada Wants 40,000 Harvest Hands to Take Care of Its 13,000,000 ACRE WHEAT FIELD.

One cent a mile railway fare from the International boundary line to destination and the same rate returning to the International Boundary.

High Wages, Good Board, Comfortable Lodgings.

An Identification Card issued at the boundary by a Canadian Immigration Officer will guarantee no trouble in returning to the United States.

AS SOON AS YOUR OWN HARVEST IS SAVED, move northward and assist your Canadian neighbour in harvesting his; in this way do your bit in helping "Win the War". For particulars as to routes, identification cards and place where employment may be had, apply to Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. L. Porte, Dunn Blk., Great Falls, Mont.

Canadian Government Agents

No Vacation Trips in Germany.

The Prussian ministry of communications issued an urgent appeal to the public not to travel. The people are begged not to leave their homes unless for the most compelling reasons of health or recuperation. There will be neither holiday trains nor excursion rates this summer, though extra trains will now and then be run in case of special emergency. The public is reminded that, while food in the country is plentiful here and there, the only "certain" way of getting anything to eat is to stay at home.

Wartime Economy

Temperance Reformer: And [illegible] are you taking that beer in, little girl?

Little Girl (come to father of [illegible]): [illegible]

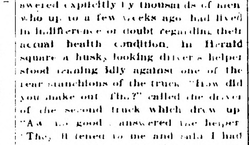
Temperance Reformer: But your father surely doesn't drink beer at tenpence a pint?

Little Girl: Oh no, sir! 'E don't drink it, 'e only soaks 'is bread in it.—Passing Show.

Some writers get a dollar a [illegible], and some wrongdoers get more than that when they talk saucily to the judge.

Knowledge may be power, but it is seldom powerful enough to move a stubborn man.

Brazil from 1808 to [illegible] [illegible]6,282 new settlers.



"No bowl is too big when it holds Post Toasties" —Bobby

The learned man has a fortune that he can't be bunkoed out of.

Don't expect to maintain a wife on taffy because you won her with it.

Don't think that a fancy umbrella handle turns the rain.

The color of truth depends a good deal upon the eyes looking.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

[illegible] in May exported [illegible] pounds of rubber.

There are more good women in the world than great ones.

If there were no such thing as [illegible], there would still be a lot of people envying a few.

A new invention for autos [illegible] a combination of ordinary spring and shock absorber.

Women have a peculiar knack of picking up goods that will wash, but they usually get children that won't.

Couldn't Hear His Heart.

[illegible] matters have been [illegible] everywhere and the customary question of "How are you?" can be answered explicitly by thousands of men who up to a few weeks ago had lived in indifference or doubt regarding their actual health condition. In Herald square a husky looking driver's helper stood leaning idly against one of the rear stanchions of the truck. "How did you make out, [illegible]?" called the driver of the second truck which drew up. "[illegible] good," answered the helper. "They listened to me and said I had heart murmer or something. I ain't got no heart murmer. If a guy can't hear his own heart who the deuce kin? I never had no murmer."—New York Times.

The KITCHEN CABINET

'Tis not in growing like a tree,
In bulk, doth make man better be.

No digest of laws like the law of digestion.
—Moore.

TASTY EATS.

A sandwich filling is so often used and a variety of combinations are so welcome that those following may be suggestive.

Gooseberry jam mixed with cream cheese, or chopped cherries mixed with cottage cheese.

A sandwich for state occasions when a most nourishing one is needed is one of peanut butter used as a filling between two thin slabs of sweet chocolate.

Take equal parts of diced banana and pineapple, mashed to a pulp, and mix with strawberry jam. This is a great favorite with the boys.

Mix together the solid portion of ripe tomatoes, diced cucumber, chopped chives or onion tops and crushed well cooked bacon with cottage cheese. Spread on buttered rye bread.

A thin slice of salt pork dipped in batter and fried a nice brown, then placed between layers of chow chow on buttered bread is a tasty sandwich, well liked.

Spinach well cooked and seasoned and rubbed with hard-cooked egg.

Raisin bread cut in heart shapes and spread with fudge enriched with nut meats is a sweet sandwich which will take the place of cake. These may be made in the ordinary way or the hot fudge may be poured on the slices and allowed to cool before the top slice is added.

Lima beans put through a sieve, seasoned with melted butter, a little onion juice and a pinch of mustard, a few chopped olives and a dash of tomato catsup spread on brown bread.

Corn Dainties.—Put well popped corn through the food chopper with a few walnut meats, add a little melted butter and the beaten white of an egg with two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Spread on round crackers sandwich fashion and decorate the top with the same mixture and the half of a walnut meat. Bake in the oven until brown.

Patty Pie.—Fill large paper ice cases with any seasonable fruit cooked in sirup, and top the fruit with ice cream, spread around the edges and flute with a fork. Mark a leaf in the center to resemble a pie and serve at once.

Nut and Cheese Roast.—Cook two tablespoonfuls of chopped onions in a tablespoonful of butter, add three-fourths of a cupful of water and cook until the onion is tender, add a cupful of chopped nut meats, a cupful of cheese, a cupful of bread crumbs, salt and pepper to taste, the grated rind of a lemon and the juice of half a lemon. Turn into a buttered mold and bake twenty minutes. Decorate with lemon and parsley.

Better to search the fields for health unbought than pay the doctor for a nauseous draught.

PRESERVING FRUITS AND VEGETABLES FOR WINTER

To save cans for fruits it is wise to dry corn and many prefer the flavor to that of canned corn. Select young ears, husk and plunge into boiling water and boil five minutes to set the milk. Slice from the cob and arrange on the drying trays, spreading as thinly as possible, put into the oven or around the stove to dry as quickly as possible. Corn should be put in the trays for drying within an hour from the time it is pulled from the stalk. This insures a fine sweet flavor. The corn is soaked and cooked in the same water until tender, then dressed with cream and a dash of salt and pepper, making a dish that may, but never has, been equaled.

Salted Beans.—Take young tender string beans, preferably in the fall, string and cut them as for the table. In a stone crock put a layer of coarse salt just covering the bottom. Then put in a layer of raw beans about an inch deep, another layer of salt, just covering the beans and so on, ending with the salt. Tie a piece of muslin over the top of the jar and in a day or two they will settle, and more beans, and more salt may be added. Crocks holding several quarts are set in the cellar, where the beans will keep their color and flavor. When wanted, remove a few and soak them over night changing the water occasionally until they are right for eating.

Canning Tomatoes.—Scald the tomatoes and remove the stem end carefully, plunge in cold water to hold the coloring matter near the surface, then remove the skins and pack whole in jars, adding a teaspoonful of salt to every quart of the tomatoes. Place on a rack in a boiler and cover the jars to the depth of an inch above the highest jar. When they begin to boil count the time and cook thirty minutes for quarts and twenty for pints. The tops should be screwed down tight. When removing them be sure to tighten the ones, pressing down the edge of the cover with the handle of a knife to be sure that there is no way for bacteria to enter. To further secure the fruit dip the can tops into hot paraffin and place in a cool dark cellar.

I feel it my duty to emphasize that the food situation is one of utmost gravity, which, unless it be solved, may possibly result in the collapse of everything we hold dear in civilization. The only hope is by the elimination of waste and actual and rigorous self-sacrifice on the part of American people. We do not ask that they should starve themselves, but that they should eat plenty, wisely and without waste. —Herbert Hoover.

BARLEY DISHES.

Barley has been used for years in invalid cookery for broths and as infant food. High-grade barley contains as much protein as hard wheat. It furnishes starch, fat and mineral matter in equal amounts with wheat. As barley lacks gluten, wheat flour must be added to barley meal or flour to make successful bread, using one part of whole wheat or white flour to two parts of barley flour. Barley meal has a similar texture to cornmeal, both the flour and the meal may be obtained in many sections of the country and as the increasing demand for it grows, will be more commonly in the smaller markets. Barley cookery is being revived because of the lack of wheat flour, and we are beginning to appreciate its value as a food.

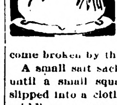
Barley Pone.—Add two cupfuls of milk to one cupful of cooked hot hominy grits or rice, three tablespoonfuls of butter, then cool and add a half teaspoonful of salt, a cupful of barley meal sifted with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, then add two well-beaten eggs; pour into a buttered dish and bake in a moderate oven 45 minutes. Serve from the dish, cut in triangular shapes.

Breakfast Food.—Add a half cupful of barley meal to two cupfuls of boiling water and a half teaspoonful of salt. Cook in a double boiler one hour or in a fireless cooker over night. Serve with cream and sugar. Figs, dates or raisins may be added if desired.

Barley Scones.—Take a cupful each of whole wheat flour, a cupful of barley meal, a half teaspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, two tablespoonfuls of beef drippings, or any sweet fat, three-fourths of a cupful of sour milk or sour cream may be substituted, omitting the drippings and a half of a teaspoonful of soda. If the fat is used, cut it in as for pastry and proceed as usual in the mixing. Roll out half-inch thick and cut in diamond shapes. Brush with egg and sprinkle with sugar.

And the ploughman settles the share
More deep in the grudging clod,
For he saith: "The wheat is my care
And the rest is the will of God."
—Kipling.

HELPFUL HINTS FOR HOUSEWIVES



Close your eyes when using the telephone. This not only rests the eyes but is good for the tired nerves, says the oculist.

Paint hoops green and use them as supports for hydrangea bushes, peonies and other bushy plants which fall down and become broken by the wind.

A small salt sack folded many times until a small square is formed then slipped into a clothespin makes a good griddle pan greaser. The cloth may be renewed whenever necessary.

When driving with a small child if her dress is spread so you can sit upon it, you will be able to support a rather small child safely and still manage the reins. One mother padded a small box for her small child when driving in the auto. The child was comfortable and so was the mother, as she did not fear for its safety.

The children love to cut out pictures of fruit from catalogues and one housewife pastes them on her cans of fruit instead of labels, making a most attractive-looking fruit closet.

Never try to pick up bits of glass. Wet a woolen cloth and pat it around in the glass. The fragments will cling to it and the hands are saved the danger.

A thrifty wife keeps a list of the things she needs to have attended to about the house. This list is placed where her husband is sure to see it, and when each is attended to is checked off.

Frosted Date Cake.—Beat [illegible] third of a cupful of shortening, add a cupful of sugar and two eggs well-beaten, a half cupful of milk, one and three-fourths cupfuls of flour sifted with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, a fourth of a teaspoonful each of cloves and nutmeg, a half teaspoonful of cinnamon. Bake in gem pans. Cover with frosting and decorate with a stoned date.

Nellie Maxwell

The Right Description.

Employer—Did you collect that bill from Smith?

Collector—Well, I called at the house and found seven Smiths there. Six denied owing anything and the seventh kicked me out of the house.

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If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to order a small bottle from his wholesale drug house for you.—adv.

An Englishman has invented a photographic process for printing textiles or wall paper.

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Canadian Government Agents

Horrors of War.

They were in the squad under training at a certain military center and furnished a contrast not uncommon these days. One was tall and wiry, the other short and pudgy, and an hour of Swedish drill had set the lesser of the two blowing hard.

"I can't stand much of this," he whispered. "I'm simply all in." And at that moment the drill sergeant intimated that he would give them another spell before they were dismissed.

This was too much. The podgy patriot felt it was time to protest.

"I'm really awfully sorry to seem unmilitary in addressing you, sir," he said, "but this Swedish drill is more than I can face in my present condition, besides," he added dolefully, "I never knew we were at war with Sweden."

What's the Answer.

A [illegible] time ago Prof. H. [illegible] head of the public speaking department at DePauw university, delivered a talk in a small town in Lawrence county, near Bedford, says the Indianapolis News. He was being congratulated on the talk when one farmer in the audience edged his way to the speaker and asked whether he was in a hurry. Professor Gough, who had to make a certain train, said no, other than he wished to get home at a certain time. The farmer, instead of inviting him to a fine fried chicken dinner, said: "Say, my boy and me heard your talk and we wanted to know whether it was a sermon or an address." Professor Gough made his train and reached home without partaking of any fried chicken.

Naturally.

"What do you find most [illegible] hard task?"

"Soft things."

It [illegible] not [illegible] the citizen [illegible] town [illegible] a hold-up [illegible] way home.

If [illegible] show [illegible] the other [illegible] and that's all.

Good Memory for Dates.

"Do you know what day this is?" asked Mrs. Oecy Wattles, sweetly.

"Uh huh," replied Mr. Wattles. "Sure. It's ah—"

"We were married just four years ago this morning," Mrs. Wattles went on.

"Yes, oh, I remember just as though it was yesterday. And er—it's next week our lease on the flat expires, isn't it?"—Kansas City Star.

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Save the Waste, and Win the War.

H. B. Young was in Middle River yesterday on business.

Mr. Hagglund, the photographer, and his mother have moved onto the J. M. Ryan farm.

H. J. Olson came down from Middle River Tuesday to wire the Synod church for electric lights.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl and Guy Anderson autoed to Strandquist Sunday where the former held services.

C. L. Sandberg, J. B. Alkenbrack and family, H. B. Young and wife, autoed to Steiner Sunday to attend church services.

The electric pole line has been extended across the railway tracks to accomodate the people living on the west side of town.

T. A. Tobiason and family have moved onto the Nelson farm northwest of Holt, which is owned at present by the LaCrosse Impl'mt Co.

Miss Agnes Bakke of Thief River Falls has entered the News-Press automobile contest and was in town, Monday, canvassing for that paper.

Chas. L. Heinze and family, Ben Docken and family and Mrs. Loyd Adams, Ole Reierson and family, Nils Engebretsen and family and his mother, Mrs. N. J. Engebretsen, all went to Thief River Falls Sunday for a picnic on Mr. Heinze's place near that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Strom have gone to Dakota again this year for the threshing season. Mrs. Strom brot their little son Ellsworth here last week Thursday to stay with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg during their absence.

Monday morning Andrew Movik's team broke loose from a hitching post at Carlson's store and ran down the alley where they were caught by T. B. Folden. The team ran into C. O. Saastad's buggy and broke one of the wheels into pieces, but Mr. Movik's buggy was not much damaged. The team were scared by a big piece of paper being blown near them. Some day these flying pieces of paper are going to cause a serious runaway and somebody may be badly hurt or crippled for life.

Are you helping to win the war?

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest

As health is a first aid to beauty this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

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Out for the Dollars.

"I hear Rev. Mr. Sharpe intends to resign from the ministry." "Yes. He says there is no money in marrying people, so he intends to practice law and divorce them."

WOMEN AND CHILDREN IMPORTANT

Extra Efforts To Be Made To Have Exhibits At State Fair Bigger And Better Than Ever—Style Show To Eclipse Anything Yet Held—Children's Contests To Interest Many.

Women and children will take a most important part in the Minnesota State Fair, which is to be held September 3 to 8 and which, this year, is to be conducted as a Food Training Camp in the voluntary service of the government.

For years past the women and children have done their share to make the Minnesota State Fair the success it has been, but this year, possibly due to war conditions, they will be called upon, as has everybody else, to put forth extra efforts to make conditions as near normal as possible.

Because of a shortage of materials for the manufacture of high grade clothing it has become necessary for manufacturers to turn their attention to other materials besides pure woolens and other fabrics, which, before the war, were easily obtainable.

Big Style Show.

For some time past the women who will have charge of the exhibits in the women's department have been busily engaged planning the affairs and, while definite plans have not been announced as yet it is certain that among other things to be seen in the women's building will be a style show, which will eclipse anything of the kind yet attempted at the Minnesota State Fair. Living models will be used to display the very latest styles.

Plain sewing will be given special attention this year. This feature is particularly important because the war has brought about conditions that have necessitated doing away with frills and fancy things and has replaced them with the simpler and plainer wearables.

Demonstrations will be held along the line of how to do plain sewing and how to utilize different materials which will come into more common use as time goes on.

Boys' and Girls' Camps.

In the children's department there will be many features of interest. Among these will be the camp for farm boys and also one for girls.

Winners in last year's contests for farm boys in raising pigs, corn and potatoes will contest for honors at the fair. They will make up the farm boys' camp and during the week will live right on the fair grounds. Great rivalry is said to exist this year and it is expected the judges will have more difficulty in selecting the winners than for some time.

The girls, who will contest in breadmaking and canning, will also have their share of attention. These girls have already been selected in the various counties, where they have won prizes and this year, with government officials present, they will doubtless outdo themselves to produce the best possible results. The girls will be quartered at the State Agricultural School near the Fair Grounds.

Besides these contests there will also be the annual spelling contest open to both boys and girls, by which the champion speller of the state will be determined. This contest, too, has always attracted lots of attention and this year will be no exception.

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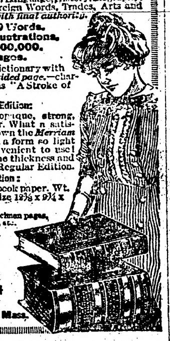

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of June 1917.

Cream received	35,314 lbs
Average test	
Butter fat	9735.44 lbs
Percent overrun	
Butter made	12120 lbs
Balance on hand last month	1 36
Received for butter shipped and sold patrons	4186 87
Rec'd from cash sales	26 41
Total	$4214 64
Paid patrons by check, Butter & milk	3774 50
Expense fund, etc.	369 16
Other sources	
To sinking fund	70 90
Balance on hand	08
Total	$4214 64

Number of patrons, 108

Price paid for butter fat, 39c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 Rudolph Dahl $92.50 C. L. Heinze 88 81, T. O. Dovre 87 72, Ryan & Ostby 87 28, O. J. Lunke 83 99, C. E. Smith 76 64, Swan Carlson 71 58 Ed Horien 74 13, L. Wegge 68 59 Jno Magnuson 68 21, Louis Johnson 66 85, M. O. Halvorson 60 32, Ed Werner 59 38, A. Bjerk 58 97, G. Tveit 58.48, O. Rodahl 56 78, Hans Knutson 56 37, Herman Heinze 54 39, G. P. Sorter 54 23 Nels Gudvangen 53 93, M. J. Lunke 53 61, J. Faiman 52 56, L. Hellesylt 51 96, J. Jarlard 50 15, Willie Steinhauer 48 17, Ole A. Knutson 46 52, J. Engstrom 44 86, J. Simonson 43 08, H. Fosholm 42.66, L. R. Buckman 42 25, N. Fosen 41 96, A. Hoffman 41 20. Theo Sorum 59 63

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Lesson From the Lily.

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Fireproof Wood.

To make wood fireproof, slack a small quantity of fresh lime and add water until it has the consistency of cream; stir well and add one pound of alum, 12 ounces of commercial potash and about one pound of salt. Stir again and apply while hot. Two or three coats will keep wood fireproof for many months.

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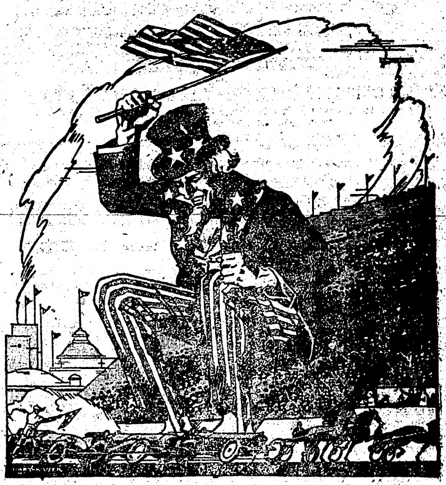

BIG RECREATION PROGRAM.

President Wilson has said that he favors the continuance of athletics and sport events during the progress of the war; that these things tend to make strong and healthy men. The program of sporting events at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 3 to 8, will this year be more varied and much more attractive than ever. Do not fail to attend the speed contests between horses and also the dazzling automobile races.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

The Holt public school will commence Sept. 17th.

Miss Amanda Mickelson returned Monday to her work in Crookston.

Mrs. Le Suer from Jasper Minn. visited Mrr. C. H. Gunheim the forepart of the week.

Andrew Bjerk and son Ed. went to St. Paul Tuesday to attend the big Minnesota State Fair.

The Synod Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. J. E. Erickson of Excel on Wednesday Aug. 12th.

Ben Hoff has sold his barber business to Richard Joring of Viking, who takes possession next Monday.

Mrs. A. L. Carlson and baby spent several days this week with her sister, Mrs. Arvid Carlson at Newfolden.

[illegible] Albert Bennes' confectionery store, Miss Ruth Knutson having resigned and returned home.

A. N. Nash of T. R. Falls brot his family here Monday to visit at the R. Reierson home while he was absent attending the state Fair at Hamline.

Selmer Kolden of Crookston, visited his father S. S. Kolden and family, and his brother Clarence and family between trains. Wednesday. Mr. Kolden expects to leave in a short time to join the army.

Miss Helen Johnson of Tower Minnesota, who is the new teacher for the Intermediate department of the Holt public school, came Saturday to prepare for the opening of school on Sept. 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Huseth were given a surprise party last night by neighbors and friends who presented them with a neat sum as a token of remembrance. The Huseths leave today for their new home at Greenbush where the best wishes of their many friends will follow them.

While about her housework Monday morning, Mrs. Seven Johnson slipped and fell very heavily. dislocating her knee cap. The injured member swelled rapidly and was very painful for some time. Dr. Mellby was called immediately and made the patient as camfortable as possible, but it will be some time before the aged lady will be able to leave her bed again.

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Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

Try a want ad in our columns.

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Willie Kuehne assisted H. Peterson on the dray line a few days this week.

John Lein of Grafton N. D. came Sunday for a few days visit at the Gunheim home.

C. L. Sandberg is building an addition to his house to be used as a summer kitchen.

This week we publish the business card of Dr. R. E. Spinks, the Middle River doctor.

Mrs. E. R. Rudeman returned home Saturday from a five weeks visit with relatives in Illinois.

Marius Hoel is slowly gaining in strength and all feel more hopeful of his complete recovery.

Little Alfa Strom was kicked by a horse last Friday and quite badly hurt, but is now getting better.

Misses Burndette Horien and Lilly Peterson went to T. R. Falls Wednesday returning home Thursday.

Mrs. Haufek of T. R. Falls came Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Torger Ness, for a short [illegible]

Miss Martha Heng of T. R. Falls came Saturday for a short visit with Mrs. B. Docken. Miss Heng has ben engaged to teach in Lancaster this year.

Mrs. Loyd Adams, and little Gladys Hagberg went to Dugdale Monday to visit relatives for a few days. Marie Murphy returned home with them.

The hunting season for chickens opens Sept. 17th and closes Oct. 1st. Limit 5 birds a day or 25 for season. No hunting from motor vehicles or Sunday is lawful.

The following were pleasantly entertained at the C. L. Heinze home last Sunday:

Andrew Bjerk and family, C. Engebretson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christoferson, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erickson and Miss Alice Erickson, Nils Engebretsen and two little girls, Torger Ness and family, Miss Langlie, Mrs. N. J. Engebretsen, A Hanson and C. Erickson and family.

Your country asks you to help save the live stock of the entire northwest. If you must sell, let it be to some farmer. No matter where he lives just so he can keep them over till pastures come again. Breeding stock is going to be scarce and animals sold must be saved for that purpose, as far as possible. Drougth in the northwest is compelling farmers to sell. You can help by saving hay and straw for shipping to them and feeding your stock at home all corn stocks, undeveloped cabbages, roots and tops of mangels, beets, carrots and rutabagas. unsaleable straw, etc. Oats straw will be worth $10.00 a ton for feed and wheat straw $7.50, when timothy hay is worth $20.00. Sow fall rye, save the waste, and do your part in helping the farmers to keep their breeding stock, which is being contracted for by Europe and to be delivered when the war is over. Feeders need to be kept too, as already there is a shortage of meats in this country. Help the Nation.

Southeast of Holt.

Everybody in this locality is busy harvesting and threshing these days. Crops are farrly good compared with the little amount of rain during the summer. Jack Frost has al so paid a visit on pototoes, corn, and garden truck.

A large number of people from around here attended, the church services in the new Bethlehem church on Sunday.

Mrs. M. S. Sampson has been quite sick for some time, being poisoned by eating canned salmon, but is now doing nicely under the care of Dr. Melby.

Alice Faiman while stacking grain on Saturday afternoon, fell from the load of grain, which was driven over her back. Dr. Bederman was called out immediately but as yet he has not been able to locate any broken bones or injuries of any kind except a bruised back.

Albert Klungness had the misfortune of loosing one of his valuable calves by lighting.

Halvor Moe attended the picnic at Squaw Point in T. R. Falls given for the benefit of the drafted men on Saturday.

Mrs. A. Klungness will entertain the Ladies Aid Sept. 13th. Welcome.

Mr. ynd Mrs. Nels Sordahl were pleasantly entertained at Nels Gunderson's on Sunday.

Agnes Hanson has been assisting Mrs. Sampson durning her illness.

Trade at home.

J. P. Lein went to Minneapolis Friday on business.

Dr. R. E. Spinks of Middle River was a professional caller in town Wednesday.

Miss Betty Johnson returned home Tuesday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. John Momberg at Alvarado.

A. H. Huseth came down from Greenbush Wednesday to load his household goods for shipping to that place.

Ernest Kuehne came home Monday from Warren for a short visit with his parents. before leaving to join the army.

C. W. Christianson went to Red Lake Falls Saturday for a short visit with relatives, also to have dental work done.

Miss Nellie Saastad and Inez Alkenbrack went to T. R. Falls Monday where they will attend high school the coming year.

Mrs. Peter Hoglin and children of T. R. Falls, visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. Docken, several days the past week.

Miss Ida Kjelgren returned home Saturday from Mud Lake, where she spent the summer vacation with her sister, Mrs. Alfred Sollom.

John Lein returned to Grafton Wednesday accompanied by his sister Mrs. C. H. Gunheim and children who will also stop at Fork to visit relatives.

Arthur Sorenson went to So. St. Paul Tuesday with a car of stock for G. L. Leisuer of Steiner. Mr. Sorenson also expected to attend the State Fair at Hamline this week, before returning home.

The food bill contained a clause which stops the manufacture and sale of whisky after Saturday night of this week. This was done as a war measure, but it is doubtful if a majority of the people of the U. S. will care to go back to whisky and drunkeness again after the war is over. We hope not anyway.

Stiener News

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stigen spent Sunday at the G. L. Leisner home.

Miss Georgia Muzzy called at the Riedl home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Saugen and family attended church services held in Steiner Sunday Aug. 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Russell spent Sunday evening at the S. Warring home.

Miss Gladys Smith attended services held in Steiner Sunday.

Miss Amy Whittman returned home Friday from Warren, where she has been attending teacher's institute.

M. Moe did business in Steiner first of the week.

Jerry Rogers and Miss Elsie Simmons spent Sunday evening at the Roger's home.

C. Hoffman has been threshing in the neighborehood for the past week.

P. Solemn tranacted business in Steiner Monday.

Mrs. O. Warring took the G. N. train for T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Solemn left for Moorhead where she will attend the Normal school there.

Mrs. A. Lanka has been spending a few days at her parent's home, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kojlin.

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In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Mrs. Clarence Kolden is suffering from an attack of tonsilitis.

Several parties from here attended the ball game in Newfolden Sunday.

Chris Rustad went to Middle River Friday and filed on a Beltrami county homestead.

The furnaces for the new brick are being put in this week.

Monday was "Labor Day," for the farmers who are busy stacking and threshing their grain.

Ole Brenna shipped cattle from this station again Tuesday.

Sam Mickelson returned home on Saturday night from Newfolden where he had been working on the new school house.

Why not try sheep for killing the sow thistle and other noxious weeds?

Are you helping to win the war?

Patriotic Citizens
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We will ship by parcel post to your address PREPAID one of our FAST COLOR "All WEATHER Brand" 4x6 feet sewed U. S. FLAGS for $2.50. These flags have strong canvas headings and brass grommets, and will stand all kinds of weather, and are of our own manufacture. The scarcity and advance in price of materials at this time makes this offer limited. Send in yours at once. Send check, money order or draft with order.

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Northwestern Flag & Decorating Co.
Wholesale Manufacturers
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for all occasions
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Out for the Dollars.

"I hear Rev. Mr. Sharpe intends to resign from the ministry." "Yes. He says there is no money in marrying people, so he intends to practice law and divorce them."

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Ladies Aid on the 12th. of Sept., at Edwin Erickson's.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

For Sale!

A 1914 Carter car, in complete running order, with electric lights and self starter. Will sell cheap or consider a trade.

B. Docken,
Holt, Minn.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of July 1917.

Cream received	34,547 lbs
Average test	29 03
Butter fat	10030.79 lbs
Percent overrun	25 80
Butter made	12627 lbs
Balance on hand last month	08
Received for butter shipped and sold patrons	4468 69
Rec'd from cash sales	
Total	$4468 77
Paid patrons by check, Butter & milk	3988 08
Expense fund, etc.	403 34
Other sources	
To sinking fund	74 43
Balance on hand	2 92
Total	$4468 77

Number of patrons, 116

Price paid for butter fat, 40c

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 Will be published next week.—Ed.

Trade in Holt and get rich.

Joe Nelson went to T. R. Falls Sunday night where he has work with a plastering crew.

For Sale!

As we will soon be ready to move into our new bank building, we have decided to sell our old building at a reasonable price. If interested write or call on us.

Hott State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

For Sale.

For Sale, by owner, 4 forties in Section 16, and one forty in Section 30. Apply to

Mrs. Julia Le Suer,
Jasper, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.08
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	2.00
Wheat No. 4	1.96
Flax	3.09
Oats	47
Barley	80 to .99
Rye	1.63
Flour, Best Patent	6.15

Dr. R. E. Spinks
Physician and Surgeon
Office at Drug Store
Middle River, Minn.

Announcement
New Garage!
I have opened a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.
Ole Hammerness
Holt - Minn.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence [illegible]

The Red Cross needs your help.

We still have a few books left on "Home Canning by the One-Period Cold-Pack Method." They will be given free to anyone calling at the printing office for them.

The Northwest Experiment Station at Crookston has received information regarding high class breeding stock that is offered for sale at market prices. Anyone interested in high class beef or dairy cattle will do well to write Supt. Selvig regarding this matter.

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BIG CROPS IN WESTERN CANADA

Good Yields of Wheat, Splendid Production of Pork, Beef, Mutton and Wool.

The latest reports give an assurance of good grain crops throughout most of Western Canada, where the wheat, oats and barley are now being harvested, about ten days earlier than last year. Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Albertá are all "doing their bit" in a noble way towards furnishing food for the allies.

While the total yield of wheat will not be as heavy as in 1915, there are indications that it will be an average crop in most of the districts. A letter received at the St. Paul office of the Canadian Government, from a farmer near Delia, Alberta, says harvest in that district is one month earlier than last year. His wheat crop is estimated at 35 bushels per acre, while some of his neighbors will have more. The average in the district will be about 30 bushels per acre. Now, with the price of wheat in the neighborhood of $2 per bushel, it is safe to say that there will be very few farmers but will be able to bank from forty to fifty dollars per acre after paying all expenses of seeding, harvesting and threshing, as well as taxes. The price of land in this district is from $25 to $30 per acre. What may be said of this district will apply to almost any other in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Many farmers have gone to Western Canada from the United States in the past three or four years, who having purchased lands, had the pleasure of completing the payments before they were due. They have made the money out of their crops during the past couple of years, and if they are as successful in the future as in the past they will have put themselves and their families beyond all possibility of lack of money for the rest of their lives. It is not only in wheat that the farmers of Western Canada are making money. Their hogs have brought them wealth, and hogs are easy to raise there—barley is plentiful and grass abundant, and the climate just the kind that hogs glory in. The price is good and likely to remain so for a long time.

A few days since a farmer from Daysland, Alberta, shipped a carload of hogs to the St. Paul market, and got a higher price than was ever before paid on that market. Two million three hundred and seventy-seven thousand two hundred and fifty dollars was received at Winnipeg for Western hogs during the first six months of this year. 181,575 hogs were sold at an average price of $15 per cwt., and had an average weight of 200 pounds each. The raising of hogs is a profitable and continually growing industry of Western Canada, and this class of stock is raised as economically here as anywhere on the North American continent. There is practically no hog disease, and immense quantities of food can be produced cheaply.

It has been told for years that the grasses of Western Canada supply to both beef and milk producers the nutritive properties that go to the development of both branches. The stories that are now being published by dairymen and beef cattle men verify all the predictions that have ever been made regarding the country's importance in the raising of both beef and dairy cattle. The sheep industry is developing rapidly. At a sale at Calgary 151,453 pounds of wool were disposed of at sixty cents a pound. At a sale at Edmonton 60,000 pounds were sold at even better prices than those paid at Calgary. The total clip this season will probably approximate two million pounds. Many reports are to hand showing from six to eight pounds per fleece. 35 carloads were sent to the Toronto market alone.—Advertisement.

His Plea.

A negro who was well-known to the judge had been haled into court on a charge of having struck a relative with a brick. After the usual preliminaries, says Everybody's Magazine, the court inquired:

"Why did you hit this man?"

"Jedge, he called me a black rascal."

"Well, you are one, aren't you?"

"Yessah, maybe I is one. But, jedge, s'pose some one should call you a black rascal, wouldn't you hit 'em?"

"But I'm not one, am I?"

"Naw, sah, naw, sah, you ain't one; but s'pose some one'd call you de kind of rascal you is, what'd you do?"

The Ruling Passion.

Floor Walker—Hurry out, madam! The store's afire.

Mrs. Bargain—Oh, is it? Then I'll just wait for the fire sale.

Not All Awful.

Maude—"Marie says that she has an awful lot of friends." Miriam—"Yes; but some of them are not so bad."—Judge.

Women are to wear trousers, according to mandate of fashion. It is not a new fashion in some households.

Even if you were not born rich you can be an iceman.

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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

U. S.—Teutonic War News

Enlisted men of the National army, National Guard and regular army will be given every opportunity to fit themselves for commissions, it was learned at Washington.

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The possibility that Austria and perhaps other allies of Germany may soon declare war against the United States because of the financial aid given to Italy is recognized by administration officials at Washington.

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That the United States will reject the peace proposals of Pope Benedict, because they have failed to take into consideration the necessity for the overthrow of Germany's autocracy, is considered certain. Simultaneously with the intimation that the reply to the pope will go forward this week, the state department made public the text of a cablegram of greeting sent by the president to the great council of the Russian people, now in session in Moscow.

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The first death of an American naval flyer in France was announced at Washington in official dispatches to the navy department. He was George Herbert Manley, and was killed in an airplane accident.

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Capt. Cyrus W. Crooks, master of the American bark Christiane, which was sunk by a German submarine August 7 near the Azores, says he was told by the German commander that he "hated to sink American ships."

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A catalogue compiled by the Harvard Alumni bulletin at Cambridge, shows about 5,400 Harvard graduates and undergraduates engaged in war work. Nearly every page bears the asterisk that designates death in action.

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Unpatriotic utterances, especially by men of prominence, are more likely to be due to a wrong attitude of heart than an error of the mind, according to an interview with William Jennings Bryan in Chicago.

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By direction of President Wilson at Washington practically every married man upon whom his wife is actually dependent or who has children will be exempted from the draft act. Only 5 per cent of the men drawn for the new National army will be sent to camp on September 5, instead of 30 per cent., as previously ordered.

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The officers' reserve camp at which are to be trained leaders for the second lot of 500,000 trained soldiers of the National army opened at Fort Sheridan, Ill.

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Domestic

The police raided the Hamilton Detective agency in New York and arrested the head and the two employees on charges of holding as prisoners American sailors in order to claim $50 reward offered in each case of a deserter delivered to his ship.

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Peaceful settlement of labor disputes involving longshoremen was forecast at Washington by the appointment of a board representing the war department, the shipping board, the Longshoremen's association and the principal carriers to handle all disputes and appoint local boards in principal cities.

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A contract for 1,074,000 gas masks to equip the army has been awarded to a manufacturing company of Philadelphia. The contract calls for an expenditure of $1,502,000. The government will furnish the material.

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Capt. Joseph W. Mattes of Battery A, Second Illinois Field artillery, who died for the Stars and Stripes in the Houston riot, was buried at Chicago with full military honors.

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Herbert C. Hoover, federal food administrator, told the farmers of the nation the part they are asked to play in helping the United States and its allies win the war. He outlined the agricultural features of the administration's policy. Hoover made his statement in Chicago, where he spoke before representatives of 126 farm journals.

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Privates Nelson and James Kelley of Battery A, Second Missouri field artillery, were killed and four others seriously injured when a shrapnel shell exploded on the cantonment range at Fort Sill, Okla.

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Albert B. Lamb of St. Louis, vice president of the Navy league, wired Secretary of the Navy Daniels at Washington that he has resigned. It is assumed his action grew out of the controversy between Daniels and the president of the Navy league, Colonel Thompson.

Two men were shot and killed at Chicago by pay-roll bandits who demanded a satchel of money belonging to the Winslow Brothers' company. The bandits escaped with $9,100.

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One thousand miners, on strike at Wilkesbarre, Pa., for five days, refused to obey their leaders and return to work.

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A battalion of the Twenty-fourth United States infantry arrived at Columbus, N. M., under guard of two companies of the Nineteenth. The men charged with implication in Houston riots were placed in a stockade.

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Dr. E. J. Duncan, a physician of Olive Branch, Ill., was shot and killed at Cairo, Ill. Will Wilbourne admitted that he fired the shot. Wilbourne said Doctor Duncan had attacked and choked his sister.

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Articles of impeachment adopted by the house were presented to the Texas senate and immediately James E. Ferguson ceased to be governor of Texas and William P. Hobby became acting governor. The impeachment trial of Ferguson will begin August 29.

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Seventeen Mexicans, captured by General Pershing's punitive expedition in Mexico last year and accused of participation in the Villa raid on Columbus, N. M., pleaded guilty to second degree murder at Deming, N. M., and were sentenced to serve from 17 to 80 years in the penitentiary.

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European War News

British casualties reported in the week ending Monday were 14,331, as follows: Killed or died of wounds: Officers, 218; men, 2,421. Wounded or missing: Officers, 790; men, 10,902.

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Trieste is being evacuated. Its civil population is deserting the town, at the order of the Austrian high command, according to the Zurich correspondent of Corriere d'Italia, whose dispatches were cabled to the Italian embassy at Washington.

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A dispatch to the London Daily Telegraph from Rotterdam says the German steamer Renate Leonhart, bound from Rotterdam for a German port, was torpedoed off the Dutch coast, and sunk in deep water.

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The torpedoing of the British steamer Trelissick, loaded with 350,000 bushels of oats for the French government, was reported by the officers of a British steamer which arrived at an Atlantic port. The crew was picked up by an American warship.

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Forcing the passage of the Isonzo at 14 points and taking 23,600 prisoners, the forces of Victor Emanuel III are hurtling toward the Istrian objective, with the Austrian troops falling back. The swing from the north, which was marked by the seizure of Monte Santo, with legions of captives and much booty, goes on unabated. The total losses to the Austrians are reckoned at 100,000.

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The French made an attack on the left bank of the Meuse, between Avocourt wood and Dead Man's hill. The Paris war office announced the capture of Hill 304, Camard wood and the fortified works between Haucourt wood and Bethincourt.

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Washington

The senate at Washington, by a vote of 39 to 29, defeated the finance committee's plan to raise $50,000,000 by increasing the two-cent letter postage to three cents.

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Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo announced at Washington a new credit to Russia of $100,000,000. This brings the total Russian credit up to $275,000,000.

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Army officers, testifying before the senate military subcommittee at Washington investigating alleged pro-German statements by Col. Carl Reichmann, nominated to be a brigadier general, spoke highly of his military record and personal character.

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The explosion of a black powder magazine at the Mare Island navy yard July 9 was not an accident but "the deliberate act of some person or persons unknown," the naval investigation board reported to Secretary Daniels, it was announced at Washington.

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Col. Carl Reichmann, whose nomination as brigadier general had been held up, specifically denied before a senate military subcommittee at Washington that he ever had said the army draft law would be so unpopular as to cause civil war or that American troops should not be sent to France.

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President Wilson issued a proclamation at Washington giving the government control over all commodities exported from the United States. The president said he aims at control, not at actual stoppage of exports.

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Henry A. Garfield, coal administrator, gave warning at Washington that all the machinery of the government will be used to carry the benefits of prices the president has fixed on coal through to the consumer, and that if necessary to accomplish this end the government will take over the mines.

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Foreign

The military conscription bill for the Dominion of Canada became a law when it was signed by the governor general at Toronto, Ont.

ITALIAN AVIATORS FLY SAFELY OVER AUSTRIAN CAPITAL

VISITED BY ENEMY AIRMEN WHO DROP NOTES TELLING PEOPLE OF DEFEAT OF TROOPS ALONG ISONZO.

TEUTON COUNTER-ATTACKS FAIL TO MAKE GAIN

Austrians Everywhere Beaten Off in Fierce Counter Thrusts Aimed to Regain Lost Ground—Plough Ahead in Some Sectors Taking Many Prisoners.

Turin, Sept. 4.—Five Italian aviators have returned from a successful flight over Vienna. Leaving the Italian front the machines passed over the Austrian lines unobserved and flew straight to the Austrian capital, where the aviators dropped pamphlets informing the people of the city of the great Italian victory.

London, Sept. 4.—Along the whole 90-mile front of the new Italian drive, two weeks old, the Austrians launched during the last 24 hours some of the fiercest counter thrusts of the war. Everywhere they were beaten off. Not a foot of ground was regained by them. Moreover, the Italians ploughed ahead appreciably in some sectors, taking additional hundreds of prisoners and adding to the huge booty.

Cadorna's Steel Wall Holds.

Along the southern edge of the blood-soaked Bainsizza plateau, on the northern slopes of Monte San Gabriele, and to the northwest of Tivoli, near Gorizia, the Austrian efforts were particularly desperate. Without the slightest regard for lives, they flung themselves into the teeth of Cadorna's wall of steel which, moving steadily onward threatens the collapse of Austrian war machine. Terrific losses were all that these furious onslaughts netted the attackers.

Monte San Gabriele, bathed in the Italian fire and almost surrounded is not expected to hold out much longer. Slowly the last remaining defense works of this great strategic height are crumbling to bits.

Advances on Carso Front.

On the Carso front the Italians made new important local headway, adding to their gains of August 30 and 31. Fourteen hundred rifles, nine machine guns and five trench mortars comprise the booty taken in the Brestovivizza sector alone.

The Austrians repeated their bombardment of an Italian field hospital near San Gabriele. There were no victims.

Alpine troops reconquered advanced positions to the Stelvio front, abandoned by the Italians on August 27. A number of prisoners were made.

Austrian Paper Alarmed.

Grave alarm is voiced in the Vienna Neue Freie Press, one of the leading Austrian papers, with regard to the situation at the front. The paper expresses great surprise that the Austrian high command, through anticipating the Italian drive, was unable to concentrate reserves to meet the offense effectively. The journal frankly characterizes the situation as extremely grave.

GERARD MAKES ANSWER TO HOLLWEG'S CHARGE

Contradicts Former German Chancellor Who Declared American's "Memoirs" Were Overdrawn.

Hamilton, Mont., Sept. 4.—James W. Gerard, former ambassador to Germany while visiting here, took issue with Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the former imperial chancellor of Germany. Mr. Gerard, issued a statement in which he contradicted the declaration of the former chancellor that Mr. Gerard had drawn on his imagination in the publication of his memoirs.

"Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg," said Mr. Gerard, "apparently did not have the exact copy of my articles, for if he had read them, he would have seen clearly that I said the peace terms described were the German peace terms and not the opinions of the chancellor. I wish to say that Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg said he himself was always subject to the rule of the military party of Germany and could not follow his own desires.

Fire Drives 700 From Homes.

Jerome, Ariz., Sept. 4.—Fire in the Mexican and Austrian quarters destroyed thirty buildings including several rooming houses. It was estimated by city authorities that 700 people had been made homeless.

Makes Gopher Traps Exemption Claim.

Los Angeles, Sept. 4.—Frank M. Cushing based his claim for exemption on the ground that he was engaged in the manufacture of a commodity essential to the army and navy of the United States. In all seriousness, Cushing explained that he manufactures gopher traps. Cushing neglected to state whether the traps were to be used by the government to rid French trenches of rodents or to aid in capturing the burrowing Germans. Board officials are faced with the problem of deciding the question.

WOMAN STEALS ANOTHER BABY

Mother, Frantic Over the Loss of Her Own Infant, Resorts to Theft.

FOOLS HER HUSBAND

Man, Home From Extended Business Trip, Believes Child His Own, Until Police Reveal Age Discrepancy.

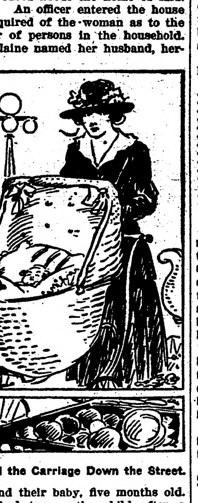
Boston.—When Mrs. Josephine M. Blaine of Dorchester, Mass., entered the Boston Homeopathic hospital, on the eve of motherhood, she did so with high hopes and ambitions for the little one that was to be brought into being. The baby came and died. When the mother was told, she lay as if stunned and her life was despaired of. But nature was strong and the woman recovered sufficiently to depart for her home a few days ago.

Leaving the hospital, a frail little woman clothed in somber black, Mrs. Blaine did not take a car to her home. Instead, she walked, brooding over an inestimable loss, picturing her greeting, when she should meet her husband, who was on a business trip and had not learned of the baby's death, but was on his way home to meet his wife and their little one.

Real Mother Discovers Loss.

As she passed a store in the heart of the shopping district she saw three baby carriages unattended. She peered into one of them. A lusty little fellow was sleeping quietly. Without a moment's hesitation she pushed the carriage down the street and took the baby home.

Meanwhile the real mother, after making her purchase, left the store and looked in vain for the baby and carriage. She notified the police and in a short time clews were obtained that focused about the home of Mrs. Blaine. An officer entered the house and inquired of the woman as to the number of persons in the household. Mrs. Blaine named her husband, herself, and their baby, five months old. He asked to see the child after a brief interview with the husband, who replied to an inquiry by stating that the baby was about three weeks old. Finding she was trapped, Mrs. Blaine broke down and confessed.



Pushed the Carriage Down the Street.

Law Steps In.

Mrs. Agnes Law, the real mother of the baby, was summoned and identified her child. She, too, cried, first with joy, then with a woman's sympathy for another. The law stepped in and Mrs. Blaine was taken to a station house, charged with kidnaping. Noting her condition, officers suggested that she be removed to a hospital for treatment. Her husband, shocked but loyal, accompanied her and spent the night in consoling the grief-stricken woman. It is not believed the charge of kidnaping will be prosecuted by the authorities.

WON'T LET HIM BE EXEMPTED

New York Woman Writes to Authorities That She Is Not Dependent on Husband.

Albany, N. Y.—Not all women in New York state want their hubbies kept off the firing line. Mrs. Mildred I. Mount, postmistress of Olcott, Niagara county, doesn't, for one.

The adjutant general's office has received a communication from Mrs. Mount in which she takes issue with her husband, Harry Blosser Mount, on the matter of dependency. Postmistress Mount declares that her husband registered on June 5 and claimed exemption from military service on the grounds that he was an assistant postmaster in the service of his wife. This, Mrs. Mount says, doesn't jibe with the facts. Her husband, according to the letter, has been employed on the International railway for about two months prior to registration and had in no way assisted her in the office.

"I am perfectly capable of caring for my two children and myself," the postmistress wrote, and to clinch the case added "and am in no way dependent upon him."

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He got his interview and sold a large bill of goods.

YES! LIFT A CORN OFF WITHOUT PAIN!

Cincinnati man tells how to dry up a corn or callus so it lifts off with fingers.

You corn-pestered men and women need suffer no longer. Wear the shoes that nearly killed you before, says this Cincinnati authority, because a few drops of freezone applied directly on a tender, aching corn or callus, stops soreness at once and soon the corn or hardened callus loosens so it can be lifted off, root and all, without pain.

A small bottle of freezone costs very little at any drug store, but will positively take off every hard or soft corn or callus. This should be tried, as it is inexpensive and is said not to irritate the surrounding skin.

If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

SMALL BOY HAD NOTICED

That He Knew Man in Khaki as Marine Did Credit to His Powers of Observation.

A group of youngsters was playing on Riverside drive, says the New York Times. A military man, dressed in khaki and accompanied by a young lady, approached the group. The boys stopped their playing and, with nudges and gesticulation, were evidently trying to identify the man in khaki.

As the young lady and her escort drew nearer, one youngster with an air of superior knowledge informed his companions: "He's a United States marine."

Overhearing the remark, the young lady questioned the small boy: "How do you know he is a marine?"

"Why, lady," exclaimed the youngster, "he wears an ornament on his hat showing an eagle, globe and anchor, but doesn't wear any hat cord."

The colored hat cords, yellow, blue and red, help many civilians to recognize at once a cavalryman, an infantryman or artilleryman. However, the United States marine dressed in khaki is still an enigma to many persons who lack the powers of observation displayed by the small boy on Riverside drive.

To be found in bad company is often equivalent to being last.

With some people the season for killing time is always open.

ON 'WHEATLESS DAYS'
Eat
POST TOASTIES
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says Bobby

PAINS SHARP AND STABBING

Woman Thought She Would Die. Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Ogdensburg, Wis.—"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. Etta Dorion, Ogdensburg, Wis.

Physicians undoubtedly did their best, battled with this case steadily and could do no more, but often the most scientific treatment is surpassed by the medicinal properties of the good old fashioned roots and herbs contained in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If any complication exists it pays to write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special free advice.

Black-Cat Luck.

A certain resident in a country suburb, says the Guardian, makes a point of keeping open the doors and windows of his house. As he sat in one of his breezy rooms the other evening, waiting for dinner, his wife came in from the kitchen.

"We've just had a visit from a black cat," she said.

"Ah," he replied, "that's good. Black cats are lucky, you know."

"Yes," answered his wife, who dislikes cats, "this one was certainly lucky. It has run off with the cod steak I was just going to cook for you."

SMASHED ALL SPEED LIMITS

As Cal Sized Up the Situation, That "Cyah" Certainly Must Have Been Traveling Some.

H. C. Frick said in Birmingham, where he had come to attend a Liberty loan meeting:

"The crack troops of the kaiser—some call them cracked troops now—are hiding in caverns forty feet under ground. The man who now thinks German militarism a wonderful thing is as badly doped as Cal Clay of Nola Chucky.

"Cal was escorting some ladies from Nola Chucky to Paint Rock, and as they passed a planter's the planter was playing with a powerful searchlight he had just put on his water tower, and he happened to turn it down the road, where it streamed into the eyes of Cal and his two girls.

"'Here comes one o' dem powerful racin' cyahs, to jedge by dat 'ere headlight,' said Cal. 'We'll just hustle to de side o' de road fo' safety till she's parst, ladies.'

"So they hustled up against the hedge, and the planter, after playing the light along the road for about a minute, suddenly turned it off.

"Cal gave a grunt of astonishment. "'Jee-rusalem!' he said. 'How fast dat cyah muster been a-goin'! Here she's done parst us by, an' we didn't even see her!'"

Might Work.

"We are extending too many speeches in the Congressional Record."

"What's the remedy, senator?"

"When a member gets tired let him continue his speech by means of a graphophone."

The average man's ship doesn't get in until after the funeral.

Coffee Drinkers
who are
RUN DOWN
usually
PICK UP
after they change to the delicious, pure food-drink—
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"There's a Reason"

The State In Brief

Another infantile paralysis case is reported at East Grand Forks. The 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hutchinson is the latest victim.

The thirty-sixth annual convention of the Minnesota Woman Suffrage association will be held at St. Paul October 12 and 13. Plans for obtaining speakers and entertaining visitors are well under way.

The St. Paul road bridge over the Straight river, 4½ miles east of Faribault, was burned. As no trains that could have set fire to the bridge had passed over it for some time previously, the authorities suspect arson.

The jury in the case of George A. Elder, a Duluth bond broker, charged with attempting to influence the official action of County Treasurer Fogarty at Brainerd by offering him $50, brought in a verdict of guilty, after being out four and one-half hours.

A man who gave his name to the police as George Baldwin is held in the county jail at Moorhead, as the result of the finding of a spike and pieces of iron on the Northern Pacific railway tracks near Muskoda. The county authorities are investigating. The train was stopped in time.

N. A. Lee, superintendent of the electric light plant at Hawley, had his right arm broken and his left hand cut and bruised when he was caught in the cam shaft of the gas engine. He was pulled into the flywheel and only the fact that he pulled his shirt sleeve out of the wheel saved his life.

Prsident Marion LeRoy Burton of the University of Minnesotat will deliver an address on loyalty at Little Falls, where a big Dedication day demonstration is planned September 1, Director M. Williams of Morrison county, who is in charge of the celebration, has advised the Public Safety Commission.

The American Fisheries society and the National Association of Game and Fish commissions met at St. Paul four days this week. The St. Paul Association, the Ramsey County Game Protective league, the St. Paul Rod and Gun club and the Minneapolis Game Protective league co-operated in entertaining the visitors.

Numerous applications from farming districts for exemption on the agricultural grounds received by the Fourth Federal exemption board at Duluth, have caused the board considerable difficulty. The men working on farms feel that the statement, "I work on a farm," is sufficient to grant them exemption from service in the national army.

The Minnesota Chiropractors' association, in convention at Brainerd, re-elected Dr. I. C. Edwards president of the association. Dr. Edwards has been called to the second officers' reserve training camp, but members declared that no man should lose office in the association simply because he was serving the United States government in a war emergency.

At a meeting of the members of the Clay County Fair association it was decided to hold the fair at Barnesville, Oct. 17, 18 and 19.

Herbert Conner, son of John B. Conner, president of the Thief River Falls Commercial club, was attacked by a bull on his farm and was seriously injured.

The Kingfisher, the cruising yacht of E. L. King, wealthy medicine manufacturer and banker of Winona, has left here for its first trip up the Mississippi to the head of navigation.

At a special election held in the village of Albany the citizens voted 56 to 2, to sell the municipal electric light and power plant to the Union Light & Power company of St. Cloud for $12,000.

Andrew E. Reardon of Mora who received injuries of the spine and concussion of the brain by a fall in the dropping of the elevator at the new school building is rapidly regaining his health.

The Purchase, an excursion steamer on the Mississippi river that was caught on the rocks near Wabasha, is now practically a total loss. The boat was one of the finest excursion steamers that ply the river.

The Minnesota Guernsey Breeders' association has assured Secretary Charles F. Schroeder of the Beltrami County Fair association that it has a silver cup to be awarded at the Beltrami county fair this year.

Henry Zaender a German farmer living at Albert Lea, was arrested on complaint of Capt. Oscar Suby of the local Battery A, charged with insulting the American flag. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced to jail.

Allen S. Broms of St. Paul is in the Meeker county jail at Litchfield, following his arrest for alleged seditious utterances. He was arrested while speaking at an anti-draft meeting at Lake Manuella, nine miles southeast of Litchfield. The meeting was attended by more than 4,000 persons.

Former State Auditor Sam Iverson has received a commission as first lieutenant in the adjutant general's department of the national army and has reported to Fort Snelling. His first military experience was with Company C, Minnesota National Guard.

J. A. Anderegg, for the past several years a practicing attorney at Sauk Rapids, has been elected to a position in the legal department of the Federal Farm Loan bank located at St Paul. Mr. Anderegg will be the fourth attorney employed in this department for the consideration of mortgages and loans.

PROSPECTS GOOD FOR BIRD HUNTING

SEASON EXPECTED TO BE ONE OF BEST IN HISTORY OF STATE FOR SMALL GAME.

48 COUNTIES SHOW GAINS

Increase in Money and Credits at Rate of 14.2 Per Cent May Bring Total for State Up to $270,000,000—Estimates Show.

St. Paul.

Reports from Minnesota and North Dakota indicate the hunting season of 1917, soon to open for small game, will be one of the best in the history of these two states. While nimrods already are getting down their guns, rubbing them up and using the oil freely, chickens, ducks, geese and other varieties of game birds are thoughtlessly hieing themselves to "no birds' land" for the annual slaughter.

George M. Hogue, secretary of the North Dakota Game and Fish Commission, is optimistic over the prospects. "The chicken and duck hunting will be very fine in this state this season," he says. "Chickens will be especially plentiful for the reason that the dry weather we have had gave the birds a good chance to hatch."

Others in touch with conditions are equally optimistic. While the season does not open until the middle of September, those versed in the hunting outlook declare that not for several years have so many birds loitered around.

It is a well known adage that small game hunting is prolific in seasons of good crops. This year Minnesota is to produce one of the largest grain yields in its history, while North Dakota, especially in some localities, will harvest bountifully. Therefore, hunters are preparing for a season of extreme joy.

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48 Counties Show Gain.

Forty-eight counties have transmitted to the Minnesota Tax Commission abstracts of money and credit returns for 1917 which show a gain of approximately 14.2 per cent over 1916.

If this same rate of increase is maintained by the remaining thirty-eight counties, the total assessment for this class of property will come close to $270,000,000, as compared to the 1916 record of $234,108,268.

The total in these forty-eight counties for 1916 was $59,228,817 and for 1917 is $66,463,488. Ramsey, Hennepin and St. Louis county reports are not included.

Only three counties, Dakota, Red Lake and Dodge, of the forty-eight tabulated show a decrease.

Money and credits are assessed at full value and are subject to a general rate of but 3 mills. Prior to 1911 this class of property was assessed and taxed as all other personalty and as a result of the heavy burden then imposed the amount reported in 1910, the last year under the old law, was but $13,919,806, and the revenue derived but $379,754, contributed by 6,200 persons.

In 1916 the number reporting money and credits under the new system was 74,219, the assessment $234,186,268 and the revenue $702,588.

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Must Pay for Shortage.

The state supreme court holds that the law providing for a maximum of 60 pounds loss to each car of grain while in transit is a penal provision only and does not affect the civil liability of the carrier. Accordingly, the municipal court of Minneapolis is reversed on the appeal of the National Elevator company in its suit against the Great Northern Railway company.

The elevator company delivered 85,086 pounds of rye to the Great Northern for transportation from Clarissa to Minneapolis. The company delivered 81,160 at Minneapolis.

The trial court found that 3,926 pounds of rye, valued at $64.55 were lost in transit. Making a deduction of 60 pounds, it awarded a judgment for $63.53. The appeal followed.

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Sheriff to Have Hearing.

Governor J. A. A. Burnquist has appointed L. S. Headley, a St. Paul attorney, commissioner to take testimony on charges of malfeasance filed against Sheriff Joseph J. Urness of Mahnomen county by County Attorney Clayton C. Cooper. Hearings are to start soon at Mahnomen. Sheriff Urness will be permitted to continue in office. The removal of Sheriff Urness was recently recommended by the state public safety commission on allegations that he failed to enforce the liquor laws, but the governor announced no such action would be taken.

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Rothenburg on New Ulm Board.

Dr. J. C. Rothenburg of Springfield will replace Louis G. Vogel of New Ulm, deposed auditor of Brown county, on the Brown county exemption board, today.

Vogel's dismissal and Rothenburg's appointment were announced by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist following the approval of federal authorities.

Vogel acted as marshal of the parade that preceded the New Ulm anti-war meeting. He is a former adjutant of the Second Minnesota infantry.

STORE THE POTATO

ARRANGEMENTS FOR CONSERVING THE COUNTRY'S SUPPLY.

Government Officials Tell of the Facilities That Have Been Provided—Complete Plan of Action Has Been Mapped Out.

Washington.—Means of conserving the nation's potato supply in the most effective manner have been worked out by food administration officials. They have issued the following statement:

Unusual facilities for financing storage are offered American potato growers as a result of war conditions. The federal reserve system is at their disposal, and farmers who store their 1917 potato crop in approved local warehouses, may obtain, upon their storage receipts, 90-day loans from member banks of the reserve system at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. Mr. Lou D. Sweet, potato expert with the food administration, was instrumental in bringing this matter to the reserve board's attention.

New England growers have started a movement to take advantage of this ruling to help them solve their marketing problem. The prospect which the growers of this group of states face is that of handling 45,000,000 bushels of potatoes—one-tenth of the entire United States crop—without causing an overstocked market and the resulting loss of all profit on the crop.

The growers communicated with local authorities in their respective states, who in turn laid the situation before the food administration. A conference between the growers, local authorities and experts from the food administration was held recently at Boston, Mass. A plan of action was mapped out at this meeting which includes the following:

1. Marketing of only one-third of the crop at harvest time; another third in 90 days, or placing in storage and later distributed as demand affords opportunity; the remaining third to be stored by the grower and marketed throughout the year.

2. All potatoes to be graded with care, taking out culls, cuts, cracks and any that are bruised. It was recommended that a wire screen grader be used—one and seven-eighths-inch mesh for oblong tubers and two-inch mesh for round ones. Graded stock then to be placed in good two-bushel sacks—one hundred and fifteen pounds to the sack—and the sacks sewed tightly so as to prevent shucking and bruising.

3. Increasing the load in each railroad car from the normal 30,000 pounds. That these cars can be unloaded within 24 to 36 hours of their arrival at destination.

4. That municipalities and other bodies provide storage for as large quantities as possible at the peak of the harvest.

"A storage house," said Lou D. Sweet, who attended this meeting, "such as will conform to the requirements laid down by the Federal Reserve board, does not call for a specially constructed house. There are innumerable buildings, which, if properly cleaned, ventilation provided, and managed so as to maintain a temperature of about 35 degrees, will answer admirably for this purpose.

"This year the United States planted its potato crop from the poorest quality of seed that ever went into the ground, and naturally the harvest will be potatoes of poor quality. Strict grading, careful packing, common-sense storage, and careful shipping are necessary to insure just returns to the growers who have responded to the president's call for increased production of potatoes."

SHE HAD WAYWARD DAUGHTER

Neighbor Was Surprised When She Found Cause of Severe Rebuke Administered by Mother.

A lady living in a large apartment house relates the following:

"I had occasion one day to visit the apartment of a neighbor. Such grave and earnest tones of remonstrance reached my ears, as I approached my friend's room, that I hesitated about intruding. I found her winsome young daughter with her, and the mother had evidently been rebuking her, for the girl's face was flushed, and there were tears in her eyes.

"Come in," said my friend. "I have finished what I was saying to Jenny and I hope she will remember my wishes."

"Ah, these children—these children!" thought I to myself.

"I have just been telling her," continued my friend, "that she must not wear her evening gloves when she goes shopping in the morning. In the first place, it is not genteel; and in the second place, it is extravagant."

Her evening gloves! And yet, I assure you, her tone and expression, and the impression made on the child would have befitted a serious wrong doing—one that had issues in time and eternity.

Buy Outright, Is War Plan.

Washington.—Secretary of Commerce Redfield announced that the conference representing all interested departments of the government has completed its study of war contracts.

Where conditions of manufacture are particularly involved the conference recommends a contract in which a specified sum is awarded as the profit on each article instead of making the profit a percentage of the cost. This recommendation will do away with the tendency to increase costs to increase profits.

Feed the Fighters! Win the War!!

Harvest the Crops—Save the Yields

On the battle fields of France and Flanders, the United States boys and the Canadian boys are fighting side by side to win for the World the freedom that Prussianism would destroy. While doing this they must be fed and every ounce of muscle that can be requisitioned must go into use to save this year's crop. A short harvest period requires the combined forces of the two countries in team work, such as the soldier boys in France and Flanders are demonstrating.

The Combined Fighters in France and Flanders and the Combined Harvesters in America WILL Bring the Allied Victory Nearer.

A reciprocal arrangement for the use of farm workers has been perfected between the Department of the Interior of Canada and the Departments of Labor and Agriculture of the United States, under which it is proposed to permit the harvesters that are now engaged in the wheat fields of Oklahoma, Kansas, Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Minnesota and Wisconsin to move over into Canada, with the privilege of later returning to the United States, when the crops in the United States have been conserved, and help to save the enormous crops in Canada which by that time will be ready for harvesting.

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Canadian Government Agents.

The Retort.

"Two wrongs don't make a right. Still—"

A senator was discussing the food control bill.

"While the bill has its drawbacks," he went on, "there would be worse drawbacks without it, and so we can face our opponents like the lady.

"'My love,' the husband said to this lady, 'you spend all your money getting your palm read.'

"'And you, dear,' she retorted, 'spend all yours getting your nose red.'"

Old Stuff.

"Miss Searleaf came very near giving her age away the other night."

"How did that happen?"

"She was telling about having once seen a melodrama in which the hero saved the heroine from being decapitated by a buzz saw."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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Matter-of-Fact Lovemaking.

For downright prose Doctor Johnson's offer of hand and heart to his second wife would be very hard to beat.

"My dear woman," said Johnson, "I am a hardworking man and withal something of a philosopher. I am, as you know, very poor. I have always been respectable myself, but I grieve to tell you that one of my uncles was hanged."

"I have less money than you, doctor," demurely answered the lady, "but I shall try to be philosophical, too. None of my relatives has ever been hanged, but I have several who ought to be."

"Providence and philosophy have evidently mated us, my good woman," said the doctor as he pressed a chaste salute upon the lady's brow.—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

No Doubt.

Upson—Smith's wife has lockjaw.

Downey—It must be a very painful sort of affliction.

Upson—Yes, unspeakably so.

Surely.

"He borrows from Peter to pay Paul."

"Well, that's all right if you happen to be Paul."

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"There are all sorts of synonyms for money in this country," said the talkative man. "We call it 'tin,' 'mazuma,' 'kale,' 'dough,' and a dozen other names I don't recall just now."

A solemn-looking man seated in one corner opened his mouth as if to say something and then closed it without a word.

"What is your favorite synonym for money?" asked the talkative person.

"'The unattainable,'" the solemn man replied, and then fell once more into deep thought.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Humor of Kultur.

"Here's a fruit tree, still standing. Why haven't you cut it down?" thundered the Teuton commander in France.

The young officer saluted stiffly and explained.

"We saved this tree to hang a pair of old peasants on. As it's their tree, we thought the joke too good to miss."

Few of Them Do.

He—Are you fond of indoor sports?

She—Yes, if they know when to go home.

Chicago police judge rules that bathing suits may be worn on the streets.

Getting Old Too Fast?
Late in life the body shows signs of wear and often the kidneys weaken first. The back is lame, bent and achy, and the kidney action distressing. This makes people feel older than they are. Don't wait for dropsy, gravel, hardening of the arteries or Bright's disease. Use a mild kidney stimulant. Try Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands of elderly folks recommend them.
A North Dakota Case
Mrs. W. M. Lemmay, 1001 N. Fifth St., Grand Forks, N. Dak., says: "My back began to pain and was very lame. When I tried to get up after sitting, I had to place my hands on my back for support. Mornings when I first got up, I could hardly endure the pain. Finally, I used Doan's Kidney Pills and after I had taken three boxes, the trouble entirely left me."
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RED CROSS ACTIVITIES

Storm Victims Trust God and the Red Cross

Men, Women and Children Are Stoical in Their Losses of Loved Ones and Homes —Kiddies Brave.

By CHARLES LEE BRYSON.

A firm belief in a protecting Providence, and in the Red Cross as one of the chosen agents of that Providence, was one of the first things that confronted a visitor to Mattoon and Charleston after the terrible tornado which swept across both cities in the spring. This attitude was best exemplified in a middle-aged man I found amid the ruins of Mattoon, but in varying degrees it was shown by almost every grown person I questioned.

I encountered this man in the very heart of the wrecked district. He sat on a little heap of timbers. Beside him lay the crushed frame and wheels of an inexpensive baby cab. All around him were boards, splinters, bricks, bits of bedding and household furniture—grist that had gone through the mill of the storm miller. I asked him if he had been in the storm—though his arm in splints and the lump on his head were evidence that he had.

"Yes, this was my house," he replied simply.

"Did you lose anyone?"

"Oh, yes. My baby and my five-year-old were killed. My wife and four others got hurt, but they're getting better."

I expressed my sympathy and added:

"And yet it seems to me you're lucky that anyone at all is left. I don't see how a cat could come alive through such a wreck as this."

"It was God watched over them," he answered earnestly. "I always asked him to look after them, and he did. He took the ones he wanted, and left the ones he didn't want yet."

Having no argument against his philosophy, I inquired after the injured wife and children.

"Oh, the Red Cross is caring for them," he replied brightly. "They are surely doing a good work. Doctors and nurses and hospitals and things to eat—they're doing great things for Mattoon."

I got him to talk further on his experiences in the storm. He had not been at home, but near Charleston, several miles to the east. He and several other men had taken refuge in a barn, but it was carried away and all were more or less injured. He was felled by a beam—or something, he could not be sure what—striking him on the head. Then he was pinned by an immense splinter driven through his arm.

"It was God's will," was his only explanation.

Not far away I found a woman of sixty-two clambering over the wreckage, picking radishes from a garden which was buried under fragments of her and her neighbors' houses.

"Did you live here?"

"Yes, this was my house." She swung her arm in a comprehensive semicircle, taking in much of the landscape. "Five rooms full of the nicest furniture."

"Were you at home? Did you get hurt?"

"Oh, yes, it broke three ribs, injured my spine, and hurt me all over," was the cheerful response. "Four hours after the storm they found me under that pile of timbers."

There was not a word of complaint. Only praise for the Red Cross, and the hope that if she could get the bricks and planks off her garden, she might grow some potatoes.

That was the spirit everywhere. Nothing to complain of, and a generous appreciation of the response of the Red Cross with surgeons and nurses and whatever was needed to help them back to a normal life again.

The children actually made a sort of holiday of it. I found a number of them in the Methodist Memorial hospital in Mattoon, and they were glad to have a visitor who would listen to their stories.

"It hurt my leg—just look!" exclaimed a young lady of perhaps nine years, pulling up her hospital gown and displaying with pride bandages from ankle to thigh. "And my arm, too—see!"

A nurse whispered that a great deal of flesh had been torn from the leg, but that she was improving nicely.

"Do you remember what happened?" I asked her.

"Sure. The window broke in, and the wind slammed me down in a corner and the sewing machine went on top of me, and then a whole lot of other things."

A chubby little girl in a neighboring cot had a great secret to tell me. She was sitting up among her pillows, one arm and her chest swathed in a multitude of bandages.

"I'm going home," she confided. "The doctor don't know it, and I'm not going to tell him, but I'm going."

She had suffered four broken ribs and a lacerated arm. Not a complaint out of her—nothing but chuckles at the dismay the doctor would experience when he should find that she had gone home.

Another was rather crestfallen that she had no broken bones to display.

"But I'm black and blue all over," she declared. "It's just hurt me everywhere."

"Did the sewing machine hit you, too?"

"I don't know," she confessed. "The house just went all to pieces around me, and I didn't know anything. And then I was lying in the potato patch and it was raining in my face."

Some regarded the theater as sinful, but a little boy who came to the Red Cross headquarters said that the theater saved him.

"I'd a been killed," he assured me, earnestly, "only I was down town to the second show, and it didn't blow the theater away."

He did not tell me, but one of the workers did, that his home was literally carried away, and both his father and mother killed. The Red Cross was supplying him with food and clothing, and a neighbor was caring for him.

The city of the dead fared worse, if possible, than the cities of the living. The most vindictive fury of the whole storm seemed centered in Dodge Grove cemetery.

Such trees as were not uprooted or twisted off short just above the ground were stripped of leaves, branches, large limbs—everything but the stub of a trunk. Even the gravestones were thrown about like so many bits of wood, some lifted into the air and driven deep into the soil, others shattered to pieces.

In one part of the cemetery a number of heavy stones were torn from their places and thrown to the west. Not ten feet away the wind had picked up an enormous block of solid granite and thrown it to the east. It was like a satire on the old Saxon phrase which calls the burial ground "God's Acre."

Telegrams at Half Rates.

All official messages between Red Cross chapters and the American Red Cross headquarters at Washington may now be sent at half rates. This is a courtesy by the Postal and the Western Union companies. The next step would seem to be the franking of all official mail, not only between Washington and chapters, but interchapter business. This can come only through congressional action.

Have You Joined Yet?

The Red Cross now has more than 1,200 regularly organized chapters in the United States, with considerably more than 2,000,000 members.

Early Slave-Holding State.

Maryland was an early slave-holding colony, for in 1642 Governor Calvert bargained with a certain shipmaster for the delivery of 13 African "slaves."

Wonderful Cuban Caves.

The wonderful caves of Bellamar, Cuba, to the east of Havana, attract the attention of the ambitious tourist. They are on a plateau as level as a table-top, which presents no signs of the existence of such caves. After descending into the earth, however, a picture unfolds itself. Then come many passages, and at last the great "Gothic temple," 250 feet long and 80 feet wide.

Mildred Louise Talk of Interest

As health is a first aid to beauty, this story, told by Mildred Louise, beauty specialist, of Boston, Mass., is of unusual interest.

"I can recommend no better health giver than tonoline," said Mildred Louise.

I was for many months a victim of stomach trouble and nervousness. I had suffered terribly from pains that followed eating. Headaches also would add to my worries. Poor digestion finally brought on nervousness.

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Save the Waste, and Win the War.

P. L. Anderson was a Baudette visitor Saturday.

Henry Grondahl of Wanaska came Wednesday to visst his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Grondahl.

Set no fires, is the warning which is being sent out to everybody, by Gov. Burnquist and state officials.

Mrs. A. H. Huseth and children returned home Saturday from a two weeks visit with her parents in Fertile.

Arnold Boernstein, Jessie Sorum and Oscar Knutson returned Saturday from Climax and report the threshing done in that community.

The Goodridge paper has been enlarged and they have several pages of ready print matter. The Eleven Towns is much improved and now presents a good appearance.

Supt. Selvig of Crookston is already receiving inquiries for parties who have baled straw for sale. Stack your straw, it will bring good money before another crop grows.

J. B. Alkenbrack drove to Rosewood Wednesday evening to meet Mrs. C. VonWold of Mud Lake, who was returning home from a visit with her sons and their families at Tolley, N. D.

Arthur Sorum came Saturday from Stevens for a short visit at home. We understand he went to Argyle Monday, where the bridge company with whom he is employed, have work.

Sam Mickelson and John Hagberg have been building and repairing sidewalks around the brick, this week, also putting in a foundation for a building over the pump at the school house.

Taber & Mclane have recently completed a 65 foot will for Mrs. Brita Seim and have moved their machine to Dr. R. L. Olson's who is to have his well drilled deeper for a better supply of water.

President Wilson has fixed the price for No. 1, Northern spring wheat, 1917 crop, at $2.20 per bu., delivered in Chicago. Other grades of wheat are slightly under this price. The prices for flour will be named later to keep the big millers and jobbers from robbing the people as they have been doing for some time past.

Only five per cent of the draft army were called Sept. 5th. Marshall countys quota is 179, so only 9 men from this county were required to be sent to the training camp this Wednesday. Forty percent, or 72 more men, will be called Sept. 19, another forty per cent will be called Oct. 3rd. and the remaining 15 per cent as soon thereafter as the goverment can get quarters ready for them.

Chris Rustad showed us an onion Saturday that he had taken out of his little field of vegetables. This onion weighed a half pound and was not yet ripe, so that it would have grown still larger if allowed to stay in the ground. Mr. Rustad planted the seed, from which this onion was grown, on April 28th, and has about an acre of as fine a crop of onions as anyone could wish for, all of which proves onions can be successfully raised in this country.

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Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand t[illegible] above the turbulence of the waves. Trinities and Sanctities.

Age of the Ostrich.

The average age of an ostrich is thirty years, and the annual yield of a bird in captivity is from two to four pounds of plumes.

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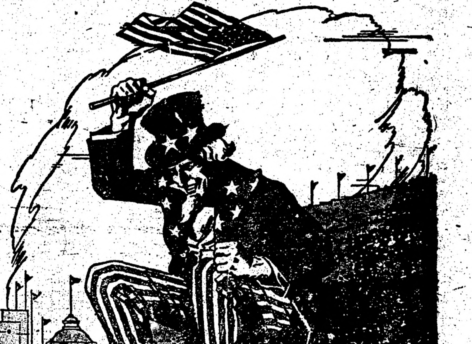

BIG RECREATION PROGRAM.

President Wilson has said that he favors the continuance of athletics and sport events during the progress of the war; that these things tend to make strong and healthy men. The program of sporting events at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 3 to 8, will this year be more varied and much more attractive than ever. Do not fail to attend the speed contests between horses and also the dazzling automobile races.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

The Holt public school will commence Sept. 17th.

Nels Swanson went to Erskine on Tuesday to visit relatives a few days.

Found: A lap robe. Prove property and pay for this notice at Reier Reierson's store.

Mrs. Loyd Adams and son Myron returned home Monday from their visit at Dugdale.

Mat Barzen of Thief River Falls made A. R. Jones a business visit on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Alex Strom and children came Monday for a few days visit at the Riesberg home.

A baby boy was born Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. John O. Johnson of this village.

Clarence Docken returned home Sunday from visiting his parents at [illegible], North Dakota.

Frank E. Hall has been secured as principal of the Holt public school and will arrive here to-morrow.

The marble slabs for the new fixtures of the bank came Monday, and the fixtures proper are expected soon.

C. H. Gunheim autoed to Fork on Tuesday to bring home his family from their visit there with relatives.

C. W. Christianson and family moved Tuesday into the A. H. Huseth house which they have rented.

Prof. L. I. Peterson of Minneapolis will preach in Norwegian at the Free Mission church, next Tuesday evening Sept. 18th.

The new barber arrived here yesterday afternoon, much to the joy of those who had been obliged to let their whiskers grow.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Turnland, son Pete and grandson Carl all of Radium were Sunday visitors at the P. A. Riesberg and E. A. Johnson homes.

Ben Hoff went to Middle River Monday to visit his sisters. From there he expected to go to Park River, N. D., to visit his parents before leaving to join the army.

S. S. Kolden had the misfortune of having his team run off of a narrow bridge into a ditch 12 deep feet Wednesday night. Mr. Kolden's head and neck were injured somewhat, his ear badly cut and he was quite badly shaken up but is now getting along as well as could be expected.

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Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 11 o'clock A. M.

There will be preaching services here at 8 o'clock P. M. Sept. 18th, conducted by Prof. L. I. Peterson of Minneapolis.

Stack and save every bit of straw.

If you have any red blood in your veins— be loyal to Uncle Sam.

Mrs. B. J. Bakke of Thief River Falls visited at the B. Docken home Tuesday.

Miss Selma Saastad went to Thief River Falls Saturday to visit her sister, Nellie, a few days.

The Middle River Pioneer reports their "Dedication Day doings" as being a success in every way.

Arvid Carlson, Ernest Myhre and Mr. Thompson of Newfolden were Holt visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Tonnes Nelson of Newfolden shipped a car of cattle and hogs to the markets from this station Tuesday.

Fred Ewald came Tuesday to visit his nephews, John and Ernest Ewald for a few days.

A. C. Jahr and daughter Mildred went to Bemidji Saturday, where the latter will attend high school the coming year.

Word comes to us that Bently Nelson will leave this week with the Grand Forks machine gun corps for the training camp in California.

Olaf Dahl and mother, Mrs. T. G. Dahl, Mrs. Carl Dahl, Miss Ragna Larson and Elling Tolleafsrud autoed to Warren Monday on business and pleasure.

Hilmer Davidson finished drilling the well in Dist. No. 148, lask week Friday. It is 65 feet deep and the water comes to within 8 feet of the top of the ground.

Grant Flakne was a passenger for Crookston Saturday, where he went to meet his wife and baby who had been visiting relatives down in Iowa. They returned home Tuesday.

Fridjof Riesberg went to Sedan, Minn., Monday, from Minneapolis where he has been attending a telegraph school. He has a helpers job in the depot at Sedan and requests us to send his paper there.

Altho a little late with the news, we are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy Aug. 27th at the J. E. Mosberg home in Minneapolis. Mother and baby are doing fine and papa is working as hard as ever.

Albert Cairns of Crookston was in town Friday on business. Mr. C. is sec'y-treas. of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. He said that Holt was the only place that had taken in any grain when he was here.

F. W. Rammay of St. Paul has a carpenter here putting up a set of buildings on his farm in East Valley. Mr. Rammay is going to improve this farm and put a herd of pure bred stock on it and have a good man in charge and he will make some good money by doing so.

The school board received a letter Monday from Prof. A. T. Hagen of Brocket, N. Dak., stating that he had not as yet heard from his exemption claim from the army draft and he was not expecting to be able to get it now that it had been held so long. Efforts are being made by the board to have another teacher here by next Monday when school will commence.

The Robertson farm shipped 60 head of choice young black Poll Angus cattle to the St. Paul market on Tuesday. It was the finest bunch of cattle that has ever been shipped from Argyle, and it is to be regretted they could have been kept in the county.—Banner.

Everyone can do their bit towards winning the war.

School Notice.

Opening of the Holt Public School has been postponed until Sept. 17th.

By order of the School Board.

Work has commeced on the potato warehouse at Warren.

St. Louis county voted dry by a good majority, at Mondays election.

J. J. Little was a Thief River Falls business visitor Monday afternoon.

The Hanson & Barzen elevator shipped a car of the new crop of rye, Saturday.

Mrs. Ebrahard and little daughter of Iowa came Friday to visit at the Swan Carlson home.

The new elevator of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., at Middle River, which was built to take the place of the one burned, was opened for business last week.

The drafted men were not called to report for duty Sept. 5th on account of some of the district boards not having completed their work. It seems a little uncertain now just when they will be called.

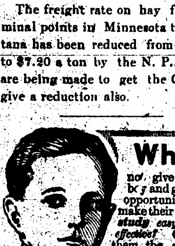
J. A. Sorum threshed less than 2 acres of alfalfa Tuesday and got fourteen bushels of good nice seed. This is from the same field that Mr. Sorum took sweepstakes premium on for alfalfa seed at the Crookston fair last winter.

Harry Garfield, the fuel administrator, announced Monday night that retail coal prices for every city and community in the country will be announced before the end of this month. Will The Nonpartisan Leader please take notice?

If you burn or waste the straw of your wheat, oats, barley, rye, spelts or flax crop, you'll loose money for already there is a big demand for all kinds of straw, rough feeds and fodder, as well as hay.

In a card received this week from Miss Elsie Lawson requesting that her paper be sent to Cove, Minn., she says she had decided to teach again this year, and that she has the Domestic Science and Intermediate departments in the Cove consolidated school. Miss Lawson's many friends will be pleased to hear that she has a good school.

The freight rate on hay from terminal points in Minnesota to Montana has been reduced from $11.00 to $7.20 a ton by the N. P., efforts are being made to get the G. N. to give a reduction also.



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NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn. September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

[SEAL]

If you can't be a soldier, you can be a patriot.

The fixtures for the bank and the postoffice came Wednesday.

A survey of the Red Lake River is to be made this week, for drainage purposes.

We had a very light shower Wednesday and lots of clouds, but it is awful hard for it to rain.

Mrs. Conrad Theis is reported as being very seriously ill, and with but very little hopes of recovery.

The city of Thief River Falls collected $2.50 in fines for the month of August. Some peaceful city that

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Business of the Holt creamery for the month of July 1917.

Cream received	34,547 lbs
Average test	29 03
Butter fat	10030.79 lbs
Percent overrun	25 89
Butter made	12627 lbs
Balance on hand last month	08
Received for butter shipped and sold patrons	$468 69
Rec'd from cash sales	
Total	$4468 77
Paid patrons by check, Butter & milk	3988 08
Expense fund, etc.	403 34
Other sources	
To sinking fund	74 43
Balance on hand	2 92
Total	$4468 77

Number of patrons, 116

Price paid for butter fat, 40c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 Rudolph Dahl $104.06, T. O. Dovre 101.01, Ryan & Ostby 83.24 C. L. Heinze 82.24, E. J. Werner 76.42, Ed Horien 74.32, C. E. Smith 72.83, M. O. Halvorson 70.48, Louis Johnson 65.86, Chas Skoglund 65.15 L. Wigge 64.69, Swan Carlson 64.00 Ole J. Lunke 61.77, Nels Gudvangen 60.73, Theo Sorum 60.25, Herman Heinze 61.16, Erik Johnson 56.80, Hans Knutson 56.15, A. Langlie 53.86, Henry Wigge 52.34 A. L. Sagstuen 51.85, G. B. Sorter 51.75, L. L. Hellesylt 51.28, Gunder Tveit 50.60, Olaf Johnson 43.99 E. A. Erickson 43.30, Andrew Bjerk 49.88, H. A. Fosholm 44.93, John Engstrom 42.56, M. J. Lunke 43.45 A. Movik 46.08, Aug Hoffman 41.92 Tosten Ellefson 47.66, John Magnuson 47.38, Mrs. Halfdan Hanson 40.92, Jos Jarland 40.31, Oscar Bottom 40.53, Wm Steinhauer 43.40 Olaus Rodahl 45.12 Christ Jefferson 42.06, Julius Feaman 47.40.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Greatest Poets.

Homer, Lucretius, Dante, Shakespeare, Goethe, Milton, Shelley, Byron, Tennyson, Browning. Perhaps others might be added. It is largely a matter of taste and temperament—although there is but little room for argument about the first six names.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.05
Wheat No. 2	2.02
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.09
Oats	51
Barley	92 to 1.11
Rye	1.67
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WHERE HE LOST INTEREST

Working Man Couldn't See Where There Were Any Bones to Be Left From His Sunday Joint.

For half an hour the working-class audience had listened patiently to the talented lady who was speaking to them about economical and nourishing cookery. She had talked about eggless puddings and butterless cakes, and now said, with a smile:

"I will now tell you about a splendid soup which can be made for next to nothing. Take the bones left over from your Sunday joint—"

At that a man in the middle of the hall rose to his feet with a disgusted look on his face, and said to his mate:

"'Ere, Bill, let's get out o' this."

"What's wrong?" asked the other, in surprise. "Don't you like soup?"

"Aye, I like soup well enough," was the grumbler's reply; "but how many bones does she think there are in a half a pound o' liver?"—London Tit-Bits.

Here Is a Record!

Talk about records! Here's one that apparently has every recorded record beaten to a frazzle.

Think of it—ocean to ocean in half a day.

We might possibly have believed it if our national defense board had announced the invention of some new and wonderful 100-mile-a-minute airplane—but on a bicycle—never.

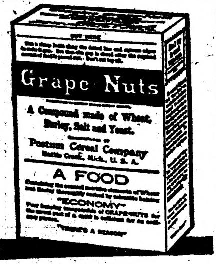
But it's a fact. On August 2 Edward G. Arminger and two other young men covered the distance in twelve hours on bicycles—and what's more, they did it partly on railroad ties and loose gravel roads—and, of course, it's the first time it's ever been done.

Well, come on! What's the answer? If you must know, here it is. They did it across the Panama canal zone. —Financial American.

The vindictive chap never has as much fun as the fellow who can smile and forget it.

True happiness is the consciousness that we are doing what we ought to do.

Holland, in 1916, exported $23,863,-800 worth of bulbs.



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"ECONOMY"
"THERE'S A REASON"

The wholesome nutrition of wheat and barley in most appetizing form

WORLD'S EVENTS IN SHORT FORM

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Notes Covering Most Important Happenings of the World Compiled in Briefest and Most Succinct Form for Quick Consumption.

U.S.—Teutonic War News

The German-American alliance of New York state took its stand squarely behind President Wilson at Albany, N. Y. In vigorous words the leaders pledged their whole-hearted loyalty to the land of their adoption.

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The state department at Washington was advised of the sinking of the American schooner Carl F. Cressy of Bath, Me.

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Creation of a board to investigate the cause of defects in cartridges sent to American forces in France was recommended by Brigadier General Crozier, chief of ordnance, in a letter to Adjutant General McCain at Washington.

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Ten thousand engineers, including 4,000 laborers, are soon to leave for France, it was learned officially at Washington. A far greater number will follow these troops shortly. Details of the dispatch of the engineer troops will not be divulged.

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The vanguard of America's vast air fleet has reached France. The first of the armada of 1,500 airplanes are safely across the Atlantic, together with well-trained aviators to operate them. This fact became known at Washington.

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Lord Robert Cecil, minister of blockade of England, indorsed President Wilson's reply to the peace proposals of Pope Benedict and said he was not certain any further response would be necessary.

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Personal

Judge Lockwood Honore of the circuit court of Chicago, brother of Mrs. Potter Palmer and Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant, died at his home, 83 East Cedar street. He was fifty-two years old.

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Mgr. Thomas F. Kennedy, rector of the American college in Rome, is dead after a long illness.

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Lord Grey, former governor general of Canada, died in London. He had been ill for months.

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Domestic

Following the court-martial of the negroes of the Twenty-fourth infantry, held at El Paso, Tex., on charges of murder and rebellion of military authority and conspiracy growing out of the killing of 17 persons in the raid at Houston, the regiment will be ordered to the Philippines. The trial of 157 men will be held at Fort Bliss.

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Four Minnesota counties were rocked in the first earthquake in the state's history. The disturbance lasted approximately four seconds and was felt in Crow, Wing, Morrison, Tod and Wadona counties.

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Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, delivered a patriotic plea to the laboring men of the country at Erie, Pa.

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Governor Lowden and Attorney General Brundage of Illinois conferred in Chicago over the city's mayor. At the conclusion of their meeting it was announced that the pacifist situation was well in hand. Chicago was assured that there will be no further happenings such as that of Sunday. The governor's action in sending troops to Chicago to enforce his orders was conclusive as to whether he expects his orders obeyed.

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In a series of race troubles in the hill section of Newark, N. J., three white men and one negro were so seriously injured that they may die. Thirty received minor injuries, and 150 policemen, comprising all the reserves in the city, were called out three times.

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In disapproving a proposal by Representative Shouse of Kansas that all men engaged in agricultural pursuits last March be exempted from military service, President Wilson wrote the congressman that a class exemption would lead to "many difficulties and many heartburnings."

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Six negro soldiers of the Twenty-fourth infantry, who clashed with the civil police and the troops sent to subdue them at Waco, Tex., July 20, were sentenced to five years at hard labor in Fort Leavenworth penitentiary.

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Six members of the People's Peace council who went to Hudson, Wis., to make arrangements for holding a national pacifist convention, were placed in a truck by an angry crowd of 1,000 citizens, escorted to the depot, and placed on a train bound for Minneapolis.

While riding at the rate of 70 miles an hour in a ten-mile race at the motorcycle meet at Laporte, Ind., George Rettig of Crown Point, Ind., riding a Harley Davidson, crashed through the fence and was killed.

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With thousands of persons looking on, 100 policemen fought a battle in Chicago with Edward Wheede, a counterfeiter, suspected of being a member of the bandit gang in the Winslow iron foundry robbery. The battle lasted for three hours. After three detectives had been wounded the police captured Wheede.

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Sporting

Mike Gibbons of St. Paul shaded Jack Dillon of Indianapolis in every round of their ten-round no-decision fight for the world's middleweight championship, according to sport writers who saw the contest at Terre Haute, Ind.

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Fred Fulton, the Rochester giant, earned the right to meet Jess Willard for the heavyweight championship title when he won from Carl Morris, the Oklahoma giant, in six rounds, at Canton, O. It was a victory on a foul but nevertheless Fulton showed superiority throughout the fight.

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Washington

Persistent efforts of the state department at Washington to obtain the release from Belgium of two Americans—C. C. Clayton of the Western Electric company and Mr. Whipple of the Bell Telephone company—have been successful, according to a report to the department from The Hague.

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No street meetings under the auspices of the People's Council of America for Democracy and Terms of Peace will be permitted in Washington, D. C. The police department made this announcement.

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In a statement the Navy league announced at Washington its acceptance of the report of the naval board on the Mare island explosion and expresses regret that in a former statement it gave currency to an opinion that the investigation was being hampered by the navy department under the influence of powerful labor interests.

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Widows or other dependents of American soldiers and sailors are given monthly compensations under the soldiers and sailors' insurance bill reported to the house at Washington.

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Japan is in the war to a finish and will fight shoulder to shoulder with the United States until the peace of the world is secured, Viscount Ishii, head of the Japanese mission, declared before the United States senate at Washington.

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It was announced at Washington that the United States is to have the strongest destroyer fleet in the world. Under Old Glory these vessels, which are held in many quarters to be the doom of the submarines, will insure the safety of the American merchant marine.

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Foreign

According to the most reliable authority the next session of the German reichstag will be devoted exclusively to the question of peace. The majority has decided to challenge the statement of the government regarding its minimum peace program, and it is said the government will yield with a view to peace negotiations before Christmas.

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A complete remodeling of the French cabinet appears to be more and more probable, says the Paris Matin.

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Vice Rector O'Hearn of the American college in Rome, formerly of Chicago, Ill., was named to succeed Mgr. Kennedy as head of that institution. Mgr. Kennedy's death a few days ago occasioned universal sorrow in Rome.

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In Vatican circles at Rome Pope Benedict is said to have signified his intention of issuing a reply after receiving the responses of all the belligerents to his peace proposals. It is hoped gradually to make peace a question of practical politics.

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The Russian government, the members of which are in Moscow attending the extraordinary national council, have decided to restore the death penalty in the army immediately, said a dispatch from that city.

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European War News

Riga, Russia's principal Baltic port, has been abandoned to the Germans under the threat of an offensive by land and sea in which the deciding stroke on the land side was delivered by the Germans.

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Italy's great offensive entered its third week with official statements from Rome placing the prisoners for the last 13 days at 27,301 men, of whom 720 were officers.

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The total of British casualties on all fronts as reported to London in August, is 59,811, divided as follows: Killed or died of wounds: Officers, 1,278; men, 10,942; wounded or missing: Officers, 4,122; men, 43,464.

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For five days Italian and British monitors have shelled the defenses at Trieste incessantly, according to cables received by high Italian officials at Washington. On land, General Cadorna's artillery is bombarding the Hermada, pouring a constant rain of shells into the mountain fortress.

The State In Brief

Miss Ella Laqua of Bemidji has left for Sykeston, N. D., where she has accepted a position as music supervisor in the public schools.

A. H. Clemens of Rochester, among those drafted, has been given a temporary discharge from service. He is principal of the high school.

Prof. A. N. Smith of Big Falls, C. N. Brown of Elk River and others spoke at a farmers' meeting at Spooner, when potatoes and other subjects were discussed.

The Crookston Commercial club has sent a communication to all the exemption boards in surrounding counties informing them that all the privileges of the club will be extended to the men called in by the draft while here.

The body of John Husmann of Cushing is to be exhumed and inspected by Coroner Trebby, Drs. G. M. A. Fortier and J. B. Holst. Husmann died in June and a request was recently made that the body be taken from its grave and examined, as it is thought possible that he met with foul play.

Three hundred loyal Swedish people gathered in the Lutheran church at Cambridge and dedicated their drafted sons for the new national army. Patriotic addresses were given by the Rev. Mr. Schold, C. J. Dahl of Spring Lake, G. C. Star and G. G. Goodwin of this city and Alfred Ledin of North Branch.

Cass county by capturing first honors in agricultural exhibits at the state fair for the northern section gains permanent possession of the challenge cup, having won it for three consecutive years. Beltrami county won second place, Kittson third, Red Lake fourth, Hubbard fifth, Cook sixth, Becker seventh, Mahnomen eighth and Lake ninth.

With St. Paul's first soldiers for the new national army already quartered at Camp Dodge, and with others on the way and more planning to leave, hundreds of requests have been made by drafted men throughout the city and state to be included in the next contingent of 40 per cent, leaving September 19, regardless of their order of liability.

Threshing is now going on in full blast all over the country around Hallock. The wheat yield is quite satisfactory, running from 10 to 40 bushels per acre, according to local conditions during the growing season, which either assisted or retarded its growth. The average is given by those who have made careful estimates at about twenty bushels per acre.

Wadena county romped away with first honors at the State Fair in the county agricultural exhibit contest. This county won first honors last year. Mike Holm, who is in charge of the agricultural exhibits, asserted that this year's exhibits surpass those of any other year. He says that the displays are more complete and the products of a better quality.

The hunting season for small game will open September 16, despite the recent ruling of the attorney general that hunting on that day would be in violation of the Sunday law, and consequently game could not be taken legally on that day, according to unofficial reports at the Capitol. Protests that enforcement of the Sunday law would operate simply to the advantage of sportsmen who can spare time to go hunting on business days gave rise to a report that state game wardens will not arrest violators of the Sunday law.

President J. P. Foote of the Scandinavian-American bank at Crookston died at a hospital there. He was 63 years old. He had recently undergone an operation.

The Little Falls barbers have decided to make slight increases in rates. Hereafter a neck shave will be five cents extra and tonics will be 15, 20 and 25 cents.

The Odin club of Minneapolis, following a "loyalty" dinner, adopted a resolution, requesting Congressman Ernest Lundeen to resign as a member of the club.

While Mr. and Mrs. Sweet were riding on a motorcycle near Henning they struck a bump and were thrown off, Mr. Sweet being killed and his wife receiving severe bruises.

Hard frosts are reported to have done much damage in many parts of Todd county. The damage to cucumbers and tomatoes has been much and in several places the corn has been hurt.

While Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ulrich of Red Lake Falls, and children and friends, 15 in all, were riding their automobile capsized when they negotiated a curve at the rate of 25 miles per hour. None were hurt.

In all 116 comfort kits were distributed among the boys of Company G before they left Princeton for the South. These kits were purchased from funds contributed by the ladies of Princeton, Milaca, Foreston and Onamia and by various Princeton organizations.

The St. Hilaire branch of the St. Hilaire Retail Lumber company, through its agent, O. H. Olson, has taken a life membership in the American Red Cross as members of the St. Hilaire chapter. In addition to giving $10,000 in cash to the Red Cross as a donation, the company is taking life memberships wherever it maintains branch offices.

Mrs. Freeman Dunbar of Brainerd committed suicide by hanging herself from a rafter of a barn after her son and two brothers had been drafted for the national army. The body was not discovered for two days.

MANY PERSONS ARE GIVEN POSITIONS

2,058 MEN AND 961 WOMEN GET PLACES IN AUGUST THROUGH EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

TO HOLD UP SCHOOL MONEY

Benton County Taxpayer Begins Action to Enjoin Officials From Paying Past Deficits Out of Current School Funds.

St. Paul.

The special employment bureau opened by the Minnesota Public Safety commission in Minnesota to give state-wide war time service, furnished jobs to 2,058 men and 961 women during August, the report of Assistant Superintendent H. J. Beckerle to the commission shows.

While 3,899 application for help were received, 3,175 men applied for places and 2,058 reported that they obtained work. That there is a shortage in harvest help is shown by a special statement revealing that 1,028 applications for work and 996 for help were received and that 951 places were filled. The report showed that 1,134 women applied for places and that 1,195 applications for help were listed. Nine hundred and sixty-one women were hired, including three on agricultural work.

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Action to Hold Up School Money.

Injunction proceedings have been started by J. F. Mussel, a taxpayer of Foley, Benton county, to restrain state officials from paying out of current state school aid funds the deficits in 1915-1916 state aid to high and graded schools as ordered by the state high school board after Governor Burnquist vetoed the $1,070,193 speciol deficit appropriation voted by the last legislature.

In the action to test the legality of the high school board order, District Judge Haupt of Ramsey county, on application by the complainant's attorney, signed an order to show cause returnable next Saturday and addressed to C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education; Henry Rines, state treasurer, and J. A. O. Preus, state auditor.

Mr. Mussel alleges that the payment of the deficit from current bonds as proposed is unauthorized and contrary to law and that it will deplete current school aid funds, increase his individual taxes as a property owner at Foley and cause him irreparable damage. He contends further that the 1917 state school aid appropriation of $2,637,545 for 1917 and $2,400,000 for 1918 will be needed during those years and that payment of the existing deficits from either amount would simply create new deficits.

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Sizing Up Draft Timber.

Capt. M. R. Nyman was in the Twin Cities from Camp Dodge, Des Moines, conferring with local draft boards regarding the quality of men to be furnished to the camp in the first contingents. He is executive officer of ammunition trains and has been detailed to line up the trained timber in the first delivery to the draft army for special work in various services, supply, sanitary, engineering and the like.

As the local boards have based their groups of men to be sent first to camp according to occupation as well as previous military experience, Captain Nyman is getting a line on the number of skilled men, such as chauffeurs, bakers, cooks, carpenters, blacksmiths, wagon makers, and so on, to be expected from Minneapolis.

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Two Officials Face Disloyalty Charges.

Two inspectors in the state dairy and food commission are facing disloyalty charges. A. J. Anderson, Lindstrom, inspector of canneries, is accused of using abusive language toward Governor Burnquist in a recent conversation with W. W. Rich, doorkeeper at the capitol, and was summoned to appear before Commissioner James Sorenson to explain. Affidavits from citizens at Barnum received alleged that John E. Lindberg a creamery inspector, said he was ashamed o' the American flag, as recently reported. Commissioner Sorenson said the Lindberg case will be investigated by the civil service board and similar action taken against Anderson if the charges are pressed.

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Searchlights for Capitol Dome.

The old incandescent lighting system for illuminating the dome of the Capitol has been replaced by a new system of high power searchlights. Six 1,000 candle power search lights have been installed on the roof for lighting the dome, and four 500-candle lights will be turned on the American flag on the East wing of the building.

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To Handle War Exhibit.

H. E. Wright, former assistant publicity agent for the Minnesota State Fair, has been appointed by the government to take charge of the organization of a war exhibit for the members of the American Association of Fairs and Expositions, whose fairs are held late in the fall. Mr. Wright has been in New York for several days. He severed connections with the Minnesota Fair to assume his new work. The first fair at which this exhibit will be shown is the Eastern States exposition at Springfield, Mass.

CRISIS OF WOMAN'S LIFE

Change Safely Passed by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Wagoner, Okla.—"I never get tired of praising Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because during Change of Life I was in bed two years and had two operations, but all the doctors and operations did me no good, and I would have been in my grave today had it not been for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which brought me out of it all right, so I am now well and do all my housework, besides working in my garden. Several of my neighbors have got well by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. VIOLA FINICAL, Wagoner, Okla.

Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and dizziness should be heeded by middle-aged women. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has carried many women safely through the crisis.

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Your MONEY WILL BE REFUNDED by your druggist without any question if this remedy does not benefit every case of Asthma, Bronchial Asthma and the Asthmatic symptoms accompanying Hay Fever. No matter how violent the attacks or obstinate the case

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positively gives INSTANT RELIEF in every case and has permanently cured thousands who had been considered incurable, after having tried every other means of relief in vain. Asthmatics should avail themselves of this guarantee offer through their own druggist. Buy a 50-cent package and present this announcement to your druggist. You will be the sole judge as to whether you are benefited and the druggist will give you back your money if you are not. We do not know of any fairer proposition which we could make. [5]

R. Schiffmann Co., Proprietors, St. Paul, Minn.

Time to Get Ready.

The other day a man telephoned to the draft selection board for Marion county outside of Indianapolis and asked whether it is necessary to have the wife's signature on an affidavit for an exemption claim. He was told it is necessary if he is claiming exemption on the ground that his wife is dependent on him.

"Won't anyone else do?" the inquirer asked. "My wife says she won't sign it."

The board member told the man that the best thing he could do was to "get ready to go."

SOOTHES ITCHING SCALPS

And Prevents Falling Hair Do Cuticura Soap and Ointment.

On retiring, gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water using plenty of Soap. Cultivate the use of Cuticura Soap and Ointment for everyday toilet purposes.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Got a Line on Them.

Two English laborers who were on the road to Birmingham to get work happened to meet an old Irishman breaking stones on the roadside. They inquired of Pat how long it would take to get there. Pat simply looked at them and made no reply. Thinking he was deaf they walked on. When they had gone about 300 yards he called after them, so they came back.

"Ye asked me how long it would take to go to Birmingham?"

"Yes," they said.

"Well," said Pat, "it will take ye four hours."

"Why didn't you tell us that before?" they asked.

"Well, now," said Pat, "how could I tell ye until I saw how fast ye could walk first?"

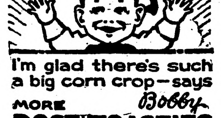
The Other Side.

"Young man," said the office manager, "if you knew as much about the business of this firm as you do about baseball you'd be holding down my job."

"I know that, sir," replied the office boy. "And if you'd make your business as interesting as baseball you'd have kids begging for a chance to work for you and willing to pay for the privilege."

Some men achieve matrimony, some have it thrust upon them and others are lucky enough to escape it.

Don't lose heart. Pluck brings luck in business.

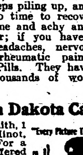


I'm glad there's such a big corn crop—says Bobby
MORE POST TOASTIES FOR ME!

Back Given Out?

Housework is too hard for a woman who is half sick, nervous and always tired. But it keeps piling up, and gives weak kidneys no time to recover. If your back is lame and achy and your kidneys irregular; if you have "blue spells," sick headaches, nervousness, dizziness and rheumatic pains, use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have done wonders for thousands of worn out women.

A North Dakota Case



"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Mrs. L. J. Smith, 1 Phillip Court, Minot, N. D., says: "For a long time I suffered from kidney trouble. My back was stiff and lame and I had sharp shooting pains through my kidneys. There was a dull, bearing down pain through my loins and I had awful headaches and dizzy spells. My kidneys acted irregularly. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and they gave me a lasting cure."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box
DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

Seized Her Opportunity.

For nine long years he had been wooing the fair daughter of the farm.

"Jennie," he mused, as they sat on the old fence. "I read the other day that in a thousand years the Lakes of Killarney will dry up."

Jennie clutched his arm excitedly.

"Oh, Tom!" she exclaimed.

"What's the matter, lass?"

"Why, as you promised to take me there on our honeymoon, don't you think we'd better be a little careful that they don't dry up before we get there?"

N. B.—The next month the wedding bells rang in the village.

Good for the Liver.

Spinach and dandelions used in small proportions daily for 21 days will correct liver complaints.

Obviously.

"Who planned the ventilating system for the building?"

"Some draftsman, I suppose."

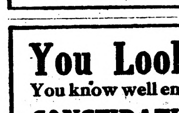
The world makes way for the determined man.—O. S. Martin.

Worry makes cowards.

You Look As YOU FEEL

You know well enough when your liver is loafing.

CONSTIPATION is the first warning; then you begin to "feel mean all over."



CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Your skin soon gets the bad news. It grows dull, yellow, muddy and unsightly.

Violent purgatives are not what you need—just the gentle help of this old-time standard remedy.

Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.

Genuine bears signature Brent Good

ABSENCE of Iron in the Blood is the reason for many colorless faces but CARTER'S IRON PILLS will greatly help most pale-faced people.

Feed the Fighters! Win the War!!

Harvest the Crops — Save the Yields

On the battle fields of France and Flanders, the United States boys and the Canadian boys are fighting side by side to win for the World the freedom that Prussianism would destroy. While doing this they must be fed and every ounce of muscle that can be requisitioned must go into use to save this year's crop. A short harvest period requires the combined forces of the two countries in team work, such as the soldier boys in France and Flanders are demonstrating.

The Combined Fighters in France and Flanders and the Combined Harvesters in America WILL Bring the Allied Victory Nearer.

A reciprocal arrangement for the use of farm workers has been perfected between the Department of the Interior of Canada and the Departments of Labor and Agriculture of the United States, under which it is proposed to permit the harvesters that are now engaged in the wheat fields of Oklahoma, Kansas, Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Minnesota and Wisconsin to move over into Canada, with the privilege of later returning to the United States, when the crops in the United States have been conserved, and help to save the enormous crops in Canada which by that time will be ready for harvesting.

HELP YOUR CANADIAN NEIGHBOURS WHEN YOUR OWN CROP IS HARVESTED!!!

Canada Wants 40,000 Harvest Hands to Take Care of its 13,000,000 ACRE WHEAT FIELD.

One cent a mile railway fare from the International boundary line to destination and the same rate returning to the International Boundary.

High Wages, Good Board, Comfortable Lodgings.

An Identification Card issued at the boundary by a Canadian Immigration Officer will guarantee no trouble in returning to the United States.

AS SOON AS YOUR OWN HARVEST IS SAVED, move northward and assist your Canadian neighbour in harvesting his; in this way do your bit in helping "Win the War". For particulars as to routes, identification cards and place where employment may be had, apply to Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. L. Porte, Dunn Blk., Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents.

Already Done.

"That chorus will soon catch up the national airs."

"From what the director has been saying to them, I should judge they had already caught Hail Columbia."

SHARKS TO SERVE MANKIND

Veteran Fisherman Believes That, Properly Handled, the Meat of the Fish Is Edible.

Russell J. Coles of Danville, Va., who taught Colonel Roosevelt how to harpoon devilfish, announced that he has discovered a method of preventing world-wide starvation by tests he has carried out with regard to certain species of the dark shark and ray family. Mr. Coles has just come back from Morehead City, N. C., where he caught a number of fish, and despite the popular belief that the eating of them would bring death in a terrible form, he decided to take the risk and he sampled several of them. He has sent a complete record of his findings to Herbert Hoover in the hope that the food administrator will incline an ear and start the fashion of shark eating.

Mr. Coles believes that the sides of the larger fish may be tanned and converted into marketable leather.

After trying several methods the Danville man gives the following recipe for cooking shark steak:

Salt heavily for 30 minutes, soak out in three waters, parboil a few minutes, change water, parboil again, cook heavily seasoned and serve hot. The amount of seasoning must be used according to the odor of the meat.

Supreme Sacrifice Suggested.

As another means of conserving natural resources; talk less and think more.—Boston Advertiser.

Nothing to It.

"What is this rumor I hear of you having inherited vast estates?"

"Groundless."

After the Movies Murine is for Tired Eyes. Red Eyes — Sore Eyes — Granulated Eyelids. Rests—Refreshes—Restores. Murine is a Favorite Treatment for Eyes that feel dry and smart. Give your Eyes as much of your loving care as your Teeth and with the same regularity. CARE FOR THEM. YOU CANNOT BUY NEW EYES! Sold at Drug and Optical Stores or by Mail. Ask Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago for Free Book

Not Information to Him.

Little Eva—I will now read to you from Milton's sublime epic, "Paradise Lost."

Uncle Tom—Huh! Ah knows all about dat pair o' dice los'. Ah done los' dem bones mahse'f.

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The Difference.

The wife looked at her dress materials just sent with evident dissatisfaction. "There is no body in my purchase," she said.

Her husband opened his parcel, laid in with a view to future emergencies, and sighed with satisfaction. "There's lots of spirit in mine," he smiled.

Youngstown, O., has a wild cherry tree 100 feet high, 8 feet in circumference.

Cleveland is fighting whooping cough epidemic.

SLAV COMMANDER REMOVED FOR PLOT AGAINST PREMIER

KORNILOV SOUGHT TO ASSUME CONTROL OF RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT IS CHARGE—KLEMBOVSKY APPOINTED.

DECLARES WAR STATE EXISTS IN PETROGRAD

Kerensky Issues Proclamation—Warns Civilians to Prepare to Leave as Precautionary Measure—Death Penalty May Have Caused the Split.

Petrograd, Sept. 11.—Premier A. F. Kerensky has ordered General Kornilov, commander-in-chief of the Russian armies, to resign in consequence of General Kornilov's demand for supreme power.

General Klembovsky has been appointed commander-in-chief.

Kerensky has declared that a state of war exists in the town and district of Petrograd, and preparations for partial civil evacuation of the city have been begun.

Kerensky's Proclamation.

Premier Kerensky has issued the following proclamation:

"On Sept. 8 a member of the duma, M. Lvov, arrived in Petrograd and called upon me, in the name of General Kornilov, to hand over all civil and military powers to the generalissimo, who would form a new government at his pleasure. The authenticity of this summons was afterwards confirmed by General Kornilov himself who had a conversation with me over the direct telegraphic wire between Petrograd and main headquarters.

"Considering this summons addressed through me to the provisional government as an attempt by certain quarters to profit by the difficult situation of the country and establish a state of things contrary to the conquests of the revolution, the provisional government has recognized the necessity of charging me, for the safety of the republican regime, to take the urgent, indispensable measures necessary to cut at the roots all attempts against the supreme power and rights of the citizens won by the revolution.

"I therefore, for the maintenance in the country of liberty and public order, am taking all measures which I shall announce at the proper moment to the people. At the same time I order General Kornilov to hand over his functions to General Klembovsky, commander-in-chief of the armies on the northern front, which bar the way to Petrograd, and I order General Klembovsky to assume provisionally the functions of generalissimo, while remaining at Pskov.

"Secondly, I declare a state of war in the town and district of Petrograd.

"I appeal to all citizens to remain calm, maintain the order necessary for the welfare of the fatherland and the army and navy, and tranquilly and faithfully fulfill their duty in the defense of the fatherland against the foreign enemy."

At Odds Since Conference.

Premier Kerensky and General Kornilov have been at odds since the Moscow conference.

Kornilov at that time demanded institution of practically every rule of the old autocracy regulations—and particularly insisted on restoration of the death penalty. He declared Russia only could be saved by violent strengthening of her armies—and that this could only come about through enforcement of the most drastic disciplinary measures. A temporary truce between the army commander-in-chief and the premier was arranged shortly after the Moscow meeting, Kerensky agreeing partially to institution of the death penalty.

Evacuation Mere Precaution.

The civilian evacuation of Petrograd is purely a measure of precaution, according to official explanation.

WAR REVENUE BILL IS IN LAST STAGE IN SENATE

Vote to Be Taken Under Unanimous Consent Agreement—Several Features to Be Disposed of.

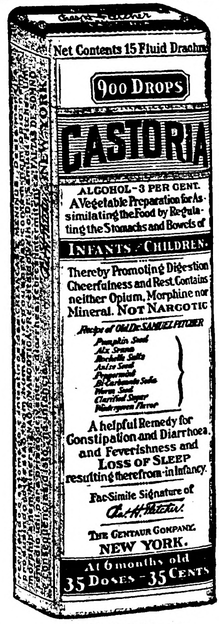
Washington, Sept. 11.—After five weeks of debate the senate is in the last stage of the war revenue bill.

All debate was to be shut off at 3 p. m. under the unanimous consent agreement, when the bill was to be put upon its final passage.

Before the final vote was reached, however, several features were to be disposed of, embracing consumption taxes on sugar, tea and coffee, the 3 per cent levy on freight transportation, the second class mail rate increases, proposed repeal of the sugar "drawback" and the provision taxing corporations' undivided surplus 10 per cent.

Shippers Meet Grain Director.

Cleveland, Sept. 11. — Representatives of all shipping interests of the Great Lakes met here Monday with Julius Barnes, newly appointed director of the grain division of the government food committee to set rates on grain and arrange a schedule of fleet movements. Among them was G. A. Tomlinson, Duluth grain shipper and owner of a fleet of vessels. Mr. Barnes has called the Lake Carriers' association and independent interests to meet with him to determine rates to be paid for carrying grain.



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"What's he want done to them?" inquired the tradesman.

"Wants 'em soled an' heeled," piped the youngster, "also wants them stretched."

"Stretched as well, eh?" said the sole saver. "And where do they pinch him?"

"They don't pinch 'im," replied the ingenuous boy. "He pinched them."

Wanted Him Warned.

A woman was explaining in the Jefferson market court about some of the more violent features of the life she leads with her husband. "Last night," said the complainant, "he comes home and slams me three times in the right eye. I tells him he's a loafer, and he gets me twice in the left eye. Look at 'em. But, judge, I love him an' just want to have him warned." And the court seized the opportunity. "In a case like this," said the magistrate, "love appears to be principally in the eyes of the complainant."—New York Times.

His Narrow Escape.

Friend—Were you ever lost in the woods?

Batch—Almost.

Friend—Who rescued you?

Batch—Nature.

Friend—What do you mean?

Batch—The wind was blowing so hard that the girl didn't hear me when I proposed.—Stray Stories.

Spain, in 1916, grew 1,146,000 tons of olives.

Quick Punch.

The daily pinochle game in the smoker was going on as usual when suddenly one of the commuters jumped to his feet and yelled wildly for the newsboy.

"Give us a new deck of cards, quick," he cried when the boy answered his summons. "The conductor just punched the ace of diamonds instead of my commutation ticket."

Finance.

A—I need $5 and I've got only four.

B—That's easy. Pawn the $4 for $3 and sell the ticket for $2.

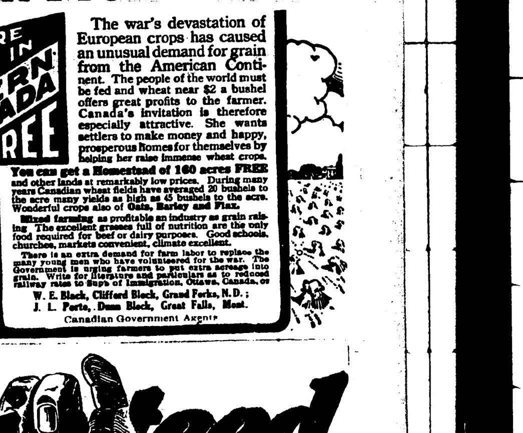
Turn for the Worse.

In the home where I board there is a little girl passionately fond of a puppy. Three days ago the puppy fell ill and his condition has since been more or less a topic of comment in the family circle. When I came downstairs to breakfast this morning I said to the little girl seated at the table: "How is your puppy this morning?"

"He's not so well," she promptly replied; "he died last night."—Chicago Tribune.

St. Louis claims 905,650 population; directory estimate.

Canadian Farmers Profit From Wheat



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W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.;
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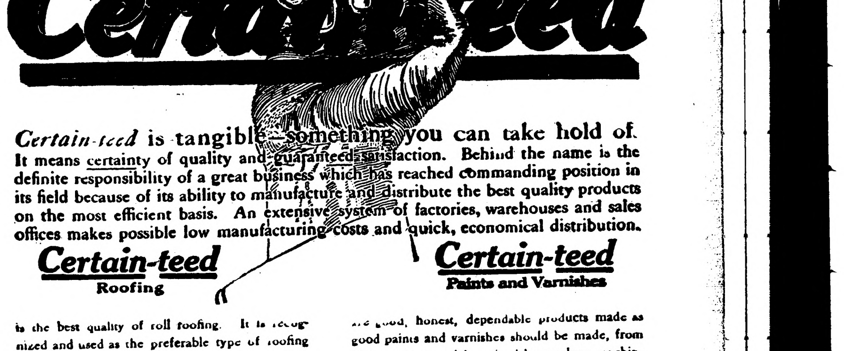

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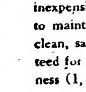

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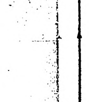

Red Cross News

If the American Red Cross had never done anything else than organize, equip and supply the base hospitals which are now backing our armies, it would have justified its existence. Of course it has done, and still is doing, countless great things for America and for the world; but its accomplishment in the line of base hospitals is just now of prime importance.

As briefly as it may be defined, a base hospital is an institution which cares for the sick or wounded soldier from the time he is sent back from the firing line, until he is able to be removed to a hospital in his own country.

It is almost unbelievable, but nevertheless a fact, that until the American Red Cross took hold of the task a year ago, no nation in the history of the world had ever organized a base hospital until after war had been declared and the fighting begun, and the wounded men lay writhing on the ground.

Always, of course, there have been a few army surgeons with each regiment, who patched up the slightly wounded and got them back into the firing line as quickly as possible. Also, of course, there have always been in all countries some sort of hospital system for the care of the sick and wounded when they got home.

But always the intermediate institution, for the care and transportation of the sick and wounded between the front and the home hospitals, was missing. This has invariably led to a terrible congestion of wounded on the battlefields, where thousands suffered needlessly, lost arms and legs that might have been saved, or died when a little care would have preserved them.

Col. Jefferson Randolph Kean, U. S. A. Medical corps, director general of military relief of the Red Cross, has likened the former organization to a bridge of which the end spans were complete, but the middle span—the base hospitals—was entirely lacking.

When a man is wounded in battle, the method of caring for him is this—modified, of course, by varying conditions:

He lies on the field in No Man's Land between the lines, or in the trench, until he is able to drag himself away, or the stretcher bearers can reach him, and carry him to one of the little first-aid stations. These are always very near to the fighting lines—sometimes in a part of the trench where the men are fighting.

There an army surgeon stanches the flow of blood, puts a dressing on the wound to keep out infection, binds on splints in case of broken bones, and makes it possible for the patient to be moved to the little field hospital a short distance from the fighting line.

This field hospital is usually a tent—sometimes a hut or a barn or even a space in the open air sheltered by a hill or a clump of trees. It is really little more than an enlarged first-aid station, with a capacity for not more than 125 wounded, who lie on the ground on tarpaulins. There are no beds, and seldom any cots.

From the field hospital the wounded are taken, as rapidly as possible, to the evacuation hospitals, still farther from the danger zone. Each evacuation hospital cares for the wounded from three field hospitals. This, too, is an emergency station, and has no permanency. It is a collection station for wounded, where the worst cases may be given a little more attention than has been possible before.

As rapidly as the motor ambulances, the hospital trains, the hospital ships, or other agencies, are able to work, the wounded are taken from these collecting stations to the base hospital, located at the army base some distance to the rear.

Here, for the first time, the wounded man finds himself in a real hospital, in the hands of surgeons and nurses who have the time to give his hurts every possible care.

He is put into a real bed in a real hospital, supplied with X-ray, bacteriological and pathological laboratories, a diet kitchen presided over by skilled cooks, and with surgeons and nurses drawn from America's most highly trained to wait on him. If he requires an operation, he is in the hands of the best surgeons of the land, with the finest surgical tools to do their work. And the hospital has an ample supply of wound dressings, pads, splints, hospital gowns, surgical shirts—all the thousand and one things a first-class hospital must have.

That is the service which the American Red Cross has provided for the American soldier before our country was at war—before a single American ship or unit of the American army was headed for Europe. Thirty-six of these hospitals—enough to care for the wounded of an army of a million men—have been made ready to the last strip of bandage and the last enrolled stretcher bearer. Several of them are now in France, helping to care for the wounded of the allies, and ready to care for the American soldiers who are sure to fall into their hands before many weeks.

Each of these base hospitals calls for the services of 23 surgeons, 2 dentists, 75 Red Cross nurses and 150 privates, including orderlies, ambulance drivers, stretcher bearers and clerks.

The permanent minimum equipment of each hospital consists of three carloads of beds, mattresses, scientific apparatus, operating room paraphernalia, and all utensils. Units going to Europe these days, however, are taking double or triple equipment.

The consumable supplies of each hospital consists of 85 crates of bandages, wound pads, splints, fracture pillows, dressings and hospital supplies of every kind to the number of 42,482, all made up to army standard, packed, boxed and labeled so that surgeons and nurses can put their hands on them in a moment.

Now—from this it might seem that the Red Cross has done everything needful, and that there is nothing more to do for the base hospitals but to wait until the wounded begin to stream in, and give them the benefit of all this foresight.

Not so. It has been established that the supplies of bandages and splints and wound pads and gauze in a base hospital last through just about four days of heavy fighting. Then, unless there were a great store of supplies to draw from, the hospital would find itself with 500 wounded on hand, and no dressings for their wounds.

Here, again, is work for the Red Cross. All over the land, wherever supplies were made for these 36 base hospitals, are women trained in making hospital supplies. It is for these women not only to stand ready to furnish other supplies, but to train still other women to take up the work; for when the Americans begin to fight there will be no stopping the stream of wounded until the war is won. And the Red Cross cannot afford to let a single fighting man die for lack of a bandage or a splint. Is our community doing its part?

In France right now the supply of gauze and linen is so low that they are reported to be using old newspapers to stanch bleeding wounds. That must never happen to an American soldier. And unless the American people get behind the Red Cross with all their strength and in all their numbers, and train themselves to turn out supplies for their hospitals, it may happen.

It would be the irony of fate if a soldier from our own town—perhaps your own family, or mine—were to get gangrene in his wound, perhaps lose an arm or a leg or even his life, because we folks here had failed to furnish the dressings for his wound.

Help the Red Cross

Wonderful Cuban Caves.

The wonderful caves of Bellamar, Cuba, to the east of Havana, attract the attention of the ambitious tourist. They are on a plateau as level as a table top, which presents no signs of the existence of such caves. After descending into the earth, however, a picture unfolds itself. Then come many passages, and at last the great "Gothic temple," 250 feet long and 80 feet wide.

The Boy Who Dreams.

It is a good thing for the farmer boy to have an imagination, says the Prairie Farmer. It is a good thing for him to "dream dreams and see visions." It takes a dreamer to see the transformation that intelligent effort will bring to pass on the old place. It takes a dreamer to see how much more desirable that place will be in ten years than a job in a dry goods store.—Emporia Gazette.

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Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand there in above the turbulence of the waves.—Trinities and Sanctities.

Age of the Ostrich.

The average age of an ostrich is thirty years, and the annual yield of a bird in captivity is from two to four pounds of plumes.

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Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

Ladies Aid Monday evening, basement Mission church. All invited.

Mrs. Alex Stiom and children returned to T. R. Falls, Saturday.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 8:00 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

Postmaster Engebretsen and Buttermaker Anderson enjoyed an auto trip in the rain to Mud Lake Tuesday night.

Miss Ida Hagglund returned home yesterday from Grand Forks where she visited her sister Mabel, who is attening the Normal School there.

Carl Sorenson and Hardy Bjerk returned home Friday from near Warren where they have been working with a threshing crew.

Miss Mary Monson returned yesterday to Middle River after an extended visit at the home of her brother, Luvig Monson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ostrom and little daughter of near Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Will Ober and little daughter of near Angus were Sunday visitors at Lars Chenill's.

The Ladies Aid will entertain in the Mission church basement next Monday evening Sept. 24th. All the ladies are invited to donate for the lunch and help make it a success.

Mrs. Mathias Olson's eyesight has been failing for sometime so that she is now almost blind. Her daughter, Mrs. Martin Mattson, took her to Minneapolis yesterday to consult a specialist.

Marius Hoel's temperture was down to normal Sunday night for the first time since his sickness. He still has some fever but is improving. The trrined nurse, Miss Soderberg, returned to T. R. Falls, Monday.

S. S. Kolden and Olaf Johnson each shipped a car of cattle to the St. Paul market Tuesday. Clarence Kolden went to St. Paul with his father's cattle and Clarence Docken with Mr. Johnson's.

For Sale: Standing timber and wood on my land in Whiteford township called the Rauam homestead, $30.00 and $40.00 per acre according to location. Call on K. O. Flakne, Holt, Minn., for further information.

Ed Chynka,
Lankin, N D

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Opening Of School

The Holt public school opened Monday of this week with Frank E. Hall of St. Paul as teacher of manual training and the higher grades at a salary of $90.00 per month; Miss Martha M. Peterson of Vining, is teacher of domestic science and the primary department at a salary of $65.00 a month; Miss Helen Johnson of Tower teaches the intermediate department for $55.00 a month. Oscar Hagglund has been employed as bus driver on route No. 1, at $50 a month, T. A. Tobiason route 2 $48 and C. L. Heinze on No. 3 gets $49. Mr. Heinze had route No. 2 but he changed routes with Mr. Tobiason as this makes it more convenient for the latter.

The following school enrollment was reported to us yesterday morning:

Prof. Hall has 16 pupils, Miss Peterson 27 and Miss Johnson 16.

To-morrow never gets here.

H. J. Olson is wiring the school house for electric lights.

Gladys Hagbeag returned home Saturday from a visit at Dugdale.

Rev. and Mrs. D. Kilen visited at the R. L. Olson home Wednesday.

Rev. Parish will preach his farewell sermon here next Monday eve.

Mrs. John Hardy from Greenbush visited Mrs. John Melquist last Friday.

Mrs. Paul Olson and daughter Emma visited in Middle River Saturday.

L. S. Kolden and Mr. Onstead of Nielsville visited S. S. Kolden and family Sunday.

Elmer Hagglund is now breaking for the G. N. He has been on the local thru here a few times the past week.

Mrs. Loyd Adams went to Dugdale Monday to attend the funeral, of a distant relative, Wm. Forsyth, who was killed in a runaway accident.

We wish to correct an error in last weeks issue, in the fact that it was Mrs. J. A. Tystad instead of Mrs. Conrad Theis who had been very sick. A mistake of our informant. Mrs. Tystad died last week.

C. L. Heinze and family, Fred Larson and family, A. R. Jones, and O. W. Carlson and family of T. R. Falls, also Mrs. Tony Carlson and Mrs. Wm. Werner and baby of that city, were all entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson and family.

Mike Myrine, who had been here putting up hay for E. T. Eide and later for himself, was called to International Falls Wednesday to join the army.

Mrs. Rhinehart Nelson and son, Charles, of Normana, Texas came Sunday to visit at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Paul Olson and family, for a week or two.

The advanced pupils of the Holt public school were awarded second premium on exhibits of penmanship, at the recent State Fair. This speaks well of both teachers and pupils of our school.

Fifteen men out of every sixteen in the Allied armies have been safe through 3 years of fighting. During the past year not more than one man in thirty has been killed. Only one man out of five hundred loses a limb—a chance no greater than in hazardous occupations at home

If unable to market your perishable products write to Paul Ragatz, Mgr. Central Warehouse, Minnesota Transfer. He has been appointed by the State Safety Commission to look after this work and he can be relied on to do the work right.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 11 o'clock A. M.

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

Rev. G. O. Parish will preach the closing sermon of the conference year in this church at 8 o'clock next Monday evening Sept. 24th. The Ladies Aid will serve lunch at the close of the church services.

It is uncertain whether Rev. Parish will be returned to the charge at Thief River Falls and this may be the last opportunity our people will have to hear him. All invited.

Speak well of your friends.

A sidewalk was built around the village hall, this week.

Rev. Strom went to Fosston Friday to hold meetings there and at other points.

Hans Onstead of T. R. Falls came Monday to do the plastering on Sam Mickelson's house.

Lars Flak of Mable, Minn., came Wednesday on business connected with his farm here.

Dick Mattson came back from McIntosh Monday to get ready for threshing again.

P. L. Anderson and Cleve Peterson visited at the latters home in Badger Sunday.

Miss Betty Johnson was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday and Saturday of last week.

Rev. Parish and Mr. Wight of T. R. Falls were in town Friday night on business.

Thorval Kolden had charge of the confectionery store during his brother Clarence absence in St. Paul.

The work of putting up the bank fixtures has been delayed several days while waiting for the tile flooring material.

C. W. Christianson and family drove to Strandquist Sunday afternoon and visited relatives returning home the next day.

Beginning Oct. 1st., cream will be received at the creamery on Mondays and Thursdays only.

P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

Found: A suit of clothes. Owner please prove property and pay for this notice.

Oscar Hagglund, Holt Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Melquist and baby and his sister, Miss Nettie Melquist, went to Erskine, Saturday for a couple of weeks visit with relatives.

Prof. Hall has rented furnished rooms at the Riesberg home. He expects his wife to arrive here some time this week, when they will go to housekeeping.

Ernest Kuehue visited at home a few days this week. He has received notice to report at Warren to-day for transfer to Camp Dodge at Des Moines, Iowa.

Six hundred telegraphers are needed by the U. S. Signal Corps from Minnesota. A good chance for the young men of our state to help win the war for democracy

Leonard Jefferson was sent notice here by the local board to report in Warren to-day for the army draft. Postmaster Engebretsen forwarded the notice to Climax where Mr. Jefferson is supposed to be working.

C. L. Heinze has recently purchased 9 1-2 acres of land adjoining the piece he already owns just outside the city limits of Thief River Falls and he thinks it was a bargain at the purchase price of $1200.00.

Why Good Men Are Busy

"Marry a busy man," advises Helen Rowland. It can't be done legally. All the busy men are married. That's what makes them busy.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants Friday at 2 o'clock.

Choir practice at 8 o'clock Friday evening.

Mrs. Otto Johnson will entertain the Dorcas society at 2 o'clock next Saturday afternoon.

Sunday School at 10 o.clock.

English services Sunday 8 o'clock P. M.

Services at Gnuder Sorter's at 11 o'clock A. M. next Sunday. Ladies Ladies Aid will entertain after the services.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

J. B. Alkenbrack drove to T. R. Falls Saturday on business.

Read the news ads. of the Winton Nichols Lumber Co., and the Holt State Bank.

Miss Stella Mickelson returned on Saturday from a weeks visit with relatives at Crookston.

Rev. Nordlander of Worcester Mass. was here one day last week looking after his land interests.

Alfred Olson returned home Tuesday from Northwood, N. Dak. and reports threshing done there.

Ed. Chynka of Lankin, N. D. was here Monday on business. He has an Ad. in this weeks paper.

Clarence Kolden, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Young autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday on business.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain at the church basement next Monday evening.

We had a real good rain Tuesday night which will make it easier for the farmers to plow and sow rye and help that already sown.

Mrs. G. M. Christenson of Fertile visited her daughter, Mrs. H. J. Oien, between trains Tuesday bringing her little granddaughter, Alice Oien home.

Guy Anderson, Mrs. H. Furr, daughter Olga, and son Oscar, autoed to Warren Monday, where the latter had business before the exemption board.

For Sale!

As we will soon be ready to move into our new bank building, we have decided to sell our old building at a reasonable price. If interested write or call on us.

Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

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PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

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We will ship by parcel post to your address PREPAID one of our FAST COLOR "ALL WEATHER Brand" 3x5 feet sewed U. S. FLAGS for $2.50. These flags have strong canvas headings and brass grommets, and will stand all kinds of weather, and are of our own manufacture. The scarcity and advance in price of materials at this time makes this offer limited. Send in yours at once. Send check, money order or draft with order.

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Flags, Banners and Decorations
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Fully Prepared

"How is this, Herr Zwetsck! You have got your room full of oleanders and other tropical plants and a telephone, I see." "You see I have been asked to compose a poem on spring, that is why I have had a telephone laid on the public park to enable me to listen to the singing of the birds."—Der Flob

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to thank our kind neighbors and friends who assisted us during the recent illness and death of our beloved wife and mother.

J. A. Tystad and Children.

For Sale!

A 1914 Carter car, in complete running order, with electric lights and self starter. Will sell cheap or consider a trade.

B. Docken,
Holt, Minn.

To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn.
September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

[SEAL]

Invented in 1589.

The knitting frame was invented in 1589 by William Lee, a graduate of Cambridge university and a native of Woodborough, near Nottingham, England. So perfect was the invention in every detail that to this day the essential features of the machine continue in use for the class of work to which Lee applied it.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.05
Wheat No. 2	2.02
Wheat No. 3	1.97
Wheat No. 4	1.96
Flax	3.26
Oats	50
Barley	89 to 1.14
Rye	1.72
Flour, Best Patent	6.05

Announcement

New Garage!

I have opened a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

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Dr. R. E. Spinks
Physician and Surgeon
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In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Greatest Poets.

Homer Lucretius, Dante, Shakespeare, Goethe, Milton, Shelley, Byron, Tennyson, Browning. Perhaps others might be added. It is largely a matter of taste and temperament—although there is but little room for argument about the first six names.

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We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
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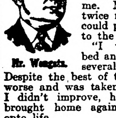

A PHYSICAL WRECK

Laid Up In Bed, Barely Holding Onto Life. Doan's Effected Marvelous Recovery.

"Without warning I was dragged to the brink of the grave by malignant kidney trouble," says Robert Wengatz, 114 Cypress Ave., Bronx, N. Y. "My kidneys seemed to stop acting and the pains in my back were terrible. Big, bloaty puffs came under my eyes and attacks of dizziness often blinded me. My limbs swelled twice normal size and I could press big dents into the flesh.

Mr. Wengatz.

"I was confined to bed and had convulsions several times a day. Despite the best of treatment, I grew worse and was taken to the hospital. I didn't improve, however, and was brought home again, barely holding onto life.

"Toward the last of 1913, a friend persuaded me to try *Doan's Kidney Pills* and I cannot put into words what they did for me. The first box helped more than all the other medicines and treatments I had taken. I continued and from an emaciated wreck of a man I have taken on good, solid flesh until I now weigh 225 pounds and am in the best of health. *Doan's* alone deserve the credit."

Sworn to before me,
JAMES T. COUGHLIN, Com. of Deeds

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FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

A Poor Counter.

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"I don't believe it. I played golf with him the other day and the score he handed in convinced me that he never studied arithmetic."

CLEAR YOUR COMPLEXION

While You Sleep With Cuticura Soap and Ointment—Trial Free.

On retiring, gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment, wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water, and continue bathing a few minutes with the Soap. The influence of this treatment on the pores extends through the night.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

COSTLY CHIMES FOR CADETS

Big Set of Bells Is Being Made for Chapel at United States Military Academy at West Point.

What is said to be the most costly chime of bells in America and one of the most musical sets in existence is now being made at the foundry of the Meneely Bell company of Troy, N. Y., for the massive tower of Cadet chapel, Rev. H. P. Silver, chaplain, at the United States military academy, West Point, as the gift of Mrs. James M. Lawton, in memory of her father, the late Maj. Gen. Robert Anderson, who was graduated from the academy in 1825, and whose brilliant command of Fort Sumner at the outbreak of the Civil war has thrilled millions of readers of American history, says the Watchman-Examiner.

There will be 12 bells in the chime, the largest weighing nearly two tons and measuring 56 inches at its mouth. The cadet chapel is of stone, quarried from rock found on the military grounds and cost to build about half a million dollars. Its commanding position on the hill back from the Hudson river makes an ideal place for bells, and the patriotic airs from the chime will sound throughout the beautiful highlands, in the midst of which the military academy is situated, and prove a source of inspiration to the future generals of the United States army that will always linger with them pleasantly.

Plenty of It.

"Bragley says his new house is heated with hot air."

"Then it is well heated. I've heard Bragley talk."

Just So.

"Their love making's course [illegible] perfectly even."

"How odd!"

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WORLD'S EVENTS IN SHORT FORM

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Notes Covering Most Important Happenings of the World Compiled in Briefest and Most Succinct Form for Quick Consumption.

U. S.—Teutonic War News

The Germans made an aerial attack upon the American hospitals occupied by St. Louis and Harvard contingents, situated in a coast village of France, killing one officer of the American army medical corps and wounding three others severely. Two others of the rank and file were killed and sixteen wounded, five of the latter being Americans.

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Two million men in active service and training camps by June 30, is the plan of the war department at Washington. Another draft of 500,000 men this winter is planned.

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The story of a concerted attack by seven German submarines upon a fleet of 22 allied merchantmen steaming westbound for American ports was told by officers and men of four of the vessels which arrived at an American port. Four of the merchantmen were sunk by German torpedoes and three of the seven submarines were destroyed.

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The great war credit bill authorizing $11,538,945,460 in bonds and certificates passed the house at Washington unanimously. Action by the senate as soon as the pending war tax bill is disposed of is planned by administration leaders.

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A large party of American college men has begun a course of training at Cambridge, England, for the aviation service.

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The first of the National army went into uniform on Wednesday. Into 14 cantonments poured groups of recruits, the first 5 per cent quota of the draft army. Each group on its arrival was stripped of civilian clothes and supplied with khaki uniform, army hat, shoes, leggings, blankets, rifle, ammunition belt and other accoutrements of a soldier. Training started at once.

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With more than 13,900 officers in the army medical corps, as announced by the war department at Washington, it is believed the officer personnel when the corps is brought to full strength will include 24,000 men.

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General Pershing has arrived at his field headquarters in France, where his staff had preceded him several days and where the French government had turned over quarters for the Americans' occupancy.

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With the president of the United States, members of both houses of congress, high officials and diplomats in parade, the national capital paid a farewell tribute to her sons who soon will enter the National army for service overseas with the expeditionary forces.

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It was announced at Washington that Captain Oliver of the American tank steamer Campana, and the four naval gunners, Delaney, Roop, Kline and Jacobs, who were taken prisoners when their ship was sunk recently by a German submarine, are in a prison camp at Brandenburg, Prussia.

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Domestic

A congressman who joins the army automatically vacates his seat and is not entitled to further congressional pay, Sergeant at Arms Gordon on the advice of attorneys, has so decided in the case of Representative LaGuardia of New York, who joined the Signal corps.

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Mrs. Annie D. Chisholm, Huntingdon, Pa., woman's party picket, has had enough of prison life at Occoquan. She repented, promised Judge Pugh at Washington she wouldn't picket again and was forgiven. Then she went home with her husband, William W. Chisholm, after giving a peace bond.

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Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor and chairman of the American Alliance for Labor and Democracy, outlined the purpose of the organization at Minneapolis, Minn., as the assembling for the support of the government of "all the moral and material power of the working class of the nation."

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Miss Margaret Fotheringham, arrested with other suffragists for picketing in front of the White House, will be dismissed as a teacher of domestic science in the Buffalo public schools at Buffalo, N. Y., if Dr. Henry P. Emerson, superintendent of education, has his way.

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Colonel Gibson, commandant of the Watervliet arsenal announced at Troy, N. Y., that the war department had apportioned $6,000,000 for extension of the plant and installation of new machinery to meet war demands.

The American Alliance for Labor and Democracy, organized with President Wilson's approval concluded its loyalty conference at Minneapolis, Minn. The alliance, composed of the nation's labor leaders and having as its double purpose the crushing of disloyalty and the solidifying of labor in the war for democracy, by unanimous vote elected as its leader Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor.

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President Wilson expressed his interest in the equal suffrage campaign in Maine and urged all Democrats to support the cause at the special state election next Monday, in a letter received at Bangor, Me., by Mrs. Deborah Knox Livingstone, chairman of the Maine suffrage campaign committee.

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Personal

Mrs. Elsey Corliss, one hundred and one years old, a niece of William H. Seward, secretary of state in President Lincoln's cabinet, died at Monticello, Kan.

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Washington

The income tax section of the $2,500,000,000 war revenue bill—the second largest and most important of the measure—virtually was disposed of by the senate at Washington in the adoption of the provisions as drafted by the finance committee to raise $842,200,000 more revenue from incomes, including $482,000,000 from individuals and $360,000,000 from corporations.

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Preliminary returns for 106 of the 186 large railroads of the country, made public at Washington by the interstate commerce commission, indicate that the July revenues will exceed those of June, which established a new high record. The 106 roads reported net revenues of $63,308,195.

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The government at Washington took drastic measures to end the anti-war propaganda and activities conducted in the name of the Industrial Workers of the World, the Socialist party and other organizations throughout the United States. United States marshals in many cities descended upon local headquarters of the Industrial Workers of the World and seized books and other documents.

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Foreign

"France insists that Alsace-Lorraine is not a subject for diplomatic discussion," declared Premier Ribot, speaking at a celebration on the battlefield of the Marne. "France's only claims are in the character of reparation."

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"America has never known defeat, and on this occasion, too, she will triumph," was the confident declaration of Premier Lloyd-George at Birkenhead, England, which swayed a great crowd to thunderous applause.

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European War News

"On the night of September 4 German aircraft dropped bombs on three hospitals," says the official communication issued at London.

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More than 7,500 prisoners have so far been taken by the Germans in the Riga offensive, army headquarters announced at Berlin. Guns to the number of 180 have been captured. The Russians are still hastily retreating.

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It is reported to London from Helsingfors, Finland, that a German fleet has been observed at the entrance to the Gulf of Finland. It is supposed, adds the dispatch, that the fleet is preparing for an attack on Reval and Kronstadt, the Russian naval base.

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During the last two days the Riga front has been broken on a width of 40 miles. Throughout the day the Germans energetically pursued their offensive, particularly north of Uxkull, in order to cut the Riga-Vennen railway.

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British merchant ships sunk by mine or submarine in the last week numbered 20 of more than 1,600 tons and three under 1,600 tons, according to the official announcement at London.

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In an air raid on England 107 persons were killed and 86 wounded at Chatham, it was announced officially at London. Six airplanes took part in the raid. The victims were sailors.

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Russian troops in northwestern Persia have been pressed back by the Turks, the Constantinople war office announces.

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A dispatch to Geneva from Innsbruck says that after several urgent appeals, Field Marshal von Hindenburg has consented to send two divisions of Bavarian troops from the Russian to the Isonzo front to strength the Austrian defense.

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How nearly 100 seamen, destitute victims of submarine sinkings, are living on the beach near Amsterdam, Holland, making a living the best way they can, was told at an Atlantic port by James Potter of Malden, Mass., a member of the crew of the Norwegian steamer Kongall.

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Nine persons were killed and [illegible] injured in Tuesday night's aerial raid on England says an official announcement issued at London. One raider is reported to have been brought down off Sheerness.

U. S. TIGHTENS BAN ON FOOD EXPORTS

BOARD ISSUES LIST OF ARTICLES REQUIRING LICENSE FOR SHIPMENT.

SWEDEN FEARS STARVATION

Population Gets Smallest Ration in Europe Is Plea—All Scandinavian Representatives Protest—Swedish Grain Crop Small.

Washington, Sept. 18.—A list of articles for which export licenses will be issued only when shipments will contribute to actual war purposes, has been issued by the exports administration board.

The list includes wheat and flour, sugar, butter, iron and steel in nearly all forms, cotton linters, flax, glycerin, wireless apparatus, tin plate, aluminum, ammonia, carbolic acid, cyanide of sodium, ferro manganese, ferro silicon, mercury salt, nitrate of soda, nitric acid, nitric salts, phosphoric acid, phosphorus, potash, saltpeter, searchlights, generators, sodium sulphate, spiegeleisen, stearin, sulphur, toluyl, tungsten and wool rags.

Fear Starvation.

Scandinavian representatives here—particularly the Swedish—pleaded that the new prohibition on wheat export will bring their nations to the brink of starvation. The Swedish representatives declared their nation will be the first to feel the pinch of famine.

The Swedish population, according to Axel Robert Nordvall, delegate to the United States, now gets only seven ounces of rye or wheat daily, the smallest ration in Europe.

"Sweden's grain crop this year," he said, "will be only two-thirds normal. We will need 12,000,000 bushels for bread, and it is impossible to cut our rations further."

AUSTRIA AND GERMANY REPORTED NEAR BREAK

Emperor Carl's People Riot and Pray for Peace—Italian Drive Causes Apprehension.

Rome, Sept. 18.—Austria-Hungary is reported finding it increasingly difficult to keep in agreement with Germany. Diplomatic advices received here told of an epidemic of riots throughout the dual empire and political differences as to Prussianism that indicate a growing breach between the two Teutonic powers.

Austria is suffering from lack of food, according to reports here. Most of the disorders, detailed news of which has been suppressed, have been due to this cause. Thousands of the people are making pilgrimages to various shrines imploring divine intercession for peace.

Prussian officers, it was asserted are frequently insulted on the streets of various Austrian cities.

Italy's successful drive east of Gorizia is likewise reported as causing widespread apprehension throughout Emperor Carl's dominions.

NEW U-BOAT PERISCOPE IS REPORTED INVISIBLE

Silver Plating Said to Mirror Sea—No Trace of Submarine Reported Off Nantucket Found.

An Atlantic Port, Sept. 18.—Submarines with silver plated periscopes are now at work, passengers on an American liner in port here declared. They asserted this plating mirrored the sea so perfectly that the periscopes were invisible. Off the Irish coast a torpedo was fired at this American liner, but missed by 50 feet. Gunners fired one shot at random, as no submarine was visible.

Wireless warnings against U-boats off the American coast were picked up by this liner, passengers said. They declared the message came from Cape Race, a British station.

No trace of the submarine reported as shelling a vessel off Nantucket Friday morning has been found.

BIG COAST STRIKE IS BEGUN

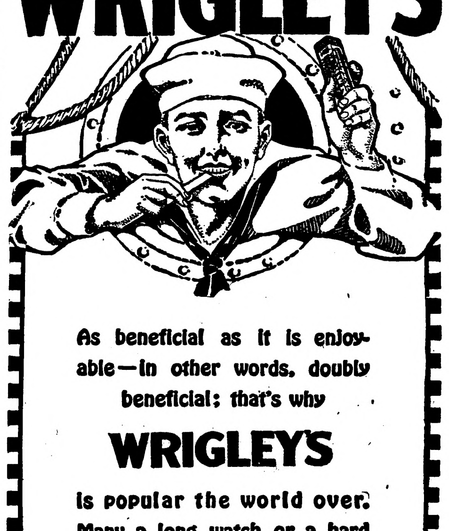
Twenty-five Thousand War Workers Walk Out From 100 Plants.

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—About 25,000 iron workers and metal trades mechanics, engaged in war emergency construction in San Francisco and bay cities, went out on strike Monday, following rejection of their demands for a 50 per cent increase in wages. The walkout in more than 100 plants was carried out without a hitch, it was reported.

Eleventh hour efforts to avert the strike by employers and representatives of the United States shipping board failed.

Deputies Act On Treason Case

Paris, Sept. 18.—Announcement has been made that Paul Deschanel, president of the Chamber of Deputies and inquaresters of the Chamber would meet to decide what action should be taken regarding the Turmel affair. French officials have decided that it is under the jurisdiction of the Chamber, inasmuch as M. Turmel is a deputy, and enjoys immunity from legal prosecution while parliament is in session, except in the case of flagrant dereliction of duty. He is suspected of treason.



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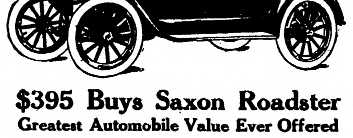

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Canadian Government Agents.

Help!

They tell me that Perks was arrested today because he drowned his dog in the river," said Burns.

"How could they arrest him for drowning a dog in the river?" demanded Hunks.

"Why, they claimed that a sunken bark obstructed navigation."

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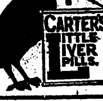

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Not Like Home.

The bright boy in khaki was dilating on the woes of army life.

"Yes," he said to his old mother, "we don't get much in the way of fancy foods, or anything like that. Our camp cook's all right on stews and soup, but he can't go beyond them. The other day, you know, when I went back, I took a cucumber with me that I was going to share with one or two of the boys. I gave it to the cook and asked him to get it ready for us, and what d'you think he did with it? Put it in the oven and baked it."

"Oh, poor boy!" said the fond mother. "A pity I couldn't have been there to look after you. I'd have boiled it lovely for you!"

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Easy to Remedy.

Jones was always complaining of his wife's memory.

"She can never remember anything," said he. "It's awful!"

"My wife was just as bad," said Brown, "till I found out a capital recipe."

"What is it?" asked Jones, eagerly.

"Why," said Brown, "whenever there's anything particular I want the missus to remember I write it on a slip of paper and gum it on the looking glass."

Jones is now a contented man.

Love in a Cottage.

He—Their engagement is broken off, I understand.

She—Oh, yes.

He—What was the reason?

She—Why, both were satisfied that they could live on love in a cottage, but when they got to details they discovered that each of them contemplated supplying nothing but the love.

Deliberation is a good thing that has broken few records.

An Illuminating Postcard.

A young girl of plebeian ancestry achieved fame as an actress in London. Feeling the necessity, however, of a rest from her labors, she wrote to her uncle, a police sergeant of a country village, asking him if she might come and stay with him to recuperate. She ended her note: "Please send a P. C. to say if I may come."

A few days later her landlady rushed upstairs with an awestricken countenance—a policeman wanted her! The girl descended with an ominous feeling at her heart, says London Tit-Bits.

"If you please, miss," said the stolid being who confronted her, eyeing her with stern disapproval, "I'm the P. C. what you asked your uncle to send, but I may as well tell you straight away as I'm a respectable married man. Your uncle's prepared to take you in if you're willing to make yourself useful—feed the pig, clean his office and the two cells."

Left Them Outside.

"Where are your manners, sir?" asked the crusty business man of a stranger who unceremoniously rushed into his private office.

"I left them out in the main office," answered the irate caller, "where I was insulted by two or three of your impudent clerks."

Chronic Indigestion.

"You can't eat your cake and have it."

"I have the consciousness of it longer than suits me," growled the dyspeptic.

The Limit.

Dolly—Is Jack's wife so critical?

June—Dreadful! She'll pick flaws in a perfectly good lie, Jack says?

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The State In Brief

Word has been received of the death of Andrew Remark of Ada in an auto accident in Idaho.

A dispatch from Ottawa, Ont., says: The following Americans are named in today's casualty list: Killed in action, W. E. Campbell, Salol, Minn.; J. G. Malone, Austin, Minn.

The premium list of the Koochiching county fair, to be held at Northome on Sept. 18, 19 and 20, was issued yesterday by the committee and is an unusually attractive one.

Prof. A. D. Wilson, professor at the University of Minnesota, has been appointed food administrator for Minnesota by President Wilson. He will carry out Herbert C. Hoover's policies in the state.

Drafted men for the new National Army were honored at Silver Lake by a banquet that was attended by 500 persons. After the banquet the men were presented with a $5 safety razor, donated by men of Silver Lake.

On 40 acres of Wright's farm near Brainerd 2,140 bushels of oats were threshed. Although the cucumber crop this year has not been an extensive one, the Barrow's pickle plant has received about 2,500 bushels to date.

Northern lumber men forecast a serious labor shortage in the woods this fall and next winter and it is feared that the cutting of logs will be greatly handicapped for lack of men. Fewer men are available at this time than for many years.

E. G. Purssell of Minneapolis, meteorologist of weather bureau, was in Brainerd inspecting the local station and also gathering earthquake data, etc. From Brainerd, Mr. Purssell went north to Bemidji, Grand Rapids and other stations.

J. A. Preus, state auditor, and Sydney Anderson, congressman, will be speakers here on Loyalty day at the Winona Tri-county fair on Thursday, September 20. The celebration will be the most imposing ever held in the history of southern Minnesota.

A fifteen years' contract has been granted M. D. Stoner and T. H. Crosswell to erect and operate an electric light and power plant in the village of Walker. The present plant at Walker has been unsatisfactory for some time, giving poor service, hence the granting of the franchise.

A resident at Gilbert applied to the State Public Safety commission for a job as "beer commissioner." The applicant for the job stated that he had heard the safety body wanted a man to watch bottles of beer being delivered at range boarding houses and hotels. The commission replied that there was no vacancy.

Toddling through the field to take his father some lunch, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles William Rousu, living north of New York Mills, discovered the body of his father lying on the ground unconscious. The team was nibbling at the stubble a short distance away. It is believed that Rousu was overcome by a stroke of apoplexy.

Professor William A. Schaper, for the last 16 years a professor in the department of political science of the University of Minnesota, has been dismissed from the faculty by the board of regents on evidence which, according to Fred B. Snyder, president, was presented in a letter from the State Public Safety commission to the board, charging Professor Schaper with disloyalty to the federal government in the war with Germany.

At a meeting of Norwegian Danish editors at Fergus Falls, loyalty was the keynote. Members toured the city in automobiles. Resolutions indorsing the President were adopted.

A letter found written by Mrs. Lottie Dunbar, wife of Freeman Dunbar of Brainerd, dated Aug. 29, shortly before she committed suicide by hanging, gives proof of the despondency suffered by her and which led to her death.

E. T. Sandberg of Aurora has more jobs, official and otherwise, than any other man in America. And he fills them all capably. He is the following: Mayor of Aurora, chief of the fire department, member of the park board, member of the library board, manager of a motion picture theater and chauffeur for himself. In his leisure moments Sandberg cultivates a war garden, is a baseball fan, goes fishing, does odd jobs about the house, corresponds for a Duluth newspaper and follows the war in the newspapers.

Arnie Barton Clayton Swanson, 27 years old, of Center City, Minn., was arrested by Chell M. Smith, United States deputy marshal, charged with failure to register June 5. He was taken to St. Paul and arraigned before Samuel Whaley, United States commissioner, and pleaded not guilty. His mother accompanied him to St. Paul and gave bond of $1,000 for his appearance next October at the Minneapolis session of the Federal court. The young man said he was ill at the time of registration.

In a letter to the Commercial club of St. Cloud, Congressman Harold Knutson expresses his belief that the $50,000 appropriation for an addition to the postoffice building for that city will be one of the appropriations that will not be cut down.

The legal battle which has been waged in court at Red Wing for the past few years between Emma Mathews and her sister, Clara Mires, for possession of property left by their mother, is over, the suit in partition brought by Emma and Robert Mathews against Miss Mires being settled out of court.

BOARD ORDERS AID OF $1,500,000 PAID

SUM TO AID SCHOOLS OF STATE MUST BE TAKEN FROM APPROPRIATION FOR 1918.

OFFICERS QUIT; PROBE ENDS

New Ulm's Mayor and City Attorney Resign, Putting End to Investigation of Charge of Disloyalty.

St. Paul.

The state high school board has voted to pay in full 1917 apportionments totaling nearly $1,500,000 in state aid to high and graded schools and teachers' training departments.

This action, following the board's order for payment of $1,070,921 deficits in high and graded school aid means, according to C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education, that the latter payments, the legality of which is to be tested in the courts, must be drawn from the 1918 aid appropriation, which necessarily will be prorated at 40 per cent or less.

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Officials Quit; Probe Ends.

Mayor L. A. Fritsche and City Attorney Albert Pfaender of New Ulm have filed their respective resignations with the city clerk there, following orders by Governor Burnquist suspending them from office pending an investigation on charges of disloyalty for having participated in an alleged anti-draft meeting at New Ulm.

Their resignations, Governor Burnquist said, will end the pending investigation on charges of disloyalty against those officials.

The inquiry will be conducted on a similar charge against Louis Vogel, auditor of Brown county and ex officio chairman of the local exemption board, the Governor said, in the absence of any report of his resignation from office.

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Named Director of Children's Bureau.

William W. Hodson, Minneapolis, has been appointed director of the children's bureau, which January 1 will become a new active agency under the State Board of Control.

Mr. Hodson will begin his duties at once on preliminary work and an organization of perhaps twelve field agents and other assistants to administer the new law.

Establishment of the state children's bureau under model statutes exacted by the last Legislature, according to recognized authorities, is expected to make Minnesota the foremost state among those guarding the welfare of unfortunate children.

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Mayo Proposal Accepted.

Regents of the University of Minnesota have accepted by unanimous vote the proposal of Drs. William J. and Charles H. Mayo for certain changes in the contract affiliating with the university the Mayo foundation for medical education and research.

By these changes the regents come at once into absolute possession and control of the foundation fund, amounting to $1,650,344.79. The trial affiliation period is also ended and the headquarters of the foundation may be moved from Rochester to the university, or any other place in the state, after 28 years.

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Hygienists Cannot Do Dental Work.

"Dental hygienists" cannot be employed in Minnesota schools to supplement the work of regular licensed dentists in caring for the health of the teeth of school children, according to Lyndon A. Smith, attorney general, in his ruling given in response to an inquiry addressed to him by the Minneapolis school board.

So slight an operation as the pulling of a "baby" tooth with a string constitutes a "dental operation" under the laws of Minnesota, and may be performed for pay only by a regularly authorized dentist, according to the ruling of the attorney general.

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New Secretary for Commission.

H. W. Libby of Winona has been elected secretary of the State Public Safety Commission, following acceptance of the resignation of Secretary John S. Pardee, Duluth, who has gone to Washington to take charge of publicity and advertising in the organization under H. C. Hoover, national food administrator.

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Health Employes on Strike.

Four employes of the state board of health on the first strike in the history of the board have gone to secure more wages. Frank Clove, Richard Saul, Howard Long and John Alver, all Minneapolis men, are said to have struck for an increase over their wage of $35 per month. They were employed to keep the laboratory clean.

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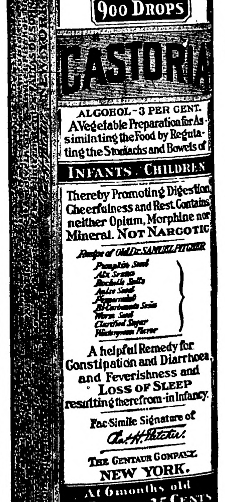
Ask Temperature Rule Raise.

A petition by Minnesota railroads asking that the minimum temperature at which perishable freight will be handled be changed from 5 degrees below zero to 10 degrees above zero, was the subject of a hearing in the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse commission. The railroads contend that under the 5 degree temperature rule they receive much frozen fruit and vegetables and there is no way of detecting at delivery whether or not it is frozen. The petition was made through the Moorhead inspection bureau.



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PORPOISE FISHERY IS OLD

One of Least Known Industries Has Been in Existence at Cape Hatteras for 200 Years.

One of the oldest and least-known industries in America is the porpoise fishery which has been operated from Cape Hatteras in North Carolina for about 200 years. It should attain an unusual prosperity in the next few years, for the bureau of fisheries is urging more general use of porpoise hides in place of cowhides. It is an excellent leather, and could undoubtedly be used more widely.

Heretofore the most valuable product of the fishery has been the oil which is extracted from the jaws of the porpoise, and is worth about $20 a gallon. It is universally used for lubricating watches and other very delicate mechanisms. The body blubber is also valuable. Attempts to manufacture fertilizer out of the carcass have failed because of the distance from a fuel supply.

The porpoise are taken at Hatteras in seines, operated from the shore, and it is probably the only place in America where this has ever been done successfully. During the fall, winter and spring many porpoises are seen off the South Atlantic coast, and at Hatteras they come within a few hundred yards of the surf. They are taken by spreading seines about 200 yards outside the surf lines. As soon as the porpoises have come inside the seines, they are dragged ashore. Often a whole school of these sea creatures is taken in a single haul.

On Writing Letters

"I was told by Capt. Harry [illegible] the other day," writes a Canadian major, "that there is a new style in trench letters. The censor's duties have been reduced by many per cent. The soldier now has the sense of the situation engrained in his thinking. He sees through the need of keeping quiet even on matters that call for some criticism. There is more humor and matter-of-factness about his letters. One of my men, who can't write very well, was telling me the other day that one letter a week is all that he can summon up his courage to write, and he gave this as a reason: 'The people at home don't, can't understand life here. We have got to go through it. Why tease them with anxieties—they have enough to put up with in pacifists and political grumblers.' And I think he is right. Don't you?"

Soldiers and Officers

A lieutenant was testing the [illegible] visional power.

"Tell me, No. 1," he said, "how many men are in the trench digging party over there?"

"Thirty men and one officer," was the reply.

"Quite right. But how do you know one was an officer at this distance?"

"'Cos he's the only one not working!"—Scottish American.

The Point

"I am afraid our bulldog has a [illegible] in his pedigree."

"Don't worry. It is only in his screw tail."

Cutting Down Gossip.

"How do you suppose some people spent their spare time before motion pictures were invented?"

"I don't like to appear unkind to those persons, but before they started to spending practically all of their leisure moments in photoplay houses they knew a great deal more about their neighbors' private affairs than they do now."

LIFT YOUR CORNS OFF WITH FINGERS

How to loosen a tender corn or callus so it lifts out without pain.

Let folks step on your feet hereafter; wear shoes a size smaller if you like, for corns will never again send electric sparks of pain through you, according to this Cincinnati authority.

He says that a few drops of a drug called freezone, applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, instantly relieves soreness, and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts right out.

This drug dries at once and simply shrivels up the corn or callus without even irritating the surrounding skin.

A small bottle of freezone obtained at any drug store will cost very little but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

If your druggist hasn't stocked this new drug yet, tell him to get a small bottle of freezone for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

"Wife a Good Sport"

W. B. Desmond, a carpenter of Huntington Lake, Cal., is above the selective draft age limit but he wanted to join the army.

He told his wife. She objected. He offered to match pennies with her. She agreed. He suggested heads, stay at home, tails go to the front.

They matched and tails won. Desmond enlisted in the field artillery. "My wife's a good sport," he told the recruiting officer.

Fifty Fifty.

Bernard was present at a dinner party, in which some of the guests brought their children. One little girl wanted to play with Bernard's toys, but he was selfish and wouldn't let her.

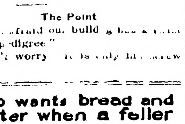
"Now, Bernard," said mother, "you must be a little gentleman."

"Yes," said he, "but she must be a lady."

A Mean Hint

Bella—I had all I could do to keep Mr. Jim from proposing.

Nell—To some other girl?



Who wants bread and butter when a feller can have POST TOASTIES says Bobby

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THE BEST DAIRY FEED

Made From Grain From Which the Human Food Values Have Been Taken.

By Prof. F. D. Fuller.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

The reason why the best dairy feeds are less expensive than the same grains on the farm is because the principal elements of human food are taken from these grains before they are ever made into feed. The by-products of cereal mills, glucose factories, malt houses, etc., constitute often more than 50 per cent of the total bulk of mixed dairy feeds of the better class.

These oats, barley and corn by-products are considered by experts in animal nutrition as very valuable feed materials. After these cereals are ground in the manufacture of alcohol, for which the use is growing more important daily in the arts, the solid residue is dried in vacuo, and is then known as "dried grains." If made from corn, these grains contain on an average of about 30 per cent crude protein and 10 per cent crude fat. If made from rye, while valuable, they are of somewhat lower feed value. The barley residue contains over 70 per cent more crude protein than wheat bran and twice as much crude fat. In fact, their food value is largely increased by the process.

All these products are widely used by the best dairy feeders and are relied upon very extensively in milk production. There is no doubt of the fact that if the supply of these products were radically limited or entirely exhausted, it would have a serious effect upon the milk production throughout the country and the dairymen would have one more burden added to their already overtaxed strength.

Cottonseed meal is composed principally of the kernel, with such portion of the hull as is necessary in the manufacture of oil. Cottonseed meal, if choice, must contain at least 41 per cent crude protein. It is one of the richest of all feeds in this substance and carries about 8 per cent crude fat. On account of its extreme concentration it can be fed only in limited quantities and always in conjunction with some products to furnish bulk. This meal is an important ingredient in many manufactured feeds.

HOME MIXED FEEDS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

When a man undertakes to mix his own rations, what does he do? He buys straight feeds. Take cottonseed meal as a common example. There are a great many different grades of cottonseed meal, and the man who is looking for a low-priced feed is sure to get a low grade. The demand for cheap feeding ingredients has caused the quality to be gradually whittled down. Consequently the farmer nearly always works with feeds which are poorer than he believes them to be. He does not get adequate state protection because inspectors do not go to a farmer's barn to draw samples, and even if they did, it would be hard to get a complete chain of evidence.

A farmer has no facilities for having his feed analyzed and he doesn't know what he is working with. The analyses of mixed feeds costs about ten cents per ton, and if every farmer will read the various bulletins from the agricultural colleges he will soon know those brands which can be depended upon. There is no doubt that at the present prices of grain any farmer can save money by selling his cereal crops and buying mixed feed. Cornmeal, oil meal and cottonseed meal are all high, but the by-products of barley and rye are all more reasonable in price.

Corn has become costly largely due to the demand for pork and beef. Americans will have those meats at almost any price. This puts corn on a meat basis, and the dairy business will have to fall back on the by-products of grains.

GIVE COWS PLENTY OF WATER.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

When cows are in full milk they require plenty of water. It is stated authoritatively that cows in full flow of milk will consume 50 per cent more water than when dry.

Poor feed sells to poor feeders.

Only that part of the feed that digest is of use—the rest is mostly fertilizer material.

No protein—no casein; no casein—no milk; not enough protein—not so much milk; also not enough feed—not so much food.

Foods with the highest protein and highest analysis are usually but not always the cheapest to use.

Cows won't make milk out of water and air.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Starchy feeds like corn and oats often sell as high as protein feeds because of the demand for them for horses and other work animals. Starchy feeds are also good to fatten steers. That is why they are often as high in price as dairy feeds, which are strong in protein.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Home-grown grains can often be profitably traded for protein feeds. While oats are generally demanded for horse feed, they are nearly always too expensive for dairy feed. Oats by-products, however, are very useful for bulk.

TABLES OF DIGESTIBLE NUTRIENTS AND ENERGY VALUES

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[National Crop Improvement Service.]

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k—Kellner.

Kind of Feed	Digestible Protein	Total Nutriment	Therms Energy
Corn Meal (dry)	6.9	83.8	d76.6
Corn & Cob Meal	6.1	78.1	d65.2
Hominy Meal....	6.3	83.	d87.6
Gluten Feed....	21.6	80.7	(k68.2 (73.
Gluten Meal....	31.7	80.	74.9
Corn Bran......	5.8	73.1	...
Wheat	9.2	80.1	82.6
Red Dog Flour..	14.8	79.2	...
Flour Mid.	15.7	78.2	77.6
Standard Mid...	13.4	69.3	57.6
Wheat Bran....	12.5	60.9	d52.5
Wheat Mix. Feed	12.9	67.	...
Oats	9.7	70.4	66.2
Barley	9.	79.4	(k72.6 (80.7
Malt Sprouts....	20.3	70.6	46.3
Brewers' Grains..	a18.7	63.6	60.
Buckwheat	8.1	63.4	...
Buckwheat Mid..	24.6	76.6	75.9
Cottonseed Meal.	33.9	75.6	73.7
Cottonseed Hulls	.3	37.	15.
Linseed Oil Meal	30.2	77.9	78.9
Beet Pulp—dried	4.6	71.6	60.
Corn Dist. Grains	16.2	67.6	57.5
Rye	9.9	81.	...
Rye Dist. Grains.	8.4	48.1	43.2
CORN FODDER			
Fod., med. dry.	3.1	53.7	d30.5
Fodder, wet....	2.2	39.9	24.
Stover, med. dry	2.1	46.1	32.5
Stover, wet....	1.4	33.9	24.18
HAYS			
Timothy Hay...	3.	48.5	d41.9
Alfalfa	10.6	51.6	d30.4
Red Clover....	7.6	50.9	d39.93
Clov.& Tim., Mxd.	4.	46.2	40.6
GREEN GRASSES			
Alfalfa	3.	14.6	12.45
Red Clover....	2.7	17.1	16.17
Mixed Hay	2.2	17.7	....
Timothy	1.5	22.2	19.08
ROOTS AND SILAGE			
Sugar Beet	1.2	14.	k16.9
Potatoes	1.1	17.1	18.05
Rutabaga	1.	9.4	8.
Mangels	.8	7.4	4.62
Silage	1.1	17.7	16.56

STRAW SHOULD BE SPREAD.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

The feeding value of straw being comparatively low, and the fertilizing value being high, all straw should be spread upon the fields and not burned or wasted. The use of straw to prevent winter-killing of wheat is now well established.

THE DAIRY RATION

Feeding Tables Hard to Follow on Account of Variation of Ingredients.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

For many years feeders have endeavored to use so-called standard tables showing the theoretical number of pounds each of so-called digestible protein, fats and carbohydrates. These methods are fatally defective for the following reasons:

First, the tables call for so much digestible food. If there was such a thing as digestible food it might furnish a basis to go by, but digestible food is really apparently digestible food, in that it disappears in the body. Just what use is made of it is not always clear. Some of it turns into gas, some is converted into heat, and much of it is used in the labor of digesting and handling the food. In the case of straw and similar material, nearly all of its energy is used up in the labor of digesting it, leaving little or no net gain. Straw should be returned to the soil. Take two samples of dried barley grains, each containing the same amount of digestible food, and one will give twenty more therms or heat units than the other.

One hundred pounds of digestible food derived from roughage is about equal to eighty pounds derived from grain, so if we add together things which are unlike, we get no tangible results. It is like adding so many pounds to so many gallons. So, the digestible basis of figuring rations is very inaccurate. The correct way is, first, to ascertain how much protein and energy a cow needs to sustain life and keep weight. You can get this from your experiment station, and ascertain how much is necessary to make one pound of milk of a certain fat test, and then feed her as much protein and energy as is needed to maintain her and supply food for as many pounds of milk as she can make.

This is a very difficult problem and few can do it, and we challenge any two men to tackle the same problem under the same conditions and arrive at the same result.

We cannot tell unless we try to find out, that a cow will not give more milk on more feed, or maybe as much milk on less feed. So feeding is largely experimental, as no two cows are alike.

However, the law of averages will hold, and the feeder can save all this trouble and much loss by feeding a ration which his experiment station has in most cases made, say three to four pounds of milk for each pound of mixed feed.

There is one thing certain. The more solids and fat in the milk, the more feed needed per pound of milk. So, a good mixed feed which is properly combined and all the roughage she will eat will greatly simplify your feeding problem and a very little experimenting will soon show you how much concentrates each cow needs to produce a maximum yield.

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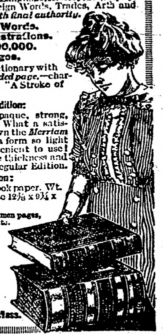

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Above Them All.

Homan—"One of the waiters at this place was formerly a duke, one of the chefs was a count and the bellhop was a prince." Ryontoo—"I suppose the manager was formerly a king or emperor?" Homan—"No; he was a milk wagon driver."—New York Sun.

Making It Personal.

It is sad to see family relics sold at auction, but the most painful thing under the hammer is generally your thumbnail.

Are You Eating To Win the War?

This Newspaper recommends Today's Housewife to every patriotic woman who wishes to help win the great war

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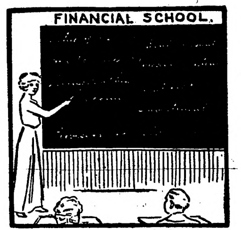

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

A potato warehouse is one of the needs of this community.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brotten last Saturday.

T. B. Folden went to T. R. Falls Tuesday to have dental work done.

Selmer Kolden of Crookston was a week end visitor with relatives here.

Ernest Hollis of Monica, Illinois came Friday to visit friends and look after his farm interests.

Mrs. O. A. Thompson and children returned Tuesday from a short visit with relatives at Halstad.

Music lessons given at my home or at home of pupil. For further information call on Mrs. F. E. Hall.

The bank fixtures have been put up and now they are waiting for the tile flooring which is expected today.

P. A. Riesberg and E. A. Johnson have had their houses wired for electric lights. Tony Lusian did the work.

J. P. Augestine of Goodhue county has moved onto the H. Loken farm, a part of which he has purchased.

J. J. Little is building a large barn 40x60 with 12 foot posts. Sam Mickelson went out there Wednesday to commence the carpenter work.

John Hagberg went out to F. W. Ramaley's place Monday to build the cement foundation for a large house which Mr. Ramaley will build this fall.

J. L. Sieff of Red Lake Falls, who has the contract for hauling the gravel for the bridge across Thief river on state road No. 8, came here Friday to look after the work.

Mrs. Martin Mattson and her mother returned home Wednesday from Minneapolis. The oculist said Mrs. Olson was entirely blind in one eye, but he had some hopes of saving the sight of the other and will have her continue treatment at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gubrud from Hamburg, N. Dak., came Friday and are moving onto E. A. Johnson's farm which he has rented. Their son, G. M. Gubrud and family, have also moved here and occupy rooms over Gunheim's store. The younger Mr. Gubrud will clerk in the store for Mr. Gunheim.

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Stiener News

Willie Meyers helped Mr. Warring thresh Monday.

Jerry Rogers visited his mother Sunday.

Arthur Muzzy made a trip to T. R. Falls on Monday.

School commenced in the Steiner school on Monday of this week. Miss Kiland of T. R. Falls is the teacher.

Mr. Warring made a business trip to T. R. Falls on Tuesday of last week. He was compelled to stay in town over night on account of the rain.

Hobson Rogers took his sisters Jessie and Mabel back to T. R. Falls on Monday, where they are attending school.

Postoffice Moved

Nils Engebretsen moved the postoffice into his new brick building Saturday afternoon. He has put in some new fixtures which makes it more convenient for him and his assistant, Miss Gladys Hagen, and the rural carrier, Guy Anderson. Mr. Engebretsen has a fire proof vault large enough to hold all his records, papers and the safe. His furnace is large enough to heat both the office and waiting room.

This gives Holt one of the nicest postoffices to be found in a town of its size and it is a credit to the town and to our obliging postmaster.

To-morrow never gets here.

Autumn is here and winter is just around the corner a little ways.

People used to get caught with 16 to 1 bait, now it is $16.00 for two years.

Electric lights in your home would be nice during the long winter nights.

John Engstrom and Jacob Jarland and their families autoed to T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Geo. S. Roberts of White Bear Lake was in town a couple of days this week on business.

P. A. Riesberg took the show troupe, that had been here a few days, to Gatzke Monday.

Albert L. Knutson returned home Monday from T. R. Falls where he has been employed for sometime.

A. R. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson and Mrs. Sam Mickelson autoed to Crookston Sunday for a short visit with relatives.

The late J. J. Hill's 26,000 farm in Kittson county has been divided and sold to 127 men, a majority of whom will become actual settlers.

If the pacifist and German sympathizer could live in Germany awhile, they might have a better conception of what the U. S. is fighting for.

Mrs. C. L. Anderson has our thanks for a nice cabbage and some great big onions. She says that she brought them in just to show us what she could raise on her farm.

Some farmers are digging their potatoes, others are ready to do so. The yield varies but the quality is good. More potatoes would be planted next year, if there was a potato warehouse here.

Here is a simple recipe for preserving twenty five dozen eggs: one pint freshly slacked lime, one pint of coarse salt and three gallons of water. Put in earthen vessel and stir frequently for three days before putting in the eggs.

For Sale: Standing timber and wood on my land in Whiteford township called the Rauam homestead, $30.00 and $40.00 per acre according to location. Call on K. O. Flakne, Holt, Minn., for further information.

Ed Chynka,
Lankin, N. D.

Southeast of Holt.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Seiney Sept. 17th. Congratulations.

Mrs. Mickelson, Mr. and Mrs. Larson were visiters at the Molstad home Sunday afternoon.

A party consisting of Targe, Brokke, Albert, Edwin and Willie Swanson were seen out hunting Sunday forenoon.

Harry Moe and mother, Mrs. S. Moe were visitors at the R. A. Gausen home in Silverton on Sunday evening. They were accompanied back by Gunda Moe who has been employed at the Gausen home during the summer.

Mrs. J. Wold will entertain the ladies aid at her home Oct. 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Brokke and son Glenn of Thief River Falls were guests at the home of Mrs. Brokke's parents Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson.

Thora Moe went to Golden Valley last Thursday to assist her sister Mrs. Larson with her work, the latter being on the sick list.

Dr. O. F. Mellby was called to see Mrs. Molstad's aged sister Ingeborg Olson last week. She has suffered severly with her eyesight for some time and is now reported as being blind.

Sina Johnson is assisting Mrs. Molstad with her work during her sisters illness.

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Speak well of your friends.

When Big Business gets entrenched, it is as hard to dislodge as the German army.

Carl Christoferson and C. W. Christianson were visitors in Golden Valley, Sunday.

Rev. Parish wishes to thank the people for the purse given him at the services Monday evening.

Ludvig Monson and H. J. Oien autoed to Thief River Falls, Monday evening, the later to have dental work done.

Beginning Oct. 1st., cream will be received at the creamery on Mondays and Thursdays only.

P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

Mrs. Tony Anderson had their car of household goods loaded yesterday and moved to Arvilla, N. Dak., where Mr. Anderson has a railroad job.

Twenty-four young men from this county went to Camp Dodge at Des Moines, Iowa last week to begin training in the draft army. It was at first reported that seventy-two would be called, but if that was the first orders they were changed. It was also reported that the second call would be made Oct. 3, but that has been changed, according to official notice from Provost Marshall Crowder, it is expected the men will be notified to report about Oct. 10th to 15th for duty as U. S. soldiers.

Some people oppose the present war for democracy on the grounds that so many men will be killed, yet they fight for the liquor traffic that kills more men in a year than all the wars we ever had. Besides this, liquor is the cause of more hungry, thinly clad, diseased and dying women and children, more deformed and feeble minded children, more unhappy homes and divorces, more poverty and mortgages foreclosed on homes and furniture, more business failures, than all other causes combined. When will we as a people awaken as to our responsibilities?

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Bible Class and Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Services next Sunday at 11 o'clock and in East Valley at 3 o'clock.

Ladies Aid at Mrs. J. Simonson's Oct. 3rd.

Dorcas society meets with Mrs. Fosholm's Oct. 6th.

M. B. Ordahl,
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Notice!

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Good Things to Know.

Marks on tables caused by hot dishes, may be removed by kerosene rubbed in with a soft cloth.

A good hair cleaner can be made of 1 ounce of borax, 1-2 ounce gum camphor, pour over them one quart boiling rain water and bottle.

Kerosene will brighten silver and zinc.

Amonia will remove white spots from furniture.

Salt and lemon juice will remove rust stains.

Tell us the news.

B. Docken and P. L. Anderson were T. R. Falls visitors Wednesday afternoon.

Emil Simenson came back from Dakota last week to look after his Mud Lake claim.

Bro. Ross of the T. R. Falls Times was a pleasant caller at this office Monday forenoon.

We admit our government is not perfect, but we would'nt trust the kickers with the job of reforming it.

Mrs. Rhinehart Nelson and son Charley went to Newfolden Sunday to visit at the Tonnes Nelson home.

Mr. Sunden and family of Alvarado and Mrs. Peterson of Langby were Sunday visitors at the R. L. Olson home.

Davidson Brothers have recently drilled a well on the F. W. Ramaley place and moved their outfit to J. P. Augestine's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken, Mr. and Alfred Anderson and Guy Anderson were pleasantly entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Johnson.

John O. and Nels Johnson, Ludvig Monson, Oscar Anderson and Rudolph Smith went to Goodridge Tuesday to run Gilbert Johnson's threshing rig.

If this country is worth living in—then it is worth standing by in the hour of need and men who refuse to do this are not desireable residents and should move to Europe.

The son of the dishonorable Robert M. La Follette is going to join the navy. This is somewhat different from the old man's attitude towards the government.

Richard Joringdal, the new barber, moved yesterday into the new shop in the brick building. This makes a dandy little shop, where whiskers are removed without pain, while you wait.

Peat fires north of Golden Valley, last Monday destroyed all of Dan Nelson's farm buildings and fifty loads of hay and his flax. Others have lost lots of hay and a good rain is needed to put out the fires.

Is suggested that now is the time to buy breeding ewes at South St. Paul. Get together and buy a car of 125 head. For further information write to Wm. Dietrich, Northwest Experiment Station, Crookston.

We Wonder

When Teddy is going to war?

What the price of coal will be?

How it would seem to be rich?

When blind pigs will see (cease)?

When Holt will have a red cross chapter?

When all roads will lead to the county seat?

If all the residents of Holt will put in electric lights?

What the so called Free Traders think of our present tariff laws?

Why some don't pay up their back subscriptions to this paper?

Why Holt can't have a farmers club, potato warehouse, farmers elevator, etc?

When some people will realize they are living in the United States instead of Europe?

Why La Follette don't move to Germany where he can hug the Kaiser without making a fuss?

Why it is, if a stranger comes along with a good holler people trust him, but mistrust the man they have always known?

Why if this goverment is as bad (as some say) that so many people came over from the old country, and finally decided to stay?

Why some men raise hell on earth and just about as they are ready to die then ask a merciful Father for a home in heaven for which they are in no wise fitted nor entitled to.

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(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.05
Wheat No. 2	2.02
Wheat No. 3	1.97
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.28
Oats	51
Barley	89 to 1.14
Rye	1.76
Flour, Best Patent	5.95

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BIG QUESTIONS WAR RAISES

Tremendous Variety of Problems Must Be Solved by Those Directing the World Conflict.

Somewhere in the Australian hinterland railway trackage is being pulled up in order to be laid down again in the desert of Sinai or along the Tigris or in Albania or near the White sea or in the sector of Arras, says a thoughtful writer in a New York journal.

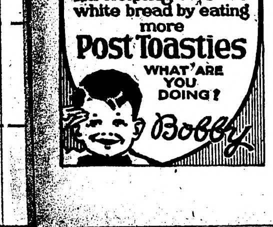
Given a shipload of iron ore, it is for someone to decide whether that iron is to be shell, or barbed wire, or steel helmet, or airplane engine, or traveling crane, or farm tractor for the raising of potatoes to feed the crew of the ship that brings Chinese coolies from Canton to Marseilles to handle other masses of iron ore at the Creusot armament factories.

And when you multiply the task by the number of departments, war, admiralty, agriculture and subsistence, when the problem develops into one of determining whether a man can be best used for throwing hand grenades at Bullecourt or plowing in Sussex or unloading wheat at Liverpool or manufacturing boots for the Russian armies in Roumania, it becomes plain how inadequate is the ordinary pencil stub and newspaper margin for winning the war out of hand.

Hard Luck.

One day after shoveling [illegible] father's allotment for two hours little Jemmy began to cry. "What's the trouble, my little man?" asked a sympathetic bystander. "A bad tramp come along and stole the shovel from the boy in the next allotment." "Well, my lad, it's nice to be sympathetic," said the looker-on, "but you mustn't worry so over other people's affairs." "It ain't that," said Jemmy. "I'm cryin' because he didn't steal my shovel, too."

Men with long heads are capable of using them on short notice


I'm helping to save white bread by eating more
Post Toasties
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
Bobby

Important News Events of the World Summarized

U. S.—Teutonic War News

Secretary Lansing made public at Washington an astounding addition to the series of disclosures covering German intrigues in America and elsewhere—a message sent by Count von Bernstorff in January of this year to the Berlin foreign office requesting authority to pay out $50,000 to influence congress through an unnamed organization, apparently known to the Berlin authorities. Bernstorff indicated in his message that money had been paid this organization on former occasions to perform the same work.

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Germany and Austria-Hungary are both very desirous of peace. This was revealed in their replies to Pope Benedict's plea for peace, copies of which reached Amsterdam. The German note says the kaiser "cherishes a lively desire that the appeal may meet with success." Peace would come from the recent proposals of Pope Benedict if the belligerent nations would enter into negotiations in the sense of the pontiff's suggestions, Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary says in his reply to the Vatican note.

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President Wilson indorsed and Secretaries Baker and Daniels jointly authorized at Washington a national campaign to raise about $3,750,000 to provide entertainment for the men of the new army and navy in the cities and towns near the training camps.

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Ambassador Bakhmeteff, diplomatic representative in Washington of the new Russian republic, is prepared to pledge formally that his government will remain in the war against German autocracy until the end.

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U-boat warfare has claimed another American victim, the Standard Oil steamer Platuria, of 3,445 tons, hailing from New York. Nine men, including the captain, John Leslie, fifty, of Jersey City, went down with the vessel.

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Provost Marshal General Crowder at Washington is preparing to summon before the local boards all the remaining 8,000,000 men enrolled under the selective service draft.

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Approximately 274,800 men left their homes to mobilize for war. They are but 40 per cent. Never in America has such a force been moved in similar time.

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Harold Willis of Boston, the American aviator reported as missing after an aerial battle on August 19, is a prisoner in Germany. Advices to this effect were received at Paris from German sources.

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Domestic

Government price fixing of all essential products, not only in sales to the government but to the public as well, was recommended in resolutions adopted at the closing session of the war convention of American business men at Atlantic City, N. J.

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Twenty flag makers in different parts of the country were formally charged by the federal trade commission at Washington with making exorbitant profits out of American patriotism by concerted illegal action to raise flag prices.

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Sergt. Alfred Bonhaupt of the Sixth United States infantry, who served with General Pershing in Mexico, has been discharged from the army, and interned at the German prison camp at Fort Oglethorpe as an enemy alien.

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Official inquiry into the exact cause of the recent death of Mrs. Robert W Bingham, wife of Judge Bingham of Louisville Ky., and formerly the wife of Henry M. Flagler, one of the organizers of the Standard Oil company, through the exhumation of her body in Oakdale cemetery at Wilmington was rumored to be the reason for placing armed guards on duty at the burial plot.

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Mayor John Purroy Mitchel of New York will make a fight for his re-election against Judge John F. Hylan, the Democratic nominee. In the primary the mayor defeated ex-Senator William M. Bennett (Rep.) for the nomination.

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Serious food riots, which were quelled with the utmost difficulty, have broken out in the German cities of Cologne, Dusseldorf, Elberfeld and Dortmund, according to advices to The Hague from the German frontier.

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The death of two members of the American expeditionary forces in France is announced in dispatches to the war department at Washington. Myron Bertman of North Vernon, Ind., captain of engineers, died of a tumor, and Edmund Squire died of pneumonia.

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Soldiers wrecked the headquarters of the Industrial Workers of the World at Los Angeles, Cal. Typewriters and furniture were broken, windows smashed and movables demolished. There were no reported casualties and no arrests.

Vigorous denunciation of Senator La Follette as the leader of the "neocopperheads," terse comment upon the Von Bernstorff revelations and a refusal to talk upon Mayor Thompson's change of heart marked Theodore Roosevelt's brief stay in Chicago. The colonel was on his way to Kansas City.

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Sporting

The White Sox won the American league pennant by beating the Boston Red Sox, 2 to 1, in a ten-inning game at Boston.

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Chicago won the toss for the opening game of the world's championship series at the meeting of the national baseball commission at Cincinnati. The official dates for the world's series as selected by the national baseball commission are: At Chicago, October 6, October 7; New York, October 9 and 10; Chicago, October 12; New York, October 15.

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European War News

British troops on the Belgian front attacked the German positions east of Ypres and penetrated the German positions as far as the Zonnebeke-Gheluvelt line. The official report, issued at London says 2,000 prisoners were taken.

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Germany is losing 1,250 men daily in killed, according to a dispatch to Geneva from Germany, quoting Dr. Mathias Erzberger, leader of the Clerical party. Doctor Erzberger, who is leader of the majority peace bloc in the reichstag, is using his most potent peace arguments.

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As the Germans are thrown back on the Riga front they are burning villages and laying the country in waste, it was reported to Petrograd by Commissioner Muntz, who is representing the provisional government at headquarters.

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Washington

American steel producing interests are making an average of 100 per cent on their investment, Joseph Davies, federal trade commissioner, told the senate interstate commerce committee at Washington in testifying on the Pomerene bill to fix steel prices.

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President Wilson sent the following nominations to the senate at Washington: Judge William C. Adamson of Georgia to be general appraiser of merchandise at the port of New York; Byron R. Newton of New York, to be collector of customs at New York; Daniel C. Roper of South Carolina, to be commissioner of internal revenue.

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Appointment of an international committee to arrange for distribution of available sugar in the world was announced by the food administration at Washington. Sugar beet men promised to lower the price of sugar to 7¼ cents.

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The conference report on the $11,000,000,000 credits bill was adopted by the senate at Washington without a roll call. The bill authorizes $4,000,000,000 of new bonds for loans to the allies.

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President Wilson approved an agreement entered into by the war industries board at Washington by which the United States government, its allies and the public will obtain copper at 23½ cents a pound f. o. b. New York.

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Maj Clarence S. Ridley of the engineer corps will be the new military aide to President Wilson, it became known at Washington, when he was received by the president.

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Officials of the state department at Washington made no effort to conceal the fact that the United States is disposed to accept the unofficial statements of regret and indignation from Admiral Lindman, minister of foreign affairs of Sweden, as a true indication of the Swedish people's attitude.

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Secretary Baker and the chiefs of the war department appeared before the senate appropriations committee at Washington and presented requests for an additional $287,416,000, with which to provide equipment for a total of 2,[illegible]00,000 men.

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The $7,000,000,000 war deficiency bill carrying huge appropriations for the army, fortifications and shipping boards, passed the house at Washington by a unanimous vote.

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Foreign

The Costa Rican government at San Jose by official account severed diplomatic relations with Germany. Passports were handed to the diplomatic representatives of Germany. Costa Rican consuls in Germany were recalled. The break was due to the discovery by President Tinoco that Germans had joined with the followers of Gonzalez in conspiring against the government.

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General Alexieff has resigned his post as chief of the general staff under Premier Kerensky, the commander in chief of the Russian armies, according to newspaper reports from Petrograd.

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With the rolling into place of the long center span of the Quebec bridge, the greatest engineering feat of its kind ever attempted was completed, and Canada became the possessor of the largest cantilever bridge in the world. The structure cost $20,000,000

MORE PROOF GIVEN OF GERMAN PLOTS

COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION EXPOSES TEUTON INTRIGUES AGAINST U. S.

FAR-REACHING PROPAGANDA

Plotting Going on in This Country Prior to Diplomatic Break With German Empire—Damning Evidence Is Found.

Washington, Sept. 24.—Further disclosures of far-reaching German propaganda, intrigues and plots in this country prior to the diplomatic break with Germany have been made by the committee on public information.

In a bulletin styled "official expose" the committee quotes the numerous letters and extracts from letters seized by the Department of Justice in April, 1916, in a raid upon the New York office of Wolfe von Igel. Von Igel, in carrying on his manifold pro-German and anti-American activities, the documents show, was in constant touch with the German embassy and with Count von Bernstorff, then the German ambassador to the United States.

Damning Evidence Found.

"In the form of letters, telegrams, notations, checks, receipts, registers, cash books, cipher codes, lists of spies and other memoranda and records," the committee says, "were found indications—in some instances of the vaguest nature, in others of the most damning conclusiveness—that the German Imperial government through its representatives in a then friendly nation was concerned with—

"Violation of the laws of the United States.

"Destruction of lives and property in merchant vessels on the high seas.

"Irish revolutionary plots against Great Britain.

"Fomenting ill feeling against the United States in Mexico.

"Subornation of American writers and lecturers.

"Financing of propaganda.

"Maintenance of a spy system under the guise of a commercial investigation bureau.

"Subsidizing of a bureau for the purpose of stirring up labor troubles in munition plants.

"The bomb industry and other related activities."

Holland a German Way Station.

The committee, of which Secretaries Lansing, Baker and Daniels are members and George Creel, chairman, has this to say concerning Holland:

"It has long been an open secret that Holland is merely a way station for shipments of contraband and into Germany. Here is official confirmation from the von Igel records which would seem to indicate a suspicious and confidential relation between the Holland commission and the German diplomatic officials accredited to this country, or possibly a belief by the Germans that they could not successfully get the munitions to their own country. The message in code with interlinear translation is entered as 'A 24998' and headed 'German embassy, Washington, D. C., April 6, 1916.' It runs as follows:

"Telegrams from Berlin by secret, roundabout way for Carl Heysen: Consent sale Holland three hundred thousand chests (cartridges) and two hundred tons powder. Please get in touch with Holland commission. Sender, war minister, foreign office, in representation.

"(Signed) Hatzfeldt."

Prince Hatzfeldt was an official of the German embassy.

Hamburg-American Line Involved

The Hamburg-American line's bureau of investigation, the committee states, an "Inocent pretending agency was at the outset the secret service of the Hamburg-American Steamship company. Under Paul Koenig, its manager, it became an adjunct of the German diplomatic secret service. A letter dated July 20, 1915, from 'O. R.', one of its operatives to '7,000' (characterized by the committee as Captain von Papen, former German military attache) tells of the payment of $150, to an unnamed person under peculiar precautions, after the recipient had made this statement:

"I intend to cause serious damage to vessels of the Allies leaving ports of the United States by placing bombs, which I am making myself, on board. These bombs resemble ordinary lumps of coal and I am planning to have them concealed in the coal to be laden on steamers of the Allies."

Money for Irish Rebels.

Money apparently went from German sources in the United States through embassy channels to Sir Roger Casement, the Irishman executed in London.

"Several lines of communication between the German diplomatic service and the Irish revolutionary movement are indicated in the captured documents," the statement continues: "John DeVoy, of New York, now editor of the Gaelic American, a violently anti-British paper, was one of the active agents of this connection. Significant entries appear here and there: references to messages from the German embassy at Washington and the German consulate at New York; mention of a secret code to be employed in communicating with him and of a 'cipher Devoy'; also a notation the details of which remains undiscovered, concerning 'communication remanufacture hand grenades.'"

Justice Cohalan Mentioned.

The following reference to Supreme Court Justice Daniel F. Cohalan of New York is contained, the committee states, in a letter found in the Von Igel papers in cipher with interlinear translation, dated New York, April 17, 1916, numbered 335-16 and ascribed at the top, "Very secret."

"Judge Cohalan requests the transmission of the following remarks:

"The revolution in Ireland can only be successful if supported from Germany, otherwise England will be able to suppress it, even though it be only after hard struggles. Therefore, help is necessary. This should consist primarily of aerial attacks in England and a diversion of fleet simultaneously with Irish revolution. Then, if possible, a landing of troops, arms, and ammunition in Ireland, and possibly some officers from Zeppelins. This would enable the Irish ports to be closed against England and the establishment of stations for submarines on the Irish coast and the cutting off of the supply of food for England. The services of the revolution may, therefore, decide the war.

"He asks that a telegram to this effect be sent to Berlin:

Addressed to Bernstorff.

This letter was signed "5132 8167 6230," and was addressed to Count von Bernstorff, "Imperial Ambassador, Washington, D. C."

A code message sent to Berlin was given as follows:

"National Germania insurance contract certainly promised. Executor is evidently satisfied with proposition. Necessary steps have been taken.

"HENRY NEUMAN."

Of this message the committee has this to say:

"Not so innocent and harmless as it looks, for what the message really means is this:

"'Irish agree to proposition. The necessary steps have been taken.'"

Prediction Far From Facts.

"Information carefully and extensively set forth in the secret documents of the German officialdom," the committee continues, "was sometimes wide of the facts. For example, a lengthy memorandum of March 1, 1916, transmitted by the secret agent, Capt. Boehm, dealing with the Mexican crisis, appears to have been largely the work of some fervid and projective imagination.

"It predicts that the President will attribute Mexico's anti-American activities to German money and incitement; that he will call upon Congress to support him in radical measures (the prophet even attempts to paraphrase the language to be employed in the message) that Congress will indorse the President's stand, following which upward of 150 German spies and agents provocateurs were to be arrested with the ambassadors of the Teutonic powers to receive their passports."

After citing an extract from Capt. Boehm's letter, the committee states that he was "too loose of tongue" for the good of his service and, citing a report of the German military information bureau of March 21, 1916, quotes the report as follows:

"Too great confidence in the silence of his fellowmen, especially the members of the American Truth society—was probably the cause of his becoming quickly known here."

"Pure War Expenses."

An entry entitled "Pure war expenses," from the Von Igel papers is made public by the committee as follows: "'Erwin Emerson, $1,000. Fair Play, (Mr. Braun). $2,000.

"'Fair Play, (Mr. Braun). $1,500.

"'Marcus Braun, $1,000.

"'J. Archibald, $5,000.'"

The statement continues.

"Concerning the identity of the last entry there might be room for doubt, but for a signed receipt from J. F. J. Archibald, acknowledging the sum of $5,000 from the German embassy for propaganda work."

The committee concludes its expose as follows:

"While chiefly concerned with military affairs in Europe the representatives of a supposedly friendly nation were keeping an interested watch on our own activities in that line. A secret code message of April 11, 1916, signed '13232 46729 46919' addressed Von Igel to this effect:

"'Herewith respectfully send an extract regarding the troops stationed in California and the armament of the coast fortifications.'"

Italians Give Jewelry for Country.

Rome, Sept. 24. — Nearly 1,000 pounds of gold has been donated to the treasury department during the past four months in the form of ornaments, old coins and family jewelry. The golden crown of Prince Amedeo, the father of the duke of Abruzzi, was one of the gifts originating in the city of Turin. Venice so far has led all the cities of Italy with 220 pounds of gold. Florence has given 90 pounds, Milan 200 pounds, Brescia 55 pounds, Rome 100, and Turn about 150.

Britain Treats Prisoners Best.

London, Sept. 24.—Admission that the treatment of German war prisoners in Great Britain was superior to the treatment received in any other country was made by the chief German delegate to the recent conference of British and Germans on war prisoners, according to a statement made by Baron Newton, one of the British delegates, in the house of commons. Virtually no complaint was made of the British methods of handling prisoners.

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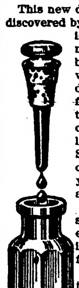
No humbug! Apply few drops then just lift them away with fingers.

This new drug is an ether compound discovered by a Cincinnati chemist. It is called freezone, and can now be obtained in tiny bottles as here shown at very little cost from any drug store. Just ask for freezone. Apply a drop or two directly upon a tender corn or callus and instantly the soreness disappears. Shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it off, root and all, with the fingers.



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Neighborly Society.

"Oh, mother," cried Mabel, who had never visited in the country. "I have just had a letter from my schoolmate inviting me to spend two weeks on her father's farm."

Mabel's mother looked up languidly.

"Yes, dear," she remarked, "and what does she say about the society in the neighborhood? Does she mention anyone?"

"No," answered Mabel thoughtfully, "but I've heard her mention the Holsteins and Guernseys."

"Oh, well," said her mother. "I presume they are pleasant people."—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

Legally Tied.

"There is a tide in the affairs of men," said the man who habitually quotes Shakespeare, "which, taken at the flood, leads on to fortune."

"Yes," replied the man who had married an heiress. "I remember the tide that led to my fortune well."

"What tide was that?"

"It was an eventide and we were sitting in the garden."

Willing to Listen.

He—You would never know how much I love you.

She—What is your objection to telling me?

If a man occasionally tells a woman how pretty she looks she will forgive most of the other lies he tells her.

Why That Lame Back?

Morning lameness, sharp twinges when bending, or an all-day backache; each is cause enough to suspect kidney trouble. Get after the cause. Help the kidneys. We Americans go it too hard. We overdo, overeat and neglect our sleep and exercise and so we are fast becoming a nation of kidney sufferers. 72% more deaths than in 1890 is the 1910 census story. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

A Montana Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story."

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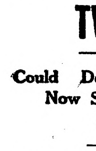

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, and nervous prostration. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the standard remedy for female ills.

Advertising the Enemy.

"The editor of the Plaindealer has a good deal more enthusiasm than judgment," commented Farmer Hornbeak, in the midst of his perusal of the village newspaper. "Here he's got a long editorial fiercely attacking the kaiser, when if he'd just let the scamp severely alone people would soon forget all about him."—Kansas City Star.

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SOME RIFLE FIRING KINKS

There Are a Thousand Things Not Mentioned in "Drill Regulations" That Recruit Must Learn.

The average recruit who starts in at West Point knows as much about the fine points of rifle firing as a longshoreman about flying. First he masters the elementary steps—the manual of arms and the correct firing positions, says the Popular Science Monthly. Then he must learn a thousand facts not mentioned in the "drill regulations." Among the rifle kinks, for instance, is the smoking of the glass rifle sights for work in the sun. By simply holding the sights over the flame of a match—or, better, over an alcohol flame—a light layer of lampblack is spread over the sight which enables the soldier to fire even when he is directly facing the sun. And reflected glare is eliminated so that he can work without danger to his eyes.

Another kink is the doubling up of the ordinary rifle strap in order to use it to obtain a sling-grip. By making the sling short enough, it is possible for the left hand to obtain a viselike grip on the rifle. This helps considerably in steadying it.

Her Idea.

He—How would you like to live in a cottage by the sea?

She—By the sea, yes. But why a cottage?

Contrary Troubles.

"This is hard luck!"

"What is?"

"Only soft drinks."

If
you never tasted
Grape-Nuts
FOOD
you have missed one of the good things in life

BERNSTORFF IN ANTI U. S. PLOT

Sought Authority From Berlin to Pay Money to Influence Congress Against War.

LANSING MAKES EXPOSE

Nations Still Friendly When Envoy Asked Permission to Pay $50,000 "As on Former Occasions" For Influence.

Washington, Sept. 24.—While his nation and the United States were still friendly, former German Ambassador Count von Bernstorff was an active anti-American plotter and asked the Berlin foreign office on January 22, for $50,000 to influence congress "as on former occasions."

His activity was in the nature of influencing Congress through an unnamed organization which he informed his government could "perhaps prevent war."

The department has made this fact public in announcing the text of a message he forwarded on that date.

Letter Made Public.

The State department announcement said:

"The Secretary of State issues the following message from Ambassador von Bernstorff to the Berlin foreign office, dated January 22, 1917:

"'I request authority to pay out up to $50,000 in order as on former occasions, to influence Congress through the organization you know of, which can perhaps prevent war.

"'I am beginning in the meantime to act accordingly.

"'In the above circumstances a public official German declaration in favor of Ireland is highly desirable, in order to gain the support of Irish influence here.'"

Revelation Clinches Case.

This revelation on the heels of the Swedish-American - Argentine-Mexican Philippine exposure and coupled with the Zimmermann Mexican-Japanese plot note clinches this government's contention that Germany carried on active plottings and propaganda all over the world.

This startling message, however, was the first positive evidence made public that Bernstorff had personal guilty knowledge of the German intrigue in this nation.

It had long been suspected that he was the directing head of anti-American work and this government had proved that his colleague, the Austrian ambassador, was conducting a vicious plot while the two countries were still at peace.

ARGENTINA MAY DECLARE WAR

Statement of High Official of Southern Republic.

Buenos Aires, Sept. 24.—Argentina probably will sever relations with Germany at once as a result of new developments.

News that the kaiser had expressed approval of the loyalty displayed by Count von Luxburg, the dismissed German minister, was received just before the opening of debate in the chamber of deputies on the resolution declaring for a rupture of relations between Argentina and Germany. This was looked on in some quarters as likely to hasten materially the decision in favor of a break.

The senate has already passed the resolution and President Irigoyen has announced he is willing to follow the dictates of the people.

After a meeting of the ministry it was announced that the government was prepared to take grave and rapid measures in view of certain new developments.

A high government official declared that these measures probably would include an immediate declaration of war against Germany, to be followed by the dispatch of troops to Europe.

2 KILLED, TEN HURT IN BLAST

Bomb on Japanese Ship Explodes German Arrested.

A Pacific Port, Sept. 22.—Explosion of a bomb in sacks of nitrate being loaded on the Japanese passenger and freight steamer Seiyo Maru at Iquique, Chile, killed two persons and injured 10, it was reported on the arrival of the vessel here. After the blast four other bombs were found. Members of the crew said a German agent was suspected.

The Rev. John I. Roeder of South Pasadena, Cal., said a German painter working near the pier where the Seiyo Maru was docked, had been arrested following the explosion and that a box of dynamite and bombs had been found in his house. The steamer left while the Chilean authorities were investigating, he said.

U. S. Ship Aided U-Boats, Charge.

A Gulf Port, Sept. 21.—Seizure of the American schooner Goldfields near this port and the arrest of its crew on charges of aiding the enemy, by agents of the federal government, has become known here. All members of the crew with the exception of the skipper, are said to be Spaniards. According to reports, the vessel was suspected of supplying oil to German submarines while en route from a southern European port. The Goldfields ran aground late last week. It was towed into this harbor last Sunday.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

The forty-third annual reunion of the St. Croix Valley Old Settlers' association was held in Stillwater. A banquet was served at 1:00 p. m. at the Sawyer house.

Work on the new Cokato high school building is being pushed as rapidly as possible, and it is said that the building will be ready for occupancy by Oct. 1.

Because he insulted the American flag, Henry Zaender of Alden is spending three months in the county jail at Albert Lea. He was given no option of paying a fine.

Plans for the federation of the Presbyterian and Methodist churches at St. Peter have been presented to the two congregations by their pastors. A committee will meet to consider details of the proposed consolidation.

Henry Schroeder of Moorhead, the "potato king," does not agree with some dealers that potatoes will be as low as 50 cents a bushel. He has made several sales of carload lots for October delivery at prices consderably above $1.

Goodhue county's second quota of men for the national army have been increased from forty-five to sixty men. They mobilized at Red Wing and in the evening a reception and banquet was tendered them in the Methodist church parlors.

Four University of Minnesota professors are in Washington doing their bit for Uncle Sam. They are Professor John Gray of the department of economics, and Dean G. S. Ford, Wallace Notstein and A. C. Krey of the department of history.

Five of the young women employed in the Great Northern shops at St. Cloud to take the places of men as the first war measure in industrial work have been compelled to give up the work because of the fact that they have found it too strenuous.

Resolutions to furnish facilities for moral and religious training of Norwegian Lutherans in the training camps of the new National army were adopted at a meeting in Minneapolis, called by H. G. Stub, president of the Norwegian Church of America.

An enthusiastic loyalty meeting at Bay Lake honoring the boys called to the colors was addressed by Ernest Smith, a Canadian, whose father is a high official in the Canadian Army, and by Carl Bepreze, an American of German birth. Both speakers were crippled in serving their country and had to use crutches.

Women, wives and daughters labored side by side with men in the corn fields of Winona county and Sunday brought no cessation in the speed of work to gather the salvage of the corn crop, attacked by a killing frost. Farmers, now convinced that most of the corn cannot possibly mature, are working feverishly to fill silos.

Potato digging operations are under way throughout the famous Clay county potato growing region, with indications pointing to a crop 200,000 to 300,000 bushels under normal. Frosts that laid the vines low stunted the growth of potatoes materially, and, in the opinion of some growers, reduced the yield by at least 20 or 25 per cent.

Dan Driscoll was held to the November grand jury at Stillwater on a charge of arson. It is alleged he attempted to burn the South Side school building.

Charges signed by 50 persons have been preferred against Mayor J. J. Reiter of Rochester. The complaint against the mayor as yet has not been revealed.

Melvin Henderson received a broken leg and dislocated shoulder when he caught his arm between the belt and the flywheel of a gas engine and his body was thrown against a hay press at Foxhome.

While walking from the Olmstead county fair at Rochester five persons were struck by an automobile driven by Ambrose Kelly of Stewartville. Enos Daly, 17, was killed and Anna Jorgenson, Lester Weed, Helga Hanson and Lena Nelson were injured, two of them perhaps fatally.

Winona county farmers facing heavy losses because of the frost damage to corn, are being aided to garner the salvage by soldiers. Captain J. D. Burke, responsive to the urgent appeal for men, permitted as many as possible of his members of C company to spend a day in the field assisting in filling silos with corn for fodder.

When the Northern Minnesota Development association holds its annual meeting in Brainerd December 6 and 7, the first gun in the campaign to boom that section of the state as a banner potato seed producing locality will be fired. The executive committee of the booster organization has voted to appropriate $200 to be used in providing premiums for the Minnesota Potato Growers' association that it might hold its annual exhibit in conjunction with the Boys' and Girls' potato show at Brainerd.

Word has just been received at Pipestone that Lieutenant Colonel Cecil Curren Briggs, acting lieutenant colonel of the Sixth King's East Lancashire regiment, has been decorated with the Distinguished Service Order. Lieutenant Colonel Briggs is the son of W. C. Briggs, state representative from the Pipestone district.

Pinned under a locomotive for six hours, unable to extricate himself, was the experience of Thomas Dempsey, an engineer on the Mesaba railroad. The engine jumped the track near Hibbing and Dempsey was caught under it. He was unhurt.

THIN MILK INQUIRY BEGUN OVER STATE

STATE SUPERVISION OF DAIRY INTERESTS TO BE EXTENDED TO SMALLER TOWNS.

OFFICIALS STILL FACE PROBE

Public Safety Board Asks New Ulm Council Not to Accept Resignations of Mayor and City Attorney.

St. Paul.

A campaign against thin and insanitary milk in the smaller cities of Minnesota is announced by James Sorensen, state dairy and food commissioner.

Four state inspectors have begun the campaign in six cities, and it will be carried to every town in the state if necessary to insure clean milk containing the butter fat content required by law.

"The campaigns for good milk have been confined largely to St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, where city inspectors are employed, but recent investigations indicate a need for state action in other towns," Commissioner Sorensen said.

"The percentage of insanitary dairies is high in small towns and the law against thin milk is almost totally disregarded in many instances. The dairymen not only pay little attention to cleanliness, but take some of the cream from the milk before selling it."

Inspectors have begun work in Mankato, Fairmont, Ada, Crookston, Brainerd and East Grand Forks and other towns are to be added to the list.

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State-Wide Milk Inspection.

Mayor L. A. Fritsche and City Attorney Albert Pfaender of New Ulm probably will be forced to stand investigation on charges of disloyalty following adoption of resolutions in the State Public Safety commission, asking the city council of New Ulm not to accept their recent resignations from office. The charges followed participation of the officials in the alleged draft protest meeting at New Ulm and resulted in their suspensions and that of County Auditor Louis Vogel of Brown county by Governor Burnquist pending investigations before County Attorney James Hall of Marshall. Mayor Fritsche and City Attorney Pfaender filed their respective resignations with the city clerk at New Ulm and it was reported then that such action would enable them to escape the proposed inquiry. The resolution passed by the commission, however, was said to put a different aspect on the matter.

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Endowment for Medical College.

Aiming to make the medical college of the University of Minnesota the most complete and efficient in the country, the Board of Regents has laid plans and appointed committees through which it is hoped that results can be obtained. Attempts will be made to obtain the aid of such institutions as the Rockefeller and Carnegie foundations towards the establishment of added hospitals and other incidental departments.

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To See Northern Minnesota

The Minnesota Forestry department and the St. Paul association have arranged a tour of northern Minnesota for eastern magazine writers, who will conduct a publicity campaign for the district next year. The tour has begun and will be along the Canadian border. Foresters will act as guides. Motion pictures will be taken of the trip.

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Snyder Adjutant to Rhinow

John Pillsbury Snyder, Minneapolis, will be commissioned lieutenant and adjutant of the First battalion of the new Fourth Minnesota infantry, Adjutant General W. F. Rhinow announced, and assigned to duties at his office in draft work. Other changes in the office staff probably will be announced soon.

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State School Contracts Let

The state board of control has announced awards of contracts totaling $61,298 for the new custodial building for girls at the Faribault state school for the feeble minded and $65,369 for the new dining hall and gymnasium building at the Morris state agricultural school. Both buildings are to be completed by July 1.

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To Probe Charges.

Charges of disloyalty against [illegible] Lindberg, a state creamery inspector, will be referred to the State Public Safety commission, Commissioner Sorenson of the state dairy and food department said.

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Old Uniforms for Home Guard.

Blue dress uniforms and overcoats no longer used by the national guard will be issued to Minnesota Home Guard companies as long as the supply lasts, Adjutant General W. P. Rhinow has stated. About 350 blue overcoats will be shipped at once to home guard men at Chisholm, Eveleth and International Falls, he said, and the uniforms will be sent out as fast as requisitions are received. The announcements followed a decision by J. F. McGee, military affairs commissioner on the state board.

All Figurative.

"My dear," said a young married man, "I have changed my mind about going out riding tonight."

"May I be permitted to inquire the reason why?" responded his sarcastic wife.

"You may."

"Well, what is the reason?"

"My darling, in the first place, it's rather expensive, and, in the second place, I don't want to go."

"I don't care a fig."

"In that case, I presume you have a date."

But Lottie Hadn't One.

Flossie (alluding to her new ring)—It isn't always what a present costs that makes it appreciated.

Lottie (who doesn't think much of it)—No, dear. Very often it is what other people think it costs.

His Turn.

Mrs. Wattles was clearly out of sorts at breakfast yesterday. Urged to give a reason, she said, "Well, I dreamed you tried to marry another woman last night."

"Well, it was my turn," replied Occy. "You ran away and joined a dramatic troupe the night before."—Kansas City Star.

A Little Line.

Molly—Writing to Charlie?

Polly—Yes.

Molly—I thought he was engaged.

Polly—He writes me that his best girl has thrown him overboard, so I'm dropping him a line.

As a less expensive substitute for an electric hair drier an electrician in Europe has invented a device for warming ordinary combs.

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But She Didn't.

She was a very newly fledged baroness or duchess or something like that, and, somehow or other, she became thick with a professor, as the classical blokes would have it, and he invited her to come to his observatory to see the eclipse, says London Ideas.

"I've come to see the eclipse," she told the professor's assistant. "Professor Squashnoodle invited me to come."

"I'm sorry, but the whole thing was over an hour ago," said the assistant, contritely.

"Then," said the dignified dame, "I will wait for the next."

She Would Get Even.

Marcellis was very fond of playing with the calves. One day one chased her. Very much frightened, she crawled under the fence and said, "You can stand there looking at me now, calf, but I'll have some of you in my stomach before long."

Where It Works.

"Has Matilda a rack for her piano?"

"Sure. All her hearers get their nerves on it."

When a wise man falls in love he gives his brain a vacation.

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The Government this year is asking farmers to put increased acreage into grain. There is a great demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for service. The climate is healthful and agreeable, railway facilities excellent, good schools and churches convenient. Write for literature as to reduced railway rates to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Can., or to

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.;
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Fine Pumphouse.

Charles had lived his four years on a farm. He was on a visit to his city aunt and upon arrival asked for a drink. His mother took him into the bathroom and drew some water from a faucet. "My," exclaimed Charles, looking around the white enameled room, "Aunt Dell has a lovely pump house."

MADE HAPPY

[illegible] Business College [illegible] requests for office help the past week and placed the following in fine positions: Alfred Stenhjem, Mary Schawchuch, Oliver Wanberg, Emma Holte, Alice Anderson, Gilbert Bratvold, and Anna Moen. If you had been prepared, you could have had one of the 9 positions—four bank positions. School offers a special course to high school graduates. Send for general catalog or for Gas Tractor and Auto course catalog to A. B. C., Fargo or Grand Forks, N. D.—Adv.

Some Information.

"[illegible] military work," said the [illegible] "like physical torture, tends to lessen the endurance."

"In other words," butted in the smart Aleck, "the more one sits the less one can stand."

"Exactly," retorted the lecturer, "and if one lies a great deal one's standing is lost completely."—Judge.

Our idea of a sensible woman is one who doesn't care how large her shoes are so long as they are comfortable.

Any man who is able to dodge unhappiness is just about as happy as it is possible for man to be.

Her Choice.

Hazel was at a loss to make a choice between two young sprouts in her garden of love. She desired a hardy plant, one that would thrive in any soil and under any conditions. No shadow must prevent the sprout selected from growing.

Every day could not have its full allotment of sunshine. Which would she choose? Either was pleasing to the eye. Then came a day when the wind blew hard—a draft from one end of the country to the other.

One of the sprouts withered from the biting blast. The other thrived and grew as though it had been blessed with continual sunshine. Now Hazel is happy. Her choice has been made.—Indianapolis News.

A Careful Man.

She (working him up)—I [illegible] never propose to a girl on a Friday. It is unlucky.

He (not having any)—Not always. I once knew a fellow who did it, and the girl refused him.

Lacked Temptation.

"[illegible] you ever been arrested [illegible]"

"No, sir. I've never owned an automobile."

How Did She Know?

"Do you shave up or down?"

"Down."

"It feels like down.—Lampoon.

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FARMER FEED EXPERTS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

A farmer who has devoted his lifetime to the study of feeding generally has more success through his common sense methods than any scientific analysis can supply. If such a feeder could have on hand all of the ingredients (most by-products of cereal manufacture), which according to the market at the time would be more economical, he could, through his experience, be very successful in mixing his feeds. But the difficulty with the average man is to maintain an economical ration from the products of his own farm.

He may be an expert, if he chooses to study out a new ration every time the market changes, but he generally prefers to let someone who makes a business of mixing feeds do it for him. No doubt the majority of users of mixed feeds begin to buy it because of a shortage of forage and grain crops on the farm.

If such a man will keep books he will find that as a usual thing the use of mixed stock feed is a mere matter of arithmetic whether he could buy the ingredients cheaper than he could buy them in a so-called "balanced" ration.

MUST TASTE GOOD.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

A dairy ration must, of all things, be palatable so that a cow will eat it. It must be bulky and coarse so as to avoid indigestion and sickness. It must contain a variety of foods so that the cow will not tire of it or get off her feed. It must contain enough real protein—all protein is not alike. It must contain the right amounts and kinds of mineral substances necessary to life, health and milk secretion. It must be highly digestible. Many feeds are only about fifty to sixty per cent digestible and the work of excreting so much waste matter is costly in that it uses up the energy of the food to do it.

SUCCESSFUL FEEDING.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

It is most significant and probably the best argument for mixed feeds when it is considered that a large number of the most prominent and skilled men in America have discarded their own mixed feeds and rations because they have found a satisfactory brand of feed which will make as much milk at less cost and no trouble and, above all, keeps cows in perfect health.

Many agricultural schools and experiment stations use and have used them for the same reason.

You can verify this by writing to any experiment station and they will give you the names of mixed brands which are best adapted to your purpose.

FIVE POUNDS OF MILK ON ONE POUND OF GRAIN.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

C. H. Packard, of Delavan, Wisconsin, a progressive and practical dairyman, was not satisfied with his ration of home-grown feed. Although he mixed his ration with brains and it seemed to be theoretically correct, he thought he would try out his own mixture in comparison with a first class dairy feed. Much to his surprise he found that he could save about five lbs. of grain per cow per day and nearly 5 cents per cow. He figured his own grain at prices much below the wholesale market and bought his mixed feed at retail.

Also when his ration was figured according to Armsby or Energy method his mixed feed proved to be the right combination to make a balanced ration with his own farm roughage.

EXPENSIVE PASTURE.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

When you stop to consider that an acre of pasture will feed a cow, but that that same acre will raise ten tons of silage during the time the cow is feeding on it, it would seem that a grass cafeteria would be the most expensive way to feed your stock.

MORE FEED, MORE MILK.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Cows of a decided dairy type will return the greatest profit when fed to their full capacity.—Nebraska Experiment Station.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Ordinarily, silage will correct the tendency to costiveness. When it is not sufficiently effective for this purpose, add enough old process oil meal to keep the droppings moderately soft, but not necessarily loose. Usually all that is needed is to increase the allowance of concentrates.

There are always two sides to every question. If the government insists on more bran in flour, bossy will have to turn to still more artificial bran.

Wheat bran is a dear feed. Barley and rye by-products are more economical.

Poverty holds a mortgage on the feeder who can see nothing but the price. Some feeds are as cheap at $50 as other at $25 per ton.

When you buy hay for cows it usually costs more than grain by-products, although it costs half as much per ton.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

It is a fair assumption that any farmer who talks against mixed feeds does not know what a mixed feed ought to be. There is no danger of any man buying a fraudulent feed. The state laws are very stringent on this point and if any man has any doubt as to the value of a feed, all he has to do is to write his State Experiment Station and get the truth.

THE AVERAGE REFORMER.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

The average reformer having so little at stake himself, plunges about like a bull in a china shop, regardless of the results of his ardor.

An amusing incident is told of the Secretary of Commerce. The can manufacturers put up a howl that unless they could get tin-plate to make up, no canning of fruits and vegetables could be done, so without looking over the field it is said that an order was made that steel was to be diverted by the manufacturers from other projects and put at the disposal of the can manufacturers. It looked all right on the face of it, but when the manufacturers of harvesting machinery demanded steel which they contracted for, and found that there was not steel for aprons, it having been diverted to cans, a hurry-up call modifying the order was issued, so that our harvesting machines could be made in time for the growing crop.

This illustrates how many plans are ignorantly made robbing Peter to pay Paul. Every enthusiast who has a pet reform which is always hitting some other business instead of his own, never looks around to see what the effect will be before he plunges. The manufacturers of feed and the most successful feeders in the country have a right to demand that that delicate machine—the dairy cow—shall not be wrecked by hasty legislation.

Revolutionary reforms are seldom efficacious. Anything which disturbs the food equilibrium should be handled gradually. Experience has shown that the most efficient way to handle cereal products is to remove the human food first and feed the residue to stock. Any other system is sheer extravagance.

WRONG FEEDING METHODS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

There is an old story about a ship captain who had a medicine chest. A sailor was sick and he found that No. 47 in his book was the indicated remedy, but alas! the bottle of No. 47 was empty, so he took equal parts of No. 40, which was strychnine, and No. 7, which was carbolic acid, and added them together and made No. 47—and the sailor died.

The application of this old story is that many a feeder will think that if a little of cottonseed or oilseed meal is good, a whole lot will be better. And, like the man who put the green spectacles on the horse and fed him shavings—just after he got him trained the horse died.

It is human nature to experiment in feeds, and the poor cow has to suffer for an overdose or an underdose before the proper ration is established.

DIFFICULT TO MIX FEEDS

A More Scientific Result Can Be Produced By Machinery.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

As no two lots run alike, it is very difficult to mix straight by-products of oats, barley, rye, corn, cotton-seed, flaxseed, etc., by measure, because it is purely guessing. Only a few years ago intentional fraud or unintentional carelessness was the rule. Before the feed laws were passed, each manufacturer adulterated all the trade would stand.

Every car of feed sold to the consumer is not analyzed, and the farmer cannot become a feed expert because he has no laboratory. Not one car out of five hundred is officially inspected. In the old days country millers were throwing feeds together with no knowledge of feed and were ruining valuable cows and making the farmer poorer. In those days the feed tables were wrong, the feeds didn't fit the tables; the digestible analysis method was incorrect; feed standards for animals were not agreed upon nor complete; the animals didn't fit the standards; the buyer didn't know what was in the feeds he bought to mix; and there was an unavoidable variation in the concentration of the feed.

These conditions have been largely overcome through the joint action of the government and state experiment stations and the mixed feed manufacturers who have every facility for maintaining a uniform product. By using these scientifically prepared feeds, many a herd has doubled its yield and profits. There are some painters who can buy lead, oil and dryer and mix and match their own color uniformly but the best painters of today have learned that mill-made brands are much better than anything they can mix with a paddle. The same is true in fertilizers to a great extent. In mixed feeds there can be no economy in home mixing because the mixing factories, being near the large markets, can utilize by-products to the very best advantage. Home mixing cannot be accomplished at one-tenth of a cent per lb., besides the result is never twice alike and cannot be without the help of a laboratory.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

A practical test shows that eight tons of a first class dairy feed will replace 13 1-3 tons of farm grain, making a proportionate saving of about $20 per ton and it also puts three times as much fertilizer back on the [illegible] in the grain this farmer could sell.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

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Dated at St. Paul, Minn.
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[SEAL]

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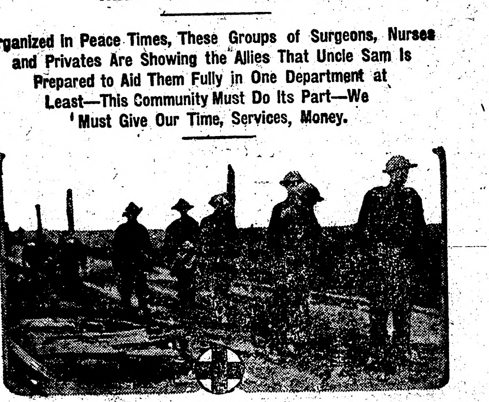

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

August Ness is driving a new Ford which he recently purchased.

Nels Swanson returned home Saturday from a few days visit at Erskine.

Joe Nelsou went to T. R. Falls, Wednesday where he expects to have work for sometime.

Miss Ragna Larson went to Thief River Falls on Friday to visit with friends until Saturday.

D. Payne of Leonard came Tuesday on business. Mr. Payne is just as smiling as ever, evidently the banking business agrees with him.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson and baby autoed to Newfolden Tuesday and from there Tony and Arvid autoed to Crookston on business.

The village council, on Tuesday night, granted the petition to open the road on the quarter line between J. B. Alkenbrack and Olaf Iverson.

The Holt Merc. Co. have a sample line of sweaters for men, women and children, which they are selling for less than the regular cost price.

E. M. Bennes and family of T. R. Falls and Ed. Bennes and family of Fertile, visited Sunday at the home of their brother Albert Bennes and family.

R. Reierson has bot the harness goods formerly belonging to the People's Cash Store, also the stock of ladies furnishing goods of B. Docken.

Miss Burdette Horien departed Friday for Huston and LaCreston Minn. to visit friends before going to Easton Minn. where she will enjoy the comming winter with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken autoed to Hillsboro Sunday to visit her sister Mrs. Dagny Halyerson and husband. Mr. Docken returned home in the evening, Mrs. Docken remaining for a longer visit.

The Dorcas Society of The Norwegian church of Holt Minn. are planning to give a parcel post social on Saturday evening Oct. 20. For more definite announcement see next weeks issue of this paper.

Ole Moen, P. P. Reierson, Theodore and Alfred Sollom have commenced the work of grading the state road north from here to the grade south of C. E. Smith's place. Mrs. P. O. Reierson is doing their cooking.

We print sale bills.

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Deaths

Sam Oliver Svenson died Sunday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gullek Svenson. A large crowd atteded the funerel which was held Wednesday in the Free church at Ringbo. Rev. M. B. Ordahl officiating.

The young man was taken sick with pneumonia, about a year ago while at Loman, N. Dak, and was not able to overcome the ravages of the disease. He was born here 26 years ago and leaves to mourn his early death, his parents, seven brothers and three sisters, besides a host of friends who join THE NEWS in extending sincere sympathy to the stricken family.

Mrs. August Carlson died Wednesday morning at her home in T. R. Falls from an attack of pneumonia. She leaves to mourn her death, the husband, a babe six weeks old, other children, relatives and friends. The Carlson family lived in Ringbo until a few years ago and their friends extend sincere sympathy to them in their sorrow.

Tell us the news.

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Elof Johnson went to T. R. Falls Monday.

Annie Knutson went to T. R. Falls Saturday to work.

Julius Olson returned home Monday night from Milton, N. Dak.

Mrs. K. O. Flakne of Mud Lake spent a couple of days in town this week.

Miss Ruth Knutson went to Gary on Friday to visit with relatives for some time.

Andrew Ness and family of T. R. Falls visited at R. Reierson's Tuesday and Wednesday.

Chris and Alex Strom of T. R. Falls visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Strom last Friday.

Music lessons given at my home or at home of pupil. For further information call on Mrs. F. E. Hall.

B. J. Bakke went to Crookston Tuesday after the big passenger car that was traded for sometime ago.

Sample sweaters for men, women and children are being sold for less than regular cost by the Holt Merc. Co.

Mrs. Willie Werner and baby were an over Sunday visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Peterson.

J. Moland came up from Crookston on Friday of last week to visit with friends at Golden Valley and also to look after his farm there.

The iron arches and other iron work for the bridge across Thief River east from here on state road No. 8, arrived here this week and is being hauled out to its destination.

For Sale: Standing timber and wood on my land in Whiteford township called the Rauam homestead, $30.00 and $40.00 per acre according to location. Call on K. O. Flakne, Holt, Minn., for further information.

Ed Chynka,
Lankin, N. D.

A battalion drill of the Tenth Battalion of the Home Guard, consisting of companies from Crookston, East Grand Forks, Bemidji and Thief River Falls, is to be held at Thief River Falls, Sunday, Oct. 7th.

An interesting program of military maneuvers has been prepared. It is expected that Adjutant General Rhinow will be present to review the Guard. No admission fee is to be charged. In case of unfavorable weather the drill will not be held.

The drill will start at 2 o'clock according to the present plans. A general invitation is extended

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

English and Norwegian confirmants Friday at 2 o'clock.

Dorcas society meets with Mrs. Fosholm Oct. 6th.

Bible Class and Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

English services Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Services next Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M. at Anbrew Movik's in Ringbo. Miss Esther Movik will entertain the Ladies Aid at this time.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Notice

Offers wanted at once to clear the NE 1-4 sec 21 twp 156 ran. 43.

Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

Geo Walker shipped a car of cattle to the market Tuesday.

Alrey Berg of T. R. Falls visited over Sunday with Martin Olson.

Miss Annie Reierson is clerking in the store of her uncle, R. Reierson.

Brekkestran Bros. have returned to Holt after spending several weeks running their threshing rig.

Mr. and Mrs. Melquist and baby returned home Friday from a couple of weeks visit with relatives at Erskine.

Miss Olava Sollom went out to her school near East Valley last Saturday. Her school commenced on Monday.

Away below cost prices are being made on sample sweaters for men, women and children at the Holt Merc. Co's store.

Mrs. C. E. Smith and sons, John and Reuben left last week for a months visit with relatives in the twin cities and other points.

New Ads: Albert Bennes, confectionery and lunch counter; Richard Joringdal, barber shop; Winton-Nichols, fencing; Holt State Bank; Holt Merc. Co. sweaters, State school lands, Final Proof notice.

One of the best yields of rye reported to us is that of Carl Engebretsen's. He had a small field of two acres from which he threshed 75 bushels. His whole crop of 18 acres gave an average yield of 20 bus. per acre, which is extra good for a dry season.

People living several miles northeast of Holt, sent in a call for help Sunday afternoon to fight the fire raging in that vicinity. Several auto loads went out and worked hard to save the large amount of hay put up on the prairie, but another fire the next day burned most of the hay. Another call for help came Monday and again the men responded willingly but were unable to do much on account of a hard wind blowing and the grass being so dry.

Among the heaviest losers were Jacob Jarland who lost about 80 tons of hay, Ostby & Ryan lost all but four small stacks of hay and all but a small part of a large field of flax. Several others had a large amount of hay burned, besides other losses by the fires. As both pastures and hay are burned, some of the people will be obliged to sell their stock for whatever they will bring. It is claimed the fires were set by responsible parties who will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

For Sale!

A 1914 Carter car, in complete running order, with electric lights and self starter. Will sell cheap or consider a trade.

B. Docken,
Holt, Minn.

To Our Friends at Holt;

We had fully intended that this note should appear in last weeks paper, but the press of work prevented.

We wish to express our appreciation of the very splendid and substantial way in which our friends at Holt remembered us Monday night Sept. 24th. The gift itself was a fine one and one that we have already found good use for. But the spirit that prompted the gift is a greater treasure to us than the gift.

If another year finds us in Thief River Falls, we will be glad to serve the people of Holt the very best way possible.

Rev. and Mrs. G. O. Parish.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Oct. 1st 1917.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Oct. 3, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Alfred Larson of Holt, Minn., who on July 30, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08332, for NE 1-4, Section 33, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson. U. S. Commissioner for the district of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of Nov. 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Pete Rosan of Holt, Minn., and Isaac Ostlund, Peter Ostlund, Olina Knute Bollingberg all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

How Are Your Fences?

Are you going to do some fall fence repairing? Are you going to put up some new fences?

We have fence supplies and materials that will serve your purposes. Tell us what you want to do and we'll tell you what it will cost.

No fences at all, or broken down fences may mean loss to you from thefts, accidents, damage suits, injured stock, straying animals, or quarrels with your neighbors.

These things you want to avoid, and our fence supplies will help you. Come in and see us now.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company.
Holt - Minn.

Why don't LaFollette, Gronna & Co., move to Germany?

Greatest Poets.

Homer, Lucretius, Dante, Shakespeare, Goethe, Milton, Shelley, Byron, Tennyson, Browning. Perhaps others might be added. It is largely a matter of taste and temperament—although there is but little room for argument about the first six names.

Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought [illegible] light that its life may expand t[illegible] above the turbulence of the waves. [illegible] Trifles and Sanctities.

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota.
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 20, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 28th, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

New Barber Shop

Agency for
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All work guaranteed satisfactory
Richard Joringdal, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

Notice!

Good tractor with plows, for sale, very cheap.

Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

Dr. R. E. Spinks

Physician and Surgeon
Office at Drug Store
Middle River, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.05
Wheat No. 2	2.02
Wheat No. 3	1.97
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	2.97
Oats	51
Barley	85 to 1.10
Rye	1.72
Flour, Best Patent	5.95

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Announcement

New Garage!

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Holt Dray and Livery

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Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

For Sale, by owner, 4 forties in Section 10, and one forty in Section 30. Apply to

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Bring your cars in early for overhauling
We overhaul and charge storage batteries
Located south of Printing Office!
Brekkestran Bros.

MORE WHEAT PRIZES

Honors for Western Canada Come Year After Year.

At the recent Soil Products Exposition at Peoria, Ill., in a keen contest for the coveted first prize for wheat, Western Canada has again carried off all the honors. Not only has she won the first, but also the second and third prizes. These were won by Mr. S. Larcombe, of Birtle, Manitoba. In past years the Province of Saskatchewan had the distinguished honor of carrying off the initial prize.

Harvesting and threshing are now completed in Western Canada, and while it is early in the season to give exact figures as to the average yield per acre of wheat, oats, barley and flax it is safe to assume that the former will yield about 20 bushels per acre. The price to the farmer will be about $2.00 per bushel, giving him $40.00 an acre of a return. When it is considered that the land upon which this wheat is grown averaged less than $30 an acre, it takes very little figuring to arrive at an estimate of the profit there is to the grain grower of Western Canada. The writer knows where a farmer purchased 160 acres of land in the spring of 1916, broke it up the same year, put it in wheat in 1917. His crop was harvested a few days ago. It yielded 4,800 bushels and he sold it at $2.05 per bushel, giving him $9,840. The land cost him $4,800, breaking, seeding, seed, cutting and threshing, $1,920. His profit was $3,120 after paying for his land and his costs of improving. He has now $3,120 to commence another season with a "paid for in full" improved farm.

Never has farming offered such profitable returns for labor as at present and nowhere is the large profit equal to that of the low priced, high yielding lands of Western Canada.

There has been a big rush during the past few weeks of renters and owners of high priced lands in many parts of the United States to investigate these 100% profit reports. No better season of the year could be selected by anyone desiring to better their condition and wishing to give Western Canada the "once over." Threshing is now completed and the grain being marketed. The weather is fine and will be pleasant for a couple of months and a visit now to personally investigate the conditions will be convincing and profitable. While old home ties and family associations are one of the first considerations in the mind of the reader, who feels that the old five or ten per cent return is sufficient, it behooves the modern and progressive farmer always to be on the alert to grasp the opportunities of the hour. Land in Western Canada that is annually producing a gross return of from $40.00 to $80.00 per acre is purchasable at from $15 to $30 per acre. It can be seen at a glance that such values cannot help but increase as they have done in the older agricultural districts of the United States. The new settler will find himself surrounded by same contented and prosperous neighbors. The expense of making one visit to look into Western Canada's opportunities is small—a special reduced rate is available and you owe yourself a holiday and a trip may do you good. You owe your dependents a right to better your condition and Western Canada offers that opportunity.—Advertisement.

Out of the Mouths of Babes.

Little Nettie asked her teacher what was meant by "Mrs. Grundy." She was told that it meant the "world!"

Some days after the teacher of the class to which Nettie belong asked, "what is the equator?" After some hesitation Nettie said: "I know;;; it's the belt around Mrs. Grundy's waist."

With the Fingers! Says Corns Lift Out Without Any Pain

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn can shortly be lifted right out with the fingers if you will apply on the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

At little cost one can get a small bottle of freezone at any drug store, which will positively rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain or soreness or the danger of infection.

This new drug is an ether compound, and dries the moment it is applied and does not inflame or even irritate the surrounding skin. Just think! You can lift off your corns and calluses now without a bit of pain or soreness. If your druggist hasn't freezone he can easily get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

Unaccountable.

"He declares, that he despises, detests and abominates you."

"That is very strange," replied J. Fuller Gloom. "I do not recollect ever having lent him any money."

There are fast friends and fast friends. One kind you can't lose.

Yet the fruit tree agent doesn't care to be known as a professional grafter.

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News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

U.S.—Teutonic War News

The American marines who have been with Major General Sibert's command in France, have now all been withdrawn from it and split up into provost guards in dozens of villages and cities of France, some of them also going to England.

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Secretary of War Newton D. Baker issued at Washington the first of a series of weekly statements commenting on military activity in Europe. The secretary declares that the ascendancy on the western front has definitely passed to the allies.

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The government at Washington has advanced $35,000,000 to Great Britain, bringing the total advanced that country thus far up to $1,190,000,000, and the total of all credits to the allies up to $2,426,400,000.

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American troops for the first time are under German fire in France. Two American soldiers have been slightly wounded. They were struck by fragments of a bursting shell. A certain contingent of the American army is now located directly behind the British line, well within range of the enemy guns.

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Domestic

Members of the American Bankers' association in session at Atlantic City, N. J., vehemently expressed their approval when Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university, addressing them on "The Changing World," demanded that congress exercise its constitutional rights to expel United States Senator La Follette.

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H. E. Byram was elected at New York president of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway company. A. J. Earling, who retired from the presidency, was elected chairman of the board of directors.

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A United States naval reserve patrol boat ran on the rocks near the shore of a small island north of Hell Gate. The crew of 26 men were removed safely.

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Swooping down on the platform and hurling five of the speakers bodily from the rostrum, detectives and secret service men broke up a mass meeting of the conscientious objectors' league in the labor temple at New York.

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Painting Germany as the arch foe of the world, as a nation drunk with power and with the sword as its God, Col. Theodore Roosevelt at Chicago told the inside story of the Venezuelan incident, when, as president he gave Germany three days in which to get its warships out of Venezuelan waters or face a fight with Dewey.

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On application of William M. Bennett, candidate for the mayoralty nomination against Mayor John Purroy Mitchel in the Republican primaries at New York last week, Supreme Court Justice Goff issued an order staying the board of elections from certifying to the secretary of state the name of Mitchel as candidate for mayor.

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Four members of the Forty-fifth infantry in garrison at Fort Sheridan, Ill., were instantly killed by an electric train at Highland Park. But two of the men have been identified. They are: Chester Gilbert and H. T. De Hart.

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A strike of 2,000 engineers, firemen and switchmen who want more pay completely tied up the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern railroad and practically paralyzed the immense mills of the United States Steel company at Gary and in South Chicago, Joliet and Milwaukee.

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A revolution of 2,000,000 malcontents, nation-wide in scope, backed by I. W. W. and 48 affiliated organizations, including the Working Vlass union, in which it was planned to apply the torch to small cities, shoot officers of the government and demoralize communication, was planned for July 27 last, according to the testimony of Will Hoover, state witness in the trial at Enid, Okla., of 11 alleged antidraft agitators.

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Pursuant to action taken at a mass meeting of workmen, 4,000 men employed in steel shipyards at Portland, Ore., went out on strike. About 3,000 men employed in wooden shipyards already are on strike.

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Fifteen workmen were injured when two interurban cars collided in a fog one mile from the government cantonment at Camp Custer, Mich.

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Nearly 20,000 of the leading bankers of the United States gathered in Atlantic City to discuss the tremendous financial problems raised by the war.

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The Standard Oil tank steamer Moffett was blown up by an accidental explosion of a boiler. The explosion occurred at Richmond, a port on San Francisco bay. Two men are missing.

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Acting under orders from Washington, the entire detective force of the police department of the city of New York, directed by Capt. William M. Offley of the department of justice, aided by Deputy Police Commissioner Scull and representatives of the army and navy, started a roundup of enemy aliens in all the five boroughs. More than 500 have been arrested.

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European War News

The report to London from Field Marshal Haig refers only briefly to the operations in Flanders. Seven powerful, hostile counter-attacks, it says, were repulsed with heavy losses, and 1,614 Germans were taken prisoner.

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Italian troops have completed their occupation of the entire Bainsizza plateau, which is now firmly in Italian hands, according to official dispatches received at Washington from Rome.

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Passengers arriving at an Atlantic port on a steamship from a British port told of the sinking of two German submarines, one of which had attacked a transport convoyed by British destroyers.

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In an attack along a six-mile front the British troops captured an important position around Tower Hamlets and strong field works, according to the official report to London from Field Marshal Haig.

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Advices have been received at Amsterdam from the frontier by the Telegraaf to the effect that about 80 residents of Ghent, Belgium, have been put to death in the last three weeks on charges of espionage.

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A squadron of German airplanes swept over the French trenches. Capt. Georges Guynemer was officially reported "as killed in action" and all France mourns the loss of its idol, the hero of France. He brought down 52 airplanes.

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Foreign

The Peruvian government has instructed its minister at Berlin to present to the German government a demand that satisfaction be given within eight days for the sinking of the Peruvian bark Lorton. If the demand is not met diplomatic relations will be broken off.

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General Soukhomlinoff, former minister of war of Russia, was sentenced to hard labor for life after conviction on the charge of high treason in the court at Petrograd. Mme. Soukhomlinoff was acquitted.

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The Uruguayan congress at Montevideo has been called to meet in special session to vote on the question of severing relations with Germaiy.

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By a vote of 53 to 18 the Argentine chamber of deputies voted to support a break in relations with Germany. The vote was on a motion "to proceed to break relations with Germany."

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Washington

Measures of co-operation to reduce the price of bread will be recommended by the food administration at Washington within a short time to bakers, retailers and consumers.

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Representative Thomas Heflin of Alabama broke the Bernstorff $50,000 slush fund scandal wide open in the house at Washington. He named five legislators and demanded information of what connection they had, if any, with pro-German activities. Goaded to expose the men he accused, he named these: Senator La Follette, Representatives Fred A. Britten, E. Mason, P. D. Norton and John M. Baer.

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A charter rate of $5.75 a ton a month has been decided upon by the shipping board at Washington as a base the government will pay for requisitioned ocean-going merchant vessels. Within a short time the board will take over for government use every American vessel available for overseas service.

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Creation of a house committee on woman suffrage was ordered by the house at Washington by a vote of 181 to 107.

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The house at Washington had a wild and noisy session over the disclosure that Count Bernstorff, while German ambassador here, asked his government to authorize the expenditure of $50,000 to influence congress. Representative Norton attacked Representative Heflin, who was quoted in a newspaper as saying he could name a dozen congressmen who "had been acting suspiciously." Heflin denied that the interview attributed to him was correct.

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Confirmation of Col. Carl Reichmann of the regular army to be a brigadier general was recommended by the senate military affairs committee at Washington by a vote of 8 to 2.

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The senate passed the $8,000,000,000 urgent deficiency bill without a roll call at Washington. The house granted the army $3,509,736,735, and the senate added $749,247,394. The navy was given $573,019,623 by the house and the senate added $24,049,500, a total of $597,069,123.

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An agreement between the war industries board at Washington and steel products reducing the price of steel from 50 to 70 per cent was announced following its approval by President Wilson.

HITS DISLOYAL HEAVY BLOWS

Roosevelt Routes "Huns Within Our Gates" in Twin City Speeches.

RECEIVES BIG OVATION

Colonel Flays La Follette as "Most Sinister Enemy Within Nation's Borders"—Gronna and Lundeen Also Scored.

Minneapolis, Oct. 1. — Theodore Roosevelt trained his heavy guns on "Huns within our gates" and put them to rout in his Twin City speeches.

From the time he arrived at noon and until he left, the former president, apostle of preparedness, kept up his fire. With the thousands upon thousands who heard him in Minneapolis and St. Paul he was stamping out all traces of disloyalty left by La Follette.

"Lesser Microbes" Denounced.

"While the men in khaki are warring against the Huns without our gates, let us war against the Huns within our gates," he said. And it was that purpose that guided him every minute of the time that he spent in the Twin Cities.

La Follette was called "the most sinister enemy of the United States within its borders." Senator Gronna of North Dakota, "Ernie" Lundeen and others of their kind were dubbed "lesser microbes" and "shadow-Huns."

The Nonpartisan league and its leaders, A. C. Townley and Congressman John M. Baer, were not spared. They came in for the most scathing denunciations for their utterances.

Man-handles La Follettism.

Mr. Roosevelt paid his respects to the conscientious objector. He would deprive him of a vote. He man-handled La Follettism and the "neo-copperheads" who advocated it. He wanted to see La Follette and the kaiser in close companionship because he "wished ill to both." He said America must become a great industrial democracy and he advocated compulsory, universal military service as the great requisite to make America really independent among the nations.

His hearers applauded him at every step. He drew the greatest demonstration, however, with a little personal reference out of the current of his speech:

"I am an old man," he said. "It is a matter of bitter regret to me not to be allowed to go abroad to serve in the army of the United States. I have made other sacrifices that were bigger, for I have sent my four sons."

House Is One With Speaker.

The house was on its feet in an instant, cheering and clapping and waving hats and handkerchiefs. It was one with the speaker.

"No father or mother here in my position, who understands, but would do anything honorable to avoid war," he continued. "I am not for war when war can be honorably avoided. I was president seven years and in all that time there wasn't a shot fired by us or an American citizen killed by a foreign power."

"We have heard much of the conscientious objectors to military service, the outcry having been loudest among those objectors who are not conscientious at all, but who are the paid or unpaid agents of the German government.

"It is certain that only a small fraction of the men who call themselves conscientious objectors in this matter are actuated in any way by conscience. The bulk are slackers, pure and simple, or else traitorous pro-Germans. Some are actuated by lazy desire to avoid any duty that interferes with their ease and enjoyment, some by the evil desire to damage the United States and help Germany, some by sheer, simple, physical timidity. In the aggregate, the men of this type constitute the great majority of the men who claim to be conscientious objectors, and this fact must be remembered in endeavoring to deal with the class.

"In some of our big cities, since the war began, men have formed vegetarian societies, claiming to be exempt from service on the ground that they object to killing not merely men, but slackers. Others among the leading apostles of applied pacificism are not timid men; on the contrary they are brutal, violent men, who are perfectly willing to fight, but only for themselves and not for the nation. These rough-neck pacifists have always been the potent allies of the parlor or milk-and-water pacifists, although they stand at the opposite end of the developmental scale.

Like Conscientious Polygamists.

"The peace people of the directly opposite type include the men who conscientiously object to all participation in any war, however brutal the opponents, and however vital triumph may be to us and to mankind. These persons are entitled to precisely the respect we give any other persons whose conscience makes them do what is bad. We have had in this country some conscientious polygamists. We now have some conscientious objectors to taking part in this war.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT

Who Says of the Pacifists "Let Me at 'Em."

INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE

"If these men are sincere they will refuse to interfere (for moral suasion is not interference) with a white-slaver who runs off with one of their daughters or a black-hander who kidnaps and tortures a little child or a ruffian who slaps the wife or mother of one of them in the face. They are utterly insincere unless they decline to take advantage of police protection from burglary or highway robbery. Of course if such a man is really conscientious he cannot profit or allow his family to profit in any way by the safety secured to him and them by others, by soldiers, in time of war, by judges and policemen in time of peace; for the receiver is as bad as the thief. I hold that such an attitude is infamous; and it is just as infamous to refuse to serve the country in arms during this war. If a man's conscience bids him to act, then his conscience is a fit subject for the student of morbid pathology.

"Respect the conscientious objector's opinions, but let him abide by the full consequence of his opinions. Universal suffrage can be justified only if it rests on universal service. We stand against all privilege not based on the full performance of duty; and there is no more contemptible form of privilege than the privilege of existing in smug, self-righteous, peaceful safety because other, braver, more self-sacrificing men give up safety and go to war to preserve the nation. If a man is too conscientious to fight, then the rest of us ought to be too conscientious to let him vote in a democratic land which can permanently exist only if the average man is willing in the last resort to fight for it, and die for it.

For Universal Service.

"I wish to see the principle of universal obligatory military service established in this country precisely because it is the only democratic principle. We are in the war and we must do the best we can with the instruments that are at hand. Whether or not I have disapproved of the methods adopted, when once they were adopted I have loyally tried to help them work. But I emphatically protest against the failure to make permanent provision by preparedness in advance against the occurrence of disaster to this country, and the failure properly to democratize our army.

"What we need is the permanent establishment in this country of the system of universal obligatory military training for all our young men, and for making officers out of the best fitted among these young men, without the slightest regard to whether they or their fathers have money or do not have money.

"Under this as a permanent system, every young man so trained—sometime between the ages say of 18 or 19 and 21 or 22—will spend one year with the colors in the field. He would not be allowed to vote until he had performed this service, no matter where he was born. The son of the railway president and the son of the brakeman, the son of the banker and the son of the bricklayer, the son of the lawyer and the son of the farmer will all live on the same food, sleep in the same tents, do the same work, go on the same hikes. This would not only help from the military standpoint. It would also help to bring about in civil affairs a realization of what is meant by democracy and a chance for real understanding of one another by all our citizens. It would mean the drilling into every man of a sense of true devotion to the flag."

Argentine President Against War.

Buenos Aires, Oct. 1.—President Irigoyen regards the Luxburg incident as closed and will do his utmost to continue Argentina's neutrality, according to those closest to him. Such a course is entirely opposite to the overwhelming votes recently of the senate and chamber of deputies in favor of a break with Germany, but the president was believed to have complete veto power over such resolutions. There is no perceptible change in Argentina's general strike.

Optimistic About Russia.

New York, Oct. 1.—A. J. Sack, director here of the Russian information bureau, said in an address at the College of the City of New York that from the latest available news from Russia, it was clear there was great reason for optimism in respect to the future of that country. He asserted that the greatest present danger to the existence of the Russian democracy was the Extreme Left Leninites, who wanted socialism to be put in operation in Russia immediately.

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Rat Deadly Disease Carrier.

The Spanish war developed the fact that the mosquito was the carrier of yellow fever, writes E. W. Nelson in the National Geographic Magazine. Another type of mosquito is known to be the carrier of malaria. The European war has brought to almost universal public knowledge the fact that body lice are carriers of the deadly typhus and many diseases are known to be carried by other insects.

Among these deadly carriers of death and destruction none equals the house rat in its tremendous drain on the prosperity of nations by its destruction of food and other property, while at the same time it is the deadliest of all to mankind as a disease carrier. Within historic times it has caused the death of untold millions of human beings through its dissemination of the bubonic plague.

Just as Good.

Tommy Atkins had taken a German officer prisoner and demanded the latter's sword. The officer shook his head.

"I have no sword to give you," he said, "but won't my vitriol spray, my flame projector or my gas cylinder do as well?"

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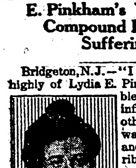

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Little Mary was being initiated into the wonders of the Pullman car. She and her mother left the city early in the evening, each occupying a big cushioned seat in the car. Mary wished to know at once where they were to sleep, and after five minutes' explanation by her mother she realized that they were to sleep in a bed, made over their two seats, which would be completed by the porter about nine o'clock.

At the next stop a man entered the car and Mary was forced to give up her individual seat to him. He had reserved the upper berth, which she did not know. The giving up of the seat was for a time enough food for thought, but she finally burst out with this question:

"Mamma, if we sleep here, and all those other people sleep where they are sitting, where is that man going to sleep?"

"That man," and the rest in the car laughed. The explanation process began all over again.

Relieving Anxiety.

"What makes you so thoughtful, Algernon, dearest?"

"I was just thinking of the disturbance to business caused by the war, darling. Now, they say there is going to be a sugar shortage in the United States."

"Well, my own, don't get worried. I would just as soon have a nice, long automobile ride as a box of chocolates, any time."

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Self-Consideration.

"How could you urge your husband to go to the war? Won't it be hard on you as a wife?"

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One "On" the Teacher.

The school term was drawing toward its close in Normal City, a Muncie suburb, when the pupils of one room were asked to write compositions on any subject they might choose, according to Lee Baird, the principal.

One little boy turned in his composition with the sheet entirely blank except for the title, "The Home Life of the Fiji Islanders."

"Roscoe, why did you choose so peculiar a subject, but choosing it, why didn't you write a composition on the home life of the Fiji Islanders as you announce in the title?" asked Baird.

"Because they ain't any," was the boy's reply while the other children who had been let in on the joke, roared at getting one "on" the teacher.—Indianapolis News.

Don't Listen Too Much

If you expect to believe everything that you hear, better not listen much of the time.

A Question.

He was boasting that he did some record flying abroad at the front."

"Aviating or running away?"

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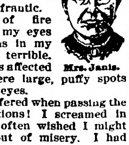

Mrs. Janis.

"Flashes of fire came before my eyes and the pains in my head were terrible. My sight was affected and there were large, puffy spots beneath my eyes.

"How I suffered when passing the kidney secretions! I screamed in agony and I often wished I might die and be out of misery. I had night sweats and mornings on getting up I was so weak and numb I could hardly stand up. I grew so pale and emaciated I looked like death. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me completely and I have been as well and healthy since as any woman of my age."

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STUTTGART HIT BY FRENCHMEN

French Aviators Attack German City In Reprisal For Previous Attacks.

TURKS GET BEATING

British Obtain Stronger Hold On Bagdad By Notable Victory In Mesopotamia — 1,000 Prisoners Taken.

Paris, Oct. 2.—French airmen successfully bombed the German city of Stuttgart, it is officially announced.

Two French machines dropped the explosives over Stuttgart, the official announcement said. The raid occurred Saturday evening. It was in reprisal for German bombardments around Bar le Duc.

Stuttgart is the capital of the kingdom of Wurttemburg and is located 90 miles west of Munich. It is at least 132 miles from the nearest part of the French battle line in the Vosges.

Stuttgart is a city of nearly 200,000 population, about 100 miles from the French border.

Nine Killed in London Raid.

London, Oct. 2.—Although nine persons were killed and 42 injured in last night's air raid over England—the fifth within a week—defenders brought down one hostile machine at Dover, and London is absolutely unterrified today. The official statement of casualties today showed that the raids are losing efficiency, even in murdering civilians.

The last sky engagement furnished the most amazing exhibition of deadly fireworks London has ever seen. Despite a misty morn, efforts to trace the course of the battle across the heavens by following the sound of the airplane engines and the shell bursts were sometimes partially successful.

The German machines seemed to turn and twist, quickly alternating their courses when the British guns planted shells too close for the nerves of their pilots.

1,000 Turks Taken.

London, Oct. 2.—A stronger hold has been obtained by the British on Bagdad through the capture from the Turks of the main Ottoman position in the region of Remadie. The Ottoman general, Ahmed Bey, his staff and several thousand men were taken prisoner and a large quantity of guns and ammunition was captured.

The most telling blow at Turkish morale that has been dealt since the British capture of Bagdad, was the official view today of General Maude's latest success in Mesopotamia. British troops now occupy Mushaid ridge after a notable victory in two days of fighting during which a Turkish commanding general was captured and vast stores of supplies and food taken.

WOULD EXPEL 'WILFUL THREE'

Impeachment of Solons Asked by Ithaca Club.

Washington, Oct. 2.—The Senate committee on privileges and elections will meet Wednesday to take up petitions demanding the ousting of Senators La Follette, Stone and Gronna. This announcement was made by Chairman Pomerene.

Impeachment of Senators La Follette, Stone and Gronna was demanded in a petition presented to the Senate by Senator Wadsworth of New York. The petition was signed by members of the Rotary club of Ithaca, N. Y.

It charged that La Follette, Stone, Gronna "and others" have been obstructing and hindering the government, and asked their removal "as enemies."

IRIGOYEN IS OPPOSED TO WAR

Says "United States Can't Drag Argentina Into Struggle."

Buenos Aires, Oct. 2.—President Irigoyen regards Germany's explanation of the Luxburg incident as satisfactory and will firmly adhere to a course of neutrality for Argentina, according to a detailed outline of his position made public by the national juvenile committee, which favors a rupture with Germany. In this conversation, President Irigoyen insisted that "Argentina cannot be dragged into the war by the United States."

PREDICTS PEACE BY SPRING

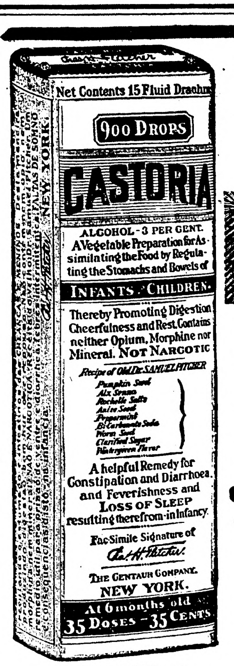
J. Ogden Armour Sees Hope in Speeches of Europeans.

Chicago, Oct. 2.—J. Ogden Armour, packer, predicts the war would be over by spring.

"Political leaders abroad are talking and thinking peace and one can read it in the speeches of statesmen of all countries," he said. "That, to me, is a strong indication that peace is near."

TRY TO POISON WATER AT FORT

Fort Sheridan, Ill., Oct. 2.—A double guard of regulars has been placed around the tower which contains the water supply for the Fort Sheridan reservation and extra guards were stationed at the pumping works. No reason was assigned for the action. Rumor is that attempts have been made to poison the post water supply. Post officials refused to discuss the matter. It is said the I. W. W. agitators from Chicago and confined in the guard house were at the bottom of the alleged attempt.



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CUT OUT CROOKED STICKS

Use of Dead Wood for Fuel Is Also Applied to Scoundrels and the War.

Forestry experts in New York, a state which has given much conserving attention to its wealth in trees, urge farmers to help the country meet the high cost of fuel by making more use of the dead and dying timber in their wood lots. They are advised to burn in their stoves and grates the fallen logs still sound enough to be converted into fire wood and to cut down and utilize crooked trees obviously foredoomed to worthlessness as timber, no matter how long they may be allowed to stand.

This is good advice, and there is a human moral in the crooked stick part of it, says an exchange. The same stress of war times, which led to the appeal issued to New York farmers in sifting out crooked men. Some rascals will profit by war conditions, but in the broad view of the nation's affairs the sound and straight will come to the front. The country can't take chances with scoundrels. It must cut crooked sticks out of the life-and-death work of the war, in places of authority.

Waiting for Congress.

"Why does the president have the pardoning power and not congress?"

"We don't want a prisoner who deserves a pardon to run the risk of dying of old age."

Always Be Fair.

Try and find the good that is in your neighbor, even if you have to take a microscope.

Not Very.

"He's as happy as a king."

"Humph! How happy is a king nowadays?"

In 28 days from hatching, a silk worm increases 14,000 times its original size.

Religion in France.

There is no state religion in France, but the adherents of any church or creed can hold their religious belief and observe their religious practices. Under the law promulgated on December 9, 1905, the church were separated from the state, the adherents of all creeds were authorized to form associations for public workship, and the state, the departments and the the state, the departmets and the communes, were relieved from payment of salaries to clergymen. For clergymen of forty-five years of age, pensions were provided. Buildings used for public worship were made over to associations for public worship. The association law of July 1, 19101, requires religious communities to be authorized by the state, and no monastic association can be authorized without a special law in each particular case. Before the passing of that law there were 910 recognized associations, and 753 not recognized. After the passing of the law, of the 753 not recognized, 305 dissolved themselves, and 448 asked for authorization which was refused by the chambers, or parliament, to the majority of them.

More Expensive Trimming.

Halefeller (wildly)—What! Do you mean to tell me, woman, that it cost $30 to get that hat trimmed? Jumping Jupiter! But that milliners' game is the limit!

Mrs. Halefeller (sweetly) Really? Why, I understood it costs some men more than that to get trimmed in a poker game.

The Proof of It.

"This concert business is going to the dogs."

"Why so?"

"Too many bark-arolles in the programs."

Women are fast replacing men in the printing trade.

The note shaver can't be depended upon to whittle down expenses.

SOLDIERS FIRST, THE RULE

Gallant Warriors Willing to Give Right of Way to Visitors, but Plans Are Changed.

It was a Sunday evening at Ft. Benjamin Harrison and the crowd of sisters, mothers, aunts and sight-seers was waiting at the interurban station for a car. At last one came. At the same time a crowd of soldiers with leave to go to the city arrived. It was evident that the lone car and its small trailer could not carry all the passengers. The soldiers held a little consultation, and then suddenly offered to the women the use of the train. They said they would wait for another car. The train filled with sisters, mothers, aunts and sight-seers left the little group, and the soldiers were thanked many times for the favor.

At the siding just east of town the train bearing all these civilians was stopped and backed on to a switch. Two minutes later a car loaded with soldiers passed them on the main track, making a bee-line for town.—Indianapolis News.

A Pointed Question.

Jean's maiden aunt is a dressmaker, and she is forever exhorting the little girl, who loathes the sight of a thimble, to learn to sew.

"Aunt Ruth," Jean remarked recently, "should every little girl learn to sew and make her own clothes?"

"Yes, indeed," replied aunty warmly. "Why do you ask?"

"Well, then, how would you make a living?"

Aunty subsided.

The New Way

Chancellor Sire, we will have to camouflage some of our diplomatic schemes.

Kaiser Then paint them a neutral tint.

Twenty four lumber yards in Wisconsin now employ women as lumber handlers.

Eat More Corn!

When you eat corn instead of wheat you are saving for the boys in France

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HOW SHALL WE PAY FOR THE WAR?

A Constructive Criticism on the House Revenue Bill.

LOANS BETTER THAN TAXES

Five Reasons Why Excessive Taxes at the Outset of War Are Disadvantageous—Great Britain Example Worthy of Emulation—How the Taxes Should Be Apportioned.

By EDWIN R. A. SELIGMAN,
McVickar Professor of Political Economy, Columbia University.

On May 23, 1917, the House of Representatives passed an act "to provide revenue to defray war expenses and for other purposes." In the original bill as presented by the Committee of Ways and Means, the additional revenue to be derived was estimated at $1,810,420,000. The amendment to the income tax, which was tacked on to the bill during the discussion in the House, was expected to yield another $40,000,000 or $50,000,000.

In discussing the House bill, two problems arise:

I. How much should be raised by taxation?

II. In what manner should this sum be raised?

I. How Much Should Be Raised by Taxation?

How was the figure of $1,800,000,000 arrived at? The answer is simple. When the Secretary of the Treasury came to estimate the additional war expenses for the year 1917-18, he calculated that they would amount to some $0,000,000,000, of which $3,000,000,000 was to be allotted to the allies, and $3,600,000,000 was to be utilized for the domestic purposes. Thinking that it would be a fair proposition to divide this latter sum between loans and taxes, he concluded that the amount to be raised by taxes was $1,800,000,000.

There are two extreme theories, each of which may be dismissed with scant courtesy. The one is that all war expenditures should be defrayed by loans, and the other is that all war expenditures should be defrayed by taxes. Each theory is untenable.

It is indeed true that the burdens of the war should be borne by the present rather than the future generation; but this does not mean that they should be borne by this year's taxation.

Meeting all war expenses by taxation makes the taxpayers in one or two years bear the burden of benefits that ought to be distributed at least over a decade within the same generation.

In the second place, when expenditures approach the gigantic sums of present-day warfare, the tax-only policy would require more than the total surplus of social income. Were this absolutely necessary, the ensuing havoc in the economic life of the community would have to be endured. But where the disasters are so great and at the same time so unnecessary, the tax-only policy may be declared impracticable.

Secretary McAdoo had the right instinct and highly commendable courage in deciding that a substantial portion, at least, of the revenues should be derived from taxation. But when he hit upon the plan of 50-50 per cent., that is, of raising one-half of all domestic war expenditures by taxes, the question arises whether he did not go too far.

The relative proportion of loans to taxes is after all a purely business proposition. Not to rely to a large extent on loans at the outset of a war is a mistake.

Disadvantages of Excessive Taxes.

The disadvantages of excessive taxes at the outset of the war are as follows:

1. Excessive taxes on consumption will cause popular resentment.

2. Excessive taxes on industry will disarrange business, damp enthusiasm and restrict the spirit of enterprise at the very time when the opposite is needed.

3. Excessive taxes on incomes will de[illegible] the surplus available for investments and interfere with the placing of the enormous loans which will be necessary in any event.

4. Excessive taxes on wealth will cause a serious diminution of the incomes which are at present largely drawn upon for the support of educational and philanthropic enterprises. Moreover, these sources of support would be dried up precisely at the time when the need would be greatest.

5. Excessive taxation at the outset of the war will reduce the elasticity available for the increasing demands that are soon to come.

Great Britain's Policy.

Take Great Britain as an example. During the first year of the war she increased taxes only slightly, in order to keep industries going at top notch. During the second year she raised by new taxes only 9 per cent. of her war expenditures. During the third year she levied by additional taxes (over and above the pre-war level) only slightly more than 17 per cent. of her war expenses.

If we should attempt to do as much in the first year of the war as Great Britain did in the third year it would suffice to raise by taxation $1,250,000,000. If, in order to be absolutely on the safe side, it seemed advisable to increase the sum to $1,500,000,000, this should, in our opinion, be the maximum.

The second army draft will be made between Oct. 10th. and 15th.

A Bemidji firm secured the timber on the Red Lake Indian reservation, which was sold last week.

The army needs clerks, railroad men, gas engineers, machinists, carpenters and cooks. No need of anyone being idle these strenuous times.

If this country is worth living in—then it is worth standing by in the hour of need and men who refuse to do this are not desireable residents and should move to Europe.

Is suggested that now is the time to buy breeding ewes at South St. Paul. Get together and buy a car of 125 heed. For further information write to Wm. Dietrich, Northwest Experiment Station, Crookston.

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From Beauty Secrets

With the aid of a plain medol paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with powdered medol. This is applied to the hairs not wanted and after 2 or 3 minutes rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. When you go to your druggist for medol be sure you get the genuine article, and if he will not supply you, the American Proprietary Co. of Boston, will send you a 50c or $1.00 package by mail.

Worse Than Work.

"After a man has loafed awhile," said Uncle Eben, "he generally decides dat he'd rather go to work dan be so lonesome."

For Sale!

As we will soon be ready to move into our new bank building, we have decided to sell our old building at a reasonable price. If interested write or call on us.

Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

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Office: McGinn Block
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PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Above Them All.

Homan—"One of the waiters at this place was formerly a duke, one of the chefs was a count and the bellhop was a prince." Ryontoo—"I suppose the manager was formerly a king or emperor?" Homan—"No; he was a milk wagon driver."—New York Sun.

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Notice

To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Fsrmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn.
September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
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Successor to and Continuation of
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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

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Local Items

E. A. Wright of Middle River was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Martin Olson Seim left Tuesday for Madison Wis. where he has work in a machine shop.

A. H. Huseth of Greenbush visited relatives and friends last week Thursday and Friday.

Miss Ingborg Nelson returned home Monday from an extended visit in Grand Forks.

Music lessons given at my home or at home of pupil. For further information call on Mrs. F. E. Hall.

Edwin Berkvan went to Minneapolis Monday evening to again take up his studies at the state university.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Adams and son Myron returned home Tuesday from Dugdale where Mr. Adams had work for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and children from Strandquist were Sunday guests at the home of C. W. Christianson and family.

Rev. Wilson of St. Hilaire will assist Rev. Kilen in the services at the Free Mission church next Sunday afternoon and evening.

Rev. M. T. Strom left Wednesday for Grand Forks and Thompson, No. Dak., where he was to hold meetings for several evenings.

Mrs. Chas. M. Orcutt and baby returned Monday to their home in Fargo after an extended visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Davidson.

Estray:—Three calves came to my place Oct. 6th. Owner please prove property and pay for keeping and for this notice.
S. R. Rogers,
R. 2 Thief River Falls.

The following were pleasantly entertained at the C. L. Heinze home: D. Payne, P. Anderson, B. Docken, and family, Miss. Lillian Pederson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson and Mr. and Mrs. Gubrud.

Don't forget the Parcel Post Social given at the Woodman Hall Saturday evening Oct. 20 at 8 o'clock. A musical program will be given before the sale of the parcels. The Dorcas will also serve a lunch. Don't miss the good time.

Notice for Bids

Bids wanted at once for moving our old bank building three blocks from the present location.

Holt State Bank.

$100 Reward, $100

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Holt State Bank Moved

Into New Building

The Holt State Bank was moved into their new building Monday morning and needless to say they are much pleased with their new quarters. The fixtures are all new and up to date aud are so arranged as to be convenient and handy both for the banks employees and their customers Every thing about the building and equipment is handsome and substantial and reflects credit on the business management of the bank.

The bank will be run in its new home on the same conservative plan as in the past and our readers will always find them to be obliging and accommodating in every respect. We bespeak for them a continued prosperity.

Wm. Tripp of near Warren has the contract for about a mile and a half of grading on state road No. 8 west from the new bridge that is being built across the Thief river.

Mr. Tripp commenced the work of grading the road on Monday. We understand the parties who are constructing the bridge, expect to complete the job by sometime next week. This will make a straight road from Grygla to Holt and will undoubtedly be used a great deal as soon as ready for travel.

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruehman visited at Erickson's Tuesday evening.

Chas. Skeglund bagged the first wolf of the season Tuesday morning.

The first men drafted in Canada will be called to the colors Dec. 1st.

J. E. Erickson sold some sheep to Mr. Lisner at Stiener Tuesday.

Nels Gudvangen hauled out lumber this week for a cattle shed 16x60.

Winton Nichols Lumber Co., have sold J. J. Little the lumber for his barn 30x60 which he is now building.

Ed. Nelson came up from Crookston Saturday to visit his mother, Mrs. J. L. Nelson and family, a few day.

It is now almost certain that the second draft of the Minnesota soldier boys will be notified to go to Camp Dodge on Oct. 21th.

Rev. G. O. Parish has been returned to the charge at Thief River Falls by the M. E. Conference held in Minneapolis last week. This will be good news for the many friends of Rev. Parish, in and around Holt.

Complaint is being made of bird dogs bothering and sometimes killing chickens. Inasmuch as a notice has been published that all bird dogs and others of destructive habits must be muzzled or tied up, regardless of whether a license has been issued for them or not, it ought not to be necessary to give notice again The parties say that unless this notice is heeded that these dogs will be shot the first time they bother again.

The drafted men from this part of Minnesota and eastern North Dak. will compose the 352nd. Infantry of the National Army. This regiment will have 95 officers and 3604 enlisted men when it is filled, divided into 15 companies. Funds are needed for papers, magazines, games and athletic outfits. The government allowance is about 42 cents a day for food, which is not enough to buy butter, cake or other extras. Contributions of cash are solicited. Send to David Johnson at Warren who has been appointed to receive donations for this county.

Tell us the news.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 11 o'clock A. M.

Services at 2 and 8 o'clock p. m. next Sunday by Rev. Kilen and Rev. Wilson of St. Hilaire.

Southeast of Holt.

Ole Ose opened a term of school in Dist. 159 on Oct. 1st. There being a fair attendance.

Carl Guttrud shot a wolf last week.

Arthur Thorwick is the owner of a fine new Ford car.

Emma Omlid is staying at the Peterson home during Mrs. Peterson absence in North Dakota.

Mrs. Guttrud and family entertained a few of their friends on Sunday.

There will be a basket social in school house Dist. 159 on Saturday evening Oct. 13th. Your presence will be appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson, Amanda Klungness and Arthur Thorwick were Sunday guests at the Soren Moe home.

Mrs. Edmundson, who has been staying at the home of her brother John Klungness, left for Garrison Friday morning.

Charley Steenerson and Arthur Thorwick returned home from a short stay in Canada on Friday.

Ethel Nustvold took her departure for Minneapolis on Friday.

Alfred Bredeson and Martin Benson autoed down from T. R. Falls on Friday and were in attendance at service in the Free church. The trip was made in Mr. Bredeson's new Ford.

There will be union service at the Synod church on Sunday commencing at 10:30 A. M.

For Sale.

Set of Bank Fixtures for sale at a very reasonable price. We have moved into our new bank building and desire to dispose of the old fixtures at once. Will sell cheap.

Holt State Bank.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends who so kindly helped us through the illness and death of our beloved son and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Svenson
and family.

Notice

Offers wanted at once to clear the NE 1-4 sec 21 twp 156 ran. 43.

Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

Obert Reierson returned home last week from Dakota.

Conserve on fuel by saving the down wood before snow comes.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mattson visited at Erickson's Sunday.

C. L. Sandberg has raised the roof of his barn to make room for a hay loft.

Mattson Bros. have moved their threshing machine shed to J. E. Alkenbrack's place.

Mrs. Kuehne went to Thief River Falls Monday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Knauf and family.

The movement of coal to the northwest from the head of the lakes fell off nearly 12,000 cars during Sept. Heavy shipments are now being made, but it is pretty certain there will be a shortage of coal before next spring, as lake traffic closes with the cold weather. Everyone should get up all the wood they possibly can, as it will be needed before the warm breezes of spring come again.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Choir practice every Thursday at 8 o'clock.

Services at Olaf Dahl's on Sunday Oct. 21st at 11 o'clock. The Ladies Aid will be entertained at the same time by Mrs. Olaf Dahl and Mrs. Ed Johnson.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Take Notice

We want some plowing and breaking done at once. Call or write us.

Holt State Bank

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Oct. 3, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Alfred Larson of Holt, Minn., who on July 30, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08332, for NE 1-4, Section 33, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the district of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of Nov. 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Pete Rosan of Holt, Minn., and Isaac Ostlund, Peter Ostlund, Olina Knute Bolingberg all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

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Are you going to do some fall fence repairing? Are you going to put up some new fences?

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A bright little baby [illegible] Wednesday night to Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kold[illegible]

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota.
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 20, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 28th, 1917, at 9 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

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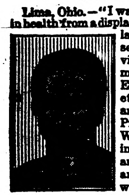

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Women who suffer from displacements, weakness, irregularities, nervousness, backache, or bearing-down pains, need the tonic properties of the roots and herbs contained in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Submarine Improvements.

Since April 1 German submarines have been equipped with four new devices which increase their destructiveness, and render it more difficult for chasers to discover their whereabouts. Formerly the U-boats, to remain in one spot, had to come to the surface, or anchor themselves to the bottom; but four small pumps are now used which enable them to remain stationary while submerged. This not only conserves fuel, but prevents its enemies from hearing the throb of the submarine's propellers. Telescopic periscopes give further assistance to the submarine in concealing its position. A mixture of oxygen and strained gas is now used in the engines, and the exhaust is washed free of smoke and broken into small bubbles, which do not leave a wake. Finally, new listening devices enable it to hear and judge the size of ships at a considerable distance.—Exchange.

Help to Save Nation's Food Supply

In this time of high cost of living, everybody should use all possible means to prevent waste and to help save food. No one means can be more effective than a vigorous campaign to exterminate rats which destroy over two hundred million dollars worth of foodstuffs annually. Keep garbage in rat-proof cans, stop up their holes, and above all exterminate them with Stearns' Paste, which can be bought for a few cents at any store. A two ounce box will usually rid a house or barn of every rat. It destroys mice, cockroaches and waterbugs as well. Adv.

Prospects Excellent.

A friend dropped in to say hello the other day—he had been in the Blue Ridge region for a few weeks. He brought this story:

A young native, a widower of a year, called at the shack of the father of a numerous family, and after beating about the bush for a while, asked the parent for his daughter's hand.

"So ye want to get hitched with Sal?" said the old man. "I dunno about it. Yer fust wife didn't last ye long. What are yer prospecks?"

"Fine!" asserted the suitor. "All the wimmen what sent their washin' to my first wife has promised to do the same by her successor, whoever she mout be. Oh, we'll git erlong all right!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

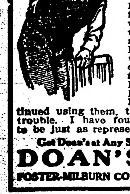
In Uniform, All Right.

Lady of House—You say you are in the army. Then why aren't you dressed as a soldier?

Ragged Rogers—It's de army of de unemployed, lady, an' dis is de fatigue uniform.

To Get In Strong.

If you do not feel like flattering a woman you can make a hit by knocking her lady neighbors.



Back Lame and Achy?

There's little peace when your kidneys are weak and while at first there may be nothing more serious than dull backache, sharp, stabbing pains, headaches, dizzy spells and kidney irregularities, you must act quickly to avoid the more serious trouble, dropsy, gravel, heart disease, Bright's disease. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that is so warmly recommended everywhere by grateful users.

A North Dakota Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

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ARRANGE FOR MEASURES TO RAISE MONEY

Joint Conferees on War Revenue Complete Their Bill and Turn in Their Report.

TAX LEVIES WILL BE HEAVY

Under Legislation Provided, Powerful Corporations Will Pay Their Proper Share for the Finances That Must Be Provided for the Successful Continuance of the War—Best Efforts of Statesmen at Washington Have Been Put Forward to the Accomplishment of the Country's Ends.

Washington.—The joint conferees on the war revenue bill completed their draft after two weeks of deliberation.

As revised by the conferees the measure has been raised from the levy fixed by the senate of $2,416,670,000 to an aggregate of approximately $2,700,000,000. Chairman Simmons of the senate finance committee estimated that the increase made by the conferees would approach $275,000,000.

Profits Tax Modified.

The excess war profits tax, as agreed to by the conferees, is a modification of the senate bill, the principal changes being in the maximum and minimum rates of exemption upon which the tax is to be determined. The senate graduated scale of exemptions ran from 6 to 10 per cent, while the house exemption rate was 8 per cent. The conferees adopted the graduated rate of from 7 to 9 per cent.

The definition of capital, which was a point upon which the conferees argued for days, was modified so as to provide that the actual value of tangible property paid into a corporation or partnership or individual business before January 1, 1914, shall be taken as of that date. The proviso as to good will and other intangible property has been somewhat liberalized.

As to "Invested Capital."

In calculating war excess profits the terms "invested capital" of corporations and partnerships was declared to include "actual cash paid in, actual cash value and other tangible property paid for stock or shares at the time of payment or January 1, 1914, but in no case to exceed the par value of the original securities; paid in or earned surplus and undivided profits used or employed in the business, exclusive of undivided profits earned during the taxable year."

The allowance for intangible assets includes "actual cash value of patents and copyrights paid in for stock or shares at the time of payment . . . . good will trademarks, trade brands, franchises . . . if for bone-fide payments not to exceed the cash value."

It stipulates that such intangible assets exchanged for securities before March 3, 1917, not exceeding 20 per cent of the total, shall be included at a value not exceeding a fair cash value at the time of purchase.

Postal Increases.

A flat increase on reading matter of ¼ cent per pound until July 1, 1919, and ½ cent thereafter was provided. Advertising matter exceeding 5 per cent of the total space would be taxed from ¼ to 2¼ cents additional until July 1, 1919, and from ½ to 4½ cents more until July 1, 1920; and from ¾ to 6¾ cents to 1921 and from 1 cent to 9 cents thereafter.

An additional tax of ½ cent per pound until July 1, 1919, and ¼ cent thereafter, on religious, agricultural, fraternal and similar publications was adopted.

The 1 cent tax on letters, excepting drop letters and postal cards, was restored by the conferees. A 1 cent additional tax on postal and private mailing cards was added. The first-class mail increases are estimated to raise $90,000,000, and are effective 30 days afetr the passage of the act. The senate provision exempting from postage leetters written by soldiers and sailors abroad was retained.

Railroad Tickets Hit.

The conferees levied 8 per cent in lieu of the senate rate of 5 and the house rate of 10 per cent on passenger transportation, estimated to raise from the compromise levy abouot $60,000,000 instead of $37,500,000 under the senate plan. The 3 per cent tax on freight transportation was retained and the tax on express transportation was increased so that 1 cent would be levied on each 20 cents paid instead of each 25 cents. The house 10 per cent tax on Pullman accommodations, cut to 5 per cent by the senate, was restored and is estimated to raise $5,000,000.

In lieu of the house 5 per cent tax on sales of automobiles by manufacturers and the senate federal license tax on owners, the conferees adopted a 3 per cent tax on all motor vehicles, including trucks, payable by manufacturers, producers and importers.

HEAVY NEW WAR TAXES HAVE HAD TO BE LEVIED BY CONFEREES APPOINTED BY SENATE AND HOUSE

Washington.—The war revenue bill, as finally agreed on by the house and senate conferees provides for the raising of approximately $2,606,320,000, as follows:

Income tax	$ 842,000,000
Excess profits tax	1,110,000,000
Distilled spirits	135,000,000
Rectified spirits	5,000.000
Fermented liquors	46,000,000
Wines, etc.	10,000,000
Soft drinks, sirups, etc.	14,000,000
Cigars	10,000,000
Cigarettes	20,000,000
Tobacco	25,000,000
Snuff	1,500,000
Cigarette papers	200.000
Freight transportation	77,500,000
Express and parcel post	16,000,000
Passenger transportation	56,000,000
Pipe lines	4,500,000
Seats and berths	2,250,000
Telegraph and telephone messages	7,000,000
Insurance policies (new)	5 000,000
Automobiles (sale of)	40,000,000
Musical instruments (sale of)	4,300,000
Motion picture films	3,000,000
Jewelry (sale by manufacturer)	4,580,000
Sporting goods	1,200.000
Pleasure boats	500.000
Perfumes and cosmetics	1,900,000
Proprietary medicines	3,000.000
Canteens	750,000
Admissions	50,000,000
Club dues	1,290,000
Schedule A, including playing cards	30,000,000
War estate tax	5,000,000
Virgin island products	20,000
First class mail matter	60,000.000
Second class mail matter	14,000,000
Total	$2,606,320,000

Taxes of 3 per cent of manufacturers' ales of musical instruments and jewelry also were written in, with a tax of ¼ cent a foot on motion picture film.

New Inheritance Tax.

A new system of graduated inheritance taxes was written into the bill in lieu of the house plan and despite the senate's rejection of such taxes. The new rates on inheritances, with those of Americans in military service exempted, range from one-half of 1 per cent on $50,000 estates to 10 per cent on estates of $10,000,000 and more.

The bulk of the increases of between $250,000,000 and $300,000,000 made by the conferees in the senate bill was secured from the postage, public utilities and manufacturing sales section and the new inheritance taxes.

With but few exceptions, the new taxes are effective with the passage of the act.

Senate Version Stands.

The income tax section was adopted virtually as written by the senate. The new 2 per cent normal tax on incomes of more than $2,000 for married persons and $1,000 for single persons is in addition to the present law exempting incomes of less than $3,000 for single persons and $4,000 for married persons. Thus those between the new low exemption bases and the present exemptions will pay only the 2 per cent tax, but single persons having an income of $3,000 or more and married persons whose income is $4,000 or more would pay the full 4 per cent normal tax.

The senate income provision allowing an additional exemption of $200 for each dependent child to heads of families subject to the present law was retained. The exemption for children, however, does not apply to those subject to the new reduced taxes with the $2,000 and $1,000 exemptions, respectively, for married and single persons.

Surtax Is Agreed Upon.

Surtaxes were agreed upon as follows:

One per cent on income over $5,000 and less than $7,500; 2 per cent between $7,500 and $10,000; 3 per cent between $10,000 and $12,500; 4 per cent between $12,500 and $15,000; 5 per cent between $15,000 and $20,000; 7 per cent between $20,000 and $40,000; 10 per 18 per cent between $80,000 and $100,- per cent between $60,000 and $80,000; 18 per cent betwene $80,000 and $100,000; 22 per cent between $100,000 and $150,000; 25 per cent between $150,000 and $200,000; 30 per cent between $200,000 and $250,000; 34 per cent between $250,000 and $300,000; 37 per cent between $300,000 and $500,000; 40 per cent between $500,000 and $750,000; 45 per cent between $750,000 and $1,000,000, and 50 per cent on incomes exceeding $1,000,000.

Increased Tax on Whisky.

Increased senate rates on whisky and beer were virtually retained, and that on wines somewhat reduced. The tax on distilled spirits was made $2.10 per gallon when for beverage use and $1 less for industrial purposes, estimated to raise $135,000,000. The amendment prohibiting importation of distilled spirits for beverage use was retained. Floor taxes to reach withdrawn liquors were approved. Beer was taxed $1.50 per barrel additional, to raise $46,000,000, an increase of 25 cents per barrel over the house rate.

Present wine taxes were doubled.

Taxes on nonalcoholic beverages were compromised. On prepared sirups and extracts the taxes graduated from 5 to 20 cents instead of from 3 to 12 cents a gallon were adopted. Grape juice and other soft drinks are taxed 1 cent per gallon, as provided by the senate in reducing the original 2-cent rate of the house.

Senate rates on cigars and cigarettes were retained, but those on snuff were increased from 4 cents to 5 cents a pound.

Stamp Taxes Fixed.

Stamp taxes agreed upon are:

Bonds of indebtedness, 5 cents on each $100.

Indemnity and surety bonds, 50 cents.

Parcel post packages, 1 cent for each 25 cents of the cost of transportation.

Capital stock, original issues, 5 cents per $100.

Sales and transfers, 2 cents per $100.

Sales of produce on exchange, 2 cents for each $100 value in merchandise.

Drafts, checks payable other than on sight or demand, promissory notes, except bank notes for circulation, and renewals, 2 cents for all sums below $100 and 2 cents for each additional $100 or fraction thereof.

Conveyance papers, 50 cents between $100 and $500 and 50 cents for each additional $500.

Customs house entries, from 25 cents to $1; entry for withdrawal from bonded warehouses, 50 cents.

Passenger vessel tickets for ports other than those in the United States, Canada and Mexico, between $10 and $30, $1; between $30 and $60, $3, and above $60, $5.

Voting proxies, 10 cents.

Power of attorney, 25 cents.

Playing cards, decks of not more than 54 cards, an additional 5 cents on the present rates.

Taxes on life insurance, eliminated from the house bill in the senate, were amended and reinserted, raising about $5,000,000. Effective November 1 the new taxes on new insurance policies issued are 8 cents per $100 or fraction thereof on life insurance and 1 cent per $1 on the premium charged on marine, casualty, fire and inland insurances.

Amusement taxes agreed upon provide that all persons entering places of amusement free, except employees and officials on duty and children under twelve, would pay a tax rate of 1 cent on each 10 cents or fraction thereof of the admission charge. This tax also would apply to cabarets and similar performances where the cost of entertainment is included in other costs, such as service. Holders of annual box seats would pay 10 per cent of the annual rental. Nickel theaters and shows, rides and other outdoor park amusements with a maximum admission of 10 cents and benefit entertainments and agricultural fairs were exempted.

After November 1, 1917, members of all clubs, except fraternal orders, paying more than $12 annual dues would be subject to a 10 per cent tax.

Exemptions Are Allowed.

On excess profits the conferees agreed upon a minimum deduction of 7 per cent and a maximum of 10 per cent, instead of the 6 to 10 per cent fixed by the senate. Other exemptions are $3,000 for corporations and $6,000 for individauls. Corporations, partnerships and individuals having no capital stock would pay a flat rate of 8 per cent on net profits in excess of $3,000 for corporations and $6,000 for individuals and partnerships.

Miscellaneous income tax amendments inserted by the senate were generally adopted, including the so-called Jones amendment for a tax of 10 per cent on corporations' indistributed surplus, without allowance for income taxes paid. The 10 per cent tax would not apply to undistributed income actually invested or employed in business or invested in federal securities after September 1, 1917, and 5 per cent penalty for surplus retained but not employed is provided.

In making provision for administration and collection of the new and existing taxes the conferees provided that the special tax of 12½ per cent on war munitions manufactures shall be reduced to 10 per cent, but retained to January 1, 1918. It now yields about $29,000,000 annually and the senate had proposed its repeal.

GARFIELD FIXES COAL PRICES

Fuel Administrator Announces Final Decision, Which Will Be Binding on All Dealers.

Washington.—Fuel Administrator Garfield announced regulations, effective at once, for the limitation of the retail prices of bituminous and anthracite coal throughout the country.

The fuel administration has fixed in the conclusions arrived at, not the specific price which the retail dealer will be allowed to charge the consumer, but the gross margin which the retail dealer will be allowed to add to the average wholesale cost of his coal in making retail prices.

The retail dealer will be allowed to sell coal to the consumer at a price representing an advance of not more than 30 per cent over the retail gross margin of 1915. In no case, however, is the gross margin from now on to exceed the gross margin of July, 1917.

If, for example, a retail coal dealer bought a particular kind of coal in 1915 at an average of $2 a ton and sold it to the consumer at $3 a ton, his gross margin was $1. Dr. Garfield now allows him to add 30 per cent to this amount, making his gross margin for 1917 $1.30, provided that is not in excess of his gross margin in July last.

If the retail dealer now pays an average of $3 for the same kind of coal he will be allowed to sell it to the consumer for not more than $4.30 a ton.

Doctor Garfield selected 1915 as a normal coal production year.

AVOWAL OF WAR AIMS DEMANDED

German Reichstag Threatens to Compel Kaiser to Make Statement.

SPEAKERS ARE JEERED

Representatives of Michaelis Fail to Mollify Critics—Further Discussion Expected—Snow in Vosges—German Fleet in Baltic.

St. Paul, Oct. 9.—Internal conditions within the German empire threaten to compel the issuance of a full statement of Germany's war aims. What the German leaders want if they are succussful will be discussed in the reichstag.

Fails to Mollify the Critical.

The imperial chancellor, Dr. Georg Michaelis, sent Minister of the Interior Helfferich before the reichstag Saturday to make a statement on his behalf. Helfferich failed to mollify the critical members of the reichstag and the sitting was adjourned after the vice chancellor's speech had been interrupted. General von Stein, the war minister, was jeered when he attempted to explain the army's side of the accusation that the high command was using strong methods to help the pan-German agitation.

Tirpitz Busy Since Defeat.

Former Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg some months before his resignation had a test of strength with Admiral von Tirpitz, the reputed organizer of ruthless submarine warfare and the chancellor won. The admiral since has been busy and the fatherland party, of which he is a sponsor, according to recent reports, has been very active in opposing the reichstag majority declaration for peace without annexations or indemnities.

New Positions Used as Bases.

Approaching cold weather on the western front is forecast in the appearance of snow in the Vosges. In Flanders the weather has been most unfavorable the last two days, but official reports mention no letup in the violent artillery duels. The British are using the new positions won last week as a base from which to harass the Germans in the lowlands, preparatory for a new stroke in this plan to outflank the German positions in the north.

German Naval Fleet in Baltic.

Unofficial reports from Stockholm say strong German naval forces have been sighted in the Baltic sea off the Danish and Swedish coasts, bound probably for the Gulf of Finland for a drive on Telsingfors, Finland and Petrograd. The Germans are said to be concentrating a large force including mine sweepers, seaplanes and transports, and plan to take Helsingfors by land and sea.

TO DECIDE DRAFT LAW APPEAL

U. S. Supreme Court to Hear Arguments Dec. 10.

Washington, Oct. 9.—To permit an early decision, the United States supreme court has advanced appeals involving constitutionality of the draft law and fixed Dec. 10 for hearing arguments.

The court decided to expedite the government's anti-trust suit against the United Shoe Machinery company and fixed Jan. 7 for rehearsing arguments.

The court also decided to review federal decrees which restrained the International News service or Hearst service from "pirating" news from the Associated Press.

LIBERTY MOTOR TRUCK BUILT

Perfected Machine to Supply U. S. Armies Overseas.

Lima, Ohio, Oct. 9.—The first Liberty motor truck for the United States army, product of the greatest motor truck designers of the country, 12 motor truck plants and 62 automobile parts factories, has been completed here at a local manufacturing plant.

The standardized machine, of which 35,000 copies will be turned out in the first half of 1918 for the army is said to represent the perfection of automobile truck development. Its motive power is derived from the new Liberty motor, recently perfected at Washington by War department experts.

STORM'S DEATH TOLL IS 2,174

Japanese Typhoon Kills 400 in Tokio Alone, Official Report.

Tokio, Oct. 9.—The official total of casualties in the recent terrific typhoon and flood is announced as 2,174 dead and 770 injured. Four hundred were killed in Tokio alone and 72 injured.

Incendiaries Burn Lumber Yards.

St. Paul, Oct. 9.—Property valued at $130,000 lies in ruins in St. Paul, the result of fire, said to be of incendiary origin, which destroyed the plants of the Twin City Hardwood lumber company and the stock of the Twin City Varnish company. Twenty firemen were either injured or overcome while fighting the fire. The fire was the second in two days to destroy valuable property in St. Paul. It followed destruction of the H. B. Waite Lumber company yards. The yards adjoined.

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ADAM SPRUNG FIRST JOKE

Asked Eve If She Expected an Ichthyosaurus, When She Objected to Spider on Rose.

We believe that in the Garden of Eden, Adam gave Eve a rose in exchange for a kiss. And she shuddered and said, "Ugh! There's a spider on the rose?" And he answered, "Well, what do you expect for one stingy little kiss—an ichthyosaurus?"

We believe that to be the oldest joke in the world—older than the goat, the mother-in-law, or any that are supposed to be included in the Original Seven. In varying forms one finds it in the Talmud, in Plautus, in Aesop, in Rabelais, in Joe Miller, in all the almanacs and comic papers.

When we were a boy, it was told in a minstrel show, thus: A man buys a suit of clothes at a second-hand store. He comes back and complains that the coat is inhabited by unpleasant insects. And the dealer says, "Well, what do you expect for $5—humming birds?"

Vaudeville knows it in this form: Tenant—"Look here, you'll have to make some repairs in this house. The cellar is full of water! Landlord—"Well, what do you expect for $15 a month—champagne?"

And just last week we ran across our old friend again in a weekly comic paper. This time a passenger on a street car calls down the conductor for not calling the names of the streets distinctly. And the conductor replies, "Well, what do you expect for $14 a week—a tenor solo?"

Lastly—a few days ago, we ran a version of the old thing in this column. We cut its hair, trimmed its whiskers, and fitted it with a new suit, but we could not disguise it completely. When you run across it in any of its costumes, send us a clipping, will you? We are making a collection of that joke.

Friendly Advice.

The fellow who tells you how to run your business never offers to finance the shop.

It's a good wind that doesn't blow the dust into somebody's eyes.

Give the Wheat to the soldiers, but give me POST TOASTIES (MADE OF CORN) —Bobby

Post Toasties

Catarrh of Stomach

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Mrs. Mary Fennell, R. F. D., Pomona, Missouri, writes: "I wish to say a few words in the praise of Peruna. I have used it with good results for cramps in the stomach. Also found it the very thing for catarrh of the head. My sister was cured of catarrh of stomach by the use of Peruna."

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"'What are you fishing for, son?'

"'Snigs,' said he.

"'What are snigs?' said I.

"'I dunno,' said the boy. 'I ain't never caught none yet.'"

TEN MORE.

Aaker's Business College received 18 requests for office help last week and made the following happy by placing them in fine positions: Mabel Hovland, Selmer Grant, E. A. Nordquist, Jeanette Rankin, Zue Ross, G. L. Goldson, Ingeborg Peterson, Edla Thurn, Alma Halstensgaard and Dagny Gunderson. You could have had your choice of the 8 if you had been prepared. Send for general catalog or Gas Tractor & Auto Course Catalog to A. B. C., Grand Forks or Fargo, N. D. Adv.

A Big Plumber's Bill.

The party of tourists were watching Professor X as he examined the wrapped body of an ancient Egyptian.

"Judging from the utensils about him," remarked the professor, "this mummy must have been an Egyptian plumber."

"Wouldn't it be interesting," said a romantic young lady "if we could bring him to life?"

"Interesting but a bit risky," returned Professor X. "Somebody might have to pay him for his time."—Boston Transcript.

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HERMIT SCULPTOR IS FOUND

Spends Time Modeling Little Masterpieces Which He Promptly Destroys Upon Completion.

There has been discovered at Cape Scott, one of the most solitary points in Vancouver island, by the chief engineer of the public works department of British Columbia, a sculptor who spends his time in modeling little masterpieces from lumps of clay and then destroying them, relates an exchange.

He is A. F. Whittier, and he calls himself a "prospector." Living entirely alone, he has for the past two years been carrying out lonely investigations of mineral claims in his neighborhood. His sculptor's tools are of the simplest kind, and it is his habit to work with the same piece of clay, which weighs scarcely five pounds, but with that he has modeled scores of objects.

The government engineer found him just as he had completed a bust of the martyred British nurse, Edith Cavell. Mr. Whittier was about to destroy the work in order that he might use the clay for a miniature statue of his son, who was recently killed. He was, however, persuaded to part with the bust, which is to be auctioned in aid of the Red Cross funds.

The Spirit That's Needed.

G. Bernard Shaw, the Irish playwright, said recently in London that nobody but an idiot could imagine that the pacifists and socialists would be allowed to have any say in the peace negotiations which will end the world war.

"If Shaw is right," said a labor leader, "it's a bad thing for the world, and so I hope he's wrong.

"I hope the peace negotiations will create among the nations the spirit embodied in a saying which an old grandmother used to quote in my childhood, namely—

"'If you want a neighbor, be one.'"—Exchange.

Quite Sufficient.

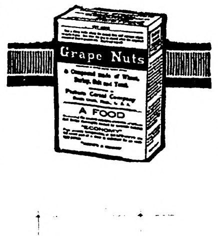
The Amateur Gardener—What do you consider is best for cabbage worms?

The Market Gardener—I never studied their diet closely, but mine seem to thrive on cabbages.

New Hotel for St. Paul.

St. Paul is to have a new sky[illegible] story on the site of the old Magee hotel.

People eat Grape-Nuts because they like it and they know it's good for them



EXTRAORDINARY SESSION ENDS

Remarkable Record of Achievement Marks Work of Body Now Adjourned

$2,700,000,000 REVENUE PROVIDED IN FINAL WEEK

Army Draft Law, Two War Credit Measures, Food and Fuel Control and Espionage Acts Were Passed

Washington, Oct. 7.—At the conclusion of a day's thrilling debate on the alleged disloyalty of Senator La Follette in the upper house, and a day of marked time in the house of representatives, congress Saturday closed its extraordinary session convened on April 2, adjourning sine die. The next regular session will begin on December 3. With galleries crowded to capacity, the senate and chamber was the scene of five hours of stirring debate of La Follette's attitude, three hours of that time being devoted to a set speech of the Wisconsin senator in his own defense. In the closing hours of the day many minor matters were cleared up by both houses, and the session adjourned with perhaps the most remarkable record of achievement ever made in the annals of American legislation.

Marking the session were its war declaration; provision for quick and large increases in the nation's fighting forces; appropriation of more than $20,000,000,000; measures of taxation and credits to meet the financial drafts, and vesting the president with large powers.

Among the most important measures enacted were:

The army draft law, two war credits measures, authorizing loans to the allies, the sale of domestic bonds, the war tax law, appropriation of $640,000,000 for airplants, the espionage act, control of foods, feeds and fuel; the trading with the enemy act, including authority for the president to embargo imports; the soldiers and sailors' insurance act and two war budget bills.

The new war revenue bill, passed by both houses during the closing week, has been estimated to raise revenues approximating $2,700,000,000.

WHITE SOX WIN OPENERS

Chicago Takes First Two Games of World's Series

Chicago, Oct. 8. Eddie Cicotte of Detroit, pitcher extraordinary to the Chicago Americans, piloted his team to victory over the New York Nationals Saturday by a score of 2 to 1 in the first game of the 1917 world's series, played at Comiskey park. Cicotte proved himself master of the Giants every stage of the contest, and was ably assisted by the White Sox machine, which played almost faultless baseball throughout the game. Thirty-two thousand spectators witnessed the event, and the receipts were $73,152. Sallee pitched for the New Yorkers, with McCarty behind the bat, while Schalk held down the home plate for the Chicago team.

Chicago, Oct. 8. Following their advantage of Saturday's game, the White Sox yesterday trimmed New York's McGrawmen in the second world series game by the decisive score of 7 to 2. Faber pitched for the locals while the visitors put up successively Schupp, Perritt, Anderson and Tesreau without satisfactory results. Runs by innings were two for each side in the second, and five for Chicago in the fourth.

HAS PLAN TO STOP STRIKES

Great Falls Unions Would Prevent Strikes During War

Great Falls, Mont., Oct. 7.—Presenting a concrete plan for a national arbitration board, moulded on the plan of the Great Falls method of handling labor problems, the Great Falls labor unions and the employers have sent to President Wilson, the secretary of commerce and Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, a request to establish a national arbitration board and handle all labor problems through it during the period of the war. They assert that their experience has demonstrated if the plan is given a trial there will be no abandonment of it. They propose a board of seven, three to be appointed by Samuel Gompers, three by the National Employers' association, and one by the president of the United States. Labor will provide the pay for its three men, employers for their three and the government for one. When the board has been named, the plan would be for the president to declare as a military order that no strikes be called.

Norton Presents Grading Bill.

Washington, Oct. 7.—Congressman P. D. Norton of North Dakota yesterday introduced a bill to amend the grain standards act which was passed as a part of the agricultural appropriation act of August 11, 1916. Mr. Norton's bill proposes to amend the law so as to require that any grades or standards for the quality and condition of wheat established by the department of agriculture shall be based upon the actual milling value of the grain. A hearing of the bill is expected at the next session of congress.

URUGUAY SEVERS RELATIONS

Montevideo, Uruguay, Oct. [illegible]—Uruguay has severed diplomatic relations with Germany. A presidential decree announced the rupture, following a vote in favor of it by the chamber of deputies, 74 to 23. The German minister has been sent his passports. President Viera in his message to the parliament declared that the Uruguayan government had not received any direct offense from Germany, but that it was necessary to espouse the cause of the defenders of justice, democracy and small nationalities.

Some Satisfaction.

At a ball given by Lord Derby in Canada, writes Douglas Sladen, I watched his A. D. C. taking an important politician, whom he should have known perfectly well, to introduce him to his (the politician's) own wife, a young and pretty woman, who considered herself one of the lions of Canadian society.

The situation struck me as a promising one, so I listened to hear what he would say:

"Mrs. Um," he said, "may I introduce Mr. Um-um to you?"

She looked up at him with an amused smile, and he continued quite blissfully:

"He's a stupid old duffer, but I'll get him away from you as soon as I can."

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An Exaggeration.

"Crossing the ocean nowadays is a serious proposition," said J. P. Morgan, who crosses the ocean continually, "but it isn't, after all, as terrible a thing as certain exaggerations would make you believe.

"'Anything to declare?' a customs officer said to a man who had just crossed the ocean.

"'Yes,' said the man. 'I declare that I'm one mass of black and blue bruises from jolting and bumping for six days over a regular corduroy road of German mines and submarines.'"

True to His Word.

"I haven't any case," admitted the client, "but I have money."

"How much?"

"Sixty thousand dollars."

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Captious.

"Dubwaite is a hard man to please."

"So I've heard."

"He went into a cabaret the other night and complained about the jazz band."

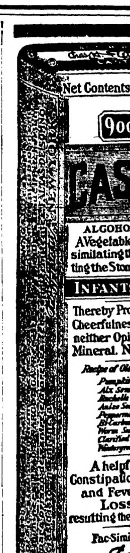
"Didn't it make noise enough to suit him?"

"No. He said he didn't believe the drummer was exerting his full strength."

An Emphatic Assurance.

"If you don't marry me," exclaimed the suitor, "I'll join the army."

"Let me tell you something," answered the girl. "If you don't join the army you won't even be well enough acquainted with me hereafter to ask me to marry you."



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"How did it happen?"

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Up-to-Date.

Campus Visitor—What is that immense building over there?

Student Guide—That's our new gymnasium.

Campus Visitor—And that little one, not much larger than a doghouse?

Student Guide—'At's our new library.

Matrimonial Camouflage.

Bride—You don't mind my wearing this complexion mask nights, do you dear?

Groom—Oh, surely not; it's your not wearing it days that's getting my goat.

So Disinterested.

"Count, my father has lost all his money."

"I will marry you, anyhow."

"Do you really mean it?"

"Yes; a man like your father can easily make another fortune."

Cohens Are Numerous.

New York city has more Cohens than Smiths listed in its city directory.

A Letter From Washington

The Food Administrator Writes Us:

"The use of baking powder breads made of corn and other coarse flours instead of patent wheat flour is recommended by the Conservation Division of the Food Administration. The wheat needed for export is thus conserved, and at the same time healthful food for our own people is provided. The circulation of recipes providing for these uses would be of assistance in carrying out our plans."

The following recipes for Corn Bread and Rye Rolls save wheat flour and make attractive and wholesome food for every day when made with

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CORN BREAD

[illegible] cups corn meal
½ cup flour
4 level teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1 tablespoon sugar
1 teaspoon salt
[illegible] cups milk
3 tablespoons shortening

[illegible] thoroughly dry ingredients; add milk and [illegible] shortening; beat well; pour into well greased pan and bake in hot oven about 25 minutes.

RYE ROLLS

[illegible] cups rye flour
½ teaspoon salt
3 level teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
⅔ cup milk
½ tablespoon shortening

[illegible] dry ingredients together, add milk and shortening. Knead on floured board, shape into rolls. Put into greased pans and allow to stand in warm place 20 to 25 minutes. Bake in moderate oven 25 to 30 minutes.

Our red, white and blue booklet "Best War Time Recipes" containing additional similar recipes sent free on request. Address Royal Baking Powder Company, Dept. W, 135 William Street, New York.

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Mrs. Short—How did it happen that when we got back from the theater last night I saw you let a policeman out of the basement door.

Nora—I don't know, mum, unless the play you wuz to see wuz shorter than they generally be.

Tommy and the Medicine.

Tommy—Mother, I [illegible] saved a lot of money.

Ma—How so?

Tommy—Didn't [illegible] keeps the doctors away?

Ma—Yes.

Tommy—Well, I kept about [illegible] doctors away today.

[illegible] municipal hogs.

[illegible] ability to cry [illegible] the wise to smile at [illegible]

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Liberty Bonds are in denominations of $50 and up. In this issue all purchases of $5000 or less are tax exempt.

Buy your Liberty Bonds now. October 27th is the last day subscriptions will be received in Washington.

Don't wait for someone to ask you to buy a bond. Go at once to your nearest bank or post office. Your neighbors and your friends are watching you. They are depending upon you to do your share.

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Holt State Bank,
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Anton Rodahl is building an addition 16x18 to his barn.

Taber & McLane have finished the well at R. L. Olson's and are going to drill a well for T. O. Saastad.

Mrs. Davidson of T. R. Falls and Mrs. Sorum of Hillsboro visited at the John A. Sorum and R. L. Olson homes a short time last week.

The annual meeting of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational Assn will take place at Thief River Falls, Thursday and Friday Nov. 15 and 16 Speakers of state and national reputation will appear on the two day and evening programs.

Notice

To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn.
September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

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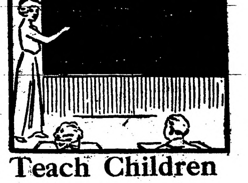
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Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Local Items

Mrs. Andrew Arnevick has been on the sick list for the past week.

The postage rate on letters will be three cents after Nov. 1st, due to the war tax.

Two gasoline lamps with pumps and torches, for sale cheap. Enquire at this office or at the bank.

Music lessons given at my home or at home of pupil. For further information call on Mrs. F. E. Hall.

Mrs. Axel Riesberg of Thief River Falls visited at the home of her brother, Peter Hanson and family Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Bjerk returned home last week Thursday from visiting relatives at Crookston and Reynolds and Northwood, N. Dak.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement on Thursday afternoon Oct. 25th. All are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel Anderson and daughter of Lockhart, Minn., visited friends in and around Holt, on Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Olaf Storholm and daughter Elery of Thief River Falls visited her sister, Mrs. Sam Mickelson, between trains, Monday.

B. J. Bakke and family moved here Monday from Thief River Falls and have been busy getting settled in the Latta house, belonging to D. Payne.

Don't forget the Parcel Post Social given at the Woodman Hall Saturday evening Oct. 20 at 8 o'clock. A musical program will be given before the sale of the parcels. The Dorcas will also serve a lunch. Don't miss the good time.

Mrs. P. A. Von Wold and children of Tolley, N. Dak., came Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack.

We understand Mr. Von Wold expects to rent a farm somewhere here and move back from Dakota.

Jacob Nelson came from Valley City, N. Dak., last week Thursday night, to visit his family. Mr. Nelson has been making an extended trip thru No. Dakota, Montana and Washington and he says Holt is the best place, after all.

Notice for Bids

Bids wanted at once for moving our old bank building three blocks from the present location.

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$100 Reward, $100

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Liberty Bond Meeting

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the town officers of the towns of Holt, Adgar, Excel and Mud Lake, also the village of Holt, was held at the M. W. A. hall Tuesday for the purpose of organizing and receiving instructions for sale of the Second Liberty Bonds of 1917.

Mr. H. L. Wood, of Warren, the county chairman, presided and gave a very enthusiastic and instructive speech. The town and village officers are practically drafted for this work and must interview each and every man in their respective townships and villages and use their best efforts to sell each and every individual a Liberty Bond. If a man refuses to buy a bond he must be reported on a "blue card" with particulars as to his nationality, occupation and reasons for not buying. The only valid reason considered, if a man refuses to buy a bond, is if he is a pauper.

Reports are coming rapidly stating that all are meeting with great success, and it is sincerely hoped this section will not send in a single blue card.

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Gilbert Knutson moved onto Rev. Ordahl's place, last week.

Ed Bjerk went to Crookston Friday to visit his sister, Mrs. Kouch.

We had quite a snow storm Wednesday night and all day Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. Hagglund went to Grand Forks Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Hagen of Haug visited her daughter, Mrs. Peter Hansen, a few days this week.

Richard Joringdal visited from Sunday until Tuesday with his parents near Viking.

Tilford Reierson of T. R. Falls visited here Sunday with his parents and other relatives.

Mrs. J. L. Longley of Kenosha, Wis., visited her sister, Mrs. Sam Mickelson, Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Lillie Peterson is taking a couple of weeks vacation from her duties as clerk in Gunheim's store.

Olaus Rodahl commenced Tuesday morning the building of the sidewalks in front of the Woodman hall.

Several parties were here Monday from east of Thief River Falls for coal. It seems as tho most of the neighboring towns have no coal and the supply here is'nt likely to last very long at the rate it is going.

A rag ball social will be given by the Zion Girls Sewing Society, Saturday evening, Oct. 27, in the East Valley schoolhouse District 148. Everybody is invited to attend.

Rev. G. O. Parish, who has been returned to the Thief River Falls M. E. church for another year, will be in Holt next Monday evening Oct. 22nd and hold services in the Free Mission church. Everyone welcome.

John Ewald loaded a car with his stock, machinery, etc., and accompanied by his brother, Ernest, departed Tuesday for their old home at Holloway, Minn. Mr. Ewald has rented his farm to Olaf Ness for the coming year, but expects to move back here next fall.

J. J. Little bot several head of cattle the first of the week from Jos. Jarland, who lost so much hay by fire. Mr. Little now has 51 head of cattle on his farm and is going to ship here 14 more head of pure bred Herefords, which he has at Madison, this state. Still he thinks he will have a hundred ton of hay to sell and have enough left to feed his herd until the spring pastures come.

Work for a quicker peace by buying a Liberty Bond.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 11 o'clock A. M.

Rev. G. O. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening, to which all are cordially invited.

The Ladies Aid will serve lunch in the church basement next Thursday afternoon Oct. 25th. Everyone invited to attend.

Lyceum Course For Holt

Through the efforts and enterprise of some of the citizens of Holt a splendid and entertaining Lyceum Course consisting of three numbers have been obtained.

This is the first time that this village has secured this high class of entertainment and those backing it are to be complimented.

The first number presented will be RENA GILMAN, Enactor of Plays, Presenting "The Shepherd of the Hills," Nov. 14, 1917, at the M. W. A. Hall. Everybody invited.

"The Shepherd of the Hills," by Harrold Bell Wright, is undoubtedly one of the most absorbing books ever written. It is filled with human interest from beginning to end, and has made a deep appeal to millions of readers.

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Notice

Offers wanted at once to clear the NE 1-4 sec 21 twp 156 ran. 43.

Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

Now the style is to buy bonds.

Liberty bonds will fight the Kaiser's war bombs.

Elmer Hagglund came up from Crookston last week for a couple of days visit at home.

Stiener News

(Too late for last week)

Simon Warring had some blacksmithing done one day last week at the Rogers shop.

S. R. Rogers and two sons Richard and Henry returned from N. Dak. last week they had charge of a threshing rig on a big farm.

Joe Russell and wife did business in T. R. Falls last Friday, their son Ervin and daughter Grace who are attending high school, accompanied them home for an over Sunday visit.

Our hustling merchant, G. L. Leisner, is shipping stock this week. He had an auto accident Saturday when his auto went into the ditch just west of the school house. He hurt his foot quite badly so he got Henry Rogers to take his car of stock to St. Paul.

Nick Baker and family visited his parents last Sunday.

S. R. Rogers and wife visited at the Russell home last Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Simonson and two sons visited at the August Koglin home Sunday afternoon.

Richard Rogers returned to Minneapolis last week where he is attending the U. of M. being enrolled in the medical department.

Miss Esther Werner took the train for Thief River Falls the first of the of the week.

Lewis Meyers is going with Axel Nelson's threshing rig these days.

Otto Solem visited at the Rogers home Sunday afternoon.

Andrew Kisch did business in this berg Tuesday.

Carl Steiner and son Johnnie were on our streets with grain, the first of the week.

Bob La Follette has sent us some of his speeches. They're hot stuff, therefore make good kindling.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Choir practice every Thursday at 8 o'clock.

Services at Olaf Dahl's on Sunday Oct. 21st at 11 o'clock. The Ladies Aid will be entertained at the same time by Mrs. Olaf Dahl and Mrs. Ed Johnson.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Take Notice

We want some plowing and breaking done at once. Call or write us.

Holt State Bank

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Oct. 3, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Alfred Larson of Holt, Minn., who on July 30, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08332, for NE 1-4, Section 33, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the district of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of Nov. 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Pete Rosan of Holt, Minn., and Isaac Ostlund, Peter Ostlund, Olina Knute Bolingberg all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

For Sale!

A 1914 Carter car, in complete running order, with electric lights and self starter. Will sell cheap or consider a trade.

B. Docken,
Holt, Minn.

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 20, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 28th, 1917, at 9 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

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State Auditor.

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Notice!

Good tractor with plows, for sale, very cheap.

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Holt, Minn.

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Office at Drug Store
Middle River, Minn.

The Local Market

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.05
Wheat No. 2	2.02
Wheat No. 3	1.97
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	2.84
Oats	51
Barley	75 to 1.00
Rye	1.67
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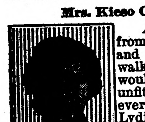

Aurora, Ill.—"For seven long months I suffered from a female trouble, with severe pains in my back and sides until I became so weak I could hardly walk from chair to chair, and got so nervous I would jump at the slightest noise. I was entirely unfit to do my house work, I was giving up hope of ever being well, when my sister asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took six bottles and today I am a healthy woman able to do my own housework. I wish every suffering woman would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and find out for herself how good it is."—Mrs. Karl A. Kieso, 596 North Ave., Aurora, Ill.

Could Hardly Get Off Her Bed.

Cincinnati, Ohio.—"I want you to know the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I was in such bad health from female troubles that I could hardly get off my bed. I had been doctoring for a long time and my mother said, 'I want you to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.' So I did, and it has certainly made me a well woman. I am able to do my house work and am so happy as I never expected to go around the way I do again, and I want others to know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Mrs. Josie Copner, 1668 Harrison Ave., Fairmount, Cincinnati, Ohio.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

His Sensitive Soul.

George Challis, owner of a theater in Muncie, Ind., believes that the craving for passes to shows becomes a mania, and relates a case in point, according to the Indianapolis News. He had been besieged for weeks by a man for passes to shows in the theater, and two or three times, just to get rid of him, had passed him in, which only seemed to make him the more insistent the next time, although Challis was under no obligation to him. Finally the fellow struck Challis one day when the latter was suffering from the effects of a "poor house" the night before, and, exasperated, he reached down in his pocket and, handing the importuning one a dollar, said, "Go over there to the box office and buy yourself a ticket like other people do." Puffing up, his dignity ruffled and his feelings apparently hurt, the other replied, "What do you take me for—a cheap skate?" And then haughtily walked away—with Challis' dollar in his pocket.

Despite the Price.

"Revenge is sweet."

"All I know about revenge is this. There's less of it actually had than almost any commodity you can name."

H. M. Deemer, 12 years bedfast in Philadelphia, makes money as a magazine agent. He advertises.

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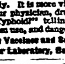

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"I have been reflecting," said an old-timer, "upon the case of the average man, as his neighbors see him.

"If he is poor, he is a bad manager. If he is prosperous, everyone wants to do him a favor.

"If he is in politics, it's for pork. If he is not in politics, one can't place him, and he's no good for his country.

"If he gives not to charity, then he's a stingy dog. If he does give, it's for show.

"If he is active in religion, he is a hypocrite. If he evinces no interest in matters spiritual, he's a hardened sinner.

"If he shows affection, he's a soft sentimentalist. If he seems to care for no one, he's cold-blooded.

"If he does young, there was a great future ahead of him. If he attains old age, he has missed his calling."

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Wireless Air Raid Warning.

The London Daily Chronicle reports that Mr. Thorp Hincks has devised apparatus for giving warning of impending air raids. It is claimed to be especially applicable to factories and public buildings. An electric resonator is placed on the roof, and on the sound of a given pitch being produced, the resonator causes a bell to ring in the building until it is stopped. It is said that large areas, such for instance as the whole of a city, can be simultaneously and instantaneously warned.—Scientific American.

Surprises in Housekeeping.

Mrs. Simpleton, having been a business girl, was a bit worried over the intricacies of housekeeping.

"I'm having such trouble keeping our food," she confided to her bosom friend. "I bought a real nice-looking refrigerator, but it doesn't seem to work well at all."

"Do you keep enough ice in it?"

"Ice!" gasped Mrs. Simpleton. "Ice! I hope you don't think, after spending all that money on a refrigerator, we'd go to the additional expense of buying ice!"

Correction.

"Is your wife a good plain [illegible]"

"No, she isn't; she's a good pretty one."

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Happenings of the World Tersely Told

U. S.—Teutonic War News

At the plenary sitting of the reichstag at Berlin Dr. Georg Michaelis, the imperial German chancellor, asserted that peace was impossible as long as Germany's enemies demanded any German soil or endeavored to drive a wedge between the German people and their emperor.

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"Americans who are discussing early peace with Germany forget that it would mean crushing the democratic ideals for which the United States has always stood," declared President Wilson to the organizers of a patriotic educational movement who called at the White House in Washington. He said the only way to end the war is by complete victory of the nations representing those ideals over Germany's doctrine of force.

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Vice Admiral Sims cabled the navy department at Washington that an American patrol vessel, on duty at night in the war zone, had fired on an Italian submarine, which failed to answer recognition signals, killing one officer and one enlisted man. Daniels sent a message to Rome expressing the deepest regret over the unfortunate occurrence.

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Washington

So acute has become the labor shortage in the United States that the administration at Washington is seriously considering a plan for the conscription of both skilled and unskilled laborers for government construction work. The government must get men for munitions plants, airplane factories, steel mills, and navy yards where it is building its great emergency fleet.

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An agreement between the war industries board at Washington and the steel manufacturers fixing maximum prices for steel products, about one-third under existing market prices, was approved by President Wilson. The agreement covers products not included in the previous schedules.

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Tasker H. Bliss, army chief of staff, has received his commission at Washington as general and he appeared at the war department with four stars on each shoulder, the insignia of his new rank. General Pershing's commission to similar rank has been sent to him in France.

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Existence of a general coal shortage was admitted by the geological survey at Washington, which attributes the situation not to the failure of producers to do their best but to the unprecedented demand.

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Virtually all the staple foods consumed by the American people will be put under government control November 1. The food administration announced at Washington that within a few days President Wilson will issue an executive order requiring that manufacturers and distributors of some 20 fundamental foods operate under license restrictions designed to prevent unreasonable profits and to stop speculation and hoarding.

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The American navy's war construction program consists of 787 vessels, including all types from super-dreadnaughts to submarine chasers. In making this announcement at Washington Secretary Daniels said some of the vessels have been completed within the last few weeks and are now in service.

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Despite an estimated loss of 51,000,000 bushels during September, the country's corn crop still will be the greatest in its history. Latest figures issued by the dpeartment of agriculture at Washington show the crop will be 3,210,795,000 bushels, and also that the spring wheat crop will exceed last year's. Other crops approach bumper records.

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Additional loans of $40,000,000 each to Great Britain and France were made by the government at Washington. With this transaction the total thus far lent to the allies is $2,613,400,000.

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Contracts for the huge number of destroyers for which an emergency appropriation of $350,000,000 was provided very recently have all been signed.

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Domestic

Arthur W. Nix, alleged chief of southwestern Oklahoma draft resisters, was arrested in Chickasha by federal officials and held in $10,000 bond for the federal grand jury.

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A federal warrant was issued at St. Louis for Harry B. Krenning, until recently president of an automobile manufacturing company, charging violation of the espionage act, because of remarks he is said to have made at a theater.

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"I killed him to free our family of his tyranny," were the words attributed to Alice Karlson, aged twenty-four, governess in a Dewitt (Ill.) banker's home, who is alleged to have killed her father Werner Karlson, on their farm near Scotts, Mich.

Capt. Franz von Papen, former attache of the German embassy in Washington, now in Europe, and 17 others were indicted by a federal grand jury at New York, charged with placing bombs in the Lusitania and many other ships in 1915.

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Bernard von Hoffman in the balloon St. Louis, with his brother Albert, fourteen years old, as aid, was declared winner of the ninth international balloon race held at Muskogee, Okla. The Von Hoffman brothers landed at Ripple, Miss., a distance of 400 miles.

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"The people of the West and East are prepared to give as many men and as much money as may be needed to bring this war to a successful conclusion." This is the message sent to President Wilson by Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane, on reaching Portland, Ore.

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Oscar Landmeisser, an itinerant evangelist, killed one man and wounded two other persons in a crowded courtroom at Hammond, Ind., then was brought down, wounded in turn by the fire of two court attaches. Landmeisser was being tried on the charges of Aldina Hartman. The man he killed, Fred Bayne of Indiana Harbor, was testifying against him.

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With the arrest of three men Captain Tunney of the bomb squad of New York, said that detectives had at last reached the heart of the conspiracy to place bombs on ships carrying supplies to the allies.

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Just before Coroner W. D. Elliott opened his inquest into the death of Jesse Barker, millionaire banker and clubman, who was found dead in his mansion at Peoria, Ill., W. G. Roberts, a cousin of the dead man, announced that relatives were satisfied that Barker had been murdered.

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Jesse Barker, millionaire of Peoria, Ill., who was found shot to death, ended his own life, a coroner's jury held. He requeathed $2,000,000 to the widow, Mrs. Chamie Robinson Barker.

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Five interned alien enemies escaped from the guardhouse at Fort McIntosh, Tex., where they had been interned since August 15. One was found dead and three captured.

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European War News

England intends to keep on fighting by the side of France until Germany agrees to give back Alsace-Lorraine to France, Premier Lloyd-George told a committee of the Insurance association.

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Allied troops made a strong attack south of Doiran, north of Saloniki, according to the Bulgarian report. The attacks were broken up at two points by the Bulgarian artillery. The entente losses are reported to have been heavy.

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Fairly reliable accounts of the mutiny in the German navy put the number of men condemned to penal servitude at 30, whose sentences range from five to fifteen years, while 80 to 100 were given lighter sentences, says a dispatch from Berlin.

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A further advance has been made by the French troops, which took the offensive in Belgium in co-operation with the British. Papegoet farm has been captured, the Paris war office announces, and more prisoners have been taken.

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After a desperate hand-to-hand battle, Australians captured Celtic wood, southeast of Broodseinde, from the Germans, says a dispatch to London from France.

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A revolutionary outbreak on four German warships at Wilhelmshaven is reported in a Central News dispatch to London from Copenhagen. This uprising was suppressed only with the greatest difficulty. The sailors threw the captains overboard. Emperor William went to Wilhelmshaven and ordered that one out of every seven mutineers be shot. Chancellor Michaelis protested with the result that only three were shot. Heavy sentences were imposed on the others.

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Giant Caproni airplanes rained bombs at night upon the great Austrian naval base at Cattaro, starting fires among the buildings in the nevy yard and causing damage to Austrian ships in the harbor.

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The capture of the villages of St. Jean de Mangelare and Veldhoek, with numerous blockhouses, is reported in the French official communication dealing with the operations in Flanders. More than 700 prisoners were captured.

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An uncensored dispatch to Copenhagen from Berlin says Heinrich Dove, Radical Socialist, who has returned from the front, reported to the members of the reichstag that the soldiers everywhere had expressed the desire that the war speedily be ended.

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Another big attack against the German positions to the east and north of Ypres by both the British and French armies met with great success in the first few hours of the fighting. The British troops effected the complete capture of Poelcapelle. All objectives were gained and the number of prisoners already exceeds 1,000.

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The violence of British artillery fire has compelled the enemy's evacuation of Ostankamila in the Saloniki fighting sector, an official statement announced at London.

BIG NAVAL FIGHT IN BALTIC LOOMS

Steamers Arriving at Stockholm Report Hearing Violent Cannonading at Sea.

ENEMY HAS 100 SHIPS

Petrograd Reports Great Fleet Participated in Landing of German Marines at Islands of Oesel and Dago—Expect Clash.

Stockholm, Oct. 16.—Steamers arriving here report hearing the sound of violent cannonading in the Baltic—presumably a naval engagement between the German and Russian fleets.

100 German Warships in Move.

London, Oct. 16.—Petrograd dispatches relate how nearly 100 German vessels, including eight dreadnaughts, a number of cruisers, a great flotilla of torpedo boats and auxiliaries, participated in the fighting which marked the landing of German forces on the island of Oesel and the demonstration against the island of Dago.

Russia Rallies Forces.

Russia is rallying her forces to the impending fight in the gulf of Finland. Dispatches from the capital quoted a powerful appeal issued by Premier A. F. Kerensky warning the Baltic fleet that the "hour of trial" had arrived.

Warships Clash in Gulf.

London looks for an early and important sea battle between the German and Russian forces. Desultory engagements between various craft on both sides have already occurred on Oesel and Dago islands and the shore batteries on the latter were officially reported to have sunk four German torpedo boats and a cruiser. Petrograd reports assert Russian naval forces had "successfully prevented" approach of German naval forces between the two islands and had forced a German landing party on Dago island to withdraw.

Push East and South From Oesel.

The German forces landed on Oesel island are pushing east and south, placing in a difficult position the Russian forces and batteries in the district of Arensburg at the southern end of the island and especially those on the Serel peninsula.

WHITE SOX WORLD CHAMPS

Chicago Defeats New York in Sixth Game of Series.

Polo Grounds, New York, Oct. 16.—The Chicago White Sox won the world's championship in baseball here Monday, defeating the Giants for the fourth time.

The batteries were: New York, Benton, Perritt and Rariden; Chicago, Faber and Schalk.

Benton and Faber hurled tight ball on even terms until Benton's support wobbled in the fourth. Herzog's triple gave the Giants two runs in the fifth.

The weather was the best that had been produced for any game of the series. A warm sun was shining, so warm that overcoats were doffed and the crowd could look on in comfort.

It appeared the crowd would be smaller than that which witnessed the fourth game here and which was but slightly more than 27,000. The playing field was in excellent condition.

Innings—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	4	7	1
New York	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	6	3

COMMANDEERS 500 VESSELS

Government Takes Over Coastwise and Ocean Going Ships.

Washington, Oct. 16.—Approximately 600 American coastwise and ocean ships of 2,500 tons or over were commandeered Monday by the government. Ships on the Great Lakes are not affected.

All along the Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific coasts, American registered and enrolled ships, all carefully listed in advance in the shipping board files, were taken over for government control. As requests from the army, navy, Allies and other government sources are passed upon for use of a certain amount of tonnage, orders will be telegraphed to ships assigned them to particular service.

WAR FACTORY WANTS WOMEN

Eastern Munitions Plant Sends Out Call for 300 Laborers.

New York, Oct. 16.—A munition factory near here has sounded an urgent call for 300 women laborers.

"This is the first opportunity which American women have had to serve their country so directly," said Mrs. Strakosch, secretary of the employment section of the mayor's committee of women of national defense. "We will be glad to do it."

Gopher Veterans in Sunny South.

Fulton, Ky., Oct. 16.—The Minnesota civil war veterans, on their way to Vicksburg to attend a reunion, held a meeting on the train, the Vicksburg Special, Commander Tower presiding. Governor Burnquist and others addressed the veterans. In his speech the Governor referred to the fact that they were passing through the state of their former commander, Abraham Lincoln. He praised the loyalty of the old soldiers and pleaded for the same loyalty in the present struggle.

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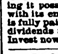

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Trunks direct from factory to user. Send for illustrated list. Fargo, N. D.

GERMANS BRIBED THE UMPIRE

Carl Emil Junck Tells How Teutons Are Tricky in Other Ways Than in War.

Carl Emil Junck, a dye importer of Chicago, was talking about Germany.

"The German spirit today is tricky, shifty and false," he said. "The Germans today think it's clever to cheat. Their war, with its violation of every war law and every international agreement, is a cheating war.

"Here is an illustration of the German spirit:

"When I lived in Elberfeld I organized a football team among the Elberfelt boys. Once, when the team was to play a neighboring team, I gave the boys 100 marks to buy shoes, leg-guards or whatever would most help them to win.

"Well, they won, but their shoes and leg-guards were very old and shabby, and I said to the captain after the game:

"'Glad you licked 'em, though certainly some of the decisions were close. But what did you do with the money I gave you?'

"The captain answered with a knowing smile:

"'You said, Herr Junck, that we were to use the money in any way that would best help us to win; so of course we made a present of it to the umpire.'"

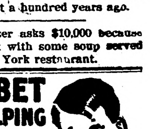
Can't Live on $25,000 a Year.

The somewhat irritating story of the woman who cannot support herself on a large income bobs up again. Mrs. Olga Kohler Florman of New York has been drawing $25,000 annually from the state of her father, but she asks an increase because she has gone in debt. She alleged that her husband earned only $60 a week and that she had to contribute to the support of an infant son. The court allowed her a bonus of $120,000.

Codfish Are Scarce.

Last year the codfish caught off the coast of New England amounted to 60,000,000 pounds—less than half the amount caught a hundred years ago.

M. D. Spitzer asks $10,000 because he ate a tack with some soup served him in a New York restaurant.



YOU BET I'M HELPING SAVE THE WHEAT says Bobby
POST TOASTIES
For me 3 times a day

WAS ALL RUN DOWN
Faulty Kidneys Caused Acute Suffering. Completely Recovered Since Using Doan's.

Mrs. Harry A. Lyon, 5 St. William St., S. Boston, Mass., says: "*Doan's Kidney Pills* have surely done me wonderful good. About two months prior to the birth of my baby, I had two convulsions and was taken to a hospital. Doctors said the convulsions were due to my kidneys not working properly.

MRS. LYON.

"I had swelling of the feet and ankles so that I had to wear large-sized slippers. My back ached intensely, I was nervous and unable to sleep. I also suffered from awful headaches and felt weak, tired, languid, and run down.

"After I came home a friend suggested that I try *Doan's Kidney Pills*, and I got some. I soon noticed improvement; my back became stronger and I felt better in every way. I kept on taking *Doan's* and was cured. They are surely reliable."

Mrs. Lyon gave the above statement in May, 1915, and on March 12, 1917, she said:

"My cure has lasted. I take *Doan's* occasionally, however, as a strengthener for my kidneys."

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WORDS LOST THEIR FORCE

Schwab Should Have Spoken Into Phonograph, He Is Told, When Discussing His Speech.

A banker who was told that Charles M. Schwab, the president of the Bethlehem Steel works, was one of the most forceful speakers ever heard at a banquet table, said he believed it, and then told this story:

About the time that Schwab was buying Bethlehem steel, and had made arrangements with Piny Fisk of New York, to handle the bonds, he went over to New York, and, of course, was entertained at a dinner. There he made one of his most forceful utterances. Mr. Fisk was moved to such an extent that he said to Mr. Schwab:

"That will sell the bonds. Only, you should write it out for me when you return, so I shall have an accurate statement."

Mr. Schwab wrote out his remarks as soon as he got back to his home and sent them to Mr. Fisk.

Mr. Fisk saw him soon afterward, and said: "Why didn't you write me what you said?"

"I did," responded the steel master. "I wrote the exact words."

"Well," answered Mr. Fisk, much disconcerted, "you should have spoken them into a phonograph."

A Woman Teaches Seamanship.

When one of the instructors in the government navigation school at Charleston, S. C., was compelled to leave, a woman, Mrs. Charlotte S. Patten of Maine, took the helm, and is now teaching beginners in nautical science. Mrs. Patten is the widow of a sea captain, and for fifteen years lived on board a ship. After the death of her husband she continued her life on the sea on board a ship captained by her son-in-law.

Nashville, Tenn., Commercial club has opened new headquarters building.

Youngstown, O., is to have a monument to David Tod, Civil war governor of Ohio.

INSTANT POSTUM
POSTUM CEREAL

THERE'S NO DOUBT ABOUT POSTUM AS A HEALTH IMPROVEMENT OVER COFFEE

SET APART DAY FOR BOOSTING LIBERTY BONDS

President Asks American People To Meet Oct. 24 To Help Big Drive.

"LET RESULTS BE IMPRESSIVE," EXECUTIVE'S PLEA

Would Show "Empire of Our Enemy" What America Intends to Do—Secretary of Labor Adds Effective Plea

Washington, Oct. 15.—President Wilson in behalf of the Liberty loan has issued a proclamation setting aside Wednesday, Oct. 24, as Liberty day and urging the people of the nation to assemble in their respective communities and "pledge to one another and to the government the fullest measure of financial support.

The president's proclamation is as follows:

"By the president of the United States, a proclamation:

"The second Liberty loan gives the people of the United States another opportunity to lend their funds to their government to sustain their country at war. The might of the United States is being organized to strike a mortal blow at autocracy in defense of outraged American rights and of the cause of liberty. Billions of dollars are required to arm, feed and clothe the brave men who are going forth to fight our country's battles and to assist the nations with whom we are making common cause against a common foe. To subscribe to the Liberty loan is to perform a service of patriotism.

"Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States, do appoint Wednesday, the twenty-fourth day of October, as Liberty day and urge and advise the people to assemble in their respective communities and pledge to one another and the government that represents them, the fullest measure of financial support. On the afternoon of that day, I request that patriotic meetings be held in every city, town and hamlet, throughout the land, under the general direction of the secretary of the treasury and the immediate direction of the Liberty loan committees which have been organized by the federal reserve banks. The people responded nobly to the call of the first Liberty loan with an oversubscription of more than fifty per cent. Let the response to the second loan be even greater and let the amount be so large that it will serve as an assurance of the unequalled support to hearten the men who are to face the fire of battle for us. Let the result be so impressive and emphatic that it will echo throughout the empire of our enemy as an index of what America intends to do to bring this war to a victorious conclusion.

For the purpose of participating in Liberty day celebrations, all employes of the federal government throughout the country whose services can be spared, may be excused at 12 o'clock Wednesday, the twenty-fourth day of October.

"In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

"Done in the District of Columbia, this twelfth day of October, 1917, A. D.
(Signed) "Woodrow Wilson,
"By the President.
"Robert Lansing, Secretary of State."

An appeal to the wage earners of the United States to invest in the bonds was issued by Secretary Wilson of the department of labor. "Workers have more at stake in this conflict than any others," said the secretary, "because it is only in a democracy that the common people can come to their own."

"SOX" WIN 5TH OF SERIES

Pendulum Again Swings to Chicago in World Series

Chicago, Oct. 15.—With the return of the American and National pennant winning teams to Chicago for the fifth of the hotly contested world series games Saturday, luck again turned the scale in favor of the western city and its American league team. While enthusiasm gave the contest more intense interest than in any of the preceding games, this will not be listed in baseball circles as a game of great skill. It abounded with errors and misplays, but all was forgotten when the American leaguers gained an advantage nearly as commanding as the two straight victories which marked the opening of the series. Chicago commenced to score in the third inning—after twenty-four innings in the series in which they had not been able to put a man across the home plate. They were still behind New York in the game, however, until the seventh, when they tied the Giants with a total of five runs each. The eighth gave Chicago three more, bringing the tally 8 to 5, where it stood at the close. Russell, Cicotte, Williams and Faber took turns in the box for the White Sox, and Sallee and Perritt collaborated as twirlers for the visitors. The financial receipts have been highly satisfactory throughout the series.

NEW MENACE WAKES RUSSIA

Germans Reach Point Within Eight Miles of Arensburg

Petrograd, Oct. 15.—The German forces which landed on Oesel island in the gulf of Riga, under the cover of ninety war vessels Saturday morning, were within eight miles of Arensburg on the southern shore, according to an announcement by the Russian naval staff. The Russians still occupy Serel point and the Svorve peninsula on the southwestern coast. The Germans did not occupy Dago Island, at the head of the Gulf of Finland, but made a demonstration against it.

FOE TRADE LAW PUT INTO EFFECT

President Issues Regulations for New Trading With the Enemy Law.

RULES ARE IMPORTANT

Every Citizen Is Affected by Act Which Is Expected to Force the Germans to Submit.

Washington, Oct. 16.—Regulations for the trading with the enemy act have been issued by President Wilson. They constitute the most far reaching control of every phase of intercourse between the United States and the world.

They give legal force to every move of the United States in casting about Germany an economic barrier which will compel her into submission.

Not only the new regulations for cutting off trade between the United States and Germany, but they do the following:

Cut off trade with Germany's allies.

Cut off trade with those who do trade with either Germany or her allies.

Provide custodians for all enemy property in the United States.

Require special licenses for trade or intercourse with any enemy or ally of an enemy within the United States.

Authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to investigate and supervise all foreign exchange and prevent its working to the advantage of the enemy.

Empower the Secretary of the Treasury to stop the taking from or into the United States of any communication other than by mail, telegraph, cable or wireless.

Creates Censorship Board.

Officially creates a censorship board consisting of representatives of the Secretaries of War and the Navy, Postmaster General, War Trade board and committee on public information to censor mail, cable, radio and other means of communication.

Authorize the Federal Trade commission to keep secret all patents that may be developed for the interest of the United States and to provide for working in the United States under patents held by enemies or allies of the enemy.

Vest in the Postmaster General the authority to censor foreign language publications.

Charge the Secretary of State with control over the entry and egress from the United States of enemies or allies of the enemy.

Authorize the Secretary of Commerce to hear appeals of refusals of customs officers to grant clearance papers to vessels.

Charge the Attorney General with the enforcement of the criminal sections of the trading with the enemy act.

Empower the President to regulate imports as well as exports.

SHORTAGE IN GERMAN CROP

Wheat Alone Shows Shortage of Forty Per Cent.

London, Oct. 16.—The Press Association publishes an economic review of the condition of the Central powers, in which it says that a special investigation ordered by the German chancellor of the 1917 harvest shows that the yield will be 40 per cent lower than in normal years for wheat and 45 per cent lower for rye, oats and barley. The total harvest of wheat and rye amounts to 7,500,000 tons, compared to 13,000,000 tons in 1913. The shortage will be partly compensated from the Roumanian granaries.

The reviewer considers the situation during the coming winter will depend mainly on the results of the potato harvest.

Should frost, lack of labor or other reasons cause a shortage in potatoes, it will spell disaster.

The situation in Austria-Hungary, it is declared, is worse than in Germany.

NEW CABINET FOR SWEDEN

Liberal Leader Asked to Choose Advisors

Stockholm, Oct. 16.—M. J. Widen, president of the second chamber and former minister of the interior, who was charged by King Gustave with the formation of a cabinet, has replied that he is unable to accomplish the task. The king now has invited the Liberal leader, Professor Eden, to organize a ministry.

M. Widen's failure means that the king has been forced to abandon his hope of a coalition cabinet. The new ministry will unquestionably contain only Liberals and Socialists. Professor Eden is widely known as an educator and politician.

Gopher Troops Ready for France

Camp Mills, Ill, Oct. 16.—Minnesota's contingent in the "Rainbow division" is ready for the front. A visit to the Minnesota streets today showed that the men are fit and that their morale is high. All who were interviewed said they are eager to start for the trenches. The increase in mail being sent back home in the last day or two indicates that they anticipate an early departure. The whole division of 27,000 men can, if necessary, be moved from Camp Mills in five hours after the order comes.

FOOD PLEDGE WEEK CAMPAIGN COMING OCTOBER 21 TO 28

Every Family Must Do Utmost to Conserve Resources and Lend Money to Nation So We May Crush Enemy.

LEARN LESSONS OF ECONOMY

Washington.—America's place in the industrial competition of nations that will follow peace will be determined in large part by the response that the American people make to the coming food pledge week campaign. This is the belief of the United States food administration and is one of the thoughts that is spurring on its forces in their preparations by enrolling the families of the nation in the cause of food conservation during the week of October 21.

"When the war is over," the food administrator declared recently, "Europe will find herself with a reduced standard of living, with a people greatly disciplined in all directions, and in a position to compete in the world's markets in a way that they never have been able before. We shall also face a world with a reduced consuming power, and unless we can secure such discipline in our own people, we will be in no position to meet that condition when peace comes."

The idea that the purpose of food saving is not alone the present one of feeding our army and the allies, is further developed by the belief of the food administration that wars are paid for out of the savings of the people. It is pointed out that the decision is up to the American people right now whether they are to help pay for the present conflict out of the savings of today or after the war by mortgaging the future of the people. A saving of six cents a day per person will amount to two billion dollars a year.

If the United States were an autocratic country there would be no popular appeal for the conservation of food. There would be an autocratic food control. The mailed fist would rule in the kitchen. Imperial food decrees would be enforced at the point of the bayonet. But ours is not an autocratic country. Food control is in the hands of the people themselves and it is to the people that the food administration has appealed in the food pledge card campaign.

Herbert Hoover has termed this appeal an "unprecedented adventure in democracy"—an adventure that will determine whether or not a democratic form of government is, after all fitted to engage in a death grapple with autocracy.

The food pledge week campaign resolves itself into an effort to secure as a result of voluntary agreement pledges insuring the general support of a well-defined program of food conservation. The food pledge week campaign represents an effort to induce as many American homes as possible to unite in a common policy. Our wheat reserves can be conserved if everybody helps. Our meat reserves can be conserved if the whole public co-operates.

The American people are asked to join together in a common conservation policy. As evidence that they are supporting this policy they are asked to hang a card denoting membership in the United States food administration in their window. In order that the conservation policy may be understood, the reasons for it made plain and the manner of observing it rendered certain, instruction cards—"The War Creed of the Kitchen," are to be hung in the home.

And that is what the national food pledge week campaign is all about.

Whole Family Under Fire

A land owner of Vergeze, according to a Paris correspondent, has received the following letter from his son, a staff captain:

"I heard a strange story today that a woman and a boy of sixteen had been found among the men of the —— battalion of unmounted chasseurs. An investigation was made and they were found to be the wife and son of a chasseur who had determined not to be separated from him. Both went into the trenches with other poilus, and the most striking thing about it is that they had been with the battalion for five months before the authorities found out. Of course everybody in the battalion knew, but as you see, the secret was well kept.

"As an old chasseur yourself you will be proud to learn that a father, mother and son have been under fire together in your old battalion."

When Success Is Sweetest

Success is sweet; the sweeter if long delayed and attained through manifold struggles and defeats.—Alcott.

Hay Fever Pollens

[illegible] development of hay fever [illegible] depends upon the [illegible] hay fever pollens increasing to a point which overcomes the resistnace of the patient," says Doctor Scheppegrell. "It was ascertained that most of the spring and summer cases of hay fever are caused by the pollen of the grasses, although the pollen of other plants, such as the yellow dock, amaranth [illegible], may cause the attack [illegible] help to maintain [illegible] when set up by the grass pollens."

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Send Over Some
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Keep your soldier or sailor boy supplied. Give him the lasting refreshment, the protection against thirst, the help to appetite and digestion afforded by Wrigley's.
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AFTER EVERY MEAL
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WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT THE PERFECT GUM MINT LEAF FLAVOR
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WRIGLEY'S JUICY FRUIT CHEWING GUM THE FLAVOR LASTS

She Studied Byron.

Mrs. Hawkins, who posed as a literary woman and professed a great admiration for Byron's works, had recently purchased a little dog and was showing him to a caller.

"What have you named him?" asked the caller.

"Perchance," was the reply.

"What a singular name for an animal!" commented the caller.

"I named him after Byron's dog," she explained. "Don't you remember the line in 'Childe Harold,' where the poet says, 'Perchance my dog?'"

The Retort.

"Two wrongs don't make a right. Still"—

A senator was discussing the food control bill.

"While the bill has its drawbacks," he went on, "there would be worse drawbacks without it, and so we can face our opponents like the lady.

"'My love,' her husband said to this lady, 'you spend all your money getting your palm read.'

"She smiled sweetly.

"'And you, dear,' she retorted, 'spend all yours getting your nose red.'"

Where Nerve Is Needed.

He—If he marries now, won't he be called a coward?

She—Not if he marries her.—Judge.

Edward Alcott's voice was recognized over the 'phone in New York the other day by his pet parrot.

Many a truthful man breaks his word because he stutters.

An Expensive Incumbrance.

"Old Bostely says he has a million dollar brain," observed the man who was always picking up information.

"He's quite right," answered the other; "it would cost him fully that much to find out what's the matter with it."

More Trouble for Censors.

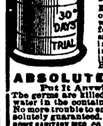
New Thought leaders who are instructing the followers on how to "telepath" messages to soldiers in France are creating new difficulties for the censors.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Onesided.

He—I suppose we are to consider the engagement broken?

She—You are; not me. I'm still engaged to some one else.

Cleveland fire marshal recently ordered 20 fire-trap buildings demolished.



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We admit our government is not perfect, but we would'nt trust the kickers with the job of reforming it.

Notice

The Dorcas Society of The Norwegian church of Holt Minn. are planning to give a parcel post social on Saturday evening Oct. 20.

Conserve on fuel by saving the down wood before snow comes.

We print sale bills.

The annual meeting of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational Assn will take place at Thief River Falls, Thursday and Friday Nov. 15 and 16 Speakers of state and national reputation will appear on the two day and evening programs.

Have you bot that liberty bond?

We've had a touch of winter, this week.

Pick up your down-wood before snow comes. You will need it before spring.

Farmers have found it pretty hard plowing, the ground being so awfully dry, but those who kept at it will undoubtedly get the best crops.

Help Your Boy Win the War!

YOUR boy is leaving to fight for you at the battle front. He is leaving father and mother, wife and friends. He is giving all that he has to give. He is giving it for *you*— your life—your freedom—your liberty—your America!

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of The Holt Weekly News

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B. Docken,
Business manager.

Sworn to Oct. 1st 1917, before
Nils Engebretsen,
Notary Public.

To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn.
September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

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Holt, Minnesota

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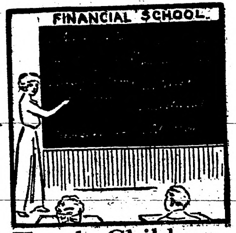
V. President, A. D. Stephens
Cashier, B. Docken



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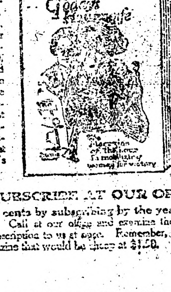

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Have you paid your taxes?

Mrs. T. O. Dovre was a visitor in T. R. Falls the first of the week.

Miss Selma Dovre went to Hillsboro Monday where she has employment.

Thorval Anderson returned home Tuesday from St. Hilaire where he had been working.

Miss Inga Johnson returned home Wednesday from an extended stay at Grafton, N. Dak.

Mrs. Fred Peterson and baby and Miss Lilly Peterson visited relatives in T. R. Falls the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cairns of Crookston were in Holt last Friday, on business for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

The proceeds of the sale of parcels and the lunch of the Dorcas society, Saturday night, amount to a little over $62.00.

Andrew Ness of T. R. Falls was called here Wednesday by the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. Andrew Arnevick.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hagglund and two little children returned home on Monday from a few days visit with relatives at Grand Forks.

H. M. Olson returned home Tuesday from Milton, N. D., and reports the work of threshing and potato digging stopped by the snow storm.

Miss Evelyn Wegge returned on Wednesday from visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Carlson, in T. R. Falls for a few days.

Chris Yttri and family arrived here Tuesday from Viroqua, Wis. and we understand they expect to stay here on their farm the coming year.

A basket ball team of the young men of Holt was organized Wednesday night and they will commence practicing soon. G. M. Grubrud was elected manager.

A rag ball social will be given by the Zion Girls Sewing Society, Saturday evening, Oct. 27, in the East Valley schoolhouse District 148. Everybody is invited to attend.

Next week Friday Nov. 2nd, the new postage rates take effect. On and after that date drop letters will require two cents postage, all other letters three cents, postal and post cards two cents each.

Tell us the news.

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Everybody Buys Bonds

No Blue Cards From Holt

Every family in the village of Holt now are the owners of a liberty bond, also all the men who do not have families were purchasers, as were some of the young ladies. No blue cards will be sent in from this village and we feel rather proud of the out come of the sale of liberty bonds. The success of this sale is due to the untiring efforts of B. Docken who worked hard to make it a success. The amount subscribed in this village was $6,100 which is considerably above our quota. The total amount for the village and surrounding townships which will pass thru the Holt State Bank is $12500

School Notes

Ruby Swan, Editor

The attendance for this month has been very good.

The following new pupils enrolled within the last two weeks: Melvin, Walter, Arthur, Bernard and Raymond Bakke, Marvin and Walter Sandberg, Melvin Hoel, Henry Nohre and Oscar Reierson. These bring the total enrollment up to seventy-nine.

The serving of hot lunches has been resumed and will be greatly appreciated by the pupils who are not able to go to their homes for the noon meal.

The new library books came Tuesday. The library will be open Tuesdays and Fridays. Gladys Ellestad has been appointed librarian for this month.

Visitors for this month were: Miss Clara Larson and Miss Nellie Saastad.

The pressure tank exploded one day last week and tore up some of the hall floors by the front door. The cause is not known but it is thot some gas generated in the tank.

On account of the snow the bus drivers have had to use open sleighs instead of the busses.

Siema Niemla is the best speller in Mr. Hall's room, having won in each of the three spelling matches. Considerable rivalry in spelling has sprung up between the three grades in this room.

Golden Valley Ladies Aid Meeting

(Written for last weeks paper.)

The Ladies Aid Society of the Golden Valley congregation meet at the home of Olaf Dahl last Sunday at 2 o'clock P. M., and was well attended. The meeting was opened by text reading for the 19th Sunday after Trinity by Mr. Larson of White Ford. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Olaf Dahl and Mrs. Edwin Johnson, assisted by Miss Elna Freiberg. The proceeds were five dollars. The money is being raised to help build a church for the congregation.

Real estate taxes are now due.

Work for a quicker peace by buying a Liberty Bond.

Mr. Ruehmann called at J. E. Erickson's Saturday.

Mrs. B. Docken has been appointed as a member of the women's committee of the Public Safety Commission and will have charge of the work for Holt and vicinity. Anyone who wishes to volunteer services in any branch of work for the government either gratis or for pay, should apply to Mrs. Docken for information. Mrs. Docken is also appointed to have charge of the food conservation work and has receipes and other material to sell for this purpose.

Take Notice

Anyone wishing to buy cordwood should give us their order at once, as we expect to ship all wood we do not sell within the next few days.

R. Reierson, Holt

Free Mission Church

Rev. G. O. Parish will not be able to keep his date for next Monday evening, but will be here on Monday evening Nov. 5th.

Lyceum Course For Holt

The first number presented will be RENA GILMAN, Enactor of Plays, Presenting "The Shepherd of the Hills," Nov. 14, 1917, at the M. W. A. Hall. Everybody invited.

Large Gathering of Lutherans at T. R. Falls next Sunday.

The various Lutheran bodies of Northern Minnesota, will celebrate the 400 th. Anniversary of the Lutheran Reformation with special services at the Auditorium at Thief River Falls next Sunday Oct. 28th.

Eight ministers of Northern Minn. will assist in the program while the speakers on the program are Rev. P. E. Ross of Fairmount, Minn. who will deliver the German address in the forenoon, services beginning at 10:30 and Dr. P. E. Kretzmann of St. Paul, Minn. who will deliver the English oration in the afternoon services, beginning at 2:30. Two special trains have been engaged to bring the numerous Lutherans from other cities. Many from this vicinity are planning to attend this large Lutheran gathering.

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Lath
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Notice for Bids

Bids wanted at once for moving our old bank building three blocks from the present location.

Holt State Bank.

Liberty Bonds will fight the Kaiser's war bombs.

Ed. Bjerk returned home yesterday from Crookston.

A new smoke stack was put on the creamery this week Tuesday.

John Dahl from the reservation visited at J. E. Erickson's Friday afternoon.

Southeast of Holt.

A very heavy snow fell last week and it is doubtful if it leaves us before spring. It is reported that there is an amount of potatoes left in the ground not dug.

G. Johnson has recently invested in a new buggy, but we would rather suggest that he buy a cutter also.

Torkel Froisnes and family has moved their household goods to T. R. Falls and expects to reside there permanently.

Targe Borgen has been on the sick list for some time.

The Mission festival given at the Synod church last Sunday Oct. 14 was very well attended. Rev. Skogerbo pastor of the Hauges Synod church at T. R. Falls was also present and delivered a very fitting sermon for the day.

Albert Swanson left for Lake Benton last week where he has a position.

Swenke Swenkeson returned to this locality last week with the intention of finishing his threshing but owing to the heavy snow fall he was unable to finish the amount of flax left for several farmers around here. His rig is at present at the S. Moe farm.

Ole Christofherson of Anita N. D. was a caller in this locality last week while enroute to his farm in Grand Plain. Mr. Christofherson reports his buildings were completely destroyed by fire and his whole farm swept clear by the great prairie fires which has been raging thru that locality.

The town board of this and neighboring townships have been on duty lately selling Liberty Loan Bonds and they report business is good.

Harold Oen formerly of this locality but now living in Canada was looking after business interest here last week.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet every Thursday.

Choir practice every Thursday at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. A. L. Sagstuen will entertain the Dorcas Society Saturday.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Reformation Services Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock. Young People's Society members meet at 7:30 Sunday evening.

English services Wednesday evening Oct. 31st, at 8 o'clock.

Ladies Aid and Services in Ringbo at Elvin Erickson's at 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon Oct. 31st.

Confirmants Reunion Nov. 11th. Services 11 o'clock. English services by Rev. Seltz and others in the afternoon. Ladies Aid will serve dinner.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Take Notice

We want some plowing and breaking done at once. Call or write us.

Holt State Bank

Now the style is to buy bonds.

"The Shepherd of the Hills," by Harrold Bell Wright, is undoubtedly one of the most absorbing books ever written. It is filled with human interest from beginning to end, and has made a deep appeal to millions of readers.

As interpreted by Miss Rena Gilman, all the interesting characters and tense situations of the story are made vivid before the audience. They will seem like living, breathing human beings, whom you will learn to love, to hate, to admire, or pity, as their varied temperaments are unfolded before you.

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota.
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul. Minn., Sept. 20, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 28th. 1917, at 9 o'clock a. m. in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905 are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

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Set of Bank Fixtures for sale at a very reasonable price. We have moved into our new bank building and desire to dispose of the old fixtures at once. Will sell cheap.

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Holt, Minn.

Dr. R. E. Spinks
Physician and Surgeon
Office at Drug Store
Middle River, Minn.

Notice

Offers wanted at once to clear the NE 1-4 sec 21 twp 156 ran. 43.

Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.01
Oats	51
Barley	76 to 1.01
Rye	1.63
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IMPROVEMENTS ARE NOT TAXED

Western Canada Does Not Tax Stock or Improvements but Collects an Additional Tax From Land Speculators.

Owners of uncultivated lands in Western Canada are loud in their protests against an extra tax on their lands because they are not under cultivation. Western Canada, through its provincial governments, is endeavoring to force the speculative land owner to either sell his land to a settler or to cultivate it himself. At present a surtax of a few cents an acre is levied against all wild land, so that the owner of land held in its natural state, without improvements, is contributing more taxes to the government than the owner of a farm that is cultivated and even improved with buildings and stock to the value of thousands of dollars. In order to encourage the farmer to improve and to go into stock raising, he is not charged one cent of taxes on any of his improvements, implements or stock of any kind.

As a result of this surtax on uncultivated or speculatively held lands, the owners are now trying to sell them to actual settlers, and, in nearly every instance, have been offering on very easy terms of payment, usually a quarter down, and the balance extending over a term of years at prices much lower than their productive value would warrant.

A world-wide shortage in farm stuffs has given a new value to all agricultural products and the margin of profit today is greater than ever in the past. It is true labor and implements have increased in price, but it is now possible to secure 50% profit in farming, and higher. Possibly not on the $100 to $200 an acre farm lands but on land that can now, under existing conditions, be purchased at from $15 to $30 per acre. Western Canadian farm lands are as productive as any in the world and can be as economically farmed. Wheat yields of from 30 to 50 bushels per acre have been common in Western Canada during the past few years, and the farmers have been too busy farming all they can so as to sell as much wheat as possible at $2.00 a bushel, that they have not had time to do any talking or writing. It is doubtful if there ever was such an opportunity to make big profits in farming. The value of each year's crop has been in hundreds of cases more than the market value of the land it was grown on. It is unreasonable to suppose such a condition will last long, as the land now being forced onto the market by surtax on speculative owners will soon become absorbed by those who have learned of these highly profitable wheat lands. The news is spreading gradually throughout the high priced land districts in the United States, where there is a renewed awakening to the realization that the maximum profit in farming is not being obtained when it is possible to secure from forty to seventy per cent return on the investment in Western Canada. Many who have been planning to visit Western Canada for the purpose of personally investigating conditions are leaving this month, when the good weather can be enjoyed. As threshing operations and marketing of grain is under way, no better time could be selected to secure first hand and reliable information from the farmers themselves. The winter months afford ample time for completing moving arrangements, to allow the settler to take up residence in early spring, so as to get something done next year and to make a start on the big and profitable farming operations in Western Canada.—Advertisement.

No Great Loss.

"Why, ma'am," said Private Soggers, "the roar of them big guns was so fierce in the trenches we couldn't hear ourselves think."

"Dear me!" exclaimed the interested old lady. "That must have been terrible. Still, I understand your officers are put there to do your thinking for you."

IT IS FREE.

If you are interested in a Business course, or a Shorthand or Gas Tractor and Auto Engineering course, write to Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. D., or Fargo, N. D., for their new illustrated catalog. It is free.—Adv.

A National Blessing.

According to Dr. R. F. Griggs, who has just come back from Katmai, the latest "largest volcano," its 1912 eruption will be the last for thousands of years. Wouldn't it be a comfort if some explosive human beings would blow off once and shut up for a like period?—New York Sun.

Barred.

"Why wouldn't the recruiting officer take you?"

"Said they had all the wrist-watch winders they needed."—Puck.

A fool says many wise things, but he isn't aware of the fact.

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Important News Events of the World Summarized

U.S.—Teutonic War News

Charles Gordon of Philadelphia is the only survivor of a steamship torpedoed and sunk without warning by a German submarine. Twenty-three persons perished, among them two Americans, one of whom was named Harvey Johnson.

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Marshal Joffre reviewed Pershing's men at the American field headquarters in France.

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President Wilson issued at Washington the regulations for the trading with the enemy act. Not only do the new regulations provide for cutting off trade between the United States and Germany, but they do the following: Cut off trade with Germany's allies. Cut off trade with those who do trade with either Germany or her allies. Provide custodians for all enemy property in the United States. Require special license for trade or intercourse with any enemy or ally of an enemy within the United States.

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News of the sinking of the American steamship Lewis Luckenbach by a German submarine off the coast of France was received at New York. Forty-seven of the 56 members of the crew had been landed, one boat with nine men is missing.

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Women and warfare don't mix, the war department at Washington has decided. Hence it has adopted the policy of sending home any American officer who permits his wife or mother to go to France to be near him.

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The Pacific has been freed of another German sea raider, federal officials believe, following orders to Collector of the Port J. O. Davis to seize the auxiliary schooner Hugh Hogan in port at San Francisco, Cal.

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The influential Liberal organ, the Handelsblad of Holland, bitterly terms the refusal of the United States to give bunker coal to Dutch ships as an unfriendly act and an act of bad faith. The newspaper remarks that a refusal by Holland in like circumstances would be regarded as a hostile act.

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Domestic

Farceur, Belgian horse champion, belonging to the William Crownover herd at Cedar Falls, Ia., was sold at public auction for $47,500, the world's record price for horses of his class. The purchaser was C. G. Good, Ogden, Ia.

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Reports that the fire which destroyed a large portion of the Kansas City stock yards and resulted in the death of approximately 11,000 cattle and 8,300 hogs was of incendiary origin persisted at Kansas City, Mo., though discredited by officials of the corporation owning the yards. The loss was $750,000.

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John E. Williams, newly appointed federal coal administrator for Illinois, sent a report on the Illinois coal mine strike situation to Washington indicating that fully 75,000 tons a day of production had been cut off, that there was fear of the trouble spreading and that immediate action was urgent. The fuel administrator and the miners' union officials joined in declaring the situation to be one of open rebellion, existing wage agreements being regarded as "scraps of paper."

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A sheriff's posse is on the trail of bandits who held up a Deep Creek railroad train en route from Salt Lake to Goldhill, Nev., robbed the passengers and wounded Charles Barberg of Salt Lake City, who attempted resistance.

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Every occupant of an automobile driven by Joseph J. Pohl were killed outright when the car was struck by a Michigan Central passenger train 12 miles north of Detroit. The victims, seven in number, are as follows: Joseph J. Pohl, Mrs. Joseph J. Pohl, Mrs. George Harvey, Mary Pohl and Thomas Pohl, Ralph Harvey and Helen Harvey. All were residents of Detroit.

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With an estimated majority of 30,000 to 35,000 Iowa voters decided to prohibit the manufacture and sale of liquor in this state by constitutional amendment. The state has been dry by statutory provision for two years.

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United States Senator Ollie E. James lost his race with death to Marion, Ky. He was speeding to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth James, aged seventy-two, but she died before he arrived.

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Claude Piersol was found guilty by a jury at Springfield, Mo., of kidnaping Baby Lloyd Keet. His punishment was fixed at 35 years. Lloyd Keet, fourteen months old, was stolen from his bed on May 31 while his mother and father, J. Holland Keet, were at a dance. The body of the baby was found in a well.

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Mrs. Lillian Stiles, noted as a beauty and named by Mrs. Herbert Crane in her suit for divorce against the Chicago multi-millionaire, committed suicide in an Aurora (Ill.) hotel

The eastern states face a sugar shortage, with no prospect of relief before late in November, when the new Hawaiian and western beet crops arrive. In a statement forecasting the shortage the food administration at Washington appealed to the American people to cut down their consumption of candy and sweet drinks.

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Sporting

Hal Waggoner of Dillon, Neb., took high honors at the forenoon session of the western open trap-shooting tournament at St. Joseph, Mo., with a score of 24 targets out of a possible 25. Dr. C. G. Story of Sheridan, Ia., was second with 23.

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White Sox, world's champions! Score for the series, four games to two. Score of the final game, the same. Red Faber delivered the goods at the Polo Grounds, N. Y., and brought home the sides of the razorback. Benton and Perritt hurled for the Giants. Zimmerman's error in the fourth inning was responsible for the Sox rally.

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Washington

Aroused by publication in some parts of the country of private cablegrams announcing the arrival of American troops in France, the war and navy departments at Washington took steps to prevent a repetition of such publication, which may result in the court-martialing of the officers who sent the messages.

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Only one in 20 appeals to President Wilson for draft exemption on industrial grounds has been decided in favor of the applicant, it was said at the provost marshal's office in Washington.

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The president at Washington proclaimed Wednesday, October 24, as "Liberty day." On that day he will expect all communities to unite in a demonstration for the second Liberty loan.

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European War News

"Northwest of Bullecourt Irish troops carried out a successful raid," says the official announcement from London.

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A report that the British steamships Memphian, formerly the Gambrian, of 6,305 tons gross, and the Bostonian, 5,200 tons, both of the Leyland line, had been sunk, reached New York.

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French warships destroyed two Teuton submarines in the western Mediterranean in the last week of September, according to information received by the French minister of marine at Paris.

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The Germans have taken full possession of the main portion of Oesel island at the entrance to the Gulf of Riga and have also occupied the Islands of Runo and Abro in the Gulf of Riga, the Berlin war office reports. On Oesel island the Germans captured 2,400 prisoners.

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German forces which landed on the Russian island of Oesel, at the head of the Gulf of Riga, occupied Arensberg, the capital of the island, it was officially announced by the Petrograd war office. Arensburg is on the southern shore of Oesel island.

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The northern group of German warships, a Petrograd statement says, dispatched a torpedoe-boat squadron between the islands of Oesel and Dago, which pressed back the Russian patrols. Russian naval forces re-enforced the patrol and accepted battle, whereupon the German ships retired.

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Austro-Hungarian detachments made attempts to attack the Italian positions west of the Chiapovano valley, on the Isonzo front, but they were driven back by the Italians, says the Rome war office.

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The British armed mercantile cruiser Champagne has been sunk, and the mine-sweeping sloop Begonia is overdue and regarded as lost, says an official London statement.

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Fighting between the Russians and the German troops which landed on Oesel island, in the Gulf of Riga, continues, according to the Russian official statement issued at Petrograd. The Germans are pressing the Russians toward the southeast. Four German destroyers were sunk by shore batteries.

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Foreign

The German minister of marine, Vice Admiral Eduard von Capelle, has resigned under fire. News of his resignation was given out following a conference between liberal leaders of the reichstag and Chancellor Michaelis, at which the deputies demanded the resignation. Capelle's resignation follows closely after his denunciation of the socialists in connection with the Wilhelmshaven mutiny.

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That German bread is mainly sawdust is now proved by a military attache of the Swiss legation in Berlin, who returned to Rome ill with dysentery. Berne experts analyzed a loaf and found it contains corn, 12 per cent; barley, 22 per cent, and the remaining 66 per cent wood sawdust.

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The Amsterdam Maasbode says it learns that all Dutch shipping to England has been stopped on account of the pending differences between Great Britain and Holland.

U. S. TRANSPORT IS TORPEDOED; 70 LIVES LOST

Antilles, Troop Vessel, Sunk While Returning Home From War Zone.

UNSEEN ENEMY GETS FIRST U. S. BOAT LOST IN SERVICE

Transport, Torpedoed Athwart Engine Room, Disappears Within Five Minutes — Remarkable Rescue Work.

Washington, Oct. 20.—The American transport Antilles, homeward bound, was torpedoed in the war zone, Oct. 17, and went down with a loss of about seventy lives. The ship, a former Ward liner, was under convoy by a naval patrol when attacked. The submarine was not seen, nor was the torpedo. All naval and army officers aboard were saved and all but three of the ship's officers, but 16 soldiers out of 33 aboard were lost.

Those lost include Walker, third engineer officer, and Boyle and O'Rourke, junior engineer officers. No army units were on board. Officers and men of the army who were on the ship were being sent home on special assignment, invalided home or discharged for special reasons. The list of these will not be available until received from Gen. Pershing.

A statement authorized by Secretary Daniels of the naval department says the torpedo which struck the ship hit abreast of the engine room bulkhead, and the ship sank within five minutes. One hundred and sixty-seven persons out of 237 on board were saved.

This tragedy of the sea is the first in which an American ship engaged in war duty has been lost. It carries the largest casualty list of the war of American lives and marks the first success of German submarine attacks on American transports. That the loss of life was not greater was due to the safeguards with which the navy has surrounded the transport service and the quick rescue work of the convoying warships.

Quick upon the wave of sorrow at the news of the loss of the transport came a feeling of distinct relief because she had met her fate homeward bound and not on the way over with troops.

New York, Oct. 20.—The Antilles, sunk by a torpedo en route home from a European port in transport service, was a freight and passenger steamer of 6,878 tons gross, owned by the Southern Pacific Steamship company, and was one of the crack American coast liners. She had plied between New Orleans and New York, and had carried thousands of persons to the Mardi Gras celebration in the southern city. The vessel was taken over by the government for transport service early in the war. Captain H. F. Boyd, master of the Antilles, retained his command when the vessel entered the government service, as did most of the officers. The ship was built by the Cramps at Philadelphia in 1917. She was 421 feet long with a beam of 53 feet and a depth of 37 feet.

LOAN DRIVE SHOWS PROGRESS

Splendid Reports Reach Washington From All Sections.

Washington, Oct. 20.—The Liberty loan gathered fresh impetus throughout the entire country, within the past twenty-four hours, in its progress towards the $5,000,000,000 goal. Total unofficial estimates up to the close of business Friday night gave subscription aggregates at $1,715,000,000. Many thousands of subscriptions, it is believed, have not yet been reported. The plan of the campaign is to raise five billions by Oct. 27. A statement issued from the treasury says: "Never before in the campaign has there been shown such grit, pluck and determination to triumph as are reflected in the messages received tonight from district chairmen. If the $5,000,000,000 mark is not attained it certainly will not be through lack of effort on the part of the workers."

A roll of honor of the millions who buy Liberty bonds is to be preserved in the nation's archives. Secretary McAdoo yesterday instructed the preparation of the long roll. Names will be inscribed on the parchment, but not amounts, so that the man or woman who buys only a $50 bond will stand an equal footing with his wealthier brother. "The name and address of every one who subscribes to the second Liberty bond issue of 1917 will be placed on a roll of honor which will be kept among the permanent records of the treasury department," reads Secretary McAdoo's announcement.

U. S. Provides Ships for France.

Washington, Oct. 20. — To meet France's urgent shipping need, the shipping board has ordered twenty steel ships of from 3,500 to 6,000 gross tonnage each turned over under charter to the French government. All the ships turned over are cargo ships, and it is explained that their delivery to the French will not delay the United States army transport plans.

ASK HELP ON WHEAT GRADES

Washington, Oct. 20.—A delegation of congressmen and state officials from the Northwest left Washington last night for New York to confer with Julius H. Barnes, president of the United States grain corporation, an agency of the food administration on marketing problems. They will particularly urge changes in the methods of grading wheat. In the delegation are Representatives Young and Baer, Attorney General Langer, and Railroad Commissioners Jacobson and Elmquist of Minnesota and Doherty, Wells and Murphy of South Dakota.

BUTCHER WOMEN ON NORSE SHIPS

Raiders Fire Ruthlessly on Attacked Merchantmen and Life Boats.

DEATH REPLY TO PLEA

Germans Fire Volley at Women Who Wave White Cloth—No Effort Made to Spare Lives in North Sea.

Stockholm, Oct. 23.—Newspaper accounts of the attack by German raiders on convoys in the North Sea say that two German cruisers and three torpedo boats fired ruthlessly on the Scandinavian merchantmen and subsequently on their lifeboats. They made no effort to spare the lives of the seamen.

Fought Single Handed.

London, Oct. 23.—The British destroyer Mary Rose fought single handed against the German cruisers in the convoy section in the North sea according to a story ascribed to a British officer rescued off Bergen and transmitted by the Christiania correspondent of The Times. The other destroyer, which should have been present, never appeared, and it is thought likely that it was destroyed at the beginning of the action.

Butchery Undescribable.

After fighting heroically for half an hour during which she was subjected to the most terrific concentric fire, the Mary Rose sank. Ten members of the crew were rescued.

The correspondent says that the reports of the butchery of those aboard the merchantmen pass description. Two women on one ship waved a piece of white cloth which was perfectly visible. They were silenced by a volley from the German cruiser.

PERSHING SENDS DEATH LIST

Reports Total Casualties in Sinking of Antilles Were 67.

Washington, Oct. 23.—Sixty-seven lives were lost when the army transport Antilles was sunk by the torpedo of a German submarine. The official list of casualties cabled by General Pershing shows 67 lost, total survivors 170 and one unaccounted for.

Not All Victims Americans.

The casualty list shows that all the lost were not Americans. The firemen, of whom many were probably killed by the explosion, came principally from Spain and Portugal. Some of the non-commissioned officers lost were men of foreign birth. Two of them have mothers living in Germany.

General Pershing's report throws no new light on the circumstances of the attack and so far as is known neither a submarine nor a torpedo was seen.

TRANSPORT SURVIVORS LAND

Men from Antilles Praise Officers and Gunners.

A French Port, Oct. 23.—Survivors of the United States transport Antilles, which was sunk by a German submarine last week while being convoyed on its homeward trip by American warships, have been landed here by auxiliary vessels and are being cared for by the American consulate. Some of the men have been lodged in local hotels and a few have left for Paris.

Survivors praise the captain of the Antilles and the members of the gun crew, who stuck to their posts while the officers searched with field glasses for the submarine until the waves closed over the ship.

50,000 SERBIANS STARVING

Fearful Suffering Near Monastir Reported By Red Cross.

Rome, Oct. 23.—Fifty thousand Serbians are starving and thousands are dying from insufficient rations in the Monastir district alone, according to the report of the American Red Cross mission, which is on its way to America. The mission has just returned from the Serbian front. They reported the destruction of 35 villages in the Monastir section and fearful suffering among the inhabitants.

BLAST IN AUSTRIAN PLANT KILLS 4,000

Washington Oct. 23.—Four thousand persons were killed and 10,000 wounded in Stefeld, Austria's great arsenal, in a series of explosions June 16, according to official Rome cables received here. Workers who miraculously escaped were forced by the armed guard to return to their tasks.

Minnesota D. A. R. "Mothers" Sailors.

Minneapolis, Oct. 23.—Daughters of the American Revolution in Minnesota are going to be kept busy during the war supplying knitted goods, comfort bags and such luxuries as preserved fruits and candy, if they are to continue the work they have started. The men on five battleships are being "mothered" by the Minnesota D. A. R. The quarterly report of the state regent showed that 2,341 knitted [illegible] and 920 comfort kits and 50,793 jars of preserved fruit had been sent the sailors.

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Very Poor Speller.

Miss Bizness was a very capable girl in the office, but she couldn't spell. Her employer found her so useful in every other way that he bought her a dictionary and advised her to use it regularly.

The next morning when he came down to his office he noticed that to protect the new book from the constant wear she was expected to give it she had carefully covered the back with cloth, and across the cover she had written:

"Dictionery."

War Declared on Rats by U. S. Gov't.

The government at Washington is preparing a campaign that should be effective in killing the rats that are so destructive both to lives and property. A conservative estimate places the loss of foodstuffs from rats at over two hundred million dollars annually, and in the present scarcity of food, this loss must be prevented. The most efficient way to "Kill the Rat" is by the use of Stearns' Paste, and thousands of dollars worth have been bought by the government. Every housekeeper troubled with rats, mice, roaches or waterbugs should buy a small box of this reliable exterminator for thirty-five cents, and stop further loss of food in her home. Adv.

Memorial to Tom Thomson.

A fitting memorial has just been erected in the wilds of Algonquin park to the late Tom Thomson, the distinguished young Canadian artist, who was drowned there last July, says the Toronto Globe. On the hill overlooking Canoe lake, where Thomson lost his life, and whose beauties he had transcribed for an ever widening circle of admirers, there now stands a cairn built from native stone, and on its face a brass plate with the following inscription:

"To the memory of Tom Thomson, artist, woodsman and guide, who was drowned in Canoe lake, July 8, 1917.

"He lived humbly but passinoately with the wild. It made him brother to all untamed things of nature. It drew him apart and revealed itself wonderfully to him. It sent him out from the woods, only to show these revelations through his art, and it took him to itself at last.

"His fellow artists and other friends and admirers join gladly in this tribute to his character and genius.

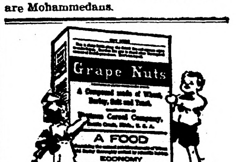
"His body is buried at Owen Sound, Ontario, near where he was born, August, 1877."

Does Not Lose.

The flower which we do not pluck is the only one which never loses its beauty or its fragrance.

Many Mohammedans.

In Egypt and the Sudan, nine out of every ten men, women and children are Mohammedans.



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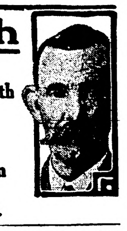

Catarrhal Cough

Mr. W. S. Brown, R. F. D. No. 4, Box 82, Rogersville, Tennessee, writes:

"I feel it my duty to recommend Peruna to all sufferers of catarrh or cough. In the year 1909, I took a severe case of the la grippe. I then took a bad cough. I had taken all kinds of cough remedies but got no relief. I then decided to try Peruna. I used five bottles. After taking five bottles my cough stopped and my catarrh was cured. My average weight was 115 and now I weigh 148½. Any one suffering with catarrh in any form I will advise them to take Peruna."

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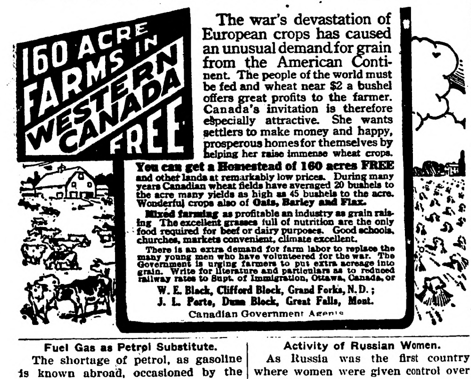
Those who object to liquid medicines can procure Peruna Tablets.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Canadian Farmers Profit From Wheat

The war's devastation of European crops has caused an unusual demand for grain from the American Continent. The people of the world must be fed and wheat near $2 a bushel offers great profits to the farmer. Canada's invitation is therefore especially attractive. She wants settlers to make money and happy, prosperous homes for themselves by helping her raise immense wheat crops.

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Mixed farming as profitable an industry as grain raising. The excellent grasses full of nutrition are the only food required for beef or dairy purposes. Good schools, churches, markets convenient, climate excellent.

There is an extra demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for the war. The Government is urging farmers to put extra acreage into grain. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.;
J. L. Porte, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents

Fuel Gas as Petrol Substitute.

The shortage of petrol, as gasoline is known abroad, occasioned by the enormous quantities needed on the battle fronts, has resulted, in England, in the introduction of a fuel alternative. In England the use of motorcycles for private use necessarily came to a standstill when the gasoline became acute. But it is reported that motorcyclists there soon discovered that coal gas would serve just as well. A gas container in the form of a balloon is hoisted on steel supports above the machine, giving the whole outfit the appearance of a zeppelin pup.

They are popularly termed "balloon bikes," and are said to operate much more cheaply on coal gas than on gasoline. The possibilities that might result from a meeting between this new contraption and a good broadside gale can only be imagined, but there would undoubtedly be no lack of thrills.—Exchange.

Save Superannuated Oysters.

Polluted oysters may be purified, it is claimed, by keeping a short time in water containing a little calcium hypochlorite. The oysters are not only made perfectly safe and suitable food, but the flavor is not affected.

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Keep Yourself Fit

You can't afford to be laid up with sore, aching kidneys in these days of high prices. Some occupations bring kidney troubles; almost any work makes weak kidneys worse. If you feel tired all the time, and suffer with lame back, sharp pains, dizzy spells, headaches and disordered kidney action, use Doan's Kidney Pills. It may save an attack of rheumatism, dropsy, or Bright's disease. Doan's have helped thousands back to health.

A North Dakota Case

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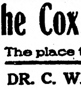

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Activity of Russian Women.

As Russia was the first country where women were given control over their inherited property, and as Petrograd has had for some years the largest medical college for women in Europe, it is not strange that women have taken such an active part in the military campaigns. In all the revolutionary movements the women students have been made dangerous perhaps, to the government, than the men. It is believed that the majority of the women amazons are evolutionists and that their military experience was sought for the opportunity it gave them to spread their doctrine.

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KING LEWANIKA'S STATE BOAT

Royal Craft Is 100 Feet Long, Carries Monster Elephant Emblem, Court Jester and Musicians.

"While traveling in Rhodesia," writes a contributor in the Wide World Magazine, "I managed to get a glimpse of King Lewanika's state barge. The chief of the Barotse is a fine fellow, but I was much amused one afternoon to see him going out for a row attired in a top hat and a gaudy dressing gown.

"Soon after the rains commence the Barotse valley is flooded and natives migrate to the sandy belt some miles away for the season. The king always makes the trip in the royal barge, an enormous craft about 100 feet long. In the center are two compartments, both covered in, one being the living room and the other the sleeping quarters. On the roof of one of these compartments is erected a monster elephant, as a sort of kingly emblem, while on the other stands the court jester, who, on this occasion, amused the populace by pretending to hunt and shoot the elephant. A band of 20 musicians were accommodated on the barge, in addition to whom there were 50 or 60 paddlers and a host of bailers, for the barge was by no means watertight. To the accompaniment of weird music and barbaric song the huge craft was propelled along on its journey, the return voyage taking place four or five months later."

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QUESTIONNAIRE FOR DRAFT MEN

New Order Provided for Further Calls from Remaining Men Registered.

PLAN MORE SIMPLE THAN THAT USED ON FIRST CALL

Selective Principle More Fully Developed than Heretofore—Next Draft Not Probable This Year

Washington, Oct. 22.—President Wilson has approved the new draft regulations which will be promulgated to govern the selection of the remainder of registered men for the national army. The new plan aims to classify each of the nine million not yet drafted in his place in the national scheme of defense and to postpone the drafting of men most needed in war industries and those having dependents.

To each registered man a questionnaire will be sent for him to fill out and return to his local board. Upon perusal of the questionnaire, he will be assigned to one of five classes. If he is dissatisfied with the position assigned him by the local board he has the right of appeal to the district board to change his status.

Class number one, the first from which the armies will be drawn, will include all physically fit men who have nothing to keep them from serving. Class number two will include those less fit or those engaged in an industry necessary to the prosecution of the war; class three, those still less fit or highly skilled operators; class four will contain men who should be the last to be taken. Class number five will be known as the "discard class" and in it will be placed those wholly unfit for military service, either on account of total physical disability or indispensability to the government.

A statement issued by Provost Marshal General Crowder indicates that the new methods will be greatly simplified as compared to those used in last summer's draft. A further statement as to ample time being provided for the study of the new system by local draft boards is taken to indicate that a further call of men will probably not be made before the first of the year.

SURVIVORS DESCRIBE LOSS OF TRANSPORT ANTILLES

High Praise of Ship's Officers Heard as Rescued Men Reach French Port

A French port, Oct. 22.—Survivors of the United States transport Antilles, which was sunk by a German submarine while being convoyed on her homeward trip by American warships, were landed here yesterday by auxiliary vessels and are being cared for by the American consulate. Some have gone to Paris.

The torpedo struck the ship at 7:15 Wednesday morning. Many of those on board were killed in their berths and others were killed while dressing. The explosion killed the engineers, oilers and mechanics and those of the crew who were in bunks below.

Survivors praise the captain and members of the crew, who stuck to their posts while the officers searched with field glasses for the submarine until the waves closed over the ship. When the Antilles sank, forty or fifty men were at the stern. Most of them leaped fifty feet or more into the sea as the stern rose to a perpendicular position, and some were drawn down by the suction of the sinking vessel. The sea was running high, making it difficult to save the crew and passengers. Some survivors, clinging to debris, were in the water an hour before they were sighted by the lifeboats.

PREMIER KERENSKY APPLAUDED

Makes Address as Preliminary Parliament Is Opened

Petrograd, Oct. 22.—Premier Kerensky on opening the Russian preliminary parliament Saturday made a ringing speech in which he said, "Russia wants peace by right but we never will bow our heads to force." This declaration was warmly applauded by the members of all political factions. Continuing, he said: "We must fight only to save the country." The Bolsheviki left only occasionally applauded. Many members, including some of the leading constitutional democrats were silent.

After his address the premier offered the presidential chair to Madame Catherine Breshkovskaya, the "grandmother of the revolution," as she is the senior member of the preliminary parliament. She received a great ovation as temporary chairman and after a speech, invited the assembly to elect its president. M. Avskentieff, chairman of the executive committee of the Council of Peasants' Delegates, was elected.

French Get Four Zeppelins.

Paris, Oct. 22.—Four out of a fleet of eight German zeppelins sailing over France were brought down and destroyed or captured. The fleet is believed to be the same which had previously raided England, having lost its way on the return journey. The disaster is one of the most severe that has yet befallen the big German dirigibles.

U. S. SENATOR HUSTING DEAD

Junior Wisconsin Senator Accidentally Killed While Hunting

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 22.—Accidentally shot in the back by his brother Gustave, while hunting ducks near Rush lake, United States Senator Paul O. Husting died at a farm house at Picketts late last night. Senator Husting recently returned from Washington at the close of the extra session of congress where he was one of the leading supporters of the administration's war program. He was elected to the United States senate in 1914.

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½ teaspoon salt
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Mix thoroughly dry ingredients; add milk and melted shortening and beat well. Bake in greased muffin tins in hot oven about 20 minutes.

NUT BREAD
3 cups graham flour
5 level teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1½ teaspoons salt
1½ cups milk and water
¾ cup sugar or corn syrup
1 cup chopped nuts (not too fine) or 1 cup raisins, washed and floured

Mix together flour, baking powder and salt; add milk and water, sugar or corn syrup and nutmeats or raisins. Put into greased loaf pan, allow to stand 30 minutes in warm place. Bake in moderate oven 40 to 45 minutes.

Our red, white and blue booklet, "Best War Time Recipes" containing additional similar recipes, sent free on request. Address Royal Baking Powder Company, Dept. W, 135 William Street, New York

Time to Fight Mice.

The time to fight mice is when your house is still rid of them. First make a hard and fast rule that not a crumb of food is left exposed in kitchen, pantry or cupboard. See also that in the bedrooms of your home no wafers or other tasty bits are left where a mouse might get them and thus find encouragement to take up his permanent abode there.

The next thing to do is to cut off the means of entrance to your home, and this is done by seeing that there are no loose passageways into the cellar or open cavities in the wall or loose woodwork. As a final resource you will perhaps have to choose between a mouse trap and a cat. It all depends on your affinity for the feline pet which you will do. But remember that, whereas permitting mice to lodge in your house was formely only an act of slothful neglect, it is now one of the crimes of wastefulness, of which no patriotic woman should be guilty.—Exchange.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

His Enforced Absence.

A Columbus correspondent tells us an anecdote in which the names must be suppressed, but which is none the less true and moral, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A state senator died during the session, and a committee was appointed to accompany the body back to the old home of the decedent. Two of the committee met in the state house that afternoon.

"Are you going to take this trip?" asked one.

"Yes. I can ill afford the time, but I believe it to be my duty. Are you going?"

"Yes, I feel as you do. It will take a whole day, but I wouldn't feel right if I didn't go. Will Senator X accompany us?"

"No. He says he is too busy, and besides he doesn't drink."

Melancholy Thoughts.

"The falling leaves fill me with melancholy thoughts," said the poetic person. "They used to have that effect on me," said the unpoetic person. "What changed you?" "I moved into an apartment and don't have to rake them any more."

Chicago restricts religious meetings in the streets.

Rasputin's Religious System.

The Christian Advocate reports the Countess von Schaumberg as giving this succinct sketch of Rasputin's theology:

"He made fundamental the doctrine that there was 'no salvation without repentance,' and as the righteous need no repentance, the best preparedness for salvation was a heavy course in sin. 'Blessed are the sinful, for they shall be saved through repentance,' was his diabolic beatitude. No wonder he had followers, or that he gave practical lessons in sinning as a means of grace."

Wooden Bedsteads.

Furniture manufacturing has been greatly stimulated in South Africa in recent months. Because the steel tube factories of England have been engaged in making munitions the South African furniture market shows many wooden bedsteads.

No Such Thing.

There is no such thing as solitary happiness. If you object to matrimony, try a dog.

Lots of people imagine there is something wrong with them if they haven't got a cold.

An Army Dentist.

A gunner of the Garrison artillery, who had successfully passed a blacksmith's course, was home on furlough, bearing the hammer and pincers on his arm, when he was accosted by a civilian, who asked what the decoration was for.

"Oh," replied Tommy, "I'm an army dentist!"

"I see," said the civilian. "Of course, the pincers are for extracting teeth. But what is the idea of the hammer?"

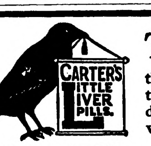
"Well, you see, it's like this. Some of the chaps are a bit nervous, so we use the hammer to chloroform them with," was the reply.—London Tit-Bits.

Kindness.

Private Simkins had returned from the front to find that his girl had been walking out with another young man, and naturally asked her to explain her frequent promenades in the town with the gentleman.

"Well, dear," she replied. "It was only kindness on his part. He took me down every day to the library to see if you was killed."

Everyone has his faults, of course, but some people work theirs more than others.



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CURES THE SICK
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Overworked Women must learn not to neglect their health

How Women are Restored to Health

Spartanburg, S. C.—"For nine years I suffered from backache, weakness, and irregularities so I could hardly do my work. I tried many remedies but found no permanent relief. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt a great change for the better and am now well and strong so I have no trouble in doing my work. I hope every user of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will get as great relief as I did from its use."—Mrs. S. D. McAbee, 122 Dewey Ave., Spartanburg, S. C.

Chicago, Ill.—"For about two years I suffered from a female trouble so I was unable to walk or do any of my own work. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspapers and determined to try it. It brought almost immediate relief. My weakness has entirely disappeared and I never had better health. I weigh 165 pounds and am as strong as a man. I think money is well spent which purchases Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. Jos. O'Bryan, 1755 Newport Ave., Chicago, Ill.

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Shrub.

which the bayberry is the shrub Myrcia plant which is common in and especially along the Maine. The bayberry shrub not closely related to the Myrcia or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained distillation.

The annual meeting of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational Asn will take place at Thief River Falls, Thursday and Friday Nov. 15 and 16 Speakers of state and national reputation will appear on the two day and evening programs.

For Sale!

A 1914 Carter car, in complete running order, with electric lights and self starter. Will sell cheap or consider a trade.

B. Docken,
Holt, Minn.

Your Neighbors and Friends are Watching YOU

Dont be a Slacker

CAN you look the world squarely in the face and feel you have done your full duty?

Are you buying every Liberty Bond you can afford?

Your right to Liberty and happiness has been attacked. If your boy, whom you have sent to the front to fight for you is not given enough munitions and provisions to hold back the German horde, the fate of your home will be the fate of the homes of Belgium.

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Federal Reserve Bank
of Minneapolis

Fiscal Agents of the United States Government in
Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana,
Northern Wisconsin and Upper Michigan

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Oct. 18, 1917.

Date of report by Bank, Oct. 22 1917.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$125,097 93
Overdrafts		31 73
~~Bonds and Securities~~		1000 00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		1,148 64
Other Real Estate		$2,108 00
Due from Banks	18,464 36	
Cash on Hand	2220 70	
Total Cash Assets		20,685 06
Checks and Cash Items		2,821 11
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		518 09
Total		$150,410 56

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$4,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		233 88
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		
Deposits Subject to Check	$56,977.56	
Cashier,s Checks	1,801.93	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	58,779.49	
Time Certificates	86,631.07	
Total Deposits		145,410 56
Total		$159,410 56
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$20,685 06
Amt. of Reserve Requried by Law		$11,385 00

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Bakke, President.
B. Docken, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. Gunheim,
[Two] Directors. R. Reierson,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Oct. 1917.

[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919

$5.00 FOR YOU

Agents Wanted

We will pay Five Dollars ($5.00) for every man you recommend to us, that we employ, who will sell in good orders, $100.00 worth of our Hardy Northern grown nursery stock within one year from time of his beginnig work. Send us his name and we will do the rest, or you can write us for further information. A postage stamp that will earn you $5.00 is a big investment.

WEDGE NURSERY
Albert Lea, - Minn.

To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in The Holt Weekly News, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn.
September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

[SEAL]

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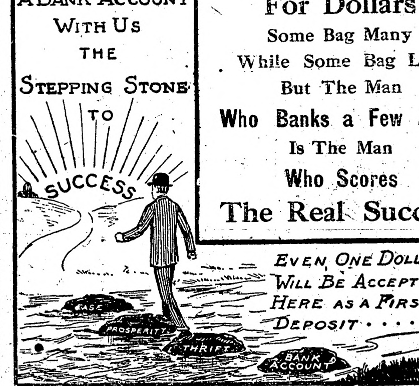
Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	4,000

President, D. B. Bakke
V. President, A. D. Stephens
Cashier, B. Docken



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Have you bot that liberty bond?

Mrs. Albert Bennes and Mrs. Racine Olson visited in Middle River between trains yesterday.

The drafted men from this part of Minnesota and eastern North Dak. will compose the 352nd. Infantry of the National Army. This regiment will have 95 officers and 3604 enlisted men when it is filled, divided into 15 companies. Funds are needed for papers, magazines, games and athletic outfits. The government allowance is about 42 cents a day for food, which is not enough to buy butter, cake or other extras. Contributions of cash are solicited. Send to David Johnson at Warren who has been appointed to receive donations for this county.

Statement

of The Holt Weekly News

Published weekly at Holt, Minn., Publisher, The Holt Publishing Co., Holt, Minn. Editor, H. B. Young, Holt, Minn. Business Manager, B. Docken, Holt, Minn. Owners: A. L. Carlson, Arvid Carlson, P. A. Riesberg, D. P. Bakke, B. Docken, Axel Nelson, O. J. Backlund, Oscar Hanson, R. Reierson, C. H. Gunheim all of Holt, Minn. Bondholders, mortgagees, etc: None.

B Docken,
Business manager.

Sworn to Oct. 1st 1917, before
Nils Engebretsen,
Notary Public.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Oct. 3, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Alfred Larson of Holt, Minn., who on July 30, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08332, for NE 1-4, Section 33, Township 155 N., Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson. U. S. Commissioner for the district of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of Nov. 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Pete Rosan of Holt, Minn., and Isaac Ostlund, Peter Ostlund, Olina Knute Bolingberg all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

B. J. Bakke went to St. Paul Saturday night on business.

Carl Oien from Shelly visited his brother, H. J. Oien a few days the past week.

Oscar Knutson and sister Alma went to Fertile Friday to visit with relatives.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 3 and 8:00 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

Necktie social Holt school house Saturday evening Nov. 10th. Everybody welcome. Lots of fun for you.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson were visitors at the G. Tvedt home at Mud Lake Tuesday and Wednesday.

John Bottom returned Wednesday from Cooperstown, N. D., where he has had been working for some time.

Mrs. James P. Manoles returned to Fargo Friday after visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Math Larson a few days.

Mrs. C. E. Smith and two sons returned home Wednesday from visiting relatives at Minneapolis and other points.

Mrs. A. Bjerk returned home Wednesday from Northwood, N. D. where she had been called by the death of her mother.

Chris Yttri went to Viroqua, Wis., Monday to close up his business there with the intention of remaining permanently in this country.

Mrs. A. H. Rime and daughter, Mrs. Harris, both of Stewartville, Minn. visited the formers sister, Mrs. P. O. Reierson, a few days last week.

Raymond Fitch came Tuesday to visit at the home of his aunt, Mrs. J. L. Nelson and family. Mr. Fitch's term of enlistment in the navy has just expired but he expects to re-enlist soon.

There will be a Shadow Social in the Koepp school house Saturday evening Nov. 3rd. The girls please bring lunches and the boys their pocket books. Each young man will be given an opportunity to buy his choice of the shadows.

Betty Johnson, Teacher.

Red Cross meeting at the school house to-night. Everyone invited. A short Musical program given.

Tell us the news.

$100 Reward, $100
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
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Take Notice

The men of the Lutheran church are requested to meet at 10 o'clock next Monday forenoon Nov. 5th, to make some repairs on the church property.

By order of the Trustees.

For Sale or Rent

The store building formerly occupied by S. S. Kolden & Co., for a hardware store, is for sale very cheap and on easy terms, or we would rent to a responsible party. Address,
L. S. Kolden, Nielsville, Minn.,
or S. S. Kolden, Holt, Minn.

Free Mission Church

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

Mission services Sunday Nov. 18th. forenoon, afternoon and evening by Rev. N. C. Carlson of Beresford, S. D. Several other ministers will be present. Everyone invited.

Take Notice

The postal laws require that all letters, post and postal cards must be stamped with the right amount of stamps before being put in the mail boxes for the rural carrier to pick up. Now that the weather is cold the carriers are unable to handle money with their mittens on and the law does not require them to do so. Please keep a supply of stamps on hand, then you have them when you need them. From now on all letters require a three cent (3c) stamp and all postal and post cards two cents (2cts) postage. Therefore a regular U. S. Postal Card stamped with one cent postage will require another 1c stamp.

The law requires that the weeds and brush must be cut along the side of the road so that the snow will not drift in them. The roads must be kept open, or the carrier is not obliged to deliver the mail.

Nils Engebretsen, P. M.

Mrs. P. O. Reierson spent Sunday with relatives in T. R. Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson visited at J. E. Erickson's Wednesday evening of last week.

Mrs. Erick Johnson and daughter Pearl went to T. R. Falls Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Ed Brotten and children went to Twin Valley Monday to visit her parents for sometime.

Miss Annie Erickson visited at the Ed. Johnson's home near Strathcona from Saturday until Monday.

Leonard Brekkestran returned to Newfolden Monday after spending a few days here closing up the business of his firm.

Olaus Rodahl finished the sidewalk in front of the Latta building and the butcher shop Saturday and moved his cement mixer to F. W. Ramaley's to put a floor in the basement of the latters house.

T. E. Ellestad purchased the Dobler farm last week and expects to move onto it next spring. This farm lies about 8 miles northeast of Holt and we understand Mr. Ellestad got a bargain on it.

Housewives will be asked to sign a food pledge next week. It is urged upon everyone to use some substitute a part of the time for wheat, meat, fats and sugar. These must be supplied to our soldiers and allies across the ocean. We are urged to use in their place, corn, rye or other coarse bread, fish, fruits and vegetables all of which will keep us in better health, than that we are asked to save for others. Be patriotic.

Golden Valley Sunbeams

Miss Ragna Larson visited at the home of her brother Clarence a few days last week.

Will Holland returned from a business trip at Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. VonWold are the proud parents of a baby girl, who came to gladden their home Oct. 15th. All are doing fine, especially Herb, the way he is smiling now days.

Grandma Dahl assisted Mrs. Olaf Dahl during threshing the first part of the week.

Engebreth Moe and sister Thora attended the Rag Ball social in the East Valley school house last Saturday night and spent Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe.

Miss Alice Sorum spent a week at the Carl Dahl home.

The Golden Valley Ladies Aid and services will be held at the Wilson school house Nov. 14th and all members are requested to be present. The members of the ladies aid will serve lunch in the afternoon.

Bernard Larson returned to his home near Holt, Thursday, after spending the summer on his homestead.

Miss Elna Friedberg and Mr. Conrod and Mrs. Carl Dahl visited at the Friedberg home near Rollis last Sunday.

A FEW SUGGESTIONS

Do you need--
Shingles
Lath
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Lyceum Course For Holt

The first number presented will be RENA GILMAN, Enactor of Plays, Presenting "The Shepherd of the Hills," Nov 14, 1917, at the M. W. A. Hall. Everybody invited.

Notice

We want some plowing and breaking done at once. Call or write us.

Holt State Bank

Southeast of Holt.

Ragna Larson went to Golden Valley on Thursday, returning Saturday.

Melvin Michelson shot a wolf on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe attended services at the Bethelhem church on Friday.

Messrs. Pete and Gilbert Michaelson has recently purched a lion tractor.

The Misses Margaret and Thora Bergland will entertain the Ladies Aid at their home Nov. 8th.

Thorn Bakken spent the last of the week in T. R. Falls.

Alice Sorum went to Golden Valley for a short stay on Thursday.

Julia Johnson who is employed at Thief River Falls spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. Ed. Hanson went to Thief River Falls on Monday to consult a physician in regards to her health.

Martin Johnson has recently shot a wolf.

Bernard Larson and his mother were Sunday visitors at the Molstad home.

Carl Guttrud, Martin Johnson and Carl Kuehne made a flying trip to T. R. Falls Sunday evening.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet every Thursday.

Choir practice every Thursday at 8 o'clock.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. T. O. Dovre will entertain the Ladies Aid, 2 o'clock Nov. 7th.

~~The Golden Hour Society will~~ meet with Mrs. L. Wegge, Nov. 3rd.

The Dorcas society will meet with Mrs. G. M. Gubrud Nov. 10th.

Y. P. Society 8 o'clock Nov. 11th.

No Reunion Services on account of big meeting in Thief River Falls Nov. 9th to 11th.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

O. G Gubrud bot a span of horses of O. Olbly one day last week.

It would be a good plan to fill that wood house or coal bin, soon now.

A short musical program will be given at the Red Cross meeting tonight, at the school house.

Found: A sum of money, also a pocket knife. Please prove property and pay for this notice, at the printing office.

The rural carrier will start in on the winter schedule on Thursday Nov. 15th. On and after that date the carrier will start out from the postoffice at 7:30 in the morning.

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"The Shepherd of the Hills," by Harrold Bell Wright is undoubtedly one of the most absorbing books ever written. It is filled with human interest from beginning to end, and has made a deep appeal to millions of readers.

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Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota.
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 20 1917.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 28th. 1917, at 9 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that state lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

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Holt, Minn.

Dr. R. E. Spinks
Physician and Surgeon
Office at Drug Store
Middle River, Minn.

Notice

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Holt State Bank
Holt, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.00
Oats	50
Barley	74 to .99
Rye	1.62
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

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Efficiency.

After many trials and tribulations Mrs. Timson had managed to get a "maid" of sorts.

"Now, Thurza," said she, "be careful about the water. We only use the well water for drinking, as we have to pay a man to pump it. The rain water is good enough for washing up and so on."

After tea Mrs. Timson asked:

"Did you remember about the water, Thursza?"

"Oh, yes, m'm," said Thurza. "I filled the kettle half full of water from the butt and the other half with water from the well. I thought that bottom half might as well be getting hot at the same time for washing up after tea."—San Francisco Argonaut.

An Innovation.

"Talking about educational improvements, I would suggest to have school rooms rigged like vessels."

"Why so?"

"Because then they could have what is much needed—a spanker boom."

It's all right to stand by the flag but don't stand still by the flag.

Ellen Wade, deceased, leaves $1,000,000 to Cleveland charity.

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U. S.—Teutonic War News

Escaping from a German submarine after a bitter fight lasting nearly four hours, with seven of her crew wounded, two of them seriously, an American steamer arrived at a French seaport from an American port. The timely intervention of an American torpedo boat alone saved the ship from being sunk.

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General Pershing accompanied one of the French generals as far as the second German line in the French attack on the Aisne front in France. General Pershing's imperturbable attitude during this time is the talk of the French army.

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It was announced at Washington that the American destroyer, which had an engagement in the war zone with a German submarine, and got to port under its own steam after being damaged, was the U. S. S. Cassin. Gunners' Mate Osmond Kelly Ingram of Pratt City, Ala., was killed.

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American troops are ready to go into action on the western front and news may be expected at any moment now that they have received their baptism of fire. The Americans will participate in the fighting throughout the winter. These are the inferences drawn from Secretary of War Baker's weekly review of war operations on all fronts, issued at Washington, which discloses that the allies will not go into winter quarters but will continue their terrible onslaughts on the enemy without interruption.

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Domestic

Ewald Pietsch, son of a University of Chicago professor, college graduate and well-known fraternity man, was arrested at Chicago and held to the federal grand jury in $10,000 bonds for threatening the life of President Wilson.

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John J. Arnold, vice president of the First National bank of Chicago, was run over by a Northwestern train, and as a result amputation of both feet just above the ankles was necessary.

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Speaking as a party leader and as an individual, President Wilson urged the woman suffrage issue upon the voters of all states. He told a delegation of 100 members of the New York state woman suffrage party at Washington that he hoped their campaign would be successful and urged men of all parties in New York particularly to vote for suffrage.

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Engineer Albert Cameron and Fireman Sherman Wright were killed when passenger train No. 102 of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad left the rails and was wrecked at Northfield, Ill.

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A smashing drive on slackers, in which more than 600 men were taken, topped Chicago's Liberty day program. The chief raids were made in the Sanford park district.

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Despondent over the prolonged illness of a child, said to be suffering from an incurable malady, Mrs. Catherine Nicholl, 4028 South Campbell avenue, Chicago, killed herself and three children—Thomas, eight; Elizabeth, six, and Philip, two—by gas asphyxiation.

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The Du Pont Powder company announced at Philadelphia that it has subscribed for $50,000,000 of Liberty loan bonds.

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The people of Ohio will vote on a referendum on the presidential suffrage question at the November elections, according to a decision handed down by the state supreme court.

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A sailing vessel brought a cargo of wool from South Africa, valued at more than a million dollars, to an Atlantic port. The vessel was nearly a week overdue.

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Thirty days each in the penitentiary was the sentence imposed by Federal Judge Ervin at New York upon Edward R. Cheyney, son of a professor in the University of Pennsylvania, and Lewis C. Fraina, convicted of conspiracy to obstruct the selective draft law.

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Remarkable prosperity in Wisconsin is indicated by an announcement of the state tax commission at Madison that without a change in income tax rates the income from this source from corporations has practically doubled in a year. The income tax on corporations assessed is for $7,348,868.73.

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Mary Renchetto, fourteen years old, and her sister, Jolendi, ten, were killed and a third sister, Edith, eight, and Altilio Saulino, twenty-two, were seriously injured when they were struck by a train at Collinsville, Ill.

Know the Grim Truth.

All the blood; all the heroism; all the money, and all the munitions in the world will not win this war unless our allies and the people behind them are fed.

They will not be fed and our sacrifice of blood and money will be in vain and a great cause will sustain a great injury unless each one in his home each day stands guard over the nation's supply of wheat, meat, fats and sugar.

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Contracts were made between Louisiana sugar growers and the American Sugar Refining company for the delivery of 200,000,000 pounds of raw sugar at 6½ cents a pound. The food administration at Washington, announcing the agreement, said this would mean a price to the wholesalers of 8.35 cents, to be followed soon by a reduction to 7¼ cents.

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"The people of America either will save and serve with Hoover now, or, a little later, they will stand in line with bread and meal cards." This was the statement of Harry A. Wheeler, national food administrator for Illinois at Chicago in amplifying the order of the food administration for meatless Tuesdays and wheatless Wednesdays in all public eating places.

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A plot to assassinate President Wilson on Thanksgiving day has been discovered by secret service agents in Memphis, Tenn., and eight men charged with being the conspirators have been arrested in different places, according to federal officers.

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Washington

It was announced at Washington that the American bakers are to be licensed. They will be compelled to operate directly under the federal food administration after November 1.

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Three-cent letter postage will go into effect November 2. The postmaster general at Washington issued rules and regulations of new rates. On all first-class mail matter the rate will be 1 cent per ounce, or fraction, in addition to the present rate. Written post cards must carry 2 cents in stamps.

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Foreign

The sale of Liberty bonds in Havana, Cuba, has passed the $1,000,000 mark, the amount allotted to Cuba for disposal.

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Dr. Ramon Valdez, president of Panama, and members of his cabinet have subscribed liberally to the American Liberty loan.

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The extent to which women are taking the place of men in the mines of Germany is disclosed in a government report just issued at Washington. During the last quarter of 1916 there were 37,563 women so employed, compared with 7,265 in the same period of 1914.

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The Petrograd council of workmen's and soldiers' delegates adopted a resolution proposed by Leon Trotsky, president of its executive committee and a leading Maximalist, declaring the salvation of the country lies in the conclusion of peace as quickly as possible.

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European War News

The German retreat on the northern end of the front continues. The Petrograd war office says that the Germans who left their advanced positions so far have retired about 15 miles in the Riga region near the Pskoff highroad and in the sector of the Little Jaegel river.

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A Japanese steamer bound from London to Capetown was attacked twice off Land's End, September 29, by two German submarines, according to advices to Tokyo from Capetown. The Japanese steamer gave fight to the U-boats and one of her shots destroyed the periscope of one submarine.

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Austrian forces, heavily re-enforced by Germans, have opened a gigantic smash in an effort to crush Italy. According to the latest reports from Berlin thousands of prisoners have been taken in the first sweep, together with Italian positions near Flitch and Tolmino and in the northern part of the Bainsizza plateau.

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Two German dreadnaughts, one cruiser, 12 torpedo boats and one transport were put out of action by the Russians in the fighting around the island in the Gulf of Riga last week, but their ultimate fate is unknown, says an official statement issued by the Russian admiralty at Petrograd. Six German torpedo boats were sunk in the fighting. The Russians lost the battleship Slava and a large torpedo boat.

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The French forces on the Aisne continued their successful advance, capturing several important villages as well as 2,000 additional prisoners. Since the beginning of the present operations, says the announcement made by the Paris war office, more than 12,000 Germans have been captured, as well as 150 big guns and many guns of smaller caliber.

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The British merchant cruiser Orama has been torpedoed and sunk, it is announced officially in London. A British destroyer was sunk in a collision.

SAMMIES OCCUPY FRONT TRENCHES

Fire First Shot of the War in Flanders—French 75s Used.

OFFICIAL U. S. REPORT

First Statement Issued By American Headquarters Is Made Public.—Helmeted Infantry Given Wild Greeting.

With the American Army in France, Oct. 29.—(By the Associated Press.)—Following is the first official statement issued by the American headquarters:

"In continuation of their training, as a nucleus for instruction later, a contingent of some battalions of our first contingents in association with veteran French battalions, are in the first line trenches of a quiet sector, on the French front. They are supported by our batteries of our artillery in association with veteran French batteries.

"The sector remains normal. Our men have adapted themselves to actual trench conditions in the most satisfactory manner."

First Shot Fired at Germans.

American troops are in the first line trenches on the French front. The artillery fired the first shot of the war at 6 a. m. of a recent day, at a German working party. There has been intermittent artillery fighting since.

The helmeted infantry marched in, without the knowledge of the enemy on the same night, through rain and mud. The French soldiers in the trenches welcomed them enthusiastically.

Casualty List Coming.

The nearest enemy trench is several hundred yards away. The sector is one of the quietest of the front. It has not been taken over, being under the control of troops under the direction of the French.

The Americans have shelled German positions and troops, the enemy sending shell for shell. The first casualty list will be sent President Wilson.

The empty case of the first shell fired will be sent to President Wilson. It is now in the possession of General Sibert. The shot was fired by a red haired gunner as his comrades in the ranks and the assembled officers cheered. Later a luncheon in the field was attended by the American and French artillerists in celebration of the First American contact with the enemy.

Get Benefit of Actual Warfare.

The gun used in firing the first shot was one of the famous French 75s. On the second day the French shelled a German battery position which was located by sound and the enemy replied vigorously, projectiles falling close to the Americans who joined in the artillery duel. All the troops will be relieved after a certain period by others. Thus the American expeditionary forces are getting the benefit of actual war conditions.

Standing in a little, almost deserted shell wrecked village well within hostile gun range and a few kilometers from the trenches, the Associated Press correspondent watched the troops marching up in a driving rain over roads covered with sticky mud. The artillery had been firing all day and as a result the impression was given that there was considerable more activity on this front than there had been for some time.

Missouri Mules There.

It was soon after lulls in the firing and after dark that the first machine guns hauled by Missouri mules, the drivers swathed in slickers and with shrapnel helmets over their eyes came up on the road beside a dark canal. There was a long line of these and then came some infantry rolling kitchens, giving off a savory odor of warm food. All passed in silence. The last gun carriage had sprawled on it the form of a soldier who had been taken ill and who was being held on by two of his walking comrades. Through another street paved with cobbles and its sides lined with gaunt skeletons of shell wrecked houses came the sound of the tread of many hobnailed boots and in the darkness the forms of men could be seen marching.

March As If On Parade.

The cautious flash of an electric pocket lamp disclosed that they were American infantry, packs on their backs, rifles slung on their shoulders, rain glistening on their helmets and coats, the wind whipping the bottom of their coats around their legs, which were moving with machinelike precision.

The Americans swung down the street apparently as proud as though on dress parade, notwithstanding that they had marched miles from the billets where they had been since coming

MAJOR GEN. SCOTT

Veteran goes to French Front as chief instruction officer.

Major General Hugh L. Scott, former chief of the United States army, has arrived in France and gone to the front. After his retirement last month as chief of staff, General Scott was made chief instruction officer of the new national army.

by motor truck and railway from the instruction centers. As the ranks passed every now and then a soldier could be heard whistling softly to himself, his nearby comrade listening silently to sentimental and popular pieces.

Go Into Battle Whistling.

Finally from the rear came the whistled strain of a tune which all knew and from many places in the ranks whistles and voices joined in. The tune was "Tipperary." It lasted briefly as an officer turning, ordered "Stop that noise!"

As the Germans were near by much depended on approaching the scene quietly. The troops turned a corner and disappeared down an ink black screened road. As a major standing there listened he looked continuously at an illuminated watch dial. He said:

"The men from the other direction should now be entering the trenches. I have been standing here waiting to hear if the Germans discovered the movement." He paused, listened and then continued:

"There is no firing yet, although I expect it, for no doubt we are in for a 'strafe' if the 'boche' knows we are going in."

French Greeting Cordial.

No "strafe" developed although the Germans put over a few customary shells, hitting nothing.

The troops entered the trenches safely, unit by unit passing quickly to the places assigned them. Quietness was essential but the French welcome none the less was heard and it was enthusiastic. Every American was shaken by the hand, some were hugged and, even kissed on both cheeks in the French custom. Some of the French troops were those who helped to train the Americans. The trenches were found to be muddy but nevertheless in a condition of excellent construction. Greetings being over, the Americans settled down and at daylight, under low hung dripping clouds, they got their first view of the German lines stretching away in the rolling terrain.

One American battery observed and scattered a marching enemy group with shell fire.

Y. W. C. A. To Protect Morals.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Young women and girls of this country, and of France and Russia, are to be safeguarded from the moral risks of the war. This is the task before the sectional conferences of the Young Women's Christian association. Delegates from the central and north central fields—Minnesota, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Wisconsin, North and South aDkota, Nebraska and Iowa—were in session here Saturday, while similar meetings are being held in other cities.

REJECTS ST. PAUL INVITATION

Wilson Says "Clearly It Is My Duty To Remain Here."

St. Paul, Oct. 29.—President Wilson has had to decline the invitation to attend a patriotic rally in St. Paul November 8.

President Wilson's letter received by Governor Burnquist follows:

"My Dear Governor Burnquist.

"Thank you for your cordial telegram urging me to accept the St Paul invitation. If I were free, I should be glad to accept, but clearly it is my duty to remain here.

"Cordially and sincerely yours,

"WOODROW WILSON."

ALL U. S. MAY SALUTE FLAG

Chicago, Oct 29.—Mrs Lillian Bell, president of the Children's Patriotic League of America, says she has received the promise of Congressman George E. Foss of Illinois to introduce at the next session of congress a bill providing that the army salute—hand to the hat brim when the flag is six paces away and not removed until it has gone six paces past—be required of every one.

The league of which Mrs. Bell is the head plans to enroll every club in America in patriotic service.

Warns of Incendiary Plot.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Intimation that a widespread conspiracy exists to destroy livestock and grain in stockyards and elevators in the middle west, was contained in a telegram received by Harry A. Wheeler, Illinois food administrator, from Hoover. Hoover urged Wheeler to warn packers and grain men against incendiary fires and other means of destruction and advised him to take up the plan of having all stockyards and elevators patroled by home guards.

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ATROCITIES AS THEY EXIST

Orphaned Children, Homeless Families, Devastated Towns, Marked Germany's Path in Belgium.

The Germans entered Belgium in August and September, 1914; we began to come in November. Hence we saw none of the atrocities of the invasion—we saw only results of them, writes Vernon Kellogg in the Atlantic. Among these results, as soon by us, were, I hasten to say, no women without breasts or children without hands. But there were women without husbands and sons and daughters and children without mothers and fathers. There were families without homes, farms without cattle or horses or houses; towns without town halls and churches and most of the other buildings, and even some without any buildings at all, and a few without many citizens. But there were cemeteries with scores and hundreds of new graves—not of soldiers; and little toddling children who came up eagerly to you, saying, "Mon pere est mort; ma mere est mort." They were distinguished from some of their playmates by this, you see!

And we had to hear—and endure—the stories, the myriad stories, of the relicts of Dinant, Vise, Tamines, Andennes and all the rest. Of course there were stories exaggerated unintentionally, simply by the inevitable inaccuracies that come from excitement and mental stress. But there were stories that were true, all true.

Their Favorite Wine.

"An American 'Sammie' is as fond of his wine as a German soldier," I remarked to an old sailor friend.

"Yes," he agreed, "but an American sailor doesn't like the same kind of wine that a German sailor likes."

"Why, how's that, uncle?" I asked.

"Well, you see," he answered with a chuckle, "the German sailors like to stick to 'port.'"

Bound to Get There.

"In spite of the fine war-training the editor has had at home—meaning in his particular household—the army people turned him down three times," says the Adams Enterprise, "but he hasn't lost hope; he's going to get in that war somehow! They shouldn't discriminate against a man who is merely gray headed from worry."—The Atlanta Constitution.

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"All right—I will! I will write you tonight," answered Mikey.

Next morning the landlord eagerly opened the letter, expecting to find a remittance, but this is what he read:

"Dear Sir: I've thought it over, and the only thing I can suggest, to diminish your loss, is to lower the rent."

The Turtle's Choice.

The auto had skidded and upset. An Irishman came up and said to another in the crowd: "What's the excitement, Pat?"

"Shure, an automobile has turned turtle."

"Turned turtle, is it?" said the newcomer. "Begad, that must be the rayson it chose a mud puddle."

What He's Going to Be.

"Yes," said the nice little old lady, "I am much interested in the war. I have two nieces who are going to be Red Cross nurses, and one fine nephew who is now at Ft. Sheridan studying to be an Armenian."

The less a man says the more guessing his wife has to do.

Suffered For Years
Back and Kidneys Were in Bad Shape, But Doan's Removed all the Trouble.

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TEUTONS SHAKE ITALIAN FRONT

Invaders Break Through Mountain Passes and Increase Prisoners To 100,000.

ENEMY TAKES CIVIDALE

Gorizia Is Also Captured By Germans—Second and Third Armies Declared To Be In Retreat.

Rome, Oct. 30.—The Italians are checking the advance of the Austro-German troops into the plains of Northern Italy, the war office announces.

The Italian troops are fulfilling their duty and all movements ordered by the general staff are being carried out, the statement says.

Allies Take Steps To Aid.

Steps have been taken for rendering the fullest possible assistance to the Italians, is the message sent from London.

The French war committee is meeting to determine what can be done.

Italians Lack Cannon.

Whether General Cadorna, outnumbered nearly four to one, can check the spectacular onrush of Von Mackensen and the Teuton hordes, depends, military authorities in Washington believe, entirely upon the number of big guns the Allies are able to get to the Italians before the next great battle begins. That will be along the Tagliamento river, where General Cadorna is expected to make his stand.

Ammunition Supply Short.

Most of the 700 cannon lost by General Cadorna were taken without having fired a shot because of lack of ammunition, Italian cables to Washington said.

Entire Italian Line Shaken.

London, Oct. 30.—The entire Italian line, from the Julian Alps region to the Adriatic sea is being shaken by the Austro-German army under command of Emperor Charles, who has as his chief assistant Field Marshal von Mackensen.

Pressing back the Italians on Italian soil, the combined enemy forces now have pushed forward on the Italian left wing and captured Cividale, northeast of Udine, and are nearing the plains beyond. The Austrian town of Gorizia, a point of great strategic value on the Isonzo river had been retaken from the Italians.

Berlin official communications say 100,000 Italians have been made prisoner and over 700 guns have fallen into Austro-German hands. The second and third Italian armies are declared to be in retreat.

Rome Admits Defeat.

Rome admits the falling back of the second army, asserting that cowardice like that shown by the Russians in Galicia was exhibited in the face of the foe, the Italians surrendering or retreating without giving battle, permitting the breaking of the left wing and thereby offering easy access to the town of Cividale. Before falling back the Italians destroyed all their depots and stores. Cividale was on fire when the Austro Germans entered it.

Possibly the Italians in this region who are declared by Rome to be retreating to prepared positions on the plains, will turn about and meet the enemy in open country fighting.

Situation Most Grave.

If they do not and the enemy is able to keep up westward the fast pace maintained since the operation began, the greater part of the Italians along the northeastern line will be threatened with capture. So grave is the situation that a special meeting of the French cabinet has been held to decide the question of Allied co-operation on the Italian front.

SOFT COAL PRICE IS RAISED

Advance of 45c Ordered by Wilson on Recommendation.

Washington, Oct 30.—To meet the demands of coal miners for wage increases, President Wilson, by executive order, has added 45 cents a ton to all the government proclaimed prices for bituminous coal. The new prices go into effect at once.

The president's action was based on a recommendation from Fuel Administrator H. A. Garfield, who urged the increases after a careful investigation of the coal mining and labor situation throughout the country.

Germans Sink Boat to Avoid Seizure.

Rio Janeiro, Oct. 30.—The Germans set on fire and sank the German gunboat Eber, 984 tons, which has been lying at the port of Bahia, fearing seizure of the gunboat by the Brazilian authorities. Brazilian torpedo boat destroyers had been ordered to take possession of the Eber.

Slav Railway Demoralization Increases.

Petrograd, Oct. 30.—M. Andsberg, manager of the exploitation department of the ministry of ways and communications, in an interview regarding the critical state of the Russian railroads, declared total shipments during July, August and September were less than during last January and February. Many trains are idle for lack of locomotives, while anarchic conditions on the railroads had reached such a state that the executive heads were resigning and on some of the roads virtually the entire staffs had drawn out.

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Answered.

The motorist was looking disconsolately at his car that lay helplessly on its side on the border of a small plowed field. It had obviously skidded off the road.

Presently a passer-by of the genial kind that will ask senseless questions came along.

"Hello! Have you had an accident?"

"No," returned the exasperated motorist. "I've just bought a new car, so I brought the old one out to bury it in this field. Got a pickaxe and shovel in your pocket you could lend me?"—Answers.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Has a Job He Can't Quit.

Jim Garry believes that if you don't like a job, quit the job. Jim enlisted in the Sixth regiment and soldiered for 17 days, when he got leave to go home. A few days later the Sixth got back Jim's uniform, and the whole outfit. A note accompanied it. It read:

"I've thought it over and decided I don't want to be a soldier. So I quit now. My outfit is on the way."

But the soldier's job is one job you can't quit when you want to. So Jim is back in the ranks, trying to like it.—Toledo News-Bee.

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More Than One Way.

"Everyone at the club thought my hat was lovely, dear," said Mrs. Holt with a beaming smile. "Of course it was not expensive. I only paid $22 for it, but it is quite as lovely as Mrs. Ringley's, which cost her nearly $75."

"But the Ringley's are able to own a more conspicuous pew in church than we are," faltered her husband.

"Well," she exclaimed, radiant, "they can't come in any later than we can!"—Grit.

Dr Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels. Ad.

A Suspicious Note.

A school teacher felt that she had every right to feel suspicious when a young boy pupil presented her with a note written in a boyish scrawl which read as follows:

"Mis Jones pleas let Johnny out of school this afternoon as I want to go to the ball game.

Johnny's mother, Mis Perkins."

A good dinner has about the same effect on a man that a good cry has on a woman.

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"Yes, and the funny part of it is they both talk in their sleep. The other night a lodger in the next flat heard Boggs shout 'Fore!' and immediately Mrs. Boggs yelled 'Four and a quarter!'"

Its Nature.

"That fastening fools me every time I try to get it fixed."

"Guess it must be a guy rope."

The Elusive Cook.

"I see the army is advertising for cooks, with a proviso that they need not enlist for any stipulated time."

"Shows they understand the nature of cooks, all right enough."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Home From Shopping.

"Are you tired, dear?"

"Tired! I and my last cent are just spent."

Of course the good loser makes the best husband.

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[illegible] Nass went to T. R. Falls Tuesday on business.

Ben Hoff came Wednesday for a short visit with Holt friends.

Rev. Ordahl went to Pine Creek yesterday to hold meetings.

C. L. Sandberg and J. B. Alkenbrack were T. R. Falls visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Steinhauer and children visited relatives in St. Hilaire last week.

L. S. Kolden of Nielsvilie visited his brother S. S. the forepart of the week.

A plumber came Wednesday to put the new pressure tank in the school house.

Albert Larson went to Fargo yesterday for several weeks visit with relatives.

Mr. J. E. Erickson sold sheep to Mr. Leisner at Stiener Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Gullick Swanson and daughter Anna visited relatives at Alexandria last week.

Gilbert Johnson was a business visitor east of T. R. Falls for a few days last week.

Oscar Anderson has commenced work on the ditch and road between J. B. Alkedbrack's and Olof Iverson.

Loyd Adams has purchased the old bank building and will move it onto his land south of the school house.

P. L. Anderson, Clarence Docken, Cleve Peterson and Edwin Nelson attended a dance in T. R. Falls Friday evening.

The bridge across the river east of here, has been completed and the firm shipped their cookhouse and tools to T. R. Falls Saturday.

Word has been received from Rev. Parish that he will be here without fail next Monday evening and will hold services in the Mission church.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wegge, Mr. and Mrs. Kuehne and son Willie and Henry Wegge and son Fred, were visitors at T. R. Falls Saturday and also attended the Lutheran anniversary on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Knutson and family entertained Ole Reierson and family and Mrs. C. L. Heinze and sons last Sunday.

E. A. Johnson received a telegram yesterday from Canada stating his son Adolph had been seriously hurt that morning, but no further particulars were given.

Ludwig Gullickson visited a few days here with friends the first of the week. He left yesterday for Warroad, accompanied by Leo Horien, where they will work on the section.

We will ship by parcel post to your address PREPAID one of our FAST COLOR "All WEATHER Brand" 4x6 feet sewed U. S. FLAGS for $2.50. These flags have strong canvas headings and brass grommets, and will stand all kinds of weather, and are of our own manufacture. The scarcity and advance in price of materials at this time makes this offer limited. Send in yours at once. Send check, money order or draft with order.

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Red Cross News

The ladies are especially invited to attend the Red Cross meeting at the school house to-night. Musical program. Important business. All invited. You are needed NOW.

Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

Invented in 1589.

The knitting frame was invented in 1589 by William Lee, a graduate of Cambridge university and a native of Woodborough, near Nottingham, England. So perfect was the invention in every detail that to this day the essential features of the machine continue in use for the class of work to which Lee applied it.

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Today's Magazine

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Oct. 18, 1917.

Date of report by Bank, Oct. 22 1917.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$125,097 93
Overdrafts		31 73
Bonds and Securities		1000 00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		7,148 64
Other Real Estate		$2,108 00
Due from Banks	18,464 36	
Cash on Hand	2220 70	
Total Cash Assets		20,685 06
Checks and Cash Items		2,821 11
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		518 09
Total		$159,410 56
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$4,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		23 18
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		
Deposits Subject to Check	$56,977.56	
Cashier's Checks	1,801.93	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	58,779.49	
Time Certificates	86,631.07	
Total Deposits		145,410 56
Total		$159,410 56
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$20,685 06
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$11,385 09

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President.
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNHEIM,
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Oct. 1917.

[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

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We will pay Five Dollars ($5.00) for every man you recommend to us, that we employ, who will sell in good orders, $100.00 worth of our Hardy Northern grown nursery stock within one year from time of his beginnig work. Send us his name and we will do the rest, or you can write us for further information. A postage stamp that will earn you $5.00 is a big investment.

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Albert Lea, - Minn.

To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn.
September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

[SEAL]

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

Capital	$10,000
Surplus	4,000

President, D. B. Bakke
V. President, A. D. Stephens
Cashier, B. Docken

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Arnold Boernstein shot a wolf Tuesday.

C. A. Whitted is shipping baled hay to E. T. Eide at Spooner.

The drafted men from this part of Minnesota and eastern North Dak. will compose the 352nd. Infantry of the National Army. This regiment will have 95 officers and 3604 enlisted men when it is filled, divided into 15 companies. Funds are needed for papers, magazines, games and athletic outfits. The government allowance is about 42 cents a day for food, which is not enough to buy butter, cake or other extras. Contributions of cash are solicited. Send to David Johnson at Warren who has been appointed to receive donations for this county.

Statement

of The Holt Weekly News

Published weekly at Holt, Minn., Publisher, The Holt Publishing Co., Holt, Minn. Editor, H. B. Young, Holt, Minn. Business Manager, B. Docken, Holt, Minn. Owners: A. L. Carlson, Arvid Carlson, P. A. Riesberg, D. B. Bakke, B. Docken, Axel Nelson, O. J. Backlund, Oscar Hanson, R. Reierson, C. H. Gunheim all of Holt, Minn. Bondholders, mortgagees, etc: None.

B Docken,
Business manager.

Sworn to Oct. 1st 1917, before
Nils Engebretsen,
Notary Public.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Oct. 3, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Alfred Larson of Holt, Minn., who on July 30, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08332, for NE 1-4, Section 33, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the district of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of Nov. 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Pete Rosan of Holt, Minn., and Isaac Ostlund, Peter Ostlund, Olina Knute Bolingberg all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

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AUCTION!

I will sell at public auction on my farm in SW 1-4 sec. 27, 156, 42, 8 miles east from Holt the following property, on Friday Nov. 9th

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Livestock

1 cow 8 years old, fresh in March
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1 heifer coming 3, fresh in Dec.
2 heifers coming 3, fresh in March
1 Holstein bull coming 3 years old
1 calf 8 months old
1 bay gelding about 12 years old

Machinery, Etc.

Emerson disk, 12 disks. Iron drag
Emerson sulky plow with breaker
McCormick Mower Some Hay
1 wide and 1 narrow tire wagons
50 bushels potatoes, more or less
And many other articles too numerous to mention

TERMS: On amounts of $10.00 and over, time will be given to Nov. 1st, 1918, on bankable notes bearing ten per cent interest. All amounts under $10.00 are payable in Cash.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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The Holt Weekly News
Successor to and Continuation of
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By The
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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Miss Hilma Nyberg returned home Monday from Climax.

Clarence Kolden spent several days this week in Fargo on business.

Otto Johnson was a business caller in T. R. Falls the forepart of the week.

Chas. Hagglund went to T. R. Falls Wednesday where he will work on the section.

Loyd Adams and Joe Nelson are [illegible] the Red Lake Falls elevator this week.

Chas. Martel returned home Friday from a business trip in the vicinity of Duluth.

A. O. Mattson returned home Wednesday from a visit with his daughter in So. Dak.

Everybody is going! Where? To the entertainment next Wednesday [illegible] in the Wood[illegible]

Miss Minnie Rux returned home Friday from Hatton, N. D. where she has been employed this fall.

Miss Matilda Wendt returned on Monday from Hatton, N. D., where she had been working for sometime.

Necktie social Holt school house Saturday evening Nov. 10th. Everybody welcome. Lots of fun for you.

Mrs. Halvor Smeback and son Juel of Strathcona visited at the B. J. Bakke home Monday and Tuesday.

Ben Hoff went to Grand Forks Wednesday where he has secured work in one of the barber shops of that city.

Mrs. Peter Hanson's mother from Badger came the latter part of last week to visit at the home of her daughter.

Ole Hammernes is building the foundation for a large addition to his garage, which he will build early next spring.

Ed. and Ben Nyberg, Ed. Knutson, Debard Johnson and Clarence Swan returned home Wednesday from Canada.

Ben Eide has received an appointment as mail carrier on a rural route out of Warren and expects to move there and enter upon his work the 19th of this month.

Willie Rux returned home last week Thursday from Hatton, N. D., and on Monday accompanied by Martin Kulseth they left for Iowa where they will husk corn.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

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The Red Cross Meeting.

The Red Cross chapter of Holt held a meeting in the school house Friday evening Nov. 2nd. and the following officers were elected:

Chairman G. M. Gubrud.
Vice. „ Mrs. B. Docken.
Sec., Miss Helen Johnson.
Tres., Ben Docken.

The following Work Committee was elected to see what could be done in the way of sewing and knitting for our boys. Mrs. C. H. Gunheim Mrs. R. L. Olson and Mrs. C. W. Christianson. A Membership Committee was elected to interest all the people of Holt and community in becomming a member. Those elected are as follows; H. B. Young, A. L. Carlson and Miss Martha Peterson. The latter succeeded in getting 16 members that evening and we now have 46 members. Boost a good thing along.

G. M. Gubrud, Chairman.

For Sale or Rent

The store building formerly occupied by S. S. Kolden & Co., for a hardware store, is for sale very cheap and on easy terms, or we would rent to a responsible party. Address,

L. S. Kolden, Nielsville, Minn.,
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Accidents

The J. A. Sorum home narrowly escaped being destroyed by fire a few evenings ago, but was discovered before it had gained a great deal of headway, however, the sewing machine and some clothes were badly burned.

Adolph Johnson was very seriously injured in a run away accident at Glenside, Sask, Canada, one day last week and is in a critical condition. His thigh was badly cut and his back injured, but just how badly they are unable to tell yet.

His brother Hugort was quite badly hurt a few days ago by falling down the hay chute of a barn where he was working, at Great Falls, Montana. It is reported that Hugort is now getting along nicely.

Read the new ads.

J. J. Little left Monday for his home at Madison, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kulseth and son Leslie came Friday from Hatton, N. D., to visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Rux and family.

The boys met for their first Basket Ball practice Sunday afternoon, and by the way some of the fellows felt Monday morning, indicated that they had had a hard practice.

We are having some fine weather in this part of the country, and probably the farmers will be able to get all of their plowing done before it freezes up.

The firm that bot the timber on the Red Lake reservation have failed to carry out the terms of the contract and forfeited the deposit of $2,500. Probably the timber will be re-sold.

"The Shepherd of the Hills," by Harrold Bell Wright, is undoubtedly one of the most absorbing books ever written. It is filled with human interest from beginning to end, and has made a deep appeal to millions of readers.

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Golden Valley Sunbeams

Oscar Moe is spending a few days at Golden Valley.

Bert Bernstien returned to Carpenter Iowa Saturday, after a weeks visit with friends and relatives here and Rollis.

Oscar Norbeck went to Crookston Thursday returning home Saturday.

Mrs. Tweeten visited at Clarence Larson's a few days last week.

Olaf Dahl and Chris. Norbeck autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday. They had a break down on their way home, so was obliged to leave the Ford in Holt.

Don't forget the Ladies Aid at the Wilson school next Wednesday, everybody welcome.

Allin Dahl returned home Saturday after a months stay at Arvilla N. Dak.

The Norbeck and Gabrielson threshing rigs have been busy finishing the last jobs of threshing last week.

Mrs. Bergum went to T. R. Falls Monday to consult a physician.

Elna Freedberg was a caller at the Werner home near Rollis Sunday.

School Notes

Siema Niemela, Editor.

A Red Cross Chapter was organized in the school house last Friday evening.

Several new members were added to the list. The officers and committees elected, are given elsewhere in this paper. They have ordered a list of material, and as soon as it arrives, work will be commenced.

A necktie social will be given in the school house Saturday evening Nov. 10th. The young girls are requested to bring a gentleman's necktie which is to be sold to the highest bidder, and also a box or basket containing lunch for two. Coffee will be served to those who bring cups. Everybody Welcome.

Mrs. Christianson visited the school last Friday.

Mrs. Nohre visited the school this week on Monday.

A visiting nurse from the Minnesota Health Association for crippled children caused by Infatile Paralysis and Tuberculosis, visited the school last week.

Last Saturday the members of the Faculty entertained the School Board, accompanied by their wives to a six o'clock dinner. The library was prettily decorated for the occasion. The rest of the evening was spent in playing games.

The new text books arrived last week.

The new pressure tank was installed last week in the room where the steam heating plant is located, and was ready for use by Friday.

The girls who are taking Domestic Science are now making aprons.

The boys taking Manual training are doing elementary work.

The absentees in Mr. Hall's room last week were: Frank Heinze, Ida Haggland, Olive Mickelson, Ruby Swan, and Martin Olson. Those absent in the intermediate room last week were Walmer Risberg and Elsie Rux.

Have you signed the Food Conservation Membership cards? Watch for them, sign them and help the cause of democracy.

Lyceum Course For Holt

The first number presented will be RENA GILMAN, Enactor of Plays, Presenting "The Shepherd of the Hills," Nov. 14, 1917, at the M. W. A. Hall. Everybody [illegible]

Stiener News

(Too late for last week)

Mr. Best had been loosing a number of geese this fall. On investigation it was found that Mr. wolf was doing the mischief, so Mr. Best used his gun and received the bounty. No more geese disappeared.

Rena Werner was in Steiner Sunday.

John Christianson did business in Thief River Falls the last part of the week.

Arthur Muzzy did trading in the berg Sunday.

John Meyers and wife visited at the Ed. Werner home Sunday afternoon.

S. R. Rogers and son Henry have been building the feed chute, roofing a new silo and doing other carpenter work for Fred Coop.

Peter Solem bot a load of potatoes of Mr. Rogers the past week.

The Burg Bros. killed a large wolf south of their farm one day last week.

Mr. Rogers and wife visted at the Herb Borden home Sunday.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Aug. 1917.

Cream received	26,610	lbs
Average test	29 64	
Butter fat	7788.23	lb
Percent overrun	27 61	
Butter made	9939	lbs
Balance on hand last month	2 92	
Received for butter shipped and sold patrons	$331 28	
Rec'd from cash sales	28 17	
Total	$3749 52	
Paid patrons by check, Butter & milk	3231 28	
Expense fund, etc.	349 00	
Other sources	2 07	
To sinking fund	59 05	
Balance on hand	8 12	
Total	$3749 52	

Number of patrons, 112

Price paid for butter fat, 43c

Patrons receiving checks for $40 .0 P. G. Sorter 40.24. C. L. Heinze 79.89. G. Tveit 47.88. Louis Johnson 51.97. T. O. Dovre 62.94. Erik Johnson 47.95. E. A. Erickson 46.85. E. J. Werner 62.29. Hans Knutson 48.64. Ole J. Lunke 58.61. Theo Sorum 41.93. C. E. Smith 61.61. Chas Skoglund 62.09. Ryan & Ostby 82.66. H. Heinze 46.36 L. Wegge 42.85. M. O. Halvorson 79.59. Nels Gudvangen 54.16 Swan Carlson 72.26. J. Magnuson 47.50. H. Wegge 50.19. Ed Horien 65.08. Rudolph Dahl 64.32. Nels Fosen 47.42. Christ Jefferson 47.71 Julius Fiaman 40.08.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Tell us the news.

G. Howard Smith of T. R. Falls was here Tuesday on business.

Parcel post packages intended for the soldiers in France are now limited to seven pounds in weight.

The annual meeting of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational Assn will take place at Thief River Falls, Thursday and Friday, Nov. 15 and 16. Speakers of state and national reputation will appear on the two day and evening programs.

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Entertainment Woodmen Hall Wednesday evening Nov. 14

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota,
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 20, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 28th, 1917, at 9 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land; provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

For Sale.

Set of Bank Fixtures for sale at a very reasonable price. We have moved into our new bank building and desire to dispose of the old fixtures at once. Will sell cheap.

Holt State Bank.

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Holt, Minn.

Notice!

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Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

Dr. R. E. Spinks
Physician and Surgeon
Office at Drug Store
Middle River, Minn.

Notice

Offers wanted at once to clear the NE 1-4 sec 21 twp 156 ran. 43.

Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	2.98
Oats	50
Barley	71 to .96
Rye	1.60
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The American Red Cross Society

News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

U. S.—Teutonic War News

The transport Finland was recently torpedoed while returning to the United States, but was able to return to a foreign port under her own steam, says a statement issued at Washington by Secretary Daniels.

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United States Senators Kenyon of Iowa and Kendrick of Wyoming were asleep in their hotel in London when awakened by an airplane bombardment. Eight persons were killed and 21 injured.

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The American schooner Fanny Prescott was attacked by a submarine in the war zone. It was taken in tow by the submarine after being abandoned by the crew.

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Government agents at New York are bringing to account enemy aliens who circulate false reports concerning subjects connected with the country's prosecution of the war.

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The steamer on which were United States Senators John D. Kendrick of Wyoming and William S. Kenyon of Iowa and Representatives John J. Rogers of Massachusetts and James S. Parker of New York, was attacked by a German submarine off the coast of Wales. The gunners on the steamer opened fire and the submarine submerged.

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The first German prisoner of war taken by the American expeditionary forces died in an American field hospital, having been shot when he encountered an American patrol in No Man's Land in front of the American trenches.

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"America's first to fight" are ready. This was the verdict of Secretary of the Navy Daniels after he had inspected and reviewed the marine corps at Quantico, Va. The marines will be the next to go to France, he said.

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Washington

America can help Italy repel the Teutonic invasion and save the allied cause by speeding supplies, Gen. Pasquale Tozzi, head of the Italian military mission to this country, pointed out at Washington. He was assured by the state department that America would help Italy in every possible way.

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Washington's Halloween celebrations were tinged with sadness this year, for, at the stroke of twelve Wednesday night, the city entered the dry column, and the saloons closed their doors, after 100 years of uninterrupted existence.

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Russell C. Leffingwell, a New York lawyer who has been assisting Secretary McAdoo at Washington as special counsel in the flotation of the Liberty loan, was appointed assistant secretary of the treasury.

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The vast store of German scientific information in this country was opened to American manufacturers in regulations issued by the federal trade commission at Washington under which enemy-owned patents and copyrights will be licensed for use by citizens of the United States.

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Domestic

Theft of foodstuffs valued at nearly $50,000 from the Great Lakes Naval Training station is laid at the door of eight men, including three petty naval officers and five civilians, who are under arrest.

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Coal miners in virtually every coal producing region in the United States will reap benefits under the agreement just concluded at Washington whereby miners in the central competitive field receive higher pay.

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Gaston B. Means was indicted by the Cabarrus county grand jury at Concord, N. C., for the murder of Mrs. Maude A. King, wealthy widow of New York and Chicago. Means was her business agent.

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Count James Minotto, son-in-law of Louis F. Swift, the Chicago packer is accused by the government of being a confederate of Count Luxemburg, the German charge in Argentina; an intimate of Count von Bernstorff, former German ambassador at Washington; and one of the active promoters of German propaganda in the country.

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Too much talking cost Prof. Ernest Feise, assistant head of the German department of the University of Wisconsin, his job. Professor Feise was summarily dismissed by President Van Hise. Traitorous remarks against the Liberty loan were responsible.

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Provost Marshal General Crowder of Washington notified all governors of amendment to the selective service regulations which will insure practically immediate army duty for all slackers convicted of failing to register.

Herbert S. Bigelow, pacifist leader of Cincinnati, who was whisked away by his white-clad captors, was located near Florence, Ky. He had been taken into a wood and thrashed with a blacksnake whip. The party of men that administered the chastisement was dressed in long white robes resembling those described as being worn by the renowned Ku Klux Klan.

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Ten stevedores are missing, $5,000,000 damage has been done, and many ships, loaded with cargoes for the allies were burned in a fire which started at the water front at Baltimore, Md. Allen enemies are suspected of starting the blaze. The fire broke out almost simultaneously at five different places at Locust Point.

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Food Administrator Hoover at Washington will cut off the supplies of retail food profiteers until the end of the war. A new regulation goes into effect November 1. It provides that no manufacturer, wholesale or other handler of foods will be allowed to sell to any retailer who makes unreasonable profits or buys quantities of food for speculation.

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Personal

Gen. Charles H. Grosvenor, former representative from the Eleventh Ohio district, died at his home at Athens, O., aged eighty-four.

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Congressman Charles Martin, one of the most picturesque characters in the political life of Chicago, died at the home of his son, James Martin, in Chicago.

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European War News

A German warship has been sunk in the sound, according to a dispatch to the National Tidende at Copenhagen from Malmoe, Sweden. It is reported that the vessel struck a mine.

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Thirty thousand German soldiers, including two generals of division, were killed in the great battle on the Bainsizza plateau, according to cabled reports received at Washington. General Cadorna is pushing reserves rapidly toward the Italian front. English and French are being rushed to stiffen Cadorna's new line of defense on the Tagliamento.

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Another withdrawal of German troops on the northern Russian front is in progress, the Petrograd war office anounces.

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The city of Beersheba in Palestine has been captured by the British, it is announced officially in London.

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In an attack on Turkish vessels at Inada bay, on the Black sea, near the Bosporus, Russian torpedo boats sunk a Turkish torpedo boat and destroyed two Turkish steamers and a naval battery in the bay, the Petrograd war office announced.

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Sir Eric Geddes, first lord of the admiralty, in his first address to parliament in London, declared that between 40 and 50 per cent of the German submarines operating in the North sea, the Atlantic and the Arctic oceans had been sunk. He praised the work being done by the American fleet.

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Russia entered the war early and she is now worn out by the strain, Premier Kerensky told the press at Petrograd. The premier said that Russia claims as her right that the other allies now should shoulder the burden of the war. He declared that Russian public opinion was agitated by the question: "Where is the British fleet now that the German fleet is out in the Baltic?"

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U-boats in the last week sank 14 British merchantmen of more than 1,600 tons and four small vessels. These figures were given out by the admiralty at London. This is seven less ships than were sunk the previous week.

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The British and French armies are rushing with all possible haste to reenforce the Cadorna line. Every resource of the allies is being thrown into the conflict, and confidence is expressed in London that the invaders will meet defeat on the Tagliamento in one of the most decisive battles of the war.

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Udine, the former Italian headquarters, has been occupied by Austro-German forces, army headquarters announced at Berlin. The Austrians and Germans are pressing forward irresistibly in the northern Italian plain toward the course of the Tagliamento river, the statement says.

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Commodore Luckner, commander of the German raider Seeadler, was captured off the Fiji Islands (British possessions) by Fiji constabulary, according to word brought to a Pacific port by a steamer arriving from a trans-Pacific port. Five German members of the Seeadler's crew were taken with their commander.

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Foreign

The keeping of markets in Argentina open to Germany, the separation of the province of Rio Grande de Sul from Brazil and the cultivation of friendly relations with Chile, were the amazing aims of Germany in South America. Count Luxburg, Germany's disgraced minister to Buenos Aires, believed as late as August 4 that he could attain these aims. To do so he wanted a submarine squadron at his disposal. The notes were made public at Washington.

EVERYONE PAYING TO CRUSH ENEMY

New War Tax Squeezes Purse of Wage Earner, but All Must Help.

KAISER TO BLAME FOR COST

Mad Prussia Must Be Broken Before Conflict Can End—Good Patriots Steel Selves for Sacrifice and Then Victory.

Postage.—Three cents an ounce or fraction thereof on letters for other than local delivery; two cents on all postal cards.

Admissions—Ten per cent tax on tickets to theaters, cabarets, and other amusement places.

Dues—Ten per cent tax on dues of clubs exceeding $12 a year.

Tobacco—Graduated taxes on cigars, tobacco, cigarettes, cigarette papers and snuff.

Express—Five per cent tax on amounts paid for express transportation.

Passengers—Eight per cent of the cost of railroad tickets, except local.

Berths—Ten per cent of the cost of berths, staterooms, and parlor car seats.

Oil—Five per cent tax on amounts paid for transportation of oil by pipe lines.

Messages—Five cents tax on each telegraph, telephone, or radio message costing 15 cents or more.

Insurance—Eight cents tax on each $100 or fractional part thereof of each life insurance policy; one per cent of the premium on fire, marine, inland, and casualty insurance policies.

Washington.—Uncle Sam is rather pleasantly surprised at the way the nation is standing the war tax gaff. The grouching, such as there is, has been growled in a minor key, and most of it comes from the trouble-makers, the whining pacifists, those of a sickly cast of loyalty.

Nobody really enjoys paying excess taxes, such as three cents postage for letters, extra charge for freight, express and passenger transportation, telephone and telegraph messages and amusements. But all true Americans who realize that the kaiser is to blame for the trouble, stand ready and willing to pay their share of the cost of exterminating the world's greatest menace.

By the way, do you know that if you are single and earn more than $1,000 yearly, you must pay two per cent tax on what you make over $1,000. And if you are married, you must pay two per cent on what you make over $2,000. The tax for all of 1917 must be paid by June 1, 1918.

All of the new taxes fall upon the average man. They have nothing to do with the "conscription" of wealth." They are a part of the program of taxation to make each man, woman and child in the United States feel a direct personal part in the war. They apply to freight, passenger and express transportation, pipe lines, Pullman seats and berths, telegraph and telephone messages, insurance policies, admissions to theaters and "movies" and to club dues. The effect of most of them is felt, therefore, in a slight rise in the high cost of living.

The taxes are expected to net the federal government the following revenues:

Freight transportation	$77,500,000
Express transportation	10,000,000
Passenger transportation	60,000,000
Pipe lines	4,500,000
Seats and berths	4,000,000
Telegraph and telephone messages	7,000,000
Insurance policies	5,000,000
Club dues	1,500,000
Admissions	50,000,000

The war tax on facilities furnished by public utilities is now levied as follows:

Three per cent of the amount paid for transportation by rail or water or by any form of mechanical motor power in competition with carriers by rail or water, on freight consigned from one point in the United States to another.

One cent for each twenty cents or fraction charged by express companies for transportation from one point in the United States to another.

Eight per cent of the amount paid for the transportation of persons by rail or water or by any form of mechanical motor power on a regular established line in competition with common carriers, from one point in the United States to any point in the United States, Canada or Mexico where the ticket is issued in the United States. No tax is imposed on commutation or season tickets for trips less than 30 miles, or in cases where the fare does not exceed 35 cents.

Ten per cent of the amount paid for seats, berths or staterooms.

If a mileage book used for transportation or accommodation was purchased prior to November 1, 1917, or if cash fare is paid, the conductor or agent collecting the fare is required to collect the tax.

Five per cent on the amount paid for the transportation of oil by pipe line.

Five cents for each telegraph, telephone or radio dispatch originating in the United States where the charge is 15 cents or more.

The foregoing taxes are paid by the persons paying for the services or facilities rendered. A carrier making no charge for transporting a commodity because of its ownership thereof, or for any other reason, is required to pay a tax equivalent to the amount which would be imposed if it received payment, except in the case of commodities which are necessary for its use in the conduct of its business or the business of another line constituting a part of the same railroad system. Service rendered to the federal and state governments is exempt from taxation. Persons collecting these taxes are required to make monthly returns and monthly payments to the federal government.

The new levies upon insurance take effect in the following manner:

On life insurance, eight cents on each $100 or fraction of the amount of the policy, except industrial insurance policies not in excess of $500 issued on the weekly payment plan, in which case the tax is 40 per cent of the first weekly premium. Policies of re-insurance are exempt.

On marine, inland and fire insurance, one cent on each dollar or fraction of the premium charged under each policy including renewals, but not including policies of re-insurance.

Casualty insurance, one cent on each dollar or fraction of the premium charged under each policy (except indemnity and surety bonds, which are taxable under another title of the bill) including renewals, but not including re-insurance policies.

Policies issued by any corporation exempt from the income tax are exempt from this tax.

The person, partnership or association issuing such policies of insurance is required to make monthly returns and monthly payments to the government.

For every ten cents or fraction thereof you spend on the movies you must turn over to the government one cent. Of course, the movie proprietors may save you the inconvenience of handling pennies by raising his admission price a nickel, as many other persons selling goods affected by the war tax have already done.

Here is the way admission tax and the club dues levies will fall upon the public:

One cent on each ten cents or fraction of the amount paid for admission to any place including admission by season ticket or subscription, to be paid by the person paying for such admission, except in the case of children under twelve, where the tax in every case is one cent. Persons admitted free pay the tax on the basis of the charge made to other persons of the same class, except employees, municipal officers on official business and children under twelve. Where the charge for admission to a cabaret or similar entertainment is wholly or in part included in the price paid for refreshment, service or merchandise, the amount paid is to be computed under regulations to be prescribed by the treasury department.

In the case of persons having the permanent use of boxes or seats, or a lease thereon, the tax is equivalent to 10 per cent of the amount for which a similar box or seat is sold for the performance or exhibition at which the box or seat is used or reserved by or for the lessee or holder.

These taxes are not to be imposed in the case of a place where the maximum charge for admission is five cents or for shows, rides or other amusements in outdoor general amusement parks where the admission is ten cents or in the case of shows, rides or other amusements (the maximum charge for admission to which is ten cents) within outdoor general amusement parks, or in the case of admissions to such parks. Where the proceeds inure exclusively to the benefit of religious, educational or charitable societies or organizations, and in the case of admissions to agricultural fairs, no tax shall be levied, provided none of the proceeds are distributed to stockholders or members of the association.

A tax of 10 per cent is imposed on the amount paid as dues or membership fees, including initiation fees, to any social, athletic or sporting club where such dues or fees are in excess of $12 per year, such tax to be paid by the person paying the dues or fees. Dues or fees paid to fraternal or beneficiary societies orders or associations operated on the lodge system are exempt.

Those collecting admission dues or fees are required to collect the tax and make monthly returns and payments to the government.

Greatest Thing in the World.

Love has been called the greatest thing in the world, but the greatest thing in the world is not a thing at all; the greatest thing is a person. Personality is the greatest thing in the world. The greatest thing in personality is not strength of body nor strength of mind. It is strength of heart. "Clever people are as common as blackberries, the rare things to find a good one." It is not Daniel Webster's brain, but Lincoln's heart, that wins a nation's love.—Exchange.

Gained Fame While Dying.

Antoine Watteau, one of France's foremost artists, painted his celebrated decorative panels while dying of the white man's scourge. He sprang from humble and poverty-stricken surroundings, and was forced to work on the brink of starvation for the greater part of his thirty-seven years. Just as his fame rose to national proportions his tubercular condition became worse and he worked desperately during his last few years to complete as much work as possible before he died.

PERSHING'S MEN IN FIRST CLASH

3 U. S. Soldiers Killed, Five Wounded and 12 Captured In First Real Battle.

DETAILS ARE MEAGER

German Forces Launch Desperate Effort to Overcome New Enemy As Soon As Position Is Learned.

Washington, Nov. 6.—Three Americans were killed, five wounded and 12 captured or missing when armed forces under the American flag had their first clash with German soldiers in an attack which the Germans made on first line trenches where the United States troops had been taken for instructions.

The War department made this known on receipt of a dispatch from General Pershing, showing that the German forces soon after learning the position of the new enemy from overseas, had launched a desperate effort to overcome them.

Heavy Barrage Fire.

The Teuton attack came in the form of a heavy barrage fire which isolated a salient of the American trench, and apparently left a small force of Americans at the mercy of their enemies. That the American soldiers fought gamely is shown by Pershing's report of a prisoner being taken by them.

How some of his troops escaped bringing this German back with them is not told in the brief dispatch of the American commander.

No Names of Casualties.

The United States troops were taken in charge of veteran French soldiers to quiet portion of the long line that runs from the North sea to Switzerland, and for a few days conditions were normal. Cable dispatches have been telling of artillery activity somewhat above "normal," but still not of anything like the furious fire on other portions of the front. A rather cryptic announcement told of "North American" prisoners being brought in, and this is taken here to refer to the soldiers whom General Pershing's dispatch says are captured or missing.

Allies Warned Americans.

Many French and British military writers have warned America that Germany would hurl terrific blows at the Americans as soon as news of their location reached the German side, and when the Americans went into the trenches War department officials here predicted this might happen. It was pointed out that this was a favorite trick of the Germans when the British territorials from Canada or Australia went into the trenches for the first time.

ALL ARE CLAIMING VICTORY

Each Candidate Says He Will Be Mayor of New York.

New York, Nov. 6.—Eleventh-hour statements containing charges, counter-charges and protestations of confidence, marked the virtual close of New York's four-cornered political campaign last night.

Senator La Follette of Wisconsin was cheered as "the next president" at a mass meeting at which Morris Hillquit, Social nominee for mayor, was the principal speaker.

Mayor John P. Mitchel who is seeking re-election as a fusion candidate, although he is the nominee of no organized party, issued another appeal for support on the ground that all the disloyal and seditious elements in the city are arrayed against him.

John F. Hylan, candidate of Tammany hall with his only newspaper support coming from the publications owned by William Randolph Hearst, announced his election as assured.

William M. Bennett, who won the Republican nomination from Mayor Mitchel in the primaries, asserted he was confident of election.

TEUTON PLOT TO CLOG MAILS

Chain Scheme of Letters Being Probed by Secret Service.

New York, Nov. 6.—A plot, the apparent purpose of which is to clog the mails, both domestic and foreign is under investigation by the secret service, it is learned.

The scheme, which calls for flooding the mails with millions of letters, each letter a link in one of a dozen or more chains, is said to have originated in Boston.

Some of the letters which have fallen into the hands of the government it is said, are out-and-out German propaganda documents, while others are on their face harmless affairs, usually prayers for peace, or for the protection of American soldiers and sailors in Europe.

War May Force Standard Shoe

Washington, Nov. 6.—Russia is preparing to adopt a standard shoe for its civilian government workers in an effort to meet the situation created by the world shortage of leather. American manufacturers have been called upon to supply the demand and bids will be opened November 12 by an auxiliary committee of the Council of National Defense. France already has had a standard shoe, and in the opinion of leather experts the United States will be compelled to take similar action if the war continues long.

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Peat Bogs in Ireland.

Ireland possesses 25,000,000 acres of peat bog—one-seventh the total area of the island. Much of this peat is concentrated in the center of the country, in the Bog of Allen, but there are also large tracts in other localities. To utilize this peat, not merely for domestic use, but also for power purposes, is a problem which has exercised the minds of prominent Irishmen for many years, and the department of scientific and industrial research appointed a committee, with Sir John Griffiths of Dublin as chairman to investigate the whole question. Some successful attempts have already been made in Ireland to deal with the substance on a commercial basis, but any efforts to utilize the deposits must always have regard to three circumstances—that peat contains and retains a large amount of water; that, compared with other fuels, it has a low caloric value, and that it is extremely bulky, involving a high cost of carriage.

Egotism.

The man who had built up the new town and was showing a prospective settler about the place pointed with pride to a pretty little church just completed.

"Do you belong to the church?" asked the visitor.

"I should say not," replied the head man with an air of injured pride, "the church belongs to me."

An honest dollar isn't to be blamed for its tainted associates.

When a man is sure of his job he likes to sass the boss.

Save
In the Use
of Wheat
By eating
Grape-Nuts
All the food value of the grain is used in making this delicious food; and its blend of malted barley not only adds to its nourishing qualities but produces a flavor of unusual richness.
All Food—
No Waste!

Suffered Several Years. PERUNA MADE ME WELL
Its My Standby for a Cold.
Mrs. Elizabeth Reuther, 1002 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C., writes: "I endorse Peruna as a splendid medicine for catarrh and stomach trouble, from which I suffered several years. I took it for several months, found my health was restored and have felt splendidly ever since. I now take it when I contract a cold, and it soon rids the system of any catarrhal tendencies."
Those who object to liquid medicines can procure Peruna Tablets.

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Fall Run of Distemper
MAY BE WHOLLY AVOIDED BY USING
"SPOHNS" A small outlay of money brings very great results. It is a sure cure and a preventive if you use it as per directions. Simple, safe and sure. The $1 size is twice the quantity and an ounce more than the 50c size. Get your horses in best condition for late fall and winter. All druggists, harness dealers or manufacturers.
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Raise High Priced Wheat on Fertile Canadian Soil
Canada extends to you a hearty invitation to settle on her FREE Homestead lands of 160 acres each or secure some of the low priced lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. This year wheat is higher but Canadian land just as cheap, so the opportunity is more attractive than ever. Canada wants you to help feed the world by tilling some of her fertile soil—land similar to that which during many years has averaged 20 to 45 bushels of wheat to the acre. Think of the money you can make with wheat around $2 a bushel and land so easy to get. Wonderful yields also of Oats, Barley and Flax. Mixed farming in Western Canada is as profitable an industry as grain growing.
The Government this year is asking farmers to put increased acreage into grain. There is a great demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for service. The climate is healthful and agreeable, railway facilities excellent, good schools and churches convenient. Write for literature as to reduced railway rates to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Can., or to
W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.;
J. L. Porte, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents
160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

Charm Is Necessary.

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, the great French actress, in a signed article in Harper's Bazar, attributes the numerous divorces that have come into the courts of late years to lack of charm in the women concerned.

"If I stood at the threshold of life," says Mme. Bernhardt, "asking of it something with which to buy happiness, I should beg for charm. For if one has charm, she will be loved. And a woman must have love to be happy. Beauty does not matter. If a woman has charm she can secure whatever she wants—love, success, power."

The divine Sarah also says that this invaluable quality can be cultivated.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Different Kind of Pitch.

A woman who thought she was a singer was walking through a building where some workmen had left some pitch in such a position that she swept her dress against it and, of course, soiled the dress. "Oh, what shall I do to get it off?" she said to her woman friend. "Why don't you sing to it?" said her friend. "Why, what good would that do?" said the singer. "You always get off the pitch when you sing."

Where Many Stop.

What is regarded as a stepping stone to business often proves an eternal roosting place.

Don't leave your faults lying around for other people to stumble over.

"Blue" and Worried?
"Blue," worried, half-sick people should find out the cause of their troubles. Often it is merely faulty kidney action, which allows the blood to get loaded up with poisons that irritate the nerves. Backache, headaches, dizziness and annoying bladder troubles are added proofs that the kidneys need help. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands thank them for relief from just such troubles.
A North Dakota Case
Mrs. I. J. Smith, 1 Phillips Court, Minot, N. D., says: "For a long time I suffered from kidney trouble. My back was stiff and lame and I had sharp shooting pains through my kidneys. There was a dull, bearing down pain through my loins and I had awful headaches and dizzy spells. My kidneys acted irregularly. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and they gave me a lasting cure."
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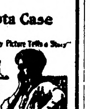

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W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 45--1917.

The Honeymoon.

He—Honey, you have done me a grievous wrong.

She—Why, George?

He—I never ought to have married you at all.

She—Oh, George!

He—Because, if you should die, you have made it impossible for me to live without a wife.

She—Why, George!

He—And you have made it impossible, honeybunch, for any other wife to suit me.

She—Oh, George!—Judge.

Hun Music Barred.

Our Tommies, writes the anoymous author of "From Dug-Out and Billet," don't appreciate the Boches' music one little bit; they say there is no tune to it.

The other evening they (the Boches) had a piano in their advance trenches, and we were close enough to hear the performance.

"What the blazes are you playin'?" one of our chaps shouted across.

"Wagner!" came the reply.

"Well," grumbled Tommy, "I don't wonder we're fightin' you about it."

IT IS FREE.
If you are interested in a Business course, or a Shorthand or Gas Tractor and Auto Engineering course, write to Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. D., or Fargo, N. D., for their new illustrated catalog. It is free.—Adv.

In Form at Last.

A confirmed golf player died in our town yesterday."

"Well, what about it? Even a golf player has to die some day."

"Just before he breathed his last he rose on one elbow and said: 'Fore!' but there was such a cynical look on his face, members of his family thought he might have meant 'four,' as that many doctors were at his bed side."

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER
has been a household panacea all over the civilized world for more than half a century for constipation, intestinal troubles, torpid liver and the generally depressed feeling that accompanies such disorders. It is a most valuable remedy for indigestion or nervous dyspepsia and liver trouble, bringing on headache, coming up of food, palpitation of heart and many other symptoms. A few doses of August Flower will immediately relieve you. It is a gentle laxative. Ask your druggist. Sold in all civilized countries.—Adv.

No One Believes Him.

The patriotism of the man who buys booze early to avoid the war tax is doubtful.

Many a man believes in eternal punishment for his neighbor.

Unconscious humor seldom makes the right people laugh.

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Murine is for Tired Eyes.
Red Eyes — Sore Eyes — Granulated Eyelids. Rests—Refreshes—Restores. Murine is a Favorite Treatment for Eyes that feel dry and smart. Give your Eyes as much of your loving care as your Teeth and with the same regularity.
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U. S. GUNS WRECK HUNS' POSITIONS

Artillery Firing Directly Across Canal Into German Territory Is Belief.

ENEMY FIRE RECKLESS

Costly Barrage Resorted to By Kaiser In Effort To Stop Harassing Tactics—Berlin Locates Scene of Raid.

New York, Nov. 5.—The German war office's location of the first raid on American trenches as along the Rhine-Marne canal, indicates that American artillery is now firing its shells directly on German territory.

Presence No Longer Secret.

The Western battle front crosses the Rhine-Marne canal within easy artillery range of the German boundary of Lorraine. By revealing the spot where Teutonic raiders found the American trenches, the kaiser has been compelled to permit the German people to know that America's first bombardment on the European battle fields must have caused demolition of positions upon the German empire's own soil.

German Ground Shelled.

The first announcement that American artillery had been engaged in action in France was made on October 27, while the date of the German raid on American trenches was November 3. For at least a week, therefore, before the Germans sent a patrol to investigate the sudden activity opposite the Lorraine border, American guns must have had German ground under actual or potential bombardment.

Explains Use of Barrage.

This is doubtless the reason why the Germans took such unusual measures to raid the American trench sector by providing a barrage artillery fire and cutting off the American victims from all possible help during the period of the raid. Artillery ammunition is too precious to Germany to be thrown away in this costly manner of attack. The damage, however, that American shells had probably been doing on German soil for at least a week makes explicable the apparently reckless expenditure of barrage fire to assist a party of raiders.

EVACUATE NEW KENSINGTON

Pennsylvanians Flee As Flames Near Big Powder Mill.

New Kensington, Pa., Nov. 6.—With the explosion of 180,000 pounds of illuminating powder stored at the burning plant of the Aluminum Company of America imminent, the whole town evacuated at noon Monday. The loss of many homes was expected.

There was no way to fight the fire, as water itself will cause the bronze powder manufactured there to let go.

The population is about 13,000. Already the casualty list among the 3,000 employes of the works has mounted to 60. Several are dead and all nearby hospitals are choked with burned and injured.

STOCK MARKET OPENS WEAK

Five Leading Rail Stocks Drop To New Low Marks for Year.

New York, Nov. 6.—The stock market opened weak Monday. Five leading rail stocks dropped to new lows for the year in early trading. Steel common lost 1⅝ to 94. Union Pacific sold off 1¼ to 112¾. Atchison was off ⅜ at 86¼; Reading made a low of 64, off 1⅛; New York Central touched 68½; St. Paul showed the greatest loss, 2¼ at 39½.

Coppers also were weak, Kennecott going to a low at 25.

Advances $3,000,000 To [illegible]

Washington, Nov. 6.—Coincident with news received here that a conference now in session in London is considering the Roumanian situation, it became known that the United States has advanced $3,000,000 to Roumania through Russia.

ADRIATIC SEA BATTLE IS HINTED BY ITALIANS

While Gen. Cadorna's forces are holding the invading Austro-German hordes along the Tagliamento, an Italian naval bulletin, referring to intense activity in the Gulf of Trieste, indicates that the Adriatic may soon be the scene of an important development on the turning point in the present struggle in that theater of the war.

Sailors' Pay Stolen, Charge

Chicago, Nov. 6.—An embezzlement of $3,000 of the funds of the paymaster's department of the Great Lakes naval training station became known when it was announced that the monthly disbursements of more than $1,000,000 has been held up for a week. The pay of more than 15,000 jackies has been delayed. Secret agents of the department of investigation as well as the naval station are assigned to the case. All of the paymaster's assistants are under bond and none has left the station.

Royal Baking Powder saves eggs in baking
In many recipes only half as many eggs are required, in some none at all, if an additional quantity of Royal Baking Powder is used, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.
Try the following recipes which also conserve white flour as urged by the government.
Corn Meal Griddle Cakes
1½ cups corn meal
1½ cups boiling water
¾ cup milk
1 tablespoon shortening
1 tablespoon molasses
⅔ cup flour
1 teaspoon salt
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
NO EGGS
Scald corn meal in bowl with boiling water; add milk, melted shortening and molasses; add flour, salt and baking powder which have been sifted together; mix well. Bake on hot greased griddle until brown.
(The Old Method called for 2 eggs)
Eggless, Milkless, Butterless Cake
1 cup brown sugar
1¼ cups water
1 cup seeded raisins
2 ounces citron, cut fine
⅓ cup shortening
½ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 cup flour
1 cup rye flour
5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
Boil sugar, water, fruit, shortening, salt and spices together in saucepan 3 minutes. When cool, add flour and baking powder which have been sifted together. Mix well; bake in loaf pan in moderate oven about 45 minutes.
(The Old Method [Fruit Cake] called for 2 eggs)
Send for our new booklet "55 Ways to Save Eggs." Mailed free on request.
Address Royal Baking Powder Co., Dept. W., 135 William Street, New York

Outdoor Barbering.

Shaving in the street was the way a Beckenham, Ireland, barber got over a difficulty recently. The customer was a wounded soldier, and the man's invalid chair was too wide to enter the barber shop. Accordingly the barber went to his customer, and shaved him in the street.

CUTICURA STOPS ITCHING
Instantly in Most Cases—Write for a Free Sample.
Cuticura is wonderfully effective. The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal all forms of itching, burning skin and scalp affections. Besides these super-creamy emollients if used daily prevent little skin troubles becoming serious.
Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

His Choice.

"Isn't it terrible the way prices keep going up?"

"It is. My husband said if it kept up he'd either have to work harder and make more money or eat less."

"What do you think he'll decide to do?"

"Knowing him as well as I do, my guess is that he'll decide it to be easier to eat less."

Housekeepers Can Save $200,000,000 on Food
In these days when the high cost of living pinches nearly every home, no waste should be overlooked. One of the most flagrant and the most easily prevented, is the destruction of food by rats. One rat will often do a hundred dollars damage of food and property in a single night, and a careful estimate gives over $200,000,000 as the value of foodstuffs destroyed annually by these pests. Exterminate them with Stearns' Paste and save this enormous loss of food. A small box of Stearns' Paste costs only 35 cents and is usually enough to completely rid the house of rats and mice; also effective against cockroaches and waterbugs. Adv.

Spoken With Feeling.

"How about your wife?"

"Eh?"

"You used to complain that she didn't know how to market. Wouldn't shop around, couldn't remember prices and all that."

"She does now. Prices nowadays are engraved on her heart."

Natural End.

"What has become of Professor [illegible]'s balloon school?"

"I hear it has gone up."

Least of Two Evils.

An employee in the office of a noisy munition plant was absent from work one morning. After luncheon, however, he presented himself. He looked pretty bad, but he claimed that he was ready for work.

"Why, what are you doing down here?" cried the boss. "Your wife telephoned that you probably wouldn't be able to work for several days. She said you were on the verge of nervous prostration, and that the least noise was bad for you. Why didn't you stay at home?"

"Well," answered the wage slave, raising his voice to be heard above the distracting din. "I did get through with the morning at home. But my wife had a bridge party this afternoon, so I thought I'd be better off down here."

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

At Breakfast.

"Georgie, Georgie, you mustn't act so when you are eating," said mamma at the breakfast table. "If you do, you will surely get something in your windpipe."

"Windpipe? H'm. What's my windpipe?"

"Don't you know what your windpipe is?" broke in the six-year-old brother. "Why, that's where your smoke comes from on cold days."

THE LAST EXAMINATION OF WAR'S DRAFT
Many a man has fallen down because a test of his water showed unmistakably that he had kidney disease.
The kidneys are the scavengers and they work day and night in separating the poisons from the blood. Their signals of distress are easily recognized and include such symptoms as backache, depressions, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, dizziness, rheumatic twinges, dropsy, gout.
"The very best way to restore the kidneys to their normal state of health and cure such symptoms," says Dr. Pierce of Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., "is to drink plenty of water and obtain from your favorite pharmacy a small amount of An-u-ric, double strength, which is dispensed by almost every druggist." You will find Anuric more potent than lithia, dissolves uric acid almost as water does sugar. Large package 60 cents.
Send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial pkg. and ask for advice if there is need.

Sharp and to the Point.

Hammer—Mr. Tack is a witty fellow.

Screwdriver—Yes; his remarks are so very pointed.

Be sure you are right, then go ahead and ask your wife.

New York wants a law to curb reckless pedestrians.

Small Pill
Small Dose
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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
FOR CONSTIPATION
have stood the test of time. Purely vegetable. Wonderfully quick to banish biliousness, headache, indigestion and to clear up a bad complexion.
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PALE FACES
Generally indicate a lack of Iron in the Blood
Carter's Iron Pills
Will help this condition

TO RESIST THE ATTACK of the germs of many diseases, such as Grip, Malaria, means fight or die for all of us. These germs are everywhere in the air we breathe. The odds are in favor of the germs, if the liver is inactive and the blood impure.
What is needed most is an increase in the germ-fighting strength. To do this successfully you need to put on healthy flesh, rouse the liver to vigorous action, so it will throw off these germs, and purify the blood so that there will be no "weak spot," or soil for germ growth.
We claim for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery that it does all this in a way peculiar to itself.
It cures troubles caused by torpid liver or impure blood. All druggists. Tablets 60c.
"The Common Sense Medical Adviser," latest edition, in French cloth binding, will be sent free on receipt of five dimes or stamps to pay the cost of printing, wrapping and mailing. Address Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

Middle Aged Women
Are Here Told the Best Remedy for Their Troubles.
Fremont, O.—"I was passing through the critical period of life, being forty-six years of age and had all the symptoms incident to that change — heat flashes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proved to be. I feel better and stronger in every way since taking it, and the annoying symptoms have disappeared."—Mrs. M. Godden, 925 Napoleon St., Fremont, Ohio.
North Haven, Conn. "Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored my health after everything else had failed when passing through change of life. There is nothing like it to overcome the trying symptoms."—Mrs. Florence Isella, Box 197, North Haven, Conn.
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Farmers:-

Take Notice

If want an alfalfa magazine absolutely free for a term of years come and see me not later than Thursday Nov. 15th, or send me your name and address so it will reach me by Nov. 15, as this offer is not good after that date.

H. B. Young, Agent.
Holt, Minnesota.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet every Thursday.

Choir practice every Thursday at 8 o'clock.

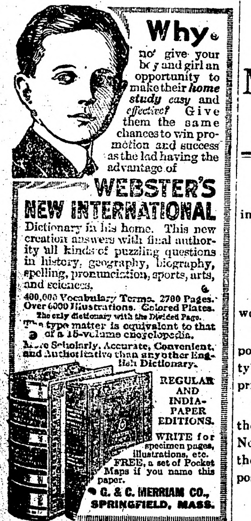
Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

The Dorcas society will meet with Mrs. G. M. Gubrud Nov. 10th.

Y. P. Society 8 o'clock Nov. 11th.

No Reunion Services on account of big meeting in Thief River Falls Nov. 9th to 11th.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.



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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Oct. 3, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Alfred Larson of Holt, Minn., who on July 30, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08332, for NE 1-4, Section 33, Township 156 N, Range 41 W, 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the district of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 10th day of Nov. 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Pete Rosan of Holt, Minn., and Isaac Ostlund, Peter Ostlund, Olina Knute Bolingberg all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register

Statement
of The Holt Weekly News

Published weekly at Holt, Minn., Publisher, The Holt Publishing Co., Holt, Minn. Editor, H. B. Young, Holt, Minn. Business Manager, B. Docken, Holt, Minn. Owners: A. L. Carlson, Arvid Carlson, P. A. Riesberg, D. B. Bakke, B. Docken, Axel Nelson, O. J. Backlund, Oscar Hanson, R. Reierson, C. H. Gunheim all of Holt, Minn. Bondholders, mortgagees, etc: None.

B Docken,
Business manager.

Sworn to Oct. 1st 1917, before
Nils Engebretsen,
Notary Public.

A Smooth Hairless Skin for Women.
From Beauty Secrets

With the aid of a plain medol paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with powdered medol. This is applied to the hairs not wanted and after 2 or 3 minutes rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. When you go to your druggist for medol be sure you get the genuine article, and if he will not supply you, the American Proprietary Co. of Boston, will send you a 50c or $1.00 package by mail.

Miss Rena Gilman

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In An Absorbing and Realistic Presentation of

"The Shepherd of The Hills"

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WED. EVE NOV. 14' 17

Doors open at 7:30. Curtain rises at 8:00 o'clock

There are Three Numbers in this Lyceum Course
Secure your tickets early, from the business men

Remember the number, the place and the time

Miss Rena Gilman, Holt, Minn., Nov. 14

Notice

We want some plowing and breaking done at once. Call or write us.

Holt State Bank

We print sale bills.

It would be a good plan to fill that wood house or coal bin, soon now.

FOUND: A sum of money, also a pocket knife. Please prove property and pay for this notice, at the printing office.

The rural carrier will start in on the winter schedule on Thursday Nov. 15th. On and after that date the carrier will start out from the postoffice at 7:30 in the morning.

$5.00 FOR YOU
Agents Wanted

We will pay Five Dollars ($5.00) for every man you recommend to us, that we employ, who will sell in good orders, $100.00 worth of our Hardy Northern grown nursery stock within one year from time of his beginnig work. Send us his name and we will do the rest, or you can write us for further information. A postage stamp that will earn you $5.00 is a big investment.

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Help the Red Cross

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For Sale

A 1914 Carter car, in complete running order, with electric lights and self starter. Will sell cheap or consider a trade.

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Holt, Minn.

Take Notice

The postal laws require that all letters, post and postal cards must be stamped with the right amount of stamps before being put in the mail boxes for the rural carrier to pick up. Now that the weather is cold the carriers are unable to handle money with their mittens on and the law does not require them to do so. Please keep a supply of stamps on hand, then you have them when you need them. From now on all letters require a three cent (3c) stamp and all postal and post cards two cents (2cts) postage. Therefore a regular U. S. Postal Card stamped with one cent postage will require another 1c stamp.

The law requires that the weeds and brush must be cut along the side of the road so that the snow will not drift in them. The roads must be kept open, or the carrier is not obliged to deliver the mail.

Nils Engebretsen, P. M.

Take Notice
To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn.
September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

[SEAL]

Do Not Delay---

Take advantage of this clear, seasonable weather

Fix that roof--	We have the Shingles
Build a storehouse--	Either Pine Flooring or Fir Ceiling
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A machine shed saves money--	Build with Drop Siding
Bank your house, sure--	Tar paper and Lath will do

Do Something! WINTER Is almost here!

We have a good line of Storm Doors and Storm Windows

WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER COMPANY
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Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

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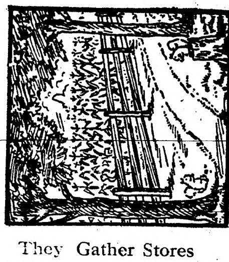

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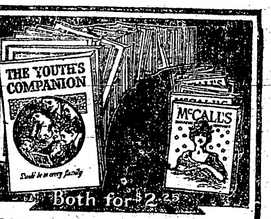

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Local Items

Erick Johnson went to Canada the first of the week on a business trip.

Clarence Kolden has traded his Beltrami county claim for a Mitchell car.

Mrs. R. Reierson went to T. R. Falls yesterday to visit relatives a few days.

Mrs. Sollom moved in from the farm Friday and will reside in town this winter.

Mrs. Ellestad of Huston county came Saturday to visit at the homes of her son T. E. Ellestad and daughter Mrs. O. H. Nohre.

Richard Bjerk of Strathcona has been visiting for sometime at the home of his grand father, R. Reierson and family also at the Andrew Bjerk home.

R. Reierson will buy all kinds of scrap iron to be delivered in Holt Saturday and Monday Nov. 24th. and 26th.

Annie Erickson and Mrs. J. E. Erickson were visitors at Mrs. Molstad Tuesday of last week.

O. G. Gubrud, accompanied by his son G. M. went to St. Paul Monday to consult a physician. We understand the former expected to have an operation yesterday.

Ben Eide moved his family to Warren Wednesday and will enter upon his duties as rural carrier next week.

Mrs. Rachel Fosen went to T. R. Falls yesterday for a few days visit. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Agnes, who will attend the teachers meeting.

Rev. M. T. Strom and Emil Simonson attended the Mission meetings held in T. R. Falls, the past week.

Albert Bennes and family, C. W. Christianson and family and H. J. Oien family were entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim.

Charley McLane has sold his interest in their well drilling machine to F. W. Tabor. Mr. McLane has bot another outfit, which is almost new, and he is now drilling a well for T. O. Saastad.

FOUND: A sum of money, also a pocket knife. Please prove property and pay for this notice, at the printing office.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

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Lucas County, ss.
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Narrow Escape

Clarence Kolden narrowly escaped being killed last week Thursday eve when his auto turned turtle. He made the deal for the car at Fargo the same afternoon and was driving it home. At Eldred a traveling man asked for a ride to Crookston. Everything went fine for a few miles until they noticed the slippery clay at the approach to a bridge. Mr. Kolden slowed up, but when the wheels struck the slippery planks he was unable to control the car, altho he applied the brakes and tried in every way to do so, but it glided sideways off the bridge, which was about 8 feet high and had no railing or other protection, and overturned. He was pinned down by the car, which laid across his side, and he was unable to get loose and the weight of the car almost prevented breathing. The traveling man finally got out but was unable to lift the car off the injured man, so he ran towards a nearby house calling for help, which came quickly. Mr. Kolden was taken to the home of his cousin, Mr. Tveeten, in Crookston and a physician was called to dress his wounds, which are very bad bruises and some cracked ribs. He was able to come home Monday and is getting along as well as could be expected.

The auto was not badly damaged which is due to slow driving at the time of the accident.

Take Notice

The Red Cross Chapter will meet at the school house Saturday night. Work committee have samples of all garments, etc., to be made and will fully explain everything. Everyone invited to come and help.

Ladies Aid Sale and Dinner.

The Synod Ladies Aid will sell useful and ornamental articles at private sale in the Woodman hall, next Thursday afternoon Nov. 22nd, and in the evening they will have an auction sale. Dinner and supper will also be servsd. Everybody invited.

For Sale or Rent

The store building formerly occupied by S. S. Kolden & Co., for a hardware store, is for sale very cheap and on easy terms, or we would rent to a responsible party. Address,

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Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Elvin Ruehman called at J. E. Erickson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs Docken autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday.

Relinquishment for sale at the Holt State Bank. 11--30

The young men, who have recently returned home from Canada, went over to Warren Saturday to register for the draft army.

J. E. Erickson visited with his brother Carl and family from Saturday evening until Monday.

Albert Knutson, Albert Bjerk and Selmer Reierson returned home last week Thursday from several months stay in Canada. Charley Horien was with the other boys, but went to Houston county to visit relatives.

Ole Davidson was a Thief River Falls visitor the forepart of the week.

Miss Charlette Halgrim who is in the employ of the goverment in the food conservation campaign was here Tuesday and Wednesday lecturing and demonstrating to the ladies how to save food and help win the war.

The U. S. Navy wants 80,000 more men to enlist for the period of the war, only.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet every Thursday at 11 o'clock.

Choir practice every Thursday at 8 o'clock.

Sunday School at 10:30 o'clock.

Ladies Aid in Woodman hall Nov. 22. A Thanksgiving dinner will be served and a sale will also be held at this time.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Lyceum Course Big Success.

A large crowd attended the entertainment in the Woodmen hall Wednesday evening, and the majority were well pleased. The Reader Miss Rena Gilman is of a pleasing personality which won for her the rapt attention of her audience. She showed marked ability in impersonating the characters in the absorbing story of "Shepherd of the Hills."

We are glad Holt has made a start in getting high grade entertainments. Let the good work go on.

Watch for the announcements of the next two numbers.

School Notes
Lloyd Knutson - Editor.

School closed at the last recess on Wednesday as the teachers attended the Teachers Convention that was held in T. R. Falls Thursday and Friday.

The absentees in the intermediate room last week were: Walmer Riesberg, Francis Coppay, Johnnie Sollom, Elmer Nyberg, Melvin Hoel. Those absent in Mr. Hall's room last week were: Olive Mikelson, Doris Sanberg and Walter Sanberg.

Those having been neither absent nor tardy since school started are: Gladys Ellestad, Mabel Hagberg, Emma Olson, Lloyd Knutson, Myrtle and Elevina Sollom, Siema Niemela and Ruth Tobiason.

Minnie Rux commenced school last Monday.

The school boys of town have organized a basket ball team and held their first practice Tuesday night.

A very large crowd attended the necktie social given Saturday evening and the sum of $47.45 was taken in. The money will be used to buy a victrola, also a clock for Miss Johnson's and Miss Peterson's room.

Following are the mothers of the school children who signed the food pledge: Mesdame O. Hoel, J. Simonson, O. Hanson, N. Engebretson, H. Oien, J. Swan, F. Coppay, B. Bakke E. Heinze, R. Reierson, S. Mickelson, O. Johnson P. T. Olson, J. Hoffman, R. L. Olson, B. Johnson C. Rustad, C. Hagglund, T. E. Ellestad, Mary Saastad, K. T. Knutson and O. Nohre.

Anna Erickson was a Sunday guest at Arno Stienhour's home.

A pie social will be given in the Sunnyside school house Saturday eve Nov. 24th. Girls please bring a pie. Fuller announcement next week.

Mrs. Arvid Carlson and baby of Newfolden visited relatives here this week.

Carl Erickson from Esplee, visited at his brother J. E. Erickson's Friday and Saturday.

Our corps of teachers attended the educational meeting in Thief River Falls yesterday and to-day.

August Kuehne and family have moved onto the Oscar Carlson farm.

Eddie Davidson and Joe Nelson went to Fargo Wednesday on business.

After a few days delay caused by bad weather, work has been resumed on State Road No. 1, and they hope to be able to finish the grading this fall.

Free Mission Church

Services here next Sunday forenoon at 10:30, also at 2:30 in the afternoon and at 7:30 in the evening conducted by Rev. Carlson, assisted by several workers. Everybody invited to these big mission services. There will be a picnic dinner in the basement. Bring your lunches and enjoy eating to-gether.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening and all are invited to attend.

The Ladies Aid will have an auction sale at 8 o'clock Saturday evening Dec. 1st. Everyone invited.

Southeast of Holt.

The ladies Aid of the Free, church will have their auction sale and basket social at the home of Nils Sordahl Saturday Nov. 24th. Sale commences at 2 o'clock. Girls bring baskets. Everybody welcome.

Everybody seem to be busy trying to finish their plowing.

Gunda Moe went to Silverson Saturday where she will work at the Gauson home for some time.

Carl Kinie, Martin Johnson, O. Molstad and Oscar Gutrude called at the Moe home Sunday afternoon.

Jarmond Johnson finished his summer plowing last week.

Gilbert Michelson left for Chicago Monday where he expects to work this winter.

J. Fimin left for Minneapolis Monday to consult a specialist.

Simond Nibbin is busy hauling wood from H. P. Sponheim's farm. He says the roads are pretty heavy.

Mr. Ruehman called at J. E. Erickson Monday of last week.

Mrs. S. S. Nohre of Preble, Fillmore county Minn, came Saturday to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. P. P. Reierson, and her brother P. O. Reierson.

Gasoline and kerosene lamps for sale cheap at this office.

If want books for a library or agricultural club, debates, or any special purpose, write to the Minnesota Public Library Commission, St. Paul.

The government is in need of thousands of typewriter operators and stenographers of both sexes for war work in Washington. If interested apply to any civil service board or postmaster for information.

The following boys have given one dollar each for a hymn-board for the Lutheran church: P. L. Anderson, Ole Johnson, C. Docken, Guy Anderson, Joe Nelson O. C. Ellingson, Ingwald Fosholm, Oscar Forr, Harry and Frank Heinze.

It is now thought the next call in the army draft will be made in February.

Oscar Anderson has finished the work on the line between J. B. Alkenbrack and Olaf Iverson.

Pete Anderson must like it in Crookston. He went down there Monday after Clarence Kolden's car, on Wednesday evening he telephoned that the car was'nt repaired yet, but the boys think that was only a blind. Pete returned home yesterday safe and sound.

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Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

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Wheat No. 4	1.94
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Important News Events of the World Summarized

U. S.—Teutonic War News

The first three American soldiers killed in the trenches in France are sleeping in French soil, honored by the American army and the people and army of France. Their final interment took place Wednesday, says a dispatch from France.

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It was announced at Washington that the American steamship Rochester was torpedoed and sunk on November 2. Four sailors are known to have lost their lives. One boat with the second mate and 13 men is missing.

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Information that an American shell fired by an American naval gunner sank a Teutonic submarine in the Mediterranean is contained in a report made to the navy department by the officers of an American freight steamship which arrived at an Atlantic port.

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The German artillery is very active all night and day, and shells of various calibers rain around the American position in France. So thickly did they come at one time it was thought another barrage was about to be placed for another raid on the American trenches. The Americans were ready for the Boche and hoping he would try another raid. But none developed.

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America's mission to the allies' conference in Paris has arrived safely in England. Announcement to this effect was made at Washington, with the comment that the gathering is to be a "war conference" with the object of co-ördinating all the fighting forces against the common enemy. The delegation is headed by Col. E. M. House.

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It was officially announced at Washington that Americans responded to the call for a second Liberty war loan by subscribing $4,617,532,300, an oversubscription by 54 per cent of the $3,000,000,000 asked, and only $383,000,000 less than the $5,000,000,000 maximum fixed by the treasury.

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The navy department at Washington announced that the converted yacht Alcedo was torpedoed at 1:30 a. m. November 5. The official announcement reads: "One officer and twenty men are missing. The ship sank within four minutes after she was struck. Several vessels were searching for possible survivors at the time the report was made. The Alcedo carried seven officers and 85 men."

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A small detachment of American infantrymen was attacked in the front line trenches in France by a much superior force of German shock troops. Americans were cut off from relief by the heavy barrage in their rear. They fought gallantly until overwhelmed, solely by numbers.

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Washington

The American corn crop of 1917, aggregating 3,191,083,000 bushels, breaks all previous records, and the 440,000,000 bushels potato crop also exceeds any former production, according to final reports of the department of agriculture at Washington on the harvest of the first war year.

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President Wilson issued at Washington his 1917 Thanksgiving proclamation calling upon the nation, even in the midst of the sorrow and great peril of a world shaken by war, to thank God for blessings that are better than peace of mind and prosperity of enterprise. The proclamation named Thursday, November 29, as Thanksgiving day.

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The United States' agreement to recognize Japan's special interests in China, made public at Washington, was declared by international experts to be the greatest diplomatic achievement of the present administration. Henceforth Japan must guard against pernicious political activities of her subjects. Japan voiced her eagerness to aid the United States in suppressing Prussian militarism.

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Domestic

An agitator against the war or against conscription does not have to oppose them openly to violate the espionage act, but may do so merely by expressing admiration or by idealizing persons who have obstructed recruiting, according to the decision of Judge Henry Wade Rogers of the United States circuit court of appeals in the Masses case, the text of which was made public at New York.

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Gov. Samuel W. McCall, Republican, of Massachusetts, was re-elected by 80,000 plurality, defeating Frederick W. Mansfield, Democrat, who opposed him last year. The whole Republican state ticket was elected with the governor.

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"Somewhere in Illinois" a deliberate attempt was made to wreck a special train heavily loaded with soldiers from Camp Grant. To the vigilance of the engineer and to special precautions taken in the movement of troop trains is due the foiling of the plot.

Names of the following Americans appear in the casualty list issued at Ottawa, Ont.: Wounded accidentally, L. E. Belney, San Francisco. Wounded, Ernest Edwards, Canton, S. D.; Bertram Bowbeer, Grand Rapids, Mich.

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According to advices received at Evansville, Ind., from Washington, it is doubtful if Mrs. Alice Dodd, mother of James Gresham, one of the victims of the German raid on American trenches in France, will receive a pension, because she has a second husband living.

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Immigration into western Canada in the first ten months of the present year has more than doubled the returns for the same period in 1916, and more than tripled the 1915 figures. A statement given out by the department of immigration at Winnipeg, Can., shows that 33,134 persons have migrated from the United States up to October 31 this year.

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Lieut. Hans Berg and Lieutenant Loeschner, who escaped from Fort McPherson, Ga., October 23, were arrested six miles below Laredo, Tex., near the Rio Grande. They were turned over to military authorities.

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Judge W. W. Morrow of the United States district court at San Francisco, upheld the right of a native of the Philippine islands to become a citizen of the United States.

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John F. Hylan, a county judge of Kings county, was elected mayor of New York by a plurality of more than 140,000. He carried with him the entire Democratic city ticket. Mayor John P. Mitchel, who sought re-election as a fusion candidate, was a poor second in the race. His vote was 145,459, compared with 288,435 for Hylan. Morris Hillquist, the Socialist candidate, stood third, with 134,890, and William M. Bennett, Republican, was fourth with 51,956.

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Guards were placed about the residence of Archbishop Ireland and other Roman Catholic leaders at St. Paul, Minn., while police investigated the explosion which wrecked the parish house of St. Agnes' church. The police theory is that a pro-German was responsible for the explosion.

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The first dependent of an American soldier killed in trench warfare to receive compensation under the government system will be Mrs. Alice Dodd of Evansville, Ind., widowed mother of Private James B. Gresham, one of the victims of the German raid on American trenches in France, November 3. She will receive at least $45 a month.

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European War News

Austro-German forces in northern Italy have crossed the Livenza river Berlin announced. Italian troops to the number of 17,000 were cut off from the Tagliamento and captured.

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Germany called up her last reserves within the last few days, according to a dispatch to London from Zurich. This action is attributed to the intention of the central powers to make a final effort on the western front before America's help becomes effective.

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It is announced at the Austro-Hungarian army headquarters, according to dispatch to London from Amsterdam to the Exchange Telegraph company, that the Teutonic armies operating against Italy number five.

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A marked decrease in the British merchant ships sunk during the last week is noted in the admiralty report issued at London. Only eight vessels over 1,600 tons were sunk by mine or submarine and four vessels under that tonnage. No fishing vessels were sunk. This is low-water mark.

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The Canadians, in their drive against the German lines, have advanced about 800 yards beyond the center of Passchedaele, having battled their way to their final mark, says a dispatch from London. A considerable number of prisoners already have reached the cages.

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Personal

John N. Williams, pioneer theatrical man, died, aged sixty-nine, after a long illness with pleurisy at Oshkosh, Wis. He was the owner of the Grand opera house and was widely known over the country among theatrical and circus people as "Honest John Williams."

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Maj. Birdseye B. Lewis, detailed to the aviation section of the signal corps and attached to General Pershing's staff, whose death was previously reported to relatives in private cables, committed suicide last Saturday.

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Foreign

According to Vry Belgie, the German administration in Belgium has decided to appropriate for German use half the entire crop of potatoes, fruit and vegetables.

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The American gunboat Palos was fired upon by Chinese bandits on the Yang-tse-Kiang, near Chungking, in the Province of Szechuan. The gunboat was damaged slightly.

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Villa followers, who dynamited a Mexican Central train at Armanderis station in Mexico, killed 125 soldiers, women and children.

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The foreign relations committee of the chamber of deputies of Brazil has adopted a resolution favoring the proclamation of a state of siege.

WILSON PLEADS FOR LABOR'S AID

Tells A. F. of L. United Support of All is Needed to Win War

GERMANY IS ACCUSED

Imperial Government Started War, President Declares—Pacifists and Critics Scored—Samuel Gompers Is Lauded.

Buffalo, Nov. 13.—President Wilson made a personal and eloquent appeal here for the full support of organized labor for the government for the conduct of the war. Speaking before the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor he declared the war could not be won unless all factions unite in a common cause, sinking their differences.

Tribute To Gompers.

The President paid warm tribute to Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and virtually called upon the federation to give him united support. He denounced pacifists and critics. He appealed for co-operation.

"Between Power and Freedom."

Discussing Germany the President declared flatly that Germany had started the war and that he was willing to await the verdict of history on that statement.

The creation of new instrumentalities for better co-operation between labor and capital was one suggestion by the President which was of prime interest to the delegates to the convention.

The President alluded to the present war as "The last decisive issue between the old principle of power and the new principle of freedom."

Great Crowds Gather.

"I believe," he said, "that the spirit of freedom can get into the hearts of Germans and find as fine a welcome there as it can in any other hearts. But the spirit of freedom does not suit the plans of the Pan-Germans. Power cannot be used with concentrated force against free peoples if it is used by free people."

Tremendous crowds gathered at the railroad station and in the auditorium to greet the President.

DEMANDS PEACE TABLE PLACE

A. F. of L. Report, at Buffalo, Asks Representation.

Buffalo, Nov. 13.—Demand for "adequate and direct" representation of wage earners at the world peace conference is made in the annual report of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor, submitted to the federation in convention here. The report declares that the world war "must wipe out all vestiges of the old conceit that the nation belongs to the ruler."

Questions raised by the war occupy virtually the entire report. No room is left for doubt that the United States has the unanimous support of organized American labor in the war, and it is asserted with equal emphasis that the vital interests of the average citizen demand that he have a voice in the readjustments to come with the dawn of peace.

"HOLY RUSSIA" MOVE GROWS

Religious Campaign to Defeat Nation's Foes Given Impetus.

Washington, Nov. 13.—It has become known that word came through official channels several days ago that the upheaval at Petrograd had greatly stimulated a religious movement in Russia designed by its leaders to save "Holy Russia" from foes from without or within. This movement is said to have resulted already in the pledging of 500,000 soldiers to support the Kerensky government, and the reports concerning it are believed to be largely responsible for the optimistic feeling apparent in administration circles.

Whole regiments and their commanders have enlisted in the new Holy Russia movement, the report says, and the movement is growing rapidly.

LABOR BACKS BRITISH ARMY

Votes in Favor of Fighting Until Victory Is Won.

London, Nov. 13.—An important section of British labor has given a decision in favor of continuing the war until victory is attained.

The South Wales mining area, sometimes called the storm center of British industry has been balloting for seven days past on the question whether to strike if the government proceeds with a scheme for "combing out" more men of military age for service in the army.

Austrian Ruler Nearly Drowns.

Amsterdam, Nov. 13.—Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary is reported in a dispatch from Gorizia to have narrowly escaped death in a mountain torrent on his return from a visit in northern Italy. His automobile broke down while he was crossing a swollen mountain stream. The emperor's two footmen attempted to carry him ashore, lost their footing and all three were swept a considerable distance by the swift current. The rescue of the emperor was accomplished by members of his suite.

KERENSKY MAY GIVE BATTLE

Reported Moving on Petrograd With 200,000 Troops from 30 Miles Southwest.

BOLSHEVIKI FAIL TO HOLD TOWN OF TSARSKOE-SELO

Rebels Have Destroyed Railway, However, Which Will Handicap Movement of Kerensky's Loyal Troops

Washington, Nov. 12.—Last night's dispatches from Russia appear to indicate that the Bolsheviki uprising in Petrograd is nearing its end and Premier Kerensky may soon again be in power. Late advices are to the effect that the revolutionists have been defeated in Moscow and at Tsarskoe-Selo, and from the latter town, which is fifteen miles from Petrograd, are retreating a disorderly mob towards the capital.

In Petrograd street fighting has taken place, with the Cossacks and other loyalists having the better of the Bolsheviki element, while Kerensky with 200,000 men is on his way from Gatchina to reinforce the loyalists. To stay his progress, however, the rails of the Petrograd-Gatchina railway have been torn up and large forces of the Bolsheviki are said to have gone out to give battle.

To add to the troubles of the Kerensky government, a state of war has been proclaimed in Finland and the governor-general dismissed, his place having been taken by a sailor. The diet has voted to elect a state directorate which will have supreme power in the province.

Gatchina, where Premier Kerensky is reported to have made his stand, is thirty miles southwest of Petrograd. The premier's following is reported to constitute practically an army corps.

The wireless station at Tsarskoe-Selo is under control of loyal troops, and a report is given out that the red guard, representing the Bolsheviki movement, has been defeated in Moscow.

ITALIAN SITUATION IMPROVED

Reinforcements Greatly Strengthen Defense on Piave Front

Washington, Nov. 12.—On the Italian front the Italian line in the north has stiffened under the reinforcements it has received from the British and French. Even the German official communication does not mention any further retirement by the Italians, but on the contrary admits that east of Asiago, where the Austro-Germans made gains last week, the Italians attacked the invaders and recaptured lost positions.

Along the middle and southern reaches of the Piave, the Italians are holding their line. The pressure of the Austrian offensive has been greatly lessened as it has gone further from its base with a steadily lengthening line of communication to the rear. The largest guns brought into play thus far are about five-inch, the invaders having been unable to bring forward heavier guns because of the condition of bridges and roads destroyed by the retreating Italians.

A dispatch from Paris says that Premier Painleve has returned from his visit to the Italian front, in company with other French and British officials, and he expressed unwavering confidence in the ultimate victory of the allied forces. A meeting of the war council issued a note confirming the establishment of a permanent inter-allied staff under Generals Foch, Wilson and Cadorna. The note adds that nothing has impressed the Italian government and people more than the celerity with which this has been accomplished.

HAWAIIAN EX-QUEEN IS DEAD

Famous Liliuokalani Passed Away After Illness of Several Days

Honolulu, Nov. 12.—Queen Liliuokalani of Hawaii, whose death has been expected for several days, passed away yesterday morning. The queen had been in bad health for many months. A week ago she began to fail rapidly and last Thursday physicians announced that the end was near. Preparations have been made for the body to lie in state with a territorial guard of honor.

The queen's death was announced by the tolling of bells and the half-masting of flags. Her old subjects, among the natives, including chiefs of the old regime, immediately gathered to mourn. The funeral is to take place next Sunday, preceding which time the body will lie in state. As it will be the funeral of the last native monarch in Hawaii, all the pomp and splendor of the old days will be revived and ancient customs observed.

In her later activities the former queen had shown striking patriotism for the United States. She subscribed liberally for Red Cross funds and the Liberty loan. When news first came that a state of war had been declared she raised the stars and stripes over her residence, advising her former subjects to support the United States to the fullest.

New York Has Disastrous Fire

New York, Nov. 12.—New York City's water front was the scene of another disastrous fire yesterday when the factory of the Washburn Wire Co., which was working on large orders for the government, was destroyed, with an estimated loss of nearly two million dollars. Three separate blazes were reported to have been discovered in the factory. It was said that a score of Germans and an equal number of Austrians, only one of whom possessed a zone permit, were included in the force of 1,000 employes in the factory. The fire was most spectacular.

TRAGEDY WHERE COMEDY REIGNS

Roses Stolen From Chicago Theater Found Right Spot After All.

SOLVE DEEP MYSTERY

Three Detectives' Work Several Days on Case, When They Find the Culprit—the Hat Is Passed for Real Flowers.

Chicago.—Folks who went to the La Salle theater the other night saw a comedy. Upstairs in the office of Nat Royster, the manager, a tragedy was being enacted.

Several days ago Royster received complaints from Joe Daly, property man, that artificial roses used in one of the sets were being stolen. The flowers were not taken in large numbers. But every other day or so three or four would be missing.

Three detectives worked on the case for a few days. The roses continued to disappear.

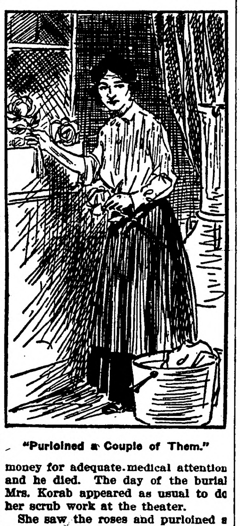
Then the detectives arrested Sophie Korab, a theater scrubwoman. When the detectives and Royster questioned her she sobbed violently, but would not talk.

Where the Roses Went.

Finally she found a champion in Miss May Dowling of the theater staff, who pleaded for her release. Then Mrs. Korab broke down and told her story.

Six months ago her husband, Anton, joined the army, leaving her to take care of the two children, John, 2 years old, and Mary, 3.

A few weeks ago little John contracted an ailment. There was no money for adequate medical attention and he died. The day of the burial Mrs. Korab appeared as usual to do her scrub work at the theater.



"Purloined a Couple of Them."

She saw the roses and purloined a couple of them. Next day she went to the cemetery and put the artificial flowers on John's grave.

Real Flowers for the Living.

The detectives made an exit. Miss Dowling slipped out and returned with a handful of real flowers.

"For Johnny," she said, and wiped her eyes.

The scrubwoman fearfully asked if she could go. Royster requested her to stay. He left the room for a few minutes and he saw Daly, the property man; Charlie Heede, in the box office; Bob Gorning, the superintendent; the stage hands, the ushers, the doorman, the cigar store man next door, and the cafe fan next door, and when he returned he handed $60.85 to Mrs. Korab.

"For Mary," he said.

BEAR HUNTS THE HUNTERS

Misses Men in the Fog and Is Shot, White Mate Escapes the Bullets.

Newton, N. J.—James N. Dobbins and Henry DeWitt returned to their camp at Montague township recently with the carcass of a black bear, weighing 201 pounds, and with a thrilling story. For two days they had been chased by the bear and his mate in the woods near Dingman's but they were aided by the fog in eluding the animals.

One of the gunners ran short of ammunition and had to make his way alone to Dingman's for more, and then the two of them undertook the work of seeking the bears. They came upon the big black bear in the woods, and, after repeatedly shooting at him, managed to kill him. Leaving this bear where he had fallen, they made a search for his mate, but, after several hours of this work, had to give it up.

They obtained a large log, strung the bear on it, and marched into camp.

Rescued After Twenty-Four Hours.

Ashland, Pa.—Patrick Gilroy, entombed in the Blast mine, near here for 24 hours, was rescued by miners who found that a stone barrier had saved his life.

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CERTAIN-TEED Roofing is economical to buy, inexpensive to lay, and it costs practically nothing to maintain. It is weathertight, fire retardant, clean, sanitary and gives the utmost roofing service over a period of years. CERTAIN-TEED is guaranteed for 5, 10 or 15 years, according to thickness (1, 2 or 3 ply.)

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Wealth of Australia.

The recently completed "census of wealth in Australia shows that the country's net assets are equal to $1,675 per head of the population. The migration returns show a loss of 279,000 males since the war began and white women now outnumber the men by 85,000.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative, three for a cathartic. Ad.

Didn't Give Her a Chance.

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"But he's only eight years old."

"We collect for all children over seven."

"Well, why don't you have your silly old rules put up where people can see them?"

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ALMOST HELPLESS

Mr. Reuter Went Through a Terrible Siege of Kidney Trouble. Doan's Brought Back His Health.

"After an injury I was in terrible shape from kidney trouble," says D. Reuter, North St., West Chicago, Ill. "I couldn't stoop because of the awful pains in my back and the steady, dull misery almost drove me frantic. I had to be helped out of bed mornings, the pains across my kidneys were so bad and nobody knows the agony I went through. I couldn't do anything and was almost helpless; it seemed I would never get well.

Mr. Reuter

"The urine passed far too often and burned like scalding water. The passages were scanty and I had no control over them. At times everything in front of me grew dark and I couldn't see for several minutes. I perspired profusely and I was thirsty all the time. For two years I suffered, trying medicine after medicine without relief. I was just about discouraged and didn't think I would ever be able to work again.

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First Dreadnaught.

It is hard to realize that the original dreadnaught is now ten years old, and that, big as it is, close upon 18,000 tons, it has been far surpassed in tonnage and armament, observes an exchange. It gave a new word to the world, for the name of the ship, one of the traditional names of the British navy, is now applied to all ships of its class in every country. The word has taken the place of man of war, line of battle ship, and ironclad. Even now we have been obliged to go one better and the word superdreadnaught has arisen. It is interesting to hark back to the most famous of Nelson's ships, probably the most famed vessel which ever sailed the sea, the Victory, and to compare it with even the first dreadnaught. The latter took 14 months to complete and cost $9,000,000, while the Trafalgar flagship, a little over 2,000 tons, required many years to build and cost only $415,000, a sum at that time considered colossal.

His Home Paper.

What shall you send him when he's in training camp or over there? A letter? By all means, that foremost and oftenest? And after that, what? Some foolish little knick-knack which is neither quite ornamental nor entirely serviceable? Or, when in doubt, will you take lesson from what Richard Henry Dana wrote in "Two Years Before the Mast?"

"After all, there is nothing in a strange land like a newspaper from home. Even a letter, in many respects, is nothing in comparison with it. It carries you back to the spot better than anything else."

There is more in this today than Dana ever put there.—Collier's Weekly.

Not His Fault.

Boy—Do you work here?

Office Boy—Only when the boss is looking.

Most amateur photographers prove conclusively that truth is stranger than fiction.

It's only a tough world to the fellow who wants to run it.

"In most cases of Dyspepsia Coffee Does Not Agree"—

says a well known authority.

Many who use coffee—not knowing that it aggravates stomach troubles—could still enjoy a delicious hot table beverage and escape coffee's effects by a change to the wholesome, pure cereal drink—

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"There's a Reason"

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Fred Gates, Winnebago, a lineman living at Blue Earth, was killed when he fell from a pole.

Mayor Neil Kelleher and the entire city administration were re-elected at East Grand Forks.

The monthly report of the Lake Park Creamery association shows that $4,879.73 was paid out to 160 patrons, or an average of $30.50.

At the next regular meeting of the Washington county commissioners considerable time and attention will be devoted to road matters in all sections of the county.

Rev. Axel Lindgren of Cambridge has received a call from the Baptist congregation at Alexandria, Minn. He does not think that he will accept the offer as he feels that his work at Cambridge has not yet been completed.

Running for mayor without opposition John Long was elected at Cloquet to succeed Mayor Harry Dixon. A. J. Hunter was elected treasurer. Alderman elected were: First ward, Tom O'Meara; Second ward, Ed. Solen; Third ward, George Solomon.

The Brainerd city council believes it is in a fair way to rejuvenate Brainerd city finances by an amendment to the city charter to provide a decrease in the city valuation and an increase in the levy, thus giving Breanerd more revenue and the state a smaller proportion.

While taking gasoline from a barrel standing outside his home between Carlton and Cloquet, F. Gruning was badly burned when the liquid spurted onto a lighted lantern he was carrying and an explosion resulted. A Cloquet doctor had to graft several inches of skin onto the burned places.

Seizing of the wood on timber lands of the Grand Rapids section belonging to the state or non-residents of Itasca county, is under discussion. That an emergency exists under which whatever steps are deemed necessary for protection of residents of this section can be taken. The plan is to relieve an acute fuel situation.

The plans for the reconstruction of the Great Northern viaduct over Sixth street at Crookston, to replace the present structure, have been agreed upon between the Great Northern engineer and the city engineer and are now being completed by the Great Northern Railway company to be presented to the city council at the December meeting.

The city election at Crookston was full of surprises. First reports had it that in a four-cornered fight for mayor Former Postmaster Elias Steenerson, brother of Congressman Steenerson, was elected by fourteen votes over A. J. Neal, Great Northern conductor, running on "stickers," but a recount revealed that J. E. Morrissey was elected by one vote over Steenerson, the detail vote being: Morrissey, 295; Steenerson, 294; Neal, 282; M. R. Hussey, 238.

Directors of the Minnesota State Creamery and Cheese Factory Operators' and Managers' association, formerly the Butter and Cheese Makers' association, were elected at a meeting at the Ryan hotel in St. Paul. According to the new constitution, five directors were elected, to organize themselves, instead of the customary president and other officials. Emil G. Oman, Delano, was elected director for a three-year term. H. Sandholt, St. Paul; Alex Johnson, Lafayette; M. Sorensen, Pelican Rapids, were elected for two year terms, and J. Parenteau, Mantorville, was elected for a one year term.

Washington county quota for the second Liberty Loan was oversubscribed more than $150,000.

The William Weis cement factory at Perham was totally destroyed by fire. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is placed at $3,000 with $2,000 insurance.

William Rosendahl, convicted of the murder of C. E. Lamberton at Redwood Falls, was sentenced to life imprisonment at the Stillwater penitentiary by Judge I. M. Olson.

Capt. C. A. Nye "is well, working hard and is going to stay with his work until the end of the war," according to a letter from the judge to County Attorney C. G. Dosland at Moorhead.

The interior of the parish house at St. Agnes German Catholic church at St. Paul was wrecked by a bomb hurled through a window by an unknown person. The five occupants of the house escaped injury. Every detective in the city is working on the case.

Thomas W. Scott of St. Paul and Roy S. Cooper of Minneapolis were arrested at Lake Jefferson by Deputy Game Warden Peter Karpen on the charge of shooting ducks from a motor boat, and the motor boat, which belonged to John Hardegger, was confiscated and is being held until State Game Commissioner Carlos Avery makes a decision in the matter. The accused paid $10 fines.

The students of the normal department of the Crookston high school have organized a Red Cross Sewing and Knitting society. The members will meet once a week when the time will be spent in sewing while knitting work will be done during the spare time of the members. All work will be sent to the American soldiers.

A framed tablet containing the names, the class and the branch of service the graduates of the Thief River Falls high school now serving their country is contemplated by the local alumni. The tablet will be presented to the high school.

STATE OFFICIAL TO AID IN CAMP WORK

CHILD WELFARE DIRECTOR TO ASSIST FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AT TRAINING CAMPS.

CROPS SHOW BIG INCREASE

Wheat Yield Over Twice As Great As Last Year According To Estimates—Record Yield of Potatoes.

St. Paul.

W. W. Hodson, director of child welfare under the State Board of Control, now in the East on state business, will remain there temporarily to aid in Federal work in connection with training camp activities. Chairman Ralph W. Wheelock of the board of control has announced that leave has been granted Mr. Hodson at the request of the Natonal War Camp committee. It is probable the director will continue his state work with that of the federal commission while in the East.

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Big Crops In State.

A summary of preliminary estimates of crop production for the state of Minnesota, as compiled by the Bureau of Crop Estimates, United States Department of Agriculture, is as follows:

Corn—Production this year, 86,900,000 bushels; last year (December estimate), 84,420,000 bushes.

Wheat—This year, 66,476,000 bushels; last year (December estimate), 27,555,000 bushels.

Oats—This year, 123,025,000 bushels; last year (December estimate), 88,112,000 bushels.

Barley—This year, 38,232,000 bushels;; last year (December estimate), 26,125,000 bushels.

Rye—This year 6,438,000 bushels: last year (December estimate), 5,025,000 bushels.

Flaxseed—This year, 2,600,000 bushels; last year (December estimate), 2,388,000 bushels.

Potatoes—This year 34,500,000 bushels; last year (December estimate), 16,300,000 bushels.

All Hay—This year, 5,197,000 tons; last year (December estimate), 6,384,000 tons.

Apples—This year, 482,000 barrels of 3 bushels; last year (December estimate), 422,000 barrels.

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Home Guard To Get Rifles.

Minneapolis Home Guard units will be equipped with Krag-Jorgenson rifles within a few days, it is an- F. Rhinow. More than 1,250 rifles nounced by Adjutant General Walter F. Rhinow. More than 1,250 rifles have been requisitioned and are expected to arrive shortly. Announcement is made of the following promotoins:

Park Rapids—Company D, Tenth battalion, captain, David B. Lynch; first lieutenant, Anson E. Pimley, and second lieutenant, Allen W. Stone.

Elmore—Company E, Sixth battalion, captain, William O. Dustin; first lieutenant, John T. Ingalls, and second lieutenant, Roy Woolery.

Biwabik—Company C, Eighth battalion, captain, David B. Cavan, and second lieutenant, Joseph E. Lunn.

Charles E. Caine, Morris, was commissioned to be first lieutenant and surgeon of the Ninth battalion, and Jesse A. Van den Berg, Albert Lea, to be second lieutenant in Company D, Seventh battalion.

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Official Gets Verdict.

John P. Gardiner, assistant state labor commissioner, has been awarded $500 damages from W. A. Cameron of Cameron & Co., contractors, for assault and false arrest, by a jury in District Judge J. C. Michael's court.

It was the second trial of the case, a verdict of $1,353 in the previous trial having been set aside as excessive.

The case grew out of a dispute between Mr. Gardiner and Mr. Cameron.

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Fire Warning Issued.

Warning against the fire danger from defective flues has been issued by George H. Nettleton, assistant state fire marshal. A defective flue, he said, caused the recent fire that almost wiped out the town of Freeport, near St. Cloud, and the same cause is blamed for numerous fires reported now that heating plants are being put into operation for the winter. Careful inspections were advised to avoid the fire danger.

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Coal Supply Short.

This winter's coal supply in the Northwest still is short more than 5,500,000 tons with but approximately navigation on the Great Lakes, according to a statement to railroads received from the railroads' war board.

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Draft Interference To Be Tested.

A case to test the constitutionality of the 1917 Minnesota law, prohibiting and penalizing interference with conscription has been set for hearing in the state supreme court December 7. The legal questions involved were raised in a demurrer to the joint indictment accusing C. H. Holm and Frank Holm with interfering with the draft by circulating anti-conscription literature. The Ramsey county district court overruled the demurrer and certified the case under a special law for review by the supreme court.

Horrified.

A man who is given to doing "odd jobs" about his house was very proud of a bit of painting he had accomplished.

About midnight following the completion of the outside of the house he was awakened by a noise. Creeping to the window, he looked out, and, to his horror, saw a burglar climbing up a ladder to the second-story window.

"Look out there!" yelled the householder to the burglar. "Look out for the paint!"

Terse Biography.

"What's that husband of yours doing now, Mrs. Snaggs?"

"Time, mum!"

Unsubstantial Returns.

"Did you raise anything on your promise to pay?"

"Oh, yes; I raised a smile."

ACID POISONING!

The most eminent physicians recognize that uric acid stored up in the system is the cause of gout and rheumatism, that this uric acid poison is present in the joints, muscles, or nerves. By experimenting and analysis at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y., Dr. Pierce discovered a combination of native remedies that he called An-u-ric, which drives out the uric acid from the system, and in this way the pain, swelling and inflammation subside. If you are a sufferer from rheumatism, backache, pains here or there, you can obtain Anuric, double strength, at any drug store for 60 cents, and get relief from the pains and ills brought about by uric acid; or send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial pkg. Anuric which you will find many times more potent than lithia and eliminates uric acid almost as hot water melts sugar. A short trial will convince you. Send a sample of your water to Dr. Pierce and it will be tested free of charge.

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Kingfisher, Okla.—"For two years I suffered with a severe female trouble, was nervous, and had backache and a pain in my side most of the time. I had dizzy spells and was often so faint I could not walk across the floor. The doctor said I would have to have an operation. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking ten bottles I am now well and strong, have no pain, backache or dizzy spells. Every one tells me how well I look and I tell them Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did it."—Miss NINA SOUTHWICK, R. F. D. No. 4, Box 33, Kingfisher, Okla.

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The Silver Lining.

Crash! Bang! Wallop!

Mrs. Newmald rushed out of the dining room and saw Sarah Ann sitting among the ruins of her best china.

For an instant she was speechless with horror and anger. Then she cried:

"Sarah Ann, what on earth have you done?"

Sarah Ann retrieved her cup from a sea of gravy, and grunted:

"It's the dinner things, mum! And oh, mum, what a good thing I hadn't washed 'em up!"

HEAL BABY RASHES

That Itch, Burn and Torture With Cuticura—Trial Free.

A hot Cuticura Soap bath is soothing to irritated skins when followed by a gentle application of Cuticura Ointment. Use Cuticura for every-day toilet preparations to prevent such troubles. After this treatment baby sleeps mother rests and healment follows.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Apple Full of Gold.

Gold coins were found in an apple by a minister in Albany, Ore., a short time ago. The apple was a gift from his congregation, and when he began to eat it he found it contained a sufficient quantity of gold coins to pay the expense of himself and family on a trip to the minister's old home in Ohio. He had been planning to visit his mother and the congregation, learning of this, decided to pay his expenses.

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In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Hoarding New Bread

Old Fatwaste was a food hog. He went from shop to shop buying pounds of this and packets of that, and stored these ill gotten gains in his larder "for a rainy day." It was a Saturday night, and a neighbor met Fatwaste emerging from a baker's shop loaded with bread to the eyebrows.

The neighbor wanted to know what the mountain of bread was for.

"Oh," said Fatwaste in a whisper, "haven't you heard that new bread mustn't be sold after today? I am just getting a stock of it in."

Mistakes will happen and if a man isn't on the job every minute they'll pile up, too.

The better we are [illegible] war.

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FATE PURSUED THIS TOMMY

Nearly Spent Bullet Goes Through Hole Made in His Helmet by German Sniper.

James Dickinson, a convalescent Canadian soldier, in a letter to a friend, tells this story of the great war:

During a lull in the battle of the Marne one of the Canadian troopers took off his steel helmet, and, placing it on the end of his rifle, held it so that about half of it protruded above the top of the trench. A German sniper, observing it, at once shot at it, and the ball, striking it squarely, pierced the steel, going out the other side. The "Tommy" laughingly showed it to his comrades and placed it back on his head.

Fifteen minutes later the order came to "go over the top," and this same "Tommy" was among the first. He was also among the first to fall, mortally wounded.

It was discovered at the dressing station that he had been struck by a nearly spent bullet that had gone through one of the holes that he had so recently shown his fellow soldiers in laughter.

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Envy.

"Gosh," said the traveling man, "but I surely envy you, those fine home cooked meals you get every day."

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Bad Taste, We Say.

We have always thought him [illegible], but now we have discovered that he is merely offensive.

The other day we told him that we were intending to bring out our poems in book form.

"All of 'em?" he asked.

"Well, practically all of them."

"Good," he grunted. "That's putting them where they won't bother anybody."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Would Like To, Though.

Teacher—Name a bird besides the ostrich that doesn't fly.

Bright Boy—The jailbird.

Inciting to Exhortation.

"What was the idea of you men getting out with firearms and using harsh language last night?"

"Well," replied Broncho Bob, "since they put hard liquor out of business Crimson Gulch has been mighty quiet. Nobody seems to take any interest in us. We thought maybe we could get back enough reputation for wickedness to induce some evangelist to jump in and give us a red-hot talk."—Washington Star.

Satisfactory.

Bess—Does he make a satisfactory husband?

June—Very—for her enemies.

A Sure Way.

"I wish I knew how to kill time."

"Why don't you join an amateur musical society?"

British radicals demand the close organization of the workers against war.

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Tell us the news.

H. Peterson went to T. R. Falls Monday on business.

Wheatless and meatless days must be observed, if we win the war.

Chas. Skoglund went to Roseau Saturday on business.

Beltrami and Clearwater county saloons have been ordered to close Nov. 24th, by the Safety Com.

Oslo will soon have a 24 hour electric light service as they are installing a storage battery there.

Dr. Penney was elected mayor of T. R. Falls at the recent city election, in a three cornered fight.

A shortage of fuel at Roseau compels them to cut out the day service at their electric light plant.

The Free Mission Ladies will have an auction sale at 8 o'clock Saturday evening Dec. 1st. Lunch will be served in the basement.

The weather cleared up yesterday morning, after several days of foggy damp weather, and the change is appreciated by everybody.

The Roseau Times-Region has installed a large new printing press to enable them to take care of their increasing business.

Jno. Engstrom has built a bridge across the big ditch east from his place, which will make it more convenient for him.

If this county can get 400 members of the Farm Bureau Assn. by tomorrow night, at $2.50 each, they have been promised a County Agricultural Agent, by the County Commissioners.

The Karlstad postmaster has given notice to cut weeds and brush along the highways to prevent snow drifts, also that the patrons of the rural routes will not receive their mail unless the roads are kept passable. Rural carriers are not compelled to break roads as that delays the mails.

Most of the modern ships use oil burning engines, so that firemen do not have to shovel coal. Firemen in the navy are paid $36.20 to $46.50 a month, clothing and expenses and have unlimited opportunities for advancement to ratings that pay as high $145.70 per month. Men who began in the Engineer's Corps as firemen, are now commissioned officers earning large salaries. Firemen must be 91 to 91 years old. Those who are eligible are urged to enlist at once, as your country needs you and your services RIGHT NOW.

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Wonderful Cuban Caves.

The wonderful caves of Bellamar, Cuba, to the east of Havana, attract the attention of the ambitious tourist. They are on a plateau as level as a table top, which presents no signs of the existence of such caves. After descending into the earth, however, a picture unfolds itself. Then come many passages, and at last the great "Gothic temple," 250 feet long and 80 feet wide.

Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand [illegible] in above the turbulence of the waves.—Trinities and Sanctities.

Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

Are You Eating To Win the War?

This Newspaper recommends Today's Housewife to every patriotic woman who wishes to help win the great war.

Today's Housewife is especially needed by every homemaker in the present war-crisis, because the seven Courses in Domestic Science now running in the magazine help housewives to better select, prepare and conserve food supplies, to cut down waste, and at the same time to add to the health and welfare of the entire family.

Today's Housewife is the only magazine that maintains a model home where cookery recipes, new household devices, cleaning methods, etc., are put to practical tests before their appearance in the pages of the magazine.

The monthly lesson on "Cookery, Foods and Nutrition" under the direction of Caroline Hunt of the Department of Agriculture, is alone worth the price of a ten-year subscription not only to the woman who follows each lesson but to the government of the United States in helping to win the terrific war with the Central Empires of Europe.

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REMEMBER, better home-making is the ideal back of TO-DAY'S HOUSEWIFE, its reason for existence, its earnestly planned-for goal. Better home-making in its largest sense, with the spiritual and mental no less than the material needs of the family in view; home-making as the biggest of woman's opportunities rather than housekeeping as the most dreary of woman's drudgeries.

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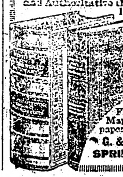

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We will pay Five Dollars ($5.00) for every man you recommend to us, that we employ, who will sell in good orders, $100.00 worth of our Hardy Northern grown nursery stock within one year from time of his beginnig work. Send us his name and we will do the rest, or you can write us for further information. A postage stamp that will earn you $5.00 is a big investment.

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To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in The Holt Weekly News, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank. Dated at St. Paul, Minn. September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson,
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

[SEAL]

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

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Cashier, B. Docken

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And
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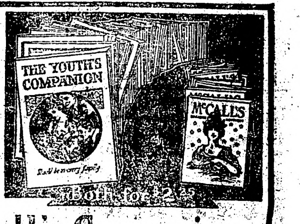

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

B. J. Bakke went to Crookston Saturday on business.

Relinquishment for sale at the Holt State Bank. 11--30

J. M. Swan shipped a car of cattle to the St. Paul market Tuesday.

Red Cross meeting at the school house to-night. Everybody invited.

Albert Bjerk and Ben Nyberg went to Baudette Tuesday for a few days visit.

T. B. Folden and August Nass attended the educational meeting in T. R. Falls last week.

Hans Stensrude of Mud Lake stopped at J. E. Erickson Thursday night and drove to T. R. Falls Friday morning.

Mesdames R. Reierson and L. Monson and children returned Monday from a few days visit with relatives at T. R. Falls.

Lloyd Adams has moved the old bank building onto his property south of the school house and will convert it into a comfortable dwelling house.

Hilmer Davidson has taken the agency for a good steel windmill and is selling them cheap, considering quality and workmanship.

Mesdames A. L. and Arvid Carlson wnnt to T. R. Falls Tuesday to have dental work done. Tony autoed down there in the evening and brot them home.

No cream will be taken in at the creamery on Thanksgiving Day. Monday is the only day, cream will be taken in that week.

P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

The passenger train now goes north five minutes later than formerly and south 38 minutes earlier or at 2:42. This change in time went into effect Monday of this week.

A pie social will be held at the Sunnyside school in Dist. No. 59 on Saturday night Nov. 24th. Each girl please bring a pie and the boys their pocket books. The proceeds of social are for a Christmas tree.

Ole Ostby treated the men and boys (who fought the fire on his farm a few weeks ago) to an oyster stew at Albert Bennes' lunch room Saturday evening. The oysters were served in fine style and greatly enjoyed by all. Mr. Ostby appreciated the work done at that critical time and wanted to do something to show his appreciation.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
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Free Mission Church

The Ladies Aid will have an auction sale at 8 o'clock Saturday evening Dec. 1st. Everyone invited.

Red Cross Announcement.

The Red Cross Society will meet Friday Nov. 23 at 7:30 at the school house. All members are urged to be present. Material will then be given out. Come ready to work.

Notice

The Marshall County Chapter of the Red Cross desires to obtain the names, the former residence and the last address, in full, of all the men who are now in the military service of the United States. This applies to those who have enlisted as well as those who have gone during the last draft. We would ask that the names of these young men be sent to the undersigned at Warren, Minn., (giving all the above particulars) as soon as possible.

Yours truly,
G. S. Wattam,
Box 117 Warren, Minn.

Tell us the news.

C. O. Saastad was a T. R. Falls visitor Friday.

This paper and To-Day's Housewife magazine only $1.50 a year.

Mr. Ruehman and son George called at J. E. Erickson Thursday of last week.

Bertil Sollom left last week Thursday to work in the State Bank of Middle River.

Orrin and Gordon Storholm of T. R. Falls visited at the Central Hotel Sunday.

Vernon Huseth came down from Greenbush last week Thursday for a few days visit at H. J. Oien's.

Ingvald Fosholm has purchased the south west forty of section 16 from Mrs. Le Seur of Jasper, Minn.

Miss Anna Kirsch and Nathaniel Mussy were married Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents.

R. Reierson will buy all kinds of scrap iron to be delivered in Holt Saturday and Monday Nov. 24th. and 26th.

Miss Hilma Nyberg is working for Albert Bennes, helping to serve at the lunch counter and in the confectionery store.

P. A. Riesberg has sold his 120 acre farm in section 36 to Ludvig Larson and his farm of 50 acres in Mud Lake to Albert Jahr.

The carpenters finished the work on F. W. Ramaley's house Wednesday night. Mr. Ramaley will erect a large barn next spring.

Otto Larson came from Dakota Saturday for a few days visit with friends before departing for New York where his parents reside.

S. S. Kolden received a letter from his son, Peter, last week, who was in Baltimore at that time but was going to Norfolk. Pete has been across the big pond a few times and has seen submarine battles, but has not been engaged in any so far.

Most of the modern ships use oil burning engines, so that firemen do not have to shovel coal. Firemen in the navy are paid $36.20 to $46.50 a month, clothing and expenses and have unlimited opportunities for advancement to ratings that pay as high $145.70 per month. Men who began in the Engineer's Corps as firemen, are now commissioned officers earning large salaries. Firemen must be 21 to 31 years old. Those who are eligible are urged to enlist at once, as your country needs you and your services RIGHT NOW.

Stiener News

Mrs. Alby did trading in Steiner Friday.

Miss Nita Kiland of T. R. Falls, teacher of district seventeen, went to Thief River Wednesday to attend the convention held there.

Miss Celia Saugen, who is attending high school in Thief River Falls, returned home Friday to visit her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers spent Sunday at the Borden home.

Mr. Mortonson did business in Steiner Friday.

Willie Meyers visited at the H. Copp home Sunday.

Miss Grace Russell, who is attending high school in T. R. Falls spent Saturday and Sunday at her home.

Will Warring who has been spending a few days at home, returned to his work at Angus Minnesota.

Misses Lena and Frances Riedle attended the dance held at the M. Johnson home, Saturday evening.

Axel Nelson of Holt, was in this community collecting the thresh bills the past week.

Cyrus Malberg did business in T. R. Falls the middle of the week.

Soldiers and Sailors Banquet

Holt, Minn.

Monday Nov. 26

8 o'clock P. M., sharp

Free Mission Church

Everybody come

J. E. Erickson drove to Steiner Monday.

Waste nothing. Save the waste and help to win this terrible war.

Miss Mary Olberg of Thief Lake came Monday to visit her sister Mrs. S. S. Kolden.

Mrs. Lindblad of T. R. Falls visited her sister, Mrs. P. A. Riesberg and family, Wednesday.

G. M. Gubrub returned home Monday from St. Paul, but his father remained there for further treatment.

Misses Monson and Ellingson from Randen, came Wednesday to visit at the homes of R. Reierson and Ludvig Monson.

The Free Mission Ladies will have an auction sale at 8 o'clock Saturday evening Dec. 1st. Lunch will be served in the basement.

Ole Backlund left Sunday for a visit with his folks at Randen and also to hunt big game. Ludvig Monson had charge of the butcher shop during Mr. Backlund's absence.

Clean out your attics and see if there is anything there, cast off clothing, etc., that anyone can use. Wool is high, and will be higher, and clothing and everything else that can be used, must be saved to help win the war.

Farmers should not sell off their young female poultry as every thing in the meat line will be in good demand as long as the war lasts.

Then too eggs will bring a good price all next summer.

The following were pleasantly entertained by Mr. and Mrs. A. Bjerk and family Sunday:
C. H. Gunheim and family H. B. Young and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wegge and two children.

Sunnyside

Mr. and Mrs. L. Wegge were Sunday callers at the A. Bjerk home.

Arthur Sorum returned home Saturday from Stephen, Minn., where he has been working with a bridge company.

Stella Malberg spent the latter part of last week at home and also attended the educational meeting at T. R. Falls.

Mr. W. J. Price left Monday for St. Paul where he intends to purchase a team of horses and machinery.

Don't forget the "Pie Social" Saturday night at the Sunnyside school house. Everybody welcome.

Lillie Peterson spent last Sunday at home.

Alice Sorum visited with Evelyn Wegge last Sunday afternoon.

Johnny and Oscar Knutson autoed to Middle River Monday.

Samson Windmills!

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Daniel Nelson went to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Torge Ness was a T. R. Falls visitor Tuesday.

Annie Erickson called at Rheuman Wednesday of last week.

Both elevators will be closed next Thursday, Thanksgiving Day.

Wheatless and meatless days must be observed, if we win the war.

Ole Garthus has returned home from several months stay in Canada.

Mrs. Chris Yttri and children returned to Viroqua, Wis. Saturday.

S. S. Kolden was a business visitor at Little Fork the forepart of the week.

The U. S. Navy wants 80,000 more men to enlist for the period of the war, only.

A pie social will be given in the Sunnyside school house Saturday eve Nov. 24th. Girls please bring a pie.

Found: A sum of money, also a pocket knife. Please prove property and pay for this notice, at the printing office.

Postmaster Engebretsen took Ben Nyberg, Alber Bjerk, Debard Johnson and Clarence Swan to T. R. Falls yesterday where they took the examination for joining the navy.

The Y. M. C. A. is doing a great work, wherever our soldier boys are to be found, and they are worthy of your help and a good word in their behalf. Help a good cause along.

Parties from a distance still continue to come to Holt for their coal, which will cause a shortage after a few months of cold weather. Every effort possible should be made to get a good big wood pile ready for the cold weather.

Wheat as much as steel is needed to help win the war. Barrels of flour by the thousands have been sunk by the submarines. Our allies must have one billion bushels of wheat to keep their fighting strength. The burden falls on this country. War bread saves wheat. War bread gives health and strength to body and mind and is good to eat. Try it.

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota.
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 20, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 28th, 1917, at 9 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

For Sale.

Set of Bank Fixtures for sale at a very reasonable price. We have moved into our new bank building and desire to dispose of the old fixtures at once. Will sell cheap.

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All work guaranteed satisfactory
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Notice!

Good tractor with plows, for sale, very cheap.

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Happenings of the World Tersely Told

U.S.—Teutonic War News

The Kansas City, an American merchant vessel, has not been heard from since September 5 and is believed to have fallen prey to German submarines. This announcement was made at Washington by Secretary of the Navy Daniels. One signal service man, J. H. A. Muir, a first class signal man, was aboard the Kansas City.

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All exemptions and discharges in the first draft will be canceled by the new regulations that take effect November 20. The new regulations announced at Washington by Provost Marshal General Crowder call for the classification of all registrants not now in the service. The process of selection and classification will begin on December 15.

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American infantrymen with the American army in France exacted a part revenge for a trench raid during a recent night by ambushing a large German patrol in No Man's Land, killing or wounding a number of the enemy. The American patrol, in which there were some Frenchmen, arranged to ambuscade near the German lines on a shell-ruined farm.

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President Wilson is expected to issue a proclamation at Washington soon requiring every allied enemy within the United States to register as a step toward ridding the country of spies and sabotage.

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American aviators have participated in bombing raids over Germany and have been doing observation duty at various points of the battle line in France. The aviators are officers of the regular army, one of whom had been flying before the United States entered the war.

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Foreign

The Tidens Tegn says the Norwegian Water association has adopted a resolution proclaiming a complete boycott of Germany. German shipping, German trade and German citizens in Norway.

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The London Daily News Stockholm correspondent says: "The Finnish Socialists have carried out a coup d'etat. With the help of Russian soldiers they captured telegraph and public institutions in Helsingfors and then went to the senate, which they declared dissolved as well as the landtag. The old Socialistic landtag will be convoked as early as possible."

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The Finnish Telegram bureau says the whole of Russia except a small part of Petrograd is now in the hands of the provisional government. Premier Kerensky is now in Petrograd and has taken virtually the entire city, the announcement of the Finnish Telegram bureau says.

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Ontario subscriptions to the victory loan tabulated at provincial headquarters early totaled $10,000,000, of which $7,000,000 was taken in Toronto.

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Premier Lloyd-George explained to the house of commons in London that the interallied council, the establishment of which was arranged for at the recent conference of British, French and Italian representatives, would have no executive power. He said final decision in regard to matters of strategy and the distribution and movement of armies would rest with the several governments of the allies.

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One of two Americans who were operating a machine gun in Ojinaga, Mex., when a Villa force attacked the town, was wounded during the fighting. The other American escaped. Mexican federal troops evacuated Ojinaga and came to the American side, where they surrendered their arms.

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Domestic

Highwaymen held up A. D. Farrell, superintendent of the G. W. Farrell Limestone company of Hillsville, Pa., and, after killing a guard and wounding Farrell, made away with $17,000.

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Enemy aliens are barred from the streets along New York's water front under orders posted by United States Marshal McCarthy.

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Two employees were burned to death as a result of an explosion and fire which destroyed the Standard Oil company's refining and blending plant at Norfolk, Okla. The loss is estimated at $500,000. The dead are William Campbell and J. Ryan.

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That there will be no railway strike or serious differences between the railway employees and the railways appears certain. President Wilson has been authorized, in effect, by the representatives of the brotherhoods to offer a plan of settlement as to wages, which the brotherhoods will accept.

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Judge Bradford, in the United States district court at Wilmington, Del., handed down a decision sustaining the constitutionality of the draft law. The action was brought by Donald Stephens of Ardea, Del.

Bryant Barber, president of Barber Brothers' bank at Polo, Ill., and said to be one of the wealthiest residents of that section, leaped into the Rock river a few miles from Polo and was drowned. Mr. Barber was sixty-five years old.

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Twelve mountaineers were burned to death when fighting the forest fire which has been raging for four days in the Ramapo mountains near Allendale, N. J. The 12 men were deputy fire wardens.

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The fishing steamer Manhattan of Vancouver, B. C., has been wrecked off the North Pacific coast, according to wireless messages received at Seattle, Wash. Twenty-eight members of the crew are missing.

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All strikes affecting government work in shipping, munitions and other war enterprises, have been called off by the building trades section of the American Federation of Labor, it was announced at Buffalo, N. Y., by Secretary Morrison.

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President Samuel Gompers, the head of the American Federation of Labor, addressed a joint meeting of the Executive club and the Greater Buffalo club at Buffalo, N. Y., while the long-standing problems affecting capital and labor are virtually insolvable, industry must be speeded up to win the war.

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Scott Nearing, former professor of the University of Pennsylvania, arrested while making an alleged anti-war speech at Duluth, Minn., was arraigned in police court, pleaded guilty to disorderly conduct and was fined $50.

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Washington

"The food speculator and hoarder must go and it is our duty as loyal Americans to see that he never comes back." Herber Hoover, the nation's food boss, gave this message to thirty of his state aids at Washington, who are relied upon to administer the food laws.

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Thomas A. Edison, chairman of the naval consulting board, went to Chairman Hurley of the shipping board at Washington with suggestions for providing an emergency fleet of steamers almost overnight. Edison suggested the government take over all American sailing vessels and convert them into twin-screw steamers, wherever practicable. It was said many could be converted within thirty days.

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To inform the tax-paying public on different questions arising out of the war revenue bill, a special division of taxpayers' co-operation has been established in the internal revenue bureau, Secretary McAdoo announced at Washington.

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Thirty-one militants with banners appeared before the White House at Washington again and were arrested. Ten of the women had their banners torn from them before the police took charge.

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European War News

During a recent air raid over the Gallipoli peninsula and Constantinople by British naval aviators, the former German cruiser Goeben, now the Turkish warship Sultan Selim, was hit and a large explosion caused, it was officially announced at London.

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Premier Kerensky's forces, which advanced from Gatchina to Tsarskoe-Selo, have been defeated by the workmen's and soldiers' forces between Tsarskoe-Selo and Pulkova, 12 miles (south) from Petrograd.

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The floodgates of the Piave and Sile, or Old Piave, rivers have been opened by Italian military engineers and the enemy is now faced by another Yser of inundation. The flood was loosened at the point where the enemy succeeded in crossing the Piave near Grisiera (four miles from the coast), and the whole region where he gained lodgment is now under water.

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Seven thousand military cadets and 3,000 troops are besieged in the Kremlin at Moscow by 18,000 bolsheviki, who are battering the ancient walls and buildings with heavy artillery, according to a well-authenticated report from Petrograd.

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From Nice, Italy, comes a report that trainloads of French and British troops are rolling constantly through that place on their way from France into Italy and are greeted with great popular enthusiasm. General Fayolle will command the French armies now being sent to Italy.

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Although the Austro-German drive into Italy is no longer speedy, it continues to make progress, and Berlin now claims the capture of additional positions east of Asiago. The Piave line, upon the retention of which the holding of Venice by the Italians depends, is now embattled, with the enemy succeeding in crossing the river at some points.

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Only one British merchant vessel of more than 1,600 tons was sunk by mine or submarine last week, according to the weekly statement of shipping losses issued at London. This is the low record since Germany began her submarine campaign. Five vessels of less than 1,600 tons and one fishing boat were sunk during the week.

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An Amsterdam dispatch to the London Daily Mail says a German submarine on Monday torpedoed without warning the Dutch trawler Hulbertje at a point 25 miles off the Dutch coast.

ITALIANS SEIZE GERMAN POSTS

Launch Offensive On Asiago Plateau—Enemy Losses Staggering.

RETREAT IN FLANDERS

Forced Enemy Retirement On Dixmude Line in Belgium Officially Reported—Mountains in Italy Are Stormed.

Rome, Nov. 20.—Italian forces have begun an offensive on the Asiago plateau and have occupied advanced elements of trenches, the War office announces.

Further attempts of the Austro-German troops to cross the Piave have been stopped.

On the front west of the Piave, south of Quero, great numbers of Austro-German troops are attacking the Monte Monfenera and Monte Tomba lines.

Huns' Losses Staggering.

Battlefront descriptions thrilled Rome with heroic narratives of the Italian defense. In the mountains the fighting is over slippery, snow covered rocks and crags or centering about the peaks of the Alps. Along the river Piave the stream itself has been dyed in blood of the fighting men. The enemy's losses have been staggering.

Retreat in Belgium.

Washington, Nov. 20.—A German retirement on the Dixmude front has been reported officially to the Belgian legation.

"The enemy is abandoning fortified farms on the Yser left bank, blowing up elaborate and intricate concrete redoubts," said an official statement. Belgian detachments occupied the positions, caused severe losses to the enemy and captured scores of prisoners."

Take Posts by Storm.

Berlin, Nov. 20.—Quero and Monte Correlle, on the northern Italian front, have been taken by storm and the Italians have been driven from Monte Tomba, the war office announces.

The announcement follows: "Northeast of Asiago the enemy repeated his fruitless and costly attacks to gain the lost heights. Between the Brenta and the Piave the last few days have brought the Teutonic allies further successes in difficult mountain fighting."

Kaiser's Troops Nervous.

London, Nov. 20.—Positions east and northeast of Ypres on the Passchendaele ridge have been under heavy bombardment by the Germans for several days, apparent evidence that the Germans are nervous and hope to check a new British thrust.

WILSON TO CONTROL ROADS

Would Be Reins in Case of Crisis, Announcement Says.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Formal announcement has just been made that the railroads of the United States have decided that if any crisis should arise, to place their interests in the hands of President Wilson for protection and such disposition as he may deem necessary to prevent interruption of transportation during the war.

The announcement by the railroad board is regarded by officials as eliminating the possibility of a strike, by giving the president a free hand so far as the railroads are concerned, when he meets the brotherhood leaders in conference here Thursday.

PERSHING LOSES THREE MEN

More Deaths in American Expeditionary Forces Announced.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Three more deaths in the American expeditionary forces, one by accident, two by disease, have just been reported by General J. J. Pershing. They are:

Sergeant Carl G. Shew, coast artillery, died Nov. 12, struck by railroad train; mother, Mrs. Nellie Shaw, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Private Marcellus S. Cobb, infantry, died Nov. 10, pneumonia; mother, Mrs. Viola Cobb, Beakland, Me.

Private Howard R. Rawlings, headquarters company, died Nov. 14, pneumonia; emergency address, Floyd Vader, friend, Warner, N. Y.

BRITISH GENERAL IN MESOPOTAMIA DEAD

London, Nov. 20.—Death of General Maude, British commander of the Mesopotamian expeditionary forces, on Sunday, is announced in official dispatches. He was reported ill last week.

Italian Premier Hits War Keynote.

Rome, Nov. 17.—Great enthusiasm and patriotic feeling marked the sitting of the Italian chamber of deputies. Prof. Vittorio Orlando, in his first speech as premier, struck the keynote of his policy, namely, that the situation called for acts rather than for words. The premier spoke feelingly of the assistance being rendered by the Allies to Italy and a passage in which he expressed the cordial gratitude of Italy to the "great American republic" for her willing and powerful aid, roused tremendous chering.

ALL MEN LIABLE TO CALL FOR WAR

New Draft Registrations Allow Draft for Work as Well as Fight.

APPROVED BY WILSON

Full Strength of Country to Be Called and Only Extreme Disability Will Debar Men From Service.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Making practically every one of the more than 9,000,000 men registered subject to war duty, if not at the front then behind the lines, drastic new regulations for the draft have been approved by the president and made public by Provost Marshal General Crowder.

Affecting more than 9,000,00 homes, the regulations mobilize the war strength of the country to a point where only a word is necessary to take a man from his desk or plow or work bench and put him in a trench or armored motor car or munitions factory or shipbuilding plant.

Here are some of the radical new provisions which give teeth to the revised rules.

Secretary of War Baker is given authority to revoke any exemption or disregard at any time the deferred classification and order of call of any registered man, if that man's special trade or qualification make him necessary for special service. Thus, if the army finds itself facing a sudden need for 25,000 chauffers, Secretary Baker is authorized to direct local boards to get the number of chauffers, no matter where they stand in order of call.

Voluntary enlistment in the regular army of men between 21 and 31 years of age will be completely stopped on December 15.

Discharged Men Recalled.

Men previously discharged for slight deformities, such as flat feet, will be recalled. They will not be sent to the front but will be put on government work either at army depots or where they are most needed.

Men employed in the building and fitting of ships for the navy and Emergency Fleet corporation are not subject to call as long as they remain in those employments.

Registered men for the first time are permitted, if they so desire, to enlist in the navy or marine corps. Permission to do so will be granted, however, only in case the number of the man is so far down on the order list that he is not subject to call in the second draft.

New Physical Examination.

An entirely new system of physical examination is ordered whereby a man is examined not only by the physicians of the local board, but by an expert board of seven specialists before being finally accepted or discharged from military duty.

The provost general marshal's office has been given the assistance of the entire postal machinery of the country in tracing down men who have moved from their original jurisdictions, leaving no addresses behind.

General Crowder said that it could not be made too plain that the regulations affect every one of the registered men not at present in the uniform of the United States.

The rules will become effective in part on November 20. They are to go into effect as a whole on a date to be set by the provost marshal general, which probably will be December 10.

DESTROY SALTPETRE PLANT

Firebugs at Work in Brooklyn War Contract Factory.

New York, Nov. 19.—Incendiaries with German sympathies brought about the destruction of the saltpeter and nitre plant of the Bradley-Knowles Manufacturing company in Brooklyn, officials announce. The loss was over $300,000. The saltpeter was for use by the United States government in gunpowder manufacture. The nitre was for preserving canned fruit for the Allies.

Twelve explosions that shook the neighborhood for many blocks occurred when the fire reached vats containing high inflammable liquids. The plant was torn asunder.

Firemen said the fire was started in several places. Other buildings along the water front were threatened.

Villa Moves on Juarez.

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 19.—Soldiers of the United States border patrol have reported sighting numerous bands of armed Mexicans moving toward Juarez, both from the east and the west. These are believed to be Villa followers moving up for a general attack on the town.

To Build Non-Sinkable Ships in U. S.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The shipping board has approved the building of 20 4,000-ton non-sinkable ships by the French government in the United States. By doing so it has waived the rule that no foreign construction should be permitted at this time. The non-sinkable ships, developed by French experts, is said to have withstood torpedo atatck in a test in which four shots were fired into her hull and the only effect was to destroy the cargo immediately surrounding the point of attack.

Colds Coughs Catarrh

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Aunt Virginia Says:

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Justice to the innocent sometimes demands that we expose the faults of our neighbor, but we ought to meet the occasion as an unpleasant duty, not as a joyful opportunity.

It pays to be generous if only for the claim it gives us on the generosity of others when our time of need comes.

It ought to be made a penitentiary offense to thrust upon the radiant happiness of newly married lovers the cheap, coarse, cynicism that "it won't last."

Some people imagine they are disciplining their children when they punish them brutally for doing something the tenth time that they have been allowed to do without protest nine times before.—Farm Life.

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Chinese Like Automobiles.

American automobiles are rapidly growing popular in China. Their use is limited not by the desire of the wealthy natives to possess them, but by the total lack of roads outside of a few city districts. Many of the wealthy Chinese own several motors, and in Shanghai it is said to be difficult to maintain a taxicab business because the natives charter all the cars. The Chinese have also established several motor driven bus lines. Chinese chauffeurs are said to be the coolest and steadiest drivers in the world, but poor mechanics.

Boom in African Trade.

"The wrist watch has done much for our trade."

"Where is your trade?"

"It is mainly in Africa. Formerly we couldn't sell a native a watch because he wore no pockets to carry it in."

Another Suggestion.

"I hope there won't be any shortage of fuel."

"So do I," returned Miss Cayenne. "If there is, I am going to suggest that baseball be played the year round. Nobody seems to pay the slightest attention to the climate when he can stand out in the street and watch a scoreboard."

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Not Bread Alone.

A Japanese newspaper, in emphasizing the gravity of the responsibility resting on Japan and America on account of the fact that the world activity is shifting from the Atlantic to the Pacific, says that these two great nations are bound to exchange more and more of their products and declares that they must come to agree on high principles. "Man cannot live by bread alone," quotes the editor—which is perfectly true; but, as the old darky remarked, observes an exchange, "It keeps er man hustlin' fo' a little piece o' meat."

War Behind the Lines.

In the house of commons the statement was made some time ago that it needs a man and a half behind the line to keep one man in the trenches; and that is only at the front. How many men, women and children at home are needed to keep going the man with the rifle and hand grenade we can only conjecture, but if we say ten civilians to every fighting man we shall not exaggerate.—Simon Strunsky in the Yale Review.

Machine Men.

Major—Who will take charge of our machine gun?

Private Smith—Corporal Higgins was one of the best machine men in our ward; let him do it.—Puck.

Nothing gives the average woman more pleasure than to have the street car conductor miss her.

Wisdom is more in avoiding trouble than in getting out of it.

OUR BOYS IN FRANCE AND HOME PROTECTION

The men on the firing line represent the pick of our American youth. One in four of our boys at home was sick, rejected because of physical deficiency. Many times the kidneys were to blame.

If we wish to prevent old age coming on too soon, or if we want to increase our chances for a long life, Dr. Pierce of the Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., says that you should drink plenty of water daily between meals. Then procure at your nearest drug store Anuric (double strength). This An-u-ric drives the uric acid out and cures backache and rheumatism.

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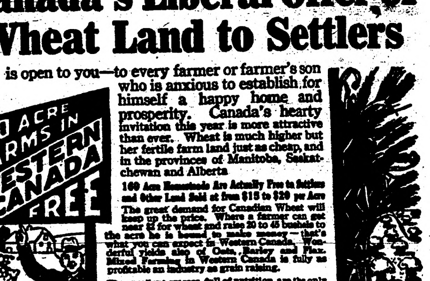
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It is true that the one-time honored "ma'am" has gone to voyage. Yet wait—what takes its place? Sometimes nothing. Poor modern child!

Little Willie, you see, is taught that "ma'am" is decidedly bad form, don't you know, a mode of address only to be used by servants, indeed, and so his youthship comes out with an abrupt "No" or a brief "Yes," to old ladies and playmates alike, an exchange observes.

The really correct thing for Willie to be taught is that the name or relationship of the persons addressed must be given in place of that socially ostracized "ma'am." He must say "Yes, mother," or "no, father" (if he has been taught not to use "sir"), or "No, Mr. Smith or Miss Jones," as the case may be.

The mentioning of a person's name when speaking to him or her is always a pleasant little mark of courtesy, even from one older person to another, and is charming to hear from a child's lips.

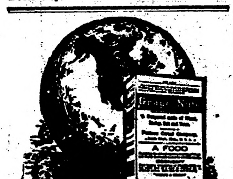
With the Pacifists.

"Terrible about the Smith de Puysters, isn't it?"

"What's the matter now?"

"Oh! they are constantly fighting about which one is the more peaceably inclined."

Women barbers, hair dressers and manicurists number over 4,000 in New York city.



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INVENTORY OF MAN POWER

Five Divisions to Be Formed Depending on Occupation and Claims for Exemption Allowed—Local Boards Will Help Registered Men.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Uncle Sam has begun the most gigantic inventory of man power ever attempted.

Preparations for the second draft were started when copies of the questionnaire for every one of the nine million men registered for military service were sent to the local exemption boards.

This questionnaire must be filled out by every registered man between the ages of twenty-one and thirty-one. It will place in the hands of the government the life history of every registered man and will give a complete census of the men of military age in 87 trades, industries and professions. The questionnaire will classify all registered men for service.

Classification of registered men in the order of their liability for military service will be the first accomplishment of the questionnaire. Men will be classified in five divisions, the first division to be called the first and the fifth division last.

The classes and the order in which they will be called are as follows:

CLASS 1.

Single men without dependent relatives.

Married man, with or without children, or father of motherless children, who has habitually failed to support his family.

Married man dependent on wife for support.

Married man, with or without children, or father of motherless children; man not usefully engaged, family supported by income independent of his labor.

Unskilled farm laborer.

Unskilled industrial laborer.

Registrant by or in respect of whom no deferred classification is claimed or made.

Registrant who fails to submit questionnaire and in respect of whom no deferred classification is claimed or made.

All registrants not included in any other division in this schedule.

CLASS 2.

Married man with children or father of motherless children where such wife or children or such motherless children are not mainly dependent upon his labor for support for the reason that there are other reasonably certain sources of adequate support (excluding earnings or possible earnings from the labor of the wife) available, and that the removal of the registrant will not deprive such dependent of support.

Married man, without children, whose wife, although the registrant is engaged in a useful occupation, is not mainly dependent upon his labor for support, for the reason that the wife is skilled in some special class of work which she is physically able to perform and in which she is employed, or in which there is an immediate opening for her under conditions that will enable her to support herself decently and without suffering or hardship.

Necessary skilled farm laborer in necessary agricultural enterprise.

Necessary skilled industrial laborer in necessary industrial enterprise.

CLASS 3.

Man with dependent children (not his own), but toward whom he stands in relation of parent.

Man with dependent aged or infirm parents.

Man with dependent helpless brothers or sisters.

County or municipal officer.

Highly trained fireman or policeman, at least three years in service of municipality.

Necessary customhouse clerk.

Necessary employee of United States in transmission of the mails.

Necessary artificer or workman in United States armory or arsenal.

Necessary employee in service of United States.

Necessary assistant, associate or hired manager of necessary agricultural enterprise.

Necessary highly specialized technical or mechanical expert of necessary industrial enterprise.

Necessary assistant or associate manager of necessary industrial enterprise.

CLASS 4.

Man whose wife or children are mainly dependent on his labor for support.

Mariner actually employed in sea service of citizen or merchant in the United States.

Necessary sole managing, controlling or directing head of necessary agricultural enterprise.

Necessary sole managing, controlling or directing head of necessary industrial enterprise.

CLASS 5.

Officers—legislative, executive or judicial—of the United States or of state, territory or District of Columbia.

Regular or duly ordained minister of religion.

Student who on May 18, 1917, was preparing for ministry in recognized school.

Persons in military or naval service of United States.

Alien enemy.

Resident alien (not an enemy) who claims exemption.

Person totally and permanently physically or mentally unfit for military service.

Person morally unfit to be a soldier of the United States.

Licensed pilot actually employed in the pursuit of his vocation.

Member of well organized religious sect or organization, organized and existing on May 18, 1917, whose then existing creed or principles forbid its members to participate in war in any form, and whose religious convictions are against war or participation therein.

Boards to Aid Registrants.

To aid the registrants in filling out these questionnaires and determining their classification legal advisory boards have been provided for each local exemption district. Disinterested lawyers have been taken into service to aid in the general administration of the law.

All exemptions made prior to this time or revoked. Every man not in the military service must fill out a questionnaire, and the merits of his case will be decided upon again.

Any person failing to fill out a questionnaire is automatically placed in Class 1 and liable for immediate duty.

Following the classification comes a series of general questions. There then follow eleven other series of questions which fit particular cases ranging from the man who claims physical disability to questions asked of men seeking exemption because they are divinity students.

The general questions establish a most intimate knowledge of the personal characteristics of the registrant. He must state every occupation at which he has worked during the past ten years, giving not only the name of the occupation, but the number of hours worked each week and a statement of his education.

In these questions the registrant is given the privilege of stating his preference of service, and may state whether he is willing to attend a night school fitting him for service prior to being called into camp.

There then follows a list of 87 trades and professions, and the registrant is given space to indicate which he has worked in and for how long a period.

Occupational List.

The occupational list follows:

Accountant; artist, dramatic or otherwise; auto and gas engine man (a) factory, (b) garage, (c) ignition system, (d) marine engines; auto and motor truck driver, baker, band instrument, barber, blacksmith (a) helper (b) forger; boatman, boilermaker, bookkeeper, butcher, canvas worker, carpenter (a) brigde, (b) cabinetmaker, (c) house, (d) ship; chemical industry worker, clerical worker, concrete worker, contractor, cook, dentist, detective, draftsman (a) architectural (b) mechanical, (c) topographical; druggist, electrician (a) instruments repair, (b) motors and dynamos, (c) outside work, (d) wiring; engineer, graduate, (a) automotive, (b) chemical, (c) civil, (d) electrical, (e) mechanical, (f) mining, (g) sanitary; factory worker, farmer, furrier, fire-fighter, forest ranger, foundry man (a) core maker and molder, (b) furnace man; grocer, guard, gunsmith, harnessmaker, horseman, horseshoer, laborer, lawyer, lineman, (a) telegraph, (b) telephone; locksmith, longshoreman, lumberman, machinist (a) drill press, (b) general mechanic, (c) grinding machine, (d) lathe, (e) miller and planer, (f) toolmaker; mason, merchant, millwright, miner (a) digging and loading, (b) drill, (c) explosives, (d) timbering, (e) track laying; moving picture expert, nurse, painter (a) house, (b) sign, (c) scene; patternmaker, physician, plasterer, plumbing trades, policeman, printer, quarryman, railroad man (a) construction, (b) operation, (c) maintenance, (d) repair; railway motorman, rigger (a) bridge, (b) building, (c) ship; salesman, sawmill man, seafaring man, sheet metal worker (a) copper, (b) iron, (c) tin; shipbuilder, shoemaker, stableman, steam engineer (a) motive, (b) stationary; stenographer, stockkeeper, structural iron and steel worker, student, surveyor, tailor, teacher, teamster, telegrapher, telephone operator, telephone repairman, tile man, typewriter, veterinary, watchman, welder, acetylene, etc.; wheelwright, wireless operator.

Many Questions Asked.

Persons claiming exemption on the ground of being aliens are asked to give the date of their birth, their birthplace, the time of their entrance to this country, the name of the vessel upon which they entered and their companions. They are also asked, "Are you willing to return to your native country and enter its military service?"

Claimants for exemption on grounds of dependency must answer a series of thirty-one questions, supported by affidavits of the dependents. These questions are most intimate, seeking a declaration of the exact amount of money contributed to the support of the dependent each month. Each registrant must also declare the amount of his income for the past twelve months and the amount of his property, real and personal. If a registrant owns a house he must state whether he rents it and if so how much rent he receives. Encumbrances upon property must be declared, as well as the amount of taxes paid in the past year. "Has your wife ever been employed?" is one question asked. "Is your wife trained or skilled in any calling?" "Do you or your wife live with her parents?"

New Docks at Halifax.

The new docks at Halifax have reached a point where they can care for a considerable amount of Canadian and American shipping, although they will not be finally completed for some time yet. The war has given Halifax a great advantage as a port, because it shortens the trans-Atlantic voyage by several days. The new docks are being erected at a cost of $30,000,000. When complete they will be able to dock 375,000 tons of shipping at one time.

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Guarding Against a Leftover.

"Do you think there is any excuse for keeping a pet dog?"

"Well," replied Mr. Meekton, "I hope they will let Henrietta keep Fido for a few weeks longer. I'd hate to be called on to eat the dog biscuit to keep it from going to waste."

Human Rights.

"What we want is freedom of speech!" shouted the man on a soap box.

"Yes!" answered the woman who was leaning out of the window. "But haven't we members of the Anti-Noise association any rights at all?"

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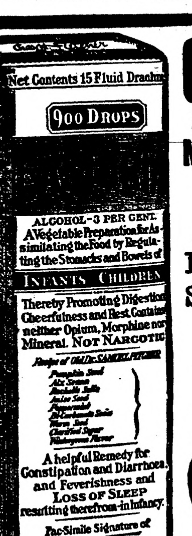
If you expect those big, red apples to taste as good as they look, better not look when purchasing.

She Had a Kind Face.

Agnes—No, I would never marry a man to reform him.

Ethel—Well, I don't think myself that harsh measures are the best.

Many a so-called self-made man is the handiwork of his wife.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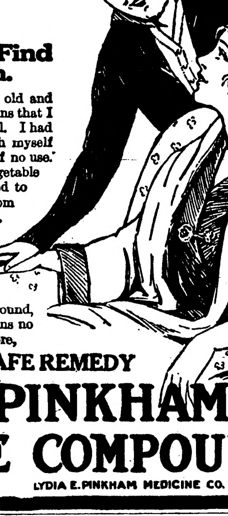

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Canadian Cheese.

Canada in 1916 made 192,903,597 pounds of cheese, valued at $35,512,530.

The Difference.

One's own wife may be a mistake, but the other fellow's is misunderstood.

Breaks the News

Silence gives consent, but no girl who consented ever kept silent long about it.

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"Great gracious, man!" exclaimed Boggs' friend. "Do I find you reduced to playing a cornet at the street corner to make a living?"

"I'm not doing this to make a living. My wife won't let me practice in the house," Boggs replied.

The Retort Cruel.

Marie—That's a beautiful gown you have on.

Mollie—Do you know that lace is forty years old?

Marie—That so? Make it yourself?

Cumulative Expenses.

"It costs three cents to send a letter."

"Yes," replied the man who has been sued for breach of promise; "and if you are not careful that three cents a day may be only the starter."

The Straight Tip.

He—Are you sentimental?

She—It depends.

He—On what?

She—On the restaurant and the dinner.—Passing Show.

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We have arranged for a series of six interesting articles, "War Talks, by Uncle Dan," written by Mr. Howard H. Gross, president of the Universal Military Training League, of which this is the first. They tell in a graphic way why military training is of value, both to the nation and to the individual, and our readers will find them of unusual interest.

WAR TALKS

By UNCLE DAN

Number One

America Must Fight Hard or Germany May Win—Necessity for Military Training.

"Now, Billie," said his mother, "your Uncle Dan is coming tomorrow to spend a week with us on the farm, and if you want to know about the war, here's your opportunity. Uncle Dan is probably one of the best-informed men in the country." Billie clapped his hands and gave such a whoop that he wakened the baby, but what could you expect of a fifteen-year-old boy who is a living interrogation point and wants to know about war?

Uncle Dan arrived in due time and Billie watched for an opportunity. It came that evening after dinner when Uncle Dan had lighted a cigar and taken a seat on the porch.

"I'm mighty glad you came, Uncle Dan. I want to talk to you about the war. We have just put military training in our township high school, but we had a hard time to do it. The Joneses and the Greggs objected. They said the war wouldn't come over here. Grandma Jones said: 'They ain't no use to worrit, it will soon blow over.' Well, we put the training in just the same. You orter heard Judge Brownell, the president of the school board, do the slackers up. He said unless we take off our coats and go to it, Germany may yet win, and if she does, she will take over the great British fleet as a war trophy and compel us to do what ever she wants to; that she could make us pay all the cost of the war; the kaiser could tax us as he pleased and that we couldn't help ourselves. He could make every one pay over a part of what he earns; that he could make the farmers pay rent for their own farms, etc. Now, Uncle, what do you think of that?"

"Well, my boy," said Uncle Dan, "all that Judge Brownell says might really come true and may unless we go quickly to the aid of the allies with large numbers of men and help them break the German line. Unless we can beat the submarines, they may prevent us from getting enough food to the allies to keep them going. In that case Germany would win. As matters stand today, our greatest need is trained men. If we had had several millions of men with military training in our industries and on our farms when the war came, who could have been called at once for service, I do not believe the kaiser would have forced the war upon us. As it was, he had no respect for us, and now we are in it and must go through with it. But never again must we be caught so wholly unprepared.

"There is only one safe way," said Uncle Dan, "and that is to adopt permanently universal military training, apply it to every young man who is physically fit, say in his nineteenth or twentieth year. The training can be carried forward in the United States training camps that are now being established for training men called by the selective draft. As soon as these men vacate these stations, they should be filled by younger men, and this should be made the permanent policy of the country."

Billie's mother, Mrs. Graham, had overheard the conversation. She came out and said: "Really, Brother Dan, are you serious as to the dangers of our country? If it is as bad as that, it is high time for us to wake up and do something about it."

"Exactly," replied Uncle Dan. "It is better to wake up now than to be rudely awakened later. We may as well understand, sister, that this is our war and we must win it or God help America. Everything that we have or hope to have—our liberties, our blessings, our opportunities are all involved in the great issue before us. Nothing must stand between us and winning this war. It is a question whether the peoples' right or the kaiser's might shall dominate the world. If there ever was a holy war, this is it. We are fighting for world liberty. We are fighting for the freedom of humanity. We are fighting for the right of men to govern themselves instead of being governed against their will by a war-mad overlord. Perilous times are ahead of us. We must be prepared to make any sacrifice, to perform any service that may be required of us."

"Oh, Uncle Dan," exclaimed Billie, "may I bring my chum, Jimmie Collins, when we have our next talk? He is a bug on this war business and just crazy to see you."

"Certainly," said Uncle Dan, with a hearty laugh. "If we are to have more talks, I shall be glad to have Jimmie Collins."

Billie clapped his hands and ran to the 'phone and told Jimmie to be over at seven o'clock the next evening.

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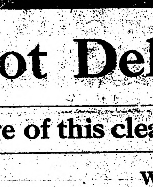

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn.
September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

[SEAL]

Holt State Bank

Holt, Minnesota

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Surplus	4,000

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V. President, A. D. Stephens
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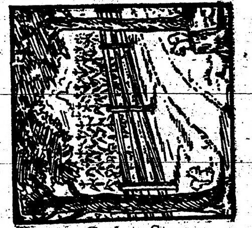

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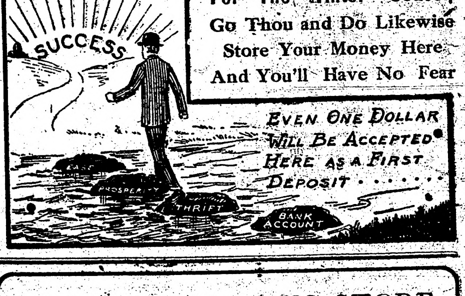

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Relinquishment for sale at the Holt State Bank.

John Bottom went to Hibbing Monday where he expected to find work.

Elmer Hagglund came from Crookston Saturday for a couple of weeks visit at home.

Read the big Ad. of the Holt State Bank and then start a saving account at once.

A. R. Jones went to Crookston Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with his family.

English services at the Synod church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited.

Gust Guhrud of Bagley came last week Thursday to visit relatives for an indefinite time.

A light snow fell Monday making it look like winter, but since then the weather has been fine.

Miss Doris Sandberg went to T. R. Falls Saturday to spend Sunday with Miss Inez Alkenbrack.

M. Mattson and J. Erickson were visitors at A. Jorde's on the reservation, Monday evening of last week.

Don't fail to hear about the Second Coming of Christ at the Mission church next Monday evening by Rev. Parish.

The Free Mission Ladies will have an auction sale at 8 o'clock Saturday evening Dec. 1st. Lunch will be served in the basement.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Silbaugh and family of Mud Lake, Mr. and Mrs. J. Simenson and son Anfin were Sunday guests at J. E. Erickson's.

Mrs. Kouch of Crookston came Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bjerk, and to attend the banquet that evening.

Phil Von Wold came from Doughty last week Thursday for a short visit at the Alkenbrack home and with his family and other relatives at Golden Valley.

Rev. Ordahl and family, C. L. Heinze and famly, C. H. Gunheim and family, B. Docken and family were pleasantly entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson.

Ed. Bjerk and Andrew Sorum have moved the telephone poles out of the new road between J. B. Alkenbrack's and Olaf Iverson's, also made some needed repairs on the line.

Tell us the news.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,
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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY

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Banquet a Success

The soldiers and sailors banquet given Monday evening at the Mission church, under the auspices of the Red Cross Chapter, was a success in everyway. The church was appropriately decorated for the occasion, as was the table in the basement which was reserved for the soldier and sailor boys, the three speakers and the chairman.

The church was crowded and there was hardly standing room for those who came late. The program consisted of songs, recitations and three splendid addresses by Prof. Hay and Rev. Parish of Thief River Falls and Rev. Ordahl of this place, and was enjoyed by all present.

All who helped to make the program a success are entitled to a vote of thanks. After the program the crowd assembled in the basement and were served with a lunch by the ladies, which netted the Red Cross about $15.00

The following young men were the guests of honor:

Ed Bjerk, Hjalmer Peterson, Victor Johnson, Rudolph Reierson, Ludvig Larson, Hilmer Davidson, Oscar Furr, Andrew and Willie Sorum, Eling Tollesfsrud, Ben Nyberg, Dehard Johnson, Albert Bjerk and Clarence Swan.

Young Men Join Navy

Dehard Johnson, Ben Nyberg, Albert Bjerk and Clarence Swan left Tuesday for Minneapolis where they enlisted in the navy. A big crowd were at the depot to bid the boys good bye and give them three good hearty cheers. There were not many dry eyes in the crowd when the train pulled out.

Mrs. Swan accompanied her son as far as Thief River Falls. Mrs. Kouch returned to Crookston the same day accompanied by her sister Miss Lydia Bjerk, and their brother Albert and the other boys were entertained that evening at the formers home.

A card from the boys says they arrived safely Wednesday morning, that all passed the examinations and would leave that night for camp.

Free Mission Church

The Ladies Aid will have an auction sale at 8 o'clock Saturday evening Dec. 1st. Everyone invited.

A good lunch will be served in the basement, after the sale.

Rev. Parish will preach Monday evening Dec. 3rd. on the Second Coming of Christ, The when, and the How?

Rev. Kilen expected to be here Dec., 2nd, but has sent word that he will be unable to preach here until Dec. 9th at 2 and 8 o'clock.

J. E. Erickson drove to T. R. Falls Wednesday of last week.

P. L. Anderson's father made him a short visit between trains Tuesday.

Brekkestron Bros. were over from Newfolden Monday on business.

Mrs. Frank Gilbert of Golden Valley left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Tolley, N. D. and Estervan, Canada.

Joe Nelson returned home Friday from Fargo. He made a deal for an auto but broke down and had to leave it at Nielsville for repairs.

Ole Johnson is on the sick list this weeek.

Mr. Ruehman and son George hauled wood for J. E. Erickson Friday and Saturday.

Does it pay to advertise? Read the big Ad. of the Holt State Bank and ask them what they think about it.

P. A. Riesberg and Thorval Kolden are hauling baled hay to town.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock.

Services at 11 A. M. Sunday.

Mrs. S. H. Nohre will entertain the Dorcas society at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

English services at 8 o'clock Sunday evening. Everybody invited.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Southeast of Holt.

Carl Gutterud is busy sawing wood and grinding feed.

A number of boys were out hunting DEARS Sunday but we hav'ent heard whether they got any game or not.

The Free church Ladies Aid will meet at Andrew Jopperud Dec. 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hamre and daughter Marie of Germantown visited at the S. Moe home Sunday.

The ladies aid auction and basket social at Nels Sordahl was very well attended.

A number were pleasantly entertained at the Gutterud home Sunday. A good time was reported.

Daniel Rygnestad intends to spend the winter at home.

School Notes

Sainia Niemela, Editor

The new phonograph arrived last week on Friday. The money to pay for it was partly raised by the Necktie social that was held in the school house on the 10th. of this month, and the rest was forwarded by the school district. A number of songs were played Monday morning which was greatly enjoyed by the pupils, especially the smaller ones.

The Red Cross Society met in the school house last week on Friday evening. They will meet again at the school house Friday evening at 7:30

Those absent in Mr. Hall's room for last week were, Olive Mickelson Emma Ostlund, Ruby Swan, Martin Sandberg and Minnie Rux. Those absent in the intermediate room for last week were; Ole Nygaard, Bennie Hagglund, Alice Sandberg, Henry Nohre, Melvin Hoel, Inga Johnson and Francis Coppay.

Those absent in Miss Peterson's room were: Myron Adams, Melvin Hengeborg, Orvis Oein, Harold Nohre and Leonard Swan.

Lillian Jahr commenced school last week. School closed Wednesday on account of the Thanksgiving vacation. The boys basket ball team have practiced twice and are improving greatly. The new library books arrived last week and they are all very good and interesting.

O. Mattson called at J. E. Erickson Thursday of last week.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

This paper and To-Day's Housewife magazine only $1.50 a year.

Lots of wood and hay is being hauled to town during this fine weather.

If you wish to save money the coming year, join one of the Xmas. clubs at the Holt State Bank.

The Y. M. C. A. is doing a great work, wherever our soldier boys are to be found, and they are worthy of your help and a good word in their behalf. Help a good cause along.

There will be examinations for rural carriers Jan. 11th at Warren and Thief River Falls and someone from here should should take the civil service examination as there is a good chance for a couple of routes. The only vacancy at present is at Argyle. Ask the postmaster about it.

Sunnyside

Olaf Swenson and family of Clan Williams, Canada, visited at Hans Knutson's Wednesday of last week.

A large crowd attended the social at the Sunnyside school house Saturday night. About $40. 00 was taken in, and everybody had a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Knutson visited at the G. Swenson home last Sunday.

Pete Sorter was a caller at Middle River between trains last Thursday.

Mrs. G. Peterson and Mrs. A. Bjerk, attended the Red Cross meeting at the Holt school house Friday evening.

Mildred and Cyrus Malberg of Stiener attended the social last Saturday night.

Erving Quist of T. R. Falls was a caller at the John Sorum home Friday evening.

Mrs. G. Swenson and daughter Annie returned home Thursday from a few weeks stay with her daughter at Alexandria Minn.

Erick Johnson returned home Thursday from Canada.

Samson Windmills!

The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction.

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Annie Erickson drove to Steiner Friday.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening and all are invited to attend.

Wheatless and meatless days must be observed, if we win the war.

The U. S. Navy wants 80,000 more men to enlist for the period of the war, only.

FOUND: A sum of money, also a pocket knife. Please prove property and pay for this notice, at the printing office.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson and Miss Erickson attended the Kisch Muzzy wedding Wednesday evening Nov. 21st.

Those who have not received blue cards can volunteer in the army up to Dec. 15th, and in the navy until the 80000 join, that are needed.

Set of Bank Fixtures for sale at a very reasonable price. We have moved into our new bank building and desire to dispose of the old fixteres at once. Will sell cheap.

Holt State Bank.

To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn.
September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

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Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
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Barley	78 to 1.03
Rye	1.62
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

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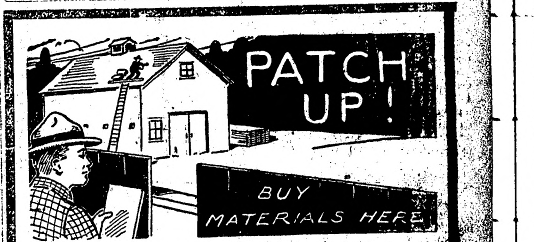

THIS is mighty good weather for getting fixed up about the place.

You know sometime, somehow this work has to be done. Why not take time by the fore lock, come in, get the materials and have the place as good as new?

You will be surprised at how little expense you can accomplish this transformation and at the satisfaction which results.

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News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

U. S.—Teutonic War News

The diminishing effectiveness of the German submarine was officially recognized by the United States government. The treasury department at Washington reduced the war risk insurance rates on American ships entering the war zone from 5 per cent to 4.

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Arrival of American troops in France has kept pace with the expectation of the war department, Secretary Baker said at Washington in the first statement he has ever authorized in connection with the progress being made in increasing General Pershing's forces.

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The first official admission that the draft law is to be amended and that a plan is being considered for calling out youth down to eighteen years was made at Washington by Provost Marshal General Crowder in a letter to the exemption boards.

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One American medical reserve officer attached to the British forces was killed in Flanders, General Pershing reported to the war department at Washington. First Lieutenant Orlando Gochnaur was killed. His next of kin is Mrs. F. A. Gochnaur, Freeport, Ill.

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Premier Lloyd George opened the allied war conference at London with a speech in which he told the members of the American mission present that the collapse of Russia and the reverses to Italy "made it even more imperative than before that the United States send as many troops as possible across the Atlantic as early as possible." Admiral Benson said: "The United States is heart and soul in the war, and none of its resources will be spared in order to win the war."

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Foreign

About 150 pro-German Greeks have been arrested at Athens charged with espionage, propaganda and diffusion of false news. They will be expelled.

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The Vatican is accused in an editorial in the London Morning Post of being implicated in the propaganda which, the newspaper says, was largely responsible for the recent Italian reverses.

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The bolsheviki government at Petrograd, according to a report to London from Haparanda, has sent representatives to meet German Socialist delegates, probably at Stockholm, to arrange an armistice and negotiate a peace.

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Leon Trotzky, who is in charge of foreign affairs in the bolsheviki cabinet, emphatically declared at Petrograd that the soldiers and workmen's government was against a separate peace with Germany.

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A reduction of the Russian armies, beginning with the class conscription in 1899, has been proclaimed by M. Lenine, the bolsheviki leader, in an official announcement issued at Petrograd. The order is to take effect immediately. The note of Leon Trotzky, the bolsheviki foreign minister, to the allied embassies, conveying the announcement of the proposal for an armistice, reached the embassies.

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One of the largest and most important chemical works in Germany, the Greishiem, Elekton, near Frankfort-on-the-Main, was destroyed by an explosion, according to a dispatch received at Zurich from Frankfort.

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An Amsterdam dispatch says the independent socialists tried to hold meetings in Berlin on Sunday despite the government prohibition.

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General Kaledines, the Don Cossack leader, is described in dispatches received at the state department from Swedish sources as "the man of the hour." He is said to be holding Petrograd at his mercy as regards food and is expected to take possession of the capital shortly.

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Domestic

Two thousand dollars was obtained from the Italian-American bank at Denver, Colo., by two young men, who held up the cashier and escaped in an automobile.

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Telegrapher Hart foiled an attempt to rob the Dexter bank at Dexter, Mich. He threw a semaphore, stopping a train after all wires out of the city had been cut. The bandits escaped.

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The temporary halt in the movement of wheat to the seaboard was explained in a statement issued at Washington saying that the railroads had stopped shipments for a time so that the corn may be moved.

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Dan Shay, former Milwaukee baseball manager, was found not guilty of murder in the second degree for shooting to death Clarence Buell, a colored cafe waiter, by a jury in criminal court at Indianapolis. Shay's plea was self-defense.

HOUSEKEEPERS WARNED

Washington, Nov. 24.—This statement was made by Herbert Hoover, United States food administrator:

"We have reports from various parts of the country of crooks, thieves and confidence operators who are going from house to house purporting to be authorized by the food administration and other departments of the government to collect or commandeer foodstuffs for the government or the army.

"I wish to say emphatically that no department of the government has or will ever make such demands on householders, and that all such people are petty frauds and should be held for the police. The government agencies are investigating various cases and information is sought of all such persons by this department."

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Alice Karlson, a young school teacher, who recently shot and killed her father at their home in the Town of Scotts, near Kalamazoo, Mich., was acquitted by a circuit court jury.

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Washington

An offer by the British admiralty to decorate certain officers and men of two American destroyers for their services in combating German submarines has been declined, Secretary Daniels announced at Washington, because the laws of this country prevent soldiers and sailors from receiving decorations from foreign governments.

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The railroad brotherhood chiefs, in a statement issued at Washington after a two hours' conference with President Wilson on the wage dispute, announced that any suspension of transportation would be avoided, and declared their willingness to discuss and consider any proposed solution of the difficulties.

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There is to be another shakeup in the emergency fleet corporation at Washington, the organization charged with construction of ships for the government's vast merchant marine program. Rear Admiral Washington L. Capps sent to Secretary of the Navy Daniels his resignation as general manager of the fleet corporation.

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The appointment of William C. Gorgas, surgeon general of the army, as head of a committee selected by the war department to investigate food conditions at army camps was made known at Washington in a joint statement by Secretary Baker and Food Administrator Hoover, answering complaints of waste at army camps.

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It was announced at Washington that the departmental commanders have been relieved of the duty of assigning troops to guard industries and railroads as the first step in the war department's general plan for co-operating with the states in a system of internal control during the war that will not drain the fighting forces.

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Three officers and 18 enlisted men lost their lives when the United States destroyer Chauncey was sunk in the dark by a collision in the war zone. Vice Admiral Sims reported the accident to Washington. He said the Chauncey's commander, Lieutenant Commander Walter E. Reno, died at his post on the bridge.

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Federal milk control by regional commissions has been decided on, the national food administration announced at Washington. It is not expected that a uniform national price will be attained, but it is believed many important reforms will result among both producers and distributers.

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American shipyards whose construction was commandeered by the government completed last week 20,000 tons of merchant shipping. The shipping board announced at Washington that this brought their total output since the commandeering order was issued, August 4, up to 28 vessels of 150,000 tons' capacity.

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European War News

In the past few days the Germans have sunk five Dutch fishing boats, three outside the barred zone, according to a special dispatch to London from Amsterdam.

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According to advices received at Amsterdam Gen. von Ludendorff, first quartermaster general of the German armies, has started for the eastern front in connection with the Russian offer of a truce.

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A British patrol vessel was torpedoed by an enemy submarine in the Mediterranean November 18, according to an admiralty statement issued at London.

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General Byng's victory over the Germans was acclaimed by the bells of London. It is the first time they have pealed since the war began. News of the great success of the British troops has stirred the nation beyond words.

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It was announced in London that British forces operating against the Turks in Palestine have reached the outskirts of Jerusalem. Occupation of the Holy City by General Allenby's forces is expected without serious opposition.

WAR ON KAISER'S ALLIES IS URGED

Senator Stone, Former Pacifist, Says Move Would Simplify Matters.

AUSTRIANS IN WEST

May Be Facing Americans—Nations Declared Virtually At War—Stone Now Backs Administration.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Declarations of war against Austria, Turkey and Bulgaria, Chairman Stone of the Senate foreign relations committee declares, seems "exceedingly advisable to simplify a situation now anomalous."

Opposed War Step.

"We are in fact," said he, "now at war with Germany's allies." Senator Stone's only reservation was that such action by Congress should be in harmony with the policy of the executive branch of the government. Although he voted against the declaration of war on Germany.

Supports Administration.

Senator Stone has reiterated that the war once begun has his whole support. His statement was taken as indicative of the agitation for war on Germany's allies, which will face Congress when it convenes Dec. 3.

Austrians in West.

"I have understood that some if not a large number of Austrian troops have been on the Western front," said Mr. Stone. "They may now or soon be actually fighting against American forces, the two forces firing at each other. Anyway, Austrians are desperately engaged in Italy, which is one of our Allies just as much as France or England."

Sees Long Session.

To have war formally declared against Germany's allies also, said Senator Stone, would simplify matters of domestic concern such as measures to prevent espionage.

New or amended war tax legislation, according to Senator Stone, who also is a member of the Senate finance committee, should not be undertaken until after a thorough survey of the situation. He said there was no doubt that in many respects the new war tax law can be improved and probably will be to remove inequalities and injustices. The session, he predicted, would be a long one.

BIG BILLS BEFORE CONGRESS

War Legislation to Keep New Session a Busy One.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Continued stupendous appropriation bills and other war legislation will feature the session of congress which is to open Dec. 3, in the opinion of leaders here. In the wake of these right of way measures a host of others of domestic concern, such as prohibition and woman suffrage, will be pressed for consideration. Sentiment developed among representatives already here in favor of a declaration of war against Austria, Turkey and Bulgaria doubtless will be strengthened by the return of the party congressmen from a visit to the battlefronts. It is expected that the president may deal with the subject in his opening address to the joint session of congress.

JAPANESE SPURN HUN OFFER

Reject Kaiser's Offer to Desert Allies, Report.

Amsterdam, Nov. 27.—Germany has again attempted to detach Japan from the Allies and again has been refused, according to word reaching here. It was reported the Germans offered Chao to Japan and announced their willingness to discuss the future of occupied islands in the Pacific as the price of Japan's retirement from the war.

TO OPERATE ROADS IF POOLING PLAN FAILS

Washington, Nov. 27.—Government operation of railways if the pooling plan does not afford relief from the present situation was being considered here as the committee of vice presidents of the Eastern lines gathered to perfect general plans to put the pooling arrangements into effect.

Bread Up 55 Per Cent in 16 Months.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Bread prices advanced 55 per cent in the 16 months ended October 1, while the price of flour advanced 249 per cent above the July, 1916, price, according to charts presented by the baking industry to the food administration.

Bryan to Deny LaFollette Charge.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Senator Atlee Pomerene has postponed indefinitely the hearings on charges of disloyalty against Senator Robert N. La Follette. Illness of Senator T. J. Walsh, one of the committee, and absence of former Secretary of State W. J. Bryan from Washington made postponement of the session advisable, said Pomerene. Mr. Bryan is expected to refute the statement in La Follette's St. Paul speech that he as secretary of state, warned that the Lusitania carried munition

DISSENSION MAY DISRUPT REVOLT

Russian Soldiers Split With Bolsheviki on Order for Armistice.

CONFLICT MOST BITTER

Autocratic Methods of National Council in Ordering Truce Disputed by Deputies—Lenine as Peacemaker.

Petrograd, Nov. 27.—Abolition of all titles of nobility is announced by the Bolsheviki government. The same proclamation announced confiscation of all corporate property of nobles, merchants and burgesses.

Lenine's peace proposals appeared to have started a dangerous break in the structure of the Bolsheviki government.

Petrograd, Nov. 27.—The latest revolutionary movement in Russia is threatened with disruption by dissension in the ranks of the Bolsheviki over the autocratic methods of the council of national commissioners.

The conflict between the protesting members of the faction and the commissioners has become so bitter that the authority of the council to order soldiers to open peace negotiations is vigorously denied by opponents.

The issuance of decrees relating to an armistice without first consulting the central executive committee of the Workmen's and Soldiers' deputies, which is the highest governing body in Russia, precipitated the internecine trouble. Nicholai Lenine, the Bolsheviki premier, is seeking to palliate leaders of the wrangling factons.

Lenine Replies to Critics.

Lenine, replying to criticism directed against the order that soldiers open negotiations for a truce, which order one of the wounded soldiers termed a great blunder by the commissioners, explained that the order was issued for the purpose of combatting the counter revolutionary tactics of General Dukhonin and other high officers, thus making it impossible for them to prevent the opening of negotiations.

This, he said, was in keeping with the policy of the democratic government, that the masses themselves act, since the Bureaucrats, civil and military, were distrusted. He pointed out that the soldiers are not empowered to sign a treaty for an armistice, but only to negotiate it.

No Separate Peace Contemplated.

Lenine declared that Russia did not contemplate a separate peace with Germany, that the belief that an armistice on the Russian front would make it possible for Germrany to throw a large force on the French front was groundless, as the Russian government, before signing a treaty for an armistice would communicate with the Allies and make certain proposals to "the imperialistic governments of France and England, rejection of which would place them in open opposition to the wishes of their own peoples."

COMING TO UNITED STATES

Former Czar's Daughter Is On Way to This Country.

New York, Nov. 27.—Miss Tatiana Nicholaevna Romanoff, second daughter of Nicholas Romanoff, deposed emperor of Russia, has escaped from Siberia through a camouflage marriage to a son of a former chamberlain of the emperor, and is now on her way to the United States chaperoned by an English woman, according to informaton made public here by persons connected with the Russian civilian relief.

The former grand duchess, who is 20 years old, made her escape from Tobolsk, the present home of the exiled czar, to Harbin, Manchuria, and thence to Japan, where passage was taken on a steamship for the Pacific coast.

Miss Romanoff is coming to the United States to "work in any capacity for the Russian civilian relief," according to a statement issued here.

NO GUARD ON GOTHAM FRONT

Soldiers Not Placed to Watch Piers as Planned.

New York, Nov. 27.—New York's water front did not go under martial law as ordered from Washington by the Department of Justice. After an extended conference at Governor's island between army heads it was announced "no definite action" had been taken. All information as to when the regular army would take charge of the water front under instructions to "shoot to kill" was refused.

Private Found to Be General's Son.

San Francisco, Nov. 27.—The identity of Private Martin D. Sibert, Twelfth United States infantry, increased greatly in prestige following the disclosure here that he is a son of Major General William L. Sibert. Young Sibert, without knowledge of his family, enlisted at Manhattan, Kan., and was written down as on unassigned recruit service in the Philippines. When his paternity was discovered he was sent to the Twelfth infantry as a full fledged private. He is just old enough to qualify.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Mrs. John Harry of Fergus Falls has received a telegram that her brother, Arthur Bates, was killed in action on the battlefield in France.

The Aitkin-Crow Wing county sanatorium at Brainerd for treating tubercular patients will be completed in February at a cost of $40,000 and be occupied in the spring.

The mayor and chief of police of Lester Prairie and 10 other residents of that village have been indicted by the McLeod county grand jury on a charge of being members of a raiding party that assaulted owners of the Klatt hotel July 16.

A large delegation of Pipestone county automobile owners went to Omaha to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the King of Trails association. The route for the trail between Sioux City and Ortonville, Minn., will be decided.

As a result of alleged disloyalty utterances and publications 15 indictments have been returned against Faribault residents by a grand jury, and J. E. Palmer, assistant attorney general, has gone to aid James P. McMahon, county atorney, in the prosecutions before District Judge A. B. Childress.

F. S. Schwalen, a Triumph banker, arrested several weeks ago on a charge of interfering with the sale of Liberty bonds, appeared in court at Fairmont and was fined $100 by Judge E. C. Dean. When his case was called Schwalen appeared before the court wearing Liberty Loan and Red Cross buttons. He told the court he had subscribed to the Loan and Red Cross fund, and for that reason was given a light fine.

Effort to co-ordinate Minnesota organizations engaged in patriotic service will be made by representatives of the State Public Safety commission at a conference in St. Paul soon. Announcement of the proposed conference is made by C. W. Henke, publicity director of the commission, who said the undertaking is along lines laid down at a meeting in Chicago which was called by Arthur E. Bestor of Washington, whom President Wilson has placed in charge of national patriotic work.

The Rev. S. M. Kelly has been formally installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Red Lake Falls. Mr. Kelly went there from Stephen, Minn., where he had been pastor for two years.

Four hundred delegates attended the annual convention of the Minnesota Union, American Society of Equity, which was held in St. Paul. The real business of the session were the discussion of market problems, and plans for extending the organization.

St. Paul's mild epidemic of smallpox assumed serious proportions when 10 new cases were discovered. Officials of the health department, who have supervised the vaccination of approximately 1,500 persons since the present epidemic started a month ago, assert that it will be necessary to vaccinate at least 2,000 more to halt its spread.

E. B. Ford, Mrs. Elizabeth Ford and Edward Bosky, indicted on a charge of disloyalty in connection with the publication of the Faribault Referendum, entered pleas of not guilty before Judge A. B. Childress. The charges of disloyalty are the outgrowth of certain items published in the newspaper of which the defendants are owners and editors.

All the patriotic organizations of Minnesota will be represented at the annual convention of the National Security league, to be held February 21, 22 and 23 in Chicago. The meeting this year will be in the nature of a national war time council, which will call in for consultation the Red Cross, state safety commissions, civilian relief societies and all the other organizations brought about by war exigencies.

Two recent announcements from Washington marked progress in preparing for future operation of the selective draft in Minnesota. One stated that December 1 had been set as the date on which all local boards should begin preparations for putting into effect the new classification system for drafted men. The other stated that Dr. William J. Mayo had been named chief of the medical advisory organization for the state.

A new industry has been born in Minnesota—the production of sheep on the long unproductive cutover lands of the northern counties. This was the word brought back by Prof. W. A. McMorrow of the State Agricultural school and D. E. Willard, development agent for the Northern Pacific railway. They attended a series of meetings arranged by the newly organized Minnesota Sheep Growers' association and reported the farmers enthusiastic over the project to put a "flock of sheep on every farm."

Thomas McLaughlin, Jr., who was assaulted and robbed of a sum of money in the vicinity of South Hastings, and who was taken to the Latts hospital for treatment owing to his critical condition, is reported as improving. His assailant as yet has not been arrested.

The importance of more pure bred cattle in Minnesoa to prepare for the enormous European demand, which is sure to follow at the close of the war, was emphasized at the annual banquet of the Minnesota Aberdeen Angus Breeders' association in St. Paul.

STATE TO SELL IRON ORE UNDER LAKE BED

OFFICIALS OPEN NEGOTIATIONS TO DISPOSE OF RICH DEPOSITS NEAR AURORA.

WANT ONLY ENGLISH TAUGHT

State Safety Board Urges Exclusive Use in That Language in Public and Private Schools of State.

St. Paul.

Negotiations for the iron ore under Syracuse lake, near Aurora, estimated at 3,000,000 tons, which will bring the state $1,500,000 in royalties, have been opened by Fred B. Snyder of Minneapolis, representing a mining company, with Governor Burnquist, State Auditor Preus and Attorney General Smith, as representatives of the state.

The offer to purchase the ore under Lake Syracuse is the first made under the new law providing machinery for the sale of such ore, the title to which is held to be in the state. The law fixes a minimum royalty of 50 cents against the 25-cent minimum that obtains in most iron mine contracts now affecting state property.

The state officials agreed that F. A. Wildes of the state mining department will make an immediate investigation and report. Arrangements for a sale by competitive bidding will be perfected at another meeting.

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Want Only English Taught.

The exclusive use of the English language in all public and private schools in Minnesota is urged as a patriotic duty of school officials in a resolution adopted by the Minnesota Public Safety commission and made public by Commissioner C. W. Ames, to whom it was referred for revision. Foreign languages are to be prohibited except as a medium for the study of those languages themselves or for religious instruction.

The Public Safety commission took up the subject first on a complaint that a private school in Dodge county was giving instruction in German exclusively. C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education, was requested to investigate, and the resolution is the result of recommendations by Commissioner Ames based on findings in the survey. The commission previously inquired into the suitability of various German text books used in Minnesota schools, with the result that a large number were reported undesirable.

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Board Clashes With Rhinow.

A clash between state draft officials and District Board No. 3, St. Paul, over exemptions for about 250 men in the new Second Minnesota Field artillery regiment and steps toward the removal of the Ramsey county local board, White Bear, have been made public at the office of Adjutant General Rhinow at the Capitol.

Inclined to believe that enlistment in the Second artillery should entitle a man to draft exemption, especially after the new regiment was granted Federal recognition, state draft officials appealed to authorities at Washington for a reversal of ruling to the contrary.

A telegram from Provost Marshal General Crowder was interpreted to authorize such exemption for the present, but the St. Paul district board rejected the construction placed on the message.

Major W. A. Curtis, chief draft aide to General Rhinow, then announced that local boards would be requested to reopen each of the 250 cases hinging on the question, to remove jurisdiction from the district board.

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State Hygiene Board Named.

The Minnesota Public Safety commission, meeting behind closed doors at the Capitol, approved the formation of the Minnesota Social Hygiene commission and Governor Burnquist later appointed 52 members of the organization. The commission is to assist in the control of venereal diseases and in the better enforcement of laws governing social conditions in the state; to promote the education of the people in social hygiene and to afford protection and employment to the socially unfortunate.

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Koch Must Remain.

Hugo V. Koch, St. Paul, will not be permitted to resign from the Eleventh division draft board, even to take up other Federal work connected with the prosecution of the war.

The announcement was made by Major Curtis, chief draft aide to Adjutant General Rhinow. Major Curtis notified Mr. Koch that local board members are under Federal draft and his services cannot be dispensed with at this time.

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To Push Brewers' Suit.

With the final warning having been given, the attorney general will proceed to institute suit against all breweries where action is justified in the face of evidence of violation of the state laws, it was asserted at the Capitol. The seriousness of the safety commission's attitude was emphasized by Ambrose Tighe, commission counsel, who asserted a concerted effort will be made to see if illegal sales may be stopped without resorting to prohibition. Evidence already is at hand, he said.

BRITISH NEARER ENEMY KEY CITY

Further Gains Around Cambrai And Capture Of 100 Guns Reported

LATIN POSTS RETAKEN

Monte Pertica Lost and Won Four Times—Blood Dyes Snow Red—Ground Covered With Dead—Foe Rulers Confer.

Rome, Nov. 26.—Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany, Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary, Czar Ferdinand of Bulgaria and Enver Pasha of Turkey are reported in conference on the Italian front in Swiss dispatches received here. A new Central Powers agreement, particplarly as to Germany and Austria's division of the spoils of war, was understood to be behind the meeting.

Powerful thrusts which were carried out by the Austro-Germans after heavy artillery preparation on the Italian mountain front from the Asiago plateau to the Brenta river, all failed, the Italian war office announces.

Haig Reports Further Gains.

London, Nov. 26.—Further gains around Cambrai are reported by Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig. He announced "successful operations" in the drive toward the city around Bourlon wood, where, after severe fighting, important "dominating ground" was carried by his troops.

"Between Moeuvres and Queant an important spur forming an observation point over the Hindenburg line north and west was captured," Haig continued.

"In the neighborhood of Bullecourt further ground was captured during the night.

Kaiser Loses Big Guns.

"East of Bourlon wood," the statement continued," and in the neighborhood of Fontaine Notre Dame, some progress was made astride the capal Du Nord. In the neighborhood of Moeuvres further progress was achieved."

More than 100 German guns have been captured, Haig reported. This number, he said, included some heavy fieldpieces up to 8 inch.

Crown Prince Bupprecht put forth every ounce of his army's strength to stem the British advance and save Cambral.

Cambral Bristles With Guns.

The German depot city is full of German troops. Aviators reported its suburbs bristling with massed field guns. Hurried defenses are being thrown up in every direction. Germany does not propose to surrender it without the most desperate resistance.

Nevertheless the city's use as a rail center is finished. It has been evacuated of its stores. Its railroads are now being crammed with reinforcements taken from among exhausted German divisions who had been sent back of the lines in rest billets.

Snow Dyed Red With Blood.

Italian Headquarters in Northern Italy, Nov. 25.—(By the Associated Press).—The battle of the mountains is raging with unexampled violence. The Italians again hold the Monte Tomba and Monte Pertica positions, which they lost Thursday night. The losses have been very great, but the enemy's far exceed those of the Italians.

The recapture of the Italian positions on Monte Tomba was accomplished by a succession of brilliant charges which dyed the snows red and left the ground piled with enemy dead. Monte Pertica was lost and won four times, the enemy finally being thrown back.

RUSSIANS WOULD SERVE U. S.

Embassy Officials Make Offer—Decline to Recognize Bolsheviki.

Washington, Nov 26.—Ambassador Boris Bahkmetiev of Russia has formally notified the state department that the embassy does not recognize the authority of the extremists now in control of the foreign office at Petrograd.

Three of the chief officers of the Russian embassy here have resigned to avoid having further relations with the Bolsheviki leaders now controlling the Petrograd foreign office. They are C. Onou, counsellor; John Sookine, first secretary, and F. de Mohrenschildt, second secretary.

Mr. de Mohrenschildt married Miss Nona Hazelhurst McAdoo, daughter of the secretary of the treasury last May.

Soakine and de Mohrenschildt have offered their services to the American government for the war against Germany.

Chauncey Sailor Home for Visit.

Crookston, Minn., Nov. 26.—G. Foreman of Euclid, a sailor in the service of Uncle Sam, probably owes his life to the fact that a furlough was granted him so that he could visit his parents. He was attached to the U S torpedo boat destroyer Chauncey which was recently lost in collision with a transport in foreign waters The commander of the vessel and 20 of his men were drowned as they slept. Foreman has been in the navy several years and has recently been in Naples, Italy and Marseilles.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

When eggs grow cheap, we'll surely
make a cake
Some happy afternoon, for early tea,
And what a joyful thrill 'twill give to
know
That we may use two eggs, or even
three!

How odd 'twill seem to bring to light
once more
The dear old cake tin with its fluting deep,
And butter it—Ah! what a stirring
time,
When eggs grow cheap!
—Harriet Whitney Symonds.

TASTY EATS.

Here is a tomato salad that is different. Scald a half dozen of small, even-sized tomatoes, peel them and cut in quarters to within an inch of the stem and chill them well. Beat a cupful of heavy sour cream until stiff, add a half cupful of powdered sugar, a fourth of a cupful of vinegar, a half teaspoonful of salt, a dash of cayenne and a half cupful of grated horseradish. The mixture should be quite stiff. Place the tomatoes on nests of lettuce, fill with the dressing and garnish with parsley sprigs.

Potato Dumplings.—Sift together 1½ cupfuls of flour with four teaspoonfuls of baking powder with a half teaspoonful of salt, add three teaspoonfuls of butter to the mixture, rubbing it into the flour, then three-fourths of a cupful of milk, half a cupful of riced potato, and one egg beaten light. Turn upon a floured board and knead slightly; roll into a sheet and cut in rounds. Set close together in a buttered steamer and cook 15 minutes without opening the steamer.

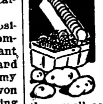
Crumb Bread.—Crumbs that are dried, ground through the meat chopper and not kept long will make a bread that is both wholesome and digestible. Take four cupfuls of hot water, and when lukewarm add a yeast-cake that has been softened in one cupful of the water, three cupfuls of bread crumbs, two cupfuls of graham flour, and enough white flour to make a very stiff dough, add two teaspoonfuls of salt, and two tablespoonfuls of shortening. Let rise, work down, then place at once in the tins; let rise again and bake. This makes four loaves. For a small family half the recipe will suffice. Buttered crumbs in a generous layer over chopped apple spiced and sweetened, then baked, makes a most wholesome pudding, named Brown Betty.

The rinds from bacon should be saved to try out for fat or used to grease the griddle. The liquor in which ham is boiled should never be wasted. Cabbage or a boiled dinner may be cooked in the broth, seasoning all the vegetables.

A woman should always keep her trouble to herself or at least until she meets somebody who is looking for it.

Fun gives you a forcible hug and shakes laughter out of you whether you will or not.

THE GOOD OLD POTATO



We are now enjoying the fine potatoes that are once more plentiful and cheap. Potatoes are at their best when simply prepared, such as baked or boiled. A generous supply of potatoes will lessen the bread consumption and thus help in the saving of wheat. When baking potatoes scrub them well and grease them lightly, the skin will be softened and there will be very little waste. Baked potatoes should be served just as soon as they are done, to be in prime condition. If it is necessary to wait for a late comer, break open the potato and let out the steam, then return to the oven If the late comer is very late, put a slice from the top of the potato and scrape out the inside, season with butter, onion juice, celery salt and pepper, with a little hot milk or cream, beat well and return to the shell; place in the oven to brown.

Hashed Brown Potatoes.—Cut two cupfuls of cold boiled potatoes into small pieces, season with salt and pepper, cook three minutes in one-third of a cupful of bacon drippings, stirring constantly. Let stand a few seconds to brown underneath, then fold like an omelet.

Potato Soup.—Boil three medium-sized potatoes and when soft rub through a sieve Scald a small sliced onion in a quart of skim milk with a stalk of celery cut up fine. Take out the vegetables and pour the milk slowly on the potatoes. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter or other fat, mix with two tablespoonfuls of flour, and when well blended add to the soup. Season with salt and pepper, let boil up, strain, add two more tablespoonfuls of fat and sprinkle with parsley to serve.

The number of vegetables eaten, the amount of cereal to cook and the amount of meat to serve are all things for every thinking woman to put time upon these days. An onion saved, a potato left over, a spoonful of squash may be put into a warmed-over dish, but many families rebel at leftovers.

The health and morals of a people depend mainly upon the food they eat, and the homes they live in.—Ellen Richards.

VARIETY THE SPICE OF LIFE.

Bread and butter with potatoes will stand the everyday test, but the most delicious dish in the world will lose its charm by being served too often. Lack of variety in the diet is often due to sheer laziness. A mental laziness may be just as serious a failing as a moral and physical laziness. Many a housewife who is the soul of industry, does not exercise her brains in planning for her table. A notebook and pencil used with thought once a week will plan the meals for the family in a half hour. If one is too busy, or too tired to add variety to the table of what advantage is it to think of what might be? The man of the house loses all interest in food, the children lose their appetites in the household where the rut traveled is growing deeper and deeper. Don't bore the family or members of the family with questions as to what they would like, for the thinking housewife will find out without seeming to inquire. To many it spoils a meal to know beforehand what they are going to have. Never, as you value your reputation as an intelligent housekeeper, never let your family say "this is rice-pudding day, or codfish gravy day at our house." To be successful the cook must keep her troubles to herself, as perplexities in the home are best not shared.

Variety in our diet is as important as it is in other things, and the dish that comes as a surprise is always more enjoyed.

We need to remember Turner's famous reply to a man who inquired how he mixed his colors: "With brains, sir," and nowhere can brains be put to so good a use as in the preparation of food for the family.

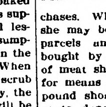
Chocolate Pudding.—Take one pint of hot milk, one cupful of bread crumbs, and three tablespoonfuls of chocolate, bake for 25 minutes. Sauce—Beat one egg and one cupful of sugar together, add three tablespoonfuls of boiling water and a tablespoonful of butter. Stir and serve immediately.

Excellent Frosting.—Four tablespoonfuls of milk, one cupful of sugar boiled together until it spins a thread. Beat until thick, flavor or add melted chocolate if desired.

No form of service is drudgery, if the one who serves is free. All forms of service, mental, or physical, are drudgery if the one who serves is in a "state of bondage."

If all the world were playing holiday, to sport would be as tedious as to work.—Shakespeare.

ECONOMY IN SMALL THINGS.



We have all heard that "little leaks sink a great ship," and we know that there are countless little leaks going on in our households for which we are directly responsible. The woman who does her own marketing in person saves many a dime in her purchases. When the goods are delivered she may be present to check up the parcels and weigh those that are bought by weight. Today an ounce of meat short of what you have paid for means a loss and a quarter of a pound short amounts to five or ten cents, depending on the price of the meat bought. This shortage may not mean anything but carelessness on the part of the butcher, but when he knows that his goods will come back if not just as ordered it will make a difference in the care taken in filling the order. The woman who says "never mind, it is too small to mention" will find that five cents a day will amount to a dollar in less than a month and over $12 in the course of a year. The maids in our homes must be taught to be less wasteful, to be more careful in preparing food in right amounts so there will be none or very little left over to make a problem of disposal.

The wood and coal bill, as well as the gas and electricity, may all be lessened by proper thought. The roaring fire when none is necessary; just shut the dampers of the stove when not in use. When making pudding, if there are pieces enough, which is easy to plan for, knowing the family appetite, there is no waste.

In using soap, if the cake is left in the water it is softened and wasted; more is used than needed Many workers will make half a cake of soap go as far and do as good work as others who use a whole cake. Soap pieces may be saved, melted and used in the boiler or bits may be saved for the soap shaker in dish washing. Illumination bills may be greatly lessened by turning off the light if absent from the room but five minutes. Habits of thrift are best begun in childhood, but thought will do much to overcome wasteful practices.

Nellie Maxwell

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The Laziest Man.

Senator Vardaman and Senator Reed were trying to think of the laziest men in their respective voting precincts. Senator Reed indicated his version of the laziest man, but he agreed that Senator Vardaman's man was lazier.

"Yes," said the Mississippi solon, "a prospective customer entered a shop and found the proprietor at one corner.

"'Gimme a quarter-peck apples,' was the request.

"'I can't get up to wait on you today,' the proprietor replied. 'Come in some time when I'm standing up.'"

Japan Is Cautious.

To prevent intrigues by enemy subjects and for the general protection of foreigners, special police will be appointed in the leading cities of Japan, including Tokyo, Yokohama, Osaka and Nagasaki.

Strive to be the cream of your profession, remembering that cream always rises to the top.

If you are determined to live and die a slave to custom, see that it is at least a good one.

THE NEW METHOD

(By L. W. Bower, M. D.)

Backache of any kind is often caused by kidney disorder, which means that the kidneys are not working properly. Poisonous matter and uric acid accumulate within the body in great abundance, overworking the sick kidneys; hence the congestion of blood causes backache in the same manner as a similar congestion in the head causes headache. You become nervous, despondent, sick, feverish, irritable, have spots appearing before the eyes, bags under the lids, and lack ambition to do things.

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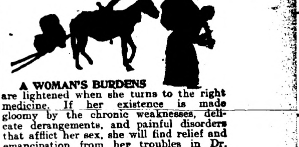

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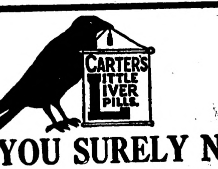

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She was a well-known but undoubtedly jealous actress, and she was confiding to her friend the details of her latest quarrel with a younger rival, who had not been slow in answering back She wound up. "You can't imagine how impertinent she was! I assure you it was as much as I could do to keep my temper If I hadn't been a perfect lady I'd have slapped her face."

There was an impressive pause. Then she added, "I slapped her face all the same."

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Recollections

You can remember the time when the proprietor of the shoe store would have to ask you to wait while he visited the neighbor dealers on a search for change if you handed him a twenty dollar bill. Now if you hand him a yellow back if you get car fare out of it you're lucky.—Exchange.

Not by an Old Hand

Mrs. Exe: It isn't right to charge Willie with taking that money out of your pocket. Why don't you accuse me?

Exe: Because it wasn't all taken.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Betting on His Temperature

The junior partner of the Wall street firm was indisposed and the senior partner was calling him up every two or three minutes.

"Why do you telephone Bob so often?" inquired a friend. "Is he seriously ill?"

"Oh, no," was the reply, "but his temperature fluctuates considerably and some of our customers are speculating on the fluctuations."

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"George!" she exclaimed in amazement, as she turned her head to smile.

"It was all the bee's fault," stammered George, blushing all over his countenance. "I hope you're not angry."

"Not at all," she remarked with a twinkle in her eye. "I'm sorry there wasn't a hive full!"

If you can't lose without carrying a grudge don't compete.

CHILDREN'S COUGHS

may be checked, and more serious conditions of the throat will be often avoided by promptly giving the child a dose of

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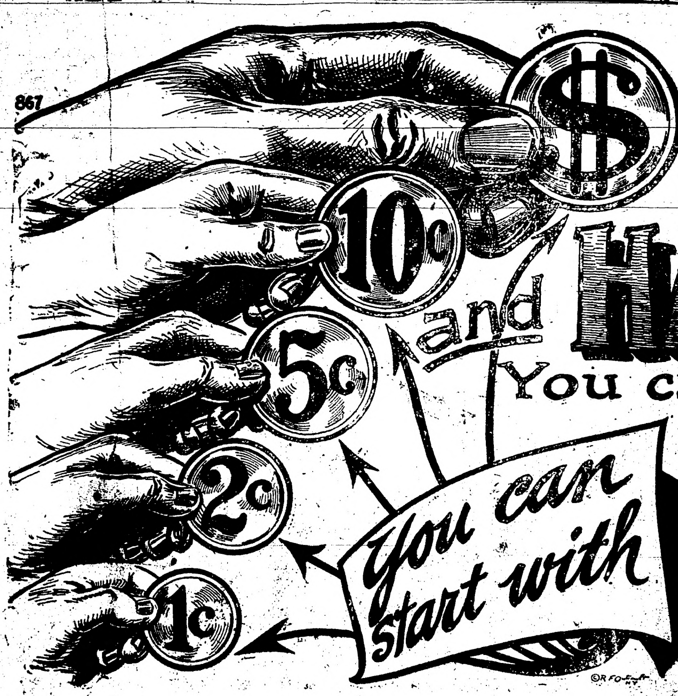

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Fridjof Riesberg came home from Sedan, Monday for a few days visit.

Chas. Skoglund returned Tuesday from a hunting trip to the northern woods.

Steps have been taken to get an ice skating rink ready for those who enjoy the sport.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 2 and 8:00 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

P. L. Anderson went to Hibbing and other points on the iron range Wednesday to see if a nearby market can be found for the creamery butter.

As Tuesdays are now meatless days A. Bennes has overcome that by getting in fresh oysters every Tues-[illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heinze and two children went to Rock Lake N. D. Friday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Frank McKinley.

Peter and Josephine Bjerken and Fred Will returned Monday to their home in Mahnomen, after a few days pleasant visit with Ole Reierson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim entertained B. Docken and family, A. L. Carlson and family, C. L. Sanberg and family, B. J. Bakke and family Thanksgiving Day.

Joe Nelson returned home Thursday night of last week from Nielsville where he had left his auto for repairs. He had gotten as far as Red Lake Falls, when the auto broke down again, so he traded for another which he says is a dandy.

The date for the next number of the Holt Lyceum Course has been changed to Dec. 28th, on account of the sickness of the lecturer, Dr. Barker. Dr. David W Fletcher has been selected to fill the former's appointment of Dr. Barker, and as he is highly recommended his audience is sure to be pleased. Be sure to see the business men and get a ticket.

The local Red Cross Chapter has sent Christmas boxes to the following young men who are in the service: Peter Kolden, S. S. Norlina Baltimore, Md., Bently Nelson, Camp Green, N. C., Willie Heel, Ft. Crook, Neb., and Ernest Kuehne, Camp Cody, N. Mex. As they could not find out the address of Leonard Jefferson, they were unable to send him a box.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,
Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
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Free Mission Church

Services next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

Red Cross Announcement.

H. L. Wood, Chairman of Marshall County, for the Big Christmas Drive for Red Cross members, will be here this (Friday) afternoon at 2 o'clock and will hold a meeting in the Woodman Hall. Mr. Wood will have a good speaker with him.

Curiosity Sale

A Curiosity sale will be given in Ringbo school Dis. 58, Saturday Dec. 8th. Ladies please bring cups, lunch for two and some curiosity to sell. The proceeds will go to help the Red Cross.

Mabel Knutson, Teacher.

Sunnyside

Mrs. Hans Knutson went to St. Hiliare Monday.

Gladys Sorum returned home from Hillsboro N. Dak. Saturday. She was accompanied by her sister Mrs. G. Gilberson and two children.

The Davidson Bros., have been drilling a well for Mrs. Frank Carlson.

A number of friends pleasantly surprised Matilda Furr at her homestead Saturday. All had a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sorum entertained the following to Thanksgiving dinner: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson and baby, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wegge and Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. V. Price.

Mrs. August Kuehne went to T. R. Falls Wednesday of last week for a few days visit with her daughter.

C. L. Sandberg was a business caller in T. R. Falls Wednesday.

Engebret Moe returned Sunday evening from a trip to Rainy River.

Mrs. Jackson of New Solum visited at the Rux home a few days last week.

Miss Olga Saastad came home from Grand Forks last week for an extended visit.

The Zion Ladies Aid of East Valley will meet at Mrs. Fred Peterson Dec. 12 th. at 2 P. M. All Welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Kulseth and Rudoph Rux went to Viking Sunday where the men have work hauling gravel for Mr. Tripp.

Our Red Cross Chairman has appointed Albert Bennes a member of the Civilian Releif Commission which is to look after the welfare of the families of the drafted men.

Ben Nyberg, Albert Bjerk, Dehard Johnson and Clarence Swan are at the naval training school at Great Lakes near Chicago, and we understand they like it there.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Michelson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bjerk and family Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson and family, Miss Malberg, Mrs. S. Johnson, Mr. Olaf Iverson, Guy Anderson, and A. Hanson, were pleasantly entertained at the C. L. Heinze home Thanksgiving Day.

Notice

There is a good chance for more rural routes out from Holt. Several should go to T. R. Falls or Warren Jan 11th and take the rural carriers examination. Applications must be sent to the Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C.; several days before Jan. 11, the date of the examinations. Blanks are furnished by the Commission direct or from the places of examination. It's easy.

Golden Valley Sunbeams.

Oscar Odie left last week Tuesday for Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson and family were entertained at the Carl Dahl home Thanksgiving.

Martin Nelson returned home from hunting Sunday.

The following were pleasantly entertained at the Dahl home Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Dahl and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dahl, Mrs. Bergum and son Cleve, Elmer and Conrod Friedberg and Alice Sorum.

The Misses Amelia and Mary Nelson returned home from Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe visited at Clarence Larson's Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

For Sale.

Set of Bank Fixtures for sale at a very reasonable price. We have moved into our new bank building and desire to dispose of the old fixtures at once. Will sell cheap.

Holt State Bank.

Stiener News.

The Saugen girls spent their Thanksgiving vacation at home.

Miss Amy Whitman returned to her school near Warren, on Monday.

Alfred Hasby was on our streets Thursday of last week.

Willie Meyer's was a caller at Harvey Copp's home on Sunday.

Omer Warring was on our streets Sunday afternoon.

The young people of this community had a skating party at the Muzzy home Saturday night. A good time was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Borden enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at the Rogers home.

Rev. Parish conducted services in the Steiner school, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Amy Whitman enjoyed her Thanksgiving vacation at her parents home.

The Misses Sarah and Agusta Swanson visited at their home over Thanksgiving.

Relinquishment for sale at the Holt State Bank.

Red Cross! Red Cross!

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Starts Monday morning Dec. 10th

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In Marshall County

Notice!

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If want books for a library or agricultural club, debates, or any special purpose, write to the Minnesota Public Library Commission, St. Paul.

Otto Larson returned to Dakota Monday.

Red Cross meeting at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

T. B. Folden was in Warren last week on official business.

P. T. Anderson spent Thanksgiving with his parents at St. Hilaire.

Miss Esther Rierson went to Mahnomen Monday for a few days visit with friends.

If you wish to save money the coming year, join one of the Xmas. clubs at the Holt State Bank.

Mrs. H. Pavek and baby of Gardena N. D. came Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg.

Misses Nellie Saastad and Inez Alkenbrack spent the Thanksgiving vacation here with their parents.

The city of Warren has raised over $1000.00 for the Y. M. C. A. army work and Alvarado has raised $150.00

Nels Homness who resided near Middle River was accidentally shot last week Wednesday by a hunter who mistook him for a deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gubrud, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Misses Martha Peterson, Helen Johnson, Beatha Nelson, P. L. Anderson, and Clarence Docken were entertained at supper Sunday evening by Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken.

Wheatless and meatless days must be observed, if we win the war.

The U. S. Navy wants 80,000 more men to enlist for the period of the war, only.

FOUND: A sum of money, also a pocket knife. Please prove property and pay for this notice, at the printing office.

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To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof and file such claim, with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn.
September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

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Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.03
Oats	65
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Rye	1.65
Flour, Best Patent	5.70

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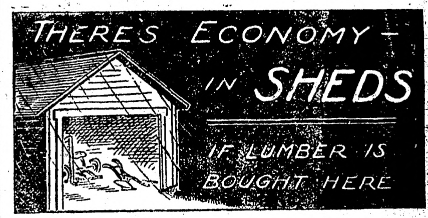

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ARRANGED FOR BUSY PEOPLE

Notes Covering Most Important Happenings of the World Compiled in Briefest and Most Succinct Form for Quick Consumption.

U. S.—Teutonic War News

National Guardsmen from every state in the Union have arrived in France, it is now permitted to be announced. They are among the troops now training or lately arrived. While it is not permitted to disclose the identity of units, it may be said that all of those which sailed from the United States have arrived safely and that some already are in training within sound of the guns on the battle front.

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Lieut. Patrick O'Brien, the twenty-seven-year-old flyer from Momence, Ill., attached to the British flying corps, who escaped from Germany after being captured on the western front by the Germans two months ago, arrived in London after escaping from a German prison camp.

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Two American soldiers were killed and five were severely wounded in an artillery combat with the Germans on November 20, General Pershing reported to Washington. Those killed were: Private Harry L. Miller, Baker, Ore.; Private Charles Rissmiller, Reading, Pa.

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The council of national defense at a conference held in Washington announced the formation of the American war council. The war council will supervise all the war and allied industries, exercising priority authority.

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The French war cross has been conferred on the 15 American officers and men who were cited with their company by the French general commanding the sector in which the Americans were stationed at the time of the first German raid on the night of November 2-3. The men were decorated and were informed that they must keep the medals in their possession, but must not wear them until congress gives its authorization. The ceremony was an impressive one.

Washington

The council of national defense at Washington adopted a special labor policy for the period of the war. It authorized an investigation under the direction of L. C. Marshall of the general problems affecting labor and its relation to all lines of war industry.

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Federal agents, the entire postal machinery of the nation and police of all cities are drafted into the pursuit of the men who attempt to evade the conscription law in regulations made public at Washington by Provost Marshal Crowder and approved by the president.

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President Wilson, by proclamation issued at Washington, gave the United States another stranglehold on the commerce of the world. He makes the import of a long list of commodities subject to license by the war trade board.

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First licenses for the use of German patents were issued by the federal trade commission at Washington to three chemical manufacturers in New York and Philadelphia for the production of salvarsan, specific for blood poison.

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Upon the recommendation of the food administration at Washington, President Wilson has taken steps to reduce the amount of grain used in the brewing of beer. Henceforth the alcoholic content will be limited to a maximum of 3 per cent instead of about 4 per cent, as at present. The same volume of beer may be brewed.

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Domestic

A south interurban limited struck an automobile at Willoughby crossing, near Lansing, Mich., killing all three of the occupants of the machine. The dead: Grace Clements, twenty years old; George Edison Clements, eleven years old; Lyle Hermon, twenty-three. All lived in Lansing.

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Two hundred and forty cases of mumps and 80 cases of measles prevail among the 30,000 soldiers at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

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Eighteen men lost their lives by a gas explosion in coal mine No. 11 of the Old Ben Mining corporation, near Christopher, Ill.

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Thanksgiving day found America's horn of plenty with new high record fullness. Responding faithfully to President Wilson's appeal and the needs of a war-torn world American farmers produced a gross total of $21,000,000,000 worth of farm products, equaling in value the nation's total expenditure in one year of war.

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The special operating committee of the Eastern roads announced at Pittsburgh embargoes calculated to devote the entire facilities of the lines to handling traffic essential to the war.

Mrs. Helen Studebaker Henderson, daughter of the late Jacob F. Studebaker, one of the founders of the Studebaker corporation and wife of Lucius Henderson, a wealthy resident of New Rochelle, N. Y., was instantly killed in an automobile accident near Rochelle. Mr. Henderson was slightly bruised.

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More than 100 Italians, most of them miners and shipyard employees, said to belong to the Circolo Studi Sociali, an alleged anarchistic society, were arrested in Seattle, Portland, Spokane, Tacoma and other Northwestern cities by federal agents in raids. According to federal agents, the Italians plotted to help Germany win the way by fomenting a rebellion in Italy to overthrow King Victor Emmanuel.

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Foreign

The government of Nikolai Lenine has fallen, according to a Petrograd dispatch to the London Daily Chronicle. It has been succeeded by a coalition cabinet of advanced socialists, in which, however, the bolsheviki are represented.

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Defeated Mexican federal troops from Ojinaga vindicated themselves when they repulsed and drove off the Villa attacking force near Laguna, inflicting severe losses on the Villa followers, it was officially announced at Juarez, Mex.

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Doctor Westman, undersecretary for foreign affairs of Sweden, resigned. Westman is alleged to have handled the Luxburg and Stockholm messages for Germany.

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Dispatches from Copenhagen say that behind the meeting of the Scandinavian monarchs and ministers at Christiania this week lies the fear, unfounded though it may be, of Norway's entry into the war and of the German menace that, in this case, she should feel called upon to occupy Denmark as a counter-measure.

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The Victoria Cross has been awarded Corporal Filip Konowal, a Russian, who enlisted with the Canadian forces at Ottawa. Single-handed, he killed ten Germans in a cellar. Later he captured a machine gun, killing the crew and bringing the gun back to his own lines.

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European War News

An authorized report concerning the unionist meeting at London says it was attended by 1,500 representatives of unionist bodies throughout the country, and that resolutions were unanimously carried deploring the publication of the letter of the marquis of Lansdowne. Declaring firm adherence to the war aims of the allies, as defined by the premier, Mr. Bonar Law and Mr. Asquith, it was decided that the resolutions should be wired to the premier and Mr. Balfour at Paris.

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Field Marshal Haig reported to London the Germans had attempted a great general offensive in the Cambrai district. Between Bourlon wood and Moeuvres the British line was driven to the vicinity of the Cambrai-Bapaume road, approximately two miles. On the south the Germans reached La Vacquerie and Couzeaucourt, but the British recovered both villages, and also a ridge.

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November's casualties among the British army forces were greater by far than those of any recent months, according to compilations from published casualty lists in London. During the month Britain lost 120,579 officers and men in killed, wounded and missing.

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It is reported at London that the Paris inter-allied conference has reached an important decision regarding the 1,500,000 Austro-German war prisoners held by Russia and there is reason for a more cheerful view concerning this grave question.

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Near Zenson, Italy, dispatches to Washington say, the Austro-German invaders placed Italian women and children before their troops as they advanced and the Italian soldiers were compelled to sacrifice their innocent countrymen.

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The question of the war policy of the allies was brought to the front in a most unexpected quarter by the publication of a long letter in the London Daily Telegram from the marquis of Lansdowne. He pleads for a revision of the allies' war aims and an attempt to secure peace before "the prolongation of the war leads to the ruin of the civilized world."

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A Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company at London says that the Swedish legation at Petrograd has agreed, at Trotzky's request, to act as mediator between Russia and Germany, and has already sent to the Berlin foreign office a note proffering a truce and peace negotiations.

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Count George E. von Hertling, the new imperial German chancellor, told the reichstag at Berlin that he was ready to enter into peace negotiations as soon as the Russian government would send representatives having full powers to Berlin.

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A German torpedo-boat destroyer belonging to the Zeebrugge flotilla struck a mine off Westkappelle, Holland, and sunk, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch to London from Amsterdam. Only two of her crew were saved.

LONG CONGRESS SESSION OPENS

Treasury Department Calls For War Appropriation of $13,504,357,939.

ADDRESS IS AWAITED

President Expected to Urge Congress to Concentrate on War Measures—Leaders To Follow Wishes of Executive.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Both House and Senate of America's win-the-war Congress convened on the stroke of noon Monday with the first call upon it for appropriations totaling $13,504,357,939.

This sum—an average expenditure of $37,000,000 a day for the next year—is Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo's estimate of war and necessary internal expenses during the next 12 months.

To Address Joint Session.

In addition to appropriations of billions of dollars, measures to put the full force of the United States beside its Allies will be the principal business of the session. The first day's business was largely perfunctory with official notification to the President that Congress is in session and waiting to hear his opening address. The President will speak today at 12:30 p. m. in the hall of the House before a joint session.

Leaders To Back Wilson.

President Wilson in his address, it is understood, will urge Congress to confine its work strictly to measures for the successful and speedy prosecution of the war. There is a general disposition among the leaders on both sides to depend upon him to take the lead in proposing the war measures and to give him all the nonpartisan support possible.

While the question of declaring war upon Austria, Turkey and Bulgaria Germany's Allies, is being agitated in Congress, there is a general disposition to follow the wishes of the executive branch of the government which is understood to oppose any change in policy at this time.

Prayers For Victory Offered.

Prayers for victory were offered in opening of both houses.

In his prayer opening the Senate session, Rev. Forest J. Prettyman, Senate chaplain, said:

"We face the mightiest task ever confronting any generation.

"We thank Thee that we have taken our place on Thy side, in behalf of the brotherhood of nations and peace throughout the world."

Speaker Clarke's gavel fell on the dot of noon with a large representation of the House present. His appearance on the rostrum was greeted with spontaneous applause, the members rising and cheering.

Senate Attendance Large.

In his opening prayer, the House chaplain asked that "in this, the darkest hour of human history, help us, a people, to appreciate the gravity of the situation and unite us in bonds of patriotism that we may throw all our moral, intellectual and physical force into the conflict with grim determination to win or perish."

For the first time in two sessions Senator Nathon Goff, West Virginia, answered roll call. Illness prevented his attendance at the special session.

Attendance in the Senate was unexpectedly large. Sixty-seven of the 96 senators answered roll call.

Husting To Be Honored.

Senator La Follette arose immediately after the formal organization of the Senate formally to announce to the Senate the death of his colleague, Senator Paul O. Husting of Wisconsin, who was accidentally shot while hunting.

"This is not the time to pay adequate honor to the memory of Senator Husting," said La Follette. "At a later time I shall ask that a day be set aside to pay honor to him."

The Senate at once adopted a resolution of "profound regret" over Senator Husting's death, and as a further mark of respect adjourned at 12:14 until Tuesday.

To Offer Bone Dry Bill.

Bone dry prohibition throughout the United States for the duration of the war as a food conservation measure is proposed in a bill Representative Randall, California, has ready for introduction.

Five thousand dollars' fine, or two years in prison would be the penalty for the selling, making, transporting, importing or use of any food, fruit or feed in the production of alcoholic beverages, except for medicinal, governmental, industrial or scientific purposes.

Prices Deprive Babies of Milk.

Washington, Dec. 4.—According to a statement made public by the federal children's bureau war prices are depriving babies of milk. Dr. Grace L. Meigs, director of the bureau's child hygiene division, said that milk is the one food that all young children must have if they are to be strong and healthy. Since the price of milk went up to 14 cents a quart in New York city, tea and coffee have been substituted for milk by more than half of the 2,200 families—including [illegible] study.

GERMANS FAIL TO STOP BRITISH

Complete Failure Is Result of the Crown Prince's Effort to Nullify Byng's Advance.

CASUALITIES ARE GREAT

Dead in Battle Are More in Numbers Than During Any Similar Period of Fighting Since the War Began.

Berlin, Dec. 4.—Since Friday the Germans have captured 6,000 British prisoners in the Cambrai region, the German general staff announces. The guns taken numbered 100.

London, Dec. 4.—Germany's biggest push over the open country since the days of the Marne is still continuing in fighting of unabated ferocity around Cambrai.

The British lines are holding. Field Marshal Haig's report detailed repulse of hostile attacks in the neighborhood of Moeuvres in "sharp fighting."

British troops reoccupied a section of a trench on high ground southwest of Bourlon village, on the Cambrai front. Masnieres, which was evacuated by the British, was shelled by British artillery.

Hun Encircling Move Fails.

London, Dec. 4.—Complete failure is the apparent result of Bavarian Crown Prince Rupprecht's attempt, by an encircling movement, to nullify the brilliant advance of Gen. Byng toward Cambrai. Although at certain points the Germans pierced the British lines and captured positions, men and guns, they have paid dearly for their enterprise in casualties—the dead near La Vacquerie during the course of the 12 hours having been greater in numbers than during any similar period of fighting since the war began.

Counter Attacks Continued.

With the British Army in France, Dec. 4.—British continued their counter offensive operations in the Gonnelieu sector, which was overrun by the Germans in an attempt to wrench off the salient which the British had driven in about Bourlon wood. The mopping up of Gonnelieu, which was recaptured by Haig's troops, was completed. About 300 prisoners were taken in this place. Fifty prisoners also were brought out of Les Rues Vertes, after a British counter attack and all told the Germans lost hundreds of prisoners in Saturday's operations.

Tank Captures Foe Guns.

After recapturing Gauche wood, the British pushed up still further on the higher ground to the southeast of the wood. One British tank captured 15 enemy machine guns in the assault in Gauche wood.

The Germans then began a heavy shelling of the British entanglements at the position known as the knoll, just south of Vendhuile, indicating the possibility of an impending attack in that sector.

It is now possible to state that the Germans employed a great force—at least six or seven divisions—for their attack from Moeuvres to Bourlon wood, and four or five divisions in the southern offensive in the region of Gonnelieu. The Germans fought in masses all that day in both sectors and their losses were exceedingly heavy.

WILL SAIL FOR HOME SOON

U. S. War Mission Winding Up Affairs in Europe.

Paris, Dec. 4.—Members of the American war mission have begun winding up their affairs preparatory to leaving for America.

They are busy compiling reports and clearing up minor details in conference with French and British associates.

It is officially announced that no plenary meeting of the conference will be held and that Americans will take no further part in meetings of the supreme war council until the mission has returned home and made its report.

JOLIET "BAD MEN" ESCAPE

Saw Steel Doors—Beat Guards Into Unconsciousness.

Joliet, Ill., Dec. 4.—Posses are pursuing 13 convicts who escaped from the Joliet penitentiary.

The men, in solitary confinement because of creating disturbances in the cell houses last week, broke out of the cells and sawed through three steel doors.

Albert Chanelli, guard, and John Carlson, captain of the night guard, who were encountered in the corridor, were beaten into unconsciousness.

To Wipe Out Foe in East Africa.

London, Dec. 4.—The British forces in German East Africa are preparing to make their final drive at the single remaining German force in that colony which is estimated to number about 2,000 rifles. For this purpose, says the official statement on the East Africa operations, which summarizes the November campaign, General Northey's troops are concentrating to the west of the Mehesi valley. They will co-operate in the measures being taken in dealing with this last remaining German column.

MRS. DE SAULLES CLEARED BY JURY

Wife of Dead Football Star Not Accountable for His Murder.

JURY TOOK LESS THAN TWO HOURS TO REACH VERDICT

Acquittal Establishes Mrs. De Saulles' Custody of Little Son, Jack—Insanity Not Mentioned in Verdict

Mineola, N. Y., Dec. 3.—It required but one hour and 43 minutes for a jury in supreme court here to reach a verdict of not guilty in the trial of Mrs. Blanca De Saulles for the murder of her divorced husband, John L. De Saulles, former Yale football star, and clubman, at his home near Westbury, Long Island, the night of Aug. 3.

Mrs. De Saulles, who had maintained an air of extreme self-possession throughout the two weeks of the trial, received the verdict smilingly. She shook hands with each of the jurors as they left the box, and to each gave a nod of appreciation.

As Mrs. De Saulles left the court room a photographer touched off a flash of light. The shock of the explosion, coupled with the young woman's heightened nervous tension, caused her to stagger, but she was prevented from falling by Dr. J. Sherman Wight, her physician. She was taken into a nearby room, where she soon recovered.

In the verdict, no reference whatever was made to insanity. It was a plea of temporary loss of accountability which formed the basis of the defense.

"I'm so happy," was Mrs. De Saulles' only comment, according to Mrs. De Saulles' attorney, Henry A. Uterhart.

Mrs. De Saulles' acquittal automatically establishes her as the only legal custodian of her son, John L. De Saulles, Jr., according to her attorneys.

SAVINGS STAMPS ON SALE

Latest War Revenue Plan May Raise Two Billions

Washington, Dec. 3.—America's newest plan for raising war funds and encouraging habits of thrift will go into operation early today with the opening of sales of war savings stamps and certificates at postoffices and banks. The campaign is to continue for a year in expectation of receiving the $2,000,000,000 maximum authorized.

The smallest unit in the plan is the thrift stamp which costs 25 cents; the largest is the war savings certificate, which costs $82.40 and is redeemable in five years at $100 at the rate of four per cent interest, compounded quarterly. Millions of persons, including children and families of small means, are expected to invest regularly in the stamps as a means of helping the nation win the war and laying aside money to be returned to them later.

Every postoffice in the country has a big supply of the stamps, and from the twelve federal reserve banks shipments of stamps and certificates have been rushed to banks so that the sale may begin without delay. Other agencies, such as retail stores, will also be used beginning at an early date.

EVACUATION OF MASNIERES

British Straighten Line, Which Still Holds Secure

Washington, Dec. 3.—Sunday night's war summary says that the attempt of the Bavarian Crown Prince Rupprecht by an encircling movement to nullify the brilliant advance of the British General Byng towards Cambrai, has resulted apparently in complete failure. Although at certain points the Germans pierced the British lines and captured positions, men and guns, they have paid dearly for their enterprise in casualties—the dead near La Vaquerie during the course of twelve hours having been greater in numbers than during any similar period of fighting since the war began.

The sharp salient formed by the occupation of Masnieres by the British was an extremely hard one to hold, and during Saturday night General Byng, to improve his line, ordered the evacuation of the village.

U.S. ENGINEERS IN HOT FIGHT

Praised by British for Valiant Behavior

With the British Army in France, Dec. 3.—Large numbers of American army engineers working on the British railways in the region of Gouzeaucourt, caught in the German turning movement, escaped by lying in shell holes and prone on the ground while the British fired over them. There they remained until the British were near enough to enable the Americans to join the ranks, when they fought valiantly and played an important part in replying to the enemy. The British commander refers to their valiant behavior with the greatest enthusiasm.

Americans elsewhere took a busy hand in the fighting and were under hot German shell fire. Numbers of them volunteered for patrol work in the danger zone and all acquitted themselves well.

ARMISTICE MEET HELD DEC. 2

Negotiations Held by Authority of German Commander in Chief.

Petrograd, Nov. 30.—The report of the representatives sent through the German lines by Ensign Krylenko, the Bolsheviki commander, to begin negotiations for an armistice, was given out today. It shows that the agreement to take up the negotiations was made in behalf of the Germans by their commander-in-chief. It was agreed that the conference should be held Sunday, Dec. 2, at German headquarters at Brest-Litovsk.

Had To Give Up

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Mrs. Lydia Shuster, 1838 Margaret St., Frankford, Pa., says: "A cold started my kidney trouble. My back began to ache and got sore and lame. My joints and ankles became swollen and painful and it felt as if needles were sticking into them. I finally had to give up and went from bad to worse.

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It costs about 43 sen a day (about 22 cents) to feed a private in Japan's Second imperial body-guard regiment, according to an officer quoted in Yomiuri, a venacular paper. Of this, 15 sen goes for a quart of rice and barley (30 per cent barley) and 18 sen for meat and vegetables. The sum is not as small as it seems, as everything is one-third under market price when bought for the army. For breakfast, in addition to the cereal, bean soup is served, and for lunch and supper the menu includes vegetables and fish or meat. Cooking and distribution is carefully done by a staff of 20 men, including three lieutenants, three sergeants and 14 privates—or one cook for every 90 men in a regiment of 1,800. Unused food is sold to cheap eating houses, the money thus gained being spent for extra dishes on festive occasions.

Nothing Doing.

"I know who has the lost money," stated the visitor.

"Then, why come to me?" demanded Sherlock Holmes.

"I want you to get it back for me."

"Who has it?"

"My wife has it."

"Watson, kindly show the gentleman out," responded the astute Sherlock with a yawn.

Your Mistake.

Nothing is more discouraging than to find that you have been running the elevator to take the other fellow to the top.

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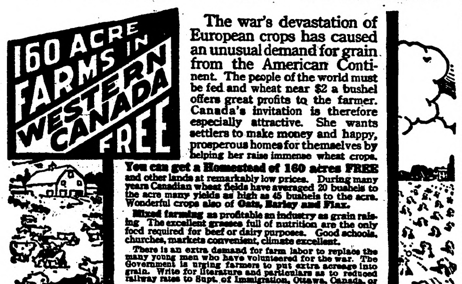

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IN LAW'S CLUTCHES

Killing of a Holdup Victim in Montana Brings to Close Remarkable Record of Daring Criminal Experiences.

Knoxville, Tenn.—Rivaling the exploits of Jesse James were the thrilling experiences and adventures of Walter Blevins, alias Walter Curtis, alias Walter Dean, who recently was taken from this city to Anaconda, Mont., to be placed on trial at Anaconda charged with murder and highway robbery.

Blevins belonged to the famous Harvey Logan clan.

Investigation by secret service men, post office inspectors and other federal officers at Knoxville has disclosed deeds and crimes attributed to Blevins which are unparalleled in the most popular "Diamond Dick" and "Nick Carter" stories.

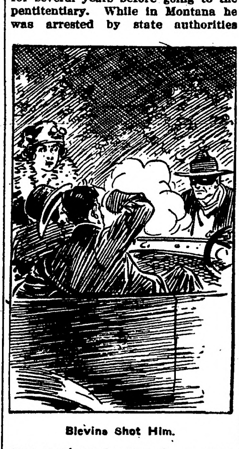
Many Desperate Deeds.

Gold nuggets were stolen in Alaska by Blevins, and on this charge and jail-breaking at Juneau, Alaska, he was sentenced to the federal penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth by the territorial court in Alaska.

He was released from Leavenworth prison on October 15, 1916. He then went to Chattanooga and worked for two or three weeks as a structural steel worker.

For two months he remained in upper East Tennessee. During that time the post office at Johnson City was entered, the vault therein, as well as the large safe inside the vault, were blown open with nitroglycerin and nearly $10,000 worth of postage stamps and several hundred dollars in money stolen.

In the latter part of February, 1917, Blevins left East Tennessee and returned to Montana, where he had lived for several years before going to the pentitentiary. While in Montana he was arrested by state authorities upon a minor charge and was given six months in jail. While in jail at Malta, Mont., he made his escape, in connection with two men, who it is claimed were Western highwaymen.



Blevins Shot Him.

Shortly after his escape from jail in company with these men and another party, he went to Anaconda, and while at Anaconda this quartette held up ten or fifteen automobiles on a highway about three miles from Anaconda.

Because one of the parties, a prominent business man, failed to hold up his hands as quickly as Blevins ordered, it is claimed Blevins shot him, and also shot a woman who did not respond immediately to his command. The man lived a few weeks and died.

Blevins made his escape nad was afterwards recaptured at Minot, N. D., and returned to Malta, Mont., on the old charge for which he was serving a sentence when he escaped. It was claimed part of the stolen goods and jewelry was found upon him.

Confesses to Robbery.

Blevins confessed to the robbery of the Johnson City post office at Malta, Mont., and before the Montana state authorities suspected that he was connected with the Anaconda robbery he was brought to Tennessee for trial for the Johnson City robbery of the $10,000 in postage stamps and several hundred dollars in money.

He was tried on that charge at the session of the United States district court in September, at Greeneville, Tenn., when he repudiated his alleged confession, claiming it was forced from him by the sheriff in Montana, and, the federal government being unable to rebut his claim at that time, he was acquitted by the jury, there being no other evidence of his robbing the Johnson City post office except his reputed confession.

Sheriff J. R. Crabb and Deputy Sheriff Percy Ingalls of Montana took Blevins back to Montana with a 20-pound boot on his foot, which has a combination lock which takes about three minutes to open, and strong handcuffs.

Peace Only a Breathing Spell.

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"I cannot marry you, James Henry. You are too rich. Folks would say that I married you for your money."

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"I presume that young woman is knitting for the soldiers."

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"Ahem! Isn't that too many?"

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Patriotic Citizens

Help the Red Cross

We Need Money

There will be examinations for rural carriers Jan. 11th at Warren and Thief River Falls and someone from here should should take the civil service examination as there is a good chance for a couple of routes. The only vacancy at present is at Argyle. Ask the postmaster about it.

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J. M. Swan shipped a car of cattle to the Market again Tuesday.

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Misses Lillie Peterson and Hilma Nyberg were passengers for T. R. Falls Tuesday.

It is reported the state will conduct experiments with peat on the farm of Rudolph Dahl in Golden Valley.

The G. N. at first objected to having the electric wires strung across their track. but now they want the village to make an application for a permit to let the wires remain where they are.

The Y. M. C. A. is doing a great work, wherever our soldier boys are to be found, and they are worthty of your help and a good word in their behalf. Help a good cause along.

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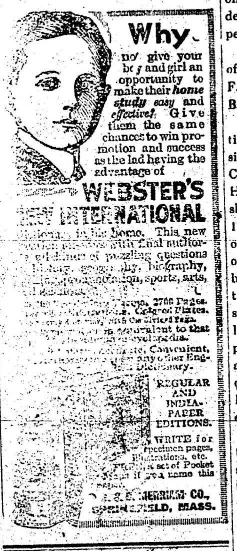

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In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District

In Re Liquidation of The Farmers State Bank of Holt, Minnesota, A Banking Corporation Insolvent.

ORDER

Upon reading the petition of F. E. Pearson, as Superintendent of Banks for the State of Minnesota, having in charge for the purpose of liquidation, the Farmers State Bank of Holt, a corporation, and which petition was duly verified and sworn to by the said F. E. Pearson, on the 16th day of November 1917, and which petition has been duly filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, praying that this Court direct, order and levy an assessment upon each share of the capital stock of the said Farmers State Bank of Holt, and against each and every of the stockholders and persons liable on said stock, in an amount sufficient to pay the indebtedness of said corporation, and the costs and expense involved in the liquidation of the said Farmers State Bank of Holt, and the costs and expense involved in these proceedings, not exceeding the par value of said stock; the persons liable as stockholders in said corporation to be determined by the Court; and the amount of assessment to be fixed and determined by the Court against each and every of the stockholders and persons found by the Court to be liable on said stock, all of which shall be determined at the hearing on said petition, as required by law.

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of G. Halvorson, Attorney for said F. E. Pearson as Superintendent of Banks for the State ot Minnesota,

IT IS ORDERED, that said petition be heard before the undersigned, one of the Judges of said Court, at his chambers in the Court House in the City of Warren, Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 14th day of January 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, at which time and place the Court will receive and consider such proof as may be offered in relation to the matter alleged in said petition by said Receiver and by any of the stockholders and creditors of said Farmers State Bank of Holt, and any other person interested therein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that said Receiver give notice of such hearing by causing a copy of this order to be mailed to each of the stockholders of said Farmers State Bank of Holt, as alleged in said petition, or known to said Superintendent of Banks, at least 35 days prior to such hearing, and by publishing this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, a weekly newspaper in said County, at least once, which publication shall take place at least 40 days prior to such hearing.

Dated at Warren, Minnesota, this 3rd day of December 1917.

BY THE COURT
Andrew Grindeland,
DISTRICT JUDGE.

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WAR TALKS

By UNCLE DAN

Number Two

Jimmie Collins Tells What He Saw—What Military Training Does for Boys.

"Well, here we are!" exclaimed Billie, presenting his chum, Jimmie Collins.

"Very glad to see you, Mr. Collins," said Uncle Dan with a smile.

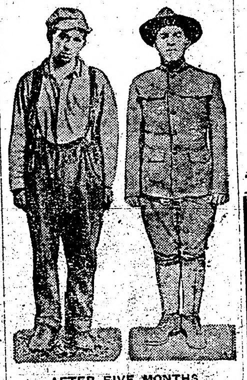
"Aw," said Billie, "Just call him Jimmie. That's the only name he knows. He's the pitcher of our baseball nine, and he's some pitcher, too. Just feel of his arm."

"Well," said Uncle Dan, feeling, "That's a mighty good arm!"

"Now, boys," said Uncle Dan, "what do you want to talk about?"

"Well," said Jimmie, "I was down to Galesburg a few months ago when the boys came home from the Mexican border. They looked fine. Everybody was surprised to see how straight they stood and how manly they were. The boys seemed proud to wear the uniform. I tell you their muscles were as hard as nails. I heard Banker Haskett say that the training and discipline the boys had had was exactly what every boy in the country ought to have, and that now these boys could get a better job at higher pay than they could have had before. Do you think that's so, Uncle Dan?"

Uncle Dan replied: "I have a friend who employs hundreds of young men. He always gives boys having had military training the preference; he says it pays to do so. He finds they are more alert, more prompt, more courteous; they know how to carry out orders; they are quicker to think and to act than those without training. He said from his experience he believed that six or eight months of intensive military training would add at least 20 per cent to a man's earning capacity, and that it was the best investment any young man could make.



AFTER FIVE MONTHS.

The two pictures are of the same young man. The first was taken the day he enlisted and the second after he had had five months' military training. His home is in North Carolina.

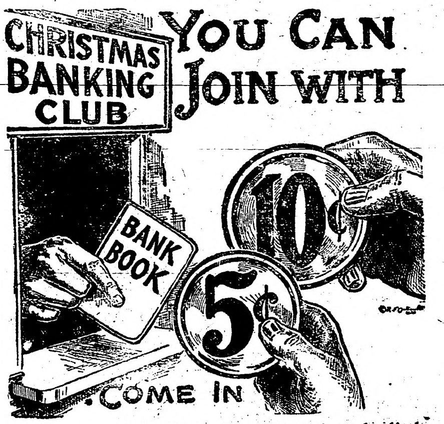
"Billie, if you will go up to my room and bring my small handbag, I will let you see two photographs of the same young man, showing what only five months of intensive training on the Mexican border did for him."

The bag was brought. Uncle Dan, showing the pictures, said: "Well, here they are. They tell their own story and it is a mighty interesting one. The young man, before training, has a discouraged look; he has seen but little of the world. There was very little in his surroundings to bring him out. When he joined the colors and Uncle Sam took him in charge, life for him took on a new meaning. He saw a chance to do something and be something. He woke up. His captain says he is twice the man he was when he joined the army. This may be one of the extreme cases," said Uncle Dan. "I can tell you, though, that war or no war, no one thing will do the young men of this nation so much good in so short a time as a few months of intensive military training. It fits a man to fight his own life battles in the business world as well as to defend his country and its flag.

"Nearly every civilized country gives its boys military training. It is compulsory. It is based upon the fact that it is the duty of everyone to help defend his country; and as war is now carried on, no one can do much unless he is trained. Also, the records show that the killed and wounded among untrained troops is nearly three times as great as it is with well-trained men who know how to fight and how to protect themselves. By this plan a nation has trained men to defend her and the individual is a stronger and better man for the training.

"If the Chamberlain Bill for Military Training is passed by congress, as it ought to be, the same thing would be done for millions of other young men throughout the land. Everybody ought to demand of his congressman and senators the passage of this bill."

"All right, sir, exclaimed Jimmie, we will see Judge Brownell, Mr. Haskett and [illegible] and get them [illegible]."



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By The

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Olaf Johnson was a Warren visitor Tuesday.

K. T. Knutson was a T. R. Falls visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Tom Ellefson was a T. R. Falls visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

Rev. Ordahl went to Greenbush yesterday where he held services last night.

Ed. Nelson went to Bagley Monday where he has employment in a barber shop.

Alfred Sollom returned Saturday from So. St. Paul where he had been with a car of cattle.

[illegible] Ellefson left Tuesday for the [illegible] points to visit relatives.

Misses Dora and Celia Olson returned home Saturday from several months stay at Searls, N. D.

Mrs. Kuehne returned Monday from visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Knauf at T. R. Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alkenbrack and baby of Tolly, N. D. arrived here Sunday for a holiday visit with his parents.

Theodore Monson who returned Wednesday from Meade, Neb., where he has been working, stopped over here to visit a few days.

He is logical and forceful, wise in his methods, never lets a moment go to waste, all on fire with his subject, Dr. Barker is O. K.—Schenectady, N. Y., News.

The house at the rear of the Farmers State Bank is being moved this week by its present owners, the Holt State Bank, onto the lots north of A. H. Huseth's residence.

Mrs. H. Pavek and baby departed Wednesday for their home at Gardena, N. D. Mrs. P. A. Riesberg and Mrs. Clarence Kulden and baby accompanied her as far as T. R. Falls where they all visited relatives for a few days.

Miss Catherine Crowley who has been living with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Johnson for several years, returned Friday to the home fo her mother in St. Paul. Carl Johnson went along to see that his cousin made the trip in safety.

Some winter weather, eh?

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY
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Red Cross Notes

The Red Cross will meet Friday evening at 7:30 to 9:30 as usual. There are several garments to be sewed and knitted articles to finish before winter is over. All members are urged to be present and do their bit.

The following is a list of articles that were put in the Christmas boxes for the Marshall County Soldier and Sailor Boys.

1 Army and Navy Dairy Book
2 1 Fruit Cake
3 1 Bath Towel
4 1 Toilet Soap
5 Tobacco
6 Cigarettes
7 Dates
8 Gum
9 1 lb homemade Candy
10 Popcorn
11 Christmas Card

The demand for knitting articles is in the order given:

First, Sweaters Second, Socks
Third, Helmets Fourth, Wristlets
Fifth, Mufflers

Several members have asked concerning the buying of Red Cross yarn and also in regard to sending the knitted articles directly to relatives or friends. The "Division Headquarters" at Minneapolis write the following:

"All garments made by the Red Cross should be turned in to the auxiliary for distribution, as any other method is wasteful. They may also be assured that in every case the boys will be given a complete outfit before leaving for France."

Notice

Several members of the Red Cross will give a musical recital and will serve a lunch at the Woodman Hall Saturday at 8:00. The proceeds will go towards the Great National Xmas Drive Fund.

Notice!

I will be in Holt Monday Dec. 17 th. to sell tamerack wood in loads or by the acre, from my quarter section NE 1-4 of SE 1-4 and SE 1-4 of NE 1-4 of Section 34 and S 1-2 of NW 1-4 of section 35, at a reasonable price. I will be out at O. K. Flakne's home the rest of the week.

Ed. Chynka.

Read the new ads.

Theodore Olson returned Saturday from Hatton N. D.

There is scarcely a place where it is possible to buy coal in any quantity. How's your woodpile?

Mr. Svenson, saleman for a grocery wholesale house in Chicago stopped at J. E. Erickson's Tuesday of last week.

One of the most serious calamities that have ever befallen China, occurred recently when the Yellow river changed its course, submerging the city of Tientsin, and covering 20000 sq. miles of open country, with two to twelve feet of water.

A little girl at Shellrock Iowa, was desireous of helping at a Red Cross Sale, but the only thing she had to give was a pumpkin. When the people heard about the little girl's gift, they bid well on it, and it sold for $87. It was taken to three or four other sales and sold, realzing at last about $500.00 from the little girl's gift for our soldiers in France.

All along the line nothing but the best of reports of Dr. Barker and his work. A pleasure and a joy to meet him.—Russell H. Conwell, D. D.

Our people will enjoy meeting at the Woodman hall at 8 o'clock Friday evening Dec. 21st to hear Dr. Geo. L. Barker's greatest address.

Free Mission Church

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening and all are invited to attend.

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M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Take Notice

Rev. F. J. Seltz will not conduct services at Holt next Sunday, but on Monday Dec. 24th at 1 p. m. instead. The public will please notice the change of date.

Flax Straw Wanted.

We want to buy four or more carloads of loose flax straw at once.

B. Docken.

Good tractor with plows, for sale, very cheap.

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Holt, Minn.

Red Cross! Red Cross!

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In Marshall County

R. Reierson was a T. R. Falls business visitor Tuesday.

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Waste nothing. Save the waste and help to win this terrible war.

Rev. Ordahl left Friday for Strandquist where he was to hold services on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heinse returned home Monday from their North Dakota visit.

O. Mattson, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mattson and Mrs. Mat Olson, were visitors at J. E. Erickson's Sunday.

There is another rumor going the rounds that the soldiers for the second draft will be called, to report next week.

A man of the hour; strong, fearless, powerful; convincing and eloquent; attractive in his personality, is Dr. Barker.—J. P. Dolliver. Dr. Barker will lecture at the M. W. A. hall Friday eve Dec. 21. Hear him.

Mr. Docken received a card Saturday briefly stating that Dr. Barker is now able to be with you on the original date, Friday Dec. 21st, for the second number of the Holt Lyceum Course. Please note change of date and get your tickets early.

Two thousand people were killed, many injured and 20000 made homeless by the collision of a munition ship and another vessel near Halifax. Fire broke out in the city, while at the same time a blizzard was raging which made the suffering something terrible. It was one of the greatest calamities of the North American continent. Help was rushed to Halifax as fast as possiblo.

U. S Thrift Stamps, in denominations of 25c each, are now on sale at the postoffices and by the rural carriers. Ask them for full information. If each person in the U. S. would buy at least one Thrift Stamp it would make Uncle Sam 25 million dollars to help win the war. $4.00 worth of stamps and 12c cash will buy a $5.00 Certificate at any time next month.

The railroad company have a crew of carpenters here putting bridges across ditch No 25

To this day I have not forgotten Dr. Barker's helpful and inspiring address.—Rev. Newell D. Hillis.

Steigen Bros. from Steiner, sawed wood for Erickson and Ruehman Tuesdav and Wednesday of last week.

Hans O. Kjomme of T. R. Falls, who was awarded a lieutenant's commission at the officers training camp, has been assigned to the regular army and ordered to report at Ft. Brady, Mich. Lt. Kjomme will take his family with him.

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To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank. Dated at St. Paul, Minn, September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

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Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.16
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Important News Events of the World Summarized

U. S.—Teutonic War News

Letters indicating the existence in this country of a "German military organization for defense" were seized at New York by agents of the national intelligence bureau when they examined the effects of Otto Julius Merkel, a German writer and lecturer. Merkel was interned on Ellis island.

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Among the troops and units that have arrived in Italy with the British and French armies is a large group of aviators, who are impatiently waiting to get into action. The British have sent a large contingent of flyers, half of whom are young Canadians and Americans.

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Restriction of imports by the countries at war with Germany in order to free tonnage for the transportation of American troops to the scene of conflict was one of the details of the agreement of the interallied conference at Paris.

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Washington

Reviewing the progress of the campaigns for increased production to meet war demands and conditions, David F. Houston, secretary of agriculture, in his annual report made public at Washington, reports that the farmers of the nation, patriotically responding to the appeals of agricultural and other agencies, have produced more than five and one-half billion bushels of cereal food crops.

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Full authority over every vessel in United States territorial waters was given to treasury department at Washington by proclamation of President Wilson.

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Within the last month 77,500,000 one-cent pieces have been coined to relieve the penny shortage caused by imposition of war taxes, says a dispatch from Washington.

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Both branches of congress at Washington responded with instant action to the president's recommendation in his message for a declaration of war against Austria.

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The American railroad systems must be conscripted. This is the verdict of the interstate commerce commission at Washington, and that body's answer to the railroads' petition for a general advance of 15 per cent in freight rates.

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Ambassador Jusserand presented to President Wilson a bronze medal from the people of France to commemorate the entrance of the United States into the world war.

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Attorney General Gregory announced at Washington he has recommended an amendment to the alien enemy act to include women over fourteen years of age within its provisions. Enforcement of the act has been seriously hindered by the exemption of women.

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Personal

Lieut. D. N. [illegible] son of Prof. G. A. Ross of the Union Theological seminary, New York, died of wounds at a casualty clearing station on November 30, says a dispatch from London.

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Domestic

The explosion of an infernal machine in the express car of train No. 7 of the Northern Pacific caused the destruction of the car near Windsor, N. D.

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John D. Rockefeller, Jr., will work as a Young Men's Christian association field secretary at the Camp Dix National army cantonment at Wrightstown, N. J., for two weeks, the war council announced.

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Clerks employed in more than 3,000 delicatessen shops in New York City went on strike on Friday to enforce a demand for increased wages and shorter working hours.

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Capt. Charles M. [illegible], a Virginia pilot, was shot and seriously wounded by his fathehr in-law, David B. Cane, during the taking of evidence in a divorce case filed at Norfolk, Va.

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Twenty-four Austrians were refused citizenship papers in Judge Barrett's court at Chicago. "The situation at the present time makes it impossible to consider your application," said the judge.

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A message declaring their country would never make a separate peace, is being carried to President Wilson by members of the American Red Cross mission to Roumania, which landed at a Pacific port, according to a statement by Lieut. Frank Conner, interpreter for the mission.

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Two American aviators who had lost their compass and their bearings during a recent flight "somewhere in Europe," were encountered at sea 650 miles off the Irish coast by a steamship which arrived at an Atlantic port.

CONQUEST AND KULTUR

It is absolutely necessary that Germany claim the occupation of the Belgian coast as a German naval base. It is equally necessary that it claim the occupation of Baltic provinces inhabited by Germans, and it is equally necessary to obtain a rectification of the French frontiers, in claiming for Germany the occupation of the mining districts.—Speech of Deputy Roesicke (Conservative) in the Reichstag, May 15, 1917.

Foreign

As the Marquis de Casetellane, father of Count Boni De Castellane, was about to enter his home in Paris, France, he was knocked down by a wagon. The count has been unconscious, and his condition is regarded as serious.

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Combined columns of federal cavalry in command of Gen. Francisco Murguia and Gen. Pedro Vavela ambushed a large band of Villa followers in Santa Clara canyon, 75 miles northwest of Chihuahua City, according to an official statement given out at Juarez, Mex. A total of 400 were killed and wounded on both sides.

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Viscount Drumlanrig, son and heir of the marquis of Queensberry, was married in London to Miss Irene Richards, a musical comedy actress. He is twenty-one years old and is a lieutenant in the Black Watch regiment.

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Quoting an Austrian official report concerning a Roumanian proposal for the negotiation of an armistice, a British official announcement issued in London says: "There is no truth whatever in this shameful statement."

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European War News

Gen. E. H. H. Allenby reports that he has occupied the town of Hebron, in Palestine, the London war office announces. Tradition identifies Hebron as the site of the tomb of Abraham and other patriarchs. King David resided there the first seven years of his reign.

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It has been decided, an official announcement issued at Jassy says, that the Roumanian troops shall associate themselves with the Russians in the armistice, though the Roumanians have resisted all fraternization with the enemy.

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According to figures given out by the London war office, the British captured on all fronts in the month of November 26,869 prisoners and 221 guns. Among the captured were 11,551 men and 138 guns taken on the western front; 10,454 men and 80 guns in Palestine, and 4,403 men and 8 guns in East Africa.

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Jerusalem is virtually at the mercy of British troops. General Allenby's troops are in a position to enter the city whenever they desire, according to official dispatches received at Washington. For strategic reasons the British are now engaged in an encircling movement branching out from Jaffa.

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The furious enemy attack on the Asiago plateau, on a front of about ten miles, has been repulsed with heavy losses except at the northeastern sector, around Monte Tondecar, where the enemy succeeded in occupying some of the Italian lines, according to a statement issued at Rome.

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Seven persons were killed and 21 injured in an air raid, Chancellor Bonar Law announced in the house of commons in London. Of the victims three were killed and ten injured in London. About 25 German airplanes took part in the raid. Two of the raiders were brought down.

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Sixteen British merchant men of more than 1,600 tons were sunk by mines or submarines in the last week, according to the admiralty statement issued at London. One vessel under 1,600 tons and four fishing vessels also were sunk.

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That Field Marshal Haig prevented the Germans from breaking through his lines on the Cambrai front discounts the small gains which the enemy achieved on Monday at a terrible cost of life, says a dispatch from Paris. Haig thwarted what is believed to have been a German attempt to duplicate the German-Austro-Hungarian performance in Italy.

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An official announcement was issued at Petrograd, signed by Ensign Krylenko, the bolsheviki commander in chief, confirming the killing by infuriated members of the bolsheviki of General Dukhonin, former commander in chief of the Russian armies, who refused to request German army officials to enter into an armistice with the bolsheviki.

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The Belgian relief steamer Haelen loaded with grain, which was captured by a German submarine on November 3 and taken into Swinemuende, is still detained there, German authorities ignoring protests, says a dispatch to London.

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The official statement issued in London says the British troops withdrew to the southwest of Nouvelles-sur-L'Escaut and Bourlon wood. The British have advanced slightly their lines southwest of La Vacquerie on the Cambrai front.

JERUSALEM IS WON BY BRITISH

Holy City Surrounded, is Abandoned by Ottomans—Held Good Omen.

LONG UNDER TURK RULE

Christianity's Most Hallowed Spot In Possession of Mohammedans, With Two Brief Interludes, for 1,200 Years — England Hails Allenby's Victory.

London, Dec. 11.—Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchecquer, has just announced in the house of commons that Jerusalem, after being surrounded on all sides by British troops, has surrendered.

Held by Turks for Centuries.

The capture of Jerusalem by the British forces marks the end, with two brief interludes, of more than 1,200 years' possession of the seat of the Christian religion by the Mohammedans. For 673 years the Holy City has been in undisputed ownership of the Turks, the last Christian ruler of Jerusalem being the German emperor Frederick II., whose short lived domination lasted from 1229 to 1244.

Ottoman Efforts Collapse.

Apart from its connection with the campaign being waged against Turkey by the British in Mesopotamia the fall of Jerusalem was the definite collapse of the long protracted efforts of the Turks to capture the Suez canal and invade Egypt. Almost the first move made by Turkey after her entrance into the war was a campaign against Egypt across the great desert of the Sinai peninsula.

Retreat Began in 1915.

In December, 1915, the Turks had been driven back as far as El Anish, about 85 miles east of the Suez canal. In December, 1916, the British stormed El Anish and a few days later severely defeated the Turks at Maghdabeh, about 60 miles to the south on the same front. Two weeks later the invaders had been driven out of Egypt and the British forces crossed the border into Palestine.

Allenby Works Near Coast.

On March 7 last the British forces captured El Khulil, 15 miles south of Jerusalem. El Khulil is the modern name of ancient Hebron. The campaign lapsed into stagnancy through the heated period.

Early in November the British captured Beersheba, 40 miles south of Jerusalem. Similarly a coastal column became active. By the seventh of the month the city of Gaza was in their hands and the British were pursuing the Turks northward after having inflicted casualties estimated as in excess of 10,000. General Allenby, the British commander, kept his forces near the coast in rapid motion and pushed on to Jaqa, the port of Jerusalem, in mid-November.

By November 22 the British had pushed within five miles of Jerusalem on the northwest and on December 7 General Allenby announced that he had definite possession of Hebron. Jerusalem thus was virtually cut off on all sides but the east.

Objective of Crusaders.

In sentimental and romantic aspect the capture of Jerusalem far exceeds even the fall of fable-crowned Bagdad. The modern city of Jerusalem contains about 60,000 inhabitants and is the home of pestilence, filth and fevers, but in historic interest it naturally surpasses to the Christian world all other places in the world. Since the days when Joshua wrested it from the hands of the Jebusites, to make it the capital of the Jewish race, Jerusalem has been prized prey of half of the races of the world. It has passed successively into the hands of Assyrians, Babylonians, Greeks, Romans, Persians, Arabs, Turks, the motley crowds of The Crusaders, finally to fall before the descendents of that Richard, the Lionhearted, who strove in vain for its possession more than 700 years ago.

Good Omen for Triumph of Right.

The news spread like wildfire throughout London. Its fall was heralded as a good omen. The most cherished Christmas gift which could be given the world of democracy and the hosts fighting for Christian justice and peace and freedom is this gift of the Holy City to world Christians again after having been held by infidel hordes for centuries.

Three Die in Cleveland Cold.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 11.—With the thermometer at 5 degrees below zero, three lives were lost, several homes destroyed by persons thawing out pipes, a man and a woman overcome by gas fumes in their home, four men are in hospitals with frozen hands or feet, and one man was seriously injured by a street car as a result of the worst blizzard in years.

Miller Says Allies Will Win.

Duluth, Dec. 11.—"America, side by side with Britain and France, will create a series of battles that human conceptions now cannot grasp. They will smash through the German lines with a blast of fire. They will beat the Hun—but not until America has exerted every ounce of strength." These were the assertions of Representative C. B. Miller of Minnesota in an address he delivered before a large audience here in a Red Cross benefit lecture. Representative Miller returned recently from Europe.

COSSACKS BEGIN CIVIL WARFARE

Led By Korniloff and Kaledines They Take Field Against Leninites In Russia.

BOURGOISE GIVE HELP

Orders Given By Bolsheviki Government to Suppress Uprising at Once and To Refuse Any Attempts at Mediation.

Petrograd, Dec. 11.—The Bolsheviki government has issued an official communication in which it is declared that General Kaledines, supported by General Korniloff, former commander-in-chief of the Russian forces, have raised the standard of revolt in the Don Cossack region against the people and the revolution, so the long expected civil warfare in Russia has apparently come.

Revolt Ordered Crushed.

As a counter to the movement, the Bolsheviki government has ordered its troops and followers immediately to set to work to put down the uprising forbidding even any attempts at mediation.

No details of the uprising are as yet to hand, but the proclamation of the Bolsheviki government asserts that the Constitutional Democrats and the Bourgeoise are aiding the movement against the Leninite faction.

The Cossocks, of whom Kaledines is leader, are famous as dashing fighters, and in choosing Korniloff as his right hand man Kaledines obtains a military man of unquestioned ability.

Rubles Flow to Revolters.

London, Dec. 10.—A proclamation to the Russian nation has been issued by the Russian government announcing that "Kaledines and Korniloff, assisted by the Imperialists and Constitutional Democrats, have raised a revolt and declared war in the Don region against the people of the revolution."

The proclamation adds that "the Constitutional Democrats and Bourgeoise are supplying the revolting generals with scores of millions of rubles."

CLAIMS DRAFT LAW IS VALID

Government Asks Supreme Court to Dismiss Case.

Washington, Dec. 11.—In a brief just made public asking the supreme court to dismiss cases attacking the constitutionality of the selective draft law, the government asserts that power conferred upon Congress to declare war carries with it authority to compel military service either at home or abroad. Compulsory draft is declared to have been a normal method of raising armies ever since this government was established the legality of which has been repeatedly upheld by the courts. The situation in Russia is pointed to without mentioning the name, as a demonstration that there can with safety be no absolute freedom in civilized societies.

"If the argument against this law upon constitutional grounds be not frivolous," says the brief, "then the adjective has lost its legal significance."

The cases now before the court include nine appeals from Minnesota, Georgia and Ohio, in which persons were convicted of either failing to register on June 5, or of attempting to block operations of the act by urging others of draft age not to comply with it.

ITALIAN AIRMEN STRIKE TEUTS

Send 2,000 Bombs Into Ranks of Enemy.

Italian Army Headquarters in Northern Italy, Dec. 11.—On the Asiago plateau an exceptionally large air raid was carried out with a fleet of 150 airplanes, including Italian light and heavy squadrons. The objectives were enemy troops which always kept out of our rifle range. The huge fleet flew low, scattering more than 2,000 bombs, which caused extensive damage in the northern sector, where the enemy is assembling forces and supplies. Troop trains were scattered, railway depots destroyed and munition supplies blow up. Large fires marked the route of the raiders, indicating the extent of the destruction.

Sat During Anthem; Man Beaten.

St Louis, Mo., Dec. 10.—Emmett O'Burn, a delegate to the Central Trades and Labor union from the Carpenters' union, was severely beaten and suspended from the orgaization because he failed to stand at the meeting when the "Star Spangled Banner" was played.

"Dead Head" Troops After Bandits

El Paso Dec. 10.—As soon as General Francisco Murguia has completed his present campaign of disbanding the Villa forces in Chihuahua state he will go to Tampico with his "Death Head troops" to begin a campaign against Manuel Palaez, who has a band of organized and armed men just outside the Tampico district. The information has been received in a letter from Chihuahua City. General Murguia is expected to remain there 30 days. The German consul returned with him from Mexico City recently

U. S. DESTROYER SUNK, SIXTY DIE

The Jacob Jones Torpedoed While on Patrol Duty In War Zone.

FIRST WARSHIP LOST

Brother of Spanish War Hero and Brother-in-Law of Daniels In Command—Ship One of Newest—Recently Saved 305 From Liner.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The American destroyer Jacob Jones, has been sunk in the war zone, with the loss of a large part of the crew, the navy department announces.

Thirty-seven survivors were taken off one life raft. The names of 10 survivors received are:

Lieutenant John K. Richards, Ensign Nelson N. Bates, Assistant Surgeon L. L. Adamkiewicz; Charles E. Pierce, fireman; Timothy Edward Twomey, seaman; John C. Johnson, seaman; Henry A. Stutzke, chief machinist's mate; Edward F. Grady, fireman second class; John J. Mulvaney, seaman, and Myron Flood, seaman.

Was on Patrol Duty.

The sinking occurred Dec. 6 at 8 p. m., while the ship was on patrol duty. It was commanded by Lieutenant Commander David Worth Bagley, brother of Mrs. Josephus Daniels, wife of the secretary of the navy.

Commander Bagley's brother was the first American officer killed in the Spanish-American war.

The Jacob Jones was the ship which saved 305 persons from the Orama, a Peninsular and Oriental liner, converted into an auxiliary cruiser, on Oct. 19. The Orama had been torpedoed by a submarine while acting as a part of a convoy of merchant vessels under escort of American destroyers. The Jacob Jones was one of the convoy.

Rescued 305 from Ocean.

The Jacob Jones and another destroyer were detailed to remain by the Orama after the submarine had been attacked and put out of action. When the Orama began to settle it had grown dark and the crew abandoned it. The Jacob Jones picked up in the darkness 305 of the 478 persons on board.

The Jacob Jones' peace time complement was 5 officers, 5 petty officers and 87 men.

One of Newest Destroyers.

It was one of the newest and largest American destroyers, with a displacement of 1,150 tons and a length of 310 feet over all. It was completed in 1916 at the plant of the New York Shipbuilding company, Camden, N. J. It burned oil, was driven by turbine engines and had a speed of 39.57 knots an hour.

First Warship Destroyed.

This disaster makes the first American destroyer sunk by German torpedoes since the United States entered the war. The indicated loss of life in today's disaster is the largest of any American loss at sea except in the submarining of the army transport Antilles, which carried 67 men down.

FORMER CZAR MAY BE FREE

Escapes From Guards in Siberia, U. S. Consul Hears.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The American consul at Tiflis reports a rumor that the former czar of Russia has escaped. The message contained no details and made it clear that there was no confirmation of the rumor. No other news was received here from Russia.

To Repudiate All Loans.

London, Nov. 10.—The bolsheviki government, according to a Reuter dispatch from Petrograd, is preparing a decree repudiating all Russian foreign loans and loans concluded by land banks and railways on government guarantees. Shares of internal loans held abroad also will be repudiated.

PREPARE FOR SUPREME BLOW

Huns Mass On Latin Front—French Troops In Action.

With the French Armies in Italy, Dec. 10.—French troops are in action against the ever increasing masses of Austro-Germans who are plainly preparing for Germany's supreme effort to break through the Italian line.

The battle all along the Italian front is becoming heavier. The enemy is massing men, guns and material.

Heavy artillery, which the Italians' destruction of bridges and roads delayed, is now being brought to the fighting line in daily increasing numbers.

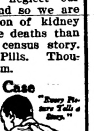
Americans to Rebuild Halifax.

New York, Dec. 10.—Special trains have left over the New York Central for Halifax, carrying 600 men, $15,000 worth of tools, $150,000 worth of lumber, 1,000 portable houses and 25 motor trucks. A special salvage corps under 20 expert engineers will aid in the work of rescue of the city and in the construction of temporary shelter. Dr. Darlington, former health commissioner, is in charge of temporary housing and will aid local authorities in maintaining sanitary conditions in the stricken city.

Why That Lame Back?

Morning lameness, sharp twinges when bending, or an all-day backache; each is cause enough to suspect kidney trouble. Get after the cause. Help the kidneys. We Americans go it too hard. We overdo, overeat and neglect our sleep and exercise and so we are fast becoming a nation of kidney sufferers. 72% more deaths than in 1890 is the 1910 census story. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

A Montana Case



"Every Picture Tells a Story."

John S. Woosley, Pine View, Mont., says "For years I had kidney complaint with a tired, depressed feeling. My head ached. I had dizzy spells and the kidney secretions were scanty. I was in severe pain and had rheumatic twinges all through my body. I have been practically free from these ailments since I used two or three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills.

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A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

Woman's Viewpoint.

A woman's idea of a good husband is one who is liberal with his money, and always leaves the bathroom as tidy as he found it.

WATCH YOUR SKIN IMPROVE

When You Use Cuticura—The Soap to Purify and Ointment to Heal.

On rising and retiring gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Continue this treatment for ten days and note the change in your skin. No better toilet preparations exist.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Queen Mother's Gift Bible.

Upon one of his journeys during the Antarctic expedition Sir Ernest Shackleton was obliged to reduce his luggage to the smallest possible amount.

He states that up to this point the Bible given by Queen Alexandra to the ship's library (provided by the British and Foreign Sailors' society) had been carried with the party. In leaving other things behind it was decided with reluctance that this also must be abandoned.

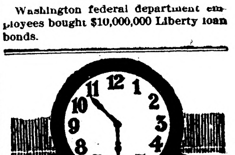
As the Bible contained on its flyleaf a message written by Queen Alexandra, the flyleaf was cut out, also the pages containing the Twenty-third psalm and the chapter in the Book of Job which speaks of the sea being frozen. These three pages were carried to the end of the journey and brought back to this country.

Sir Ernest has promised to present the three pages to the society to be sold on behalf of its funds.

The Poilu Magnificent.

After one of the battles near Verdun a Poilu who had distinguished himself for conspicuous gallantry was called over by an officer. "Of what religion are you?" he asked. The sailor saluted and respectfully replied: "I am of that religion that looks God in the eyes." He is the "Poilu magnificent." —Capt. Gustav P. Capart in the New York Herald.

Washington federal department employees bought $10,000,000 Liberty loan bonds.

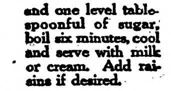


Six Minute Pudding

Here's a new one—a most delicious desert that can be made in a hurry.

To one and one-half cups of milk add one cup of **Grape-Nuts** and one level tablespoonful of sugar, boil six minutes, cool and serve with milk or cream. Add raisins if desired.

Get a package of Grape-Nuts from your grocer and try this pleasing recipe.



PERUNA Best All Around Medicine Ever Made

I Hope You Will Publish This Letter

Mr. W. H. Edgar, 49 Cooper St., Atlanta, Georgia, writes:

"I suffered for fifteen years with rheumatic symptoms. Peruna cured me and I think it is the best all around medicine ever made. I hope you will publish this letter for the benefit of others who suffer."

Those who object to liquid medicines can procure Peruna Tablets.

Recalls Economy of 1864.

Let the persons who think wheatless and meatless days are a hardship listen to the venerable men and women whose memory takes them back to the Civil war, says the Anaconda (Mont.) Standard.

Roasted barley, parched corn, chicory roots, and even dandelion roots, dried and roasted, were used as coffee substitutes. White or granulated sugars were a rarity and only on the table for company. Brown sugar and old-fashioned black molasses, bread and honey, and even bread and ham fat were considered pretty good enough for all but the old people. In those days nearly every family in town kept a cow. Those who didn't, as a rule, went without milk. The papers of that day emphasized the fact that coffee and tea were more nutritious when used without milk.

BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

Why use ordinary cough remedies, when Boschee's German Syrup has been used so successfully for fifty-one years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health. Sold in all civilized countries. 30 and 90 cent bottles.—Adv.

Best Soldier a Middleweight.

It isn't the big 170-pounders that the examining boards who have been choosing recruits for the new National army greet with enthusiasm, says Milestones. It's the lithe chap who weighs about 140 and hasn't a pound to spare that is the real prize for military service.

Tests made at Princeton and in the training camps go to show that, weight for weight, a man of this build handles himself more effectively. He scores relatively low in strength tests, but remarkably high in endurance. He is adaptable when it comes to the modifications of diet that life in camp makes necessary and he can stand inspection with full equipment on a hot day and smile, while the big fellow wilts and falls out.

Responsibility.

"Prohibition has made a great change in Crimson Gulch," commented the occasional visitor.

"Yes," replied Three Finger Sam. "I never saw the settlement so quiet and polite."

"How do you account for it?"

"Well, liquor is no longer handy as an excuse for reckless talk and everybody's nerves have steadied down so that if a man should reach for a gun it 'ud have to mean something."

Retribution.

Biggins says he wants to go into business and be his own boss.

"It would serve him right. Biggins makes about the meanest boss ever known."

It isn't so much a matter of time as it is of disposition that so many things we could do are left undone.

What Convinced Him.

Defendant's Lawyer—You say my clients called you names! How did you know for sure that they were talking to you and not to somebody else?

Plaintiff—Well, maybe I was mistaken, but when they accompanied their conversation with biffs on my jaw and swats on my ribs I naturally couldn't be blamed for thinking they were addressing their remarks to me.—Judge.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Status of Arab Nation.

The Arab nation is without money for natural resources. Its territory contains neither mineral nor external agricultural wealth—but the redemption of Mesopotamia will afford the Arab of the future opportunity for aggrandizement. There, under semi-independence, after barrages on the Tigris and Euphrates have been built by British energy and cash, Bagdad may rise to a higher scale of learning, splendor and wealth than under the caliphat of Haroun al Raschid.

Of the entire outcome from the war, therefore, notes a correspondent, the Arab renaissance is assuredly not the least momentous. Historically, it will mark the advent of a new era; ethnologically it becomes a charming study of futurists of literature.

Collecting Military Stamps.

Collectors in the United States are now gathering postmarks of letters sent from the American camps in France, which are stamped "U. S. Army Postal Service." They figure that if anything definite results from the peace talk, the expeditionary force's postmark will be valuable becaus of its comparative rarity, as they believe that most of the letters coming to the United States from the soldiers abroad are sent to close friends and relatives who, for sentimental reasons, will have the missives, envelopes and all.

Colds Cause Headache and Grip
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature is on box. 30c.

Bananas Cheap and Nutritious.

During the year 1917 more than six billion bananas were imported into North America. Three of these bananas weigh about a pound and cost generally about five cents. At five cents a pound bananas may claim to be as cheap and nutritious a food as any on the market at present prices.

Thoroughness.

"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins. "I have decided to keep a goat."

"A goat!"

"Yes. You know what a lot of vegetables were preserved. I don't intend to have the tin cans wasted. They shall be eaten."

Camouflage Helps.

Beauty, unadorned may be all right in some cases, but a little dressing always improves the turkey.

Words of a silent man are never repeated in court.

A GREAT DISCOVERY

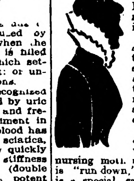
(By J. H. Watson, M. D.)

Swollen hands, ankles, feet are due to a dropsical condition, often caused by disordered kidneys. Naturally when the kidneys are deranged the blood is filled with poisonous waste matter, which settles in the feet, ankles and wrist; or under the eyes in bag-like formations.

As a remedy for those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation caused by uric acid—as scalding urine, backache and frequent urination, as well as sediment in the urine, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism lumbago, sciatica, gout, it is simply wonderful how quickly An-u-ric acts; the pains and stiffness rapidly disappear, for Anuric, (double strength), is many times more potent than lithia and often eliminates uric acid as hot water melts sugar.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets for the liver and bowels have been favorably known for nearly 50 years.

Anuric is a recent scientific discovery by Dr. Pierce, Chief of Staff at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Inst., in Buffalo, N. Y. Send 10c there for a trial pkg. of Anuric. Large package 60c.



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10 qts. Water	6 oz. Sugar
9 oz. Salt	8 oz. Salt
½ lb. Corn Syrup	1 qt. Water
6 oz. Yeast	
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TO ENROLL MEN FOR WAR WORK

Labor Is Needed in Shipyards and Factories.

HIGHEST SPEED IS NECESSARY

Incatiable Demands of the Large Army at the Front Prompts Government to Inaugurate a Public Service Reserve.

Washington.—A campaign to enroll the country in the United States public service reserve, with particular effort to get men for the shipyards, will be inaugurated by the United States department of labor, acting in co-operation with the shipping board, according to a statement made by William Edwin Hall, national director of the reserve. State directors are being appointed and local organizations perfected in every state.

"The primary object of this campaign," said Mr. Hall, "is to obtain a large list of skilled and semi-skilled men who are not now producing war material or doing work useful to the prosecution of the war, and to get them into the shipyards and the factories which must be maintained at the highest speed if industry is to meet the insatiable demands of a large army at the front.

"It appears from published reports, such as the arrival of the Rainbow Division in France, that the number of American troops at or near the firing line is constantly increasing, and we civilians whom these troops have gone over there to protect, would be shamefully derelict in our national duty and quite wanting in patriotism if we did not make every personal sacrifice to keep our soldiers 100 per cent supplied.

Labor Needed in War Work.

"A number of the non-essential industries are employing labor which is urgently needed for war work—in the shipyards, for example. One is surprised to see how many kinds of workers are needed to build a ship. The shipping board has prepared for the public service reserve a list of 88 different "peace" occupations from which men must—absolutely must—be drawn in order that our tremendous shipbuilding can be carried out in time. You often hear it said that 'ships will win the war,' but today it is being put in a little different way by those who know the situation: A failure on the part of American civilians to build the necessary number of ships will make it impossible for the United States to continue to fight. A lack of ships may lose the war.'

"The United States public service reserve," explained Mr. Hall, "is working at high speed today to obtain all these men needed for shipbuilding, for making equipment, for gun manufacturing, for mechanical draughting, for hundreds of other vital operations, from the 'non-essential industries'—that is, from industries which are important to a country at peace but, in the final analysis, virtually unnecessary to a country at war.

"Our effort is always to obtain the workers for war industry without crippling the peace industry. We will not draw away an over production of employees from any one locality, from any one industry, from any one employer. War means suffering. A considerable disturbance of industry is inevitable. The public service reserve proposes to bring about the necessary shifting of labor with just as little disturbance as possible. We want no industry and no employer to have to bear any more than a fair, legitimate share of the burden which the peremptory demands of war throw upon all of us."

Differs From Army Enlistment.

"Men who enroll in the United States public service reserve state their trade and suggest other classes of work they could do, if necessary, for the war. The enrolled men will remain at their present jobs and when they are notified that an opportunity to put them into war work has arisen, they are under no obligation to accept the new jobs unless satisfied with wages and conditions. Thus their enrollment in the reserve differs from enlistment in the army, where the soldier has no choice but to obey.

"Every day more and more American workers are beginning to feel in their hearts that in this critical period of the nation's history they should be devoting their energies to the actual war needs of their country. By enrolling in the United States public reserve they enjoy a happier conscience, for they know that they have thereby declared their patriotism and that the moment a war industry needs men of their type they will be given a chance to serve the country without leaving civilian life."

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An insignificant crawfish, measuring three inches in length, that became lodged in the meter, shut off the supply of water for the big La Belle Iron works at Wheeling, W. Va., and caused the big plant to close down temporarily, making idle 3,000 workmen.

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[illegible] Perhaps.

Lady—I should think you would work instead of begging for your living.

Tramp—I do, ma'am.

Lady—Then why are you asking me for money?

Tramp — That's my profession, ma'am. But if you knew how hard it is to get a nickel out of some folks you'd never accuse me of not working."

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Some Speed Car.

"What did you do yesterday?"

"Psmythe took me for a drive out in the country in his new car."

"Has Psmythe got a new car?"

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"What kind of a car is it?"

"It's this kind of a car: The man who is driving says: 'Isn't that a fine view ahead of us?' And you say, 'Yes, wasn't it!'"

Subject to Amendment.

"Spike told me last night that he had never loved anybody else, and would love me, and me alone, as long as life lasts; just like that!" said a waitress in the rapid fire restaurant.

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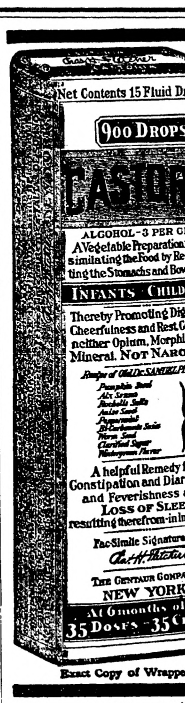

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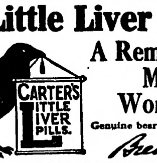

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Getting Away With It.

Professor—What did you come [illegible] for?

Student—For work.

Bachelors' Foresight.

Few bachelors would object to being taxed if it would insure them against designing mothers.

Game of Politics.

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Woman's Influence.

Man's best deeds can be [illegible] to woman's influence; also, not infrequently, their worst.

Children's Questions.

One shouldn't get discouraged because he is unable to answer a child's questions. There are others.

Schools of Bahia, Brazil.

Bahia, Brazil, has 13,464 [illegible] 238 public schools employing 338 teachers.

The foundation of true happiness is [illegible]ing satisfied with present possessions.

[illegible] passed [illegible] than [illegible] a man [illegible] at solitaire.

A [illegible] man dodges when he sees a great opportunity.

Some men seem to have [illegible] as broad as horse sense.

Higher Than Butter.

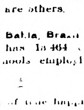
In some parts of Germany, according to the bulletin of the Chicago section of the American Chemical society, oleomargarine is quoted at higher prices than butter.

Coconut Planting.

Coconut planting experiments made [illegible] the government of Queensland have been successful.

Out of Debt.

Many a man would feel like a fish out of water if by chance he should manage to get out of debt.



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Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Sept. 1917.

Cream received	14,465 lbs
Average test	29 46
Butter fat	4262.88 lbs
Percent overrun	24 75
Butter made	5317 lbs
Balance on hand last month	8 12
Rec'd for butter shipped	2031 72
and sold patrons	11 12
Rec'd from cash sales	35 71
Other sources	16 00
Total	$2102 67
Paid patrons by check,	1852 54
Butter & milk	11 12
Expense fund, etc.	203 39
To sinking fund	33 32
Balance on hand	2 20
Total	$2102 67

Number of patrons, 92.

Price paid for butter fat, 44c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 C. L. Heinze $47. 73, Louis Johnson 40.73, E. A. Erickson 44.89, Nels Gudvangen 45.78, Swan Carlson 50.84, Ed Horien 40.88.

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Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand, t[illegible] in above the turbulence of the waves.—Trinities and Sanctities

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WAR TALKS

By UNCLE DAN

Number Three

How War Methods Have Changed Everybody Must Help.

"Hello, Uncle Dan, Jimmie and I have been waiting for you."

"Sorry if I have kept you long," said Uncle Dan. "Your mother has been telling me how bashful I used to be. She said if a girl spoke to me I would blush to my hair roots. Well, I reminded her of the time your father first came to see her and the joke we played on them, so I guess that will hold her for a while."

Continuing, Uncle Dan said: "You want to talk more about the war, do you? Well, war methods have undergone many changes and they are still changing. No two wars are fought alike. In early times, the weapons were stones, clubs, spears, bows and arrows, swords, etc. In this kind of warfare, victory was with the strong right arm. Men of enormous size and strength were the great warriors. The invention of gunpowder, however, has changed all this. It has enabled men to kill one another at a considerable distance, and do it wholesale. The war, as we know it now, is a combination of chemicals, machinery, mathematical calculations and highly trained men. Just think of it! Airplanes, submarines, armored tanks, or caterpillars, poison gases, and curtains of fire are all used for the first time in this war; and they are destructive beyond anything heretofore known.

"The methods followed by the kaiser and his allies are simply devilish. He must answer in history to the killing of thousands of innocent women and children. He has broken every international law and every rule of warfare; he has bombarded hospitals and undefended cities, sunk Red Cross ships on errands of mercy; he has destroyed cathedrals and priceless treasures of art that can never be replaced; he has made slaves of his prisoners; he has tried to get us into war with Japan; his emmissaries have blown up our ships, burned our factories and fired our forests. He knows no mercy or honor. The most charitable view to take of this blood-thirsty tyrant is that he is crazy.

"One thing is certain," continued Uncle Dan, with great emphasis, "Our liberty, the safety of our homes and our country, and the security of the world demand the speedy and absolute overthrow of the kaiser and crushing out once and forever the reign of Prussian brutality."

"How about the German people," said Billie.

Uncle Dan replied: "The splendid German people were happy, thrifty, prosperous and contented. They have been tricked into war and made to suffer the tortures of the damned; they have been cruelly and systematically deceived. God grant that the real facts may get to them, and if they do, Lord help the kaiser!"

"Of course the allies will win," said Mrs. Graham.

"Probably so," said Uncle Dan. "But if we are to win, we must go the limit. We must check the awful destruction to shipping by the German submarines, or we may not be able to get food and supplies to our own men and to our allies; we must also put hundreds of thousands, and perhaps millions, of first-class soldiers in the battle-line.

"Food is the first consideration," Uncle Dan continued. "No army can hold out against hunger. It has been said that food will win the war, and this is largely true. Hence the importance of the farm in the war plans of our country."

Mrs. Graham interrupted by saying: "In view of the importance of farming, don't you think, Daniel, that the farmers ought to be exempted from war service?"

"No, a thousand times no," said Uncle Dan, striking the table so hard to emphasize his protest that he tipped over a vase of flowers. "We must have no class legislation. The duty to serve is the common duty of all, and no class must be relieved of this obligation. The question of exemption must be a personal one and decided by the facts surrounding each case. In no other way can we have a square deal, and to insure this, it is the duty of congress to pass immediately the Chamberlain bill, or some such measure, which is fair to all classes. It would settle all these questions and do it fairly. Safety now and safety hereafter demands such legislation, and let me suggest that you and your friends get busy with your congressman and senators and urge them to prompt action.

"It is time for us to realize that we are not living in a fools' paradise; that this great country of ours cost oceans of blood and treasure and it is only due to the loyalty, sacrifice and service of our forefathers that we have a country, and it is our highest duty to preserve it unimpaired and pass it on to posterity, no matter what the cost may be. Our citizenship and their ancestors came from all parts of the world to make this country a home and enjoy its blessings and opportunities; hence, in the crisis before us, it is the duty of everyone to stand squarely back of our country and be prepared to defend the flag. Everyone in this crisis is either pro-American or pro-German. Great as the country is, there is not room enough for two flags."

Christmas Program

Given by the Holt Public School

at the Public School Building at 7:30

Thursday evening Dec. 20

1	America	School and Audience
2	"A Little Wish"	Alice Oien
3	Song	Chorus
4	Recitation "Bells across the snow"	3 5th grade Boys
5	Christmas Greeting	Three Second Grade Girls
6	Song, "Away in a Manger"	Fourth Grade Boys
7	Recitation A Merry Christmas Eve	Ida Kjelgren
8	"Christmas Acrostic"	Second Grade Pupils
9	Flag Exercise	Fifth Grade Girls
10	Song, St. Nick's Visit	Pupils from Primary room
11	Dialog, America and Japan	Alice Swan and Alice Sandberg
12	Recitation "I'm a very little girl"	Gertrude Reierson
13	Recitation "My Christmas Secret"	Alfa Strom
14	Recitation "Bill Jones' Neighbor"	Marvin Sandberg
15	Playette Mrs. Brown's Mistake	
16	Christmas Bell Drill	Girls from Primary room
17	Recitation "The Mousie"	Kenneth Sandberg
18	Monolog "Easy Xmas Shopping"	Leonard Ellestead
19	"Ten Little Scholars"	Primary Class
20	Recitation	Myron Adams
21	Recitation "Jes Before Xmas"	Fritchoff Knutson
22	Pantomine "Newsboy Tim"	
23	"Snowflakes are Falling"	Third Grade Girls
24	Recitation and Christmas Carol	
25	Play "Christmas at Stebbinses"	

A Christmas Comedy in Two Acts

Cast of Characters

Mr. Raymond, a well-to-do business man of the city	Leonard Swan
Mrs. Raymond, his wife, a society woman	Gladys Ellestad
Mr. Stebbins, a genial farmer	Lloyd Knutson
Mrs. Stebbins, his big hearted wife	Myrtle Sollom
Grandma Stebbins, his old mother	Selma Saastad
Hettie and Tom, children of Stebbins'	Doris Sandberg, Melvin Bakke
Joe, an orphan who lives with Stebbins'	Walmer Riesberg
Job Jarley, the hired man	Walter Sandberg
Mary, the "Help"	Ruby Swan

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Merry Christmas to all our readers.

D. Payne of Leonard was here on business Tuesday and Wednesday.

Annie Erickson spent Saturday and Sunday of last week at [illegible] Stienager's.

[illegible] Adams went to Dugdale Monday to attend the funeral of a cousin.

[illegible] Knutson has bot the Golds[illegible] farm of 1[illegible]0 acres which lies a [illegible] southwest of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alkenbrack and little daughter, departed Wednesday for their home at [illegible], N. D.

The young folks gave Rudolph Reierson a party Saturday night and presented him with a [illegible].

The Lincoln High school of T. R. Falls will put on a play here next Wednesday evening evening for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken entertained Mr. and Mrs. Sandberg, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Swan, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack and Mr. and Mrs. John Alkenbrack last Sunday.

C. Martel left Saturday for a point near Duluth where his wife has some timber which he will cut for logs. Mr. Martel took ten team along with him. Oscar Anderson went with him.

Messrs A. Bjerk, C. L. Heinze, Alfred Anderson, F. E. Hall and their wives, Rev. Ordahl and family, Miss Stella Malberg, Guy Anderson and O. H. Nohre were entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mickelson and family.

School closes to day for a two weeks vacation. Prof. Hall and wife will sped the vacation with their folks at Little Falls and Miss Martha Peterson with her folks at Vining. Miss Helen Johnson will not go home this vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson called at O. Mattson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ellestead have moved out to her sisters, Mrs. Gubrud, and will make it their home while Mr. Gubrud is in the hospital. The Ellestead children are living in the old postoffice building so as to remain in the school here.

A man of the hour, strong, fearless, powerful; convincing and eloquent; attractive in his personality, is Dr. Barker.—J. P. Dolliver. Dr. Barker will lecture at the M. W. A. hall Friday eve Dec. 21. Hear him.

U. S Thrift Stamps, in denominations of 25c each, are now on sale at the postoffices and by the rural carriers. Ask them for full information. If each person in the U. S. would buy at least one Thrift Stamp it would make Uncle Sam 25 million dollars to help win the war. $4.00 worth of stamps and 12c cash will buy a $5.00 Certificate at any time next month.

Called to the Colors

Ed. Bjerk, Victor Johnson, Willie Sorum, Rudolph Reierson and Thos. Anderson were sent notices Friday to report at Warren at 10 o'clock Monday morning. They left Crookston Tuesday morning in company with 70 more Marshall Co. boys for California where they will be assigned to the coast artillery service.

The best wishes of their friends will follow them.

A Success.

The musical entertainment given by members of the Red Cross at the B. Docken home Saturday evening was a success in every way. The following ladies entertained for the "eats": Mesdames B. J. Bakke, Alfred Anderson, A. L. Carlson, F. E. Hall and B. Docken. The lunch and sale of cakes netted the Red Cross over $18.00, also four new members were added to their growing list.

Red Cross News

The Red Cross Society will not meet during the holidays, but will again begin work Jan. 4th.

Those wanting yarn or sewing material to work on during the holidays may get the same at the school house.

The working committee composed of Mrs. Gunheim as chairman and Mrs. Christianson and Mrs. R. Olson met at the school house Monday and packed a box of articles to send to Warren. There were several articles sent. This certainly shows enthusiasm and ardous workmanship on the part of those who helped to make up the articles. The following articles were sent:

3 kaki sweaters, 1 hospital shirt, 1 pair wristlets, 1 scarf, 6 pair socks and 10 water bags.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Christmas services Wilson school house Sunday Dec. 23, at 11 a. m.

Sunday School in Holt at 3 p. m. All taking part in Christmas program should be there.

Christmas services in Holt Dec. 25th, Christmas Day at 10:45.

Christmas tree in church Dec. 28, at 7 o'clock p. m. Admission 10c and 5c, children taking part free.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Gust Gubrud returned yesterday to his home at Bagley.

Zion Ladies Aid will hold their auction sale Dec. 28th. at 12:30 at J. M. Jahr's. Lunch for sale and girls bring parcels.

I have closed my meat market for the winter. Thanking you all for past favors, I wish you a Merry Christmas.

O. J. Backlund.

No cream will be taken in at the creamery for the next two Mondays Dec. 24th. and 31st, but will be received only on Thursdays for those weeks.

P. L. Anderson, Butter Maker.

Red Cross service flags were given out at the school house last night. Put one in your window Christmas eve. It will add to their beauty if you place a lighted candle back of the service flags, from 7:30 to 9 P. M., which is the suggested duration of this Christmas ceremony.

All along the line nothing but the best of reports of Dr. Barker and his work. A pleasure and a joy to meet him.—Russell H. Conwell, D. D.

Our people will enjoy meeting at the Woodman hall at 8 o'clock Friday evening Dec. 21st to hear Dr. Geo. L. Barker's greatest address.

Stiener News

Harvey Copp spent Sunday with his parents.

[illegible] Warring called at the Roger's home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers passed Saturday and Sunday in Thief River Falls.

Arthur Simonson transacted business in this berg on Wednesday.

M. O. Saguen made a business trip to Thief River Falls, Wednesday of last week.

John Whitman has been soliciting for the Red Cross Society the past few days.

Miss Lena Reidl journeyed to Thief River Falls Saturday with Mrs. Nick Baker.

Nick Baker was at the store last Wednesday.

S. R. Rogers had feed ground at Mr. Swanson's home last Saturday.

Sunnyside

A merry Xmas. and a happy and prosperous New Year to all.

Mrs. L. Wegge was an over Sunday visitor at the home of her daughter Mrs. A. L. Carlson at T. R. Falls.

Alice Sorum accompanied her brother Willie to Warren Monday returning home Tuesday.

Miss Tillie Knutson gave a birthday party to several of her young friends Sunday.

Emma Kuehne went to Warren the fore part of the week. She was accompanied to T. R. Falls by her brother Otto.

Several friends called on Willie Sorum Saturday evening to bid him good bye and wish him good luck.

Albin Knauf came up from T. R. Falls Monday and visited at the Kuehne home until Tuesday.

Ed. Bjerk went to T. R. Falls Saturday and was a Sunday visitor at the A. L. Carlson home.

Wood Wanted!

We want to buy about ten cords of dry and about ten cords of green tamarack and spruce wood. Please state price per cord delivered at the school house in District No. 158.

S. G. Svenkeson,
District Clerk.

Wood Choppers Wanted

$1.60 a cord will be paid for chopping poplar wood. Brush cleaning by the acre. Call at

Ramaley's Farm.
5 mi east of Holt.

Notice!

Dr. R. L. Olson is the only man that looks after the interests of The Town Site Co. land at Holt and due notice is hereby given not to remove any of their timber, either green or dry, off from any of their land, under penalty of prosecution to the full extent of the law.

Dr. R. L. Olson,
Holt, Minn.

Flax Straw Wanted.

We want to buy four or more carloads of loose flax straw at once.

B. Docken.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, (Seal) Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Southeast of Holt.

Messrs. Simon Moe, Ben Brokke and Thom Bakken left on Monday for Bemidji, where they expect to be employed in the woods during the winter months.

Mrs. G. Michaelson, Oliver Michaelson, Alma Soiney, Gusa and Gunda Olson were Sunday afternoon visitors at the J. Faiman home.

Ralph Hanson was fortunate enough to kill a wolf on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson and children were pleasantly entertained at the M. Sampson home on Sunday.

Engebreth Moe of Golden Valley spent the first of the week at the home of his father, S. Moe.

Mrs. Christ Anderson and son Goverence of Shanawan, Sask. Can. are the guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Sordahl.

Mrs. Ole Peterson entertained the Ladies Aid on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Guttrud is enjoying a visit with relatives in different parts of Iowa.

Gunder Gunderson of Sask Canada has been visiting friends and relatives in this community.

Every body is busy these days hauling hay home from Elm Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simonson visited at Nick Baker's home Sunday.

Olga Klungness who has been employed at Union N. Dak. for the past few months, returned to her home Tuesday.

Peter Michaelson is busy baling hay this week.

Joseph Klungness while operating an engine last Wednesday got the thumb of his left hand entirely pinched off. He was immediately taken to the hospital for treatment. Mr. Klungnes also had his tonsils removed and was brought home on Monday and is getting along as nicely as could be expected.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies

which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

Samson Windmills!

The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction. They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.

See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.

Davidson Bros., Agents
Holt, Minn.

We print sale bills.

To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, has taken possession of the property and business of the Farmers State of Holt, for the purpose of liquidation, and having appointed G. Howard Smith of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as Special Deputy Examiner, to assist in the liquidation of said Bank and the distribution of its assets.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That all persons who may have claims against the said Farmers State Bank of Holt shall present the same to the Superintendent of Banks, and make a legal proof thereof, and file such claim with G. Howard Smith, Special Deputy Examiner, at his office at 209 Citizens State Bank Building, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before the 22nd day of December 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that this notice be published in The Holt Weekly News, a legal newspaper published in the Village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, weekly for three consecutive months, and that a copy of this notice be mailed to all persons whose names appear as creditors on the books of said Bank, or who may be known as creditors of said Bank.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn.
September, 11th, 1917.

F. E. Pearson
Superintendent of Banks
For The State of Minnesota.

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New Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
and
Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory

Richard Joringdal, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

Dr. R. E. Spinks

Physician and Surgeon
Office at Drug Store
Middle River, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.18
Oats	65
Barley	96 to 1.21
Rye	1.66
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

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Fresh Oysters Tuesdays

Prompt Service at all Times

Albert Bennes - Holt

Announcement

New Garage!

I have opened a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building. New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New. All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

Ole Hammerness

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H. Peterson, Prop.

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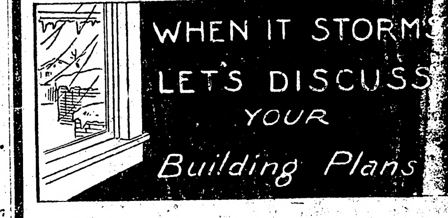
In connection with teams and rigs

Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.



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HOLT, MINN.

MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

U. S.—Teutonic War News

Secretary of the Navy Daniels announced at Washington receipt of advices, showing that 16 naval men on the steamship Actaeon, sunk by a German submarine November 24, have been saved; two are dead and two unaccounted for.

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Creation of an allied naval council to co-ordinate the naval operations of all the nations at war with the central powers was announced at Washington in a cablegram to the navy department from Admiral Benson at Paris. Members of the council, established in accordance with the plans of the interallied conference, will report to their respective governments with recommendations for action.

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A number of American railway engineers have been killed by German aerial bombs in a town somewhere behind the British front, says a dispatch from France.

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"A serious calamity and a national disgrace are inevitable" if surgical dressings are not sent to France with all possible speed, according to a cablegram from Maj. Grayson M. P. Murphy, head of the American Red Cross in France, which was made public at New York.

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The first American shot in the war against Austria was fired on the Italian front when Representative Tinkham of Boston pulled the string of a 1.49 millimeter gun, hurling a shell across the Austrian line.

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Foreign

Felix Calonder, vice president of the republic and head of the department of the interior, was elected president of Switzerland for 1918.

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John Johansen, helmsman on the Norwegian steamer Imo, the Belgian relief ship whose collision with the ammunition steamer Mont Blanc led to the disaster at Halifax, was detained as a German spy suspect.

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Dispatches received at Geneva by way of Vienna report that the sultan of Turkey is seriously ill.

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German greed has overreached itself again. Supremely arrogant over the manner in which the Russian bolsheviki fell in with its proposals for an armistice, the German high control, Washington learned, has demanded peace terms which bid fair to unite all Russia into a potent anti-German force.

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Winston Spencer Churchill, minister of munitions, spoke at Bedford, England, on the allies' war aims. He said the situation was more serious than it had been reasonable three months ago to expect. His address was a warning against premature peace and an indorsement of President Wilson's statement of war aims embodied in his recent speech to congress.

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Washington

Without roll call the house at Washington passed the post office appropriation bill, carrying $331,316,070, and the urgency deficiency measure, extending the appropriation of $100,000,000 made last year to the president for use until June 30, 1918. Of this amount $30,000,000 has been expended and $50,000,000 apportioned.

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The searchlight of "pitiless publicity" will be turned by congress on every phase of the administration of the war, it was assured. The house at Washington ordered a sweeping investigation of the administration of the navy. Secretary Daniels will be called to testify.

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Secretary Baker at Washington made this reply to General Crozier's charge that he is responsible for the failure, until June 17 last, to make a choice of machine guns: "I am responsible for anything that goes on in the war department. I have been much interested in the subject of machine guns. I appointed a board to pass on them. I can't say anything for publication. Our adversaries would be glad to acquire information."

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Profiteers in wool were subjected to a scathing rebuke by the war trade board at Washington. No justification, according to the board, exists for the advance of 200 per cent above pre-war prices.

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Claus A. Spreckels, president of the Federal Sugar Refining company, testifying before the senate manufactures subcommittee at Washington in the sugar investigation, declared there is no sugar shortage "except in spots." One of the spots is the eastern United States, he said.

CONQUEST AND KULTUR

There are races which are incapable of attaining a high humanity, incapable of influencing the world. Such nations are destined to hew wood and draw water for dominant nations. If they cannot fill this inferior office, they must perish.

To a far greater extent than the French and English—races continually talking of freedom—we Germans have made such progress in social equalization that we may consider ourselves far beyond the Romans; and this in spite of the hostile Western powers.

We notice with anger and horror how the British nation in its entirety has shown itself false, cruel, and criminal, just as the French have proved themselves in the treatment of their prisoners barbarians.

I for my part am convinced that the French are doomed to perdition, and I feel myself free of every emotion of regret. Politically France may still exist for centuries, but the nation is so dependent for its life on admixture that after the life of a few generations it will be no more.—Professor Rudolph Huch, in Tagliche Rundschau, of Berlin.

President Wilson issued a proclamation at Washington in which he urged everybody not already a member to join the Red Cross during the membership campaign starting next Sunday and continuing until Christmas eve.

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Food Administrator Hoover will issued at Washington a supplemental food card within a few days to the 12,000,00 food conservation signers, announcing that the food administration's sugar rationing plan for the United States provides for three pounds of sugar per month to each person during the coming year.

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Domestic

Frank Farrington, president of the Illinois United Mine Workers of America, and all but one of the mine union officials of the state have been reelected. Returns from the election held at Springfield, Ill., show Pio Franckney of Spring Valley has been elected international board member.

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In a final effort to relieve the serious coal situation in Ohio, Gov. James Cox is preparing charges which, he declares, will be forwarded to President Wilson at once against F. C. Baird of Cleveland, head of the lake coal shipping pool. Cox charges Baird represents the coal operators and not the interest of consumers, and will demand his dismissal.

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Currency amounting to $46,730 was seized by five robbers when they held up ten employees of the State bank at La Grange, Ill., and escaped.

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A fuel oil fire in the fireroom of the United States navy tug caused the death of three men and serious injury to another, the navy department at Washington announced. The dead are: Bruce W. Ross, Lloyd J. Hampton and William M. Williams. The injured man is Ellsworth L. Trumbull of Martinsville, Ind.

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On account of the present shortage of coal in New York one of the largest real estate companies in the city, operating 140 apartment houses, commenced to turn off the heat in all its houses between the hours of 11 a. m. and 3 p. m.

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Fire destroyed 20 stores at Picher, Okla., the largest town in the lead and zinc mining district. The loss is estimated at $150,000.

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An embargo on all export freight, except for the United States government on all railroads reaching North Atlantic seaboard ports, was ordered by the general operating committee at New York.

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Frank J. Kusack, his wife and Mrs Hanora Madagan, his mother-in-law, were found asphyxiated by gas in their home at Chicago.

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European War News

The Germans succeeded in entering a British first-line trench on a 300-yard front near Ypres, says the official report issued at London.

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Peace now would be a betrayal of the entente powers' peoples. The allies are moving steadily toward victory. The entry of the United States insures the defeat of Prussianism despite the defection of the Russians. This was the message given to the world by Premier David Lloyd George, who was speaking to the lawyers at Grey's Inn, in London.

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Funchal, capital of the Madeira islands, has been bombarded by a German submarine, says a dispatch from Lisbon, Portugal. Forty shells were fired, killing or wounding a number of persons and damaging several buildings. The submarine fled on being attacked.

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The torpedoing of two Austrian battleships in the harbor of Trieste by Italian torpedo craft on the night of December 9 is reported in a message received at New York by Commander C. Pfister of the Italian navy.

HUNS DESTROY 10 CONVOYED SHIPS

Sink Destroyer, Mine Sweepers, British and Neutral Merchantmen in North Sea.

TONNAGE LOSS 8,000

Raid Duplicates Successful Foe Enterprise of Last October When Several Norwegian Merchantment Were Sunk Without Warning.

London, Dec. 18.—One British and five neutral merchantmen, a British destroyer and four mine sweepers have been sunk in the North Sea by German naval forces.

Tonnage Loss 8,000.

The losses were the result of an attack on a convoy bound from Scotland to Norway, Sir Eric Geddes, first lord of the admiralty, announces. The total tonnage of the lost merchantmen was 8,000.

Duplicates October Raids.

The German raid duplicates the successful enterprise of last October carried out by two German raiders which attacked a convoy in the North sea. They sank nine neutral merchantmen and two of the escorting British destroyers. Five Norwegian, three Swedish and one Danish vessel were sunk without warning. They were armed heavily and succeeded in evading the British watchers on the return as well as the outward trip.

Three Ships Lost Dec. 12.

London. Dec. 18.—Two neutral merchant vessels and a trawler were sunk off the Tyne December 12 by German destroyers, Thomas J. MacNamara, financial secretary to the admiralty, has just announced in the house of commons.

REVEALS WAR OFFICE SHIFTS

Baker Rearranges High Commands—Post for Goethals.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Rearrangement of some of the high commands in the War department is indicated by the detachment of officers designated by Secretary Baker to sit in the department's war council.

It has become definitely known that Major General Goethals, builder of the Panama canal, has been offered the place of quartermaster general to succeed Major General Sharpe.

Provost Marshal General Crowder is the only officer assigned to the war council who will not be detached from his present office.

LABOR BOARD BEGINS PROBE

Arrives In Twin Cities to Investigate Controversy.

Minneapolis, Dec. 18.—President Wilson's special commission to investigate labor conditions, headed by William B. Wilson, secretary of labor, has arrived in Minneapolis and at once began conferences on the "button issue" and the resultant labor controversy.

It called on Governor Burnquist and later conferred with a committee representing union labor, headed by E. G. Hall, president of the State Federation of Labor.

5,500,000 IN GERMAN ARMIES

Numerical Strength of Foe Estimated by French Critic.

Paris, Dec. 18.—German combatant forces on all fronts are estimated at 3,130,000 by the military critic of L'Echo de Paris. His estimate of the present total strength of the German army is 5,500,000. Noncombatant units, which he says total 2,370,000 men, are needed for guarding the frontier, occupying the invaded territory, and maintaining the long line of communication.

Wilson Dismisses Georgia Draft Board.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 18.—The entire membership of the Fulton county exemption board has been summarily dismissed on orders from President Wilson, on charges involving "unwarranted exemptions and discharges," and the case has been turned over to the Department of Justice.

S. D. CONRESSMAN ENLISTS AS PRIVATE

Washington, Dec. 18.—Representative Royal C. Johnson of Aberdeen, S. D., has enlisted as a private in the regular army and has been assigned to Camp Meade. He has not resigned his seat in the House.

U. S. Orders Million Enfield Rifles.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Army ordnance conditions at the beginning of the present fiscal year are treated only briefly by Major General Crozier, chief of ordnance, in the annual report of his bureau, just made public. Since the report was written General Crozier has furnished the Senate military committee a much more complete record of what has been done to arm forces in France or under training in the United States. Up to June 30 orders have been placed for 1,000,000 Enfield rifles.

RUSS ARMISTICE EFFECTIVE NOW

Slavs and Teutons Sign Agreement to Stop All Hostilities Until January 14.

ALLIES TO HELP RUSSIA

Will Do All Possible To Prevent Economic Collapse of Nation, Says London Dispatch—Kaiser Not To Transfer Troops.

Berlin, Dec. 18.—According to an official announcement just issued an armistice agreement between the Bolsheviki government and the Teutonic allies has been signed at Brest-Litovsk.

The armistice becomes effective at once and is to remain in force until January 14.

A provision in the armistice agreement is that peace negotiations are to begin immediately after the signing of the armstice.

The text of the communication follows:

"An armistice agreement was signed at Brest-Litovsk by plenipotentiary representatives of the Russian upper army administration on the one hand and those of the upper army administration of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey on the other hand.

"The armistice begins at once, and remains in force until January 14, 1918. Unless seven days' notice is given, it continues in force automatically. It extends to all the land, air and naval forces of the common fronts.

"According to Clause 9 of the treaty peace negotiations are to begin immediately after signing of an armistice."

Allies to Help Russia.

London, Dec. 18.—While the Russians were continuing to make progress in the ratification of an armistice arrangement with Germany, the Entente governments apparently were approaching an agreement for more sympathetic dealings with the Bolsheviki government. The adoption of a more tolerant attitude toward Russia is said to have been urged by American delegates to the recent Paris conference, and this viewpoint now apparently has been adopted by all members of the Entente.

ANOTHER TEUT PLOT BARED

Berlin Would Cause Trouble Between U. S. and Japan.

Honolulu, Dec. 18.—While the ship's band was playing lively tunes to drown out all tell-tale sounds, the wireless apparatus of the German cruiser Geier, at the time she was interned in this harbor, relayed messages between German agents in the United States and Japan in furtherance of a plot to embroil the two countries in war, according to an article printed in the Star-Bulletin here.

The article, published with authority of the United States Naval Intelligence bureau, declares that the seal placed on the Geier's wireless by the American government was broken by the Germans.

This information was obtained from the diary of Captain Grasshoff of that vessel, the article states. Grasshoff's diary says, according to the article, that in November, 1914, and February, 1917, messages ordering widespread promulgation of reports that Japanese forces were to land in Mexico and German forces in Canada were handled by the Geier's wireless.

ITALIANS CALLED TO COLORS

Government Summons 2,000,000 More Fighters.

Rome, Dec. 18.—Italy has called all men of the classes of 1874 to 1899 to the colors. The action is officially described as designed to "be ready for whatever may occur." The Italian contingents now under arms are officially stated to be 4,200,000. Besides these 800,000 men previously rejected on physical grounds have been called upon to submit themselves for re-examination. Altogether the steps taken will add more than 2,000,000 men to the forces under control of the war ministry, many of whom will be developed into first line effectives.

SHIP CREWS MAKE TROUBLE

Quartermaster General Would Put Them in Military Service

Washington, Dec. 18.—Immediate legislation to bring crews of transports, mine layers, and other army vessels into military service is urgently recommended by Quartermaster General Sharpe in his annual report just made public.

Continual difficulties with civilian crews are described, with the conclusion that grave danger can be averted only by making officers and men subject to military discipline.

Gregory Scores U. S. Critics.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—America's entrance into the world war was due to the inevitable trend of events, Thomas Watt Gregory, attorney general of the United States, told members of the guests of the Iroquois club, leading Democratic organization of Chicago, at a banquet. "To ask whether the United States was justified in entering the war indicates profound ignorance or a diseased brain," he said. "This is a war of extermination not of peoples, but of systems—the system of autocracy as against democracy."

ALLIES FORM NAVAL COUNCIL

Navies of Nations Fighting Teutons To Now Work as Unit in Pressing War at Sea.

FORM BOARD IN PARIS

Flag Officers To Represent Secretary Daniels and Admiral Benson, United States Representative On Body.

Washington. Dec. 17.—A cablegram to the navy department from Admiral Benson in Paris announces the creation of an Allied naval council to co-ordinate the naval operations of all the nations at war with the Teutonic powers.

Members of the council established in accordance with the plans of the inter-Allied conference, will report to their respective government with recommendations for action.

Meetings to Be in Europe.

The council will be composed of the minister of marine and chief of naval staff of each country, in the case of the United States Secretary Daniels and Admiral Benson. As the meetings must be held in Europe, flag officers designated by their governments will represent the members from both the United States and Japan.

Admiral Benson's message says:

Close Co-operation Sought.

"It has been decided to create a naval allied council in order to insure the closest touch and complete co-operation between the Allied fleets. The duty of the council will be to watch over the general naval conduct of the war and the co-ordination of effort at sea as well as the development of all scientific operations connected with the conduct of the war.

"The council will make all the necessary recommendations to enable the government to make decisions. It will keep itself informed as to the execution of plans decided upon. The members of the councill will report to their respective governments as may be necessary.

Other Details of Plan.

"It has been decided that the council should consist of the ministers of marine of the nations represented and of the chiefs of the naval staffs. As the meeting of the council will of necessity be held in Europe the chiefs of the general naval staus of the United States and Japan will be represented by flag officers nominated by their respective governments. The Allied naval council will be provided with a permanent secretariate whose business it will be to collect and collate all necessary information, etc.

"The council will meet as often as may be thought necessary under the presidency of the minister of marine of the country in which the meeting is held."

WOMAN IS GIVEN FIVE YEARS

Kate O'Hare Defies Judge When Sentence is Passed.

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 15.—A sentence of five years in the penitentiary at Jefferson City was imposed by Judge Martin J. Wade of Des Moines on Mrs. Kate Richards O'Hare, convicted of making utterances in a speech at Bowman, N. D., last summer, tending to discourage obedience to the military regulations.

The sentence followed a long speech by Mrs. O'Hare, in which she reiterated statements declaring her opposition to war and defied Federal Judge Wade to do his worst.

Witnesses at her trial testified that Mrs. O'Hare declared in her speech at Bowman that "mothers who raised their sons to be cannon fodder were no better than a farmer's brood sow," and that "young men who are foolish enough to enlist or volunteer are only good enough for German fertilizer."

Mrs. O'Hare was editor of a Socialist newspaper in St. Louis and later went on a lecture tour.

Heirs to Pay $3,000,000 Tax.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 15.—Heirs of Mrs. Robert Bingham, formerly Mrs. Henry Flagler of New York, wife of the late railroad magnate, have agreed to pay nearly $3,000,000 inheritance taxes on the Bingham $80,000,000 estate. This will be enough to wipe out Kentucky's debt.

Cuban Senate Adops War Measure.

Havana, Dec. 15.—The Senate has unanimously adopted a resolution declaring that a state of war between Cuba and Austria-Hungary exists. The resolution was the same as that passed by the House previously.

Camp Police Women Are Popular.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Policewomen are becoming increasingly popular as patrols about America's military camps, Mrs. Philip North Moore, head of the health and recreation department of the National Defense Council's woman's committee said. The addition of this feminine touch to the stern hand of law is in response to a general public demand. In many places the women have abolished undesirable female elements around the camps and have safeguarded the morals of the boys in camp.

POLICEMAN SAVES DOLL FROM FIRE

Heart of Unsentimental Police Sergeant Hears Call of a Child.

TAKES LIFE IN HANDS

Rushes Back Into Burning Building, After Saving Many Lives, to Rescue Plaything of Little Girl.

Chicago.—It is necessary to say that police sergeants are cold, stern, severe, exacting and utterly devoid of sentiment. It is only fair to say that Martin Mulvihill is a police sergeant of the Chicago avenue station. It is a fact there was a fire one evening recently in the apartment building of four stories at 543 North Michigan avenue (old Pine street).

When Sergeant Mulvihill espied that fire be loped to a call box, sent in an alarm, and turned. He saw Mrs. John Geisler lowering her infant brother from the third floor by a rope of twisted sheets. He saw the heads of frightened occupants projected from numerous windows—projected, that is, at such times as the clouds of smoke permitted. The whole building was ablaze, and the fine oak woodwork of a time when they builded better popped merrily in the flames.

In Nothing Flat.

Mulvihill tore for the back door, and made the four flights in nothing flat. Charles Snery, who lived there with his wife and child, had started down. Snery slipped, dropped the child a flight, and himself fell far enough to work a fractured leg.

Mulvihill grabbed the child and Snery and bore them out and sent them to a hospital. Then he went back for more. His face was burned and his clothing was a sight. (Oh, coppers buy their own clothing, no matter.) He found Mrs. Otto Miller and her two children of three and six years and took them out. His breath was getting short, but he went back for more.

On the second floor he found Mrs. M. Miller and George Brisley, an actor. He took them out to safety down the smoke-choked stairway. Now his cap was gone, his collar was askew, his coat was on the point of disappearing, and he needed a rest. But he went back for more.

"Do You Think She'll Burn Up?"

On the first floor there remained Mr. and Mrs. Johns, who seemed still unaware of the danger. Mulvihill cussed a wee bit and brought them out. Then he stood there and muttered: "Let 'er go."

Fears for Her Infant.

Perspiration streamed down his face and his hands were blackened and burned. As he stood there he felt a little tug at the skirt of his coat. He glanced down and saw a little girl looking up at him appealingly.

"Please, Mr. Policeman," she was saying, "my name is Annie Johns. We live on the first floor. And I left my doll back of the kitchen stove. Do you think she'll burn up?"

"Th' hell you say," muttered Martin under his breath. Then he nodded to the girl. "Don't cry. I'll be back in a minute."

And before the firemen could stop him, unsentimental Martin Mulvihill plunged back into the burning building. He was gone only a minute. When he came out his face was hotter and his clothes more torn. But he walked over to Annie Johns.

"Don't cry, girl," he said. "Here's your doll."

Nine-Year-Old Girl Shipped by Express.

Boston.—Miss Harriet A. Anderson, nine years old, of Boston, recently was shipped from that city to the home of her grandparents in Beaufort, S. C., by express, with an express package shipping card fastened to her coat.

Aged Pair Held as Pickpockets.

New York.—Mrs. Madeline Zinslee, aged seventy-seven years, and Joseph Jones, aged 84, are under arrest in New York charged with shoplifting. They are held under $1,000 bail.

GREATER EFFICIENCY. REDUCED COST

Grow Grain in Western Canada, Make Profits, and Show Greater Patriotism.

The nation-wide cry of "More Efficiency" has now reached even the most remote agricultural sections and there is a general interest amongst the farmers to increase their products and to reduce their expenses. The need of foodstuffs is greater than the world has ever before known, and every effort is being used to meet the world's food requirements, becoming more apparent every day. While it is true that this desire is attested by a general patriotism, there is an underlying factor in this extension work to secure some of the benefits that are being offered by a ready market at maximum prices. Wide-spread attention has been given to the opportunity in this respect in Western Canada, where fortunes are being made in a few crops out of grain at present prices.

It has been found that the open, level prairie can be cultivated for wheat and other small grains at a minimum price, and during the past few years the yields have been more than satisfactory. Wheat crops of forty bushel to the acre have been common in Western Canada in the last three or four years, and with a present available price of over $2.00 per bushel this means a return on investment and labor that cannot be duplicated elsewhere. This is made possible by the low priced lands that can be secured for grain growing. The range in price runs from $15 to $25 per acre, according to location and other local conditions. In this period of "more agricultural efficiency" it is apparent at a glance that the farmer on low priced but high grade lands, growing his grain at a minimum cost, is reaping a golden harvest with the highest percentage of profit.

The cultivator of high priced farm lands has a big handicap to overcome in computing his profits on a $200 an acre farm as compared with the agriculturist reaping as great, if not greater return from $25 an acre land.

It therefore becomes a question for the farmer himself to answer, whether he is doing himself and his country the best service, by devoting all his energies to working high priced land that yields no better return than land that can be secured at one-eighth the price. It is a case of getting either minimum or maximum quantity. Many have already decided on the alternative, and with their spare money invested in and now working Western Canada lands, they are allowed to speak for themselves. Apparently they are satisfied, for we learn of cases where on a $4,000 investment, in one year they have had their money back, with a profit of from 50% to 100%. Such is one of the steps in progressiveness now being demonstrated in the effort to create greater efficiency. The Canadian Government is using every effort to bring these conditions to the attention of the agricultural world, in order to secure the necessary increased grain production so greatly needed. The farmer in Western Canada is exempt from all personal taxes. His buildings, stock and implements are not assessed; and every encouragement is given to farmers to improve and increase their farm output. Reduced railway rates are being offered to new settlers to look over the country and to size up an unprecedented opportunity in farming.—Advertisement.

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Tee Hee.

Mistress—Mary, have you been upstairs and left the bedroom door open?

Maid—Oh, no; I haven't been up since I came down.

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Christmas Tree For the Birds

Mr. and Mrs. Song Sparrow, the Misses Flicker, Cock Robin, Miss Jennie Wren, Sir Woodpecker and other members of the feathered Four Hundred who were lured by warm days at beginning of one winter into stopping with us, only to find themselves sadly hit later by the high cost of living, were thrown into a flutter of excitement by cards issued by Miss Louise Laidlaw of Sands Point, N. Y., to a birds' Christmas tree party.

It was held in the bird sanctuary on the Laidlaw place, near the commodious home built for bird tenants in a sheltering elm there. The tree was the finest ever.

For days little Miss Louise was busy in the pauses of her lessons, stringing cranberries, popcorn, nuts and other dainties beloved of birds. Strings of red skinned apples, cut into tiny pieces convenient for birds to peck at, were a prominent feature of the decorations, and so were bacon rinds and lumps of suet, which are good to keep warmth in the little bodies when the cold creeps under their feathered coats.

The Birds' Christmas Tree.

Miss Louise, who spent most of her time in the country, studied the ways of the birds and their likings, and she knew that they are as strongly attracted by bright colored things as are children. That is why the tree was made pretty with gay tinted berries.

There was a large attendance, and no birds were turned away, no matter how shabby their coats or disreputable their reputations. The blustering little English sparrows were welcomed with the rest, although they tried to bully the others. Even grouchy old Sir Crow was permitted to peck a bit.

The Spanish Santa Claus.

In Spain, however, it is not Santa Claus, but one of the three kings, no less a person, indeed, than Balthasar, who is the purveyor of gifts. He is always represented as a negro, even in the pictures of the old masters, and as such he survives in Spanish legend. On the eve of the Epiphany the children leave their shoes and boots out in some convenient spot near the chimney, to find them laden with gifts in the morning. Boots, in fact, preceded the stocking everywhere, the superior advantages of the latter as a receptacle having been a recent discovery. In Belgium to this day the children give their shoes an extra fine polish on Christmas eve, fill them with hay, oats or carrots for Santa Claus' white horse and put them on the table or set them in the fireplace. The room is then carefully closed and the door locked. In the morning a strange thing is found to have occurred. The furniture is all turned topsy turvy, the fodder has been removed from the shoes, and in its place the good little children find all sorts of nice things and the bad ones only rods made of birch. In other localities baskets, dishes and wooden ware are made the receptacles. But the elasticity of the stocking, its adaptability and the fact that, while it preserves the individuality of the owner like a shoe, it may yet be cleaned and made ready for the reception of edible presents—these characteristics have caused it to grow into general favor among the juvenile votaries of Santa Claus.

Derived From Days of Yore.

It is a beautiful arrangement and derived from the days of yore that this festival, which commemorates the announcement of the religion of peace and love, has been made the season for gathering together of family connections and drawing closer again those bands of kindred hearts which the cares and pleasures and sorrows of the world are continually operating to cast loose, of calling back the children of a family who have launched forth in life and wandered widely asunder, once more to assemble about the paternal hearth, that rallying place of the affections, there to grow young and loving again.—Washington Irving.

"A Visit From St. Nicholas"

WHAT is the best known poem in the world? Not Gray's "Elegy," nor "The Song of the Shirt," nor "The Raven," but "The Night Before Christmas." The author is not so well known as his poem.

One recent Christmas the name of Clement Clarke Moore was honored as never before. Above his grave in the chapel of Holy Trinity cemetery, New York, the choir boys sang carols on the night before Christmas, and a service of light was held. This beautiful ceremonial starts with a procession of torchbearers whose torches are kindled from the leader's flame, and as the line winds through the graveyard the fire is passed back from one to another until the lights grow in number and dispel the surrounding darkness.

The father of Clement Clarke Moore was once the bishop of New York.

"The Night Before Christmas" was published originally without the author's knowledge in the Troy Sentinel two days before Christmas, 1823. Moore had written it the preceding Christmas just for the delight of his own children, but its circulation slipped beyond the family circle, and an unknown friend sent it for publication. The Sentinel readers paid no attention to it, and it passed without comment until seven years later, when the same paper reprinted it. The second reception was very different from the first. "A Visit From St. Nicholas," as it was then entitled, was copied broadcast and its author awoke to find his work, if not himself, famous.

Although Clement Clarke Moore was educated for the ministry, he never took orders. For the greater part of his life he was identified with the New York General Theological seminary, being professor of Biblical learning and Greek and later of oriental languages.

Clement Moore's family life had many sorrows. His wife died at the early age of thirty-five, and the two little daughters, for whom he wrote "The Night Before Christmas," both died in their childhood. His son and namesake lived to the age of sixty-eight and is buried in the family plot.

When "The Night Before Christmas" was first published in the Troy Sentinel the editor wrote:

"We do not know to whom we are indebted for the following description of that unwearied patron of children, that homely but delightful personification of parental kindness, Santa Claus his custom and his equipage, as he goes about visiting the firesides of this happy land, laden with Christmas bounties, but from whomsoever it may have come we give thanks for it. There is to our apprehension a spirit of cordial goodness in it, a playfulness as of fancy and a benevolent alacrity to enter into the feelings and promote the simple pleasures of children which are altogether charming. We hope our little patrons, both lads and lassies, will accept it as a proof of our unfeigned good will toward them, a token of our warmest wish that they may have many a merry Christmas; that they may long retain their beautiful relish for these unbought, home bred joys, which derive their flavor from filial piety and fraternal love and which, they may be assured, are the least alloyed that time can furnish them."—Philadelphia Press.

The "Service of Light."

Christmas Song

Oh, Christmas is a happy [illegible]
When human hearts are light
And human hate have vanished
And all the world looks bright!

And Christmas is a solemn time,
For back long, long ago,
Christ was born to give the world
The joy that we now know.

But not alone at Christmas time
Is happiness and cheer,
For he who really loves the Lord
Hath Christmas all the year
— H S Saddl.

Hints For Your Christmas Menu

Pineapple Appetizer
Clear Tomato Soup
Celery
Roast Duck With Potato Filling and Brown Gravy
Apple Sauce
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Escaloped Onions or Other Vegetable
Fruit Salad
Charlotte Russe
Coffee
Cream Mints

Pineapple Appetizer.

Pare and grate half a pineapple and set in ice cold place until ready to use. Add two tablespoonfuls sugar to the pineapple and serve in cocktail glasses with a little shaved ice. Garnish with a half of maraschino cherry.

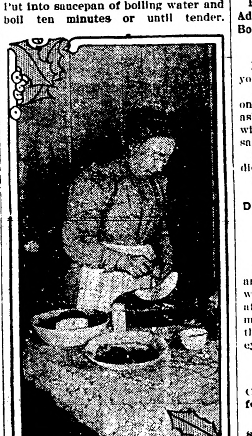
Roast Duck With Potato Filling and Brown Gravy.

Clean the duck same as any other fowl and fill with potato filling made as follows: Three cupfuls mashed potatoes, one cupful breadcrumbs, one teaspoonful of salt, one and one-half teaspoonful grated nutmeg, one-eighth teaspoonful paprika, two tablespoonfuls poultry seasoning, one tablespoonful of chopped celery top, two tablespoonfuls bacon drippings, three tablespoonfuls flour.

Escaloped Onions.

One quart of onions, one tablespoonful butter, one tablespoonful flour, one cupful milk, one and one-half teaspoonful salt, dash white pepper, one-half cupful breadcrumbs.

Put onions into pan of cold water, peel and cut into quarter-inch rings. Put into saucepan of boiling water and boil ten minutes or until tender.



Drain, saving stock for the tomato soup. Brush bake dish with butter; sprinkle with breadcrumbs; put in onions, pour over the cream sauce, cover with breadcrumbs and bake in hot oven until light brown.

Sauce—Melt the butter, add flour and stir until smooth; add milk slowly, stirring constantly until it is smooth and creamy; add salt and pepper and boil two minutes.

Tomato Stars on Lettuce.

Four cupfuls strained tomatoes, one teaspoonful finely cut onion, one-half teaspoonful salt, two tablespoonfuls granulated gelatin, one teaspoonful sugar, a dash white pepper, a dash paprika.

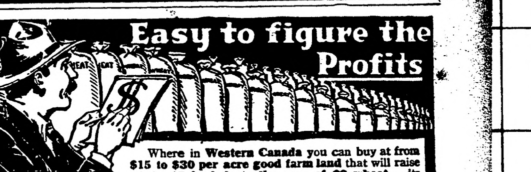
Put the tomatoes and onion in sauce pan; boil ten minutes; add the seasoning and strain through fine strainer. Soak the gelatin in two tablespoonfuls cold water and add to the hot strained tomatoes; stir until dissolved. Pour out on plate or platter which has been rinsed with cold water. When firm cut into small stars with fancy cutter. Put lettuce leaf on salad plate, lay the small stars on and serve with the French dressing.

Frozen Apricots.

A can of apricots, a quart of water, a cupful of sugar, a tablespoonful lemon juice. Mash the apricots through colander or strainer. Add water and sugar. Pack ice cream can with three parts ice and one part salt; then put mixture in. Let stand five minutes; then turn until stiff.

Inexpensive Fruit Cake.

This Southern recipe for cake is made without eggs, which is a decided advantage at the present prices. Mix together one cupful of light brown sugar, molasses and butter, a pinch of salt, heaping teaspoonful each of cinnamon, cloves and ginger, half a nutmeg grated, one teaspoonful of lemon juice and a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a little hot water. Add two cupfuls of floured raisins, a cupful of currants, quarter cupful of citron cut in small pieces and the same quantity of chopped almonds. Mix all together thoroughly and add one cupful of boiling water and then add flour enough to make it so stiff that it will hold the mixing spoon upright and bake in a moderate oven for one hour.



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Mother (excitedly)—And then what did he say?

Bella—He said "Good-by!"

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s. Frank Gilbert of Golden ey returned home Tuesday from ing relatives at Estervan, Can., other points.

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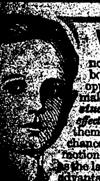

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State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District

In Re Liquidation of The Farmers State Bank of Holt, Minnesota, A Banking Corporation Insolvent.

ORDER

Upon reading the petition of F. E. Pearson, as Superintendent of Banks for the State of Minnesota, having in charge for the purpose of liquidation, the Farmers State Bank of Holt, a corporation, and which petition was duly verified and sworn to by the said F. E. Pearson, on the 16th day of November 1917, and which petition has been duly filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, praying that this Court direct, order and levy an assessment upon each share of the capital stock of the said Farmers State Bank of Holt, and against each and every of the stockholders and persons liable on said stock, in an amount sufficient to pay the indebtedness of said corporation, and the costs and expense involved in the liquidation of the said Farmers State Bank of Holt, and the costs and expense involved in these proceedings, not exceeding the par value of said stock; the persons liable as stockholders in said corporation to be determined by the Court; and the amount of assessment to be fixed and determined by the Court against each and every of the stockholders and persons found by the Court to be liable on said stock, all of which shall be determined at the hearing on said petition, as required by law.

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of G. Halvorson, Attorney for said F. E. Pearson as Superintendent of Banks for the State of Minnesota;

IT IS ORDERED, that said petition be heard before the undersigned, one of the Judges of said Court, at his chambers in the Court House in the City of Warren, Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 22nd day of January 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, at which time and place the Court will receive and consider such proof as may be offered in relation to the matter alleged in said petition by said Receiver and by any of the stockholders and creditors of said Farmers State Bank of Holt, and any other person interested therein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that said Receiver give notice of such hearing by causing a copy of this order to be mailed to each of the stockholders of said Farmers State Bank of Holt, as alleged in said petition, or known to said Superintendent of Banks, at least 30 days prior to such hearing, and by publishing this order in The Holt Weekly News, a weekly newspaper in said County, at least once, which publication shall take place at least 30 days prior to such hearing.

Dated at Warren, Minnesota, this 13th day of December 1917.

BY THE COURT
Andrew Grindeland,
DISTRICT JUDGE.

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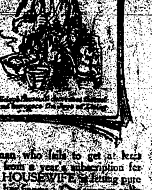

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

We wish everyone a Bright, Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Clarence Docken was a T. R. Falls visitor Friday.

P. L. Anderson spent Christmas with his parents near St. Hilaire.

Miss Mabel Flakne returned home from Canada one day last week.

Rev. F. J. Seltz will conduct services at the Synod church in Holt on New Years day at 1 P. M.

Misses Albertina Nyberg, Andria Ness and Olga Furr, all returned to their homes here Monday from Fargo, N. D.

Mrs. P. A. Riesberg went to Gardena, N. D. Monday to see the little grandson that arrived at the Pavek home that morning.

This village raised $128.50 in the [illegible] which is a little more than the amount apportioned to them by the headquarters at Warren.

The U. S. Navy wants 500 men from this section of the country. All who will not be in the next army draft, can enlist in the navy.

Miss Selma Dovre came from Hillsboro to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dovre.

Miss Mabel Hagglund returned home Saturday from Mavel, N. D. where she has been attending normal school.

Phinney Poppenhagen of Goodridge is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

Miss Amanda Mickelson of Crookston and Miss Josephine Marty of Ada came Saturday to visit at the home of the formers parents during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Melquist and baby went to Erskine Saturday to spend Christmas with relatives. Mr. Melquist returned Wednesday, Mrs. M. remaining there until Friday.

Miss Gunhild Sollom who is teaching near Viking, Miss Olava who is teaching at Mud Lake and Elmer who is clerking for Arvid [illegible] Newfolden, all came home to spend Christmas with their mother, Mrs. T. Sollom and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Heinze pleasantly entertained on Christmas day the following friends: Ole Reierson and family, Knute Knudson, also Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson, Edward and Gustav Erickson and their wives.

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The Christmas Program

The Christmas program given by the Holt public school was a decided success, and showed that a careful selection had been made in the choice of pupils for the different characters of the play, that the pupils had been well trained for all parts of the program and that the selections for the program were all good and appropriate for the occasion.

The proceeds of the lunch served at the close of the program were a little over $28.00, which was divided equally between the school and the Red Cross.

Happy New Year to everybody.

Andrew Ness of T. R. Falls visited relatives here Wednesday.

There is scarcely a place where it is possible to buy coal in any quantity. How's your woodpile?

K. O. Flakne went to T. R. Falls Saturday with Ed Chynka.

Tom Ellefson was a T. R. Falls visitor Tuesday.

Little Stanley Sorenson was given a birthday party at the hotel Wednesday night, to which his little friends were invited.

Bert Odie and Emil Ostlund were visitors in T. R. Falls the first of the week.

Miss Lilly Peterson went home Monday night for a vacation from her duties as clerk in C. H. Gunheim's store.

Keep your New Year resolutions.

John Simonson's check for the month of November, from five cows, was $67.42. Does it pay to keep [illegible] lots of feed? Ask Mr. Simonson.

The tri-county sanitarium at T. R. Falls will be formally opened to the public today (Dec. 28th.)

B. Docken and B. J. Bakke and their families spent Christmas at the D. B. Bakke home in T. R. Falls.

A. B. Jones spent Christmas with his family at Crookston.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of a neat Christmas greeting blotter from Bro. Berg of The Middle River Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Oien and baby went to Shelly Monday to spend Christmas at Mr. Oien's boyhood home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rheuman, Pit Jacobson and Frank Coppy were Sunday visitors at J. E. Erickson's.

This paper and To-Day's Housewife magazine only $1.50 a year.

The winter term of the northwest school of agriculture, at Crookston, opens Jan. 1 and closes Mar. 28.

The Young People's Society meet Saturday night at Mickelson's hotel. Proceeds benefit the soldier boys.

Mrs. G. M. Gubrud went to Winona Friday to visit her folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lufkin of T. R. Falls came Tuesday to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

Gunder Jacobson and Miss Huldah Johnson, who were recently married at Minneapolis, arrived here last Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson and family.

Mrs. Arthur Carlson of Thief River Falls came Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wegge, during the holidays.

A county farm bureau with a membership of 425 has been organized to work in co-operation with the county agricultural agent. J. J. Sinclair of Stephen was elected president and M. L. Warner of Warren, sec'y-treas. Keep the good work going. We need a farmer's club here.

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C. Schwartz called at J. E. Erickson's Monday.

Wonder if the war is to blame for our cold weather?

J. A. Tystad has gone to Howard, S. D. where he expects to stay for sometime.

It's no use to depend on getting any more coal this winter. The sooner everyone gets a big woodpile the better it will be.

B. J. Bakke went to Minneapolis Wednesday.

Mrs. Cavenaugh of T. R. Falls came Wednesday to visit friends.

Gunder Tvedt of Mud Lake visited at J. E. Erickson's Monday evening.

Mrs. Gust Monberg of Alvarado came Friday to visit at the home of Erick Johnson during the holidays.

C. H. Gunheim and A. Bennes and their families were entertained at the Mickelson home on Christmas.

A. H. Huseth was here from Greenbush Friday and little Alice Oien returned home with him the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Erickson came last week Wednesday from their home in Stockholm, Sask. Canada to visit at the home of his brother, J. E. Erickson, and at the of her sister, Mrs. John Simonson, also with friends.

Misses Ther Aikenbrack and Nellie Saastad are spending the holiday vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunder Sorter went to Badger Saturday to visit friends. Mr. Sorter returned home Tuesday, his wife remaining there for a more extended visit.

Carl Engebretson and family, Mrs. N. J. Engebretson, Oscar Hanson Hanson and family, Mrs. Fosholm and children and Teddy Ness were all entertained Wednesday at the home of C. L. Heinze and family.

George Rheuman called at J. E. Erickson's Tuesday.

Mrs. Kouch came from Crookston Monday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Bjerk.

Mrs. Christianson and children went to Albert Lea Minn. Friday to visit relatives during the holidays.

During the past week, R. Reierson has shipped wood to Ada, and Knute Moen has also shipped wood to Hallock. We understand they are unable to get any coal at those places and were glad to get wood at a good price.

Mrs. Albert Halvorson and baby of Hillsboro visited here last week at the homes of her brother and sister, B. J. Bakke and Mrs. Docken.

On account of sickness among the members of the Lincoln high school they were unable to give the play here advertised for Wednesday eve.

More cold weather and snow this week, makes it seem like winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustof Erickson and Annie Erickson visited at Carl Erickson's from Friday until Monday.

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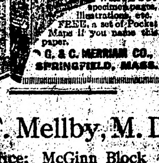

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Miss Olga Furr came Monday to spend Christmas at the home of her mother.

Mitchell & Vandersluis, who for the past eight months have run the T. R. Falls News-Press, have sold out to Bro. Ross of The Times of that city, and the two papers will be consolidated. Mr. Mitchell has bot a half interest in the Bemidji Sentinel and Mr. Vandersluis will remain in T. R. Falls as mechanical supt. of the combined papers. We wish all success in their undertakings.

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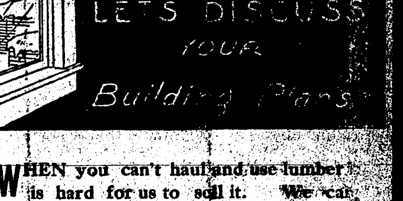

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Happenings of the World Tersely Told

U. S.—Teutonic War News

The kaiser's Christmas peace proposals are out. They reached this country through a "neutral" diplomatic channel. In brief they offer a return to near prewar boundaries, except in the case of Russia, which is to pay the bill. Belgium, northern France, Serbia and Roumania are to be rehabilitated with money that Great Britain is to pay Germany for her lost African colonies. The government at Washington received the unvouched-for offer with the governmental equivalent of a yawn.

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Evidence of a German plot to align the nations of South America against the United States is revealed in telegrams sent to Berlin by the notorious Count von Luxburg, former German charge in Argentina, made public by the state department at Washington.

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The forward gun crew of an American liner reaching an Atlantic port destroyed a submarine after leaving a British port on its voyage, according to stories told by passengers.

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General Pershing cabled the war department at Washington that Lieut. Samuel Miller of the medical officers' reserve corps had been slightly wounded. Lieutenant Miller has been attached to the British forces. His mother lives at Lakeville, Pa.

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Plans well laid by the war department at Washington contemplate the listing for service in the National army under the new questionnaire now being answered by the conscripted men, of a sufficient force to enable President Wilson to issue a call for a new draft about February 1.

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Two sailors were saved by the Germans from the American destroyer Jacob Jones, according to an official German announcement received at Amsterdam.

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Foreign

General Kaledines, the Cossack leader, has proposed to the bolsheviki government at Petrograd, Russia, that civil strife cease, stipulating the independence of the Don territory and nonintervention by the maximalists.

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The executive council of workmen's and soldiers' delegates has proclaimed a state of siege in Petrograd in an effort to repress disorders due to the looting of wine cellars and shops.

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Conscription has been confirmed and the unionist government has been returned to power by the Canadian domestic vote. Returns show that the government of Sir Robert Borden has been elected to administer Canadian affairs and that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has been defeated. The unionists won 128 seats and the opposition 87, with four seats deferred.

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Domestic

Sixty-seven dead and fifty persons injured was the toll taken when Louisville & Nashville passenger train No. 7, from Cincinnati to New Orleans, crashed into the rear of a Bardstown, Louisville and Springfield accommodation train at Shepherdsville, Ky.

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Approximately 50 per cent of the steel-making capacity of plants at Youngstown, O., representing fully 10 per cent of that of the entire United States, is idle from coal shortage.

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Fay R. Letts, prominent resident of Letts, Ia., was killed and his sixteen-year-old son Lloyd was seriously injured in a railroad wreck at Camden, Mo. They were enroute to Dalhart, Tex., to make their home.

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Cracksmen tunneled through the wall of the vault of the Summit State bank at Summit, Ill., and escaped with $46,000 of the $80,000 pay roll of the Corn Products company.

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Nineteen lives were lost when the American submarine F-1 was rammed and sunk by submarine F-3 in home waters in a fog. The F-3 was undamaged and picked up five survivors of her victim. Secretary Daniels announced the disaster in a brief statement at Washington. Lieut. A. E. Montgomery, commanding officers of the F-1, was among the five saved.

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Two big plants in the South Chicago steel mill district suspended part of their operations due to the scarcity of coal and coke, throwing approximately 8,000 men out of work.

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Marking the actual beginning of production of standardized 5,000-ton steel cargo ships for the United States government, Charles R. Page of the United States shipping board drove the first rivet in the first of these vessels at a large shipyard at an Atlantic port.

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The palatial country home of John D. Rockefeller at Forest Hill, in East Cleveland, O., was almost destroyed by fire. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin. The loss will be more than $50,000.

A verdict of guilty of assault with intent to murder was returned by the jury in municipal court at Milwaukee against 11 Italians arrested following the Bay View riots September 9. One Italian was killed by a city detective, who was later killed in a bomb explosion in the police station.

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Inability to obtain a quorum compelled the senate committee at Washington which is investigating Senator La Follette's recent St. Paul speech to postpone action again for the fourth time.

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More winter wheat has been planted this fall by American farmers than ever before in the history of the nation, according to a report issued by the department of agriculture at Washington. The acreage of winter wheat is reported as 42,170,000.

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Washington

Rifle manufacturers laid at the door of the war department entire blame for the delay in supplying rifles and machine guns for American soldiers. Inability of department officers to sense the danger three months before war was declared and refusal to interest themselves in preparedness are held responsible for the small arms shortage. The manufacturers, appeared as witnesses before the senate military affairs committee at Washington.

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Secretary Daniels and Paymaster General McGowan of the navy were the first witnesses before the house naval subcommittee at Washington, delegated to begin an investigation into the navy's war activities. Secretary Daniels gave a general review of what the navy has been doing. He told how the navy is now building 424 capital and other important ships.

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The worst of the equipment shortage and overcrowding, resulting in the excessive deaths in four army camps, reported to Washington by General Gorgas, has been passed. Health conditions in all the camps are improving.

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Rear Admiral Frederick R. Harris, recently appointed general manager of the shipping board's Emergency Fleet corporation at Washington, asked to be relieved of that duty. His request will be granted and Charles A. Piez of Chicago will be named to succeed him.

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Secretary Baker announced at Washington that Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals has been recalled to active service and detailed as acting quartermaster general, to succeed Major General Sharpe, detached to serve as a member of the war department's new war council.

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The Constitutional amendment for national prohibition was finally submitted by congress to the states, for ratification or rejection within seven years. The senate at Washington completed congressional action by accepting the resolution, as passed by the house, 47 to 8, without a roll call.

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Vote in the house on the woman suffrage Constitutional amendment on Thursday, January 10, was assured when the rules committee at Washington agreed on that date.

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Rearrangement of some of the high command in the war department at Washington was indicated by the detachment of officers for the war council. It became known that Major General Goethals, builder of the Panama canal, has been offered the post of quartermaster general to succeed Major General Sharpe.

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The administration bill to increase the number of cadets at the Annapolis Naval academy was passed by the house at Washington without debate and now goes to the senate.

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European War News

British casualties reported to London in the week ending December 15 totaled 17,976 officers and men as follows: Officers killed or died of wounds, 331; men, 3,181; officers wounded or missing, 1,033; men, 10,491.

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Complete repulse of an attack by the Austro-German forces, which was delivered on the Tasson-Col del Orso front, between the Brenta and the Piave, was announced by the Rome war office. The enemy suffered heavy losses. New attempts by the enemy to cross the Piave-Vecchia were frustrated.

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The German general staff announced at Berlin that since December 11 the Teutons have taken nearly 9,000 prisoners in Italy.

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Complete restoration of the territories taken by the enemy, together with compensation, was demanded by Premier Lloyd-George in explaining the war aims of the government in the house of commons in London.

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A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company at London from Haparanda, Sweden, reports that Kerensky, with an army, is now marching against Moscow, while Grand Duke Nicholas has gathered a great army of royalists in the Caucasus.

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General Sarrail, commander of the allies' armies at Saloniki, has been recalled, according to newspaper announcements in Athens. The successor of General Sarrail, in command of the Macedonian forces, it is said, will be General Guillement.

RUSSIAN CHAOS MORE SERIOUS

Trotzky Recognizes Possible Necessity of Accepting Unfavorable Peace.

UKRAINIAN REVOLT STILL UNQUELLED BY BOLSHEVIKI

Liquor Raids Are Followed by Orgies and Bloodshed—American Influence Claimed Behind Revolts.

Washington, Dec. 24.—Analysis of the situation in Russia from facts available through dispatches of the past day or two indicates conditions of increasing chaos on almost every hand, with little light as to the exact status of affairs at many points at this date. A London report that Russian peace delegates are returning to Petrograd is unaccompanied by any assigned reason for their return, and says nothing of the reported German rejection of Russia's terms, no information having been given out at Bolsheviki headquarters on this point.

Detailed reports from Petrograd show the Bolsheviki *foreign minister*, Leon Trotzky, to have suggested a plan by which military opposition might be offered if there were an attempt by the Central powers to force objectionable peace terms. He is quoted as having said, however, that he did not know whether Russia could fight because of economic conditions, utter exhaustion and the disorganized state of the army. "The allies must understand," he said, "that we did not overthrow czarism to bend our knees before the Kaiser. * * If, exhausted as we are by this unprecedented slaughter, we must accept the terms of the German emperor, we would accept them only in order to rise together with the German people against German militarism as we did against Czarism."

Ukrainian Opposition Strong

Meantime the conflict between the Ukrainian rada and the Bolsheviki commissaries continues, the rada insisting upon the organization of a federal social republic, embracing maximalists and socialists, which it contends alone can be competent to decide the question of peace for the whole of Russia. The rada declares that if the commissaries assume the responsibility of civil war it (the rada) will accept the challenge and stop at no obstacles.

Among the items echoing from the scenes of Russian conflict which indicate that conditions are daily growing more chaotic are statements of liquor looting, orgies and indiscriminate shooting and incendiarism at Odessa and Petrograd. At Odessa conditions became so bad that it is reported the rada and representatives of the soldiers and workmen's delegates were compelled to combine for the suppression of lawlessness.

American Influence Suspected

The Bolsheviki headquarters at Petrograd are warmly discussing reports that American influence and money are being used to encourage and assist the Kaledines movement. Colonel Kolpashnikoff, connected with the American mission to Rumania, has been arrested for trying to get a trainload of automobiles and supplies to Rostov for the benefit of counter revolutionists. American Ambassador Francis has been represented as interested in the anti-Bolsheviki movements and is the object of growing distrust on the part of Trotzky and his associates.

ITALY FACES HEAVY FIGHTING

Enemy Must Try for Early Foothold on Plains

With French Armies in Northern Italy, Dec. 24.—Unexpectedly balked in their march towards the plain by the loss of the Monte Asolone positions within twenty-four hours after they had captured them, the Austro-German forces are concentrating heavily north and northeast of this important approach to Monte Grappa, from which point a new and unprecedently vigorous assault upon the barriers to the plains is expected soon. Enemy prisoners admit that the condition of their troops is terrible and that they must at all costs secure a line on the plain and control the Brenta and Piave valleys so that they will not have to endure the winter in the mountains. Unprecedentedly heavy fighting is predicted before the year is closed.

REVELATIONS MAKE BIG STIR

Anti-German Demonstrations Occur at Buenos Aires

Buenos Aires, Dec. 24.—Only the utmost vigilance of patrols and mounted troops prevented an outbreak of anti-German rioting here Saturday afternoon and evening. The downtown streets were crowded with Christmas shoppers and several attempts were made to organize demonstrations. Students and others marched to La Union building shouting "10,000 pesos," which was the amount of the monthly subsidy said to have been obtained from Berlin by Count Von Luxburg, the deposed German minister.

Christmas Dinner for Sammies

Washington, Dec. 24.—Every American soldier in France is to get his Christmas turkey, cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes and mince pie, was the announcement made by the war department upon the safe arrival of delayed supplies for certain units of the expeditionary forces. Hundreds of thousands of pounds of the best turkeys from the eastern markets have been sent across the Atlantic for General Pershing's men and for the bluejackets of the navy patrolling foreign waters. Bountiful provision was also made for the army's training camps and cantonments.

KRUPP FACTORY BURNS, REPORT

Great German Munitions Establishment Afire, Workmen Tell Hollanders.

BATTLE IN PETROGRAD

Four Army Corps Defy Orders Of Bolsheviki To Leave City—Engage Troops Sent to Carry Out Command.

London, Dec. 23.—The report is reiterated that the Russian delegation to the peace conference at Brest-Litovsk has been recalled because the Germans would not accept the Russian terms.

Maestricht, Holland, Dec. 24.—(British Admiralty per Wireless Press)—Workmen from Essen, Germany, say that the Krupp plant, the great German munitions establishment has been ablaze for 24 hours.

Expanded During War.

The plant at Essen, the main establishment of the Krupps, the largest manufacturers in Germany of arms and munitions employed about 30,000 men before the war. It has been expanded greatly during the war.

Facts relating to its present size and the number of workmen are kept secret by the German government. It was reported unofficially in October of last year that about 70,000 persons including several thousand women, were at work there and that 20,000 were to be added to the force.

Early this year there was a strike at the Krupp works, said to have been due to lack of food. It was reported that 40,000 workers were involved, and that the authorities combatted it by sending many of the men to the front, but little authentic information was permitted to come out of Germany.

Town Guarded Carefully.

Essen is in Rhenish Prussia, about 40 miles from the Dutch border. Few places in Germany are guarded more carefully. No persons unknown to the German authorities are permitted to visit the town. The plant has been raided several times by French and British airmen, notwithstanding its formidable antiaircraft defenses. Press dispatches last July said 100 persons there had been killed in a raid by French airplanes and that considerable damage had been done to the works.

Stockholm, Dec. 23.—A great battle in the streets of Petrograd is reported from the Russian capital. Four army corps refused orders of the bolsheviki government to leave the city. The bolsheviki sent other troops against them. The fighting was still in progress as the dispatch was sent from Petrograd.

STOPS MESSAGE TO ENEMY

U. S. Discovers Traffic—Invisible Ink And Codes Used.

Washington, Dec. 23.—An extensive traffic in written communications to Germany, Austria and the northern European neutrals, involving use of invisible ink and code system, has been discovered and stopped by customs officials within the last few weeks, treasury officials have disclosed.

The traffic, it was disclosed, was carried on largely by Swedish ship and marine men.

Scores of persons now are under surveillance and a number of arrests probably will be made soon. Evidence that the channel of communications have been open even since th United States has entered the war has been uncovered and officials suspect that much of the informatioon which the German government is known to have received concerning war preparations in America have been transmitted under a well organized scheme directed by subjects of neutral countries, assisted by some Americans.

RECOUNT SEATS GOVERNOR

Shows Hunt of Arizona Elected—Republican Now in Office.

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 23.—The Arizona supreme court has seated G. W. P. Hunt as governor of Arizona. Hunt contested the election of Governor Thomas Campbell, who now holds the office. Hunt is a democrat. The decision of the court was unanimous.

On the face of the returns, Campbell was given the certificate of election by the small margin of 31 votes. Hunt instituted a contest declaring a recount would show he had been elected.

The court unanimously decided that the recount showed Hunt has been elected by 43 votes.

Maximum Sentence for Plotters.

Detroit, Dec. 24.—Albert C. Kaltschmidt, who with four others has been convicted in federal court on a conspiracy charge, was sentenced a few hours later to four years in federal prison at Fort Leavenworth, and to pay a fine of $20,000. It was the maximum sentence. Mrs. Ida Neef, his sister, was sentenced to three years in the local house of correction and fined $15,000. Fritz A. Neef, her husband, and Carl Schmidt, and his wife, Maria, were sentenced to two years and fined $10,000 each.

HURLEY TAKES ENTIRE BLAME

Assumes Full Responsibility For Success or Failure of Shipbuilding Program.

OUTLOOK IS HOPEFUL

Tells Senate Committee But One Vessell Has Been Finished to Date But Prospects For Future Are Brighter.

Washington, Dec. 24.—Chairman Hurley of the shipping board, testifying at the Senate commerce committee's investigation, shouldered full responsibility for the success or failure of the governments' shipbuilding program.

Called as the first witness Mr. Hurley admitted that there have been delays, but declared that the recent reorganization of the board's emergency fleet corporation for the first time gives the chairman of the board proper authority and fixes responsibility where it belongs. "The dual organization of the board and the corporation," he said, "has been done away with and the present general manager of the corporation answers directly to the chairman."

Accepts Blame If Plans Fail.

After testifying that he personally approved and accepted all ships contracts as president of the emergency fleet corporation, Mr. Hurley was questioned by Senator Harding.

"All the finances of this big program rest in your hands:"

"Yes, sir."

"Not in the hands of the shipping board?"

"No, sir."

"Then, if the whole thing fails, it will be your fault?"

"Absolutely," said Hurley firmly.

New Legislation Not Needed.

"The present organization," Mr. Hurley said, "is the only way that ships can be built. We do not need additional legislation. If the head of the institution does not build ships it is because of his inefficiency and not because of faults of the organization."

From Mr. Hurley and from John A. Donald, who has been a member of the board since its creation, the committee drew a long story of the troubles of the board and the fleet corporation starting with the row at the outset between William Denman, first chairman of the board, and Major General Goethals, first general manager of the fleet corporation.

GERMAN FOOD PLOT BARED

Traffic Via Sweden Shown By Papers On Suspect.

New York, Dec. 24.—Important documents said to reveal extensive food traffic between the United States and Germany through Sweden, were seized by federal agents in Brooklyn when they raided the apartments of Gustav A. Meyers, a purchasing agent for certain German firms, and arrested him as an alien enemy.

According to government agents, some of the papers show Meyers shipped to Germany foodstuffs valued at hundreds of thousands of dollars and that he had been in communication with Germany as recently as a week ago.

Bank books showing deposits of $12,000 to his credit also are said to have been found.

UKRANIANS FORM ALLIANCE

Rebels Have Cast Lots With Cossacks, Defying Bolsheviki.

London Dec. 24.—The whole of the Ukraine is reported swept by the flames of rebellion. This vast land, inhabited by 32,000,000 souls that form the sixth race of Europe, apparently has found the hour ripe to drive home its centuries-old urge for independence. Moreover, its leaders see a chance to lead their home land from the dark days of enslavement under the czar to the most powerful, and possibly ruling racial entity in Russia.

The Rada, the governing body of the Ukraine, apparently is maintaining its determined stand against the Bolsheviki government. It is reported that it has converted its sympathies with the movement of General Kaledines, the Cossack leader, into a definite alliance.

Austria Backs Berlin in Demand.

Paris, Dec. 23.—The captain and 21 pledged to support Germany in retention of Alsace-Lorraine, according to a dispatch printed in the Matin, purporting to reveal the text of the agreement between the two biggest Central powers. The Matin also asserts Germany had determined not to evacuate Belgium and France unless her colonies were restored.

Collision of Planes in Midair.

Ft. Worth, Texas, Dec. 24.—One officer and two cadets of the Canadian Royal Flying corps were killed instantly when the two airplanes in which the men were flying collided in midair. The aviators were flying at a height of several hundred feet when the crash came, throwing the machines to the ground. The dead are: Second Lieut. R. G. Genner, Kingston, Ont., Cadet C. A. Baker, Kent, England and Cadet A. Eden, Kingston, Jamaca. The three came from the British aviation training fields in Toronto.

LUXBURG PLOT IS FULLY BARED

German Official Attempted To Bring About Secret Latin Pact Against U. S.

ARGENTINA IS AROUSED

Statement Made That Disclosure Will Probably Result In Rupture With Berlin—U. S. State Department Makes Disclosure.

Washington, Dec. 22.—Further facts about German diplomatic trickery are made public through a long series of telegrams exchanged by the notorious Count Luxburg, former German charge in Argentina, and the German foreign office, and at the same time light is shed upon some hitherto unexplained activities of certain Latin-American statesmen.

Luxburg in some of his messages, dated Aug. 1 last, reported that President Irrigoyen of Argentina at last had made up his mind to conclude a secret agreement with Chile and Bolivia for protection against North America "before the conference idea is taken up again."

Carranza Urged Conference.

The "conference idea" is assumed to have been the plan for a Latin-American neutrality conference strongly supported by President Carranza of Mexico and much discussed in some of the Southern American countries, while the proposed secret agreement may explain reports that have come from Buenos Aires recently of President Irrigoyen's proposals for a league of South American nations.

In Latin-American diplomatic quarters here it is regarded as certain that the disclosures will result very quickly in an Argentina declaration of war against Germany.

The messages were made public by the State department in an agreement with the Argentine government, which in an accompanying statement by its foreign minister says the "inaccuracies" of the German diplomat's reports are so surprising that no epithet will fit them.

The first of Luxburg's intercepted telegrams were transmitted to Berlin by the Swedish legation at Buenos Aires in its diplomatic code and publication of that fact by Secretary Lansing not only threw Argentina into a turmoil, resulting in the dismissal of the charge, but precipitated a crisis in Sweden."

GRAND DUKE RAISES ARMY

Raises Large Force of Royalists In Caucasus.

London, Dec. 22.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Haparanda reports that Kerensky with an army is now marching against Moscow, while Grand Duke Nicholas, the former Russian commander-in-chief, has gathered a great army of Royalists in the Caucasus.

A Bolsheviki force commanded by released German and Austrian officers prisoners has defeated the anti-Bolsheviki at Tashkent, capital of Russian Turkestan, according to a Petrograd dispatch to the Morning Post.

Dispatches from Petrograd indicate that the struggle between the Cossacks and the Maximalists in Southern Russia is increasing in severity. Reuter's Petrograd correspondent says the flame of civil war is spreading northward along the Volga river from Astrakhan to Samara.

PLENTY OF SUGAR FOR 1918

U. S. Will Be Well Supplied, Babst Tells Senators.

Washington, Dec 22.— A plentiful supply of sugar for the American people during the coming year was predicted by Earl D. Babst, president of the American Sugar Refining company, testifying before the Senate investigating committee. He opposed placing a limit on domestic consumption, contending that any such plan would result in a larger surplus than the tonnage shortage would permit to be shipped abroad.

3 Montanans To Be Hanged.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 22.—Frank Fisher, John O'Neill and Sherman Powell, negro, will be hanged from the same scaffold in the Silver Bow county jail jail yard, Jan. 4. Formal judgement was pronounced by Judge John V. Dwyer after receipt of remitturs from the supreme court denying new trials. The men were convicted of murder.

Argentina Buys French Bonds.

Buenos Aires, Argentina, Dec. 21.—In Argentine 25,500,000 francs has been subscribed in the new French loan.

Caillaux Defends Himself.

Paris, Dec. 22.—Joseph Caillaux, former premier made his defense before the chamber of deputies against charges of treason and complicity with Bolo Pasha to undermine his country's defense. The former statesman, center of the political storm of the day, drew a great audience for what his friends predicted would be the greatest of all speeches of his tempestuous career. Caillaux denied his visits to Italy had any treasonable significance, or that he was working with sinister elements.

AGRICULTURE THE MAINSTAY OF THE NATION

The United States and Canada Have a Great Responsibility.

This is the day when the farmer has his innings. The time was when he was dubbed the "farmer," the "mossback," and in a tone that could never have been called derisive, but still there was in it the inflection that he was occupying an inferior position. The stiff upper lip that the farmer carried, warded off any approach that his occupation was a degrading one. His hour arrived, though, and for some years past he has been looked up to as occupying a high position.

Agriculture, by a natural trend of economic conditions, stands out today in strong relief, as the leader in the world's pursuits. Never in the nation's history have the eyes of the world been so universally focused on the farm. The farmer is the man of importance; the manufacturer of its most necessary product, and he now enjoys the dual satisfaction of reaping a maximum of profit, as a result of his operations, while he also becomes a strong factor in molding the world's destinies.

Manufacturers, business men, professional men and bankers realize the importance of agriculture, and gladly acknowledge it as the twin sister to commerce. In commercial, financial and political crisis, the tiller of the soil takes the most important place. Maximum prices, the highest in many decades, show the world's recognition of the necessary requirement for more farm stuffs. The time was coming when this would have been brought about automatically, but war time conditions urged it forward, while the farmer was able to secure land at reasonable prices. Throughout several of the Western states this condition exists, as also in Western Canada.

Never has such a condition been known in commercial life. It is truly an opportunity of a lifetime. Large and small manufacturing concerns and practically every other line of business have been limited in their profits to the point of almost heroic sacrifice, while it is possible today to reap dividends in farming unequaled in any other line.

Thirty, and as high as fifty bushels of wheat per acre at $2.20 per bushel and all other farm produce on a similar basis, grown and produced on land available at from $15 to $40 per acre represents a return of profit despite higher cost of labor and machinery, that, in many cases runs even higher than 100% of an annual return on the amount invested. Such is the present day condition in Western Canada. How long it will last, no one can foretell. Prices for farm produce will likely remain high for many years. Certainly, the low prices of past years will not come again in this generation. The lands referred to, are low in price at present, but they will certainly increase to their naturally productive value as soon as the demand for them necessitates this increase, and this day is not far distant. This demand is growing daily; the farmer now on the ground is adding to his holdings while prices are low; the agriculturist on high priced lands is realizing that he is not getting all the profit that his neighbor in Western Canada is securing; the tenant farmer is seeking a home of his own, which he can buy on what he was paying out for rent and many are forsaking the crowded cities to grasp these unprecedented opportunities.

The tenant farmer, and the owner of high priced land, is now awakening to the realization that he is not getting the return for his labor and investment that it is possible to secure in Western Canada. Thousands are making trips of inspection to personally investigate conditions and to acquaint themselves with the broadening benefits derived by visiting Western Canada. Such trips awaken in a progressive man that natural desire to do bigger things, to accomplish as much as his neighbor, and frequently result in convincing and satisfying him that God's most fertile outdoors, with a big supply of nature's best climatic and health-giving conditions lies in Western Canada.

The days of pioneering are over; the seeker after a new home travels through all parts of the country on the same good railway trains as he has been accustomed to at home, but on which he has been accorded a special railway rate of about one cent a mile. He finds good roads for automobiling and other traffic; rural telephone lines owned by the provincial governments; rural schools and churches situated conveniently to all; well appointed and homelike buildings, and everywhere an indication of general prosperity; cities and towns with all modern improvements, and what is the most convincing factor in his decision, a satisfied and prosperous people, with a whole hearted welcome to that country of a larger life and greater opportunities.

To Western Canada belongs the distinguished honor of being the holder of all world's championships in wheat and oats for both quality and quantity. For many years in succession Western Canada has proven her claim for supremacy in the most keenly contested National exhibitions and to her is credited the largest wheat and oat yields America has known The natural conditions peculiar to Western Canada and so adaptable to grain growing has been an insurmountable barrier for her competitors to overcome. In the last few years the yields of wheat and oats per acre have surprised the agricultural world. As much as sixty bushels of wheat per acre has been grown on some farms, while others have furnished affidavits showing over fifty bushels of wheat per acre, and oats as high as one hundred and twenty bushels per acre. One reputable farmer makes affidavit to a crop return of over fifty-four thousand bushels of wheat from a thousand acres. While this is rather the exception than the rule, these yields serve to illustrate the fertility of the soil and the possibilities of the country, when good farming methods are adopted. Western Canada can surely lay undisputed claim to being "The World's natural bread basket."—Advertisement.

How He Made Window Sashes.

A young Welshman, a woodworker, applied at the work of a building material company for a job.

"What can you do?" inquired the foreman in charge.

"Indeet, look you," said Taffy. "I can do any joinery work whateffer."

"Can you make window sashes?" asked the foreman.

"Surely!" was the laconic answer.

"Well, just take off your coat and let me see you make one.

So Taffy set to work, while the foreman went off round the works. The first sash the new hand attempted was a failure, so planting it under the bench, Taffy got ahead with a second one, and had just finished it when the foreman returned and taking hold of the sash, said, "Call that a sash, do yer? Don't believe I could find a worse one in the country."

"Indeet," said the wood butcher, grinning, "you may find a ferry much worse one under the bench made from your own timber!"

Then he got a move on.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 30c.

Conservation.

She had long been noted for her economy in the culinary line, but it remained for conservation to bring out just what she could do, relates an exchange.

They sat down to dinner and the soup was served. To the man-of-the-house it did not seem familiar. It certainly was a new variety for, floating on its surface were queer little puff balls. He prodded one and then he tasted. They were good and he tried another, but curiosity getting the better, he inquired: "Would you kindly tell me just what this is I am eating?"

"Well," she replied, "if you must know, there was one batter cake left from breakfast and I put it in the soup."

"Chariots of Iron" at Gaza.

History repeats itself down to minute details, the London Star reminds us, and recalls previous operations at Gaza related in the Book of Joshua. It says:

"If that picturesque special correspondent to whom we owe the narrative of the sun and moon standing still in the valley of Ajalon had witnessed the onslaught of General Allenby's auxiliaries, he might have pictured behemoth wallowing on the shore and leviathan rising out of the sea. It is related in the Book of Judges that though the tribe of Judah took Gaza, they 'could not drive out the inhabitants of the valley because they had chariots of iron.'

"Allowing for the intervening centures which have transformed the 'chariots of iron' into tanks, we see that in this case the omens are in favor of the invaders, and we may reasonably hope that the clearing out of the Philistines will be final and complete."

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it
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He—I would like to propose a little toast.

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"That man is always running people down."

"Scandal or auto?"

Some men know so much that their knowledge gets in their way when they attempt to talk.

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FARMERS RESPOND TO COUNTRY'S CALL

GIVE PATRIOTIC ANSWER TO REQUEST FOR GREATER ACREAGE OF WINTER WHEAT.

FOOD INVENTORY STARTED

Survey of Food Resources to Be Broad Covering More Than One Hundred Different Foods—Statesmen to Help.

St. Paul.

Estimates compiled by the bureau of crop estimates, United States department of agriculture indicate that farmers have patriotically responded to the call for increased acreage of both winter wheat and rye. Figures for Minnesota given out from the office of the Minnesota field agent, Paul H. Kirk, at Fergus Falls, make the following showing:

Winter wheat—Preliminary estimate, area planted in fall of 1917 89,000 acres as compared with 87,000 acres last year. The increase of acreage is largely in the south central part of the state where crop is increasing in acreage. Conditions Dec. 1, was 93 per cent normal, compared with 92 a year ago and 93 the four year average. Soil conditions and growth were favorable in the south central counties.

Winter Rye.—Preliminary estimates of area planted in fall of 1917 452,000 acres as compared with 430,000 last year. The dry fall seriously hampered the seeding of fall rye in the northwestern part of the state, where under favorable conditions the acreage would have been considerably increased. However, with favorable spring weather spring rye will be planted. Condition, Dec. 1, was 90 per cent of normal compared with 90 a year ago and 92 the ten year average on Dec. 1.

The extreme dryness in the northwestern part of the state was unfavorable to the best growth and development of crop. The crop in other parts of the state is reported as having made a most excellent growth and goes into the winter under the most favorable conditions.

Mr. U. G. Pursell, Meteorologist of the U. S. Weather Bureau, Minneapolis says, "Weather conditions were unusually fine during November. The precipitation was sufficient over the entire state. No sub-zero temperatures were recorded.

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Federal Food Survey Started.

The comprehensive inventory of food resources to be conducted in the United States has been started in Minnesota.

Many wholesalers state that they had received inventory blanks from the Washington office of the food administration to make a report on the stock of foodstuffs on hand.

The salesman of the large wholesale concerns have been enlisted by the food administration officials to explain to the merchants in the smaller communtities what the government expects of them when they make out their inventories While the salesmen have been supplied with blanks, the retail merchants will not receive them for a few days

The survey will be broad, the questionnaires containing questions relative to the eighty-six items and covering more than 100 different foods.

Officials in the office of A. D. Wilson, food administrator for Minneapolis, said they had not been advised of the start of the inventory, but believed it was being conducted from the Washington office.

Schedules also will be sent soon to a number of selected homes, returns from which will be used to compute a general average of the food on hand in the homes throughout the state.

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State Offers Cheap Wood.

Dead and down cord wood at 25 cents a cord will be offered by the state through a resolution adopted by the Public Safety Commission. Sales on application to the state auditor will be limited to 100 cords to a customer to prevent commercial dealing, according to the plan developed by Oscar Arneson of the State auditor's office. Means to provide fuel for residents in Northern Minnesota was adopted following the report of J. F. McGee, Minnesota fuel administrator, that only 380,000 tons of coal remain on the docks at the head of the lakes.

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1111 Gopher State Banks

There are 1,111 active state banks in Minnesota, F. E. Pearson, state superintendent of banks announces. The number will be increased soon by the opening of the Interurban State bank at St Paul, articles of which have been approved

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Bank Renews Appeal for Charter.

The Minnesota Public Safety Commission still has under consideration the request of organizers of the Hutchinson State bank for a reconsideration of the order denying them a charter. The commission heard from Burt W Day of Hutchinson who said that S J Boelter and W H Hartman, president and cashier of the new bank, are loyal American but that 85 out of the 106 stockholders are residents of Acoma, Cedar Mills, Brookfield, and Boon Lake townships, where there has been poor response to war apeals.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

The new grade school building at Bemidji, the Lincoln school in the Fifth ward, will be completed during the holiday vacation, and about the first of the year an elaborate dedication service will be held.

Mrs. E. T. Howard, for over fifty years a resident of Red Wing, died at the Red Wing hospital. She was 75 years of age and the widow of the late E T. Howard, prominent in the business circles of that city fifteen years ago.

While at Cambridge shopping, Mrs. Eric Terrell of East Cambridge fell in front of the E. F. Gillespie store and although she was taken to a physician's office, nothing could be done for her. She lived only a few minutes after being taken to the office

An appropriation of $1,500 was made by the Clay county board at Moorehead to be used for the purchase of uniforms for the Moorehead Home Guard, the appropriation being made subject to the approval of its legality by County Attorney C. B. Dosland.

The lumber sheds, office building and entire stock of lumber of the Rudd Lumber company at Braham was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $15,000, covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is not known, but is thought that defective wiring was the cause.

Funeral services have been held at Endid for John Schuldt, one of the pioneers of this section of Polk county, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Geise. He was alone in the home and when found sat in his chair dead, having expired while reading and smoking beside the fire.

George Morrison, formerly clerk at the Arlington hotel at Hibbing, was arrestetd by the Indian agents as he stepped off a street car, charged with importing liquor into dry territory. It is alleged that several quarts of liquor were found on him. Morrison was taken to Virginia for a hearing.

The annual convention of the Northwest Central Minnesota Educational Association was held at Moorehead last week at the state normal. On Friday night a county loyalty rally was held at the normal school auditorium and Dr. Marion L. Burton, president of the University of Minnesota spoke.

Reports have reached Brainerd of a car loaded with Finns and booze which ran into a high bank near Riverton, everything falling out except the liquor. The Finns then hired a teamster to carry them and their cargo, the towline broke, the teamster fell down and got hurt and the team ran away.

A large service flag bearing the figures "6863" has been unfurled from the district headquarters of the Northwestern Telephone company at Minneapolis, denoting that 6,863 employes have gone into some branch of the service since the declaration of war. Of this number the Minneapolis branch has given 112 men.

In view of the increasing shortage of pennies, a movement to give postage stamps as change has been inaugurated in Minneapolis department stores. Several stores reported that they had started such a plan and that it was working successfully. Shortage of pennies in the northwest has become so acute that bankers in small towns have declared an embargo on coppers.

The Swedish Lutheran congregation at Deerwood, which had extended a call to Rev. Ternberg to take the pastorate has received his refusal.

The Federated Farmers' club of Beltrami county has asked the state legislature to reimburse counties for money paid out in bounties on wild animals.

Donald Dow, alias Fred Anderson, convicted of the murder of George Sheffield, Great Northern operator at Moorehead, shot and killed in a holdup there in September, has been taken to the Minnesota penitentiary to begin a life sentence.

Sale of horse meat in Minneapolis in special markets will be allowed if the council acts favorably upon recommendation of the health and hospital committee which approved an ordinance providing for sale of this meat and allowing it to be served in restaurants.

With the purchase for $100,000 of the Dan Patch line cut-off from Auto Junction to Luce Line Junction by C. T. Jaffray and associates plans were set in motion for reconstruction of the road from Minneapolis to Northfield and Faribault at a cost of $750,000, according to an announcement made by Mr. Jaffray

H. E. Flynn, one of the state high school inspectors represented the Minnesota state high school board in a conference in Washington on war industrial work in public schools. The conference was called by C. A. Prosser, director for the federal board for vocational education and the call was sent to all state boards charged with administering federal aid under the Smith-Hughes vocational education act.

The grand jury at Mankato has completed its work returning five indictments as a result of its special labors in the field of alleged disloyalty in the county The parties indicted are accused of having uttered statements of a disloyal nature It is rumored that one or two of the accused are women

A carload of apples to be sent to American soldiers in France by the Minneapolis Wholesale Credit Men's association The apple were contributed by merchants on "Commission Row" to a committee of the credit Men's association

FOOD INVENTORY STARTED IN STATE

SURVEY TO BE BROAD COVERING MORE THAN ONE HUNDRED DIFFERENT KINDS OF FOOD.

MORE WINTER WHEAT AND RYE

Government Crop Estimate Shows Farmers of State Have Patriotically Answered Country's Call For More Acreage.

St. Paul.

The comprehensive inventory of food resources to be conducted in the United States has been started in Minnesota.

Many wholesalers state that they had received inventory blanks from the Washington office of the food administration to make a report on the stock of foodstuffs on hand.

The salesman of the large wholesale concerns have been enlisted by the food administration officials to explain to the merchants in the smaller communtities what the government expects of them when they make out their inventories. While the salesmen have been supplied with blanks, the retail merchants will not receive them for a few days.

The survey will be broad, the questionnaires containing questions relative to the eighty-six items and covering more than 100 different foods.

Officials in the office of A. D. Wilson, food administrator for Minneapolis, said they had not been advised of the start of the inventory, but believed it was being conducted from the Washington office.

Schedules also will be sent soon to a number of selected homes, returns from which will be used to compute a general average of the food on hand in the homes throughout the state.

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Acreage of Winter Wheat and Rye.

Estimates compiled by the bureau of crop estimates, United States department of agriculture indicate that farmers have patriotically responded to the call for increased acreage of both winter wheat and rye. Figures for Minnesota given out from the office of the Minnesota field agent, Paul H. Kirk, at Fergus Falls, make the following showing:

Winter wheat—Preliminary estimate, area planted in fall of 1917 89,000 acres as compared with 87,000 acres last year. The increase of acreage is largely in the south central part of the state where crop is increasing in acreage. Conditions Dec. 1, was 93 per cent normal, compared with 92 a year ago and 93 the four year average. Soil conditions and growth were favorable in the south central counties.

Winter Rye.—Preliminary estimates of area planted in fall of 1917 452,000 acres as compared with 430,000 last year. The dry fall seriously hampered the seeding of fall rye in the northwestern part of the state, where under favorable conditions the acreage would have been considerably increased. However, with favorable spring weather spring rye will be planted. Condition, Dec 1, was 90 per cent of normal compared with 90 a year ago and 92 the ten year average on Dec. 1.

The extreme dryness in the northwestern part of the state was unfavorable to the best growth and development of crop The crop in other parts of the state is reported as having made a most excellent growth and goes into the winter under the most favorable conditions

Mr. U. G. Pursell, Meteorologist of the U S Weather Bureau, Minneapolis says, 'Weather conditions were unusually fine during November. The precipitation was sufficient over the entire state No sub zero temperatures were recorded

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State Offers Cheap Wood.

Dead and down cord wood at 25 cents a cord will be offered by the state through a resolution adopted by the Public Safety Commission. Sales on application to the state auditor will be limited to 100 cords to a customer to prevent commercial dealing, according to the plan developed by Oscar Arneson of the State auditor's office Means to provide fuel for residents in Northern Minnesota was adopted following the report of J. F McGee, Minnesota fuel administrator, that only 380,000 tons of coal remain on the docks at the head of the lakes

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1111 Gopher State Banks

There are 1,111 active state banks in Minnesota, F E Pearson state superintendent of banks announces The number will be increased soon by the opening of the Interurban State bank at St Paul articles of which have been approved

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Bank Renews Appeal for Charter.

The Minnesota Public Safety Commission still has under consideration the request of organizers of the Hutchinson State bank for a reconsideration of the order denying them a charter. The commission heard from Burt W Day of Hutchinson who said that S. J. Boelter and W H Hartman, president and cashier of the new bank, are loyal American but that 85 out of the 106 stockholders are residents of Acoma Cedar Mills Brookfield, and Boon Lake townships, where there has been poor response to war apeals.

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W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 52--1917.

Strange War Craft.

Plans for one of the strangest war vessels ever proposed have been submitted to the council of national defense, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. The craft is an enormous ocean-going water wheel that is intended to perform much the same service for the navy as the British and French tanks have for the allied armies. Although highly visionary and entirely untried, it has novelty and potential power that draws attention. In addition to being amphibious to a certain degree, it is theoretically capable of great speed. Essentially it consists of two big connected cylinders that are supplied around their outer rims with adjustable paddles. The horizontal axle offers space for a crew and is gyroscopically stabilized to support a fighting mast. Opposite ends of the axis are utilized as gun turrets.

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A Berlin Advertisement.

In Germany now there are advertisements which are not only news, but imply a great deal outside of the direct news sought to be conveyed.

As an instance the Berlin Tages Zeitung recently contained a want ad, reading as follows: "For exchange, 50 Polish laborers, 20 men and 30 girls, for the same number of other hands."

Polish laborers in Germany are not permitted to change masters or to move from place to place without government authorization. With such authorization, however, the masters can make exchanges, as we trade horses and mules, or as our housewives exchange soap grease for soap, or old rags for door mats, kitchen tins and such.—Exchange.

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Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Not Making a Cent.

The father in this moral little tale, is a local manufacturer. Things hadn't been going well at the works, and he came home tired the other evening. But the father is never too tired to help Willie with his arithmetic. So when Willie looked up from his book and asked:

"Father, how many cents make a dime?"

"Ten," replied father.

"And how many mills make a cent?" pursued Willie.

"Not a darn one of 'em, till this coal situation loosens up!" answered father, emphatically.

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Just an Extra Potato.

Jones was urging Smith to run over to dinner some time. "But I am afraid that your wife will go to a lot of trouble, Smith demurred.

"A lot of trouble nonsense!" replied the hospitable man. "It just means to boil an extra potato. And what is seventy-five cents between friends?"—Judge.

Quantity.

"You prefer beans to pork?"

"Yes. Pork shrinks in cooking, beans swell."

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WAR TALKS

By UNCLE DAN

Number Four

Military Training Necessary for Safety and Defense.

"Say, Uncle Dan," said Billie, "Jim-ie and I have been looking up about ar in the encyclopedia at school. We ound that in the war between Ger-any and France in 1870-71, Germany st in killed and wounded 28,000 sol-iers while France lost about six times s many, and besides that, she lost very battle. We asked Professor Slo-um why this was. He said that the erman army was highly trained and bly commanded, while the French oldiers were poorly trained; and that eir war department was honey-ombed with jealousy and politics; at the officers were not much good, d that's why France lost the war d so many men. What do you think bout it, Uncle Dan?"

"Well," said Uncle Dan, "Professor locum is right. By inefficiency France st that war, together with two of r best provinces—Alsace and Lor-aine—and had to pay a billion dol-rs indemnity money. France today arned her lesson by that sad expe-ence, so she put in universal military aining, and as a result, her soldiers ow know how to fight and how to otect themselves. They are losing s men in the war than the Germans. rance also put politics out of her war epartment, so that expert authority, stead of bureaucratic stupidity, now rects the army. The result is. ance has one of the best and most ficient armies every assembled, and is shows what thorough training and od leadership means in warfare. his saved France in this crisis, as ll as the liberties of the world."

"As war is now conducted, there is place for an untrained man. A dy of 10,000 well trained soldiers operly handled could defeat five es their number of raw recruits and it every time with comparatively all loss to themselves. Proper train- alone will reduce the death and ualty rate one-third of what it oth-wise would be, and right here is an answerable argument for universal litary training.

"Our government has no moral right force her men into war service thout properly training them for it. do so is simply murder, hence the antic effort that is now being made give her soldiers some training be-e they are sent to the front. If we to win this war, it will take trained n to do it, and it will take trained n to win any other war that may me upon us in the future. If we st fight, let us fight to win and not lose."

"That's the stuff," said Billie.

Continuing, Uncle Dan said: "Our vernment has expended about $800,-0,000 to put up cantonments and aining stations in order to train the en called by the selective draft. hen these men are trained the train- stations should be immediately led with younger men, say those in eir nineteenth year, to receive six onths of intensive military train- along the lines of the Chamberlain ll. This will be of immeasurable nefit to them individually. It will them more good than any other two ars of their whole life; it will make em strong, manly, self-reliant, quick see and quick to act; it will equip em for a successful life. In short, will rebuild American manhood and ll also give the government a body trained men to draw from in case is necessary to defend our flag and untry. We must settle this question universal military training imme-ately, otherwise these training camps y be demolished. The adoption of iversal military training will be no-e to the world that from then on will be prepared to defend our-lves promptly and efficiently, and is will do more to keep us out of ar in the future than anything else could do."

"Do you think, brother," said Mrs. aham, "that there will ever be an-her war?"

"I have no doubt about it," said cle Dan. "So long as men are [illegible] so long as nations are ambi-us to acquire territory, so long as pulation presses and demands more [illegible], so long as there remains a amble for world trade—so long wars ll be. When the time comes that reach the high plane for which we e and dream, when all will recog- the fatherhood of God and the otherhood of man, then, and then ly, will wars cease. When that day use doors will need no locks, banks ll need no vaults to protect their asures, but that day is a long way

e only safe and sane plan is to able to defend ourselves at all es. Therefore, every citizen should ist that senators and congressmen all provide for universal military ining, so that never again shall the ntry be caught so completely un-dy as this war found us. For-ately, in this case, our enemy has held back, so we have had a few [illegible] in which to prepare. This ad-[illegible], probably will never come [illegible] It is however our salvation

[illegible] she was ready, Switzerland island of peace in a sea of [illegible] first is good, but safety is better. In strength there is You never saw a tin can [illegible] tell of a bulldog. There

For Sale.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson's visited at John Simonson's Wednesday evening of last week.

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District

In Re Liquidation of The Farmers State Bank of Holt, Minnesota, A Banking Corporation Insolvent.

ORDER

Upon reading the petition of F. E. Pearson, as Superintendent of Banks for the State of Minnesota, having in charge for the purpose of liquidation, the Farmers State Bank of Holt, a corporation, and which petition was duly verified and sworn to by the said F. E. Pearson, on the 16th day of November 1917, and which petition has been duly filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, praying that this Court direct, order and levy an assessment upon each share of the capital stock of the said Farmers State Bank of Holt, and against each and every of the stockholders and persons liable on said stock, in an amount sufficient to pay the indebtedness of said corporation, and the costs and expense involved in the liquidation of the said Farmers State Bank of Holt, and the costs and expense involved in these proceedings, not exceeding the par value of said stock; the persons liable as stockholders in said corporation to be determined by the Court; and the amount of assessment to be fixed and determined by the Court against each and every of the stockholders and persons found by the Court to be liable on said stock, all of which shall be determined at the hearing on said petition, as required by law.

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of G. Halvorson, Attorney for said F. E. Pearson as Superintendent of Banks for the State of Minnesota,

IT IS ORDERED, that said petition be heard before the undersigned, one of the Judges of said Court, at his chambers in the Court House in the City of Warren, Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 22nd day of January 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, at which time and place the Court will receive and consider such proof as may be offered in relation to the matter alleged in said petition by said Receiver and by any of the stockholders and creditors of said Farmers State Bank of Holt, and any other person interested therein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that said Receiver give notice of such hearing by causing a copy of this order to be mailed to each of the stockholders of said Farmers State Bank of Holt, as alleged in said petition, or known to said Superintendent of Banks, at least 30 days prior to such hearing, and by publishing this order in The Holt Weekly News, a weekly newspaper in said County, at least once, which publication shall take place at least 30 days prior to such hearing.

Dated at Warren, Minnesota, this 13th day of December 1917.

BY THE COURT
Andrew Grindeland,
DISTRICT JUDGE.

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The monthly lesson on "Cookery, Foods and Nutrition" under the direction of Caroline Hunt of the Department of Agriculture, is alone worth the price of a ten-year subscription not only to the woman who follows each lesson but to the government of the United States in helping to win the terrific war with the Central Empires of Europe.

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Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand [illegible] above the turbulence of the waves. Trinities and Sanctities.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

[illegible] Johnson went to Minot N D. yesterday on business.

School will commence again Monday after the holiday vacation.

Fred Johnson of T. R. Falls was here between trains Wednesday.

Fridjof Riesberg arrived home Wednesday from Gardena. N. D.

Mrs. Chris Yttri of Viroqua. Wis. visited here a few days last week.

J. E. and Gust Erickson went to T. R. Falls Monday returning home Thursday.

Mrs. M. T. Strom and little Alpha went to T. R. Falls Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. K. O. Flakne and daughter, Mabel, and two little boys went to Iowa Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Huseth and children came down from Greenbush Monday to visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Folden are the proud parents of a baby girl which arrived at their place Dec. 27th.

Mrs. Docken and Miss Helen Johnson went to Warren yesterday to attend a meeting of Red Cross officers.

The Nazareth Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Ole Lunke on Wednesday Jan. 9th. Everybody invited.

Mrs. O. H. Nohre and children returned Wednesday from several weeks visit with relatives in Houston county.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Erickson and Mrs. F. Coppy attended the party at Tom Jacobson's New Years day.

Adolph Johnson returned home Wednesday from Canada, and seems to be almost completely recovered from his recent runaway accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Olson, dauhhter Myrtle of Middle River came Saturday to visit at the home of his brother, Dr. R. L. Olson and family.

It is claimed that coal will be scarcer next year than it has been this year. [illegible] sure way to overcome that is for every one to cut all the wood they possibly can this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Adams and little son went to Baldus Monday where he will have work chopping pulp wood and his wife will have work cooking for some of the wood choppers.

Holt Boy In France.

Bently Nelson's folks here received word the first of the week of his safe arrival in France sometime last month. We believe Mr. Nelson is the first of the soldier boys from Holt to reach that country and all will be glad to hear of his safe arrival.

May Be Called Feb. 15th.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26, '17.
Governor Burnquist,
St. Paul, Minn.

It has been decided that there will be no more formal calls for deferred percentages of the present quota before Feb. 15th. While Boards should, until they have enough men finally classified in class one, send forward promptly men selected under the old regulations to make up deficiencies in calls already made, the result of this decision will be that we shall be able to give the benefit of the new classification system to all men whose order numbers are so late as to place them within deferred percentages of the present call. Calls will, however, be made very shortly under the provisions of Section 149 for the special class of men there mentioned. For the sake of composing the public mind and for the convenience of registrants this information ought to be given wide dissemination.

Gen. Crowder.

The above telegram from Provost Marshall Gen. Crowder to the Governor was sent out for publication by the Ad't General's office at St. Paul, with the following information:

Questionnaires, however, must be sent in to the Local Board within the time limit stated therein.

We print sale bills.

Are you going to start the new year right, by paying for this paper?

Bernard Larson and George Ruehman were visitors at J. E. Erickson's Friday afteanoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of T. R. Falls came Tuesday to visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Furr and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Oide visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson Monday and Tuesday.

It's no use to depend on getting any more coal this winter. The sooner everyone gets a big woodpile the better it will be.

Watch meetings were held at both churches Monday night and the bell announced the departure of the Old year and the arrival of the New.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson and Mr. and Mrs. Gust Erickson attended the party at C. L. Heinze's Xmas. day and at Frank Coppay's in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson and baby boy and A. K Jones were entertained New Years day at the L. Wegge home.

Ask the two whist players how many games they could win out of a possible eight.

Mrs. Fred Lufkin and children returned Monday to T. R. Falls.

The Oien and Huseth families and Miss Helen Johnson were entertained at the home of Mrs. Jacob Nelson at supper Tuesday evening.

E. M. Bennes of T. R. Falls visited his brother, Albert Bennes and family Friday and Saturday.

Torger Eide came down from Spooner Wednesday, where he visited his brother, E. T. Eide and family, and was a guest at the Dr. R. L. Olson home until his departure Thursday for his home in Fairbanks, Alaska.

Meatless Tuesdays and wheatless Wednesdays will help win the war.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
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Hotel for Sale!

Hotel for sale on easy terms or for rent to a responsible party with the option of buying. Write or call on Sam Mickelson, Prop. Central Hotel Holt, Minn.

Stiener News

Miss Ruth Solem is visiting her parents during the holidays.

Vivian Copp visited his brother Harvey, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers and family visited at the Borden Home Christmas day.

Willie Meyer visited Harvey Copp Saturday.

Miss Jessie Rogers visited Ruby Warring Saturday.

Ole A. Dahl of Rosewood had feed ground at Stiner.

Steve Warring visited at his parents home over Christmas, after which he went to International Falls.

Nick Baker and Omer Warring have been hauling wood.

Ella Meyer took the train to T. R. Falls Thursday.

Livery Barn For Sale!

Livery and feed barn, small house and six lots for sale or trade, also 140 acres of land adjoining incorporated village of Holt. Enquire of Guy Anderson, Holt, Minn.

Mrs. H. B. Young was a Middle River visitor Monday.

P. L. Anderson spent New Years with friends in Minneapolis.

Will Stienhauer called at J. E. Erickson Thursday of last week.

Ole Backlund is visiting his sister in Sebeka, Wadena county.

Mrs. Melquist and her sister Miss Hagen returned home Monday.

Miss Ruth Johnson and friend went to T. R. Falls Wednesday.

R. Reierson and Knute Moen each shipped a car of wood Saturday.

P. A. Riesberg and Thorval Kolden shipped a car of hay to Duluth Tuesday.

Miss Betty Johnson went to Hillsboro Wednesday to visit her sister, Miss Tina.

John Stanley came up from Goodridge last week to visit at the home of J. B. Alkenbrack and family.

Miss Inga Garfve of Granville, N. Dak. returned home Tuesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Issac Garfve.

This paper and To-Day's Housewife magazine only $1.50 a year.

The winter term of the northwest school of agriculture, at Crookston, opens Jan. 1 and closes Mar. 28.

Bergman Folden came from Warren several days ago to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Folden.

Mr. and Mrs E. J. Erickson and Mr. and Mrs Gust Erickson were visitors at O. Mattson Saturday evening.

The U. S. Navy wants 800 men from this section of the country. All who will not be in the next army draft, can enlist in the navy.

U. S. Thrift Stamps, in denominations of 25c each, are now on sale at the postoffices and by the rural carriers. Ask them for full information. If each person in the U. S. would buy at least one Thrift Stamp it would make Uncle Sam 25 million dollars to help win the war. $4.00 worth of stamps and 12c cash will buy a $5.00 Certificate at any time next month.

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Sunnyside

(Too late for last week)

Irene and Lucy Wegge accompanied by their sister Mrs. Oscar Michalson and baby, returned home from York N. Dak. Thursday.

Oscar Knutson went to Middle River Saturday and was an over Sunday visitor at the home of his uncle, Mike Sorum

A card was received from the boys who were drafted saying, they expected to arrive at San Francisco last Saturday.

Mrs. Alvin Knauf and baby arrived from T. R. Falls Thursday for an extended visit at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Kuehne.

The Kaiser's Prayer.

Mein Godt will you be myn pardner, You don't know who I am? I am Der German Kaiser, Der Emperor Vill I am.

You know I whipped the Belgians,
Und mit bullets filled Russia full,
Und I will whip France and Italy,
Und blow up Johnny Bull.

Now for dem other nations,
I don't gif a hang—
If you shoost be mein pardner
Umd whip dot Uncle Sam.

You know I got dem Submarines,
All Europe knows dot well—
But Edison got a patent now,
Vot blows dem all to —Vell.

Now Gott, if you do dis, Den you I vill always love. Und I'll be der emperor of earth, Und der emperor above.

But Gott, if you refuse dis,
Tomorrow at eleven—Ill call my
Zeppelians down, Und declare war
on Heaven.

I would'ent ask dis from you, But it can be plainly seen, Dot ven Edison pushes dot button, I got no submarine.

—Sel.

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2 teaspoon salt, 1-2 cake compressed yeast, 2-3 cups cornmeal, 2 1-3 cups flour.

Add sugar, fat, and salt to liquid and bring to the boiling point. Add cornmeal slowly, stirring constantly until all is added. Bring to the boiling point. Remove from the fire and cool. These proportions of cornmeal and water result in so thick a mixture that to add the given amt. of flour looks impossible. It can be done however. Add compressed yeast softened in 1-4 cup water. Add flour and knead. Let rise until double its bulk, knead again and put into pans. When light, bake in a moderate oven for at least an hour.

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Important News Events of the World Summarized

U. S.—Teutonic War News

Among 47 officers of the expeditionary forces recommended for promotion by General Pershing in a list made public by the war department at Washington, is Second Lieut. Archibald B. Roosevelt, son of Theodore Roosevelt, who is proposed for a captaincy of infantry.

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One hundred American soldiers with the American army in France received promotions for their Christmas presents. Included in the lucky list were two engineering officers whose coolness at Cambrai helped the British check the Boches' counter-attack.

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German atrocities against American soldiers are officially reported in dispatches from France. An American sentry has been found with his throat cut, and, it is officially declared, "he must have been so killed after capture."

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Two commissioned officers and two sergeants were seriously injured near field headquarters of the American army in France, when an automobile belonging to the aviation section plunged 15 feet down an embankment and overturned.

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Direct assurances of the confidence of both British and French commanders in General Pershing's ability and their satisfaction with the breadth and soundness of his preparations to make American arms effective on the western front have reached Washington with the return from Europe of Maj. Gen. Hugh L. Scott.

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Foreign

Nicholas Bololavetesky, Russian consul at Seattle, Wash., announced that he had received a cable telling of the establishment of a new Russian government at Veronezh, the capital of a province of the same name between Moscow and Rostov-on-Don. This is the ninth portion of the old Russian empire to declare its independence.

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The latest estimate of dead in the Halifax disaster December 6 is placed at 1,500.

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Importation of intoxicating liquors into Canada after Monday next is prohibited and their manufacture will be prohibited after a date to be determined later, Premier Borden officially announced at Ottawa, Ont.

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As the result of the publication in Buenos Aires of the telegrams sent by Count von Luxburg, the former German minister, to the Berlin foreign office, it again has been necessary to call out mounted patrols to disperse crowds of people who demanded a rupture of relations with Germany.

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Domestic

The mills at Minneapolis, Minn., began grinding "war flour" under the new government regulations designed to save 16,000,000 bushels of wheat in the present crop year. The regulations provide for the use of 74 per cent of the wheat berry instead of but 50 per cent.

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Evidence has been uncovered by government agents indicating that American Industrial Workers of the World, Russian bolsheviki, Irish agitators and revolutionists in various countries at war with Germany may be seeking to lay the foundation of an elaborate world-wide plan to overthrow existing social orders. This was admitted by Washington officials in connection with news of the discovery of rifles and ammunition in the Russian freighter Shilka, which arrived at a Pacific port.

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Fred Green, one of the best-known engineers of the Northwest, and Miss Jessie Wharton, were killed when their automobile was struck by a train on the outskirts of Butte, Mont.

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Three British aviators, in training at Fort Worth, Tex., were killed when two airplanes crashed in midair. The dead are: Arthur E. Webster, Kingston; Lieut. Russell Jenner, Kingsville, Ontario, and Cyrill A. Baker, Kent, England.

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Federal officials announced at San Francisco the arrest on a presidential warrant of Franz Schulenberg, alleged to be one of the cleverest and most dangerous German spies operating on the Pacific coast.

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Sixteen persons were killed and 98 injured when a Knoxville car crowded with shoppers ran wild through the South Hills tunnel at Pittsburgh, Pa., jumped a switch and overturned.

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Berne M. Mead, cashier of the State Trust and Savings bank of Peoria, Ill., was shot and killed by Edward A. Strause, president of the bank, in a revolver duel in the bank building. Business jealousy over the honor of being named president of the bank is believed to have been at the bottom of the killing.

Negotiations for the purchase of a large part of the Cuban sugar crop, now being harvested and amounting to an estimated 3,600,000 tons, for the use of the United States and its allies, have been virtually completed, it was announced at New York. The price was said to be $4.60 a hundred pounds f. o. b., Cuba.

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More than a half-million working days—the equivalent of the labor of 20,000 workmen for a solid month—have been lost to the government's shipbuilding program through strikes and lockouts, R. B. Stevens of the shipping board told the senate investigating committee at Washington.

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Alphonse St. Pierre, twenty-five years old, was shot and killed when attempting to escape from Fort Wayne at Detroit, Mich. St. Pierre was taken into custody on a charge of deserting from a New Jersey engineer regiment.

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Washington

The senate military committee at Washington sent to the war department a resolution urging that immediate steps be taken without regard to departmental routine to supply deficiencies of winter clothing to men in the camps.

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Gen. Tasker H. Bliss will be retained on active service as chief of staff of the army after he reaches the retirement age, next Monday, December 31. Secretary Baker announced at Washington that this had been decided upon by President Wilson.

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Fuel Administrator Doctor Garfield told the senate committee on manufactures at Washington that if the war continued very long the government would be compelled to pool coal and sell it at reasonable prices.

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Food Administrator Hoover's statement on the sugar situation was made public by the White House at Washington. It attributes the shortage here to the heavy movement of sugar from the western hemisphere to Europe and asserts that without the fixing of prices by agreement sugar would be selling for 25 to 30 cents a pound.

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Francis J. Heney, special trust investigator for the federal trade commission, stated at Washington that the packing interests are in reality a mammoth food trust which has the entire country in its grasp.

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Col. Isaac Lewis, inventor of the machine gun which bears his name, in testimony before the senate military affairs committee at Washington, blames General Crozier for the failure to supply guns to the American forces now in France.

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Without waiting for congressional appropriation, the war department at Washington authorized orders to supply 1,000,000 troops before the United States went to war, it was brought out in the testimony of General Sharpe, quartermaster general, before the senate military committee.

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Personal

Senator Francis Griffith Newlands of Nevada died of heart failure at Washington after an illness of a few hours. Senator Newlands was an authority in congress on railroad and waterway legislation. He was born near Natchez, Miss., on August 28, 1848. He became a citizen of Nevada in 1888, and was elected to the Fifty-third, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-fifth, Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh congresses.

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Representative E. R. Bathrick of the Fourteenth Ohio district, died at his home in Akron, O.

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European War News

The losses to British shipping show a material decrease for the last week. According to the admiralty report issued at London, 11 British merchantmen of 1,600 tons or over were sunk during this period by mine or submarine, as well as one merchantman under that tonnage and one fishing vessel.

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An attack in force by the Germans in Flanders was announced in London in a dispatch from Field Marshal Haig. The Teutons struck the British front in the neighborhood of the Ypres-Staden railroad. Field Marshal Haig admits his advanced posts were driven in over a front of 700 yards.

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A considerable portion of the ground gained by the enemy in the region of Monte Azolone, on the northern front, east of the Brenta river, has been retaken by the Italians, the Rome war office announces.

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A German airplane was brought down and its crew of three captured in one of two German raids, announced at London by Viscount French, commander in chief of home defense forces.

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Vice Admiral Sir Rosslyn Wemyss has been appointed first sea lord in succession to Admiral Sir John R. Jellicoe, according to an official announcement issued at London. Admiral Jellicoe has been elevated to the peerage in recognition of his services.

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One hundred and one lives were lost when the British armed steamship Stephen Furness was sunk by a German submarine in the Irish channel, according to official announcement made at London. Six officials and 95 men were drowned.

ALIEN ENEMIES REGISTER FEB. 4

Plans Perfected for Big Task Which Executive Proclamation Requires.

PROVISIONS RELATE ONLY TO ADULT MALE GERMANS

Postmasters to be Registration Officers in Small Towns—Penalties for Noncompliance With Rules Laid Down.

Washington, Dec. 31.—The week of February 4 has been set aside by the department of justice for the registration of the half million unnaturalized Germans in the continental United States by police and postmasters in pursuance of President Wilson's alien enemy proclamation directing this action as a means of minimizing the danger from enemy sympathizers in the United States.

Earlier plans for administering the registration in the eastern cities first and gradually extending it to the country were abandoned to prevent evasion of the proclamation's provisions by the movement of persons subject to registration, from one district to another.

The registration will involve the gathering of detailed information concerning the business, relatives and habits of every German, together with his photograph and finger prints. After registering he must carry a certificate card, and may not change his place of residence without approval of the police or postmaster. Violation of the regulations will be punishable by internment for the war.

These Are Exempt

The orders do not apply to German women, nor to persons under 14 years of age, and subjects of Austria-Hungary are not required to register. In announcing the regulations the department of justice took care to avoid creating the impression that the government looks on each German with suspicion. "Registrants are not to be treated as persons of evil disposition," said the instructions to registrars, "and the registration officers are urged to deal with them in a courteous and friendly manner."

Police, federal marshals and agents and postal authorities are expected to co-operate in the registration and investigate and check up each fact reported by the registrants. Certificate cards will be issued only after a complete verification is made.

In cities of 5,000 or more population the chief of police and his assistants will administer the registration. In smaller communities and rural districts it will be conducted by postmasters, and the postmaster of the largest office in the local judicial district will be chief registration officer to gather the reports and forward them to the United States marshal and the department of justice.

Some of the Requirements

Every German is required to go to the registrar and make out triplicate affidavit information blanks, and to furnish four photographs of himself—one for each affidavit and one for his registration card. The photograph must bear his signature written across the front, and must not be larger than three inches square. It must be on thin paper and have a light background.

Affidavits are required to set forth very full information concerning name, address, age, place of birth, occupation and residences since January 1, 1914, date of arrival in the United States, whether married, names and ages of children, whether the registrant has any male relatives in arms against the United States, whether registered for draft, military training, naturalization conditions, etc. Full description of the man and the prints of each finger must be taken by the registrar.

Germans not at their place of residence during the week of February 4 may be registered in the district where they happen to be.

GUATEMALA CITY IS IN RUINS

Culmination of Earthquake Series Makes City a Waste

Washington, Dec. 31. — Guatemala city, capital of the little Central American republic of Guatemala, has been laid in ruins by earthquakes beginning Christmas day and culminating Saturday night in violent shocks which completed the work of destruction. A cablegram to the navy department says that 125,000 people were in the streets without shelter and that a number were killed by falling walls. A San Salvador report says that the Colon theater, which was filled with people, collapsed, and many were killed. Various hospitals, asylums and prisons were also the scenes of wholesale fatalities among their inmates as the result of falling walls.

The San Salvador report further states that the railroad depot, sugar mills, post office, the American and British legations, United States consulate and the churches of the city have been completely leveled. Deep fissures have opened in the middle of the city, and the inhabitants have fled in panic. Provisions in the city are scant and help is urgently required.

MEXICAN BANDITS ARE SHOT

Raid on American Ranch Results Fatally to Attackers

El Paso, Dec. 31.—At least six Mexican bandits were killed in a fight with United States troops and Texas rangers Saturday at San Jose, Mexico, according to a statement tonight at military headquarters. The Americans crossed into Mexico. There were no American casualties. The bandits, 50 in number, were put to rout. The pursuit across the border followed raids on the Indi ranch, in which it is estimated that a score of Mexicans were killed.

RUMANIAN KING QUITS IS RUMOR

Abdicates in Favor of Crown Prince Charles, According To Petrograd.

BOLSHEVIKI AT WORK

Propagandists Reported Busy Among Rumanian Troops—Two-thirds of Territory Lost—Plebiscite for Alsace-Lorraine Proposed.

Washington, Dec. 31.—B. P. Stevens, manager of the National City branch bank in Petrograd, and his assistant, a Mr. Link, arrested when the bolsheviki seized the bank, have been released, American Ambassador Francis reports.

Petrograd, Dec. 31.—There are persistent rumors here that King Ferdinand of Rumania has abdicated in favor of Crown Prince Charles.

Disturbed conditions in Rumania were previously reported in a dispatch from Petrograd. It was said that news of a revolutionary plot against King Ferdinand had been received at the bolsheviki headquarters in Petrograd. Other reports, it was added, tended to confirm indications of a political crisis. Except for this there has been little news from Rumania since the Rumanian army was forced to agree to an armistice on the eastern front. It had been reported that bolsheviki and German propagandists were at work among the Rumanian troops.

Member of Hohenzollern Family.

King Ferdinand, who is a member of the Hohenzollern family, succeeded his uncle, King Charles, in October, 1914, King Charles having died at Sinaia on Oct. 10. Rumania declared war on Austria on Aug. 27, 1916, and King Ferdinand took personal command of the army shortly thereafter.

King Ferdinand is the son of Prince Leopold of Hohenzollern Sigmaringen, and two of his brothers are generals in the German army. He was born at Sigmaringen, Aug. 24, 1865.

Crown Prince Charles was born Oct. 3, 1893, and is an officer in the Rumanian army. He is unmarried, although early in 1914 it was reported that his betrothal to the then Grand Duchess Olga of Russia had been arranged.

Two-Thirds of Country Taken.

Queen Maria of Rumania, who was a duchess of Saxe-Coburg Gotha, is a granddaughter of Queen Victoria of Great Britain, and was married to King Ferdinand on Jan. 10, 1893.

Since Rumania's entrance into the war, more than two-thirds of her territory has been overrun by the enemy. The royal family fled from the capital, Bucharest, in the fall of 1916, and since that time has been at Jassy.

German delegates to the Brest Litovsk peace conference were reported to have privately agreed to a plebiscite to determine the future of Alsace-Lorraine.

Favorable Step Toward Peace.

The declaration that it had been covered was regarded here as further evidence of a favorable step toward general peace.

The Central Powers' reply in general caused a good impression here. Some observers declared if the bolsheviki convened the constituent assembly, their peace aspirations would probably be supported.

Admission of 10 revolutionary socialists to the bolsheviki government circles strengthened the bolsheviki very greatly here today.

SEEK TO REGAIN JERUSALEM

Sixty Thousand Turks Under Hun Begin Desperate Drive.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Four Turkish army divisons, upward of 60,00 men, —reinforced by Teutonic troops from the Russian and Rumanian fronts, have begun a desperate campaign to retake Jerusalem, according to official reports.

Heavy fighting is in force from Jaffa through Jerusalem and along the Jericho road almost to the river Jordan. The Turks vainly attempted to break the British grip on the Jaffa-Jerusalem railroads. Efforts to turn the British flank near Bethany, northeast of Jerusalem, failed.

At some points General Allenby's force is outnumbered two to one. He is making a determined stand against General Falkenhayn's divisions.

Italian Attack Breaks Down.

Berlin, Dec. 31.—An Italian attack against the Austro-German positions on the heights east of Monte Tomba has broken down, it is announced.

Food Saving Slackers Fined.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—Four men who attacked a restaurant keeper who refused to serve them a meat order on meatless day have been each fined $100 and costs by Judge Trude in the Maxwell street police court. In announcing the fines Judge Trude said: "These are wartimes and the government must be supported in every way possible. Any man who says 'To hell with the law,' in times like these, as one of these men did, may be a traitor. Those having a lawless point of view must be given a lesson."

ROADS GO UNDER CONTROL OF U. S.

Government Takes Over Railroads With Secretary McAdoo As Director General

ALL SYSTEMS INCLUDED

President Issues Proclamation Assuming Control of Every Transportation Line Engaged in General Business.

Washington, Dec. 28.—President Wilson proclaims government possession and operation of the nation's railroads to become effective at non Friday, December 28.

William McAdoo, retaining his place in the cabinet as Secretary of the Treasury, is placed in charge as director general of the railroads.

Every railroad engaged in general transportation, with its appurtenances, including steamship lines, is taken over and all systems will be operated as one under the director general.

In a statement accompanying his proclamation the President announced that as soon as Congress reassembles he will recommend legislation guaranteeing pre-war earnings and maintenance of railroad properties in good repair.

Government backing will be given to new issues of railroad securities that a ready market may be found.

Move Proves Great Surprise.

The President's move, though forecast for weeks, came at this time as a great surprise to nearly everybody in Washington, including railroad officials. It had been generally believed he would await the reassembling of Congress before taking any step. He acted under Secretary of War Baker, through authority conferred in the army appropriation act.

Direct management of the roads will remain in the hands of the railroad officials, and the Railroad War Board, comprised of five railroad heads, will continue to direct actual operation under Secretary McAdoo's general supervision.

The chief practical effect of government operation will be to permit complete unification of all rail systems, impossible under private operation by reason of statutes prohibiting pooling of rail traffic and earnings.

The roads themselves had gone as far as they dared in this direction and it just became known that they had been warned by Attorney General Gregory that a violation of anti-pooling laws could not be permitted. This situation was fully realized by President Wilson, who, in his statement, declared the roads had gone as far as they could and already some systems were endangering their earnings in attempting unification.

Earnings to Be Guaranteed.

Although the proclamation applies to all electric lines engaged in general transportation, local interurban systems are specifically exempted. Congress will be asked to guarantee earnings equivalent to the net operating income of each railroad in the three-year period ending June 30, 1917. Railroad experts estimate that this will cost the government next year in the neighborhood of $100,000,000.

The Interstate Commerce commission and other government agencies, which have to do with the railroads, will continue to perform their functions as heretofore, except that they will be subject to orders of the director of railroads.

Wilson Explains Action.

The following statement by the President explaining his action, was issued:

"I have exercised the powers over the transportation systems of the country which were granted me by the act of Congress of August, 1916, because it has become imperatively necessary for me to do so. This is a war of resources no less than of men, perhaps even more than men, and it is necessary for the complete mobilization of our resources that the transportation systems of the country should be organized and employed under a single authority and a simplified method of coordination which have not proved possible under private management and control. The committee of railway executives, who have be cooperating with the government in this all important matter, have done the utmost that it was possible for them to do; have done it with patriotic zeal and with great ability, but there were difficulties that they could neither escape nor neutralize. Complete unity of administration in the present circumstance involves upon occasion and at many points a serious dislocation of earnings, and the committee was, of course, without power or authority to rearrange charges or effect proper compensations and adjustments of earnings. Several roads which were willingly and with admirable public spirit accepting the orders of the committee have already suffered from these circumstances and should not be required to suffer further. In mere fairness to them the full authority of the government must be substituted. The government itself will thereby gain an immense increase of efficiency in the conduct of the war and of the innumerable activities upon which its successful conduct depends.

Public Comes First.

"The public interest must be first served, and, in addition, the financial interests of the government and the financial interests of the railways must be brought under a common direction.

"The financial operations of the railroads need not then interfere with the borrowings of the government and they themselves can be conducted at a greater advantage.

"Investors in railway securities may rest assured that their rights and interests will be as scrupulously looked after by the government as they could be by the directors of the several railway systems. Immediately upon the reassembling of Congress, I shall recommend that these definite guarantees be given:

"First, of course, that the railway properties will be maintained during the period of federal control in as good repair and as complete equipment as were taken over by the government, and

"Second—that the roads shall receive a net operating income, equal in each case to the average net income of the three years preceding June 30, 1917; and I am entirely confident that the Congress will be disposed in this case, as in others to see that justice is done and full security assured to the owners and creditors of the great systems which the government must now use under its own direction or else suffer serious embarrassment.

Best Results Are Sought.

"The Secretary of War and I are agreed that, all the circumstances being taken into consideration, the best results can be obtained under the immediate executive administration of the Hon. William G. McAdoo, whose practical experience peculiarly fits him for the service and whose authority as Secretary of the Treasury will enable him to co-ordinate, as no other man could, the many financial interests which will be involved and which might, unless systematically directed, suffer very embarrassing entanglements.

"The government of the United States is the only great government now engaged in the war which had not already assumed control of this sort. It was thought to be the spirit of American institution to attempt to do everything that was necessary through private management, and if zeal and ability and patriotic motive could have accomplished the necessary unification of administration, it would certainly have been accomplished, but no zeal or ability could overcome insuperable obstacles, and I have deemed it my duty to recognize that fact in all candor now that it is demonstrated and to use without reserve the great authority reposed in me. A great national necessity dictated the action and I was therefore not at liberty to abstain from it.

"WOODROW WILSON."

WILLIAM G. McADOO

Holds two of biggest jobs in the United States.

Secretary of the Treasury, William G. McAdoo has been chosen by President Wilson as director of railroads. He takes up his new duties at noon, Dec. 28, still retaining his cabinet post.

I. W. W. Stage Riot in Jail.

Wichita, Kan., Dec. 28.—Christmas was celebrated by the 33 Industrial Workers of the World, held in the jail here, by an all night riot which it was impossible to quell. The men broke their cots, pounded their cells, groaned, yelled, sang and cursed all night. The city fire department will be held in readiness to give the rioters the "water cure" if the rioting is repeated. Everything excepting clothing has been taken from the cells by the sheriff.

Workers to Get More Pay; Less for Officers

Washington, Dec. 28.—One of the first acts of the government in beginning operation of railroads will be to reduce large salaries now paid to the railway executives and increase in some measure the wages of railway workers.

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A Tart Reply.

"I hope you never deceive your wife," said the meddlesome man with a look of pious concern.

"I'd like to know what business it is of yours to hope that I never deceive my wife," snapped the irascible citizen. "Do you think I'm going to let her find out how ornery I am, just to please you."

A Harsh Cynicism.

"Marriage is a lottery," said the philosopher.

"In that case," commented the poor misanthrope, "the anti-gambling laws are not enforced as they ought to be."

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"'Deed, I do," exclaimed Margaret. "Babies are my favorite animal."

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"Yes, ma, and he hasn't opened his mouth since you went away."

"What did you do to amuse him, Willie?"

"I gave him the mucilage bottle to suck."

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In Which Sense?

"I hear the sheriff is after [illegible]."

"Yes. I believe he has an attachment for her."

With the waning of the [illegible] Cupid substitutes a pair of green goggles for the rose colored glasses.

St. Paul is to entertain American Federation of Labor in 1918.

MUST FILE RETURN

ALL SUBJECT TO INCOME TAX REQUIRED TO SUBMIT STATEMENTS BY MARCH 1.

HEAVY PENALTY FOR FAILURE

Returns Will Be Rigidly Checked and Assistance Given Taxpayers by Officials in Every County—Tips to Farmers.

Washington.—All good Americans who are making a fair living are now called upon to pay, in the way of an income tax, their share of the cost of the war. Whether or not he is subject to this tax is the question every man must settle at once. In a few words this is the answer: Every unmarried man whose net income is $1,000 or more and every married man or head of a family whose income is $2,000 or over must pay the tax. Before March 1, 1918, he must file his return with the collector of internal revenue in the district in which he lives or has his principal place of business.

The man who thinks to evade this tax is making a serious error. Revenue officials will be in every county to check returns. Failure to make a correct return within the time specified involves heavy penalties.

"Net income" means gross income less certain deductions provided for by the act. The law defines income as profit, gain, wages, salary, commissions, money or its equivalent from professions, vocations, commerce, trade, rents, sales and dealings in property, real and personal, and interest from investments except interest from government bonds, or state, municipal township or county bonds. Incomes from service as guardian, trustee or executor; from dividends, pensions, royalties, or patents, or oil and gas wells, coal land, etc., are taxable.

Normal Rate Is 2 Per Cent.

The normal rate of tax is 2 per cent on net incomes above the amount of exemptions, which is $2,000 in the case of a married person or head of a family and $1,000 in the case of a single person. A married person or head of a family is allowed an additional exemption of $200 for each dependant child if under eighteen years of age or incapable of self-support because defective. The taxpayer is considered to be the head of a family if he is actually supporting one or more persons closely connected with him by blood relationship or relationship by marriage, or if his duty to support such person is based on some moral or legal obligation.

Debts ascertained to be worthless and charged off within the year and taxes paid except income taxes and those assessed against local benefits are deductible. These and other points of the income tax section of the war revenue act will be fully explained by revenue officers who will visit every county in the United States between January 2 and March 1 to assist taxpayers in making out their returns.

Officers to Visit Every Locality.

Notice of their arrival in each locality will be given in advance through the press, banks and post offices. They will be supplied with income tax forms copies of which may be obtained also from collectors of internal revenue.

The bureau of internal revenue is seeking to impress upon persons subject to the tax the fact that failure to see this official in no way relieves them of the duty imposed by law to file their returns within the time specified.

The government is not required to seek the taxpayer. The taxpayer is required to seek the government.

The penalty for failure to make the return on time is a fine of not less than $20 nor more than $1,000, and in addition 50 per cent of the amount of the tax due. For making a false or fraudulent return, the penalty is a fine not to exceed $2,000 or not exceeding one year's imprisonment, or both, in the discretion of the court, and in addition 100 per cent of the tax evaded.

As to the Farmers.

The number of farmers who will pay income taxes has not been estimated by the government officials, but it is certain they will form a large percentage of the 6,000,000 persons assessed who never before have paid an income tax. The average farmer does not keep books but if he avails himself of the services of government experts who will be sent to aid him, it will not be difficult for him to ascertain the amount of his net income.

The farmer in making out his return may deduct depreciation in the value of property and machinery used in the conduct of his farm, and loss by fire, storm or other casualty, or by theft if not covered by insurance. Expenses actually incurred in farm operation may be deducted, but not family or living expense. Produce raised on the farm and traded for groceries, wearing apparel, etc., is counted as living expenditures and cannot be deducted.

Take the Short Route.

When you talk, observes an educator, whether in conversation or in meeting, use short words, of which there are more than there are of long ones, and take the most direct road to your meaning. Your meaning's the same.

Cook Makes Good Start.

"I see you have a new cook." "[illegible] right." "Is she experienced?" "I surmise so. She started the first day by coming late and then asking for the afternoon off."

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"Mrs. Twobble. I asked her how she liked my new hat."

"Well?"

"She said it was 'so becoming.'"

"Isn't that a compliment?"

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Under Control.

Mrs. Flatbush—Does your husband come home to his luncheon?

Mrs. Bensonhurst—Oh, yes; every day.

"And does he grumble when it's not ready on time?"

"He does not."

"But you don't always have it on time for him, do you?"

"Hardly ever on time."

"And he don't grumble?"

"He certainly does not."

"Why doesn't he grumble, do you suppose?"

"Because I won't let him."

No Proofs.

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"Can't notice that contributions to the conscience fund are getting into the million class."

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Circumstantial Evidence.

"I say, Dick, what makes you so suspicious about your girl's letting other fellows court her?"

"I put it to you, Bill, wouldn't it make you suspicious if your girl's parrot kept saying all the time you were sitting with her, 'Oh, don't, Charley?'"

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"So Bill dressed up his story?"

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Nonpartisian League

Golden Valley, Minn., Dec. 19, '17

Editor Holt Weekly News:

Inasmuch as some of the newspapers and a good many of the professional politicians have had a great deal to say about the alleged disloyalty of the National Nonpartisan League and its leaders, we want to call your attention to the fact that a few days ago, Mr. A. C. Townley, head of the league, was invited to see President Woodrow Wilson. Now President Wilson is not inviting disloyalists to call at the White House and we think all will admit that the President usually is pretty well informed and probably knew exactly what he was doing when he invited Mr. Townley in to see him.

We also notice that President Wilson's message to Congress on Dec. 4, called attention to the fact that the farmers complain with considerable justice, that while regulations of food products restricts their incomes, no restraints are placed upon the prices of most of the things they purchase. The President went on to say that "Profiteering still runs Impudently Rampant" in many lines of industries and he recommends that congress go further and extend the price fixing law. This sounds a good deal like the resolution which the Nonpartisian League convention adopted at St. Paul on Sept. 18, 19 and 20th. In fact these resolutions advocated this very thing and a copy of these resolutions was sent to President Wilson.

When the National Nonpartisian League adopted resolutions denouncing the profiteers and demanding that the price fixing act be extended, we were attacked by Big Business through its kept press and professional politicians. Big Business attacked the league because the league hit it in a pretty sensitive spot—its pocket book. Big Business tried to discredit the league because we had shown that it was profiteering. But now that President Wilson brings the same charge and makes the same recommendations that we made, Big Business and the kept press haven't much to say. It seems that President Wilson's reception of Mr. Townley and his endorsement of the plank in our St. Paul resolutions makes any talk about the disloyalty of the Nonpartisian League and its leaders look absolutely ridiculous.

As a matter of fact, the Nonpartisian League is patriotic in its stand, and it is the Big Business profiteers who are the real disloyalists and who are trying to wring more money out of the necessities of the people and holding up the government with high prices and they need'nt think they are going to fool the people by hiding behind the flag. The Nonpartisian League started the campaign against these profiteers and now we have the President of the United States squarely behind us in our demands, that ought to settle any doubts about our patriotism in the minds of any honest man.

Yours for the common good,

Olaf Dahl.

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Balance on hand	1 14
Total	$953 04

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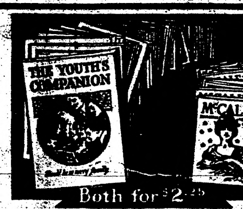

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Bayberry Shrub.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Always Hot Coffee at Bennes' restaurant.

Miss Matilda Furr went to T. R. Falls Monday.

Ben Hoff came last week Thursday to visit friends a few days.

Clarence Kolden went to Thief River Falls Wednesday on business.

The skating rink has been flooded and the skaters are enjoying the fun.

Miss Hagen of Erskine is the new clerk in Bennes' confectionery store.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson and children returned home Monday from Albert Lea.

Arnold Boernstein and Martin Kulseth went to International Falls Monday to work in the woods.

Found: A pocket-book containing money. Prove property and pay for this notice. Alfred Amundson.

Sam Mickelson went to Randen Saturday where he expects to cut logs on his homestead this winter.

Mrs. Riesberg returned home on Tuesday from Gardena, N. D., and reports all doing well at the Pavek home.

Misses Albertina and Hilma Nyberg went to Moorhead Saturday where they have employment at the Normal School.

Henry Ellestead returned Tuesday to his home at Spring Grove after a few days visit here at the homes of O. H. Nohre and T. E. Ellestead.

Richard Joringdal went to Viking Monday for a few days visit with his parents. Ben Hoff had charge of the barbershop during Mr. Joringdal's absence.

Red Cross meeting at the school house to-night. Everybody come. The men are especially invited as there is some important business to bring up to all the members.

Mrs. W. L. Halvorson and baby and Miss Selma Dovre went to T. R. Falls Monday for a short visit with the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bakke, before returning to Hillsboro.

P. A. Riesberg had'nt been feeling well for a few days and on Tuesday went to T. R. Falls to consult a physician. Mr. Riesberg returned Wednesday and says the doctor told him he had an attack of appendicitis but thot it could be cured by medicine and dieting.

Is your paper paid for?

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Death of Aged Mother.

The aged mother of Lewis Johnson passed peacefully away at the son's home on Sunday night after a few days sickness from diseases incident to old age.

The deceased would have been 95 years old the 15th of this month.

The funeral will be held this afternoon in the Ringbo church, Rev. M. T. Strom officiating, and interment will be made in the cemetery there.

The News extends sympathy to the sorrowing relatives.

Fires in Thief River Falls.

Early Monday morning the residence of Dr. H. Froehlich, in Thief River Falls, Minn, was burned to the ground by a fire supposed to have started from the furnace. Besides the family there were four of the teachers rooming there and one had her arm badly burned in getting out, and all had to make their escape in their night clothes, the fire burned so rapidly. The same story is told of the old Gullingsrud hotel which burned Monday night, supposedly from a defect in the electric wiring. The Park Hotel caught fire Tuesday but was soon put out.

A Growing Institution.

Our readers will notice by the report of the Holt State Bank, published this week, that their totals have almost reached the $200,000.00 mark. Their deposits are now over $162,000.00. This speaks well for the management of the bank and especially for B. Docken, the obliging cashier, to whom the greater part of the success of the bank is due.

From California

Following are extracts from a letter written by Rudolph Reierson, shortly after his arrival in San Francisco, to his father Ole Reierson and family:

The Red Cross gave us a big supper in Warren before we left. We had turkey and everything you could think of even ice cream. Then they gave us confort bags. My bag contained: a testament, tablet, 2 doz. euvelopes, stamps books, comb and glass, army and navy diary, pencil, 2 pair shoe strings, paper stick pins, paper safty pins, tooth brush, spool darning thread, paper needles, first aid packet, tooth paste, one dozen P. O. post cards, half doz. white hankerchiefs, iodine swabs, one bag buttons, 2 spools thread, scissors and thimble. And then we were given apples, nuts, and such things all along the line.

It took us 5 days and 6 nights to make the trip and I thought we would never get here. I am feeling fine and like it here. The winters are nice—every thing is green, the trees are full of oranges and ripe olives. Measurements have been taken for our clothes. They picked four in a company to work in the dining room and kitchen. I have been waiting on table, washing dishes, scrubbing floors and then setting table for the next meal. After all our work is done, then we take a shower bath. We have breakfast at 6:30, and have plenty to eat. Our sleeping quarters are in a long shed which holds 75 beds.

U. S. Thrift Stamps, in denominations of 25c each, are now on sale at the postoffices and by the rural carriers. Ask them for full information. If each person in the U. S. would buy at least one Thrift Stamp it would make Uncle Sam 25 million dollars to help win the war. $4.00 worth of stamps and 12c cash will buy a $5.00 Certificate at any time next month.

Free Mission Church

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening and all are invited to attend.

Hotel for Sale!

Hotel for sale on easy terms or for rent to a responsible party with the option of buying. Write or call on Sam Mickelson, Prop. Central Hotel Holt, Minn.

Ringbo News

Mrs. O. Davidson is visiting with her daughter at Fargo this week.

Mabel Christenson is visiting with friends in Ringbo this week.

School commenced Monday after two weeks vacation.

A bunch of young people spent Sunday evening at Davidson's.

A baby girl arrived at Mr. and Mrs. H. Grondahl's home Dec. 28.

Grandma Johnson died at the home of her son, Lewis Johnson, on Sunday evening at the age of 94.

Mrs. Alvin Erickson is visiting her parents at Canton, Minn.

Mrs. Bean is visiting friends and relatives in Illinois.

Livery Barn For Sale!

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Guy Anderson, Holt, Minn.

Will sell standing timber for 50c a load.—H. B. Young.

P. P. Sorter went to T. R. Falls Wednesday on business.

Mrs. A. L. Carlson went to T. R. Falls Monday to have dental work done.

Miss Berget Steenerson of Middle River, came Wednesday to visit Mrs. Albert Bennes.

We understand wedding bells will soon ring in one of the homes about four miles east of Holt.

Selmer Dahl is running the Golden Valley mail route a couple of months for his brother, Olaf.

B. Docken has traded his residence property in St. Paul for a stock of merchandise and an auto.

The Zion Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. J. H. Knutson on Wednesday Jan. 16th. All are invited.

Last week Friday the local postoffice sent in $16.98 from the sale of Thrift Stamps and War Saving Certificates. Have you bot yours, yet?

Oscar Dahlman and sisters Emma and Olga of Alvarado came Saturday to visit at the homes of their aunts, Mesdames C. Saastad and H. Heinze.

P. P. Reierson went to T. R. Falls Monday to visit relatives and to meet his wife on return from a visit with relatives in the southern part of the state.

O. M. Mattson and son, Charles of Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mattson and Mrs. Mathias Olson were all Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christoferson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Surmo, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Silbaugh and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Furr and daughter Emma were entertained at the J. H. Knutson home on Sunday last.

Willie Rux had been laid up for a couple of weeks with grippe and tonsilitis, later developing into an abscess which broke last week Wednesday and he has been getting better since then.

Timber on state land will be sold direct to actual consumers for 25c a cord, to relieve the fuel shortage. Apply to Timber Dept., State Auditor's Office, giving legal description of land and amount of wood wanted.

Flax Straw Wanted.

We want to buy four or more carloads of loose flax straw at once.

B. Docken.

Southeast of Holt.

Mabel Tildahl underwent an operation for appendicitis at the hospital at T. R. Falls on Monday but is now getting along as nicely as can be expected.

Miss Alma Soiney left on Monday for Lanesboro, Minn. for an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Amund Sordahl and sister Mrs. C. Anderson were Sunday visitors at the Ole Johnson home.

Gilbert Michaelson has returned to his home after spending some time at Chicago, Ill.

Oscar Guttrud, Olaf Bergland, Theodore and Oscar Joppru, left on Thursday for Kelliher, Minn. where they expect to be employed during the winter months.

Arthur Thorwick made a business trip to Grand Forks N. D. last week.

D. Reinstad is doing chores for John Keller during his absence to Germantown.

A number of his friends helped Nels Sordahl celebrate his 55th birthday on Saturday evening Jan. 5th.

Agnes Hansen, Leso and Landa Olson visited with Alma Soiney on Sunday afternoon.

A large number of young folks were delightfully entertained at the M. Johnson home on Sunday evening.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
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and
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Attend the State Dairy Convention in T. R. Falls next week Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Misses Martha Peterson, Helen Johnson, Beatha Nelson, B. J. Bakke and family, Clarence Docken and P. L. Anderson were entertained at the Docken home Sunday.

A large crowd attended the entertainment given by the students of the Lincoln high school of Thief River Falls, Thursday evening of last week, for the benefit of the Red Cross, and everyone was well pleased with the program. The young people are to be congratulated on their success and Holt would extend them a hearty welcome should they come this way again.

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Bentley Nelson
Somewhere in France

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Ft. Crook, Neb.

Ernest Kuehne
Camp Cody, N. Mex.

Leonard Jefferson

At Naval Training Stations
Ben Nyberg
Dehard Johnson
Albert Bjerk
Clarence Swan

Coast Artillery, San Fransisco
Rudolph Reierson
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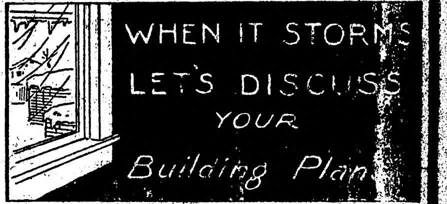

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News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

Washington

Fifty thousand real slackers in the United States is Provost Marshal General Crowder's estimate in his report to Secretary Baker at Washington. That calculation supposes that ten men in each registration district have escaped service without being caught.

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Chairman Hurley of the Shipping board at Washington asked congress for $82,000,000 for acquisition or establishment of shipbuilding plants, in addition to the $165,000,000 heretofore asked for the next fiscal year.

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As the result of the sinking of the American transport Antilles by a German submarine with the loss of many American lives, Rear Admiral W. C. Fletcher, who was in charge of the convoy system of the navy, has been relieved from duty and ordered home, the navy department announced at Washington.

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Overcoat shortages at National Guard and National army training camps were reported ended except at Camp Beauregard, La., by Secretary Baker at Washington in a further response to the senate military committee's resolution urging immediate steps to provide the soldiers with adequate winter clothing.

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A department of munitions under a new cabinet head known as the secretary of munitions is proposed in a bill introduced in the senate at Washington by Chairman Chamberlain of the senate military committee as a result of the committee's investigation of war operations.

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Peyton C. March, major general in the National army, was nominated by President Wilson at Washington a major general in the regular army. Brig. Gen. Edwin B. Babbitt, ordnance department, was nominated to be a brigadier general in the regular army.

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Provost General Crowder, reporting to congress at Washington on the progress of the draft, expresses for the first time a definite promise and aim of the government not to take for army duty any other men than those listed in class one of the new questionnaire. This classification entirely excludes married men whose wives or families are dependent on them for support, and other men with dependents.

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Herbert C. Hoover, food administrator, wound up his stormy session before the senate manufactures subcommittee at Washington with the declaration that America will have a fair sugar supply this year with reasonable prices.

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The food administration at Washington is not getting the results that it expected. Food Administrator Hoover told a senate committee that laws should be passed to regulate the amounts and kinds of food to be served in hotels and restaurants.

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Plans for a complete reorganization of the ordnance bureau at Washington were given out by Secretary of War Baker in an announcement. The changes will place the bureau under control of civilians.

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Army supply contracts given through the supplies committee of the council of national defense to concerns in which committee members are interested were investigated by the senate military committee at Washington. Charles Eisenman, vice chairman of the supplies committee and a retired clothing manufacturer of Cleveland, and Samuel M. Kaplan of New York were the principal witnesses.

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Railroads Director General McAdoo at Washington dissolved the railroads war board at its own suggestion and appointed Hale Holden of Chicago a member of the board to direct the nation-wide organization which it has built up. The director general also appointed a temporary advisory cabinet.

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Domestic

Assemblyman Carl Hansen, a leader and humorist in the last session of the legislature, committed suicide by firing a bullet through his brain in his insurance office at Manitowoc, Wis.

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Announcement was made at Pittsburgh, Pa., that four fast trains on the Pennsylvania railroad had been ordered discontinued to conserve motive power.

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Charles Belknap Henderson, banker and attorney of Elko, Nev., was appointed United States senator from Nevada to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Francis G. Newlands, by Gov. Emmet D. Boyle of Nevada.

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Hundreds of passenger trains on railroads east of the Mississippi will be withdrawn from service under orders soon to be issued at Washington by Director General McAdoo, based on specific recommendations made by a committee of Eastern passenger traffic officers.

There will be no lightless nights in America's shipyards, says a dispatch from Washington. Every one of them will be equipped with lighting to permit construction without cessation. As soon as one shift of men is ready to lay down its tools another shift will take them over.

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Norfolk, Va., was swept by a series of mysterious fires which did $5,000,000 damage. German agents are blamed. Hugo Schmidt and H. K. Lessing suspected of starting the fire, have been arrested, charged with incendiarism. Norfolk is under martial law. The fire wiped out two blocks in the heart of the business section.

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U. S.—Teutonic War News

The bulk of the National Guard will be hurried to France at once or as soon as it can be shipped, and the Prairie division, including the Illinois regiments now at Houston, will be one of the first three divisions sent forward. The administration at Washington is endeavoring to speed up the dispatch of troops to France, as urgently recommended in Col. E. M. House's report of the achievement of the American war mission, which was made public.

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Allied air raids over Germany are awakening the people to a recognition of their ruler's mistaken air ruthlessness, according to the Amsterdam correspondent of the London Times. There is great nervousness throughout Germany, he says, owing to the reported intention of the Americans to invade Germany by air.

Foreign

Developments in the Russo-German negotiations, the London Daily Chronicle says, are likely to cause the western powers to give de facto recognition to the Lenine government in Russia. A statement of entente allied policy of a democratic character, it adds, shortly will be sent to Russia.

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The bolsheviki foreign minister, Leon Trotzky, declared at Petrograd that the government of the Russian workers would not consent to the German peace proposals. He said that if the central powers did not agree to free disposal of the destiny of thee Polish and Lettish nations, it would be urgently necessary to defend the Russian revolution.

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Count Luxburg, German envoy of "spurios versenkt" fame, is now insane, and has been "eccentric" for a decade, according to report made public at Buenos Aires of medical authorities, who have had him under observation.

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The Petrograd correspondent of the London Times wires that the military commissioner of posts and telegraphs on the northern front has sent a notice to the postal and telegraph stations that severe punishment will be inflicted on any person who transmits appeals to French and American socialists, who are characterized as "those imperialist hirelings."

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The Norwegian government at Christiana warned the nation through the clergy at the New Year's services in an official proclamation that suffering and danger were in store for it during the coming year and called upon the people to show resignation and practice frugality, as the food supply was poor while the chances of Norway being drawn into the war were greater than before.

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An estimate of 1,000 persons dead in the earthquake ruins at Guatemala City is contained in a telegram received at New York from the Central and South American Telegraph company's manager at San Jose, Guatemala, who returned to San Jose from Guatemala City.

European War News

An official statement on the campaign on the Italian front issued by the British war office in London says: "In Italy one of our battalions made a successful and difficult raid across the Piave at night, capturing prisoners and inflicting considerable damage. Our losses were slight."

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The British took 74,340 prisoners on the western front during 1917, according to figures obtained in London. Of these 1,572 were officers. They captured 542 guns of all calibers, 647 trench mortars and 2,422 machine guns.

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Eighteen British merchantmen of 1,600 tons or over have been sunk by mines or submarine during the last week, according to the admiralty statement issued in London. Three merchantmen under 1,600 tons were also sunk. This is a material increase over the last report.

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Six German airplanes were put out of action by the French, it is announced officially at Paris.

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An official communication issued by the war office in London, says General Allenby reports a further advance by a part of his line north of Jerusalem over a distance of a mile.

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"The enemy becomes more bitter in the bombardment of open cities," says the Rome war office report. Sunday night his airmen returned for the third time over Padua, dropping several score of bombs. The casualties were only five wounded, including one woman.

IS TO PUSH WAR; PEACE UP TO FOE

America Not to Slacken Preparations Because of Germany's Peace Proposals.

READY FOR SACRIFICE

Allies Determined Central Powers Must Accept Terms or Fight to Finish—Conference of Premiers Expected Soon.

Paris, Jan. 8.—An early conference of Allied premiers is semi-officially reported as likely to be called soon.

Presumably such a conference will decide the exact outline of a joint re-statement of Allied war aims.

Washington, Jan. 8.—America will push her work without a thought peace may be drawing nearer.

Secretary of War Baker and other officials hold there must be no letting down in preparations. Peace, they say, now is up to Germany. Lloyd George has stated Allied terms and insofar as unofficial expressions here go these are America's terms, too.

Foolhardy to Slow Up Now.

If Germany wants to reform herself and accept those terms the way is open, but if she wants to fight on the Allies and America are fully aware of and ready for the bloody sacrifice involved, all officials agree.

They added it would be little short of treasonable and foolhardy for this nation to slow up now, merely because of growing convictions Allies and Teutons are getting more nearly together through a process of unofficial statement of peace aims.

Shift Into Diplomatic Field.

True, authorities here, including men high in the military councils, do believe peace is coming more rapidly than is the general belief. But if they had their way wholly there would not even be a statement of war aims. Instead there would be a policy of blood and iron which would ultimately make the German lines crumble and the kaiser beg for peace.

Some military men, however, are inclined to feel that already the war is shifting into the diplomatic field, that by the mere fact of a statement of terms from both sides a desire for peace is manifest which sows the seed for actual negotiations.

Sees Long War or Quick Peace.

Not that they think Germany is going to accept Lloyd George's terms right away, but they believe Germany now knows she cannot win, and is willing, therefore to go far to get an adjustment.

A neutral diplomat sized up the situation as a case of peace in three or four months, or war for three or four years. That may be said to be a more or less prevalent opinion here, though those who venture into prophecy vary in their maximum and minimum figures considerably.

U. S. CONTROLS BINDER TWINE

Food Administration Takes Over Supply—To Regulate Prices.

St. Paul, Jan. 8.—Minnesota's lead ing industry at the state prison and farmers throughout the state, and in neighboring states, are affected by the report from Washington that the United States food administration has arranged to control supply of binder twine for this year and to regulate prices to consumers. Henry Wolfer, former warden of Minnesota prison, will have charge of this work for the food administration.

The control, dispatches state, will be effected through voluntary agreements binder twine makers have made with the food administration, which will centralize buying and eliminate competition. An official announcement by the administration says the arrangements will stabilize prices, prevent undue advances, eliminate waste, speculation and hoarding and give the product to the ultimate consumer at the lowest possible price.

WOULD ACCEPT SLAV TERMS

German Socialists Meet to Discuss Peace Negotiations.

Amsterdam, Jan. 8.—What the Socialist organ Vorwaerts called "the most important meeting of Socialists since the start of the war," has been called in Berlin.

It was composed of Socialist members of the reichstag and was specifically assembled to discuss Brest-Litovsk peace negotiations.

Berlin dispatches predicted the conference would urge withdrawal by Germans of the terms held unacceptable by Russia.

Foe Recognizes Finnish Republic.

Amsterdam, Jan. 8.—Germany has recognized the Finnish republic. An official dispatch from Berlin says that after the Russian government declared its willingness to recognize the independence of Finland the German emperor charged the imperial chancellor to express in the name of the German government recognition of the Finnish republic to plenipotentiaries of Finland now in Berlin. Chancellor von Hertling received the plenipotentiaries and informed them Germany had recognized Finland.

400 PASSENGER TRAINS CUT OFF

Curtailment of Service Is Made On Three Principal Roads East of Pittsburgh.

NEW DEMURRAGE RULES

Stringent Reguluations and Increased Charges Expected To Result In Release of Many Freight Cars For Active Service.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Approximately 400 passenger trains have been taken off the three principal railroads operating east of Pittsburgh, according to announcement made at the office of Director General McAdoo.

The Pennsylvania system has dropped more than 125 passenger trains, the New Haven 85; the Baltimore & Ohio, 60; the New York Central, 60; and other roads varying numbers from 5 to 25, according to the character of their service. Some of the others which curtailed greatly are the Philadelphia & Reading, the Ere, the Delaware & Hudson, the Delaware, Lackawana & Western, the New York, Ontario & Western, the Boston & Maine, and the Boston & Albany.

These were all parlor car trains, or trains of chair cars.

Locomotives relieved by the cutting off of these trains will be turned to the hauling of coal and generally relieving the freight congestion.

No more passenger trains will be cut off in the immediate future. But the director general may make a further ruling in the number of cars allotted to some trains.

New Demurrage Rules.

Director General McAdoo last night made public the demurrage rules, regulations and charges.

1. Forty-eight hours free time for loading or unloading on all commodities.

2. Twenty-four hours free time on cars held for any other purpose permitted by tariff.

3. Demurrage charges per car per day or fraction of a day a car is released as follows: $3 for the first day; $4 for the second day, and for each succeeding additional day charges to be increased $1 in excess of that for the preceding day until a maximum charge of $10 per car per day shall be reached the eighth day of detention beyond free time, the charge thereafter to be $10 per car per day or fraction thereof.

These charges will supercede all those named in existing tariffs applicable to domestic freight, and specifically contemplate the cancellation of all average agreement provisions of existing tariffs.

FOR LABOR LOYALTY WEEK

Call For Observance With Lincoln's Birthday.

New York, Jan. 8.—A proclamation calling for the observance of a national labor loyalty week in connection with the celebration of Lincoln's birthday, with the additional purpose of "combatting the insidious forces of pro-German and anti-American propaganda" has been issued by the American 0Alliance for Labor and Democracy.

Copies were sent to the alliance's branches and all central labor bodies affiliated with the American Federation of Labor over all the country. The proclamation was signed by Samuel Gompers, as president of the Ican Alliance for Labor and Democ Democracy.

FOREIGN FUNDS ARE TIED UP

Bolsheviki Forbids Banks To Pay Money To Ambassadors.

Petrograd, Jan. 8.—Foreign Minister Trotzky has issued an order forbidding banks to pay out money deposited by foreign embassies. When asked the object of these instructions, M. Trotzky said:

"The old Russian government has funds deposited to its credit in banks abroad and until those deposits are placed at the disposal of the Council of National commissioners the embassies cannot draw the money they have on deposit in Russian banks."

The American embassy is among those that have been refused funds.

Pacifist Preacher Removed.

Los Angeles, Jan. 8.—The Rev. E. P. Ryland, removed as superintendent of the Los Angeles district of the Southern California conference of the Methodist Episcopal church by Bishop Adna W. Leonard for alleged "pacifist ideas," has announced his withdrawal from the ministry. He had been a minister 26 years.

Teutons Starving, Says Deserter

Washington, Jan. 8.—A dispatch to the Greek legation here said that a German aviator, a graduate of Berlin university, who had deserted and arrived in Greece, told of starvation and cruel treatment of the Greek population in Thrace, occupied by the Bulgars. "Questioned by Greek authorities," said the dispatch, "the viator said that daily a great number of deaths occur in Germany due to starvation. Coffee and fats are carce. Coffee and bread are being substituted by acrons.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Chairman Hare of the county Red Cross drive reports that 7,120 is the record of Mower county's Red Cross membership contest.

W. B. Lindell, the second of the two prisoners who escaped from the Fort Snelling guard house Dec. 22, gave himself up at the fort Sunday night.

O. E. Reiersgard of Ulen was elected president of the Clay County Editorial association, Ray B. Osborn of Glyndon vice president and J. H. Freeman, of Moorhead, secretary-treasurer.

During the past thirty days 263 lumber-jacks have been shipped from Stillwater to Satona, Minn., where they are employed by J. E. McGrath of Stillwater in a big lumber camp near that place that he is operating.

Breeders of fancy poultry from Canada and the East competed with Minnesota poultry fanciers at the state poultry show which was held at Minneapolis. The show this year was larger than for several years past.

Daniel S. Hayward, proprietor of the Grand Central hotel, St. Cloud, has leased the hotel for twelve years to W. S. Beard of Minneapolis, former proprietor of the Hotel Nicollet. Mr. Hayward has left for Riverside, Cal., to spend the winter.

Five Winona boys, all classmates, have arrived in France, according to messages received by their parents. They are: Privates William Riley, Arthur Gallien, Paul Baumgartner, Stanley Ollhoff and Corporal Clarence B. Barth. All were enlisted early in the spring and left New York as members of the aviation corps two weeks ago.

The northerly division of the Red Cross now has 500,000 members, John Leslie of Minneapolis, head of that division, stated. This is 20,000 more than the apportionment for this division. Of this number St. Paul claims 47,000 and Duluth 25,000. The Minneapolis Red Cross chapter has on hand $71,000 in cash from the membership drive in that city.

Reinhold Kintzi, publisher of "Die Freie Presse," at Glencoe, has been arrested on a charge of perjury in connection with alleged seditious articles published in his paper. Kintzi was brought to Minneapolis by Joseph Buisson, United States deputy marshal and taken before Howard S. Abbott, United States commissioner. He waived examination and was committed to the Hennepin county jail in default of $2,000 bail. He is to be tried at the April term of the United States district court.

Lamb sold in Minnesota the other day for $5.36 a pound, the highest price ever known in the state. Indirectly the war was responsible. Only 54 pounds of lamb brought this price, and proceeds will go to the Red Cross. The sale took place on the University farm campus and was conducted by the Minnesota Sheep Breeders' association. The animal raised by H. H. Pond of Minneapolis, had won first prize in the association's exhibit the day before. Its carcass was auctioned off before a crowd that included most of the folk attending Farmers' and Homemakers' week.

The Northern Minnesota Editorial association will hold its annual meeting in Fergus Falls on Jan. 17 and 18.

A 10 per cent increase in wages, effective Jan. 1, was granted by the Northern Pacific railroad to 3,500 station clerks and employes.

A new automobile fire truck for the Moorhead fire department has been purchased, according to an announcement of Treasurer O. D. Hilde.

E. S. Tolman of Pine River, well known as "Dinkey" Holman, was arrested by Sheriff Mack Kennedy and taken to the county jail at Walker, charged with seditious utterances against the government. At a hearing before Justice Morcel he was released under a bond of $500.

The Rathskeller, one of Moorhead's leading saloons and which catered exclusively to the elite before the saloons were voted out on May 17, 1915, and where the "little German band" used to give open air concerts nightly from the veranda, is being remodeled into an apartment house. Announcement was made some time ago that the famous "House of Lords" just south of the Rathskeller, would be made into a garage.

Edmund F. Warner, confessed accomplice of Donald Dow alias Fred Anderson in the murder of George Sheffield, night operator of the Great Northern railroad at Moorhead, early in the morning of September 19, 1917, has been taken to the state penitentiary at Stillwater by Sheriff Dan W. McDonald. Following his confession and plea of guilty to robbery in the second degree, Warner was given an indeterminate sentence of three to 15 years.

Minnesota began 1918 business with $6,474,703 cash in the state treasury where a year ago there was but $3,606,291. The increase in the yearend balance is due mainly to deferring payments of state school aid, pending decisions in litigation involving the fund. Treasurer Henry Rines asserted, nevertheless, that the state was never more prosperous on its own financial account.

John Swanson of the Hallock Roller Mills has made extensive improvements on his mill. Mr. Swanson has also secured the services of a miller of 30 years' experience.

USE MORE CORN WILSON EXHORTS

State Food Administrator Announces Coming Drive For Greater Use of Grain.

CHILD LAWS IN FORCE

New Statutes Giving Protection to Illegitimates, Dependents and Delinquents Now Effective.

St. Paul.

Minnesotans as well as Iowans are to be cornfed folk if the Federal Food administration for Minnesota has its way. A. D. Wilson, state food administrator, has announced that corn was to be the subject for the next big food drive.

"American housewife, use more corn!" is Mr. Wilson's exhortation.

"We have 30 bushels per person for this year, and our average consumption is less than one bushel per person. Four-fifths of all the farmers in America grow corn and one-third of all the land under cultivation is in corn. Corn cannot be shipped for two reasons: There are no mills over seas for grinding of whole grain, and cornmeal grows rancid in passage. This is due to the large amount of fat which detracts from its keeping qualities, while it adds to its food value. What is the 'bit' for the housewife of today? Corn saves wheat for soldiers.

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New Child Laws in Force.

With the war making more urgent the necessity of child conservation, authorities will begin enforcement of Minnesota's new child welfare laws which give children born out of wedlock a better chance; place guardianship over all dependent and delinquent children; broaden the jurisdiction of the juvenile court and increase the scope of the mothers' pension law.

Under the terms of the new laws, the maternity hospitals and infant homes in the state also must be incorporated and licensed annually.

William W. Hodson of Minneapolis, who has been named director of the children's bureau, which will be conducted by the State Board of Control, said that he will confer at once with Mrs. R. J. O'Connor and Miss E. Hayes of St. Paul, Miss Florence Monahan of Minneapolis, and Miss Lucile Way of Northfield, field agents, on their duties.

They will begin their work in the Twin Cities, reporting all unlicensed hospitals and infant homes to the Board of Control so that they can be licensed under the terms of the act passed at the last session of the Legislature.

Under the illegitimacy section of one of the statutes, the father is made responsible in the same degree as though the child were legitimate.

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May Charter No More Banks.

With a view toward conserving Minnesota's financial power to aid the government in winning the war, F. W. Pearson, state superintendent of banks states that he has planned to suggest to the State Public Safety commission an order to prohibit chartering new state banks until the end of the war. The results, Mr. Pearson said, would be that prospective stockholders in new banks would be influenced to buy Liberty bonds and use their funds in other ways which would help the government. The Public Safety commission has been passing on applications for charters for new state banks for some weeks, but only with a view of determining the loyalty of the project.

In one instance the commission directed the superintendent to refuse a charter for a new bank on the ground that it was backed in some measures by parties who became displeased with other banks in the same town which had aided in Liberty Loan and other patriotic undertakings.

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1918 Crop Survey Unlikely.

No special survey of Minnesota's crops likely will be made next summer other than the customary crop report estimate, A. D. Wilson announced after a conference with Paul H. Kirk, field agent in the crop reporting service of the Department of Agriculture.

The conference came as a result of a letter to Mr. Kirk from Washington, urging him to consult with Mr. Wilson as to the advisability of conducting a state-wide survey of crops, yield, acreage, labor and general resources next summer. It was proposed to do this work through the schools. Several hundred high school agricultural students were to be enlisted in this work.

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Delinquents Face Suit.

Hotel and restaurant keepers who failed to pay the state license fee of $2 for 1917 will not escape payment, it has been announced by W. A. Wittbecker, state hotel inspector. Fifteen or twenty places in St. Paul are delinquent and prosecutions may start this week. By February delinquent lists will have been mailed certifying hotel and restaurant keepers to county attorneys for prosecution. Further inspections will be made soon of St. Paul hotels and restaurants, Mr. Wittbecker announces.

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Splendid Work by Woman.

Valuable work was done by Dr. Elsie Inglis, who died recently. She was the organizer and head of the Scottish Women's Hospital units, staffed entirely with women, and offered early in the war to the British government for service with the forces. Refused at home, they were accepted by the French war office, and in the first year they did valuable work in France. When typhus broke out in Serbia, Doctor Inglis took a unit to that country, went through the hardships of the retreat and was taken prisoner by the Austrians. Released in 1916, she set out for Roumania, where again she shared in a retreat. From the Dobrudja she eventually took her unit to southern Russia, but the rigors of this campaign had told on her and she fell a victim to overwork and disease. She brought her unit safely away with her, but died when port was reached. Doctor Inglis was born in India and educated in Edinburgh and Paris.

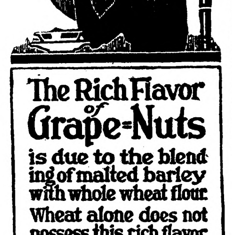
Chinese Bells.

Chinese and Japanese bells are clapperless and are never swung, their tones being produced by striking them with wooden mallets.

Great Men.

The thoroughly great men are those who have done everything thoroughly, and who have never despised anything, however small, of God's making.—John Ruskin.

The girl who doesn't marry an army man these days gets but a meager press notice.

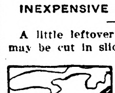


The Rich Flavor of Grape-Nuts is due to the blending of malted barley with whole wheat flour. Wheat alone does not possess this rich flavor. The wonderfully easy digestion of Grape-Nuts is also partly due to the barley for the barley contains a digestive which wheat lacks. "There's a Reason" for Grape-Nuts

THE KITCHEN CABINET

I remember the black wharves and the ships
And the sea-tides tossing free,
And the Spanish sailors with bearded lips,
And the beauty and mystery of the ships,
And the magic of the sea.
—Kipling.

INEXPENSIVE GOOD THINGS.



A little leftover oatmeal if molded may be cut in slices and fried. If a piece or two of bacon or a little meat or sausage is added to it before putting it in the mold it will make a more nourishing dish and one which may take the place of meat.

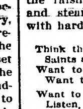
Chicken en Casserole.—Prepare a small fowl as for stuffing. Remove legs and wings. Bone the legs and stuff them with the following: Chop the cooked chicken liver, a half cupful of ham and six blanched chestnuts. Mix with a cupful of bread crumbs a half cupful or more of milk, two egg yolks. Season to taste with nutmeg, thyme, marjoram, salt, parsley and onion juice. Roll the fowl after stuffing in flour and brown in the pan; place in a casserole, add two carrots, two onions and a half cupful of uncooked rice with a pint of water. Simmer one or two hours.

Indian Delight.—Cook a half pound of spaghetti in boiling salted water. Chop one small onion, one clove of garlic, a green pepper fine and fry in half a cupful of olive oil until the onions are golden, then add a cupful of condensed tomato, one and a half teaspoonfuls of salt, cayenne and paprika to taste, a half teaspoonful of worcestershire sauce. When thoroughly heated stir in a half cupful of cheese. When melted add the spaghetti and a half a can of corn and lastly a half pound of hamburg steak, softened with cold water to prevent its cooking in lumps. Stir over the fire for five minutes and turn into a baking dish. Sprinkle with grated cheese and bake 20 minutes.

California Pudding.—Take a cupful each of raw potato ground, a carrot and apple, also ground, a cupful of brown sugar, a cupful of raisins, a cupful and a quarter of flour, a teaspoonful of cinnamon, a half teaspoonful of cloves and a teaspoonful of soda stirred into the potato. Cream a half cupful of shortening with the sugar, dredge the raisins with a little flour. Mix and steam three hours. Serve hot with hard or liquid sauce.

Think that Washington is slow
Saints above!
Want to get 'em on the go?
Want to shove?
Want to help for woe or weal?
Listen, Bub:
Put your shoulder to the wheel
Not the hub.
—McLandburg Wilson.

SEASONABLE GOOD THINGS.



A thick cut of round steak makes a most appetizing dish cooked in a casserole. Wipe the steak and broil it for two minutes on each side to sear the meat and hold in its juice. Transfer it to a stone-covered dish and add one pint of Spanish sauce, one cupful of small onions which have been lightly browned in hot fat and four tablespoonfuls of any canned fruit juice or a little grape jelly. Cover and cook in a moderate oven for an hour and a quarter. Add one cupful of potato balls, which have also been browned, and send to the table in the casserole.

Spanish Sauce.—Cook together for ten minutes two tablespoonfuls of sweet fat, two of chopped onion, two of chopped carrot and one tablespoonful of chopped celery. Add two tablespoonfuls of flour and cook until a rich brown; add one pint of rich clear stock and stir until thick and smooth. Add one tablespoonful of chopped ham, one bay leaf, two cloves, a sprig of parsley, a blade of mace and salt and pepper to season. Simmer very slowly for two hours; add one tablespoonful of gelatin soaked in a quarter of a cupful of soup stock until soft; simmer for 15 minutes longer, skim and strain.

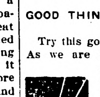
Combination Rarebit.—Take three fourths of a cupful of grated cheese, half a pound of spaghetti cooked until tender, one cupful of minced cooked ham, two tablespoonfuls each of sweet fat and flour, a cupful of milk, three fourths of a teaspoonful of salt and one-eighth of a teaspoonful of pepper, a half cupful of dry crumbs mixed with two tablespoonfuls of ham fat. Butter a casserole. Melt the fat and add the flour and seasonings, then the milk and cheese, allowing the cheese to melt. Put a layer of spaghetti in the casserole, sprinkle with ham, add some sauce, continuing until all is used having the crumbs on top. Bake 15 minutes in a hot oven. The proportions of ham spaghetti and cheese may be varied to suit the amount of leftovers.

Cauliflower Soup.—Select one good head of cauliflower. Wash and pick it apart, drop into a kettle of boiling water, add a teaspoonful of salt after a few minutes and cook thirty minutes. Drain and add to the water one pint of milk a teaspoonful of scraped onion and a bay leaf. Mix together two tablespoonfuls each of flour and butter and when well cooked, add to the milk, cook five minutes, add the cauliflower and serve.

Just doing right—not striving to be great
Or wise or rich or seeking noble fate;
Just being good and generous and brave,
Just trying how humanity to save—
Ah! that's the way to live!

GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.

Try this good and inexpensive cake. As we are conserving on sugar, it seems to be the good custom to go without frosting on our cakes:



Inexpensive Cake.—Beat to a cream five tablespoonfuls of sweet fat of any kind, add a cupful of sugar and an unbeaten egg yolk. Mix well one and two-thirds cupfuls of flour with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, a dash of salt; add this mixture to the sugar and egg mixture alternately with a half-cupful of cold water, beating very thoroughly, then fold in the egg white and bake 45 minutes in a moderate oven. If this cake is well-beaten and carefully made it will have a fine texture.

Ginger bread, hot and fresh, with cottage cheese and apple sauce makes a most satisfying dessert.

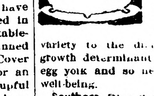
Marshmallow Rice Pudding.—Take cold boiled rice and add sugar, spices or flavoring, with a beaten egg and milk for an ordinary rice pudding. Then place on top a dozen marshmallows which have been soaked in milk for three hours, and bake until a light brown.

Apple Omelet.—Mix a tablespoonful of flour into a smooth paste with one-third of a cupful of milk; add a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt, a teaspoonful of sugar and a tablespoonful of sweet fat, melted, with four well-beaten eggs. Pare, core and chop four large apples, melt a tablespoonful of fat in a frying pan and, when very hot, turn in the apples, stir and cook until slightly soft. Pour over the flour, egg and milk mixture and shake well, lifting the edges to prevent scorching and to cook evenly. When the eggs are set, dust with sugar and roll out on a hot platter. Set in the oven on the grate, or under the gas flame to brown the top.

Pimento and Cheese Entre.—Take six canned red peppers, salt the insides, after draining; fill with a cupful of sharp cheese, grated; set on rounds of toast, pour the pimento liquor around the toast in a pan and bake just long enough to melt the cheese.

To save meat we must use more poultry, rabbits and especially fish and sea foods, perishable meats like kidneys, liver and sweetbreads, in place of beef, mutton and pork.

SEASONABLE DISHES



With eggs as high in price as they are it seems expedient to plan out meals without much reference to them. They are so nourishing that when possible, especially when one has children they should be used in various ways occasionally to add variety to the diet and furnish the growth determinant which is found in egg yolk and so necessary for bodily well-being.

Southern Rice Bread.—Put two cupfuls of boiled rice in a bowl add two cupfuls of milk, and the yolks of four well beaten eggs. Sift in gradually, one cupful of flour, add a half teaspoonful of salt, two tablespoonfuls of melted shortening, and the whites of the eggs beaten to a stiff froth. Turn into a shallow well greased pan and bake 45 minutes in a moderate oven. A half cupful of rice may be added to almost any muffin, gem, or griddle cake batter.

Almond Milk Soup.—Take a half a pound of rice, wash well and put into a double boiler with a quart of milk, add one-half teaspoonful of salt and let it cook slowly until every grain is tender and swelled to double its original size. While the rice is cooking, shell and blanch a half pound of almonds, chop them very fine, or grind in a meat chopper, then pound in a mortar, add a few drops of milk at a time (using three or four tablespoonfuls, it will make the nuts less oily). When the paste is smooth, add it to three pints of milk and simmer for thirty minutes. When the rice is done turn it out carefully into the soup tureen, then pour over it the almonds and milk.

Nellie Maxwell

No Woman Auctionee

Although there is no record that a woman has ever been an auctioneer it is on record that in May, 1912, the mayor of New York, Mr Gaynor, answered an inquiry addressed to him by a woman by saying that there was nothing in the law to prevent a woman from becoming an auctioneer. Strange enough it was a milliner who made the inquiry.

ARMISTICE MAY BE TERMINATED

Germany May Break Temporary Agreement With Russia at Any Moment.

DELEGATES ARE SPLIT

Germans Take Position of Conquerors, While Delegates of Her Allies Assume Attitude More Conciliatory.

Petrograd, Jan. 7.—It is made clear by disclosures of the details of the Brest-Litovsk peace negotiations that Germany assumed a domineering attitude, while Austria, Turkey and Bulgaria were very conciliatory and disagreed with the German position.

There were differences also among the German delegates. Foreign Minister Von Kuehlmann and General Hoffman clashed openly during the general meetings.

Germany posed constantly as a conqueror, while her three allies showed eagerness for peace and a disposition to compromise.

Exchange of Prisoners Is Discussed.

The work of the commission which is dealing with prisoners is proceeding slowly. The Russian delegates claimed the right to send any publications they desired to Russian prisoners in Germany and to Socialists in the Central Empires. They also demanded unrestricted direct telegraphic communication with representatives of the Socialist parties in the enemy countries. The German delegates replied they were unauthorized to make an agreement on this point.

The Russians demanded the creation of a special commission to inquire into the deportation of Polish workmen for employment in privately owned factories in Germany. To this demand the Germans responded they had not been authorized to take up the question. The Russians thereupon asked for further instructions from the council of people's commissioners.

Petrograd Is Silent.

Although the peace conference between representatives of the Bolsheviki government and the Teutonic powers was due to reconvene, no news has come through indicating whether the meeting took place. Neither has there been any advice as to whether the difficulties in the way of reaching an agreement have been surmounted or if concessions by either side, making possible further negotiations, are intended.

Should the Bolsheviki delegation fail to reappear at the conference Germany may break the armistice on the eastern front at any moment.

SUFFERING GREAT IN N. Y.

Crisis in Gotham Coal Shortage Is Reached.

New York, Jan. 7.—Despite concentrated efforts to relieve the situation, the city has experienced its worst distress since the extreme cold weather began a week ago.

Aside from continued widespread suffering in the homes of rich and poor alike, so serious was the coal shortage that many large office buildings may close, according to Reeve Schley, county fuel administrator, unless supplies reach the city at once.

The greatest problem again is the freeing of coal laden barges from the packed ice floes at tide water points to get them across to Manhattan and Brooklyn shores. A fleet of government tugs battled all day to clear a passage to the ice-encrusted shores after numerous harbor tugs had been disabled in the work.

SLAVS FAIL TO MEET ENEMY

Central Powers Delegates Find Only Telegram at Brest-Litovsk

London, Jan. 7.—When the delegates of the Central Powers arrived at Brest Litovsk to resume the peace negotiations they found no Russian delegates there, according to a Vienna dispatch to Zurich, forwarded by the Exchange Telegraph company. All that awaited them was a telegram from the Russians asking for transfer of the negotiations to Stockholm.

SOCIALIST RENOUNCES PARTY

Milwaukee Mayor Puts Country Above Organization.

Milwaukee, Jan. 7.—Mayor Daniel A. Hoan, Socialist, has issued a statement in which he declared he could not comply with the St. Louis platform adopted by the Socialist party and obey the Constitution and laws of the United States. He further states that the Milwaukee County Central committee, the highest Socialist government body, held the same view.

U. S. Ownership Believed In Sight.

Washington, Jan. 7.—President Wilson's message to Congress on government control of the railroads of the country during the war has given impetus to the move in certain quarters for permanent government control. Many government officials and leading railroad men make no concealment of their belief the railroads never will be returned to private ownership. Senator Johnson, California, said the President's message ought to mean government ownership of the roads.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Scheme of Food Swindlers.

Rationing has its drawbacks. Reports from Holland state that the ingenuity of the food swindlers knows no bounds. Within the last few weeks many have gone to private houses representing themselves as inspectors under the distribution law, and by some plausible pretext obtained the residents' food cards or carried off all the available provisions.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Started His Train of Thought.

Mrs. Kawkler—Then you and young Mr. Sharp are not on speaking terms any more?

Mrs. Blunderby—No, indeed. The last time I met him I told him my husband had locomotive attacksia, and the young whippersnapple had the impudence to ask if he whistled at crossings.

When Interest Ceases.

As soon as the rat finds that he is trapped he loses all interest in the piece of cheese that caused his downfall.

A FIGHT FOR LIFE

It has been fight or die for many of us in the past and the lucky people are those who have suffered, but who are now well because they heeded nature's warning signal in time to correct their trouble with that wonderful new discovery of Dr. Pierce's called "An-u-ric." You should promptly heed these warnings, some of which are dizzy spells, backache, irregularity of the urine or the painful twinges of rheumatism, sciatica or lumbago. To delay may make possible the dangerous forms of kidney disease, such as Bright's disease, diabetes or stone in the bladder.

To overcome these distressing conditions take plenty of exercise in the open air, avoid a heavy meat diet, drink freely of water and at each meal take Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets (double strength). You will, in a short time, find that you are one of the firm indorsers of Anuric, as are thousands of neighbors.

Step into the drug store and ask for Anuric, (60c a package) or send Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c for trial pkg. Anuric is many times more potent than lithia.

Nuns Fight Flames.

Nuns assisted to fight a fire in East Mariches, L. I., the other day. A three-story wood-and-stucco edifice caught fire. Bucket lines were formed, and 12 nuns who had been living in the building took part, but the fire was unconquerable, and the building was destroyed.

BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

Why use ordinary cough remedies, when Boschee's German Syrup has been used so successfully for fifty-one years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health. Sold in all civilized countries. 30 and 90 cent bottles.—Adv.

Meant Business.

She—I like the way the [illegible] had of talking in the days of old when knights were bold.

He—How did they talk?

She—They had a habit of saying "Sh[illegible] marry, all I!"

Keeping the Quality Up

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE, the World Famous Cure for Colds and Grip, is now 30c per box. On account of the advance in the price of the six different Medicinal, Concentrated Extracts and Chemicals contained in LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE, it was necessary to increase the price to the Druggist. It has stood the test for a Quarter of a Century. It is used by every Civilized Nation.

Kaiser Eats War Food

War menus recently figured on the kaiser's table, for he is reported to have entertained the chancellor, Von Hindenburg and Von Ludendorff to vegetable soup, pudding and cheese.

Soothe Itching Scalps

On retiring gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25. Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Following His Bent

My boy always liked to get at the bottom of things."

"Where is he now?"

"In the trenches."

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Eat Them Quickly.

One storage egg, at 12 cents is the weekly egg ration of Berliners. The papers state that as a large part of the eggs from which this modest ration is derived are products of the refrigerator, buyers are urged to "fetch them promptly and consume them without unnecessary delay."

St. Paul is expanding toymaking industry.

Brooklyn [illegible] in November [illegible] 619,300 [illegible] buildings.

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Mrs. Shaw proved the merit of this medicine and wrote this letter in order that other suffering women may find relief as she did.

Women who are suffering as she was should not drag along from day to day without giving this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice in regard to such ailments write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its forty years experience is at your service.

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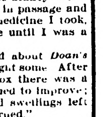

Mrs. Wiethoelter

"I had such awful cutting pains in the small of my back and hips, I often had to cry out," says Mrs. Ernest Wiethoelter, 550 Madison St., St. Charles, Mo. "The pain was knife-like and I couldn't turn in bed, in fact I was almost helpless. My feet and ankles swelled badly, my hands were puffed up and there were swellings under my eyes.

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Sworn to before me.
WM. F. WOLTER, Notary Public.

ALMOST TWO YEARS LATER, May 25, 1917, Mrs. Wiethoelter said: "I think as highly of Doan's as ever. Whenever I have used them, they have benefited me."

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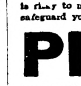

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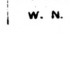

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Notice

On account of the State Dairy Assn., being held in Thief River Falls, Minn. on the 15, 16 and 17, of January we have decided to receive cream only on Monday of next week. Here is a chance for all our patrons to attend a convention that is the best in the state and usually held in some city more centrally located. Be sure to attend one day at least and I assure you that the same will benefit you a great deal.

Yours truly,
P. L. Anderson.

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Dec. 31, 1917.

Date of report by Bank, Jan. 8, 1918.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$155,000 86
Overdrafts		310 78
Bonds and Securities		4000 20
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		12,041 22
Other Real Estate		408 00
Due from Banks	12,446 29	
Cash on Hand	2136 88	
Total Cash Assets		14,583 17
Checks and Cash Items		1,249 25
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		
Total		$188,793 28

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$4,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		4125.46
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		8000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$60,894.14	
Cashiers Checks	1,447.87	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	62,344.01	
Savings Deposits	25 35	
Time Certificates	100,298.46	
Total Deposits		162,667 82
Total		$188,793 28
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$15,832 42
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$12,490 20

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President.
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUSHEIM,
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Jan. 1918.

[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919

Conservation Receipes

Stale Bread Muffins

One cupful of softened bread, two teaspoonfuls of dark molasses, one egg, one-half cupful of buttermilk, one-third teaspoonful of soda, one half teaspoon of salt, two teaspoonfuls of melted fat, and corn meal. After soaking bread in warm water until soft, measure one cupful, add the well beaten egg, buttermilk, salt molasses and fat. Stir in enough corn-meal to make batter consistency of cake mixture. Add soda and beat thorougly. Pour in smoking hot muffin-rings and bake quickly.

Date and Cranberry Marmalade.

1 qt. cranberries, 1 lb. dates. (one pkg. will do) 2 cups sugar. Add water to the cranberries, cook until done. Strain thru a sieve. Stone and cut up the dates and cook until thick Add the cooked dates to the strained cranberries, add the sugar. Cook slowly until as thick as desired.

War Bread

(Substitute this bread for all-wheat bread whenever possible.)

Measure flour after sifting.

Yeast Cornmeal Bread.

1-4 cups liquid (milk and water) 2 tablespoons sugar, 1 tablespoon fat 2 teaspoon salt, 1-2 cake compressed yeast, 2-3 cups cornmeal, 2 1-3 cups flour.

Add sugar, fat, and salt to liquid and bring to the boiling point. Add cornmeal slowly, stirring constantly until all is added. Bring to the boiling point. Remove from the fire and cool. These proportions of cornmeal and water result in so thick a mixture that to add the given amt of flour looks impossible. It can be done however. Add compressed yeast softened in 1-4 cup water. Add flour and knead. Let rise until double its bulk, knead again and put into pans. When light, bake in a moderate oven for at least an hour.

Keep your New Year resolutions.

Fresh oysters every Tuesday at Bennes'.

Guy Anderson autoed to T. R. Falls Monday evening.

K. O. Flakne went to Mavie Monday on land business.

H. J. Oien took charge of Husebys' old stand yesterday. Joe Nelson is clerking for Mr. Oien.

Rev. Parish will hold services in the Free Mission church next Monday evening Jan. 14th.

Miss Inez Alkenbrack returned on Monday to her studies in the Lincoln high school at T. R. Falls.

Miss Gunhild Sollom went to Viking Monday to take up her school work after the holiday vacation.

We have received a poem entitled "The Kaiser's Dream" which we will try to publish next week.

We understand Ernest Kuehne is in the hospital at Camp Cody N. Mexico but have not learned the particulars.

Miss Nellie Saastad returned home Tuesday from T. R. Falls, she being among those who lost their clothing when the Gullingsrud house, where they roomed, was burned Monday night.

The Farm Crops Show will be held in Crookston, Feb. 11-15. The program committee have been at work all year getting in touch with speakers who will entertain and instruct. As a result people of the Valley will have an opportunity of listening to such men as; Premier T. C. Norris, Province of Manitobia, Winnipeg; President M. L. Burton, University of Minnesota, and Gov. Burnquist. Specialists will discuss their particular lines each meeting.

The recent announement by Provost Marshall General E. H. Crowder to the effect that no more formal calls will be made for deferred percentages of the present draft quota, before Feb. 15th, makes it possible for more draft registrants to enlist in the Navy than at any time since the 15th of last December.

The Navy is in great need apprentice Seamen, this districts quota of 800 being far from being filled. This number must be obtained by Feb. 22nd. Men enlisted now are being sent home on furlough, subject to call, because the training stations are filled. Pay, $32.60 a month to start, begins the day of enlistment. Men enlisted, after their periods of training, are put in branches they are best qualified to fill.

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WE AIM TO PLEASE

Sam Reierson went to T. R. Falls Monday.

Waste nothing. Save the waste and help to win this terrible war.

This paper and To-Day's Housewife magazine only $1.50 a year.

Meatless Tuesdays and wheatless Wednesdays will help win the war.

Miss Mabel Hagglund returned last week to her studies in the school at Mavel, N. D.

Jacob Nelson is able to be around again after being laid up for sometime with a sprained ankle.

Mrs. John Simonson and Mrs. G. Erickson went to Parkers Prairie last Friday to visit friends and relatives.

The U. S. Navy wants 800 men from this section of the country. All who will not be in the next army draft, can enlist in the navy.

This is the year that the woods will be full of candidates. We want some from this part of the country, so as to get the people interested.

Walter Wegge, Leo Horien, Rudolph Anderson and Iner Johnson went to Keliher, Minn., last week Wednesday to work in the woods.

Miss Mabel Fosen departed Saturday for her school duties at Cambridge after spending the holiday vacation with her mother Mrs. Rachel Fosen.

B. Docken and family, Mrs. A. N. Halvorson, Miss Helen Johnson, A. R. Jones and P. L. Anderson were entertained at the Alkenbrack home Saturday evening.

Postmaster Engebretsen collected war taxes to the amount of $82.04, for the last quarter of 1917, by the extra one cent postage charged on all letters and post cards.

Why We Are Fighting

If you don't know why we are fighting,
Let the seas out there explain.
There's a place in the Atlantic
That will never lose its stain;
And a liner on the bottom
With a great hole in its gut,
Where the eels are mounting babies' bones
And nameless horrors glut.

If you want to know why we are fighting,
France will point you to the west,
Where the bayonets of Germany
Are hacking at her breast;
Where a thousand lovely villages
Are marked with blood and flame,
And the gentlest of her lassies,
Soiled and broken, walk in shame.

If you want to know why we are fighting,
Belgium has a tale to tell,
How the Kaiser's "cultured" legions
Came to do the work of hell.
Let her hordes of homeless starvings,
Let maltreated children show;
Look upon her desolation,
Ask her women—and you'll know.

—Chicago Herald.

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If you are taking either of the above publications now, your subscription will be extended one year from date up to which it is paid for. Send us your order today.

The winter term of the northwest school of agriculture, at Crookston, opens Jan. 1 and closes Mar. 28.

Good tractor with plows, for sale, very cheap.

Holt State Bank,
Holt, Minn.

For Sale.

Set of Bank Fixtures for sale at a very reasonable price. We have moved into our new bank building and desire to dispose of the old fixtures at once. Will sell cheap.

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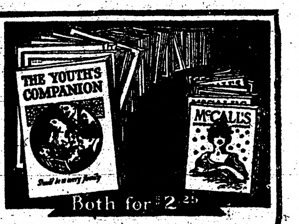

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Annual creamery meeting Saturday Jan. 26th.

Clarence Kolden was a T. R. Falls visitor last Friday.

Mrs. J. E. Erickson returned home Tuesday from Starbuck, Minn.

B. J. Bakke was a Thief River Falls business visitor last week.

E. M. Wadsworth of Langdon, N. D., was here last week on business.

P. L. Anderson went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to attend the State Dairy Convention.

Rev. F. J. Seltz will conduct services at Holt in the Synod Church Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

C. W. Christianson returned home Friday from a business and pleasure trip to Crookston and Grand Forks.

E. T. Eide was here Friday and Saturday looking after the hay which he has shipped to his feed barn in Spooner.

The Harwood Concert Company, the last number of the Holt Lyceum Course, will be here Saturday evening Feb. 2nd.

Mrs. Rux and son Willie, Chas. Schwartz and Ole Reierson attended to matters before the district court in Warren last week Thursday.

Sam Mickelson came home Sunday from Raden, making the 36 mile trip on foot and only stopping an hour for dinner. He says he enjoyed the walk.

P. A. Von Wold came Saturday and went to Golden Valley where his wife has been visiting for some time at the home of his sister, Mrs. C. E. Wright.

Guy Anderson went to Brookins. S. D. Tuesday for a visit with old friends and neighbors. Carl Sorenson is running the mail route during Mr. Anderson's vacation.

Thorval Kolden and Cleve Bergum, the latter from Golden Valley, were in T. R. Falls Friday and Saturday to take the civil service examination for rural mail carriers.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Israelson left Monday for their home in Bronson, after a two weeks visit with the latters parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heinze. Rosie Heinze accompanied them to Thief River Falls.

Mr. Ruehman called at J. E. Erickson's Sunday.

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The Kaiser's Dream

There's a story now current, tho' strange it may seem,
Of the great Kaiser Bill and his Wonderful dream.
Being tired of the allies, he lay down in bed,
And amongst other things he dreamt he was dead,
And in a fine coffin was lying in state,
With a guard of brave Belgians, who lamented his fate.
He wasn't long dead till he found to his cost,
That his soul, like his soldiers, had surely been lost.
On leaving the earth to heaven he went straight,
And arriving up there gave a knock at the gate,
But St. Peter looked out, and in voice loud and clear
Said: "Begone, Kaiser Bill, we don't want you here."
"Well" said the Kaiser, "that's very uncivil,
I suppose after that I must go to the devil?"
So he turned on his heel and off he did go
At the top of his speed to the regions below.
And when he got there he was filled with dismay,
When waiting outside he heard Old Nick say
To his imps: "Now, look here boys, I give you a warning,
"I'm expecting the Kaiser down here in the morning,
But don't let him in, for to me it's quite clear,
"He's a dangerous man, and we don't want him here.
"If once he gets in there'll be no end of quarrels.
"In fact I'm afraid he'll corrupt our good morals"
"O, Satan, my dear friend," the Kaiser then cried,
Excuse me for listing while waiting outside.
If you don't admit me where can I go?
"Indeed," said the devil, "I really don't know."
"Oh, do let me in, I'm weary and cold,"
Said the Kaiser, quite anxious to enter Nick's fold.
"Let me set in a corner, no matter how hot."
"No! said the devil, "most certainly not,
"We don't admit people for riches or pelf;
Here are sulphur and matches, make a hell for yourself."
Then he kicked Wilhelm out and vanished in smoke,
And just at that moment the Kaiser awoke.
He jumped out of bed in a shivering sweat,
And said: "Well, that dream I shall never forget.
"That I won't go to heaven I know very well,
"But it's really too bad to be kicked out of hell."

—William McLachlan

Miss Lillie Peterson was a T. R. Falls visitor last Friday.

J. E. Erickson visited at John Simonson's Sunday.

B. Docken was a Warren visitor last week Thursday via of Thief River Falls.

Knute Ose visited at J. E. Erickson's Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Walter Wegge, Leo Horien and Rudolph Anderson returned Saturday from Kelliher, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Saastad and family and Mr. and Miss Dalhman from Alvarado were pleasantly entertained at the C. L. Heinze home Saturday evening.

Pay your taxes at Holt State Bank

Wood Wanted

For school district 148, about 8 cords dry tamarack and spruce. Bids received to Jan. 26th by district clerk,

W. A. Silbaugh, Holt, Minn.

C. Schwartz called at J. E. Erickson's Monday.

J. B. Alkenbrack went to Hopkins yesterday to visit relatives.

Rev. Ordahl will hold services in Holt next Sunday at 11 and 3:30 at Gunder Sorter's for Ringbo members.

The annual meeting of the Free Mission Ladies Aid will be held at the church next Thursday Jan. 24th. Everyone urged to be present.

Miss Matila Furr and Ole M. Larson were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother, Jan. 15th, Rev. Ordahl officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. VonWold and children came in from Golden Valley Tuesday and visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alkenbrack until Wednesday when they departed for their new home at Wylie where Mr. VonWold has purchased a farm.

Southeast of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Soiney, children Raymond and Myrtle, were visitors at the Faiman home Sunday.

Ludovic Larson went to Golden Valley Thursday.

Halvor Moe went to T. R. Falls Wednesday on business, also to have some dental work done.

Martin Mattson is enjoying a visit with his brother, Charley, of Can.

Miss Cora Ekre of Houston Co., who has been visiting at the home of Carl Larson since Christmas, left on Friday for Gonvick, Minn., to visit her sister, Minnie.

Miss Gunda Moe returned home Wednesday, after being employed at Silverton for some time.

Miss Olga Klungness left Monday for Grand Forks.

Nels Gunderson left the last of the week for Scotsguard, Canada, being called there by the death of his brother, Knute.

Mrs Christ Anderson and son Laurence left for their home at Shaunover Sash Canada on Monday after spending some time at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Sordahl. She was accompanied by Miss Lesa Olson who expects to remain at that place for sometime. Mrs. Anderson also visited with friends at Fisher during her stay

The following were Sunday visitors at the Moe home: Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hansen and son Joseph, Misses Alice Faiman and Ida and Thea Gutterud.

Arthur and Ragna Larson entertained a few friends Thursday evening.

Gustof Erickson went to T. R. Falls Friday, returning Saturday.

During the past week Mesdames Andrew Engstrom, Rux and M. T. Strom have been reported on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson and baby came over from Newfolden Wednesday. Yesterday Tony and Arvid went to Minneapolis to visit relatives and buy goods.

The Liberty Bond is the safest investment in the world and must be sold in order to bring the war to an earlier close and avoid the sacrifices which a long war would bring. German agents are seeking to discourage loyal Americans in holding these bonds in order to beat down the market in hopes that holders will sell their bonds and buy no more in the next issue. If you know of any one trying to do this, report them to The Public Safety Commission.

Hotel for Sale!

Hotel for sale on easy terms or for rent to a responsible party with the option of buying. Write or call on Sam Mickelson, Prop. Central Hotel

Holt, Minn.

Notice

The Annual Meeting of The Farmers' Co-Operative Creamery Co., of Holt, Minn., will be held at the M. W. A. hall on Saturday January 26 at 1 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing officers and to transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

The Board of Directors are urging upon every stockholder to attend this meeting as there are matters of more than ordinary importance to come up for transaction.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

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Estate Of

Carl Friederick Ohm, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Carl Friederick Ohm, Decedent.

The State Of Minnesota To Herman A. Ohm, Amelia Wegge, Fridericka Winfield, Reinhold Ohm, Wilhelmina Grover, Ferdinand Ohm, Anna Patznick, Helena Mulhall, Bernhard Ohm, Lydia Rux, and all persons concerned:

Whereas, Herman A. Ohm has filed in this court his final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: It Is Ordered, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 9th day of February, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms at Warren, in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS according to law.

Witness the Honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 15th day of January 1918.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

Julius J. Olson and Rasmus Hage,
Attorneys for Petitioner,
Warren, Minnesota

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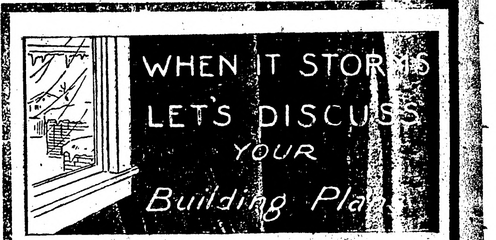

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News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

U.S.—Teutonic War News

Failure of the German government to agree to pay American army officers taken prisoner the pay given officers of similar rank in the German army, resulted in the American government cutting off payment to all German officers held prisoners of war in this country, it was announced at the war department at Washington.

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The United States now has in France an army of "substantial" size ready for active service, Secretary Baker told the senate war invesigating committee at Washington. Baker replied to criticisms of his department's conduct of the war and the delays and errors of judgment in the vast undertaking. Arms of the most modern and effective kind, he said, have been provided for every soldier in France. An army of nearly a million and a half men is now in the field or in training, he asserted.

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The former captain of the Princeton football team, now serving in the flying corps, brought down his first German plane, the Paris edition of the New York Herald says. The captain referred to probably is Lieut. "Hobey" Baker.

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The American steamship Harry Luckenbach has been torpedoed and sunk with loss of life, according to word received at New York by the owners of the vessel. Eight of the crew are missing.

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Revelations of a conspiracy to smuggle small arm ammunition from this country to Germany were made at Washington. The charge is made that German reserve officers at liberty in this country have been supervising the manufacture of this ammunition.

Mobilization of 3,000,000 workers for agriculture, shipbuilding and war contract plants was intrusted to the United States employment service by the department of labor at Washington. Tremendous expansion of the service is in progress in preparation for recruiting men necessary to carry on the economic work in support of the military forces in this war. John B. Densmore of Montana will be national director of the employment service.

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General Pershing reported to Washington the death of Capt. William E. Hard of penumonia. He lived at 1200 Western avenue, Joliet, Ill.

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Deaths of Lieut. William S. Ely and Sergt. George E. Houdek in airplane accidents in France were reported to Washington by General Pershing. Ely lived at 501 East avenue, Rochester, N. Y., and Houdek at 1118 Monticello avenue, Chicago.

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Personal

Ellis H. Roberts, ex-treasurer of the United States and for many years editor of the Utica Herald, died at his home in Utica, N. Y. Mr. Roberts was born September 30, 1827.

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Foreign

The German delegations in Petrograd are reported to have got into touch with the Swedish legation and to have expressed the desire that Sweden act as a go-be een with Great Britain, France and Italy.

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The house of lords at London rejected Lord Loreburn's amendment to the representation of the people bill, by which it was sought to exclude women from the suffrage. The vote was 134 to 69.

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The Paris Temps says of the passage in President Wilson's address dealing with Alsace-Lorraine: "It is the first time the president of the United States has declared himself on the Alsace-Lorraine question. We had no doubts as to his sentiments, but we are profoundly glad that he has expressed them."

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A dispatch from Amsterdam says leaflets are in circulation all over Germany containing the following extracts from a recently suppressed number of Vorwaerts: "Many people are dying of sheer hunger. Sixty million people are suffering. They will not always remain silent. Germany is on the verge of a catastrophe worse than Russia's—namely, a German defeat and loss of the whole war."

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A separate peace agreement has been signed by Russia and Bulgaria, the Bund at Berne reports.

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President Wilson's speech, like all his utterances since America entered the war, takes the leading place in both the news and editorial columns of the London press. One newspaper describes it as "The Magna Charta of future peace." Representatives of British labor issued a manifesto giving whole-hearted support to the program presented in the speech.

Another outbreak has occurred in Portugal. Crews of Portuguese warships mutinied and bombarded Lisbon forts. The army remained faithful to the government and tranquility has been restored.

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Domestic

Karl Buna, Georg Kotter, Adolph Hachmeister and Joseph Popenhouse, officials of the Hamburg line, received prison sentences after their conviction of violating customs laws in sending supplies to German cruisers was upheld by the United States circuit court of appeals at New York.

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The car shortage problem is well in hand, A. H. Smith, president of the New York Central, assistant to Railway Director McAdoo, reported when he conferred with the director at Washington. It will be entirely cleared up, Smith stated, in a few days if weather conditions are favorable.

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The national prohibition amendment was ratified by the Virginia senate at Richmond by a vote of 30 to 8. A resolution to submit the amendment to a referendum was defeated, 28 to 10.

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Miss Helene Branstitter, twenty years old, was smothered to death at the state hospital at Jacksonville, Ill., by two patients, Marian Menika of Springfield and Stella Coppa of Chicago. After killing the nurse the patients escaped.

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Lieutenant Commander David Worth Bagley, who commanded the American torpedo-boat destroyer Jacob Jones, sunk by a German submarine in the war zone on December 6, departed from London for the United States.

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Gov. Walter E. Edge, in a message to the New Jersey legislature, which convened at Trenton, N. J., recommended the immediate passage of legislation designed to make the most of the state's "strategic position" in helping the United States reach "the zenith of her fighting power." The governor urged placing food, fuel and fisheries under state control.

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Dr. Asa W. Chamberlain was found guilty of the murder of his brother, Albert, at Richmond, Va. Life imprisonment for the physician was fixed by the jury.

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European War News

The hospital ship Rewa was torpedoed and sunk in the Bristol channel January 4 when on its way from Gibraltar, it is announced officially at London. All the wounded were saved. There were three casualties among the crew.

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"The additional strength which the enemy can obtain from the events in Russia and Italy already has been largely discounted and the ultimate destruction of the enemy's field forces has been brought appreciably nearer," is the confident summing up by Field Marshal Haig of last year's work by the British army on the western front.

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Withdrawal of Russian troops from a sector of the Macedonian front is reported in the statement from army headquarters to Berlin.

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The French General Lize, commanding the artillery on the Italian front, has been killed in action, says a statement issued at Paris.

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A British torpedo-boat destroyer has been torpedoed and sunk in the Mediterranean sea, according to an admiralty announcement issued in London. All the officers of the destroyer were saved, but ten members of the crew were lost.

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The bolsheviki are definitely strengthening the front, Petrograd advices to London say. The correspondent of the Daily News obtained this information from M. Radek, one of the Russian peace delegates. He said the bolsheviki were intending to send home all who did not wish to fight, so that they would have an army which was willing to war for an ideal.

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British patrols have again crossed the Piave river, the Rome war office announces. They forced a passage at various points, causing an alarm in the enemy lines.

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British aviators have dropped large quantities of bombs on the Ramegnies-Chin airdrome in Belgium and in the vicinity of Metz, Lorraine, according to the official statement issued at London.

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Washington

Mark L. Requa of Oakland, Cal., was appointed head of the newly formed oil division of the fuel administrtation at Washington which will handle government control of oil.

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The woman suffrage constitutional amendment bill passed the house at Washington, 274 to 136. Early passage by the senate is predicted.

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The government at Washington is preparing to take control of the oil supply under the fuel administration. A man has been selected to take charge, and his name will be made public with the announcement of the government's decision.

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"There is plenty of labor in the United States for the army and for industry. It needs proper adjustment, however," said Secretary of Labor Wilson at Washington. Only 5 per cent of the nation's workers will be taken by the army in the first year.

BLAZE DAMAGES U. S. ARMY DEPOT

Destroys Interior of Giant Quartermaster's Corps Building at Washington Barracks.

FOUR FIRES IN 10 DAYS

Mysterious Blazes Laid To Incendiaries—Loss $200,000—Firemen And Soldiers Brave Exploding Munitions.

Washington, Jan. 15.—While firemen and soldiers battled in the face of exploding munitions, which at times shook the vicinity, flames destroyed the interior of the giant quartermaster's corps building at the Washington barracks here. It was the fourth of a series of mysterious fires to break out in the building during the last 10 days and the loss may reach $200,000.

Baker Orders Probe.

An immediate investigation was ordered by Secretary of War Baker, who personally went to the scene and remained until the flames were extinguished about noon.

Although Lieut. Col. J. H. Earle, in charge of the post, stated no one is suspected of firing the structure—a three story brick building covering a solid block—the guard was doubled about the grounds as soon as the flames were discovered and no one allowed to enter or leave. No arrests have been made thus far.

Soldiers Blame Incendiaries.

Soldiers from the post insisted the blaze must have been incendiary.

Today the first flames were noted about 9 o'clock in the second floor where mattresses and wood shavings were piled. This had no sooner been extinguished than a second fire broke out in an adjoining section.

Ammunition Set Off.

As the flames spread heat and fire touched off quantities of small arms ammunition stored in the building together with other commissary supplies. Despite danger from these explosions, firemen from 12 stations stood their gronnd and together with firemen from the post played water over the flames for more than three hours. No casualties were reported, though a few soldiers sustained minor injuries.

AMERICA SHOWS FRIENDSHIP

Envoy Greets People on Occasion of Russian New Year.

Petrograd, Jan. 15.—David R. Francis, American ambassador, in greeting Russian people on the occasion of the Russian new year, issued a statement to the Russian press in which he says:

"The best greetings I can give Russian people from American people is President Wilson's message to Congress on January 8 (December 26, old style, which has been given in full to the Russian press."

The ambassador says the message expresses clearly the friendship of America for Russia.

DRAFT OBSTRUCTORS TO JAIL

Conviction Upheld By Supreme Court of United States.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Conviction of Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman on charges of conspiring to prevent operation of the selection service act by urging men of draft age not to register has been sustained by the supreme court.

Conviction of Louis Kramer and Morris Becker on charges of conspiracy to prevent persons of draft ages from registering in New York were also affirmed. Kramer was sentenced to two years' imprisonment and a $10,000 fine and Becker to 20 months imprisonment.

TURKEY VIOLATES ARMISTICE

Lands Troops and Torpedoes Russian Transport, Is Report.

Petrograd, Jan. 15.—Turkey has violated the armistice signed between the Teuton powers and Russia, according to word received here. The Ottoman commander, it is stated, has landed 20,000 troops between Trebizond and Rize, and a Turkish submarine is reported to have sunk a Russian transport.

FOE INVENTS NEW GAS HORROR

Perfects Brutal Device Especially For Use Against Americans.

Rotterdam, Jan. 15.—Germany has devised a new gas horror for use especially against Americans, according to released British prisoners here. The new device has been thoroughly tested out, according to the information.

100,000 Attack Chicago Drifts.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—An army of more than 100,000 workers including 60,000 schoolboys, has resumed the attack on the great snow drifts which for 48 hours tied up railroad traffic and caused what the health authorities termed an alarming shortage of fuel and milk. Everyone of the 27 steam railroads has resumed limited service but officials said it would be at least two days before normal passenger schedules could be established, and perhaps a week before freight trains could be run as usual.

MAY WAGE TRADE WAR ON TEUTONS

Americans Plan Threat of Boycott After War Unless Kaiser Quits.

WARNING NOW IS URGED

Present German Government Held Not Responsible to People—U. S. Chamber of Commerce Is Behind Movement.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The Chamber of Commerce of the United States asks American business, in a referendum submitted to them, to pass upon a proposed warning to German industrial leaders that they cannot hope to resume friendly commercial relations with the United States after the war unless the German government has become a responsible instrument for the people.

It is proposed that the Germans be told that the United States, in common with other nations, supplied raw materials with which Germany made ready to start the world war, and that the lesson has been learned. Newspapers and business men of neutral countries will be relied upon to carry the message.

To Speak Bluntly.

"If the proposed action carries," says a statement from the chamber's headquarters, "the industrial leaders of Germany, who with the military party constitute the most powerful caste in Germany, will be bluntly told that Germany must choose a responsible government to conclude a just peace or suffer the consequences of an outlaw after the war.

"She will be denied economic intercourse with her best customer—the United States. The message could not fail of its purpose as Germany cannot hope for years to come to reestablish satisfactory trade relations with Great Britain, Italy or France.

Concerted Stand Urged.

"No single action by the United States can be calculated to go further than this proposed action of America's business men. It is more potent in its authority, perhaps, than any similar warning coming from official sources. The difference lies in the fact that Germany might doubt where Congress would sanction a treaty with the Allies for a trade boycott of Germany or that the people would abide by such a treaty were it made. This, on the other hand, would be a direct notice to German business men that the business men of America have taken a concerted stand to close trade to Germany as long as it remains an outlaw.

"The further fact should be borne in mind that the proposal to discriminate against German trade after the war is not at variance with the President's announced policy not to continue after the war policies which would engender hatred among the nations.

JOKER BANDIT SLAIN BY GIRL

Ordered Her to Hold Up Her Hands As Joke.

Minneapolis, Jan. 14.—E. F. Orr, a Great Northern switchman, was shot and instantly killed—a victim of his lifelong penchant for joking.

He had entered the office of P. McCoy Fuel company, to order coal. Mabel Drumater, stenographer, was counting the day's receipts. Orr jokingly told her to "throw up her hands." She took the order seriously, drew a revolver from her desk and shot him through the head.

When, some time later, she learned she had killed the man, instead of wounding him, as she had supposed, she collapsed.

MEXICAN MISSION TO JAPAN

A Pacific Port, Jan. 14.—A Japanese ship carrying a mission sent by President Carranza of Mexico to Japan for the alleged purpose of negotiating a treaty between the two countries and also arranging for the purchase by Mexico from Japan of arms and ammunition for the Mexican army has arrived in port here, according to a local paper. The mission, according to the newspaper, is headed by Juan T. Burns, said to have been former Mexican consul general of New York, where he was indicted, it was said, for his alleged connection with passport frauds and liberated on $10,000 bonds.

Mexican Storm Kills Score.

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 13.—The blizzard sweeping the southwest extends far into northern Mexico and, combined with scarcity of food and fuel, is causing the death of scores in Chihuahua and other border states, according to reports reaching here.

20,000 in Vienna Food Riot.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Food rioting in Vienna on New Year's day is described in a dispatch received here from Switzerland today. The authorities announced that 500 Serbian pigs would be put on sale at 75 cents a pound. More than 20,000 people assembled outside the market, the most of them remaining throughout the New Year's eve in intense cold for the chance to buy. In the morning, the dispatch says, the crowd lost its patience, broke through the police lines and invaded the market

WEST STRUGGLES IN STORM'S GRIP

Thousands Working to Rescue Chicago from Blanket of Drifted Snow.

SCHOOLS CLOSE FOR WEEK; CHILDREN WORK IN STREET

Railroads Sunday Night Dispatched First Trains Since Storm Began—Resumption of Traffic Is Slow.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Hundreds of thousands of volunteer workers in Chicago and thousands of laborers employed by the city and by railroads yesterday began the work of rescuing Chicago and the middle west from the terrific storm which swept over this section Friday and Saturday, tieing up transportation facilities for 24 hours and threatening food and fuel shortages in many cities. Railroads entering Chicago last night dispatched their first outgoing trains since the storm began.

Reports from outlying territory indicate that a majority of the scores of trains stalled in the snow drifts Saturday gradually were proceeding toward their destinations and that today, with clear weather, all lines would be open. Several through trains from the east and a few from the west arrived yesterday, 24 to 36 hours late.

The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy closed all local freight yards, so as to release the men for work in clearing tracks. The Chicago switch yards were opened and scores of freight stock trains blocked on the outskirts of the city were brought in during the day.

Railroad officials announced that the usual number of trains could not be operated before tonight. The ones sent out last night were made up late in the afternoon and sent out whenever it was thought there was a chance for them to get through.

Local Deliveries Delayed

In Chicago the situation, although improving, is still foreboding. Despite the efforts of the thousands of men, women and children who worked from early morning until late last night, it still is impossible to make deliveries in many sections. The city has been practically without milk since Saturday, and dairies reported that only preferred deliveries—to hospitals and to houses where there are children—would be made today.

Schools Closed—Children Help

Schools will be closed this week until the streets are cleared, releasing some 60,000 children for work in shoveling snow.

EUGENE WALLA NOT GUILTY

Auto Vehicle Clerk Acquitted on Shortage Charge.

MANDAN, N. D., Jan. 14.—Eugene M. Walla, former chief clerk in the automobile registration department of Secretary of State Thomas Hall's office, was on Saturday found not guilty of the embezzlement of funds of the department, amounting to $3,400 as charged in a complaint sworn out some time ago by Attorney General Wm. Langer. Mr. Walla was charged with the offense jointly with his chief, Mr. Hall, whose trial terminated in a prompt acquittal which was found by the jury after ten minutes deliberation and announced on Christmas morning.

The case of Mr. Walla was transferred to Morton county for trial, the evidence closely following that submitted in the trial of Mr. Hall. The case lasted four days, and the jury agreed on an acquittal of the registration clerk after deliberating less than one hour.

SUICIDE FOLLOWS BANK RAID

Army Captain Slays Self After Sensational Robbery.

Camp Funston, Kan., Jan. 13.—With the finding late yesterday of the body of Captain Lewis R. Whisler of Salina, Kan., in his tiny office at the national army cantonment here, the last chapter was written in the bloody story of the looting of the army bank and the murder of four men and serious wounding of a fifth. The murders were committed with a hand axe.

Captain Whisler killed himself, firing two shots from a regulation army service rifle into his head. The first bullet glanced downward through one cheek, but the other lodged in his brain. The suicide followed a general order instructing all captains at the cantonment to report and have their finger prints taken.

Idaho Senator Is Dead

Washington, Jan. 14.—Senator James H. Brady of Idaho died at his home last night from heart disease. He suffered an acute attack a week ago Saturday, while on his way to Washington from Idaho, and has been in a critical state since. The senator's wife and several relatives were at his bedside. His two sons, S. E. Brady of Chandler, Okla., and J. Robb Brady of Kansas, were on a train from the west trying to reach Washington in time to see their father alive. Senator Brady was 56 years old, a native of Pennsylvania, but moved to Kansas when a boy, and to Idaho in 1895. He was a Republican.

Bolsheviki Reconcile Ukraine

Petrograd, Jan. 14.—The threatened food shortage in northern Russia promises to be averted through the reconciliation of the Bolsheviki and the Ukraine. M. Barakroff, member of the Petrograd food supply committee, has just returned from Kiev, where he conferred with the Ukrainian authorities, who say that they are willing to provide Petrograd with an unlimited supply of breadstuffs on a basis of half cash and half merchandise. M. Barakroff says that the Ukraine guarantees to supply 3,000,000 pounds of bread within sixty days.

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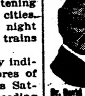

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Messengers of Death.

There are about 200 separate and distinct kinds of shells fired from German guns, and each and every one of them has been given at least one nickname by the Tommies, according to London Tit-Bits. Some of them have been given several.

The biggest kind of high explosive shells, for instance, are known indifferently as "Dirty Dicks," "Jack Johnsons," "Coal Boxes," "Flower Pots," "Crumps," "Black Peters" or "Whistling Willies."

The smaller kind are "Black Marias" and "Woolly Bears," according to whether the smoke they emit when bursting is black, or white with a yellowish tinge.

High explosive shrapnel and trench mortar shells are respectively "whizz-bangs" and "pip-squeaks," from their habit of giving only those warnings of their approach. "Archibalds" are anti-aircraft shells. Ordinary shrapnel projectiles are "Little Willies."

A Girl's Denial.

"Mary, Johnny tells me that when he went into the dining room last night he saw Mr. Bliff with his arms round your waist."

"What a story, mamma! Why, the gas was out."

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"Papa, why are they always digging up New York?"

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A well advised commercial authority gives it as his opinion, "as a slow, descent may be counted on in the prices for grain when the war ends—it may take several years to restore the world's stock of foodstuffs to normal—there is good ground for confidence in the outlook for rapid development in agriculture."

If this be correct, it follows that the profession of farming will materially increase its ranks in the next few years.

Today, the price of wheat is set by the United States government at $2.20 per bushel, and in Canada the price has been set at $2.21. This, of course, is less freight and handling charges which brings the average to the farmers at about $2.00 per bushel. This price will pay so long as land, material and labor can be secured at reasonable prices. It remains for the would-be producer to ascertain where he can secure these at prices that will make the production of grain profitable. He will estimate what price he can afford to pay for land that will give him a yield of wheat which when sold at $2.00 per bushel, will return him a fair profit. Local and social conditions will also enter into the consideration. Finding what he wants he would be wise to make his purchase now. Land prices in some portions of the country are low, certainly as low as they will ever be. City property and town property will fluctuate, but farm property will hold its own. The price of grain is as low as it will be for some years. Therefore it would be well to look about, and find what can be done.

There are doubtless many opportunities in the United States, especially in the Western States, to purchase good agricultural lands, that will produce well, at reasonable prices. If the would-be buyer has the time to investigate, and that is needed, for these lands do not exist in any considerable area, he would be well repaid. Not only will his land certainly increase in value—the unearned increment would be an asset—while under cultivation he can find nothing that will give better results. He will at the same time be performing a patriotic act, a needful act, one that would meet with the food controller's plea to increase agricultural production and assist in reducing the deficit of 75 million bushels of wheat reported by the controller.

In addition to the vacant lands in the United States which should be brought under cultivation, Western Canada offers today the greatest area of just the land that is required, and at low prices—prices that cannot last long. Even now land prices are increasing, as their value is daily becoming more apparent, and their location desirable.

As to the intrinsic value of land in Western Canada, hundreds of concrete cases could be cited, which go to prove that at fifty and sixty dollars per acre—figures that have recently been paid for improved farms—the crops grown on them gave a profit of from twenty to thirty per cent and even higher, on such an investment. One instance, is that of a young Englishman, unaccustomed to farming before he took his seat on the sulky plow with which he does most of his work, after allowing himself $1,000 for his own wages last year, made a profit of $2,200 on a $20,000 investment. His total sales amounted to $5,700 and his expense, which included the $1,000 wages for himself, was $3,500. The interest was 11½ per cent.

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When red, rough and itching with hot baths of Cuticura Soap and touches of Cuticura Ointment. This means sleep for baby and rest for mother. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

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News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Last year, during the first four days in January, the Bemidji postoffice did over $400 worth of stamp business, while during the first four days of this year the office did over $700 worth.

Five thousand and eighty children were born in St. Paul in 1917, according to the report of births completed in the Health department. This is the smallest number in the past four years.

F. H. Shoemaker, who represented the National Nonpartisan league at a meeting held at Walters, pleaded guilty to charges of using indecent and abusive language, tending to provoke assault and was fined $10 and costs.

Two Indian boys from the Flandreau Indian School were captured at Pipestone while running away from the institution. The boys were bound for their home in the northern part of the state and said that they wanted to go hunting.

K. T. Stavn, a 71-year-old bachelor near Willmar, was found dead in a 30-foot well on his farm by boys coming from a party. A ladder with a broken rung in the well indicates that Stavn had gone down to make some repairs and fell into the water when the ladder broke.

There is no law existing which permits soldiers absent from the state to vote at Minnesota elections, according to a statement of Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state, who said that the socalled absent voter law is inoperative in the case of soldiers. Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith said the soldier vote cannot be taken under any existing laws.

A farm crop survey of Minnesota may be made by town assessors during their canvasses next spring, preliminaries in that direction having been discussed at a special conference at the Capitol. The scheme is similar to that proposed to the State Public Safety Commission last year and this time probably will be carried out under the direction of A. D. Wilson, state food administrator.

Fairmont is proud of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Thieman, who were born in Germany. Mrs. Thieman has knit 24 pairs of socks for the Red Cross and 21 pairs for the boys of E company, 136th infantry. They have two sons in E company and a third in the National army. In the windows of their home are a service flag, a Red Cross emblem and a food conservation card. The Stars and Stripes fly from the roof.

A proposal for abolishment of both the state forestry and timber boards and creation of a new state board to administer laws relating to state owned timber was referred to a committee of five to be appointed by Governor Burnquist and include members of both bodies at a joint meeting of the present boards. Recommendations will be considered at another joint conference and finally presented to the legislature of 1919.

The new city hall at Breckenridge was formally opened to the public with a municipal ball, music for the event being furnished by an orchestra from Fergus Falls. The Breckenridge chapter of the Red Cross served the refreshments.

Federal appropriations of $76,000 having been expended to date on draft expenses in Minnesota, Maj. H. L. Brady, Federal property and disbursing officer, announced that a new allowance of $55,000 will be made available in a few days.

It was the irony of fate that brought death to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Liflin, each 80 years old, at Lake City within the same day. Both were among the oldest residents of Wabasha county, having lived there more than half a century. They died on their wedding anniversary.

The Nonpartisan league meeting, scheduled for Wells, which aroused much feeling and open threats of violence, should the meeting be held, was held on the property of the Farmers' Co-operative Creamery company, out of doors. No seditious utterances were reported. About 100 farmers attended. The loyalty meeting planned to offset the Nonpartisan gathering, attracted the larger crowd. Delegates from all parts of the county, aggregating more than 500 persons, were in attendance.

A new file was established in the office of the Ramsey county register of deeds office when a wedding contract, the first of the kind to be recorded in this state, was placed on file. The contract contained the signatures of Veronica Mihalyi of St. Paul and George Davis, also of St. Paul, now a member of One Hundred and Fifty-first field artillery serving in France. The contract with Miss Mihalyi's signature affixed followed Davis to the trenches, where he signed, in the presence of the captain and adjutant of his regiment.

The Minnesota Federation of County Fairs held its annual meeting at the capitol. The session closed with an annual dinner at the St Francis hotel, St. Paul. President George E. Hanscom, St. Cloud, and Treasurer C. F. Serline, Mora, were re-elected by members of the federation. F. F. Hall, New Auburn, was elected secretary and F. F. Millard, Canby, was chosen vice president. C. W. Bouck, Royalton, was elected to succeed the late J. H. O'Neil, Park Rapids on the directorate and other members, whose terms expired, were re-elected.

WEEKLY POTATO DAYS ARE URGED

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TO VISIT STATE TROOPS

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The commission also denied the petition of a delegation of Blooming Prairie citizens, including four saloonkeepers, for repeal of the commission order limiting liquor sales there to quantities consumed in the saloons.

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Guard Against Carelessness.

C. C. Pierson, director of the division of records, has reported to the state board of health that large losses of state-supplied anti-toxin are suffered through carelessness on the part of local health officers, acting as distribution agents With a view to correcting the condition, the board authorized Dr. H M. Bracken, executive officer to withdraw supplies from careless health officers, and appoint druggists or town officers as distributing agents.

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Many Aliens Bear Firearm.

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Organizes Social Disease Division

The State Board of Health created a division on venereal disease and then discussed proposed regulation under which those diseases would be reported to the board and quarantined. Dr. H. G. Irvine, Minneapolis, was elected head of the new division, which will work in connection with the state commission on social hygene recently appointed by Governor Burnquist. Dr. Egil Boeckmann was elected president of the board of health and Dr. Christopher Graham, was re elected vice president.

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Want Civilian Guards.

Organization of civilian guard companies in the small town of the state primarily to protect grain elevators and other food storehouses, is urged in a communication sent to the safety commission by the Minnesota Conservation association, through a committee made up of H M. Giles and G. F. Erundick, both of Minneapolis, and Clarence D. Hayes of St Paul.

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Urge More Boiler Inspection

A delegation of deputy state boiler inspectors has urged the safety commission to order the inspections of low-pressure boilers in addition to those already covered by the state law. Extension of the inspection requirements is demanded by public safety, the inspectors said and will work toward fuel conservation.

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Recommendation Referred

A recommendation that the organization of new state banks and the making of long time investments by existing banks be discouraged was presented to the state public safety commission by F E Pearson, state superintendent of banks, and referred to Ambrose Tighe, special attorney to the commission A report is to be made at the next meeting. The charter application of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Virginia in being organized, was approved by the commission.

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This An-u-ric is a late discovery of Dr. Pierce and is put up in tablet form, and can be obtained at almost any drug store for 60 cents. For that backache, lumbago, rheumatism, "rusty" joints, swollen feet or hands, due to uric acid in the blood. Anuric quickly dissolves the uric acid. Take a little Anuric before meals and prolong your life. Send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce for trial package of Anuric.

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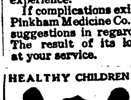

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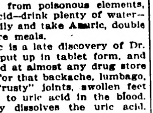
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PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX LIST

According to Chapter 392, State Laws 1917, the Personal Property Tax List for Marshall County is published in the county papers. All personal property tax becomes delinquent March 1st, when a penalty of ten per cent is added. Personal property taxes unpaid April 1st are collected by the Sheriff. Remit by bank draft, express order, or postal money order, but not by personal check, except on banks in Marshall County, unless certified, if you have any other safe way of sending money; postage stamps are not accepted, except where taxes happens to be just a few cents.

F. BAKKE,
County Treasurer.

VILLAGE OF HOLT

School District No. 35, Rate 28.1 Mill

NAME	Assessed Valuation	Ordinary Property	Grain Tax	Money and Credits	Tax
J. A. Aikenbrak	$ 8	$ .60	$------	$------	$ .60
Alfred B. Anderson	210	15.70	------	------	15.70
Guy Anderson	117	8.75	------	.30	9.05
Ole J. Backlund	307	22.91	------	------	22.91
Brekkestran Bros.	133	9.92	------	------	9.92
A. L. Carlson	395	29.50	------	------	29.50
Lars Chinell	231	17.27	------	------	17.27
Ben Docken	235	17.55	------	1.52	19.07
Davidson Bros.	100	7.47	------	------	7.47
Nils Engbretson	72	5.39	------	------	5.39
Farmers' State Bank	3,562	266.08	------	------	266.08
Farmers' Co-Op. Cr'y. Co.	349	26.09	------	.12	26.21
C. H. Gunheim	2,396	178.98	------	6.00	184.98
Holt State Bank	5,684	424.59	------	------	424.53
Holt Weekly News	133	9.95	------	------	9.95
H. A. Huseth	6	.45	------	------	.45
Ben Hoff	17	1.26	------	------	1.26
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.	1,318	98.45	2.15	------	100.60
Chas. Hegglund	304	22.72	------	------	22.72
Chas. Hinse	446	33.29	------	------	33.29
Ole Hammernes	60	4.48	------	2.10	6.58
Holt Merc. Co.	2,044	152.69	------	7.50	160.19
E. O. Johnson	28	2.84	------	------	2.84
A. R. Jones	72	5.39	------	------	5.39
S. S. Kolden & Co.	66	49.75	------	------	49.75
Sam Mickelson	44	3.29	------	------	3.29
Albert Matheson	399	29.80	------	------	29.80
Joseph Nelson	62	4.64	------	------	4.64
Axel Nelson	148	11.05	------	------	11.05
Alfred C. Olson	181	13.51	------	.15	13.66
R. L. Olson	135	10.08	------	4.50	14.58
Racine Olson	5	.37	------	.48	.85
Theodore Olson	70	5.23	------	------	5.23
M. B. Ordahl	89	6.65	------	------	6.65
Hjalmar Peterson	348	26.00	------	------	26.00
Peoples Cash Store	1,570	117.26	------	3.60	120.86
Red Lake Falls Mlg Co.	1,486	111.00	8.05	------	114.05
R. Reierson	1,113	83.14	------	4.50	87.64
Mrs. E. O. Risberg	217	16.23	------	------	16.23
Standard Oil Co.	1,002	74.85	------	------	74.85
Carl Sorenson	50	3.74	------	------	3.74
Tabor & McLain	133	9.93	------	------	9.93
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	1,778	132.44	------	8.57	141.01
H. B. Young	46	3.44	------	------	3.44
Albert Bennes	------	------	------	1.65	1.65
Clarence Dokken	------	------	------	.16	.16
Oluf Iverson	------	------	------	.60	.60
Britta Johnson	------	------	------	1.20	1.20
Ole O. Johnson	------	------	------	.68	.68
J. P. Lein	------	------	------	3.30	3.30
Nels Swanson	------	------	------	1.50	1.50

TOWN OF EXCEL

School District No. 17, Rate 4.8 Mills
School District No. 20, Rate 6.7 Mills
School District No. 35, Rate 28.1 Mills
School District No. 59, Rate 9.2 Mills
School District No. 72, Rate 7.1 Mills
School District No. 84, Rate 8.5 Mills
School District No. 112, Rate 6.4 Mills
School District No. 123, Rate 7.2 Mills

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O. Ahlstrom	$ 258	$ 6.93	$------	$------	$ 6.93
T. Aasland	284	7.60	------	.15	7.75
Whilmina Adams	197	9.88	------	------	9.38
Hugh Best	319	7.75	------	------	7.75
Nick Baker	44	1.07	------	.22	1.29
John J. Berg	371	9.02	------	------	9.02
John Boe	198	9.43	------	------	9.43
Iver Borsheim	123	3.16	------	------	3.16
Soren Bergland	262	7.36	------	.05	7.41
John Christenson	193	5.15	------	------	5.15
Fred Copp	452	12.03	------	.55	12.58
Harvey Copp	109	2.65	------	------	2.65
Frank Coppey	210	9.99	------	------	9.99
John W. Dahl	180	5.04	------	------	5.04
T. G. Elstad	245	11.66	------	1.20	12.86
Ole Easthouse	208	5.59	------	------	5.59
John E. Erickson	216	5.55	------	3.00	8.55
John Easthouse	362	10.14	------	1.50	11.64
Torkel Fraleness	237	6.62	------	------	6.62
Mrs. Christi Gutterud	219	5.66	------	------	5.66
Sam Hasby	62	1.51	------	------	1.51
Oscar Hanson	391	10.99	------	------	10.99
Constantine Hoffman, Jr.	151	7.19	------	------	7.19
August Hoffman	254	6.53	------	------	6.53
H. B. Halvorson	266	7.45	------	2.40	9.85
Oswold Hoffman	107	2.76	------	3.00	5.76
Florentine Hoffman	109	2.80	------	------	2.80
John Hoffman	189	4.86	------	------	4.86
Constantine Hoffman	358	9.20	------	------	9.20
Peter Hornseth	369	9.88	------	.60	10.48
Hanson-Barzen Milling Co.	1,232	29.94	2.88	------	32.82
John M. Johnson	228	6.38	------	.04	6.42
Mikkel Johnson	353	9.07	------	------	9.07
Carl Jorde	238	6.39	------	------	6.39
Ludvick Johnson	76	1.84	------	------	1.84
Bernt Johnson	80	2.14	------	------	2.14
Andrew T. Jopperud	281	7.87	------	------	7.87
Ole A. Johnson	250	7.00	------	.42	7.42
Martin Kisch	434	11.15	------	------	11.15
Gunstein Knutson	471	12.63	------	------	12.63
R. H. Kiehne	161	4.17	------	------	4.17
E. H. Kuhne	119	3.07	------	------	8.07
Knut Knutson	222	10.57	------	------	10.57
August Koglin	306	7.44	------	------	7.44
John Kolberg	301	8.01	------	.45	8.46
Carl Larson	404	10.38	------	.60	10.98
G. D. Leisner	646	15.69	------	------	15.69
A. G. Loftness	499	13.37	------	------	13.37
John Martenson	177	4.75	------	------	4.75
Martin Matson	189	4.86	------	------	4.86
Russell Muzzy	760	20.21	------	------	20.21
Albert E. Molstad	349	9.04	------	------	9.04
Arthur Muzzy	42	1.12	------	------	1.12
Cyrus Malberg	143	3.47	------	------	3.47
P. B. Malberg	374	9.09	------	.05	9.14
Nathaniel Muzzy	186	4.52	------	------	4.52
John Moger	208	5.06	------	------	5.06
Oliver Molstad	143	3.72	------	------	3.72
George Newberry	100	2.68	------	------	2.68
N. P. Nelson	245	6.56	------	------	6.56
Mrs. Antonette Olson	271	12.90	------	------	12.90
Peter K. Ose	396	11.09	------	.30	11.39
Ose Bros.	316	8.85	------	------	8.85
Rasmus Ose	210	5.88	------	------	5.88
Gunnie T. Ose	171	4.79	------	.04	4.83
Knut T. Ose	[illegible]	6.30	------	------	6.30
Selmer Quammen	203	5.68	------	------	5.68
Ole J. Pederson	207	5.55	------	------	5.55
T. H. Ristteigen	253	7.09	------	------	7.09
J. A. Russel	369	10.33	------	------	10.33
Lewis Reuhman	288	7.40	------	------	7.40
Samuel S. Rogers	204	4.96	------	------	4.96
Ole Reierson	371	17.66	------	------	17.66
Reinhart Reierson	145	6.90	------	------	6.90
John Risdel	252	6.14	------	------	6.14
Andrew A. Skahl	190	5.09	------	------	5.09
C. Schwartz	229	5.89	------	------	5.89
Arno Steinhauer	211	5.42	------	------	5.42
Fred Steinhauer	203	5.22	------	------	5.22
Wm. Steinhauer	97	2.50	------	------	2.50
G. J. Skomedahl	30	.77	------	2.10	2.87
M. O. Sagen	281	6.82	------	6.00	12.82
Theodore Steigen	50	1.22	------	------	1.22
Peter Salem	298	7.93	------	1.24	9.17
A. C. Simonson	350	8.50	------	------	8.50
John P. Swanson	388	9.43	------	.08	9.51
Willie Swanson	33	.80	------	------	.80
Martin Strane	5	.24	------	------	.24
John Simonson	209	9.94	------	------	9.94
Carl Steiner	117	2.86	------	------	2.88
Theo. Sorum	270	7.78	------	.15	7.93
John Skomedahl	364	10.19	------	------	10.19
Torbjorn Skommedahl	210	5.88	------	.35	6.23
E. Foldahl	236	6.60	------	------	6.60
Wm. Wendt	257	6.61	------	------	6.61
Andrew Williams	50	1.34	------	------	1.34
Lewis O. Williams	282	7.56	------	------	7.56
Simon Warring	219	5.32	------	------	5.32
Ed. Werner	333	11.33	------	------	11.33
H. C. Wendt	95	2.31	------	.60	2.91
John Waltman	168	4.08	------	------	4.08
L. C. Leisner	------	------	------	.30	.30

TOWN OF HOLT

School District No. 35, Rate 28.1 Mills
School District No. 49, Rate 22.4 Mills
School District No. 58, Rate 4.7 Mills
School District No. 59, Rate 9.2 Mills
School District No. 61, Rate 7.1 Mills
School District No. 74, Rate 5. Mills

NAME	Assessed Valuation	Ordinary Property	Grain Tax	Money and Credits	Tax
Pet. Anderson	$ 273	$ 7.38	$------	$ 3.00	$ 10.38
Andrew Arnevik	311	9.08	------	------	9.08
Mrs. C. Anderson	190	5.55	------	------	5.55
Edward Bjerk	41	1.19	------	------	1.19
Andrew Bjerk	487	14.22	------	2.70	16.92
Oscar Bothun	62	2.98	------	------	2.98
A. S. Bean	254	6.25	------	------	6.25
T. O. Dovre	592	17.29	------	------	17.29
Ole Davidson	134	3.30	------	------	3.30
Tom Elefson	355	9.58	------	------	9.58
H. O. Ekerdalen	313	8.46	------	------	8.46
Christ Engen	429	11.58	------	------	11.58
Elvin Erickson	432	10.63	------	------	10.63
Carl Engebretson	272	13.06	------	------	13.06
John Engstrom	492	12.10	------	------	12.10
T. B. Folden	314	8.47	------	------	8.47
Hans Fosholm	496	13.39	------	------	13.39
Geo. Gusa	388	10.48	------	------	10.48
Helen Grondahl	376	9.25	------	------	9.25
[illegible] Gusa	100	2.70	------	------	2.70
Mrs. H. Hanson	104	2.80	------	------	2.80
Andrew Hanson	279	11.80	------	------	11.80
E. H. Hanson	231	6.24	------	------	6.24
Osvald Hoel	312	14.98	------	------	14.98
M. O. Halvorson	343	16.46	------	2.40	18.86
Ed. Horien	174	5.08	------	------	5.08
Lars L. Helesylt	301	8.13	------	------	8.13
Herman Heinze	304	14.60	------	------	14.60
Gilbert Johnson	195	5.26	------	------	5.26
Olaf Johnson	429	11.58	------	------	11.58
John Johnson	72	1.95	------	------	1.95
Erick Johnson	551	13.56	------	------	13.56
Carl Johnson	403	19.34	------	------	19.34
Otto Johnson	220	5.94	------	------	5.94
Louis Johnson	419	10.31	------	------	10.31
Jo. Jorland	752	18.66	------	------	18.66
Gilbert H. Knudtson	42	1.14	------	------	1.14
Mrs. O. G. Kjelgren	296	14.21	------	------	14.21
O. A. Knudson	243	7.27	------	------	7.27
Gilbert C. Knutson	113	3.15	------	------	3.15
Fred Larson	413	12.06	------	------	12.06

Town of Holt, Continued

NAME	Assessed Valuation	Ordinary Property	Grain Tax	Money and Credits	Tax
Math Larson	297	7.30	------	------	7.30
Ludvig Larson	42	1.03	------	------	1.03
Nils Lysne	153	4.47	------	------	4.47
Knut Moe	265	7.15	------	------	7.15
Andrew Movig	196	5.29	------	------	5.29
Nils N. Nass	181	5.28	------	------	5.28
August Nass	343	9.26	------	------	9.26
Mrs. Tora Nilson	61	1.78	------	------	1.78
O. H. Nohre	296	14.21	------	------	14.21
Syver Nohre	442	21.22	------	------	21.22
Nils Offerdahl	342	8.42	------	------	8.42
Gust Peterson	365	10.65	------	------	10.65
E. R. L. Rudman	156	4.21	------	------	4.21
Andrew Sagstuen	458	12.36	------	------	12.36
Gulik Svenson	99	2.89	------	------	2.89
John Swane	142	6.82	------	------	6.32
T. O. Saastad	331	8.14	------	.15	8.29
Algot Skoglund	21	.52	------	------	.52
Charley Smith	395	10.66	------	------	10.66
Christ Saastad	229	11.00	------	------	11.00
P. G. Sorter	349	8.58	------	------	8.58
G. P. Sorter	437	10.75	------	------	10.75
Carl Skoglund	261	6.42	------	------	6.42
Brita Sein	35	.94	------	------	.94
Eler. Sorter	12	.29	------	------	.29
J. A. Tystad	309	7.60	------	------	7.60
Theo. Tobiason	148	7.10	------	------	7.10
Markus Udstrand	192	5.60	------	------	5.60
B. O. Waangedal	390	9.59	------	------	9.59
Fred Wegge	131	3.82	------	------	3.82
Henry Wegge	309	9.03	------	1.50	10.53
Louis Wegge	341	9.95	------	.15	10.10

TOWN OF AGDAR

School District No. 112, Rate 6.4 Mills
School District No. 118, Rate 12.4 Mills
School District No. 121, Rate 12.8 Mills
School District No. 148, Rate 15.2 Mills
School District No. 159, Rate 14.6 Mills

NAME	Assessed Valuation	Ordinary Property	Grain Tax	Money and Credits	Tax
Birger Antonson	$ 54	$ 2.23	$------	$------	$ 2.23
Martin Bakken	67	2.77	------	------	2.77
John Espiedel	200	8.34	------	------	8.34
Chas. Evenson	216	9.00	------	------	9.00
J. Falman	205	8.91	------	------	8.91
Geo. Greibrok	230	9.60	------	------	9.60
Sam Groven	169	7.04	------	------	7.04
Nils Gunderson	218	9.09	------	------	9.09
Ole S. Halsa	305	3.55	------	------	3.55
Ed. Hanson	205	8.92	------	------	8.92
Alfred Hanson	106	4.61	------	------	4.61
I. A. Isaacson	370	15.42	------	------	15.42
C. Jefferson	72	3.17	------	------	3.17
August Johnson	117	4.83	------	------	4.83
Martin Johnson	209	8.63	------	------	8.63
H. T. Jorstad	226	9.33	------	------	9.33
J. W. Keller	142	5.93	------	------	5.93
Albert Klungness	202	2.78	------	------	8.78
Jacob Klungness	287	10.13	------	------	10.13
John Klungness	243	10.13	------	------	10.13
S. S. Kolden	15	.66	------	------	.66
Louis Larson	164	6.77	------	------	6.77
Halvor Listol	159	6.63	------	------	6.63
Peter Michaelson	171	7.43	------	------	7.43
Soren Moe	241	10.49	------	------	10.49
Halvor Moe	117	5.08	------	------	5.08
Peter Muldoon	180	7.44	------	------	7.44
Christ Nelson	159	6.64	------	------	6.64
Geo. Nustvold	33	1.38	------	------	1.38
Sam Nabben	95	3.92	------	------	3.92
H. P. Nabben	515	21.27	------	------	21.27
Ole T. Ose	131	5.46	------	------	5.46
Charl Overum	157	6.54	------	------	6.54
Kazmer Panek	296	12.23	------	------	12.23
H. Hans Peterson	489	20.39	------	------	20.39
John Ristau	173	7.15	------	------	7.15
Sam Robertson	103	4.25	------	------	4.25
William Rude	137	5.65	------	------	5.65
Emil Rupprecht	226	9.42	------	------	9.42
Adolph Rupprecht	305	12.72	------	------	12.72
G. J. Rystad	236	10.26	------	------	10.26
G. H. Sandum	56	2.31	------	------	2.31
E. Senum	137	5.70	------	------	5.70
Knute Shirley	157	6.48	------	------	6.48
Ole Solberg	189	7.89	------	------	7.89
Nils Sordahl	210	9.13	------	------	9.13
Omund Sordahl	41	1.78	------	------	1.78
Aune Sordal	36	1.59	------	------	1.59
Silas Torgeson	171	6.04	------	------	6.04
Victor Trochman	109	4.54	------	------	4.54
Albert Westphal	220	9.18	------	------	9.18
Ingval Wold	185	7.72	------	------	7.72
Tyler Wold	128	5.33	------	1.50	6.83

TOWN OF EAST VALLEY

School District No. 58, Rate 4.7 Mills
School District No. 59, Rate 9.2 Mills
School District No. 148, Rate 15.2 Mills
School District No. 158, Rate 23. Mills
School District No. 159, Rate 14.6 Mills
School District No. 20, Rate 4.2 Mills

NAME	Assessed Valuation	Ordinary Property	Grain Tax	Money and Credits	Tax
Mrs. C. J. Anderson	$ 92	$ 4.15	$------	$------	$ 4.15
J. E. Boyson	9	.37	------	.06	.43
Ole Christianson	328	17.06	------	------	17.06
Svan Carlson	384	15.63	------	------	15.63
Mrs. Frank Carlson	320	7.66	------	------	7.66
H. O. Dovre	38	1.53	------	------	1.53
F. W. Erickson	108	5.35	------	------	5.35
Christian E. Erickson	435	17.71	------	.30	18.01
Julius Erickson	180	5.78	------	------	5.78
Edward Erickson	182	5.50	------	------	5.50
Hendrik Erickson	272	8.22	------	------	8.22
N. A. Fosen	349	14.21	------	------	14.21
Ed. Furr	184	7.49	------	------	7.49
Matilda Furr	64	2.61	------	------	2.61
Mrs. H. Furr	192	6.71	------	------	6.71
Ole Garthus	77	3.14	------	------	3.14
Mrs. Karoline Grondvold	144	4.33	------	------	4.33
George Hanson	549	16.58	------	1.50	18.08
J. M. Jahr	137	5.57	------	------	5.57
A. C. Jahr	165	6.71	------	------	6.71
Ole Johnson	342	13.92	------	------	13.92
John Knutson	516	20.99	------	------	20.99
Clarence Knutson	193	7.84	------	------	7.84
J. W. Keichinger	135	4.70	------	------	4.70
Hans Knutson	286	9.94	------	------	9.94
M. J. Lunke	344	11.97	------	3.00	14.97
Ole M. Larson	209	8.52	------	------	8.52
Ole O. Listel	249	9.98	------	------	9.98
Ole J. Lunke	407	14.16	------	3.34	17.50
Ole J. Moen	85	4.29	------	------	4.29
Charlie McLean	107	3.24	------	------	2.24
August Nelson	94	3.83	------	------	3.83
Axel Nelson	462	23.33	------	------	23.33
Fred Peterson	88	4.44	------	------	4.44
Anton Rodahl	304	12.38	------	------	12.38
Christ Ring	65	2.66	------	------	2.66
Ole Rude	121	3.65	------	1.80	5.45
Olaus Rodahl	443	18.02	------	------	18.02
Hans Stenerud	133	6.72	------	------	6.72
Carl Surmo	257	10.44	------	------	10.44
J. A. Sorum	388	13.50	------	1.50	15.00
W. A. Silbough	448	18.23	------	------	18.23
Ernest Sefkow	290	8.76	------	------	8.76
Tom Severson	294	10.23	------	------	10.23
S. G. Svenkeson	819	41.36	------	------	41.36
Ole Saxberg	265	13.38	------	------	13.38
Martin Sampson	30	1.22	------	------	1.22
G. A. Solny	166	6.65	------	------	6.65
Frank Tabor	50	2.53	------	------	2.53
John Udstrand	192	5.80	------	------	5.80
Oluf Ness	42	1.70	------	------	1.70
Iver Borsheim	62	2.52	------	------	2.52
Karoline Johnson	42	2.12	------	------	2.12
Anders Engstrom	------	------	------	1.80	1.80

TOWN OF MUD LAKE

School District No. 91, Rate 9.5 Mills
School District No. 145, Rate 27.2 Mills
School District No. 140, Rate 20.5 Mills
School District No. 152, Rate 32. Mills

NAME	Assessed Valuation	Ordinary Property	Grain Tax	Money and Credits	Tax
Christ F. Birkeland	$300	$14.51	$------	$------	$14.51
Axel Benson	144	7.32	------	------	7.32
Frank Brown	130	6.60	------	------	6.60
Cleve Bergum	106	7.26	------	------	7.26
Annie Bergum	124	8.49	------	------	8.49
Peter Christenson	134	9.49	------	------	9.49
Rudolph & Selmer Dahl	747	37.95	------	------	37.95
Carl Dahl	293	14.88	------	------	14.88
Leonard Dahl	97	6.65	------	------	6.65
Olaf Dahl	283	19.39	------	------	19.39
Albin Dahl	95	4.83	------	------	4.83
Emma Sophie Dahl	40	2.03	------	------	2.03
John Doan	82	5.61	------	------	5.61
Agnes R. Fosen	142	10.06	------	1.50	11.56
Grant Flakne	89	6.52	------	------	6.52
K. O. Flakne	5	.37	------	------	.37
B. E. Fridberg	86	5.89	------	------	5.89
Jacob Gabrilson	456	33.42	------	------	33.42
Ole Ingebrogtsli	36	1.83	------	------	1.83
August Johnson	81	5.94	------	------	5.94
Edwin Johnson	349	23.91	------	------	23.91
Clarence Larson	301	20.62	------	1.02	21.64
Bernhard Larson	119	8.72	------	------	8.72
Alfred Larson	105	7.43	------	------	7.43
Robert Lillie	268	18.36	------	------	18.36
Ed. Long	107	7.32	------	------	7.32
Engbret Moe	362	24.79	------	------	24.79
John Mundhenko	154	10.55	------	2.28	12.83
Ole Maakstad	294	20.82	------	------	20.82
Knut Nelson	263	18.54	------	------	18.54
Christ Norbeck	346	25.36	------	------	25.36
N. O. Nelson	34	2.33	------	------	2.33
Emma Nelson	171	12.11	------	------	12.11
Isac Ostlund	79	5.59	------	------	5.59
Peter Ostlund	166	11.75	------	------	11.75
Emil W. Ostlund	365	25.84	------	------	25.84
Nels Omberg	67	3.40	------	------	3.40
Melvin Olson	335	22.95	------	------	22.95
George E. Olson	335	22.95	------	------	22.95
Elmer & Oscar Odie	206	15.10	------	------	15.10
Paul Peterson	23	1.18	------	------	1.18
Tom Risdal	100	7.08	------	.06	7.14
Alfred Sollom	323	22.87	------	------	22.87
A. L. Snook	22	1.56	------	------	1.56
Gunder Tvelt	608	43.05	------	------	43.05
Geo. Walker	98	7.19	------	.30	7.49

TOWN OF NEW SOLUM

School District No. 28, Rate 9.7 Mills
School District No. 30, Rate 46. Mills
School District No. 34, Rate 9.2 Mills
School District No. 41, Rate [illegible] Mills
School District No. 72, Rate 7.1 Mills
School District No. 157, Rate 12.2 Mills
School District No. [illegible], Rate [illegible] Mills

NAME	Assessed Valuation	Ordinary Property	Grain Tax	Money and Credits	Tax
Albert Alby	$ 31	$ 1.09	$------	$------	$ 1.09
Axel Axelson	251	7.90	------	------	7.90
Emil Blomberg	71	2.24	------	------	2.24
Geo. A. Bassett	165	5.41	------	------	5.41
Ole Barhals	194	6.85	------	------	6.85
John Batten	329	12.86	------	------	12.86
Carlson & Sagmoen	1,001	31.53	------	6.06	37.59
Co-Operative Creamery Co.	66	2.08	------	------	2.08
Peter Doran	59	2.98	------	------	2.98
O. J. Dahl	317	11.19	------	------	11.19
John Evald	28	1.03	------	------	1.03
Fred Evald	306	11.96	------	------	11.96
Thomas O. Eide	279	9.15	------	------	9.15
Christ Evenson	237	8.37	------	------	8.37
O. A. Flana	226	7.97	------	------	7.97
Roger Forsberg	326	10.69	------	2.10	12.79

Town of New Solum, Continued

NAME	Assessed Valuation	Ordinary Property	Grain Tax	Money and Credits	Tax
John E. Holquist	445	14.02	------	------	14.02
John Halvorson	363	11.73	------	.90	12.63
Nels Halvorson	219	7.07	------	------	7.07
Hagbert Halvorson	186	6.01	------	------	6.01
Albert Halvorson	156	5.04	------	1.13	6.17
Andrew Halvorson	280	9.04	------	------	9.04
Frank Hodik	222	7.28	------	------	7.28
John Halder	177	5.58	------	------	5.58
O. B. Hall	254	8.97	------	------	8.97
Sven Haugen	331	10.42	------	------	10.42
I. H. Hartsock	25	.81	------	------	.81
Thorn Holten	366	11.83	------	.15	11.98
Richard Hall	45	1.45	------	------	1.45
Hanson & Barzen	1,507	47.47	1.64	------	49.11
P. P. Hagen	223	8.72	------	------	8.72
Carl Hagen	83	3.25	------	------	3.25
Olaf Hagen	128	5.00	------	------	5.00
John F. Johnson	5	.16	------	------	.16
Fred Jorshaw	226	7.98	------	------	7.98
Martin Jorshaw	415	16.23	------	------	16.23
John M. Kulseth	439	14.40	------	------	14.40
Iver Krogstad	198	6.40	------	------	6.40
John Krogstad	115	3.71	------	------	3.71
Axel Larson	89	2.80	------	3.00	5.80
P. Liden	242	7.31	------	------	7.31
Carl Mellem	288	9.07	------	.13	9.20
Anton Mortenson	95	2.87	------	------	2.87
Tobias Melve	23	.75	------	------	.75
Peter Mellem	100	3.15	------	------	3.15
Jens Matson	47	1.48	------	------	1.48
Victor Mosbeck	180	5.81	------	------	5.81
Nels Melve	276	9.05	------	------	9.05
Ralph Ness	172	6.73	------	------	6.73
Gustav Nakken	241	7.59	------	------	7.59
R. M. Nelson	421	13.81	------	.12	13.93
Torger J. Noss	186	7.28	------	------	7.28
Alfred R. Nelson	51	1.67	------	------	1.67
Martin R. Nelson	104	3.41	------	------	3.41
R. M. Nyhus	198	7.74	------	------	7.74
Olaf Ness	85	3.32	------	.30	3.62
Martin Nelson	150	4.92	------	------	4.92
Tonnes Nelson	38	1.25	------	------	1.25
A. Opseth	132	4.16	------	------	4.16
Joseph Olby	94	3.32	------	------	3.32
Opseth Bros.	302	9.52	------	------	9.52
Julius Olby	28	.99	------	------	.99
Rasmus Oen	42	1.35	------	------	1.35
Hans B. Olson	403	13.22	------	4.95	18.17
John A. Olson	154	5.05	------	------	5.05
Ansten Olson	284	9.32	------	6.00	15.32
Arthur Olson	167	6.53	------	------	6.53
R. Porteous	148	4.85	------	------	4.85
Emil Anderson and Albert Paulson	649	20.44	------	------	20.44
P. N. Pederson	610	21.53	------	3.30	24.83
W. W. Prichard, Sr.	312	10.08	------	------	10.08
John Remmem	84	2.65	------	------	2.65
Sewert Rafteseth	231	7.27	------	------	7.27
Knut Ranum	305	10.00	------	------	10.00
M. B. Rafteseth	115	3.62	------	------	3.62
John Ranum	39	1.26	------	------	1.26
John Sor	154	4.85	------	------	4.85
Peder Sorenson	252	7.94	------	------	7.94
Peder Sagmoen	75	2.65	------	------	2.65
Belle Sorenson	158	5.58	------	------	5.58
Johanna Styrlund	396	12.48	------	3.02	15.50
C. A. Swanson	97	2.93	------	.60	3.53
Paul Schenke	334	10.52	------	------	10.52
Peder Stengelson	307	9.92	------	------	9.92
E. A. Silverness	151	5.90	------	------	5.90
Berger Sevaldsen	211	6.81	------	------	6.81
A. O. Slattum	124	4.07	------	------	4.07
Lars Stromme	46	1.51	------	------	1.51
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Edmund Ueland	203	6.56	------	------	6.56
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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Annual creamery meeting Saturday Jan. 26th.

Music, singing and speaking at the Woodmen hall Saturday Feb. 2.

Frank Anderson came up from Climax Saturday to visit friends a few days.

Clarence Docken returned home Monday from a few days visit in T. R. Falls.

Mrs. John Sathre of Middle River was an over Sunday guest of Mrs. Albert Bennes.

Jesse Sorum returned Monday from a few days visit at Mavie and Thief River Falls.

Olive Mickelson returned Tuesday from a few days visit with relatives in Crookston.

Theo Olson went to Fargo Friday to take a gasoline engineering course in the school there.

School children all over the country are showing their patriotism by buying Thrift Stamps.

Alfred Olson returned Tuesday from a couple of weeks visit with his brothers at Strathcona.

Arnold Beernstein and Martin Kulseth returned Saturday from the woods near International Falls.

The Holt State Bank held their annual meeting one day last week and re-elected all their old officers.

Mrs. Nels Cronstrom of Grove City came Monday to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Swan and family.

Nels Benoit, agent for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., at St. Hilaire, visited here between trains on Monday with H. J. Olen.

J. A. Sorum, T. B. Folden, Chris Engen, Lewis Wegge, H. A. Fosholm, and Renie Werner attended the dairy convention in T. R. Falls last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustof Erickson and J. B. Erickson went to T. R. Falls Saturday to visit. From there G. Erickson and wife left Monday morning for their home at Stockholm Canada.

Until further notice cream will be received on Tuesdays instead of Mondays, but there is no change Thursdays, cream will be taken as usual on that day.—P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

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Called to Army Draft.

Notices have been sent to several young men here to appear in Warren for examination for the army draft. Albert Oscar Knutson went to Warren Wednesday to take the examination, Oscar Knutson goes some day this week, P. L. Anderson and Eddie Davidson today and Joe Nelson tomorrow.

Musical entertainment Feb. 2nd.

Grygla has organized a fire department.

Over 75,000 negros are now in the National Army.

S. Moe called at J. E. Erickson's Sunday evening.

J. B. Alkenbrack returned home Monday from Hopkins.

There will be a good musical entertainment at the Woodman hall on Saturday evening Feb. 2nd.

Ed Bennes of Fertile visited the latter part of last week at the home of his brother, Albert Bennes and family.

How many games of Whist is it possible to loose out of three? If he only would, Pete can give you the correct answer.

Bro. Geo. Erickson of The Spooner News was elected president of the Northern Minn. Editorial Assn., at the Fergus Falls convention.

Carl Larson called at J. E. Erickson on Tuesday evening of last week.

Newfolden village has found their electric light to be too small and so will enlarge it by buying the plant at Strandquist which has been closed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coppey and family, were visitors at J. E. Erickson Thursday of last week.

A. R. Jones, P. L. Anderson and Cleve Peterson were royally entertained at supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wegge, Tuesday. The evening was spent at cards and music and all had a most enjoyable time.

Buy your tickets early for the entertainment Saturday eve Feb. 2nd.

The 16 cantonments built for the training of U. S. soldiers cost about $134,000,000.

The county board fixed the register of deeds salary at $1,500.00, for the year 1918. Perhaps there wont be such a scramble for the office from now on.

Miss Olga Saastad returned Monday from a few days visit at Warren and T. R. Falls.

Evelyn and Viola Ruehman, and Pauline Schwartz visited at J. E. Erickson Sunday.

Geo. G. Johnson of T. R. Falls and L. M. Hoag of St. Paul were in town Wednesday.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kolden has been sick the most of this week, but is better now. Mrs. Kolden and baby went over to Grandpa and Grandma Riesberg's Monday, leaving Clarence to "batch it" all by his lonesome.

Harwood Concert Co., Feb. 2.

The voters will have a chance this fall to vote on the state constitutional amendment to prohibit the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors. The National Anti-Saloon League has promised the dry forces $50000.

The American First Association will conduct a campaign in Marshall County beginning January 28th for the sale of Smileage Books.

The War Department through Newton D. Baker, Secretary of war, has directed and authorized the association to dispose of 20000 of these books, and Mr. J. J. Olson, county vice-president, assisted by the postmasters in this county, will handle the matter for the association.

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News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

U. S.—Teutonic War News

A dispatch from Amsterdam says that the newspaper Les Nouvelles says that allied airplanes dropped a thousand copies of President Wilson's message to congress in occupied areas in Belgium.

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Government detectives arrested Lieutenant Spoorman of the German army as he was trying to apply a match to the magazine in the navy yard at Portsmouth, Va., which would have caused a disastrous explosion that might have wrecked the city and many war vessels. Spoorman wore the uniform of an American naval officer. He came to America in 1916 on the German submarine U-53.

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Another German raider is loose in the Pacific, according to the report of an officer of a Dutch merchant ship which arrived at Tokyo. The officer said that the Japanese ship Hitachi Haru was captured by Germans.

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Foreign

An automobile carrying Nikolai Lenine, the bolsheviki premier, was fired upon at Petrograd. One of the bullets missed its mark and another lodged in the hand of a Swedish socialist, who was in the automobile. Scores of arrests were made.

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The diplomatic corps, headed by David R. Francis, the American ambassador, went to the Smolny institute at Petrograd and laid before Premier Lenine a protest against the arrest and imprisonment of Constantine Diamandi, the Roumanian minister, and attaches of the Roumanian legation. Premier Lenine directed the release of the prisoners.

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The resignation of the Hungarian cabinet on account of failure to obtain necessary support for the military program is reported in a Budapest dispatch to Copenhagen.

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Frankfort has followed the example of other German cities, and has refused a hearing to the fatherland party, according to reports received at Amsterdam. As soon as the chairman of a big meeting that had been called in Frankfort mentioned the fatherland party a tumult broke out and rioting followed. The police dispersed the meeting.

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The British labor party in a message to the Russian people, made public in London, announced that the British people accepted for the British empire the Russian principles of self-determination of peoples and no annexations, particularly in the middle East, Africa and India.

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The arrest of former Premier Caillaux at Paris, France, was due principally to a cablegram from Secretary Lansing at Washington saying that in 1915 M. Caillaux had been in communication with the Berlin foreign office.

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According to advices to London from Berlin Count von Hertling, the German imperial chancellor, is ill and will probably resign shortly, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch.

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Another outbreak has occurred in Portugal. Crews of Portuguese war ships mutinied and bombarded Lisbon forts. The army remained faithful to the government and tranquility has been restored.

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Domestic

More than 8,000 tons of coal at a refinery of the Standard Oil company near Kansas City, Mo., was seized by officials of the local fuel administration. The coal will be distributed among local manufacturing concerns.

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The money taken from the army bank at Camp Funston, Kan., by Capt. Lewis Whisler, said to have been more than $62,000, was found hidden in the walls of Whisler's quarters in the barracks there.

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The recent heavy snows may give the country its greatest winter wheat crop, according to Eugene Davenport, dean of the Agricultural college of Illinois.

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A government powder plant to cost $60,000,000, and to employ about 15,000 men is to be established by the war department on the Cumberland river, about twelve miles from Nashville, Tenn.

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Chris Hank, his wife and three small children, perished when fire destroyed their home near Marion, O. Hank was a farmer.

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Scott Franklin, a farmer, his wife and five children were incinerated when their home, near Bowling Green, Ky., burned.

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Many trains between Chicago, Denver, St. Louis, St. Paul and points west and south are eliminated by western railroads in revised schedules given out at Chicago.

Charles C. Healey, former chief of police of Chicago, was found not guilty of charges of graft and bribe-taking by a jury in Judge Sabath's court. Detective Sergeant Stephen J. Barry and William R. Skidmore, saloonkeeper, also were acquitted.

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Both houses of the Kentucky general assembly ratified the proposed prohibition amendment to the federal Constitution.

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Two persons were killed and sixteen others injured when a Louisville and Southern Indiana Traction car bound from Indianapolis to Louisville crashed into the rear of a Jeffersonville, Ind., and Louisville interurban car at Louisville, Ky.

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European War News

Japanese warships have been dispatched to Vladivostok for protection of allied interests there, according to official announcement made at Tokyo. The action follows appeals from Japanese and other citizens in the Russian port for protection not only to their own lives but to great quantities of allied supplies there.

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A marked decrease in the sinkings of British merchantmen by mine or submarine in the past week is noted in the report of the admiralty issued at London. In this period only six merchantmen of 1,600 tons or over were sunk, and in addition, two merchantmen under 1,600 tons and two fishing vessels.

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The enemy craft which bombarded Yarmouth, England, presumably was a submarine or a light cruiser. Owing to the blackness of the night the enemy was not seen. He fired 20 to 25 shells. Many windows were shattered and a number of roofs and chimneys were wrecked. Three persons were killed and ten injured.

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Italian prisoners of war have been transported to Flanders, where they are being compelled by the Germans to work in the fire zone, says a dispatch from Amsterdam. Already several have been killed and wounded.

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A plenary meeting of the supreme war council, with the premiers and military representatives of France, Great Britain and Italy in attendance, will be held shortly at Versailles, France, to discuss and plan military operations on the western front, which now includes Italy.

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According to reliable Vatican information, papal nuncios to Austria and Germany have informed Pope Benedict at Rome that there is no encouragement for peace hopes at the present time.

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British casualties reported to London during the week ending on Monday totaled 24,979 officers and men, divided as follows: Killed or died of wounds: Officers, 117; men, 5,145. Wounded or missing: Officers, 304; men, 19,400.

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A successful daylight air raid has been made on Karlsruhe, according to a British official communication issued at London. Karlsruhe, sometimes Carlsruhe, is an important railway junction in Germany.

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The central powers have withdrawn their peace terms made public at the Brest-Litovsk conference on December 25, it was announced by Dr. von Kuehlmann, the German foreign secretary, in his speech at the Brest-Litovsk conference with the Russians. Owing to the nonacceptance by all the enemy powers of those terms, Dr. von Kuehlmann stated, that document had "become null and void."

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Personal

Senator James H. Brady of Idaho died at Washington of heart disease. Senator Brady was born in Pennsylvania June 12, 1862.

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Washington

A plan for general regulation of the coal industry was submitted to the senate committee at Washington by Francis S. Peabody of Chicago, coal production director of the council of national defense. Coal operators' profits since last July "have been enormous," Mr. Peabody declared.

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Rationing for the American people is provided in an administration bill, presented by congress at Washington by Senator Pomerene and Representative Lever of South Carolina. It is the most radical food legislation yet proposed in this country. The bill is aimed principally at public eating places and food retailers.

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Daniel Willard, chairman of the war industries board, testified in the senate military committee's war inquiry at Washington that he had advocated creation of a government minister of munitions, but now he was in favor of trying out the new war department reorganization.

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Dissolution of the German-American alliance, having a membership of hundreds of thousands of German descent, is provided for in a bill introduced in the senate at Washington by Senator King of Utah. The bill would repeal the act incorporating the alliance.

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Ships carrying food and munitions for the American overseas forces and the allies must be supplied with bunker coal even "at the expense of domestic consumers and factories manufacturing war supplies." This ruling was announced at Washington

RUSS ASSEMBLY FORCED TO QUIT

Bolshevik Government Dissolves Constituent Body for Offensive Attitude.

DEMONSTRATIONS IN MOSCOW DRAW FIRE OF GUARD

All Russian Railway Men's Organization Asked Government by Assembly—Statement by Japanese Embassy.

Petrograd, Jan. 21.—The constituent assembly has been dissolved by the Bolshevik authorities, it is officially announced. Sailors and guards closed the assembly at 4 o'clock Saturday morning, and a decree of dissolution was reported as due to be issued during the day. The text of the official statement reads:

"When the constituent assembly voted against the declaration made by the president of the central executive committee after an hour's deliberation, the Bolsheviki left the hall and were followed by the social revolutionists of the left, on the assembly showing its unwillingness to approve the manner in which the peace pour parlois were being conducted. At 4 o'clock this morning, the constituent assembly was dissolved by sailors. Today a decree dissolving the assembly will be published."

First Hint Given Saturday

The first hint the newspaper men received that extreme measures were contemplated was at 6 o'clock Saturday morning, when they were informed that the Tauride palace, where the assembly began its sessions, would be closed to the members of the assembly, to newspaper men and to everyone during the day.

Meanwhile the all-Russian railway men's congress has passed by a vote of 273 to 61, a resolution supporting the constituent assembly and calling upon the people's commissioners to agree with the majority with a view to the formation of a government responsible to the assembly.

From Moscow it is reported that many persons were wounded and others killed as the result of the Red Guard firing on demonstrators there in favor of the constituent assembly.

The Japanese embassy here in an official statement made denial of the reports that Japanese forces had been landed at Vladivostok.

BRESLAU SUNK; GOEBEN OUT

Famous German Cruisers Meet Fate in Dardanelles.

Washington, Jan. 21.—After an adventurous career of nearly three and a half years in fighting and raiding operations in the Black sea, it is announced from London, the famous former German cruisers Goeben and Breslau have met their fate at the hands of British warships in a fight at the entrance of the Dardanelles. The Breslau, renamed Midullu, was sunk, and the Goeben, rechristened Sultan Selim, was beached. The two cruisers escaped into Turkish waters shortly after the outbreak of the war, and were purchased by the Turks. The statement issued by the British admiralty says: "The Goeben and Breslau with destroyers were in action with the British forces at the entrance of the Dardanelles Sunday morning. The Breslau was sunk.

DANIELS PRAISES BOATSWAIN

Sailors From Torpedoed Armenia Officially Commended.

Washington, Jan. 21. — Secretary Daniels last night commended for devotion to duty Chief Boatswain's mate Stief Homiak and his men of the naval guard aboard the American steamer Armenia which was torpedoed early in December, but was taken safely to port, the naval personnel aiding in saving the ship. The bluejackets stood at their guns and even offered to go down to the engine room to drive the vessel for shore after many of the crew had left in the ship's boats. Homiak, in his report, warmly commended his men as well as the navy radio operator, Brown, who without orders kept sending "S. O. S." calls until the dynamo was shut down, when he went to the bridge and kept up communications with the convoying destroyer.

GENERAL STRIKE IN AUSTRIA

Report Says 100,000 Men Quitting and War Industries Closed.

London, Jan. 21.—A general strike is on throughout Austria, according to an Exchange agency dispatch from Paris, which reports 100,000 men quitting work in Vienna and Neustadt, closing down all the war factories. The strikers are described as openly anti-German and the movement as both political and economic and especially aimed at securing peace. Public demonstrations, it is added, have been held in many places at which hostility was voiced towards Berlin for trying to force the Austrians to continue the war.

Federal Arbitrator Quits Job

Chicago, Jan. 21.—John E. Williams' resignation as federal arbitrator of labor disputes arising in the packing industries, was announced yesterday at a meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor, by William Foster, secretary of the stockyards labor council.

Pershing Reported as to Wed

Paris, Jan. 21.—Excelsior yesterday printed a photograph of Miss Anita Patton of San Marino, Cal., and says it is reported that she is engaged to General John J. Pershing, commander of the American forces in France

STRIKE SWEEPS DUAL MONARCHY

100,000 Men Quit Work in Munition Plants in Austria-Hungary.

LID CLAMPED ON NEWS

German Pressure Causes Serious Upheaval and Starts Move by Workers Aimed at Securing Peace.

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Austria in Turmoil.

Amsterdam, Jan. 21.—Sparks of sedition are spluttering behind the hermetically sealed frontiers of Austria-Hungary, threatening at any moment to whip the empire-wide discontent into flames of open revolt.

So widespread and intense is this discontent that the very troops detailed to keep the borders closed and the news from filtering through are instrumental in keeping the world posted on the progress of Bolshevism in the Hapsburg domain.

Strikes and riots, mutinies and peace demonstrations, are the order of the day. Some of the largest plants are effected and the prospect of an empire-wide munitions strike looms large.

Vienna, Budapest and Prague are hotbeds of radical propaganda.

Four Factors Responsible.

Four factors were quoted here as the underlying causes of the Austro-Hungarian unrest:

1. Food and fuel are scarcer and dearer than ever before.

2. Ninety per cent of Austrians and Hungarians are intensely hostile and bitter against German, whom they accuse of delaying peace. Fearing absolute vassalage to Berlin, they clamor for peace now, lest Germany aggrandize herself by further conquests in the West.

3. The speeches by Lloyd George and President Wilson and the peace aims of the British Labor party have raised the cry among the alien races: "Our enemies promise to give us what our own government refuses to grant—independence."

4. The Austrian industrial world fears a war after the war, if the conflict lasts beyond spring.

HUGE AIR FLEET PLANNED

Congress To Be Asked To Double Last Appropriation.

Washington, Jan. 22.—More than $1,000,000,000, nearly twice as much as the last $640,000,000 appropriation, is to be asked from congress by Major General George O. Squier to continue the nation's airplane program. The exact figure Gen. Squire will submit is $1,032,294,260 for aviation with approximately $105,000,000 extra for signal corps work. He will go before the house military affairs committee at once.

It is probable the hearing will be behind closed doors. Particular interest will be shown in progress already made, including number of completed machines, number of fliers trained and in training, development of the Liberty motor and outlook for quantity of standardized parts.

American plans to increase the army's air strength follow information that Germany has been busy developing a new aircraft program.

ARGENTINA REJECTS DONOFF

Action May Mean Open Break With Berlin Government.

Buenos Aires, Jan. 22.—Argentina has rejected Count Donoff, now acting secretary of the German legation here, as successor to Count Luxburg. This action, it is believed in political circles, man mean the first step toward an open break with Germany.

The German government, through the Argentine minister at Berlin, proposed Count Donoff as envoy plenipotentiary to the Argentine government, and at the same time made representations regarding the detention of Count Luxburg on the Island of Martin Garcia.

Spoormann to Military Prison.

Baltimore, Jan. 22.—Walter Spoermann, 31 years old, who was arrested some days ago near Langley aviation field, Va., by agents of the department of justice, and who was brought to this city last week on the charge of violating his alien enemy permit, has been taken from the city jail and sent to a prison camp at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. He was received as a military prisoner aboard a military train with 35 other alien enemies who were on their way to prison camps from other parts of the country.

WILSON DEFENDS GARFIELD'S ACT

President Declares That Fuel Restriction Order Was Absolute Necessity.

RELIEF WILL RESULT

Asks Response of People To Necessities of This Kind As They Have To Every Other Sacrifice In War.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Breaking his silence on the coal situation President Wilson issued a statement defending the drastic action by Fuel Administrator Garfield. He said:

"I was, of course, consulted by Mr. Garfield before the fuel order was issued and fully agreed with him that it was necessary, much as I regretted the necessity. This war calls for many sacrifices, and sacrifices of the sort called for by this order are infinitely less than sacrifices of life which might otherwise be involved.

Necessities for Action.

"It is absolutely necessary to get the ships away, it is absolutely necessary to relieve the congestion at the port and upon the railways, it is absolutely necessary that our people should be warmed in their homes if nowhere else, and half way measures would not have accomplished the desired end. If action such as this had not been taken we should have limped along from day to day with a slowly improving condition of affairs with regard to the shipment of food or coal, but without such immdiate relief as has become absolutely necessary because of the congestions of traffic which have been piling up for the last few months.

Results Will Justify.

"I have every confidence that the result of the action of this sort will justify it and that the people of the country will loyally and patriotically respond to necessities of this kind as they have to every other sacrifice involved in the war. We are upon a war footing and I am confident that the people of the United States are willing to observe the same sort of discipline that might be involved in the actual conflict itself."

HAVE PLANS TO STOP LEAKS

War Trade Board Would Control Coal for Ships.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Drastic regulations governing the supplying of fuel coal and stores to vessels at American ports, designed, through control of neutral shipping, to shut off the channel through which Germany and its allies have been receiving information from agents in this country, as well as to prevent them from receiving goods from America, are made public by the war trade board. They become effective February 1.

As a condition to receiving fuel and supplies for their vessels, owners or charterers of neutral ships must sign an agreement with the war trade board, the officers and crews of ships; their destinations; their cargoes; use of their wireless and their sale or transfer.

BREAK IN FOE RANKS SEEN

Dual Monarchy's Food Reserve Exhausted 3 Months After Harvest.

Geneva, Jan. 20—Reports of a grave character regarding the situation in Austria-Hungary are in circulation here. The plain facts face the authorities and people, that barely three months after the gathering in of the harvest, food reserves are exhausted.

The latest issue of the socialistic Arbeiter Zeitung reaching here says not a kilogram of flour remains in reserve in Vienna. The capital is living from hand to mouth on the daily importations of foodstuffs from the country districts.

Well informed observers of Austrian affairs believe the dual monarchy really is on the eve of a long predicted, long postponed internal crisis which may have far reaching results.

Committee Favors War Council.

Washington, Jan. 21.—The bill to create a war council of three civilian members was approved by the senate military committee and will be introduced in the senate. Proposals to include the secretaries of war and navy were defeated.

Allies' Sugar Supply Assured.

Washington, Jan. 21.—President Menocal of Cuba, by decree, has permitted distribution throughout the world of the entire Cuban cane crop by the international sugar committee which works with the food administration.

Urges Unemployed as Railroad Labor.

New York, Jan. 21.—A suggestion that idle labor, thrown out of work by Dr. Garfield's sweeping coal conservation order, be employed in moving freighters, was given to eastern rail-railroads by A. H. Smith, assistant to the director general of railroads. Smith in a telegram to railway heads, said he had been informed the closing regulations did not forbid the loading and unloading of cars at warehouses and terminals. The constructive point in Dr. Garfield's order, he said, was that cars emptied for other work.

Stop That Catarrh

It weakens you and disgusts your friends. It offers a prepared ground for dangerous diseases. It will not get well by itself, but many thousands of just such cases have yielded to

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CHANGED TO TEARS OF JOY

Jews Need No Longer Weep Bitterness at the Wall of Wailing in Jerusalem.

Strange sights must have been witnessed within the last few days at the wall of wailing in Jerusalem, the place of lamentation where for generations Jews have congregated to bewail the sorrows of their race.

Tears of joy that Jerusalem is at last freed from the Mohammedan clutch must have fallen upon stones that have been so often wet with tears of grief.

Many visitors from America have threaded their way through dark and dirty alleys to the small paved area where the Jews of Jerusalem have lamented their heritage. The wall is said to be the ancient retaining wall of Solomon's temple, the nearest place to the Holy of Holies that the Mohammadan masters allowed the Jews to approach.

Here every day, and especially on Fridays, the mourners leaned against the great stones of the wall, wept and chanted their litanies. Their sincerity was unquestionable. The stones were literally wet with tears and there was no mistaking the sorrow that shook their voices as they repeated the seventy-ninth psalm, with its somber opening.

"O God, the heathen are come into Thine inheritance; Thy Holy Temple have they defiled; they have laid Jerusalem in heaps."—Boston Post.

Not Worth It.

"I hear that poor young Cholly Fathead has lost his mind."
"I pity anybody who finds it."

There is no purer or more healthful food for children than Grape-Nuts

Its natural sweetness appeases the child's appetite for added sugar, and the quanity of milk or cream needed is about half that required for the ordinary cereal.

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HUSBAND SAVES WIFE

From Suffering by Getting Her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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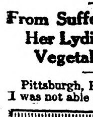

Women who suffer from any form of weakness, as indicated by displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness or "the blues," should accept Mrs. Rohrberg's suggestion and give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a thorough trial.

For over forty years it has been correcting such ailments. If you have mysterious complications write for advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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"No."
"I've been acquainted with him for some time. I believe I'll ask him to lend me $10."
"I wouldn't if I were you."
"Why not?"
"To my personal knowledge Glithering has had the same umbrella for six or seven years. If he can hold on to an umbrella like that you'd have a fat chance to separate him from $10."

But She Knew.

Irate Father—"Jack is a close young man, isn't he?" Sweet Thing—"Why father, how do you know?"

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels. Ad.

A Misreading.

Cleveland Moffett of the citizens' vigilance committee of New York, said at a luncheon:

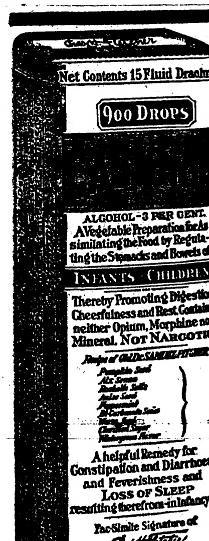
"The chap who calls the selective service unconstitutional misreads the preacher's text.

"'What was the text?' her father asked the little girl as he carved the Sunday roast.

"'Oh, papa!' she said in a shocked voice, 'it was —Abdomen, Abdomen, my son Abdomen!'" — Philadelphia Bulletin.

Proper Place.

"Pop, where are they going to put the bulls they are driving on the ship?"
"In the steerage, my son."



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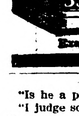

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Her Resources.

"They say Miss Flirty has a great deal of tact." "Tact? Why, that girl's tact amounts to diplomacy Not one of the fellows she is engaged to has ever met another one at a single call he made."

A Bugville Jest.

Snail—"I've been tracting up my ancestry." Bug—"Originated in Philadelphia, I suppose."

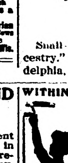
OUR BOYS IN FRANCE AND HOME PROTECTION

The men on the firing line represent the pick of our American youth. One in four of our boys at home was sick, rejected because of physical deficiency. Many times the kidneys were to blame.

If we wish to prevent old age coming on too soon, or if we want to increase our chances for a long life, Dr. Pierce of the Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., says that you should drink plenty of water daily before meals. Then procure at your nearest drug store Anuric (double strength). This An-u-ric drives the uric acid out and cures backache and rheumatism.

If we wish to keep our kidneys in the best condition a diet of milk and vegetables, with only little meat once a day, is the most suitable. Drink plenty of pure water, take Anuric three times a day for a month.

Step into the drug store and ask for a sixty-cent package of Anuric, or send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial pkg. Anuric, many times more potent than lithia, eliminates uric acid as hot water melts sugar. A short trial will convince you.



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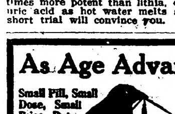
As Age Advances the Liver Requires occasional slight stimulation.



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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS correct CONSTIPATION

Genuine bears signature Brent Good

Colorless or Pale Faces usually indicate the absence of Iron in the blood, a condition which will be greatly helped by Carter's Iron Pills

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

The members of the Kaiser club, at their annual meeting at New Ulm, voted to change the name of the organization to the Gopher club.

Minnesota farmers have applied for loans from the Federal Farm Loan bank amounting to $6,813,900, of which $4,736,500 have been approved. The amount actually loaned in Minnesota is $1,664,600.

A retail merchants' association has been organized by the merchants at Little Falls with a view of improving business conditions there and promoting a closer understanding among the local retail dealers.

Albert Kolbe and Walter Niske were severely injured here by a premature dynamite explosion while they were excavating in a clay bank. They used a red hot iron to drill a hole near the dynamite. Both may die.

Since the college year began October 10, 152 University of Minnesota men have enlisted in various branches of the army, making a total of 900 university men now in the war, according to announcemet by Dean J. B. Johnston.

Mrs. Eugene Goodridge of Long Prairie is making a Minnesota record as a Red Cross worker. She raises the sheep and cuts the wool from thei backs, cards the wool and also makes the yarn with which to knit socks for a soldier nephew.

Among the nominations of candidates for entrance to West Point military academy at the March examinations announced by the war department are the following: Harold O. Sand, Atwater; James W. Thayer, first alternate, Morristown; Kitmer S. Bagley, second alternate, Duluth.

Herman Zempke, farmer, is under $1,000 bond, at Red Wing, charged with saying: "We had no business in this war against Germany. Germany told us to keep off the seas and we should have minded Germany. We can raise 10,000,000 men here and start a revolution to help Germany."

Major Matt L. Higbee, Minneapolis, has been assigned to command the 135th infantry (First Minnesota) at Camp Dodge during absence of Colonel Erle D. Luce, who with two other Minnesota National Guard colonels is attending a special school of instruction for higher officers at San Antonio, Texas.

The Northwestern Lumbermen's association concluded its convention at the West hotel, Minneapolis, by electing, F. J. Ward, Clinton, Iowa, president, and I. R. Goodridge, Minneapolis, vice president, and adopting resolutions pledging the organization to support and assist the government during the war in whatever manner may be demanded to the fullest extent of its resources.

Dairying and buttermaking each came in for their share of discussion and advocacy at the joint meeting at Thief River Falls of the state dairymen and the butermakers of the Red River valley. Chief among the papers delivered was that of H. H. Kildes, professor and chairman of dairy husbandry, University Farm, St. Paul, on increasing the production from the average Minnesota dairy herd.

The safe in the office of Dr. John Schacht, dentist, at Fergus Falls was robbed of $265 while he was at lunch. No suspects have been arrested.

The new $500,000 building erected to house the Minnesota Historical society, across from the capitol building in St. Paul, has been thrown open to the public.

On complaint of Game Warden Peter J. Karpen of St. Peter, Ernest Laabs and Julius Domer of LeSueur were fined $33 each for killing two raccoons out of season.

The Pipestone firemen are making plans for a big patriotic meeting to be held here Lincoln's birthday. Prof. Jaeger of the University of Minnesota has been invited to be the principal speaker of the occasion

Arrest of six Minneapolis men and recovery of 184 automobiles stolen from that city during the last few months are announced by deputy sheriffs who have been investigating automobile thefts. Information which will lead to the recovery of more than 100 additional machines has been obtained, officials state.

Ben Dohling, of Freeport, driving a team of horses heard the bell which told of the approach of Great Nothern passenger train No. 1, but thought he could beat the train to the crossing. The engine and horses ran a dead heat, and though Mr. Rohling escaped by an apparent miracle, both steeds were killed.

Park Rapids is the first Minnesota town to report that it has entirely substituted wood for coal to aid in averting a possible coal shortage, according to an announcement by C. R. Tillotson, a wood expert sent to Minnesota by the Federal fuel administration to aid in organization of the wood-for-fuel movement.

Although they have not yet been officially notified of the Minnesota Safety board's order prohibiting shipments of liquor into Clay county Minnesota, Sheriff Dan McDonald has issued an order prohibiting express companies from making any further deliveries of liquor The order, it was said, would not only be a powerful weapon in dealing with illicit liquor traffic here, but it will prevent importation of spirits into North Dakota, which has in the past found its way across the border despite the federal and North Dakota "bone dry" laws.

STATE CAPITOL TO CUT USE OF FUEL

Measures Inaugurated Which Are Expected To Cut Coal Bill One-Third.

M'GEE DEFENDS ORDER

Tells Brick Manufacturers Things About Coal Prices and Conditions—Says Profiteers Should Face Firing Squad.

St. Paul.

Fuel economy measures expected to reduce coal consumption by fully one-third at the state capitol were inaugurated at a conference between Gustaf Lindquist, secretary to Governor Burnquist; Chief Engineer Alex Nicoll and Secretary J. H. Schoonmaker of the department of public property. Closer regulations of cold air intakes and the closing of north entrances and of the house and senate chambers were the chief orders made.

The heating and lighting plant is consuming an average of fourteen tons of coal a day at $8.35 a ton. On cold days the consumption is as high as nineteen tons a day.

Reports showed that about four tons of coal a day is required to heat the new State Historical Society building.

Officials may decide to close the capitol all day Saturdays.

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Defends Garfield Order.

John F. McGee, fuel administrator for Minnesota, told the brick and tile makers of the Northwest, at their convention the other day, something about coal prices and conditions.

"Transportation is the pricipal difficulty," he declared. "Some of the biggest kicks that come to me from outside of the large cities come from points where wood is abundant, from the heart of Minnesota's wood producing district.

"Take my word for it, there will not be the amount of coal moved to the Head of the Lakes this year that was moved last. It is going somewhere else to help win the war the United States and her allies are waging for the sake of civilization.

"The people of Minnesota have only the faintest idea of the importance and the severity of the struggle we are in. This morning from the time I arrived at my office, at 6 a. m., until I came over here to speak, I was literally stormed with people wanting special dispensations.

"A poolhall proprietor came up with a vehement kick. A dance hall proprietor came up and wanted to know if he couldn't be allowed to run in spite of the order. The phones were paralyzed with complaints They aren't alive to the fact that they're United States citizens.

"If they could see the tonnage piled up in warehouses along the seaboard, the food and supplies needed urgently by our troops and our allies on the other side, waiting until there is coal enough to run steamships, they might feel differently It is a fact that England little England after three years and more of war, has actually sent coal over here to run our ships so that supplies can be transported

In discussing the coal order Judge McGee asserted that if it needed further modification it would be forthcoming. In the meantime he urged the manufacturers to support the order without reservation. He welcomed anything that would help bring his boys home from the trenches sooner, he said

Dealers that extort large margins should be given immediate attention by a firing squad he asserted

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Rines Becomes Custodian

Minnesota State Treasurer Rines has become custodian of the Mayo Foundation securities totaling nearly $1,700,000. The Wells-Dickey company of Minneapolis turned over to him $1,681,000 of bonds and about $12,000 in cash representing the trust fund established by Dr. C. Mayo and Dr. W. J. Mayo of Rochester for carrying on medical research at the University of Minnesota. Reinvestment of interest earnings is expected to increase the fund to $2,000,000

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Marshall Girl Named Inspector

Miss Louise Schutz of Marshall has been appointed factory inspector in the women's bureau of the state department of labor. The appointment was announced in the office of Governor Burnquist. Miss Schutz succeeds Mrs. Lorin Bowker, formerly Miss Jessie Waldrup, Minneapolis, who resigned after her recent marriage

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Plea for More Train Denied

Denial of demands for additional train service on the Winona & Simpson branch of the Chicago Great Western road was announced by Chairman Ira B. Mills of the state railroad and warehouse commission. The view taken by the commission was indicated in a letter to A. V. Gardner, secretary manager of the Winona Association of Commerce which said "If we insist on them doing any more they probably will be relieved from doing what they are now doing by the federal government."

NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS

The Heads of Canada's Western Provinces, and Their Message.

The United States having been in the great world's war for about nine months, the touch of war's spirit has permeated the great commonwealth, and in every hamlet and district is felt and shown the interest that was to be expected from a people whose love of liberty and justice rises supreme to all else. Day by day their appreciation of what it means to give up now for the future happiness of themselves and the generations that follow grows greater and greater. There will be losses of loved ones, but there will be no badge of mourning to indicate the great sorrow that will be felt. It is realized that the sacrifice is the toll that is demanded for making the whole world better, and, sensing this, there is preparation and willingness to sacrifice until the goal—the defeat and downfall of despotism—is assured. When the people look back, and see what Canada has done, and learn that Canada today is bigger and better than ever, they will take heart, and with increasingly growing vigor carry on with a greater courage. Canada has been in the war for three and a half years. She has sent 400,000 out of a population of eight million, she has subscribed to Victory Bonds over and over again and there is no sound of a whimper. At each demand that is made upon her resources, she meets it, and gets ready for the next. Recently her people were asked to subscribe $300,000,000. She handed over $460,000,000.

Having already contributed 400,000 soldiers, Canada was recently asked to approve of sending another 100,000. With a sweeping majority, consent was given.

How the war affects Canada is best shown by the willingness of the people to contribute. They, too, realize the great and noble part they are taking in this great conflict. They are a unit on making the world better. Canada's wealth was never shown to better advantage than in the present struggle. It possesses great wealth in the soil, in its mines, its other natural resources, and wonderful riches in the tenacity and courage of its men and its women. The soil and the climate, and the hardihood and determination of the farming class to win, by cultivating and cultivating, growing wheat and raising cattle to build up the resources so necessary to carry on the war, are factors that will count.

Probably the best word of encouragement comes from the Premiers of the three great provinces where the bulk of the food products will come from. When one reads what these men, prominent in their country say, it gives inspiration. If there are any who may be pessimistic of the future, the message that these gentlemen send forward should remove all doubt. Three and a half years in the war, able to speak as they do, the future should look bright to those who may have their seasons of doubt!

Hon. T. C. Norris, Premier of Manitoba, says:

"Manitoba has prospered exceedingly during the year 1917, and the new year finds us not only still ready and willing, but unceasingly able to bear whatever burdens the fourth year of the war may bring

"Manitoba farmers generally speaking, have never been in better condition to carry on Out of her prosperity Manitoba is giving lavishly toward the winning of the war. Every appeal for funds has met with quick and generous response The people of the Province are well settled into the collar in all war efforts There's a spirit of determination, of willingness to make sacrifices, of confidence in the certain outcome, of which there is no room for pessimism. Manitoba will carry on."

Saskatchewan had a prosperous and successful year in 1917 and when Premier Martin sent out his New Year message it was filled with an optimism that was fully warranted.

"There is no doubt that the province today is in a better condition financially than ever before. True, the effects of the town and city real estate boom have not altogether passed away, but speaking generally, the farmers on the plains and the merchants in the towns are in a better financial position today than at any previous time. Our people are industrious and progressive.

"While we have in some portions of the Province a mixed population, education and scientific methods are making rapid strides and we are looking forward with every confidence to a glorious future and the development of a people on the central plains of Canada, of which the whole Dominion and the British Empire will have every reason to be proud."

While Alberta has given over to the war thousands of her virile manhood, thus taking from the farmer a large percentage of its producers, it still stands up big and buoyant The farm help thus temporarily removed means a demand for farm help and increased farm effort to till its highly productive acres. Hon Chas Stewart, Premier of Alberta, in a message to the people on the 1st of January, speaks with such buoyancy and hope of the future and so highly of the work of the past year, that his statement is reproduced He says:

"The prosperity of the farming communities is reflected in the towns and cities by increased wholesale business and bank clearances. Wholesalers report increases from 20 per cent to 25 per cent and their collections the best in the history of the Province. Alberta being essentially an agricultural Province at the present time, these conditions are a source of great gratification to our people, and no doubt will be to Canada as a whole—taking into consideration the fact that Alberta forms no small part of the granary to which the Empire at present looks as the source of its food supply."—Advertisement.

In the Library.

"Where would you put these manuals on electricity?"
"Put them with the current literature."

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will quiet your cough, soothe the inflammation of a sore throat and lungs, stop irritation in the bronchial tubes, insuring a good night's rest, free from coughing and with easy expectoration in the morning. Made and sold in America for fifty-two years. A wonderful prescription, assisting Nature in building up your general health and throwing off the disease. Especially useful in lung trouble, asthma, croup, bronchitis, etc. For sale in all civilized countries.—Adv.

Different Tastes.

"I like to subdue a horse of spirit."
"I'd rather put down a pony of brandy."

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

A man's ideal woman is one kind of pipe dream.

Rectitude of conduct is man's chief good.

Body Terribly Swollen

Mr. Madara's Condition Was Critical Until Doan's Were Used. Health Was Restored.

"For six months I couldn't walk, I was so swollen as the result of kidney trouble," says Geo. T. Madara, 15 Mt. Vernon Ave., Pitman Grove, Camden, N. J.: "Backache drove me nearly wild and big lumps formed over each kidney. I bloated until I weighed 407 pounds, and I was a sight to behold. The water in my system pressed around my heart and I sometimes felt as if I was being strangled. The kidney secretions were scanty and contained a thick sediment.

Mr. Madara

"No one can imagine how I suffered. I finally went to the hospital, but when an operation was suggested I would not consent and came home.

"I heard how Doan's Kidney Pills had helped others, so I discarded all the other medicines and started taking them. The second day I began to improve and as I continued, my back stopped paining and the swelling went down. The other kidney troubles left, too, and I was soon as well as ever."

Sworn to before me,
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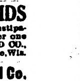

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No need to let that cough persist. Stop the irritation, and remove tickling and hoarseness, by relieving the inflamed throat with
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It sometimes happens that children tell the truth, just as grown people tell lies at the wrong time.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

The German Roman Catholic Central Verein of St. Louis has decided to drop the word "German" from its title.

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Try Murine Eye Remedy
No Smarting — Just Eye Comfort. 50 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Everyone must help if we are to win. The soldier must obey orders or there will be no army. The people must be one or there will be no nation. So that we win, all must follow directions. This is your guide for use in Your Home.

It tells you what foods we must save to provision ourselves and our Allies; it tells how we can stretch our supplies so everyone will have enough—without any hurt to your health or your strength.

Your Government does not ask you to give up three square meals a day—nor even one. All it asks is that you eat less of the foods we need to keep the armies going and eat all you want of the other things that we have in plenty.

Eat plenty—keep up your strength and your vim to help win the war.

You have dedicated to the Nation everything that you have; you are ask now to give up—just some habits of the kitchen and table.

America and her Allies must not run out of WHEAT, MEAT, or FATS. If we let that happen, Germany will win the war. We must save SUGAR, use every drop of MILK, and —we must learn to FOLLOW DIRECTIONS

War Bread

Quick Cornmeal Bread

(Use more frequently than has been your habit.)

1 cup of milk, one egg, 1 tablespoon fat, 1-2 teaspoon salt 3-4 cup cornmeal, 1 and 1-4 cups of flour, 4 teaspoon baking powder, 2 tablespoons sugar.—Method 1—Mix the milk, egg, and melted fat. Add to the dry materials which have been well mixed. Bake in a hot oven. The time will depend upon the thickness of the loaf.—2nd. Method—scald the cornmeal with the hot milk. Add egg and melted fat, and combine with dry ingredients. Bake in a hot oven.

Cornmeal Griddle Cakes

1 cup milk, 1 egg, 3-4 cup cornmeal 1 cup flour, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 1-2 teaspoon salt. Add beaten egg to milk, and add to dry ingredients which have been well mixed.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Fresh oysters every Tuesday at Bennes'.

Albin Dahl was a Warren visitor last week Friday.

Meatless Tuesdays and wheatless Wednesdays will help win the war.

The U. S. Navy wants 800 men from this section of the country. All who will not be in the next army draft, can enlist in the navy.

The Navy is in great need apprentice Seamen, this districts quota of 800 being far from being filled. This number must be obtained by Feb. 22nd. Men enlisted now are being sent home on furlough, subject to call, because the training stations are filled. Pay, $32.60 a month to start, begins the day of enlistment. Men enlisted, after their periods of training, are put in branches they are best qualified to fill.

Cleve Peterson was an over Sunday visitor in Fargo.

Oscar Anderson returned home from the woods last week.

This paper and To-Day's Housewife magazine only $1.50 a year.

Waste nothing. Save the waste and help to win this terrible war.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 2 and 8:00 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

Cream days are now Tuesdays and Thursdays, on account of the fuel order closing the stores on Mondays.

Albert Klungness shipped a big car of hay to E. T. Eide at Spooner one day this week, and R. Reierson shipped a car of wood to Ada.

Everyone should plan on poultry raising so as to help out the shortage of meat and eggs. This plan is being strongly urged as the only solution of a great problem.

We expect to soon begin the publication of the story entitled "The Man without a Country," and want to urge everyone to read it as it is published in installments from week to week.

Anyone who enlisted in the army before Oct. 15th. must apply before Feb. 12th. to get government life insurance. Others must apply within 120 days from the date of their enlistment

All alien Germans must register with their postmasters during the week beginning Feb. 4th, and must also furnish four photos, of himself, printed on thin paper. All boys 14 years old and over must register.

Timber on state land will be sold direct to actual consumers for 25c a cord, to relieve the fuel shortage. Apply to Timber Dept., State Auditor's Office, giving legal description of land and amount of wood wanted.

A special committee of the Public Safety Commission, consisting of Gov. Burnquist, Col. March and Atty Gen. Smith left St. Paul Tuesday to visit Camps Dodge and Cody, where many Minnesoto soldiers are stationed at present.

The pupils in Mrs. L. C. Rudman's school purchased 15 Thrift Stamps and promised to buy 3 more. They have also signed a pledge of active devotion to their country. This is what we would term "A Patriotic School."

The report of the Red Cross Christmas Drive shows a total of 3251 members and donations brot the contributions up to $6709.27 Holt village has 51 new members to its credit and $127.50 in cash; Holt township has 36 members and $40.00 cash. Marshall county now has 4600 members and they want to double that number during the year of 1918.

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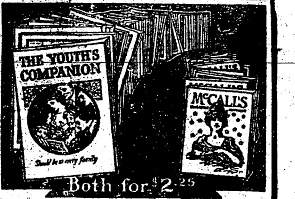

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Musical entertainment Feb. 2nd.

Jacob Nelson has been on the sick list but is better now.

P. A. Riesberg visited relatives at Radium last week.

Commence making plans now to raise poultry, to save meat for the army.

Pay your personal property taxes a few days before the last of this month.

The merchants of Holt are keeping their stores closed all day, on Mondays.

A. H. Huseth of Greenbush visited at H. J. Oien's the forepart of the week.

Mrs. Arvid Carlson and baby returned Wednesday to their home in Newfolden.

Oscar Monson of Thief River Falls was a visitor at the A. L. Carlson home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and two children were entertained Sunday at Mrs. J. Nelson's.

Mrs. H. J. Oien went to Greenbush yesterday to visit her sister Mrs. A. H. Huseth a few days.

Chas. Hagglund returned Wednesday from Warroad where he had charge of a section for a few weeks.

Dr. R. L. Olson went to Spooner Monday, where he expects to stay several days on professional business.

Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack and son Floyd went to Thief River Falls Saturday to visit over Sunday with her daughter, Miss Inez.

Albert Oscar Knutson was rejected last week by the local draft board. All the other young men were accepted for military service.

Tony Carlson returned home from Minneapolis Saturday where he had been visiting his parents and looking after business interest.

Mr. Gubrud returned home yesterday from the St. Paul hospital and we understand he is considerably improved in health.

A. R. Jones, Sam Mickelson and family, C. L. Heinze and family, J. M. Swan and family, were all entertained Sunday at the Andrew Bjerk home.

Music, singing and speaking at the Woodmen hall Saturday Feb. 2.

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Holt, Minn.

Death of Aged Resident.

John Sanberg died Tuesday morning at the home of his son Olaf Jonhson. Mr. Sanberg had been confined to his bed for more than a year, during which time he was tenderly cared for by his aged wife, assisted by their son and his family. The deceased was about 86 years and six months old and was a well known and respected citizen. The funeral will be held at the home Saturday and burial will be made in the Folden cemetery. The News extends sincere sympathy to the sorrowing relatives.

From South Carolina

Following are some extracts from a letter written by Clarence Swan, who is stationed at Charleston:

"We get up at six A. M. and scrub the floor, clean up everything in our sleeping quarters and at 7:30 breakfast is served. We are ready to drill at 8 A. M. and keep it up until 11 o'clock, then wash and go to the mess hall for dinner, where 500 men can eat at the same time. They have 8 good cooks, so we get plenty of good things to eat. After dinner we have to wash our clothes and at 2:30 be ready to drill until 4:30, when our work is done for the day. At 5:30 we have supper and at 9 o'clock the bugle blows and the lights go out, after that everything has to be perfectly quiet.

There are guards all around the place and no one dares go out without a pass. I am to be on guard today, but no one ever gets in as far as our beats as we are all in the center. We have to keep clean at all times and take a bath three times a week. The doctor examines us a couple of times a week to see that there is nothing the matter with us, and we have to train every day.

Kind greetings to all friends and readers of this letter.

Hotel for Sale!

Hotel for sale on easy terms or for rent to a responsible party with the option of buying. Write or call on Sam Mickelson, Prop. Central Hotel Holt, Minn.

Ringbo School Notes.

Mabel and George Offerdahl are back after several weeks absence.

We are now busy buying Thrift Stamps. Those who are working for the Certificates are: Almer, Sidney and Hughey Engstrom, Melvin Sorter and Alf Movik. Amt. purchased $1.75, and $2.25 promised when more Stamps are secured.

Visitors since vacation: Mrs. Rude, Misses Christenson and Sorter, Mr. H. Offerdahl.

We enjoy our recesses as we all go on skies and run races.

During construction period last Friday we made whisk brooms.

The 8th grade have finished the reading of Evangeline.

Our school was given a good scrub bing Saturday.

We have organized a Citizen's League, but on account of irregular attendance, only one meeting has been held.

Clara and Oliver Grondvold have not been absent for the past two months. Melvin Sorter and Julia Erickson have not been absent since Xmas, and Elmer Engstrom only one day.

Harwood Concert Co., Feb.

Timber on state land will be sold direct to actual consumers for 25c a cord, to relieve the fuel shortage Apply to Timber Dept., State Auditor's Office, giving legal description of land and amount of wood wanted.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmation services with communion at 10:45 next Sunday.

Ladies Aid will be entertained Thursday Feb. 7th. by Mrs. Sam Mickelson. The church Trustees will meet at the same time.

Services in Wilson school house Golden Valley congregation at 11 o'clock Feb. 10th.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Stiener News

Arthur Simonson and Nick Baker have been hauling straw from over east the past week.

Omer Warring transacted business in Warren, the latter part of the week, returning home on the Warroad flyer Saturday noon.

S. R. Rogers went to Thief River Falls on business last Wednesday.

A big crowd attended the dance at Nick Baker's Saturday evening and an enjoyable time is reported.

Harvey Copp was trading in this village last week.

Renie Werner was a business visitor in T. R. Falls last week.

Hobson Rogers and Harvey Copp spent the evening at the Warring home, the latter part of the week.

Joe Russell has been hauling wood from Peter Soloms place the past week.

John Johnson was a business caller in Steiner the first of the week.

Mrs. M. O. Saugen visited the first of last week in T. R. Falls, with her daughters who are attending school there.

Wm Meyers was on our streets the latter part of the week.

Word has been received that Henry Rogers and Geo. Borden have left Washington for some place in France.

Ed Swanson was trading in Steiner one day last week.

Stegan Bros. sawed wood for Ed Werner the other day.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers has been visiting her two daughters, who are attending school in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Omer Warring visited her parents in T. R. Falls last week.

The Swanson boys sawed wood for Arthur Simonson one day last week.

Berg Bros. killed a large wolf a few days ago, making a record for them of something like 8 or 10 killed this winter.

Wm. Wendt was a business caller in this burg the first of the past week.

Martin Kisch has been hauling wood with two teams.

Nathaniel Muzzy was hauling wood the past week.

John Whitman did business at the county seat last week.

Samson Windmills!

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Everyone should plan on poultry raising so as to help out the shortage of meat and eggs. This plan is being strongly urged as the only solution of a great problem.

Southeast of Holt.

J. Faiman has returned home after being in Minnedpolis for a long time consulting an eye specialist.

Gunda Moe will assist Mrs. Victor Swanson, near Silverton with her work for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Soitney and children George, Myrtle and Raymond were Sunday visitors at E. Hanson's.

Gjermond Johnson and Nels Sordahl left for Larimore N. Dak. to be present at the funeral of their brother Tellef Johnson.

Victor Swanson called at the S. Moe home Sunday afternoon.

Peter Michaelson left for Bemidji on business. Oscar Moe is doing his chores during his absence.

Notice!

Sealed bids will be received at The Farmers Co-Op. Cry. Co, Holt, Minn. up to Two o'clock P. M. Feb. 7th. for hauling about 55 tons of ice from cars and packing it in the ice house, also furnish necessary sawdust.

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This paper and To-Day's Housewife magazine only $1.50 a year.

Waste nothing. Save the waste and help to win this terrible war.

Cream days are now Tuesdays and Thursdays, on account of the fuel order closing the stores on Mondays.

The Harwood Concert Company, the last number of the Holt Lyceum Course, will be here Saturday evening Feb. 2nd

We expect to soon begin the publication of the story entitled "The Man without a Country," and want to urge everyone to read it as it is published in installments from week to week.

Dr. R. E. Spinks

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Middle River, Minn.

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A rare treat for everybody at the musicale Saturday evening Feb. 2nd.

Anyone who enlisted in the army before Oct. 15th must apply before Feb. 12th. to get government life insurance. Others must apply within 120 days from the date of their enlistment

Until further notice cream will be received on Tuesdays instead of Mondays, but there is no change Thursdays, cream will be taken as usual on that day. P. I. Anderson, Buttermaker.

Honor Roll

Peter S. Kolden
S. S. Norlina, U. S. Navy

Bentley Nelson
Somewhere in France

Willie Hoel
Ft. Crook, Neb.

Ernest Kuehne
Camp Cody, N. Mex.

Leonard Jefferson

At Naval Training Stations

Ben Nyberg
Dehard Johnson
Albert Bjerk
Clarence Swan

Coast Artillery, San Fransisco

Rudolph Reierson
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Victor Johnson
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Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	[illegible]
Flax	3.44
Oats	76
Barley	1.15 to 1.40
Rye	1.92
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

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A North Dakota Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Mrs. L. J. Smith, 1 Phillip Court, Minot, N. D., says: "For a long time I suffered from kidney trouble. My back was stiff and lame and I had sharp shooting pains through my kidneys. There was a dull, bearing down pain through my loins and I had awful headaches and dizzy spells. My kidneys acted irregularly. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and they gave me a lasting cure."

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WHERE HE DREW THE LINE

Driver of Balky Horse Would Not Stand for Any Witticism Directed at Quadruped.

A horse attached to a milk wagon deliberately tied up Herald square traffic recently by lying down in the middle of Sixth avenue and beginning what threatened to be a day-long siesta, muses a New York writer. The driver went about his arrangements deliberately. Evidently the horse's sleep-walking proclivities were as a primer to him. The principal ingredient of his preparations was a carefully selected torrent of language, and this soon brought an admiring crowd. But, as always in a crowd, there are those who know better. "Pull his tail," advised one, who wouldn't have dared do it himself. "Ever try building a fire under him?" suggested another. "Make a noise like a carrot," said the third wise man. And then came the blow that shattered the serenity of the driver. "Aw, get a real horse," sneezed an individual. Then it was that the driver turned and lunged savagely about him. By the time the police arrived to scatter the crowd the driver already had it in flight. And to the police he explained in fierce tones his creed of loyalty: "Dey can kid me all they wanter, see? But when dey tries to start somethin' about the horse—then I calls 'em. I won't stand for no man to kid me horse. See?"

Hard on Henry.

"I'm afraid Henry is going to be disappointed with army life," remarked Mr. Cobbles.

"Why so?"

"Henry was always dead set against manual labor, an' I understand all them trenches in Europe was dug by soldiers."

Women whose sensitive nerves often yield to coffee's harmful stimulation, appreciate the change resulting from a ten days' trial of

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BOOKS FOR OUR FIGHTERS

More Than Half a Million Already Furnished Soldiers and Sailors by American Library Association—What the Hat Cord Denotes.

(From Committee on Public Information.)

Washington.—Men qualified along certain lines, although registered under the selective-service law, may be inducted into the land division of the Signal Corps, which is in need of men for the following duties:

Chauffeurs, motorcycle drivers, and gas engine repairmen for duty in field and telegraph battalions; telegraphers, both wire and radio; telephone men, including switchboard operators, telephone repairmen, and men skilled in testing and repairing telephone lines; telephone and telegraph linemen; photographers, still and moving; homing-pigeon men; radio men who are familiar with installing radio apparatus; men qualified as cooks, clerks, stenographers, blacksmiths, meteorologists, cobblers, cable men, etc.

Men inducted for this division, unless otherwise requested by the chief signal officer of the army, are sent to Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

More than half a million books already have been furnished soldiers and sailors in training camps and in France by the American Library Association War Service, and the flow is steadily increasing, according to the director of this work.

A campaign for funds inaugurated by the association last autumn netted more than $1,500,000 and real results in the tangible shape of books and comfortable libraries are being felt by the soldiers and sailors. The Carnegie corporation gave $320,000 for the erection of camp libraries. Nearly all camps now have libraries and in the others the buildings are in course of construction. The reading rooms each accommodate 250 men.

For the men in France the association has organized distributing stations at all points of embarkation, where books are assorted for shipment abroad. Soon every soldier who steps on a transport will carry a book with him, which he and his companions will read on the way across, after which it will be forwarded to the men back of the trenches. No attempt will be made to establish libraries in France, but the association will have representatives there to supervise the work of distribution.

Just as the sleeve chevrons and bars, stars and eagles on the shoulder proclaims ranking officers, the hat cord denotes the branch of service each private has entered.

Light blue signifies infantry; scarlet, artillery; yellow, cavalry; buff, quartermasters corps; scarlet and white, engineers' corps; orange and white, signal corps; scarlet and black, ordnance; black and white, field clerk; maroon, medical corps; black and gold, officers; silver and black, adjutant general's clerk; green, instructor home guards; green and white, home guards. These cords are worn only on service hats.

Cadet aviators wear as hat bands inch and a half white ribbons and on coat collars insignia representing the aviation branch of the Signal corps, propeller blades.

There were 1,428,650 enlisted men and 110,865 officers in the United States army at the opening of 1918, more than one and a half times as large as any force ever before mobilized by this nation, according to a statement by Secretary of War Baker.

During the war with Spain the army of the United States at its maximum strength aggregated 272,000 men and officers. The army in the field and in training now is practically six times as great as the maximum number under arms in the Spanish-American war.

About 45,000 officers were commissioned from civil life in the two series of training camps, nearly eight times as many as the number of officers in the regular army April 1, 1917.

Postmasters are directed not to accept for shipment to members of expeditionary forces packages containing matches, cigar lighters, or solidified alcohol, including the preparation called "Sterno" or canned heat.

It is not deemed safe to admit these articles to mails for foreign countries or for United States naval vessels, including marines on shore in other countries.

Contractors working on orders for the navy are required to provide watchmen and devices to protect their plants and property and the work in progress against espionage, acts of war and of enemy aliens. Upon request they must report the citizenship, country of birth, or alien status of all employees.

A second training camp will be held at Porto Rico, starting February 1. The attendance of 400 will be selected from citizens and residents of Porto Rico.

The committee on public information has made the following translation of an article appearing in the Bremer Buerger-Zeitung:

"A soldier's wife who had gathered wood in the common forest of Waldkirch, near Freiburg in Breisgau, was sentenced for the offense in the following terms:

"'Mrs. Clara Ganter, on June 13, 1917, has removed from the common forest of Waldkirch, Sec. I 23, one fagot of dry fir twigs of the value of 10 pfenning. In punishment thereof she is sentenced to a fine of 1 mark and one day's imprisonment.'

"The husband of the culprit has been for three years at the front, she herself has four small children to support in the direst poverty. Similar reports of punishment should be reported in greater numbers. Our bureaucracy understands how to employ this period of shortage of wood and coal on a large scale for the benefit of the treasury."

In a bulletin on the employment of women in the storage and warehousing depots of the United States army is the following:

"The census of 1910 reported that of every 100 men and boys ten years of age and over, only 19 were not gainfully employed. This group of 19 included old men not able to work, children too young to work, the sick and handicapped, and men in schools and colleges.

"Assuming that 500,000 of the number called by the selective-service law have had some form of gainful employment, we may estimate that one out of every 60 men in the industries and professions of the country has been called into military service, while another in every 60 has voluntarily joined the forces of the army or navy. Thus, about 3 per cent of the gainfully employed men have been taken out of their occupations."

The largest shoe factories in Italy have started manufacturing the national standard shoes, using leather supplied by the ministry of industry, commerce, and labor. The standard types were established by the central shoe committee in Rome, but every factory is making little modifications, according to its means and system of manufacturing.

The government is organizing systems of sale of shoes to the public. They provide for the opening of stores in the principal Italian cities, to be engaged exclusively in the sale of national shoes and to be controlled by the government authorities. It is likely that buyers will have to obtain cards.

The private shoe stores will be supplied with an adequate number of shoes and will be granted a reasonable commission.

The army and navy commission on training camp activities, in addition to the work being done in army camps and cantonments, now has its representatives in every training station of the navy and at every place where enlisted men are preparing for sea service.

There are 86 clubs for sailors at camps and in adjacent cities. There are reading and writing rooms, assembly halls, and some of the cities have arrangements for athletics, swimming pools, and gymnasiums. In the 18 camps there are given each week 92 entertainments ranging from professional performances, lectures, and exhibitions, to club nights and weekly dances.

More than 60,000 books have been furnished ships and stations by the American Library association. The Y. M. C. A. has 42 buildings and tents in the various camps.

According to the bureau of labor statistics of the department of labor, in the year from November 15, 1916, to November 15, 1917, prices of food as a whole advanced 28 per cent. Potatoes is the only article that shows a decline in price. Cornmeal advanced 87 per cent; bacon, 62 per cent; pork chops, 48 per cent; beans, 39 per cent; salmon, 38 per cent; milk, 33 per cent; and lard, 27 per cent.

Food as a whole was 48 per cent higher on November 15, 1917, than on November 15, 1913, and 46 per cent higher than on November 15, 1914. During this four-year period cornmeal advanced 127 per cent; flour, 100 per cent; lard, 104 per cent; bacon, 77 per cent; sugar, 75 per cent; and potatoes, 72 per cent. No article declined in price.

Examination of the records of 10,000 men passed for military service by local boards and then rejected by camp surgeons show that nearly 22 per cent of the final rejections were caused by defective eyes.

Teeth were responsible for 8.50 per cent; hernia, 7.47 per cent; ear, 5.94 per cent; heart disease, 5.87 per cent; tuberculosis, 5.87 per cent.

Attempts to evade military duty by deception regarding physical condition were very few.

The year of 1917 established new high production records for corn, oats, rye, white and sweet potatoes, tobacco, beans, and onions.

Arrangements have been made for some relaxation of the restrictions on the export of foodstuffs to Cuba, whose people are greatly dependent upon the United States for their food supply. Among the exports which may be licensed in limited quantities are condensed milk, butter and cheese, pork products, beef and beef products, and dried fruits.

The 16 cantonments built for the training of soldiers cost $134,000,000, with a net profit to contractors of 2.98 per cent.

GIVES ANSWER TO U. S. TERMS

Count von Hertling, in Reichstag Speech, Replies to President Wilson.

Amsterdam, Jan. 26. — In his speech to the Reichstag Chancellor von Hertling replied to President Wilson's 14 peace conditions as follows:

"I shall not enlarge upon the distorted representation of German policy which is contained in Mr. Wilson's message, but will deal in detail with the points which Mr. Wilson lays down there, not less than 14 points, in which he formulates his peace program; and I pray your indulgence in dealing with these as briefly as possible:

Agree With First Point.

"The first point is the demand that there shall be no more secret international agreements. History shows it is we above all others who would be able to agree to the publicity of diplomatic documents. I recall that our defensive alliance with Austria-Hungary was known to the whole world from 1888, while the offensive agreement of the enemy states first saw the light of publicity during the war, through the revelations of the secret Russian archives. The negotiations at Brest-Litovsk are being conducted with full publicity. This proves that we are quite ready to accept this proposal and declare publicity of negotiations to be a general political principle.

"In his second point Mr. Wilson demands freedom of shipping on the seas in war and peace. This also is demanded by Germany as the first and one of the most important requirements for the future. Therefore, there is here no difference of opinion. The limitation introduced by Mr. Wilson in the end, which I need not quote textually, is not intelligible, appears superfluous and would therefore best be left out.

"Point three: We too are in thorough accord with the removal of economic barriers which interfere with trade in superfluous manner. We too condemn economic war, which would inevitably bear within it causes of future war-like complications.

"Point four: Limitation of armaments—As already declared by us, the idea of limitation of armaments is entirely discussable. The financial position of all European states after the war might most effectively promote a satisfactory solution. It is therefore clear that an understanding might be reached without difficulty on the first four points of Mr. Wilson's program."

"I now come to the fifth point, settlement of all colonial claims and disputes. Practical realization of Mr. Wilson's principles in the realm of reality will encounter some difficulties in any case. I believe that for the present it may be left for England, which was the greatest colonial empire, to make what she will of this proposal of her ally. This point of the program also will have to be discussed in due time, on the reconstitution of the world's colonial possessions, which we also demand absolutely.

"Point six: Evacuation of Russian territory—Now that the Entente has refused within this period agreed upon by Russia and the quadruple alliance to join in the negotiation, I must in the name of the latter decline to allow any subsequent interference. We are dealing here with questions which concern only Russia and the four allied powers. I adhere to the hope that with recognition of self determination for the people on the western frontier, of the former Russian empire, good relations will be established, both with these peoples and with the rest of Russia, for whom we wish most earnestly a return of order, peace and conditions guaranteeing the welfare of the country.

No Designs on Belgium.

"Point seven: Belgium—My predecessors in office repeatedly declared that at no time did annexation of Belgium to Germany form a point in the program of German policy. The Belgian questions belong to those questions, the details of which are to be settled by negotiations at the peace conference. So long as our opponents have not unreservedly taken the standpoint that the integrity of the Allies' territory can offer the only possible basis of peace discussion, I must adhere to the standpoint hitherto always adopted and refuse the removal in advance of the Belgian affair from the entire discussion.

"Point eight: The occupied parts of France are a valuable pawn in our hands. Here, too, forcible annexation forms no part of the official German policy. The conditions and methods of procedure of the evacuation, which must take account of Germany's vital interests, are to be agreed upon between Germany and France. I can only again expressly accentuate the fact that there can never be a question of dismemberment of imperial territory.

Against Dismemberment.

"Under no fine phrases of any kind shall we permit the enemy again to take from us territory of the empire which ever increasing intimacy has linked itself to Germanism, which has in highly gratifying manner ever and increasingly developed in an economic respect, and of whose people more than 87 per cent speak the German mother tongue.

"The questions dealt with by Mr. Wilson under points nine, ten and eleven, touch both the Italian frontier questions and questions of the future development of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy and the future of the Balkan states, questions in which, for the greaater part, the interests of our ally, Austria-Hungary, preponderate. Where German interets are concerned we shall defend them most energetically.

"The matters touched upon by Mr. Wilson in point 12 concerns our loyal, brave ally, Turkey. I must in no wise forestall her statesmen in their attitude. The integrity of Turkey and the safeguarding of her capital, which is connected closely with the question of the straits, are important and vital interests of the German empire also. Our ally can always count upon our energetic support in this matter.

Says Teutons Liberated Poalnd.

Point 13 deals with Poland, it was not the Entente—which had only empty words for Poland and before the war never interceded for Poland with Russia—but the German empire and the Austro-Hungarian monarchy who liberated Poland from the Czaristic regime which was crushing her national characteristics. It may thus be left to Germany and Austria-Hungary and Poland to come to an agreement on the future constitution of this country. As the negotiations and communications of the last year prove we are on the road to this goal.

The last point, the fourteenth, deals with a bond of the nations. Regarding this point, I am sympathetically disposed, as my political activity shows, toward every idea which eliminates for the future a possibility or probability of war and will promote a peaceful and harmonious collaboration of nations. If the idea of a bond of nations, as suggested by President Wilson, proves on closer examination really to be conceived in a spirit of complete justice and complete impartiality toward all, then the imperial government is gladly ready, when all other pending questions have been settled, to begin the examination of the basis of such a bond of nations.

Doubtful of Sincerity.

"Gentlemen, you have acquainted yourselves with the speech of Premier Lloyd George and the proposals of President Wilson. I must repeat what I saw at commencement: We now must ask ourselves whether these speeches and proposals breathe a real and earnest wish for peace. They certainly contain certain principles for a general world peace, to which we also assent, and which might form the starting point and aid negotiations.

"When, however, concrete questions come into the question, points which, for we allies, are of decisive importance, their peace will is less observable. Our enemies do not desire to destroy Germany, but they cast covetous eyes on parts of our allies' lands. They speak with respect of Germany's position, but their conception, ever afresh, finds expression as if we were the guilty who must do penance and promise, improvement. Thus speaks the victor to the vanquished, he who interprets all our former expressions of a readiness for peace as merely a sign of weakness.

Calls Proposals Deceptive.

"If the leaders of the enemy powers really are inclined toward peace, let them revise their program once again, or, as Premier Lloyd George said, 'proceed to reconsideration.'

Seeks Lasting Peace.

"If they do that and come forward with fresh proposals, then we will examine them carefully, because our aim is no other than the re-establishment of a lasting peace.

"As to our purpose, gentlemen, we are all one.

Certain of Victory.

"Let us hold together the government and the nation, and victory will be ours. A good peace will and must come.

"The German nation bears in an admirable manner the sufferings and burdens of a war, which now is in its fourth year. In connection with these burdens, and sufferings, I think especially of the sufferings of the small artisans and the lowly paid officials. But you all, men and women, will hold on and see it through.

"With your political knowledge, you do not allow yourselves to be fooled by catch phrases. You know how to distinguish between the realities of life and the promises of dreams.

"Such a nation cannot founder. God is with us and will be with us in the future."

Demand Abolition of Lords.

Nottingham, England, Jan. 26.—A resolution for the abolition of the House of Lords, was reported to the labor conference in session here. Representatives of the railway men told the conference that the railway employes had reached the breaking point and that the union would back them if they declined to work on account of lack of food. The responsibity, they said, would be due to mismanagement on the part of the government.

Editor to Direct Loan Publicity.

Washington, Jan. 26.—Frank R. Wilson, assistant secretary of the Federal Farm Loan board, has been chosen publicity director for the third Liberty Loan campaign to succeed Oscar A. Price, private secretary to Secretary McAdoo, as director general of railroads. Mr. Wilson formerly was editor and owner of the Sioux City News, and for the past year has been connected with the Federal Farm Loan board. The date of the campaign is withheld.

WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Need Help to Pass the Crisis Safely—Proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Can be Relied Upon.

Urbana, Ill.—"During Change of Life, in addition to its annoying symptoms, I had an attack of grippe which lasted all winter and left me in a weakened condition. I felt at times that I would never be well again. I read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it did for women passing through the Change of Life, so I told my doctor I would try it. I soon began to gain in strength and the annoying symptoms disappeared and your Vegetable Compound has made me a well, strong woman so I do all my own housework. I cannot recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly to women passing through the Change of Life."—Mrs. FRANK HENSON, 1816 S. Orchade St., Urbana, Ill.

Women who suffer from nervousness, "heat flashes," backache, headaches and "the blues" should try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Economizing Time.

"What will you have for dinner?" asked the affable waiter.

"Go ahead and bring what you are serving today," replied the hungry man. "Don't make me guess."

Well, Why Not?

"Pa, why do we pray for daily bread?"

"Why—"

"Why don't we pray for potatoes?"

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Not So Much Work.

Mr. Bangor—William, have you broken another glass?

William—Yes, sir; but I was very fortunate this time. It only broke in two pieces.

Mr. Bangor—So you call that "fortunate," do you?

William—Yes, sir; you can't imagine what a bother it is to pick them up when they break into a hundred pieces.

For Pimply Faces.

To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. For free samples, address "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

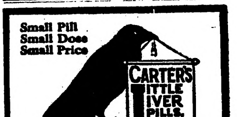
Girl Bank President.

A girl president lives in Cleveland, O. She is president of a bank, and is only seventeen years old. The bank has 850 depositors and a capital of $155.58. The depositors are members of the council educational alliance, who save their money to buy Liberty loan bonds, vacations and presents. The deposits come in pennies. Some persons literally have "only a cent to their names."

Only One "BROMO QUININE"
To get the genuine, call for full name LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. 30c.

Power of Money.

Money may be misused. The power it represents may be abused, says a noted writer, just as the power of the press or any other physical or social force may be abused. And the desire for money may be perverted, just as may be any other normal or healthy desire. But that is not the way to look at money any more than it is the way to look at any other power or quality of human nature that may be used either for good or evil.



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Will help this condition

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Soothe the irritation and you relieve the distress. Do both quickly and effectively—by promptly using a dependable remedy—
PISO'S

WESTERN CANADA'S CEREAL CROP

One of the Best Ever Harvested.

The cereal crop of Western Canada for 191. was the most valuable one ever harvested; the returns from all classes of live stock have been equally satisfactory. The wool clip was not only greater than in any previous year, but the price obtained was double that of 1916, which in turn was almost double that of the year before.

As was the case in 1915 and 1916, many farmers were able to pay for their land outright with the proceeds of their first year's crop. Further evidence of the prosperity of Western Canada is shown by the fact that one in every twenty of the population is now the owner of an automobile. If the farming community alone is taken, it will be found that the proportion of automobile owners is still greater. The bank clearings of the leading cities of Western Canada were consistently higher than they were in the corresponding periods of 1916, and then they were higher than the year preceding. In Winnipeg $500,000,000 more was cleared in the 11 months ending November 30 than in the same months a year ago.

The entry of the United States into the war has strengthened the bonds between that country and Canada. We are now working together for the same ends. Those who are not fighting are promoting a greater production of foodstuffs. In this connection Western Canada offers a wonderful opportunity. Not only can larger quantities of staple foodstuffs be produced, but the cost of production is lower and the remuneration greater than where land is more expensive. Notwithstanding the fact that the price of farm products has doubled during the past three years, there are millions of acres of arable land in Western Canada which can still be bought at a low price.

Western Canada has an enormous acreage prepared for seeding to wheat in 1918. It is larger than in 1917, and will probably surpass the record area put into crop in the year 1915, when the largest crop ever known in the West was harvested. The year 1918 should also see a further increase in live stock activity.

Farmers have been investing considerable sums in cattle; the high prices secured for wool and mutton have opened the eyes of Western farmers to the possibilities of sheep, and such was the demand for breeding animals last fall that it was impossible to meet it adequately; the campaign for greater hog production is expected to yield an increase of between 25 and 50 per cent in 1918.

Those who are contemplating coming to Western Canada cannot do better than come early in the spring when they can put in a crop and harvest it in the fall. In this way they will be able to achieve something that will not only be of great benefit to themselves, but also to the great cause for which the Allies, including the United States, are now fighting.—Advertisement.

An Easy End.

Hi Perkins—As fer me, I want to die rich. I never yet heard of a rich feller being hung or electrocuted.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

has been a household remedy all over the civilized world for more than half a century for constipation, intestinal troubles, torpid liver and the generally depressed feeling that accompanies such disorders. It is a most valuable remedy for indigestion or nervous dyspepsia and liver trouble, bringing on headache, coming up of food, palpitation of heart and many other symptoms. A few doses of August Flower will immediately relieve you. It is a gentle laxative. Ask your druggist. Sold in all civilized countries.—Adv.

A Mistake.

"A laboring man has very little choice of occupations."

"There you are mistaken. He can always take his pick."

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Two Views.

"Man," chirped the optimist, "is the animal that laughs."

"And," growled the pessimist, "he has little enough to laugh about at that."

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

Expensive Hostelry.

"I like to stop at this hotel."

"Why?"

"The proprietor makes me feel as if I owned the place."

"Well, after you've paid your bill you will feel that you ought to own the place, whether you do or not."

After the Movies Murine Is for Tired Eyes. Red Eyes—Sore Eyes—Granulated Eyelids. Rests—Refreshes—Restores. Murine is a Favorite Treatment for Eyes that feel dry and smart. Give your Eyes as much of your loving care as your Teeth and with the same regularity. CARE FOR THEM. YOU CANNOT BUY NEW EYES! Sold at Drug and Optical Stores or by Mail. Ask Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, for Free Book

USE LESS WHEAT IS EDICT GIVEN BY WILSON

NEW FOOD CODE EFFECTIVE NOW

America Put On War-Bread Diet By Proclamation of President Wilson.

TO HELP ALLIES IS AIM

Government Depends Upon American Women to See That New Food Rules Are Obeyed—Two Wheatless Days Weekly.

Washington, Jan. 29.—As a part of a war rationing system prescribed by President Wilson and the food administration, the American people have gone on a war bread diet. "Victory bread," the food administration calls it.

The reduced rations are asked to create a larger export surplus of food for the European Allies. Curtailment of consumptinon will be accomplished largely by voluntary effort, but force will be employed wherever permitted under the food control act.

The rationing system, as presented by the President in a proclamation and by Food Administrator Hoover in a list of regulations, forms the food administration's 1918 food conservation program.

The Regulations.

The food administration has issued this statement:

"The following is a summary of the rules that have been formulated by the United States food administration, with the approval of the President, in order to effect the further conservation in foodstuffs necessary to support the Allies and our own armed forces over the next four months. These rules are effective from the morning of Monday, Jan. 28.

Rests With People.

"The effectiveness of these rules is dependent solely upon the good will of and the willingness to sacrifice by the American people. In the last analysis the success or failure of any plan such as here outlined rests with the people. We are dependent upon the co-operation of the trades. We have but one police force—the American woman—and we depend upon her to organize in co-operation with our state and local food administrators to see that these rules are obeyed by that small minority who may fail. Part of the rules will be enforced under the Lever food act; other parts are voluntary and will depend for their success upon public sentiment. Our experience hitherto has shown a willingness of the vast majority of consumers and a full co-operation of the trades, to undergo the self-sacrifice necessary to render such measures effective. The small minority who refuse to co-operate should not be allowed to defeat the nation's necessities.

Equal Purchases Asked.

"1. As their part in reducing the consumption of wheat flour, the consumers of the country are called upon, in purchasing such flour to buy at the same time an equal weight of the other cereals (cornmeal, cornstarch, corn flour, oatmeal, rolled oats, buckwheat flour potato flour, sweet potato flour, soya bean flour and feterita flours and meals.) The housewife may use these products separately in making bread, cakes and pastry, or mix them as she thinks best. Retailers are to sell wheat our only with an equal weight of these other cereals.

Bakers to Supply Mixed Breads.

"2. Consumers will be able to obtain mixed cereal bread from their bakers, who will be required under the license regulations to mix 5 per cent (5 per cent) of other cereals with their wheat flour. both in bread and rolls and will be required gradually to increase this substitution until beginning Feb. 24, a minimum of 20 per cent of such cereals is to be used. The food administration strongly urges on consumers the buying of this bread, which will be known as Victory bread, and will contain not less than 20 per cent of cereals other than wheat. Graham or whole wheat bread will also be given that name, because, containing as they do, 25 per cent more of the wheat grain than ordinary white bread, they, too, will serve the purpose of saving wheat flour.

"If you bake bread at home use wheat substitutes; if you buy it, buy only Victory bread.

White Flour Use Curtailed.

"3. Manufacturers of macaroni spaghetti, noodles, crackers, breakfast foods, pie, cake and pastry are not to purchase to exceed 70 per cent (70 per cent) of the wheat flour they used during the corresponding months of 1917. These manufacturers will be performing a patriotic service by using cereals other than wheat in their productions.

"4. Wholesalers will be required under license regulations not to buy more than 70 per cent of their purchases of flour from millers as based on their purchase for the corresponding months of the preceding year and their sales to the retail trade must be in the proportion of one pound of wheat flour to one pound of other cereals, this being in the same proportion in which the seller sells to the consumer unless the wholesalers satisfies himself that the substitutes have already been purchased from another source.

CHIEF PROVISIONS OF NEW U. S. FOOD CODE

A BAKER'S BREAD OF MIXED FLOURS, a 5 per cent substitution of other cereals for wheat until a 20 per cent substitution is reached Feb. 24.

SALE BY RETAILERS TO HOUSEHOLDERS of an equal amount of substitute flours for every pound of wheat flour purchased at the time the wheat flour is bought.

SALE BY MILLERS TO WHOLESALERS and wholesalers to retailers of only 70 per cent of the amount of flour sold last year.

TWO WHEATLESS DAYS A WEEK—Monday and Wednesday—and one wheatless meal a day.

ONE MEATLESS DAY A WEEK — Tuesday — and one meatless meal a day.

TWO PORKLESS DAYS A WEEK—Tuesday and Saturday.

No Profiteering.

"A ruling has been made that in making any combination sales under this program, dealers shall name a price for each of the articles so sold which shall not represent more than a normal pre-war profit on any one of the articles sold.

"5. Millers of flour are to distribute their output through their customary channels and markets in such a manner that each city, town and district may receive its usual proportion. The wheat millers have been required to produce one barrel of flour (196 pounds) from 264 pounds of wheat. This is a white flour and represents from 2 per cent to 4 per cent higher extraction than from last year's harvest.

Two Wheatless Days.

"6. To assist further in conservation, Monday and Wednesday of each week are to be observed as wheatless days and one meal of each day as a wheatless meal. This applies both in the home and in the public eating place and on such days and meals no crackers, pastries, macaroni, breakfast food or other cereals containing wheat should be used. The only exception to this is such small amounts of flour as may be needed for thickening soups or gravies or as a binder in cornbread or other cereal breads.

"7. On wheatless days and at wheatless meals, the food administration urges that bread baked in the home be other than wheat bread. Where bread is purchased either for use in public eating places or in the home, Victory bread should be used, if no wheat substitutes can be found.

State Chief to Name Meal.

"The federal food administrator in each state will announce the meal to be observed as a wheatless meal in his state. If no meal is designated, the United States food administration prefers that the evening meal be wheatless.

"8. It is further desired, in order that meat and pork products be conserved, that one meatless day (Tuesday) in every week, and one meatless meal in every day, be observed, and in addition, two porkless days (Tuesday and Saturday) in every week, be strictly kept. By 'meatless' is meant without hog, cattle or sheep products. On other days use mutton and lamb in preference to beef or pork. By 'porkless' is meant without pork, bacon, lard or other pork products, fresh or preserved. Use fish, poultry and eggs.

"9. For local situations where exceptions are necessary application should be made to the state food administrators."

STOPPING UP LOOPHOLES

Rules for Heatless Monday Are Tightened.

Washington, Jan. 28.—Fuel Administrator H. A. Garfield has tightened holiday Monday regulations to stop up loopholes for evasion and obtain "100 per cent compliance" with the fuel order.

Rulings and interpretations were given, both with the idea of reducing fuel use and checking discrimination against places closed in favor of those remaining open because other parts of the building in which they were located were exempted.

The exemption of one or more offices in a building does not exempt the balance of the building. The spirit of the order is that heat should be turned off the nonexempt offices.

Hotel, cigar and news stands may not sell cigars, cigarets or tobacco. All news stands, cigar and stationery stores may remain open only for the purpose of selling newspapers and periodicals.

Lodges and fraternal orders with Monday night meetings are exempt and entertainments advertised on or before Jan. 19 may be held as planned.

"The sale of liquor everywhere should be discontinued on Monday," Dr. Garfield ruled, "to accord with the spirit of the order."

Five Years' Sentence for Woman.

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 28.—A sentence of five years was returned by the jury in the case of Mrs. Kate Ahlers, alias Mrs. Katherine Travers, charged with the killing of Phil E. Tucker, a broker, last October.

PRESIDENT PUTS U. S. ON WAR DIET

Issues Proclamation Calling On People To Cut Wheat Consumption Further.

BURDEN ON AMERICA

Reduced European Productivity and Destruction of Shipping Increases Load Which U. S. Must Carry, Says Executive.

Washington, Jan. 29.—Calling upon the people to make their greatest effort toward coservation of food for the Allies, President Wilson has issued a proclamation in which he says the reduced productivity of Europe, the partial failure of crops and the destruction of shipping have placed practically the entire burden upon the shoulders of this country.

The message follows:

A Proclamation.

Many causes have contributed to create the necessity for a more intensive effort on the part of our people to save food in order that we may supply our associates in the war with the sustenance vitally necessary to them in these days of privation and stress. The reduced productivity of Europe because of the large diversion of man-power to the war, the partial failure of harvests and the elimination of the more distant markets for foodstuffs through the destruction of shipping places the burden of their subsistence very largely on our shoulders.

The food administration has formulated suggestions, which if followed will enable us to meet this great responsibility, without any real inconvenience on our part.

30 Per Cent Reduction Asked.

In order that we may reduce our consumption of wheat and wheat products by 30 per cent—a reduction imperatively necessary to provide the supply for overseas—wholesalers, jobbers and retailers should buy and resell to their customers only 70 per cent of the amounts used in 1917.

All manufacturers of alimentary pastes, biscuits, crackers, pastry and breakfast, cereals should reduce their purchases and consumption of wheat and wheat flour to 70 per cent of their 1917 requirements, and all bakers of bread and rolls to 80 per cent of their current requirements.

Consumers should reduce their purchases of wheat products for home preparation to, at most, 70 per cent of those of last year, or when buying bread should purchase mixed cereal breads from the bakers.

To provide sufficient cereal food, homes, public eating places, dealers and manufacturers should substitute potatoes, vegetables, corn, barley, oats and rice products and the mixed cereal bread and other products of the bakers which contains an admixture of other cerals.

In order that consumption may be restricted to this extent, Mondays and Wednesdays should be observed as wheatless days each week and one meal each day should be observed as a wheatless meal.

In both homes and public eating places, in order to reduce the consumption of beef, pork and sheep products, Tuesday should be observed as a meatless day in each week, one meatless meal should be served in each day, while in addition Saturday in each week should further be observed as a day upon which there should be no consumption of pork products.

It is imperative that all waste and unnecessary consumption of all sorts of foodstuffs should be rigidly eliminated.

Maintenance of Health Necessary.

The maintenance of health and strength of our own people is vitally necessary at this time and there should be no dangerous restriction of the food supply, but the elimination of every sort of waste and the substitution of other commodities of which we have more abundant supplies for those which we need to save, will in no way impair the strength of our people and will enable us to meet one of the most pressing obligations of the war.

I, therefore, in the national interest, take the liberty of calling upon every loyal American to take fully to heart the suggestions which are being circulated by the food administration and of begging that they be followed. I am confident that the great body of our women who have labored so loyally in co-operatoin with the food administration for the success of food conservation will strengthen their efforts and will take it as a part of their burden in the national service to see that the above suggestions are observed throughout the land.

WOODROW WILSON.

BIG CUNARDER TORPEDOED

Belfast, Jan. 29.—The Cunard line steamer Andania was torpedoed but not sunk on the Ulster coast says the Irish Daily Telegraph. The newspaper adds it is believed that no deaths resulted from the explosion.

The Andania was outward bound. She had on board about 40 passengers and more than 200 men in the crew.

SELF DEFENSE

Defeat Backache and Kidney Trouble With Anuric

Many people in this section have suffered from rheumatism and kidney trouble and have found that Anuric was the most successful remedy to overcome these painful and dangerous ailments.

The lucky people are those who have suffered, but who are now well because they needed nature's warning signal in time to correct their trouble with that wonderful new discovery of Dr. Pierce's called "An-u-ric" (double strength). You should promptly heed these warnings, some of which are dizzy spells, backache, irregularity of the urine or the painful twinges of rheumatism, sciatica or lumbago. To delay may make possible the dangerous forms of kidney disease, such as diabetes or stone in the bladder. If you want quick relief buy it now, 60 cents, all druggists, or send Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c for trial pkg. This will prove that "Anuric" eliminates uric acid as hot water melts sugar.

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W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 5--1918.

Iven Borsheim called at J. E. Erickson's Sunday.

Buy a Smileage book and send to some soldier or sailor.

Will you invest 25c in helping your country, by buying a Thrift Stamp?

Martin Benson of T. R. Falls visited at Dr. R. L. Olson's last week Thursday.

Albert Cairns, auditor for the Red Lake Falls milling Co., visited H. J. Oien Saturday.

There will be a good musical entertainment at the Woodman hall on Saturday evening Feb. 2nd.

Mondays are now wheatless days, and all are asked to use barley, meal or some other substitute, and save wheat for the army.

Sam Mickelson went to Middle River on the train Monday and from there went out to his homestead at Randen where he is choping logs.

H. J. Oien is expecting a shipment of whole corn sometime next week.—Later: The corn came in Wednesday night and is now on sale at the Red Lake Falls elevator.

The recent announcement by Provost Marshall General E. H. Crowder to the effect that no more formal calls will be made for deferred percentages of the present draft quota, before Feb. 15th, makes it possible for more draft registrants to enlist in the Navy than at any time since the 15th of last December.

The following officers were elected at the annual creamery meeting:—Lewis Wegge, Gunder Sorter, John H. Knutson, directors. J. A. Sorum, sec'y., Nils Engebretsen, treasurer. After the meeting the stockholders were treated to a good lunch which was served at both lunch rooms at the expense of the Holt State Bank.

The annual village election will be held March 12th. at which time three trustees are to be elected as follows; one for a term of one year, one for a term of two years and one for a term of three years, the term for which each is elected to be designated on the ballot, and thereafter one trustee is to be elected annually for a term of three years.

The Farm Crops Show will be held in Crookston, Feb. 11-15.

The program committee have been at work all year getting in touch with speakers who will entertain and instruct. As a result people of the Valley will have an opportunity of listening to such men as; Premier T. C. Norris, Province of Manitobia, Winnipeg; President M. L. Burton, University of Minnesota, and Gov. Burnquist. Specialists will discuss their particular lines each meeting.

Potato Pastry

1 cup flour 1-2 cup mashed potatoes 1-4 cup fat 1-2 teaspoon salt.

Cream the fat and potatoes, add the flour and salt and mix until it forms a dough which can be rolled out like ordinary pie crust.

Potato Biscuit.

1 cup fresh mashed potatoes, 1 cup flour, 1-2 spoonful salt, 2 tablespoons fat 4 teaspoons baking powder 1-4 cup milk.

Mix the mashed potatoes and fat add flour sifted with salt and baking powder. When these are thoroughly mixed add the milk. Shape with spoon and spatula or roll out to 1-2 inch in thickness and cut with a biscuit cutter.

Cornmeal Griddle Cakes

1 cup milk, 1 egg, 3-4 cup cornmeal 1 cup flour, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 1-2 teaspoon salt. Add beaten egg to milk, and add to dry ingredients which have been well mixed.

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Ole Tveit of Mud Lake stopped at J. E. Erickson's Monday night.

Meatless Tuesdays and wheatless Wednesdays- will help win the war.

We have experienced some genuine winter weathe for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simenson and family visited at J. E. Erickson's on Sunday.

Misses Mabel Johnson and Hazel Davidson were T. R. Falls visitors Saturday.

The Woodman lodge held a meeting Saturday night and voted to sell their hall.

All teachers are called upon by their country to see that school children buy Thrift Stamps.

Chas. Skoglund and family have been entertaining his brother-in-law from Minneapolis, since last Friday.

Postmasters are not allowed to charge any fees for the registering of German aliens, which registration take place next week.

The U. S. Navy wants 800 men from this section of the country. All who will not be in the next army draft, can enlist in the navy.

E. J. Lynch, Collector of Internal Revenue, announces that a federal income tax officer will be in this conty on the following dates: Jan. 30 to Feb. 9 at Warren; Feb. 12 to 16 at Argyle; Feb. 19 to 20 at Stephen. Better make sure if you are liable to the tax, and if so report it before March 1, as there is heavy fine for failure of those, who are subject to income tax, to make their reports. Incomes of $1000 for the unmarried, and $2000 for all married people, are subject to the federal income tax.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account Estate Of

Carl Friederick Ohm, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Carl Friederick Ohm, Decedent.

The State Of Minnesota To Herman A. Ohm, Amelia Wegge, Fridericka Winfield, Reinhold Ohm, Wilhelmina Grover, Ferdinand Ohm, Anna Patznick, Helena Mulhall, Bernhard Ohm, Lydia Rux, and all persons concerned:

Whereas, Herman A. Ohm has filed in this court his final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: It Is Ordered, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 9th day of February, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M.. at the Probate Court Rooms at Warren, in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in The Holt Weekly News according to law.

Witness the Honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 15th day of January 1918.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

Julius J. Olson and Rasmus Hage,
Attorneys for Petitioner,
Warren, Minnesota.

The Navy is in great need apprentice Seamen, this districts quota of 800 being far from being filled. This number must be obtained by Feb. 22nd. Men enlisted now are being sent home on furlough, subject to call, because the training stations are filled. Pay, $32.60 a month to start, begins the day of enlistment. Men enlisted, after their periods of training, are put in branches they are best qualified to fill.

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Fresh oysters every Tuesday at Bennes'.

Lars Chenil was a Warren visitor Wednesday.

Eat more potatoes and save bread for the Sammies.

B. Docken was a T. R. Falls business visitor Tuesday.

John Stanley made a business trip to T. R. Falls Wednesday.

R. Reierson is going to ship a big car of wood to Ada to-morrow.

Miss Inanda Fosholm was a T. R. Falls visitor the first of the week.

Fridjof Fresberg went to Erskine Monday to work in the G. N. depot.

Melvin Oswald of Fertile visited at Albert Bennes' a few days last week.

Miss Lilly Peterson has returned to her duties as clerk in C. H. Gunheim's store.

Misses Edna Flozdahl and Laura Stengelson from Viking were Holt visitors Saturday.

Tony Carlson has a very lame knee which he got in a basket ball game Tuesday night.

Dr. R. L. Olson returned home Monday from Spooner and reported a good business while there.

Anderson returned Tuesday from a vacation trip and is again carrying the mail on his route.

Theodore Erickson of Alvarado came Saturday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Erickson.

Peter Michaelson shipped two cars of baled hay to Bemidji this week and J. M. Swan shipped one car of cattle to So. St. Paul.

Martin Kalseth had the misfortune of cutting his foot, Tuesday morning while chopping wood on the Rux farm, but it is not considered serious.

Miss Clara Johnson, who has been visiting at the P. O. Reierson home for sometime, returned to her home in the southern part of the state on Monday.

Racine Olson has received a letter from Ole Hammerness which states that he will not be allowed to return from Canada, but must either stay on his farm there or join the army.

Mr. Olson will continue in charge of the garage, as he has for the past few months.

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Andrew and Jesse Sorum and Hjalmer Peterson went to Warren Wednesday to be examined for the army draft. Clarence Docken and Ole Johnson are to go next week Tuesday.

Marshall county has to furnish 82 men for the next army draft, which will either be the 15th or 23rd of this month.

Fell Down Stairs.

Last Friday afternoon, one of the little boys of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg, accidentally left the door to the basement stairway open. Later the one year old baby girl came along and probably looking for something new, ventured too far and fell part way down the stairway and then fell off to one side, a distance of about five feet onto the cement floor, and it was thot for awhile that the little one could not live. A physician was immediately called from T. R. Falls who found that no bones were broken, probably owing to the baby being real fleshy, and by next morning, aside from being sore, the child appeared to be alright.

Red Cross Notes

(Too late for last week)

Red Cross meeting every Friday at 7:30 P. M. Do not fail to attend.

The following have showed their patriotism by doing their bit for the soldiers:

Mrs. Bjerk 4 sweaters; Mrs. Docken 8 pr. wristlets, 1 sweater, 1 pr. pajamas; Mrs. Adams 1 scarf; Mrs. Christianson 1 sweater, 1 hospital shirt; Martha Peterson 2 sweaters; Mrs. Nelson 1 sweater, 1 pr. wristlets, 1 pr. socks; Beatha Nelson 1 sweater, 1 hospital shirt; Mrs. Kautz (Crookston) 1-2 doz. hot water bag covers, 1-2 doz. flannel socks,; Mrs. Roman Olson 1 scarf; Mrs. Frank Hall 1 scarf; Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack 1 scarf; Mrs. Hagberg 6 pr. hospital socks, 10 hot water bag covers; Mrs. Swan 1 scarf; Mrs. Bakke 1 scarf, 1 pr. wristlets; Mrs. A. L. Carlson 1 hospital shirt; Helen Johnson 1 sweater, 4 pr. hospital socks; Lydia Bjerk 1 scarf; Mrs. Wegge 1 pair wristlets; Inanda Fosholm 1 pair socks; Stella Mickelson 1 scarf; Mrs. John Alkenbrack (Tolley, N. D.) 1-2 doz. bed socks, 1-2 doz. hot water bag covers.

There are several who have not finished their articles

The girls of the sewing classes that have finished their work are now knitting for the Red Cross. Ruby Swan is the first to finish her knitted article, which is a scarf. Selma Saastad and Emma Olson have also finished sweaters.

The following girls served a lunch last Friday evening to the Red Cross: Inanda Fosholm, Beatha and Ingaborg Nelson, Martha Peterson and Helen Johnson.

A special business meeting was held Jan. 18th, at the school house. Mr. Docken read the treasurer's report. It was decided to count East Valley members on the Holt Auxiliary report. The members voted to remain an auxiliary rather than become a branch as was requested by Warren. They also voted to comply to the request of the Chapter at Warren to give 20c out of each $1 in order to pay a secretary and other expenses at the Chapter. Helen Johnson outlined the proceedings of the business meeting that was held at Warren Jan. 4.

Anyone not knitting or sewing for the Red Cross, may get material from Mrs. Docken or at the school. Everybody in the country ought to be doing something towards this great work.

Telephone Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Holt Telephone Co., will be held at the M. W. A. hall in Holt, on Monday Feb. 18th at one o'clock P. M., for the election of officers and to transact any other business that is properly brot before the meeting.

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Geo. Jensen returned to McIntosh Wednesday.

Rudolph Dahl is now hauling the mail on the Golden Valley route.

K. O. Flakne returned Monday from a business trip to Crookston.

The village caucus will be held Friday evening March 1st, at the village hall.

Possibly some cannot afford to buy Bonds, but almost any man, woman or child can buy Thrift Stamps and help the cause of Liberty.

It is the purpose of the government to raise two billion dollars by the sale of Thrift Stamps and War Certificates. Everyone is called upon to help at this time. Thrift Stamps 25c each at the postoffice.

John Sorum hauled in some Marquis wheat, one day this week, that tested 63 lbs to the bushel without being cleaned, which is considered pretty good. Mr. Sorum expects to exhibit some of this wheat at the Farm Crops Show in Crookston, next week.

The Red Cross Chapters of the Red River Valley, Northern Division will hold a conference at Crookston, all day Feb. 12, and every chapter and branch is requested to send delegates. Representatives are expected from 26 counties and a helpful meeting is assured.

Nearly one-third of the food necessary for the armies consists of wheat. Our exports of wheat during the past three years have been the heaviest in our history and our supply is now the lowest in ten years, so our government can not afford to take a chance on the supply of wheat and bread for our army. The supply of flour dare not be left in private control where it can be hoarded, nor in the control of speculators who can, if they so desire, demoralize our army more effectively by withholding wheat supplies than in any other way. It's easy to see that the government had to take charge of the supply of flour and direct its sale, also that the bread supply will have to be handled in the same way.

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The Commission of Public Safety have issued an order prohibiting the shipment of intoxicating liquors into any dry territory within the state.

After six years of experimenting with the different varieties of barley, the Crookston station has found the Russian six row to be the best yielder for northwestern Minnesota.

Men outside the draft age, who are used to handling horses are wanted for the U. S. army. An urgent call is being sent out for about 6000 men, between 18 and 21 - 31 to 41 years. Apply to postmaster or this office for information.

A fine large audience greeted the Harwood Concert Co., at their appearance here Saturday evening, and everyone was well pleased with the entertainment furnished by these ladies.

We are much pleased to report that the promoters of this years lyceum course, made arrangements for a course of high class entertainments for next winter.

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Notice

The Annual Meeting of the Free Mission Church will be held in the church on Thursday Feb. 28th 1918, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business properly brot before the meeting.

The Ladies Aid will serve lunch.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
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Anyone who enlisted in the army before Oct. 15th must apply before Feb. 12th. to get government life insurance. Others must apply within 120 days from the date of their enlistment.

Honor Roll

Peter S. Kolden
S. S. Norlina, U. S. Navy

Bentley Nelson
Somewhere in France

Willie Hoel
Ft. Crook, Neb.

Ernest Kuehne
Camp Cody, N. Mex.

Leonard Jefferson

At Naval Training Stations

Ben Nyberg
Dehard Johnson
Albert Bjerk
Clarence Swan

Coast Artillery, San Fransisco

Rudolph Reierson
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Mrs. Anderson

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SLOWER THAN CITY COUSIN

Country Youngster in Army Found to Be Possessed of Much Less Initiative and Speed.

American officers are making precisely the same comment as to the city boy versus the country boy that the British officers made when the first green regiment came to the continent, says a correspondent in France. The country boy is a heavier, stronger, but also a slower lad than his city cousin.

"City life sharpens the wits," is the British conclusion. "The city boys adapt themselves to the devilish life there rapidly than the country boys do. They are just as hardy, too, and soon pick up the little outdoor tricks that so many country boys have learned on hunting and fishing trips. The city youngster has more initiative and more speed."

"Is he game?" I asked.

"There are no gamer regiments in the British army than the cockneys," was the reply.

Americans find the country boy needs more watching and caring for than the recruit from the city. His morale and behavior are far better, but he does not adapt himself quickly to his new environment.

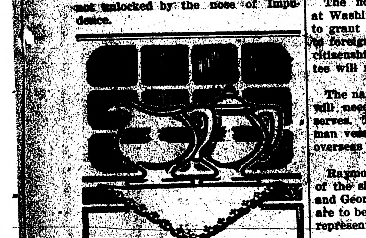
How She Told.

A visitor to a certain Brooklyn household was duly amazed by the wonderful likeness between the twins.

"Why," she gasped, "I never saw two children look so much alike. How does your mother tell you apart?"

"Well," explained Tommy, "she finds out by spanking us. Clarence hollers louder than I do."—Oakland Enquirer.

The treasure chest of Success is not unlocked by the nose of Impudence.



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"There's a Reason"

Important News Events of the World Summarized

U. S.—Teutonic War News

Secretary of War Baker officially announced at Washington that American forces have formally taken over a section of the line in France. The announcement followed the publication of a dispatch from the American expeditionary force in France telling of the latest raid on the American trenches by German forces, in which two Americans were killed, four wounded and one was made prisoner.

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A raid in which the Germans killed two and wounded four and captured one American occurred Thursday. Drafted men from California bombed the enemy as he retired. Two Germans were wounded.

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The heart of America thrilled on Thursday with the news from Washington that the greatest armada in her history—18 huge transports—had arrived safely at French ports with thousands of officers, soldiers and supplies to battle the kaiser. Stealing out of American ports the last two weeks, the vessels—formerly the best of the Austro-German merchant marine—delivered their precious cargo on European soil unharmed by spies and unobserved by the watchful eyes of submarines.

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Two Americans attached to the Red Cross were killed at Mestre, Italy, by bombs dropped by German raiders. They were William Platt and Richard Cutts Fairfield, the first Americans to meet death on the Italian front.

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Three American aviators have been killed while training on Italian soil, said a dispatch to Paris from Foggia. They were Lieut. William Cheney, Lieut. Oliver Sherwood and Cadet George Beach. The Americans were buried with military honors.

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Charges that Germany is violating the terms of the Russian truce by withdrawing troops from the eastern front and transferring them to the western battle lines were made by the war department at Washington.

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Brief details of the wounding of Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood of the United States army, while on a visit to the French front, have been received at Paris. General Wood was hit by a fragment of a gun which burst when being tested. His injuries, which are confined to the left arm, are not considered serious, but he was brought to a Paris hospital.

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Washington

A new "submarine killer" has been developed by the navy department, Secretary of the Navy Daniels told the house naval affairs committee at Washington. Contracts for a great number have been let. The vessel is a fabricated ship, 200 feet long, equipped with all the latest appliances for submarine warfare.

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The result of the European war will be determined during the coming year, in the opinion of President Wilson. He made this plain in a letter sent to the Farmers' conference at Urbana, Ill. The president urged that every effort be made toward bigger crops this year and promises government aid to agriculturists.

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The house immigration committee at Washington tabled the Rankin bill to grant to American women married to foreigners the right to retain their citizenship. This means the committee will not act on it.

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The navy department at Washington will need at least 150,000 naval reserves. The men will be required to man vessels turned over to the naval overseas transportation service.

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Raymond B. Stevens, vice chairman of the shipping board at Washington, and George Rublee of the board's staff, are to be sent to London as permanent representatives of the shipping board.

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Domestic

Two men were burned to death and five were seriously injured when the Fairview hotel at Martinez, Cal., burned down. Seventy-five other guests escaped in their nightclothes.

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Edwin D. James of Toledo, O., and Earl S. Mathem of Paw Paw, Mich., second lieutenants of the First aviation squadron, Ellington field, Texas, were killed when the airplanes in which they were flying collided head-on and fell 2,000 feet.

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James Dorsey, wealthy stockman from Gilberts, Ill., was found guilty by a jury in Judge Landis' courtroom at Chicago on a charge of using the mails to defraud. Dorsey was accused of selling cows that had such acute tuberculosis that many died before they reached their destination.

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Demands for wage increases pending before the railroad wage commission are for an aggregate average of 40 per cent, it was disclosed at Washington. The demands represent a total of nearly $500,000,000 this year.

Ten years' imprisonment at Leavenworth, and dishonorable discharge from the army, is the punishment a court-martial at Camp Logan, Tex., has meted out to three men of the Thirty-third division for conspiracy to rob and manslaughter. The defendants are Sergt. Granville W. Shaw and Privates Robert McCurry and Clarence A. Brobery, all Chicago boys.

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Four persons were killed and forty others were injured when an Illinois Central combination flyer from Sioux City and Omaha jumped the track at Granger, Ill. Ten of eleven coaches plunged from the rails and rolled down a 25-foot embankment. Mrs. Dwight Henderson, Sioux City, Ia., wife of counsel for the Illinois Central railroad; Sidney Spitzer, five months old, Chicago, and M. O. Thompson, Sioux Falls, S. D., and Miss Viola Burg of Le Mars, Ia., were killed. More than a score of the injured were from Iowa.

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The strike of motormen and conductors of the East St. Louis & Suburban railway was called off.

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Frank P. Woods of Iowa was elected at the Republican house caucus in Washington chairman of the Republican congressional campaign committee. The vote was unanimous.

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European War News

An increase in British shipping losses is shown in the official weekly summary issued in London which reports the destruction of nine vessels of more than 1,600 tons and six of lesser tonnage.

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Twenty persons were killed and fifty wounded in the German air raid on Paris, it is officially announced. One of the German machines was brought down. The occupants of the airplane were made prisoners.

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The German proletariat has raised the banner of revolution throughout the empire, it was revealed in advices from Geneva. These estimate that the working classes are responding literally in millions to the call for a general strike. The strikers have formed a council of workmen similar to that of the Russian bolsheviki and presented a demand for peace to the government at Berlin.

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A dispatch to the London Daily Express from Geneva reports that there have been clashes between soldiers and strikers in the suburbs of Berlin, in which lives were lost. The dispatch adds that the troops in some instances refused to fire on strikers.

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An aerial attack of unusual severity was made on Zeebrugge, the German submarine base in northern Belgium, according to the Amsterdam Telegraaf's frontier correspondent.

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More than 2,600 prisoners have been taken by the Italians in their successful attacks upon the Austrian lines on the Asiago plateau, the Rome war office announced. Six guns and 100 machine guns also have been captured. Col del Rosso was taken on Monday, the statement adds, and the Italian success was extended by the capture of Monte di Val Bella.

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The bolsheviki have split on the question of peace, a majority being against the conclusion of peace on the German terms and in favor of a holy war, an Exchange Telegraph dispatch to London from Petrograd says.

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After three days of fighting the Ukrainian Rada's troops have defeated the bolsheviki army and taken possession of Lutsk, according to a wireless message from Kiev to the Ukrainian committee at Geneva.

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German airplanes made their first attacks of the year upon London and its suburbs on Monday night, their bombs inflicting casualties officially reported at 47 killed and 169 injured. Of those killed 14 were men, 17 women and 16 children. British airmen brought down one enemy airplane in flames. The three occupants were killed.

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Sweden is believed by London to have intervened in the civil war in Finland. A paper announces the arrival of Swedish troops at Tornea and says a clash has already occurred between an advance guard of Swedes and the Finnish Red guard.

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The headquarters of the German crown prince at Treves has been bombarded by British airmen, according to information received at Geneva.

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Personal

United States Senator William Hughes of New Jersey died at Mercer hospital, Trenton, from pneumonia.

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Foreign

The bolsheviki government has set aside $10,000,000 for the formation and equipment of the "workmen's and peasants' Red army of the Russian Councils' Republic," says a Petrograd message.

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A number of anarchists, delegates to the all-Russian assembly of soviets at Petrograd, were arrested by the bolsheviki government as the result of threats to hold United States Ambassador Francis responsible for America's treatment of Alexander Berkman.

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Information reaching Amsterdam from Berlin indicate the number who failed to appear in plants there for work because of the general strike movement was 90,000, most of them youthful workers of both sexes.

GERMANY UNDER TERRIFIC TENSION

Mailed Fist of Kaiser Trying To Break Down Strike In Empire.

ULTIMATUM IS ENDED

Although Strikers' Spirit Seems Broken, Clashes With Troops Are of Frequent Occurrence.

London, Feb. 5.—Whether the mailed fist of the kaiser is able to beat down the empire-wide strike will settle whether Germany will again face the world with a solid front.

Despite a rigid censorship, reports which have leaked through from Berlin contain unmistakable evidence that Germany is like a powder keg.

While under strong repressive military measures the general strike appears to be diminishing in importance, the strikers are still hitting back with heroic fury. But the realization that it is a losing fight seems to have punctured, if not broken, their spirit.

Terrific Tension Continues.

Nevertheless the whole empire continued in terrific tension, for clashes between troops and strikers, according to fragmentary dispatches, were numerous, and the government and the bourgeois masses are haunted by the fears that the soldiers will not go on indefinitely charging into crowds of emaciated countrymen and countrywomen clamoring for peace and bread.

Today expires the ultimatum of the military command to the strikers to return to work or take the consequences, which may be summed up "in indiscriminate shooting to kill" of anyone found among or near demonstrating crowds.

Already, probably spurred by the threats of the military authorities of drastic action against them, many workmen are reported to have returned to their duties, and even the recalcitrant ones are expected, beginning today, to start to work.

Order Terse and Sharp.

In Brandenburg the order of the military commander was terse and sharp and evidently was intended to convey to the strikers the intimation that the government requires full efforts of workers for further prosecution of the war.

"Employes failing to resume work," said the order, "will be tried by court-martial, which is authorized to impose sentence of death, execution to take place within 24 hours of the time the sentence is imposed."

Notwithstanding the fact that shipyard workers in Hamburg in large numbers returned to their duties, the latest reports are to the effect that dissatisfaction was so great that they again were to have been called out. The lack of information from German sources, however, leaves impossible of verification whether these men again threw down their tools.

BULGARIANS ASK WAR AIMS

People Make Demand That Silence Be Broken.

Amsterdam, Feb. 5.—A dispatch from Sofia to the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin says strong protests have been made in the Bulgarian parliament against the silence regarding Bulgaria's war aims which have marked recent German and Austrian pronouncements. Premier Radoslavoff speaking in the Chamber of Deputies, attributed the omission to "urgent business which Germany and Austria-Hungary had in their own countries."

In the debate which followed it was stated that the Bulgarian people were astonished and disappointed at the omission and demanded unequivocal enlighenment in regard to the attitude of Germany and Austria.

M. Malinoff, leader of the Democratic party, said the people would not be content until Bulgaria's war aims received formal approval of the German Reichstag. Mr. Todoroff, another of the party leaders, said the Austro-German attitude was "incomprehensible and unflattering."

WANT 250,000 SHIP BUILDERS

12,000 U. S. Agents To Campaign For Them.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The Department of Labor announces that more than 12,000 agents throughout the country will be engaged for the next two weeks in the enrollment of 250,000 men skilled in the shipbuilding trades.

Two thousand of the agents are appointees of trades unions, who are co-operating in building up the industrial army for a final drive to victory.

Priority for War Contracts.

Washington, Feb. 5. — Regulations under which manufacturers may obtain priority in materials for war contracts will be explained in priority circular No. 3, which the war industries board has announced, and now in the hands of the government printer. Simplification of priority certificates recently was ordered and the new circular will clarify still further the method of procedure devised to speed up production. Under the new regulations priority may be asked by a manufacturer or government official

NO PEACE SEEN IN TERMS OF FOE

Supreme Council of Allies Decide To Fight On For Wilson's War Aims.

MAKE ANNOUNCEMENT

To Prosecute War Vigorously Until Freedom, Justice And Respect For International Law Are Obtained.

London, Feb. 5.—Until a peace based on the principles of freedom, justice and respect for international law is obtained the war is to be prosecuted vigorously by the Allies and the United States.

This is the decision of the Supreme War council of the countries in arms against the Teutonic allies.

The Supreme War council, which met at Versailles, finds no approximation in the German chancellor's and the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister's speeches to the terms of the Allies.

Announcement Is Made.

This official announcement has been made here. A summary of the official report of the Versailles war council says:

"The council was unable to find in Von Hertling's and Czernin's recent utterances any real approximation to the moderate conditions laid down by the Allies' governments. Under the circumstances the council decided that the only task before them to meet was the vigorous and effective prosecution of the war until the pressure of that effort produces a change of temper in the enemy governments, justifying the hope of the conclusion of a peace based on the principles of freedom, justice and respect for international law.

"The council arrived at a complete unanimity of policy on measures for the prosecution of the war.

War to Utmost.

"Under the circumstances the supreme war council decided that the one immediate task before them lay in the prosecution of the war with the utmost vigor and the closest and most effective co-operation of the military effort of the Allies until such time as the pressure of that effort shall have brought about in the enemy governments and peoples a change of temper which would justify the hope of the conclusion of peace on terms which would not involve the abandonment, in the face of an aggressive and unrepentant militarism, of all the principles of freedom, justice, and respect for the law of nations, which the Allies are resolved to vindicate.

"The supreme war council gave the most careful consideration to the recent utterances of the German chancellor and the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, but was unable to find in them any real approximation to the moderate conditions laid down by the Allied governments. This conviction was open, deepened by the impression made by the contrast between the professed idealistic aims with which the Central powers entered upon the present negotiations at Brest-Litovsk and their now openly disclosed plans of conquest and spoliation.

Allies Are United.

"The Allies are united in heart and will, not by any hidden design, but by their open resolve to defend civilization against an unscrupulous and brutal attempt at domination. This unanimity is confirmed by a unanimity no less complete, both as regards the military policy to be pursued and as regards measures needed for its execution which will enable them to meet the violence of the enemy's onset with firm and quiet confidence, with the utmost energy and with the knowledge that neither their strength nor their steadfastness can be shaken.

"The splendid soldiers of our free democracies have won their place in history by their immeasurable valor and their magnificent heroism, and the no less noble endurance with which our civilian populations are bearing their daily burden of trial and suffering testify to the strength of those principles of freedom which will crown the military success of the Allies with the glory of a great moral triumph."

Ten-Ton Steel Truss Falls.

Philadelphia, Feb. 5.—One workman, Benjamin Huff of New York, was killed and three were seriously injured at the Philadelphia navy yard at League Island, when a 10-ton steel truss slipped a hoisting cable while being raised to position.

Bandit Slain; Spectator Shot.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—One holdup man was killed, a physician probably fatally injured and three policemen shot in a pistol battle between three robbers who had held up a saloon on a crowded street in an outlying district of the city. A patrol wagon filled with policemen reached the scene of the robbery as the bandits were departing. The robbers separated, opening fire on their pursuers. At the first volley Dr. J. M. Hancock, a spectator, fell badly wounded, while one of the gunmen was shot through the head.

DOCTOR URGED AN OPERATION
Instead I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Was Cured.

Baltimore, Md.—"Nearly four years I suffered from organic troubles, nervousness and headaches and every month would have to stay in bed most of the time. Treatments would relieve me for a time but my doctor was always urging me to have an operation. My sister asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before consenting to an operation. I took five bottles of it and it has completely cured me and my work is a pleasure. I tell all my friends who have any trouble of this kind what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Nellie B. Brittingham, 609 Calverton Rd., Baltimore, Md.

It is only natural for any woman to dread the thought of an operation. So many women have been restored to health by this famous remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, after an operation has been advised that it will pay any woman who suffers from such ailments to consider trying it before submitting to such a trying ordeal.

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HIS PRESENT WAS SPURNED

Jack Thought It Pretty Fine, but the Girl of His Heart Had Another Viewpoint.

Fresna Spines put a little powder on her nose, rubbed it off, put a little more on, rubbed it off, and put a little more on and considered that she was dressed for the evening.

Downstairs, waiting, pacing nervously the length, breadth and thickness of the parlor, was handsome Jack Pantry, looking even more than ordinarily distinguished in his white sox and yellow shoes, according to the Detroit Free Press.

"Fresna," he said, nervously dusting a piano leg with his red silk handkerchief, "I've brought you a little something."

And he took a small jeweler's box from his back hip pocket, dropped it on the floor, and upset a $200 twoozer vase picking it up.

"Never mind, Jack, we were going to break it anyway," said Fresna, with charming diplomacy. Meanwhile, her eyes glued to the little box, her heart beat like a sewing machine.

"I—I don't know whether it will fit your finger," stammered Jack, as he placed his right foot firmly on his left.

"O, Jack!" breathed Fresna. "This is so——"

She stopped. For Jack had opened the box and the darned thing was only a thimble!

"I'll thank you to pay for that vase!" she said icily, and swept from the room in a cloud of dust.

The Remedy.

Critic—This is a raw piece.

Friend—Then roast it.—Baltimore American.

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FOOD CONTROLLER OF CANADA GIVES WARNING

Food Production Should Be Increased at All Cost.

In his letter to the public on the 1st of January, Hon. W. J. Hanna, Canada's Food Controller, says:—

"Authoritative information has reached me that food shortage in Europe is terribly real, and only the sternest resolve on the part of the producers, and equally stern economies on the part of all as consumers, can possibly save the situation.

"France last year had a crop between one-third and one-half that of a normal year. Women did the work of draught animals in a determined effort to make the impoverished soil of France produce every possible ounce of food. They now look to us to make up their deficiency of essential supplies.

"The harvest in Italy was far below normal and will require much larger supplies to feed her people until next harvest.

"It is impossible for the allies to spare many cargo carriers to transport foodstuff from India, Australia, New Zealand and even the Argentine Republic. This means that the allied nations are practically dependent upon North America to supply them with the food which must be forthcoming if terrible suffering is to be avoided and the fighting efficiency of the armies maintained.

"On December 1, the United States had not a single bushel of wheat for export, after allowance was made for domestic requirements on the basis of normal consumption, and the United States Food Administration is endeavoring to bring about a reduction of 20 per cent in home consumption of wheat and flour. This would release 100,000,000 bushels for export, but the Allies will require nearly five times that amount before the 1918 harvest.

Canada is the only country in the world, practically accessible to the Allies under present conditions of shipping shortage, which has an actual exportable surplus of wheat after allowance for normal home requirements. The surplus today is not more than 110,000,000 bushels. A reduction of 20 per cent in our normal consumption would save an additional 10,000,000 bushels for export. The outlook for production of food stuffs in Europe next year is distinctly unfavorable.

"Such is the situation—grave beyond anything that we thought possible a few months ago. Unless our people are aroused to a realization of what the world shortage means to us, to our soldiers and to our Allies, and of the terrible possibilities which it entails, disaster is inevitable.

"Production, too, must be increased to the greatest possible extent. Present war conditions demand extraordinary efforts, and every man, woman, boy or girl who can produce food has a national duty to do so.

"I am confident that when the people of this country realize that the food situation is of utmost gravity they will willingly adjust themselves to the necessities of the case and make whatever sacrifices may be required. The front, the allied armies, and the civilian populations of the allied nations who have already made food sacrifices to an extent little realized by the people of this country."

Here is an appeal made by a man, upon whom rests the great responsibility of assisting in providing food for the allies and the soldiers at the front, who are fighting the battles in mud and blood. It cannot be ignored. At home we are living in luxury and extravagance inclined to idleness and forgetfulness. This must cease. We must save and produce. Our lands must be tilled no matter where it may be, in Canada or the United States. It is our duty to cultivate. Splendid opportunities in the United States are open for further cultivation of lands. Western Canada also offers opportunities in high producing lands at low prices. Decide for yourself where you can do the most good on land in the United States or in Canada, and get to work quickly.—Advertisement.

His Wish About the War.

He is an old-fashioned man who is getting well along in years and he finds it rather difficult to keep pace with the rapidly changing phases of the war situation. He is loyal, however, and does his best to keep up, though at times he finds himself a stride or two behind.

The other day the news was broken to him that because of his income from a farm and certain other real estate, he probably would have to pay a small income tax, under the law relating to that subject. It was the wife who first discovered this interesting bit of news and after she had read it to him out of the paper the old man remarked: "Maw, sometimes I almost wish this war had never happened."—Indianapolis News.

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Clearly Up to Somebody.

Bobby, with his mother and little friend, was at a movie. Bobby had some popcorn, which he passed to his friend, who took a generous portion. After waiting a few moments, apparently for his friend, Bobby said: "Thank you."

"Bobby, you shouldn't say that; it was the little boy's place to say 'Thank you.'"

"Well, I know it, but somebody had to say it."

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A German barrage fir Saturday opened the bardment of many da American sector, the Ame replying shell for shell a the heavy guns spread kilometers of front. T were killed and nine w the bombardment, and shell shock.

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A shift of the wind S away the mist which b operations and other several days. A number the air were fought planes early Sunday afte instance the French av an attempt of the G cross behind the Americ

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Correspondents in Z

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Lorraine Front Quie

Since the battle of Ve been no fighting of gr along this front. For it runs thru high and l

A FIGHT FOR LIFE.

HARVARD'S DAME

PEACE HOPES

Who Do I Give This Car To? YOU?

On April 13, 1918
I am Going to Give Away
Two Automobiles

$1500 in Rewards

The Reward Man, P. O. Box 1622, Philadelphia, Pa.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services in Wilson school house Golden Valley congregation at 11 o'clock Feb. 10th.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Buy a Smileage book and send to some soldier or sailor.

Commence making plans now to raise poultry, to save meat for the army.

Pay your personal property taxes a few days before the last of this month.

Will you invest 25c in helping your country, by buying a Thrift Stamp?

E. M. Bennes of Thief River Falls visited his brother, Albert, one day last week.

Alfred Newton and Geo. Jensen of McIntosh are here looking over their Mud Lake claims.

The Monday closing order is to be continued for some time yet, until there is relief in the coal situation.

Albin Dahl returned Saturday from Warren where he had been to enlist but was rejected for physical disability.

The Government is writing war insurance at less than peace rates. Relatives are urged by the Public Safty Commission to see that the soldier boy get his life insured.

The Puplic Saftey Commission desire the addresses of any one having wood for sale and request such parties to give full information to B. Docken the local committeeman.

Everyone should plan on poultry raising so as to help out the shortage of meat and eggs. This plan is being strongly urged as the only solution of a great problem.

The Farm Crops Show will be held in Crookston, Feb. 11-15.

The program committee have been at work all year getting in touch with speakers who will entertain and instruct. As a result people of the Valley will have an opportunity of listening to such men as; Premier T. C. Norris, Province of Manitoba, Winnipeg; President M. L. Burton, University of Minnesota, and Gov. Burnquist. Specialists will discuss their particular lines each meeting.

Potato Biscuit.

1 cup fresh mashed potatoes, 1 cup flour, 1-2 spoonful salt, 2 tablespoons fat 4 teaspoons baking powder 1-4 cup milk.

Mix the mashed potatoes and fat add flour sifted with salt and baking powder. When these are thoroughly mixed add the milk. Shape with spoon and spatula or roll out to 1-2 inch in thickness and cut with a biscuit cutter.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Nov. 1917.

Cream received	3,957 lbs
Average test	29 15
Butter fat	1053.56 lbs
Percent overrun	25 35
Butter made	1320 lbs
Balance on hand last month	1 14
Rec'd for butter shipped	483 64
Rec'd from cash sales	54 69
Other sources	
Total	$539 47
Paid patrons by check,	497 41
Expense fund, etc.	27 96
To other sources	4 82
To sinking fund	7 64
Balance on hand	1 64
Total	$539 47

Number of patrons,

Price paid for butter fat, 47c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

John Simonson $67 42.

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

The Navy is in great need apprentice Seamen, this districts quota of 800 being far from being filled. This number must be obtained by Feb. 22nd. Men enlisted now are being sent home on furlough, subject to call, because the training stations are filled. Pay, $32.60 a month to start, begins the day of enlistment. Men enlisted, after their periods of training, are put in branches they are best qualified to fill.

TO GROW ALFALFA GET RIGHT START

Drainage First Essential—Plowing Must Be Done at the Proper Time

WHAT IS IDEAL SEEDBED?

Ground Must Be Dragged and Dragged and Dragged Again and Then Properly Firmed

(Prepared Especially for this Newspaper by the Editors of NATIONAL ALFALFA JOURNAL.)

A farmer came into our office one day and declared, in the popular slang of the day, that he was "off this alfalfa growing." He was clean, plumb discouraged. Had tried to grow the stuff again and again, and had always failed. Never wanted to hear or read about it again.

The case of this man is typical. Thousands of other intelligent men have tried and failed in growing alfalfa. Their failures, like his, can, in practically every case, be attributed to the fact that they did not go at it right.

Getting the Proper Drainage.

The seed bed has to be in just the proper condition if it is to be the home of a successful field of alfalfa. Above all things the land must be well drained. If the water stands within even three feet of the surface, the alfalfa plant cannot grow or live. A sloping field is preferable, though tiled land is all right for this plant. The old adage, "Alfalfa will not stand wet feet"—though you may have heard it ten thousand times—is absolutely true, and must be ever in the mind of the man who would grow alfalfa.

It may be set down as a pure waste of time to sow alfalfa on soil where the bedrock is close to the surface or on land where the subsoil is hardpan. Alfalfa is a deep-rooting plant. It is essential to its life that the roots penetrate 12, 24 and 36 inches into the earth for its food. If the subsoil is of such solid material as bedrock and hardpan, the roots cannot pierce it and, as a consequence, the plant is short lived. This difficulty is being overcome in many places by dynamiting the subsoil—and that is probably the only way to overcome it.

Will Grow on Any Soil.

The plant will grow in practically any kind of soil to be found in the United States, Canada or Europe. Alfalfa does do best, apparently, on loam, silt loam or sandy loam. The attractiveness of these soils may be honestly said to be due, principally, to the fact that the crop is more easily started in them. Once establish the plant in heavy clay or in sandy soil and you need take a rear chair for no one. Clay soil will need to be more closely examined for drainage than any other soil. The don't-forget-it-for-a-minute precaution is to get rid of standing water in or on the land.

A field that was well manured and which has just grown a crop of corn or potatoes is in the best condition for an alfalfa field. It is taken for granted that the corn or potato crop was repeatedly cultivated. Weeds share with standing water the distinction of being alfalfa's most bitter enemy. It is assumed, too, that the field was plowed deeply for the cultivated crop. A good, clean field of grain stubble—if such happens to be the best drained field on the farm—may be chosen for alfalfa. The ground should be plowed the fall before, though this is not absolutely necessary. The nearer the time of seeding the plowing is done the shallower it should be. In fall plowing the furrow should be cut at a depth of about six inches.

The Ideal Seedbed

The ideal seed bed—and it is well to approach the ideal just as closely as possible—is firm and moist. It should be mellow and finely pulverized, but only to the depth of one inch—the depth at which the seed is to be sown. The field should be as smooth as it can be made, without ruts or holes to catch and hold the water.

By fall plowing it is possible to have nature's aid for several months in settling the seed bed. The rain and snow aid wonderfully in the process. Frequent harrowing from the opening of spring until the alfalfa is planted must be done; this is to keep down the weeds and to conserve the moisture. Sometimes it is well to harrow the ground as often as every 10 days.

If the ground has not been plowed in the fall extraordinary means must be used in order to properly prepare the seed bed. When one has six weeks leeway between plowing and seeding he may plow to a fair depth. Some farmers, if they have have not been able to start getting their ground in condition a considerable time before sowing, merely disc and cross-disc the stubble field. This is the thing to do in such cases. Deep plowing just before seeding is fatal. At that it is not a very good idea to wait until the last minute to get the alfalfa land in shape. Late tillage may succeed if moisture conditions are right. But it is better to play safely and plow a few weeks before time for seeding.

How to Help Nature.

As aids to nature in firming the ground a soil packer or roller comes in most handily. If the farmer does not have these implements he may set the discs straight to pack the soil. A plank or long drag will do good work if sent along following the disc. And meantime, keep harrowing the soil. Keep the drag going. Give it just one more dragging, and then when you think you have dragged it enough—why, just drag it a couple of times more, and then once more for good measure.

DELICIOUS CORN MUFFINS

Here's an old fashioned recipe for corn muffins that has recently been revived and used with unusual success in several of the larger New York hotels: To make three and a half dozen muffins take one quart milk, six ounces butter substitute, twelve ounces of light syrup or honey, four eggs, pinch of salt, two ounces baking powder, one and a half pounds cornmeal and one and a half pounds rye flour. The butter and syrup should be thoroughly mixed; then add the eggs gradually. Pour in the milk and add the rye flour mixed with cornmeal and baking powder.

COMING

C. G. MUGG, Optometric Specialist

of Grand Forks, N. D., uses the daylight or natural method in fitting glasses, no drugs, dark rooms or machines—natural conditions only, in broad daylight. YOU see the benefit of the glass before ordering. YOU take no chance, your own vision tells YOU. By this method an operator can look wise and say $15.00 and [illegible] before YOU see the benefit of the glasses YOU are supposed to wear. No one can judge just as well as yourself how [illegible] YOU see out of your own eyes. [illegible] dark rooms etc. create unnatural [illegible] conditions that may effect the results and cause an imperfect glass. C. G. Mugg is licensed in N. D. and Minn. and has traveled in the Northwest for 22 years. A lot of cash is not always necessary. Prices are reasonable. Consultation is free but examination is not always so.

Ante-War prices have not been changed by C. G. Mugg, but after January [illegible] will be added for examination. Consultation is Free.

Call and see the daylight specialist, he will be at

Holt, Feb. 22-28

Always Hot Coffee at Bennes' restaurant.

Now is the time to show your loyalty, in deeds, as well as words.

All teachers are called upon by their country to see that school children buy Thrift Stamps.

Mondays are now wheatless days, and all are asked to use barley, meal or some other substitute, and save wheat for the army.

E. J. Lynch, Collector of Internal Revenue, announces that a federal income tax officer will be in this county on the following dates: Jan. 30 to Feb. 9 at Warren; Feb. 12 to 16 at Argyle; Feb. 19 to 20 at Stephen. Better make sure if you are liable to the tax, and if so report it before March 1, as there is heavy fine for failure of those, who are subject to income tax, to make their reports. Incomes of $1000 for the unmarried, and $2000 for all married people, are subject to the federal income tax.

Quick Cornmeal Bread

1 cup of milk, one egg, 1 tablespoon fat, 1-2 teaspoon salt 3-4 cup cornmeal, 1 and 1-4 cups of flour, 4 teaspoon baking powder, 2 tablespoons sugar.—Method 1—Mix the milk, egg, and melted fat. Add to the dry materials which have been well mixed. Bake in a hot oven. The time will depend upon the thickness of the loaf.—2nd. Method—scald the cornmeal with the hot milk. Add egg and melted fat, and combine with dry ingredients. Bake in a hot oven.

FACE the FACTS

LET us face the facts. The war situation is critical. Unless the Allies fight as they never yet have fought, defeat threatens. Hungry men cannot fight at their best; nor hungry nations. France, England, and Italy are going hungry unless we feed them.

Wheat Saving—They must have wheat. It is the best food to fight on. It is the easiest to ship. We alone can spare it to them. By saving just a little—less than a quarter of what we ate last year—we can support those who are fighting our battles. And we can do it without stinting ourselves. We have only to substitute another food just as good.

The Corn of Plenty—Corn is that food. There's a surplus of it. Providence has been generous in the hour of our need. It has given us corn in such bounty as was never known before. Tons of corn. Trainloads of corn. Five hundred million bushels over and above our regular needs. All we have to do is to learn to appreciate it. Was ever patriotic duty made so easy? And so clear?

America's Own Food—Corn! It is the true American food. The Indians, hardiest of races, lived on it. Our forefathers adopted the diet and conquered a continent. For a great section of our country it has long been the staff of life. How well the South fought on it, history tells. Now it can help America win a world war.

Learn Something—Corn! It isn't one food. It's a dozen. It's a cereal. It's a vegetable. It's a bread. It's a dessert. It's nutritious; more food value in it, dollar for dollar, than meat or eggs or most other vegetables. It's good to eat; how good you don't know until you've had corn-bread properly cooked. Best of all, it's plentiful and it's patriotic.

Corn's Infinite Variety—How much do you know about corn? About how good it is? About the many delicious ways of cooking it? And what you miss by not knowing more about it? Here are a few of its uses:

There are at least fifty ways to use corn meal to make good dishes for dinner, supper, lunch or breakfast. Here are some suggestions:

HOT BREADS	DESSERTS
Boston brown bread.	Corn-meal molasses cake.
Hoecake.	Apple corn bread.
Muffins.	Dumplings.
Biscuits.	Gingerbread.
Griddle-cakes.	Fruit gems.
Waffles.	

HEARTY DISHES

Corn-meal croquettes. Corn-meal fish balls.
Meat and corn-meal dumplings.
Italian polenta. Tamales.

The recipes are in Farmers' Bulletin 565, "Corn Meal as a Food and Ways of Using It," free from the Department of Agriculture.

We Need Your Help Right Now

The American Red Cross Society

Advertise your wants in The Holt Weekly News

COME IN ASK ABOUT IT

JOIN OUR CHRISTMAS BANKING CLUB with 5 cents and in 50 weeks HAVE $63.75

Just one little Nickel will start you in our 5 cent club; or you can start with 10 cts, 2 cents or 1 cent and increase your deposit the same amount each week.

In 50 Weeks
10 Cent Club Pays $127.50
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Or begin with the largest payment first and decrease the payments each week.

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Are You Eating To Win the War?

This Newspaper recommends Today's Housewife to every patriotic woman who wishes to help win the great war

Today's Housewife is especially needed by every homemaker in the present war-crisis, because the seven Courses in Domestic Science now running in the magazine help housewives to better select, prepare and conserve food supplies, to cut down waste, and at the same time to add to the health and welfare of the entire family.

Today's Housewife is the only magazine that maintains a model home where cookery recipes, new household devices, cleaning methods, etc., are put to practical tests before their appearance in the pages of the magazine.

The monthly lesson on "Cookery, Foods and Nutrition" under the direction of Caroline Hunt of the Department of Agriculture, is alone worth the price of a ten-year subscription not only to the woman who follows each lesson but to the government of the United States in helping to win the terrific war with the Central Empires of Europe.

Favorite Magazine of Home-loving Women

REMEMBER, better homemaking is the ideal back of TODAY'S HOUSEWIFE, its reason for existence, its earnestly planned-for goal. Better homemaking in its largest sense, with the spiritual and mental no less than the material needs of the family in view; homemaking as the biggest of woman's opportunities rather than housekeeping as the most dreary of woman's drudgeries.

Today's Housewife

While Today's Housewife stands in a class by itself in its practical value to homemakers, it is also noteworthy for its wonderfully inspiring editorials and special articles, for its clean, delightful stories, and its beautiful illustrations and covers by leading artists. Over one million women agree that TODAY'S HOUSEWIFE is worth several times the price of 10 cents per copy.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Peter Sorter went to Warren Monday on business.

Dr. Turley, the Dentist, will be here next Tuesday Feb. 19th.

Mr. Ruehman and J. E. Erickson drove to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

R. Reierson went to Crookston Saturday to attend the Farm Crops Show.

Mrs. A. L. Sagstuen and son, Carsten, went to Warren Tuesday on business.

Miss Gunhild Sollom who teaches near Viking, spent Sunday with her mother and family.

Several from this vicinity went to T. R. Falls to hear A. C. Townley's speech on Tuesday afternoon.

C. G. Mugg of Grand Forks will be here Feb. 22 to 28, to test eyes and fit glasses. Call and see him.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and two children went to Thief River Falls Saturday to visit relatives over Sunday.

A. J. Bjerk went to Crookston on Monday to attend the Farm Crops Show and visit at the home of his daughter there for a few days.

Richard Joringdal received word Friday to be in Alexandria Feb. 12th for physical examination for the army draft. Mr. Joringhal departed Monday.

The creamery board met last week Thursday and let the ice job to Carl Johnson. They meet next Tuesday to take up the unfinished business before them.

A sweet 7 1-2 lb. baby boy made its advent to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Gubrud Feb. 7th. Mother and baby are doing fine. Congratulations.

Ole Johnson and Clarence Docken received notice from the draft board not to report for examination this week as they would not be needed in the next call.

P. L. Anderson went to St. Hilaire Friday to visit his parents, also attending the Crookston Farm Crop Show before returning here Tuesday. Mr. Anderson expects to leave Holt permanently to day for his home in St. Hilaire until called into Uncle Sam's service. The best wishes of Pete's numerous friends will follow him.

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.

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In connection with teams and rigs
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Holt, Minn.

Transport Sunk

The transport Tuscania with over 2200 men on board, mostly U. S. soldiers, was sunk by a submarine last week Wednesday night in the Irish sea and 171 lives were lost. Abuot 145 were soldiers and the other 26 members of the crew, the most of whom were killed when the torpedo struck the ship.

This terrible tragedy ought to unite this country.

Liable For Military Duty.

The following young men have passed the physical examination for the army draft:

P. L. Anderson, Oscar Knutson, Eddie Davidson, George Svenkeson, Richard Joringdal, Andrew and Jesse Sorum.

Passed for limited military service: Hilmer Davidson for a skilled machanic, Joseph Nelson, teamster or commissary service and Hjalmer Peterson was put in class Five.

Just how many of these young men will be called next week, seems a little uncertain, but P. L. Anderson is almost sure to go as he has enlisted as a volunteer in case he is not in the next draft.

Big Patriotic Meeting

Back From The Trenches.

Strand Theatre Warren, Minn.

Thursday, Feb. 28. 2:30 P. M.

Dr. Julius Lincoln, member of the United States Food Administration Commission, who has been to England and France and in the trenches to investigate conditions, will be at Warren on the above named date. He will give us first hand information as to conditions "over there." Come and hear this splendid speaker. FREE.

David Johnson, E. M. Mitchell and A. N. Eekstrom, Committee.

Pay your taxes at Holt State Bank

Annie Erickson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Coppey and family Sunday.

Carl Johnson commenced filling the creamery ice house yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simonson visited at J. E. Erickson's Wednesday of last week.

Next Tuesday Feb. 19 is the date of Dr. J. T. Turley, dentist, next visit in Holt.

Mesdames B. Docken and B. J Bakke went to T. R. Falls Friday to visit relatives.

G. Gubrud returned Monday from a few days visit with relatives at Winona, Minn.

Rev. Ordahl called at J. E. Erickson Tuesday and took a load of wood home with him.

Postmaster Engebretsen was a foot passenger for Thief River Falls yesterday morning.

Rev Kilen will preach here next Sunday at 2 and 8:00 P. M. in the Free Mission church.

We've had a few spring like days, but t'was too early to stay, and now we're getting our pay.

Miss Ruth Knutson who has been sick in the hospital at T. R. Falls came home Wednesday.

Next week we will commence the publication of the serial story, "The Man without a Country."

Miss Luella Johnson returned Tuesday to Middle River after a few days visit with relatives and friends.

A party living south east of T. R Falls came up Sunday to look at J. E. Erickson's colt which is for sale.

J. A. Sorum went to T. R. Falls to hear Townley speak on Tuesday afternoon and from there he went to Crookston to attend the Farm Crops Show.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 1 o'clock.

Services next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

The Ladies Aid will serve lunch in the church basement on Thursday afternoon Feb. 28. All invited.

Chronic Headache

If you have not received permanent relief from remedies, call on C. G. MUGG, Optomoric Specialist, and see if he cannot benefit you.
This proposition applies to Defective Eyes and Glasses.

HE WILL BE AT

Holt, Feb. 22 to 28.

Should Be Sent to Federal Prison

The Oslo Tribune last week gave an account of a man calling himself Rev. James B. Gray, who is being held in the county jail at Park Rapids, in default of $200 bonds, on a disloyalty charge.

This fellow was in Holt sometime last summer. He claimed to be doing missionary work and solicited funds ostensibly for that purpose, but for his personal use, his real purpose being to sow the seeds of discontent with the government and disloyalty in general. Postmaster Engebretsen reported Gray to the Federal authorities, who failed to get sufficient evidence for his arrest. Since then he has been arrested and fined for vagrancy at both Badger and Argyle, but now they seem to have a stronger charge against him, which ought to send him to a Federal prison for the duration of the war, and then some.

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Clarence Kolden went to T. R. Falls Monday on business.

C. Schwartz and son Ernest, visited at J. E. Erickson's Saturday.

Miis Agnes Bakke came Monday for several days visit with relatives.

Georgia Ruehman visited J. E. Erickson Saturday evening of last week.

Dr. R. L. Olson went to T. R. Falls Monday to consult Drs. Mellby and Pauson.

Editor Smith of the Goodridge paper has enlisted in the army. A. O. Halvorson principal of the Goodridge school has purchased the paper.

Minnesota has been called on to furnish 6500 men to help build ships. These men, if of draft age, will be put in deferred classes. High wages are paid ship builders and in the case of married men the wives receive an allowance from the government.

Waste nothing. Save the waste and help to win this terrible war.

Possibly some cannot afford to buy Bonds, but almost any man, woman or child can buy Thrift Stamps and help the cause of Liberty.

A Crying Need

There is a crying need of price fixing all along the line. Poor people cannot afford many of the real necessities of life, at the prices they are held at. Many substitutes for wheat are much higher than the wheat flour itself. Barley prices are soaring sky high, since the agitation for greater use of barley flour and other substitutes. Congress has the same power to set the selling price of barley and barley flour, as of wheat and wheat flour. Congress should get busy at once on this.

The less money people have to spend for the necessities of life, the more they will have for Liberty Bonds and Thrift Stamps and War Saving Certificates.

Write to your Senators and Congressman urging immediate action in these matters.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Chas Mattson visited at J. E. Erickson Friday evening.

Will Lyndahl of Ross has been in charge of the Holt creamery for the past week.

Miss Inez Alkenbrack came from T. R. Falls Saturday for a short visit.

Henry Wegge and Chris Rustad were T. R. Falls business callers Tuesday.

Alice Sollum visited at J. E. Erickson's Saturday and Sunday of last week.

The United States Department of Agriculture calls upon the country to double poultry production this year. Each farm should have 100 hens, and each backyard of every family should have two hens for each person in that particular family.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Dr. R. E. Spinks
Physician and Surgeon
Office at Drug Store
Middle River, Minn.

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To sinking fund	6 44
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Number of patrons, 32

Price paid for butter fat, 53c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

John Simonson $69.45

T. B. FOLDEN, Secretary.

Honor Roll

Peter S. Kolden
S. S. Norlina, U. S. Navy

Bentley Nelson
Somewhere in France

Willie Hoel
Ft. Crook, Neb.

Ernest Kuehne
Camp Cody, N. Mex.

Leonard Jefferson

At Naval Training Stations

Ben Nyberg
Dehard Johnson
Albert Bjerk
Clarence Swan

Coast Artillery, San Fransisco

Rudolph Reierson
Willie Sorum
Victor Johnson
Ed Bjerk

New Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
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All work guaranteed satisfactory
Richard Joringdal, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.47
Oats	77
Barley	1.31 to 1.56
Rye	2.00
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

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Announcement

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I have opened a New Garage in the Reierson Machinery Building New Tools. New Outfit, Everything New. All kinds of auto repairing and engine work.

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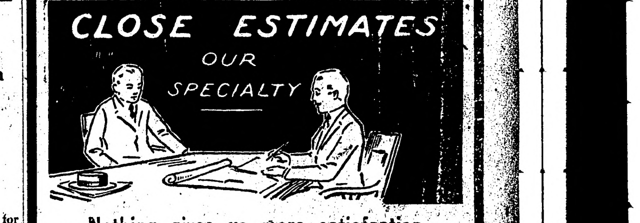

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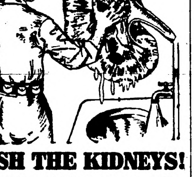

WASH THE KIDNEYS!

All the blood in the body passes thru the kidneys every few minutes. This is why the kidneys play such an important role in health or disease. By some mysterious process the kidney selects what ought to come out of the blood and takes it out. If the kidneys are not good-workmen and become congested—poisons accumulate and we suffer from backache, headache, lumbago, rheumatism or gout. The urine is often cloudy, full of sediment; channels often get sore and sleep is disturbed at night. So it is that Dr. Pierce, of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y., advises "Washing the Kidneys," by drinking six to eight glasses of water between meals and then if you want to take a harmless medicine that will clear the channels and cure the annoying symptoms, go to your druggist and get Anuric (double strength), for 60c. This "Anuric," which is so many times more potent than lithia—will drive out the uric acid poisons and bathe the kidneys and channels in a soothing liquid.

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WITTY AMID FALLING SHELLS

Irishman Within an Inch of Death Answered Superior's Fool Question With Ready Humor.

As Private Mulligan of the ——th Irish was leaning against the sandbag parapet, dividing his period of guard between nervous glances through the battered periscope and day-dreams of the little colleen back in the Emerald isle, a noisy shell of the 59 pattern insinuated its brazen nasal organ into the earth about two feet in front of Pat's parapet, thereby making a far different channel of thought for the Irishman.

After the smoke had cleared a little and the confusion subsided a subaltern in action for the first time protruded his startled vision from a nearby dugout, and gazed in horror on the only visible portion of Patrick that being his head, and in a voice of plaintive inquiry asked:

"Er—er—Mulligan, was that a shell?"

For a moment Pat looked innumerable things at his superior, and then, remembering who he was, answered, keeping the sarcasm as much to himself as possible:

"No, sorr. Shure, it was only an explosive bullet, sorr!"

Afraid of Churches.

"You seldom go to church."

"No. I was married in one."—Detroit Free Press.

And in this era of man-hunting, lots of men are "stalking" the field.

POSTUM DAILY

Your comfortable, healthy, well-to-do neighbor uses INSTANT POSTUM instead of coffee.

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"There's a Reason"

PEACE WITH UKRAINIA

Teutonic Powers Sign Separate Treaty With Republic.

Result May Be Break With Bolsheviki, As Trotzky Is Expected To Make Fight.

Amsterdam, Feb. 12.—Berlin officially announces the signing of a separate peace treaty between the Teutonic powers and the Ukraine at Brest-Litovsk.

Later unofficial dispatches from Berlin and Vienna said:

"Germany and Austria have signed peace with the Ukrainian Republic. This would indicate that Bulgaria and Turkey are not parties to the contract."

The completion of the pact with Ukraine surprised no one in responsible quarters here, or in the Allied countries. But intense interest is focused on what course the negotiations between the Teutonic powers and the Bolsheviki at Brest-Litovsk now will take.

The general expectation is that the Bolsheviki not only will refuse to recognize the Ukraine-Teuton treaty, but may even precipitate a break at Brest-Litovsk, as the pact was signed on the Ukrainian side, not by a central government representing all of the 30,000,000 inhabitants of this richest part of Russia's grain-growing country, the great "Black belt," but by the elements adhering to the recently proclaimed independent Ukrainian Republic and hostile to the Bolsheviki.

Discussing the peace negotiations, the Nordeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung says that no further concessions to the Russians will be permitted. "Should the peace negotiations with Ukraine materialize, the development of peace negotiations with Trotzky may be a matter of indifference to us," the paper adds.

ASKING GRAIN RULES CHANGE

Three Northwestern States Take Up Matter In Washington.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Minnesota, North and South Dakota have united here on a program to bring about changes in the Federal grain standards.

Congressional delegates from the three states met with O. P. B. Jacobson, Colonel March and E. R. Renke of Minnesota, A. J. Aandahl of the North Dakota railroad commission, and P. W. Murphy, South Dakota railroad commissioner, and decided to put the case directly to Secretary David F. Houston of the Department of Agriculture.

A subcommittee composed of the five local men was named to draft resolutions on the changes desired. These will be passed Monday and will be taken to Secretary Houston Tuesday.

One proposal to be submitted is that a commission composed of a practical grain man appointed by the governor in each state that grows at least 100,000,000 bushels of grain annually, met with Mr. Houston to formulate the new standards.

WOULD CUT AVIATORS' PAY

Senate Committee Gets Bill Recommended By Pershing.

Washington, Feb. 12.—On a report from General Pershing that aviation is not extra-hazardous service, Secretary Baker has submitted to the Senate military committee a bill to repeal all extra allowances in the aviation service, averaging 50 per cent.

"Flying duty is no more hazardous that duty with other combat troops and involves nothing like the hardships endured by troops which occupy trenches," said General Pershing. "Such laws are productive of improper balance in rank and pay which result in injustice to other arms and are no longer necessary in order to get personnel."

The measure submitteed by Secretary Baker also would create a new grade of "aviator" to be filled by specially qualified civilians paid $150 monthly.

DIPLOMATIC COURIERS HELD

Detained In Stockholm For Lack of Passports.

Stockholm, Feb. 12.—All diplomatic couriers on their way to Petrograd have been detained in Stockholm because of instructions received by the Finnish minister here to vise no passports for foreigners.

Ira Nelson Morris, American minister, received information from Tornea, on the Finnish border, that a train had left for Petrograd, but that there was no certainty that it would get through to the Russian capital.

A Swedish relief boat left for Mahty-Luoto, taking provisions and money furnished by Minister Morris for the American consul at Helsingfors.

Canadians Sing French Songs.

An Atlantic Port, Feb. 12.—Seventeen hundred Canadian soldiers, invalided home, but all in good enough health to take care of themselves, joined in singing the songs of the trenches as the ship on which they arrived here from Europe was warped into her berth. The majority of the men had been abroad since 1914, and were discharged from hospitals only a short time ago. Ten Canadian nurses who had seen service abroad and whose health was impaired, also were among the passengers.

A KLONDIKE TO THE REAL FARMER

A Western Canada Crop Estimated at $12,000, Makes $19,000.

Messrs. Harris, formerly of Audubon, Iowa, wrote the "Audubon Advocate," expressing their satisfaction of things in Western Canada. They located at Makepeace, Alberta. They say there are those who make good, and those who fail. The former are those that land agents refer to when advertising their land. "But," continues the letter, "A great many of the farmers in this vicinity pay for their land with their first crop. A man near here bought a section of land in the year 1915 for $23 per acre. He broke 300 acres of the land during the summer of 1915. In the fall of 1916 he threshed 16,000 bushels of wheat, which paid for his land, all expenses and had a balance of $4,000. In the fall of 1917 he threshed nearly as much off the other half of the section. At the present time he would not take $50 per acre for his land.

"We have had five crops in Alberta. The two dry years (1914-1917) our wheat made 20 and 30 bushels to the acre respectively. In 1916 we raised 50 bushels of wheat to the acre on summer fallow. The best results are obtained by plowing or breaking in the summer, working it down in the fall so that it will retain the moisture. Thus farming one-half your ground each year.

"Persons owning land here and still living in the States should, if they don't feel themselves able to come up here and finance themselves until they could get their first crop, get some of their land broken and worked down in the fall before they come. The next spring they could come and put in the crop, fence and put up their buildings. This way they have to wait only one summer for their first crop.

"It is not advisable for a person to come here in the spring, break out land and put it in crop the first year, because the moisture is not in the ground and a failure is almost certain unless it is an exceptionally wet year.

"One of the boys from that locality, Mr. Peder M. Jensen came to Alberta last spring. He bought a 30-60 Rumely Oil-Pull engine on the 8th day of June, 1917. After that date he broke 1,100 acres of prairie sod for which he received an average of $5.00 per acre.

"Mr. Hansen from your community, was up here last fall with several prospective land buyers from that neighborhood. At that time he inquired the value of the crop on the section we were farming. We told him that it would probably make in the neighborhood of $12,000. This same crop when sold brought nearly $19,000. The most of it being sold when prices were low for the year."—Advertisement.

Call Again.

The young "pride of the family" had been to school for the first time in his short six years.

"What did you learn?" asked his mother, as mothers always ask one the afternoon after the morning before.

Little Johnny frowned.

"I didn't learn nothin'," he replied. "I have to go back tomorrow."

The man with a wrist watch has time on his hands.

After all, the speculator is a sort of bargain counter.

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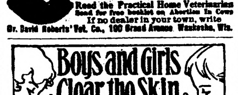

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Youth's Desires Should Rather Be Cause of Smiles.

Grandma Says There Is Bound to Come a Time In Every Girl's Life When She Wants to Put on Woman's Clothes.

"I am worried about Sue Charlotte," observed Mrs. Bardunkle. "She wants to be a young lady and wear corsets and a belt and high heels like Roberta Cublets, and I want her to be a girl for a while yet, and wear loose clothes and low heels, and be athletic and childlike."

"Oh, let the girl wear anything she wants to," urged Roberta's grandma. "She will get tired of being a lady and want to be a girl again before long. High heels and things look exciting a long way off, but as soon as a sensible girl like Charlotte finds out that they hurt she will have nothing more to do with them.

"I remember how it was when I was a girl. I wanted corsets and belts and things that were ladylike and uncomfortable. But, of course, my mother wouldn't let me have any of them and I had to get them on the sly.

"Why, I can remember when the desire to wear those things was so strong in me that I grabbed an old pair that I found on a heap of discards. They weren't all there, but I hugged them to my bosom, and what's more, I put them on. It was a struggle, for I was rather a stout girl and the garment was designed for a more slender and waspish waist than mine. I also found an old belt which I persuaded two stout girls to strap around me the way transfer men strap trunks.

"One day my mother saw me thus arrayed, my ample waist transformed into what I thought was something waspish, and she almost fainted with surprise besides exploding with amusement. I didn't mind the surprise, but the amusement wasn't what I wished to excite, so I took the things off and was glad to be comfortable once more."

"I went through the same thing," observed Bardunkle, "with my first collar, long pants and socks. They didn't have any boy's size collars in my day, and I looked the town over trying to find one. I think size 11 was what I wanted and I had to compromise on size 16 and celluloid at that; and the thing had a way of parting from the tie in front. Stockings transformed into socks were hard to manage, too, and they had a way of coming down and dangling around my feet in spite of various ingenious devices which I employed to keep them up. Cuffs also refused to be violetlike and protruded some six or seven inches.

"My efforts to be a man provided very fair comedy, but I persisted until I got a collar I could not draw my head down through. It was a lady's collar that I pinned to the inside of my coat collar. I was indeed proud and happy on that day. Socks, however, are still a bugbear, and I will be glad when a sensible substitute is provided.

"So I, too, say let the girl go ahead and have a throw at the woman's game if she thinks it will be fun. She will soon get tired of it and chuck the whole business."

"I'm not so sure of it," replied Mrs. Bardunkle sadly. "You haven't chucked the manly cigars and tobacco yet."—Chicago News.

Peculiarities of Birdmen.

That aviators have their own peculiarities in driving and can be identified as certainly as the telegraph sender can be recognized by the story told here by Lieut. R. G. Searson of Pittsburgh, now a member of the Royal Canadian Flying corps.

"When Major Bishop, the American flyer, who has won so much fame at the French front, takes the air," said Searson, "he can be easily identified. The machine moves with the instinct of a bird, so graceful and devoid of jerks is the movement. When Capt. Vernon Castle mounts, even if one does not see him enter the machine before he rises, his presence is betrayed by the plane's peculiar display of dancing in the air, as we call it."

Children Operate Furnace.

A certain element of romance in steel making is suggested in an account received from England of the operation of a two-ton electric steel furnace at Sheffield, says the Scientific American. The furnace is entirely hand operated through a control worked in conjunction with recording ammeters; but the chief point is the size of the operator. A boy of fourteen or fifteen runs the furnace constantly, and other furnaces of this particular type are now operated in the same manner by girls, owing to the scarcity of male labor. The whole is an object lesson in the steadiness and simplicity of the new type of steel-making furnace. Such results would have been ridiculed only a few years ago.

Entire Family Serving Country.

With a husband and three sons—every male member of the family—enlisted in some unit of the United States army, Mrs. Virginia Cross of Denver, has made application for service as a Red Cross army nurse.

Dr. J. W. S. Cross, the husband and father, is a captain in the Medical corps, stationed at Fort Bliss, Tex.

The sons are Frank, twenty-four, Quartermaster's Reserve corps, Jacksonville, Fla.; Charles, twenty-one, coast defense, Fort Logan, Colo., and Wayne, seventeen, with the American expeditionary forces in France.

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Literal.

Agnes, aged three, had got some butter on her hand, and to get it off she put her hand around her mother's waist and wiped her hand on her mother's apron. Her mother said: "Is this an embrace?" "No," Agnes replied. "It's butter."

Its Particular Style.

"What kind of a coach did you get for your examinations?"

"An old college hack."

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"That man eats onions!"

"What a deplorable ostentation of wealth!"

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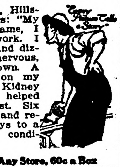
You can't afford to be laid up with sore, aching kidneys in these days of high prices. Some occupations bring kidney troubles; almost any work makes weak kidneys worse. If you feel tired all the time, and suffer with lame back, sharp pains, dizzy spells, headaches and disorderd kidney action, use Doan's Kidney Pills. It may save an attack of rheumatism, dropsy, or Bright's disease. Doan's have helped thousands back to health.

A North Dakota Case



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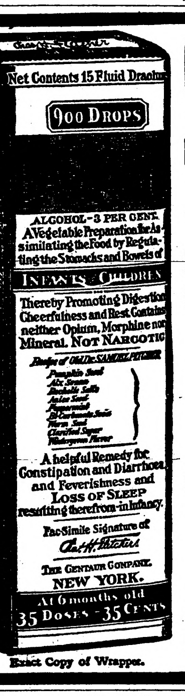

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Judge Ben B. Lindsay said in an address before a wayfarer's lodge in Chicago:

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Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operation.

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To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a son we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell you where you can best serve the combined interest.

Western Canada's help will be required not later than April 5th. Wages to competent help, $50.00 a month and up, board and lodging.

Those who respond to this appeal will get a warm welcome, good wages, good board and find comfortable homes. They will get a rate of one cent a mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return.

For particulars as to routes and places where employment may be had apply to: **U. S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

PORTER HAD HIS SUSPICIONS

And Really There Seemed Some Reason to Believe That Traveler Had Inside Information.

Joseph H. Ingleheart, an attorney of Evansville, was in Indianapolis a few days ago and when he reached Terre Haute en route home and got on a passenger train on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad, he decided he would take a sleeper. He looked up the porter and told him he wished a berth. He was due in Evansville at 11 o'clock that night and the porter remonstrated, saying that it was a three hours' ride and that no one needed a sleeper for that short distance.

"I don't care," shouted Igleheart. "I want a berth if it's only a three minutes' ride." The porter said he would have to see the conductor and later returned and told Mr. Igleheart that he could have a berth.

Owing to a heavy snowstorm and bad weather conditions the train arrived at six o'clock the next morning at Evansville, being seven hours late. When Igleheart got up he greeted the porter who was standing in the aisle. The porter was angry and after Igleheart had spoken to him the second time, he said: "Don't you speak to me, white man. How did you know that we were going to have this lay-out?"—Indianapolis News.

Surely Meatless Day.

They didn't violate "meatless day" after all.

Food conservation hath its heroes and heroines no less than war.

A young housewife bought herself a lamb stew, and that evening set it forth for the delectation of her husband.

The stew was mostly lamb bone, the husband thought, as he searched the dish for a bit of meat.

His probe proved unsuccessful.

But he didn't say anything.

Neither did his wife, but she was thinking a lot.

All of a sudden the husband spoke up.

"Why, this is meatless day!" he gasped, horror struck in remembrance.

His wife looked sadly at the dish.

"It is," she said, grimly.

Terrible Strain.

"We have a new boarder in our house. He came a week ago and nobody has been able to find out anything about him."

"Remarkable."

"Yes. The landlady says he will either have to talk about himself or leave. Six lady boarders are on the verge of nervous prostration as a result of baffled curiosity."

Worth While Quotation.

"A laugh is just like sunshine—it brightens all the day."

It is sometimes difficult to convince the world that you have brains unless you have money.

There are lots of people you'd willingly give the last word—if only they'd hurry to it.

WHERE HE GOT HIS SCARS

Battered-Up Specimen of Humanity Had Sad Story to Tell, but Not of Battles.

"My good man," said the kind old lady to the sad wreck of humanity she met in a lane, "you look like an old soldier. I'm sure you've seen many battles."

"Yes, mum; I've bin in wars in my time; I'll carry these scars to the grave, shure I shall. Yer see this ear o' mine, mum; there's a tidy piece gone out o' that. And see the top o' me nose; a tidy dent there, too, mum. Well, they wor both done in one day. The missiles did fly that day, an' no mistake."

"What battle was it, my good man?"

"Well, mum, it worn't exactly a battle. Yer see, it wor like this. I wor a cab-driver, and I had to drive the newly married folks to the station. This dent in my nose wor done by a hob-nailed boot; this bit out o' my ear is the result of a well-aimed horseshoe; this lump on my jaw was done by a bag of uncooked rice; but wait till I show yer me back, mum."

But the old lady had vanished.

Oyster Beds for Great Salt Lake.

Plans have been made to bring the propagation of oysters in Bear River bay, Salt Lake, Utah, this spring, says Popular Mechanics Magazine in an illustrated article. Experiments and scientific study of local conditions have indicated, to the satisfaction of the state fish and game commissioner, that the enterprise is a thoroughly feasible one. Analysis has shown that the percentage of salt in the water is practically the same as in ocean oyster beds. In searching for a desirable section of the bay to commence operations, those in charge of the work used an amphibious craft built particularly for navigating shallow waters and negotiating salt and mud bars. The boat, a long, narrow motor-driven scow, is provided with side wheels that propel it through the water and across mud.

Lesson in Geography.

Readers of General Allenby's dispatches, unfamiliar with the peculiarities of the Dead sea, were not a little puzzled at his description of British airplanes flying four hundred feet below the sea level. But reference to a geography brought the information which solved the riddle; the Dead sea lies 1,292 feet below the surface of the Mediterranean, so that airplanes sailing four hundred feet below sea level were still at an elevation of eight hundred and ninety-two feet. Lessons in geography abound in the papers nowadays!

Good Reason.

"I've cut out smoking lately."

"How'd that happen?"

"Going with a different crowd now."

Half a loaf is better than a whole loafer.

Some people use religion as a cloak and some use it as an umbrella.

YOU COOK YOUR FOOD—WHY NOT YOUR TOBACCO?

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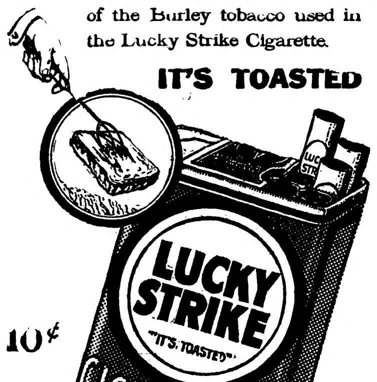

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DEATH ON GALLOWS

Modern German Pirates Deserve Fate of Buccaneers of Old.

Sailors Serving on United States Merchant Marine Today Knew Man Who Remembered Fate of Spanish Freebooters.

Stories of piratical methods employed by German submarine commanders in burning undefended merchant vessels and mistreating defenseless crews are no novelty to thousands of mariners on the Atlantic coast, such as are now enrolling for service in the new merchant marine.

Some of these sailors, who are to man the emergency fleet of merchant ships being constructed for the United States shipping board to take supplies to our armies in France, actually knew men who suffered at the hands of the last pirates of the Spanish main, whose methods were similar to those of the Germans.

Among the men who reported for duty as mates recently at the recruiting headquarters of the shipping board were some from the Massachusetts coast who had known a survivor of the last ship taken by Spanish pirates of the Caribbean. This was Capt. Thomas Fuller of Salem, who died in 1906 at the age of ninety-four.

Captain Fuller was able seaman in the crew of the brig Mexican of Salem in 1832 when, laden with saltpeter and tea, with $20,000 in silver stowed under the cabin floor, she sailed from her home port for Rio.

On August 29, near the coast of Cuba, the schooner was held up by a vessel described as "a long, low, straight topsail schooner of about 150 tons, painted black," which hailed and requested the captain of the Mexican to send a boat alongside with his papers.

The boat was sent, and came back in charge of an ill-looking armed crew of pirates from the Spanish main, who drove the crew of the Mexican below decks, fastened down the hatches, and began looting the vessel. Finding the silver, they sent it aboard their own ship.

The pirates next cut the sails and rigging of the brig to pieces and started a fire in the galley on deck, which they expected would soon destroy the brig. They then departed for their own vessel, and sailed away in search of other victims.

But they had neglected to fasten down the cabin skylight. Through this the brig's captain crawled, and, getting to the fire, splashed water on it until he had it in control. He then caused it to smoke heavily until the enemy was out of sight.

The crew rerigged their vessel, and favored by a gale made their escape from such a dangerous neighborhood.

Salem sailors today recall with satisfaction that the long arm of justice meted out retribution to the pirates.

A few months later a Salem vessel was in the harbor of St. Thomas, when a low, black schooner anchored near her. The Salem captain was suspicious, and inventing an excuse went aboard the schooner for a call. On her deck he saw two spars painted black which he recognized as belonging to the Mexican.

That night the stranger left the harbor, but the Salem captain notified a British man-of-war captain of her character.

A few months later the British brig-of-war Curlew, caught the black stranger in the Nazareth river, a slaving locality on the west coast of Africa. The pirate crew fled to the shore and found shelter with a native. They were hunted hard, and four were taken. Later 11 others were taken at Fernando Po and St. Thomas.

The pirates were conveyed to Boston for trial, and found guilty of the attack on the Mexican. Their captain, Pedro Gilbert, assumed innocence and the air of an injured gentleman. He was found guilty, with four others. In sentencing the five to death, Judge Joseph Story used language that reduced the court to tears, closing with these words to the condemned men: "And in bidding you, as far as I can presume to know, an eternal farewell, I offer up my earnest prayer that Almighty God may in his infinite mercy and goodness have mercy on your souls."

The five men were hanged in Boston and with their exit piracy ended in the western world.

How They Became Sammies.

It has been reserved to the [illegible] Figaro to discover, in the American slang dictionary, the "true" origin of the term "Sammy" as expressive of the American "Tommy," says the Christian Science Monitor. The expression did not originate in France, but at West Point, in 1870 when a certain Lieutenant Mills was manager of the mess. The fare included some formidable sandwiches of bread and molasses. Only the cadet who had consumed six of these substantial sandwiches in succession was allowed to bear the appellation of "Sammy." All of which sounds like a very plausible attempt, on the part of the French poilu, to disclaim credit for the cognomen which caused so much dissatisfaction with the American troops when it was first heard at a French landing port.

Can Now Buy Single Shoes.

Single shoes have been put on [illegible] London, marked at special prices. This has been done as a concession to the many one-legged men discharged from the army.

Thought Ownership Changed.

A little boy and his mother were seated across the aisle from me in the car and I asked the mother to let the boy ride with me. After sitting beside me a few minutes, he asked: "Do I belong to you now?"—Exchange.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

The Difference.

"That young actress, I see, is just mooning along."

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Seems Impossible.

"I can imagine many things, but—"

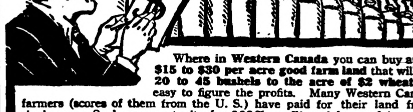
"But what?" "But a Russian making peace."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels. Ad.

At the Reception.

"What strange manners that author has," "Yes. If you didn't know he was a literary lion you'd mistake him for an educated pig."—Boston Transcript.

No excuse will serve when he who has been saved to service fails to serve.



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Where in Western Canada you can buy at from $15 to $30 per acre good farm land that will raise 20 to 45 bushels to the acre of $2 wheat — its easy to figure the profits. Many Western Canadian farmers (scores of them from the U. S.) have paid for their land from a single crop. Such an opportunity for 100% profit on labor and investment is worth investigation.

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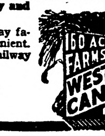

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Buffalo, N. Y.—"I am the mother of four children, and for nearly three years I suffered from a female trouble with pains in my back and side, and a general weakness. I had professional attendance most of that time but did not seem to get well. As a last resort I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which I had seen advertised in the newspapers, and in two weeks noticed a marked improvement. I continued its use and am now free from pain and able to do all my housework."—Mrs. B. B. Zielinska, 202 Weiss Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Portland, Ind.—"I had a displacement and suffered so badly from it at times I could not be on my feet at all. I was all run down and so weak I could not do my housework, was nervous and could not lie down at night. I took treatments from a physician but they did not help me. My Aunt recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I tried it and now I am strong and well again and do my own work and I give Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound the credit."—Mrs. Josephine Kimble, 935 West Race Street, Portland, Ind.

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Interchange.

"This prohibition proposition," commented Broncho Bob, "won't be workin' right for Crimson Gulch until Jugville gets just as dry as we are."

"Why should you care about a neighboring settlement?"

"Well, it's a little too close. Some of the boys are driftin' into the way of spending their money for liquor in Jugville and usin' old Crimson Gulch as a sort of dormitory to sleep it off."

Lots of men don't have to travel far when they go to the bad.

The Frank Butler.

William H. Crocker of San Francisco, who recently rebuilt a war wrecked French village at his own expense, tells, apropos of the wine shortage, an amusing story.

"A friend of mine," so Mr. Crocker's story runs—"is remarkable for the bad wines he keeps. My friend entertaining some rather important guests, one evening, turned to his new butler and said:

"Higgs, is this the best claret?"

"No, sir," said Higgs solemnly, "it ain't; but it's the best you've got.'"

Had a Better One.

Little Lillian was shopping with her mother when they came to the doll counter. "Don't you want to buy a baby doll for your friend's birthday present?" asked her mother. "I don't think she would like one," said Lillian; "you see they have a meat baby at their house already."

Easy to Borrow.

Some men feel sure that their credit is good because of the fact that they have never had any difficulty borrowing trouble.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Does the Itching Disturb Your Sleep?

A word of advice from Paris Medicine Co., Beaumont and Pine Sts. St. Louis, Mo. (Manufacturers of LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE and GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC.)

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Sugar Cost 35 Cents a Pound During Civil War—Refiners' Profits Now Curtailed.

Sugar is selling today throughout America at from 8½ to 9 cents a pound to the consumer, even though there is a world shortage which has reduced this nation's sugar allotment to 70 per cent. of normal.

Through the efforts of the United States food administration the sugar market has been regulated as far as the producer, refiner and wholesaler is concerned. The food administration has no power to regulate retail prices except by public opinion. Even though more than 85,000 tons of sugar have been shipped to France in the last four months the retail grocer's sugar price is around 8 to 8½ cents. He should sell this sugar at 8½ to 9 cents, the food administration believes, and asks the American housewife to pay no more than this amount.

Last August when the food administration was organized the price of sugar rose suddenly to 11 cents a pound. During the Civil War sugar cost the consumer 35 cents a pound. By regulation of the sugar market and reducing the price to 8½ and 9 cents and keeping it from advancing to 20 cents the food administration has saved the American public at least $180,000,000 in four months, according to a statement made by Herbert Hoover the other day.

"It is our stern duty to feed the allies, to maintain their health and strength at any cost to ourselves," Mr. Hoover declared. "There has not been, nor will be as we see it, enough sugar for even their present meagre and depressing ration unless they send ships to remote markets for it. If we in our greed and gluttony force them either to further reduce their ration or to send these ships we will have done damage to our abilities to win this war.

"If we send the ships to Java for 250,000 tons of sugar next year we will have necessitated the employment of eleven extra ships for one year. These ships—if used in transporting troops—would take 150,000 to 200,000 men to France."

Reason for World Shortage.

As Mr. Hoover pointed out, the United States, Canada and England were sugar importing countries before the war, while France and Italy were very nearly self supporting. The main sources of the world's sugar supply was Germany and neighboring powers, the West Indies and the East Indies.

German sugar is no longer available, as it is used entirely in Germany, which also absorbs sugar of surrounding countries.

England can no longer buy 1,400,000 long tons of sugar each year from Germany. The French sugar production has dropped from 750,000 to 210,000 tons. The Italian production has fallen from 210,000 tons to 75,000 tons. Thus three countries were thrown upon East and West Indian sources for 1,925,000 tons annually to maintain their normal consumption.

Because of the world's shipping shortage the allied nations started drawing on the West Indies for sugar; East Indian sugar took three times the number of ships, since the distance was three times as great. Suddenly the west was called on to furnish and did furnish 1,420,000 tons of sugar to Europe when 300,000 tons a year was the pre-war demand. The allies had drawn from Java 400,000 tons before the shipping situation became acute.

"In spite of these shipments," Mr. Hoover stated the other day, "the English government in August reduced the household sugar ration to a basis of 24 pounds per annum per capita. And in September the French government reduced their household ration to 13 2-10 pounds a year, or a bit over 1 pound of sugar a month. Even this meagre ration could not be filled by the French government it was found early in the fall. America was then asked for 100,000 tons of sugar and succeeded in sending 85,000 tons by December 1. The French request was granted because the American household consumption was then at least 55 pounds per person, and it was considered the duty of maintaining the French morale made our course clear."

Today the sugar situation may be summarized by stating that if America will reduce its sugar consumption 10 to 15 per cent. this nation will be able to send 200,000 more soldiers to France.

Sugar today sells at seaboard refineries at $7.25 a hundred pounds. The wholesale grocer has agreed to limit his profit to 25 cents a hundred plus freight, and the retail grocer is supposed to take no more than 50 cents a hundred pounds profit. This regulation was made by the food administration, which now asks the housewife to reduce sugar consumption as much as possible, using other sweeteners, and also reminds her that she should pay no more than 9 cents a pound for sugar.

Control of Cane Refiners' Profits.

"Immediately upon the establishment of the food administration," Mr. Hoover said, "an examination was made of the costs and profits of refining and it was finally determined that the spread between the cost of raw and the sale of refined cane sugar should be limited to $1.30 per hundred pounds. The pre-war differential had averaged about 85 cents and increased costs were found to have been imposed by the war in increased cost of refining, losses, cost of bags, labor, insurance, interest and other things, rather more than cover the difference. After prolonged negotiations the refiners were placed under agreement establishing these limits on October 1, and anything over this amount to be agreed extortionate under the law.

"In the course of these investigations it was found by canvass of the Cuban producers that their sugar had, during the first nine months of the past year, sold for an average of about $4.24 per hundred f. o. b. Cuba, to which duty and freight added to the refiners' cost amount to about $5.66 per hundred. The average sale price of granulated by various refineries, according to our investigation, was about $7.50 per hundred, or a differential of $1.84.

"In reducing the differential to $1.30 there was a saving to the public of 54 cents per hundred. Had such a differential been in use from the 1st of January, 1917, the public would have saved in the first nine months of the year about $24,800,000."

Next Year.

With a view to more efficient organization of the trade in imported sugars next year two committees have been formed by the food administration:

1. A committee comprising representatives of all of the elements of American cane refining groups. The principal duty of this committee is to divide the sugar imports pro rata to their various capacities and see that absolute justice is done to every refiner.

2. A committee comprising three representatives of the English, French and Italian governments; two representatives of the American refiners, with a member of the food administration. Only two of the committee have arrived from Europe, but they represent the allied governments. The duties of this committee are to determine the most economical sources from a transport point of view of all the allies to arrange transport at uniform rates, to distribute the foreign sugar between the United States and allies, subject to the approval of the American, English, French and Italian governments.

This committee, while holding strong views as to the price to be paid for Cuban sugar, has not had the final voice. This voice has rested in the governments concerned, together with the Cuban government, and I wish to state emphatically that all of the gentlemen concerned as good commercial men have endeavored with the utmost patience and skill to secure a lower price, and their persistence has reduced Cuban demands by 15 cents per hundred. The price agreed upon is about $4.60 per hundred pounds, f. o. b. Cuba, or equal to about $6 duty paid New York.

"This price should eventuate," Mr. Hoover said, "to about $7.30 per hundred for refined sugar from the refiners at seaboard points or should place sugar in the hands of the consumer at from 8½ to 9 cents per pound, depending upon locality and conditions of trade, or at from 1 to 2 cents below the prices of August last and from one-half to a cent per pound cheaper than today.

"There is now an elimination of speculation, extortionate profits, and in the refining alone the American people will save over $25,000,000 of the refining charges last year. A part of these savings goes to the Cuban, Hawaiian, Porto Rican and Louisianian producer and part to the consumer.

"Appeals to prejudice against the food administration have been made because the Cuban price is 34 cents above that of 1917. It is said in effect that the Cubans are at our mercy; that we could get sugar a cent lower. We made exhaustive study of the cost of producing sugar in Cuba last year through our own agents in Cuba, and we find it averages $3.39, while many producers are at a higher level. We found that an average profit of at least a cent per pound was necessary in order to maintain and stimulate production or that a minimum price of $4.37 was necessary, and even this would stifle some producers.

"The price ultimately agreed was 23 cents above these figures, or about one-fifth of a cent per pound to the American consumer, and more than this amount has been saved by our reduction in refiners' profits. If we wish to stifle production in Cuba we could take that course just at the time of all times in our history when we want production for ourselves and the allies. Further than that, the state department will assure you that such a course would produce disturbances in Cuba and destroy even our present supplies, but beyond all these material reasons is one of human justice. This great country has no right by the might of its position to strangle Cuba.

"Therefore there is no imposition upon the American public. Charges have been made before this committee that Mr. Rolph endeavored to benefit the California refinery of which he was manager by this 34 cent increase in Cuban price. Mr. Rolph did not fix the price. It does raise the price to the Hawaiian farmer about that amount. It does not raise the profit of the California refinery, because their charge for refining is, like all other refiners, limited to $1.30 per hundred pounds, plus the freight differential on the established custom of the trade.

"Mr. Rolph has not one penny of interest in that refinery."

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Hotel for sale on easy terms or for rent to a responsible party with the option of buying. Write or call on Sam Mickelson. Prop. Central Hotel
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Notice

The Annual Meeting of the Free Mission Church will be held in the church on Thursday Feb. 28th 1918, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business properly brot before the meeting.

The Ladies Aid will serve lunch.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Telephone Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Holt Telephone Co., will be held at the M. W. A. hall in Holt, on Monday Feb. 18th at one o'clock P. M., for the election of officers and to transact any other business that is properly brot before the meeting.

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y

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Butterfat	53,176.20 lbs
Per cent overrun	24.98
Butter made	66,460 lbs
Average gross price received for Butter	39.52
Average price paid for Butterfat	40.96
Average cost of making one pound of Butter	.03.23
RECEIPTS	
Bal on hand from last year $	3.83
Recd for Butter sold	26,280.70
Recd from other sources	62.31
Total Receipts	$26,346.84
DISBURSEMENTS	
Pd patrons for Butterfat	$21,783.10
Pd freight, commission	1,963.85
Pd to other sources	4.40
Pd running expenses	2,152.81
Pd to sinking fund	435.14
Balance on hand	7.54
Total Disbursed	$26,346.84

T. B. Folden, Secretary

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We will print Dr. Edward Everett Hale's Patriotic masterpiece, entitled

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Today's Housewife is especially needed by every homemaker in the present war-crisis, because the seven Courses in Domestic Science now running in the magazine help housewives to better select, prepare and conserve food supplies, to cut down waste, and at the same time to add to the health and welfare of the entire family.

Today's Housewife is the only magazine that maintains a model home where cookery recipes, new household devices, cleaning methods, etc., are put to practical tests before their appearance in the pages of the magazine.

The monthly lesson on "Cookery, Foods and Nutrition" under the direction of Caroline Hunt of the Department of Agriculture, is alone worth the price of a ten-year subscription not only to the woman who follows each lesson but to the government of the United States in helping to win the terrific war with the Central Empires of Europe.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

This is Washington's birthday.

Pay your personal property taxes.

Cleve Peterson was a Fargo visitor one day last week.

Eat more potatoes and save bread for the Sammies.

Tony Carlson was a T. R. Falls and Newfolden visitor Friday and Saturday.

Lever Olson went to T. R. Falls Monday to see his son in the hospital there.

If you wish to buy white flour now you must also buy the same amount of substitutes.

Chas. Hagglund went to T. R. Falls last week to take charge of a section for the G. N.

Miss Inanda Fosheim is taking a vacation this week from her duties in the Holt Merc. store.

The Ladies Aid will serve lunch in the church basement on Thursday afternoon Feb. 28. All invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson visited in T. R. Falls with friends and relatives from Saturday until Tuesday.

We commence the publication of the serial story, "A man without a Country," this week. Be sure to read it.

The Non-partisian League will hold a big meeting in the Woodman hall next Tuesday Feb. 26th. The public are invited.

Chas. Skoglund was elected director of the Holt Telephone Co. for a term of three years at the annual meeting last Monday.

Alfred C. Olson, Ole O. Johnson and Clarence Docken have been notified to be in Warren Tuesday to be examined for the army draft.

Albert Bennes has had the floor of his confectionery store scrapped and varnished so that it shines better than new. John Haggberg did the work.

The creamery board have hired Will Lindahl for the new buttermaker and we understand he will move his family here a little later in the season.

Andrew Tobison was called to Warren Monday to be examined for the army draft and remained there a few days to visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ben Eide and family.

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Joined the Flyers.

Tom Severson recently received word from his son, Herbert, that he had joined the aviation section of the army and that he expected to have a chance to fly before long. He wrote from California but was going to leave there the same day but on account of the government censorship of letters from soldiers, we are not permitted to tell where he is going.

Holt Boy Wounded

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nelson received a telegram last Friday that their son, Bently, had received a slight wound on the Wednesday before, but no other particulars were given. As the young man was in the machine gun corps and not in the trenches, it isn't likely that his wounds will prove serious and all hope for the best. This brings the war pretty close home to the people of this vicinity and all sympathize with the family in their anxiety while waiting for more news from France,

Warren, Minn, Feb. 16th.

Editor News:

Will you kindly do everything in your power to prevent the selling of Liberty Bonds by people in your district who have purchased them? Urge your merchants who are known to do so, not to exchange merchandise for bonds and not to accept Liberty Bonds, with some limitation of course, in satisfactions of debts. It is these things which defeat the purposes of the Government which is to obtain the widest possible distribution of bonds in order that the people as a whole might be co-partners with the Government in this war.

H. L. Wood, Chairman
General Executive Committee.

C. G. Mugg of Grand Forks will be here Feb. 22 to 28, to test eyes and fit glasses. Call and see him.

The Non-Partisian League invites everyone to come and hear the important issues of the day discussed at their meeting next Tuesday.

Barley now being used in the manufacture of beer, might better be used for making bread to feed our people at home and the boys in the army.

The board of Directors of School District No. 58 have borrowed funds of the state for building a new school house and they are advertising this issue for bids for that purpose.

E. M. Wilson, Jr., editor of The Oslo Tribune, has enlisted as a volunteer and expects to leave to-morrow for the training camp. Here's good luck to Bro. Wilson and a wish that he may return home in saefty.

Mrs. R. L. Olson went to Thief River Falls last week Thursday to visit her husband at the hospital, where he had a couple of minor operations performed. Mr. Olson is getting along nicely and expects to be home soon.

While coming to Holt Tuesday with the Golden Valley mail, Rudolph Dahl the carrier, met a load of hay and in turning out of the road his rig tipped over and his team ran away leaving himself and passengers unhurt and an eight mile walk into town with the mail.

Where now is the excuse for not closing the saloons, because people would be thrown out of employment. The government is continually sending out appeals for men in all the branches of the army, navy, clerks, shipbuildes and about all industries. Surely no one needs to be out of work at this time.

Southeast of Holt.

Mrs. S. Torgerson and Annie Knutson visited at Guttrude's Sunday afternoon.

Ole Johnson and John Olson were out hunting wolves Sunday but they did not get any.

Mrs. Carl Larson and son Gundervick visited at Molstad's Sunday afternoon.

Soren Moe and Albert Klungness made a business trip to Warren Tuesday Feb. 19th.

Halvor Moe and sister Thora visited at Ole Johnson Sunday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Sordahl entertained a few friends Sunday.

Daniel Ryggnestad returned home Monday after working for N. Gunderson for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson made a trip to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

The Dorcas Society will be entertained Feb. 23rd, by Mrs. Gunheim.

Anyone who goes to Washington, D. C. to enter the government service, can secure rooms and board at reasonable rates if they apply at the Regisfration Office at 1321 New York Ave. N. W. This office is conducted by the Council of Defense under the auspices of the U. S. Government.

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1-2 lb. prunes, Stick cinnamon, 1-2 cup sugar, cornstarch 1-4 to 1-2 cups, juice of 1 lemon. Wash the prunes and soak them in one pint of water over night. Boil in this water with the cinnamon strick until very well done. Remove the stones, add the lemon juice, mix the cornstarch thoroughly with the sugar and add to the prunes. If there is much liquid or if it is desired to mold the pudding, use 1-2 cup of cornstarch. If a softer pudding is desired, use 1-4 cup cornstarch, cook a few minutes after adding the sugar and cornstarch. Serve cold with milk or cream.

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If you have not received permanent relief from remedies, call on C. G. MUGG, Optomoric Specialist, and see if he cannot benefit you. This proposition applies to Defective Eyes and Glasses.

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Great as were Doctor Hale's contributions to the literature of his country, there is nothing in all his works which will live longer than his portrayal of Philip Nolan's unfortunate career. Since its first publication, now many years more than half a century ago, it has been considered a masterpiece of literature as well as an unequaled inspiration to patriotism. Especially to the young and impetuous does the story make a thrilling appeal and at the same time teaches a stern lesson. No American can read it without a keener sense of the duty which he owes to his country

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Leonard Jefferson

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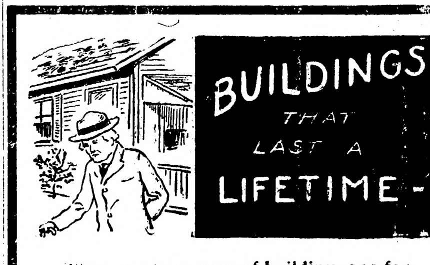
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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

European War News

Eight British craft which were hunting submarines have been sunk by a raiding flotilla of enemy destroyers, it is announced officially in London. After having sunk these vessels, seven of which were "drifters" and one a trawler, the enemy destroyers returned rapidly northward before they could be engaged.

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The British forces in Palestine made an advance of two miles on a front of six miles northeast of Jerusalem, the London war office announces.

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Germany has resolved to renew military activities against northern Russia. This decision is said to have been reached at a conference at imperial headquarters, special dispatches to London from Holland say. Invasion of Great Russia, it is added, will continue, at any rate until Petrograd is occupied by German troops.

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The Austrian emperor has issued at Vienna a manifesto, saying: "To My People: Thanks to God's gracious aid, we have concluded peace with Ukrainia. In common with my hard-tried people, I trust that after the first conclusion of peace, a general peace soon will be granted suffering humanity."

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Nineteen British merchantmen were sunk by mine or submarine in the last week, according to the admiralty statement issued in London. Of these 18 were vessels of 1,600 tons or more and six under that tonnage. Three fishing craft also were sunk.

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The French authorities at headquarters in France consider that the total number of the enemy now facing the French, British, American and Belgian troops, or held in reserve, aggregate 2,840,000 men.

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The Spanish steamer Ceferino has been sunk by a submarine near Ferro island, one of the Canary group. All the members of the crew were saved. They were towed by the submarine to the port of La Estaca, in the Canaries, says a dispatch from Madrid.

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German airplanes bombed Nancy, killing several civilians and wounding a number of others, the Paris war office reported.

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Commenting on the recent speech of the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, Count Czernin, in reply to President Wilson, Premier Lloyd George said in the house of commons in London that when it came to the real substance of the demands of the allies Count Czernin was adamant. The government, he added, did not recede in the least from its war aims, as they had been stated. It was no use, he said, crying peace when there was no peace.

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Domestic

A record in warship construction was established in the building of the U. S. S. Taylor, the successful launching of which at the Mare Island yard was announced by Secretary Daniels.

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Capt. Vernon Castle of the British royal flying corps was killed when flying in his airplane near Fort Worth. Castle had made over 150 flights over the German lines and was the hero of many exploits in the war zone. He had a national reputation as a dancer. His home was in New York. With his wife, also a graceful dancer, he attained great popularity.

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Chairman Hurley of the shipping board sent W. L. Hutcheson, general president of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, a second demand that he send striking ship carpenters back to work in Eastern shipyards, after Hutcheson had notified him that he was unable to induce the men to go back unless he was assured first of a definite arrangement as to working conditions.

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John H. Metzen, a Chicago lawyer, and Sezerion Oberdan, charged with being an I. W. W. leader, were tarred and feathered by a mob of 300 persons on the outskirts of Staunton, Ill. They then were driven out of town.

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Edward T. Wheed and Harry Lindrum, murderers, have paid the penalty of their crimes. They were hanged in accordance with the sentence of the court and jury in the old jail building of the criminal court structure at Chicago.

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One officer was killed and several sailors were seriously injured in an explosion on the U. S. battleship Utah. Lieutenant Commander Robert O. Baush of the Utah died at the naval hospital at Norfolk, Va., of a compound fracture of the skull.

Thousands of crippled freight cars, accumulated through the winter because of gross neglect of railroads in making repairs, occupy miles of tracks in eastern rail centers and are largely responsible for car shortage and traffic congestion, it was shown by reports of Interstate Commerce Commissioner McChord to Director General McAdoo.

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Samuel Gompers sent out a ringing appeal from Washington to American labor to stand by the government, and a reminder that it is labor's own liberty that hangs in the balance of the world struggle.

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U. S.—Teutonic War News

Administration leaders in congress learned from the war department a new draft of 500,000 men, in addition to all previous authorizations, will be necessary in the immediate future. This will raise the size of the army to approximately 2,400,000 men.

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The Germans opposed to the Americans in France made an unsuccessful bombardment with gas shells. One American was injured by an exploding shell, but so excellent has been the antigas training of the men that not a single case of gas poisoning was reported.

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American artillery played a spectacular role in the big French attack in the Champagne region. The Yankee gunners with unerring accuracy laid down a barrage that cut off the Germans from their communication trenches. The French sent back 150 German prisoners who had been unable to escape through the American barrage.

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Foreign

The extension of the franchise to Canadian women was announced by the government at Ottawa as a part of its established policy. It was stated that woman suffrage would be an established fact in Canada before another election was held.

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Bolo Pasha was sentenced to death at Paris for treason. The court-martial which condemned Bolo to death deliberated for only 15 minutes. Captain Mornet, prosecutor, dealt at length with the question of Bolo's use of German money he is alleged to have received. He maintained that Germany did not expect any immediate results from the purchase of Le Journal, but had an eye to the far future, even perhaps after the war.

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Seventy-five babies perished in a fire which partially destroyed a wing of the Grey Nuns' Home. The home occupies a whole block and is in continual use for convalescent soldiers. Although many of them were stretcher cases, the adults were removed from the building without loss of life, although several of the wounded men were seriously injured.

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The new cabinet of Roumania, headed by Gen. Alexander Averscu, said to be the ablest commander in the army, is known to lean toward peace, says a dispatch from Jassy.

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Chancellor Bonar Law, replying to criticisms of the government's home policy in the house of commons in London, declared that as a result of national service co-operation 820,645 additional men had been placed in the overseas forces during 1917.

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Lord Robert Cecil, a member of the ministry, announced in the house of commons in London that the British government was giving great attention to a "league of nations." He added that he himself had prepared a scheme for it.

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Washington

By a new proclamation President Wilson placed all exports to all countries under license by the war trade board. The purpose of the proclamation is to release more ships for carrying United States troops and materials to the war front in Europe.

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The senate confirmed Benedict Crowell Cleveland, as assistant secretary of war; Howard E. Coffin, Michigan, as chairman of the aircraft board, and Richard Howe, New York, as a member of the aircraft board.

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Secretary Baker left the capital for an extended inspection tour of the southern camps. The secretary would not say which camps he will visit, as he wants to take them by surprise.

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Fuel Administrator Garfield suspended the Monday closing order but left the way open to put it again into operation if it appears that this would be necessary.

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Chairman Harris of the federal trade commission gave his resignation to President Wilson. Mr. Harris will run for the Georgia senate seat against Senator Harwick.

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Chairman Hurley of the shipping board appealed to William L. Hutcheson of Indianapolis, president of the Brotherhood of Carpenters, to end the strike of ship carpenters in Atlantic coast shipbuilding yards. The strike, Mr. Hurley declared in the telegram is endangering the lives of American soldiers in France awaiting food and munitions from America.

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Major General Barnett, chief of the marine corps, whose term expires soon, will be reappointed, Secretary Daniels announced.

4,000 KILLED IN FIGHT IN RUSSIA

Dead And Wounded Fill Streets As Bolsheviki Take Kier, In Ukrania.

ODESSA IS THREATENED

Menaced By Roumanians Who Now Control Part of Bessarabia—Poles Defeat Bolsheviki at Bobruisk —Teutons Renew War.

Stockholm, Feb. 19.—The Germans have resumed war measures against Russia, the Social Democraten, states. Their first objective is the seizure of Esthonia and Livonia, it declares.

Petrograd, Feb. 19.—Kiev, one of the principal cities of Ukrania, has been captured by the bolsheviki after sanguinary fighting. The streets were filled with dead or wounded. While the fighting was at the height the city was bombarded by bolsheviki aviators.

Poles Defeat Bolsheviki.

Polish troops have defeated the bolsheviki at Bobruisk, 85 miles southeast of Minsk. Other Poles are advancing toward Smolensk. Roumanians control the Akkerman district of Bessarabia and are threatening Odessa.

4,000 Dead, 7,000 Wounded.

The casualties at Kiev are estimated at 4,000 killed and 7,000 wounded.

In a battle at Odessa between the bolsheviki and the moderates hundreds were killed. The city was bombarded by warships.

New Battle Begun.

A battle was begun between the bolsheviki and a wing of the Cossack army of General Alexiev, former Russian commander-in-chief, which is advancing toward Kharkov in Ukrania, 420 miles southwest of Moscow. The bolsheviki are sending troops to crush this newest revolution, but reports received here indicate that the forces of Boris Savinkov who was a member of the Kerensky cabinet, are ready to join General Alexiev.

Friction Among Forces.

Diplomatic reports indicate that the Alexiev movement is obtaining less support than it originators expected. Much friction exists among the forces in the Don.

The newspaper report that a group of Polish troops is advancing against the bolsheviki on the northwestern front and that another force is making an advance in the vicinity of Minsk. Ensign Klylenko, the bolsheviki commander-in-chief, is insisting on the removal of headquarters from Mohilev to Petrograd.

Bolsheviki Staff at Odessa.

The bolsheviki have established a staff at Odessa, from which point they are conducting the Ukranian and Roumanian campaigns.

Ensign Krylenko, the bolsheviki commander-in-chief, has decided to come to Petrograd to raise an army of 100,000 bolsheviki which he will command personally in operations against the Cossack army of General Alexiev.

NEW JAPANESE AMBASSADOR

Ishii Succeeds Sato—Headed Recent Imperial Mission.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Viscount Kikujiso Ishii has been appointed ambassador for Japan to the United States and will soon reach Washington. He succeeds Ambassador Sato, who takes a place on the unassigned roll of diplomatic representatives in Tokio.

Viscount Ishii was head of the imperial Japanese mission which came to Washington last August to extend to President Wilson and the American government the thanks of the Japanese emperor for the entry of America into the war on the side of the Entente Allies.

AIR RAIDERS SLAUGHTER 27

Results of Recent Attack on London Announced.

London, Feb. 19.—Eleven persons were killed and four injured in the aerial attack on London last Saturday, it is announced officially.

The casualties in Sunday night's air raid were 16 killed and 37 injured, it was announced later.

Six or seven airplanes took part in the raid Sunday night. The first flew over London, dropping bombs in various districts. All the others were turned back.

Three Shot in I. W. W. Hall Raid

Hillsboro, Ill. Feb. 19.—Three men have been shot in a raid on I. W. W. headquarters here. One of the wounded men is expected to die.

Directs U. S. Propaganda Campaign

New York, Feb. 19.—Arthur Woods, police commissioner under Mayor Mitchel, has been appointed to direct a worldwide American propaganda. It will have for its purpose the spreading among neutrals of the truth about America's role in the war, informing the people of Germany what we are fighting for and most important bolstering up the morale of our Allies by a knowledge of what this nation is doing. He has undertaken nothing more or less than to combat German propaganda.

RUSS-GERMAN ARMISTICE OFF

Statement From Berlin Says Kaiser Reserves Free Hand In Every Direction.

GERMANS FIGHT SELVES

Petrograd Dispatch Indicates Boches Have Refused To Obey Commanders To Move To French Front.

London, Feb. 19.—According to an official communication issued in Berlin the armistice between the Germans and Bolsheviki government has been declared off. This communication contains the grave statement that Germany reserves a free hand in every direction. Whether the Germans anticipate an immediate attack on the Russians has not developed, but undoubtedly there is tense feeling between the German military officials and the Bolsheviki by reason of the fact that Leon Trotzky, the Bolsheviki foreign minister, has not met the desires of Germany to frame a separate peace treaty with that country.

Germans Fight Selves.

Dispatches from Petrograd indicate that German soldiers have declined to obey their commanders to move to the French front and even have given battle to brothers in arms who endeavored to force them to do so. In Petrograd, at last accounts, marked disorders were still prevailing, there being indiscriminate shooting and looting.

An Amsterdam dispatch says that Roumania intends under conditions to enter into peace negotiations with the Teuton powers.

Gives Two Days' Notice.

Amsterdam, Feb. 18.—An official statement issued by the German imperial government states that the Petrograd government by its conduct has renounced the armistice which had been in existence on the Russian front. This renouncement is regarded as having occurred February 10.

In conformity therewith, the statement says, the German government must, after a lapse of seven days, give notice of the termination as provided for under the treaty and reserve a free hand in every direction.

Trotzky Makes Protest.

London, Feb. 18.—A Russian government wireless dispatch received here gives a message from Leon Trotzky to the German government, dated February 17. It asks whether the statement received, to the effect that General Hoffman on February 16 declared that a state of war would be resumed at noon the 18th between Germany and Russia was correct, "because it seems a provocative act to give only two days' notice instead of seven, as stipulated in the armistice agreement."

LABOR ENDORSES WAR AIMS

Says Common People Must Join Fight to Finish.

Washington, Feb. 19.—American labor's indorsement of war aims as stated by President Wilson, and recognition that the war against Prussianism is a workingman's war, is recorded in a declaration issued by the executive council of the American Federation of Labor at the close of a seven-day session at headquarters here.

The declaration says the peace parleys between Russia and Germany have shown the futility of diplomatic negotiations until the German militarists are convinced they cannot superimpose their will on the rest of the world, and that spontaneous uprisings in Germany have demonstrated that the militarist government still is stronger than the movement there for emancipation.

A gigantic struggle lies ahead and now is a time when all workers must soberly face the grave importance of their daily work, says the declaration, and it adds:

"Either the principles of free democracy or of Prussian militaristic autocracy will prevail. There can be no compromise. So there can be no neutrality among nations or individuals—we must stand up and be counted with one cause or the other. For labor there is but one choice."

Two More Army Sanatoriums

Washington, Feb. 18.—Sanatoriums for the treatment of soldiers suffering from tuberculosis are to be established at New Haven, Conn., and at Whipple Barracks, Prescott, Ariz., in addition to those to be built at Asheville, N. C., and Denver, Colo. It is understood they will cost about $550,000 each.

To Direct Lake Shipping

Washington, Feb. 16. — Coastwise and Great Lakes steamship lines operated by railroads have been placed by Director General McAdoo under the supervision of W. H. Pleasants of New York, president of the Ocean Steamship company, designated manager of the marine section of the railroad administration. Special attention will be given to organization of water transportation facilities to insure greater movement of coal to New England next winter and better use of lake shipping in coal hauling

SAMMIES MEET FOE GAS SHELLS

Successfully Withstand Three Hour Bombardment of Enemy With Poison Fumes.

FOE AIR FLEET HALTED

American Aviators, Machine Guns and Batteries Drive Off Teuton Planes When Attack Is Made on Sector.

With the American Army in France, Feb. 18. — An unsuccessful bombardment with gas shells has been made by the Germans opposite the Americans. American machines and anti-aircraft batteries have also driven off German airplanes in large numbers.

Gas shells in considerable number from the German guns fell within the American sector, making necessary the wearing of masks in all parts of the trenches for more than three hours.

One American was injured by an exploding shell, but so excellent has been the anti-gas training of the men, not a single case of gas poisoning was reported. The duration of the shelling was two hours, but traces of the poison fumes remained for another hour after the bombardment had ceased.

Much Aerial Activity.

Visibility was good in the clear, cold atmosphere and as a result there was much aerial activity on both sides. German airplanes in large numbers repeatedly attempted to cross the American lines, but were driven off either by anti-aircraft batteries or by the air squadrons.

American artillerymen rapidly are attaining a high degree of efficiency. They continually fired shells that exploded so close to the enemy airplanes that the aviators were compelled to dodge and duck and scurried back to a safer area, pursued across the sky by a trail of shrapnel puffs.

The artillery on both sides resumed activity once more. The American gunners shelled the German rear lines and communications effectively.

No German Drive Yet.

Friday, the date set by influential German newspapers for the starting of the much advertiseed German offensive, has passed and no aggression on the part of the enemy materialized. On the contrary both the British and French armies delivered at widely separated points on the Western front, smashees at the German line. These attacks, although they were mainly in the nature of raids, were successfully carried out and resulted in the capture of prisoners and the infliction of casualties on the enemy.

TUSCANIA DEATHS MAY BE 174

Eighty-two Names Are Officially Listed With Department.

Washington, Feb. 18. — Eighty two names of known dead among American soldiers who were on the Tuscania have been received by cable at the War department.

An Associated Press dispatch several days ago announced that 164 soldier victims had been buried on the Scottish coast and gave the names of 131 identified, but this last message was the first official partial list to reach the department.

James J. Buckley of Minneapolis is named in the official list as among the dead. Names of other Minnesota and Northwest men are:

Frederick Allen, Ada, Minn.
Homer Llewlyn Anderson, Cumberland, Wis.
Russell F. Bennett, Plainfield, Wis.
Jack J. Byrne, Butte, Mont.
Walter Crellin, Virginia, Minn.
Frank Drahota, Jackson, Minn.
William J. Trageser, Cottonwood Minn.
James P. Hawley, Neenah, Wis.
John C. Johnson, Big Falls, Minn.

TWO MORE AVIATORS KILLED

One Dies by Fall and Other Succumbs to Injury

Washington, Feb 18.—General Pershing has reported that Cadet Conrad P. Hazen, signal corps, New York, died February 11 as a result of an airplane accident.

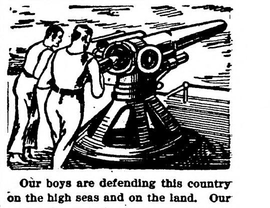
New Haven, Conn., Feb. 16. A cablegram received at Yale stated that First Lieut. Frank Browne Turner, '17, of Wicomico, Md., was killed by an airplane fall in France Feb. 9

Archie Roosevelt Named Captain

Washington, Feb 18.—Archibald B. Roosevelt has been named a captain of infantry in the National army, jumping from a second lieutenant.

To Train Pigeons for Army.

Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 18.—A consignment of 50 pigeons is expected here soon as part of the equipment for the division signal corps. The adoption of these birds as a means of communication is held of the highest importance by signal officers, according to Major C. L. Eastman. Division signal officer tests on the battle fronts have proved the transmission of messages by pigeons to be 97 per cent efficient. The birds are not susceptible to poison gas.



Our boys are defending this country on the high seas and on the land. Our own defense against a common enemy is to keep the system clean by ridding the body of the toxins, or poisons, which are bred in the intestines. When you feel tired, sleepy, headachy, when your breath is offensive, or pimples appear on the face and neck, it is time to recognize the danger and protect your bodily health by taking something for the liver such as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

The machinery of the body needs to be oiled, kept in good condition, just as the guns or machinery of a ship. Why should a human person neglect his own machinery more than that of his automobile or his guns? Yet most people do neglect themselves. Their tongue has a dark brown color, skin sallow, breath bad, yet they fail to see that their machinery needs attention.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets have been known for nearly half a century. They are made of May-apple, leaves of aloe and jalap, made into a tiny pellet and coated with sugar. They are standard and efficacious. You can obtain them at any drug store in vials for twenty-five cents. Ask for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets—and get no other!

Found an Oyster.

Bill—Did you go to the oyster supper at the church?

Jill—I sure did.

"Were there many there?"

"I found one."

The Quinine That Does Not Affect Head
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, Laxative Bromo Quinine can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature is on box. 30c.

MADE USE OF STEAM POWER

Centuries Ago, Men Were Familiar With Its Possibilities, but Did Not Develop Them.

A real curiosity in the United States patent office is a working model of the first steam engine, built by a clever inventor named Hero a century and a half before Christ was born.

A modern engineer would call it a steam reaction turbine. It consists of a sperical vessel pivoted on an axis and supplied with steam through one of the pivots. The steam escapes through bent pipes in opposite directions, thus causing the globe to revolve.

Hero was the first steam engineer. Having hit upon the idea that the expansive energy of steam could be used for power, he developed a number of devices for its mechanical employment.

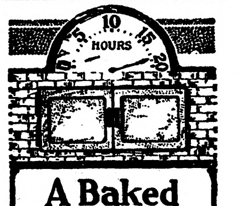
One of them was a hollow altar, beneath which a fire was built. Under the altar was a vessel containing water. The latter, converted into steam, opened the temple doors by pressure upon a pair of vertical posts on which the doors swung. When the fire cooled, the doors closed automatically.

The ancients 2,000 years and more ago used steam power for turning spits and various other unimportant purposes. But it does not seem to have occurred to them that this source of energy might be made available for mechanical utilization on a large scale.

Sure.

"Do you think there will be any token of mourning in society when it is reported that the best catch in town is engaged?"

"I suppose all the belles will be told."



A Baked Cereal Food

Different from the usual run of toasted or steam-cooked cereals,

Grape-Nuts

is baked in giant ovens—baked for nearly twenty hours under accurate conditions of heat, so that the whole wheat and malted barley flours may develop their full, rich sweetness.

You don't need sugar on Grape-Nuts.

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TO ALL WOMEN WHO ARE ILL

This Woman Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—Her Personal Experience.

McLean, Neb.—"I want to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all women who suffer from any functional disturbance, as it has done me more good than all the doctor's medicine. Since taking it I have a fine healthy baby girl and have gained in health and strength. My husband and I both praise your medicine to all suffering women."—Mrs. JOHN KOPPELMANN, R. No. 1, McLean, Nebraska.

This famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, has been restoring women of America to health for more than forty years and it will well pay any woman who suffers from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness or "the blues" to give this successful remedy a trial.

For special suggestions in regard to your ailment write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

As They Say in the Army.

Overheard in the car:

Bella—Halloa, Peter, whaur did you spring frae?

Peter—Ach, I'm oot o' work.

Bella—Oot o' work, are ye? Whit are ye gaun to dae?

Peter—I havena settled yet. I'm thinkin' o' applyin' for a job as valet to a munition worker.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

The Evangelist's Joke.

At last Sunday morning's revival service in Atchison Evangelist Bob Jones asked all his hearers who were glad the revival was being held to raise their left hands. Hundreds of hands waved in the air. "Now," said the speaker, "take your right hand and put it in your pocket for a dollar." The audience laughed and then "came across."—Kansas City Star.

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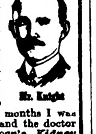
Serious Kidney Trouble Was Removed by Doan's and Results Have Been Permanent.

"Kidney trouble put me in a bad way," says Thomas A. Knight, 624 N. Ninth St., East St. Louis, Ill. "It came on with pain across my back and the attacks kept getting worse until I had a spell that laid me up. Morphine was the only relief and I couldn't move without help. The kidney secretions were scanty, painful and filled with sediment.



Mr. Knight

"I was unable to leave the house, couldn't rest and became utterly exhausted. The only way I could take ease was by bolstering myself up with pillows. For three months I was in that awful condition and the doctor said I had gravel. *Doan's Kidney Pills* brought me back to good health and I have gained wonderfully in strength and weight."

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ALMOST THREE YEARS LATER, May 24, 1917, Mr. Knight said: "The cure *Doan's* brought me has been permanent."

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PISO'S

Lesson in Pronunciation.

Harry Lauder told a story at a Robert Burns dinner in Chicago.

"A new minister preached his first sermon in a little Scottish village," he began, "and at the end of the services the preceptor came to him and said: "'So ye call 'em Sawms, do ye! Losh, noo, we never knew what to make o' that there P hereabouts. We always called 'em Spasms.'"

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

Like All Men.

Hokus—"I like a girl who is reserved." Pokus—"So do I, if she is reserved for me."—Life.

In Britain

[illegible] could hardly call [illegible] [illegible]king. "Oh no; but she [illegible] often sweet and devilish amiable."

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No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. 50 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Hallock.—Mrs. N. D. Swanson broke her left arm below the elbow by a fall down a stairway at her home.

Warroad. — The Warroad light plant made a gain of $300 over all expenses, including interest on bonds, during the last year.

Crookston.—The board of education accepted the bid of J. Kohler for $105 for the old Lincoln school building, and sold him the structure for that amount.

Washington.—General Pershing reports Private Bentley A. Nelson of Holt, Minn., wounded in action February 13. The death of Corporal Gordon E. Gilman of Medford, Minn., from pneumonia was also reported.

Walker.—At the Cass county farm bureau meeting held here there were three applications for county agent, and the application of M. P. Ostby, professor of agriculture in Pine River school, was acted favorably on and he was elected.

Moorhead.—Treasurer C. Paulson of Clay county has tendered his resignation. The resignation was accepted by the county and Arthur C. Fevig, deputy county auditor, was elected by the board to fill the vacancy.

Morris.—The West Central school of agriculture is holding a tractor school for the benefit of the farmers who are operating tractors or who plan to purchase them the coming season. About 175 farmers from all parts of West Central Minnesota are in attendance.

St. Paul.—Dr. A. H. Doty, physician, has been arrested charged with performing an illegal operation on a 19-year-old girl from Almena, Wis., working here as a domestic. The girl died January 31 at the city hospital. The doctor's bail is $10,000 pending hearing.

Pine River.—George Bell has traded his farm near the village to the First State bank for the corner building, where the bank was formerly located. Mr. Bell is already moving in with his family into the apartments in the rear. He will make a number of changes in the store building which he will remodel into a confectionery store and a restaurant.

Fairmont.—County Attorney Albert R. Allen, on his return from Lakefield, where he helped to prosecute Joseph Gilbert, manager of the Nonpartisan league, sentenced to three months in jail for holding a meeting in defiance of orders, instructed Sheriff W. S. Carver, of Martin county to prevent all league meetings attempted in this county.

Duluth. — More than 500 Duluth business men gathered to discuss federal food control measures and voted unanimously to see that they are observed in this city. A committee was appointed to force all grocery stores to curtail sales to the required limit. Nothing but war bread will be manufactured after this week. Efforts will be made to increase the consumption of potatoes for the conservation of wheat.

St. Cloud.—With five sons already in the service—three in the army and two in the navy—Thomas Condon, 60 years old, of St. Cloud, appeared before a local recruiting officer with three more sons. The father and three sons sought to enlist. The recruiting officer found two of the applicants were too young and the father is, of course, too old. The fourth, who is 19, was accepted.

Duluth.—Four months ago Dr. Alden Cwi of this city was notified through the United States government that his wife had died more than three years ago while fleeing from advancing Germans in Russia. Their three children, born here and who had accompanied their mother to Russia on a visit, are missing. Dr. Cwi has just received a registered letter from his wife that had been written four months and ten days before her death, mailed October 29, 1914.

Lakefield.—Warrants have been issued here charging A. C. Townley, president of the National Nonpartisan league, with conspiring to discourage enlistments in the military and naval forces of the United States, and accusing Joseph Gilbert, secretary and organizing manager, of the same charge, and also with violating Section 3, Chapter 463, Minnesota statutes of 1917, the law concerning disloyalty.

Mankato.—The annual business session of the St. Paul district of Swedish Lutheran churches closed in this city. Rev. O. J. Arthur of Mankato was re-elected president; Rev. C. O. Lund of Norseland was chosen vice president; Dr. V. H. Hegstrom of St. Peter secretary, and Rev. J. F. Erickson of Waseca treasurer. Annual reports showed that the district had a prosperous year. Discussion of the proposed merger of all Lutheran synods of America was taken up, and most of the speakers favored it but no definite action was taken.

Walker.—The Michener farmhouse near Poplar, in the southern part of Cass county, was destroyed by fire on a recent cold night and the Michener family were just able to get out of the building without having time to properly dress, and as a result before Mr. and Mrs. Michener were able to get to any house for shelter they both had frozen their feet.

St. Cloud.—Fire destroyed a garage near the planing mill of Sartell Bros at Sartell. Two cars, the Sartell dray truck and the Opheim automobile, which were in the garage, were destroyed with the building.

International Falls.—A large number of citizens met with the county board and discussed the road situation in the county.

St. Peter.—Mrs. Jacob Bowles, 90 years old, died at her home in Le Sueur county. She had been a resident of the county for 47 years, coming from Nister, England.

Little Falls.—Charles Anderson of Swanville, who recently injured his right eye and was brought to St. Gabriel's hospital, has had to lose the use of that member and the eye was removed.

Moorhead.—Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Benner, joint proprietors of the Lally hotel, pleaded guilty before Police Magistrate E. U. Wade to running an unlicensed drinking place. Both were fined $100 and costs.

Hastings.—George W. Morse, a pioneer and retired business man, is dead. He served as a volunteer with the Mounted Rangers during the Sioux Indian expedition in 1863. He is survived by his wife.

Moorhead.—The Clay county board has passed a resolution instructing city, town and village clerks of Clay county to register all aliens on February 25, 26 and 27, as required by the state safety commission in a recent order.

Hallock. — The state fire marshal has condemned the Pacific hotel building here and ordered it removed from the premises within 60 days. The hotel is a 60-room house, steam heated, equipped with baths and has water and sewer connections.

Williams. — William Griffin, who has spent the last month in town, was out to his homestead, 17 miles south of here, and discovered that in his absence some marauder had ransacked his cabin and carried off all his supplies, including 200 pounds of flour.

Faribault. — August Ruther, on trial for the murder of his brother-in-law, August Fiske, was found guilty by a jury in district court here. Ruther is alleged to have poisoned Fiske by placing paris green in a bottle of liquor on September 9, 1917, and was indicted for the crime in November.

New Ulm. — Charles Schreiner of New Ulm, charged with failing to register; Max Bisoke and August Rost, farm laborers living near here, charged with refusing to have their finger prints taken at the police station as required from aliens, are in the county jail awaiting the action of the authorities.

Alexandria. — Celebrating the formal opening of the new Alexandria hotel, 200 citizens assembled as the guests of the Alexandria Commercial club. Although the hotel has been in operation for a short time, a banquet was made the occasion for the formal opening and the entire building was given over to the visitors, who were received by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ginther, the proprietors and guests of honor.

East Grand Forks.—Mrs. Peter Eichhammer, mother of John Eichhammer, one of the Tuscania victims, is doing her share in the war. Peter Eichhammer, another son, is a member of the machine gun company, 164th infantry, U. S. E. F., and a third son, Michael Eichhammer, expects to depart with the Polk county quota for Camp Dodge.

Fergus Falls.—Deputy Sheriff Slatten has returned from Billings, Mont., bringing J. J. Rode, who will answer to a charge of larceny in the town of Compton a year or more ago. A building burned and it was presumed that there was considerable clover burned, but later events indicated that the clover had been stolen. Rode was indicted but left the country.

St. Paul. — Discontinuance of the Saturday closing order at the state capitol, adopted three weeks ago as a feul saving measure, is announced by Gustav Lindquist, secretary to the governor. State departments began complaining that work is in arrears because of the extra holiday, he said, and the number of business visitors at the building last Saturday exceeded the usual average, despite the closing order. The building will be open until noon Saturdays in the future.

Moose Lake.—Joseph Dvorak, who was injured when struck by a falling tree in the woods near here, escaped from the hospital just before it became known that he is listed in St. Paul as a deserter. Dvorak, when he became conscious, asked the attending physician if he had seen his questionnaire. The physician questioned a draft board in St. Paul, which replied that Dvorak had been sent his questionnaire in August, but had failed to return it. The physician said Dvorak was in a serious condition when he left the hospital.

St. Cloud.—Acting upon instructions from the first assistant postmaster general, Postoffice Inspector M. I. Ryan went to Rockville and removed the postmaster, Jacob Weisman, and put the office in charge of Joseph J. Mertes, who will act as postmaster at that place until an appointment is made in the regular way. Mr. Weisman's removal from the office is due to the fact that he has allowed seditious utterances to be made in his store, which was used as the post-office. He also is alleged to have said, "Germany will lick them all."

St. Cloud.—Fred Schilplin has been appointed acting postmaster for the city of St. Cloud as a result of the death of J. D. Kowalkowski. Mr. Schilplin has assumed his duties. The appointment of the permanent successor to the late postmaster will be made under the civil service rule.

Winona.—Lieutenant Paul Perigord, soldier-priest, in one day in Winona delivered a half dozen addresses and was a guest at two banquets. Lieutenant Perigord also took part in the dedication of the service flag at St Stanislaus Polish Catholic church bearing 168 stars.

NOT QUITE WHAT THEY MEANT

Frenchman and German Alike Too Literal in Their Use of an Unfamiliar Language.

The literal translation of words and grammatical construction of sentences in the different languages is productive of some very amusing situations.

A gentleman whose wife was noted for her domesticity was seated next to a Frenchman at a dinner party. Desiring to compliment his neighbor and enter into conversation, he remarked: "Your wife, she is very homely."

But it remained for a German hotelkeeper to cap the climax. Having taken a trip on a train he was much impressed by the brakeman calling "Next station ——. Don't forget your packages." Desiring to save himself the annoyance of forwarding articles left by departing guests, but mixing his English words with his German grammar, he put up a sign where it could not be missed by them:

"Wait! Look! Have you anything left!"

AND NOW THEY ARE COOKING TOBACCO TO MAKE IT BETTER

For a good many years The American Tobacco Company have been conducting a series of experiments having as their object the improvement of smoking tobaccos.

And it is interesting to know that one of the greatest of their discoveries was one of the simplest, and that was, that cooking or toasting tobacco improved it in every way, just as cooking most foods improves them.

They took a real Burley tobacco, grown in this country; toasted it as you would toast bread; moistened it to replace the natural moisture driven off by toasting, made it into cigarettes, called them "LUCKY STRIKE, the toasted cigarette," and offered them to the public.

The result has been the greatest demand ever created for any tobacco product in a similar length of time.

The change produced by toasting is not only most wholesome, but the flavor is greatly improved, just as cooking improves meat, for example.—Adv.

Not a Hero.

"A fellow came into my office this morning and persuaded me to give him a dollar. He said he had seen service on a British tank."

"That's interesting. Did he tell you about his experiences at the front?"

"No, and for a good reason. I discovered later that he had merely helped to paint the thing before it left the factory."

BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

will quiet your cough, soothe the inflammation of a sore throat and lungs, stop irritation in the bronchial tubes, insuring a good night's rest, free from coughing and with easy expectoration in the morning. Made and sold in America for fifty-two years. A wonderful prescription, assisting Nature in building up your general health and throwing off the disease. Especially useful in lung trouble, asthma, croup, bronchitis, etc. For sale in all civilized countries.—Adv.

A Decalogue of War.

Don't chatter nor tell all you know; listen to no alarmists or fearers of the worst; be neither spendthrift nor sordid; encourage home industries; do not look upon departure for "over there" as an abandonment; do not complain over sacrifice and deprivation; be usefully busy; keep your courage; be strong and patient in the hope of victory; bear your bereavements nobly in tribute to the heroes for whom you mourn.—Dr. Anna H. Shaw.

Why Said So Young?

Dandruff and dry scalp usually the cause and Cuticura the remedy. Rub the Ointment into scalp. Follow with hot shampoo of Cuticura Soap. For free sample address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston. At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

All girls sing like birds, but there are many kinds of birds.

PERUNA—The Greatest Human Vitalizer

Mr. Wm. A. Hartman, 217½ South Second St., Muskogee, Okla., writes: "During the winters of 1897 and 1898, I was so badly afflicted with catarrh of the head and thought I must surely die from it. After trying many doctors and all other recommended remedies made known to me, I was induced to use Peruna. I was cured entirely by using twelve bottles of Peruna and one bottle of Manalin.

Since that time, I have never been without Peruna. I use it for colds and as a general tonic during Spring and Fall months and find it the greatest human vitalizer."

Those who object to liquid medicines can secure Peruna tablets.

Catarrh of Head Thought I Must Die.

Now ENTIRELY WELL

As Age Advances the Liver Requires

occasional slight stimulation.

Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price But Great in its Good Work

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS correct CONSTIPATION

Genuine bears signature Brent Good

Colorless or Pale Faces usually indicate the absence of Iron in the blood, a condition which will be greatly helped by **Carter's Iron Pills**

England enthuses over our first-overs. But wait till she sees all our boys in the line.

Willing to Be Wise.

"A wise man changes his opinion."

"I'd like a chance to change my opinion about this climate."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Kind words are never lost—but they are frequently mislaid.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Lots of men seek temptation in order to test their strength.

HAVE YOU BARREN COWS?
Are your mares or sows troubled with Abortion? Overcome the difficulty by feeding Dr. David Roberts' **BREEDING TONIC** *Price $1.00*
It acts on the organs of reproduction and puts the animal in better breeding condition.
Read the Practical Home Veterinarian. Send for free booklet on Abortion in Cows.
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Growers and shippers of cut flowers, plants, etc. Write for catalog. Funeral designs on short notice. Phone day or night. Fargo, N. D.

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Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c.

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A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

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Sowing the Seed and Producing Bigger Crops

Work in Joint Effort the Soil of the United States and Canada

CO-OPERATIVE FARMING IN MAN POWER NECESSARY TO WIN THE BATTLE FOR LIBERTY

The Food Controllers of the United States and Canada are asking for greater food production. Scarcely 100,000,000 bushels of wheat are available to be sent to the allies overseas before the crop harvest. Upon the efforts of the United States and Canada rests the burden of supply.

Every Available Tillable Acre Must Contribute; Every Available Farmer and Farm Hand Must Assist

Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operation.

Canada's Wheat Production Last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the Demand From Canada Alone for 1918 is 400,000,000 Bushels

To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell you where you can best serve the combined interests.

Western Canada's help will be required not later than April 5th. Wages to competent help, $50.00 a month and up, board and lodging.

Those who respond to this appeal will get a warm welcome, good wages, good board and find comfortable homes. They will get a rate of one cent a mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return.

For particulars as to routes and places where employment may be had apply to: **U. S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

Does the Itching Disturb Your Sleep?

A word of advice from Paris Medicine Co., Beaumont and Pine Sts. St. Louis, Mo. (Manufacturers of LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE and GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC.)

We wish to state to our millions of friends that in

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Send for a box of PAZO OINTMENT today and get immediate relief.

The Man Without a Country

By

Edward Everett Hale

This Story Is Furnished This Newspaper Through the Publicity Department of the Commission of Public Safety.

[No document in actual American history conveys a more powerful lesson of what citizenship in this republic means, none delivers a more searching appeal to loyalty, than this fanciful recital of the Man Without a Country. The unhappy creature whose living death it has graved upon the memory of mankind was but a figure born of a writer's imagination. Yet, the account of his passionate outburst and of his dreadful expiation stirs the dullest soul, and will awaken emotion in the minds of readers of generations yet unborn. There can be no more arresting lesson for the disloyal or the heedless, no more inspiring appeal to the spirit of true Americanism, than this memorable work of literary art and high-souled patriotism.]

I suppose that very few casual readers of the New York Herald of August 13th observed, in an obscure corner, among the "Deaths," the announcement:

"NOLAN. Died, on board U. S. Corvette Levant, Lat. 2° 11" S., Long. 131° W., on the 11th of May, Philip Nolan."

I happened to observe it, because I was stranded at the old Mission-house in Mackinac, waiting for a Lake Superior steamer which did not choose to come, and I was devouring, to the very stubble, all the current literature I could get hold of, even down to the deaths and marriages in the "Herald." My memory for names and people is good, and the reader will see, as he goes on, that I had reason enough to remember Philip Nolan. There are hundreds of readers who would have paused at that announcement, if the officer of the Levant who reported it had chosen to make it thus: "Died, May 11th, 'The Man without a Country.'" For it was as "The Man without a Country" that poor Philip Nolan had generally been known by the officers who had him in charge during some fifty years, as, indeed, by all the men who had sailed under them. I dare say there is many a man who has taken wine with him once a fortnight, in a three years' cruise, who never knew that his name was "Nolan," or whether the poor wretch had any name at all.

There can now be no possible harm in telling this poor creature's story. Reason enough there has been till now, ever since Madison's administration went out in 1817, for very strict secrecy, the secrecy of honor itself, among the gentlemen of the navy who have had Nolan in successive charge. And certainly it speaks well for the esprit de corps of the profession and the personal honor of its members, that to the press this man's story has been wholly unknown, and, I think, to the country at large, also.

I have reason to think, from some investigations I made in the naval archives, when I was attached to the bureau of construction, that every official report relating to him was burned when Ross burned the public buildings at Washington. One of the Tuckers, or possibly one of the Watsons, had Nolan in charge at the end of the war; and when, on returning from his cruise, he reported at Washington to one of the Crowninshields—who was in the navy department when he came home—he found that the department ignored the whole business. Whether they really knew nothing about it, or whether it was a non mi ricordo, determined on as a piece of policy, I do not know. But this I do know, that since 1817, and possibly before, no naval officer has mentioned Nolan in his report of a cruise.

As I say, there is no need for secrecy any longer. And now the poor creature is dead, it seems to me worth while to tell a little of his story, by way of showing young Americans of today what it is to be

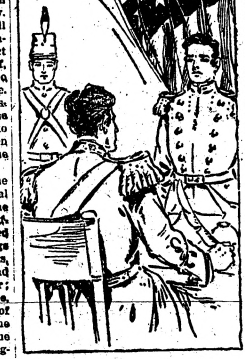
A MAN WITHOUT A COUNTRY.

Philip Nolan was as fine a young officer as there was in the "Legion of the West," as the western division of our army was then called. When Aaron Burr made his first dashing expedition down to New Orleans in 1805, at Fort Massac, or somewhere above on the river, he met, as the devil would have it, this gay, dashing, bright young fellow, at some dinner party, I think. Burr marked him, talked to him, walked with him, took him a day or two's voyage in his flatboat, and, in short, fascinated him. For the next year barrack life was very tame to poor Nolan. He occasionally availed of the permission the great man had given him to write to him. Long, high-worded, stilted letters the poor boy wrote and re-wrote and copied. But never a line did he have in reply from the gay deceiver. The other boys in the garrison sneered at him, because he sacrificed in this unrequited affection for a politician the time which they devoted to Monongahela, sledge, and high-low-jack. Bourbon, euchre, and poker were still unknown. But one day Nolan had his revenge. This time Burr came down the river, not as an attorney seeking a place for his office, but as a disguised conqueror. He had defeated I know not how many district attorneys; he had dined at I know not how many public dinners; he had been heralded in I know not how many Weekly Arguses; and it was rumored that he had an army behind him and an empire before him. It was a great day—his arrival—to poor Nolan. Burr had not been at the fort an hour before he sent for him. That evening he asked Nolan to take him out in his skiff, to show him a cane-brake or a cottonwood tree, as he said, really to seduce him; and by the time the sail was over, Nolan was enlisted body and soul. From that time, though he did not yet know it, he lived as "A Man without a Country."

What Burr meant to do I know no more than you, dear reader. It is none of our business just now. Only, when the grand catastrophe came, and Jefferson and the House of Virginia of that day undertook to break on the wheel all the possible Clarences of the then House of York, by the great treason trial at Richmond, some of the lesser fry in that distant Mississippi valley, which was farther from us than Puget Sound is today, introduced the like novelty on their provincial stage, and, to while away the monotony of the summer at Fort Adams, got up, for spectacles, a string of court-martials on the officers there. One and another of the colonels and majors were tried, and, to fill out the list, little Nolan, against whom, heaven knows, there was evidence enough, that he was sick of the service, had been willing to be false to it, and would have obeyed any order to march anywhither with anyone who would follow him, had the order only been signed, "By command of His Exc. A. Burr." The courts dragged on. The big flies escaped, rightly for all I know. Nolan was proved guilty enough, as I say; yet you and I would never have heard of him, reader, but that, when the president of the court asked him at the close, whether he wished to say anything to show that he had always been faithful to the United States, he cried out, in a fit of frenzy:

"D—n the United States! I wish I may never hear of the United States again!"

I suppose he did not know how the words shocked old Colonel Morgan, who was holding the court. Half the officers who sat in it had served through the Revolution, and their lives, not to say their necks, had been risked for the very idea which he so cavalierly cursed in his madness. He, on his part, had grown up in the West of those days, in the midst of "Spanish plot," "Orleans plot," and all the rest. His education, such as it was, had been perfected in commercial expeditions to Vera Cruz, and I think he told me his father once hired an Englishman to be a private tutor for a winter on the plantation. He had spent half his youth with an older brother, hunting horses in Texas; and, in a word, to him "United States" was scarcely a reality. Yet he had been fed by "United States" for all the years since he had been in the army. He had sworn on his faith as a Christian to be true to "United States." It was "United States" which gave him the uniform he wore, and the sword by his side. Nay, my poor Nolan, it was only because "United States" had picked you out first as one of her own confidential men of honor, that "A. Burr" cared for you a straw more than for the flatboat men who sailed his ark for him. I do not excuse Nolan; I only explain to the reader why he damned his country, and wished he might never hear her name again.



"I Wish I May Never Hear of the United States Again!"

He never did hear her name but once again. From that moment, September 23, 1807, till the day he died, May 11, 1863, he never heard her name again. For that half century and

Take Notice

All aliens, both male and female, over 14 years old, except male Germans, must register next week Feb. 25th. 26th. and 27th.

Aliens residents of the village of Holt are requested to register on above dates at the post office.

By Order of
The Commission of Public Safety.
H. B. Young
Village Clerk

Aliens in Holt township will be registered on above dates, by T. B. Folden, at his home on the farm.

Date Bread

1 cup graham, 1 cup white flour, 4 level teaspoon baking powder, 1-2 teaspoon salt 1-2 lb. dates stoned and cut into pieces, 1-4 cup sugar, 3-4 cup milk, one egg, 1 teaspoon fat. Add the milk to the egg, mix the salt and baking powder thoroughly with the white flour, add the dry ingredeients to the milk and egg, and add the melted fat last. Bake in loaf tin slowly one hour. To bake in muffin tins add 1-4 cup more of milk.

The Lutheran Drive

For Boys in Army and Navy

Started Feb. 18th and will close on Tuesday Feb. 26th, then all who wish to bring wood or other things to Holt for sale may do so, and money given to the church for work among the soldiers. Produce will be sold on 26th at 1 o'clock.

The soldiers minister aid and cheer in the great struggle for freedom. They need "Moral and Spiritual Preparation." The need is great, we must help them now. We must do our duty now, or suffer for generations to come.

Judge A. Grindeland is chairman for Marshall Co. Result should be reported to him and local pastor at Holt. Donation should be given to Ben Docken at Holt State Bank as he is elected as captain of Holt and surrounding territory.

M. B. Ordahl.

Read the new Ads.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Sheriff Hanson was in town Wednesday.

Miss Abbie Hagen visited in Fertile from Friday until Wednesday.

Oscar Bergrin of Middle River visited in Holt a few days the past week.

B. J. Bakke came up from T. R. Falls for an over Sunday visit with his family.

P. L. Anderson came up from St. Hilaire yesterday to attend the soldier's banquet.

R. Reierson was given a birthday party Sunday and a general good time is reported.

Knute Haugen of Fertile was here last week looking after his farm near Golden Valley.

The bank has installed an electric motor for running their adding and posting machine.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes were visitors at E. M. Bennes' in T. R. Falls. last week Thursday and Friday.

Hjalmer Peterson has been filling the ice houses of the butcher shop and the two confectionery stores, this week.

Andrew Ness was here Wednesday from T. R. Falls to see his mother, Mrs. Daniel Nelson, who is reported very sick.

Peter Joringdal visited his brother, Richard, Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Joringdal is a telegraph operator and has just been transferred from Warren to Plummer, where he has a night operators job.

A banquet was held last night at the school house in honor of the soldier boys, but owing to the lateness of the time it was held, we are unable to give an account of it this week. So far as we have been able to learn, P. L. Anderson and Andrew Sorum of Holt, Elling Tollefsrud and Ole Ingebregtsli of Golden Valley, are the only ones from this locality that expect to leave for Camp Dodge to-morrow.

Hotel for Sale

Will sell my hotel property located in Holt, Minn. Price reasonable and terms easy. Would lease to responsible party. Write or call on Sam Mickelson, Prop. Central Hotel Holt, Minn.

Notice

The Annual Meeting of the Free Mission Church will be held in the church on Thursday Feb. 28th 1918, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business properly brot before the meeting.

The Ladies Aid will serve lunch.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Village Caucus

A caucus will be held in the village hall at 8 o'clock Friday evening March 1st, 1918, for the purpose of nominating a village president, a treasurer and a clerk all for one year terms; three trustees for one, two and three year terms; two justices and two constables to fill vacancies.

H. B. Young, Village Clerk.

Big Patriotic Meeting

Back From The Trenches.

Strand Theatre Warren, Minn.

Thursday, Feb. 28. 2;30 P. M.

Dr. Julius Lincoln, member of the United States Food Administration Commission, who has been to England and France and in the trenches to investigate conditions, will be at Warren on the above named date.

He will give us first hand information as to conditions "over there." Come and hear this splendid speaker. FREE.

David Johnson, E. M. Mitchell and A. N. Eckstrom, Committee.

Notice for Bids

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of School District No. 58, Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids for the construction of a school house in said District as per plans and specifications now on file at the Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota. Bids may be filed with the Clerk of said District until 1 P. M., Thursday, March 14th, 1918. The said School Board will meet at the Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minnesota, on Thursday March 14th, 1918, at 1 P. M., for the purpose of opening and considering said Bids. The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids must be accompanied by a certified check for at least 10 per cent of the amount of the bid.

G. P. Sorter, Clerk
of School District No. 58,
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Call and see the daylight specialist, he will be at

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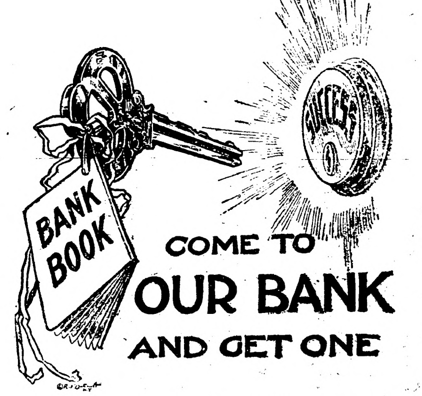

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This Newspaper recommends Today's Housewife to every patriotic woman who wishes to help win the great war

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Today's Housewife is the only magazine that maintains a model home where cookery recipes, new household devices, cleaning methods, etc., are put to practical tests before their appearance in the pages of the magazine.

The monthly lesson on "Cookery, Foods and Nutrition" under the direction of Caroline Hunt of the Department of Agriculture, is alone worth the price of a ten-year subscription not only to the woman who follows each lesson but to the government of the United States in helping to win the terrific war with the Central Empires of Europe.

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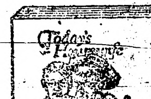
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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Miss Ruth Knutson was a visitor in T. R. Falls Friday.

E. T. Eide was down from Spooner Wednesday looking up the hay business.

Mrs. Olen went to Greenbush Friday help Mr. and Mrs. Huseth celebrate their wedding anniversary.

A. R. Jones and A. L. Carlson attended Masonic lodge in T. R. Falls Monday evening.

Ole Rude had a sale last week Wednesday and left here with his family the next day.

Misses Martha Peterson and Helen Johnson visited in T. R. Falls Friday and Saturday.

Miss Bergert Steenerson went to Middle River Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. John Sathre.

Misses Inez Alkenbrack and Nel[illegible] enjoyed a short vacation at home from school duties last week.

Joseph Johnson returned home Wednesday from Minneapolis, where he has been taking a course in a barber's school.

Mrs. Myhrum returned Saturday to her home in Goodridge after a few days visit at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Nelson.

The Synod Ladies Aid will be entertained next Thursday March 7th by Mrs. B. Docken and Mrs. B. J. Bakke at the home of the former.

Dr. R. L. Olson returned home Wednesday from the T. R. Falls hospital. He is gaining slowly and we trust will enjoy better health after this.

Ole Sollom of Reynolds, N. Dak. and Erick Sollom of Birch Hill, Can. visited over Sunday at the homes of their sister, Mrs. P. O. Peterson and sister-in-law, Mrs. T. Sollom, and their families.

A large crowd attended the soldiers banquet at the school house last Thursday night. A short musical program was given and two splendid addresses were delivered by Revs. Ordahl and Parish. P. L. Anderson and Andrew Sorum were the guests of honor. They left the next day for Warren in company with Elling Tollefsrud and Ole Ingebregtsli of Golden Valley.

Samson Windmills!

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Death of Rev. Tunheim.

Rev. Samuel Tunheim died very suddenly last Saturday afternoon of heart failure. He was returning home from Newfolden with a load of wood and as it pulled hard, Mr. Tunheim walked behind and his son drove. On reaching home the boy missed his father and going back to look for him, found him lying face downward in the snow and life was extinct.

His wife, daughter, son and two ladies arrived here Monday in response to the message telling Mrs. Tunheim of her husbands sudden death.

Rev. Samuel Tunheim was the pioneer preacher and missionary of this part of the country and was well known and much respected and loved by all the people.

Funeral services will be held at the home 12 o'clock Friday and from there, they will go to the Newfolden church.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the bereaved family and friends.

About 300 people, mostly farmers, their wives and sons, attended the Non-Partisian meeting Tuesday conducted by Mr. Coats and Wood.

The speech of Mr. Wood was well received by the crowd present. At the close of the meeting a collection was taken for the Red Cross which amounted to over $21.00

Miss Ragna Larson was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson drove to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Buy a Smileage book and send to some soldier or sailor.

The sale held on the street Tuesday for the benefit of the Lutheran war fund brot something over $20.00

We can send an alfalfa magazine free to farmers who are interested enough to give us their names and address.

Charley Hougren arrived last week Tuesday from Hartland, Minn., for two weeks stay or longer in the neighborhood of Holt.

It is a safe business proposition for the farmer to sow wheat this year because the goverment guarantees the price at which it is to be sold.

The Zion's Ladies Aid of East Valley will be entertained at the home of Mrs. P. C. Rosand March 13th. at 2 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

At the creamery board meeting last week, John H. Knutson accepted the directors office and Lewis Wegge was elected president for another year.

Tom Severson received a letter from his son Herbert recently from Houston, Texas. He said he expected to fly that day in a machine run by an 80 horse power, eight cylinder engine. Herbert is working in the repair department and likes it fine.

Clarence Kolden went to Crookston Saturday for a short visit with his brother, Selmer, who left Sunday evening with the Polk county boys for Camp Dodge. Clarence says he attended the banquets given by Crookston folks for the soldiers boys from all the surrounding counties given Saturday night. The banquet for their own boys was given Sunday evening.

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Take Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Crowded Out

Our story about "The Man without a Country" is crowded out this week. We will commence its publication again next week and we want everybody to read it.

Free Mission Church

The Sunday School will meet at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Parish will hold services at 8 o'clock next Monday evening Mar. 4th. Everyone invited.

Annie Erickson called at J. Simonson's Sunday.

We have enjoyed some pretty good weather for a few days this week.

Mr. Kuehne called at J. E. Erickson's Wednesday and Thursday last week.

The village caucus will be held Friday evening March 1st, at the village hall.

President Wilson has fixed the price of the 1918 wheat crop at $2.17 on the Minneapolis and Duluth markets.

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The Local Market.

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Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.73
Oats	85
Barley	1.07 to 1.92
Rye	2.46
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Now is the time to show your loyalty, in deeds, as well as words.

Eat more potatoes and save bread for the Sammies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson and Miss Erickson visited Mr. Kisch Monday evening.

Honor Roll

Peter S. Kolden
S. S. Notlina, U. S. Navy
Bentley Nelson
Somewhere in France
Willie Hoel
Ft. Crook, Neb.
Ernest Kuehne
Camp Cody, N. Mex.
Leonard Jefferson

At Naval Training Stations
Ben Nyberg
Dehard Johnson
Albert Bjerk
Clarence Swan

Coast Artillery, San Fransisco
Rudolph Reierson
Willie Sorum
Victor Johnson
Ed Bjerk

Camp Dodge, Iowa
P. L. Anderson
Andrew Sorum
Ben Hoff
Thomas Anderson
Elling Tollefsrud
Ole Ingebretsli

J. E. Erickson attended the meeting in the Stiener school house Friday.

A 9 lb. baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bottom Feb. 21st. Congratuations.

Alfred Olson, Ole Johnson, Clarence Docken and Axel Ring were examined by the army draft board Tuesday and the three former were passed but the latter was sent to Crookston for another examination.

Sam Warring called at J. E. Erickson Sunday evening.

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Alice Soheer visited at J. E. Erickson's from Wednesday until Saturday.

Mondays are now wheatless days, and all are asked to use barley, meal or some other substitute, and save wheat for the army.

HAVE YOU GOT MONEY IN THE BANK?

People do get sick. There is plenty of work for the doctor always.. Suppose you get sick and coulden't earn any money, but had to spend more. What would you do?

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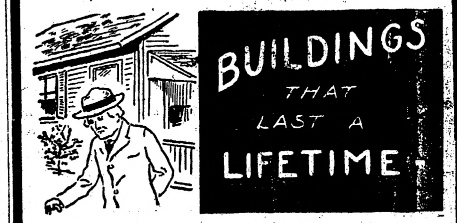
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Important News Events of the World Summarized

European War News

Five entente allied airmen, flying over the Julian Alps, found that the town of Innsbruck, Austrian Tyrol, was not protected by anti-aircraft guns, says a dispatch from Buchs, Switzerland. The airmen thereupon swooped down to within 300 yards of the ground, picked out targets and copiously bombed them, including the railroad station, barracks and two munitions factories. Soldiers and civilians were killed. The German consulate was hit and trains loaded with soldiers were attacked by machine guns.

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A regiment of Esthonian troops has gone over to the Germans, the Berlin war office announces. German troops, advancing in Esthonia, have captured Hapsal on the coast near the entrance to the Gulf of Finland and have gone beyond Rouneburg, Wolmar and Spandan. They marched into Rieshitsa.

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"Defense to the death" against Germany is ordered in the proclamation of the Russian commissioners, Reuter's Petrograd correspondent telegraphs to London. The commissioners appeal to the soldiers to destroy railways and provisions and compel the bourgeoisie to dig trenches under penalty of death.

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The Mar Caspio, a Spanish steamship, 2,723 tons, was sunk by submarine shell fire, it was announced at Madrid.

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The British have captured Jericho, in Palestine, the London war office reports. The city was entered by Australian troops. Little opposition was encountered.

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Bolsheviki leaders declare that if the German advance continues they will defend Petrograd with the Red guard and harass the German advance by guerrilla warfare. No plans have been made for evacuation of the city. The bolsheviki says this is a new war, not the old war, and that they will present a united front against the Germans.

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A further advance of 3½ miles on a front of 7¾ miles has been made by the British [illegible] in Palestine, the London war office announces. The British are now within four miles of Jericho.

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Great Britain spent $40,000,000 a day for the four weeks ended February 16. This statement was given in the house of commons in London by Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer.

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Lieut. Roland G. Garros, the famous French aviator, and Lieut. Antoine Marchal have reached Holland. According to Les Neuvelles of Maastricht they escaped from a German prison.

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One hundred and ten persons perished when the steamer La Dives was torpedoed in the Mediterranean on February 1, according to an official announcement made at Paris. The attacking submarine was not sighted.

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French detachments made a heavy attack on the Germans in Lorraine, entering the German lines over a large front and capturing more than 400 prisoners, according to the Paris war office announcement.

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Ten German airplanes were brought down and six more disabled by British airmen Sunday, according to an official statement on aerial activities issued in London. Hundreds of bombs have been dropped on various targets and British aviators raided Treves and Thionville.

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Domestic

In a stirring address before a patriotic mass meeting of labor at the Lexington theater in New York, Secretary of the Navy Daniels indicated that the Russian people may hope for help from America if they resist the invasion of Germany. More than 2,000 laborites at the meeting, held under the auspices of the American Alliance for Labor and Democracy, cheered his remarks.

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"Death to traitors!" These words brought an audience to its feet time after time at the opening session of the congress of national service, under the auspices of the National Security league. "Anti-American and whispering traitors" was the term used by former President Taft in describing the insidious sedition which now constitutes the chief internal enemy of the American people.

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Eight clothing manufacturers, two employees and a clerk in the quartermaster's department of the army were indicted by the federal grand jury at New York, charged with being concerned in extensive army uniform cloth frauds. Cloth and other army supplies worth approximately $5,000,000 were stolen.

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A hundred or more families living in the vicinity of the Pocantico hills estate of John D. Rockefeller were furnished with a plentiful supply of coal during the recent cold weather.

James W. Gerard underwent a grave operation for a chronic abscess of the bone of the nasal sinuses, it was learned in New York. Dr. Lee M. Hurd, who operated on the former ambassador to Germany, said the crisis was passed.

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Nine persons, all members of the family of Morris Miller, lost their lives in a fire which destroyed the Miller home near Peabody, Mass.

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Although there have been 51 fatalities at army aviation training camps in this country, the death record was described by Secretary of War Baker as remarkably low. Since last June, he pointed out, student aviators had flown more than 100,000 miles.

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U. S.—Teutonic War News

In a patrol fight Americans from units under instruction in the famous Chemin des Dames sector in France killed one German and captured another. One American was slightly wounded. This is the first time it has been permitted to reveal the fact that new American units have entered the line.

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A trench mortar projectile fell on one of our trenches in France, killing three and wounding four. The artillery bombardment on the American sector northwest of Toul continues. Night and day enemy projectiles are falling in towns and have been directed at a number of strategical points. The heavy artillery of both sides is thundering over wide stretches of the French front, along the Aisne, in Champagne and up in Alsace.

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The first American-built battleplanes are en route to France, nearly five months ahead of the original schedule. In making this announcement Secretary Baker said the first shipment, although in itself not large, "marks the final overcoming of many difficulties met in building up this new and intricate industry."

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The Germans again attempted a raid against the American lines in France, but the raiders were discovered and the artillery, responding to rocket signals, laid down a heavy barrage almost instantly. The Germans' path back to their line was marked by red lines.

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Cadet Charles E. Jones of Pittsfield, Mass., attached to the aviation section of the signal corps, has been killed in an airplane accident in France, the war department was advised by General Pershing.

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Washington

The administration railroad bill passed the senate by a viva voce vote. Before passing the measure the senate adopted a resolution of Senator Cummins of Iowa directing the government to take over all short line roads representing an investment of $1,000,000 or more. This was practically the only change of importance effected.

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The next two months will be the most critical period with regard to food that the United States has faced since she entered the war. This was the statement of Herbert Hoover, United States food administrator. Earnest co-operation is called for. Hoover said congestion of the railways is responsible for the present situation.

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Director General McAdoo issued orders to all employees of the railroads of the country to pull together. The government's interest, he said, must be uppermost, wages to be left for determination.

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By a vote of 61 to 10 the senate defeated a proposed amendment to the administration railroad bill requiring affirmative action by congress before the railroads can be returned to private ownership. The amendment was proposed by Senator Johnson of South Dakota.

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The war trade board published a general license through the customs service authorizing the entry into the United States without individual import license of all commodities which were in transit on February 16 and for which an import license was necessary before the president's proclamation of that date.

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The shipping board directed that after February 20 no American steamer of less than 2,500 dead-weight tons be permitted to clear for a transatlantic voyage or to engage in other long-voyage trades.

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Foreign

Premier Lloyd-George told the house of commons in London that the American delegates to the Versailles supreme war council were responsible for the plan of a centralization of the allies' strategy in the prosecution of the war. He also stated that the American representatives at the Versailles war council had submitted a document that by its "irresistible power and logic" forced a revision of the allied plan for the prosecution of the war.

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Dr. Richard von Kuehlmann, the German foreign secretary, at the opening session of the German reichstag in Berlin, delivered an address to the members in which he dwelt at length on the peace treaty signed by the central powers with the Ukraine and the collapse of the peace negotiations with Russia. Von Kuehlmann asserted that the pacific intentions of Russia could no longer be credited, but he said that even today Germany was prepared to conclude a peace "which corresponds with our interests."

101 LOST ON RED CROSS STEAMER

Perish When Florizel, From Halifax to New York, Hits Rock in Storm.

FOE AGENTS BLAMED

Believed to Have Tampered With Compass Causing Pilot to Lose Bearings— Rescuers Brave Seas Despite Several Early Failures.

St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 26.—Forty-three persons on the Red Cross liner Florizel escaped death when the ship piled on the rocks at Broad Cove, near Cape Race and were saved by the coasting steamer Prospero. This information came in a wireless message from the Prospero to John Crosbie, minister of shipping. The rescue ship reported she embarked the survivors safely.

101 Believed Dead.

Three rescue ships brought the first batch of survivors to port and others are on the way. Among the survivors are five saloon and seven steerage passengers.

One hundred and one persons have perished, from among the passengers and crew of the ship, according to word reaching here. This places the death list higher than statements made by the owning company—the Red Cross line—which stated that 136 were aboard the Florizel.

Wrecked Through Treachery.

It is believed the steamer was wrecked through German treachery.

Scenes of indescribable heroism in the face of odds which seemed insurmountable took place as hardy New Foundland seamen stoically donned life belts, piled into puny dories and battled with the mountainous waves of the angry Atlantic.

Boat after boat was launched in the gray light of dawn by men who had left rescue ships to add another tale of heroism to the romantic stories of bravery which go hand in hand with records of shipping in this vicinity.

Many Found Helpless.

Several fruitless efforts to get through the waves did not deter the efforts. Undaunted, they returned to their work and finally succeeded in getting a foothold on a portion of the ship above the water. Ropes which had been carried along were fastened to the ship and then run out to vessels standing by.

Life belts were hauled aboard the wreck and placed on the survivors, most of whom were unable at this time to stand alone. Some were practically unconscious. They were transferred to the small boats which had conquered the waves and taken to safety. The work of rescue occupied five hours.

LA FOLLETTEISM MADE ISSUE

Speech Defending Senator Starts Trouble in Badger Senate.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 26.—Senator Robert M. La Follette is the big issue before the Senate of the Wisconsin legislature. This house is under a call to bring back all absent members to vote on an anti-La Follette resolution.

The trouble started when a two-hour prepared speech was delivered by Senator Huber of Dane county in defense of Senator La Follette's war record.

Senator I. P. Witter, Grand Rapids, withdrew the Republican harmony resolution and announced that La Folletteism on the war had been made an issue.

AMERICANS TAKE GERMANS

Capture Twenty-two and Machine Gun in Raid.

With the American Army in France, Feb. 26.—An American patrol in the Chemin des Dames sector in conjunction with a French patrol has penetrated a few hundred yards into the German lines and captured two German officers, 20 men and one machine gun.

There was some sharp fighting and a number of the enemy were killed and wounded. There were no American casualties. The news quickly spread along the American front, and developed a keen, competitive spirit among the men.

QUAKE KILLS 10,000

Amoy, China, Feb. 26.—Nearly 10,000 persons lost their lives as a result of the recent earthquake in the Amoy Hinterland, according to the latest reports from Swatow.

Propaganda Drive Is Failure.

With the British Army in the Feld, Feb. 26.—German war party propagandists have bungled the job and overcooked the pudding. Careful study of the west front reveals the fact that the most stupendous propaganda drive the Prussians have ever attempted, is a total failure. Despite utilization of every method to create a state of terror among troops and civilians, to increase tension and prolong the nerve-strain before the offensive, their methods have resulted in a fiasco.

PRICE OF PEACE HEAVY ON SLAVS

Demands of Germany Are Met By Bolsheviki In Surrender To Teuton Might.

PROPAGANDA TO STOP

Vast Regions of Valuable Territory Are Relinquished And Russ Army Must Be Immediately Disbanded.

London, Feb. 26.—General Brujevitch has been appointed successor to Ensign Krylenka as commander in chief of the Russian armies, according to a Berlin dispatch forwarded from Amsterdam by the Central News Agency. General Brujevitch, according to the message, has been proclaimed dictator and has ordered the Russian troops to fight to the last. Brujevitch was formerly chief of staff to Ensign Krylenko.

Face of Europe Changed.

London, Feb. 26.—Russia's acceptance of Germany's peace terms changes the face of Europe.

It cuts from Russia 381,000 square miles of territory, 50,000,000 population, and shoves her back from the Baltic, leaving her helpless and impotent in Germany's power, economically and physically.

The press had not yet time to comprehend the full meaning of the situation. The headlines contained such words as "tragic, dismembered, humiliating, impotent."

"Disarmed and Helpless."

The Post says there is "no other hypothesis but treachery." "She is disarmed and helpless," says the Chronicle.

A message from Petrograd says the executive committee of the pan-soviets agreed to accept the German peace terms by a vote of 126 to 85, with 26 not voting.

"Their knees are on our chest and our position is hopeless," said Nikolai Lenine, Bolsheviki premier.

Foe Terms Made Public.

London, Feb. 26.—Following receipt of an official wireless from Petrograd the German peace terms to which Russia has declared its "willingness to accede," have been made public. They were:

The state of war will be declared at an end by Russia and Germany.

The regions west of the line indicated by the Russian delegation at Brest-Litovsk are no longer under the territorial protection of Russia. From the region of Dvinsk, this line is advanced to the eastern frontier of Courland.

Livonia and Esthonia will be immediately cleared of Russians and German police will occupy them until the security of the inhabitants is guaranteed by constitutions. Political prisoners will be immediately released. Russia renounces every claim to intervene in the affairs of these regions. Germany and Austria will define their fate in agreement with the populations. Germany, after the Russian demobilization is complete, will evacuate these regions to the eastern line.

Conclude Peace With Ukrainia.

Russia will conclude a peace with Ukrainia. The Russians will evacuate Finland and Ukrainia immediately.

Russia will do all that is possible to secure for Turkey a return of her eastern Anatolian frontiers, recognizing annulment of the Turkish capitulation.

The Russian army shall be completely demobilized, including newly formed divisions.

Russian warships in the Black, Baltic and Arctic seas shall immediately be sent into Russian harbors until a general peace is concluded, or shall be disarmed. This includes the Allied warships in Russian waters. Resumption of merchant navigation in the Black and Baltic seas shall be withdrawn and the Arctic shall be blockaded by mines until the general peace is signed.

Treaty to Be Re-established.

The Russo-German commercial treaty of 1904 shall be re-established with certain exceptions and immediate negotiations shall be opened for a new treaty.

Indemnification shall be made for the expense of maintaining prisoners of war.

Russia shall promise to halt governmental and private propaganda designed to stir up agitation against the Central empires.

These terms must be accepted within 48 hours. Russian delegates must go to Brest-Litovsk immediately and sign the articles within three days. These must be ratified within a fortnight.

Women's High Boots Tabooed.

London, Feb. 26.—High boots must be abandoned to help win the war. This is the new order for women. Lord Claud Hamilton drew attention in the House of Commons to the continued fashion, which, in the present scarcity of leather, diminishes the amount available for footwear for the poor. Mr. H. W. Forster replied that the war department, acting in consultation with the board of trade, has decided to issue an order prohibiting the manufacture of boots for women with uppers over a certain height.

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Good health during maternity is a most important factor to both mother and child, and many letters have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., telling of health restored during this trying period by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Two Classes of Women.

In this country the women are divided into two main classes—those who don't believe all their husbands tell them and those who haven't any husbands.—Indianapolis News.

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The Variety.

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"So she is, but she's got a lemon."

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Between Girls.

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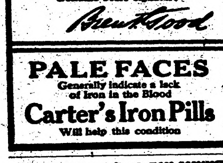
Cause of Hatred.

"What have you against Henry?"

"Nothing, except he's the man my wife is always wishing I would imitate."

Twickenham, England, has five horse butcheries, owing to the influx of Belgians.



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MORE SPRING WHEAT ASKED OF FARMERS

Large Supply of Food and Feedstuffs Needed in 1918.

Agricultural Department Asks Increased Pork Production and Larger Acreage of Grain Crops.

Washington, D. C.—The planting of an increased acreage to spring wheat and the production of an increased supply of other food products and of live stock, especially hogs, is recommended in a supplementary food production program issued by the United States department of agriculture.

This program re-emphasizes and amplifies the food-production program for 1918 issued by the department in August, 1917, and other suggestions made in the fall and the first of this year regarding increased pork production and increased production of foodstuffs in the South. Taken in connection with the recommendations previously made, it suggests in full the proposals which the department thinks it desirable to offer with a view to secure enough meat and dairy products, cereals, sugar and other staple and perishable foods, wool and cotton for the nation, its armies, and the allies. It gives suggestions for the approaching spring operations, based upon the latest available information as to the condition of the fall-planted crops of winter wheat and rye and as to the number of meat and dairy animals reported for 1917. They represent the best thought of the specialists of the department who have had the benefit of advice from agricultural leaders throughout the country.

Our Best Efforts Required.

"Notwithstanding an increased production of staple crops in the United States in 1917, there is need for more food," the program states. "Taking into account our own needs, the needs of the nations associated with us in this war, and the needs of friendly neutral nations, our best efforts will be required to provide enough food in 1918. Whether the war continues or not, the demands on this country, because of the increasing population and the needs of Europe will be great. An especially strong demand will be made on this country for meats and live stock. In 1917, notwithstanding the many difficulties encountered, the farmers planted the largest acreages in the history of the nation, harvested record crops of most things except wheat, and succeeded in greatly increasing the number of live stock."

"The situation is such that chief emphasis should be given to the production of the great staple food products, with special stress on wheat and hogs, the leading war foods."

The South is urged to provide food for its own people and feed for its live stock and then to plant as much cotton as can well be cultivated and harvested. To raisers of hogs and beef animals the world need for meats and fats is made clear. Farmers are urged to join with the men on the ranges in providing sheep whose wool is needed to equip soldiers.

The program discusses the farm labor problem, points out the lines of effort for relief, and outlines the activities of the federal and state agencies to furnish assistance.

Spring Wheat.

In dealing with the question of spring wheat, the program states:

The acreage of spring wheat should be increased in order to make certain that we shall have an adequate supply of wheat for our own uses and to meet the needs of the allies.

"While the area of winter wheat sown in 1917 was the largest on record, the condition of the crop, as reported on December 1, was the lowest ever recorded, indicating a probable production of only 540,000,000 bushels. Whether the actual production will be greater or less than the estimate will depend upon conditions prevailing between now and the time of harvest. If there were planted to spring wheat in the United States this year an acreage equal to the sum of the record planting in each spring wheat state within the last ten years, there would be sown approximately 23,300,000 acres. If there should be planted an acreage equal to the sum of the record planting for each state within the last five years there would be sown approximately 21,000,000 acres. The record planting for any year was 20,381,000, in 1911. The acreage for 1917 was 18,511,000.

"The department of agriculture has carefully studied all these records and other data in connection with the present war conditions and needs, and believes that it will be possible this year to secure an acreage in excess of the record acreage which was planted in 1911. It is believed that increased acreages can be secured in states and sections where spring-wheat production is known to be reasonably promising, and that such increases can be made without upsetting farm plans.

It is hoped that many farmers, especially in the northern part of the corn belt, will find it possible to plant five to ten acres additional in wheat. In some cases they will plant more. In a number of states in the eastern and central portions of the country where spring wheat has not been grown in recent years, the crop is now being re-established and it is recommended that this movement be encouraged.

To a small extent the acreage in oats, if necessary, could be reduced in the interest of wheat. Likewise, a very small portion of the acreage which normally would be planted to corn in the northern part of the corn belt might be sown to spring wheat.

If the acreage of spring wheat indicated for some of the states cannot be planted, the barley acreage, which is known to grow better in some localities, might be increased. The use of barley for food is increasing in this country and it is a welcome food in Europe.

Summary of Other Recommendations.

Following is a summary of other important recommendations regarding cereals, meat, poultry, and perishables.

Hogs. The number of hogs should be increased by at least 15 per cent during the year 1918.

Sugar. Effort should be made to maintain the acreage of sugar cane and sugar beets, and to increase these areas in so far as these crops are well established or are necessary to sound agricultural practice.

Production of satisfactory substitutes for sugar, including sorghum, corn and cane sirup, maple products and honey can and should be increased.

Sorghum sirup, it is pointed out, may be produced in nearly every state in the Union, and increased production of sorghum sweets would enable the public to conserve still further the sugar supply in the form most available for transportation to our soldiers.

Dairy Products. The supply of dairy products should be maintained to meet the needs of this country and to help supply the increasing demands of the allies.

Poultry. Poultry production should be increased greatly, especially in back yards and on farms where waste material is available and the purchase of expensive grains and other material is not required.

Corn. An acreage of corn approximately equal to that of 1917 should be planted, with possible slight reductions in certain sections to free areas for spring wheat.

Oats, Barley, Rice, Buckwheat and Flaxseed. The area in oats should be maintained, especially in regions and on soils which are not so well adapted to other grains, but with a small reduction to provide for increasing the wheat acreage. Barley production should be increased in regions where it grows best, especially in the northern edge of the corn belt and in sections north and west of the belt; and rice, buckwheat and flaxseed production should be maintained and, if possible, increased.

Grain Sorghums. The production of grain sorghums (kafir, milo, feterita, etc.) should be increased greatly throughout the drier portion of the Plains region. Kafirs are the most certain grain crops in this section and they can be made to supplement wheat as human food and to replace corn as animal food.

Potatoes. The normal acreage of Irish and sweet potatoes should be maintained in 1918, notwithstanding the large crops in 1917.

Hay, Forage and Pastures. Wherever feasible, the area devoted to hay, forage and silage crops should be increased and these products should be used to a greater extent in place of grains and other concentrates.

Beef Animals. The number of beef animals should be maintained and, in areas where it is clearly the best range and farm practice, should be increased.

Beans, Peas and Peanuts. The production of beans and peas should be increased in regions to which they are adapted, because of their high food value, keeping qualities, and availability for domestic or export trade. Soy beans and peanuts should be increased in order to supplement beans and peas as human food, as a source of much needed oil, and as animal feeds.

Perishables. (a) Market gardens near large consuming centers should be increased so as to meet, as nearly as possible, the needs of the community, and in order to obviate the necessity of transporting such products from distant points.

It is important to do all that is possible to relieve the strain upon transportation facilities.

(b) The planting of home gardens, especially for family needs and for preserving food for future use, again should be emphasized.

(c) The commercial production of perishables generally should be increased above normal wherever it is reasonably clear that transportation and marketing facilities will be available.

Literally.

"We've got to get a good actor to play the role of Satan in that spectacular performance."

"Then there'll be the devil to pay!"

Instinctive Dislike.

"Do you like the clinging-vine variety of people?"

"Not much. They're too apt to be some kind of suckers."

Period of Rest Coming.

See the studious young man. How solemn he is. His brow overhangs like the back of a snapping turtle, and he is as ominous as the first mutterings of an earthquake. He burns the midnight oil in great quantities, poring over ponderous tomes until he is worn almost to skin and bones. But never mind, he will presently have ample opportunity to rest. In a short while he will be admitted to the bar, and after that he will not have anything to do.—Kansas City Star.

Left-Handedness.

At least one human being in fifty is left-handed. This is the minimum estimate. Some authorities say four in fifty. W. Franklin Jones declares that 4 per cent of the race are born left-handed, but about three-fourths of these are converted by training into more or less imperfect right-handers. On the other hand, about 1 per cent of the race, though born right-handed, is trained to use the left hand because of accidents to the right.—Scientific American.

American Women No Slackers

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Oh, He Knew Him.

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"Knew him? Well, say, I knew him well enough to say no!"

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We think that we shall win truth by striving after strength, instead of knowing that we shall gain strength just in the degree that we become true. —Phillips Brooks.

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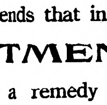

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Dr. David Roberts' Vet. Co., 100 Grand Avenue, Waukesha, Wis.

W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 9--1918.

Does the Itching Disturb Your Sleep?

A word of advice from Paris Medicine Co., Beaumont and Pine Sts., St. Louis, Mo. (Manufacturers of LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE and GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC.)

We wish to state to our millions of friends that in

PAZO PILE OINTMENT

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Send for a box of PAZO OINTMENT today and get immediate relief.

A "Home Card," 1918" is being distributed. It is the desire of the Federal Food Administration that every family in the state get one. Two new recipe leaflets go with the card. Will any housekeeper who has not received these, please ask the teacher in her locality or the local chairman of the Woman's committee for them.

County Committee.

ANNUAL VILLAGE ELECTION

The Citizens of the Village of Holt, in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota, who are qualified to vote at General Elections, are hereby notified that the Annual Election for said Village will be held at the Council Room in said Village, on Tuesday, the 12th day of March A. D. 1918, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, for the following purposes, viz:

To elect one President, three Trustees, one Treasurer and one Clerk, each for the term of one year; also two Justices of the Peace and two Constables, each for the term of two years.

Trustees are to be elected as follows: one trustee for a term of one year; one for a term of two years and one for a term of three years, the term for which each is elected to be designated on the ballot, and to do any other business proper to be done at said election when convened.

Given under my hand this first day of March, A. D. 1918.

H. B. YOUNG,
Clerk.

Washington, D. C.

February 20th, 1918.

The Holt Publishing Company,
Holt, Minnesota.

Dear Sirs:—

I have received a marked copy of your paper of the 15th instant, and note the article under the heading, "A Crying Need." Among other things, you call attention to the higher prices of barley and other substitutes for wheat, and you say that Congress has the same power of setting the selling price of barley and barley flour, as of wheat and wheat flour, and that Congress should get busy at once on this, and suggest writing to Senators and Congressmen for immediate action.

In this behalf I desire to call attention to the Food Control Act, approved August 10th, 1917, a copy of which I am sending herewith. From this you will observe that Congress has already conferred upon the President the control of prices that you speak of. Further than this, Congress conferred upon the President the power to regulate the prices of all "foods, feeds, fuel including fuel oil and natural gas, and fertilizer and fertilizer ingredients, tools, utensils, implements, machinery and equipment required for the actual production of foods, feeds, and fuel."

I made a few remarks upon the failure of the Executive Branch of the Government to exercise this authority while the Agricultural Appropriation Bill was under consideration in the House, which appeared in the Congressional Record of February 21st, last and I am sending you a copy thereof.

In view of the facts above referred to, therefore, I have the honor to suggest that, instead of writing to Senators and Representatives, you should communicate with the President of the United States, and urge him to exercise the power conferred upon him by Congress more than six months ago, which will remedy the difficulty complained of.

Yours respectfully,
H. STEENERSON.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

A resolution adopted at a Non-partisan caucus held Feb. 22nd, 1918 in Town of Holt, Marshall county, Minn., as an answer to Rudolph Lee in his booklet entitled, "Should the Farmers of Minnesota join the Non-partisan League?"

Mr. Lee, we Non-partisan League members, wish to thank you for the booklet you are sending out to the farmers of Minnesota entitled, "Should the Farmers of Minnesota Join the Non-partisan League?" As we never have had a League speaker at Holt, the debate held at Long Prairie, Minn., March 24, 1917, between you and Mr. N. S. Randall is very instructive. Mr. Randall surely laid down some cold facts and proved his statements by figures. He stood on a solid foundation from beginning to the end.

We think the stand you took in this debate ought to make any editor blush with shame that must depend on the farmers' subscription for their bread and butter. We are glad to note that you are going to start cutting brush. We wish you success. Hope you will keep your ax sharp at all times and not loaf on the job, as we have lived in the autocratic brush too long already. We started cutting brush ourselves today at 2 p. m., and we will finish the last patch of brush Nov. 5th, 1918. The other dope you sent along we read in the Big Kept Press dailies a long time before we ever heard of you and your great paper so friendly to the farmers of Todd Co. You are telling us about the "League selling out the farmers. If you please, tell us all about Mr. Carpenter and his friends buying out Mr. Quigly. If you don't know all about it write the N. P. Leader, St. Paul, Minn. You invited Mr. Randall to come down from the cloud. If you know anything you know who was in the cloud. You will agree with us Mr. Lee when we say that in a cloud would be a much safer place for any reformer then on the main streets in some of our Minnesota towns where howling mobs rule and [illegible] guaranteed protection. See Minnesota Leader, first issue Here is one thing we farmers cannot understand, that a University graduate, an editor of an up-to-date newspaper like the Long Prairie Leader, would start a debate on a one-sided question like you did March 24, is more than a common farmer can understand. We will admit that it's a hard job to defend autocracy but you should have known better than to have started this debate without assistance from Big Bis [illegible] But don't get discouraged, Mr. Lee. Remember Dr. Cook discovered the North Pole with the help of gum drops. Again we thank you for the booklet and co-operation. Please print this in your valuable sheet and send us a copy. Now Mr. Lee, don't worry any longer over our $16.00. We have bought Liberty Bonds, donated to the Red Cross and we are satisfied with our investments.

(Signed)
H. O. EKERDALEN,
Chairman.
T. B. FOLDEN,
Secretary.

If you wish to buy white flour you must also buy the same amount of substitutes.

Hotel for Sale

Will sell my hotel property located in Holt, Minn. Price reasonable and terms easy. Would lease to responsible party. Write or call on Sam Mickelson, Prop. Central Hotel

Holt, Minn.

Notice for Bids

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of School District No. 58, Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids for the construction of a school house in said District as per plans and specifications now on file at the Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota. Bids may be filed with the Clerk of said District until 1 P. M., Thursday, March 14th, 1918. The said School Board will meet at the Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minnesota, on Thursday March 14th, 1918, at 1 P. M., for the purpose of opening and considering said Bids. The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids must be accompanied by a certified check for at least 10 per cent of the amount of the bid.

G. P. Sorter, Clerk
of School District No. 58,
Marshall County, Minn.

P. O. Address:
Holt, Minnesota, R. F. D. No. 1.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Feb. 23, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Almond L. Snook, of Middle River, Minn., who on Oct. 5th, 1916, made homestead entry, No. 013615, for W 1-2 NE 1-4 and Lots 6 and 7, Sec. 20. and Lot 2, Sec. 21, Twp. 156 N. Ran 41 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, United States Land Office, at Crookston, Minn., on the 2nd day of April 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Alfred Sollom, Grant Flakne, J. S. Gabrielson and Agnes R. Fosen, all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has occurred in the conditions of that certain mortgage, dated the 1st day of March, 1915, executed by A. C. Body and Clara Body, his wife, mortgagors, to L. P. Carter, mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 12th day of April, 1915, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., and recorded in Book 79 of mortgages on page 391 thereof; which said mortgage and the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by instrument in writing, dated the 1st day of September, 1916, executed by said L. P. Carter, mortgagee, to S. M. Elwood, assignee, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 13th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m, and recorded in Book 85 of mortgages on page 230 thereof;

That pursuant to a provision of said mortgage said assignee of said mortgage has elected to declare the whole debt secured thereby to be now due and payable; that there is due and payable at the date of this notice, upon the debt secured by said mortgage the sum of $4756.60, together with the sum of $156.63 taxes paid by said assignee of said mortgage after the same had become delinquent.

That no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof; that by virtue of a power of sale therein contained said mortgage will be foreclosed and the land and premises therein described, to-wit: lying and being in the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, The west one-half (W1-2) of section twenty-two (22), in township one hundred fifty-five (155), north of range forty-two (42) west of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota; will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren in the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April, 1918, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to pay and satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage and taxes aforesaid, and the sum of $50.00 attorney's fees therein provided for and the costs and disbursements allowed by law upon such foreclosure sale.

Dated Feb. 20, 1918.

S. M. Elwood,
Assignee of mortgage.

Charles A. Pitkin,
Attorney for Assignee of mortgage.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Financial Report Village Clerk of Holt, Minn.

Detailed Financial Statement of H. B. Young, Clerk of the Village of Holt, County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, showing the financial affairs of said Village for the year ending Feb. 1, 1918, showing all moneys received, with the sources, dates and amounts thereof; all moneys paid out, to whom and for what purpose; all outstanding and unpaid orders, to whom issued and for what purpose; all moneys remaining in the treasury, and all other items showing the financial condition of said Village.

RECEIPTS.
General Fund.

Of Whom Received	On What Account	Amount
1917.		
March 1, Balance on hand	brought forward	$ 383.28
March 21, Eureka Fire Hose Co.	expense returning hose	1.76
March 22, H. J. Olen	lamps	.50
March 22, Free Mission Church	lamps	4.25
June 6, B. Docken	telephone wire	4.42
June 30, County Treasurer	town revenue	295.89
June 30, Same	road and bridge	146.88
June 30, Same	drag	43.28
June 30, Same	town poor	.02
July 11, Joe Nelson	dog licenses	2.75
July 20, H. Peterson	poll taxes	60.00
July 20, Same	poll taxes	6.00
July 18, County Treasurer	work on State road No. 7	2.00
Sept. 20, C. L. Sandberg	telephone wire	4.41
Oct. 31, H. Peterson	poll taxes	12.00
Dec. 5, County Treasurer	town revenue	70.70
Dec. 5, Road and bridge	road and bridge	24.59
Dec. 5, Same	drag	7.75
Sept. 4, Holt State Bank	from ditch donation	55.60
Total Receipts		$1,126.08
1918		
Feb. 1, Cash on hand in bank		$ 483.95

DISBURSEMENTS.
General Fund.

To Whom Paid	For What Purpose	Amount
1917		
Feb. 10, School District No. 35	old school house bell	$ 10.00
March 1, Andrae & Sons	lamps	44.82
March 1, Fairbanks-Morse Co.	pump and jack	165.00
March 3, Andrae & Sons Co.	lamps	29.28
March 7, Holt & George Co.	pump pipes	20.43
March 8, O. H. Dovre	labor on well	11.80
March 10, C. W. Christianson	labor on well rods, etc.	20.35
March 10, Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	lubmer and coal	19.17
March 10, Fairbanks, Morse & Co.	payment on storage battery	200.00
March 10, R. Reierson	stove pipes	.25
March 10, Sam Mickelson	trustee's salary	10.00
March 10, Same	carpenter work	11.50
March 10, Racine Olson	labor on well and dynamo base	14.40
March 10, Switchboard Co.	telephoning	.80
March 10, C. H. Gunheim	trustee's salary	10.00
March 10, Same	hardware and gasoline	5.60
March 10, Holt Merc. Co.	oil, nails, etc.	3.55
March 10, C. L. Sandberg	trustee's salary	10.00
March 10, H. B. Young	clerk's salary	25.00
March 10, S. S. Kolden	president's salary	6.00
March 10, C. W. Christianson	trustee's salary	4.00
March 10, Holt State Bank	Insurance Premium—discount on orders	88.91
March 31, Sam Mickelson	election judge	2.00
April 2, J. B. Alkenbrack	election judge	3.00
April 2, Theodore Sollom	election clerk	3.00
April 2, C. H. Gunheim	merchandise	5.00
April 2, Same	labor order O. H. Doore	1.40
April 2, Racine Olson	labor	11.80
April 4, Standard Oil Co.	machine oil and kerosene	18.33
April 4, Taber and McLane	payment on well	5.00
April 5, International Harvester Co.	Bal. on engine and pump	2,220.00
April 7, Alfred Olson	gasoline	4.55
April 11, H. Peterson	freight, express, draying	8.96
April 11, Lilly Peterson	telephoning	.60
April 14, C. L. Sandberg	telephoning	.40
April 14, Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	lumber	13.18
April 14, Kiewell Brewing Co.	distilled water	4.00
April 14, Western Electric Co.	supplies	28.13
April 17, Racine Olson	salary to April 1st, 1917	40.00
April 20, Andrae & Sons Co.	meters and meter book	69.20
April 17, Standard Oil Co.	oil	9.60
April 20, C. E. Peterson	telegram	.46
April 21, Western Electric Co.	supplies	22.83
April 21, Holt-George Co.	pipes for well	17.04
April 21, John F. Sinclair & Co.	interest on bonds	165.00
May 1, Standard Oil Co.	½ bbl. gas tractor oil and kerosene	19.22
May 1, Taber & McLane	payment on well	19.28
May 2, Eureka Fire Hose Co.	hose, cart, gate, etc.	512.50
May 3, C. W. Christianson	labor and blacksmith supplies	10.50
May 4, Racine Olson	engineer's salary for April	30.00
May 5, H. J. Olson	wiring hall and labor	59.94
May 5, Holt Merc. Co.	merchandise	33.10
May 5, Peoples' Cash Store	merchandise	3.25
May 8, Arnold Boernstein	labor on dump ground	1.25
May 9, Harry Knutson	labor on pump	3.50
May 9, H. B. Young	postage, stationary, telephone	1.35
May 9, Standard Oil Co.	oil	15.90
May 9, Davidson Bros.	labor on well	5.00
May 12, Andrae & Sons Co.	lamps	21.87
May 12, Carl Brekkestran	running engine	4.75
May 12, H. M. Hicks	electric wire	9.13
May 12, Davidson Bros.	labor on pump	19.00
May 14, Standard Oil Co.	oil	8.69
May 15, N. W. Stamp Works	dog license tags	1.28
May 16, H. J. Olson	payment on pole line	99.20
May 16, Hans Swanson for H. J. O.	bal. on pole line, dynamo switch board	800.00
May 19, H. J. Olson	labor and electric supplies	30.95
May 19, C. L. Anderson	labor on pole line	1.20
May 19, H. Peterson	labor, express, draying	10.71
May 19, Walter S. Booth & Son	blanks	6.55
May 25, Standard Oil Co.	oil	22.49
May 29, H. Peterson	freight and draying	4.62
June 6, Hersog Iron Works	jail supplies	74.00
June 6, Western Electric Co.	wire and lightning arrester	27.15
June 6, Leonard Peterson	professional services	75.00
June 7, C. W. Christianson	labor	6.50
June 9, Mrs. B. Eide	telephone calls	.40
June 11, Winton-Nichols Co.	lumber and cement	7.30
June 11, H. J. Olson	labor and poles	13.95
June 18, J. M. Swan	hauling well drill	3.00
June 26, Ed. Davidson	labor on pump	5.43
June 26, Jesse Sorum	labor on pump	3.85
June 28, Taber & McLane	bal. due on well	184.41
June 28, Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	acct. Taber & McLane	16.00
July 7, Plant Rubber Co.	belt glue	1.12
July 7, Eureka Fire Hose Co.	extension ladder	30.00
July 7, Andrae & Sons Co.	lamps	10.04
July 7, C. H. Gunheim	screen cap for pump	8.00
July 14, Western Electric Co.	supplies	19.70
July 21, H. M. Hicks	copper wire and cable	187.81
July 21, Racine Olson	assessing and attending meeting at Warren	22.10
July 21, H. Peterson	road work	20.00
July 21, H. Peterson	freight, express and draying	15.17
Aug. 25, R. Reierson	bal. on engine	46.40
Sept. 6, H. B. Young	postage, express and expense to T. R. Falls	3.55
Sept. 6, C. W. Christianson	labor and supplies	3.25
Sept. 8, Racine Olson	labor on pump	1.80
Oct. 1, John F. Sinclair & Co.	interest on bonds	165.00
Oct. 4, John Hagberg	building cement walk around hall	43.52
Oct. 5, Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	acct. John Hagberg	78.40
Oct. 5, H. Peterson	acct. John Hagberg	17.45
Oct. 5, H. Peterson	draying, hauling gravel, express	12.50
Oct. 5, Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.	lumber	3.68
Oct. 5, Holt Merc. Co.	merchandise	8.15
Nov. 19, Holt State Bank	for draft in full to Fairbanks-Morse, storage battery	300.00
Dec. 5, H. Peterson	draying	1.65
Dec. 8, Sam Mickelson	moving coal shed	10.00
Dec. 12, C. W. Christianson	labor and supplies	4.00
Dec. 8, Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	lumber	1.12
Dec. 8, Olaus Rodahl	building sidewalks, lots 16-17-18, Blk. 8	105.60
Dec. 8, Same	extra work Village Hall	14.00
Dec. 8, Same	extra work on Latta's lot	1.20
Total disbursements		$6,666.62

OUTSTANDING UNPAID ORDERS.
General Fund.

To Whom Issued	For What Purpose	Amount
1915		
Dec. 18, Holt Weekly News	publishing ordinances	$ 71.50
1916		
Jan. 29, Carl Newton	lot 12, blk. 4, Holt	400.00
May 15, Irving E. Quist	surveying grades and blue prints	24.27
June 2, Olaus Rodahl	1st payment on City Hall	200.00
June 16, Same	2nd payment on City Hall	200.00
June 16, Same	3rd payment on City Hall	500.00
June 21, Fritjof Kesberg	grading streets	21.00
June 21, Dedrick Nyberg	grading streets	16.00
June 22, J. B. Alkenbrack	grading streets	15.90
June 22, John Swan	grading streets	23.40
June 22, Tom Larson	grading streets	16.35
June 22, P. O. Reirson	Judge of election	3.90
Aug. 16, Olaus Rodahl	Village Hall	2,000.00
1917		
May 16, Hans Swanson	electric pole line, dynamo and switchboard	800.00
May 2, Eureka Fire Hose Co.	hose, cart, nozzels and gate	512.50
June 6, Herzog Iron Works	(jail), jail door and windows	74.00
June 6, Leonard Peterson	services as engineer, Light & Water plant	75.00
June 6, Western Electric Co.	lighting arrester and copper wire	27.15
July 7, Plant Rubber Co.	belt glue	1.12
July 7, C. H. Gunheim	screen cap	8.00
July 7, Eureka Fire Hose Mfg. Co.	extension fire ladder	30.00
July 14, Western Electric Co.	supplies	19.70
July 21, Hjalmar Peterson	express and draying road work, freight	35.17
July 7, Julius Andrae & Sons Co.	lamps	10.04
Oct. 1, John F. Sinclair Co.	annual interest on Bond issue	165.00
July 21, Racine Olson	assessing, attending meeting, 1 mileage	22.10
Aug. 25, Reier Reierson	due on one gaso. engine less $3.60 for lamps	46.40
Sept. 8, Racine Olson	putting pump in Axel Nelson's well	1.50
Oct. 5, Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.	lumber	3.68
Oct. 5, Same	Hagberg's acct. for Village building sidewalks	78.40
Oct. 4, John Hagberg	building sidewalks around Village Hall	43.52
Oct. 5, Holt Merc. Co.	rail fittings, pipe and galvanized iron	8.15
Oct. 5, H. Peterson	express and hauling gravel	12.50
Oct. 5, Same	Hagberg's acct. building sidewalks around Village Hall	17.45
Nov. 19, Holt State Bank	In. fuel storage battery, Fairbanks, Morse & Co.	300.00
Dec. 12, C. W. Christianson	labor and supplies	4.00
Dec. 12, Sam Mickelson	moving coal shed	10.00
Dec. 8, Olaus Rodahl	building sidewalks in front of lots 16-17-18, extra filling in block 8 and extra work on Hall in 1916	120.20
Dec. 5, H. Peterson	teaming, etc.	1.65
Dec. 8, Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	lumber	1.12
Total Outstanding Unpaid Orders		$5,920.67

RECEIPTS.
Electric Fund.

Of Whom Received	On What Account	Amount
1917		
Racine Olson	water sold	$ 2.35
Same	used oil sold	8.15
Same	lamps sold	170.25
Same	lights and meter rent to August 1st	148.00
Same	lights and meter rent for Aug., Sept., Oct.	190.45
Same	lights and meter rent for Nov.	108.25
Same	lights and meter rent for Dec.	98.95
Same	lights and meter rent for Jan.	92.05
Total Receipts		$ 818.45
1918		
Feb. 21, Cash on hand in bank		$ 497.19
Lamp accounts remaining unpaid		$ 19.53
Light and meter accounts remaining unpaid		13.65
Used oil sold, acct. remaining unpaid		6.00
Light accounts in controversy		13.10

DISBURSEMENTS.
Electric Fund.

To Whom Issued	For What Purpose	Amount
1917		
June 2, Racine Olson	May salary	$ 30.00
June 12, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene	15.37
June 21, Same	kerosene	4.24
June 26, Same	kerosene	11.98
July 3, Racine Olson	June salary	30.00
July 7, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene	10.92
July 31, Same	kerosene	17.49
Aug. 8, Same	kerosene and gasoline	30.30
Aug. 9, C. W. Christianson	blacksmithing, bolts, etc.	5.75
Aug. 15, Julius Andrae & Sons	lamps	3.49
Aug. 15, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene	12.72
Aug. 21, Racine Olson	July salary	30.00
Aug. 22, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene	4.77
Aug. 27, Winton-Nichols Co.	dimension timber	1.20
Aug. 30, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene	19.08
Sept. 3, Racine Olson	August salary	30.00
Sept. 8, Northern Electric Co.	fuse plugs	3.30
Sept. 8, H. Peterson	express and draying	1.40
Sept. 18, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene and gas tractor oil	48.94
Oct. 3, Andrew Tobiason	labor on pole line	3.90
Oct. 3, Farmers' Creamery Co.	pump and distilled water	6.15
Oct. 3, Western Electric Co.	lamps	15.00
Oct. 3, Tony Lusian	labor on pole line, wire and supplies	51.60
Oct. 3, Roy Barzen	labor on pole line	12.40
Oct. 4, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene	32.83
Oct. 9, Same	kerosene and gasoline	18.80
Oct. 6, Holt Merc. Co.	gasoline, etc.	27.22
Oct. 9, Racine Olson	September salary	30.00
Oct. 11, Joe Nelson	insulated wire and express	19.50
Oct. 16, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene	21.00
Oct. 26, Same	kerosene	21.23
Nov. 7, Same	kerosene and gasoline	56.05
Nov. 10, Racine Olson	October salary	30.00
Nov. 10, R. Reierson	merchandise	2.23
Nov. 10, Northern Electric Co.	lamps	2.00
Nov. 10, Andrae & Sons	meters	22.50
Nov. 19, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene	27.26
Nov. 30, Same	kerosene, gasoline and gas tractor oil	60.13
Dec. 5, H. Peterson	freight, express and draying	5.63
Dec. 8, Theo. Quale	legal services	15.00
Dec. 8 International Harvester Co.	storage oil tank	23.50
Dec. 15, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene	62.62
Dec. 22, Racine Olson	November salary	35.00
1918		
Jan. 3, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene and gasoline	78.89
Jan. 17, Same	kerosene and gasoline	47.50
Jan. 19, Western Electric Co.	fuses	3.13
Jan. 23, Racine Olson	December salary	35.00
Jan. 31, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene and gas tractor oil	59.52
Total Disbursements		$1,136.54

OUTSTANDING UNPAID ORDERS.
Electric Fund.

To Whom Issued	For What Purpose	Amount
1917		
Sept. 13, Standard Oil Co.	280 gal. K. oil and bbl. gas tractor oil	$ 48.94
Oct. 3, Western Electric Co.	five 300 Watt lamps	15.00
Oct. 3, Tony Lusian	labor on pole line 72, wire, etc.	50.65
Oct. 3, Roy Barzen	labor on line	12.40
Oct. 4, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene	32.83
Oct. 6, Holt Merc. Co.	gasoline, etc.	27.22
Oct. 27, Holt Merc. Co.	kerosene and gasoline	18.80
Oct. 9, Racine Olson	Sept. salary	30.00
Oct. 11, Joe Nelson	76 lbs. of wire and expressing same	19.50
Oct. 16, Holt Merc. Co.	kerosene	21.00
Oct. 26, Same	kerosene	21.23
Oct. 3, Farmers' Creamery Co.	distilled water and pump	6.15
Sept. 8, H. Peterson	express and draying	1.40
Nov. 7, Holt Merc. Co.	gasoline and kerosene	56.05
Nov. 10, Northern Electric Co.	10-40 W. lamps	2.00
Nov. 10, Andrae & Sons Co.	five second-hand meters	22.50
Nov. 10, Racine Olson	salary for October electrician	30.00
Nov. 10, R. Rierson	merchandise	2.23
Nov. 19, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene, In. fuel storage battery	27.26
Nov. 30, Same	oil, belt dressing, gasoline and kerosene	60.13
Dec. 8, International Harvester Co.	kerosene tank for engine	23.50
Dec. 8, Theo. Quale	legal services, storage battery	15.00
Dec. 15, Holt Merc. Co.	497 gallons kerosene	62.62
Dec. 5, H. Peterson	freight and express, drayage	5.63
Dec. 22, Racine Olson	November salary	35.00
Nov. 10, R. Rierson	merchandise	2.23
1918		
Jan. 3, Holt Merc. Co.	gasoline and kerosene	78.89
Jan. 31, Same	gas tractor oil and kerosene	59.52
Jan. 17, Standard Oil Co.	kerosene and gasoline	47.50
Jan. 19, Western Electric Co.	fuses	3.13
Jan. 23, Racine Olson	salary for December	35.00
Total Outstanding Unpaid Orders		$ 873.31

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Tom Ellfeson was a T. R. Falls passenger Monday.

J. J. Little came up from Madison Wednesday, on business.

Mrs. H. B. Young was a Middle River visitor Wednesday.

We've been having a few days of winter weather this week.

G. M. Gubrud has resigned his position in Gunheim's store.

Albert Larson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

W. A. Lindahl went to Ross Friday for a short visit with his family.

Dr. Mellby was called Saturday to see Mrs. John Udstrand, who is sick.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bennes were visitors in T. R. Falls Friday and Saturday.

Math. Larson returned on Monday from several weeks visit with relatives at Fargo.

Miss Bergest Steenerson went to Pelican Rapids Monday for an extended visit with her aunt.

Read the ads for the War Savings Stamps, which are being donated by the different business men and firms.

Mrs. Martin Kolseth and Miss Esther Reierson went to Thief River Falls Monday to have dental work done.

Ole Backlund returned home on Tuesday from Boy River where he spent the winter working in the woods.

Elmer Sollom came over from Newfolden Tuesday for a short visit at home and with his brother, Bertil, in Middle River.

Charley Horien came Wednesday from Houston for a short visit at home. He leaves Monday for Jefferson Barracks, Mo., where he will join the coast artillery service.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Offerdahl went to St. Paul Friday to see their son, Ole, who is very sick in the hospital there. Mr. Offerdahl returned home Tuesday leaving his wife there at the bedside of their son, who is some better.

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Red Cross News

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.
Holt Auxiliary Red Cross Society.

Receipts.	
Membership fees paid in	$103.00
Miscellaneous donations	56.90
Musical recital	18.10
School and Red Cross entertainment	11.75
Lunch and reception Mission church	15.90
Collection Reception Feb. 21	2.27
$6.27 less $4.00 pd. Rev. Parish, net	2.27
Collection Non-Partisan meeting	21.25
Total	$229.17
Disbursements.	
Membership fees paid Warren Chp.	$103.00
Donation and proceeds Xmas drive entertainments remitted Warren Chapter	76.50
Paid Xmas boxes for soldiers	9.00
Postage for Secretary	.66
Total	$189.16
Balance on hand Mar. 1st	40.01
	$229.17

B. DOCKEN,
Treasurer.

Another verse has been added to our splendid national hymn, "America" and is now being sung at all patriotic gatherings. It is as follows:

God save our splendid men,
Send them safe home again,
God save our men.
Keep them victorious, patient and chivalrous,
They are so dear to us,
God save our men.

Bedroom suite for sale, this office.

J. E. Erickson called at Mr. Kisch's Monday morning.

Carsten Sagstuen has been hauling wood for Albert Bennes the past week.

C. Holgren who has been visiting at J. E. Erickson's the past two weeks, left Monday for his home near Duluth.

The Zion's Ladies Aid of East Valley will be entertained at the home of Mrs. P. C. Rosand March 13th, at 2 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Rheuman, Mr. and Martin Mattson, Charley Mattson, Mrs. Martin Kisch and Henry Wendt were Sunday visitors at J. E. Erickson's.

A. R. Jones spent Sunday with his family at Crookston.

Miss Esther Werner went to Thief River Falls Saturday to visit relatives.

Miss Agnes Bakke was an over Sunday visitor with her parents in Thief River Falls.

Ruby Swan went to Thief River Falls Saturday to visit relatives and have dental work done.

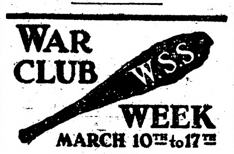
Prof. Hall went to the Twin Cities Friday on business, returning home the forepart of the week.

Jerald O'Hara returned last week from Lockhart and has been helping his brother put up ice the past week.

Richard Joringdal has sold his barber shop to Ernest Phillipson of Middle River. Mr. Joringdal expects to be in the next army draft, hence the change in business.

Carl Hellen was down from Greenbush last week and bought P. A. Riesberg's and Thorval Kolden's hay which they loaded the first of the week.

Mrs. B. Docken and Mrs. B. J. Bakken went to Thief River Falls Thursday for a short visit with relatives. They also attended the funeral of Rev. Tunheim in Newfolden on Friday.



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Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday School 2 o'clock.

English services Sunday March 17 at 7:30 p. m.

Lutheran Circuit meeting March 19, 20 and 21, commencing at 2 o'clock p. m. Eight Ministers will take part. Subject "Prodigal Son."

Rev. M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Notice!

The Annual Meeting of the Farmers & Village Switchboard Co., will be held at the M. W. A. Hall March 11th at 1 p. m., to elect officers and transact other business.

T. B. Folden, Sec'y.

Take Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

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Services at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon by Rev. Kilen.

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Bentley Nelson
Somewhere in France

Willie Hoel
Ft. Crook, Neb.

Ernest Kuehne
Leonard Jefferson
Camp Cody, N. Mex.

At Naval Training Stations

Ben Nyberg
Dehard Johnson
Albert Bjerk
Clarence Swan

Coast Artillery, San Fransisco

Rudolph Reierson
Willie Sorum
Victor Johnson
Ed Bjerk

Camp Dodge, Iowa

P. L. Anderson
Andrew Sorum
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Thomas Anderson
Elling Tollefsrud
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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.89
Oats	85
Barley	1.77 to 2.02
Rye	2.71
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

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The Habit of Thrift Will Help Win The War

The United States Government needs money to equip our armies and to fight for democracy. Your Government—the richest in the world—is willing to pay interest for your money now. Uncle Sam offers you $5.00 War Savings Stamps for $4.13 in February, and one cent additional each month thereafter.

A Thrift Card is furnished to all purchasers of 25 cents Thrift Stamps. When all the spaces have been filled, the Thrift Card may be exchanged for $5.00 War Savings Stamps at any post office or bank. You should start saving a certain amount regularly. Outline your program. Start at once by going to your post office and getting your first War Savings Stamp or Thrift Card. And stick to it. As you treasure your right to live in this nation of freedom, do not miss a single day on which you have determined to save.

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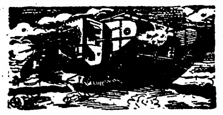

To drive a tank, handle the guns, and sweep over the enemy trenches, takes strong nerves, good rich blood, a good stomach, liver and kidneys. When the time comes, the man with red blood in his veins "is up and at it." He has iron nerves for hardships—an interest in his work grips him. That's the way you feel when you have taken a blood and nerve tonic, made up of Blood root, Golden Seal root, Stone root, Cherry bark, and rolled into a sugar-coated tablet and sold in sixty-cent vials by almost all druggists for past fifty years as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This tonic, in liquid or tablet form, is just what you need this spring to give you vim, vigor and vitality. At the fag end of a hard winter, no wonder you feel "run-down," blue, out of sorts. Try this "Medical Discovery" of Dr. Pierce's. Don't wait! To-day is the day to begin! A little "pep," and you laugh and live.

The best means to oil the machinery of the body, put tone into the liver, kidneys and circulatory system, is to first practice a good house-cleaning. I know of nothing better as a laxative than a vegetable pill made up of May-apple, leaves of aloe and jalap. This is commonly sold by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, and should be taken at least once a week to clear the twenty-five feet of intestines. You will thus clean the system—expel the poisons and keep *well*. *Now* is the time to clean house. Give yourself a spring house cleaning.—Adv.

Triplex Glass to Be Made Here.

It is announced from London that a group of New York financiers has acquired the patent rights for the manufacture of a triplex glass for war purposes. At present this glass is used in aviation goggles, automobile windshields, port lights of ships, observation windows, chart covers and so on. The manufacture of this glass in America will begin shortly, the plant for the purpose now nearing completion.—Scientific American.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

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Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

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"The Germans say the English will have to give up Gibraltar."

"Oh, that's a bluff."

Philadelphia reports a shortage of garbage collections.

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"Blue," worried, half-sick people should find out the cause of their troubles. Often it is merely faulty kidney action, which allows the blood to get loaded up with poisons that irritate the nerves. Backache, headaches, dizziness and annoying bladder troubles are added proofs that the kidneys need help. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands thank them for relief from just such troubles.

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. L. J. Smith, 1 Phillip Court, Minot, N. D., says: "For a long time I suffered from kidney trouble. My back was stiff and lame and I had sharp shooting pains through my kidneys. There was a dull, bearing down pain through my loins and I had awful headaches and dizzy spells. My kidneys acted irregularly. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and they gave me a lasting cure."

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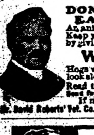

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PISO'S

FARMERS URGED TO RAISE MORE WHEAT

A. C. Townley Tells Farmers to Increase Production as Matter of Patriotism.

Farmers of the Northwest are urged to plant more wheat this spring as a patriotic war duty, in an appeal issued by A. C. Townley, president of the National Nonpartisan League, who points out that at present prices rye, corn and barley are more profitable crops than wheat and that this may result in larger acreage being sown in these grains, and thus cause a shortage in wheat unless the nation's urgent necessity for wheat is emphasized. Mr. Townley requests all news agencies and all patriotic publishers to show the seriousness of the situation.

"The spring seeding season is close at hand," said Mr. Townley, "and at present prices corn, rye and barley all will pay the farmer much better than wheat. Rye is bringing $2.16 a bushel and an acre of rye yields as much or more than an acre of wheat, and it is a much cheaper crop to produce. Barley and corn produce from two to three times as many bushels to the acre as wheat and they are selling respectively at $1.80 and $1.75 a bushel.

"But the government and our Allies need wheat above all else. Its increased production is of paramount importance. We must have more wheat to win the war. Many farmers, burdened by pressing financial obligations and possibly unaware of the vital necessity for more wheat, may decide to plant corn, barley or rye instead of wheat. This is a very natural thing for the individual farmer to do, but if it is done generally it will be a national calamity.

Urge Farmers to Plant Wheat.

"Therefore, I urge in the strongest possible manner that all farmers prepare to plant more wheat, to the exclusion of other less needed crops, purely as a matter of patriotism. And I know that the farmers will respond to this plea. The farmers are patriotic and are behind their country. There is no sacrifice they will not make. I feel sure that they will plant wheat even when they know there is more money in other less needed crops.

"But at the same time, I do not think the farmer, and the farmer alone, should be penalized for his patriotism. I think that the government either should advance the price of wheat or scale down the prices of commodities which the farmer is compelled to purchase. I believe this will be done. President Wilson has pointed out the injustice of reducing the price of what the farmer sells, but not reducing what he buys.

Regulate All Prices.

"I also think that the scale of all grains and other farm products should be regulated—when that which the farmer buys likewise is regulated. All the farmer wants is justice. He is perfectly willing to have the price of his products reduced if what he buys is correspondingly lowered, but he cannot help feeling resentful when the price of his principal farm product is sharply cut down while unchecked profiteering continues on all sides.

"I am confident that President Wilson and Mr. Hoover will take steps to adjust this condition. I think the farmers can depend upon this being done. But in the meantime, seeding time is approaching, the situation is very, very serious, and I appeal to all farmers to prepare to plant wheat even if this seems to threaten a pecuniary loss. I feel sure that this loss will not actually occur and that the administration can be depended upon to adjust conditions satisfactorily from the farmers' standpoint."

PRICE FIXING AN OLD STORY

Gov. Frazier of North Dakota Says Gambling Boards Have Done It For Years.

At the Co-operators' Congress in Great Falls, Gov. Frazier of North Dakota advocated price fixing by the government as an improvement over price fixing by the boards of trade as had been the method in the past. Gov. Frazier spoke in part as follows:

"It has been stated, especially in some of the eastern papers, that the farmers were responsible for the high cost of living; that they were getting war prices. Well, of course, the farmers know better than that. The people of these agricultural states know better than that, but those reports have run through the eastern papers. It is hardly fair. We, of course, have gotten better prices for our farm products, but the prices after the products have left our hands have increased in a great many instances, double and more than double in some cases, and it is the speculator who has gotten the war prices. The manufacturer of munitions has gotten the war prices. The farmers have fought for an open market for their grain, to do away with the grain gamblers, for years. We have been told that it was the only way we could sell grain; that the only way a market could be obtained for our grain was through the chamber of commerce pit; but our government has proven to us that it wasn't necessary to sell our grain through the chamber of commerce pit by gamblers; that the government, in order to assure a square deal to the farmers, to the producers and consumers both alike, set the price upon the wheat.

Used to Price-Fixing.

"I happened to be in Washington early in May when they were discussing the fixing of the price of wheat, and I was invited before the agricultural committee of the senate and one of the senators asked me if I thought the farmers of the Northwest would be willing for congress to set the price upon wheat. I told the committee in the senate that farmers of the Northwest had had the prices fixed upon their wheat, and every other product they raise on the farm ever since they had been farming; that they had had those prices fixed by the grain gamblers, by the beef trust; and I believe they would be willing to chance the government, once at least, to see how it worked."

Cutting Expenses.

The railroads have been ordered by the government to lop off all of their attorneys and lobbyists from their payrolls. Perhaps with that waste gone they will not need to raise freight rates.

Want to Use It.

The farmers have the earth now. All they ask is a chance to use it so that it will return them a living while they in turn feed the world.

FARMER WORKERS IGNORED

Secretary Houston Says They Are Slighted in War Work.

One of the causes for the threatened crop shortage is declared by Secretary of Agriculture Houston to be the "justified belief of the farmer that he is not regarded as a partner in the great enterprise of winning the war."

The secretary was moved to his comments by the appeal of sixteen agricultural associations representing 3,000,000 organized farmers for a change in conditions that would make increased production possible.

In enumerating his reasons for the farming conditions at the present time the secretary declared that one of the potent ones was the fact that the farmer had been so thoroughly ignored in all of the bodies that had been organized to help make the war effective, yet he was being appealed to through patriotic motives to bend every energy to increase production.

Price Below Production.

The secretary said that the farmers were doing all that they could, but that there were several obstacles that appeared to be insurmountable standing in the way. Among these he enumerated a shortage of labor, a shortage of feed, seed, fertilizers, farm implements, and a lack of reasonable credit.

The secretary also declared that prices received were often below the cost of production.

Urged Co-operation.

The secretary recommended that arrangements be made for reasonable credit for the farmers on easy terms, and for a sympathetic working out of farm labor problems even to relieving necessary men from army service. His strongest plea was for greater co-operation between the farmers and the war agencies. For this purpose he called for the immediate appointment of a commission of nine farmers, actually engaged in the business, to be selected by the president from men, representative of, and satisfactory to the great farm organizations of America. This commission would be constantly in session in Washington to consider from the farmers' standpoint all problems as they arose and to make recommendations for their solution.

This recommendation of the secretary of agriculture is in strong contrast with the policy of the politicians of the Northwest who, instead of trying to co-operate with the farmers have endeavored in every way to hamper and discredit their organizations and who have rejected all offers of the farmers to co-operate with city bodies in war activities.

The secretary says for this plan that it would be in harmony with the procedure already adopted by the government in other essential industries.

Not Sauce for Gander.

J. Ogden Armour, head of the beef trust, the most highly organized institution in America, refuses to allow his poorly paid men to organize lest out of his surplus millions he should be forced to pay a living wage.

Schurman Would Curb Profiteers.

President Jacob G. Schurman of Cornell University, in a recent speech, appealed to the president and congress to curb the food profiteers and to inaugurate a system by which more of the price paid by consumers should go to the farmers to help stimulate production. It is not low prices we need he declares, but prices that will cover the cost of production and allow farmers a fair profit.

FOE PLANS TO SEIZE FINLAND

Germany Announces Intention To Stockholm Official Dispatches Say.

ALAND ISLANDS BASE

To Be Used for Supplying Armies—Sweden Protests—Feeling Tense—Slavs Burn Bridges—Regard Treaty as "Scrap of Paper."

Berlin, March 5.—Military operations in Russia have stopped, says the official statement issued by the German general office.

Washington, March 5.—Germany's occupation of the Aland islands is only a preliminary to the total occupation of Finland. Official dispatches to the Swedish legation say Germany has announced the Stockholm foreign office her intention to occupy Finland and that Sweden has protested. Germany advised Sweden the dispatches say, that it was necessary to temporarily occupy Finland to restore order but gave assurances that she has no intention to take permanent possession of the territory. Sweden protested also against the Aland islands being placed in the war zone.

Base For Foe Supplies.

The occupation of the Aland islands, the dispatches say, is to make them a base for supplying the German occupation of Finland. There are 500 Swedish troops on the islands for police purposes. Their commander was notified by the German commander of his intentions and while so far there has been no clash reported, the Swedish troops have not been withdrawn and the feeling is described here as being very tense.

Slavs Destroy Bridges.

The Russians have begun destroying bridges on the trans-Siberian railroad between Lake Baikal and the Chinese frontier. John F. Stevens, chairman of the American railway mission, reported this to the state department. This may prevent Ambassador D. R. Francis from reaching Vladivostok.

While without details, officials here believe the Russians are destroying the bridges to prevent an expected advance of Japanese troops. A large number of other structures have been mined, Mr. Stevens also reported, so they could be readily destroyed.

Supplementary Treaties.

London, March 5.—Supplementary treaties between the Central Powers and the bolshevik government have been signed at Brest Litovsk in addition to the main peace treaty, according to a telegram from Brest Litovsk by way of Vienna and Amsterdam, which gives no details of the treaties.

Only "Scrap of Paper."

Petrograd, March 5.—The peace treaty with Germany, is now regarded as only a "scrap of paper."

The highest enthusiasm for fighting is prevalent through Petrograd.

The Petrograd panexecutive committee has called an extraordinary session of soldiers, peasants and Cossacks for Moscow, March 12, to decide whether to accept or reject peace.

As a result of the German advance, this conference may decide to tear up the treaty and declare a "holy war."

The movement to reunite all democratic parties for the purpose of fighting defensively to the last is growing.

MOVES AMERICAN EMBASSY

Francis to Continue Duties at Vladivostok Says Dispatch.

Tokio, March 5.—David R. Francis, American Ambassador to Russia, will move the American embassy to Vladivostok, according to a dispatch from that city to the Jiji Shimpo, received here. The dispatch quotes a radio received from Viscount Uchida, Japanese ambassador to Russia, stating that the Japanese embassy will be moved to Irkutsk or Harbin.

Seed Wheat Assured At Fair Price For Farmers

Minneapolis, March 5.—Northwest farmers will get all the seed wheat they need and there will be no famine prices, Frank L. Carey, head of the Minneapolis office of the Food Administration Grain corporation, says in a statement outlining conditions.

Laughless Days for Manitoba.

Winnipeg, March 5.—A move to establish a lot of laughless days has been made here. Members of the Canadian Film Exchange Managers' association discontinued importation of comic movies into Manitoba. The step is a protest against what managers claim is "ruthless" censoring. Films that "get by" in other provinces are barred here, they claim. Censors answered by threatening to extend the censorship to other kinds of movies, which are now being shown at theatres in the province.

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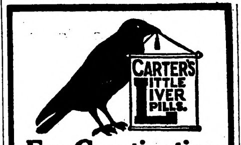

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NOT QUITE WHAT SHE MEANT

Godmother's Unqualified Assertion Must Have Given Officiating Minister Somewhat of a Shock.

The archbishop of York, formerly Doctor Lang, who voiced the views of labor so technically in the house of lords in the debate on industrial unrest, is both a man of wit and a brilliant reconteur. Though he now lives in a palace and has a salary of $50,000 a year, he knows the working classes as few men do.

I liked particularly a story he once told me (by way of illustrating the difficulty the poor have in understanding the archaic language of the prayer book) of a woman who was standing godmother to a child and who, when she was asked if, in the infant's name, she renounced the devil and all his works, and pomps and vanities of this wicked world, etc., replied eagerly, "Yes, yes, I recommend them all!"—Exchange.

Remarkable Discovery.

Mrs. Ben Mickel of the Soldier Clipper points out another remarkable discovery by the food conservationists—that when chickens are used in place of beef, it is better to kill the ones which are not laying. What would the farm wife do without the food experts?—Kansas City Star.

When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy

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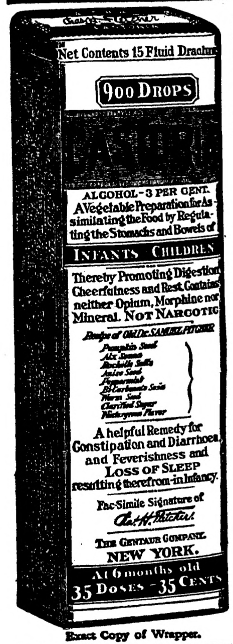

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"What did your son take at college this year?"

"Oh, some medals and the mumps."

A spring gun has been invented for casting fishing lines farther than can be done by hand.

Economy.

Mrs. Highe—"Are you going to get a divorce?" Mrs. Lowe—"No, one must economize in war time."

In Zululand the women fill their mouths with water to keep silent. The theory is all right.

GREAT BRITAIN

BRITONS and CANADIANS

Come Across Now

Agreement with the United States provides that *you* will be *drafted* if you don't volunteer. All men between 20 and 40 are liable.

Your Brothers Over There Are Calling to You

Answer the Call! Volunteer to-day; the need is imperative, you will not be doing your full duty if you wait to be drafted.

You Can Join Either the British or Canadian Armies

DO IT TO-DAY

At Nearest British and Canadian Recruiting Depot

Win the War by Preparing the Land

Sowing the Seed and Producing Bigger Crops

Work in Joint Effort the Soil of the United States and Canada

CO-OPERATIVE FARMING IN MAN POWER NECESSARY TO WIN THE BATTLE FOR LIBERTY

The Food Controllers of the United States and Canada are asking for greater food production. Scarcely 100,000,000 bushels of wheat are available to be sent to the allies overseas before the crop harvest. Upon the efforts of the United States and Canada rests the burden of supply

Every Available Tillable Acre Must Contribute; Every Available Farmer and Farm hand Must Assist

Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operation.

Canada's Wheat Production Last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the Demand From Canada Alone for 1918 is 400,000,000 Bushels

To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell you where you can best serve the combined interests.

Western Canada's help will be required not later than April 5th. Wages to competent help, $50.00 a month and up, board and lodging

Those who respond to this appeal will get a warm welcome, good wages, good board and find comfortable homes. They will get a rate of one cent a mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return

For particulars as to routes and places where employment may be had apply to: U. S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

TUESDAYS ONLY MEATLESS DAYS

Ban on Beef and Pork Is Raised, Except One Day Each Week, To Save On Wheat.

NEED MORE OF LATTER

Allies Make Increased Demand for Foodstuffs and Change Is Expected to Curtail Consumption of Cereal.

Washington, March 5.—The food administration announces a temporary suspension of the meatless meal and of the special restrictions against the use of pork on Saturdays, as a readjustment of its food conservation program. Increased meat production and the necessity for still greater saving in wheat, it is declared, make the change advisable.

Since all restrictions on consumption of mutton and lamb had been lifted previously the administration now asks the public for the time being to deny itself only beef and pork on one day a week—Tuesday.

Increased meat consumption, officials believe will itself curtail the use of wheat and for the present there is no intention to add to the restrictions already in force against the use of flour.

More Wheat Needed.

In a statement Food Administrator Hoover said:

"The Allies have made further and increased demands for foodstuffs, these enlarged demands being caused to some degree by shortage in arrivals from the Argentine. It is, therefore, necessary to urge a still further reduction in the consumption of bread and breadstuffs generally, if we are to meet our export necessities.

"Experience shows that the consumption of breadstuffs is intimately associated with the consumption of meat. For various reasons our supplies of meat for the next two or three months are considerably enlarged and we can supply the Allies with all of the meat products which transportation facilities render possible and at the same time somewhat increase our own consumption. In these circumstances, the administration considers it wise to relax the voluntary restrictions on meat consumption to some extent with a view to further decreasing bread consumption.

Tuesday Still Meatless.

"So long as the present conditions continue the only special restrictions we ask are the beefless and porkless Tuesday.

"The meatless meal and the porkless Saturday are no longer asked."

FOURTH CAMPS FOR OFFICERS

To Be Opened In May, But Locations Not Yet Decided.

Washington, March 5.—The fourth group of officers' training camps will open early in May, it has been learned. Only men from the ranks of the army will be accepted.

The number to be trained has not yet been decided, nor the location of camps. It is probable, however, that 20,000 men will receive instructions in 20 divisional camps.

The problem of supplying enough officers for all the branches of the service is pressing. The demands of such branches as aviation, ordnance, signal corps and others have been such that scores of officers have been transferred almost daily to fill up those services.

GEN. CRUSE IS EXONERATED

Employer Says Army Had Notice of His Employment

Chicago March 5.—Henry H. Lippert and his son, Ralph H. Lippert, manufacturers' agents arrested for alleged payments to Brigadier General Cruse, U. S. A., retired, in connection with aid in army contracts, have been released on $10,000 bonds each.

The elder Lippert absolved General Cruse of wrongdoing although he admitted he paid General Cruse $300 a month to take care of the Lippert interests in Washington

NINE AMERICANS ARE KILLED

North Dakota Private Slain and Minnesotan Wounded.

Washington, March 5.—Five Americans, including Second Lieut. Harold F. Eadie, of Tilton, N. H., were killed, five were severely wounded and four slightly wounded in the fight with the Germans north of Toul on March 1, the War department announces.

Mooney to Appeal for Pardon.

San Francisco, Cal., March 5.—Counsel for Thomas J. Mooney will not petition the state supreme court to reconsider its affirmation of the death sentence against him for participation in a bomb explosion here, but will appeal directly to the governor for a pardon. Attorney McNutt, who directed Mooney's defence, announced. Mooney's appeal for a new trial was denied by the state supreme court Friday on the ground that there was no reversible error in the record of his trial.

His Lack of Information.

A traveler in the far back region of the Ozarks came upon an ancient man sitting in the doorway of his cabin. After learning the direction in which he should go the traveler politely asked, "Well, what do you think of the war?"

"Which—p'tu—war?" was the counter question. "Has the Civil war done busted loose ag'in?"

"No. The war with Germany. It has been going on for more than three years, and—"

"Well, I'll be dogged! That's what a feller gits for living way off yur. Never heered a word about it. It's too durn bad, for I seed a couple of gents down there in the holler yesterday that mought a-been Germans. Could a-killed 'em just as easy as not."—Kansas City Star.

Skin Troubles That Itch

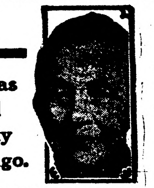
Burn and disfigure quickly soothed and healed by hot baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anointings of Cuticura Ointment. For free samples, address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." Sold by druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Severe Test.

"It may be true that kind words never die," remarked the Observer of Events and Things, "but it must be admitted that a sudden fall on an ice-covered pavement is apt to put a sort of a crimp in them."

Peruna Relieved My Cough

I Feel as I Did Twenty Years Ago.



Mrs. Gertie Ebhardt, 219 East First St., Kewanee, Illinois, writes:

"I have taken six bottles of your Peruna for a cough, and I am all well. I went over to see a neighbor one day and I had a terrible cough and my eyes were sore. She gave me half a bottle of Peruna last November, and it did me so much good that I bought a bottle, and then when I had finished that I got another, and so on until I have taken almost six bottles and I feel like a new woman. I am fifty-nine years old, and since I have taken the Peruna, I feel as I did twenty years ago. I will always keep Peruna in my house."

Those who object to liquid medicines can secure Peruna tablets.

Franklin Blackleg Vaccine

This seal is our word of honor and your protection. If it is not on the label of every bottle don't use it. Only the original carries this signature.

BLACKLEG VACCINE KANSAS DENVER WICHITA

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— only one handling of each calf — has stood the test of time — easy and safe to use — cannot give the disease to calves or spread it in pastures.

Leading cattlemen use it exclusively and recommend it to their friends — ask any of them or write to the nearest office for references and free Booklet on Blackleg.

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Proof that Some Women do Avoid Operations

Mrs. Etta Dorion, of Ogdensburg, Wis., says:

"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

How Mrs. Boyd Avoided an Operation.

Canton, Ohio.—"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well.

"My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them."—Mrs. Marie Boyd, 1421 5th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

Every Sick Woman Should Try LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND Before Submitting To An Operation

LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. LYNN, MASS.

Present Blessings.

"Ef you's in de wilderness," said Brother William, "now is de time ter stay dar, an' thank de Lawd dat you got trees ter burn!"—Atlanta Constitution.

BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

will quiet your cough, soothe the inflammation of a sore throat and lungs, stop irritation in the bronchial tubes, insuring a good night's rest, free from coughing and with easy expectoration in the morning. Made and sold in America for fifty two years. A wonderful prescription, assisting Nature in building up your general health and throwing off the disease. Especially useful in lung trouble, asthma, croup, bronchitis, etc. For sale in all civilized countries.—Adv.

Where there is remorse there may be penitence.

Common dollars won't take the place of common sense.

Willing to Oblige.

Master (to new cook)—We want you to show what you can do tonight, Jane. We have some rather special people coming for a musical evening. Do your very best, you know.

Cook—Sure, sir, that I will. It's a long time since I did any singing; but you can put me down for a couple of comic songs, if you like.—London Tit-Bits.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Hugh L. Frayne, labor representative on the war industries board, has been intrusted with the duty of looking after the welfare of men and women employed in war work.

Tricky Trixy.

Husband—"My trick dog refuses to drink water." Wife—"That's another trick you have taught him."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Those Dear Girls.

Jess—"How do you suppose he came to propose to me?" Bess—"Got tired of talking about the weather, probably."

Quite Natural.

"What was all the racket about in the convention hall last night?"

"The delegates were discussing party harmony."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels. Ad.

St. Louis in 1917 erected 3,139 new buildings at a cost of $10,000,000.

An old toper says it's the drinking between drinks that hurts a fellow.

22 Million Families in the United States

If EACH FAMILY saved one cup of wheat flour it would amount to 5,500,000 pounds, or more than 28,000 barrels. If this saving was made three times a week, it would amount to 858,000,000 pounds, or 4,377,000 barrels in a year.

You can do your share in effecting this saving and really help to win the war by omitting white bread from one meal today and baking in its place muffins or corn bread made according to this recipe:

Corn Meal Muffins

¾ cup corn meal
1¼ cups flour
½ teaspoon salt
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
2 tablespoons sugar
No eggs
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons shortening

Sift dry ingredients together into bowl, add milk and melted shortening and beat well. Bake in greased muffin tins in hot oven about 20 minutes. Same batter may be baked as corn bread in greased shallow pan.

Red, White and Blue booklet, "Best War Time Recipes," containing many other recipes for making delicious and wholesome wheat saving foods mailed free—address

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., DEPT. W, 135 William St., New York

FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

The Lutheran War Fund.

A total of $306.65 was raised from Holt and vicinity for the Lutheran War fund. The several captains raised the following amounts: M. Grondahl $27.00; Oscar Furr, $8.50; Halvor Moe, $26.90; A. Bjerk, $30.50; H. A. Tosholm, $30.75; Thorval Kolden, $11.00; Erick Johnson, $13.50; O. H. Nohre, $5.50; Rev. Ordahl and B. Docken, $153.00; West Valley $50.00.

War Savings Stamps

THE first principle of money making is money saving. Get the habit of buying War Savings Stamps regularly. This is the stamp which is going to help Uncle Sam stamp out Autocracy and help you, by saving, to start on the road to Success.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps at any bank or post office.

This space donated by

Holt Merc. Co.

Annie Erickson visited at Rheuman's Wednesday.

Waste nothing. Save the waste and help to win this terrible war.

Elmer Hagglund came up from Crookston last week for a visit at home.

A large number of people from this vicinity attended the funeral of Rev. Tunheim at Newfolden Friday.

Ed. O'Hara shipped in a car of ice which he is having stored and packed for use for summer, on his farm southwest from here.

E. M. Wilson Sr., has again taken charge of the Oslo Tribune.

Mrs. G. M. Gubrud and baby returned home Saturday from Winona.

Word received here from P. L. Anderson and Andrew Sorum says they were put among strangers at Camp Dodge, but that they like it there and expect to enjoy army life.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson and baby drove to Newfolden Sunday. Mrs. Carlson and baby remained there for an extended visit with her sister.

The Holt township election will be held next Tuesday at Math. Larson's home, Sec. 14. A supervisor is to be elected to fill the place of Geo. Gusa whose term expires in April, also clerk, treasurer, two justices and one constable. They also vote on the question, "Shall the Town Board be authorized to levy and assess an Optional Road Tax?"

A "Home Card, 1918" is being distributed. It is the desire of the Federal Food Administration that every family in the state get one. Two new recipe leaflets go with the card. Will any housekeeper who has not received these, please ask the teacher in her locality or the local chairman of the Woman's committee for them.

County Committee.

Charles Haglund was down from Greenbush to spend Sunday with his family.

Minnesota has been called on to furnish 6500 men to help build ships. These men, if of draft age, will be put in deferred classes. High wages are paid ship builders and in the case of married men the wives receive an allowance from the government.

War Savings Stamps

THEY earn a cent each month.

February, 1918, $4.13
March, 1918, $4.14
April, 1918, $4.15
JANUARY, 1923, $5.00

Plan to save one 25c Thrift Stamp each day.

A stamp a day
Keeps the Germans
away.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps (25c) at any bank or post office.

This space donated by

Nils Engebretsen

The Man without a Country. Continued

[illegible] he was a man without a country.

Old Morgan, as I said, was terribly shocked. If Nolan had compared George Washington to Benedict Arnold, or had cried, "God save King George," Morgan would not have felt worse. He called the court into his private room, and returned in fifteen minutes, with a face like a sheet, to say:

"Prisoner, hear the sentence of the court. The court decides, subject to the approval of the president, that you never hear the name of the United States again."

Nolan laughed. But nobody else laughed. Old Morgan was too solemn, and the whole room was hushed dead as night for a minute. Even Nolan lost his swagger in a moment. Then Morgan added: "Mr. Marshal, take the prisoner to Orleans in an armed boat, and deliver him to the naval commander there."

The marshal gave his orders, and the prisoner was taken out of court.

"Mr. Marshal," continued old Morgan, "see that no one mentions the United States to the prisoner. Mr. Marshal, make my respects to Lieutenant Mitchell at Orleans, and request him to order that no one shall mention the United States to the prisoner while he is on board ship. You will receive your written orders from the officer on duty here this evening. The court is adjourned without day."

I have always supposed that Colonel Morgan himself took the proceedings of the court to Washington City, and explained them to Mr. Jefferson. Certain it is that the president approved them, certain, that is, if I may believe the men who say they have seen his signature.

The plan then adopted was substantially the same which was necessarily followed ever after. Perhaps it was suggested by the necessity of sending him by water from Fort Adams and Orleans. The secretary of the navy was requested to put Nolan on board a government vessel bound on a long cruise, and to direct that he should be only so far confined there as to make it certain that he never saw or heard of the country. We had few long cruises then, and the navy was very much out of favor; and as almost all of this story is traditional, as I have explained, I do not know certainly what his first cruise was. But the commander to whom he was intrusted—perhaps it was Tingey or Shaw, though I think it was one of the younger men—we are all old enough now—regulated the etiquette and the precautions of the affair, and according to his scheme they were carried out, I suppose, till Nolan died.

When I was second officer of the Intrepid some thirty years after, I saw the original paper of instructions. I have been sorry ever since that I did not copy the whole of it. It ran, however, much in this way:

"Washington," (with the date, which must have been late in 1807).

"Sir—You will receive from Lieutenant Neale the person of Philip Nolan, late a lieutenant in the United States army.

"This person on his trial by court-martial expressed with an oath the wish that he might never hear of the United States again.

"The court sentenced him to have his wish fulfilled.

"For the present, the execution of the order is intrusted by the president of this department.

"You will take the prisoner on board your ship, and keep him there with such precautions as shall prevent his escape.

"You will provide him with such quarters, rations, and clothing as would be proper for an officer of his late rank, if he were a passenger on your vessel on the business of his government.

"The gentlemen on board will make any arrangements agreeable to themselves regarding his society. He is to be exposed to no indignity of any kind nor is he ever unnecessarily to be reminded that he is a prisoner.

"But under no circumstances is he ever to hear of his country or to see any information regarding it; and you will especially caution all the officers under your command to take care that, in the various indulgences which may be granted, this rule, in which his punishment is involved, shall not be broken.

"It is the intention of the government that he shall never again see the country which he has disowned. Before the end of your cruise you will receive orders which will give effect to this intention.

"Respectfully yours,
"W. SOUTHARD,
"for the Secretary of the Navy."

If I had only preserved the whole of this paper, there would be no break in the beginning of my sketch of this story. For Captain Shaw, if it was he, handed it to his successor in the charge, and he to his.

The rule adopted on board the ships on which I have met "The Man without a Country" was, I think, transmitted from the beginning. No mess liked to have him permanently, because his presence cut off all talk of home or of the prospect of return, of politics or letters, of peace or of war—cut off more than half the talk men like to have at sea. But it was always thought too hard that he should never meet the rest of us, except to touch hats, and we finally sank into one system. He was not permitted to talk with the men unless an officer was by. With officers he had unrestrained intercourse, as far as they and he chose. But he grew shy, though he had favorites: I was one. Then the captain always asked him to dinner on Monday. Every mess in succession took up the invitation in its turn. According to the size of the ship, you had him

Farmers.

The Red Lake Falls Milling Co., will have a car of fodder seed corn at Crookston in the near future and all those wishing seed should notify H. J. Oien in regard to the quantity desired.

For Sale!

Little place of ten acres in the incorporation of Holt. Good, almost new, seven room house, good cellar and cistern, big barn, machine shed and garage. Would make a good home for a retired farmer. Will sell for $300 less than it cost me.

DR. R. L. OLSON,
Holt, Minn.

Learn Something.

Corn! It isn't one food. It's a dozen. It's a cereal. It's a vegetable. It's a bread. It's a dessert. It's nutritious; more food value in it, dollar for dollar, than meat or eggs or most other vegetables. It's good to eat; how good you don't know until you've had corn-bread properly cooked. Best of all, it's plentiful and it's patriotic.

Church Notice.

The majority of the Free Mission people have decided to re-organize the congregation and elect church officers and hereby call a special meeting for those purposes, to be held at the church on Monday March 11th, at two o'clock p. m. Everyone supporting the church is entitled to a vote and should be there.

Signed,
R. L. Olson, Mrs. R. L. Olson, Nils Engebretson, E. A. Johnson, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. T. T. Sallam, T. O. Reierson, Osaus Hanson, Ole G. Kjelgren, Mrs. Kjelgren.

Caucus Ticket

Village Election March 12

For President
P. A. Riesberg

For Treasurer
A. L. Carlson

For Clerk
H. B. Young

For Trustees
for three years
H. J. Oien
for two years
C. L. Sandberg
for one year
Albert Bennes

For Justices
J. B. Alkenbrack
C. H. Gunheim

For Constables
Racine Olson
Hjalmer Peterson

For Poundmaster
J. B. Alkenbrack

Citation for Hearing on Petition for License to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Lands

Estate of Carl L. Anderson
State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court:
In the Matter of the Estate of Carl L. Anderson, Deceased.

The State of Minnesota To Anna Anderson, Carl Oscar Anderson, Carrie Elizabeth Anderson, Erick Ragnar Anderson, John Edwin Anderson, Helmer Levin Anderson, Gladys Evelyn Anderson, and all persons interested in the mortgaging of certain lands belonging to said Deceased, The petition of Anna Anderson as representative of the above named deceased, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be mortgaged and praying that a license be to her granted to mortgage the same:

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 30th day of March 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M. why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

[COURT SEAL] Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 4th day of March, 1918.

Peter H. Holm
Judge of Probate Court.

A. N. Eckstrom, Warren, Minn.
Attorney for petitioner.

Commence making plans now to raise poultry, to save meat for the army.

Hotel for Sale

Will sell my hotel property located in Holt, Minn. Price reasonable and terms easy. Would lease to responsible party. Write or call on Sam Mickelson, Prop. Central Hotel
Holt, Minn.

Notice for Bids

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of School District No. 58, Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids for the construction of a school house in said District as per plans and specifications now on file at the Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota. Bids may be filed with the Clerk of said District until 1 P. M., Thursday, March 14th, 1918. The said School Board will meet at the Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minnesota, on Thursday March 14th, 1918, at 1 P. M., for the purpose of opening and considering said Bids. The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids must be accompanied by a certified check for at least 10 per cent of the amount of the bid.

G. P. Sorter, Clerk
of School District No. 58,
Marshall County, Minn.

P. O. Address:
Holt, Minnesota, R. F. D. No. 1.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Feb. 23, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Almond L. Snook, of Middle River, Minn., who on Oct. 5th, 1916, made homestead entry, No. 018615, for W 1-2 NE 1-4 and Lots 6 and 7, Sec. 20. and Lot 2, Sec. 21, Twp. 156 N. Ran 41 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, United States Land Office, at Crookston, Minn., on the 2nd day of April 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Alfred Sollom, Grant Flakne, J. S. Gabrielson and Agnes R. Fosen, all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has occurred in the conditions of that certain mortgage, dated the 1st day of March, 1915, executed by A. C. Body and Clara Body, his wife, mortgagors, to L P. Carter, mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 12th day of April, 1915, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., and recorded in Book 79 of mortgages on page 391 thereof; which said mortgage and the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by instrument in writing, dated the 1st day of September, 1916, executed by said L. P. Carter, mortgagee, to S. M. Elwood, assignee, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 13th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m, and recorded in Book 85 of mortgages on page 230 thereof;

That pursuant to a provision of said mortgage said assignee of said mortgage has elected to declare the whole debt secured thereby to be now due and payable; that there is due and payable at the date of this notice, upon the debt secured by said mortgage the sum of $4756.60, together with the sum of $156.63 taxes paid by said assignee of said mortgage after the same had become delinquent.

That no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof; that by virtue of a power of sale therein contained said mortgage will be foreclosed and the land and premises therein described, to-wit: lying and being in the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, The west one-half (W1-2) of section twenty-two (22), in township one hundred fifty-five (155), north of range forty-two (42) west of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota; will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren in the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April, 1918, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to pay and satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage and taxes aforesaid, and the sum of $50.00 attorney's fees therein provided for and the costs and disbursements allowed by law upon such foreclosure sale.

Dated Feb. 20, 1918.

S. M. Elwood,
Assignee of mortgage.

Charles A. Pitkin,
Attorney for Assignee of mortgage.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Southeast of Holt.

Couldn't Fool Him That Far.

Years ago, when telephones were still a novelty, a farmer came to town one day and called on a lawyer friend of his whom he supplied with butter and who had had a telephone recently put in his office.

"Need any butter this morning?" asked the farmer.

"Well, I don't know," answered the lawyer. "Wait a minute, I'll ask my wife about it."

After speaking through the 'phone he went on:

"No; my wife says no."

The farmer's face was a study for a moment. Then he broke out with: "Look-a-here, Mr. Lawyer, I may be a 'Rube' and have my whiskers full of hay and hayseed but I'm not such a big fool as to believe that your wife is in that box."

We can send an alfalfa magazine free to farmers who are interested enough to give us their names and address.

ANNUAL VILLAGE ELECTION.

The Citizens of the Village of Holt, in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota, who are qualified to vote at General Elections, are hereby notified that the Annual Election for said Village will be held at the Council Room in said Village, on Tuesday, the 12th day of March A. D. 1918, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, for the following purposes, viz:

To elect one President, three Trustees, one Treasurer and one Clerk, each for the term of one year; also two Justices of the Peace and two Constables, each for the term of two years.

Trustees are to be elected as follows: one trustee for a term of one year; one for a term of two years and one for a term of three years, the term for which each is elected to be designated on the ballot, and to do any other business proper to be done at said election when convened.

Given under my hand this first day of March, A. D. 1918.

H. B. YOUNG,
Clerk.

Financial Report Village Treasurer

Annual statement of C. Docken, Treasurer of the Village of Holt, County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, of the moneys received by him as such Treasurer, and the sources from which the same were received, and their respective amounts; and also, of the amounts paid out by him, and the purposes for which they were paid, for the year ending Jan. 31st, 1918.

	To Whom Paid	On What Account	Amount
1917			
March 10	Holt State Bank	discount on orders and Ins. prem.	$ 88.91
March 10	Julius Andrae & Sons Co.	100-25, 100-40 Watt lamps	44.82
March 1	Fairbanks, Morse & Co.	pump, pipes and jacks	165.00
March 3	Julius Andrae & Sons Co.	100-60 Watt lamps	29.28
March 7	Holt & George Plumbing and Heating Co.	pipes	20.48
March 8	O. H. Doore	labor on well	11.30
March 10	Fairbanks, Morse & Co.	first pay't. on storage battery	200.00
March 10	S. S. Kolden	president's salary	6.00
March 10	H. B. Young	clerk's salary	25.00
March 10	Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	lumber and coal	19.17
March 10	Racine Olson	labor on dynamo base and well	14.40
March 10	C. H. Gunheim	hardware and gasoline, $5.60 and Trustee's salary	15.60
March 10	C. S. Sanberg	Trustee's salary	10.00
March 10	Holt Merc. Co.	oil, nails, etc	3.55
March 10	Rier Reierson	stove pipes	.25
March 10	C. W. Christianson	Trustee's salary	4.00
April 2nd	Theodore Sallom	Clerk of election	3.00
March 31	Sam Mickelson	services as election judge	3.00
April 5	International Harvester Co.	Bal. due on engine and pump	2,220.00
March 10	Farmers' and Village Switchboard Co.	four telephone calls	.80
April 11	H. Peterson	freight, express and drayage	8.96
April 14	Kiewel Brewing Co.	distilled water	4.00
April 17	Racine Olson	work up to April 1st, 1917	40.00
April 17	Standard Oil Co.	oil	9.60
April 17	Telegram, C. E. Peterson	telegram from Sinclair Co.	.46
April 17	Julius Andrae & Sons	six meters and meter work	69.20
April 21	John F. Sinclair & Co.	semi-annual interest on bonds	165.00
April 21	Holt & George Co.	black pipes for pump	17.04
April 21	Western Electric Co.	supplies	22.38
May 1	Standard Oil Co.	gas tractor oil and kerosene	19.22
April 14	Western Electric Co.	supplies	23.13
April 11	Lilly Peterson	telephone calls	.60
April 14	Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.	lumber	13.18
April 14	C. L. Sanberg	telephone calls	.40
May 1	Tabor McLean	to apply on well	19.28
May 3	C. W. Christianson	labor and blacksmith supplies	10.25
May 9	Davidson Bros.	labor on pump	5.00
May 9	H. B. Young	telephone message, stamps, stationery and parcel post	1.38
May 9	Harry Knutson	labor on pump	3.57
May 8	Arnold Bornstein	labor on dump ground	1.25
May 5	H. J. Olson	wiring Village hall, putting up meters and feeders	59.94
May 5	Holt Merc. Co.	merchandise	83.10
May 9	Standard Oil Co.	kerosene	15.90
May 16	Northwestern Stamp Works	dog tags	1.28
May 16	Hans Swanson, S. J. Olson	part payment on pole line dynamo and switchboard	99.20
May 14	Standard Oil Co.	kerosene	8.69
May 5	Peoples' Cash Store		3.25
May 4	Racine Olson	April Engineer's salary	30.00
May 12	Julius Andrae & Sons	twelve 200 watt lamps	21.87
May 12	Hick's Furniture Co.	wire for electric plant	9.18
May 12	Davidson Bros.	balance on labor on pump	19.00
May 12	Carl Brekkestrom	running engine at light plant 14 hours	4.75
May 19	Carl O. Anderson	labor on electric line	1.20
May 19	Hans J. Olson	labor and electrical supplies	30.95
May 19	Walter S. Booth & Son, Holt Merc. Co.	blanks	6.55
May 25	Kerosene and gas tractor oil		22.49
May 29	H. Peterson	freight and draying on gal. water tank	4.62
May 19	H. Peterson	freight, express, draying and labor	10.71
June 7	C. W. Christianson	labor on well and blacksmithing	6.50
June 9	Mrs. Ben Eide	telephone calls by Racine Olson	.40
June 11	Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	cement and lumber	7.30
June 11	H. J. Olson	labor and poles	13.95
June 26	Ed. Davidson	work on pump	5.48
June 26	Jesse Sorum	labor on pump	3.85
June 18	J. M. Swan	hauling well drill for Tabor & McLean	3.00
June 16	Olaus Rodahl	1st installment of 2nd payment on Village hall	200.00
March 10	C. W. Christianson	labor on well, bolts, rods, etc	20.35
Feb. 10	School Dist. No. 35	the old schoolhouse bell of said district	10.00
Sept. 6	C. W. Christianson	labor on pole line, gal. pipe and repair Olson ladder	3.25
Sept. 6	H. B. Young	postage, stationery, express and expenses to Thief River Falls	3.55
April 2	Racine Olson	labor, pumping water into cisterns	11.80
April 2	J. B. Alkembrack	guage of electors	3.00
March 10	Sam Mickelson	Trustees salary of $10.00and carpenter work of $11.50	21.50
April 2	C. H. Gundeim	merchandise $5.00, order of O. H. Doval of $1.60 for labor	6.60
April 7	Alfred Olson	gasoline	4.55
April 4th	Standard Oil Co.	oils and kerosene	18.33
April 4	Tabor & McLean	payment on Village well	5.00
Feb. 20	Holt State bank	policy No. 1029 Cont. Ins. Co.	93.60
			$4,143.40

	Of Whom Received	On What Account	Amount
1917			
March 1	Balance on hand		$3,575.60
March 26	H. B. Young	Eureka Fire Hose Co., exp. returning hose, etc.	1.76
March 26	H. J. Oien	sale of lamps	.50
March 26	Same	sale of lamps	4.25
June 6	H. B. Young	telephone wire	4.42
July 2	Marshall county	semi-annual appor.; town revenue $295.89 road and bridge fund, $46.38; drag, 43.28; town poor, .02	486.07
July 21	H. B. Young	poll tax	6.00
July 21	Same	poll tax	62.75
Aug. 11	H. B. Young	work on State road No. 7	2.00
Sept. 4	Townsite Ditch Fund	balance townsite ditch fund	55.60
Sept. 20	H. B. Young	telephone wire	4.41
Nov. 30	H. B. Young	poll taxes	12.00
Nov. 30	Marshall county	town revenue, $70.70; road and bridge, $24.59; drag, $7.75	103.04
Dec. 8	H. B. Young	from Holt Light Dep't	8.95
			$4,627.35
1918			
Feb. 1	Balance on hand		$ 483.95

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Clifford VanWold of Wylie was a business caller in town Saturday.

Misses Inez Alkenbrack and Nellie Saastad came from Thief River Falls

Lars Chenil returned home last week from a two week's visit with friends in Illinois.

J. B. Alkenbrack will sell all of his personal property at public auction on Thursday, March 28th.

Chris Yttri left Monday to join his family at Viroqua, Wis., where he will work the coming season.

Albert Hagglund has received notice to be in Warren April 4th for examination for the army draft.

Rev. M. T. Strom went to Thief River Falls Saturday to visit relatives and attend the meeting there.

Richard Jaringdal went to Viking Friday to visit relatives. Ernest Phillipson took possession of the barber shop the same day and this paper wishes him success.

B. Docken was called to Thief River Falls Friday evening to attend a committee meeting to push the campaign for the sale of War Saving Stamps.

Rev. H. H. Parish of Fergus Falls, lectured here Monday evening on the subject, "Good-bye Booze." A big crowd was out and everybody seemed to enjoy the talk.

Miss Lottie Rees of Grand Forks, came Friday for a short visit at the J. L. Nelson home. The Misses Bertha and Ingeborg Nelson entertained a few friends Sunday evening in honor of Miss Rees.

A big crowd of young people gathered at the Ed. Horien home Sunday evening to give their son Charles a farewell party before his departure the next day for Jefferson Barracks, Mo., to join the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kolden went to Thief River Falls Tuesday, for a short visit with relatives.

Lewis Wegge was a business visitor in Thief River Falls last week Thursday and Friday.

Ed. Nyberg has received notice to appear in Warren March 29th for physical examination for the army draft. Dedrick Nyberg, Albert and Nels Larson have been notified to be there the next day.

At the annual meeting of the local switchboard company held on Monday, J. A. Sorum, Aug. Ness and Fred Steinhauer were elected directors for three, two and 1 year terms respectively. T. B. Folden, secretary and Nils Engebretsen, treasurer.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Red Cross News

RED CROSS NOTES.

Red Cross meetings every Friday evening at the school house.

A box of articles was sent to Warren last week. The following ladies and girls contributed this month:

One pair of woolen bed socks—Mesdames L. Wegge, R. L. Olson, J. Simonson, C. L. Sandberg, Davre and Amanda Fosholm.

Two pair socks—Mrs. Otto Johnson.

Three pair socks—Mrs. Alkenbrack.

Pajamas—Mrs. J. Nelson and Mrs. A. Anderson.

Wristlets—Mrs. Docken.

Hospital shirts—Mrs. Gunheim, 1; Mrs. Swan, 4.

Water-bags—Alice Swan 4; Mrs. Swan 6; eighth grade girls 5.

Sweaters—Mrs. Hall, Bertha Nelson, Selma Saastad and Gladys Hagen.

NOTICE.

Commencing March 18th the Holt creamery will take in cream on Mondays and Thursdays. W. A. Lindahl, buttermaker.

Clarence Docken was a Thief River Falls visitor Monday.

Hay is being hauled to town from all directions and being stored while waiting for cars.

C. O. Saastad and son Christian went to Alvarado Friday for a few days visit with relatives.

Louis Rudmna shipped his farm machinery, live-stock and household goods Tuesday to the southern part of the state where they will farm the coming season.

Mrs. Clarence Kolden has resigned her position as telephone operator and left Friday to visit her sister at Grdena, N. D. Mrs. H. B. Young now has charge of the central office here.

J. J. Little bought 34 head of grade Hereford heifers in South St. Paul and shipped them here Friday. They were a pretty bunch of cattle and are bound to make their owner some money.

STEINER NEWS.

(Too late for last week.)

John Whitman transacted business in Thief River Falls last week.

L. R. Rogers went to Warren on business last Monday.

Harvey Coop, Nick Baker and Hobson Rogers, helped John Whitman saw wood one day last week.

Ed. Werner went to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Stegen Bros. bought hay of Mr. Rogers the past week.

A number of neighbors gathered at the Sam Hespa home the other evening, giving them a farewell visit as Mr. Hespa is going to move onto one of Mr. Owen's farms in the neighborhood of Rosewood, in a few days.

Nat Muzzy went to the swamp for posts last week.

Mr. Reidl was a business caller at this place Friday.

Simon Warring has been hauling hay from the Brandenberg place for a few days.

Willie Meyer went to Thief River Falls Saturday to attend to business matters for his father.

Mr. Rogers had a crowd sawing wood for him last Saturday.

Arthur Simonson transacted business in this village one day last week.

Mr. Sageman hauled cordwood to this place during the week.

Hobson Rogers transacted business here last Friday.

Mrs. Omer Warring shopped in Thief River Falls, Friday of last week.

Always Hot Coffee at Bennes' restaurant.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday School 10 o'clock.

Services East Valley school 148 at 10:45.

English services Sunday March 17 at 7:30 p. m.

Remember the circuit meeting 19, 20, 21, beginning at 2 o'clock with services and communion.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

A convention for this senatorial district, composed of the counties of Marshall, Roseau and Kittson, was held here Wednesday afternoon by the Non-Partisian League. About 70 delegates were present but we are unable to give any report of the meeting as nothing has been given out for publication.

The committees from Holt, township and village, Excel, Adgar, East Valley, Grand Plain and Mud Lake, having in charge the sale of the third liberty loan bonds, met in the school house Wednesday afternoon to hear H. L. Wood of Warren explain the work and what is expected of them. If the generel public could be gotten to these meetings it would make the work of the committees much easier, when they are shown the necessity for the work.

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Six room house, barn, garden and pasture for one or two cows. Can give possession April 1st.

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Holt, Minn.

War Savings Stamps

Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without
YOUR HELP
or that Germany will let you keep your money if she Wins. Buy a Stamp

Honor Roll

Peter S. Kolden
S. S. Norlina, U. S. Navy

Bentley Nelson
Somewhere in France

Willie Hoel
Ft. Crook, Neb.

Ernest Kuehne
Leonard Jefferson
Camp Cody, N. Mex.

At Naval Training Stations
Ben Nyberg
Dehard Johnson
Albert Bjerk
Clarence Swan

Coast Artillery, San Fransisco
Rudolph Reierson
Willie Sorum
Victor Johnson
Ed Bjerk

Camp Dodge, Iowa
P. L. Anderson
Andrew Sorum
Ben Hoff
Thomas Anderson
Elling Tollefsrud
Ole Ingebretsli

Charley Horien
Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern		$2 04
Wheat No. 2		2 01
Wheat No. 3		1 98
Wheat No 4		1 94
Flax		3.80
Oats		85
Barley	1.60 to	2.05
Rye		2.71
Flour, Best		5 60

War Savings Stamps

IT isn't so much the amount of money you save as it is getting into the habit of saving a definite amount regularly. The best way to learn to save is not only to promise yourself that you will do it regularly but promise some one else, your wife, your parent, your husband, or your teacher, that you will not let a first of the month or first of the week go by without saving.

The Habit of Thrift Will Help Win The War

The United States Government needs money to equip our armies and to fight for democracy. Your Government—the richest in the world—is willing to pay interest for your money now. Uncle Sam offers you $5.00 War Savings Stamps for $4.13 in February, and one cent additional each month thereafter.

A Thrift Card is furnished to all purchasers of 25 cents Thrift Stamps. When all the spaces have been filled, the Thrift Card may be exchanged for $5.00 War Savings Stamps at any post office or bank. You should start saving a certain amount regularly. Outline your program. Start at once by going to your post office and getting your first War Savings Stamp or Thrift Card. And stick to it. As you treasure your right to live in this nation of freedom, do not miss a single day on which you have determined to save.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps (25 cents) at any bank or post office.

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Sometimes there are serious conditions where a hospital operation is the only alternative, but on the other hand so many women have been cured by this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, after doctors have said that an operation was necessary—every woman who wants to avoid an operation should give it a fair trial before submitting to such a trying ordeal.

If complications exist, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice. The result of many years experience is at your service.

The Explanation.

"Pop, what does it mean when they say bills are laid on the table?"

"It means, son, that they are dished."

THE RED CROSS NURSES OF EUROPE ARE GIVING TOASTED CIGARETTES TO THE BOYS

To anyone who doesn't know of the wonderful advances that have been made in the preparation of smoking tobaccos in the last few years it may sound strange to speak of toasted cigarettes.

Strictly speaking, we should say cigarettes made of toasted tobacco; the smokers of this country will recognize it more readily by its trade name, "LUCKY STRIKE"—the toasted cigarette.

The American Tobacco Company are producing millions of these toasted cigarettes and these are being bought in enormous quantities through the various tobacco funds conducted by the newspapers of the country and forwarded through the Red Cross Society to the boys in France.

This new process of treating tobacco not only improves the flavor of the tobacco but it seals in this flavor and makes the cigarettes keep better.

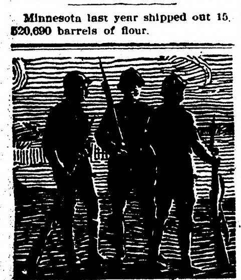
The Red Cross nurse is always glad to have a cigarette for the wounded soldier, as, in most instances, that is the first thing asked for.—Adv.

It is one thing to yell for freedom and another to make the sacrifices necessary to secure it.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Minnesota last year shipped out 15,520,690 barrels of flour.



ON GUARD

At this time of the year people feel weak, tired, listless, their blood is thin, they have lived indoors and perhaps expended all their mental and bodily energy and they want to know how to renew their energy and stamina, overcome headaches and backaches, have clear eyes, a smooth, ruddy skin, and feel the exhilaration of real good health tingling thru their body. Good, pure, rich, red blood is the best insurance against ills of all kinds. Almost all diseases come from impure and impoverished blood. It is to be noticed in the pale or pimply face, the tired, haggard appearance or the listless manner.

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NONPARTISANS GIVE TO RED CROSS FUND

Minnesota League Speakers Turn In Thousands to Help Win War.

Charges made by Big Business that the National Nonpartisan league is a disloyal organization received another body blow when announcement was made that several thousand dollars had been collected in Minnesota for the Red Cross, during the past month under the auspices of the league. A large part of this money came as the result of personal appeals by A. C. Townley, president of the league, and was taken in collections at meetings that he addressed.

In some parts of the state of Minnesota the league has been obliged to put up a fight for the fundamental right of free speech. Evidence has been unearthed pointing to a statewide conspiracy on the part of bankers, profiteers and politicians, to disrupt the league by breaking up its meetings and charging it with being a disloyal organization. Mob violence was resorted to in several places to interfere with league speakers and organizers. In a number of instances mobs were led by officers of the law.

Farmers Demand Rights.

So serious did the situation become that the farmers determined something should be done to secure their rights. More than 150 farmers, representing every county in the state, came to St. Paul and laid their grievances before the governor, demanding the removal of three sheriffs and one state's attorney whose flagrant law violations, they declared, had much to do with rousing a sentiment that threatened a serious division in the people of the state at a time when all should be united in a common purpose for the winning of the war.

The spokesman for the farmers cited over twenty instances of violence on the part of local officials, one of the latter going so far as to threaten to kill a league speaker. The farmers were accompanied by a delegation from organized labor. Not receiving assurance from the governor they laid their case before the United States district attorney and promised to carry their grievance to the highest authority in the land if the persecutions were not stopped.

Received Wide Publicity.

The lawless acts on the parts of the officials who stopped league meetings received wide publicity, which carried with it the implication that the league was disloyal. The daily press in and out of the state published unfair and glaring accounts of the occurrences at these meetings, utterly ignoring the hundreds of other meetings being held in the state which were not being interfered with. In some of the latter city and county officials vied with each other in entertaining the league speakers and in seeing that the farmers were given the accommodations which they required in the way of a hall.

Where the League is Known.

There was no trouble in those parts of the state in which the league has been organized for some time. A notable example of this was the meeting at Thief River Falls, which was held in the city auditorium, followed by a dinner given to Mr. Townley and other formers by the Commercial club.

The many harmonious meetings of the league, at which patriotism was the dominant note and at which large collections for the Red Cross were taken up, have taken the ground from under the conspirators and have convinced the people of the state that sinister influences were at work trying to prejudice them against the farmers' organization.

Caused League Boom.

The reaction among the farmers was even greater than among the people of the cities. The evidence that they were rallying to their organization was made apparent by the rapid increase in membership. It is estimated that over 5,000 farmers joined the league in Minnesota voluntarily and without solicitation on February 22, the day of the league precinct caucuses.

Coal Ten Cents a Ton.

Colorado sells coal at ten cents a ton. That is the price the state gets for all of the coal mined on state lands. Miners get from 63 cents to $1.00 a ton for taking the coal out of the earth and loading it on cars. If we add to that the cost of transporting the coal by the railroads, which varies with different lengths of haul, we find the total cost of getting to the consumer to run around $2. The rest represents the bit taken by the profiteers.

Getting at the Source.

President Lee of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen said he would go back to about four banks in New York to put his head on the influence that he says is trying to make railway operation by the government unsuccessful.

Demand Equal Sacrifice.

"The farmers are ready to give all they have in the present struggle," said A. C. Townley, "but they want the big interests to share the burden of financing the war."

INCREASE IN WESTERN CANADA ACREAGE

Will Prove a Big Factor in Winning the War.

Reports to hand indicate that Western Canada has a vastly increased acreage ready for crop this year over last year. The splendid open fall of 1917, gave a better opportunity for fall plowing than for some years. Work in the fields was almost continuous until the end of November. In fact, in the neighborhood of Pincher Creek, Alberta, there was sufficient mild weather in January of this year to permit farmers to plow, and many took advantage of it. A great many Americans owning land in Canada moved up last year, and this has also helped to increase the acreage. They came into possession of the land at prices varying from $15.00 to $30.00 an acre, and with the proven yields of wheat running from twenty and as high as fifty bushels per acre, with a set price of $2.21 a bushel, they could join production and patriotism together with a big margin of profit. The Post-Intelligencer of Seattle, Wash., gives a very conservative statement of the agricultural development and opportunities in Western Canada. In its issue of December 14, 1917, it says:—

"Since the beginning of the year American emigration into Canada has been greatly stimulated according to the reports of the Dominion authorities, and has been almost entirely made up of farmers attracted by the fertile and comparatively cheap wheat lands.

"Whatever may be said of wheat culture as a profitable avocation in ordinary years, since the beginning of the war it has offered advantages quite beyond the usual opportunities. War has boomed the price of wheat until the farmer now receives around $2 for his product at his granary. Average crops, according to the adaptation of soil and climate are from 12 to 25 bushels to the acre. Even the minimum crop, at $2 per bushel, brings in these war times a reasonable profit. Before the war wheat culture was fast being abandoned by farmers who worked intelligently for results on the right side of the ledger. It has been the popular crop for new countries, but when the pioneers settled down to business it was generally corn, hogs, cattle and diversified farming that brought the profits. Iowa and the Dakotas in turn, as their prairies became settled, mortgaged the land on wheat culture and afterwards paid off the mortgages with corn and hogs.

"War is thus bringing a temporary encouragement to wheat farming. Many of the ranchers of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta laid away $20,000 to $30,000 in the banks last fall. It may be pointed out, however, that the growing of wheat is not the only inducement which is leading settlement to Canadian lands. Low taxation, favorable agricultural climate, and profitable prices not only for grain but for hogs, cattle and all forms of farm produce all contribute their share toward the rapid settlement of the fertile lands of Western Canada."—Advertisement.

Exceptions.

"Do you believe beauty is in the eye of the holder?"

"Not if the holder squints."

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

He'd Paid the Bills.

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He Couldn't Stand It.

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Now They Don't Speak.

Carrye—I wish I were half as pretty as Ethel.

Edith—What a silly wish!

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The widow's might may be the result of practical experience.

HARMONY IN NORTH DAKOTA

Society of Equity Declares for United Action With Nonpartisan League.

Various efforts by politicians and enemies of the Nonpartisan league to divide the farmers of North Dakota have been made from time to time, but have always met with defeat. Members of the discredited gang, when they see a cloud on the horizon no larger than a man's hand, welcome it as a cyclone and begin to shout that the farmers are running to cover.

They placed great hopes on the Society of Equity, through which they expected by means of one or two disgruntled members to at least make a showing that would appear to be a serious division of the farmers. But their plans miscarried and their expectations failed when the report of the resolution committee of the state Equity convention at Valley City was adopted unanimously.

Their resolution as to the Nonpartisan league was a rebuke to those farmers who had given their aid to the enemy and was a notice served on the business interests that their underground methods of fighting the league would fail. The resolution reads:

"Whereas, it has come to our attention that certain individuals, newspapers and corporations, through insinuation, misinformation and otherwise, are trying to create dissension between members of the Society of Equity and the Farmers' Nonpartisan league, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that we condemn any such action. We believe that there should be no strife or competition among farmers' organizations that are operating in the interests of the producers and consumers, to the end that they may be brought closer together for the exchange of their products. A farmers' Nonpartisan league is absolutely essential to enable the farmers to operate in the political field, while the Society of Equity, together with its affiliated business organizations are carrying into practice the principles of co-operation. Both are essential, only both are deserving of the support of every one. There should be no strife or competition between these two great organizations.

HOW ROADS RAN POLITICS

Charged With Making Governors And Senators Under Private Operation.

Now that the question is at issue as to whether government control of the railroads should be made a permanent policy or whether these arteries of commerce should be returned to the management of owning companies after the war, attention is directed to an official report issued by the New York board of trade and transportation a few years ago which said:

"The railroads control, absolutely, the legislatures of a majority of the states of the Union. They make and unmake United States senators, congressmen and governors and are practically dictators of the government policy of the United States

With this confession in view the question naturally arises as to what extent senators which demand a return of the railroads to their owners immediately after the war are uder obligations to the railroad interests for their election.

There must be a free discussion of this question by people unhampered by railroad interests, as there is now being had in the forum of the Nonpartisan league.

The railroads, by their strategic position, have been among the most conspicuous of the profiteers who have taken excessive toll on the products of the farmers in transporting them to consumers. The people are going to settle the railroad question after they have settled the war, and in so doing they will take into consideration the interests of all of the people rather than the feelings of the railroad magnates.

Feed "D" Wheat Abolished

Feed "D" wheat is like the animal in the story, that did not exist. There is no such thing as Feed "D" wheat, although there used to be. Feed "D" was a classification for wheat that was supposed to be too poor to make flour and was only good for feed. Consequently it only brought feed prices. Dr. Ladd of the Dakota State Agricultural college proved that it would make good flour and that it was worth wheat prices. The millers of the state tried to have him fired for making this fact public, but he was saved to his position by the Nonpartisan league.

The Biggest Gamble.

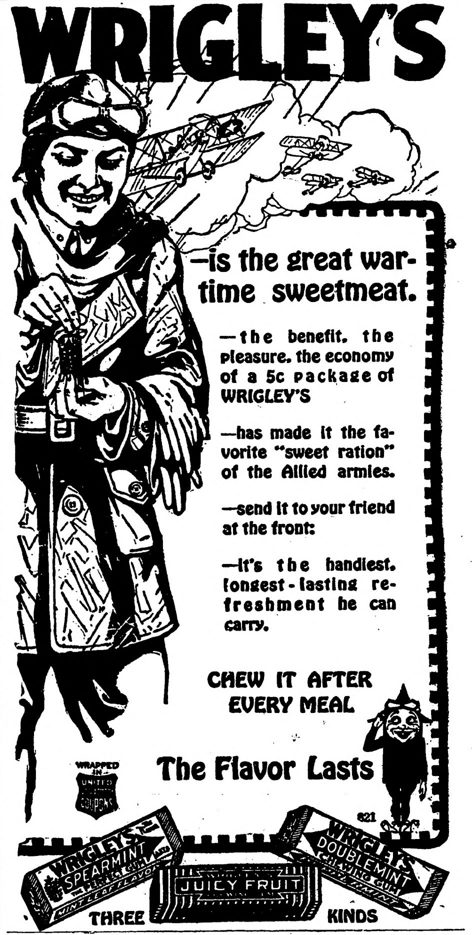
The biggest gambling game in the world is farming says the Des Moines News. The Nonpartisan league would take much of the gamble out of it so far as prices are concerned.

Patriotism That Counts.

North Dakota will close its schools March 8 to release help for the farmers so that productivity may be raised to the highest point and a maximum crop be produced to aid in the warfare against the kaiser.

Too Much Profit in Potatoes

Potatoes are selling on the average at the same price per peck which the producers are getting per bushel. The profiteer gets most of the difference and is one of the big reasons for the Nonpartisan league.



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The Flavor Lasts

Tartars.

Singular piece of news, that, of a Tartar army threatening Sebastopol. It's a long while since Tartars have cut much of a figure in war. Once they were the greatest fighting race in the world and overran a large share of Europe and Asia.—Buffalo Times.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

A Mercenary Mind.

"What books have helped you most?"

"To tell the truth," replied Mr. Penwiggle, "I never got a great deal of help out of books. There is more money in scenarios."

The Truth at Last.

Professor—What caused Caesar's death?

Student—Too many Roman punches.—Boston Transcript.

Some men work an empty honor for all there is in it.

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Every Available Tillable Acre Must Contribute; Every Available Farmer and Farm Hand Must Assist

Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operation.

Canada's Wheat Production Last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the Demand From Canada Alone for 1918 is 400,000,000 Bushels

To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell you where you can best serve the combined interests.

Western Canada's help will be required not later than April 5th. Wages to competent help, $50.00 a month and up, board and lodging.

Those who respond to this appeal will get a warm welcome, good wages, good board and find comfortable homes. They will get a rate of one cent a mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return.

For particulars as to routes and places where employment may be had apply to: **U. S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

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NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings In Minnesota Given In Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Motley.—Mrs. Hill of Motley, 88 years old and blind, has knit six pairs of socks for the Red Cross chapter.

Minneapolis.—Mrs. Martha A. Dorsett of this city, the first woman admitted to the bar in Minnesota, is dead. She was 66 years old.

East Grand Forks.—More than $360 each month has been pledged by East Grand Forks citizens for the support of the Red Cross organization.

Mankato.—By defeating the Blue Earth basketball team in a game played in this city, the Waseca high school takes the district championship. The score was 59 to 14.

Albert Lea.—Chris. M. Nelson, a farmer living southeast of this city, has already sown 20 acres of spring wheat. The prospects for a large wheat acreage in this vicinity are promising.

St. Cloud.—A service flag displaying a field of seven stars was dedicated to the honor of seven young men of the Swedish Baptist church who are now in the service of the United States army.

Alpha.—Alpha, having a population of only about 200, raised $1,820 at an auction sale for the Red Cross. All kinds of farm produce and dry goods and groceries were donated by the people of the neighborhood.

International Falls.—E. B. Fisher, who was bound over to the grand jury for alleged seditious utterances, has been relieved of his duties as superintendent of the M. D. & W. railroad. C. H. Woodford is filling the position temporarily.

Alexandria.—Carl A. Wold, former state representative, editor of the Park Region Echo, has been convicted of discouraging enlistments. He was sentenced to serve three months in the Douglas county jail and to pay a fine of $200.

Cass Lake.—While hauling ice at the Indian mission north of Cass Lake a large black team owned by the mission was drowned. The accident happened at what is known as the Cass Lake bay. Large cakes of ice had been cut out and the team backed into this large hole.

Winona.—Four young women now are employed as depot operators on the Minnesota division of the Northwestern Line, the headquarters for which are in Winona. They are taking the places of young men released to meet the military needs of the United States government.

Mahnomen.—The contractors on the judicial ditch between Norman and Mahnomen counties have arrived here with their machinery which will be unloaded and transported to the scene of activity before the frost gets out of the ground. Work on the ditch will commence about the first of May.

Long Prairie.—John N. Johnson, 26 years old, a farmer of Iowa, is dying in a hospital here from burns received when a gasoline tank on an automobile exploded. Johnson, who is in class 1 of the draft, was about to go to Long Prairie for examination when he tried to look into the tank with the aid of a lighted match.

St. Paul.—Clifford L. Hilton has been appointed attorney general of Minnesota by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist. His appointment is for the unexpired term of the late Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith, on whose staff Mr. Hilton served for eight years. C. L. Weeks will become deputy attorney general, Mr. Hilton announced.

St. Paul.—Joseph Gilbert, manager of the National Nonpartisan league, who was arrested on a charge of conspiracy to discourage enlistments, was discharged from the custody of Sheriff W. S. Carcer of Martin county under habeas corpus proceedings which were upheld by Judge Haupt in district court here.

Winona.—Mystery surrounds the poisoning of four members of the family of Martin Wauk here. The head of the family, his wife and two girls, twins, aged 10, retired in normal health. At 2 a. m. one of the girls awoke and complained of violent pains. The mother attempted to go to her but collapsed. The other girl climbed out of her bed and also was stricken. Mr. Wauk called for a physician, but before the doctor arrived he also was taken ill.

St. Paul.—State officials and employes and friends paid their respects to Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith, filing past the casket in which his body lay in state in the main retunda of the state capitol in St. Paul. The funeral service in Plymouth Congregational church, Holly avenue and McKubin street, St. Paul, was conducted by the Rev. Harry P. Dewey, Minneapolis, and was attended by a large number of people. The body of Mr. Smith was taken East for burial at his former home in New Hampshire.

St. Paul.—Removal of John E. Lindberg of North Branch as state creamery inspector announced by James Sorenson, state dairy and food commissioner, was not made on the disloyalty charges filed some time ago, Mr. Sorenson said, but on the ground of incompetency and failure to discharge his official duties properly. The department is under civil service and Lindberg has a right to demand a hearing within 15 days.

International Falls.—The home of Rev. and Mrs. Howard near Birchdale was destroyed by fire together with most of the contents.

Girls! Use Lemons! Make a Bleaching, Beautifying Cream

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quarter pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, smoothener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It naturally should help to soften, freshen, bleach and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin. It is simply marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands. Adv.

We always know just what not to say after we have said it.

Explained So Far.

A letter had been received by the sergeant major of artillery from the British war office, with reference to one, Gunner Green, who, reported killed, had arrived at Woolwich. Could a full and satisfactory explanation of same be forwarded?

The N. C. O. gave the matter much thought, and then forwarded this reply:

"Green was an old comrade of mine. I visited him when he was dying of his wounds, and then saw him buried. Hence, I know that he's dead, and am considerably surprised to hear of his return to Woolwich; but please exonerate me from further blame, inasmuch as I am not responsible for his subsequent movements."

How to Bring Them Up.

Mrs. Domestic Tabby—People don't know how to raise children nowadays. They let them have their own way far too much.

Mrs. Brood Hen—That's very true. Now, look at my chickens. They wouldn't have amounted to anything if they hadn't been sat upon.—People's Home Journal.

Not Just as Good.

"Have you a fireless cooker in your house?"

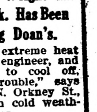
"No, but we have a coalless fire."

Some men think that the proper way to begin the day is to find fault with the wife at the breakfast table.

WAS DISCOURAGED

Lost 65 Pounds in Weight and Had to Give Up Work. Has Been Well Since Using Doan's.

"Being exposed to extreme heat when working as an engineer, and then going outdoors to cool off, caused my kidney trouble," says Karl Goering, 8513 N. Orkney St., Philadelphia, Pa. "In cold weather and when it was damp, my joints and muscles would swell and ache and often my limbs were so badly affected it was only with great misery I was able to get around. For a week I was laid up in bed, hardly able to move hand or foot.



Mr. Goering

"Another trouble was from irregular and scanty passages of the kidney secretions. I became dull and weak and had to give up my work. Headaches and dizzy spells nearly blinded me and I went from 265 to 200 in weight. Nothing helped me and I felt I was doomed to suffer.

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"Isn't Maude's hair light?"

"Yes, she can lift it on and off easily."—Boston Transcript.

He Sidestepped.

"Just why did you leave college?"

"The dean didn't go into details."—Jack O'Lantern.

Men are made to make money that women may spend it.

Opportunity.

"Opportunity passes in the way of every man."

Artist Soldier—Yes, but the confounded thing is almost invariably camouflaged.

Minnesota's 1917 lumber output was 3,000,000,000 feet.

"Nothing is new under the sun!" How about the 1918 weather records?

She Meant All Right.

"I'm hurrying to tell you this," hastens N. W. C. "A woman came into our Red Cross branch, looked at the surgical dressings and asked, 'Is all this gauze cauterized?'"

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Corn Bread with Rye Flour

- 1 cup corn meal
- 1 cup rye flour
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup milk
- 1 egg
- 2 tablespoons shortening

Barley flour or oat flour may be used instead of rye flour with equally good results. Sift dry ingredients into bowl; add milk, beaten egg and melted shortening. Stir well. Put into greased pan, allow to stand in warm place 20 to 25 minutes and bake in moderate oven 40 to 45 minutes.

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FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

The Man without a Country, Continued

at your mess more or less often at dinner. His breakfast he ate in his own stateroom, he always had a stateroom, which was where a sentinel, or somebody on the watch, could see the door. And whatever else he ate or drank he ate or drank alone. Sometimes, when the marines or sailors had any special jollification, they were permitted to invite "Plain-Buttons," as they called him. Then Nolan was sent with some officer, and the men were forbidden to speak of home while he was there. They called him "Plain-Buttons," because, while he always chose to wear a regulation army uniform, he was not permitted to wear the army button, for the reason that it bore either the initials or the insignia of the country he had disowned.

I remember, soon after I joined the navy, I was on shore with some of the older officers from our ship and from the Brandywine, which we had met at Alexandria. We had leave to make a party and go up to Cairo and the Pyramids. As we jogged along some of the gentlemen fell to talking about Nolan, and someone told the system which was adopted from the first about his books and other reading. As he was almost never permitted to go on shore, even though the vessel lay in port for months, his time, at the best, hung heavy; and everybody was permitted to lend him books, if they were not published in America and made no allusion to it. These were common enough in the old days, when people in the other hemisphere talked of the United States as little as we do of Paraguay. He had almost all the foreign papers that came into the ship, sooner or later; only somebody must go over them first, and cut out any advertisement or stray paragraph that alluded to America. Right in the midst of one of Napoleon's battles, or one of Canning's speeches, poor Nolan would find a great hole, because on the back of the page of that paper there had been an advertisement of a packet for New York, or a scrap from the president's message. I say this was the first time I ever heard of this plan, which afterwards I had enough, and more than enough, to do with. I remember it, because poor Phillips, who was of the party, as soon as the allusion to reading was made, told a story of something which happened at the Cape of Good Hope on Nolan's first voyage; and it is the only thing I ever knew of that voyage. They had touched at the Cape, and had done the civil thing with the English admiral and the fleet, and then, leaving for a long cruise up the Indian ocean, Phillips had borrowed a lot of English books from an officer, which, in those days, as indeed in these, was quite a windfall. Among them, as the Devil would order, was the "Lay of the Last Minstrel," which they had all of them heard of, but which most of them had never seen. I think it could not have been published long. Well, nobody thought there could be any risk of anything national in that, though Phillips swore old Shaw had cut out the "Tempest" from Shakespeare before he let Nolan have it, because he said, "The Bermudas ought to be ours and, by Jove, should be one day." So Nolan was permitted to join the circle one afternoon when a lot of them sat on deck smoking and reading aloud. People do not do such things so often now, but when I was young we got rid of a great deal of time so. Well, so it happened that in his turn Nolan took the book and read to the others; and he read very well, as I know. Nobody in the circle knew a line of the poem, only it was all magic and border chivalry, and was ten thousand years ago. Poor Nolan read steadily through the fifth canto, stopped a minute and drank something, and then began, without a thought of what was coming—

Breathes there the man, with soul so dead,
Who never to himself hath said—

It seems impossible to us that anybody ever heard this for the first time; but all these fellows did then, and poor Nolan himself went on, still unconsciously or mechanically—

This is my own, my native land!

Then they all saw something was to pay; but he expected to get through, I suppose, turned a little pale, but plunged on—

Whose heart hath ne'er within him burned,
As home his footsteps he hath turned
From wandering on a foreign strand?—
If such there breathe, go, mark him well.

By this time the men were all beside themselves, wishing there was any way to make him turn over two pages; but he had not quite presence of mind for that; he gagged a little, colored crimson, and staggered on:

For him no minstrel raptures swell;
High though his titles, proud his name,
Boundless his wealth as wish can claim,
Despite these titles, power and pelf,
The wretch, concentered all in self,—

and here the poor fellow choked, could not go on, but started up, swung the book into the sea, vanished into his stateroom, "and by Jove," said Phillips, "we did not see him for two months again. And I had to make up some beggarly story to that English surgeon why I did not return his Walter Scott to him."

That story shows about the time when Nolan's braggadocio must have broken down. At first, they said, he took a very high tone, considered his imprisonment a mere farce, affected to enjoy the voyage, and all that; but Phillips said that after he came out of his stateroom he never was the same man again. He never read aloud again, unless it was the Bible or Shakespeare, or something else he was sure of. But it was not that merely. He never entered in with the other young men exactly as a companion again. He was always shy afterward, when I knew

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Iver Engebretsen was a T. R. Falls business visitor Monday.

This paper and To-Day's Housewife magazine only $1.50 a year.

Dr. R. L. Olson and son Martin went to T. R. Falls Tuesday on business.

Miss Emma Kuehne went to Warren last Thursday to visit relatives and friends.

W. E. Damon of Ifle, Minn., has rented the Ryan farm west of town and will move here soon.

Miss Mabel Arness of Fork, Minn came Tuesday of last week to visit her aunt, Mrs. C. H. Gunheim and family.

A. Youngquist went to T. R. Falls Wednesday to see his wife who had an operation at the hospital there last week and is now getting along nicely.

The following village officers were elected at the annual election held on Tuesday: President, P. A. Riesberg; Treasurer, A. L. Carlson Clerk, H. B. Young; Trustees H. J. Oien, R. Reierson and Albert Bennes for three, two and one year terms respectively; Justices, C. H. Gunheim and J. B. Allenbrack; Constables, H. Peterson and Racine Olson.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account

Estate of Mathias Olson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mathias Olson Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Antonette Olson, Oscar A. Olson, Amalia Roe, Julius C. Olson, Martin T Olson, John A. Olson, Alfred C. Olson, Emma M. Mattson, Otto W. Olson and all other persons interested in the above estate.

Whereas, Antonette Olson has filed in this court her final account of her administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entittled: IT IS ORDERED, that said petiton be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 18th. day of April 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in The Holt Weekly News according to law.

Witness the honorable Peter H. Holm Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 12th day of March 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Judge.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

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They cost a penny more each month you wait.

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Farmers

The Red Lake Falls Milling Co., will have a car of fodder seed corn at Crookston in the near future and all those wishing seed should notify H. J. Oien in regard to the quantity desired.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for License to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Lands

Estate of Carl L. Anderson
State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court:
In the Matter of the Estate of Carl L. Anderson, Deceased.

The State of Minnesota To Anna Anderson, Carl Oscar Anderson, Carrie Elizabeth Anderson, Erick Ragnar Anderson, John Edwin Anderson, Helmer Levin Anderson, Gladys Evelyn Anderson, and all persons interested in the mortgaging of certain lands belonging to said Deceased, The petition of Anna Anderson as representative of the above named deceased, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be mortgaged and praying that a license be to her granted to mortgage the same:

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 30th day of March 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M. why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. [COURT SEAL] Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 4th day of March, 1918.

Peter H. Holm
Judge of Probate Court.
A. N. Eckstrom, Warren, Minn.
Attorney for petitioner.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has occurred in the conditions of that certain mortgage, dated the 1st day of March, 1915, executed by A. C. Body and Clara Body, his wife, mortgagors, to L. P. Carter, mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 12th day of April, 1915, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., and recorded in Book 79 of mortgages on page 391 thereof; which said mortgage and the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by instrument in writing, dated the 1st day of September, 1916, executed by said L. P. Carter, mortgagee, to S. M. Elwood, assignee, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 13th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m, and recorded in Book 85 of mortgages on page 230 thereof;

That pursuant to a provision of said mortgage said assignee of said mortgage has elected to declare the whole debt secured thereby to be now due and payable; that there is due and payable at the date of this notice, upon the debt secured by said mortgage the sum of $4756.60, together with the sum of $156.63 taxes paid by said assignee of said mortgage after the same had become delinquent.

That no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof; that by virtue of a power of sale therein contained said mortgage will be foreclosed and the land and premises therein described, to-wit: lying and being in the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, The west one-half (W1-2) of section twenty-two (22), in township one hundred fifty-five (155), north of range forty-two (42) west of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota; will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren in the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April, 1918, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to pay and satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage and taxes aforesaid, and the sum of $50.00 attorney's fees therein provided for and the costs and disbursements allowed by law upon such foreclosure sale.

Dated Feb. 20, 1918.

S. M. Elwood,
Assignee of mortgage.
Charles A Pitkin,
Attorney for Assignee of mortgage

Will you invest 25c in helping your country, by buying a Thrift Stamp?

Waste nothing. Save the waste and help to win this terrible war.

Read the ads for the War Savings Stamps, which are being donated by the different business men and firms.

P. O. Reierson was an over Sunday visitor with relatives in T. R. Falls.

E. A. Johnson was elected viceforman at the meeting of the Free Mission church held per call on Monday.

Mrs. Carl Sefkow died Tuesday evening at the home of her daughter Mrs. Patzneck. Mrs. Sefkow was 58 years old and had been sick for about a year. The funeral was held at the home yesterday, Rev. Parish officiating.

Holt township elected the following officers at Tuesday election: Trustee, S. H. Nohre; Clerk, T. B. Folden, Treasurer, Aug. Nass; Justices, M. Grondahl and J. Swan; Constable, Ole Davidson. The question of an optional road tax carried by 5 votes.

Steenerson a Winner.

Last week President Wilson heard arguments for a change in the wheat grades from a delegation from the northwest with Congressman Halvor Steenerson as spokesman. A few days afterward orders came, through the Secretary of Agriculture, for a modification of the grades that will mean an average increase of from five to ten cents per bushel in the returns for the wheat crop.

The moisture content is raised from 13 to 15 per cent; 4 per cent of other wheat, instead of 2, is permitted; rye content is raised from 1 to 2 per cent; 2 instead of 1 per cent of damaged kernels is permitted; and there may be 1 per cent of heated kernals instead of none, and 1 per cent separable small seeds is permitted.

The change in moisture content is the most important, as the bulk of the northwestern crop averages between 14 and 15 per cent in the moisture test.

The new rules will go into effect after hearings are held in the five principal grain centers of the country, that for the northwest to occur in Minneapolis on March 21.

The modifications are in line with Mr. Steenerson's bill recently introduced in congress, and grants almost all that was asked for.

Free transportation to and from home for men in the military service on furlough is provided in a bill by Representative Steenerson, of this district. Mr. Steenerson states that he wishes to make it possible for all to bid their relatives good-bye before going overseas.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock next Sunday March 17th.

STATE ROAD DRAGGING.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for dragging State Roads in Marshall county during the season of 1918, will be received at the County Auditor's office at Warren, Minn., until 2 p. m., Wednesday, March 20, 1918.

The County Board reserves the right to accept or reject any bid.

By order of the County Board.

A. G. LUNDGREN,
County Auditor.

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PROMISE someone that you'll save one War Savings Stamp each month, each week, or each day.

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For Safekeeping

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Holt State Bank.

Take Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Feb. 23, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Almond L. Snook, of Middle River, Minn., who on Oct. 5th, 1916, made homestead entry, No. 013615, for W 1-2 NE 1-4 and Lots 6 and 7, Sec. 20. and Lot 2, Sec. 21, Twp. 156 N. Ran 41 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, United States Land Office, at Crookston, Minn., on the 2nd day of April 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Alfred Sollom, Grant Flakne, J. S. Gabrielson and Agnes R. Fosen, all of Holt, Minn.
Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.
Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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Swift & Company Publicity

At a recent hearing of the Federal Trade Commission there was introduced correspondence taken from the private files of Swift & Company, which showed that the Company had been considering for some time an educational advertising campaign.

The need for this publicity has been apparent to us for several years. The gross misrepresentation to which we have recently been subjected has convinced us that we should no longer delay in putting before the public the basic facts of our business, relying on the fair-mindedness of the American people.

The feeling against the American packer is based largely on the belief that the income and well-being of the producer and consumer are adversely affected by the packers' operations, resulting in unreasonably large profits.

Swift & Company's net profit is reasonable, and represents an insignificant factor in the cost of living.

For the fiscal year 1917 the total sales and net profit of Swift & Company were as follows:

Sales
$875,000,000.
Profits
$34,650,000.

This is equivalent to a $3,465. profit on a business of $87,500.

If Swift & Company had made no profit at all, the cattle raiser would have received only one-eighth of a cent per pound more for his cattle, or the consumer would have saved only one-quarter of a cent per pound on dressed beef.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

J. E. Erickson was in Warren Monday.

A. L. Carlson went to Crookston Monday on business.

Olof Johnson went to Warren Monday on business.

S. S. Kolden went to T. R. Falls Monday on business.

Mrs. Peter Hanson and baby went to Badger Friday to visit relatives.

J. M. Swan shipped a car of cattle to the twin city markets Tuesday.

T. W. Ramaley came from St Paul Monday to look after his farm interests.

Leo Horien went to Spring Grove last week where he expects to work for sometime.

Mrs. Brotrud of Roseau come Monday to visit at the C. Rustad and C. Hagglund homes.

J. M. Jahr returned home Tuesday from a couple of weeks visit with relatives in Portland, N. D.

Mrs. Arthur Carlson of Thief River Falls, came Monday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wegge.

A. L. Underdahl of Winona was here Saturday transacting business with S. S. Kolken and G. H. Knutson.

Mrs. Woodstrom and Mrs. DeBoer of Crookston came Saturday to visit at the J. L. Nelson and A. Langlie homes.

Math Larson went to Alvarado Friday to attend the funeral of his nephew, Rudolph Volberg, who died Wednesday night.

Carl Erickson and son Garfield from east of Goodridge, came Sunday evening for a short visit with his brother J. E. Erickson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Adams and little son returned home Saturday from Baldus where Mr. Adams had been working in the woods this winter.

A. H. Huseth came down from Greenbush Monday to visit relatives and friends and to attend the circuit meeting of the Lutheran church as a delegate.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Another Barque Launched.

Clarence Docken was married March 4th. to Miss Laura Stengelson a young lady teacher of the vicinity of Viking. This matter was pretty much a secret until last Friday and since then the young banker has been the subject of many a good natured joke.

The groom is one of our fine business men who will be missed when he goes to the front. The bride is a stranger to most of us yet, we are assured Clarence has chosen one who will be a helpmate in every sense of the word. The News joins the many friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Docken, a happy and prosperous wedded life.

The Misses Bakke and Nelson entertained a company of young folks at the Docken home Saturday evening in honor of Clarence Docken. A very enjoyable time was spent and after showering congratulations and much joy to the newly wed, for a happy and prosperous matrimonial voyage thru life, the company departed for their home in the wee hours of the morning.

Ringbo News

A Red Cross Aux. was organized Mar. 2nd. Mrs. Bean entertained the society. The following officers were elected:—Mrs. Bean President Anna Sorter Vice Pres. Esther Movik Sec. Mrs Engen Treas. Last Saturday the Red Cross Society was entertained by Mrs. Alvin Erickson.

The following ones pledged themselves as members: Mr. and Mrs. C. Engen, Mr. and Mrs. G. Sorter, Mr. and Mrs. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. A. Erickson, Misses Anna Sorter, Esther Movik, Hazel Davidson, Mabel Knutson, Mabel Johnson, Messes Pete Sorter and Hilmer Davidson.

Our third Red Cross meeting will be entertained by Mrs. C. Engen Apr. 3rd. You are welcome at our meetings.

The Citizens League met Mar. 8 in Dist. 58. The meeting was called to order by Elmer Engstrom. Alf. Movik read the minutes of the previous meetings. A short patriotic program was given. The officers of the League are Elmer Engstrom, Pres. Melvin Sorter, Vice Pres. Alf Movik Sec. Sidney Engstrom Treas., Advisor Miss Mabel Knutson. Melvin Sorter and Elmer Engstrom have already turned in the amount of $13 from the sale of Thrift Stamps.

J. E. Erickson drove to T. R. Falls Saturday.

Fresh ice cream every day at Bennes' confectionery.

H. M. Olson returned last week from the woods where he had been employed during the winter months.

H. O. Ekerdalen and daughter, Olaf Halvorson and Miss Helen Johnson autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Word has been received here from L. Flak, of Mable, Minn., that he will move here next month and run his farm himself next season. Mr. Flak's farm is on the ridge and is known as the old B L. Olson farm.

C. Norbeck has been loading three cars of hay this week for E. T. Eide at Spooner, Mr. Klungness loaded one car of Mr. Faiman's hay which also went to Mr. Eide and Alfred Sollom loaded one car for Tessum & Co.

All time pieces are to be turned one hour ahead of the present time on the last day of March and remain on that schedule for about seven months. This is a war measure to save and use daylight for work.

East Valley News

The familiar song of the Ford is once more heard in our land.

The Ladies Aid which was entertained at Mrs. P. C. Rosand last Wednesday was well attended.

Misses Mabel and Ethel Rosand, Clara Larson, Alice and Lillian Jahr and Nels Larson were pleasantly entertained at Ole B. Johnson home Sunday before last.

George Johnson and sisters, Inga and Julia visited at S. S. Kolden Tuesday evening of last week.

Mrs. Otto Johnson of Holt, came Saturday to see her daughter Mrs. Ole Garthus who has been on the sick list for a couple of weeks.

A. C. and J. M. Jahr are visiting with friends and relatives near Portland and Hillsboro, N. D.

Ludvik Larson and Albert Hagen left last Thursday for Randen Minn.

Misses Inga and Julia Johnson left for Crookston last Thursday.

Chester Gudvangen the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Gudvangen had the misfortune of running a pitch fork thru his foot last Saturday, but we hope for Chester's recovery soon.

Services were held in the school house Sunday by Rev. M. B. Ordahl.

Mrs. F. Larson and son Nels attended the services, Sunday and also visited at the home of A. C. Jahr.

Mr. Ruehman called at J. E. Erickson Saturday.

Miss Mabel Arness went to Strathcona Monday to visit relatives.

Sheriff Hanson was in this vicinity Saturday on official business.

Walter Wegge, Arthur and Joe Johnson went to Fargo last week Thursday.

John Sorum, P. A. Riesberg and B. Docken autoed to Warren Tuesday on business.

Lester Adams and Clement Benoit of Dugdale visited R. L. Adams the forepart of the week.

Olaf Johnson was awarded the contract for excavating county ditch No. 30, which is about four miles south of his present contract.

Mrs. A. Bjerk returned last week Thursday from Reynolds, N. D. where she was called a few weeks ago by the sickness of her brother, Ole Severson. Mrs. Severson was taken sick and died while her husband was in the hospital. Mr. Severson was getting better when Mrs. Bjerk returned home.

The contract for building the school house in Dist. No 58 was awarded to Revdahl & Co. of T. R. Falls.

Adolph Johnson came home Monday from an extended stay in Minneapolis.

Elvin Ruehman called at J. E. Erickson's Sunday.

Dr. R. E. Spinks
Physician and Surgeon
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Middle River, Minn.

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Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock next Sunday March 24th.

Rev. Parish will hold services here next Monday evening.

The Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement on Thursday March 28th. Everybody invited.

Dan Severson called at J. E. Erickson Saturday.

Mrs. Mathias Hanson and Mrs. Kalen returned Wednesday from Grand Forks.

Nels Hovde and Frank Wendt returned Saturday from an extended stay on the Pacific coast.

Christian Torgerson Magrew of N. Dakota came Friday to visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. John Simonson and family.

A large number of ministers and delegates attended the circuit meeting of the Norwegian Lutheran churches, which was held in the Holt Synod church on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week. All their meetings were well attended and a pleasant and profitable time is reported.

Mrs. C. L. Sandberg received news Sunday evening that her father, E. A. Anderson who lived near St. Hilaire had been stricken with paralysis. Wednesday evening the family received news of Mr. A.'s death. He was about 83 years old and had enjoyed good health most of the time. Sincere sympathy is extended to the sorrowing family and friends.

Anna Erickson visited at Ruehman's Sunday.

Commence making plans now to raise poultry, to save meat for the army.

All teachers are called upon by their country to see that school children buy Thrift Stamps.

Rev. Parish will hold services at 8 o'clock next Monday evening Mar. 24. Everyone invited.

New Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
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Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory
Ernest Phillipson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

(Too late for last week.)

The following were pleasantly entertained at the C. L. Heinze home last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kolden, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christoferson, Mr. and Mrs. Fosholm and daughter Inanda.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
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PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

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Prompt Service at all Times
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Our Prices are Right

Hamernes Garage
Racine Olson, Manager
Holt, Minn.

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PROMISE someone that you'll save one War Savings Stamp each month, each week, or each day.

Penalize yourself by saving two every time you miss the day.

The first principle of money making is money saving. And every time you lick the stamp you help to lick the Kaiser.

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R. L. F. Ml'g Co.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.94
Oats	82
Barley	1.42 to 1.67
Rye	2.72
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

FOR RENT.

Six room house, barn, garden and pasture for one or two cows. Can give possession April 1st.

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Holt, Minn.

Honor Roll

Peter S. Kolden
S. S. Norlina, U. S. Navy
Bentley Nelson
Somewhere in France
Willie Hoel
Ft. Crook, Nebr.
Ernest Kuehne
Leonard Jefferson
Camp Cody, N. Mex.

At Naval Training Stations
Ben Nyberg
Dehard Johnson
Albert Bjerk
Clarence Swan

Coast Artillery, San Francisco
Rudolph Reierson
Willie Sorum
Victor Johnson
Ed Bjerk

Camp Dodge, Iowa
P. L. Anderson
Andrew Sorum
Ben Hoff
Thomas Anderson
Elling Tollefsrud
Ole Ingebretsli

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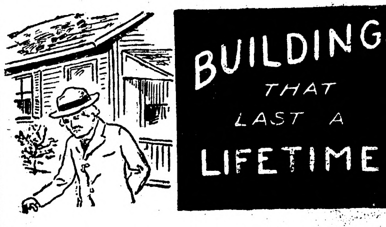

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Our boys are going "Over the top" and into "No man's land" this spring. No one has any doubt of their ability to get there. There will also be a spring drive on this side of the ocean, because March is the year's "blue Monday." It is the most fatal month of the year. March and April is a time when resistance usually is at lowest ebb. It is a trying season for the "run-down" man. But medical science steps in, and says, "it need not be"! We should cultivate a love of health, a sense of responsibility for the care of our bodies. Do not allow the machinery of the body to clog. Put the stomach and liver in proper condition. Take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, to be had at most drug stores in tablet or liquid form, tablets sixty-cents a vial, composed of native herbs. This puts the stomach and liver in proper condition. You may be plodding along, no spring, no elasticity, no vim, but as soon as you have put the body into its normal physical condition—oiled the machinery, as it were—you will find new vim, vigor and vitality within you. A little "pep," and we laugh and live. Try it now. Send Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c. for trial package. A little energy will save the day. The prime necessity of life is health. With spirit and energy you have the power to force yourself into action. The Golden Medical Discovery is the spring tonic which you need.

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There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

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Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

MAKE PET OF CAPTURED MULE

Allied Soldiers in France Play With Animal That Once Was in the Service of the Kaiser.

At the battle of Loos, bombers captured a shivering German mule, which they dubbed Kaiser Bill, says Boys' Life, the Boy Scouts' Magazine. But the new Kaiser Bill was very intelligent and friendly toward his captors, so the men thought that to be fair to the mule, they had better drop the Kaiser and call him just plain Billy.

Billy earned his rations by towing about the brigade bomb-cart. When off duty the men used to play with him. He would answer to his name, and come trotting over when his master called. Billy is still with the brigade, and the men say that he tows those bombs up to the dump for use against the Germans with the greatest relish.

It is odd to see a big, rough, hard-ended soldier in a trench as he fondles a little trench kitten, his features softening. "Poor little beggar," he thinks, "so helpless and weak. And it's warm—and living."

Can anything erase from the character of man those traits which make life worth while—pity, love, and mercy? Ease and luxury may; but trouble, hardship, and danger never.

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Unlike the ordinary cereal Grape-Nuts requires no sugar, little milk or cream, and requires no cooking or other preparation in serving.

A trial is well worth while for those who sincerely desire to save.

"There's a Reason"

FARMER STATESMEN DID WORK QUICKLY

The New Republic Shows How Action Was Secured In North Dakota.

How the farmers in North Dakota got together in special session, transacted their business in a few days and went home to their winter work is told by the New Republic, the leading weekly newspaper of America. In strong contrast with old party legislatures that usually take two weeks to get down to business the farmer legislature, knowing for what purpose it had assembled, passed its bills and was ready to stop expense to the state in less time than a week.

The seed situation in North Dakota was becoming desperate, and threatening to interfere with full wartime production. The New Republic says on this subject:

"Despairing of adequate relief for the state from Federal sources, Lynn J. Frazier, the "peoples' governor" elected by the farmers thru the agency of the Nonpartisan league, summoned the state legislature to consider the seed and feed situation and other war-time emergencies. Within three days the house of representatives in which the Nonpartisan league farmers have a large majority, had completed its business and asked for adjournment. But the senate, where the forces in opposition to the League are still in control, prolonged the session until the rising tide of public opinion throughout the state led to a sudden change of tactics."

The New Republic finds that farmer legislatures are different from some other legislatures and that the Nonpartisans do their work with a directness and thoroughness too seldom apparent in the work of American legislative bodies.

These North Dakota farmers who make up the minority in the state senate and the majority in the house are in striking contrast to the common type of state legislature. Lawmaking is a serious businehs to them. They go about it with extreme earnestness. Long before the appointed time for the house to be called to order most of them are in their seats, studying gravely and diligently the printed bills which the pages lay on their desks.

Hampered by Senate.

They came to Bismarck on the occasion of this special session to do a definite thing, convinced of the needfulness of doing that thing both by their own knowledge of farm conditions and by the proclamation of their farmer governor, in whom they have implicit faith. When they had done this thing nothing else occurred to them. They looked with marked disfavor on the conduct of the senate which kept them longer away from their barns and stock, the care of which in severe winter weather had been temporarily entrusted to wives, children and hired men.

These farmer legislators and their farmer constituents feel with great unanimity that effective relief of the seed and feed crisis of the present winter would have been unobtainable under the old political regime. Rightly or wrongly, they ascribed the present solution to the beneficient influence of the Nonpartisan league. The history of the special session will confirm their belief in the League's doctrine of "legislation for farmers by farmers."

FARMERS STICK TO LEAGUE

Enthusiasm Great at Points Where Farmers First Began Work of Organizing.

In reporting an enthusiastic meeting at Bowman, North Dakota, in which more than six hundred farmers listened to Walter Thomas Mills, the claim is made by the local correspondent that the Nonpartisan league was born at this place. The splendid meeting is pointed to as evidence that the farmers are standing together in the country from which the farmers' organization came.

A number of places in North Dakota claim to be the birthplace of the league. Mr. Mills said that Bowman offered as evidence of this honor the fact that Mr. A. C. Townley traveled from farm to farm on foot in that country trying to interest farmers before the League had taken form.

The enthusiastic manner in which the farmers indorsed the league, its governor, and its national officials, is conclusive answer to the charge that those who first joined the league are deserting it.

Profiteers Want More.

The Southern Pacific railway will have accumulated profits by the end of the year that will almost equal the company's capital stock. Yet this company is asking permission to increase freight rates 15 per cent.

Can't Support Both.

A stockyards profiteer says that twice a year is often enough for a working person to go to the movies. How about the movie profiteer? He can't live if the stockyards takes all the worker's surplus.

THE BIG WORK IN THE WAR

The War Lord Salutes the Field Marshall.

Such is the striking title to a well-timed cartoon in an agricultural paper, showing the War Lord in salute to the farmer. The meaning of it is that without the assistance that the farmer renders in the matter of providing food for the army the fighting ability of that body would be proportionally decreased. While the army is fighting, the farmer is busy. The promptness with which he sprang into the breach was a patriotism equal to that of the man who enlisted and the farmer's record in this particular was worthy of the high record that has become his. All over the United States the appeal is being met by more production. Fields are enlarged, intensive agriculture has taken the place of slipshod methods, more cattle are being fattened, more hogs grown, veal and lamb have become scarce commodities. This is all in keeping with the food-controller's demands, and with the heartiness that is now prevalent, it would seem as if the requirements of the boys at the front and the allies in Europe would be fully met.

Not only are the tilled acres of the United States being brought into requisition, but the wild pasture lands are doing tribute with their cattle and sheep. Working in conjunction with the United States, Western Canada is also doing its share and a pretty large share it is, too. By an arrangement with the United States Government it will now be possible through its employment bureau to secure for the Western Canada fields such help as can be spared. It is thought in this way Canada will have its help to seed its millions of acres of wheat land fairly well met. The large number of young men of the farms who have enlisted and gone to the front has left many of the Western Canada farms weak in the matter of man power. This means that Canada can take all that the United States can spare. The wages will be good and the housing comfortable.

In addition to this the free homestead lands of Western Canada offer the greatest inducement to the man with limited means who is willing to undergo some of the hardships naturally accompanying this enterprise. There is also the large area of uncultivated lands that are waiting the man with sufficient means to purchase and equip. And this is not expensive. The cheap lands are cheap and the terms very reasonable. Equipped with tractor or horse power the cultivation cost is slight when the return is considered. Yields of wheat varying from 20 to 40 bushels per acre may be relied upon, and with a set price of over $2.00 per bushel, it is an easy matter to arrive at the cost. Production, including interest on land, has been estimated at figures not exceeding ten dollars an acre. With a twenty bushel yield, at a two dollar price—forty dollars. Ten from forty and you have the profits many farmers made in Western Canada the past year.

The Dominion and Provincial Governments are working conjointly in an increased production propaganda. Among the important steps that have been taken to bring this about is the recent order by which it is made possible to take into Canada tractors that cost fourteen hundred dollars and less in the country of production. This will give those residing in the United States, owning lands in Canada, the opportunity to place them under cultivation at much less cost than in the past. Another inducement is the privilege of taking sheep and cattle in free of duty. Automobiles form a necessary part of the outfit of a good many farmers that would like to move to Canada. These are now accorded free duty. Provision is also made that those requiring seed and unable to obtain it in any other way, may get it from the Government. So from this it will be seen that it is not only the fertile lands of Western Canada that invite the settler, but the ease and cheapness with which a farmer may establish himself.—Advertisement.

Sterilize Drinking Glasses.

Drinking cups and glasses used in restaurants, at soda fountains and other places must be washed five minutes in boiling water containing a 5 per cent solution of lye, according to regulations promulgated by the California state board of health for the enforcement of the law governing the sterilization of drinking utensils.—The New American Woman.

Quite a Record.

The Gulf stream is more rapid than the Amazon, more impetuous than the Mississippi, and its volume more than 1,000 greater.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Too True.

Ellen—"Cheer up, old top, you'll get her yet." Lee—"You're always looking on the dark side."—Panther.

It is a pessimistic cuss indeed who does not expect that the future will be as kind as the past.

If a man would have a good mother-in-law it is up to him to make good.

WILSON THANKS NONPARTISAN

President Writes Congressman Baer That Promise of Support Is "Very Gratifying."

Local politicians in certain sections of Minnesota may pretend that the Nonpartisan league is disloyal, but President Woodrow Wilson has no illusions on this subject.

The President has just written to Congressman J. M. Baer of North Dakota declaring that a letter from the congressman brought him a "very gratifying message." The letter was an offer to the President of the services of the National Nonpartisan league.

At the request of A. C. Townley, league head, Congressman Baer told President Wilson that the farmers composing the league "have an enthusiastic desire to use our influence in any way that you may suggest."

"In the Northwest," Congressman Baer continued, "it seems to us that the powers-that-be are striving to undermine the administration under the guise of 'constructive' argument. We really believe that our experience in meeting such attacks, as they have been directed by partisan politicians in an effort to destroy our organization, makes us particularly able to help you."

President Wilson's reply follows:

My Dear Mr. Baer:

Your letter brings me a very gratifying message. I am glad, you may be sure, to learn of such work as you speak of. Support of the government just now and the correct interpretation of its policies and purposes are of the utmost consequence, not only to the United States but to the world and the work of the sort you outline contributes to the universal cause.

Sincerely yours,
Woodrow Wilson.

LEAGUE FORMS RED CROSS

Township Caucus Organized Itself Into War Aid Society After Electing Delegate.

After the caucus of the Nonpartisan league in Kratka township, Pennington county, Minn., had transacted its business and elected its delegate to the legislative convention, those present organized themselves into a township Red Cross society branch with 30 members.

Collections for the Red Cross at Nonpartisan league meetings are increasing in size. Thousands of dollars are being turned in to this branch of war service through Nonpartisan activities. The league has been able during the past few weeks to enlist thousands of new persons in this department of service.

FORD FAVORS OWNERSHIP

Automobile Man Would Introduce Sense and System Into Railroad Business.

Henry Ford attacks the whole system of private railroads, declaring that it would be quite easy, with good management, to diminish freight and passenger rates one-half, while doubling the wages of the employes and the returns of capital.

He points out that the control of our railroads has passed a good deal to the bankers living in New York and other large cities who know nothing of railroad work or administration.

Standardized manufacture is the key by which Mr. Ford would solve the problem. He would have cars and engines reduced in weight about one-fourth by using steel of greater tensile strength than is now used. At present he declares that too much of the power is needed to haul dead weight around.

PROFITEERS TOLL ON WOOL

One Hundred Percent on Yarns Used For Knitting For Soldiers.

A circular issued by the Wool Growers association states that wool yarn, such as used by our people is selling for $5.00 per pound. They figure that the retailer and wholesaler are exacting over 100 per cent on knitting yarns.

The profiteer overlooks nothing. His patriotism is figured in dollars and cents. He likes to set the women busy knitting, for every sale means 100 per cent profit to him.

Montana Tax System.

Now that their attention has been called to it the people of Montana do not see how they stood their tax system so long, but the system was there all of the time, giving aid and comfort to the railroads and the mine owners, even before the Nonpartisan league pointed it out.

Farmers Good Legislators.

Gov. Frazier of North Dakota says that the farmers elected to the legislature made good. They depended on themselves without looking to broken down politicians and corporation lawyers for leaders. The result was that they were able to carry out their pledges.

Something Is Wrong.

In spite of the fact that the average farmer in North Dakota raises wheat enough in one year to feed his family 30 years the farmers of that state are $30,000,000 in debt.—A. C. Townley.

Highest Patriotism.

The patriotism that does its bit and more without questioning the motive of a neighbor who is doing his in a different way is the pure variety that assays 100 per cent.

To The American People

There is no foundation for the alleged violations of law attributed to our Company by agents of the Federal Trade Commission and I want to say emphatically that Swift & Company is not a party to any conspiracy to defraud the Government. Nor has Swift & Company been guilty of improperly storing foods or of making false entries or reports.

Conferences of packers, where prices have been discussed, have been held at the urgent request and in the presence of representatives of either the Food Administration or the Council of National Defense. And yet the packers have been accused of committing a felony by acting in collusion on Government bids!

We have done our best, with other packers, large and small, to comply with the directions of the United States Food Administration in all particulars, including the furnishing of food supplies for the U. S. Army and Navy and the Allies, now being handled through the Food Administration.

We will continue to do our utmost, under Government direction, to increase our production and assist the Food Administration. We consider that the opportunity to co-operate whole-heartedly and to our fullest powers with this branch of the Government is our plain and most pressing duty.

The Trade Commission Attorney has, by false inference and misplaced emphasis, given to disconnected portions of the correspondence taken from our private files and read into the Record, a false and sinister meaning with the plain purpose of creating antagonistic public opinion.

The services of the packers of the United States are most urgently needed, and I regret exceedingly that we should at this time have to spend our efforts in defending ourselves against unfounded, unproved, and unfair assertions such as are being daily made public.

L. F. Swift President

Swift & Company, U.S.A.

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From Wayback.

Country Uncle—Gosh! What is that there thing?

City Niece—A folding bed, uncle.

Country Uncle—Then I'll camp out on ther floor—I could never sleep standin' up.

Shock.

"At the restaurant the other night George asked Miss Wrink how she would like a little wild duck.

"What did she answer?"

"She changed color, and said, 'Oh, this is so sudden!' and fainted."

During the past few years there has been a falling off in the yield of the banana.

When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy

No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. 50 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Their First Mention.

Bobby, for once, expressed great interest in the sermon. "Fancy flying machines being mentioned in the Bible!" he said.

"But are they?"

"Why, didn't the vicar say Esau sold his heirship to his brother Jacob?"—Stray Stories.

Soft, Clear Skins.

Night and morning bathe the face with Cuticura Soap and hot water. If there are pimples first smear them with Cuticura Ointment. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." Sold by druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

During the war the trade of Canada has increased nearly three-fold.

New York's debt limit is reduced to $2,114,485.

Five Bottles Peruna Restored Me To Complete Health

I Have Been In The Best Of Spirits Since, And Feel That I Owe My Health To Peruna

Mr. C. N. Petersen, dealer in fine boots, shoes and cigars, 132 S. Main St., Council Bluffs, Ia., writes: "I cannot tell you how much good Peruna has done me. Constant confinement in my store began to tell on my health and I felt that I was gradually breaking down. I tried several remedies prescribed by my physician, but obtained no permanent relief until I took Peruna. I felt better immediately and five bottles restored me to complete health. I have been in the best of spirits since, and feel that I owe my health to it."

Our booklet, telling you how to keep well, free to all. The Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Those who object to liquid medicines can now procure Peruna Tablets.

Better Than His Press Agent.

"George Washington was a most truthful man."

"I have always thought so. An evidence of his truthfulness is the fact that he never gave any personal indorsement whatever to that cherry tree story."

The man with a good appetite never wastes time speculating on the elements of war bread.

Peru was the first country to add instruction in aviation to its public school curriculum.

Good Subject.

"What are that couple over at yonder table scrapping about?"

"I think, sir, they're fighting over the war bread."

Necessary.

"Riches have wings." "They need 'em to keep up with the cost of living."—Detroit Free Press.

New Hampshire was the first state to establish a railroad commission.

In case of emergency patriotism will always find a way.

LUCKY STRIKE CIGARETTE

IN a year it has become famous; the man's cigarette for the men who are working over here. and fighting over there.

The reason? Because it's made of Burley pipe tobacco and because—

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CO-OPERATIVE FARMING IN MAN POWER NECESSARY TO WIN THE BATTLE FOR LIBERTY

The Food Controllers of the United States and Canada are asking for greater food production. Scarcely 100,000,000 bushels of wheat are available to be sent to the allies overseas before the crop harvest. Upon the efforts of the United States and Canada rests the burden of supply.

Every Available Tillable Acre Must Contribute; Every Available Farmer and Farm Hand Must Assist

Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operation.

Canada's Wheat Production Last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the Demand From Canada Alone for 1918 is 400,000,000 Bushels

To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell you where you can best serve the combined interests.

Western Canada's help will be required not later than April 5th. Wages to competent help, $50.00 a month and up, board and lodging.

Those who respond to this appeal will get a warm welcome, good wages, good board and find comfortable homes. They will get a rate of one cent a mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return

For particulars as to routes and places where employment may be had apply to: U. S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

DUTCH RESENT SHIP SEIZURES

Press Assails Move by Allies as "Piracy," "Misuse of Power" And "Act of Violence."

U. S. WAITS FOR REPLY

Delays Actual Taking Over of Vessels Pending Receipt of Cable—Meanwhile Plans for Operation Go Steadily Forward.

Washington, March 19.—Plans for operation of the Dutch shipping which was acquired by the United States and Great Britain, either voluntarily agreement or requisition, were going forward steadily late Monday while the governments awaited reply of Holland to the demand that she accede to the terms of the contract which Germany blocked, or suffer seizure of all her tonnage in American and British waters.

Holland's reply, which has been dispatched to London, is expected by officials to conclude the negotiations there at once. Seizure of the ships in American waters will be delayed, however, until the reply is received here.

Press Assails Seizure.

The Hague, March 19.—It is impossible for Holland to give an affirmative answer to the Entente's proposals concerning Dutch ships, says the Nieuwe Courant.

"It is an act of violence," it adds, "to which we are subjected by the rulers of the ocean and nothing makes us so bitter as the attemrt being made to base it on the socalled rule of international law—the antiquated Angary law—which is in no wise applicable here."

The Tyjd says: "We shall have to acquiesce, but such rough misuse of power will not be forgotten by our people."

Diplomatic Break Hinted.

In an article vehemently denouncing the Allies, the Handelsblad says:

"We cannot think what our government will do. Will it publish a protest refusing to give its approval to piracy and leave the matter as it is, or will it make the best of a bad job and make an exchange for what will be taken away? If it is not exchanged, will it request the ministers of these piratical powers to pack their trunks and depart? We should not lose much thereby.

"We do not know what the government will do and would not wish to advise it. As such a moment, it must be left to the government's discretion to take that decision which is least harmful to the country and the people."

Admits U-Boats Unopposed.

In the same article, however, the Handelsblad admits that it is unfortunately true that Holland is the only northern neutral which has done nothing to combat the German submarine methods. It attributes the country's present position to the spirit which has dictated such an attitude.

The Telegraaf advocates acceptance of the offer of the Entente governments, adding: "Holland's existence as a free and independent nation and the possession of its colonies are at stake. By choosing the right path the government has it in its power to maintain the liberty of the nation or irrevocably deliver it to the mercy of Germany, which in its bid for world domination has long had envious eyes on Holland."

JUDSON LA MOURE PASSES

Prominent in North Dakota for Half Century.

Fargo, N. D., March 19.—Judson La Moure, 79 years old, for many years one of the most prominent figures in the politics of North Dakota, is dead at Stuart, Fla., where he had spent his winters for several years.

For more than half a century Mr. La Moure had been a resident of North Dakota and of the territory which was the forerunner of the state.

SUBMARINE BELIEVED SUNK

News of Encounter Revealed by Daniels' Praise of Gunner.

Washington, March 19.—The probably sinking of a German submarine by shots from an armed guard of the steamer Borinquen is revealed by Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels' commendation of Tromas J. Berrien, chief gunner's mate for the cool and steady work of the gun crew when that vessel was attacked by a German submarine on the night of Oct. 30, 1917.

Asks Guns as Ransom for Americans.

Peking, March 19.—The two American engineers recently captured by brigands in northern Honan are being held for ransom of 70 rifles. Representatives of the government are carrying on negotiations with the bandits through missionaries and it is believed the release of the Americans will be effected soon. They are E. J. Pursell of St. Paul and G. A. Kyle of Portland, Ore. The Americans are being held near Yehsien, in Northern Honan. They are reported safe and well.

Nerves All Unstrung?

Nervousness and nerve pains often come from weak kidneys. Many a person who worries over trifles and is troubled with neuralgia, rheumatic pains and backache would find relief through a good kidney remedy. If you have nervous attacks, with headaches, backaches, dizzy spells and sharp, shooting pains, try Doan's Kidney Pills. They have brought quick benefit in thousands of such cases.

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. Eva May Franklin, 1320 Front St., Fargo, N. D., says: "I had a lot of trouble from weak kidneys. My back ached, I suffered from headaches, was weak and tired easily. Finally I decided to try Doan's Kidney Pills. They soon strengthened my kidneys, cured my back and relieved all the symptoms of kidney trouble. I haven't suffered since."

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No need to let that cough persist. Stop the irritation, and remove tickling and hoarseness, by relieving the inflamed throat with

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Always Particular.

He had been the nuttiest of the nuts before he trod the paths of crime; and he was to be hunged on the following day.

"Have you any request to make?" inquired the governor of the prison, according to time-honored tradition.

"Well, if you could let me tie the noose myself," suggested the condemned one. "Never did care for those ready-made ties—don't want to start now."

LEMON JUICE IS SKIN WHITENER

CHEAP HOME-MADE BEAUTY LOTION TO REMOVE TAN, FRECKLES, SALLOWNESS.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin whitener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach a darkened skin and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to whiten rough, red hands.—Adv.

Retribution.

"What are you working on there?"

"A hymn of hate," replied the poet sternly.

"Dear me! Don't you know the American government discourages anything of that kind?"

"Oh, yes. But this is none of the government's business. It is addressed to a neighbor of mine who has played 'Over There' on his phonograph every night for the past seven weeks."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Atlanta has increased salaries of 1,444 city employees.

OLD MAN FORGETS CHIVALRY

Good Old Brother Wack Most Ungallantly Puts Women in the Same Class as the Mule.

"No, sah!" replied Brother Wack to the expostulation of good old Parson Bagster. "It's plumb onpossible to modulate a mule widout cussin' him. It kain't be did. Long's I cusses dis varmint reg'lar and satrates him wid a club 'casionally he dess lops his ears for'ards and trudges right along wid de plow. But de minute I draps de club and 'dresses him in confectionery language he turns his head and sneers at me. Dar ain't no gratitude in him. He thinks he's got me bluffed.

"A mule, sah, am right smahthy like a 'ooman. Honey round her and buy her fine clothes and mouffle o' gold teef, and sh'll walk all over yo', uhhollerin' for mo'. But slap her flat when she needs it and talk to her loud and coa'se, and she's as soople as an angle. Keep a mule and a 'ooman thankful for what yo' don't do to 'em, and yo' got 'em gwine, every time."—Kansas City Star.

Proof Indeed.

They had been discussing friends and exchanging views about them. Suddenly Jones mentioned Brownsmith.

"Oh, he's a fine chap!" broke out Clarke enthusiastically. "He's the most wonderful man I know!"

Jones looked startled at the great outburst of praise and asked in surprise:

"Indeed! How do you make that out?"

"Well," explained Clarke, "before he got a motorcar he promised the usual number of people that he would take them out for runs. And," he continued, in tones of awe, "he actually kept his promise to everyone of them."—New York Evening Post.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative, three for a cathartic. Ad.

MAKE MOST OF LOCOMOTIVES

Part of Wisdom to Increase Serviceability of Old Ones—New Engines Unobtainable.

"Now that new locomotives cannot be obtained within any reasonable time," says Railway Review, in discussing the country's need for additional transportation, "it is the part of wisdom to make the most of those whose serviceability can be increased 10, 25 or 50 per cent. Money spent in this way begins to earn money and to smooth out the situation quickly."

His Armless Joke.

That all misfortune is only relative is indicated by the philosophy of the armless man who, for many years, has been carrying "copy" from a downtown news agency to the uptown newspapers at night. An editor on his way to his midnight luncheon had washed his hands when he discovered that the towel was missing. As the armless "copy" carrier passed he heard the editor say something more forceful than elegant. "You ought to be like me, and then you wouldn't need any towel," said the armless one, laughing contentedly.—New York Times.

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will quiet your cough, soothe the inflammation of a sore throat and lungs, stop irritation in the bronchial tubes, insuring a good night's rest, free from coughing and with easy expectoration in the morning. Made and sold in America for fifty-two years. A wonderful prescription, assisting Nature in building up your general health and throwing off the disease. Especially useful in lung trouble, asthma, croup, bronchitis, etc. For sale in all civilized countries.—Adv.

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"In that case," said the baker, "maybe I'd better put more turnovers in the oven."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Miss Kelly Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.

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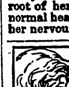

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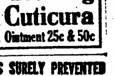

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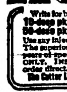

Fargo Directory

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High prices. Quick returns. Hides tanned, Robes and Coats. If we get the goods you get the money. Have your bank look us up.

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Circumstantial Evidence.

Tommy was making a visit to his grandparents, who owned a large dairy. He had been forbidden to touch the tempting-looking pans of rich cream. One day his grandmother caught him coming up from the cellar with a very suspicious white rim over his upper lip.

"Tommy," she said, "I am afraid, from your looks, that you have been disturbing my pans of cream."

"Oh, no, I haven't," Tommy hastened to explain. "I just ran my tongue gently over the top."—Country Gentleman.

More Data Wanted.

He (after the proposal)—I'm getting $2,000 a year. Now, dearest, what is the least you think you can live on yearly?

She—Well, how much credit can you get?—Boston Transcript.

How to Make Oatmeal Bread

Healthful to Eat—Saves the Wheat

1 cup flour
1⅓ cups corn meal
1 teaspoon salt
5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
2 tablespoons sugar
1 cup cooked oatmeal or rolled oats
2 tablespoons shortening
1⅓ cups milk
No eggs

Sift together flour, corn meal, salt, baking powder and sugar. Add oatmeal, melted shortening and milk. Bake in greased shallow pan in moderate oven 40 to 45 minutes.

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FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

e Man without a Country, Continued

, very seldom spoke, unless he s spoken to, except to a very few ends. He lighted up occasionally, remember late in his life hearing a fairly eloquent on something ich had been suggested to him by s of Flechier's sermons, but generally he had the nervous, tired look of heart-wounded man.

When Captain Shaw was coming me—if, as I say, it was Shaw—rath- to the surprise of everybody they ide one of the Windward islands, d lay off and on for nearly a week. e boys said the officers were sick salt junk, and meant to have tur- soup before they came home. But ter several days the Warren came to e same rendezvous; they exchanged gnals; she sent to Phillips and these meward-bound men letters and pa- rs, and told them she was outward ound, perhaps to the Mediterranean, d took poor Nolan and his traps on e boat back to try his second cruise. e looked very blank when he was told get ready to join her. He had own enough of the signs of the sky

ed a Little Pale but Plunged On.

know that till that moment he was ing "home." But this was a dis- ct evidence of something he had not ought of, perhaps, that there was no ing home for him, even to a prison. nd this was the first of some twenty ch transfers, which brought him oner or later into half our best ves- ls, but which kept him all his life least some hundred miles from the untry he had hoped he might never ar of again.

may have been on that second uise—it was once when he was up e Mediterranean—that Mrs. Graff, e celebrated Southern beauty of ose days, danced with him. They d been lying a long time in the Bay Naples, and the officers were very timate in the English fleet, and there d been great festivities, and our en thought they must give a great ll on board the ship. How they er did it on board the Warren I am re I do not know. Perhaps it was t the Warren, or perhaps ladies did t take up so much room as they now. They wanted to use Nolan's ateroom for something, and they ated to do it without asking him to e ball; so the captain said they ght ask him, if they would be re- onsible that he did not talk with e wrong people, "who would give him telligence." So the dance went on, e finest party that had ever been own, I dare say; for I never heard a man-of-war ball that was not. For dies they had the family of the merican consul, one or two travelers ho had adventured so far, and a nice vy of English girls and matrons, per- ps Lady Hamilton herself.

Well, different officers relieved each ther in standing and talking with No- n in a friendly way, so as to be sure at nobody else spoke to him. The ancing went on with spirit, and after while even the fellows who took this mporary guard of Nolan ceased to fear y contretemps. Only when some nglish lady—Lady Hamilton, as I id, perhaps, called for a set of merican dancers," an odd thing hap- ened. Everybody then danced con- redances. The black band, nothing th, conferred as to what "American ances" were, and started off with Virginia Reel," which they followed ith "Money-Musk," which, in its turn n those days, should have been fol- owed by "The Old Thirteen." But ust as Dick, the leader, tapped for his ddlers to begin, and bent forward, bout to say, in true negro state, "The ld Thirteen,' gentlemen and ladies!" he had said, "'Virginny Reel,' if you ease!" "'Money-Musk,' if you ease!" the captain's boy tapped him n the shoulder, whispered to him, and did not announce the name of the ance; he merely bowed, began on air, and they all fell to, the offi- rs teaching the English girls the ure, but not telling them why it d no name.

ut that is not the story I started tell. As the dancing went on, No- and our fellows all got at ease, as aid, so much so that it seemed quite ural for him to bow to that splendid rs. Graff, and say:

hope you have not forgotten me, s Rutledge. Shall I have the hon- of dancing?"

e did it so quickly that Shubrick, by him, could not hinder laughed and said:

am not Miss Rutledge any longer, Nolan; but I will dance all the just nodded to Shubrick, as if

Citation for Hearing on Final Account

Estate of Mathias Olson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mathias Olson Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Antonette Olson, Oscar A. Olson, Amalia Roe, Julius C. Olson, Martin T Olson, John A. Olson, Alfred C. Olson, Emma M. Mattson, Otto W. Olson and all other persons interested in the above estate.

Whereas, Antonette Olson has filed in this court her final account of her administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entittled: IT IS ORDERED, that said petiton be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 13th. day of April 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in The Holt Weekly News according to law.

Witness the honorable Peter H. Holm Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 12th day of March 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Judge.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

Take Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Waste nothing. Save the waste and help to win this terrible war.

Will you invest 25c in helping your country, by buying a Thrift Stamp?

War Savings Stamps

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To The American People

There is no foundation for the alleged violations of law attributed to our Company by agents of the Federal Trade Commission and I want to say emphatically that Swift & Company is not a party to any conspiracy to defraud the Government. Nor has Swift & Company been guilty of improperly storing foods or of making false entries or reports.

Conferences of packers, where prices have been discussed, have been held at the urgent request and in the presence of representatives of either the Food Administration or the Council of National Defense. And yet the packers have been accused of committing a felony by acting in collusion on Government bids!

We have done our best, with other packers, large and small, to comply with the directions of the United States Food Administration in all particulars, including the furnishing of food supplies for the U. S. Army and Navy and the Allies, now being handled through the Food Administration.

We will continue to do our utmost, under Government direction, to increase our production and assist the Food Administration. We consider that the opportunity to co-operate whole-heartedly and to our fullest powers with this branch of the Government is our plain and most pressing duty.

The Trade Commission Attorney has, by false inference and misplaced emphasis, given to disconnected portions of the correspondence taken from our private files and read into the Record, a false and sinister meaning with the plain purpose of creating antagonistic public opinion.

The services of the packers of the United States are most urgently needed, and I regret exceedingly that we should at this time have to spend our efforts in defending ourselves against unfounded, unproved, and unfair assertions such as are being daily made public.

L. F. Swift. President

Swift & Company, U.S.A.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has occurred in the conditions of that certain mortgage, dated the 1st day of March, 1915, executed by A. C. Body and Clara Body, his wife, mortgagors, to L. P. Carter, mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 12th day of April, 1915, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., and recorded in Book 79 of mortgages on page 391 thereof; which said mortgage and the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by instrument in writing, dated the 1st day of September, 1916, executed by said L. P. Carter, mortgagee, to S. M. Elwood, assignee, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 13th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m., and recorded in Book 85 of mortgages on page 230 thereof;

That pursuant to a provision of said mortgage said assignee of said mortgage has elected to declare the whole debt secured thereby to be now due and payable; that there is due and payable at the date of this notice, upon the debt secured by said mortgage the sum of $4756.60, together with the sum of $156.63 taxes paid by said assignee of said mortgage after the same had become delinquent.

That no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof; that by virtue of a power of sale therein contained said mortgage will be foreclosed and the land and premises therein described, to-wit: lying and being in the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, The west one-half (W1-2) of section twenty-two (22), in township one hundred fifty-five (155), north of range forty-two (42) west of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota; will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren in the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April, 1918, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to pay and satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage and taxes aforesaid, and the sum of $50.00 attorney's fees therein provided for and the costs and disbursements allowed by law upon such foreclosure sale.

Dated Feb. 20, 1918.

S. M. Elwood,
Assignee of mortgage.
Charles A. Pitkin,
Attorney for Assignee of mortgage.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for License to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Lands

Estate of Carl L. Anderson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court:

In the Matter of the Estate of Carl L. Anderson, Deceased.

The State of Minnesota To Anna Anderson, Carl Oscar Anderson, Carrie Elizabeth Anderson, Erick Ragnar Anderson, John Edwin Anderson, Helmer Levin Anderson, Gladys Evelyn Anderson, and all persons interested in the mortgaging of certain lands belonging to said Deceased, The petition of Anna Anderson as representative of the above named deceased, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be mortgaged and praying that a license be to her granted to mortgage the same:

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 30th day of March 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M. why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

[COURT SEAL] Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 4th day of March, 1918.

Peter H. Holm
Judge of Probate Court.
A. N. Eckstrom, Warren, Minn.
Attorney for petitioner.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Feb. 23, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Almond L. Snook, of Middle River, Minn., who on Oct. 5th, 1916, made homestead entry, No. 013615, for W 1-2 NE 1-4 and Lots 6 and 7, Sec. 20, and Lot 2, Sec. 21, Twp. 156 N, Ran 41 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, United States Land Office, at Crookston, Minn., on the 2nd day of April 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Alfred Sollom, Grant Flakne, J. S. Gabrielson and Agnes R. Fosen, all of Holt, Minn.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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As I am going to quit farming I will sell at public auction on my place in the village of Holt, on

THURSDAY MAR. 28

Commencing at 1 o'clock p. m. sharp

Stock and Machinery

Black horse 10 years old, wt 1000
Buckskin horse 10 years, wt 1000
Cow 7 years old freshens April 4
Heifer 2 years old fresh March 16
20 Rhode Island hens
1 Full blood Rhode Island Rooster
Set heavy harness with breeching
Double set light driving harness
Wide tire wagon with top box
Single seated buggy with pole
14 inch breaking plow
16 inch stubble plow
1 Log Chain   2 small chains   Woodrack
Harrow, 14 discs, with trucks   Stoneboat
Deering mower   Hay rake   Hay rack
Grindstone   Wheelbarrow   Dumpboards
2 section harrow   Bob-sleds and other articles

Household Goods

Home Comfort Range
Alaska Oak heater   Kitchen table
Airtight heater   Center table
Kitchen cupboard   3 Rockers
4 Kitchen chairs   Washstand
8 foot round dining room table
6 dining room chairs
Farrand & Votey Organ
Leather couch, good as new
Solid oak wardrobe
Dresser, nearly new
2 Iron bedsteads, springs, mattress
One minute washer   Stove wood
Some potatoes   Other articles

TERMS: On amounts of $10.00 and over, time will be given to Nov. 1st, 1918, on bankable notes bearing ten per cent interest. All amounts under $10.00 are payable in Cash.

J. B. Alkenbrack, Owner

Ole J. Brenna, Auctioneer   Holt State Bank, Clerk

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Fresh ice cream every day at Bennes' confectionery.

Miss Ragna [illegible] has been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. Erick Johnson has been on the sick list but is now better.

Miss Stella Mickelson went to Crookston Saturday for a few days visit with relatives.

W. E. Damon and family moved here Monday from [illegible], Minn. and will live on the Ryan farm.

W. A. Lindahl has moved his family here from Ross and will occupy the H. B. Young residence property.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg went to St. Hilair Saturday to attend the funeral of her father, E. A. [illegible]

[illegible] Knutson and [illegible] went to Canada Wednesday where they expect to find work at high wages.

J. P. Bennett and family moved here Monday from Goodhue Co. and will live on his farm which was formerly occupied by August Kuehne.

Miss Grace Crowley was called to St. Paul Saturday in response to a message stating that her father had died at his home there the day before.

Mrs. Jacob Nelson went to Fertile Monday, called there by the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Ingebretson, who had been sick for some time.

Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack and son Lloyd departed for T. R. Falls Wednesday where they expect to make it their future home for an indefinite time. Mr. Alkenbrack will join them later. Their many friends wish them unbounded success in their new home.

The Cedar Farmer's Club gave the play "Back to the Farm" at the Woodmen Hall Thursday evening to a large and appreciative crowd. The amateurs did fine and Holt welcomes the Club back to our town any time they decide placing a play before the public. The net proceeds were $29.00 which was given for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Free Mission Church

Services next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

FOR RENT.

Six room house, barn, garden and pasture for one or two cows. Can give possession April 1st.

J. B. ALKENBRACK,
Holt, Minn.

Farmers have been busy seeding this week.

Clarence Bocken was a T. R. Falls visitor Friday.

Mrs. Melquist and baby returned home Monday from Erskine.

Mrs. B. J. Bakke and children visited at O. Hoel's Sunday.

Albert Hagglund and mother have moved into the Latta store building.

Everyone must turn their clocks one hour ahead, on Sunday morning.

Miss Mabel Haggland came last Saturday for a short visit with home folks.

Ludvig Mohson and family visited relatives in T. R. Falls a few days last week.

Richard Joringdal was here between trains Monday. He has a good job in T. R. Falls and expects to stay there until called into Uncle Sam's service.

[illegible] Sollom has moved from Mud Lake onto his mother's farm which he will work again this season.

Twin baby boys were born to Mr. and Mrs. Ole Saxberg Saturday morning.

John K. Johnson of Mankato was here on business a few days the past week.

Mrs. [illegible] Von Wold and baby of near Golden Valley, went to Marietta, Ohio, last week Thursday for an extended visit with her sister and friends there.

Commencing April 1st, rural carrier, Guy Anderson, will leave the postoffice at noon, instead of in the morning.

John Manfitson of Shelly shipped a Percheron stallion here Saturday which he delivered to parties in Grygla.

Bro. Lovestrom of The Stephen Messenger has been reappointed postmaster for another term and the postmaster at Argyle has been removed for failure to support the last liberty loan.

Ole Tveit of Mud Lake went to Warren Wednesday to be examined for the draft. Mr. Tveit passed a good examination and is ready to go to the front as soon as his contry calls him.

A. C. Jahr returned home Saturday morning from a business and pleasure trip to Hillsboro, Halstad and other points. Mr. Jahr shipped in a few good grade cows which he purchased while away.

A telegram from Mr. Hoover calling for farmers to market their wheat by May 15th may be of interest to all. It is entirely probable that if any farmers fail to market their wheat by May 15th, the wheat will be requisitioned by the Government, as this is a war measure and they have full power to do it.

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French Dry Cleaners
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All work guaranteed satisfactory

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Holt, Minn.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Easter services at 10:45, Sunday School 9:45. Services Ringbo 3:00.

Ladies Aid meet with Mrs. Alfred Anderson Apr. 4th.

New confirmants class starts April 6th at 2 o'clock.

Services [illegible] church at Thorvik at 10:45 April 14th.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

East Valley News

A. C. Jahr returned from Portland N. D. Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole M. Larson visited at Furr's Sunday.

Geo. Johnson and sisters Thea and Olga visited at Rosand's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jahr and family visited at Olaus Bedahl last Sunday.

Mrs. P. C. Rosand called at Ole B. Johnson's Sunday.

Ole M. Larson left Monday morning for Rollis, after a load of lumber.

[illegible] Ring is busy sawing wood in the neighborhood this week.

Miss Clara Larson left Friday night to spend Sunday with her folks.

Swan Carlson and Lena Bolingberg spent Sunday at Fred Larson's.

Mrs. S. S. Kolden is visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Olberg at Thief Lake.

Notice for Bids

For Road Dragging

Sealed bids will be received by the Town Board of Holt up to 10 o'clock A. M. April 4th, for dragging the following roads:

Between Sections 25 and 36, 26 and 35, 27 and 34, 28 and 33, and Sections 29 and 32, 30 and 31, and Section 17 and 20, 18 and 19, and Sections 7 and 18, 8 and 17 9 and 16, and Sections 10 and 15, 11 and 14, 1 and 2, Sections 25 and 26, 23 and 24, 13 and 14, and on range line between Holt and East Valley.

State price wanted per mile traveled. Send all bids to the Town Clerk.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By Order of Town Board,

T. B. Folden, Town Clerk.
Holt, Minnesota.

Services at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon by Rev. Kilen.

So far as we have been able to learn, Diedrick Nyberg and Nels Larson are the only ones who failed to pass the physical examination at Warren, for the army draft.

Oswald Hoel's have heard from their son Olaf who is in Canada but who they had not heard from, for a long time. He wants to return to the U. S. but has to have witnesses that he is a citizen of this country.

Corn! It isn't one food. It's a dozen. It's a cereal. It's a vegetable. It's a bread. It's a dessert. It's nutritious; more food value in it, dollar for dollar, than meat or eggs or most other vegetables. It's good to eat; how good you don't know until you've had corn-bread properly cooked. Best of all, it's plentiful and it's patriotic.

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Southeast of Holt

A surprise party was given on Sunday P. M. in honor of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Listol who for the past twenty years, have resided in this locality and now expect to leave for Scotsguards, Canada to make their home in the near future. A delicious lunch was served by the ladies and S. Moe delivered a short address and presented Mr. and Mrs. Listol and family a neat sum of money as a token of friendship from over seventy of their neighbors and friends present.

Geo. Nustvold was taken very seriously ill on Sunday evening. Dr. Gambell was at once summoned, and all hope for Mr. Nustvold speedy recovery.

Miss Ruth Martin finished a very successful term of school in Dist. 159. Friday. Miss Martin deserves much credit for her good work among her pupils. She expects to leave for her homestead in Montana this week.

(Too late for last week.)

Bernard Olsen of Minneapolis spent a few days visiting with friends in this vicinity.

Amanda Klungness who is attending high school in T. R. Falls, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. Michaelson on Friday a baby girl.

Messrs Oscar Guttrud and Olaf Berglone, returned home from Kelliher, Minn. where they have been employed in the woods.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Michaelson and children, Esther, Norman and Alma were delightfully entertained at the Joe Russell home on Sunday.

Miss Ida [illegible] is assisting Mrs. Jno. Keller with her work these days.

Daniel Reinstad left on Monday for Sask. Canada where he will be employed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Solney were Sunday visitors at Mat Lunke's.

Mrs. Hans Peterson who has been spending some months with her daughter Mrs. H. Jenson at Pekin N. Dak. returned to her home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sampson and family were Sunday visitors at Ed. Hanson's.

Carl Kuehnne returned to his farm here on Saturday after spending the winter months at his home in Fillmore Co.

Ruth Martin visited at Hanson's on Monday evening.

Nels Hood who lives in Washington, is visiting at C. Larson's.

Ludovic Larson made a business trip to Warren on Monday.

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Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
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Somewhere in France

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Ft. Crook, Neb.

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Leonard Jefferson
Camp Cody, N. Mex.

At Naval Training Stations

Ben Nyberg
Dehard Johnson
Albert Bjerk
Clarence Swan

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Rudolph Reierson
Willie Sorum
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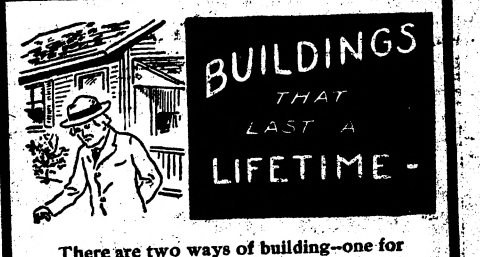

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"My kidneys gave out during the change of life," says Mrs. Margaretha Schmitt, 63 Alabama Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. "My back ached and pained as if it were broken. When I moved in bed, [illegible] darting pains caught me across my back and I couldn't turn. Mornings [illegible] was stiff and sore and felt as if heavy [illegible] were tied to me, [illegible] worn-out. I [illegible] near falling [illegible] dizziness and [illegible] fire would [illegible] before my eyes, blinding me. [illegible]

Mrs. Schmitt

"I had the most severe headaches and my kidneys didn't act regularly. The secretions passed too often and caused much distress. I was hardly able to do my housework and just to walk upstairs took all my strength.

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Somewhat Shy on Geography.

"Beef" Hameldinger, the former Harvard tackle, who is serving with an American artillery unit in France, writes that the French officers are taking a deep interest in baseball. Lieut. Cochon de Lait, the celebrated "ace" of the Ruinhart Brut escadrille, asked "Beef" to explain the world series to him. "It's between New York and Chicago this year," "Beef" began. "I'll sooppose dat's Buffalo, hein?" asked the lieutenant, eager to display his knowledge of American geography.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels. Ad.

Inquisitive Bobby.

Bobby is of the inquisitive boy age. His father, a physician, took him to his office recently and Bobby asked questions about everything in sight. Finally he got into a room where the doctor keeps some curios, including a skeleton.

"What's this, papa?" asked Bobby.

"The bones of a man."

"Whose bones, yours?"

"Hardly," the father replied.

A flat worm preserved in alcohol in a glass jar next attracted Bobby's attention.

"Oh, papa, here's a noodle. Got any more? Let's take them home for soup."

Bit of Persiflage.

Alden (showing heirlooms)—Here's a faded old document that was written on board the Mayflower. It's a receipt given by Thomas Dudley to my ancestor for two pounds which he had borrowed before they started.

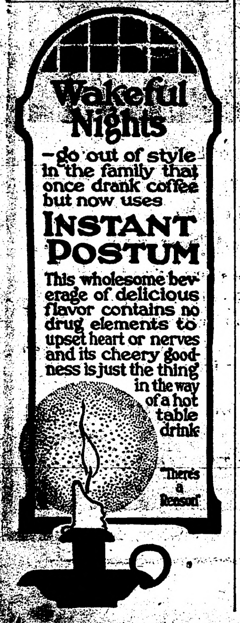
Atkins—Ah! Then your ancestor came across on the Mayflower in two seuses.

Alden—Yes, he really had the distinction of being the first settler.—Boston Transcript.

Rugs Made From Tissue Paper.

Rugs are now being made entirely from fine tissue paper and mixtures of paper and wool. The tissue paper is twisted into threads and woven into a compact, heavy mat or fabric.

The man who has no self-respect cannot respect others.



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BIG 75-MILE GUN POUNDING AWAY

Bombardment of Paris From St. Gobain Forest, 76 Miles From City, Still Continues.

PEOPLE NOT ALARMED

Go to Church as Usual Though Projectiles Fall During Greater Part of Day—Shells Fall on Schedule.

Paris, March 26.—Long range bombardment of Paris was resumed at 6 o'clock Monday morning, but was interrupted after the second shot.

After a brief interval two more shots were fired. The bombardment was again suspended at 9:10 o'clock.

As was the case Sunday, the people did not take to shelter. Little interest was shown in the bombardment.

Gun Located 76 Miles Away.

Paris, March 26.—In the St. Gobain forest west of Laon, exactly 122 kilometers, approximately 76 miles from the Paris city hall, the German monster "cannon" which has been bombarding Paris, has been located.

The gun again bombarded Paris during the greater part of Sunday. The day was ushered in by loud explosions from the 10-inch shells, and immediately the alarm to take cover was sounded. This occurred at 6:55 o'clock and many persons sought shelter, but greater numbers of them appeared in the streets on their usual way to the churches, which were almost as well filled as usual. The women who sell palm leaves on Palm Sundays did their usual thriving business.

Shells Fall on Schedule.

At first, the shells began arriving at intervals of twenty minutes, and the detonations, considering the Sunday calm, seemed louder than those of Saturday. Their power to disturb the equanimity of the populace, however, seemed less, the people refusing to be distracted from their Sunday habits to any great extent.

In Saturday's bombardment, 24 shots in all were fired from 7.20 a. m. to 3 o'clock p. m., a shell dropping every twenty minutes with monotonous regularity. The bombardment presented all the characteristics of a bombardment by heavy artillery, there being regular intervals between the shots and the shells falling within a restricted area. Enemy aviators who flew over the city during the early hours of the bombardment regulated the firing.

"French Front Intact," Note.

For the benefit of that portion of the populace which had been led to believe the Germans had broken through the line and were bombarding Paris from nearby positions, a semi-official note was issued. This warned the people against believing pessimistic reports.

"The French front is intact," said the note. "Any assertion to the contrary is a lie."

As late as 3 o'clock no explosions had been heard for more than an hour. The 'clear signal' was sounded at 3:30 o'clock.

Schedule Is Speeded Up.

Although during the earlier hours of the bombardment the shells arrived on twenty minute intervals, later in the day they began arriving every fifteen minutes on the average, and some of them even fell 12 minutes apart.

In military circles the belief was expressed that the Germans were using two long distance guns. The Matin says the position of one of the guns was established in the St. Gobain forest, which would place it somewhat further south in the wooded area than had been believed.

The government has decided that in the future the bombardment of Paris by long distance guns shall not interrupt the normal life of the capitol, but that the population shall be warned of a bombardment by distinctive means, differing from the usual warnings sent out in cases of air raids. Drums will be beaten and the police will sound whistles.

Says Women Will Decide War.

Rome, March 26.—"America and particularly the women of America will decide the war against Germany," recently declared Dr. Stuart Galenga, under-secretary to Premier Orlando, addressing a meeting of the Woman's National Italian League. "Without the patriotic work of women in Entente countries we could not hope to win," he continued.

Threaten Strike at Krupp Plant.

London, March 26.—Amsterdam advices state that workmen arriving in Holland from Essen tell of a great strike being threatened at the Krupp war plant.

Tries To Get Loan Ban Removed.

Washington, March 26.—Attorney General Langer of North Dakota is in Washington endeavoring to have the embargo on federal farm loans which applies to North Dakota, taken off. The reason for the application of the embargo rests with the Baer seed bill which provides that the money loaned to farmers on this proposition shall be a prior lien to the security offered. About $3,000,000 has been loaned in North Dakota and there are $6,00,000 of applications which are being held up.

IN THE SPRING

will be the great test of a life and death struggle on the Western front. In the everyday walks of life, it is the spring time that brings ill health. One of the chief reasons why the run-down man finds himself in a bad state of health in March or April, is because he has spent nearly all his hours for the past four or five months penned up within the walls of house, factory or office. It is the reason for our diminished resistance—that is, lack of out-door life, coupled with perhaps over-eating, lack of good exercise, insufficient sleep, and constipation. In other words, we keep feeding the furnace with food but do not take out the "clinkers," and our fire does not burn brightly. Always keep the liver active.

There is nothing better for health than taking an occasional mild laxative, perhaps once a week; such a one as you can get at any drug store, made up of May-apple, jalap, aloes, (sugar-coated, tiny, easily taken), which has stood the test of fifty years of approval—namely, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. But for the "Spring Fever," the general run-down condition, the lack of ambition, the "blues," one should take a course of treatment every spring; such a standard tonic as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, now to be had in tablet form in sixty-cent vials. Watch the people go plodding along the street. There's no spring, no vitality. A vitalizing tonic such as this vegetable extract of Dr. Pierce's gives you the power to force yourself into action. The brain responds to the new blood in circulation, and thus you're ready to make a fight against stagnation which holds you in bondage. Try it now! Don't wait! Today is the day to begin. Gain a little "pep," and laugh and live. Vim and vitality are the natural out-pouring of a healthy body. It does not spring up in a night. Try this spring tonic, and you gain the courage that comes with good health.

Riot of Color.

Mrs. Flatbush—What's become of that necktie you gave your husband for Christmas?

Mrs. Bensonhurst—Oh, he's wearing it yet.

"As I remember, it had all the colors of the rainbow in it."

"Well, since he got careless with his eggs in the morning and lavish with the gravy at noon, he's added some other colors to it."

A New Way to Shave.

Tender skins twice a day without irritation by using Cuticura Soap the "Cuticura Way." No slimy mug, germs, waste of time or money. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Wrong Line of Talk.

Among the guests at a reception was a distinguished man of letters. He was grave and somewhat taciturn. One of the ladies present suggested to the hostess that he seemed to be out of place at such a party.

"Yes," replied the hostess, with a bright smile, "you see, he can't talk anything but sense!"—Christian Register.

GIRLS! MAKE A BEAUTY LOTION WITH LEMONS

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, smoothener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It should naturally help to whiten, soften, freshen and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin. It is truly marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands. Adv.

A Welshman's Prayer.

A simple-minded man in a Welsh coal valley is a character in his way. He always insists on taking his turn in the devotional services of his chapel. His prayer the other night was something like this: "Almighty God, thou hast heard about that old kaiser. I read in the paper that his throat is bad, and that he has difficulty in breathing. Well, Lord, thou knowest how far to go."—Cardiff Western Mail.

It may be all right to give credit where credit is due, but spot cash is always preferable.

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Regina, Sept. 25—Chas. Stevens of Balcarres, received a cheque for $6,300 as the proceeds from the crop of wheat raised this year on 120 acres of land.—Regina Leader.

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WHEAT RATION CUT ONE-HALF

Americans Are Asked To Do On Pound and Half Per Person Each Week.

TO REDUCE FLOUR SALES

One-Eighth Barrel For City and One-Quarter For Country Customers Are Decreased—New Food Rules.

Washington, March 26.—That the scant supplies available before the next harvest may be stretched to meet the demands of the army, domestic, consumers and the allies the food adminstration has asked a further reduction in the consumption of wheat.

Every American is requested to cut his average ration of wheat by 50 per cent, which would reduce the total normal consumption of 42,000,000 bushels a month to 21,000,000. This gives a ration of not more than 1½ pounds of wheat products weekly for each person. Flour sales will be cut to one-eighth of a barrel for a town customer and one-quarter for any country customer, that retailers' stocks may be illustrated to as great a number as possible.

WILSON AND KING WIRE HAIG

President. Expresses Confidence In Final Victory Over Foe.

Washington, March 26.—President Wilson has cabled Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, congratulating him on the British stand against the German offensive and predicting a final Allied victory.

The presidents message said:

"May I not express to you my warm admiration for the splendid steadfastness and valor with which your troops have withstood the German onset and the perfect confidence all Americans feel that you will win a secure and final victory."

King George's Message.

London, March 26.—King George has sent the following message to Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig: "I can assure you that the fortitude, courage and selfsacrifice with which the troops under your command continue so heroically to resist superior numbers are realized by me and my people. The empire stands calm and confident in its soldiers. May God bless them and give them strength in this time of trial."

FORMER GERMAN SHIP SUNK

Chattahoochee, In American Service, Is Victim of Submarine.

London, March 26.—The admiralty announces the American steamer Chattahoochee, 5,088 tons net, has been sunk by a German submarine off the English coast. Her crew of 78 was landed safely.

The master says the submarine fired a number of torpedoes, of which four struck the vessel.

The Chattahoochee formerly was the German ship Sachsen of the Hamburg-American line, and was taken over by the United States when war was declared.

U. S. LINER SINKS SUBMARINE

Is Victor in Running Fight—German Commander Suicides.

An Atlantic Port, March 26.—According to W. S. Hamburg, who has landed here on a French liner, a German U-boat was sunk and its nine survivors were captured by an American liner on March 10.

The prisoners were the first members of a submarine crew captured by an American liner during the war. The U-boat commander saved himself from capture or death by drowning by slaying himself with his automatic gun as his vessel sank.

AIRPLANE SEEN OVER CAIRO

Egyptians Warned of Possibility of Attack—Lighting Restricted.

London, March 26—The inhabitants of Cairo, Egypt, have been informed officially according to a Reuter dispatch, that a hostile airship has been observed over the coast. The public was warned of the possibility of air raids and ordered to observe the necessary lighting restrictions.

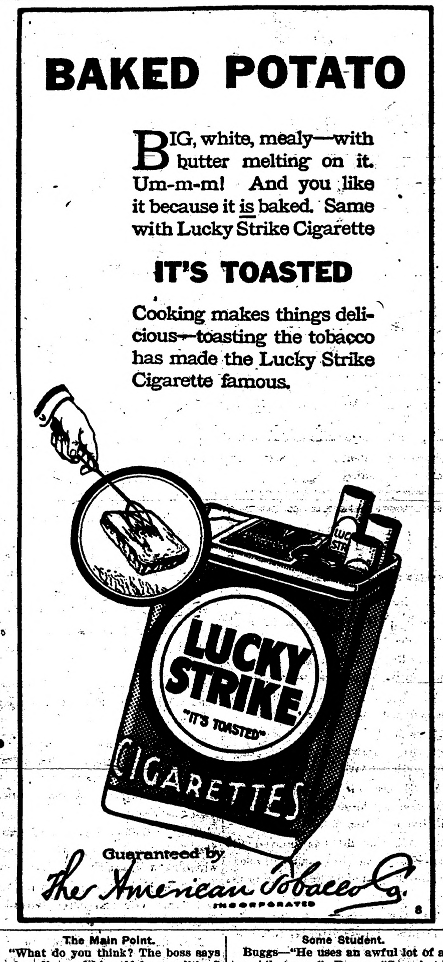
DUTCH DECLINE GRAIN OFFER

Cabinet Said to Have Rejected Allied Ship Proposal.

London, March 26.—The Dutch cabinet is said to have decided to send the Allied Powers a formal refusal of their offer of grain in return for Dutch ships, a dispatch from The Hague to the Daily Mail says.

Sweden To Be Strictly Neutral.

Stockholm, March 26.—Premier Eden, speaking recently at Henkoeping on the new and grave problems facing Sweden, through the complete transformation of the situation in the Baltic, declared the government would maintain a policy of unshakable neutrality. With reference to Finland and the Aland Islands questions the premier said the Finnish government had repeatedly requested arms and ammunition from Sweden and Swedish military intervention in the Civil war.



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Some Student.

Buggs—"He uses an awful lot of automobile terms." Baggs—"Sure, but he rides in the street cars all the time."

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Fire of Genius.

Chumpley (at the reception)—Is this Mrs. Passionpen, the celebrated poetess?

Mrs. Passionpen (haughtily)—It is.

Chumpley (effusively)—I should have known you among a thousand.

Mrs. Passionpen—Why?

Chumpley (grandiloquetly) — The fire of genius burns on your brow.

Mrs. Passionpen (derisively)—Don't be deceived, young man. That is where I scorched myself curling my hair. You'd better guess again.

Allen's Foot-Ease for the Troops.

Many war zone hospitals have ordered Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder, for use among the troops. Shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath, Allen's Foot-Ease gives rest and comfort, and makes walking a delight. Sold everywhere 25c. Try it today. Adv.

As She Understood It.

Mary's mother was buying some changeable silk. After the purchase was made Mary said: "Mamma, do they call that changeable because you can take it back tomorrow if you want to?"

Patrons of matrimonial agencies pay their money and take their choice.

Being bad all the time is doubtless monotonous.

Cookery Book to Blame.

Judge (sternly)—Did you steal that chicken, Sambo?

Sambo—Yes, sah, I took dat chicken. It was de cookery book told me to take it. De cookery book says, "Take one chicken." It don't say buy one chicken or borrow one chicken; it say, "Take one chicken," and it don't tell you whose chicken to take; so I took the first chicken I could lay my hands on. I followed the directions of the cookery book, sah.

Got a Laugh Anyhow.

"There is not going to be any more marrying in Indiana," said old Judge Daniels, a crusty old bachelor.

"How is that?" asked his nephew, who had just got married.

"I see the legislature has passed a law forbidding weak-minded persons to marry, and they are the only ones who ever think of doing such a thing."

As old Daniels is rich, both the nephew and his young wife laughed heartily at the wit of the old man.

Getting Along.

"How old is Madge?" "Old enough to make a goose of herself when she tries to play the chicken."

If you would become a bondholder keep a hen.

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The Food Controllers of the United States and Canada are asking for greater food production. Scarcely 100,000,000 bushels of wheat are available to be sent to the allies overseas before the crop harvest. Upon the efforts of the United States and Canada rests the burden of supply.

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Canada's Wheat Production Last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the Demand From Canada Alone for 1918 is 400,000,000 Bushels

To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell you where you can best serve the combined interests.

Western Canada's help will be required not later than April 5th. Wages to competent help, $50.00 a month and up, board and lodging.

Those who respond to this appeal will get a warm welcome, good wages, good board and find comfortable homes. They will get a rate of one cent a mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return.

For particulars as to routes and places where employment may be had apply to:

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News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Moorhead.—There were 511 births and 180 deaths in 1916 in Clay county, compared with 520 births and 177 deaths in 1917.

Barnesville.—Everett Colby of this city, former editor of The Headlight and well known in collegiate circles at Fargo, has arrived in France.

St. Cloud.—Approximately a dozen German aliens in the St. Cloud district have not yet registered, it was announced by Chief of Police Brick.

Rustad.—Hog price records for Clay county were reached here when forty hogs were sold for an average of $70 each at the M. O. Valan auction sale.

Bemidji.—Both the big plants of the Crookston Lumber company here have opened for their summer work. The mills will give employment to 600 men.

Red Lake Falls.—A few days after her husband passed away, Mrs. Frank Wieland, 77, of this city, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles J. Kruse, of old age and bronchitis.

St. Cloud.—Evert Hall, who was sentenced to serve a term in the state's prison of from one to five years, was freed upon the commutation of his sentence by the board of pardons.

Winona.—Rev. J. F. Horton, formerly a pastor at Battle Creek, Mich., has been called to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church in Winona, to succeed Rev. Robert Brown.

Madelia.—The Red Cross auction sale held March 16 was a great success. The proceeds from the auction netted $5,078. Lunches served during the day netted $300. One smal pig put up brought $1,093.

Little Falls.—The executive board of the Morrison County Farm Bureau association decided to engage J. J. McCann of Spring Grove as county agent of this county at a salary of $1,800 a year and traveling expenses.

Crookston.—A Red Cross rally was held after the Hammond township election, held recently, which showed the patriotic spirit of the Hammond voters when $101.15 was donated. Hammond township was canvassed several weeks ago and $65.75 was donated.

St. Paul.—Commissioner O. P. B. Jacobson and A. L. Finn, rate and tariff expert, respectively, both of the State Railroad and Warehouse commission, attended rate hearing on lignite coal shipments from North Dakota to Minnesota, held at Fargo last week.

St. Paul.—A. W. Trenholm, vice president and general manager of the Omaha road, has been appointed chairman of the Northwest car service committee by Director General W. G. McAdoo. He succeeds Maj. G. T. Slade, who is about to go overseas for duty.

Sauk Rapids.—Two young men, Enard Nelson and Ervin Jahn, who were arrested here recently on a burglary charge, were sentenced to serve a year in the state reformatory. Judge Roeser ordered the sentence supended with the alternative that the young men join the navy.

Thief River Falls.—Seeding began in Pennington county last week when farmers on the ridge west of this city started sowing wheat. Farmers in the eastern part of the county where the ground is lower expect to start before the close of this week if rain does not interfere.

Red Lake Falls.—S. E. Hunt and W. O. Hunt are the sole owners of the Hunt-Kankel Hardware company, having purchased the interest of C. O. Kankel in the business. The business is the oldest one in Red Lake Falls, having been established forty years ago by Frank E. Hunt.

Washington.—Congressman C. B. Miller has been assured that the members of the Hamline university ambulance unit will be called for service with the next installment called. The members of the organization hoped to be called as a unit, but were told they would have to go as individuals and be assigned to other units.

Red Lake.—A basket social for the benefit of the Red Cross society was held at the high school auditorium and $69 was netted for the society. One local business man bought $17 worth of baskets. The Junior Red Cross in the Red Lake Falls schools has done excellent work. There is a 100 per cent membership in the grades and a majority of the high school belong.

Winona.—Seeding of spring wheat in Southern Minnesota and Western Wisconsin will start within ten days if the present warm weather continues, according to experts here. The fields are practically clear of snow and are drying rapidly. The acreage of wheat is expected to be greater than ever before grown, many farmers deciding to replace corn with wheat as a patriotic measure. One miller said that farmers will not gamble with uncertain barley and corn prices when the nation needs wheat so badly.

Ranier.—A car of whitefish, weighing 29,000 pounds, confiscated by Deputy Game Warden Wood, will be sent from Duluth, where the fish have been in cold storage since seized near Ranier, to Halifax, for use by the Canadian soldiers in France.

Brainerd.—Frederick S. Parker, age 61, one of the best known business men of Brainerd, died yesterday from apoplexy. He managed Brainerd's first and only street railway, also managed its first telephone system and was director and stockholder in the Parker and Topin company foundry.

WHY MR. LOTT DIDN'T ENLIST

Explanation Afforded by Street-Car Conductor at Least Caused Him to "Get a Move On."

Joshua Lott sometimes lives up to his name, but there is a conductor on the Prospect line who should be named Josh Moore. Notwithstanding the conductor's urging to "step up in front," Lott clings to a place on the rear platform when he can in order to be able to squeeze off at McGee street with insult and injury to fewer other passengers. This morning Lott was brightening up the corner where he was with some remarks about the service when the conductor horned right in.

"Say," he said, "I've often looked at you and wondered why you didn't enlist. But I know now."

"How's that?" asked Lott, helpfully.

"Because you're so all-fired scared of getting up to the front," said the conductor.

Just then the 60-passenger stopped at a transfer point to let about eighty more get on, and Lott was the first to start struggling toward the front to make room for them.—Kansas City Star.

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Fargo, N. D.

Chopping Him Off.

"Ah, Mr. Gloom!" began the suave representative of a large Eastern publishing house, who called on only the few persons in each community who were of sufficient culture to appreciate the valuable works which he was purveying, "I recognize you instantly. A gentleman told me of your remarkable resemblance to Daniel Webster, and—"

"Ah, yes!" interrupted J. Fuller Gloom. "The likeness is truly astounding—neither Dan nor I ever had more than one nose. But, still more amazing, I also greatly resemble the late Captain Kidd, in that I never give nor ask quarter, especially to or from a book agent."—Kansas City Star.

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The Disturbance.

"Don't you love the silent watches of the night?"

"I would, if it were not for the moonlight chatter of these lovelorn Luna-ticks."

Strong, Indeed.

"What remarkable feat in the way of lifting has the strong man accomplished lately?"

"I believe he succeeded at last in raising his salary."—London Answers.

Progressing.

Widower—Before I married I couldn't save a dollar; now that I'm married and my wife is dead I save almost half my salary.

Its Destinated Change.

"What is going to become of the kaiser's divine right after this war?"

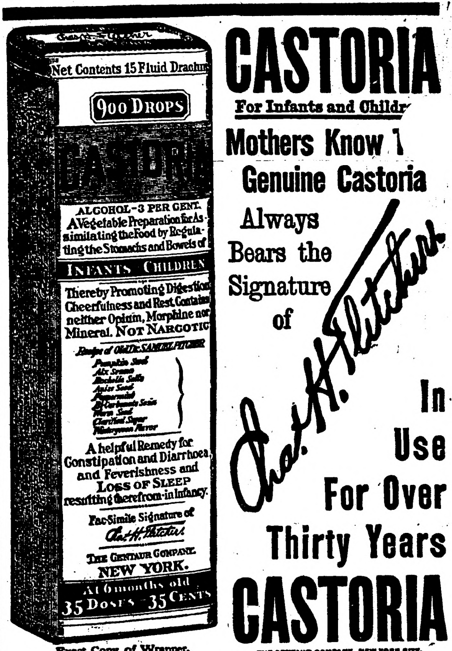
"It is going to be left."

Tired of It.

"What is all that discussion about anyway."

"I should say about the limit!"

The "Lay of the Ancient Mariner" has an end, but the hen lays on forever.



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A Precaution.

"Say, is there any way of getting out a blanket injunction?"

"What for?"

"You see, my wife persists in using ours this mild weather for fear of a sudden cold spell."

Another View.

"Does it ever strike you that the pleasures of the table induce rapid consumption?"

Busy Enough.

"What is his hobby?"

"Driving his car. His life work is tinkering under it."

Pessimism is the fog of life, optimism is the sunshine. Make your life one of continued sunshine.

Wanted to Be Helped Out.

Mrs. Styles—Will you come over to tea tonight?

Mrs. Myles—Surely.

"And will you bring your husband?"

"Why, yes."

"And your knitting?"

"Most assuredly."

"Oh, yes! I almost forgot. And will you please bring over some sugar and coal with you?"

Tactful Retort.

She—Do you believe in spells?

He (tenderly)—No, but I do in witches.

The Way of It.

"There is a man of sterling worth."

"A church member?"

"No; a silversmith."

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2 tablespoons shortening
⅔ teaspoon salt
1 cup white flour
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

Save ¼ cup of the measured flour for board. Pour milk over corn meal, add shortening and salt. When cold, add sifted flour and baking powder. Roll out lightly on floured board. Cut with biscuit cutter and bake in greased pan fifteen to twenty minutes.

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FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

he must leave Mr. Nolan to her, led him off to the place where the was forming.

thought he had got his chance. had known her at Philadelphia, other places had met her, and godsend. You could not contradances, as you do in or even in the pauses of but there were chances for and sounds, as well as for blushes. He began with her and Europe, and Vesuvius and French; and then, when they had down, and had that long-talking time at the bottom of the set, he boldly, a little pale, she said, as told me the story, years after: "And what do you hear from home, Graff?"

"And that splendid creature looked through him. Jove! how she must looked through him! "Home!! Nolan!!! I thought you were the who never wanted to hear of again!" and she walked directly the deck to her husband, and left Nolan alone, as he always was. did not dance again.

cannot give any history of him in order; nobody can now; and, indeed, trying to. These are the traditions, which I sort out, as I believe them, from the myths which have been about this man for forty years. fellows used to say he was the Mask;" and poor George Pons to his grave in the belief that was the author of "Junius," who being punished for his celebrated on Thomas Jefferson. Pons was very strong in the historical line. happier story than either of these I of the war. That came soon after. I have heard this told in three or four ways, and, it may have happened more once. But which ship it was on tell. However, in one, at the great frigate duels with English, in which the navy was baptised, it happened that a shot from the enemy entered of our ports square, and took right the officer of the gun himself, almost every man of the gun's Now you may say what you about courage, but that is not thing to see. But as the men were not killed picked themselves and the surgeon's people were carrying off the bodies, there appeared in his shirt sleeves, with the in his hand, and, just as if he been the officer, told them off with who should go to the cock the wounded men, who should with him, perfectly cheery, and way which makes men feel right and is going to be he finished loading the his own hands, aimed it, and men fire. And there he captain of that gun, keeping fellows in spirits, till the enemy sitting on the carriage while was cooling, though he was all the time, showing them ways to handle heavy shot, making the raw hands laugh at their own blunders, and when the gun cooled getting it loaded and fired twice as any other gun on the ship. captain walked forward, by way of encouraging the men, and Nolan his hat and said:

"I am showing them how we do this artillery, sir."

this is a part of the story where agree; that the commo

"I thank you, sir; never forget this day, sir, sir."

after the whole thing was over, had the Englishman's sword, of the state and ceremony quarterdeck, he said:

"Where is Mr. Nolan? Ask Mr. Nolan to come here."

And when Nolan came, the captain said:

"Mr. Nolan, we are all very grateful to you today; you are one of us today; will be named in the dispatches."

And then the old man took off his own sword of ceremony, and gave it to Nolan, and made him put it on. The man told me this who saw it. Nolan cried like a baby, and well he might. He had not worn a sword since that infernal day at Fort Adams. But always afterward, on occasions of ceremony, that quaint old French sword of the commodore's.

The captain did mention him in the dispatches. It was always said he asked that he might be pardoned. He wrote a special letter to the secretary of war. But nothing ever came of it. As I said, that was about the time when they began to ignore the whole transaction at Washington, and when Nolan's imprisonment began to carry itself on because there was nobody to stop it without any new orders from home.

I have heard it said that he was with Porter when he took possession of the Nukahiwa islands. Not this Porter, you know, but old Porter, his father, Essex Porter, that is, the old Essex Porter, not this Essex. As an artillery officer, who had seen service in the West, Nolan knew more about fortifications, embrasures, ravelines, stockades, and all that, than any of them did; and he worked with a right good will in fixing that battery all right. I have always thought it was a pity Porter did not leave him in command there with Gamble. That would have settled all the question about his punishment. We should the islands, and at this moment should have one station in ocean. Our French friends, they wanted this little wa would have found it was But Madison and the of course, flung all that

was near fifty years ago. was thirty then, he must

APRIL 1 LAST DAY FOR FEDERAL RETURNS

Penalties for Income Dodgers Are Severe—Get Your Return in if You Are Liable.

April 1, 1918, is the final day allowed under the federal income tax law for the filing of federal income tax returns. Persons who are required to file returns under the provisions of law and who fail to get their returns in on time are subject to severe penalties, as follows:

For making false or fraudulent return, not exceeding $2,000 or not exceeding one year's imprisonment, or both, in the discretion of the court, and, in addition, 100 per cent. of the tax evaded.

"For failing to make return on time, not less than $20 nor more than $1,000, and, in addition, 50 per cent. of the amount of tax due.

"If on account of illness or absence from home you are unable to render your return within the time prescribed by law you may obtain an extension of 30 days if a request therefor is filed with the collector of your district before the due date of the return. In this request you must state the reason why the return cannot be filed within the time prescribed by law.

Collectors of internal revenue are not authorized to grant extensions of more than 30 days, but the commissioner of internal revenue has authority to grant a reasonable extension beyond 30 days in meritorious cases. If you desire an extension of more than 30 days your request should be addressed to the commissioner and should contain a detailed statement covering the reasons which make it impossible for you to file your return on or before April 1.

The internal revenue men are now completing their tour of the country, during which they were in touch with the people of every city and town. If you failed to get in touch with the deputy which visited your section it is not too late to get advice. Consult your postmaster as to where the nearest deputy is now. Get your blank form, study the directions and the requirements as shown thereon and make your return without fail if your income was sufficient to come within the bounds named in the law.

It is pointed out by Commissioner Roper that it is important that the people comply with the federal laws as fully as they are complying with the drafts for men and the conservation of foods and fuel. "The war must be paid for," says Commissioner Roper. "Congress has as much right to conscript a just portion of income as it has to conscript our boys. The tax for 1917 is designed to reach moderate as well as large incomes, so that all persons who are in financial position to bear a portion of the heavy government expenses can be assessed in proportion to their ability to pay.

"The man who is barely making a living or barely supporting a family is not affected by the 1917 law. But the man who is able to bear a share of the burden has been reached by the new law, and he should accept his responsibility in the same patriotic spirit that our young men have shown in offering themselves for this great purpose of the country to make the world safe for people of all kinds to live in and to govern themselves."

This tax is one which recognizes women as on an equal basis with men. The unmarried woman or the married woman with a salary must make tax return just the same as any man. Only the woman supporting her mother or other members of her family may take out $2,000 exemption.

Under the law the head of the family is the one whose earning power contributes to the family's support.

Similarly a widow with small children to support can take out $2,000 exemption and $200 additional exemption for each of her children under eighteen. Thus it is intended that the law shall work no hardship to women having to struggle to get along. But each must file return if her income is $1,000.

A man whose wife dies and who is left with small children to support upon a moderate income may also take full exemption under the new tax law and also claim $200 exemption for each of his children under eighteen.

The widower under the law is a single man and must make tax return accordingly. Married men need not file returns unless they are earning $2,000 or more.

"This is as much a national obligation as the reporting for duty of a man drafted for service with the colors," says D. C. Roper, commissioner of internal revenue. "As it stands it is much a matter of the man or woman's own conscience. It is for him or for her to determine just how far he is liable to the tax. He must figure his own income and if it reaches the figures named in the law must make faithful report upon it to the proper authority.

"This tax is distinctly a war measure and will be in effect during the war.

"This is a people's tax—it reaches right down into the pockets of the small wage earner; it makes him a partner in the job of winning the war."

Take Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Notice is hereby given, that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby declares the whole sum due, which mortgage was executed by Sally A. Moore, a widow, mortgagor, to Holt State Bank, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated September 3rd, 1914, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 5th day of September, 1914, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., in book 78 of Mortgages on page 60.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date, is the sum of thirty eight and 2-100 ($38.02) Dollars.

That no action or proceeding has been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage or any part thereof.

That the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage are described as follows: The south half of the northwest quarter, and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. twenty nine (29) in Township No. one hundred fifty six (156) North of range No. forty (40), west of 5th P. M., in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the above described premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, or his deputy, at the West Front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 11th day of May, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and twenty five ($25.00) Dollars, attorney's fees as stipulated in the said mortgage in case of foreclosure; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th 1918.

HOLT STATE BANK (a Minnesota Corporation) MORTGAGEE.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

1-2 lb. prunes, Stick cinnamon, 1-2 cup sugar, cornstarch 1-4 to 1-2 cups, juice of 1 lemon. Wash the prunes and soak them in one pint of water over night. Boil in this water with the cinnamon strick until very well done. Remove the stones, add the lemon juice, mix the cornstarch thoroughly with the sugar and add to the prunes. If there is much liquid or if it is desired to mold the pudding, use 1-2 cup of cornstarch. If a softer pudding is desired, use 1-4 cup cornstarch, cook a few minutes after adding the sugar and cornstarch. Serve cold with milk or cream.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Sixty Dollars, interest payment which became due December 1st, 1917 which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Adolph Sollom and Ida Sollom, his wife, and Theodore Sollom, a single man, Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Holt (a Minnesota Corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of March 1916, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 80 of Mortgages, on page 205.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Farmers State Bank of Holt, Mortgagee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 3rd day of May 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 5th day of May 1917 at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 83 of Mortgages on page 546.

AND WHEREAS, The said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the Assignee, and Holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand and sixty ($1,060.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 1st day of December 1917, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots numbered nineteen (19) and twenty (20) in Block numbered eight (B. 8) of the Town of Holt, according to the official plat thereof on file and recorded in the office of the register of deeds within and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the west front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 11th day of May 1918, at ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Thousand and Sixty Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 23rd A. D. 1918.

Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

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Citation for Hearing on Final Account

Estate of Mathias Olson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mathias Olson Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Antonette Olson, Oscar A. Olson, Amalia Roe, Julius C. Olson, Martin T Olson, John A. Olson, Alfred C. Olson, Emma M. Mattson, Otto W. Olson and all other persons interested in the above estate.

Whereas, Antonette Olson has filed in this court her final account of her administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: IT IS ORDERED, that said petiton be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 13th day of April 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in The Holt Weekly News according to law.

Witness the honorable Peter H. Holm Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 12th day of March 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Judge.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Feb. 23, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Almond L. Snook, of Middle River, Minn., who, on Oct. 5th, 1916, made homestead entry, No. 018815, for W 1-2 NE 1-4 and Lots 6 and 7, Sec. 20 and Lot 2, Sec. 21, Twp. 156 N. Ran 41 W. 5th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, United States Land Office, at Crookston, Minn., on the 2nd day of April 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Alfred Sollom, Grant Flakne, J. S. Gabrielson and Agnes R. Posen, all of Holt, Minn.
Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.
Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has occurred in the conditions of that certain mortgage, dated the 1st day of March, 1915, executed by A. C. Body and Clara Body, his wife, mortgagors, to L. P. Carter, mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 12th day of April, 1915, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., and recorded in Book 79 of mortgages on page 391 thereof; which said mortgage and the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by instrument in writing, dated the 1st day of September, 1916, executed by said L. P. Carter, mortgagee, to S. M. Elwood, assignee, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 13th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m., and recorded in Book 85 of mortgages on page 230 thereof;

That pursuant to a provision of said mortgage said assignee of said mortgage has elected to declare the whole debt secured thereby to be now due and payable; that there is due and payable at the date of this notice, upon the debt secured by said mortgage the sum of $4756.60, together with the sum of $156.63, taxes paid by said assignee of said mortgage after the same had become delinquent.

That no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof; that by virtue of a power of sale therein contained said mortgage will be foreclosed and the land and premises therein described, to-wit: lying and being in the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, The west one-half (W1-2) of section twenty-two (22), in township one hundred fifty-five (155), north of range forty-two (42) west of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren in the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April, 1918, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to pay and satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage and taxes aforesaid, and the sum of $50.00 attorney's fees therein provided for and the costs and disbursements allowed by law upon such foreclosure sale.

Dated Feb. 20, 1918.

S. M. Elwood,
Assignee of mortgage,
Charles A. Pitkin,
Attorney for Assignee of mortgage.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

J. E. Erickson went to T. R. Falls Saturday.

John Stanley left Monday for points in Dakota.

Severson Bros. visited J. E. Erickson Sunday evening.

Iner Johnson returned from the woods one day last week.

Misses Gunhild and Olava Sollom spent Easter with their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Docken visited relatives in Middle River Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson were Sunday guests at the home of John Simonson.

Miss Amanda Mickelson came from Crookston Friday to spend Easter at home.

Albert Bennes is the proud owner of a new Overland car and has put up a new building to keep it in, when not in use.

Mrs. Nelson returned home Monday from Fertile accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Fitch, of Decorah, Iowa who will visit here for a few days.

Ole Johnson cut his hand quite badly while making eggs cases Tuesday. He now carries it in a sling but expects to be able to work in a few days.

O. A. Gubrud has a good wagon and new hay rack complete with whiffletree and neckyoke for sale cheap. Call on him on the E. A. Johnson farm.

B. Docken was appointed to solicit funds in this village for the war work of the Salvation army. Mr. Docken called on our people who generously gave to this cause. The $35.00 collected will be credited to Holt.

The following were pleasantly entertained at the C. L. Heinze home Easter Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. A. Bjerk and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim and family including Mr. Lane and Miss Mabel Arness, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mickelson, Torger Ness and family and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson and family.

Fresh ice cream every day at Bennes' confectionery.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

Complete Line

of

CASKETS

and

Funeral Supplies

which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Red Cross News

All members of the Red Cross are urged to be present next Friday evening as there are piles and piles of work to finish up for the needy soldiers.

A lot of articles were sent to Warren Tuesday. Those contributing to this box were: Mrs. Swan 3 night shirts. Mrs. R. L. Olson, night shirt Mrs Otto Johnson 2 pr. socks, Gladys Hagen 1 sweater, Mrs. Gunheim and Mrs. Haggland each one pair pajamas, Mrs. Docken one pr. wristlets. Several other articles were sent but no names were put on the articles so it is impossible to give those workers credit for the work. After this it would be a good plan to pin your name on all finished work that is handed in. Everybody turn out Saturday and come as far as the schoolhouse where the needle and there awaits you.

Annie Erickson drove to Stiener Saturday of last week.

Mr. Sorenson of Rosewood shipped a car of cattle to the market from here Tuesday.

The Holt State Bank sold four autos last week and are about sold out in that line.

A big baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Peterson, of near Rosewood, Sunday night.

Annie Erickson and Alice Sollom were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Will Steinhauer Sunday of last week.

Otto Kuhne, Alfred Larson and Alfred Hagglund were in Warren this week to be examined for the army draft.

Mrs. J. E. Erickson visited Carl Larson and family Thursday.

Miss Lydia Bjerk is clerking in Carlson's store.

Will Rux and John Olson went to Benwood Friday after some seed rye.

Harry Chandler of Crookston was an over Sunday visitor with Joseph Nelson.

Knute Moen has sold his eighty to Olof Johnson and moved last week to Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Thief River Falls, visited with the H. Furr family a few days last week.

Mrs. A. H. Huseth of Greenbush, was an over Sunday visitor with her sister, Mrs. H. J. Oien and family.

L. Flak arrived here Monday with a car of goods, stock, machinery, etc. and is now settled on his farm formerly occupied by T. E. Ellestead.

The Great Northern railway offers free gardens on unused portions of their right-of-way to anyone who applies to the local superintendent for same. This offer is good for anyone whether an employee of the company or not. Be sure to grow a war garden and right now is the time to get ready for this great work.

For Rent.

My 160 acre farm one mile west of Holt. Cash (on Nov. 1) plan desired. For terms apply to W. R. Hoag, 623 14th Ave. Southeast, Minneapolis, Minn.

REGARDING THE THIRD LIBERTY BOND SALE.

The Third Liberty Loan Drive will start Saturday, April 6th throughout the United States.

The plan adopted is that each individual will be alloted a certain amount to purchase; this amount based absolutely upon his net worth. In each Township and Village a Committee composed of representative men have this matter in charge and the allotments that they make will be just and fair.

The important thing to remember is:

1. The Third Liberty Loan must be raised.

2. The amounts alloted each individual must be subscribed by him in order that each Township and Village and our County as a whole raise their respective quotas.

The test of our Loyalty and Patriotism is upon us and I am sure that Marshall County will respond with their full duty.

Let us all pull together and give the respective Committees every possible assistance within our power and help Marshall County to go "Over the Top" with their full allotment subscribed.

Respectfully,
H. L. WOOD,
Chairman Marshall County
Liberty Loan Committee.

East Valley News

Albert Haugen left for Grand Forks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Furr and daughter, Emma, spent Sunday at Clarence Knutson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole M. Larson spent Sunday at Clifford Erickson.

Lillian Jahr spent Sunday with Mabel Larson.

Services will be held in the school house Sunday April 7th. at 3 P. M.

The Zion Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. A. C. Jahr on Wednesday Apr. 17th. Everybody welcome.

STEINER NEWS.

M. O. Saugen transacted business in Thief River Falls Friday. His daughters who are attending school there, accompanied him home to spend Friday and Saturday and will return Monday morning to their school work.

Joe Russell went to Thief River Falls on business the latter part of the week.

Nick Baker is farming the G. L. Leisner farm this year, as well as the Ramstad farm.

Arthur Simonson was a Thief River Falls business visitor one day last week.

N. Muzzy has been discing his breaking this week.

Mrs. J. Meyer transacted business in Steiner one day last week.

Mable and Jessie Rogers who are attending school in Thief River Falls visited at their home over Easter, returning Monday to their school work.

William Meyer has been seeding the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rogers are visiting at the S. R. Rogers home. Mr. Rogers just returned from Colorado where he spent the winter.

Mr. Russell has been working in his fields the past week.

S. Warring and son Omer transacted business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Ruth Solem, who is attending the Normal school at Moorhead, is spending her spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Solem.

Miss Inga Saugen visited at the C. Christianson home Sunday.

Mr. Whittman called at the S. Warring home Sunday.

Mrs. O. Warring took the Great Northern train for Thief River Falls Friday, to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Olson.

Annie Erickson visited Mr. and Mrs. Coppey Wednesday of last week.

Miss Erickson and Miss Alice Sollum visited at Carl Larson's home Sunday evening.

Miss Irene Wegge went to York, N. D. Wednesday where she expects to stay for sometime.

A. L. Snook, Alfred Sollom and Grant Flakne went to Crookston, Tuesday to prove up on the former's homestead.

J. B. Alkenbrack has sold his farm of 38 acres to Mrs. Isabelle Fitch of Decorah Iowa. Consideration $2650.00, Cash.

A. R. Jones spent Easter with his family in Crookson and attended the Knights Templar Easter services held in the Congregational church there.

Miss Serena Birkeland of Seattle, Wash., came Saturday to visit her brother, C. F. Birkeland and other relatives.

C. Martell will sell his personal property at public auction next Tuesday, as he has rented his farm and is going to move to Iowa.

Dr. Spinks of Middle River has enlisted in the Medical Corp of the army and has gone to Rockford, Ill., where he will be stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kulseth and little son and Rudolph Rux went to Northwood, N. D., last week Thursday where they will work on a farm this season.

The Wilson school served lunch after services Thursday for the benefit of the Red Cross. Mrs. Martel contributed a fruit dish for the sale and the amount taken in altogether was about eight dollars.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock April 7th. Lesson Mark 7: 24-35.

Annie Erickson drove to Stiener Friday.

Alfred Sollom has moved onto the farm recently vacated by Knute Moen.

The Junior Red Cross and War Savings Club of Dist. 61 will give a box social Saturday evening April 6th. Everybody invited. Girls bring baskets, boys bring their purses. Efforts are being made to secure speakers for the evening. Proceeds to go to the Red Cross.

Mrs. L. C. Rudman, Pres. W. S. S.

Homesteaders who made valid settlements on public lands before Dec. 20th, 1917, may leave their claims to do farm work elsewhere, by notifying the land office of all the facts of their absence, but they must make all the improvements and cultivate the amount of land on their own places which is required by law. Notice of leave must be given the land office within fifteen days after such leave is made. This is a war measure and is given in additon to the regular five months absence privilege to all who comply with the law covering this act.

SIDEWALK ASSESSMENT RESOLUTION.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the Village Council of the Village of Holt, held in the Council Rooms of said Village on the 26th day of March, 1918, at eight o'clock P. M., Trustee P. A. Riesberg offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, the Village Council of the Village of Holt at a special meeting held on the 18th day of May, 1917, at eight o'clock P. M., duly passed a resolution ordering and requiring the M. W. A. Lodge, the owner of Lot 16, Block 8 in said Village of Holt, to rebuild at its own expense the sidewalk in front of said Lot, and further ordering and requiring Dan Carrol, the owner of Lot 17, Block 8, in said Village, to re-build at his own expense the sidewalk in front of said premises, and further ordering and requiring that Ole Backlund, the owner of Lot 18, in Block 8, in said Village, to rebuild the sidewalk in front of said premises at his own expense, and, Whereas, due notice of said resolution has been served upon all of the said persons, and, whereas, each of said persons have failed to comply with the said resolution and have failed to re-build the said sidewalk, as so required, and whereas, the said Village of Holt upon the failure of the said parties to re-build the said sidewalks have been compelled to re-build the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the following assessments are hereby levied against the said described premises, as follows: Lot 16, Block 8, owned by M. W. A. Lodge, is hereby assessed for the construction of a sidewalk built in front of said premises by the Village of Holt, the sum of $41.56. Lot 17, Block 8, owned by Dan Carrol, is hereby assessed for the construction of a sidewalk built in front of said premises by the Village of Holt, the sum of $42.77, and Lot 18, Block 8, owned by Ole Backland, is hereby assessed for the construction of a sidewalk built in front of said premises by the Village of Holt, the sum of $41.56. And be it further resolved, that on the 7th day of May, 1918, at 8 o'clock P. M., the Village Council of the Village of Holt will meet at the Council Rooms in the said Village of Holt, to hear testimony of all persns interested or affected, and all objections to the said assessments, and will at said time ascertain the amount of benefits of said property fronting such sidewalks by reason of the construction thereof.

Trustee H. J. Oien, seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the Village Cuncil, B. Docken, President, C. L. Sandberg, P. A. Riesberg, H. J. Oien, Village Trustees, H. B. Young, Village Clerk, all voted yes, and was duly carried and was by the President, then presiding, so declared.

B. DOCKEN,
President, Village Council.

Attest:
H. B. YOUNG,
Village Clerk

War Savings Stamps

Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without YOUR HELP or that Germany will let you keep your money if she Wins. Buy a Stamp

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.83
Oats	81
Barley	1.09 to 1.46
Rye	2.71
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

4 THRIFT STAMPS GIVEN AWAY.

Four Thrift Stamps will be given to any girl or boy for each name sent of those that need glasses, if they will get them in gold frames on my next visit. Names must be sent before any date advertised. If this is not understood, write to C. G. Mugg, O. S., Grand Forks, N. D.

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Bentley Nelson
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Ft. Crook, Neb.

Ernest Kuehne
Leonard Jefferson
Camp Cody, N. Mex.

At Naval Training Stations

Ben Nyberg
Dehard Johnson
Albert Bjerk
Clarence Swan

Coast Artillery, San Fransisco

Rudolph Reierson
Willie Sorum
Victor Johnson
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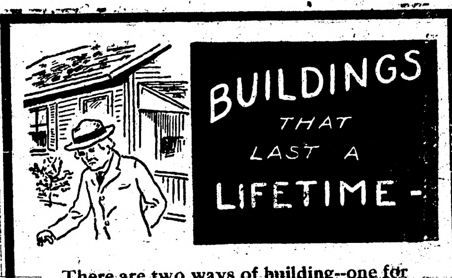

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There are two ways of building--one for
Immediate Looks
and one for a
Lifetime of Service
We believe in the economy of building well and for the future.
Our lumber is thorougly seasoned and selected for service.
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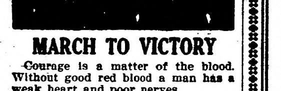

MARCH TO VICTORY

Courage is a matter of the blood. Without good red blood a man has a weak heart and poor nerves.

In the spring is the best time to take stock of one's condition. If the blood is thin and watery, face pale or pimply, generally weak, tired and listless, one should take a spring tonic. One that will do the spring housecleaning, an old-fashioned herbal remedy that was used by everybody nearly 50 years ago is still safe and sane because it contains no alcohol or narcotic. It is made up of Blood root, Golden Seal root, Oregon Grape root, Queen's root, Stone root, Black Cherry bark—extracted with glycerine and made into liquid or tablets. This blood tonic was first put out by Dr. Pierce in ready-to-use form and since then has been sold by million bottles as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If druggists do not keep this in tablet form, send 60 cents for a vial to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

Kidney disease carries away a large percentage of our people. What is to be done? The answer is easy. Eat less meat, eat coarse, plain food, with plenty of vegetables, drink plenty of water between meals, and take an uric acid solvent after meals for a while, such as Anuric (double strength), obtainable at almost any drug store. It was first discovered by Dr. Pierce. Most every one troubled with uric acid finds that Anuric dissolves the uric acid as hot water does sugar. You can obtain a trial package by sending ten cents to Doctor Pierce's Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y.

Wanted to Know.

"How do you like the new baby, Jack?"

"Oh, he's all right; but do you think we needed it?"

LEMONS WHITEN THE COMPLEXION

ANY WOMAN CAN MAKE UP THIS CREAMY BEAUTY LOTION FOR A FEW CENTS.

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quarter pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach a darkened skin and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands.—Adv.

Safe.

Black—I want to put my money into something safe.

White—Try a fireproof vault.

THE GREAT WAR HAS MADE CIGARETTES A NECESSITY.

"Our boys must have their smokes. Send them cigarettes!" This is a familiar appeal now to all of us.

Among those most in demand is the now famous "toasted" cigarette—LUCKY STRIKE. Thousands of this favorite brand have been shipped to France. There is something homelike and friendly to the boys in the sight of the familiar green packages with the red circle.

This homelike, appetizing quality of the LUCKY STRIKE cigarette is largely due to the fact that the Burley tobacco used in making it has been toasted. "It's toasted" was the "slogan" that made a great success of LUCKY STRIKE in less than a year. Now the American Tobacco Co. is making 15 million LUCKY STRIKE Cigarettes a day.

A good part of this immense production is making its way across the water to cheer our boys.—Adv.

The Main Thing.

"Sue married a man not of words but of deeds."

"Were they title deeds?"

BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

Why use ordinary cough remedies, when Boschee's German Syrup has been used so successfully for fifty-one years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health. Made in America and sold for more than half a century.—Adv.

Once in a while a woman gets so angry at her husband that she refuses to talk back.

When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy

No Smarting — Just Eye Comfort. 60 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Important News Events of the World Summarized

U. S.—Teutonic War News

A message from David Lloyd-George, prime minister of Great Britain, calling upon the United States to send "American re-enforcements across the Atlantic in the shortest possible space of time," was read by Lord Reading, British high commissioner to the United States, at a dinner given in New York in his honor.

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After an hour's battle with a German U-boat the American oil tanker Paulsboro sent the enemy vessel beneath the waves "damaged and in distress," the navy department reported. It was the tanker's second struggle with a submarine in six days.

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America's effort to meet German submarine war, was outlined at New York by Chairman Hurley of the shipping board, in a frank statement setting forth the shipbuilding situation in the United States. Before the National Marine league Mr. Hurley disclosed that the country soon will have 730 ways turning out ships and that the government's steel shipbuilding program of 8,000,000 tons on March 1 was 28 per cent on its way to completion.

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The American positions on a certain part of the Toul front were bombarded with mustard gas shells at the rate of six a minute at night, but ineffectively. The American artillery replied with a heavy fire and demolished segments of the German front lines and other points.

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The German lines were heavily bombarded and machine-gunned for an hour by American troops during the relief changes by the enemy. The French official statement says that east of Badonvillers (where American troops are in the line) the enemy attacked, but was thrown back with heavy losses.

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General Pershing cabled the war department that two regiments of American railroad engineers are attached to the British force on the front attacked by the Germans. Three companies of the engineers were working in the area in which the German official statement mentioned the presence of American troops. This message definitely disposes of reports that American reserves had been sent into the battle.

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Praising the condition and work of General Pershing's expeditionary forces, General Wood recommended to the senate military committee that an American army of 2,000,000 men be maintained abroad as soon as possible and that another 2,000,000 men be trained.

Foreign

Sir Herbert Morgan of the ministry of nation's service in London, urged the enlistment of men of fifty years and older for home service, in order to release younger men for the armies at the front.

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Capt. William Redmond succeeded his father, John Redmond, the nationalist leader, in parliament in London. Returns from the election for the seat for Waterford show that Captain Redmond received 1,243 votes as against 754 for his opponent, Doctor White, a Sinn Feiner.

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A new Helgoland to command the commerce of the Black sea, is to be constructed by Germany on Snake island, about twenty-five miles from the mouth of the Danube, according to the Hamburg Nachrichten.

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A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph in London from Amsterdam says the city of Brussels, Belgium, has been fined 2,000,000 marks (more than $400,000) for a recent demonstration by anti-Flemish agitators.

Domestic

The city council of Chicago by a vote of 63 to 2 passed the anticabaret ordinance, divorcing entertainment and liquor. It goes into effect May 1, unless the mayor vetoes it.

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Wheat hoarded with unpatriotic intent will be seized by the food administration. Already 350,000 pounds belonging to Kempenich brothers, farmers of German extraction in New Mexico has been taken and orders have gone out to state administrators to act promptly when hoarding is discovered.

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Fire following a series of unexplained explosives destroyed the six-story building of the Jarvis Warehouse company, Inc., near the Erie railroad terminal in Jersey City and badly damaged the Erie repair shops. The damage was estimated at $1,500,000.

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Joe Sing, a waiter at Tulsa, Okla., was shot by S. I. Miller, a special officer of the county defense council. Sing is said to have expressed a hope that "every American soldier in France be killed."

The United States Steel corporation announced at New York a wage increase of 15 per cent for all its mill and factory employees. The new scale is to go into effect on April 15.

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Three miners were killed and a fourth is still entombed in the Ironton mine near Bessemer, Mich., as a result of a cave-in.

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The fabricated hull of the West Grove, an 8,800-ton steel ship built for the United States government, was launched at a Pacific port just 62 days after the laying of the keel. This is claimed to be a world's record for this type of shipbuilding.

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Washington

Negotiations for the transfer of 150,000 tons of Japanese shipping to the United States have been completed at Washington on the basis of two tons of steel plates for one ton of deadweight ship capacity.

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Resumption of criticism of the government's war preparations in the senate drew from Senator Williams (Dem.) of Mississippi, a suggestion that the Republicans were playing politics in behalf of Representative Lenroot, the Republican candidate for senator in Wisconsin, who, he said, was "lukewarm" in support of America's course in the war.

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Secretary McAdoo announced that the amount of the third Liberty loan would be $3,000,000,000, the bonds carrying 4¼ per cent interest and that all oversubscriptions will be accepted. Outstanding features of the third war loan plan as announced are: Bonds for the first and second war loans may be converted into the new 4¼ per cent securities. The bonds will be acceptable at par and accrued interest in payment of United States inheritance taxes. They will have the benefit of a sinking fund of 5 per cent per annum.

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President Wilson cabled Field Marshal Haig, congratulating him on the British stand against the German offensive and predicting a final allied victory.

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The house adopted the conference report on the urgent deficiency bill, carrying $1,150,000,000; providing for the sale of enemy property in the United States and giving the government power to purchase German owned docks at Hoboken, N. J. The senate adopted the report and the bill now goes to President Wilson.

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Senator New, Republican of Indiana, speaking in the senate, declared that instead of 12,000 combat airplanes being delivered in France by July 1, as provided in the original airplane program, the number will amount to only 37.

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An official statement of the war department's reasons for announcing only the names of American troops killed or wounded in France was submitted to the senate by Major General March, acting chief of staff. General March said the old system of giving addresses and other details, gave information to the enemy and brought swarms of claim agents to harass the relatives of the men.

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The transfer of 50,000 tons of American shipping to the Swiss government to take supplies to that country was announced by the shipping board.

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European War News

A German Gotha airplane damaged by artillery fire was forced to descend back of the Belgian lines. The three men in the crew, two officers and a corporal, were made prisoner.

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Odessa has been recaptured by the soviet and Ukrainian troops after a bloody battle in which naval forces took part, according to a Moscow dispatch to London from the semiofficial news agency.

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The steamship Etonian of the Leyland line, which left Liverpool for Boston has been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine off the Irish coast. A cablegram announced the destruction of the vessel, but gave no information regarding the fate of the crew, which numbered 60 men.

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British cavalry has been in action and has achieved a brilliant victory, according to a dispatch to Ottawa from the Reuter correspondent at British headquarters.

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Eighty thousand Germans, formerly war prisoners of the Russians, have captured the great fortified city of Irkutsk, capital of the province of that name in Siberia, according to official dispatches received at Tokyo.

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Resumption of fighting in Ukraine between the Germans and the bolsheviki is reported to London in a Reuter dispatch from Petrograd. The bolsheviki are said to have recaptured the city of Kherson.

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Forty-five enemy machines were shot down by British aviators and 22 were driven out of control says, an official statement issued in London. British anti-aircraft guns shot down two hostile planes. Ten British planes are missing. During the day 1,700 bombs were dropped on the Bruges docks, the Aulnoye railway station and the vicinity of Cambrai.

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The British admiralty announces at London the sinking of a mine-sweeping sloop through striking a mine. Two officers and 64 men were lost.

NEARER ALLIED BASE IN FRANCE

Germans Take Moreuil, Warplanes Report—City Changed Hands Several Times.

FRENCH REPULSE FOE

Retain Hangard-En-Santerre After Hand to Hand Fight—German Losses Considerable—Teutons Ten Miles From Amiens.

Paris, April 2.—"Hangard-En-Santerre has been completely recaptured," the French war office reports.

"The Germans incessantly attacked Grivesnes (five miles north and west of Montdidier).

"After hand to hand fighting, it remained in our hands. The German losses are considerable."

Germans Take Moreuil.

With the British Armies in France, April 2.—Warplanes report German occupation of Moreuil on the right bank of the Ancre, after heavy fighting.

The enemy launched a vicious attack between Moreuil and Demuin simultaneously, entering the town at 3:30 p. m.

The Germans are reported moving westward along the Luce valley, having passed Hangard.

Enemy Nearer Objective.

This is practically the only change south of the Somme, but it is important because it brings the enemy that much nearer to the Calais-Paris railway, south of Amiens.

This is the first news of recapture of Moreuil by the Germans. The British war office announced that Canadian cavalry and British infantry, cooperating with French troops, regained possession of Moreuil and the wood to the north on Saturday. The city was first taken by the Germans early in the week. The same announcement said the British also had recaptured Demuin, about three miles and a half north and east of Moreuil.

May Be in Demuin, Too.

The statement that the Germans have "passed Hangard" indicates the enemy has retaken Demuin, too, as Hangard is a mile directly west of that city and less than 10 miles southeast of Amiens.

STAKES FORTUNE ON DRIVE

Germany Expected to Attack Elsewhere If Held in West.

Washington, April 2.—Germany has staked its fortunes on the spring campaign, says the War department's weekly review of the military situation and the Allies and the United States must be prepared for fresh attacks at new points if the Teutons fail to achieve victory in the present fighting.

But despite the successes gained by the Germans, says the review, "the enemy has been unable to force a decision," and so long as the Allies are able to maneuver with consistent unity so long will victory elude the enemy.

ANTI-VICE INFORMER SHOT

Killed in New York Seven Hours Before Time for Exposures.

New York, April 2.—Early Monday seven hours before the district attorney's office was to have been informed by Harry Cohen, also known as "Harry the Yot," of the name of the "man higher up" in the prosecutor's anti-gambling crusade, Cohen was shot and killed. District Attorney Swann immediately ordered the arrest of Sam Schepps, who was one of the prosecution's star witnesses against Charles Becker, the police lieutenant who was executed for the murder of Herman Rosenthal.

GERMANS CAPTURE IRKUTSK

Prisoners in Siberia Take Important City, Is Belief.

Washington, April 2.—The first official word here of the capture of the strategically important city of Irkutsk, Siberia by the Germans was announced in the War department weekly summary.

Apparently this capture was effected by German prisoners in Siberia.

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Hundred Mile Gun is Planned For U. S. Navy

Washington, April 2.—The United States navy department plans to construct a long range gun capable of carrying 105 miles. It will be developed along the so-called subcaliber plan.

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Get Y. M. C. A. Equipment.

Paris, April 2.—Equipment valued at more than $20,000 sent by the American army Y. M. C. A. to the British front for the use of American railway engineers and other American units has fallen into the hands of the Germans. Four times the Y. M. C. A. men moved their positions and abandoned during the retirement one large wooden building, two large tents and a quantity of supplies. Five soldier huts loaned to the British Y. M. C. A. have been lost. Two on the French line were destroyed by shell fire.

CHANGE IN THE FARMER'S LIFE

"Making a Living" Idea Has Developed Into a "Money Making Fact."

A few years ago—and not so many at that—most farmers were satisfied if they saw ahead of them the opportunity to make a fair living, a reasonable competence in their failing years, and an assurance of an existence for their families. They worked hard, and tilled their acres with this end in view. Honest struggle, earnest effort and a true conception of upright manhood, together with the increasing knowledge that upon the fruits of their endeavor rested the structure of the world, whose people had to be fed and maintained. Economy in method, improved conditions of working, have added to the farmer's possibilities, and today instead of being a plodder for an existence, which his early training had bred into him, he has become the bulwark of the nation, and, as such, has become elevated to a position, where his word and his work are recognized as the factors it was always intended they should be. He is now the man of business—of big business. He has forced an appreciation of his work, and the true value has been placed upon it. The big men of the country today are the farmers, who, with business acumen and forensic forethought are able to tell you—from their books—what it costs to produce a bushel of wheat or a pound of wool.

All of which is intended to prove that farming is a business, as much as banking or selling a suit of clothes. It is an industrial business, with more certain profits than accompany any other line of trade. It is a manufacturing enterprise, devoid of any of the dangers that the frills of fashion's follies and desires force upon ordinary pursuits. Food is something that all must have and the farmer produces it. The cheaper it can be produced the less will be the cost to the consumer. And this is one of the chief thoughts of the farmer. Within the memory of the ten-year-old boy there have been improvements in machinery, changes in methods, scientific discoveries of chemicals as adapted to agriculture, all of which has lessened cost of production and made possible the cultivation of increased acres. In some parts these things have brought about more intensified agriculture, growing heavier crops on less acres. Improved machinery and demand for greater production have led another class in search of larger areas, where their ability may cope with the growing of a greater number of bushels. That is one of the reasons why Western Canada lands have recently come into such demand. These, at from twenty to thirty dollars an acre, and producing the prodigious crops that are claimed for them, have attracted thousands of American settlers, while other thousands have gone out into the lands in the Western states. But, as to the Canada lands, there is this to say of them, today they are cheap, and if they will yield sufficient in one year to pay the cost of the entire purchase, why should not there be a demand. The country is well settled, and settlement is increasing. As evidence of the growth of the three Western Provinces into whose territories the Canadian Government invites settlers, recent reports show the following increases from 1913 to 1917 inclusive:

	Value of Field Crops 1913	1917
Manitoba ...	$ 64,557,000	$137,470,550
Saskatchewan	129,376,000	349,488,200
Alberta	46,712,000	176,965,800
Total	$240,645,000	$663,924,550

The total value of field crops for 1917 was $663,924,550, produced on less than 59,000,000 acres of land.

Further evidence of prosperity and progress is found in the Government estimate of the value of farm lands, and increase in value since 1908:

	1908	1916
Manitoba	27.30	32.03
Saskatchewan	20.40	23.07
Alberta	18.20	22.18

It will be observed that the average price of land has not kept pace with their producing value. It is therefore pointed out that the opportunities for the purchase of high-class land is still within the reach of those with limited means.

A good idea of advancement in a country's progress may be obtained by a knowledge of what has been done in the production of cattle, and when these figures are studied in connection with Western Canada, a country whose fame having been heralded as a grain-growing country, giving the idea that that was what it was mostly adapted to, it will be realized that there is there a vast storehouse of wealth awaiting those who choose to take advantage of it. In the three provinces in 1912 there were—horses, milch cows, other cattle, sheep and swine, four million head, while in 1917 the number was seven million.

In 1901 the entire population was 419,512; in 1916 1,698,220.

One marvels at the rapid progress of the United States during the nineteenth century. But America's opportunities for growth at the beginning of that century were nothing compared to the opportunities which are Canada's at the present time.

The fact that Canada has as its next door neighbor a nation of over 100,000,000—the richest nation in the world—is bound to have a stimulating effect on its progress. Already one sees signs of it on every hand.

Canada not only has the largest area of unoccupied, but fertile, land of any country, but this land is already made available by a network of railways. Cost of production of grain is lower than elsewhere, while the prices are on a basis of those of the United States.—Advertisement.

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The public has to be educated to swat the fly, but when it comes to the mosquito, no urging is necessary—it is banged without mercy.—Salem (N. J.) Sunbeam.

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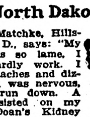

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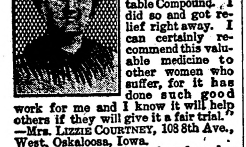

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Mrs. Courtney Tells How She Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oskaloosa, Iowa.—"For years I was simply in misery from a weakness and awful pains—and nothing seemed to do me any good. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and got relief right away. I can certainly recommend this valuable medicine to other women who suffer, for it has done such good work for me and I know it will help others if they will give it a fair trial."—Mrs. LIZZIE COURTNEY, 108 8th Ave., West, Oskaloosa, Iowa.

Why will women drag along from day to day, year in and year out, suffering such misery as did Mrs. Courtney, when such letters as this are continually being published. Every woman who suffers from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, ulceration, backache, nervousness, or who is passing through the Change of Life should give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

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Sapleigh—I was—aw—wending the othah day about a twibe in Afwica that—aw—eats wosted monkeys, dontcher know. Beastly dweadful, doncher think, Miss Knox?

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Important Incidents of First Week of Great Battle Are Given to Public.

GERMAN AIMS NOT REALIZED

Mowed Down by Haig's Heroic Men, the Kaiser's Troops Push Toward the Somme by Sheer Force of Numbers.

London.—Details of the first week of the great battle in France show that, while the fighting has been more severe than in any previous offensive, there has been no cause for pessimism.

The German losses have been terrific, probably 250,000 casualties having been suffered by the kaiser's hosts. At such cost they won less than one-third of the ground on which they had counted. The morale of the British troops has been perfect throughout and they have fought magnificently.

Million Germans in Action.

These facts stand out:

It is known that at least 1,000,000 Germans were engaged on the whole front of attack. In the Somme area not less than 52 army divisions were identified. The British line suffered its most severe buffeting in this stretch, but was firm everywhere.

The Germans believed that a loss of 500,000 would be a cheap price for success in the west, but with a loss already of 250,000 there is no prospect of their attaining the victory they seek.

They regained all the ground lost in the Cambrai battle and have taken back sections of the territory taken from them in the Somme offensive of last year.

The fighting was not by any means a continual German advance. The British counter-attacked heavily and fought for every foot of ground.

Details of the Fighting.

In one battle on the extreme left the Germans employed not less than nine divisions in an effort to break through. For three days the three British divisions held them at bay. Finally, under weight of numbers, the British retired behind the line marked by the ruined villages of Bullecourt, East Noguell and Croiselles.

The next morning the Germans renewed the attack, striking northward from Fontainelles and Croiselles and westward from Cherissy. They drove in mass formation, wave after wave, toward the heights between Henin-sur-Cojeul to Henin hill.

Two hours of drum fire, in which gas and high-explosive shells were mingled, preceded the infantry attack. From eight o'clock in the morning until noon continuous waves of gray-clad troops stormed the heights.

British machine guns posted on the ridge swept down line after line of Germans. By three o'clock in the afternoon the Teutons had succeeded in pressing past Henin hill on both sides and threatened to cut off the machine gunners posted on the crests. Not until then did the latter retire and rejoin the main British force.

Similar fighting was going on at the same time on the right wing. Tremendous pressure was brought to bear around St. Leger, Vaux and Vraucourt. It lasted all day.

At times under the German blows the British line sagged heavily, but at no point did it give way.

Desperate Defense of Vaulx.

A bitter battle was fought for possession of Vaulx, but British machine gunners posted in the ruins of the village held the Germans at bay. A ruined factory served as a fortress despite the shelling to which it was subjected.

Not until late in the afternoon was it impossible for the British to hold the town longer. Even then the retreat only went for a thousand yards. The British rear guard fought every step of the way, and, returning to the main body, a counter-attack was launched against the Germans in possession of Vaulx and the village was regained.

The fighting continued all night. Finally Vaulx had to be abandoned before heavy night attacks, but only because German forces had pushed past further up the line and were driving to the attack of Mory.

Another bitter struggle was fought around Croiselles. At Mory Scottish and English troops inflicted tremendous losses on the Germans.

Sunday Battle South of Peronne.

The fighting Sunday was tremendous. All day long heavy forces of Germans endeavored to force a crossing of the Somme south of Peronne, while further along the line they concentrated their efforts against Bapaume.

Repeatedly German engineers attempted to throw pontoon bridges across the river. On the near-by heights British field guns firing practically at point range smashed every effort. On some occasions British infantry, counter-attacking, dashed into the water to fight the Germans.

With the object of capturing Urvillers and Essigny, southwest of St. Quentin, the Germans employed at least six divisions, or 72,000 men, of storming troops, the 50th, 45th (reserves), 11th, 88th, 187th and 238th, in the proportion of one division to every British battalion. The average width of each attack was 2,000 yards.

Ten Tanks Wreak Havoc Amid Foe.

Passing through Urvillers, there was a bloody struggle in a chalk quarry, where many German dead now lie. After the Germans had come some way forward ten British tanks drove into them and shattered some of their battalions with their machine gun fire, dispersing groups of the advancing units.

The British fought many rear guard actions and made numerous counter-attacks in the neighborhood of Roisel, falling back to the line of the Somme only when new masses of Germans passed through those battalions which they had not met and beaten.

Between Gozeaucourt and Epephy occurred a most desperate struggle. The Germans attacked in overwhelming strength. Their previous bombardment had had little effect and the British troops had suffered but slightly.

The weather was misty, and, screened by this mist, the Germans were on top of the British before the latter were aware of it. In dense formation they came on, offering excellent targets. Ground was yielded by the British only under pressure of overwhelming numbers.

Heroic Deeds of the British.

Fighting Saturday between Arras and Bapaume for possession of the heights between the Cojeul and Sensee rivers was especially bitter. Outnumbered eight to one, the British troops clung to their positions to the last.

In Gauche wood, where Scots and South Africans were placed, another terrific struggle ensued. The Germans several times managed to reach the wood but were repeatedly thrown back. Their losses in killed were especially heavy, as they came on in mass formation. Attempt after attempt was frustrated.

From a height below Gauche wood known as Chapel hill to Epephy three German divisions and parts of a fourth were thrown against the British. At one point the enemy was actually among the British advance posts before he was discovered. The fog thoroughly screened him.

Waves of Germans flowed past the farm and around it, but in the farm itself the Leicesters held out, fighting and refusing to surrender until every man was killed or so severely wounded he could fight no more.

The British showed the greatest strength between Bapaume and Peronne and above Bapaume as far as Arras. The Germans, however, concerned with the southern flank, at the Franco-British junction point, concentrated their most terrific blows against the Peronne-Ham-Chauny line, relying on the necessity of an automatic British withdrawal in the north if their line was bent or broken in the south.

Bapaume was an obstacle on the northern side, to capture which they sacrificed thousands of their best troops. Rivers of blood were shed for the town's possession in a combat that lasted almost all night, until the British finally yielded the ruins, after having exacted a fearful price.

Kaiser Orders Jubilation.

The kaiser was with Field Marshal von Hindenburg in Peronne surveying the bloody fields where thousands of his best fighting men were killed or maimed before the British finally withdrew. The emperor ordered a general jubilation throughout the empire, rockets and flags and a holiday for the children being the chief symbols of celebration. He conferred a gold inlaid iron cross on Hindenburg.

Wilhelm also sent dispatches to the empress telling of the progress made by his armies.

THOUGH 70, OLD SOLDIER ENROLLS TO BUILD SHIPS

Knoxville, Tenn.—James W. Sitzler, seventy, of the National Soldiers' home at Johnson City, Tenn., has volunteered to serve his country in building its great fleet of ships. He said in his application:

"I wish to make application for work as a ship painter, having worked at and learned my trade. Although I am seventy years old I am able to do a day's work as well as any young man, being a general all-round workman."

He was enrolled

MORTALITY RATE IS LOW

Statistician Refutes Statements That War Is Causing Heavy Loss Among Allies.

Pittsburgh.—Edward A. Woods the insurance expert and statistician, after an exhaustive study of mortality in the present war, has compiled statistics to refute the widely circulated statements that the war is causing a frightful loss of life on the side of the allies.

"Timely and scientific medical treatment has reduced the rate of mortality in the present war to a lower percentage than that of all great wars," says Mr. Woods.

"More than 90 per cent of the soldiers put under the care of physicians and surgeons have been able to return to the firing line.

"An American soldier twenty years of age who is now in the trenches has the same chance of being alive at the end of the war if it lasts a year or so longer, as a man of sixty in civil life has of living the same length of time."

Jump in Garbage Cost.

Santa Monica, Cal.—The Santa Monica commissioners have contracted to sell the city's garbage for the coming year at $18.90 a ton. Last year it brought $1.00 a ton.

YOUR LOYALTY TO COUNTRY'S CAUSE

ARE YOU MAKING SACRIFICES EQUIVALENT TO THOSE OF OUR SOLDIERS?

ALL CAN FIND WAY TO HELP

Make No Ridiculous Reservations; Hold Back Nothing; Share Your Money, Your Food and Your Clothing to Aid the Great War.

(By VIRGINIA TERHUNE VAN DE WATER of the Vigilantes.)

A good woman was discussing the rules of the food administration.

"I am doing a lot for my country," she said, "but there are certain trifles that I do not intend to give up. Such as white bread and bacon."

"No," she said in response to my astonished look, "I mean to have white bread when I want it. Why should I eat corn bread and other substitutes? I like white bread just as much as the soldiers and sailors do. And, anyway, what difference can it make if I use a little white flour and a few slices of bacon every day? I am only one person."

Only one of millions! Suppose they all took that attitude!

"I am no slacker," she added. "I work at the Red Cross four afternoons of each week, and I have made dozens of knitted things for the soldiers. But I draw the line at bacon and white bread and rolls."

Is this patriotism? I remembered the text: "These things ought ye to have done, and not to have left the other undone."

Another good woman was talking of the next Liberty Loan drive.

"Well," she declared, "they need not come to me for help! I am a business woman, and I have lost money on heatless Mondays, and since the government has made me do that I do not propose to help with their Liberty loan. I love my country, and I am a Red Cross worker, and all that—but there is a limit."

Should Be No Limit.

A limit! Is there any limit to what she would do if her nearest and dearest were fighting for his life? Would she stop to argue that she had given the suffered expensive woolen underwear, but that she drew the line at the renunciation of certain comforts so that he might have them? Would she be considered a good wife or mother or daughter if she held this attitude towards husband, child or parent?

Let us stop all these ridiculous reservations, these talks of what we will do and won't do. Let us hold back nothing. Do the women who are sending their sons abroad hold back anything? Do these sons grudge risking their beautiful youth, their lives, for their country? Yet some people hesitate at white bread and bacon, and refuse to buy Liberty bonds!

The last-named hesitation is not only unpatriotic, but it is absurd. Later we will know the meaning of the expression, "What I give I have." The money we invest in Liberty bonds will be ours when other money that we now have is gone.

All such talk as I have quoted is wickedly unpatriotic. Let us give as our sons give—ungrudgingly, proudly, because we are counted worthy to make sacrifices for the greatest crusade against evil that the world has ever known.

Make It An Honorable Service.

What would the Son of Righteousness say to our hesitation about trifling luxuries? He died for his cause. We women are not called upon to do that. (Some of us may wish that we were.) But we are called to sacrifice our selfishness for it.

I am not making light of the wonderful work done by those women who toil at Red Cross stations; I am not forgetting the noble and vast army of wives, mothers, sisters and sweethearts who stop at nothing in their desire to help end the war honorably.

But I hope that such sentences as I have quoted go no further than the tip of the tongue. If they do, shame to the speakers. And shame to us who let such speech pass unreproved.

"His very living—such was Christ's giving."

We women "have not yet resisted unto blood." But some of our men have, and—God help us!—many more may have to. Can we then endure the ignominy of remembering that even in our inner hearts we have paused to consider what delicacies we may use? Shall we not—in the language of our dear fighting boys—"cut out" all doubtful articles? And let us make of the trifling duty an honorable service. The cause ennobles all that it touches.

True Respectability

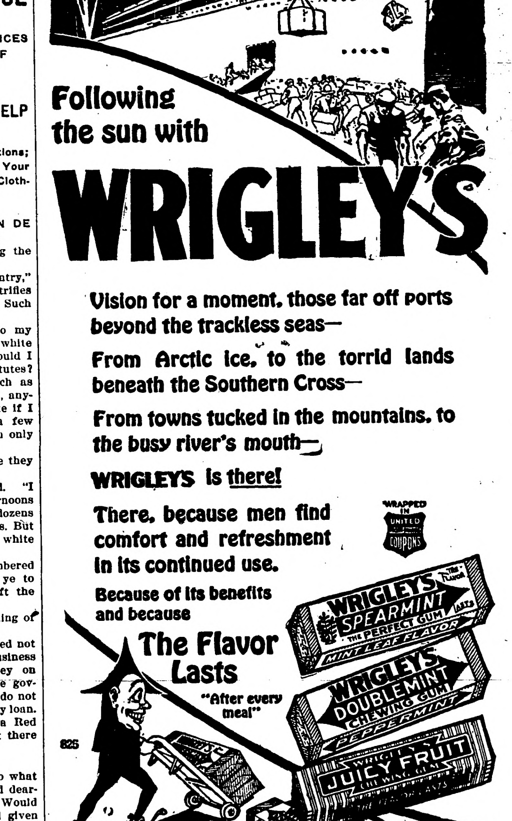
Having the courage to live within one's means is respectability.

Build Character Firmly

The character which you are constructing is not your own. It is the building material out of which other generations will quarry stones for the temple of life. See to it, therefore, that it be granite and not shale.

Famous Writer Poor Physician

Schiller, the author of "William Tell," was medical officer in the Prussian guard before he found his profession irksome. He proved to be a very incompetent physician and was expelled from his regiment.



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Quickly soothed and healed by Cuticura often when all else fails. The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

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She who loves and runs away may be sorry later on.

You can't always tell by a man's actions whether he is a fool or a genius.

Just What Did He Mean.

"I have read that the most dangerous thing a girl can do is to throw her arms around a man in case the boat upsets." "Uh," said the man. "Perhaps so. This boat is perfectly safe, however."—Louisville Courier Journal.

Truth and Poetry.

"Why do you object to spring poets?"

"They're such unreliable weather prophets!"

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

The Reason.

"Are they really going to try to float that stock on the market?"

"Oh, no; it wouldn't hold water."

Montreal claims to have the largest flour mill in the British empire, with a capacity of 5,000 barrels a day.

Win the War by Preparing the Land Sowing the Seed and Producing Bigger Crops

Work in Joint Effort the Soil of the United States and Canada

CO-OPERATIVE FARMING IN MAN POWER NECESSARY TO WIN THE BATTLE FOR LIBERTY

The Food Controllers of the United States and Canada are asking for greater food production. Scarcely 100,000,000 bushels of wheat are available to be sent to the allies overseas before the crop harvest. Upon the efforts of the United States and Canada rests the burden of supply.

Every Available Tillable Acre Must Contribute; Every Available Farmer and Farm Hand Must Assist

Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operation.

Canada's Wheat Production Last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the Demand From Canada Alone for 1918 is 400,000,000 Bushels

To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell you where you can best serve the combined interests.

Western Canada's help will be required not later than April 5th. Wages to competent help, $50.00 a month and up, board and lodging.

Those who respond to this appeal will get a warm welcome, good wages, good board and find comfortable homes. They will get a rate of one cent a mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return.

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only one handling of each calf—has stood the test of time—easy and safe to use—cannot give the disease to calves or spread it in pastures.

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[illegible] been near eighty when he died. He looked sixty when he was forty. But he never seemed to me to change a hair afterward. As I imagine his life, from what I have seen and heard of it, he must have been in every sea, and yet almost never on land. He must have known in a formal way, more officers in our service than any man living knows. He told me once, with a grave smile, that no man in the world lived so methodical a life as he. "You know the boys say I am the Iron Mask, and you know how busy he was." He said it did not do for anyone to try to read all the time, more than to do anything else all the time; but that he read just five hours a day. "Then," he said, "I keep up my notebooks, writing in them at such and such hours from what I have been reading; and I include in them my scrapbooks." These were very curious indeed. He had six or eight, of different subjects. There was one of history, one of natural science, one which he called "Odds and Ends." But they were not merely books of extracts from newspapers. They had bits of plants and ribbons, shells tied on, and carved scraps of bone and wood, which he had taught the men to cut for him, and they were beautifully illustrated. He drew admirably. He had some of the funniest drawings there, and some of the most pathetic, that I have ever seen in my life. I wonder who will have Nolan's scrapbooks.

There Appeared Nolan in His Shirt Sleeves.

Well, he said, his reading and his notes were his profession, and that they took five hours and two hours respectively of each day. "Then," said he, "every man should have a diversion as well as a profession. My natural history is my diversion." That took two hours a day more. The men used to bring him birds and fish, but on a long cruise he had to satisfy himself with centipedes and cockroaches and such small game. He was the only naturalist I ever met who knew anything about the habits of the house fly and the mosquito. All those people can tell you whether they are Lepidoptera or Steptopotera; but as for telling how you can get rid of them, or how they get away from you when you strike them, why, Linnaeus knew as little of that as John Foy, the idiot, did. These nine hours made Nolan's regular daily "occupation." The rest of the time he talked or walked. Till he grew very old, he went aloft a great deal. He always kept up his exercise and I never heard that he was ill. If any other man was ill, he was the kindest nurse in the world; and he knew more than half the surgeons do. Then if anybody was sick or died, or if the captain wanted him to on any other occasion, he was always ready to read prayers. I have remarked that he read beautifully.

My own acquaintance with Philip Nolan began six or eight years after the war, on my first voyage after I was appointed a midshipman. It was in the first days after our slave trade treaty, while the reigning house, which was still the house of Virginia, had still a sort of sentimentalism about the suppression of the horrors of the middle passage, and something was sometimes done that way. We were in the South Atlantic on that business. From the time I joined, I believe I thought Nolan was a sort of lay chaplain—a chaplain with a blue coat. I never asked about him. Everything in the ship was strange to me. I knew it was green to ask questions, and I suppose I thought there was a "Plain-Buttons" on every ship. We had him to dine in our mess once a week, and the caution was given that on that day nothing was to be said about home. But if they had told us not to say anything about the planet Mars or the book of Deuteronomy, I should not have asked why; there were a great many things which seemed to me to have as little reason. I first came to understand anything about "the man without a country" one day when we overhauled a dirty little schooner which had slaves on board. An officer was sent to take charge of her, and after a few minutes he sent back his boat to ask that someone might be sent him who could speak Portuguese. We were all looking over the rail when the message came, and we all wished we could interpret, when the captain asked who spoke Portuguese. But none of the officers did; and just as the captain was sending forward to ask if any of the people could, Nolan stepped out and said he should be glad to interpret, if the captain wished, as he understood the lan-

FEDERAL INCOME TAX IN BRIEF

The Requirements Boiled Down for Busy Folks.

Returns must be filed on or before April 1, 1918.

Tax due may be paid now or on or before June 15, 1918.

If you were single and your net income for 1917 was $1,000 or more you must file a return.

If you were married and living with wife (or husband) and had a net income of $2,000 or more for 1917 you must file a return.

Husband's and wife's income must be considered jointly, plus income of minor children.

Income of a minor or incompetent, derived from a separate estate, must be reported by his legal representative.

Severe penalties are provided for those who neglect or evade the law.

For false or fraudulent return there is a penalty not exceeding $2,000 fine or year's imprisonment, or both, plus 100 per cent of tax.

For failure to make return on or before April 1, 1918, fine is from $20 to $1,000, plus 50 per cent of tax due.

Returns must be filed with the Collector of Internal Revenue of district in which you live.

An agent may file return for a person who is ill, absent from the country or otherwise incapacitated.

Each return must be signed and sworn or affirmed by person executing it.

Single persons are allowed $1,000 exemption in computing normal tax.

A married person living with wife (or husband) is allowed $2,000 exemption, plus $200 for each dependent child under 18.

A head of family, though single, is allowed $2,000 exemption if actually supporting one or more relatives.

Returns must show the entire amount of earnings, gains and profits received during the year.

Officials and employees are not taxable on the salaries or wages received from a state, county, city or town in the United States.

Interest on state and municipal bonds issued within the U. S. is exempt from federal income tax and should be omitted.

Interest on United States government bonds is also exempt, except on individual holdings of Liberty Fours in excess of $5,000 par value.

Dividends are not subject to normal tax, but must be reported and included in net income.

Gifts and legacies are not income and should not be included on the return of the beneficiary.

Life insurance received as a beneficiary or as premiums paid back at maturity or surrender of policy is not income.

Payments received for real or personal property sold is not income, but the profit realized thereon is income for the year of sale.

Amounts received in payment of notes or mortgages is not income, but the interest on such notes or mortgages is taxable income.

From the entire gross income certain allowances are made in arriving at the net income.

Necessary expenses actually paid in the conduct of business, trade or profession may be claimed.

A farmer can claim payments for labor, seed, fertilizer, stock feed, repairs on buildings, except his dwelling; repairs of fences and farm machinery, materials and small tools for immediate use.

The amount of rent paid for a farm may also be claimed as a tenant farmer's expense.

Payments for live stock are allowable if bought for resale. But if bought for breeding purposes cattle are an investment, not an expense, and cannot be allowed.

A storekeeper can claim amounts paid for advertising, clerk hire, telephone, water, light and fuel, also drayage and freight bills and cost of operating and repairing wagons and trucks.

A physician can claim cost of his professional supplies, rent, office help, telephone, expense of team or automobile used in making professional calls and expenses attending medical conventions.

A dentist can claim similar items except team or auto expense, which are not necessary in his profession.

Expenses that are personal or connected in any way with the support or well being of a person or family are not allowable.

The costs of machines, instruments, vehicles or implements that are more or less permanent in character are not allowable as an expense. They are investments.

Interest paid on a mortgage or other personal indebtedness is allowable on a personal return.

All taxes paid within the year can be taken out on a federal return, except federal income taxes, inheritance taxes and assessments for local improvements.

Losses sustained in business or through fire, storm or shipwreck or by theft, except when compensated by insurance or otherwise.

Wear and tear of rented buildings or machinery used in business may be claimed.

You can also claim the amount paid to the Red Cross and to other charitable, religious or educational organizations to the extent of 15 per cent of your net income.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Notice is hereby given, that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby declares the whole sum due, which mortgage was executed by Sally A. Moore, a widow, mortgagor, to Holt State Bank, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated September 3rd, 1914, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 5th day of September, 1914, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., in book 73 of Mortgages on page 60.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date, is the sum of thirty eight and 2-100 ($38.02) Dollars.

That no action or proceeding has been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage or any part thereof.

That the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage are described as follows: The south half of the northwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. twenty nine (29) in Township No. one hundred fifty six (156) North of range No. forty (40), west of 5th P. M., in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the above described premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, or his deputy, at the West Front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 11th day of May, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and twenty five ($25.00) Dollars, attorney's fees as stipulated in the said mortgage in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th 1918.

HOLT STATE BANK (a Minnesota Corporation) MORTGAGEE.

A. N. Eckstrom,

Attorney for Mortgagee,

Warren, Minnesota.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Sixty Dollars, interest payment which became due December 1st, 1917 which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Adolph Sollom and Ida Sollom, his wife, and Theodore Sollom, a single man, Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Holt (a Minnesota Corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of March 1916, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 89 of Mortgages, on page 205.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Farmers State Bank of Holt, Mortgagee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 3rd day of May 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 5th day of May 1917 at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 83 of Mortgages on page 546.

AND WHEREAS, The said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the Assignee, and Holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand and sixty ($1,060.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 1st day of December 1917, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots numbered nineteen (19) and twenty (20) in Block numbered eight (B. 8) of the Town of Holt, according to the official plat thereof on file and recorded in the office of the register of deeds within and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the west front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 11th day of May 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Thousand and Sixty Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 23rd A. D. 1918.

Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.,

Assignee of Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom

Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,

Warren, Minnesota.

Take Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

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Holt, Minn.

Auction Sale!

Tuesday April 9th

Beginning at 11 o'clock Free Lunch at Noon.

As I have rented my farm and am going away I will sell on above date the following property, to-wit:-

Horse 10 yrs old, wt 1450 Horse 11 yrs old, wt 1400

Horse 10 yrs old, wt 1300 Horse 6 yrs old, wt 1200

Horse 8 yrs old, wt 1000 Horse 10 yrs old, wt 1000

3 Milch Cows, fresh 1 Heifer 3 Calves 18 Hens

1 brood Sow 1 Shoat Cattle Dog Hay in stack

2 Wagons, 2 Cutters, 2 buggies, 2 Bob-sleds, Mower

Hay rake, 2 Hay Racks, 3 sets work, 1 set buggy and 1 single harness, Sulky plow, 14 in. stubble plow

14 in. breaker, Harrow, Road scraper, 150 Posts

Range cook stove ~~Box stove~~ heater 3 Tables, OakDresser, Commode, ~~Iron Bed,~~ 2 Springs, 3 Mattresses, Steel folding Couch, Ingrain Rug Some Carpet, Rockers, Chairs, Cupboard, Dishes, Pans, Cream cans Empire Cream Seperator, Washing machine, Wringer, Tubs, Boiler, etc.

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Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on

Monday, April 15, 1918

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50

Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00

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Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has occurred in the conditions of that certain mortgage, dated the 1st day of March, 1915, executed by A. C. Body and Clara Body, his wife, mortgagors, to L. P. Carter, mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 12th day of April, 1915, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., and recorded in Book 79 of mortgages on page 391 thereof; which said mortgage and the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by instrument in writing, dated the 1st day of September, 1916, executed by said L. P. Carter, mortgagee, to S. M. Elwood, assignee, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 13th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m., and recorded in Book 85 of mortgages on page 230 thereof.

That pursuant to a provision of said mortgage said assignee of said mortgage has elected to declare the whole debt secured thereby to be now due and payable; that there is due and payable at the date of this notice, upon the debt secured by said mortgage the sum of $4756.60; together with the sum of $156.68 taxes paid by said assignee of said mortgage after the same had become delinquent.

That no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof; that by virtue of a power of sale therein contained said mortgage will be foreclosed and the land and premises therein described, to-wit: lying and being in the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, The west one-half (W1-2) of section twenty-two (22), in township one hundred fifty-five (155), north of range forty-two (42) west of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota; will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of said Marshall county, at the front door of the court house in the city of Warren in the county of Marshall and state of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April, 1918, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to pay and satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage and taxes aforesaid, and the sum of $50.00 attorney's fees therein provided for and the costs and disbursements allowed by law upon such foreclosure sale.

Dated Feb. 20, 1918.

S. M. Elwood,

Assignee of mortgage.

Charles A. Fitkin,

Attorney for Assignee of mortgage.

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Local Items

Green apples for sale cheap at Reierson's store.

Mrs. C. Kolden and baby returned yesterday from Gardena, N. D.

Dr. Turley will be here next Monday April 15th. to do dental work.

Atty. Halvorson of T. R. Falls was in town Monday on business.

Elmer Lunke went to Fertile, Saturday where he has employment.

Casper Dale of McIntosh moved Saturday onto his claim in the Mud Lake district.

Mrs. John O. Johnson and children and Mrs. Bjerken went to T. R. Falls Tuesday to have dental work done.

Bernard Larson went to Warren Tuesday for examination for the draft and Walter Patten went Wednesday.

Albin Dahl and Miss Alice Sorum were married Saturday March 30th. The News wishes the young couple a happy wedded life.

Hanson & Barzen had a workman here last week installing an oil engine in the elevator to take the place of their gasoline engine.

We understand P. L. Anderson has left Camp Dodge for some training camp in Texas. Also all the boys from here have left but we are unable to find out where they went to.

The pupils of district No. 158 will give an entertainment Saturday evening April 13th. at the school house. Lunch will be served and proceeds go to the Red Cross. Everybody invited.

Prof. Hall went to T. R. Falls Friday to be examined for the draft. He was passed as were also all the others examined last week. We understand Albert Knutson is the only one rejected so far in addition to the two reported last week.

The Liberty Bond committee will commence the work of soliciting next Monday. This committee is drafted for the war and is under government orders just as much as the soldier in the army and will be punished if they willfully fail to do their duty. Try to remember this when they call on you.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

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Holt Mercantile Co.

Southeast of Holt.

The Misses Thora and Gunda Moe went to T. R. Falls via Holt last Tuesday where the former had an operation for the removal of a tonsil. They returned home Wednesday.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Wold Mar. 28th.

Mrs. Moe and daughter Miss Gunda were visitors at the Nels Gunderson home Monday afternoon.

Oscar Moe returned home from Deer River on Tuesday.

Miss Olga Klungness spent a few days at T. R. Falls last week.

Miss Gena Johnson of Larimore N. Dak. is a guests at the N. Sordahl home.

G. A. Solney and daughter Alma left on Friday for Admiral Sask. Can. where they expect to remain for some time.

Alfred Klungness left for Shaunovon Sask Can. Wednesday morning.

Ragna Larson who has been reported sick for some time is improving.

Mrs. Bernard Olsen and son Richard and Miss Ethel Nustvold came down from Minneapolis on Sunday to be present at the funeral of their brother and father, Geo. Nustvold.

On Friday morning Apr. 2nd. the entire community was grieved when news spread that Geo. Nustvold was dead. He suddenly became very sick on Sunday Mar. 25th., the doctor being called at once and a few days later the patient was taken to the hospital at T. R. Falls.

Geo. Nustvold was born in the year 1877 being 41 years old at the time of his death. In the year 1898 he was united in marriage to Georgian Klungness They have since made their home at their farm in Agdar and resided for a few years at Thief River Falls. Besides a large number of friends and relatives he leaves to mourn his departure his wife, mother, sister, Mrs. Bernard Olsen of Minneapolis, a brother Alf at Fairbault and six children Arthur Oscar, Clifford, Roy, Ethel and Ruth.

Funeral services was held from the Nustvold home on Monday at two o'clock, Rev. George Larson officiating and interment being made in the Silver Creek cemetery.

The entire community wishes to extend their sincere sympathy to the grief stricken family in the loss of a very kind and loving father, son and brother who has passed to his eternal rest.

H. O. Ekerdalen is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sorum and Mrs. Hans Knutson autoed to Hillsboro last week Thursday.

Walter Patten came Friday from Hanna, N. D. for a short visit at home and be examined for the army draft.

Thirty men will be called from this county in the next draft which will be the 26th. of this month. Fourteen will be called from Pennington county and 3518 from the state, and 3412 from N. D.

The Goverment has provided that Liberty Bonds may be paid for in the following installments:

5 percent on application. 20 percent on May 28. 35 percent on July 18, and 40 percent on August 15th.

Payment in full may be made with the application or before May 4, but bonds will not be delivered before May 9th.

For Rent.

My 160 acre farm one mile west of Holt. Cash (on Nov. 1) plan desired. For terms apply to W. R. Hoag, 623 14th Ave. Southeast, Minneapolis, Minn.

Free Mission

Sunday School at

14. Lesson Mark 8:

Rev. Granlund of

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Lemons Whiten and Beautify the Skin! Make Cheap Lotion

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quarter pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, smoothener and beautifier.

Just try it! Make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It should naturally help to whiten, soften, freshen and bring out the hidden roses and beauty of any skin. It is wonderful for rough, red hands.

Your druggist will sell three ounces of orchard white at little cost, and any grocer will supply the lemons. Adv.

Resented the Snub.

An Irishman was at work on a hoisting machine that carried hods of bricks to the top of a building, and brought them down empty. Happening to get caught, he was carried to the top floor, and in the orderly but rapid progress of the machine was brought to the ground rather suddenly. A fellow-workman leaned from the second story scaffolding and cried:

"Are you hurt, Pat?"

"You go to the divvle!" shouted Pat. "I passed you twicet and ye niver spoke to me."

Why She Broke It Off.

Dick—Everyone says I'm a puzzle.

Tess—In that case there's only one thing for me to do—give you up.

Her Duty.

The girl at the counter who sells two yards of ribbon to the customer who wanted only one is also doing her bit.

WHY CHART LACKED DETAIL

Wife Found It Simply Impossible to Put Down All the Remarks Hubby Had Made.

A physician needed a nurse's medical chart, but had none at hand. The man's wife was nursing him, so he drew lines on a sheet of paper to represent a chart. He instructed the wife how to fill it out and left.

Next day the physician called, looked at the chart and was puzzled to find so many remarks registered, far removed from things medical—remarks most irrelevant, in fact. He asked an explanation from the wife—and he got it! Wifey motioned the physician to follow her into the adjoining room, whispering to him that she did not wish husband to hear the apology she must make for him.

"You see, doctor, I couldn't put down all the remarks he made, even if you did want to know them. I'm awfully sorry—but—you—see—he used so many swear words about you, doctor, because you wanted to 'know every word a man said.'"

Animals Admitted to Heaven.

According to the Mohammedan religion, ten animals were worthy of admission to heaven. They were:

The dog Kratim of the Seven Sleepers of Ephesus. These martyrs were walled in a cave and slept 230 years, the dog sleeping with them.

Balaam's ass which reproved the prophet.

Solomon's ant which reproved the sluggard.

Jonah's whale.

The ram of Israel which was offered in sacrifice by Abraham in place of Isaac.

The camel of Saleb.

The cuckoo of Belkis.

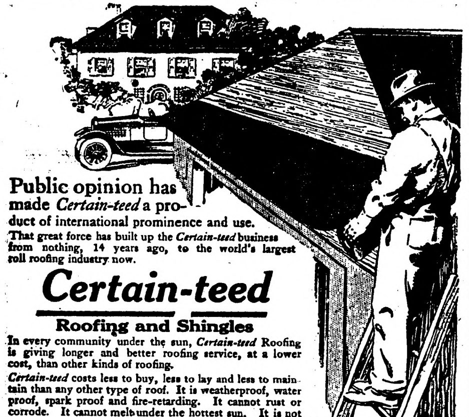
The ox of Moses.

Al Borak, the marvelous steed which carried Mohammed to heaven.

The ass on which Jesus rode into Jerusalem.—People's Home Journal.

Don't allow your dogs, your children or your trouble to trouble your neighbor.

Many a man's belief in his superior wisdom makes a fool of him.



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CO-OPERATIVE FARMING IN MAN POWER NECESSARY TO WIN THE BATTLE FOR LIBERTY

The Food Controllers of the United States and Canada are asking for greater food production. Scarcely 100,000,000 bushels of wheat are available to be sent to the allies overseas before the crop harvest. Upon the efforts of the United States and Canada rests the burden of supply.

Every Available Tillable Acre Must Contribute; Every Available Farmer and Farm Hand Must Assist

Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operation.

Canada's Wheat Production Last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the Demand From Canada Alone for 1918 is 400,000,000 Bushels

To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell you where you can best serve the combined interests.

Western Canada's help will be required not later than May 5th. Wages to competent help, $50.00 a month and up, board and lodging.

Those who respond to this appeal will get a warm welcome, good wages, good board and find comfortable homes. They will get a rate of one cent a mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return.

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NORTH DAKOTA SETS PACE FOR LOYALTY

League State Has Been Leader in Patriotic Endeavor in Past Year.

The seed bonding act passed by the special session of the North Dakota Legislature rounded out a year of patriotic endeavor second to that of no other state in the Union and superior in many respects to the record of the other states. No other state has done so much to aid the needy farmer as a means of increasing the nation's food supply.

The seed bond act gives counties the right to borrow money to supply seed and feed for those not financially able to put in a full crop for 1918.

The local elevator frauds which in the past were a heavy load to grain raisers, have been eliminated. State funds have been made available for mortgage loans, a matter of great importance in view of the fact that North Dakota interest rates have ranged 10 per cent and higher on the average. North Dakota has also taken nearly all the taxes off farm improvements.

Moratorium for Soldiers.

North Dakota was the first state to provide protection against foreclosure and seizure of the property of the soldiers while they are serving their country.

In marked contrast to this step taken by North Dakota, the Public Safety Commission of Minnesota recently announced that every financial obligation of a soldier could be enforced. The property laws of North Dakota are just as rigid as those of Minnesota, but having the will to serve those making the greatest sacrifices, North Dakota found the way to protect her defenders

State of Patriotism United.

North Dakota has had none of the mob violence, interference with lawful meetings, or "treason hunting" which several other states have apparently thought were evidence of superior patriotism. Yet no state is more unitedly patriotic than North Dakota. Rigid, impartial enforcement of the law in the spirit of fundamental American democracy has at least had no adverse effect on the patriotism of the state. North Dakota has sent many volunteers as well as its quota of drafted men to the army. Its farmers have done their utmost to raise food stuffs. They oversubscribed the first Liberty Loan by more than 50 per cent, even though it came before harvest time when the farmers were borrowing heavily to move the crop; and North Dakota oversubscribed its quota of the second loan by 73 per cent. The people have been pushing the Y. M. C. A. funds and subscribed more than $600,000 for the Red Cross.

Great War Sacrifice.

North Dakota is essentially a one crop state. Wheat is everything. On September, 1917, at least 80 cents was taken off the selling price of every bushel of wheat raised that the most important food product might be held within reach of the poor of the nation. Hardly a farmer in North Dakota escaped sharing in this sacrifice. Other prices have been set, of course, but none calling for so much sacrifice as that set on wheat. No other real price fixing or limiting of profits has been accomplished without serious protests and attempts to beat the government regulations. But the organized farmers accepted the wheat price and supported the government in regulating other prices.

The state of North Dakota, which is controlled by the Nonpartisan League, has been 100 per cent patriotic. This completely refutes the charges of disloyalty brought against the League by the anti-farmer interests.

Mr. Heney says the Chicago meat-embalmers have raised a big pot to be distributed among the daily and weekly newspapers of the country, to have them blow and puff the packers and put them in a better light before the public! We don't believe the gay old embalmers would give the weekly papers ten cents apiece to puff or defend them. They do not have to hire them. Big Biz would simply notify the parrots that—"It will be to your future advantage to stand by the packers." That will turn the trick any old time. No cash outlay necessary.—Donham's Doings, St. Peter, Minn.

Three hundred society women of New York have organized to teach the poor how to economize. In self-defense the poor should organize to teach the rich how to spend money.—Cleveland Press.

How Wages are Based.

In the stock yards' wage arbitration hearing before Federal Judge Alschuler, packers insisted that the cost of maintaining a family should not be considered when wages are being set. The only "fair" system, they said, was to ascertain the market rate of labor in the community.

Or, in other words, if wages are below the living line in other industries, the packers claim the right to employ their workers under the same conditions.

KANSAS GOVERNOR SEES GREATER DAYS

Predicts That Emancipation of American Producer is Close At Hand.

Governor Capper of Kansas is a friend of the farmer and worker and in the consolidation of effort of these two classes in the big organization now started on a triumphant march to control of national affairs he sees great things ahead for the principle of the square deal.

In an address to a gathering of farmers in his home state a few days ago, he went on record as stating that the American farmer and worker were the ones that would pull Uncle Sam out of the hole in the holy war for liberty and democracy.

Says Producers Are Ready.

"If we don't pull Uncle Sam out of the hole, I don't know who will pull him out. He seems well convinced of that himself. But so far, while our farmers are facing a shortage of labor and seed, the lowest condition for winter wheat we have ever had at this time of year—and the loss to the ranks of better paid labor in the cities, of as many trained farmers and farm hands as we have sent to the army and navy—Uncle Sam has signally failed to give us the same degree of protection he has given the great profit-producing organization. The packers get their 9 to 15 per cent, the railroads their regular dividends, the immensely wealthy steel trust has a generous margin of profit, the millers are well taken care of and the coal barons are charging higher prices than last year. But, as yet, it is up to the farmer and stock raiser to take care of himself as best he may, foregoing his own profit, but paying profiteer rates to all others while doing his utmost to stand loyally by Uncle Sam in this death-grapple. However, prospects are good for something better since Washington has been fully informed of the situation.

"I don't believe it was intended to put farmers in the hole in this way. I don't think we should hold Uncle Sam too strictly to account in this time of great extremity for his apparent discrimination, but I cannot help thinking if the producers had been called in for consultation as freely as were millers, wholesalers and the representatives of various branches of big business, we should not now be so terribly hampered on all sides, and thousands of head of dairy cattle, unfinished livestock and breeding animals, would not have been shipped to market when every source of human food should be developed to the maximum. The Kansas City and Chicago markets in recent weeks have been swamped at times by the heavy receipts of this class of stock.

Right Sure to Triumph.

"We are now supposed to be straining every nerve at conservation, but a conservation policy which does not conserve, promote, and protect the thrift and progress of the American farming industry — the source of all our strength and vigor as a Nation—is a mighty short-sighted policy.

"These are our difficulties, just now. No people have ever faced a situation with better spirit or with greater courage. That is the Kansas attitude of mind. Let us do the very best we can to maintain our fighting edge, for I am convinced there is a better time coming for the American farmer in which he and his calling will be fittingly recognized, and the greatest American industry of all be given a square deal, and this, my friends, is all it has ever needed."

Did It Ever Occur To You?

There is one little article that everybody uses and yet you have never seen it advertised. And why not?

For the simple reason that it is handled for the use and benefit of all the people, instead of private profit for just a few.

It is sold in every village, and hamlet in the land and yet no drummer has ever carried samples of it and never takes an order for it, and there is only one place in a town that keeps it.

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It is never taxed, no matter how many thousand dollars' worth are in stock. There has never been any corner or speculation in it, and its price at wholesale or retail is always the same. And best of all, it has never made a millionaire, or a pauper. The little thing is called a postage stamp, and if all articles were produced and handled in the same way, there would be no poverty, and but little crime or insanity in the United States.

Big Trench Plows.

Whenever and wherever it has been possible to do so, gigantic trench digging machines have been used for entrenchments instead of the spade of the soldier. Many hundreds of "trench plows," as they are called, were used by the Germans in the early days of the war, and that gave rise to the common belief that the Germans were the first to use them. But so long ago as the Boer war British army authorities experimented with plows and found them so successful that they became part of the army equipment.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart caused by gases in the stomach. August Flower is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. Sold in all civilized countries. Give it a trial.—Adv.

Full of Emotion.

Little Elsie had been told by her mother that a dog wags his tail to show that he is pleased, while a cat switches his tail when he is angry. A few days later Elsie discovered her favorite pussy purring contentedly before the open fire while her tail swayed luxuriously back and forth over the rug behind her. The little girl, her eyes wide with wonder, ran to her mother.

"Oh, mamma," she cried, "I don't see how Silver Belle can be so glad at one end and mad at the other at the same time!"

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Had to Register.

A negro lad, one of the dusky kind that come up from the South, appeared at a local draft board recently and inquired for a questionnaire.

"How old are you?" he was asked, and his answer was: "Eighteen."

"It wasn't necessary for you to register for the draft," he was told.

"Not necessary! Man, you don't know that town where Ah registered. Ah was working on the street when two big cops grabbed me and said, 'Niggah, you beat it over there and registah or we'll beat yoh haid.'"

Contrariness.

"Speaking of the kaiser's contrary or arbitrary attitude in this peace talk," says a well-known legislator, "reminds me of the Kansas farmer who was elected in the state legislature a few years ago. The farmer was called to the chair during a session to act as speaker pro tem. A motion was made to lay a certain resolution on the table. The speaker put the motion like this:

"'All those who want the resolution to lay on the table say aye! All those who want to be contrary say no!'"

His Fear.

"Are you not tempted to retire from politics?"

"No," replied Senator Sorghum; "that's a proposition concerning which I fear compulsion, not temptation."

Had To Quit Work

Gave Up Hope of Recovery, But Doan's Restored His Health. Has Been Well Since.

J. B. Ragless, carpenter, 210 W. 60th St., Chicago, Ill., says: "My back gave out completely and I had to quit work. I could hardly endure the pain in my back and nights I tossed and turned, unable to sleep. Often in the morning my back was as stiff as a board, so that I couldn't stoop to dress myself. When I did manage to bend over, everything before me turned black. My head seemed to be whirling and sometimes I was so dizzy I had to grasp something to keep from falling.

Mr. Ragless

"The kidney secretions were irregular in passage, getting me up at night and the passages burned cruelly. I lost my appetite, was weak and listless and went down twenty-five pounds in weight. When I had almost given up hope, *Doan's Kidney Pills* cured me. Soon after, I passed an examination for life insurance and I'm glad to say my cure has lasted."

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Gets Big Wolf.

J. W. Fountain, a rancher of the McKenzie Valley, living near Walterville, Ore., recently brought to Eugene the pelt of a huge black wolf trapped by him.

He caught it in two traps, set close to each other, and the animal had both broken and would have escaped soon had Mr. Fountain not arrived when he did. There are several of these animals in that vicinity, and the ranchers have been losing cattle and sheep as a result of their depredations.

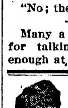
This wolf was one of the largest ever seen in this county, measuring over eight feet from tip to tip.

Different.

"Is young Huggins still paying attention to your daughter?"

"No; they're married now."

Many a man who has a reputation for talking too much doesn't talk enough at the right time.



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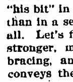

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What "His Bit" Really Means.

As first used in England, "His Bit" was intended to convey the impression of "his all," but the term "bit" as used in this country rather minimizes the task before us. Men think of one doing "his bit" in a sense of smallness rather than in a sense of consecration of their all. Let's find some new expression—stronger, more emphatic, more all-embracing, and yet not profane, which conveys the thought that we must do our utmost in this great world war.—Manufacturers' Record.

Combination.

"What's the matter with that nut?"

"He's a natural-born screw."—Baltimore American.

It sometimes happens that when type is set it hatches out trouble.

Builders of air castles are spared all worry about labor strikes.

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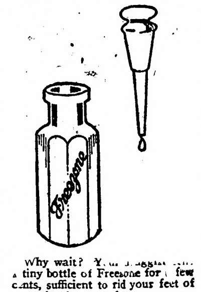

Why wait? Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of Freezone for a few cents, sufficient to rid your feet of every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and calluses, without soreness or irritation. Freezone is the much talked of discovery of the Cincinnati genius.

WOMEN MUST HELP RAISE WAR FUNDS

Lovers of Home and Country Called to the Colors.

ALL CAN BUY LIBERTY BONDS

Wives, Sisters, Mothers, Sweethearts Never Before Called Upon to Play Such a Vastly Important Part —Lend Your Money.

(By DOROTHY DIX.)

Buy a Liberty bond, ladies. No matter how many you have bought before, stretch a point and buy another.

You can't shoulder a gun and go off and fight for your country, as the men are doing. You can't put on a nurse's uniform and go and nurse wounded soldiers or drive an ambulance or work in a munition factory, as many other women are doing, but you can do your bit by backing up these other men and women, who are risking their lives to defend you with your money.

Without guns and munitions, without food and clothes, without hospital supplies, the army in France is just so many sheep led to the slaughter; if we let them die for the lack of the things that money buys, their blood is on our heads, and our crime against them will be blacker than the Boches, because they trusted us.

It takes money, money, money and yet more money to carry on war, and this war is to be the war of the longest pocketbook. It is the last ton of bombs, the last load of shrapnel, and the last big gun that will thunder out victory. Therefore, if we want to win this war, we must find more money, and it is particularly up to us women, who can fight with our hands, to fight with our dollars, and pour them like water at Uncle Sam's feet.

Women's Greatest Sacrifices.

In no war in all history have women been called upon to play such a tremendous part as in this war. Never before have women had to give so many of their husbands and sons and brothers to be cannon fodder. Never have women before gone into the trenches and fought side by side with men. Never have they gone into factories to make munitions of war with their own hands. Never have they had to take upon their shoulders the heavy burdens of hard physical labor that men laid down when they went forth to battle. And never before did their country call on women to make such sacrifices as they are called on to make now.

It is because this war touches women more nearly in every way than any other war has ever done, because more women's hearts have been broken by it, more women impoverished and made homeless, more mothers have seen their babes slain before their eyes, more mothers have beheld their young daughters ravished, that women must use their utmost effort to put an end to war.

Women must see to it that there is never another war to lay waste to the world and drench it with women's tears, and this can only be accomplished by our winning this war.

And to do that we must have money. So, let every woman who has some loved one at the front buy a Liberty bond. Let every woman who has a hearthstone that she would keep safe buy a Liberty bond. Let every woman who has a babe that she loves, or a young daughter whose purity she would guard, buy a Liberty bond.

Reasons Are Numerous.

Let every woman who has a particle of sympathy in her soul for the forlorn women and children of Belgium and France buy a Liberty bond. Let every woman who believes in justice, and freedom, and right buy a Liberty bond. Let every woman who hates war and craves for peace buy a Liberty bond.

The trip that you had planned, the new frock you were going to get, how pitifully small is the sacrifice of these for the sake of those who are sacrificing their lives to protect you and yours.

Buy all the Liberty bonds you can, and then go in debt for some more, so shall you prove yourself a worthy daughter of Uncle Sam.

This is a time when money talks and tells the kind of a patriot you are.

The woman who hasn't a bunch of Liberty bonds if she's rich, or who isn't paying on a Liberty bond if she's poor, is a traitor to her country and should hang her head in shame every time she passes a man in khaki or feels the fold of the red, white, and blue floating over her unworthy head.

The Badge of Citizenship.

The Liberty Bond button is no longer a mark of liberality or even of patriotism; it is the badge of citizenship. Are you wearing one?

War and the Weather.

The Almighty makes the weather, not man, and if the weather doesn't suit us, we have to wait. The farmer knows what a day's rain will do in the way of upsetting plans. One can't plow in the mud and a cutting of hay or wheat may be damaged or ruined by one night's downpour.

The war department, too, is up against the weather in France. Three inches rainfall may make the country impassable for half a million men and horses and motortrucks and ruin the chances of victory or bring defeat.

Building-up for the Spring Attack at the Front is a good deal like putting the body in condition for an invasion of the germs of grip, pneumonia or "Spring fever" here at home.

At this time of the year most people suffer from a condition often called Spring Fever. They feel tired, worn out, before the day is half thru. They may have frequent headaches and sometimes "pimply" or pale skin and white lips. The reason for this is that during the wintertime, shut up within doors, eating too much meat and too little green vegetables, one heaps fuel into the system which is not burned up and the clinkers remain to poison the system—a clogging up of the circulation—with inactive liver and kidneys. Time to put your house in order.

For an invigorating tonic which will clarify the blood, put new life in the body, sparkle to the eyes, and a wholesome skin, nothing does so well as a glyceric herb extract made from Golden Seal root, Blood and Stone root, Oregon grape root and Wild Cherry bark. This can be had in convenient, ready-to-use tablet form at all drug stores, sixty cents, and has been sold for the past fifty years as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. By reason of the nerves feeding on the blood, when the blood is pure the nerves feel the effect, and neuralgia or other nerve pains disappear because such pain is the cry of the starved nerves for food. When suffering from backache, frequent or scanty urine, rheumatic pains here or there, or that constant tired feeling, the simple way to overcome these disorders is merely to obtain Dr. Pierce's Anuric from your druggist. In tablets, sixty cents.

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There is at least one family in England which can snap its fingers at Lord Rhondda and whose members are not to be found in food queues. The head of the family recently wrote to a London newspaper that himself, wife and family of four have lived for 14 weeks wholly on raw vegetable salads made of grated turnips, carrots, parsnips, beets, cabbages, etc., together with fruit salads, toast and porridge, and says they are all much stronger and healthier as a result. They use neither tea nor coffee and grow their own vegetables, and so may be regarded as the most independent family in England.—New York World.

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Sentiment for a Pessimist.

"This is old Grouch's birthday. I suppose I ought to say something to him about it."

"Wish him many unhappy returns of the day."

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Not to Be Expected.

"Josephine had a quiet wedding, didn't she?" "Oh, no; she had to be there, you know."

A spring gun has been invented for casting fishing lines farther than can be done by hand.

WITH VOICE OF EXPERIENCE

Possibly Mamma Spoke of What She Understood to Be General Habit of Married Men.

The two girls were walking along a suburban avenue, talking about their best young men, of course. At least, one of them was.

"Charley was up to see me last night," she said.

"That's twice in a week, isn't it?" inquired the other.

"Yes," and she blushed and giggled.

"I suppose he'll come three times in the next week?"

"I suppose so."

"And four times the next?"

"That's what brother says."

"And five times the next?"

"That's what sister says."

"And six times the next?"

"That's what auntie says."

"And seven times the next."

"That's what papa says."

"That's about all he can do; what then?"

"Then we'll get married; that's what everybody says."

"And then what?"

"Then I won't see him any more of an evening; that's what mamma says."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Wasted Energy.

"What a pity Narcissus, who pined away because he couldn't eat or sleep for admiring his own beauty, didn't live in these times."

"Why, how would that have helped him?"

"You poor boob, he could have kept on admiring himself and got a lot out of it as a movie idol."

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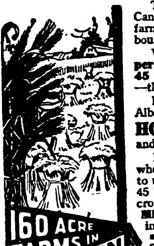
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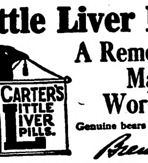

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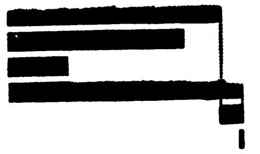

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guage. The captain thanked him, fitted out another boat with him, and in this boat it was my luck to go.

When we got there, it was such a scene as you seldom see, and never want to. Nastiness beyond account, and chaos run loose in the midst of the nastiness. There were not a great many of the negroes; but by way of making what there were understand that they were free, Vaughan had had their handcuffs and anklecuffs knocked off, and, for convenience' sake, was putting them upon the rascals of the schooner's crew. The negroes were, most of them, out of the hold, and swarming all round the dirty deck, with a central throng surrounding Vaughan and addressing him in every dialect and patois of a dialect, from the Zulu click up to the Parisian of Beledeliersed.

As we came on deck, Vaughan looked down from a hogshead, on which he had mounted in desperation, and said:

"For God's love, is there anybody who can make these wretches understand something? The men gave them rum, and that did not quiet them. I knocked that big fellow down twice, and that did not soothe him. And then I talked Choctaw to all of them together; and I'll be hanged if they understood that as well as they understood the English."

Nolan said he could speak Portuguese, and one or two fine-looking Kroomen were dragged out, who, as it had been found already, had worked for the Portuguese on the coast at Fernando Po.

"Tell them they are free," said Vaughan; "and tell them that these rascals are to be hanged as soon as we can get rope enough."

Nolan explained it in such Portuguese as the Kroomen could understand, and they in turn to such of the negroes as could understand them. Then there was such a yell of delight, clinching of fists, leaping and dancing, kissing of Nolan's feet, and a general rush made to the hogshead by way of spontaneous worship of Vaughan as the deus ex machina of the occasion.

"Tell them," said Vaughan, well pleased, "that I will take them all to Cape Palmas."

This did not answer so well. Cape Palmas was practically as far from the homes of most of them as New Orleans or Rio Janeiro was; that is, they would be eternally separated from home there. And their interpreters, as we could understand, instantly said, "Ah, non Palmas," and began to propose infinite other expedients in most voluble language. Vaughan was rather disappointed at this result of his liberality, and asked Nolan eagerly what they said. The drops stood on poor Nolan's white forehead as he hushed the men down, and said:

"He says, 'Not Palmas.' He says, 'Take us home, take us to our country, take us to our own house, take us to our own pickaninnies and our own women.' He says he has an old father and mother, who will die, if they do not see him. And this one says he left his people all sick, and paddled down to come and help them, and that these devils caught him in the bay just in sight of home, and that he has never seen anybody from home since then. And this one says," choked out Nolan, "that he has not heard a word from his home in six months, while he has been locked up in an infernal barracoon."

Vaughan always said he grew gray himself while Nolan struggled through this interpretation. I, who did not understand anything of the passion involved in it, saw that the very elements were melting with fervent heat, and that something was to pay somewhere. Even the negroes themselves stopped howling as they saw Nolan's agony, and Vaughan's almost equal agony of sympathy. As quick as he could get words, he said:

"Tell them yes, yes; tell them they shall go to the Mountains of the Moon, if they will. If I sail the schooner through the Great White Desert, they shall go home!"

And after some fashion Nolan said so. And then they all fell to kissing him again and wanted to rub his nose with theirs.

But he could not stand it long; and getting Vaughan to say he might go back, he beckoned me down into our boat. As we lay back in the stern sheets and the men gave way, he said to me: "Youngster, let that show you what it is to be without a family, without a home, and without a country. And if you are ever tempted to say a word or to do a thing that shall put a bar between you and your family, your home, and your country, pray God in his mercy to take you that instant home to his own heaven. Stick by your family, boy; forget you have a self, while you do everything for them. Think of your home, boy; write and send, and talk about it. Let it be nearer and nearer to your thought, the farther you have to travel from it; and rush to it, when you are free, as that poor black slave is doing now. And for your country, boy," and the words rattled in his throat, "and for that flag," and he pointed to the ship, "never dream a dream but of serving her as she bids you, though the service carry you through a thousand hells. No matter what happens to you, no matter who flatters you or who abuses you, never look at another flag, never let a night pass but you pray God to bless that flag. Remember, boy, that behind all these men you have to do with, behind officers, and government, and people even, there is the country herself, your country, and that you belong to her as you belong to your own mother. Stand by her, boy, as you would stand by your mother, if those devils there had got hold of her today!"

I was frightened to death by his

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Sixty Dollars, interest payment which became due December 1st, 1917, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Adolph Sollom and Ida Sollom, his wife, and Theodore Sollom, a single man, Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Holt (a Minnesota Corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of March 1916, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 80 of Mortgages, on page 603

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Farmers State Bank of Holt, Mortgagee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 3rd day of May 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 5th day of May 1917 at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 83 of Mortgages on page 546

AND WHEREAS, The said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the Assignee, and Holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand and sixty ($1,060.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 1st day of December 1917, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots numbered nineteen (19) and twenty (20) in Block numbered eight (B. 8) of the Town of Holt, according to the official plat thereof on file and recorded in the office of the register of deeds within and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the west front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 11th day of May 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Thousand and Sixty Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 23rd A. D. 1918.

Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Notice is hereby given, that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby declares the whole sum due, which mortgage was executed by Sally A. Moore, a widow, mortgagor, to Holt State Bank, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated September 3rd, 1914, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 5th day of September, 1914, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., in book 73 of Mortgages on page 60.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date, is the sum of thirty eight and 2-100 ($38.02) Dollars.

That no action or proceeding has been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage or any part thereof.

That the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage are described as follows: The south half of the northwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. twenty nine (29) in Township No. one hundred fifty six (156) North of range No. forty (40), west of 5th P. M., in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the above described premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, or his deputy, at the West Front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 11th day of May, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and twenty five ($25.00) Dollars, attorney's fees as stipulated in the said mortgage in case of foreclosure; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th 1918.

HOLT STATE BANK (a Minnesota Corporation) MORTGAGEE.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

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of The Holt Weekly News

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B Docken,
Business manager.
Sworn to April 2, 1918 before
Nils Engebretsen,
Notary Public.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account

Estate of John Hanson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Hanson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to George J. Hanson and Ludvig F. Hanson, and to all other persons interested in the above estate.

Whereas, B. Docken, the representative of the above estate has filed in this court his final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: It Is Ordered, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 4th day of May 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in The Holt Weekly News according to law.

Witness the honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 8th day of April 1918.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Judge.
A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

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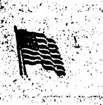

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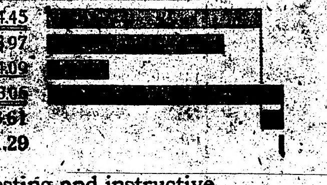

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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The Holt Weekly News
Successor to and Continuation of
The Northern Light
By The
Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Mrs. Bjerken went to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Green apples for sale cheap at Reierson's store.

B. I. Bakke went to Grand Forks Tuesday on business.

Clarence Kolden went to Minneapolis Wednesday on business.

Mrs. M. T. Strom was an over Sunday visitor with relatives in T. R. Falls.

John and Gilbert Johnson have both been laid up this week with an attack of rheumatism.

Einer Sollom went to Middle River Wednesday to work in the Middle River State Bank.

Mrs. H. Oien and baby went to Greenbush Wednesday to visit her sister Mrs. A. D. Martin a few days.

Clarence Docken returned Monday from visiting with his parents at Mekinock, N. D. and also other places.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson visited over Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Pappenhagen and family at Goodridge.

Joe Nelson and sister, Miss Ingeborg, Misses Martha Peterson and Helen Johnson were visitors in T. R. Falls Monday evening.

J. B. Alkenbrack went to T. R. Falls yesterday. He expects to leave Saturday for a visit with his son Johnnie at Tolley N. Dak.

Gladys Hagen has been obliged to give up her work in the post office on account of poor health and Ida Kjelgren is now employed in her place.

The Middle River choir will give a concert in the Woodman hall next Thursday evening for the benefit of the Red Cross. Everyone should be there to help along a good cause.

Mrs. B. L. Backe and mother, Mrs. Cavanaugh, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack autoed up from T. R. Falls Monday. The two former visited Mrs. Martin Mattson and the latter couple closed their land deal with Mrs. Fitch of Decorah, Iowa. We understand Mrs. Fitch will move here in May.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a Complete Line of CASKETS and Funeral Supplies which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Bently Nelson Writes From France

Base Hospital, March 25, 1918.

Dear Mother:-

Will write you a few lines. Hav'nt heard from you for a long time, and I wonder if you got my letters. I am at Base Hospital No. 15, have been here 2 weeks. I was wounded by a German bullet, while at the front, on Feb. 11th. Was in two other hospitals before coming to this one. I am just about well now. I got hit between the eyes, I was bending down so the bullet went down through back of my nose, and on the left side, about an inch and a half in. I was operated on the 3rd March, they had to cut through the jaw bone from inside my mouth. I have the bullet for a souvenir. It sure was a lucky shot, a wonder I did'nt get killed, but I am feeling fine now, so don't worry about me. How are you all? I hope you are all well. I hav'nt got any of the boxes that you sent me. I suppose some one else got them so I should'nt worry. I am having a good time. The Y. M. C. A. are here, moving pictures, a band plays and they have shows. There is something doing every night and base ball games on Sundays, but I wish I would get some mail soon. I hav'nt got any since I left for the trenches and that's about two months ago. I don't know what to write about. I suppose you know about as much as I do about the war or more. Its summer here now. It began two weeks ago, so we have fine weather. How is it out home? It was fine to ride on the Red Cross train, as it was the first one I have been on. Its sure fine to ride on a real train that looks like the ones in the U. S. I could write and tell you a lot about this country but I better leave it out so you will get this letter. I wish you would write a long letter and tell me all the news, and I hope that you won't worry about me, I am just as safe here as any other place.

I will have to close now but will soon write again. Tell all hello from me with the best of wishes and love, your son, Bently A. Nelson,
4th Co., 1st Brig.,
M. G. B., A. E. F., France
Care Base Hospital No. 15.

Mrs. Nelson received the above letter April 15 and thru her kindness we are premitted to print it for the sake of his many friends.

Went Over The Top

Marshall county went over the top with colors flying in the Liberty Bond sale.

This part of the county made a good showing and this village and all the townships in this district will get an honor flag. The townships of Adger and Mud Lake will each get an honor flag with a gold star, as a reward for doubling their quota.

Following are the amounts of bonds sold: Holt village $5500, township $2400; East Valley $1600; Adger $2850; Mud Lake $1200; Excel $3350. No official report has been received from Grand Plain, but it is known they went over the top, with more than their quota.

Mr. and Mrs. Docken, Misses Agnes Bakke, Beatha Nelson, Helen Johnson and Martha Peterson autoed to T. R. Falls Friday evening to attend an entertainment there.

All young men who have become 21 years old since last registration day, June 5th, 1917 will be required to register on June 5th. this year. This will place about 700,000 men in class I. If they wish to avoid the draft and make their own choice of the branch they might wish to serve in, they would have to volunteer soon.

Free Mission Church

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

The Ladies Aid will serve lunch in the church basement next Thursday afternoon April 25th.

Notice!

All property owners and occupants are hereby notified that their premises and adjoining streets and alleys must be cleaned of all ashes, refuse, rubbish, manure, dead and decaying matter, before May 1st, 1918, or the same will be done by order of the village council and the costs taxed against the property.

By order of the Village Council
P. A. Riesberg, President
H. B. Young, Clerk

STEINER NEWS.

Nathaniel Mussy has been sowing wheat on his new braking the past week.

Nick Baker is plowing for small grain on G. L. Leisner's farm the past few days.

Peter Solum did trading in this burg last Friday.

Arthur Simonson did business in Thief River Falls last Friday.

John Fresmo moved out from town onto his farm last week.

Peter Sagmoen is farming part of the Fresmo farm this season.

R. L. Mussy is having a new barn built on his north farm and L. R. Rogers is doing the carpenter work.

Fred Copp was a business caller at the county seat last Thursday.

Miss Matilda Seaden and brother went to Thief River Falls Thursday in her new Ford. She has become quite efficient in handling her new machine.

Mr. Russell's children were home over Sunday from T. R. Falls, returning that same evening.

Mrs. John Meyers has gone to St. Paul to visit her son who is seriously ill in that place.

The young folks gave a surprise at Harry Copp's place Saturday night. A very enjoyable time is reported.

C. Johnsonberg did business in Thief River the latter part of the week.

Fred Johnson came up from T. R. Falls Monday to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Hanson, a visiting nurse for Marshall County came Monday to do some work in this vicinity.

A baby boy was born Friday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gabrielson who live near Golden Valley.

Every one should raise a garden this year, and try to save food in every possible way for our soldier boys.

The Goverment has provided that Liberty Bonds may be paid for in the following installments: 5 percent on application. 20 percent on May 28. 35 percent on July 18, and 40 percent on August 15th.

War Savings Stamps

Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without YOUR HELP or that Germany will let you keep your money if she Wins. Buy a Stamp

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 10 to 11 o'clock.

The Dorcas Society will be entertained this week Saturday by Mrs. C. L. Sandberg.

The Middle River choir will give a cantata entitled "Ruth" in Holt, Apr. 25, at the hall, at 8 o'clock P. M., next Thursday. They have 20 trained voices who will sing for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

East Valley News

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ring left for Alexandria Minn. last week after a few days visit at the C. Ring home.

Mrs. John Jahr accompanied her brother Peter Olson, and nephew A. Knutson to Wanaska Minn. to visit with her parents and other relatives for a few days.

Thea and Olga Johnson were on the sick list last week.

S. G. Svenkeson returned last week from Randen Minn. for a few days stay on his homestead.

Nels Larson and his brother Ingvald were visitors at Albert Jahr's Friday evening.

Annie Larson spent Sunday at the Tom Severson' home.

The following were visitors at the S. S. Kolden home Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Risberg, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kolden and baby, Walter Riesberg and Mr. Olberg and family of Thief Lake.

Iver Larson is busy with the spring work on their farm in East Valley. (How do you like the bachelor's life Iver?)

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Knutson and family spent Sunday evening at Hans Knutson's.

Miss Olga Saastad is suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

A big baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Knutson yester day morning.

Another light shower Tuesday has brightened things up considerably. What we now need is some warm weather to start the grain and grass.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Monson came up from T. R. Falls Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fosholm. Mrs. Monson is better known to our people as Miss Thinda Fosholm

Ole Backlund returned last week Thursday from near Randen where he had been working for some time. We understand he expects to open his butcher shop the latter part of this month.

Olaf Johnson and his crew of workmen, commenced work Tuesday on their last years ditch contract and expect to be able to finish it in about six weeks, and then will commence work on their new contract. A walking device for their dredge arrived here Wednesday and they hauled it out to the ditch a distance of 22 miles with a tractor.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
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Phones: Office 106 Residence 167

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All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.71
Oats	76
Barley	1.06 to 1.43
Rye	2.34
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

4 THRIFT STAMPS GIVEN AWAY.

Four Thrift Stamps will be given to any girl or boy for each name sent of those that need glasses, if they will get them in gold frames on my next visit. Names must be sent before any date advertised. If this is not understood, write to C. G. Mugg, O. S., Grand Forks, N. D.

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Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
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In connection with teams and rigs
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Samson Windmills!

The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction. They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.

See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.

Davidson Bros., Agents
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All work guaranteed satisfactory

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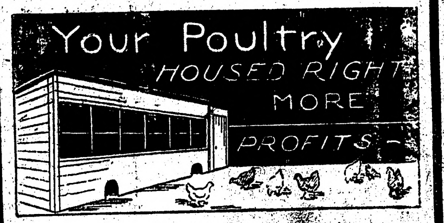

YOUR poultry will bring better returns if properly housed and taken care of.

AND you will be surprised at the small cost of building the houses and sheds necessary for their proper care.

WE have all of the material required for housing poultry and will gladly give you ideas along this line.

WINTON-NICHOLS Lumber Company
IF IT'S BUILDING MATERIAL - WE HAVE IT.
HOLT, MINN.

Red-blooded men of courage are on the firing line—and there are many anemic, weak, discouraged men and women left at home.

At this time of the year most people suffer from a condition often called Spring Fever. They feel tired, worn out, before the day is half thru. They may have frequent headaches and sometimes "pimply" or pale skin.

Bloodless people, thin, anemic people, those with pale cheeks and lips, who have a poor appetite and feel that tired, worn or feverish condition in the springtime of the year, should try the refreshing tonic powers of a good alterative and blood purifier. Such a one is extracted from Blood root, Golden Seal and Stone root, Queen's root and Oregon Grape root, made up with chemically pure glycerine and without the use of alcohol. This can be obtained in ready-to-use tablet form in sixty-cent vials, as druggists have sold it for fifty years as Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a standard remedy that can be obtained in tablet or liquid form.

A good purge should be taken once a week even by persons who have a movement daily, in order to eliminate matter which may remain and cause a condition of auto-intoxication, poisoning the whole system. To clean the system at least once a week is to practice health measures. There is nothing so good for this purpose as tiny pills made up of the May-apple, leaves of aloe and jalap, and sold by almost all druggists in this country as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, sugar-coated, easy to take.

Save the Calves!

Stamp ABORTION Out of Your Herd and Keep It Out!

Apply treatment yourself. Small expense. Write for free booklet on Abortion, "Questions and Answers". State number of cattle in herd.

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Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c.

Oratory Today.

In Mississippi they tell of a young lawyer retained to defend a man charged with the theft of a pig. The young man seemed determined to convince the jury that he was born to shine, and accordingly he delivered the following exordium:

"May it please the court and gentlemen of the jury, while Europe is bathed in blood; while classic Greece is struggling for her rights and liberties and trampling the unhallowed altars of the beardless infidels to dust; while the United States, entering the war, shines forth the brightest orb in the political sky—I, with due diffidence, rise to defend the cause of this humble hog thief."—Case and Comment.

Subtle Reasoning.

My little grandson is quite a hand for "reasoning from analogy," and the other day was asking what his family name was. I told him his father's ancestors came from England, Wales and Scotland, while his mother's were English and Irish.

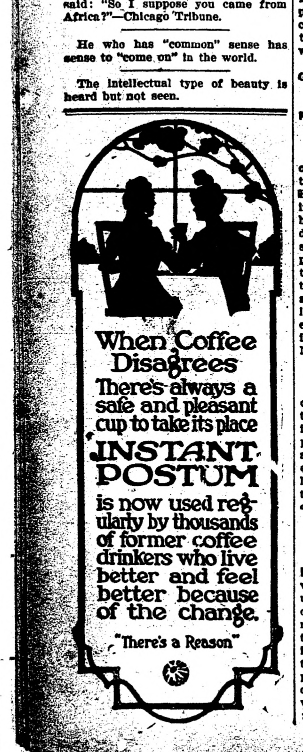
He then asked: "Grandma, what was your name before you were married?"

"I answered "Lyon."

He considered a moment and then said: "So I suppose you came from Africa?"—Chicago Tribune.

He who has "common" sense has sense to "come on" in the world.

The intellectual type of beauty is heard but not seen.



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"There's a Reason"

LAUDS THE LEAGUE—CAN'T MAKE RACE

T. J. Meighen Declines to Make Race For State Treasurer on League Ticket.

T. J. Meighen of Preston will not be the Nonpartisan League candidate for state treasurer.

In a letter to the League officials, he states that while he appreciates the high honor conferred on him he felt that owing to the fact that he was an accredited and regularly elected delegate to the Democratic conference held at St. Paul last week, he is duty bound not to accept an indorsement from any other source.

Mr. Meighen pays a high tribute to the League however, nad says that it is the only way in which justice can be obtained.

"I wish to add," says Mr. Meighen, "that I feel highly honored by the endorsement of the state convention of the Nonpartisan League, as I am reliably informed that this meeting was largely attended, nearly fifty legislative districts in the state being represented, that the Delegation was representative of the best citizenship in our State, many of the older men present were my co-workers in the old Farmers Alliance Organization of this State, and I am pleased beyond my power of expression to feel that I possess in some degree the confidence of such a sterling body of men. The Farmers Alliance placed the Twine Plant in the State Prison at Stillwater nearly thirty years ago which has saved the farmers of this state many thousand of dollars annually.

"Your platform rings true to the interests of the producers of this State, and you are bound to bring relief also to the consumers, the great mass of workers in our cities, by eliminating the men who have been exacting excessive toll from them as well as the farmer. I am free to pronounce it the greatest declaration of independence ever put forth by any political organization in this state. You start very properly with a strong indorsement of the position of our country in this world war as voiced by President Wilson.

"In State matters, your convention had the courage not evidenced by any other organization in this state to declare for a tonnage tax on the iron ore production. If this were done, our state should have received last year at least ten million dollars in excess of what was collected. This vast sum of which we are despoiled would assist materially in the building of our roads and the support of our schools.

"I have little hope that the people of this state will ever succeed in obtaining what they are fairly entitled to receive from this vast natural deposit of wealth, save through a movement such as yours, which is backed by the reproducers of this state in country and city regardless of party.

"The battle for democracy should be fought wherever and whenever Autocracy raises its head, whether in Minnesota or on foreign soil. Over there it must be fought with bullets, here in Minnesota we are still privileged to fight with the ballot.

"Having a personal acquaintance with many members of your organization and judging its spirit from my knowledge of these men and your platform declaration, I feel free to commend the League as being loyal to the high ideals for which the world democracy is now fighting."

GOVERNMENT SHOULD PUT FARMERS ON THEIR FEET

Politicians Are Driving Hundreds of Farmers to Work in Cities.

The federal and state governments owe it to all the people of the nation to help put farmers on their feet. Farm lands are rapidly concentrating in the hands of rich landowners, and hundreds of good farmers are being driven to work in cities or become shiftless roamers. Why? Because politicians and business men are interested more pillaging the farmer than in helping him to own a farm and establish himself for a lifetime in the country. Our country is headed straight for destruction if this evil is not corrected.—Montana Equity News.

Why Matches Are Higher.

The report of the Diamond Match company—the match trust—shows the profit to be $5,637,925 in 1917, an increase of over a million over the preceding year. The management also set aside $1,103,098 to meet federal war taxes and made a much larger appropriation for depreciation than in 1916. And the great American family paid it all.

Didn't Stipulate As To Truth.

One of the facts brought out in the investigation of the packing industry was that the packers made liberal use of the press to "mould public opinion" in their behalf. It isn't recorded that they took special pains to tell the truth, which, of course, is not exactly a rigid requirement of the capitalist press. Fortunately public opinion is getting its eyes opened and the packers' camoflauging words are over-shadowed by their uncovered deeds.

MARTIN CLEARED OF DISLOYALTY CHARGE

Nonpartisan League Organizer is Acquitted by District Court Jury On First Ballot.

L. W. Martin, Nonpartisan league organizer in Goodhue county, was acquitted last Friday of a charge of making disloyal remarks tending to obstruct the sale of Liberty bonds by a jury in the district court. The jury deliberated less than an hour and Martin was acquitted on the first ballot.

Martin's arrest was the result of political persecution. He was unusually successful in organizing Goodhue county and soon aroused the opposition of a few professional politicians and bankers who feared the influence of the league. A certain Dr. J. A. Gates, defeated candidate for lieutenant-governor, was especially active against Martin and is said to have boasted that he would drive him out of the county.

Politician Assaulted Organizer.

Dr. Gates assaulted Martin on one occasion and several times mob violence was incited against the plucky organizer. Hostile newspapers repeatedly published false rumors in the attempt to prejudice the people against Martin and to hamper his work. Last November Martin addressed a letter to the governor and the Public Safety Commission asking for an investigation of the charges against him. He said that if he were guilty he should be in jail, but that if he were innocent that he was entitled to protection of the law. The governor ignored this letter and the Safety Commission failed either to investigate of to protect Martin.

Then Martin brought a suit against Dr. Gates for assault. His own arrest followed. It plainly was the result of a political conspiracy. All other methods had failed, and the gang fighting Martin evidently intended to put him behind the bars.

Trial Vindicated Martin.

The trial, conducted before Judge Albert Johnson of the district court, was a complete vindication for Martin. It was shown that instead of being disloyal, he had advocated support of President Wilson. It was shown that instead of obstructing the sale of Liberty bonds, the parts of Goodhue county where he had spoken and organized were the sections where the sale of Liberty bonds was largest. The prosecution not only failed to make out a case against Martin, but the evidence showed beyond question that he was an industrious, hard-working young man of splendid character who was supporting his government by deeds as well as words.

Joseph Gilbert, organization manager of the league, and N. S. Randall, league lecturer, also were indicted through the efforts of the anti-farmer gang which had Martin brought to trial. The cases against Gilbert and Randall have been postponed. The anti-farmer gang thought they had the strongest case against Martin and the failure of their plot has made them less ready to push the other cases.

The charges of disloyalty made against the league in Southern Minnesota centered around the alleged remarks of Martin and his triumphant acquittal by a district court jury punctures the plot directed against the league. It was the first time that any league organizer was brought before a district court jury on a charge of disloyalty and the prompt vindication is a body blow to the opposition.

TOWNLEY PLEASED WITH VERDICT

Nonpartisan Head Says False Disloyalty Charges Handicap Prosecution of War.

President A. C. Townley is satisfied that the interests "who place politics above patriotism" have been dealt a hard blow in the acquittal of L. W. Martin, who was so promptly cleared of charges of disloyalty by a Red Wing jury last Friday.

The Setting Is Good.

It is fitting that the great producing Northwest should be the first to start a movement for the emancipation of mankind from tyrannical industrial autocracy. Its people have been the worst sufferers of this rule, and should be the first to cast off the unnecessary load.

Farmers do not want a higher price for wheat. They know that $3 wheat wouldn't net them any more, if as much, as $2 wheat, for the profiteers would boost what the farmer has to buy. What Congress should do is set lower prices on those articles which farmers have to buy. —Montana Equity News.

Profiteers and Patrioteers.

Senator Hiram W. Johnson, in discussing what he calls "patrioteers," said: "A patrioteer is a politician, usually discredited, who seeks in time of war to cover every political scare by wrapping himself in the American flag, and by vocal vociferation of a pretended patriotism, endeavors to have his political past forgotten. I have little less contempt for the patrioteers than I have for the profiteer."

WHERE FARMING IS PROFITABLE

The Future of Great Possibilities.

Some idea of the great wealth that the Western Canada farmer had in view a few years ago is now being realized. The amount received from the sale of wheat, oats, barley, flax and rye in 1917 was $270,000,000, while the sales of live stock at Winnipeg alone netted $40,000,000 additional. Of this sum hogs alone gave over eleven million dollars. The increases at Calgary and Edmonton were over 6¼ million dollars.

This money, so easily earned, is being spent in improvements in farm property, purchasing additional land, buying tractors, automobiles, and improving home conditions, providing electric light, steam heat, new furniture, pianos, buying Victory bonds, paying up old debts, etc.

Over five hundred tractors were sold in Southern Alberta in 1917. One implement agent reports that the increase in his business in 1917, over that of 1916, was equal to the total business in 1915. It is the same story all over the country. And it is not this evidence alone which proves the advancement and growth of the three prairie provinces, but the large increase in the number of settlers; the improvement in the extent of the cultivated areas and agricultural production; the increase in value of which over 1916 was $77,000,000.

This wonderful progress that has been made in agriculture in Western Canada is but the beginning which marks the future of the greatest agricultural country on the continent, showing a future of great possibilities. There are millions of acres yet untilled, and of land as good as any of that which is now giving its owners a return of from twenty to thirty dollars an acre, figures that in many cases represent the cost of the land, with all cultivation costs included. It is true that the cost of production has increased during the past few years, but the price of the product has also increased to a figure which leaves a large balance to the credit of the producer.

The following table shows how this works out.

FARM NEEDS.	1913 Price in bus. wheat	1917 Price in bus. wheat
Machinery—		
Self binder	160	100
Mower	70	38
8. H. P. gas engine	250	112
Seed drill	122	60
Cream separator	87	38
Building—		
Bathroom, sink and septic tank	300	127
Pressure tank system	156	118
Steel shingles, per 100 sq. ft.	7	4
Lumber, per 1,000 ft.		
Hemlock	28	17
Pine	47	32
Bricks, per M	16	8
Cement, per 350 lbs	2.5	1.2
Steel fence, 40 rods	15	10
Paint, per 10 gals	25	19
Pianos	440	215
Clothing and Food—		
Sugar, per cwt	6.2	4.9
Cottonseed, per ton	50	24
Linseed, per ton	50	25
Blue serge suit	31	17

Percentage increases are shown too in another way, leading to the same conclusion, from consultation of the Department of Labor's review of prices. Taking 100 as the index number of normal production in the decade from 1890 to 1900, the increases in prices of farm products have slightly outdistanced the increases in his needs.

	1913	1916	1917	Pct. Inc.
Grains and fodder	138	200	280	103
Animals and meats	176	218	293	66
Dairy produce	145	184	229	58
Bldg. materials	148	179	229	58
House fur'sh'gs	126	163	205	64
Implements	105	139	199	90

—Advertisement.

Vindictive.

Friend—What would you like best to plant this year?

Farmer—My summer visitors.

BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

Why use ordinary cough remedies, when Boschee's German Syrup has been used so successfully for fifty-one years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health. Made in America and sold for more than half a century.—Adv.

The Sort.

"What kind of men do they have for the crews of torpedo boats?"

"I suppose they are sub-marines."

Up for Inspection.

This is a story told by a man home on furlough from Camp Custer:

The soldiers were lined up for inspection and every man was clean shaven but one.

"Why have you such a beard?" asked the sergeant.

"I couldn't find any barber shop any place," said the man.

Our most exclusive circles—silver dollars.

"PRUSSIC ACID" FATAL

Liberty Bonds Will Prove Highly Successful Antidote.

Average Dose of Remedy Is From $50 to $5,000—Ample Evidence Why Immediate Provision Should Be Made.

By LEIGH MITCHELL HODGES of the Vigilantes.

Prior to August 1914, prussic acid was known as one of the deadliest poisons, but comparatively few persons were killed by it.

Since that time German autocracy has killed and maimed millions and jeopardized the life and liberty of all free nations by wholesale use of a new kind of prussic acid—a "hydrocyanide" of brute-force which, if not hindered, will be as fatal to freedom as the prussic acid of the laboratory to him who inhales its deadly vapor.

With this deadlier prussic acid, the kaiser and his crew are trying to poison the minds as well as the bodies of those who will not submit to the domination of might. Thus far he and his hell mates have succeeded fairly well, but a new antidote for this poison will check the peril if amply applied.

Americanism is its name, and the method of application is as follows:

As soon as symptoms of the poisoning appear—either in the form of trench, air or submarine raids or German propaganda-planting, take one large dose of Americanism in the form of Third Liberty Loan bonds.

The effect will be instantaneous. At once the purchaser will pass from a state of approaching despair to an unprecedented degree of satisfaction at having backed up the boys who are fighting for freedom and the millions of men and women who are working to help win the war. This will be followed by a sense of security in having strengthened our defenses against devilism, and at the same time the effect on the foe will be that of a powerful emetic, causing them to throw up their hands in horror at the thought of such whole-hearted support of the Allied Cause.

For the average American the dose suggested is from $50 to $5,000—taken daily in small quantities over a long period, or swallowed at one time and followed by a feeling of happiness which cannot be appreciated until experienced.

And while this is suggested as the most admirable antidote for this poison, it also possesses the peculiar quality of providing a "pill" for Kaiser Bill at the same time. Testimonials from millions of Americans who already have used this remedy and like it so well that they are going to lay in another large supply, make clear the use for buying your bonds early!

WORLD WANT

By BARNETTA BROWN of the Vigilantes.

Place your elbows on your knees, put your head in your hands, and think. Many strange things are happening. Unprecedented conditions abound. Those who have carefully studied the world situation tell us that we may have to face widespread world want if we are not forethoughted and forehanded. With millions of men turned from their usual occupation of helping to provide the necessaries of life, depending on others for food and clothing while they fight, the industrial order is thrown completely out of balance. The ship of state is passing through troubled waters. What can we do, what must we do, to insure safe passage?

How to Prevent It.

World want cannot be prevented by hoardings. Neither is anyone's safety dependent on the amount of money he has hidden away. Safety depends on the sane, wise, unselfish use of the resources of the nation. Every man's resources are the resources of the nation. Safety depends on the willingness of the individual to share now with the government every resource he possesses—thought, activities, money. The right, free use of these, our powers, should be towards production, not restriction. Of what avail will money be later, if there should be little or nothing to buy? The government is trying to speed up production. It will try harder by-and-by. Help on towards your own safety and the safety of all by helping the government.

Therefore, buy Thrift stamps, War Saving stamps, Liberty bonds.

So do you put your hand, with all the other hands, on the helm of our ship, and become one of the pilots who will steer it through the storm to a safe harbor.

"Wool" From Cork.

The department of overseas trade has been informed through a reliable channel that a Spanish firm is manufacturing "wool" from cork, which, it is claimed, may with advantage be substituted for natural wool in the manufacture of mattresses, pillows, quilts, etc. This material is stated to be cleaner and lighter than wool.

Coal said to be equal in quality to the best American steaming coal has been discovered in Venezuela.

WOMAN WORKS 15 HOURS A DAY

Marvelous Story of Woman's Change from Weakness to Strength by Taking Druggist's Advice.

Peru, Ind.—"I suffered from a displacement with backache and dragging down pains so badly that at times I could not be on my feet and it did not seem as though I could stand it. I tried different medicines without any benefit and several doctors told me nothing but an operation would do me any good. My druggist told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it with the result that I am now well and strong. I get up in the morning at four o'clock, do my housework, then go to a factory and work all day, come home and get supper and feel good. I don't know how many of my friends I have told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Mrs. ANNA METERIANO, 36 West 10th St., Peru, Ind.

Women who suffer from any such ailments should not fail to try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Take the little joys out of life and the big ones left would hardly be worth living for.

LEMONS DO MAKE THE SKIN WHITE

HOW TO MAKE A CREAMY LEMON BEAUTY LOTION AT HOME FOR A FEW CENTS.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply you with three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Squeeze the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle, then put in the orchard white and shake well. This makes a quarter pint of the very best lemon skin whitener and complexion beautifier known. Massage this fragrant, creamy lotion daily into the face, neck, arms and hands and just see how freckles, tan, sallowness, redness and roughness disappear and how smooth, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless, and the beautiful results will surprise you.—Adv.

Words are sometimes used to express ideas and sometimes the want of them.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels. Ad.

If you happen to find your feelings all worked up, order a fresh supply.

Cuticura Beauty Doctor

For cleansing and beautifying the skin, hands and hair, Cuticura Soap and Ointment afford the most effective preparations. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Nebuchadnezzar had to eat grass. Is Hooverism really new?

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Any man who goes to law may be sure that his lawyer will get justice.

NERVES GAVE OUT

Serious Kidney Trouble Had Made Life Miserable, But Doan's Removed All the Trouble. Hasn't Suffered Since.

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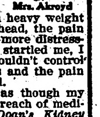

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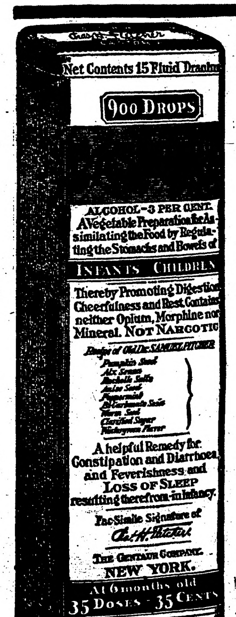

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NINTH DISTRICT OPENS BIG DRIVE

Third Liberty Loan Campaign Opens With Enthusiasm In Northwestern States.

GOING "OVER THE TOP"

Forty Thousand Solicitors Start Canvassing—Many Localities Report Amount Oversubscribed After Few Hours' Work.

Minneapolis, April 16.—The states in the ninth reserve district in the first seven hours of the Third Liberty Loan campaign, had bought $35,000,000 to $40,000,000 of the $125,000,000 apportionment, it was estimated at headquarters, based on telegrams received. This did not include any Minneapolis money, as the local campaign does not open until Wednesday.

Except for rain, eastward from the Black Hills in South Dakota, which did not prevent 5,000 automobile salesment in that state from taking the field, the weather generally was good. The job of placing the full $125,000,000 in 66 hours got under way auspiciously. Nearly 40,000 solicitors were at work.

Minneapolis, meanwhile, made some changes of program. Douglas Fairbanks, reported ill, will not be here Wednesday. Instead, Marion L. Burton, president of the university, and Private H. R. Peat will speak at the first big noonday meeting at the Arcadia hall.

All Districts Busy.

The loan campaign now is under way for the first time in all the 12 districts of the country, the ninth district's start making the number complete.

The total of the $3,000,000,000 loan that has so far been placed, was reported by Washington at $620,947,550.

On the assumption that the Minneapolis district has so far raised $35,000,000 to $40,000,000 of $125,000,000 requirement, these comparisons appear as to percentage of totals raised in the various districts, as reported from Washington, the Minneapolis district being on its first day, the other districts having been at it since April 6: St. Louis, 36 per cent; Minneapolis, 25 to 30; New York, 26; Dallas, 25; Boston, 21; Chicago, 10; Philadelphia, 15; Cleveland, 14; Kansas City, 14; San Francisco, 11; Richmond, 7; Atlanta, 4.

Reports Show Determination.

Wesley C. McDowell, state chairman for North Dakota, wired that bond salesmen are hard at it and that he expects reports more or less definite and favorable from 25 per cent of the counties in a few hours. H. A. Oldham, state chairman, said South Dakota is going at her $22,000,000 job with grim determination to do what has been asked of her.

BUY L. L. BONDS

PRO-GERMANS FILLS WEST

Report Made By Security League Worker After Tour.

New York, April 16.—The west is filled with surreptitious pro-Germanism and obvious apathy to the war and its significance, according to Dr. Robert M. McElroy, educational director of the National Security league, who has just returned after a three weeks' tour of the territory he indicts.

"The melting pot has not melted. There are vast communities in this nation thinking today not in terms of America," says Dr. McElroy, in summing up his impressions. "Propaganda is required in almost every foot of American soil, and propaganda in its essence means that our system of education has failed."

He advocates the immediate discontinuance of the use of German in schools. In the course of his tour he visited St. Paul, Des Moines, St. Louis, Kansas City, St. Joseph, Mo., Topeka, Denver, Omaha and Madison, Wis.

BUY L. L. BONDS

CRITICISM FOR GEO. CREEL

Patriotic Societies Urge Speakers To Arouse Loyalty.

Washington, April 16.—The pacifist character of the propaganda conducted by George Creel's committee on public information is pronounced by the national committee of patriotic societies a serious danger to the nation.

In a statement sent to the 42 patriotic societies and to government publicity agencies the committee says:

"Unless the government quickly awakens to the realization that it must interpret the war in terms easily appreciated by the people it will never receive the undivided support which is essential to victory."

BUY L. L. BONDS

Storm Shatters Town.

Dallas, Texas, April 16.—The town of Boyd, near here, was almost demolished, a moving freight train blown from the track and other towns were damaged by a storm which swept Wise and Denton counties.

BUY L. L. BONDS

Foch Officially Named Leader.

Paris, April 16.—An official note issued says: "The British and French governments have agreed to confer the title of commander in chief of the Allied armies in France on General Foch."

ENEMY IS HELD AT EVERY POINT

Germans Fail to Gain Inch of Sammies, British and French Three Allies.

YANKS REPULSE FOE

Stoutness of British Defense Attested By Thousands of Enemy Dead Lying Before Positions, Southwest of Ypres.

London, April 16.—Seven attacks by the Germans in the Merville sector of the northern battlefront have been repulsed by the British who inflicted heavy losses on the enemy, it is announced officially. The British have lost Neuve Eglise. Southwest of Bailleul the Germans temporarily penetrated the British positions but were driven out by a counterattack.

Paris, April 16.—On the front above Montdidier the French made a successful local attack last night, taking prisoners, the war office announces.

London, April 16.—Field Marshal Haig's order that no more ground be ceded is rigidly being complied with. The entire Allied line in Belgium and France is holding firm. Nowhere have the Germans been able, notwithstanding the great numbers of men hurled against it, especially that part in Flanders where the British are holding forth, to gain an inch of ground.

The stoutness of the British defense is attested by the thousands of German dead now lying before the British positions southwest of Ypres, where it is the ambition of the high German command to break through and envelop Haig's forces and gain an open highway toward the English channel.

Yankees Defeat Heavy Assaults.

North of St. Mihiel the American troops have been compelled to withstand a series of persistent assaults, second in intensity only to those delivered by the Germans against the British in Flanders. And the honors at the end rested with the Americans, who met the foe at every style of fighting he offered and decisively defeated him.

Along the front held by the French, Sunday saw nothing of greater importance than reciprocal bombardments on various sectors, the troops of both sides remaining in their trenches.

Likewise in Italy the big guns were doing most of the work, although at several points enemy patrols attempted to carry out diversions, but met with no success.

Neuve Eglise Remains British.

At Neuve Eglise, northwest of Armentieres, where the Germans are endeavoring to drive their wedge in farther in order to outflank Ypres, the heaviest fighting has taken place.

For two days battle of a most obstinate character took place, the Germans throwing thousands of men into the attack, notwithstanding their wastage in killed or wounded. Several times the village changed hands, but at last reports the British were still in possession of it and holding tenaciously under repeated German onslaughts.

Nowhere along the eight mile front where the Germans are trying to drive through between Wulverghem and Meteran have the Germans met with anything but repulse, and the price they have paid for their attempts to breach the British line has been enormous, on no sector have they been able to surmount the stone wall of defense, and, for the moment, at least, there seems to be justification for the hope that the turn in the tide of the battle is at hand.

Berlin Claims Heavy Yankee Losses.

Documents captured from German prisoners show conclusively that the great new offensive of the Germans was launched with the intention of separating the British and French armies and crushing the British.

The latest German official communication dealing with the situation in the region of St. Mihiel, where the Americans are defending the line, says that the Germans inflicted heavy losses on the Americans, in a successful thrust and also took prisoners.

BUY L. L. BONDS

TO INTERNE ALIEN WOMEN

Will Be Arrested As Soon As President Signs Bill.

Washington, April 16.—Many German and Austrian women are under surveillance by government agents and will be arrested and interned as soon as President Wilson signs the bill which includes women in the class of enemy aliens. It is said the number is more than 100.

BUY L. L. BONDS

Federal Building Plans Cut.

Washington, April 16.—The unprecedented war demands have caused Secretary McAdoo to withdraw from Congress his estimates for continuation of work on new postoffices and other public buildings in several thousand cities and towns, aggregating $4,300,000. These enterprises will be postponed until peace times. Few of the items withdrawn provide for new buildings. One of the largest single items was $100,000 for a government building at Honolulu. The withdrawals included Fairmont, Minn., $50,000.

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The chap who gathers wool may expect to be fleeced himself now and then.

Women talk more than men, but the latter say the most.

Win the War by Preparing the Land

Sowing the Seed and Producing Bigger Crops

Work in Joint Effort the Soil of the United States and Canada

CO-OPERATIVE FARMING IN MAN POWER NECESSARY TO WIN THE BATTLE FOR LIBERTY

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Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operation.

Canada's Wheat Production Last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the Demand From Canada Alone for 1918 is 400,000,000 Bushels

To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell you where you can best serve the combined interests.

Western Canada's help will be required not later than May 5th. Wages to competent help, $50.00 a month and up, board and lodging.

Those who respond to this appeal will get a warm welcome, good wages, good board and find comfortable homes. They will get a rate of one cent a mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return.

For particulars as to routes and places where employment may be had apply to:

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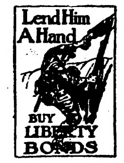

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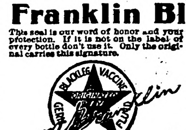

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s hard passion; but I blundered that I would, by all that was holy, that I had never thought of doing thing else. He hardly seemed to r me; but he did, almost in a isper, say: "Oh, if anybody had d so to me when I was of your age!" think it was this half-confidence of which I never abused, for I never d this story till now, which after- rd made us great friends. He was y kind to me. Often he sat up, or n got up, at night to walk the deck h me when it was my watch. He plained to me a great deal of my thematics. He lent me books, and ped me about my reading. He nev- alluded so directly to his story ain; but from one and another offi- I have learned, in thirty years, at I am telling. When we parted om him in St. Thomas harbor, at the d of our cruise, I was more sorry an I can tell. I was very glad to et him again in 1830; and later in e, when I thought I had some in- ence in Washington, I moved heav- and earth to have him discharged. t it was like getting a ghost out of ison. They pretended there was no ch men, and never was such a man. ey will say so at the department w! Perhaps they do not know. It ll not be the first thing in the serv- of which the department appears know nothing!

There is a story that Nolan met rr once on one of our vessels, when party of Americans came on board the Mediterranean. But this I be- ve to be a lie; or rather, it is a yth, ben trovato, involving a tre- endous blowing-up with which he nk Burr, asking him how he liked be "without a country." But it is ear, from Burr's life, that nothing the sort could have happened; and mention this only as an illustration the stories which get a-going where ere is the least mystery at bottom. So Philip Nolan had his wish ful- led. Poor fellow, he repented of his ly, and then, like a man, submitted the fate he had asked for. He nev- intentionally added to the difficulty delicacy of the charge of those who him in hold. Accidents would ppen; but they never happened from fault. Lieutenant Truxton told me at when Texas was annexed, there s a careful discussion among the ficers, whether they should get hold Nolan's handsome set of maps, and t Texas out of it, from the map the world and the map of Mexico. he United States had been cut out hen the atlas was bought for him. t it was voted rightly enough, that do this would be virtually to reveal him what had happened, or, as Gold said, to make him think Burr had succeeded. So it was fault of Nolan's that a great appened at my own table, when, short time, I was in command of George Washington corvette, on South American station. We were ing in the La Plata, and some of the ficers, who had been on shore, and d just joined again, were entertain- g us with accounts of their misad- entures in riding the half-wild horses Buenos Aires. Nolan was at table, d was in an unusually bright and

Hushed the Men Down.

alkative mood. Some story of a tum- le reminded him of an adventure of when he was catching wild orses in Texas with his brother Steph- at a time when he must have been a boy. He told the story with deal of spirit—so much so, that silence which often follows a good hung over the table for an in- nt, to be broken by Nolan himself. he asked, perfectly unconsciously, y, what has become of Texas? the Mexicans got their independ- I thought that province of Texas come forward very fast. It is one of the finest regions on it is the Italy of this continent. have not seen or heard a word exas for near twenty years." re were two Texan officers at the The reason he had never heard exas was that Texas and her af- had been painfully out of his papers since Austin began his ments; so that, while he read of dians and Tamaulipas, and, till ately, of California, this virgin ince, in which his brother had ed so far and, I believe, had died, ceased to be with him. Walters Williams, the two Texas men, grimly at each other, and tried laugh. Edward Morris had his ntion attracted by the third link chain of the captain's chan- Watrous was seized with a con- of sneezing. Nolan himself something was to pay, he did

ONE INCH IS RIGHT DEPTH FOR ALFALFA

Seed of High Germinating Power Should be Planted—Lime Sour Soil

INNOCULATION MADE EASY

Spring Sowing Shou'd be Done May 1-15, Fall by Aug. 15—Summer Fallowing

(Prepared Especially for this Newspaper by the Editors of NATIONAL ALFALFA JOURNAL.)

With the seed bed in proper condition the farmer is ready to proceed with his seeding. Just a word first as to the seed itself. The injunction, "plant only northern grown seed," will bear repeating right here. Let those words sink in—and heed them. Buy only seed of known high germination. Be sure the seed has been tested. Seed that shows 90 per cent or better is the only kind to sow.

There are different ways of sowing the seed. Some use special alfalfa and clover seeding machinery. The ordinary grain drills with special grass attachments are much used. And then there is the good, old-fashioned method of broadcasting. Here again each man must make his choice—put your seed in by the method that is handiest for you.

Spring Seeding, May 1 to 15.

Now comes that important word, "Caution," again. Look out every minute for the depth at which you plant the seed. One inch is the proper depth—don't go any deeper, under any circumstances, than 1½ inches. Best results are reported from seeding 15 pounds to the acre, where no nurse crop is used. The seed should be covered at once by a light harrowing.

For spring seeding the best time is around May 1 to 15, for the northern latitudes—the Dakotas, Iowa, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska and Wisconsin. Seed planted then without a nurse crop and kept clean will yield a moderate crop of alfalfa hay by September 1, and the plants will get sufficient growth between that date and the freeze-up to be able to withstand the winter. If it is desired to sow a nurse crop, about 15 pounds of alfalfa and three pecks of oats or barley should be sown to the acre. A yield of grain of any considerable value cannot be expected.

Sometimes no crop is sown, but for four months the soil is frequently cultivated in order to keep down the weeds and conserve moisture. This amounts to summer fallowing, and is very successfully done in sections where the land is foul. The land is plowed when the weeds are several inches high and then persistently harrowed until August.

One reason for fall sowing is that it enables the farmer to gather one full crop from the land before planting to alfalfa. Plowing for fall sowing should be done in July as soon as the crop is off the ground. The seed should be put in not later than the middle of August. If as much as five or six weeks will elapse between plowing and seeding time the furrow may be about six inches deep.

How To Inoculate.

As with spring plowing, the nearer the plowing time to the seeding time the shallower the plowing should be. As with spring sowing, the soil should be well conditioned. It should be smooth and firm and mellow and pulverized to a depth of an inch. Methods of sowing are identical with those for spring. With fall rains the plant gets a good start before freezing-up time, and the next summer is ready to produce its two or three crops—the same as the spring planted seed produces the second season. In no case should fall sown plants be cut the first year.

Pull up a healthy alfalfa plant and you will find "grape-like" looking bunches or clusters on the roots. Inside of each of these "grapes" are millions of bacteria. They are necessary to the life of alfalfa. They gather the nitrogen from the air and aid the plant in assimilating that nitrogen into its tissues. Generally the soil does not contain these bacteria, so they, as well as the seed, have to be planted. This process is what is called INOCULATION. It is absolutely necessary for successful alfalfa raising.

To inoculate you can gather soil from a successful alfalfa or sweet clover field and mix it with the soil of the proposed alfalfa field. This is the "soil method." The work must be done on a cloudy day. Between 400 and 500 pounds to the acre are required. A better way is the "pure culture" method. From the government or from a manufacturer secure the culture—each can contains an amount for a given number of acres—pour this on the seed, mix thoroughly and sow the mixture at the rate of 15 pounds to the acre. That is all there is to "inoculation"—a thing which so long has mystified people.

Sour Soil Must be Limed.

A sour, that is, an acid soil kills these bacteria. If a piece of blue litmus paper, which you can buy at the drug store, turns red when buried half an hour in the soil it is a sure sign that that soil is sour. Finely ground limestone to the amount of one to three tons to the acre must be applied after the plowing and thoroughly harrowed in. It may be spread with a shovel or placed on the top of a thin coating of straw or fine manure and scattered with a manure spreader. Never try to grow alfalfa on sour land without liming it. It will not grow.

MR. SIMPKINS PAYS HIS INCOME TAX

By ROBERT McBLAIR.

Mr. Simpkins gazed at the portrait on the wall till his eyes filled with tears. It was a portrait of his father, Colonel Simpkins, who had four times been promoted for valor during the Civil War and had died bravely on the field of action. Mr. Simpkins' throat ached now for two reasons: First, he reverenced and adored the memory of his father; secondly, his age and his eyes and his game leg wouldn't let him go to war himself. And as he observed the martial bearing and uncompromising gaze of Colonel Simpkins he saw, in imagination, the khaki-clad lads of the new generation marching forth and crossing three thousand miles of sea to fight, maybe die, for liberty.

Mr. Simpkins peered around to make sure that neither Bess nor John (who were at the teasing ages of sixteen and seventeen) were where they could see him, then he straightened and threw his right arm up for a salute. But his gouty shoulder twinged, and he groaned. He couldn't even salute.

"Damn!" said Mr. Simpkins, and with his other hand fiercely twirled his white mustachios.

He turned and limped into the library and sat down crankily before the mahogany desk on which were lying the blanks for his income tax statement, blanks which he had rather grumpily got from the Internal Revenue officer only that day after luncheon on his way home from the club.

Mr. Simpkins' income for 1917 had amounted to just about $15,000, and he had been rather snappy on the subject of taxes ever since he had discovered that the more income a man has the greater the percentage of it he pays in taxes. He could think of several men who, like himself, were married and had two children, and yet, although their incomes were nearly half of his, they would pay only a small fraction of the amount he paid. He gloomily drew the blank nearer and began filling in the information that it asked for.

As Mr. Simpkins' income was $15,000 he had to figure out the amounts payable on each of the successive smaller classes of incomes in order to arrive at the total due from himself. He passed over the first class who must pay taxes, that is, single men making over 1,000. His calculation for married men then showed up as follows:

First, they pay 2 per cent. (under the 1916 law) on all income over $4,000, deducting $200 for each of their children under eighteen years. In Mr. Simpkins' case this was $212, which he put down in the "payable" column.

He saw next that, under the 1917 law, married men pay an additional 2 per cent. on all over $2,000—with the same allowance for children. This added $252 to his "payable" column.

He then observed that for every $2,500 jump in his income over $5,000 he had to pay a Surtax, the percentage growing larger with each jump. This was $250 more added to his burden. And on top of all this came an "Excess Profits" tax of 8 per cent. on all "occupation" income over $6,000, making $720 more.

The total, then, he must pay was fourteen hundred and thirty-four dollars.

"Whew!" exclaimed Mr. Simpkins angrily. "There's young Henry Wilkins, who married Jake Johnson's girl, he makes $2,000 and he doesn't pay a cent of taxes. I guess this is his war as well as mine!"

Thinking of young Henry Wilkins, he remembered that Mrs. Wilkins went every afternoon to make bandages for the Red Cross and that Henry, who was a lawyer, was aiding the Local Draft Board with its questionnaires.

"Well," he admitted to himself, "that makes a difference."

He thought next of Judge Willoughby, whose income was about $3,000.

"He only pays $20," commented Mr. Simpkins, not quite so angrily this time; and then a thought struck him and he sat up rigidly in his chair.

Judge Willoughby's son had been drowned on the Tuscania when it was submarined with the loss of two hundred soldiers.

"Judge Willoughby gave his son to America," muttered Mr. Simpkins.

He leaned forward suddenly and put his face in his hands.

For a long time Mr. Simpkins sat very still in that position. There was no sound in the library except the ticking of the tall clock and an occasional trill of laughter from the children skylarking upstairs. The square of light on the carpet gradually withdrew itself through the window, and first twilight and then darkness settled in about the quiet, white haired, sometimes irascible old man.

Mr. Simpkins was thinking things which he would never afterward speak of, he was thinking things that were too sacred ever to be put into words. But some inkling of his thoughts may be found in his rejoinder to Mrs. Simpkins when that placid lady came in and turned on the lights, and asked him whether he was ready for dinner.

"Judge Willoughby's only son was worth as much as fourteen hundred and thirty-four dollars, wasn't he?" Mr. Simpkins demanded of her.

As his wife, who was not unused to his superficial irritations, watched him in mild astonishment, Mr. Simpkins limped out to the hall and took his old felt hat and silver-headed cane from the hat rack. Letting himself out into the foggy evening, he tapped his way down to the corner, and mailed his income tax statement and check with his own hands.

"Now, God be thanked," said Mr. Simpkins as the lid clanked shut over his missive, "I can do this much for my country, anyhow."

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Sixty Dollars, interest payment which became due December 1st, 1917 which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Adolph Sollom and Ida Sollom, his wife, and Theodore Sollom, a single man, Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Holt (a Minnesota Corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of March 1916, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 80 of Mortgages, on page 205

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Farmers State Bank of Holt, Mortgagee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 3rd day of May 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 5th day of May 1917 at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 83 of Mortgages on page 546

AND WHEREAS, The said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the Assignee, and Holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand and sixty ($1,060.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 1st day of December 1917, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots numbered nineteen (19) and twenty (20) in Block numbered eight (B. 8) of the Town of Holt, according to the official plat thereof on file and recorded in the office of the register of deeds within and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the west front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 11th day of May 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Thousand and Sixty Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 23rd A. D. 1918.

Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Notice is hereby given, that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorised to declare the whole sum due, and hereby declares the whole sum due, which mortgage was executed by Sally A. Moore, a widow, mortgagor, to Holt State Bank, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated September 3rd, 1914, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 5th day of September, 1914, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., in book 78 of Mortgages on page 60.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date, is the sum of thirty eight and 2-100 ($38.02) Dollars.

That no action or proceeding has been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage or any part thereof.

That the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage are described as follows: The south half of the northwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. twenty nine (29) in Township No. one hundred fifty six (156) North of range No. forty (40), west of 5th P. M., in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the above described premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, or his deputy, at the West Front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 11th day of May, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and twenty five ($25.00) Dollars, attorney's fees as stipulated in the said mortgage in case of foreclosure; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th 1918.

HOLT STATE BANK (a Minnesota Corporation) MORTGAGEE.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

Go Thou And Do Likewise

Holt Minn. April 16th. 1918

I hereby agree to donate to the Red Cross Society of Marshall County the total gross proceeds from one acre of wheat for the season of 1918.

E. S. Moe

Accepted this 16th day of April 1918
Red Cross Society of Holt by
B. Docken Treasurer.

The above is a copy of an agreement that Mr. Moe has made, to give all that an acre of wheat brings, to the Red Cross. Who will be the next farmer to give an acre of wheat rye, barley, or oats to the Red Cross? Farmer boys could all give potatos, cabbage or other vegetable plots to the Red Cross and all would feel lots better for doing it. Who's next?

Buy Liberty Bonds right now.

All people who live in villages are urged to try to keep a few hens to save the supply of both meat and eggs.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account

Estate of John Hanson.
State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court.
In the Matter of the Estate of John Hanson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to George J. Hanson and Ludvig F. Hanson, and to all other persons interested in the above estate.

Whereas, B. Docken, the representative of the above estate has filed in this court his final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: It Is Ordered, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 4th day of May 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS according to law.

Witness the honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 8th day of April 1918.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Judge.
A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

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Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

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Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

One Hundred and Forty-Two Years of Labor and Struggle

THE American people fought their first battles for liberty and the rights of self-government one hundred and forty-two years ago.

At that time, and for many years thereafter, their realization of their national aspirations and of the goal toward which they were really striving was vague and indistinct. But step by step they struggled onward and upward toward a light which grew clearer as their eyes and minds slowly opened to its significance. Today, as a result of their struggles and their sacrifices, we possess and enjoy our priceless American institutions.

These institutions must be preserved. The structure so laboriously reared in these one hundred and forty-two years will be utterly destroyed if we do not spring to its defense with every atom of our energy and determination. This is not a situation which may be trifled with, or evaded, or put off. It is one which must be met now—today—no matter what sacrifices it may entail, or what the cost may be.

The immediate need is the investment of our money in LIBERTY BONDS!

This Space Paid For and Contributed By

Halvor Steenerson, Crookston, Minn.

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

War Savings Stamps

Who Squanders—Shirks
Who Saves—Serves

He who saves money saves lives.

Are you buying War Savings Stamps REGULARLY?

They cost a penny more each month you wait.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps (25 cents) at any post office or bank.

This space donated by

The Village Blacksmith

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

J. M. Swen shipped cattle to So. St. Paul Tuesday.

Mrs. Albin Knauf and baby went to T. R. Falls Friday.

Sam Mickelson went to International Falls Monday.

Plant every acre possible this year as all will be needed.

Gilbert Johnson and family have moved into Ben Eide's house.

Get the sow thistle or it will get your farm and yourself to boot.

Mrs. Grant Flakne and son Louis visited the Ole Reierson home Sunday.

Mrs. R Reierson visited in T. R. Falls several days last week and the fore part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Melquist went to Erskine Friday evening being called there to attend the funeral of Mr. Melquist's grandfather.

Mrs. Ollie Werner and children returned to T. R. Falls Wednesday, after a few days visit at the Riesberg home.

Nothing ventured, nothing gained. Try sowing a small patch of alfalfa. The seed is cheaper this year than ordinary clover seed.

Theodore Olson returned home Friday from Fargo where he had been attending an engineering school for the past few months.

Adolph Sollom came Wednesday to visit his people. We understand he intends to leave with the Pennington Co. boys to-day for Camp Dodge.

Clarence Kolden left Monday evening for Mentor where he has employment as assistant cashier in the bank there. They have shipped their household goods there and Mrs. Kolden and baby expect to go soon. We wish them success in their new home.

Andrew Tobiason is the only one from this place in the present draft. He leaves Warren to-night with 31 other young men from this county, for Camp Dodge, Iowa. Hans J. Olson of Middle River and John V. Beck of Rollis, (present address Cedar Rapids, Ia.,) are also selected to go at this time.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

Complete Line

of

CASKETS

and

Funeral Supplies

which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Holt Wins Game.

Our Basket Ball Team played their maiden game with the Haug team, some members of whom were from Greenbush, last Saturday night, the score being 33 to 10.

It was a fast and furious game from start to finish with Holt in the lead. Our boys are to be congratulated in the way they manoeuvred to block the way for the opposing team to make the basket. The star shot of the evening was made by Prof. Hall after being thrown to the floor by his opponent, and while still lying on his side, threw the ball and made a score.

Our visiting team put up a good game and are a gentlemanly bunch of fellows. Our boys go to Haug to-morrow night to play with them again.

Rudolph Dahl and Miss Elna Freeburg were married last week Wednesday.

Farmers need to organize to fight the sow thistle, just as much as to go into politics. Think about this.

Poultry prices will be good next fall. Everybody knows the price of eggs. Moral: raise more chickens.

Mrs. Suncrist and children of Grand Forks came Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. John Hagglund and family.

If you hav'nt any mission on earth or any ambition to better your own condition and that of someone else, whats the use of living?

Think some of the starving women and children in Serbia and Belgium and you'll be less inclined to kick about having to buy wheat substitues.

Miss Tillie Svenson of Grand Forks and her brother Richard of Melby N. D. came Saturday to visit their parents. Mr. Svenson is drafted and expects to enter the U. S. service soon.

Wonder if Marshall county offices are not worth having? So far no one seems to have announced their candidacy and it begins to look as though the offices would go begging. Well, we should worry.

War Saving Stamps were placed upon the market for the benefit of women and children and others who wish to help in winning the war, but are unable to buy Liberty Bonds. These stamps are sometimes called baby bonds and are for sale at banks and postoffices.

Every field and garden patch must be made to yield the largest crop possible, if we win this terrible war, not anything can be wasted. Raise more poultry to save meat and eat more potatos to save wheat for the soldiers, who are fighting to save you and your family from the fate of Belgium and Serbia.

The local draft board has announced that the following young men from this vicinity will probably be called into the military service of the United States by July 1st: Oscar Knutson, Eddie Davidson, Geo. Svenkenson, and Jesse Sorum, also Earl Patten of Golden Valley. There were 703 men in the county in class 1. of whom 523 were physically qualified, 42 were given limited qualifications and 3 cases could be remedied. 109 failed to pass the examinations. There are still 418 men in class 1 who have qualified for service but have not been called.

As spring is just commencing and it wont cost much to keep stock until fall and there is no much prospect of lower prices, it seems to us it it isn't best to sell now.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp

Ringbo News

The Ringbo Auxillary of the Red Cross is going to meet at G. P. Sorter Wednesday May 1st. at 2 P. M. Everybody is welcome at our meetings.

Richard Swenson and his sister Miss Hilda came Saturday for a few days visit at their home. The former will soon leave for the training camp.

A bunch of young people called at G. P. Sorter Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Sorter and their two sons Percy and Melvin were callers at A. Movik Saturday evening.

Miss Anna Sorter visited at Davidson Sunday.

Don't forget the Red Cross meeting Wednesday May 1 st at 2 P. M.

Meat Market To Open

The meat market will be opened for business on Monday April 29th

Will have on hand a fresh supply of good meat and invite all our former customers to give us a call.

O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

A garden will help to win the war

Miss Olava Sollom came in from Mud Lake Friday for a short visit at home.

Raise a patch of mangels and feed them to your cows, instead of so much hay.

Davidson Bros. are drilling a well for L. Flak and Charley McLane is drilling one for Mrs. Fitch.

Erick Johnson, S. S. Kolden, J. A. Sorum and Racine Olson attended a meeting of the county assessors, which was held in Warren Wednesday.

Alfred Newton came up from McIntosh Monday to look after his Mud Lake claim. He was accompanied by a Mr. Murk who was looking for land.

Our advertising space is for sale for cash, and not for trade to candidates for their appreciation and good will. Appreciation is alright in its place, but it takes cold cash to pay our bills and buy Liberty Bonds.

Well founded stories reach this country, of Germans soldiers cutting the throats of American soldiers they had taken prisoners, also of other outrages worse then savages ever thot of doing. Still some people here in America put up a great holler because they can't have all the wheat flour and sugar they would like for their own use. Some of these are ignorant of the real causes for these restrictions and may not be all together to blame but there are others who should be in the trenches awhile, and if they ever got back here they would quit kicking on the grub.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful [illegible] in catarrhal conditions. [illegible] testimonials, free.

[illegible] & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

All [illegible] 75c.

Hall's [illegible] Pills for constipation.

East Valley News

Mrs. Hans Knutson visited at Clarence Knutson's a few days last week.

Mrs. Ed. Furr and Ole Garthus were visitors at C. Knutson last Friday.

Ole M. Larson is busy plowing at Mud Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Gudvangen and baby visited at the C. Knutson home last Sunday.

Olaus Rodahl was at A. C. Jahr's for a load of potatoes last week.

John Sorum was a Sunday visitor at the Tom Severson home.

Nels and Iver Larson made a trip to S. G. Swenkeson's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole M. Larson spent Sunday at Nels Lysne's.

Alice and Evelyn Jahr spent Sunday at the J. M. Jahr home.

Ole Christianson received his new tractor one day last week.

Services will be held in the school house Dist 148, at 3 P. M. on Sunday April 28th.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

Miss Mabel Johnson went to T. R. Falls yesterday where she is to be confirmed on Sunday.

We understand that Oscar Knutson and Eddie Davidson have been called into the military service and will leave here for camp May 1st.

Fire passed over part of A. R. Jones' farm yesterday, burning the log barn, a hay stack and some of the timber. The neighborhood turned out and fought the fire, getting it under control and saved their school house.

Those who have tried it, claim that the sow thistle can be killed in one season by a thorough system of summer following that will keep the ground absolutely black and not allow any weeds to grow. It is worth trying.

The Commission of Public Safety has extended the provisions of the Absent Voters Law so that soldiers and sailors can vote at the primary election on June 17. Those wishing to vote should write the county auditor for blank applications at once, as these have to be filled out and returned to him, before he can send the ballots.

A. D. Wilson, the federal food administrator, is sending out notices to report the amount of wheat flour on hand in every home, on or before May 1st, 1918, provided your supply will last more than 30 days at the rate of 6 lbs per person. If any one has more than 30 days supply on hand, or is using more than six pounds a month for each person, and fails to report to the food administrator or return the excess wheat flour to the dealer, they will be considered as hoarders and liable to a fine of $5000.00 and a two year term in prison. If you are hoarding flour report it at once to the county food administrator, David Johnson, Warren, Minn.

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Help the Red Cross

We Need Money

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern		$2.04
Wheat No. 2		2.01
Wheat No. 3		1.98
Wheat No. 4		1.94
Flax		3.80
Oats		76
Barley	1.08 to	1.45
Rye		2.46
Flour, Best Patent		5.60

4 THRIFT STAMPS GIVEN AWAY.

Four Thrift Stamps will be given to any girl or boy for each name sent of those that need glasses, if they will get them in gold frames on my next visit. Names must be sent before any date advertised. If this is not understood, write to C. G. Mugg, O. S., Grand Forks, N. D.

A New and Complete Stock of
Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
Try Our
LUNCH COUNTER
Fresh Ice Cream Every Day
Prompt Service at all Times
Albert Bennes - Holt

Auto Repairing!

Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right

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Racine Olson, Manager

Holt, Minn.

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.

Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Samson Windmills!

The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction.
They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.
See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.

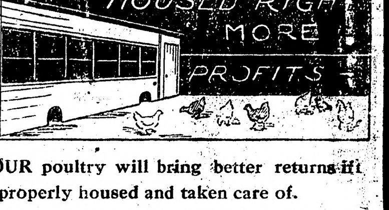
Davidson Bros., Agents
Holt, Minn.

New Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
and
Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory

Ernest Phillipson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
H. J. OIEN, Agent - - - Holt, Minn.



YOUR poultry will bring better returns if properly housed and taken care of.

AND you will be surprised at the small cost of building the houses and sheds necessary for their proper care.

WE have all of the material required for housing poultry and will gladly give you ideas along this line.

WINTON-NICHOLS Lumber Company
IF IT'S BUILDING MATERIAL-WE HAVE IT
HOLT, MINN.

Grip Still Hanging On?

Back aches? Stomach sensitive? A little cough? No strength? Tire easily? All after effects of this dread malady. Yes, they are catarrhal. Grip is a catarrhal disease. You can never be well as long as catarrh remains in your system, weakening your whole body with stagnant blood and unhealthy secretions.

You Need PERUNA

It's the one tonic for the after effects of grip, because it is a catarrhal treatment of proved excellence. Take it to clear away all the effects of grip, to tone the digestion, clear up the inflammed membranes, regulate the bowels, and set you on the highway to complete recovery.

Perhaps one or more of your friends have found it valuable. Thousands of people in every state have, and have told us of it. Many thousands more have been helped at critical times by this reliable family medicine.

Prepared also in tablet form for your convenience.

The Peruna Company, Columbus, Ohio

Knew What He Wanted to Say.

My little nephew is trying hard to be polite, but sometimes he gets things twisted. One day, as I turned around rather suddenly, I accidentally gave him quite a bump with my elbow right in his eye.

"Oh, excuse me, dear!" I exclaimed, contritely.

"You're welcome," he answered, amid his sobs.—Chicago Tribune.

Itching Burning Skins.

For eczemas, rashes, itchings, irritations, pimples, dandruff, sore hands, and baby humors, Cuticura Soap and Ointment are supremely effective. For free samples address "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

TABLE TALK AT ITS BEST

Excellent Recommendations From Those Who Were Recognized as Highly Proficient in the Art.

"Table talk," says Leigh Hunt, "to be perfect should be sincere without bigotry, differing with discord, sometimes grave, always agreeable, touching on deep points, dwelling most on seasonable ones, and letting everybody speak and be heard." There is a story of a Frenchman at one of Rogers' breakfasts who listened to Macaulay's endless eloquence, and, seeing another talker waiting his chance, fastened his eyes on Macaulay and muttered. "S'il tousse, il est perdu." In regard to the part of anecdotes in table talk, I quote two opinions. "He who has stored his memory with slight anecdotes, private incidents and personal peculiarities," according to Doctor Johnson, "seldom fails to find his audience favorable." "Of all the bores," exclaimed De Quincey, "whom man in his folly hesitates to hang, and heaven in its mysterious wisdom suffers to propagate his species, the most insufferable is the teller of good stories."—Exchange.

Looking Backward.

"I see this egg has the [illegible] bella' written on it."

"Well, sir?"

"Am I to infer that the date is 1492?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Proving Nothing.

"I pride myself on always getting to the bottom of a thing."

"That's nothing; so does a barnacle."

A Package of Grape-Nuts teaches food conservation. Saves FUEL SUGAR TIME WHEAT AND WASTE

SOLD BY GROCERS

News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

Washington

Friday, April 26, will be Liberty day throughout the United States, under a proclamation issued on Thursday night by President Wilson calling on citizens of every community to hold Liberty loan rallies and "liberally pledge anew their financial support to sustain the nation's cause." Patriotic demonstrations similar to those on the opening day of the campaign will be held on April 26 and the day devoted to giving the race toward the $3,000,000,000 war credit goal a new impetus for the final week.

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President Wilson won his fight against $2.50 a bushel wheat in the house when the senate proposal was rejected and the agricultural appropriation bill sent back to conference with house conferees instructed to stand against the increase in the existing government maximum of $2. The conference will meet early next week to consider their course.

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The administration silver bill, providing for the withdrawal from the treasury of $350,000,000 in silver dollars, to be melted into bullion to meet foreign trade balances, was passed by the senate. The bill goes to the house.

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Charles J. McCarthy of Honolulu was nominated to be governor of Hawaii. George F. Crutchley of Norborne, Mo., was nominated collector of internal revenue for the Sixth district of Missouri.

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Minister Ira Nelson Morris at Stockholm reported to the state department that as a result of a protest made by him the Finnish legation in Stockholm had expressed its regrets over the public insult offered Lieut. C. H. Thorling, the American attache at Vasa, Finland. The Finnish officer involved in the incident has been punished.

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The senate resolution for registration of men who have reached twenty-one years of age since June 5, 1917, was ordered favorably reported to the house. The registration date would be fixed by presidential proclamation.

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The fourth officers' training camps will open May 15 at various divisional camps and cantonments, Secretary Baker announced.

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The sabotage bill, carrying penalties of 30 years' imprisonment and fines of $10,000 for injuring war materials or interfering with war industry, was made ready for the president's signature when the senate accepted a conference report eliminating provisions designed to punish strikers on war contracts.

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Secretary of War Baker arrived in Washington on Tuesday, being warmly greeted by friends and his family. Secretary Baker reported on the European situation and disposition of the American forces to President Wilson.

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The brigadier generals of the National army were nominated by President Wilson to be major generals and 27 colonels were nominated to be brigadier generals.

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Secretary Daniels was a passenger with Lieutenant Doherty, a naval aviator, in a 20-minute flight over the capital. A service hydroplane was used.

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The senate set a new record for war expenditures when they passed the legislative, executive and judicial appropriations of $69,531,898.26.

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Domestic

A new scale of wages for civilians working in Atlantic coast navy yards will be put into effect May 1, the navy department announced. It grants 18 to 20 per cent pay increases and makes the navy yard and pay conform with wages paid in shipyards.

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Differences between the Bethlehem Steel company and its employees have been adjusted, it was announced at Bethlehem, Pa.

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Charles M. Schwab was named director general of the Emergency Fleet corporation and will assume entire control and direction of the construction of the government's shipbuilding program.

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Private Vaughn B[illegible] and [illegible] civilian workers were injured, some seriously, when a tornado struck Camp Shelby, near Hattiesburg, Miss.

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Housewives are to have full amount of sugar for canning and preserving purposes during the berry season of May and June, and this is to be also provided during the fruit season starting with August 11. This announcement was made by the food administration.

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Two army aviators in training at San Diego, Cal., lost their lives, according to witnesses, at Fort Rosecrans, when a machine fell in midchannel between the North Island camp and Fort Rosecrans, and soon sank.

Four hundred convicts in the state penitentiary at Santa Fe, N. M., tarred and feathered and led, with a rope about his neck, Maj. John M. Birkner of Camp Cody, Deming, N. M., held in the penitentiary as a federal prisoner in default of $5,000 bail. He is charged with violation of the espionage act.

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Many German and Austrian women are under surveillance by government agents in the United States, and will be arrested and interned as soon as President Wilson signs the bill which includes women in the class of enemy aliens. It was said the number is more than 100.

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Foreign

All the remaining stages of the British man-power bill have been concluded by both the house of commons and the peers, and the royal assent was given the measure. The bill includes: Conscription for Ireland; elevation of the army age to fifty years and in some cases to fifty-five; combing out of industries to secure men, heretofore exempt, for war service. Conscription of Ireland is expected to add 161,100 men to the fighting forces.

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The Amsterdam Telegraaf reports that the German Socialist party in Austria has decided that work shall be stopped May 1 throughout the country and that demonstrations in favor of peace shall be held.

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Paul Bolo Pasha, convicted of high treason against the republic of France in time of war has been executed at Vincennes, France. This announcement was accompanied by no details of the conspirator's death.

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Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, according to a dispatch from Vienna, has resigned. Czernin did not know of Emperor Charles' letter to Prince Sixtus when he made the statement that France had initiated the conversations with Austria, according to a Vienna dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin. On learning of the letter he resigned.

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Thousands of people gathered in the streets of Prague, capital of Bohemia, denounced the Germans and cheered President Wilson, says a dispatch to Amsterdam from that city.

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The labor ministers of the British cabinet, in an interview with Premier Lloyd George in London pressed the premier to grant self-government to Ireland on the basis of the majority report of the Irish convention before conscription is put into operation. It is understood that the conference had satisfactory results, and there will not be a cabinet crisis.

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U. S.—Teutonic War News

American troops operating on the Lorraine sector have taken over control of "No Man's Land." Patrolling parties are making almost nightly visits up to the German wire entanglements without encountering any resistance.

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Acceleration of organization of the National army tank corps was ordered by the war department. Announcement was made of the appointment of 157 second lieutenants for the corps.

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"We won't stop this war until the battle line is bent far enough east to put Berlin in the center of a circle formed by American troops," said William M. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury, in a speech at Globe, Ariz., in behalf of the third Liberty loan.

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Provost Marshal General Crowder said 150,000 drafted men, or nearly three times the month's quota, will be mobilized during the month of May. By June 300,000 men of the second draft of 800,000 will be in training camps, he said.

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Probably the biggest troop movement in the history of the country is the response of the United States to appeals from the allies for men to fill the gaps created by the great struggle on the west front.

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Minor Judson Chapin, a second class quartermaster U. S. naval reserve attached to the aviation section, was killed in a seaplane accident in France, the navy department announced. Chapin's father, Ora E. Chapin, lives at 6415 University avenue, Chicago.

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The Col. R. C. Bolling named in a casualty list as captured or missing in action was identified by war department officials as R. C. Bolling of New York, assistant general counsel of the United States Steel corporation.

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European War News

A dispatch to Amsterdam from [illegible]hoven says that another mutiny broke out at Beverloo camp, in the province of Limbourg, Belgium, among the German troops when ordered to the British front in France. A number of the mutineers were shot, the dispatch adds, but the resistance continued.

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German troops supported by naval detachments, have entered Helsingfors, capital of Finland. This announcement is made by the German general headquarters.

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The capture by the Turks of the city of Batum is announced in an official statement issued at Constantinople. The city was held by the Armenians.

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Several instances of Russian sniping against Japanese patrols in Vladivostok are reported in a dispatch to Tokyo from that city to the Asahi

NOT FAVORABLE TO NEW SPY BILL

President Declares Himself as Against Measure to Try Cases By Courtmartial.

TAKES DECIDED STAND

Holds That Proposed Law Is Unconstitutional and Would Put Us on Level With Enemy We Are Fighting.

Washington, April 23.—President Wilson has come out in opposition to the Chamberlain bill which would try violations of the sedition law by court-martials, and in a letter to Senator Overman of North Carolina declared his belief that the measure is unconstitution.

If enacted, the President declared, the bill would place the United States on a level with its enemies.

Enactment of the Chamberlain bill has been urged before the Senate military committee as necessary to stamp out German propoganda. Vigorous opposition to its passage has been developing and Senator Borah has sought support of Senate leaders in his efforts to defeat it. The bill has not had the support of the Department of Justice and Charles Warren, assistant attorney general, resigned after, it was said, his advocacy of the measure failed to receive the support of the attorney general.

The President indicated that he would not compromise with opponents advocating amendment of the Overman bill which proposes a broad general grant of power to reorganize government departments.

President's Letter.

The President's letter follows:

"My Dear Senator:—Thank you for your letter of yesterday. I am heartily obliged to you for consulting me about the court martial bill, as perhaps I may call it for short. I am wholly and unalterably opposed to such legislation and very much value the opportunity you give me to say so. I think it is not only unconstitutional but that in character it would put us nearly upon the level of the very people we are fighting and affecting to despise. It would be altogether inconsistent with the spirit and practice of America and in view of the recent legislation, the espionage bill, the sabotage bill and the woman spy bill, I think it it unnecessary and uncalled for.

"I take the liberty, my dear senator, of expressing myself in this emphatic way because my feeling is very deep about the matter as I gather your own is.

Thanks Senator For Work.

"It is admirable the way you have been handling these important bills and I thank you with all my heart for standing by the bill which bears your name without any compromise of any kind.

"It gives me the greatest satisfaction to tell how much I have appreciated what you have been doing.

"Cordially and sincerely yours.

"WOODROW WILSON."

Senator Borah renewed his opposition to the Chamberlain bill in the Senate today, charging that "political Pharisees" supporting it before the Senate military committee had given the impression that America's farming population is disloyal. Farmers, he said, are as loyal as others and are buying unusually large amounts of Liberty bonds.

—— BUY L. L. BONDS ——

FOE'S TOTAL LOSS 4,089,511

Includes those Killed and Captured Since War Began

Paris, April 23—Karl Bleistreu German military writer, declares in the Neueuropa that the German losses on the west front, between August, 1914, and August, 1917, totaled 2,604,961 in killed and prisoners.

On the East front, he said, the total killed and prisoners were 1,484,550.

German writers estimate the German losses between August, 1917 and January 31, 1918, as 367,450 killed and taken prisoners on "both fronts."

—— BUY L. L. BONDS ——

U. S. VESSELS TOO WELL CONVOYED FOR ENEMY

Amsterdam, April 23. The Germans are not sinking American transports because they are so well convoyed that submarine attacks are either impossible or extremely hazardous. Captain Kuhlivetter, writing in the Lokal Anzeiger, naively admits

—— BUY L. L. BONDS ——

Russ Spend 13 Times Income.

Moscow, April 23.—(Delayed) M. Gukovsky, the minister of finance reporting to the executive committee of the Soldiers' and Workmen's delegates on the financial condition of the country, said that the semi-yearly expenditure would amount to 40,000,000,000 rubles. The income, the new minister said, would amount to 3,300,000,000 rubles with no other source of loans obtainable. He added that before the war a third of the nation's income was derived from the Vodka monopoly, which is abolished.

LOYAL AMERICANS MUST CONTRIBUTE

CRUSHING OF GERMANY CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED ONLY BY OUR FINANCIAL AID.

RESPOND TO LIBERTY LOAN

Appeal to All True Citizens to Help Eliminate the Diseased Tree Lying Across the Path of True Democracy.

(By WINSTON CHURCHILL, Who Recently Returned From the War Zone.)

Germany may be likened to a great tree that has fallen across the path of democracy. The trunk is being chopped through by two axes, the military ax and the propagandist ax. If the trunk is to be severed and the obstruction removed, neither ax must be spared. Americans must contribute willingly to help their allies, to support their army and navy, which will be the deciding military factor in the struggle.

Our American president was the first world statesman to make clear that while a military victory is essential, it is not in itself adequate. The great significance of this war lies not on the battle lines, but behind them. It is a war for human liberty, and that which restricts human liberty, not only in the German empire, but also in America and England and France and Italy and Russia must be abolished. We are beginning to perceive that the future progress of democracy depends on national unselfishness and international co-operation scientifically conceived.

Issued World Proclamation.

In a series of masterly state papers Mr. Wilson has announced to the world that America enters the war unselfishly, and has defined the true issue for all the peoples of the earth—even for those deluded portions of the German population which, because of a false system of education, have hitherto upheld the hands of the worst enemies of liberty, the junkers. Until quite recently, one of the most disquieting symptoms from the point of view of the allies was a discontent with, if not an actual opposition to, the war of large elements among the working classes of the allied peoples. In Russia, where democracy was most cruelly suppressed, where conditions for the peasant and the workingman were hardest, a revolution actually took place—a revolution that has sounded the keynote of our times. The world service which our president is doing is that of enlisting the allegiance of those masses for the war. He is convincing them that it is their war. And these are they upon whom the evils of an outword economic system have pressed hardest, and who hitherto have seen little hope that victory over the Germans meant their own deliverance. Mr. Wilson has issued a world proclamation of emancipation from economic slavery.

Make Their Own Treaties

He not only declares that powerful nations shall cease to exploit little nations, but that powerful individuals shall cease to exploit their fellow men. He declares that henceforth no wars shall be fought for domination, and that to this end secret treaties shall be abolished. The peoples through their representatives shall make their own treaties. And just as national democracy insures to the individual the greatest amount of self determination, of self-realization, world democracy shall insure self-determination to the individual nations of the earth, in order that each may be free to make its own contribution to world democracy.

Fighting for Oppressed

This is the spirit in which America has entered the war. We are fighting for the oppressed everywhere. And we are equally determined that the injustice and inequalities that exist in our own government, the false standards of worth, the materialism, the luxury and waste shall be purged from our midst. We shall seize this opportunity to finish up the cleaning of our own household. To sustain our army and navy in the struggle for such a cause, to uphold our president to aid our allies who have fought so long and so bravely, these are worthy of our sacrifices. I am confident that the response of the American people to the third Liberty loan will be generous.

Bonds Feed the Boys

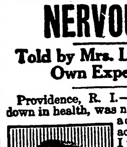
Every farmer knows how his boys like to eat. Mother's fried chicken and apple dumplings and pumpkin pies haven't a chance in the world when the boys sit down at table. Lots of farmers' boys are in France and the farmer doesn't want them to go hungry over there. Liberty Bonds buy food for them.

Don't Bury Your Bonds

When you and your neighbors [illegible] bought your Liberty Bonds, don't take them home and hide them in the cupboard. Take them to your country banker and have him give you certificates of deposit for the bonds. Your banker can take these bonds to a Federal Reserve bank and borrow money for your use in case you suddenly find yourself in need of funds. Hiding a bond is as bad as hoarding money. Keep the bonds and the money in circulation and the country will pull through this crisis all right.

HOW TO AVOID BACKACHE AND NERVOUSNESS

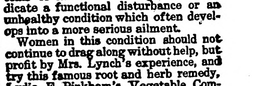
Told by Mrs. Lynch From Own Experience.



Providence, R. I.—"I was all run down in health, was nervous, had headaches, my back ached all the time. I was tired and had no ambition for anything. I had taken a number of medicines which did me no good. One day I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for women, so I tried it. My nervousness and backache and headaches disappeared. I gained in weight and feel fine, so I can honestly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman who is suffering as I was."—Mrs. ADELINE B. LYNCH, 100 Plain St., Providence, R. I.

Backache and nervousness are symptoms or nature's warnings, which indicate a functional disturbance or an unhealthy condition which often develops into a more serious ailment.

Women in this condition should not continue to drag along without help, but profit by Mrs. Lynch's experience, and try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—and for special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.



Up to Date.

Marcella—Is Bennie Beanbrough still painting houses for a living?

Waverly—Yes, but he doesn't call it that now.

Marcella—What does he call it?

Waverly—Camouflaging residences.—Youngstown Telegram.

Mean.

"All that I am I owe to my wife."

"Yes. I've been told you married her for her money."

Nobody ever regrets having done the right thing.

OUR DEFENSE

In the spring we may be attacked at any moment. Toxic poisons pile up within us after a hard winter, and we feel "run-down," tired out, blue and discouraged. This is the time to put our house in order—cleanse the system and put fresh blood into our arteries. You can obtain an alterative extract from Blood root, Golden Seal, Stone and Queen's root, Cherry bark, rolled into a sugar coated tablet and sold by most druggists, in sixty cent vials, as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This blood tonic, in tablet or liquid form, is just what you need for "Spring Fever," for that lack of ambition. It will fill you full of vim, vigor and vitality.

Chilliness, when other people feel warm enough, is a sign of biliousness, or of malarial poisons—so is a furred or coated tongue, loss of appetite, headaches or giddiness and a dull, drowsy, debilitated feeling. It's your liver that's at fault. You want to stimulate it and invigorate it with Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. With every trouble of the kind, these tiny little things act like a miracle. You can break up sudden attacks of Colds, Fevers, and Inflammations, with them. They'll give you *permanent* benefit for Indigestion, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, and Dizziness. They are small and pleasant to take, and the most thoroughly *natural* remedy. Twenty-five cents at most drug stores.

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Small Pill
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have stood the test of time. Purely vegetable. Wonderfully quick to banish biliousness, headache, indigestion and to clear up a bad complexion.

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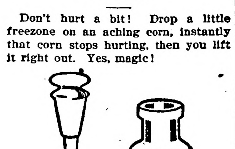
NO CAMOUFLAGE IN THIS STORY

APPLY A FEW DROPS THEN LIFT TOUCHY CORNS OFF WITH FINGERS.

Don't hurt a bit! Drop a little freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!



A tiny bottle of freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the callouses, without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.—Adv.

Making the Baby Useful.

"Bridget's had breakfast late every morning this week. Can't you do something to get her up on time?"

"Well, there's the alarm clock."

"That doesn't always go off. Lend her the baby."—Boston Transcript.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Never Satisfied.

"They say that mules are coming into their own in this war."

"Yes, and I bet they're kicking about it."

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Ambiguous.

"Did it make you nervous when the automobile turned turtle?" "Well, naturally, I was much upset."

Next One.

"Can you tell me why a dog licks you hand?" "Certainly; to put on you the stamp of his approval."

FOODS TASTE BETTER COOKED —TOBACCO TASTES BETTER TOASTED

Since the day of the caveman, who liked his meat raw, civilization has learned a lot about the scientific treatment of the things we eat.

Naturally none of us would now prefer to have our meat raw, our potatoes as they come from the ground, our coffee unroasted.

And naturally follows the great discovery recently made by the American Tobacco Co.—that tobacco tastes better TOASTED!

This wonderful new idea—simple like all great inventions—was first used in producing the famous LUCKY STRIKE Cigarette—made of toasted Burley tobacco.

Burley has a mellow flavor, entirely different from the tobacco usually used for cigarettes. It is a pipe tobacco and LUCKY STRIKE Cigarettes taste like a pipe. Adv.

Parable.

Autocracy and his pal, Militarism, had been away on a long fishing trip, and were returning home.

"Where are the fish?" asked Herr Deutschland, who had remained at home cutting bait and renewing the fishing outfit at intervals.

"They got away," said Autocracy and Militarism.

"Fraulein," said Herr Deutschland, "fetch me the axe, the double-bladed one."

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart caused by gases in the stomach. August Flower is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. Sold in all civilized countries. Give it a trial.—Adv.

Willing Worker.

"Don't you know it's agin de law not to do any work in dis state," remarked Meandering Mike.

"Well," replied Plodding Pete, "I'm workin'. I'm workin' my way out o' dis state jes' as fast as I kin."

Different Ideals.

"My boy says that in going to be a soldier he is going to begin at the bottom."

"Now mine has quite a different ambition. He wants to go over the top."

There Is No Monopoly

in the packing industry.

Swift & Company, although the largest packer, handles not to exceed one-eighth of the total meat production of the United States.

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MANITOBA FARMERS GET RURAL CREDITS

Canadian Province Provides Short Time Loans at Cost.

Just across the Minnesota border, the Province of Manitoba is showing the United States what the Nonpartisan League means by "Rural Credit banks operated at cost." This province has provided a wonderful credit system which brings the advantages which the city business man has in getting short time loans to the door of the farmer on the prairie. There is nothing like it in the United States; yet the great dailies which are trying to "save" the farmer from the Nonpartisan League, have never told the farmers anything about this new system in Manitoba which would solve one of their great problems.

The farmers of Manitoba got it because they have an important voice in the government of the province; the farmers of Minnesota haven't even heard of it except through their own press and friendly country newspapers because certain special interests like the way credit is supplied to the farmers at present. The Act was passed in Manitoba on March 9, 1917.

Methods of Operation.

When as many as 15 farmers in a locality decide that they want a bank, the Province appoints a secretary and treasurer to push the local association. After 50 farmers have joined each subscribing $100, and after 10 per cent of their subscriptions have been paid in, the Provincial Government subscribes half as much and the local government another half, making in all $10,000.

With this $10,000 as a basis, the society establishes a credit with some bank and borrows money at 6 per cent. The money is then loaned to farmers for short periods, a year at most, although renewals are provided for, at 7 per cent interest. One such society now in operation has established a credit of $30,000 by this system and there is no reason why, as the system becomes better understood, the $10,000 basis should not give as much as $100,000 of credit.

The farmer who borrows from this association, must, of course, supply security, but he does not have to have so much security as our rural banks commonly demand. If he wishes to buy seed, the farmer gives his note for the amount and a mortgage on the crop; if he wishes to buy cattle, he likewise gives his note for the amount and a mortgage on the cattle and their increase.

Modern Methods Needed.

The Manitoba system does not do away with the need for banks but does for the farmer what banks in reality have made only a pretense of doing; it gives adequate credit. A similar system applied to Minnesota would give the farmers short time loans at 6 per cent, or 7 per cent, at the most instead of the much higher rates they commonly pay. Equally important many farmers who cannot borrow now what they need, would be supplied. That our banking system does not meet current needs is proved by the fact that within a month after the county seed and feed bonding act had been passed in North Dakota, $3,000,000 were borrowed by the counties in that state for this purpose.

The Federal Farm Land Banks will in time, if they ever get beyond the claws of the Money Trust, lower the rates on farm mortgages in Minnesota by 2 to 4 per cent. Since these mortgages amount to not less than $100,000,000 in this state, the saving to the borrowing farmers will be not less than $2,000,000 yearly. The Nonpartisan League advocates additional provision such as that in Manitoba for the short time loans on which a saving as great as that to be made on mortgages (if not greater) can be made. As a peace time measure it would make farming more profitable but more than this, if such a system were in force now in the state, our all important crop acreage could be much greater. At the very time when the farmers should have unusual credit advancements the rural banks are short of money and are tightening up on farm loans.

Wool Trust Prosperous

The net profits of the wool [illegible] for 1917, after huge allowances for depreciation, expected taxes, etc., are $15,664,985. The net profits for average peace years, 1911 to 1913 were $1,754,792. The excess war profits over and above ordinary peace time profits were therefor $13,910,187 in 1917.

This trust makes most of the cloth for the government.

U. S. Takes Over More [illegible]

A[illegible] toward [illegible] government control of American shipping was made on April 2 when the President issued a proclamation taking over several steamship lines. Among those taken over were the Mallory line and Merchants & Miners. So successful has been the Government operation of water transportation that it is now believed by many that this form of public ownership will become permanent.

MORE WHEAT ACRES IN LEAGUE COUNTY

Surprising Increase Shown In Spring Planting by Ottertail Farmers.

Ottertail county, Minnesota, has increased its wheat acreage 53 per cent over that of last year, according to a report just made by State Food Administrator A. D. Wilson. This is the highest average increase among the Minnesota counties from which reports have been received, although the average increase throughout the state so far is unusually large.

The facts have a significant bearing in relation to the activities of the National Nonpartisan League. The League is strong in Minnesota and Ottertail county is the best organized Nonpartisan League county in Minnesota.

The League has been conducting for some time an active propaganda in favor of bigger crops to help win the war. Thousands of letters have been sent to its members, President Townley has issued widely quoted appeals, and its speakers have cooperated actively in this movement. That the biggest acreage increase results where there are the most League members is a crushing refutation of those anti-farmer traducers who have been saying that the League is disloyal and has been agitating against an increase of crops in order to hamper the government.

Most of the farmers of Ottertail county are League members. Most of them have been urged directly by the League to plant bigger crops this year. In spite of the fact that the old price of wheat has been retained and much higher returns can be obtained from other crops, they have planted 153 acres of wheat for every 100 acres they sowed last year. The patriotism of the League as a whole and of the farmers of Ottertail county has been strikingly vindicated.

LEAGUE ACCEPTED IN LIBERTY DRIVE

The unreserved tender of service in the Third Liberty Loan drive made by the National Nonpartisan League February 27, in a telegram to Secretary McAdoo, was accepted by wire April 8, and the League has now become an officially recognized body fighting to help win the war.

On February 27 Arthur Lesueur wired the Secretary of the Treasury under instructions from President A. C. Townley of the League not only tendering the unreserved service of the entire organization and the field organizers, but offering to establish a department in St. Paul to handle the work of selling Liberty Bonds.

On April 8 Secretary McAdoo replied as follows:

"Through an error your recent letter tendering unreservedly the service of your organization, the National Nonpartisan League, to aid in the sale of Liberty Bonds, has only just been handed me. I deeply appreciate the assurance of your co-operation in making the Third Liberty Loan a success and I welcome the support and assistance of the farmers of the great Northwest in this patriotic service to the country.

"In this time of grave national peril let no man imagine it is not necessary for him to do his part however small or large that part may be. It is only by the united and fervent effort of every American patriot that the rights and liberties of our own country and of the free peoples of the world can be saved.

"I know that the American farmer will respond to his country's call and will to the fullest extent of his available means lend his money to his government to support our fighting forces in the field to protect their dependent wives and children and mothers who are left behind and to vindicate the ideals for which America has always stood.

"W. G. McADOO."

Corn Profits are Excessive

The food administration is [illegible] to strike soon at the profiteers in corn meal and corn flour. The high prices prevail despite the huge corn supplies available for consumption. Receipts for one week last month were 12,849,000 bushels against 5,234,000 for the corresponding period last year.

Unrestricted profits push the articles out of the reach of the public, according to Herbert Hoover, and it is to equalize the burdens on all that he is working to eliminate excessive profits.

Copper Mine Does Well

This week's financial news [illegible] the information that the Calumet & Hecla Mining Co. made a profit of $12,152,918 in 1917. This was equal to $121,052 for every share of the capital stock.

[illegible]

[illegible] my dear [illegible] said the [illegible] wringing the doctor's hand [illegible] "I don't know how I can ever repay you for saving my life."

"Not necessary at all, just pay me," said the good, gruff old fellow.

Juice of Lemons! How to Make Skin White and Beautiful

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as sallowness, freckles and tan and is the ideal skin softener, smoothener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It naturally should help to soften, freshen, bleach and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin. It is wonderful to smoothen rough, red hands. Adv.

Her Pet Name.

"Isn't your husband devoted to the races?" "Just crazy about them. I call him my better half."

ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE DOES IT

When your shoes pinch or your corns and bunions ache get Allen's Foot—Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath. Gives instant relief to Tired, Aching, Swollen, Tender feet. Over 100,000 packages are being used by the troops at the front. Sold everywhere, 25c. *Don't accept any substitute.*—Adv.

Lots of women haters are afraid to mention it to their wives.

A man is always known by the company that refuses to keep him.

Back Lame and Achy?

There's little peace when your kidneys are weak and while at first there may be nothing more serious than dull backache, sharp, stabbing pains, headaches, dizzy spells and kidney irregularities, you must act quickly to avoid the more serious trouble, dropsy, gravel, heart disease, Bright's disease. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that is so warmly recommended everywhere by grateful users.

A North Dakota Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Sidney Goodnow, machinist, 209 W. Eleventh St., Devils Lake, N. D., says: "Three years ago I was suffering from my back. It was lame and weak and ached most all the time. My kidneys were weak and disordered, too. The first few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills gave me relief and as I continued using them, they removed the trouble. I have found this medicine to be just as represented."

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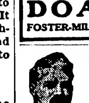

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Not Quite as Good.

"What did papa do when you asked him to give you my hand?"

He—He put down his foot.

Try This on Your Sofa.

He—My, you have a pretty little hand. May I shake it?

She—Sure; go ahead and ring it.

Win the War by Preparing the Land

Sowing the Seed and Producing Bigger Crops

Work in Joint Effort the Soil of the United States and Canada

CO-OPERATIVE FARMING IN MAN POWER NECESSARY
TO WIN THE BATTLE FOR LIBERTY

The Food Controllers of the United States and Canada are asking for greater food production. Scarcely 100,000,000 bushels of wheat are available to be sent to the allies overseas before the crop harvest. Upon the efforts of the United States and Canada rests the burden of supply.

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Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operation.

Canada's Wheat Production Last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the Demand From Canada Alone for 1918 is 400,000,000 Bushels

To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell you where you can best serve the combined interests.

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For particulars as to routes and places where employment may be had apply to:

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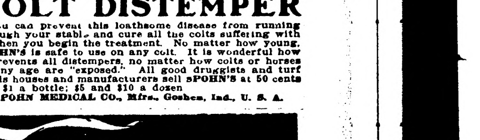

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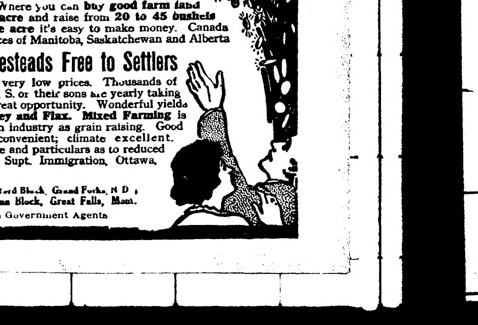

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Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Supt. Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.;
J. L. Porte, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents

not know what. And I, as master of the feast, had to say:

"Texas is out of the map, Mr. Nolan. Have you seen Captain Back's curious account of Sir Thomas Roe's Welcome?"

After that cruise I never saw Nolan again. I wrote to him at least twice a year, for in that voyage we became even confidentially intimate; but he never wrote to me. The other men tell me that in those fifteen years he aged very fast, as well he might indeed, but that he was still the same gentle, uncomplaining, silent sufferer that he ever was, bearing as best he could his self-appointed punishment, rather less social, perhaps, with new men whom he did not know, but more anxious, apparently, than ever to serve and befriend and teach the boys, some of whom fairly seemed to worship him. And now it seems the dear old fellow is dead. He has found a home at last, and a country.

Since writing this, and while considering whether or no I would print it, as a warning to the young of today of what it is to throw away a country, I have received from Danforth, who is on board the Levant, a letter which gives an account of Nolan's last hours. It removes all my doubts about telling this story.

To understand the first words of the letter, the nonprofessional reader should remember that after 1817 the position of every officer who had Nolan in charge was one of the greatest delicacy. The government had failed to renew the order of 1807 regarding him. What was a man to do? Should he let him go? What, then, if he were called to account by the department for violating the order of 1807? Should he keep him? What, then, if Nolan should be liberated some day, and should bring an action for false imprisonment or kidnaping against every man who had had him in charge? I urged and pressed this upon Southard, and I have reason to think that other officers did the same thing. But the secretary always said, as they so often do at Washington, that there were no special orders to give, and that we must act on our own judgment. That means, "If you succeed, you will be sustained; if you fail, you will be disavowed." Well, as Danforth says, all that is over now, though I do not know but I expose myself to a criminal prosecution on the evidence of the very revelation I am making.

Here is the letter:

"Levant, 2° 2" S. @ 131° W.

"Dear Fred—I try to find heart and life to tell you that it is all over with dear old Nolan. I have been with him on this voyage more than I ever was, and I can understand wholly now the way in which you used to speak of the dear old fellow. I could see that he was not strong, but I had no idea that the end was so near. The doctor had been watching him very carefully, and yesterday morning came to me and told me that Nolan was not so well, and had not left his stateroom—a thing I never remember before. He had let the doctor come and see him as he lay there, the first time the doctor had been in the stateroom, and he said he should like to see me. Oh, dear! do you remember the mysteries we boys used to invent about his room, in the old Intrepid days? Well, I went in, and there, to be sure, the poor fellow lay in his berth, smiling pleasantly as he gave me his hand, but looking very frail. I could not help a glance round, which showed me what a little shrine he had made of the box he was lying in. The stars and stripes were triced up above and around a picture of Washington, and he had painted a majestic eagle, with lightnings blazing from his beak and his foot just clasping the whole globe, which his wings overshadowed. The dear old boy saw my glance, and said, with a sad smile, 'Here, you see, I have a country!' And, then, he pointed to the foot of his bed, where I had not seen before a great map of the United States, as he had drawn it from memory, and which he had there to look upon as he lay. Quaint, queer old names were on it, in large letters: 'Indiana Territory,' 'Mississippi Territory,' and 'Louisiana,' as I supposed our fathers learned such things; but the old fellow had patched in Texas, too; he had carried his western boundary all the way to the Pacific, but on that shore he had defined nothing.

"'Oh, Danforth,' he said, 'I know I am dying. I cannot get home. Surely you will tell me something now? Stop! stop! Do not speak till I say what I am sure you know, that there is not in this ship, that there is not in America—God bless her!—a more loyal man than I. There cannot be a man who loves the old flag as I do, or prays for it as I do, or hopes for it as I do. There are thirty-four stars in it now, Danforth. I thank God for that, though I do not know what their names are. There has never been one taken away; I thank God for that. I know by that, that there has never been any successful Burr. Oh, Danforth, Danforth,' he sighed out, 'how like a wretched night's dream a boy's idea of personal fame or of separate sovereignty seems, when one looks back on it after such a life as mine! But tell me—tell me something—tell me everything, Danforth, before I die!'

"Ingham, I swear to you that I felt like a monster that I had not told him everything before. Danger or no danger, delicacy or no delicacy, who was I that I should have been acting the tyrant all this time over this dear, sainted old man, who had years ago expiated, in his whole manhood's life, the madness of a boy's treason? 'Mr. Nolan,' said I 'I will tell you everything you ask about. Only, where shall I begin?'

"Oh, the blessed smile that crept over his white face! and he pressed my hand and said, 'God bless you! Tell

FARMER ALLY OF DEMOCRACY IN GREAT WA..

Tiller of Soil as Essential to Success as the Soldier or the Gun Maker.

IMPORTANCE REALIZED

Agricultural Interests Receive Early Consideration From Public Safety Commission—Help and Inspiration Given—State to Double Production.

Democracy's principal ally in this great war for the dethronement of Prussianism is the farmer. Though guns may thunder and cities crumble before the onslaughts of the millions now engaged in the great cause, peace, everlasting peace can come only through the lowly tiller of the soil.

To the thoughtless this may not appeal, but how inseparably the great cause and the farmer are linked is indicated in the unusual deference being shown him by those directing the allied interests. No battle is complete without the farmer. God speed him, is the constant supplication.

Among the first of the state war units to recognize the importance of the farmer in his relation to the great conflict was the Minnesota State Safety commission. Early was the consideration given the agricultural interests of the state by this body and in its twelve months of existence little has been overlooked in the way of help and patriotic inspiration. Returns in consequence have been manyfold and further help is contemplated.

This year should see Minnesota's food production doubled and as the main source of that production is the farmers of the state the task the Minnesota safety commission has before it can be appreciated. And that the Commission will succeed there is little doubt as it has the confidence of the farmers and they will respond to a man.

One of the most active of the Minnesota Safety body in an agricultural way is C. H. March, vice president of the commission and a farmer himself. As the head of the agricultural division of the state organization both his time, and his money have been freely given in its furtherance. Recently Mr. March returned from Washington where he went at the instance of Gov. Burnquist and the members of the Commission and his visit was not only of value to the agricultural interests of Minnesota, but to the entire Northwest. If only the promise of an increased fixed price for the 1918 wheat crop, which was one of the objects of the visit, is realized, this intervention alone will be worth many millions of dollars to the farmers of the state.

At the command of Gov. Burnquist and the Minnesota Safety commission Mr. March placed before President Wilson and those interested in food production a number of things necessary to the success of the farmers and the additional production which is so urgently desired and was successful to the extent that many reforms will undoubtedly follow. Not the least of the promises obtained was aid in behalf of a substantial increase in the government fixed price for wheat and a partial return to state grain grades which have been superseded by federal standards. Acting on behalf of the commission Mr. March pointed out to President Wilson and his war aides the great work Minnesota farmers are doing and urged as generous a government compensation as other lines of endeavor are now receiving. Such was only justice.

One of the early agricultural activities of the commission was the supplying of farm help made necessary by the draft. With the usual sources of supply cut off by the national call to arms the Commission at once took over the free employment machinery of the state and much financial loss was averted as a result. This year even greater plans are in preparation for the harvest call.

Another of the early problems was transportation and how it was handled by the Commission is best told in the thousands of freight cars that have been forwarded to every section of the state at the urgent call of farmers and communities generally. Any dearth in this respect has been kept down to the minimum.

One of the chief features of the success of the Commission in an agricultural way has been the confidence its activities has inspired. Education and patriotic appeal, instead of official commands have been the main feature of its propaganda and as a result general cooperation is greater than ever in the history of the state. Today the commission has more intimate relations and is in closer touch with the farmers of Minnesota than any other known agency.

With the opening of the new crop year efforts of the Minnesota Safety commission will be redoubled in making it a record breaker and there is [illegible] reason to believe that the fond[illegible] of those in charge will be [illegible]. Anticipating such plans [illegible] will carry the commission well [illegible] the harvest season are in the making and these cover every phase of farm work and state help.

ALFALFA GREATEST AND CHEAPEST FEED

Contains More Protein Than Any Other Plant—Yields Most to Acre

FEED VALUES COMPARED

Furnishes Principal Ingredient of Milk, Beef, Pork—How It Should be Fed

(Prepared Especially for this Newspaper by the Editors of the NATIONAL ALFALFA JOURNAL.)

READ THE FIGURES!
Why Alfalfa Excels as a Feed, Yet Is Cheap.

An acre will yield 1½ tons of timothy hay. Of this 46 per cent is digestible nutrient. That is 1,380 pounds. An acre will yield 2 tons of clover hay. Of this, 46 per cent is digestible nutrient. That is 1,840 pounds. An acre will produce 60 bushels of shelled corn. Of this 80 per cent is digestible nutrient. That is 2,688 pounds. An acre will produce 12 tons of corn ensilage. Of this 16 per cent is digestible nutrient. That is 3,840 pounds.

But Alfalfa—Well, Read On:

While an acre will, on three cuttings, easily produce 4 tons of alfalfa. Of this 53 per cent is digestible nutrient. That is 4,240 pounds—or 10 per cent more than the best of the others.

But alfalfa has over three times as much protein—muscle building, beef building, pork building, milk making material—as ensilage and over 2½ times as much as corn. An acre of it has as much protein as a $40 ton of bran. And on top of it all is this fact; alfalfa can be produced as cheaply as an acre of corn.

What are the outstanding things about alfalfa, the characteristics that make it so much sought after by farmers?

1. There is its feed value, which may be summed up in the five word expression: "it is rich in proteins."

2. There is its great productivity. Alfalfa is the only plant grown outside of the tropical or semi-tropical that produces three big crops a year.

When a farmer can have a protein feed and great abundance in one combination he has pretty nearly truck a feed "bonanza." And yet that is just what he has in alfalfa. Last winter when dairymen and beef producers were paying $40 a ton for bran and as high as $60 a ton for oilmeal—both protein feeds—many of them chopped off short on this drain on their pocketbooks and fed more alfalfa hay. They found results, in gallons of milk and in pounds of beef produced, came just as rapidly.

Protein is the principal ingredient of muscle, tissues, blood, nerves, parts of bones and of the internal organs. It is the "lean" of meat, and hence its importance in the makeup of meat animals—beef and pork—is readily understood. Protein is the thing that makes milk and butter and cream so nourishing. Without protein milk would lack the greater part of that which makes it almost a "perfect food" in itself.

How It Gets the Protein.

The protein itself, when subjected to a little examination, proves to be largely made up of nitrogen. Nitrogen is part of the air, and millions of cubic feet of it exist in the free state on every farm. But human beings and dairy cows and steers and pigs would die for the want of the protein—the nitrogen—that they all must have, if they tried to assimilate that nitrogen from the air.

Here is where what are known as the leguminous plants—sometimes called the clovers—come in. These bacteria we read about in a previous article inhabit the roots of all the leguminous plants. And they have the knack of grabbing off this nitrogen from the air and of passing it on up through the roots and stems of the plants. There, with the aid of sunshine and water, the plant builds the nitrogen into leaves and more stems, and puts it together in such a way as to appeal to the taste and to agree with the digestive organs of the dairy cow, the beef steer and the thrifty pig. It is no longer nitrogen, it is now protein, and as such is appropriated for the particular protein wants of the respective animal which eats it. Of all the plants which have this quality of producing protein from the free nitrogen of the air, alfalfa is at once the heaviest producer in bulk, it possesses the largest percentage of protein content. That is the reason alfalfa is known as the Queen of all plants.

Alfalfa Pasture For Pigs.

The pig is given his alfalfa feed in the simplest way, the primitive way of the pasture. Sometimes even in the spring, quite frequently during the summer and very generally in the fall one will see herds of pigs, in sections where alfalfa is raised, grazing on the alfalfa. Pigs gain rapidly on alfalfa pasture. The reason they are not turned on it earlier generally is that the farmer cuts one or two crops before allowing the pigs to run on it. The pigs do not hurt the plants, provided they are taken off in time for the alfalfa to acquire a little growth for winter protection.

Cattle and horses must be let loose on alfalfa pasture only with the utmost caution. Alfalfa is liable to bloat these animals, especially when it is wet. It is sometimes all right to turn stock onto an alfalfa field for brief periods. But the best way to feed it is as hay.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Feb. 1918.

Cream received	8845 lbs
Average test	26.89
Butter fat	2378.76 lbs
Percent overrun	20.80
Butter made	2875 lbs
Rec'd for butter sold	$1128 08
Rec'd from other sources	611 00
Total	$1739 08
Paid patrons by check,	1109 46
To sinking fund	15 09
Expense fund	478 39
Balance on hand	136 14
Total	$1739 08

Price paid for butter fat, 47c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00

Olaus Rodahl 65.75, Jno. Engstrom 59.56, Julius Faiman 55.89, Lewis Wegge 48.80, O. A. Knutson 46.78, T. O. Dovre 45.36, M. J. Lunke 43.86.

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Sixty Dollars, interest payment which became due December 1st, 1917 which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Adolph Sollom and Ida Sollom, his wife, and Theodore Sollom, a single man, Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Holt (a Minnesota Corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of March 1916, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 80 of Mortgages, on page 205

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Farmers State Bank of Holt, Mortgagee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 3rd day of May 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 5th day of May 1917 at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 83 of Mortgages on page 546

AND WHEREAS, The said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the Assignee, and Holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand and sixty ($1,060.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 1st day of December 1917, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots numbered nineteen (19) and twenty (20) in Block numbered eight (B. 8) of the Town of Holt, according to the official plat thereof on file and recorded in the office of the register of deeds within and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the west front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 11th day of May 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Thousand and Sixty Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 23rd A. D. 1918.

Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice
Buy a Kaiser chaser

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services in Golden Valley at 11 A. M. next Sunday and in East Valley at 3 P. M.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Notice is hereby given, that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby declares the whole sum due, which mortgage was executed by Sally A. Moore, a widow, mortgagor, to Holt State Bank, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated September 3rd, 1914, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 5th day of September, 1914, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., in book 73 of Mortgages on page 60.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date, is the sum of thirty eight and 2-100 ($38.02) Dollars.

That no action or proceeding has been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage or any part thereof.

That the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage are described as follows: The south half of the northwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. twenty nine (29) in Township No. one hundred fifty six (156) North of range No. forty (40), west of 5th P. M., in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the above described premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, or his deputy, at the West Front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 11th day of May, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and twenty five ($25.00) Dollars, attorney's fees as stipulated in the said mortgage, in case of foreclosure; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th 1918.

HOLT STATE BANK (a Minnesota Corporation) MORTGAGEE.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

War Savings Stamps

THE first principle of money making is money saving. Get the habit of buying War Savings Stamps regularly. This is the stamp which is going to help Uncle Sam stamp out Autocracy and help you, by saving, to start on the road to Success.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps at any bank or post office.

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Write me in regard to your sick [illegible] Advice [illegible] counsel free.

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Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Notice!

All property owners and occupants are hereby notified that their premises and adjoining streets and alleys must be cleaned of all ashes, refuse, rubbish, manure, dead and decaying matter, before May 1st, 1918, or the same will be done by order of the village council and the costs taxed against the property.

By order of the Village Council
P. A. Riesberg, President
H. B. Young, Clerk.

Pure Bred Stallion
License No. 4179
The pedigree of the stallion name
Roy 66438
Breed Percheron
Sire, Bowser 29085
Dam, Marion 44293
Will stand in Holt for service during the season of 1918.
Terms of service will be announced later
O. J. BACKLUND
Owner
Holt, Minn.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account

Estate of John Hanson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Hanson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to George J. Hanson and Ludvig F. Hanson; and to all other persons interested in the above estate.

Whereas, B. Decken, the representative of the above estate has filed in this court his final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: It Is Ordered, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 4th day of May 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in The Holt Weekly News according to law.

Witness the honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 8th day of April 1918.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Judge.
A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Peitioner
Warren, Minn.

War Savings Stamps

Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without YOUR HELP or that Germany will let you keep your money if she Wins. Buy a Stamp

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Red Cross benefit Saturday May 4.

Otto Kuehne went to Warren on Tuesday.

Misses Lydia Bjerk and Stella Mickelson went to Thief River Falls on Friday.

Are you going to the home talent play to-morrow night for the benefit of the Red Cross?

Miss Alma Knutson went to Climax Tuesday where she expected to have work for sometime.

Found:- A watch. Owner please prove property and pay for this notice. A. Arnevick, Holt, Minn.

Mrs. R. Reierson returned Tuesday from a couple of weeks visit at the Andrew Ness home in Thief River Falls.

Estray: 21 sheep, some ear marked— [illegible] telephone B. B. Curtis [illegible] Liberal reward offered.

Miss Lizzie Hanson of Albert Lea came last week Thursday to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. W. Christianson and family.

Miss Ida Bennes of Fertile is keeping house for her brother while Mrs. Bennes and her father are visiting relatives at Erskine.

Eddie Davidson and Oscar Knutson left Tuesday for Warren to join other Marshall county boys who left Wednesday for the training camps.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennes and baby autoed to Erskine Friday. Mrs. C. Kolden and baby accompanied them as far as Mentor where their home now is.

Mrs. Bronsberg returned to her home in Gary Tuesday after enjoying a two weeks visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Knutson and family.

Our basket ball team went to Greenbush Saturday evening to play the return game with the team from Haug. Despite the fact that the hall was new to them and the baskets a couple of feet higher than they were used to, our boys won the game by a score of 18 to 10. Hurrah for Holt and her basket ball team.

Red Cross benefit at the hall Saturday eve.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Communication.

Our contributions do not speak well for the patriotism of Marshall County because patriotism must be measured by deeds rather than by words. Montana and N. Dak. having a larger percentage of their young men in far off France fighting for the cause of "Democratic Liberty", is not sufficient reason for our own County being in the slacker class for Red Cross production, for the time is soon coming when Marshall County will be equally represented on the battle fields of Europe. Therefore it behooves us to awaken to the fact that our own sons and brothers will soon be sending appeals from over the sea for those articles of necessity and comfort which the American Red Cross is now urging us to produce.

I therefore appeal to you, especially to the well-to-do citizens of Marshall County who have both time and money that could be given freely with out the least hardship on your part, to gather in organized effort and freely contribute your money and your time to aid in this noble and necessary work. Everyone who has a dime to spare should give and everyone who has an extra hour that can possibly be taken from their ordinary duties should give that hour freely in producing some article that our sons and brothers will need over there.

Many Townships have no Red Cross organization and many are there in the town and villages who are not yet doing their part. I appeal to you as patriotic citizens to organize and help in this noble Red Cross work.

The Red Cross appeals to you to enlist and do your honest share to alleviate the suffering in war-stricken Europe and to stand behind our boys who have gone or are going over there in defense of Liberty and Justice.

Marshall County should never take second place in this humane and patriotic work. We need you all.

Let there be no slackers in Marshall County.

G. S. Wattam
Chairman Marshall County.
Chapter A. R. C.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Mrs. Con Frisco came Tuesday to visit friends.

We had another good rain Saturday night and Sunday.

The Red Cross notes reached us too late for this weeks issue. Again we say all copy must reach us not later than Tuesday of the week of insertion.

H. Loken of T. R. Falls was a business caller in town Saturday. Mr. Loken says that we have the best little bank in the northwest and that we should be proud of it.

We have some application blanks, (sent out by Public Safety Com), to give to relatives to send to soldiers and sailors who wish to vote at the primary election in June. These blanks should be sent to the boys right away as the time is getting short.

The musical talent of Middle River, delighted our people last Saturday evening at the Woodman Hall in the nature of a Cantata called Ruth. The beautiful bible story of Ruth was certainly brot out very charmingly and effectively by each part rendered. The solos and choruses showed splendid training and reflects much credit for their leader Rev. Nesett. The last chorus at the conclusion of the Cantata was stirring and inspiring which made a fitting climax to the evenings entertainment. The people of Middle River are always welcome at Holt.

Southeast of Holt.

(Too late for last week.)

Mrs. O. A. Fosse of Thief River Falls commenced teaching a term of parochial school in Dist. 139 on Monday Apr. 15th.

Amanda Klungness who is attending the high school at T. R. Falls, visited her home over Sunday.

A number of young folks spent Sunday at Guttrud's.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. John Skomedahl on Thursday May 2nd.

Albert and Oscar Swanson, Harry and Thora Moe were Sunday visitors at C. Larson's home at Golden Valley.

L. J. Kolvig of Kanawah Iowa came up on Monday to look over his land which Halvor Moe has rented.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Klungness were Sunday visitors at the home of the former's sister Mrs. Nustvold.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

East Valley News

Mrs. Fred Peterson called at C. Knutson's last Thursday.

Miss Clara Larson called at A. C. Jahr's Tuesday evening of last week.

Axel Ring left last week Monday for Devils Lake N., Dak. where he expects to stay for some time.

Mrs. J. M. Jahr returned last Tuesday from Wannaska Minn, where she had been visiting relatives a few days.

The Zions Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Martin Sampson on Wednesday May 8th at 2 P. M. Everybody is welcome.

Alma Knutson spent a few days with the home folks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole M. Larson visited at C. Knutson's Sunday afternoon.

C. Ring returned last Thursday from N. Dak. where he has been staying for some time.

Mrs. Werner and baby spent a few days visiting with her brother Fred Peterson and family last week.

Albert Haugen left Monday for Grand Forks, North Dakota, where he expects to stay for some time.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

STEINER NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Warner and daughter Esther made a business trip to T. R. Falls last week.

Willis Warring returned from International Falls, where he has been spending the winter in the woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Copp and family visited at the Russel home last week.

Simon Warring and son Willis made a business trip to T. R. Falls last week.

Willie Meyer, Harvey Copp and Homer Warring went fishing Friday night. They report fishing isn't much sport.

Miss Lena Reidle spent the week end in St. Halaire, visiting with friends.

Harvey Copp has just bought a fine driving horse, also a buggy and harness. He expects to take many pleasure trips with it but not alone.

Willis and Steve Warring have left for Humbolt, Minn., where they expect to work this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers and daughters spent Saturday and Sunday in the country.

Mrs. Meyer has returned to her home after spending several weeks in St Paul with her son Ed. who has been sick.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Moe & Larson have bot the big Stoddard-Dayton car of the bank and will use it for a truck.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. James A. Orrock will hold services here next Monday evening May 6. Rev. Orrock is the pastor called to Thief River Falls to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Rev. Parish.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday School 9:45.

Services in Holt next Sunday at 11 o'clock and in East Valley at 3 o'clock.

The Dorcas society will be entertained Saturday by Mrs. Hagberg and Mrs. Adams at the home of their mother, Mrs. Nelson.

Mrs. C. L. Heinze entertained the Ladies Aid yesterday.

Rev. F. J. Seltz of Thief River Falls will conduct services in Holt next Sunday May 5th at 1:30 P. M. and not at 11 A. M. as it had been announced.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Meat Market Open

The meat market was opened for business on Monday April 29th Will have on hand a fresh supply of good meat and invite all our former customers to give us a call.

O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

English services at the Mission church Monday evening.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Notice- Farmers-Stock Owners

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—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

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The Local Market.

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Wheat No. 1 Northern		$2.04
Wheat No. 2		2.01
Wheat No. 3		1.98
Wheat No. 4		1.94
Flax		3.75
Oats		68
Barley	94 to	1.31
Rye		2.51
Flour, Best Patent		5.60

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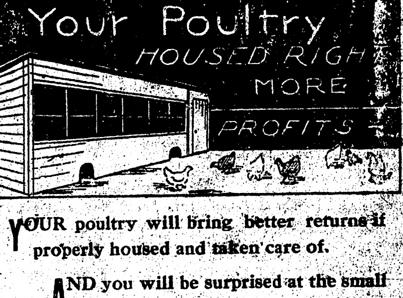

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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

European War News

Uruguay and Argentina are expected to declare war against Germany at an early date, according to Berlin reports forwarded to London by the Exchange Telegraph's correspondent at Amsterdam. The German newspapers have been notified to prepare the public for this development, he adds.

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News of the torpedoing in Spanish territorial waters of the French steamer Province was contained in diplomatic dispatches to Washington from France. The Spanish press, the dispatch said, is incensed over the incident.

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"Great Britain has no reserve army to send to France; the 7,500,000 men enrolled by the empire since the beginning of the war have fought and died on 37 fronts, and when it is said that she has her back against the wall it means that." These statements by Lieut. Col. F. Fraser Hunter, D. S. O., British provost marshal in the United States, startled members of the University of Toronto club at New York.

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Eleven German airplanes were brought down Sunday and six were driven down out of control, says a dispatch from London. An observation balloon was destroyed and anti-aircraft fire accounted for two other hostile planes. Five British machines are missing.

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U. S.—Teutonic War News

Maj. Raoul Lufbery of Wallingford, Conn., destroyed his eighteenth German airplane in France on Tuesday. Lieut. Paul Frank Baer of Mobile, Ala., brought down his fifth German machine the same day, thus becoming the latest American ace.

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"Men of action—younger men"—are needed for America to win the war. This was the belief expressed by Secretary of War Baker to members of the house military committee. He added that his experiences and observations while abroad convinced him that the success of the war depends on young rather than old men. A most promising picture of the vast preparations the United States is making in France for the fighting men sums up the secretary's talk before the committee.

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Germany holds seven American naval prisoners, five from the armed guard of the steamer Cantona and two from the destroyer Jacob Jones, Secretary Daniels announced.

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Domestic

The American line steamship St. Paul, a famous passenger liner, overturned and sank at her pier at an Atlantic port while being warped into a pier preparatory to loading for a trip to Europe. Three men are missing.

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Sixteen residents of Collinsville, Ill., are under indictment for the lynching of Robert P. Prager in that city April 5. Twelve must answer charges of murder, and four policemen will be tried for omission of duty and malfeasance in office.

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Frederick C. Miller, mayor of Michigan City, Ind., who was arrested as an alien enemy when he came to Washington to discuss prospects of completing his naturalization as an American citizen, was released and escorted from the capital by officers.

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Lightless nights will be discontinued beginning next Thursday night until September 1, under an order issued by Fuel Administrator Garfield.

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For telling a friend that the naval ship upon which he was serving was to sail for Europe soon with troops on board, Lieut. Walter S. Carrington lost five numbers in his grade.

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Ram Chandra, Hindu pacifist and revolutionist, was shot dead at San Francisco in the United States district court, where he was on trial, by Ram Singh, a former employee and fellow defendant. While Singh still pulled the trigger of his automatic he was shot dead in turn by United States Marshal James E. Holohan.

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The United States government has decided to take over all raw wool now held in warehouses at the price prevailing on July 30 last. If holders do not agree to sell it at that price the wool will be commandeered.

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Indictments were returned at Kansas City, Mo., by the grand jury against Carl Gleoser and Jacob Frohwerk, former owner and editor respectively of the Missouri Staats Zeitung, a German-language newspaper. The indictments cover sections of the espionage act.

CARRY POTATOES

"Carry on" is the cry that is rallying our British allies.

Let's make it our war cry. We must carry on at home. And one of the first obligations is to save our big potato surplus from waste.

Get your market basket and carry home some potatoes today. Eat them every meal. Wheat must have the support of potatoes to hold its line until the next harvest. Not only that, but millions of bushels of potatoes should be eaten within the next few weeks or they will be wasted.

Carry home some potatoes.

Carry on!

Three fires, breaking out simultaneously in the Lake Erie & Western shops at Lima, O., practically wiped out the $500,000 plant. Three firemen, trapped in the flames, are missing. Federal agents report one line of hose playing on the shops was cut by an unidentified person.

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Second Lieut. Stephen R. Warner and Cadet Edwin D. Cryer of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, were killed near Wichita Falls, Tex., when their plane suddenly burst into flames and fell.

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Frederick C. Miller, the German mayor of Michigan City, Ind., was arrested and locked up as an enemy alien when he went to Washington to discuss with federal officials the prospects for completing his naturalization.

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An indictment charging Rose Pastor Stokes, Socialist and wife of a New York millionaire, with violation of the federal espionage law was returned at Kansas City, Mo., by the federal grand jury.

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Washington

The house adopted the senate resolution for the registration for military service of young men who have reached the age of twenty-one since June 5 last. The measure now will go to conference.

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Income and excess profits taxes are expected to bring about $3,000,000,000 into the treasury in June, or a half billion dollars more than was estimated. Secretary McAdoo announced this, giving the first official information that receipts would exceed the previous estimate of $1,226,000,000 from excess profits and $1,200,000,000 from incomes. The taxes are due June 15.

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Reorganization of the army corps, with John D. Ryan of New York, copper magnate and financier, as director of aircraft production, was announced by Secretary Baker. The aircraft board continues in its advisory capacity, with Mr. Ryan chairman instead of Howard Coffin, who remains a member of the board.

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War on Turkey and Bulgaria was discussed in the senate with several senators announcing their willingness to vote for such a declaratron.

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Creation of a labor administration, with a director general of labor, is under consideration by President Wilson. The new office would take over much of the work heretofore performed by the labor department.

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President Wilson came out in opposition to the Chamberlain bill which would try violations of the sedition laws by courts-martial, and in a letter to Senator Overman of North Carolina declared his belief that the measure is unconstitutional.

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Personal

Archbishop Ireland, who returned to St. Paul, Minn., recently from Florida, where he recuperated from a breakdown, has suffered a relapse, it was announced at his residence.

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Rev. A. J. Emerson of Denver, Colo., former president of the Howard Payne college of Brownwood, Tex., died at San Angelo, Tex., aged eighty-three. During the Civil war he was a chaplain in Lee's army.

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The funeral of Second Lieut. Dinsmore Ely of Chicago, formerly of the Lafayette squadron, who died from injuries received in an airplane accident, was held at Versailles, France, with military honors.

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Foreign

The London Evening Standard says Germany is demanding facilities for the passage of men and munitions across Holland to the western front. This is practically the same demand that was made on Belgium at the beginning of the war, and, of course, cannot be complied with without the gravest breach of neutrality.

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Speaking in the first chamber of the Netherlands parliament at The Hague on the sand and gravel question with Germany, the Dutch foreign minister declared he could not and must not conceal from the chamber the fact that the question was a very serious one.

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The Amsterdam Hetvolk announces that the German minister to the Netherlands has left The Hague for Berlin and that the Dutch minister to Germany is on his way from Berlin to The Hague.

WHOLE FLANDERS LINE ATTACKED

Liys, La Basse, Arras, Lens and Amiens Sectors are Hammered By Foe.

ASSAULT IS GENERAL

Hills About Mount Kemmel Bombarded in Attempt to Make Gains Toward Ypres, Apparent German Objective.

With the British Army in France, April 30.—(By the Associated Press)—The fourth German army heavily attacked the Allied front in Flanders. Prisoners captured have admitted that the German intention is to attempt to capture Ypres. Severe fighing is reported in both the French and British areas. The attack extends over a front of about 15 miles.

British troops around Ypres several times sent up "S. O. S." signals for artillery support. The tremendous German bombardments point to the certainty of a German attempt to advance.

The Belgians on the Ypres front also are reported to have been attacked.

General Assault Spurred.

The Germans have begun what sems to be a general assault on the British hill positions on the Kemmel front southwest of Ypres, opening a new phase of the great drive in Flanders. Apparently the crucial test of the Allied holding power in this area is at hand.

The preliminary bombardment, took in a 10 mile front from Meteren, west of Bailleul, to Vormezeele, two miles south of Ypres. Infantry attacks in this area developed shortly afterwards and the battle appears to have been on in earnest when Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's report was issued in London.

Voormezeele is Pressed.

The enemy has been striking with great fury at Vormezeele the last two or three days, evidently hoping to drive in behind Ypres and break British from the further positions of the Ypres salient which they have been evacuating.

General von Arnim has been successfully held off from this southern bulwark of the salient, but meanwhile he has been preparing to take advantage of the success he won last week in the capture of Mount Kemmel, which he was unable to develop immediately because of the stiff Allied resistance.

French Hold Locre.

Further attacks in the Voormezeele sector may accompany the delivery of this last blow, but the greatest force of this thrust seems likely to manifest itself in the vicinity of Locre, where Scharpenberg Mont Rouge, Mont Noir and other eminences are the enemy objectives.

The French, who are holding the line at Locre, fortified themselves by clinging to this village although more than once driven out by savage thrusts.

Amiens Front Shelled.

The enemy drove several times at the French positions in Hangard wood, east of Amiens, and heavily bombarded this sector north to Villers-Bretonneux. The infantry attacks were broken up by the French fire and the Allied artillery vigorously answered the German guns in this region and between Lassigney and Noyon, on the lower side of the Montdidier salient.

BUY W. S. S.

KAISER THREATENS RUSS

Demands Exchange of Well Prisoners for Sick Slavs.

Washington, April 30.—Germany has demanded of Russia an exchange of prisoners and has threatened to take Petrograd unless the Russian government agrees to the terms advanced, the state department here has learned.

The German government, the state department's dispatches said, is sending to Russia a commission of 115 members to present the Germans' demands.

The German demand as outlined calls for the immediate release of all German prisoners who are in good health; that those who are ill shall remain in Russia, under the care of neutral physicians and that the Germans on their side will release only those Russian prisoners who are ill or are incapacitated.

BUY W. S. S.

GERMAN LOSSES DOUBLED

Enemy is Losing Submarines at a Rapid Rate.

Rome, April 30.—Loss of German submarines during the last six weeks have been more than double the rate in January and February, according to advices from Zurich.

BUY W. S. S.

Bloodhounds Trail Slayer.

Rochester, Minn., April 30.—Bloodhounds, shipped here from Waterloo, Iowa, have taken up the trail of Thomas Armstrong, former city assessor, who escaped Thursday night after murdering his wife and shooting his 14 year old stepson, on a farm six miles south. Armstrong's father, who arrived a week ago from Philadelphia with hopes of settling the family troubles, says his son had not removed his clothes for more than a week. He believes the slayer is insane.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Winona.—The quadrennial state convention of the Equitable Fraternal union was held here today with nearly 100 delegates attending.

Henderson.—Five fishermen were arrested here for illegal fishing in the Minnesota river. One was sentenced to 30 days; the rest paid $25 fines.

Melrose.—Governor J. A. A. Burnquist and Bishop Joseph Busch will be the speakers at a loyalty meeting to be held here Sunday, May 5.

Minneapolis.—A conference of macaroni manufacturers of the United States will take place in Minneapolis July 8, 9 and 10, according to J. T. Williams, president of the National Macaroni Manufacturers' association.

Cloquet.—With State Superintendent C. G. Schulz delivering the dedicatory address, the new high school erected here at a cost of about $100,000, was dedicated. Frank Nelson, president of the Minnesota college, also spoke.

Sauk Rapids.—The county has voted bonds for $25,000 for road work this year. Three bridges will be built, one at the outlet of Little Rock in place of the old Gordon bridge, and the others at Maywood and Granite Ledge.

Hibbing.—Captain David Owen Williams, commander of Battery B, 125th Field Artillery, Camp Cody, N. M., died in the army and navy hospital at Hot Springs, Ark., of Bright's disease. Every flag in Hibbing is at halfmast.

Waseca.—Lieutenant Bernald J. Gallagher, reported as missing in action March 29 in the war department's casualty list of April 20, is "safe and well," according to a cablegram just received from him by his father, B. M. Gallagher of this city.

Moorhead.—Moorhead may become affiliated with the proposed Red Cross baseball league organized in this section. At a meeting of Moorhead fans the question was quite thoroughly discussed, and the local field is being canvassed to determine the financial support available.

Stillwater.—Failing in his attempt to enlist in the army or navy on account of his youth and afraid to return home after running away, Hollister Demo, 16 years old, Newport, Minn., who disappeared on April 11, was found in a shoe factory at Red Wing and brought home.

Moorhead.—The Moorhead elementary department of the Minnesota Normal school, located here, has established an employment bureau. One of the leading reasons for the bureau is to furnish work for school children, after school hours. The bureau was successfully inaugurated.

Minneapolis.—Homer C. Clark, vice chairman of the ninth district Liberty Loan committee estimates 800,000 as the minimum number of subscribers in the district to the third loan, compared with 621,770 in the second campaign. All figures are subject to later revision, Mr. Clark said.

St. Peter.—Oscar Nelson told the draft board that he should be exempted because of the care which his wife and baby needed. Mrs. Nelson said they needed care all right, but that Oscar had not supported them for 16 months. She recommended that they put her husband in the "shock troops."

St. Cloud.—All time freights which have been running over the Willmar division from and to St. Paul and Minneapolis have been routed over the Fergus Falls division for an indefinite period beginning Tuesday. This will throw a great deal more traffic through St. Cloud. The change is temporary and is necessitated by construction work on the Willmar line.

Minneapolis.—Gross margins for retail coal dealers of Minnesota outside the three large cities have been fixed by an order of Judge J. F. McGee, federal fuel administrator for Minnesota, made immediately effective. The margins allowed are 25 to 40 cents a ton higher than those permitted to city dealers. The explanation is that small town dealers have a smaller volume of business and hence a greater percentage of "overhead" costs.

St. Paul.—The State Public Safety commission has refused to sanction the leases of state timber purchases for the storage of timber cut, but not removed before June 1, as the law requires. The statute specifically provides that all timber remaining on state lands on expiration of the cutting contracts shall revert to the ownership of the state, and pleas that railroad ties and other products affected are necessary to the prosecution of the war were deemed insufficient to warrant treatment of the plan as a military necessity.

Stillwater.—John Burns a Northern Pacific switchman, arrested on the charge of stealing five sweaters shipped by the Washington county Red Cross society to the Red Cross supply bureau at Minneapolis, from an express package in the care of the Northern Express company, was bound over to the grand jury when he appeared in municipal court here.

Minneapolis.—John Finley Wilcox, Minneapolis resident since 1867, died here after a long illness. Mr. Wilcox was a sash and door manufacturer and was well known in club circles. He was 71 years old.

Winona.—Mrs. Agnes Rex, policewoman, has resigned to take similar work at Grand Forks, N. D.

Rochester.—Bishop James H. McCoy of the Methodist Episcopal church South had an operation performed here.

East Grand Forks.—Three squads of the local home guard went to Tabor to act as military escort for the remains of John Palya, who served on the Mexican border.

Hastings.—Mrs. M. Gossing, a pioneer of Dakota county, died at her home here at the age of 78 years. She is survived by her husband and several sons and daughters.

New Richland.—A community service flag bearing 50 stars, sold for $3,180 at a Red Cross auction sale here. The total proceeds of the sale were nearly $6,000. Henry Deutsch of Minneapolis made a stirring speech.

Fairmont.—Livestock men of this county have started a movement for better stock by organizing the Martin County Livestock association. County Treasurer John Haeckel was elected president.

Red Wing.—Dr. E. J. Colberg, of the Swedish Lutheran church, was chosen at a meeting of the senior class of the high school to deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the graduates of 1918, in June. He addressed the class of 1917.

Hastings.—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stuart of Hastings celebrated their 58th wedding anniversary here. They were married in 1860 and came to Minnesota seven years later and have resided here since. Mr. Stuart was for many years an architect and contractor.

Minneapolis. — The Minnesota Transfer Railway company handled during March a total of 1,361 cars loaded with immigrant movables of which Minnesota received 588; North Dakota, 229; Canada, 210, and Montana, 116. Minnesota made a substantial gain during the month.

St. Paul.—The proposal to unify telephone service and eliminate dual service in Minnesota is being generally indorsed by commercial clubs and other civic organizations and by independent telephone companies throughout the state, Chairman Ira B. Mills of the state railroad and warehouse commission, said.

Crookston.—Authorities are investigating the conditions under which a bomb filled with high explosives was placed in the Ada Milling company's building. The bomb was hidden in a suitcase found by workmen. It is believed a defective fuse saved the building from destruction. Manager Bodding said he thought the bomb had been set by some pro-German sympathizer.

Winona.—Investigation of a series of boxcar robberies in the Burlington railroad yards here recently resulted in the arrest of Joseph Cizewski, Peter Weaver and Joe Mlynozak of this city, charged with stealing and selling large quantities of food supplies consigned to the war department by a local packing house for use in the United States army in France, according to Chief of Police Huck.

St. Cloud.—Dr. E. F. Green of the state reformatory at St. Cloud, died at Walker of pulmonary tuberculosis. He was a recognized authority in this state on the Binet-Simon system. He applied it to every English-speaking inmate of reformatory and the plan worked out successfully because the man was not only judged by the crime he committed, but by conditions which prompted his act.

St. Cloud.—Walter Smith, former state treasurer, who was transferred some months ago from the prison at Stillwater to the state sanatorium for consumptives at Walker because he had developed tuberculosis, is recovering and walks eighteen miles a day, according to members of the state board of visitors, who returned from a visit to the sanitorium. Smith is very anxious for a parole that he may have another chance to make good, members said.

Jackson.—County Attorney Herbert Nicholas will submit to the State Safety commission the question of Iowa bootleggers obtaining liquor at Comfrey and hauling it acrss the line. Six men have been arrested, two in Jackson and four near the state line. It is said they had two automobiles loaded with liquor. Four of the prisoners, all of whom were from Spencer, Iowa, were turned over to federal authorities at Mankato. They are charged with attempting to take liquor into a dry state.

Minneapolis.—Consumers in Minnesota are buying more potatoes as a result of the federal food administration's "potatriot" campaign, officials said, but the marketing of potatoes has fallen off, due, it is supposed, to the fact that farmers are busy with their spring planting. "Potatoes must go onto the market now," said J. A. Vye, of the food administration, "and must get to the tables of Minnesota homes if they are not to be wasted, and if we are to save the wheat for which the potatoes will be substituted."

Hastings.—The common council has raised the saloon license from $500 to $1,000. Hastings went dry two years ago. Recently it was voted wet. Under the old ordinance, when there were fifteen saloons, the $500 license was effective. The new restrictions allow only eight drinking places.

Milaca.—The dates for the chautauqua season in Milaca for 1918 have been definitely fixed for June 15 to June 19 inclusive. Frank B. Willis, former governor of Ohio, will be one of the headliners on this summer's chautauqua program.

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40,000 Satisfied Users
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(Spinal Adjustments)
will make you well the same as it does others if you will give it a fair trial. Investigate! See
GEO. A. NEWSALT
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It's easier to tell a child what he must not do than to show him what he should do.

FRECKLES
Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Natural Propensities.

"Money is the root of all evil."

"Yes, and it seems to grow best by the grafting process."

When Your Eyes Need Care
Try Murine Eye Remedy
No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. 50 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book.
MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

THIS WOMAN SAVED FROM AN OPERATION

By taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, One of Thousands of Such Cases.

Black River Falls, Wis.—"As Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved me from an operation, I cannot say enough in praise of it. I suffered from organic troubles and my side hurt me so I could hardly be up from my bed, and I was unable to do my housework. I had the best doctors in Eau Claire and they wanted me to have an operation, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me so I did not need the operation, and I am telling all my friends about it."—Mrs. A. W. BINZER, Black River Falls, Wis.

It is just such experiences as that of Mrs. Binzer that has made this famous root and herb remedy a household word from ocean to ocean. Any woman who suffers from inflammation, ulceration, displacements, backache, nervousness, irregularities or "the blues" should not rest until she has given it a trial, and for special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS
For Constipation Carter's Little Liver Pills will set you right over night.
Purely Vegetable
Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price

Carter's Iron Pills
Will restore color to the faces of those who lack Iron in the blood, as most pale-faced people do.

Soft Soap Defined.

"Pop, why do people call jollying soft soap?"

"Because there is so much lie about it, son."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Soothe Baby Rashes
That itch and burn with hot baths of Cuticura Soap followed by gentle anointings of Cuticura Ointment. Nothing better. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." Sold by druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

New Kind of Stamps.

Never had there been such a commotion in the little flat. And the most excited person present was the sister of a young mother who had just presented her husband with twins.

Auntie was wildly delighted at being auntie in a double sense, and off she rushed to the post office for stamps to spread the great tidings.

"Stamps!" she jerked as she reached the counter and flung down the money.

"How many, miss?" politely inquired the clerk.

"Two!" she cried joyously.

"What kind?"

"A boy and a girl," she returned rapturously as she bade him hurry.

Identified.

"Joe" Jefferson once presented a check at a Detroit bank, only to be told by the cashier that he'd have to be identified.

With a twinkle in his eye the great actor quoted from the play with which his name will always be associated:

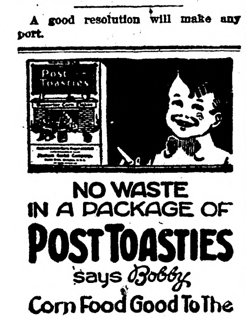
"If my leedle dog Schneider was only here, he'd know me."

"Enough!" exclaimed the cashier as he immediately cashed the check.

Rubbing It In.

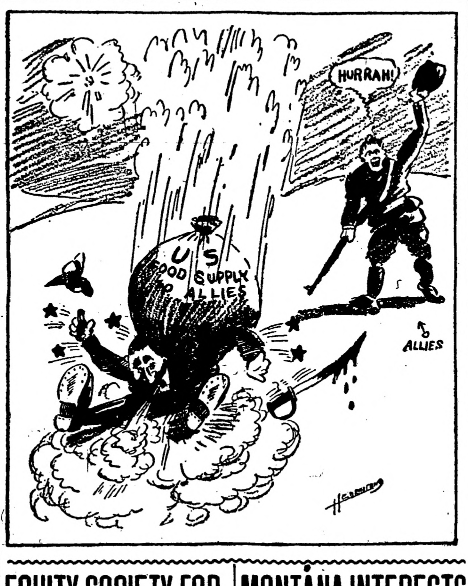
Cadger—"Sir, do you mean to insult me?" Badger—"Certainly not. I didn't think you could be insulted."

A good resolution will make any port.



NO WASTE IN A PACKAGE OF POST TOASTIES says Bobby
Corn Food Good To The Last Flake

WHAT A BUMPER CROP MEANS.



HURRAH!
U. S. FOOD SUPPLY TO ALLIES
ALLIES

EQUITY SOCIETY FOR POLITICAL ACTION

Iowa Branch Passes Resolution In Line With Policy of Nonpartisan League.

American farmers were urged to enter politics in the interest of constructive legislation in a resolution adopted by the Iowa branch of the American Society of Equity at its recent annual convention at Waterloo, Iowa.

The part of the resolution that is [illegible] farmers follows:

"Whereas, grave political and economic problems confront our government at the present time, and,

"Whereas, such problems require the attention of all citizens; therefore,

"Be It Resolved: That all farmers are urged to take a most active interest in politics, and do their best to promote and support all constructive and just legislation."

Upholds League's Stand.

The above resolution is significant in view of the fact that it is in conformity with the stand of the National Nonpartisan League, which has raised the banner of political action for the farmers and whose recent invasion of Iowa has become the issue of the hour in that state and has aroused the bitter opposition of the big interests.

It is believed that such a declaration coming from such a well established and substantial farmers' organization will be of incalculable benefit to the League in Iowa.

In striking contrast to the attitude of the armers on the question of politics is that of Big Business in Iowa.

Paper Gives Advice.

The Waterloo Times-Tribune hastens to advise that the Society of Equity, "can do wonders if it works with political parties we have and ignores class. The mistake of the Nonpartisan League, run by socialists is that it is organized to promote the good of a class, working against all people not belonging to that class. Incidentally, if the purposes of the organization are what we think they are now the leaders have not class in mind. If they are loyal to government as they seem to be, if they are for business instead of politics—they will do wonders toward keeping the disloyal Nonpartisan League out of Iowa."

This cunning attempt to stir up division and strife between different branches of the farmers' movement, will undoubtedly have little effect, as the farmers are rapidly learning that the Nonpartisan League is nothing more than an organization to look after the farmers' interests in legislation and that it is necessary because Big Business insists in monopolizing legislation for its own benefit. The League stands as much for the consumer as it does for the producer and it is opposed only to unnecessary middlemen, business profiteering and nonproductive occupations.

BUY W. S. S.

Successful State Industry.

The Oklahoma farmers are the beneficiaries of a very successful state owned industry. It was recently reported that the state twine factory at the McAlester penitentiary will have 2,000,000 pounds of binder twine ready for the farmers by the time the harvest season opens. It will be sold at 22 cents a pound to the farmers, which is 1 to 1¼ cents a pound less than the price fixed by the government. The state, at that, will make from $75,000 to $100,000 off the twine.

MONTANA INTERESTS SHOWS DISLOYALTY

Bar Congresswoman Who Has Stood By Labor From Speaking For Liberty Loan.

Deer Lodge, Mont., April 18.—Miss Jeanette Rankin of Missoula, Montana's representative in Congress, was refused permission to speak in Deer Lodge tonight, where she had been scheduled to give a Liberty Loan speech.

A meeting of citizens, led by State Senator Williams and R. D. Larabie, voted not to permit Miss Rankin to give her speech because of her alleged association in Butte with W. F. Dunn and Tom Campbell, who were leaders in the strikes conducted there last summer by the Electricians and the Metal Mine Workers' unions.

Miss Rankin, it is said, protested when informed of the action and insisted that she be given a chance to make her side of the case known. Her request was refused, however, and she was told not to come.

Act Shows Disloyalty.

The above dispatch discloses the Big Interests with the mask off. When an issue of disloyalty could not be manufactured they came out in the open.

They prevented a Liberty Loan meeting and denied a member of the United States Congress the right of free speech because this member had befriended labor when it struck against these interests. When they were unable to openly charge the offender with disloyalty, they could not refrain from exposing their own venom and spite even though it disclosed their own disloyalty.

Shows Up League Attack.

The entire insincerity of the disloyalty charges against the Nonpartisan League by these selfsame interests is becoming more apparent every day. Whenever the curtain is lifted, as it was in Deer Lodge, we are treated to the sight of an element essentially disloyal itself, covering itself with a camouflage of sham and subterfuge in order to maintain its power over the people.

BUY W. S. S.

U. S. MAY CONTROL PRICES

Continued Profiteering Arouses Officials Who Propose Drastic Changes.

Enormous profiteering has at last brought down the heavy hand of the government upon the profiteers and as a result the government may make a radical reduction in many common necessities.

This is the gist of two late reports from Washington.

Flour, shoes and clothing are among the standard staples scheduled for reductions.

The federal trade commission is aiming to meet the contention of the farmers that the price of flour should be reduced to correspond to the reduced price fixed on wheat.

BUY W. S. S.

Golden Valley county (that notorious county which produced Baer, Brinton, Bowen and Townley) has been allotted $30,000 as its share of the Third Liberty Loan. That county stood first in the United States in the percentage of Red Cross membership and we will bet our old hat that it will go over the top in this Third Liberty Loan drive. How the dickens the people out there can be so blamed patriotic and still be so strong at this here Nonpartisan league business is beyond our knowledge.—Public Opinion, Bismarck, N. D.

UNITED STATES WILL RUSH MEN

"Last Reserves" to Crush Prussian Military Machine Are to Be Quickly Transported.

TONNAGE IS AVAILABLE

Considerations of Comemrce and Trade Will Be Laid Aside for Transporting Troops and Munitions to the Battle Front.

Washington, April 30.—The United States is to furnish the "last reserves" that will give the final decision against the Prussian military machine. This important announcement regarding the war was made here.

"Men, men, more men!" on the western front in the present great crisis of the war is the cry from all quarters that has been ringing in the ears of the American people.

"Ships, ships, more ships!" for the transportation and maintenance of American troops abroad is the echo of that appeal that has stirred the United States Shipping board from day to day.

Two Million Men to France.

The decision has now been reached. The supreme effort is to be made to get troops abroad. Considerations of commerce and trade have been indefinitely put aside. The business of winning the war is the only buisness that will be recognized from this time on.

Two million men and more are going to France as soon as they can be loaded on transports and shipped away.

It is not a matter for a shipbuilding program or of negotiations for tonnage. The necessary tonnage is now under the control of the United States, and to the last ton it will be devoted to the transportation of troops and war supplies unil the "last reserves" of American troops have been placed in fighting position on French soil.

Congress will be asked to authorize an army of 3,000,000 men, available for service abroad and a reserve army at home, both for home protection and to make up the wastage at the front.

Ready to Vote to Five Million.

Congress is ready to vote an army of five million men. It is waiting the estimates of the war department. The war department has been waiting upon the shipping board. The board promised at an important conference early in the week, to supply all the shipping that would be required to take every available man to the front in France.

Quartermaster General George W. Goethals, in supreme command of the transport of troops and supplies, later furnished the Shipping Board with an estimate based upon the number of men the United States was prepared to send to the front. It caused the officials of the board to pause, but now the members have made their answer. They will meet the shipping requirements of the estimate of the number of troops supplied by Gen. Goethals. It is the last words. It is reported that the estimate is in excess of 2,000,000 men; in fact, that it is close to 2,500,000 men.

New Plan is Advanced.

In its announcement the Shipping Board puts forward an entirely new plan. It is estimated that two and one-half deadweight tons of shipping will supply a soldier's needs in France for a year. Departmental estimates have been as high as six or eight tons of shipping for each soldier.

The Shipping Board has tonnage enough afloat under its absolute direction and control to transport the necessary number of troops to France to make up a force of 2,000,000 American fighters without waiting upon new shipping, and to sustain them after they are landed in France.

BUY W. S. S.

American Army Health Good.

Chicago, April 30.—The United States army has surpassed the record of the Japanese army, heretofore considered the model of the world in holding down the percentage of disease among its forces, Surgeon General William Gorgas said in a speech. General Gorgas was in Chicago en route to Washington from Fort Riley, Kan.

BUY W. S. S.

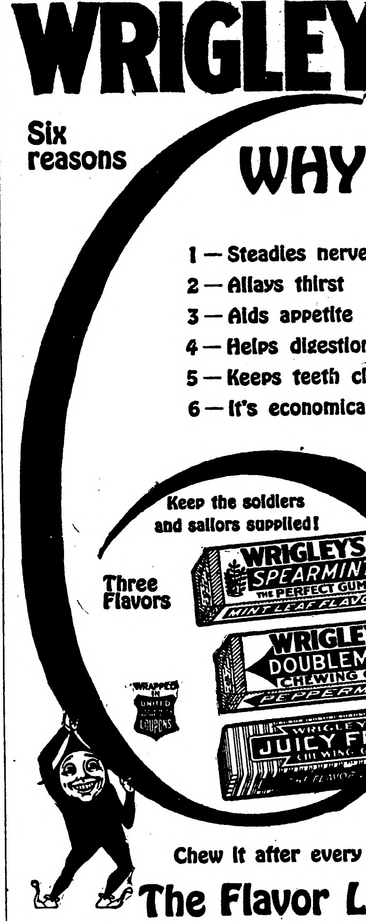
Loan May Be Oversubscribed.

Washington, April 30.—Uncle Sam's third Liberty Loan will be oversubscribed, according to the indications at the treasury department. Approximately $2,225,000,000 has been pledged.

BUY W. S. S.

China and Japan Co-operate.

Peking, April 30.—For the purpose of ending sensational speculation on the diplomatic situation between Japan and China in the Chinese press the government has authorized the following statement: "The existing negotiations between China and Japan are intended to refer solely to co-operation against the Central empires. The agreement will become invalid as soon as the European war is terminated without infringing upon the political or territorial integrity of China."



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THE FLAVOR LASTS
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The Logic of It.

"Give the prize-fighter's picture the logical position at the head of the page."

"Why is it the logical position?"

"Because it is an upper cut."

OUR BOYS "OVER THERE" ENJOY TOASTED CIGARETTES.

Through the patriotism of the citizens of this country thousands of smoke kits are being distributed to American soldiers in France. Authorities agree that men in the trenches need cigarettes almost as much as food and munitions.

Doctors, nurses, and commanding officers all join in the demand which has awakened in this country a great movement to keep our boys supplied with smokes.

Millions of the famous LUCKY STRIKE Cigarettes are "going over" all the time. There's something about the idea of the *toasted* cigarette that appeals to the men who spend their time in cold, wet trenches and billets.

Then, too, the real Kentucky Burley tobacco of the LUCKY STRIKE cigarette gives them the solid satisfaction of a pipe, with a lot less trouble. Adv.

A Little Advertising.

"Boy, page Mr. Glimmering. Here's a quarter."

"Yes, sir. Thank you, sir."

"But remember, I'm Mr. Glimmering."

"I get you. Twice around the lobby and then you hall me."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Economics.

"Speeches are getting shorter and shorter."

"Of course they are," assented Senator Sorghum. "There are more ways of saving daylight than turning the clock back."

Speaking of home rule, what's the matter with the first baby?

No Use for Horseradish.

A raw servant girl was told to order the family vegetables at the grocer's. After booking what was asked for, the tradesman queried:

"Will your mistress want any horseradish today? Some just in, nice and fresh."

Tossing her head, Mary Janes said:

"No, indeed; we want no such thing, I know. My master keeps a motorcar."—London Mail.

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Natural Result.

"Was this breach of promise case thoroughly sifted?"

"Yes, and they found only the ashes of his love."

GIRLS! MAKE UP A LEMON LOTION

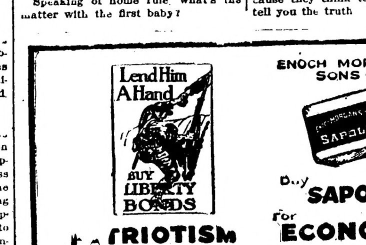
LEMON JUICE WHITENS SKIN AND REMOVES TAN, FRECKLES, SALLOWNESS.

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion whitener, at very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.—Adv.

If you can't be happy at home, the chances are you'll never be happy anywhere else.

Probably some folks lie to you because they think too much of you to tell you the truth



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PATRIOTISM
ENOCH MORGAN'S SONS CO.
Buy SAPOLIO for ECONOMY
"Actions speak louder than words"-Act-Don't Talk-Buy Now

nes," he said, and he point-
stars on the flag. "The last
Ohio. My father lived in
But I have guessed Mich-
nois and Mississippi—that
Fort Adams is—they make
But where are your other
You have not cut up any
ones, I hope?'
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could, and he bade me take
beautiful map and draw them
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d with delight about Texas,
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marked a gold cross where he
his brother's grave was; and
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ighted as he saw California
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true story of his serving the

r Me Their Names," He Said.

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dear old David Porter, as he
him. Then he settled down
ietly, and very happily, to hear
in an hour the history of fifty

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who knew something! But I
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the steamboat beginning. I
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all I could think about the
ssippi, and New Orleans, and
and his own old Kentucky.
o you know he asked who was
mmand of the 'Legion of the
I told him it was a very gal-
ficer named Grant, and that by
st news, he was about to estab-
his headquarters at Vicksburg.
'Where was Vicksburg?' I
d that out on the map; it was
a hundred miles, more or less,
his old Fort Adams; and I
Fort Adams must be a ruin
'It must be at old Vick's plan-
,' said he; 'well, that is a
ge!'
tell you, Ingham, it was a hard
to condense the history of half
tury into that talk with a sick
And I do not know what I told
of emigration, and the means of
steamboats and railroads and
raphs—of inventions and books
literature—of the colleges and
Point, and the Naval school—
with the queerest interruptions
ever you heard. You see it was
son Crusoe asking all the accu-
ated questions of fifty-six years.
emember he asked, all of a sud-
who was president now; and
I told him, he asked if Old Abe
Gen. Benjamin Lincoln's son. He
he met old General Lincoln, when
was quite a boy himself, at some
n treaty. I said no, that Old Abe
Kentuckian like himself, but I
not tell him of what family; he
worked up from the ranks. 'Good
him!' cried Nolan; 'I am glad of
As I have brooded and won-
have thought our danger was
eeping up those regular succes-
in the first families.' Then I
alking about my visit to Wash-
I told him of meeting the Ore-
congressman, Harding; I told him
Smithsonian and the exploring
dition; I told him about the capi-
and the statues for the pediment
Crawford's 'Liberty'—and
enough's Washington: Ingham, I
him everything I could think of
would show the grandeur of his
try and its prosperity.
And he drank it in, and enjoyed it
cannot tell you. He grew more
more silent, yet I never thought
was tired or faint. I gave him a
of water, but he just wet his lips,
told me not to go away. Then he
me to bring the Presbyterian
k of Public Prayer,' which lay
, and said, with a smile, that it
open at the right place—and so
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down the page; I knelt down
read, and he repeated with me,
ourselves and our country, O gra-
God, we thank thee, that, not-
standing our manifold transgres-
of thy holy laws, thou hast con-
to us thy marvelous kindness'—
to the end of that thanksgiv-
Then he turned to the end of the same book, and I read the words more familiar to me: 'Most heartily we beseech thee with thy favor to behold and bless thy servant, the president of the United States, and all others in authority'—and the rest of the Episcopal collect. 'Danforth,' said he, 'I have repeated those prayers night and morning, it is now fifty-five years.' And then he said he would go to sleep. He bent me down over him and kissed me; and he said, 'Look in my Bible, Danforth, when I am gone.' And I went away.

"But I had no thought it was the end. I thought he was tired and would sleep. I knew he was happy, and I wanted him to be alone.

"But in an hour, when the doctor went in gently, he found Nolan had breathed his life away with a smile. He had something pressed close to his lips. It was his father's badge of the Order of Cincinnati.

"We looked in his Bible, and there was a slip of paper, at the place where he had marked the text—

"'They desire a country, even a heavenly: wherefore God is not ashamed to be called their God: for he hath prepared for them a city.'

"On this slip of paper he had written:

"'Bury me in the sea; it has been my home, and I love it. But will not someone set up a stone for my memory at Fort Adams or at Orleans, that my disgrace may not be more than I ought to bear? Say on it:

In Memory of
PHILIP NOLAN
Lieutenant
in the Army of
the United States.

"'He loved his country as no other man has loved her; but no man deserved less at her hands.'"

(THE END.)

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Always Hot Coffee at Bennes' restaurant.

This paper and To-Day's Housewife magazine only $1.50 a year.

K. T. Knutson is moving his family on the H. B. Young farm this week.

A home talent play will be given in the hall Saturday for the benefit of the Red Cross.

B. Docken sold 320 acres of land last week to parties from the southern part of the state.

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice
Buy a Kaiser chaser

War Savings Stamps

PROMISE someone that you'll save one War Savings Stamp each month, each week, or each day.

Penalize yourself by saving two every time you miss the day.

The first principle of money making is money saving. And every time you lick the stamp you help to lick the Kaiser.

War Savings Stamps at every bank, post office or other authorized agency.

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War Savings Stamps

Who Squanders—
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He who saves money saves lives.

Are you buying War Savings Stamps REGULARLY?

They cost a penny more each month you wait.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps (25 cents) at any post office or bank.

This space donated by

The Village Blacksmith

WAR TALKS

By UNCLE DAN

Number Six

Billie and Jimmie Will Take Military Training.

"I am mighty sorry, Uncle Dan, that this is your last night with us. Can't you stay longer? We boys are having a peach of a time," said Billie.

"Well, if you get more out of it in the way of pleasure than I," said Uncle Dan, "you are going some."

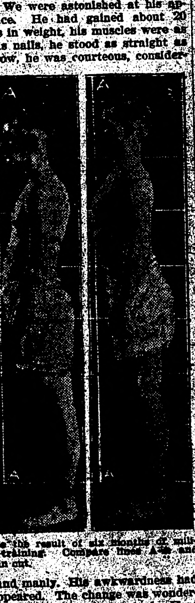
"Billie, I have been talking seriously with your father and mother about sending you to a military academy and they asked me to talk with you about it."

"Whoopee!" Billie screamed, like a wild Indian.

"Now, hold your horses," said Uncle Dan, "and listen to me. You know I sent my boy, Howard, to one of these schools for a year when he was about your age. He was narrow chested, stoop shouldered, rather loose jointed; he had the big head and needed discipline and physical development. He was growing fast and I wanted him to be strong physically."

"Say, Uncle Dan," said Billie, "I believe your description of Howard fits me pretty well, eh?"

"Well," said Uncle Dan, "to be frank I think it does; you need the same thing. Howard did not like it at first; I am told for a few weeks he had 'rough sledding,' but after he found that the only way was to obey orders, he caught the spirit of the institution and liked it. We did not see him for about six months, then he came home for a few days. We were astonished at his appearance. He had gained about 20 pounds in weight, his muscles were as hard as nails, he stood as straight as an arrow, he was courteous, considerate and manly. His awkwardness had disappeared. The change was wonderful and it was all to the good. Here is a photograph showing 'before and after taking,' and I am sure no patent medicine advertisement could beat it.



Note the result of six months of military training. Compare lines A-A and B-B in cut.

"Well, mother and I were delighted. That was ten years ago, and Howard says the year he spent at the military academy was the best year of his life.

"Now," said Uncle Dan, with great earnestness, "when such training does so much good, makes better citizens and at the same time fits a man to defend his country, why should not Uncle Sam furnish this training at the government's expense? The government has the right to call anyone to serve in case of war, and without training, a man is worth nothing as a soldier. Uncle Sam has splendid new training camps that will soon be available for the purpose, therefore, here is double reason why the Chamberlain bill for compulsory military training should be passed at once, so that every boy physically fit may have this training and not leave it for his parents to pay for. On account of the expense, not one boy in 50 can take the training now. I am glad that you can do so. These big crops and big prices, I find, make the farmers rather 'cocky,' and that the best is demanded by them."

Billie was up with the lark the next morning, more excited and enthusiastic than ever. He had a plan. He knew Jimmie owned a colt worth $100; that he would make almost another $100 on his potatoes if they turned out well, and that he had from his previous savings, bought a $100 Liberty bond. Billie's plan was to have Jimmie cash in and go with him. He was disappointed to find that Jimmie would still lack about $300 of having enough to see him through. His lip quivering, he said: "I'm mighty sorry to leave Jimmie."

Uncle Dan was silent a moment or two, then he asked Billie to go down to the orchard and get him some apples to eat on the train. While he was gone, it was arranged that Uncle Dan and Mr. and Mrs. Graham would advance the money necessary so that Jimmie could go. When Billie returned he was told about it. He ran to the 'phone and called Jimmie, saying: "Come on over, run just as fast as you can, I've got the greatest news you ever heard of."

Take Notice

"Kindling the Hearth Fires," a home talent play, will be given in the Woodman hall Saturday evening May 4th by a company of people from Hazel. Proceeds benefit of the Red Cross, one third of which will be given to the Holt chapter. The people of Hazel don't do things by halves and will give our people something good, also this play is highly spoken of by those who have heard it. Saturday May 4.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Red Cross workers are needed in this vicinity, at once.

Miss Evelyn Wegge was a Thief River Falls visitor Saturday.

Parties were here from Viking Wednesday after the large gasoline tank formerly owned by Brekkestran Bros.

Misses Gunhild and Olava Sollom having completed their terms of school are now at home for the spring vacation.

Rev. Orrock, who has the former charge of Rev. Parish in Thief River Falls, will be in Holt Monday evening to hold services.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Sixty Dollars, interest payment which became due December 1st, 1917 which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Adolph Sollom and Ida Sollom, his wife, and Theodore Sollom, a single man, Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Holt (a Minnesota Corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of March 1916, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 86 of Mortgages, on page 205

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Farmers State Bank of Holt, Mortgagee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 3rd day of May 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 5th day of May 1917 at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 88 of Mortgages on page 546

AND WHEREAS, The said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the Assignee, and Holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand and sixty ($1,060.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 1st day of December 1917, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots numbered nineteen (19) and twenty (20) in Block numbered eight (B. 8) of the Town of Holt, according to the official plat thereof on file and recorded in the office of the register of deeds within and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the west front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 11th day of May 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Thousand and Sixty Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 23rd A. D. 1918.

Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn.,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
A. N. Eckstrom
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

War Savings Stamps

THE difference between a five dollar bill and a War Savings Stamp is that while they are both promises to pay, backed by all of the resources of the richest government in the world, a five dollar bill never gets any bigger than $5.00 and War Savings Stamps are worth a penny more each month for 5 years. War Savings Stamps are United States $5.00 bills which the Government is offering in February for $4.13 and in March for $4.14 and so on adding a penny each month until January 1st, 1923, when they will reach $5.00.

Thrift Stamps

Thrift Stamps cost 25 cents each. The Government furnishes Thrift Cards with spaces on them for 16 Thrift Stamps. Thrift Stamps bear no interest but are as good as cash. When the 16 spaces are filled, making $4.00 worth of Thrift Stamps, the owner takes the card to any bank or post office, pays the additional 13 cents or whatever it may be that month, and receives a War Savings Certificate and one War Savings Stamp.

There is room for twenty $5.00 War Savings Stamps on each War Savings Certificate card. You can buy $100 worth for $82.40 in January, $82.60 in February, and 20 cents more each month you wait.

War Savers are Life Savers.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps at your post office or bank.

This Space Donated By

Holt State Bank

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Notice is hereby given, that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby declares the whole sum due, which mortgage was executed by Sally A. Moore, a widow, mortgagor, to Holt State Bank, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated September 3rd, 1914, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 5th day of September, 1914, at 9:30 o'clock, A. M., in book 73 of Mortgages on page 60.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date, is the sum of thirty eight and 2-100 ($38.02) Dollars.

That no action or proceeding has been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage or any part thereof.

That the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage are described as follows: The south half of the northwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. twenty nine (29) in Township No. one hundred fifty six (156) North of range No. forty (40), west of 5th P. M., in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the above described premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, or his deputy, at the West Front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 11th day of May, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and twenty five ($25.00) Dollars, attorney's fees as stipulated in the said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th 1918.

HOLT STATE BANK (a Minnesota Corporation) MORTGAGEE.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Pure Bred Stallion
License No. 4179
The pedigree of the stallion name
Roy 66438
Breed Percheron
Sire, Bowser 29085
Dam, Marion 44293
Will stand in Holt for service during the season of 1918
Terms of service will be announced later
O. J. BACKLUND
Owner
Holt, Minn.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

War Savings Stamps

THE first principle of money making is money saving. Get the habit of buying War Savings Stamps regularly.

This is the stamp which is going to help Uncle Sam stamp out Autocracy and help you, by saving, to start on the road to Success.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps at any bank or post office.

This space donated by

Holt Merc. Co.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

Oswald Hoel and son Melvin went to T. R. Falls, Tuesday.

Red Cross benefit Saturday night, by the Dorcas society.

Davidson Bros. finished the well on L. Flak's farm this week.

Dr. Turley, the dentist will be here next Monday May 13th.

We understand that H. Ekerdahlen has a slight attack of pneumonia.

C. L. Sandberg and family autoed to T. R. Falls Sunday and visited with friends.

Miss Lyda Bjerk and Miss Stella Mickelson were T. R. Falls callers Friday night.

Miss Julia Nohre of Spring Grove came Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. P. P. Reierson.

Miss Selma Saastad went to Thief River Falls last week Thursday to work in the Brummund hotel.

Found:- A watch. Owner please prove property and pay for this notice. A. Arnevick, Holt, Minn.

Estray: 21 sheep, some ear marked. Finder please telephone B. E. Curtis, Middle River. Liberal reward offered.

A meeting will be held at the village hall Tuesday evening May 14th. to elect officers for the fire company.

Mrs. Kjelgren and daughter Ida went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to consult a physician regarding the health of the daughter.

Joe Nelson autoed to Middle River Sunday evening with Bertil and Elmer Sollom who had been here making their folks a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Hougaard and son Sam autoed down from Strandquist Sunday and spent the day at at the C. W. Christianson home.

Pie Social Saturday night, benefit the Red Cross. Be sure to go.

Mrs. M. B. Fitch and daughter Lillian arrived here Monday from Decorah, Iowa. Their household goods arrived the same day and they have been busy getting settled in their new home on the Alkenbrack place. The other members of the family will come later.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Red Cross News

The following contributed to a box sent to Warren April 31st:-

Sweaters, Ingaborg Nelson, Ida Kjelgren and Emma Olson.

Socks, Margaret Ohm 2 pr., Mrs. Nelson 2 pr. and Mrs. Hagglund 4.

Pajamas, Beatha Nelson 1 pr., Mrs. Docken 2 pair, Mrs. Bakke 2 pair, Mrs. Swan 1 pair, Mrs. Anderson 1 suit.

Hospital shirts, Mrs. R. L. Olson 1, Mrs. Gunheim 1, Mrs. Adams 1, Mrs. Swan 2, Mrs. Ordahl 1, Beatha Nelson 1, Mrs. Hagberg 1.

Scarfs, Lillie Peterson and Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. Docken packed the box for shipment to Warren.

Those serving at the Red Cross meetings during the month of April were:

Mrs. Swan and Martha Peterson, Mrs. Docken and Miss Bakke, Mrs. Ordahl and Mrs. Alfred Anderson, Mrs. Hagberg and Mrs. Adams.

We have a new supply of yarn at the school house for those who would like to knit.

Working hours every Friday night from 8 to 10 o'clock.

Don't forget the Pie Social that the Dorcas is giving at the hall for the benefit of the Red Cross. All the girls bring a pie and the boys,- Come. All do what you can to boost this "Great Red Cross Drive" thats coming soon.

The Pie Social will be given Saturday evening May 11th. Don't forget it.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Hay for Sale!

I have about 600 bales of hay, averaging about 100 lbs per bale, that I will sell for 60 cents a bale.

Peter Michaelson.
Thief River Falls. Minn.
R. 2 Box 45

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Notice!

Notice is hereby given that a meeting will be held at the village hall Tuesday evening May 14 for the purpose of electing officers for the following year for the fire department, May 14th.

By order of the village council.
P. A. Riesberg, President,
H. B. Young, Clerk

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Aug Nass and family visited with relatives near Argyle Sunday.

Miss Agnes Bakke visited relatives in T. R. Falls Wednesday and Thursday.

Holt village must raise the sum of $320 for Red Cross work, commencing May 20th. This is our apportionment of the $100,000,000 must be raised by the country at large.

Mrs. Chas. Skoglund received the sad news Monday of the sudden death of her married sister in Minneapolis. Mrs. Skoglund departed the same day for Minneapolis to be present at the funeral on Wednesday.

C. A. Nason and Sever Braudon and wives of Thief River Falls, Bertil and Elmer Sollom, Harold Berg and the Misses Atkin and Johnson, all from Middle River, attended the play given here Saturday evening for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Rev. Ordahl recently received a letter from his cousin, Edward Ordahl, whose home is at Glennwood this state, but now is at the training camp at Camp Kearney, Calif. He wrote amusingly of a ten days hike and a sham battle with North California soldiers in which they were supposed to be killed 14 times, but the next day they captured the camp of their opponents.

East Valley News

S. G. Swenkeson is busy plowing on the J. Tapper farm.

Miss Inga Johnson of Holt, has spent the past week with her sister Mrs. Ole Garthus and family.

A. C. Jahr made a business trip to Crookston last week.

Oscar Fuar and his mother visited at the Ole Larson home last Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Olson of Ada Minn. visited Saturday at the home of her brother S. S. Kolden and family.

Herman Peterson is helping his brother Fred with the spring work.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Knutson and family autoed to Middle River Sunday.

Miss Clara Larson finished her term of 8 months school in Dist. 148 last Friday.

Prof. Laas Handigaard commenced teaching a few weeks of Norwegian school in Dist. 148 last Monday.

Another shower of rain last Monday.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Southeast of Holt.

Several showers of rain fell here on Monday which makes the farmers all think they can look forward for a bumper crop in the fall.

B. McGinty of Thief River Falls is up in this locality breaking up his farm.

Simon Moe has joined the Coast Artillary and is now in the training camp at St Louis Mo.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hansen on Sunday May 5th. a baby boy.

Ida Guttrud assisted her sister Mrs. O. Olson with her work last week.

Christ Nelson was a Sunday visitor at Molstad's.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Take Notice

The Town Board of Holt will meet at the corner of Sections 25 and 26, by Fred Larson's farm, on May 18th at 10 o'clock A. M. and on same day at 2 P. M. at E. A. Erickson's place, to contract out some road work.

By order of Town Board,
T. B. Folden,
Town Clerk.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

A visiting nurse was at the school yesterday examining the pupils.

Free Mission Church

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 10 to 11 o'clock.

Dorcas at Hagglund's 18th of May.

Confirments every Thursday at 1 o'clock.

Ladies Aid May 23rd. at Gunheim's.

At their last meeting at the home of Mrs. C. L. Heinze, the Aid Society gave a silk quilt to the Red Cross.

Six new members joined the Aid, and the society voted to build a basement.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Pie Social!

A pie social will be given by the Dorcas Society at the Woodman hall on Saturday evening May 11.

Girls please bring each a pie to be sold to the highest bidder, and boys well-filled purses.

Coffee will be served free to all who bring cups. The proceeds go for the Great Red Cross Drive. Let us do our bit by attending.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

City Meat Market
Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides, Furs, Wool
TERMS:- Cash. Postively no credit
O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice
Buy a Kaiser chaser

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.66
Oats	68
Barley	83 to 1.20
Rye	2.06
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

A New and Complete Stock of
Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
Try Our
LUNCH COUNTER
Fresh Ice Cream Every Day
Prompt Service at all Times
Albert Bennes - Holt

Auto Repairing!
Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right
Hamernes Garage
Racine Olson, Manager
Holt, Minn.

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Samson Windmills!
The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction. They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.
See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.
Davidson Bros., Agents
Holt, Minn.

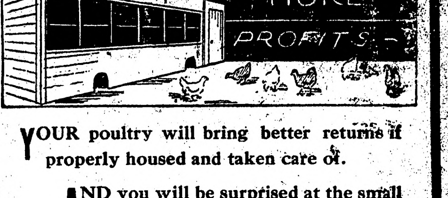
New Barber Shop
Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
and
Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory
Ernest Phillipson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
H. J. OIEN, Agent - - - - Holt, Minn.

Red Cross Bazaar

M. W. A. Hall
Holt, Minn., May 16th
By the Ladies of Holt and vicinity
Everything for sale Hot lunches served all day
Free Entertainment in the evening
All who donate articles will please have them ready by Wednesday

All day and evening next Thursday May 16th
Everybody can help the Red Cross thru this bazaar



YOUR poultry will bring better returns if properly housed and taken care of.

AND you will be surprised at the small cost of building the houses and sheds necessary for their proper care.

WE have all of the material required for housing poultry and will gladly give you ideas along this line.

WINTON-NICHOLS Lumber Company
IF IT'S BUILDING MATERIAL-WE HAVE IT.
HOLT, MINN.

Happenings of the World Tersely Told

U.S.—Teutonic War News

Lieut. Col. Richard H. Griffiths, U. S. A., commanding a battalion of infantry, has been killed by shell fire in Picardy.

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An American aviator has brought down the fourth German airplane along the American front northwest of Toul. He is Lieut. James A. Meissner, whose home is in Brooklyn. Lieutenant Meissner is a graduate of Cornell.

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One million American soldiers in France by July 1 is the goal the administration now is striving to attain, with considerable prospect of success. While it is not permissible to state even the approximate strength of the American expeditionary force, it is possible to say that it far exceeds the 500,000 Secretary Baker promised to have in France "early in 1918."

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A German airplane was brought down in enemy territory by Capt. Norman hall of Colfax, Ia., and Lieut. Edward V. Rickenbacher of Columbus, O., after a battle over the American line on the Toul sector.

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One hundred and thirteen sick and wounded soldiers from the American expeditionary forces were landed in this country during the week of April 26, Surgeon General Gorgas announced at Washington. Where they will recuperate was not divulged.

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"The navy is not only ready to fight, but it will also give everything possible to aid in other ways," said a radio message to Rear Admiral Cowie, navy Liberty loan officer, from Admiral Mayo, commander in chief of the Atlantic fleet.

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The American steamship Westerly, one of the first of the new ships built by the Emergency Fleet corporation, was sunk in a collision off the French coast. All on board were saved.

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Domestic

Maj. Oscar A. Brindley and Colonel Damm, two expert aviation men from the McCoog federal flying field at Dayton, O., met death at the Moraine City aviation field. The machine dropped 400 feet while making a turn in the air. Major Brindley was recently named chief instructor of the American aerial force.

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A sentence of ten years' imprisonment in Fort Leavenworth has been imposed on Private Herbert F. Atkins of Detroit, convicted of desertion by a court-martial at Camp Custer, Mich.

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Falling 150 feet in a straight nose dive, Lieut. James S. Ennis, Jr., of New York city, and Cadet Paul Herriott of Oakland, Cal., were killed. The accident happened at Fort Worth, Tex.

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Two soldiers were killed and 18 injured when the gas bag of a balloon exploded in its hangar at Florence field, near Fort Omaha. The dead and injured were members of the Thirteenth balloon company.

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Germany's chief agent left in this country by the former ambassador, Count von Bernstorff is now in prison. Lieut. Commander Carl von Rodiger is his name. He was arrested in New York and is held in $15,000 bail for a hearing May 8. The agent of Berlin is accused of having "started in this country a military expedition against the kingdom of Great Britain."

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Edward Lynch was killed, James Donohue was seriously injured and 40 houses were badly damaged by a cave-in at the coal mines at Upper Pittston, Pa.

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Lloyd Allen, aged twenty-four, of New York city, a cadet flyer at the Wilbur Wright aviation field at Dayton, O., met instant death when his machine crashed into one of the school buildings.

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Railroads under the four months of government operation just closed, received from the government $90,614,000 as bonus or advance payments on government compensation, Director General McAdoo announced.

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Two American transports which were in collision at sea several days ago have returned safely to an Atlantic port, the navy department announced.

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The Quincy Mining company at Houghton, Mich., announced an increase of 5 per cent in wages, making $4.15 a day for miners. The increase affects 3,000 men.

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Maximum sentence of two years' imprisonment in a federal penitentiary and fines of $10,000 each were imposed upon Franz Bopp, former German San Francisco consul, and E. H. Von Schack, former vice consul, following their conviction on charges to foment revolution against British rule in India.

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Answering the appeal to speed up the construction of shipping, American yards during the last week launched four steel and four wooden ships, aggregating 41,105 tons.

No trace has been found of H. Steinmoltz, said to be an Oakland (Cal.) tailor, who was hanged to a tree about five miles out of town until unconscious, and later taken away in an automobile by a band of masked men calling themselves "Knights of Liberty."

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Sixty-six persons lost their lives when the steamship City of Athens, Capt. J. Forward, bound from New York to Savannah, was rammed and sunk by a French cruiser off the Delaware coast. Forty-two of those missing were passengers. Twelve were civilians, twenty-two were United States marines and eight were French marines.

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A jury in Honolulu, H. I., after deliberating six minutes acquitted Capt. Henry Allen, retired sea captain, who April 14 last shot and killed S. J. Walker for cursing the American flag.

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Walter Spreckels, nephew of Claus Spreckels, millionaire sugar king, was forbidden to enter the sugar factory at Yonkers, N. Y., of which he has been general manager. The action was taken by the police at the instance of the United States authorities on the ground that Spreckels is an enemy alien. He was born in Germany and never was naturalized.

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Washington

A colossal military program was summarized by Secretary of War Baker to the house committee on military affairs. Here are the principal features of the plan: 1. Expenditures on the army aggregating $13,000,000,000 in the next fiscal year. 2. Manufacture of artillery on a stupendous scale. 3. Drafting of at least 1,000,000 additional registrants and as many more as can be equipped and transported to France, with the prospects favorable to maintaining an army of 3,000,000 men in the field next year.

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The shah of Persia has applied for $100,000 Liberty bonds. The request reached the state department at Washington from Minister Caldwell at Teheran.

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Rejecting all amendments designed to curtail President Wilson's authority, the senate passed the Overman bill authorizing the executive to co-ordinate all departments in a move to strengthen the government's war activities.

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Communications to Peking from Dr. Wellington Koo, Chinese minister to Washington, forecast an American loan of $30,000,000 to $50,000,000 to China for war purposes, if the Chinese government requests it.

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Foreign

Final returns on the voting for members of the landsthing, the upper house of the Danish parliament, show victory for the opposition parties led by ex-Premier Christensen.

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An order in council has been issued further postponing the operation of the national service act, or conscription, as respects Ireland, beyond May 1, to which it had been postponed previously. Some of the London newspapers say the postponement is due to the government's wish to introduce a home rule bill.

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The French submarine Prairial has been sunk as the result of a collision with a merchant ship, it was announced at Paris.

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"Japan will ever keep faith with her allies, and there will be no change in our foreign policies," declared Foreign Minister Cato in the first interview at Tokio since his appointment.

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Personal

George II, king of the Tonga Islands, is dead, says a dispatch from Melbourne.

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Dr. Carlos Maria De Pena, minister from Uruguay, died in a hospital at Washington.

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European War News

An official British communication regarding the operations in Palestine says the British have advanced along a line of one mile in the vicinity of Mezrah and have occupied that village.

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The Germans have established military rule in Kiev, the Ukrainian capital, and have arrested a number of the members of the government on the ground that "the government had proved too weak to maintain law and order," according to a Berlin official statement. The Ukrainian government officials arrested include the minister of war.

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Capt. Ting Chia Chen, military counselor to the president of China and also the Chinese minister of war, arrived at an Atlantic port on a French steamship. He said that China now is sending troops to France to fight for the allies. He declared that 40,000 Chinese troops would be on the French front by July.

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German forces have occupied Sevastopol, the great Russian fortress in the Crimea. According to the official communication to Berlin from headquarters, the town was taken without fighting.

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A party of 67 American army Young Men's Christian association workers under Arthur E. Hungerford arrived in London. The ship on which they sailed was torpedoed and sunk in 12 minutes. All the passengers and all but three of the crew were saved by destroyers.

LARGE STORES OF WAR SPUDS SPOIL

Lack of Public Control and Efficiency Hurts Farmer and War Work.

That encouraging the farmers to raise big crops to win the war and then abandoning them to the mercy of the profiteers and public inefficiency works a great injustice and reacts in the end on the success of the war, is convincingly illustrated in the present potato situation.

Under the influence of a strong campaign for a bumper potato crop following the potato famine of 1916-1917, the farmers for patriotic motives and at a great sacrifice planted a big crop last year. They paid as high as $4.50 a bushel for seed and planted as high as 12 bushels to the acre.

Recent reports brought in by farmers from various parts of Minnesota state that because of the early frost last fall buyers would not take the potatoes. They were stored by the farmers with the hope that a market could be found for them this Spring. Thousands of bushels thus stored are now spoiling on the hands of the farmers for want of a market while on the other hand stiff prices are being paid for potatoes on the cities.

A farmer from Wisconsin stated recently that in Burnett county, just over the Minnesota line, the only market for potatoes is at a starch factory. Many farmers have from hundreds to thousands of bushels of potatoes on their hands spoiling. As a result many of them start for the starch factory as early as 11 o'clock in the evening in order to reach the factory ahead of others, only to find as many as forty to fifty teams waiting in line when they arrive. The farmers are practically giving their potatoes to this factory.

The Nonpartisan League program of the public control of the markets should be put into effect at once as a war measure so that when the farmers are encouraged to raise large crops they will be insured a ready and ample market and will be protected against profiteers and marketing inefficiency.

VARDAMAN FLAYS PROFITEERS

Says Lying, Plutocratic Patriots Wrap Themselves in Flag and Rob Nation.

Declaring that the profiteers are the traitors Senator Vardaman of Mississippi, in a recent speech before the Senate, said:

"There seems to have grown up on the part of some a passion for plunder and an insatiable greed for graft.

"We find that men of prominence in high finance—men who were loudest in their demands for 'preparedness' a few years ago, who paid for the bunting that decorated the houses, paid for the flags that were flaunted in the air by the hired claquers, paid for the bands that led the 'preparedness' parades; these men who were loudest in their denunciation of the members of congress who dared to insist that a fair share of the war profits be devoted to paying the expenses of the war—the same hypocritical, lying, plutocratic patriots for perquisites, wrap themselves in the American flag and wih the words of patriotism upon their lying lips would rob the government in contracts and other ways, and hereby impose burdens upon posterity that will bring squalor to the home of the laborer and shadow the future of the children of the toilers yet unborn with blighting poverty, frustrated ambitions, and commit them to lives of dull, debasing drudgery.

"Down all the stretches of hell to its last gulf there is nothing more shocking to the moral sensibilities of a patriotic citizen."

Taxation Becoming Serious.

Taxation is going to be a serious question with the farmers when we begin to pay 4 to 4½ per cent interest on the war debt. This will probably double our present government taxes. The farmer is now paying twice as heavy a tax as Big Business in proportion to his property. It is up to the farmer to elect his own representatives to office and have taxes equalized.

Increasing Profits.

The Booth Fisheries Company is another concern whose profits for 1917 were greater than for 1916. They more than doubled.

In 1916, the next profits were $792,081.

In 1917, after deducting the war profits tax, the net profits were $1,641,521.

Is any comment needed?

Excuse and Failure Synonymous.

An excuse is an admission of failure. It is a plea for leniency, for suspension of sentence. It is a step toward loss of self-confidence. It is the beginning of life failure. And that man or woman who expects success to crown his or her old age should go to any legitimate extreme to prevent the possibility of having to offer excuses for failure in execution. Excuses are the aliases of bankrupt lives. Achievement is difficult, but profitable in its large and gainful returns.—Milwaukee Journal.

AUSTRALIAN STATE MARKET SUCCESS

Practically Entire Nonpartisan League Program Is Being Put Into Effect.

That the ownership planks of the Nonpartisan League platform are not "impractical" and "visionary" is very strikingly shown in a recent letter to American newspapers from the pen of an Australian newspaper correspondent, W. Francis Ahern.

A workers' and farmers' administration went into power at Queensland, Australia, in 1915. It immediately adopted, according to Mr. Ahern a policy of state ownership covering practically the same field covered by the Nonpartisan League platform—that is state ownership of the facilities for finishing raw farm products for the market and of facilities concerned with wholesale marketing.

Mr. Ahern does not pretend to name all the things operated by the state but the list he mentions looks like a paragraph out of the Nonpartisan League platform. It includes terminal elevators, stock yards, slaughter houses, packing plants, and even butcher shops. State banks and state insurance also are in operation.

Concerning the success of state marketing in Australia Mr. Ahern writes: "The Queensland state industries show a profit of $250,000 on all undertakings, although the state had no intention of making profit at all, but of running the industries in the interest of the public."

In establishing these industries the government moved with great caution, building them up slowly, step by step, according to Mr. Ahern. He says, "Exhaustive inquiry has preceded each enterprise, and wherever practicably each initial operation has been based on a small scale in order to enable the adjustment of administration to be shaped according to the government's own experiences."

BRITAIN HAS ITS PROFITEERS

Twenty-Six English Firms Make Five Times As Much As In Normal Times.

The English committee on national expenditure reports that enormous profits have been made by the British munition makers during the war.

The committee found that twenty-six firms have made profits five times greater than in normal times. Some concerns have made as much as twenty-seven per cent on their turn-over or 341 per cent of their capital stock.

It is announced that the technical investigations will show a saving in a year of $15,000,000 on cordite contracts, more than $175,000,000 on gun ammunition, $10,000,000 on gun equipment and $5,000,000 on air craft.

The British Labor Party, while intensely loyal to the government, is like the Nonpartisan League, of this country, advocating a program of complete government ownership and operation of the industries engaged in the manufacturing of war supplies, and it would appear that this program is needed there as it is here.

Paper Trust Prospers.

The Nonpartisan League advocates state pulp and paper factories in its Minnesota state platform in order to save the independent country papers from being sniffed out by Paper Trust prices. That it is justified is indicated by the following:

New York.—The International Paper Co., which was severely handled by the federal authorities for extortionate price fixing, shows the highest profits in its history in its report for 1917.

After meeting all charges, including an estimate of $2,500,000 for anticipated war taxes, there is left for holders of comomn stock the sum of $6,719,687. The balance for stockholders in 1916 was $4,620,727. This is an increase for 1917 over 1916 of $2,098,960.

Public Control Gaining.

Another industry likely to come under federal control soon as an outcome of war conditions is the manufacture of artificial ice. Ammonia is used in the manufacture of ice as well as explosives. Conservation will probably compel this step.

More Price Fixing.

A bill has been introduced in Congress to fix the price of cotton at 20 cents a pound. The principle of public price fixing instead of trust price fixing is steadily gaining.

Every farmer in the United States, according to government statistics, feeds two other families besides his own, but he feeds the other families much better than his own.

Origin of Dover's Powder

Dover's powder," an old-fashioned remedy still to be found at most druggists, is named after Captain Dover, a worthy of the seventeenth century. Captain Dover's other claim to fame is that he rescued Alexander Selkirk, the castaway of the island of Juan Fernandez, and thus was instrumental in giving "Robinson Crusoe" to the world. Captain Dober practiced medicine in an independent way—chiefly on his own men—and in this way came to concoct the powder which bears his name.

A Business Should be as Big as Its Job

If bigness is of benefit to the public it should be commended.

The size of a business depends upon the needs which that business is called upon to serve. A business should be as big as its job. You do not drive tacks with a pile-driver—or piles with a tack-hammer.

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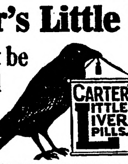

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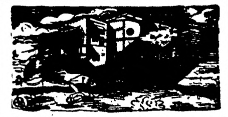
Why wait? Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of Freezone for a few cents, sufficient to rid your feet of every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and callouses, without soreness or irritation. Freezone is the much talked of ether discovery of the Cincinnati genius.—Adv.

Best Part.

John Doe—"What is it you like best about Marian's singing?" Gladys Can-By—"Oh, the refrain, I guess."

If you find it impossible to tell twins apart tell them together.



To drive a tank, handle the guns, and sweep over the enemy trenches, takes strong nerves, good rich blood, a good stomach, liver and kidneys. When the time comes, the man with red blood in his veins "is up and at it." He has iron nerves for hardships—an interest in his work grips him. That's the way you feel when you have taken a blood and nerve tonic, made up of Blood root, Golden Seal root, Stone root, Cherry bark, and rolled into a sugar-coated tablet and sold in sixty-cent vials by almost all druggists for past fifty years as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This tonic, in liquid or tablet form, is just what you need this spring to give you vim, vigor and vitality. At the fag end of a hard winter, no wonder you feel "run-down," blue, out of sorts. Try this "Medical Discovery" of Dr. Pierce's. Don't wait! To-day is the day to begin! A little "pep," and you laugh and live.

The best means to oil the machinery of the body, put tone into the liver, kidneys and circulatory system, is to first practice a good house-cleaning. I know of nothing better as a laxative than a vegetable pill made up of May-apple, leaves of aloe and jalap. This is commonly sold by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, and should be taken at least once a week to clear the twenty-five feet of intestines. You will thus clean the system—expel the poisons and keep *well*. *Now* is the time to clean house. Give yourself a spring house cleaning.—Adv.

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Flagler's Florida Railroad.

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Precautionary Measure.

Mrs Flatbush—Will you tack down that carpet for me, dear, before you go out to play golf?

Mr. Flatbush—No, I guess I'll go and have my game of golf first.

"Why not lay the carpet before you go, dear?"

"Because I can smash my thumb after I've had my golf, but if I smash my thumb before playing I'm afraid it would put me off my game, love."

WARNING TO ALL HUSBANDS

Just Now There Is Danger in Using Abbreviation of Somewhat Common Pet Name.

A sergeant of police exhibited a slight scratch on his face a few days ago which he said was caused by his wife's patriotism. By way of explanation the sergeant said: "I generally walk into the house and greet my wife with some pet name, one of my favorites being: 'Hello, honey.'

"Yesterday when I reached home I went in in my customary manner, met my wife in the kitchen and said: 'Hello, hun.'

"I had no more than spoken," said the sergeant, "when my wife landed on me and said that she would give me to understand that she was not a Hun, so from now on I will be careful to use some other name or else call her honey, and I will be very careful to use the entire word and not try to abbreviate it."—Indianapolis News.

Why Not, Indeed!

"Why not open-air schools for all children?" asked the bulletin of the Chicago Municipal Tuberculosis sanitarium. "Why the stupid policy of waiting till a child gets sick before giving him the fresh air he needs?"

Fair Enough.

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GERMAN LOSSES HEAVY

Intense Bombardment By Foe Southeast of Amiens Results In Their Being Completely Repulsed—British Positions Improved.

Washington, May 7.—With French and the British reserves now available the Allied situation in France has "considerably improved, although certain to be anxious for some time yet," the British war mission here announces.

Advance 1,200 Yards.

With the British Armies in France, May 7.—British troops have advanced 1,200 yards on a front of more than a mile, between the Ancre and the Somme. North of the Somme the Australians advanced 700 yards on a 1,500 yard front, and there they added another 500 yards, on a 2,000 yard front.

Operations Successful.

London, May 7.—The British line has been advanced on a considerable front between the Somme and Ancre rivers west-southwest of Morlancourt, says the official statement from Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's headquarters. The statement reads:

"A successful minor operation was carried out by us between the Somme and the Ancre rivers west-southwest of Morlancourt. Our line in this locality has been advanced on a considerable front in spite of strong opposition of the enemy, whose losses were heavy. More than 150 prisoners, two machine guns, a trench mortar, were captured by our troops. Our own casualties were slight.

"Local fighting took place to our advantage in the neighborhood of Locon and the Lawe river. Our positions in this locality were improved.

"On the remainder of the front the situation is unchanged."

British gunfire in Flanders during the last three days has completely prevented any enemy movement on the British lines, while the French prevented an attack which was undoubtedly being prepared on their front by attacking first.

Reserves Move Quickly.

Experts emphasize the difficulty of the enemy finding the target which is to take the Allies by surprise. Certain points of importance are carefully watched, and if other points are attacked the Allied reserves reach the battlefield as quickly as the German reserves.

The experts are confident that Mount Kemmel can be recovered if the enemy fails to advance his line in this region.

BUY W. S. S.

SIX KILLED; FIFTEEN MISSING

Last U. S. Casualty List Contains Eighty-eight Names.

Washington, May 7.—The last casualty list contained 88 names, divided as follows: Killed in action 6; died of wounds, 3; died of accident, 2; died of disease, 9; died of other causes, 1; wounded severely, 4; wounded slightly, 48; missing in action, 15.

The list includes: Wounded severely, Lieut Clifford R. Livingston, Merrill, Wis.; died of disease, Private Lester Dewey Erskine, Jacksonport, Wis.; Wounded slightly, Private Frank J. Kessler, Mahnomen, Minn. The remainder of the list is composed mainly of New England names.

BUY W. S. S.

NORWAY LOSES TEN VESSELS

Sent To Bottom By Germany During Month of April.

Washington, May 7.—Ten vessels aggregating 13,704 tons and 20 seaman were Norway's war losses during April, the Norwegian legation here was informed by a cablegram from the foreign office. The April totals bring Norway's losses, due to the war, to 755 vessels aggregating 1,115,519 tons and the lives of 1,006 seamen in addition to about 700 men on 53 vessels missing.

BUY W. S. S.

GERMANS SEIZE RUSS FLEET

Most of Black Sea Boats Fall Into Foe's Hands.

Constantinople, May 7.—German troops, occupying Sebastopol (in the Crimean peninsula), found in the harbor most of the Russian Black sea fleet, including cruisers, destroyers, torpedoboats, submarines and merchant ships, it is officially announced. The Sultan Selim and the Mamidieh have arrived there.

BUY W. S. S.

U. S. To Fight Mosquitoes

Washington, May 7.—The public health service has just begun the most extensive anti malaria campaign ever undertaken in the United States with a view to protection of the health of the soldiers in the southern cantonments. Because malaria is conveyed only by the bite of a certain mosquito, which flies only a short distance from its breeding place, the eradication of the mosquito will be undertaken in zones two miles wide around each camp likely to have malaria in order to wipe out the pest.

HER "FRAME-UP" ON DOLLY

Small Girl Had Learned Early In Life That There Are Times to Dodge Responsibility.

The conversation in the lobby of a Washington hotel turned to the subject of dodging responsibility, when this anecdote was fittingly related by Representative Frank D. Scott of Michigan:

"Some time since a fond mother returned from an afternoon call and found her five-year-old daughter huddled up in a big armchair, crying bitterly.

"Why, Bessie," exclaimed the mother, taking the little one in her arms, "what in the world is the matter?"

"Somefin dwelful has happened," sobbed the youngster, nestling closer to her mother, "I—'—I"

"That's all right, darling," coaxingly responded the mother. "Tell me all about it."

"It was my dolly," was the tearful explanation of Bessie. "She dot away from me and breaked a dish in the pantry."

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Educating the Farmer.

The use of motion pictures in connection with lectures and demonstrations on agriculture is proving a great success in the province of Ontario, Canada. The average attendance at these meetings has increased greatly since their introduction in demonstrating the right and wrong way to get things done on a farm. More than 5,000 farmers have seen the "wood grading" film since November 1, while the average attendance per film from November 1 last varies from 50 to 5,000, according to the subject.

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The Taskmaster.

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"Yes, he says a penny slaved is a penny earned."—Ginger.

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"Why not?"

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Sarcastic.

"I hope I'm not taking you from your work." "No; I just come down to the office to receive visitors."

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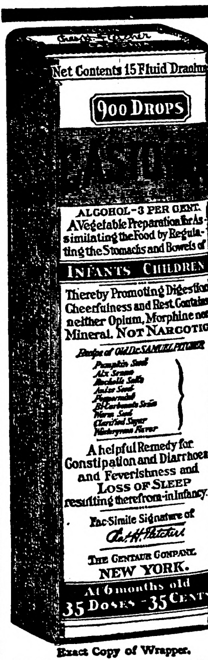
Eloquence.

"What is your idea of an orator?"

"A real, natural-born orator," answered Senator Sorghum, "is a man who can put up such a good monologue that you forget to notice whether his arguments are any good."

A close friend is one who declines to lend.



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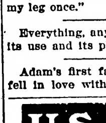

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ATTENTION! Sick Women

To do your duty during these trying times your health should be your first consideration. These two women tell how they found health.

Hellam, Pa.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for female troubles and a displacement. I felt all run down and was very weak. I had been treated by a physician without results, so decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, and felt better right away. I am keeping house since last April and doing all my housework, where before I was unable to do any work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is certainly the best medicine a woman can take when in this condition. I give you permission to publish this letter."—Mrs. E. R. Crumling, R. No. 1, Hellam, Pa.

Lowell, Mich.—"I suffered from cramps and dragging down pains, was irregular and had female weakness and displacement. I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which gave me relief at once and restored my health. I should like to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's remedies to all suffering women who are troubled in a similar way."—Mrs. Elise Heim, R. No. 6, Box 83, Lowell, Mich.

Why Not Try

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. LYNN, MASS.

COMMISSION SEES FARM RESOURCES AS PEACE AGENCY

March Says America, With Forces Unified, Can Drive Prussianism From the Earth.

SURPLUS IN MINNESOTA

Gopher State One of Few in Union With Oversupply of Food—Governor Early Urged Co-operation and Aid for Farmer.

One of the greatest agencies for world peace in the opinion of Col. C. H. March of the Minnesota State Safety Commission is the great agricultural resources of the state and the Northwest, mobilized and unified, to wage a determined and vicious war on Prussian autocracy and efficiently working with all other forces for the one great patriotic purpose.

With our forces thus unified, he says, Prussianism can be driven from the face of the earth and a Hun menaced world made safe for Democracy. Similar convictions are held by Governor Burnquist.

Recently Col. March with members of the State Railroad and Warehouse commission and others interested in Northwest agricultural development work returned from Washington where they conferred with President Wilson and members of his cabinet relative to aid and legislation of Minnesota and Northwest farmers generally and he spoke interestingly of his visit. Col. March is chief in command of the agricultural division of the State Safety Commission and his visit to Washington, which was at the instance of Gov. Burnquist, will develop into something of tremendous benefit in the future.

Washington and the President, Col. March says, are keenly interested in farm development and much in the way of federal aid for the farmers of Minnesota and the Northwest is under consideration. Cooperation in a farm aid way with Gov. Burnquist and the State Safety commission was practically pledged.

"Unfortunately in the minds of many," said Col. March, speaking broadly on the subject of the Minnesota State Safety commission and its relation to the farmers of the state, "there is a fixed impression that our Commission has solely to do with the acts of disloyalty and sedition. With others it is the dissemination of loyalty propaganda. The scope of our work, however, is much greater than the beliefs quoted. Every phase of war aid in which Minnesota may be of help to the nation is included and not the least of our activities is agricultural development.

"One of the first to answer the President's call for increased production in foodstuffs," continued Col. March, "was Gov. Burnquist, and realizing that such increased production was a matter of farm development principally, he early impressed upon our commission the necessity of giving the farmers of Minnesota every aid possible. Help the farmer, he argued, as on his prosperity depends much; food is the one weapon now that will bring victory.

"No one can know Gov. Burnquist and not be impressed by his sincerity and honesty of purpose and realizing the importance of his warning regarding food increase our commission at once began work. At the Governor's direction every known agricultural development unit in the state was consulted and their co-operation urged. Many departments in aid of the various phases of agricultural work were created and experienced men placed in charge. 'Find out the farmer's needs and speed up,' was the command. Even before the State Safety commission was organized, Gov. Burnquict, I might say, was on the job as one of our first official acts was the promulgation of the Governor's food proclamation which was drafted by the Governor almost on entry of the United States into the war. That proclamation which was directed at the food producers of the state put Minnesota in the front rank of commonwealths anxious to aid the nation in its hour of distress."

With the declaration of war against Germany one of the first defensive steps was the taking of an inventory of food stocks and as pointed out by Col. March it found Minnesota one of the few states with a surplus. To conserve and increase this surplus was a duty that impressed the Governor and without delay he appointed a Committee on Food Production and Conservation. The creation of this committee by Gov. Burnquist was in advance of the organization of the State Safety commission and showing the wisdom of the step, Minnesota's agricultural development and the general conservation of food in this state was advanced in a way that brought almost immediate complimentary attention from the federal war heads. Washington was unstinting in its praise.

"To the farmer, labor and plenty of it is as essential as good seed," explained Col. March, "and one of our first acts was the drafting of plans for an adequate supply of harvest help. This in part we secured by the taking over of one of the state's largest free employment bureaus—by the way another of the many valuable suggestions made by Gov. Burnquist. Through this bureau communication was had with every farmer in the state regarding help needed and later with the help of the federal government the required labor was equitably distributed. Our plans for harvest labor this year are even more extensive.

While to Minnesota has been assigned the task of adding materially this year to the world's supply of grain and other food products of which the broad and fertile acres of the North Star State are capable, accomplishment, however, is not alone in mere production. This Gov. Burnquist and the State Safety commission appreciate and every energy and resource at the command of both is being directed at overcoming the obstacles that will of necessity intrude.

As pointed out by Col. March these obstacles run to many things. For instance, lack of a plentiful supply of pure seed which the commission has already taken steps to provide, terminal and car congestion, and above all, a fair return for the producer. They are all problems in a way and unless mastered disaster will be the return. Fortunately a government fixed minimum which the commission hopes to see increased has partially relieved the problem of a fair return, but this is not all that the Governor and the commission propose to realize for the farmers of the state. An open market in transportation in season will be insisted on. For the farmer's comfort and prosperity many things have been set in motion.

One of the aggravating and perplexing things of the 1917 crop was that of transportation. Constant watch only kept Minnesota's bumper grain crop moving and it can be said with truth that Minnesota was one of the few states with an adequate supply of cars. Working through the state railroad and warehouse commission cars were placed on sidings almost on demand and terminal congestion minimized. Elevator abuses were likewise reduced.

One of the pleasant experiences of Col. March was his conference with President Wilson regarding the needs of Minnesota farmers and the almost uncanny knowledge of Northwest agricultural conditions as displayed by the chief executive. Col. March's visit to the National Capital was at the suggestion of Gov. Burnquist who had in mind a number of federal helps for the farmers of the state.

"The conference," said Col. March, "was participated in by a number of men interested in Northwest farm development and what surprised and pleased me was the president's intimate knowledge of food conditions in Minnesota and other Northwest states. He was particularly interested in the 1918 crop and asked many questions. Minnesota farmers, he said, had answered the call nobly and he asked me to assure Gov. Burnquist and the State Safety commission that every federal help possible would be given. At this conference a number of matters vitally concerning the farmers of Minnesota were discussed not the least of them being a reorganization of the present federal grain standards so as to conform to the former Minnesota grades. I firmly believe that all our requests and suggestions will be favorably answered."

Minnesota last year raised over 30,000,000 bushels of potatoes, the largest crop in the history of the state and showing what the State Safety commission has done and is doing for the Minnesota farmers. Col. March and his committee of agricultural experts hope to have every bushel marketed before another planting begins. As an aid to the movement of about 13,000,000 bushels still remaining Gov. Burnquist recently sent a vigorously worded telegram to President Wilson asking for a war market and the required cars for the movement of the surplus.

Through orders of the commission last year forest fires were greatly minimized and growing crops aided materially. Precautions to be put in effect by the commission this year will be even more striagent.

At the request of the commission the State Board of Control has promised to push its production of state made binding twine to the limit. A price under the trust controlled product has also been secured.

As explained by Col. March his brief explanation of what the commission has already done in aid of the farmers of the state is only a small part of what really has been done. Plans for this year are much more extensive.

More Money Saved to Farmers.

Through its wide powers given it by the legislature, the State Safety Commission was able to promulgate Order No. 29 providing for the eradication of the tall barberry. This was promptly done and Barberry Eradication Day was set for May 4th.

The barberry is a breeder of rust in wheat and altho many laws have been passed providing for its extermination it remained for the Safety Commission, through the exercise of its powers, to solve the question.

The Commission is ever awake to every welfare of the agricultural interests of the state and its action in the barberry matter is a concrete example of the many measures put over during the past year to insure crops and protect the farmer.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Miss Olava Sollom is clerking in Carlson's store.

Miss Stella Mickelson went to T. R. Falls Wednesday.

B. J. Bakke made a business trip this week to the southern part of the state.

Clarence Docken has been spending a few days in Holt and Warren this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bjerken returned Wednesday from a short visit with relatives at Mahnomen.

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Nelson and Mrs. Greeslie of Middle River visited at the Paul Olson home Thursday.

A good sized audience took in the home talent play given by the Hazel people for the benefit of the Red Cross and everybody enjoyed it and we hope some of the moral lessons "struck home"

We had another nice shower Monday and crop prospects are now so good that the grain speculators are reducing prices all along the line. Some of those fellows ought to be put in the front line trenches.

Ernest Phillipson accompanied Bro. Berg of The Middle River Pioneer, home Saturday night. The next day the choir went out to Gatzke and gave their cantata for the benefit of the Red Cross, their proceeds being $29.00

Get ready for a large crop of wheat next year by breaking new land and sowing it to flax before June 15th. this year. County Agent John Husby, Warren, will tell you where to get seed and give any information needed.

Eddie Davidson and Oscar Knutson were sent to Columbus Ohio, last week with thirteen other boy from this county. We understand that Ole Johnson and Clarence Docken expect to be called into the service the 25th. of this month.

Cards have been mailed this week to every one, on which to make a report of the amount of wheat flour and substitutes on hand. These cards must be mailed before next Wednesday May 15th, and do not require any postage. Failure to comply with this request, subjects a person to a heavy fine and imprisonment.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on May 1, 1918.

Date of report by Bank, May 7, 1918.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$163,904 50
Overdrafts		69.84
Bonds and Securities		4503 32
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		8,492 21
Other Real Estate		208 00
Due from Banks	9,930 90	
Cash on Hand	2512 74	
Total Cash Assets		12.452 64
Checks and Cash Items		252 56
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		1661 61
Total		$191.550 68

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10.000 00
Surplus Fund		$5,000.00
Undivided Profits		1200 00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		10000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$51,927.58	
Cashier,s Checks	1,070.64	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	53.598.17	
Savings Deposits	128 57	
Time Certificates	111,623.94	
Total Deposits		165.350 68
Total		$191.550 68
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$12,605 20
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$12,012 97

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Bakke, President,
B. Docken, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. Gunheim,
[Two] Directors. R. Reierson,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of May 1918.

[Seal] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

A garden will help to win the war

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Help the Red Cross We Need Money

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

The Kaiser Phones To Satan

The Kaiser called the Devil up
On the telephone one day,
The girl at central listened to
All they had to say.
Hello, she heard the Kaiser's voice,
Is old man Satan home?
Just tell him it is Kaiser Bill
That wants him on the 'phone.

The Devil said, Hello to Bill,
And Bill said, how are you?
I'm running here a hell on earth,
So tell me what to do
What can I do? the devil said,
My dear old Kaiser Bill,
If there's anything that I can do
To help you, I sure will.

The Kaiser said, now listen
And I will try to tell
The way that I am running
On earth a modern hell.
I've saved for this for many years.
And I've started out to kill.
That it will be a modern job,
You leave to Kaiser Bill.

My army went through Belgium,
Shooting women and children
down
We tore up all the country,
And blowed up all the towns.
My Zepps dropped bombs on cities,
Killing both old and young,
And them the Zepplins didn't get
Were taken out and hung.

I started out for Paris,
with the aid of poisonous gas.
The Belgians, darn them,
stopped us
And would not let us pass.
My submarines are devils,
Why, you should see them fight
They go sneaking through the sea
And we sink a ship on sight.

I was running things to suit me
'Till a year or so ago,
When a man called Woodrow
Wilson.
Wrote to me to go more slow.
He says to me, dear William,
We don't want to make you
sore,
So be sure and tell your U boats
Not to sink our ships no more.

We have told you for the last time,
So dear Bill, it's up to you.
And if you do not stop it,
You have got to fight us too.
I did not listen to him
And he's coming after me,
With a million Yankee soldiers,
From their home across the sea.

Now that's why I called you,
Satan,
For I want advice from you,
I know that you would tell me,
Just what I ought to do.
My dear old Kaiser William,
There's not much for me to tell,
For the yanks will make it hotter
Than I can for you in hell.

I've been a mean old devil,
But not half as mean as you,
And the minute that you get here,
I will give my job to you.
I'll be ready for your coming,
And I'll keep the fires all bright
And I'll have your room all ready
When the Yanks begin to fight

For the boys in blue will GET you.
I have nothing more to tell,
Hang up the phone and get you hat,
And meet me here in hell.

—Wall Lake Blade.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—
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War Savings Stamps

Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without YOUR HELP or that Germany will let you keep your money if she Wins. Buy a Stamp

Red Cross Benefit Saturday night

Red Cross Bazaar next Thursday

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on
Monday, May 13, 1918

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered.
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in The Holt Weekly News

Pure Bred Stallion
No. 4179
The pedigree of the stallion name Roy 66438
Owned by O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.
Color Black. markings Strip.
Breed Percheron Foaled 1908

Sire Bowser 29085 Dam Marion 44293, has been examined at the College of Agriculture, Division of Animal Husbandry, and it is hereby certified that the said stallion is of pure breeding and is registered in a studbook recognized by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. The above named stallion has been examined by E. E. Pearson, a duly licensed Veterinarian, and is reported as free from infectious, contagious or transmissible disease, or unsoundness, and is licensed to stand for public service in the state of Minnesota. Dated at St. Paul, Minnesota, this 24th day of April, 1916.

Transferred from J. S. Semingson, Beltrami, Minn.

Will Stand in Holt for the season of 1918
Terms of Service: Standing Colt $14.00. If mare is sold or traded to leave the country, fees become due.

O. J. Backlund, Owner, Holt, Minn.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE
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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

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Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

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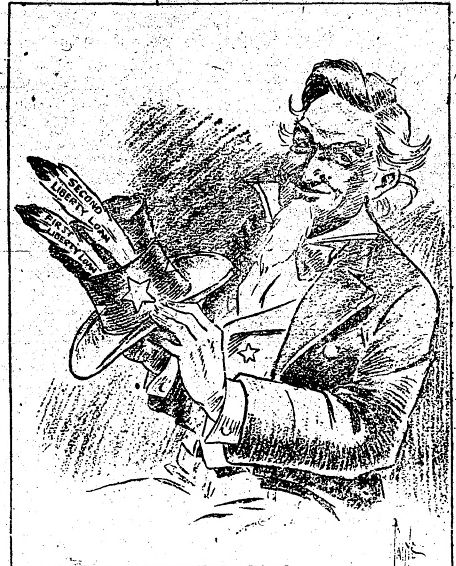
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

LETS PUT ANOTHER FEATHER IN HIS HAT.



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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell phone 140.

R. Reierson will buy all the scrap iron he can get until the first of June at highest market price.

Found:- A watch. Owner please prove property and pay for this notice. A. Arnevick, Holt, Minn.

Mrs. Bertil Rude and son of Roseau visited over Sunday at the home of Albert Hagglund and mother.

Miss Agnes Bakke attended the wedding of her cousin Miss Emma Backe at T. R. Falls Wednesday evening.

A Red Cross meeting will be held at Mrs. T. O. Dovre's home Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

Ole Johnson has resigned his job in Carlson's store and will take a short vacation before entering the service of Uncle Sam.

Albert Bennes autoed to Fertile Thursday for a short visit with relatives, returning home the next day with his wife, baby and Grandpa Swanson.

The Goodridge team will be here next Sunday for a ball game with our nine. This is the first game of the season and it is sure to be a red hot game for all concerned.

A sweet baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Christianson Wednesday morning. Congratulation. Papa Christianson wears a 1918 smile and is on the road to recovery.

Following are the new officers of the volunteer fire company who were elected at the meeting Tuesday evening: Albert Bennes, Chief; C. W. Christianson, Asst. Chief; H. J. Olen, Treasurer and B. Docken, Secretary.

The Red Cross is doing government work and Uncle Sam asks the people to give to this organization a War Fund donation. The share of Holt village is $320.00. You wouldn't refuse to help your boy. Your boy may be just the one that will need the help of the Red Cross. Give until it begins to hurt it will do you good. Try it and see.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a Complete Line of CASKETS and Funeral Supplies which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Coming To Holt

Next Week

The big Red Cross drive to raise $22000.00 in Marshall county and $100,000,000.00 in the nation, commences next Monday and the village of Holt is called on to raise $320.00 inside of one, or two days at most. A committee of five men have been drafted for the work in this village and they will call on the people next Monday. Please give cheerfully as all the money goes to the Red Cross War Fund and none of this will be used for the office or general expenses of the order.

A part of this money will be used at home for making garments for the Red Cross. Our boys are giving their lives if necessary, let us give freely of our means.

Be a Red Cross Booster.

Mrs. C. O. Saastad is on the sick list.

All kinds of tennis shoes at Reierson's store.

Ernest Phillipson was a Middle River visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. A. Sorum autoed to T. R. Falls Friday.

Sam Mickelson went to Warren last week to do carpenter work

Nils Engebretsen autoed to Newfolden Monday to take Rev. Kilen home.

The navy is calling for more men and will take them up to 35 years of age.

Miss Gunhild Waggedahl came from Fargo last week Thursday to visit her mother and family.

C. H. Gunheim, B. Docken, A. L. Carlson and their families were entertained Sunday at the Gunder Sorter home.

F. W. Ramaley is hauling out the lumber for a large barn which he is going to build on his farm five miles east of town.

Miss Olga Strom returned Saturday to her home at T. R. Falls after a weeks visit at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Strom.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Docken have been visiting here for the past few days, Mrs. Docken having been able to find a teacher from Radium to complete her term of school.

John Sorum autoed to Ross Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lindahl and baby, Mrs. Otto Johnson and son, Ole, where they visited with relatives and friends until Sunday evening.

All young men who will become 21 years old since June 5th. last year will be required to register for military service, probably June 5th. this year. Anyone of these young man who wish to volunteer for any particular branch of the service, must do so before they register.

All articles furnished by the Red Cross have been given a valuation and on this basis, the state as a whole gave 17.4 cents per capita for the months of January and Febuary and Marshall county 8.1 cents. We will have to work hard next week to make up for that. The Red Cross needs the help of everyone. Be a cheerful giver.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Hay for Sale!

I have about 600 bales of hay, averaging about 100 lbs per bale, that I will sell for 60 cents a bale.

Peter Michaelson.
Thief River Falls. Minn.
R. 2 Box 45.

Southeast of Holt.

A slight frost swept thru this vicinity Sunday.

Mrs. Guttrud and son Arthur visited at the home of G. A. Soiney on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Louise Ness of Whapeton, N. Dak., commenced teaching a term of parochial school for the Synod congregation on Monday.

Anton Anderson from Silverton visited at Moe's over Sunday.

Mesdames Klungness, P. Michaelson, Gudvangen and G. Michaelson were Sunday afternoon visitors at Ed. Hanson.

Mrs. O. A. Fosse finished her term of parochial school in Dist. 159 on Friday and commenced teaching a term in Dist. 84 on Monday.

Gilbert Mickaelson returned to his home on Saturday after spending some time in Chicago, Ill.

Quite a number from this locality attended the Ladies Aid at M. Samson's last Wednesday.

Miss Ida Guttrud is assisting Mrs. G. Booren with her work at T. R. Falls.

H. Ekerdahlen is somewhat better and was able to ride to town Monday.

O. J. Olson's barber shop at Middle River was badly damaged by fire on Wednesday.

Miss Selma Dovre came Thursday from N. Dak. where she has been visiting friends and relatives at several points.

Ben Eide autoed over from Warren Sunday after his wife and baby who had been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Tobiason, also with friends.

A committee will call on you next week for a donation to the Red Cross war fund, which is authorized by the government. Give until it pinches and then you won't be doing as much as the boys in France.

Marshall countys quota in the next draft is 85 men. They will be sent to Camp Lewis, Washington, about the 25th of this month. Those who will undoubtedly be called from Holt and vicinity are as follows:- Clarence Docken, Ole C. Johnson, Alfred C. and John A. Olson, Axel Ring, and Harry E. Patten of Golden Valley.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Myhre will hold services Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Orrock of Thief River Falls, will hold English services at 8 o'clock Monday evening May 20th. You are invited.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 10 to 11 o'clock.

Dorcas at Hagglund's 18th of May.

Confirments every Thursday at 1 o'clock.

Ladies Aid May 23rd. at Gunheim's.

Services in Holt Sunday 10:45, at East Valley Dist. 1:48 at 2 o'clock and Golden Valley in the Wilson school house at 4:15.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

City Meat Market

Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides, Furs, Wool
TERMS:- Cash. Postively no credit

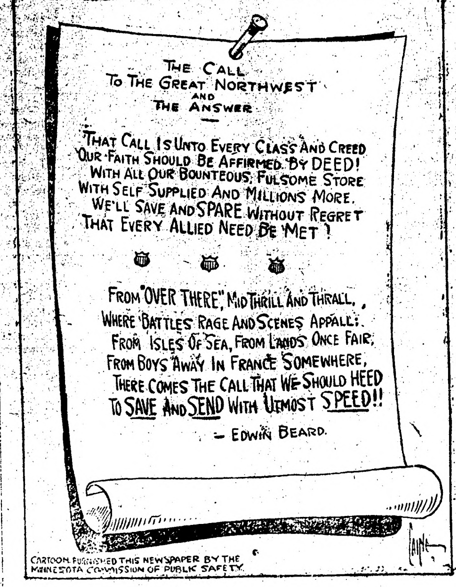
O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196 Residence 167

Joe Nelson has sold his auto to Clifford Erickson.

Albert T. Lee of Leeds, N. D. moved his family here Friday and they are temporarily occuping the Ed. Brotten place. He has purchased a place 4 1-2 miles north of Holt, and his family will live there this summer, but Mr. Lee himself will return to Dakato to continue running his rural mail route for a while longer.

SAVE AND SEND!!



THE CALL
TO THE GREAT NORTHWEST
AND
THE ANSWER

THAT CALL IS UNTO EVERY CLASS AND CREED
OUR FAITH SHOULD BE AFFIRMED BY DEED!
WITH ALL OUR BOUNTEOUS, FULSOME STORE
WITH SELF SUPPLIED AND MILLIONS MORE.
WE'LL SAVE AND SPARE WITHOUT REGRET
THAT EVERY ALLIED NEED BE MET!

FROM "OVER THERE," MID THRILL AND THRALL,
WHERE BATTLES RAGE AND SCENES APPALL;
FROM ISLES OF SEA, FROM LANDS ONCE FAIR,
FROM BOYS AWAY IN FRANCE SOMEWHERE,
THERE COMES THE CALL THAT WE SHOULD HEED
TO SAVE AND SEND WITH UTMOST SPEED!!

— EDWIN BEARD.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.63
Oats	64
Barley	65 to 1.02
Rye	1.86
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

A New and Complete Stock of
Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
Try Our
LUNCH COUNTER
Fresh Ice Cream Every Day
Prompt Service at all Times
Albert Bennes - Holt

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Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right

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Racine Olson, Manager

Holt, Minn.

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H. Peterson, Prop.

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In connection with teams and rigs.
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

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The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction. They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.
See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.

Davidson Bros., Agents
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New Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
and
Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory

Ernest Phillipson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
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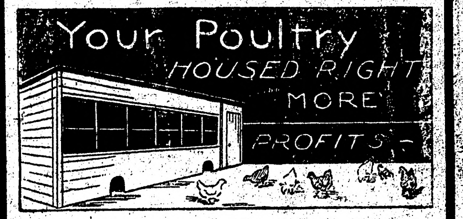

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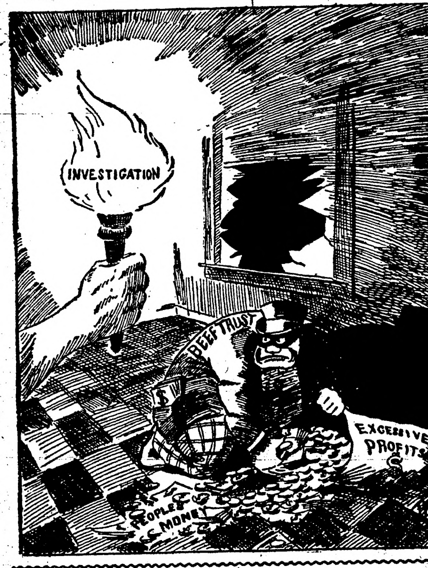

STATE PLANT WILL YIELD FERTILIZERS

Big Government Owned Nitrate Factories Will Supply Farmers After War.

Inevitably the war crisis is pushing the United States along the road taken by the great European nations at war in the direction of public control of the markets and the great necessities. The newest government industry and one that may before long constitute the foundation of a new agricultural life is the big $70,000,000 nitrate plant being rushed to completion at Mussel Shoals on the Tennessee river in northwestern Alabama.

Primarily a war plant to supply nitrogen products as a basis of explosives and an emergency industry, this huge industry is to be turned over to the use of the farmers after the war when Uncle Sam will manufacture nitrate fertilizers and sell them to the farmers practically at the cost of production. In other words, the entire power of the Tennessee river is being harnessed by the government and Uncle Sam will become the driver to supply the nation with a fertile soil as the foundation of a new agricultural life in which the farmers will begin to co-operate with tremendous new forces of the state and the powers of nature to feed the world.

Two dams, one of them said to be the biggest in the world, will supply a total of 660,000 hydro-electric horsepower. This immense power will be employed to extract nitrogen from the air in the form of amonium nitrate. This amonium nitrate will be used to win the war for democracy. After that is won it will become a great factor in the foundation of the industrial democracy that will follow the war. For in being turned into a huge fertilizer plant for enriching the soil, it will constitute one of the first concrete acknowledgments by Uncle Sam of his duty to co-operate with the industrial life of the nation and democratize it and build it up for the enrichment and happiness of all.

That the establishment of such a government owned fertilizer plant selling fertilizers to the farmers at cost will compel the gradual establishment of enough of these government plants to supply all the farmers, there cannot be the sightest doubt.

TAKES OVER RUBBER INDUSTRY.

On May 1 the government fixed a standard price on crude rubber and assumed complete control of the sale and manipulation of all rubber stocks.

"The order effects not only hundreds of rubber importers, jobbers, manufacturers and dealers, but also every man, woman and child in the United States because of the widespread use of manufactured rubber goods," says the Washington dispatch.

The prices fixed are 10 per cent below those prevailing April 30 and the same as those prevalent before the recent period of speculation began.

PUBLIC CONTROL IS GAINING.

The drift of the times is powerfully indicated by the big public control moves over industry instituted as war measures during the last ten days. One of the most important of these measures of this kind, the proposed law to establish government control of all mines producing war raw material passed the lower house at Washington April 30. This bill authorizes the government to control the production of all ores essential to war. The government will also take over undeveloped mines and smelters.

NEW ACT HELP FOR STATE RAILROADS

Private Interests Receive Bad Jolt In New System That Unifies Operation.

A big stride in the battle for government owned railroads was made May 1 when the United States government inaugurated its system of transcontinental shipping on one waybill.

This means that America will at last have something resembling unified railroal operation, that there will be a considerable saving of time and expense and that a great deal of red tape will be cut out.

A car of goods can be shipped from New York to San Francisco or from Cleveland to New Orleans, transferred from railroad to railroad and from terminal to terminal, all on one waybill.

For years rairoad men have dreamed of this, just as they dreamed of standardized freight cars and engines, and just as it took government control to bring about the latter, so again it has taken government control to put through this waybill innovation.

In the past when a car was shipped from New York to San Francisco it might be handled by four different railroads.

That meant four different waybills. Each waybill held good until the car reached the terminal point of that particular road. Then the car was shunted around the terminal yards until the clerks made out a new waybill and delivered it to the yardmaster. The latter then set his forces to work picking out this car and delivering it to the next road that was to handle it. So on along the route.

This is significant in view of the fact that some of the old railroad managements that were left in charge of their respective lines have been accused of doing their best to discredit government railroad control by throwing obstacles in the way of the successful operation of these lines. Mr. Garretson, president of the Railway Conductors' union, and Mr. Lee, president of the Engineers' union and a score of railroad employes testified to this fact at a hearing several months ago.

The second round in the fight against possible government ownership of railroads was won by the private owners when their special representatives in the Senate and House succeeded in passing the bill authorizing the return of the roads to their private owners after the war.

But the public came back with a severe jolt to the private interests when recently 3,000,000 railroad employes sent a demand to Congress that some plan be evolved for keeping the railroads in the government's hanls.

If the farmers will back up the workers and send a big delegation of Senators and Representatives to Washington in the coming November elections the splendid goal of the American railroads for the American people will be another step nearer.

MAXIMUM PRICES FOR WHEAT.

At last the government has taken a step toward the fixing of meat prices, which under unrestrained private control were rapidly becoming prohibitive. Prices have been fixed for May on beef for the American and Allied fighting forces. This does not apply to prices the citizens remaining in the United States will have to pay, but these army purchases are so large that it is believed they will practically determine prices to the American public.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Carlton.—The receipts from a Red Cross sale, held in Morse's hall, amounted to $162.97.

East Grand Forks—Sacred Heart church has a fifty-five star service flag and hung it from the rectory.

Verndale.—Verndale is to have a new Catholic church of brick, 40 by 60 feet, to cost in the neighborhood of $5,000.

Morris.—The last of the old wooden buildings which formerly comprised the state Indian school here has gone. The building has been wrecked, leaving only modern buildings.

Marshall.—Clay county women were heavy buyers of Liberty bonds in the recent campaign, a tabulation announced disclosing that 601 women bought $48,000 worth of the bonds.

Bemidji.—With addresses by State Superintendent of Schools C. G. Dyer, the new Lincoln school here was dedicated before a large number of spectators. Loyalty was the theme of all addresses.

St. Paul.—Visitors from all parts of Minnesota and other states in the Mississippi valley were in St. Paul to attend the three days' convention of the Mississippi Valley Historical association convention.

Minneapolis.—At the request of the board of athletic control, which had the fund available, an investment of $15,000 in Third Liberty Loan bonds was authorized by the board of regents of the University of Minnesota.

Staples.—The state board of control has appointed Mrs. Mary E. Wilson of this City, E. V. Moore of Eagle Bend, Mrs. C. A. Wood of Long Prairie, E. A. Williams and Charles J. Spicker, also of Long Prairie, as members of the Todd county child welfare board.

Bemidji.—Thurber Lewis, the 15-year-old Minneapolis youth, who has been preaching Marx socialism in the vicinity of Bemidji, and who was arrested at Wilton on a federal warrant, has been held to the September term of the grand jury under bonds of $1,000, furnished by two Bemidji business men.

Litchfield.—Oscar Peterson, employed on a farm near here, was killed by a bull. Peterson was attempting to separate the animal from others of the herd. He struck the bull with a blacksnake, and the animal turned on him, knocking him to the ground. The bull fell on him with his knees, crushing him to death.

St. Paul.—Sergeant Clarence K. Foucault of Bemidji, who had charge of the army recruiting in that district, has been recommended for the next officers' training camp by Major John D. Yost, head of the Minnesota recruiting service. Sergeant Foucault's work has been so satisfactory to his superior that he was highly recommended.

Minneapolis.—Lieut. Arthur R. Gaylord of this city was killed in action in France April 28, according to a telegram received here from the war department by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edson S. Gaylord. Lieut. Gaylord is the first Minnesota officer who graduated from the first reserve officers' training camp at Fort Snelling to be killed in battle.

St. Cloud.—Members of the local fire department have presented the city council with their resignations, to become effective May 15 unless their demands for a raise of $10 is granted. The annual budget has been made up and the council declares it is impossible to meet the demands of the men. No action has been taken by the commission on the resignations.

Washington.—The loss of the American steamer Tyler, sunk by a submarine, was reported to the Navy department by Vice Admiral Sims. The dispatch said eleven men were lost and that the survivors were landed at a French port as previously stated in news dispatches. Five of those lost were members of the armed guard, one of whom was Leo Martin Carey, Albert Lea, Minn.

Fairmont.—Meyer Brandvig, Nonpartisan league candidate for the state Senate from this district, was arrested in Waverly township where he was again making a speech. He was brought to the Martin county jail here. County officials, it is claimed, had received orders not to allow any Nonpartisan league meetings, while A. C. Townley and James Gilbert, league leaders, are under indictment.

St. Paul.—Not knowing of the death on March 5 of Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith, Georgetown university, Washington, D. C., today telegraphed Daniel W. Lawler of St. Paul, authorizing him to tender Smith an honorary degree of doctor of laws. Mr. Lawler last January proposed that the honor be conferred upon Mr. Smith as a former student of Georgetown law school who had distinguished himself by service of exceptional merit to the state of Minnesota.

Aitkin.—Thomas H. Bird, 12-year-old son of James L. Bird of Morris township, was accidentally shot in the head Monday afternoon and died before a doctor arrived. The shooting occurred at the farm of Dassel Cartier, a neighbor, where the lad, another brother and some companions were handling a rifle which went off.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has offered a state reward of $500 for the arrest of Thomas F. Armstrong, charged with the murder of his wife, April 25, at Rochester. Armstrong is also said to have shot his stepson, John Landy, aged 14 years.

Winona.—Fifty Polish girls are leaving Winona for France for work as nurses with a Polish regiment.

St. Cloud.—The funeral of Private William C. Schneider, who died on May 3 at Camp Dodge of pneumonia, was held at Albany.

Warren.—A Home Guard company was organized here with sixty-nine members, and it is expected that the whole city band will join the company as the battalion band unit.

Barnesville.—Charles R. Oliver, president of the First National bank here, and president of the Glyndon State bank, died at Mayo hospital, Rochester. His body was brought here for burial. His wife survives.

Brainerd.—Minnesota police have been asked to watch for a Ford car, license No. 155643. The car is a 1914 model. It belongs to A. Hallquist of Brainerd and was taken from his garage during the night.

Stillwater.—Mrs. Lucretia Burns, who died a few weeks ago here at the home of George Burns, in her will left $200 to Stillwater lodge No. 179, B. P. O. Elks of this city, and a similar amount to the Sacramento lodge of Elks, who cared for her husband who was ill and died at that place a few years since.

St. Paul.—Registration of friendly aliens in Minnesota, under orders of the Minnesota Public safety commission, disclosed 180,000 alien men and women of allied or neutral nations, according to figures submitted to the commission by State Auditor J. A. O. Preus. In addition, about 10,000 alien Germans were registered by federal authorities.

Little Falls.—A car carrying four Brainerd people turned turtle on the Belle Prairie road. They were coming to this city and were in the act of passing another car at a high speed when the car hit a bank in the road and turned completely over. The two left wheels of the car were broken off but none of the passengers was badly hurt.

Fairfax.—The people of this community are largely Germans, but they showed their loyalty in a substantial way when nearly $4,000 was realized from a Red Cross auction here. The sale consisted principally of livestock and farm produce contributed by farmers. One hen brought $340, and an egg she laid in her coop on the ground sold for $2.

Minneapolis.—After having been severely beaten and given a coat of yellow paint, Ole Nelson, a worker in a local roundhouse, was rescued by a special agent of the department of justice from a crowd of fellow employes who threatened him with lynching. He is alleged to have made seditious statements, criticising America's part in the war.

Crookston.—As a result of a raid made on several blind pigs at East Grand Forks, suits have been filed in the district court for the removal of Mayor Kelleher and Chief of Police Hearst of East Grand Forks. The complaints upon which the suits will be prosecuted are made by County Attorney G. A. Youngquist and are based on nonenforcement of the liquor laws by the officials.

St. Cloud.—Falling from a scaffolding thirty-five feet above the cement floor of the Ervin mill, George Hoffman, Mike Henz and Joseph Stueve had a narrow escape from serious injury. The plank on which the men were working in wrecking the building gave way, and the men crashed to the ground, the falling lumber on top of them. They were picked up unconscious and taken to the hospital, where they were revived.

St. Paul.—The people of Minnesota have escaped by the narrowest margin being placed on a food card system, under which they would have had to sign up with the local grocer for each parcel of flour or sugar purchased. A wave of enthusiasm had nearly carried the question to a vote before the county food administrators, representing the eighty-six counties of the state, in session at the Merchants hotel, when A. D. Wilson argued the significance of the measure and caused its defeat.

Red Wing.—Joseph Gilbert, state manager for the Nonpartisan league, was convicted here of the charge of having made disloyal utterances during a speech at Kenyon, Minn., last August. Conviction was voted on the first ballot it is understood. Shortly after the verdict he was sentenced by Judge Albert Johnson to one year's imprisonment and a fine of $500. He was granted a stay of 60 days with the provision that he forego Nonpartison league activities in Goodhue county during that time.

St. Boniface. — A Nonpartisan league meeting scheduled to be held on a farm near here was stopped by Hennepin county deputy sheriffs who were rushed from Minneapolis to the scene in automobiles at the request of residents of the neighborhood. The leaders were told by the deputies that Nonpartisan league meetings were not permitted in Hennepin county. About 75 persons, including three league organizers, then moved to another section of the farm, which is in Carver county, and held the meeting unmolested.

Mankato.—Discontinuance of the teaching of the German language in the five normal schools of this state forthwith was ordered by the state normal school board, in session here. Faculty members for the various normals were selected.

Minneapolis.—Seventy-five per cent of the war crosses awarded the brigade by the French government have been won by the One Hundred and Fifty-first battalion, United States field artillery, formerly the First Minnesota, according to a letter received here from Lieut.-Col. William H. Donahue.

AMERICANS JOIN IN CANNON DUEL

Earth Shaken By Pounding of Big Guns Where Yankees Face Enemy In Picardy.

FOE RESUMES ACTIVITY

Doors Of Hell Seem Opened as Great Screeching Demons of Death Fill Air—Americans Continue to Repulse German Raids.

Rome, May 14.—Austro-Hungarian troops made an attack on Mont Cormo, which recently was captured by the Italians. The war office announces that the enemy was repulsed with heavy losses.

Paris, May 14.—Active artillery fighting in Picardy both sides of the Avre river is reported in the official statement.

London, May 14.—"Hostile artillery was active during the night in the Somme valley and Albert sectors, also between Locon and the forest of Nieppe (Flanders front)" says today's war office statement.

With the Americans in Picardy, May 14.—The doors of hell seemed literally opened in Picardy. Screeching demons of death filled the air. Pounding guns jarred the earth as if all the evil forces below were endeavoring to break through. The flare of the guns and the flash and roar of bursting shells appeared like great fires sweeping the rolling fields.

With the setting of the sun there was no rest. Then wagons, loaded with ammunition and supplies, started for the front. Patrols crept across No Man's land. The artillery turned night into a time of terror and punishment.

Like Many Blast Furnaces.

Imagine huge blast furnace doors thrown open at frequent intervals. That is how the flickering glare of the cannonade illuminated the sky tonight, as the larger guns let go.

Amid gigantic explosions houses rocked as though shaken by a great hand, doors flew open, windows rattled violently, furniture quivered. As the American heavies fired, the departing shells could be heard on their way to the German lines. Each shell sounded like an express train leaving the railway station. Such death dealing trains halt at German stations only.

American Guns Hammer Foe.

Two additional buildings were demolished by American fire at Contigny. American batteries kept the enemy under heavy bombardment.

Such artillery activity as this starts every night at dusk and continues until after midnight. Then there is a respite until 2 or 3 a. m., when the cannonade is resumed and lasts until dawn.

German shells arch through the air with a swish and a whine, but the American fire is far heavier. The Americans are continuing to repulse attempted German raids.

THREE AMERICANS ROUTE FOE

Attack Thirteen Germans in Snipers' Nest Killing Four.

With the American Army in France, May 14.—Three American scouts attacked a German strong point in the Luneville sector, in which enemy snipers had a nest and had been operating with such success that several Americans had been killed by their bullets.

The scouts found the point held by an officer and 12 men. The party attacked the Germans killing the officer and four men. The officer's papers which were captured included a German code and other documents from which important information was secured. The scouts retired when German reinforcements appeared.

Upon the return of the scouts 25 Americans crossed to the German position and resumed the fighting. The repor on this encounter had not been received up to late today.

CLAIM U-BOATS ARE WINNING

German Minister of Marines Says Campaign Is Success.

Amsterdam, May 14.—Admiral von Capelle, German minister of Marine, the German naval offensive is stronger than at any time since the beginning of unrestricted submarine warfare. The April reports from the submarines were favorable, he said. Herr Pfliger, a centrist, said that despite the differences of opinion in the reichstag, it was agreed that the submarine warfare should be kept up.

You Are U. S. Detective.

Washington, May 14.—Every citizen may act as a volunteer detective to assist government officers in ferreting out persons suspected of disloyal actions or utterances, says a statement by Attorney General Gregory. United States attorneys have been told to co-operate with newspapers, so that public notice can be given of the nearest offices of attorneys, or the bureau of investigation, to which citizens may refer information that they think will be valuable in running down suspicious persons.

WOMAN'S NERVES MADE STRONG

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Winona, Minn.—"I suffered for more than a year from nervousness, and was so bad I could not rest at night—would lie awake and get so nervous I would have to get up and walk around and in the morning would be all tired out. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and thought I would try it. My nervousness soon left me. I sleep well and feel fine in the morning and able to do my work. I gladly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to make weak nerves strong."—Mrs. ALBERT SULTZE, 603 Olmstead St., Winona, Minn.

How often do we hear the expression among women, "I am so nervous, I cannot sleep," or "it seems as though I should fly." Such women should profit by Mrs. Sultze's experience and give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial.

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"Have you any worth-while books in here?" asked the superior person.

"We have thousands of volumes, sir," replied the clerk. "I'm sure there is something in our stock to suit the most exacting taste. What do you require?"

"I want want a book of synonyms."

"Just a moment, sir, until I speak to the boss. I don't believe we have any of-er-Synonym's works."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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REALLY SEEMED ONLY WAY

Smith's Idea Was Bright Enough If the Horse Would Only Do His Part in the Game.

John Smith bought a horse. The first Sunday after the purchase he and his bosom pal harnessed the horse to a trap and went into the country on a fishing trip. At the shore of the lake they unharnessed the horse, and let it loose while they fished.

Presently the sun began to go down, and Smith and pal decided to get ready for the return journey. They caught the horse, and Smith began to harness it. But here they met a difficulty. The horse wouldn't open its mouth for the bit.

They tried every means they could think of, but still the stubborn animal stood with closed mouth, placidly watching them.

At last Smith sat on the ground and began to tell jokes—horrible, moth-eaten jokes, that Adam would have thought chestnuts.

"What on earth are you doing?" asked Smith's pal.

"Trying to get the beast to yawn," said Smith.

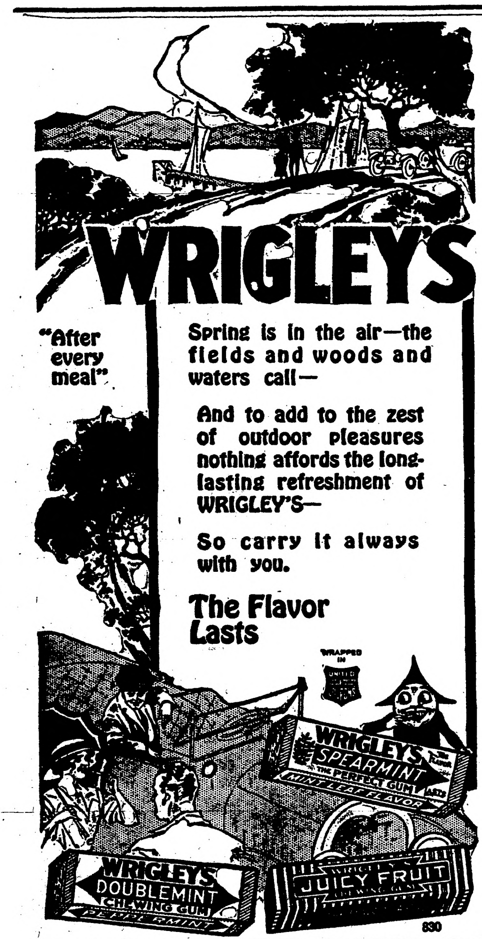
Contradictory Impressions.

"Do you enjoy reading spring poetry?"

"Some. But it's seldom interesting enough to take my mind off the coal shortage."

And yet contractors are employed to widen streets.

ECONOMY TALK is all right—ECONOMY PRACTICE is better. INSTANT POSTUM is an economy drink—absolutely no waste. Besides, it is convenient, saves fuel and sugar, and leaves nothing to be desired in the way of flavor. TRY A CUP!



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Cold Comfort.

"Prices are high," she began.

"And going higher," said the butcher. And that ended it.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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May Come to This.

"I shall want some money today, dear," said George Pipwhistle to his wife before the latter set out for business one morning in 1927. And Mrs. Pipwhistle, grumbling the while, handed out the chips and waved her hand from the garden gate, as she made a dash for the eight-nineteen.

Three hours after Mrs. P. had returned from the city, George Pipwhistle came in. He had a mountain of parcels in his arms and the light of triumph in his eyes.

"Yes," he panted, as he untied the parcels and disclosed four corkscrews, a stuffed owl, an assortment of paint brushes, a remnant of cloth-bound "Uncle Tom's Cabin," six walking sticks, a toasting fork, a brace of tin openers and a roasting jack. "Such a scramble! It's just about the best bargain sale that ever was!"

Important to Mothers

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Idleness is never a source of pleasure. The nation puts folks on enforced idleness as a punishment. A well-earned rest is a boon to any busy man, but that's far from idleness. The idler is just a spender, a parasite, a candidate for social ostracism and the poorhouse. He soon loses the power for real enjoyment. He's just a burden to himself and the folks around him. He's always hunting happiness, but is too sluggish to use the means that bring it. His is the passive existence of indolence, stagnation and deadness. The very faculties capable of giving pleasure are obsolescent. It's no use to dream about happiness unless you are willing to do a little to help bring it. Like love it wears best when used.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels. Ad.

More "U" Boat Victims.

"And this," said the keeper, "is what we call 'inventors' row.'"

"I see," replied the visitor. "All the poor lunatics in this ward tried to invent something."

"That's right. There are eighty patients in these padded cells and every one of them has a different solution of the submarine problem."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Early Criticism.

His Ma—"Johnny, take your thumb out of your soup." The Kid—"It's all right, ma; the soup's not hot."

The drought in a portion of Texas caused losses last year aggregating $400,000,000.

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MEMORIAL DAY IS PROCLAIMED

President Sets May 30 For Public Humiliation, Fasting and Prayer.

WANTS SPEEDY PEACE

Protestant Churches Will Prepare Common Service Program and Catholic Churches Will Issue Message to Parishioners.

Washington, May 14.—President Wilson designates Thursday, May 30, as Memorial day in a proclamation issued as a day of public humiliation, prayer and fasting.

The people of the nation are asked to gather in that day in their places of worship and pray for the victory of the American arms which will bring a peace founded upon mercy, justice and good will.

The proclamation, issued in response to a resolution by Congress, follows:

"By the President of the United States.

A Proclamation.

"Whereas, the Congress of the United States on the second day of April last, passed the following resolution:

"Resolved, by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring) that it being a duty peculiarly incumbent in a time of war humbly and devoutly to acknowledge our dependence on Almighty God and to implore His aid and protection, the President of the United States be and he is hereby respectfully requested to recommend a day of public humiliation, prayer and fasting, to be observed by the people of the United States with religious solemnity and the offer of fervent supplications to Almighty God for the safety and welfare of our cause, His blessings on our arms and a speedy restoration of an honorable and lasting peace to the nations of the earth:

"And whereas, it has always been the reverent habit of the people of the United States to turn in humble appeal to Almighty God for his guidance in the affairs of their common life,

"Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America, do hereby proclaim Thursday, the thirtieth day of May, a day already freighted with sacred and stimulating memories, a day of public humiliation, prayer and fasting, and do exhort my fellow citizens of all faiths and creeds to assemble on that day in their places of worship and there, as well as in their homes, to pray Almighty God tha He may forgive our sins and shortcomings as a people, and purify our hearts to see and love the truth, to accept and defend all things just and right, and to purpose only those righteous acts and judgments which are in conformity with His will, beseeching Him tha He will give victory to our armies as they fight for freedom, wisdom to those who take counsel on our behalf in these days of dark struggle and perplexity and steadfastness to our people to make sacrifice to the utmost support of what is just and true, bringing us at last the peace in which men's hearts can be at rest because it is founded upon mercy, justice and good will.

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

"Done in the District of Columbia this eleventh day of May in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eighteen and of the independence of the United States, the one hundred and forty-second.

"WOODROW WISON

"By the President:

"ROBERT LANSING,

"Secretary of State."

The Federal council of the Churches of Christ in America, the general secretary, the Rev. Charles S. MacFarland, announced would contribute to carrying out the President's proclamation by preparing a common program for all Protestant churches for use on Memorial day. The Roman, Catholic churches will issue a message to their parishioners.

TEUTS. HOLD RUSS DOWAGER

Reported To Be In Hands of Germans in Crimea.

Amsterdam, May 14.—The Ukranian Press Bureau has received information from Odessa according to which the former Dowager Empress Maria Feodorovona and Grand Dukes Nicholas Nicholievitch and Alexander Nicholievitch (Michealovitch), who had been living at Antodor in the Crimea, are in the hands of the Germans.

Says Sinn Fein to Blame.

Dublin, May 14.—Speaking at [illegible]ille in support of the Nationalist candidate for Parliament for Cavan, John Dillon said that what brought conscription to Ireland was the marching and drilling in Clare last January and February when Prof. Edward De Valera, the Sinn Fein member for East Clare boasted that he could call on a half million well drilled Irishmen. The London newspapers then began to agitate that these men ought to be in the trenches, said Mr. Dillon.

THREE KINDS OF GENTLEMEN

Somewhat Peculiar Distinctions That Are Made by Inhabitants of the Emerald Island.

Ireland is the only country in which it has ever been customary to classify gentlemen as of three distinct kinds of species.

Probably the distinctions are still recognized to some extent in the Emerald isle, but two centuries ago, and even much later, they were defined respectively as (one) the "half-mounted," (two) the "gentleman every inch of him," and (three) the "gentleman to the backbone."

The first class consisted of descendants of Cromwell's soldiers, who, if they could ride well, were called "Buckskin Breeches," or "Squireens."

The second class was composed of descendants of old families whose estates had been forfeited to the crown (for rebellion or other reasons), and who had been compelled to lower themselves by working for a living, in trade or the professions.

The third class—the "gentlemen to the backbone"—comprised the old stock, or folks who lived on the ancient family estates and the labor of the peasantry pertaining to their domains.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Poblem for Home.

"Good morning, children," said the arithmetic teacher. "How many of you have prepared an original problem in multiplication, as I requested?" Only one hand went up.

"Well, William, you may give your problem and the rest of the class may solve it."

"If my baby sister is a year old now and weighs 20 pounds, and keeps on gaining two ounces a day until she is sixteen years old, and if the price of living doubles again in the next ten years how much will my sister's graduation outfit cost? Mother says she would like to know."—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

Graduated.

Mary was in her third week at school. Imagine mamma's surprise one evening to see the child enter the door with her slate, books and pencils.

"Why are you bringing them home?" she asked.

"I've quit school."

"Quit school? Why have you done that?"

"Why, I know more than the teacher, mamma. I wrote my name on my slate and she couldn't tell me what it was, and I told her."—Baltimore News.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

The Unkind Voice.

A politician who was running for congress, thought it worth while to make mention of his humble origin and early struggles.

"I got my start in life by serving in a grocery at three dollars a week, and ye I have managed to save," he announced.

Whereupon, a voice from the audience queried:

"Was that before the invention of cash registers?"—The People's Home Journal.

Words Fail.

Gus—I don't see anything funny in these Christmas wheezes about wifey's cigars.

Gusty—Married?

Gus—No.

Gusty—Do you smoke?

Gus—No.

(Heavy silence.)

The Reason.

"I hear you have a college graduate for a cook. Isn't that very expensive?"

"Not very. She works for her board and clothes."

"How is that?"

"She's my wife."

A Criticism.

William Dean Howells, the famous author, does not like the movies. He thinks their technical side, the camera man's side, is wonderful, but he has no time for their literary or scenario side.

Only a lot of runs enables a baseball team to win in a walk.

It's Poor Economy to Endure a Bad Back

IN these days of rising prices, we need every ounce of strength and the ability to do a full day's work every day. The man or woman with weak kidneys is half crippled. Sore, aching kidneys; lame, stiff back, headache, dizzy spells and a dull, tired feeling and urinary disorders are daily sources of distress. You can't afford to neglect kidney weakness and make it easy for gravel, dropsy or Bright's disease to take you. Get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills today. They have helped thousands. They should help you.

Personal Reports of Real Cases

A NORTH DAKOTA CASE.

T. A. Matchke, River St., Hillsboro, N. D., says: "My back got so lame I had to be helped out of my bed and the trouble got worse until I couldn't do anything. I had headaches and dizzy spells and was terribly run down. I lost weight steadily and although I used different remedies nothing seemed to help me. Finally, a friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills and I used them. I was cured and gained 41 pounds. My kidneys got well and strong, too, and all the aches and pains left me."

A MONTANA CASE.

Mrs. Effie Coon, Railroad Ave., Dillon, Mont., says: "I had kidney complaint for several years. It came on by spells and as time passed the attacks were more and more frequent. Pains over my kidneys were something awful and when I caught cold it always settled on my kidneys and put me in misery. When I happened to hear about Doan's Kidney Pills I used them and before long I was completely cured."

Ten years later Mrs. Coon said: "The cure Doan's Kidney Pills gave me has proven permanent. I am always glad to recommend Doan's."

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

60c a Box At All Stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., Chemists

As Age Advances the Liver Requires occasional slight stimulation.

Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price But Great in its Good Work

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS correct CONSTIPATION

Genuine bears signature Brent Good

Colorless or Pale Faces usually indicate the absence of Iron in the blood, a condition which will be greatly helped by Carter's Iron Pills

EVERYTHING IN FULL SIGHT

According to Children, There Seemed Little Doubt That It Was Soon Going to Rain.

One evening notwithstanding the present heavy rains the stars shone brilliantly and the little ones were watching with eager interest the clearing of dark days.

"I see the dipper," cried the boy, our eldest, aged seven.

"Yes," adds papa, "and it's standing on its head."

"I guess it's going to rain," says Edgar, who is five. While from Sita, our three-year-old: "Papa, papa, and I see the faucet."

Outside our kitchen door there stands a spigot beside which we keep a dipper hanging for the children's especial use.—Los Angeles Times.

Recruiters Please Notice.

In our city they were recruiting a battalion of short men known as the "Bantams."

One day our little four-year-old soldier came in complaining of tiredness. When asked what he had been doing he said, "I've been recruiting all day."

"Which battalion are you recruiting for?" he was asked.

"The Bantams," he replied.

"How many did you get?" was the next query.

"Oh," he said with a little sigh of weariness. "I recruited 500 bantams and one rooster!"—Canadian.

A Square Meal.

Some American soldiers in the trenches were discussing the food situation when one said: "Just think of it, potatoes, steak, butter, honey, fruit, pie, and two eggs."

Another soldier reminded him that such a feed was not to be had at any price.

"Why," said the first, "it's not to eat it's to think about."

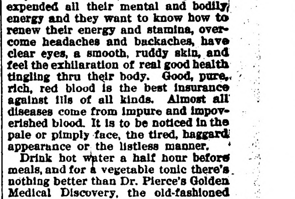
Woman's nature is a mystery that man has never been able to solve. Neither has woman.

The Censor's Letters.

"Who censors the censor's love letters?"

"The censor has no love letters."

But the man who refuses to work when offered a job is generally ready to work a friend.



ON GUARD

At this time of the year people feel weak, tired, listless, their blood is thin, they have lived indoors and perhaps expended all their mental and bodily energy and they want to know how to renew their energy and stamina, overcome headaches and backaches, have clear eyes, a smooth, ruddy skin, and feel the exhilaration of real good health tingling thru their body. Good, pure, rich, red blood is the best insurance against ills of all kinds. Almost all diseases come from impure and impoverished blood. It is to be noticed in the pale or pimply face, the tired, haggard appearance or the listless manner.

Drink hot water a half hour before meals, and for a vegetable tonic there's nothing better than Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the old-fashioned herbal remedy, which has had such a fine reputation for fifty years. It contains no alcohol or narcotics. It is made from Golden Seal root, Bloodroot, Oregon grape root, Queen's root, Black Cherry bark, extracted with glycerine and made into tablets and liquid. Tablets sixty cents, at most drug stores.

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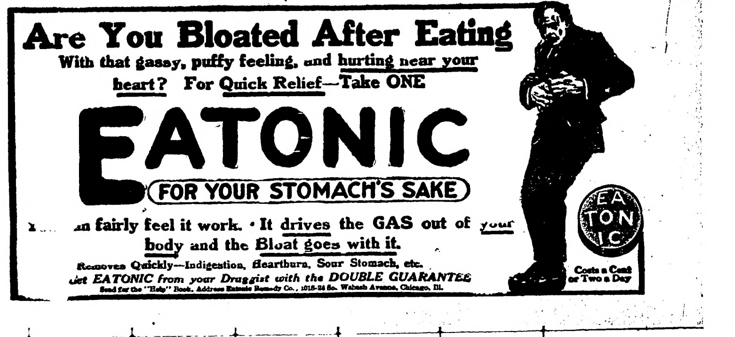

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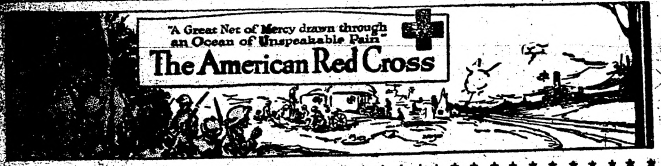
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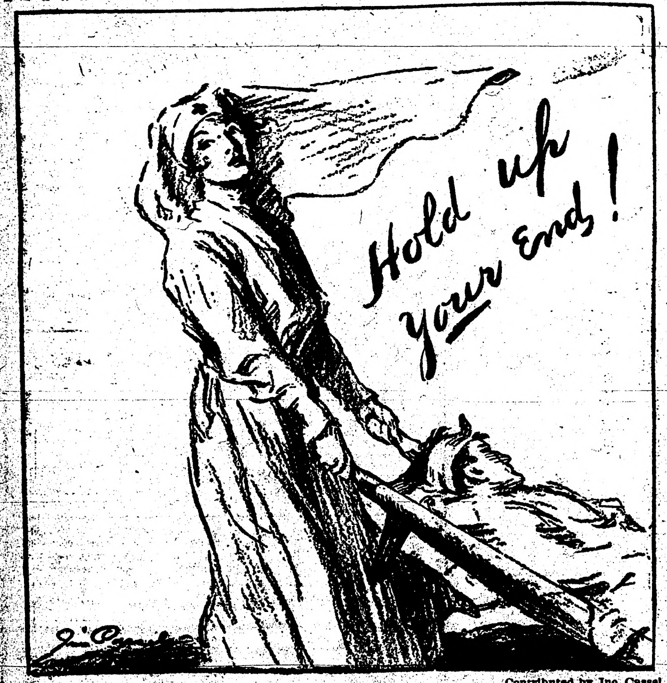
Hold up your end!

Contributed by Jno. Cassel.

GET THE RED CROSS HABIT

By
EDWARD HUNGERFORD
Of the Vigilantes.

The United States has now been at war for more than a year. But up to the present time the Red Cross has made but one national appeal for help—its $100,000,000 drive in the summer of 1917. Now it is about to make another appeal—its second. And upon the heels of the Third Liberty Loan. For, great as are the responsibilities and the opportunities of the institution whose blazing symbol is recognized by civilized nations the world over as a symbol of peace and of comfort, its expenditures are but a small fraction of those required for our governmental expense for the conduct of the war.

Organization of Service.

The Red Cross has never permitted itself to encroach upon the functions or the necessities of the government, although there are many times when it might justify itself in so doing. In the single important instance of transportation it has refused to burden the army or navy with the carriage of its vast supplies of stores, even though these were destined for the relief and the lives of the soldiers and the sailors themselves. On the contrary, after it had builded and fully equipped a great dispatching depot on the West Side of New York for the preparement of its stores for shipment overseas, and the war department found itself so pressed for warehouse facilities that it was compelled to take the Red Cross plant for army needs Davison and his fellows of the Red Cross gladly moved out and quickly assembled and builded another dispatching depot for their own needs. The spirit of the organization is that of service. And I have seen enough of its workings to convince me that it is something a little more than mere service—perhaps service plus efficiency would best describe it.

It seems to me that the time has come when there should be an even larger national appreciation of the Red Cross. Today it has only begun to touch the surface of the American people. Continued fighting and extended casualty lists will force it far beneath the skin. It cannot be embarrassed for lack of funds. You and I cannot afford to have it embarrassed, to be compelled to turn any of its energies from the saving of human life to mere grubbing for cold cash.

It is time that America formed a new habit. We have some big and fairly expensive national tastes already, movies and motoring, for instance, to say nothing of smoking and drinking. A little reduction on all of these and the proceeds turned to an entirely new habit would be a mighty good thing at this time. And for that fifth habit I am going to propose the Red Cross—the Red Cross habit, if you please. It will be a habit the gathered money of which will go to the credit, not of yourself, but of the greatest charity that America ever has known, which makes this new habit more than a habit—a real virtue—the virtue of self sacrifice.

Our Country the Richest.

Try being ready for the Red Cross collector—not merely the next time he comes, but on each subsequent call. Do not face him with the reproachful suggestion that he has seen you before. Our country is a big land, in many ways the biggest and richest in the world, but it is not big enough nor rich enough that folks with money can escape with but a single invitation to contribute.

That is why I suggest the Red Cross habit—the continuous setting aside of definite sums of money by patriotic Americans against the Red Cross drives. It is a habit which I cannot commend too heartily to you.

The Story That Private Leach Told

"I say, there," called Private Leach, sitting up weakly, "where you goin' with me blinkin' 'at?"

The dog cast a look back across his shoulder, wagged his tail pleasantly and continued to trot away, carrying Private Leach's cap in his jaws.

"'E's got a bloomin' cheek, not 'alf," observed Private Leach and lay down again. What difference did it make? He had clicked a bullet in his [illegible] thigh, and, what with the loss of blood and pain and hunger and all, a chap might as well "go west" without a cap as with one. Now that he'd managed to get a dressing on the wound and a bandage to hold the dressing in place, the bleeding was less, but the end of the smashed bone was grinding in the torn flesh. It wasn't a bit cushy, out there in No Man's Land, six hours in a shell hole with a busted leg.

The dog had popped up from nowhere at all, with his alert eyes and sensitive, searching nose. Girt tightly about his body was the broad white band bearing the flaming sign of the Red Cross. He stood quite still while Private Leach painfully unfastened the first aid package from his back and, still more painfully, applied the disinfectant gauze pads and clean cotton [illegible]. Looking up, he whined a friendly, sympathetic whine, and the soldier patted him gratefully.

"Good old chap," said Private Leach. "You've been knocked about a bit yourself, eh?" He touched the dog's ear, where a recent hurt had left a scarcely healed scar.

And then the rascal had seized Private Leach's cap and made off with it toward the lines, paying no serious attention to the wounded man's remonstrances.

"Rum little bloke!" remarked Private Leach and fainted.

Private Leach sat on a sunny bench in the small courtyard of the convalescent hospital and explained matters to a compatriot, likewise recovering from the effects of boche courtesy.

"And the bloomn' surgeon, 'e says them dawgs is trained like that. The one that found me, 'e don't mind bullets no more than buns, 'e don't, a-w'izzin' past 'is 'ead. And when 'e finds a wounded chap 'e tykes 'is cap or anything that's loose 'e can get 'is teeth in, and away 'e goes to report to 'is K. O., like a good soldier. So then the stretcher bearers, they goes out and brings in the chap, same as they did me, d'ye see? Red Cross trains dawgs by 'undreds. Great, eh, wot?"

"Righto," agreed Private Leach's companion. "'Spect you'd like to meet that fellow again. Dawgs'll look a bit different to me when I gets back to Blighty. Bli-me, I awlways 'ated dawgs, but not now I don't."

"Look!" said Private Leach. "'Ere comes one of the little beggars."

A wiry, short haired dog with a deal of bull in his makeup came limping along on three legs, the fourth held stiffly in front of him by an ingenious arrangement of sling and bandage.

"Clicked a bit o' Fritz's lead 'is bloomin' little self, 'e did, eh, wot? 'Ere, Bill. Nice old blokey."

The dog went and laid his head, friendly fashion, on Private Leach's knee and looked up into the soldier's face, whining sympathetically.

"'E knows 'ow it feels," observed Private Leach. Then, "I say, there, old timer, look at that ear!"

"Scar," said his companion. "Been fightin', like as not."

"Bli-me!" cried Leach. "'E's the syme chap. 'Ere, now, where you goin' with me blinkin' 'at?"

The dog, holding Private Leach's cap at a provoking distance, viewed the two convalescents with a mischievous eye.

"'E's a cute un. Wish 'e was goin back to Blighty wif me, not 'alf. Eh, wot?"

"Sure," agreed the other. "I always 'ated 'em, but not now I don't. Red Cross dawgs is bloomin' humans. Strafe me if they ain't!"

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, which mortgage was duly executed and delivered by John H. Weinzierl and Bess Weinzierl, his wife, Mortgagors, to A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, bearingdate the 30th day of April, 1915 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota on the 5th day of May 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in book 71 of Mortgages, on page 396.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by the said A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, to The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., by written assignment, dated on the 1st day of June, 1915, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 14th day of August, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 75 of Mortgages on page 302.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., assignee, to Edward P. Sanborn by written assignment dated the 27th day of December, 1916, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in book 90 of Mortgages on page 481.

Which mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said Edward P. Sanborn, assignee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 29th day of April, 1918, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:10 o'clock P. M. in book 86 of Mortgages on page 172.

And whereas the said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and power of sale therein contained and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand, One Hundred and Sixteen and 89-100 ($1116.89) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South half of the Northwest quarter (S 1-2 NW 1-4) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section One (1) in Township One Hundred Fifty eight (158) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota containing One Hundred Sixty and 90-100 (160.90) acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments [illegible] appurtenances; which sale will [illegible] by the Sheriff of said Mar[illegible] County at the West front door [illegible] Court House in the City of [illegible]ren in said County and State, [illegible] 29th day [illegible] June, 1918 at [illegible] o'clock A. M. of that date, at [illegible] vendue, to the highest bidder [illegible] pay said debt of One [illegible] One Hundred Sixteen [illegible] Dollars and [illegible] taxes, if any, on [illegible] ($50.00) [illegible] stipulated [illegible] in case of [illegible] subject to redemption at any time within one year [illegible] the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated May 14th 1918. Holt State Bank, Holt, [illegible] (a corporation) Assignee of Mortgage.
[illegible] N. Eckstrom, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage. Warren, Minnesota.

Rev. Nordhus of Minneapolis preached here Sunday afternoon for Rev. Kilen.

Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack, Inez and Floyd, visited in town between trains, Saturday.

Your help is very much needed right now by the boys in France. Help the Red Cross to help them.

Mr. and Mrs. Poppenhagen of Goodridge visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson Sunday.

The proceeds of the Dorcas society's pie social Saturday night was a little over $43.00 all of which will be given to the Red Cross.

Gilbert Johnson is hauling out the material for the new school house in Dist, No. 58. We understand the carpenters expect to commence work this week.

A great many people think we are paying awful high prices for everything at present, but what would they be if we were also paying an enormous War Tax? The only way to prevent the war tax is to buy Liberty Bonds and War Saving and Thrift Stamps and donate to The Red Cross War Fund.

Mrs. N. J. Engebretsen, is very sick, at the home of son, Carl.

E. M. Bennes and family of T. R. Falls, visited at the Bennes home here a week ago Sunday.

Holt village must raise the sum of $320 for Red Cross work, commencing May 20th. This is our apportionment of the $100,000,000 must be raised by the country at large.

Help the Red Cross

We Need Money

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
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The pedigree of the stallion name Roy 66438
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Color Black. markings Strip.
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Sire Bowser 29085 Dam Marion 44293, has been examined at the College of Agriculture, Division of Animal Husbandry, and it is hereby certified that the said stallion is of pure breeding and is registered in a studbook recognized by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. The above named stallion has been examined by E. E. Pearson, a duly licensed Veterinarian, and is reported as free from infectious, contagious or transmissible disease, or unsoundness, and is licensed to stand for public service in the state of Minnesota. Dated at St. Paul, Minnesota, this 24th day of April, 1916.

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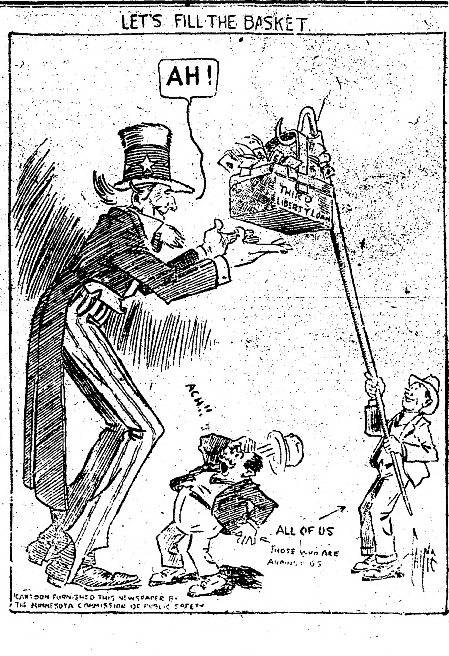
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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 146.

T. B. Folden was a Warren business visitor Tuesday.

Help your own boy by helping the Red Cross, right now.

Miss Selma Saastad returned home Saturday from T. R. Falls.

A. T. Lee and eldest son returned Tuesday to Leeds, N. Dak.

Sheriff Hanson was in this vicinity Wednesday on business.

Miss Helen Hanson returned home Monday from the hospital in T. R. Falls.

C. G. Mugg, the Grand Forks, eye man will be in Holt May 24, 25 26, 27 and 28.

Joseph Johnson who is working in Alvarado came home Wednesday for a visit with his folks.

Miss Anna Reierson returned on Wednesday from a few days visit with friends at Mahnomen.

R. Reierson will buy all the scrap iron he can get until the first of June at highest market price.

A banquet will be given by the Red Cross this evening in honor of the soldier boys who leave for camp next Monday.

Miss Abbie Hagen has resigned her position in Bennes' confectionery store and lunch room and Miss Beatha Nelson takes her place.

Mrs. Chas. Gullickson of Washington, D. C. arrived here Monday morning to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. N. J. Engebretsen who is still very sick.

L. Flak's brother from Starbuck, his son and also nephew, Albert Selness of Mable, autoed up here Saturday with Mr. Flak's car. The son will remain here with his father and sister, the others returned to their homes Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Docken and son, Earl, Miss Camilla Sannes and Joe Johnson, all of Kellys, N. D. visited at the B. Docken home last Sunday and Monday. They autoed over but found the roads quite bad after the heavy rain Saturday.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

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Soldier's Banquet.

A banquet will be given at 8 o'clock this (Friday) evening at the school house in Holt, in honor of the soldier boys who are soon to leave for the training camps.

A program, including singing by Miss Dora Holmes of Thief River Falls, will be given. After the program Prof. Hay will deliver the address of the evening. Mr. Hay is one of the best platform orators in this part of the state and no one can afford to miss hearing him.

This banquet will be given under the auspices of the Red Cross and everyone is invited to help in every way to make it a great success.

Do not fail to be there to-night at 8 o'clock, sharp.

Bazaar A Success.

The Red Cross Bazaar held in the Woodman Hall last Thursday May 16th, was a success in every way. The receipts from the lunches were $60.78 from the fish pond and quilt $17.20 and from the auction sale $98.21. Total $176.19. The success of this undertaking is due to the faithfulness of a few Red Cross workers. The afternoon was spent in a social way, interspersed with music and the selling of articles. About half past three, the school children marched from the school house to the hall and entertained the crowd with a patriotic program which was a credit to our corps of teachers. In the evening the auction sale was pulled off, which thru the generosity of the bidders, the Red Cross realized a goodly sum. The Holt orchestra entertained the crowd before and after the sale which was enjoyed and appreciated by all.

Be a Red Cross Booster.

All kinds of tennis shoes at Reierson's store.

Mrs. H. Furr returned home Wednesday from a short visit in T. R. Falls.

Farmers' wives can show their patriotism by raising more chickens than they first intended to do.

Miss Sophie Ness went to Davenport, N. D., Friday where she will have employment for sometime.

Mrs. Geo. Gullickson of Everett, Wash., came Tuesday to see her mother, Mrs. N. J. Engebretsen.

Bro. Stevens of The Warren Register installed a type setting machine in his office last week. We are much pleased to note this evidence of prosperity of The Register.

Ole Johnson autoed to Newfolden Friday with Mrs. Sollom and Mrs. A. L. Carlson to attend the Red Cross auction. Mrs. Arvid Carlson returned with them and visited here until Monday.

We acknowledge the receipt of a copy of The Lankin (N. Dak.) Reporter. The name of E. M. Wilson as editor and publisher is flying at the mast head. If Brother Wilson keeps on buying newspapers he will soon be a millionaire.

How about that little plot of mangels? There is no better feed for milch cows. In fact mangels are good for all kinds of stock and each farmer should raise some, and have their high priced grain left to sell, intsead of using all of it for feed.

Alfred Johnson was over from Newfolden Saturday on business in connection with the sale of Overland cars. Mr. Johnson has the agency for this territory and will be glad to demonstrate the superior merits of the Overland to prospective customers. He will make you a cheap price, quality considered. Read his ad in this weeks paper.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock. A special collection will be taken for the Red Cross at this time.

A big lunch will be served in the basement next Thursday May 30th, for the benefit of the Red Cross, and all the ladies are urged to help furnish eatables.

My Soldier

Now I lay me down to sleep
I pray the lord my soul to keep
God bless my brother gone to war
Across the seas, in France so far;
Oh, may his flight for Liberty,
Save millions more than little me
From cruel fates or ruthless blast,
And bring him safely home at last.
—Sel.

Registration Notice.

T. B. Folden has been appointed to register on June 5th, all young men from this village and township, also from East Valley and Excell, who have become 21 years old since last registration day. Mr. Folden will register these men at the village hall in Holt on Wednesday the 5th day of June 1918.

Residents of Mud Lake, Rollis and Whiteford will register in Gatzke with Nils P. Hugaas at the creamery. Those in Adgar, Moylan and Grand Plain will register with O. A. Nambeck in the school house of district No. 1 in the latter town. New Solum residents will register in Viking with Charley Gustafson.

Patriotic rally to-night.

A garden will help to win the war

Patriotic program and banquet for soldier boys to-night, in Holt.

The second payment of the Liberty Loan Bonds is due next Tuesday.

Loyd Adams has finished a couple of rooms in his house and moved his family therein Saturday.

About $15.00 was taken in Sunday at the Red Cross meeting at the T. O. Dovre home.

Olaf Hanson of Glyndon visited a few days the past week with his cousin Ole Johnson.

H. P. Boyd of Bassett, Ia., came yesterday to visit at the home of his uncle, H. B. Young and wife.

Hjalmer Peterson and Otto Kuehne autoed to T. R. F. Sunday returning home Monday accompanied by Miss Emma Kuehne.

Everyone can save flour by eating more potatoes and it is'nt too late yet to plant a patch for next seasons use. Be patriotic. Do all you can and then you can't match the soldier boy in the trenches.

All the ladies in town are urged to help furnish something for the lunch at the church basement next Thursday, as every thing goes to the Red Cross. Everyone is invited to help in some way to raise a good sized fund for the Red Cross.

East Valley News

The farmers are busy planting spuds.

Olaus Rodahl left last Monday for Nielsville, Minn. on business.

Nels Larson is at present working for Swan Carlson.

Services will be held in the school house Dist. 148 at 3 P. M. on Sunday May 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Larson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Dovre and family and A. C. Jahr and family were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Erickson on Sunday afternoon.

Rev. M. B. Ordahl called at Clifford Erickson on Sunday evening.

News are very scarce in this locality.

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself for re-election as Sheriff of Marshall Co., Minn., and respectfully solicit your vote and influence, at the Primary Election to be held on the 17th day of June 1918.

Hans C. Hanson.

Paid political advertisement

Notice!

Commencing June 3rd cream will be taken in at the Holt creamery on Mondays, Wednesday and Friday. All cream must be delivered during the forenoons.

W. A. Lindahl, Buttermaker.

Take Notice

The Town Board of Holt Township will meet at Markus Udstrand's farm on June 1st 1918 at 9 o'clock A. M., and at S W corner of Sec. 11 at 11 o'clock A. M. to contract out some road work.

By Order of Town Board,
T. B. Folden,
Town Clerk.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
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PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

City Meat Market

Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
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THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

Are you doing your share to help the Red Cross

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.63
Oats	65
Barley	66 to 1.08
Rye	1.81
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

A New and Complete Stock of
Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
Try Our
LUNCH COUNTER
Fresh Ice Cream Every Day
Prompt Service at all Times
Albert Bennes - Holt

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Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right

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In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Samson Windmills!

The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction. They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.

See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.

Davidson Bros., Agents
Holt, Minn.

New Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
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and
Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory

Ernest Phillipson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
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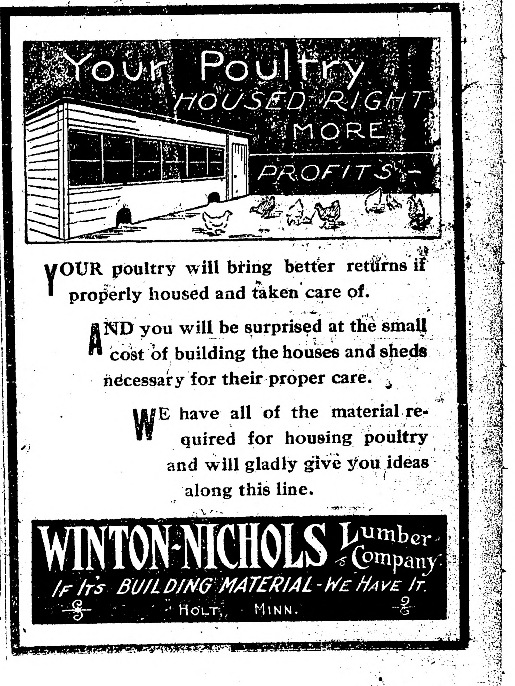

YOUR poultry will bring better returns if properly housed and taken care of.

AND you will be surprised at the small cost of building the houses and sheds necessary for their proper care.

WE have all of the material required for housing poultry and will gladly give you ideas along this line.

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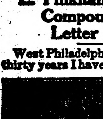
IF IT'S BUILDING MATERIAL-WE HAVE IT.
HOLT, MINN.



NERVOUS PROSTRATION

May be Overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound — This Letter Proves It.

West Philadelphia, Pa.—"During the thirty years I have been married, I have been in bad health and had several attacks of nervous prostration until it seemed as if the organs in my whole body were worn out. I was finally persuaded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it made a well woman of me. I can now do all my housework and advise all ailing women to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I will guarantee they will derive great benefit from it."—Mrs. FRANK FITZGERALD, 25 N. 41st Street, West Philadelphia, Pa.

There are thousands of women everywhere in Mrs. Fitzgerald's condition, suffering from nervousness, backache, headaches, and other symptoms of a functional derangement. It was a grateful spirit for health restored which led her to write this letter so that other women may benefit from her experience and find health as she has done.

For suggestions in regard to your condition write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of their 40 years experience is at your service.

Skin Tortured Babies Sleep After Cuticura

Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c.

TYPHOID is no more necessary than Smallpox. Army experience has demonstrated the almost miraculous efficacy, and harmlessness, of Antityphoid Vaccination. Be vaccinated NOW by your physician, you and your family. It is more vital than house insurance. Ask your physician, druggist, or send for "Have you had Typhoid?" telling of Typhoid Vaccine, results from use, and danger from Typhoid Carriers. Producing Vaccines and Serums under U. S. License The Cutter Laboratory, Berkeley, Cal., Chicago, Ill.

BOY PROBABLY TOLD TRUTH

Chances Are There Was Good, Hard Bottom to Slough if Traveler Had Reached It.

Occasionally there are times when a lie is the truth. The following story illustrates that paradox:

In Oregon there are many sloughs of mud or quicksand which are difficult and dangerous to cross. A certain Methodist missionary in that state, in the course of his travels, came to a slough which looked so formidable that he called a boy, who was chopping wood on the other side, and said:

"Boy, is that a safe slough to cross?"

"Oh, yes."

"Has it a good hard bottom?"

"Oh, yes," said the boy.

The man started to cross; his horse mired, and he had to dismount and wade out. Naturally he was angry.

"Why did you lie to me?" he demanded. "Didn't you say the slough had a good hard bottom?"

"Oh, yes," said the boy, "the bottom is good and hard, but you didn't get down to it!"—Methodistt Centenaial Bulletin.

Speeding Him Up.

"Don't worry," said the doctor, "I'll soon have your husband well and back to work again."

"I'm so glad," replied the wife.

"So am I," replied the M. D. "Because the sooner he gets back to work the sooner he'll pay my bill."

A Discrimination.

"Everybody admires a good loser."

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "But nobody envies him."

War Demands Saving of Sugar, Saving of Fuel, Use of other Grains with Wheat —No Waste.

Grape-Nuts answers every demand. It's an economical, nourishing and delicious food, a builder and maintainer of Vigor and Health. Try it.

"There's a Reason"

Important News Events of the World Summarized

U.S.—Teutonic War News

Testimony that in 1916 Germans in the United States were planning to revolt against this country was given at the New York state attorney general's investigation of reports of hidden munitions. Ivan Norodny, vice president of the Russian-American Asiatic corporation, testified that Baron von Gersdorff told him that German societies in the United States would be equipped with arms from Germany to combine with I. W. W. and Socialists against the government.

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Aviator Frank Baylies of New Bedford, Mass., has just shot down his eighth enemy machine, says a dispatch from Paris. Lieutenant Guerin, the French "ace," who has 23 victories to his credit, has been wounded in the side.

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A whole squadron of German submarines, of a new large type, failed to return after a cruise, according to information received in Zurich from a German source. The new type U-boats are said to be unsatisfactory.

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Falling through the clouds, an American airplane crashed to earth two kilometers behind the American line in the Toul sector in France, killing both the pilot and the observer.

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Two draft calls, aggregating 51,600 men, were sent out by the provost marshal general. The men called to the colors will be moved to the camps from May 20 to 24 and from May 29 to June 7, respectively. These calls bring the total number of men summoned since May 1 up to 311,000.

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Foreign

Great Britain is prepared to consider proposals from the enemy, provider they are put forward by accredited persons in a straightforward manner, Foreign Secretary Balfour declared in the house of commons. "If any representative of any belligerent country desires seriously to lay before us any proposals," he said, "we are ready to listen to them."

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Coughlan's shipyard, at Vancouver, B. C., the largest shipbuilding industry in British Columbia, was devastated by fire. The loss will run from a million and a half to two million dollars. One fireman was killed.

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The Austrian and German emperors at their meeting at German great headquarters, German newspapers say, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch to London from Copenhagen, selected monarchs for Lithuania, Courland, Esthonia and Poland.

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M. Duval, who was director of the suppressed Germanophile newspaper, Bonnet Rouge of Paris, France, was condemned to death by court-martial for treason. The six other defendants were sentenced to imprisonment for terms ranging from two to ten years.

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Fighting began at Moscow, Russia, between bolshevik troops and anarchists. The soviet troops fired at the anarchist headquarters. The anarchists replied with grenades and machine guns.

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Domestic

A "super wheat," containing 14 per cent gluten, has been discovered by Burbank, the noted California horticulturist, after experiments extending over 11 years, it was announced at Santa Rosa, Cal. The wheat may be grown from Hudson bay to Patagonia.

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Employees of the Twin City Rapid Transit company will be granted wage increases ranging from $7 to $10 a month effective June 1, it was announced at Minneapolis, Minn.

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A course in camouflage, said to be the first ever offered by any college of the world, was opened at Columbia university. It will be open to artists and mature students in various branches.

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Howard D. De Weese, sentenced to be shot Friday, May 24, for the murder of his wife, permitted a petition for commutation sentence to be filed at Salt Lake City, in his behalf.

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The Buffalo express, from New York to Chicago, was wrecked at Schodack Landing, N. Y. A fireman was killed, one passenger was mortally injured, and ten other passengers injured.

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Eighteen alien enemy employees were discharged by the Chicago Athletic association in pursuance of its policy of excluding such aliens from the premises of the club.

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"War to the death," demanded former President Taft in his keynote speech at the opening session of the win-the-war convention of the League to Enforce Peace at Philadelphia. "Let us have peace, but let us have war that we may have peace. To sound the trumpet of stern, implacable war to the end, this convention was called."

Secretary McAdoo and Mrs. McAdoo announced the engagement of their daughter, Mrs. Tabor Martin, to Clayton Platt, Jr., of Philadelphia.

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Railroads in the first three months this year earned only $71,431,000, making a loss to the government under the system of common operation of nearly $108,000,000.

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Otto Ludtke, at one time personal bodyguard of the German emperor, was ordered interned in a presidential warrant received at Des Moines, Ia.

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Federal officials, for the first time, have invoked the provisions of the New sabotage law to end a strike. As a result 8,000 Chicago teamsters and truck drivers who walked out without notice, returned to work.

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Neville island, in the Ohio river near Pittsburgh, was selected by the war department as the site for the great government ordnance plant to be built and operated in the interior.

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European War News

Russian naval officers blew up their four American submarines at Hango, Southwest Finland, before they retreated in April, it was announced in London. Seven British submarines also were blown up.

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Commander Pellegrini of the Italian navy, accompanied by three picked men, successfully penetrated the defenses of the Austro-Hungarian naval base at Pola and torpedoed an Austrian battleship of the Viribus Unitis type. The battleship was a 20,000-ton vessel.

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The Vossische Zeitung of Berlin announces that war has had to be proclaimed at Ekaterinoslav, Odessa and Poltava as a strong counter-current to the order of things was observable. There are several groups of great Russian forces in the Don region, the newspaper says.

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The Germans are still of the belief that they will be able to reach the English channel coast, bar navigation of the waters and bombard southern England, and that then it will be easy to begin peace negotiations, according to an interview the Copenhagen Politiken has had with a prominent member of the reichstag. He added that the offensive proved a failure owing to heavy losses. Germany had lost in killed, wounded, and made prisoner 3,000,000 men, he said.

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British troops after capturing Kisput in Mesopotamia pursued the Turks 20 miles to the northward, says an official statement issued by the London war office.

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Lieutenant Geigel, a star Bavarian airman, has been killed on the western front, according to the Cologne Gazette. He was credited with 15 aerial victories in France.

Personal

James Gordon Bennett, proprietor of the New York Herald, the Evening Telegram and the Paris edition of the New York Herald, died at his villa in southern France.

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John Grass, chief of all the Sioux Indians, died at Forty Yates, N. D. Chief Grass was seventy-nine years old.

Washington

Appointments by President Wilson include: Thomas D. Sattery of Covington, Ky., United States attorney for the Eastern district of Kentucky; Henry Behrendt of Detroit, Eastern district of Michigan.

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President Wilson came to the rescue of the American farmer. Availing himself of the full powers of the national defense act, by proclamation he placed under strict government control the importation, manufacture, storage and distribution of all farm equipment. All dealers in these commodities are requested to obtain federal licenses to do business.

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An amendment to the post office appropriation bill providing for an increase in the salaries of clerks and increases of 20 per cent for rural mail carriers was adopted by the senate.

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Food Administrator Hoover asked the house appropriations committee on Wednesday for $7,000,000 to provide offices and clerical hire for the 4,000 county food administrators.

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All plantinum held by refiners, some importers, manufacturing jewelers and large dealers has been commandeered by the United States government. The price fixed is $105 per troy ounce.

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President Wilson informed his advisers in the senate that he will not oppose a thorough inquiry into the aircraft situation by the senate committee on military affairs. At the same time he insisted that the investigation should stop there.

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The house passed the pension bill, carrying appropriations of $185,000,000.

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The long fight in congress over the Overman bill, empowering the president to reorganize government departments and agencies, ended with passage of the measure unamended by the house. It goes to President Wilson for his signature. The vote was 295 to 2, Representatives Sterling of Illinois and Gillett of Massachusetts, both Republicans, casting the only negative votes.

U-BOATS LOCKED IN BRUGES BASIN

British Admiralty Announces That Most of Foe's Submarines Are Imprisoned.

RECENT RAID SUCCESS

Heavy Artillery Fire Reported North of Somme Front—Coming German Drive Believed to be Aimed at Arras Sector.

Paris, May 21.—French and Italian troops have made an advance of 12½ miles on the western end of the Macedonian front, the war office announces.

London, May 21.—The greater portion of the German submarine and torpedo craft, formerly operating from bases in Flanders, has been immobilized in Bruges, the British admiralty announces.

"Recent reconnaissances show no change in the positions at Bruges and Zeebrugge since April 23," the statement said.

The announcement is accepted as meaning that the blocking of Ostend and Zeebrugge harbors by the sinking of concrete filled ships has locked the German craft in the basin at Bruges—the interior base connected with Ostend and Zeebrugge by canals.

Artillery Fight Continues.

London, May 21.—Significance may attach to the reports the official statements are now carrying of heavy artillery fire in the sector between Arras and Albert, which comprises the northerly continuation of the Somme battlefront.

London thus announces a considerable increase in the German artillery activity between Albert and Bucquoy, a 10 mile front covering about half the distance between Albert and Arras.

Similarly the German official statement reported the British guns busy along the entire Albert-Arras front where the German batteries were subjected to a violent fire.

Salient Stops Enemy.

It is along this line that many of the military observers are qualifiedly predicting that the expected German blow will be struck.

The reduction of the Arras salient by a mighty blow would carry the Germans far toward Doulens, 18 miles north of Amiens and about 13 miles west of the present fighting line. Capture of this valuable junction point would badly disrupt the Allied communication lines, and such an operation would most inevitably carry Amiens also into enemy possession.

Against such a stroke Allies are reported to have forces heavily massed and to be confidently awaiting the result of a possible attack.

12 KILLED, 25 HURT IN STORM

Bloomfield, Neb., Swept by Tornado With Fatal Results.

Bloomfield, Neb., May 21.—Twelve persons were killed, mostly children, and 25 injured, some dangerously, by a tornado that swept this portion of Nebraska.

The dead are Mrs. Herman Hagges and one chid; Mr. and Mrs. August Fredrickson and two children; five children of one family at the Spinner place; one child at the Pieper farm.

Ladysmith, Wis., May 21.—A tornado starting in the township of Grant, four miles south of here, and extending northeast eight miles to a point north of Glenflora, killed a farm woman, injured two other persons and demolished every building in its way, including 11 large barns, including one at the county poor farm at Glenflora.

200 ARE UNACCOUNTED FOR

Probable Death Roll as Result of TNT. Blast.

Pittsburgh, May 21.—Two hundred employees of the Oakdale Chemical company were still unaccounted for at 10 o'clock. This included workers of the night shift, many of whom lived in cabins near the plant, which were destroyed by Saturday's first big blast of TNT. Officials today admitted that additions to the death roll may be expected.

U-BOAT IS SUNK BY TRAWLER

German Submarine Commander Captured and Prisoners Freed.

Paris, May 21.—The trawler Ailly sank a German submarine, captured the commander and liberated the captain and crew of a Spanish sailing vessel who had been taken prisoner, a dispatch from Toulon says.

Appeal for Nurses.

Washington, Nov. 21.—"We should have now in this country 10,000 public health nurses," said Miss Annie Goodrich, federal inspector of military hospitals and president of the American Nurses' association, in an appeal to the college women of the country to enter the nursing profession. Miss Goodrich asserted that the number of nurses required for work at the front in hospitals in this country and for general public and private nursing will increase steadily as the war goes on.

WILSON OPENS R. C. CAMPAIGN

Great Demonstration Is Given to President in New York Meeting.

$100,000,000 ASKED

Chief Executive Marched in Great Parade at Head of Red Cross Workers in New York City.

New York, May 20.—The American Red Cross drive for a second $100,000,000 war fund was opened here Saturday night by President Wilson in an address at the Metropolitan opera house. He was given a great demonstration upon his entrance to the hall at 8:30 p. m., following a day's activities in which he had marched at the head of a great procession of 75,000 "soldiers of mercy," many of them gray haired women of the Red Cross. The parade here was described as only one of 1,500 parades with five million Red Cross workers, marching on the same afternoon in behalf of the nation's great drive.

The president prefaced his address by saying he did not come to tell of the work of the Red Cross but to tell "what I think it all means."

"There are two duties with which we are face to face," he said. "The first duty is to win the war. The second is to win it greatly and worthily."

"I have heard men say," he said, "that we must put 5,000,000 men into France. Why limit to that number? Every ship," he added, "shall go on every voyage with every man and all the supplies it can carry."

The president said he had tested the Teutonic nations and found them insincere. "For the first time in history the world has seen an unselfish war. I cannot fight for a selfish purpose, but I am proud to fight for mankind," he said.

"Nothing in one hundred years has knitted the nation together as has the war. It also," said he, "is knitting the world together."

"Liberal giving to the Red Cross," the president said, "is every man's duty. This is the war that will save the world. The war is being fought that the world may be a better place to live in," he added.

Red Cross Aid Is Giving to Self.

"In giving to the Red Cross," said the president, "a man is giving to himself. One of the damning things against the Germans," he said, "is that they have not respected the Red Cross."

The president concluded by declaring he summoned the American people to say how unanimously they are ready to sustain the hearts of the world by contributions to the Red Cross. "The organization," he said, "is aiding in bringing the American people together into one great family.

"Only where peoples are free do they realize their interdependence upon one another."

EXPLOSION KILLS 200 MEN

"TNT" Lets Go in Pennsylvania Munition Works.

Pittsburgh, May 20.—Probably 200 men were killed when an explosion of TNT demolished the plant of the Aetna Chemical company at Oakdale, 16 miles from here.

Five hundred workmen in the explosives plant startled at noon by a report, not much louder than the crack of a pistol, rushed for the nearest exit, but before they could gain the open, the very air seemed to burst into flame, the earth heaved and rocked. The long factory buildings were hurled high into the air, carrying with them ponderous equipment and scores of men.

The complete toll of dead may not be known for days, if indeed it ever is known. State and county authorities agreed it would reach probably 200.

NO DETAILS ON PEACE PACT

Jap-China Agreement Not Yet Clearly Understood.

Washington, May 20.—Details still were lacking at the state department with regard to the agreement between Japan and China for the protection from German aggression of their interests in the far east.

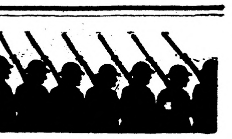
Summarizing available information regarding the pact, state department officials made it clear that the agreement was only for the period of the war and solely for defensive purposes.

Information was lacking as to whether the agreement would involve movement into Siberia of a force of Chinese and Japanese troops.

Store Manager Under Arrest.

Fargo, N. D., May 20.—J. W. Brinton, general manager of the Consumers' United States company, was arrested Saturday on a federal warrant charging that he made remarks in an address at Garrison "with the intent to interfere with the operation and success of the military and naval forces of the United States."

Preliminary hearing was held before United States Commissioner John G. Pfeffer, where Mr. Brinton waived examination and was held to the federal grand jury.



MARCH TO VICTORY

Courage is a matter of the blood. Without good red blood a man has a weak heart and poor nerves.

In the spring is the best time to take stock of one's condition. If the blood is thin and watery, face pale or pimply, generally weak, tired and listless, one should take a spring tonic. One that will do the spring housecleaning, an old-fashioned herbal remedy that was used by everybody nearly 50 years ago is still safe and sane because it contains no alcohol or narcotic. It is made up of Blood root, Golden Seal root, Oregon Grape root, Queen's root, Stone root, Black Cherry bark—extracted with glycerine and made into liquid or tablets. This blood tonic was first put out by Dr. Pierce in ready-to-use form and since then has been sold by million bottles as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If druggists do not keep this in tablet form, send 60 cents for a vial to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

Kidney disease carries away a large percentage of our people. What is to be done? The answer is easy. Eat less meat, eat coarse, plain food, with plenty of vegetables, drink plenty of water between meals, and take an uric acid solvent after meals for a while, such as Anuric (double strength), obtainable at almost any drug store. It was first discovered by Dr. Pierce. Most every one troubled with uric acid finds that Anuric dissolves the uric acid as hot water does sugar. You can obtain a trial package by sending ten cents to Doctor Pierce's Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y.

Self-Deception.

"Lemme see one o' dem cuckoo clocks," said Mr. Erastus.

"Here you are."

"Could you kind o' change de tune a little?"

"What's the idea?"

"I wants an alarm clock. I don' take to dese hasty an' excited alarm clocks. If you could train one o' dese to cackle like a chicken, I could wake up spry an' hopeful every time."

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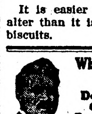
"I notice that Perkins is always alone on his hunting trips."

"Yes; he insists on carrying a gun."

It is easier to lead a man to the alter than it is to make him eat war biscuits.



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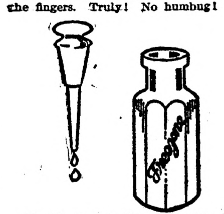

Try Freezone! Your druggist sells a tiny bottle for a few cents, sufficient to rid your feet of every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and callouses, without one particle of pain, soreness or irritation. Freezone is the discovery of a noted Cincinnati genius.—Adv.

Test Soldier's Brains.

The psychological and brain tests to which our enlisted men are being subjected are something new in military tactics. In other wars men were not put into the ranks if they showed noticeable signs of mental infirmity. Now they do not stop with asking if he is crazy, but they go further and determine by established tests whether he is apt to go crazy if exposed to the strain and shock of battle. Doctor Gorgas instituted this new examination, and under it many men have been turned back from the path to "over there" and detailed to some phase of government service "over there." They are not generally told why the change is made, but are expected to give soldierly obedience to the order. To tell them would be to set up a state of self-suspicion that would be very harmful.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it Bears the Signature of Chas H. Fletcher In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

A Literal Translation.

My brother while home from Camp Grant told this incident that happened recently in the camp. Two of the boys in his company were placed in the guardhouse one morning and were surprised to see each other.

One said, "Well, Mac, what you in there for?"

"Why, I'm in here on account of my furlong."

"You don't mean furlong; you mean furlough."

"No, I don't; I went too 'fur' and I stayed too long."—Exchange.

An Improvement.

A familiar card seen on one thing or another that is temporarily out of commission bears the blunt announcement, "Out of Order."

A card that seemed an improvement on this, something slicker, smoother, nicer, read:

"Out of Service."

Always think twice before you speak —and nine times out of ten you will have no occasion to say a word.

He is the richest man who enriches mankind most.

ALL WOMAN HAD IN WORLD

Pathetic Plea Made to Governor Goodrich Asking Him to Allow Liberty to Her Dog.

"All I have in this world is my poor dog," a southern Indiana woman said in a heartfelt, pathetic letter to Governor Goodrich, begging him not to make a law "that no one is allowed to let their dogs out this summer." Possibly an owner of sheep spread a report that an offensive campaign is to be conducted against dogs this year.

The letter:

"Governor Goodrich: Beg pardon. Could I ask you a question they say you are going to make a law that no one is allowed to let their dogs out this summer. Would you be so kind to not pass that law? I have a dog is all I have in this world. I would not like to see him locked up all summer while the weather is nice they like to be out.

"I pay taxes for him.

"I will ask God to bless you. A poor woman's wish.

"All I have in this world is my poor dog."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Oh, Well, She Didn't Believe It.

"Mrs. Jagsby says Mr. Jagsby had a brand new excuse for staying out late last night."

"What was it?"

"He said he was unavoidably delayed because a large body of troops were marching through town in close formation, from one railroad station to another, and he couldn't budge until the entire 100,000 men, more or less, had passed a given point."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

A Great One.

"There is one advantage about a telephone enterprise which fails."

"What is that?"

"If a receivership is ordered, they can always hang up the receiver."

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Kid Glove Waistcoats.

Instead of making sweaters for our boys abroad, Popular Science Monthly urges American women to make "glove waistcoats," as the English women are now doing. These are made of discarded kid gloves, sewn together on a lining. One can be made in a day or two, it weighs only a few ounces, is as warm as a sweater and has the great advantage of not harboring vermin.

FARMERS ARE WORKING HARDER

And using their feet more than ever before. For all these workers the frequent use of Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath, increases their efficiency and insures needed physical comfort. It takes the Friction from the Shoe, freshens the feet, and prevents tired, aching and blistered feet. Women everywhere are constant users of Allen's Foot-Ease. Don't get foot sore, get Allen's Foot-Ease. Sold by dealers everywhere, 25c.—Adv.

French Testaments.

To assist the United States soldiers to learn French, and at the same time make reading the Bible more interesting, the Bible society has issued a special pocket edition of the Gospel of St. Mark, containing the Gospel in French on one page and its counterpart in English on the opposite page.

A Bad Start.

"Why so thoughtful? Is marriage a failure?" asked the bride.

"Opinions vary. Don't start with that assumption anyhow."

Insult Aunt Columbia, and note Uncle Sam spitting on his hands.

Don't Be Afraid of Your Meals

Take "Eatonic" and Laugh At Stomach Troubles

H. L. Kramer, the man who originated Cascarets, has discovered a sure, safe, quick-acting relief for bad stomachs. He named it EATONIC for your stomach's sake.

You can eat anything you like now and digest it in comfort, for stomach ease is positively assured if you eat an EATONIC tablet regularly after each meal.

EATONIC acts directly with the food the moment it enters the stomach. It immediately checks any tendency toward too much acid and enables the food to pass from the stomach into the bowel in a sweetened condition, and thus prevents the formation of sour distressing gases that upset digestion and cause a bloated, dull, lumpy feeling that makes your FOOD REPEAT.

EATONIC enables you to eat your fill and laugh at indigestion, dyspepsia, heartburn, "sour stomach" and all the other bugaboos of "the-man-afraid-of-his-stomach."

Kramer says: "EATONIC should be in every home ready for use after every meal. An EATONIC tablet will aid you naturally to easily digest and assimilate—your food can be thoroughly enjoyed without the slightest danger of misery from acid stomach. I strongly advise every one to take EATONIC after meals. To correct bad stomachs and keep them in perfect condition, it is a most wonderful discovery."

If EATONIC fails to give you prompt stomach relief, your money will be refunded; 50c buys a large box at any drug store. Or write to Eatonic Remedy Co., 1018 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago, U. S. A.

SPOHN'S DISTEMPER COMPOUND

Spring Run of Distemper MAY BE WHOLLY AVOIDED BY USING "SPOHNS" A small outlay of money brings very great results. It is a sure cure and a preventive if you use it as per directions. Simple, safe and sure. The $1 size is twice the quantity and an ounce more than the 50c size. Get your horses in best condition for late spring and summer. All druggists, harness dealers or manufacturers. SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Manufacturers, Goshen, Ind.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Pillager.—Pillager had a big Red Cross sale and picnic which was a huge success from every standpoint.

Brainerd.—Rev. William B. Riley, pastor of the First Baptist church of Minneapolis, will deliver a course of lectures here next month.

Stillwater.—Vital statistics show 377 children were born in Washington county from January 1 to December 31 last year, 180 females and 197 males.

Stillwater.—Ernest Hopkins, a farmer of Withrow, has the distinction this year of being the first farmer in Washington county to have his corn planted.

St. Paul.—Public dance hall proprietors in Minnesota have been notified by the state public safety commission that dances in the state on Sunday are forthwith forbidden.

St. Paul.—Running out on the street alone for the first time in her life, 3-year-old Margaret Horrigan, daughter of a city fireman, met death under the wheels of a huge five-ton loaded truck.

St. Cloud.—Apparently on the road to recovery from a severe siege of diphtheria, Henry Theisen, 37, well known farmer residing near the city limits north of St. Cloud, dropped dead in his barn on the farm.

St. Cloud.—Dr. Fred H. Stangl, who will be graduated from Rush Medical college in June, is twelfth highest among the 300 students taking the civil service examination for an internership in the Cook county hospital, one of the largest of its kind.

Hallock.—The Kittson county farm bureau and county farmers' clubs are figuring on a big county picnic this summer to be given under the auspices of the Red Cross society. The date has not yet been definitely settled upon, but it will be some time in June.

Mankato.—Viola Tolzman, 7 years old, of Belle Plaine, had two of her fingers shot off while playing with a dynamite cap. With the younger brother, she found two of these explosive caps and they proceeded to play with them.

Crookston.—The Bygland branch of the Red Cross was organized a month ago and a few days ago had an auction sale of different farm products which the farmers donated. The sale netted $464, which is considered a success considering the size of the community.

St. Paul.—The German language will not be taught in St. Paul public schools in 1919 and all teachers of that language must seek other positions. This announcement was made by Commissioner Albert Wunderlich of St. Paul, following dismissal of Miss Ilse G. Probst, teacher of German, for pro-German sympathies.

St. Paul.—Several men were slightly injured and two girls fainted when a crowded street car with passengers stalled astraddle a railway crossing as a freight train rapidly bore down on the car. Men and girls jumped thru the car windows in a panic. The street car cleared the crossing just as the freight train reached them.

Aitkin.—Carl Elmer Carlson, 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Carlson of Grayling, Aitkin county, was drowned in Sandy river a few yards from the child's home. When missed a search was made and the body was in the water five hours before it was discovered. Coroner W. H. Kast of Aitkin considered an inquest unnecessary.

Minneapolis.—John H. Ray of this city is a new member of the state board of law examiners in a list of appointments announced by the State supreme court. C. J Traxler, secretary of the board, is retired. Other members receiving reappointments are Frank L. Cliff, Ortonville, Frank E. Jutnam, Blue Earth; Newe H Clapp, St. Paul; Stephen H. Somsen, Winona, and Charles Lorins, Crookston. The court order is effective June 1.

St. Paul.—The entire output of Minnesota flour mills from now until the next harvest can be shipped to the allies so far as Minnesota is concerned, A. D. Wilson, state food administrator, announced. Mr. Wilson said that the investigation by county administrators proved there was enough flour on hand to serve the state, provided it is properly redistributed and used according to regulations issued by the national food administration.

Moorhead.—Miss Alice Peck has been engaged to assist A. C. O'Banion, county agent, in supervising boys' and girls' club work in Clay county, and will supervise the bread-making contest to be held in the domestic science rooms of the state normal school here on May 25. The contestants will be the winners in the local contests held throughout Clay county. Miss Peck was formerly supervisor of boys' and girls' work in New York state.

St. Paul.—Attorney Charles Donnelly, former assistant general counsel of the Northern Pacific railroad, has been made general solicitor, President J. M. Hannaford announced. The new position was created chiefly because General Counsel C. F. Bunn is forced to spend most of his time in Washington.

Northome.—J Garrison was severely injured while trying to lift a hayrack alone when it slipped, knocking him down, his head striking a stone. After lying unconscious for some time, he finally crawled to the house and medical aid was summoned.

Perham.—Fire destroyed the Catholic church and high school here.

Bemidji.—F. B. Lamson has left for Marshfield, Wis., at the solicitation of the chamber of commerce of that city to investigate a tentative offer to act as secretary of that organization.

Moorhead.—Dr. W. P. Green, representing the state board of health, will hold an infantile paralysis clinic in the Clay county courthouse on Friday, June 17.

St. Cloud.—J. L. Schling was convicted on a charge of having kept liquor in his cottages at Clearwater lake without having a license and given sixty days.

St. Paul.—Archbishop Ireland celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of his ordination as archbishop. Three weeks ago Archbishop Ireland was critically ill. He is rapidly regaining his health, it is announced.

Red Wing.—Seven young ladies will receive their diplomas as graduate nurses of St. John's Hospital School for Nurses at graduation exercises to be held at St. John's church. Among the graduates is Miss Emma Ploium, Maddock, N. D.

Little Falls.—The service flag ordered by the Relief Corps of the G. A. R. has arrived and will be dedicated and put up in the postoffice. The flag has 140 stars and a few more will be added before its dedication. The flag is 15x9 feet.

Fosston.—Herman Schmoke, a well-known resident of Gully, was taken to Fergus Falls by Federal officers, having been arrested on the charge of making seditious utterances. He also so refused to buy Liberty bonds or assist Red Cross or Y. M. C. A.

International Falls.—County Auditor Fraser conducted the state land sale at which six or eight forties were disposed of. Considerable of the best land listed has been withdrawn by the state auditor for improvement purposes under amendment No. 1.

Minneapolis.—S. E. Clemmings, 26 years old, son of a wealthy local restaurant proprietor, was arrested here by agents of the department of justice as an alleged draft evader. Clemmings, who is a Yale student, admitted failing to register, according to the police.

Ada.—Theodore Pinske of the town of Strand, Norman county, one of the most prosperous farmers in Norman county, has been bound over to the grand jury, charged with making seditious remarks and abusing President Wilson when he was asked to buy Liberty bonds.

Brainerd.—The jitney ordinance adopted by the village council of Deerwood, and which was fought by the bus drivers, was declared unconstitutional and void by Judge W. S. McClenahan in district court. The village will refund the license money collected, about $450.

Fergus Falls.—Nine freight cars were demolished near here when two freight trains collided. The wrecked cars were loaded with pianos and automobiles. All trains were routed around by Breckenridge until the track was cleared. None of the crew was seriously injured.

Mankato.—George W. Fulton and Albert B. Fox, manager and publicity man of the Minnesota Leader, were arraigned here on a charge of criminal libel. It is alleged that they printed articles assailing Sheriff Charles Livingston of Rice county. Pleas of not guilty were entered for both.

Stillwater.—Another star has been added to the Minnesota state prison service flag for J Clarence Fitzgerald, making thirteen stars. Other boys from the prison serving the colors are Justin V. Smith, Walter Nelson, Thomas Stanek, J. R. Haefner, J A. Ryan, C. R. Kilty, Oscar Anderson, George Miller, Willard Kienholz, and B. F. Hood.

St. Cloud.—A boy found a carrier pigeon, believed to belong to the United States navy and the matter was reported by the police to the department of justice. An aluminum disk tag had been attached to its leg. On this tag was printed the figures 1175 and on the outer circle were the characters A1, in horizontal form, with the figure 17 in parallel, and the letter E, in horizontal.

St. Paul.—First Minnesota fire loss es of 1918 caused by lightning have been reported to George H. Nettleton, assistant state fire marshal. Two fires occurred in an electrical storm in Lincoln county. George J. Lang's general merchandise store and dwelling at Ivanhoe were destroyed. The loss was estimated at $35,000, the insurance $26,700. The second fire destroyed the farm dwelling of Chris Jorgensen, near Lake Benton, with $1,400 loss, fully insured.

Stillwater.—United States Marshal Joseph A. Fessel came here after Mrs. Gertrude Medical and James Fritchie of Janesville, Wis., arrested here some time ago on the charge of the woman's husband, who charged them with violating the Mann white slave act. The Federal officer took them to Superior, Wis., where they were turned over to the Federal officers of Wisconsin. The couple have been held in the county jail for the last three weeks awaiting the arrival of Federal authorities.

Hibbing.—Fire starting in the home of a miner at Carson Lake caused the destruction of a store, a theater and 25 homes. A strong wind spread the fire rapidly and it was stopped only by dynamiting three buildings in its path. The total loss is estimated at $75,000.

Crookston.—The Central avenue bridge over the Northern Pacific is open to traffic after being closed for the past several weeks for repairs. The grade has been lowered and a sharp dropoff has been fixed, the bridge now being in first-class condition.

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The cattle raiser would receive only ⅛ cent a pound more for his cattle

So small is Swift & Company's profit on any single transaction that if it were turned over to the cattle raisers of the country, they would receive only ⅛ cent a pound more for cattle than they receive now.

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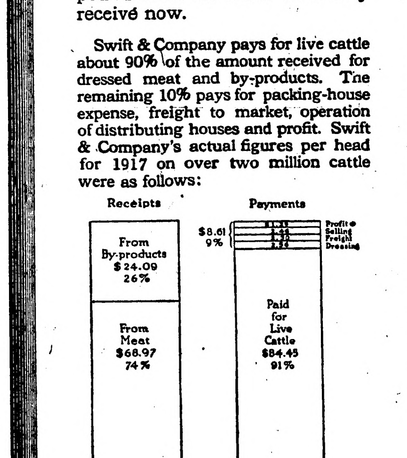

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And out of this small net profit dividends must be paid to shareholders.

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Conscientious Cuss.

"Enos Dubblehook is the most conscientious gent in town," related the landlord of the Petunia tavern. "The other evening the fellers here in the office were telling funny stories, and Enos got off one about a drunken man meeting a ghost. He strung the yarn out quite a distance, and then, after he had got through and we had all laughed politely, he recollected that a drunken man always says 'Hic!' And so, as he wanted to be perfectly accurate, he told the whole story over again, putting in the missing hiccoughs at the proper intervals. I sometimes think that with a little different education Enos would have made a first-class German spy."—Kansas City Star.

Prussian Confidence Game.

"Is that plausible person pro-German?" "I don't think he is as much 'pro' as he is 'con.'"

The man who can smile in the time of adversity has a mortgage on success.

Cause for Wonder.

Patience—This is my lunch hour, you know.

Patrice—Oh, can you afford in these times to eat for an hour?

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Send today for free samples of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and learn how quickly they relieve itching, skin and scalp troubles. For free samples, address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Most Desirable.

"Didn't you feel terrible when Vera married the aeroplane man?"

"No; he's a man she can look up to."

When the old boy with a sanctimonious face breaks loose he is generally the gayest bird of all.

Exemplifying duty is better than explaining it.

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Easy to figure the Profits

Where in Western Canada you can buy at from $15 to $30 per acre good farm land that will raise 20 to 45 bushels to the acre of $2 wheat — its easy to figure the profits. Many Western Canadian farmers (scores of them from the U. S.) have paid for their land from a single crop. Such an opportunity for 100% profit on labor and investment is worth investigation.

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or secure some of the low priced lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Think what you can make with wheat at $2 a bushel and land so easy to get. Wonderful yields also of Oats, Barley and Flax. Mixed farming and cattle raising.

The climate is healthful and agreeable; railway facilities excellent; good schools and churches convenient. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Supt. Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to

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160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

ONE HUNDRED MERCIFUL MILLIONS

By HERBERT KAUFMAN

ONE Hundred Millions for the Red Cross and not one penny of it for red tape.

The mightiest charity, the noblest and broadest volunteer movement of history.

The Red Cross shares no enmities, serves no flag but its own. It is God's agent. His healing, merciful will—the answer of twenty ever-gentler centuries to red barbarism.

Twelve million orphan children are wandering about Europe—twelve million frightened little boys and terrorized little girls, sent adrift to sob alone and perish in the wastes—to live like swine and die like curs, unless magnificent America ransoms them from death—and worse.

How many of your pitying dollars will search the desolations and save them for Tomorrow's works?

The Red Cross needs another Hundred Million, to glean the battle areas for this precious seed before it rots in mind and body—before grief and horror and disease and unrestraint irrevocably blight them.

One Hundred Millions to prevent famine and stifle pestilence, to stamp out hideous fevers, to check an earth-wide wave of tuberculosis, to destroy shuddering filths where verminous plagues feed and breed and threaten all the universe.

One Hundred Millions to found hospitals and build rest stations, to send nurses to the Front and refugees back, to equip surgical units and furnish artificial limbs, to buy medicines and operating instruments, to re-educate the mutilated and show the blind where Hope still shines.

One Hundred Millions to maintain communication with detention camps, to provide war prisoners with food and raiment, to take messages out and bring letters in, to procure comforts and privileges for the captured, to buy blankets for them and clothes and books and tobacco.

One Hundred Millions for No Man's Land—for stretchers and ambulances, for anesthetic and bandages and antiseptics, to train nurses and orderlies, to outfit and transport skilled specialists, to make sure that a dear one shall have a clean, sweet cot and a sweet, clean girl from home beside it.

One Hundred Millions to keep the world sound and wholesome, while the armies of Justice hold it safe.

I Am the Red Cross

HENRY PAYSON DOWST

(With acknowledgments to Robert H. Davis, author of "I Am the Printing Press.")

I am the Symbol of the pity of God.

I burgeon upon the flaunting banner of victory and the drooping guidon of defeat.

I am the token of peace in the midst of battle, of gentleness shining through the sombre mists of hate.

I am a chevron on the sleeve of mercy, an honor mark set high upon the brow of compassion.

I am the color of blood spilled for democracy, the form of Christ's tree of agony, and my followers, at need, crucify themselves to make men live.

I carry the hope of life into the red pits of death, and a dying soldier salutes me and smiles as he goes to touch the hand of God Almighty.

I stand for the organized love of mankind, the co-ordinated impulses of young and old to do good, the sacred efficiency of human service.

I mark the flag under which are mobilized the forces of industry and finance, of church and school, of capital, of labor, of genius and of sinew.

I am Civilization's Godspeed to those who defend her; I am the message from home.

I am the Symbol of the pity of God.

I AM THE RED CROSS.

750 Children Herded In Dirty Dilapidated Building Typical Red Cross Case

[illegible] official of a French city that was [illegible] filled with gas bombs by the [illegible] found himself confronted with the problem of looking after 750 children. He telegraphed the American Red Cross in Paris for help. Fifteen trained workers were rushed to [illegible] of these children.

[illegible] what the Red Cross workers [illegible]: Twenty-one tiny babies under [illegible] and 729 children under [illegible] years. They were herded in an [illegible] unfurnished building, without [illegible] of sanitary convenience. It was the best and safest the [illegible] official could find at such a [illegible] but you would not think it fit [illegible].

[illegible] is what the American Red Cross workers did in two days: They thoroughly cleaned and transferred to new buildings outside the city the entire 750 children. Red Cross doctors attended the sick; nurses were secured for the babies. Suitable food was provided for all, and they were so classified as to provide against the separation of families; also an organization for the permanent care of these children, including their education, was started and has since been put into operation.

So much for the 750. But how about the thousands upon thousands of others. Right now the little children of France are at your doors crying for food, shelter, protection against German brutality and dying as they cry-

Raise lots of chickens this year as meat is going to be scarce.

J. M. Swan shipped another car of cattle to the markets Tuesday.

A good rain Saturday, another on Tuesday, furnishes lots of moisture.

A. S. Boernstein moved from Carpenter, Iowa, onto his farm near Golden Valley, the latter part of last week.

Miss Nellie Saastad returned home Monday from Thief River Falls having graduated from the high school with honors.

John Johnson and family drove to T. R. Falls Wednesday evening to see a physician about their baby who was sick.

Some of the young people got up a surprise party for Prof. and Mrs. F. A. Hall Monday night and all had a most enjoyable time.

It's not too late yet for that war garden and you owe it to yourself and your country to plant it. Do it now, before it is Too Late.

Mrs. Chas. Skoglund who attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Gus Gundvall at Milaca, Minn. returned home last week Thursday.

Mrs. Will Werner spent a couple of days in T. R. Falls last week, returning Saturday to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson.

A large circle of friends gave a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Larson on Wednesday evening in honor of their son Ludvik who leaves Monday for Camp Lewis.

Mrs. Andrew Thoreson of T. R. Falls and her mother from the southern part of the state visited Mrs. R. Reierson between trains Wednesday.

All the proceeds of the Ladies Aid lunch at the church next Thursday will be donated to the Red Cross. Everyone is cordially invited to help this cause both by furnishing for the lunch and also helping to eat it.

Postmaster Engebretson autoed to T. R. Falls Friday with his helper Ida Kjelgren. The doctor reported the latter enough better so that she expects to remain in the post office for awhile longer.

The Holt township board met in town Monday to make arrangements for the Red Cross drive. Their apportionment is $150.00, and they need the help of everyone, so be sure to do your part, and that too right cheerfully.

Mrs. Joe Mongoven of Erskine came last week to visit at the home of her brother, John Melquist and family. Mrs. Melquist and Mrs. Mougoven went to Skime Monday to visit at the home of the latters sister for a few days.

Mesdames Docken and Bakke pleasantly entertained a number of young folks at a reception last Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Docken. A delicious luncheon was served, after which the evening was spent in giving advice of great import to the newly weds and playing of games.

August Nass and daughter Sophie, H. Ekerdahlen and daughter Agnes and Mrs. Halfden Hanson autoed to T. R. Falls Friday, the latter to see her daughter Helen who is in the hospital just recovering from an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Ekerdahlen went to see his physician Dr. Paulson, who said he was much better which fact we are pleased to state.

Last week we copied from The Warren Sheaf the list of names given by the draft board that they thot would probably be drawn from this vicinity in the next draft, but it seems they were mistaken in regard to most of the names. Last weeks Warren Register stated that just as they were about ready to go to press they received from the board the list of the registrants who will leave next Monday May 27th for Camp Lewis, Tacoma, Wash. Those from this vicinity on the list are:

Ole C. Johnson, Clarence Docken Ludvik Larson and Geo. Svenkeson.

We understand the above named young men have also received official notice to report in Warren Monday for military service.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, which mortgage was duly executed and delivered by John H. Weinzierl and Bess Weinzierl, his wife, Mortgagors, to A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, bearing date the 30th day of April, 1915 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota on the 5th day of May 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in book 71 of Mortgages, on page 396.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by the said A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, to The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., by written assignment, dated on the 1st day of June, 1915, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 14th day of August, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 75 of Mortgages on page 308.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., assignee, to Edward P. Sanborn by written assignment dated the 27th day of December, 1916, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in book 90 of Mortgages on page [illegible].

Which mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said Edward P. Sanborn, assignee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 29th day of April, 1918, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the [illegible] day of May, 1918 at 2:10 o'clock P. M. in book 86 of Mortgages on page 172,

And whereas the said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and power of sale therein contained and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand, One Hundred and Sixteen and 89-100 ($1116.89) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South half of the Northwest quarter (S 1-2 NW 1-4) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section One (1) in Township One Hundred Fifty eight (158) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota containing One Hundred Sixty and 90-100 (160.90) acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 29th day of June, 1918 at 10 o'clock A. M. of that date, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Thousand, One Hundred Sixteen and 89-100 ($1116.89) Dollars and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated May 14th 1918. Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn. (a corporation) Assignee of Mortgage.

A. N. Eckstrom, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage, Warren, Minnesota.

A special offering for the Red Cross will be received at the Free Mission Sunday School at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. Parents are urged to see that their children do not forget their offering, also they can send one too if they wish. All money received at this time will be turned over to B. Docken, treasurer, of the local Red Cross auxilliary.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
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THE first principle of money making is money saving. Get the habit of buying War Savings Stamps regularly. This is the stamp which is going to help Uncle Sam stamp out Autocracy and help you, by saving, to start on the road to Success.

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Pure Bred Stallion

No. 4179

The pedigree of the stallion name Roy 66438

Owned by O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

Color Black markings Strip

Breed Percheron Foaled 1908

Sire Bowser 29085 Dam Marion 44292 has been examined at the College of Agriculture, Division of Animal Husbandry, and it is hereby certified that the said stallion is of pure breeding and is registered in a studbook recognized by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. The above named stallion has been examined by E. E. Pearson, a duly licensed Veterinarian, and is reported as free from infectious, contagious or transmissible disease, or unsoundness, and is licensed to stand for public service in the state of Minnesota. Dated at St. Paul, Minnesota, this 24th day of April, 1916.

Transferred from J. S. Semingson, Beltrami, Minn.

Will Stand in Holt for the season of 1918

Terms of Service: Standing Colt $14.00. If mare is sold or traded to leave the country, fees become due.

O. J. Backlund, Owner, Holt, Minn.

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The Overland Model 90 is *established*.

The popular demand for this car is in itself a tribute to Willys-Overland manufacturing skill and the high ideals.

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Newfolden, Minn.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

All kinds of tennis shoes at Reierson's store.

B. J. Bakke went to Minneapolis Saturday on business.

Mrs. Mickelson went to Crookston Tuesday to visit relatives.

J. A. Soram and S. S. Kolden autoed to Warren Monday.

Dr. R. L. Olson and Jesse Sorum were Tuesday passengers for Spooner.

A baby girl was born on Saturday night to Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

Mr. M. T. Strom went to Goodridge Friday to hold services for a [illegible].

[illegible] went to Crookston Wednesday to spend Memorial Day with the family.

[illegible] came last week Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. Carl [illegible].

Rev. [illegible] of T. R. Falls will conduct services at Holt next Sunday afternoon at 2:30

B. Docken, P. A. Riesberg, M. Uhondahl and S. H. Nohre autoed to Warren Tuesday on business.

Red Cross benefit at the J. M. Swan home next Sunday. Everyone invited to help a good cause.

Walmer Riesberg went to Gardena, N. Dak., Monday to visit his sister, Mrs. H. Pavek and family.

Annie Erickson leaves this week for a short visit with her uncle Carl Ericksen and family east of Goodridge.

Mrs. [illegible] of Thief River Falls visited the latter part of last week at the Ida Kjelgren and P. A. Riesberg homes.

Miss [illegible] Bennes returned Saturday to her home at Fertile after spending a few weeks here at the home of her brother, A. Bennes and family.

Mrs. F. A. Hall went to Little Falls Friday to visit at the home of her parents. She expected to meet her brother who was home on a furlough before departing with his company for France.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

Complete Line

of

CASKETS

and

Funeral Supplies

which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

S. S. Kolden for County Auditor.

Our former townsman, S. S. Kolden has filed for the office of county auditor and we take pleasure in making this announcement to our readers. For several years he was one of the foremost business men of this place and made a record for honesty and fair dealing that any man could be justly proud of.

Having been in business almost all his life and part of the time as an assistant in a county office, Mr. Kolden is well qualified for the office he seeks. He has done his share in the development of this country, has helped all good causes and always bore his share of taxes and all other expenses that come to a community.

Mr. Kolden has not made any promises in advance, does not belong to any ring or clique and is not under obligations to any man or set of men, and is therefore entitled to the vote of every fair minded citizen who wants both economy and justice done in the auditors office.

Ball game Sunday Goodridge vs Holt.

School closes to day for the summer vacation.

Art Sorenson returned here Wednesday from Dakota.

Miss Abbie Hagen returned to her home in Erskine, Saturday.

Racine Olson went to Devils Lake N. Dak., Tuesday morning.

Annie Erickson visited at C. Hoffman's Monday afternoon.

Rudolph Dahl went to Warren Saturday to serve on the jury.

[illegible]

Mr. M. T. Strom will commence a months term of school in the Hall's school house June 3rd.

Gunder Sorter and wife and M. Udstrand and wife autoed to Grand Forks Friday for a few days visit.

Miss Martha Heng of Strandquist visited Misses Martha Peterson and Helen Johnson a couple of days last week.

Read Corporal Strand's letter in this paper. This letter was first published on May 24th in The Gary Graphic. There is food for thought therein and we urge everyone to read what Corporal Strand says and to think seriously about it.

This vicinity was well represented in Warren Monday, the following people being called there as witnesses: Dr. R. L. Olson, Ludvig Monson, Theo. Solom, Axel Nelson, Iver Boersheim, Carl Sorenson and Miss Annie Reierson.

The Kingbo Auxiliary of the Red Cross is going to meet at Ole Davidson Wednesday June 5th at 2 o'clock. Everybody is welcome. This society has made a dozen hospital shirts during this month which were sent to Warren May 27th.

The proceeds of the Synod Ladies Aid lunch at Mrs. C. H. Gunheim's last week Thursday was $18.45 all of which was given to the Red Cross.

The proceeds of the Young People's meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Swan next Sunday will also be given to the Red Cross. Everyone invited to attend.

Ludvig Larson and George Svenkeson went to Rosewood Sunday night to take the train for Warren Monday morning, while Clarence Docken and Ole Johnson accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and Mrs. Clarence Docken autoed to Warren Monday. The Holt boys left Warren that afternoon with a likely bunch of 87 young men from Marshall Co. for Camp Lewis, Wash. The News joins their many friends in wishing them a safe return home, in the not very distant future.

Free Mission Church

Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 8:00 in the evening by Rev. Kilen.

Rev. J. A. Orrock of Thief River Falls will hold English services next Monday evening at 8:30.

The Sunday Schools special collection for the Red Cross amounted to $5.84 and their total donation to that cause, the next day, was $7.50.

Southeast of Holt.

A large circle of his friends gave a surprise party at the home of Knute Ose on Sunday afternoon in honor of his son Ole, who left for Camp Lewis Wash. the following Monday. A neat sum of money and also a beautiful military shaving outfit was presented him as a remembrance.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Olson on Tuesday May 21st, a baby boy.

Miss Helga Ose who has been attending the Oak Grove Seminary at Fargo N. Dak. returned to her home on Saturday.

Misses Silos Torgerson Tyler Wold and Albert Klungness are attending business matters in Warren this week

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Klungness were Monday afternoon visitors at A. Klungness.

Announcement.

To Marshall county voters:

I wish to announce that I have decided to become a candidate for the office of county auditor and respectfully solicit your vote and [illegible] Election on the 17th day of June 1918.

S. S. KOLDEN,

Holt, Minn. May 28, 1918.

Political advertisement inserted by S. S. Kolden and to be paid for by himself at the regular rates.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Vote for the best men, the others will forget you after election.

Prof. Hall left Wednesday for a short visit with relatives at Little Falls after which he expects to enlist in the aviation corps. Prof. Hall has taught a good school and the people regret that they are unable to keep him in the school for another year. Mr. and Mrs. Hall made many friends during their short stay in Holt who will join us in wishing them happiness and success.

The rains interfered with the carrying out of the program arranged for the banquet given Friday eve in honor of the soldier boys. The committee did the best they could under the circumstances and had a short program given by the school children and the choir. The orchestra furnished the music and Rev. Ordahl delivered the address.

There was a large attendance and the lunch brot the Red Cross $17.

The guests of honor were: Ludvig Larson, George Svenkeson, Ole Johnson and Clarence Docken.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

The Dorcas society will meet with Mrs. Alfred Anderson's June 1st.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Sunday Services at 11 o'clock.

Young Peoples Society will meet at the home of J. M. Swan at 8 o'clock Sunday. Everybody bring eatables, the proceeds go to the Red Cross.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

East Valley News

The Norwegian school closed last Thursday with a short program given by the pupils.

Miss Julia Johnson returned last Saturday from Crookston, where she has been working for some time.

Mrs. Ole Gartus and Mrs. Gilbert Knudtson spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson to bid farewell to the formers brother Ole who was to leave for camp.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Larson, Lillian Jahr, Nels Larson, Oscar Furr and Ole J. Lunke called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Larson, to bid farewell to their son Ludvik who was to leave for camp the following day. May the Good Father keep our boys in the hollow of his hand and send them safely home again.

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself for re-election as Sheriff of Marshall Co., Minn., and respectfully solicit your vote and influence at the Primary Election to be held on the 17th day of June, 1918.

[illegible] Hanson.

Paid political advertisement.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

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Constantly on Hand

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Buy Baby Bonds.

Red Cross Benefit

J. M. Swan's home

Next Sunday June 2

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.50
Oats	62
Barley	53 to .90
Rye	1.66
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

A New and Complete Stock of

Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits

Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos

Try Our

LUNCH COUNTER

Fresh Ice Cream Every Day

Prompt Service at all Times

Albert Bennes - Holt

Auto Repairing!

Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling

Our Prices are Right

Hamernes Garage

Racine Olson, Manager

Holt, Minn.

Holt Dray and Livery

H. Peterson, Prop.

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In connection with teams and rigs

Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson

Holt, Minn.

Samson Windmills!

The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction. They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.

See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.

Davidson Bros., Agents

Holt, Minn.

New Barber Shop

Agency for

Y. E. DAHL COMPANY

French Dry Cleaners

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All work guaranteed satisfactory

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Has a Clean Record

Is On The "Square"

Is Entitled To Another Term

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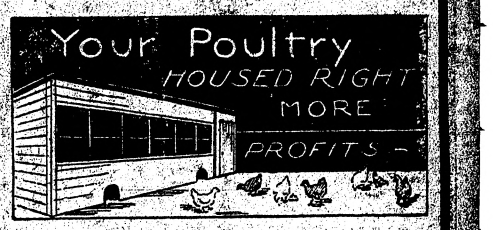

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WE have all of the material required for housing poultry and will gladly give you ideas along this line.

WINTON-NICHOLS Lumber Company

IF IT'S BUILDING MATERIAL - WE HAVE IT

HOLT, MINN.

WILSON ASKS CONGRESS FOR JUST TAX BILL

President In Address to Congress Demands War Tax Revenue Legislation.

QUIT POLITICS IS PLEA

Consideration Dominating Every Other Now Is Winning of War Says Executive—Profiteering Must Be Crushed By Taxation.

Washington, May 28.—President Wilson personally took charge of the war tax legislation tangle and appearing unexpectedly before a joint session of congress, declared it was necessary to proceed immediately with new war tax laws. He spoke as follows:

The President's Message.

Gentlemen of the congress:

It is with unaffected reluctance that I come to ask you to prolong your session long enough to provide more adequate resources for the treasury for the conduct of the war. I have reason to appreciate as fully as you do how arduous the session has been. Your labors have been severe and protracted. You have passed a long series of measures which required the debate of many doubtful questions of judgment and many exceedingly difficult questions of principle as well as of practice. The summer is upon us in which labor and counsel are twice arduous and are constantly apt to be impaired by lassitude and fatigue. The elections are at hand and we ought as soon as possible to go and render an intimate account of our trusteeship to the people who delegated us to act for them in the weighty and anxious matters that crowd upon us in these days of critical choice and action. But we dare not go to the elections until we have done our duty to the full. These are days when duty stands stark and naked and even with closed eyes we know it is there. Excuses are unavailing. We have either done our duty or we have not. The fact will be as gross and plain as duty itself. In such a case lassitude and fatigue seem negligible enough. The facts are tonic, and suffice to freshen the labor.

Additional Taxes Needed.

And the facts are these. Additional revenues must manifestly be provided for. It would be most unsound policy to raise too large a proportion of them by loan and it is evident that the four billions now provided for by taxation will not of themselves sustain the greatly enlarged budget to which we must immediately look forward. We cannot in fairness wait until the end of the fiscal year is at hand to apprise our people of the taxes they must pay on their earnings of the present calendar year, whose accountings and expenditures will then be closed. We cannot get increased taxes unless the country knows what they are to be and practises the necessary economy to make them available. Definiteness, early definiteness, as to what its tasks are to be is absolutely necessary for the successful administration of the treasury. It cannot frame fair and workable regulations in haste. And it must frame its regulations in haste if it is not to know its exact task until the very eve of its performance.

The present tax laws are marred, morever, by inequities which ought to be remedied. Indisputable facts, every one; and we cannot alter or blink them. To state them is argument enough.

Would Prevent Inflation.

And yet perhaps you will permit me to dwell for a moment upon the situation they disclose. Enormous loans freely spent in the stimulation of industry of almost every sort produce inflations and extravagances which presently make the whole economic structure questionable and insecure and the very basis of credit is cut away. Only fair, equitably distributed taxation of the widest incidence and drawing chiefly from the sources which would be likely to demoralize credit by their very abundance, can prevent inflation and keep our industrial system free from speculation and waste. We shall naturally turn, therefore, I suppose to war profits and incomes and luxuries for the additional taxes. But the war profits and incomes upon which the increased taxes will be levied will be the profits and incomes of the calendar year 1918. It would be manifestly unfair to wait until the early months of 1919 to say what they are to be.

It might be difficult, I should imagine, to run the mill with water that had already gone over the wheel.

Politics Is Adjourned.

That is the situation, and it is the situation which creates the duty, no choice or preference of ours. There is only one way to meet that duty. We must meet it without selfishness or fear of consequences. Politics is adjourned. The elections will go to those who think least of it, to those who go to the constituencies without explanation or excuses, with a plain record of duty faithfully and disinterestedly performed. I for one, am always confident that the people of this country will give a just verdict upon the service of the men who act for them when the facts are such that no man can disguise or conceal them. There is no danger of deceit now. An intense and pitiless light beats upon every man and every action in this tragic plot of war that is now upon the stage. If lobbyists hurry to Washington to attempt to turn what you do in the matter of taxation to their protection or advantage the light will beat also upon them.

There is abundant fuel for the light in the records of the treasury with regard to profits of every sort. The profiteering that cannot be got at by the restraints of consequences and love of country can be got at by taxation. There is such profiteering now and the information in regard to it is available and indisputable.

Asks Share In Responsibility.

I am advising you to act upon this matter of taxation now, gentlemen, not because I do not know that you can see and interpret the facts and the duty they impose just as well and with as clear a perception of the obligations involved as I can, but because there is a certain solemn satisfaction in sharing with you the responsibilities of such a time. The world never stood in such case before. Men never before had so clear or so moving a vision of duty. I know that you will begrude the work to be done here by us no more than the men begrudge us their's who lie in the trenches and sally forth to their death. There is a stimulating comradeship knitting us together.

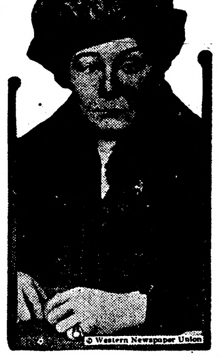
And this task to which I invite your immediate consideration will be performed under favorable influences if we will look to what the country is thinking and expecting and care nothing at all for what is being said and believed in the lobbies of Washington hotels, where the atmosphere seems to make it possible to believe what is believed nowhere else.

Have you not felt the spirit of the nation rise and its thought become a single and common thought since these eventful days came in which we have been sending our boys to the other side? I think you must read that thought, as I do, to mean this, that the people of this country are not only united in the resolute purpose to win this war, but are ready and willing to bear any burden and undergo any sacrifice that it may be necessary for them to bear in order to win it. We need not be afraid to tax them if we lay taxes justly. They know that the war must be paid for and that it is they who must pay for it and if the burden is justly distributed and the sacrifice made a common sacrifice from which none escapes who can bear it at all, they will carry it cheerfully and with a sort of solemn pride.

I have always been proud to be an American, and was never more proud than now, when all that we have said and all that we have foreseen about our people is coming true. The great days have come when the only thing that they ask for or admire is duty, greatly and adequately done; when the only wish for America is that she may share freedom she enjoys; when a great, compelling sympathy swells up in their hearts for men everywhere who suffer and are oppressed and when they see at last the high uses for which their wealth has been piled up and their mighty power accumulated and, counting neither blood nor treasure now that the final day of opportunity has come rejoice to spend and to be spent through a long night of suffering and terror in order that they and men everywhere may see the dawn of a day of righteousness and justice and peace. Shall we grow weary when they bid us act?

MISS MAUD WETMORE

She is chairman of the National League for Women's service.



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Miss Maud Wetmore is national chairman of the National League for Women's service and a member of the national executive committee of the women's committee of the council of national defense.

Prince Arthur Entertained.

Washington, May 28.—Prince Arthur of Connaught, first cousin of King George of England, who is on his way to Japan, on a special mission, was entertained at luncheon by President Wilson. Later, with Lord Reading, the British ambassador, the prince and members of his party called on Vice President Marshall at the capital. The prince was introduced to Majority Leaders Martin and Kitchin, and other members of the Senate and House.

Censor of Morals Suspended.

Chicago, May 28.—Acting Chief of Police Alcock suspended Major M. L. C. Funkhouser, second deputy superintendent of police, and two of his aides, declaring that for some time he has been unable to get co-operation of the major and his division. Major Funkhouser has been the center of a fight for the last five years. His war on vice and improper motion pictures has made him a nationally known character and has brought him many enemies.

FIGHT OR WORK, CROWDER'S ORDER

Ball Players, Bartenders, Golfers, Clerks, Gamblers, Must Find Useful Employment.

ACTORS ON EXEMPTED LIST

Sweeping Edict, Effective July 1, to Make Nation Efficient in War, Takes Registrants Out of the Deferred Class.

Bulletin.

Washington, May 23.—General Crowder's new "work-or-fight" regulations may require professional baseball players either to engage in some useful occupation or to join the army. Baseball players, as well as jockeys, professional golfers and other professional sportsmen, General Crowder said today, will be affected by the regulations if strictly enforced. General Crowder said he did not desire to make specific rulings at this time and would make rulings only when cases came to him from local boards after July 1.

Bulletin.

Washington, May 23.—Theatrical performers have been excepted from the new draft regulations at the direction of Secretary Baker, who is said to feel that the people cannot do without all amusement in war time and that other amusements could be dispensed with more readily.

THESE ARE HIT BY ORDER TO FIGHT OR WORK.

- Idlers.
- Gamblers.
- Bucket shop employees.
- Race track attendants.
- Clairvoyants and the like.
- Professional golfers.
- Professional baseball players (probably).
- Elevator operators at clubs and stores.
- Club and hotel doormen.
- Waiters in hotels and clubs.
- Ushers in theaters.
- Attendants at sports.
- Persons in domestic service.
- Clerks in stores.

Specially Exempt.

- Actors.

Washington, May 23.—Provost Marshal General Crowder today announced that every man of draft age must work or fight after July 1. The order is under a drastic amendment to the selective service regulations. All draft registrants, besides idlers, in what are held to be nonuseful occupations, will be given an opportunity before local boards to choose a new job or join the army.

Gamblers, race track and bucket shop attendants and fortune tellers head the list, but those who will be reached by the new regulation also include waiters and bartenders, theater ushers and attendants, passenger elevator operators and other attendants of clubs, hotels, stores, etc., domestics and clerks in stores.

Deferred classification granted on account of dependents will be disregarded entirely in applying the rule. A man may be at the bottom of class 1, or even in class 4, but if he fails within the regulation and refuses to take useful employment he will be given a new number in class 1 that will send him into the military service forthwith. Local boards are authorized to use discretion only where they find that enforced change of employment would result in disproportionate hardship upon his dependents.

May Solve the Labor Problem.

The statement of the provost marshal general's office is as follows:

"Provost Marshal General Crowder today announced an amendment to the selective service regulations which deals with the great question of compelling men not engaged in a useful occupation immediately to apply themselves to some form of labor, contributing to the general good. The idler, too, will find himself confronted with the alternative of finding suitable employment or entering the army.

"This regulation provides that after July 1, any registrant who is found by a local board to be a habitual idler or not engaged in some useful occupation shall be summoned before the board, given a chance to explain and, in the absence of a satisfactory explanation, to be inducted into the military service of the United States.

"Any local board will be authorized to take action, whether it has an original jurisdiction of the registrant or not; in other words, any man loafing around a poolroom in Chicago may be held to answer to a Chicago board even though he may have registered in New York and lived there most of his life.

"The regulations which apply to idle registrants will be deemed to apply also to gamblers of all description and employees and attendants of bucket-shops and race tracks, fortune tellers, clairvoyants, palmists and the like, who for the purpose of the regulations shall be considered as idlers.

"The new regulation will also affect the following classes:

"(a) Persons engaged in the serving of food and drink, or either, in public places, including hotels and social clubs.

"(b) Passenger elevator operators and attendants, doormen, footmen and other attendants of clubs, hotels, stores, apartment houses, office buildings and bathhouses.

"(c) Persons, including ushers and other attendants, engaged and occupied in, and in connection with, games, sports and amusements, excepting actual performers in legitimate concerts, operas or theatrical performance.

"(d) Persons employed in domestic service.

"(e) Sales clerks and other clerks employed in stores and other mercantile establishments.

"Men who are engaged as above or who are idlers will not be permitted to seek relief because of the fact that they have drawn a later order number or because they have been placed in class II, III or IV on the grounds of dependency. The fact that he is not usefully employed will outweigh both of the above conditions.

"It is expected that the list of nonuseful occupations will be extended from time to time as necessity will require so as to include persons in other employments.

"Temporary absences from regular employment not to exceed one week, unless such temporary absences are habitual and frequent, shall not be considered as idleness. Regular vacations will not be considered as absences in this connection.

"The regulation further provides that where such a change of employment would compel the night employment of women under circumstances which a board might deem unsuitable for such employment of women the board may take such circumstances into consideration in making its decision."

General Crowder Explains Plan.

Explaining the new regulation and the necessity for it, General Crowder said:

"The war has so far disorganized the normal adjustment of industrial man power as to prevent the enormous industrial output and national organization necessary to success.

"There is a popular demand for organization of man power, but no direct draft could be imposed at present.

"Steps to prohibit idleness and noneffective occupation will be welcomed by our people.

"We shall give the idlers and men not effectively employed the choice between military service and effective employment. Every man, in the draft age at least, must work or fight.

"This is not alone a war or military maneuver. It is a deadly contest of industries and mechanics.

Must Copy German Machine.

"Germany must not be thought of as merely possessing an army, we must think of her as being an army—an army in which every factory and loom in the empire is a recognized part in a complete machine running night and day at terrific speed. We must make of ourselves the same sort of effective machine.

"It is not enough to ask what would happen if every man in the nation turned his hand to effective work. We must make ourselves effective. We must organize for the future. We must make vast withdrawals for the army and immediately close up the ranks of industry behind the gap with an accelerating production of every useful thing in necessary measure. How is this to be done?

"The answer is plain. The first step toward the solution of the difficulty is to prohibit engagement by able-bodied men in the field of hurtful employment, idleness or ineffectual employment, and thus induce and persuade the vast wasted excess into useful fields.

"The very situation we are now considering, however, offers great possibilities in improvement of the draft as well as great possibilities for the composition of the labor situation by effective administration of the draft. Considering the selective service law, we see two principal causes of detriment of the call to military service—exemption and the order numbers assigned by lot.

Exemptions In Two Categories.

"The exemptions themselves fall into two conspicuous categories—dependency and industrial employment. One protects domestic relations, the other the economic interests of the nation. Between the two there is an inevitable hiatus, for it is demonstrably true that thousands, if not millions, of dependency exemptions have no effect of industrial protection whatever.

"One of the unanswerable criticisms of the draft has been that it takes men from the farms and from all useful employments and marches them past crowds of idlers and loafers to the army. The remedy is simple—to couple the industrial basis with other grounds for exemption and to require that any man pleading exemption on any ground shall also show that he is contributing effectively to the industrial welfare of the nation."

ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Chinese alphabet consists of 214 letters.

Oil has been discovered at Bell Island, Newfoundland.

Ecuador has a tree producing berries which can be used as soap.

Only a third of South America's population is of pure white blood.

In 1656 New York city, then New Amsterdam and ruled by the Dutch, had 1,000 inhabitants, 120 houses and 17 streets.

Apparatus using electrically produced ozone has been invented by a Paris scientist for quickly purifying the interior of barrels used in breweries.

An oven has been invented to utilize for baking the smoke and hot gases that ordinarily would pass out of a chimney from a residence heating plant.

The cherry gets its name from Cerasos, an old Greek town on the Black sea, whence came the first garden cherries known to Europe.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Northfield.—About 200 members of the Minnesota Holstein-Friesian Breeders' association held their annual spring meeting here at Northfield.

Mahnomen.—Ira C. McCoy, manual training teacher at the Mahnomen high school, left last week for Minneapolis to teach at the Dunwoody Institute.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota Episcopal diocese council, at its sixty-first annual convention in Christ church, pledged its undivided support to President Wilson and Congress.

Red Wing.—Goodhue county will expend $75,983.52 in the permanent improvement of highways this summer. The contracts on state and Federal road projects were awarded by the county commissioners.

Fosston.—The Fosston school was one of a few in this state able to qualify for Federal aid in agriculture under the Smith-Hughes act which will mean additional aid of from $500 to $700 per year in agriculture.

Hawley.—H. B. Bjorge, night man at the Northern Pacific station here, received an inquiry from the war department if he would take $150 a month and go abroad as an operator. He quickly answered in the affirmative.

Red Lake Falls.—A request that the Great Northern railway widen its depot platform in this city will be made upon Great Northern officials by the Red Lake Falls Commercial club, resolutions to this effect having been adopted unanimously.

Crookston.—With Rev. S. Arthur Cook, D. D., pastor of the First M. E. church of Sault Ste. Marie, delivering the address, fifty-three boys and girls will be graduated from the Crookston high school at exercises to be held in the Armory, May 31.

International Falls.—Fire destroyed the storehouse and home of P. A. Pearson of Loman, together with contents. In addition to the household furniture the loss included the summer's supplies for the family, a logging outfit, the total loss being $2,000.

Winona.—Winona county voters will have an opportunity at the June primaries to cast their ballots for a candidate who will have gone to war. M. M. Selt, candidate for register of deeds, has been called in the quota to entrain May 25 for Camp Lewis, Wash.

East Grand Forks.—The local Presbyterian church, under the direction of its pastor, Rev. F. C. Oliver, has started a nonsectarian employment agency. Run free of charge, this work is expected to help solve the difficulty of bringing the employers of farm labor and men looking for work together.

Wheaton.—Charles A. Swanson, operating a gas tractor, was nearly killed when his clothing became entangled in a revolving shaft. He was drawn into the revolving fly-wheel and lacerated and strangled. He probably will recover because of the rapid action of Ed Nelson, engineer in charge.

Rochester.—Frank Mohr and his two sons, 15 and 21, were drowned in the Zumbro river here. They were fishing. The younger son started across the river, encountered a deep hole and sank. His father attempted to rescue him. He went down. Then the older son attempted to rescue the two and he, too, drowned.

Minneapolis.—Mrs. Minnie Heyer, 29 years old, wife of Louis Heyer, was found dead in her home, and her two children, Victor, 4 years old, and Laura, 2 years old, were found unconscious from carbon monoxide poisoning. Victor regained consciousness at the Minneapolis City hospital. Mrs. Heyer was heating water on a gas range and the room was poorly ventilated.

St. Paul.—Interest received upon state funds in the hands of Henry Rines, state treasurer, for the year ending May 1, 1918, amounts to $170,721.35, an increase of $60,259.78 over the previous year. Some of this increase is due to an increase in funds, but the greater portion is due to larger deposits having been kept in the inactive banks which pay three per cent interest as against two per cent in the active or checking account banks. It is the policy of Mr. Rines to keep as much of the state's funds in the inactive accounts, which has resulted in a large increase in the state's interest account. Included in the interest collections for the past year is $3,567.94 received as interest from daily deposits of departmental funds. Previous to May 1, 1917, these funds were deposited monthly and the state received no interest for collection made during the month. The law directing daily payments of these collections was passed by the 1917 legislature at the suggestion of State Treasurer Henry Rines.

Moorhead.—George Selin, 10 years old, and Lottie Steen, 13, were killed by a Northern Pacific passenger train near Dale, Clay county. The children, walking from school, became confused as the train approached, and dashed in front of it. The boy, a cripple, fell to the rails, and the girl, safely across the track, returned to help him.

Duluth.—While shipyard employes of Duluth and Superior will demand the full scale as adopted for other yards, they will attempt to obtain adjustment of their dispute with their employers without a strike.

St. Francis.—An 1836 penny sold for $10, a hen's egg for $21, and an angel cake for $7.50 at a Red Cross auction here. The sale netted $200.

Pipestone.—Governor Burnquist has accepted an invitation to deliver the address at the Fourth of July celebration here. A Red Cross rally will be held at the same time.

St. Paul.—Meat is being served but once a day in nearly all state institutions under war time conservation rules and efforts are being made to use substitutes and aid in the food administration movement.

Red Wing.—Frederick C. Meyer has resigned as superintendent of the local high school to accept an administrative position at Racine college, a military institution of Racine, Wis., and will begin his new duties July 1.

Little Falls.—The Polish Catholic picnic netted the church about $1,400. Dinner and supper were served and other counters sold lunch throughout the day. Many sorts of entertainment was furnished for the large audience.

Little Falls.—Herman Crossfield, who left with four other local carpenters to enter the service, makes the fourth son of J. W. Crossfield in the service of the United States. A fifth son is expected to be called into the service in a short time.

Crookston.—The "Red River Aggie," the class annual of the senior class of the Northwest School of Agriculture, has just been issued. The book makes a handsome appearance and credit is being given the staff or the annual for the hard work done.

Winona.—Struck by an automobile near St. John's school, Rochester, while she was crossing the street, Miss Margaret Lavina Costello, 24 years old, daughter of John Costello of Kellogg, banker, was so severely injured that she died in ten minutes.

St. Cloud.—Joseph Brennan, aged 5, had a miraculous escape from being crushed to death when he was run over by the automobile of Leo Schafer. He was picked up and taken to the hospital, but the physician said he had sustained nothing more than bruises.

Bemidji.—Officers of the Beltrami County Fair association will give Thrift Stamps as half the premium list for the county fair this year. Farmers will be urged to donate produce and other small exhibits to the Red Cross. The fair is to be held Sept. 19-21.

Brainerd.—Newton H. Ingersoll, 58, member of the Ingersoll & Wieland, publishers of the Brainerd Dispatch, died of heart disease. He was postmaster of Brainerd 14 years; State Editorial association executive committee member, Shriner, Woodman, Workman and member of other orders.

Bemidji.—With the completion of the new Federal building and its occupancy by the postoffice, there will be a position open for that of fireman at the building, the work to be that of custodian. To fill this position there will be a civil service examination conducted in Bemidji on June 8.

Red Wing.—Fred Siewert, 48, well-known farmer of Featherstone township, met death by drowning at a point about 150 feet below Indian slough on Prairie island while fishing. No one witnessed the accident but it is presumed he got out of his automobile, which was left in the roadway, presumably to search for a suitable place to fish.

St. James.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the elevator of the Farmers' Elevator company here, with an approximate loss of $40,000. The building, valued at $20,000, binder twine worth $12,000 and a large amount of grain were destroyed. Three dwellings and an implement house nearby also were burned.

Minneapolis.—Voluntary enlistments in the army in Minneapolis since the United States entered the war total 14,800 men to date, it was announced at recruiting headquarters here. From May 1 to 21 682 men had been accepted here for the army. A rush of men who are 21 and who wish to choose some particular service rather than be drafted is now being made on the recruiting office.

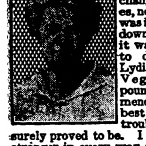
St. Paul.—Minnesota will observe Sunday, June 2nd, as "War Savings Stamp Drive Day," when monster meetings will be held in nearly every county throughout the state as a forerunner of Pledge week, which opens on Thursday, June 6th. Plans for the coming Loyalty meetings are now being made by the Minnesota War Savings Committee, which, with the co-operation of county organizations, is standing sponsor for the occasion.

St. Paul.—Mystery surrounds the disappearance of C. E. Ballard, president of the State bank of Grygla, near Warren, Minn., who came to St. Paul on May 11, and registered at the Ryan hotel. He left the same day and has not been seen since. Mr. Ballard with his family left his home on May 10 for Thief River Falls. He left his family there and proceeded to St. Paul on business. He registered at the hotel, but later complained of being ill. He asked for the key to his room, but, according to officials at the hotel, he did not go to his room and left that same day.

St. Paul.—Deposits in Minnesota state banks show a gain of more than 21 percent, having increased by nearly $50,000,000 to a combined total of $275,436,374 in the past year, according to figures made public by F. E. Pearson, state superintendent of banks. "This showing reflects a period of remarkable prosperity in Minnesota, coming as it does in the face of Liberty Loan and Red Cross drives and other war-time campaigns for funds," Superintendent Pearson said. "The big gain in deposits certainly is noteworthy under the circumstances."

THAT CHANGE IN WOMAN'S LIFE

Mrs. Godden Tells How It May be Passed in Safety and Comfort.



Fremont, O.—"I was passing through the critical period of life, being forty-six years of age and had all the symptoms incident to that change—heat flashes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proved to be. I feel better and stronger in every way since taking it, and the annoying symptoms have disappeared."—Mrs. M. GODDEN, 925 Napoleon St., Fremont, Ohio.

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INCREASE IN WESTERN CANADA LAND VALUES

But Forty and Fifty Bushels of Wheat to the Acre.

During the past year there has been a greater demand for farm lands in Western Canada than for a number of years past. The demand is for good farm lands improved or unimproved. And at an increase of from ten to fifteen dollars an acre more than the same lands could be had for a couple of years ago.

The rise in the price of every kind of produce grown on these Western lands, in some cases to double and in others to treble the price prevailing before 1914, have attracted and are attracting in ever-increasing proportions the men who are anxious to invest their money, and apply their energies in the production of wheat for which the allied nations are calling with voices which grow louder and more anxious as the months roll on, and the end of the war still seems distant. Beef, and more especially bacon, are required in ever greater quantities, and the price of all these things has soared, until it is not a question of what shall we produce, but how much can we produce. Even should this world calamity be brought to a close in six months from now, it will be years before normal pre-war prices prevail, and meantime self-interest if not patriotism is turning the minds of thousands back to the land. The inevitable consequence has been the rise in value of land, especially wheat land.

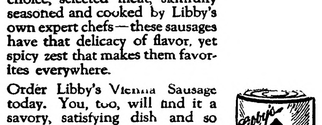
The Calgary Herald, commenting on these conditions says:

"From inquiries made from leading dealers in farming and ranching properties, and from the information gathered in other ways, it is known that the value of all land—wheat land, mixed farming properties and even good grazing land—has risen in the last two years 40 per cent. Wheat lands in some districts have practically doubled in price. One dealer in farm lands recently sold three sections for $70 an acre, one extra good quarter went as high as $90, and another brought $100. These are, of course, large prices, but that they will be equaled or even surpassed in the near future is beyond question. There is a feature about this rush to the land from which the most solid hope can be drawn for the success of the movement. The proper tillage of land, to produce large crops in a climate like ours is now understood and practiced as it never was in the early days of the province. It would seem too that with the increase of land under cultivation, the seasons are changing and the rainfall becoming greater and more regular.

"Crops are being harvested, especially in Southern Alberta, which would have seemed impossible to the old-time farmer, with his old-fashioned ideas of breaking and seeding. And at the price now set by the government for wheat and which possibly may be increased during the coming season, the return to the practical skilled agriculturist must necessarily be very large.

"What matters $10 or even $20 an acre extra on wheat land when a return as high as 50 bushels and even more may be taken from every acre sown? With hogs bringing $20 a hundred pounds; beef on the hoof at $12, and mutton $16, while wool under the new government arranged system of handling and sale brings 65 cents a pound (and these values cannot fall to any great extent for some years) the demand for land will continue and values increase in a corresponding degree.

"There has never been in the history of Canada a time so favorable for the farmer as the present; self-interest, the inspiration of patriotic feeling, the aid freely extended by the government, who are permitting the import of certain agricultural implements free, all these tend to still further raise the price of Alberta land."—Advertisement.



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RAIL EMPLOYES GRANTED RAISE

General Pay Increase Affecting Nearly 2,000,000 Persons Is Announced.

TAKES EFFECT JUNE 1

Director General McAdoo Carries Out Substantially the Recent Recommendations of the Railroad Wage Commission.

Washington, May 28.—Director General McAdoo has announced general pay increases for nearly 2,000,000 railroad employes, effective next Saturday and retroactive to Jan. 1 last, carrying out substantially recommendations of the railroad wage commission.

The aggregate of the increases probably will be more than $300,000 a year, half of which will be distributed within a few weeks as back pay in lump sums ranging from about $100 to nearly $200 each.

The director general departed from the wage commission's recommendations in the following particulars:

The principal of the basic eight hour day is recognized, but owing to exigencies of the war situation, hours of employment are not actually reduced and overtime is to be paid pro rata. Future adjustments of pay are to be made on the basis of eight hours.

Day Laborers Affected.

In addition to the ordinary scale of increase, day laborers, employed mainly on track work, are to get at least 2½ cents an hour more than they received last December 31.

A minimum of 55 cents an hour is established for the shop trades, including machinists, boiler makers and blacksmiths.

Women are to receive the same pay as men for the same work, and negroes are to get the same as white men for similar employment.

All increases now ordered will be determined according to a percentage scale based on pay received in December, 1915, and any increases which have been allowed within that time willl be deducted. In many cases raises in pay in the last two and a half years are about equal to the increases now approved, and consequently those employes will get little or no more. To correct just such situations when injustices are apparent will be one of the principle duties of the new wage board, whose creation was suggested by the railroad wage commission. In no cases are wages to be reduced.

Brotherhoods Get Theirs.

Men working on the monthly, daily, hourly, piece work and train mile basis, will benefit by the new allowances, and members of the four leading railroad brotherhoods whose pay was raised through operation of the Adamson act are to receive from 10 to 40 per cent additional, a smaller increase than they had asked of the railroads shortly before the government took control.

The wage order applies to all employes of the 164 roads now under federal management but not to the socalled short lines unless they are retained by the government after July 1.

RAILROAD RATES BOOSTED

Freight Tariff Up 25 Per Cent Passengers Three Cents Per Mile.

Washington, May 27.—To meet wage increases just announced and higher costs of coal and other supplies this year Director General W. G. McAdoo has ordered railroad freight rates in the United States raised 25 per cent effective June 25, and pasenger fares increased to 3 cents a mile from the present basis of about 2½ cents effective June 10. It is estimated that the progarm will bring between $800,000,000 and $300,000,000 more revenues to the railroads within the next year. It represents by far the biggest rate increase in the history of railroads.

DEMAND SWEEPING REFORMS

German Socialists Demand Curtailment of Kaiser's Powers.

Berne, May 28.—Sweeping liberalizing reforms are contained in a revised program submitted to the Socialist party in Germany by its executive council. They are:

The kaiser is to be deprived of the right to declare war or peace.

Universal suffrage.

Parliamentary government.

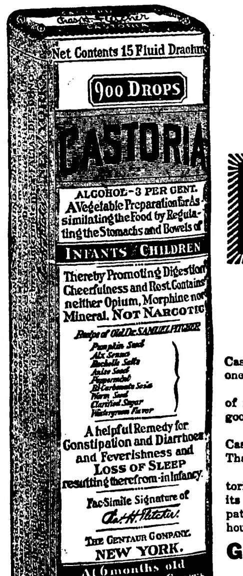
The reichstag is to have the right to make treaties.

Abolition of secret diplomacy.

A tribunal for consideration of international disarmament.

Public Land Entries Validated.

Washington, May 28.—The Senate has passed legislation validating many public land entries on the Red Lake lands which were erroneously cancelled by the commissioner of public lands. The entries were cancelled through a misinterpretation of the law, as to whether persons who had previously exhausted their homestead rights were entitled to the Red Lake lands, and the bill corrects this situation. The Senate has also passed a bill allowing the sale of certain ceded Chippewa lands.



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Part of Her Costume.

Bessie came running to her grandmother holding a dry, pressed leaf, obviously the relic of a day long gone by. "I found it in the big Bible, grandma," she said. "Do you 'spose it belonged to Eve?"—Boston Transcript.

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Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

He Understood

At a reception in Washington the colored official who looked after the autos was directed to call "the car of the Guatemalan minister. You understand; the Guatemalan minister."

"Yes, sah. I understand puffectly, sah," he replied and then shouted: "The car fo' de watermelon minister."

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Time to Retire.

Prospective Employer—Why did you leave your last place?

Chauffeur—The guy I worked for went crazy. Started [illegible] his house when his car needed new tires.

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Potato Water Substitute for Soap.

Soap is almost unattainable in occupied Belgium, and the housewives are accordingly seeking possible substitutes. To them a chemist through the medium of a Brussels newspaper gives this advice: "Pour the hot water in which peeled potatoes have been boiled over the linen to be washed. Allow it to soak until the following day, then rub it as you would in a lather, but without adding soap or anything else. The linen will come out of the tub perfectly white."

Not Experienced.

Our hostess is a war bride. "I knew it as soon as I tasted her bread."

Remember the future is waiting for you. Start now.

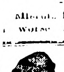
Many a blessing in disguise is a blessing only because it is disguised.

Paradoxical.

He—I see where we may expect another coal famine. She—"Then we will have hot times this winter."

Next to knowing when to grasp an opportunity, the most important thing to know is when to let go.

Alimony is bad enough, but matrimony is worse, so a married man says.



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RGENTINE ARRIVALS SHORT.

Meat Supply Here Considerably Enlarged — Food Administration, However, Warns Against Waste.

The allies have made further and increased demands for breadstuffs, these enlarged demands being caused in some degree by shortage in arrivals from the Argentine. It is, therefore, necessary for the U. S. Food Administration to urge a still further reduction in the consumption of bread and breadstuffs generally if we are to meet our export necessities. The Food Administration has issued a statement explaining the situation in detail, particularly the reasons which lead it, for the purpose of centering effort for the time being upon the cereal situation to relax temporarily the restrictions on meat consumption.

Experience shows, this statement says, that the consumption of breadstuffs is intimately associated with the consumption of meat. For various reasons our supplies of meat for the next two or three months are considerably enlarged, and we can supply the allies with all of the meat products which transportation facilities render possible and at the same time somewhat increase our own consumption. In these circumstances the Food Administration considers it wise to relax the voluntary restrictions on meat consumption to some extent with a view to further decreasing bread consumption.

Conservation of food must be adjusted to meet necessities from time to time, for neither production, nor allied demands are constant factors, nor can any of these factors be anticipated for long periods in advance in the disturbed conditions in which we at present live. While the world situation is not one that warrants any relaxation in the efforts to eliminate waste or to relax economy in food, the Administration desires to secure better adjustment in food balances.

So long as the present conditions continue the only special restrictions we ask are the beefless and porkless Tuesday.

The meatless meal and the porkless Saturday are no longer asked.

The farmers of the United States are responding to the national call to increase hog production. Their increase, to all appearances, is being attained more rapidly. Of more immediate importance, however, are several complex factors which have effected an immediate increase in meat supplies.

The transportation shortage before the government took over the railroads, the bad weather in January and early in February, the large percentage of immature corn in the last harvest and the necessity of feeding this corn as rapidly as possible to save it from decay, have not only resulted in backing up the animals—particularly hogs—on the farms for a longer period of feeding, but have resulted in a great increase in their average weight and will result, with improved transportation conditions, which already appear, in larger than normal arrivals at market for the next two or three months. The weight of hogs coming to the market for the past two weeks indicates an increase in weight of from an average of 203 pounds last year to the almost unprecedented average of 232 pounds, or a net increase in their meat value of over 15 per cent. This is a distinct addition to the nation's meat supply. It therefore now seems certain that we have such enlarged supplies for at least some months to come, that we can not only increase our exports to the allies to the full extent of their transportation facilities, but at the same time can properly increase our domestic consumption.

The response of the public to our requests for reduced consumption of meat during the past few months has been most gratifying, and this service alone has enabled the government during this period to provide such supplies as transportation to the allies permitted.

The Administration also suggests that in those parts of the country where the old fashioned home preservation of pork is still the custom, this practice should be extended at the present time, as it will relieve the burden upon transportation to and from the packing houses and is economically sound as saving the cost of packing operations and at the same time will provide home supplies of pork to last over the months of decreased supplies.

The Food Administration desires to repeat that it does not want to give the impression that these are times when simplicity and moderation of living are not critically necessary, but [illegible] desire is to secure an adjustment between our different food supplies and meet changing conditions from time to time and to keep the public fully and frankly advised of its position with the full confidence and assurance that whenever it becomes necessary renewed appeals for saving will meet the same loyal response as in the past.

WHAT IS WORSE THAN WAR?

Consumption Four Times More Deadly Than Bombs and Machine Guns.

Pierre Hamp, a French medical authority, estimates that of the 38,000,000 people of all ages still living in France 4,000,000 must die of tuberculosis. The war will have killed about 1,000,000. This means that man with all of his inventiveness is far less efficient than Nature as a man killer. There have been over 400,000 new cases of consumption in France since the war began. This is why, despite the number of new hospitals, there is still not sufficient space available for tuberculosis cases.

The Question of Pensions.

Of course first consideration is accorded to the ever popular wounded men. Therein lies the tragedy of the consumptive soldier. With the new cases coming in daily from the trenches the consumptives are not as helpless as the wounded men. When discharged from the army the severely wounded are allowed a pension by the government. The consumptives, however, receive no allowance unless they can prove that their illness is entirely due to their service in the army. This is not an easy thing to do, and consequently comparatively few consumptives receive governmental assistance.

Until the American Red Cross began to extend its aid the plight of most of these men was often pitiful. When discharged from the hospital they are given certain instructions which would eventually bring them back to health. But conditions are hard. They are usually unable to earn much and so do not get proper or even sufficient nourishment. Very often they are in no condition to look after themselves, still less to safeguard the health of others. To meet this difficulty local committees have been formed to look after the discharged patients and see that they do not pass on their disease to members of their families. The task is well nigh hopeless. Even if proper living quarters are to be had sanitation and hygiene cannot be taught overnight. They sleep in air tight rooms, kiss their babies, drink out of the same cups and use the same towels as the rest of their families.

In spite of these appalling difficulties, however, the rapid spread of the disease must—simply must—be checked. Even to attempt this would be an impossibility without the tremendous facilities and aid of the American Red Cross. No other agency could conceivably face, much less hope to accomplish, such a task.

HOT DRINKS FOR TIRED FIGHTERS

The Red Cross Rolling Canteen.

In six months the American Red Cross supplied a million French poilus with hot coffee, tea, chocolate, bouillon, at the time they needed it most—just as they were entering the communication trenches for a tour of duty under boche fire or coming out, tired and worn, after their grueling vigil. If you were dragging the tiredest pair of feet in France through the mud, and if you were greeted by a cheery voice and a steaming pint of beef tea, wouldn't it be "a grand and glorious feelin'? Oh, boy!"

Now, this is the work of the "rolling canteen," and some day a Kipling will sing "the story of the tanks"—tanks of broth and bouillon that the Red Cross "Special Front Line Service" trundles up to the lines. The Military Sanitary Service supplies the wagons and utensils. The Red Cross unit does the work. It supplies these hot drinks at a cost of 50 francs ($10) per thousand men, a cent apiece!

Think of that—the penny your little girl sends the Red Cross can buy a big hot cheering drink, a good natured greeting, for a fighting man who desperately needs just that! One penny!

Red Cross Rolling Canteens to the number of 15 are now behind the lines in continuous service. Their crews are exposed to shell fire and often have to put on gas masks.

Eugene Hale, brother of United States Senator Hale, served six months with a rolling canteen in France, and he says:

"While the men are glad to have the hot drinks, their chief satisfaction consists in the sense this service gives them of a friend being there with a helping hand in a critical hour."

And now the American army has asked the Red Cross to maintain this front line service directly in touch with the medical relief stations nearest the Yankee front and this the Red Cross is eager to do.

Notice!

Commencing June 3rd cream will be taken in at the Holt creamery on Mondays, Wednesday and Friday. All cream must be delivered during the forenoons.

W. A. Lindahl, Buttermaker.

Take Notice

The Town Board of Holt Township will meet at Markus Udstrand's farm on June 1st 1918 at 9 o'clock A. M., and at S W corner of Sec. 11 at 11 o'clock A. M. to contract out some road work.

By Order of Town Board,
T. B. Folden,
Town Clerk.

Registration Notice.

T. B. Folden has been appointed to register on June 5th, all young men from this village and township, also from East Valley and Excell, who have become 21 years old since last registration day. Mr. Folden will register these men at the village hall in Holt on Wednesday the 5th day of June 1918.

Residents of Mud Lake, Rollis and Whiteford will register in Gatzke with Nils P. Hugaas at the creamery. Those in Adgar, Moylan and Grand Plain will register with O. A. Nambeck in the school house of district No. 1 in the latter town. New Solum residents will register in Viking with Charley Gustafson.

Norman County Soldier Recommends Steenerson

Headquarters Detachment, Marine Barracks, St. Thomas, Virgin Islands of U. S., May 18, 1918.

It is with great pleasure to note in the columns of this paper that the Hon. Halvor Steenerson has filed for the re-nomination as representative in Congress from the Ninth district. There could be no greater benefit to the Soldiers and Sailors of this district, than to have him re-elected.

During my stay in the training camp in Philadelphia, Mr. Steenerson considered it his duty to do me a great favor. He went so far as to personally assist me. It is without a doubt that other men from this community have been similarly treated. You will do us an injustice, to fail to support him.

In this great crisis we cannot afford to make mistakes. Let experience leads us. One blunder may prolong this frightful war to an indefinate period. We are the fighters; you are the backers. If you are for us, if you are for Liberty, if you stand for Democracy, stand with us for Steenerson.

O. B. STRAND, Corporal,
U. S. Marine Corps.

—Gary Graphic.

The following items were accidentally ommitted last week:

A. H. Huseth, J. Fox and J. Rolt all of Greenbush started out for Holt Tuesday with an auto truck it broke down a few miles north of town and had to finish the journey afoot. It is needless to say they much enjoyed (?) the walk especially as it rained all of the time of the seven mile hike.

Sheriff Hanson has made good in his first term of office and he is entitled to another term. He asks for re-election on the record he has already made and not on promises for the future. Marshall county voters cannot make a mistake by re-electing him for a second term. Vote for Hans C. Hanson for Sheriff.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, which mortgage was duly executed and delivered by John H. Weinzierl and Bess Weinzierl, his wife, Mortgagors, to A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, bearingdate the 30th day of April, 1915 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota on the 5th day of May 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in book 71 of Mortgages, on page 396.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by the said A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, to The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., by written assignment, dated on the 1st day of June, 1915, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 14th day of August, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 75 of Mortgages on page 302.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., assignee; to Edward P. Sanborn by written assignment dated the 27th day of December, 1916, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in book 90 of Mortgages on page 431.

Which mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said Edward P. Sanborn, assignee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 29th day of April, 1918, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:10 o'clock P. M. in book 86 of Mortgages on page 172,

And whereas the said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and power of sale therein contained and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand, One Hundred and Sixteen and 89 - 100 ($1116.89) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South half of the Northwest quarter (S 1-2 NW 1-4) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section One (1) in Township One Hundred Fifty eight (158) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota containing One Hundred Sixty and 90-100 (160.90) acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of June, 1918 at 10 o'clock A. M. of that date, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Thousand, One Hundred Sixteen and 89-100 ($1116.89) Dollars and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated May 14th 1918. Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn. (a corporation) Assignee of Mortgage.
A. N. Eckstrom, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage, Warren, Minnesota.

4 THRIFT STAMPS GIVEN AWAY.

Four Thrift Stamps will be given to any girl or boy for each name sent of those that need glasses, if they will get them in gold frames on my next visit. Names must be sent before any date advertised. If this is not understood, write to C. G. Mugg, O. S., Grand Forks, N. D.

War Savings Stamps

PROMISE someone that you'll save one War Savings Stamp each month, each week, or each day.

Penalize yourself by saving two every time you miss the day.

The first principle of money making is money saving. And every time you lick the stamp you help to lick the Kaiser.

War Savings Stamps at every bank, post office or other authorized agency.

This space donated by
R. L. F. Mi'g Co.

War Savings Stamps

THE first principle of money making is money saving. Get the habit of buying War Savings Stamps regularly. This is the stamp which is going to help Uncle Sam stamp out Autocracy and help you, by saving, to start on the road to Success.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps at any bank or post office.

This space donated by
Holt Merc. Co.

D. B. Bakke assisted in the bank several days this week.

Raise lots of chickens this year as meat is going to be scarce.

The second annual picnic of the Farmers Clubs of Marshall county will be held June 15 th. in the grove 3 miles east of Argyle.

Miss Julia Johnson who has been working in Crookston, for a couple of months, came Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole B. Johnson.

The condition of Mrs. N. J. Engebretsen and Mrs. Chris Saastad remain about the same, there not being much improvement as yet we are sorry to say.

It seems to us that now is a pretty good time to forget politics and to support for office, men that stand by the government and have made a record to be proud of.

Rev. Parish sends greetings from Wadena to friends here. He states that his family and himself are all well, that his work goes fine and he hopes all his friends in and around Holt are well and happy.

Every energy should be used for the winning of the war. Please tell us how much your lives and property would be worth if you let the military machine of Prussia win this terrible war for the freedom of mankind? Think of Russia and the terrible suffering of her people.

Commencing next Thursday June 6th. a great drive for the sale of war of $47000000.00 worth of War Savings Stamps in the state, will take place. Pledges are wanted from a million and a half people in this state who will agree to buy these savings stamps. Unless we win this war other things wont amount to much for who would care to live under the military rule of Prussia? Please rmember the peace terms made with Russia and what they are doing to her now.

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War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice
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The pedigree of the stallion name Roy 66438
Owned by O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.
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Breed Percheron Foaled 1908

Sire Bowser 29085 Dam Marion 44293, has been examined at the College of Agriculture, Division of Animal Husbandry, and it is hereby certified that the said stallion is of pure breeding and is registered in a studbook recognized by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. The above named stallion has been examined by E. E. Pearson, a duly licensed Veterinarian, and is reported as free from infectious, contagious or transmissible disease, or unsoundness, and is licensed to stand for public service in the state of Minnesota. Dated at St. Paul, Minnesota, this 24th day of April, 1916.

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Will Stand in Holt for the season of 1918
Terms of Service: Standing Colt $14.00. If mare is sold or traded to leave the country, fees become due.

O. J. Backlund, Owner, Holt, Minn.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Oats for sale at the Red Lake Falls Elevator.

Mrs. R. E. Spinks of Middle River came Saturday to visit her sisters Mrs. B. Docken and Miss Agnes Rakke.

Miss Hilma Nyberg returned home Saturday from Moorhead where she had been employed for several months.

Holt township and village have raised their quota for the Red Cross and now comes the War Saving Stamps campaign.

B. Docken autoed to Viking Saturday evening and brot back Mrs. Clarence Docken for several days visit at the Docken home.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel Anderson and son Isaac of Lockhart visited over Sunday with friends here and looked after their farm interests Monday.

Miss Ida Kjelgren returned home Monday from the hospital at T. R. Falls where she had an operation on her nose. We are pleased to report she is getting along nicely.

The baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. N. Engebretsen was taken quite sick on Friday and Dr. Paulson was sent for and the little one is now much better we are pleased to report.

Rev. Brotts and several other ministers of the Swedish Mission will be in Holt Monday and Tuesday the 10th and 11th of June and will conduct services at 3 and 8 o'clock P. M. of each day. Everyone invited.

Albert Bennes autoed to T. R. Falls Friday evening to meet his wife's sister Mrs. John Peterson and two children and her friend Mrs. B. Endahl and children all of Erskine, who came here for a few days visit at the Bennes home.

Miss Martha Peterson and Helen Johnson departed Tuesday, the former for her home at Vining and the latter for a visit with friends and relatives on the Pacific coast. We are pleased to report that these ladies will return here to teach the comming school year, Miss Peterson as principal and Miss Johnson as Intermediate teacher. A teacher for Domestic Science and the Primary department is still to be secured.

Announcement!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Arrived Safely Overseas

Friends here have received the news of P. L. Anderson's safe arrival overseas.

S. S. Kolden received a card Friday from his son Selmer stating he had arrived safely overseas but no other information was given.

John Sorum received a card Tuesday from his son Andrew stating he had arrived safely over seas but no other particulars are given on these cards.

Primary Candidates

The only candidates for county offices to be voted for at the primary election June 17th, are:

C. E. Grinder, L. M. Olson, Theo. Willer for Register of Deeds; Oscar Hovelsos, T. Aaslund, C. T. Olson, C. E. Williams, Otto Hohle for Co. Commissioner from this (the 5th) District.

When only two candidates file for a county office, that virtually gives them the nomination as it takes three or more candidates to make a contest, the law providing that two candidates may be nominated for each office.

The other candidates who have filed for county offices and whose names will appear on the ticket at the November election are:

For Representative, C. L. Stevens and H. O. Berve. Auditor, A. G. Lundgren and S. S. Kolden. Treasurer, F. Bakke and Henry Sands. Sheriff, H. C. Hanson and Justice Carlson. Probate [illegible] P. Holm. Clerk, A. C. [illegible] Attorney, A. N. Eckstrom, J. R. Naeseth. Surveyor, Irving Quist. Superintendent, David Johnson and E. A. [illegible]

State Senator Nels S. Hegnes of Argyle is opposed by J. G. Holmstom and R. J. Bell of Roseau Co.

East Valley News

Thorval Kolden returned last Saturday from Climax Minn. for a weeks visit with his folks.

George Johnson returned last Saturday from near Holt, where he has been working.

Nels Larson was a caller at A. C. Jahr's last Sunday.

Gilbert Knudtson spent Sunday with his family.

The Zion's Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Hjalmer Dovre on Wednesday June 12 at 2 P. M. Everybody welcome.

C. Ring made a business trip to Warren last Thursday, returning home Saturday.

Olaf Ness is spending a few days on his homestead at Mud Lake.

Services will be held in the schoolhouse of Dist. 148 at 2 P. M. on Sunday June 16th. The ladies are requested to bring cake, sandwiches or cream, which will be served after the services. Proceeds to go for the Red Cross.

Mrs. C. Knutson and baby called at O. M. Larson's Monday afternoon.

Notice To Customers!

Anyone desiring to secure for himself an ample supply of coal for next winters supply must notify us at once about the quantity needed as we must have orders in before June 15th to make sure of next fall deliveries.

Winton-Nichols
Lumber Co.
Holt, Minn.

The Synod Ladies Aid will be entertained Thursday June 13th by Mrs. T. E. Ellestead, on the E. A. Johnson farm 7 miles from Holt.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Drotts and other Swedish Mission Ministers will hold services here Monday and Tuesday, June 10 and 11, at 3 and 8 o'clock P. M. of each day. Everyone invited.

Southeast of Holt.

Owen Simon, the nine day old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Olson passed away into his eternal rest on Friday evening after a severe illness of two days. The funeral services were held from the Norwegian Lutheran church, Rev. Bjornson officiating and interment were made in the Silver Creek Cemetery.

Mrs. E. Edmundson of South Dak. came up on Sunday where she will stay with her brother John Klungnes during the summer.

Miss Olga Klungnes who has been working for Mrs. Dahlen in T. R. Falls returned to her home Saturday.

Lizzie Kisch visited with Laura Johnson on Sunday afternoon.

John Klungness is the owner of a brand new Hupmobile.

Oscar and Carl Guttrud visited at Molstads Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Klungness entertained a few of their friends on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Klungness called on Mrs. Moe Monday.

Oliver Molstad made a trip to Holt on Monday.

Mrs. B. Teldahl will entertain the Ladies Aid June 13th.

Miss Louis Ness made an over Sunday visit at her home in Whapeton N. Dak. to bid good by to her brother who left for the training camp.

Miss Victoria Johnson left Thursday for Minneapolis where she has employment for some time.

Geo. Smith came home last week Tuesday from Alaska where he has been working for the past year.

The Holt public school closed Friday with a splendid program and picnic which was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Saastad received a telegram Monday stating that their son Ole who is serving with a Canadian regiment overseas received a gun shot wound in the right arm on May 27th, and was now in the hospital. Mr. Saastad has been wounded several times but has always returned to the front as soon as he recovers and will probably want to do so again.

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Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Religious school commences June 10th in the school house basement and continue for one month.

The Ladies Aid will be entertained Thursday June 13th by Mrs. T. E. Ellestead.

All the voting members will meet at the church on Friday June 14 to transact business.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

Nearly everyone is showing their patriotism by planting a war garden.

W. H. Matzke of McIntosh visited Fred Peterson a couple of days last week.

Mrs. C. M. Strom and children of Thief River Falls came Friday to visit at the homes of P. A. Riesberg and M. T. Strom.

S. Kolden has closed out his line of farm machinery to O. N. Olson of Thief River Falls and loaded it Tuesday for shipment to that place.

Mrs. Aug. Kuehne and daughter Emma returned Tuesday from a short visit in T. R. Falls. They were accompanied home by Mrs. P. Nelson of Warren for a short visit.

City Meat Market

Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides, Furs, Wool
TERMS:- Cash. Postively no credit

O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Chris Engen returned home Saturday from Warren where he had been serving on the jury.

Minnesota furnished 1240 volunteers for the different branches of the military service for the month of May.

The young people gave the two lady teachers a surprise party Friday night at the home of Mrs. Jacob Nelson.

Railroad passenger rates will be increased to three cents a mile, to take effect on June 10th and freight rates will be increased 25 per cent on June 25th.

Thorval Kolden came up for a short visit at home and to register. He brot along a fine Shetland pony for his little brother, Lester, who is greatly delighted with him.

Something over $10.00 was taken in at the lunch given by the Ladies Aid at the Mission church last week Thursday and over $24.00 at the Synod Young Peoples' meeting at the J. M. Swan home Sunday all of which was given to the Red Cross.

N. S. HEGNES
For State Senator
Roseau, Kittson and Marshall Counties
Has a Clean Record
Is On The "Square"
Is Entitled To Another Term
Subject to the Primaries June 17

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.43
Oats	.69
Barley	.53 to .90
Rye	1.61
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

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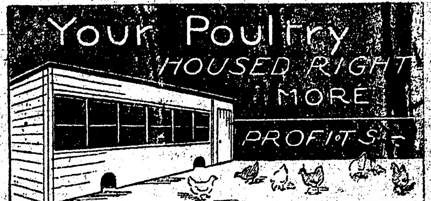

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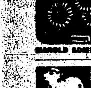

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A fond auntie was left to amuse her small niece and nephew while their mother went shopping. James became deeply interested in his toy engine and tiny Ruth was absorbed in watching auntie cut out beautiful paper dolls. One of these appealed to her particularly and she would scarcely wait for auntie to finish.

"Oh, auntie, isn't she pretty? She's blue."

"Yes, she is lovely. And see what a fancy dress she has on. Look at her long train."

The last word caught serious-minded James' attention.

"Auntie, show me the train."

Auntie pointed to the deep flounce which was set on with large plaits and which was long enough at the back for quite a sweep. James took it in his hands and examined it closely and silently for a few moments. Handing it back, he said solemnly:

"I suppose you could call it a train. It looks something like a cowcatcher."

Killjoy.

Daughter—"He is saving fifteen per week from his salary, papa." Father—"But how long can he live on credit?"

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Locust eggs, treated with sulphuric acid, and lime, are used as fertilizers in Mediterranean countries when the insects are numerous.

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Happenings of the World Tersely Told

European War News

The transport ship Leasowe Castle has been sunk by an enemy submarine, the British admiralty announced in London. One hundred and one persons were drowned. The Leasowe Castle, which was 9,737 gross tons, was sunk in the Mediterranean. Among those who lost their lives were 13 military officers and 79 soldiers of other rank.

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Although peace negotiations between Russia and Ukrainia now have begun at Kiev, the Germans have broken the armistice on the Voronezh front, occupying the town of Valuiki after four days of fighting, and making a farther advance, says a dispatch from Moscow.

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It was announced at Rome that Italian troops broke into the Austro-German defenses at Capo Sile, on the lower Piave front to a depth of 750 yards. The Italians captured 438 prisoners.

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The Germans have seized the Dutch steamship Jante and sailing vessels Maria, Jacoba and Gerzine, says a dispatch from Amsterdam. This is in pursuance of their policy of not permitting Dutch vessels to sail without safe conducts.

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Major Barascoa, the leading Italian ace, has brought down his thirty-second adversary, according to a dispatch from the Italian front to the Paris Temps. He shot down the leading airplane of an enemy squadron.

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An important victory for the Italians on the northern front, northwest of Trent, was reported by the Rome war office. The Italians stormed the summit of Monte Zigolon and also won the village of Prezna, Monticello pass and the spur to the east of the pass. Eight hundred and fifty-seven Teuton prisoners were taken.

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The attempts by the Germans to disarm the Polish troops in the Ukraine and Minsk governments are meeting with fierce resistance, says a dispatch from Moscow. The second Polish corps under General Makovitsky, stationed near Kaneff, in the government of Kiev, defied the German ultimatum to disarm.

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Thirteen German sailors have been sentenced to death by a German court-martial for attempted treason in connection with recent British raids against submarine bases at Ostend and Zeebrugge.

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Domestic

Every able-bodied man in Chicago and Illinois between the ages of twenty-one and sixty must "work or fight." Every man in Chicago between thirty-one and sixty years has until next Monday to get a job, and it must be one entailing not less than 36 hours per week of needful labor. The police will arrest for vagrancy any evaders.

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A bonus of $5,000 will be paid if necessary to get the winner of the Harkness handicap at Sheepshead Bay to compete in the fourth annual auto derby at Speedway park, Chicago, on Saturday, June 22.

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Provost Marshal General Crowder notified draft subjects away from home that they must register with the local board in whose jurisdiction they are sufficiently in advance of June 5 to enable the board to send their certificates to their home boards. Registration is completed at the office of the home boards.

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Grace Lusk was found guilty of murder in the second degree by a jury at Waukesha, Wis. The penalty on the verdict is 14 to 25 years. This is the verdict after four hours' deliberation of the 12 men who have sat for two weeks in her trial for the slaying of Mrs. Mary Roberts, wife of Dr. David Roberts, a former state veterinarian.

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One union express company for the United States was created by agreement between Director General McAdoo and the Adams, American, Wells-Fargo and Southern companies, whose transportation business will be merged under a new private corporation with capital of more than $30,000,000, to be known probably as the Federal Express company. George C. Taylor, now president of the American, will be head of the new company. The combination becomes effective July 1.

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Lieut. P. G. Mihleder, instructor at Taliferro Field, Tex., died from injuries received when his machine crashed to the earth. Lieutenant Buckus, who was with him at the time, escaped with a few scratches.

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Joseph N. Drake, aged sixty-eight years, one of the founders of the famous Duckworth club of Cincinnati, was arrested on a warrant charging him with sending a blackmailing letter through the mails demanding $20,000 from Mrs. Charles P. Taft, sister-in-law of ex-President W. H. Taft.

Word has been received at Louisville, Ky., from the war department that 200,000 men will be inducted into the military service through the draft and sent to 22 camps throughout the country during the five-day period beginning June 24.

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Superseding indictments charging violation of the espionage act were returned by a federal grand jury at New York against Max Eastman, former editor of The Masses, and four persons associated with him.

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U.S.—Teutonic War News

Heroism and daring of American naval officers and men in rescuing 31 of the 75 in the crew of the American munitions steamer Florence H., which caught fire and broke in two in French waters April 17, are described in the report of Rear Admiral Wilson, commanding, made public by the naval department.

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The Rotterdam Maasbode reports that an entente allied air raid has been successful over Liege. The Longdoz railway station was destroyed and 26 persons were killed.

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Foreign

The Socialists in Germany have given notice that they intend to interpellate the reichstag naval committee why during last month 400,000 enemy troops embarked for France without the slightest apparent attention from submarines, according to a Munich dispatch to Geneva.

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The Swedish minister announced in London that a commercial and navigation agreement between Sweden and Great Britain and her allies was signed.

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Aviators De Vienne and Lorgnat flew from Paris to London and back in a hydroairplane Monday in three hours and ten minutes, carrying mail. The aviators will make daily trips.

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Discussing the problems of demobilization after war, the minister of labor, George H. Roberts, said in a speech at Smethwick, England, that 400,000 discharged soldiers had been provided for already.

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Dr. Johannes Kaempf, president of the reichstag, is dead in Berlin. Doctor Kaempf had been president of the reichstag since 1912. He belonged to the progressive peoples' party. He was seventy-six years old.

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Personal

News of the death of Mrs. Clara Hamilton Deering, widow of William Deering, harvester manufacturer, at her winter home in Coconut Grove, Fla., was received in Chicago.

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Washington

Director General McAdoo addressed a communication to the six heads of labor organizations having jurisdiction over the machinists, boilermakers and other branches of organized labor employed in railroad shops, pointing out the meaning and possible consequences of strikes or walkouts of railroad employees during the war.

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Setting June 6 for beginning hearings on new revenue legislation, the house ways and means committee approved a vacation plan, subject to war's needs. The committee agreed the $4,000,000,000 additional revenue to be raised shall come chiefly from excess profits, incomes and taxes on luxuries.

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Francis S. Nash, a medical director of the navy, and his wife were indicted by a grand jury at Washington on a charge of hoarding foodstuffs. Investigators found among other foodstuffs more than a ton and a half of sugar stored in the Nash home.

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Under an executive order announced, President Wilson formally created the war industries board as a separate administrative agency to act for him and under his direction, with all the duties and powers informally conferred by the president last March in a letter to Bernard Baruch, chairman of the board.

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Claude Kitchin, majority leader of the house, told the lower body that he would submit to the wishes of the chief executive and steer the proposed tax bill to final passage. Kitchin charged that the "great publishers of the country were responsible for the revenue bill." He said that they hoped thereby to obtain a repeal of the postal tax which was laid on them last session.

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The interstate commerce commission ordered the increased railroad rates announced by Director General McAdoo approved without hearing, and at the same time modified all outstanding previous commission orders which might interfere with the establishment of the new rates.

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Inroads on class 2 and class 3 men under the selective service act have begun, it was announced in Washington. The men in these classes are highly trained workmen and specialists of which there are no more in class 1. The subdivisions called on so far are K and L.

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A statement issued by the Cuban legation in Washington says the Mexican government has informed the Cuban charge in Mexico that the recall of the Mexican charge at Havana does not imply a severance of relations.

SHIPS ARE SUNK OFF U. S. COAST

Fifteen Vessels Declared Sent Down By Foe Submarines Off Atlantic Seaboard.

DIVER REPORTED TAKEN

Enemy Seeks to Stop Transportation of Troops Overseas—Ports of New York and Newport News Ordered Closed.

New York, June 4.—A wireless S. O. S. call from the New York and Porto Rico line passenger steamship Carolina, saying that she was being attacked by a submarine was received here.

Washington, June 4.—Secretary Josephus Daniels ordered the port of New York closed to outgoing ships with certain restrictions until further orders. The nature of the restrictions was not made public.

New York, June 4.—Two more American vessels, the Hattie Dunn and the Samuel W. Hathaway, have been sunk by German submarines.

Norfolk, Va., June 4.—The port of Norfolk Newport News is closed to all outgoing vessels. Rumors were current that a U-boat was sighted off the Capes today.

New York, June 4.—One steamship, one schooner and two or three other vessels have been sunk off the Jersey coast by German submarines.

Another ship is reported to have been torpedoed off Nantucket.

The ships were attacked some time during the night, according to information which was received here. Details were not immediately available.

One of the ships sunk was the Edward H. Cole, a sailing vessel.

Information received at the Maritime Exchange here indicated that as many as 15 vessels have been sunk.

Diver Reported Captured.

A rumor has reached the office of the Third Naval district here that a submarine operating off the coast has been captured by a United States warship. It is said that the U-boat is being towed to this port. There is no confirmation of the rumor as yet.

The port authorities barred the departure of outgoing ships.

It is presumed here that the submarine or submarines are now being dealt with by American destroyers.

Rumors of the presence of German submarines off the American coast have been current for the past two weeks, the reports telling of one or more having been sighted in southern waters.

Carry Diver War Overseas.

The attack upon American shipping almost at the very entrance of New York is taken to mean that Germany has at last inaugurated a submarine campaign to break up transport of troops to France.

The submarines were looking for American transports. Having been checked by the American destroyer flotilla in the war zone, the German admiralty apparently has concluded to carry the submarine warfare to the doors of America in the hope of stopping the flow of troops which will turn the balance against the Central powers on the western battlefront.

The crew of the Edward H. Cole has been landed here.

Sunk Off Jersey Coast.

According to the survivors the Edward H. Cole was sunk 75 miles off the Highlands of New Jersey.

Two submarines attacked the Edward H. Cole, according to the commander of the vessel, Captain Newcomb

They appeared simultaneously one on each side of the vessel and signaled the captain to heave to. The commander of one of the submarines then boarded the schooner in a small boat and gave the crew 10 minutes to leave the ship.

The crew took their own boats immediately and the German sailors then planted bombs on the vessel and blew her up. After the explosion occurred an American steamship appeared in the offing and the U-boat immediately gave chase.

REFUGEES REACHING PARIS

200,000 Mostly Women and Children Arrive From Marne.

Paris, June 4.—Nearly 200,000 refugees, mostly women and children, have arrived from the Marne districts and have been sent into Normandy and Brittany.

Seek Advance In Three Valleys.

With the French Armies on the Marne, June 4.—The Germans progress having been checked to the eastward and southward, they are now concentrating their efforts southwestward on the front between Nopon and Chateau-Thierry, seeking to advance along the three great valleys of the Oise, Ourcq and Marne. But along every one of these routes, now that the intentions of the German high command are revealed, the resistance is increasing hourly. As a result the enemy's progress is decreasing.

WESTERN CANADA'S CROPS

Got an Excellent Start. Big Yields Now Assured.

Never in the history of Western Canada did the seed enter the ground under more favorable conditions. The weather during the month of April was perfect for seeding operations, and from early morning until late at night the seeders were at work, and every acre that could be profitably sown was placed under requisition. Farmers entered heart and soul into the campaign of greater production. There was the time and the opportunity for careful preparation, and as a consequence with favorable weather from now on there will be a vastly increased yield. They realized it was a duty they owed to humanity to produce all that they could on the land, not only this year but next as well. In addition to the patriotic aspect, they are aware that the more they produce the greater will be their own return in dollars and cents.

In many districts wheat seeding was completed by the 1st of May, after which date oats and barley on larger acreages than usual were planted.

As has been said, favorable weather conditions made possible excellent seed-bed preparation, and the seed has gone into the ground in unusually good shape. The available moisture in the soil has been added to by rains, which have not been so heavy, however, as to interfere long with the work in the fields. The grain is germinating readily, and on many fields the young green blades of the cereal are already showing.

An optimistic feeling prevails among farmers that Western Canada will reap a record harvest. If the season from now on is as favorable as it has begun, these hopes should be realized. Mr. J. D. McGregor of the Federal Food Board, who is also an old and successful farmer in Western Canada, asserted a few days ago at Calgary that crop conditions throughout the Prairie Provinces were excellent. "Speaking generally," he said, "the crops have never gone into the ground in better shape than this year, and with an even break of luck as far as the weather is concerned, there should be an enormous crop." His present duties in connection with the Food Control Board, taking him in all parts of the West, Mr. McGregor has exceptional opportunities of observing conditions all over the country.—Advertisement.

Careful Patient.

A woman whose throat had troubled her for a long time grew impatient at the slow progress she was making and made a complaint to her doctor.

"Madame," he said, "I can never cure you of this throat trouble unless you stop talking and give your throat complete rest."

"But, doctor," objected his patient, I'm very careful of what I say. I never use harsh language or anything of that kind."

The Eternal Feminine.

"I asked the young lady speaker in the debate why the logic of that side appealed to her."

"What did she say?"

"She said, 'Because.'"

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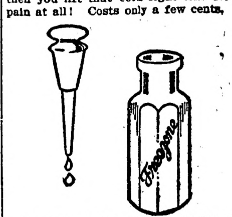

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Voice—Well, I want to get married; could I out there?

Mrs. D.—Yes, I can arrange everything for you, but you must have a license, and of course the girl.

Voice (wearily over the phone)—Well, the girl is all I have so far. Thank you; good-by.—Y. M. C. A. War-Work Bulletin.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
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Stoker's Act of Bravery.

In these days of undersea warfare, when the blow is often struck without warning, a new danger is added to the already hazardous tasks of the ship's firemen. Speed is an essential in beating the U-boat, and this requires constant work. Recently the bottom blow valve of a boiler was carried away on a vessel of the United States navy. One of the crew was Aloysius Fawcett, a fireman, first class. With two others he made his way through a steam-filled fireroom and fought a passage through a hot cloud in the engine room. Here he helped haul the fires at a critical moment. The nerve and quickness of the act saved the boiler and the vessel from serious accident. Fawcett enlisted in the navy in 1911 at Cincinnati.

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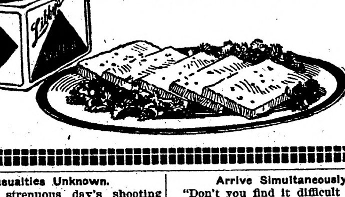

Casualties Unknown.

After a strenuous day's shooting Giles returned to the house alone.

Now, Giles was only an amateur at the sporting game, and this fact was well known to the anxious host.

"Have you shot anything?" he demanded of Giles, expecting to hear the worst.

"Dunno," replied Giles. "We'll have to wait until the rest of the party come in, and then we can call the roll!"

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"All right. There's the Dipper."—Baltimore American.

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LONG STRUGGLE IS PREDICTED

General Bridges Discusses Present Battle Situation on French Soil.

AMERICANS ARE IN LINE

British Military Authority in Washington Says the Yankees May Hold the Balance Between Victory and Defeat.

Washington, June 4.—General Bridges, head of a special military mission to the United States, said here in discussing the renewal of the German drive that American troops have become a vital factor in the great battle in France and may hold the balance between defeat and victory.

This statement followed news from the front that the American troops have already been shifted into position to defend Paris.

Foe's Three Objectives.

The objectives now before the Germans, the general said, appear to be three-fold—the capture of Paris, the division of the main Allied armies by an advance through Amiens, and the capture of the channel ports.

In concealing their preparations so as to make a surprise attack, General Bridges said, the Germans were aided probably by four factors—their preponderance of divisions, a good railway system, the proximity of woods to their first objectives where large numbers of troops could be concealed and the fact that this front line had been organized for attack.

While now on a narrow and dangerous salient the general said, the Germans will be in a favorable position for advance on Paris should they be successful in pushing out the west leg of the salient and joining it up with the Amiens salient. That, he said, appeared to be their intention, and they could be expected to call a halt at the Marne.

Battle to Continue Weeks.

The Allies must now be prepared either to see the offensive resumed in the north soon, or else to see German divisions from the north sent down to exploit the new successes.

The battle, he added, is likely to continue for weeks and will become a long drawn out struggle of man-power, with the first duty of the Allies to husband their resources by giving ground for men where possible.

"As the Germans began the attack with only 16 divisions," he said, "it would appear that it has been more successful than they anticipated. It is probable that it was at first intended either in the nature of a secondary operation in order to draw Allied reserves from the well protected Amiens salient, or to strike a heavy blow for the Marne—in order to cut the main communications between Paris and Chalons—and to widen the too narrow Amiens salient by a fresh operation.

"The German higher command probably considered in this case that the presence of large forces in front of such vital points as Ypres and Amiens had pinned the bulk of the Allied reserves to these positions."

NAVY NEEDS MANY NURSES

Skilled Attendants Are Required to Maintain Standard.

Washington, June 4.—Surgeon General Braisted in a letter to the American Red Cross regarding its campaign which begins this week to enroll nurses for militay and civilian service, said several thousand nurses are needed for the large naval hospitals in this country as well as several base hospitals in European waters.

"Unless the personnel of the navy receives adequate medical and nursing attention," Surgeon General Braisted said, "the control of the seas must suffer."

LYNCHERS ARE ACQUITTED

Defense Pleads War Has Developed New "Unwritten Law."

Edwardsville, Ill., June 4.—The 11 men who were charged with the murder in connection with the lynching of Robert Paul Prager, enemy alien, were acquitted by a jury which deliberated but 45 minutes before coming to a decision. Two ballots were taken.

In closing the argument for the defense, Thomas Williamson declared the present war situation had developed a new "unwritten law" which had been invoked by the men who hanged Prager because he was alleged to be a German spy.

Win Right to Organize.

New York, June 4.—The national war labor board by a vote of 7 to 5 decided that the employes of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies have the right to organize. This is in accordance with the proclamation of President Wilson, which declares that "the right of workers to organize in trade unions and to bargain collectively through chosen representatives is recognized and affirmed," and "that this right shall not be denied, abridged or interferred with by employers in any manner."

PRESIDENT MAKES APPEAL FOR THRIFT

Citizens Asked to Buy Only Essentials.

Wilson Also Asks People for War Saving Investments by June 28.

Washington, D. C.—To save materials and labor for necessary war purposes, President Wilson appealed to Americans "to buy only those things which are essential to the individual health and efficiency," and to volunteer on or before June 28, National Thrift day, to invest systematically in War Savings and Thrift Stamps, or other government securities.

"This war is one of nations—not of armies," said the president, "and all of our 100,000,000 people must be economically and industrially adjusted to war conditions if this nation is to play its full part in the conflict.

Pledge Is Sought.

"The problem before us is not primarily a financial problem, but rather a problem of increased production of war essentials and the saving of the materials and the labor necessary for the support and equipment of our army and navy. Thoughtless expenditure of money for nonessentials uses up the labor of men, the products of the farm, mines, and factories, and overburdens transportation, all of which must be used to the utmost and at their best for war purposes.

"The great results which we seek can be obtained only by the participation of young and old in a national thrift movement. I therefore urge that our people everywhere pledge themselves, as suggested by the secretary of the treasury, to the practice of thrift; to serve the government to their utmost in increasing production in all fields necessary to the winning of the war; to conserve food and fuel and useful materials of every kind; to devote their labor only to the most necessary tasks, and to buy only those things which are essential to individual health and efficiency.

"Buy More U. S. Securities."

"The securities issued by the treasury department are, so many of them, within the reach of every one that the door of opportunity in this matter is wide open to all of us.

"I appeal to all who now own either Liberty bonds or War Savings stamps to continue to practice economy and thrift and to appeal to all who do not own government securities to do likewise and purchase them to the extent of their means. The man who buys government securities transfers the purchasing power of his money to the United States government until after this war, and to that same degree does not buy in competition with the government.

"I earnestly appeal to every man, woman and child to pledge themselves on or before June 28 to save constantly and to buy as regularly as possible the securities of the government.

"The 28th of June ends this special period of enlistment in the great volunteer army of production and saving here at home. May there be none unenlisted on that day."

FRANCE URGES POTATO BREAD

Food Dictator Tells How It Will Save Cereals and Use Up Big Stock of Tubers.

Paris.—M. Boret, the food dictator, has written to all local authorities explaining why the food-card system is necessary, and urging their full co-operation. Finally his communication says:

"I wish to call your attention to the importance of using potatoes in bread making. Recent experiments have shown that a paste of potatoes can be used with good results in the proportion of as much as 20 per cent. This practice, besides being an indispensable economy of cereals, will help use up the great stocks of potatoes, so great that the transportation actually has become difficult."

HEALTH OFFICER MAKES HIT

Raises "Dimples" Instead of Scars When He Vaccinates Young Ladies.

Spokane, Wash.—City Health Officer John B. Anderson is grinning these days over a recent bid he made to fame.

Doctor Anderson has been making punctures instead of scratches when he vaccinated folk, and as a result has been raising "dimples" instead of scars on Spokane arms.

A local newspaper discovered it and proclaimed him broadcast as "the dimple maker," and now the doctor is smiling because pretty girls no longer balk at being vaccinated, nor ask to have it done in a place where it can't be seen.

The Only Way.

"I saw lately where a member of a legislature drew a knife on another."

"Well, what of it? I suppose it was the only way he had of making a cutting retort."

Got Him Wrong.

She—What do you suppose I did when mother told me you were coming?

He—Oh; I suppose you colored up a little.

She—Sir! —Awgwan.

You Can Now Eat Your Favorite Food Without Any Fear

Kramer Says: "Eatonic" Rids Weak Stomachs of Acids, Gas, Heartburn, Food Repeating and Stomach Miseries

What miserable feelings are caused by an upset stomach! That dull, heavy, "bloated" sensation that follows a full meal, robs good living of half its pleasures. Is there any way out for you sufferers with stomach weakness?

Yes; H. L. Kramer, the man who originated Cascarets, has found a sure, quick, relief for indigestion, dyspepsia, "sour stomach," heart-burn, formation of painful gases, "bloating," etc., etc.

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Mr. Kramer says: "My EATONIC tablets are the solution of the age-old problem of indigestion and all forms of stomach misery.

"EATONIC neutralizes the acids, that form the painful gases, "sweetens" the stomach, and gives the gastric juice a chance to do its work as it should.

"To promote appetite and aid digestion, take EATONIC tablets—one or two after each meal. They are perfectly harmless. Eat them just like candy.

"For distress after eating; sour, "gassy," acid stomach, vertigo, nausea and belching, and that wretched, puffed-up, "lumpy" feeling, after overeating; there is nothing to compare with EATONIC Tablets."

All druggists sell EATONIC — 50c for a large box. Watch out for imitations. The genuine bears the name EATONIC on each tablet—guaranteed to do all that is claimed; or if your druggists don't carry EATONIC—send to Eatonic Remedy Co., Chicago, Ill.

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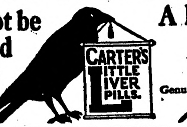

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Militarist Logic.

"Militarism" said British Delegate Appleton at the recent trade union congress in New York, "militarism and war can't be defeated logically, and the man who tells you that the world couldn't get along without standing armies reminds me of the lecturer who said:

"'Ladies and gents, the world could never get along without water, for if we had no water, how could we learn to swim—and if nobody could swim, ladies and gents, just think how many of us would be drowned!'"

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath. It relieves painful, swollen, smarting feet and takes the sting out of corns and bunions. Used by the American, British and French troops. Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain relief for tired, aching feet. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Showing Some Pep.

An officer was drilling some recruits who were slow in comprehending his orders. He was trying to teach one boy how to act as sentry, but the boy's "Halt! Who goes there?" sounded tame and lacking in force. The officer, trying to arouse some enthusiasm, clapped his hands together and cried sternly: "Halt! Who goes there? Show a little pep!" The recruit braced himself and clapped his hands together just as the officer had done, then said commandingly: "Halt! Who goes there? Show a little pep."

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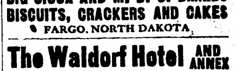

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Take Notice

ownboard of Holt Township et June 8th at 10 oclock Ole Knutson's farm in sec and at 2 o'clock in the after Oswald Holls farm in sec to contract out some road

By Order of Town Board
T. B. Folden,
Town Clerk.

Alkenbrack was here be ains Friday on business.

y and Lewis Wegge were in Thief River Falls Thurs Friday.

Ellestad and Theodore attended court in Warren t week, returning home night.

Paid political advertising

Announcement.

eby announce myself for re as Sheriff of Marshall Co., and respectfully solicit your d influence at the Primary to be held on the 17th day 1918.

Hans C. Hanson.

rving A. Caswell

of the Supreme Court of this nd a candidate for the Repub nomination at the primary June 17. Was born in A Minn, 48 years old, just the of life, married and has one Graduate of the University of sota and a lieutenant in the h-American War. At the last n he had 40,000 more votes ny other candidate for state

e for Irving A. Caswell at the election Monday June 17th.

Buy Baby Bonds.

Hjalmer Garive from Minot N. D. came Thursday to visit home folks.

Peter Bjerken of Mahnomen came Friday to visit at the Ole Reierson home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack and Floyd of T. R. Falls visited Holt between trains Thursday.

Miss Gladys Hagen went to Middle River Saturday for an over Sunday visit with relatives.

Sam Mickelson who is working in Warren came home Saturday night for an over Sunday visit.

Diedrick Nyberg returned Monday from Devils Lake N. Dak. where he has been working for sometime.

Mrs. Erick Johnson who has been visiting friends and relatives at Alvarado for a week, returned home Thursday.

The second annual picnic of the Farmers Clubs of Marshall county will be held June 15 th. in the grove 8 miles east of Argyle.

Fourteen young men from this village and the townships of Holt and Excel registered June 5th. for military duty with T. B. Folden, at the village hall.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minnesota, June 1st 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Algot Johnson of Germantown Minnesota, who on Jan. 16th 1915 made Homestead Entry, No. 011715, for S. E. 1-4, Section 9, Township 155 N., Range 41 W., 5th. Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 8th. day of July, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Salve Tharaldsen, O. T. Tharaldsen Alexander Magee, H. Clausen, all of Germantown Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

First publication on or before June 7, 1918

To The Voters of Marshall County

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds.

Having served one term as your Register of Deeds, my past record will vouch for my qualifications.

Thanking you for the generous support received at the last election, and hoping that I may again receive your support and vote at the Primary Election on June 17th, 1918, I beg to remain your servant for another term.

CHAS. E. GRINDER.

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District.

Daisy Murphy, Plaintiff
vs
Harry Murphy, Defendant.

SUMMONS.

The State of Minnesota To The Above Named Defendant,

Greeting:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, a copy of which complaint is hereto attached and herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber, O. A. Naplin, at his office in the Citizens Bank building, in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and you are hereby notified that if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, then the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in her said complaint.

Dated April, 30th, 1918.

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
P. O. Address,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

To the above named defendant:

You are hereby notified that the original complaint in this action was filed in the office of the clerk of the above named court at Warren, Minnesota, on June 5, 1918.

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, which mortgage was duly executed and delivered by John H. Weinzierl and Bess Weinzierl, his wife, Mortgagors, to A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, bearingdate the 30th day of April, 1915 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota on the 5th day of May 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in book 71 of Mortgages, on page 396.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by the said A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, to The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., by written assignment, dated on the 1st day of June, 1915, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 14th day of August, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 75 of Mortgages on page 302.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., assignee, to Edward P. Sanborn by written assignment dated the 27th day of December, 1916, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in book 90 of Mortgages on page 481.

Which mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said Edward P. Sanborn, assignee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 29th day of April, 1918, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:10 o'clock P. M. in book 86 of Mortgages on page 172.

And whereas the said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and power of sale therein contained and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Seven Hundred and Eighteen and 64-100 ($718.64) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South half of the Northwest quarter (S-1-2 NW 1-4) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section One (1) in Township One Hundred Fifty eight (158) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota containing One Hundred Sixty and 90-100 (160.90) acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of July, 1918 at 10 o'clock A. M. of that date, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Seven Hundred Eighteen and 64-100 ($718.64) Dollars and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated June 5th 1918. Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn. (a corporation) Assignee of Mortgage.
A. N. Eckstrom, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage, Warren, Minnesota.

Take Notice!

Marshall Co. is called upon to sell $260,000 worth of Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps and the big Drive will start on Monday morning at 9 o'clock June 10th.

Marshall Co., has made good on every demand made upon them so far and there is no question but that success will again crown their efforts.

We are going to win the War, and every dollar, & every ounce of strength required of our people will be forth coming upon demand.

W. F. Powell, Chairman.

Liberty Loan Executive Committee

Ninth Federal Reserve District.
B. Docken, Chairman
Holt, Minn.

It is an honor as well as a pleasure, to ask you as chairman, to convey to the citizens of your community my congratulations on the splendid results achieved in the Third Liberty Loan campaign.

This generous response to the country's call is an expression of the loyalty of your citizens. You can point to this flag awarded by the United State Treasury Department, which we are sending you to day, with just pride as an emblem of service and a realization that each good American in your community has done his or her part in this struggle for Democracy.

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Breed Percheron Foaled 1908

Sire Bowser 29085 Dam Marion 44298, has been examined at the College of Agriculture, Division of Animal Husbandry, and it is hereby certified that the said stallion is of pure breeding and is registered in a studbook recognized by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. The above named stallion has been examined by E. E. Pearson, a duly licensed Veterinarian, and is reported as free from infectious, contagious or transmissible disease, or unsoundness, and is licensed to stand for public service in the state of Minnesota. Dated at St. Paul, Minnesota, this 24th day of April, 1916.

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It is Halvor Steenerson who is now most active in trying to clear the toll gates from the channels of the grain trade, in order that the producer may get full value for his products. He will succeed in that, if you give him time.

A congressman, though he has the very best intentions, can be no good to you unless he has the experience and ability to carry through what he undertakes. For sixteen years Steenerson has been elected to congress by the farmer vote of the Ninth District. All those years, and before that, he has stood by the farmers on every issue in which they were interested, and the farmers have always stood by him.

He offers to renew the partership for another two years. It's up to you

Respectfully, STEENERSON COMMITTEE
By Martin Widsten, Secretary

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Oats for sale at the Red Lake Falls Elevator.

R. Reierson went to Thief River Falls Tuesday on business.

Miss Gladys Hagen went to Moorhead Saturday to visit relatives.

Edwin Nelson came up from Bagley Tuesday for a few days visit at home.

Miss Stella and Olive Mickelson went to T. R. Falls Friday to have dental work done.

Dr. Froehlich was called Saturday to see Henry Wegge who was quite sick at that time.

P. G. Sorter returned home Tuesday from Goodridge where he had been visiting a few days.

Mildred Jahr returned home from Bemidji Wednesday, where she has been attending school.

Mrs. Knauf came up from T. R. Falls Wednesday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. August Kuehne.

Jacob Nelson and daughter, Miss Beatha and M. B. Fitch made a business trip to Cass Lake Tuesday.

H. P. Oien of Shelly came Saturday for a short visit at the home of his son H. J. Oien and family.

Mrs. G. C. Braaton of Ross came one day last week to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Lindahl.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg left Friday for a weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kolden at Mentor and their son Fridjof at Erskine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Gubrud and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Gubrud are moving to Argyle this week where they will run a boarding house and lunch counter.

Jacob Nelson and family, John Hagberg and family, and Loyd Adams and family gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Fitch Sunday to help Mr. Fitch celebrate his 78th birthday.

Mrs. Anna Gullickson and her mother Mrs. N. J. Engebretsen departed Friday for the home of the former at Everett, Wash. They were accompanied as far as Crookston by Mrs. Signe Gullickson where they visited with relatives.

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Notice!

Bids wanted at once for 80 rods of ditching. Call at Holt State Bank.

Raise lots of chickens this year as meat is going to be scarce.

Cleve Peterson went to Crookston Saturday to visit with friends.

Ludvig Monson left Tuesday on a business trip to Devils Lake, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson visited Severson Bros. Sunday evening.

Miss Palma Johnson visited at the Jacob Nelson home a few days the past week.

Otto and Willie Kuehne returned Monday from near T. R. Falls where they have been working for sometime.

Ralph Ness brot to town Monday a bunch of rye that was well headed. It is the nicest sample we have seen so far this year.

Effie Joringdal, Iver Austad, Olive Mickelson and Richard Joringdal autoed to Maple Lake Sunday, June the 9th.

Carl, Garfield, Arthur, Thelma, and Lillian Erickson came Sunday evening for a short visit with J. E. Erickson and family.

We wonder what the Socialist and the pacifics now think about waiting until Germany came over here, before we should enter in to this war.

Melvin Morrud has arrived safely in France. He is well and happy, but cannot tell according to regulations, where he is nor what he is doing.—Newfolden Review.

Don't forget the services held Sunday afternoon June 16th in Dist. 188. A lunch will be served, the proceeds to go to the Red Cross. Ladies bring cream, cake or sandwiches.

The Ringbo Red Cross Auxiliary will meet at Gullick Svenson June 19th. Four new members have been added to our membership. Everyone is urged to be present.

Mrs. Bean, President.

The primary election will be held next Monday June 17th and everyone should vote at that time.

It is well to do a little thinking before voting at this election for untried men. Don't let the politicians hoodwink you.

Minnesota has been notified to furnish 10000 men for the next draft all of whom will be sent to camp Grant, Rockford, Ill. during a five day period beginning June 24th, Marshall County will have to furnish 100 to 125 men.

A Red Cross meeting will be held at Ralph Ness' home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A program will be given by the young people, and a speaker from Radium has been secured to bring a message to the people, after which a lunch will be given, the proceeds of which will go to the Red Cross.

All interested in the Prohibition Amendment to be voted on at the general election to be held in Nov. should be present at the County Mass Meeting to be held at Warren, June 19th. We expect then to perfect a complete county organization and map out a plan of campaign.—Committee.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
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Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. James R. Orrock of Thief River Falls will hold services here next Monday evening at 8:30

Loyd Jahr was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. Bertilrud of Roseau came Tuesday to visit Mrs. R. Reierson.

J. E., Carl, Garfield and Arthur Erickson autoed to T. R. Falls Monday evening.

The Safety Commission has issued an order that all males over 16 years old must either work or fight and we hope it will be strictly enforced.

All German alien females from 14 years and up are required to register with their postmaster sometime between 6 o'clock A. M. of Monday June 17th, and 8 P. M. of Wednesday June 24th.

Mrs. Clarence Docken returned to her home in Viking Sunday after enjoying a few day visit at the Docken home. Mrs. Clarence expects to join her husband at Camp Lewis in a short time.

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices.
Holt Mercantile Co.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Mr. Bennie visited J. E. Erickson Friday.

Ole Larson and wife are spending a few weeks at Mud Lake.

Rev. J. A. Orrock of Thief River Falls will hold English services next Monday evening at 8:30.

Annie, Garfield, Arthur, Thelma and Lillian Erickson visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Jordy Monday.

Work was commenced Tuesday on the foundation for the new school house in Dist. No. 58.

The first annual picnic of the Red Lake county farmers will be held on Monday June 24th. near Brooks on the Jefferson highway.

Vote for men at the primary election next Monday, who have been in office and are known to be loyal and stand by President Wilson.

L. M. Olson of Warren was in this vicinity this week interviewing the voters regarding his candidacy for the office of Register of deeds. Mr. Olson will get a good vote in this part of the county.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Mrs. J. M. Swan will entertain the Dorcas Society Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Sunday services at 10:45 Wilson school in Golden Valley and Dist. 148 East Valley at 2 o'clock.

English services by school student C. Elsen in Holt Lutheran church Sunday evening 8 o'clock.

Religious school in school house. Do not forget Christ's command to teach the little ones.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

Southeast of Holt.

The Ladies Aid of the Synod church will have their picnic at the home of Mrs. H. Peterson on Sunday afternoon June 16th, commencing at one o'clock. The children of the Norwegian school will give a program also a lunch will be sold in the afternoon. Don't forget to attend.

A large number of young folks from this locality "Forded" to Thief River Falls Sunday evening for pleasure.

Mrs. A. Klungness visited at Ed Hanson's on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Laura Johnson visited with Torjer Senum's on Sunday.

Mrs. N. Gundersoe visited at Moe's on Monday afternoon.

Messrs A. Klungness and A. Sordahl visited at M. Sampson on Sunday evening.

Andrew Skahl had the misfortune of loosing one of his valuable horses last week.

Mrs. Tom Jacobson, Mrs. Frank Coppey and Mrs. Swan visited Mrs. J. E. Erickson Wednesday of last week.

The Non-Partisian League Parade visited the towns of the county Wednesday, boosting their candidates They started from Viking and finished in Holt.

Creamery Statement

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of Mar. 1918.

Cream received	10901 lbs
Average test	27 12
Butter fat	2957 lbs
Percent overrun	21 33
Butter made	3588 lbs
Bal from last month	136 14
Rec'd for butter sold	$1372 46
Rec'd from other sources	49 47
Total	$1558 07
Paid patrons by check,	1175 68
Paid patrons by buttermaker	7 12
To sinking fund	20 47
Expense fund	255 80
Balance on hand	99 00
Total	$1739 08

Price paid for butter fat, 40c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 Olaus Rodahl $82.90, Julius Faiman $54.81, John Engstrom $45.68, John Magnuson $43.22, John Knutson $40.72.

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

N. S. HEGNES
For State Senator
Roseau, Kittson and Marshall Counties
Has a Clean Record
Is On The "Square"
Is Entitled To Another Term
Subject to the Primaries June 17

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.03
Wheat No. 2	2.00
Wheat No. 3	1.97
Wheat No. 4	1.93
Flax	3.67
Oats	67
Barley	41 to .78
Rye	1.78
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

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In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
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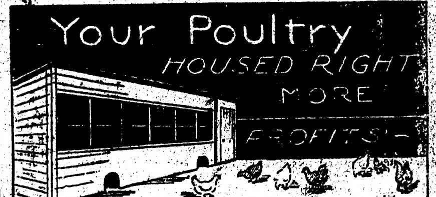

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Happenings of the World Tersely Told

U.S.—Teutonic War News

Floyd Gibbons, war correspondent of the Chicago Tribune at American headquarters, was wounded by machine gunfire while following operations of American troops near Chateau Thierry, France.

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Convinced that the German submarines which have been operating off the Jersey coast now are headed south into the lane taken by vessels from the West Indies and the Gulf of Mexico, the navy department at Washington has taken special precautions to protect shipping in that vicinity. It also has taken steps to prevent damage by mines which they think have been laid along the routes which the submarines now seem to have abandoned. Meanwhile movement of men and supplies overseas is proceeding exactly on schedule with every possible precaution taken to protect these transports.

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The Germans have used at least 50 divisions (600,000 men) in their latest offensive on the Aisne-Marne front, according to Corden Knox, war expert of the London Daily News. The stabilization of the allied battle front between Reims and Soissons has now been accomplished.

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While a million young Americans were registered for service in the war, orders went out from Provost Marshal General Crowder to the governors of all states except Arizona to mobilize between June 24 and 28, 200,000 men.

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Suggestions of peace based on a "perpetuation of Prussianism" and criticisms of the government and the conduct of the war, "which are not constructive," were condemned by Secretary of State Lansing. Mr. Lansing spoke at the commencement exercises of Columbia university.

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The supreme allied war council, which has had under advisement the entire war situation, has expressed in an official statement made public at London full confidence in the outcome of the war, with the aid of the American forces.

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A recent air raid by the allies on Cologne caused the death of 146 persons, the state department was informed. About 150 were injured. The people were thrown into a panic.

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Except for street lamps, not only Greater New York, but the near-by Jersey and sound coasts were dark Tuesday night, even lighthouses extinguishing their lamps. No reason was given for the order, but the presumption is that because of the presence of enemy submarines in American waters the authorities are taking precautions against the possibility of air raids by airplanes launched from U-boats.

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Domestic

Thomas A. Edison, in a statement read to a convention in New York, said: "There is but one result with which we can be satisfied; Germany must be cured forever of the desire to wage war."

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E. A. Strause, banker, was convicted of murdering Berne M. Mead. The jury returned a verdict of murder in the second degree at Peoria, Ill., after deliberating four hours. Strause was sentenced to 25 years in prison.

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Further evidence of the sale or offering for sale of unfit meat for the army has been discovered by the federal trade commission, W. T. Chatland, chief examiner, declared when representatives of Wilson & Co., Chicago packers, appeared to deny charges that they had sold unfit meat.

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The federal farm loan board withdrew further offering of farm loan bonds because $60,000,000 have been sold, providing enough funds for loans until about November 1.

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Only 18,000 Chicagoans registered under the selective service act Wednesday, according to approximate figures. Advance estimates were that the total would be somewhere between 30,000 and 35,000. Officials said the low figures were a tribute to Chicago's patriotism. They explained that thousands of young men enlisted without waiting for the draft machinery to operate.

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The large dam above Tama, Ia., went out, sending a three-foot wave of water down the Iowa river. Traffic of five railroads running through that district was completely paralyzed.

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Nineteen thousand Liberty motors, produced mainly in Detroit, will have been delivered to the government by September 1, 1918, according to members of a senate committee.

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Governor Manning on his return to Columbia, S. C., from Washington told the state council of defense in public session that the government would have to cancel farm labor furloughs and call to the colors farm laborers in class 1. "The United States," he declared, "may have to face trouble in Mexico."

Six men and one woman were indicted by a federal grand jury at New York on a charge of high treason. The indicted include Jeremiah O'Leary, Irish agitator, now a fugitive from justice. The others are Blanca de Victorica and Paul Rodicker, who are charged with being spies of the German government; Albert Paul Ficke, W. J. Robinson, Emile Kipper and John D. Ryan.

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Fuel Administrator Garfield announced the appointment of J. B. Neal as director of production of the fuel administration. One of the plans of the new office is to stimulate production.

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The second largest wheat crop in the history of the country is in prospect for this year's harvest. The department of agriculture forecast a total of 931,000,000 bushels of winter and spring wheat combined and held out the hope that with a continuation of the present ideal growing conditions a harvest of a billion bushels might be attained.

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Nearly 100 Socialists, I. W. W. members and slackers are being investigated by federal agents at Ashtabula, O. The men were rounded up in a series of raids in which a quantity of literature was seized.

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After F. H. Mayland, alleged pro-German clothier, had been attacked by a mob of 300 men at Muskogee, Okla., United States officers in a search of his clothing store found 500 pounds of flour hidden in suit boxes.

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Experimental airplane mail service between New York and Boston was inaugurated when Lieutenant Webb, United States army, started on the initial flight from Belmont Park, L. I.

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More than 1,000 persons were made homeless by a fire of undetermined origin which swept through the Mexican district in Jerome, Ariz., and destroyed more than one hundred houses.

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Lieut. Georges C. Falchaire, the French ace, completed a flight from Washington to Montreal Wednesday.

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The Chicago stock yards strike of about 1,500 cattle handlers was called off Thursday. The men returned to work after the union leaders succeeded in having Federal Judge Alschuler appointed arbitrator.

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Personal

Charles Warren Fairbanks, former vice president of the United States and former United States senator from Indiana, died at Indianapolis. Death was due to nephritis. All members of the family except Maj. Richard Fairbanks, who is in France, were at his bedside.

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Washington

The state department has refused Germany's demands for the release of Capt. Lieut. Franz Rintelen in exchange for Siegfried Paul London, a citizen of the United States under arrest in Germany as a spy. Germany proposed the exchange of London and Rintelen through the Swiss government and threatened reprisals if the United States refused to make the exchange.

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A $16,000,000 appropriation for establishing balloon and seaplane stations to guard the United States against submarines and aircraft was asked of congress by the war department.

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Attacks on the navy department for permitting submarines to sink American ships off the Atlantic coast precipitated a sharp debate in the senate. Charges that senators invited the attacks by making inaccurate statements as to conditions in the United States were made by Senator Lewis of Illinois.

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Secretary McAdoo recommended in a letter to Chairman Kitchin of the house ways and means committee that the new revenue bill be drawn to raise $8,000,000,000 by taxation, one-third of the estimated $24,000,000,000 expenditures in the fiscal year 1919. He also recommended that a war-profits tax of high rate be established to be superimposed upon existing excess profits taxes.

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Two hundred and fifty thousand, or approximately one out of every four, young men who have become twenty-one years of age since June 5, 1917, voluntarily have offered their lives in defense of their country before being required to do so under the law making them subject to the draft regulations, says a dispatch from Washington.

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European War News

Italian forces broke into enemy trenches on the Monte Di Val Bella front, taking 50 prisoners, six machine guns and a quantity of materials, the Italian war office announced at Rome.

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The official French report reveals the fact that the Germans have a new airplane which is much larger and more powerful than any previously reported. The machine has four motors, and was brought down on June 1 in the region of Nantmenil le Haudonin. Its crew of eight men was made prisoner.

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A diplomatic dispatch to Washington from Switzerland says that Prince von Buchau, the commanding general of a Bavarian division, has been killed in the fighting on the Marne.

Brief Items of State News

Sauk Rapids.—The farmers around Sauk Rapids are planning a big picnic June 21 at the fair grounds.

St. Cloud.—Three Held brothers, who recently enlisted here, were said by the recruiting officer to be the finest physical specimens he ever examined. Their father will also get into the game as a shipbuilder.

St. Cloud—John L. Dominik has resigned as county auditor after being in the auditor's office for the past fifteen years and is now a candidate for the office of clerk of court.

International Falls.—The local recruiting officer has received a telegram authorizing him to enlist fifty young men between the ages of 18 and 21 for a course in the government industrial training school.

St. Paul.—Mark Skinner, vice president of the First National Bank of this city, has been appointed Twin Cities representative of the wool division of the Federal war industries board, under Director Lewis Penwell.

Rochester.—The body of Henry W. Fuchs, high school graduate, who was drowned at Oronoco, has not yet been found, although scores of searches followed the river banks down for miles and also dragged the river for a distance.

Minnesota Lake.—Governor J. A. Burnquist was the principal speaker on the program at the three day state firemen's tournament held here. Referring to the world war, the governor urged the necessity of all citizens uniting to defeat the German military machine.

Bemidji.—Walter Garrity, a transient, is serving a jail sentence of ninety days for insulting a member of the Bemidji detachment of the Fourth Minnesota infantry. Garrity was arraigned in municipal court charged with saying to the soldier, "I wish you and your dirty uniform were in h——l."

International Falls.—Every resident of this town will sing "America" at 7 p. m. every day, according to a movement just started. The women have become particularly active in promoting interest in patriotic songs. The latest venture is a women's patriotic chorus, which sings at moving picture theaters twice each day.

St. Paul.—Senator Kellogg, has been informed by the War department that the request of Governor Burnquist, presented to Secretary Baker, that National guard troops be not used as replacement units has been denied. Military necesity has dictated that this be done and the practice will be continued so long as the military demands make it necessary.

St. Paul.—An order making idleness a crime punishable for fine has been adopted by the state public safety commission. The order is based on the necessity of utilizing the maximum man-power toward the prosecution of the war and particularly to provide labor to take the places of man who have left food production and other civilian occupations to enlist in military service.

St. Paul.—Investigations of the price of ice and foodstuffs and other necessities in Brainerd and Minneapolis will be made by Colonel C. H. March of the State Public Safety Commission. The inquiries were ordered by the commission. The Colonial cafe, Minneapolis, made complaint that the price of ice in that city within a few months has advanced $1.50 a ton and is now fixed at 22½ cents a hundred pounds.

St. Paul.—Ruling that 1,600 acres of pine land in Itasca park was taken by selection under a railway grant before land for the park was given to the state, the United States supreme court dismissed proceedings brought by the state to enjoin the secretary of the interior from permitting the Immigration Land Co., St. Paul, from taking the tract under the railway selection. State officials say the piece is covered with an unusually fine stand of virgin pine and has been valued at $75,000.

Duluth.—Members of the United Commercial Travelers Association of the northwest held a two days' convention here. Delegates were here from the twin cities, southern Minnesota and several North Dakota and Wisconsin cities. Knights of the grip went sight-seeing in automobiles. At night the members formed in parade and marched to the Billy Sunday tabernacle for the evening service. They displayed lodge emblems.

St. Paul.—George Reimers, enemy alien, Brownton, McLeod county, was arrested today under a Presidential warrant issued to United States Marshale Joseph Wessel, "charged with being dangerous to the peace and welfare of the nation." Reimers was taken to the Ramsey county jail by Frank L. Bradley, deputy United States marshal to await the order for his internment. He is alleged to have told officials that he hoped he would have chance to get back and fight for Germany.

Mahnomen.—About 1,000 sheep and 500 lambs, driven through from Akeley, arrived at the Schemmerhorn ranch, east of Beaulieu. The sheep were shipped from Wyoming to Akeley and sold to Mr. Schemmerhorn. It took about two weeks to drive them through from Akeley, but they arrived in good shape.

International Falls.—At a meeting of the fire department it was decided to go after the 1921 convention, and a delegation of members and a number of boosters went for the Montevideo convention to work for this city.

Wadena.—Six hunderd dollars have been subscribed for the purpose of beautifying the grounds at the Wadena Todd county sanatorium, located here.

Hibbing.—George F. Gandsey, the first Hibbing boy to enter the Merchant Marine is now in service, according to a letter received by T. C. Congdon.

Winona.—Harry J. Webster, aviator, who was killed when his airplane caught fire on the Fort Worth, Texas, flying field, was a former student at the Winona high school, graduating in the class of 1913.

Bemidji.—Dr. G. M. Palmer has received a telegram, ordering him to report at New York, June 17, prepared to leave for France for important duty with the Y. M. C. A. in war work in the battle zone.

Bemidji.—On the last day of school the totals were footed in the Thrift Stamp sales by the seventh and eighth grades of the high school building and showed $1,043.25 collected.

Brainerd. — Graduation exercises were held at the opera house. The commencement speaker was C. W. Burns. The class numbered sixty-two, the largest graduating class in the history of the Brainerd high school.

Mankato.—Steps have been taken for a county option election in Blue Earth county the coming summer. At a meeting of 100 men at the armory an organization was formed to get the necessary petitions circulated and to take charge of the campaign afterwards.

Sauk Center.—The Central Minnesota division of the National Parks Highway association will hold its annual meting here June 14. The association cares for the interest of the National Parkway of the "Red Trail" from New York to Seattle.

St. Cloud.—Threee race meets each day will form one of the features of the big patriotic celebration to be held July 4 and 5 under the auspices of the Benton County Fair association and the Business Men's associations of St. Cloud and Sauk Rapids.

Minneapolis.—All previous records for collection of internal revenue in Minnesota were broken in May, and Minnesota is probably first in collections of Western and Northwestern states. A total of $28,628,395.15 was collected, $26,834,980.92 of which is income and excess profit taxes.

Brainerd.—The council, 6 to 1, passed the amendment to the gas ordinance premitting the Brainerd Gas & Electric company to raise the price 35 cents a thousand for the duration of the war and not to exceed two years after peace is declared, when the older cheaper rate automatically takes effect again.

Mankato.—While under the influence of liquor a man, giving the name of Johnnie Johnson, set fire to a matress and bed clothes in the Wilson rooming house. The flames were extinguished without calling the fire department and Johnson was locked up for the night in the police station, then released on condition he pay the damage.

Virginia.—Mike Pelar and Frank Frekovich, employed in the Missabe Moutain mine pit, were taken from work by police and locked up on the charge of making seditious statements during an argument with another mine worker. They were boosting Germany's cause in the war, saying that the kaiser's crowd would win, Americans could not fight, etc.

Welcome.—Welcome is dry for the first time in 25 years as the result of a ruling by County Attorney, A. R. Allen. Mr. Allen held that legal notices in the applications for renewal of licenses were improperly worded and ordered the three saloons closed for three weeks. Two of the saloons will not apply for renewal of licenses, it is said. With Welcome's saloons closed only one saloon is in operation between La Crosse, Wis., and Sioux Falls, S. D.

Moorhead.—After drawing the fire department from its headquarters on a false alarm, an incendiary set fire to the city building. The city building, a three-story frame structure was destroyed. The Fargo fire department, across the river was called on a second alarm. Suspicious letters in German, some on letterheads of a german consulate which had been closed since war was declared in Germany, were found under a barn here.

St. Paul.—For the fifth successive month the Minnesota recruiting district has bettered its record for the previous month. Gradually climbing from an obscure position near the bottom of the list of sixty-four recruiting districts in the country in April, the Minnesota district bettered San Francisco district, which has been leading the country for the last two years. In April, 1,103 recruits were procured in the state, which is believed to be the highest record in the country. When the final count was mad for May, however, it was found that 1,240 recruits had entered the service. A rush of men during the last few days of the month netted 175 men May 31, which was the banner day for the month. The rush was largely of men 21 years of age, who would be compelled to register June 5.

Hibbing.—The latest draft call will not take many from the range as it affects only Class 1 men and there are very few left in either Hibbing or Chisholm. There will be special calls for men to induct themselves and this will probably afford an opportunity for men in lower classes to get into service before they are called.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has issued a proclamation designating Tuesday, June 18, as Good roads day in Minnesota. People of the state are urged by the governor to contribute labor, material or money toward road improvements on that day.

LARGE GROWTH IN TRADE FLEET

Ten Million Gross Tons, Barring Army and Navy Craft, Sailing the Seas.

OUTPUT IS INCREASING

Tonnage Produced During the Month of May Three Times Greater Than in January—Merchant Marine Is Second Only to Great Britain.

Washington, June 11.—For the first time since the war began the steady growth of the American merchant marine in all classes of vessels was revealed in statistics from deaprtment of commerce, showing that in the first five months of this year there have been built in the United States and officially numbered by the bureau of navigation, a total of 639 vessels of 687,055 gross tons.

Ten Million Gross Tons.

The merchant fleet of the United States now amounts to approximately 10,000,000 gross tons, not including merchant craft under control of the army and navy as transports and supply ships.

At the beginning of January, 26,742 merchant vessels of 9,343,224 gross tons were flying the Stars and Stripes on trips across the Atlantic with food and munitions, into the Caribbean and Pacific with American products for foreign customers and on the lakes and rivers of this country as part of the nation's domestic transportation system.

This tremendous fleet is second only to the merchant tonnage of Great Britain.

It includes all the new vessels built under the direction of the shipping board and thousands of smaller craft.

Steady Increase in Ships.

There has been a steady increase in new ships this year, the May tonnage being three times as great as the January output.

In the first month of 1918 there were 57 ships of 64,795 tons given official numbers.

In February 84 ships of 117,601 gross tons were numbered.

March saw a notable jump in the production of small ships, numbers being awarded to 138, the tonnage being 147,145.

The record in April was 165 ships of 163,050 tons and in May 185 ships of 194,464 tons.

In a single month this year the American merchant fleet has grown almost as great as during the entire first year of the war.

ORGANIZING PRAYER LEGION

Religious Workers Will Enlist Thousands of Women.

Washington, June 11.—An effort to mobilize legions of women to maintain a continuous prayer for American victory in war and protection of American soldiers is being made by the National Asociation for Mothers of Defenders of Democracy, with the approval of Cardinal Gibbons and of Dr. McFarland, secretary of the Council of Churches of Christ.

Each person joining will contribute one minute at an assigned hour in the day to silent prayer.

Registration and assignment to duty is being arranged by headquarters of the association at New York.

READY FOR ENEMY ATTACKS

Americans in Montdidier Region Are Heavily Bombarded.

With the American Army in France, June 11.—While the Americans in the Montdidier region were subjected to a heavy bombardment, no infantry attack against them developed during the first phase of the new battle.

The Americans are waiting and ready for whatever may happen. They will resist to the utmost any onslaught against the front they are defending.

Attacks by the Germans in the Marne sector have again been repulsed by the Americans, who inflicted heavy losses on the enemy.

ARE GIVEN PRISON TERMS

Six St. Paul Socialists Draw 25 Years Under Martial Law.

Camp Dodge, Iowa, June 11.—Six St. Paul Socialists, who refused to obey military commands, were sentenced to 25 years at hard labor at Fort Leavenworth, it was announced.

Those sentenced were:

Gunnard Johnson, Carl W. Johnson, Axel Carlson, Richard A. Carlson, Morris Kamman and William Tresler.

Four of the men testified they left Sweden to escape military service.

Senator Pleased at Plane Work.

Washington, June 11.—Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia, a member of the senate military affairs committe investigating the aviation program, returned to Washington from the Wright factory at Dayton, Ohio, enthusiastic over the propect of the production of battleplanes of great speed.

"The day before I arrived at Dayton," said Senator Smith, "17 battleplanes were completed. The De Haviland fours are being manufactured at this factory.

HOW MRS. BOYD AVOIDED AN OPERATION

Canton, Ohio.—"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well.

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THEN HE STRAIGHTENED UP

General's Indignation Probably Made Him Forget His Aching Back for a Few Moments.

A newly arrived general stepped out of the staff car and was "taken over" by the guide who was to lead him to this particular part of his tour of inspection. The two went forward alone, and very soon the guide made a sign, and whispered to the general to leave the duck boards and come close in to the hedge. The general was tall, and he bent low to keep his head from showing above the hedge.

Now and again the general whispered a question and the guide whispered in reply. The former began to feel a pain in the back through so long maintaining a bent position.

"How far away is the nearest Boche?" whispered the general, thinking he might straighten his back and risk a sniper's bullet.

"About four miles," whispered the guide.

"Then what the deuce are you whispering for?" roared the general.

"Can't help it, sir. Been like it for three weeks. Worst cold I've ever had."

Proving the Contrary.

"He makes $5,000 a year as an aviator." "And yet people say you can't live on air."

When you think of Wheat-Saving foods, think of POST TOASTIES —SUPERIOR CORN FLAKES —says Bobby

EXPERT'S TRIBUTE TO WESTERN CANADA SOIL

That there is good reason for the wonderful crops of grain grown in Western Canada, which have made thousands of former residents of the United States wealthy, is not always given the thought that it deserves is quite apparent. But that there must be a reason is quite evident. Probably more than one—but the one that requires emphasis—is that the soil is of the nature that will produce good crops. It was not long since that the farmer selected his land in the most haphazard way. He need not do so today. He will select it on the soil analysis plan. Soil from Western Canada was submitted to Prof. Sievens, soil physicist of the State College of Washington, at Pullman, Wash. His report should no doubt further encourage settlement in Western Canada. It reads as follows:

"We have analyzed this sample and find that it runs high in lime, very high in potash, phosphorus and in nitrogen; that it has a splendid supply of organic matter and is in the best of physical condition. There is nothing wrong with this soil from the standpoint of crop production, and I am satisfied that it will give splendid results wherever put under cultivation."

It is soil like this properly worked, and on scientific lines, as is the rule today, that gives the opportunity to quote the experiences of farmers who have increased their incomes from $500 to $30,000 in two seasons, and whose story would read as follows:

"I have threshed altogether 7,000 bushels of No. 1 Northern wheat from 200 acres, which went from 24 to 56 per acre—sod breaking 24, spring plowing 36, back setting 56 bushels—the average being 35 bushels per acre."

The newspaper giving an account of this man's experience says: "When he disposed of his 1,600 acres from north of Brooks, Alta, to four Oak Harbor men, he was worth $30,000. Two years ago he came here with $500 and a few horses."

It is the soil of Western Canada, and the knowledge of what it will do that brings to Canada the hundreds of settlers that are daily arriving at the border. A growing enthusiasm for the fertile prairie lands of Western Canada is spreading all over the continent. This enthusiasm is the recognition of the fact that sufficient food could be produced on these prairie lands to feed the world. From the south, east and west, hundreds of men, too old for military service, are pouring into Western Canada to take up land or to work on the farms. A great many of the incoming settlers have arrived at such central points as Calgary, Edmonton, and Lethbridge, Alberta, and at Regina, Moose Jaw, and Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. Judging from the bulk of their household effects, the number of their horses and cattle, and the quantity of implements they are bringing with them, most of the new arrivals also seem well blessed with the world's goods.

Reports from North Portal, Saskatchewan; Coutts, Alberta, and Kingsgate, British Columbia—the principal gateways into Western Canada from the United States—indicate that the present influx of farmers is in such volume as has not been witnessed for many years. From Vancouver, British Columbia, people are going to the prairies for summer farm work, many with the intention of taking up land themselves at the end of the summer.

The influence of this tide of farmer settlers on greater food production will be more readily appreciated when it is considered that the average settler takes up at least twice as much land as he has hitherto been farming—and land which, acre for acre, produces better and larger crops.—Advertisement.

Sufficient Reason.

Mamma—"Why, Tommie, you look quite pale!" Tommie—"Yes'm; I've washed my face twice today!"

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Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

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It isn't necessary to explain why some men can keep their minds on small objects.

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Some people make a virtue of necessity as a last resort.

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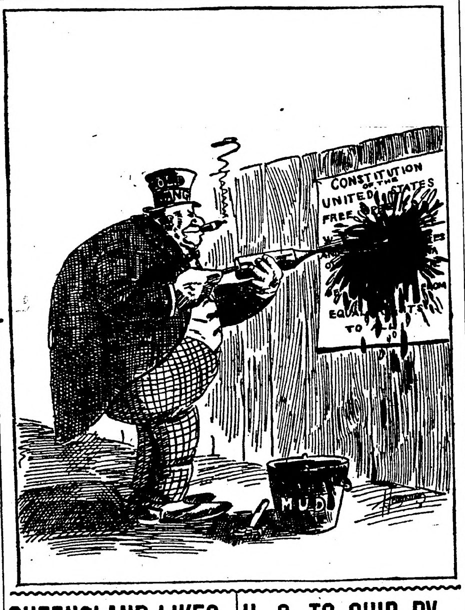
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QUEENSLAND LIKES LEAGUE PRINCIPLES

Labor Party Tries State Marketing Two Years and Is Returned to Power.

The principles upon which the Nonpartisan League platform is based have just received striking vindication on the other side of the world. The people of Queensland, Australia, recently returned the labor government to power by an overwhelming majority after it had established and operated for one and two years many state-owned marketing and other public utilities, such as are advocated by the League in America. Of the new members of the parliament elected, 48 are members of the Labor party and only 24 represent the profiteers.

As soon as the Laborites went into power two years ago they began to establish state-owned marketing facilities, such as elevators, packing plants, stock yards, slaughter houses, storage plants, ware houses, bank and a state insurance department. Every one of these things is demanded by the League platform.

People Indorse Policy.

After two years of trial, the people of Queensland have endorsed the conditions established by greatly increasing the Labor party vote. It is said that one of the principle benefits from these state owned facilities was a great reduction in the cost of living. For instances roast sirloin was cut from 24 to 13 cents a pound. fillet steak from 36 to 16 cents a pound; rump steak form 30 to 15 cents a pound; insurance rates from about $17.62 to $5.86. While these great reductions were enjoyed by the consumers, the farmers and stock growers received better prices than ever. It was because the government was acting as middleman in many instances and distributing farm produce at cost.

The campaign was fought to a conclusion on the straight out issue, "Shall the government enter the field of industry and help the people, or shall it confine itself to governing?" The Liberals made much of their slogan, "The Duty of Government is To Govern and Not To Trade." But the people had tasted the benefits of government "trading" and came back to its support in greater numbers than before.

Unreasonable Profits Shown

Charges that mineral producers are exacting exhorbitant prices were recently made before the Mining Committee by R. M. Rice, purchasing agent of the Labelle Iron Works, of Steubenville, Ohio. He said the price of fluorspar had been raised from $6 a ton to $35 a ton and that the entire product was controlled by two companies in lower Illinois. This increase in the cost of fluorspar, he said operated to put up the cost of steel. He also said the embargo placed upon manganese will produce a serious situation in this country in the steel industry unless steps are taken to produce manganese in the United States.

Soldier Insurance Is Success.

The Official Bulletin of the Washington administration announces that government insurance for soldiers and sailors which organized farmers and organized labor urged at their conference in St. Paul in September 1917 and which had since been enacted into law, is a great success. On April 6 it had been in operation six months and during that time it had insured soldiers, sailors and nurses to the number of over 1,700,000. The grand total of the insurance carried is approximately $14,000,000,000.

U. S. TO SHIP BY INLAND WATERWAYS

River and Lake Routes and Cheap Transportation Effects of Government Control.

Government operation of railroads has just led to one far-reaching effect in transportation that has been impossible under private operation; grain, coal and cotton—every product that is not perishable—will be shifted from rail to water, as soon as possible, over canals, rivers, lakes and coastwise routes.

An appropriation of $25,000,000 has been asked for to improve Gulf, Atlantic and Lake ports. That will be but a beginning. The first fifty power-barges and the first fifty tugs for river and canal haulage now being constructed, will be followed by others very quickly. The program covers the entire United States.

Waterways Were Abandoned.

This will work a revolution in economy in the transportation of freight. Water routes are the cheapest routes known for transportation. The wonder in the minds of many is that we ever abandoned our great inland waterways particularly on the Mississippi and its tributaries. The explanation lies in the fact that our railroads were in private hands that had become by virtue of their great industrial power able to prevent the use of these natural and cheap waterways and compel the nation to use its rail routes almost exclusively.

More than a generation ago water transportation by our river systems began to fall into decay through the exercise of this railroad influence. The truth is, these two methods of transportation naturally supplement each other and when they are used together the nation will benefit enormously in cheaper transportation.

This could never have been possible as long as private interests operated the railroads. It is a tremendous argument for government ownership of transportation.

See Other Side.

There are two sides to every question, but some of the great newspapers of the country seem to assume that there is only one side to the Nonpartisan League and that side is the one supplied by its enemies. An impartial investigator would at least try to get the opinion of the majority in North Dakota in regard to this organization and not depend wholly on the testimony of a hopeless, but vitally interested minority.

Wilson's Book Best Seller.

Every arrest of an official of the Nonpartisan League has been by local officials. The pamphlet on which indictments were brought against league officials in two counties have been in circulation for nine months and are still circulating with the full knowledge of the United States Department of Justice, the Post Office department and the Minnesota Public Safety Commission.

Federal Farm Loans Large.

The sum of $13,988,619 was paid out to farmers by the Federal Farm Loan Board during the month of April. The grand total of the loans made up to April 30 is $91,951,886. Of this amount the St. Paul district has taken more than any other, having a total of $15,424,000 and the Spokane district is next with $14,229,785.

The government's recent displacement of the railroad managers by men of its own is another sign of the times.

ALLIES HOLDING NEW FOE DRIVE

Big Teuton Force Started On Paris Advance Makes Less Than 3 Miles.

RESERVES ARE MASSED

French Artillery Inflicts Terrible Execution on Enemy—Flanking Moves Attempted But Wings Hold Firmly Against Onslaught.

London, June 11.—Comparatively slow progress, attended by losses described as enormous, is being made by the Germans in their latest effort to break the Allied front against the line from Noyon to the eastern suburbs of Montdidier, coming quickly after the force of the offensive on the Aisne had been spent, has encountered stern resistance and it is only over a comparatively short section of the line that the enemy has made appreciable gains. The deepest penetration reported so far is approximately 2¾ miles.

It has been believed since the drive toward Amiens stopped that General Ferdinand Foch had the greater bulk of his reserves in or near the area that is now being attacked. Not only are these troops within striking distance of the front, but there are natural obstacles which also militate against the entire success of the German assault.

High Hills Aid Defense.

The high hills, which now are the scene of heavy fighting, are outposts of the positions which are prepared along the Oise river, which bisetcs the field upon which the battle will be fought if the first lines of defense are overwhelmed.

The present assault on the line east of Montdidier may be considered as a complement of the offensive along the Aisne and when the map is studied it will be seen that the "pincer" system followed by Mackensen in Russia, Serbia and Rumania is again at work.

Flanking Moves Attempted.

If the thrust just west of Noyon succeeds in gaining extensive ground, it will approach the line from Soissons to Chateau Thierry and positions taken up by the Allies there would forced. On the other hand, if the drive gains ground further west, it will outflank the positions held by the French and Americans at Montdidier and compel their adjustment, with the resultant uncovering of Amiens.

The wings, however, seem to be holding firmly and the only gains so for made have been in almost the center of the line where they are least harmful to the security of the fronts on either side of the new battle area.

200,000 in Attack.

According to advices from the front the Germans have thrown more than 200,000 men against the line which measures a little more than 20 miles in length.

In the center the German attacking waves reached Ressons sur Matz and Mareuil, about three miles apart, marking an advance of 2¾ miles. Paris reports this advance as "murderous" for the Germans. On the left wing the most the enemy could gain was about one third of a mile while on the right he was checked after crossing the first or "covering line" of the French defense

272 NAMES ON CASUALTY LIST

Several Soldiers From Northwest Appear in Reports.

Washington, June 11.—The two last casualty lists issued contain the names of 272 men. The names of soldiers from the northwest appear in the list as follows:

Private Ivan Stringer, Stewartville, Minn., killed in action; Private James L. Cannon, Dancy, Wis., Private Louis F. Stebin, St. Paul, Minn., died of disease; Corporal Herman Cannon, Minneapolis, Minn., Private Mike Maier, Valley City, N. D., severely wounded; Private Edward J. Cizek, Isobel, S. D., wounded.

YANKS HOLD 25 MILE FRONT

Germans Concentrate Troops Opposite Toul Sector.

With the American Army in Lorraine, June 11.—American observers report continuation of the German concentration of troops opposite the Toul sector and farther east, opposite Nancy. Boche aviators and aircraft guns are increasingly active in attacking American observation balloons. The Journal de Geneve, in a recent issue, announced that the Americans are holding about 25 miles front in Lorraine.

Alsace Is Estranged

Copenhagen, June 11.—In denouncing the arrests of thousands of peaceful citizens of Alsace-Lorraine by the German military authorities, Herr Wendel, Socialist deputy, declared in the Reichstag yesterday that the military had alienated the sympathies of the majority of the people of Alsace-Lorraine, with the result that today they favored France, "not because of any particular love for the Tri-Color, but because of resentment at the German military rule."

Think It Another Dog.

"Does your dog bark at the moon?" "Certainly not—he barks at the dog star."—Florida Times-Star.

Not for Education.

"Jones was educated at Harvard, wasn't he?" "No! he merely went there."—Boston Transcript.

Important Discovery.

"How long have they been married?" "Long enough to discover that they can't both have their own way all the time."

The bicycle is still barred from the streets of Constantinople or the highways leading to it.

What is Castoria

CASTORIA is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhœa; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-Good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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It's the Acid Test of Man and Eatonic They Both Win!

It takes a big man to stand up and say "I am wrong and willing to do right"; and it is needless to say that this poor sufferer will not want for EATONIC as long as he lives.

To stomach sufferers and those not getting full strength out of their food, suffering from indigestion, dyspepsia, sour stomach, bloaty, gassy feeling after eating, stomach distress of any kind, we say, Go, get a box of EATONIC today, use it according to the directions and you will know what real stomach comfort means. Tens of thousands all over the land are using EATONIC and testify to its powers to heal. If you suffer another day it is your own fault.

EATONIC costs little—a cent or two a day. Buy EATONIC from your druggist.

Most Startling Endorsement Ever Published

Mr. A. W. Cramer, Registered Pharmacist and Druggist of Plano, Illinois, writes under date of December 12, 1916:

"Eatonic Remedy Co., Chicago, Ill.

Gentlemen:—The following incident which happened in my place of business I know will be of great interest to you, and, I hope, of great benefit to humanity, morally and physically.

I keep a quantity of EATONIC piled on my show case. I recently missed a box, and knowing neither myself nor clerk had sold it, I could not account for its disappearance. Yesterday morning a man walked into my store and said: "Mr. Cramer, I owe you fifty cents for a box of EATONIC which I stole from your show case. I am bothered with stomach trouble and, not having the money to spare to get a box, I took it. EATONIC has done me so much good my conscience bothered me until I had to come back and pay for it."

This is the most wonderful testimonial statement in all my experience in the interest of any preparation. It is positive proof, to my mind, that EATONIC is all that is claimed for it. If it had not helped this man his conscience would have left him unmolested. Very truly yours,

A. W. Cramer."

Send for the "Help" Book, Address Eatonic Remedy Co., 1018-24 So. Wabash Ave., Chicago

As Age Advances the Liver Requires occasional slight stimulation.

Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price But Great in its Good Work

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS correct CONSTIPATION

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Colorless or Pale Faces usually indicate the absence of Iron in the blood, a condition which will be greatly helped by Carter's Iron Pills

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"This letter from your son is very short."

"Naturally. So was he when he wrote it."

A married man says that the best alarm clock is his wife's elbow.

CHIROPRACTIC (Spinal Adjustments) will remove the CAUSE of YOUR troubles so that Nature can restore your health. Investigate! Others do, why not YOU? See GEO. A. NEWSALT Fargo's Pioneer Chiropractor Savings and Loan Bldg. Phone 1235W. Lady Attendant.

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Appetizing Vienna Sausage

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Announcement.

Hereby announce myself for re- ection as Sheriff of Marshall Co., an and respectfully solicit your and influence at the Primary ection to be held on the 17th day June 1918.

Hans C. Hanson.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Take Notice

Being a candidate for the nomina- n to the office of Register of Deeds, will appreciate the support of my ends and your votes at the Pri- ry June 17th.

Louis M. Olson.

Notice of Cancellation of Contract

To Dan S. Kahler: Take notice at you are in default under and cording to the terms, conditions d provisions of that certain con- act for deed dated July 13th, 16, whereby the Thief River Val- Land Co., a Corporation, agreed convey unto you upon full per- rmance by you on your part of the rms, conditions and provisions ereof reference to which con- act for more particularity is hereby ade the following described real operty in the County of Marshall d State of Minnesoto, to-wit;

he West One Half (W1-2) of Sec- n Sixteen (16) Township One undred Fifty Seven (157) Range rty-five (45) according to the ficial survey thereof; and that cording to the provisions of said ntract there became due and pay- le from you to the Thief River alley Land Company, A Corpora- on the sum of Five Hundred Dol- rs ($500.00) on the 13th Day of ly, 1917, with interest thereon the rate of 6 per cent per annum om and after the 13th Day of ly, 1918 and by the powers con- ned in the above described con- act the full sum and interest is ow declared due and payable by he undersigned as disclosed by the ntract, amounting to Two Thous- nd One Hundred and Eighty Six nd 70-100 ($2,186.70) Dollars and he same is due and has not been id and at the date of this notice here is due and unpaid upon said ntract from you according to the rms thereof the sum of Two Thous- nd One Hundred Eighty Six and -100 ($2,186.70) Dollars and id default still exists.

NOW THEREFORE, You are ereby notified that unless on or fore thirty (30) days after service this notice upon you that you pay the undersigned the Thief River lley Land Company, A Corpora- n of Thief River Falls, Minne- ta the sum of Two Thousand One undred and Eighty Six and 70-100 ,186.70) Dollars or pay said sum the First State Bank, now the st and Peoples State Bank, of ief River Falls, Minnesota, the esignated agent of the undersigned rporation with interest from the te of notice at 6 per cent per an- um until paid on the sum of ,186.70 and pay the costs of ser- e of this notice upon you, the id contract for deed will be can- led and terminated and all your ht title and interest thereunder in and to the lands and property vered therein as aforesaid will be feited and annulled.

Such cancellation shall take ef- ninety (90) days after service of is notice has been made upon you.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minn- this 11th Day of June 1918.

Thief River Valley Land Company,
by W. H. Frederick,
ORPORATE SEAL] President.
of last Publication July 5th 1918.

Buy Baby Bonds.

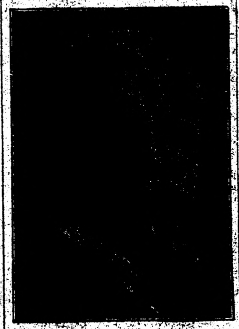
War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

Buy a Kaiser chaser

Help the Red Cross We Need Money

To Decide Next Monday.

It is time for sticking to tried and true servants. Those who have proven their worth should be retained. The biggest job in the history of the country confronts us as a nation. The retention of the men who have from the beginning been a part and a parcel of the war congress is not only good ordinary business sense, but also a patriotic duty.



For this reason Congressman Steenerson should be re-elected. He should be re-elected for the further reason that in him the farmers of the 9th district have a man representing them in congress who has proven his concern for their welfare on every occasion where anything pertaining to their interests that has come up. He has fought valiantly to secure a reasonable price for their wheat. He has demanded the adjustment of the grading laws so that the farmer shall receive in full what he is entitled to for his crop.

Steenerson has never failed in his duty toward soldier, sailor or settler. He is lending all his support and influence to the administration in the prosecution of the war. He refuses to come home for the purpose of making a campaign, believing that the people have the first call upon his time and that their interests demand that he shall stay on the job. To fail to give him an endorsement at the primaries would be like penalizing him for doing his duty too well.—Thief River Falls Times.

To The Voters of Marshall County

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds.

Having served one term as your Register of Deeds, my past record will vouch for my qualifications.

Thanking you for the generous support received at the last election, and hoping that I may again receive your support and vote at the Primary Election on June 17th, 1918, I beg to remain your servant for another term.

CHAS. E. GRINDER.

O. F. Mellby, M.D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 106, Residence 167

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minnesota, June 1st 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Algot Johnson of Germantown Minnesota, who on Jan. 16th 1915 made Homestead Entry, No. 011715, for S. E. 1-4, Section 9, Township 155 N., Range 41 W., 5th. Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 8th. day of July, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Salve Tharaldsen, O. T. Tharaldsen Alexander Magee, H. Clausen, all of Germantown Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

The second annual picnic of the Farmers Clubs of Marshall county will be held June 15 th. in the grove 3 miles east of Argyle.

FOUND:- Satchel or case, containing papers and account books marked H. H. Harding.

Carpenters were here Monday and Tuesday putting in a direct loading spout at the Hanson & Barzen elevator, which will make the work much easier for Mr. Jones, their efficient agent.

A Rousing Rally at Golden Valley

Tuesday May 28th the members with their wives, children and friends gathered at the home of Edwin C. Johnson to attend a picnic for the Non-partisan League. As the crowd neared the picnic grounds they were greeted by "Old Glory" floating to and fro by the gentle breezes of the day.

The program was opened by an address by Mr. Frank M. Barton, Republican candidate for congress ninth Minnesota Dist., leaving the impression with the audience that he is a man well qualified for the office he is seeking. Then last but not least Mr. S. R. Maxwell was introduced to the crowd by Mr. Larson of Golden Valley. Mr. Maxwell spoke in behalf of the Non-Partisan League and the welfare of its members (The farmers and laborers) and what it will mean, not only for the farmers and laborers but to their wives and children and generations hereafter. It will mean better homes, better and more contented farmers and laborers, better farm improvements, smaller taxes happier homes better rural schools, so necessary for the benefit of our country.

It will mean more of the pleasures so denied the farmer's wife and children that some Profiteer cant rob them of their hard earned dollars. When the time comes in Nov. for election, I hope the League members will gain the rights they are seeking then it will be dollars instead of doughnuts. The program concluded by two League solos sung by Mr. Maxwell, after which a confectionery stand was run, which makes the finishing touches of a farmers picnic complete. Then the wagons, buggies and autos, which had come from far and near to attend the picnic, began to depart with the banners waving "Vote for Governor Lindberg," as the crowd was leaving.

A Booster for the League.

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }
In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District

Daisy Murphy, Plaintiff
vs
Harry Murphy, Defendant.

SUMMONS.

The State of Minnesota To The Above Named Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, a copy of which complaint is hereto attached and herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber, O. A. Naplin, at his office in the Citizens Bank building, in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and you are hereby notified that if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, then the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in her said complaint.

Dated April, 30th, 1918.

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
P. O. Address,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

To the above named defendant:

You are hereby notified that the original complaint in this action was filed in the office of the clerk of the above named court at Warren, Minnesota, on June 5, 1918.

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, which mortgage was duly executed and delivered by John H. Weinsierl and Bess Weinsierl, his wife, Mortgagors, to A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, bearingdate the 30th day of April, 1915 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota on the 5th day of May 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in book 71 of Mortgages, on page 396.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by the said A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, to The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., by written assignment, dated on the 1st day of June, 1915, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 14th day of August, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 75 of Mortgages on page 308.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., assignee, to Edward P. Sanborn by written assignment dated the 27th day of December, 1916, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in book 90 of Mortgages on page 431.

Which mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said Edward P. Sanborn, assignee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 29th day of April, 1918, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:10 o'clock P. M. in book 86 of Mortgages on page 172.

And whereas the said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and power of sale therein contained and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Seven Hundred and Eighteen and 64-100 ($718.64) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South half of the Northwest quarter (S 1-2 NW 1-4) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section One (1) in Township One Hundred Fifty eight (158) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota containing One Hundred Sixty and 90-100 (160.90) acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of July, 1918 at 10 o'clock A. M. of that date, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Seven Hundred Eighteen and 64-100 ($718.64) Dollars and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated June 5th 1918. Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn. (a corporation) Assignee of Mortgage.
A. N. Eckstrom, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage, Warren, Minnesota.

Washington, D. C.
June 1, 1918.

WAR INDUSTRIES BOARD
Wool Division
PERMIT To OPERATE

Permission is hereby granted to Thief River Hide & Fur Co., Thief River Falls, Minn., to operate as an approved wool dealer in country districts, for the 1918 clip, in conformity with the regulations of the War Industries Board.

LEWIS PENWELL,
Chief of Wool Division,
War Industries Board.

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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

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Pure Bred-Stallion

No. 4179

The pedigree of the stallion name Roy 84438
Owned by O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn,
Color Black. markings Strip.
Breed Percheron Foaled 1908

Sire Bowser 29085 Dam Marion 49298, has been examined at the College of Agriculture, Division of Animal Husbandry, and it is hereby certified that the said stallion is of pure breeding and is registered in a studbook recognized by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. The above named stallion has been examined by E. E. Pearson, a duly licensed Veterinarian, and is reported as free from infectious, contagious or transmissible disease, or unsoundness, and is licensed to stand for public service in the state of Minnesota. Dated at St. Paul, Minnesota, this 24th day of April, 1916.

Transferred from J. S. Semingson, Beltrami, Minn.

Will Stand in Holt for the season of 1918.

Terms of Service: Standing Colt $14.00. If mare is sold or traded to leave the country, fees become due.

O. J. Backlund, Owner, Holt, Minn.

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THE difference between a five dollar bill and a War Savings Stamp is that while they are both promises to pay, backed by all of the resources of the richest government in the world, a five dollar bill never gets any bigger than $5.00 and War Savings Stamps are worth a penny more each month for 5 years. War Savings Stamps are United States $5.00 bills which the Government is offering in February for $4.13 and in March for $4.14 and so on adding a penny each month until January 1st, 1923, when they will reach $5.00.

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Thrift Stamps cost 25 cents each. The Government furnishes Thrift Cards with spaces on them for 16 Thrift Stamps. Thrift Stamps bear no interest but are as good as cash. When the 16 spaces are filled, making $4.00 worth of Thrift Stamps, the owner takes the card to any bank or post office, pays the additional 13 cents or whatever it may be that month, and receives a War Savings Certificate and one War Savings Stamp.

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War Savers are Life Savers.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps at your post office or bank.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell; phone 140.

Oats for sale at the Red Lake Falls Elevator.

Mr. Strom went to Shelly last Friday to hold meetings.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sorenson a baby boy June 15th.

W. A. Lindahl was a visitor in T. R. Falls Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Coppy went to Grand Forks last week Thursday to visit relatives.

Herman Heinze was a business visitor in T. R. Falls the forepart of the week.

Arnold Peterson of Badger, came Monday for a few days visit with his brother, Cleve.

Miss Mamie Flak came last week Wednesday to visit her father, L. Flak and family.

A bright little baby girl was born Tuesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Monson.

Mr. Bagne and family of Gary visited with K. T. Knutson and family on Sunday.

Misses Albertina Nyberg, Dora and Celia Olson came Saturday from Fargo to visit relatives.

John Lein of Grafton, N. Dak., visited at the Gunheim home a few days the fore part of the week.

Miss Inga Johnson returned home Saturday from Crookston where she has been working for some time.

Misses Bettie Johnson and Hilma Nyberg went to Grand Forks one day last week for a few days visit.

Carl Christoferson and Nels Johnson are both off the section for a short time on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Hagelie and son Otto of Crookston, visited Jacob Nelson and family over Thursday night.

B. Docken and family, Miss Agnes Bakke and Ernest Phillipson enjoyed a days outing at Maple Lake last Sunday.

Mrs. John Sathre of Middle River assisted several days this week at the Bennes home, while Mr. and Mrs. Bennes visited in Fertile.

City Meat Market

Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides and Furs.
TERMS:- Cash. Postivaly no credit

O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

The Primary Election

Senator Nelson and Governor Burnquist have been re-nominated. A part of the state ticket seems to be in doubt. Wheaton probably has won the democratic nomination for Governor.

Steenerson secures the nomination again. Three of the Non-Partizian candidates may win places on the state ticket from lieutenant governor down.

Following is the primary election vote of Holt village, township and a few of the nearby townships.

Holt Village

Nelson 22		Peterson 19
Burnquist 10		Lindberg 28
Crane 15	Frankson 5	Stephens 13
Malmberg 18		Schmahl 18
Preus 11		Tjosvold 21
Fasel 26		Rines 6
Hilton 10		Sullivan 21
Caswell 6	Magnuson 9	Mueller 16
Putman 5		Tillquist 27
Steenerson 18		Barton 16
Hegnes 19	Holmstrom 18	Bell 2
Grinder 17	Olson 18	Willer 1
Aasland 19	Olson 12	Williams 1
	Hovelsos 1	

Holt Township

Nelson 27		Peterson 40
Burnquist 18		Lindberg 51
Crane 50	Frankson 8	Stevens 11
Malmberg 34		Schmall 25
Preus 15		Tjosvold 52
Fasel 54		Rines 14
Hilton 13		Sullivan 49
Magnuson 9		Mueller 52
Putman 11		Tillquist 55
Barton 46		Steenerson 22
Hegnes 15	Holmstrom 43	Bell 8
Grinder 28	Olson 16	Willer 21
Aasland 29		Hovelsos 8
Hohle 4	Olson 21	Williams 1

East Valley

Burnquist 7	Lindberg 32
Aasland 16	Olson 13

Adgar

Burnquist 7	Lindberg 37

Excel

Burnquist 15	Lindberg 89

Mud Lake

Burnquist 3	Lindberg 29

For Sale or Trade

Complete threshing rig for sale cheap or would consider a trade for a good car or a small tractor.

P. N. Peterson,
p2 R. 1. Newfolden, Minn.

Ole Backlund autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday.

Our boys are "making good" in France. Are we doing that here?

Albin Knauf came up from T.R. Falls Saturday for a short visit at the Kuehne home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg returned Saturday from a weeks visit at Mentor and Erskine.

Miss Alma Ingebrigtson of Fertile came Friday to visit at the home of her aunt Mrs. Jacob Nelson.

Commencing July first, rural mail carriers are to have an increase in salary varying according to the length of their routes. We understand fourth class postmasters have also been given a slight increase in salary.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken and children and Mrs. H. B. Young autoed to the Community Picnic Ground three miles from Argyle Saturday afternoon where a large crowd had assembled. The chief attraction in the afternoon was a game of ball between Winger and Big Woods township teams, the score being 5 to 6, Big Woods winning the laurels. It is estimated that about 1500 autoes from all parts of the county visited the grounds that day.

MARRIED

A pretty and quiet wedding was solemnised at the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Kuehne Saturday evening at 5 o'clock, when their daughter Emma, was united in marriage to Hjalmer Peterson in the presence of relatives only, Rev. Ordahl performing the ceremony. The bridal couple were attended by Miss Lillie Peterson as bridesmaid and Otto Kuehne as best man. The bride was prettily dressed in crepe-dechine, trimmed in beads and carried a boquet of white roses, the groom wore the conventional black.

The home was prettily decorated, the color scheme being white and pale green. Many useful and beautiful presents were presented to the happy couple afterwhich the company sat down to a delicious three course supper. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson are well known in and around Holt and their many friends join The News in wishing them a happy and successful journey thru life. Mr and Mrs. Peterson will reside in Holt where Mr. Peterson is engaged in the dray business.

Free Mission Church

Ole Moen will hold services here next Sunday at 3 o'clock and in the evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. K. Beck, a missionary will hold services here Tuesday evening June 25th at 8 o'clock.

The Ladies Aid of the Free Mission church will serve lunch in the basement June 28th. Everybody welcome.

East Valley News

The Zions Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Tom Severson, on Tuesday June 25th. at 2 P. M. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Clifford Erickson and baby, and Mrs. Clarence Knutson and baby called at A. C. Jahr's last Monday.

Nels Larson, Mildred and Lillian Jahr spent Tuesday evening at Fred Larson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Erickson and son Clayton, Mildred and Lillian Jahr, and H. M. Olson, autoed to High Landing Minn. last Friday to attend a picnic which was given there.

Raise lots of chickens this year as meat is going to be scarce.

The young men who registered for military service the fifth of this month may now enlist in the Marine Corps without waiting to be classified. Any postmaster will be glad to give full information on this subject.

Last weeks Warren papers gave the names of 94 men that are expected to entrain between June 24th and 30th for Camp Grant at Rockford, Ill. They stated slight changes might be made in the list of names as published. The names of four men from this vicinity were on the list, namely: Alfred Olson, Otto Kuehne, Axel Ring and John Ostlund, of Golden Valley. Some of these, probably all of them, have received notice to report in Warren at 10 o'clock Monday morning June 24th, for military service.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
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Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Southeast of Holt.

A large crowd was present at the picnic at Mrs. H. Peterson on Sunday and an enjoyable time was reported by all.

Ingvard Peterson, Mrs. Ensrud, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jenson and family of Pekin N. Dak. are the guests at the home of Mrs. H. Peterson these days.

Miss Laura Johnson is assisting Mrs. Frank Sterns with her work this week.

Messrs Oscar and Edwin Swanson are the owners of a brand new "Ford" car.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moe and son Clayton autoed up to the home of G. G. Moe on Sunday. They also visited relatives at Golden Valley and Thief River Falls before leaving for their home in Grafton N. Dak. Tuesday.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

There will be a 4th of July Celebration and School Picnic at Flak's place. Everybody bring their own lunches. A Program will be rendered consisting of Declamations, Readings and Orations.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Don't forget the "Lunch" in basement June 28th.

Marshall county fair July 3rd, 4th and 5th. A good time promised all who attend.

Mrs. Jacob Nelson went to Fertile last week Thursday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

The proceeds of the Red Cross picnic at Ralph Ness' last Sunday was between $75.00 and $80.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Peterson, Miss Lilly Peterson and Otto Kuehne autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Miss Inga Lee who has been visiting her sister at Fargo the past 3 weeks returned Tuesday to her home northwest of town.

Mr. Hussey of Crookston has commenced the work of building 14 bridges along the grade of ditch No. 27. This is the ditch that Olaf Johnson took the contract for last year.

Miss Luella Johnson came from Middle River Tuesday and visited a few days with friends here before departing for Golden Valley to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Johnson.

The county farm agent, John Husby, claims that the damage being done by cut worms is all on spring plowing and that they do not work on the fall plowed land. Cut worms can be killed by spraying the field with arsenate of lead, using 2 lbs of powder to 50 gallons of water.

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

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(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.03
Wheat No. 2	2.00
Wheat No. 3	1.97
Wheat No. 4	1.93
Flax	3.57
Oats	.64
Barley	48 to .85
Rye	1.78
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

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Holt, Minn.

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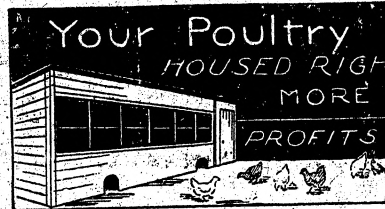

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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

U.S.—Teutonic War News

Forty sick and wounded soldiers from the expeditionary army were landed in the United States last week, the surgeon general reported at Washington.

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More than a million American men will be in service in France in the near future, declared Secretary of War Baker in an address to 137 graduates of the United States military academy at West Point, N. Y.

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Captain Charles of the American steamer Edward Pierce put into an Atlantic port after a desperate flight from a U-boat. The Pierce was pursued for several hours and many shells were hurled at her hulk.

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An appeal to the United States and the allies to send an expeditionary force to Russia to repel the German invaders, forwarded by the central committee of the Cadet party in Russia, was transmitted to the state department at Washington by the Russian embassy.

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Domestic

Maj. Alexander Lambert, medical director of the American Red Cross in France and president of the New York State Medical association, was elected president of the American Medical association at the convention held in Chicago, over Admiral William C. Braisted, surgeon in chief of the United States navy.

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Government control of the grain trade, together with a modification of the present fixed prices of $2.20 a bushel for wheat, the food administration grain corporation announced at New York, will be relinquished so far as possible in the near future.

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Franz von Rintelen, German spy and alleged relative of the kaiser, sought vainly to bribe his way out of the Tombs prison, it was revealed in New York.

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Henry Ford decided to accept the Democratic indorsement for nomination for senator from Michigan after being urged to do so by President Wilson.

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Former President William H. Taft said in an address at Rock Island, Ill., that the war would be over and won by the time the United States had been in the conflict three years.

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Elton Mitchell, a negro farm hand, was lynched by a mob at Earle, Ark. Mitchell shot and wounded Mrs. W. M. Langston, wife of a prominent Earle planter.

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Federal and state officers captured eight of a gang of sixteen alleged draft resisters and conspirators in a remote section of Saline county, 50 miles southeast of Little Rock, Ark.

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Investigation of the suspected plot to smuggle several hundred thousand dollars' worth of so-called Russian crown jewels into this country has led to the detention in Dallas, Tex., of Silliman Evans, formerly a clerk of the American legation at Copenhagen.

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One man was killed outright and 12 passengers injured near Salt Lake City when four coaches of the Denver & Rio Grande passenger train No. 1 left the rails and rolled into a ditch.

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A. L. Hitchcock, Socialist member of the Cleveland school board, convicted of violating the espionage act, was sentenced by Judge Killits to serve ten years in the Atlanta prison.

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Lieut. R. Bardwell of New York was killed and Major Brooks of Kansas City, commander at Scott field, Illinois, was probably fatally injured when their airplane fell 400 feet. It was said the "thin air" probably caused the men to lose control.

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The fate of Brent Dow Allinson of Chicago, poet, pacifist and conscientious objector to military service, now rests with President Wilson. The general court martial at Camp Grant, Ill., reached its findings in the Allinson case and it is said to have decided on an extreme punishment.

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Jack McGee of Pawtucket, an aviator who had given many exhibition flights in this country, was killed in an airplane accident at East Greenwich, R. I.

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Forty-five conscientious objectors were sentenced to life imprisonment at Dallas, Tex. The sentence of life imprisonment imposed by a court-martial on the conscientious objectors was revised to 25 years by Brig. Gen. O'Neil. The men are nearly all from Oklahoma and members of the Mennonite faith.

"Dayton excels all other cities in the country in the production of the war plane proper," said John D. Ryan, head of the aircraft production work in the country, after a trip around the city and a visit to the Dayton-Wright Airplane company plant.

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Loss of a half million dollars in crops, damage to levees and to a new pumping station resulted when the Indian Grave levee broke, three miles north of Quincy, Ill. Eight thousand acres are inundated.

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The estate of the late Henry Miller, valued at $30,000,000 and consisting mostly of lands and cattle in California, Washington, Oregon and Nevada, was seized by the government for nonpayment of federal income taxes amounting to $6,000,000, it was announced by Justus S. Wardell, collector of internal revenue at San Francisco.

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President Wilson telegraphed to the American Federation of Labor and the American Alliance of Labor and Democracy, in convention at St. Paul, Minn., urging renewed efforts of labor in support of the war program. No controversy between capital and labor should be permitted to interfere with the prosecution of the war, the president said.

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Speaking at Charlotteville, Va., at commencement exercises of the University of Virginia, Secretary Daniels declared that good would come out of the world war in that it would teach the lesson that "the rule of force must be resisted successfully at every cost and at the supremest sacrifice. We shall pay heavy toll before victory comes," he said, "but all is not staked on a single battle."

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European War News

The loss of the Austrian battleship Szent Istvan—torpedoed in the Adriatic by Italian destroyers, is officially announced in Vienna. The Austrian official communication says that several officers and 80 of the crew of the battleship are missing.

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Two Norwegian steamships, the Vindeggen and Henrik Lund, were sunk by a German submarine when about two hundred miles east of Cape Charles, Va. Their crews, totaling 68 men, were rescued by a British steamship. Eighty tons of copper ingots, part of the cargo of the Vindeggen, were taken aboard the U-boat.

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The Swedish steamship New Sweden, a passenger and freight vessel of 5,319 tons gross register, owned by the Swedish-American-Mexico line, was sunk by a submarine May 20.

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The British transport Ansonia, owned by the Cunard line, has been torpedoed in the Atlantic by a German submarine and 90 of the crew have been landed on the Irish coast, according to cable dispatches received in New York. Forty persons are missing.

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Washington

President Wilson expressed the hope that the senate would pass the woman suffrage amendment at the present session of congress. His attitude was made known in a reply to a memorial from the French Union for Woman Suffrage, which asked him to proclaim the principles of woman suffrage as one of the fundamental rights of the future.

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Representative Kahn, ranking Republican member of the house committee on military affairs, stated that the war department intends to present to congress at the winter session an amendment to the selective draft law making the draft age eighteen to forty-nine years.

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President Wilson has approved a nation-wide compulsory work movement to supplement Provost Marshal General Crowder's "work or fight" regulations. In a letter to Governor Harrington of Maryland, made public, the president indorsed adoption by other states of the Maryland compulsory work law, under which the "work or fight" principle is made applicable to all men between the ages of eighteen and fifty.

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A proclamation designating July 5 as draft registration day for all Alaskans, Hawaiians and Porto Ricans reaching twenty-one years of age since June 5, 1917, was signed by President Wilson.

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Secretary Baker, before the senate military committee at the start of hearings on the army appropriation bill, said the orders holding Major General Wood in this country were regarded "for the good of the service."

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Secretary of War Baker announced the appointment of Ernest M. Hopkins, president of Dartmouth college, to be assistant to the secretary of war in charge of industrial relations.

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A call for selective service men for limited military service was issued by Provost Marshal General Crowder. The men will be sent into the Northwest to cut spruce for airplane construction.

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To meet the needs of the American and allied armies and the civilian populations of France, Great Britain and Italy, the American people were asked by the food administration to place themselves on a limited beef allowance from now until next September 15

BURNQUIST LEADS ON EARLY REPORT

522 Precincts Outside Twin Cities Give Governor 42,443; Lindbergh 19,258.

NELSON ALSO MAY WIN

Senator Establishes Wide Margin Over J. A. Peterson, His Nonpartisan Opponent—Comstock Named for Governor by Democrats

St. Paul, June 18.—Returns for governor from 522 precincts out of 2,746 in the state outside of Hennepin and Ramsey counties give:

Burnquist, 42,443; Lindbergh, 19,258.

Fifty-eight precincts out of 225 in Hennepin county give Burnquist 8,437; Lindbergh 5,998.

One hundred and thirty-three precincts out of 148 in Ramsey county give Burnquist 11,071; Lindbergh 9,167. Total of 713 precincts out of 3,119 in the state give Burnquist 61,951; Lindbergh 34,423.

St. Paul, June 18.—With partial returns on yesterday's primary received early today from fifty-two of the eighty-six counties in Minnesota, practical observers declared it seemed certain that the outcome of the three principal contests had been determined.

The available returns forecast the renomination of Gov. J. A. A. Burnquist over Chas. A. Lindberg and the renomination of Knute Nelson for U. S. Senator over Jas. A. Peterson, both on the Republican ticket and the selection of W. L. Comstock as the Democratic gubernatorial nominee.

Returns from 400 precincts out of 3,119 in the state gave Burnquist 37,567 votes and Lindbergh 19,757; Senator Nelson had a three to one lead over his opponent and his renomination was conceded, while the same ratio was being maintained by Comstock.

When returns had been received from 272 precincts out of 3,119 in the state, scattered through 42 counties, the vote stood:

Burnquist 27,351; Lindbergh 15,255.

While the earlier lead established by the governor was not fully held proportionally in returns available shortly before midnight he did maintain his ratio in the reported districts outside Hennepin and Ramsey counties.

Ramsey vote in 101 precincts out of 148 was Burnquist 8,839 and Lindbergh 6,633 while 28 out of 225 precincts in Hennepin county showed Burnquist 3,752 and Lindbergh 3,359.

While only a few precincts had reported in any of the 42 counties, excepting Hennepin and Ramsey, supporters of Governor Burnquist were confident that the complete returns would give him a majority in proportion to the ratio he had at midnight.

Lindbergh's friends claim the later country returns will heavily decrease Burnquist's present lead even if it is not entirely overcome.

Senator Nelson seeking renomination on the Republican ticket and bearing the endorsement of the Democrats had a big lead over James A. Peterson when 51 precincts had reported.

Burnquist polled a two to one vote over Lindbergh in the first precinct which reported primary election returns tonight. The first 22 precincts of the state to report gave Burnquist 2,159 and Lindbergh 1,082.

The first precinct to show strong Lindbergh strength was in Kandiyohi county where the vote was Burnquist 5, Lindbergh 127.

Kandiyohi county was the only county showing a Lindbergh majority at midnight. Nine precincts out of 33 in the county gave him 778 votes and the governor 265.

Other counties joined Kandiyohi in returns early today in giving Lindbergh a majority over Burnquist.

Isanti county, with two precincts reported gave Lindbergh 227 and Burnquist 136; seven precincts in Sibley county gave Lindbergh 655 and Burnquist 327. Five precincts in Lake county gave Lindbergh 421 and Burnquist 320.

Comstock Far in Lead

Returns on the Democratic contest for governor from 174 precincts out of 3,119 in the state give Wheaton 2,174, Comstock 5,116. This includes 133 precincts of Ramsey county.

One hundred and one precincts out of 148 in the fourth congressional district, St. Paul, Ramsey county, gives Burnquist 8,839, Lindbergh 6,633. Thirty-seven precincts out of 145 in the fifth congressional district, Minneapolis, Hennepin county, gives Burnquist 5,428, Lindbergh 4,079.

Twelve precincts out of 457 in the sixth congressional district Lindbergh's home district, gives Burnquist 1,339, Lindbergh 539.

Lundeen in Lead

Minneapolis, June 18.—Nineteen out of 124 precincts in fifth congressional district give on Republican ticket Campbell 933, Lundeen 1,879, Newton 1,143, Washburn 550, Youngdahl 595. For governor 35 precincts out of 281 in the first congressional district gives Burnquist 3,315, Lindbergh 710.

Fifty-one precincts out of 357 in the second congressional district gives Burnquist 3,920, Lindbergh 2,001. Forty-four precincts out of 227 in the third congressional district give Burnquist 4,652, Lindbergh 1,445.

ITALIANS PRESS AUSTRIANS BACK

Hold Foe Without Gain at Many Points on 100 Mile Line Above Venice.

GREAT BATTLE COMING

Rome Advices Say Struggle Is About To Assume Gigantic Proportions and Will Last For Several Days—Foe Pushed Back at Piave.

Washington, June 18.—An official dispatch from Rome says the battle on the Italian front will assume gigantic proportions, the Austrians attempting to break down the Italian defense by a great pincer movement. It adds that the battle will last several days before a decision is reached.

London, June 18.—Although the situation along the great crescent shaped battleline in northern Italy remains somewhat obscure, it seems that the Austrians have accomplished little at the inception of their drive against the Italian and Allied armies.

From the lower Piave river and northward along that stream reports tell of the enemy being checked and at some points being hurled back across the stream. From the Piave to the Brenta, where the Teutons advanced through mountain ravines in their attempt to break through the Allied lines the situations seems to be well in hand.

Piave Crossed in Three Places.

It now appears that the Austrians made three successful attempts to cross the Piave. One was south of Montello, into the Alps. One was between Candelu and Zenson loop, where the Austrians effected a crossing last November, and held a bridgehead for some time. The other was at Dona di Piave, about eleven miles from the mouth of the river. At least some of these forces have been driven back across the river, while the others have not been able to develop any advantage from their early success.

Infiltration Plan Fails.

Reports of the battle show that the tactics followed by the Austrians were similar to those which brought success to the Germans in the Somme and Aisne offensives. The enemy advanced under cover of a smoke barrage from bombs and smoke apparatus in comparatively small parties. These were directed against portions of the line believed to be lightly held.

In France the Germans succeeded by this method in gaining the rear of strongly held portions of the line which had to be evacuated quickly by the Allies. Along the Italian front, however, the foe was not able to penetrate far into the Allied positions and conterattacks soon drive him back to his lines.

Italian Morale Sustained.

The result is as yet in the balance. So far German troops are reported in only one sector in the mountain front, but it is not improbable that they will be dispatched to aid the Austrians if they can be spared along the French front. Furious fighting is said to be continuing and it is probable that harder blows will be launched by the enemy.

The fact, however, that the first onset did not result in a virtual debacle, such as ensued when the Germans and Austrians attacked along the Isonzo last October, speaks volumes for the Italian morale And late reports give reason for belief that the blow at Italy is not being launched with the force that has characterized the offensives of the Germans in France during the last three months.

4 NORTH DAKOTANS NAMED

Names Appear on Last U. S. Casualty List.

Washington, June 18.—The last army casualty list contained 39 names divided as follows:

Killed in action, 6; died of wounds 2; died of airplane accident, 1; died of disease, 4; wounded severely, 24; wounded, degree undetermined, 1; missing in action, 1.

The only northwest names appearing on the list are those of four North Dakotans, as follows: Private John M. Peterson, Rutland, died of wounds; Private Gustav C. Gunderson, Maddock, Private Levi D Johnson Eyr, Private Fred A. Lawyer, Bismarck, severely wounded.

In the previous list the following northwest soldiers are named Private Richmond Hall, Grand Forks, N. D., killed in action; Corp W D. Fink, Grand Forks, N. D., died of wounds.

War Profiteers to be Listed

Washington, June 17.—To furnish the Senate with evidence of profits made by corporations last year, several hundred clerks are at work in the internal revenue bureau, compiling a list of probably 10,000 companies which made more than 15 per cent profit. A report will be made in about a month and will require an executive order of the President, since the war revenue law forbids the divulging of information contained in income tax returns without special permission from the White House.

SAYS AGE LIMIT MUST BE RAISED

General Crowder Says Class 1 Will Be Exhausted Soon After Jan. 1.

ARMY GROWS STEADILY

Three Million Men Will Be Under Arms By Aug. 1—First Six Months of 1919 Are Expected to Witness Heavy Draft Calls.

Washington, June 18.—Provost Marshal General Crowder told the Senate military committee that 3,000,000 Americans will be under arms Aug. 1st next.

Extension of the age limits in the army draft will be necessary, General Crowder said, if the present rate of draft calls continued. He estimated that all the men in Class 1 would be exhausted soon after next January.

General Crowder said that 1,347,000 of the 2,428,000 men placed in Class 1 already had been called to the colors. He estimated that some 400,000 additional men for the first class will be obtained from the men who registered June 5, and that another 200,000 will be added by the reclassification of men in the re-examination of the questionnaires now being made.

Heavy Calls in 1919 Intimated.

Requisitions from the draft to complete the 3,000,000 total by Aug. 1, General Crowder said, have been made. Of these 2,000,000 will be draft registrants and the other volunteers and national guardsmen.

"Everybody things there will be heavy calls during the first six months of 1919," was a significant statement made by General Crowder.

General Crowder approved the general principle of the bill introduced by Senator France of Maryland, extending the registration ages to from 18 to 45 years, thereby providing additional men for military and industrial service.

Objects to Limits.

He did not, however, approve the age limits fixed in the bill.

After outlining the plans of the war department for additional calls, General Crowder said that at the present rate class one will be exhausted by the end of the present year, and that unless the age limits are extended and another registration held, it will be necessary early next year to call men in class two and probably soon thereafter in class three.

General Crowder submitted figures showing the progress of the draft this year. A total of 1,347,512 men, all from class 1, will have been called by the end of July divided by months as follows:

January, 23,288; February, 83,779; March, 132,484; April, 174,377; May 360,230; June, 283,354; July, 290,000.

BURGLARY ON THE INCREASE

Crime Shows Enormous Growth in German Empire.

London, June 18.—"Public security in Germany is declining from one month to another and thefts in the post office and on the railways have become of daily occurrence," says the Frankfurter Zeitung.

"The growth in burglaries, the newspaper adds, can be estimated by the amount that one insurance company, the Frankfort General Insurance company, has had to pay out in settlement of burglary claims. In 1914 the amount was 87,405 marks. By 1917 the amount had risen to the extraordinary figure of 2,125,809 marks while in the first three months of 1918 the claims already have amounted to more than 1,000,000 marks."

LULL IN IRISH POLITICS

Agitation Against Conscription Has Somewhat Relaxed.

Dublin, June 18.—At present there is somewhat of a lull in the political situation in Ireland. Agitation against conscription has relaxed in the face of the government proclamation calling for voluntary recruits and no attempt to apply the draft is expected before October and then only in the event of conspicuous failure to obtain the necessary number by enlistment.

OCCUPY SECTOR IN ALSACE

Americans Took Up Their New Position on May 21.

With the American Army in France, June 18.—It now is permissible to announce that American soldiers are occupying sectors on the battle front in Alsace. They first entered these positions on the 21st of last month.

Prison Parley Deadlocked.

London, June 18.—Because the German delegates to the British-German war prisoners conference at The Hague are pressing for the return of all prisoners in Canada and Africa as well as those in Great Britain, a hitch has occurred in the negotiations, telegraphs the correspondent at the Dutch capital of the Times. The difficulties of such a course, it is contended by the British delegates, particularly in respect to shipping transport make it impracticable.

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MANY INDIAN PEACE EMBLEMS

Wisconsin Braves Still Retain Numerous Medals Given to Them by Various Governments.

Wisconsin Indians still retain many peace medals that were given to them or their ancestors by various governments, and some of the medals date back in 1720, according to an article on Wisconsin Indian medals in The Wisconsin Archeologist.

The earliest medals owned by Indian families today include one of brass issued at the time of George I, four of silver bearing the bust of George III, an old Spanish medal and four American medals.

A Washington medal is in the possession of an aged Ottawa Indian on the Menomonie reservation near Shawano. Philip Nacootee, a Menomonie Indian of the South Branch settlement, has a Lincoln medal. A silver medal with the bust of President Polk, dated 1845, was owned by the Menomonie chief, Shunien.

Arthur Gerth, Milwaukee collector, once owned a silver medal issued by President Jefferson. An Andrew Johnson medal is in the collection of A. T. Newman of Bloomer. Dr. Alphonse Gerend is the owner of a silver George III medal, formerly the property of the Wisconsin chief, Waumegesako.

Ambiguous.

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He—It's a stunner.

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Grooving Machine Building Ships.

Revival of the wooden shipbuilding industry has brought into the limelight a number of labor-saving appliances, among which is a grooving and planing machine, capable, it is claimed, of doing as much work as 15 or 20 men equipped with manual tools. The device, which is illustrated in the Popular Mechanics Magazine, weighs about 56 pounds and may be driven either by compressed air or electricity.

Away With the Cats!

The damage to crops which is indirectly attributed to cats has recently brought the question of cat suppression into more than one state legislature. Cats eat birds that eat insects that destroy crops.

A Discouraging Precedent.

There is nothing original about Marshal Von Hindenburg's boast that he would drive the English into the sea. In the Peninsular war Soult made the same remark about the British under Wellington that Von Hindenburg has now uttered about the British under Haig. Wellington did retire perilously near to the sea, just as Haig has. But Soult looked at the position and changed his mind. Is Von Hindenburg, in apparently still planning to give battle, going to show less sense than his renowned French predecessor?—Christian Science Monitor.

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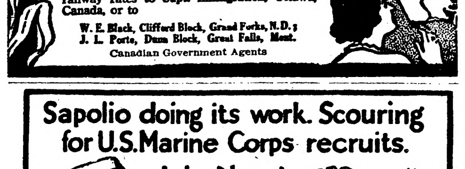
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WIN BY OFFENSIVE

Such Must Be Plan of Victorious Army, Says Foch.

Allied Generalissimo Declares Well Organized Reserves, Delivering Bludgeon Blow at Proper Time and Place Will Destroy the Enemy.

London.—Victory can be won in the end only by the army that takes the offensive, and success in this depends on husbanding and instructing the reserves. So declares General Foch in the weekly journal, the Field.

"Modern warfare, to arrive at its end and to impose its will on the enemy," General Foch says, "recognizes only one means—destruction of the enemy's organized forces.

"War undertakes and prepares this destruction by battle, which brings about the overthrow of the adversary, disorganizes his command, destroys his discipline, and nullifies his units as far as their fighting power is concerned.

No Victory in Defense.

"Our first axiom must be that to achieve its object a battle must not be purely defensive. A purely defensive battle, even well conducted, does not result in a victor and a vanquished. It is simply a game that must be begun over again.

"From this it is an obvious corollary that an offensive, whether started at the beginning of an action or whether it follows the defensive, can only give results, and, in consequence, must always be adopted at the finish.

"To maintain our position is not synonymous with being victorious and even prepares for a defeat. If we remain where we are and do not pass to the offensive to fix the direction of attack, to guard against the plans of the enemy, and prevent him from carrying out the same maneuver, we must undertake to carry on and sustain numerous combats, each with determined aim.

All Depends on Reserve.

"But since there remains no doubt that decisive attack is the very keystone of a battle, all other actions which make up a battle must be envisaged, considered, organized, provided with forces in the measure in which they will prepare, facilitate, and guarantee development of a decisive attack characterized by its mass, its surprise, its speed, and for which, in consequence, it is essential that there shall be the maximum reserve force possible of troops of maneuver.

"The reserve—that is to say, the prepared bludgeon—is organized and kept carefully instructed to execute the single act of battle from which results are expected—namely, the decisive attack.

Surprise, Mass and Speed.

"Reserves must be husbanded with the most extreme parsimony so that the bludgeon may be strong enough to make the blow as violent as possible. Let loose at the finish, without any lurking idea of saving them, with a well thought out plan for winning the battle at a point chosen and determined, reserves are thrown in all together in an action surpassing in violence and energy all other phases of battle, an action with proper characteristics—surprise, mass, and speed. All our forces really participate, either by preparing it or by carrying it out.

"In this, our supreme aim, we must not be deceived by appearances. Although theory fails when applied by feeble hands and when accessories obscure the main principle, history and reason show us that in battle there is a single argument which is worth while—namely, decisive attack, which is alone capable of assuring the desired result—the overthrow of the adversary."

Inverted Point of View.

There was a rush of wind, a cloud of dust, and the car rushed on, leaving the old gentleman sprawling in the roadway. He picked himself up and dashed up to a policeman, yelling excitedly:

"That motorcar knocked me down!"

The policeman took out a businesslike notebook and said:

"Did you notice the number, sir?"

"Yes," said the injured one. "It was number 66."

Just then another policeman who had seen the accident came hurrying up and said:

"No, no! The number's 99. This gentleman was standing on his head when he noticed it!"

Work That Will Pass.

Some young people are satisfied if they are doing work that will "pass." They are conscious of its defects, but if these are passed over without a challenge, they feel that they have done well enough. That is a mistake. We cannot be perfect, but we should not be satisfied with imperfections. Set your standard at the highest. See that nothing passes you that does not represent your best.—Girls' Companion.

Made Him Devout Christian.

Gen. Lew Wallace said that before writing "Ben Hur" he had no fixed religious convictions but as the story grew and the Christ figure assumed reality his whole life was affected by it and when the work was completed he found himself for the first time in his life a devout Christian.

Slightly Mixed.

Mrs. Mix—There was a time when you minded what I said, but now it's like water on a duck's back—in at one ear and out at the other.

The Old Man's Call to Duty.

J. H. Snowden, a retired farmer and capitalist, told a Seattle reporter that he is on his way back from southern California to his old home at Calgary, Can., to go back to the fields. He supposed that he had earned a rest for the remainder of his days, but now sees that he was mistaken. "I am now fifty-five years of age," he said, "and have not done any manual labor for eight years, but I am going to hire out this summer and fall to help my former neighbors to harvest their crops. I figure that as long as I am too old for military duty, I can help win the war by helping produce crops." Thousands of Americans as well as Canadians will see their patriotic duty and take similar action before the war is over. The call to the colors is by no means confined to men and youths under thirty-two.—Nebraska State Journal.

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"Say, pa!" "Yes, my son?"

"Are you too busy readin' to explain somethin' to me?"

"No, my son. Your father is never too busy to give his children the benefit of his information."

"Well, in this story it says 'the ship weighed anchor.' Why does a ship have to weigh its anchor before it starts out?"

"Ah, yes. To be sure. You've always noticed, that in your reading haven't you? Yes. Well, this is the reason. You see, when a ship stays a long time in a harbor it accumulates a lot of—er—binnacles. And these binnacles cling to the anchor in such numbers that they increase its weight. So they have to weight it. Do you see?"

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What Exporters Should Know.

A needle factory had sent to Aleppo, Turkey, needles that were tied up with green twine. The Mohammedan merchant who had ordered them returned the package, for the reason that the use of the green, the color consecrated to the prophet, for such a purpose was a derision of religion. Another consignment of the same factory to China wrapped up in white paper was returned because the Chinese recipient would not accept goods packed in "paper of mourning." White is the mourning color of the Chinese.

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Too Awful—Nowadays.

Paterfamilies—What's that noise, my dear? (Suddenly stricken with panic.) Surely the cat can't have got into the larder!—London Opinion

New Compact Fire Escape.

One of the boys aboard our navy's fleet has invented a fire escape which is similar to the rope ladders used aboard ships. His principal object was to provide a collapsible fire escape which could be compacted and conveniently arranged at the window of a dwelling. It consists of a container hinged to the sill in such a manner that by opening the window and folding the container on its hinges the metal ladder may be unfolded and dropped. When this operation is gone through, a means is automatically provided whereby the ladder is held at a distance from the walls of the building. The advantage of such precaution is obvious.

Couldn't Find Peter.

"Borrowing from Peter to pay Paul is bad business," said Mr. Dubwaite. "So it is," replied the impecunious citizen. "In my case I find it exceptionally bad business." "Why should it be worse for you than anybody else?" "I have the dickens of a time finding Paul."

Not in Indiana.

"Funny, isn't it?"

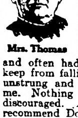
"What?"

"A man can't preserve his health by getting pickled."

Devotion.

"He seems very devoted to her."

"Yes. He even carries her knitting bag."



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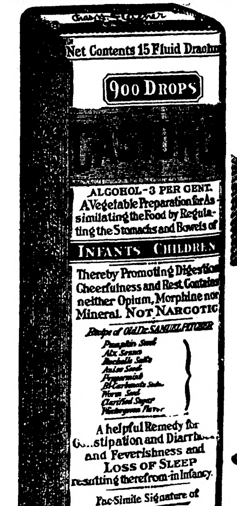
In Style

Hobbs—What do you do with your old clothes?

Dobbs—Wear them.

Philadelphia reports a shortage of garbage collections.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S Dan S. Kahler: Take notice you are in default under and ording to the terms, conditions provisions of that certain con- for deed dated July 13th, 6, whereby the Thief River Val- Land Co., a Corporation, agreed onvey unto you upon full per- ance by you on your part of the ns, conditions and provisions eof reference to which con- ct for more particularity is hereby de, the following described real perty in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, to-wit; West One Half (W1-2) of Sec- Sixteen (16) Township One dred Fifty Seven (157) Range ty-five (45) according to the cial survey thereof; and that ording to the provisions of said tract there became due and pay- from you to the Thief River lley Land Company, A Corpora- the sum of Five Hundred Dol- s ($500.00) on the 13th Day of , 1917, with interest thereon the rate of 6 per cent per annum m and after the 13th Day of y, 1916 and by the powers con- ed in the above described con- t the full sum and interest is declared due and payable by undersigned as disclosed by the tract, amounting to Two Thous- One Hundred and Eighty Six 70-100 ($2,186.70) Dollars and same is due and has not been d and at the date of this notice e is due and unpaid upon said tract from you according to the ms thereof the sum of Two Thous- One Hundred Eighty Six and 1000 ($2,186.70) Dollars and default still exists.

NOW THEREFORE, You are eby notified that unless on or re ninety (90) days after service this notice upon you that you pay the undersigned the Thief River lley Land Company, A Corpora- of Thief River Falls, Minne- the sum of Two Thousand One ndred and Eighty Six and 70-100 186.70) Dollars or pay said sum the First State Bank, now the and Peoples State Bank, of ef River Falls, Minnesota, he signated agent of the undersigned poration with interest from the of notice at 6 per cent per an- m until paid on the sum of 186.70 and pay the costs of ser- of this notice upon you, the contract for deed will be can- led and terminated and all your ht, title and interest thereunder d in and to the lands and property vered therein as aforesaid will be feited and annulled.

Such cancellation shall take ef- t ninety (90) days after service of s notice has been made upon you.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minn- this 11th Day of June 1918.

ief River Valley Land Company,
by W. H. Frederick,
PORATE SEAL] President.

of last Publication July 12th 1918.

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CORN WILL WIN DEMOCRACY'S WAR

America's Greatest Cereal Crop Is Now Moving to Market.

MAINSTAY IN NATION'S CRISIS.

Surplus Wheat of the United States Has Been Sent to Famine Threatened Europe.

America's great corn crop, exceeding 3,000,000,000 bushels, will save the world's food situation, officials of the United States food administration believe.

Corn is the nation's best food cereal, housewives are beginning to realize. It contains all the elements needed to keep the body in a state of health and when used according to the scores of tried recipes, especially when combined with an added portion of oil or fat, will sustain life indefinitely. Indian warriors in colonial days lived on parched corn alone for many days at a time, and at Valley Forge parched corn was at times the sole ration of the Continental soldiers.

Owing to transportation difficulties caused by the war the corn crop moved more slowly to market this year than ever before. Now, however, the cereal is reaching the millers and consumers. In the meantime the nation's surplus wheat has been sent to Europe.

Today there are approximately 30 bushels of corn for every American. This quantity is greater by five bushels than in former years.

Corn has become the nation's mainstay in the crisis of war.

Just as this cereal saved the first American colonists from famine on many occasions, just as it served as a staple food during the War of the Revolution and during the Civil War, King Corn has again come to the front in the nation's battle with autocracy.

Corn meal is finding greatly increased use in the making of ordinary white bread. Hundreds of housewives and many of the larger bakers are mixing 20 per cent corn meal with wheat flour to make leavened bread. This kind of a mixture is worked and baked in the same recipes and with the same methods that apply to straight wheat bread.

Corn bread—using corn meal entirely—is gaining a greater popularity than ever before. Housewives are coming to realize that every pound of wheat saved in America means a pound of wheat released for shipment to the nations with which America is associated in the war.

There are a score of corn products that today possess unusual importance for Americans. Corn syrup for sweetening corn cakes and buckwheat cakes and for use in the kitchen instead of granulated sugar is one of the leading products made from corn.

Corn oil, excellent for frying and for every other purpose filled by salad oils, is appearing on the market in large quantities. It comes from the germ of the corn.

MADE-IN-GERMANY LIES CIRCULATED IN CANADA

Canada is also having trouble with Made-in-Germany lies calculated to hinder Canadian food conservation according to an official statement received from the Canadian food controller by the United States food administration.

The stories bothering Canada are of the same general character as those the United States food administrator recently denounced in this country, such as the ridiculous salt and blueing famine fakes and the report that the government would seize housewives' stocks of home canned goods.

The Canadian food controller estimates that when the people listen to and pass on such stories, each one has the power of destruction that lies in a battalion of soldiers.

"Stories without even a vestige of foundation have been scattered broadcast," said the Canadian statement. "Nor have they come to life casually. They have started simultaneously in different parts of the country and in each instance have been calculated to arouse public indignation.

"They are insidious, subtle, persistent. Bit by bit they dissipate public trust, the great essential in the work of food control.

"It lies with every individual to forbear from criticism; to refrain from passing on the vagrant and harmful story, and thus the more effectively to co-operate in work which is going to mean more than the majority of people yet realize."

THE UNITED STATES FOOD ADMINISTRATION SAYS:

There is no royal road to food conservation. We can only accomplish this by the voluntary action of our whole people, each element in proportion to its means. It is a matter of equality of burden; a matter of minute saving and substitution at every point in the 20,000,000 kitchens, on the 20,000,000 dinner tables, and in the 2,000,000 manufacturing, wholesale and retail establishments of the country.

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District

Daisy Murphy, Plaintiff
vs.
Harry Murphy, Defendant.

SUMMONS.

The State of Minnesota To The Above Named Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, a copy of which complaint is hereto attached and herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber, O. A. Naplin, at his office in the Citizens Bank building, in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and you are hereby notified that if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, then the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in her said complaint.

Dated April, 30th, 1918.

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
P. O. Address,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

To the above named defendant:

You are hereby notified that the original complaint in this action was filed in the office of the clerk of the above named court at Warren, Minnesota, on June 5, 1918.

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minnesota, June 1st 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Algot Johnson of Germantown Minnesota, who on Jan. 10th 1915 made Homestead Entry, No. 011715, for S. E. 1-4, Section 9, Township 155 N., Range 41 W., 5th. Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Farrant Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 8th. day of July, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Salve Tharaldsen, O. T. Tharaldsen Alexander Magee, H. Clausen, all of Germantown Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, which mortgage was duly executed and delivered by John H. Weinzierl and Bess Weinzierl, his wife, Mortgagors, to A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, bearing date the 30th day of April, 1915 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota on the 5th day of May 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in book 71 of Mortgages, on page 396.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by the said A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, to The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., by written assignment, dated on the 1st day of June, 1915, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 14th day of August, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 75 of Mortgages on page 302.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., assignee, to Edward P. Sanborn by written assignment dated the 27th day of December, 1916, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in book 90 of Mortgages on page 431.

Which mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said Edward P. Sanborn, assignee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 29th day of April, 1918, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:10 o'clock P. M. in book 86 of Mortgages on page 172.

And whereas the said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and power of sale therein contained and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Seven Hundred and Eighteen and 64-100 ($718.64) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South half of the Northwest quarter (S 1-2 NW 1-4) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section One (1) in Township One Hundred Fifty eight (158) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota containing One Hundred Sixty and 90-100 (160.90) acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of July, 1918 at 10 o'clock A. M. of that date, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Seven Hundred Eighteen and 64-100 ($718.64) Dollars and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated June 5th 1918. Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn. (a corporation) Assignee of Mortgage.
A. N. Eckstrom, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage, Warren, Minnesota.

Washington, D. C.
June 1, 1918.

WAR INDUSTRIES BOARD
Wool Division
PERMIT To OPERATE

Permission is hereby granted to Thief River Hide & Fur Co., Thief River Falls, Minn., to operate as an approved wool dealer in country districts, for the 1918 clip, in conformity with the regulations of the War Industries Board.

LEWIS PENWELL,
Chief of Wool Division,
War Industries Board.

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No. 4179

The pedigree of the stallion name Roy 66438
Owned by O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.
Color Black. markings Strip.
Breed Percheron Foaled 1908

Sire Bowser 29085 Dam Marion 44293, has been examined at the College of Agriculture, Division of Animal Husbandry, and it is hereby certified that the said stallion is of pure breeding and is registered in a studbook recognized by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. The above named stallion has been examined by E. E. Pearson, a duly licensed Veterinarian, and is reported as free from infectious, contagious or transmissible disease, or unsoundness, and is licensed to stand for public service in the state of Minnesota. Dated at St. Paul, Minnesota, this 24th day of April, 1916.

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O. J. Backlund, Owner, Holt, Minn.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

VOL. VII. HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 1918 NO. 50.

The Holt Weekly News
Successor to and Continuation of
The Northern Light
By The
Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. 22, 1911, at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Local Items

Dr. Campbell, phone 140.

Red Cross social at Silbaugh's tomorrow (Saturday) night.

All Ladies Hats at 25 per cent discount at R. Reierson's store.

Mrs. John Hagberg left Saturday for several days visit with relatives at Grand Forks.

A. L. Carlson and H. J. Oien and their families enjoyed a days outing at Maple Lake last Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Jeprude and son Theodore and Miss Ragneld Bergland from the reservation visited J. E. Erickson's Sunday.

Alfred Anderson returned home Tuesday from a weeks visit at the home of his sister Mrs. N. N. Landro and family at Stady, N. Dak.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and three children of near Goodridge were Sunday guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Peterson, Mrs. Gust Peterson and Mrs. August Kuehne and son Otto, autoed to Warren Monday morning where the latter joined the other Marshall Co., boys, who left for Camp Grant.

Gus Christenson and Chester Holton of Fertile made a short visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. H. J. Oien and family, last week Thursday evening. These young men left Monday for Camp Grant.

The East Valley Red Cross Auxiliary will have a benefit social at the W. A. Silbaugh home on Saturday evening June 29th. Ice cream and cake will be served. Ladies please bring lunches. Everyone invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Lindahl and daughter, Mrs. Leonard Nelson all of St. Hilaire, Miss Grace Lindahl of Bemidji and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson of Hazel, were Sunday guests at the W. A. Lindahl home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim and children autoed to Fork Saturday morning to visit relatives, returning home Monday accompanied by Mrs. Gunheim's sister, Mrs. Arness and two little daughters, for a few days visit here.

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O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

Letter from Andrew Sorum

Somewhere on the Atlantic
May 30 1818

Dear Mother:

Just a few lines to let you know I am feeling fine. Suppose you will be surprised to know I am on a ship bound for across the sea, as I never wrote and told you we were leaving so soon.

But dont worry. Are having nice weather most of the time and am enjoying the trip fine so far. But I guess we will all be glad to see land once more which I hope will be before long. I don't know just where we will be going yet. Would like to get some food that is fried again as everything that we get on the ship here is canned and we are getting tired of it. Have not heard any thing from Willie for some time, but we have been moving quite a bit lately, so I suppose his letters might be delayed some place. Had a letter from Oscar Knutson just before we left, and he and Eddie Davidson are in the same camp, not very far from Camp Gordon, and he says he likes it there. I know I was glad to get away from there. Will have to close for this time, with best regards to all.

From your son Andrew,
325 Field Hospital
307 Sanitary Train
American Expiditionary Forces.

Red X benefit Silbaugh's June 29.

Ludvig Monson returned Wednesday night from a trip to Devils Lake North Dakota.

Mrs. C. S. Kolden and baby of Mentor came Tuesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg.

Arnold Folden, Mr. and Mrs. F. Folden and daughter and H. Ekerdahlen autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Congress will probably raise the draft age so as to take in men up to 49 years of age. That ought to take in the idlers.

LOST:- A little brown pup. Finder please return to C. E. Peterson at the Great Northern depot in Holt, Minn.

Ole Larson of Hendrum came on Saturday for a short visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Caspar Dale, near Golden Valley.

This state has been called on to furnish 10000 for the army draft to be sent to Camp Wadsworth, So. Carolina, July 22th.

Charley McLean has finished the well on the M. B. Fitch place. The well is 205 ft. deep and has a good flow of water. Mr. McLean has moved his machine to the railroad well and is going to clean that out and if needed, drill it deeper.

The J. J. Little family autoed up from Madison Monday and will spend the summer on their ranch here. Mrs. Erickson, mother of C. L. Erickson accompanied the Little family here and will spend some time visiting at the home of her son and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Larson have moved onto the latters Mud Lake claim where they will reside for the summer. As every thing out there is looking fine, and there is good prospects of a big crop, Mr. Larson has built a granary so as to be ready to take care of the golden grain.

John Ostlund went to Warren Sunday night to join the Marshall county men called for the army draft. Alfred Olson went over Monday morning. Axel King failed to get his notice in time and did not get to Warren until late Monday night. We understand they expected to send him to some other camp.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. E. LaRoe, of the A. S. S. U., will preach here Sunday July 7th at 8 o'clock in the afternoon.

Rev. James R. Orrock of Thief River Falls will hold services here next Monday evening at 8:30

The Ladies Aid of the Free Mission church will serve lunch in the basement June 28th. Everybody welcome.

Rev. N. C. Carlson of Hereford, S. D., and two other ministers will hold services here Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings at 8 o'clock and Sunday forenoon at 10:30 and Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Notice!

All mothers in Holt and vicinity are requested by the chairman of the Child Welfare Committee, Mrs. W. B. Mitchell of Stephen, to bring their children of five and younger to the home of Mrs. B. Docken Saturday afternoon June 29th. and have each child measured and weighed. This is a goverment measure and each mother is expected to respond to this request.

A message from Mr. Hoover request all hotels and restaurants not to serve boiled beef more than two meals weekly, beef stake more than one meal weekly. Householders not under any circumstances to buy more than 1 1-4 lbs. of clear beef weekly or 1 1-2 lbs. including bones per person in the household. We wish to emphasize further reduction of beef by substitution of pork. It is anticipated, this will hold good until September 15th and the cooperation of the public is most earnestly requested.

Buy Baby Bonds.

Marshall county fair July 3rd, 4th and 5th. A good time promised all who attend.

Indications are that Governor Frazier of N. Dak. was re-nominated at Wednesdays primary election.

F. W. Ramsley of St. Paul came Monday to look after his farm. The carpenters have his big barn almost completed.

B. Docken and family and Melvin Bakke attended the big meeting of the Northern Minnesota Developement Assn. at Warren last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bjerken left last week Thursday for a few days visit with relatives at Mahnomen. Mr. Bjerken left Monday with the Mahnomen county draftees for Camp Grant. Mrs. Bjerken returned here to remain at the home of her father Ole Reierson.

We have heard enough of the Hun prison camps to know that we do not want any of our boys put in them if we can help it. Then buy stamps and bonds, which will be repaid you with interest. Some people speak of buying bonds and stamps, as donating, but that is a BIG MISTAKE.

Hans Ness came home from near Devil's Lake, N. Dak., a couple of weeks ago for a short visit before joining the army. His notice to report in Warren was sent to Dak. so he failed to get it in time here to make the train at Warren but Mr. Braggans of the local board, kindly took him to Crookston and as the train did not leave Crookston until late in the evening they reached there in time for him to leave with the other boys for Camp Grant.

Buy a Kaiser chaser

Southeast of Holt.

There will be a Red Cross Picnic given at the John Skomedal farm on July 4th. Each will bring their own dinner. A lunch will also be sold in case there are someone who didn't bring any.

Harry Moe purchased a Ford on Monday.

Mr. Conrad Hovie of T. R. Falls spent the first of the week visiting at the Albert Klungness home.

Miss Clara Larson spent a part of this week in Thief River Falls having some dental work done.

Clara and Walter Soiney, Esther and Oliver Michaelson were Sunday visitors at S. Moe's

A large number from this locality attended the picnic in the Bethleham church on Sunday.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services in Holt Sunday at 10:45. All confirmants and the ones confirmed in last class will have a picture taken at the close of this service.

Remember the 4th of July celebration at Flak's, a half mile south of Holt.

Ladies Aid at Mrs. Furr's July 11.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Miss Clara Larson was a business caller in T. R. Falls the first of the week.

J. E. Erickson and John Simerson attended to business in Warren Monday.

Mrs. E. T. Eide of Spooner came one day last week to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hoel and family and friends.

Nels Hagen and daughter Eda, and son Gilbert and his family of Norman county visited Saturday at the R. Reierson home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Paulson and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Paulson and family from Strandquist spent Sunday at the C. W. Christionson home.

If we are to satisfy the minimum wheat requirements of our armies and the Allies and the suffering millions in the Allied countries our consumption of wheat in the United States must be greatly reduced. Use substitute cereals and lots of potatoes and Save, Save.

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(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.03
Wheat No. 2	2.00
Wheat No. 3	1.97
Wheat No. 4	1.93
Flax	3.56
Oats	60
Barley	43 to .80
Rye	1.51
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

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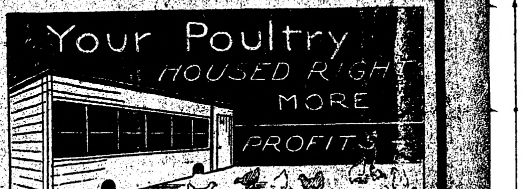

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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

U.S.—Teutonic War News

Failure so far of efforts to reach an agreement with Germany in regard to exchange of prisoners was announced by the state department. Inability to get in touch with German officials is responsible.

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Bishop John N. McCormick of the Western Michigan Episcopal diocese has been gassed while working with the American troops in France, according to word received by his wife at Grand Rapids, Mich.

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Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, told the house of commons in London that the Austrian drive was a part of the German scheme to use up the allied reserves before the arrival of the American troops. "This has failed," he said. "America is not coming into the war, but is in the war." The chancellor said that American troops were pouring into France.

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The war department authorized formally the announcement of the fact that the Thirty-second division (National Guard) is now fighting in Alsace, on German territory. The Thirty-second division is composed of Michigan and Wisconsin troops.

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Because of German submarine activity off the American coast shipping board has ordered a bonus of 24 per cent of their monthly wages paid to all seamen employed in coastwise trade.

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Six National Guard Cavalry regiments now being raised in Texas will be inducted into the federal service immediately upon their organization, for service on the Mexican border.

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Brig. Gen. C. C. Williams, acting chief of ordnance, has reorganized administrative methods in ten districts. A district chief has been named for each to co-ordinate the efforts of the field forces.

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Foreign

Heavily censored private messages received in Stockholm indicate that peace demonstrations were held recently in Berlin, Hamburg and Cologne and that several workmen were killed and many persons arrested, says a dispatch to the London Morning Post from Stockholm.

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Serious rioting broke out in Vienna, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch to London from Amsterdam. The mob broke into a number of bakeries, stormed the residence of the premier and also one of the wings of the Hofburg, the imperial palace, the message adds. The rioting was in protest against the reduction of the bread rations.

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More than 100,000 persons have gone on strike in the Volcan arsenal and the Warschalowski airplane works in Vienna, according to a dispatch from Zurich to London.

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Domestic

Samuel Gompers was re-elected president of the American Federation of Labor by acclamation at the annual convention at St. Paul, Minn.

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Lieut. F. W. Heller and Sergt. Eugene Chapman were killed when the airplane in which they were flying from Park field, near Memphis, Tenn., to Camp Shelby, Miss., fell from a height of 100 feet.

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Sensational disclosures of alleged graft conspiracy in connection with government contracts were made by the department of justice in announcing the indictment in Philadelphia of John Fleming, John T. Cavanaugh, Eugene Sullivan and Joseph Kohn.

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Hundreds of thousands of pounds of meat intended for use on American battleships, furnished by Wilson & Co., Chicago packers, has been rejected because not in good condition, Capt. C. S. Williams of the navy testified at the inquiry held in New York by the federal trade commission into charges that bad meat is being furnished to the navy.

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Joseph F. Rutherford and seven other defendants, followers of the late "Pastor" Russell, were found guilty of conspiring to violate the espionage law by a jury in federal court at New York. The maximum penalty which can be imposed on each defendant is 40 years' imprisonment.

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Found guilty by court-martial at Camp Dix, N. J., of having been asleep while assigned to sentry duty at that camp, Private Roy B. Jackson (colored) has been sentenced to five years at hard labor at Fort Jay.

A. D. Smith, Minneapolis attorney, found guilty by a jury in Minneapolis of advocating that citizens should not aid the government in the prosecution of the war, was sentenced to one year in the Minneapolis workhouse.

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Lieut. Joseph Rose, an instructor at Barron field, near Fort Worth, Tex., was killed and Lieut. Floyd E. Davies of Galesburg, Ill., was injured in an airplane crash. Lieutenant Davies will recover.

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European War News

Sixteen persons, including some women, have been put to death by the Germans in East Flanders, Belgium, on suspicion of espionage, according to the frontier correspondent of the Telegraaf.

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The transport Santa Anna, proceeding from Bizarta for Malta, was torpedoed and sunk on the night of May 10-11, according to a dispatch from Paris. There were on board 2,150 soldiers and native workmen of whom 1,512 were saved.

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The Czecho-Slovak forces in Siberia have captured Samuranosto and Nikolaevsk in Omsk and have inaugurated a provisional government, said a Petrograd dispatch to the London Express.

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The Austrian battleships Wion and Braherzog Ferdinand have been sunk, the Italian minister of marine, Delbome, is quoted as saying in the newspaper Specha, said a Central News dispatch to London from Rome.

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Twenty-one German destroyers, a large number of submarines and numerous auxiliary craft in the Bruges canal docks were penned in by the British raid on Zeebrugge, the German submarine base in Belgium, Thomas J. McNamara announced in London.

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Sacking of the American hospital at Tabitz, Persia, and seizure of the American and British consulates there by invading Turkish troops was reported to the state department by the American minister at Teheran. If the report as it reached the minister is officially confirmed the outrage may be considered an act of war.

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A great revolt has begun at Kiev, according to an intercepted wireless message transmitted from Moscow to the Exchange Telegraph company in London. Artillery stores have been exploded and there is continuous street fighting. The revolt is spreading to the Poltava and Tchernigov districts. Forty thousand peasants armed and organized are participating in the revolt.

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German troops in southern Russia began an offensive eastward on the Voronesh front on June 15, says a Russian government wireless received in London.

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Washington

President Wilson, in a proclamation, places all stock yards under license, beginning June 25.

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Under circumstances of the utmost significance in connection with the possibility of early intervention by the allies in Siberia the senate committee on military affairs adopted an amendment to the army appropriation bill authorizing the commander in chief to raise a volunteer legion of Slavic residents of the United States for service abroad.

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Approximately $500,000,000 was received by the treasury in payment of income and excess profits taxes, bringing the total receipts up to $1,500,000,000, which leaves $1,225,000,000 to be collected.

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A joint resolution declaring a state of war with Bulgaria and Turkey was introduced in the house by Representative Kelly of Pennsylvania and was referred to the foreign affairs committee. It declares that the military forces of the two governments named have committed acts of war against the government and people of the United States.

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To remove doubt over the powers of the interstate commerce commission, the commission issued a statement that it would continue to hear complaints and order changes in rates as in the past.

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The express monopoly created under government auspices must be dissolved after the war emergency is past, under provisions of the contract signed at Washington.

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The declination of President Newcomb Carlton of the Western Union Telegraph company to abide by the decision of the national war labor board that telegraph company employees had the right to organize and strike formed the subject of discussion at the regular meeting of the cabinet at Washington. The matter of governmental control of telegraphs for the period of the war was taken up.

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The sundry civil bill, carrying $1,751,701,000 for the shipbuilding program, $50,000,000 for the president's emergency war fund, and $1,250,000 for the committee on public information, was passed by the house without a record vote. It now goes to the senate.

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Only five minutes were required for the passage by the senate of the annual general pension bill, carrying $220,000,000, the largest pension measure by $12,000,000 in the government's history.

AUSTRIANS ARE IN UTTER ROUT

Italy's Victory Likely to Assume Proportion of Veritable Triumph for Diaz Army.

45,000 ARE CAPTURED

Vast Quantities of War Supplies and Other Spoils Taken.—Montello Plateau and Towns Are Recaptured by Storm.

Washington, June 25.—Confidence at home that the war may be brought to a victorious close this year, if the Allies give the Italians a full measure of support in the offensive which has been launched against the Austrians, is reflected in official wireless dispatches received from the Italian capital.

Information from secret sources shows that many divisions of German troops have been detached from the front in France and are being rushed to the aid of the Austrian army.

Veritable Triumph.

London, June 25.—Italy's victory over the Austrians on the Piave front appears likely to assume the proportions of a veritable triumph for the Italians and a disaster of great magnitude for the defeated enemy.

Already, it is announced in official dispatches from Rome, the Austrians have lost 45,000 men in prisoners and great quantities of material, while the extent of their other casualties may be indicated by the thousands of bodies floating in the waters of the swollen river.

Cannon Abandoned.

Unable to force his way further than the immediate vicinity of the west bank of the river, and with bridges thrown across the stream swept away, by the swirling waters of the flood pouring down from the mountains, the enemy began a precipitate retreat. So hasty was his withdrawal that he left a great many cannon on the west bank of the Piave, while his retreating infantry columns, according to news dispatches, already are being pressed by Italian detachments thrown over to the easterly side of the stream.

Invaders Pursued.

From the Montello plateau southward to the Adriatic comes the same story of the Austrian retreat. T' Piave river formerly emptied into the sea quite near Venice, but in recent years its course has changed to its present location. In the first rush of the Austrian offensive the enemy succeeded in crossing the old river bed, which now is a canal. From their positions there the foe has been driven and the Italians are relentlessly pressing the pursuit.

Bombers Cross Piave.

The latest news dispatches from the Piave river front tell of Italian bombing units being thrown across the main stream of the Piave, which seems to indicate that the Austrian retreat was not stayed at the eastern bank of the river. There is every indication that the Austrian "hunger offensive" has been a forlorn hope for several days. The effect of the defeat on the internal conditions of Austria-Hungary can only be conjectured, but it may be that the Italians have dealt the enemy a harder blow than that merely involved in the military feat of pushing him back across the Piave.

Italians Win In West.

Coincident with the Italian victory of the Piave comes the news of the Italian units on the Marne-Rheims sector repulsing a second heavy German attack on the heights of Bligny just to the west of the city of Rheims. The German failure was as complete as was the original blow.

A German attack on the French at Antheuil, west of the Oise, was beaten off.

British troops have taken prisoners and inflicted casualties in local operations along their sectors of the front in France.

MAY RAISE PRICE ON WHEAT

Authority Given For Increase To Absorb Higher Freight Change.

Washington, June 25.—The food administration's grain corporation in New York has blanket authority to government price of $2.20 a bushel, subject to the approval of the food administrator.

It also was authorized to increase its capital stock from $50,000,000 to $150,000,000, the increased issue to be taken by the government.

It was assumed that the primary purpose was to absorb the increased freight rates, and thus insure to growers at least as great a margin of profit as they now make.

Aviator Chases Duluth Man.

New York, June 25.—The escape of Edward D. Ranck, of Duluth, Minn., a Y. M. C. A. worker, chased by a German aviator while he was driving a motor supply wagon in the rear of the Americans being hastened to the French front, was described in a cable message from Paris, received by the National War Work Council. Flying at an altitude of only 150 feet the German turned his machine gun on the motor car, riddling the body. The driver escaped without a scratch.

THOMAS J. KEHOE.

British youth who is war veteran at age of sixteen.

Thomas Joseph Kehoe of Liverpool, England, has the unusual distinction of being a war veteran at the early age of sixteen. He enlisted when he was but fifteen and was but four feet 10 inches in height when sent to the front line trenches.

WHEATON IS WINNER

Minnesota Democrats Nominate Him for Governor.

Indications Are That Irving A. Caswell Is Beaten for Supreme Court Clerk.

Minneapolis, June 24.—Fred E. Wheaton of Minnesota is holding his lead over Judge W. L. Comstock of Mankato in the Democratic primary contest for nomination for governor of Minnesota. Almost complete returns make little change in the vote.

Returns from 3,006 of the 3,119 precincts give Wheaton 15,721 and Comstock 15,302.

Almost complete returns indicate the nomination of Herman Mueller, St. Cloud, for clerk of the supreme court. The returns based on official and unofficial returns give Mueller 115,506, Irving Caswell 113,612 and George G. Magnuson, St. Cloud, 81,553.

All of the other state officials now have safe majorities over the Nonpartisan league candidates.

Governor Burnquist has maintained his original majority of 50,000 votes.

Nelson Is Far Ahead

Senator Nelson has 215,958 votes as against Peterson's 83,917.

Other results follow:

Lieutenant governor—2,791 precincts reported give Frankson 121,077; Crane, 112,523; Stephens, 62,920.

Auditor—2,971 precincts reported give Preus, 189,728; Tjosvold, 121,413.

Attorney General—2,952 precincts reported give Hilton, 156,345; Sullivan 145,852.

Treasurer—2,952 precincts reported give Rines, 163,316; Fasel, 121,644.

Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—2,785 precincts reported give Putnam, 156,476; Tillquist, 124,333.

SEEK FLIGHT IN AIRPLANES

Four Germans Weary of War Conditions in Berlin.

Copenhagen, June 24.—Four residents of Berlin attempted to escape from Germany in two airplanes. One succeeded in landing in Denmarck, but the other was brought down in the Baltic sea by German guardships. The machines which landed in Denmark had two occupants, one of whom, a reserve officer, is a professor in the University of Berlin. They say they fled from Berlin because of conditions there.

LENINE RESIGNS, IS REPORT

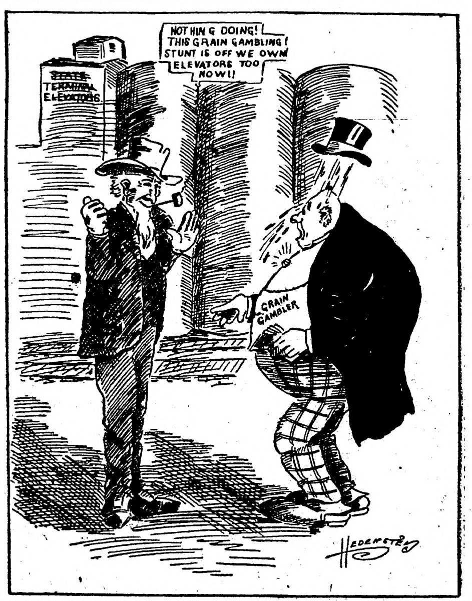
Bolsheviki Premier Said To Have Quit His Office.

Zurich, June 24.—The Deutsches Tages Zeitung declares that Nicolai Lenine, the bolshevik premier, has resigned. There is no confirmation from any source.

Desires Aid for Russia.

Paris, June 24.—Basil Maklakoff the Russian ambassador to France, reiterates in an interview printed in the Petit Journal his appeal to the Allies for intervention in Russia, saying that such action is absolutely necessary. "The future of Russia," says M. Maklakoff, "depends on victory for the Allies, which will be the salvation of humanity. Allied intervention is necessary to allow disarmed and betrayed Russia to resist the Germans. To help the Bolsheviki, would be to play Germany's propaganda game."

IN THE MIDST OF CHANGING CONDITIONS.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BORAH BILL WOULD HIT PROFITEERING

Senate Acts on President's Plea for Higher Taxes on War Profits.

That President Wilson's last message denouncing the profiteers and recommending much higher taxes on war profits, will lead to Congressional action, was indicated a few days ago when a resolution by Senator Borah asking for all information on profiteering now in the possession of the Treasury Department, was passed.

The cause of Senator Borah's resolution was the following passage from the president's message.

"There is abundant fuel for the light in the records of the Treasury with regards to profits of every sort. The profiteering that cannot be got at by the restraints of conscience and love of country can be got at by taxation. There is much profiteering now and the information with regard to it is available and indisputable."

The Borah resolution calls for "Any and all facts, figures, data, or information now in possession of the Treasury Department relative to profiteering which would in any way enable Congress to deal with the matter either through the present proposed revenue legislation or through enactment of more effective criminal statutes."

In speaking for the resolution, Senator Borah defined the profiteer as "the man who takes advantage of his country's condition, of its perilous situation, to gather extraordinary profits; who is taking advantage of the country's stress and trial to increase enormous and unjustly and unfairly his individual and private gain."

Continuing, the Idaho senator sad, "To my mind, and I presume I express the view of every patriot, the man who does that is on a lower moral level than the foreign spy. The man who claims the protection of the flag, and at the same time takes advantage of the government's dire necessities to increase his private gain, demoralizes the efforts of the people, impedes the progress of the war and works for its ultimate failure. There should be no talk of adjournment until this bill has passed. The profiteer should not be permitted to escape beyond the time which we can act intelligently and effectively."

Referring to the recent conviction of Rose Pastor Stokes for alleged seditious utterances, Mr. Borah said, "Here is the statement upon which that conviction was founded, or at least, one of the counts of the indictment:

"'No government which is for the profiteers can be for the people'.

"Nothing is truer than that statement. No government which is for the profiteers can be for the people. If the government of the United States possesses the facts as to the existence of these profiteers and fails to deal with them by taxation or otherwise, the government is derelict and justly subject to the criticism of everybody who is for the people."

"Now, it is up to Congress to justify the conviction of Rose Pastor Stokes in that court. It is up to us to demonstrate beyond question that the government of the United States is not with the profiteer."

This belated action of the Senate has been urged by the Nonpartisan League ever since the United States entered the war. The Senate, however, did not pass the Borah resolution until after it had inserted an amendment confining the information asked for to cases of profits of more than 15 per cent.

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP IS WINNING LABOR

Government Will Retain Railroads After War If Farmers Do Their Part.

An evidence of how the idea of government ownership of the railroads is taking hold of the American people and what a tussle the railroad interests are likely to have after the war to get back their properties, was furnished recently by the Labor Review Washington Bureau.

To quote, "Six months ago the railroad brotherhoods were overwhelmingly anti-public ownership. Today, according to some of the most experienced national officers, they are almost unanimous in favor of public ownership and operation of transportation lines.

"They are working for the government, and although they were disappointed in the small increase in wages given them by the recent award covering all railroad employes, they know that their chances are better under the government than under private operation. Their influence, then, is likely to rapidly increase the pressure from the labor movement to bring Congress to a public ownership policy."

The organized workers are doing their part to the end that the railroads shall be owned and operated by the people in the interest of the people and at the cost of the service. If the organized farmers do as much, there will be enough people behind the government ownership idea after the war to force it through.

ACCORDING TO PROFITEERS

"Copper authorities lay stress on the fact that the continuation of the 23½ cent a pound price from June 1 to August 15 virtually means that the average profit will be in the neighborhood of 6½ cents a pound, or a full cent under what is considered a normal profit in the industry."—Wall Street Journal.

TO CONTROL FARM MACHINERY

The president has adopted another League principle of government control of industries closely associated with war production. He has established a licensing system for the production and sale of farm machinery. Under this system the government will fix prices. It was the best the Administration could do under existing laws to aid farm production.

Now is the time for a man to keep his head, provided he originally had one to keep.

Isn't it strange that no one has suggested conservation by dressing the banker and business man in blue overalls?

There is more genuine patriotism in doubling production than there is in doubling talk.

JUDGE DECIDES STOMACH REMEDY A GREAT SUCCESS

Commissioner of Mediation and Conciliation Board Tries EATONIC, the Wonderful Stomach Remedy, and Endorses It.

Judge, William L. Chambers, who uses EATONIC as a remedy for loss of appetite and indigestion, is a Commissioner of the U. S. Board of Mediation and Conciliation. It is natural for him to express himself in guarded language, yet there is no hesitation in his pronouncement regarding the value of EATONIC. Writing from Washington, D. C., to the Eatonic Remedy Co., he says:

"EATONIC promotes appetite and aids digestion. I have used it with beneficial results."

Office workers and others who sit much are martyrs to dyspepsia, belching, bad breath, heartburn, poor appetite, bloat, and impairment of general health. Are you, yourself, a sufferer? EATONIC will relieve you just as surely as it has benefited Judge Chambers and thousands of others.

Here's the secret: EATONIC drives the gas out of the body—and the Bloat Goes With It! It is guaranteed to bring relief or you get your money back! Costs only a cent or two a day to use it. Get a box today from your druggist.

To Cure Sore Throat.

So many people have been troubled with sore throats this spring. It is most unwise to allow this condition to progress, since many serious forms of sickness start with "just a sore throat." When the throat feels raw, half-hour gargling periods, using warm salt water, are advised. This is an antiseptic and removes the irritation. Again equal parts of listerine, water and peroxide is even more effective. For an annoying tickling in the throat an application of hot glycerin rubbed thoroughly into the pores and covered with warm flannel gives relief.

Cuticura for Sore Hands.

Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Ointment with soft tissue paper. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

HUMORS OF RENT COLLECTING

Seeming Proof That Stern Gatherer of Landlord's Tribute May Be Human, After All.

A Bostonian, owning houses in a neighboring city, received the following stately letter from the collector of rents. We publish it to show that a collector may be inexorable, yet have a vein of humor in his iron constitution. The letter was written in January:

"The soil-pipe, water pipes and other apparatus in the cellar of the old homestead are in their usual hibernal state—frozen stiff; so Lemuel reports, and adds that he offered to contribute to Bill a ton of coal for the furnace to generate a little warmth and partially overcome the deadly, gravelike chill of that subterraneous space; and Bill tells me that Lemuel is a cheerful liar, and made no such offer, and so I tell both what the other says, and leave them to fight it out, impressing on them, however, that the rent must be forthcoming just the same."

Pennsylvania Women in Business.

More than 100 firms, partnerships and individuals doing business in Pennsylvania under assumed names have registered the real names of their owners, and in many cases it has been found that women were not only managers but owners of stores, factories and other industries.

The Japanese government has established a factory for the production of carbolic acid from coal tar.

Friday marriages are "for losses," and superstitious couples who are getting married avoid this day.

Put Into Practice

Conservation means the use of foods requiring less sugar, less fuel, and the minimum of wheat.

Grape-Nuts

requires NO SUGAR, NO FUEL, less milk or cream than other cereals, and is part BARLEY. It's a concentrated, nourishing, economical and delicious food. TRY IT!

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Rochester.—William Jennings Bryan comes to Rochester on July 11, and will deliver a lecture at the armory at 2 p. m.

Red Wing.—One hundred and fifty-two Goodhue county Class No. 1, selected soldiers left Red Wing for Camp Grant, Ill.

St. Cloud.—The Minnesota Rural Letter Carriers' association will hold its annual state convention in St. Cloud on July 14 and 15.

St. Cloud.—John Speath of Greenwald was arrested on a charge of running a blind-pig. He pleaded guilty and the offense cost him $50.

Renville.—Thieves broken into the store of Bahge & Hassinger and got away with about $300. They escaped in a stolen automobile and are still at large.

Remer.—The Remer Auto club is planning on having a patriotic Fourth of July here. The program will be mostly patriotic speeches and an auction for the benefit of the Red Cross.

The wife and the children had been in Grafton, N. D., visiting with friends for about two weeks. When they returned home they were met with the announcement that Haljcek had taken his own life.

Brainerd.—Major R. A. Beise has joined the Chamber of Commerce haymakers brigade, saying that he can drive a mower, "cock up" hay or do some light job, at least, and that it will be a pleasure to help out the farmers.

Thief River Falls.—Thomas A. Way has been elected chairman of the Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross. Mrs. T. L. Melgaard is vice president, Scott Laird is secretary and T. L. Melgaard is the new treasurer.

Breckenridge.—Tony Holjcek, up to a few days ago, janitor at the local court house, committed suicide here by discharging both barrels of a shotgun into his head. No cause is known for the deed. He is survived by the widow and two small children.

Fairmont.—Henry Niss of Fairmont was honorably discharged from Camp Dodge. He is six feet seven and a half inches tall, and built accordingly. The officers claim other members of his company hid behind Henry, to evade drill, so sent him home.

Warren.—The summer meeting of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association and the Red River Valley Livestock Breeders' association was held here June 20 and 21. Besides the business sessions of the two associations a Loyalty day was observed.

Owatonna.—Attorney J. A. Sawyer died at his home here. He was 72 years old and came to Minnesota from New England in 1856. Death came after on illness of several months. Mr. Sawyer was prominent in politics and was closely identified with the Carleton college at Northfield.

Climax.—A unique way of raising funds for the Red Cross was put into effect here when prominent businessmen were sold at auction to work as harvest hands. Each of the men offered a day's work to the farmer who bid the highest for his service, the payment to go to the Red Cross fund. The first man put on the auction block was Norman Rosholt, a banker.

Stillwater.—While attempting to secure a couple of horses in a corral at the William Moritz barn, Charles Mimnaugh was severely kicked by one of the enraged animals. His left arm was broken, while it is believed that he will also lose the sight of his right eye. He received a most severe kick on the right cheek bone, which laid open the flesh for several inches.

Mankato.—The state food administration has asked that the Minnesota Brotherhood of Threshermen make every effort to see that every threshing machine in the state is fit to do its full share in saving grain when the threshing season arrives. The organization is scheduled to meet here June 25 at which time plans will be made to carry the request of the food administration.

Alexander.—Three persons were killed and one seriously injured when an automobile was struck by a speeding train about three miles for here. Frank Murray of North Dakota, Miss Madeline Alexander and Miss Marjorie Ward of Brooton, Minn., were killed and Mrs. Ward suffered internal injuries. The party was touring though the county when their machine was struck by a train.

Bemidji.—A fractious horse killed itself here when a team owned by Clark Vincent, agent at the Red Lake depot, broke a hitch strap when tied near the Beltrami elevator and made a wild dash. The team ran at a dead pace and crashed into a corner of the Duluth Brewing company's cold storage house, the pole of the wagon being shoved through the side of the building with fearful force.

Red Lake Falls.—Premium books for the 1918 Red Lake county fair have been distributed to every farmer in the county by Secretary E. G. Buse. The annual fair will be held here Aug. 27, 28 and 29 and a big premium list has been made up.

Mankato.—Mr. and Mrs. James Smith were arrested here charged with second degree assault, growing out of disturbances in Madison Lake, when Mrs. Smith is charged with having drawn a revolver threatening the lives of two citizens who were in a quarrel with her husband. Smith and his wife were bound over.

Staples.—The local Red Cross chapter is expected to furnish 100 pairs of socks a month for June, July and August.

St. Cloud.—The second annual diocesan convention in session here for two days has closed. There were 370 delegates present.

St. Cloud.—The 120 men who are to go to Camp Grant, Ill., will leave this city on June 28, according to word received from the adjutant general.

East Grand Forks.—Miss Winnifred Nelson of this city is organizing a Campfire Girls' club for all the girls of the city. Any girl from 12 years upward is eligible to join.

Baudette.—William E. Long, who has been immigration inspector at the port of Baudette, has been transferred to Kansas City, Mo., where he will have charge of the office, leaving here July 5.

Montevideo.—The ninth annual commencement exercises of the ninth grade rural school graduates of Chippewa county were held at the high school. Sixty-two graduates received diplomas.

Bemidji.—The new Bemidji postoffice, the construction of which began June 9 of last year is now nearly completed and A. P. Ritchie, postmaster, expects that the mail will be handed from the new building about July 1.

Crystal Falls.—A 2-year-old buck deer came bounding into town a few days ago and, in trying to get over a wire fence in the vicinity of Robert Munnis', became entangled in the wire and was so badly lacerated it died.

St. Paul.—C. H. Lister, North St. Paul, president of the Minnesota Manufacturers' association, who was seriously injured when an automobile he was driving was struck by a street car is reported improving at St. John's hospital.

Moorhead.—The merger of the Moorhead Commercial club and the various civic organizations into a city federation, thus securing more concentrated action for the general good of the city, is being considered by the club.

Barnesville.—Charles W. Higley of Chicago, was elected president of the First National bank of Barnesville at a meeting of the directors. S. O. Solum, who has been with the bank for the past twenty-six years, was elected vice president and will be in active charge of the bank.

St. Paul.—Minnesota's bumper crop will not suffer from depredations of the I. W. W. or members of other organizations bent on destruction of grain in the fields or in the barns. The reason of the formation of the motor corps of the Minnesota Home Guard. This assurance was given by Adjutant General Rhinow.

Minneapolis.—Recruits enlisted for Minnesota and North Dakota during the past week totaled 255, district navy recruiting headquarters in Minneapolis announced. Only 40 mechanics of the required 150 to be enrolled before July 1 have been accepted for the Dunwoody training course, and navy officials are disappointed. Opportunity for advancement in this branch is unusual and a larger number of applications were expected.

Moorhead.—Perhaps the first volunteers among city bred girls to do work in the fields this summer are Miss Ann Huntoon, daughter of Mrs. L. A. Huntoon and Miss Crystal Hanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Hanson of Moorhead. Both Miss Huntoon and Miss Hanson are Moorhead high school girls and last winter when the first talk reached them of calls for girls to the farms, they decided to try to secure work and do their part.

Waseca.—Mrs. John Proechel, the oldest resident of Waseca county, died at her home in Janesville. She was 101 years and five months old and until a short time ago could attend to her housework. She was the mother of eleven children, five of whom survive her, the eldest 77 and the youngest 61 years. There were 32 grandchildren and 58 great-grandchildren. She and her husband were natives of Germany. The former died 15 years ago.

Minneapolis.—Dr Marion L. Burton was formally inaugurated president of the University of Minnesota at the 50th anniversary celebration of the institution. Fred B. Snyder, president of the board of regents made the inducting address and Dr. Burton replied. Three former presidents of the university, Dr. William Watts Folwell, Dr. Cyrus Northrop and Dr. George Edgar Vincent, the last, now president of the Rockerfeller Foundation, were guests of honor. The graduating class of 1918 were present in cap and gown.

Red Lake Falls.—The Red Lake county chapter of the Red Cross society received 100 pounds of yarn and has asked all the women to knit socks instead of sweaters, there being a great shortage of socks for the army. The local society will receive the proceeds of a dance when W. H. Gilfillan will open his new motion picture theater here. Amateurs, under the direction of Omer Hall, will produce "Her Honor, the Mayor" for the benefit of the society at the Lotus theater June 28 and 29.

St. Paul.—Mrs Peter Stolurow, who, with her husband, Dr. Peter Stolurow, 1750 Dayton avenue, and three other persons were injured when a Northern Pacific Freight train crashed into their automobile on the Lexington avenue road near Lake Josephine, is in a critical condition at the City Hospital.

East Grand Forks.—Red River chapter Order of the Eastern Star, received its charter and became a lodge, when constituting services were conducted by Mrs. Alden Braley of Crookston, grand marshal. There was also selection and installation of officers.

From Our Soldiers' Graves.

At present, in the case of American soldiers who die in France, a cross marks the grave. At the transverse of the cross stands a metal shield with a design in low relief revealing a youth with broken sword, his face lifted to heaven. Round the shield runs the inscription: "He died to keep men free." Underneath are his name and regimental status. It is the intention of the Red Cross to remit this shield of glory to his relatives after the war, when some permanent form of remembrance shall have been devised by the war department.—Elizabeth Frazer, in the Saturday Evening Post.

No Eats in Heaven.

Eugene, aged five, having been on a strict diet for a week, asked one night after getting in bed: "Mother, do they have places where you can get things to eat in heaven?"

She shook her head. "No, Eugene, there are no restaurants in heaven; people do not have to eat there."

"Not even milk toast?"

"No," she answered.

Drawing a long sigh, Eugene said: "I hope I don't have to die tonight—I'd hate to go to heaven as hungry as I am."

Same Type.

Mrs. Jackson—Dat baby ob you's am de puffec' image ob his daddy.

Mrs. Johnsing—He suah am. He am a reg'lar carbon copy.—Judge.

Libby's Such Flavory Sliced Beef!

THE tenderness of Libby's Sliced Dried Beef, will delight you—but you will find the greatest difference in the flavor!

Have Libby's Sliced Beef with creamed sauce today. See how much more tender, more delicate it is than any other you have ever tried.

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Middle Aged Women

Are Here Told the Best Remedy for Their Troubles.

Freemont, O.—"I was passing through the critical period of life, being forty-six years of age and had all the symptoms incident to that change—heat flashes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proved to be. I feel better and stronger in every way since taking it, and the annoying symptoms have disappeared."—Mrs. M. Godden, 925 Napoleon St., Fremont, Ohio.

North Haven, Conn.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored my health after everything else had failed when passing through change of life. There is nothing like it to overcome the trying symptoms."—Mrs. Florence Isella, Box 197, North Haven, Conn.

In Such Cases

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

has the greatest record for the greatest good

LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. LYNN, MASS.

Bee-Keeping in New Zealand.

At the late annual meeting of the Waikato Beekeepers' association at Hamilton, an assistant director of the horticultural division of the department of agriculture stated that there were 4,391 apiaries registered in New Zealand, representing 50,523 colonies of bees. One beekeeper last year returned 30 tons of honey, which he sold at $487 per ton, while some was sold as high as $730 per ton, thus making it a very prosperous industry.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Unlucky Man.

Clerk—Please, sir, can I have a week's holiday?

Employer—What's wrong with you now?

Clerk—I'm going to get married.

Employer—Now, you were away a week with influenza and ten days with a sprained ankle. I declare there's always something going wrong with you, Jones.—Pearson's Weekly.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Not Worried.

"Why don't you mix in?"

"Those people," said the aloof one, "are nobodies."

"Maybe so, but when enough nobodies get together they manage to have a pretty good time."

A man may know a dollar at sight and still not know its value.

Many a fluent talker never says the right thing at the right time.

When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy

No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. 50 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

KIND TO PRISONERS—GUILTY

German Women Warned That They Will Be Punished for "Lack of Self-Respect."

Women, even the miraculous German superwomen, are incorrigible, observes a writer in the Literary Digest. The German government has just discovered to its horror that Gretchen, in common with all the daughters of Eve, is not insensible to the charms of a well favored man, and, if given the opportunity, even she is disposed to flirt. The Frankenfurter Zietung indignantly writes:

"Female inhabitants of houses adjacent to camps of officer prisoners of war have communication with the imprisoned officers, and even throw them things. Thanks, however, to the sharp lookout kept by the authorities, the attempts in each case were frustrated. The guilty persons, who belong to all classes of society and are of various ages, were discovered.

"While the police authorities have hitherto considered sharp reprimands as sufficient warnings, in the belief that such unconsidered acts were due to a foolish desire for sensation, in future such conduct will be visited by very severe legal penalties and public exposure. These penalties will furthermore be imposed without discrimination on all who may render themselves guilty of such lack of self-respect."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Planting Trees.

Pennsylvania is creating a forestry reserve. The planting of trees is progressing in a way that has proved most gratifying to those taking a special interest in the work. Some years ago it was said that there was danger of Pennsylvania becoming a treeless state. Recent developments show that such a deplorable state of affairs will never come to pass.

True Merit Revealed

"Don't you admire some of the German poets?"

"Yes," replied the uncompromising man, "after they are translated into English."

Some men succeed by ability and some rely on their nerve.

The trouble with most men is that they have to die to be appreciated.

An Ovation.

"Never got such an ovation in my life."

"How so, girlie?"

"You know when a young man lifts his hat to a lady, every young man who happens to be with him does the same."

"Of course."

"Well, Ferdy bowed to me from the middle of his marching club and three hundred young men lifted their hats."

Anybody Can.

"I wonder how they can afford an auto?"

"Have they an auto?"

"They have an auto."

"Well, anybody can afford an auto that can get possession of an auto."

Every Woman Wants Paxtine ANTISEPTIC POWDER

FOR PERSONAL HYGIENE

Dissolved in water for douches stops pelvic catarrh, ulceration and inflammation. Recommended by Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co. for ten years. A healing wonder for nasal catarrh, sore throat and sore eyes. Economical. Has extraordinary cleansing and germicidal power. Sample Free. 50c. all druggists, or postpaid by mail. The Paxton Toilet Company, Boston, Mass.

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Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c.

Kill All Flies! THEY SPREAD DISEASE

Placed anywhere, Daisy Fly Killer attracts and kills all flies. Neat, clean, ornamental, convenient and cheap. Lasts all season. Made of metal, can't spill or tip over; will not soil or injure anything. Guaranteed effective. Ask for Daisy Fly Killer

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A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

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Growers and shippers of cut flowers, plants, etc. Write for catalog. Funeral designs on short notice. Phone day or night. Fargo, N. D.

W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 26–1918.

...the "Lunch" in base...
...28th.

...nudtson of Wanaska was
...nday visitor at the home
... J. M. Jahr and family.

...s social at W. A. Sil-
...turday evening June 29th
... Valley Auxiliary. Ice
... lemonade for sale, ladies
...g lunches.

... Beck, a Minneapolis gro-
...week paid $50.00 to the
...s chapter of the Red
... order of the state food
...tion for having sold 100
... sugar in violation of food
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...00 worth of war saving
... donate $25 to the Red
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...Cancellation of Contract

... S. Kahler: Take notice
... are in default under and
... to the terms, conditions
...isions of that certain con-
... deed dated July 18th,
...eby the Thief River Val-
... Co., a Corporation, agreed
...unto you upon full per-
... by you on your part of the
... conditions and provisions
... reference to which con-
... more particularity is hereby
... following described real
... in the County of Marshall
... of Minnesota, to-wit,
...ne Half (W1-2) of Sec-
... (16) Township One
... Seven (157) Range
..., according to the
... [illegible] and that
... provisions of said
... became due and pay-
... the Thief River
... Company, A Corpora-
... Hundred Dol-
... on the 18th day of
..., with interest thereon
... of 6 per cent per annum
... after the 18th Day of
... and by the powers con-
... the above described con-
... full sum and interest is
...ared due and payable by
...signed as disclosed by the
... amounting to Two Thous-
... Hundred and Eighty Six
...100 ($2,186.70) Dollars and
... is due and has not been
... at the date of this notice
... due and unpaid upon said
... from you according to the
... of the sum of Two Thous-
... Hundred Eighty Six and
... ($2,186.70) Dollars and
...ault still exists.

... THEREFORE, You are
... notified that unless on or
... ninety (90) days after service
... notice upon you that you pay
... undersigned the Thief River
... Land Company, A Corpora-
... Thief River Falls, Minne-
... sum of Two Thousand One
... and Eighty Six and 70-100
... Dollars or pay said sum
... State Bank, now the
... Peoples State Bank of
... River Falls, Minnesota, the
... agent of the undersigned
... with interest from the
... notice at 6 per cent. per an-
... until paid on the sum of
...70 and pay the costs of ser-
... this notice upon you, the
... contract for deed will be can-
... and terminated and all your
... title and interest thereunder
... and to the lands and property
... therein as aforesaid will be
... and annulled.

... cancellation shall take ef-
... (90) days after service of
... notice has been made upon you.

... at Thief River Falls, Minn-
... Day of June 1918.
... River Valley Land Company,
... by W. H. Frederick,
...[SEAL] President.
...Publication July 12th 1918.

... are not "giving" when you
... War Saving Stamps, but mak-
... good investment.

For Sale or Trade

Complete threshing rig for sale cheap or would consider a trade for a good car or a small tractor.

P. N. Peterson,
p2 R. 1. Newfolden, Minn.

Potato Biscuits

1 cup fresh mashed potatoes, one cup barley flour, 1-2 teaspoon salt 2 tablespoons fat, 4 teaspoons baking powder, and 1-4 cup milk. Mix the mashed potatos and fat, add flour sifted with salt and baking powder. When these are thoroughly mixed add the milk. Shape with spoon and spatula or roll out to 1-2 inch in thickness and cut with a biscuit cutter.

The last few weeks has been a pretty good time to kill weeds.

A Red Cross Auxiliary for East Valley was organized Tuesday at the Tom Severson home.

Rev. J. A. Orrock of Thief River Falls will hold English services next Monday evening at 8:30.

If every resource of the country is now made available, a victory and a righteous and enduring peace will be gained the quicker.

Mrs. E. Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Hedman of Grand Forks visited at the R. L. Olson home Wednesday and Thursday.

The less the American people save, the less money, labor and materials there will be for war purposes and the longer it will last.

Mrs. Nels Hanson came last Friday from [illegible] Lee for an indefinite stay with her daughter Mrs. C. W. Christianson and family.

[illegible] arrived here Friday afternoon with a car of Hereford [illegible]. These are all registered stock and [illegible] will be money makers [illegible].

J. A. [illegible]quist, Pete Hanson, Ar[illegible] Christoferson and [illegible] Thief River Falls Wednesday [illegible] to file on [illegible] county land.

If your neighbor offers his life, surely you can lend your money to protect him. [illegible] you are protected at a [illegible] rate of interest. [illegible] that your neighbor fights, and buy saving stamps and bonds and have a clear conscience.

Red Cross Benefit
Saturday evening June 29
at W. A. Silbaugh's

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

War Savings Stamps

PROMISE someone that you'll save one War Savings Stamp each month, each week, or each day.

Penalize yourself by saving two every time you miss the day.

The first principle of money making is money saving. And every time you lick the stamp you help to lick the Kaiser.

War Savings Stamps at every bank, post office or other authorized agency.

This space donated by

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For Trade or Sale Cheap

One complete threshing outfit, 2 automobiles, 1 seven H P gasoline engine, one separator.

B. Docken

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Erickson were entertained for dinner last Sunday at the Ole Larson home.

The increased postage rates means heavier expenses for us and we need every cent due us on accounts.

C. H. Gunheim has sold his farm southwest of town to Jacob Brun of Bismark. Consideration $35.00 per acre.

Mrs. Gus Patanick of Paynesville returned home Saturday after a two weeks visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Louis Wegge.

The war will be won,- when every person in this country realizes they must make great personal sacrifices for the sake of humanity.

Rev. N. C. Carlson of Beresford So. Dak. and two other ministers will hold meetings here Friday and Saturday evenings and on Sunday forenoon, afternoon and evening.

Single men of all ages are being urged to join some branch of the army service now while they can take their choice of the service. After the new law is passed and they register and are classified, they are then subject to all the rules of military law.

Down in Kansas about 100000 men from the cities and towns will be working in the harvest fields this month and next, not so much for the wages, tho they are good, but to save food which is needed more this year than ever before. Can't the people of this state do that too?

The Gatzke boys came down here Sunday and crossed bats with the Holt boys on the home diamond [illegible] during the [illegible] game. The game was called at the end of the ninth inning as one of the visiting players had to make a trip to Warren. The boys expect to try it again soon.

Purchases of sugar for household purposes other than canning are hereafter limited to two pounds for each purchase in cities and five pounds in rural communities, in an order issued by the state food administration this week. The order does not refer to sugar for canning, for which 25 lbs. may purchased, [illegible]

Thru the kindness of A. R. Jones, we enjoyed a ride out to his farm and some of the surrounding country last Sunday. Everything was looking fine but rain was needed. Mr. Jones has made many improvements on his farm in the last two years and it hardly looks like the same place he bot about three years ago or thereabouts.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minnesota, June [illegible], 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Algot Johnson of Germantown Minnesota, who on Jan. [illegible] made Homestead Entry, No. [illegible] for S. E. 1-4, Section 9, Township 155 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn. on the 8th. day of July, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Salve Tharaldsen, O. T. Tharaldsen Alexander Magee, H. Clausen, all of Germantown Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block

Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, which mortgage was duly executed and delivered by John H. Weinzierl and Bess Weinzierl, his wife, Mortgagors, to A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, bearing date the 30th day of April, 1915 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota on the 5th day of May 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in book 71 of Mortgages, on page 396.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by the said A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, to The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., by written assignment, dated on the 1st day of June, 1915, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 14th day of August, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 75 of Mortgages on page 30[illegible].

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., assignee, to Edward P. Sanborn by written assignment dated the 27th day of December, 1916, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of Mar. 1918, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in book 80 of Mortgages on page [illegible].

Which mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said Edward P. Sanborn, assignee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 29th day of April 1918, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the [illegible] day of May, 1918, at 2:10 o'clock P. M. in book 86 of Mortgages on page 19[illegible].

And whereas the said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and power of sale therein contained and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of [illegible] Seven Hundred and Eighteen and 64-100 ($718.64) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South half of the Northwest quarter (S 1-2 NW 1-4) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section One (1) in Township One Hundred Fifty eight (158) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota containing One Hundred Sixty and 90-100 (160.90) acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of July, 1918 at 10 o'clock A. M. of that date, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Seven Hundred Eighteen and 64-100 ($718.64) Dollars and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated June 5th 1918. Holt State Bank. Holt, Minn. (a corporation) Assignee of Mortgage.
A. N. Eckstrom. Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage. Warren, Minnesota.

Washington, D. C.
June 1, 1918.

WAR INDUSTRIES BOARD
Wool Division
PERMIT To OPERATE

Permission is hereby granted to Thief River Hide & Fur Co., Thief River Falls, Minn., to operate as an approved wool dealer in country districts, for the 1918 clip, in conformity with the regulations of the War Industries Board.

LEWIS PENWELL,
Chief of Wool Division,
War Industries Board.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

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Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

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Pure Bred Stallion
No. 4179
The pedigree of the stallion name Roy 66438
Owned by O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.
Color Black markings Strip
Breed Percheron Foaled 1908

Sire [illegible] Dam Margot [illegible], has been examined at the College of Agriculture, Division of Animal Husbandry, and it is hereby certified that the said stallion is of pure breeding and is registered in a studbook recognized by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. The above named stallion has been examined by E. E. Pearson, a duly licensed Veterinarian, and is reported as free from infectious, contagious or transmissible disease, or unsoundness, and is licensed to stand for public service in the state of Minnesota. Dated at St. Paul, Minnesota, this 24th day of April, 1918.

Transferred from J. S. [illegible], Beltrami, Minn.

Will Stand in Holt for the season of 1918.

Terms of Service: Standing Colt $14.00. If mare is sold or traded to leave the country, fees become due.

O. J. Backlund, Owner, Holt, Minn.

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The Overland Model 90 is *established.*

The popular demand for this car is in itself a tribute to Willys-Overland manufacturing skill and the high ideals.

Ask for a demonstration of this light Overland Four. It is convincing.

Appearance
Performance
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Service
Price

Light Four Model 90 Touring Car, $[illegible]
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Newfolden, Minn.

Invented in 1589.

The knitting frame was invented in 1589 by William Lee, a graduate of Cambridge university and a native of Woodborough, near Nottingham, England. So perfect was the invention in every detail that to this day the essential feaures of the machine continue in use for the class of work to which Lee applied it.

Help the Red Cross

We Need Money

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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HISTORICAL
SOCIETY

The Holt Weekly News

Successor to and Continuation of

The Northern Light

By The

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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

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Subscription Price: $1.00 per year, strictly in advance.

Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Is it hard for you to save sugar?

All Ladies Hats at 25 per cent discount at R. Reierson's store.

Mrs. Ordahl went to T. R. Falls Monday to consult Dr. Nesse about some dental work.

Mrs. Ole Knutson returned home Monday from a visit with relatives in Thief River Falls.

Miss Thea Johnson returned home Saturday from a three weeks visit with relatives at St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Johnson went to Grand Forks Monday to consult a physician regarding the formers health.

Mrs. H. J. Olen and baby returned Monday from a short visit with her sister, Mrs. A. H. Huseth at Greenbush.

Mrs. Hilma Nyberg of Holt and Nettie Nash of Newfolden, returned to their homes from a few weeks stay at Grand Forks.

Mrs. Fred Luffkin and children, who have been visiting relatives here for some time returned to their home in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Ole Kjelgren and daughter Ida went to Thief River Falls Monday where the latter entered the tri-county sanitarium for a couple of months treatment.

Mrs. Jno. Sathre, who has been visiting at the Bennes home, left Monday for a short visit with friends at Crookston, and from there she goes to Felton to visit relatives.

August Ness and two sons returned last week Thursday from a weeks visit with relatives at Battle Lake, and report the country looking fine all along the way with prospects for a bumper crop.

Herb Severson son of Tom Severson returned home Wednesday from Ellington Field, Huston, Texas. The young man belonged to the aviation corps of the army and had just been honorably discharged on account of a severe attack of the rheumatism. Mr. Severson is much disappointed in not getting a chance to go to France but intends to do his part now at home.

City Meat Market

Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides and Furs.
TERMS:- Cash. Postively no credit

O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

Please Answer This?

Will someone please send us an answer to the following questions:

1st. Who will a farmer expect to call on for help in case of sickness of himself or family, a neighbor who is a shareholder in the farmers creamery or on some big firm in Duluth or Crookston?

2nd. You know just how many bonds and stamps your neighbor bot, how much he gave to the Red Cross, how many sweaters and other garments his family made and are now making for the soldier and sailor boys and how hard they have worked at Red Cross socials, now please tell us how much the big firms have helped on your quota for the bond and stamp sales, Red Cross drives and making of garments?

3rd. Now please tell us how much the big firms would pay the farmer for his cream, if, for any reason, our creamery should be closed?

4th. Did you ever hear of one of these firms helping to develop a new section of country?

5th. What is the difference between these big firms or centralizers, and Big Business?

Jno. Sorum returned home Monday from Detroit.

Olson and Aasland were nominated at the primary election for county commissioner from this district and a hot fight to see which one will land the job is looked for.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunder Sorter, Anna and Melvin, returned last weeks Thursday from a visit with relatives at Valley City, N. D. and a short visit with friends at Fargo and Crookston.

John Ostlund returned home Saturday from Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill. Mr. Ostlund failed to pass the final examination on account of the injury he received in an automobile accident last year.

The Ringbo Auxilary of the Red Cross is going to meet at Matt. Larson Sunday July 7th at 2 o'clock sharp. Everybody is welcome to attend. At our last meeting five new members were secured.

Miss Esther Movick, Secy.

The Young people of the neighborhood gathered at the Ed. O'Hara home Saturday evening, by invitation of Mrs. O'Hara and Mrs. Nettie Haley, to surprise Ray O'Hara and help him celebrate his birthday. All present reported a most enjoyable time.

Ole Johnson and Clarence Docken are both now located at Camp Kearney, California. Mr. Johnson has entered a hospital to undergo an operation for rupture and sends word home that he is having good care and likes it out there. Mr. Docken is in training but is expecting a clerical job at Camp Lewis, Wash.

The Zone rate of second class postage compels us to pay a cent on each paper sent to distant states. This would cut our price right in the center, which no publisher could stand. Therefore we are asking that all back subscriptions be paid and enough more be sent us to cover the extra postage. Please do it now.

The Northwestern Telephone Co., took over all of the Tri-State lines, in the north part of the state, on July 1st, and the Tri-State Co., took over the Northwestern lines in the southern part of the state. The dividing line is in the twin cities, each company getting one of the cities. Hereafter the Northwestern rates will be used on all lines in this territory, which may mean a slight raise in price to some stations.

Is your subscription paid up?

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. E. LaRbe, of the A. S. S. U., will preach here Sunday July 7th at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Special meetings at the Mission church will continue tonight, Saturday night, Sunday forenoon at 10:30, Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock and in the evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited.

Our country needs 100 per cent Americans.

Ole Reierson and family have received word this week that Rudolph is safely over seas.

A. R. Jones went to Crookston Wednesday to spend the 'The Fourth' with his family.

The increased postage rates means heavier expenses for us and we need every cent due us on accounts.

Mrs. Albert Severson and Mrs. Andrew Ordolf of St Hilaire, visited at Ered Steinhauer's last week.

Miss Agnes Bakke went to Hillsboro Wednesday to spend "The Fourth" with her sister, Mrs. Albert Halvorson.

Argyle recently held a special election to vote for a waterworks and sewerage system and the propositon carried by a decisive vote.

Anyone who wishes to either sell or buy any kind of explosives must now have a license. They only cost 25c and those in this locality can get licenses from B. Docken at the bank.

Oscar Bottom and Gilbert Johnson are working for Olaf Johnson, down near Mavie, leveling the road along side the big ditch that Mr. Johnson's dredge has recently completed.

Mrs. Peter Bjerkven who has been visiting relatives at Mahnomen for two weeks, came home yesterday accompanied by her sister-in-law Mrs. Gust Bjerkven and two children.

The Red Cross Social held at W. A. Silbaugh's Saturday evening was well attended, considering the bad weather. $26.37 was made but had the weather been better, a much larger sum would have been raised.

Alfred Sollom and his crew of workmen are now making their headquaters in town. They are working on the state road now, only a little ways north of town and expect to soon have the job completed as far south as the creamery. If the county commissioners and engineer expect to make a good state road, it should be graded considerably farther south from the creamery.

For Sale Cheap

A manual Smith No. 20 conviction heater, complete heating and ventilaing system. Enquire of G. P. Sorter, Clerk District No. 58, Holt Minn.

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The knitting frame was invented in 1589 by William Lee, a graduate of Cambridge university and a native of Woodborough, near Nottingham, England. So perfect was the invention in every detail that to this day the essential feaures of the machine continue in use for the class of work to which Lee applied it.

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For Sale or Trade

Complete threshing rig for sale cheap or would consider a trade for a good car or a small tractor.

P. N. Peterson,
p2 R. 1. Newfolden, Minn.

Notice for Bids

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of School District No. 58 will receive sealed bids up to 6 o'clock P. M. of July 20th 1918, for the sale of the following buildings, separately;

The old school house, the hallway of old schoolhouse, the coal shed and the outhouses. Separate bids must be submitted for each building.

G. P. Sorter, Clerk,
Holt, Minn.

Potato Biscuits

1 cup fresh mashed potatoes, one cup barley flour, 1-2 teaspoon salt 2 tablespoons fat, 4 teaspoons baking powder, and 1-4 cup milk. Mix the mashed potatos and fat, add flour sifted with salt and baking powder. When these are thoroughly mixed add the milk. Shape with spoon and spatula or roll out to 1-2 inch in thickness and cut with a biscuit cutter.

Department of the Interior

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. June 29 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Matilda Larson, formerly Matilda Furr, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on May 2nd., 1916, made Homestead Entry, No. 013652, for N.E. 1-4, Section 25, Township 156 N., Range 42W., 5th Principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 5th day of August, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: N. A. Fosen, W. A. Silbaugh, Carl Surmo and Olaf Ness all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.03
Wheat No. 2	2.00
Wheat No. 3	1.97
Wheat No. 4	1.93
Flax	3.65
Oats	.61
Barley	.39 to .76
Rye	1.51
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

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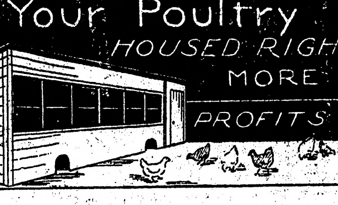

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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

Domestic

Rescuers working in the wrecked Silver mine, near Virginia, Minn., destroyed by a premature explosion of dynamite and black powder, had taken out three miners, alive but unconscious. Mine officials reported that 29 men had been entombed.

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Following an investigation of the financial affairs of the National Emergency Relief society, Mrs. William Cummings Story, former director general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was indicted at New York on charges of grand larceny, petit larceny and conspiracy. Mrs. Story is president of the relief society.

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Marvin Hughitt, Jr., of Chicago has left the service of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad to become manager of coal properties in which he is interested.

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Five persons were killed and several others injured by a tornado which struck South Green City, Mo. Considerable property damage is reported.

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Engineer Alonzo Sargent was asleep at the throttle when his locomotive tore into the Wallace-Hagenbeck circus train and caused the known loss of 62 lives on the Michigan Central railroad at Invanhoe, Ind. This statement was made at the inquest in Hammond by Charles J. McFadden, counsel for the railroad company.

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Secretary Daniels discussed with Captain Moffett, commandant of the Great Lakes Naval Training station, plans for enlargement of that station now necessary.

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A big passenger steamer being used by the government as a supply ship was destroyed by fire following an explosion, it became known at an Atlantic port.

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European War News

Intervening in the debate of the new military service act and speaking of the urgency of obtaining men for a serious emergency, Premier Lloyd George told the house of commons it was true the Americans were coming and being brigaded with the allies, but that it was on the distinct understanding that when men were obtained they should replace the Americans and enable the Americans to form their own divisions.

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The city of Irkutsk, Siberia, has been captured by Czecho-Slovak troops under General Alexieff, according to Berlin reports received in Copenhagen and sent to the Exchange Telegraph company of London.

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The body of Captain Beracca, Italy's famous aviator, whose machine fell in flames inside the Austrian lines after a battle, was found during the Italian advance, says a dispatch from Rome. The body was slightly burned.

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Through its foreign secretary, Dr. Richard von Kuehlmann, the German government made the admission that the end of the war can hardly be expected through purely military decisions alone and without recourse to diplomatic negotiations. In addressing the reichstag in Berlin Dr. von Kuehlmann expressed the hope that the allies in due course of time will find a way to approach Germany with peace offers that will satisfy that country's vital needs.

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The Germans have landed a force of 3,000 infantry and cavalry, together with artillery, at Poti, on the Black sea, according to an official communication from Moscow.

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U.S.—Teutonic War News

German submarines operating on this side of the Atlantic ocean have sunk their first troop ship. The navy department announced that a British transport, under charter by the American government and bound to this country, had been destroyed June 18, some 700 miles east of the Delaware capes, and that 67 members of the crew are missing. There were no troops aboard.

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Lieut. Cyrus F. Chamberlain, son of F. A. Chamberlain, a Minneapolis (Minn.) banker, and the last member of the Lafayette escadrille, was killed in an airplane accident in France, according to a cablegram received by his father. Chamberlain met death in a French machine on the French front, the dispatch said.

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Shipping operating in the area east of longitude 40, between the latitude of Cape Race, Newfoundland and Bermuda, has been warned of enemy activity, the navy department announced.

Lieut. George B. Redwood of Baltimore, Md., who was twice decorated for conspicuous bravery, was killed in action in France, according to information received by his mother.

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Washington

President Wilson, it was learned from an authoritative source, is preparing to advocate universal military training as a war measure. The tentative plan is to submit to congress a bill extending the draft age and also establishing universal military training for American youths below the draft age.

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The senate agricultural committee agreed upon an amendment to the emergency agricultural appropriation bill providing for national prohibition. Under the amendment the manufacture and sale of whisky and wine would be prohibited after June 30, 1919, and the manufacture and sale of beer three months after the approval of the bill by the president.

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Another bond bill, authorizing $8,000,000,000 of Liberty bonds, in addition to all heretofore authorized, was framed by the house ways and means committee, in preparing for the next issue expected in October, and to provide for a subsequent issue when necessary.

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President Wilson sent this cablegram to General Diaz, commanding the Italian arm: "Please accept my warm congratulations on the splendid successes of the armies under your command. The whole spirit of America acclaims the achievement and feels that a very great blow has been struck for the liberties not only of Italy but of the world."

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President Wilson is for peaceful, not forceful intervention to rehabilitate Russia and expel the Hun. It was learned in Washington that the president has determined upon the basic principles of a plan for extending aid to Russia, and is engaged in formulating the details.

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After Secretary Baker and General March had opposed revision of draft age limits and announced that within 90 days the war department would submit a new and enlarged army program, the senate military committee voted against any legislation to change the draft age limits from twenty-one to thirty-one years to twenty and forty years.

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Belgium was given another credit of $2,250,000, making Belgium's total loans from the United States $122,800,000. Aggregate credits to the allies now amount to $5,972,500,000.

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Immediate absolute prohibition was vigorously opposed before the senate agriculture committee by an array of witnesses, including Chairman Hurley of the shipping board; Samuel Gompers, and Percy H. Johnston speaking for a committee of bankers. Hurley declared the shipping board feared taking beer from the workmen would interfere with the great shipbuilding program.

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Congress, heartened by the news of the great Italian victory, shattered all legislative speed records on Monday by lightninglike action on some of the most important war measures of the present session. Billions of dollars for the war chest were voted with unprecedented rapidity and unanimity.

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Foreign

The Ukraine bureau of Lausanne announced that it had received communication of the report that the bolshevik authorities at Ekaterinburg had convicted Nicholas Romanoff, the former Russian emperor, after a short trial, condemned him to death, and shot him. Rumors are current in Petrograd that Alexis Romanoff, son of former Emperor Nicholas, is dead.

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Lord Cecil, minister of blockade, announced in commons at London that there is "constant discussion between America and the allies regarding Russia," but that he was unable to make any statement regarding intervention.

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Snow has fallen to a depth of from one to three inches in several parts of Germany, according to the Exchange Telegraph company at London. Frost has caused havoc to the fruit trees.

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Premier Lloyd George announced in the house of commons that the next couple of months would be anxious ones. There might be a great blow coming, he said, and on this blow the issue of the campaign might depend. The entente allies, he added, never felt better prepared to meet it. "Enough Americans," he added, "have arrived to satisfy the allies and to disappoint and ultimately defeat our foes."

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Edward Shortt, chief secretary for Ireland, said he hoped to satisfy the house of commons the German plot in Ireland was a real and imminent danger to this country.

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The French senate, sitting as a high court in Paris will begin on July 15 the trial of Louis Mulvy, former minister of the interior, on the charge of high treason. This was decided upon at an unofficial meeting of the senators.

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The Tokyo newspapers report that as a result of the deliberations of the advisory board on diplomatic affairs, Japan has decided to refrain from intervention in Siberia at present.

FRENCH ATTACK SOUTH OF AISNE

Advance Is Made When Foch's Forces Strike Enemy at Two Separate Points.

TAKE IMPORTANT RIDGE

German Counterattacks Fought Off North of American Position Near Marne—British and Italians Push Enemy Back.

Both the French and the British continued their recently adopted program of striking the Germans at various points along the Franco-Belgian line, capturing a vantage point here and there and harassing the enemy while the preparations for the resumption of his offensive are under way.

The French hit the line in local attacks at two separate points, but both on the western side of the German salient which projects down to the Marne from the Aisne. They gained ground in each attack and took prisoners and machine guns.

The most pronounced gain was effected by General Petain's troops just above the point where their line joins the American sector northwest of Belleau wood.

Britons Under Heavy Fire.

Tension is increasing along the British front in France as the crescendo of the German artillery fire mounts higher and higher. From Ypres to Rheims the big guns are busier than they have been for some days.

The German command is known to have large forces in readiness on the main battlefields of France. They may strike anywhere on the 200 mile main front as their communications give them much elasticity of movement. It is expected also that the blow, when and where it does come, will be the mightiest the enemy can make.

Concentrate Opposite Americans.

Along the line northwest of Chateau Thierry, where the Americans hold a sector, the Germans are reported concentrating troops and supplies. Aerial fighting has been very severe near the American lines. It is not unlikely the Germans may plan to give the Americans a hard blow in payment for the recent American successes on this front.

German air raids against Paris continue, but in three attempts last week and two since, the enemy caused no great damage and few casualties.

Italians Take Two Heights.

Attacking the Austro-Hungarian lines on the Asiago plateau, the Italians have wrested Monte di Valbella from the enemy, capturing 800 prisoners, and have held their new positions against repeated counterblows.

Further east, on the Brenta river, they captured the height of Sasso Rosso, just orth nof Valtagna.

It is hardly to be believed General Diaz plans to go further than local objectives, but if he should make much progress on the Asiago plateau he would be able to take under his artillery fire the railroad paralleling the battleline and running along the Brenta river east of Lake Caloniazzo. This line is the connecting link and if the Italians could dominate it the Austrian system of communications would be impaired seriously.

MAKE IT HOT FOR U-BOATS

U. S. Patrols Push Divers Farther Out From Atlantic Coast.

Washington, July 2.—That German submarines are still lurking off the American coast is indicated by recent navy department messages.

These tend to show that operations on a wide circle, farther out than the original attacks on coastwise vessels. Apparently the German intention still is to make a desperate try for troopships.

The U-boats evidently are playing a crafty waiting game, as no ships have been bagged since the British Dwinsk was torpedoed nearly two weeks ago.

The reason for operations far out from the coast is the American patrol was getting too hot on the trail. Navy men say it is part of the submarine strategy to move about keeping the defenders guessing.

GERMAN FOOD RATIONS CUT

Reduction Caused by Promise of Supplies to Austria.

Amsterdam, July 2.—Official announcement was made in Berlin of a reduction of from seven to three pounds weekly in the potato ration. Oatmeal or other cereals will be distributed instead. Complete accord has been reached for joint utilization of common grain stocks until the new harvest, say Vienna dispatches.

To Distribute President's Spech.

New York, July 2.—President Wilson's Fourth of July speech, to be delivered at the Tomb of Washington, at Mount Vernon, will be delivered in printed form in the grand stands on Fifth avenue during the monster Independence Day parade, it is announced. The copies are to be given out shortly after the President Begins the delivery of his address. The people watching the parade here will thus be enabled to read what is expected to prove a world message as it is being spoken by the President.

RUSSIAN LEGION IS AUTHORIZED

Army Bill Carrying Over Twelve Billion Dollars Is Passed By Senate.

ACTION IS UNANIMOUS

Measure Gives President Wilson Unlimited Authority to Increase the Army by Further Draft Calls So As to Insure Success.

Woshington, July 2.—The Senate has passed the army appropriation bill, carrying more than $12,000,000,000 for the prosecution of the war and conferring authority on the president to raise as large an army as may be necessary to insure final victory.

There was not an opposing vote. The bill had been before the Senate almost continuously for five days.

Russian Legion Authorized.

An important amendment added to the bill authorized the President to raise a Russian legion in the United States to be composed of friendly aliens of that nationality.

As the amendment was originally presented by Senator King of Utah, it proposed the raising of this legion for service only in Russia, either independently or with any American troops that might be sent there. But the provision limiting the field of service of this proposed mission to Russia was withdrawn by its author after objection by Senator McCumber of North Dakota.

Specific Draft Defeated.

None of the appropriations for the army's part in the war for the fiscal year, beginning July 1, was reduced by the Senate. Instead it increased many items, approved without change the House clause clothing the President with unlimited authority to increase the army by further draft calls and added scores of important legislative riders.

A futile effort was made by Senators desirous of specifically ordering an army increase. An amendment by Senator McCumber of North Dakota, proposing to "direct" the President to enlarge the army to 5,000,000 enlisted men as speedily as equipment and clothing could be obtained, was rejected, 45 to 19, and an amendment by Senator Fall of New Mexico, proposing an increase of 3,000,000 men went out viva voce.

Many senators, however, fearing this action, and the rejection of the Fall amendment to extend the draft age limits to 20 and 40 years, would be misinterpreted, declared in voting they were only temporarily postponing action in accord with the War department's request for two or three months time to submit the enlarged program.

FIGHT EIGHT GERMAN BOATS

Four British Destroyers Retire When Foe Is Reinforced.

London, July 2.—Four British torpedo boat destroyers fought a long range engagement with a German destroyer force off the Belgian coast. The action was broken off before any decisive results were attained.

An official statement issued by the British admiralty recounting the affair, says:

"Four of our destroyers while patroling off the Belgian coast sighted eight enemy torpedo boat destroyers. Our destroyers proceeded on an easterly course at full speed, engaged the enemy at long range.

"After the action had lasted a quarter of an hour the enemy was joined by three more torpedo boat destroyers whereupon our force fell back on their supports. The enemy did not follow and the action was broken off. No damage was sustained by any of our vessels."

TAKE THIRTY-SIX TEUTONS

General Pershing Reports American Raiding Parties Active.

Washington, July 2.—Marked raiding and patrolling at several points held by the American troops were reported in General Pershing's communique, which was received at the War department.

In Picardy a small detachment of Americans captured 36 prisoners, including one officer, and inflicted severe losses on the enemy, while in the Vosges a German raiding party was repulsed.

Increased activity by the enemy artillery and airplanes in the Marne sector on June 26 and 27, and the heavy shelling of the American positions in the Chateau-Thierry region on the same days when the American troops advanced their line a third of a mile also were reported.

Mexicans Fear Selective Draft.

Laredo, Tex., July 2.—As a result of war conditions and especially the selective draft striking terror to many of the Mexican residents of Laredo and causing them to flee with their families from this country, or "hiding out" their children to prevent enrollment on the scholastic census, the number of school children of the Laredo Independent school district, according to the scholastic census recently completed, has been reduced by 763. The scholastic census shows a total of 5,569.

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The spent yeast which collects in breweries and distilleries is put through a process which turns it out in the form of buttons, doorbell plates and knife handles. Formerly this leftover material was considered to be a bothersome waste; now it is utilized, every bit of it. As it is gathered from the vats the yeast is of a dirty, gray-brown color. The first operation is to dye it and then to work it over until it assumes the form of powder and can be hot pressed into any form. In this stage it is called "ernolith." It may be sawed, scraped, filed, drilled, engraved, turned to an edge and polished.—Popular Science Monthly.

Figures Wanted.

Plain Heiress—I'd give a good deal to find a man who would love me just for myself.

Impecune—H'm, yes! Well, about how much?—Boston Transcript.

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Beats Hun Glass.

The United States bureau of standards has just issued a report on its tests of American-made glass for chemical use, which shows all the new American brands to be superior to the Kavalier and equal or superior to the Jena, both German glass that was almost universally used before the war.

How superior a boy feels when he hears some other boy being scolded.

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WHY BALL CAN BE CURVED

Presence of Irregularities on the Sphere Alone Makes the Feat a Possibility.

If it were not for "mountains" on a baseball much larger in proportion than any mountains on earth the clever pitcher could not get so much as a sixteenth of an inch curve in it.

If a baseball were a perfect sphere the best pitcher in the world could not make it curve a hair's breadth other than the natural curve produced by gravity. The reason the baseball curves, says the American Boy, is because it is covered with "mountains." There are great peaks and ridges, valleys and cliffs, gullies and craters all over it. Magnified 10,000 diameters, all these things may be seen, and they present a far more rugged landscape than any mountainous region in the world. It looks like an exaggerated combination of the Grand Canyon, Bad Lands, Alps and Rockies.

It is these irregularities that make it possible for a pitcher to curve his baseball. Of course he knows how to hold and throw it, but in passing through the air the friction strikes upon these ragged edges, even though they have to be magnified 10,000 diameters to be seen with the naked eye, and cause such a pressure as to make the ball leave its natural course.

Better say only half you think than to think only half you say.

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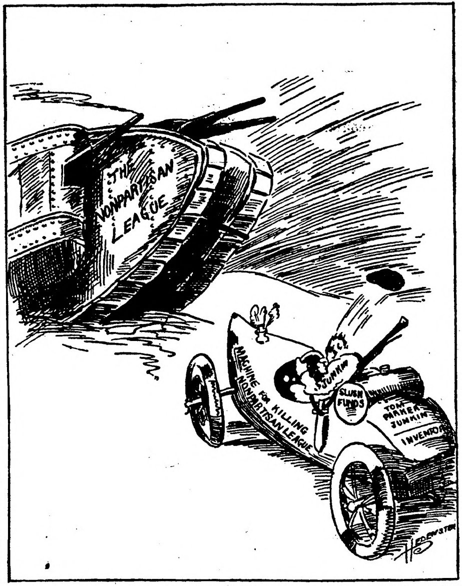
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HOOVER DENOUNCES MARKETING SYSTEM

Says New System Must Soon Arise Based on Interests of the Producers and Consumers.

A no less important person than Herbert Hoover, national food administrator, has come out against the present market system of the middlemen monopolists and for a best system of marketing farm products.

"I had also long held the view," declared Mr. Hoover in a speech at the National Milk and Dairy Farm Exposition in New York City, May 23, "that various associations among producers were the foundations upon which a better marketing system must arise in the United States in the interest of both producer and consumer."

One of the strongest indictments Mr. Hoover brought against our present marketing system is that it is prodigally wasteful. He said, using dairy marketing as an illustration: "One difficulty to both our producers and consumers of dairy products is that our marketing is inherently a wasteful and expensive system. The enormous duplication and waste in the present chaotic distribution methods need no detailed description from me. There is a commodity (whole milk) in which, in New York, from 40 to 60 per cent of the price is absorbed in distribution. I can see but one remedy that will save the position between all these vital interests, and that is complete re-organization of distribution methods."

Mr. Hoover's ideas about marketing coincide strikingly with the principles of the Nonpartisan League platform. The League has advocated from the first co-operation among farmers where co-operation is the natural thing, and public ownership of those big marketing facilities it is practically impossible for the farmers to co-operatively own, such as railroads, warehouses and cold storage plants. But a democratic administration of these great utilities under a system of public ownership would constitute essential co-operation of the highest kind with whole people co-operating.

The Nonpartisan League asked its members to stay away from the polls recent primary election day. League candidates are to be put on the ballot by petition. The South Dakota vote fell off more than one-half. One of the leading papers of Sioux Falls announced that not many people voted on account of the war and the heavy rains.

North Dakota, the only state controlled by the Nonpartisan League, oversubscribed the last Red Cross subscription 160 per cent and was still climbing when last reported. It was leading all other states. North Dakota led also in the Second and Third Liberty Loans. This is not bad for a "disloyal" state.

WHY MIDDLEMAN FEARS LEAGUE

Arthur Evans, Chicago Tribune correspondent, in his recent investigation of the Nonpartisan League, disclosed facts through his paper showing that the middlemen throughout Minnesota are not concerned much about the fake disloyalty charges against the League, but that their opposition is based solely on the fact that the League program proposes through state ownership to eliminate nonproducers and unnecessary middlemen

LAND SPECULATORS RESIST WAR ORDER

Absentees Show Real Disloyalty When N. D. Council Would Use Idle Acres.

The real disloyalty of the land profiteers is being revealed in a striking manner by the resistance of some of the absentee land speculators to the recent order of the North Dakota Council of Defense conscripting slacker acres to help win the war.

A North Dakota land speculator named Davis who lives in Wisconsin has filed an injunction suit against the State Defense Council challenging the right of that body to throw these idle lands open to cultivation. Arguments will be heard before Judge Allen of the district court of Richland county.

On June 3, F. M. Johnson of Richland county wired the state council for permission to enter upon and crop certain idle land owned by Mr. Davis. The legal advisor for the council wired authority to crop the land the following day and Mr. Johnson proceeded to break the land and plant it to flax.

Later the owner of the land got out a restraining order to prevent Mr. Johnson continuing with the seeding, claiming the land had been leased for hay and grass purposes. The suit raises the question of the jurisdiction of the State Council of Defense to assist the state and federal government in their effort to increase the production of food. The resolution adopted by the council May 24 gives the farmers of North Dakota the right to enter upon and crop any idle lands not growing food or cereal crops and does not except lands leased for hay and grass crops.

This North Dakota order is one of the most timely aids to the administration that has come since the war began. So many people throughout the world have been taken off the farms to fight that supplying themselves with food has become the big problem with the United States and the Allies. It has been stated that this problem will actually be the deciding factor in the war. In view of the fact that the Central Powers are worse situated than the Allies regarding the food supply, the Allied peoples are confronted with the rare opportunity of winning a victory largely by raising big crops.

One would think that absentee landlords who are either merely holding their colossal estates as speculators in land values, or have leased them as forage lands, would eagerly embrace this splendid opportunity to do something really vital for their country. In vew of the fact that the order is only temporary to help win the war, one would think that they at least would refrain from resisting it. But it appears that these profiteers are likely to go the limit to have this order set aside and are willing in this crisis to see their thousands of acres idle rather than to lose an opportunity to coin profits.

The Loyalty That Counts.

The North Dakota Nonpartisan League government, charged by the henchmen of Big Business with disloyalty, has turned 300,000 slacker acres belonging to absentee landlord speculators to the farmers of the state to raise crops on to help win the war. The farmers will pay only one-tenth of the crop on land that has not been previously cultivated. The League is called disloyal because it hits profiteers and makes them do their part in winning war.

FRAZIER MARGIN MAY BE 17,000

Compiled Total Leads Steen Vote About 14,000--Returns Not Yet Complete.

CLEAN SWEEP FOR N.P.'S

Baer, Young and Sinclair Share in Victory of Nonpartisan League—School and Judicial Nominees Also Win

Fargo, N. D., July 1.—With North Dakota primary election returns still several thousand votes short of completion Governor Frazier's renomination is assured by a majority of from 14,000 to 17,000 over his opponent John Steen. The former figure, approximately, is shown on the face of returns already reported, while precincts yet to be heard from are predicted in certain quarters as likely to bring the governor's final margin close to the latter figure.

All other Nonpartisan endorsees on the Republican ticket have been nominated with him, including the three congressional candidates, Baer, Young and Sinclair.

N. C. Macdonald has a comfortable lead over Miss Nielson on the educational ballot for state superintendent of public instruction and Harry Bronson of Grand Forks leads Charles Fisk of Minot for the supreme bench. All four names will, however, appear upon the nonpartisan school or judicial ballots in the fall.

Actual Figures to Date

The actual footings to date in the contest for governor are: Frazier, 51,060, and Steen 36,283, according to reports published in the morning paper here. These returns are of course unofficial and incomplete in some of the counties shown. The total already presented, however, represents a Republican vote of upward of eighty-seven thousand, which must be near the total vote polled.

Attorney General Langer and Secretary of State Hall are both credited with a vote nearly as heavy as that of Governor Frazier.

Congressional Returns

First district—Baer, 13,362; Vick, 12,601.

Second district—Young, 13,698; Hanchett, 5,009.

Third district—Sinclair, 13,176; Norton, 13,019.

Following is the gubernatorial vote of the Republican primaries as far as tabulated to date:

County—	Frazier.	Steen.
Adams	587	344
Barnes	1701	1180
Benson	956	844
Billings	365	231
Bottineau	1573	695
Bowman	572	344
Burke	703	499
Burleigh	1463	1152
Cass	1791	3213
Cavalier	837	696
Dickey	593	461
Divide	1058	434
Dunn	916	348
Eddy	675	290
Emmons	739	425
Foster	482	305
Golden Valley	403	540
Grand Forks	1165	1996
Grant	1313	497
Griggs	634	279
Hettinger	972	452
Kidder	915	285
LaMoure	1175	500
Logan	681	179
McHenry	1681	808
McIntosh	701	166
McKenzie	1040	429
McLean	1357	1011
Mercer	660	233
Morton	1714	1041
Mountrail	1341	591
Nelson	876	715
Pembina	701	914
Pierce	651	662
Ramsey	917	1307
Ransom	1047	567
Renville	664	284
Richland	832	1109
Rolette	759	473
Sargent	715	610
Sheridan	855	341
Sioux	182	249
Slope	512	196
Stark	983	821
Steele	825	456
Stutsman	376	935
Towner	1681	807
Traill	1114	1004
Walsh	1009	917
Ward	1928	1964
Wells	1295	572
Williams	1348	942
Totals	51060	36283

In the Democratic state primaries S. J. Doyle secured a comfortable majority over his opponent, G. W. Wilkinson of Fargo, a late entry in the field. The Democratic vote was very light.

Wants Pep in County Councils

How about your county council, asks the North Dakota Council of Defense? Is it on the job, doing its bit to harmonize your community and to promote patriotic efficiency? If not, who is to blame? Think it over—it might possibly be yourself. Anyway, the council urges that you write in to Secretary Box of the state council at Bismarck if you have no county council or if your county council is inactive and suggest some way of doing something.

Old Grist Mill to Norristown.

The Montgomery County (Pa.) Historical society has appointed a committee to arrange for the removal of an ancient grist and sawmill in Horsham, built in 1734, to Elmwood park, Norristown. The old mill, not operated for many years, has been offered to the society by Miss Mary Iredell. It was an old relic and the town council of Norristown has signified that if it is accepted by the historical society and placed in Elmwood park along Stony creek, it would be taken care of by the borough in order that future generations may see how flour was ground and lumber sawed in pioneer days. It is the intention to bring to Norristown, if possible, the large driving wheel, turbine wheel and cob crusher.

His Suggestion.

"No," said the positive girl, "I will never tie myself down to one man."

"Perhaps," he replied sarcastically, "if I organize a syndicate you will consider our offer."—Boston Evening Transcript.

A defective stomach keeps more people awake than a guilty conscience.

The Community Phone.

The war has about eliminated gossip over rural telephone lines in the Owensville community. The old familiar answer from central that the "line's busy" has been crowded out by answers of this kind:

"Can't ring 'em. They are out soliciting for the Red Cross."

"You'll find 'em at the Red Cross workshop."

"Mrs. Farmer is helping put up hay. Call later."

"Haven't been able to ring 'em all day. They are out at work."

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The Effects of Opiates.

THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotic, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous dyspepsia and lack of staying powers are a result of dosing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minnesota, June 1st, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Algot Johnson of Germantown Minnesota, who on Jan. 16th 1915 made Homestead Entry, No. 011715, for S. E. 1-4, Section 9, Township 155 N., Range 41 W., 5th. Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. W. Tarrant Municipal Judge for the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 8th. day of July, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Halvo Tharaldsen, O. T. Tharaldsen Alexander Magee, H. Clausen, all of Germantown Minnesota.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Notice of Cancellation of Contract

To Dan S. Kahler: Take notice that you are in default under and according to the terms, conditions and provisions of that certain contract for deed dated July 13th, 1916, whereby the Thief River Valley Land Co., a Corporation, agreed to convey unto you upon full performance by you on your part of the terms, conditions and provisions thereof reference to which contract for more particularity is hereby made, the following described real property in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, to-wit;

The West One Half (W1-2) of Section Sixteen (16) Township One Hundred Fifty Seven (157) Range Forty-five (45) according to the official survey thereof; and that according to the provisions of said contract there became due and payable from you to the Thief River Valley Land Company, A Corporation the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) on the 13th Day of July, 1917, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from and after the 13th Day of July, 1916 and by the powers contained in the above described contract the full sum and interest is now declared due and payable by the undersigned as disclosed by the contract, amounting to Two Thousand One Hundred and Eighty Six and 70-100 ($2,186.70) Dollars and the same is due and has not been paid and at the date of this notice there is due and unpaid upon said contract from you according to the terms thereof the sum of Two Thousand One Hundred Eighty Six and 70-100 ($2,186.70) Dollars and said default still exists.

NOW THEREFORE, You are hereby notified that unless on or before ninety (90) days after service of this notice upon you that you pay to the undersigned the Thief River Valley Land Company, A Corporation of Thief River Falls, Minnesota the sum of Two Thousand One Hundred and Eighty Six and 70-100 ($2,186.70) Dollars or pay said sum to the First State Bank, now the Farmers and Peoples State Bank, of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, the designated agent of the undersigned corporation with interest from the date of notice at 6 per cent per annum until paid on the sum of $2,186.70 and pay the costs of service of this notice upon you, the said contract for deed will be cancelled and terminated and all your right, title and interest thereunder and to and to the lands and property covered therein as aforesaid will be forfeited and annulled.

Such cancellation shall take effect ninety (90) days after service of this notice has been made upon you.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 14th Day of June 1918.

Thief River Valley Land Company,
by W. H. Frederick,
[CORPORATE SEAL.] President.

Date of last Publication July 12th 1918.

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Another waste eliminator on the North Dakota is the potato peeler, shown in the lower photo. Nothing is lost except the actual potato skin.

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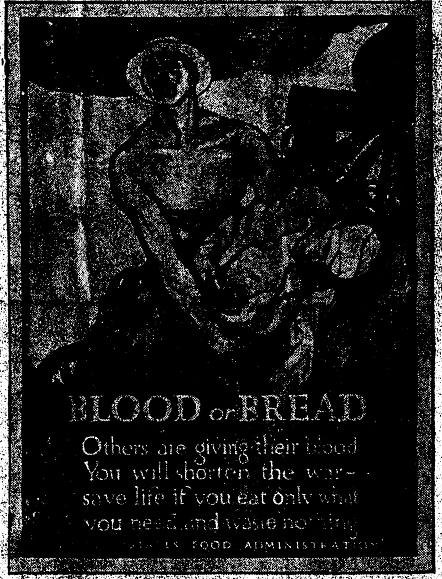
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, which mortgage was duly executed and delivered by John H. Weinzierl and Bess Weinzierl, his wife, Mortgagors, to A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, bearingdate the 30th day of April, 1915 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota on the 5th day of May 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in book 71 of Mortgages, on page 396.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by the said A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, to The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., by written assignment, dated on the 1st day of June, 1915, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 14th day of August, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 75 of Mortgages on page 302.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., assignee, to Edward P. Sanborn by written assignment dated the 27th day of December, 1916, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in book 90 of Mortgages on page 481.

Which mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said Edward P. Sanborn, assignee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 29th day of April, 1918, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 4:10 o'clock P. M. in book 86 of Mortgages on page 172,

And whereas the said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and power of sale therein contained and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Seven Hundred and Eighteen and 64-100 ($718.64) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South half of the Northwest quarter (S 1-2 NW 1-4) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section One (1) in Township One Hundred Fifty eight (158) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota containing One Hundred Sixty and 90-100 (160.90) acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of July, 1918 at 10 o'clock A. M. of that date, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Seven Hundred Eighteen and 64-100 ($718.64) Dollars and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated June 5th 1918. Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn. (a corporation) Assignee of Mortgage.
A. N. Eckstrom. Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage. Warren. Minnesota.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Albert Bennes and Lars Chenil were business callers at the county seat Saturday.

H. P. [illegible] visited J. E. Erickson and family Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bakke and Peter Hogin of T. R. Falls visited at the B. J. Bakke home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Olson and son Martin were Sunday guests at the home of his brother, Theo Olson near Mavie.

Mrs. Grant Flakne and little son Lewis came home Friday from visiting relatives at [illegible] Ia. and Pipestone, Minn.

Misses Nettie and Josie Hagen of Lisbon N. Dak. came Monday to visit at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Alfred Anderson.

Mr. Mickelson came home from Warren Wednesday evening to visit his family [illegible] at this place Friday.

Mrs. Richard Kauts of Crookston came July 4th to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bjerk and family for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Strom and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peterson of T. R. Falls, visited at Andrew Bjerk's Sunday.

Gust Bjerken and family returned to their home at Mahnomen last Friday after spending a short time visiting the Ole Reierson family.

Mrs. Olaf Johnson went to Warren Tuesday to see her husband who is in the hospital there. Mr. Johnson had an operation last week Wednesday for the removal of a tumor and at last reports was getting along nicely.

Mrs. B. A. Anderson, Emil Larson and family and Mrs. Sholin and family, all of near Wylie, came Sunday to visit at the C. L. Sandberg home. The former, Mrs. Sandberg's mother, remained here for several weeks visit.

Mr. Arness and son of Fork Minn. came up Sunday to visit at the C. H. Gunheim home, returning home the same day accompanied by Mrs. Arness and children who have been visiting her sister Mrs. Gunheim and family for a few weeks.

[illegible] Meat Market

Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides and Furs.
TERMS:- Cash. Positively no credit

O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

J. E. Erickson and Severson Bros. autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday.

Several from this vicinity attended the circus in Thief River Falls, Wednesday.

L. S. Kolden of Nielsville visited here Tuesday p. m. with his brother, S. S. Kolden.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Kjelgren were over Sunday visitors with friends in Middle River.

Mrs. Russell and children of Superior came Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. H. J. Olen.

Miss Albertina Nyberg came home last week to spend a few days, returning Tuesday to Grand Forks.

Postoffice Inspector J. R. Kelley, of Bemidji was here Monday and found everything in Postmaster Engebretsen's office in good shape.

Railroad carpenters were here the first of the week and put in a new 8 inch plank platform in front of the depot.

Percy Huseth came down from Greebush Saturday to visit at the home of his aunt, Mrs. H. J. Olen and family.

Andrew Spokelie and sister of Climax and Wm. DeRoss of Crookston were here the first of the week on business.

J. Langlie and family from Ottertail county and Mrs. Langlie of Newfolden visited at the Paul Olson home Saturday.

Clara Bjerken, Otto Will, Alfred and Gust Bjerken, came up from Mahnomen last Thursday to visit at the home of Ole Reierson.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and daughter [illegible] of T. R. Falls came Sunday to visit at the Sam Mickelson home.

George and Arthur Smith went to Petersburg, Alaska Monday where the former had been working for sometime before coming home for a visit.

Anton Sebethen came home last week Thursday from International Falls to visit a few days during a strike in the paper mill where he is working.

Albert Bennes autoed to St. Hilaire Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steinhauer who were called there to see the latters brother, Herman Orloff, who was dangerously injured in a runaway accident that day.

Holt has another engineer. He arrived in town Saturday evening and is living with Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson, where he expects to make his home for 21 years. Mother and baby are both doing well and papa is working just as hard as ever.

Ludvig Monson and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lindahl and baby autoed to Greenbush and Ross last week Thursday. Mrs. Lindahl remained in Ross for a weeks visit with her parents. Mr. Monson lost the wrestling match at Greenbush, we are sorry to report.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Lee and Mrs. T. B. Folden and daughter Jennie and son Bergman autoed to T. R. Falls Monday, the latter on his return to Warren after a short visit at home. Mrs. Folden took her daughter to the hospital to have an operation on her eyes.

This county still has 134 men in class 1, of last years registry. 34 of these will be called into the military service on July 22nd. and sent to Camp Wadsworth, South Carolina. The local board worked hard to have as many men left on the farms as possible and under existing circumstances, had good success.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

All the members of the church are requested to meet at the church Monday evening for a business meeting.

The Special meetings at the Mission church will continue tonight, Saturday night, Sunday forenoon at 10:30, Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock and in the evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited.

East Valley News

Christ Knutson came in from Adams N. Dak. last week for a few weeks visit with his parents.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson last Thursday.

Mr. C. Erickson, Tom Severson, H. Duvre and J. H. Knutson autoed to Beltrami Co. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Lovejoy of Aneta N. D. came last Thursday for a few weeks visit at the home of A. Jahr.

Be a loyal red blooded American.

A. Olson from New Solum visited at Paul Olson's Saturday.

A. H. Huseth visited H. J. Olen Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson visited John Simenson Sunday.

Several from Holt and vicinity attended the county fair at Warren July 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sollom and Geo. Johnson autoed to T. R. Falls Monday afternoon.

Mrs. M. T. Strom and [illegible] went to T. R. Falls Tuesday for a few days visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pulaski of [illegible] Monday to visit at the Fred Steinhauer home.

Clara Bjerken, Otto Will, Alfred Bjerken and Anna Reierson autoed to T. R. Falls July 4th.

J. E. Erickson and daughter Annie, attended the Red Cross picnic at John Skomedahl's July 4th.

Ed. Nyberg came home from Warren last week Thursday for a short visit, returning to his work Monday.

This school district got in a car of coal the fore part of the week so they are in pretty good shape for the winter.

A. T. Lee of Leeds, N. Dak., is spending the two weeks vacation, given to rural carries, with his family north of town.

A. L. Carlson and Chas. Skoglund and their families autoed to Minneapolis last Friday for a weeks visit with relatives.

Chas. McLean has finished the railroad companys well here and shipped his machine to Dugdale yesterday where he will do some more work for the same company.

Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack, Ines and Floyd were here Wednesday making arrangements to ship their goods, that were stored here, to Hopkins Minn. The family left yesterday for that place where they have bought a nice home and where Mr. Alkenbrack has a good job.

A lady from Jamestown, N. Dak. was here this week looking at the farm occupied by T. A. Tobiason, and which is owned by The La Crosse Implement Co. The lady returned home Wednesday and said she was so pleased with the farm that she expected to make a deal for it.

P. Hagen and family of New Solom visited Paul Olson's Sunday.

Annie Erickson visited Peter Sollum and family first part of last week.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Southeast of Holt.

The Red Cross picnic given at the John Skomedal farm July 4th. turned out a great success. A large crowd was present and a sum of money of about $123.00 being cleared. Everyone reports a most enjoyable time.

Alfred Klungness who for some time has been employed in Admiral Sask Canada, returned to his home on Friday.

Mrs. S. Moe, Harry and Gunda Moe were Sunday visitors at the C. Larson home at Golden Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness entertained a large number of relatives and friends on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ed. Hansen is enjoying a visit with her brother from Oslo Minnesota this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tallack Ose are the proud parents of a baby girl born to them last week.

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Bank Statement

Bank No. 880.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on June 29, 1918.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$169,630 29
Overdrafts		90 22
U. S. Bonds		5650 00
Other Bonds and Securities		216 75
Banking House		3500.00
Furniture and Fixtures		4002 21
Other Real Estate		205 00
Due from Banks	8393 62	
Cash on Hand	1492 65	
Currency $1160.00		
Gold 25.00		
Silver 287.60		
Other 20.05		
Total Cash Assets		9886 27
Checks and Cash Items		1280 31
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		560 76
Total		$195,405 41

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$5,000.00
Undivided Profits		
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		30000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$46,636.64	
Cashier's Checks	736.49	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	47,372.13	
Savings Deposits	182 06	
Time Certificates	113,051.22	
Total Deposits		160,605 41
Total		$195,405 41
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$11,[illegible]
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$11,337 21

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Bakke, President,
B. Docken, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. Gunheim,
[Two] Directors. R. Reierson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July 1918.

[SEAL.] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.03
Wheat No. 2	2.00
Wheat No. 3	1.97
Wheat No. 4	1.93
Flax	4.03
Oats	59
Barley	65 to .84
Rye	1.58
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

A New and Complete Stock of
Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
Try Our
LUNCH COUNTER
Fresh Ice Cream Every Day
Prompt Service at all Times
Albert Bennes - Holt

Auto Repairing

Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right

Hammerlee Garage
Racine Olson, Manager

Holt, Minn.

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H. Peterson, Prop.

Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Samson Windmills!

The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction.

They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.

See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.

Davidson Bros., Agents
Holt, Minn.

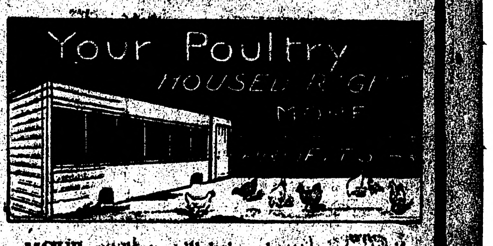
New Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
and
Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory

Ernest Phillipson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction

H. J. Olen, Agent - Holt, Minn.



YOUR poultry will bring better returns if properly housed and taken care of.

AND you will be surprised at the small cost of building the houses and sheds necessary for their proper care.

WE have all of the material required for housing poultry and will gladly give you ideas along this line.

WINTON-NICHOLS Lumber Co.

IF IT'S BUILDING MATERIAL WE HAVE IT

MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

U.S.—Teutonic War News

The navy department announced that the American army transport Covington, homeward bound after landing several thousand soldiers in France, was torpedoed and sunk in the war zone last Monday night. Six members of the crew are missing, but all the other men, with the ship's officers, have been landed at a French port. No army personnel or passengers were aboard. The Covington formerly was the Hamburg-American liner Cincinnati.

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Lieut. William H. Brotherton of Guthrie, Ill., an American aviator who was reported missing on June 25, has safely landed within the allied lines in Alsace, says a dispatch from Paris.

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Ensign George Roe of Scituate, Mass., an aviation pilot in the American navy, has been captured and is imprisoned at Camp Landschut, Germny, the navy was advised by Vice Admiral Sims.

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The German government has informed the United States that it will be unable to have its delegates at Berne in time for the conference planned for August 5 to discuss prisoners of war.

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Plans for the sailing of the American hospital ship Comfort, which it was proposed to send through the submarine zone without convoy, have been delayed by the ruthless destruction of the Canadian hospital ship Llandovery Castle.

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Officials and diplomats in Washington see the possibility of important developments in the Russian declaration of a state of war in the province of Archangel. Among the developments foreseen is possible battle between forces of the United States and the allies, now guarding vast quantities of supplies around Archangel and Kola, and German and Finnish troops.

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Lieut. Edouard V. Isaacs, U. S. N., who was taken prisoner by the German submarine which sunk the American transport President Lincoln, has been located in a prison camp in Germany, according to word received by Red Cross officials in Washington.

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Alsatian villages gave General Pershing an enthusiastic greeting when he unexpectedly paid a visit to the American troops in Alsace a few days ago, says a dispatch from France.

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Personal

Viscount Rhondda (David Alfred Thomas), the British food controller, died in London.

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Washington

With the Western Union telegraphers scheduled to strike Monday for recognition of the telegraphers' union, the house of representatives adopted the resolution authorizing the president to take possession of the telegraph and telephone systems of the country for the remainder of the war. The vote on the resolution was 221 in favor to four against.

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President Wilson signed the $3,000,000,000 sundry civil appropriation bill providing for government expenses, including the shipbuilding program during the coming year, and the naval appropriation bill, carrying $1,609,323,000 and authorizing permanent increase of the navy's enlisted personnel to 131,000 men, with 50,000 additional for the war.

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The senate passed a resolution requesting the president to issue a proclamation calling on the American people to observe noon prayer during the war. It now goes to the house.

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At the request of President Wilson the house interstate commerce committee favorably reported to the house the Aswell resolution giving the president power to take over telegraph, telephone, cable and radio systems.

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President Wilson vetoed the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill on account of a provision increasing the hours of work for government clerks from seven to eight hours a day.

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Nomination of Miss Kathryn Sellers, a department of state law clerk, as judge of the juvenile court in Washington, was sent to the senate by President Wilson.

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The house bill providing for $8,000,000,000 of Liberty bonds was passed by the senate without roll call.

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Without a word of discussion or a record vote, the senate adopted a resolution of Senator King of Utah annulling the federal charter of the National German alliance.

European War News

A German submarine sank the 11,000-ton British hospital ship Llandovery Castle, 116 miles southwest of Fastnet, June 27, the British admiralty announced in London. The Llandovery Castle was homeward bound from Canada. It carried 258 persons. This total includes 80 Canadian army medical corps men and 14 women nurses. One boat containing 24 survivors has reached port. Twelve nurses were drowned when a boat capsized.

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A sanguinary battle is reported at Yokaterinoslav between German-Ukrainian White guards and peasants. The latter are said to number 200,000 and equipped with artillery and machine guns. The factories in that region are closing because the workmen are enlisting in guerrilla corps.

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The consuls of France, the United States and Great Britain in Archangel received a deputation of delegates from the Murman coast and the White sea coast asking for the protection of the entente allied governments.

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The German general, Otto von Below, has been placed in supreme command of the Italian front, according to a Central News dispatch to London from Vienna.

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A British transport carrying 7,400 American soldiers ran into a nest of German submarines off the Irish coast and with the aid of a destroyer sank three of the U-boats. An official of the British government en route to Washington, and other passengers told of the battle.

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Admission that Austro-Hungarian and German war prisoners are fighting on the side of the bolsheviki against the Czecho-Slovaks in Russia is made by the Kuenische Zeitung.

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Dr. Alexander Wekerle, the Hungarian premier, caused a sensation in parliament with a declaration regarding the Austro-Hungarian losses in the last Italian offensive, according to a Budapest dispatch. The Austro-Hungarian armies were withdrawn on the Piave front in order to spare lives, he declared.

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Domestic

Three negro soldiers, convicted by court-martial of assaulting a seventeen-year-old white girl on the cantonment grounds the night of May 24, were hanged at Camp Dodge, Ia., with virtually the entire division witnessing the executions.

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The Minnesota supreme court at St. Paul, Minn., held that A. C. Townley, president of the Nonpartisan league, and Joseph Gilbert, league organizer, did not violate any state law by circulating certain literature which referred to the war.

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Miss Jeanette Rankin, representative from Montana, announced she will be a candidate for the Republican nomination to the senate to succeed Senator Walsh, in November.

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America's merchant fleet, grown to 10,040,659 gross tons by the construction of 1,622 new ships of 1,430,793 tons in the fiscal year ended June 30, was augmented on Independence day by the unprecedented launching of nearly 100 ships. The day's feat of the loyal army of workmen received recognition from the highest officials directing the nation's war activities.

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Chicago's cosmopolitan millions celebrated Independence day with a fervor and a resolve not equaled since that original Independence day when a group of Americans signed their names to a document which meant liberty for America and was destined to presage freedom for the world.

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The body of Reuben Kuethe, thirty-two years old, a wealthy mine owner and oil operator of Minneapolis, Minn., was found in the Mississippi river with a bullet hole in it. Police expressed the belief that he had been murdered by thieves.

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Pride in the American army, pride in its achievements, pride in the nation which it is defending, and abounding confidence that it will prove equal to its task—these formed the dominant note in the Fourth of July speech of Secretary of War Newton D. Baker at Chicago.

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Fire practically destroyed the Elks' block at Fifteenth and Harney streets, Omaha, Neb. Five firemen were injured. The building was recently purchased by the Elks for $150,000.

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Damage to growing grain and truck gardens estimated at from $3,000,000 to $3,500,000 was caused in North Dakota and Minnesota by hailstorms that struck the two states.

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Fire of undetermined origin destroyed four buildings of the Aetna Chemical company's plant a mile and a half east of Mount Union, Pa. The loss is estimated at $1,500,000.

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Lewis Longwell and Hector Bordeau, foremen at the plant of the Curtiss Airplane and Motor corporation at Hammondsport, were indicted by the federal grand jury at Rochester, N. Y., charged with sabotage in willfully making war materials in a defective manner.

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More than 75,000 people, representing 42 races and nationalities, marched up Fifth avenue in New York in the Fourth of July parade, passing in review before Secretary of the Navy Daniels and others.

AUSTRALIANS IN FURTHER GAINS

Make Successful Forward Plunge In Somme Sector Northeast of Amiens.

ITALIANS ALSO GAIN

Tension Along Entire West Front In Anticipation of Inauguration at Any Moment of New German Offensive.

London, July 9.—Again the Australians made a successful forward plunge in the Somme sector northeast of Amiens, where, with some American help, they carried out their brilliant operation of last week.

The latest drive by the rangy men from the antipodes resulted in what is described by the British official statement as a slight advance.

The aggregate of the ground gained recently in this area has been considerable, however, and the slow progress made has apparently affected a considerable movement in the British position along a front of well toward two miles on both sides of the river Somme.

French Have Artillery Duel.

While the British are thus fortifying themselves against the expected renewal of the German offensive in one of the sectors where it is considered quite likely to be launched, the French are finding themselves actively engaged in an artillery duel on the westerly side of the Marne salient.

With the help of the Americans, northwest of Chateau Thierry, the Allied line as a whole on this front has already been strengthened and improved in anticipation of another enemy offensive.

The French are replying spiritedly to the German bombardment, which is marked in the sector defending the Villers Cotterets forest. This extensive wooded area offers one of the most important obstacles to a renewed German advance, should it be attempted in this region.

American Sectors Quiet.

Other artillery actions were reported southward along the front to the Marne, but these seem not to have affected the American sector notably, as the news dispatches from the American front report a comparatively quiet night and similar easy condition today.

There is tension all along the front, however, in expectation of the Germans breaking loose at any moment with their new drive, and the air scouts on the American side are increasingly busy in efforts to spot important enemy movements.

SAYS LUDENDORFF TO LEAD

Report That He Will Direct New Drive On Italian Front.

Paris, July 9.—A new offensive is impending on the Trentino front. General Ludendorff, says a dispatch to the Matin from reliable sources in Switzerland, personally has visited the Austrian headquarters there and has hastened preparations for another blow against the Italians. Considerable reinforcements, it is added, are being concentrated at Innsbruck and Trent.

Germany will send three army corps to aid Austria, according to a Rome dispatch to the Temps. These will be put under the direct orders of General Otto von Below, the commander-in-chief of the Italian front, and will be assigned to the Alps sector, it is stated.

The Trentino railways have been put under German control and will be used exclusively for German troops. It is said also that German regiments will be detailed to other points on the front to support the Austrian troops.

YANKS IN SUCCESSFUL RAID

Heavy Losses Inflicted on Enemy In Vosges.

Washington, July 9.—General John J. Pershing's last communique reported a successful raid on the Vosges in which losses in killed, wounded and prisoners were inflicted upon the enemy.

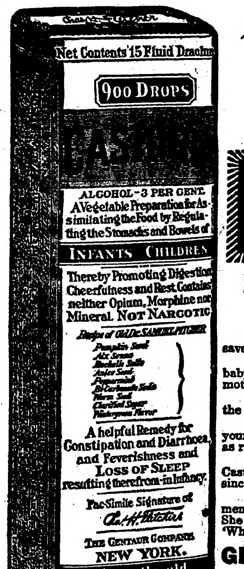
U. S. OFFICERS ARE KILLED

Lose Lives In Automobile Collision In France.

Paris, July 9.—Several American officers were killed and many injured when two automobiles collided near Fontainbleau, it is announced. Fontainbleau is 37 miles southeast of Paris.

Alien Property to Be Sold.

Washington, July 9.—Alien-owned property valued at millions of dollars soon is to be put on the market at a series of public sales being arranged by officials in the office of the alien property custodian. The first sale will be that of the property of the Orenstein-Arthur Koppel company, of Kopple, Pa., August 15. This company, with offices in Pittsburgh is the only German corporation in this country which never has been incorporated in the United States.



A Great Responsibility.

THE responsibility attached to the preparing of a remedy for infants and children is undoubtedly greater than that imposed upon the manufacturer of remedies for adults whose system is sufficiently strong to counteract, for a time at least, any injurious drug. It is well to observe that Castoria is prepared today, as it has been for the past 40 years, under the personal supervision of Mr. Chas. H. Fletcher.

What have makers of imitations and substitutes at stake? What are their responsibilities? To whom are they answerable? They spring up today, scatter their nefarious wares broadcast, and disappear tomorrow.

Could each mother see the painstaking care with which the prescription for Fletcher's Castoria is prepared: could they read the innumerable testimonials from grateful mothers, they would never listen to the subtle pleadings and false arguments of those who would offer an imitation of, or substitute for, the tried and true Fletcher's Castoria.

Net Contents 15 Fluid Drachm
900 Drops
ALCOHOL—3 PER CENT.
A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food by Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of
INFANTS CHILDREN
Thereby Promoting Digestion Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC
A helpful Remedy for Constipation and Diarrhoea, and Feverishness and Loss of Sleep resulting therefrom in Infancy.
Fac Simile Signature of
The Centaur Company, NEW YORK.
At 6 months old 35 Doses – 35 Cents

Exact Copy of Wrapper.

Children Cry For Fletcher's CASTORIA

Extracts from Letters by Grateful Parents to Chas. H. Fletcher.

G. J. English, of Springfield, Mass., says: "It was your Castoria that saved my child."

Mrs. Mary McGinnis, of St. Louis, Mo., says: "We have given our baby your Castoria ever since she was born, and we reccommend it to all mothers."

N. E. Calmes, of Marion, Ky., says: "You have the best medicine in the world, as I have given your Castoria to my babies from first to last."

Mrs. Albert Ugusky, of Lawrenceburg, Ind., says: "As I have had your Castoria in use for nearly three years, I am pleased to say it is just as represented. My children are both well and happy—thanks to Castoria."

R. P. Stockton, of New Orleans, La., says: "We began giving your Castoria to our baby when he was eight days old and have kept it up ever since, never having had to give any other medicine."

Mrs. Dolph Hornbuckle, of Colorado Springs, Colo., says: "We commenced giving your Castoria to our baby when she was four weeks old. She is now seven months and weighs 19½ pounds. Everyone remarks, 'What a healthy looking baby.' We give Castoria credit for it."

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS BEARS the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY

INSTANT ACTION CALLED FOR

Wrangell, Alaska, Said to Be Without a Resident Physician, and That Won't Do.

Members of the medical profession, alert to its interests, should go out of their way to see that the doctorless town of Wrangell, Alaska, is supplied with a physician forthwith, that is, if the void has not been filled within recent days. Wrangell has been without a doctor for some time, and is announcing that a horse doctor will do if the regular kind cannot be supplied.

Every day that Wrangell enjoys robust health without a physician in its midst is a potential menace to the business of all the brethren of the profession. Some man with a nose for news is likely to bore into comparative death rates any day. How would the brethren like to read a calm statement to the effect that Wrangell's death rate has decreased 8 per cent in the last four months? And it might easily happen, Alaska being so blooming healthful, anyway.

How is anybody in Wrangell to know that he has appendicitis, or gallstones, or impossible tonsils, or adenoids, or arteriosclerosis, unless a resident pill sharp is there to tell him?

There are a lot of people who will fret and lose flesh if they are not quite sure what they have to worry about. The reported void at Wrangell should be filled, and forthwith.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

His Record.

Guest—How much did you ever get out of your car?

Owner—Well, I think seven times in one mile, is my record.

Queer.

"He has queer ideas." "For instance?" "Says he'd rather be right than be popular."

Besides Saving Wheat Ma Says I'm Saving Cooking When I Eat

POST TOASTIES

BEST CORN FLAKES EVER

—Bobby

Hot Weather Poisons Hit The Stomach First

How to Keep Your Stomach Strong, Cool and Sweet

Hot weather always starts those quick chemical changes which produce poisons in meats, fish, fruits, vegetables, milk and food products.

Such summer poisons in foods not only make well stomachs sick but develop with dangerous rapidity in sensative, sick or ailing stomachs and bowels.

These poisons not only generate gases and fluids which cause that bloated, lumpy feeling, heartburn, sour stomach, belching, acidity, but endless other stomach and bowel miseries.

A sure, safe, quick acting relief has been found which absorbs and neutralizes these poisons, too much acid and harmful gases. EATONIC Tablets, one or two taken after every meal, will keep your stomach sweet. You will have a good appetite to eat what you like, when you want it and be free from all those bad effects liable to come after a hearty meal in summer.

EATONIC Tablets are hot weather protectors for the stomach. They guard against the germs that lurk in the things you eat and drink. They rebuild listless appetites, promote digestion by aiding proper action of the stomach functions and insure speedy relief from indigestion and all stomach distress.

EATONIC is good to eat like candy. People from all over send grateful testimonials. Tens of thousands are obtaining relief with EATONIC every day but the best evidence is to let your own stomach tell you the truth. Go to your druggist and get a big box of EATONIC. Tell him you want it for the prevention and sure relief of stomach and bowel disorders produced by hot weather poisons.

Then if EATONIC fails to satisfy you—return it to your druggist, whom you know and can trust. He will cheerfully refund your money. If your druggist doesn't keep EATONIC—drop us a postal. It will be delivered to your address and you can then pay for it. Address, H. L. Kramer, Pres., 1018 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

So to Speak.

"I hear he spoke feelingly."

"You might call it feelingly. He kept groping around for a word."

Soothe Itching Scalps.

On retiring gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

A Question.

The Worker—What are you doing?

The Shirker—Helping to win the war.

The Worker—For which side?—Flyleaf.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

This Season's Objective.

"Where are you going this summer?"

"Don't know for sure," replied the young man, "France, I hope."

Most people who keep diaries for any length of time keep them for sale.

When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy
No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. 50 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

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Dissolved in water for douches stops pelvic catarrh, ulceration and inflammation. Recommended by Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co. for ten years. A healing wonder for nasal catarrh, sore throat and sore eyes. Economical. Has extraordinary cleansing and germicidal power. Sample Free. 50c. all druggists, or postpaid by mail. The Paxton Toilet Company, Boston, Mass.

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A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

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NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings In Minnesota Given In Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Bemidji.—Bemidji has passed an ordinance prohibiting abusive language tending to provoke assault. The maximum penalty is $100 fine or 90 days in jail, or both.

Park Rapids. — More than 5,000 people from this city and vicinity witnessed the sham battle and battalion maneuvers, staged as part of the encampment of the Fourteenth battalion of the Minnesota Home Guards here.

Walker.—Fred J. Miller, former attorney at Pine River, in a letter to friends here, tells that on June 1 he was commissioned first lieutenant in the United States army. His regiment is stationed at Camp Pike, Ark.

Red Lake Falls.—Personal donations toward meeting the expenses connected with the Red Lake county fair will not be invited this year, it is announced. With the funds already on hand, the grant from the county and the appropriation made by the Red Lake Falls city council will be sufficient to meet all expenses.

Bemidji.—Two more Bemidji "boys" have made good in the service, William Abell and A. G. Billeaudeau, now in station at Camp Dodge, Iowa. Both have been promoted to instructors in booking for the military and given the rank of sergeants of the first class in the quartermaster's corps and transferred to the permanent school detachment.

Thief River Falls.—Dr. Tupper, one of the early settlers of Thief River Falls and still heavily interested in real estate in that city, died recently in France. Dr. Tupper went to Europe shortly before the war and after its outbreak became attached to the medical divisions of one of the allied nations. The cause of death has not been given.

Moorhead has officially served notice on the Union Light, Heat & Power company of Fargo, which supplies Moorhead with gas, that the city would require the company to operate within the provisions of its franchise, which fixes $1.80 as the maximum charge that may be made for gas. The company had announced a $2 per 1,000 cubic feet price.

Winona.—A communication was received by friends in the city stating that F. L. Steer has arrived safely overseas. Prof. Steer left Winona the first week in June to enter war work. He enlisted as a Y. M. C. A. hut secretary for immediate service in France. Prof. Steer was a commercial instructor at the Winona high school for the last six years.

Thief River Falls.—Two brothers, Edwin and Carl Dahlstrom, committed as insane patients from Pennington county, died within three days of one another recently. They were the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dahlstrom, for many years among the most highly respected residents of Sanders township. The cause of death in both cases was pulmonary tuberculosis.

Moorhead. — Thousands turned out here at outdoor dedicatory services for Moorhead's service flag, carrying 260 stars, one of gold for Nasseh Shaheen, killed in action in France. Patriotic addresses were made by Senator F. H. Peterson, S. G. Comstock, Judge E. E. Sharp and Rudolph Overby and Clarence Jesten, enlisted in the navy and army, respectively, now home on furloughs. Charles S. Marden presided.

Fergus Falls.—Two persons were drowned at Lake Lida, north of Pellican Rapids. The victims were Ed Haugen and Mrs. Oscar Koppen. Mr. and Mrs. Koppen were spending the day at Haugen's farm. After fishing, they came ashore and then Haugen and Mrs. Koppen started out for a boat ride. The tiny craft became tangled in weeds and overturned. Mrs. Koppen is survived by four children. Haugen was a business man of Pelican Rapids.

Gully.—A. Stark, who has been the cashier of the First State bank at Gully since the starting of the village in 1890, has taken a position in Minneapolis with the Security National bank.

Brainerd.—Joseph E. Schran, age 15, charged with forgery, was brought from Ironton to Brainerd. It is charged he forged a check of $10 on the First National bank of Ironton. Schran's folks live at Onamia and he had been working a few days on a dray line at Trommald.

Moorhead.—War gardens in the path of terrific hail storms which swept across portions of the Red River valley, doing damage estimated at $2,000,000 or more, are recovering to a marked degree. In the rural districts, where heavy damage was inflicted on growing grains, the losses are said to be heavier than first reported. Many fields in Clay county, between Moorhead and Barnesville, have been destroyed. Others sustained losses estimated at from 25 to 75 per cent.

Minneapolis. — Victor Lucinia, 20 years old, son of W. Lucinia, a farmer living near Buffalo, Minn., is the tallest Minnesotan to be enlisted in this district for the regular army since the United States entered the war. He is 78¼ inches tall, and the coast artillery is the only branch of the service which could use him.

Moorhead.—Sixty-six communicant members of Trinity Lutheran church are in the war service of the government, and their names were read at all services at the church. The flag was first unfurled on Christmas day with 22 stars, 44 being added since.

St. Paul.—Fred D. Sherman, commissioner of Immigration, has given out crop reports, which embrace all sections of the state. Indications are that all crops are in fine condition.

Fergus Falls.—Frank Hodgson has left for New York city, where he will sail for France, where he goes into the war Y. M. C. A. work after a few days' stay there with his relatives.

Guthrie.—A new camp of Modern Woodmen of America was instituted here by J. P. Shaver, district deputy, with seventeen charter members, but the number will soon be doubled.

Barnesville.—J. A. Wohlwend, who lives near Barnesville, sold a steer last week for $214.40. The animal weighed 1,340 pounds and brought 16 cents per pound in the South St. Paul market.

Walker.—F. B. McAneney has been elected cashier of the Farmers' State Bank of Walker, and has taken charge of his new duties. Mr. Fodnes has resigned to accept a position elsewhere.

St. Paul.—More than 580,000 pounds of fish have been supplied under the order of the State Public Safety commission at state-fixed prices, to reduce the cost of living. About 180,000 pounds have been taken from Red Lake.

Mankato. — The Northern States Power company has notified its local patrons of an increase in gas rates. They have gone up from $1.21 per thousand feet to $1.50. The minimum charge for gas and electricity was increased from 50 cents to $1.

Mankato.—Rev. C. J. Shutt has resigned as rector of St. John's Episcopal church and will go to Chicago to become managing editor of the Witness, a church paper. Rev. Mr. Shutt has been a liberal user of newspaper advertising here to call attention to church activities.

Spring Valley.—A bad wind and hail storm visited this vicinity, wrecking many buildings and doing much damage to grain fields. Telephone and Telegraph service is interrupted and no estimate as to how large the damage to crops and property in the nearby villages is obtainable.

St. Cloud.—Another $10,000 payment, with interest, of the bonded indebtedness against the Tenth street bridge, has been authorized by the city commission. The original indebtedness against the bridge was $80,000. This was contracted for on July 1, 1889. The total now paid is $70,000, with interest.

Marshall.—Congressman Thomas D. Schall of Minneapolis spoke here the Fourth to an audience estimated at 10,000 to 12,000 people, the largest assemblage ever gathered in Lyon county. He was orator of the day at a celebration arranged by the America First association and his address created great enthusiasm.

Red Wing.—Rev. Oliver Dolphin, who has had charge of the Catholic parish at Anoka for a number of years past, has taken up his duties as pastor of St. Joseph's church, succeeding the late Rev. P. Carey. Father Dolphin was met at the passenger station by a number of Knights of Columbus and extended a hearty welcome to Red Wing.

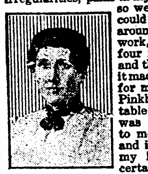
Fergus Falls. — Fire sweeping through the downtown district of Vergas, a village near here, caused several thousand dollars damage. The blaze started in the meat market of O. M. Cummings. It destroyed the building and then consumed the variety store of Gus Holt and Otto Hartsun, the Arthur Fankhanel pool hall, telephone office and a vacant building adjoining. The cause has not been determined.

St. Paul.—The Capitol was closed and business will be suspended in all departments the Fourth to permit state officials and employes to celebrate the Fourth of July. Governor Burnquist made loyalty addresses at local celebrations in Pipestone and Hendricks. Secretary of State Schmahl delivered the Fourth of July address at Madison and other state officials accepted similar speaking engagements.

Red Wing.—John C. Seebach, wealthy Red Wing miller, recently convicted in federal court at St. Paul of having made disloyal utterances, yesterday was sentenced to 18 months in the penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth. Seebach also was fined $1,000. Seebach was convicted of having assailed the government for entering the war and for attempting to discourage enlistments. Seebach was given 42 days to arrange his business, after which he will be taken to Leavenworth. He was released on a $5,000 bond.

Pipestone. — Governor Burnquist, speaking at an Independence Day celebration here, declared: "The disloyalists of the present time will bring shame to their posterity just as the disloyalists of the Colonial days brought dishonor to theirs. Liberty is more important than nationality. Freedom is broader than racial lines. It is the duty of all Americans, regardless of ancestry, to fight for the extension of democracy. Those who are now favoring the preservation of monarchy, are against liberty, freedom and democracy, and those who are afraid to take a stand against the military masters of Germany are delaying their own progress and that of posterity."

St. Paul.—Northwest railroads have been allotted 105 of the 1,048 standard locomotives ordered by the Federal railway administration, the total valuation being approximately $7,000,000. They include ninety road and fifteen switch engines, and will haul trains of empty freight cars on the way to be delivered. The allotment of road engines includes fifty for the St. Paul road, twenty for the Rock Island, ten for the Great Western and ten for the Duluth, Missabe & Northern. The Great Western is to have five switch engines, and the Rock Island will receive ten.



BEST MEDICINE FOR WOMEN"

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Did For Ohio Woman.

Portsmouth, Ohio.—"I suffered from irregularities, pains in my side and was so weak at times I could hardly get around to do my work, and as I had four in my family and three boarders it made it very hard for me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. I took it and it has restored my health. It is certainly the best medicine for woman's ailments I ever saw."—Mrs. SARA SHAW, R. No. 1, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Mrs. Shaw proved the merit of this medicine and wrote this letter in order that other suffering women may find relief as she did.

Women who are suffering as she was should not drag along from day to day without giving this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice in regard to such ailments write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its forty years experience is at your service.

Shotwell Floral Co.
Growers and shippers of cut flowers, plants, etc. Write for catalog. Funeral designs on short notice. Phone day or night. Fargo, N. D.

The Piano at the Front.

Lieut. Reginald B. Jones, formerly organist at the Commercial Street Baptist Church, Newport (Mont.), writing from France, says:

"The padre came along on Sunday evening, and our battalion had an open-air service while the shells were whistling over and the German planes hovering. We salved an old piano from a ruined cottage. It had seven notes missing and three holes from shells in it, but we mended the wires with telephone wire and string. I played it for the service, the fitter having 'tuned' it. In spite of the great discords we had fine, hearty singing."

Un-Kultured.

"Nero fiddled while Rome burned."

"Yes," replied the Count von Schrecklich. "But he was a very amateur incendiary. He made no special arrangements for demolishing cathedrals and hospitals."

FRECKLES
Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Sufficient Reason.

"Don't be too hard on poor Khakiby, lieutenant.

"Why not?"

"Well, he's just a raw recruit."

"Sure—that's why I roasted him."—Florida Times-Union.

Libby's

Slice Libby's Veal Loaf and garnish with cucumbers, watercress and salad dressing—very tempting!

Veal Loaf with such flavor!

THIS delicately flavored Veal Loaf is made with such perfection by Libby's expert chefs in the immaculate Libby kitchens—that you will always want these chefs to make it for you. You find it so appetizing, so nutritious a meat at such little cost and trouble.

Order Libby's Veal Loaf for luncheon today. Serve either hot or cold, your family will delight in it.

Libby, McNeill & Libby, Chicago

Like Home.

There is real sentiment in the case of the dairy farmer boy who, when he was sent a can of condensed milk over in France, christened it "Holstein Belle" and made a stall for it with two bits of board on the shelf in his dugout.

Cuticura Promotes Hair Health
All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 & 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

Are the Packers Profiteers?

Plain Facts About the Meat Business

The Federal Trade Commission in its recent report on war profits, stated that the five large meat packers have been profiteering and that they have a monopoly of the market.

These conclusions, if fair and just, are matters of serious concern not only to those engaged in the meat packing business but to every other citizen of our country.

The figures given on profits are misleading and the statement that the packers have a monopoly is unsupported by the facts.

The packers mentioned in the report stand ready to prove their profits reasonable and necessary.

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The meat business is one of the largest American industries. Any citizen who would familiarize himself with its details must be prepared for large totals.

The report states that the aggregate profits of the five large packers were $140,000,000 for the three war years.

This sum is compared with $19,000,000 as the average annual profit for the three years before the war, making it appear that the war profit was $121,000,000 greater than the pre-war profit.

This compares a three-year profit [illegible] manifestly unfair method of comparison. It is not only misleading, but the Federal Trade Commission apparently has made a mistake in the figures themselves.

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The aggregate three-year profits [illegible] earn[illegible] on sales of over [illegible] and a half billion dollars. It means about three cents on each dollar [illegible] or a mere fraction of a cent per pound of product.

Packers profits are a negligible factor [illegible] stock and meats. No other large business [illegible] conducted upon such small margins of profit.

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[illegible] and this is very important [illegible] portion of this profit has been paid [illegible]. The balance has been put back into the business [illegible] to be, as you realize when you consider the problems the packers have had to solve and solve quickly during these war years.

[illegible] this [illegible] and the necessity of paying two or three times the former prices for live stock has required the use of two or three times the ordinary amount of working capital. The additional profit makes only a fair return on this, and as has been stated, the larger portion of the profits earned has been used to finance huge stocks of goods and to provide additions and improvements made necessary by the enormous demands of our army and navy and the allies.

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If you are a business man you will appreciate the significance of these facts. If you are unacquainted with business, talk this matter over with some business acquaintance—with your banker, say—and ask him to compare profits of the packing industry with those of any other large industry at the present time.

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No evidence is offered by the Federal Trade Commission in support of the statement that the large packers have a monopoly. The Commission's own report shows the large number and importance of other packers.

The packers mentioned in the statement stand ready to prove to any fair minded person that they are in keen competition with each other, and that they have no power to manipulate prices.

If this were not true they would not dare to make this positive statement.

[illegible] that the five large packers mentioned in the report account for only about one-third of the meat business of the country.

They [illegible] interest you in the details of their business. How, for instance, they can sell dressed beef for less than the cost of the live animal, owing to utilization of by-products, and of the wonderful story of the methods of distribution throughout this broad land as well as in other countries.

[illegible] packers mentioned [illegible] with each other to the extent of together presenting this public statement.

They have been [illegible] in its time of need, they have met all war time demands promptly and completely, and they are willing to trust their case to the fairmindedness of the American people with the facts before them.

Armour & Company
Cudahy Packing Co.
Morris & Company
Swift & Company
Wilson & Company

This Is Our Winter of Test

SERVING food is a local problem for each community. Prices and definite rules for every one cannot be formulated. It is a duty for each one to eat only so much as is necessary to maintain the human body healthy and strong. This winter of 1918 is the period when is to be tested here in America whether our people are capable of voluntary individual sacrifice to save the world. That is the purpose of the organization of the United States Food Administration—by voluntary effort to provide the food that the world needs.

U. S. FOOD ADMINISTRATION

NEED BIG HERDS

Europe's Meat Supply Must Come From America.

Warring Nations Have Depleted Live Stock at Enormous Rate, Even Killing Dairy Cattle For Food.

American stock breeders are being asked to conserve their flocks and herds in order to meet Europe's tremendous demands for meats during the war and probably for many years afterward.

The United States food administration reports that American stock raisers have shown a disposition to co-operate with the government in increasing the nation's supply of live stock.

Germany today is probably better supplied with live stock than any other European nation. When the German armies made their big advance into France and then retreated virtually all the cattle in the invaded territory — approximately 1,800,000 head—were driven behind the German lines.

But in England—where 2,400,000 acres of pasture lands have been turned into grain fields—the cattle herds are decreasing rapidly. One of the reasons apparently is the declining maximum price scale adopted by the English, as follows: For September, [illegible] $17.30; November and December, $16.08; January, $14.40. The effect of these prices was to drive beef animals on the market as soon as possible.

In France the number of cattle as well as the quality have shown an enormous decline during the war. Where France had 14,807,000 head of cattle in 1913, she now has only 12,341,000, a decrease of 16.6 per cent. And France is today producing only one gallon of milk compared to two and one-half gallons before the war.

Denmark and Holland have been forced to sacrifice dairy herds for beef because of the lack of necessary feed.

Close study of the European meat situation has convinced the Food Administration that the future problem of America lies largely in the production of meat producing animals and dairy products rather than in the production of cereals for export when the war will have ceased.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT HELPS PAY FOR BREAD

There has been much misunderstanding about the bread program in England. It is true that the Englishman buys a loaf of bread for less than the American can, but it is poorer bread, and the British government is paying $300,000,000 a year toward the cost of it.

All the grain grown in Great Britain is taken over by the government at an arbitrary price and the imported grain is purchased on the markets at the prevailing market price. This is turned over to the mills by the government at a price that allows the adulterated war bread loaf of four pounds to sell at 18 cents, the two pound loaf at 9 cents and the one pound loaf at 5 cents.

In France, under conditions somewhat similar, but with a larger extraction, the four pound loaf sells for [illegible] cents.

MAKING MEATLESS DAYS PERMANENT.

In the meatless menu there is a fertile field for developing new and nourishing dishes, according to E. H. Niles, writing in the Hotel Gazette, who believes that the present shortage of meats and fats will not end with the coming of peace, but may grow more serious and continue for five or six years, thus making it worth while to develop menus of grain, vegetables and fish on a more or less permanent basis. Meat can be replaced by cereals and other protein foods, or may be used in very small portions as a flavor for other food. In making up meatless menus this author finds our American Creole and southern cuisine a fertile field for investigation.

For Trade or Sale Cheap

One complete threshing outfit, 2 automobiles, 1 seven H P gasoline engine, one separator.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

LOST

A bran new 30 x 3 1-2 tire with rim, somewhere between Thief River Falls and Mud Lake, on Sunday July 7th. Finder please leave at the printing office in Holt.

Harry Myrom,
T. R. Falls.

Ordinance No. 15.

An ordinance preventing children from being upon the streets and other public grounds of the village of Holt, during certain hours of the night, and to be known as the Curfew Ordinance.

The Village Council of the Village of Holt, do ordain as follows:

Sec. 1. It shall be unlawful for any boy or girl under the age of sixteen years to be upon the streets, alleys, or public grounds of the Village of Holt, Minnesota, between the hours of nine o'clock p. m. and six o'clock a. m. during the months of April, May, June, July, August and September, each year, and between the hours of eight o'clock p. m. and six a. m., during the months of October, November, December, January, February and March, of each year, unless accompanied by some person of lawful age, having him or her in charge, or unless upon some errand by permission of his or her parents, guardian or employers. He or she shall not loiter on the way, or make any noise or shouting or otherwise to the disturbance of the peace and quiet of the Village.

Sec. 2. Any boy or girl who violates any of the provisions of the first section of this ordinance shall be subject to arrest by any police officer, or any citizen without process. Upon arrest he or she shall be taken and delivered into the hands of the parents, guardian or employer of such boy or girl. Upon the second or subsequent arrest such offender or person shall be taken by such officer or person before one of the Justices of said Village for trial and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $10.00 or by imprisonment in the County Jail for a period not exceeding ten days.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication.

Adopted July 2nd, 1918.

P. A. Riesberg,
President of Village Council.
Attest: H. B. Young,
Village Clerk.

For Sale Cheap

A manual Smith No. 20 conviction heater, complete heating and ventilating system. Enquire of G. P. Sorter, Clerk District No. 58, Holt Minn.

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of May 1918.

Cream received	17542 lbs
Average test	28 68
Butter fat	5014 lbs
Percent overrun	10 77
Butter made	6091 lbs
Bal from last month	169 36
Rec'd for butter sold	$[illegible]54 19
Rec'd from other sources	34 52
Total	$2658 07
Paid patrons by check,	$2146 90
Paid patrons by buttermaker	258 45
To sinking fund	29 79
Advance	5 00
Balance on hand	217 93
Total	$2658 07

Price paid for butter fat, 44c

Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 C. Jefferson $57 37, O. A. Knutson 52 68, C. E. Smith 50 22, M. Lunke 50 16, Erik Johnson 49 03, Herman Heinze 49 09, Ed Herien 48 62, T. T. O. Dovre 47 48, Lars Hellesylt 46 82, J. Magnuson 45 47, Swan Carlson 44 06, Ole J. Lunke 42 61, Skoglund Bros. 41 89.

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Notice of Annual School Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting in District No. 35 in Marshall County, Minnesota, for the Election of Officers and the transaction of other business required by law at the Annual Meeting, will be held at the School House on the 20th day of July 1918, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Dated this 6th day of July 1918.

B. Docken, District Clerk.

Notice for Bids

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of School District No. 58 will receive sealed bids up to 6 o'cock P. M. of July 20th 1918, for the sale of the following buildings, separately;

The old school house, the hallway of old schoolhouse, the coal shed and the outhouses. Separate bids must be submitted for each building.

G. P. Sorter, Clerk,
Holt, Minn.

Clerk's Report

School District No. 35, Holt Marshall Co., Minn.

For year ending July, 6, 1918.

Receipts.

Cash on hand from last year	$1060.37
Rec'd from Apportionment	659.49
" " Annual Aids	686.00
" " Special Taxes	2975.58
" " Local mill taxes	189.99
" " Book & supply sales	7.14
" " Bank-interest accts	81.60
" " Building fund	1.24
" " All other sources including transportation aid	1322.30
Total Receipts	$6932.96
Total orders outstanding (not paid) from previous and current year	6037.42
	$12970.38

Disbursements

Pd for General Control	$167.40
" " Teachers wages	1950.00
" " Text books, supplies	152.94
" " Library	31.29
" " Jaitor, fuel, sulies	985.18
" " Repair bldg, equipm't	19.03
" " Transport'n pupils	1331.00
" " Other expenses	18.00
" " New bldg, equipm't	669.38
" " Int - dis out'g orders	512.98
Total Disbursements	$5811.22
Orders from previous years outstanding (not paid)	916.20
Outstanding orders paid	4006.05
Cash on hand July 6, 1918	2230.91
	$12970.38

B. Docken, District Clerk.

Deducting the cash on hand of $2230.91 which will be used at once to pay outstanding orders and the $1331.00 which will be paid by the state for transportation aid, total $3561.91, from total outstanding orders $6037.42, will leave a balance of $2475.51 outstanding orders unpaid.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. June 29 1918

Notice is hereby given that Matilda Larson, formerly Matilda Furr, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on May 2nd., 1916, made Homestead Entry, No. 018652, for N.E. 1-4, Section 25, Township 156 N., Range 42W., 5th Principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 5th day of August, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses:

N. A. Fosen, W. A. Silbaugh, Carl Surmo and Olaf Ness all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, which mortgage was duly executed and delivered by John H. Weinzierl and Bess Weinzierl, his wife, Mortgagors, to A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, bearing date the 30th day of April, 1915 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota on the 5th day of May 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in book 71 of Mortgages, on page 396.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by the said A. D. Stephens, Mortgagee, to The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., by written assignment, dated on the 1st day of June, 1915, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 14th day of August, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 75 of Mortgages on page 302.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said The Merchants National Bank of Crookston, Minn., assignee, to Edward P. Sanborn by written assignment dated the 27th day of December, 1916, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in book 90 of Mortgages on page 431.

Which mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the said Edward P. Sanborn, assignee, to Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 29th day of April, 1918, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 9th day of May, 1918, at 2:10 o'clock P. M. in book 86 of Mortgages on page 172,

And whereas the said Holt State Bank, Holt, Minnesota, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and power of sale therein contained and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Seven Hundred and Eighteen and 64 - 100 ($718.64) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South half of the Northwest quarter (S 1-2 NW 1-4) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section One (1) in Township One Hundred Fifty eight (158) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota containing One Hundred Sixty and 90-100 (160.90) acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Marshall County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of July, 1918 at 10 o'clock A. M. of that date, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Seven Hundred Eighteen and 64-100 ($718.64) Dollars and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated June 5th 1918. Holt State Bank, Holt, Minn. (a corporation) Assignee of Mortgage.
A. N. Eckstrom, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage. Warren, Minnesota.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

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Natural Thrift and Economy Promise Rapid Progress

EXPORT BUSINESS GROWING

Our Great Ally Possesses Recuperative Powers Which Justify Belief That She Will Meet and Solve Triumphantly the Problems Which Confront Her After the War.

With Paris boulevards echoing with "vives" for American troops our interest in the welfare of our ally vastly increases, and the facts are not lacking to encourage the belief that she is already on the road to recovery from the blow of invasion by a ruthless enemy.

One of the most important developments is the announcement that one of the largest banking institutions in America concerned with foreign trade, the Guaranty Trust company of New York, has opened a Paris branch to handle the rapidly increasing volume of French business.

This action may surprise many persons who had thought of France as bowed under a calamitous invasion. The bank, however, gives figures indicating that France is not only meeting her military and civilian problems with a stout heart and never failing courage, but is re-establishing her export business with this country.

In 1914, the year of the outbreak of the war, imports from France to this country totaled $141,446,252. This total was reduced to $77,158,740 in 1915, but last year the value of French imports to the United States rose to $102,077,080.

"A nation that can achieve such a commercial recovery while her territory is being ravished by the invader," says the Trust company's statement, "possesses recuperative powers which justify the belief that she will emerge from the present conflict prepared to meet and solve triumphantly the problems which confront her."

The commercial and industrial record of France, following past wars, indicates that she should recover quickly from the actual physical destruction inflicted in the present conflict. The reconstruction of railroads, the erection of factories to replace those destroyed and the replacement of the mechanism of industrial activity that will be required and that is in part already planned, offer a peculiarly inviting field to American capital and enterprise. Tentative steps have already been taken by representatives of American engineers and business men in this work.

Aside from its attractive business aspect, the enlistment of American money and effort in the great task of reconstruction that will remain at the end of the war will tend to cement still more closely the ties that bind the two great republics together, and will enable Americans to discharge in part the debt they owe to France for her friendly interest in the welfare and progress of the United States from the beginning of its life as a nation.

In judging the industrial status of any nation, its production and consumption of coal, iron, and steel and the growth of its transportation systems are highly significant factors.

In 1869, French industries consumed 21 million tons of coal, of which 13.5 millions were taken from home mines. In 1912, the consumption was 61 millions, of which 41 million tons were taken from home mines.

In 1869, the French output of cast iron was 1,380,000 tons, and of steel, 1,089,000 tons. In 1914, France produced 5,311,000 tons of cast iron and 4,635,000 tons of steel.

The increasing activity of her railway system is similarly demonstrable. In 1869, there were in France 10,743 miles of railway track; in 1912, there were 31,546 miles.

Between 1869 and 1912, inland navigation increased 150 per cent; while the traffic of her mercantile marine has amazingly expanded. The tonnage entering French ports in 1869 is set down as 11,000,000 tons. In 1912 this had been increased to 53,000,000 tons.

Leaders in American finance ascribe this solidarity of the French republic to three influences: first, a thoroughly sound banking system, centralized in one of the greatest banking institutions of the world, the Bank of France; second, the ingrained thrift and frugality of the French people as a whole, together with a national economic vigor not elsewhere surpassed; third, wise supervision, and patriotic co-operation by the government with banking and business interests.

The government does its part to warrant and retain the confidence of the holders of its securities. One of its wise policies is to impose new taxes to defray the interest charges on new security issues. It began this practice after the Franco-Prussian war, and is today following the same rule in regard to securities issued to finance the present conflict. This continuity of purpose, doubtless, will prove reassuring to all holders of French government securities.

The Franco-Prussian war of 1870-1871 taught the French people the meaning of thrift and economy. So well did they learn this lesson, that the whole sum of the indemnity demanded by Germany, $1,000,000,000, was raised within the republic's confines by its own inhabitants and paid off more than one year before the time stipulated by the Germans.

The habit thus acquired has never been forgotten by the French, and today the aggregate number of investors purchasing the French war loans has reached the amazing total of [illegible] individual subscribers. Perhaps no other country, in proportion to its population, can make so good a showing.

France is particularly fortunate in that her small investors prefer "safe" investments, rather than offerings which promise high returns. Government rentes, in France, are perpetual, and this characteristic seems to obtain for these government bonds increasing favor in the eyes of the French people.

The points of sympathy between France and America are too many to enumerate, but the spirit of liberty and its resultant democracy are, today as always, the major ideals of both nations. Seeking no victories but those of peace, no territory except their own, no sovereignty except sovereignty over themselves — the independence and equal rights of the weakest member of the family of nations are to the people of the United States and of France entitled to as much respect as those of the mightiest empire. In defense of these principles, France is engaged in a death struggle with militant autocracy and ruthless aggression, and it is not surprising to learn that she has loaned to her allies and to other friendly states 7,000,000,000 francs with which to further the cause of democracy. It is in keeping with America's traditions that since the date on which we formally aligned ourselves with France and her allies in the great struggle, our government has lent to France $970,000,000.

It is eminently fitting that America should now be fighting on French soil to make the world safe for democracy. The liberty that America has enjoyed for 140 years France helped her to achieve. The swords of Lafayette and Rochambeau, aided by the guns of De Grasse upon the high seas, assisted in cutting the foreign ties that bound the American colonies prior to the War for Independence, and from the private purse of King Louis himself came the first loan to America—unsecured and unconditional—to finance that historic undertaking. It was with entire justice that Washington wrote to Rochambeau, "To the generous aid of your nation and to the bravery of its sons is to be ascribed in a very great degree that independence for which we have fought."

Invented In 1589.

The knitting frame was invented in 1589 by William Lee, a graduate of Cambridge university and a native of Woodborough, near Nottingham, England. So perfect was the invention in every detail that to this day the essential features of the machine continue in use for the class of work to which Lee applied it.

Help the Red Cross

We Need Money

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Local Items

Save all the waste and help win the war for humanity.

The Red Cross met at Mrs. C. H. Gunheim's Wednesday evening.

C. E. Peterson and Ernest Philipson were T. R. Falls visitors Tuesday evening.

B. Docken and family and Miss Agnes Bakke enjoyed a days outing at Maple Lake Sunday.

Roderick Nyberg went to Mack, N. Dak., Tuesday to work in the harvest fields of that country.

Mrs. Jeuvland and children of Erskine came one day last week to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Malquist and family.

The special meetings at the Mission church closed Wednesday evening and Rev. Carlson and his helpers Messrs. Vold and Olsen went over to Newfolden yesterday to hold a series of meetings there.

Big Patriotic Rally in Thief River Falls next Tuesday at 8 p. m. A former German Nobleman is the one who will give inside information regarding Germany's entrance into this world wide war.

Dr. R. L. Olson autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday with Mrs. Ole Kielgren who wanted to be present while her daughter Miss Hilma Nyberg underwent an operation on her feet at the physician's hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson and Mrs. Leonard Nelson autoed up from Hazel Saturday to visit at the home of the ladies' brother, W. A. Lindahl but as Mrs. Lindahl was not at home they went to Ross after her, returning here the next day.

The school meeting will be held at 7 o'clock Saturday evening at the school house. A treasurer is to be elected. There is also very important business to transact, including the proposition of issuing bonds to build an addition to the school house.

Mrs. Nels Hanson and daughter Lissie, who have been visiting relatives at Strandquist for two week, returned to Holt Sunday accompanied by their cousin and nephew Holger Haugard for a few days visit at the C. W. Christianson home.

City Meat Market
Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides and Furs.
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Patriotic Rally

Thief River Falls, July 23

Former German Nobleman Speaks

A big patriotic rally will be held at the auditorium in Thief River Falls at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening July 23rd, and everybody from this vicinity is cordially invited and should attend. Major John D. Yost and Sergeant Markoski of the Minneapolis recruiting station, and Sergeant Faucault of the Bemidji station and one of Gen. Pershing's men who has seen actual service in France, will be present and help to keep the meeting lively and interesting.

A former German nobleman, Fritz Osten Saken, who escaped from Germany will be the principal speaker of the evening.

This man was present at the time Kaiser Wilhelm and Ambassador Gerhard had their celebrated controversy, and he has promised to give much inside information concerning Germany's plans and designs against this country even before we ever thought of entering this war in which almost the whole world is engaged.

No one should fail to attend this Big Patriotic Rally and hear this former nobleman who speaks both the German and English languages.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jarshaw last Thursday, a baby boy.

Haying has commenced and it behoves the farmer to save every spear.

Threshermen's convention in Warren Thursday July 25th. All interested should attend.

H. E. Leinan and daughter of Middle River, called on friends in town Tuesday evening.

Every spear of hay and straw will be needed and should be cut and well stacked and taken care of.

E. S. Moe, Clarence Larson, C. F. Birkeland and P. C. Rosand were Warren business visitors Tuesday.

Several farmeretts went out to the Henry Wendt farm last evening to pick mustard and we'll bet a good job was done.

P. A. Riesberg and Rhinehart Reierson went out east of Mud Lake the first of the week to put up hay on the Reierson farm.

Messrs. Arness and Hegman of Fork and Johnson of Strathcona and their families were Sunday guests at the C. H. Gunheim home.

On account of typographical errors in the creamery report as published last week, we publish the corrected report this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Christenson came to Holt Monday from Greenbush where they have been visiting their daughter Mrs. Huseth and family for several days. They will enjoy a visit with their other daughter, Mrs. H. J Oien and family of this place, before returning to their home at Fertile.

Nils Engebretsen autoed to T. R. Falls Monday night to meet Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gullickson and son Herald who arrived there early Tuesday morning from their home in Washington, D. C. for an extended visit at the homes of Nils and Carl Engebretsen.

The Ringbo Axillary of the Red Cross is going to meet at K. Knutson July 24th. at 2 o'clock P. M. A large crowd attended our last meeting and the amount of $8.25 was taken in from the lunch. Nine new members were also secured. Remember that you are all welcome to attend our meetings.—Secretary.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Orrock has been unexpectedly called away on some business and will be unable to be here next Monday evening as planned.

Death of Mrs. John Anderson.

Mrs. John Anderson died on their homestead near Rollis Wednesday July 10th. and funeral services were conducted at the home on Saturday by Rev. Ordahl and interment was made in the Golden Valley cemetry.

Mrs. Anderson was born in Norway Dec. 30th. 1857 and came to this country with the family in 1904. She leaves three children, Mrs. Mike Leiran, of Rollis, Esther at home and John who was at Camp Dodge but came home to attend the funeral.

Notice!

Of Teachers Examination For Common School Certificates.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Teachers' Examination will be given at the High School Building at Warren, Minnesota, on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, July 29 30 and 31, 1918. The subjects for a Second Class certificate will be taken on Monday and Tuesday. For a First Class certificate on Wednesday.

David Johnson, Superintendent.

Miss Hilma Nyberg went to T. R. Falls Monday.

R. Reierson shipped a car of old iron the first of the week.

Annie Erickson visited Fred Steinhauer and family Sunday.

Miss Yudith Skaug of Newfolden was a guest at the Nils Engebretsen home last week, returning to Newfolden, Sunday.

Can, preserve, pickle and dry, all the fruit you possibly can, which is a big factor in helping to can the Kaiser and his military mob.

Walmer Riesberg returned home last week Thursday from an extended visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. Pavek, at Gardena, N. Dak.

Henry Wendt autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday evening with a little company of young ladies including the Misses Agnes Bakke, Beatha Nelson, Mayme and Gladys Flak.

The fuel administrator has refused to let this part of the country have any coal next winter, so everyone should get some wood ready right away as there is none here in town for sale, and we dont want to freeze.

County Agent John Husby has called a meeting of the threshermen in this county at Warren, next Thursday July 25th. at 1 o'clock sharp. It is the duty of every thresher to be present.

Severen Severson and son Ole returned to Reynolds, N. Dak. Saturday after a few days visit at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Andrew Bjerk and family. Miss Lydia Bjerk accompanied them home for a few days visit.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services in Holt next Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M. and in District 148 East Valley at 3 P. M.

An English Lutheran Congregation was organized in Strandquist last Monday evening, composed of members from several different nationalities of people.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Be a loyal red blooded American.

Annie Erickson visited in T. R. Falls Sunday.

Miss Abbie Hagen returned to Erskine Monday after a few days visit at the Malquist home.

Miss Annie Nygard and Axel Nelson were united in marriage Monday evening by Rev. M. T. Strom at the latters home south of town.

Field work on the state telephone valuation was begun this week in Marshall Co., with a crew headed by C. E. Hoy of Minneapolis. They are making an inventory of the lines formerly owned by the Tri-State Co. The Northwestern will be invoiced later. There are about ten thousand miles of toll lines in the state to be invoiced, and that to the minutest detail. The work of appraising the telephone lines was placed with the Railroad and Warehouse Commission by the last legislature.

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Whew? Say, is it hot enough for you?

S. S. Kolden was a Warren business visitor Friday.

Found: A ring. Please prove property and pay for this notice.

Anton Sagstuen returned Monday to his work at International Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Swartz and O. Mattson visited at J.E. Erickson Monday.

Miss Josie Haglie of Crookston came Monday to visit at the Jacob Nelson home.

Is your binder ready for the big harvest? Repairs are going to be hard to get and slow in coming.

Chas. Skoglund and family returned last Friday from a weeks visit with relatives in Minneapolis and other points.

Better get a supply of wood soon as there wont be any coal any where next winter, where it is in anyway possible to get wood for fuel.

A bright little baby girl was born early Saturday morning to Mr. and Mrs Clarence Kolden. at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg.

Hans Fosholm and family, Alfred Anderson and family, Oliver Nohre and family, were all very pleasantly entertained Sunday by C. L. Heinze and family.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.03
Wheat No. 2	2.00
Wheat No. 3	1.97
Wheat No. 4	1.93
Flax	4.15
Oats	61
Barley	68 to .87
Rye	1.56
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

A New and Complete Stock of
Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
Try Our
LUNCH COUNTER
Fresh Ice Cream Every Day
Prompt Service at all Times
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Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right
Hamernes Garage
Racine Olson Manager
Holt, Minn.

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Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
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Holt, Minn.

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The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction. They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.
See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.
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Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
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and
Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory
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Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
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We Buy All Kinds of Grain
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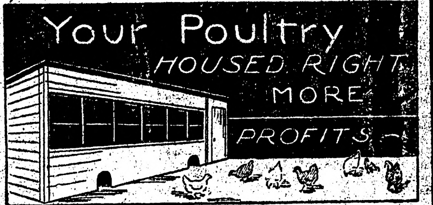

YOUR poultry will bring better returns if properly housed and taken care of.
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WE have all of the material required for housing poultry and will gladly give you ideas along this line.
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WORLD'S EVENTS IN SHORT FORM

BEST OF THE NEWS BOILED DOWN TO LIMIT.

ARRANGED FOR BUSY PEOPLE

Notes Covering Most Important Happenings of the World Compiled in Briefest and Most Succinct Form for Quick Consumption.

U. S.—Teutonic War News

The navy department announced that an American naval launch, after aiding a French destroyer tow a disabled American seaplane to safety, was sunk by German shore batteries. Two of her crew probably were drowned and two taken prisoner.

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A German submarine which attacked the American steamship Lake Forest, 1,500 miles off Cape Henry, while she was returning from a recent voyage to Europe, was sunk by the steamer's guns after a two-hour running fight according to information received in New York.

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Mrs. Emma Baer Dyer, mother of Paul Baer, the Fort Wayne (Ind.) "ace," received a cablegram announcing that her son had been located in a German prison camp in New Prussia.

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Sick and wounded men from the oversea forces, arriving in the United States during the two weeks ending July 5, totaled 220, the war department announced.

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Lieut. Quentin Roosevelt, son of ex-President Roosevelt, brought down his first German airplane in a fight north of Chateau Thierry, says a dispatch from France.

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Instructions have been sent by Provost Marshal General Crowder to all local draft boards ordering the cessation of the privilege hitherto granted registered men of selecting the arm of the service in which they desire to enlist when volunteering.

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Lieut. Warren T. Hobbs of Worcester, Mass., a member of the American aviation corps, was killed by German antiaircraft gunfire June 26. He was a noted athlete.

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Domestic

Five thousand men of draft age were seized as suspects by agents of the department of justice in the greatest roundup of slackers in Chicago's history. The drive was prosecuted by federal operatives and the police. The scene of the first raid was the Cubs' baseball park. One thousand fans were arrested.

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Lieut. Lee C. Giddings of Duluth, Minn., an instructor, was killed and Cadet Edward C. Darlington of Washington, D. C., was severely injured when an airplane dropped 800 feet at Scott field, Belleville, Ill.

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Several banks and brokers are under investigation by the office of the alien property custodian in an effort to trace the exact origin and handling of more than $1,000,000 paid the New York Evening Mail.

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Thirty thousand persons marched through the New York city hall past the flag-draped casket in which reposed the body of Maj. John Purroy Mitchel, soldier of the United States and late mayor of New York. The funeral was held with military rites. A squadron of airplanes dropped flowers on the cortege.

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Bruce N. Culmer of Martinsville, Ind., was killed in an aviation accident at Mineola, N. Y.

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An unofficial canvass of all police stations and "detention camps" in Chicago showed that 1,137 men of draft age were held for failure to comply with regulations. Approximately 10,000 men were taken and questioned, the most of them being released.

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Alleged draft evaders killed State Ranger J. Dudley White and severely wounded Ranger W. L. Rowe near Broaddus, in the piney woods of San Augustine county, Texas.

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Rapid progress is being made toward the completion of the Hog island shipyards in Philadelphia. Thirty-five keels have been laid and the number of workers at the yards has reached 28,500.

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In response to a request for postponement of the July draft call in the Northwest, where wheat is ready for harvest, Provost Marshal General Crowder has informed the department of agriculture that the military program will not permit of delay in filling the monthly demand for drafted men.

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About 300 American Protective League operatives searched downtown Cleveland for slackers and more than 1,000 youths between twenty-one and thirty-one were haled before the examining board.

Washington

Capt. George R. Clark was nominated by President Wilson to be judge advocate general of the navy with rank of rear admiral for a term of four years.

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President Wilson vetoed the annual agricultural appropriation bill containing an amendment increasing the price of wheat to $2.40 per bushel. The president's message said the increase in the price of wheat would add $2 to the cost of a barrel of flour, and would add $387,000,000 to the price of the 900,000,000-bushel crop of 1918 wheat.

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To equalize the price of sugar to the consumer in the face of prospects for an increase due to a threatened shortage, and to secure better distribution, President Wilson created the sugar equalization board, on recommendation of Food Administrator Hoover.

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President Wilson signed the $12,000,000,000 army appropriation bill to meet the expenses of the army program for the next fiscal year.

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The United States government regards the situation in Russia as so rapidly and constantly changing as to make it impossible to come as yet to any decision as to what military aid may be extended by the United States. This was stated authoritatively.

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Foreign

A proclamation has been issued in Dublin calling to the colors, under penalty of an offense against the defense of the realm act, all British subjects liable to military service who have moved to Ireland to escape it.

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Emperor William himself has fallen a victim to the "Spanish grippe" that has been so prevalent in the German army, according to reports from a Swiss source that have reached the Epocha at Rome.

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Admiral von Hintze, German ambassador to Norway, has been appointed secretary of state for foreign affairs, it was officially announced in Berlin, according to a dispatch to London via Amsterdam.

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Speaking before the main committee of the reichstag in Berlin, Imperial Chancellor von Hertling said: "Before the persistent will of the enemy to destroy her, manifested recently by the speeches of President Wilson and Foreign Secretary Balfour, Germany, although ready to accept a proposition for serious negotiations, must go on fighting."

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J. R. Clynes, labor member of parliament from Manchester, has been appointed to succeed the late Lord Rhondda as British food controller, it was officially announced in London.

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Dr. Richard Kuehlmann will go to Switzerland for a long vacation, a Berlin dispatch states. "I will be glad to get a bit of fresh air," he was quoted as saying to a friend. "I am sick of it all."

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Russian railway men are on strike in several districts, according to a Zurich dispatch to Paris, quoting the Leipzig Neueste Naehrichten. The strike threatens to become general, the newspaper reports.

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A royal air escort of three Belgian seaplanes guarded King Albert and Queen Elizabeth on their flight over the channel from Belgium to England. The purpose of their visit to England was to attend the silver anniversary of King George and Queen Mary.

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The Amsterdam Telegraaf learns that Jonkheer J. Loudon, minister of foreign affairs, is soon to be appointed minister at Washington. He was minister to the United States in 1908-'13. He also served as minister to Japan.

European War News

A German submarine, appearing 300 miles off Cape Race captured the Norwegian bark Maux King and ordered the crew of 19 to take to the boats. The survivors said they did not know what became of the bark.

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Air force contingents acting with the British navy dropped a half ton of bombs upon the city of Constantinople on July 7, it was announced by the British admiralty.

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"Five enemy airplanes bombed Constantinople," the Turkish war office announced. "No damage was done."

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British raiding planes successfully bombed the German town of Offenburg, the air ministry announced. The raiders suffered no losses.

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Thirteen German machines were brought down by British flyers on Monday, the London war office announced. Four British machines are missing.

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According to an uncensored private letter, smuggled out of Smyrna, a regiment in the Turkish vilayet of Aidin mutined and murdered its German officers when ordered to Mesopotamia. Talaat Pasha, Turkish premier, granted amnesty to the mutineers.

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British naval airplanes in the period between July 4 and July 7 dropped six tons of explosives on German works at Ostend, Zeebrugge and Bruges. Direct hits were observed on buildings and vessels. Five German airplanes were destroyed.

GERMANS NOW ON GREAT NEW DRIVE FOR PARIS

Thrust Covers Front of About Fifty Miles, from Chateau-Thierry to Bligny.

AMERICANS IN THE FRAY

Heavy Artillery Being Used Indicates That Foe Has Prepared for a Long and Severe Struggle

London, July 15.—The Germans have crossed the Marne at several places in their offensive begun this morning, according to advices received here.

The attack began on a front of 80 miles between Chateau-Thierry and Bligny, southwest of Rheims. The Germans also attacks east of Rheims, between Prunay and Maison de Champagne, on a front of 25 miles.

Paris, July 15.—A new offensive by the Germans was begun last night in the region between Rheims and the Argonne.

The struggle is proceeding on a front of about 80 kilometers (approximately 50 miles).

On the front between Chateau-Thierry and the Main de Massiges, the Germans attacked this morning, the war office announces. The French are meeting the shock of the enemy with energy and the battle continues.

The Road to Paris

Washington, July 15.—The Germans have selected the road to Paris for renewal of their drive, officers here believe today, judging from early reports on the violent movement, which began at dawn.

Whether the effort is designed actually to be pressed against the French capital or to pave the way for a later assault north of Amiens, on the road to the channel ports, believed to be the main objective of the whole German plan, was the subject of interested speculation.

The new battle line runs clear around Rheims in its 50-mile sweep from Chateau-Thierry, where the first and second American divisions are known to be in line. American troops in the Jaulgonne sector of the Marne east of Chateau-Thierry also are involved.

Heavy Artillery Used

Employment of heavy artillery to batter towns and communication lines indicates that the delayed grand offensive has been opened. The object of the bombardment is to harass the movement of supplies and reinforcements to the danger point and the careful preparations of the enemy may mean that he is ready to keep up the assault for days or weeks in the effort to drive through.

Just where the main force of the attack will fall is not clear. The apex of the German advance on the Aisne front is at Chateau-Thierry where the American first corps now holds the left flank of the new battle line. Presumably the main objective in this assault is some place to the east of that point which lies on the direct road to Paris. It is regarded as possible that the purpose of the attack is to widen still further the Aisne salient by the reduction of Rheims and the forcing back of the whole southern extremity of the 1918 battle area. A previous attack on Rheims was halted in its tracks by French and Italian troops and that place is now the center of a greatly increased assault. In some quarters this was taken to mean that reduction of the Rheims salient is regarded as vital to the success of the German enterprise as a whole.

Naval Guns Used

Extensive employment of naval guns for long range bombardment of the allied rear positions suggests that it was the time required to bring up and place these weapons that held up the German drive.

FOUR KILLED, 15 HURT

An Atlantic Port, July 15.—The interurban electric car, laden with shipbuilders, overturned early today near South San Francisco. Four persons were reported killed and 15 seriously injured.

HAS BOUT WITH SUBMARINE

An Atlantic Port, July 15.—An engagement with a German submarine in mid-ocean on July 6 was reported by a British armed merchantman arriving heer today. The Britisher was attacked by gunfire when about half way between the Irish coast and Cape Race. The submarine emerged two miles astern and pursued, opening fire but ineffectively. The steamship returned the fire.

FAVORABLE TO THE ALLIES

Paris, July 16.—The first day of the present German offensive clearly is favorable to the Allies, says a semi-official statement issued late Monday night. The French defensive system has been in no way affected and is still intact.

"While in previous attacks, the statement says, "the enemy, thanks to surprise, carried important positions like the Chemin-Des-Dames and advanced several miles, this time the battle has entailed only fluctuations of a few hundred yards."

AMERICANS TAKE 1000 PRISONERS

Enemy Brigade Staff Included in Capture of Germans by U. S. Troops.

HUN GAINS ARE SMALL

Advance Everywhere Held East of Rheims—Germans Make Some Gains Further West on 22-Mile Front

London, July 16.—Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, announced in the House of Commons last night that the Americans had captured a thousand or more prisoners south of the Marne after having driven back the enemy.

The German prisoners captured in the counter attack by the Americans at the bend of the Marne number between 1,000 and 1,500. They include a complete brigade staff.

Mr. Bonar Law read the following communication to the House:

"The enemy attacked early this morning on a front of 90 kilometers, pretty evenly divided east and west of Rheims. The city itself was not attacked.

"West of Rheims the Germans penetrated on a front of 36 kilometers (22.37 miles) to an average depth of from four to five kilometers.

"South of the Marne, by a brilliant counter attack, the American troops drove the enemy back and took a thousand or more prisoners.

"East of Rheims the enemy has been heavily repulsed and has suffered a complete check."

With the American Army on the Marne, July 15.—A strong American counter attack south of the river bend completely upset the Germans, who broke in retreat. The American troops drove the enemy back all the way to the railway skirting the Marne in the region southwest of Jaulgonne. This position now is being held.

In the counter attack many prisoners were taken. They included a major, two captains and 400 men, so far counted.

The French general commanding the group of armies on this sector sent a congratulatory message this afternoon to the American general commanding the forces which beat back the enemy.

At 5 o'clock this evening the Germans were heavily shelling the American forces, but were getting shell for shell in return, and their fire seemed to be diminishing.

The Vaux district is compartively calm now. On the American right heavy fighting is in progress.

American machine gunners along the river assisted materially in breaking up the early Boche plans for they stuck to their posts and poured deadly streams of bullets into the enemy and only withdrew when their guns were so hot they could not be fired. One group of machine gunners happened to be in a place where the Germans were anxious to erect a bridge, but their efforts were fruitless. The American bullets piled up the German dead on the opposite side of the river every time the enemy started to cross.

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The fighting continues with fierce intensity in this district while the battle rages with equal ferocity on the right, where the French are reported to have delivered a smashing blow against the enemy. For this section of the battle front it appears that the German offensive, at least for the time being, has been badly shattered.

Americans Command River Front

The Americans now command the river front at the bend. At the left of the bend the famous German tenth division has made repeated attempts all day to cross, but all assaults have been smashed by the well directed fire of the American gunners, and not a single German had succeeded in getting over at this point up to 9 o'clock tonight.

South of Jaulgonne the enemy crossed the Marne this morning on six pontoon bridges hurriedly thrown over the stream and masses of infantry swarmed forward. The artillery constantly had the bridges under the heaviest fire and at least two direct hits were made, two of the bridges being blown up.

Foe Advanced Behind Smoke Screen

After sharp artillery work, German troops advanced behind a great smoke cloud which completely obscured them for a time from view. The low visibility also aided the enemy in his operations.

Allies Are Confident

A correspondent talked with some American soldiers now in hospitals, who were in the thick of the fighting yesterday. They were in complete agreement that the German infantry was no match for the Americans.

This is evidenced by the reports from all the American hospitals, there being only a few cases of wounds from rifle and machine gun fire, while most of the men are suffering from shrapnel wounds.

The allied staffs are absolutely confident of their ability to hold their line.

CAN TAKE OVER ALL WIRE LINES

Senate Passes House Resolution Giving the President That Authority.

ACTION IS UNCERTAIN

Cabinet Officers Intimate That Government May Soon Take Advantage of the Powers Just Granted.

Washington, July 16.—President Wilson's request for authority to take over and operate telegraph, telephone, cable and radio lines has been granted by congress.

By a vote of 46 to 16—the minority all Republicans—the Senate adopted, without amendment, the House resolution granting such power for the period of the war.

All Amendments Defeated.

All attempts to amend or modify the administration measure which passed the House July 5 by a vote of 221 to 4 were defeated. Amendments by Senator Watson of Indiana to except telephones and press wires from the resolution were defeated respectively, 41 to 20 and 39 to 21.

An amendment by Senator Gore of Oklahoma, Democrat, to limit action regarding telephones to long distance wires was voted down, while an amendment by Senator Reed of Missouri, designed to secure unrestricted use of public facilities was twice rejected.

Although the statements of the cabinet officers indicated that the powers might be used as soon as granted, there has been no announcements as to just what the President intends to do or when.

During debate on the resolution it was said the government would take over only trunk lines and connecting systems, leaving to their own managements the thousands of rural and small independent systems throughout the country.

BRITISH FORCES TAKE KEM

Important Port on White Sea Falls to Allies.

Rotterdam, July 16.—British forces have occupied Kem, on the Murman coast, according to the Frankfurter Zeitung.

Kem is an important port on the White sea, 275 miles south of Kola and 375 miles north of Petrograd, on the railroad connecting those two cities.

Recent dispatches reported that a combined force of Germans and Finns had reached Kem in their march against the Allies and anti-Bolsheviki forces in the Murman region.

It would appear that this enemy force either retired before the British or was driven back in fighting.

CHINA WILL BUILD VESSELS

Shanghai Yard to Construct Four Ships for United States.

Washington, July 16. — China has been added to the list of nations building merchant ships to help defeat Germany.

The Shipping board has awarded to the Chinese government yard at Shanghai contracts for four cargo vessels of 10,00 tons each and took options for the building of 80,000 more tons.

The entire program will involve the expenditure of perhaps $30,000,000. Approximately 35,000 tons of steel will be shipped from this country, but the engines and other equipment will be built in China.

AMERICANS GO TO LONDON

Wounded Soldiers Are Said to Be Given Best of Care.

London, July 16.—American wounded are now arriving in London in considerable numbers from the sections of France where the Americans are brigaded with the British. They reach the various main line stations on British hospital trains together with hundreds of British wounded with which the trains are laden.

The American soldiers already are receiving the best of care and are being visited by American women members of a committee formed to look after them as soon as the hospital authorities give their permission.

DESTROY 3,856 FOE PLANES

British Army Fliers on Western Front Drop 3,233.

London, July 16.—In one year on the British Western front the royal air force has accounted for 3,233 enemy airplanes.

In the same period the naval airmen shot down 623, a total of 3,856.

During this period, 1,904 British machines were missing. Ninety-two of these were working with the navy.

Flood Causes Much Damage.

Boulder, Colo., July 16.—Serious property damage and possibly loss of life resulted from a cloudburst in Left Hand canyon, three miles west of Ward, Colo. A torrent of water rushed down the canyon, carrying off cabins and other buildings, tearing out a mile of track of the Denver, Boulder & Western railroad, and obliterating great stretches of highway between Boulder and Ward, according to word received from the Ward station agent.

DOCTOR URGED AN OPERATION

Instead I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Was Cured.

Baltimore, Md.—"Nearly four years I suffered from organic troubles, nervousness and headaches and every month would have to stay in bed most of the time. Treatments would relieve me for a time but my doctor was always urging me to have an operation. My sister asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before consenting to an operation. I took five bottles of it and it has completely cured me and my work is a pleasure. I tell all my friends who have any trouble of this kind what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—NELLIE B. BRITTINGHAM, 609 Calverton Rd., Baltimore, Md.

It is only natural for any woman to dread the thought of an operation. So many women have been restored to health by this famous remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, after an operation has been advised that it will pay any woman who suffers from such ailments to consider trying it before submitting to such a trying ordeal.

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HOW SNAKES HELP FARMER

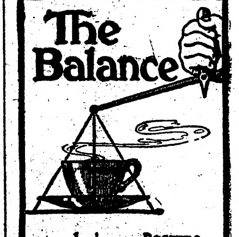
Man Who Knows Points Out How Valuable to the Tiller of the Soil Are His Services.

Snakes are a valuable asset and there should be a campaign against killing them, writes Gayne T. K. Norton, in the American Forestry Magazine. The article goes on to show what the snake does for food conservation by ways of killing rodents and insects, the greatest enemies to grain that man knows. The public has become acquainted with snakes as never before, writes Mr. Norton, because of the thousands who have been engaged in the campaign for war gardens that has been conducted by the national emergency food garden commission.

"With this summer the millions of war gardens have given the snake popular interest. Tremendously increased tillage has brought people and snakes together.

"Unless much education work is done the number of snakes that will be killed next year by the well-meaning but misinformed gardeners will be very large. Our snakes are a national asset worth many millions of dollars and should be conserved. The relation they bear to successful crops is important—more important than even the average farmer realizes."

The work-or-fight order should also be followed with the slogan "give or go."



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POSTUM is all this and more. It's most delicious. Besides there's no waste, and these are days when one should *Save*. Try INSTANT POSTUM

WOMEN FARMING IN WESTERN CANADA

Success Has Followed All Their Efforts.

On the train from Edmonton to Winnipeg the writer took a seat beside a soldier who had returned from the front. On his breast he wore the beautiful distinguished service medal. One coat sleeve was armless, and on his left cheek he bore a scar that he would carry to his grave. He had served his country faithfully and well. At the first call for soldiers in August, 1914, he hastened to the recruiting office, leaving his 320-acre farm, with its crop ready for harvest, a full equipment of farm implements, plenty of horses, and a wife. The wife should not be last on the list for she proved the master of the situation, and loyally took hold of the question of production, while her husband was on his way to fight the Hun. And she succeeded. In 1915 she succeeded, and again in 1916, and when her husband returned in 1917 she was able to show some contemplated farm buildings completed, the indebtedness of the farm paid off, a considerable addition to the stock, and the land ready for a 1917 crop. This was the story told by the soldier, and wasn't he a proud man! He was now ready to do what he could to keep up the period of prosperity and provide food for the allies. The women of Canada have done nobly during the struggle.

Among the most successful farmers of the Oak Lake district, Manitoba, are the Misses Clara and Beatrice Forward, who, for the past fourteen years, have farmed their own land, doing all the regular work on the farm, such as plowing, seeding, summer fallowing and reaping. They have been especially successful with stock, and have a splendid herd of shorthorns, both purebred and grade. At the recent Brandon sale they purchased a new purebred stock bull for $700. Their herd was last year increased by 23 calves.

Miss R. M. Hillman of Keeler, Saskatchewan, is another successful woman farmer. She has gone in extensively for grain growing, and farms 1,120 acres. She also owns some of the finest Percheron horses in Saskatchewan.

The prairie now boasts of many women who have had more or less success, though few are farming on the same large scale as Miss Hillman and the Misses Forward. These women have demonstrated, and are still demonstrating, that a versatile woman may be just as good and successful a farmer as her brother.

There are other women, too, on the Canadian prairies, who, though they have not had thrown upon them the responsibilities of "running a farm," have been decided factors in making the farm a success. They assist their husbands by keeping the farm accounts, reducing the grocer's bills by their management of the poultry and butter, taking care of the house, and, very often, proving good advisers in the economic management of the men and general conduct of the farm work. The man who moves to Canada carries with him a wonderful asset in a good managing wife.—Advertisement.

Spotlight Snicker.

Through an opening in a burnt-cork face and a similar gash in another dusky makeup this dialogue is propelled:

"Ah'm gonna make a lion tamer outer you."

"Who is?"

"Ah, am."

"Yo' gotta see me 'bout that first!"

"All you needs to do is to show a lion you isn't scared."

"Man, Ah couldn't be that deceitful."—Pittsburgh Post.

Too Much Thought of Self.

"Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "a man thinks so much about his own comfort dat he makes hisse'f puffickly miserable."

Half a loaf is better than none, unless Uncle Sam finds out you are loafing.

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Drop Freezone on a touchy corn, then lift that corn off with fingers

Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic! No humbug!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.—Adv.

Farmerettes Rallied in 1776.

They had farmerettes during the revolution, says a writer in the Philadelphia Ledger. Nothing new under the sun, it seems. Here is a paragraph which appeared in the New England Chronicle September 5, 1776:

"Philadelphia. — Since the departure of the able-bodied men from the forks of the Brandywine in Chester county in the service of their country the patriotic young women, to prevent the evil that would follow the neglect of putting in the fall crop in season, have joined the plows and are preparing the fallows for the seed, and should their fathers, brothers and lovers be detained abroad in defense of the liberties of these states, they are determined to put in the crop themselves—a very laudable example, and highly worthy of imitation."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Great Rejoicing.

"I believe," said the bug who was always talking about things nobody knows anything about, as many people do, "that in the future life—in the next world, you know—men will have the same occupations that they do here and now. The poet here will be a poet there; the grocer here will be a grocer there. And so on."

"Hoo-ray!" shouted the man he was spouting to.

"Why the joy?" asked the philosopher, doubtfully.

"That means that there will be icemen there. Hoo-ray!"

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Near Relations.

It may be news to many people that there can be a nearer family relation than that of brother and sister, but a little miss gave this information to the world on the first day of her attendance at the school.

Accompanied by a small boy, she appeared in the schoolroom, and the teacher proceeded to take down the new pupils' names, which were given as Ralph and Edith Johnson.

"Brother and sister, I suppose," said the teacher pleasantly.

"Oh, no, ma'am, we're twins," was the little girl's reply.

An automobile alarm whistle to be connected to the cylinders of a car, can be made to utilize the full force of their explosions when desired

Cold Drinks Bad for Your Stomach

How to Avoid the Digestive Miseries That Hot Weather Brings

Cold drinks in hot weather are bad enough for any stomach but doubly so, in fact, dangerous—when the stomach is out of fix and you suffer from indigestion, acidity, food-repeating, heartburn, sour stomach, and that awful puffed-up, bloated condition after eating. In fact, all stomach and bowel miseries are greatly aggravated in hot weather. You can't be too careful. Sunstroke can be traced in many cases to poor digestion. Everyone should watch their stomach in hot weather.

Keep it sweet and cool. Here is an easy and pleasant way to correct stomach ills. A compound has been discovered which surely takes up the harmful juices and gases from the stomach, leaving it sweet, clean, cool and comfortable. You won't know you have a stomach if you take one or two EATONIC tablets after your meals so light and pain-free you will feel.

There is not a harmful thing in EATONIC tablets. They taste fine! Just like eating candy. Druggists will tell you that EATONIC users say they never dreamed anything could give such quick and wonderful results; you can insure yourself a good, cool, sweet stomach, you can eat what you like, and always have the appetite to eat it. EATONIC is absolutely guaranteed. Get a box from your druggist today. Use it to get rid of and prevent the stomach and bowel troubles that are bound to come in hot weather. If EATONIC fails, return to your druggist and get your fifty cents back. If you cannot obtain EATONIC where you live drop a card to Eatonic Remedy Co., Chicago, Ill. They will mail you a box at once.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Crookston—The Northwest fair will be held here July 29 to August 2. A big racing program has been arranged for the occasion.

Luncheon was served at 12:15 P. M. The picnic was directed by the executive board of the Minnesota Territorial Pioneer Woman's club.

Crosby—Austrains, Czechs and other Slavs on the Cuyuna range are showing great interest in the welfare of their adopted country and are subscribing almost to a man to the war funds.

Silver Lake — Joseph Lorenz, 50 years old, a resident of this village, took his own life. Despondency is supposed to have caused the act. He is survived by two sons, one of whom is in the army.

Moorhead—John T. Frederick, head of the department of English in the Moorhead normal school, has been invited to consider the position of professor of English and dean in Washbrun college, Topeka, Kan.

Fergus Falls—Supt. W. O. Lippit, the newly elected superintendent of the city schools of this city, is here from Jackson, Minn., and will spend some time in this city conferring with Supt. Norby and familiarizing himself with the work.

Virginia—James Mullen, a woodsman employed at Camp Five, Cusson, by the Virginia & Rainy Lake Company, walked into the war headquarters on Main street here and laid down $1,000 in cash for War Savings Stamps.

Sleepy Eye—While the band played on the street on the Fourth, Gates Phillips hit upon a happy thought, that of taking up a collection for the Red Cross. As a result of the generosity of the crowd, the sum of $35.40 was turned over to Mrs. Strickler, the secretary.

St. Cloud—A. H. Turritin of Minneapolis has resigned his position as president of the Benton County Fair association and President Freisleben was elected in his place. Mr. Turritin said that as long as he had moved to Minneapolis he did not feel he could do justice to the association.

Graceville.—At a meeting held here attended largely by farmers from this section, resolutions were passed commending the action of congress in fixing the price of wheat at $2.40 per bushel. Similar meetings were held at Wheaton, Morris, Chokio, Ortonville, Beardsley and Big Stone City.

Moorhead—Swimming in the Northern Pacific reservoir near Dilworth, Minn., Alex Anderson of Moorhead was drowned when he dived into a big stone, rendering him unconscious. His companions, including two brothers, didn't miss Anderson for several minutes, and by the time they recovered his body, he had succumbed.

Crookston.—A complete report of the number of garments sent by the Polk county chapter of the American Red Cross to Minneapolis since the time of the organization of the local chapter until July 1 numbered 13,155. This work was done with Mrs. E. A. Mills as vice chairman. The work comprised hospital supplies, military relief, Belgian and French relief work.

Minneapolis—Exactly 519 nurses in Minnesota have already signed questionnaires agreeing to enter Red Cross war service by January 1, according to reports made at a recent meeting of Minneapolis and St. Paul superintendents of hospital training schools and representatives of nursing organizations in the state. Minnesota's quota was set by national headquarters at 450.

Buhl—Mayor William J. Doyle, is determined to stop blind-pigging. Matt Krampotich, owner of a soft drink establishment, who was recently fined $75 in municipal court for having 320 quarts of whisky in his at tic, lost his license to operate as did Israel Johnson, running a similar establishment, who was fined $50 on a similar charge. "Revocation of license will follow every such conviction," said Mayor Doyle.

Keewatin—Mrs. Lillie Bartels, from Minneapolis, with a party of friends in a Ford ran over the 8-year-old son of Dominic Generali on one of the principal streets of the village. The boy darted out into the street just ahead of the car, which passed over him with both the front and hind wheels. Mrs. Bartels became excited when the accident happened and lost control of the car, which crossed the sidewalk and ran into the front of the Barrett building.

St. Paul — Secretary of State Schmahl has received from the reclamation bureau of the Department of the Interior a request for information regarding Minnesota land that may be reclaimed. The letter stated a fund of $100,000 has been made available for surveys of lands that may be reclaimed. It was assumed that part of the appropriation will be used to investigate drainage possibilities in Northern Minnesota, where there are thousands of acres of swamp land.

Minneapolis—The Lake City bank at Lake City, the oldest incorporated bank in the state has been admitted into membership in the Federal Reserve system, according to Theodore Wold, governor of the Federal Reserve bank of the Ninth district. C. A. Hubbard is president of the bank.

St. Paul—The cases of Joseph Gilbert, organizer for the Nonpartisan league, Louis W. Martin and N. S. Randall indicted separately under the espionage law for utterances they are alleged to have made at Kenyon, have been appealed to the state supreme court.

Bemidji—The Bemidji Chautauqua will be held from August 5 to 9.

International Falls—Ralph S. Larson, son of Fred Larson, residing 12 miles south of Littlefork, accidentally shot himself, and was dead when found by his sisters.

St. Cloud—Amos M. Hamlin, aged 95 years and 4 months, a veteran of the Civil war, died at the residence of his son-in-law, Samuel Marshall, where he has made his home for many years.

Pelican Rapids—The bodies of Edward Haugen and Mrs. Oscar Koppen have been recovered in Lake Lida, three miles north of here. They drowned when their boat overturned in the weeds.

St. Paul—Sales of state automobile licenses have reached the total of $2,000,019.50, at the office of Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state, at the capitol. Latest reports show sales of 190,006 automobile licenses.

Comfrey—Louis B. Olson, while driving his car from this village to his farm in Jackson county, sustained fatal injuries when the car overturned. A. L. Dixon, who was riding with Olson was only slightly injured.

Willow River—Frank Breaska of Ellson sold a fine registered Holstein bull calf to John Datwler of Finlayson. The important part of the transaction is that this calf is the first registered stock to be raised in this vicinity.

St. Paul—The last episode in the investigation of charges of disloyalty against the members of the school board at Fairfax, Minn., took place when the Public Safety Commission finally closed its files in the case.

St. Paul.—Ernest C. Hartwell, superintendent of St. Paul schools, has been appointed superintendent of schools at Buffalo, N. Y., and has accepted the position, according to telegraphic reports received from the New York city.

St. Cloud—A 10-year-old boy is being held here on a charge of having attempted to pass a $10.15 check, written and indorsed by himself. Upon being questioned by the merchant to whom he tendered the check, he replied that it had been given him.

Graceville—Farmers in this section commended the action of congress in fixing the price of wheat at $2.40 a bushel. Similar meetings were held at Wheaton, Morris, Chokio, Ortonville, Beardsley and Browns Valley, and the action of congress was indorsed.

The annual picnic given by the Minnesota Territorial Pioneer Woman's club at Minnehaha Falls partook of the nature of a family reunion, at which more than 400 Territorial Pioneers, men and women, attended from parts of Minnesota outside of St. Paul and Minneapolis.

St. Cloud—John Thoren, being conveyed as a prisoner on Northern Pacific train No. 1 through St. Cloud from St. Paul to Fargo, charged with having failed to pay a board bill, escaped from the sheriff while passing the Benton county fair grounds. He has not been captured.

Stillwater—Arthur H. Neildberg, an employe of the Twin City Forge & Foundry company of this city, sustained a fracture and dislocation of the small bones in his left foot and also on his left wrist by falling a distance of twenty feet from an electric light pole, landing on a huge pile of steel billets.

Chisholm—Public display under a spotlight of the names of War Savings stamp slackers has been approved by the local committee. It is said several persons flatly refused to buy stamps and that other persons, with means made purchases unwillingly after they had been urged several times to do so.

Minneapolis—James T. Williams of Minneapolis was re-elected president of the National Association of Macaroni and Noodle Manufacturers of America at the concluding session of their three days' convention here. This is the first time in the history of the association that a member has been so honored.

Anoka — The Minnesota Dry Milk company plant here was destroyed by fire. An explosion occurred in the basement and five minutes later the four story structure was a mass of flames. The company recently started and has been doing a big business. It is operated by Minneapolis men. The cause of the fire is not known.

Stillwater—Friends of David M. Swain, well known in this city, were shocked to learn of his sudden death which occurred at a hotel in Pittsburgh, Pa., following a severe attack of heart trouble. He was 76 years of age. He came to this locality shortly after the close of the Civil war, and with the exception of one year, when he was a resident of Taylors Falls, has resided in Stillwater ever since.

Minneapolis—The farmers of Minnesota stand to realize $480,000,000 if the wheat, corn, oats, barley, rye, flaxseed and potatoes turn out at harvest time as well as governmental July estimates indicate. The different crops and their farm values are estimated as follows:

Corn, $162,750,000; Wheat, $146,300,000; Oats, $82,410,000; Barley, $39,000,000; Rye, $14,875,000; Potatoes, $25,200,000; Flaxseed, $9,545,000; Total, $480,000,000.

St. Paul—A child conservation division of the State Board of Health was created by the board at a meeting at the Capitol. Dr. E. J. Huenekens of Minneapolis was appointed director on a part-time basis and the employment of one nurse was authorized. Because of limited funds the scope of the division work will be restricted this year.

Moorhead—Alfred Erickson, 22, with a double fracture of the skull, caused when a Northern Pacific switch engine struck the oil truck on which he was riding, probably will die. His companion, Henry Hammerud, though badly hurt, is recovering.

SWIFT & COMPANY U.S.A.

Meat Must Be Sold

Fresh meat is perishable. It must be sold within about two weeks for whatever it will bring.

A certain amount of beef is frozen for foreign shipment, but domestic markets demand fresh, chilled, unfrozen beef.

Swift & Company cannot increase prices by withholding meat, because it will not keep fresh and salable for more than a few days after it reaches the market.

Swift & Company cannot tell at the time of purchasing cattle, what price fresh meat will bring when put on sale. If between purchase and sale, market conditions change, the price of meat must also change.

The Food Administration limits our profit to 9 per cent on capital invested in the meat departments. This is about 2 cents per dollar of sales. No profit is guaranteed, and the risk of loss is not eliminated.

As a matter of fact, meat is often sold at a loss because of the need of selling it before it spoils.

Swift & Company, U.S.A.

Danger to Ojibway Finger.

An Ojibway Indian would not point his finger at the moon, as fair Luna would consider it a great insult and instantly bite off the offending member.

Comfort Baby's Skin

When red, rough and itching with hot baths of Cuticura Soap and touches of Cuticura Ointment. This means sleep for baby and rest for mother. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Imagination, Not Romance.

She—Do you think that people are less romantic and imaginative after they are married?

He—I don't know about the romantic part of it, but if they are going to try to explain everything they've got to be more imaginative.

One thing that has saved many a man from hanging is the fact that the jury did.

Not Equal to Three.

They had not been married very long, but she had grown cold and listless; so one evening, after she had yawned about seventeen times, he said:

"You seem to be so cold and indifferent, Matilda. Have you forgotten those happy days when I was paying you my addresses?"

"I should think I haven't! I should think I haven't forgotten those happy days. I never had less than three fellows every evening calling on me."

"But, dear, haven't you got me to pay you attention now?"

"Yes, I suppose I have. You are doing the best you know how; but you don't flatter yourself that you are equal to three, do you?"

The eyes of a South American fish are divided into two parts, the upper being adapted for vision in the air, the lower for use under the water.

A kiss in time saves nine—after the spat.

Easy to figure the Profits

Where in Western Canada you can buy at from $15 to $30 per acre good farm land that will raise 20 to 45 bushels to the acre of $2 wheat — its easy to figure the profits. Many Western Canadian farmers (scores of them from the U. S.) have paid for their land from a single crop. Such an opportunity for 100% profit on labor and investment is worth investigation.

Canada extends to you a hearty invitation to settle on her

Free Homestead Lands of 160 Acres Each

or secure some of the low priced lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Think what you can make with wheat at $2 a bushel and land so easy to get. Wonderful yields also of Oats, Barley and Flax. Mixed farming and cattle raising.

The climate is healthful and agreeable; railway facilities excellent; good schools and churches convenient. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Supt. Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.;
J. L. Porte, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

S. Food Administration

Wheatless Recipes

ed in the Experimental Kit-
of the Food Administration
Conservation Division) and the
partment of Agriculture.

ING POWDER LOAF BREADS

(Using no Wheat)

measurements are level.—In the ing recipes the weights given accurate. The measurements are ximate; that is, they are given e nearest fraction of a cup which housewife ordinarily uses. It is enient to remember in measuring al fractions that two level table s are one-eighth cup.

Method.

x the melted fat, liquid, sirup, and Combine the liquid and well dry ingredients. Bake as a loaf moderately hot oven (206 degrees 400 degrees Fahrenheit) for one or until thoroughly baked. ts, raisins or dates may be add aking the bread more nutritious very palatable.

AT AND CORN FLOUR BREAD

Per Cent Ground Rolled Oats.
Per Cent Corn Flour.
cup liquid.
to 4 tablespoons fat.
tablespoons sirup.
eggs.
teaspoons baking powder.
teaspoon salt.
cups (5 ounces) corn flour.
cups (5 ounces) ground rolled oats.

ICE AND BARLEY BREAD.

Per Cent Rice Flour.
Per Cent Barley Flour.
liquid.
tablespoons fat.
tablespoons sirup.
teaspoons baking powder.
teaspoon salt.
(5 ounces) rice flour.
(5 ounces) barley flour.

FLOUR AND BUCKWHEAT BREAD.

Per Cent Corn Flour.
Per Cent Buckwheat.
liquid.
tablespoons fat.
tablespoons sirup.
teaspoons baking powder.
teaspoon salt.
(5 ounces) corn flour.
(5 ounces) buckwheat.

RLEY AND OAT BREAD.

Per Cent Barley Flour.
Per Cent Ground Rolled Oats.
liquid.
4 tablespoons fat.
tablespoons sirup.
teaspoons baking powder.
teaspoon salt.
cups (5 ounces) barley flour.
cups (5 ounces) ground rolled oats.

BISCUIT.

(Using no Wheat)

METHOD.

ift dry materials together. Work fat well. Combine liquid and dry aterials, handling lightly. Roll or inch thick and cut as biscuits. ake in a hot oven.

Use a coarse sifter or mix instead sifting if the flours are coarse, so none is wasted.

Biscuits made of the substitutes are ss like the normal wheat flour pro ct particularly in texture, than are e muffins, loaf breads and cakes. f one-fourth more liquid is used, a p biscuit having better texture is result.

CORN FLOUR BISCUIT.

1 cup liquid.
1 2-3 cups corn flour.
tablespoons fat.
teaspoons baking powder.
teaspoon salt.
Appearance, good.
Texture, very dry and close.
Color, white.
Flavor, corn flavor.

CORN FLOUR-ROLLED OAT BISCUIT.

Per Cent Ground Rolled Oats.
Per Cent Corn Flour.
cup liquid.
1 1-2 cups corn flour.
1 cup ground oats.
tablespoons fat.
teaspoons baking powder.
teaspoon salt.

BARLEY BISCUIT.

1¼ cups liquid.
cups barley flour.
tablespoons fat.
teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon salt.
Appearance, light, well risen, good
Texture, good.
Color, somewhat dark, but typical of
Flavor, typical of barley; good.
Comment: These biscuits do not get and flaky as wheat biscuits, but a desirable and edible product.

U. S. Food Administration

Wheatless Recipes

Tested in the Experimental Kitchen of the Food Administration (Conservation Division) and the Department of Agriculture.

COMBINATION MUFFINS.

(Using no Wheat)

METHOD OF MIXING

Add to the cup of milk the melted fat, sirup, and slightly beaten egg; sift the salt, baking powder, and flour together. Use a coarse sieve so that no part of the flour is wasted. Combine the two mixtures, stirring lightly without beating. Bake in a hot oven (437 degrees F. or 225 degrees C.) for 20 to 30 minutes, depending upon the size of the muffins.

These recipes make 24 small muffins (3 of which make a 2 ounce serving) or 8 very large muffins.

The ground rolled oats are the same as rolled oats ground in a food chopper. When using oats, mix them with the other sifted dry ingredients.

When corn meal is used, mix—do not sift—the ingredients.

Suggestions: The wheat substitute recipes given below show that a wide variety of combinations is possible even when limited to the use of a few substitutes.

All of the combinations are good. In nearly all cases a combination of substitutes makes a better product than the use of only one substitute. Muffins containing oats have a particularly pleasant flavor.

Other substitutes used with buckwheat will modify the color and improve the flavor of the product. The use of molasses will also do this.

COMBINATION SUBSTITUTE MUFFINS.

50 Per Cent Barley.
50 Per Cent Oats.
1 cup liquid.
1 tablespoon fat.
2 tablespoons sirup.
1 or 2 eggs.
4 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon salt.
1¼ cups barley flour (4 ounces).
1⅓ cups ground rolled oats (4 ounces).

COMBINATION SUBSTITUTE MUFFINS.

75 Per Cent Barley.
25 Per Cent Oats.
1 cup liquid.
1 tablespoon fat.
2 tablespoons sirup.
1 or 2 eggs.
4 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon salt.
1¾ cups barley flour (6 ounces).
⅔ cup ground rolled oats (2 ounces).

COMBINATION SUBSTITUTE MUFFINS.

50 Per Cent Buckwheat.
50 Per Cent Oats.
1 cup liquid.
1 tablespoon fat.
2 tablespoons sirup.
1 or 2 eggs.
4 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon salt.
¾ cup buckwheat (4 ounces).
1⅓ cups oats ground (4 ounces).

COMBINATION SUBSTITUTE MUFFINS.

50 Per Cent Buckwheat.
50 Per Cent Corn Flour.
1 cup liquid.
1 tablespoon fat.
2 tablespoons sirup.
1 or 2 eggs.
4 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon salt.
¾ cup buckwheat (4 ounces).
1 cup corn flour (4 ounces).

COMBINATION SUBSTITUTE MUFFINS.

50 Per Cent Rice Flour.
50 Per Cent Buckwheat.
1 cup liquid.
1 tablespoon fat.
1 tablespoon sirup.
1 or 2 eggs.
4 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon salt.
⅝ cup rice flour (4 ounces).
¾ cup buckwheat (4 ounces).

COMBINATION SUBSTITUTE MUFFINS.

50 Per Cent Ground Rolled Oats.
50 Per Cent Corn Flour.
1 cup liquid.
1 tablespoon fat.
2 tablespoons sirup.
1 or 2 eggs.
4 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon salt.
1⅓ cup ground rolled oats (4 ounces).
1 cup corn flour (4 ounces).

OAT SPONGE CAKE

½ cup oat flour (2 2-3 ounces).
¼ cup corn flour (1 ounce).
1 cup sugar (7 ounces).
4 eggs (7 ounces).
1 tablespoon lemon juice.
⅛ teaspoon salt.

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One complete threshing outfit, 2 automobiles, 1 seven H P gasoline engine, one separator.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

For Sale Cheap

A manual Smith No. 20 conviction heater, complete heating and ventilating system. Enquire of G. P. Sorter, Clerk District No. 58, Holt Minn.

Notice of Annual School Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting in District No. 85 in Marshall County, Minnesota, for the Election of Officers and the transaction of other business required by law at the Annual Meeting, will be held at the School House on the 20th day of July 1918, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Dated this 6th day of July 1918.

B. Docken, District Clerk.

Notice for Bids

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of School District No. 58 will receive sealed bids up to 6 o'cock P. M. of July 20th 1918, for the sale of the following buildings, separately;

The old school house, the hallway of old schoolhouse, the coal shed and the outhouses. Separate bids must be submitted for each building.

G. P. Sorter, Clerk,
Holt, Minn.

Business of the Holt creamery for the month of May 1918.

Cream received	17542 lbs
Average test	[illegible]
Butter fat	5014 lbs
Pounds overrun	[illegible]
Butter made	6091 lbs
Bal from last month	169 [illegible]
Rec'd for butter sold	$2454 [illegible]
Rec'd from other sources	34 [illegible]
Total	$2658 [illegible]
Paid patrons by check	2148 90
Paid patrons by buttermaker	258 [illegible]
To sinking fund	[illegible] 79
Advance	[illegible] 00
Balance on hand	217 95
Total	$2658 07

Price paid for butter fat, [illegible]. Patrons receiving checks for $40.00 Julius Faiman $83.65, Olaus Rodahl $68.75, I. Knutson $68.08, C. Jefferson $57.37, O. A. Knutson 52 68, C. E. Smith 50.22, M. Lunke 50 16, Erik Johnson 49 08, Herman Heinse 49 00, Ed Harien 48.62, T. T. O. Dovre 47.48, Lars Hellesylt 46.82, J. Magnuson 45.47, Swan Carlson 44 06, Ole J. Lunke 42.61, Skoglund Bros. 41 89.

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. June 29 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Matilda Larson, formerly Matilda Furr, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on May 2nd., 1916, made Homestead Entry, No. 013652, for N. E. 1-4, Section 27, Township 156 N., Range 42W., 5th Principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 5th day of August, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses:

N. A. Fosen, W. A. Silbaugh, Carl Surmo and Olaf Ness all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

CORN (FLOUR) SPONGE CAKE

⅞ cup corn flour (3½ ounces).
1 cup sugar (7 ounces).
4 eggs (7 ounces).
2 tablespoons lemon juice.
⅛ teaspoon salt.

RICE SPONGE CAKE.

¾ cup rice flour (3½ ounces).
1 cup sugar (7 ounces).
4 eggs (7 ounces).
2 tablespoons lemon juice.
⅛ teaspoon salt.

School Notices for Bids

Janitor for School House

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the School Board of Dist. No. 85, of Marshall County, Minn., for the position as Janitor of the school, ten months term.

Bids will be received up to Tuesday, July 30th, 1918, at 5 o'clock P. M. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids to be filed with the District Clerk.

B. Docken,
District Clerk.

Transportation of Pupils

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of Dist. No. 85, of Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive bids for the transportation of pupils during the ensuing 1918-1919 term of school over three different routes, as per plans and schedules now on file with the District Clerk. Bids will be received up to Tuesday, July 30th, 1918, at 5 o'clock P. M., and to be filed with the District Clerk.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

B. Docken,
District Clerk.

O. F. Mellby, M.D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 196. Residence 187

ALLIED FOOD SHIPMENTS REACH LARGE TOTAL.

A general idea of the quantity of food sent to European allies by the United States from July 1, 1914, to January 1, 1918, is given by figures just announced by the U. S. Food Administration. In that period the United States has furnished complete yearly rations for 57,100,983 people. In addition there was enough extra protein to supply this portion of the diet for 22,194,570 additional men.

The total export of wheat and wheat flour to the three principal allies is equivalent to about 884,000,000 bushels. Pork exports for the 3½ years amounted to almost 2,000,000,000 pounds. Exports of fresh beef totaled 443,484,490 pounds. The amount of food exported to Russia is negligible compared with that sent to the western allies.

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ONLY AMERICA CAN HELP.

"On your side are boundless supplies of men, food, and material; on this side a boundless demand for their help.

"Our men are war-weary and their nerves have been strained by more than three years of hard, relentless toil.

"Our position is critical, particularly until the next harvest, but the United States can save us.

"You Americans have the men, the skill, and the material to save the allied cause."

SIR JOSEPH MACLAY,
British Shipping Controller.

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War Savings Stamps

Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without YOUR HELP or that Germany will let you keep your money if she Wins. Buy a Stamp

BUCKWHEAT-CORN FLOUR BISCUIT.

50 Per Cent Buckwheat.
50 Per Cent Corn Flour.
1 cup liquid.
1½ cups buckwheat.
1 1-3 cups corn flour.
3 tablespoons fat.
6 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon salt.
Appearance, dark, but good shape.
Texture, good; similar to wheat.
Color, light chocolate color.
Flavor, typical buckwheat.
Comment, dough very soft, almost consistency of a drop biscuit.

Patriotic rally T. R. Falls Tuesday eve

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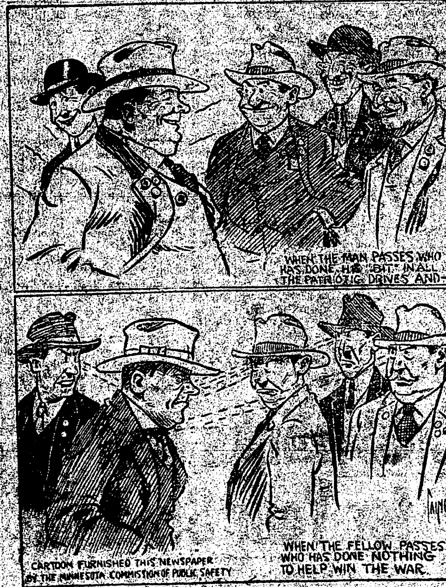

WHEN THE MAN PASSES WHO HAS DONE HIS "BIT" IN ALL THE PATRIOTIC DRIVES AND—
WHEN THE FELLOW PASSES WHO HAS DONE NOTHING TO HELP WIN THE WAR.
Baine

CARTOON FURNISHED THIS NEWSPAPER BY THE MINNESOTA COMMISSION OF PUBLIC SAFETY

CHOCOLATE CAKE.

50 Per Cent Ground Rolled Oats.
50 Per Cent Barley Flour.
⅓ cup fat.
2-3 cup sugar (4¾ ounces).
1 cup sirup (11½ ounces).
3 eggs.
¾ cup milk.
1 teaspoon salt.
6 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon cinnamon.
2 squares chocolate.
1 teaspoon vanilla.
1½ cups ground rolled oats (5 ounces).
1⅞ cups barley flour (5 ounces).

SPICE CAKE.

100 Per Cent Barley Flour
⅓ cup fat.
2-3 cup sugar (4¾ ounces.)
1 cup sirup (11½ ounces).
3 eggs.
¾ cup milk.
1 teaspoon vanilla.
1 teaspoon salt.
6 teaspoons baking powder.
½ teaspoon ginger.
1 teaspoon cinnamon.
½ teaspoon cloves.
1 teaspoon allspice.
3¾ cup barley flour (10 ounces).
1 cup raisins.

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Red Cross Social Saturday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson's.

Miss Betty Johnson went to T. R. Falls last week Thursday to have dental work done.

Ole C. Johnson came yesterday from Camp Kearney California on a few days furlough.

Rev. and Mrs. Ordahl and family visited J. E. Erickson and family Thursday evening.

J. J. Little and family returned Friday from an auto trip to Rock Lake and other points in No. Dak.

Eli Saastad returned to Minneapolis Monday after a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Saastad.

Red Cross meeting at Fred Peterson's Saturday evening, July 27th. Ice cream and lunch will be served. Ladies please bring lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Adams went to Mentor Saturday to see another one of his brothers who was called into Uncle Sam's service this week.

B. Docken, B. J. Bakke and sister Miss Agnes, Mr. and Mrs. John Melquist and Arnold Boernstein autoed to T. R. Falls Tuesday evening to attend the patriotic rally.

Mrs. Nels Hanson and daughter Lillie returned Monday to Albert Lea after a pleasant visit at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. G. W. Christianson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Christenson and little daughter returned to their home in Fertile Saturday, after a weeks pleasant visit at the home of their daughter Mrs. H. J. Oien.

News has been received from Mr. Elling Tollefsrud that he has safely crossed the ocean and is now in France. Mr. Tollefsrud was the former mail carrier from Golden Valley to Holt and was called into military service from here last February.

What are your immediate plans for the future? A busy world full of opportunities is waiting for the young men and young women who are prepared. Send for a booklet to-day and find out what others have done and what others say. North Star College, Warren, Minn.

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O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

Accident at Steiner

Mrs. Anne Moe was seriously injured, below the knee and badly stunned, by alighting from a moving passenger train at Steiner Monday forenoon.

Just exactly how the accident happened is hard to tell as the train crew did'nt stop to see but came on to Holt where they were notified of the accident over the telephone by G. L. Leisner, the Steiner merchant. The conductor wired the Crookston officials who sent Dr. Froehlich to treat Mrs. Moe's injuries.

Mr. Leisner also sent word to B. J. Bakke that the lady was on the way to visit at his home in Holt, when the accident occured. Upon investigation Mr. Bakke learned that Mrs. Moe was an aunt of Mrs. Bakke and a sister of Mrs. Oswald Hoel and Mrs. Isaac Garfe. Mr. Bakke immediately went to Steiner after Mrs. Moe and brot her home, in the meantime telephoning Dr. Mellby to come to Holt to treat the injured lady's wounds, which are serious, but the doctors were unable to tell at the time whether any of the bones were broken or not.

Mrs. Moe's home is at Granville, N. Dak., and she was coming to Holt to visit relatives. She purchased a ticket at Thief River Falls for Holt and just why the brakeman should let her get off at Steiner, and off a moving train at that, and not stop to see whether she was hurt, we are unable to explain.

Experimental Peat Farm

Located at Golden Valley

The state has secured a four year lease on 25 or 30 acres of peat land, with the option of buying, of Selmer Dahl near Golden Valley. They will keep the ten acres they leased of Mrs. Carl Dahl for this years crop, and the probabilites are that a permanent experimental peat land farm will be located on Selmer Dahl's place.

The first annual visiting day will be Saturday afternoon August 3rd and all interested should go and see what has been accomplished the first year. The result of the trials has surprised everybody and is well worth going many miles to see, as they have some bumper crops.

Found: A ring. Please prove property and pay for this notice.

The man who won't stand by his country now, should be deported.

Mrs. Lewis Wegge went to T. R. Falls last Friday to have dental work done.

Miss Clara Larson spent a few days at Thief River Falls visiting with friends last week.

Geo. Holmgren of Hillsboro came Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the Erick Johnson home.

Bro. Ross of The T. R. Falls Times is walking on air these days, on account the arrival of a son at his home last week Monday.

The Holt creamery shipped 47 tubs of butter Saturday. If the farmers would stand by their creamery, this make could be considerably increased, and should be too.

We have sent about six billion lbs of food to the Belgians. We have wasted just about turee times that on the drink trade at home in the same time.—Badger Herald-Rustler.

A. S. Boernstein and family of Carpenter, Iowa, arrived here last Friday and have moved onto their homestead near Golden Valley. Mr. Boernstein shipped 20 head of cattle here, a lot of horses and farm machinery and intends to go to farming in earnest.

Be a loyal red blooded American.

Inspection Of Peat Experimental Farm.

A peat experimental farm for the northwestern part of Minnesota was provided by the last legislature. This farm has been located on the Dahl farm near Golden Valley postoffice in eastern Marshall county. The afternoon of Saturday, August 3, has been named as Peat Farm Visiting Day. At that time Dr. F. J. Alway, Soil expert from University Farm, St. Paul; Supt. C. G. Selvig, and Agronomist R. C. Westley, from the Crookston Experiment Station will be present to explain the work that is being done at the peat farm during the present season.

The peat farm experiment includes work on burned and unburned land with a large number of different crops and with different fertilisers and methods of cultivation. This visiting day is planned for those who are interested in farming where there is peat land. The program will begin at 3 o'clock. Visitors should bring a picnic supper. Golden Valley is sixteen miles east of Holt and fifteen miles north-west of Grygla.

Southeast of Holt.

Ame Surdahl, G. A. Solney and daughter Alma, Ed. Hanson and son Ralph who have been spending several months in different parts of Canada, returned to their home on Wednesday. They report that it's been a very dry season and that the crops all burned up.

A large number of young folks spent Sunday evening at the home of S. Berjland.

Mrs. John Skomedahl, Soren Bergland and daughter Thora went to Thief River Falls where the former consulted the doctor about her health.

A number of young folks autoed to Newfolden on Sunday.

Gjermond Johnsen had the misfortune of being kicked on his knee by one of his horses and was unable to walk for a while but is now improving.

Annie Fairman had the misfortune of breaking her arm on Friday.

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at
reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

Take Notice

To whom it may concern:

We hereby wish to annbunce that anyone who may want to use the Scandinavian Free Mission Church of Holt, Minn., for services must apply to the board of directors, who will act according to the Constitution of same church.

Board of Directors.

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

A nice little shower Tuesday night, but more was acceptable and it came Wednesday night and yesterday.

Better get a supply of wood soon as there wont be any coal any where next winter, where it is in anyway possible to get wood for fuel.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Norwegian Services in Holt at 11 o'clock. English services 8 o'clock. Confirmants meet at 7 o'clock.

Services in Thorvik 3 o'clock by Revs. Bjordson and Ordahl.

Rev. Vieman of the Anti-Saloon League will lecture in the Holt Lutheran church at 8 o'clock July 31st, in East Valley Aug. 1st and in Golden Valley Aug. 2nd at 8 p. m.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

Big Day August 3.

A big crowd is expected to attend the visiting day program at the experimental peat farm near Golden Valley Saturday August 3rd. Several speakers will be present and the subject of farming on peat land will be fully explained. All interested are invited to come and hear all about peat farming and see what has actually been accomplished on the peat land there. Be sure to take along a good big lunch. Coffee served on the grounds.

Any statment to the effect that barley flour and other barley products are unhealthful and that their continued use will cause serious illness is without foundation and not substantiated by the medical authorities of national reputation connected with the food administion and whose work it is to investigate those foods and the result of their use. Barley flour may not agree with certain individuals, just as potatoes do not agree with certain individuals, but for general uses, barley is as agreeable and nutritious as any cereal.

A. D. Willson,
Federal Food Administrator.

Is your paper paid for.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Eli Saastad came home from Minneapolis last week to visit with his folks a few days before entering into the military service.

August Nass accompanied his son, John, to Thief River Falls yesterday morning where the latter took the train for Battle Lake where he has employment on a farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pieluasky and daughter Gertrude of Duluth, Mrs. Fred Stienhauer and Mrs. Carl Christoferson visited J. E. Erickson and family Friday evening.

We received a letter from Rosewood this week which we are not publishing because the writer failed to sign their name, as required by all papers, as a protection to themselves and an evidence of the good faith of the writer.

Don't it make you fighting mad when you read about the Huns bombing Red Cross hospitals and sinking hospital ships? The one whose blood does not boil at such outrages lacks considerable in his makeup of being a true American.—Badger Herald Rustler.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson and little son returned Sunday from a two weeks visit with his parents and other relatives in Minneapolis. They report a splendid visit and a fine trip and outing. Henry Wendt who had been clerking in the store during Mr. Carlson's absense, returned to his farm duties this week.

Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.03
Wheat No. 2	2.00
Wheat No. 3	1.97
Wheat No. 4	1.93
Flax	4.32
Oats	60
Barley	63 to .82
Rye	1.56
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

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WORLD'S EVENTS IN SHORT FORM

BEST OF THE NEWS BOILED DOWN TO LIMIT.

ARRANGED FOR BUSY PEOPLE

Notes Covering Most Important Happenings of the World Compiled in Briefest and Most Succinct Form for Quick Consumption.

Washington

A loan of $100,000,000 to Italy, bringing her total credits to $760,000,000, and one of $9,000,000 to Belgium, bringing her total to $145,250,000 were announced by the treasury department.

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Announcement in Washington from London of the arrival in England of Herbert Hoover, United States food administrator, brings nearer the inauguration of a new food conservation program for all allied countries.

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The fuel administration ordered lightless nights in effect again, beginning July 24. The order prohibits the use of any light for illuminating or displaying advertisements, announcements or signs on Monday and Tuesday. No illumination in shop windows or signs in store windows will be permitted from sunrise to sunset, nor on lightless nights.

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Food valued at approximately $1,400,000,000 was sent to the allied countries from the United States during the fiscal year which ended June 30, Food Administrator Hoover wrote President Wilson in a letter reviewing the work of the food administration.

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Warning that all business firms in the United States should strike from their mailing lists names that have been placed upon the enemy trading list was given by the post office department.

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Persons signing petitions of the Friends of Irish Freedom asking the United States to secure independence for Ireland, were denounced as traitors in the senate by Senator King of Utah.

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The house ways and means committee began work on the complicated task of drafting the new $8,000,000,000 war revenue bill. The measure may be ready for presentation to the house before September.

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President Wilson shook hands with 23 boy scouts from Pittsburgh, Pa., who rode to Washington on bicycles bearing a message of greeting from Mayor Babcock.

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Domestic

The slacker drive will put 5,000 Chicago men of draft age into the army at once, federal officials announced after a check-up of the results from the questioning of more than 100,000 men.

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E. R. Ridgely, former congressman and wealthy farmer of Kansas, has been arrested at Pittsburg, Kan., on the charge of violating the espionage act by attempting to obstruct the sale of government bonds.

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Responsibility for the sinking of the excursion steamer Columbia on the Illinois river, between Peoria and Pekin, July 5, with loss of 92 lives, is placed upon Capt. H. F. Mehl and Pilot George T. Williams in a report received by Secretary of Commerce Redfield from steamboat inspectors who investigated the disaster. The inspectors charged inattention to duty and incapacity against Captain Mehl and negligence against Pilot Williams.

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Suspected of having been associated with Dr. Friederich R. A. Strensch in German propaganda, Countess Alexandra Viarda Scheele was arrested in New York as a dangerous enemy alien by U. S. agents.

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Fire caused by the explosion of nitrate destroyed the fertilizer plant of the American Agricultural Chemical company near Jacksonville, Fla., entailing a loss of a million and a quarter dollars.

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Three men were killed and damage estimated at several hundred thousand dollars was done by an explosion at the nitrate plant of the Aetna Explosives company, near Ishpeming, Mich.

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An order committing Thomas J. Mooney to San Quentin penitentiary to await execution there on Friday, August 23, was given the sheriff of San Francisco by Judge Franklin A. Griffin of the superior court.

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Germans in the United States at one time contemplated the purchase of 50 American newspapers in as many cities, to publish matter favorable to the central powers, it was said at New York.

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Forty-six thousand men from all states and the District of Columbia were called by General Crowder. Movement to camp will be between August 5 and 9. The program provides for entrainment of 300,000 men during August.

W. T. Chantland of Iowa resigned as chief examiner for the federal trade commission to accept a commission as major of infantry. He formerly was colonel in the National Guard.

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A commodity rate of 70 cents per 100 pounds applied by railroads to potatoes from Minnesota and Wisconsin to Texas was declared excessive and the rate fixed at 65 cents.

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Twelve suspected draft evaders in company with two women who claim to be wives of two of the men were rounded up by detectives in a raid in Milwaukee.

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U.S.—Teutonic War News

The United States armored cruiser San Diego was sunk ten miles off Fire Island light, within fifty miles of New York harbor. The vessel carried 1,114 officers, marines and crew, but no lives have been reported lost. Survivors were picked up by freighters and destroyers. The survivors said that the vessel was torpedoed by a U-boat.

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The newspapers of Tokyo, Japan, publish the terms of an American proposal to send American troops to Siberia. The newspapers declare that the Japanese government has decided to accept the suggestion made by the American government that Japan also send troops.

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Chicago greeted the news of the American victory over the Huns with wild enthusiasm. Siren whistles on the fire boats shrieked their exultant message after news was received of what our boys had done "over there."

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The bell in the New York city hall tower was ordered by Mayor Hylan to be rung for 15 minutes in celebration of the victorious American advance on the French front.

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Lieut. Quentin Roosevelt, reported missing after an aerial engagement over the German lines, probably landed unhurt and is now a prisoner in the hands of the Germans, according to a cable message received from France by his father, Col. Theodore Roosevelt at New York.

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The American steamer Westover, an army supply ship manned by navy men, was torpedoed and sunk in the war zone July 11, while bound to Europe, the navy department was advised by Vice Admiral Sims. Ten officers and men of the crew of 92 are missing.

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Provost Marshal General Crowder was appointed to command the northeastern division with headquarters at Boston. By executive act Crowder was made a major general in the line in order that the transfer could be accomplished.

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Personal

Dr. Richard Rathbun, acting director of the Smithsonian Institution at Washington and noted naturalist, is dead. He was sixty-six years old and a native of Buffalo, N. Y.

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European War News

The German military authorities are again deporting Belgians. Word was received in Amsterdam that the Germans are taking 10,000 from the Ghent district, 500 to 2,000 being carried off daily.

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A German airplane appeared over the Isle of Thanet, on the northeast extremity of Kent county, England. Anti-aircraft guns fired on the machine which turned to the westward and proceeded out to sea.

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Ninety-four Germans were killed and 74 Germans wounded on the night of July 15-16, when five German aviators bombed a prisoners' camp in the region of Troyes, 30 miles behind the front, says a dispatch from Paris.

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Foreign

A biplane carrying mails between Budapest and Vienna fell from an altitude of 2,000 feet, according to reports received at Amsterdam. The two occupants of the machine were killed.

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Emperor Charles, says a Vienna telegram to Amsterdam, has granted the request of Field Marshal Conrad von Hoetzendorf, former Austrian commander in chief and lately in command on the Italian mountain front, that he be relieved of his command.

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Thirty-five Americans, constituting the crew of the former Great Lakes steamer George L. Eaton, have arrived in London. Their steamer foundered at sea in a storm. They were rescued by a warship.

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An indictment has been found against M. Manoury, former director of the prefecture of police of Paris, France, charging him with having commerce with the enemy.

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The Japanese battleship Kawachi, of 21,420 tons displacement, blew up and sank in Tokoyama bay, 150 miles northeast of Nagasaki, says a dispatch from Tokyo. Five hundred members of the crew lost their lives. The battleship Kawachi was built at Kure in 1912.

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M. Duval, director of the Germanophile newspaper Bonnet Rouge of Paris, was executed for treasonable action against the government. The execution was carried out in the forest of Vincennes.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Crosby.—Louis Oreskorich, 23 years old, was killed here by falling rock at the Gutherie mine.

St. Paul.—When the July requisitions for service in the army have been met there will be but 17 men left in class 1 in Pennington county.

Red Wing.—Thousands of young people from all parts of the United States and Canada will assemble here Aug. 22-25 for the annual convention of the Young People's Luther league. Speakers of national repute are on the program.

Winona.—Y. M. C. A. men will accompany all of the draft quotas to cantonments in the future, according to information received by C. A. Boyd from E. W. Peck, state secretary of the association.

Moorhead.—Two hundred threshing machine operators of Clay county, at a conference here, adopted plans for the season's operations. Clean grain threshing was emphasized. A schedule of threshing prices soon will be announced.

Virginia. — Approval of woman's suffrage was voted by the Minnesota Federation of Labor in session here. The convention indorsed votes for women and enacted a resolution urging the passage of the Federal amendment to make woman's suffrage nation-wide.

Winona. — Mystery enshrouds the burning out of the electric apparatus at the Bay State Milling company. The fire, which was not serious in property loss because of quick action by the fire department, necessitated the suspension of operation of the entire plant. An investigation is being made.

St. Paul.—Definite steps to be taken to secure a convalescent hospital and surgical annexes here for the care of wounded soldiers and sailors and provision for their vocational training will be determined at a meeting of the board of directors of the St. Paul association next Thursday.

St. Paul.—Gustav Lindquist, secretary to Governor Burnquist, has been chosen chairman of the Republican State Central committee. Fred L. Gray of Minneapolis was named secretary and Hugh E. Leach of Alexandria was made treasurer. The committee is to be made up of 35 members.

Fairmont.—The executive committee of the Martin County Dry league has announced that a county option election will be held in Martin county on August 5 with the object of banishing saloons from the last wet county in the southern tier and making a dry strip along the Iowa line, which will prevent liquor from being taken into the state from Minnesota.

Duluth.—It took a jury in federal court just 20 minutes to find a verdict of not guilty for Joseph Ahlin, former mayor of McKinley, who was arrested, charged with violation of the espionage act. Immediately after the verdict, Ahlin was again arrested on a federal warrant on another charge. It is charged Ahlin said: "If I met President Wilson in the woods, I would shoot him. He had no right to declare war on Germany."

St. Paul.—Breaking up a concerted attempt by Brown county farmers to defy food regulations by hoarding their wheat, the food administration has uncovered 3,000 bushels of wheat held by 90 farmers, has forced the offending farmers to give $5,800 to the Red Cross and to buy $1,395 in War Savings stamps. The campaign in Brown county was handled by Vivian B. Vye, a special field representative of the food administration.

Fairmont.—Rev. C. A. Larson, pastor of the Lutheran church near Monterey, who with his wife was arrested on charges of disloyalty, agreed to plead guilty today if the charge against his wife was dropped. County Attorney A. R. Allen consented and Larson was given a six months' suspended sentence and a $100 fine. Larson is charged with making seditious utterances and his wife is said to have worked against the Red Cross.

Ada.—Ada business men are going to the harvest fields to help save the crops. Eugene Herring, county director of the Public Safety commission for Norman county, and C. C. Allen, chairman of the county labor commission, called a meeting of business men to discuss the proposition. Fifty men met in the Commercial club rooms and most of them offered their services to any farmers in the community needing help for harvest. A total of 60 weeks time was offered.

International Falls.—Under orders from the Minnesota Public Safety commission and Carlos Avery, state game warden, American and Canadian game wardens and police returned here today after a three-day raid in the Rainy Lake district in the Canadian patrol boat Seagull. A score of Canadians and Americans were arrested and the boat was loaded with contraband wine, whisky and beer and the meats of game animals which are protected by game laws.

Moorhead.—All man power in Clay county must enroll for service in the harvest fields, as a result of an order issued by the county labor agents in accordance with regulations laid down by the State Safety commission. In small towns, arrangements will be made to close places of business at 4 p. m., giving the men from four to five hours' time for field work.

Delhi.—Until victory is won the bell in the Presbyterian church belfry at Delhi will ring each day at 6 p. m. for two minutes. All persons within the environs at that time will reverently bow the head in silent prayer.

St. Cloud.—Five priests in Stearns county have volunteered as chaplains in the United States army.

Mankato.—William Wandersee, who attempted suicide by shooting himself twice in the head and once in the arm, died at a local hospital.

Rochester.—Billy Sunday, in his room at St. Mary's hospital, autographed six baseballs which will be sold for the benefit of the Red Cross.

St. Paul.—Inheritance taxes of $123,522 were paid to the state by the estate of Mathew G. Norton, a Winona millionaire. The estate was valued at nearly $5,000,000.

Albert Lea.—The fourteenth annual convention of the United Spanish War Veterans, Department of Minnesota, was held at Camp Lakeview, Lake City, Monday and Tuesday.

St. Cloud.—The stock which P. J. Fosse of St. Cloud exhibited at the North Dakota state fair at Fargo captured twenty-seven prizes. The list included twelve first awards.

Rochester.—While Hans Hagge was figuring his coal bill, Mrs. Emma Hagge, his wife, took poison. She died later. It is believed that the act was prompted because her brother had gone to war.

Camp Dodge.—Private Albert Steiner of Fairmont a member of the depot brigade at Camp Dodge, tried by general court-martial, was sentenced today to 15 years at hard labor. Steiner deserted Sept. 27 last.

Thief River Falls.—The crops in Pennington county, Minn., could hardly be better. The rains of last week practically placed the grain where even a protracted dry spell can have but slight effect on them.

Fairmont.—A son of John Wolf, living between Fairmont and Welcome, was terribly injured when he caught his arm in the gearing of a windmill at the Wolf farm. The gears crushed the arm below the elbow.

St. Paul.—A campaign to recruit 1,000 young women as student reserve nurses will be carried on between July 29 and August 11 under direction of the state woman's committee of the Council of National Defense.

Northfield.—Following years of agitation and the presentation of numerous petitions, students at St. Olaf college have finally won out in the efforts to have the institution represented in intercollegiate football contests.

Moorhead.—Mrs. M. L. Jacobson, wife of M. L. Jacobson, superintendent of the Moorhead public schools, who suffered a split lip and had her right cheek punctured by a sky rocket which hit her in the mouth July 4, will be disfigured for life.

St. Cloud.—K. M. Stokes of Smithmill was elected president of the Minnesota rural carriers' convention, which closed its annual meeting here and dedicated a service flag with forty-three stars. The address was made by Bishop Joseph Busch.

Sauk Center.—Private William Nye of Camp Dodge is in custody here on a charge of desertion. He soon will be returned to camp to face court-martial. Nye went to Camp Dodge with the June contingent. It is said he thought he was going to be discharged and took a train home.

Virginia.—The village of Biwabik was threatened by a prairie fire which bore down rapidly before a stiff northeast wind. The entire population, together with crews from surrounding mines, turned out to fight the flames and succeeded by backfiring to prevent damage to the town.

Moose Lake.—After ascertaining the sentiment of the recent grand jury and consulting citizens of Barnum, county authorities have decided not to prosecute Carl Miller, who was held in connection with the Barnum school bus accident last winter in which seven children met their death.

Warren.—The timely discovery of a blaze in a large pile of binding twine in the warehouse of the Warren Machine & Iron Works company averted a fire that would have been very disastrous. By throwing blazing bundles out of the street the fire was readily stopped. The pile contained about $30,000 worth of twine.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has granted the request of St. Paul Rotarians to issue a proclamation designating the week of August 11, as Marine Corps recruiting week in the state, in furtherance of the campaign to enlist 1,000 men in Minnesota, Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota and Western Wisconsin.

Stillwater.—When the buttermakers, ice cream manufacturers and large users of other dairy products of Washington county meet here, the initial step along the line of beginning an educational campaign this fall and winter for the purpose of keeping dairy products from being crowded off the market by substitutes will be taken.

St. Paul.—An address by Lord Reading, British ambassador in Washington, one of the foremost lawyers of the world, consideration of much proposed legislation covering court procedure and the practice of law, and final determination of the case of Albert Pfaender of New Ulm, charged with disloyalty because of his participation in the New Ulm anti-draft meeting a year ago, will feature the meeting of the Minnesota State Bar association at Faribault Aug. 13, 14 and 15.

Crookston.—Visiting day at the Northwest Experiment Station was regarded as a complete success. Farmers from eight counties attended the annual gathering. Many demonstrations and several addresses were made. The forenoon was spent in discussing and viewing live stock, poultry and trees.

Crosby.—The village council proposes to operate a municipal fuel yard this winter and has a committee arranging for wood. If the state safety commission gives its consent the yard will be opened at an early date. Some 1,500 cords of wood will be purchased.

CROWN PRINCE CALLS FOR HELP

Foe Troops Rushed From North to Rescue Forces Facing Annihilation on Marne.

FAIL TO CHECK ADVANCE

Petain's Men Chase Foe Across River Despite Frantic Efforts to Prevent Them—Yankees Gain Nearly Mile an Hour.

With the French Army in France, July 23.—Frederick William, the German crown prince, has called for help from his cousin, Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria. German divisions from the army in the north have been hurried down to protect the western flank of the defeated army which has been driven back over the Marne and ejected from Chateau Thierry by Franco-American troops.

Yanks Continue Advance.

With the American Army in France, July 23.—The Americans continue to advance from the Marne and are beyond Bezu St. Germain, five miles northeast of Chateau Thierry. Both ends of the Soissons-Rheims salient are being pinched in by combined French, American and British attacks. After crossing the Marne the Americans have advanced five-eighths of a mile an hour. In the region of Grisolles and Bezu St. Germain, the Americans repulsed strong counterattacks. (Grisolles is five miles northwest of Bezu St. Germain.) Northeast of Chateau Thierry the Americans are having difficulty in maintaining contact with the boches, owing to the latter's speedy withdrawal. In and about Grisolles and Bezu St. Germain there is heavy fighting. Artillery and machine guns are aiding the infantry in the street fighting and in clearing the woods.

Americans Cross Marne.

London, July 23.—American troops have crossed the river Marne between Charteves and Gland, east of Chateau Thierry, and captured the wood of Barbillon, according to authoritative announcement made here.

The Germans are stubbornly resisting the French crossing of the Marne but the French have succeeded in getting two elements over at Mezy and Courcelles which are constructing food bridges under heavy fire. The Germans are using gas shells in large numbers.

The capture of Barbillon wood by the Americans means that the overseas men have advanced between three and four miles from their old position on the Marne.

9 AMERICANS DIE IN ACTION

Twelve Are Wounded and 19 Missing on West Front.

Washington, July 23. — The last army casualty list shows: Killed in action, 9; died of wounds, 14; died of disease, 7; died of accident and other causes, 3; wounded severely, 12; missing in action, 16; prisoner, 1; total, 62.

The following Northwest names appear on the list: Private J. Maciejewski, Berlin, Wis.; Private John Watony, Wautoma, Wis., killed in action; Private J. Rugg, Casselton, N. D., died fro mwounds.

In the last previous list the following Northwest names appeared: Killed in action—Privates W. C. March, Liscomb, Iowa; Martin Sanders, Mekinock, N. D.; Pete Semevelos, Dogden, N. D. Died from wounds: Corporal E. L. Cossette, Pence, Wis.; Private L. J. Crane, Oconto, Wis. Died from disease: Privates J. N. Milam, Selma, Iowa; Claude W. Tack, Greene, Iowa; John Witkouski, Cloquet, Minn. Died from accident and other causes: Private Frank Brown, Minneapolis. Severely wounded: Corporal W. E. Hein, Ripon, Wis. Privates W. C. Campau, Superior, Wis.; Shirley Robertson, Oshkosh, Wis.; I. S. Triplett, Hardin, Mont.; J. F. Zahn, Jr., McGregor, Iowa. (Note—Private Theodore Feller, North Kaukauna, Wis., previously reported died from wounds, now reported slightly wounded.)

650 ARE SHOT AFTER MUTINY

Hungarian and Bohemian Soldiers Reported Executed.

London, July 23.—Serious revolts and mutinies have occurred in Bohemia and Hungary. At Manaros-Szjet, 150 officers and 500 Czecho-Slovaks who mutinied were shot, and 3,000 others arrested. Jugo-Slav soldiers are reported to have deserted by the wholesale and escaped to the mountains after killing their officers. Armed bands, completely organized, are said to be operating in some districts.

Yankees Inspire Correspondent.

Paris, July 23.—"The finest thing of the combat was the dash of the Americans," writes Lieutenant Entraygues, special correspondent at the front for the Temps. In describing the opening of the great counter offensive: "It was a fine thing to see those grand fellows, with their tunics thrown off and their shirt sleeves rolled up above their elbows, wading the rivers with the water to their shoulders and throwing themselves on the Boche like bulldogs."

ADVANCEMENT IN WESTERN CANADA FARM LAND PRICES

Stories of phenomenal advancement and prosperity in Western Canada have been told the reading public for some years past. The stories were told when there were hundreds of thousands of acres of splendid land adjacent to railways and projected lines, which could be had on the payment of a mere $10 entry fee, and under cultivation and living conditions. As was prophesied then, the day has come when these are few. There are still available thousands of these; they are some distance now from the railways. The land is as good as ever, but pioneering conditions will have changed. A great many are still taking advantage of this free offer from the government. The story was told when good lands near lines of railway could be bought for from $8 to $10 per acre and the prophecy made that these prices would double in a few years, for the intrinsic value was far more than that. That day has come more quickly than expected. The immense crops of grain that could be raised has brought about the change, and the demand for low priced lands with maximum returns has prompted the keen purchaser as well as the owner of higher priced land from which no greater return could be looked for. Prices of land in Western Canada are still advancing, and will continue to advance until, of course, the limit is reached—when returns will warrant no further increase. That day is not far distant. But, in the meantime, there are large tracts of land owned by land companies and private individuals that have not felt the advance that has been shown in other districts. The opportunity to purchase these should not be lost sight of, and if there are those amongst the readers of this article, which is authorized by the Canadian government, who wish cheap land, such lands as produce from 25 to 40 bushels per acre, and will pay for themselves out of one year's crop, advantage should be taken of the present opportunity.

Coming to Alberta with his family thirteen years ago, his assets consisting of a small outfit and $20 in cash, Mr. O. F. Malmberg has accumulated by farming and live stock raising assets to the value of more than $300,000, and has a personal credit, worth on demand, $100,000. He has not speculated in land, but bought only to farm. Near Blackie, Alberta, he operates 3,100 acres of wheat land. He has just purchased an additional 11,500 acres near Cardston, in Southern Alberta. His personal credit enabled him to finance this deal in Calgary in a little over three hours. The ranch just purchased is a fully equipped stock and grain ranch. At the present time it carries a thousand head of cattle and several hundred horses, and is fully equipped with buildings, machinery, corrals, sheep sheds, dipping vats, etc. That is a story from one district. Let us select one from a district some hundred or more miles from that.

"Peter A. Klassen, who recently moved to Herbert, Sask., from Kansas, has purchased a section of prairie land in the Hillsboro district, about 24 miles northwest of Herbert, for which he paid $12,000 cash. He is erecting temporary buildings to live in while putting the place in cultivation, and, this summer plans to erect good buildings on the farm and equip it for a home. Mr. Klassen recently sold his 80-acre farm in Kansas for $15,000 and is investing the proceeds in Canada."

With the proceeds of the sale of his land in Kansas, this farmer purchased in Saskatchewan a piece eight times as large as he had previously been farming, and had a balance with which to purchase equipment, stock, etc., of $3,000. Moreover as land in Saskatchewan may be expected to yield twice as much grain per acre, he will be able to produce sixteen times as much as formerly.

The average value of farm land for the whole of Canada, including land improved and unimproved, together with dwelling houses, barns, stables and other farm buildings, is approximately $44 per acre as compared with $41 in 1916, according to the latest report of the Census and Statistics branch at Ottawa. The average value of land in the Prairie Provinces is as follows:

Manitoba	$31.00
Saskatchewan	28.00
Alberta	26.70

It is the low prices at which land can be obtained in Western Canada which is rendering this country such an important factor in the production of foodstuffs at the present time. It is enabling men who have been farming small areas in older districts to take up and farm with the same capital areas not only many times as great, but which are also capable of producing considerably larger crops to the acre.—Advertisement.

Ministerial Advertisement.

Squib—Our new minister certainly had a sense of humor.

Squab—What's he went and done?

Squib—Put a sign on the parsonage reading, "Spirits Rectified."

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Try Murine Eye Remedy
No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. 50 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

A Clumsy Wooer.

Edith—How does Fred make love?

Marie—Well, I should define it as unskilled labor.—Kansas City Star.

Chances Are She Had.

He—"I'm afraid you'll be shocked by this story!" She—"I will be if I haven't heard it."—Widow.

Sometimes a Safe Bet.

"Dubb says he'll run for senator."

"Bet he won't go faster than a walk."

His Occupation.

"What does he do for his country?"

"He's an automatic hot-air generator."—Detroit Free Press.

Save the Babies

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save many of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. There can be no danger in the use of Castoria if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher as it contains no opiates or narcotics of any kind.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Hot Weather Hits Us Hardest in Stomach

Keep a close watch on your stomach this summer. We need all our fighting strength. War work—change of diet—will make us all easier prey to stomach and bowel trouble than ever before. It is so easy to become overheated on a blazing hot day, especially after eating a hearty meal. And then the excessive heat makes us flood our stomachs with all kinds of cold drinks. That's bad at any time; much worse—even dangerous—when there is the slightest feeling of stomach trouble.

Keep the stomach sweet and cool and free from too much acid—that's about all that is necessary. It's not so much the diet as to keep the poison from starting trouble. You can easily do this if you will just take a tablet or two of EATONIC after your meals.

EATONIC is the wonderful new compound that absorbs the harmful gases and juices and almost instantly drives away stomach misery.

Instead of sudden and painful attacks of indigestion, after you begin using EATONIC you'll forget you have a stomach. And there will be no more heartburn, food repeating, sour stomach, gas pains, or that lumpy, bloated feeling you have so often experienced after eating. Then your appetite—you know how hard it is to satisfy in hot weather—eat one or two EATONIC Tablets a half hour before meals—and you will enjoy the results and feel better in every way.

These are a few reasons why you should start using EATONIC today and fortify your stomach against the chance trouble this summer. It costs only 50c for a big package. Your druggist whom you know and can trust, will promptly refund your money if you are not more than satisfied.

Spurred to Activity.

"You say you owe your success in life to the man you just snubbed?"

"Yes," replied the eminent capitalist, "to a large extent."

"Isn't it—er—rather ungrateful to treat him like that, considering what he did for you?"

"Not at all. Some years ago, in refusing to let me marry his daughter, he said I was an idle loafer, with the brains of a tadpole, and never would amount to a hill of beans. Right then and there I swore to prove him a liar."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Teachers in Montreal (Canada) Catholic schools ask increased pay.

HAD SEEN THEM "AT WORK"

Tommy Had Little Need to Puzzle His Brains Over Question Propounded by Teacher.

Here is a little story that was told at a social session by Representative Hubert D. Stephens of Mississippi, as an illustration that the best industrial results cannot always be obtained through team work:

Some time since, the teacher of a public school in a country town was instructing a juvenile class in mathematics when she turned to a small boy named Tommy.

"Tommy," said she, "if your father can do a piece of work in six days and your uncle Jim can do it in seven days, how long would it take them to do it together?"

"About ten thousand years," was the rather startling rejoinder of Tommy.

"Ten thousand years!' exclaimed the teacher. "Why, Tommy, what do you mean?"

"I mean," was the prompt response of Tommy, "that if you put them to work together they would sit on the fence, smoke and swap fish stories."—Philadelphia Evening Telegraph.

His Training.

"He certainly is a man of fetching manners." "Why not? He used to be a waiter."

Long Beach, Cal., forbids public "spooning" by young persons.

Cuticura For Baby's Itchy Skin
All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

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Low-priced, fresh, reliable; preferred by western stockmen, because they protect where other vaccines fail.
Write for booklet and testimonials.
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Use any injector, but Cutter's simplest and strongest. The superiority of Cutter products is due to over 15 years of specializing in VACCINES AND SERUMS ONLY. INSIST ON CUTTER'S. If unobtainable, order direct.
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FOR PERSONAL HYGIENE
Dissolved in water for douches stops pelvic catarrh, ulceration and inflammation. Recommended by Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co. for ten years. A healing wonder for nasal catarrh, sore throat and sore eyes. Economical. Has extraordinary cleansing and germicidal power. Sample Free. 50c. all druggists, or postpaid by mail. The Paxton Toilet Company, Boston, Mass.

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Placed anywhere, Daisy Fly Killer attracts and kills all flies. Neat, clean, ornamental, convenient and cheap. Lasts all season. Made of metal, can't spill or tip over; will not soil or injure anything. Guaranteed effective. Ask for Daisy Fly Killer
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Growers and shippers of cut flowers, plants, etc. Write for catalog. Funeral designs on short notice. Phone day or night. Fargo, N. D.

Two New War Song Poems—Illustrated
"When Uncle Sam Cuts Loose," "The Greatest, Bravest Mother of Them All," 10c per copy, stamps or coin. J. J. Summers, 216 Third St., North, Minneapolis, Minn.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

WANTED By the U. S. Government and Business Men, young people who are enthusiastic and ambitious to prepare for the splendid opportunities offered to commercial trained boys and girls. Attend an institution that specializes in this work and can assist you to a good paying position. For full information, write to the WINONA BUSINESS COLLEGE, WINONA, MINNESOTA.

Combine The Grains
That's what is done in making Grape-Nuts food — barley and other grains are used with wheat. This adds to food value and flavor, and the sum total requires less wheat. The malted barley in Grape-Nuts also helps digest other foods.
For an economical, nourishing and delicious food, try
Grape-Nuts

SHELLS COAST NEAR CAPE COD

German Diver Also Sinks Three Barges and Sets Fire to Fourth and Tug.

PLANES ATTACK DIVER

Two Fliers From Chatham Aviation Station Engage Foe Submarine Without Result—Several Members of Barge Crew Injured.

Orleans, Mass., July 23.—A barge tow off the easternmost point of Cape Cod was attacked by a German submarine, three of the barges sunk, a fourth and the tug set on fire and four shells dropped on the mainland.

The action lasted an hour and was unchallenged, except for two hydroairplanes from the Chatham aviation station, which circled over the U-boat, causing her to submerge for only a moment. Then the submarine reappeared and resumed firing.

The crews of the tow, numbering 41 and including three women and five children, escaped amid the shell fire in lifeboats. Several were wounded, but only one seriously. This happened to be John Botovich, an Austrian, of the crew of the tug. His right arm near the shoulder was torn away by a fragment of shell. The minor injuries of the others were from shell splinters.

Thousands See Encounter.

The barges were in tow of the tug Perth Amboy, owned by the Lehigh Valley railroad, and were bound from Gloucester for New York. One was loaded with stone, but the others were light, being on their return trip after bringing coal to New England. The attack was without warning and only the poor marksmanship of the German gunners permitted the escape of the crews.

The one-sided fight took place three miles south of the Orleans coast guard station, which is located midway between Chatham, at Elbow, and Highland Light, at the extreme tip of the cape.

The firing was heard for miles and brought thousands to the beach, from which the flashes of the guns and the outline of the U-boat were plainly visible. Possible danger to the onlookers was not thought of until a shell whizzed over their heads and splashed in a pond a mile inland. Three other shells buried themselves in the sands of the beach.

Survivors Lost Their Clothes.

The survivors of the tow, with the exception of two injured, were taken to the Orleans coast guard station, communication with which by telephone was not permitted under navy regulations. No information could be obtained from official sources on the cape.

Botovich and another man from one of the barges, both of whose arms had been injured, were removed to the private hospital of Dr. James McHugh. Later Botovich was taken to a hospital in Boston.

The survivors lost all their personal effects and some of them who were having their turn in their bunks when the U-boat appeared came ashore in their night clothing.

NAVY CONTROLS TRANSPORTS

Prepares to Handle All Shipments to War Zone.

Washington, July 23. — The Navy department is preparing to take over control of the remaining steamers now being used as transports and supply ships, according to information received here from official sources. Naval reserve officers and crews are being organized to man the ships in this service which are yet under civilian crews.

An interdepartmental agreement between the War and Navy departments soon after the United States entered the war provided the navy should have control of all military shipping. The crews coming from naval personnel as far as possible.

Reports now are this control is to be extended to all American transports handling Atlantic tonnage.

SEVENTEEN PERSONS KILLED

Passenger and Freight Cars Collide Near Chelsea, Mich.

Jackson, Mich., July 23.—Seventeen persons were killed and a score or more injured as a result of a head-on collision between a west bound interurban freight car and a limited passenger car bound for Detroit, three miles west of Chelsea.

Six of the dead were Detroit soldiers en route to Detroit from Camp Custer.

The collision occurred on a straight stretch of the line and was due, according to unofficial statements, to a confusion of signals.

Boys Get Baseball News.

London, July 23.—Baseball scores and the latest news from the states are being supplied to American soldiers and sailors in every corner of England and Scotland by bulletins, through the Y. M. C. A. One of the most harrowing features of life in the Isles for many Americans has been the lack of news that is news. The American boys have complained that their British cousins have no idea of the value of freshness in news. The want is supplied now by a daily telegraphic condensed news service.

That Lovely Man!

"At last," cried Miss Terchance, ecstatically, "I have found a man who truly loves me, and whom I can truly love!"

Miss Kreant looked at her skeptically. "Are you sure that he loves you?" she asked.

"Sure. For that's what I asked him, and oh! the beauty of his reply!"

"Tell me about it."

"I said, 'How can you love me when I'm so cross-eyed?'

"'You wrong yourself, darling,' he replied. 'You are not cross-eyed. Your eyes are so pretty that they just can't help looking at each other—that's how it is.'"

Cuticura Stops Itching.

The Soap to cleanse and Ointment to soothe and heal most forms of itching, burning skin and scalp affections. Ideal for toilet use. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." Sold by druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Two Recipes.

Anne Hodges, age seven, offered her mother, Mrs. Fletcher Hodges, 3221 North Pennsylvania street, two wartime recipes the other day.

One was for oatmeal cookies and the other orange peel cake.

The first formula included: One cupful oatmeal, one cupful baking powder, one cupful o' dough.

The second formula included: One-half cupful orange peel chopped in a meat chopper, one cupful yolks of eggs, half cupful o' dough.

"Beat both to a suds, and eat cold," wrote the juvenile culinary adviser.—Indianapolis News.

FRECKLES
Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

The Broken Heart.

"I suppose," said the pretty young matron who was inclined to flirt when the flirting was safe, "you've broken many a woman's heart?"

"No," replied the handsome captain. "I don't think I ever broke the heart of more than one woman in my life."

"Then you did break the heart of one! Tell me about it."

"It was several year ago—before the beginning of the war. I was traveling in Europe, and rode in one of the compartment cars they have over there. A woman got in. We were alone together. She was young—about your age—and pretty. I saw at once that she was an American. For hours we rode on, and no one else entered our compartment."

"Yes?"

"I never said a word to her or gave her a chance to say anything to me."—Dayton News.

A New Excuse.

Jimmie had gone to bed 'way up the dark stairs and into his scary black bedroom. Shortly thereafter his mother heard him call in a frightened voice, "Ma, I wisht you'd come up here."

She went up.

"Ma, won't you keep the light burning in here? I—uh—it's so dark I can't see to sleep."

Thousands of railroad shop men have been lured by high shipyard pay.

Savannah, Ga., was the birthplace of the Girl Scouts of America.

Don't Neglect a Bad Back!
It's Mighty Poor Policy to Worry Along Thus Handicapped When Health and Strength Is So Needed

THE man or woman handicapped with a bad back in these times when physical fitness is so necessary, is indeed crippled. It's mighty poor policy to worry along with an aching back day after day; work is neglected and the simplest duties are a burden. Plowing, planting, harvesting, churning, the daily housework all throw a heavy strain on the kidneys and kidney ills, with attendant backache, are a common result. Don't wait! Neglect may mean gravel, dropsy or Bright's disease. Get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills today. They have helped thousands. They should help you.

Personal Reports of Real Cases

A NORTH DAKOTA CASE.
Mrs. I. F. Arion, Cando, N. D., says: "I am always ready to recommend such a good remedy as Doan's Kidney Pills. Before I used Doan's I was troubled with my back; it was weak and lame. There was a steady, dull ache in my back all the time and when I stooped over I could hardly straighten up. I suffered severely with headaches and dizziness and my kidneys acted very irregularly, causing me a great deal of annoyance. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and one box relieved me of the trouble. I continued using them and they greatly helped me." (Statement given April 25, 1913.)
On December 5, 1917, Mrs. Arion said: "I still use Doan's Kidney Pills at times when I have need for a kidney remedy. Doan's always give the same good results."

ANOTHER NORTH DAKOTA CASE.
John Challey, prop. furniture store, Lisbon, N. D., gave the following account of his experience with Doan's Kidney Pills on February 7, 1913: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and I know they are all right. Whenever I have any kidney trouble I get Doan's and use them. They have always cured me of the attack."
On November 9, 1917, Mr. Challey said: "I am always ready to say a good word for Doan's Kidney Pills. By using them occasionally I keep my kidneys in good condition."

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
60c a Box At All Stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., Chemists

Social Distinction.

Golfer—Anyone ahead of us, caddie?

Caddie—Yes, sir; a gentleman with a caddie and a man carryin' for hisself.

In Compliment.

Jack—I'd like to have a street named for me.

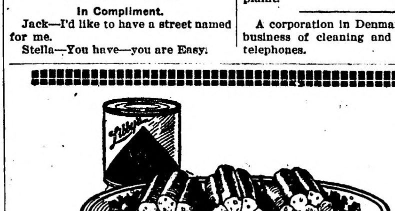
Stella—You have—you are Easy.

The Busy Moments.

"Biggins complains that he is overworked."

"Yes. But he never seems as busy as when he is making just that complaint."

A corporation in Denmarks makes a business of cleaning and disinfecting telephones.



Libby's Vienna Sausage
A Refreshing Change

THE tenderness of the meat, the delicacy of the seasoning are noticeable the moment you taste Libby's Vienna Sausage. For it is made from morsels of choice meats, seasoned with the greatest care—to bring out all the rich, savory flavor.

Serve Libby's Vienna Sausage today. Not only is it a refreshing change, but a hearty and inexpensive meat.

Libby, McNeill & Libby, Chicago

Tired Nervous Mothers
Should Profit by the Experience of These Two Women

Buffalo, N. Y.—"I am the mother of four children, and for nearly three years I suffered from a female trouble with pains in my back and side, and a general weakness. I had professional attendance most of that time but did not seem to get well. As a last resort I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which I had seen advertised in the newspapers, and in two weeks noticed a marked improvement. I continued its use and am now free from pain and able to do all my housework."—Mrs. B. B. Zielinska, 202 Weiss Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Portland, Ind.—"I had a displacement and suffered so badly from it at times I could not be on my feet at all. I was all run down and so weak I could not do my housework, was nervous and could not lie down at night. I took treatments from a physician but they did not help me. My Aunt recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I tried it and now I am strong and well again and do my own work and I give Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound the credit."—Mrs. Josephine Kimble, 935 West Race Street, Portland, Ind.

Every Sick Woman Should Try
LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND
LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. LYNN, MASS.

Food

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

SUGAR

How can we save sugar?

By using substitutes and giving up candy and soft drinks.

Is it wise to use brown sugar instead of granulated?

If there is any saving it is too small to be of value.

How much sugar may we eat?

Not more than 3 pounds a month per person.

Does this amount include candy and soft drinks?

Yes. We should reduce our consumption of candy and soft drinks as much as possible.

Does this amount include the sugar used in canning fruits and vegetables?

No.

What could we accomplish by cutting out the use of candy alone?

We could thereby release enough sugar to meet England's shortage, or to more than meet the shortage of France.

What was one factor that probably helped bring about the sugar shortage last year?

Canning and preserving. In August, 1917, there was an increase of [illegible] per cent and in September, 1917, an increase of 44 per cent of sugar consumption over the corresponding months of 1916.

Was this good conservation?

Yes; it will be justified in the long run.

Will there be another sugar famine?

If the American people use not more than 3 pounds per month per person allowed and refrain from hoarding, there will be enough sugar this year.

How is sugar used commercially?

In foodstuffs, condensed milk, flavoring extracts, chewing gum, certain medicines, confectionery, canned fruits and vegetables, cocoa, chocolate, syrups, beverages, and in a number of nonedible products, such as paste, leather, explosives, etc.

When did the beet sugar industry begin in the United States?

About 1838.

What has its increase been since then?

From [illegible] tons to [illegible] tons, or over 90,000 per cent increase.

Does the United States get most of its sugar from this country?

No. Most of it is imported, and refined here.

Why should we not compare our total consumption of sugar with the sugar rations of the Allies?

Because total consumption means household use and commercial use, while the rations are amounts allotted to individuals, and do not even include the allowance for canning and preserving.

What was the total per capita consumption in the United States for 1917?

[illegible] pounds.

How much of this was for household use?

[illegible] pounds per person.

What was the total per capita consumption in England and in France in 1916?

66.23 pounds in England.

37.43 pounds in France.

What is the individual ration now in England, France, Italy, and Germany?

England, 26 pounds a year.

France, 13.2 pounds a year.

Italy, 13.2 pounds a year.

Germany, 21 pounds a year.

These rations are not guaranteed. They represent the maximum portion possible if the government can get the sugar.

What is the total amount obtainable from our present sources of sugar?

[illegible] short tons.

What are the requirements of the United States and the Allies?

[illegible] short tons.

What is the deficit to be made good?

[illegible] short tons.

What possible amelioration of this condition could we expect?

Sugar from Java and the Philippines, and larger crops from Cuba and the United States.

Would it be wise to depend on all these favorable conditions?

Decidedly not.

Why can we not get sugar from Java and the Philippines?

Because the journey is so long that it is an extravagant use of ships.

What, then, is required of us?

That we reduce our sugar consumption by 15.33 per cent.

Why is this more than our Home Card asks for?

Because the Home Card was issued before the sugar situation was known to be so serious.

BEEF ONCE A DAY IN PUBLIC EATING PLACES UNDER NEW RULE.

Favorable developments in the beef situation have made it possible for the food administration to ease up somewhat on the rather complicated and stringent rule regarding the use of beef in public eating places and these are now permitted to use beef for the mid-day meal every day in the week. The mid-day meal hours are set at from 11 o'clock a. m. to 2:30 [illegible]

Householders are permitted to purchase no more than 1½ pounds of clear beef, or 1½ pounds including bone per week per person.

HOW TO PRESERVE WITHOUT SUGAR

FRUITS SHOULD BE SAVED IN SPITE OF THE SUGAR SHORTAGE.

Preserves Needed for Future Food Supply—Sugar Not Necessary to Preservation.

The Federal Food Administration for Minnesota emphatically denies the report that housewives should not put up any fruit this year because of the scarcity of sugar. If Uncle Sam is going to have sufficient supplies for his fighters and enough to spare to the Allies, every housewife in America who possibly can, must "put up" enough for her family's needs this winter.

The problem of saving fruit without the use of sugar may be solved in several ways:

Canning fruit in water.
Canning fruit juices without sugar.
Canning fruit in fruit juice.
Canning fruit butters without sugar.
Drying fruit.

Canning in Water.

(a) Open kettle: Gently simmer the fruit in very little water, allowing the water to evaporate as much as possible. Fill sterilized cans with the boiling hot fruit and seal. Do not expect the fruit to keep its shape. This will make excellent pie filling.

(b) Cold pack: Pack the fruit very closely in the cans. Fill with water, cover and steam from twenty to thirty minutes, according to the hardness of the fruit and the degree of ripeness. The skins will burst, and peeled fruit will drop shreds to the bottom of the can, but the shape will be kept.

(c) Hot pack for small sour fruits such as cherries: Pack the fruit quickly in a hot jar. Fill the jar at once with boiling water. Clamp and set quickly into a boiler or large pail containing boiling water enough to cover. Remove the boiler at once from the stove and let the jar cool in it. Success in this method depends on promptness. The fruit will remain unbroken.

Canning Fruit Juices Without Sugar.

Any fruit juice extracted for jelly may be canned without sugar by reheating to the boiling point, filling sterilized jars and sealing. This juice may be used for flavoring sauces, for beverages or for jelly making. If space must be saved, the juice may be evaporated to one-half its volume before canning.

Fruit juices may be canned without sugar now. There may be sugar later for jelly making. If not, the juices will keep till next season.

Canning Fruit in Fruit Juice.

Any fruit sweet enough to be eaten without sugar may be canned in its own juices. This gives a product of finer flavor than can be produced by the use of sugar syrups. Divide the fruit into two equal parts, selecting the best for the canning, and leaving the poorer for making the juice. Extract the juice as for jelly making and can the fruit in it, using the cold pack or open kettle method. The fruit will stay whole and keep its shape. If fruit is expensive, this juice may be poured off for jelly making before using and the fruit recooked in syrup.

Canning Fruit Butter Without Sugar.

Fruit which is small or imperfect, though in good condition, may be poor in appearance but of excellent flavor. Such fruits, boiled till soft, rubbed through a puree sieve make a good foundation for relishes and for cake and pie fillings. Pick the fruit over carefully; cut large fruits, such as apples, in pieces. Add as much water as would be used in extracting juice for jelly and simmer till fruit is tender. Rub through a sieve to remove skins and seeds. Simmer the pulp in a shallow pan over hot water or directly over the stove, until it is as thick as cake dough. If direct heat is used constant stirring will be necessary.

Adjust rubbers to the preserving can, fill it with the fruit butter, adjust the cover but do not clamp. Boil 15 minutes in a closely covered steamer. Clamp cover and invert jar.

RECIPES.

Cherries Canned in Cherry Juice.

4 quarts cherries, ½ pint water.

Pick out 4 quarts of the best cherries. Simmer the remaining cherries with the water till they are thoroughly soft (about one-half hour). Drain through a jelly bag. Return juice to the kettle, place the remaining cherries in it. Simmer until soft (about 10 minutes). Adjust rubbers on sterilized jars, fill with fruit, seal and invert.

Raspberries Canned in Raspberry Juice.

4 quarts raspberries, ½ cup currant juice or 1 pint currants.

Select 2 quarts of the best raspberries. Simmer the rest with the currant juice or currants until soft. Drain through a jelly bag. Simmer the whole fruit in this juice about five minutes. Adjust rubbers on sterilized jars, fill with fruit, seal and invert.

Plums Canned in Plum Juice.

4 quarts sweet plums, ½ pint water.

Select 3 quarts of the best plums and prick each one with a fork or fruit pricker. Cook the remaining plums and water together till the pits separate. Drain through a jelly bag. Adjust rubbers on clean cans, pack with plums, fill the can to within ¼ inch of the top with the juice, cover, and steam 16 minutes. Seal at once.

For Trade or Sale Cheap

One complete threshing outfit, 2 automobiles, 1 seven H P gasoline engine, one separator.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

For Sale Cheap

A manual Smith No. 20 conviction heater, complete heating and ventilaing system. Enquire of G. P. Softer, Clerk District No. 58, Holt Minn.

Notice!

Of Teachers Examination For Common School Certificates.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Teachers' Examination will be given at the High School Building at Warren, Minnesota, on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, July 29 30 and 31, 1918. The subjects for a Second Class certificate will be taken on Monday and Tuesday. For a First Class certificate on Wednesday.

David Johnson, Superintendent.

School Notices for Bids

Janitor for School House

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the School Board of Dist. No. 35, of Marshall County, Minn., for the position as Janitor of the school, ten months term.

Bids will be received up to Tuesday, July 30th. 1918, at 5 o'clock P. M. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids to be filed with the District Clerk.

B. Docken,
District Clerk.

Transportation of Pupils

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of Dist. No. 35, of Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive bids for the transportation of pupils during the ensuing 1918-1919 term of school over three different routes, as per plans and schedules now on file with the District Clerk. Bids will be received up to Tuesday, July 30th, 1918, at 5 o'clock P. M., and to be filed with the District Clerk.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

B. Docken,
District Clerk.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.

PHONES: Office 196 Residence 167

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota. June 29 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Matilda Larson, formerly Matilda Furr, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on May 2nd., 1916, made Homestead Entry, No. 018652, for N.E. 1-4, Section 25, Township 156 N., Range 42W., 5th Principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 5th day of August, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses:

N. A. Fosen, W. A. Silbaugh, Carl Surmo and Olaf Ness all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

For Sale

Grade Shopshire Ram for sale at a reasonable price if taken at once.

Willie Rux
Holt, Minn.

Save all the waste and help win the war for humanity.

J. E. Erickson visited Severson Bros. Saturday evening.

Jacob Nelson went to Fertile on Tuesday to work thru "haying."

A baby girl was born July 20th. to Mr. and Mrs. Iver Engebretsen.

Carl Surmo went to Middle River Wednesday to see about purchasing an auto.

Albert Mathison of McIntosh came Tuesday to look after business interests.

B. Docken and family went to Mekinock, N. Dak. yesterday to visit relatives.

Theodore Olson went to Spooner Thursday to work for E. T. Eide in his new brick garage.

Late model Ford for sale.

Newfolden Auto Co.
Newfolden, Minn.

Every spear of hay and straw will be needed and should be cut and well stacked and taken care of.

Is your binder ready for the big harvest? Repairs are going to be hard to get and slow in coming.

Sixteen miles east of Holt to the experimental peat farm visiting day program August the Third 1918.

L. E. Sanderson of Winona a farm loan inspector was here last week looking after business in this vicinity.

John Hogfeldt and family and Andrew Nelson and family both of Argyle were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Nass.

The Red Cross meeting will be held at Mrs. C. L. Sandberg's next Wednesday evening, July 31st. All ladies invited to come and help.

Lots of ice cream and pretty girls at the Red Cross Social at Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson's Saturday eve July 27th. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennes are making auto trips to T. R. Falls every day at present while the latter is receiving treatment for deafness.

Everyone should vote on the Prohibition Amendment as it must have a majority of all the votes cast. If you do not vote at all you might just as well vote against it.

Red Cross Social at the Fred Peterson home Saturday evening July 27th. Ladies please bring lunch. Ice cream will be served and a good chance given all to help the cause.

A. H. Huseth was down from Greenbush Sunday, returning home Monday. He reported the arrival of a nine pound baby boy at his home on Saturday and mother and baby are doing well.

The two largest checks issued by the Holt creamery for month of June were over $100.00 each. John Knutson's check was $109.74 and Olaus Rodahl's $105.20. We wish more farmers were interested in the dairy cow.

T. B. Folden went to T. R. Falls Monday after his daughter Jennie who had her eyes operated on at the physicians' hospital last week Thursday. They returned here Tuesday, and the daughter is recovering nicely from the effects of the operation.

John Husby, the county farm agent, was in this vicinity Tuesday evening looking over the labor situation. He says all home labor will be needed in the west half of Marshall county and that no one will get higher wages elsewhere as a uniform wage scale has been agreed upon for this section of the country.

Invented in 1589.

The knitting frame was invented in 1589 by William Lee, a graduate of Cambridge university and a native of Woodborough, near Nottingham, England. So perfect was the invention in every detail that to this day the essential features of the machine continue in use for the class of work to which Lee applied it.

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rudolph Rux came home Friday from Kempton, N. D. to help thru haying.

Inga Johnson was a T. R. Falls visitor Monday returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. Bagne and children of Gary have been visiting for a couple of weeks at the home of her parents K. T. Knutson and family.

They have some bumper crops on the experimental peat farm near Golden Valley. Don't fail to see them Aug. 3rd. the date of the first visiting day.

If we must conserve grain and food why not save the grain for food that is being used to produce intoxicating liquors which make human beings, devils.

The government will take charge of the telegraph and telephone lines on July 31st. Post Master General Burleson will supervise the work, with David J. Lewis as director.

Mrs. Oien and little Harriet went to Greenbush Wednesday to see the new boy at the Huseth home. They returned home yesterday accompanied by Lola Huseth, who will visit here a few days.

Mrs. Olaf Johnson went to Warren last week Wednesday and returned Friday bringing her husband home with her. We understand Mr. Johnson is feeling quite well now which his many friends will be glad to hear.

Albert Nelson returned home Tuesday from Bagley where he had been working for several months. He left here yesterday with Albert Larson for Warren where they will join 38 other Marshall county men who leave to-day for Camp Wadsworth, South Carolina.

Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand [illegible] above the turbulence of the waves!—Trinities and Sanctities.

Willie Rux was a businens visitor at Middle River Thursday.

The Red Cross will meet with Mrs. C. L. Sandberg Wednesday evening.

B. Docken traded a Beltrami county quarter last week to parties from Ortonville.

E. T. Eide came down from Spooner Sunday evening to look after the hay crop on his farm.

A splendid program will be given Aug. 3rd. at Golden Valley when the visiting day takes place at the new state peat farm. Be sure to go.

No farm laborer should leave the county for higher wages as a uniform price has been fixed and wages will not be any higher in Dakota than in western Marshall county.

Alfred Sollom, P. P. Reierson and Ole Moen finished their contract on the state road north from town, one day this week, and when the road gets well settled and smoothed down it will be a fine piece of road bed.

The Goverment is calling for 25000 woman, between the ages of 19 and 35, to join the Student Nurse's Reserve and be ready to train for service as soon as needed. There are over 1500 nurse's training schools in this country and pupils will be enrolled as soon as vacancies occur.

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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.
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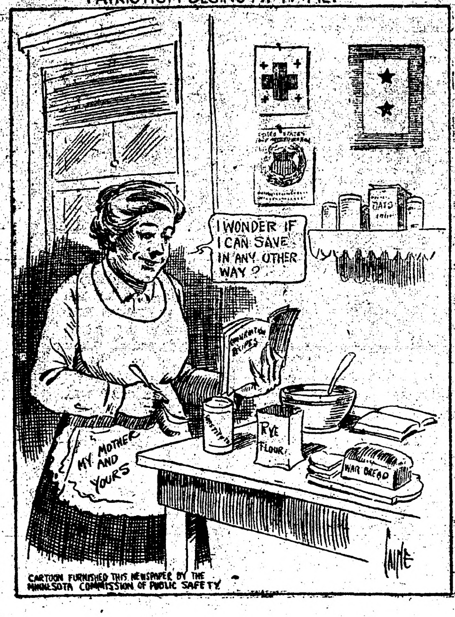
PATRIOTISM BEGINS AT HOME.


I WONDER IF I CAN SAVE IN ANY OTHER WAY?
MY MOTHER AND YOURS
RYE FLOUR
OATS

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Local Items

Red Cross Social Saturday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson's.

[illegible] meeting next Tuesday at 10 o'clock A. M. Everybody come.

Miss Alma Knutson returned home Friday from Climax for a short visit with home folks.

The Ladies Aid will serve lunch in the church basement this afternoon. Everybody invited.

Miss [illegible] Haugen of Thief River Falls visited Mrs. August [illegible] from [illegible] until Monday.

Ed. Nelson visited his parents here between trains Sunday. Mr. Nelson is employed in a barber shop in Thief River Falls.

[illegible] Kolden came up from [illegible] Sunday morning and visited until Monday afternoon at the [illegible] home with his wife and children.

Melvin Sandberg [illegible] Saturday [illegible] east of St. Hilaire. All the [illegible] on the farm where he had been working were destroyed by Saturday's hailstorm.

Your country calls you! Do not be among those who are impatient to [illegible] they are ready. How shall you get ready? Where shall you get ready? America's answer to this is: "At School." Choose NORTH STAR COLLEGE, Warren, Minn.

Nils Engebretsen autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday and took Mrs. Ole Kjelgren and her daughter Hilda home. The latter had been in the hospital for a couple of weeks where she had an operation on her foot. She has to use crutches at [illegible] as well as [illegible] expected.

On account of the heavy rains Saturday afternoon the Red Cross meeting at the Fred Peterson home was postponed until to-morrow (Saturday) evening. Ladies please bring lunches, gents their pocket books. Ice cream will also be served and a general good time is planned for the evening. Everybody boost The Red Cross social by being present and by buying liberally to help the boys "over there."

City Meat Market
Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides and Furs.
TERMS: Cash. Positively no credit.
O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

A Narrow Escape.

Last Tuesday evening while returning home from the Gospel meeting held at the Mission church, Mrs. Erick Johnson and her four daughters experienced what may be termed a miraculous escape from death. The State road which runs north and south, in the west end of town, has been re-graded by the county on contract. Right near the depot where the old wagon road formerly joined the State road, the ditch had been excavated to a dept of 3 1-2 feet. There were a few dead bushes thrown across the old road not far from this high bank, no other danger signal was in evidence. The auto which was run by Miss Tina, was running about 10 miles an hour and unaware that she was on the wrong road, the auto went over the bank landing on its side. Miss Tina sprang out and immediately stopped the engine and held the auto, to prevent it turning turtle, while the rest got out. No one was hurt out side of a few cratches. It was purely providential that these friends escaped a sad experience. The auto was righted and run up to the garage for an over hauling, and Ole Backlund with his car safely took the family home.

Miss Ragna Larson was a T. R. Falls visitor last week Thursday.

English services at the Mission church Monday evening. Everybody invited.

Miss Beeke of Nielsville moved here last week and will live on her homestead in Mud Lake.

It's worth going miles to see the big crops on the Golden Valley peat farm, [illegible]

H. M. Olson went to Milton, N. Dak., Friday where he will have employment for several months.

Chas. McLean returned home from Dugdale last Thursday night having completed a well there for the railroad company.

Miss Evelyn Wegge left Friday for a short visit in T. R. Falls and from there left for York, N. Dak. to visit relatives.

Maybe you can't knit or sew, but you can help in the great war work of the Red Cross by lending a helping hand in the postponed meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson Saturday evening August the third.

The following bids were submitted to the School Board, per published notices, and accepted by them at a special meeting Tuesday p. m., viz: For janitor, Carl Christofferson $173 per year; for bus driver, route 1, C. L. Heinze $45.00 per month; route 2, W. E. Damon $40.50; route 3, S. H. Nohre $50.00.

The number of pairs of socks made by the Red Cross Auxiliary of Holt is as follows: 1 pair each Mesdames Bjerk, Wegge, Sandberg, Bennes and Paul Olson, 2 pair each, Mesdame Gunheim and Nelson, and 3 pair by Mrs. Fitch, making in all 12 pairs which were sent recently to Warren to help our boys "over there".

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Moe and two children of Ruso, N. Dak., visited from Saturday until Tuesday at the Bakke home where Mrs. Arne Moe, the former's mother, has been since she was hurt at Steiner.

Mr. Moe, who is cashier of the First State Bank in his home town, with his family were visiting relatives in Thief River Falls and did not know of his mothers accident until Mr. Bakke telephoned him, then they came at once to see her. Mrs. Moe is still suffering considerably but it is hoped she will soon be better.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Young People's Meeting at 8 o'clock next Sunday. Everybody welcome.

Rev. E. LaRoe of Thief River Falls will hold services at 8 o'clock Monday evening Aug. 5th. Everybody invited.

The Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement this afternoon. Everybody invited.

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

B. J. Bakke went to Crookston Wednesday on business.

Big Day in Golden Valley Saturday afternoon August 3rd.

Found: A ring. Please prove property and pay for this notice.

Late model Ford for sale.

Newfolden Auto Co.
Newfolden, Minn.

Everybody is invited to the street meeting next Tuesday forenoon at 10 o'clock. Good speaking guaranteed and everybody should be there.

Both elevators will be closed Saturday afternoon to give the agents an opportunity to attend the peat farm demonstration and visiting day program at Golden Valley.

The amount of sugar allowed each person for household use has been reduced to two lbs. per month and 10 lbs per person for canning purposes if none has been previously purchased for that purpose.

The men who are campaigning the state by auto in the interest of state prohibition will be [illegible] next Tuesday Aug 6th at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and will be [illegible] then they leave for Middle River and other points to hold meetings.

Ship Your Poultry
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Thief River Produce Co
Your shrinkage will be less,
Remittances made Promptly
We offer F. O. B. your station

Hens 3 1-2 lbs & over	17c
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Roosters, per lb	14c
Springs 1 1-2 lbs and over	23c
Dux	11c
Geese	10c
Turkeys	15c

Prices good until our next issue.
If you are in need of coops, write us.
Thief River Produce Co

Mr. and Mrs. Docken and children returned home Tuesday from a short visit with relatives at Mekinock, North Dakota.

This section of the country had a good hard rain Saturday afternoon. Further to the south, in the vicinity of Goodridge and St. Hilaire, hail did much damage to the crops.

Nels Gudvangen returned home Monday from Fertile where he visited his brother John who had been called into the military service and left Friday for Camp Wadsworth, S. C.

The peat farm visiting day program begins at 1 o'clock by the inspection of the plots. The addresses begin at 3. Sen. O'Neil of Thief River Falls, Co. Agt. Husby, Profs. Alway and Westley will speak and Prof. Selvig preside. Take a picnic supper with you. Coffee served free. Golden Valley Aug. the Third.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Choir and Bible Class meeting at 8 o'clock every Thursday evening.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

Loyal citizens will win this war.

Golden Valley Aug. 3. Peat Farm.

Chas. J. Hall will speak here on the street at 10 o'clock next Tuesday forenoon.

All electric light bills are due the first of the month and should be paid promptly to save trouble and expense. Some have not paid for June and we need the money NOW.

The First and Second Liberty Bonds can be exchanged before the first of November for new bonds bearing 4 1-4 per cent interest, the same rate of interest as the Third Liberty Loan Bonds are paying.

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

Notice of Special Election

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in School District No. 35 of Marshall County, at the School House on the 17th day of August 1918 from 7 P. M. to 9 P. M., for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said municipality in the aggregate sum of $9000.00 bearing interest at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purpose:

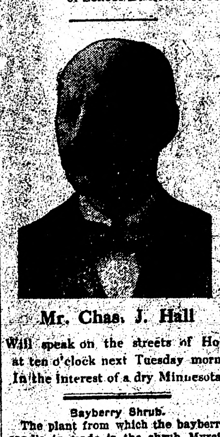
To build an addition to School House and equipping the same with school furniture.

To pay Outsanding Oders.

and to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the clerk.

Dated July 30th 1918.

B. Docken, Clerk
of School District No. 35.



Mr. Chas. J. Hall

Will speak on the streets of Holt at ten o'clock next Tuesday morn In the interest of a dry Minnesota

Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.08
Wheat No. 2	2.05
Wheat No. 3	2.01
Wheat No. 4	1.97
Flax	4.26
Oats	58
Barley	49 to .68
Rye	1.48
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

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Bring in your automobile early for any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right
Hamernes Garage
Rasine Olsen, Manager
Holt, Minn.

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

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The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction.
They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.
See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.
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Holt, Minn.

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Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
and
[illegible] Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory
[illegible], Prop.
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Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
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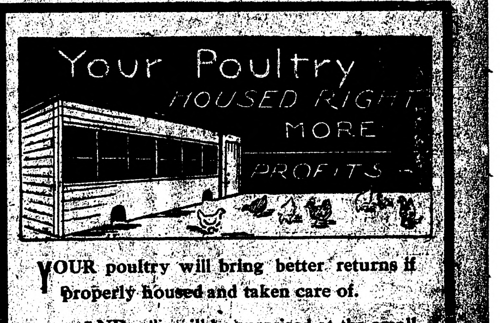

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AND you will be surprised at the small cost of building the houses and sheds necessary for their proper care.
WE have all of the material required for housing poultry and will gladly give you ideas along this line.
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If It's BUILDING MATERIAL-WE Have It
HOLT MINN.

MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

Domestic

Fraud and gross profiteering has been uncovered in many contracts for army shoes, shirts, leggings and other soldiers' supplies and equipment as a result of investigation by army intelligence and department of justice agents, it was learned at Washington.

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Every able-bodied man in California, regardless of age or wealth, must work during the war. An order to this effect was issued at San Francisco by the state council of defense.

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Agencies of the council of national defense were involved in the nationwide conspiracy of alleged bribery and graft in the manufacture of soldiers' rubber raincoats through the arrest of Harry E. Lazarus, a member of the defense council's subcommittee supervising raincoat production. He is accused of attempting to bribe a government inspector.

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A plot to mobilize 200,000 Germans throughout the United States and send them to Canada and Mexico to spread enemy propaganda was revealed at New York in an amazing series of documents seized by federal agents in a raid on an apartment occupied by Friedrich August Richard von Strausch.

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A lien for $1,000 has been filed by internal revenue agents at Syracuse, N. Y., against the property of C. Loomis Allen, the electric railway expert and former member of the government railway board, for failure to pay his income tax.

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At a meeting of the Chicago milk distributors and W. E. Lamb, representing the United States food administration, arrangements were completed whereby the price of milk will advance to 12¼ cents a quart. The present price is 12 cents.

U.S.—Teutonic War News

Mistaken evidently for the German submarine that has been operating off the north Atlantic coast, an American submarine of the latest type was fired upon and slightly damaged by an armed vessel in New England waters, the navy department at Washington reports. No one aboard the submarine was injured and the craft has reached port safely.

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American troops will go direct to the Italian front before long, American delegates declare, according to a Central News dispatch from Rome.

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The United States armored cruiser San Diego was sunk ten miles off Fire Island light, within fifty miles of New York harbor. The vessel carried 1,114 officers, marines and crew, but no lives have been reported lost. Survivors were picked up by freighters and destroyers. The survivors said that the vessel was torpedoed by a U-boat.

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European War News

A grand council of war, at which all the German sovereigns and military chiefs will be represented, has been called by the kaiser, says a Berne dispatch.

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The giant White Star liner Justicia has been torpedoed and sunk off the Irish coast. The Justicia was formerly the Dutch steamer Statendam, which was taken over by the British government on the stocks at Belfast when it was nearing completion. It was a vessel of 32,234 tons, gross. No passengers were lost and only ten of the crew were killed.

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The low ebb of morale in Germany was never more eloquently indicated than in the stories in the Val de Grace hospital at Paris. Some Austrians among these said they had been drafted from their army and incorporated in the kaiser's forces because they were not trusted. All possible revolutionary elements are taken from Austria and sent to the German army on the western front.

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The Japanese diplomatic council has agreed to the American proposal for joint intervention by Japan and the United States in Siberia, says a Central News dispatch from Tokyo, under date of July 17.

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A Paris dispatch says the German press is realizing that the Marne-Champagne offensive has ended in disaster. One paper says: "We are unable to conceal any longer the fact that German prisoners betrayed our offensive plans. We must recognize that the German offensive has been a failure."

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German aviators have dropped a note into American aviation camps confirming the death of Lieut. Quentin Roosevelt in an air battle, according to a Paris dispatch.

Foreign

One hundred and sixty-two thousand munitions workers are now involved in the strike movement, the London Evening News stated. At a conference of members of the engineering and allied trades at Leeds, with delegates present representing 300,000 workers, it was decided to cease work Tuesday if the embargo were not removed.

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Baron von Hussarek, former minister of education, has been appointed to the Austrian premiership, in succession to Doctor von Seydler, whose cabinet resigned recently, according to a Vienna dispatch.

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A Zurich dispatch says the Austrian cabinet, headed by Dr. von Seydler, which has just resigned, was sharply criticized regarding the food situation in Austria-Hungary in the course of the sitting of the Austrian lower house. Deputy Pilk said that western Bohemia for months had received no flour or bread and that Pilsen had had no food for a fortnight.

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Count von Luxburg, former German minister to Argentina, has arrived at Gothenburg on board the Swedish motor steamer Suecha, on which he sailed from Buenos Aires on June 9, according to a Copenhagen dispatch. The dispatch adds that Luxburg proceeded at once to Germany.

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The American congressmen who are visiting Italy were received at the Vatican and other places of interest in Rome, and afterward were received by Baron Sonnino, the foreign minister.

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The municipal council of Lemberg (Hungary) has adopted a resolution demanding immediate peace based upon the right of self-determination by the people, says a dispatch from Vienna.

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The Cologne Gazette says that 13 revolutionary socialists implicated in the plot which culminated in the assassination of Count von Mirbach, the German ambassador to Russia, have been executed. Many others, it adds, are being held.

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Washington

Chairman Kitchin advised members of the house at Washington that in all probability the ways and means committee would be ready to report the $8,000,000,000 revenue bill by the time congress reconvenes regularly on August 19. The measure probably will not be taken up for consideration in the house until August 26.

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Arthur Guy Empey, author and soldier, recently commissioned a captain in the National army and assigned to the adjutant general's corps at Washington, was honorably discharged. No reason was stated.

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Possibilities of a peace offensive were discussed in the senate at the semiweekly session at Washington. All senators who spoke declared the crushing defeat of Germany was necessary before peace negotiations could be considered. Senator Lewis of Illinois, Democratic whip, warned Americans against "new professions of peace and false propaganda" from Germany.

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"No new German peace offensive will distract our attention from the real task of winning the war. Such suggestions as are being put forth from inspired German sources are insults to American intelligence. When Germany really desires peace she knows on what terms she can get it." That was the declaration of a very high administration official at Washington.

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The naval personnel now numbers 503,792 officers and men in all branches, Secretary Daniels announced at Washington. There are 219,1[illegible] officers and men in the regular navy, [illegible] officers and men in the marine corps, 219,500 officers and men in the naval reserve force, and 6,605 officers and men in the coast guard.

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The department of agriculture at Washington has asked farmers to sow 47,500,000 acres in winter wheat this fall. This would yield approximately 667,000,000 bushels—the greatest winter wheat crop in history. While the request specifically mentions 45,000,000 acres as the area to be sown, it asks farmers if they cannot raise the total to 47,500,000 acres.

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President Wilson's proclamation taking over for the duration of the war operation of telephone and telegraph lines was issued at Washington. It did not include radio systems and ocean cable lines. Government operation and control begins at midnight July 31.

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Secretary Baker announced that on the reconvening of congress he would present with his request for new appropriations, plans for modification of the draft ages and a "somewhat larger military mobilization." The plan concerns the mobilization of a huge American army probably upward of 5,000,000 men.

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Wages of railroad shopmen were increased to 68 cents an hour by Director General McAdoo at Washington, with proportional advances for assistants and miscellaneous classes in mechanical departments. The new rates, retroactive to January 1, are from 5 to 13 cents an hour higher wages under the advance allowed two months ago, but somewhat less than labor organizations sought. Beginning August 1 eight hours will be a standard working day. The advances apply to about 500,000 men in all sections, despite local differences heretofore.

TURKS REPORTED OUT OF THE WAR

Copenhagen Claims Direct Advices That Relations Are Severed With Huns.

U. S. IS NOT SURPRISED

Report Unconfirmed But Has Color of Probability, Washington Thinks—Jealousy Is Supposed to Be Cause.

London, July 30.—"The relations between Germany and Turkey have been severed, according to direct information from Constantinople."

This announcement is made by the Copenhagen correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Co.

The excitement against Germany, the advices further say, has been growing particularly after last week's events.

The Germans recently demanded the cruiser Hamidieh, the only large ship then in possession of the Turks, as compensation for the Breslau, the German cruiser which was destroyed in the Dardanelles while under the Turkish flag.

Despite Turkey's protest, the Hamidieh has departed for Sabastopol with the German flag flying.

Washington Not Surprised.

Washington, July 30.—While no official notice of the breach of relations between Turkey and German—(or rather the central powers, for without doubt Austria is involved with Germany in the dispute with the Ottoman government)—has reached Washington, officials expressed little surprise at the dispatch saying Germany and Turkey have severed relations.

In official circles here it has been realized that in her efforts to serve both Turkey and Bulgaria in the division of spoils resulting from the treaty with Rumania, Germany had incurred the ill will of both her allies.

Following the conclusion of the peace treaty with Rumania at Jassy, both Turkey and Bulgaria laid claim to much of the territory Rumania had been forced to cede to her enemies. Included in these claims was the title to the railway running from Adrianople to Dedeagatch, and this became the source of the greatest contention between the two allied nations.

Germany for some time endeavored to induce the two countries to settle the dispute amicably by suggesting the nation which failed to obtain the railroad should receive other compensation.

Jealousy a Probable Cause.

Belief in Turkey that favoritism was being shown in Bulgaria by Germany in the negotiations, according to recent dispatches received here, caused a rapid growth of anti-German feeling in Constantinople. A shortage of food, weariness of the war and dissatisfaction with the Young Turk party because of its submission to German control recently found expression in Constantinople in food riots and munition uprisings which have been sternly suppressed by the military authorities.

Turks Failed on Big Loan

That Turkey has become more and more weary of the war was indicated in the latest Turkish loan in June. According to Swiss dispatches only 12,000,000 pounds was obtained out of 32,000,000 pounds sought. It is believed Germany, calling upon Bulgaria and Austria to assist her, will undertake to deal sternly with Turkey, and through thousands of German agents situated throughout the country, will seek to displace the Young Turk party and install some faction which can be depended upon to obey the mandates of the central powers.

YANKS TAKE GERMAN STORES

Immense Quantities of Munitions in Wake of Retreating Foe.

With the American Army on the Aisne-Marne Front, July 30.—The tremendous stores of German munitions found by Franco-American troops in the forests of Fere and [illegible] leads officers to believe the allied offensive nipped in the bud German plans for a momentous drive upon Epernay.

The forests and the surrounding country north of the Marne were virtually one great arsenal for German ammunition of all kinds, big gun shells being particularly numerous. At places on the edges of the woods there were shells stacked like cord wood over large areas.

Thousands of these shells were intended for the German 210 millimeter guns, only a few of which were captured.

The allies are planning a systematic assembly of the shells for use later against the enemy.

King George Sues for Million.

Newark, N. J., July 30.—King George of England is plaintiff in a suit filed in the state supreme court here asking $1,022,000 damages against the Lehigh Valley Railroad company in connection with the destruction of British owned munitions in the disastrous Black Tom Island explosion at Jersey City in July, 1916. The French republic entered claims for $520,000. The damage asked in these and other actions which have been begun here aggregate nearly $2,000,000.

ENEMY UNABLE TO STOP YANKS

Franco-American Artillery Breaks Up Terrific Counterblow Launched by Germans.

SHOCK TROOPS USED

Flung Into Line Against Americans as Foe Makes Determined Resistance in Neighborhood of Fere-en-Tardenois.

With the American Army on the Aisne-Marne Front, July 30.—Reinforced by two crack divisions of Bavarian guards, the Teutons settled down to the hardest resistance they have yet displayed against the American forces north of the river Ourcq.

Although heavily hammered, the Americans replied in like along the river, and the fighting shifted back and forth through Sergy, three miles southeast of Fere en Tardenois. Up to midday the Germans had been unable to force a recrossing of the Ourcq.

Retreat Is General.

London, July 30.—North of the Marne the tide of German invasion is fast ebbing. The fact that a general retreat in this region is going on is not questioned, and the only question of moment to be cleared up is the location of the position at which the enemy will turn at bay. Since Saturday there have been important changes in the battleline between Soissons and Rheims. Today it runs almost directly east from Oulchy le Chateau to Fere en Tardenois, then across the Ourcq and continues eastward until it reaches the Dormans-Rheims road northwest of Rheims mountain.

Burning Villages in Retreat.

It had been contended by military experts that the Germans might elect to stand on the line of the Ourcq river from which their heavy cannon might dominate the Paris-Chalons railway along the Marne. This idea is now proved erroneous. It appears that there is no defensive position south of the Vesle river to which the Germans can retire and organize their resistance to allied pressure.

The only other defensive position seemingly possible is the one that follows the Aisne and Vesle from Soissons to Fismes, and from that point follows the course of the Arvre river toward Rheims. Burning villages along the Aisne and Vesle from Soissons to Bazoches are reported and tend to confirm the impression that the Germans do not contemplate organized resistance south of that line.

Succeeds in Eluding Trap.

There is every indication that the German high command has succeeded in extricating its forces from the trap sprung by General Foch. The resistance of the Germans for a week after the beginning of the Allied counteroffensive probably gave them time to withdraw their heavier guns and a large portion of their supplies from the salient. This resistance was strong along the line south of Soissons as far as Oulchy-le-Ville and west and southwest of Rheims, which were the vital sectors of the battle line.

The advance of the Allies east of Oulchy le Chateau must soon compel the enemy to evacuate the line from the Ourcq river toward Soissons for a considerable distance. Nearer Rheims, however, the Germans seem to hold positions that will prove a pivot for their retreat toward the Vesle river.

47 AMERICANS DIE IN ACTION

93 Are Wounded, Including Several From Northwest.

Washington, July 30.—The last army casualty list shows: Killed in action, 47; died of wounds, 17; died of disease, 4; died of accident and other causes, 11; wounded severely, 93; wounded, degree undetermined, 7; missing, 20; total, 199.

Northwest names appear on the list as follows: Private G. Underwood, Arcadia, Iowa, died of disease; Capt. H. H. Barber, Minneapolis; Capt. L. C. Coleman, St. Paul; Sergt. H. G. Johnson, Minneapolis; Sergt. O. V. Phillips, St. Paul; Bugler J. M. Towey, St. Paul; Private C. J. Benson, Duluth; Private H. J. Lee, Minneapolis; Private G. B. Reid, Minneapolis; Private N. Bisedorph, St. Paul, severely wounded.

Northwest names reported in the last previous casualty lists are: Private Robert P. Lyle, Sutton, N. D., killed in action; Cook Theo. F. Pronveucal, Edga, Wis., Private Wm. C. Gebhart, St. Paul, Private Arthur E. Gents, Waconia, Minn., Private Verne B. Caldwell, Montezuma, Iowa, Private James D. Leggett, Rodney, Iowa, Private Ivan E. Little, Portage, Wis., severely wounded.

Foe Dooms Woman to Death.

Zurich, July 30.—Miss Milado Jamschek, a teacher of languages, has been sentenced to death by the Vienna military tribunal on a charge of espionage. Miss Jamschek sailed from New York on the steamer on which Count Bernstorff, the former German ambassador to the United States, took passage after the declaration of war by the United States. She was charged with making the trip under the instructions of Czech organisations in the United States.

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SOLDIERS "ADOPTED" BY PIG

Odd Mascot That History Records as Attaching Itself to Company of Kentucky Volunteers.

There is in the history of the state of Kentucky an odd incident in connection with the invasion of Canada by the Kentucky troops in 1812. A company of volunteers, destined for Selby's army, assembled at Harrodsburg and formed a nucleus around which the military recruits of the country gathered on the march to the Ohio.

On the outskirts of the town named, so the story runs, the company saw two pigs fighting and delayed the march to watch the combat. When the march recommenced it was observed that the victorious pig was following the company; and when the men encamped at night, the animal lay down near at hand. Of course the soldiers fed their plump recruit. The next day the pig followed them, and this it did daily on the march to the river.

The Trouble.

"What's the matter with that fellow who got swindled in the shell game?"

"I think it is shell shock."

Things within reach come quickly to those who wait on themselves.

Had Well Remembered.

Little Beth's mother had been cautioning her little folks about taking risks of contracting sore throats or contagious diseases from their playmates last winter, and when a little freckled-faced girl from next door ran in munching a tempting looking apple and offered Beth a bite she shook her head and sidled up to her mother, saying: "I don't want to take any of her apple, because I am afraid I might get freckles."

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Brother's Privilege.

"No, Mr. Dobley," said the sweet girl. "I can only be a sister to you."

"Well, then," he savagely replied, as he heard a subdued chuckle, "as your brother, I claim the privilege of lying under the sofa while you make fools of the other fellows."—Boston Transcript.

Yes, Rafalo, our alphabet has endured for ages, though used only for a spell.

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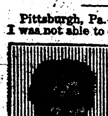

Pittsburgh, Pa.—"For many months I was not able to do my work owing to a weakness which caused backache and headaches. A friend called my attention to one of your newspaper advertisements and immediately my husband bought three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me. After taking two bottles I felt fine and my troubles caused by that weakness are a thing of the past. All women who suffer as I did should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. Jas. Rohrberg, 620 Knapp St., N. S., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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He Found It.

Mr. E. Z. Mark's arrival into the room had been preceded by a good deal of giggling by three small boys. He was always the butt of all jokes and expected no better treatment on this occasion. He knew he was in for a prank and he wished to hurry up and get it over with. "Boys, I don't see any point to this joke at all," he said finally after nothing had happened. "Neither do we," shouted the miscreants, "but there is one." And then he sat down on the pin they had carefully arranged for him.

A woman never thinks of anything special to say until she hears some other woman talking.

If a man is really in love with a girl her freckles are invisible.

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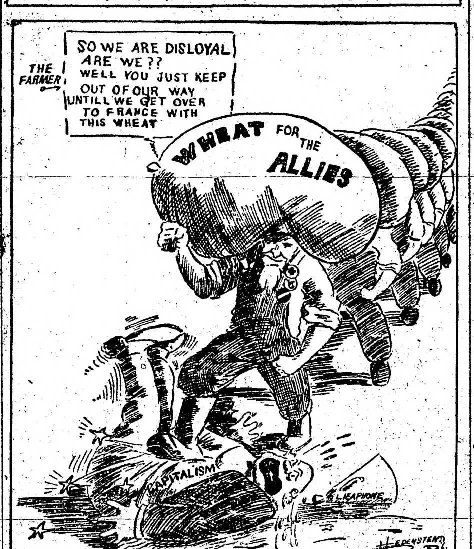
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The farmers of the Northwest have not stopped to argue about their loyalty, but have buckled down to do the work that proves it.

MILLERS FEAR LOSS OF GRAIN MONOPOLY

Request for Freight Advantage Reveals Position of Minneapolis.

That Minneapolis owes its monarchical position in the grain world to favorable freight rates as well as to other circumstances, was indicated last week, when grain dealers of that city joined in a protest to the Interstate Commerce Commission against an increase in freight rates, and also in a demand that they be given a "milling-in-transit" privilege.

The Minneapolis men claimed that if the new proposed grain schedules are put in effect, grain that heretofore went to Minneapolis because the growers had no other market available, can be shipped straight through to Chicago as cheaply as to Minneapolis.

Proves Farmer's Contention.

This bears out a contention that grain growers of North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana have long made, that Minneapolis was able to get a monopoly on the grain business because of discriminating rates in its favor. This has been recognized as the basic reason why there is virtually no flour milling business in North Dakota, and why $55,000,000 a year is lost to that state alone that would be retained there if grain were milled within its borders.

Most of the flour consumed in the Dakotas and eastern Montana is ground in Minneapolis and bears a freight burden from the Dakota and Montana fields to the Mill City and back to consumers. Some milling is done in those states by big Minneapolis millers operating small local mills, but the freight rate is added so that flour made locally is sold at as high a rate as though it had actually been ground in Minneapolis and shipped back.

Coupled with the grain men's demand that the rate be suspended, is the alternative demand, that in case the rate is not suspended, grain be granted a "milling in transit" privilege.

This means that grain grown in the Dakotas or Montana and consigned to Chicago, for instance, could be stopped in Minneapolis, ground into flour, resacked, and shipped on its way to Chicago at the same rate as though it had gone straight through in the original car.

The difference in a freight rate of this kind and a rate comprised of a local rate from point of origin to Minneapolis and again a local rate from Minneapolis to Chicago, would be vast in the aggregate.

Minneapolis grain interests feel that under new schedules their special privilege of low freight rates may be endangered and are making a vigorous fight to retain their hold on monopolizing the grain trade of the Northwest.

Every pound of sugar means cargo space, and cargo space is precious now.

In the fiscal year ending June 1, 1918, the United States exported to the allied countries 844,600,000 more pounds of meats, dairy products, vegetable oils, etc., than in the preceding year. The increase in the shipments of grain and grain products amounted to 80,900,000 bushels.

The average life of a farm tractor is from seven and one-half to eight years, according to estimates furnished by over 600 experienced tractor owners on representative corn-belt farms in Illinois.

EXPECT HOSTILITY TIDE TO RECEDE

League Officials in St. Paul Base Belief on Supreme Court Decision.

A firm conviction that the hostility against the Non-partisan League that has been shown in Minnesota for the past several months, will weaken in view of the recent supreme court decision dismissing cases in Martin county against League leaders, was expressed at headquarters of the National Non-partisan League in St. Paul last week.

This conviction is based on the fact that County Attorney A. R. Allen dismissed of his own motion a case against Charles A. Lindbergh, League candidate for governor before the June primaries, and based his dismissal on the supreme court decision.

Announcement was also made that a similar case against Myer Brandvig, recent senatorial candidate of the League in the ninth senatorial district would be dismissed on motion of the prosecutor.

Court Kills Charges.

In these cases, as in those of President A. C. Townley and Joseph Gilbert, thrown out by the supreme court, the general charge was that "disloyalty" was being preached and advocated as a League doctrine. The supreme court demolished this flimsy pretext for prosecutions by declaring that there was no taint of disloyalty in the League platform or in the resolutions adopted at St. Paul in September, 1917, where Senator LaFollette spoke.

Mr. Lindbergh was arrested June 8 by Sheriff W. S. Carver while shaking hands with friends at a picnic near Monterey, Martin county, and before he had begun to speak. Farmers, indignant at the proceeding, followed the sheriff and his victim to Fairmont, and put up $1,000 bail for his immediate release. People of Fairmont also emphatically told Mr. Lindbergh they did not approve of this method of fighting the farmers. Anger was increased by the fact that Sheriff Carver had only a few days before the picnic, telegraphed that he would guarantee Mr. Lindbergh protection, and had given official assurance that his meeting would be permitted.

Warrant on Slim Basis.

The case against Mr. Lindbergh also included President A. C. Townley of the League and George Griffith. Mr. Griffith had written a letter making arrangements for the picnic, and his signature at the bottom of the page was the excuse for including him. President Townley was included in the warrant because the letter on which Mr. Griffith wrote was a regular printed letterhead carrying Mr. Townley's name at the top.

The dropping of these cases because the charges can not be sustained, it is believed at League headquarters, will be the signal for a general letting up of antagonism to the farmers, and the recent charges of "disloyalty."

U. S. CLEARS UP CAR TANGLE

Grain Movement Assured by Government and Three Years' Inefficiency Is Removed.

The United States railroad administration has been successful in untangling the box car mess of three years standing so that the movement of wheat from the grain country will take place with dispatch.

Already cars have been moved into wheat territory and are being parked there until need arises for them.

Army Makes Record Meat Purchase.

Chicago.—The largest single order for bacon and canned meats in the history of the world—99,560,000 pounds of bacon and 134,000,000 pounds of canned meat—has just been placed by the Quartermaster's Department, U. S. A., for the American Army overseas.

Louis F. Swift, in commenting on this today, said the order will take the bacon from approximately 1,900,000 hogs and if other work were dropped to produce it, would be equivalent to the total bacon production of the five largest Chicago packers for nearly five weeks. However, six months will elapse before delivery is to be completed. Mr. Swift said:

"At the current prices on the day last week, when the purchase was made, the packers would pay the live stock producers about $80,000,000 for the necessary hogs and over $50,000,000 for about 900,000 cattle required. The cattle will cost us twice as much, and the hogs two and one-half times as much as in the pre-war period.

The whole order will be made up before the first of the year, despite the fact that, even before this purchase, one-fourth of the packers' facilities have been devoted to filling military demands. In order to get out the canned goods the packers will find it necessary to employ night and day shifts of canners. Notwithstanding the fact that the products are being rushed forward thus hurriedly, not a single complaint has been received on meats delivered to the armies abroad.

The five packers are now killing about 360,000 hogs weekly to keep abreast of martial and domestic needs."

Love's Estrangement.

The cruel wind tore at the waves as if to whirl them away.

The man and the maid sat close together on the beach and watched the storm.

"How the wind howls, darling," said she, yelling to make herself heard.

"Yes," shrieked her lover.

"Why does it howl?" she screamed.

"Dunno. Perhaps it's got the toothache," he bellowed.

"The toothache?" she howled. "However—"

"Yes," he roared. "Haven't you heard of the teeth of the gale?"

Then the wind howled worse than ever, as she handed him back the engagement ring.—Stray Stories.

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Mrs. Flannagan was doubtful about the new patent carpet sweeper, but the traveler was expert in singing its praises, and the result was that she invested in one. Some time later the traveler was passing that way again, and he called on Mrs. Flannagan and asked:

"How do you find the new carpet sweeper working, madam? Far better than the old-fashioned broom, isn't it?"

"Shure," she replied, "it bates the ould broom into fits. Why, I can knock ould Flannagan three toimes as fur with it."

Might Try It.

"Egypt? Ah, that is a dreamy, romantic land, the land of lotus eaters."

"I never ate any lotus," declared Mrs. Wombat, briskly. "How is it served?"

Mean Betrayal.

"What a high color Miss Pringle has!"

"Well, it's gone up like everything else."

Many a man's popularity consists of never telling the truth unless it is necessary.

WEAK KIDNEYS MEAN A WEAK BODY

When you're fifty, your body begins to creak a little at the hinges. Motion is more slow and deliberate. "Not so young as I used to be" is a frequent and unwelcome thought. Certain bodily functions upon which good health and good spirits so much depend, are impaired. The weak spot is generally the bladder. Unpleasant symptoms show themselves. Painful and annoying complications in other organs arise. This is particularly true with elderly people. If you only know how, this trouble can be obviated.

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Watch Your Stomach In the Summer Time

Hot summer days upset the strong stomachs as well as weak ones.

Your vital forces reach their lowest level when the weather is the hottest. Then the danger is the greatest.

You can't guard your stomach and bowels too carefully through the long, hot season. Don't take any chance. Indigestion, sour stomach, that wretched, bloated feeling, belching, food repeating, pains that claw at stomach and bowels and an endless train of stomach ills that make life miserable are greatly aggravated in the hot weather.

This year of all others—it is vital that we keep our strength and full power at work. The extra war work, change of diet—all must be looked after because they hit us in the stomach. And now it is good news to tell you that tens of thousands are now using EATONIC—for all stomach and bowel ailments caused by too much acidity with such truly wonderful results that every one should always have it in the house.

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Will See It Through.

They had been married three months, and they were having their first quarrel—which shows that they were a remarkable couple.

"Evidently," she said icily, "you regret that you have married me. The step is not irrevocable, however. If you care to be released from your bonds—"

"Naw," he interrupted, impatiently. "I'm no 90-day recruit. I enlisted for the term of the war."

She couldn't think of any retort, so she maintained a scornful silence.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"All Out."

One day a rent collector knocked three times at a certain house, without even once getting a reply. Becoming enraged, he went back a fourth time, and in response to his knock an urchin opened the door. "Where were you all day?" demanded the collector. "I was out," replied the boy. "Where is your father?" "He's out." "Where is your mother?" "She's out." "Well," said the collector, "I will just go in and sit at the fire until some one of them returns." "But the fire's out, too," quickly responded the boy.

Cut Off the List.

"Do you know any pro-Germans?"

"No, and what's more, if I did, I'd cease knowing them."

How He Made His Money.

"Success," said the fat man, "comes to the industrious and to those who can take chances."

"Ah," said the other. "I, too, have done well these last few years! But I made my pile by sitting down and letting the other fellows do the sweating."

"Really? Well, if I were you, I should be ashamed to talk about it like that."

"Oh, would you? I'm not. I don't see any reason for being ashamed of owning a turkish bath!"

Sign of Intelligence.

"And is your dog intelligent?" asked the lady.

"I consider him so," replied the mere man.

"And does he do tricks?"

"Oh, no; he's too intelligent for that."

"Why do you consider him intelligent, then?"

"Why, madam, when the women folks are around that dog never opens his mouth!"

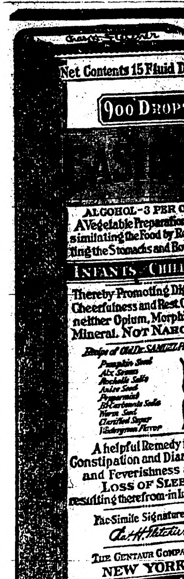
Overheard.

"Margaret irritates me dreadfully."

"Why?"

"She is so effeminate."

And a married woman's ideal man is one who thinks he has an ideal wife.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SUGAR PRICES

[illegible] sugar prices here compare [illegible] those in other countries?

[illegible] wholesale prices of refined [illegible] per pound in chief cities of [illegible] countries since sugar control [illegible] established in the United States [illegible] Food Administration:

	Montreal	London	Paris	Rome
October 1, 1917.	$0.0907	$0.0998	$0.1228	$0.263
May 1, 1918.	$0.0807	$0.1259	$0.1228	$0.263

[illegible] is the average retail price of [illegible]ar in the United States?

[illegible]rom 8½ to 10 cents a pound, [illegible] slightly in different locali[illegible]. During the Civil war sugar [illegible] at retail for 35 cents a pound, [illegible] there was no real shortage. [illegible] then was rampant; now [illegible] has been checked by Food Ad[illegible]istration regulation.

[illegible] have prices been regulated?

[illegible] voluntary agreement with pro[illegible] and refiners, with regard to [illegible] price of the raw sugar and re[illegible] margins, and by establishing [illegible]aximum margins for wholesalers [illegible] retailers.

[illegible] our prices be higher if there [illegible] no control of sugar?

The price would, in the face of [illegible] world shortage, have mounted [illegible], as it has in countries where [illegible] control exists. As the American [illegible] consume upward of 8 billion [illegible] annually, each cent per [illegible] increase would cost the peo[illegible] more than $80,000,000 a year.

[illegible] can I know whether my grocer [illegible] charging excessive prices for [illegible]?

Consult the list of "fair prices" [illegible] in the newspapers or [illegible] directly to the State Food Ad[illegible] or his representative in [illegible] vicinity.

[illegible] penalty is there for the small [illegible] grocer who is found guilty of [illegible] excessive prices?

[illegible] Wholesalers, all of whom operate [illegible] Federal licenses issued by [illegible] Food Administration, may cut [illegible] supplies.

Hoarding.

[illegible] sugar hoarding?

[illegible] on hand more than is [illegible] for a reasonable length of [illegible]. You should not fail to return [illegible] balance of sugar pur[illegible] for canning purposes.

[illegible] household have a month's sup[illegible] of sugar on hand?

[illegible] is not justifiable except in [illegible] cases where there are no [illegible] available for purchase, and it [illegible] be done only upon advice of [illegible] Federal Food Administrator or [illegible] deputy.

[illegible] are some of the evil effects of [illegible]?

[illegible] throws the distribution system [illegible] of joint; it raises prices; it im[illegible] a heavier burden upon those [illegible] doing their utmost; it re[illegible] in waste where there are no [illegible] facilities for storage; it dis[illegible] the honest.

[illegible] is the moral wrong of hoarding?

[illegible] is selfish, cowardly, unpatriotic. [illegible] is, in effect, taking unto one's [illegible] special privileges at a time [illegible] all Americans should be on [illegible] same footing, share and share [illegible].

[illegible] there any punishment for hoarders?

Yes. The Food Control Act pro[illegible] fines of not more than $5,000 [illegible] imprisonment for hoarding by [illegible], manufacturers or house[illegible].

General Sugar Conservation.

[illegible] sugar necessary in the diet?

[illegible] cane nor beet sugar is [illegible]. In the average Ameri[illegible] all the bodily needs may [illegible] be supplied by using [illegible] syrups, fresh, preserved and [illegible] fruits.

[illegible] are the general sugar saving [illegible]?

[illegible] all sugar sparingly and wher[illegible] possible use substitutes. Be [illegible] of confections and sweet [illegible]. The American people last [illegible] spent enough money for candy [illegible] feed all Belgium for two years. [illegible] sugar with honey, ma[illegible] syrup and corn syrup. Cultivate [illegible] taste for fruit in its natural sweet[illegible]. Sugar is a fuel-food. Get [illegible] from potatoes and other starchy [illegible] rather than from sugar. It [illegible] them as an energy-food only [illegible] it produces energy more [illegible].

[illegible] recipe calls for 1 cup of sugar, [illegible] amount of substitute may be [illegible]?

[illegible] recipe calls for 1 cup of sugar, [illegible] in its place 1 cup of strained [illegible] or 1½ to 2 cups of corn [illegible]. If honey or syrup is used, [illegible] amount of liquid called for in [illegible] recipe must be reduced ¼ cup [illegible] every cup of honey or syrup.

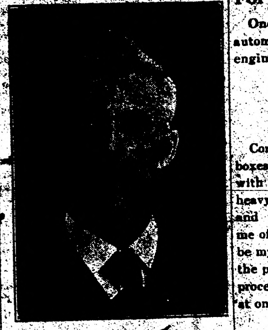
Canning.

[illegible] good conservation policy to [illegible] sugar for home canning and [illegible] of fruits?

Surplus perishable fruits would be [illegible] if not canned. Sugar used in [illegible] way goes farther than it does [illegible]. Every can put up by a [illegible] means a can released [illegible] commercial stocks for export [illegible] feed our armed forces and the [illegible].

[illegible] does the Food Administration at [illegible] encourage canning without [illegible]?

Because sugar may be added later [illegible] it is more plentiful.



The Taxpayers Candidate

Be a loyal red blooded American.

Joe Nelson went to Crookston Tuesday to attend the fair. Walmer Riesberg is now assisting in the confectionery store in place of Mr. Nelson.

Mrs. Fosen returned home Tuesday from a few weeks visit at Fargo. Her daughter who had been teaching there the past year, came home at the same time.

War Savings Stamps

Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without YOUR HELP

or that Germany will let you keep your money if she Wins. Buy a Stamp

Are You 100 percent AMERICAN? Buy a Kaiser chaser

WHEATLESS BISCUITS.

Parched cornmeal is the feature of these excellent wheatless biscuits. First, the cornmeal—one-half a cup—is put in a shallow pan placed in the oven and stirred frequently until it is a delicate brown. The other ingredients are a teaspoon of salt, a cup of peanut butter and one and a half cups of water. Mix the peanut butter, water and salt and heat. While this mixture is hot stir in the meal which should also be hot. Beat thoroughly. The dough should be of such consistency that it can be dropped from a spoon. Bake in small cakes in an ungreased pan. This makes 16 biscuits, each of which contains one-sixth of an ounce of protein.

Great Wheat Stocks Isolated.

It's the shortage in ships that is putting the Allies and the United States on wheat rations. Great stocks of wheat are isolated in India and Australia. At great sacrifice in ship space and use the Allies are forced to secure some wheat from Argentina.

On January 1, Australia had stored 100,000,000 bushels of wheat that was ready for export—but there were no ships. Then came the new crop with an exportable surplus of 80,000,000 bushels. Now Australia has approximately 180,000,000 bushels waiting for ships.

India at the same time, had 70,000,000 bushels of wheat stored for export. During April 50,000,000 bushels more out of the new crop will be added to the pile.

Argentina closed the last shipping season with 11,000,000 bushels of wheat left in the stock available for export. The new crop will add 135,000,000 to the left over.

It is not a problem that the wheat does not exist in the world—it is entirely a problem of shipping, which has thrown on America the obligation of dividing our stock with the Allies

For Trade or Sale Cheap

One complete threshing outfit, 2 automobiles, 1 seven H P gasoline engine, one separator.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

Take Notice

Complaint has been made of mail boxes on the route being tampered with and broken into. There is a heavy fine for anything of this kind and if complaint is again made to me of anything of this kind it will be my duty to immediately notify the postoffice department who will proceed to punish the law breakers at once.

Nils Engebretson,
Postmaster.

Save all the waste and help win the war for humanity.

Sixteen miles east of Holt to the experimental peat farm visiting day program August the Third 1918.

Lots of ice cream and pretty girls at the Red Cross Social at Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson's Saturday eve.

Better get a supply of wood soon as there wont be any coal any where next winter, where it is in anyway possible to get wood for fuel.

The Normal training dept. at the Crookston Agricultural School begins Sept. 10, and will do its share to relieve a great shortage of teachers.

A splendid program will be given Aug. 3rd at Golden Valley when the visiting day takes place at the new state peat farm. Be sure to go.

Everyone should vote on the Prohibition Amendment as it must have a majority of all the votes cast. If you do not vote at all you might just as well vote against it.

The S. U. government took charge of the telegraph and telephone lines on July 31st. Post Master General Burleson will supervise the work with David J. Lewis as director.

Red Cross Social at the Fred Peterson home, Saturday evening Aug. 3rd. Ladies please bring lunch. Ice cream will be served and a good chance given all to help the cause.

A large number of farmers and town people from Roseau, Kittson, Marshall, Beltrami, Pennington, Polk and Red Lake counties are going to the visiting day program at Golden Valley to-morrow Aug. 3.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, June 20, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Matilda Larson, formerly Matilda Furr, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on May 2nd, [illegible], made Homestead Entry, No. [illegible], for N.E. 1-4, Section 24, Township 156 N., Range [illegible] W., 5th Principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 5th day of August, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: N. A. Fosen, W. A. Stibaugh, Carl Surmo and Olaf Ness all of Holt, Minnesota.

Proof made under act June 6, 1912.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

For Sale or Trade

Shropshire Ram, year old, fine rugged animal. Will sell reasonable if taken soon, or will trade for one as good.

Willie Rux
Holt, Minn.

Canning the Kaiser.

Bring the good old bugle, boys
we'll sing another song,
Sing it with a spirit that will drive
the world along,
Sing it as we need to sing it a
dozen million strong,
While we'er canning the Kaiser.

Chorus

Oh Bill! Oh Bill! We're on
the job to day.
Oh Bill! Oh Bill! We'el seal
you so you'll stay,
We'll put you up with ginger in the
good old Yankee way,
While we are canning the Kaiser.

Hear the song we'er singing on the
skinny roads of France.
Hear the Tommies cheering and
see the Poilus prance,
Africans, Kennucks and Scots
without their pants,
While we are canning the Kaiser.

Bring the guns from Bethlehem
by way of old New York
Bring the beans from Boston and
don't leave out the pork,
Bring a load of soda pop, and pull
the grape juice cork.
While we are canning the Kaiser.

Come you men from Dixieland you
lumberjacks of Maine,
Come you Texas cowboys and you
farmer from the plain,
From Florida to Oregon, we boast
the Yankee strains,
While we are canning the Kaiser.

Now we're started on the job, we
mean to put it through,
Ship the Kings and Kaisers all, and
make the world anew.
Clean the way for common folks, for
men like you and me,
While we are canning the Kaiser.

—Anonymous.

Is your paper paid for.

The village of Spooner is soon to have a flour mill of 25 barrel capacity.

J. M. Swan shipped a car of cattle and hogs to the twin city markets, Tuesday.

Special election Aug. 17th to vote bonds for an addition to the school house, which is needed very much.

Arnold Hoel was called to Baudette Tuesday to be examined by the local board for military service.

The Red Cross will meet for work next Wednesday evening with Mrs. I. Nelson. All interested in this work are requested to be present.

Andrew Spokley and family moved here from Climax last week and will live on K. O. Flakne's place. Mr. Spokley has land adjoining Flakne's.

They have some bumper crops on the experimental peat farm near Golden Valley. Don't fail to see them Aug. 3rd, the date of the first visiting day.

If we must conserve grain and food why not save the grain for food that is being used to produce intoxicating liquors which make human beings, devils.

B. Docken has been appointed Labor Leader for this vicinity. If you want work file your application with Mr. Docken, or if you need farm help apply to him.

Our large army of women are making sacrifices right along but we don't hear much about it. We are too busy watching the doings of our boys in France.

What are your immediate plans for the future? A busy world full of oppertunities is waiting for the young men and young women who are prepared. Send for a booklet to-day and find out what others have done and what others say. North Star College, Warren, Minn.

Big Day August 3.

A big crowd is expected to attend the visiting day program at the experimental peat farm near Golden Valley Saturday August 3rd. Several speakers will be present and the subject of farming on peat land will be fully explained. All interested are invited to come and hear all about peat farming and see what has actually been accomplished on the peat land there. Be sure to take along a good big lunch. Coffee served on the grounds.

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Mrs. H. B. Young
Switchboard Operator.

Every spear of hay and straw will be needed and should be cut and well stacked and taken care of.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

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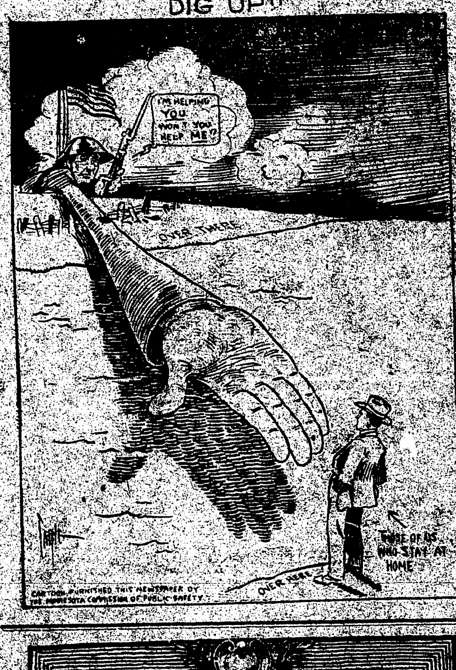

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OVER THERE
OVER HERE
THOSE OF US WHO STAY AT HOME

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Model 90 has a powerful, fuel-saving motor; narrow turning radius; rear cantilever springs; 106-inch wheelbase; 31 x 4 tires, non-skid rear. Auto-Lite starting and lighting and vacuum fuel system

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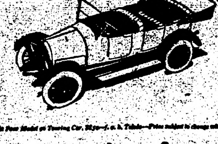

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Standard binder twine, 500 feet 22c, manilla 600 feet 26c a lb. at Reierson's store.

Miss Gladys Hagen returned home Saturday from several weeks visit with relatives at Moorhead and Ashby.

Dr. Frohelich was here Saturday to see Mrs. Arne Moe who is not recovering very rapidly from the injury to her foot.

The Sunnyside Red Cross will have a social at Gust Peterson's next Thursday afternoon to which all are invited.

Mrs. Huldah Jacobs and little son of Minneapolis came Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson for a few weeks.

No gasoline can be purchased any where in town after 6 o'clock P. M. on week days and none on Sunday. This rule goes into effect Aug. 12th

Ludwig Monson autoed to Warren Monday with Rhinehart Reierson and Oscar Hagglund who passed the physical examination for military service.

Tony Carlson and family, Otto Johnson and family and Miss Agnes Bakke autoed to T. R. Falls Sunday with Ole Johnson who left for Camp Kearney, Cal. after a few days furlough at home.

Emil Prushek came up from Cuyuna Saturday for an over Sunday visit with old friends and pupils. Mr. Prushek expects to be called into the military service soon.

Prepare for service by entering NORTH STAR COLLEGE, Warren, Minn., Sept. 30. Write for information to-day. What others have done you can do. The Demand For Trained Help Was Never Greater Than It Is To-Day.

H. Pavek of Gardena, N. Dak. while remitting for his paper under date of Aug. 1st. wrote that crops there were poor on account of the dry season, but gardens were good and they would have ripe tomatoes in a few days. Mr. Pavek sends greetings to all their friends in Holt.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

City Meat Market

Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides and Furs.
TERMS:- Cash. Postively no credit

O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

The Peat Farm Visiting Day

The first annual visiting day at the Golden Valley experimental peat farm was a decided success. The experiments proved that nearly all kinds of crops can be raised on peat soil under varying conditions and in almost any kind of a season. Potash seems to be the best commercial fertilizer and also the cheapest. Common manure gives about the same results. Burning the top soil is cheapest and best for the average farmer. This meeting was attended by representative men and women from a large portion of the state. Among them were State Fire Warden Cox and the Forest Ranger. They met with the farmers and a meeting was arranged to form an association for mutual protection while burning the peat. Prof. Selvig presided and the program commenced with a patriotic song. Sen. D. P. O'Neil was next introduced as the father of the bill that made the experimental peat farm possible. Mr. O'Neil's speech was greatly enjoyed by his fellow farmers. Several others gave short talks and then Prof. Alway the state soil expert was introduced and gave a short history, both ancient and modern, of peat farming. He urged all interested to send for the results of this years experiments to the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, Minn.

The experimental plots this year are on the farm of Mrs. Carl Dahl near Golden Valley postoffice. Mrs. Dahl has a beautiful and well improved farm and home and their crops are good, which shows what the peat soil will raise when it has been burned. In fact the crops are good almost every where and a plentiful harvest is assured.

This first visiting day was a big advertisement for our neighbors to the east and we rejoice with them over the success of the event.

Save all the waste and help win the war for humanity.

Help the farmer harvest his crops, and thus help win the war.

Don't forget to attend the Red Cross social at Gust Peterson's Aug. 15th.

Mathison Bros. came up from McIntosh Tuesday evening to get ready for threshing.

Olaf and Selmer Dahl autoed to Warren Wednesday where the latter was examined for military service.

B. Docken and family and T. E. Ellestad and family autoed to Argyle Sunday and spent the day with Ole and G. M. Gubrud and families.

All electric light bills are due the first of the month and should be paid promptly to save trouble and expense. Some have not paid for June and we need the money NOW.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Erickson and family from Espelee, Mrs. Carlson from Winnepeg Junction, Mrs. Jennie Eastmen and Tillie Kolberg of T. R. Falls, Adolph Jordy, Peter Jacobson from the reservation and Coppay were Sunday guests at J. E. Erickson and family.

Ole Reierson received two letters Monday from his eldest son who is now in France. The first letter was written while they were on the ocean and the other probably from France altho no place there was marked on the letter. He wrote that they were not allowed to write any information about the army or military movements so it was hard to think of much to write. He told his folks not to worry about him and added that they could be proud that they had a boy to fight in defense of their country.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls will preach at 3 o'clock next Sunday. Everybody invited.

Rev. J. A. Orrock of Thief River Falls will hold English services next Monday evening at 8:30.

Take Notice

Recently a concern has come into existence known as the "Federal Farm Bureau" with several branch offices throughout the country, one of which is located in the city of St. Paul.

The Executive Committee of the Marshall County Farm Bureau wishes to announce that this concern has no connection whatsoever with the County Farm Bureau movement either in Marshall County or elsewhere.

The County Farm Bureau movement is organized to cooperate with State and Government in conducting food production campaign and in promoting permanent improvement of agriculture and farm life.

As near as can be learned the principal business of the "Federal Farm Bureau" is to sell a so-called Farm Accounting System being quoted at $5.00. It is well to state that certain testimonials have been secured by this concern from Government officials advocating farm accounting, particularly in connection with income tax reporting by which it appears the concern may be attempting to represent to the farmers that its system has been especially endorsed by the Federal Government.

The Farm Bureau Executive Committee does not want to be understood to desire to do any injury to the concern issuing this account book or to discourage anyone from keeping farm accounts. It simply desires to make it clear that it has no relationship with the concern.

It is well to state that a simple and practical farm account book was recently prepared by the Agricultural Extension Division, University Farm, St. Paul, Minnesota, and distributed at a cost of ten cents each. Many of the bankers of the state have been cooperating in distributing these books. More information may be obtained concerning such at the Farm Bureau headquarters.

(Signed) J. J. Sinclair, President
M. L. Warner. Sec'y-Treas.
Farm Bureau Assn.

Ship Your Poultry
to
Thief River Produce Co

Your shrinkage will be less
Remittances made Promptly
We offer F. O. B. your station

Hens 3 1-2 lbs & over	17c
Hens less 3 1-2 lbs	15c
Roosters, per lb	14c
Springs 1 1-2 lbs and over	23c
Dux	11c
Geese	10c
Turkeys	15c

Prices good until our next issue. If you are in need of coops, write us.

Thief River Produce Co

Everyone should vote on the Prohibition Amendment as it must have a majority of all the votes cast. If you do not vote at all you might just as well vote against it.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Choir and Bible Class meeting at 8 o'clock every Thursday evening.

Services in Holt next Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock, English services 8 o'clock in the evening. Services in Thorvik at 1:30. Ladies Aid at Golden Valley store at 2 o'clock, services commences at 4 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

Miss Betty Johnson went to Alvarado Monday to visit relatives.

Hardy Bjerk returned last week Thursday from Young, Sask, Can., where he had been working for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Turnlund and two daughters, and Joe Williams of Radium, and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Peterson and seven children of Gatzke visited the Riesberg family Sunday.

Axel Nelson and S. Svenkeson autoed to St Hilaire to look over the country that suffered damage from the recent hail storm. They found that the storm almost completely destroyed everything on a strip of country from a mile to a mile and a half wide and running east and west for several miles.

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

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Mrs. H. B. Young
Switchboard Operator.

J. E. Erickson and daughter Annie visited Severson Bros. Sunday evening.

Miss Dora and Emma Olson went to T. R. Falls Monday, the former having dental work done.

Ed O'Hara and sons went to Warroad Wednesday to load some large tanks for the Standard Oil Co.

Mr. and Mrs. John Udstrand were called to Grand Forks Sunday by the death of the formers father. The elder Mr. Udstran died Sunday night and the funeral was held on Monday.

Do you expect the postmaster to trust you for postage stamps? You say no, the government doesn't do a credit business, which is true. Well now the government is running the telephone.

Nils and Carl Engebretsen, Andrew Hanson and Charlie Gullickson autoed to Warren Sunday where they were joined by Ben Eide for a trip to Reynolds and other points in Dakota making a distance of about 170 miles by the time they returned home. They met a couple of old neighbors, Ole Syverson and Ole Jensen and had a short visit with them.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.07
Wheat No. 2	2.04
Wheat No. 3	2.00
Wheat No. 4	1.96
Flax	3.94
Oats	58
Barley	57 to .76
Rye	1.49
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

A New and Complete Stock of
Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
Try Our
LUNCH COUNTER
Fresh Ice Cream Every Day
Prompt Service at all Times
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Auto Repairing!

Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right

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Holt, Minn.

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Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Samson Windmills!

The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction.

They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.

See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.

Davidson Bros., Agents
Holt, Minn.

New Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
and
Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory

Ernest Phillipson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
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We Buy All Kinds of Grain
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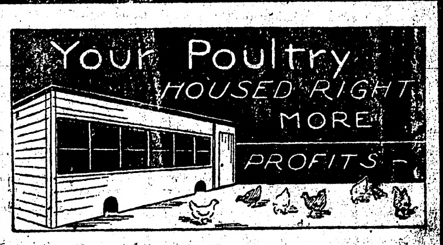

YOUR poultry will bring better returns if properly housed and taken care of.

AND you will be surprised at the small cost of building the houses and sheds necessary for their proper care.

WE have all of the material required for housing poultry and will gladly give you ideas along this line.

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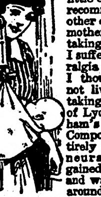
Should Read Mrs. Monyhan's Letter Published by Her Permission.



Mitchell, Ind.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me so much during the time I was looking forward to the coming of my little one that I am recommending it to other expectant mothers. Before taking it, some days I suffered with neuralgia so badly that I thought I could not live, but after taking three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was entirely relieved of neuralgia, I had gained in strength and was able to go around and do all my housework. My baby when seven months old weighed 19 pounds and I feel better than I have for a long time. I never had any medicine do me so much good."—Mrs. PEARL MONYHAN, Mitchell, Ind.

Good health during maternity is a most important factor to both mother and child, and many letters have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., telling of health restored during this trying period by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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HOW NAMES BECOME CHANGED

Sometimes Intentionally, but More Often Due to the "Wear and Tear of Time."

"Who Was Who?" is the suggested title for a new book to contain the names of all persons who have changed their names. A new publication will do that in England. If the work is carried back far enough it will be found that scarcely a name has survived the wear and tear of time. Some of the changes are intentional, like our daily applications in court, but most of them are due to bad spellers or poor pronunciation and phonetic spelling to express the errors of pronunciation. Our Dutch ancestors had a habit of cutting off everything that went down to and including the "Van." The name "Burch" was originally "Birch" and meant a man who lived by the birch tree. It is a curious comment on this new book that the London newspaper editor who is putting it out has juggled his own name after the English custom, when taking a title. Good names are a misfortune when they are used like family portraits to make snobs.—Exchange.

Clean Your Combs.

Instead of washing combs, clean them by brushing and pulling a piece of cotton through the teeth, always changing it as it gets soiled, then rub with a clean cloth.

Since 1913 gold and silver valued at $62,500,000 have been mined in Mexico.

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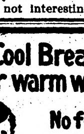

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POST TOASTIES

(MADE OF CORN)—Bobby

Happenings of the World Tersely Told

Domestic

Federal indictments were returned at New York against Dr. Edward A. Rumely, former vice president and secretary of the New York Mail and Express company, and S. Walter Kaufmann, former counsel for the German embassy in the United States, as alleged participants in the purchase of the Evening Mail for the German government.

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Cadet N. Willis Rodgers of New York city died from injuries received when he was caught under an alighting airplane at Chanute Field, Ill. Rodgers was in a motorcycle side car at the time of the accident.

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At a special meeting of the National league at New York it was decided that no National league championship game should be played after September 2. The club owners went on record as strongly favoring a world's series to be played immediately after that date.

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The fishing schooner Manda Lewis sank off York Spit, about 14 miles from Cape Charles, Va., during a storm with the probable loss of ten men of its crew of 27, according to a report brought to Cape Charles by a fishing steamer.

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Remaining in the air 30 hours and 30 minutes, Ensign P. J. Barnes, attached to the American naval air forces in European waters, established a new world's record for sustained flights in a "blimp" type of airship, the Washington navy department reports.

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A new flag of red and yellow made its appearance at an Atlantic port, that of the Republic of Finland. It was flying from a sailing ship which arrived from South America and was formerly Russian.

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Fire destroyed the plant of the Howard Ship Yards company, Paducah, Ky. The loss is estimated at $140,000. The blaze started in the hold of the towboat J. B. Finley.

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The Dayton-Wright Airplane company of Dayton, O., shipped its one-thousandth De Haviland plane. In honor of the event the company declared a holiday.

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Sanitary Inspector Porter found a rooming house in Gary, Ind., where 32 men share eight beds, and ordered the proprietor to reduce the number one-half at once.

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Aubrey W. Vaughan, a captain in the quartermaster's corps of the United States army; Felix Gouled, a manumacturer, and D. L. Podell, a lawyer, were indicted by the federal grand jury at New York on a charge of conspiring to defraud the government in connection with contracts for raincoats.

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The German government spent $30,000,000 to $50,000,000 for propaganda in this country, "and got nothing for it," said George Sylvester Viereck, pro-German publicist, in testimony given at the inquiry in New York into Teuton activities in the United States.

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Flight Cadet George Ruple Wallace of Washington, Pa., was killed in an airplane accident July 26. He was serving with the British air force in France.

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Washington

Orders have been issued by the navy department at Washington calling into active service thousands of reservists for duty on ships constructed under the shipping board and navy building programs.

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Perfection of an airplane flare for use in night bombing expeditions was announced by the ordnance department at Washington. The flare is released from the plane in a parachute and is set off by air friction.

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Invasion of the deferred classes in the draft is not an immediate danger, members of the senate and house committees on military affairs at Washington say, in spite of the fact that class 1 is being rapidly exhausted.

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Railway employees were told by Director General McAdoo at Washington, in announcing details of the wage increase for more than 500,000 shopmen, that the nation expected new energy from the workers in return for pay increases and improvements in conditions and that strikes and other labor disturbances must be eliminated.

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Senator New of Indiana introduced a bill at Washington to create a department of aeronautics under the direction of a cabinet member, to be known as the "secretary of aeronautics," with authority over all the aircraft activities of the government.

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Half a billion dollars in property and money owned by enemy aliens throughout the United States already has been taken over by A. Mitchell Palmer, alien property custodian, according to a statement issued by Francis P. Garvan, his New York representative.

The national war labor board at Washington has been requested by the secretary of labor to take jurisdiction in the strike of 14,000 employees of the General Electric company at its plant at Lynn, Mass.

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Foreign

The people's delegates for internal affairs have appealed to the provincial and district committees, declaring that Moscow and Petrograd have been without bread for four days. The provincial and district committees are urgently requested to rescue the capital from famine.

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With two hours given in which to prepare for the end, Nicholas Romanoff, former Russian emperor, was taken out by his executioners in a state of such collapse that it was necessary to prop him against a post, says the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin, which claims to have received from a high Russian personage an account of the emperor's last hours.

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Three Russian grand dukes, one of whom is believed to have been Grand Duke Nicholas, former commander in chief of the Russian armies, have been executed by the bolsheviki, according to Amsterdam dispatches.

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A new strike has broken out at Kalk, in Prussia, near Cologne, according to the Echo Belge. Machine guns were used to suppress the movement and the leaders were arrested, the newspaper declares.

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Th allies' embassies, which recently left Vologda for Archangel, were not permitted to remain in Archangel and have arrived in Kaladalaski, Lapland.

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Eighteen carloads of powder and light bombs exploded at Shimonoseki in Japan, while they were being loaded on a ship. Thus far 30 are known to have been killed and 50 injured.

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Personal

Clarence Brown, attorney, capitalist, politician of state-wide prominence and publisher of the Toledo Times, is dead at Toledo, O.

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European War News

Brisk fighting at various points on the Italian front was reported at the war office in Rome.

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Sub-Lieutenant Boyar has gained five additional aerial victories, three of which were won in ten minutes, the Paris newspapers report. His total is now 29. Lieutenant Maden has increased his string of victories to 33.

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"No man should boast until the battle is over. But all men who know are pleased at the way it is going. For another month's time, however, we must remain anxious." Premier Lloyd George made this declaration in an address to London manufacturers which has been made public by the press bureau.

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"The anti-submarine fleet has brought the menace down to less formidable dimensions," Sir Eric Geddes declared at London, "but," he added, "we have considerable additions to make to the fleet before the margin of safety which we must have will be obtained."

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Czecho-Slovak forces have captured Orenburg, according to dispatches received at Copenhagen. Social revolutionists have overthrown the bolsheviki at Tienlseink.

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A revolt against the bolshevik government has broken out in Turkestan, according to news received at Basle, Switzerland, from Ukrainian sources.

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U.S.—Teutonic War News

Exact information as to the losses suffered by our army in the present offensive will be given the American people within a few days. General Pershing is beginning to get complete data on casualties, which he will cable to this country as soon as possible. This announcement was made at Washington by Secretary of War Baker.

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Joint action between Japan, the entente powers and America in Siberia is assured. Japan has found acceptable the American proposal which primarily looks to the aid of the Czecho-Slovaks, now operating in Siberia, according to Washington.

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King Victor Emmanuel reviewed American troops who have taken up quarters in the northern Italian war zone in Italy.

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Plans of the war department for an enlarged military program, including extension of the draft age limits in both directions, have been virtually completed, Secretary Baker announced. Mr. Baker would not reveal the age limits to be recommended by the department.

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A Reuter dispatch from Amsterdam said that Field Marshal von Eichorn, commander of the German forces in Ukrainia, and his adjutant, Captain Dressler, had been assassinated at Kiev by a social revolutionary. A bomb was thrown at the two German officers from a cab.

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Since March 21 of this year the British have taken 14,500 prisoners on the western front, James Ian MacPherson, parliamentary secretary of the war office at London informed the house of commons.

VESLE CLEARED OF ENEMY FORCE

Germans Extend Their Extensive Retreat to Third Region, Evacuating River Defenses.

RESISTANCE STIFFENS

Teutons Assume Defensive From Rheims to Ypres and Withdrawal Over Aisne River Is Forecast—Wide Area Threatened.

Paris, Aug. 5.—The Allied pursuit of the offensive continues and latest reports are that only a few enemy troops remain south of the Vesle, says the Havas agency. Allied troops hold the entire southern bank of the Vesle between Fismes and Rheims. Stubborn resistance was made by Prussian and Bavarian guards between Muizon and Champigny, but they were forced back, suffering heavy losses.

London, Aug. 6.—Weakened by the defeat suffered on the Soissons-Rheims front, the Germans apparently are preparing to assume the defensive on the front from Ypres to Rheims.

Southeast of Amiens on the old Montdidier sector the Germans have fallen back across the Avre river over a wide front, while northeast of Amiens, in the region of Albert, a similar retrograde movement has been made across the Ancre. The German official communication in admitting the withdrawal near Albert, declares the maneuver was carried out without interference by the British.

Yanks Take Fismes by Storm.

Between Soissons and Rheims the Vesle virtually has been cleared of enemy troops and Fismes is in the hands of the Americans, having been carried by storm. Fismes was Germany's great ammunition and supply depot, midway on the railway between Soissons and Rheims.

French Cross Aisne.

West of Rheims the French have made important gains and in the region of Soissons the French are north of the Aisne. The enemy resistance apparently has been growing stronger from Fismes east to Rheims. However, the Vesle is in flood and as large swamps line its course west of Rheims it is possible the resistance may be due to the inability of the Germans to move to the north bank.

Allied troops, having flattened out the Marne pocket, have not advanced so rapidly during the last 48 hours. The leading units keep in close touch with the Germans, but it is probable that heavy artillery will have to be brought up if the Germans persist in trying to hold at various points along the Vesle.

Further German Retreat Seen.

There is little doubt in Allied capitals that the German crown prince will retire to the north of the Aisne. His resistance to French pressure in the Rheims region not unlikely is for the purpose of holding the Allies from breaking through and also to prevent them from getting between the Vesle and the Aisne before he can get his troops to the northern stream.

Foe Abandons Two Rivers.

British troops now hold Hamel and Dernacourt on the west bank of the Ancre and the Germans are to the east of the river. At Albert, where the Ancre divides the town, the situation is not clear.

From Mesnil St. Georges, west of Montdidier, to Braches, the Germans are retiring across the Avre. Their retrograde movement already has averaged two miles on a seven mile front. The French hold Braches. They have penetrated into Hargicourt and are on the outskirts of Courtemarche.

FEW WOUNDED YANKS TO DIE

Estimates Show That All But One in 20 Will Live.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Of the American soldiers wounded in the Marne-Aisne offensive, probably fewer than one in 20 will die from their wounds, more than four-fifths will be returned to service and only 14 per cent will be discharged for disability, according to a statement of the chief of staff, based on the officially attested experience of the Allies during the four years of war.

CONFERENCE ON WHEAT CROP

Government Price Among Matters to Be Considered.

Washington, Aug. 6.—The joint agricultural advisory committee of the agricultural department and the food administration have begun a series of conferences here to consider questions related to the 1919 wheat crop. The government price for 1919 will be among the matters discussed and recommendations probably will be made to President Wilson.

Fast Railroad Work.

London, Aug. 6.—"Over English railroads in a country strange to them and under unfamiliar conditions, American officers directing the transportation of troops to the front are making records today surpassing the best that has been done in the states," says the Weekly Dispatch in describing the feeding and rail transport of the American armies arriving in Europe. "On July 7, 19 trains with a total of 220 coaches, carried 10,320 men from an American camp in six hours."

BAKER EXPLAINS DRAFT CHANGES

Wants Congress to Amend Law Making Men From 18 to 45 Years Eligible.

TO CALL YOUTHS LAST

Secretary of War Asserts Department Has in Mind Simply to Secure a Large Enough Army to Conquer Germany.

Washington, Aug. 6.—In discussing the war department's recommendations to Congress of draft ages from 18 to 45 years, Secretary Baker said there was no intention of calling to the colors youths between 18 and 19 until the other classes have become exhausted.

This policy was decided on, he said, in order to give the youths an opportunity to mature before they join the army.

After formally announcing the new draft ages, Secretary Baker said all the possible combinations of age limits were carefully studied and it was found that to get the men into class 1 for the program proposed, 18 to 45 was necessary.

To Hold Young Men.

He said, however, that the bill as read to Congress, will contain a provision authorizing the president to call men out of class 1 by classes according to age, so that if it is found possible the men between 18 and 19 will be called out later than the older men found eligible to class 1.

The War department program, the war secretary said, is purely a military one and cannot be called a conscription of labor, although it naturally will have the effect of putting at useful labor or in the army all able-bodied men within the age limit as they finally will be fixed by Congress.

In recommending this extension of the age limits, Mr. Baker continued, the department had it in mind simply to get for the army the number of men believed necessary to defeat Germany.

Mr. Baker gave it as his opinion that so far, about 1,600,000 had been drafted out of class 1 from the existing list.

PEOPLE NOW FEAR DEFEAT

German Writer Assails Public for Lack of Confidence.

Amsterdam, Aug. 6.—Count Reventlow, writing in the Tages Zeitung of Berlin on the anniversary of the fourth year of the war, says:

"The beginning of the fifth year of the war is marked in a large part of the German press by reflections which are overflowing with resignation, melancholy and whining."

The writer continues:

"The tearful defeatism which runs through the German public life these days, has a perniciously damning effect, and, more so, because with some people the underlying view may be perceived or is extremely stated by them that if one would end the war it would, after all be an easy thing to do, as one need only join Grey and Wilson in the league of nations."

FAVORS RETAIL SALES TAX

House Subcommittee Plans to Raise Money On Luxuries.

Washington, Aug. 6.—A 10 per cent tax on retail sales of a wide variety of commonly classified luxuries from jewelry to meerschaum pipes and from smoking jackets to silk hosiery, will be recommended to the full House Ways and Means committee as the result of deliberations of the subcommittee on luxuries.

The semi-luxuries, goods which are in the class where it is difficult to distinguish between the real necessity and the real luxury, such as clothing, will be left to a more searching inquiry.

SENT 300,000 DURING JULY

War Department Makes Record Shipment of Troops.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Gen. March, chief of staff, has issued the following statement:

"The number of men embarked during the month of July, just closed, was over 300,000. That breaks the record. The previous high record was in the preceding month, when we reached 276,000. The number of men embarked to France is now over 1,300,000."

GEN. PERSHING IS HONORED

Paris, Aug. 6.—General John J. Pershing, commander in chief of the American expeditionary forces in France, has been awarded the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor, by the French government.

Plans to Ease Sailors' Life.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Appointment of a special committee to make a study of the manpower for the merchant marine and future trade requirements was announced by the Shipping board. It includes George Nichols, a cotton goods manufacturer of Boston and New York; A. S. Hebble of New York, who is connected with the Southern Pacific shipping service, and Dr. E. M. Hopkins, president of Dartmouth college. Headquarters of the committee will be in New York.

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Chaplain Was in the Way.

Sergt. Jimmy Wilde, flyweight boxing champion of the world, tells this war story:

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"Men, I see you're in difficulties," he said. "Can I be of any assistance?"

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NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings in Minnesota Given in Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Plainview.—While giving a practice demonstration with one of the new tractors, Chester Gallagher was severely injured when the tractor turned over backward.

Bemidji.—The tax levy for Beltrami for the coming year will be $165,000, which has been levied by the county commissioners on the recommendation of J. L. George, county auditor.

Moorhead.—Rev. Martin Anderson, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran church of Moorhead, will enter the war service as an army chaplain. Rev. Anderson has been nominated for a chaplaincy by the Lutheran church council.

Winona.—Mrs. Adelia B. Comfort of Milwaukee, former resident of Winona, is the originator of the "comfort kits" now being provided by the Red Cross for the soldiers and sailors. Mrs. Comfort lived in Winona during the '80s.

Two Harbors.—Mrs. Lee McFarlane, daughter of Mrs. William Newell of Two Harbors, who was one of those injured in an automobile accident near the city limits, gave birth to a son within a few hours after arriving at a local hospital.

St. Charles.—Lieut. Herbert Chamberlain, 23 years old, was drowned at Camp Lee, Va., while on pontoon drill, according to a message received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chamberlain of this village. The body has not been recovered.

Deerwood.—The county commissioners have decided to open the Crow Wing-Aitkin county sanatorium early in August. The new institution will accommodate twenty-six tuberculosis patients and is located one mile south of this village and about twenty-five miles from Brainerd, the county seat.

Crookston.—After a race for miles through Minnesota and North Dakota, often at a rate of forty miles an hour, authorities have apprehended an alleged auto thief, giving his name as Ed Highland, who is charged with having taken a car from the Ramstad Auto company at Greenbush, Minn. He is now in the Crookston jail awaiting trial.

Minneapolis.—The Dan Patch line, a shortline railroad, went under the hammer here yesterday in accordance with a Federal court order. A group of local and Southern Minnesota business men made the only bid. They obtained the property for $350,000 and hereafter will operate it under the name of the Minneapolis, Northfield & Southern railway.

St. James.—Bernard Remple, president of the People's bank at Butterfield, was ordered held to the Watonwan county grand jury on a charge of disloyalty. Remple, who is thought to be worth $250,000, is alleged to have said the German troops would get the Americans into the pocket on the French front and kill them off, as they had no business in France.

Mankato.—Photographer J. R. Snow of this city has been appointed chairman of Minnesota by the Photographers' Association of America to superintend the war work drive of the association in this state. Each state chairman is to name a chairman in each city, and each city chairman is to organize and develop the present organization as sections of the Photographers' Association of America.

Fairmont.—Mrs. R. S. Cross, wife of Rev. R. S. Cross and mother of Mrs. J. A. A. Burnquist, was seriously injured when an automobile in which she was riding with Mrs. Robert Livingston overturned on the state road about eight miles south of Fairmont. Mrs. Cross was pinned beneath one of the running boards, which lay across her head, and a rib was broken. Her recovery is practically certain.

Breckenridge. — Herbert A. Hard, state drainage engineer for North Dakota, was in the city last week and appeared before the board of county commissioners in an effort to induce them to appropriate the sum of $300 as Wilkin county's share of the expense in an adequate flood survey of the territory drained by the Otter Tail, Bois de Sioux and Red Rivers. Mr. Hard's efforts were successful and Wilkin county is now a member of the Tri-State Flood Control association.

St. Paul.—Minnesota ended a fiscal year of record-breaking prosperity, despite the war, July 31, with $8,250,000 of cash in the treasury, the largest year-end balance in the annals of the state, according to State Treasurer Henry Rines. State business for the year made up a grand total of $56,000,000, an increase of $6,000,000 over the preceding fiscal year. Receipts were $28,394,000 and disbursements $22,725,974 for the year just ended, compared with $23,983,440 in receipts and $26,109,568 disbursements during the 1916-17 fiscal period.

Brainerd.—An important meeting of the Commercial club secretaries of the state is to be called soon by Fred T. Lincoln, president of the League of Minnesota Community clubs, established at the state university in September, 1916. It is possible that Brainerd will be the city to entertain these men.

Red Lake Falls.—Fred Baltisberger, a selective draft man, was killed instantly two miles south of here when the automobile in which he was riding overturned. Baltisberger was pinned under the machine and his chest crushed.

Morris.—John Shanley, son of Mrs. M. Shanley, St. Paul, was drowned a mile from here while bathing at Olson's lake.

Albert Lea.—Elmer Lebeck, 24 years old, a farmer living near Manchester, was instantly killed when he was struck by a freight train on the M. & St. L. railroad about a mile north of the village.

St. Peter.—A large enrollment of students is expected this year at Gustavus Adolphus college. It is expected that girls will far outnumber the boys, but it is believed that the membership will be as large as last year.

Little Falls. — The annual exhibition of the Morrison County Fair society will be held here Sept. 14 to 17. Two thousand dollars will be offered in prizes. Agriculture and the school departments have the largest allotments.

St. Paul.—The congested condition of the Fergus Falls state hospital will be relieved by arrangements for the transfer of 175 patients to the institution at Willmar, which until a year ago was used exclusively for treatment of liquor and drug addicts.

Camp Dodge.—Private Andrew G. Prince of Hopkins, Minn., found guilty by general court-martial for refusing to sign enlistment, assignment and qualification cards, was sentenced to 15 years in the Leavenworth disciplinary barracks.

Minneapolis.—Local mills have virtually ceased grinding barley flour because of government regulations that the product shall not contain more than 1½ per cent of fat. Millers contend that 2½ per cent is a fair proportion and they are expecting a modification of the ruling.

Tower.—At a special meeting of the city council, Joseph Stonich, tailor, and G. Lee Fleming, superintendent of schools of District No. 9, were named as aldermen to succeed Charles Roland and O. C. Sovde, who resigned some weeks ago. Mr. Stonich has had previous experience on the council and was a candidate for alderman at the last election.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist will appoint a board of inquiry to investigate charges of irregularities in the Fourth infantry, now the First infantry of the new Minnesota National Guard, filed recently by J. C. Melville, Minneapolis, who resigned as captain of Company A. The personnel of the board, the governor indicated, may be made public today.

Ironton. — Messrs. McAlpine and Proctor and Supt. Warren of the Inland Steel corporation were in Minneapolis looking after the coal situation for the coming winter. They were promised by the fuel administration that the Cuyuna range would not suffer for want of coal since the district was producing material necessary for the continuance of the war.

St. Paul.—That ten carloads of eggs shipped from Newburg, N. D., have been seized by Minnesota authorities after they crossed the Dakota line was revealed when James Sorenson, state dairy and food commissioner, opened a campaign to prevent interstate shipment of bad eggs. He said that in the last year $1,500,000 had been lost by Minnesota dealers because of decomposed eggs having been shipped to this state.

Canby.—A big Studebaker six, driven by Charlie Fickbohm, in attempting to avoid a collision with a Ford car, nearly caused the death of several members of the Herman Fickbohm family, who were sitting on the front porch of their home. Young Fickbohm lost control of the car and it leaped the curbing at high speed, crashed through the posts supporting the porch and pinned Mrs. Marvin Ostensoe, Mrs. Allen and little Lucille Fickbohm against the house.

Pipestone. — A thousand dollars worth of whisky, evidently intended for the bootleggers at Sioux City, will be used for medicinal purposes at the army hospitals, as the result of the arrest of C. F. Denkman of Sioux City, just outside of Trotsky. In the municipal court Denkman was fined $100. The whisky was ordered confiscated by the court and will be shipped from Pipestone to St. Paul, where Adjutant General Rhinow will take it in charge for distribution to army hospitals.

Red Lake Falls.—Business men in the towns of Red Lake county have come forward as a unit in agreeing to assist the farmers of the county in harvesting their crops if needed. At the request of County Agent Charles C. Lake they have signed pledge cards binding themselves to work four days a week for two weeks, Saturdays excepted, on whatever farms they might be sent by the local labor agents. Business men of Plummer, Oklee and Brooks had already taken similar action.

Wells. — Whistles blow daily in Wells at 4 p. m. and again at 5 p. m., when stores, offices and other business places close and business and professional men and other townspeople gather at the city hall and hike for the harvest fields to help the farmers gather the crop. Hundreds of harvest helpers turn out every day except Saturdays and Sundays, and there is no serious farm labor shortage. Fred B. Stubs, Faribault, director of the State Public Safety commission, effected the Wells plan.

Red Wing.—Lightning played another one of its freakish tricks when the home of Bert Rand was struck by a bolt, which evidently entered through the chimney and went out the kitchen door without leaving so much as a mark. Mrs. Rand, who was sitting in the kitchen of her home, heard the crash and saw a ball of fire go through the doorway, but no damage of any kind resulted.

Alexandria.—Vernon Mohawk, 15 year-old son of Joshua Mohawk of this city, was drowned in Lake Louise as the result of an attempt to save his companion.

HOW FARM FOLKS HELP IN THE WAR

Little Stories From Real Life Illustrating How They Back Up Uncle Sam.

LIBERTY BONDS TEACH THRIFT

Encourage Saving Habit in Those Who Never Saved Before—Great Crisis Demands the Best From All of Us.

By HERBERT MYRICK.

President of the National Farm Power Group of Agricultural Papers.

Did you read that item in the newspapers the other day, of a one-time distinguished and prosperous citizen of Chicago who died suddenly in the hospital, unknown, alone, unloved? He was an old man, a victim of adversity, forgotten by the acquaintances of his prosperity. The authorities were about to consign the body to the potters' field when they found in his pocket a Liberty bond for $50 and a certificate of a fraternal lodge to which he had once belonged. That society was notified and gave him a Christian burial, the undertaker and cemetery accepting the bond in payment for coffin and lot.

Jamie, We Salute You!

A good man and true is Jamie Bliss, age five years, who lives with mamma and papa on a farm near Eau Claire, Wis. Jamie had heard all the discussion about Liberty bonds and Thrift stamps, and, not yet being established in business for himself, was puzzled a little to know how such a little boy could have a part in this great undertaking. At the same time he learned how sorely our fighting men need wool and the great idea came to him. Without consulting anyone, Jamie started about the farm harvesting from hedges and wire fences the little wisps of wool left there as his father's sheep pastured. As a result of his expedition Jamie came into the house with his pockets and inside of his waist bulging with wool. Mamma Bliss was somewhat astonished when he explained that he was gathering wool to sell so he could buy Thrift stamps, but being a wise mother, she saw the point quickly.

Since then Honorable Jamie, wool gatherer to Uncle Sam, makes daily excursions into the sheep pasture. Already his wool has purchased two $5 War Savings stamps and a good start toward another one. This, folks, is something which was not taught out of a book, but it is a sample of the patriotic citizenship now growing up, ready to stand at the helm a few decades hence.

Becoming a Bondholder.

Among my friends for years is a hard-working farmer with wife and several children. He never seemed to quite "get there." Though he worked hard, he just lacked the knack of getting a bit ahead. During the past year he seemed to have prospered. When I saw him last week he said:

"It's this way: I subscribed $50 for a Liberty bond last year, and simply had to pay for it. I did so by paying in every dollar I could spare, instead of spending money for things we could just as well do without. It is curious how one accumulates if they go at it that way.

"I see now that one reason why I never saved any money was because I didn't have anything like this to take my cash a little at a time. I used to think that I would begin saving when I had my bills paid and $25 to the good, but I have discovered at this late date that the way to do it is to save a little at a time and put it by as you get it. I have been surprised to find that the same is true of so many other farmers, especially renters. What they have put into the Liberty bond is money that would have slipped through their fingers. They would have nothing to show for it, whereas now they have got a bond earning good interest, while their money is helping to lick the kaiser. My first bond is now paid in full and I am beginning to save up my subscription to the fourth Liberty bond."

This reminds me of still another case where the boys and girls have earned and saved along with their parents until their subscription for each of the three Liberty loans are now paid up. They did not see how they could raise the money for their first subscription, but their second was double that, and the third was still larger. The oldest boy was taken by the draft, which made the family all the more determined. The mother is saving her egg money, each of the children has a bit of a garden from which they are selling stuff, one of the girls is a member of the pig club and the oldest boy still at home has quarter of an acre of onions that promises a splendid crop. The father is harvesting a heavy crop of wheat, and last spring made up his mind to devote not less than one third of the proceeds to the war. This one family is planning to subscribe $1,000 for the fourth Liberty loan, and if all goes well, will be able to pay down nearly half the amount.

A Horde of Huns at Your Door.

You know what they would do to you and your women—a fate far worse than death. You know how Huns have laid bare the countryside they have conquered—no animal or plant allowed to survive, even trees and vines cut off close to the ground. Rural homes demolished, barns burned.

You know how the Boches enslave the farmers of Belgium, Poland, the Ukraine. Words cannot depict the horror of it.

To prevent the same thing happening right here to you and your family, to your own community, state and nation—that is what our boys are fighting for "over there."

It is a question of right over might! Shall liberty be destroyed by slavery? This is the question the war is to answer for you and me and for generations yet unborn.

This final struggle for the survival of the fittest among humans demands every ounce of our energy, every cent of our money. Noble men and women are patriotically devoting some or all of their time, without money and without price, to help Uncle Sam win a victory. Others are giving produce or money to the good cause. Millions of our healthiest young men, the very seed of the race, are sacrificing their lives that you and I and others may live in peace.

The very least that each of us can do now is to lend our money to Uncle Sam so that he will have the funds with which to fight. The war is costing billions. The only way the government can get the money is to borrow it from the people or tax it out of them. The more the public lends to the government, the less taxes it will have to pay.

You can help in this crisis by subscribing to the fourth Liberty loan. These government bonds are the safest investment on earth. They are absolutely good. They yield good interest. You can get your interest money twice a year. If you have to use your principal, you can sell your bond any minute, or you can use it as security at the bank to borrow for temporary wants. The latter is the better way, because it doesn't help the government any for you to sell your bond or for somebody else to buy your bond. Get your bond direct from the government; then your money goes direct to the government and will be used by it to pay the wages of soldiers and sailors and to furnish the ships and munitions with which they shall win the victory.

Must Do Our Best.

It is up to each of us to do not our bit but our best. It's a question of life or death. Simplify, economize, go without things, so that the effort, time, thought and money thus saved may be transmuted into the things that shall enable the American flag to fly over Berlin—a symbol of the new civilization which is to insure peace through victory

In our rural homes, on our farms, in the trenches, in other branches of service, in subscriptions to the Liberty bonds and War stamps, our American farmers have repeatedly gone over the top. Their efforts, their patriotism, their loyalty, have been universally recognized. Now in this fourth Liberty loan our rural folks will show the same generous confidence in the eternal principles of human liberty and of self government that were championed by those Middlesex farmers:

"Their flags to April breeze unfurled,
Who fired the shot heard 'round the world."

GOES WOOING IN AN AIRSHIP

Maiden's Neighbors in London Suburb Have Fears for Their Roofs.

London. A pretty bit of chivalry was seen in a London suburb the other day. Early in the morning the knight-errant was out on his airplane and was flying low—so low as to make the tenants of the terrace anxious about their roofs.

On the miniature lawn in the center of the 30-foot garden the maiden waited until there fluttered down through the morning mist a little streamer of white material. It missed the garden and fell into the roadway.

The maiden rushed out and picked up her love letter.

The neighbors' curtains resumed their stillness, and the little episode of these grim days was closed.

Discard Hun Music Books.

San Francisco. Because several songs in the music books used in California public schools savored of German origin, with perhaps a trace of the well-known German propaganda in them, the state board of education has decreed that the books must go into the discard. A new series has been prepared for the pupils, which, it is announced, is "free from all German taint."

LIBERTY BOND IN FIRE

Mixed With Newspapers It Was Used for Kindling.

Mrs. Charles Stoeckel of Georgetown, Del., found it rather cool and damp one day recently and decided to kindle a little wood fire in one of her stoves. She used an old newspaper or two picked up from the center table, to start the wood. Among the papers was a $50 Liberty bond, which her husband had just purchased at the bank for his daughter Nellie, and had laid on the table until he could present it. The bond was burned to ashes, but Stoeckel is trying to get a new one, as he has the number and the bank officials distinctly remember him buying it.

Build Ship in Fifteen Days.

Workman, Clark & Co., shipbuilders at Belfast, Ireland, have achieved a world's record in completing an 8,000-ton standard vessel in fifteen days after she was launched.

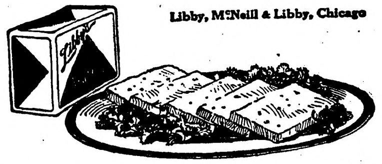
Libby's

Tempting veal loaf

WHAT is more tempting for a summer luncheon than Libby's savory Veal Loaf! Prettily garnished it makes a dainty yet substantial dish — and one all ready to put on the table!

Order Libby's Veal Loaf today. You will want it always on your shelves—for quick luncheons—for unexpected guests.

Libby, McNeill & Libby, Chicago



Help Save the Canadian Harvest

When Our Own Harvest Requirements Are Completed

United States Help Badly Needed
Harvest Hands Wanted

Military demands from a limited population have made such a scarcity of farm help in Canada that the appeal of the Canadian Government to the United States Government for

Help to Harvest the Canadian Grain Crop of 1918

Meets with a request for all available assistance to

GO FORWARD AS SOON AS OUR OWN CROP IS SECURED

The Allied Armies must be fed and therefore it is necessary to save every bit of the crop of the Continent—American and Canadian.

Those who respond to this appeal will get a

Warm Welcome, Good Wages, Good Board and Find Comfortable Homes

A card entitling the holder to a rate of one cent per mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return will be given to all harvest applicants.

Every facility will be afforded for admission into Canada and return to the United States.

Information as to wages, railway rates and routes may be had from the

UNITED STATES EMPLOYMENT SERVICE
BISMARCK, GRAND FORKS, FARGO, MINOT.

PHTHISIS AS DEADLY AS WAR

Expert Says That in Four Years It Has Killed as Many as Have Died in Battle.

The war has served effectually to disclose that during the four years of hostilities mortality from tuberculosis in the civilian population and in the armies of all the countries engaged has at least approximated the total number of soldiers killed in battle, according to Dr. Livingstone Farrand. As director of the American commission for the prevention of tuberculosis in France Doctor Farrand will resume his work overseas within a few days. He returned to the United States for graduation exercises of the University of Colorado, of which he is president.

"To make our country really safe for democracy we must first make it healthy," is the slogan Doctor Farrand suggests.

Of the men called to the colors in this country's first draft summons 50,000 were found to be tubercular, his appeal states. This, it declares, is one of the striking indications of the prevalence to the disease in the United States.

Exactly So.

Nell—He told me he would go to the end of the world to serve me.

Belle—Well, that's going the limit.

When a girl gets hold of a young man's heart strings she proceeds to tie them in a beau knot.

Some people seem to think that loud talk makes a sound argument.

Short and Pointed Message.

Few women have been so hard worked since the war as Mrs. Bramwell Booth, wife of the Salvation Army chief. But in her scant leisure Mrs. Bramwell Booth can tell a good story. One of them concerns a certain drunkard who fell into the hands of the Salvation Army.

"He had been drunk for so long," said Mrs. Bramwell Booth, "that he was able to give us very little information about himself. Eventually, however, we discovered that he was married and that his deserted wife lived in a town in the Midlands. We immediately telegraphed to her: 'We have found your husband.' In a very short time we got the reply: 'You can keep him!'"

Watch Your Skin Improve.

On rising and retiring gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. For free sample address "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Extreme View.

"Ella is getting daft about this sanitary pure food business."

"Yes; she won't even listen to a fellow's chaff unless it is pure nonsense."

That Is If He Isn't a Scout.

"What does a person usually grow in his garden?"

"Tired."—Boys' Life.

True happiness consists in getting something you wanted but didn't expect.

Do This After You Eat

Hot Weather "Out of Fix" Stomachs Easily Put Right

When hot weather comes, stomach and bowel miseries begin. Strong, sound stomachs as well as weak ones are easily affected by the harmful gases and acids so often produced in the things we eat and drink during hot weather. Winter—Nature's icebox, is gone—hot weather breeds the poisonous germs that cause ptomaine poison in all its many forms.

Every one knows that the after-eating nausea, belching, that wretched, bloated, "lumpy" feeling, sour stomach, heartburn, food repeating, and other forms of indigestion and dyspepsia are far more frequent during hot weather. It is the time when you have to guard constantly against an upset stomach and the many ills that are always apt to follow. Then again—we have the world's war to win—with the change of diet and extra work which means we must all carefully guard our stomachs this year—keep ourselves fit and fine.

A marvelous relief and prevention has been found for stomach sufferers, which makes it possible for you to eat the things you like best without a single unpleasant thought of what may follow. EATONIC Tablets, good tasting, quick acting, and absolutely harmless, have already proven an untold blessing to thousands of people.

One or two EATONIC Tablets after meals work wonders. They sweeten and purify the stomach by neutralizing the trouble-making acids and gases and stop the griping pains of indigestion and other stomach and bowel disturbances.

And the best part of it is—you can be your own judge. Just try EATONIC. Let your own stomach tell you the truth. If you are not pleased then they don't cost you one penny.

Druggists are amazed at the astonishing reports from EATONIC users, who have found EATONIC a quick, wonderful relief for stomach ailments.

So we tell you to get a large box of EATONIC from your druggist, whom you know and can trust, and then if EATONIC is not suited to your case, return it to your druggist at once and get back your money. That's a fair, square offer. Every person is urged to make the test. Let your own stomach tell you the truth. So start using EATONIC today.

Taxpayers Candidate

eldest son, Selmer, is fighting with General Pershing youngest son, Peter, is serv- the navy as an expert gunner Norlina.

oyal citizens will win this war.

hat are your immediate plans he future? A busy world full of ortunities, is waiting for the g men and young women who prepared. Send for a booklet ay and find out what others have and what others say. North College, Warren, Minn.

Trade or Sale Cheap

ne complete threshing outfit, 2 mobiles, 1 seven H P gasoline ine, one separator.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

tation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Torger T. Sollom
State of Minnesota,
ty of Marshall In Probate Court.
In the Matter of the Estate of
Torger T. Sollom, Decedent.

e State of Minnesota, to Mrs. Sollom and all persons inter- in the granting of administra- of the estate of said decedent: petition of K. A. Sundahl hav- been filed in this Court, repre- ing that Torger T. Sollom, then ident of the County of Marshall e of Minnesota, died intestate he th day of August 1915, praying that letters of adminis- on of his estate be granted to Sundahl and the Court, hav- fixed the time and place for ing said petition: THERE- E, You and Each of You, are by cited and required to show e, if any you have, before this t at the Probate Court Rooms he City of Warren in the County arshall State of Minnesota, on 3rd day of September 1918, at o'clock A. M., why said petition ld not be granted.

itness, the Judge of said Court, the seal of said Court, this 6th of August 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
Probate Judge.
A. Naplin
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

E. Mellby, M.D.
Office: McGinn Block
hief River Falls, Minn.
s: Office 168 Residence 167

War Savings Stamps
Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without
YOUR HELP
that Germany will let you keep your money if she Wins. Buy a Stamp

Is your paper paid for.

The navy will now enlist men up to 40 years of age and wants lots of them.

Miss Olga Saastad returned Friday from Fargo for a few weeks visit at home.

The Fourth Liberty Loan drive will start Sept. 28th and be bigger than ever before.

Fred Lufkin and family of T. R. Falls were Sunday guests at the Carl Sorenson home.

Arnold Bornstein went to Maddock, N. Dak., Monday to work thru harvest and thrashing.

About $50.00 was collected at the Red Cross meeting at Fred Peterson's Saturday evening.

Mrs. Erick Johnson went to Thief River Falls Saturday to visit relatives returning home Tuesday.

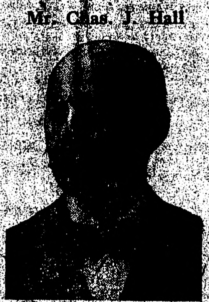
The French bread ration is only one and a half ounces per day for adults doing ordinary work.

Special election Aug. 17th to vote bonds for an addition to the school house, which is needed very much.

The Normal training dept. at the Crookston Agricultural School begins Sept. 10, and will do its share to relieve a great shortage of teachers.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Mr. Chas. J. Hall



Chas. J. Hall spoke here on the street Tuesday forenoon, to a small gathering in the interest of state wide prohibition. He announced another speaker would be here in six weeks from his date and urged upon everyone to vote the pink ballot without fail. Mr. Hall is a live wire and keeps the people interested.

Be a loyal red blooded American.

Found: A ring. Please prove property and pay for this notice.

The Sunnyside Red Cross Auxiliary will meet at Gust Peterson's Thurday P. M. Aug. 15th.

Rev. James R. Orrock of Thief River Falls will hold services here next Monday evening at 8:30

Late model Ford for sale.
Newfolden Auto Co.
Newfolden, Minn.

Helmer Udstrand went to Warren Monday to be examined and from there went to Dakota to work in harvest.

A good many people from these parts were in attendance at the Thief River Fall fair the first three days of this week.

Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls will preach in the Free Mission church next Sunday at 3 P. M. Everybody invited.

B. Docken has been appointed Labor Leader for this vicinity. If you want work file your application with Mr. Docken, or if you need farm help apply to him.

Notice of Special Election

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in School District No. 35 of Marshall County, at the School House on the 17th day of August 1918 from 7 P. M. to 9 P. M., for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said municipality in the aggregate sum of $9000.00 bearing interest at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purpose:

To build an addition to School House and equipping the same with school furniture.

To pay Outstanding Oders.

and to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the clerk.

Dated July 30th 1918.

B. Docken, Clerk
of School District No. 35.

Red Cross meeting at the Gust Peterson home next Thurday P. M.

Peter Peterson went to T. R. Falls Monday for a few days visit with relatives.

English services at the Mission church Monday evening. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Ole Knutson returned home Tuesday from a short visit with relatives in T. R. Falls.

Seventy five woman and girls are at the present time employed in the saw mill at Spooner.

The Red Cross Society will meet at Mrs. Swan's next Wednesday evening. Everybody invited.

H. J. Oien and family autoed to Fertile Saturday for a short visit at the home of Mrs. Oien's parents.

Henry and Ida Offerdahl went to Michigan City, N. Dak. to visit relatives and work thru the summer season.

Mrs. Carl Dahl of Golden Valley was taken sick Monday and is now under the care of doctor Adkins of Gryglа.

Rev. Geo. Larson, Mrs. Berg and Miss Anna Brederson all of T. R. Falls visited at the Erick Johnson home Sunday.

Creamery Statement

Business done by Holt Creamery for month of June 1918.

Number of Patrons this month	102
Cream received	31,182 lbs.
Average test	28.06
Butterfat	8,916 lbs.
Overrun	2,200 lbs.
Butter made	11,116 lbs.
Price paid	45 cents
Receipts for butter sold	$4,594.59
Bal last month	217.93
Total	$4,812.52
Paid Patrons by check, supplies, etc.	$4013.40
Expense fund	623.44
Sinking fund	68.87
Balance	106.81
Total	$4,812.52

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA
The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.
Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.
Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.
DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

How You Can Help: What to Save and What to Use

(Published by The Federal Food Administration for Minnesota.)

Three times each day every American has opportunity to be of direct, practical help to the men on the battle front.

NATIONAL PROGRAM.

SAVE SUGAR. Two pounds per person per month is the American honor-ration. Try to eat less, and add to the National surplus for canning. Do this that the fighting forces may be kept fully supplied, and that England, France and Italy may receive their greatly restricted requirements.

SAVE BEEF. Food for fighting men. Save the large carcasses for them by restricting yourself to small cuts, by-products and trimmings—hearts, tongues, livers. We have enough increase supply of pork this summer to permit economical expansion in its use, to relieve the pressure on beef.

SAVE WHEAT. Keep on saving, though the harvest is large. Build up war reserves by persistent conservation. Without American wheat saved from the last harvest the Allied cause would have been lost. The margin next year must not be so narrow.

USE FRUITS. Take advantage of the natural sugar in fruits. Can without sugar, or with little sugar. Add sugar later when it will be more plentiful. Dried fruits, such as raisins, dates and figs, have much sugar in them. Use honey, maple products and sirups when available.

USE VEGETABLES. Make local vegetables fill as large a place as possible in your diet, thus conserving not only meat and wheat, but transportation and labor. Don't use canned goods now, while the fresh are available.

USE DAIRY PRODUCTS. Always give the children plenty of milk, milk products and eggs. Use them yourselves freely now, and thus conserve meat for export.

USE FISH. New species are being popularized and supplies increased. Eat this nutritious but perishable food several times a week and let the non-perishables go abroad.

RESULTS: OUR EFFORTS DURING THE FISCAL YEAR 1917-18 SENT THE ALLIES 18,844,600,000 POUNDS MORE MEAT AND FATS AND 80,900,000 BUSHELS MORE CEREALS THAN DURING 1916-1917. FROM AMERICAN SOURCES OF SUPPLY ALSO 1,956,400,000 POUNDS MORE SUGAR WAS SHIPPED THAN THE PRE-WAR ANNUAL AVERAGE.

How Many Pounds Will You Save For Them In 1918-1919?

Profits and Prices
Profits may be considered from two angles:
1st—Their effect on prices;
2nd—As a return to investors.
When profits are small as compared with sales, they have little effect on prices.
Swift & Company's profits are only a fraction of a cent per pound on all products sold, and if eliminated entirely would have practically no effect on prices.
Swift & Company paid 10 per cent dividends to over 20,000 stockholders out of its 1917 profits. It also had to build extensions and improvements out of profits; to finance large stocks of goods made necessary by unprecedented requirements of the United States and Allied Governments; and to provide protection against the day of declining markets.
Is it fair to call this profiteering?
Swift & Company, U.S.A.

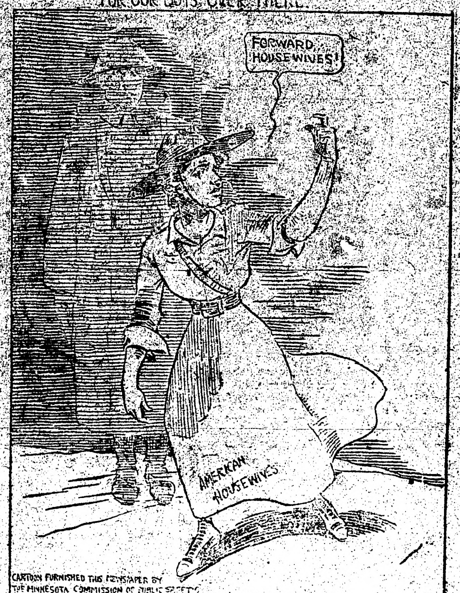
Better get a supply of wood soon as there wont be any coal any where next winter, where it is in anyway possible to get wood for fuel.

Your country calls you! Do not be among those who are impatient to Fire before they are ready. How shall you get ready? Where shall you get ready? America's answer to this is, "At School" Choose NORTH STAR COLLEGE, Warren, Minn.

Complaint has been made of mail boxes on the route being tampered with and broken into. There is a heavy fine for anything of this kind and if complaint is again made to me of anything of this kind it will be my duty to immediately notify the postoffice department who will proceed to punish the law breakers at once.

Nils Engebretson,
Postmaster.

FOR OUR BOYS "OVER THERE"



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Local Items

Dr. Gambell, phone 140.

Ole Becklund was a Sunday visitor at Randen.

[illegible] is drilling a well for Gay Anderson near his feed barn.

C. L. Sandberg and family visited relatives west of St Hilaire Sunday.

C. G. Mugg, the Grand Forks Eye Man, will be in Holt Aug. 17, 18 and A. M. early of the 19th.

Mrs. M. B. Fitch and children and Mrs. Hagberg and Gladys were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Willie [illegible] and little son returned here Monday from a weeks visit with relatives at T. R. Falls.

Mayme and Gladys Fisk entertained a party [illegible] Tuesday [illegible] of Cleve Peterson and Ernest Phillipson who are soon to leave for Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

[illegible] in the [illegible] Wednesday afternoon Aug. 24th and then we can catch up with our work which is far behind.

Ed Nelson has leased the barber shop of Ernest Phillipson and will continue the business until he is called into the military service. This makes 4 barbers Holt has furnished Uncle Sam so far.

Will you answer the call to the colors? You may not be able to serve your country on the battlefield, but you can "do your bit" at home. Prepare for life's work and life's battles at NORTH STAR COLLEGE, WARREN, MINN.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson were over from Newfolden Wednesday for a short visit. Mr. Carlson recently returned from Minneapolis where he had been to consult a specialist as he has been suffering from diabetes, but is somewhat better now, we are glad to report.

Clarence [illegible] of Mentor and Fridjof Riesberg of Erskine spent Sunday at the P. A. Riesberg home. Clarence has traded his auto to parties in Thief River Falls for residence lots in that city. Fridjof is anxious to enlist, but the recent ruling, closing recruiting stations, will not permit him to do so at present.

Vote for the School Bonds.

City Meat Market
Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides and Furs.
TERMS: Cash. Positively no credit
O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

First Community War Bride

On Saturday evening Aug. 10th at Thief River Falls before Judge Tarrant occurred the marriage of Olga Saastad to Audley H. Ahlborn of the Marine Corps, stationed at Annapolis, Maryland.

The marriage came as a complete surprise to the relatives and many friends of the bride.

The bride is well known in this community, having lived here practically all her life.

The groom, formally of Thief River Falls but employed at the Freight Account Department at the Union depot at Minneapolis until sixteen months ago when he enlisted in the marine corps. He was originally in that detachment that has done such wonderful work in France but he was transferred to guard duty at the Radio Station near Annapolis.

He obtained a ten day furlough and arrived at Holt Friday with his bride-to-be, returning to T. R. Falls Saturday afternoon. As Mr. Ahlborn had to leave Sunday evening for Maryland, they returned to the Saastad home for a few hours visit on Sunday.

Mrs. Ahlborn will remain at her parental home as it is not yet certain whether Mr. Ahlborn will remain stationed at Annapolis very long.

Holt Boys Enlist

Cleve Peterson and Ernest Phillipson enlisted last week Thursday in the coast artillery service but they expect a transfer into the signal corps. They will leave [illegible] of this month for Jefferson Barracks, Mo. [illegible] them.

Don't kick on how the school election goes, if you fail to vote.

Sam Mickelson came home Saturday from Angus for a short visit.

Late model Ford for sale.
Newfolden Auto Co.
Newfolden, Minn.

Mrs. Ollie Werner and children of Thief River Falls were Sunday guests at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg.

The Red Cross needs the help of every woman. Why not register for a nurse? Thousands of women are needed right now for nurses.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Oien and little daughter Harriet, went to Shelly Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the home of Mr. Oien's father.

All the ladies (who are old enough) are urged to vote at the school election to-morrow evening, and see that the men don't forget to go, as at the regular election.

Farmers are busy as they are commencing to harvest the biggest crop in the history of this country. Just one word of warning,— Build Good Straw Stacks and Save Every Spear.

Our school house is too small, has been for two years, and more room is very much needed. You can help by voting for bonds to build an addition to the school house and urge your friends to do the same.

T. S. Folden, Axel Nelson, Geo. Guss and Christ Norbeck attended the threshermen and farmers meeting in Warren last Saturday. The following prices were agreed upon which seemed to be very agreeable to the farmers in the western part of the county, viz: for threshing flax 15cents a bushel, wheat and rye 7c, barley 5c and oats 4c. If for any reason the crop on any farm should be very poor the price of threshing will be set at a certain price per hour according to circumstances.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Young People's Meeting at 3 o'clock next Sunday. Everybody welcome.

Rev. Kilen will hold services here at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening. Everyone welcome.

Special School Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting in School District No. 148 in Marshall Co. Minn. will be held at this school house on the 21st day of August 1918 at 7:30 o'clock P. M. for the following purposes: To consider term of school and grade of teacher.

Dated this 9th day of Aug. 1918
Clifford Erickson, District Clerk.

Some Good Cream Checks

Following are the patrons of the Holt creamery who received checks for $40.00 or more for the month of June

J. Knutson $109.74, Olaus Rodahl $106.43, J. Falman $88.05, T. O. Dovre $85.41, M. J. Lunke 84.93, Ed Horien 84.79, Ole Lunke $77.48 Lars Hellsvik $71.89, Erick Johnson 71.04, J. Magnuson $69.15, Hans Knutson 66.55, Chris Jefferson 65.69 Swan Carlson 64.22, M. O. Halvorson 64.00, [illegible] 63.96, Olaf Johnson [illegible], Fred Peterson 62.59 C. Heinze [illegible], [illegible] 52.29, [illegible] 51.[illegible], [illegible] 60.38, [illegible], [illegible] 60.[illegible], H. Haidle [illegible], [illegible] Smith [illegible], P. Reierson [illegible], J. Swan 57.36, Gust Peterson [illegible], E. Werner 56.91, Sever Nelson [illegible], O. A. Knutson 53.08, Sheehan Bros. 51.94, J. Udstrand 51.41, N. Lyon 50.68, Otto Johnson 49.69, Albert Jahr 48.45, Constantine Hoffman 47.70, M. S. Sampson 45.76, Theodore Sorum 45.72, Christ Evenson 45.73, Fred Larson 44.55, Ole Kjelgren 43.20, Walter Wegge 41, B. O. Waggedahl 41.78, Chris Saastad 40.98.

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Thief River Produce Co
Your shrinkage will be less
Remittances made Promptly
We offer F. O. B. your station

Hens 3 1-2 lbs & over	17c
Hens less 3 1-2 lbs	15c
Roosters, per lb	14c
Springs 1 1-2 lbs and over	23c
Dux	11c
Geese	10c
Turkeys	15c

Prices good until our next issue.
If you are in need of coops, write us.
Thief River Produce Co
Thief River Falls, Minn.

RED CROSS NOTES.

Miss Betty Johnson will entertain the Ringbo Auxilary of the Red Cross at our home on Wednesday Aug. 21st at 2 o'clock P. M. Every lady is welcome to attend.

Of the completed work sent in to Warren last month, Mrs. Sorter, Mrs. Sevenson, Hazel Davidson, Mrs. E. A. Erickson and Miss Sauers each made one hospital shirt, Esther Movik made two, Mrs. Bean three and Mrs. Larson one pair of socks. Especially good work was done by Mrs. Engen who made two shirts and knit four pair of socks.

Miss Esther Movick, Sec'y.

Southeast of Holt.

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Johnson and son Jerone were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peder Vold near Highlanding the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Geo. Nustvold who has been having medical treatment in Minneapolis for some time, returned to her home Saturday.

Miss Alma Soiney is employed at the Soo Cafe in Thief River Falls these days.

Mrs. P. Rude and son Melvin were Sunday visitors at Holt on Sunday.

Haldor Brevik, Albert Klungness and family autoed out to Mavie on Sunday and spent the day at the Olaf Brevik home.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson and sons Oleander and Hans of Germantown were Sunday visitors at Moe's.

A very large number of friends spent Sunday at the J. Klungness home.

Haldor Brevik of N. Dak. is a guest at the Jacob Klungness home.

R. Storm, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Torgerson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Klungness and daughter Amanda and Constance were among the many who attended the picnic at the state experimental farm at Golden Valley Saturday Aug. 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Lunke pleasantly entertained a number of relatives and friends on Sunday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Willie Steinhauer, Thora and Harry Moe, Hilmer Lunke, and T. Lyons.

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

Special election Aug. 17th to vote bonds for an addition to the school house, which is needed very much.

The Normal training dept. at the Crookston Agricultural School begins Sept. 10, and will do its share to relieve a great shortage of teachers.

The women of America are playing a mighty important part in our serious obligation to furnish war-torn peoples overseas with more food and clothing.

If it were not for the cooking and sewing economies practiced by millions of women, and their eager readiness to use food substitutes, it would be impossible for us to keep so many persons in Europe from dying of cold and hunger.

The women of this community can accomplish even more by studying the food and clothing efficiency exhibits at the Minnesota State Fair, September 2 to 7.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.01
Wheat No. 3	1.97
Wheat No. 4	1.93
Flax	4.02
Oats	56
Barley	54 to .72
Rye	1.43
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

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Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
Try Our
LUNCH COUNTER
Fresh Ice Cream Every Day
Prompt Service at all Times
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Bring in your automobile car for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right
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In connection with teams and rigs.
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
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Samson Windmills!
The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction.
They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.
See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.
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French Dry Cleaners
and
Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory
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Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
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We Buy All Kinds of Grain
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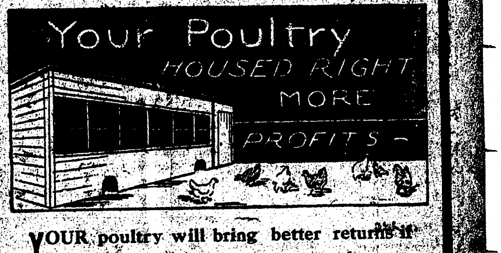

YOUR poultry will bring better returns if properly housed and taken care of.
AND you will be surprised at the small cost of building the houses and sheds necessary for their proper care.
WE have all of the material required for housing poultry and will gladly give you ideas along this line.
WINTON-NICHOLS Lumber Company
IF IT'S BUILDING MATERIAL—WE HAVE IT
HOLT, MINN.

WORLD'S EVENTS IN SHORT FORM

BEST OF THE NEWS BOILED DOWN TO LIMIT.

ARRANGED FOR BUSY PEOPLE

Notes Covering Most Important Happenings of the World Compiled in Briefest and Most Succinct Form for Quick Consumption.

Washington

Secretary of War Newton D. Baker announced that the American military contingent to go to Russia will number less than 10,000. The combined strength of the allies is not expected to exceed 25,000 men.

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Bitterly assailing the great packing firms of Swift, Armour, Morris, Cudahy and Wilson for creating a "structure of conspiracy, control, monopoly and restrains," the federal trade commission, in a report to President Wilson, recommends that immediate steps be taken to give the government a monopoly over such portion of their business as "will restore competition."

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The United States' wheat production for the year is estimated in the monthly government report at 878,000,000 bushels and the corn crop at 2,989,000,000 bushels. These figures are based on conditions reported on August 1.

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Voluntary enlistment in the United States army and navy was suspended completely to prevent disruption of industry pending disposition of the bill proposing to extend draft ages to include all men between eighteen and forty-five years.

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Complaints charging attempts to force maintenance of resale prices were issued by the federal trade commission against the Vortex Manufacturing company of Chicago and a New York and an Ohio concern.

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In urging enactment of the administration man-power bill extending draft ages from eighteen to forty-five years, General March told the senate military committee that the war department plans an army of approximately 5,000,000 men to be raised as soon as possible.

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Maj. Gen. William S. Graves, commanding the Eighth division at Camp Fremont, Cal., has been assigned to command American troops ordered to Siberia, General March, chief of staff, announced. The nucleus of the American forces sent to Siberia, he said, would be the Twenty-seventh and Thirty-first, regular regiments on duty in the Philippines.

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The ways and means committee of the house desires President Wilson to pay a tax of $24,000 as his part of the great war's financial burden. The committee agreed upon this, while working on the income tax section of the $8,000,000,000 war revenue bill.

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Broader provisions for exemptions have been written into the new man-power bill, now before congress, so that the nation's war industry fabric may not be upset by unduly large withdrawals of men over thirty-two years of age for military service.

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The new administration bill, introduced in both houses of congress, to increase the draft ages so as to include men between the ages of eighteen and forty-five, is practically certain of adoption. Provost Marshal General Crowder suggests September 5 as the date for a national registration of men within the proposed new ages.

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"There are 1,500,000 men in the training camps in the United States, and it is the purpose of the war department to keep 1,000,000 men in training in the home camps so long as the war shall last," Newton D. Baker, secretary of war, said at Kansas City, Mo.

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Domestic

Louisiana has ratified the federal prohibition amendment. Ratification was voted by the house, 69 to 51, following favorable action early in the week by the senate.

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Second Lieuts. Harry S. Herr and Leon W. Adelsperger, both of Springfield, O., were killed at Taliferro field, Tex., when the machines they were piloting collided at an altitude of about 3,000 feet and fell to the ground.

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Judge John M. Becker of Monroe, Wis., tried in the federal court at Eau Claire on a charge of having made unpatriotic utterances, was convicted by a jury. Sentence was deferred.

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John H. Fahey of Boston, representing the St. Johns River Shipbuilding company, purchased the Hillyer, Sperring & Dunn wooden shipyard in South Jacksonville, Fla., the largest of its kind in the South.

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Federal indictments were returned at New York charging the Pennsylvania railroad, Armour & Co., Swift & Co. and the New Jersey City Stockyards company, with conspiring to violate the federal statutes which prohibit the giving or accepting of rebates.

Twenty-two of the twenty-four hangars on Gerstner aviation field near Lake Charles, La., were blown down and many airplanes destroyed or entirely swept away by the tropical storm which struck that region.

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An increase in street car fares for Detroit, Mich., was announced by the Detroit United railway. The new rates will be 6 cents cash or ten tickets for 55 cents, instead of a flat 5-cent charge.

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Gerstner field training camp for aviators was badly damaged by a storm. The property loss near Lake Charles, La., is more than $1,000,000. Several structures went down.

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The German tongue is hereafter officially forbidden in Masonic lodges of Illinois as the result of an order issued by Grand Master Austin H. Scrogin. The order followed an extended conference.

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The resignation of John K. Tener, president of the National baseball league, was received at the New York office of the league. Pressure of business is said gradually to have weaned him away from the national pastime.

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U.S.—Teutonic War News

Sick and wounded soldiers landed in the United States from the American expeditionary forces and sent to various army hospitals during the week ended August 2, numbered 159.

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The Diamond Shoals lightship off Cape Hatteras was shelled and sunk by a German submarine, the navy department announced. The crew of the lightship reached the shore safely in boats.

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The Standard Oil company's tank steamer Louis Blanchet was torpedoed and sunk 40 miles west of Halifax, N. S., after a thrilling three hours' battle with a German submarine. The crew took to their small boats, where they were shelled by the submarine, but escaped without being hit.

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"As it stands now, we have the U-boats checkmated," said Charles M. Schwab, director general of shipbuilding, at Atlantic City, N. J. "We are putting out more tonnage now than the Germans can sink and it doesn't begin to measure up to the product that we will be able to send down the ways in a few short months."

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American troops participated in the landing of the allied forces at Archangel last week. The participation of the Americans in the landing has been greeted enthusiastically in northern Russia.

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Foreign

The government of the "country of the north," recently established at Archangel, Russia, after a revolution against the bolsheviki, has addressed a proclamation to the people of the district, declaring the bolshevik regime at an end and announcing that the new government has taken up the duty of governing the region.

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Lieut. Frank Foster Foss, U. S. A., was killed and five sailors were injured by a boiler explosion on an American ship in a British port, says a dispatch from London. Lieutenant Foss' home is in Providence, R. I.

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L. J. Malvy, former minister of the interior of France, was found guilty of holding communication with the enemy and sentenced to five years' banishment. The sentence does not carry civic degradation.

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European War News

German submarines operating off the French coast on August 8 sank the small American steamship Lake Portage and the British steamer Berwind. Lake Portage of 1,998 gross tons, was built last year.

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Official dispatches to Washington from Rome say news has reached there from Switzerland that Austro-German re-enforcements are being sent in large numbers to both the Italian and Albanian fronts.

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The Russian government has issued a declaration that a state of war exists between England and Russia, according to a dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin, which prints the news "with reservation."

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"Hold fast," was the keynote of a message to the British empire issued in London by Premier David Lloyd George and promulgated in a dramatic way through the kingdom at the hour of nine o'clock Monday night. The message was read to the audiences in all theaters.

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Two British torpedo-boat destroyers were sunk by enemy mines on August 2, according to an official statement issued in London by the British admiralty. Five officers and 92 ratings were lost, according to the statement.

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After the occupation of Archangel by the allies, the bolsheviki withdrew across the River Dvina and on August 4 were again driven out of their positions there, chiefly by shellfire, according to news received in London. The allies have since rushed rapidly southward along the railway toward Vologda.

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In a night raid on England by German airships one of the enemy craft, a Zeppelin, was brought down at sea in flames, it was officially announced in London.

YANKS BATTLE ON OFFENSIVE

Engaged With French and Occupy Outskirts of Important City of Bray.

ADVANCE CONTINUES

Enemy Reported to Have Evacuated Roye—Germans Fight Fiercely to Protect Chaulnes—Resistance to British Becomes Stronger.

London, Aug. 13.—American troops are in the suburbs of Bray, fighting a continuous battle for the outskirts of the little French city. A ding dong battle is raging all up and down the northern section of the present battle line.

London, Aug. 13.—German casualties on the Picardy battlefront including killed, wounded and missing, are estimated at 100,000.

London, Aug. 13.—Mighty efforts are being made by the German high command to check the Allies' advance through Picardy toward Peronne, Roye and Noyon. On the northern end of the battleline the British have not been able to progress rapidly, although London reports unofficially that the village of Bray has been entered.

In the center, strong German counterattacks seem to have held up the advance against vital points along the line. There is an unconfirmed report, however, that Roye has been abandoned by the enemy.

French Continue Gaining.

On the right the French are still gaining ground steadily. They have reached the crest of the hills west of the Oise and have virtually cleared the Matz valley of the enemy.

The battle is still confined within the limits fixed when the French extended the fighting area to the Oise. It has been expected that the combat might spread all along the line, especially northward, but this development has not yet been reported.

Teuton Right Flank Holds.

There has been an enemy effort, which has met with a measure of success, to hold the northern flank of the line firmly while the Allies have pushed eastward in the direction of Peronne and Ham. On the southern end of the front the Germans have been unable so far to do more than slow down the progress of the French.

In this sector an important advance is reported in the fact that the French have reached Antoval, on the crest of the hills west of Ribecourt. In the German drive early in June the fall of Antoval proved fatal to French hopes to hold the valley of the Oise as well as the forest of Carelpont, on the east bank.

Fierce Fighting Expected.

The coming day or two probably will be marked by savage fighting, especially on the south, where the continued progress of the French would weaken the whole German position, if it does not turn the flank of the Noyon-Nesle line, which, it appears, may be the first defensive upon which the enemy may elect to stand.

EXPECT FALL OF LASSIGNY

Capture of Important City Predicted by Papers.

Paris, Aug. 13.—Military commentators in the Paris newspapers express confidence that the Allied advance, while slowed up, is bound to be continued. It is certain that the German retreat is not over, says L'Homme Libre, while the Petit Parisien declares that the capture of Lassigny by the French is only a question of hours. The entire group of hills between Lassigny and the Oise is being encircled, the Petit Journal declares, and must inevitably be evacuated.

With the French Armies in the Field, Aug. 13.—French troops, closing in upon the important base of Lassigny, have advanced to within two miles of that place.

SUNDAY'S WORK UNESSENTIAL

Evangelist's Efforts Not War Essential, Says Board.

Providence, R. I., Aug. 13.—Billy Sunday's work is not a war essential, says the priority committee of the war industries board. Special Agent Howick, department of justice, has made public a letter from the board in Washington stating it will not consider priority as to material entering into construction of the Billy Sunday tabernacle now being built here, unless such materials are in abundant supply. The priorities committee holds the building of the tabernacle will not lend itself to winning the war but will have an effect after the war is won.

Ready for Embarking.

Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., Aug. 13—In preparation for what is evidently an early movement overseas officers and men of the Black-hawk Division, the Eighty-sixth, at Camp Grant, are undergoing careful scrutiny by examining officers, both with respect to personal fitness and individual equipment. The commanding officers are determined that the division shall go to the port of embarkation in the best of condition. Some divisions have lost as high as 5,000 men at detraining ports, it is said.

MEASURE IS ONE BILLION SHORT

Ways and Means Committee of House Strike Snags in Framing Revenue Bill.

MAY INCREASE TARIFF

Higher Customs Duties to Produce $400,000,000 Is Advocated by Several Members as One Solution of Problem.

Washington, Aug. 13.—In the framing of the tentative draft of the revenue bill the house ways and means committee is an even $1,000,000,000 short of its $8,000,000,000 goal after including all schedules so far tentatively adopted and the whisky and beer taxes, and the luxury schedule, which falls very far short of the $2,000,000,000 allotted it, and held until the last.

The committee, in what it plans to be its final week of framing the measure, will be forced to devise means to make up the $1,000,000,000.

Committee Asks Rise.

Chairman Kitchin of the committee expects to confer with Secretary McAdoo before the bill is given its final approval, and differences between the treasury and the committee regarding the excess profits tax are expected to be straightened out. The treasury desires excess profits rates in the present law to stand, while the committee has tentaively raised them.

Sugar Tax Proposed.

There was renewed talk among committee members of the feasibility of a gross sales tax. There also was talk of an excise tax on tea, coffee and sugar. A tax of 3 cents a pound on coffee and sugar and 10 or 15 cents a pound on tea, it was stated, would produce between $400,000,000 and $500,000,000.

Some members urged a resort to the tariff, saying an increase in customs duties to produce $400,000,000 should be adopted.

Liquor Tax Urged.

The whisky and beer tax practically has been agreed on, but the rates are being withheld by the committee until the last moment. These taxes probably will raise $810,000,000 and the soft drinks $30,000,000. There is still, however, hovering over the schedule the possibility of prohibition legislation that would wipe out revenue from liquors.

FIELD ARMY IS ORGANIZED

First Unit Is Under Direct Command of Gen. Pershing.

With the American Army in France, Aug. 13.—The First American Field army has been organized. It is under the direct command of General John J. Pershing, commander in chief of the American forces. The corps commanders thus far announced are Major Generals Liggett, Bullard, Bundy, Reed and Wright.

The creation of the first field army is the first step toward the co-ordination of all the American forces in France.

This does not mean the immediate withdrawal from the British and French of all American units, and it is probable that divisions will be used on the French and British fronts for weeks yet.

It is understood, however, that the policy of organising other armies will be carried out steadily.

APPRECIATE AMERICAN AID

Decision to Send Food Supplies Creates Joy in Siberia.

Washington, Aug. 13.—An expression of Russia's gratitude for America's decision to send food supplies to that country, appearing in the Vechernay Gazette, is quoted in a cablegram received by the Committee on Public Information from Harbin.

Contrasting the position of America before the war as a competitor of Russia in supplying wheat to Western Europe with her readiness now to "literally feed her recent rival," the newspaper says only feelings of the deepest gratitude are entertained toward the liberty-loving Americans."

NOW USING MORE RAILWAYS

Pushing Germans Back From Amiens Is Important to Allies.

London, Aug. 13.—Speaking at a luncheon at Newport, Monmouthshire, Premier Lloyd George emphasized the importance of the pushing back of the Germans from within gun range of the Amiens railway.

"Hundreds of trains used to pass through Amiens daily," the premier said, "but we were temporarily deprived of its use until recently, when we were able to employ twenty trains daily."

Blames Socialists for War.

Chicago, Aug. 13.—William D. Haywood, general secretary and treasurer of the I. W. W., declared on the witness stand in the conspiracy trial that German Socialists were "more responsible for the war than any other body," because they refused to vote for a general strike against war in August, 1914. He said that on his European trip he visited Denmark, Norway, Sweden, England, Wales and Scotland. "I have learned to despise autocracies of all kinds, including governmental autocracies," he said.

WORKING IN UNITY

Japan and the United States Exchange Ideas.

Island Empire Owes Its Systems of Technical Education to an American, and in Return Has Taught Us Much.

The arrival here sometime ago of a mission of eight officers of rank and distinguished record from Japan is proof of at least two things. It witnesses to the steadfastness of the national character, in seeking progressiveness as well as progress; and to Japan's purpose to keep in the foreground of invention and achievement, remarks New York Sun. No other nation realizes more keenly that in the rivalry of civilization the old must perpetually be renewed. There can be no standing still.

From the dawn of history Japan has excelled in fine and dainty work. Her museums illustrate the fact that her craftsmen invented and adapted. A little more than a real, not a poetical, "cycle of Cathay," that is, sixty years ago, according to oriental reckoning, the hermit nation suddenly found herself in the market place of the world. Though at first dazed, resources of mind and material were not lacking.

Age-old taste, skill, experience and reserve armies of trained craftsmen were at hand. Foreign teachers conferred no gift of brains or secrets of cunning. They simply pointed out the new paths and taught the modern methods of meeting the nation's needs. As early as 1861-63, after three years' labor, our own Raphael Pumpelly, still among us in vigor, revolutionized mining methods in Japan. When, in 1868, the intense inward political struggles between the old and the new were over, and Japan had a truly national government, the alertness of her people to the new situation supplied a striking feature in the history of modern education.

At a date when in Europe manual and technical training was still new, and among us the Rensselaer Polytechnic school at Troy was a lonely veteran, Yale and Harvard were at beginnings in this form of education, and even the Massachusetts Institute of Technology a baby, Japan had started in the race. Even before the department of education had been created, the necessity of Japan's training her own engineers, chemists and masters of applied science was pointed out to the important government. The newly elaborated scheme dividing the empire into eight great educational districts was, with the curricula, submitted to an American for criticism. He noted the serious defect of no provision for technical education. A long letter outlining courses of technical education and addressed to the Dai Jo Kuan, the supreme council, fell as spark upon powder. The department of education was created and a technological school started simultaneously in Tokyo. The system has ever since that time had a healthful development.

In addition to the eight universities and 37,810 lower schools of all sorts, there are now in operation under the government eighteen technical schools of the higher order, requiring a four years' course after graduation from the middle schools, while those under local or private auspices number many more. It was settled at court, by the United States minister in Yeddo, in the case of Raphael Pumpelly, that an engineer, civil, mining, or mechanical, was a gentleman and eligible to audience of both the president of the United States and the emperor of Japan. Ever since, the official and social status of a man trained to use his hands and brain in unity has been secure in the mikado's empire. At least two score of Americans have received imperial decorations for promoting technical science in Japan.

Nothing but good can come of mutual exchange of ideas. What the Japanese have borrowed from us is in the limelight, and we boast of it; what hundreds of American inventors and seekers for knowledge have found in Japan and taken as loan is cryptic and untrumpeted. Yet our debt is none the less real. It is well for the two civilizations to enrich each other. If, in admiring legend, King Solomon set the mechanic on the throne to signify the basis of his realm's wealth, none the less should both republic and empire honor the technician who unites power of brain and the discipline of education to dexterity of manipulation. Honor to the technical workers of Japan and America!

Finland's Aristocracy.

One of the anomalies of Finland, now struggling for its independence, is that it has inherited a foreign aristocracy, speaking Swedish. How foreign it remains to the true interests of Finland may be seen from the fact that it has all along worked for German intervention in Finland, and even helped to send thousands of young Finns to join the German army. With the importation of German rulers into Finland, the Finnish language will have one more competitor to cut it from the linguistic field, unless Swedish is entirely driven out by the language of the newly arrived supermen.

All in the Game.

"Who is that big, strapping woman near the green just ahead of us?" asked the golfer.

"Gee! That's my wife, as sure as I'm born," replied his partner, about to hoot.

"Then I would suggest you approach with caution."

TO ALL WOMEN WHO ARE ILL

This Woman Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—Her Personal Experience.

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HAD LAUGH ON GERMAN SPY

How Charles M. Schwab Made a Monkey Out of Emissary of of Kaiser.

"Charles M. Schwab had an adventure with a German spy," said a Philadelphia editor, "a short time before we entered the war.

"Mr. Schwab went out to Chicago on some munitions business, and the spy dogged him like a shadow all the way—dogged him all over the Windy city, too.

"One evening, to fool the fellow, Mr. Schwab wrote some fake telegrams in the hotel library, and then he tore a couple of the telegrams up, scattered them on the floor and hurried from the room.

"The spy, who was, of course, right on the job, didn't follow him out right away. That was what he had expected, and so after a bit he stole back on tiptoe to take Mr. Spy by surprise.

"What he saw made him smile. The spy was down on his hands and knees gathering up and putting together the torn bits of fake telegram.

"Mr. Schwab, standing in the doorway, gave a loud laugh. Then he said:

"'Boy Ed, or Von Papen, or whatever your name is, I'm pleased to see that you Germans care more about scraps of paper now than you used to.'"

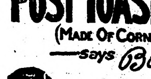
His Disappointment.

"I found a letter lying on the sidewalk this morning," grumbled old Riley Rezzidew of Petunia. "It was signed 'Lucile,' and at first looked as if it might be worth reading. But when I had read the first line or two, which said, 'John and I went to Bethel to the big singing last Sunday,' I just throwed it down again. What kind of a letter was that to lose on the public street?"—Kansas City Star.

In various walks of life some people have a walkover and others get walked on.

Jamaicans can raise two vegetable crops yearly.

SAVING WHEAT is only one good point for POST TOASTIES (MADE OF CORN) —says Bobby



No Kick Then.

The motorcar dealer met an undertaker one afternoon to whom he had recently sold a second-hand car.

"Well, Lane," said the dealer, "how about that car I sold you? Everything going satisfactorily?"

"Well," replied the undertaker, "it did give me a little trouble at first. I used it for a mourning vehicle, you know, to carry the mourners and friends, and they don't like to be shook up in their grief. But now I'm using it as a hearse, and I haven't had any complaints so far."—Harper's Magazine.

When He's Happy.

Mrs Flatbush—Does your husband enjoy good health?

Mrs. Bensonhurst—He doesn't seem to. He's never really happy unless he thinks there's something the matter with him.

What Englishwomen Are Doing.

Six hundred and seventeen thousand English women have gone into business—198,000 into government positions; 62,000 into transport service; 50,000 into banking and finance; 307,000 into selling and clerical positions.—From McK. C. R. Drug Topics.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Self-Supporting.

"Of course, you read up on agriculture."

"Yep," replied Farmer Corntossel, "I expect to make enough off the farm this year to buy books to teach me how to run it."

When a miser marries he picks out a woman who looks nice in her old clothes.

Don't Poison Baby.

FORTY YEARS AGO almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and a FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "*A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death.*" The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician know of what it is composed. CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

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Watch Your Stomach In Hot Weather

A Cool, Sweet, Strong Stomach Your Best Safeguard Against Summer Sickness

"Keep your stomach in good working order during the hot summer months and you will have little to fear in the way of sickness" the advice many physicians give as hot weather approaches.

Good, sound, common sense advice, too. For very frequently, and especially in hot weather, these common stomach disorders which so many people seem to regard as of minor importance, do open the way for serious illness.

So keep your stomach sweet, cool and comfortable all summer long. The extra war work—change of diet—poisons that come with hot weather—all hit us in the stomach. The strongest stomach will need help this summer as never before.

The one easy way if you have the right remedy is to rid the stomach of too much acid. Because it's superacidity that interferes with digestion and assimilation, and this causes about all those stomach miseries you are so familiar with—heartburn, food repeating, indigestion, sour, gassy stomach and that miserable, bloated, puffed-up condition after eating.

Now here is good news. An easy, sure relief has been found to get rid of the harmful acidity and gases in the stomach. It is called EATONIC, a good tasting compound that you eat just like candy. A tablet or two of EATONIC after meals will work wonders. You can have no idea of what sure, quick comfort EATONIC brings until you do try it. Use EATONIC after your meals, enjoy a good appetite and get full strength from the food you eat. At the same time protect yourself from summer stomach and bowel miseries.

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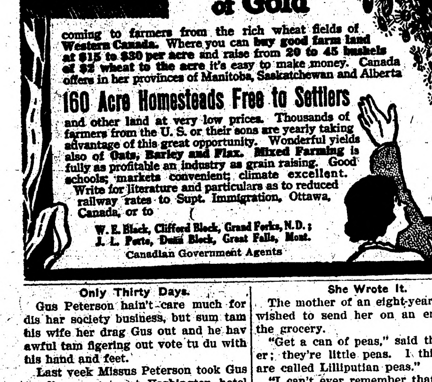

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Only Thirty Days.

Gus Peterson hain't care much for dis har society business, but sum tam his wife her drag Gus out and he hav awful tam figering out vote tu du with his hand and feet.

Last veek Missus Peterson took Gus tu dinner party at Vashington hotel and Gus he hav tu set between tu society vimmen. These vimmen tank it bane gude yoke and they try tu talk tu Gus, but ha ain't say vary much.

"A got letter from my son. He's in Yale, you no," said vone of the vimmen.

"Ay got brother vot bane there tu," Gus say.

"Is that so? Vot year?" ask the vooman.

"He don't got no year," Gus tal her. "He yust punch a Norwegian feller in the eye and the yudge give hem 30 day in yail."—Washington State Weekly.

A new war weapon consists of a sword with a revolver incorporated in the hilt.

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She Wrote It.

The mother of an eight-year-old girl wished to send her on an errand to the grocery.

"Get a can of peas," said the mother; they're little peas. I think they are called Lilliputian peas."

"I can't ever remember that name," said the small girl.

"Very well," said the mother, "then write it down."

And this was the puzzle she presented the grocer:

"One can Lilly Puh Shun peas."

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The Way She Dressed Him.

"What do you want to be when you grow up?" was asked of a small boy by the visitor.

"Oh," said he, "I want to be a man, but I think mamma wants me to be a lady."—Buffalo News.

Extremes Meeting.

"What did Maude do when Will insisted on a positive answer?"

"She gave him a decided negative."

St. Paul Danes have given to war charities funds raised to build church.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Fairmont. — Volunteer harvesters have closed a week of service to Martin county farmers, having shocked hundreds of acres of grain.

Winona. — Approximately seventy Winona manufacturers and jobbers will be obliged to furnish a comprehensive inventory of their business through a questionnaire plan.

St. Cloud.—Leo Schmidt, an employe of a garage here, was cut about the face and shoulders when the rim of an automobile wheel he was blowing up burst. He was taken to a hospital.

Virginia.—Although six weeks have elapsed since the disaster at the Silver mine, where 17 miners were buried when several tons of dynamite accidentally exploded, but 11 bodies have been removed.

St. Cloud.—The St. Cloud postoffice broke all records in July for any one month in the history of the office. The receipts total $21,512.67. Ten or fifteen years ago this sum would have been considered a big year's business.

Eveleth.—The shortage of coal and general belief the conditions this winter will be severe have influenced Eveleth citizens to put in municipal woodyards, where twelve-inch cord wood is available at $2.50 and sixteen-inch at $2.75 a cord.

Barnesville.—Business men of this town have adopted 4 o'clock closing of stores daily to permit all city men possible to go on to the farms. Between 150 and 200 men will do daily field work for five to eight hours each afternoon and evening.

Fairmont.—John Wolf, living near Welcome, whose three months' term in the county jail for beating his wife expired, was immediately rearrested on a charge of assault against his son. It is charged that he had hung his son and daughter by the neck with a rope.

Winona.—Committees have been named for a consignment cattle sale of Guernsey and Holstein breeds at the St. Charles fair grounds late in September or early in October. It will be a unique sale in Winona county and the prime object is to induce breeders to breed up their stock.

Winona.—Equipped with all the paraphernalia necessary for turning worthless paper into money, W. L. Latten, alias Welly Royce, Richard Harding and James Kelly, was arrested by Chief George Huck and Assistant Chief Al. Winkels within half an hour after he had passed a check for $26.75.

Brainerd.—Mildred S. Edling, said to be demented, was found in the attic of her home here where she had been hiding several day. When she was reported missing it was believed by some that she had jumped into the river, and blood hounds, brought here from Duluth, followed a trail to the water's edge, where they lost it. As a result the river was dragged without result.

Minneapolis.—Snuggled among a fringe of trees, Minnesota's first regular army flying field, located about one mile north of Minneapolis, is already alive with activity and aviators are daily soaring over the broad stretch of farm land through which the Mississippi winds. The field comprises 540 acres and was donated to the government during the war by Earl Brown, son of a former Minneapolis miller.

Bemidji.—Bemidji set a record in recruiting during July, leading every station in the state including St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, in recruits for the regular army in percentage per quota of population. Bemidji made the remarkable record of 80.5 while the next highest was Duluth, headquarters for this portion of the state, with a large recruiting staff. During the month, Bemidji station, Sergeant Foucault in charge, sent thirty-one men to the colors and of these only two were rejected.

Bemidji.—Proceedings were filed here against the M. & I. railroad, a petition being presented to the state railroad and warehouse commission asking that the rates on shipments of fuel wood be reduced to at least as cheap as wood for manufacturing purposes. Freight rates on fuel wood and the other varieties mentioned, show, according to the petition, that the rate on fuel wood is far above that of the other woods mentioned for distances from five to 210 miles. It is believed the state forestry department will also become interested in securing a lower freight rate in view of the coal shortage.

Minneapolis.—A minimum wage of $8 a week for women employed in Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth at occupations not classified in previous schedules was fixed by the Minnesota Minimum Wage commission in a blanket order adopted yesterday. The new order will become effective September 6 and applies to all women employes other than those working in mercantile, manufacturing, mechanical, dyeing and dry cleaning establishments, offices, laundries, hotels and restaurants.

Minneapolis.—That the Twin City Rapid Transit company will not be able to operate street cars in St. Paul and Minneapolis unless a 7-cent fare is granted, was told to a joint meeting of the St. Paul and Minneapolis city councils in Minneapolis by Horace Lowry, president of the company.

Crookston.—The matter of adding iron range territory to the Minnesota Scenic highway is now in the hands of a committee which will pass on the condition of the roads, following the annual meeting of the association here. If the roads are good enough, it is believed the territory will be admitted.

Stillwater.—More than 19,500,000 pounds of binder twine have been shipped this season from the state prison plant.

Pine City.—Farmers of the Pine City region have organized a stock shipping association to handle shipments from this region direct to the markets and at actual cost.

Moorhead.—The army worm, disastrous to grain crops, has been found in a Clay county township. This is the first time the army worm has been seen in this territory since 1910.

Blue Earth.—F. W. Watkin of Albia, Iowa, 30 years old, a freight brakeman, was killed about half a mile south of here when he was run over by a train. His body was brought to Blue Earth.

Winona.—Albert Schultz, aged 54, was killed and David Wilsie, aged 45, probably fatally injured, when the hand car on which they were riding was struck by a Milwaukee passenger train. Four other occupants of the hand car escaped without injury when they jumped as they saw the speeding passenger train approaching.

Mankato.—Ray Everts, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Everts of Bay City, Wis., had a narrow escape when one of the large leopards with the Al. G. Barnes shows reached through the cage and grabbed him. He tore a big gash in the boy's arm with one paw and reaching the other around the lad pierced four holes in his back.

St. Paul.—Mere possession of intoxicating liquor within the Indian territory declared dry under the Indian treaty of 1855, will be considered a violation of the law after September 1, according to advices received by Alfred Jaques, United States district attorney. The new ruling is in accordance with recent legislation passed by congress.

Rochester.—Thomas and Mike Kennedy, prominent Rochester horsemen, were trampled to death by a mad horse. Thomas heard his brother's call for help from the barn and on reaching there found Mike helpless under the raging animal. In trying to save his brother, Thomas was bitten and kicked into insensibility. John Hennick, a driver for Kennedy, was severely injured when he tried to rescue Thomas. His condition is serious.

Mankato.—A big weed burner, sent here from St. Paul has been operating on the Milwaukee road between Mankato and Rapidan. The big machine is run in front as an ordinary engine and throws out four streams of fire, fed by crude oil. After one of the burners passes along the track, the weeds inside the rails and for several feet to either side are scorched and killed and will not start growing again this year.

St. Paul.—A year ago, approximately 15,000 students were studying German in the public schools of Minnesota. Official statistics indicate that less than 1,500 will be taught this language when the schools open in the fall. In many schools, Spanish and French have supplanted German, but it is pointed out today by P. C. Tonning, assistant superintendent of education, that scarcity of efficient teachers will probably make it impossible to introduce these languages in all of the high schools of the state this fall.

St. Paul.—Minnesota will not appoint commissioners to carry the ballot to Gopher soldiers in France. If the soldiers want to vote, and the Federal government is willing that ballots should be provided them, the Public Safety commission will try to provide a way, but some plan of voting by mail will be adopted, Secretary Libby of the commission said. The commission has no information that the Federal authorities will approve of a campaign in the trenches. There will be no difficulty in providing ballots for the boys in the training camps at home.

Moorhead.—Moorhead will have a $16,000 armory for a company of the state militia if the plans outlined at a meeting of the Moorhead Commercial club, the Merchants association, and the officers of the Home Guard mature. The directors of the armory committee commence today to raise $1,000 among the citizens of Moorhead to start the erection of the building. The site will be donated to the city by the Great Northern railroad upon the completion of the stipulations that the company is formed and $1,000 has been secured from the citizens. The $15,000 will thus be automatically appropriated by the Minnesota legislature if the company is placed in Moorhead.

Minneapolis.—Judge Page Morris, in federal court refused to grant J. O. Bentall, former Socialist party nominee for governor, a new trial on a charge of "attempting to cause insubordination, discontent, mutiny and refusal of duty in the military and naval forces of the United States," on which he already has been convicted and sentenced to serve five years in the federal prison at Fort Leavenworth. His attorneys are appealing to the United States circuit court of appeals to get a writ of error. James A. Peterson, former candidate for the United States Senate, also under sentence of four years for violation of the espionage act, was given a hearing on his petition for a new trial.

St. Paul.—Adjutant General W. F. Rhinow has received a telegram from Provost Marshal General E. H. Crowder instructing him to arrange for the registration early next month of men between 18 and 45 years of age. Preliminaries will be disposed of pending congressional action on the draft bill.

Sturgeon Lake.—Three sons of William Cunningham have been accepted by the St. Paul marine recruiting station. William, Jr., and Monroe Cunningham left for Paris Island a few days ago. George already is in the service stationed at Camp Donovan, Okla.

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Trying It Out.

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"For making a speech which was not well received."

"Tough luck, kamerad."

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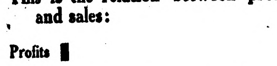

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Notice of Special School Meeting

Notice Is Hereby Given, that on the 24th day of August, 1918, the voters of School District No. 35, of Marshall County, Minn. will meet at the school house, in the village of Holt, in said school district, between the hours of 7 o'clock and 9 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering and voting by ballot upon the question of organizing said School District No. 35, as an independent school district.

Signed:

[illegible] R. Jones, Nils Engebretsen, R. [illegible]erson, C. H. Gunheim, C. W. Christianson, A. L. Carlson, Albert [illegible]nes, Guy Anderson.

Resident freeholders and voters of School District No. 35.

Dated August 9th, 1918.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Torger T. Sollom
State of Minnesota,
County of Marshall in Probate Court.
In the Matter of the Estate of
Torger T. Sollom, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Mrs. T. T. Sollom and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of K. A. Sundahl having been filed in this Court representing that Torger T. Sollom, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the th day of August 1915, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to K. A. Sundahl and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of September 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 6th day of August 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.
O. A. Naplin
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

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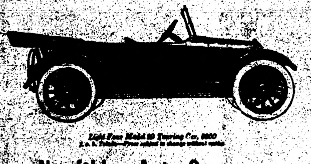

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Ask for a demonstration of this light Overland Four. It is convincing.

Appearance
Performance
Comfort
Service
Price

Light Four Model 90 Touring Car, $900
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Newfolden Auto Company
Newfolden, Minn.

Financial Statement

Holt Auxiliary Red Cross Society

August 1, 1918

RECEIPTS

May 1	Bal on hand	$ 40.01
Mar 18	Donation, Show	2.45
Apr 26	Cantata, M. R.	10 00
Apr 27	Nettie Johnson	17 00
May 6	Play, Hasel	7 30
"	C. E. Peterson, donat'n	3 00
" 10	N Gudvangen donation	75
" 15	Pie Social	44 05
" 16	H Heinze donation	1 00
" 17	Bazaar	175 69
" 25	Naz L Aid, Gunheims,	13 45
" 27	Free Mission S School	7 50
" 28	Reception by Ladies	17 77
" 31	Frestad's Ladies Aid	19 00
"	Winton-N Lumber Co	10 00
Jun 3	Y P S at Swan's	24 25
" 6	Emil Simonson donation	2 00
" 19	Our share R C refund	151 05

Memberships

W A Lindahl, Anna Erickson, Mrs. J E Erickson, C Christoferson, Fred Steinhauer, Renie Werner, Sever Nohre, R S Moe, Nels Gudvangen

	9 members at $1 each	9 00
Total		$555 27

DISBURSEMENTS

Mar 4	Sec'y expense acct	$ 2 58
Apr 17	Remitted to Warren proceeds N P meet 2-26	21 25
May 3	M W A hall rent Cantata "Ruth"	2 00
May 18	Hall rent Pie Social	2 00
May 17	Holt school its share proceeds Bazaar	10 00
June 5	Hall rent Bazaar	2 00
" 6	Remitted Warren proceeds 2nd R C Drive	318 00
" 6	Expense lemons, sugar Picnic J. M. Swan's	2 38
" 10	Express on goods from Warren	37
" 10	Remitted Warren Chapter, Memberships	9 00
Disbursed		369 58
Aug 1	Balance on hand	185 69
Total		555 27

B. Docken, Treas.

Is your paper paid for.

Be a loyal red blooded American.

Save all the waste and help win the war for humanity.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

OUR SAVED FOOD FED THE ALLIES

Food Administrator Writes President America Conserved 141,000,000 Bushels Wheat.

CREDIT DUE TO WOMEN.

Meat and Fat Shipments Increased by 844,600,000 Pounds.

Conservation measures applied by the American people enabled the United States to ship to the Allied peoples and to our own forces overseas 141,000,000 bushels of wheat and 844,600,000 pounds of meat during the past year, valued in all at $1,400,000,000. This was accomplished in the face of a serious food shortage in this country, bespeaking the wholeheartedness and patriotism with which the American people have met the food crisis abroad.

Food Administrator Hoover, in a letter to President Wilson, explains how the situation was met. The voluntary conservation program fostered by the Food Administration enabled the piling up of the millions of bushels of wheat during 1917-18 and the shipment of meat during 1917-18.

The total value of all food shipments to Allied destinations amounted to $1,400,000,000, all this food being bought through or in collaboration with the Food Administration. These figures are all based on official reports and represent food exports for the harvest year that closed June 30, 1918.

The shipments of meats and fats (including meat products, dairy products, vegetable oils, etc.) to Allied destinations were as follows:

Fiscal year 1916-17....2,166,500,000 lbs.
Fiscal year 1917-18....3,011,100,000 lbs.

Increase .... 844,600,000 lbs.

Our slaughterable animals at the beginning of the last fiscal year were not appreciably larger than the year before and particularly in hogs; they were probably less. The increase in shipments is due to conservation and the extra weight of animals added by our farmers.

The full effect of these efforts began to bear their best results in the last half of the fiscal year, when the exports to the Allies were 2,133,100,000 pounds, as against 1,266,500,000 pounds in the same period of the year before. This compares with an average of 801,000,000 pounds of total exports for the same half years in the three-year pre-war period.

In cereals and cereal products reduced to terms of cereal bushels our shipments to Allied destinations have been:

Fiscal year 1916-17..259,900,000 bushels
Fiscal year 1917-18..340,800,000 bushels

Increase .... 80,900,000 bushels

Of these cereals our shipments of the prime breadstuffs in the fiscal year 1917-18 to Allied destinations were: wheat 131,000,000 bushels and of rye 13,900,000 bushels, a total of 144,900,000 bushels.

The exports to Allied destinations during the fiscal year 1916-17 were: wheat 135,100,000 bushels and rye 2,300,000 bushels, a total of 137,400,000 bushels. In addition some 10,000,000 bushels of 1917 wheat are now in port for Allied destinations or en route thereto. The total shipments to Allied countries from our last harvest of wheat will be therefore, about 141,000,000 bushels, or a total of 154,900,000 bushels of prime breadstuffs. In addition to this we have shipped some 10,000,000 bushels to neutrals dependent upon us, and we have received some imports from other quarters.

"This accomplishment of our people in this matter stands out even more clearly if we bear in mind that we had available in the fiscal year 1916-17 from net carryover and as surplus over our normal consumption about 200,000,000 bushels of wheat which we were able to export that year without trenching on our home loaf," Mr. Hoover said. "This last year, however, owing to the large failure of the 1917 wheat crop, we had available from net carry-over and production and imports only just about our normal consumption. Therefore our wheat shipments to Allied destinations represent approximately savings from our own wheat bread.

"These figures, however, do not fully convey the volume of the effort and sacrifice made during the past year by the whole American people. Despite the magnificent effort of our agricultural population in planting a much increased acreage in 1917, not only was there a very large failure in wheat, but also the corn failed to mature properly, and our corn is our dominant crop.

"I am sure," Mr. Hoover wrote in concluding his report, "that all the millions of our people, agricultural as well as urban, who have contributed to these results should feel a very definite satisfaction that in a year of universal food shortages in the northern hemisphere all of those people joined together against Germany have come through into sight of the coming harvest not only with wealth and strength fully maintained, but with only temporary periods of hardship.

"It is difficult to distinguish between various sections of our people—the homes, public eating places, food trades, urban or agricultural populations—in assessing credit for these results, but no one will deny the dominant part of the American women."

A hoarder is a man who is more interested in getting his bite than in giving his bit.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

Big Grain Crop Show's Aim

Wheat Needed to Feed World

There is desperate need for more wheat and other grains with which to keep the world from starvation. So urgent is the need and so necessary is it for America to encourage the raising of more cereals that liberal premiums are to be given to owners of the best exhibits of grain at the coming Minnesota State Fair, September 2 to 7.

More wheat must be raised not only for home consumption but for shipment abroad to be mixed with the coarse flours of Europe in the making of bread. It is necessary for America to raise more barley, rye, and corn, not only to meet an unprecedented foreign demand, but to serve as substitutes for wheat flour at home. Only in this way can the wheat of the world be made to go around.

The high prices for grain will induce big crops of grain for several years. Yet the scarcity of farm labor, the shortage of heavy work horses and the high prices of seed grains are three factors which must be contended against in our efforts to increase the grain crop. The fair is assisting in this work. —Copyrighted.

Saving Sugar Saves Shipping

UNLOADING HAWAIIAN SUGAR AT A CALIFORNIA PORT.
LOADING CARS WITH [illegible] FROM [illegible] AMERICA GETS NEARLY A MILLION TONS OF SUGAR A YEAR.

AMERICAN families would have less sugar than the people of war torn France, if we depended entirely on our home-grown sugar stocks.

Approximately 75 per cent. of our sugar is shipped to our shores. We produce about 1,000,000 tons of sugar a year. Our imports from abroad amount to over 3,000,000 tons a year in normal times.

The United States Food Administration asks each family to limit its use of sugar to two pounds per month per person for household use. The military situation demands that every available ship be placed at the disposal of the Army or Navy. When we save sugar, we save shipping.

Loyal citizens will win this war.

Help the farmer harvest his crops, and thus help win the war.

Axel Nelson and Chris Norbeck autoed to Fargo Tuesday on busines.

Everyone, both men and women, are urged to vote at the school election.

B. Docken and R. Reierson were business callers in T. R. Falls and Silverton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sollom and the Misses Gunhild and Olava Sollom attended the gospel meetings near Strathcona, Sunday.

John Swan shipped cattle and a few hogs to the twin city markets again Tuesday. Mr. Swan is a hustler and never sleeps,— on the job.

No gasoline can be purchased any where in town after 6 o.clock P. M. on week days and none on Sunday. This rule goes into effect Aug. 12th

Andrew N. Nass and family of T. R. Falls, visited at the R. Reierson home Sunday. Pearl Reierson returned with them after a weeks visit in T. R. Falls.

The village council have purchased a 15 kerosene engine for running the dynamo. It arrived here Friday, has been tried out and is expected to be a great fuel saver, which was the object of buying it.

All men under 45 and over 18 are required to register next month for military service. B. J. Bakke has been appointed to register the men in this village. The registration office will be in the Holt State Bank.

The list of farmers receiving cream checks of $40.00 and over from the Holt creamery for the month of June is published elsewhere in this paper. We would like to see this list doubled before the close of another year.

The ladies have been wanting the ballot for years, but we wonder how many of them will vote for bonds at the school election to-morrow (Saturday) evening Aug. 17th We'll bet a cookie that a dozen of them don't vote at that time.

Notice!

Notice is hereby given that funds are now on hand for the payment of Village Orders Nos. 42 and 45, issued by the village of Holt, County of Marshall in the state of Minnesota, and that interest on above orders will cease ten (10) days after the publication of this notice.

A. L. Carlson, Treasurer
Village of Holt.

Notice of Special Election

Notice is hereby given, that a special election will be held in School District No. 35 of Marshall County, at the School House on the 17th day of August 1918 from 7 P. M. to 9 P. M., for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said municipality in the aggregate sum of $9000.00 bearing interest at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purpose:

To build an addition to School House and equipping the same with school furniture.

To pay Outsanding Oders.

and to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the clerk.

Dated July 30th 1918.

B. Docken, Clerk
of School District No. 35.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
PHONES: Office 106 Residence 167

Prepare for service by entering NORTH STAR COLLEGE, Warren, Minn., Sept. 30. Write for information to-day. What others have done you can do. The Demand For Trained Help Was Never Greater Than It Is To-Day.

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell; phone 140.

Special school election to-morrow night. Everybody vote.

The Red Cross will meet with Mrs. Albert Bennes next Wednesday evening. All ladies invited.

Mrs. M. B. Ordahl will entertain the Nazareth Ladies Aid on Wednesday Aug. [illegible]. Everyone invited.

Miss Amanda Mickelsen came home Saturday from Crookston for a few days visit with her mother and sisters.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement Friday afternoon Aug. 30. Everyone invited.

Mrs. Albin Knutf and little girl came Saturday to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], also her sister, Mrs. [illegible].

Mrs. Clarence Kolden and child [illegible] returned to their home at [illegible] last Friday. Miss Ida Haggland went along to help Mrs. Kolden take care of the children.

Miss Gunhild and Olava Sollom have resigned their positions in Carlson's store and expects to teach again this winter. Miss Lydia [illegible] is now clerking regularly in the store.

Miss Martha Peterson of Vining came yesterday to enter upon her duties as principal of the Holt public school. School will commence Tuesday, Sept. 3rd and the other teachers are expected here the latter part of next week. Miss Helen Johnson will teach the intermediate grades again this year and Miss Elizabeth Newton of McIntosh will teach the primary grades and domestic science.

On September 30 we will enroll students for the following courses: Preparatory, Academic (high school studies), Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Typewriting, Piano, Voice, Pipe Organ. Trained [illegible] certainty. Send for a booklet to-day. Your letters or cards of inquiry will be cheerfully answered. Address

NORTH STAR COLLEGE,
WARREN, MINN.

Loyal citizens will win this war.

City Meat Market

Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides and Furs.
TERMS:- Cash. Positively no credit
O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

Letter From Willie Bakke

U. S. S. Melville
July 26, 1918

Dear Father:-

Rec'd your two letters of July 1st and 4th, also Agnes' and Minnie's.

I've been to London on a seven days leave, so haven't been able to write before. I certainly enjoyed the sights there and so far haven't forgotten what I saw. They keep the city as dark as possible and restaurants, and the like, close at 10:30 so the place is quite dull at eleven.

I saw some good shows, and had tea at a swell residence one afternoon. It sure was fine.

They've got a dandy hut at London for the allied forces and its lodgings and restaurants come in handy and they are so reasonable too. On the wall there's a big map of the U. S. and we can get little flags at the desk to place on the town we come from. I placed one on T. R. Falls, just one up there and in fact that part of the country. Then a few days later a fellow from Stephens stuck a flag on his town so now there is two quite close to each other, with our names and whole address.

I had a tooth that was bothering me so had a gold crown "Made in London" put in. It is a little sore yet tho if I chew anything hard.

We can't go to Norway, will have to wait until we get out I guess as there is not much chance now.

Love to all,
Your son
Willie

U. S. S. Melville
Care P. M. N. Y.

[illegible] Wednesday on business.

Miss [illegible] Dovre returned home last week from Warren.

Miss Mabel Haggland returned home Tuesday from Mayville, N. D.

Miss Gladys Hagen left yesterday for Grand Forks where she has secured work at the university.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dovre entertained relatives last week from Detroit, Minn. and Hatton, N. D.

Henry Olen put in a direct loading spout at the Red Lake elevator this week, Lord Adams doing the carpenter work.

Mrs. R. L. Olson had the misfortune of cutting her hand badly one day last week while canning fruit, by one of the glass jars which burst inflicting a deep gash on her hand.

Anna Johnson arrived last week for a few days visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Erickson and family. She left Sunday for T. R. Falls, and from there left Monday morning for Crosby, Minn.

Mrs. Spinks returned to Middle River last week from Williamston, Mich. Her husband, Dr. Spinks, left some time ago for France where he is working in the Medical Corps for Uncle Sam.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Melquist and two little girls came Saturday evening to visit over Sunday at the John Melquist home. Mr. Melquist returned to his home on Monday while his wife and children stayed a few day longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg and son Walmer autoed to Mentor Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kolden and help Clarence celebrate his 25th birthday. They also made a trip over to Maple Lake and took in the sights there.

All men under 45 and over 18 are required to register next month for military service. B. J. Bakke has been appointed to register the men in this village. The registration office will be in the Holt State Bank.

Free Mission Church.

Sunday School at [illegible] o'clock.

Rev. James R. Orrock of Thief River Falls will hold services here next Monday evening at 8:00.

Rev. Carlson and Mr. Vold will hold services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o,clock and at 8 o'clock in the evening.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement Friday afternoon Aug. 30th. Everybody invited.

School Bonds Carry

Twenty seven [illegible] Saturday at the school election. [illegible] ladies voted at this election which is pretty good for a beginning. Twenty six of these votes were in favor of issuing bonds and one ballot was spoiled by the voter trying to vote both yes and no.

$6500 worth of bonds (or as much thereof as needed) is to be used for building an addition to the school house and $2500 for paying of outstanding orders.

Mrs. Nels Gudvangen has been on the sick list for a few days.

The Mickelson girls gave a party Saturday evening in honor of their sister, Miss Amanda [illegible] Peterson [illegible] for [illegible] the latter [illegible] got here.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Choir and Bible Class meeting at 8 o'clock every Thursday evening.

Services will be held at Golden Valley in the Wilson school house at 10:30 and at East Valley, Dist. 148 at 3 o'clock Sunday.

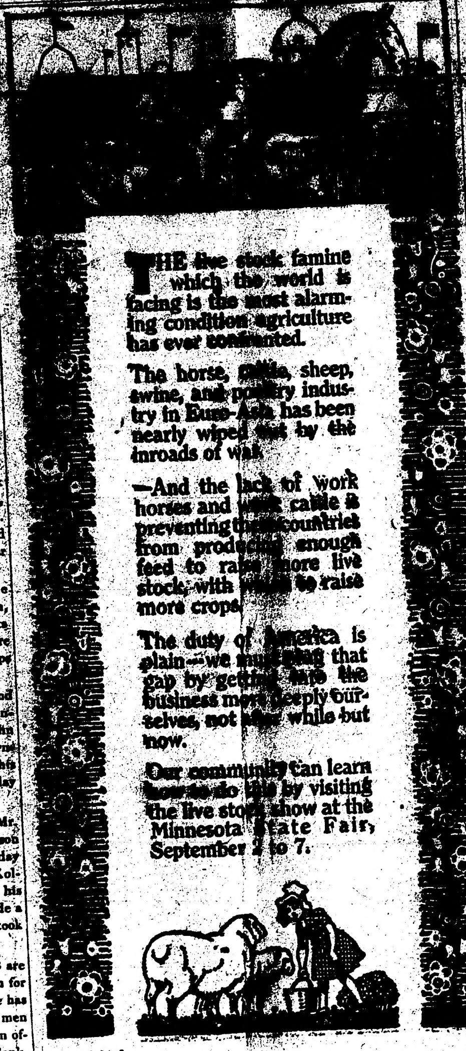
M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

The Holt Shock Troops

The Holt Shock Battalion has been training in actual warfare the past week. This battalion is composed of several men and women of Holt. They go out about 6 o'clock evenings and tackle the first grain field they come to that needs shocking. Sometimes the farmers know they are coming, and sometimes not, but that doesn't make any difference to these patriotic men and women. Wednesday evening these troops shocked between 50 and 60 acres of grain and their work was timely too, as we had a real hard rain that night.

It Pays To Advertise.

A soldier at Camp Beauregard wrote the editor of a paper at Pine Bluff, Ark., saying he would like to correspond with a Pine Bluff girl with a view to matrimony. The editor published the letter. The following day the soldier received ten proposals from as many girls.—X



THE live stock famine which the world is facing is the most alarming condition agriculture has ever confronted.

The horse, cattle, sheep, swine, and poultry industry in Euro-Asia has been nearly wiped out by the inroads of war.

—And the lack of work horses and work cattle is preventing these countries from producing enough feed to raise more live stock, with which to raise more crops.

The duty of America is plain—we must bridge that gap by getting into the business more deeply ourselves, not after while but now.

Our community can learn how to do this by visiting the live stock show at the Minnesota State Fair, September 2 to 7.

—Copyrighted

The Local Market

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.03
Wheat No. 2	2.02
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	4.15
Oats	.60
Barley	80 to .95
Rye	1.55
Flour, Best Patent,	5.80

NOTICE

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Thursday, and sooner if possible.

A New and Complete Stock of Confectionery, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
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Fresh Ice Cream Every Day
Prompt Service at All Times
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Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices Are Right
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Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
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In connection with teams and rigs
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H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

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The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction.
They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.
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and
[illegible] Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory
[illegible] Nelson, Pr[illegible]
Holt, Minn.

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We Buy All Kinds of Grain
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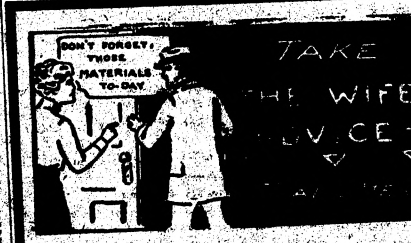
R. J. DIEM, Agent - - - Holt, Min[illegible]



DON'T FORGET, THOSE MATERIALS TO-DAY
TAKE THE WIFE'S ADVICE

The condition of the house is of more interest to the woman who lives in it than to anyone else

It Costs Very Little To Ma[illegible] An Old House Look Bett[illegible]

We are ready with anything you may need in the repairing line—siding, sheathing, boarding, casing, mouldings, shingles, flooring, etc., in any quantities desired.

WINTON-NICHOLS [illegible]
If its BUILDING MATERIAL We Have [illegible]

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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

U.S.—Teutonic War News

Seaplanes and naval patrol boats attacked with depth charges a German submarine which shelled and set fire to the American schooner Dorothy Barrett, New York for Norfolk, off Cape May, N. J.

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The One Hundred and Thirty-first infantry of the Thirty-third United States division has been engaged in the fighting north of the Somme and particularly in the repulse of an enemy counter-attack at Chipilly, General March told newspaper correspondents. The One Hundred and Thirty-first regiment is composed of Illinois National Guardsmen.

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The steamer Henry S. Kellogg has been torpedoed by a German submarine off the New Jersey coast, according to a report received by the navy department.

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German submarines took toll of American shipping in waters adjacent to New York for the second time when the Norwegian steamship Sommerstad, taken over by the United States government, was sunk off Fire island. The crew was saved.

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In a fight with a submarine on the north Atlantic coast a British armed merchantman, arriving at an Atlantic port, claimed to have sunk the U-boat.

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Formal acceptance by Germany of the American proposal for a conference on treatment and exchange of prisoners at Berne, Switzerland, "the middle of September" was transmitted to the state department.

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Foreign

The assassination of Herr Von Bengbusch, a German official at Wonden, Russia, was reported to Amsterdam from Riga. The murderers escaped. This is the fourth assassination of German officials in Russia.

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American Consul General Poole at Moscow has turned over his duties to the Swedish consulate there, destroyed his code book and asked for safe conduct for himself and suite to return to the United States. He reported that in spite of assurances from M. Tchitcherin, the foreign commissioner, he was apprehensive for the safety of the consulate.

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European War News

American trops began to disembark at Vladivostok and will immediately join the international force to aid the Czecho-Slovak army in its campaign in Siberia. The Americans are the Twenty-seventh regular infantry regiment from Manila.

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Lieut. David Purnam of the Lafayette escadrille, who is officially credited with bringing down ten German machines, was decorated with the French military medal, says a dispatch from Paris.

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Vice Admiral Behncke has been appointed state secretary to the German admiralty, says the Wester Zeitung of Bremen.

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Twenty-one German airplanes were brought down and ten driven down out of control, according to an official statement issued in London on aviation operations. Six British machines are missing.

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Turmoil in Bohemia has resulted in the execution of 74 Czech soldiers and wholesale arrests in many raids, newspapers of Munich say, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch to London from Zurich.

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A wholesale massacre of bolsheviki has taken place at Ryaban and Novgorod, said a dispatch received in Amsterdam. The massacre was the work of counter-revolutionaries.

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The British government has issued a declaration formally recognizing the Czecho-Slovaks as an allied nation and the three Czecho-Slovak armies as an allied force regularly waging warfare against the central powers.

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The allied and neutral shipping sunk by enemy submarines during July amounted to 270,000 tons, compared with 584,839 tons sunk in July 1917, says a Paris dispatch. This radical decrease in losses is doubly significant when the increase in merchant marine navigation resulting from the American shipbuilding effort is considered.

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Austrians foresee the possibility of their being compelled to evacuate the invaded Italian territory, according to official Rome cables received in Washington.

Twenty divisions of troops were demanded of Germany's allies by General Ludendorff during the retreat from the Marne, according to the Geneva Democrat. Austria-Hungary refused but later sent two divisions.

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Domestic

Outfitted with "billies," revolvers and handcuffs, New York's finest uniformed policewomen, six in number, went on duty Thursday. They will pay special attention to the welfare of girls.

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Camp Grant will be closed to all civilian visitors for a period of ten days after retreat, August 7. Announcement of the unexpected closing of the reservation was made at division headquarters as the result of late war department orders and will be rigidly enforced.

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A record in ship construction is claimed by the Great Lakes Engineering works at Detroit, Mich., in delivering to the Emergency Fleet corporation, complete in every detail, the 3,500-ton steel freighter Crawl Keys, 30 working days after its keel was laid in the yards at Ecorse, Mich.

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Shipments of anthracite in July attained a high record and with two exceutions were the largest ever reported in any one month. Figures issued by the anthracite bureau of information at Philadelphia show shipments of 7,084,775 gross tons for the month, against 6,867,669 tons in June and 6,724,252 tons in July last year, indicating increases of 217,106 and 360,528 tons respectively.

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Twenty-nine women were arrested by the police in Lafayette square, opposite the White House, when a third attempt was made to stage a woman's party demonstration there.

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In a decision of the United States circuit court of appeals at Chicago the three-year sentence of Walter Ragansky, charged with threatening to kill the president of the United States, is affirmed.

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Announcement of a general increase of 10 per cent in wages to all employees of the Western Union Telegraph company belonging to the association recently organized by the company was made in New York.

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After N. Willow, a negro, had killed Chief of Police Mull of Dewey, Okla., and escaped he was discovered by a local aviator flying low over the town. His signals brought a posse of 500 and the negro was arrested.

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The government has sprung a novelty in the matter of ticket selling for the great war exposition which opens in Chicago, September 2. The price of each ticket bought in advance will be only 25 cents, but tickets bought at the gate will cost double.

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Personal

Miss Marguerite Clark, the film star, was married at Greenwich, Conn., to First Lieut. H. P. Williams of the engineering corps, Washington.

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President and Mrs. Wilson arrived at Manchester, Mass., for a few days' rest in the seclusion of a colonial mansion on the picturesque north shore. Visits were interchanged with Col. E. M. House, but most of the time was spent in the out of doors enjoying some of the most delightful weather of the present summer.

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William Pitt Kellogg, formerly of Canton, Ill., who served during the reconstruction period as United States senator from Louisiana, and as governor of that state, died in Washington.

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Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois has arrived in Paris. Mr. Lewis crossed uneventfully on a large American troop ship. The senator announced that he is to meet Ambassador Sharp and Minister Tardieu. He will remain in Paris a few days, proceeding then to the American front, and afterward to England.

Washington

Sale of liquor in railroad stations or on railroad trains is forbidden by Director General McAdoo in an order effective immediately and applying to all lines under government control.

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Twelve thousand white selective service men for limited military service were called to the colors by Provost Marshal General Crowder. They will entrain August 30 and 31.

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Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo laid before the house ways and means committee his plan for an excess profits tax with an alternative war profits levy to be included in the new revenue bill. The plan proposes the retention of existing rates in the present excess profits tax with a maximum of 80 per cent affecting about 90 per cent of all the business corporations coming under this schedule.

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Thousands of women will be drawn into railroad employment within the next few months to take the place of men entering the army and other industries.

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While congress is getting ready to enact the administration's enlarged man power bill immediate need for fighting men in the army compelled President Wilson to issue a proclamation calling for a registration of all men in the country who have reached the age of twenty-one years since June 5 last. The proclamation sets the date for registration as August 24

ALLIES REACH ROYE SUBURBS

Enemy Rushes New Divisions in Effort to Save City From Capture.

TWO VILLAGES TAKEN

Battlefronts in Picardy and Champagne Linked by Foch by Attack Between Carlepont and Fontenoy for Nearly Two Miles.

Paris, Aug. 20.—The French are in the suburbs of Roye. The British are carrying out a flanking movement north of the town. Extraordinary artillery fighting is under way in the whole Roye sector. The Germans, in a desperate effort to hold the town, are pouring in fresh divisions which have been withdrawn from other parts of the front within the last 24 hours.

London, Aug. 20.—Launching what may be described as an extensive attack, the French have broken through the German positions along the vital sector connecting the Marne and Picardy battlefields.

This attack was over a front of approximately nine miles from near Carlepont, east of the Oise, to Fontenoy on the Aisne, about six miles west of Soissons. It is officially reported that an advance to an average depth of 1.3 miles was made all along the front of attack. It is reported from London that an extreme penetration of two miles has been made.

Two Villages Captured.

The villages of Nampcel and Nouvron-Vingre have been captured and the French have reached the southern edge of the ravine at Audignicourt, which is between Nampcel and Nouvron-Vingre.

Since the situation along the Aisne and Vesle and in Picardy has seemed to be approaching a deadlock, indicating a return to the old trench warfare of the first two years of the war, an attack in the sector between the Aisne and the Oise has been expected. This line is vital to the German positions on each side of it. If it should be broken the whole German defensive scheme would be thrown out of joint.

Two Flank Moves Indicated.

While the front over which the assault was launched is short compared with those of the Marne and Picardy drives, the success attained by the French appears to point to a possibility of Marshal Foch breaking the enemy's resistance by a flank attack instead of a direct assault against the strong positions now held by the Germans between Soissons and Rheims and between the Oise and the Ancre.

Americans Gain in Vosges.

The situation along the Aisne-Vesle sector is unchanged. The enemy continues his harassing attacks, using artillery and gas, but the French and Americans manage to cling to their bridgeheads north of the Vesle. In the Vosges American troops have advanced slightly near Frapelle, which was captured Saturday. The Germans have been shelling the village heavily.

Austrian efforts to regain the islet in the lower Piave taken last week by the Italians have failed. In a counterattack the Italians drove the enemy back and took 30 prisoners. In the mountain region the artillery has been active at isolated points.

185 TEUTON PLANES DOWNED

Work of British Aviators For Six-Day Period.

London, Aug. 20.—Some of the heaviest air fighting of the war took place last week between Albert and Amiens and the Roye road, where the enemy's air forces were considerably augmented. Shortly after the opening of the battle 48 enemy machines were destroyed and 17 others were driven down out of control. Fifty British machines failed to return. A marked weakening of the enemy's resistance in the air was speedily noted.

During the six following days, 185 enemy machines were destroyed and 89 driven down out of control and 13 British machines were reported missing.

FRAPELLE SHELLED BY FOE

Town Taken by Americans Object of Attack.

With the American Armies in France, Aug. 20.—American troops advanced slightly beyond Frapelle and consolidated the ground won in the previous attack. The Germans in retaliation dropped 2,500 shells in Frapelle, but failed to drive out the Americans.

Frapelle is five miles east of St. Die, and only four miles from the German border. It was captured in a surprise attack.

Soft Coal Production Slumps.

Washington, Aug. 20.—Bituminous coal production of 12,274,000 net tons ending August 10 was greater than that of the corresponding week of last year by about 2,000,000 tons, but was less than in recent previous weeks, according to reports today to the fuel administration by the geological survey.

An output of 14,500,000 net tons a week during the rest of the summer will be necessary to make up the deficit for the coal year to date, the fuel administration stated.

LYS SALIENT IS BEING WIPED OUT

Germans Gradually Retiring Before Pressure of British Arms.

YANKS TAKE FRAPELLE

Activity in Various Sectors Shows Enemy Is Being Given No Rest—Americans Gain on "Quiet" Front.

London, Aug. 19.—Gradually the famous Lys salient in the region west of Armentieres is giving way under pressure of the British troops. Again Field Marshal Haig's forces have compelled the enemy to seek ground to the eastward where he will be more secure from the shells of the big guns that for several weeks have been firing crisscross over the entire salient, working havoc among the defenders of the insecure line.

Likewise the Germans are being given no rest by the Franco-British forces north and south of the Somme, and the French and Americans along the Vesle and the Americans in Lorraine also are harrassing them by artillery fire and local attacks. No where has the enemy had the better of any encounter.

Over a front of four miles between Bailleul and Vieux Berquin on the Lys sector, the British have forced back the Germans to a depth ranging from 1,000 to 2,000 yards, taking in the maneuver the village of Outtersteen with 400 prisoners. A little to the south along the Lys river near Merville the British also have advanced their line and still further south, between Arras and Albert, the Germans have been relieved under pressure of further terrain near Burquoy.

With the American Army in Lorraine, Aug. 19.—The Americans early Saturday captured the village of Frapelle and eradicated a considerable German salient in the allied lines. Prisoners were taken by the Americans and the Germans evidently suffered heavy casualties in killed and wounded.

This sector has been regarded as a quiet one, and Saturday's action began merely as a raid into the enemy's positions.

1,450,000 YANKS OVERSEAS

Transport Service Now Greatly Improved.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Of more than 3,000,000 men now under arms, the American army has sent nearly one half or more than 1,450,000 overseas for service in France, Italy and Siberia.

These figures were revealed Saturday by General March, chief of staff, in his Saturday talks with newspaper men and members of the senate military committee. The senators were told that some transports are making the trip to Europe and back in 19 days, and that the average has been reduced to 28 days, which with additional shipping becoming available, makes the great job of getting 80 divisions of American troops to France by June 30, 1919, certain of success.

100 I. W. W.'S CONVICTED

Long Trial at Chicago Reaches Sudden End.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—One hundred leaders of the Industrial Workers of the World were found "guilty as charged," after one hour's deliberation, to disrupt the war program, late Saturday. Arguments for a new trial will be heard this week.

The defendants, including William D. ("Big Bill") Haywood, general secretary-treasurer of the I. W. W., the highest position in the organization, face a maximum penalty of twenty-seven years in prison and a $10,000 fine each.

The case closed suddenly after a protracted run of 138 days.

FOOD RIOTS OCCUR IN JAPAN

Tokio and Other Cities Show Great Unrest.

Tokio, Aug. 19.—There was serious rioting in Tokio Sunday night, mobs attacking and damaging property in the business and theatre districts of the city. Rioters also entered and pillaged houses in Asakusa, the great recreation resort of the middle and lower classes. A number of the disturbers were wounded by the police.

Troops have been called out in nearly every important city in Japan, even the naval station at Maizuru being affected by unrest. Two thousand workmen there are rioting in conjunction with the populace.

Food disturbances keep increasing in violence.

Senator Gallinger Is Dead.

Concord, N. H., Aug. 19.—United States Senator Jacob H. Gallinger of New Hampshire died at a hospital here Saturday. Senator Gallinger was the oldest member of the United States Senate both in years and in point of service. Ever since 1891 he had been a conspicuous figure in the senate, taking not only a leading part in its discussions, but ranking as a dominating figure in its leadership and in the councils of the republican party. As a minority leader the senator has been active until quite recently

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(Author of "A Circuit Rider's Wife," "Eve's Second Husband," Etc.)

During the Thrift Stamp campaign in July, 1918, a prominent citizen was sent into a backwoods farming community to arouse the people, and if possible sell Thrift Stamps. He was not expected to have much success with the sale of stamps because the people were very poor and illiterate. The effort was to be chiefly educational.

The speaker found a dingy company of farmers and their wives waiting for him in an old field schoolhouse.

He began his address with arguments for the support of the government reduced to the simplest forms. No one seemed to listen. The men stared straight ahead as if they had something else on their minds. The women fanned themselves and looked out of the windows. He changed his manner of speech to an impassioned appeal; no one was moved. He paused perspiring before making a last despairing effort. But before he could go on a tall, gaunt farmer stood up in the back of the house and waved his hand beseechingly:

"Mister," he said, "if you are done talking, give us a chance at them Thrift Stamps so we kin sign up and get back to the field."

He gave them the "chance." They bought nineteen hundred and fifty dollars' worth of stamps, although there was not a man among them who owned property to the amount of two thousand dollars.

"We own this land," the farmer said, addressing the prominent citizen grimly as he passed up the last pledge card, "we own all this country. The government at Washington belongs to us; we made it and it is ours. The army in France is ours, too; they are our sons. We sent sixty-two boys there from this district, and I reckon we know it is our duty to work for them and take care of them while they are busy whipping them Germans."

This is the best, most serviceable and intelligent definition of patriotism I have heard since this war began.

Victory at Any Cost.

This is the most expensive war ever known, still beyond our imagination to conceive of. The enormous destruction wrought by the submarines, the terrific sums spent for war materials, the loans to our allies, none of these things account for the incredible expense. The real explanation is that civilization demands that it shall cost everything. Never before has any nation spent so much to insure the health of its soldiers, never before have such provisions been made to safeguard a great army morally. More is being spent to equip hospitals, provide ambulances, nurses and doctors to care for the wounded than whole campaigns cost in former wars. Never in the history of man has such provision been made to insure widows and orphans and soldiers from the after effects of wounds and poverty. Formerly when a man entered the army to fight for his country, his country took his life, and that was the end of it if he was killed. Now the government pays, and pays enormously, for every man who lives or dies in this struggle. All this is so because as a nation we have developed a sense of justice and honor that regards any and every expense as secondary to the one tremendous obligation to its citizens.

Our allies were compelled to fight Germany to preserve their very existence, but we chose to fight her when we might have made a shameful treaty with her that would have insured a shameful peace, because we are not a craven grasping nation, but a nation built upon ideals, and it costs more to preserve an ideal than it ever costs to preserve peace, because you cannot buy them—you must achieve them.

Nothing stands between the world and this catastrophe but the American people, their honor, their energy, their fidelity and their wealth. Our troops in France are only the sword arm of the nation. We, the people at home, are the body and life of that army. If we fail at all, they must fail entirely.

We are about to make another loan of six billion dollars for war expenses. It is not a gift, but an investment we make in the lives of American soldiers and an insurance we take out for the safety of our country.

To Put Out Fire.

If a lamp is accidentally upset and the burning oil spreads, do not dash water on it, but throw upon it flour, meal, sand, salt or ashes.

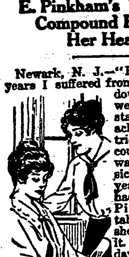
The Real Trouble.

They talk about people's "biting off more than they can chew"—but the trouble often is, that they do not chew fast enough.

Words are daughters of earth, but ideas are sons of heaven.—Samuel Johnson.

A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN

Miss Kelly Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.



Newark, N. J.—"For about three years I suffered from nervous breakdown and got so weak I could hardly stand, and had headaches every day. I tried everything I could think of and was under a physician's care for two years. A girl friend had used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and she told me about it. From the first day I took it I began to feel better and now I am well and able to do most any kind of work. I have been recommending the Compound ever since and give you my permission to publish this letter."—Miss Flo Kelly, 476 So. 14th St., Newark, N. J.

The reason this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, was so successful in Miss Kelly's case was because it went to the root of her trouble, restored her to a normal healthy condition and as a result her nervousness disappeared.

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REACHED END OF PATIENCE

Rookie Felt He Hadn't Enlisted in Army to Be Made Permanent Bird-Tender.

A western bishop, just back from France, where he spent some time at the front, tells the following anecdote as illustrative of the fighting spirit of the American soldier:

"Again and again, whenever his regiment had any orders for activity, it fell to the lot of one 'Yank' to take charge of a crate of carrier pigeons for one of the officers. Always the same private was selected for the monotonous, unexciting task. It became a standing joke in the regiment, and the pigeon tender became more and more disgruntled. At last, on the eve of a battle, he again received orders to take charge of the pigeons. He could contain himself no longer. With an air of absolute resolve he walked boldly to the tent of the commanding officer and very firmly placed the crate of pigeons at the door. On the crate was a note:

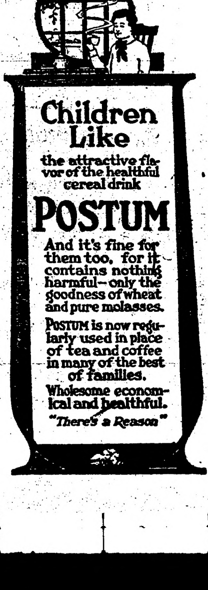
"'Here! take your d—— birds—I am going to fight.'"

Heard on Bastille Day.

Eve—Jealous?

Adam—Yes, nobody makes our fall a holiday.

A man may be able to fool himself as to his importance, but the neighbors are different.



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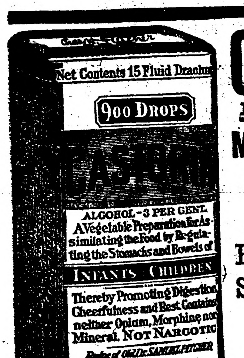

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"But how do you like life in the trenches?"

"Oh, not so bad! Gee! You ought to have seen those beans. It was this way. The cook had just cooked a pot of beans for supper and had put it on the edge of the trench to cool, when along came a German shell and hit it square. Gee! I guess it must have rained beans for an hour and we didn't have any supper. It was great!"—Francis Rogers in the Vigilantes.

The Main Witness.

"There were number of witnesses to prove that the plaintiff was assaulted by the defendant's goat. Did the latter have any rebutting witnesses?"

"Only the goat. He seemed to do all the re-butting."

Haddonfield, N. J., recently killed a pack of ten wild dogs.

The Busy Season.

"What are you going to talk about in your next speech?"

"I'm not going to make any speeches during the next week or so," replied Senator Sorghum. "There's so much regular work to be done that if I was to get a crowd together to stand around and listen to talk I wouldn't have any respect for my audience and my audience wouldn't have any respect for me."

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"What do you think of these lightless nights?"

"Well, they have dark possibilities."

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News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

St. Cloud.—Two boys, each 9 years old, broke into and robbed the house of William Victor. They obtained $20 and a few small articles.

St. Paul.—An average daily expenditure of $92,079.40 and a daily revenue of $95,362.48 was Minnesota's record for the last year, according to a report given out at the office of J. A. O. Preus, state auditor.

Fort Snelling.—The Thirty-sixth infantry, numbering 3,600 officers and men, which has been at Fort Snelling for fourteen months, is on its way to an Eastern camp to become the nucleus of a new division.

Winona.—Rapid progress is being made by the Yankee Doodle Highway association which has as its object the marking out of the trail from St. Paul to Winona along the Mississippi, to be called the "Yankee Doodle Trail."

Red Wing.—The Lutheran Choral convention, scheduled to be held here the last part of the month, is to be abandoned this year for patriotic reasons. The convention was expected to bring all the way from 800 to 1,000 delegates.

St. Paul.—Frank E. Hoffman of this city has been appointed assistant state labor commissioner to succeed John D. Gardiner, St. Paul, recently advanced to the commissionership following the death of W. F. Houk, Minneapolis.

Winona.—The first shipment of coal by barges up the Mississippi river under government auspices is expected to reach Winona within the next few days. These barges may be run temporarily for the remainder of the summer if the first trip proves a success.

Bemidji.—A lacrosse game between the Red Lake and Cass Lake Indians may be one of the features at the Beltrami county fair next month, according to plans of Walter F. Dickens, superintendent of the Red Lake agency. The game would be staged here.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota Council of State Banking Institutions was organized here by representatives of state banks in 42 counties. It will cooperate with national and state organizations to promote the general efficiency and welfare of the American banking system.

Fairmont.—Lieut. Hugh Lester, bred and born in Elm Creek township, Martin county, is in a hospital in France, wounded in both legs by Hun shells. He attended common school of Martin county and a graduate of both Carleton and Harvard. He located in the practice of law at Birmingham, Ala.

Mankato.—Violet Wirig, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wirig of Madison Lake, was drowned at Point Pleasant. She, with two other girls, were in a launch and from some unknown cause the launch caught fire. The girls upon seeing the fire jumped and Miss Wirig was the only one that could not swim.

Mankato.—Action brought by Joseph Gilbert, formerly manager of the Nonpartisan league campaign, against William S. Carver, sheriff of Martin county, and William Roepke, his deputy, for $400 forfeiture on account of illegal detention, will be tried in Ramsey county, under an order made by Judge Grier M. Orr in district court.

St. Paul.—Minnesota men in military service, including those fighting in France, will be afforded an opportunity to vote at the general election in November if a way to register their ballots can be found, the state public safety commission decided yesterday. Attorney General C. L. Hilton was asked to study the legal aspects of the plan and to report at the next meeting of the commission.

St. Paul.—With Minnesota showing a saving of between 6,000 and 7,000 tons of wheat flour a month, A. D. Wilson, state food administrator, attributed the success of the bureau to the food administration's organization here. There are more than 5,000 persons connected with the state food administration, Mr. Wilson said, and every county in the state has a county food administrator and an efficient committee.

St. Paul.—Interest on daily balances of state deposits in banks almost paid the salaries of state elective officers last year, State Treasurer Henry Rines said. The interest earnings were $242,585 at 2 per cent on active and 3 per cent on inactive deposits. The salary for state elective officers totaled during the year $248,550. By keeping down the inactive deposits, Treasurer Rines effected a material increase in interest earnings.

St. Paul.—Fire Prevention Day will be celebrated November 2 throughout the United States this year. Postponement from the usual October date was requested by W. G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury, to avoid conflict with the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign. A copy of Mr. McAdoo's request was received at the office of the state fire marshal and a favorable reply was made. Governor Burnquist later will issue the customary proclamation designating Saturday, November 2, as Fire Prevention Day in Minnesota.

Hamline.—Officials in charge of the entertainment features for the Minnesota state fair the first week in September are completing arrangements for the greatest aviation exhibition ever staged in this part of the United States. Several weeks ago, a modest program of flights were considered. Then, fair officials got in touch with the department of public information and as a consequence the assurance was given the "Flying Circus" of American and British aviators would be sent here on Sept. 1, 2 and 3. It was tentatively decided to stage a sham battle in the air on Sept. 2.

MRS. PETER OLESON

Mrs. Peter Oleson of Cloquet, is one of the Minnesota women of prominence who has joined the forces of the Y. W. C. A. in its war work campaign. Mrs. Oleson is known throughout the state as a club woman of attainments and a speaker of force. Not only will she serve as a speaker but as the recruiting officer, whose duty it will be to secure speakers for the many meetings through which the public will be told of the war work activities of the Y. W. C. A. The campaign now being inaugurated is preliminary to the co-operative fall drive of the Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. At that time the two organizations will ask for $115,000,000 for their work at home and abroad. Of this amount $15,000,000 will go to the Y. W. C. A. Minnesota's share of the Y. W. C. A. total will approximate $2,975,000.

Pipestone.—Wilhelm Peters of Sioux Falls, S. D., shot and killed 6-year-old Margaret Porter of Pipestone and then took his own life.

Winona.—The Rev. Dr. T. S. Devitt has accepted the call extended to him to the pastorate of the Central Congregational church of Fall River, Mass.

St. Paul.—A state conference of county superintendents, institute instructors, and instructors in teacher training departments in high schools, will be conducted at the university farm on Aug. 27, 28 and 29.

Rochester.—"I have no anxiety for the future of this war," declared Surgeon General W. C. Gorgas, head of the United States medical corps, in addressing several hundred doctors, nurses and enlisted men at the Mayo clinic.

Fairmont.—This city honored the memory of Walter H. Thiemann, the first boy from this city killed in France, at a special service in Evangelical St. John's church. A gold star was added to the church service flag.

St. Paul.—A strange gas permeated the whole downtown district and several persons fainted. City health authorities express the belief that the gas is escaping from the mains into the sewer pipes and then into various office buildings.

St. Paul.—The big annual sale of timber on state lands will be conducted October 14 at the Capitol by State Auditor Preus, it was announced by Oscar Arneson, state superintendent of timber. Upwards of 20,000,000 feet will be offered.

St. Paul.—A large section of the northwest was made bone dry, by an order of the state public safety commission which instituted prohibition in Red Lake county, as a war measure. This district was termed an "Oasis" for northern Minnesota, the Dakotas and adjoining Canadian territory.

Winona.—When he lost control of his automobile while driving with a party of five other young persons between Houston and Caledonia, Edward Schleich, 21 years old, was killed and his companions escaped with minor bruises. The steering gear was defective and the car plunged into a ditch.

Winona.—The systematic rescue of valuable fish from drying pools left by subsiding high water along the margins of the Mississippi river is assuming remarkable proportions. Since July 1, 1918, no less than 11,000,000 miscellaneous fish have been rescued and returned to the main river or running sloughs.

Stillwater.—Harold the 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bloom, four miles west of Scandia, was found dead in a barn yard. The child was playing around a wagon near the barn, and in climbing over the front wheel cramped the wagon in such a manner that he was squeezed so badly as to cause a depression around the heart which resulted in death.

St. Paul.—Renewing the fight begun more than a year ago for revision of Federal grain grading standards to overcome objections of farmers in Minnesota and other northwestern states, state officials, including representatives of the state boards of grain appeals in Duluth and Minneapolis conferred here to adopt a future course of action. It was said a new appeal for revision of the Federal grades may be made.

St. Paul.—The number of employes in the State Labor department will remain reduced that available funds may be used to increase the salaries of those retaining their positions. Commissioner John F. Gardiner made the announcement after Attorney General Hilton approved the plan from a legal standpoint. There will be two instead of three deputies, four instead of five factory inspectors, and three instead of four assistant factory inspectors. A special agent and one compensation agent are to be employed, however, and paid from a contingent fund.

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Personal Reports of Real Cases

A MONTANA CASE.

J. H. Jones, retired stationary engineer, 346 Lupfer Ave., Whitefish, Mont., says: "A few years ago my kidneys were out of order. I think the trouble was caused by a general weakness of my system, as anyone is likely to suffer that way when well up in years. My worst suffering was with lumbago. My back was always weak and often sharp, cutting pains darted across my kidneys. The kidney secretions passed entirely too freely. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and a few boxes completely cured me. I haven't been bothered since."

A NORTH DAKOTA CASE.

Mrs. A. F. Gillespie, Park River, N. D., says: "It was several years ago that I was troubled so severely with my kidneys. My back was always aching and was so lame, sore and stiff, I could hardly straighten when I bent over. My kidneys acted irregularly, I was all run down and just moped around all the time. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and was completely cured. I haven't had the slightest kidney trouble since and I surely place a lot of faith in Doan's."

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

60c a Box at All Stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N.Y. Mfg. Chem.

None in Sight.

A rookie just sent in to Fort Riley from the Ozark country was put on duty as barrack guard. The officer of the day chanced to pass him late at night and was permitted to pass unchallenged. He turned and asked the guard if he was on post there and received an affirmative reply.

The officer, thinking him to be a member of the guard, said: "Do you know general orders?"

Rookie gave him this reply: "Say, mister, I hain't seen nary a general since I come here."

TOO WEAK TO FIGHT

The "Come-back" man was really never down-and-out. His weakened condition because of overwork, lack of exercise, improper eating and living demands stimulation to satisfy the cry for a health-giving appetite and the refreshing sleep essential to strength. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, the National Remedy of Holland, will do the work. They are wonderful. Three of these capsules each day will put a man on his feet before he knows it; whether his trouble comes from uric acid poisoning, the kidneys, gravel or stone in the bladder, stomach derangement or other ailments that befall the over-zealous American. The best known, most reliable remedy for these troubles is GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This remedy has stood the test for more than 200 years since its discovery in the ancient laboratories in Holland. It acts directly and gives relief at once. Don't wait until you are entirely down-and-out, but take them today. Your druggist will gladly refund your money if they do not help you. Accept no substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box, three sizes. They are the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil Capsules.—Adv.

Wasters.

"The Germans in this last offensive of theirs have made an extravagant use of their reserves. Well, extravagance never pays."

The speaker was Gen. Walter Schuyler of Pike, Cal. He went on:

"The Germans in the end will be like Scattergood.

"'Whatever became of that chap Scattergood?' one man asked another at the golf club. 'He used to have money to burn.'

"'Yes,' the other man answered, 'and he's sifting the ashes now.'"

They Shall Not Pass.

Knicker—It is suggested that New York name a street for Joffre.

Bocker—No German could cross it.

Nothing is more pointed than the finger of scorn.

It takes a wise young man not to write a love letter.

Your Eyes

A Wholesome, Cleansing, Refreshing and Healing Lotion—Murine for Redness, Soreness, Granulation, Itching and Burning of the Eyes or Eyelids; "2 Drops" After the Movies, Motoring or Golf will win your confidence. Ask Your Druggist for Murine when your Eyes Need Care. M-15
Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago

Behind the Barn.

Father Hibrow (with firm sarcasm)—And how do you like smoking, my son?

Willie Hibrow (caught in the act, but equal to the occasion)—I must say I regard it as a sickening habit, father. I am surprised that you, with your vaunted acumen in most matters requiring intelligence, should allow yourself to become a slave to nicotine.

The Kind.

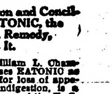
"They say the people in Saxony are eating dog meat." "It must be a sort of whine-er-wurst."

A wooden leg is an amendment to the constitution.

ASTHMADOR
AVERTS • RELIEVES
HAY FEVER
ASTHMA
Begin Treatment NOW
All Druggists Guarantee

JUDGE DECIDES STOMACH REMEDY A GREAT SUCCESS

Commissioner of Mediation and Conciliation Board Tries EATONIC, the Wonderful Stomach Remedy, and Endorses It.



Judge William L. Chambers, who uses EATONIC as a remedy for loss of appetite and indigestion, is a Commissioner of the U. S. Board of Mediation and Conciliation. It is natural for him to express himself in guarded language, yet there is no hesitation in his pronouncement regarding the value of EATONIC. Writing from Washington, D. C., to the Eatonic Remedy Co., he says,

"EATONIC promotes appetite and aids digestion. I have used it with beneficial results."

Office workers and others who sit much are martyrs to dyspepsia, belching, bad breath, heartburn, poor appetite, bloat, and impairment of general health. Are you, yourself, a sufferer? EATONIC will relieve you just as surely as it has benefited Judge Chambers and thousands of others.

Here's the secret: EATONIC drives the gas out of the body—and the Bloat Goes With It! It is guaranteed to bring relief or you get your money back! Costs only a cent or two a day to use it. Get a box today from your druggist.

SUCCESS comes to those who are intelligent, enthusiastic and have foresight to select a college where they can specialize and become leaders in their community. A great chance is offered you in getting an education, at a small cost in a short time by attending the WINONA BUSINESS COLLEGE, WINONA, MINN. Write for information.

KODAKS Films and Photo supplies. Finishing for Amateurs, enlarging. Mail orders Solicited. Prices on application. DACOTAH PHARMACY, CORNER 3rd. ST. and DeMERS, GRAND FORKS, N. D.

Shotwell Floral Co.
Growers and shippers of cut flowers, plants, etc. Write for catalog. Funeral designs on short notice. Phone day or night. Fargo, N. D.

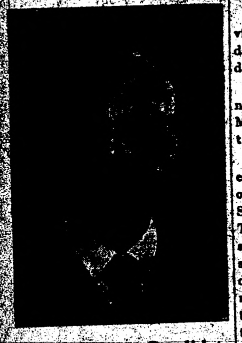
W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 34–1918.

Notice!

All young men that have become 21 years since June 5th 1918, must register on or before the 24th of August 1918. As there are so few they will register with the Local Board at Warren, for convenience we will try to arrange so they can get the physical examination at the same time to save an extra trip.

The Local Board,
Warren, Marshall Co., Minn.

S. S. Kolden



The Taxpayers Candidate

His eldest son, Selmer, is fighting in France with General Pershing and his youngest son, Peter, is serving in the navy as an expert gunner on the Norlina.

O. F. Mellby, M. D.
Office: McGinn Block
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phones: Office 198 Residence 167

Notice of Special School Meeting

Notice Is Hereby Given, that on the [illegible] day of August, 1918, the voters of School District No. 35, of Marshall County Minn. will meet at the school house, in the village of Holt, in said school district, between the hours of 7 o'clock and 9 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering and voting by ballot upon the question of organising said School District No. 35, as an independent school district.

Signed:
A. R. Jones, Nils Engebretsen, R. Reierson, C. H. Gunheim, C. W. Christianson, A. L. Carlson, Albert Bennes, Guy Anderson.
Resident freeholders and voters of School District No. 35.
Dated August 9th, 1918.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Torger T. Sollom
State of Minnesota,
County of Marshall in Probate Court.
In the Matter of the Estate of Torger T. Sollom, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Mrs. T. Sollom and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of K. A. Sundahl having been filed in this Court, representing that Torger T. Sollom, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the [illegible] day of August 1915, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to K. A. Sundahl and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of September 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 8th day of August 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.
O. A. Naplin
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

It would take a cyclone to arouse some people.

Carl Christofferson commenced his duties as janitor of the school, on Monday morning.

Mrs. A. Bjork will entertain the Sunnyside Red Cross Sunday P. M. Sept. 1st. Everyone invited.

Julius Olson is now working at Milton, N. Dak., and has asked to have his paper sent to him there.

Mrs. E. T. Dale and little son returned Tuesday to their home in McIntosh after a visit with relatives near Golden Valley.

Miss Agnes and Mable Fosen visited at the Miss Gunvor Skomedahl home near Steiner, from Saturday until Wednesday.

Misses Anna Reiersen and Minnie Rux went to Northwood, N. D. Monday to work in a cook car thru the threshing season.

Jacob Gabrielson had a narrow escape from a very serious accident on the river road across from Tom Severson's place Tuesday forenoon. The roadway which is very narrow at that place had been made very slippery by the rain. His car skidded and ran off the roadway onto the river bank but did not upset, so all the occupants escaped unhurt, but they might have all been badly hurt and realise it to be a very narrow escape.

Late model Ford for sale.
Newfolden Auto Co.
Newfolden, Minn.

Don't kick on how the school election goes, if you fail to vote.

To The Public!

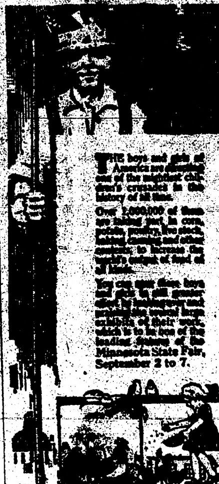
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

For Trade or Sale Cheap

One complete threshing outfit, 2 automobiles, 1 seven H P gasoline engine, one separator.
B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.



THE boys and girls of America are [illegible] one of the mightiest children's crusades in the history of all time.

Over 1,000,000 of them are taking part in corn, potato, poultry, live stock, baking, canning and other contests to increase the world's output of food of all kinds.

You can spur these boys and girls to still greater effort by [illegible] exhibits of their work, which is to be one of the leading features of the Minnesota State Fair, September 2 to 7.

Wanted: Workers by the Red Cross Chapter of Holt.

Miss Dora Olson went to Searls, N. Dak., Friday where she has employment.

B. J. Bakke went to the southern part of the state last week and while there sold his Beltrami county land.

J. E. Erickson, daughter Anna, Misses Anna Johnson, Jennie Eastman and Tillie Kolberg visited Carl Erickson and family Sunday.

Misses Idella and Bertha Ingebretsen of Fertile came Tuesday to visit their aunts, Mrs. M. B. Fitch and Mrs. Jacob Nelson and families for a few days.

Mrs. A. S. Rokke, wife of County Commissioner Rokke, died at the Warren hospital two weeks ago from heart failure, following an operation for the removal of a tumor.

Rev. F. J. Seltz will conduct services at Holt Sunday Sept. 1st at 2:30 P. M., and not on Aug. 25th as it had been previously announced. His absence from home for several days makes this change necessary.

Arne Moe of Granville, N. Dak., visited from Friday until Monday at the B. J. Bakke home. Mrs. Moe had not sufficiently recovered to be able to return home with her husband, and will remain here awhile longer.

Ole Kjelgren went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to see his daughter Ida who is very sick with appendicitis. We understand the doctors expect to operate on her some time next week, if her condition is then favorable.

The five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Dahl was taken sick last week and the Grygla doctor was called to attend him. Their little girl was taken sick Monday with convulsions and Dr. Frohelich was sent for. Both children are better we are glad to report.—Later: The children were taken to the Grygla hospital Wednesday and are doing as well as can be expected.

Ship Your Poultry
to
Thief River Produce Co

Your shrinkage will be less
Remittances made Promptly
We offer F. O. B. your station

Hens 3 1-2 lbs & over	17c
Hens less 3 1-2 lbs	15c
Roosters, per lb	14c
Springs 1 1-2 lbs and over	23c
Dux	11c
Geese	10c
Turkeys	15c

Prices good until our next issue.
If you are in need of coops, write us.

Thief River Produce Co
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Renie Werner is driving a new Apperson car which they purchased last week.

Mrs. J. E. Erickson and Anna Johnson visited Mrs. E. Hoffman on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Olson of Crookston came Saturday for a short visit at the home of the latters sister Mrs. Sam Mickelson and family and also his mother Mrs. Matt Olson and family.

One of the farmers has requested us to publish some extracts from a letter he received from Warren stating that some of the threshers at that time offered to thresh for 4-5-6 and 12 cents, until they are satisfied these prices are not profitable. That the prices were not binding and that farmers and threshers still have a right to agree on a different price if they wish.

The Normal training dept. at the Crookston Agricultural School begins Sept. 10, and will do its share to relieve a great shortage of teachers.

Have you bot a Thrift Stamp?

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

It is Difficult to Pick Out Best
Many Getting Ready for Show

[illegible] the leading American crop, is needed so badly for the production of meat, that every [illegible] to encourage the raising of record crops this year and next year. This is the reason why such generous premiums are offered for good exhibits of corn at the Minnesota State Fair, September 2 to 7.

America produces more than three-fourths of the world's crop of corn. Four-fifths of all the farmers in America grow corn. One-third of all the land in cultivation is in corn. In 1917 the corn crop amounted to over three billion bushels, and was valued at more than four billion dollars.

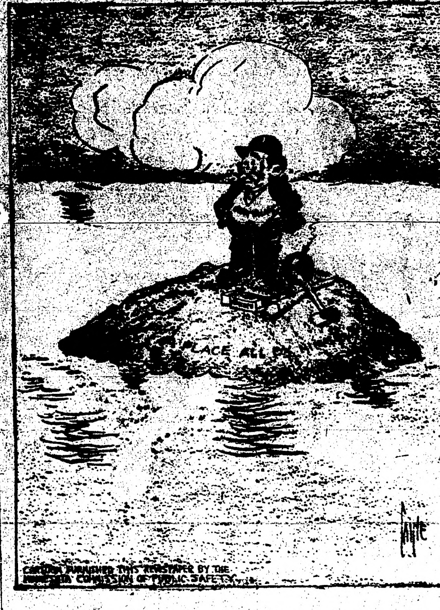
Corn is not only good for live stock but for human beings too. For many years the American people have been accustomed to eating cornmeal mush, hominy, grits, breakfast flakes, canned corn, popcorn, and corn bread. Still, until the entrance of the United States in the Great War, corn did not constitute as much of the human diet as might be imagined.

Corn Popular.

Since it has become necessary to substitute corn for wheat, that shipments of wheat may be sent to Europe to feed the wheat-hungry people there, corn has become more popular than ever as a part of our diet. Until now only one bushel of every thirty bushels has been used for human food.

The local corn show will emphasize the necessity of using none but the very best varieties and types of corn, that our output per acre may be increased tremendously.—Copyrighted.

A SUGGESTION



CARTOON FURNISHED THIS NEWSPAPER BY THE MINNESOTA COMMISSION OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Child Welfare
By Ethel M. Swan

Clothing in hot weather should be light and on very hot days only the shirt, band and napkin worn.

Bathe the baby morning and eve and on hot days also in the middle of the day.

Keep the skin clean and well powdered. Napkins when soiled should be placed at once in water and washed as soon as possible.

The baby needs fresh air quite as much as fresh food. Keep him out of doors as much as possible. Avoid the sun on hot days. In very hot weather take him out early in the morning and the late afternoon and early evening. It is often cooler in the house, with shutters closed, in the middle of the day.

Be a loyal red blooded American.

Help the farmer harvest his crops, and thus help win the war.

Iver Ophus of St. Paul visited old friends a few days last week.

C. A. Nason, Secy. of the Winton Nichols Lumber Co., was in town Monday on business.

Rev. J. A. Orrock of Thief River Falls will hold English services next Monday evening at 8:30.

Clyde Groner of Carpenter, Iowa came Wednesday to see his mother who is very sick, at the Carl Dahl home.

Mrs. Peter Bjerken and little brother LeRoy Reierson visited relatives in Thief River Falls Thursday and Friday.

The Red Cross needs the help of every woman. Why not register for a nurse? Thousands of women are needed right now for nurses.

Mrs. Groner is very sick at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Dahl near Golden Valley and relatives from Iowa have been notified to come and see her.

Red Lake County saloons were closed last week Thursday by order of the Safty Commission. Any liquor found in the county after to day (Friday) will be seized by the authorities.

Ludvig Knutson returned to T. R. Falls Sanitarium Monday after a few days visit at home. The young man is getting much better we are glad to report and hope he will be entirely well soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson and sons Olander and Hans of near Germantown were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson whom they knew in Norway but had not seen for 18 years.

Mrs. Fitch and daughter Lillian and Mrs. Hagberg and daughter Gladys went to Thief River Falls Tuesday where the children expected to have operations for the removal of their aneoids and tonsils.

Cleve Peterson received a telegram Monday from the recruiting officer at Bemidji, stating that it would be impossible for him to take their bunch into the army until the war Dept make another change in their rules. This is quite a disappointment to Cleve Peterson and Ernest Phillipson as they expected to leave yesterday for Jefferson Barracks.

Notice of Special Election

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in School District No. 35 of Marshall County, at the School House on the 17th day of August 1918 from 7 P. M. to 9 P. M., for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said municipality in the aggregate sum of $9000.00 bearing interest at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purpose:

To build an addition to School House and equipping the same with school furniture, $6500.

To pay Outstanding Orders, $2500.

said to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the clerk.

Dated July 30th 1918.

B. Docken, Clerk
of School District No. 35

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Miss Mary Olberg came Saturday to visit her sister Mrs. S. S. Kolden.

Manvel and Lydia Larson went to Fargo Friday for a few days visit with relatives.

Mrs. Alfred Sollom went to T. R. Falls Monday to see her sister Ida Kjelgren.

Child's clinic Central School in T. R. Falls to-morrow. Children examined free by a special doctor.

Mrs. A. Huseth and children returned to their home at Greenbush Wednesday, after a pleasant visit at the H. J. Oien home.

Ed. Nelson went to Warren Friday to register for the army draft. He was also examined at the same time and put in the remedial class.

Boys don't forget that there'll be lots of [illegible] at the pie social in the Ringbo school Saturday evening Aug. 31.

E. M. Holland of Newhall, Iowa, who owns the farm where Lewis Johnson lives, came last week Thursday to look after business interests.

Lillian Fitch and Gladys Hagberg returned home Friday from the T. R. Falls hospital and are recovering nicely from the effects of their operations.

Hilmer Davidson and Alfred Larson have received notice to report for military duty next week. Probably others have also received notices that we have not learned of.

Mrs. Walborg Anderson of Minneapolis came last week Wednesday to visit her sisters, Mrs. R. L. Olson Mrs. Ole Knutson, Mrs. Erick Johnson and Mrs. Ole Kjelgren and families.

Ed. Nyberg and Emil Johnson who have been working on a farm near Radium, returned home Tuesday evening. The former leaves next week in response to his country's call.

P. A. Rieviere and S. S Kolden went to Mentor Saturday for a short visit at the Clarence Kolden home. They returned home Tuesday and report the fishing only fair at Maple Lake.

City Meat Market

Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides and Furs.
TERMS:- Cash. Postively no credit
O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

Sept. 3, Opening Day of Holt Consolidated School

As we are in greater need of educated people than ever before, it is the desire of the faculty as well as all live community members to urge every child to attend school during the entire school year.

Those who have completed the eighth grade, will be given the opportunity to pursue four High School subjects and thus complete one year of High School work. Such subjects will be offered as will accommodate second year pupils, especially those who have not yet completed all the first year subjects. All who wish to take up second year work, better bring credits and call on me any day at school house for more detailed information. All pupils in the district should be on hand the opening day, Tuesday Sept. 3rd and thus insure a good start, which is very essential in doing good work thru out the year. Special emphasis will be placed this year upon Agriculture and Foods and Cookery, and the rooms have been so altered so as to allow ample space.

Parents are hereby reminded that the Compulsory Education Law requires that every child between ages of eight and sixteen must attend school every day during the entire year unless they have already completed the eighth grade.

No one is permited to be absent unless they can get a written excuse from school board. If for some good reason pupils must be absent, it is best to see school board first and get excuse. One of the duties of the principal is to report names of pupils who are absent without getting [illegible] parents will take notice of this warning, and thus escape punishment.

The War Department is at present carrying on a vigorous campaign to urge all young men who are high school graduates, to enter College, thus this war helps us to see more clearly the need for a better education.

Hoping that the school and faculty will get the co-operation of all parents and members of the school district, so we can all make this the best school year possible.

Martha M. Peterson,
Principal.

Loyal citizens will win this war.

The Y. M. C. A. is doing splendid work,- ask the boys in camps and in Europe. Shall we help them?

Prof. Alway of St. Paul came on Saturday to oversee some work on the state peat farm at Golden Valley.

B. Docken has sold two threshing machines the past week, one to E. K. Johnson of Montevideo and the other to Andrew Ness of T. R. Falls.

Mrs. Christenson and daughters Misses Effa and Verna and grandchild, little Lucile Russell came from Fertile Monday to visit at the home of H. J. Oien.

Eighty five students and teachers, of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, are now in the service of their country in various camps, in France, on the sea and in the air.

Federal Judge E. A. Evens, Wisconsin, ruled that it is illegal to assail the Y. M. C. A. or the Red Cross in holding Louis B. Nagler, former assistant Secretary of State, guilty of violating Section 3 of the Espionage Act when he said that "The Y. M. C. A. and the Red Cross are a bunch of grafters" Judge Evens said the violation was the same as if he had spoken directly against the naval or military forces of the United States.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement Friday afternoon Aug. 30th Everybody invited.

Pie Social

The Ringbo Auxilary of the Red Cross will give a Pie Social in the new school building just completed in District 58, on Saturday evening. Aug. 31 at 8 o'clock. Ladies please bring a pie and two cups. Coffee will be furnished by the society and lunches served for those not getting a pie. A program will be given consisting of good music, talks and recitations. The proceeds are to start a fund being raised by the society for the purpose of furnishing a Xmas. box to send each boy from this vicinity who have been called to the colors. Come and see the fine new school building, enjoy a pleasant evening and help send Christmas cheer to the boys at the front. They are doing a great work. Let us show our appreciation of it.

Esther Movik, Secy.

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Be a loyal red blooded American.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Choir and Bible Class meeting at 8 o'clock every Thursday evening.

Services in Holt at 11 o'clock next Sunday and at Thovick at 3 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

Holt School Girls Win.

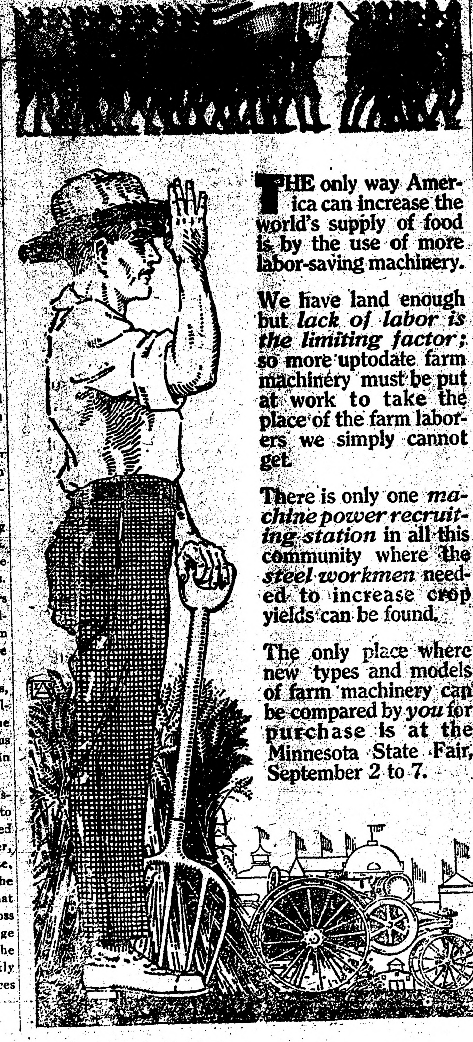
Gladys Ellestad won the Marshall county prize for the A. grade in the bread making contest last year and Mabel Hagberg won the prize in the B. grades. The prize is a free trip with all expenses paid, to the state fair, also includes sight seeing trips to Ft. Snelling, Minnehaha Falls and to Stillwater.

A trained nurse from T. R. Falls came Saturday to take care of Mrs. Groner at the home of her daughter in Golden Valley.

Charlie Mclane has completed the well at Guy Anderson's feed barn and struck a good flow of water at a depth of only 80 feet.

Parties of Indians from the Red Lake Indian reservation passed thru town a couple of times this week on the way to the reservation further north.

Marshall Co. Teacher's Institute, Warren, 9 - 13. Teachers may close school to attend if a certificate of perfect attendance is presented to the school board.



THE only way America can increase the world's supply of food is by the use of more labor-saving machinery.

We have land enough but *lack of labor is the limiting factor;* so more uptodate farm machinery must be put at work to take the place of the farm laborers we simply cannot get.

There is only one *machine power recruiting station* in all this community where the *steel workmen* needed to increase crop yields can be found.

The only place where new types and models of farm machinery can be compared by *you* for purchase is at the Minnesota State Fair, September 2 to 7.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.05
Wheat No. 2	2.02
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.86
Oats	.58
Barley	52 to .70
Rye	1.47
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

A New and Complete Stock of
Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
Try Our
LUNCH COUNTER
Fresh Ice Cream Every Day
Prompt Service at all Times
Albert Bennes - Holt

Auto Repairing!

Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right

Hamernes Garage
Racine Olson, Manager
Holt, Minn.

Holt Dray and Livery
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Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
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Important News Events of the World Summarized

Washington

A resolution urging such states as have not provided for absent voting of soldiers and sailors to enact laws permitting their franchise was adopted by the senate.

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Gratitude of congress to men in the army and navy for their efforts in the war is expressed in a resolution by Senator Jones of New Mexico, adopted by the senate.

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The long-awaited report of the senate military subcommittee investigating aircraft production was submitted with a scathing arraignment of delays in the early days of the war; a review of improved conditions and recommendations for the creation of a new separate department of aviation with a cabinet officer at its head. Disclaiming wholesale condemnation of the aircraft program, the subcommittee praised much that has been accomplished.

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President Wilson put in a busy day after returning to Washington from Manchester, Mass., where he spent a brief vacation near the summer home of Col. E. M. House.

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No general exemption of married men simply because of their married status is contemplated by the war department in preparing for the proposed extension of the draft age. Secretary Baker declared. He also said married men who do not support their families and who are not engaged in useful occupations will continue to be called.

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Foreign

Germany's military leaders now have become distinctly worried over the prospects of a revolution in Germany. General Ludendorff, in a captured secret order, has taken steps to employ the assistance of his commanding officers and various government agencies to help him stamp out the glowing spark which has been seen.

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Hundreds of persons were killed and wounded in a battle between Lettish guards and rioters during disorders in Petrograd, according to an Amsterdam dispatch to London.

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An imperial ordinance issued at Tokyo authorizes the government to requisition all stocks of rice. The rice will be put on the market. A statement issued by the minister of the interior says that the governors have assured the ministry that the disorders are abating steadily.

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Petrograd's reign of terror is reported as raging unchecked, according to official dispatches to Washington from Stockholm. The Bolshevik chiefs are on board the warship Aurora in the roadstead of Kronstadt, prepared to sail for Germany in case of a successful uprising against them.

U.S.—Teutonic War News

According to the request of General Dietrichs, commander of the Czecho-Slovak forces in Siberia, the head of the American forces recently landed at Vladivostok, is dispatching troops to occupy points along the railroad between that city and Nikolsk, junction of the trans-Siberian railway with the line of Khabarovsk.

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American aviators bombed Flabeuville, in the department of Meurthe-et-Moselle, and secured many hits, some of them direct ones on the railroad tracks. The airplanes returned safely, notwithstanding the heavy anti-aircraft fire directed against them.

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It is the belief of Premier Clemenceau of France that a complete triumph will be won during the present year by the arms of the entente allies, and that the war will have ended before another year has passed, according to the understanding reached by United States Senator J. Hamilton Lewis of Illinois of remarks of the premier during a conversation with him in Paris.

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Eighty American divisions of 45,000 men each, General March told the house military committee, "should be able to bring the war to a successful conclusion in 1919." That is the number the war department plans to have in France by next June 30. For the present it is planned to send 250,000 men monthly to France, General March said, adding: "But we hope to increase that in the spring."

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Because the bolshevik government declared a state of war exists between Russia and the United States, Vice Consul Imbrie has lowered the United States flag over the consulate at Petrograd, closed the consulate and placed the affairs of the United States in charge of the Norwegian government.

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Lieut. Blair Thaw of Pittsburgh, a member of the American aviation service in France, was killed when his airplane fell as a result of engine trouble.

American naval aviators have conducted a successful bombing expedition at night into enemy territory and dropped a large quantity of explosives on the submarine docks at Ostend, Secretary Daniels announced.

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The American steamer Montanan of 6,659 tons gross, was torpedoed and sunk in foreign waters with the probable loss of three members of the civilian crew and two members of the naval armed guard, the navy department announced. Eighty-one survivors were landed. The Montanan was used as a supply ship.

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It was learned from highest official sources in Washington that one of the German submarines equipped with cable cutting apparatus had succeeded recently in cutting two cables from the United States to the West Indies.

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Personal

Hermann F. Schuettler, Chicago's chief of police, died at Alexian Brothers' hospital after a prolonged illness. Chief Schuettler, Chicago's most famous policeman, was born July 14, 1861.

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European War News

The bolshevik troops advancing along the Onega river, in the Murmansk regions southwest of Archangel, where the allies' expeditionary forces are operating, have captured the village of Purgasovo, according to a bulletin issued from the "laborers' army headquarters" and received in Stockholm.

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British shipping losses during July amounted to 176,479 tons, the British admiralty announced in London. Britain's allies and the neutrals lost 136,532 tons. The British losses exceeded British construction by 34,531 tons. Vessels aggregating 7,718,898 tons sailed from British ports during July.

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A 400-foot enemy submarine was sunk off the Atlantic coast by the gun crew of a British tanker, according to an officer of the tanker.

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Spain has informed Germany that because of the serious inroads submarine sinkings have made into Spanish shipping, Spain hereafter will use German vessels now in Spanish ports in place of tonnage sunk. This announcement is made in an official statement issued after a meeting of the Spanish cabinet at San Sebastian.

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British casualties reported in the week ending Tuesday totaled 8,411, compared with an aggregate of 8,620 reported to London in the previous week.

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Lieut. Rene Fonck, the French aviator, shot down three German airplanes on Wednesday, it is officially announced in Paris. This brings his total number of air victories up to sixty.

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A German submarine was sunk in a running battle with a British tank steamer about 300 miles northeast of Nantucket, according to members of the tanker's crew. The oil ship arrived at an Atlantic port from Mexico.

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Domestic

The plurality by which United States Senator George W. Norris of Nebraska apparently has been renominated as Republican candidate for the United States senate was increased to more than 4,000 by late returns.

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One hundred and twenty-five thousand fighting men have graduated from the great war "prep school" conducted in Camp Grant, Ill., by the One Hundred and Sixty-first depot brigade in the last five months.

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Thirty-four dead, 20 missing and 100 injured is the toll of a tornado which swept Tyler, Minn., and southeastern Minnesota. The tornado tore through the heart of the town, sparing one building, a moving picture theater, in which 200 persons were sheltered.

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President Hayes of the United Mine Workers, and two representatives from each mining district met at headquarters in Washington to formulate demands, it is understood, for a flat wage increase.

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The monthly Kansas crop report issued at Topeka, Kan., by the state board of agriculture estimates the corn crop at 57,540,000 bushels, or an average acre yield of 9.35 bushels on the 6,150,000 acres planted. "Should this prospective yield materialize," the report states, "the crop will be the fourth smallest produced in Kansas in the last 40 years, and less than last year's crop by 48,626,000 bushels."

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More than 100,000 men will march in the win-the-war parade of organized labor in New York on September 2, Ernst Bohm, corresponding secretary of the Central Federated union, announced.

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The fact that there now is a shortage in war work of 1,000,000 unskilled laborers and that the reserve of skilled workers is exhausted developed at a conference of field agents of the federal employment service. Further curtailment of nonessential production is planned to release men for war work.

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Seven members of the crew of the United States patrol boat Montauk were lost when the craft was driven ashore by a high northeast gale of Cumberland island, 20 miles north of Fernandina.

BRITISH TROOPS IN NEW ATTACK

Big Smash by Haig's Men Lands Them on Old Hindenburg Line.

COUNTERDRIVE FAILURE

Bapaume Enveloped on Three Sides by British—French Bomb Roye Front and Repel Foe Attack—Gain on New Offensive.

London, Aug. 27.—Extending the Picardy battle line far to the north into the Artois sector, the British launched an attack in the Scarpe region east of Arras. This attack may be considered as a new development of the terrific battle east of the Ancre river which has been going on for the past few days.

The British war office says that good progress is being made in the new attack which was begun in an area where the Germans hold strongly fortified lines which have been held by them for the last two years.

Hindenburg Line Attacked.

Progress on each side of the Somme river is officially reported and it is said that the British are advancing toward Maricourt four miles northeast of Bray.

As the battle stands the British appear to be quite near the old Hindenburg line south of Arras, while they are making an attack directly against it along the Scarpe river. If the attack is successful, it may have a determining effect on the course of the battle further south, for a German retreat over a wide section might be forced. It also will affect the Flanders sector to the north, from which the Germans are said to be retiring.

Heavy Rain Hampers Battling.

Heavy rain is falling over the battle area, it is reported. This will tend to slow down the movement of troops.

Relentlessly the British are pushing the Germans back to the Hindenburg line. Fresh enemy troops thrown into the desperate battles along the 36 mile front have failed to stop the men of Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's command.

Bapaume is surrounded except on the east, and the fall of this strategic road center apparently is close at hand.

The enemy has been driven from the high ground between the Ancre and the Somme and the British are moving eastward toward Peronne.

French Continue Pressure.

French pressure continues all along the southern wing to Soissons. Between the Oise and the Aisne, General Mangin is pressing steadily toward the western extremity of the Chemin des Dames. Unconfirmed reports have been received in the American lines along the Vesle that the enemy is withdrawing north of that river toward the Aisne.

Enemy forces are putting up a violent resistance against the British, but to no avail. They moved eastward an average of more than four miles on a 36-mile front. The greatest Allied gain has been six miles toward Bapaume, one of the most important points in the salient. The British momentum apparently increases in spite of the strong efforts of the Germans to stay the oncoming rush of tanks, cavalry and infantry. More than 17,000 German prisoners already have been counted and the enemy losses in prisoners are said to be in excess of the British casualties. Unofficially, the number of prisoners is placed at 20,000.

396 ON U. S. CASUALTY LIST

98 Are Killed and 193 Wounded in Action.

Washington, Aug. 27.—General J. J. Pershing has cabled 396 casualties among the American Expeditionary Forces in France.

The list issued by the war department shows 98 Americans killed in action, 193 wounded, 57 missing in action, 39 dead of wounds, 6 dead from accident and other causes, and 3 dead of disease.

The American casualties to date total 21,009.

Northwest names appear as follows: Corp. John Repsdorf, New Salem, N. D., Privates Raymond V. Kirkey, Burlington, N. D., David Schoch, Dawson, N. D., killed in action; Private Severt Johnson, Bottineau, N. D., died of wounds; Private Wm. A. Pratt, Alexandria, Minn., severely wounded; Privates Forest T. Hume, Drake, N. D., John C. Kenney, Minot, N. D., killed in action; Privates Wm. J. Gravell, Little Falls, Minn., Earl A. Lemont, De Smet, S. D., died of wounds; Private C. A. Goudie, Lisbon, N. D., died of disease; Private Frank H. Fredrickson, Portland, N. D., severely wounded.

Died Fighting Superior Force.

With the American Army on the Vesle Front, Aug. 27.—An account of the aerial operations carried out by an American squadron over the German lines, from which Lieut. John McArthur failed to return, shows that McArthur and his formation met superior German formations while 30 miles north of the American lines. They encountered heavy anti-aircraft firing. The engagement took place north of the Aisne. McArthur and one other airman failed to return to their lines.

PLAN CALLS FOR 350 SQUADRONS

Immense American Aircraft Program to Help Win War Is Made Public.

3,000 PILOTS TRAINED

About Seven Thousand Experienced Aerial Navigators Will Be Required—Only Thirteen Squadrons Are in France.

Washington, Aug. 27.—The aircraft program for the great American army that is counted upon to win the war next year calls for 350 complete squadrons of planes. This will require about 7,000 pilots. The man part of the program already is ahead of schedule, about 3,000 pilots having been trained.

This information, given by Major General Kenly, chief of the division of military aeronautics, and many other facts hitherto held secret, were disclosed when the Senate Military committee made public testimony taken behind closed doors during three months of investigation by the Aviation sub-committee headed by Senator Thomas of Colorado.

General Kenly told the committee there are 13 American airplane squadrons, making a total of 273 machines, now in France, whereas there should be 175 squadrons.

William C. Potter, assistant director of airplane production, said General Pershing had called for 25,000 planes by July 1, 1919, and had been told it was hoped to deliver 18,000 to 20,000. This would meet replacement demands of squadrons in the field.

C. G. Nash, former president of the Nash Motor Company, and now assistant to Mr. Ryan, in engineering and production, gave it as his opinion that nothing but De Haviland machines could be delivered before next January, and if 10,000 airplanes were delivered by next July it would be "almost a miracle."

Orders for Planes Don't Stay Put.

General Kenly said other officers—in fact, all of the witnesses—apparently gave their statements with what Senator Reed characterized at one stage as "brutal frankness."

All were examined secretly and apparently without considering the possibility of the publicity now given. Personal criticisms were voiced with freedom.

SUMMONS 186,772 DRAFTEES

Provost Marshal General Issues Four Separate Calls.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Four separate selective draft calls, constituting the first of the September calls and requiring 186,773 men to entrain for training camps between Aug. 30 and Sept. 6, were issued by Provost Marshal General Crowder. Every state and the District of Columbia is called on to furnish men for training to augment the forces abroad. For general military service 125,000 white men and 21,270 negroes are called; for limited service 40,503 white man are called.

The calls to Northwest states, with the camps to which the men are to be sent, follow:

General military service—white:

Entrainment, Sep. 3, 1918, to Sept. 6, 1918.

Minnesota, 2,500, Grant; Montana, 1,000, Lewis; North Dakota, 1,000, Grant; South Dakota, 500, Grant; Wisconsin, 2,000, Grant.

FOR NATION'S POWER PLANTS

House Committee Told $130,000,000 Is Needed at Once.

Washington, Aug. 27.—More than $130,000,000 is needed at once to stimulate the nation's power plants as a war necessity, Lieutenant Stanley of the war industries board told the House interstate commerce committee, considering the emergency power bill.

The bill provides $200,000,000 for this work.

Greatly increased power is needed in practically every section of the country to cope with the flood of war business, Stanley said.

Of the appropriation, he said, it was proposed to spend $31,250,000 in the Middle West; $14,626,000 in New England; Southern states, $3,000,000, and the Pacific coast, $10,000,000.

Kansas Official in "Y" War Work.

Hutchinson, Kan., Aug. 27.—Lieut. Governor Wm. Y. Morgan announced he had entered the Y. M. C. A. service and would leave shortly for France, to remain "until we win the war." Lieutenant Governor Morgan is publisher of the Hutchinson News.

Seven Held for Sedition.

New York, Aug. 27.—Six men and one woman were arrested by federal authorities in a raid here on what is believed to be the hearquarters of distribution of seditious propagandist literature. The prisoners were held in connection with the circulation of pamphlets entitled "Hypocrisy of the United States and the Allies," which were thrown from housetops on the Lower East Side and distributed at a big Socialistic assemblage in Harlem. A large quantity of the circulars was seized.

VERMIN ATTRACTED BY FOOD

If No Scraps Are Around There Will Be Little Trouble With Ants or Roaches.

The surest way to keep a house free from ants is to leave no food lying about on shelves or in open places, where they can reach it. Ants go where they find food, and if the food supplies of the household are kept in ant-proof metal containers or in ice boxes, and if all foods that may happen to be scattered by children or others is cleaned up promptly, the ant nuisance will be slight. Cake, bread, sugar, meat, and like substances, are especially attractive to the ants, and should be kept from them.

Roaches will not frequent rooms unless they find some valuable food material, and if such materials can be kept from living rooms and offices or scrupulous care exercised to see that no such material is placed in drawers where it can leave an attractive odor or fragments of food, the roach nuisance can be largely restricted to places where food necessarily must be kept.

Limit in Snobbery.

"Those society leaders who go about administering snubs and insults," the late Barton Willing once said at the Philadelphia club, "remind me of Greens.

"Greens ran a little grocery in South Eleventh street. He was tremendously proud of it, though it was in reality a wretched hole. He used to stride up and down in front of it all day with his nose in the air and his chest puffed out.

"An humble hodcarrier passing Greens one morning said affably:

"How are you, Mr. Greens? It looks as if we'd have some rain, don't it?"

"'We'd?' snorted Greens. 'We'd?' Since when, young man, have you and I been partners?'"

A Bright Pupil.

Teacher—Into what two great classes is the human race divided?

Pupil—Motorists and pedestrians.

United States in 1917 consumed 33,000,000,000 cigarettes.

Joy for Archeologists.

I was at Carchemish on the day the greatest Hittite find ever unearthed was revealed to the eye of man for the first time in three thousand years.

When the enthusiastic laborers had carefully uncovered the precious dolerite slab, and the overseer, bending over it like some near-sighted Silas Marner caressing his gold, had discovered that it bore the longest Hittite inscription ever found, ten shots from a big Colt revolver, fired as a backsheesh to the stone, echoed and reechoed across the Euphrates, and workmen and directors knew that a big find had been made.

Pandemonium was let loose. Laborers came running from all directions to share in the joy of discovery. I also shared in that joy. I shouted congratulations to Khall, the giant pickman.

"Praise be to God!" I cried. He grinned so I could see all his teeth, and answered, "God's blessing return to you!"—Christian Herald.

Editor Finally Turned.

"And this," said the alleged old soldier, pestering a long-suffering editor who was an old soldier, "is where the Arabs were massed in front of us. "Here"—pointing to another place on a dirty pocket map—"is where our division was drawn up in zareba.

"We deployed in this direction, and our left wing was attacked by the enemy on this knoll. Just at this point I was wounded on the left shoulder, and a hundred yards further on I got my right arm shattered by a piece of one of our own shells, and—"

"But," interrupted the bored editor, "where did you get your brains blown out?"—London Tit-Bits.

Poor Comparison.

Caroline was eating a green apple, and her mother said, "O, dearie, don't eat that. It will make you sick as a dog!" Caroline's reply was prompt and logical. "Our dog is the wellest one of the family."

Nothing Like That.

"Didn't Peggy marry a literary man?"

"Dear me, no; he's a magazine writer."—Life.

SWIFT & COMPANY U.S.A.

Packers' Profits Are Regulated

The public should understand that the profits of the packers have been limited by the Food Administration since November 1, 1917. For this purpose, the business of Swift & Company is now divided into three classes:

Class 1 includes such products as beef, pork, mutton, oleomargarine and others that are essentially animal products. Profits are limited to 9 per cent of the capital employed in these departments, (including surplus and borrowed money), or not to exceed two and a half cents on each dollar of sales.

Class 2 includes the soap, glue, fertilizer, and other departments more or less associated with the meat business. Many of these departments are in competition with outside businesses whose profits are not limited. Profits in this class are restricted to 15 per cent of the capital employed.

Class 3 includes outside investments, such as those in stock yards, and the operation of packing plants in foreign countries. Profits in this class are not limited.

Total profits for all departments together in 1918 will probably be between three and four per cent on an increased volume of sales.

The restrictions absolutely guarantee a reasonable relation between live stock prices and wholesale meat prices, because the packer's profit cannot possibly average more than a fraction of a cent per pound of product.

Since the profits on meat (Class 1) are running only about 2 cents on each dollar of sales, we have to depend on the profits from soap, glue, fertilizer (Class 2, also limited) and other departments, (Class 3) to obtain reasonable earnings on capital.

Swift & Company is conducting its business so as to come within these limitations.

Swift & Company, U. S A.

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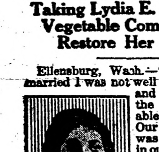

Ellensburg, Wash.—"After I was married I was not well for a long time and a good deal of the time was not able to go about. Our greatest desire was to have a child in our home and one day my husband came back from town with a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and wanted me to try it. It brought relief from my troubles. I improved in health so I could do my housework; we now have a little one, all of which I owe to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. O. S. Johnson, R. No. 8, Ellensburg, Wash.

There are women everywhere who long for children in their homes yet are denied this happiness on account of some functional disorder which in most cases would readily yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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SHE GOT COMPOSERS MIXED

Queen Victoria's Error Must Have Caused Mascagni to Pass an Uncomfortable Few Minutes.

Sometimes when a great personage essays musical criticism embarrassing errors arise. Once, Queen Victoria invited Mascagni, the composer of Cavalleria Rusticana, to play for her at Windsor castle. When the musician was at the piano her majesty said:

"I am passionately fond of one of the numbers of your opera."

Mascagni played the Intermezzo.

"No," said the queen, "that is not the melody I mean."

Mascagni played the Prelude.

"That's not it, either."

Mascagni played the dramatic Duet.

The queen became almost impatient. "I'll help you to remember it," she said, and hummed a few measures.

With increasing consternation Mascagni listened as the queen sang the Prologue to Leoncavallo's "I Pagliacci!"

Le Gaulois, in telling the story, does not say whether the musician informed the queen that she had made a mistake.—Youth's Companion.

Used to It.

"Here's that returned soldier boasting about how he was gassed in the trenches, and it never hurt him."

"How could it? He was a book agent for ten years."

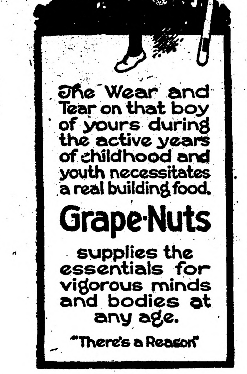
Anybody Know?

"This pink of condition—"

"Yes?"

"Can you buy it at the drug stores?"

The Yanks are fighting in France as though they are anxious to get home to wife and mother.



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"There's a Reason"

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Plainview.—The dates for the Wabasha county fair for 1918 have been set for Sept. 17, 18, 19 and 20.

Mankato.—James H. Baker of Mankato has been decorated with the war cross for "excellent conduct on Mont Grappa in June."

St. Paul.—Eighty-five of Minnesota's eighty-six counties are said to have county agents. Douglas is reported to be the agentless county.

Fairmont.—Rain put electric lights out of business in a part of the south end of Fairmont, rendered roads practically impassable and knocked out threshing for several days to come.

Wabasha.—The Big Joe mill has rented the river ferry from the city for two years and will operate it shortly. Automobilists may now cross the Mississippi between Red Wing and Winona.

Eveleth.—Thirty-one new fire alarm boxes were received by the Eveleth fire department and will be installed to replace the present alarm boxes at once. The alarms operate on a more recent and much improved system.

Minneapolis.—Forty acres of land near Two Harbors, Minn., on the north shore of Lake Superior and within one and a half miles of a railroad station, was given away as a prize at a chicken dinner and lawn social here.

Red Wing.—A new system of assigning boys at the training school to the different courses of study, according to their mental aptitude, is to be tried out with the opening of the regular study term the first week in September.

St. Cloud.—There will be no new Grand Central hotel for St. Cloud at the present time. D. S. Hayward has received from the government a refusal to his request for the necessary permit. The hotel was to cost $213,000.

Pipestone.—Archie S. Funk and J. S. McCullion, well-known residents of this town, were killed when the automobile in which they were riding turned turtle. Their bodies were found under the car a few hours after the accident.

Winona.—Gustav Wagner, 59 years old, was severely injured at a local elevator. While removing a belt from a pulley his clothing became entangled. He was whirled around several times before the belt snapped and released him.

Mankato.—Legal action for $50,000 damages, and other items amounting to total of $52,088, was started against the National Citizens' bank by Miss Alma Kopke of this city. She was very severely injured in an elevator accident in the bank building.

Winona.—The Winona committee in charge is perfecting details for the annual convention of the International Boilermakers' association, Northwestern system division, which is to be opened here Sept. 3, with between seventy and 100 delegates in attendance.

St. Paul.—Mrs. John Wulf and Henry Stroeh of Luverne have been forced to return to regular trade channels some excess canning sugar which they procured through a mail order house, under orders from C. H. Christopherson, food administrator of Rock county. In lieu of punishment under the food control act for hoarding, each made voluntary contribution of $15 to the Rock county Red Cross chapter.

St. Paul.—Grave labor conditions will confront Minnesota soon, it was announced by the State Public Safety commission following receipt of a call to furnish 18,390 of the 1,000,000 unskilled laborers wanted immediately by the government for its war industries. The state's quota was announced in a communication from Arthur H. Fleming, chief of the state council section, Council of National Defense.

St. Paul.—Minnesota not only has helped to win the war but has added a large figure to her own wealth through the war gardens planted in the state this year, according to a report just issued by the National War Garden commission, Washington, which placed the number of war gardens in the state at 80,000. The value of the produce in them, according to a preliminary estimate by the commission, will amount to more than $8,000,000.

St. Paul.—Potatoes at $1.50 a bushel to consumers and $1.20 a bushel to dealers is a fair price, according to the Minneapolis price listing committee of the United States food administration, which has quoted a flat rate of $2 a 100 pounds of home-grown potatoes to dealers and $2.50 for 100 pounds to consumers. Reports from Minnesota potato growing districts declare that potatoes grade better this year than for twenty years past, and that the state's potato crop will bring millions of dollars. Hennepin county alone values its potato crop at a total of $4,600,000. The great demand for Minnesota potatoes in the South and East also is given as a reason for the boost in price, the State Food Administration said.

Fairmont. — One major, three captains, twenty-eight lieutenants and a naval ensign in the service is the record of Fairmont. It is believed that no city of 5,000 in the state can equal it.

St. Paul. — Lieut. Edward Hatten of the aviation school here is missing. Hatten obtained a furlough and went to Lake Minnetonka. Here he went in swimming. In one of the bath houses the full uniform of a flying officer was found the next day while spectators report they saw a man answering Hatten's description in civilian clothes board the train for Willmar.

Fairmont.—A $1,400-a-year postoffice is at stake on the outcome of a civil service examination. The office at Truman is vacant.

Virginia.—Julius Misholin, arrested at Gilbert for seditious talk and brought here, has been returned to Gilbert for a hearing. Federal agents will investigate his case.

Mankato.—The rainy weather of the past two weeks has seriously interfered with the plans for shock threshing, and it is likely that there will be considerable loss from damaged grain.

St. Cloud.—An investigation by the local food administration disclosed fifty-three sacks of wheat in the barn of John S. Nett, representative from the Second precinct of the Forty-sixth district, in the town of Farming.

Bemidji.—With the installation of the machinery ordered for the new potato flour mill, which is to be established at Bemidji, the department of agriculture at Washington will send a committee to inspect the plant when running.

Red Lake Falls.—The right of L. J. Glaser, special agent of the Minnesota Public Safety commission, to seize his entire stock of liquor will be contested by Dan Champeau, whose saloon was one of the six put out of business here by the recent order of the commission.

Grand Rapids.—The annual sale of state-owned lands in Itasca county was held at the courthouse in Grand Rapids. Bidding was lively for about a dozen descriptions, all improved property. The sale was conducted by a deputy from the office of State Auditor J. A. O. Preus.

Winona.—Mississippi clammers have been reaping a harvest during the last few weeks, the stage of the water in the river enabling them to secure the clams more easily than when high water prevails. The industry has been growing extensively on the upper Mississippi and it has been profitable.

Minneapolis.—Minnesota has fallen from third place to twenty-eighth in the sale of War Savings Stamps throughout the United States for the month of July, according to the official figures received by Postmaster Purdy. The July sales in Minnesota have amounted to $4,230,109.66, a per capita average of $1.81.

Crookston.—Lorne Darkom, 10-year-old son of Theodore Darkom, Crookston, was drowned in Red river while playing in a boat with two other youngsters. Though unable to swim the boy dived in the river and came up four times. He was rescued by his father half an hour later; the pulmotor being used, but to no avail.

Winona.—Because, they state, Engineer A. F. Gaulke of the Gould Grain company was discharged and the company failed to grant the other employes a raise from 32½ cents to 45 cents an hour in wages, the rest of the force at the elevator walked out and refuse to go back unless their engineer is reinstated and they get the increase.

Hibbing.—The 300 pounds of wheat flour and sixty pounds of sugar seized from Louis Putzel of Brooklyn addition and 250 pounds of flour and seventy-five pounds of sugar taken from Libre Collyard by Federal agents a few days ago, has been turned over to the Hibbing Red Cross chapter and probably will be sold at the St. Louis county fair, to be held here Aug. 31, Sept. 1 and 2.

Mankato.—Blue Earth county went dry by an estimated majority of 500 to 700 on returns received from the county outside of Mankato. Mankato, the county seat, gave the wets a majority of 42, its vote being 1,089 for license and 1,047 against. Thirty saloons will be closed as a result, 25 in Mankato and the remainder at Good Thunder, Madison Lake and St. Clair.

Crosby.—Local policemen state that Mrs. John Hill, who shot and killed her husband at Manganese, had been in jail here for drunkenness. Reports from Manganese say that the body lay out all night and that the woman went back to bed. In the morning the body was covered by a neighbor's wife. Just before the officers took the woman to Brainerd, her husband's body was taken to Crosby and as the undertaker passed her she waved her hand and yelled, "Good-bye, Jack."

St. Paul.—Minnesota is furnishing nearly 50,000,000 tons of ore to make steel and iron for big guns and many other war munitions, according to a statement by State Auditor Preus, custodian of state-owned mines, who has just returned from an extended visit on the iron range. "Minnesota iron mines are shipping this season the largest tonnage on record," Mr. Preus said. "It is estimated that the total will exceed 47,000,000 tons, and that more than 4,800,000 of the aggregate will be in shipments from state-owned mines."

St. Paul. — Raymond F. Schroeder, St. Paul, representing labor on the state board of arbitration, tendered his resignation to Governor Burnquist. In a communication to the governor, Mr. Schroeder explained that the unfriendly attitude of organized labor toward labor policies of the state made it impossible for him to continue in office. The governor announced he had not accepted the resignation. A conference to effect an amicable adjustment and prevent any disruption in the board probably will be held soon, it was said.

Hokah.—Dan Brown, who is the defendant in a damage suit for $5,000 started by Editor H. E. Wheaton because of a beating Brown is alleged to have given him, through his attorneys at La Crosse, has served notice that a suit for slander would be commenced.

St. Paul.—H. E. Carny received notice from Donald Cotton of St. Paul, regional advisor of the war industries board, that he has been appointed as vice chairman of the building material division for sub-region No. 1 which lies south of the Minnesota river.

PUT IT SQUARELY UP TO DAD

Young Son of Famous Member of "Vigilantes" Frankly Considered His Father a Slacker.

Ellis Parker Butler, the author, who lives at Flushing, and is devoting his energy to aiding in the successful prosecution of the war, does not bear an enviable reputation for patriotism in his own household. Mr. Butler has been writing for the Thrift and War stamps campaign.

Mr. Butler is the father of twin sons of tender age. Several nights ago he returned home tired after a day's work for the Red Cross and took his seat at the head of the table. After they had finished their dinner the twins produced their Thrift stamps and started to count them.

"Dad, look at all the stamps I have," said one of the youngsters. "I have 200. Look at brother's pile; he has more than I."

Mr. Butler nodded approvingly to Mrs. Butler and they both smiled. There was silence for a minute, then one of the twins looked up and exclaimed: "Dad, why don't you do something patriotic?"

Fewer German Socialists.

The membership of the socialist party in Saxony has decreased from 177,000 in 1914 to 23,000 paying members at present, according to a recent Dresden dispatch to the Berliner Tageblatt. The decrease was due to the number of socialists serving in the army and the split in the socialist party of Germany. Deputy Gradnauer, speaking at the convention of Saxon socialists, said that the circulation of socialist newspapers in Germany had increased from 618,000 copies on April 1, 1917, to 702,000 on April 1, 1918.

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One Talk, One Penny.

Donald had just finished reciting "Little Boy Blue" when his uncle said, "Say it over again and I will give you a penny."

Donald did as he was requested, and when he had ended his uncle again said, "Now say 'Tom, the Piper's Son,' Donald."

Quick as a flash Don asked, "You hasn't got another penny, has you, Uncle Bill?"

Three Million Spangles in Flag.

A flag of extraordinary beauty, composed entirely of spangles, was recently displayed in a Chicago store window. The brilliant emblem, flashing back the light from innumerable points, extended almost the full width of the panel at the back of the display area. Three and one-half million of the tiny metal disks, strung on threads, were used in fashioning this flag.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Not Rafferty's Feet.

At a parade of a company of newly called up men, the drill instructor's face turned scarlet with rage as he berated a new recruit for his awkwardness.

"Now, Rafferty," he roared, "you'll spoil the line with those feet. Draw them back at once, man, and get them in line."

Rafferty's dignity was hurt.

"Plaze, sargint," he said, "they're not mine; they're Micky Doolan's in the rear rank!"

Danger.

"Your majesty, the enemy is pursuing our gallant forces relentlessly."

"How close are they to our splendid troops?"

"Very close, your majesty, very close. They are in actual contact with our rear guards, and within three weeks of catching up to the place where the crown prince is."

South Pasadena Home Guardsmen refuse to read Hearst publications.

He Could, All Right.

"The sounds of battle are something terrifying," roared the lecturer. "Can you imagine the screaming of the shells, the roaring of the cannons, the yells of the men, the rattle of the rifles and machine guns?"

"Yes, sir, I think I can," said the meek little man in the front row, who thought the question was meant for him. "We got three singers, two trombone players, eight pianos, fourteen talking machines, a violinist and a cornetist in our block, all trying to get back in practice."

New York has 5,000 women enlisted in a police reserve corps.

Properly Indignant.

One of our neighbors was trying some of the late dance steps when his two small sons toddled out on to the floor to join in the exercise. In mock anger he commanded:

"Get out of my way, boys! You can't dance!"

Little Melvin was much insulted, and after a moment's reflection indignantly exclaimed:

"Daddy, I guess you fink us little kids is just boneheads!"—Exchange.

Even With Ludendorff's Help.

The old woman who lived in a shoe boasted: "Yet the crown prince couldn't live in a pocket," she cried.

A Message to Mothers

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Hard Luck, Indeed.

"Say," said an infantryman, "do you want to hear about the worst piece of out-of-luck that ever happened in the A. E. F.? A pal of mine went into the fight with 2,000 francs in his pocket. Now he's reported missing."—Stars and Stripes.

Stick Is Right.

You've noticed, no doubt, during the last day or two that people have an unusual tendency to stick around.

It's usually the parents' fault when the children would rather be somewhere else than at home.

Influence on Temperament.

"You don't write any more delicate and soulful poetry."

"No," answered Mr. Penwiggle. "By the time a man has gotten a fountain pen and a typewriter tuned up for a day's work he's in no mood for delicate and soulful stuff."

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You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The oil soaks gently into the walls and lining of the kidneys, and the little poisonous animal germs, which are causing the inflammation, are immediately attacked and chased out of your system without inconvenience or pain.

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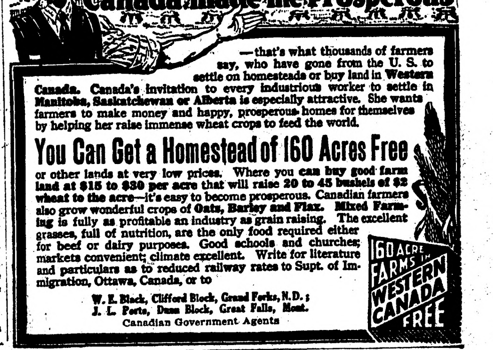
Do not delay a minute. Go to your druggist and insist on his supplying you with a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In 24 hours you will feel renewed health and vigor. After you have cured yourself, continue to take one or two Capsules each day so as to keep in first-class condition, and ward off the danger of future attacks. Money refunded if they do not help you. Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand, and thus be sure of getting the genuine.—Adv.



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He—The government is warning people to be economical with paper.

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"How is that aviator's room fixed up?" "I don't know, but it ought to be with fly paper."

Philadelphia is to have a hospital for wounded negro soldiers.

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es Gullickson made a short e trip to International Falls nday.

threshing rigs have all comd the seasons work and everys busy.

Horien returned home last Thursday from Spring Grove now working with Mathison threshing crew.

, Albert Huseth, little baby aughter Loula of Greenbush Thursday to visit her sister Henry Oien and family.

mer Johnson of Strathcona, ked for C. H. Gunheim two ago, was among the boys call to Uncle Sam's service on Mon

il Prushek writes us to send aper to Saum, Minn., where he teach a graded consolidated l, until he is called into the ary service.

, James Farr, Jr. of T. R. Falls ed Mrs. Olga Ahlborn between s Friday. Mrs. Ahlborn accomed the former to T. R. Falls reing home the next day.

M. Swan and Ole Brenna ship100 cattle and 18 sheep to the ket Tuesday, which made it ty lively in town all day Monas that was cream day too.

ourteen Marshall county men e called into the military service Monday of this week. Two were Holtz, Oliver Grondahl and n A. Olson. The latter was put he remedial class and sent home e was suffering from an attack of endicitis.

ave all the waste and help win war for humanity.

r Trade or Sale Cheap

ne complete threshing outfit, 2 omobiles, 1 seven H P gasoline gine, one separator.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

Notice!

We have placed a bulletin board in our bank to advertise the "For Sale," "For Exchange," and the "Wants" of the community and its use is free to the public.

You are invited to use this board to offer articles for sale or want to buy, help wanted or for hire.

Call and list your items and see those of others. It's free.

Holt State Bank.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement Friday afternoon Aug. 30. Everyone invited.

J. J. Little and family returned to their home at Madison, Minn. Monday after spending some time on his farm here.

Elmer Sollom, who is at present employed in the bank at Gatzke spent Sunday with his mother and other relatives here.

The Normal training dept. at the Crookston Agricultural School begins Sept. 10, and will do its share to relieve a great shortage of teachers.

Miss Ida Knutson who has been working at Detroit Minn., returned home Tuesday for a short visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ole Knutson.

E. K. Johnson came from Montevideo Friday and made a deal with B. Docken for a grain seperator, which he shipped Tuesday to Louisberg, Minn.

Only eight votes were cast at the special school election Saturday evening, as nearly the whole town, women and all, were out shocking grain. All eight votes were in favor of an independent school district so another election will be held and a new board of five or six members will be elected.

Red Cross at A. Bjerk's next Sunday afternoon.

Children Examined Free

The womans Club of T. R. Falls will have a special childrens doctor at the Central School building in that city Aug. 31st. The morning session will be held from 10 to 12, afternoon 1:30 to 5:30, and in the evening at 7:30 there will be a big mothers meeting. Children will be examined free and the people of Holt and vicinity are invited to attend and have their children examined. The doctor is sent out by the state board of health and if the people show interest, regular children clinics will be held from time to time.

Late model Ford for sale.

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Newfolden, Minn.

Come to the Ringbo pie social Sat. eve, Aug. 31 and help send Christmas cheer to the boys who can't be at home.

It will cheer the boys to know we're thinking of them. Lets send them a practical expression of it this Christmas. Its none too soon to be planning for it. So come to the pie social and help.

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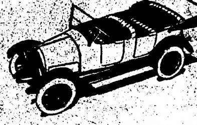

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THESE are serious times, and every one *must* shoulder a serious task, but how efficient would we be if we worked all the time?

Each morning and afternoon at school the children are given a recess, to sharpen their tired brains and take the kinks out of their cramped little legs.

Like the boys and girls in school we *must* play a little now and then, too, to be able to work the harder after we are done playing.

That's why we have hunted to the four corners of the earth for clean talent of every kind to amuse you in a wholesome manner this year.

For recreation and play of the finest type no place compares with the Minnesota State Fair September 2 to 7.

War Savings Stamps

Don't be so foolish
as to think that we
can win without
YOUR HELP
or that Germany will let
you keep your money if she
Wins. Buy a Stamp

Hog Exhibit Unusually Large

Shortage of Fats Main Cause

The world faces such a fat famine that it is imperative for America to raise more hogs. Government specialists say the condition abroad is acute. It is for this reason, principally, that such an effort is being made to arouse interest in the big swine show at the Minnesota State Fair, September 2 to 7.

Farmers are being urged to raise more hogs not only because of the scarcity of fats but on account of the scarcity of meat. Hogs multiply five or six times as rapidly as any other meat animal. A sow will produce two litters of pigs in one year, or three litters in two years, each litter averaging from five to six pigs. The hog has no rival as a consumer of garbage, damaged grains, and other unmarketable foods which generally go to waste. They thrive on forage crops and pasturage.

Fatty Meats Needed.

It is because pork is a fatty meat, though, that it has become so essential. The human body must have fatty food in certain quantity, or health is certain to be impaired. Fatty foods have become so scarce in other parts of the world that the condition is getting serious. America simply must increase its production of hogs, or the loss of hundreds of thousands of lives elsewhere is certain to result.

In the face of this unusual demand for pork the production of hogs in America has decreased rapidly in the last few years. From 1913 to 1916 there was an increase of about 6,250,000 hogs in the United States, but since then there has been such a rapid decrease that we have fallen far behind in our efforts to meet the greater European demand. Last year America exported over 1,500,000,000 pounds of pork, or three times as much as was exported before the Great War opened.

Show a Stimulant.

The swine show will serve as a stimulant, interesting the public in the hog industry, demonstrating the superiority of hogs of excellent conformation and breeding, and furnishing prospective buyers with names of nearby breeders who have hogs for sale. Big premiums are offered to breeders of the best hogs exhibited, and every effort is to be made to popularize the hog industry locally. Inquiries indicate that an unusually large show is to result.—Copyrighted.

War Time Sweeteners

AMERICA has several excellent war time sweeteners that will be used largely during the shortage in the sugar supply.

They are maple sugar, syrups, honey and molasses and may be used in preparing desserts and other dishes requiring sweetening.

When a cup of syrup or honey is used to replace a cup of sugar the liquid in the recipes should be decreased one-fourth. One-third of a cupful of sugar is equivalent to one-third of a cup of honey, about one-half cup of syrup and about one-half cup of corn sugar. One-fourth of a cup of sugar is equal to about one-half cup of syrup or one-third cup of corn sugar. One tablespoon of sugar is equal to one tablespoon of honey, about one and one-half tablespoons of syrup and one and one-third tablespoons of corn sugar.

Sugar may be saved by the use of raisins, dates, figs, dried pears and fruit pastes used on the breakfast cereals.

Fruit marmalades, butters and jellies should be used to take the place of the ordinary sweetening at a meal and not as accessories to it. Fruits may be preserved without sugar. It may be added when sugar is more plentiful.

Preserving demands this year a thin syrup instead of a heavy syrup.

If sugar is used one-half of the amount may be replaced by another sweetener.

Drying is a means of preserving (without sugar) apples, cherries, strawberries and black caps.

When ready to use they may have added the needed sugar in the form of a syrup. When sugar is more plentiful fruit juices may be made into jellies or may be used as fruit juices with or without sugar as beverages, fruit gelatins and frozen desserts.

Fresh fruits supply the place of sugar in the diet. They should be used freely. Desserts where sugar is scarce may be made of gelatins, junkets, custards, puddings and cakes.

War Savings Stamps

THE first principle of money making is money saving. Get the habit of buying War Savings Stamps regularly. This is the stamp which is going to help Uncle Sam stamp out Autocracy and help you, by saving, to start on the road to Success.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps at any bank or post office.

This space donated by
Holt Merc. Co.

Ed. Nelson went to Devils Lake, N. Dak., Wednesday on business.

Remember the pie social at the Ringbo school Aug. 31 in the new building.

C. McLean is drilling a well on the E. K. Johnson farm, where C. Rustad and family reside.

Mrs. Ben Eide and baby of Warren came Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Tobiason and family.

Nils Engebretsen and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gullickson and son Harold visited Sunday at the homes of Tom Saastad and Ole Moen.

The Sundayside Red Cross society will have a picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bjerk next Sunday afternoon. Ladies please bring cakes and the men their pocket books

O. F. Mellby, M. D.

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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

Estate of
Torger T. Sollom, Decedent
State of Minnesota,
County of Marshall in Probate Court.

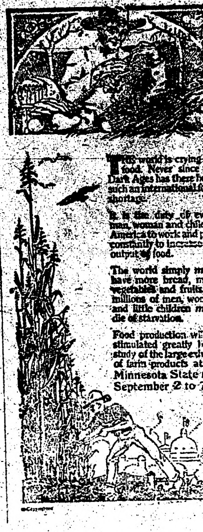
In the Matter of the Estate of
Torger T. Sollom, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Tilda K. Sollom, Theodore Sollom, Kittel Sollom, Adolph Sollom, Alfred Sollom, Bella Carlson, Clara Carlson, Gunhild Sollom, Olava Sollom, Berth Sollom, Elmer Sollom, Elvina Sollom, Myrtle Sollom, Johnnie Sollom, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the Will of said decedent:

The petition of Tilda K. Sollom being duly filed in this Court, representing that Torger T. Sollom, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died on the 11th day of August, 1915, leaving a last Will and Testament which is presented to this Court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last Will and Testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Tilda K. Sollom, NOW THEREFORE, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of September, 1918, at two o'clock P. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness The Honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 22nd day of August, 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.
Julius J. Olson.
Rasmus Hage
Attorneys for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.



The world is crying for food. Never since the Dark Ages has there been such an international food shortage.

It is the duty of every man, woman and child in America to work and plan constantly to increase the output of food.

The world simply *must* have more bread, meat, vegetables and fruits, or millions of men, women and little children *must* die of starvation.

Food production will be stimulated greatly by a study of the large exhibits of farm products at the Minnesota State Fair, September 2 to 7.

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Albert and Lawrence Hagglund went to Grand Forks Friday for an over Sunday visit.

Mrs. Kautz of Crookston came Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs A. Bierk.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson and Mrs. A. L. Carlson went to Minneapolis Saturday night for a weeks visit with relatives.

Rudolph Rux and Obert Reierson went to Northwood, No. Dak., last week Thursday to work there the rest of the season.

Miss Ida Kjelgren was operated upon for appendicites at the T. R. Falls hospital last week Thursday and at last reports is recovering as fast as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs Charles Gullickson and son Harold left Saturday for Seattle, Everett and other points in Washington to visit relatives and look after business interests.

The news reaches us thru friends that just before his departure for camp from Warren, on Tuesday, that Hilmer Davidson and Miss Anna Sorter were married. We join their freinds in extending best wishes.

Marshall county sent 45 more men to Camp Grant on Wednesday. Following are among those going from this section of the county: Alfred Larson, Ludvig Larson, Oliver Molstad, Oscar Odie, Peter Ostland and Ole Tveit.

The people of this country are now obliged to use only 20 per cent of substitutes for wheat flour. This rule is expected to hold until the 1919 crop is harvested and is the same as that governing the nations of France, Italy and England.

Mr. and Mrs. Oien and the latter mother autoed to Greenbush Sunday and visited at the A. H. Huseth home. Vernon Huseth returned home with them for a couple of days visit here. Mr. Huseth had returned home the day before from Minneapolis where he had been receiving treatment in a hospital for an enlarged liver He is now much better we are glad to report.

City Meat Market

Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
Hides and Furs.
TERMS:- Cash. Positively no credit

O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

Registration Notice!

Every man between the ages of 18 and 46 years of age must register on Thursday Sept. 12th 1918. The only ones who are exempt are those between 21 and 31 who have already registered for military service. Aliens must register the same as citizens. Fuller explanations of registering on the inside pages of this paper.

Registration places will be open from 7 o'clock in the morning until 9 o'clock at night. T. B. Folden will register the residents of Holt township at his home. J. A. Sorum will register East Valley residents at his home. B. J. Bakke will register those in this village at the bank. Remember the date Thursday Sept. 12th.

Persons not residing in the county where they are working can register there if they want their notices sent there, but if they want to register at their home, they must get a registration certificate of the local board or a local registar, and fill it out and send it so it will reach their local board on or before Sept. 12th.

Miss Effie Christianson went to Thief River Falls Saturday, to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Saxberg and family were pleasant visitors at the Tom Severson home Sunday.

Ole Severson and daughter Anna of Reynolds, N. Dak., came Monday to visit at the A. Bjerk home.

Miss Johnson and Miss Newton came Monday to take up their duties as teachers in the Holt school.

Mrs. Frank Watson and children of Spooner came last Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. V. J. Price and family.

Walmer Riesberg went to Mentor last week Thursday for a few days visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Clarence Kolden.

Mrs. T. J. Taggert and daughter, Lilliah, returned from Grand Forks last week Thursday where the latter received medical treatment.

Hilmer Davidson left Monday for Warren where he joined the other Marshall county men, six in number, who were to go to Camp Grant on Tuesday.

Homer L. Castle will speak here at 4:30 on Tuesday Sept. 17th in the interest of state wide prohibition of the liquor traffic. All are invited to hear him.

Miss Mildred and Lilliin Jahr went to Crosby, Minn. Thursday to attend school this coming year. They will make their home there with their aunt.

School opened Wednesday with a good attendance which will be increased later on. Jacob Nelson is running one of the routes in place of S. H. Nohre, otherwise there is no change in the working forces of the school.

Dr. Brandenberg of Hartland was here a couple of days looking after his farm interests. He says that he never saw the crops looking as good in this country as they do this year and that the corn crop here is just as good as that much further south.

The Y. M. C. A. is now firmly entrenched in 650 different camps, forts, training stations, and other special posts. More than 3,000 trained secretaries are at work in the U. S. and 2,000 more have gone to France to serve the soldiers in camps, hospitals and trenches. One thousand more are being sent, by request of French officials. The amount to be raised this fall for the war work of the Y. M. C. A. is one hundred and twelve million dollars.

Register next Thursday.

The Mud Lake Homesteads Again

Department of the Interior.
General Land Office
Washington, D. C., Aug. 22, 1918

Hon. Halvor Steenerson,
H. of R. Washington, D. C.
My dear Mr. Steenerson:-

In reference to your letter of Aug. 8th, 1918, relative to the disposition of lands in Mud Lake bottom.

The lands are within the ceded Chippewa Reservation and were opened to entry under circular of Feb. 19, 1916, in accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of the Act of Congress approved Jan. 14, 1889 (25 Stat., 642). Prior to the opening of said lands the Department obtained the opinion of the Attorney General of the United States, and in accordance therewith the lands were surveyed and opened to entry. This office is aware that in 1914, prior to the opening of the lands, the riparian owners obtained a decision in the county courts, but said case appears to have been between the riparian owners with the object of obtaining the judgement of the court as to the ownership of said lands, as between such riparian owners, but not as between such riparian owners and the United States, as trustee for the Chippewa Indians.

The office is now considering a proposition to bring suit to settle the matter of title to said land. It is believed that the entrymen are entitled to have the matter cleared up.

Very respectfully,
Clay Tallman,
Commissioner.

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at
reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

School election next Thurday eve.

If you have not already registered, you must do so next Thursday.

Red Cross meeting as Mrs. Henry Oien's Wednesday afternoon Sept. 11th. Helpers are needed.

Clyde Groner took his aged mother to the home of another daughter near Fergus Falls on Monday.

Sept. 12th is Registration Day for all men between the ages of 18 and 46, unless already in the service.

Mrs. Leonard Johnson of Thief River Falls came Friday to visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Furr.

Five pounds of sugar per capita for canning purposes will be allowed this month, making a total of 15 lbs. up to Oct. 1st.

B. Docken went to St. Paul Sunday night to look after some business. He attended the state fair one day and returned home Wednesday.

Nels Gudvangen received a letter Friday from the Canadian authorities stating that his brother, Richard, was taken to a London hospitlal July 22, for treatment for a gunshot wound. Mr. Gudvangen enlisted from Canada 3 years ago and this is the second time he has been taken to the hospital to be treated for the wounds received in battle.

Aliens must register Sept. 12th.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Young People's Meeting at 3 o'clock next Sunday. Everybody welcome.

Rev. Kilen will hold services here at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening. Everyone welcome.

Ringbo News

Miss Esther Movick is on the sick list at this writing.

Lydia Larson called on Esther Movick Monday afternoon.

Hilmer Davidson called at G. P. Sorter Sunday afternoon.

Alf Movick made a business trip to Wagedahl's Tuesday morning.

Elling Wagedahl, his mother and sister Christine visited J. Udstrand's Sunday.

Rain, rain, and still more rain seems to be quite an epidemic in Ringbo now days.

Misses Gida and Alma Udstrand were visitors over night last Saturday with Miss Anna Sorter.

Pete Sorter, Mrs. M. Grondahl and Mrs. Gullick Swenson were callers at Ole Davidson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Erickson and son Eneas and Mrs. Christine Erickson and son Oscar were visitors at T. O. Saastad last Sunday.

John Engstrom and family, Mrs. Erick Johnson and daughters Tena and Mabel and son Engval, autoed to Alvarado last Sunday and visited at John Monberg's and Emil Johnson's homes.

Oliver Davidson who is running the separator for Gabrielson and Martin Davidson who is running the tractor for Gunheim, came Sunday for a short visit at home.

A number of young folks gathered at the home of Ole Davidson's Sunday eve. and surprised their son Hilmer who left for camp on Tuesday. A neat sum of money was presented him as a token of remembrance. Hilmer is the second son of that family who has been called into military service for Uncle Sam.

The program and pie social on Saturday evening was attended by a large crowd and the sum of $40.50 was taken in. After supper the seats were removed and games were played afterwhich they all departed for home feeling happy over the very enjoyable eveing spent for the first time in the new school building.

Loyal citizens will win this war.

Every man under 46 must register next Thursday Sept. 12.

Miss Ruby Swan went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to have her eyes tested for glasses.

Next Thursday Sept. 12th all men between the ages of 18 and 46 must register for military service.

The Y. M. C. A. is doing splendid work,- ask the boys in camps and in Europe. Shall we help them?

Miss Hilma Nyberg is clerking in the postoffice and the Postmaster is spending his vacation on different farms where they are short of help.

The Normal training dept. at the Crookston Agricultural School begins Sept. 10, and will do its share to relieve a great shortage of teachers.

Mrs. Walberg Anderson returned Tuesday to her home in Minneapolis. Mrs. Ole Knutson accompanied her as far as Thief River Falls.

Miss Mabel Fosen returned last week Thursday to Cambridge where she is to teach the eighth grade this year at an advance in salary.

Late model Ford for sale.

Newfolden Auto Co.
Newfolden, Minn.

Notice!

We have placed a bulletin board in our bank to advertise the "For Sale," "For Exchange," and the "Wants" of the community and its use is free to the public.

You are invited to use this board to offer articles for sale or want to buy, help wanted or for hire.

Call and list your items and see those of others. It's free.

Holt State Bank.

NOTICE.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

A New and Complete Stock of
Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
Try Our
LUNCH COUNTER
Fresh Ice Cream Every Day
Prompt Service at all Times
Albert Bennes - Holt

Auto Repairing!

Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right

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In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Samson Windmills!

The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction. They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.

See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.

Davidson Bros., Agents
Holt, Minn.

New Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
and
Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory

Edwin Nelson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
H. J. OIEN, Agent - - - Holt, Minn.

DON'T FORGET THOSE MATERIALS TO-DAY
TAKE THE WIFE'S ADVICE
TRADE HERE

The condition of the house is of more interest to the woman who lives in it than to anyone else

It Costs Very Little To Make An Old House Look Better

We are ready with anything you may need in the repairing line--siding, sheathing, boarding, casing, mouldings, shingles flooring, etc., in any quantities desired.

WINTON-NICHOLS Lumber Company
If It's BUILDING MATERIAL - WE HAVE IT.
HOLT, MINN.

INCREASE CUT IN HINDENBURG LINE

Haig's Men Overcoming Enemy on Front From Arras to Peronne.

PUSH FOE FOR 30 MILES

Douai, Cambrai and St. Quentin Roads Invested by Allies—Hindenburg Line No More a Menace to Allied Arms.

Washington, Sept. 3.—Field Marshal Haig's forces have smashed the German front for a distance of thirty miles, from the region of Arras to Peronne.

The southern portion of the famous Drocourt-Queant switch line, which had been heralded as the impregnable bulwark of the German defense in the north, has given way under the British onslaught over its entire front from the Scarpe river to Queant, a distance of virtually ten miles, and Monday night saw the Canadian and English troops who carried out the maneuver hard after the defeated enemy three miles to the eastward.

Thousands of prisoners have been taken and at last accounts the enemy was fighting violently as he gave ground toward the Canal Du Nord.

By this victory seemingly is ended the menace of the Hindenburg line to the south, which the British are gradually approaching over its entire front. Already thoroughly outflanked on the north and with the French well upon its southern base, military necessity apparently will require that the Germans relinquish the Hindenburg fortifications and realign their front from Flanders to Rheims in order to avert disaster.

The roads to Douai, Cambrai and St. Quentin are thoroughly invested by the British and French armies, while north of Soissons the French and Americans are in positions from which to carry out turning movements which will outflank Laon and the Chemin Des Dames and Aisne lines. The situation of the enemy is the most perilous he has yet been in.

The Americans are now fighting well east of Voormezeele, and a few more strides by Haig's men in this region may soon threaten Armentieres and, successively, Lille.

Near Soissons the French have made another important crossing of the Canal Du Nord, east of Nesle, and well on the road to Ham; and French and Americans gains which are still being made north of Soissons give further assurance that the German line on the Vesle will have to be abandoned, as, in fact, it will probably have to be reconstituted from the northern portions clear across to Rheims.

BIG REVENUE BILL TO HOUSE

Eight Billion Provided as Bill Leaves the Committee.

Washington, Sept. 3.—The new revenue bill—greatest of all tax measures in the history of the nation—with a levy affecting every individual and business concern in the country, was approved unanimously by the house ways and means committee. Chairman Kitchin will introduce the measure in the house today and ask that consideration of it begin Friday. Leaders hope to send it to the senate within ten days after debate begins.

The final committee estimate of the revenue to be yielded under the new bill is $8,012,792,000 as against $3,941,-633,000 last year under the present law.

22 ON N. D. CASUALTY LIST

Late Report Shows Many North Dakotans Wounded.

Fargo, N. D., Sept. 3.—North Dakota was hard hit in casualty lists released by the war department for publication today, the names of 22 of her brave sons being included therein.

Killed in action: Pvt. Harry J. Madsen, Drake.

Wounded severely: Pvts. Jens S. Larson, Heimdal; Harold E. Bullis, Robinson; Gerald Gillen, Burt; Phillip Mildenberger, Flasher; Robert D. Moorehead, Flasher; Forest R. Nulph, Crosby; John L. Robertson, Langdon; Peter Singer, Hebron; Leroy E. Starks, Mott; Peter Stricker, Gladstone; Guy S. Varus, Mott; Lawrence Warnes, Moline; Ralph I. Perry, Kenmare; Edmond H. Shemorry, Williston; Wyott E. Silker, Marmon; John R. Slyngstad, Ambrose; Lieut. Charles A. Loughlin, Jr., Grand Forks.

Wounded, degree undetermined: Pvt. Arthur R. Hahn, Embden.

Missing in action: Pvt. Walter C. Glockner, Grand Forks; Henry Hanson, McLeon; Axel L. Sannis, Forman.

10,000 to Camp Lewis in One Week.

Camp Lewis, Tacoma, Wash., Sept. 3.—Thirty-five Californians and 30 selective draft men from North Dakota who arrived yesterday completed the arrival of 10,000 men here during the past week. Beginning today, another movement of 5,000 men will arrive. The draft movement saw the first registrants from Colorado to be received here. In the next movement Nebraska will be represented for the first time. Labor day at camp passed with less activity than is shown on Sundays.

YANKS FIGHT ON SOIL OF BELGIUM

Have Taken Voormezeele and Are Reported to Have Won Other Strong Points.

FOE STILL GIVES GROUND

The Allies Now at Door of Peronne, Which They Dominate from Mont St. Quentin, Taken in

With the British Army in Flanders, Sept. 2.—For the first time, American troops fought on Belgian soil Sunday. They captured Voormezeele and were engaged in operations elsewhere in the Somme locality.

London, Sept. 2.—Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters says he hears that Americans, besides taking Voormezeele, have captured several strong positions between Voormezeele and Ypres.

All along the western battle front the Germans continue to give ground before the allies. The daily trend of events accentuates the insecurity of the German lines and the inability of the German high command to hold back the aggressors.

American troops operating in conjunction with the French have driven against the German line beyond Juvigny.

Allies Now Dominate Peronne.

Mont St. Quentin, dominating Peronne and the angle of the Somme river, has been taken by the Australians, together with Feuillau Court, lying to the west. In this operation, which was in the nature of a surprise attack, more than 1,500 prisoners were taken.

The way is now prepared for the occupation of Peronne and a further important advance to the east.

Simultaneously the French have broken down the resistance of the heavy German forces along the Canal Du Nord and north of Soissons.

In the Soissons area they are in complete possession of Juvigny and Crouy, and have reached the western outskirts of Leury.

Notwithstanding the fact that the Allied progress has slowed down somewhat, owing to the reinforcements, the Germans have rushed to the fore in an endeavor to hold the vital points on their line as long as possible, there has been no cessation of the allied thrusts along the entire 80-mile front, and with minor exceptions, these thrusts have been successful.

Spain Takes Over German Vessels.

Madrid, Sept. 2.—The Spanish government has decided to take over all German steamships interned in Spanish ports, in accordance with Spain's recent note to Berlin, because of the torpedoing of Spanish vessels by German submarines. Foreign Minister Dato announced at a meeting of the cabinet that the Spanish steamship Ataz-Mendi, carrying a cargo of coal from England to Spain, had been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine.

GERMAN "MANIA" FOR PEACE

Amsterdam Correspondent Alleges Changing German Viewpoint.

Amsterdam, Sept. 2.—The Germans have been seized with a sort of peace mania, according to the frontier correspondent of the Telegraaf. The events in France have made such a profound impression that the Germans one meets along the frontier are indifferent to the prospect of the defeat of the central empires, and only wish to get peace as quickly as possible.

The correspondent declares that two German regiments in Russia refused to go to the western front, and that 130 of the soldiers were shot. Seven hundred of the body guards at Munich refused to go to the front and barricaded themselves in their barracks until they were compelled to surrender, the correspondent says.

LENINE IS SHOT; NOT KILLED

Two Bullets Fired at Russion Bolshevik Permier.

London, Sept. 2.—An official Russian government dispatch received by wireless concerning the attempt on the life of Nikolai Lenine, the Bolsheviki premier, says that Lenine was wounded in two places. One bullet penetrated a little above the shoulder blade, entering the chest and touching the upper part of the lung. This caused great loss of blood. The bullet stopped on the right side of the neck over the shoulder bone.

Another bullet penetrated the left shoulder blade and split the bone. It stopped directly under the skin. The dispatch says that the patient is perfectly conscious and that the best surgeons have been called in.

"Greaser" Claims Yank Fired First.

Nogales, Ariz., Sept. 2.—Mexican Consul Zertuche today obtained an affidavit from Refugio Garcia, a Mexican federal soldier in Nogales, Sonora, stating that he was fired upon by a white American in the uniform of a soldier Thursday morning at 6 o'clock while at customs station No. 6 on the Mexican side. Consul Zertuche stated that he had reported the incident to Ambassador Bonilas at Washington. The soldier who made the affidavit is now in the military hospital on the Mexican side.

PREPARE NOW TO REGISTER

Instructions for Men Who Are to Be Called On to Serve Their Country.

"To Insure a Safer World for Our Children.

"Since the beginning of our government it has been the law of this country that every able-bodied male citizen and declarant between eighteen and forty-five is subject to be summoned to its defense.

"The occasions have happily been rare when such a summons has had to be issued. We face the need now.

"Over 10,000,000 of our men of fighting age have already registered for selection for service. Out of this number many have been chosen, trained, and sent to battle across the sea, while others are in training or on the way. They have made us very proud of them, these splendid soldiers, and some have already given their lives for us. We shall not fail to support them and to re-enforce them.

"The remaining 13,000,000 are now called upon to register for selection. The only purpose of this extension of the selective service law is to bring a speedier end to the war and to insure a safer world for our children.

"Since the enemy has compelled the arbitrament of force, force let it be, force overwhelming. The registration of the entire man-power of the United States will be our unmistakable pledge to humanity that democracy is to be the regime of the future."

"NEWTON D. BAKER,
"Secretary of War."

WHO MUST REGISTER

All male persons must register who shall have attained their eighteenth birthday and shall not have attained their forty-sixth birthday on or before the day set by the president for registration. The only exceptions are:

(A) Persons who, prior to the day set for the registration by the president, have registered either under the terms of the act approved May 18, 1917, or under the terms of the public resolution of congress approved May 20, 1918, whether called for service or not;

(B) Officers and enlisted men of the regular army, officers appointed, and men of the forces drafted, under the provisions of the act approved May 18, 1917; officers and enlisted men of the National Guard while in the service of the United States; and the officers of the officers' reserve corps and enlisted reserve corps while in the service of the United States; and

(C) Officers and enlisted men of the navy and marine corps, and officers and enlisted and enrolled men of the naval reserve force and marine corps reserve while in the service of the United States.

HOW TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ON REGISTRATION CARD AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR REGISTRARS.

Detailed Information for Making Out Registration Card.

Both Registrars and Registrants will be guided by the instructions herein contained. The Registrar should study them before Registration Day, and the Registrant should read them carefully and prepare the answers in his mind before going to the Registration Table. The answers to the questions shall be given and the entries made in the numerical order stated. All answers will be written on the Registration Card in ink by the Registrar, who should be careful to spell all names correctly and to write legibly.

[Do not write on, mark, or otherwise mutilate the instructions. Do not remove them.]

[In some spaces as indicated in the directions, checks will be used to indicate the answers, a device which is designed to save the time of the Registrars.]

REGISTRATION CARD.

SERIAL NUMBER.—Registrars shall leave this space blank.

ORDER NUMBER.—Registrars shall leave this space blank.

1. STATE YOUR NAME AS INDICATED. SPELL OUT EACH NAME IN FULL.

2. PERMANENT HOME ADDRESS.—This means where you have your permanent home NOW, not the place where you work, nor the place where you were born, unless that is your permanent home. Be prepared to give it this way: "100 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Wayne County, Mich.," or "R. F. D. No. 2, Jonesville, Smith County, Pa." If the registrant lives in an apartment house, he should state the number of the apartment in which he lives. If his address is "in care" of someone, this should be stated.

3. AGE IN YEARS—State your age today in YEARS only. Disregard additional months or days. Be prepared to say "34" or "38," not "34 years, 3 months," or the like.

4. DATE OF BIRTH.—If you do not remember the year, start to answer as you would if some one asked you your birthday, as "October 12." Then say, "On my birthday, this year, I will be (or was) ...... years old." The registrar will then fill in the year of birth. This may be obtained by the registrar by subtracting the age in years on this year's birthday from 1918.

RACE.

5. WHITE.—If you are white, the registrar will place a check in this space and proceed to the determination of your citizenship, leaving spaces 6, 7, 8 and 9 blank.

6. NEGRO.—If you are a negro, the registrar will place a check in this space and proceed to the determination of your citizenship, leaving spaces 5, 7, 8 and 9 blank.

7. ORIENTAL.—If you are an oriental, the registrar will place a check in this space and proceed to the determination of your citizenship, leaving spaces 5, 6, 8 and 9 blank.

INDIAN.

8. CITIZEN.—If you are a citizen Indian born in the United States, the registrar will place a check in this space and proceed to space 16, leaving spaces 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 blank. An Indian born in the United States is a citizen if (1) he, or his father or mother prior to his birth or before he attained the age of 21, was allotted land or received a patent in fee prior to May 8, 1906; (2) if he was allotted land subsequent to May 8, 1906, and received a patent in fee to his land; (3) if he was residing in the old Indian Teritory on March 3, 1901; (4) if he lives separate and apart from his tribe and has adopted the habits of civilized life.

9. NONCITIZEN.—If you are a noncitizen Indian born in the United States, the registrar will place a check in this space and proceed to space 16, leaving spaces 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 blank. An Indian born in the United States shall be classed as a noncitizen Indian unless he falls within one of the classes of citizen Indians described in space 8.

UNITED STATES CITIZEN.

10. NATIVE BORN.—If you are a native-born citizen of the United States, the register will place a check in this space and proceed to space 16, leaving spaces 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 blank. If you were born in the United States, including Alaska and Hawaii, you are a native-born citizen of the United States irrespective of the citizenship of your parents. Any inhabitant of Porto Rico, who was a Spanish subject on April 11, 1899, and who resided in Porto Rico on that date, and continued to reside therein until April 11, 1900, is held to be a citizen of Porto Rico, except such inhabitants, natives of the Spanish peninsula, who elected to preserve their allegiance to Spain on or before April 11, 1900, by making a declaration, before a court of record, of their decision to do so. Any citizen of Porto Rico, as above defined, and any native of Porto Rico who was temporarily absent from the island on April 11, 1899, and has since returned, and is not a citizen of any foreign country, is held to be a citizen of the United States, provided he did not elect to retain his political status by making declaration under oath of his decision to do so within six months after March 2, 1917. If you were born abroad, you are still a citizen of the United States if your father was a citizen of the United States at the time you were born, unless you have expatriated yourself.

11. NATURALIZED.—If you are a naturalized citizen of the United States, the register will place a check in this space and proceed to space 16, leaving spaces 10, 12, 13, 14 and 15 blank. You are a naturalized citizen if you have completed your naturalization, that is, if you have "taken out final papers." But you are not a citizen if you have only declared your intention to become a citizen (that is, if you have only "taken out first papers"); in the latter case you are a declarant.

12. CITIZEN BY FATHER'S NATURALIZATION BEFORE REGISTRANT'S MAJORITY.—If you are a citizen by your father's naturalization (or your mother's naturalization in case your father died) before you attained your majority, the registrar will place a check in this space and proceed to space 16, leaving spaces 10, 11, 13, 14 and 15 blank. The children of persons who have been duly naturalized under the laws of the United States, being under the age of twenty-one at the time of the naturalization of their parents, are, if dwelling in the United States before attaining their majority, considered as citizens thereof. (Sec. 2172, U. S. Rev. Stat., and 34 Stat. L., pt. 1, p. 1228.)

ALIEN.

13. DECLARANT.—If you are a declarant alien, the registrar will place a check in this space and proceed to space 15, leaving spaces 10, 11, 12 and 14 blank. You are a declarant if, although a citizen or subject of some other country, you have declared before a naturalization court your intention to become a citizen of the United States. This is referred to as "taking out first papers."

14. NONDECLARANT.—If you are a nondeclarant alien, the registrar will place a check in this space and proceed to space 15, leaving spaces 10, 11, 12 and 13 blank. You are a nondeclarant alien if you do not fall within one of the classes described in spaces 10, 11, 12 and 13 and are not an Indian. In other words, you are a nondeclarant alien if you are a citizen or subject of some other country than the United States and have not declared before a naturalization court your intention to become a citizen of the United States, that is, have not "taken out first papers."

15. This need be answered only by declarant and nondeclarant aliens. Remember that a declarant is not yet a citizen of the United States. If you are an alien of either class, state the name of your country, which the registrar will write in this space, for example, "Great Britain," "France," "Italy." State also the name of the subdivision of your country in which you were ordinarily resident before proceeding to the United States, which will be written by the registrar in parentheses after the name of your country, as "Great Britain (Scotland)." In the case of Czecho-Slovaks, German or Austrian Poles, Alsatians, Lorrainers, and persons of like status, the registrant may answer "Czecho-Slovak, claimed as subject of Austria-Hungary," "Pole claimed as subject of Germany or Austria-Hungary," "Alsatian claimed as subject of Germany," etc., and such an entry shall be made by the registrar.

If not a citizen of the United States, of what nation are you a citizen or subject?

16. PRESENT OCCUPATION. — This means your present occupation, trade, or employment, which the registrar will enter in this space. Do not state what you once did, nor what you have done most of the time, nor what you are best fitted to do. Simply state what your job is right now. State briefly, as "farmer," "miner," "student," "laborer" (on farm in rolling mill, in automobile, wagon, or other factory), "machinist in automobile factory," etc. If you hold an office under State or Federal Government, name the office you hold.

17. EMPLOYER'S NAME.—If you are working for an individual, firm, corporation, or association, state its name. If in business, trade, profession, or employment for yourself so state. If you are an officer of the State or Federal Government, say whether your office is under the United States, the State, the county or a municipality. The registrar will make an appropriate entry.

18.—PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS.—This means where you work. Give the number and name of street first, then city or town, then county and State or R. F. D. number first, then town then county and State. The registrar will make the entries.

NEAREST RELATIVE.

19. NAME.—If you are married and your wife is living, her name should be stated. If you are single or your wife is dead, you should state the name of your nearest blood relative. If you are not married and have no blood relative, the name of a close friend should be stated. The registrar will make the entry.

20. ADDRESS.—In stating the address give the number and name of the street first, then the city or town, then the county and State; or R F D number first, then post office, then county and State. The registrar will make the entries.

HERE IS MEANING OF LIBERTY BOND

Buying It Is Merely Lending Money to Yourself for a Great Necessity.

U.S. GOVERNMENT MEANS US

Stupendous Amounts Are Needed to Pay for Work and Materials, So Our Old-Time Extravagances Must Be Dropped.

By JOHN PALMER GAVIT.

One of the good results that will accrue to the American people from their participation in the war is a better understanding of the purpose and function of money. Also, they will more fully appreciate their relation to the government and the fact that it is their government—as much theirs as their homes and farms and factories. For purposes of poetry and sentiment it is well enough to talk about "Uncle Sam," your devotion to him, your willingness to lend to him by the purchase of bonds, War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps, and to give your own life and the lives of your sons on the actual fighting front; but you must not lose sight of the fact that after all, the United States, "Uncle Sam," U. S., "Our Country," and so on—whatever poetic phrase we use to represent the nation in its united action and aspiration—is just US, ourselves in our own proper persons, working and saving and applying our joint strength, for ourselves, our children and our children's children.

Too much have we thought of the government, the nation, Uncle Sam, and so on, as something separate from ourselves; something to which we give and lend, eagerly or willingly or grudgingly or under compulsion, as the case may be. We have had too little of the practice of team work for a great common purpose—our own purpose.

The Liberty Bond campaigns furnish occasion for reminding ourselves that it is our country, ourselves in our organized capacity, that is engaged in the war to abolish autocracy; that "Uncle Sam" is us, in common determination to do and give all of ourselves to an enterprise as thoroughly worth while as the American Revolution or the war to preserve the Union and free the slaves. And one of the ways in which we can participate directly and actively in this enterprise is to turn our money—all of it that is not absolutely and honestly necessary to the essential purposes of living and keeping well and efficient for the other things we have to do to help along the enterprise—over to ourselves in our organized capacity; that is, to the government, for the work of the war which it is conducting for us.

Money Useful Only for Exchange.

Money is nothing in itself—just paper and metal. It is useless unless somebody else will accept it in exchange for something he has or something he can do. The measure of its value to you is the other fellow's need of the materials or the labor which it will in turn command for him. Spending money is the way we have of getting from other people the things they have or the work they can do—"Goods and Services." Our responsibility, therefore, lies in the question of the kind of things for which we choose to exchange money, and the time and circumstances in which we exert that choice.

Now, we have been a very wasteful and extravagant people; we have not thought much about the effect upon ourselves and other people and upon the nation as a whole, of the ways in which we spent our money, or the time and circumstances in which we spent it. But the war is compelling us to think about that. Not even the greatest nation, or the most powerful government, or the shrewdest financiers can make something out of nothing. And when war, the most ravenous kind of waste and extravagance that mankind has devised, comes along to take workers out of industry and off the farms, and to turn them from production to high-power consumption and destruction—no matter if the ultimate purpose of the war be quite worth its cost in life and property—there simply are not material and labor enough in the country to permit both the continuance of the old kinds of expenditure and the taking on of the new.

Why We Must Do Without.

For the purposes of the war the government of the United States must have stupendous amounts of materials and work, and there is not enough of these to give the government what it must have and at the same time allow the people generally to have as much material and work for their private uses as they have in ordinary times.

Therefore we must to the greatest possible extent keep out of the market for materials and labor, so as (1) to keep from making other folks sell us things and work for us instead of for the government, and so that (2) the things and the work that would be put into products and efforts for our personal use and enjoyment shall be compelled to turn to the kinds of products and work that the government must have to win the war. Every dollar, every cent, that we spend for something that we could go without competes in the market with the government, and by just so much impedes the big cause.

Even if we saved the money and buried it in the back yard we should be helping the government. But there is a better thing to do with it. The government must have money, in immense amounts, in order to buy materials and work. And we are asked to lend it to the government for that purpose, in addition to what we pay as taxes.

Bonds Are More Than Receipts.

The Liberty bonds are the receipts which the government gives us for this loan. But they are more than receipts; we get receipts for the taxes. A Liberty bond is not only the government's acknowledgement that you have loaned the money; it is its promise to pay it back upon a certain day, and to pay you in the meanwhile, at certain intervals, for the use of the money. All of the resources of the country in materials and the labor of the people—our own good faith toward each other, our permanence as a civilized nation—are pledged to the payment of principal and interest in strict accordance with the terms of the transaction as printed on each bond. There is not a safer or more valuable piece of paper in the world.

When this war is over there will be only two kinds of folks in the United States—those who did all they could and gave all they could, and those who didn't. Among those who didn't will be the ones who tried to keep on using and enjoying things and the work of other people, as they used to do; those who failed to do their utmost in the way of really useful work, and those who demanded for themselves unnecessary things and labor which might have been used for the purposes of the government in winning the war.

All You Can, Is the Measure.

Every man knows in his heart what he can do and whether he is doing it. He may be able to deceive the government; by loud-mouthed professions of patriotism, saluting the flag, cheering at meetings, and other noisy and conspicuous displays he may deceive his neighbors; but he cannot fool himself. He knows whether he has done all he could! And "all he could"—honestly, on the level, every man the judge of his own effort in the squarest kind of dealing with his own soul in a kind of Judgment day—that is the measure.

He is a poor creature who thinks of the Liberty bond solely as an investment—a grudging gift to his country, with a string on it. But no one need be ashamed to lend to the government. Uncle Sam will take what he needs without money return, in the form of taxes, and we shall pay in willingly, cheerfully. We are doing a work for the future—the world will be cleaner and better to live in for all time by reason of what we are doing now; therefore it is right that a part of this burden should be met by those who will come after us and reap the long-time benefits.

In the finest spirit our young men are going to the battle front to offer their utmost, their very flesh and blood, in unutterable toil and agony, in doing what must be done there. They hope to come back, but they are willing to die there if that must be. And thousands of our best are doing just that. In like unswerving spirit we who stay at home must do our part—going without things and making those we have serve to the utmost—and through this self-denial furnishing to the government—your government—which is taking care of our boys, the means to get the enormous amounts of materials and labor needed to take care of them and to equip them for what they have to do.

This is the meaning of the Liberty bond.

Uncle Sam Turns Tightwad.

The money which you are lending Uncle Sam by purchasing Liberty Bonds, and with which he in turn purchases foodstuffs for the boys in khaki, goes much farther than one at first realizes. Formerly all scrapings from plates and all refuse from camp kitchens was burned. The old order has changed. Garbage waste is now separated into various classes such as bread, raw fats and meats, cooked meat, cooked grease, bones and other garbage.

These materials are weighed after each meal, and a statement of the weights forwarded to the conservation and reclamation officer in each camp. In this way, the army has an absolute check on wastes of unit kitchens which enables it to prevent over-rationing and individual wastage. The garbage from these separations is turned over to reduction plants, which in turn utilize these wastes for the manufacture of nitro-glycerin and for fertilizers.

GATHERED FACTS

A pure white mineral wool is being manufactured at Yarraville, a suburb of Melbourne, from basalt rock or "blue stone."

Spanish inventors have developed a method of treating cork so as to form a substitute for wool in mattresses, cushions and other articles.

A powerful wireless station in New Jersey now in government control is exchanging messages directly with a similar station in Argentina.

Feast of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary, commemorating her resurrection and her miraculous ascent into heaven, is celebrated August 15.

Experimenters in New Zealand have proved that pig iron can be obtained from iron sands and are producing about 15 tons a day in a new plant.

Official reports made by some national banks in the Northwest to the comptroller of the currency show that some bank directors in that section cannot write their names and so use a mark.

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One of the first warnings is pain or stiffness in the lower part of the back; highly colored urine; loss of appetite; indigestion; irritation, or even stone in the bladder. These symptoms indicate a condition that may lead to that dreaded and fatal malady, Bright's disease, for which there is said to be no cure.

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SONG FOR ALL ABLE TO HEAR

Trouble Is That All People Have Not Properly Attuned Themselves to Listen to It.

"There is ever a song somewhere, my dear," sings the poet. Let us go a little further and say that there is ever a song everywhere—if we have the ear attuned to it.

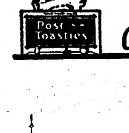
The cultured musicians will tell you that what the masters sing in their strange and complex studies is the highest music to those who are trained to catch it. But the simple heart finds the harmony in the simple, lowly melodies.

What to the one class is purest music is to the other meaningless noise. If we just knew how to listen we could love the songs of each. To some the jingle of money is the only music in the world. It deafens them to all other sounds. To some the melody of their own names spoken in praise is the only music worth hearing. The ears of these seem to open inward. The greedy and the vain shrink their whole world to their own size.

But to those who can hear it there is a song in every phase of life. Fortunate is he who can hear more than a very few.—Exchange.

Culture's Coadjutor.

"What an air of well-bred repose young Newrich has." "Yes, but he was naturally lazy to begin with."



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WILSON CALLS MEN OF 18 TO 45

President in Proclamation Names Sept. 12 as Date on Which They Shall Register.

12,780,000 AFFECTED

Country to Devote Larger Part of Military Manpower of Nation to Bring Decisive Victory in War, Says Executive.

REGISTRATION FACTS

All men of 18 to 45 years, inclusive, must register.

Registration places open at 7 a. m. and close at 9 p. m. September 12.

If in doubt about registration places consult local draft boards.

Washington, Sept. 2.—President Wilson, announcing Sept. 12 as the date for the registration of all unregistered men between the ages of 18 and 45, inclusive, as provided in the manpower bill he has just signed, has issued a proclamation in which, after citing the law and the regulations for registration, he said:

"Fifteen months ago the men of the country from 21 to 30 years of age were registered. Three months ago and again last month those who had just reached the age of 21 were added. It now remains to include all men between the ages of 18 and 45.

"This is not a new policy. A century and a quarter ago it was deliberately ordained by those who were then responsible for the safety and defense of the nation that the duty of the military service should rest upon all able-bodied men between the ages of 18 and 45. We now accept and fulfill the obligation which they established, an obligation expressed in our national status from that time until now.

"We solemnly purpose a decisive victory of arms and deliberately devote the larger part of the military manpower of the nation to the accomplishment of that purpose.

"The younger men have from the first been ready to go. They have furnished voluntary enlistments out of all proportion to their numbers. Our military authorities regard them as having the highest combatant qualities. Their youthful enthusiasm, virile eagerness, their gallant spirit of daring make them the admiration of all who see them in action. They have not only the distinction of serving in this great war but also the inspiring memories which hundreds of thousands of them will cherish through the years to come of a great day and a great service for their country and for mankind.

"By the men of the older group now called upon the opportunity now opened to them will be accepted by calm resolution to realize to the full the deep and solemn significance of what they do. Having made a place for themselves in their respective communities, having assumed at home the graver responsibilities of life in many spheres, looking back upon honorable records in civil and in industrial life, they will realize as perhaps no others could how entirely their own fortunes and the fortunes of all whom they love are put at stake in this war for right and will know that the very records they have made render this new duty the commanding duty of their lives.

Final Demonstration of Loyalty.

"They know how surely this is the nation's war, how imperatively it demands the mobilization and massing of all our resources of every kind. They will regard this call as the supreme call of their day and will answer it accordingly.

"Only a portion of those who register will be called upon to bear arms. Those who are not physically fit will be excused; those exempted by alien allegiance; those who should not be relieved of their present responsibilities above all those who cannot be spared from the civil and industrial tasks at home upon which the success of our armies depends as much as upon the fighting at the front.

"But all must be registered in order that the selection for military service may be made intelligently and with full information.

"This will be our final demonstration of loyalty, democracy and the will to win, our solemn notice to all the world that we stand absolutely together in common resolution and purpose.

"It is the call to duty which every true man in the country will respond with pride and with the consciousness that in doing so he plays his part in vindication of a great cause at whose summons every true heart offers supreme service."

12,780,000 to Register.

It is estimated that 12,780,000 men between the ages of 18 and 45 well be enrolled by this registration, which, added to the number previously enrolled, will raise the total number of Americans registered for military duty to approximately 24,000,000 men.

Regulations by Provost Marshal General E. H. Crowder for classification and summons of the new classes of registrants to be enrolled Sept. 12 will be issued soon.

First Called About Oct. 1.

It is planned to begin classification immediately after registration so that the first men of the 18 to 45 class may be called to the colors soon after Oct. 1 and a steady movement of men to camp may be continued throughout the fall and winter.

7 a. m. to 9 p. m. Are Hours Set.

The proclamation fixes 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. as the hours of registration, and provides that persons who are ill may register by agent, persons absent from home may register by mail, persons without permanent residence may register at a place designated by the local board where they happen to be on registration day, and persons at sea or abroad may register within five days after their return, or as provided for other absentees.

While the draft law especially exempts certain public officials from military service, the only men between 18 and 45 exempted from registration are men in the military or naval service, men registered and awaiting call, men enrolled in army, navy or marine corps reserves and diplomatic and consular officials of foreign governments resident in but not citizens of the United States.

Industrial Furlough Planned.

"Industrial furloughs" are being planned in connection with the second draft. In a way this will serve as an antistrike antidote.

As now proposed, representatives of the labor and agriculture departments will sit with district boards to help jump exemption claims. In some cases, labor may be inducted into the service, but provided it is essential to the war industries, it will be furloughed and sent back to the factories.

There it can remain as long as it works properly, but it can be seen that the furlough can be ended and the man sent back to the army if he slacks on the job.

The prevailing rate of pay will be given the men thus furloughed and they will not be subject to army pay as long as they stay at their industrial tasks. This is held to be a fair system, which while it may be interpreted by some as conscription of labor, still it gives it every latitude as long as labor is loyal.

States' Estimated Totals.

Based on the ratio shown by the registration of men from 21 to 31 June 5, 1917, the shares of the new registrants expected in each state are estimated as follows:

Alabama, 243,271; Arizona, 49,794; Arkansas, 198,746; California, 398,552; Colorado, 112,139; Connecticut, 213,-329; Delaware, 29,489; District of Columbia, 4?,152; Nevada, 16,116; New Hampshire, 50,013; New Jersey, 405,-509; New Mexico, 44,652; New York, 1,345,457; North Carolina, 264,242; North Dakota, 87,929; Ohio, 739,427; Oklahoma, 227,884; Oregon, 84,404; Pennsylvania, 1,087,692; Rhode Island, 71,431; South Carolina, 170,649; South Dakota, 77,179; Tennessee, 251,865; Texas, 546,187; Utah, 58,863; Vermont, 36,316; Florida, 110,940; Georgia, 309,-972; Idaho, 55,461; Illinois, 859,834; Indiana, 340,920; Iowa, 287,847; Kansas, 200,413; Kentucky, 254,108; Louisiana, 212,580; Maine, 80,770; Maryland, 162,090; Massachusetts, 483,646; Michigan, 498,965; Minnesota, 296,856; Mississippi, 185,715; Missouri, 396,509; Montana, 117,703; Nebraska, 157,665; Virginia, 241,974; Washington, 146,853; West Virginia, 167,753; Wisconsin, 326,377; Wyoming, 30,520.

HAYWOOD HAS LITTLE HOPE

Convicted I. W. W. Leader Will Write Autobiography.

Chicago, Sept. 3.—"I fear we have not much to hope for even when the war is over," said William D. Haywood, convicted I. W. W. chief, in his cell at the county jail.

"If this were a war verdict there might be something to look forward to, but I don't look on it as a war verdict.

"What I can't understand is why some were given major terms and some short terms. I figure that if we were all guilty of conspiracy we should have received the same sentences."

Haywood declared he had decided to write an autobiography for one of several publishers who have made him handsome offers. He admitted he had little hope of gaining his freedom either by appeal or pardon.

Large Yacht Burns.

Alonac, Mich., Sept. 3.—Fire believed to have been caused by the explosion of an oil signal lamp destroyed the steam yacht Ivy, owned by Mrs. W. H. Oades of Detroit, at anchorage here. The eight persons on board escaped in a lifeboat. The loss has been estimated at $25,000.

Great Yank Army Building in France.

Washington, Sept. 2. — General March told the Senate military committee that American troops were being withdrawn from the British and French armies with which they have been brigaded and are being concentrated in the first American field army under General Pershing. The chief of staff did not indicate what part the Americans were playing in the present pressure against the German lines. The general gave no new figures on the number of Americans in France.

Wilson's Tour May Reach Coast.

Washington, Sept. 2. — Plans for President Wilson's speechmaking for the Fourth Liberty Loan are taking shape. It is said his campaign might carry him to the Pacific coast. The president probably will make nearly a score of addresses in many sections of the country, calling on the people to subscribe to the nation's war fund and telling them what has been done with money already provided. The there will be no announcement for the present.

Proof that Some Women do Avoid Operations

Mrs. Etta Dorion, of Ogdensburg, Wis., says:
"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

How Mrs. Boyd Avoided an Operation.
Canton, Ohio.—"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well.
"My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them."—Mrs. Marie Boyd, 1421 5th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

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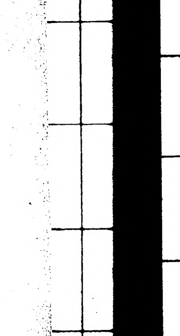

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The Navy Abroad.

The eight destroyers and less than 1,000 men that marked the beginning of American naval co-operation with the allies have been increased to 250 vessels and 40,000 men, with 3,000 officers, says the Manchester Guardian, in an appreciation of the magnitude of the American naval effort.

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One Carping Critic.

Much of the human attitude toward things in general was expressed by a North side matron who said she would like to oblige the government and eat more fish except for the fact that "fish tastes so economical!"—Chicago News.

Health Was Shattered
South Boston Woman Tells How She Suffered Before Doan's Cured Her.
"I was in awful shape from kidney disease," says Mrs. W. F. Sterritt, 707 Dorchester Ave., South Boston, Mass. "My health was shattered and I would often fall in a heap. Had someone stabbed me in the back with a knife, the pains could not have been worse. "I lost thirty pounds, was terribly nervous and could not do my housework. Fainting spells came on and my feet and limbs swelled so badly I couldn't wear my shoes. Puffy sacs came under my eyes, my skin looked shiny and the impression of a finger left a dent that remained for some time.
Mrs. Sterritt
"My kidneys were in awful shape and it seemed that I had to pass the secretions every hour. The passages were scant and terribly distressing. I was feverish at night and perspired profusely.
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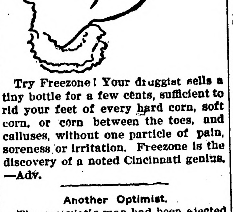

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Another Optimist.

The optimistic man had been ejected from his room by the irate landlady. Out he went into the street, his belongings sailing after him. The white, blinding snow whirled in stinging masses and the wintry wind shrieked and moaned through the trees and wires.

The optimistic man sat him on his trunk to listen to the complaint of the elements and to consider where he should go. He recalled a blistering week of a past August. As a cutting blast almost whirled him from his seat and blew a hatful of snow down his neck he murmured gratefully: "Well, there seems to be a good breeze stirring, anyhow."

Didn't Clean 'Em.

There was a certain husky young soldier in a regiment of infantry. This young buck private was tall and extremely wide. Some time ago he sent a uniform to the cleaners. It was returned with a note: "Sorry, sir, but we don't clean tents."

It is to be hoped that the meek will inherit the earth before the other fellow gets through with it.

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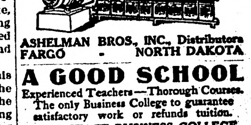

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Pa Knows.

Willie—Say, pa, what is a rare treat?

Pa—Any kind, nowadays, my boy.—Indianapolis Star.

United States government recently ordered $145,000,000 worth of meat in Chicago.

Your Eyes
Granulated Eyelids, Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggists or by mail 60c per Bottle. For Book of the Eye free write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

OPLE EQUAL O TASK, SAYS ARTHUR ROGERS

h Federal Reserve District Vill Buy Any Amount, Says Liberty Loan Chairman.

IVE BEGINS SEPT. 28

ing in Northwest to Be Completed Five Days—Local Organizations to Carry Out Details—Workers Behind Fighters.

The people of the Ninth Federal erve District will buy the amount Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds allotted them, whatever that amount may They would buy these bonds even hey did not bear any interest."

This strong statement w made by R. Rogers, chairman of the Liberty an Executive Committee of this dis- ct, after careful consideration. In plaining his confidence in the loy- y of the people of the Northwest, said:

"I am thoroughly convinced that the ople of this great part of the coun- y will do whatever their Govern- asks them to do in this crisis. believe this after working with these en through two Liberty Loan cam- aigns and having pretty well learned eir processes of reasoning and their clinations.

"I do not have this faith in the ople of the Northwest because I ink all of them are patriots, or are ywhere near perfect.

I do know, however, that a large ajority of the men in these North- est states understand what this war eans, what part the United States overnment must take in this war if is to be brought to a successful onclusion.

"They know that the people of the nited States, individually and collec- ively, must stand by their Govern- ent if it is to accomplish its great mbition and bring harmonious peace the world.

"They know that America must nance her Allies and that if America rnishes the money it means victory. ery American must do his full are. I know that the men and omen of the Northwest appreciate eir duty to their Government and ll perform it at whatever cost to emselves. They have learned that eryone in America must get under e load which America is carrying r the democracy of the world.

"Realizing all this and feeling ongly the righteousness of the ause, we are soldiers, and whatever e Government in which we are stock- olders asks us to do, we will do.

"The actual work of selling bonds the Fourth Liberty Loan drive in e Ninth District will begin Sept. and will be completed just five days ter. The work of organization roughout the district is being done ow. The county chairmen in all unties are perfecting local organiza- ions, making the allotments and ar- anging all the details that will make e actual selling of bonds comparatively simple. In a great many counties, probably in the majority of them, individuals will be notified where and at what time to buy the bonds allotted to them and their subscriptions will be promptly made without solicitation.

"How ever a county committee decides to carry out the details of its campaign will not be material so long as the results are obtained. All any county has to do is to subscribe the amount allotted to it and to secure it properly and without resort to any methods that cannot be justified.

"We have a great big task in front of us, but the people of these states are equal to it. They are not going to fail to loan the money necessary to their Government when millions of our young men are gladly giving the service which may mean their lives."

WHERE THE MONEY GOES.

Billions are big. The average layman finds a million hard to comprehend. As an aid to understanding why your Government must have so many billions of its people's dollars, Paymaster General McGowan, of the United States Navy, gives the following list of the costs of various kinds of supplies and equipment in the Navy. There are only about a million men in the United States Navy now.

Estimated Cost of Various Types of Vessels Now Under Construction.

Battleship	$23,075,000
Battle cruiser	24,900,000
Scout cruiser	7,220,000
Destroyer	1,590,000
Coast submarine	850,000
Sea-going submarine	1,480,000

Cost of Various Kinds of Ammunition.

1-pounder cartridge	$0.72
6-pounder cartridge	1.70
3-inch shell	3.00
4-inch shell	6.00
5-inch shell	12.00
6-inch shell	18.00

12-inch shell, from $80.00 for common shell to $580.00 for armor piercing.

Torpedoes, $5,000.00 to $10,000.00 each.

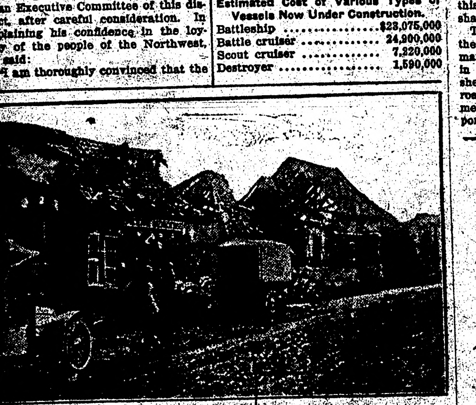
Cost of Various Guns, Based Upon Late Contracts.

	Gun and Mount Complete
3-inch (23 calibre)	$4,000.00
3-inch	15,000.00
4-inch	22,000.00
5-inch	33,000.00
6-inch	40,000.00
8-inch Howitzer	22,000.00
14-inch (50 calibre)	166,000.00
16-inch (45 calibre)	215,000.00
16-inch (50 calibre)	256,000.00
Airplane machine guns	560.00

Issuing Price of Various Items of Clothing.

Rubber boots, pair	$2.45
Blankets, each	8.50
Jerseys, each	2.75
Jumpers (blue), each	4.00
Jumpers (dungaree), each	1.00
Jumpers (dress), each	1.70
Jumpers (undress), each	1.00
Leggings, pair	1.00
Neckerchiefs, each	1.20
Overshirts, each	5.50
Overcoats, each	18.00
Shirts (blue P. O.), each	4.50
Shoes (high), pair	5.00
Shoes (low), pair	4.00
Trousers (blue), pair	6.00
Trousers (dungaree), pair	1.10
Trousers (white), pair	1.10
Undershirts (heavy), each	1.50
Undershirts (cotton), each	.40

The cost of the Navy per man per day during the first six months of the fiscal year 1918 varied from $0.49, on the larger types of vessels, to $0.52, on the smaller types.



AMERICA'S TASK IN FRANCE.

The above picture of a French town is typical of what the Americans are [illegible]ing as they drive back the destructive hordes of Kaiserism. It is to prevent [illegible] of this cruel waste and help those who have suffered by it to regain their [illegible] that America's men are fighting in France and Americans at home are [illegible] to provide the money. These objects cannot be obtained unless everyone [illegible] his duty during the Fourth Liberty Loan, September 28th to October 3rd.

SOMETHING COMING TO THE GERMANS.

These stalwart Americans are only practicing, but a million or more of them [illegible] waiting a chance to practice in deadly earnest through the German [illegible] Our boys are proving daily that they are the best known exponents of [illegible] that requires brains, muscle and nerve. Every man, woman and [illegible] buys bonds in the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign will be helping [illegible] world safe for democracy."

IF WE FAIL THE WORLD IS LOST

American Soldiers Can Crush the Hun Only If Equipped by American Dollars.

DUTY OF ALL IS CLEAR

War More Than Armies—To Provide Food, Clothing, Weapons and Hundreds of Other Things Is Opportunity of Those Who Do Not Offer Lives—Buy Bonds!

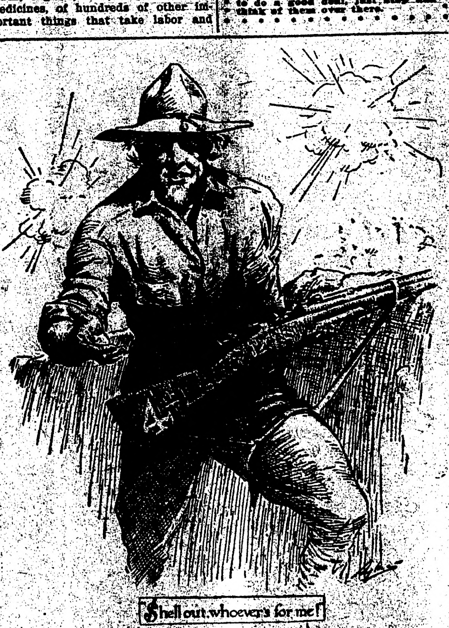
America is the Atlas on which the world is resting. Not only must American soldiers fight and win the war for democracy, but American dollars must equip and maintain American armies and, in addition, they must maintain the armies of the Allies.

Never has so colossal a task fallen to the lot of any nation; never before in the history of the world has any nation been in a position to accomplish such a task. America can do all that she is expected to do, but she can only do it if every citizen of this greatest republic does his full share.

The war in Europe is more than the splendid army of young American manhood fighting under our banners in Flanders; it is a matter of food, shelter, clothing, munitions, weapons, roads, engines, cars, ships, hospitals, medicines, of hundreds of other important things that take labor and money to produce. To provide these things is the opportunity and duty of those who do not offer their lives.

Winning this war is a matter of money. When you buy a Liberty Bond it means money for the United States treasury. During the coming year, this nation must raise $24,000,000,000. About $16,000,000,000 of this must be raised by loans and $8,000,000,000 by taxation. If we do not raise this money, the United States treasury will have failed. When the United States treasury fails, the war is lost. If the war is lost, democracy is lost—the world is lost.

Thus we get some idea of what each individual must do. He must save, do without luxuries, he must get along with what he has rather than buy things that are not absolutely necessary. He must do those things only which are of productive value. He must simplify and cheapen his diet. In short, he must in every possible way use for his own comfort as little of the nation's labor, time, and efficiency as possible. He must save every cent of money possible and loan it to the Government. In this way only can a citizen live up to his patriotic duty and do his part towards winning and ending the war.


Shell out whoever's for me!

VITAL STATISTICS

Your country is financing Democracy's war.

Your district ranks first in doing its full share.

Third Liberty Loan records show you responded promptly and generously oversubscribed your quota.

The Fourth Liberty Loan has been announced.

Subscriptions must be made between the dates of September 28th and October 3rd.

Interest and terms will be liberal, but they don't matter.

The amount will probably be double that asked for in the Third Loan.

Your allotment will be higher than ever before.

Your Government isn't worrying about you because your patriotism has been proved—you live in the Patriotic Ninth. It is up to you to see that this confidence is not misplaced.

You must not fail to do your full share.

If you individuals fail, your Government will fail.

If your Government fails, the Allies will fail.

If the Allies fail—freedom, justice, brotherly love, the spiritual ideals that make life worth while will fail.

None of these can fail.

You and a million and a half more like you, in the Ninth District, will buy Liberty Bonds on September 28th, 1918.

To loan your full share, you will sacrifice luxuries and comforts. You will work and save and when it is all over you will have proved your loyalty and increased both your spiritual and your material possessions.

When you think you are asked to do a good deal, just stop and think of them over there.

AGAIN IN CHARGE.

Many people insist that the Ninth District is the best organized of any group of states. Results seem to prove it. The active workers in the Third Liberty Loan campaign numbered over thirty thousand out of a little more than 5 million people.

The men responsible to Washington, the officers of the Northwest's financial army, are not taking the credit. They only directed this great territory's patriotic energies.

There have to be officers, however, and everyone should know who they are. The men and women who led to victory in the Third Loan will be in charge during the Fourth campaign, September 28th to October 3rd.

Isn't It Great?

The Northwest's crops are satisfactory. The money returns from them will be big. The Ninth District will do its full share towards feeding the armies of freedom and then will turn around and loan the Government its full share of dollars to make the Fourth Liberty Loan a great success. Surely this is a fine part of a wonderful country in which to live.

WHAT HAS BEEN DONE

First Liberty Loan—	
Amount subscribed by country	$3,035,226,850
Amount subscribed by Ninth District	76,926,350
Number of subscribers in country	4,500,000
Number of subscribers in Ninth District	Not recorded
Second Liberty Loan—	
Amount subscribed by country	$4,617,532,300
Amount subscribed by Ninth District	132,942,350
Number of subscribers in country	9,500,000
Number of subscribers in Ninth District	600,000
Third Liberty Loan—	
Amount subscribed by country	$4,170,019,650
Amount subscribed by Ninth District	180,920,450
Number of subscribers in country	17,000,000
Number of subscribers in Ninth District	1,221,504

WHAT MUST BE DONE

Probable amount asked from country	$6,000,000,000
Probable amount asked from Ninth District	200,000,000
Probable number of subscribers in Ninth District	1,500,000

The people of the states of Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan have developed patriotic co-operation faster than the rest of the country. Will they continue and better their splendid showing during the Fourth Liberty Loan Campaign? They will.

We had our first killing frost Tuesday night.

The Fourth Liberty Loan Drive starts Sept. 28th.

Save all the waste and help win the war for humanity.

Unless you have already registered, register next Thursday Sept. 12.

Tillie Kautson went to Climax Wednesday where she has employment.

Misses Tena and Mabel Johnson were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday and Wednesday.

Who is your choice for school directors? The best men. Then vote for them Thursday evening.

The amount of $30.30 was cleared at the Red Cross picnic at the A. Bjerk home Sunday.

Miss Beatha Nelson went to T. R. Falls Saturday to take the medical examination for the civil service.

The Sunnyside auxillary will meet with Mrs. Wegge the 12th of Sept. all ladies are invited to attend.

All men and women in this district should vote at the school meeting next Thursday evening at which time six new directors are to be elected for 1, 2 and 3 year terms.

Gladys Ellstead and Mabel Hagberg went to St. Paul Sunday night to attend the state fair and take in the surrounding sights. This will be a great trip for the girls and one that they will never forget.

Will you answer the call to the colors? You may not be able to serve your country on the battlefield, but you can "do your bit" at home. Prepare for life's work and life's battles at NORTH STAR COLLEGE, WARREN, MINN.

S. S. Kolden

The Taxpayers Candidate

His eldest son, Selmer, is fighting in France with General Pershing and his youngest son, Peter, is serving in the navy as an expert gunner on the Norlina.

WHEATLESS BISCUITS.

Parched cornmeal is the feature of these excellent wheatless biscuits. First, the cornmeal—one-half a cup—is put in a shallow pan placed in the oven and stirred frequently until it is a delicate brown. The other ingredients are a teaspoon of salt, a cup of peanut butter and one and a half cups of water. Mix the peanut butter, water and salt and heat. While this mixture is hot stir in the meal which should also be hot. Beat thoroughly. The dough should be of such consistency that it can be dropped from a spoon. Bake in small cakes in an ungreased pan. This makes 16 biscuits, each of which contains one-sixth of an ounce of protein.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.05
Wheat No. 2	2.02
Wheat No. 3	1.98
Wheat No. 4	1.94
Flax	3.72
Oats	.59
Barley	58 to .76
Rye	1.49
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

Take Notice

All men under 46 and over 18 are required to register next Thursday for military service. B. J. Bakke has been appointed to register the men in this village. The registration office will be in the Holt State Bank.

Notice of Special Election

Independent School District No. 35, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of September, 1918, the electors of Independent School District No. 35, of Marshall County, Minnesota, will meet at the school house in said district, between the hours of of 7 o'clock P. M. and 9 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing six directors, two of whom will hold their office until August 1st, 1919, two to hold office until August 1st, 1920, and two until August 1st, 1921.

Dated August 29th, 1918.

B. Docken,
District Clerk.

For Trade or Sale Cheap

One complete threshing outfit, 2 automobiles, 1 seven H P gasoline engine, one separator.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will

Estate of
Torger T. Sollom, Decedent
State of Minnesota,
County of Marshall in Probate Court.
In the Matter of the Estate of
Torger T. Sollom, Decedent

The State of Minnesota, to Tilda K. Sollom, Theodore Sollom, Kittel Sollom, Adolph Sollom, Alfred Sollom, Bella Carlson, Clara Carlson, Gunhild Sollom, Olava Sollom, Bertil Sollom, Elmer Sollom, Elivina Sollom, Myrtle Sollom, Johnnie Sollom, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the Will of said decedent:

The petition of Tilda K. Sollom being duly filed in this Court, representing that Torger T. Sollom, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died on the 11th day of August, 1915, leaving a last Will and Testament which is presented to this Court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last Will and Testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Tilda K. Sollom, NOW THEREFORE, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of September, 1918, at two o'clock P. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness The Honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 22nd day of August, 1918.

Peter H. Holm.
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.

Julius J. Olson
Rasmus Hage
Attorneys for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Red Cross business meeting Wednesday eve Sept. 18th.

Joseph Johnson came home from Crookston Wednesday to register.

Mr. and Mrs. Cairns of Crookston were Holt business visitors Wednesday.

Miss Lucy Wegge visited relatives in T. R. Falls from Monday till Wednesday.

H. J. Olen, O. W. Christianson, W. A. Lindahl and C. E. Peterson autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday eve.

Miss Agnes Bakke went to Thief River Falls Friday to take the civil service examination for a goverment clerk.

Anton Sagstuen came home Wednesday from International Falls to register, and will remain here for a few days visit.

John Ewald who had been here for a few days looking after his farm interests, returned to his home at Holloway, Minn., Tuesday.

Misses Celia Olson and Andria Ness, left Monday for Searles, N. Dak., where they will work in a cook car during threshing.

Will trade my 35 horse power 5 passenger Buick automobile for young cattle or milch cows.

Casper J. Dale,
Star Route, Holt, Minn.

Miss Betty Johnson returned home yesterday from several weeks visit with relatives at Alvarado. She was also in attendance at the teachers institute held in Warren this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Kjelgren and daughter Hilma and son Elmer went to Radium Sunday to attend a reception at the Peter Turnlund home given in honor of Ed Nyberg who expects to be called in the military service soon.

H. J. Olen received a letter Monday from P. L. Anderson which was written in France Aug. 11th. Pete said he had been on "No man's Land" with the bullets and sharpnels whistling around him and that he hoped and prayed that he would return here to tell us people all about it. He also said tell everybody hello for him.

Clarence Swan arrived here Monday for a couple of weeks visit at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Swan. He is at present, stationed at Norfolk, Va. and belongs to the armed guards who are detailed for duty on both land and sea. When at sea he is one of a crew manning a five or eight inch gun. Clarence is looking well and likes the navy. He has been with Peter Kolden on shore duty for some time but thinks Peter will be gone from there on his return.

A new wagon box with two double top boxes, for sale by R. Reierson, Holt General Merchant.

Southeast of Holt.

(Too late for last week)

Carl Guttrud and Halvor Moe autoed to Mud Lake Tuesday eve.

Miss Minnie Ekre and father of Rushford, Minn., were guests at Carl Larson's the first of the week.

Harvesting and threshing is in full blast around this locality, but farmers find a shortage of hired help.

Gunda Moe returned home from Golden Valley Sunday eve, at which place she has held a position during the summer.

A large number of young boys and girls from this locality commenced high school at Thief River Falls Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson and family entertained a number of relatives and friends at Sunday dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Odie, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Larson and children, Messrs. Oscar Odie, Bernard Larson, Engebreth Moe, and Miss Gunda Moe all of Golden Valley. Also Albert and Oliver Molstad and their mother. The party was given in honor of Oscar Odie, Ludovic Larson and Oliver Molstad who left on Wednesday for Camp Grant, Ill., with the drafted men from Marshall county.

Hilmer Svenson came home Wednesday from Augus to register.

Five passenger Buick automobile for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.

The flour mill at Climax was burned Monday night. The mill was said to be full of wheat.

Two & 1-4 horse power Unita gasoline engine for sale at the old price. R. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

I will trade a Flandus 4 passenger automobile for horses, or what have you to trade me.

Casper J. Dale,
Star Route, Holt, Minn.

Misses Nettie Roseland and Hilda Langlie went to the neighborhood of Devils Lake, N. Dak. Saturday where they will run a cook car.

Miss Clara Hagen came last Thursday to keep house for her sister Mrs. Hanson, while the latter is visiting home folks for a week at Haug, Minn.

The Liberty Loan Committee for this district will meet at the Woodman hall in Holt at 2 o'clock next Monday afternoon. Everybody invited to come.

Edwin Bakke autoed up from T. R. Falls Sunday evening with Mrs. Arne Moe and Mrs. B. J. Bakke who had been visiting relatives there a couple of days, and Gladys Ellestad and Mabel Haggberg who arrived there Sunday morning from attending the state fair.

The Goodridge newspaper has suspended publication on account of the high price of everything that a newspaper must buy and the failure of their subscribers to pay for their paper. It's funny how some people pay all their other bills, but never think to pay the printer.

Hunting season opens Monday on prairie chickens and closes Sept. 30. The season closes Nov. 30 on ducks and geese. No hunter is allowed in the season more than 25 chickens, 45 ducks, 30 of other varieties combined. Hunters must have a license and aliens a special license as they are not allowed to have firearms.

President Wilson has issued a proclamation to stop the brewing of beer next Dec. 1st. This is not a prohibition war time measure but is done to save coal. Newspapers must cut down their circulation 15 per cent at once as there isn't coal enough to make the print paper. Looks as tho' beer is more important than newspapers.

Loyal citizens will win this war.

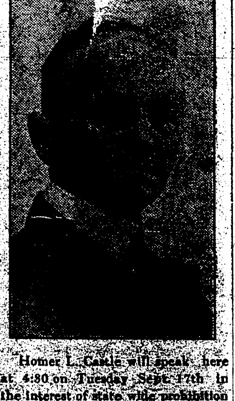
Auto for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.

Business meeting of the Red Cross at the school house Wednesday evening Sept. 18th. All Come.

Late model Ford for sale.

Newfolden Auto Co.
Newfolden, Minn.

There will be a Red Cross picnic at the J. M. Swan home on Sunday afternoon Sept. 22. Ladies please bring cakes or cookies. Everybody come and help.



Homer L. Castle will speak here at 4:30 on Tuesday Sept. 17th in the interest of state wide prohibition of the liquor traffic. All are invited to hear him.

Important Notice!

The subscription price of this paper, THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, will be raised the first of October, 1918, to $1.25 a year outside of the county, in the first, second, third and fourth zones. In the fifth and other zones beyond that, the price will be $1.50 per year. All subscriptions, both inside and outside the county, MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

Don't wait for us to send you a statement, but pay up now before the government forces us to cut your name off our list.

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Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota,
State Auditor's Office,
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 5, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 27th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale. Interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption; "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

No lands will be sold to an alien, unless he has secured his first papers.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

SENATOR HEGNES HAS CLEAN RECORD

Senator Hegnes has always been a consistent worker for the temperance movement and as a result his vote in the State Senate and his very effective work in favor of Co. Option and Prohibition was a foregone conclusion. The following laws which are of special interest to this district were introduced by him:—

Aid to Agricultural Societies.

Providing for Experiments on Peat Lands.

Maintenance of bridges over Public Ditches.

An Amendment to the Present Noxious Weed Law, so as to include the weeds common to this District, such as the Sow Thistle, etc.

A Law regulating the compensation of the Register of Deeds office in counties having a certain area. This law will mean a saving to Marshall county of several thousand dollars annually.

He was also instrumental thru his work on the Drainage Committee to pass several measures which have and will be of great benefit to this district, saving taxpayers thousands of dollars every year. It is a well known fact that the Drainage laws formerly were of such a nature as to invite graft and among other things made it possible for 1 man to have a ditch established no matter if it would be of any benefit to others or not. Now in order to have a ditch established it is necessary to have the petition signed by at least 25 per cent of the owners of the lands affected. No petition will be granted unless it contains at least eight signers.

He also introduced a bill to compel the elevator companies to furnish bonds to protect farmers having grain in storage. This bill was bitterly fought by the elevator interests.

He also voted and worked for the Deficiency School Aid Bill.

Sen. Hegnes in co-operation with the Roseau county representative secured $50,000 appropriation for the Roseau River Drainage project during the 1915 session. This however was found insufficient to complete the project, as it was found that more money was needed to rebuild bridges and make other improvements in connection with the work. It is a well known fact that at the last session appropriations of this kind were curtailed and very few members were able to get any money for their respective districts. Sen. Hegnes at the last moment succeeded in forcing thru the amendment to the Finance Bill which stipulated an appropriation of $10,000 for this purpose. Press comment at the time was made of the fact that Sen. Hegnes on this occasion made one of the shortest and most effective speeches on record in the senate.

Altho the appropriations for agricultural fairs also were curtailed at the last session, Sen. Hegnes was able to secure substantial funds for the respective fairs in the district.—Marshall County Banner.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

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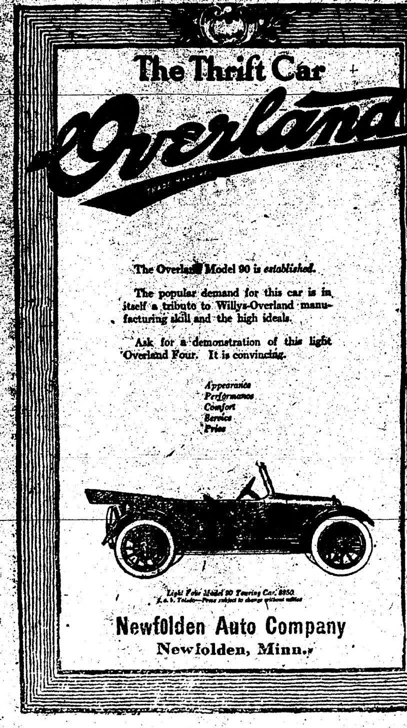

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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will

Estate of
Torger T. Sollom, Decedent
State of Minnesota,
County of Marshall in Probate Court.
In the Matter of the Estate of
Torger T. Sollom, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Tilda K. Sollom, Theodore Sollom, Kittel Sollom, Adolph Sollom, Alfred Sollom, Bella Carlson, Clara Carlson, Gunhild Sollom, Olava Sollom, Bertil Sollom, Elmer Sollom, Elivina Sollom, Myrtle Sollom, Johnnie Sollom, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the Will of said decedent:

The petition of Tilda K. Sollom being duly filed in this Court, representing that Torger T. Sollom, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died on the 11th day of August, 1915, leaving a last Will and Testament which is presented to this Court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last Will and Testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Tilda K. Sollom, NOW THEREFORE, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of September, 1918, at two o'clock P. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness The Honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 22nd day of August, 1918.

Peter H. Holm.
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.

Julius J. Olson
Rasmus Hage
Attorneys for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

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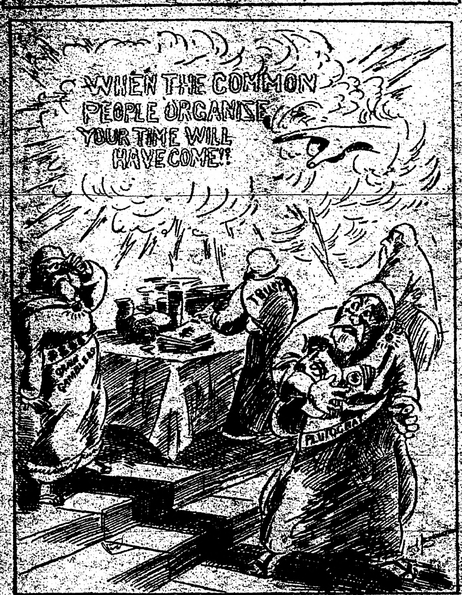
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PACKER FORMS NEW COMPANY

Plans to Separate South American and Australian Holdings.

A few days after the Federal Trade Commission had urged President Wilson to break up the packing trust, news came that Swift & Co., the largest of the Big Five, will segregate its South American and Australian properties. These concerns will be given to individual stockholders in return for surrender of domestic stock.

The report of the Trade Commission says that the Big Five own or control more than half of the export trade in South America and have large investments in Australia. It referred to the large holdings abroad of the American packers, [illegible] including the following companies thus far identified with Swift & Co.:

Australian Meat Co., Ltd.; Compania Swift de la Plata (Argentine); Compania Swift de Montevideo (Uruguay); Companhia Swift do Brasil; Compania Paraguaya de Frigorifico (Paraguay).

ATTEMPT TO BRIBE ORGANIZER FAILS

Minneapolis Manufacturers Offer Money to Stop Union Activities.

That Big Biz is not only trying to wreck the Nonpartisan league but also the growth of the labor unions, is proved by the case of a national labor organizer, which is somewhat similar to the case of "Rev." S. R. Maxwell.

The Old Gang, which was in the shape of a Minneapolis steel plant, whose profits are in the millions, tried to buy out, as they did Maxwell, A. G. Abbey of the International Order of Machinists. This was done through the agency of a Burns detective who attempted to negotiate with Abbey to prevent the organization of the steel workers of the Minneapolis Steel & Machinery Co. The difference between this case and that of Maxwell is that Abbey was too much of a man to sell out to the enemies of the organized producers.

[illegible] Abbey received anonymous notes which told him to meet a certain man who told him that certain interests wanted him to desist from organizing the workers at the factories. [illegible] was told that it would be made [illegible] while for him.

[illegible] as the Minneapolis Labor Review states it: "The attempted bribers had misjudged their man. They measured him according to their own ethics and [illegible] standards. They couldn't imagine any man would put [illegible] the cause close to his heart [illegible] sack of dirty dollars.

[illegible] at the steel plants [illegible] that when greedy employers [illegible] willing to spend money to prevent organization it is the best proof [illegible] that organization is what [illegible] and workers need."

Officials of the food administration in charge of the grain corporation are confident that the congestion of wheat at the seaboard which was experienced last year will be eliminated under the [illegible] plan.

Wisconsin Wheat.

The state food administration of Wisconsin has fixed the price which the [illegible] mills of the state will pay the farmers for their No. 1 wheat, at approximately $2.21½ per bushel. Prices at which the miller must sell his flour, bran and shorts, mixed feed and middlings in bulk were also fixed. Price [illegible] mills varies according to the [illegible], but the miller is required to post the official price in a conspicuous [illegible]

GOPHER STATE WAS POINTED TO

Minneapolis Attorney Says President Had in Mind Minnesota.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the Minnesota Bar association at Faribault, Charles B. Elliott of Minneapolis recently declared that President Wilson had Minnesota in mind when he issued his proclamation against mob violence.

Referring to the gross violations of the law permitted by the Burnquist administration, Mr. Elliott said:

"The president was not thinking of the lynching of negroes in the South as the only evidence of the mob spirit in this country. According to the New York Journal of Commerce, the president has been seriously concerned over the manifestation of the mob spirit in our own state as well as in North Dakota, Washington and Ohio.

"There is no justification for mobs or the mob spirit in executive or judicial officials."

LIVING GOES ABOVE INCREASE IN WAGES

In a pamphlet, "My Money Won't Reach," the New York Charity Organization reports that the high cost of living (the old H. C. L.) is rising higher than wages. The report says that 57 per cent of the workers investigated are receiving the same wages as last year, 12 per cent are receiving less, while only 31 per cent are earning more than last year.

Meanwhile, according to the United States bureau of labor statistics, the cost of living has gone up an average of 26 per cent. The laborer who received an increase of 31 per cent is really getting only 5 per cent more than he earned in 1917, while the 69 per cent who received no increase in wages are in a precarious condition. The committee says: "If wage increases have been as infrequent among similar family groups as among this group, is it any wonder that the struggle to make both ends meet is becoming acute in homes where previously there was a comfortable margin. It would seem that every effort should be made to keep living costs and income in more nearly their normal relationship."

TO SEND OVER GREAT QUANTITIES OF FOOD

During the next year America will send overseas enough foodstuffs to provide fighting rations for 40,000,000 men, so food administration officials declared. This is double last year's amount to make up the food shortage of the allied nations.

The United States will send over 15,000,000 tons, and Canada will augment this by 2,000,000 tons, which is over four times the normal pre-war shipments.

The pressure on American people will be lessened because of this favorable outlook, and reserves against famine can be built up. Herbert Hoover is expected to work out the greater system of distribution upon his return from Europe.

Retail Food Prices.

Retail food prices in the United States have increased 66 per cent since June, 1913, according to figures given out by the department of labor at Washington. During this 5-year period the price of milk alone has advanced 44 per cent, butter 45 per cent, and eggs 55 per cent. During the last year food prices have increased 7 per cent and during the month ending June 15, the average increase in prices for all was 20 per cent.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Hibbing.—Postal savings for August increased $8,000 over the previous month, according to Postmaster J. B. Connors.

Hibbing.—Eighty-five automobile owners have pledged themselves to take 10 per cent of the cost of their cars in W. S. S. during the [illegible] drive.

St. Paul.—The force of clerks from Adjutant General Rhinow's office, which has been compiling names of Minnesota men who enlisted for army service since the declaration of war has completed its work.

International Falls.—County Superintendent of Schools J. F. Gavin has preparations well under way and reports that the scarcity of teachers is felt here as in other places but practically all schools will be supplied.

Virginia.—Matt Salmon Maki, 28, was arrested as a slacker when he attempted to register at the draft board office. It developed that he had not registered in June, 1917. He will be held here until his case is settled.

Hibbing.—The civil service commission announces an examination to be held here on Sept. 25 for the position of postmaster at Chisholm, which pays an annual compensation of $2,400. Mr. Harrington, who held the office, has retired.

Crookston.—Sheriff E. F. Kelley and deputies made a raid on the Old Moonshine hotel at Minnesota Point, East Grand Forks. Anna Larson, the proprietor of the house, was arrested and brought to Crookston by the sheriff and his deputies and placed under [illegible] bonds to appear before Judge Watts.

Eveleth.—In response to a call for men to make up a sufficient number to organize a new National Guard in Eveleth, 125 men have expressed their willingness to become members. Recruiting was continued throughout the last week and Capt. F. R. Campbell, who is pushing the work, is now satisfied.

Barnesville.—Mrs. M. D. Metcalf died of injuries received at her farm west of the city when she was thrown from the mower which she was driving and was so seriously hurt in the runaway which followed that she died in a few hours. Mrs. Metcalf is survived by her husband and three children.

St. Paul.—An increase of one cent a pound in the price of sugar is predicted by the Minnesota food administration. This will not affect sugar in consignees' warehouses. All shipments of sugar in transit will be affected. Jobbers and retailers having sugar on hand will be required to sell at one cent raise on the original cost price. They will not be permitted to make extra profit, Frank S. Poole, head of the sugar division of the state food administration, said.

St. Paul.—Voluntary army enlistment in Minnesota and throughout the United States received its death blow when an order issued by General P. C. March, chief of staff, calling for the permanent closing of all recruiting stations was received. The only voluntary system to be permitted hereafter, according to General March, is that dealing with men between 18 and 56 years of age, and the enlistment of these men is authorized only for staff corps and departments.

St. Paul.—Reports that the Mayo clinic at Rochester has condemned the use of wheat flour substitutes as injurious to the digestion are emphatically denied by Dr. Charles H. Mayo in a communication to the office of A. D. Wilson, federal food administrator for Minnesota. Dr. Mayo says that the rumor is entirely without foundation, and is no doubt German propaganda. He asserts that the wheat flour substitutes are much better for most people than wheat flour.

Spring Grove.—The infantile paralysis situation here has been exaggerated. There have been eight cases only in town, with one death. At present only two patients are under quarantine and they are well. No new cases have developed for more than a week and as all children have been kept at home since the epidemic started, no more cases are expected. The Mayo clinic was not called in by citizens, but serum [illegible] by Dr. E. C. Rosenow was used in the treatment of one patient.

St. Paul.—It has been unofficially estimated that more than [illegible] per cent of the automobile owners of Minnesota patriotically observed the gasoline restriction order the first Sunday. The stark rebuke administered to pleasure seekers who drove their cars is expected to make the order more generally observed hereafter. It is estimated that more than [illegible] automobiles are used for pleasure purposes in Minnesota every Sunday. Five dollars per automobile party has been considered an average expenditure. On the basis of four Sundays in a month, it is estimated that Minnesota automobilists spend about $2,500,000 for pleasure touring on the Sabbath during each of the summer and autumn months.

St. Paul.—Major W. O. Garis, Duluth, has been appointed chief of staff by Adjutant General Rhinow, to succeed Maj. W. A. Curtis, St. Paul, transferred to the adjutant general's office in Washington. Major Garis has served eight years in the army.

Minneapolis.—With the arrival of 25 additional student naval flight officers at the Dunwoody naval training school, to take their ground work, there are now 107 pilots in training at the school. This number includes the 32 who will complete their work September 14 and leave for Pensacola, Fla., for air instruction.

MRS. C. H. MARCH

Leader in coming Minnesota Y. W. C. A. War Drive.

Mrs. C. H. March of Litchfield is the Y. W. C. A. leader for the fifth district of Minnesota in the coming drive. Mrs. March presides over the counties of Traverse, Grant, Douglas, Big Stone, Stevens, Pope, Stearns, Meeker, Kandiyohi, Swift, and Chippewa, and already has her workers well organized.

Bemidji.—The fall term of district court will begin Tuesday, Sept. 10, and the grand and petit jurors have been selected.

St. Paul.—An order closing all Minnesota saloons Sept. 12, draft registration day, was issued by the State Public Safety commission.

Pine City.—F. W. McAllen sold ten mules from his Pokegama lake farm, which were shipped to St. Louis, the consideration being $2,000.

Baudette.—Owing to the excessive cost of everything the management of the Rex hotel here has found it necessary to close the dining room.

Luverne.—A hail storm visited this section, causing additional damage to the corn crop here. This was the second hail storm within ten days.

St. Paul.—Mrs. August [illegible], 68, dropped dead on the porch of her home. Coroner D. C. Jones said her death was caused by apoplexy.

Minneapolis.—Donald [illegible], [illegible]-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Pilsth, accidentally killed himself by pulling the trigger of a revolver.

Minneapolis.—Minnesota [illegible] managers are eager to get all war pictures, which they claim attract twice as large audiences as other films.

St. Cloud.—The John Clark Granite company of Rockville has secured a large contract for the granite to be furnished for the construction of the St. Paul Union depot.

Pipestone.—Henry Hardaker, a farmer, is dead from injuries received in the tornado which passed along the northern border of the county [illegible] weeks ago and struck Tyler.

Minneapolis.—Herman Klukow, 72, a retired farmer from Albert Lea, Minn., dropped dead at the State Fair grounds. Mrs. C. A. Lawler of Inver Grove, a daughter, was with him.

Bemidji.—Supreme Court Judge Oscar Hallam of St. Paul will be here and speak on the Fourth Liberty Loan, under the auspices of the America First association of Bemidji, in the near future.

Minneapolis.—Despondent over failing health, Miss Edith Venstrom, 24 years old, took her life by inhaling gas. [illegible] body was found several hours after she committed suicide. [illegible] work in a downtown [illegible].

[illegible].—Miss Gertrude Saunders succeeded in successfully passing the examinations entitling her to the [illegible]. Yeomanette Saunders [illegible] assigned to the U. S. [illegible] and is now entitled to all the privileges of a sailor.

Tyler.—Several hundred business men from Pipestone arrived here to put in a full day's work assisting in cleaning up the tornado wreckage. The mayor of Pipestone says that every business house in Pipestone was closed and that the men of that city were here [illegible] after their arrival. [illegible] donned overalls and [illegible].

Minneapolis.—Several degrees of frost [illegible] throughout Minnesota [illegible] sudden temperature [illegible] days since. A killing frost [illegible] at Campbell, Park Rapids [illegible] River Falls, while Duluth and adjacent territory [illegible] extremely chilly weather and [illegible] damage. At Detroit, [illegible] Moorhead the [illegible] slightly nipped.

Minneapolis.—[illegible] Tenney, 50 years old, [illegible] of the First State bank of [illegible], is now [illegible] Quartermaster Corps [illegible] United States Army at the recruiting office in the federal building here. Mr. Tenney has a son, Edward A., a member of the Marine Corps, who was seriously gassed at Belleau Wood, and another son, Corporal Luman H. Tenney of the Field Artillery, is attending an American officers training camp in France. He was in the battle of Cantigny.

Bemidji.—Word has been received by relatives that a man by the name of Fisher, formerly in the employ of the Crookston Lumber company, had been wounded while in the service in France. Inquiry at the company's offices failed to disclose any information as to him.

Moorhead.—A. H. Larson, who has been the Clay county weed agent, has left for St. Paul to be employed in the white pine blister rust campaign until the opening of the Minnesota agricultural college. Mr. Larson is assistant state seed analyst and instructor in applied botany.

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For Victory Buy War Savings Stamps

We will win this war—
Nothing else really matters until we do!

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Puts a Stop to all **Distemper**
CURES THE SICK
And prevents others having the disease no matter how exposed. [illegible] All good druggists [illegible]
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OFFICER WINS HIGH PRAISE

Second Lieut. John I. Conroy of the Marines Highly Commended by Commanding Officer.

The bulldog tenacity and nerves of steel which characterized the operations of the United States marines in their classic capture of Chateau-Thierry and Belleau wood in the second battle of the Marne earned unusual commendation for Second Lieut. John I. Conroy of the marines. The commanding officer of his regiment wrote to the brigade commander that Lieutenant Conroy was "conspicuous in his services to the battalions in line, carried on his duties at a storm center of bombardment by enemy high explosive, shrapnel and gas shells.

"Throughout this period he supplied the troops in line with ammunition, rations, water and engineer stores with tireless energy, marked executive ability, foresight and absolute fearlessness at all hours of the day and night. He never failed in a crisis and only bulldog tenacity and nerves of steel made it possible for him to discharge his multifarious duties. When enemy fire exploded an ammunition dump under his charge his energy and coolness confined the damage to a minimum."

Lieutenant Conroy's mother, Mrs. John Conroy, lives at 59 Livingston street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

In the Kitchen.

Mistress—You needn't fix that nutmeg, Maria.

Maid—That is a grate relief.

Contentment is merely a lack of desire.

A woman's voice isn't necessarily heavenly because it sounds unearthly.

Not Appreciative.

"I can marry anyone I please."

"Then I [illegible] you haven't pleased any yet."—London Answers.

Friendship means more and at the same time less than any other word in the English language.

Keep Yourself Fit

You can't afford to [illegible] with sore, aching kidneys [illegible] high prices. [illegible]

A North Dakota Case

[illegible]

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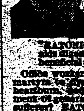

[illegible] EATONIC [illegible]

"EATONIC promotes appetite and digestion. I have used it with beneficial results."

[illegible] EATONIC [illegible]

POST TOASTIES

—"Everything a corn food ought to be— and saves the wheat"

—says Bobby

What *is* a Branch House?

The Branch House is the place in the packing organization where what the packing plant does for you is put where you can use it.

Both are the natural result of growth and development in the living thing they belong to.

Swift & Company Branch Houses are located in distributing centers all over the country. They are fitted out with refrigerating equipment to keep meat cool, sweet and fresh.

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They are directed by men who have spent years learning how to get *better* meat *cheaper* to the places where it is needed.

Meat is shipped to the branch houses direct from the packing plants in Swift & Company's refrigerator cars, in such quantities that it can be disposed of while fresh and sweet.

Your meat dealer comes *here* to buy your meat for *you*—unless some one else can treat him better than we can.

So you need the branch house in order to live well; and the branch house and the packing plant need each other, in order to be useful to you.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

Not Far Off.

Two sailors were discussing the translation of "Deutschland Uber Alles." "It means that it's all over with Germany," the wise youth declared.

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ALWAYS RELIEVES
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Begin Treatment NOW
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Opening His Eyes.

"There will be a greater percentage of contented men in proportion to the world's population after the war than there was before it started."

"Why do you think so?"

"Well, if living for weeks and months in muddy trenches and being bombed, gassed, shelled and otherwise shot at, not to mention the cooties, won't make a man rate the comforts of home at their true value, I don't know what will."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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That itch, burn and torture. A hot Cuticura Soap bath gives instant relief when followed by a gentle application of Cuticura Ointment. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

The Proper Way.

"I see where photographers are going to form a union in the West."

"I suppose, then, all its proceedings and reports will be heard in camera."

You cannot hope to get much more out of life than you are willing to put into it.

SAFE, GENTLE REMEDY CLEANSES YOUR KIDNEYS

For centuries GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has been a standard household remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and stomach trouble, and all diseases connected with the urinary organs. The kidneys and bladder are the most important organs of the body. They are the filters, the purifiers of your blood. If the poisons which enter your system through the blood and stomach are not entirely thrown out by the kidneys and bladder, you are doomed.

Weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, headache, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, difficulty when urinating, cloudy and bloody urine, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago, all warn you to look after your kidneys and bladder. All these indicate some weakness of the kidneys or other organs or that the enemy microbes which are always present in your system have attacked your weak spots. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are what you need.

They are not a "patent medicine," nor a "new discovery." For 200 years they have been a standard household remedy. They are the pure, original imported Haarlem Oil your great-grandmother used, and are perfectly harmless. The healing, soothing oil soaks into the cells and lining of the kidneys and through the bladder, driving out the poisonous germs. New life, fresh strength and health will come as you continue the treatment. When completely restored to your usual vigor, continue taking a capsule or two each day; they will keep you in condition and prevent a return of the disease.

Do not delay a minute. Delays are especially dangerous in kidney and bladder trouble. All druggists sell GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They will refund the money if not as represented. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported direct from the laboratories in Holland. They are prepared in correct quantity and convenient form, are easy to take and are positively guaranteed to give prompt relief. In three sizes, sealed packages. Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL. Accept no substitutes.—Adv.

FRENCH NOW AT GATES OF LA FERE

Stiffening Enemy Resistance No Safe Barrier to Force of Allied Blows.

FOE OPENS HEAVY FIRE

From Arras to Rheims Germans Seek to Halt Onslaught of Foch's Troops—Allies Still Make Gains.

Washington, Sept. 10.—The marked stiffening of the German resistance within the past few hours has not been sufficient to prevent the allies from making further encroachment upon their lines, further progress being reported at various points and especially at the French objectives of St. Quentin and La Fere. The British, too, have dug more deeply into the sector southwest of Cambrai, capturing important positions on the four-mile front between Havrincourt wood and Peizieres, and regaining their old french positions dominating Gouzeaucourt.

All along the front from Arras to Rheims the German big guns are now violently in action, giving color to the statement issued in a communication from enemy headquarters at Berlin to the effect that the German army had now reached its positions. The failure of these prepared positions to stop the force of the allied onslaught, however, seems to indicate that their permanence will be far less notable than the enemy would wish.

In the La Fere sector the French are daily enlarging their turning movement against St. Gobain forest, the conquest of which would remove the greatest barrier to an allied advance in force eastward towards Laon in an outflanking movement against both the Aisne and Chemin Des Dames.

Some Points of Sharp Resistance.

The Germans here and northwest of Soissons are offering most determined resistance against the French, realizing that should General Mangin's strategy prove successful, the entire German line eastward to Rheims necessarily would be compelled to undergo marked readjustment. Thousands of machine guns, and guns of larger caliber, are roaring away against the French both from the St. Gobain forest and the plateau above the Ailette river northeast of Soissons.

NEW $675,000 FUND SOUGHT

North Dakota Workers Organize for Autumn Campaign.

Fargo, N. D., Sept. 10.—At the preliminary conference of those in charge of North Dakota's share in the united war fund drive yesterday, plans for the state work were outlined and a temporary state executive committee selected.

A meeting will be held here September 20, at which between 200 and 300 representative men and women of the state will gather to complete plans for raising the state quota of $675,000.

The temporary committee chosen has one representative from each of the seven organizations doing welfare work for soldiers at home and overseas. These are: H. W. Gearey, Y. M. C. A.; Mrs. W. B. Hancock, Y. W. C. A.; [illegible] Keating, National Catholic War Council; Hugo Stern, Jewish Welfare Board; George E. Wallace, war camp community service; Mrs. M. C. Budlong, American Library association, and Ensign Spiller, Salvation Army.

W. [illegible] Stockwell and H. B. Beckwith were selected temporary state campaign director and state treasurer, respectively.

FOE HAS NEW PEACE PLAN

Count Czernin Is Spokesman In Latest Scheme of Central Powers.

Amsterdam, Sept. 10.—Another shot from the Teutonic peace propaganda artillery has been fired by Count Czernin, the former Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, who, in a long article printed by the Vienna Neue Freie Presse writes in favor of the idea of a league of nations.

The count declares that an overwhelming majority of the German people, with the emperor at its head, honestly desires a lasting peace. He holds that the authoritative factors in the Berlin cabinet today openly favor the proposal of a league of nations, and that Baron Burian, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, is not antagonistic to this idea.

"Therefore," Count Czernin concludes, "there is nothing to prevent the central powers working out the fundamental principles of this new world order and in bringing them before the world."

Increase in Spring Wheat Seen.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Heavy loss in the prospective corn crop, but a considerable increase in the forecast of spring wheat production featured the September crop report just issued by the department of agriculture. Lack of rain during August in the principal producing sections of the corn belt caused a reduction of 371,000,000 bushels in the crop forecast, bringing the loss in prospective production since July 1 to approximately 487,000,000 bushels, representing more than 800,000,000.

He Couldn't Spell It.

In the spelling list for a class in a certain Indianapolis school were the words singing and singeing. The class was asked to write sentences using these words to show that they knew the correct meaning of each. One little fellow, Robert, wrote:

"The Italians are a singing nation."

"The allies will soon be singeing the beard of the kaiser."

With sideward glances he watched his teacher mark his paper and timidly asked:

"Is it all right?"

"Yes," she said, "but the kaiser has no beard; he has a mustache."

"I know, I know; but I wanted 100 on my paper, and I couldn't spell mustache."—Indianapolis News.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Need More Experience.

"I told father I loved you more than any other girl I've ever met."

"And what did your father say?"

"He said to try to meet some more girls."—Cornell Widow.

Our Darner's in Use.

"Darn a cutworm!" ejaculates an exchange. Let the cutworm mend his own ways, say we.—Boston Transcript.

A woman says that tight shoes are comfortable because they make her forget her other troubles.

As fast as some men make opportunities others grab them.

LOSSES DOWN TO MINIMUM

Warfare Mortality Statistics Should Give Comfort to Those With Loved Ones at the Front.

Great as the danger and large as the losses in the aggregate, the individual soldier has plenty of chances of coming out of the war unscathed, or at least not badly injured.

Based on the mortality statistics of the allied armies, a soldier's chances are as follows:

Twenty-nine chances of coming home to one chance of being killed.

Forty-nine chances of recovering from wounds to one chance of dying from them.

One chance in 500 of losing a limb.

Will live five years longer because of physical training, is freer from disease in the army than in civil life, and has better medical care at the front than at home.

In other wars from ten to 15 men died from disease to one from bullets; in this war one man dies from disease to every ten from bullets.

For those of our fighting men who do not escape scathless, the government under the soldier and sailor insurance law gives protection to the wounded and their dependents and to the families and dependents of those who make the supreme sacrifice for their country.

Ownership brings its sense of pride, no matter what the size of the "car."

Pennsylvania reports a poultry shortage.

WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Need Help to Pass the Crisis Safely—Proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Can be Relied Upon.

Urbana, Ill.—"During Change of Life, in addition to its annoying symptoms, I had an attack of grippe which lasted all winter and left me in a weakened condition. I felt at times that I would never be well again. I read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it did for women passing through the Change of Life, so I told my doctor I would try it. I soon began to gain in strength and the annoying symptoms disappeared and your Vegetable Compound has made me a well, strong woman so I do all my own housework. I cannot recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly to women passing through the Change of Life."—Mrs. FRANK HENSON, 1316 S. Orchard St., Urbana, Ill.

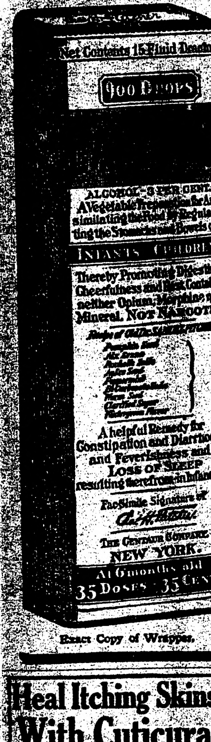
Women who suffer from nervousness, "heat flashes," backache, headaches and "the blues" should try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Honest Advertising.

THIS is a topic we all hear now-a-days because so many people are inclined to exaggerate. Yet has any physician told you that we claimed unreasonable remedial properties for Fletcher's Castoria? Just ask them. We won't answer it ourselves, we know what the answer will be.

That it has all the virtues to-day that was claimed for it in its early days is to be found in its increased use, the recommendation by prominent physicians, and our assurance that its standard will be maintained.

Imitations are to be found in some stores and only because of the Castoria that Mr. Fletcher created. But it is not the genuine Castoria that Mr. Fletcher Honestly advertised, Honestly placed before the public and from which he Honestly expects to receive his reward.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Extracts from Letters by Grateful Parents to Chas. H. Fletcher.

Mrs. John W. Derrick, of Lexington, S. C., says: "My children cry for Castoria, I could not do without it."

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gaines, of Ripley, Tenn., say: "We enclose our baby's picture hoping it will induce some poor tired mothers to give your Castoria a trial. We have used it since baby was two weeks old."

Mrs. J. G. Parman, of Nashville, Tenn., says: "The perfect health of my baby is due to your Castoria—the first and only medicine he has taken. He is never satisfied with one dose, he always cries for more."

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Johnson, of Stevens Point, Wis., say: "When our baby was two weeks old he cried so much we did everything for him, then got some Castoria and he is now strong and fat. We would not be without it, and are very thankful to you."

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Jack took great pride in dressing up in his little soldier's uniform and drilling with his air rifle. When his uncle came home on a furlough, Jack, stretching to his full height, with a serious and important air, told him: "Next year I'll be old enough to go to kindergarten, and then the year after that I'm going to the war."

Early morning opens the door to a new opportunity. Watch out and do not let it slip away unnoticed.

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or secure some of the low priced lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Think what you can make with wheat at $2 a bushel and land so easy to get. Wonderful yields also of Oats, Barley and Flax. Mixed farming and cattle raising.

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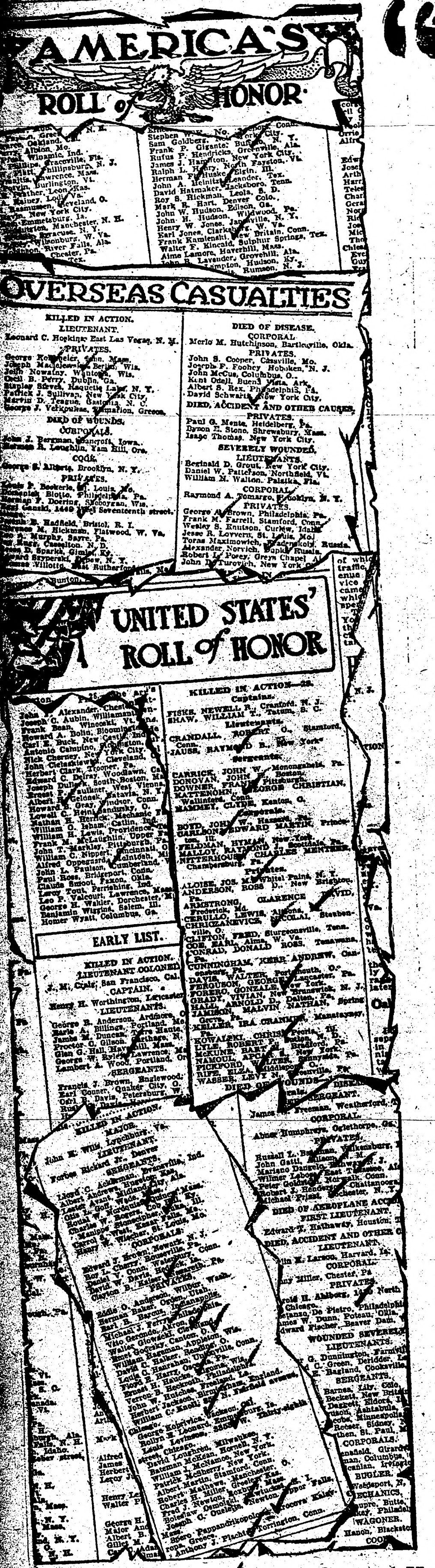
AMERICA'S ROLL of HONOR
OVERSEAS CASUALTIES
UNITED STATES' ROLL of HONOR
EARLY LIST.

"Yanks"

By WILBUR D. NESBIT

There were 62 names in a recent casualty list.

Twenty-two of those names were of men who were obviously of foreign blood.

Joseph Maciejewski and George Verkoulas and Eggi Ganski and Thomas Villotto and Wesley Knutson and Toras Maximovitch were among them.

So it went—Greek, Italian, Swede, Dane, Russian, Jew, Pole, German—you could find as many nationalities as you knew.

Yet they were all "Yanks."

The casualty lists keep coming; the names keep pouring over the cable.

Oh, yes, the Smiths, and Joneses and Browns are all there.

All the boys whose great-great-grandfathers and great-grandfathers and grandfathers and fathers have fought for liberty right here—their names are in the lists.

Yet, somehow, one's hand involuntarily goes up in salute to Szysperski and Mente and Schwarz—to these "Yanks" whose fathers and mothers just a few years back stepped from deck to dock and blinked their eyes in the knowledge that at last their dreams of freedom had come true.

Why, we folks who have lived here all our lives and who can't remember when our folks weren't native Americans—here's a rich blessing for us!

These people who came to our shores believing in us are *proving* their belief. Their boys are fighting for our common country and for our common beliefs and principles.

They *are* "Yanks"—God bless them!

And every time you buy a Liberty Bond you put a newer and higher courage in the hearts of all our boys, but especially of those boys whose parents came here so that their sons might be free to fight for liberty if liberty had to be defended.

Every penny you lend our government in your investment in Liberty Bonds goes to give us a better army and navy.

There isn't a soul living who owns bonds of the first, second or third Liberty Loans who isn't proud of what he has helped to do for our country.

Now it is the Fourth Liberty Loan—bigger than was ever known before, and backed by greater resources than any investment you ever made.

Don't wait for the final "spurt;" don't wait for the fire of enthusiasm; don't wait for speeches and parades and bands.

Buy your Liberty Bonds now, for you *know* you are going to buy them.

You are not sacrificing a penny; you are not *giving* a cent.

You are lending your money; you get good interest for it; you get your money back.

Best of all, you are saying to Gerondo and Norvich and Nowatny and all the other boys who are fighting shoulder to shoulder with Smith and Jones and Brown:

"We Yanks are standing together! The old flag that our forefathers worshiped means more today than it ever did!"

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Dont Forget

The Holt Weekly News

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell; phone 140.

Liberty Loan Day Tuesday Oct. 1

The young people gave Clarence Swan a party at the home of his parents Saturday evening.

Jno. Boyeson returned home Monday from Dakota where he had been working in harvesting and threshing.

Miss Ingeborg Nelson went to Grand Forks Saturday where she had secured employment in the state university.

Chas. Mclean, John Melquist and Peter Hanson went to Erskine Sunday near where they hunted chickens for a few days.

Mrs. Ole Kjelgren went to T. R. Falls last week Thursday with her daughter Tillie, where the latter underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils.

Tom Severson has been laid up several days this week with a lame back which was caused by his slipping and falling when getting down from his threshing rig, on Monday.

H. J. Olen and C. W. Christianson autoed to Greenbush Sunday where they were joined by A. H. Huseth on theis journey to Ross to bring W. A. Lindahl and family home.

Tony Carlson autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday evening to meet his wife and baby and Mrs. Arvid Carlson and baby on their return from visiting relatives in Minneapolis. Arvid Carlson came over from Newfolden Sunday to take his family home.

Everyone is now required to go to the Liberty Loan Committee Oct. 1st and buy their bond, instead of the Committee running after them as on former occasions. The Goverment wants the ladies and children to have some of these bonds too and two ladies have been appointed in each village and township to sell bonds and the Red Cross will sell the coffee and lunches.

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

Complete Line of **CASKETS** and **Funeral Supplies**

which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Our Allotments!

H. L. Wood, chairman Marshall Co. Liberty Loan Committee met here Monday afternoon with the committees of this village and township, also those of East Valley, Mud Lake, Excel, Adgar and Grand Plain.

The work of the committee of the Fourth Liberty Loan is to be conducted on a new plan, i. e. instead of the committee having to go to see the bond buyers the bond buyers must go to them on Tuesday Oct. 1, which is to be celebrated as "Liberty Loan Day" all over Marshall Co.

The committee and bond buyers of this village will meet at the school house, those of this township at A. L. Sagstuen's place, East Valley at Stump Lake school house, Excel people at the school house in Dist. No. 17. Two ladies in each place have been appointed to act with the committee who are to be in session all day to give every one a chance to go there and buy a bond. The Red Cross is to have a booth in each place and sell coffee and lunches to all who will buy, also to accept donations from any one for the Red Cross work.

The allotment of Marshall Co., for the Fourth Liberty Loan is $920,000.00, for this village $8000, this township 12,278, East Valley $10,004, Mud Lake $3,178, Excel $16,337, Adgar $9,588, Grand Plain $8,392.

F. W. Ramaley and J. J. Little are here this week looking after their farm interests.

W. A. Lindahl and family moved Tuesday into B. Docken's house in the north part of town.

Andrew Tobiason has written his folks from France that he is well and likes the country there.

Miss Victoria Johnson came home last week Thursday from Minneapolis where she has had employment for some time.

Several Nimrods from the city of Warren visited our town and vicinity a few days this week. We understand they were successful in bagging 10 chickens on Monday.

Mrs. Kautz returned to her home at Crookston Tuesday to attend to some home duties, returning to Holt the latter part of this week to aid her mother Mrs. A. Bjerk, during the threshing season.

The following directors were elected at the school meeting last Thursday evening: H. J. Oien and R. L. Adams for one year; P. A. Riesberg and H. B. Young two years; O. H. Nohre and J. M. Swan three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Docken and children, Miss Agnes Bakke, and Mrs. Spinks autoed to Hillsboro Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the Albert Havorson home. Mrs. Arne Moe accompanied the party as far as Grand Forks on the way to her home at Granville, N. D. Mrs. Docken and children remained in Hillsboro for a few days visit with her sister and the others return home Monday.

Henry Wendt, Agnes Bakke, Clarence Swan, Mabel and Oscar Hagglund and Olive & Stella Mickelson autoed to T. R. Falls Monday evening to see the many German trophies bagged by our boys "over there." They were exhibited in coaches on the Soo track and many people availed themselves of the opportunity to see these war relics.

Ringbo News

Mr. and Mrs. Gullick Svenson visited at Math Larson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Liden, Hilma Liden, Elsie Causin, Mollie Hermanson and Hilda Peterson, all of Thief River Falls, autoed up here on Sunday before last and visited at the homes of A. Movick and Math Larson.

Mrs. Chris Engen, her sister and daughter and Esther Movick were callers at G. P. Sorter's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hilmer Davidson and Miss Esther Movick called at Ole Davidson's on Tuesday.

Miss Hazel Davidson is on the sick list.

Hilmer Svenson called at A. Movick's Thursday afternoon.

The tractor that Gunder and Peter Sorter ordered sometime ago arrived one day last week. It is a Fordson and they report it to be the best tractor out.

Hilmer Svenson, Engval Johnson and Alf Movick were callers at Ole Davidson's Sunday afternoon.

The Ringbo Red Cross will meet with Mrs. A. S. Bean Wednesday Sept. 25th, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Monberg and Miss Alice Johnson from Alvarado visited at Erick Johnson's and John Engstrom's homes on Sunday.

Willie Larson who is working in Alvarado came home Wednesday eve to register.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Sorter and sons Percy and Melvin were out to Mud Lake Sunday picking low bush cranberries.

M. Udstrand called at A. Movick's Sunday.

Mrs. F. Valinsce and two daughters, Charlatte and Mary, visited at Ole Davidson's Friday afternoon.

Miss Hilda Svenson called on Mrs. Hilmer Davidson Tuesday eve.

Red Cross picnic at J. M. Swan's Sunday afternoon Sept. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lindahl went to Ross Friday to visit relatives.

All married men are expected to buy Liberty Bonds for their wife and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Engebretsen autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday and brot Tillie Nyberg home from the hospital.

Gladys Ellestead is attending high school in Argyle and making her home with her uncle Ole Gubrud and family.

Several from Holt and vicinity went to T. R. Falls Monday evening to see the big exhibition of war relics and report them well worth seeing.

Mrs. Gunder Jacobson who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson for some time, returned to her home in Minneapolis last week Saturday.

I will trade a Flaudus 4 passenger automobile for horses, or what have you to trade me?

Casper J. Dale,
Star Route, Holt, Minn.

Tuesday Oct. 1st is to be known as Liberty Loan Day in Marshall Co. On that day everyone is required to meet the Liberty Loan Committee at a designated place and sign up for the amount of bonds that is their allotment. Failure to do this may bring the offender no end of trouble as they will be reported to the proper officials.

Loyal citizens will win this war.

Save all the waste and help win the war for humanity.

Five passenger Buick automobile for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.

Tuesday Oct. 1st is to be observed as Liberty Loan Day thru out the county.

The boys are dying for us "over there." Shall we do something for them, here?

Thirty two men registered in Holt township last week Thursday and 27 in East Valley.

Not many from this vicinity have been able to go hunting on account of the pressure of work.

We don't believe a man can be a good christian, if he isn't loyal to our country, at this time.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will serve lunch in the church basement next Thursday afternoon.

Two & 1-4 horse power Unita gasoline engine for sale at the old price. B. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

Late model Ford for sale.
Newfolden Auto Co.
Newfolden, Minn.

Making a good investment is not doing charity work There is no better investment than government bonds of the Fourth Liberty Loan.

There will be a Red Cross picnic at the J. M. Swan home on Sunday afternoon Sept. 22. Ladies please bring cakes or cookies. Everybody come and help.

Will trade my 35 horse power 5 passenger Buich automobile for young cattle or milch cows.

Casper J. Dale,
Star Route, Holt, Minn.

A meeting will held at Crookston Wednesday evening Sept. 25th, to consider tendering aid to the Federal Government in the matter of providing land for returning soldiers.

Recent rulings of the War Industries Board compels newspaper subscriptions to be paid in advance, so those in arrears are requested to pay up at once, so we can pay our bills.

If any one desirs to change a four per cent bond of the first or second Liberty Loan to a bond drawing four and a fourth per cent interest, (the same as the Third and Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds bear), the change must be made before November 1st.

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The subscription price of this paper, THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, will be raised the first of October, 1918, to $1.25 a year outside of the county, in the first, second, third and fourth zones. In the fifth and other zones beyond that, the price will be $1.50 per year. All subscriptions, both inside and outside the county, MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

Don't wait for us to send you a statement, but pay up now before the government forces us to cut your name off our list.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS.

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Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota.
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 5, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 27th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale. Interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

No lands will be sold to an alien unless he has secured his first papers.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.82
Oats	62
Barley	54 to .72
Rye	1.44
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage, containing a power of sale, by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Russell Gesell, a single man, mortgagor, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota Corporation), mortgagee, dated March 17th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 22nd day of March, 1917, A. D., at eight o'clock A. M., In Book 82 of Mortgages on page 225.

That the amount claimed to be due, and which is due on said mortgage at this date, is the sum of eighty four ($84.00) Dollars, together with the further sum of forty eight ($48.00) Dollars together with interest on said sum from the 12th day of March, 1918, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, the said sum of forty eight ($48.00) Dollars being the interest paid on a prior mortgage which was due on the 12th day of March, 1918, and which was paid by the mortgagee herein pursuant to the terms of the mortgage herein described, making a total due on said mortgage at this date of one hundred thirty four and 40-100 ($134.40) Dollars.

That the premises covered by the said mortgage are described as follows, to-wit:- The Northeast quarter (NE1-4) of Section No. Sixteen (16) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty Six (156) North of Range No. Forty (40), West of 5th P. M. situated in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, Minnesota, or his Deputy, at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 7th day of November, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes, if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the Attorney's fees allowed by Statue.

Dated September 16, 1918.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgage,
Warren, Minnesota.

Is your paper paid for.

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WORLD'S EVENTS IN SHORT FORM

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Washington

The impression that members of congress are subject to draft was removed by a ruling of General Crowder, who holds congressmen are absolutely and peremptorily exempt by statute from the draft law and cannot waive their exemption.

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President Wilson signed the joint resolution passed by congress empowering him to establish prohibition zones around shipyards, munitions factories and other war industries.

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Figures on the production and consumption of gasoline, forwarded by the fuel administration to the senate, show there is a large deficit and that orders further curtailing its use may be expected.

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To enable the government to float the forthcoming fourth Liberty loan successfully without raising the interest rate, and otherwise to facilitate the financing of the war, Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo asks congress for immediate legislation. In brief, Mr. McAdoo's proposals are: That interest on fourth Liberty bonds, not to exceed $30,000 principal held by any one owner, shall be exempt from income surtaxes and excess profits and war profits taxes.

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Foreign

Prince Frederick Charles of Hesse has accepted the Finnish crown, says a dispatch from Stockholm. The Finnish diet will meet soon to confirm the acceptance.

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Eleven Englishmen and eleven French citizens have been arrested and imprisoned in the fortress of SS. Peter and Paul in Petrograd, according to apparently reliable information received at Stockholm from the Russian city.

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A dispatch to Washington from the American legation at Christiania said reliable information had reached there that Petrograd was burning in 12 different places, and that there was indiscriminate massacre of people in the streets.

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Julio Acosta, a general with Villa at the time of the Columbus (N. M.) raid, was executed by the home guards command at Las Ceuvas, Chihuahua, Mexico, according to an official statement.

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News received in Paris from Teheran, Persia, confirms reports of the murder of Christians by the Turks. Among the victims were Father Sontag, a French Lararist priest, and several other clergymen.

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A new treaty signed in Berlin between bolsheviki-controlled Russia and Germany provides that if the Russians fight against the allies in the north, Germany will guarantee no attack against Russia by Finland. The bolsheviki promise to pay to Germany about $1,000,000,000.

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Consul General Poole, at Moscow, in a dispatch received at the state department, says he sent his staff and American civilians there out of Russia because feeling is strong in bolshevik controlled territory against Americans.

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Domestic

Lieut. Parker Bruce of Chicago and Lieut. Anthony A. Sego of Kentland, Ind., were instantly killed at Dallas, Tex., when an airplane fell. Lieutenant Bruce was an instructor, while Lieutenant Sego was a flying cadet.

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Eugene V. Debs, Socialist leader, charged with violating the espionage act, was found guilty by a federal jury at Cleveland. The maximum penalty is 20 years' imprisonment and a fine of $10,000.

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The war industries board announces that war relief organizations will continue to receive their supply of knitting yarn to be made into woolen garments for American soldiers and sailors.

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Edward Gardner and his mechanic, Edward Raddle, carrying mail by airplane from Chicago to New York, fell with their machine at Hickville, L. I.

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Four prisoners in the Cook county jail at Chicago, two of them under sentence of death, have escaped. The men are: Early Dear, slayer of a policeman; Frank McErlane, awaiting trial on a charge of kidnaping, and "Big Joe" Moran, safeblower.

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A cent a pound increase in the price of sugar has been authorized by the federal food board at New York. Hereafter prices will range from 11 cents for one pound to 52 cents for five pounds. Old stock on hand must be sold at present rates.

U.S.—Teutonic War News

Friday, the 13th, was the fifty-eighth birthday of General Pershing, now leading the great American drive in France.

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With assurances from every section of the country that the registration of America's millions of men between the ages of eighteen and twenty-one and thirty-two to forty-five, inclusive, had been accomplished on Thursday with precision. Provost Marshal General Crowder turned his attention to the great task of classifying this vast army.

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An American troopship with 2,800 men on board has been torpedoed. All hands were saved by destroyers. The United States navy department announced that the vessel was the White Star liner Persic of 12,043 tons. The troop ship was one of a large convoy approaching the English coast and was about 200 miles out. There was no sign of panic on board. Many of the troops were from Chicago and Cleveland. None was injured.

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American troops of all units have been instructed by General Pershing to kill on the spot any one who in time of battle urges surrender or attempts to persuade them that further resistance is useless. These instructions were made necessary because some one in American uniform during a German attack on Fismette ran among the troops, calling upon them to cease resistance and declaring that the officers advised surrender.

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Provost Marshal General Crowder announced that the first call to the colors of men who registered Thursday will include men in the nineteen and twenty-year-old classes, and in the classes from thirty-two to thirty-six years, inclusive. Questionnaires will go first to registrants within these specified age limits and local boards will be ordered to classify them first in readiness for calls beginning in October.

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Secretary of War Newton D. Baker has arrived safely in France, the war department announced. The secretary's trip, the second he has made to Europe this year, was made aboard a transport. The secretary was accompanied by John D. Ryan, director of aeronautics; Maj. Gen. W. C. Gorgas, surgeon general of the army; Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines, and Lieut. Col. George H. Baird, military aid to the secretary of war.

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Under a new policy of reporting casualties in the American expeditionary forces adopted by the war department, the names of the men wounded will be sent to the United States by courier twice a week, and only the names of the dead and missing will be cabled by General Pershing when the system is fully in effect. General Pershing reported 20,000 slightly wounded Americans up to August 20.

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Such a large proportion of the American casualties in recent actions has been due to gallant attempts to rescue wounded men by unwounded comrades that General Pershing has been compelled to issue a general order calling attention to the fact that the regulations prohibit members of the fighting force to leave their proper positions even for this purpose.

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The claim that their gun crew sank a German submarine of large type 40 miles off Sandy Hook was made by the captain and crew of an American oil tank ship which arrived at an Atlantic port.

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The American steamship Dora, formerly under the Austrian flag, was torpedoed and sunk on September 4, approximately 400 miles off France, as the result of an attack on a cargo convoy, says a dispatch from London. The crew was saved.

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American troops have landed at Archangel to assist the other allied forces there in their campaign for the re-establishment of order in northern Russia. This announcement was authorized by General March, chief of staff.

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Personal

Rev. Jenkin Lloyd Jones, a member of the Ford peace party in 1915, is dead at Tower Hill, his summer home on the Wisconsin river. He was a militant pacifist, preacher, social worker and lecturer.

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European War News

Ukrainian peasants wiped out a German garrison and occupied Brusilovka, according to a dispatch to Stockholm from Kieff.

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Petrovsk has been taken from the Germans and Turks by troops under General Ebicharakhoff, it was learned at London. Petrovsk is on the west shore of the Caspian sea.

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Russian peasants who revolted against the bolshevik government a few days ago are reported to have entered Petrograd and to have been joined by a large part of the population, says a dispatch to London from Copenhagen to the Central News Agency.

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That the Germans are using women as military aviators is indicated in a report from France that in a machine recently brought down by the Americans the pilot, who was killed, was a woman.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Pillager.—The Pillager Cass county fair is to be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 19, 20 and 21.

St. Cloud.—While farmers in this locality did not seem to have great difficulty in harvesting their crops, labor now seems to be scarce for threshing rigs.

Crookston.—Rev. J. O. Ensrud, who for three years was pastor of the Lutheran Synod church of this city, has been appointed chaplain of the naval training school at Great Lakes, Ill.

St. Cloud.—Sheriff Schoener took Norman Johnson and Henry Blaisdell to Fort Snelling to be inducted into the service immediately. These two men were picked up in the slacker raid here.

Brainerd.—The Brainerd Co-operative Creamery building has been completed, machinery is being installed and it is expected the creamery will be opened in ten days, which will be made the occasion of a farmers' rally here.

St. Joseph.—Chris Stich's threshing outfit, working at the Fred Schroeder farm, near here, is operated by women, with the exception of the engineer and separator man. The only other job on the machine which is not being filled by women is that of stacker. The women even have charge of the bagging of grain.

Stillwater.—"The Twin City Forge & Foundry company has received an order from the United States government to machine 375,000 additional 155 m.m. shells of 6.1 inches in size. This in addition to government orders already on hand gives us a contract for 600,000 shells," said President George H. Atwood of the company.

Tyler.—A plan for the resumption of retail business at Tyler, which was visited by a disastrous tornado on the night of August 21, has been approved by the business men and work has been commenced on a community store building. Each business firm will be given space in the new building. The three banks have already opened for business.

Minneapolis.—Increases over last year, 9,593,000 bushels in corn and 5,892,000 bushels in spring wheat, are indicated in the latest bulletin on Minnesota's 1918 crop, issued by the Department of Agriculture and based on crop conditions Sept. 1. Speaking generally, the report says: "Perhaps never, or at least not for many years, has Minnesota been blessed with agricultural prosperity as this year."

St. Paul.—The entire draft machinery of the state was turned loose in tracing one soldier's meal ticket with a value of 60 cents. The ticket, No. 2015025, is lost, or at least no record of it is on file in the Adjutant General's office. Local boards were told to search their records for the book containing the missing ticket. The search illustrates the thoroughness with which Uncle Sam keeps track of his property.

C. H. Eckles, of the college of agriculture, University of Missouri, has accepted the position recently vacated by H. H. Kildee, as head of the dairy husbandry division, department of agriculture, University of Minnesota. Professor Eckles has held a leading place among dairy husbandry men in the United States. Professor Eckles is 43 years old. He was born in Marshalltown, Iowa, and is a graduate of Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa, class of 1895.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission refused to approve telephone installation charges proposed by telephone companies, declaring them excessive and unjustifiable. The commission also forwarded a protest to Postmaster General A. S. Burleson against making the Federal order, which provides for a "readiness to serve" or installation charge of $5 to $15, depending upon the monthly rental of the service required by the subscriber, effective in Minnesota.

The age limit for students entering the school of agriculture, University of Minnesota, has been reduced from 17 to 16 years as a war measure. The reduction in the age limit has been made in order to open the way for more Minnesota boys to make special preparation for farm work, and was brought about by the new army law, cutting the draft age to 18 years. The school will open Oct. 28 for a five months' session. Special courses for shorter periods also will be offered.

"Consumers as well as some dealers seem to have misunderstood the new wheat flour regulations," says A. D. Wilson, Federal food administrator for Minnesota. "The statement that the 50-50 rule for the purchase of substitutes has been changed to an 80-20 rule seems to be the cause for the confusion. Many persons believe that they can now buy five pounds of standard wheat flour with every one pound of substitutes. This is not the case. The 80-20 rule means four pounds of wheat flour with every one pound of substitutes."

Winona.—E. G. Toan, principal of the Medford, Wis., schools for several years until last spring, now of Dover, Minn., was instantly killed and his wife fatally injured when a Chicago & Northwestern passenger train struck their automobile on a crossing near Dover.

St. Cloud.—Maurice Kohn, a Holdingford merchant, was arrested by State Food Inspector J. A. Anderson on the charge of shipping eggs unfit to use, brought here and fined $100 and $10.75 costs. Kohn blamed employees for not "candling" the eggs properly.

MRS. C. W. MILLER

Y. W. C. A. War Work Leader for Sixth District.

Wadena is to be the center of the war work for the Y. W. C. A. for the sixth district and Mrs. C. W. Miller of that city will be the leader. The district includes the counties of Clay, Becker, Hubbard, Cass, Crow Wing, Morrison, Todd, Ottertail and Wilkin. Mrs. Miller is one of the large group of Minnesota women who has enlisted in the war-time services of the Association.

St. Cloud.—The boiler room of the Preiss brewery, located in a building adjoining the brewery, was partially destroyed by fire.

Mankato.—Frank Oranger, a teamster of this city, was struck by an automobile while working on the road south of the city, knocked down and suffered severe bruises and injuries.

Little Falls.—Machine Inspector Morgan has condemned two threshing rigs in Morrison county. One machine was wasting grain and the other had not been repaired to do proper work.

St. Paul.—Dr. Egil Boeckman of St. Paul, son-in-law of the late James J. Hill, has been notified of his appointment as captain in the army medical corps. He will leave in a few days for Camp Grant, Ill., where he has been assigned to duty.

Bongard.—Mrs. J. D. Krause was instantly killed and her husband seriously injured when the automobile in which they were riding overturned. Mr. Krause is not expected to live. He was formerly a member of the house of representatives from Carver county.

Stillwater.—All former records in turning out shells at the Twin City Forge & Foundry company plant here for an eight-hour period were beaten one day recently when 210 first-class shells were turned out by the shell department employes there on what is known as the "daylight" shift.

Red Wing.—Ed Crowley, La Crosse saloonkeeper, riding on the same train from the Twin Cities with some drafted men en route to Camp Grant, passed a bottle of whisky among the boys and was arrested when the train arrived here. As he was intoxicated he was allowed to go on paying a $5 fine.

Bemidji.—Fire originating in the store of Woods & Atwater destroyed the business section of Graceton, a village 12 miles west of Baudette. Besides the Woods & Atwater store, a restaurant and the store of Knutson & Lilua were burned down. The loss exceeds $10,000 and is partly covered by insurance.

Minneapolis.—James Jacobson, 42 years old, formerly a restaurant keeper, shot and killed his housekeeper, Mrs. Alma Smith, at his residence, and then turned the weapon on himself and inflicted two wounds in his head. At the Minneapolis City hospital it was said that his condition is serious and little hope is held out for his recovery.

St. Paul.—Rupert Kinney of Lamoure county, North Dakota, filed in United States district court suit for $50,000 damages on behalf of himself and $30,000 for his wife against 18 residents of Pine county, Minn., for injuries alleged to have been received in a "tar and feather party" at Willow River, Minn., last June. Attorneys for the Nonpartisan league filed the suit.

St. Paul.—The State Public Safety commission has referred to State Auditor Preus without recommendation proposals for the reclamation of state land in northern Minnesota, with a purpose of furnishing farms to returning soldiers. The action was taken in connection with a drainage project in Beltrami county, where much state owned land is located. Mr. Preus already has advocated that action by the state be deferred until definite plan for application to all states alike is worked out by a federal board.

Thief River Falls.—V. B. Vye, special investigator for the state food administration, has been in Thief River Falls looking into any case of violation of regulations. He found that nothing more serious than minor infractions, caused through a lack of understanding, could be reported.

Bemidji.—A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Mayne Stanton here Aug. 11. Mr. Stanton, at the time of the baby's birth, was at Quantico with the marines, getting ready to go abroad to fight. Mr. Stanton is the son of Judge C. W. Stanton and a well-known newspaper man.

UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER ONLY BASIS OF PEACE

Secretary Lansing Gives Allied Position on Austrian Note in No Uncertain Terms.

U. S. SENT QUICK REPLY

Document Formulated Within a Half Hour After Proposal Received—Tantamount to Reply for All Allied Powers.

Washington, Sept. 17.—The United States, as was fully expected, has unconditionally rejected Germany's peace feeler. In doing so the government has spoken for the cobelligerents.

Almost immediately after receiving the Austrian government's note from the minister from Sweden, Secretary Lansing issued this formal statement:

"I am authorized by the president to say that the following will be the reply of this government to the Austro-Hungarian note proposing an official conference of belligerents. The government of the United States feels that there is *only one reply* which it can make to the suggestion of the imperial Austro-Hungarian government. It has repeatedly and with entire candor stated the terms upon which the United States would consider peace and can and will entertain no proposal for a conference upon a matter concerning which it has made its position and purpose so plain."

Reply Came Without Delay.

Mr. Lansing's statement was given out within half an hour after he had received the Austrian proposals. It would have been forthcoming almost immediately upon the delivery of the Austrian note had it not been found necessary, in order to avoid the possibility of grave error, to make a careful comparison between the official text and that which was received in news dispatches from Amsterdam.

Thus emphasis was added to the declination, if any were needed, the quickness of the reply indicating the existence of no shadow of doubt in the administration as to what it should be. As soon as Mr. Lansing's reply can be put in form it will be handed to the Swedish minister for transmission to Austria.

America Speaks for All.

The secretary's reply, under agreements previously existing between the belligerents, will be virtually effective for each of the allied powers, although each may issue its own note along similar lines.

AMERICANS DID HEAVY WORK

West Flank of St. Mihiel Salient Beset With Great Difficulties.

With the American Army in Lorraine, Sept. 17.—Difficulties almost unbelievable were overcome by the Franco-American troops who attacked the Germans on the western flank of the St. Mihiel salient. The heaviest fighting occurred on this flank, as elsewhere along the line of last week's offensive the Germans retreated with little opposition.

The attackers had to storm and pass forests and thickets which were almost a solid mass of barbed wire. They had to traverse roads cut by many trenches and were opposed not only by men and all the machinery of war but by nature as well. However, they accomplished the almost incredible feat of breaking through. Behind them they left torn masses of wire, ruined roadways and wooded hills belted with concrete forts.

It probably is not an underestimate to assume that the Americans in obliterating the St. Mihiel salient reduced the enemy's strength by the equivalent of four divisions.

LIGHT DAY ON WEST FRONT

Patrol and Artillery Action Mark Monday's Work.

With the American Forces on the Lorraine Front, Sept. 17.—Aside from slightly increased artillery activity, yesterday was largely devoted to patrolling on both sides.

The Germans seemingly are holding the Hindenburg line, from which they are sending out patrols, while Americans and French continued to feel out the line by the same method.

German infantry has been observed consolidating positions at La Chaussee as if in preparation for a counter attack, but none so far has developed. Near this point the enemy is occupying shell holes.

The German artillery fire is limited chiefly to guns of the 77 and 105 millimetre calibre, but many of the shells are "duds."

Poles Would Help Siberia.

Harbin, Sept. 17.—A movement exceeding, perhaps, that of the Czeco-Slovaks, is being organized by Polish officers to form a Polish division to fight in Siberia westward to their oppressed fatherland as integral units in the American army. According to conservative estimates, an army of more than 100,000 trained militarists is immediately available in the regions of Harbin, Nikolsk and Vladivostok. Large corps of railway men also can be utilized if necessary to take over the Chinese Eastern railway.

AUSTRIA WANTS A PEACE CONFAB

Proposal for Tentative Conference Is Made to the Allied Powers.

NOT TO STOP THE WAR

Immediate Cessation of Fighting Not Contemplated in Note—"Confidential and Unbinding Discussion" Is Urged.

Amsterdam, Sept. 16.—The Austro-Hungarian government has invited all belligerent governments to enter into non-binding discussions at some neutral meeting place with a view to bring about peace.

The Holy See and all neutral nations also will be notified.

An official statement from Vienna, making the above announcement, has been received here.

In extending an invitation to all belligerent governments to enter into non-binding discussions at some neutral place, the Austro-Hungarian government stated that the object of the conference would be to secure an exchange of views which would show "whether those pre-requisites exist which would make a speedy inauguration of peace negotiations promising."

"No Interruption of the War."

The Austro-Hungarian proposal suggests that there be no interruption of the war and that "discussions would go only so far as considered by the participants to offer prospects of success." The proposal calls for all the belligerents to send delegates for confidential and unbinding discussion on the basic principles for a conclusion of peace, in a place in a neutral country and at a near date that would yet have to be agreed upon.

London Receives Note.

London, Sept. 16.—It is understood that the British government has received the Austro-Hungarian peace note, and also a proposal, previously referred to, that all powers should withdraw their troops from Murman territory. It is also learned that Germany has made a peace offer to Belgium.

PROGRESS ON WEST FRONT

Pershing Makes Gains, and French Advance at Laon.

Washington, Sept. 16.—General Pershing's army is making fine progress in its drive following the close of the St. Mihiel salient, and since yesterday afternoon it has advanced from two to three miles on a 33-mile front, and the guns of Metz have come into action against it. The enemy appears to be withdrawing to some further line which will protect railway communications in the vicinity of Metz, which at present are under the long range fire of American guns.

Marshal Foch followed up the incisive stroke of the Americans, which wiped out the St. Mihiel salient, by launching an offensive on the French front along the bend in the line around Laon.

The blow took immediate effect on the German lines, pushing them back from one to two miles at points in this important sector where it is well nigh imperative to hold fast if they hope to retain control of any considerable part of northern France during the coming winter.

BOLSHEVIK PLOT IN U. S.

Nation-wide Plan Disclosed in Confession of Russians at Detroit.

Detroit, Sept. 16.—Plans for the enrollment in Detroit of 20,000 Russians with Bolsheviki tendencies for the purpose of harassing the government war program and starting a country-wide revolution have been revealed by confessions of three Russians, arrested with five others at a Russian boarding house, according to federal officials. The Russians, in the alleged confessions, were urged to persuade their countrymen not to register for the draft, to hinder munition making, to withdraw their money from banks and to sell their Liberty bonds. Receipts found in the possession of some of the men show payments made to Bolsheviki banks in Russia.

Battle With Alleged Draft Evaders.

Eau Claire, Wis., Sept. 16.—One man was killed and six were wounded tonight near Owen in a pitched battle between members of the Home Guard and farmers on one side and two alleged draft evaders. Hundreds of shots were exchanged. The house of the draft evaders was surrounded by a hundred Home Guards. The battle grew out of the attempt of officers to arrest three sons of Mrs. Louise Kreuger, who live on a farm at Withy, near Owen.

Influenza Spreads in Eastern Towns.

Ayer, Mass., Sept. 16.—One thousand cases of influenza have been reported at Camp Devens by the division surgeon, Lieut. Col. McCormack. Death has occurred in only one case and in that pneumonia complications were present. The influenza is also epidemic in towns surrounding Brockton in this state. Nearly 300 cases have been reported by physicians in North Abington and several hundred also are reported in Rockland and Holbrook. Production in shoe factories in all three towns is greatly hampered.

NOW RAISES 600 CHICKENS

After Being Relieved of Organic Trouble by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oregon, Ill.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for an organic trouble which pulled me down until I could not put my foot to the floor and could scarcely do my work, and as I live on a small farm and raise six hundred chickens every year it made it very hard for me.

"I saw the Compound advertised in our paper, and tried it. It has restored my health so I can do all my work and I am so grateful that I am recommending it to my friends."—Mrs. D. M. Alters, R. R. 4, Oregon, Ill.

Only women who have suffered the tortures of such troubles and have dragged along from day to day can realize the relief which this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, brought to Mrs. Alters.

Women everywhere in Mrs. Alters' condition should profit by her recommendation, and if there are any complications write Lydia E. Pinkham's Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice. The result of their 40 years experience is at your service.

Skin Tortured Babies Sleep After Cuticura

All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

Peat and Chalk for Fuel.

Peat and chalk are being extensively used for briqueting in Canada. Such fuel has been found efficient and economical.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

NOT REALLY WAR ESSENTIAL

Authorities Think Shoppers Can Get Along Without Toy Wagons in Which to Carry Home Goods.

R. L. Flood of the quartermaster's corps of the United States army, assigned to work with the Indiana state fuel administration in establishing coal shipment priority for industries engaged in the manufacture of materials essential to the carrying on of the war, recently sent questionnaires to each factory owner in the state, asking information regarding the nature of work being done at the factories. He asked the owners to give their reasons for believing their output should be classed as essential and receive coal priority.

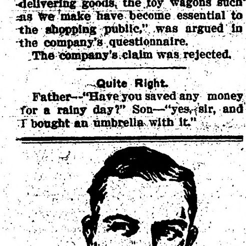
One company engaged in the manufacture of little "express wagons" on which small boys may be seen coasting in every city, presented the claim that it should be placed on the priority list.

"Since the cash-and-carry plan went into effect and merchants have stopped delivering goods, the toy wagons such as we make have become essential to the shopping public," was argued in the company's questionnaire.

The company's claim was rejected.

Quite Right.

Father—"Have you saved any money for a rainy day?" Son—"yes, sir, and I bought an umbrella with it."



I'LL TAKE POSTUM!

—you hear it more and more when one is asked what he'll have for his morning drink.

Delightful aroma and taste, and freedom from the discomforts that go with coffee.

Nourishing, healthful, economical.

NO WASTE at all—an important item these days. Give INSTANT POSTUM a trial.

BALLOON IN WAR DOES GREAT WORK

"ELEPHANTS" USED FOR OBSERVATION AND TO DIRECT FIRE OF BATTERIES.

PILOTS PARACHUTE JUMPERS

Thousand Community Labor Boards Have Been Organized—Gun Production for Army Grows Rapidly—Iron Rations Ordered.

(From Committee on Public Information.)

Washington.—Up to a few years ago, in the public mind, all balloons were associated with parachute jumpers, county fairs and circuses. They were used very much like their rival the old side show, full of freaks, solely to draw a crowd. Today Uncle Sam is making balloons and training their operators for distinctly another purpose. The ungainly old balloon of circus days is now a rival of its smarter and more modern brother, the airplane, in the job of being eyes for the army and navy. A dead industry was revived when the war balloon was originated.

Swinging far aloft at the end of a cable, these "elephants," as they are now called, support trained observers who, by means of powerful field glasses and telephones, give range and direction to batteries. These in turn, with well directed shots, put enemy batteries out of business and break up infantry forming for attack. A stationary balloon four or five thousand feet in the air is an ideal place for an observer.

So Uncle Sam's parachute jumpers are being instructed today, not as entertainers to draw and thrill crowds by "leaps from the clouds," but for their own personal safety and the safety of their records made at high elevations, when a shell or an enemy airplane rips their balloon and they have to jump. For although their balloon may be destroyed, the men in the basket usually come safely to earth and bring their maps and photographs with them. It is a life full of excitement these men of the balloon lead, and to be a member one has to have plenty of nerve, courage and daring in his makeup.

Aviators take off their hats to the balloon men. One recently returned American air pilot told of an adventure he had on a trial trip in a balloon; how interested he was becoming in the work of the observer as the latter explained the great panorama outstretched below him; when suddenly the balloon man interrupted his talk to see that his parachute straps were O. K., climbed to the edge of the basket, shouted: "Beat it; follow me," and disappeared over the side. The aviator said he took one look at the windlass pulling the balloon to earth below, another at the oncoming enemy plane and said to himself, "Not for mine." He said he did not have the courage to jump and did not. Fortunately the enemy plane was beaten off by allied planes before it could get any nearer.

Provost Marshal General Crowder was requested by the British embassy to give notice to the fact that British subjects, including declarants, who had registered before July 30, 1918, may enlist voluntarily in the British or Canadian army up to and including September 28, 1918. Those who registered on August 24, 1918, may so enlist up to and including September 23, 1918. Those who register on September 12, 1918, may so enlist up to and including October 12, 1918.

During the period so allowed for voluntary enlistment, British subjects may apply for exemption to the British ambassador.

At the end of the period allowed for voluntary enlistment, British subjects, in each of these classes, may no longer enlist in the British or Canadian army; but unless exempted by the British ambassador, they become liable to military service and may claim exemption under the United States Selective Service law.

Experiments in laundering shoes are being conducted at various camps by the conservation reclamation division of the quartermaster corps. The method used is the same employed by the American expeditionary forces.

A solution composed of one quart of strong disinfectant to 50 gallons of water was used to wash about 200 army shoes in a standard laundry machine. The solution used is germicide, antiseptic and deodorant. After 14 minutes' washing, the shoes were removed, dried for about an hour and then resoled. The results were found to be highly satisfactory. After the shoes are laundered and repaired they are greased with dubbing to make them more pliable and at the same time to preserve the leather.

Save a nutshell to help save a life! Nuts, the shells of nuts and seeds and pits of several varieties of fruits are needed in quantity supply to make carbon for use in gas masks or respirators for our soldiers.

Coconut shells have furnished the material for this carbon, but the supply of such shells is wholly inadequate.

The seed and pits of peaches, prunes, dates, apricots, plums, olives and cherries, and English or native walnuts, hickory nuts, butternuts and their shells, and Brazil nut shells, are the best substitutes for the coconut shells.

Recent reports show that approximately 1,000 community labor boards of the United States employment service have been organized or are in final process of organization. Between 700 and 800 of them are ready to function and some already have begun work.

Full and partial returns from 39 states and the District of Columbia give a total of 915 boards completed or in formation while four other states, two of them large industrial commonwealths, report the organization of boards but not the number. The five remaining states failed to report.

Each community labor board is composed of three members, one representing the community's employers, the second it employees and the third, who is chairman, the United States employment service. The employers' and employees' members are chosen by their respective local organizations, their appointment being approved by the director general of the employment service. It is the work of the community boards to generally supervise the recruitment and distribution of workers for war production, the actual recruiting and distributing being done by the local offices and agents of the employment service, including the agents of the public service reserve.

The federal directors of employment for the states have been notified by the director general to rush the organization of the boards for their states and their functioning as quickly as possible in order to provide relief for short-handed war industries.

Some facts about guns and munitions told by the secretary of war:

We are constructing a big gun plant at Neville Island. We signed a contract with United States Steel corporation to build and operate without profit this plant for guns of the larger calibers. This is the biggest plant of this kind ever conceived and will build guns of not less than 14 inch. The site is just below Pittsburgh and covers about 1,000 acres. The housing will be on the hills south of the island. The amount of money involved is $150,000,000 which is being supplied by the United States government. This plant will handle a tremendous amount of material, and will be retained by the government after the war.

We have shipped two hundred and fifty 155-mm. howitzers to France.

We are producing between 25,000 and 30,000 machine guns per month. Of Browning heavy 6,000 to 7,000; Browning light automatic rifle from 8,000 to 9,000 per month.

We are making about 1,200 motor tractors per month.

We are turning out all the smokeless power we need now.

The production of rifles has been about 200,000 per month.

We produce more than 50,000 pistols and revolvers per month.

Orders have been given for the supply of one million emergency rations by the subsistence division of the quartermaster corps. The emergency ration corresponds to the iron ration of the British troops. It is carried in an air-tight, gas-proof container and is sufficient to maintain a man for one day, sustaining his full strength and vigor. It is strapped in the pack of the soldier going over the top and may be used only according to the instructions given when the emergency ration is issued.

The emergency ration is composed of ground meat and wheat compressed into a cake. There is also a block of sweet chocolate. The bread and wheat component may be eaten dry or, if possible, stirred into cold water. The cake, when boiled for five minutes in three pints of water, results in a very palatable soup, or when boiled in one pint of water for five minutes it makes porridge which may be eaten hot or cold. When cold, it may be sliced and fried, if bacon or other fat is available. The chocolate component of the emergency ration may be eaten dry or made into hot chocolate.

The quartermaster corps has just completed purchases of large quantities of foodstuffs for distribution by the American Red Cross. The food will be shipped to France, Switzerland and Denmark and used for civilian relief and at prison camps.

The order includes more than 2,500,000 pounds of hard bread; 250,000 pounds of oatmeal; 333,333 pounds of fresh beef and more than 500,000 cans of baked beans. Purchases also have been made for the Red Cross of 205,000 cans of fish flakes. These flakes are a combination of haddock and shad. About 350 pounds of fresh fish are required to make 100 pounds of fish flakes.

Purchases also are being made by the subsistence division of the quartermaster corps of foodstuffs for use at American rest camps in England and France. Purchase for rest camps include more luxuries than are issued in the regular ration. Owing to the shortage of tonnage, canned corn and peas and other fancy staples are not now being sent overseas for general use, but sufficient quantities are available for men in rest camps and for the wounded in the hospitals.

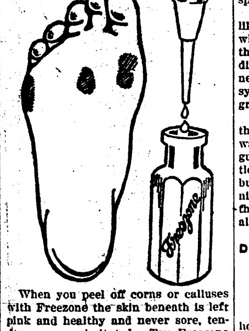
More than 400 colleges have responded to the war department's call for co-operation in training the new branch of the army, the students' army training corps. Plans are being made to convert fraternity houses and dormitories into barracks for the period of the war.

The S. A. T. C. has two branches, the collegiate, to which men qualified by high school graduation are eligible; and the vocational section, to which grammar school graduates are eligible. Recruits will be procured by voluntary induction.

"HARD SKIN" AND FOOT CALLUSES

Magic! Peel them off without pain or soreness

Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops on the toughened calluses or "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift those painful spots right off with fingers. Corns also!



When you peel off corns or calluses with Freezone the skin beneath is left pink and healthy and never sore, tender or even irritated. Try Freezone sure!—Adv.

HARDLY WHAT YOU EXPECTED

Story Reads Like Opening Lines of an Elinor Glyn Novel, but You Will Find It Isn't.

It would have been the night before Christmas—had Christmas fallen on the following day. However, it didn't. But no matter. She was expectant that he would come that night to make her a proposal. Things must be talked over. She wondered how her husband would feel if the worst came to the worst.

He arrived. She led him into the parlor and bade him be seated. Not a word was exchanged for a moment. She looked toward the door expectantly, but in vain. Then she turned her gaze on the man. How old he looked; how careworn.

He met her gaze. He did not flinch. He opened his mouth as if to speak, but his lips closed again as he heard footsteps approaching the door. The husband entered the room.

"I have been thinking it over," said the man, as the husband took a seat near him, "and I don't see how I can possibly paper the dining room and kitchen for less than $15."—Indianapolis News.

Soft, Clear Skins.

Night and morning bathe the face with Cuticura Soap and hot water. If there are pimples first smear them with Cuticura Ointment. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." Sold by druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

"Cannon Fodder."

"At Belleau, with three of my men, we ran into a bunch of twenty Germans. They shouted 'Kamerad!' but changed their minds and began to shoot. We rushed them with bayonets. We brought back two prisoners."

"I know about the prisoners, but did you kill a German yourself?"

"Yes; I killed three, one with my bayonet, which broke; one with the butt of my rifle and one with this trench knife."

"Did they kill any of your men in the close in-fight?"

"No, they can't fight unless they're all together and have machine guns and grenades."—A Serbian Sergeant to Don Martin.

Naturally.

"Doesn't he write machine poetry?"

"Yes, it's mostly about automobiles."

FORTY LANGUAGES IN CAMP

Necessity of One Tongue Has Renewed Efforts to Establish Schools for Immigrants.

Recently an accurate census was taken concerning the different languages spoken by soldiers training in Camp Devens, Mass., which showed that 40 languages were spoken by the men in that camp. There were 2,269 men whose habitual speech is French; 1,354 who speak Italian, and so on down to the relatively few who speak Japanese, Serbian, Egyptian, Persian, Assyrian, Flemish and Arabic. Of special interest were the 625 men who speak German.

This is just one solution to a puzzle like that. There must be one language which all understand and of necessity that language is English. The facts disclosed by this investigation have renewed the efforts made to establish a system of schools to teach every immigrant the English language.

In the co-operative efforts in which the whole nation is engaged, such as war and many other things, one language is a necessity. Very little attention has been paid to that in the past, but the importance of it is being recognized among all classes of thinkers at the present time.—Omaha World-Herald.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Keen-Eyed Bellboy.

A keen-eyed bellboy at the Lincoln hotel and a man's hat prevented a serious loss to Mrs. D. Scott, 315 East Twenty-fifth street, one evening recently, relates the Indianapolis News.

Mrs. Scott was resting on the mezzanine floor with some friends after dinner, enjoying the music and trying to keep cool and comfortable. She was comfortable enough but not so cool. In wiping the perspiration from her hands she pulled off a diamond solitaire, which fell down in the lobby. Mrs. Scott and her party got downstairs hurriedly and soon guests, musicians, bellboys and all joined in the search for the missing ring.

The search revealed nothing until one of the bellboys became inquisitive about a man's hat that was leaning up against a column. There the ring was, inside the hat, and Mrs. Scott went away rejoicing.

WHY WOMEN DREAD OLD AGE

Don't worry about old age. Don't worry about being in other people's way when you are getting on in years. Keep your body in good condition and you can be as hale and hearty in your old days as you were when a kid, and every one will be glad to see you.

The kidneys and bladder are the causes of senile afflictions. Keep them clean and in proper working condition. Drive the poisonous wastes from the system and avoid uric acid accumulations. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules periodically and you will find that the system will always be in perfect working order. Your spirits will be enlivened, your muscles made strong and your face have once more the look of youth and health.

New life, fresh strength and health will come as you continue this treatment. When your first vigor has been restored continue for awhile taking a capsule or two each day. They will keep you in condition and prevent a return of your troubles.

There is only one guaranteed brand of Haarlem Oil Capsules, GOLD MEDAL. There are many fakes on the market. Be sure you get the Original GOLD MEDAL Imported Haarlem Oil Capsules. They are the only reliable. For sale by all first-class druggists.—Adv.

He Had a Better One.

George received a most wonderful tin soldier for his birthday present. It moved its arms up and down, holding a gun, and walked about when wound up with a key. George was very selfish with his toy, and at last little seven-year-old Dean, his neighbor, exclaimed in disgusted tones, "I don't want your old soldier that can only move when wound up. I've got a real meat soldier in my family."

Cincinnati has a deaf and dumb barber, but with the aid of a phonograph he manages to pull through.

We often hear of a middle-aged man but never of a middle-aged woman. A woman is either young or old.

Suffered For Years

Back and Kidneys Were in Bad Shape, But Doan's Removed all the Trouble.

"My kidneys were so weak that the least cold I caught would affect them and start my back aching until I could hardly endure the misery," says Mrs. D. C. Ross, 973 Fulton St., Brooklyn, N. Y. "In the morning when I first got up, my back was so lame, I could hardly bend over and any move sent darts of pain through my kidneys. It was hard for me to walk up stairs or stoop, and to move while lying down sent darts of pain through me.

"The kidney secretions were scanty and distressing and the water remained in my system, making my feet and hands swell. There were dark circles under my eyes and I became so dizzy I could hardly see. I had rheumatic pains in my knees and it was all I could do to get around. For years I was in that shape and I wore plasters and used all kinds of medicine to no avail until I tried *Doan's Kidney Pills*. They rid me of the trouble and strengthened my back and kidneys. When I have taken *Doan's* since, they have always benefited me."

Sworn to before me.

L. N. VAUGHAN, *Notary Public.*

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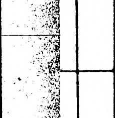

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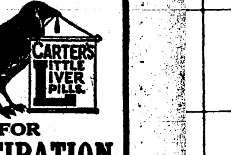

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have stood the test of time. Purely vegetable. Wonderfully quick to banish biliousness, headache, indigestion and to clear up a bad complexion.

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Generally indicate a lack of Iron in the Blood

Carter's Iron Pills

Will help this condition

Shotwell Floral Co.

Growers and shippers of cut flowers, plants, etc. Write for catalog. Funeral designs on short notice. Phone day or night. Fargo, N. D.

In the Dark.

A colored minister was about to lead his congregation in prayer when suddenly the floor of the church sank a foot, causing a commotion among the parishioners. The preacher was equal to the occasion and quickly quieted his flock by solemnly saying:

"Stay just whar yo' all is, my people, de Lawd is wif' you!"

Immediately a big Mose Peters jumped upon a pew and shouted:

"Misto' preacher, if de Lawd was wif' me just now, den who all's done took me' fo' bits in dis heah low-down bunch o' blackberries!"—Cartoons Magazine.

One way to dodge the divorce courts is to stay single.

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With that gassy, puffy feeling, and hurting near your heart? For Quick Relief—Take ONE

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Senior—"I thought that professor was a bookworm." Junior—"He was until an early bird of a co-ed came along."

Rather Weak.

Claire—Is Bob his uncle's only heir?

Jack—If he was the old gent would suffocate in five minutes.

When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy

No Smarting — Just Eye Comfort. 60 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Quite a Difference.

Bill Bashem was not a safe person to deal with. On the contrary, he dealt with safes; but the lady visitor to the slums was not to know this.

"So," she said to Bill's little son, "they've put your father away for safe keeping?"

"Nah! Fer safe-breakin'!" replied the grubby one, with a wink.

A wise man knows all he tells, but he never tells all he knows.

The man who is really good often has a sad look that is discouraging.

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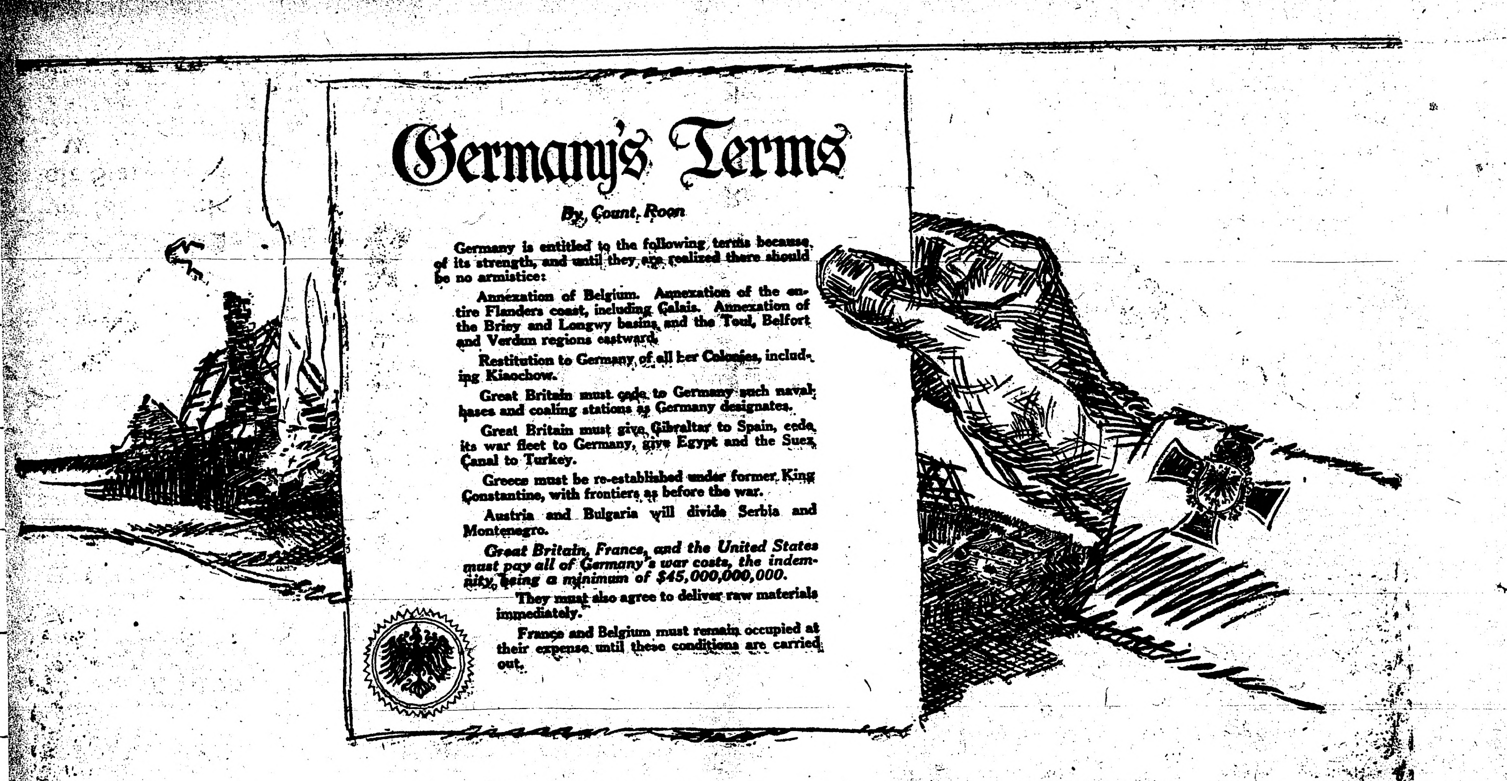

Germany's Terms

By Count Roon

Germany is entitled to the following terms because of its strength, and until they are realized there should be no armistice:

Annexation of Belgium. Annexation of the entire Flanders coast, including Calais. Annexation of the Briey and Longwy basins and the Toul, Belfort and Verdun regions eastward.

Restitution to Germany of all her Colonies, including Kiaochow.

Great Britain must cede to Germany such naval bases and coaling stations as Germany designates.

Great Britain must give Gibraltar to Spain, cede its war fleet to Germany, give Egypt and the Suez Canal to Turkey.

Greece must be re-established under former King Constantine, with frontiers as before the war.

Austria and Bulgaria will divide Serbia and Montenegro.

Great Britain, France, and the United States must pay all of Germany's war costs, the indemnity being a minimum of $45,000,000,000.

They must also agree to deliver raw materials immediately.

France and Belgium must remain occupied at their expense until these conditions are carried out.

How Are You Going To Answer Germany's Peace Terms?

THE greatest advertisement for the Fourth Liberty Loan of the United States of America has been written by a Prussian.

His name is Count Roon and he wrote it as a member of the Prussian House of Lords. It is printed above. Read it carefully.

Forty-five billion dollars or more indemnity!

This, then, is the price the world must pay for a victorious German peace. This, then, is the footnote to the Kaiser's prayer, expressed in the coldest terms of plainest business.

This is the meaning of war to the Prussian, as he proclaims his battles righteous, prosecuted in self-defense.

Oh, you men and women of America, is there a dollar in all this land to-day so tightly held that it will not now come forth to answer the swaggering arrogance of the Hun?

These days will tell, for as you place your name upon that subscription blank for Liberty Bonds you state the price your land, your liberty and democracy are worth to you today.

Now how are *you* going to answer the "peace terms" of the kaiser and his band of murdering buccaneers?

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on by I. R. Parsons

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TUESDAY OCTOBER 1, LIBERTY LOAN DAY Dont Forget

The Holt Weekly News
Successor to and Continuation of
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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Liberty Loan Day Tuesday Oct. 1

Ed. Nelson was a Warroad visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Americk visited in T. R. Falls Tuesday.

B. J. Bakke returned home Tuesday from a business trip to the twin cities.

Emil Johnson went to Alvarado Wednesday to work for his brother-in-law Mr. Momberg.

Miss Evelyn Wegge returned home Thursday from an extended visit with relatives at York N. D.

The Red Cross will serve lunch at the school house in Holt, Liberty Loan Day, Tuesday Oct. 1st.

John Stenrud of T. R. Falls and Hans Stenrud of Mud Lake visited J. E. Erickson Friday afternoon.

Misses Anna Reierson and Minnie Rux returned Tuesday from Dakota where they have been working in a cook car.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes and little daughter and Grandpa Swenson went to Erskine Friday for a few days visit.

Miss Grace Aarestad of Grace City, N. Dak., came Friday to visit at the home of her uncle, H. J. Olen and family.

A business meeting of the Red Cross, Holt auxiliary, will be held at the school house to-night, Sept. 27. Everyone should attend.

The boys in France are giving life itself, for us who stay at home. Let us remember this next Tuesday, also that buying Liberty Bonds is not giving anything to anybody, but is simply Loaning Money to the best Government on earth.

We have a supply of application blanks for ballots for soldiers, which are to be filled out and sent to the county auditor, who will then send a ballot to the soldier or sailor, who then can vote the same as were he at home. Send before its too late.

Miss Elsie Lawson is located at Elkton Minn. this year, where she will teach Domestic science and graded work in a new consolidated school which employs six or seven teachers. Miss Lawson anticipates a very pleasant year and her many friends wish her success.

Everyone is now required to go to the Liberty Loan Committee Oct. 1st and buy their bond, instead of the Committee running after them as on former occasions. The Government wants the ladies and children to have some of these bonds too and two ladies have been appointed in each village and township to sell bonds and the Red Cross will sell the coffee and lunches.

Take Warning!

On Monday of this week we received notice from the Pulp and Paper Section of the War Industries Board that publishers of country weekly newspapers must stop all subscriptions that are more than three months past due. That means that if you owe us for more than three months for your paper that we shall be obliged to stop your copy of the Holt Weekly News after Oct. 25th, when the ruling goes into effect.

A sworn statement will be required of each publisher on Nov. 1st and if the rulings of the War Industries Board are not being obeyed, the publishers will not be allowed to buy paper from any of the manufacturers and will therefore have to quit business.

We urge all who are back on their subscriptions to pay up promptly and save us the work and expense of sending them statements.

A Get To-gether Meeting.

The Young Peoples Society of the Free Mission church in junction with the Society from Newfolden will hold services and give a sacred program Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, after which lunch will be served.

Are you a Bond Buyer.

Mr. Russell visited J. E. Erickson Sunday morning.

Willie Rux went to Middle Rivet on business Tuesday.

Carl Christoferson was a Warren business visitor Saturday.

The ladies gave Mrs. Swan a birthday surprise party Monday.

Five passenger Buick automobile for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.

Tuesday Oct. 1st is to be observed as Liberty Loan Day thru out the county.

August Kuehne visited at the Albin Knauf home in T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Nels Gudvangen received a card last week Thursday stating that his brother John had arrived safely in France.

We learn from The Middle River Pioneer that Ernest Phillipson has entered the students training corps at St. Olof's College.

Bro. C. L. Stevens, of The Warren Register, and John Grindeland, of the same place, were campaigning in this part of the country last week Saturday.

I will trade a Flaudus 4 passenger automobile for horses, or what have you to trade me?

Casper J. Dale,
Star Route, Holt, Minn.

Walker Bros. of Rollis shipped a car of cattle to the twin city market Tuesday, that they have been keeping on their ranch the past season. These men are hustlers and are making a success of mixed farming and stock raising.

Tuesday Oct. 1st is to be known as Liberty Loan Day in Marshall Co. On that day everyone is required to meet the Liberty Loan Committee at a designated place and sign up for the amount of bonds that is their allotment. Failure to do this may bring the offender no end of trouble as they will be reported to the proper officials.

Late model Ford for sale.
Newfolden Auto Co.
Newfolden, Minn.

Loyal citizens will win this war.

Southeast of Holt.

(Too late for last week)

Shock threshing and stacking are nearly completed in this locality and prospects are good.

S. G. Svenkeson with his threshing rig went to Green Stump Lake Monday morning after completing a shock run.

Elias Stokke from Silverton was a visitor at the S. Moe home Sunday.

Mrs. S. Torgerson is suffering from injuries sustained by falling down the cellar stairway last week. Here's hoping for a speedy recovery.

The Misses Laura Johnson, Amanda Skomedahl, Thea Guttrude and Thora Moe who are attending high school at Thief River Falls spent Saturday and Sunday at their homes here.

Oliver Molstad who was enroute to camp Grant last week, was given a permit to remain at home to finish harvesting his crops and will not be called into military service until later.

S. Moe received word stating that their son Simon is now stationed at Celebra in the Panama canal zone.

Knute Ose received a letter from his son Ole stating that he had arrived safely "over seas".

Mr. J. Kalvig and Mrs. Sampson autoed down from their home at Kanawha Iowa last week and was looking over the former's farm which is being rented by Halvor Moe. They returned on Sunday.

Mrs. S. Moe, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schwartz were pleasantly entertained at the Molstad home Sunday.

Musical program Thursday eve.

Ernest Swartz visited J. E. Erickson Sunday evening.

We should like to see both Hegnes and Stevens re-elected as they have been faithful to their district.

J. J. Little shipped a car of cattle to the markets Tuesday from this big stock farm east of town and still has a big herd left.

Will trade my 35 horse power 5 passenger Buich automobile for young cattle or milch cows.

Casper J. Dale,
Star Route, Holt, Minn.

Which would you rather do, buy bonds or go to France?

Sheriff Hanson is too busy with the work of the draft board to make a personal campaign and its up to his friends to see he is re-elected.

Making a good investment is not doing charity work. There is no better investment than government bonds of the Fourth Liberty Loan.

Mrs. Rachel Fosen went to Litchfield, Minn. Saturday to visit her daughter there for some time, after which she leaves for Reno, Nevada, to spend the winter with relatives.

The newly elected school board met Saturday night and organized by electing P. A. Riesberg, president; J. M. Swan, vice-president; R. L. Adam, treasurer and H. J. Olen, clerk.

Herald S. Berg, formerly of The Middle River Pioneer has entered the students training corps at the state university and R. D. V. Carr is again at the helm of that paper. We wish both men success.

If any one desires to change a four per cent bond of the first or second Liberty Loan to a bond drawing four and a fourth per cent interest, (the same as the Third and Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds bear), the change must be made before November 1st.

Vote the pink ballot first, don't forget this as it is important.

Get ready for the big 4th Liberty Loan, next Tuesday Oct. 1st.

Joseph Johnson returned home Monday from Angus where he has been working for some time.

Thirty eight men will be called into the military service from Marshall county, about Oct. 7th.

Sam Mickelson came home from Warren Saturday evening where he has been doing carpenter work.

Ed. O'Hara has sold his dray line to Swarts&Johnson at T. R. Falls and will give more time to his farm near here.

Andrew Spokely and family went to Climax last week to be gone about a month looking after the fall work on his farm there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aos of T. R. Falls, Mr. and Mrs. John Simonson and children and Reinhart Reierson were Sunday guests of J. E. Erickson and family.

Recent rulings of the War Industries Board compels newspaper subscriptions to be paid in advance, so those in arrears are requested to pay up at once, so we can pay our bills.

Mesdames Docken and Bakke entertained several ladies, a week ago Friday, in honor of Mrs. Arne Moe, Mrs. Bakke's aunt. A very pleasant afternoon was spent and as a token of rememberance, the ladies presented Mrs. Moe with some beautiful pieces of silverware.

All married men are expected to buy Liberty Bonds for their wife and children.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Torald Tharaldson
State of Minnesota
County of Marshall In Probate Court
In the Matter of the Estate of
Torald Tharaldson, Decedent

The State of Minnesota To all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Lester E. Gesell having been filed in this Court, representing that Torald Tharldson, then a resident of the Kingdom of Norway, died intestate in July 1918, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to G. W. Walker and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition.

Therefore, You, And Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren, in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 19th day October 1918, at 2 o'clock P. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 23rd day of September 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
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All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Important Notice!

The subscription price of this paper, THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, will be raised the first of October, 1918, to $1.25 a year outside of the county, in the first, second, third and fourth zones. In the fifth and other zones beyond that, the price will be $1.50 per year. All subscriptions, both inside and outside the county, MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

Don't wait for us to send you a statement, but pay up now before the government forces us to cut your name off our list.

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Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota,
State Auditor's Office,
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 5, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 27th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

No lands will be sold to an alien, unless he has secured his first papers.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.72
Oats	.61
Barley	52 to .70
Rye	1.41
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage, containing a power of sale, by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Russell Gesell, a single man, mortgagor, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota Corporation), mortgagee, dated March 17th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 22nd day of March, 1917, A. D., at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 225.

That the amount claimed to be due, and which is due on said mortgage at this date, is the sum of eighty four ($84.00) Dollars, together with the further sum of forty eight ($48.00) Dollars together with interest on said sum from the 12th day of March, 1918, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, the said sum of forty eight ($48.00) Dollars being the interest paid on a prior mortgage which was due on the 12th day of March, 1918, and which was paid by the mortgagee herein pursuant to the terms of the mortgage herein described, making a total due on said mortgage at this date of one hundred thirty four and 40-100 ($134.40) Dollars.

That the premises covered by the said mortgage are described as follows, to-wit:- The Northeast quarter (NE1-4) of Section No. Sixteen (16) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty Six (156) North of Range No. Forty (40), West of 5th P. M., situated in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, Minnesota, or his Deputy, at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 7th day of November, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes, if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the Attorney's fees allowed by Statue.

Dated September 16, 1918.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgage,
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An old colored man, whose name might well have been Old Black Joe, was standing in front of the district building the other day, says the Washington Star. He was bent with age, but was singing as he walked slowly along.

Just then a young colored man and woman walked by. They were talking, and just a phrase of their conversation was to be heard as they went by.

"I think that Mr. Johnson," the young colored woman said, "has a premonition——"

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New Gospel Hymn.

At a New Jersey camp meeting a new song is becoming popular as the old gospel tunes. It is "Telephone to Heaven." Many of the old hymn writers never heard of such a thing as a telephone, but a 1918 audience sits in the grove and makes it ring with the strains of "Central's never busy, always on the line; you may hear from heaven almost any time."—Utica (N. Y.) Press.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

His View.

"Wives are sold in the Fiji islands for $5 each."

"Ugh!"

"Shame, isn't it?"

"Yes," growled the grouchy bachelor; "more profiteering."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Philadelphia convicts want to be sent to France to fight.

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Washington

The impression that members of congress are subject to draft was removed by a ruling of General Crowder, who holds congressmen are absolutely and peremptorily exempt by statute from the draft law and cannot waive their exemption.

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President Wilson signed the joint resolution passed by congress empowering him to establish prohibition zones around shipyards, munitions factories and other war industries.

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Figures on the production and consumption of gasoline, forwarded by the fuel administration to the senate, show there is a large deficit and that orders further curtailing its use may be expected.

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To enable the government to float the forthcoming fourth Liberty loan successfully without raising the interest rate, and otherwise to facilitate the financing of the war, Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo asks congress for immediate legislation. In brief, Mr. McAdoo's proposals are: That interest on fourth Liberty bonds, not to exceed $30,000 principal held by any one owner, shall be exempt from income surtaxes and excess profits and war profits taxes.

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Foreign

Prince Frederick Charles of Hesse has accepted the Finnish crown, says a dispatch from Stockholm. The Finnish diet will meet soon to confirm the acceptance.

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Eleven Englishmen and eleven French citizens have been arrested and imprisoned in the fortress of SS. Peter and Paul in Petrograd, according to apparently reliable information received at Stockholm from the Russian city.

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A dispatch to Washington from the American legation at Christiania said reliable information had reached there that Petrograd was burning in 12 different places, and that there was indiscriminate massacre of people in the streets.

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Julio Acosta, a general with Villa at the time of the Columbus (N. M.) raid, was executed by the home guards command at Las Ceuvas, Chihuahua, Mexico, according to an official statement.

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News received in Paris from Teheran, Persia, confirms reports of the murder of Christians by the Turks. Among the victims were Father Sontag, a French Lararist priest, and several other clergymen.

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A new treaty signed in Berlin between bolsheviki-controlled Russia and Germany provides that if the Russians fight against the allies in the north, Germany will guarantee no attack against Russia by Finland. The bolsheviki promise to pay to Germany about $1,000,000,000.

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Consul General Poole, at Moscow, in a dispatch received at the state department, says he sent his staff and American civilians there out of Russia because feeling is strong in bolshevik controlled territory against Americans.

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Domestic

Lieut. Parker Bruce of Chicago and Lieut. Anthony A. Sego of Kentland, Ind., were instantly killed at Dallas, Tex., when an airplane fell. Lieutenant Bruce was an instructor, while Lieutenant Sego was a flying cadet.

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Eugene V. Debs, Socialist leader, charged with violating the espionage act, was found guilty by a federal jury at Cleveland. The maximum penalty is 20 years' imprisonment and a fine of $10,000.

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The war industries board announces that war relief organizations will continue to receive their supply of knitting yarn to be made into woolen garments for American soldiers and sailors.

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Edward Gardner and his mechanic, Edward Raddle, carrying mail by airplane from Chicago to New York, fell with their machine at Hickville, L. I.

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Four prisoners in the Cook county jail at Chicago, two of them under sentence of death, have escaped. The men are: Early Dear, slayer of a policeman; Frank McErlane, awaiting trial on a charge of kidnaping, and "Big Joe" Moran, safeblower.

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A cent a pound increase in the price of sugar has been authorized by the federal food board at New York. Hereafter prices will range from 11 cents for one pound to 52 cents for five pounds. Old stock on hand must be sold at present rates.

U. S.—Teutonic War News

Friday, the 13th, was the fifty-eighth birthday of General Pershing, now leading the great American drive in France.

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With assurances from every section of the country that the registration of America's millions of men between the ages of eighteen and twenty-one and thirty-two to forty-five, inclusive, had been accomplished on Thursday with precision, Provost Marshal General Crowder turned his attention to the great task of classifying this vast army.

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An American troopship with 2,800 men on board has been torpedoed. All hands were saved by destroyers. The United States navy department announced that the vessel was the White Star liner Persic of 12,043 tons. The troop ship was one of a large convoy approaching the English coast and was about 200 miles out. There was no sign of panic on board. Many of the troops were from Chicago and Cleveland. None was injured.

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American troops of all units have been instructed by General Pershing to kill on the spot any one who in time of battle urges surrender or attempts to persuade them that further resistance is useless. These instructions were made necessary because some one in American uniform during a German attack on Fismette ran among the troops, calling upon them to cease resistance and declaring that the officers advised surrender.

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Provost Marshal General Crowder announced that the first call to the colors of men who registered Thursday will include men in the nineteen and twenty-year-old classes, and in the classes from thirty-two to thirty-six years, inclusive. Questionnaires will go first to registrants within these specified age limits and local boards will be ordered to classify them first in readiness for calls beginning in October.

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Secretary of War Newton D. Baker has arrived safely in France, the war department announced. The secretary's trip, the second he has made to Europe this year, was made aboard a transport. The secretary was accompanied by John D. Ryan, director of aeronautics; Maj. Gen. W. C. Gorgas, surgeon general of the army; Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines, and Lieut. Col. George H. Baird, military aid to the secretary of war.

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Under a new policy of reporting casualties in the American expeditionary forces adopted by the war department, the names of the men wounded will be sent to the United States by courier twice a week, and only the names of the dead and missing will be cabled by General Pershing when the system is fully in effect. General Pershing reported 20,000 slightly wounded Americans up to August 20.

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Such a large proportion of the American casualties in recent actions has been due to gallant attempts to rescue wounded men by unwounded comrades that General Pershing has been compelled to issue a general order calling attention to the fact that the regulations prohibit members of the fighting force to leave their proper positions even for this purpose.

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The claim that their gun crew sank a German submarine of large type 40 miles off Sandy Hook was made by the captain and crew of an American oil tank ship which arrived at an Atlantic port.

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The American steamship Dora, formerly under the Austrian flag, was torpedoed and sunk on September 4, approximately 400 miles off France, as the result of an attack on a cargo convoy, says a dispatch from London. The crew was saved.

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American troops have landed at Archangel to assist the other allied forces there in their campaign for the re-establishment of order in northern Russia. This announcement was authorized by General March, chief of staff.

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Personal

Rev. Jenkin Lloyd Jones, a member of the Ford peace party in 1915, is dead at Tower Hill, his summer home on the Wisconsin river. He was a militant pacifist, preacher, social worker and lecturer.

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European War News

Ukrainian peasants wiped out a German garrison and occupied Brusilovka, according to a dispatch to Stockholm from Kieff.

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Petrovsk has been taken from the Germans and Turks by troops under General Ebicharakhoff, it was learned at London. Petrovsk is on the west shore of the Caspian sea.

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Russian peasants who revolted against the bolshevik government a few days ago are reported to have entered Petrograd and to have been joined by a large part of the population, says a dispatch to London from Copenhagen to the Central News Agency.

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That the Germans are using women as military aviators is indicated in a report from France that in a machine recently brought down by the Americans the pilot, who was killed, was a woman.

News of the State

Condensed for Busy Folks

Mankato.—Clara Cosen, 15, Rochester, was taken from a train by Mankato authorities at the request of the Rochester police, having run away.

Williams.—The Williams public school had a flag-raising exercise, all the children giving the flag salute as Old Glory was unfurled to the breeze.

East Grand Forks.—Five of the local business establishments of the city are uniting and forming a new delivery service, calling it the East Side Delivery service.

Roseau. — The Farmers' Produce company has negotiated a contract with the Peterson-Biddick company of Wadena, whereby the latter company will finance the purchase of potatoes at Roseau this season.

St. Paul.—Ernest Vuercher, Gloster, Minn., who was taken to Bethesda hospital, this city, following a fall from a silo on a farm near Gloster, Minn., died at 3 p. m., yesterday. He had suffered internal injuries.

Hibbing. — Hibbing Home Guards may vote to become a National Guard company, as the state and Federal government favor a National Guard company, which will make the company liable to service in any part of the state.

International Falls. — A dynamite demonstration was given at the Irwin farm under the supervision of L. Rogen of Wilmington, Del. Mr. Rogen showed the farmers how to blast stumps, break rock and clear land with dynamite.

East Grand Forks.—Postmaster E. A. Buckley of East Grand Forks has tendered his resignation to take effect on Oct. 1. A successor has not yet been named. Mr. Buckley has been appointed cashier of the First State bank of Ardock, N. D.

Mankato.—While William Parsons of Kasota was motoring into Mankato with his family to attend the county fair, he found a purse in the road containing valuable papers and a note for $1,000 on the Kasota bank, made payable to Nils Johnson of Kasota.

Little Falls.—Ever since the replacement of the west wing of the dam by a concrete structure, the water power company has contemplated replacing the whole dam in this manner, and it is now given out that work on the west wing will commence in the near future.

Moorhead.—Suit has been brought against George S. Barnes for $7,500, through E. H. Hobe, Norwegian vice consul at St. Paul, for damages alleged to have been sustained when O. M. Magnus was killed on March 16, east of Dilworth, by an automobile driven by Mr. Barnes.

Brainerd.—War activity and resulting prosperity are reflected in the large Northern Pacific shop pay day the past week, the sum of $85,000 being disbursed Monday, while an amount considerably in excess, representing back pay, was paid out later. Merchants report lively trade resulting.

Montevideo.—The Eastern Minnesota Teachers' association will hold its annual meeting here Oct. 11 and 12. Among the speakers will be President Marion L. Burton of the University of Minnesota; Henry M. Deutsch of Minneapolis; E. M. Phillips, high school inspector; A. D. Wilson, state food administrator; Mrs. T. G. Winter of the National Council of Defense, and M. J. Dowling of Olivia.

Fergus Falls.—The Otter Tail Power company, which generates power here for thirty-nine cities and villages, has been finding it difficult to maintain full service, on account of the low stage of water in Minnesota streams and has been compelled to use large quantities of coal. As a result, it has asked the cities and villages which it serves for a voluntary increase in rates of 25 per cent.

St. Paul.—Registration of 284,568 Minnesota men between 18 and 21 and 31 and 45 years is officially announced at state draft headquarters. The advance government estimate for the state was 297,430. Draft officials said that supplementary reports undoubtedly will bring the actual registration total to more than 285,000. Figures by local boards will be announced when the final report is forwarded to Washington. The falling off is largely in Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth, and is attributed to heavy volunteer recruiting.

Hibbing.—Hibbing will have the first auto library in the state if present plans go through. The township of Stuntz called for bids for a two-ton auto bus, especially equipped for library purposes. At the present time the library is providing books for some ten or eleven locations within the township but because of the limited number of books which can be carried under present arrangements the library board appealed to the township and the request brought results. The library on wheels will carry 1,000 volumes and will be able to make several locations in a day. The bus will be fitted up with shelves and there will be quarters for the librarian.

St. Paul.—Chicken experts are being sought by the government department of agriculture to cull the flocks of poultry to separate the "slackers" from the layers. The major part of the active work will be confined to about 25 counties in northern Minnesota. The work of instruction in culling the flocks will be conducted through the county agents.

St. Cloud. — Mathew Sand, who had made his home here for the past few weeks, committed suicide by shooting himself in the forehead with a .32-caliber revolver, while in a ravine north of the Theisen farm.

Red Wing.—Charles J. Bryan, 74, a resident of Goodhue county for over sixty years, and for the past five years residing here, is dead.

Moorhead. — Clay county has no county surveyor and no candidate for the position has filed his affidavit with County Auditor A. O. Houglum.

Crookston.—The Crookston National Guard is rapidly becoming recruited up to the required strength needed before it can be mustered into state service.

St. Peter.—Peter Schaefer, a druggist, was forced to give up 225 pounds of sugar which the food administration found in his home. The sugar was taken to Minneapolis to be sold.

Minneapolis.—Maj. Ralph R. Adams, United States infantry, has arrived from New York and assumed command of the students' army training corps at the University of Minnesota.

Fergus Falls.—L. R. Adley, county superintendent of schools, has resigned to accept the superintendency of the city schools at Fairfax, Minn. Miss Hilda Sletted was elected by the county board to succeed him.

Crookston.—C. E. Kiewel bought the interest of E. O. Quenvold in the Crookston Creamery company. The company, of which Mr. Kiewel now holds a half interest, will be entirely reorganized and additional capital added.

Crookston.—W. W. Lloyd, district agent here for the Great Northern, resigned to take a St. Paul position. E. O. Fox, formerly cashier, takes Mr. Lloyd's position as depot agent, while Charles Emmerick has been appointed as first cashier.

St. Cloud.—Peter Emmel, for the past fifteen years agent for the Great Northern Express company, has resigned. Mr. Emmel has been agent for the Northern Express company since the two local offices were recently combined under that name.

Minneapolis.—Married more than 60 years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Wallin, who had passed the four-score-year mark, are dead in their home here, in which they lived for thirty-six years, their deaths occurring within three days of each other. They were residents of this city for forty years and had outlived all except three of their ten children.

Fargo.—Fred Milbrath, laborer, wanted at Wadena, Minn., on a charge in connection with the slaying of Albert Mundfrom, Tripoli, Iowa, is said by the sheriff at Wadena to have been driving Mundfrom's auto shortly after the Iowa man's body was found on a road near Wadena. Milbrath was taken to Wadena to face the charge, waiving examination proceedings.

Minneapolis. — Official statistics received from Washington showed that the internal revenue taxes collected in Minnesota during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1918, increased $51,785,238.39 over the collections during the preceding year. The marked increase is due mainly to the income tax. In 1917 the receipts in Minnesota were $6,432,896.09, while in 1918 they were $58,218,134.48.

Duluth.—Applications for discharge are piling in on Captains Toutellot and Sherman of D and C companies of the Fourth Minnesota Infantry because of the order which reduces compensation by 50 cents a day. When soldiers were needed to guard Duluth industries the citizens subscribed to a fund to pay the men a bonus. Commissioner McGee claims the bonus was for one year only.

Hibbing. — Many Hibbing families will go without coal unless they turn in their orders at once, according to Deputy Fuel Administrator Cyrus Forsberg. "Coal is coming in regularly but the national fuel administration insists that the people's needs be placed on paper and unless orders are given now to local coal dealers there will be a shortage in many quarters." There is a limited supply of hard coal coming here.

Fergus Falls.—The Otter Tail Power company, which generates power here for 39 cities and villages, has been finding it difficult to maintain full service, on account of the low stage of water in Minnesota streams and has been compelled to use large quantities of coal. As a result, it has asked the cities and villages which it serves for a voluntary increase in rates of 25 per cent. Thus far 31 of the 39 places served have granted the increase.

St. Paul.—While game birds in Minnesota, including both ducks and prairie chickens, are greatly increased this year, the number of hunters is reduced by fully one-half, Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, said yesterday at the opening of the wild fowl hunting season. Hunters are now regulated by both state and federal laws, and also by the international treaty with Canada, which still further protects migratory birds.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota Commission of Public Safety is sending out warnings to settlers, campers, construction crews and to those who have occasion to pass any time in the woods, of the danger of forest fires at this time of the year. According to an order issued by the commission, it is unlawful for anyone to kindle or set any fire in grass, stubble, brush, slash or woods or kindle fire, except for domestic or industrial purposes, in any of the northern counties.

Moorhead.—Fewer men will hunt in Clay county this year than in many years, only 181 licenses having been issued up to Friday. Heretofore the license issue at this time usually has been about 500. In Cass county, N. D., over 700 licenses have been issued, the number there being about normal.

Duluth.—Oliver, Wis., is dry. John Kinny, special federal agent, in charge of the department of justice, and assistants went to Oliver and ordered the further sale and distribution of intoxicating liquors stopped. One saloon and six wholesale liquor houses are affected.

IN MISERY FOR YEARS

Mrs. Courtney Tells How She Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oskaloosa, Iowa.—"For years I was simply in misery from a weakness and awful pains—and nothing seemed to do me any good. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so, and got relief right away. I can certainly recommend this valuable medicine to other women who suffer, for it has done such good work for me and I know it will help others if they will give it a fair trial."—Mrs. LIZZIE COURTNEY, 108 8th Ave., West, Oskaloosa, Iowa.

Why will women drag along from day to day, year in and year out, suffering such misery as did Mrs. Courtney, when such letters as this are continually being published? Every woman who suffers from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, ulceration, backache, nervousness, or who is passing through the Change of Life should give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

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Americans on the Italian Front Take Advantage of Every Moment of Good Flying Days.

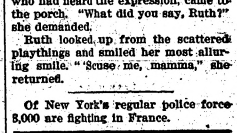
On good flying days, every moment of the day is utilized by American aviators in Italy. The men are up at five o'clock, and by six flying is in operaeion. Men go to breakfast in relays, so as to economize time, and sundown finds them grudgingly giving up for the day. One time-saving device I observed, says James H. Hare in Leslie's Weekly, was to make landings some 200 meters from the beach, and to have the next student ready in a boat to take his place, equipped with his life preserver and helmet. The exchange took usually less than two minutes from the time the engine was stopped until the propeller was in action again, and the flight started. This also eliminated the liability of damaging the hydroplane in beaching it, as sometimes the keel is grounded, or one of the wings strikes an object, putting the machine out of commission for a time, to say nothing of the engine overheating as it "taxis" (to use the technical term) to its landing place.

'Scuse Me, Mamma.

Ruth is just three years old. Recently she has been playing with the neighborhood children, and has learned to use words which until then had been foreign to her vocabulary. The other day she was on her back porch. The screen door came to with a bang, tipping over the chair in which were her playthings. "Darn!" she exploded, wrathfully. Immediately her mother, who had heard the expression, came to the porch. "What did you say, Ruth?" she demanded.

Ruth looked up from the scattered playthings and smiled her most alluring smile. "'Scuse me, mamma," she returned.

Of New York's regular police force 8,000 are fighting in France.



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Jerusalem to Gaza by Rail.

The modern Ethiopian travels from Jerusalem to Gaza on the way to his home country far up the Nile by railroad train. Reports from Palestine indicate that since the British occupation of the country Gaza, the chief city of the Philistines in Old Testament days, and the scene of Samson's exploits, has become an important railroad center, the broad-guage railway having been extended from Gaza to a point 50 miles to the northward, and the old Turkish line from Ludd to Jerusalem, as well as the recently constructed branch line from Gaza to Surar Junction, has been restored and is now in operation.—Rochester Post Express.

Quite True.

"Why is it that wisdom teeth give people such trouble?"

"I suppose it is because they are wise-achers."

MORE EXPERIENCE IN ORDER

Red Triangle Secretary Not Absolutely Satisfied With His Experience Under Barrage Fire.

Fair, fat and past forty is this secretary of the Red Triangle. Has the smile that won't come off. Every doughboy within miles around the hut knows him and likes his cheery personality. That is why, perhaps, the opportunity came Pudgy's way last week to spend a night in a front line dugout. While he was there a deafening barrage rained around the dugout for a full half hour.

Every one wanted to know afterward how Pudgy liked it.

"I fear," he confessed, and the everlasting smile broadened as he spoke, "that I'm no braver now than before. Maybe I'd better go up front some more and get sort of used to it."—Exchange.

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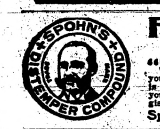

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Identified.

A passenger train arriving at a station in Oklahoma with some two hundred soldiers, many of whom were officers, attracted the attention of two negroes as they paraded. As the officers walked by "Sambo" and "George" would exclaim, "Dat's a capting," or "He's leftenant," as the case might be.

At last a French soldier in his blue-gray uniform passed by.

"What's he, Sambo — a kunnel?" asked George.

"No, George, dat's dis yere General Staff."

Murderous.

Bell—How did she cut him dead?

Stell—Looked daggers at him.—Chicago Daily News.

A. A. Adee, eighty, has served 32 years as an assistant secretary of state of the United States.

The Reason.

Her—Darling do you still love me?

Him—Angel of my existence, I adore you.

Her—Do you dream of me, precious one.

Him—Nope, celestial being, I do not.

Her—You mean thing, explain yourself at once.

Him—Because I can't sleep for thinking of you.

(And they went into another clinch.)

Old English Holidays.

In the list of old English holidays Candlemas was February 2, the date on which we now look for the groundhog to forecast the weather, and Old Candlemas, February 14, which is now observed at St. Valentine's day.

One Exception.

"I believe in handling all things without gloves."

"How about live wires."

WEAK KIDNEYS MEAN A WEAK BODY

When you're fifty, your body begins to creak a little at the hinges. Motion is more slow and deliberate. "Not so young as I used to be" is a frequent and unwelcome thought. Certain bodily functions upon which good health and good spirits so much depend, are impaired. The weak spot is generally the bladder. Unpleasant symptoms show themselves. Painful and annoying complications in other organs arise. This is particularly true with elderly people. If you only know how, this trouble can be obviated.

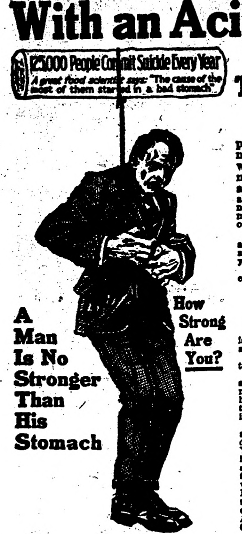
For over 200 years GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has been relieving the inconvenience and pain due to advancing years. It is a standard, old-time home remedy, and needs no introduction. It is now put up in odorless, tasteless capsules. These are easier and more pleasant to take than the oil in bottles.

Each capsule contains about one dose of five drops. Take them just like you would any pill, with a small swallow of water. They soak into the system and throw off the poisons which are making you old before your time. They will quickly relieve those stiffened joints, that backache, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gall stones, gravel, "brick dust," etc. They are an effective remedy for all diseases of the bladder, kidney, liver, stomach and allied organs.

GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules cleanse the kidneys and purify the blood. They frequently ward off attacks of the dangerous and fatal diseases of the kidneys. They have a beneficial effect, and often completely cure the diseases of the bodily organs, allied with the bladder and kidneys.

If you are troubled with soreness across the loins or with "simple" aches and pains in the back take warning, it may be the preliminary indications of some dreadful malady which can be warded off or cured if taken in time.

Go to your druggist today and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Money refunded if they do not help you. Three sizes. GOLD MEDAL are the pure, original imported Haarlem Oil Capsules. Accept No Substitutes.—Adv.


125000 People Commit Suicide Every Year
A great food scientist says: "The cause of the most of them started in a bad stomach".
A Man Is No Stronger Than His Stomach
How Strong Are You?

Don't Get Hung Up With an Acid Stomach

It's Just Acidity That Makes Millions Sick and Suffer

It's true. There are millions of people all over the land who are weak, nervous, all tired and dragged out, who are trying to build up their jaded nerves and weakened bodies with drugs and stimulants; and many of them also EAT and EAT—but fail to get anywhere near the full amount of strength and nourishment out of their food. Why? Simply because of too much acid in the stomach—superacidity.

Get rid of the excess acid. Your stomach is all right—just give it a chance to work easily and naturally. Then see how good you will feel—your pep comes back, and your blood warms up! A new method—truly a wonderful discovery called

EATONIC
(FOR YOUR STOMACH'S SAKE)

is positively guaranteed to clear the excess acid out of your stomach and bowels.

It is made in the form of pleasant-tasting tablets—handy to carry around with you.

Get a big box of EATONIC at any drug store and see how quickly it banishes the immediate effects of acid-stomach. Away with heartburn, belching, food repeating, indigestion, etc.—and then see how your general health improves.

So again we tell you—insist upon it—if you are ailing get a big box EATONIC from your druggist today. The cost is a trifle—only 50c. You have faith in your druggist. We authorize him to absolutely guarantee EATONIC to you and you can trust your own druggist to make this guarantee good. If EATONIC fails in any way, take it back—he will refund your money. If your druggist does not keep EATONIC, drop us a postal card and we will send it to you at once; you can send us the 50c after you get it. Address: H. L. Kramer, Pres., Eatonic Remedy Company, 1018 So. Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

1,750,000 U. S. MEN OVERSEAS

So Reports General March, Who Says Allied Situation Is Continuously Good.

ALLIES TAKE NAZARETH

Good Work in Progress North of St. Quentin and Along Franco-American Front—Gen. Allenby Takes 18,000 Turks.

Washington, Sept. 23.—According to an announcement just issued by General March, chief of the American military staff, the United States now has 1,750,000 troops embarked for overseas service, and "the news from all battlefronts is continuously good." Six months ago, it is pointed out, the enemy flung his full power against the British lines in Picardy in the great drive that was to end the war in a smashing victory. Today he is fighting desperately to hold the Hindenburg line, the defensive system from which he struck that blow and back into which he has been hurled.

Already the American forces in France are more than half as strong as the whole German army, and the tide of American fighting men towards France is continuing at an even pace.

From reports received here the allied troops are progressing satisfactorily in breaking down the defenses of St. Quentin. On the north the British are fighting in the Hindenburg positions and pressing towards the canal between Stouentin and Cambrai, while on the south the French are moving forward steadily.

Germans Start Further Fires.

Southwest of Metz, where the French and Americans recently cleared the St. Mihiel salient, the Germans have started further fires. Soldiers and wagon trains have been seen moving northward and it is believed the Germans are preparing for a possible allied attack or retirement on their own initiative.

Gen. Allenby Takes 18,000 Turks.

In Palestine the Turks are receiving crushing blows from General Allenby's forces, which in less than four days have swept forward over a large area between the River Jordan and the sea and have taken the famous city of Nazareth, while their wings have closed in a swift enveloping movement around all Ottoman forces in the coastal sector, the plain of Sharon, the hill region and the western Jordan valley. The British cavalry at certain points have advanced as far as 60 miles.

Hedjas Balks Turk Rretreat.

To the northeast friendly Arab forces under King Hedjas have cut all railway communication in front of the fleeing Turks and are standing as a barrier to their escape by way of the eastern plains.

More than 18,000 Turkish prisoners and extensive war stores have been taken, including 120 guns.

U. S. TO START BIG PROTEST

Note Asks Joint Action Condemning Russian Outlawry.

Washington, Sept. 23.—Horrified by the bloody reign of terror in Russia, the United States has called upon all allied and neutral nations to consider what they may do to impress upon the Bolsheviki the aversion with which the civilized world regards their wanton crimes.

By direction of President Wilson, Secretary Lansing dispatched instructions to every American diplomatic representative in the foreign capitals.

The action aligns the United States with Great Britain and France in declaring the Bolsheviki responsible for the murders, crimes and excesses which have shocked the world, as outlaws and public enemies.

Whatever action may be decided upon by the nations, separately, or in concert, it is made clear, will be quite apart from the prosecution of the war against Germany.

The reported action of the Bolsheviki in effecting an alliance with Germany for offense and defense is an added cause for the step.

ALLIED AIR MEN ACTIVE.

Drop Bombs at Strategic Points Inside German Lines.

London, Sept. 23.—The entente allied independent air force on Friday dropped bombs on the German towns of Mannheim, Karlsruhe, Boulay, Frescaty and Horhange. Explosives were dropped on the Lanz works at Mannheim, on wharves and factories at Karlsruhe, on blast furnaces at the Bourbach works and on airdromes at Boulay, Frescaty and Morhange.

Steel Products Fall Short.

Washington, Sept. 23.—Shortage of more than 4,000,000 tons of steel is shown by a report transmitted to the senate by Chairman B. M. Baruch of the war industries board in response to a senate resolution. The demand for steel during the last six months amounted to 21,000,000 tons, the report shows, while the output was less than 17,000,000 tons. Statistics prepared by the board also show, the report added, that 30,000,000 tons of fuel are used annually in the production of building materials

TURKS ROUTED IN PALESTINE

General Allenby's Forces Have Eastern Foe on the Run in Holy Land.

GREAT STORES TAKEN

Turkish Lines Penetrated and Defeat Apparently Awaits Them from Jordan River to Mediterranean Sea.

London, Sept. 21.—British forces in Palestine, under command of General Allenby, attacked the Turkish positions on a front of 16 miles on September 19. The British broke through the Turkish lines between Rafat and the sea and pushed forward for a distance of 12 miles.

Three thousand Turks were taken prisoner by General Allenby's forces. The main Turkish forces in Palestine are now being closely pursued by the British.

The cavalry pushed through the Turkish front and was advancing in the rear of the Turkish armies in the direction of Nablus. Another body of cavalry was advancing in a northeasterly direction toward Elafula and Beisan to intercept the Turks to the north.

On Wednesday General Allenby's right wing attacked west of the Jordan and occupied El Mugeir.

Railway and highway junction points were captured and along the shores of the Mediterranean naval units were clearing the coastal roads of the enemy by their gunfire.

In addition to the large number of prisoners great quantities of war materials had fallen into the hands of the allied troops, and the pressure against the enemy was going on unabated.

HOUSE PASSES REVENUE BILL

Giant Measure Goes Through With No Dissenting Vote.

Washington, Sept. 21.—The house late yesterday passed the war revenue bill designed to raise by taxation approximately $8,182,000,000 of the 24 or more billions needed by the nation for the current year.

Passage of the bill was unanimous. A formal roll call, demanded by majority leader Kitchin, recorded 350 yeas and no nays, which, announced by Speaker Clark, was greeted by a roar of cheers and applause.

All possible speed in the bill's course through the senate is assured, according to leaders, the senate finance committee having concluded formal hearings. Desire for the bill's enactment before the November elections has been expressed by leaders of both houses.

FRENCH RETURN TO HOMES

Inhabitants of St. Mihiel Salient Seek Former Places of Abode.

With the American Armies in Lorraine, Sept. 21.—Although it is only a week since the Franco-American forces delivered the St. Mihiel salient, with its more than 150 square miles, from possession of the enemy, former inhabitants have already begun to flow into the liberated territory. Every day sees several truck loads of peasants or of dwellers in the towns and villages of the southern section of the salient returning to search for their former homes.

There are, of course, many towns in the old salient, especially in the southerly portion, which may never receive their original inhabitants again to any extent, while there are many others that cannot yet be reinhabited for military reasons.

Must Speed Up on Destruction.

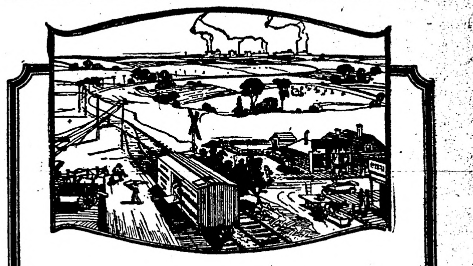
With the American Army in Lorraine, Sept. 21.—German troops recently were ordered to be more methodical in the destruction of property in the regions evacuated by them. An order from the commander of the 108th infantry brigade to the rear guards, dated September 3, says: "All soldiers are bound to assist to the best of their ability in the execution of this mission. The rear guard battalions will select groups to complete the work of destruction. These detachments will not set fire to things until the right moment. It will be remembered that there are means to defile all wells. Mines must not be exploded too soon."

Influenza Claims Many Lives.

Boston, Sept. 21.—More than 120 deaths from influenza and pneumonia, 55 of them in this city, were reported in New England during the 24 hours ends at 10 o'clock last night. Although the mortality was the greatest in several days, the health authorities said they were confident that the worst was past.

Woman's Day on Loan Drive.

Washington, Sept. 21.—In recognition of the war work being done by millions of American women, Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo has designated Saturday, Oct. 5, for observance in the Fourth Liberty loan campaign as "Women in War Work Day." "The women of America," Secretary McAdoo said, "are doing their share in the winning of the war, both by actual hard work and by the tremendous force of their moral influence. It is fitting that their service should be memorialized."



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Preparing meat is only a part of Swift & Company's usefulness.

The finest meat in the world wouldn't do *you* any good one hundred miles away from your table.

Swift & Company efficiency has made it possible to place complete lines of products in the smallest and most remote communities.

To be sure the work is done well Swift & Company, through its branch houses and car routes, brings the meat to the retail dealer for you.

Swift & Company lays out car routes covering towns—big, little, medium size—which are not served by a Swift branch house.

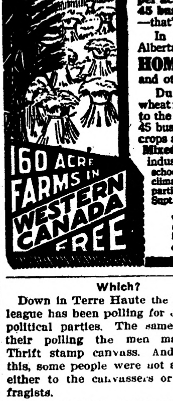
Salesmen find out in advance what is wanted by the dealers in every town.

They are followed by refrigerator cars loaded with retailers' orders, which are delivered at each town—fresh, clean, and sweet—once or twice each week.

Swift & Company operates a large number of car routes like this, from fourteen distributing plants.

This is a necessary and natural part of the packers' usefulness. It fits into the industry in an orderly, effective way. It makes ***better*** meat ***cheaper*** from one end of the land to the other.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.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Scenes of Prosperity

Are Common in Western Canada

The thousands of U. S. farmers who have accepted Canada's generous offer to settle on homesteads or buy farm land in her provinces have been well repaid by bountiful crops of wheat and other grains.

Where you can buy good farm land at $15 to $30 per acre—get $2 a bushel for wheat and raise 20 to 45 bushels to the acre you are bound to make money—that's what you can do in Western Canada.

In the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta you can get a

HOMESTEAD OF 160 ACRES FREE

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During many years Canadian wheat fields have averaged 20 bushels to the acre—many yields as high as 45 bushels to the acre. Wonderful crops also of Oats, Barley, and Flax. Mixed Farming is as profitable an industry as grain raising. Good schools, churches; markets convenient, climate excellent. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Can., or to

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. L. Porte, Dunn Blk., Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents

Which?

Down in Terre Haute the Franchise league has been polling for one of the political parties. The same week of their polling the men made their Thrift stamp canvass. And knowing this, some people were not at home—either to the canvassers or fair suffragists.

One young woman was met at a door by a boy about eight years old. "Please tell your mother I would like to see her," she requested.

The youngster shouted into the adjoining room, "Mom, a lady wants to see you."

Back came a staggering question: "Ask her if she's the Thrift stamp man."

And the little boy asked.—Indianapolis News.

It's not the backsets that set a man back so hopelessly as the upsets.

Massachusetts has 300,000 voters unable to read or write English.

All Soldiers Are Fatalists.

Practically all the soldiers become fatalists about death. You see men die through some incredible chance. You see them escape by a miracle. Gradually you come to believe, as Tommy puts it, "When a shell comes over with your name on it, you will get yours." In the meantime, "Why worry? You never know your luck." That's the way they put it.—From "Pictures Burned Into My Memory," by Charles W. Whitehair.

Movable Abode.

"Home is where the heart is."

"What if you have your heart in an automobile."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Your Eyes Granulated Eyelids, Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggists or by mail 60c per Bottle. For Book of the Eye free write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

[illegible] program Thursday eve.

[illegible] you a big lunch at the school [illegible] next Tuesday.

Some pretty warm weather this week, Indian summer, eh?

The crop of candidates is awfully [illegible] this year, on account of the war.

Mr. and Mrs. John Melquist visited with relatives in Erskine last week.

Word has been received from Otto Kuehne that he has arrived safely in France.

Business meeting Red Cross Sept. 27 at school house. Everyone urged to attend.

Thirty one cars of cattle were on the the south bound stock train thu here Tuesday.

Farmers have been busy digging potatoes the past week and are selling them for 90 cents a bushel.

Miss Minnie Rux is assisting Mrs. Carl Engebretsen with her household duties for a couple of weeks.

J. M. Swan is shipping cattle almost every week now which gives the farmers a chance to sell off their surplus stock.

Save all the waste and help win the war for humanity.

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

Complete Line of CASKETS and Funeral Supplies

which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

"Every man, woman and child in Marshall County a Bond Subscriber for the Fourth Liberty Loan."

Music and Drama

Woodman Hall, Holt, Minn.

Thursday eve Oct. 3

Dorchester Entertainers

First Number Holt Lyceum Course

It's time to fix up the buildings and wood shed for winter.

A hundred dollar Libery Bond, if bot now, will furnish the U. S. Government money enough to feed a soldier in France seven months, or give him a complete outfit of winter and summer clothing, shoes and socks, slicker, overcoat, blanket and a good revolver. It takes $85 more to arm him with a rifle and bayonet. If you buy a second bond of a hundred dollars the Government will have money to buy the soldier his rifle and a thousand cartridges, and still have enough left to buy a bomb big enough to demolish a machine gun and the Huns operating it.

You can multiply these facts by as large a figure as you wish, and then buy bonds accordingly on Tuesday October the First, which has been designated as Liberty Loan Day in Marshall County, at which time everyone is required to meet at a place previously designated and buy their allotment of bonds of the Fourth Liberty Loan Committee.

Are You 100 percent AMERICAN?

Buy a Liberty Bond

City Meat Market

Fresh and cured Meats

Constantly on Hand

Highest Market Prices

Paid for

Pork, Beef, Poultry Hides and Furs.

TERMS: Cash, Positively no credit.

O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

"Every man, woman and child in Marshall County a Bond Subscriber for the Fourth Liberty Loan."

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services in East Valley at 3 o'clock and in Golden Valley at 7 o'clock Oct. 6th.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Kilen will hold services here at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening. Everyone welcome.

Young People's Meeting at 3 o'clock next Sunday. Everybody welcome. A special program will be rendered and a lunch will be served in the basement.

Notice!

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

S. S. Kolden

The Taxpayers Candidate

His eldest son, Selmer, is fighting in France with General Pershing and his youngest son, Peter, is serving in the navy as an expert gunner on the Norlina.

Auto Repairing!

Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right

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Rasing Olson, Manager

Holt, Minn.

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All work guaranteed satisfactory

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Holt, Minn.

Samson Windmills!

The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction. They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.

See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.

Davidson Bros., Agents
Holt, Minn.

Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

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You cannot get *complete* satisfaction from a car of less satisfactory appearance, performance, comfort, service or price.

Model 90 has a powerful, fuel-saving motor; narrow turning radius; rear cantilever springs; 106-inch wheelbase; 31x4 tires, non-skid rear. Auto-Lite starting and lighting and vacuum fuel system.

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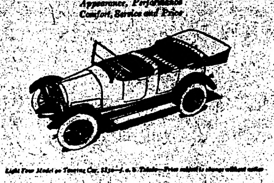

Light Four Model 90 Touring Car, $[illegible]—f. o. b. Toledo—Price subject to change without notice

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NEWFOLDEN, MINN.

AUCTION!

As I am going to move to Washington I will sell at public sale on my farm on NW 1-4 sec 9 Excel, 1 1-2 mile south, 1-4 east of Holt, on

Saturday Oct. 5th

Sale begins at 11 o'clock **Free Lunch at Noon**

Horses, Cattle, Etc.

- 1 Gray gelding weight about 1300
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- 1 Gray mare wt 1200, foals May 25
- 1 Gray mare colt, born in 1917
- 1 Red cow, 9 years, fresh in Dec.
- 1 Red cow, 4 years, fresh in Dec.
- 1 Red&white cow 4 yrs fresh Mar
- 1 Brindle cow, 3 years, fresh Feb.
- 1 Red cow, 3 years, fresh in Mar.
- 1 Red Bull, coming 2 years old
- 2 Sows, young. 40 Chickens
- 2 Geese Several tons of hay
- Empire cream separator
- 10 to 15 cords stove wood
- Planet, Jr. walking cultivator Sled 7 ft runers

Machinery, Etc.

- Deering binder, 6 foot, nearly new
- Deering 5 foot mower
- McCormick 4 1-2 foot mower
- Jones hay rake, 9 foot
- Hay rack Hay stacker
- Hay Bucking pole
- Osborne disc, 12 disks
- Emerson drill, 16 disks
- 14 inch walking plow
- 14 inch brush breaker
- 3 section harrow Wagon
- Wide tire wagon Single buggy
- Double grain box
- 2 sets of harnesses
- 100 fence posts, other long poles
- Home Comfort range, household Goods and numerous other articles

TERMS: On amounts of $10.00 and over, time will be given to Nov. 1st, 1919, on bankable notes bearing ten per cent interest. All amounts under $10.00 are payable in Cash.

Frank Coppay, Owner

Ole C. Brenna, Auctioneer **Holt State Bank, Clerk**

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Joe Nelson commenced clerking in Gunheim's store Oct. 1st.

A. H. Langlie shipped a car of cattle to the twin city markets Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coppay, Mrs. Tom Jacobson and Peter Jacobson visited J. E. Erickson Sunday evening.

Red Cross meeting Friday evening 8 o'clock at the school house for the election of officers. All come.

Miss Selma Saastad returned home Tuesday from Fargo where she has been working for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mork of near T. R. Falls visited Tuesday at the home of her cousin W. A. Lindahl and family.

Lost: Two legs and center leaf for small extension table. Finder please return to Chas. Mclean or to the printing office.

Tillie Knutson came Tuesday from Climax where she has been employed on the Hans Samuelson farm for some time.

The Sunnyside Red Cross Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. T. O. Dovre Oct. 9th. All the ladies are requested to be present.

Frank Coppay expects to move his family to Washington next week and will have a public sale Saturday to sell off all his property.

B. J. Bakke drove up from Minneapolis last week with a Winton Six Sedan car and a Jeffrey Six for which they had made deals.

The Young people gathered at the Gunheim home Monday evening and gave a little party to the Misses Lilly Peterson and Elizabeth Newton in honor of their birthday.

Clarence Swan left Tuesday morning for Norfolk, Va. Mrs. J. M. Swan and little children Walter and Helen accompanied Clarence as far as Grove City, where they will visit for some time.

The Free Mission Young People cleared $12.00 at their lunch served in the church basement Sunday. This money will be used together with what is raised in the future to repair the church basement, for which they are working.

The East Valley Red Cross Auxiliary will have a picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sorum on Sunday Oct. 13th. Ladies please bring cake. Mr. Sorum will give a turkey to the winner of the ladies race. Everybody invited.

It has been quite gratifying to note the number of people who have taken notice of our article last week and have been in to pay for their paper. We believe a large majority of the people want to pay for their home paper, but simply forget it until their attention is called to the matter.

Over The Top!

Holt village went over the top in the sale of Liberty Bonds on Liberty Loan Day. Our quota was four dollars over 8000 and Liberty Bonds to the amount of $[illegible]100.00 were sold. The Red Cross did a good business that day also, and the pupils of the public school sold a number of Thrift Stamps, all of which are a big help to Uncle Sam's cause.

The surrounding townships did well in their sales also, but we have'nt their figures.

The people of this country are bound to see the war thru to a victorious end.

Anton Sorenson, a farmer living east of Middle River was struck on the side of the head by what was supposed to be a bullet on Monday evening as he was driving his auto into the shed. Neighbors started for Thief River Falls with the injured man but as their auto did not work right they stopped in Holt and phoned for Dr. Mellby who came here and treated the wound of the man and then took him to the T. R. Falls hospital for an operatson. Mr. Sorenson's wounds bled quite freely and the blood from it covered about every thing in the auto. He was very weak from loss of blood but Dr. Mellby said he would soon be alright again.

Vote the pink ballot first on Nov. 5th.

Vote for S. S. Kolden for county auditor.

Auto for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.

Red Cross nurses are needed in large numbers every where.

Knute Ose and son Taikel visited J. E. Erickson Monday evening.

Each of the elevators shipped a car of No. 1 Northern hard wheat last Saturday.

B. Docken went to Grand Forks Saturday after his car which he left there several days ago.

Student nurses may again enroll for service send names to Mrs. H. I. Yetter, Stephen, Minn.

Olga Johnson came Tuesday from St. Hilaire where she has been working for several weeks.

Mrs. Nelson of Middle River visited with Mrs. Paul Olsen and family the latter part of last week.

Miss Effie Christenson of Fertile visited the forepart of the week with her sister, Mrs. H. J. Oien and family.

Nels Lindahl and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson of Hazel visited at the home of the formers son W. A. Lindahl and family Sunday.

Auction sale at the Frank Coppay farm Saturday Oct. 5th. Horses, cattle, farm machinery and household goods will be sold to the highest bidder.

Bently Nelson's folks received a letter last week from him in which he stated that he saw Lester Silbaugh in France. The latter had been gassed but was getting better at the time they met.

It is very likely that the October calls for military service will be postponed for awhile on account of an epidemic of Spanish influenza in some of our eastern camps.

Rudolph, Harry and Ollie Werner and families and Richard Rudprecht and family all of Thief River Falls, enjoyed a little family reunion at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Werner and family last Sunday.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

There will be services in Holt at 11 o'clock Sunday.

Confirmants meet Saturday at one o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

RED CROSS NOTES.

Report for Sunnyside Aux. for July, Aug. and Sept.

Number of Socks

Mrs. T. O. Dovre 10 pair, Mrs. A. Bjerk 8, Mrs. C. Anderson 4, Mrs. G. Peterson 4, Mrs. L. Wegge 3, Mrs. F. Carlson 3, Mrs. N. Lysne 3, Mrs. N. Larson 2, Mrs. A. Kuehne 2, Mrs. E. Horien 3, and Mrs. C. F. Lindholm 1.

Now is a pretty good time to get ready for winter.

H. P. Sponheim visited J. E. Erickson one day last week.

Thorval Kolden came from Climax Monday for a few days visit at home.

Miss Lucy Wegge went to York N. D., Friday where she expects to work for several months.

Miss Selma Dovre went to Hillsboro N. D. Monday where she will work for some time.

Chas. Mclean moved his family into town last week and are now living in the H. B. Young house.

A nice display of vegtables at the Holt State Bank would almost make one think they were at an old fashioned county fair.

Frank Coppay has rented his farm and will have a public sale Saturday to sell off his personal property before he moves away.

Mrs. O. A. Gudim who has been visiting her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Lee and family, returned to her home in Fargo N. D. Saturday.

Miss Gunhild Sollom will commence teaching next week in a counry district near Gatzke. Later--

Elmer Sollom came down from Gatzke Tuesday and his sister Gunhild returned with him and commenced teaching her school on Wednesday.

Rev. Geo. O. Parish who so ably filled the pulpit here in the Mission church twice every month has accepted a call from the church at Kellogg, Idaho. Mr. Parish and family departed for the west last Saturday. Their many friends wish them success in their new field of labor.

All Marshall county women, married or single, who have had any experience in nursing are requested to register their names with either Mrs. Julius J. Olson, Mrs. C. A. Johnson or Dr. Biegen all of Warren. The registration must be completed before Oct 15th., so names should be sent in at once.

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

Complete Line of CASKETS and Funeral Supplies

which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Take Notice

On October 26th, 1918, every subscriber on our list who owes for THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS more than three months will have their name crossed off said list. We are obliged to do this by order of the War Industries Board, and their orders are final.

The Government has unlimited powers during the time of war and they are using this power to save a part of the coal heretofore used for manufacturing paper, for war purposes, and to save the great waste of paper, which has been going on for years, despite the fact that the raw material is becoming very scarce and hard to get.

We urge all who are back on their subscriptions to pay up at once as it is not our wish to sever our pleasant relations of the past, and we trust also of the future.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS.

Creamery Statement

Business done by Holt Creamery for month of July 1918.

Cream received	35,958 lbs.
Butterfat	10,868 lbs.
Overrun	2,484 lbs.
Butter made	13,122 lbs.
Price paid	46 cents
Receipts for butter sold	$5,596.18
Bal last month	106.81
Total	$5,675.99
Paid Patrons by check, supplies, etc.	$4888.56
Expense fund	473.41
Sinking fund	73.21
Balance	240.81
Total	$5,675.99

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Torald Tharaldson
State of Minnesota
County of Marshall In Probate Court
In the Matter of the Estate of
Torald Tharaldson, Decedent

The State of Minnesota To all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Lester E. Gesell having been filed in this Court, representing that Torald Tharldson, then a resident of the Kingdom of Norway, died intestate in July 1918, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to G. W. Walker and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition. Therefore, You, And Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 19th day October 1918, at 2 o'clock P. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 23rd day of September 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.
O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Is your paper paid for.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
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All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Sept. 24, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph Alby, of Newfolden, Minn., who on July 13, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05273, for SW 1-4 SE 1-4, Section 23, Twp 155 N, Range 44, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn. on the 8th day of November, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole Hall, Nils Johnson, Ole J. Flam, all of Newfolden, Minn. and Peter Mellem, of Rosewood, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of
Torger T. Sollom, Decedent.
State of Minnesota,
County of Marshall In Probate Court
In the Matter of the Estate of
Torger T. Sollom, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to Tilda K. Sollom. It is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 29th day of March 1919, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms, at the City of Warren, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, published at the Village of Holt, in said County, as provided by law.

Dated September 28th, 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Judge of Probate.

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota.
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul. Minn., Sept. 5, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 27th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st of each year: provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold, subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

No lands will be sold to an alien, unless he has secured his first papers.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.62
Oats	55
Barley	53 to .66
Rye	1.42
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

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Albert Bennes - Holt

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage, containing a power of sale, by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Russell Gesell, a single man, mortgagor, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota Corporation), mortgagee, dated March 17th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 22nd day of March, 1917, A. D., at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 225.

That the amount claimed to be due, and which is due on said mortgage at this date, is the sum of eighty four ($84.00) Dollars, together with the further sum of forty eight ($48.00) Dollars together with interest on said sum from the 12th day of March, 1918, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, the said sum of forty eight ($48.00) Dollars being the interest paid on a prior mortgage which was due on the 12th day of March, 1918, and which was paid by the mortgagee herein pursuant to the terms of the mortgage herein described, making a total due on said mortgage at this date of one hundred thirty four and 40-100 ($134.40) Dollars.

That the premises covered by the said mortgage are described as follows, to-wit:- The Northeast quarter (NE1-4) of Section No. Sixteen (16) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty Six (156) North of Range No. Forty (40), West of 5th P. M. situated in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, Minnesota, or his Deputy, at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 7th day of November, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes, if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the Attorney's fees allowed by Statue.

Dated September 16, 1918.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

Loyal citizens will win this war.

WORLD'S EVENTS IN SHORT FORM

BEST OF THE NEWS BOILED DOWN TO LIMIT.

ARRANGED FOR BUSY PEOPLE

Notes Covering Most Important Happenings of the World Compiled in Briefest and Most Succinct Form for Quick Consumption.

U.S.—Teutonic War News

During the eight days' fighting ending August 3, the One Hundred and Sixty-eighth infantry, Iowa's unit in the Rainbow division, "lost 1,400 officers and men, or about 50 per cent of the affective combatant strength," according to Col. E. R. Bennett, its commander. This information is contained in a letter to Lafayette Young, Sr., at Des Moines, Ia.

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The first case in which it is known that a submarine fought back when attacked by a seaplane resulted in the probable destruction of the submersible by an American aviator, Reserve Ensign J. F. Carlson, it was announced by the British admiralty.

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Capt. George Utassy of Washington, attached to an ambulance unit of the American Red Cross has been decorated by the Italian government for services during the offensive on the Piave front.

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In an attack against the American outpost south of Archangel the bolsheviki sustained considerable losses. Most of the bolshevik dead were Letts.

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Troops in the United States now are being paid within five days or less after the first of each month and voluntary allotments are being sent to relatives with only slight delay, Brigadier General Wood, acting quartermaster general, said.

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European War News

German troops are continually firing on Bulgarians who desert from the battle line, it was officially announced by the Serbian war office in the communique received in London.

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More than 40,000 prisoners and 265 guns have been taken by the British in their successful offensive in Palestine, it was officially announced in London.

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British cavalry, pushing up the Mediterranean coast of Palestine, have occupied Haifa and Acre, it is officially announced in London. The capture of these ports represents an advance of 80 miles in the present operations. Allied troops have reached Es-Salt.

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French cavalry operating to the northeast of Monastir, in Macedonia, have captured the town of Prilep, according to an official statement issued in London. Prilep was the chief base of one of the Bulgarian armies.

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French, Serbian, British, Italian and Greek armies all continued to advance against the Bulgars and Germans in Macedonia, according to dispatches received in Paris from the front. The enemy has been forced to evacuate the whole line from Doiran to a point west of the Vardar river. Entente allied cavalry reached the Bulgarian frontier in the region of Strumnitza.

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Reports to London from the Palestine front indicate that none of the Turkish forces of at least 40,000 men trapped by the British through the seizure of the last of the passages of the Jordan can possibly get away. Twenty-five thousand Turkish prisoners and 260 guns have been counted.

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Blagovyeshchensk, capital of the Siberian province of Amur, and Alexievsk, have been occupied by Japanese cavalry, according to information received by the Japanese embassy in London. Two thousand Austro-Germans were taken prisoner. They laid down their arms at Kokka.

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On the Asiago plateau French troops in a local attack have destroyed and damaged the Austrian defensive systems east of Mont Sisenol, says a Rome statement. The French captured 100 prisoners.

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Domestic

A call for the mobilization of all the gold in the United States and for a campaign against hoarding, which is attributed to German propaganda, was given to the national bankers of the nation at Chicago by W. P. G. Harding, governor of the federal reserve board, who spoke before the national bank section of the American Bankers' association at the Congress hotel.

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Pledges of the nation's last dollar and its last drop of blood to winning the war were made by the bankers of America in a great patriotic demonstration at the Auditorium theater in Chicago when the climax of the forty-fourth annual convention of the American Bankers' association was reached in a session that ran riot with thrills.

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Returns from New Jersey show Charles O'Connor Hennessey to have a slight lead over his opponents for the Democratic nomination for United States senate.

Because of epidemics of Spanish influenza in army camps, Provost Marshal General Crowder canceled calls for the entrainment between October 7 and 11 of 142,000 draft registrants.

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Real estate and buildings on Riverside drive, New York city, owned by Mrs. Lilly Busch of St. Louis, are to be sold by the federal custodian of alien property at private sale.

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Ten per cent of the fourth Liberty loan subscriptions will be required on application instead of 5 per cent, as for past loans, the treasury announced. Twenty per cent will be due November 21, 20 per cent December 19, 20 per cent January 16, and 30 per cent January 30.

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A falling off of 32 cases of Spanish influenza in the last 24 hours, compared with the previous 24 hours, was reported by the New York health department, the total for the latter period being 118.

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Directors of the Pacific Mills notified the New England Liberty loan committee at Boston that the corporation had voted to take $1,500,000 in fourth Liberty loan bonds.

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"It isn't safe to argue with a rattlesnake! Kill it first and argue with it afterwards," declared Frank B. Carvel, minister of public works of Canada, in an address at Milwaukee. He referred to Austria's feeler for peace.

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Personal

After an illness of more than a year, Most Rev. John Ireland, Catholic archbishop of St. Paul, died in St. Paul. A score of prominent Catholic clergymen were at the bedside of the eighty-year-old prelate.

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Washington

The sixth biweekly issue of certificate indebtedness in anticipation of the fourth Liberty loan was oversubscribed by $25,216,000, making total subscriptions $625,216,000.

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A new credit of $2,770,000 was granted to Belgium by the treasury department. This makes the total credit to Belgium $1,517,020,000 and the total credit to all the allies $7,200,476,000.

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Curtailment of the manufacture of bicycles and accessories was announced by the war industries board.

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Six billion dollars is the minimum amount which the people of the United States are asked to subscribe for the fourth Liberty loan, according to an announcement by William G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury, in an address in New York outlining the government's plan for the campaign. The share allotted to the Seventh district is 14½ per cent, of $870,000,000. The loan will bear 4¼ per cent interest.

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Bakers, restaurateurs and housewives are requested in an order issued by the food administration to make no more icing or frosting for cakes. Icing is a sugar waste, according to Herbert Hoover. Frosting made of sweet material other than white sugar, however, will be approved.

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The bill authorizing regulation of the sale of government securities and increasing the amount of income from Liberty bonds exempt from surtaxes was completed and sent to the president.

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The contingent of French legionnaires touring the United States in behalf of the fourth Liberty loan visited the senate and house. The legionnaires were later reviewed by President Wilson.

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National prohibition, effective next July 1 for the period of the war, was approved by the house, which adopted, 134 to 27, the senate prohibition rider to the $12,000,000 emergency agricultural appropriation bill. The measure now will be sent to conference.

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Foreign

German newspapers at Porto Alegre, in the state of Rio Grande De Sul, so aroused the populace by criticizing Brazilian affairs that attacks were made on the three newspapers.

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Details of Russian atrocities describing scenes of horror almost beyond belief were received by the state department. The massacre of thousands in Petrograd and Moscow by the bolshevik mobs was reported. The massacre of Russian citizens was reported continuing in an appalling manner. In Moscow there were about 150 executions nightly.

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Count von Hertling, the German imperial chancellor, in addressing the reichstag main committee, complained of the lack of attention his acquiescence in the four points laid down by President Wilson as peace essentials had met from the American executive.

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Official information reached the Russian embassy at Washington that the Pan-Russian conference at Oufa, European Russia, which has been recognized by all the provisional governments opposing the bolsheviki, including the Siberian government, has constituted a committee of five as the lawful authority for all Russia.

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The British war cabinet met in London to consider the strike of workers which has dislocated railway service in the capital and other parts of the empire, especially in Wales.

BULGARIA QUITS; ALLIES STRIKE ON 250-MILE FRONT

Armistice Asked by Bulgars Is Agreed to on Allies' Terms.

GREAT ATTACK IN WEST

Dixmude Taken—British in Outskirts of Cambrai—100,00 Prisoners Are Captured in Week on All Fronts.

Paris, Sept. 30.—An armistice has been concluded between the allies and Bulgaria, on the allies' own terms. The announcement was made officially today. The Bulgarian delegates who are to discuss the proposed armistice and probable peace arrangements with the allied governments arrived at Saloniki Saturday. The delegates are General Lonkoff, commander of the Bulgarian second army; M. Liepcheff, finance minister, and M. Radeff, former member of the Bulgarian cabinet.

The German pretense that Premier Malinoff was acting on his own responsibility finds no confirmation. King Ferdinand's crowd apparently is at stake and he is trying to save his dynasty.

100,000 Prisoners Captured in Week.

London, Sept. 30.—The past week has been the most amazing of the war. The allies are advancing victoriously on practically every front. During the week they have taken prisoners far in excess of one hundred thousand, of whom nearly forty thousand were captured in the last three days on the west front.

Dixmude Falls to Allied Hands.

London, Sept. 30.—Dixmude has been captured by the Belgian troops, it was officially announced today. The Belgians have also taken Stadenberg, Passchendaele, Moorsledge and part of Westroosebeke. This means an advance of several miles.

Great Offensive on West Front.

Washington, Sept. 30.—The enemy is now faced on the western front with the greatest offensive undertaken by the allies since the war began—a line of 250 miles, on four wide and important sectors, being in the throes of the most intensive fighting, in which French, British, American and Belgian troops are all engaged.

At many points on the line the Hindenburg defenses have been taken and the famous line pierced. British forces are now at the outskirts of Cambrai, both on the southern side and on the northwest.

The troops of the four allied nations represented have captured 40,000 prisoners and 300 guns, according to estimates in London; bringing the total prisoners since July 18 to 200,000 men, with 3,000 guns, 20,000 machine guns and enormous quantities of material. This does not take into account the results of operations in Macedonia or Palestine.

Since Friday the entire department of the Somme has been liberated from the German invaders, and in the past three days the department of Ardennes has passed into French hands for the first time since the year 1914.

A London dispatch says that troops from the states of New York, Tennessee and North and South Carolina attacked the Hindenburg line on a front of nearly three miles, crossed the Cambrai canal and captured Bellecourt and Nauroy, as officially reported by Field Marshal Haig from headquarters.

One English division crossed the Scheldt canal on life belts, mats, rafts and improvised bridges, and stormed the main Hindenburg defenses around Bellenglise and captured the whole German position. Canadian troops and the sixty-third naval division have reached the southern outskirts of Cambrai. Canadians are also in the outskirts of the northwest.

Americans Advance Lines.

With the American Army on the Champagne Front, Sept. 30.—The American line Saturday night extended to the outskirts of Brieulles and Exermont. Additional prisoners had been taken. In three days more than 60 enemy airplanes have been brought down. The American loss in that period was less than 20.

Germans Retire Before French.

With the French Army on the Aisne Front, Sept. 30.—The Germans are evacuating the ravine between Vailly and Chemin des Dames. The French have occupied Jouy and Aizy and are advancing. Numerous fires have been observed behind the German lines in that region and farther south along the north bank of the Aisne.

Coal Flows Like Water.

In a great steel works at Pittsburgh powdered coal flows like water through 1,500 feet of four-inch pipe under a pressure of 40 pounds the square inch, and flows so rapidly that four tons have been put through a 500-foot line in five minutes.

Have Wrong Occupation.

"De reason," said Uncle Eben, "dat some young chaps is broke is dat dey keeps tryin' to pick race horses instid o' pickin' strawberries or cotton, or whatever's in season."

ENEMY LINE IS BENDING BACK

Great Western Battle Front Is Scene of Continual Crumbling of German Line.

SUB BASES THEATENED

Hindenburg Line Is Deeply Pierced From Belgian Flanders as Far as Verdun—More Progress Made at Cambrai.

London, Oct. 1.—The entente allied forces from Belgium to Verdun are registering victory after victory in the new thrusts being made on six battlefronts, according to all dispatches received here covering the fighting up to last night.

On all sectors under attack from Belgian Flanders to Verdun the German front is gradually bending back under the violence of the offensive which the allies are bringing to bear upon it. In Belgium the troops of King Albert and of Field Marshal Haig pierced so deeply eastward that Germany's submarine bases on the North Sea are in jeopardy. The famous Messines-Wytschaete ridge has been captured and the allied guns dominate the plains beyond. Both Menin and Roulers, important railroad junction points for the supply of the German armies north and south, are virtually in the hands of the British and Belgians, and seemingly soon must fall.

From Cambrai to St. Quentin the British and Americans again have delivered successfully hard smashes against the German strong points all along the front, including the remaining portions of the old Hindenburg line. The British are in the process of cleaning up the town of Cambrai, having penetrated its suburbs from the northwest and southwest.

In the region of St. Quentin, where the Americans are fighting with the British, the old Hindenburg line has been cut and penetrated to a depth of three miles over a front of eight miles.

In conjunction with the operations of the French northeast of Soissons the Germans have begun the evacuation of the Chemin Des Dames and the French now hold half of this famous defensive position. There is an indication that the enemy intends to give up the remaining positions held by him along the Vesle and Rheims.

Reports from Amsterdam are to the effect that Emperor William has accepted the resignations of Count Von Hertling and Admiral Von Hintze, respectively German chancellor and foreign minister.

BULGARS GIVE FREE PASSAGE

Surrender Includes Acceptance of All Allied Terms.

London, Oct. 1.—The armistice concluded with Bulgaria by the entente allies is a purely military convention and contains no provisions of a political character.

Bulgaria agrees to evacuate all the territory she now occupies in Greece and Serbia, to demobilize her army immediately, and surrender all means of transportation to the allies.

Bulgaria also will surrender her boats and control all navigation on the Danube and concede to the allies free passage through Bulgaria for the development of military operations.

All Bulgarian arms and ammunition are to be stored under the control of the allies, to whom is conceded the right to occupy all important strategic points.

Besides virtually cutting off Turkey from her central allies the new situation opens a back door for the invasion of Austria-Hungary.

U. S. THREATENS REPRISALS

Shotgun Protest of Germans Out of Keeping With Modern War.

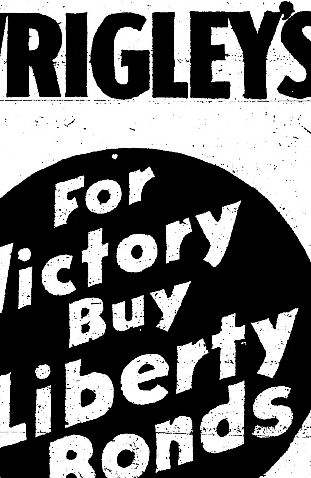
Washington, Oct. 1.—The American government, in reply to Germany's threat to execute American prisoners of war found in possession of shotguns, has given notice that if Germany carries out any such threat suitable reprisals will be taken.

Secretary Lansing's reply declares that the use of shotguns is sanctioned by The Hague conventions, and that in comparison with other weapons now used in modern warfare the shotguns used by the American troops cannot be the subject of legitimate or reasonable protest.

"If the German government should carry out its threat in a single instance," says Secretary Lansing's reply, "it will be the right and duty of the United States to make such reprisals as will best protect the American forces and notice is hereby given of the intention of the government of the United States to make such reprisals."

U. S. Not a Participant.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Although gratified that Bulgaria has been eliminated from the war, American officials have carefully refrained from exercising any direct influence in the event. Since the United States never has declared war on Bulgaria, the government has not felt at liberty to make any suggestions at this stage. It is believed, however, that in the final adjustment of the important political questions involved the United States will be invited to discuss this subject with the entente allies.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$30	Eight Gold Watch
$25	Eastman Kodak

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Maybe you think I am a fraud, or that you know all about my plan. It won't hurt you to send the coupon and find out, and you can't know all about my plan unless I tell you. I can't tell you unless you send the coupon.

The Reward Man, P. O. Box 1632, Philadelphia, Pa.

THE REWARD MAN 335
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His Father's Were Larger.

Tommie thought that his father was the best father, that his mother was the best mother, and that his house was the best house. Indeed, everything of his was best.

One day on a visit to a neighbor woman, he followed her upstairs to watch her make the bedrooms tidy.

"Are those your daddy's shoes?" he asked, as the woman put those articles in their proper place.

"Yes," she answered smiling. "They are pretty large, don't you think?"

"Oh, yes, but my daddy's shoes are larger," he said quickly.

Honors Are Easy.

"But father doesn't approve of you."

"Oh, that doesn't matter—I don't approve of him, either."—Sydney Bulletin.

Don't worry; it won't last—nothing does.

Water, Mind You.

Squabbs—They say that three-fourths of the earth's surface is covered with water.

Squibbs—Well, that's a fine record compared with those of our bathing-beach girls.

Pimply Rashy Skins

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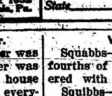
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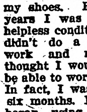

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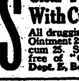

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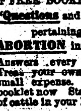

Advising the Chaplain.

A British officer decided to hand some advice to a rather ineffective chaplain. So he said:

"Padre, if you'll excuse my saying so, you're a d——d rotten chaplain; the men will never follow you to heaven."

"I rather felt that, sir," stammered the flummoxed padre.

"But I tell you what," continued the officer, "you'd make a fine company officer, and the men would follow you to hell."

Egotists are men who are unable to disguise the fact that they are pleased with themselves.

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WILSON OPENS LOAN CAMPAIGN

President Pointedly Answers Peace Overtures From the Central Powers.

MUST BE GUARANTEED

Terms Will Be Impartial Justice to All Nations and Germany Will Have Chance to Redeem Her Character.

New York, Sept. 30.—Impartial justice to all nations will be the price of peace, the instrumentality indispensable to secure it is a league of nations formed not before or after, but at the peace conference; and Germany as a member "will have to redeem her character, not by what happens at the peace table, but by what follows."

This was President Wilson's answer given before an audience of Fourth Liberty Loan workers here, to the recent peace talk from the Central powers, although he did not refer specifically to the utterances of enemy leaders.

Peace was not a question, declared the President, of "coming to terms" for "we cannot 'come to terms' with them," as "they have made it impossible."

Peace must be guaranteed for "there will be parties to the peace whose promises have proved untrustworthy and means must be found in connection with the peace settlement to remove that source of insecurity."

Unguaranteed Peace Folly.

"It would be folly to leave the guarantee to the subsequent voluntary action of the governments we have seen destroy Russia and deceive Roumania," he continued.

The President emphasized that the justice to be obtained by the league must involve no discrimination toward any people. This he set forth explicitly in a set of five principles which he enumerated as "the practical program" of America's peace terms and for the maintenance of which the United States is prepared to assume its full share of responsibility."

These principles were, he said:

"First, the impartial justice meted out must involve no discrimination between those to whom we wish to be just and those to whom we do not wish to be just. It must be justice that plays no favorites, and knows no standard but the equal rights of the several peoples concerned;

"Second, no special or separate interest of any single nation or any group of nations can be made the basis of any part of the settlement which is not consistent with the common interest of all;

"Third, there can be no league or alliance or special covenants and understandings within the general and common family of the league of nations;

"Fourth, and more specifically there can be no special, selfish economic combination within the league and no employment of any form of economic boycott or exclusion except as the power of economic penalty by exclusion from the markets of the world may be vested in the league of nations itself as a means of discipline and control;

"Fifth, all international agreements and treaties of every kind must be made known in their entirety to the rest of the world.

Issues of War Restated.

Mr. Wilson re-stated the issues of the war as follows:

"Shall the military power of any nation or group of nations be suffered to determine the fortunes of peoples over whom they have no right to rule except the right of force?

"Shall strong nations be free to wrong weak nations and make them subject to their purpose and interest?

"Shall peoples be ruled and dominated, even in their own internal affairs, by arbitrary and irresponsible force or by their own will and choice?

"Shall there be a common standard of right and privilege for all peoples and nations or shall the strong do as they will and the weak suffer without redress?

"Shall the assertion of right be haphazard and by casual alliance or shall there be a common concert to oblige the observance of common rights?"

He added: "No man, no group of men, chose these to be the issues of the struggle. They are the issues of it."

BULGARIAN DEFENSE BROKEN

Washington, Sept. 30.—Military men here say the capture of the Bulgarian city of Strumitsa by Allied forces on the Macedonian front breaks the strongest link in the Bulgarian defense and leaves no serious obstacle to the Allied march into the country.

Two Executions Delayed.

Winnipeg, Sept. 30.—Execution of Frank Sullivan and Philip Johnson for the alleged murder last April of Constable Snowden was set over until next Wednesday because Hangman Ellis of Quebec was unable to come here. The men were to have been hanged Friday morning. John Edward Stolke, also sentenced to be hanged was granted a reprieve and sentenced to prison for life. Hangman Ellis wired from Quebec he would be unable to leave for Winnipeg until Monday because of "pressure of business."

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It Wouldn't Do.

Novelist Robert W. Chambers said at the Country club in New York:

"This war has changed all things. We older writers are quite disoriented. We don't know how to write any more.

"Imagine describing a girl's ear today," he said, "as shell-like!"

Not a Thought of It.

"What did you think of my speech?"

"You didn't say a thing that set me thinking."

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It sometimes happens that a married man has a great deal to say, but his wife won't let him say it.

It is better to be a believer than a king.

Stung Again.

He came into the office with a businesslike air that deceived the clerks, and they let him walk right into the private room of the head of the firm.

"I have here," he said, diving into a capacious pocket, "a most valuable little book. It tells of the most lovely spots within a hundred-mile radius of Cleveland, and how to get to them. It contains road maps, etc. It—"

"It's no use to me," interrupted the boss, decisively. "Strange as it may appear to you, I do not own a car. I do not drive. I cannot use your book."

And you think this worried the book agent? Think again. For the little book was all a bluff, and the pretended book agent was an automobile salesman. And he promptly took advantage of the best opening he had had in weeks.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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An Irish Courtship.

An Irish sheriff got a writ to serve on a young widow and, on coming into her presence said: "Madam, I have an attachment for you."

"My dear sir," she said blushing, "your attachment is reciprocated."

"You don't understand me; you must proceed to court," said the sheriff.

"Well, I know 'tis leap year, but I prefer to let you do the courting yourself. Men are much better at that than women."

"Madam, this is no time for fooling. The justice is waiting."

"The justice waiting? Well, I suppose I must go, but the thing is sudden, and besides I'd prefer a priest to do it!"—Exchange.

Signs of It.

"The chestnut crop is going to be good this year." "You can tell that by the fish stories."

Self-conquest is the greatest of victories.—Plato.

It's Acid-Stomach That Makes Millions Sick and Suffer

Life is dark—not worth much to the man or woman with an acid-stomach.

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They don't seem dangerously sick. Just ailing. Going through life weak, listless dragging one foot after another. They're nervous and irritable; lack power and punch, frequently have severe attacks of blinding, splitting headaches; subject to fits of melancholia and mental depression. And nearly always their stomachs are out of order, even though many experience no actual stomach pains—digestion poor—never getting anywhere near the full strength from their food.

So, you see, it's just this—acid-stomach—that is holding so many people back — sapping up the strength they should get from their food—taking away their vigor and vitality—leaving them weak and inefficient.

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Fervent Wish.

In Camp Custer recently a young newly-fledged private soldier with a considerably discolored eye and blood dripping from his nose looked up at a compassionate friend and expressed the fervent wish that those who were promoting boxing would never get it up to the general status.

Accounted For.

"That tenor has such liquid notes in his voice." "Maybe it is because all his notes are due."

Breaking It Gently.

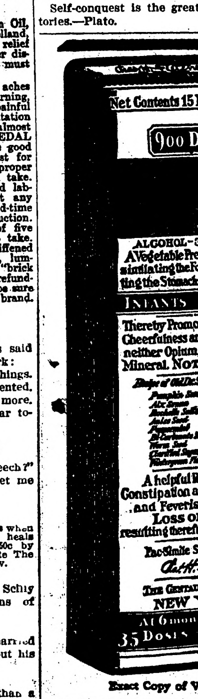
Askem—Where's the rich heiress you're engaged to?

Tellum—You see that lovely girl in pink at the other side of the room?

Askem—Yes; I say, old man, what a superb—

Tellum—Well, it isn't she. It's that grand old ruin in yellow sitting next to her.

Mahogany, oak and ebony are all heavier than water and consequently sink.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AMERICANS ARE ASKED TO GIVE AID THIS WEEK

American Red Cross, With the Help of the Food Administration, at Work on Problem.

(Published by the Federal Food Administration for Minnesota. Prepared in part in the Office of Publications, University Farm, St. Paul)

The people of Minnesota and the other north central states this week—September 23 to 30—are being called on for a contribution of 400 tons of clothing to help make up a total of 5,000 tons to be sent by the American Red Cross, with the co-operation of the United States Food Administration, to the stricken, starving, shivering, dying people of Belgium and northern France, who have been stripped of everything by the Prussian robbers. The situation in occupied Belgium and northern France is desperate in the extreme. Ten million persons there are dependent on the Commission for Relief in Belgium for clothing and food.

This clothing can come from America only. Five thousand tons are needed to tide Belgium through the coming winter. Securing the clothing is a matter of life and death for this helpless, courageous population behind the German lines.

Four hundred tons of this must come from the north central states.

In Belgium it is impossible to buy shoes. There is no more leather of any description on the market. Every available substitute has been tried. For a time old belting from factories was used; and roofing paper, of which there happened to be a stock, was resorted to for re-soling shoes. But the Germans, after having seized all the leather, requisitioned these substitutes also, and soon not a single yard of belting was left in any Belgian industrial establishment.

Now the Belgians fasten pieces of old rags on to wooden soles and wear them for shoes.

And they make coats out of old blankets—and blankets out of anything.

Disease Follows Want.

Daily the ravages of tuberculosis throughout Belgium becomes more terrible. Deaths from this disease have increased 100 per cent, and cases of internal tuberculosis, 1,000 per cent. The doctors, in spite of their untiring devotion, can no longer cope with the rising tide of disease.

Today, two die where one died in peace times, while owing to undernourishment, the birth rate has been cut in half.

Henry P. Davidson, chairman of the Red Cross War Council, puts the problem to Americans in this way:

"Every household in the land has some spare clothing, worn or outgrown, of little value here, but desperately needed by the destitute there. They have been reduced to fashioning garments from flour sacks, old blankets, sheets, and tablecloths, which have now almost disappeared, and shoes from scraps of carpet and jute sacks. Today it costs eight dollars to have a pair of shoes resoled. For bedding, sacks stuffed with dry leaves or moss serve as mattresses. Everywhere the need for blankets is tremendous. Hospitals and other institutions suffer for want of sheets. In some places whole families sleep together to share a single blanket."

Kind of Things Needed.

Garments of every kind, for both sexes, and all ages, are needed, according to the appeal. Also piece goods which can be made into sheets, blankets, and baby clothes. Only garments of strong materials will be accepted. Apparel of flimsy material or fancy clothing will not be taken. Prospective donors are reminded it will not be necessary to mend the garments as the repair work will give employment to the thousands of destitute women in the occupied regions.

What to Do.

In every county in Minnesota there is a Red Cross chapter, and in every community there is a branch or some other agency that can get into touch with the county Red Cross chapter. These agencies include the local representative of the Minnesota food administration. A. D. Wilson, federal food administrator for Minnesota, urges Minnesotans to get their used clothing together and see that it gets to such an agency for delivery to the county Red Cross.

Do it before next Monday, September 30. Don't wait; do it now.

Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrcia cerifera, a plant which is common in New England, and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub is not closely related to the Myrcia acris, or West India bay, from the leaves of which bay rum is obtained by distillation.

THE SECOND LINE OF DEFENSE

From the Mississippi valley to the flaming front in Flanders is not as far today as the distance from Paris to Berlin. The Atlantic ocean is not as wide as the River Somme. The girl in the munition factory in the middle West is very close to her brother in the front-line trenches. If her work falters, if one untrue torpedo passes the careful scrutiny of the inspector, the lives of American soldiers pay the price.

It is as necessary to keep the girl who makes the shells physically fit and high of courage as the man who fires the gun.

The glory and excitement of war are for the man in khaki. Grinding, monotonous labor far away from the flying flags and martial music is the portion of the girl who makes munitions.

One and a half million women and girls have marched into the service of the United States government, to take the places of the men who have been called to the colors. With every draft and with the opening of every munition cantonment the number is multiplied. These girls work long hours and the work is hard and monotonous. Furthermore, they work at high nervous tension. On the skill of their fingers and the accuracy of their eyes depends the lives of many soldiers, the winning or losing of many battles.

"I can't sleep at night because I'm so afraid I may have passed on something that was not quite true," said one young girl not yet in her twenties, who inspected hundreds of torpedoes every day.

Unless something can make this girl forget at night, and find some rest, her hand will lose its cunning.

"Nights and Sundays," said another, "I walk and walk, and I never go the same route twice until I have worn out all the others, and yet I can't forget that perhaps some time, somehow, during the day something may have gone through that was not quite right."

"I was just on the edge of going back home," said another. "I couldn't stand it. Then the recreation leader asked me if I played basket ball, and I told her I was too old. I'm twenty-eight. She insisted that I just try throwing the ball, and now I'm captain of the basket ball team. I play tennis and can 'set up' and 'wig-wag,' and they're going to make me forewoman of the room. That would have frightened me to death once. But everything is different now, that we have our War Service club."

The war department had seen the need of occupations for out-of-work hours if the employees were to work at their greatest efficiency, and through the ordnance department, asked the Young Women's Christian Association for recreation leaders, to line up the girls and direct their free-time pleasures.

The government reminded the Y. W. C. A. that as an organization it always had had an interest in the right housing of girls, in the right feeding of girls, and in the right education of girls, and that the intelligent care of these girls in the munitions factories was one of the essentials in the winning of the war. The government could house and feed them. It could put up recreation buildings, but when this was done it was as helpless as the father of a motherless girl. The government is a composite man. He didn't know what a girl should do when the six o'clock factory whistle blew. He only knew she needed looking after and he called to the one woman's organization that for half a century had made a study of the needs of girls. Vaguely, he had an idea that she should be encouraged to play, that she needed wholesome recreation, and some one, wise and sympathetic as a careful mother, to guide her social activities.

The Blue Triangle sent its play lady to salute and go to work. Workers are asked for in recreation buildings of all the 22 federal industrial reservations or munition cantonments which have been opened this summer in several of the states. These reservations sprung up out of the very fields in a few weeks. They are employing thousands of workers. Many of these women have come from far distant homes. The government provided dormitories and mess barracks. In some places it is putting up recreation buildings. Where such a building is not provided by the government, the Y. W. C. A. will furnish it, using one already standing when available, and building when that is necessary. All these buildings, whether government or association-owned, will operate under the sign of the Blue Triangle. They will have big living rooms, assembly rooms for entertainments, club rooms, and gymnasiums. The Blue Triangle will furnish a program of service work, educational classes, games and entertainments. Military and signal corps drills will be in charge of soldiers.

In Washington, the members of the Business Women's council, a Blue Triangle league of the Y. W. C. A., made up of girl government employees, drill twice a week under an army officer, and between five and six o'clock on these days long lines of motorcars are parked to watch the drill.

Wherever possible the recreation equipment includes a field somewhere for outdoor sports.

War clubs are a part of the plan and membership in these involves a pledge to serve to the best of the girl's ability in the ranks of the Woman's Industrial Army—the "second line of defense," and a promise of loyalty by promoting in every possible way the spirit of service.

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It's time to fix up the buildings and wood shed for winter.

Vote the pink ballot first, don't forget this as it is important.

Sheriff Hanson is too busy with the work of the draft board to make a personal campaign and its up to his friends to see he is re-elected.

I will trade a Flandus 4 passenger automobile for horses, or what have you to trade me?

Casper J. Dale,
Star Route, Holt, Minn

We have a supply of application blanks for ballots for soldiers, which are to be filled out and sent to the county auditor, who will then send a ballot to the soldier or sailor, who then can vote, the same as were he at home. Send before its too late.

Recent rulings of the War Industries Board compels newspaper subscriptions to be paid in advance, so those in arrears are requested to pay up at once, so we can pay our bills.

City Meat Market
Fresh and cured Meats
Constantly on Hand
Highest Market Prices
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O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

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H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

We should like to see both Hegnes and Stevens re-elected as they have been faithful to their district.

Will trade my 35 horse power 5 passenger Buick automobile for young cattle or milch cows.

Casper J. Dale,
Star Route, Holt, Minn.

If any one desirs to change a four per cent bond of the first or second Liberty Loan to a bond drawing four and a fourth per cent interest, (the same as the Third and Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds bear), the change must be made before November 1st.

Notice!

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

[Inserted by S. S. Kolden, Holt, Minn., and paid for at regular rates.]

S. S. Kolden
The Taxpayers Candidate
For County Auditor
He stands for
A SQUARE DEAL
For All The People
Solicits your vote and support at the General Election Nov. 5th

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Bring in your automobile early for Any kind of Repairing or a General Overhauling
Our Prices are Right
Hamernes Garage
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Holt, Minn.

Palace Barber Shop.
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K. E. DAHL COMPANY
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Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory
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Holt, Minn.

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The Samson mill is an all steel wheel and tower and it is guaranteed to give satisfaction. They will out last a gasoline engine, do not require any attention and can be run almost without any expense.
See us if you want cheap power for pumping, etc.
Davidson Bros., Agents
Holt, Minn.

Lesson From the Lily.

How easily we lose poise, swept by the current of life! Our root is not deep enough. Consider the lily resting on the face of the waters, its roots far below. How serene it rides the ripples, and how confidently it has sought the light, that its life may expand then above the turbulence of the waves.—Trinities and Sanctities.

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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.
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Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
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We Buy All Kinds of Grain
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When we save you money and sell you better materials than you can get elsewhere for the price we both benefit.
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We guarantee you Economy in materials.
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If It's BUILDING MATERIAL We Have It.
HOLT, MINN.

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Overland
O. K. in *Every* Respect
You cannot get *complete* satisfaction from a car of less satisfactory appearance, performance, comfort, service or price.
Model 90 has a powerful, fuel-saving motor; narrow turning radius; rear cantilever springs; 106-inch wheelbase; 31 x 4 tires, non-skid rear. Auto-Lite starting and lighting and vacuum fuel system.
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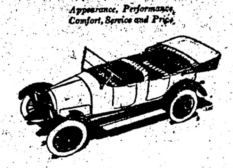

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell; phone 140.

Hazel Davidson is very sick with typhoid fever. Her many friends hope for her recovery.

Mrs. Nels Davidson of Northwood Ia. came Saturday to visit Mrs. Alfred Anderson and look after business.

Mrs. Tony Anderson and two children of Arvilla, N. D. came Satunday to visit relatives for a month at Golden Valley.

Mrs. A. L. Halvorson and baby of Hillsboro, N. D., visited several days the past week at the Docken and Bakke homes in this village.

Fred Voth and family of Goodhue county shipped a couple of cars of goods here Friday and moved onto the H. S. Dalen farm which he has purchased.

John Monberg, Ingvold Johnson and Misses Alice and Tena Johnson autoed up from Alvarado Sunday and visited at the Engstrom and Erick Johnson homes.

Miss Olava Sollom commenced her term of school near Newfolden this last Thursday. We wish all the teachers from Holt and vicinity much success in their school work.

C. W. Christianson had to give up work last week on account of a bad boil on his hand. He has secured the services of Dyderick Nyberg in the blacksmith shop until he is able to work again.

Henry Wegge and daughter went to Fargo Wednesday in response to a telegram stating his son-in-law Geo. King had died a short time previously. We understand the other members of the family were also sick.

The East Valley Red Cross Auxiliary will have a picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sorum on Sunday Oct. 13th. Ladies please bring cake. Mr. Sorum will give a turkey to the winner of the ladies race. Everybody invited.

Tuesdays daily paper stated that 6,700 of the men who registered Sept. 12th would be called into the military service Oct. 31st and that Minnesota would furnish a small quota. The men will be sent to Camp Forest, Georgia and Camp Cody, New Mexico.

The first number of the Holt Lyceum course was given here last Thursday evening and the entertainment was greatly enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience. One of the ladies of the compny was here last year and we are sure if she should come this way again, all would want to hear her.

The next number will be a dramatic lecture by H. H. Dyer who will be here on Thursday evening Oct. 31st.

Vote for S. S. Kolden for county auditor.

To Subscribers

Your paper this week will show just how your account stands. We will mark just after or under your name, the number of the month, day and year your subscription expires. Thus if the figures 3-1-18 are marked after or under your name it means your subscripton expires March 1st. 1918, and so on according to each individual subscription.

Please remember all unpaid subscriptions must be stopped Oct. 26.

The Holt Weekly News.

Warren, Minn. Oct. 8, 1918
Holt Weekly News,
Holt, Minn.

Dear sir:

We desire to call your attention to the fact that John Einar Johnson, serial No. 1761 who gives his address as Holt, Minn. is 19 years of age. That he came to the United States in 1909 with his sister and has resided here ever since, and that he claims exemption from service in the United States Army upon the ground that he is not a citizen of the United States. This claim being well founded under the law must be granted and he has been placed in class 5f, but we think that your entire neighborhood should be informed of the fact that this man, tho willing to live in our country and derive his living therein, is not willing to help it in its time of need, and hence should be ostracized by all right thinking people. We know of no better way of informing the public than thru your newspaper.

Yours truly,
Local Board Marshall Co., Minn.,
By W. O. Braggans,
Member

Vote for Kolden for Auditor.

Tony Carlson shoiped two cars of potatoes Saturday.

Chas. E. Grinder was campaigning here last week.

A. T. Lee has moved his family back to Leeds N. D. for the winter.

Herb Severson returned home last week Thursday from Dakota.

Tina Johnson underwent an operation for tonsilitis the fore part of the week.

Red Cross will meet with Mrs A. L. Carlson Wednesday afternoon Oct. 16th.

H. Martinson and family of near Newfolden moved yesterday to Grand Forks.

Some more Indian summer weather this week makes it fine for farm work and threshing.

Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg and Mr and Mrs. E. Johnson were guests at a goose dinner at G. Swenson's Sunday.

Miss Alma Knutson who has had employment at Climax for some time, returned home Thursday for an indefinite stay.

R. L. Adams received a cement mixing machine Saturday and is using it this week in building basement walls under the house occupied by W. A. Lindahl and family.

Charley Heinze showed us a common turnip last week that weighs 17 lbs., raised on his farm and he says if it was a rutabaga of that size it would weigh about 24 lbs. Surely root crops of all kinds do well in this country.

C. W. Christianson made a heavy drag for the county recently which they have used some on the state road north of town and is a decided advantage to the road, but more dragging is needed there before the ground freezes.

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Important News Events of the World Summarized

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Construction of 454 vessels of 1,800,000 deadweight tons is the additional program of the shipping board disclosed to the house appropriations committee at Washington by Chairman Hurley in explaining his request for additional authorization of $484,000,000 for the present fiscal year.

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Maximum and minimum retail prices for shoes as agreed to by the industry, and ranging from $3 to $12 for men and women, were announced by the war industries board at Washington.

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By a vote of 53 to 31, the senate at Washington failed to give the two-thirds majority necessary to adopt the resolution passed by the house submitting to the states the Susan B. Anthony suffrage amendment to the federal Constitution.

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All men who have had any experience in seafaring life were called upon, in a personal appeal by President Wilson at Washington, to submit with their questionnaires a detailed account of such experience, so that the government may know where to obtain seamen when their services are required for the merchant marine.

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The house at Washington passed without a dissenting vote and sent to the senate the administration emergency power bill, providing for government acquisition and extension of electric power plants. It authorizes the expenditure of $175,000,000 for extending existing plants or building new ones.

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President Wilson stepped into the breach of the senate fight over the woman suffrage resolution and in a personal address in the senate chamber at Washington asked for its passage as a war measure.

U. S.—Teutonic War News

Twenty patients, many of them already suffering from wounds received in battle, were killed when a German shell struck an American hospital several nights ago northwest of Verdun.

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It was reported in Paris that the Germans had shelled the American field hospital at Bethincourt and had set it on fire. The report is unconfirmed.

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American troops co-operated with the Japanese in the occupation of Blagovyeshchensk, the capital of the Amur province. The allied forces entered the city on the heels of the bolsheviki.

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The American bombardment of the fortress of Metz is getting on the nerves of the German people. This is emphasized by a correspondent of the Rhenisch Westphalian Gazette of Essen.

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Scarcity of coal and wood in France has forced the general headquarters of the American expeditionary forces to limit the amount of fuel for cooking and heating purposes.

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European War News

The Turkish forces in Persia have been ordered by Constantinople to leave at once, according to a report reaching the state department at Washington from Teheran.

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American, British and Italian warships have destroyed the Austrian naval base at Durazzo and the warships anchored there, according to an announcement made by Premier Orlando at Rome.

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Fifty thousand prisoners have been taken by General Allenby in the last seven days, according to estimates of the American diplomatic agents at Cairo. He also reported to the state department the German commander, General Von Sanders, narrowly escaped capture.

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The first unit of the Roumanian foreign legion has completed preparations to take its position on the front in France, dispatches received at Washington through official sources said.

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Serbia is being evacuated by the Bulgarian troops, who are returning to Bulgarian territory, according to the Serbian official statement.

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Belgian cavalry has come into action in the neighborhood of Roulers and has succeeded in clearing up strips of the country.

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Emperor William, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam, has sent the following telegram to the Westphalian Patriotic society: "Germany is decided to utilize all force to fight this enforced defensive war until a victorious end is secured and the fatherland protected for all time against foreign oppression."

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Damascus, the capital of Syria, was occupied by General Allenby's forces Tuesday morning, according to an official statement issued by the London war office.

Occupation of Bulgaria by allied troops is progressing normally, according to Marcel Hutin of the Echo de Paris. Bulgarian troops resist at certain points, he says, but submit as soon as they are apprised of the fact that an armistice has been signed. German troops which have been fighting in Macedonia are moving northward and appear to be organizing a defensive line along the Danube.

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German military authorities have begun to remove the inhabitants of Alsace, according to the Democrate, in expectation of a Franco-American attack on the frontier. The inhabitants of 20 villages, including Ferrette, Goutavon and Winkel, already have been sent to Bavaria. Some of the villagers have escaped across the Swiss frontier.

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In their retirement from St. Quentin the Germans removed all the inhabitants. When the French troops entered the town there were no civilians to be found.

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Very heavy casualties were inflicted on the bolshevik troops by the entente forces when they captured Ukhtinskaya in northern European Russia September 20, according to an official statement issued by the London war office.

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British casualties for the week ending Saturday, September 28, as announced by the London war office, follow: Officers killed or dead of wounds, 432; men, 3,936; officers wounded or missing, 804; men, 19,757. Total, 24,929.

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Foreign

The number of victims in the great railway disaster north of Malmo, Sweden, is not known, but the fatalities are estimated at 90. As far as can be learned no Americans are among the casualties.

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The Bulgarian peace delegates who went to Saloniki and signed the armistice agreement with the allies have returned to Sofia.

Prince Maximilian of Baden has been named German imperial chancellor, according to a Berlin dispatch.

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The second shipment of gold from Russia to Germany has arrived at the German frontier, and has been taken over by an official of the reichsbank, according to a Berlin dispatch.

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Kei Hara, one of the leaders of the great Seiyu Kai party, has been appointed premier of the new Japanese cabinet, succeeding the Terauchi administration. In addition he will be minister of justice.

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The entire German ministry has resigned, according to advices received at Amsterdam.

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Three hundred and fifty persons have been killed in a railway accident at Malmo, Sweden. Fifty children who were returning to Stockholm from the country are among the dead.

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Personal

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, visited the American front in France. After his visit he left for Italy.

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Domestic

A strike went into effect on all the lines of the International railway at Buffalo, N. Y., and in nearby cities and towns. The tie-up is complete, the company making no effort to move cars.

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Maj. Whitton Bast, commander of the Mitchel aviation field at Garden City, L. I., was killed when his automobile overturned while on his way to the field.

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Barranquitas, Porto Rico, with a subscription of $11,000, was reported as the first town in Porto Rico to subscribe its quota to the fourth Liberty loan.

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The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company of Milwaukee subscribed $7,000,000 of the fourth Liberty loan bonds.

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Chicago was thrilled from the newsboy to the banker by the news that Bulgaria had signed an armistice and was the first nation of the foes practically to surrender to the allies.

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A woman and two children were drowned in Staten Island sound, off Elizabethport, when the ferry boat Arthur Mills crashed into the slip with such force that an automobile truck rolled off the rear of the boat into the water.

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Five boys riding on the top of a box car were killed and a sixth sustained a sprained ankle when six cars of a fast north-bound freight train went into the ditch at a grade crossing near Hammond, Ind.

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Closing of schools, churches, theaters and all places of public assemblage in Philadelphia was ordered to continue for an indefinite time. This action was taken by the board of health after the receipt of reports showing the alarming spread of influenza. The order does not affect saloons.

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After he had shot and killed two persons and probably fatally wounded another, Edward Bittinger, seventy-five years old, was killed by a member of a posse at Harrisburg, Ill.

STATE BREVITIES

Virginia. — Postmasters nominated by President Wilson included George L. Williams, Virginia.

Hibbing. — Raymond G. Houle, arrested by the Nashwauk police for desertion from the Canadian army, was given his freedom by the Itasca county authorities.

Nashwauk.—The village council decided to exact a license of $2 from all soft drink places to place them under village control and prevent possible blind pigging.

West Duluth.—West Duluth police caused the arrest of fifty-three offenders during September. Of this total, twenty-seven were drunks, all of whom were arrested before the town of Oliver went dry.

Hibbing.—William Kennedy, for ten years a resident of Kelly Lake, employed as a policeman by the township of Stuntz, died at a local hospital of cancer from which he had been a sufferer since last April.

Duluth.—A new high mark for a single month was set in Duluth bank clearings during September. An aggregate of $71,793,319.53 was set, as compared with $37,047,849.26 during the same period last year.

Virginia. — The war headquarters sold over the counter since June 14, $94,799.49 in War Savings Stamps. There were ninety-three working days, making an average of over $1,000 sales in War Savings stamps every day.

Winona.—Maj. Oliver J. Quane, once court-martialed for insubordination and suspended for six months for circulating a round robin among the officers and men of the old Second Minnesota regiment, is in France. He is with a machine gun battalion.

Brainerd—P. W. Bidwell, who has a forty-acre farm at Island Lake, six miles southwest of Brainerd, did well in potatoes, raising a fine crop of Burbanks. His corn matured and off a small patch he harvested eighty baskets.

Nashwauk.—Local people are taking pride in the richness of the soil in this section as evidenced by many large potatoes brought here for display and for sale. Among those shown were some raised on the McLeod farm, eight miles north of town, some of which weighed three pounds.

Minneapolis. — Enlargement of the draft training detachment at Dunwoody institute to 1,000 men and erection of barracks on institute property just west of the school, is provided for in a contract with the war department just completed. The larger class will begin work at Dunwoody Nov. 1.

Deerwood.—Many Crow Wing and Aitkin county people attended the formal opening of the new sanitorium for treatment of tuberculosis at Deerwood. The sanitorium was erected jointly by the counties of Aitkin and Crow Wing and is in charge of Dr. Herbert F. Gammons as superintendent.

Mankato.—At a meeting of the Mankato presbytery at Fulda, resolutions were adopted deploring the methods used in many communities to raise funds for war work. The resolutions condemn the uses that involve Sabbath desecration and gambling, and urges the church to work against these methods.

Blooming Prairie.—Liquor valued at $18,000 was taken from three alleged blindpigs here and from six automobiles alleged to have been transporting it to Iowa, by a score of special agents of the State Public Safety commission. Four of the autoists were arraigned before a justice of the peace and fined $100 each.

Duluth.—Mrs. Genevieve Farrar was given a verdict of $12,000 in district court here in damages from the Northern Pacific and Duluth and Messabe Northern railroads. Her husband was killed several years ago and it was alleged that while unconscious he signed papers freeing the roads of responsibility. The case was taken on the ground that he was not in his right mind when he signed the release.

Minneapolis. — All navy recruiting stations in Minnesota and North and South Dakota have been permanently closed by order of Lieut. George A. Treadwell, navy mobilization officer in Minneapolis and former head of recruiting. The stations affected are in St. Paul, Duluth, Fargo, Grand Forks and Minot. Closing of these substations was made necessary through the new regulations that throw the entire manpower burden of the United States on draft boards.

Waterville.—M. R. Everett of Waterville, well known throughout the state as a lawyer, banker and legislator, died at his home after a lingering illness. Mr. Everett served as county superintendent of schools for nine years. He entered the banking business in Waterville in 1884 and a few years later was admitted to the bar. He served 12 years as state senator and six years as county attorney. He held many other offices as president of the village council and member of the school board. He was the first mayor of Waterville and at the time of his death was serving as city attorney.

St. Paul.—Lumber production in Minnesota mills will be directed by government agencies to best serve war-time needs, according to E. H. Frothingham of the federal forest service, who is in Minnesota to confer with lumber men. He consulted State Forester Cox and left later for Duluth to complete his Minnesota work there. Lumber production for special war needs will be suggested by the war industries board through the forestry service, Mr. Frothingham said. A monthly report from lumber mills of available stock will be made as a first step in the plan of co-operation.

Winona. — William Hayes Laird, owner and publisher of the Winona Republican Herald, is dead. Mr. Laird was 59 years old.

Ely.—A recent Red Cross benefit given at the opera house by Finnish women realized $233.98, which was turned over to the organization.

St. Cloud.—Mr. and Mrs. John Kraemer of West Union received a cablegram informing them that their son, Henry, had been killed in action.

Bemidji.—Beuford M. Gile, who was formerly high school agriculturist of this city, has been chosen agricultural vocational supervisor of the Smith-Hughes high schools of the state.

St. Cloud.—Arrangements are being made for the usual normal entertainment course, consisting of lectures and musical numbers, to be given at the normal during the fall and winter terms.

Duluth.—Dr. Roland Charles Bromund, 24, formerly of Duluth, died in Chicago, where he has been practicing dentistry the last year. His sudden death was caused by an operation on the intestinal tract.

Winona.—James McConnon, for 32 years identified with the lumbering industry here and a conspicuous figure during the early days of that business along the Mississippi river, died in this city. He was 84 years old.

Hibbing.—At a meeting of the newly organized National Guard company at the Armory, George Healy, first lieutenant of the Home Guard, was elected captain, Carl Johnson, first lieutenant, and Ben Frink, second lieutenant.

Hinckley. — Alfred R. Merritt, 49, farmer living near here, was accidentally shot when a .22-caliber revolver carried by his son, who was helping him do chores, went off accidentally in the boy's pocket, and he died the next morning, the bullet striking him in the temple.

Duluth. — Ore shipments from the docks at the head of the lakes in the month of September were 6,332,317 tons, compared with 6,756,876 tons the corresponding month last year. In spite of the decline, the total for the year up to Oct. 1 is nearly 1,000,000 tons ahead of corresponding dates last year.

Hibbing.—Lieut. William Garrity is a prisoner of war in Germany and is wounded, according to a cablegram received by his wife, residing here. The young aviator, who joined the Canadian Royal air forces, trained in Canada for several months and was later sent to England and finally to France.

Moorhead — Sixty-one Moorhead men have signed up for the new National Guard company being organized in Moorhead, with A. M. Hopeman as captain. The company will be known as Company F of the Third battalion. Plans already have been well advanced for the establishment of an armory.

Minneapolis. — Civilian instructors for army and navy men in training at Dunwoody institute are needed at once. This announcement was made by H. W. Kavel, acting director. Men specially trained in automobile, electrical, sheet metal, blacksmithing, radio operating and radio theory branches are urged to report at the school.

Detroit. — A fine Jersey bull, which came to this county as a prize won by a Becker county boy who did the best club work in the northern half of the state two years ago, was one of the notable exhibits at the cattle barn at the county fair. By his side was a fine Jersey heifer, one of his get. They are the property of Jelmer Carlson, son of J. C. Carlson.

St. Paul.—That the Federal Railroad Administration may adopt prompt measures to expedite potatoes and grain shipments before the advent of cold weather was indicated by R. H. Aishton, Chicago, regional director of the government railroad administration, in a telegram to Chairman Mills of the state railroad and warehouse commission.

Minneapolis.—Civil and military authorities in Minneapolis estimated there are approximately 1,000 cases of Spanish influenza in the city. This number included 510 army cases at the Fort Snelling hospital, and 70 known cases among civilians, and it was estimated by Dr. H. M. Guilford, city health commissioner, that fully 300 cases existing among civilians had not been reported to the city health department.

Winona.—Fifty per cent of the students at St. Mary's college, just outside the limits of the city of Winona, are ill with Spanish influenza. None of the cases is serious, according to the school authorities. The disease also has made its appearance in Winona. Public gatherings have been discouraged, and if the disease spreads, the authorities are prepared to close all amusement places, schools and churches.

Bemidji. — Eleven hundred dollars has been appropriated by the Beltrami board of county commissioners to be given to the citizens of Tyler, whose homes were destroyed by a tornado that struck there recently. The appropriation is being made with the understanding that it will be turned over to the citizens of the city, provided a bill authorizing that procedure is passed by the Minnesota State Legislature at its next session.

Mora.—Many farmers have been short of help in the potato harvest and the busines men, children and even the women are lending a helping hand to save the potato crop. Several grades in the public schools have closed on this account.

Red Lake Falls.—Red Lake county will contribute its share, $1,000, towards the building of a new $20,000 livestock pavilion at Crookston, according to assurances given Crookston business men at a meeting of Red Lake county farmers, stock breeders and business men held at the Commercial club.

SAY MINISTER WAS A FLIRT

Pastor Charged With Murder of Wife Had Many Love Affairs.

COURTS CHURCH GIRLS

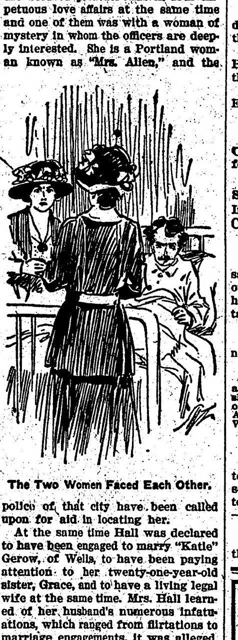
Accused Divine Said to Have Planned Marriage With One Girl After Paying Ardent Suit to Another.

Wells Depot, Me.—A cloak of mystery surrounds the death of Mrs. Minnie Stevens Hall, wife of the Rev. Henry H. Hall, pastor of the Union Baptist church here, who declared that she fell from a high bridge to a pile of rocks in a dry creek on the night of June 11. The minister has been lodged in jail at Alfred, Me., charged with the murder of Mrs. Hall. Numerous stories of the prisoner's flirtations have been circulated and detectives are securing considerable evidence in the most sensational case that has been brought to light in Maine in many years.

The body of the woman has been exhumed. The autopsy was made in the dimly lighted chapel of the little Baptist church where Mr. Hall had preached. Within three hours of the time that her body was disinterred and submitted to a critical official examination it was returned to its casket and grave, and laid at rest forever.

Had Many Love Affairs.

Developments of a startling nature have been made during the investigation. Among them was the fact that the accused preacher was in four impetuous love affairs at the same time and one of them was with a woman of mystery in whom the officers are deeply interested. She is a Portland woman known as "Mrs. Allen," and the police of that city have been called upon for aid in locating her.



The Two Women Faced Each Other.

At the same time Hall was declared to have been engaged to marry "Katie" Gerow, of Wells, to have been paying attention to her twenty-one-year-old sister, Grace, and to have a living legal wife at the same time. Mrs. Hall learned of her husband's numerous infatuations, which ranged from flirtations to marriage engagements, it was alleged.

When Hall was a patient at the Marine hospital at Portland, he received daily visits from another woman. She is said to have carried him flowers and it was thought that she was to marry him. Mrs. Hall went to the hospital one day to see her husband, and while she was at his bedside the woman appeared for her customary visit, but was informed that she could not go into the ward because at that time the patient's wife was with him. The visitor exclaimed that Hall had no wife, and insisting that he was engaged to be married to her, rushed into the ward where she demanded an explanation from Hall. Hospital attendants took a hand in the affair when the two women faced each other and realized the truth.

On the day of the funeral of his wife, Hall was almost blithesome. At the home of the wife's mother, when the funeral cortege was being formed, he beckoned to a woman to ride in the carriage with him and in which were his wife's mother and his daughter, Frances. There had been village gossip which linked the minister's name with the woman, and Mrs. Stephens was unable to withstand the added indignity of riding in the same carriage with the woman. She protested and her objectionable companion was removed.

Sentiment Is Divided.

The people of the community are divided as to the guilt or innocence of the minister. The members of his congregation believe him innocent and declare the charges preferred are the work of enemies whose ill will be secured by conducting a vigorous campaign against gambling. The Gerow girls indignantly deny that their relations with the Rev. Mr. Hall were other than proper and that they were interested in him only because of his religious activities.

Sheridan, Wyo., has passed an ordinance closing all places of business on Sundays and legal holidays.

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Marvelous Story of Woman's Change from Weakness to Strength by Taking Druggist's Advice.

Peru, Ind.—"I suffered from a displacement with backache and dragging down pains so badly that at times I could not be on my feet and it did not seem as though I could stand it. I tried different medicines without any benefit and several doctors told me nothing but an operation would do me any good. My druggist told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it with the result that I am now well and strong. I get up in the morning at four o'clock, do my housework, then go to a factory and work all day, come home and get supper and feel good. I don't know how many of my friends I have told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Mrs. ANNA METERIANO, 86 West 10th St., Peru, Ind.

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Private Buller (former press agent doing sentry duty)—Halt! Who goes there?

Private Leggett (former reporter)—Hist! Joe, could you slip me two on the aisle for Monday night?

Private Buller—Pass, fiend!—Buffalo Express.

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Edward, just before getting in bed, said the usual good night to the various members of his family. As he hopped into bed his mother heard him talking.

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He's Usually Not Worth It.

The trouble with the man you have to know to like is that usually he is so disagreeable that few people care to make a second attempt to know him.—Detroit Free Press.

Some men actually know a few of the things they believe.

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A Montana Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Mrs. J. N. Browning, 620 Birch St., Anaconda, Mont., says: "I had a lot of trouble from my kidneys. My back ached all the time and was so lame and sore I could hardly keep at my housework. I often had dizzy spells when everything would turn black before me. My father, a doctor, who was visiting me from Utah, said he would get something for me. When he brought it, I noticed it was Doan's Kidney Pills. I used them and four boxes of Doan's completely cured me."

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Mr. Louis Young, 205 Merrimac St., Rochester, N. Y., writes:

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We bought a bottle of Peruna and I took it faithfully, and I began to feel better.

My wife persuaded me to continue, and I took it for some time as directed. Now I am a well man."

Suffered thirty years with stomach trouble and hemorrhages of the bowels.

Liquid or Tablet Form

Another Discovery.

Among the visitors at Atlantic City yesterday were 1,500 husky soldiers from the Southwestern states, training at Camp Dix. Two big Arizonians in the group, wandering along the board walk, were getting their first near glimpse of the ocean.

They walked down the steps to the beach, watched the waves for a moment and approached the water's edge. There they leaned over, dipped their fingers in the water and put the fingers in their mouth.

"By cracky!" said one, "it is salty, isn't it?"

His Last Name.

The teacher was questioning the class in history. "Who is the king of England, Mildred?" she asked.

"George is his first name," came the answer. "His last name isn't in the book, but it begins with a V."—Passing Show.

Didn't Understand.

"Mr. Smith's boy got the croix de guerre." "I always knew that lad would come to grief."

Ask the Waves.

The following is part of the diary of a U. S. A. soldier who had promised to give daily accounts of his experiences on board ship:

"Tuesday, 17th, 8 o'colck a. m. Feeling fine. Full of good cheer and porridge.

"Tuesday, 9 o'clock a. m. Still full of good cheer. Minus the porridge!"

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A Poor Memory.

Monk—Now what did my wife tie that knot in my tail for to make me remember?

The wise man learns something every time the fool blunders.

If fame came only after death no man would kill himself striving for it.

GOOD-BYE BACKACHE, KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLES

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The first sign of stomach misery usually comes after over-eating. The doctors call it "superacidity". The people say—"sour stomach".

Millions of people who have lost their ambition, energy, courage, vitality and strength—who are weak, pale and listless—who go through life just dragging one foot after another—tired and worn out nearly all the time—nervous, irritable, subject to severe headache, insomnia, and a long train of physical ills—would be surprised, yes, dumbfounded, to learn that it is just an acid-stomach that is causing them all their misery. Yet in nearly nine cases out of ten that is just where the trouble starts.

Now a sour, acid-stomach, or "superacidity", of course, simply means too much acid in the stomach. You can now quickly rid your stomach of its excess acid. A wonderful modern remedy called EATONIC literally wipes it out. It does the work easily, quickly and thoroughly. It makes the stomach pure, sweet, cool and comfortable. It helps you to get full strength out of every mouthful of food you eat; and unless you do get full strength from your food you cannot enjoy robust, vigorous health.

EATONIC is in tablet form. They are pleasant tasting—just like a bit of candy—and are absolutely harmless. Take EATONIC and find out for yourself how wonderfully different you will feel. See how quickly EATONIC banishes the immediate effects of acid-stomach—bloat, heartburn, belching, food repeating, indigestion, etc. See, too, how quickly your general health improves—how much you relish your food—how much more easily your food is digested—how soundly you sleep—how nervousness and irritability disappear. And all simply because, by taking EATONIC, you have rid your stomach of a lot of excess acid that has been holding back and making your life miserable.

So get a big box of EATONIC from your druggist today. He is authorized to guarantee EATONIC to please you and you can trust him to make this guarantee good. If EATONIC fails in any way, take it back—he will refund your money. If your druggist does not keep EATONIC write to us direct and we will send you a big 50c box and you can send us the 50c after you receive it. Address: H. L. Kramer, Prest, Eatonic Remedy Co. 1018 Wabash Ave., Chicago.

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SMALL CHANCE FOR ARMISTICE

With French Making Continued Gains, Wilson Confers on Peace Note.

"HINDY" QUITS, REPORT

Senate Leaders and Allied Press Say Armistice Should Not Be Considered Now—French Take Important Points.

Washington, Oct. 8.—Wilson confers with allied leaders; French make further smashing gains; Hindenburg resigns after telling the kaiser further retreats are inevitable; senate denounces armistice as unthinkable at this time—so runs the thread of the day's news following the announcement of Kaiser Wilhelm's new peace offensive which was designed to set all nations into a sudden spasm of aversion to further continuance of the war.

With his Macedonian front collapsed, by his own admission to his own people; and with continued disaster inevitable according to the dictum of his most trusted military leader, the kaiser has established a "government" under Prince Max which hopes to avert further war by a recitation of its willingness to quit and consider the fourteen suggestions of President Wilson as the basis for negotiations regarding peace. That these suggestions are not a basis for negotiations at all, but a minimum of the requirements that must absolutely be accepted by the enemy without question is the prevalent opinion here; in which not only senate leaders, but also the influential press of America and the allied nations appear to almost universally concur.

Wilson Confers With Allied Leaders.

Washington, Oct. 8.—President Wilson is conferring with the premiers of the entente nations over the form of an answer to be made to Germany's latest peace proposals. The indications are that it will not be dispatched for a day or two. While there may be some question as to the form of the reply, there is no question whatever as to its nature. It may not use the short and forceful term, "unconditional surrender" which would reflect the sentiment which has come from the spokesmen of the nation, but it is sure to convey to the German government very clearly the fact that nothing less than the terms already laid down can be accepted, and that those terms cannot be made merely "the basis for negotiation." As to an armistice, such a step would be looked upon as suicidal and not to be thought of.

Senate Leaders Oppose Armistice.

Washington, Oct. 8.—Immediate rejection of the German and Austrian proposal for an armistice and peace negotiations was demanded in the senate yesterday by the leaders voicing the common sentiment of the membership.

There was no dissent from the view that an armistice would defeat all that America and the allies have been fighting for.

Vin Hindenburg Resigns.

London, Oct. 8.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg has resigned as chief of the German general staff after a heated interview with the emperor in which the field marshal declared that a retreat on a large scale was impossible to avoid, according to a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam. The correspondent based his dispatch on reports from the frontier.

Beirut and Berry-Au-Bac Taken.

Washington, Oct. 8.—The troops of the French general, Berthelot, have delivered a successful blow against the Germans northwest of Rheims which adds materially to the menace that is hanging over the German front from the North sea to the Swiss border. This was the capture of Berry-Au-Bac, on the north side of the Aisne, about ten and a half miles northwest of Rheims and only a scant five miles from the eastern end of the famous Chemin Des Dames ridge at Craonne. A further advance northward across the railroad not alone will put the great stronghold of Laon in a pocket, but also will outflank Neufchatel, another enemy stronghold on the west.

The Turks also have suffered a serious blow in the loss to the French of Beirut, capital of the vilayet of Syria. The occupation of this seaport on the Mediterranean by a French naval division gives the allies a base for the landing of men who can operate in all directions against the Turks over the roads radiating from it.

Yanks Win Further Advance.

With the American Army Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 8.—The Americans achieved another important but local success yesterday by forcing the Germans out of Chatel Chehery, north west of Apremont. Pushing forward they overcame the stubborn resistance of the enemy and settled themselves on the commanding heights west of the River Aire. Nothing of importance occurred on the other portions of the American front throughout the day. The troops in the center of the attack met the first obstacle in ten minutes.

CENTRAL POWERS "OFFER" PARLEY TO EFFECT PEACE

With Macedonian Front Collapsed and Western Lines Crumbling, Germany Would Negotiate.

14 POINTS AS "BASIS"

New German Chancellor Claims Government Now Favors Peace on Lines Set Forth by American President——Wilson Is Asked to Take Initiative and Ask Other Entente Powers.

Copenhagen, Oct. 7.—Prince Maximilian of Baden, the new German imperial chancellor, has announced in the reichstag that he has sent a note, through the Swiss government, to President Wilson in which he has requested Mr. Wilson to take up the question of bringing about peace and to communicate with the other belligerents regarding the subject.

The chancellor told the reichstag he had addressed his note to the president of the United States because Mr. Wilson, in his message to congress on January 8, 1918, and in his later pronouncements, particularly his New York speech on September 27, had proposed a program for a general peace which Germany and her allies could accept as a basis for negotiations.

Text of Chancellor's Note.

Amsterdam, Oct. 7.—The text of the note forwarded by the imperial German chancellor, Prince Maximilian, to President Wilson, through the Swiss government, follows:

"The German government requests the president of the United States to take in hand the restoration of peace, acquaint all the belligerent states of this request and invite them to send plenipotentiaries for the purpose of opening negotiations.

"It accepts the program set forth by the president of the United States in his message to congress on January 8, and in his later pronouncements, especially his speech of September 27, as a basis for peace negotiations.

"With a view to avoiding further bloodshed, the German government requests the immediate conclusion of an armistice on land and water and in the air."

It is announced that Turkey will take a similar step.

Kaiser Asks Continued Resistance.

Berlin, Oct. 7, (via Basel, Switzerland).—Emperor William yesterday issued a proclamation to the German army and navy in which, after announcing that the Macedonian front had crumbled, he declared that he had decided, in accord with his allies, to again offer peace to the enemy.

The text of the emperor's proclamation reads, in part:

"For months past the enemy, with enormous exertions and almost without pause in the fighting, has stormed against your lines. In weeks of struggle, often without repose, you have had to preserve and resist a numerically far superior army. Therein lies the greatness of the task which has been set for you and which you are fulfilling. Troops of all the German states are doing their part and are heroically defending the fatherland on foreign soil. Hard is the task.

"My navy is holding its own against the united enemy and naval forces and is unwaveringly supporting the army in its difficult struggle.

"Whether arms will be lowered is a question. Until then, we must not slacken. We must, as hitherto, exert all our strength unwearily to hold our ground against the onslaught of our enemies.

"The hour is grave, but, trusting in your strength and in God's gracious help, we feel ourselves to be strong enough to defend our beloved fatherland.

(Signed) "WILHELM."

Foe Still Withdrawing in Belgium.

Washington, Oct. 7.—While Germany and Austria-Hungary are clamoring for an immediate armistice with an "honorable" peace to follow negotiations in which President Wilson's pronouncements shall be accepted "as a basis," the allied armies are still pressing forward on all fronts and winning further victories. The Germans everywhere are being forced to give ground to the allied troops, and in Belgium the enemy is steadily being pushed eastward, and in anticipation of a forced final withdrawal, is continuing to make ready for that eventuality by removing his guns and otherwise lessening the value of his defensive works in the territory upon and adjacent to the North sea coast.

Austria Also Favors 14 Terms.

Amsterdam, Oct. 7.—The new peace note of Baron Burian, Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, declares that all of President Wilson's terms have been accepted, according to a Vienna dispatch to the Frankfort Zeitung, which is quoted in the Dutche Press.

According to advices sent through Berne, Switzerland, by the Havas agency, Germany, Austria-Hungary and Turkey have resolved simultaneously to ask President Wilson to make representation in their interest for a general armistice and negotiations for a general peace.

Forward!

With no thought of bursting shrapnel and poisonous gases into which they plunge—with every muscle tense, with every faculty of mind alert, with one thought only—TO FIGHT AND WIN.

That is the way our men are going into battle. When the shrill whistle sounds the advance, out they go—their whole heart in the task before them. *No power on earth can hold them back.*

Forward!

The same sharp challenge to battle is sounding for us. We must answer in the same proud way—the way of our fighting men—the American way. *We must lend the way they fight.*

We must show the war-maddened Hun a united American people moving forward shoulder to shoulder, irresistibly, to Victory.

Our task is to supply the money, the ships, the guns, the shells that we must have to win. It is a tremendous task. We must do it as our fighting men do theirs—with the indomitable spirit of Victory.

We must work, and save, and lend with one thought only—TO FIGHT AND WIN.

Get into the fight—with your whole heart. Buy Bonds—to the utmost!

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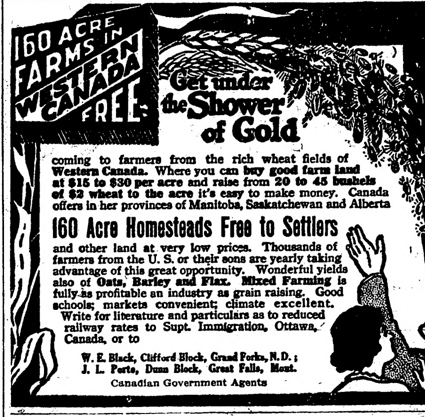

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His Interpretation.

They were discussing the many interpretations of the mystic "P. F. 9-20." Each had had his fling except the meek little man.

"I thought it was a kinda slogan the profiteers had got up against us poor public, meaning 'Poor Fish.'"

"Well, but where does the '9-20' come in?" asked the guy with the furrowed brow.

"Why that means if sumpin's worth 9 cents we gotta pay 20."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Inconsistency.

"Did you ever notice," queried the almost philosopher, "that a man will stick his hand out to see if it's raining and then become peeved if he catches a drop on it?"

Strong Hope.

"That widower is all broken up."

"Oh, he'll soon be repaired."—Baltimore American.

Toasts and Roasts.

At a little luncheon recently held by a mutual admiration club, the following toasts were proposed:

"His highness, the hetman of Ukraine! Hurrah! Hurrah! Hurrah!" —Kaiser Bill.

"His majesty, the German kaiser! Hoch, hoch, hoch!"—General Skoropadski of Ukraine.

Such outbursts of impassioned eloquence and expressions of undying fealty will probably go thundering down the ages and cause even President Wilson to shake in his shoes—with laughter.

Children should be seen and not heard, but the kaiser's six should neither be seen nor heard.

This is a wide world, but a lot of people in it live on a narrow margin

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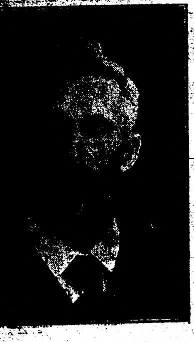

. S. Kolden has lived in Mar- l county for more than fifteen rs, during a part of that time he engaged in business. By fair ling he made many firm friends will be glad to work and vote him for county auditor.

efore engaging in business, here ad experience in county office is thoroughly competent to do work in the auditor's office. He ccomodating and courteous and see to it that everyone gets a are deal.

Ir Kolden has before been en- ed in farming, which is his upation at present, and has made ccess of it. He can be counted as a friend of the farmer as well of the business and professional n of Marshall county.

One of his sons is assistant cashier bank at Mentor, is married and two children. He has three er grown up sons who are single . Two of them have been in country's service for sometime, the other one has passed the al examination and expected called this month, but the er calls may be held up awhile account of the spread of the ish influenza.

This paper takes pride in present- the name of S. S. Kolden for ty Auditor and we urge all our ers to work for him now, and to for him on Tuesday Nov. 5th. Eastern Marshall county will nev- get anything unless we go after

Here now is our chance, let's ke use of the opportunity given Hurrah for Kolden!

Good Cream Checks.

List of Patrons of Holt Creamery drawing $40.00 and over for July.

J. Knutson $141.66, C. L. Heinze 97.94, Olaus Rodahl 93.32, J. M. Ryan & Co. 88.04, Hans Fosholm 87.89, T. O. Dovre 86.11, L. Wegge 85.63, M. J Lunke 85.18, Swan Carlson 82.16, Erik Johnson 81.72, O. A. Knutson 81.13, John Swan 80.93, John Magnuson 80.11, E. J. Warner 78.25, Ed Horien 78.02, Chris Jefferson 77.83, Tosten Elefson 77.08, S. Nohre 76.92, Lars Hellesylt 75.98, Olaf Johnson 74.34 Fred Peterson 73.98, Ole J. Lunke 72.06, Nels Gudvangen 70.42, Julius Faiman 69.23, M. S. Sampson 68.45, G. P. Sorter 67,49, P. Reierson 67.14, M. O. Halvorson 66.58, Hans Knutson 63.64, A. C. Jahr 60.79, Walter Wegge 60.26, Herman Heinse 60.07, Skoglund Bros. 56.58, C. E. Smith 56.26, Edwin Erickson 55.97, Carl Larson 55.63, Const Hoffman 55.29, John Udstrand 52.80, Gust Peterson 52.12, Nels Lysne 51.63, Will Steinhauer 51.57, Nels Fosen 50.94, George J. Hanson 50. 63, J. Engstrom 49.85, A. Movig 49. 57, Edw Hanson 49.08 Fred Larson 48.79, Tom Sevrson 48.65, Chris Saastad 48.13, Theo Sorum 48.57, Mrs. Halfdan Hanson 46.29, W. Rux 45.45, Chris Evenson 44.92, A. Bjerk 41.52, Fred Steinhauer 40.55, Torger Nass 40.37, Otto Johnson 41.51.

Obert Reierson returned home last week Thursday from Kempton, No. Dak.

Mr. Tyson of Grand Forks came Saturday to visit at D. W. Groshon's near Golden Valley.

Unpaid subscriptions to this paper will be stopped Oct. 26th, in obedience to Government orders.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg received word Saturday that their son Fridjof was sick with influenza at Erskine where he is working. Later reports this week said he was getting better.

I will trade a Flandus 4 passenger automobile for horses, or what have you to trade me?

Casper J. Dale,
Star Route, Holt, Minn.

Vote the pink ballot first on Nov. 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson visited in Holt Wednesday.

Drs. Paulson and Mellby have a new card in this weeks paper.

Miss Christine Waggedahl is numbered with the sick, this week.

Dyderick Nyberg returned last week from Devils Lake, N. D.

The last half of the real estate taxes are to be paid this month.

The three weeks old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Dahl is on the sick list.

Mrs. Melquist and little son Russell went to Erskine Tuesday to visit relatives.

John Paulsberg of Grand Forks came Saturday to look after his farm work near Golden Valley.

A few of our young men have been notified to report in Warren next week for examination for the army.

Lost: Two legs and center leaf for small extension table. Finder please return to Chas. Mclean or to the printing office.

Mrs. Peter J. Bjerken received a card Saturday from her husband stating he had arrived safely over seas.

Orders are orders and must be obeyed. We, please remember are ordered to stop unpaid subscriptions Oct. 26th

Andrew Ness of T. R. Falls came Tuesday on business, returning the same day accompanied by John Johnson who will help him during theshing.

Justice Carlson, candidate for Sheriff and Lewis M. Olson for Register of Deeds were in this vicinity the forepart of the week looking after their political interests.

A. C. Jahr went to T. R. Falls Saturday to meet his daughter Lillie who has been in Crosby Minn. for some time. Miss Lillie has now entered the Holt school and we wish her success.

Will trade my 35 horse power 5 passenger Buich automobile for young cattle or milch cows.

Casper J. Dale,
Star Route, Holt, Minn.

AUCTION!

As I am going to quit farming I will sell at public auction on the Gunheim farm, 3-4 mile southeast of Holt, the following property

SATURDAY OCT. 19

Sale begins at 1 o'clock, sharp

Horses, Cattle, Etc.	Machinery, Etc.
Gray gelding 11 years old wt 1500	1 Mitchell wagon, nearly new
Gray mare 7 years old, wt. 1450	2 Hay racks Lots of Tools
Black gelding 9 years old, wt 1600	5 foot Minn. mower, nearly new
Black mare 10 years old, wt. 1500	2 sets of breeching harness with side straps
3 Good milch cows, fresh soon	2 sets extra eveners & neck yokes
Range, Dresser, Extention Table	2 pair horse blankets
2 Beds, Chairs, other household goods too numerous to mention	1 Peoria 12 single disk Drill Several Grass Seed Attachments

TERMS: On amounts of $10.00 and over, time will be given to Nov. 1st, 1919, on bankable notes bearing ten per cent interest. All amounts under $10.00 are payable in Cash.

Oscar Anderson, Owner

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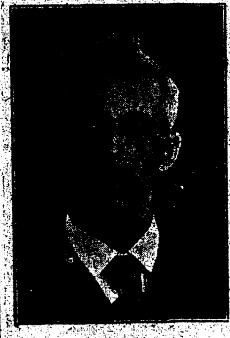

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The Taxpayers Candidate
For County Auditor
He stands for
A SQUARE DEAL
For All The People
Solicits your vote and support at the General Election Nov. 5th

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

Bertle Sollom of Middle River visited his folks in Holt Sunday.

T. E. Ellestead has traded his town property for the southwest quarter of section 28.

Politics is warming up some, several candidates have been out the past week. Read their announcements in this paper.

Don't you want to keep your home paper?

Peter Hanson made a deal last week for a Mitchell Big 4 touring car.

The Misses Martha Peterson, Helen Johnson and Elizabeth Newton were T. R. Falls visitors Saturday.

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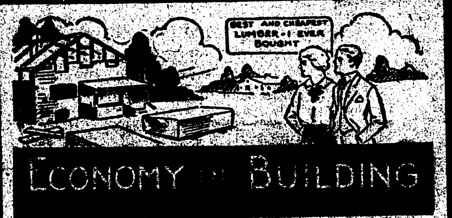
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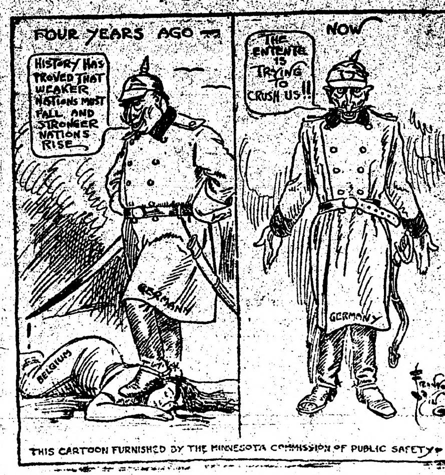
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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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The Holt Weekly News
Successor to and Continuation of
The Northern Light
By The
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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Gold Medal flour at R. Reierson's store, Holt.

Oscar Anderson was a county seat visitor Tuesday.

Please call and settle all twine bills, at once. R. Reierson.

Mr. and Mrs. Aastland and family visited J. E. Erickson's Sunday.

Miss Amanda Mickelson returned to Crookston Wednesday after a few days visit at home.

J. M. Swan shipped two cars of cattle Tuesday. Diedrick Nyberg went along with Mr. Swan.

Edwin Bakke of Thief River Falls visited a few days this week at the Docken and Bakke homes.

Frank Coppey and family expect to leave this week for Washington. The best wishes of their friends go with them to their new home.

Our subscribers have been quite prompt in paying up the past week and the few left no doubt would have done so if they had not been so busy. Renew now as our price goes up Nov. 1st. next.

The Y. P. Society of the Larson congregation will meet at Nels Offerdahl's Sunday evening at 8.

A program has been arranged for and lunch will be served. Everybody is invited to come.

C. L. Sandberg went to Warren Tuesday to attend a meeting of the lumber dealers of the county. Anyone who wants to put up a building costing over $4000.00 must now get a permit from the Government.

Albert Anderson and Misses Evelyn Tessum, Johanna Jacobson, Mollie Hermanson and Hilda Peterson autoed up from Thief River Falls last Saturday and visited at the home of Andrew Movick.

Miss Ida Knutson returned home Wednesday from Dakota where she had been working in a cook car. She was accompanied home by her friends Misses Hulda and Lizzie Johnson of T. R. Falls.

Haskiel H. Dyer is a native of Eastern Tennessee, having been born and reared there. He is a graduate of the Vanderbilt School of Law at Nashville and is a brilliant lawyer, with a national reputation as a dramatic lecturer. Mr. Haskiel will appear in Holt on Thursday eve Oct. 31st, as the second number of the Holt Lyceum Course.

Marshall county has been called on for 53 men to be sent to Camp Cody, New Mexico, next week, also for 60 men to be sent to Camp Forest, Georgia. As there are only 35 men of class 1 of the 1917 registrants left in the county, the quota will have to be made up of this year registrants. The men will be sent south as the influenza does not give any trouble there.

Killed in Action.

A telegram was sent here Wednesday evening from Washington to Mrs. T. Sollom stating her son Adolph had been killed in action in France on Sept. 29th, but no particulars were given. He entered the army in March and was sent to Camp Dodge with the Pennington county contingent. He had been transferred from the artillery to the machine gun battalion.

Mr. Sollom was 32 years old and leaves to mourn his death, the widowed mother, 6 brothers, 6 sisters and other relatives. He is the first of thirteen children to pass to the other shore and the first Soldier from Holt to give his life that the world might be made free from the military rule of the Kaiser.

"Greater love hath no man than this, that he gave his life for his friends."

Words fail to express the sympathy that is extended to the sorrowing mother and the other members of the family and relatives.

Terrific Fire.

One of the most terrible fires past thru the northern part of Mud Lake township last Saturday afternoon and those who saw it will not care to see one again very soon. The fire started northwest by the tamarack headed south east and burned up several tons of hay for A. S. Bornstein and some for John Doane. The Clyde Groner and E. E. Pechie places were both burned to the ground. John Mundhanke was attending a sale at Gatzke at the time of the fire and had left his cows in the barn while he was away. He lost 2 cows, 1 calf, barn, chicken-coop, and 25 tons of timothy hay. Leonard Dahl's barn burned and the fire partly got started in his house but was put out. The log cabin on C. R. Jenkin's place and also the buildings on Harry Brown's, Martin Johnson's and S. G. Vick's places are all burned. The home of Mrs. Fannie Wright is a total loss, her hay being burned some time ago. The saddest part of all was the death of the 11 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gilbert who lost his life in the fire. The entire community extends their sympathy to the family in the loss of their son and brother.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that our subscriptian price will be $1.25 a year, after Nov. 1st. 1918, to all Marshall county subscribers. Now is the time to renew.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS.

The Holt school was closed Monday to prevent an outbreak of the influenza but will open again on Monday as there is no sickness here. Dr. Bracken of the State Board of Health reccommends that school be kept open and a nurse employed who will be furnished by the State Board to communities who are otherwise unable to get one.

Herb Severson, who is working in a garage at T. R. Falls, visited Sunday at home.

Mrs. H. O. Ekerdahlen had dental work done in T. R. Falls the first part of the week.

Mrs. Sundquist and children returned to Grand Forks Wednesday after a short visit at the home of her brother, Albert Hagglund and family.

Hegues is a farmer as well as a banker and is deserving of another term, as senator, as he has made good and worked hard for the people of this district. Mark your ballot for Nels S. Hegues for Senator.

Died

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Dahl was gladened Sept. 27th by the birth of a bright little baby boy but their joys were soon turned to sadness when on Oct. 6th. the little one began to fail. Dr. Atkins was called and every thing possible was done to save the life of the one its parents loved so dearly but of no avail, the babe died Oct. 10th. The babe was baptised and given the name Elmer Rudolph at the age of 10 days. Its sudden taking away has left an aching void which time alone can soothe and heal. We sympathize with the parents in their sad bereavement and may the strength of the everlasting Arms enfold them and support them during this time of trial. The body was laid to rest in the Golden Valley cemetery Oct. 11th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Golden Valley News.

C. Norbeck was threshing for Geo. Olson last Sunday. So the threshers are not wastering much time in Golden Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Odie, Clara Larson, Gunda Moe and Bernard Larson autoed to Carl Larson's Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mabel Rosand who is employed at the Golden Valley Post Office and store, and also her brother who is working for Elmer Odie visited with their folks last Sunday.

A terrible fire swept the country east of Golden Valley, burning all the hay and buildings and also burning to death the 10 year old boy of Frank Gilbert.

Henry Paulsberg returned to Grand Forks Thursday after visiting his father a few weeks.

Ringbo News

The Y. P. Society of the Larson congregation will meet at Nels Offerdahl's Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

A program has been arranged for and lunch will be served. Everybody is invited to come.

Miss Christine Wagedahl is very sick with pneumonia at this writing and is under the care of Dr. Paulson. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Miss Tina Johnson returned Sunday from Warren where she underwent an operation on her throat. She is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Mabel Orcutt of Fargo came up on Wednesday to see her sister Hazel Davidson who is sick with typhoid fever.

County Attorney Eckstrom is too busy with very important Government work (which takes lots of his time) to make a campaign, and will appreciate anything his friends can do for him now and on election day Tuesday Nov. 5th. Remember A N. Eckstrom for County Attorney

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
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For Sheriff

The undersigned is a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Marshall County and respectfully solicits the support of the citizens of Marshall County and their votes at the general election on Nov. 5th. 1918.

If elected, I will perform the duties of the Office with fairness and impartiality to all concerned.

Justice Carlson.

To the Voters of Marshall County:

As a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, I respectfully solicit your support in this campaign and your vote at the Election November 5th.

I have sacrificed that each of the seven members in my family may have a Fourth Liberty Loan Bond, and I am Hooverizing in campaign cards but I assure you that I am in the race, ready to work or fight, and if I don't happen to impose upon you in person before the election I shall be pleased to shake afterwards.

Yours,
Lewis M. Olson.

For County Commissioner.

I wish to announce to the voters of the 5th Commissioner District of Marshall County that I am a candidate for County Commissioner for the district and respectfully solicit your support and your vote on Election Day, Tuesday Nov. 5, 1918.

If elected, I promise to look after the interests of the district the best I possibly can.

T. Aasland.
Thief River Falls, M. R.

For Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Marshall County. I have had the honor of serving you one term and solicit your vote and support for a second term.

My opponent is a good man and would undoubtedly serve you efficiently, but as there is no brotherhood in politics, naturally, I want the office myself, but I leave it to your own good judgement, who should be elected.

I have no time to make a campaign as the work of the Local Board keeps me busy here in the office.

Respectfully
Hans C. Hanson.

Drs. Paulson & Mellby

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O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

Unpaid subscriptions to this paper will be stopped Oct. 26th, in obedience to Government orders.

New Buildings.

M. B. Fitch is having a barn built.

J. J. Little is hauling out lumber for the addition to his large barn.

Adrian Lindholm is hauling out lumber for a small barn on his farm north of town.

Mike Johnson is hauling out lumber from the Winton-Nichols yard for a lean-to to his barn.

Gust Peterson has been hauling out lumber the past week from the Winton-Nichols yard for a barn which he is building 28x40 with 12 foot posts.

Announcement.

To The Voters of Marshall County, Minnesota.

Having received the nomination at the Primaries for the office of Register of Deeds of this County, I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the election to said office.

Having served one term as your Register of Deeds, I respectfully solicit your vote for a second term at the General Election November 5th, 1918, and if elected will assure you as prompt and efficient service in the future as you have received during the past term.

Hoping that I may again receive your generous support and vote, I beg to remain for another term,

Your faithful servant,
Chas. E. Grinder.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of
Torger T. Sollom, Decedent.
State of Minnesota,
County of Marshall In Probate Court
In the Matter of the Estate of
Torger T. Sollom, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to Tilda K. Sollom. It is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 29th day of March 1919, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms, at the City of Warren, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS, published at the Village of Holt, in said County, as provided by law.

Dated September 28th, 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Judge of Probate.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Sept. 24, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph Alby, of Newfolden, Minn., who on July 13, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05273, for SW 1-4 SE 1-4, Section 28, Twp 155 N, Range 44, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn. on the 8th day of November, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole Hall, Nils Johnson, Ole J. Flam, all of Newfolden, Minn. and Peter Mellem, of Rosewood, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.07
Oats	.54
Barley	.61 to .74
Rye	1.45
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage, containing a power of sale, by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Russell Gesell, a single man, mortgagor, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota Corporation), mortgagee, dated March 17th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota on the 22nd day of March, 1917, A. D., at eight o'clock A. M. in Book [illegible] of Mortgages on page 225.

That the amount claimed to be due, and which is due on said mortgage at this date, is the sum of eighty four ($84.00) Dollars, together with the further sum of forty eight ($48.00) Dollars together with interest on said sum from the 12th day of March, 1918, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, the said sum of forty eight ($48.00) Dollars being the interest paid on a prior mortgage which was due on the 12th day of March, 1918, and which was paid by the mortgagee herein pursuant to the terms of the mortgage herein described, making a total due on said mortgage at this date of one hundred thirty four and 40-100 ($134.40) Dollars.

That the premises covered by the said mortgage are described as follows, to-wit:- The Northeast quarter (NE1-4) of Section No. Sixteen (16) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty Six (156) North of Range No. Forty (40), West of 5th P. M. situated in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, Minnesota, or his Deputy, at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 7th day of November, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes, if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the Attorney's fees allowed by Statue.

Dated September 16, 1918.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

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Suggestion on Patches.

All men who are wearing their pants on a win-the-war schedule must be careful that the attritive pressure be distributed so that the two rear patches may become necessary simultaneously. A new patch with a worn companion patch is not sightly and is not indicative of even and symmetrical war service.—Houston Post.

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Rebuke for Jane.

At school the twins are in the first grade. Jane is quite talkative, while John is more quiet and sedate.

Arriving home, Jane said: "Mother, John didn't have his lesson this morning."

"Well," haughtily replied her twin, "you talked so much I forgotted it."

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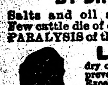

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ONE YEAR COURSE FOR WEST POINT

MILITARY ACADEMY IS TO BE UTILIZED TO THE FULL LIMIT DURING THE WAR PERIOD.

TEACHING FLYERS "STUNTS"

Aviation Students to Learn the Acrobatics Quickly or Not at All—War Department Compels the Making of Clinical Thermometers.

(From Committee on Public Information.)

Washington.—The acting secretary of war has approved the recommendations of General March, chief of staff, to graduate the two upper classes at the United States Military academy on November 1, and to authorize a one-year course at West Point for the remainder of the war. It is proposed to utilize this valuable and expensive institution, the war department announces, to the limit during the period of the war. The number of cadets graduated each year from West Point is now only about 200. Under the new system it will be possible to graduate 1,000 officers a year.

Vacancies resulting from the graduation of the two upper classes will be filled by the war department, if possible, by the admission on November 1, 1918, of qualified candidates. Appointments will be made in the usual way—through senators and representatives in congress, and other customary channels. The war department desires that candidates to be admitted on November 1 shall be not under eighteen years of age on that date.

As the result of an investigation by the war department, following the failure of the medical department to obtain a supply of clinical thermometers except at what were considered exorbitant prices, the general staff has ordered 18 manufacturers in different parts of the country to furnish about 668,000 of the instruments, which are urgently needed here and abroad.

Under these orders the war department will not only take the entire stock of clinical thermometers now manufactured, but will require the factories to produce in large quantities for 20 weeks. The compulsory order specifies that the entire quantity must be delivered by February 10, 1919.

The price of clinical thermometers has advanced in the past year from 25 cents and 30 cents to 50 cents and 60 cents each. The investigations of the military authorities disclosed a combination between the glass-blowers and the makers of thermometers.

The prices to be paid by the government for the 668,000 thermometers which have been requisitioned will be fixed by the war department board of appraisers.

One undertaking in connection with the registration of more than 13,000,000 men for the draft, September 12, is illustrated by figures by Provost Marshal General Crowder. A statistician in the provost marshal's office has calculated that if all the printed forms distributed since August 7 in connection with the work of registration, classification and mobilization were placed in a pile ten feet square it would tower above the ground to a height of 887 feet, or more than one and a half times the altitude of Washington monument.

Altogether there have been printed and shipped out, since August 7, 224,000,000 forms of all kinds, weighing 4,300,000 pounds, and measuring, in the aggregate, 88,787 cubic feet. A total of 44,000 mail sacks were used to carry this vast quantity of matter. The largest number of sacks shipped in a single day was 1,828. These weighed about 83 tons.

If these forms were placed in one mail train 143 60-foot postal cars would be required and the train would be one and two-thirds miles long. Placed end to end, the forms would extend 68,044 miles—more than twice the distance around the earth.

Many sample cans of tomatoes such as are used in the army have been found by the inspection branch of the subsistence division, quartermaster corps, to be filled only to three-fourths of an inch of the top, although weighing the requisite amount. Instructions have been issued that regardless of weight, the cans must be filled to within three-eighths of an inch of the top. If the cans are not filled to within half an inch of the top there is to be a readjustment of prices and under no circumstances, it is announced, will underfilled cans be sent overseas.

It has been calculated that if this saving of three-eighths of an inch were made in all cans of tomatoes purchased by the army for a year, it would equal 417,000 cases, costing about $1,500,000. The saving of tinplate used in the can would equal about 7,000,000 square feet.

German prisoners are being used in the construction of homes for Belgian refugees in the village which the American Red Cross is building near Havre, France, for families who were driven from their country by the German invasion. Many such prisoners also have been put to work in the fields in the section surrounding Havre. They have harvested wheat and other crops, thus lessening the burden on the women and very old men who have been operating the farms while the young and vigorous males are fighting at the front.

Naval and military flyers who loop the loop at altitudes of 4,000 feet, who do nose dives, side slips and other thrilling and seemingly frivolous evolutions, learn to accomplish these feats in seven or eight hours—or they never learn them at all. For the mastery of airplane acrobatics does not require the time that is requisite to train a performer for a circus.

Cadet flyers receive this instruction which is called the acrobatic stage, toward the end of their training and after they have become masters of their machines and possess absolute control. Otherwise they could not acquire the knack of throwing their machines in and out of these whirls and loops. And, by the way, some of them never do. Because a cadet becomes master of his plane, it does not inevitably follow that he can "stunt." He may not be fitted for it temperamentally; he may lack the head or the heart or the stomach for it. If that be so then he must abandon acrobatics. Those who like it stick to it, and thus it happens that frequently these stunt flyers become the aces in actual combat in France, because fights in the air are more or less games of tag; and the more artful the dodger the greater are his chances.

The course in acrobatics is not chosen because it is showy or spectacular. It is as much a part of a cadet's training as pursuit work, reconnaisance or bombing. It is designed to inspire the student with confidence in his ship and in his ability; to teach him the feel of dangerous positions in the air; to actually get into them and out of them safely, and in general to demonstrate to him how much may be accomplished by the proper and skillful handling of his plane.

The greatest care is taken in choosing instructors for this work and in selecting the ships or planes to be used. Expert riggers are assigned to check the aligment of the planes used after each flight.

At Kelly field, Texas, there is a special stage for the instruction and to insure safety for the cadets and their instructors. Others not flying in this stage of instruction are required to keep entirely away from the territory over which the stunts are being performed. A severe penalty is attached to the slightest infringement of this regulation. No student or instructor is allowed to stunt under 2,000 feet, and practically all of the work in the acrobatic line is done between 2,000 and 4,000 feet.

When a student reports to the stage for instruction, he is assigned to a teacher who at the first opportunity takes him and performs the requisite evolutions. The student is then given the control and directed to repeat the maneuver. After the third or fourth trial he is usually able to perform in a creditable manner. However, in no case does the instructor allow a student to fly alone unless he shows himself well qualified.

When a student is sent into the air he is directed to follow a definite course in gaining his altitude; to turn over his sector, and, if at a sufficient altitude, to do his stunts. It may be that he will have been directed to do a one-turn spin, a two-turn, spin, five loops and three Immelmann turns. Upon returning to the ground he reports to his instructor, who has carefully watched the execution of the stunts and who offers appropriate criticism and suggestions. This is repeated several times, and before the student is transferred he again goes up with the instructor, who estimates whether the former is qualified to advance to the next stage.

Troops for the Slavic legion which is to be a part of the United States army will soon be recruited under regulations just promulgated by President Wilson. The officers and enlisted men in these regiments will be Jugo-Slavs, Czecho-Slavs and Ruthenians. If practicable, companies will be composed of members of the same race and this plan of organization will be followed as far as can be in the larger units—battalions and regiments.

Enlisted men for the Slavic legion will be obtained by voluntary induction from among the members of the races mentioned. They must be residents but not citizens of the United States and not subject to the draft. Enlistments in coal mining regions will not be authorized. Volunteers for this legion will be forwarded by draft boards to depots in the usual manner and will be sent from there to Camp Wadsworth, South Carolina.

The weather bureau will publish in its National Weather and Crop Bulletin a series of charts showing for the country east of the Rocky mountains the southward progression of the earliest killing-frost date line and the total area covered by killing frost to the date of each issue. These charts are expected to be of much interest and value, as they will indicate the time of the ending of the growing season for summer crops this year in the various sections of the country.

Much loss is caused at times by early frosts and interest is unusually great this year because of the possibility of frost damage affecting the food supply.

To test the present health of the nation's children, the child welfare committee of the council of national defense throughout the country has weighed and measured more than 6,500,000 babies. Hundreds of committees, endeavoring to meet the needs revealed by this test, have employed public-health nurses, opened infant welfare stations.

In England, since the beginning of the present war, the infantile death rate has been reduced nine points below the mortality among American children of the same ages.

STATE BREVITIES

Virginia.—Olija Belcich, Carl Gobats, Tony Sichie and A. Lahtic were arrested as slackers and will have a hearing before the draft board.

Little Falls.—John P. Batters purchased the furnishings of A. O. Axtell of the Lenox hotel on Second street, and took possession of the hostelry.

St. Cloud.—John B. Boekhoff, a farmer residing in Mayhew Lake, Benton county, sustained several hundred dollars loss when his barn was destroyed by fire.

St. Vincent.—William Gamble of St. Vincent harvested 400 bushels of potatoes off one acre. The average production in the United States runs around 100 bushels.

International Falls.—Ben Lynn from Big Falls was brought in to the hospital with a gunshot wound in the leg, received by the accidental discharge of a gun while hunting.

St. Cloud.—John C. Schmeltzer, 35, was caught under a trimming press when a chain broke at the plant of the Pan Motor company here and so badly injured he died at a local hospital.

Browns Valley.—Rev. S. Ainsworth Lumb made the address at the dedication of the service flag of the Sioux tribe at Traverse Lake reservation. Red Thunder is chief of the tribe. Music was furnished by the Indians.

Stillwater.—At the last semi-monthly pay day for the employes of the Twin City Forge & Foundry company $98,891 was paid to the 1,929 employes, it being the largest semi-monthly pay day ever held in the city of Stillwater.

Two Harbors.—Glen S. Locker, who has been leader of the band on the battleship Iowa, has been given an honorable discharge to become assistant safety first inspector of the Norfolk navy yards. He enlisted from Two Harbors.

Wadena.—William Wieland of Bertha is in the Davis hospital in this city with severe scalds about the legs sustained when a threshing engine which he was riding crashed through a bridge this side of Bertha and pinned him underneath.

Winona.—Fred Morgan and B. B. Scripture, conductors Nos. 1 and 2, on the Minnesota division of the Northwestern railway, have gone upon the pension rolls of that company after forty-eight and forty-six years of service respectively. Both began as freight brakemen on the old Winona & St. Peter.

St. Paul.—Hans Peterson was fined $500 and sentenced to one year and one day in Fort Leavenworth by Judge Wilbur F. Booth in the United States district court. He was found guilty of perjury in connection with his financial statement regarding his ability to justify in the sum of $10,000 as surety on J. O. Bentall's bond last spring.

Lake Crystal. — Resolutions against bringing German prisoners to this country under any conditions were passed by the Second District Woman's Relief corps, which held its annual meeting here. State officers of the relief corps were asked to petition Washington against any prisoners being sent to Minnesota.

Little Falls.—Joe Matlock was brought before the War Council in this city on the charge of hoarding wheat on his farm in Platte township and not disposing of it in accordance with the government requests. He was forced to donate $60 to the Red Cross and had his Liberty Loan bond allotment of the fourth issue raised from $100 to $500.

St. Paul. — Minnesota will not be called upon to supply more than 20,000 war workers, according to information given to State Director Hugo V. Koch of the United States Employment Service. The present quota for the state is 18,930, of which 4,000 have been supplied. An increase in the quota is planned, but it is not expected to exceed 2,000 men.

Aitkin. — Several cases of petty thieving have been reported here of late, among articles stolen being 25 cans of canned fruit and vegetables and a quantity of pickles taken from the cellar of Mrs. Mary Reynolds, living alone on the South side. A pig was stolen recently from Deputy Sheriff Luther Olts, and wood piles and chicken coops are frequently raided.

Minneapolis.—The motion for new trial in the case of J. C. Seebach, miller at Red Wing, sentenced to 18 months in federal prison and to pay a fine of $3,000 for violation of the espionage act, was denied in decisions handed down by Judge Wilbur F. Booth, United States district court. It is probable the case will be appealed to the circuit court of appeals, it was said.

Minneapolis. — Minnesota farmers who have become alarmed at incorrect reports to the effect that increased demands for war materials have curtailed the wheat movement and filled the seaboard and terminal elevators with wheat, are assured by the food administration that they will receive full government prices for their wheat, and that there is no necessity of marketing it at less than government prices.

Producers of pork have been assured again by the United States food administration that an effort will be made to maintain a minimum price of $15.50 per hundred for the average of packers' droves at Chicago for hogs farrowed this fall. This action has been taken in response to a request from a committee of pork producers. It was opposed by the packers, but the latter have agreed to co-operate in every way possible. The food administration makes the announcement, not as a guarantee but as a policy, and will use its buying power to aid in realizing on the policy.

Menahga.—Casper Sifritson, local farmer, has a cow that gave birth to three healthy calves.

International Falls.—A Koochiching county chapter of the Red Cross was organized here. There will be county Red Cross convention here Oct. 26.

Brainerd. — Young George Hanson, while chopping wood, struck the ax against a window sill at his home and inflicted a scalp wound when the ax bounded back.

Remer.—Remer has unanimously elected Rev. Mason pastor of the Congregational church for another year. Mr. Mason will preach alternate Sundays in Walker.

Moorhead.—With 100 cases of Spanish influenza reported here, the Moorhead city council ordered schools, churches, theaters and all other public meeting places closed.

Crookston.—G. A. Youngquist of Crookston has received a notice from the secretary of the supreme court notifying him of his appointment to the state board of law examiners.

Fairmont. — Louis Hanson of Welcome was arrested by Sheriff Carver on a disloyalty charge, arraigned in justice court and held to the grand jury in $200 bonds, which he furnished.

Bemidji.—Chief of Police Essler is inaugurating a crusade against the idlers and loafers and cheap hangers-on around rhum games and "soft drink" joints and intends to run them out of the city if they don't get to work.

East Grand Forks.—Supt. Hackenberg and Trainmaster Lyons of the N. P. spent a day in Forest River, where they superintended the removal of the N. P. depot to the "Soo" line, where it will be converted into a union depot.

Mankato.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the Arctic explorer, and others, representing the Rocky Mountain Sheep association, have been here, making arrangements for placing a flock of sheep on every farm in Blue Earth county.

Sartell.—Mrs. Joseph D. Sartell, of Sartell, Minn., died at her home here. She was 90 years old. Mrs. Sartell was one of the pioneers of Minnesota, having come to this state in 1857. She is survived by five sons, 45 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Crookston.—Crookston has had one death from Spanish influenza, Earl E. Doble, an employe of the Great Northern railroad, who passed away Sunday afternoon after a short illness. He was stricken with the disease several days ago, the malady developing into pneumonia.

St. Paul. — Funeral services were held from the cathedral for Father Richard Cahill, one of the first ordained priests from St. Paul's seminary, and for ten years chancellor of the archdiocese under the late Archbishop Ireland. He died at St. Joseph's hospital after several months of illness, aged 54.

St. Paul. — The Spanish influenza situation in Minnesota is not serious enough to issue general state-wide closing orders to prevent spread of the disease, the state board of health decided. Close watch will be kept on all cases, however, and prompt action taken if the situation becomes worse. Reports received by the board show there are less than 750 cases in the state.

Aitkin.—The jewelry store of J. N. Nelson was broken into during the noon hour when the store was closed and about $500 worth of watches and other jewelry stolen. A sack containing a part of the goods was found in a nearby alley; also a bunch of keys which later were identified by Mike Hogan as some he had lost recently. A clue has been found but no arrests have been made.

As war workers, the members of the Minnesota Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense and Commission of Public Safety are vitally interested in the coming campaign for war funds for the seven organizations who are working together as directed by President Wilson. This drive takes place November 11-18 and is expected to raise $170,500,000, to be divided proportionately between the Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Knights of Columbus, Jewish Welfare Board, War Camp Community, American Library Association, and Salvation Army. Mrs T. G. Winter, state chairman, asks that every member of the council in the state do all in her power to help.

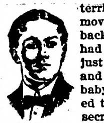
The farmers of the United States are being asked to pledge themselves to the conservative use of wheat-mill feeds in order to protect the dairy industries, not only of the United States but of the allied powers. The dairy industry is vital to the lives of the people of all the allied nations and for this reason the food administration is urging farmers to sign the following pledge: "In order to assist the food administration in the distribution of mill feeds, I hereby undertake on honor not to use wheat mill feeds for any other purpose than the feeding of dairy cattle, poultry, young pigs or young calves, or the preparation of a weekly bran mash for work animals. I will not feed any more wheat mill feeds than is customarily fed to such animals and I further agree not to have at any one time more than a 60-day supply of wheat feeds on hand."

Blue Earth.—It was learned that through a mixup in shipping the bodies of two soldiers who had died at Pensacola, Fla., that of John Arthur Boeke, whose home was here, was sent to a point in an eastern state, while a stranger's body came here and was interred as that of Boeke. John Boeke, father of the dead soldier, declared the body arriving here was not that of his son, but it was thought he was mistaken and the funeral was held. The body will now be disinterred and forwarded to its proper destination, and the body of Boeke will be sent here.

Helpless as a Baby

Bent Like an Old Man and Suffered Terribly—Quickly Cured by Doan's.

Jno. Bleumke, Jr., 2553 Courtland St., Chicago, Ill., says: "I was down with my back suffering from lumbago. I walked like an old man, all bent over. My back pained terribly and when I moved my arms my back hurt. I finally had to go to bed and just felt sick all over and was helpless as a baby. My kidneys acted too frequently, the secretions were scanty and highly colored. I had terrible pains in the back of my head and I felt drowsy all the time. I finally used Doan's Kidney Pills and soon felt one hundred per cent better. When I finished the one box I was entirely cured. The pains left my back and head and my kidneys acted normally. I am glad to recommend Doan's to other kidney sufferers."



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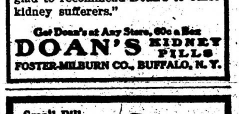

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Carter's Iron Pills
Will help this condition

A Land of Mourning.

At dinner parties in France no flowers are now seen on the dinner tables and people never go arm-in-arm. This custom of "no flowers" always prevails among families in mourning, and as long as French territory is in the hands of invaders a "deuil du pays" will be observed.—London Express.

Identified Just the Same.

She—Walter, can you tell me if Mr. Jones has been in today?

Waiter—Mr. Jones? Is he the old man with the big red nose?

She—Yes, that's him—but, look here; I want you to understand that my husband is not old, nor is his nose big and red.

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The "Come-back" man was really never down-and-out. His weakened condition because of overwork, lack of exercise, improper eating and living demands stimulation to satisfy the cry for a health-giving appetite and the refreshing sleep essential to strength. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, the National Remedy of Holland, will do the work. They are wonderful. Three of these capsules each day will put a man on his feet before he knows it; whether his trouble comes from uric acid poisoning, the kidneys, gravel or stone in the bladder, stomach derangement or other ailments that befall the over-zealous American. The best known, most reliable remedy for these troubles is GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This remedy has stood the test for more than 200 years since its discovery in the ancient laboratories in Holland. It acts directly and gives relief at once. Don't wait until you are entirely down-and-out, but take them today. Your druggist will gladly refund your money if they do not help you. Accept no substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box, three sizes. They are the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil Capsules.—Adv.

Explaining It.

One reason more barns are hit by lightning in this region than formerly is that there are more barns to be hit. There is no more lightning than usual.—Portland Oregonian.

Stop the Pain.

The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolisalve is applied. It heals quickly without scars. 25c and 50c by all druggists. For free sample write The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Adv.

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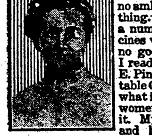
HOW TO AVOID BACKACHE AND NERVOUSNESS

Told by Mrs. Lynch From Own Experience.

Providence, R. I.—"I was all run down in health, was nervous, had headaches, my back ached all the time. I was tired and had no ambition for anything. I had taken a number of medicines which did me no good. One day I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for women, so I tried it. My nervousness and backache and headaches disappeared. I gained in weight and feel fine, so I can honestly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman who is suffering as I was."—Mrs. ADELINE B. LYNCH, 100 Plain St., Providence, R. I.



Backache and nervousness are symptoms or nature's warnings, which indicate a functional disturbance or an unhealthy condition which often develops into a more serious ailment.

Women in this condition should not continue to drag along without help, but profit by Mrs. Lynch's experience, and try this famous root-and-herb remedy, Lydia E Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—and for special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

Soothe Your Itching Skin With Cuticura

All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 & 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

ALL PUPILS IN LIFE'S SCHOOL

Each Day Gives Opportunity to Learn a New Lesson, Even Though End Is Near.

We did not ask to be born and have our names entered in the school of life—but here we are—willing or unwilling pupils, which is it? Are we learning life's lessons cheerfully, gladly, optimistically; or do we chafe and fume and fret and worry? There are so many lessons and life is so short.

Every day our wonder increases at our Father's never-failing goodness; at the discovery of new virtues and powers in some life where they have long been dormant, or in some new beauty of this wonderful world that we had long viewed with unseeing eyes. We need hearing ears and seeing eyes if we would acquire knowledge in the school of life. We need to open our hearts Godward every morning and say: "Lord make me teachable today."

"My aged grandfather often said to me: "George, I learn something new every day." Ah! is not every day a fresh age of life? Is it not half the charm of life to know that each dewy morning is a door opening into a wonderful field where we have not yet walked; where the flowers of knowledge bloom, and there are new tasks awaiting us and new lessons to be learned?—Exchange.

Mary's Wish.

Mrs. M—— is an enthusiastic worker in the United States food clubs. She has been using the substitutes and, to make her bread more palatable, she recently bought a bread stick pan, as corn bread baked in these pans has more crust. When the bread came on the dinner table in the evening the little four-year-old Mary exclaimed: "Oh, mamma, I want one of your food clubs quick."

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NO PEACE WITH HUN AUTOCRACY, SAYS PRESIDENT

Straight-From-the-Shoulder Reply of Wilson Gives Foe Subject for Thought.

ATROCITIES MUST STOP

Full Agreement Between America and Allies Is Also Made Plain by President as Necessary Condition to Peace.

Washington, Oct. 15.—President Wilson late yesterday afternoon answered Germany's peace proffer with a note declaring anew that there can be no peace with a German government controlled by a military autocracy, and no thought of an armistice while German atrocities continue on land and sea.

Text of the President's Note.

The text of the President's answer follows:

"The unqualified acceptance by the present German government and by a large majority of the reichstag of the terms laid down by the president of the United States of America in his address to the congress of the United States on the 8th of January, 1918, and in his subsequent addresses, justifies the president in making a frank and direct statement of his decision with regard to the communications of the German government of the 8th and 12th of October, 1918.

Confident He Speaks for Allies.

"He feels confident that he can assume that this will also be the judgment and decision of the allied governments.

"The president feels that it is also his duty to add that neither the government of the United States nor, he is quite sure, the governments with which the government of the United States is associated as a belligerent will consent to consider an armistice so long as the armed forces of Germany continue the illegal and inhumane practices which they still persist in.

"At the very time that the German government approaches the government of the United States with proposals of peace its submarines are engaged in sinking passenger ships at sea, and not the ships alone, but the very boats in which their passengers and crews seek to make their way to safety; and in their present enforced withdrawal from Flanders and France the German armies are pursuing a course of wanton destruction which has always been regarded as in direct violation of the rules and practices of civilized warfare. Cities and villages, if not destroyed, are being stripped of all they contain, not only, but often of their very inhabitants.

"The nations associated against Germany cannot be expected to agree to a cessation of arms while acts of inhumanity, spoliation and desolation are being continued which they justly look upon with horror and with burning hearts.

Must Be No Mistake About Autocracy.

"It is necessary, also, in order that there may be no possibility of misunderstanding, that the president should very solemnly call the attention of the government of Germany to the language and plain intent of one of the terms of peace which the German government has now accepted. It is contained in the address of the president delivered at Mount Vernon on the Fourth of July last.

"It is as follows:

"'The destruction of every arbitrary power anywhere that can separately, secretly and of its single choice disturb the peace of the world; or, if it cannot be presently destroyed, at least its reduction to virtual impotency.'

"The power which has hitherto controlled the German nation is of the sort here described. It is within the choice of the German nation to alter it. The president's words just quoted naturally constitute a condition precedent to peace, if peace is to come by the action of the German people themselves.

"The president feels bound to say that the whole process of peace will, in his judgment depend on the definiteness and the satisfactory character of the guarantees which can be given in this fundamental matter.

"It is indispensable that the governments aligned against Germany should know beyond a peradventure with whom they are dealing.

"Accept, sir, the renewed assurances of my high consideration.

(Signed) "ROBERT LANSING.

"To Mr. Frederick Oederlin, charge d'affairs ad interim, in charge of German interests in the United States."

Vienna Reports Turkey Out of War.

Amsterdam, Oct. 15.—The first step taken by the new Turkish cabinet, headed by Tewfik Pasha, says a dispatch from Vienna to the Weser Zeitung, was to dispatch a note to Austria-Hungary to the effect that owing to the military situation, Turkey was obliged to conclude a separate peace with the entente. The central powers requested Turkey to await the result of the exchange of notes with President Wilson, but no reply so far has been received from Turkey, according to the report.

FOE ABANDONS REGION OF LAON

German Forces Are Expelled From St. Gobain Forest and La Fere.

ITALIAN TROOPS ACTIVE

Americans Engage in Intense Artillery Duel Between Aire and Meuse Rivers, Blasting Machine Gun Nests to Bits.

Paris, Oct. 15.—The whole Laon front is crumbling. The French have captured a dozen additional villages. The railways leading from these are intact and great masses of shells and other war material have been seized.

The German retreat is being carried out with difficulty, owing to the bombardment of railroads by airplanes.

British troops are reported to have outflanked Bouchain and to be advancing on Densin, from which town they are only three miles distant.

American forces are advancing in the direction of Dun sur Meuse, in the Argonne sector, according to the Intransigeant.

London, Oct. 15.—German forces have abandoned Laon, La Fere, and the whole St. Gobain region. The French, after reoccupying Laon, have pressed on until their line now runs from the Oise river above La Fere to the eastern end of the Chemin des Dames.

Italian troops participated in the advance and are now engaged on the hills north of the Ailette river. At this particular point the German lines have been pressed back or have been withdrawn so that a sharp angle has been created.

Allies Reach Hunding Line.

French and British forces have virtually reached the Hunding line east of Cambrai and St. Quentin. British units are reported at Solesmes, while the French further south are within four miles of Guise.

The Hunding line runs from Antwerp to Ghent and thence to Tournai, Conde, Valenciennes, Solesmes, Guise, Rethel, Vouzieres, Dun sur Meuse and then down the base of the St. Mihiel salient to the Moselle, where it joins the old front running through Lorraine and the Vosges to the Swiss frontier.

On the Champagne front General Berthelot is less than five miles from Rethel, while further east General Gouraud has taken Vouzieres, but has not penetrated much further north of that place. Americans fighting in the Argonne region are through the Kriemhilde line, but their progress there is slow.

British Threaten Valenciennes.

Douai is virtually reached by the British, while to the north the line turns off sharply to the east. Should Douai fall, the British will be able to advance on Valenciennes.

The Oise river has been crossed by the French to the east of La Fere at Origny.

In Albania the Italians have captured Kavaya, a town 12 miles southeast of Durazzo.

Allied forces have occupied Nish, the Serbian stronghold, the German official statement admitting that the Teutonic armies had retired to the heights back of the city in face of the terrific Allied thrusts.

Americans Wreck Machine Guns.

With the American First Army, Oct 15.—An intense artillery battle is raging between the Aire and the Meuse It continued throughout the night and was growing in violence. The American guns apparently dominated the situation. The solid mass of machine gun nests which oppose our advance between the two rivers was rapidly being blasted to bits.

Heavy German attacks east of the Argonne were broken up by American counterattacks.

The Yanks met the Boches midway between the two lines, wielding the bayonet and tearing the enemy waves to shreds.

M'ADOO MAKES STRONG PLEA

Asks Rich and Poor Alike to Support Fourth Loan.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—William G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury, addressed an appeal to the rich and poor of the nation alike to make a supreme effort to bring Liberty Loan subscriptions to their required $6,000,000,000 level, in a speech before more than 5,000 persons at a mass meeting.

"If our home army fails to put the Fourth Liberty Loan over," he declared, "it will contradict everything our soldiers are doing. It will be a new incentive to Germany to keep on fighting and it will be a confession in America of humiliating and disastrous failure."

Red Cross Ship at Archangel.

Washington, Oct. 15.—Arrival at Archangel of a relief ship which left an American port in August with 4,600 tons of food, drugs and other supplies for Allied soldiers and destitute civilians in Northern Russia, was announced by the American Red Cross The cargo was valued at a million and a half dollars, the amount originally appropriated for relief at that point Maj. C. T. Williams of Baltimore formerly a member of the Red Cross commission for Roumania, was in charge of the party.

AT LEAST 1,000 PERSONS PERISH IN FOREST FIRES

Flames Starting Near Bemidji, Minn., Cut Swath About Fifty Miles Wide.

MANY VILLAGES GONE

Property Worth Millions of Dollars Has Been Destroyed and More Than 15,000 Persons Are Homeless.

Duluth, Oct. 14.—Nearly 1,000 persons are now believed to have lost their lives in the blasts of flame that drove over Northern Minnesota forests in an area that spreads from Duluth to Brainerd, Bemidji, Aitkin, Cloquet and Moose Lake.

Property worth millions of dollars was destroyed, ten villages were obliterated, 15,000 persons were made homeless, many of them penniless. Duluth, itself heavily damaged by the flames, is a city of thousands of refugees, a dwelling-place of stricken people who had lost kinfolk, friends, neighbors in the flames.

Over all the countryside, on highways and by-paths, near farmhouse ruins and beside railway tracks, lay blackened corpses.

100 Bodies Brought In.

Cloquet, a city of 9,000 population and long a lumber center of the North country, is all but wiped out. Moose Lake, a village of 1,000 souls, is a waste of ashes, a relief-party headquarters which held more than 100 bodies brought in from the countryside which held none knew how many other victims stricken as they fled.

Brookston, Brevator, Corona, Adolph, Thompson, Arnold, Wright and Kettle River are in ashes—blackened, smoking wastes hardly distinguishable from the blackened fields that surround them. And all about, the forests of Northern Minnesota stand a great field of burned pine trees—blackened of trunk, ghosts of the great forest.

300 Dead at Moose Lake.

Rescue parties arriving on the scene, appalled at the completeness of the devastation wrought by the flames, hesitated, in view of their fragmentary knowledge of the actual scope of the disaster, to estimate the number of dead. In a temporary morgue at Moose Lake there were 103 bodies. Officials there say the total will exceed 300.

One Hundred and Ninety-six bodies have been borne to Duluth morgues. In other districts it was reported that several hundred more may be added. And in addition to these, remains the work of searching among the ruins of burned homes and along the sideroads, where hundreds more may be found, military authorities said.

Has Start Near Bemidji.

The fire started near Bemidji, where fire has been smouldering for weeks. Fanned by a high wind, the flames swept across the state toward Duluth, cutting a swath 50 miles wide through cutover lands bounded on both sides by a chain of lakes.

At Moose Lake the havoc wrought by the blaze was most complete, although the loss of life in the town itself was low, because the inhabitants, warned of the approach of the fire, took refuge in the icy waters of the lake.

Brainerd, Bemidji and Aitkin escaped destruction, partly because the wind died down and in part through heroic work of volunteer fire fighters.

Duluth and Superior, although suburbs were burned, were untouched by the flames and are serving as a place of refuge for a large number of the 15,000 homeless ones.

The heaviest loss of life was at Moose Lake and vicinity, Adjutant General Rhinow estimating that more that 300 persons died there. Duluth morgues have approximately 200 bodies and officials estimate that several hundred more dead men, women and children are scattered throughout the fire region.

Hibbing Ringed by Fire.

Hibbing, although ringed about fire, was unharmed Citizens of the iron range were last night hurrying for shelter at Carlton, and fires were blazing at the Morton location, Keewatin and other towns. Grand Rapids was reported on fire.

Five mills are all that is left in Cloquet of what was yesterday a city of 9,000 persons with varied business interests and many beautiful homes. The homes are a smouldering ruin, every residence being burned, but warning of the approaching fire came in time to allow the people of the town to depart

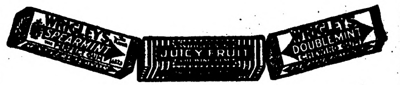
Postmen to Deliver Night Messages.

Washington, Oct 14 — Postmen within a few days will assume the task of delivering telegraph messages classed as night letters in cities and towns where postal deliveries are maintained. Officials of the postoffice wire control committee think such messages can be given quicker delivery by postmen in business sections, while even in residential sections the delivery will be quite as expeditious Delivery of telegrams other than night letters by telegraph messengers will continue for the present.

WRIGLEY'S

For Victory Buy Liberty Bonds

We will win this war—
Nothing else really matters until we do!



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Made by Dr. O. M. Franklin, the originator, is GUARANTEED TO PROTECT A CALF FOR LIFE AGAINST BLACKLEG. It has stood the test for over four years on over a million calves and our users have every confidence in it. WE BACK THAT CONFIDENCE with a WRITTEN GUARANTEE if you wish, and charge you fifty cents per dose. Or will send you the SAME VACCINE for forty cents per dose without the Guarantee. We make ONE QUALITY OF VACCINE ONLY. Syringe for injecting, $2.50. Write us about it. Branch office at Pierre, S. D.

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600 Live Stock Exchange Bldg. DENVER, COLO.

Indigestion, Bloat, Heartburn, Caused by Acid-Stomach

What is the cause of indigestion, dyspepsia, bloat, heartburn, food-repeating, belching, gassy, sour stomach, and so many stomach miseries? Just this—acid-stomach—superacidity as the doctors call it. It robs millions of their full strength, vitality and the power to enjoy life—to be real men and women.

It is well known that an acid mouth destroys the teeth. The acid is so powerful that it eats right through the hard enamel and causes the teeth to decay. This is fair warning of what excess acidity will do to the delicate organization of the stomach; as a matter of fact, excess acidity not only produces a great many painful and disagreeable symptoms that we generally name "Stomach troubles," but it is the creator of a long train of very serious ailments. Acid-stomach interferes with the digestion and causes the food to ferment. This mass of sour, fermented food passes into the intestines, where it becomes the breeding place for germs and toxic poisons, which in turn are absorbed into the blood and distributed throughout the entire body.

Wherever you go you see victims of acid-stomach — people who, while not actually down sick are always ailing—have no appetite, food doesn't digest, belching all the time, continually complaining of being weak and tired and worn out. It is this excess acidity that takes the pep and punch out of them, leaves little or no vitality.

Strike at the very cause of all this trouble and clean this excess acid out of the stomach. This will give the stomach a chance to digest the food properly; nature will do the rest.

A wonderful new remedy removes excess acid without the slightest discomfort. It is called EATONIC, made in the form of tablets—they are good to eat—just like a bit of candy. EATONIC literally absorbs the injurious excess acid and carries it away through the intestines. It drives the bloat out of the body—you can fairly feel it work.

Try EATONIC and see how quickly it banishes bloat, heartburn, belching, food-repeating, indigestion, etc. See too, how quickly your general health improves — how much more of your food is digested—how nervousness and irritability disappear. Learn how easy it is to get back your physical and mental punch. Have the power and energy to work with vim. Enjoy the good things of life. Learn what it means to fairly bubble over with health.

So get a box of EATONIC from your druggist today. We authorize him to guarantee EATONIC to please you and you can trust your druggist to make this guarantee good. If it fails in any way, take it back—he will refund your money.

Golden Spoon Handicap.

"I presume this great artist once starved in a hall bedroom, as most men of genius are supposed to do early in their careers?"

"No. Strange to say, his people were wealthy. I think he deserves all the more credit for his achievements."

"Why so?"

"He won fame without ever missing a meal or having his trunk confiscated by a hard-hearted landlady."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Secure.

A former sergeant, who had just been "busted" and who carried fresh in his mind memories of a court-martial, was lifted wounded from the ambulance at a field hospital in France. He was grinning.

"Well," he said, "there's one stripe they can't take away from me."

[illegible] is said to be taking to the alcohol habit.

Revived His Interest.

Thomas Atkins was fractious. His medicine was nasty and he refused to take it. Two or three V. A. D.'s stood round him, urging him to be good.

"Come," said one, "drink this and you will get well!"

"And rosy, too!" chimed in a second.

Atkins brightened. He wasn't particularly keen on getting well, but to get rosy was quite another matter.

"Which of you is Rosy?" he asked, surveying the pretty group.

Just in Time.

"Did she return the engagement ring when she jilted you?"

"She didn't have any engagement ring. Just before I proposed to her I joined a society for the prevention of useless giving."

Hep.

"On to Berlin," cried the Britisher.

"Awgwan," replied the Yank, "we've been onto her fer years."

A Bad Cough

if neglected, often leads to serious trouble. Safeguard your health, relieve your distress and soothe your irritated throat by taking

PISO'S

Mission Church

nday School Oct. 20th.

Kilen will hold services day at 3 o'clock and 8

he announcements of the candidates in this paper.

Bornstein came back from Wednesday to be examined ary service.

Olava Sollom had to give up hool near Newfolden as she able to find a boarding place, ter accepted the Hagen school t Holt.

Elizabeth Newton's sister d here Tuesday and on Wed- the two sisters went to Mc- to visit at their home for a ys.

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S. S. Kolden

e Taxpayers Candidate

or County Auditor

He stands for

SQUARE DEAL

For All The People

your vote and support at the General Election Nov. 5th

here is more Catarrh in this section the country than all other diseases together, and for years it was sup- ed to be incurable. Doctors pre- bed local remedies, and by constant- ailing to cure with local treatment, nounced it incurable. Catarrh is a al disease, greatly influenced by con- tutional conditions and therefore re- res constitutional treatment. Hall's arrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. ney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a consti- ional remedy, is taken internally acts thru the Blood on the Mucous faces of the System. One Hundred lars reward is offered for any case t Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. d for circulars and testimonials. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. ld by Druggists, 75c. ll's Family Pills for constipation.

How's your woodpile?

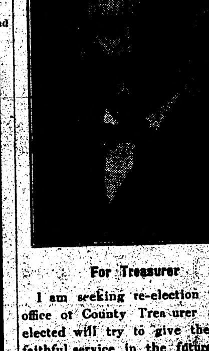
Gold Medal flour at R. Reierson's.

School will commence again on Monday morning.

Lecture Course Thursday evening October 31st, M. W. A. hall.

Dr. R. L. Olson left Tuesday for a professional trip to Nielsville and points in Dakota. He expected to be gone about a week.

Ed O'Hara loaded four large tanks here this week, that formerly belonged to the N. W. Drainage Co. and shipped them to Dakota where they will be used by the present owners, the Standard Oil Co.



For Treasurer

I am seeking re-election to the office of County Treasurer and if elected will try to give the same faithful service in the future as I have in the past.

The people of Marshall County have been very kind to me by favoring me with the Treasurer's office and I would greatly appreciate another term at this time.

Please remember me with your vote on Nov. 5th.

Sincerely,
F. Bakke.

Holt Dray and Livery
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Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

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Holt, Minn.

Notice!

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

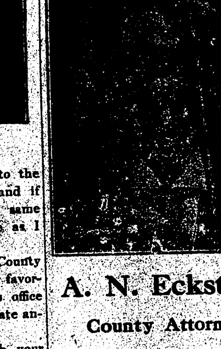
R. Reierson wants all who owe for twine to call and settle.

Cleve Peterson took W. A. Lindahl to T. R. Falls Friday evening to attend a buttermaker's meeting.

A number of our young men have been over to Warren this week to take their examination for military service.

Tom and Richard Larson of St. Hilaire visited a short time Sunday at the home of their sister, Mrs. C. L. Sandberg and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steinhauer and children and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christoferson autoed to St. Hilaire Sunday and visited relatives.



A. N. Eckstom

County Attorney

Candidate for Re-Election

General Election Nov. 5th

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Palace Barber Shop.

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
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All work guaranteed satisfactory

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA

By the Legislature at Its General Session, 1917, to be Submitted to the People of Said State at the General 1918 Election, Together with a Statement of Its

PURPOSE AND EFFECT

PREPARED BY
CLIFFORD L. HILTON
Attorney General of Minnesota.

Addressed to
JULIUS A. SCHMAHL
Secretary of State

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL,
ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA.

April 29, 1918.

HON. JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

SIR:

As required by Section 46, General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, I have the honor to furnish you herewith a statement of the purpose and effect of the amendment proposed to the Constitution, of the State of Minnesota by the Legislature of 1917, and which is to be submitted to the electors of said State at the General Election in 1918.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

Chapter 525 of the Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, proposes an amendment of Article 18 of the Constitution of said State by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

> "Section 4. The manufacture, sale, barter, gift, disposition, or the furnishing, or transportation, or keeping or having in possession for sale, barter, gift, disposition, or the furnishing, or transportation of intoxicating liquor of any kind, in any quantity whatever, except for sacramental, mechanical, scientific, or medicinal purposes, shall be forever prohibited within this state from and after the first day of July, 1920, and this amendment shall be self-executing. The legislature shall enact laws for the enforcement of this section and shall provide suitable penalties for the violation thereof."

THE PURPOSE of the proposed amendment is to forever prohibit within the State of Minnesota after July 1, 1920, the manufacture, sale, barter, gift, disposition or the furnishing or transportation, or the keeping or having in possession for any of such purposes, of intoxicating liquor of any kind in any quantity whatever, except for sacramental, mechanical, scientific or medicinal purposes.

THE EFFECT of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to make unlawful and forever prohibit the manufacture, sale, barter, gift, disposition or the furnishing or transportation or the keeping or having in possession for any of such purposes, of intoxicating liquor of any kind in any quantity whatever, except for sacramental, mechanical, scientific or medicinal purposes, within this state after July 1, 1920, and to place it beyond the power of any legislative authority to permit the doing of any such acts. If adopted, the doing of any of the prohibited acts automatically becomes unlawful after July 1, 1920, without any action on the part of the legislature or other legislative body. The amendment is made self-executing. A duty is, however, imposed upon the legislature to enact laws for the enforcement of this section, if adopted, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Yours respectfully,
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.

Don't you want to keep your home paper?

When the women vote, all the good looking candidates will want their pictures in the papers.

Civil service examinations for rural mail carriers will be held Oct. 26, at Warren and T. R. Falls.

Paul Dehnel, editor of the St. Paul American was arrested Tuesday on the charge of being an alien enemy.

T. Aasland was in this vicinity last week getting a line on the campaign in this district for county commissioner

F. Bakke, county treasurer was here Monday looking after the interests of his candidacy. Mr. Bakke has always received a good vote here and we don't see any reason why he shouldn't get a good endorsement again this year.

Vote the pink ballot first on Nov. 5th.

Vote for S. S. Kolden for county auditor.

The last half of the real estate taxes are to be paid this month.

Orders are orders and must be obeyed. We, please remember are ordered to stop unpaid subscriptions Oct. 26th

We will soon have to raise our subscription rates or go out of business, at the rate things are going. Better renew now at the old rate

Sheriff Hanson started for this neck of the woods Monday but was headed off by official duties. He is too busy anyway to make a campaign, but that is no reason the voters should trade horses in the middle of the river.

Is your paper paid for.

Vote for Kolden for Auditor.

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ANYWAY —
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The sense of **Achievement,** of something really accomplished and well done, is worth all it costs to build nowadays. It takes determination, energy and constructive ability to build anything. We furnish the other necessary materials.
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in trading with us.

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IF IT'S BUILDING MATERIAL—WE HAVE IT
HOLT, MINN.

War Savings Stamps

THE first principle of money making is money saving. Get the habit of buying War Savings Stamps regularly. This is the stamp which is going to help Uncle Sam stamp out Autocracy and help you, by saving, to start on the road to Success.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps at any bank or post office.

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Re-ELECT HEGNES

What He Stands For

America First
State and National Prohibition
Fair and Equitable Taxation.
All Progressive Legislation favoring the development of our Agricultural interests along Co-operative lines.
A "Square Deal" for all.

Senator Nels S. Hegnes was born in Nerstrand, Rice County, Minn., forty years ago. His early life was spent the same way as thousands of other farm boys, who had to fight against poverty and adverse circumstances. He moved to Argyle nearly twenty years ago and has lived there ever since. He has always enjoyed the respect and confidence of his home people, an evidence of which is the fact that he has served several terms as president of the village council, is now a member of the Argyle Better Farming Association, secretary of the Farmers Elevator Co., etc. He owns and operates several farms in the Argyle vicinity.

His work and vote for County Option and Prohibition during his term in the state senate should entitle him to another term. Besides valuable appropriations for his district he also introduced and passed the following laws: Aid to Agricultural Societies; Providing for experiments on Peat Lands, Maintenance of bridges over Public Ditches; an Amendment to the Noxious Weed Law; also thru his work on the Drainage Committee he was able to pass several measures which have saved the taxpayers of the district several thousand dollars. He owes allegiance to no man or party and pledges himself to a "SQUARE DEAL" For All The PEOPLE, District and State.

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 149.

Gold Medal flour at R. Reierson's.

R. Reierson wants all who owe for twine to call and settle.

Lecture Course Thursday evening October 31st, M. W. A. hall.

Vote for Chas. E. Grinder for Register of Deeds on Election day Nov. 5th.

Pete Turnlund, and son Carl, and Miss Hilma Eckstrom of Radium, visited at the home of P. A. Risberg Sunday.

The date after or under your name will show if you are back on your subscription. Better renew before the price goes up on Nov. 1st.

The Non-Partisian League will hold a meeting to night in the Pioneer School [illegible] 8 miles north of Holt. Everyone invited.

John Lein of Grafton, N. D. came last week Thursday to visit his sister Mrs. C. H. Gunheim and family, returning to his home the following Saturday.

Ernest P. Ahlborn, Rev. Erick Gronlund, Mrs. Joe Stuber and daughter Lillian of Thief River Falls were guests at the Chris Saastad home last Sunday.

We fully realise this is a busy time, but you have to pay your taxes then why not stop long enough to pay the printer? Otherwise something else must stop.

Will Werner who has been working at Dunwood for some time, came last Sunday to visit his family at the Gust Peterson home and also his parents E. J. Werner and family.

There are several cases of mumps in this vicinity, but it was not thot best to close the school at this time as the disease broke out while the school was closed and the majority of the children have had the disease.

W. A. Lindahl received word Tuesday of the death of his sister, Mrs. Leonard Nelson at her home in Gilby N. D. on Monday night. As several other members of the family were also sick with the influenza at Hasel, it was not deemed best that the relatives here should attend the funeral which was held at the latter place. Sympathy is extended to the sorrowing relatives of the deceased.

We nearly lost out when we offered to bet a cookie that a dozen would'nt vote at the school election. This time we'll bet two cookies that a dozen women in the village of Holt won't show their colors Nov. 5th by voting to re-elect Co. Supt., David Johnson, for another term.

Now ladies, if you really want to vote as badly, as many of you claim, now is your chance to prove your claim, by voting Nov. 5th for Co. Supt., and your choice by all means should be David Johnson.

Letter from France

The following letter was received by Mrs. T. T. Sollom from her son Adolph, a short time before the news of his death, an account of which was given in last weeks issue.

Co. B. 345 M. G. Bn.,
American Expeditionary Forces,
France,
July 16, 1918

My Dear Mother:

Well I am today enjoying my 32nd birthday here in France. We got here July 1st. Spent July 4th in Paris. We were quite a while getting here. We were on the road 30 days and 30 nights and out of that length of time we were 14 days on the sea. I did see lots of big ships. I was not sick on the boat at all. Have been well and enjoying good health ever since I came into the army. The way the boys say that have been in Norway, say this country is just like that country is. We don't see any farm houses here. They kind of live in small villages and it looks to be the same in England.

We are not so very far from the firing lines. We can hear the heavy guns at all hours of the day, but that is not saying I have seen it yet, and I don't think we will see them for quite a while. They are training us every day. I suppose you know I am learning to handle the heavy machine guns. I think it is the best branch of service in the army and I take very much interest in the work.

In about three month's more training I think I can do quite well. But I'm sure the war will be over by [illegible] the news from the front every day now. The Germans started a drive to-day but they can't do much to the Americans. It is good news to hear that the Germans have to go back and they are surely getting it. The people here in France seem to be so good but I can't talk to them. I understand that the boys here are signing up for three months' work here after the war. They will get $3.00 per day including board and clothing.

I am sure I will be home for Xmas.

How are you folks getting along anyway? I am feeling fine and I am glad I went to the army. I can do some good for my Country and Flag here. I have seen lots of flags waving here but our U. S. Flag looks the best of all. Well I must close my letter for the time hoping you are in good health. And don't worry about me as I am alright. If I should not see you here any more I will live such a life that I will meet you all "beyond the blue" where my dear Father is.

Hope you will write often.

I am Your loving Son,
Adolph.

Nels Larson went on business to Middle River between trains Friday.

Miss Grace Crowley went to St. Paul Friday for a few weeks visit with her mother and family.

Mrs. Spinks and baby of Middle River came Monday to visit at the Docken and Bakke homes, returning the next day.

Re-election of Chas. E. Grinder for Register of Deeds for a second term will mean the continuence of prompt and efficient service from that office in the future.

We are glad to report that Mrs. R. L. Olson received a letter Tuesday from their niece Miss Gladys Hagen at Grand Forks, stating that she was again able to be at work after a siege of the influenza.

Don't you want to keep your home paper?

Called into Service

The following young men from this vicinity were called into the military service this week and sent to camps in Georgia and New Mexico:

Ed. Nyberg, Rhinehart Reierson, Oscar Hagglund, Walter Wegge, Martin Svenson, Oliver Molstad, Hilmer Udstrand, Frank Wendt, Torger Sordahl, Arnold Holl and Selmer Dahl. The best wishes of all patriotic people go with these young men to the training camps.

Pioneer School Notes

Our school has now been in session one month. Those who have been present every day are; Fritchoff Knutson, Mabel Folden, Johnnie Folden, Harvey Ekerdalen, Lillian Ellefson and Martin Smith.

The Fidelity Little Citizen League had their first meeting this school year on Friday Oct. 11th. The following officers were elected: President, Fritchoff Knutson, Vice President, Mabel Folden, Secretary, Inga Johnson, Treasurer, Christine Fosholm. A short program was then given by a few of the pupils.

For Sale!

Jeffery Six auto in fine shape, inquire at the Holt State Bank.

Vote the pink ballot first on Nov. 5th.

Vote for S. S. Kolden for county auditor.

Mrs. J. L. Nelson and daughter Beatha were T. R. Falls visitors [illegible]

Olaf Dahl was sick Tuesday and Mrs. Albin Dahl carried the mail that day.

Miss Nellie Saastad commenced teaching the school in the Svenkeson district Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Larson of Hendrum visited over Sunday at Casper Dale's in Golden Valley.

Ladies Attention:- County Superintendent David Johnson wants your vote Nov. 5th for re-election.

John Johnson of Great Falls Montana came Wednesday to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson and family.

The East Valley Red Cross Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. H. Furr at 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon Oct. 30th. All invited.

Chas. E. Grinder has served only one term as Register of Deeds of this County; re-elect him to a second term on Election day Nov. 5th.

The old time schedule goes into effect Saturday at midnight. If you don't want to get up at that time, don't fail to set your time piece back one hour, on Sunday morning.

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

Paid political advertising

For Sheriff

The undersigned is a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Marshall County and respectfully solicits the support of the citizens of Marshall County and their votes at the general election on Nov. 5th. 1918.

If elected, I will perform the duties of the Office with fairness and impartiality to all concerned.

Justice Carlson.

To the Voters of Marshall County:

As a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, I respectfully solicit your support in this campaign and your vote at the Election November 5th.

I have sacrificed that each of the seven members in my family may have a Fourth Liberty Loan Bond, and I am Hooverising in campaign cards but I assure you that I am in the race, ready to work or fight, and if I don't happen to impose upon you in person before the election I shall be pleased to shake afterwards.

Yours,
Lewis M. Olson.

For County Commissioner.

I wish to announce to the voters of the 4th Commissioner District of Marshall County that I am a candidate for County Commissioner for the district and respectfully solicit your support and your vote on Election Day, Tuesday Nov. 5, 1918.

If elected, I promise to look after the interests of the district the best I possibly can.

T. Aasland.
Thief River Falls, [illegible]

Is your paper paid for.

Vote for Kolden for Auditor.

Please call and settle all twine bills, at once. R. Reierson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lindahl and baby were T. R. Falls visitors Friday.

L. S. Kolden and Mr. Onstad of Nielsville were Holt business visitors Monday.

Phil Van Wold of Wylie, passed thru Holt Friday by auto enroute to Golden Valley.

Mrs. Arthur Hagen and baby of Erskine have been guests at the Melquist home for the past week.

Don't forget to cast your vote for Chas. E. Grinder for Register of deeds on Election day Nov. 5th.

Mrs. Swan and children returned home last week from Grove City, Minn. where they had been visiting relatives for several weeks.

County Attorney Eckstrom is too busy with very important Government work (which takes lots of his time) to make a campaign, and will appreciate anything his friends can do for him now and on election day Tuesday Nov. 5th. Remember A. N. Eckstrom for County Attorney.

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W. A. Lindahl
Buttermaker.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that our subscriptian price will be $1.25 a year, after Nov. 1st. 1918, to all Marshall county subscribers. Now is the time to renew.

The Holt Weekly News.

Announcement.

To The Voters of Marshall County, Minnesota.

Having received the nomination at the Primaries for the office of Register of Deeds of this County, I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the election to said office.

Having served one term as your Register of Deeds, I respectfully solicit your vote for a second term at the General Election November 5th, 1918, and if elected will assure you as prompt and efficient service in the future as you have received during the past term.

Hoping that I may again receive your generous support and vote, I beg to remain for another term,

Your faithful servant,
Chas. E. Grinder.

For Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Marshall County. I have had the honor of serving you one term and solicit your vote and support for a second term.

My opponent is a good man and would undoubtedly serve you efficiently, but as there is no brotherhood in politics, naturally, I want the office myself, but I leave it to your own good judgement, who should be elected.

I have no time to make a campaign as the work of the Local Board keeps me busy here in the office.

Respectfully
Hans C. Hanson.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Sept. 24, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph Alby, of Newfolden, Minn., who on July 13, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 06273, for SW 1-4 SE 1-4, Section 23, Twp 155 N, Range 44, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn. on the 8th day of November, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole Hall, Nils Johnson, Ole J. Flam, all of Newfolden, Minn. and Peter Mellem, of Rosewood, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY
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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

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Wheat No. 2	2.03
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage, containing a power of sale, by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by [illegible] Gesell, a single man, mortgagor, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota Corporation), mortgagee, dated March 17th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 22nd day of March, 1917, A. D., at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 225.

That the amount claimed to be due, and which is due on said mortgage at this date, is the sum of eighty four ($84.00) Dollars, together with the further sum of forty eight ($48.00) Dollars together with interest on said sum from the 12th day of March, 1918, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, the said sum of forty eight ($48.00) Dollars being the interest paid on a prior mortgage which was due on the 12th day of March, 1918, and which was paid by the mortgagee herein pursuant to the terms of the mortgage herein described, making a total due on said mortgage at this date of one hundred thirty four and 40-100 ($134.40) Dollars.

That the premises covered by the said mortgage are described as follows, to-wit:- The Northeast quarter (NE1-4) of Section No. Sixteen (16) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty Six (156) North of Range No. Forty (40), West of 5th P. M. situated in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, Minnesota, or his Deputy, at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 7th day of November, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes, if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the Attorney's fees allowed by Statue.

Dated September 16, 1918.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

Loyal citizens will win this war.

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A North Dakota Case

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Mrs. A. F. Gillespie, Park River, N. D., says: "It was several years ago that I was troubled so severely with my kidneys. My back was always aching and was so lame, sore, and stiff, I could hardly straighten when I bent over. My kidneys acted irregularly, I was all run down and just moped around all the time. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and was completely cured and I haven't had the slightest kidney trouble since and I surely place a lot of faith in Doan's."

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Her Experience.

Hubby—My dear, let me carve the fowl. I'm sure I can make it go farther.

Wifey—I know you could. I've seen you send it right off the table and I wouldn't attempt to make it go farther than that.

Its Sort.

"How was that spiritualistic medium exhibition the other night?"

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Consolation.

"I tell you these times tax one's brains—" "Don't worry; that tax won't break you."

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CHAPTERS TOLD OF RED CROSS WORK

Annual Meetings Listen to Report Made by Organization's War Council.

ONE-FOURTH OF COUNTRY'S POPULATION IS ENROLLED.

Estimated That Approximately Eight Million Women Are Engaged in Canteen Work and the Production of Relief Supplies—Vast Sums Expended.

Red Cross chapters throughout the country held their annual meetings October 23, at which the following message from the War Council was read:

To the Chapters of the American Red Cross:

The War Council sends greetings to the chapters of the American Red Cross on the occasion of their annual meetings for 1918.

With these greetings go congratulations on the great work of the chapters during the past year and, above all things, on the wonderful spirit of sacrifice and patriotism which has pervaded that work.

The strength of the Red Cross rests upon its chapters. They are its bone and sinew. They supply its funds, they supply its men and women, they supply its enthusiasm. Let us, then, review together the Red Cross story of the past year.

Some idea of the size to which your Red Cross family has grown may be gathered from the following facts:

On May 1, 1917, just before the appointment of the War Council, the American Red Cross had 486,194 members working through 562 chapters.

On July 31, 1918, the organization numbered 20,648,103 annual members, besides 8,000,000 members of the Junior Red Cross—a total enrollment of over one-fourth the population of the United States.

Since the beginning of the war you of the chapters have co-operated with the War Council in conducting two war fund drives and one membership drive, in addition to the campaign on behalf of the Junior Red Cross.

The total actual collections to date from the first war fund have amounted to more than $115,000,000. The subscriptions to the second war fund amounted to upwards of $176,000,000.

From membership dues the collections have amounted to approximately $24,500,000.

Splendid Work Done by Women.

To the foregoing must be added that very large contribution of materials and time given by the millions of women throughout the country in surgical dressings, in knitted articles, in hospital and refugee garments, in canteen work, and the other activities the chapters have been called upon to perform.

It is estimated that approximately 8,000,000 women are engaged in canteen work and the production of relief supplies through the chapters.

For the period up to July 1, 1918, American Red Cross chapters, through their workrooms, had produced:

490,120	refugee garments.
7,123,621	hospital supplies.
10,786,489	hospital garments.
10,134,501	knitted articles.
192,748,107	surgical dressings.

A total of 221,282,838 articles—of an estimated aggregate value of at least $44,000,000.

These articles were largely the product of women's hands, and, by the same token, infinitely more precious than could have been the output of factories or machines. These articles going to the operating room of the hospitals, to homeless or needy refugees, and carrying comfort to our own boys in the field, convey a message of love from the women of this country entirely distinct from the great money value attaching to their handiwork.

Money Spent in Work.

By the terms under which the first Red Cross war fund was raised, the chapters were entitled to retain 25 per cent of the amount collected, in order defray local expenses, to carry on their home service work, to purchase materials to be utilized in chapter production and otherwise to meet the numerous calls made upon them. The chapters were thus entitled to retain nearly $29,000,000. As a matter of fact, their actual retentions amounted to only about $22,000,000.

Out of collections from annual memberships, the chapters have retained about $11,000,000.

From this total sum, therefore, of $33,000,000 retained by the chapters, they have met all the oftentimes very heavy local demands upon them, and in addition have provided for use by national headquarters products valued, as stated above, at upwards of $44,000,000.

The chapters have in effect returned to the War Council, not alone the $33,000,000 retained out of the war fund membership dues but, in value of actual product, an additional contribution of at least $11,000,000.

It will thus been seen that during the eighteen months which have elapsed since the United States entered the war, the American people will have either paid in or pledged to the American Red Cross for its work of relief throughout the world, in money or in material values, a net total of at least $325,000,000.

Revealed America's Heart.

It has been because of this spirit which has pervaded all American Red Cross effort in this war that the aged governor of one of the stricken and battered provinces of France stated not long since that, though France had long known of America's greatness, strength and enterprise, it remained for the American Red Cross in this war to reveal America's heart.

In this country, at this moment, the workers of the Red Cross, through its chapters, are helping to add to the comfort and health of the millions of our soldiers in 102 camps and cantonments, as well as of those traveling on railroad trains or embarking on ships for duty overseas.

The home service of the Red Cross, with its now more than 40,000 workers, is extending its ministrations of sympathy and counsel each month to upwards of 100,000 families left behind by soldiers at the front—a number ever growing with the increase of our men under arms.

But, of course, the heart of the Red Cross and its money and attention always move toward and focus themselves in Europe where the American Red Cross, as truly "the greatest mother in the world," is seeking to draw "a vast net of mercy through an ocean of unspeakable pain."

Red Cross Worth Recognized.

Nothing is withheld that can be given over there to supplement the efforts of our army and navy in caring for our own boys. The Red Cross does not pretend to do the work of the medical corps of the army or the navy; its purpose is to help and to supplement.

Nor does the Red Cross seek to glorify what it does or those who do it; our satisfaction is in the result, which, we are assured by Secretary Baker, General Pershing, General Ireland and all our leaders, is of inestimable value and of indispensable importance.

By the first of January your Red Cross will have working in France upwards of 5,000 Americans—a vivid contrast to the little group of eighteen men and women which, as the first Red Cross commission to France, sailed about June 1, 1917, to initiate our efforts in Europe.

Your Red Cross now has active, operating commissions in France, in England, in Italy, in Belgium, in Switzerland, in Palestine and in Greece. You have sent a shipload of relief supplies and a group of devoted workers to northern Russia; you have dispatched a commission to work behind our armies in eastern Siberia; you have sent special representatives to Denmark, to Serbia and to the island of Madeira.

Carries Message of Hope.

Your Red Cross is thus extending relief to the armies and navies of our allies; and you are carrying a practical message of hope and relief to the friendly peoples of afflicted Europe and Asia.

Indeed, we are told by those best informed in the countries of our allies that the efforts of your Red Cross to aid the soldiers and to sustain the morale of the civilian populations left at home, especially in France and Italy, have constituted a very real factor in winning the war.

The veil has already begun to lift.

What the Red Cross may be called upon to do in the further course of the war, or with the coming of victory, peace and reconstruction, it would be idle to attempt to prophesy.

But your great organization, in very truth "the mobilized heart and spirit of the whole American people," has shown itself equal to any call, ready to respond to any emergency.

Spirit of All Best and Highest.

The American Red Cross has become not so much an organization as a great movement, seeking to embody in organized form the spirit of service, the spirit of sacrifice—in short, all that is best and highest in the ideals and aspirations of our country.

Indeed we cannot but believe that this wonderful spirit which service in and for the Red Cross has evoked in this war, is destined to become in our national life an element of permanent value.

At Christmas time we shall ask the whole American people to answer the Red Cross Christmas roll call. It will constitute a unique appeal to every man, woman and child in this great land of ours to become enrolled in our army of mercy.

It is the hope of the War Council that this Christmas membership roll call shall constitute a reconsecration of the whole American people, an inspiring reassertion to mankind that in this hour of world tragedy, not to conquer but to serve is America's supreme aim.

THE WAR COUNCIL OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS,
Henry P. Davison, Chairman.
Washington, D. C., Oct. 10, 1918.

WHY RED CROSS IS LOVED.

Saving Life of Italian Soldier's Wife Incident of the Work.

His wife had been very ill, and was sent by the American Red Cross to recuperate in one of its country summer homes, unknown to "Gigi," who was doing his country's work in the trenches. This is the way he expresses himself when he learns what has been done:

"Most illustrious officers of the Red Cross:

"I feel that it is my duty to tell you how thankful I feel for your kindness to my wife. When I got a letter from her, in her own handwriting, telling me how your good people had picked her up and carried her off to a most comfortable home in the mountains, where she is feeling better every day, well—I just cried tears of joy and am not a bit ashamed of them. We Italians have a good friend in America. I salute you with gratitude and esteem. Adieu!"

There was never a time when the sacrifices and the help of women were more appreciated than at the present time. Women should learn war-nursing and nursing at home. There is no better way than to study the new edition of the "Common Sense Medical Adviser"—with chapters on First Aid, Bandaging, Anatomy, Hygiene, care of the Sick, Diseases of Women, Mother and Babe, the Marriage Relations—to be had at some drug-stores or send 50c. to Publisher, 654 Washington Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

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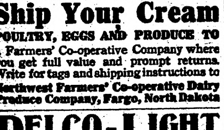

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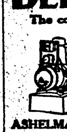

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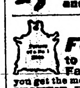

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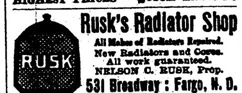

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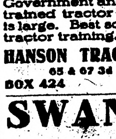

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Consolation.

He—Mr. Cadby refused to recognize me today. Thinks, I suppose, that I am not his equal.

She—Ridiculous. Of course you are. Why, he's nothing but a conceited idiot.—Boston Transcript.

A little affectation is permissible—but don't think culture is expressed by St. Vitus' dance of the eyebrows.

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UNNECESSARY CALLS MADE ON PHYSICIANS

Proper Treatment of Mild Cases of Spanish Influenza.

Use of Gauze Masks Is Recommended for Those Nursing Sick—Handkerchiefs Are Out of Place—Rest Is Important.

Washington.—In an effort to reduce unnecessary calls on the over-worked physicians throughout the country because of the present epidemic of influenza, Surgeon General Blue of the United States public health service calls upon the people of the country to learn something about the home care of patients ill with influenza. Physicians everywhere have complained about the large number of unnecessary calls they have had to make because of the inability of many people to distinguish between the cases requiring expert medical care and those which could readily be cared for without a physician. With influenza continuing to spread in many parts of the country, and with an acute shortage of doctors and nurses everywhere, every unnecessary call on either physicians or nurses makes it so much harder to meet the urgent needs of the patients who are seriously ill.

Present Generation Spoiled.

"The present generation," said the surgeon general, "has been spoiled by having had expert medical and nursing care readily available. It was not so in the days of our grandmothers, when every good housewife was expected to know a good deal about the care of the sick.

"Every person who feels sick and appears to be developing an attack of influenza should at once be put to bed in a well-ventilated room. If his bowels have moved regularly, it is not necessary to give a physic; where a physic is needed, a dose of castor oil or Rochelle salts should be given.

"The room should be cleared of all unnecessary furniture, bric-a-brac, and rugs. A wash basin, pitcher, and slop bowl, soap and towel should be at hand, preferably in the room or just outside the door.

"If the patient is feverish a doctor should be called, and this should be done in any case if the patient appears very sick, or coughs up pinkish (blood-stained) sputum, or breathes rapidly and painfully.

"Most of the patients cough up considerable mucus; in some, there is much mucus discharged from the nose and throat. This material should not be collected in handkerchiefs, but rather in bits of old rags, or toilet paper, or on paper napkins. As soon as used, these rags or papers should be placed in a paper bag kept beside the bed. Pocket handkerchiefs are out of place in the sick room and should not be used by patients. The rags or papers in the paper bag should be burned.

"The patients will not be hungry, and the diet should therefore be light. Milk, a soft-boiled egg, some toast or crackers, a bit of jelly or jam, stewed fruit, some cooked cereal like oatmeal, hominy or rice—these will suffice in most cases.

Comfort of Patient.

"The comfort of the patient depends on a number of little things, and these should not be overlooked. Among these may be mentioned a well-ventilated room; a thoroughly clean bed with, fresh, smooth sheets and pillowcases; quiet, so that refreshing sleep may be had; cool drinking water conveniently placed; a cool compress to the forehead if there is headache; keeping the patient's hands and face the forehead if there is headache; clean, and the hair combed; keeping his mouth clean, preferably with some pleasant mouth wash; letting the patient know that someone is within call, but not annoying him with too much fussing; giving the patient plenty of opportunity to rest and sleep.

"It is advisable to give the sick room a good airing several times a day.

"So much for the patient. It is equally important to consider the person who is caring for him. It is important to remember that the disease is spread by breathing germ-laden matter sprayed into the air by the patient in coughing or even in ordinary breathing. The attendant should therefore wear a gauze mask over her mouth and nose while she is in the sick room. Such a mask is easily made by folding a piece of gauze four fold, sewing a piece of tape at the four corners.

Observe Cleanliness.

"The attendant should, if possible, wear a washable gown or an apron which covers the dress. This will make it much simpler to avoid infection.

"It is desirable that all attendants learn how to use a fever thermometer. This is not at all a difficult matter, and the use of such a thermometer is a great help in caring for the patients. The druggist who sells these thermometers will be glad to show how they are used.

"In closing, and lest I be misunderstood, I wish to leave one word of caution: If in doubt, call the doctor."

His Sincere Hope.

She—I trust, Jack, dear, that our marriage will not be against your father's will.

He—I'm sure I hope not; it would be mighty hard for us if he should change it.—Boston Evening Transcript.

Intricate Reasoning.

"Aunt Belle, if you had your life to live over again what would you do?"

"I'd get married before I had sense enough to be an old maid."—Boston Evening Transcript.

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"No, ma'am," answered Tommy. "I didn't look for any."—London Answers.

Cure pimples, headache, bad breath by taking May Apple, Aloe, Jalap rolled into a tiny sugar pill called Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

Poor Dog Under Shell Fire.

In a letter describing the behavior of domestic animals under fire a soldier says: A big black mongrel came into our improvised trench late one afternoon. He had survived a terrific ten hours' bombardment of shell and gas and sank down by my side utterly exhausted. His body became inert and nothing, not even the tenderest bits of bully beef, would make him move. His brown eyes looked mournfully into mine as if longing to tell me something. Just then the Boche commenced strafing, and at every explosion a shiver ran through his body. I do not know what became of the poor beast. There was an engagement soon afterward and this big black mongrel disappeared.

What He Was Going to Say.

C. T. Williams of Toronto was compelled to make an unexpected business trip to Ohio. He entered a hotel in a small town in that state without baggage.

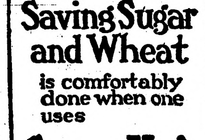
"Can I get a room here for the night?" he asked.

"Yes, sir," answered the proprietor, "if you can put up—"

Mr. Williams placed a bill on the desk.

"I started to say," continued the proprietor, "if you can put up with a room without a bath. Boy, show this gentleman upstairs."

A man never realizes the worth of his wife until he has to cook his own meals.



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Miss Gray's letter breathes hope to the ailing. It is an inspiration to the sick and infirm.

Liquid or Tablet Form

Aversion to Boats.

On landing in France an American soldier wrote home to his father: "Sell my sailboat. I never want to see a boat again after I get home."

There are plug horses, plug hats and plug men.

Her Specialty.

"Has your wife been canning much fruit this season?"

"No; she has been canning me."

Sometimes a man thinks he is growing when he makes a tentative resolve.

Do You Think There is No Competition?

If anyone thinks there is no competition amongst the big packers he ought to go through a day's work with Swift & Company.

Let him begin at the pens when the live stock comes in; let him try to buy a nice bunch of fat steers quietly and at his own price without somebody's bidding against him.

Let him realize the scrupulous care taken at the plant that not one thing is lost or wasted in order that costs may be held to a minimum.

Let him go up into the office where market reports are coming in,—and reports of what other concerns are doing.

Let him watch the director of the Swift Refrigerator fleet, maneuvering it over the face of the country like a fleet of battleships at sea.

Let him take a trip with a Swift & Company salesman and try to sell a few orders of meat.

Let him stay at a branch house for an hour or two and see the retail meat dealers drive their bargains to the last penny as they shop around among the packers' branch houses, the wholesale dealers, and the local packing plants.

And then, when the day is over, let him have half an hour in the accounting department, where he can see for himself on what small profits the business is done. (Less than 4 cents on each dollar of sales.)

If he still thinks there is no competition in the meat business it will be because he wants to think so.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

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—that's what thousands of farmers say, who have gone from the U. S. to settle on homesteads or buy land in Western Canada. Canada's invitation to every industrious worker to settle in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta is especially attractive. She wants farmers to make money and happy, prosperous homes for themselves by helping her raise immense wheat crops to feed the world.

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or other lands at very low prices. Where you can buy good farm land at $15 to $30 per acre that will raise 20 to 45 bushels of $2 wheat to the acre—it's easy to become prosperous. Canadian farmers also grow wonderful crops of Oats, Barley and Flax. Mixed Farming is fully as profitable an industry as grain raising. The excellent grasses, full of nutrition, are the only food required either for beef or dairy purposes. Good schools and churches; markets convenient; climate excellent. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to

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STATE BREVITIES

Renville.—The Renville school board yesterday closed the city schools for an indefinite period.

Brainerd.—Farmers have lost considerable hay in Daggett Brook township from peat bog fires.

Worthington.—The Minnesota Presbyterian synod closed its two days' session here with a prohibition rally.

Wheaton.—The public schools of Wheaton have been closed because of Spanish influenza. There are a few cases in the city, but no casualties.

Two Harbors.—Following a decision to close churches and other public places, the city council passed a resolution to direct the closing of the public schools on account of Spanish influenza.

Port Arthur.—The Port Arthur city council, at a special session, voted to send a fund of $500 to the Minnesota fire sufferers. It is understood the money will be sent to Cloquet.

Stillwater. — All employes of the Twin City Forge & Foundry Co. here working on the hour system were paid a 10 per cent bonus Oct. 12, the sum of $34,000 being distributed among the employes of the plant.

Mankato — The United States department of agriculture has permanently located an agent in this city to devote his time to combating tuberculosis among the pure bred herds in ten Southern Minnesota counties.

East Grand Forks.—Because of Spanish influenza here local schools have been closed. There have been 175 cases among the pupils and six deaths. The schools of Grand Forks have been closed for several days.

Fairmont.—More than half the schools of Martin county have been closed to curb influenza. There were no church services here Sunday. Theaters have also been closed and social gatherings postponed. The disease is believed to be abating in this county.

Pipestone.—Three persons were killed when an automobile in which they were riding left the King of Trails highway and turned over in a ditch about forty-eight miles south of Pipestone. The dead are Michael Nagel, wealthy farmer; Fred Husson of Luverne, Jack Donahue of Ellsworth.

Carlton.—The body of a soldier that had been received at Cloquet for burial, whose name is not known here, lay in a morgue when fire swept the town, and, according to reports received here, was not removed in the exodus, only the living being thought of, and was nearly cremated. A visitor to the ruined city brought the report here.

St. Paul.—Ten thousand boys between 16 and 20 are expected to rally to the aid of Uncle Sam on the farms of Minnesota next spring. The United States Boys' Working Reserve, in cooperation with the Department of Labor and the Council of National Defense, is beginning a concerted program for the mobilization of the entire boy force in the country.

St. Cloud, Minn.—To spend three hours in the icy waters of Moose Lake to escape death in the great fire in that stricken city, was the experience of Miss Gerda Larson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Larson, Wilson avenue southeast. Miss Larson has arrived home, having gone through the ordeal without injury, excepting sore eyes from the smoke and the nervous shock due to the excitement.

Anoka.—Adam Schimbeno, 60 years old, a farmer living near here, was asphyxiated by fumes from the exhaust pipe of his tractor. Schimbeno and his son had taken the tractor to the field to do some plowing. While attempting to start the machine, Schimbeno got in front of the exhaust pipe and the fumes struck him in the face. "I'm gone," Schimbeno yelled to his son, as he fell to the ground dead.

Redwood. — Charles Struchmann, living near Morgan, has been placed under heavy bonds to appear in court here and answer to the charge of making seditious remarks. Among other things, it is alleged he said: "The government can go to hell with their bonds." Officials say that Struchmann has in his possession certificates showing that he has purchased $9,750 worth of German bonds of the date of 1916. They believe that not a dollar of the money ever went to Germany, but that it was used in this country.

Chicago.—Property damage caused by the forest fires in Minnesota amounts to $75,000,000 and the insurance will total $25,000,000, according to computations made today by insurance men here. Their estimate does not include the standing timber and the other property which was destroyed which was uninsured and the consensus of opinion in insurance circles is that the loss to insurance companies is the heaviest since the San Francisco fire in 1906. The losses to the fire risk companies will be greatest, it was stated, on the large lumber properties on which war-time values are high, and on which several of the risk concerns carry lines of insurance in excess of a million dollars.

Peter Houthimamos of Chisholm, a railroad section man, was held up by a highwayman at Lucknow and his pocketbook taken from him. In it were his complete draft registration papers. He asked the draft board for a new record, which was forwarded to him.

St. Paul.—Michael Kelly, former Minneapolis saloon keeper, was indicted jointly with Mrs. Alice Hanson by the Ramsey county grand jury for the murder of Mrs. Hanson's husband, Henry E. Hanson, at New Brighton, June 25. Both were charged with murder in the first degree.

MISS DICKERSON

Y. W. C. A. secretary who has gone through Russian terrors.

Miss Elizabeth Dickerson of Minneapolis is one of the Young Women's Christian Association secretaries who have gone through the terrors that have infested Russia during the last year and a half. Miss Dickerson was one of the first of the secretaries to be sent by the Association when Russian women called for the assistance of the American workers. Twice she has been forced to flee Russia with the other secretaries, and twice the brave and persistent young women have gone back into the fray.

Moorhead.—Six deaths from Spanish influenza were reported here in one day.

Little Falls.—The city council has fixed the levy at $43,045, an increase of $9,000 over the last.

Little Falls.—Perry Smith was taken off a train here and is charged with desertion from Camp Grant, Ill. His home is in Hackensack.

Mankato. — Miss Emily Tannquist, who left Mankato last June as a Red Cross nurse, is seriously ill in New York. She was about to sail overseas.

East Grand Forks.—Superintendent of Schools F. E. Lurton has received a call from North Dakota to recommend teachers who have had two or more years of high school work.

Little Falls.—Joseph Pawlenty fell from a load of hay to the ground, striking on his head and sustaining a fracture of the spine in the region of the neck. He is paralyzed from the neck down.

St. Cloud.—Nine residents of the city were called into justice court before Judge Donahue by detectives for the Great Northern railway, charged with wasting wheat when sweeping out cars.

Pine City.—Supt. W. J. McAdam of the Pine City schools has been appointed Pine county director for the public safety commission, to succeed F. R. Duxbury, who has resigned to enter Y. M. C. A. work overseas.

Pipestone.—S. B. Duea has disposed of his stock in the Security Bank of Pipestone to Gus Boehmke, cashier of the Holland State bank. Mr. Duea, who is mayor of Pipestone, will enter Red Cross work in France and will go overseas the first of the year.

Winton.—The St. Croix Lumber & Manufacturing company's sawmill has finished the season's cut. It is expected that this is the last season for the mill, unless more timber can be bought. Many families are packing their household goods and will leave here in the near future. The planing mill is running a full force and expects to all winter.

Bemidji.—Because of the prevalence here of Spanish influenza Mayor Charles Vanderlius ordered all public meetings stopped and the closing of schools, churches, theaters, skating rinks and the public library. Chief of Police Essler says the order will be enforced to the letter. A trained nurse will be sent here by the Red Cross to help combat the disease.

Minneapolis. Returning a profit of $138,235, the Minnesota State Fair of 1918 was officially listed as the most successful on record. A remittance for that amount was received by J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, from Lester Banks, treasurer of the fair association. Secretary T. H. Canfield's accompanying report showed receipts of $351,076 and expenditures of $215,842.

Stillwater.—The Twin City Forge & Foundry company is employing a number of women as timekeepers, checkers and inspectors. Already a number of these positions are filled by residents of Stillwater, but quite a number of applications have been received and passed upon from out of town by Miss French, the Chicago expert, who is managing the women's department.

Ely. — Mrs. Matt Melttinnen of Brookston, formerly of this city, was killed while fleeing from the Brookston fire. The report reaching here is that she and her husband, who was engaged in the hardware business at Brookston, were hurrying towards Grand Rapids in an automobile when a falling tree struck them, Mrs. Melttinnen being killed and her husband injured. It is not known where the body was taken.

Sauk Rapids. A complaint has been made to United States District Attorney Jaques by the loyal citizens of Sauk Rapids against Nick Karels, saloonkeeper here for a number of years, who is charged with making seditious utterances in one of the places of business in Sauk Rapids shortly before the Fourth Liberty Loan drive started.

St. Cloud.—Supt. C. H. Maxson has announced that the Franklin school had been closed for the time being because of lack of attendance. The children who have been kept out are reported suffering from coryza or cold in the head.

Takes Time.

"Mister, I am slowly starving."

"Of course. It's a thing you can't do in a hurry, you know."

Not strange that the Huns destroy the trees on the French farms. A criminal doesn't like a tree.

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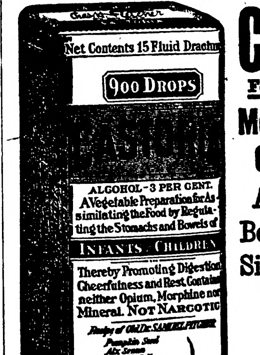
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Pity for Benedict.

"All men who get married are not fools." "No; some are merely unfortunate."—London Tit-Bits.

Never underestimate a quiet man. A great ship at anchor seems a helpless thing.

While Coal Is Scarce.

"Summer is lingering in the lap of fall." "Then may fall never take a stand."

The bull will bellow and snort and throw dirt—and yet not consider himself a politician.

HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES IF YOUR BACK ACHES

Do you feel tired and "worn-out?" Are you nervous and irritable? Don't sleep well at night? Have a "dragged out," unrested feeling when you get up in the morning? Dizzy spells? Bilious? Bad taste in the mouth, backache, pain or soreness in the loins, and abdomen? Severe distress when urinating, bloody, cloudy urine or sediment? All these indicate gravel or stone in the bladder, or that the poisonous microbes, which are always in your system, have attacked your kidneys.

You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The oil soaks gently into the walls and lining of the kidneys, and the little poisonous animal germs, which are causing the inflammation, are immediately attacked and chased out of your system without inconvenience or pain.

Don't ignore the "little pains and aches," especially backaches. They may be little now but there is no telling how soon a dangerous or fatal disease of which they are the forerunners may show itself. Go after the cause of that backache at once, or you may find yourself in the grip of an incurable disease.

Do not delay a minute. Go to your druggist and insist on his supplying you with a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In 24 hours you will feel renewed health and vigor. After you have cured yourself, continue to take one or two Capsules each day so as to keep in first-class condition, and ward off the danger of future attacks. Money refunded if they do not help you. Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand, and thus be sure of getting the genuine.—Adv.

How Acid-Stomach Wrecks Health of Millions

[illegible] make the mistake of thinking that acid-stomach—superacidity as the doctors call it—merely means an occasional attack of indigestion, bloat, heartburn, belching, sour, gassy stomach, or some other such minor ailment quickly remedied—or will cure itself—and leave no serious after effects. As a matter of fact superacidity is responsible for a long train of serious ailments that cause awful suffering and sometimes baffle the best medical skill. It is a well established fact that many cases of chronic stomach trouble, anemia, stomatitis, gastritis, rheumatism, gout, lumbago, cirrhosis of the liver, auto-intoxication, dyspepsia, catarrh of the stomach, intestinal ulcer, cancer of the stomach, and frequently valvular heart trouble and heart failure can be traced directly to an acid stomach.

This is not at all surprising when you consider that even the acid formed in the mouth from fermentation of bits of food lodged in the teeth—an acid that is actually tasteless—is yet powerful enough to eat through the hard enamel of the teeth and decay them. Is it any wonder, then, that an excess amount of acid in the stomach causes so much misery, undermines the strength and wrecks the health and happiness of so many people? Is it not a fact, within the range of your own observation that nine people out of ten are victims of acid-stomach?

If you ever hope to be well and strong you must get rid of that [illegible]. Nothing is gained by taking medicines which merely stimulate and give one a false sense of strength and that leave the excess acid still in the stomach. You must depend upon your food for your strength — and unless you keep your stomach free from excess acid, pure, sweet and strong, it cannot properly digest food; your whole body suffers.

What you want is relief — yes — and here is the way—absolutely guaranteed—you take no chance. It's been tested tens of thousands of times with universal success. Go to your druggist and get just one package of EATONIC, a wonderful preparation that will literally wipe the excess acidity out of your stomach. The results obtained are nothing short of marvelous. Almost instantly it relieves that painful, puffed up feeling after eating, belching, heartburn, sour stomach, etc. Makes the stomach feel cool and comfortable.

If you need this help it's your own fault if you suffer another day.

EATONIC is absolutely guaranteed, so get a big 50c box from your druggist. If it does not help you your money will be refunded. If your druggist does not keep EATONIC, send your name and address to the Eatonic Remedy Company, 1018 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill., and they will at once mail you a 50c box and you can send them the money for it after you receive it.

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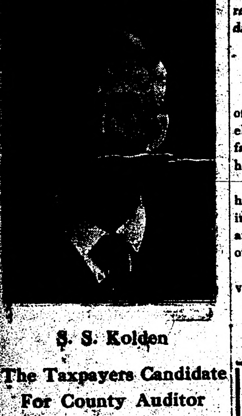

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He stands for

A SQUARE DEAL

For All The People

Solicits your vote and support at the General Election Nov. 5th

The ladies should help to re-elect County Supt. David Johnson as he has made a good official.

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Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without YOUR HELP or that Germany will let you keep your money if she Wins. Buy a Stamp

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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For Treasurer

I am seeking re-election to the office of County Treasurer and if elected will try to give the same faithful service in the future as I have in the past.

The people of Marshall County have been very kind to me by favoring me with the Treasurer's office and I would greatly appreciate another term at this time.

Please remember me with your vote on Nov. 5th.

Sincerely,
F. Bakke.

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War Savings Stamps at every bank, post office or other authorized agency.

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R. L. F. M'f'g Co.

Co. Supt. David Johnson was electioneering in this part of the country last week.

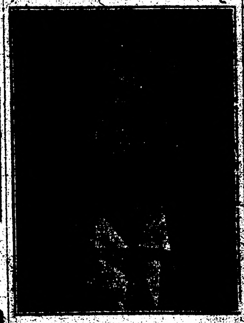
We urge our readers to renew for their paper promptly before the price goes up.

Ludwig Monson went to Raden Sunday and brot his brother Henry home with him to help with the farm work.

E. T. Dale and J. L. Tolle of McIntosh came Wednesday enroute for Golden Valley to visit relatives and friends.

Rev. F. J. Seltz will conduct services in the Synod church next Sunday afternoon at 2-30 o'clock in the German language.

Chas. E. Grinder, our present Register of Deeds will greatly appreciate your support and vote for a second term to that office on election day Nov. 5th.



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Re-ELECT HEGNES

What He Stands For

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All Progressive Legislation favoring the development of our Agricultural interests along Co-operative lines.

A "Square Deal" for all.

Senator Nels S. Hegnes was born in Nerstrand, Rice County, Minn., forty years ago. His early life was spent the same way as thousands of other farm boys, who had to fight against poverty and adverse circumstances. He moved to Argyle nearly twenty years ago and has lived there ever since. He has always enjoyed the respect and confidence of his home people, an evidence of which is the fact that he has served several terms as president of the village council, is now a member of the Argyle Better Farming Association, secretary of the Farmers Elevator Co., etc. He owns and operates several farms in the Argyle vicinity.

His work and vote for County Option and Prohibition during his term in the state senate should entitle him to another term. Besides valuable appropriations for his district he also introduced and passed the following laws: Aid to Agricultural Societies; Providing for experiments on Peat Lands, Maintenance of bridges over Public Ditches; an Amendment to the Noxious Weed Law; also thru his work on the Drainage Committee he was able to pass several measures which have saved the taxpayers of the district several thousand dollars. He owes allegiance to no man or party and pledges himself to a "SQUARE DEAL" For All The PEOPLE, District and State.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA

By the Legislature at Its General Session, 1917, to be Submitted to the People of Said State at the General 1918 Election, Together with a Statement of Its

PURPOSE AND EFFECT

PREPARED BY
CLIFFORD L. HILTON
Attorney General of Minnesota.

Addressed to
JULIUS A. SCHMAHL
Secretary of State

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.
ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA.

April 29, 1918.

HON. JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

SIR:

As required by Section 46, General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, I have the honor to furnish you herewith a statement of the purpose and effect of the amendment proposed to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota by the Legislature of 1917, and which is to be submitted to the electors of said State at the General Election in 1918.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

Chapter 515 of the Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, proposes an amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of said State by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

> "Section 6. The manufacture, sale, barter, gift, disposition, or the furnishing, or transportation, or keeping or having in possession for sale, barter, gift, disposition, or the furnishing, or transportation of intoxicating liquor of any kind, in any quantity whatever, except for sacramental, mechanical, scientific, or medicinal purposes, shall be forever prohibited within this state from and after the first day of July, 1920, and this amendment shall be self-executing. The legislature shall enact laws for the enforcement of this section and shall provide suitable penalties for the violation thereof."

THE PURPOSE of the proposed amendment is to forever prohibit within the State of Minnesota after July 1, 1920, the manufacture, sale, barter, gift, disposition or the furnishing or transportation, or the keeping or having in possession for any of such purposes, of intoxicating liquor of any kind in any quantity whatever, except for sacramental, mechanical, scientific or medicinal purposes.

THE EFFECT of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to make unlawful and forever prohibit the manufacture, sale, barter, gift, disposition or the furnishing or transportation or the keeping or having in possession for any of such purposes, of intoxicating liquor of any kind in any quantity whatever, except for sacramental, mechanical, scientific or medicinal purposes, within this state after July 1, 1920, and to place it beyond the power of any legislative authority to permit the doing of any such acts. If adopted, the doing of any of the prohibited acts automatically becomes unlawful after July 1, 1920, without any action on the part of the legislature or other legislative body. The amendment is made self-executing. A duty is, however, imposed upon the legislature to enact laws for the enforcement of this section, if adopted, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Yours respectfully,
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.

Marshall County Farmers Endorse Nels S. Hegnes for State Senator

We, the undersigned farmers of Marshall Co. have known Sen. Nels S. Hegnes for many years and can vuoch for his general attitude as regards the welfare of the farmer. He has always proven himself interested in the upbuilding of our agricultural enterprises and to be on the side of the farmer whenever any proposition affecting their good was at stake.

He is a man in the prime of life, 40 years of age, possessed of mature judgement and able to adapt himself to the constantly changing condition of our civic, economic and political life. Is actively interested in farming, owning and operating farms in Marshall and Kittson Counties, consequently is familiar and knows as much about the problems & needs of the farmer and common man as anyone in the district. During his residence in Marshall Co. for nearly 20 years, he has proven himself to be honest and trustworthy in all his business dealings. He is unassuming and a man who has always tried to do what he considers right & just. His record in his first term of the state senate speaks for itself and shows that he constantly had the interests of this district in mind & did accomplish fully as much as any of his predecessors. While he may have failed to get into the limelight as a speaker at public gatherings, he has accomplished what he was sent to the legislature to do, which in our judgement counts for a good deal more to the farmer constiuency of this district than if he had been the hero of many oratorical contests.

Politically he owes allegiance to no party or cliques and is strictly his own man in every sense of the word. In view of his record in the state senate, as neighbor, friend, citizen, we heartily recommend him to the farmer voters of Marshall, Roseau & Kittson counties and we would consider it a serious mistake if he is not re-elected.

Respectfully submitted:—M. L. Warner, Radium, Minn. J. S. Hilleboe, Warren, Minn. (Pres. Boxville Farmers' Club.) Wm. Rickell, Argyle (Pres. Farmers & Merchants Elevator Co.) Theo Willer, Argyle. (Sec'y. Marshall Co. Federation of Farmers Clubs.) William Laing, Argyle. (Pres. Argyle Progressive Farmers Club) J. J. Sinclair, Stephen, Minn. (Pres. Marshall Co. Farm Bureau Association) Axel J. Lundquist, Alvarado, Robert Tell, Argyle, H. C. Grin, Argyle, Route 1. F. A. Green, Riverside Farm, Stephen, Nils Malm, Argyle,

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Vote the pink ballot first on Nov. 5th.

Mabel Johnson was a T. R. Falls visitor Tuesday.

Lars Chenil has a span of 3 year old colts for sale.

Ole Larson had dental work done in T. R. Falls Friday.

Ole Christenson has some stray stock he wants to get rid of.

Olaf Dahl is again able to haul the mail after a siege with the grip.

Oliver Grondahl came home Tuesday from Camp Grant, on a three weeks furlough.

Don't forget to cast your vote for Chas. E. Grinder for Register of deeds on Election day Nov. 5th.

Mrs. Johnson of T. R. Falls came Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. [illegible] and family.

The Ringbo Red Cross Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. Chris. Engen Wednesday Nov. 6th. Everyone is invited.

Mrs. Risberg was called to Mentor Wednesday by the sickness of her little grandchildren at the C. S. Risberg home.

The winter schedule on the rural route goes into effect on Friday Nov. 15th. on that day the carrier will leave the postoffice at 7 o'clock in the morning.

Leonard Jefferson who is stationed at San Francisco, Cal. and his aunt, Mrs. Rasmusson of St. Paul came Tuesday for a short visit at the C. Jefferson home.

Re-election of Chas. E. Grinder for Register of Deeds for a second term will mean the continuence of prompt and efficient service from that office in the future.

Mrs. Tony Anderson and children returned to their home in Arvilla N. D. Saturday after a few weeks pleasant visit with her mother and other relatives at Golden Valley.

Gunder Sorter received word Friday night of the death of his brother Elef Sorter's wife at Wanaska on the same evening. Mrs. Elef Sorter's death was caused by heart failure from which she had suffered for some time. She was about 28 years old and leaves her husband, two children, her parents and other relatives to mourn her death.

Mrs. Carrie Anderson has purchased some unplatted land of the Townsite Co. just across the street from C. L. Sandberg's, and is building a cottage 22 feet square for her home. Loyd Adams put in the basement the past week and the building will be put up as soon as possible. Mrs. Anderson lives near St. Hilaire but wants to make her home here near her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Sandberg. Mrs. Anderson's son Richard Larson, came last week to assist on the work of building.

The Lid On

Mayor Riesberg ordered the lid on Saturday against holding any kind of meetings or gatherings until all danger of the influenza is over. The postoffice was ordered closed until the mail is distributed and the school was closed Monday for an indefinite time, and all the teachers went home Wednesday.

Any one who is or has been sick should keep from other people and everyone should avoid getting into a crowd of people. It don't help to get scared and worry, but it does help to be careful, and may save your own life and that of others.

Three in the family are sick at O. Knutson's, two at H. Heinze's, Diedrick Nyberg has been sick at home the past week, Mrs. Mabel Swenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith is reported on the sick list and all of the above are believed to have the influenza. Dr. Frochlich was called Sunday to see Mrs. W. A. Silbaugh and stopped in town at the B. J. Bakke home where several of the boys and now sick with the disease.

FOR SALE

A matched team of colts, mare and gelding, coming three years old next spring.

Lars Chenil, Holt.

Vote for Kolden for Auditor.

Vote "Yes" to vote dry, on the pink ballot.

Vote for Chas. E. Grinder for Register of Deeds on Election day Nov. 5th.

Iver Larson was in Warren Friday for examination before the local board.

Miss Hilma Nyberg was a business visitor in T. R. Falls the first of the week.

Miss Nellie Sastaad started her seven month school six miles from Middle River last Tuesday.

Miss Tina Johnson who has been visiting in T. R. Falls, returned home Wednesday.

The ladies should help to re-elect County Supt. David Johnson as he has made a good official.

Mrs. Albert Halvorson and baby returned from T. R. Falls Wednesday to visit relatives in Holt.

Chas. E. Grinder has served only one term as Register of Deeds of this County; re-elect him to a second term on Election day Nov. 5th.

The school house in the S. Svenkeson district was completely distroyed by fire on Wednesday night of last week. The cause of the fire is unknown as every thing was perfectly safe when the teacher left. This was a comparatively new school house as it was built only 2 or 3 years ago. Instrance $2000.00 on building and equipment.

Ladies Attention:- County Superintendent David Johnson wants your vote Nov. 5th for re-election.

To The Public!

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Lutheran Pastor

We Must Re-Elect

Our HOME MAN For Senator

Regardless of party affiliations it becomes the duty of every Marshall County voter to consider the matter fully before they cast their vote for senator. A certain faction of Roseau county politicians are trying to secure the senatorship for their county, and are using space in the Roseau county papers to impress upon the voters to stay by the home man.

Roseau county is not entitled to the senatorship as the county has been well represented during Sen. Hegnes first term, and even the opposition can not find anything the matter with his record. Furthermore Mr. Holmstrom has lived in Roseau county and the district only three years, and for that reason if for nothing else, could hardly expect to be able to represent this, one of the largest districts in the state, in an efficient manner.

As a result, in order to be fair to Marshall county, being that it is as large as the other two counties combined, re-elect our home man, Nels S. Hegnes at the polls, Nov. 5.

Southeast of Holt.

(Too late for last week)

A large number of drafted boys from this locality left the first part of the week for the training camps, but did not know for certain to which camp they would go.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Sordahl have received word that their son Arne, has arrived safely "over seas."

A Red Cross Pound social was given at the Groven school house Saturday evening. A large crowd being present and a most enjoyable evening was spent. A neat sum of $67.00 net was made for the Red Cross.

A large crowd of young people spent a very pleasant evening at Guttrude's on Sunday.

M. S. Sampson has moved his property from the H. Olsen place and is now residing on Gust Nelson's farm.

Ragna Larson, Thora and Harry Moe visited at the C. Larson home in Golden Valley on Thursday evening.

Margaret Bergland visited at A. Klungness on Monday.

Diedrick Nyberg is on the sick list.

Hannah, Ida, and Albert Knutson are on the sick list.

Miss Salma Saastad is working at the Mickelsons hotel.

Mrs. Ole Knutson visited in T. R. Falls from Monday until Wednesday.

Miss Newton, our Primary teacher has been sick with the mumps.

We urge our readers to renew for their paper promptly before the price goes up.

Walker Bros. of Rollis shipped a car of cattle to the markets Tuesday Mr. Swan will ship next week as he was unable to get a car this week.

Chas. E. Grinder, our present Register of Deeds will greatly appreciate your support and vote for a second term to that office on election day Nov. 5th.

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I find that I am unable to call on all the voters, because of having been called away on account of sickness.

I therefore take this means of asking for your support for COUNTY ATTORNEY.

John R. Naeseit.

To the Voters of Marshall County:

As a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, I respectfully solicit your support in this campaign and your vote at the Election November 5th.

I have sacrificed that each of the seven members in my family may have a Fourth Liberty Loan Bond, and I am Hooverising in campaign cards but I assure you that I am in the race, ready to work or fight, and if I don't happen to impose upon you in person before the election I shall be pleased to shake afterwards.

Yours,
Lewis M. Olson.

Announcement.

To The Voters of Marshall County, Minnesota.

Having received the nomination at the Primaries for the office of Register of Deeds of this County, I hereby announce, that I am a candidate for the election to said office.

Having served one term as your Register of Deeds, I respectfully solicit your vote for a second term at the General Election November 5th, 1918, and if elected will assure you as prompt and efficient service in the future as you have received during the past term.

Hoping that I may again receive your generous support and vote, I beg to remain for another term,

Your faithful servant,
Chas. E. Grinder.

For Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Marshall County. I have had the honor of serving you one term and solicit your vote and support for a second term.

My opponent is a good man and would undoubtedly serve you efficiently, but as there is no brotherhood in politics, naturally, I want the office myself, but I leave it to your own good judgement, who should be elected.

I have no time to make a campaign as the work of the Local Board keeps me busy here in the office.

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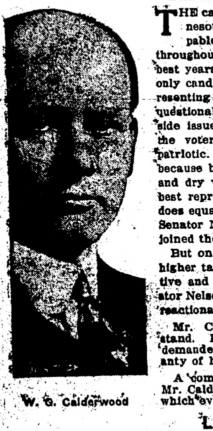

W. G. Calderwood

THE campaign for United States Senate in Minnesota presents an ideal situation. Two capable, honest, loyal men, both well known throughout the state, both of whom have given the best years of their lives to public service, are the only candidates. There is no third candidate representing a party-tag or a fanatical extreme or a questionable compromise policy. Nor is there any side issue to befog and becloud the judgment of the voters. Both men are intensely loyal and patriotic. The wet and dry question is eliminated because both men are dry. This leaves both wet and dry voters free to choose the man who will best represent them on the decisive issues. Nor does equal suffrage enter in the contest; for while Senator Nelson voted against suffrage in 1916, he joined the suffrage ranks in 1918.

But on questions involving conservation, labor, higher tariff, public ownership of railroads, initiative and referendum, and on similar issues, Senator Nelson has been consistently and emphatically reactionary.

Mr. Calderwood takes exactly the opposite stand. His years of public advocacy of measures demanded in his platform are the abundant guaranty of his honest devotion to them.

A comparison of Senator Nelson's record and Mr. Calderwood's platform will give a basis upon which every voter may intelligently cast his vote:

LABOR

NELSON'S RECORD	CALDERWOOD'S PLATFORM
Voted against the Adamson 8-hour bill, Sept. 2, 1918.	For maximum 8-hour day, with one day's rest each week.
Voted against Clayton bill, called "Labor's Magna Charta," Sept. 2, 1914.	For equal economic and industrial opportunity.
Voted for child labor bill (a progressive and commendable vote).	For prohibition of child labor in mines, workshops and factories.
Voted against exempting labor and farm organizations from "combination-in-restraint-of-trade" prosecutions, May 7, 1913, and July 8, 1914.	For laws promoting just division of wealth which labor and capital jointly produce.
Opposed employers' liability bill and tried to amend the bill unfavorably to labor.	For employers' liability, insurance against sickness, death and unemployment.
Voted against confirmation of the appointment of Brandeis, labor's friend, to Supreme Court.	Extension of labor bureau system.

TRUSTS AND BIG BUSINESS

Voted against anti-trust bill, September 2, and Oct. 5, 1914.	For anti-trust legislation.
Voted against extension of parcel post.	For postalization of telephones and telegraphs.
Voted against Federal Trade Commission.	For public ownership of railroads.
Voted against the government railroad in Alaska.	
Voted against limiting railroad dividends.	

CONSERVATION

Voted for the Shields waterpower grab, which would give the hydro-electric monopoly control of 50,000,000 water horse power.	Conservation of natural resources for all the people.
Voted to sell coal deposits to monopolies at $10 per acre.	For public ownership of mines. For conservation for all the people.
Helped whitewash Ballinger, in his attempt to give Morgan-Guggenheim group millions of coal and timber wealth.	For laying the burdens of taxation in proportion to the ability of each to pay; against the exemption of special classes of private wealth; stocks, bonds and corporate excess to pay same rate as other productive property.
Voted against equitably high tax on war profits.	

ECONOMY

Has voted for pork barrel legislation and supported the spoils and patronage system.	For an executive budget, with pork, spoils and patronage eliminated.

AGRICULTURE

	Abolition of gambling in grain and farm produce.
	Agricultural development through loans to actual settlers; legislation making it unprofitable for speculators to hold "slacker land" out of cultivation.

Let it be understood that there is no intention of any criticism of Senator Nelson. He and his friends both believe that these votes were the right kind of votes. He is honestly proud of his record and if he is returned to congress will vote the same way every time the same questions come up and in every instance will be satisfied with and proud of his record on these issues.

While we believe in Senator Nelson's honesty and patriotism, we believe that he is much mistaken. His votes were votes that were not in the interest of the highest public good, and they represented a reactionary instead of a progressive attitude.

These policies of reconstruction are to come before congress during the next six years. This war will probably be ended in the next twelve months. Then comes the building of the new world from the wreckage of the old, and the man elected to the senate from the state of Minnesota this fall for a six-year term will have five years of that term to be devoted to reconstructive measures.

Don't vote for a political label or from habit or prejudice. Make your vote count for progressive reconstruction of the nation and the world.

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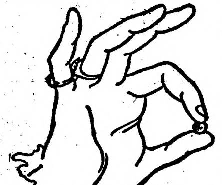

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Foreign

Prince Umberto, count of Salemi, cousin of King Victor Emmanuel, is dead at Crespano, near Monte Grappa, where he commanded a battery in the Italian army. He was twenty-nine years old.

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There have been severe earthquakes in Guatemala and 150 persons are dead, according to reports received at Panama from Guatemala. Much property damage has been done.

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Violent demonstrations have occurred in Jassy, the temporary capital of Roumania, according to advices received at Paris. A mob broke into the offices of the Issilor Gazette, the government organ, and the printing plant was demolished.

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British casualties reported by London for the week that ended Monday numbered 37,150, compared with 35,710 for the previous week. They are divided as follows: Killed or died of wounds—Officers, 517; men, 4,971. Wounded or missing—Officers, 1,464; men, 30,198.

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German provincial and Socialist newspapers continue their campaign against the "chief culprits" responsible for the war, says an Amsterdam dispatch. The Frankische Tagespost of Nuremberg, the first paper in Germany to demand openly the abdication of the emperor, declares that the accession of the crown prince is entirely out of the question. "The German people are searching for the guilty," says the Volks Zeitung, the organ of the Nuremberg socialists. "To the gallows with the guilty, whoever they may be!"

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A Copenhagen dispatch says a revolution has broken out in Bulgaria. Sofia is the scene of violent warfare. More than 3,000 have been killed in fierce street fighting between rioting workers, led by Bulgarian bolshevist agitators, and police and military vainly trying to quell the disorders.

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Arthur Henderson, the British labor leader, addressing a meeting at London, said that in the situation created by the German peace offer labor has arrayed itself solidly behind President Wilson.

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The Frankische Tagespost created a sensation throughout Germany by printing a direct appeal to the kaiser to resign, says a Copenhagen dispatch.

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A Norwegian torpedo boat ran aground south of Bergen and sank, according to advices received at Stockholm.

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Leon Morane, the French aviator and airplane builder, is dead at Paris. In 1910 Leon Morane earned the reputation of being the leading French aviator.

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Bolshevik troops advancing toward Ekaterinburg have been severely defeated by Czecho-Slovak and Siberian forces. The bolsheviki lost 1,000 men killed, as well as three armored trains, according to a Shanghai dispatch.

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President Wilson was unanimously proclaimed a citizen of Barcelona, Spain. The honor was accorded him in recognition of his "great efforts made in favor of world justice."

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All of Holland's communications by land and sea have been reopened as a result of the successful allied advance in northern Belgium, it is learned at London.

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The Czechs are masters in Prague, according to a Berlin dispatch to the Berlingske Tidende. Czech money is in circulation and the Czech flag waves over Hradschang castle.

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Domestic

What is said to have been the largest airplane exhibition ever given in this country was witnessed at San Diego, Cal., when 115 airplanes, piloted by army aviators from North Island to mark the success of the Liberty loan campaign, swept in massed formations over the city.

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John Doe proceedings were begun before Justice Fowler at Fond du Lac, Wis., to determine why 21 townships in Fond du Lac county failed to meet their quotas in the fourth Liberty loan.

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The 57 counties in Illinois and the states of Wisconsin, Iowa, Indiana and Michigan, which comprise the Seventh federal reserve district, report an oversubscription of many millions, according to Heman Gifford, federal reserve director of sales for Illinois.

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Victor Berger, candidate for congress in Milwaukee, charged with violation of the espionage act, gave bond for $10,000 in federal court at Chicago. The bond was signed by William Bross Lloyd, Socialist candidate for senator from Illinois.

Leslie Krueger, one of the brothers who figured in a sensational shooting duel with a posse near Owen, Wis., recently, is in custody at Brainerd, Minn. The youth, a draft evader, confessed.

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U.S.—Teutonic War News

Capture by the Americans of 1,000 additional prisoners in the fighting west of the Meuse was reported in General Pershing's communication received at the Washington war department. There was severe fighting on the entire front of General Liggett's First army.

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European War News

The German troop transport Hapsburg, bound from Riga for Danzig, struck a German mine and was sunk. A panic resulted and more than 100 soldiers were lost, it is reported, according to a Copenhagen cable.

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Franco-Serbian troops have entered Zaletchan, 28 miles from the River Danube, at Negotia, and 45 miles northeast of Nish, according to a Serbian official statement.

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The city of Lille, it is now established, was plundered by the Germans prior to their evacuation. Though the town was not destroyed like Cambrai, Lens and other cities, Lille represents another count in the deadly French determination to wreak vengeance upon the individual German commanders after the war, says a Paris dispatch.

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It is reported at The Hague that if President Wilson's peace conditions are considered Germany would propose Brussels as the seat of the negotiations.

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It developed that King Albert flew over Ostend when it was still occupied by the Germans.

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Washington

Two officers and 99 enlisted men of the army lost their lives in the sinking of the American steamer Ticonderoga in the war zone September 30. This announcement by the war department at Washington brought the total loss of life to 213, the navy having previously reported ten officers and 102 of the crew dead and two officers carried off as prisoners by the enemy submarine that sent the vessel down.

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Congress at Washington has been asked by the navy department to authorize a second three-year naval building program to provide ten additional superdreadnaughts, six battle cruisers and 140 smaller vessels at a cost of $600,000,000. This was disclosed by Secretary Daniels after his appearance before the house naval committee to explain the appropriation.

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President Wilson at Washington conferred the Distinguished Service medal on Marshal Foch, Marshal Joffre, Field Marshal Haig, General Petain, General Diaz, General Gillian and General Pershing.

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No further effort will be made by congress at Washington to continue the existing daylight-saving law and the hands of the clock will be turned back an hour on October 27, as originally planned.

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Between 15 and 20 yards engaged in building wooden ships will be eliminated from the shipbuilding forces because of inefficiency, Chairman Hurley of the shipping board announced at Washington.

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In revising the war excess profits tax feature of the house war revenue bill, the senate finance committee at Washington struck out the alternative system of taxing war and excess profits and adopted a compromise plan designed to raise somewhat less than the $3,200,000,000 estimated from the house provisions.

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Final returns from all states show that 12,966,594 men registered for military service September 12. This was 187,836 in excess of the estimate of 12,778,758 made by experts in the office of General Crowder at Washington, based on projections from census figures.

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Senator Poindexter of Washington read to the senate at Washington a letter from Dr. T. H. Howard of St. Louis, stating that a brother of Sergt. A. B. Cole of East Liverpool, O., who served with the Canadian forces in France, had affidavits to prove the widely circulated story that the sergeant was crucified upon a door with German bayonets.

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Estimates and figures showing the success of the fourth Liberty loan poured into the treasury at Washington, indicating that there were about 25,000,000 subscribers during the campaign which closed Saturday night and that the $6,000,000,000 goal was passed by several hundred millions.

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New credits of $200,000,000 for Italy and $100,000,000 for France were established by the treasury at Washington, making the total loans to Italy $1,600,000,000 and to France $2,165,000,000. For all the allies American loans now amount to $7,520,476,666.

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Maj. Gens. Hunter Liggett and Robert Bullard were nominated by President Wilson at Washington to be lieutenant generals. Liggett commands the First American army in France and Bullard the Second.

WILSON INSISTS GERMAN FORCES LAY DOWN ARMS

President Tells Berlin Surrender Is Only Way Peace Can Be Secured.

WRITES POINTED NOTE

Answer to Germany Says Nations of World Do Not and Cannot Trust Word of Those Dictating German Policy.

Washington, Oct. 25.—The answer of President Wilson to Germany definitely "leaves it to Foch."

The answer is on the lines of the advice given to the Senate by Senator Nelson of Minnesota and precludes the possibility of an armistice, unless the Allied commanders deem an armistice desirable. If they deem it desirable, they can state the guaranties they will require, and they will be such that Germany will be disarmed.

The President's answer probably will come nearer satisfying the American people than anything that has been uttered from the White House since the German peace negotiations were started.

Its context continues to develop the policy which President Wilson has pursued all along namely, the furthering of the disintegration of the house of Hohenzollern.

The President is not caught by the specious announcement of a constitutional reform in Germany, which on the face of it was no reform at all, but was merely a promise of a possible reform after the war and "when a league of nations shall have been practically effected."

The President makes his position clear. With the house of Hohenzollern there will be no negotiation. So long as it remains at the head of the German government, the terms demanded will be unconditional surrender.

Surrender Is Demanded.

The word unconditional is not used, but the President comes nearer voicing it than in any other communication. This note is not afraid to use the word "surrender," and it is spoken clearly and decisively.

Two things are now clearly up to the German people. If they are sincere in their desire for a cessation of hostilities, they can approach the Allied commander and say to him: "we are willing to give you any guarantee you may wish. What we want is an opportunity to lay down our arms."

If they do not do this, the responsibility for carrying on the war is clearly on the German government.

If they want to approach the Allied powers with a proposition of negotiation, they can do so, but after having thrown the kaiser overboard.

This suggestion that a negotiated peace is possible after the German government has shown convincing evidence of its reform and democratization, opens up the only possible opportunity for further discussion. But no policy is settled upon as to the nature of these negotiations.

Truce and Parleys Denied.

The two questions uppermost were that of the armistice and of the acceptance of the German plea that their government had been democratized. In effect, President Wilson refuses one and denies the other.

The decision to leave the question of a truce to the Allied military commanders was one that was inevitable in the nature of things, as the question is purely military.

If Germany wants peace she wants it for one or two reasons. If she wants it because she is beaten, she will submit to the conditions which the Allied commanders impose. If she asks for an armistice merely as a trick, she cannot and will not submit to these conditions and the war will go on.

Free and open discussion among the Allies preceded the publication of the President's note.

CLOSES BLACK SEA PORTS

Roumanian Government Said to Have Issued Order.

London, Oct. 25.—The British Admiralty reports that German wireless dispatches picked up at Moscow are to the effect that the Roumanian government has declared all Roumanian ports on the Black Sea and on the Danube closed.

WOMEN GET RIGHT TO SEAT

Can Become Members of British House of Commons.

London, Oct. 25. — The House of Commons adopted a resolution in favor of women sitting in parliament. The resolution was passed by a majority of 249.

To Safeguard Shell Workers.

Washington, Oct. 25.—To safeguard the homes of munition workers, the housing corporations has adopted the policy of locating new village settlements at a distance from the plants. Secretary Baker announced that the plan has been followed in awarding contracts for erecting buildings to accommodate 4,000 workers at Ernston, N. J., and 3,000 workers of the Port Penn plant near Wilmington, Del. It was emphasized the adoption of the policy was not connected with the recent explosion at Morgan, N. J.

GERMANS REPLY, AWAIT ARMISTICE

Rejoinder Understood to Contain Little but Reiterations of Previous Note.

LUDENDORFF RESIGNS

Emperor William Has Accepted Withdrawal of Man in Supreme High Command, It Is Alleged.

> **GERMANY AWAITS ARMISTICE**
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> Washington, Oct. 28.—Dispatches unofficially received here state that the German government has prepared a rejoinder to President Wilson's last note, in which, after again referring to the far-reaching changes which have been carried out and are being carried out in the German constitutional structure, to which the military powers have been made subject, it declared that Germany is now awaiting proposals for an armistice.

Allied Leaders in Conference.

London, Oct. 28.—Premier Lloyd George and Foreign Secretary Balfour have gone to France with British military and naval advisors, it is supposed, for conference with French and allied leaders upon the conditions upon which an armistice might be allowed. It is stated, however, that it may be authoritatively understood that the allied governments will not reveal their armistice terms until Germany has replied to President Wilson's last note, which, it was probably expected, would contain more than the mere fact that Germany was waiting for terms of an armistice.

General Ludendorff Out.

General Ludendorff, the reputed brains of the German army, the man who promised that he would crush Great Britain and France before the United States could get under way in a military sense, has resigned his position as first quartermaster general, and Emperor William has accepted his resignation.

British Gain in Asiatic Turkey.

While continued gains are being reported for the allied cause in all areas of the western front and on the Piave, where the Italian and British forces have scored great success, the British in Asiatic Turkey have captured Aleppo in Syria and are driving ahead on both banks of the Tigris in Mesopotamia, with the Turks unable to check them.

STEAMER SUNK: 343 LOST

Sinking of Princess Sophia Worst Disaster on Pacific Coast.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 28.—Three hundred and forty-three persons, most of them out-bound Alaskans and residents of the Yukon territory, lost their lives when the Canadian Pacific steamship company's passenger steamer Princess Sophia was battered last Thursday by storms, dragged across Vanderbilt reef and dropped to the bottom of Lynn canal, an arm of the inside passage not far south of Skagway, Alaska.

"No survivors," read the wireless message today from Juneau, Alaska.

Shipping men said the loss of the Sophia with all aboard was the worst marine disaster in the history of the Pacific coast.

The vessel, 2,300 tons gross, has been plying in western Canadian and southwestern Alasak waters.

Lists of passengers and details of the wreck were not available tonight. The vessel, it was thought, was carrying a capacity load of passengers, nearly all northerners, who had taken the last steamboat up the Yukon river before the ice formed and had boarded the Sophia at Skagway.

First-Known Envelope.

The first envelope of which there is any knowledge inclosed a letter sent in 1696, by Sir William Turnbull to Sir James Oglive. The epistle, with its coverings, is still preserved in the British museum.

On to Him.

"I can't live properly on $75 a week," complained the young man. "Yes, you can," said his guardian. "The real trouble is you want to live improperly."

Favors Absolute Abstention.

A recent report of British experts favors absolute abstention from strong drink, but supports the use of light wines and liquors.

Ruthenians.

Ruthenian is the name given to Christian inhabitants of what was formerly known as "Little Russia," living in what is eastern Austria, and also in southeastern Poland. They use the ancient Greek liturgy translated into the old Slavonic tongue, though Roman Catholics professing obedience to the See of Rome. They have a married secular clergy, following what is known as the use of St. Basil. It should, however, be noted that the name is sometimes loosely applied in Canada to several Russian sects living in the West.

WAR WORK

American women nurses are installed eight miles in the rear of the fighting lines "over there." Right here at home many women should learn nursing to take care of the sick or, in emergencies, the wounded. You can learn a great deal by obtaining the "Medical Adviser" a book of 1,008 pages, bound in cloth, containing chapters on First Aid, Bandaging, Anatomy, Hygiene, Sex Problems, Mother and Babe. 200 prescriptions for acute and chronic diseases; profusely illustrated by wood cuts and colored plates. Ask your druggist or send 50c. to Publisher, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

If a woman is nervous or has dizzy spells, suffers from awful pains at regular or irregular intervals she should turn to a tonic made up of herbs, and without alcohol, which makes weak women strong and sick women well. It is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which can be procured at any drug store, in either liquid or tablets. If you wish to obtain a ten-cent trial package, send to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel Buffalo, N. Y.

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The Chief Interest.

At an official reception a congressman talked in a windy and grandiloquent way about our war aims, appealing every minute or two to Secretary Baker.

Secretary Baker nodded good-humoredly until the sixth or seventh appeal, when he lost patience.

"Congressman," he said, "it's not our aims that interest me. It's our hits."

Stop the Pain.

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Largest French Cargo Boat.

On April 24 last the largest steamer ever built for the French merchant marine was launched from the Chantiers de France at Dunkirk, France. The vessel measures 444 feet in length, displaces 19,000 tons, and has a total carrying capacity of 12,000 tons.

The Germans tried to destroy the ship by aerial bombs, with long-range guns and by destroyers. The successful completion of the work is a wonderful tribute to French determination in the face of almost insuperable obstacles.

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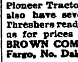

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A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine for a few cents at any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.—Adv.

Honesty or Fear—Which?

A fleeing thief threw away $7,500 on Broadway, New York, the other day and the finder returned every cent of the money to the bank which had been robbed. Did the finder act through honesty or through fear that he couldn't make use of so large a sum without being caught? Some years ago a bank messenger lost, or claimed he lost, a $10,000 bill on the street in the financial district. It was never discovered. Some have speculated as to what the finder or thief did with such an unwieldy piece of money.

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Air Mail for Spain.

A firm in Spain has applied to the Spanish government for the privilege of carrying mail on airplanes throughout that country and between Madrid and the Balearic islands. If authorization is granted, the firm plans to issue stamps with the government's approval for use in this air service.

Keep clean inside as well as outside by taking a gentle laxative at least once a week, such as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

A Close Estimate.

The Boss—Oh, yes; I suppose you're honest as the day is long.

The Job Hunter—I used to be, but I haven't figured it out since the daylight saving law went into force.

The Japanese language is now included in the course of study in the high schools of Australia.

Unemployment in Scotland has disappeared, due to the demand for labor.

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ENEMY DEFENSES BEGIN TO CRACK

Steady Pressure of French and American Forces Is Telling on Meuse Line.

20,000 ARE CAPTURED

New German Divisions Being Poured In Have Been Insufficient to Stop the Steady Allied Advance.

Washington, Oct. 28.—The German defense lines on the most vital sector in France—the Argonne-Meuse front—are beginning to crack under the strain of steady pressure by French and American troops. An early breaking of the German resistance and the advance of the French and American armies on a wide front toward the great trunk railway which is the immediate objective of allied operations is predicted by many officers here.

Since the Americans began the present battle they have inflicted more than 70,000 casualties on the enemy, freed 40 villages and 487 square kilometers of French territory, and have captured 20,000 prisoners besides the German wounded who fell into their hands.

Official statements indicate that new German divisions are being poured into this sector and show the anxiety of the German high command over the situation. General March, commenting today on the military situation, brought out very clearly the efforts the enemy is making to meet the American advance.

"In front of our own troops in the Argonne," he said, "a very large mass of German troops has been concentrated, since it is imperative for the enemy to protect the railroad line which runs from Mezieres to Metz."

ZEEBRUGGE MOST DESOLATE

Important Buildings and Great Centers Are Heaps of Ruins.

Washington, Oct. 26.—Zeebrugge is the picture of desolation, according to dispatches received at the Belgian legation. The Somaphore, the buildings of the Compagnie Maritime and the Solvay Chemical Works are a heap of ruins. On the Mole itself all the buildings have been destroyed and the system of railway tracks and overhead cranes is out of commission. After the passage between the Mole and the shore had been partially closed by a British submarine during the raid of April 23, the Germans set up two heavy guns, commanding the approaches to the harbor. A great deal of sand has dropped into the harbor, between the passage back of the Mole and the entrance to the Bruges canal, where the wreck of the British cement-laden vessel, sunk in April, still is lying.

FALL OF OBJECTIVE IS NEAR

Pressure on Valenciennes Gives Promise of Early Capture.

Paris, Oct. 28.—The fall of Valenciennes is imminent, if it has not already occurred, the Petit Parisien says.

"The chief stronghold of the second German line is gone, its center invested. It is the object of direct assaults and local outflanking movements which will soon smash it," the paper continues. "The operations of General Debeney's army north of Guise and those of General Mangin in the direction of Marle constitute an increasing danger. The Escaut line may be considered as lost; the Sambre line will be taken shortly. We can foresee that the enemy will retreat to the Meuse."

The Matin says that all information tends to show that the Germans cannot long resist the allied offensive.

Germans Fear Insolvency.

Amsterdam, Oct. 28.—Public anxiety over the solvency of the empire apparently is becoming acute in Germany. The hoarding of money has become so rampant as to cause great inconvenience. There has been a general run on banks to close accounts and the theft of hidden funds is of daily occurrence.

The German government is turning out new currency at top speed, but, according to the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin, it melts like snow when the sun shines, and the customary back flow into the state coffers has ceased completely. The Reichbank in the third quarter of the year issued the unprecedented amount of four billion marks in new money, or nearly twice the amount issued in the same period of the last. In the first three weeks in October alone the bank issued one and one-quarter billions of marks in new money.

Nothing Official in Peace Talk.

Washington, Oct. 28.—There is no official information here of the various interesting rumors coming out of European neutral countries regarding developments in Austria-Hungary and Turkey. An offer of surrender from Constantinople has been expected momentarily for days but no notice of a new proposal has reached the state department. Likewise the department heard only through the press the reports that Vienna newspapers were publishing announcements of preparation for Austrian demobilization.

MORE PROGRESS ON ALL FRONTS

Italians Make Sharp Thrust in Monta Grappa Region—Take 3,000 Captives.

YANKS PUSH FORWARD

Great Encircling Movement About Valenciennes Is British Plan for Reconquest of That Region.

Washington, Oct. 26.—With progress less rapid than in the recent past, but being continued on all fronts, the recent expression of General March that "the news is continuously good" seems still entirely applicable to the allied cause.

British in Big Circling Drive.

The British forces about Valenciennes continue to push their lines further to the fore, and have developed a movement by which the total investment of that city appears to be imminent.

Their chief attacks are now to the south of Valenciennes, with the purpose of caving in the salient between that city and La Quesnoy and moving on toward the important junction of Maubeuge.

Italians Attack at Monta Grappa.

The sudden attack of allied forces in the Brenta and Piave regions of Italy also marks the notable military activities of the day, and netted substantial gains, including 3,000 prisoners. Authorities here are disposed to predict a continued or further sharp onslaught of the Italian and allied troops in that theatre of the war, although there is nothing in the day's dispatches definitely indicating that the thrust just made is an essential part of any further immediate program.

Americans Advancing.

On both sides of the Meuse river the Americans have advanced their line notwithstanding the strong resistance of the enemy. North of Grand Pre, which lies in the valley above the famous Argonne forest, several hills of the utmost importance from a strategic standpoint have been taken from the desperately resisting enemy machine gunners and artillery. Numerous violent counter attacks have been launched by the Germans against the Americans but all these have been successfully sustained. The Germans in this region now are badly outflanked by the French standing on the left of the American line at Vouziers and it is probable they soon will be compelled to readjust their entire line from the north of Vouziers to the region of Etain.

French Take 2,000 Prisoners.

The French today advanced their lines at all points, despite the most stubborn resistance of the enemy. More than 2,000 prisoners with cannon and machine guns were captured, according to the official statement.

Steel Supply Threatened.

An order signed by the German General Von Denmarwitz, dated October 1, which was taken from a German prisoner, warns the Fifth German army fighting east of the Meuse that the enemy was about to attack with the object of cutting the Longuyon-Sedan railroad and making the exploitation by the Germans of the Briey iron mines impossible. The order says that on these mines "our steel production is largely dependent and the fate of a great part of the western front, and perhaps of our people, depends on firm resistance along the Verdun front!"

Rumanian Liberation Begun.

It would seem that the liberation of Rumania has also been begun by entente forces after a year's occupation by the Germans. Across the northwestern portion of Bulgaria at Lompalanka, southeast of Iron Gates, French patrols have forced a passage of the Danube and entered upon Rumanian soil, and further activities in that field would appear to be definitely foreshadowed by the movement.

N. D. GETS QUOTA OF 110

State to Have Good Representation in Officer's Training School.

Fargo, N. D., Oct. 26.—Major M. F. Steele of the United States army, in charge of military training at the North Dakota Agricultural college, has received notice that this state will be entitled to a quota of 110 men for induction into an infantry officers' training school to be opened at Camp Fremont, Cal., on December 1. All draft registrants will be eligible, subject to personal, physical and educational qualifications, except registrants in Class I who registered before September 12, and registrants in deferred classifications on account of industrial occupation including agriculture.

American Gas Most Deadly.

New York, Oct. 26.—Gas shells prepared in America are more deadly than any so far made in Germany and their fumes can penetrate even the most modern gas masks, Major H. W. Duffy of the British-American gas service declared here in a lecture before the Society of Chemical Industry. Major Duffy said that in tours of the battle fields in France he had observed hundreds of Germans, all of whom wore masks of the latest German design killed by American gas.

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels needs a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhœa, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

Wanted—More Geese.

Geese hold a sector in the line of the poultry army that makes war against waste. When the facts are taken into consideration that the demand for geese is strong, steady, and extends over practically the whole year, that geese excel all other kinds of poultry as producers of fat, a thing of which the world stands at present in dire need, and that their value as egg producers is considerable, the importance of an adequate number of geese in the poultry scheme becomes apparent. Geese take their living in large part from grasses of the pasture and from otherwise helpless refuse.

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That itch and burn with hot baths of Cuticura Soap followed by gentle anointings of Cuticura Ointment. Nothing better. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." Sold by druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Using "Cut-Over" Land.

Agricultural possibilities of "cut-over" lands in Louisiana have been once more demonstrated by Ed Strain, a farmer living a mile and a half north of St. Benedict, producing a bale of cotton an acre on cut-over land broken and prepared in the fall and planted in cotton in the spring of the next year. The fact that Mr. Strain is a blacksmith by trade and has taken to farming only recently renders the agricultural feat the more remarkable.

Philadelphia is to have 800 new dwellings to be erected by the government.

It's Acid-Stomach That Makes Millions Sick and Suffer

Life is dark—not worth much to the man or woman with an acid-stomach.

Acid-stomach kills Hope, Ambition, Energy, Courage. It saps the strength of the strongest body—impoverishes the blood—causes untold suffering—makes millions weak, unfit and brings on premature old age.

You know what acid-mouth does to teeth and gums—how the acid literally eats through the hard enamel, causing the teeth to decay. Just imagine, then, what havoc an acid stomach must do to the delicate organization of the stomach.

Millions of people are weak and unfit, suffering all the time, in one way or another, from superacidity or acid-stomach.

They don't seem dangerously sick. Just ailing. Going through life weak, listless, dragging one foot after another. They're nervous and irritable; lack power and punch, frequently have severe attacks of blinding, splitting headaches; subject to fits of melancholia and mental depression. And nearly always their stomachs are out of order, even though many experience no actual stomach pains—digestion poor—never getting anywhere near the full strength from their food.

So, you see, it's just this—acid-stomach—that is holding so many people back—sapping up the strength they should get from their food—taking away their vigor and vitality—leaving them weak and inefficient.

Get rid of the excess acid. That's the secret of good health and is the only way to obtain good digestion and assimilation. It is the right way to be well and keep strong. Ordinary tonics won't do any lasting good. The best they can do is to spur up your appetite. When the stimulating effects wear off, you are worse off than ever.

A modern remedy makes it possible to remove excess acid without the slightest discomfort. It is called EATONIC, in the form of pleasant tasting tablets. Their action in the stomach is a good deal like a piece of blotting paper taking up a drop of ink—they literally absorb the injurious excess acid and carry it away through the intestines.

Begin using EATONIC right now—today—and get on the road to bounding, vigorous, vibrant health. Thousands upon thousands of people who have used EATONIC are enthusiastic in its praise. They say they never dreamed that anything could bring them such quick relief.

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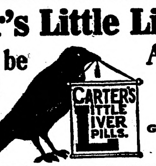

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Lizards May Save Crops.

Lizards are used in Trinidad to combat millions of froghoppers that are now infesting the sugar-cane fields. These insects, which work devastation by sucking sap from the roots and leaves, have been known in the island for some time, but of late they have increased so rapidly that scientists have undertaken to find a means of exterminating them. One planter has established a special breeding place for lizards, which feed freely on the froghoppers. Special precautions are taken to prevent the destruction of the reptiles by birds or other creatures that might feed on them.

Distrust.

"My husband has written me three ten-page letters describing how he has taken care of the rubber tree and the goldfish and everything. I distrust him."

"Why?"

"If he were working as hard as he says he is, he wouldn't have time to do all that letter writing."

Seven hundred British subjects are born yearly at sea.

Rough on Pa.

Father—What does the teacher say about your poor arithmetic work?

Willie—She says she'd rather you wouldn't help me with it.—Boston Transcript.

New Record.

In an exhibition recently in Fort Worth, Tex., Lieut. M. J. Plumb, a Chicago flyer, set a new world record. He "looped the loop" 144 successive times.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

The Busy Stork.

Every year 2,250,000 babies are born in the United States. The daily birth rate is a little over 6,179.

Cable Messages.

About 30,000,000 words a year pass over cables linking British and North American ports.

This country now leads the nations as an exporter of manufactured goods.

Oregon has a minimum wage of $40 a month for women office employees.

Middle Aged Women

Are Here Told the Best Remedy for Their Troubles.

Freemont, O.—"I was passing through the critical period of life, being forty-six years of age and had all the symptoms incident to that change — heat flashes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proved to be. I feel better and stronger in every way since taking it, and the annoying symptoms have disappeared."—Mrs. M. Godden, 925 Napoleon St., Fremont, Ohio.

North Haven, Conn.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored my health after everything else had failed when passing through change of life. There is nothing like it to overcome the trying symptoms."—Mrs. Florence Isella, Box 197, North Haven, Conn.

In Such Cases

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

has the greatest record for the greatest good

LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. LYNN, MASS.

nancial Statement

Holt Village Red Cross Aux.

Receipts

1, '18 Bal on hand	$185.69
Alfred Larson donation for shocking grain	3.00
3 Liberty Loan Day sales, Holt village	18.85
al	$207.54

Disbursements

17 '18 Warren Red Cross for material	$13.47
28 Warren Red Cross for material	25.00
12 Express	.62
19 Warren Red Cross	25.00
12 Mrs. Adams postage and stationary	.50
16 Gunheim merchandise	7.70
17 Bal on hand	135.25
al	$207.54

B. Docken, Treasurer

We have'nt heard an unfavorable mention of the candidacy of Hans C. Hanson for Sheriff. Everybody thinks he is well deserving of a second term and will do their part to help him get it.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Sept. 24, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph Alby, of Newfolden, Minn., who on July 18, 1910, made Homestead Application Serial No. 05273, for SW 1-4 SE 1-4, Section 28, Twp 155 N, Range 44, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn. on the 8th day of November, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole Hall, Nils Johnson, Ole J. Flam, all of Newfolden, Minn. and Peter Mellem, of Rosewood, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

Estray Notice!

A milch cow and three spring calves came to my place Oct. 18th. The owner is hereby notified to come at once and prove property, pay all expenses of keeping and for this notice and take their stock away.

Ole Christenson,
Sec. 2, Town of East Valley.

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.

Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Don't you want to keep your home paper?

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Oct. 19, 1918.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$176,516 60
Overdrafts		435 04
U. S. Bonds		1500 00
OtherBonds and Securities		116 55
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		8492 21
Other Real Estate		208 00
Due from Banks	34,032 02	
Cash on Hand	2501 65	
Total Cash Assets		36,533 67
Checks and Cash Items		1238 37
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		4317 95
Checks and Drafts in Transit		3,238 41
Total		$232,501 80

LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$5,000.00
Undivided Profits		
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		26000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$80,415.20	
Cashier's Checks	1723.03	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	82,138.23	
Savings Deposits	227 02	
Time Certificates	108,726.55	
Total Deposits		191,091 80
Total		$232,501 80
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$36,533 67
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$15,292 92

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Bakke, President.
B. Docken, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. Gunheim,
[Two] Directors. R. Reierson,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of Oct. 1918.

[Seal] —Nils Engebretsen. Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

Take Notice

Commencing Thursday Nov. 7th. cream will be received at the Holt creamery on Thursdays only.

W. A. Lindahl
Buttermaker.

Andrew Spokley returned to Mud Lake from Climax Saturday to commence baling hay.

Mrs. Mat Larson went to Adams, N. D., yesterday to be with her 17 year old son who was to be operated upon for appendicitis.

The New Baby's Song.

I can not vote, neither can Ma! if Minnesota goes wet blame it to Pa?

Mpls. Daily, News.

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

A. N. Eckstrom

County Attorney

Candidate for Re-Election
General Election Nov. 5th

Your Vote and Support will be Appreciated

Palace Barber Shop.

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
and
Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory

Edw. Nelson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

Re-ELECT HEGNES

What He Stands For

America First
State and National Prohibition
Fair and Equitable Taxation.
All Progressive Legislation favoring the development of our Agricultural interests along Co-operative lines.
A "Square Deal" for all.

Senator Nels S. Hegnes was born in Nerstrand, Rice County, Minn., forty years ago. His early life was spent the same way as thousands of other farm boys, who had to fight against poverty and adverse circumstances. He moved to Argyle nearly twenty years ago and has lived there ever since. He has always enjoyed the respect and confidence of his home people, an evidence of which is the fact that he has served several terms as president of the village council, is now a member of the Argyle Better Farming Association, secretary of the Farmers Elevator Co., etc. He owns and operates several farms in the Argyle vicinity.

His work and vote for County Option and Prohibition during his term in the state senate should entitle him to another term. Besides valuable appropriations for his district he also introduced and passed the following laws: Aid to Agricultural Societies; Providing for experiments on Peat Lands, Maintenance of bridges over Public Ditches; an Amendment to the Noxious Weed Law; also thru his work on the Drainage Committee he was able to pass several measures which have saved the taxpayers of the district several thousand dollars. He owes allegiance to no man or party and pledges himself to a "SQUARE DEAL" For All The PEOPLE, District and State.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA

By the Legislature at Its General Session, 1917, to be Submitted to the People of Said State at the General 1918 Election, Together with a Statement of Its

PURPOSE AND EFFECT

PREPARED BY

CLIFFORD L. HILTON

Attorney General of Minnesota.

Addressed to

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL

Secretary of State

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL,
ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA.
April 29, 1918.

HON. JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

SIR:

As required by Section 46, General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, I have the honor to furnish you herewith a statement of the purpose and effect of the amendment proposed to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota by the Legislature of 1917, and which is to be submitted to the electors of said State at the General Election in 1918.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

Chapter 515 of the Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, proposes an amendment of Article 15 of the Constitution of said State by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

> "Section 6. The manufacture, sale, barter, gift, disposition, or the furnishing, or transportation, or keeping or having in possession for sale, barter, gift, disposition, or the furnishing, or transportation of intoxicating liquor of any kind, in any quantity whatever, except for sacramental, mechanical, scientific, or medicinal purposes, shall be forever prohibited within this state from and after the first day of July, 1920, and this amendment shall be self-executing. The legislature shall enact laws for the enforcement of this section and shall provide suitable penalties for the violation thereof."

THE PURPOSE of the proposed amendment is to forever prohibit within the State of Minnesota after July 1, 1920, the manufacture, sale, barter, gift, disposition or the furnishing or transportation, or the keeping or having in possession for any of such purposes, of intoxicating liquor of any kind in any quantity whatever, except for sacramental, mechanical, scientific or medicinal purposes.

THE EFFECT of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to make unlawful and forever prohibit the manufacture, sale, barter, gift, disposition or the furnishing or transportation or the keeping or having in possession for any of such purposes, of intoxicating liquor of any kind in any quantity whatever, except for sacramental, mechanical, scientific or medicinal purposes, within this state after July 1, 1920, and to place it beyond the power of any legislative authority to permit the doing of any such acts. If adopted, the doing of any of the prohibited acts automatically becomes unlawful after July 1, 1920, without any action on the part of the legislature or other legislative body. The amendment is made self-executing. A duty is, however, imposed upon the legislature to enact laws for the enforcement of this section, if adopted, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Yours respectfully,
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.

Loyal citizens will win this war.

Vote for S. S. Kolden for county auditor.

D. B. Bakke was a business visitor in Holt Wednesday.

Vote "Yes" to Vote Dry on the little Pink Ballot, next Tuesday.

W. A. Silbaugh shipped a big car of potatoes to the markets Tuesday. They were big nice potatoes, and all of his own raising and will bring him a good bunch of money, which he has rightly earned, as lots of hard work goes with the successful raising of potatoes.

Marshall county can have a candidate for speaker by electing the present representative in the state legislature. But a new man would have to serve at least two terms before he would be considered a candidate. Marshall county will gain prestige by returning C. L. Stevens to the legislature.

We nearly lost out when we offered to bet a cookie that a dozen would'nt vote at the school election. This time we'll bet two cookies that a dozen women in the village of Holt won't show their colors Nov. 5th by voting to re-elect Co. Supt. David Johnson, for another term.

Now ladies, if you really want to vote as badly as many of you claim, now is your chance to prove your claim, by voting Nov. 5th for Co. Supt., and your choice by all means should be David Johnson.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.42
Oats	54
Barley	62 to .74
Rye	1.45
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

A New and Complete Stock of
Confectionry, Nuts, Fruits
Soft Drinks, Cigars, Tobaccos
Try Our
LUNCH COUNTER
Fresh Ice Cream Every Day
Prompt Service at all Times
Albert Bennes - Holt

Is your paper paid for.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

County Attorney Eckstrom is too busy with very important Government work (which takes lots of his time) to make a campaign, and will appreciate anything his friends can do for him now and on election day Tuesday Nov. 5th. Remember A. N. Eckstrom for County Attorney.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE
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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

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BUILD SOMETHING ANYWAY —
BUY OF US —

The sense of **Achievement,** of something really accomplished and well done, is worth all it costs to build nowadays. It takes determination, energy and constructive ability to build anything. We furnish the other necessary materials. You'll find satisfaction in building-satisfaction in trading with us.

WINTON-NICHOLS Lumber Company
If It's BUILDING MATERIAL - WE HAVE IT.
HOLT, MINN.

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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The Holt Weekly News
Successor to and Continuation of
The Northern Light
By The
Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday at Holt Marshall County, Minnesota.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Mrs. Axel Nelson is sick with pneumonia.

Miss Lily Peterson is numbered with the sick ones this week.

We'll bet a lot of people are mighty glad the election is over with.

Mrs. John Melquist spent a few days at Erskine the past week.

The Oscar Bottom family have all been on the sick list the past week.

Misses Dora and Celia Olson returned home Saturday from Dakota.

J. M. Swan shipped two cars of cattle Tuesday. W. A. Silbaugh accompanied him on the trip.

Miss Hilma Nyberg went to Grand Forks Friday where she had employment in the kitchen at the University.

If you have any kick coming on this week's paper—just wait till you get the influenza—then you'll have reason to kick.

Miss Bertha Nelson has resigned her position in Bennes's confectionary store and Miss Ruth Knutson is now employed there.

The influenza has increased to an alarming extent in this vicinity the past week, but it is sincerely hoped the worst is now over.

Dick and Albert Mathison returned from McIntosh Monday where they have been at home for several weeks, sick with the influenza.

The Young Peoples society will meet at Erick Johnson's Sunday evening, Nov. 10th. A program has been arranged for. Everyone welcome.

Miss Effie Christenson came up on Friday to assist at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. J. Oien, where they have all been sick the past week.

The Norwegian Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Erick Johnson at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Nov. 10th. Everyone is cordially invited.

We are late this week and expect to be next week too, as we have to get the type set at The Thief River Falls Times office and our busy times both come at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Offerdahl attended the funeral of Mr. Offerdahl's brother at Ringbo last week. Mr. Offerdahl is now stationed at Camp Grant and came home on a furlough.

The editor and his better half are both on the sick list and its only thru the kindness and help of The Thief River Falls Times that we are enabled to get out a paper this week.

The Carl Engebretson family have been quite sick for several days and her folks were sent for Tuesday. At last reports Mrs. Engebretson was better, but he was not so well. All hope for their speedy recovery.

Henry Offerdahl passed away last week Wednesday, his death being caused by influenza. The remains were laid to rest in the Ringbo cemetery. Sympathy is extended to the sorrowing relatives.

H. A. Fosholm received word last week Thursday that his sister, Mrs. Fodstad of near Thief River Falls, had died that morning at Rochester, where she had been for medical treatment. Mr. Fosholm and family went to Thief River Falls Saturday to attend the funeral services. Sympathy is extended to the sorrowing relatives of the deceased.

Death of Clarence Kolden.

Our community was shocked Sunday when news reached here that Clarence Kolden had died at 8 o'clock the same morning. He had been sick only a few days and his death is a great blow to the family and friends. His death was caused by pneumonia which was brought on by exposure while out at night with a broken down auto. The deceased father, S. S. Kolden, was sent for Saturday and reached his son's bedside before death came to him. The remains were brought to Holt Monday and a short service was held at the cemetery at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The News joins their many friends in extending sincere sympathy to the grief stricken widow and the other relatives.

We have not sufficient data for an obituary, but hope to have for next week's issue.

SOUTHEAST OF HOLT.

Oscar Olson who lived at Edmore, N. D., passed away at his home Oct. 28th, death being due to Spanish influenza and pneumonia. His wife died three years ago. He leaves to mourn his death two little boys aged 5 and 3 years, also his parents and several brothers and relatives. He was taken to Steiner Saturday and buried beside his wife in the Free church cemetery in Excell.

Ralph Hansen has returned to his home after being employed in North Dakota during harvest and threshing.

The following spent a very pleasant afternoon at the Sordal home on Sunday: Mrs. A. Klungnes, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Sampson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Klungness and Arthur Thorwick.

Oliver Molstad, who left with the last bunch of Marshall county's drafted boys is reported seriously sick with bronichal pneumonia. He is stationed at Camp Cody, New Mexico.

Tom Bakken is busy helping T. Borgen with some carpenter work.

Forty-one men and four women cast their votes Tuesday in this village. Twenty-eight voted for a dry state and eleven voted wet. Nelson got 25 votes, Calderwood 15, Burnquist 11, Evans 25, Schmahl 31, Indrehus 8, Hilton 12, Davis 16, Putnam 13, Tillquist 19, Mueller 26, Lethert 10, Drake 12, Brown 28, Fraser 15, Hallman 13, Holt 23, Vanderburgh 7, Hegnes 24, Holmstrom 11, Berve 28, Stevens 18, Kolden 36, Lundgren 3, Bakke 31, Sands 8, Hanson 39, Carlson 1, Grinder 25, Olson 16, Eckstrom 13, Neseth 28, Johnson 29, Silverness 16, Aasland 21, Olson 19. Holt township gave Burnquist 8 and Evans 46. East Valley voted 21 dry, 12 wet. They gave Burnquist 6 and Evans 28, Nelson 11, Calderwood 21, Hegnes 18, Holmstrom 12, Berve 24, Stevens 6, Kolden 33, Lundgren 2, Bakke 15, Sands 18, Grinder 14, Olson 17, Eckstrom 6, Neseth 24, Johnson 18, Silverness 15, Aasland 20, Olson 14.

SPANISH INFLUENZA

Is spread by the secretions of the nose and throat.

How to Protect Yourself.

Keep in good physical trim by regular habits.

Get plenty of sleep in a well-ventilated room.

Take a moderate amount of outdoor exercise.

Avoid those who cough and sneeze.

Avoid common towels, common drinknig cup, etc.

Avoid shaking hands.

Avoid crowds and public meetings.

How to Protect Others.

Isolate all those in the household with the disease or having symptoms of it until they no longer cough or sneeze.

Sterilize their handkerchiefs, towels and dishes by boiling.

Cough and sneeze into a handkerchief. Coughing and sneezing sprays the air with germs.

If you have influenza, don't pass it along.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

The winter schedule on the rural route goes into effect on Friday Nov. 15th. on that day the carrier will leave the postoffice at 7 o'clock in the morning.

The Election.

The entire Republican state ticket, including Sen. Nelson and Gov. Burnquist won out in Tuesdays election.

The Republicans apparently have gained control of both houses of Congress.

Returns are incomplete in the county with the representative, register of deeds and county attorney in doubt. All the other old officers are re-lected.

Carl Engebretsen is very sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Bennes and Mrs. Christianson are on the sick list.

Help the boys "over there" by giving to the United War Work Campaign next week.

We must give to the United War Work just the same as it will be a long time perhaps 2 years, before all the soldiers return home.

All boys of earning age are expected to give $5.00 next week to the United War Work Campaign. This notice reached us last week Thursday, too late for the paper then. We wish we could get it into the minds of the people that copy for the paper must reach us on Tuesday. Some people act as tho' they think all the printer has to do is to take the copy and throw it at the type and it sets its self. The boys were supposed to know this in time to earn the money.

The Ringbo Red Cross auxiliary will meet with Mrs. C. Engen next week.

Now is the time to give all the roads a good dragging and get them in shape for the winter season.

Lloyd Adams has the frame up for a barn 20x[illegible] 12 foot posts, which he is building for M. B. Fitch.

Mrs. Gust Monberg came up from Alvarado Tuesday to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson.

The carpenters have the frame up for Mrs. Anderson's cottage and the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

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Just as a sample of how the people here are suffering from the influenza we give the following incident: I. M. Swan sent for Dr. Biederman Monday evening to come and see Mrs. Swan, who was sick, W. E. Damon's boy had left word at the telephone office that his father was sick and they wanted the first doctor that came to Holt. Before the doctor could get to Mr. Damon's place he was stopped to see R. L. Olson and Willie Rux, both of whom were taken sick quite suddenly. Then after his return from seeing Mr. Damon, he was called to see Joe Nelson, who had been sick a few days.

Dr. Biedermann
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Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg.
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

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O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Coughs that hurt
Piso's gives prompt and effective relief. It quickly soothes inflammation and irritation. Eases hoarseness; allays tickling.
Get Piso's from your druggist.
Contains No Opiate
Safe for Young and Old

Extra! Extra!

Germany agreed to all the Peace Terms of the Allies yesterday. The news reached here in the afternoon with great rejoicing. The church and village bells rang and the creamery whistle blew for an hour or so. Everybody was thankful to hear the Good News

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Barley	65 to [illegible]
Rye	[illegible]
Flour, Best Patent	[illegible]

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Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

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Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

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For Eighteen Years

She Has Found the Same Medicine Good. The Story in Her Own Words.

The experience of Mrs. David Horn of Route No. 1, Irwintón, Wilkinson Co., Ga., is not exceptional. Peruna has been an accepted standard household, ready to take remedy, for forty-five years.

Mrs. Horn writes under date of July 30, 1918:—"I have been using your medicine for eighteen years. I think it one of the best tonics I ever used. I owe my life to the use of it. I recommend it to all sick people. Peruna cured me of stomach trouble."

For coughs, colds, effects of the grip and influenza, catarrh and catarrhal conditions of every description, Peruna is recommended. Thousands have been helped or are able to attribute a full and complete recovery from some terrible affliction to Peruna. Try Peruna first.

In tablet or liquid form. Sold everywhere.

Quite So.

"Nell found she would have to take her new dress to pieces."

"I bet she was ripping mad."

STOMACH UPSET?

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN AT ONCE ENDS SOURNESS, GAS, ACIDITY, INDIGESTION.

When meals upset you and you belch gas, acids and undigested food. When you have lumps of indigestion pain or any distress in stomach you can get relief instantly—No waiting!

As soon as you eat a tablet of Pape's Diapepsin all the indigestion pain stops. Gases, acidity, heartburn, flatulence and dyspepsia vanish. Pape's Diapepsin tablets cost very little at drug stores. Adv.

Her Species.

"She is the gray mare in that house."

"I should call her more of an old nag."

What's the matter with a wedding ring as an exclusive circle?

Spanish Influenza can be prevented easier than it can be cured.

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U.S.—Teutonic War News

A dispatch from The Hague says three American prisoners of war have succeeded in escaping from Germany into Holland. They are Flight Lieuts. T. E. Tillinghast of Westerly, R. I.; John O. Donaldson of Washington and Robert Anderson of Honolulu.

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European War News

Vladivostok says it is reported from Omsk that the all-Russian government there will soon address a note to President Wilson regarding allied support to Russia against Germany.

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German losses in their unavailing offensive into the Lys river salient last summer were 14,000 killed, 6,000 prisoners and about 80,000 wounded and missing, according to an authoritative calculation given out at London.

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Accumulating indications point to an early re-entry of Roumania into the war. Private advices received at London from Bucharest state that ex-Premier Bratianu, forced out by the Germans, is about to return to power. He will demand a renewal of war.

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As part of the terms of an armistice the London Evening News says it understands the allied nations will insist upon the surrender of the German fleet, including all the German submarines, and upon the occupation of all the fortified towns on the Rhine.

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Twenty-six German airplanes were brought down by the British, Field Marshal Haig says in his report to London. The British lost eleven machines.

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Announcement was made in the London house of commons that since the beginning of the war British troops have taken 327,416 enemy combatant prisoners, including 264,242 Germans. There are 97,000 German combatant prisoners in the United Kingdom at the present time.

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British casualties reported by London for the week numbered 32,249, compared to 37,150 for the previous week. They are divided as follows: Killed or died of wounds: Officers, 436; men, 5,307. Wounded or missing: Officers, 1,141; men, 25,365.

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The Paris newspaper L'Information says since August 9 the following captures have been made: By the British, 220,000; by the Americans, 25,000; by the French, 285,000; total, 530,000.

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The London war office made official announcement that British cavalry and armored motorcars occupied Aleppo, Mesopotamia.

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During the last eight days the prisoners taken by the allies on the western front have greatly exceeded the allies' casualties, it was learned at London.

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Foreign

Japanese newspapers generally comment favorably on President Wilson's reply to the German peace note. The Osaki Jiji believes that the reply is tantamount to a demand for a revolution in Germany.

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Emperor William has no intention of abdicating, but is willing, if it is for the good of the people, to ordain that his rights shall be reframed, according to a statement attributed to German court circles, says a London dispatch. The emperor is said to have remarked: "I will not abandon my sorely tried people, but, if necessary, I am ready to become something like hereditary president of a German republic, like the kings of England, Belgium and Italy."

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In the first speech in the reichstag since his release from prison, Herr Dittman, socialist, demanded a German republic, it became known at The Hague. Independent socialists echoed the demand.

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The official press bureau at London announced that Premier Lloyd George and Foreign Minister Balfour have proceeded to France.

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The Spanish influenza epidemic continues to spread in Paris. Municipal statistics of the last week show 1,944 deaths in the Paris region, of which 880 were officially attributed to influenza.

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King George was given the sword and badge of a field marshal of the Japanese army by Prince Yerihito on behalf of the emperor of Japan at Buckingham palace. Acknowledging the honor, King George paid high tribute to the Japanese forces on land and sea.

It is persistently reported in London that riots are of daily occurrence in various parts of Germany, resulting in conflicts with the police and loss of life.

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Washington

Surgeon General Braisted at Washington announced that the influenza epidemic is over in ten naval districts and that it is on the wane in all other places except Paris Island, S. C., and Mare Island, Cal.

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War excess profits taxes imposed only upon corporations in the war revenue bill as it passed the house at Washington were extended by the senate finance committee to individuals and partnerships in trade or business. The amendment will restore estimated revenue returns from war excess profits to about $3,200,000,000.

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An official dispatch received at Washington from Switzerland said several hundred German officials had arrived at Vienna in the last few days from occupied Roumania, and reported that not a German civilian remained in Bucharest. The German military authorities in the city are sending to Germany as rapidly as possible all the stores and army material collected by their troops.

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The department of labor at Washington will soon begin an investigation into the cost of living in Minnesota, it was announced.

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The interstate commerce commission at Washington approved proposed increases in express rates, to become effective unless another method of giving the express company added revenue is worked out.

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The influenza epidemic caused a slump of 800,000 tons in bituminous coal production for the week ending October 19, according to reports of the United States geological survey at Washington.

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Col. E. M. House, President Wilson's closest political adviser, accompanied by Admiral W. S. Benson, has arrived in France. Colonel House will represent President Wilson in all diplomatic matters growing out of the existing situation. Admiral Benson will represent the navy in the various conferences which are to deal with the armistice request of Germany which has been referred to the entente by President Wilson.

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Domestic

Friends of Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker at Columbus, O., learned that the former auto racer has downed his twenty-second German plane on the American front in France.

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Flying Cadets Howard Burnett of Dodge City, Kan., and Howell Williams of Tippston, Pa., were killed when their planes collided above the aviation field near Fort Worth, Tex.

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John C. Kleist, a well-known attorney and prominent Socialist of Milwaukee, was arrested on a federal indictment charging seditious utterances. Kleist arranged to furnish bail.

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Leslie Krueger, draft evader, arrested at Brainerd, Minn., and brought to La Crosse, Wis., on a charge of resisting arrest with force of arms at his former home at Owen, Wis., where the four Krueger brothers fought a posse, will be turned over to the military authorities to be tried for desertion.

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Victor L. Berger and four others prominent in the Socialist party were included in more than fifty indictments recently returned by the federal grand jury, it was announced at Milwaukee. Besides Berger, others included are: E. T. Melms, Oscar Almeringer, Louis A. Arnold and Miss Elizabeth Thomas.

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Three hundred and forty-three persons, most of them outbound Alaskans and residents of the Yukon territory, lost their lives when the Canadian Pacific Steamship company's passenger steamer Princess Sophia was battered by a storm, dragged across Vanderbilt reef, and dropped to the bottom of Lynn canal, an arm of the inside passage not far south of Skagway, Alaska. "No survivors," read a wireless message from Juneau, Alaska, telling of the loss.

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Spanish influenza has been driven from Great Lakes naval training station. Health authorities here announced that conditions could not be better than at present and that the last signs of the epidemic have disappeared.

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Prisoners to the number of 250,000 have been captured on western front battlefields, it was made known in New York when the federal food administration disclosed that it is necessary to feed them in addition to feeding our own troops now in France and many millions of mouths.

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Donn M. Roberts, former mayor of Terre Haute, Ind., has been paroled after three years of a six-year sentence in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., for election frauds.

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Eighteen new ships of 98,900 deadweight tons were added to the American fleet during the week ended October 25.

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Spanish influenza is epidemic in virtually all parts of the Mexican republic, except the extreme south and a few of the Pacific coast states.

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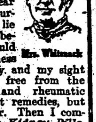

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Armistice Requirements Argeed Upon by Conference at Versailles.

AUSTRIAN TERMS GIVEN

Armistice Granted Austria Under Provisions Which Exact Complete Surrender—Army Nearly Wiped Out.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Terms upon which Germany may obtain an immediate armistice and end the war have been completed and signed in Paris, Secretary Lansing has announced. He adds only that complete diplomatic harmony has been achieved by the allied and American conferees at Versailles. It is stated that the terms follow closely along the line of those under which Austria-Hungary has surrendered.

Stipulations, it was believed last night, would be in the hands of the German government in less than 24 hours.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Austria-Hungary, the last and most powerful ally of Germany, passed out of the war yesterday under terms of the most complete surrender.

Not only have the armed forces of the once powerful Austro-Hungarian empire laid down their arms to await peace terms dictated by the allies and the United States but Austro-Hungarian territory is open for operations against Germany. Even the munitions of the former ally are to be used against the kaiser's armies.

The terms which stopped the victorious Italian advance were accepted by the Austro-Hungarian commander in chief in the name of the Vienna government. Even the terms imposed upon Bulgaria and Turkey were hardly so drastic. In addition to all other military precautions, the Austrians are compelled to retire from a wide strip of territory within their own borders and to surrender all of Italia Irredentia, thereby losing all the advantage of a possible parley over boundaries around a peace table. The geographical survey of territory evacuated by the Austrians shows it to be even greater than that demanded by Italy.

Navy Surrendered or Disarmed.

Austria-Hungary's navy which either must be delivered to the allies or disarmed under the terms of the armistice, consists of approximately 215 ships according to latest official information reaching the navy department. The total of submarines is placed at 45, with 15 battleships, an equal number of cruisers, 21 torpedo boat destroyers, 10 torpedo gunboats, 67 torpedo boats, 45 mine layers, 11 river monitors, seven patrol boats, six armed steamers, six scouts, one river torpedo boat, and two trawlers.

300,000 Austrians Captured.

Three hundred thousand Austrian soldiers and not less than 5,000 guns had been captured by the victorious Italian armies before the armistice went into effect. This includes all captures since the offensive began Oct. 24.

The soldiers of the once powerful Austrian army continued to flee in disorder. Since the offensive started 63 Austro-Hungarian divisions were put out of combat.

YANKS MAKE FINE ADVANCE

Extensive Territory Cleared by General Pershing's Men.

With the American Army on the Sedan Front, Nov. 5.—In the face of stubborn opposition the Americans have taken and held the wooded heights south of Beaumont, the last German stronghold west of the Meuse. The advance carried the line forward for an average gain of five kilometers. The number of prisoners captured early yesterday was about 5,000.

Almost 40 villages were occupied by the Americans in the territory reconquered from the Germans. There were indications at the beginning of yesterday's pursuit that the Germans would be unable to make any immediate stand.

PRESIDENT WILSON SENDS GREETINGS TO ITALY'S KING

Washington, Nov. 5.—President Wilson yesterday dispatched the following message by cable to the king of Italy:

"May I not say how deeply and sincerely the people of the United States rejoice that the soil of Italy is delivered from her enemies. In their name I send your majesty and the great Italian people the most enthusiastic congratulations.

"WOODROW WILSON."

Austrians Loyal to Former Ally.

Amsterdam, Nov. 5.—The German-Austrian state council, says a Vienna dispatch, adopted a resolution taking cognizance of the announcement of the armistice with Italy and declaring continued loyal friendship with the German empire and its decision to conduct peace negotiations in close accord with Germany. Finally the resolution declares that the council regards the German region in southern Tyrol as an inseparable part of the German-Austrian state.

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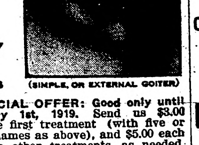

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Acid-stomach causes irritation all along the intestinal tract—irritation so severe and aggravating as to frequently result in catarrh and even cancer of the stomach.

What chance, then, has anyone for robust health, happiness or success if this acid-stomach is allowed to tear down and use up day after day your strength and vitality faster than you can get it out of food you eat. Life is indeed dark and dreary for a person with acid-stomach.

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And, my, how good EATONIC makes you feel! It banishes acid-stomach miseries like magic! Makes the stomach cool, sweet and strong. Helps you to get full strength out of your food so that, in turn, your body and brain are vigorous, alert and keen.

EATONIC is absolutely guaranteed, so get a big 50c box from your druggist. If it does not help you your money will be refunded. If your druggist does not keep EATONIC, send your name and address to the Eatonic Remedy Company, 1018 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill., and they will at once mail you a 50c box and you can send them the money for it after you receive it.

AUSTRIA QUITS; GETS ARMISTICE

Council at Versailles Concedes Request—Hostilities Stop Monday Afternoon.

KAISER OUT, IS REPORT

Geneva Reports Abdication of William II as Already an Accomplished Fact—Announcement Due Soon.

London, Nov. 4.—An armistice between Austrian and Italian forces has been signed and will come into operation through the cessation of hostilities at 8 o'clock this afternoon. Conditions of the armistice, it is said, will be published Tuesday.

Official announcement of the signing of the Austrian armistice reached the premiers, in session at the apartment of Colonel House, President Wilson's personal representative, Paris reports, late Sunday afternoon, and gave the greatest satisfaction. Conditions of the armistice, which are to be made known promptly, are in accordance with the demands of the allied representatives and will guarantee that all allied interests be fully safeguarded.

Austrian Defeats Continued.

Pending the putting into effect of the armistice agreed upon, the work of pressing the Austrian forces back from the Italian front continues unabated. Italian cavalry patrols have crossed the Tagliamento river at Spilimbergo, which city has been occupied, according to a dispatch from Rome.

The battle continues with the Italians and their allies completing the destruction of Austria's mighty army. It is estimated that 3,000 cannon will be the total taken in the present movement, besides great quantities of supplies.

The entire Italian front is moving forward, with the left wing already occupying Rovereto, and is pushing on towards Trieste. In fact, a Rome dispatch says Italian land and sea forces are already being landed at Trieste, which is the principal Austro-Hungarian seaport on the Adriatic. An official Italian announcement is quoted in confirmation of this report.

Austro-Hungarian troops are being withdrawn from the western front and the Germans, fearing the allies will march through Austria, are digging trenches and erecting fortifications along the Bavarian frontier, according to a Vienna dispatch to the Politiken at Copenhagen.

Are Hohenzollerns in Flight?

Paris, Oct. 4.—Two dispatches from Geneva, Switzerland, bear news of apparent significance when read in the light of their possible relation together. According to one, received and published by the Temps here, "the abdication of William II may be considered now as an accomplished fact. Official publication is delayed for an opportune moment."

The other dispatch, bearing a Geneva date line, says that dozens of trunks bearing the royal Hohenzollern monogram have been arriving in the past week at the luxurious chateau name Buonas, on the lake of the Bug. The chateau in question flies the German flag, and is the property of Baron von Kleist.

ALLIES SWEEP MINE FIELD

Large Fleet to Attack German Vessels in Black Sea.

London, Nov. 4.—A large fleet of the latest type of British mine sweepers yesterday began the tedious task of clearing the Dardanelles of mines and other obstructions. This work, together with other safeguards which the allies consider to be necessary before the allied fleet enters the tortuous waterway leading past Constantinople and through the Bosphorus to the Black sea, will take several days.

The allied fleet, it is believed, is sure to come to grips with the German warships. There is every reason to believe that the Germans have put this fleet in good order. It consists of seven pre-dreadnaughts, two cruisers and 12 submarines, besides at least 26 other types of war craft. The enemy has the advantage of three good bases in the Black sea—Odessa, Sebastopol and Nikolaiev—but it is likely they are short of ammunition. At Nikolaiev four cruisers are being built. One of them is nearly completed.

British Storm Steel Works.

London, Nov. 4.—British troops stormed the steel works held by the Germans southeast of Valenciennes and advancing one and one-half miles to the east, completed the capture of the village of St. Vaulve, the war office announced.

Enemy Must Say If Beaten.

Washington, Nov. 4.—In commenting on the rumored terms of armistice to be submitted by the allies and the United States, the Germans "must say whether they confess that they are beaten," Andre Tardieu, French high commissioner to the United States, declared. "Should they confess it," said Commissioner Tardieu, "the war will end and through the acceptance of our conditions. Should they not we shall enforce that acceptance by means of a last resort, the outcome of which cannot be doubtful."

GERMAN CROWDS ASK ABDICATION

Surround Imperial Palace at Stuttgart Shouting "Abdicate Immediately!"

"DOWN WITH WILHELM"

Hungarian Revolt Gains Force as Soldiers Declare Allegiance—Budapest in Gala Attire.

Amsterdam, Nov. 4.—Shouting "Down with Wilhelm," and "Abdicate immediately," a crowd of several thousand persons, despite the efforts of the police to disperse them, succeeded in reaching the royal palace at Stuttgart. Some mounted the palace railings clamoring for the deposition of the emperor, according to the Weser Gazette.

Police Shoot to Disperse Mob.

After several scrimmages and an exchange of shots mounted police managed to drive the mob away.

The demonstration was the sequel of a meeting of independent socialists at which resolutions were passed demanding the establishment of a socialist republic.

At a meeting of the progressive party at Munich, Professor Quidde, a deputy in the landtag, declared:

"The vital interests of the German people demand the emperor's abdication."

A resolution was adopted demanding that the emperor abdicate in order to attest the sincerity of Germany's conversion into a people's state.

Bankers Would Capitulate.

German banking and commercial men after a meeting have sent the government a declaration in favor of acceptance of the entente's armistice conditions, according to the German papers.

The declaration presents an argument against those who hope for an improvement of the situation from a continuance of the war and demands measures for facilitating peace, even if sacrifices are required.

Soldiers for Freedom of Hungary.

Amid scenes of the wildest enthusiasm regiment after regiment is appearing before the national council at Budapest to take the oath of allegiance, while high military officials are calling upon the council to offer their services, according to advices received from the Hungarian capital. The Danube monitor flotilla has acknowledged the council as the military authority.

The council has been informed of the appointment of Count Michael Karolyi, president of the Hungarian independent party, as premier.

Budapest Celebrates.

Budapest is beflagged and many public demonstrations of brotherly feeling are occurring. Troops sent by the national council have liberated troops which were locked in barracks by the gendarmes.

Lejtner, who recently attempted to kill Count Tisza and who was arrested early in October, has been set free by a mob.

German-Austrian State Revolts.

The German-Austrian state council, according to a dispatch from Vienna, has issued a proclamation to the soldiers at the front, saying that the government has been taken over by the national assembly. The assembly will immediately conclude peace and begin the orderly demobilization of the army, the proclamation declares.

The Vienna grain reserves are virtually exhausted. According to a Zurich dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company Vienna has only three days flour supply.

Belgrade Entered by Serbians.

Part of Belgrade, the Serbian capital, has been recaptured, according to a dispatch from the London Evening News, which says it has unofficial advices to this effect.

Serbia to Be Evacuated.

A Vienna report, via London, says the evacuation of all Serbian territory by the Austrians is imminent. The announcement is made in an official statement from the war office.

An Amsterdam report says the governor of Trieste has handed over the commune's affairs to the "Committee of Action," composed of socialists, national liberals and Slovenes.

Pershing's Men Advance 4 Miles.

With the American Forces Northwest of Verdun, Nov. 4.—General Pershing's forces continued their attack in the region west of the Meuse Saturday afternoon, capturing Fosse. This represents an advance of four miles from the starting line through Bayonville.

Enemy Superdreadnaught Is Sunk.

Washington, Nov. 4.—The Austrian superdreadnaught Veribus Unitis, the flagship of the Austro-Hungarian fleet at the naval base at Pola, has been torpedoed and sunk by an Italian "naval tank" which, manned by two officers, succeeded in penetrating the mine field at the entrance of the harbor. An official dispatch from Rome received tonight said it is believed the two officers survived, although they probably were captured by the enemy.

SWIFT & COMPANY U.S.A.

No Mystery in Meat

Some things are so simple that they have to be explained again and again. When things are obvious, people keep looking for mysteries behind them.

So it is with the packing business. The mere *size* of Swift & Company confuses many. Because their imaginations are not geared up to scale, they believe there must be magic in it somewhere—some weird power.

Swift & Company is just like any other manufacturing business run by human beings like yourself; it takes in raw material on the one hand and turns out a finished product on the other.

Swift & Company keeps down the "spread," or the expense absorbed between raw and finished material, to as low a figure as possible. (If it *didn't* it would be put out of business by others who do.)

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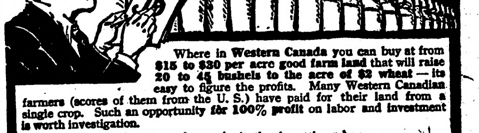

Where in Western Canada you can buy at from $15 to $30 per acre good farm land that will raise 20 to 45 bushels to the acre of $2 wheat—its easy to figure the profits. Many Western Canadian farmers (scores of them from the U. S.) have paid for their land from a single crop. Such an opportunity for 100% profit on labor and investment is worth investigation.

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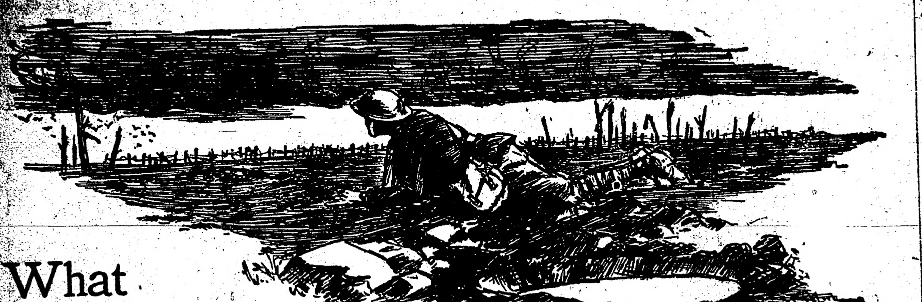

What shall he carry to Your Boy tonight—out there in No-Man's Land?

OUT in the open, across the border of No-Man's Land, the Soldiers of Cheer are going tonight. In their packs they are carrying the comforts which your fighter wants. In their hearts they are carrying a message of cheer and hope.

To the most advanced positions they are crawling with those little things which loom up big in France—their bars of chocolate, their cigarettes, their rolls of cookies and cans of fruit. Yes, and sometimes, letters from home!

Under the very eyes of German snipers they are crossing open fields, dropping flat to the ground as each flare goes up, then creeping further forward.

Soon they will reach the gun-nests where a handful of fighters will whisper:—"Good for you, old boy! What would we do without you?"

Off in another sector an advance will begin at dawn. In the thick of it will be these men—perhaps of the Knights of Columbus or Y. M. C. A., perhaps the Jewish Welfare Board or Salvation Army.

Whatever uniform they wear, the hot chocolate which they serve tastes just as warm and comforting. The cigarettes they light and hand the wounded will be as good first aid.

"These men need smokes much more than what we give them," say the surgeons.

When daylight comes the wounded will be streaming back. The cigarettes and chocolate may be nearly gone—given away. But your money will replace them. Meanwhile these men will say:—"Put us to work!"

The surgeons will give them the arm-bands of the army's stretcher-bearers.

Then up beyond the front lines they will go, to bring back those too badly hit to walk.

Once, twice, three or four times they will make the trip before they too are hit.

Wherever there are fighters, the Soldiers of Cheer have their canteens, scores of them under shell fire.

Throughout the days they serve the crowd a mile or so behind the lines. At night they go forward, packs on their backs, to reach the men who occupy the outposts of civilization.

When the order comes to go over the top, they follow too. Wherever the troops go, there go these men who serve.

No wonder their names are in the casualty lists. No wonder they are cited. No wonder the fighters elect them honorary members of their outfits.

Keep the supplies coming! Help the Soldiers of Cheer to help your fighters! Give now—all together!

Why you should give twice as much as you ever gave before!

The need is for a sum 70% greater than any gift ever asked for since the world began. The Government has fixed this sum at $170,500,000.

By giving to these seven organizations all at once, the cost and effort of six additional campaigns is saved.

Unless Americans do give twice as much as ever before, our soldiers and sailors may not enjoy during 1919 their:

3600 Recreation Buildings	2500 Libraries supplying 5,000,000 books
1000 Miles of Movie Film	85 Hostess Houses
100 Leading Stage Stars	15,000 Big-brother "secretaries"
2000 Athletic Directors	Millions of dollars of home comforts

When you give double, you make sure that every fighter has the cheer and comforts of these seven organizations every step of the way from home to the front and back again. You provide him with a church, a theatre, a cheerful home, a store, a school, a club and an athletic field—and a knowledge that the folks back home are with him, heart and soul!

You have loaned your money to supply their physical needs.

Now give to maintain the Morale that is winning the war!

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JEWISH WELFARE BOARD
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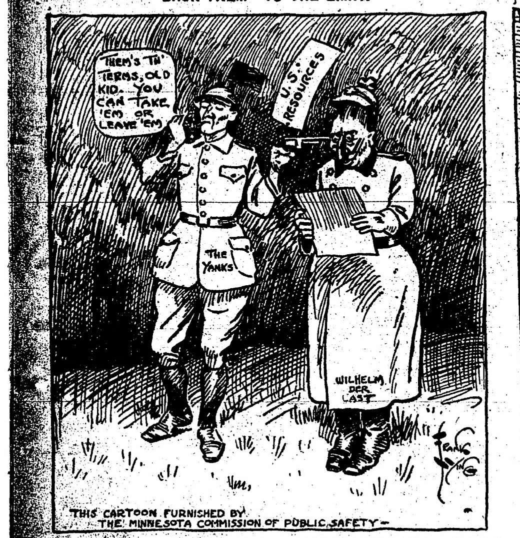
AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION
SALVATION ARMY

BACK THEM—TO THE LIMIT.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THE YANKS
WILHELM DER LAST
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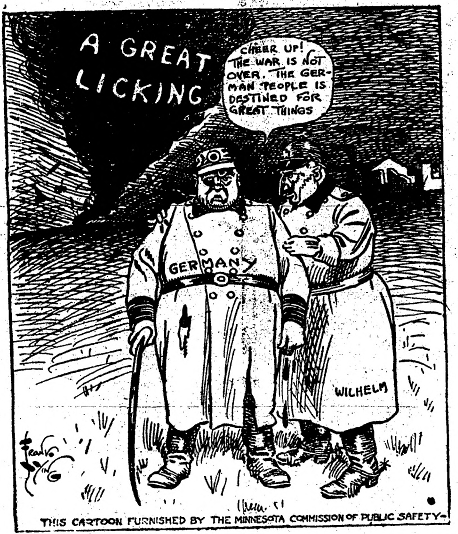
THIS CARTOON FURNISHED BY THE MINNESOTA COMMISSION OF PUBLIC SAFETY—

The only peace possible between Uncle Sam and the Kaiser will be submitted by our Soldier Boys.

YOU'RE RIGHT, WILLIAM!


A GREAT LICKING
CHEER UP! THE WAR IS NOT OVER. THE GERMAN PEOPLE IS DESTINED FOR GREAT THINGS
GERMANY
WILHELM
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THIS CARTOON FURNISHED BY THE MINNESOTA COMMISSION OF PUBLIC SAFETY—

They finally saw with horror that it was coming

WHO CAN REFUSE TO GIVE THEM TEN CENTS A DAY

Ten cents a day, used through the United War Work Campaign agencies, means the comfort of a soldier or sailor for a day. The organizations participating in the United War Work Campaign are recognized by the United States Government as part of the military machinery that is to render the Hun helpless. The Government, raising its own necessary funds by bonds and taxes, cannot in this manner finance the work done by the United War Work Campaign agencies.

Out with your ten cents a day!

—Keep Them Smiling—

GIRLS CAN DO MUCH GOOD

To Earn and Give $5 Is the Pledge of Victory Girls.

"Every girl pulling for Victory." This is the slogan of the Victory girls.

"Everybody is doing something to win the war but me," a fourteen-year-old girl said. "I'm left out. I can't buy Liberty Bonds or go to France as a nurse."

It is for the "left-out" girl who wants to make a real sacrifice for the men at the front, that Victory Girls "Earn and Give" division of the United War Work Campaign has been established.

Victory Girls is as much an army at home as the men in the service are an army wherever they are called. Like Victory Boys, they are an "Earn and Give" division of the United War Work Campaign. When a girl enrolls she pledges herself to earn a stated sum for war work. This means that no girl, or boy either, can give any money that she or he has not earned. The Department of Campaign Divisions in the National Organization, of which A. H. Whitford is director, has appointed Miss Gertrude Gogin, Girls' Work Secretary of the National Y. W. C. A., secretary of the girls' division of the Victory Girls. Both are working in the campaign in which seven national organizations are co-operating—the Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., National Catholic War Council (Knights of Columbus), Jewish Welfare Board, War Camp Community Service, American Library Association and Salvation Army.

To insure the greatest understanding and co-operation in the work done with Victory Girls and Victory Boys, a director has been appointed to act for the National Catholic War Council and representatives of Catholic Women have been appointed in various local committees.

—Keep Them Smiling—

UNITED LEADERSHIP WILL BRING VICTORY

Lansing and Lane Endorse Campaign for Funds for Welfare of America's Fighting Forces.

Washington, Nov. 6. — Hearty endorsement is given today by Robert Lansing, Secretary of State, to the United War Work Campaign, in a statement urging support of the drive for $170,500,000 for the continuation of soldier and sailor service work by the Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., National Catholic War Council (K. of C.), War Camp Community Service, American Library Association and Salvation Army.

"The wise policy for a united campaign, which has been adopted by the patriotic men who are directing the various organizations charged with the welfare of our fighting forces, has my hearty approval," said Mr. Lansing.

"While they, acting separately, have done and would continue to do splendid work, combination will greatly add to their efficiency and usefulness. I am sure that the American people will give to the united effort the same support which they gave in the past to the separate organizations. It is enough to say that it is for our boys across the sea."

Franklin K. Lane, Secretary of the Interior, summed up as follows: "Under a united leadership in France our men are making a drive for us, and under a united leadership in America we are making a drive for them. May we be as successful as they have been!"

—Keep Them Smiling—

YOU'D GIVE YOUR LAST CENT!

If you came across a man dying for the want of a cup of hot chocolate or coffee, what would you do? You'd spend your last dollar to see that he got it!

Supposing your boy or one of his pals lay on a foreign field, wounded, needing help that money could buy.

You'd beg every last one of those within a dozen miles to do all that they could for the poor lad—and hang the expense!

That's exactly what it means when you donate to the United War Work Campaign fund which goes to the various war welfare agencies with which your son is in constant contact. You are ministering to some neighbor lad if not your own—or perhaps to many of them—in the only way that can really help them in those trying times when every bit of comfort is the saving grace that makes the horror and hardship endurable and keeps them steady and sane.

Send home and the human touch to the lads "over there" in the only way that is left for you—

Through the Army Welfare Agencies!

HELP THE HOME TO FOLLOW FLAG

Campaign for Funds for Service That Wins the Soldier's Heart and Keeps Him Smiling.

OPEN PURSE STRINGS

Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., National Catholic War Council, K. of C., Jewish Welfare Board, War Camp Community Service, American Library Assn., Salvation Army to Benefit.

By Temple Bailey.

Not all of war is fighting. The soldier is not always going over the top or killing Huns. A lot of times he is just tired or homesick or lonely. It is then that he thinks of you. It is then that he longs for home. And if you can't be with him, you can help the home to follow him. Let others do it through you who pay for it.

With the slogan, "We help the home to follow the flag," the Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., National Catholic War Council (K. of C.), Jewish Welfare Board, War Camp Community Service, American Library Association and Salvation Army, all have to do with the comfort and happiness of our fighting men in camp or at the front, and I am constrained to discover, if I can, some of the reasons why modern misers shake their heads and tighten their purse-strings when they are asked to contribute. These agencies give the cup of cold water. Can't you see? You aren't there to do it. You wouldn't be a bit of use if you were. But along comes a Salvation Army angel with a piece of pie—and there's a bit of home. Or a pleasant middle-aged woman smiles over the counter of a canteen as she pours his coffee—and there's home and mother. Or Mary Pickford smiles at him from a moving picture screen, and there's darling America in every line of her. Or Sothern recites or Elsie Janis dances and he's back home beside you, eager and excited.

Let me say this to you who have been tempted to shake your heads and pull your purse-strings tight—the men over there haven't any home. A trench isn't a home, or a tent, or even a French farmhouse where one is billeted and sleeps on straw. And for a youngster who has always had a soft bed, two pillows, a hot bath, grape fruit for breakfast, a whole pleasant American house to be happy in, you can imagine what it means to be homeless, with not a desk nor a chair which belongs to him, nothing but a kit bag and a casual sleeping place.

Oh, loosen your purse-strings! Pray for a vision! Let some dream come to you of what it would mean if you were transported suddenly from the softness and ease of your life to a world of fire and flame and horror.

Wouldn't you want the light of a little hut to shine out for you? Wouldn't you want the smiling woman's face, the touch of a friendly hand, wouldn't you think of that hut as the only oasis in a Desert of Dreadful Things?

Put yourself in his place and if you can't fight with him, at least spend your money for him. He's worth it, and he's worth it not only because he's your lad and my lad, but because he's fighting for the honor of your country, and for the world's need of freedom from the Hun!

—Keep Them Smiling—

BOOKS MAKE THEM HAPPY

Alice Hegan Rice, author of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," and an ardent member of the American Library Association, is working in the interests of military libraries for the United War Work Campaign. Asked why soldiers should be supplied with books, since their mission is fighting, Mrs. Rice replied in true Mrs. Wiggs style:

"When some soldiers in the Civil War was lyin' around camp tryin' to keep from freezin' to death a preacher come along and when he got up to preach he sez, 'Friends, my text is Chilblains. They ain't no use a preachin' to men whose whole thought is set on their feet. Now you fellows, git some soft soap and pour into them shoes and jes' keep them shoes on until yer feet fit well and next time I come around yer minds will be better prepared ter receive the word of the Lord.'"

Fighting men who are made happy when not fighting, fight better, Mrs. Rice believes.

—Keep Them Smiling—

THEY CAN'T COME HOME, SO SEND HOME TO THEM

The Poilus and the Tommies can go home for their furloughs. The American soldier in France is 3,000 miles from home. His best makeshift home is the welfare hut of the allied war welfare agencies participating in the United War Work Campaign for funds to maintain their work "over there." When he goes on a furlough he goes to one of the huge rest resorts that have been established for this purpose by the Y. M. C. A.

This is but one of the many phases of service for which the big drive will be held all over the country, November 11 to 18.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Keep the soldiers smiling.

Dr. Turley will pull your teeth on Nov. 22.

School will commence again on Monday.

John M. Pederson's auction Nov. 25, near Golden Valley.

John Melquist spent Sunday at Erskine returning home with a good string of ducks.

Mrs. Docken and children and Mrs. Halvorson and baby went to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Chas. McLean has sold his farm to a Dr. Roadman who owns land adjoining Mr. McLean's.

Miss Beatha Nelson went to Grand Forks Monday where she expected to get work at the university.

Unless something unforeseen happens to prevent it, the Holt public school will open again on Monday.

C. G. Mugg, the Grand Forks eye man, will be in Holt the afternoon of Nov. 27th and the forenoon of Nov. 28th.

The Holt public school will be opened again on Monday, as the worst of the influenza epidemic seems to be over.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawerence Edwardson of Ryder, N. D., came Saturday to visit the latters parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Saastad.

Miss Lillian Rustad and brother Victor went to Moorhead Monday to visit relatives and friends until after the holidays.

People can buy their fall and winter goods just as cheaply in Holt as anywhere, no need of going away or sending away for them.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Riesberg went to Mentor Tuesday to pack up, and ship to Holt the household goods of their daughter, Mrs. C. Kolden.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Johnson, who live a few miles southwest of Holt, lost their ten months old baby Monday night, its death being caused by the influenza.

Word was received on Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. Nelson that their daughter Ingeborg was sick at the university in Grand Foks. Another letter was received on Monday stating Miss Ingeborg was better and that she expected to commence work the next day.

Now that the great war is over, the soldiers will find the time going mighty slow, with that excitement gone that they have always looked forward to. Many will be anxious to get back to private life now and many, many others will be awful homesick. From now on, more than ever before, if that is possible, they will need recreation and all the help that can be given them by the Y. M. C. A. and kindred organizations. Everyone can give something to help the boys keep smiling.

Death of Carl Engebretsen.

Our community has been greatly saddened by the death of Carl Engebretsen, at 3:45 Tuesday afternoon.

All the family had the influenza, and Mr. Engebretsen was getting better but as his help got sick, he did the chores himself which was too much for him. He took cold and pneumonia set in about a week ago, and but slight hopes were entertained for his recovery from that time. The funeral will be held at the home this afternoon and interment will be made in the cemetery here.

We join the friends in extending sincere sympathy to the sorrowing family and relatives.

Obituary next week.

Obituary of Clarence Kolden

Clarence S. Kolden was born in Neilsville, Minn., August 18, 1893, and died at his home in Mentor, Minn., on Sunday morning Nov. 3rd at the age of 25 years, 2 months and 15 days.

His parents moved to Crookston while he was a small child and in 1903 the family moved to this county. The mother died at their home in Middle River in 1909.

The deceased leaves to mourn his early death, the sorrowing widow and two children, his father and step-mother, the elder brother Selmer who is in France and a younger brother Peter who is in the navy and Thorval who left Monday for the training camp, two half brothers, a half sister and other relatives and a host of friends who sympathise with the bereaved ones.

Clarence Kolden had a fine position in which he was making good and his prospects for the future were bright and his death after only a few days of sickness shows the uncertainty of life here below.

Card of Thanks.

In our great sorrow we cannot find words to express our feeling to all who showed their sympathy to us at the funeral of our beloved husband, father and son. Especially to those who sent so many pretty flowers which were so dear to us. Kindly accept our thanks.

Mrs. Clarence Kolden
and children.
S. S. Kolden and family.
P. A. Risberg and family.

Thorval Kolden went to Warren Monday Monday to join the Marshall county boys who left that day for Ft. Riley, Kansas. Manuel Larson and Rudolph Anderson left here Saturday for Warren. Marshall county furnished 28 men in this call. Now that the war is over, there will not be any more calls.

—Later: The Local Board received notice Monday afternoon that all draft calls had been cancelled, and the men were sent home, subject to call if needed later.

Give for the sake of the soldiers.

The best medical authority states that whiskey or alcohol in any form is the worst possible thing that can be given to influenza patients. Tea, pasteurized milk and lemonade are good beverages, but alcoholic drinks, it is stated, will only make the patient more subject to the disease, according to Dr. Hill, of the Minnesota Public Health Association.

The current story that alcoholic drinks are administered in excessive amounts in army cantonments and hospitals as a remedy, is false and the source is probably due to the activity of German propagandists.—Ex.

Rhinehart Reierson Sick.

Word was received Saturday from Reinehart Reierson who is stationed at Camp Oglethorpe, Ga., that he had an operation on Monday for appendicitis and that he was getting along fine, but was awfully tired of lying on his back.—Later A telegram was sent to his father that Rhinehart was critically ill. His many friends hope that the worse stage is past and that he will speedily recover health and strength.

Letter From Rev. Parish.

Kellogg, Idaho, Nov. 8th.

Friend Young:

This is to let you and our Holt friends know that we are well located here in Kellogg, and we like it very much. This is a fine little city of about 6000. We are told by people who know that in 5 years after the war is over our city will have 10,000 people. This is a lead mining community, and in fact we have the largest lead mines in the world here. We also have one of the largest smelters and it will be much larger soon. We have four churches and ours is the strongest with a great opportunity. They pay me $2,000.00.

I hope you folks have missed the flu. We are closed on account of it and have been for four weeks. We are all well and happy yet.

I often think of the good people at Holt. Remember me to them all. I will be glad to hear how you all are getting along.

Sincerely yours,
G. O. Parish.

All the old officers of Marshall county were re-elected. Following are the majorities, where there were contests: Berve 292, Lundgren 603, Bakke 1487, Hanson 1246, Grinder 34, Eckstrom 28, Johnson 762, Olson (Com. 5th Dist.) 52. Hegnes carried the county by 458 and the district by about 60 voters.

The Holt Red Cross Auxiliary recently sent a shipment of goods to Warren that were made up by the following ladies:

Two pairs of socks were knit by Mesdames Hagberg, Paul Olson and M. B. Fitch, one pair each by Mesdames R. L. Olson, Bennes, Adams, Ordahl, Nelson, Gunheim, Docken, Sandberg.

Sweaters: Mesdames Nelson, Docken and Fitch each one, and there were also two others without names. The ladies also made 18 chemise, one pair pjamas and one hospital shirt.

C. G. MUGG, O. S.
OF GRAND FORKS, N. D.
FITS GLASSES
HE WILL BE AT
Holt Nov. 27 and forenoon Nov. 28.

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Dr. Turley, will be in Holt next Friday Nov. 22nd.

For Sale!

Jeffery Six auto in fine shape, inquire at the Holt State Bank.

FOR SALE!

A matched team of colts, mare and gelding, coming three years old next spring.

Lars Cheni1, Holt.

Estray Notice!

A milch cow and three spring calves came to my place Oct. 18th. The owner is hereby notified to come at once and prove property, pay all expenses of keeping and for this notice and take their stock away.

Ole Christenson,
Sec. 2, Town of East Valley.

Drs. Paulson & Mellby
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 79
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 96

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In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
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Fresh and cured Meats
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We wish to announce that we have put in a
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For more than 50 years Piso's has been the favorite everywhere. You can depend upon it to give prompt relief. Eases throat tickle, soothes inflamed throats and relieves hoarseness.
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All work guaranteed satisfactory
Edw. Nelson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.58
Oats	59
Barley	66 to .74
Rye	1.45
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

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The sense of **Achievement**, of something really accomplished and well done, is worth all it costs to build nowadays. It takes determination, energy and constructive ability to build anything. We furnish the other necessary materials.
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WINTON-NICHOLS Lumber Company
IF IT'S BUILDING MATERIAL - WE HAVE IT
HOLT, MINN.

War Savings Stamps

THE first principle of money making is money saving. Get the habit of buying War Savings Stamps regularly. This is the stamp which is going to help Uncle Sam stamp out Autocracy and help you, by saving, to start on the road to Success.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps at any bank or post office.

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Holt News

GIRLS! LOTS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

A small bottle of "Danderine" makes hair thick, glossy and wavy.

Removes all dandruff, stops itching scalp and falling hair.

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—it costs but a few cents—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance, freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre, and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp—Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower, destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp, and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this.—Adv.

Something Wrong Somewhere.

Mr. Clout read in a paper that digestion is stimulated by talk and laughter at meal times; he cogitated over the idea, and finally addressed his family thus:

"Now, this keeping mum at meals has got to stop. You hear me, you girls. You begin to tell stories, and keep up agreeable sort of talk like; and you boys, laugh and be jolly or I'll take and dust your jackets with the strap till you can't stand. Now begin!"

And yet, somehow the jollity seemed forced.

WHY WOMEN DREAD OLD AGE

Don't worry about old age. Don't worry about being in other people's way when you are getting on in years. Keep your body in good condition and you can be as hale and hearty as your old days as you were when a kid, and every one will be glad to see you.

The kidneys and bladder are the causes of senile afflictions. Keep them clean and in proper working condition. Drive the poisonous wastes from the system and avoid uric acid accumulations. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules periodically and you will find that the system will always be in perfect working order. Your spirits will be enlivened, your muscles made strong and your face have once more the look of youth and health.

New life, fresh strength and health will come as you continue this treatment. When your first vigor has been restored continue for awhile taking a capsule or two each day. They will keep you in condition and prevent a return of your troubles.

There is only one guaranteed brand of Haarlem Oil Capsules, GOLD MEDAL. There are many fakes on the market. Be sure you get the Original GOLD MEDAL Imported Haarlem Oil Capsules. They are the only reliable. For sale by all first-class druggists.—Adv.

Insidious Persistence.

"You don't seem to pay any attention to these germs."

"I don't talk about 'em any more than is necessary," answered Doc Braney. "I take all possible precautions and then try to ignore 'em. The meanest thing about a germ is that if he can't attack you anywhere else, he tries to get on your mind."

Extremes.

Dixie, the French poodle, was barking noisily and wagging his tail at the same time.

"Oh," cried little Lucy, "Dixie is cross at one end and happy at the other."

It's going to be mighty difficult even after peace is made to treat a German as a friend.

WAR ENDED MONDAY, 5:00 A. M. CENTRAL TIME; ARMISTICE SIGNED

German Envoys Affixed Signatures to Famous Document at Early Morning Hour—News Reached State Department at Washington About 2:50 A. M.—Given Out at Once.

Armistice Is for 30 Days But Terms Agreed Upon for Its Enforcement Are Such as to Make Renewal of the War Impossible—President Wilson Proclaims Cessation of Hostilities and Reads Terms to the Assembled Congress.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The world war ended this morning at 6 o'clock Washington time, 11 o'clock Paris time. The armistice was signed by the German representatives at midnight. This announcement was made by the state department at 2:50 this morning. The announcement was made verbally by an official of the state department in this form:

"The armistice has been signed. It was signed at 5 o'clock, Paris time, and hostilities will cease at 11 o'clock this morning, Paris time."

President Wilson has formally proclaimed the signing of the armistice, and has read before congress its terms and provisions.

The president said, by way of introduction:

"Gentlemen of the Congress:

"In these times of rapid, stupendous change it will in some degree lighten my sense of responsibility to perform in person the duty of communicating to you some of the larger circumstances of the situation with which it is necessary to deal.

"The German authorities who at the invitation of the supreme war council, have been in communication with Marshal Foch, have accepted and signed the terms of armistice which he was authorized and instructed to communicate to them."

The president then recited the terms at length, a brief synopsis of which is as follows:

TERMS OF THE ARMISTICE

Immediate retirement of the German military forces from France, Belgium and Alsace-Lorraine.

Abandonment by Germany of the treaties of Bucharest and Brest-Litovsk.

Disarming and demobilization of the German army, occupation by the allied and American forces of such strategic points in Germany as will make impossible a renewal of hostilities.

Delivery of the German high seas fleet and 160 submarines to the allied and American naval forces.

Disarmament of all other German warships under supervision of the allied and American navy, which will guard them. Occupation of the principal German naval bases by sea forces of the victorious nations.

Release of allied and American soldiers, sailors and civilians held prisoner in Germany without such reciprocal action by the associated governments.

Many Big Guns Will Be Surrendered.

The surrender by the Germans of 5,000 guns, (2,500 heavy and 2,500 field guns); 30,000 machine guns; 3,000 minnenwerfers; 2,000 airplanes, including both fighting planes and day and night bombers.

The surrender of 5,000 locomotives; 50,000 wagons; 10,000 motor lorries; the railways of Alsace-Lorraine for use by the allies.

Wide Neutral Zone Provided.

The evacuation of all country on the left bank of the Rhine, to be administered by local authorities under the direction of the allied and American forces; also Coblentz and Cologne and the bridgeheads approaching them; and a neutral zone 30 kilometers wide to be established on the right side of the river.

In all territory evacuated by the enemy there shall be no evacuation of inhabitants, and no injury or harm of any kind shall be permitted to their persons or property.

Must Give Up Pilfered Cash.

Among financial terms are restitution for all damage done by the German army, including restitution in cash for funds taken from the banks of Belgium, and restitution in gold of all funds taken from Russia and Roumania. The surrender of all stores of coal and iron is also demanded.

The German troops are to retire at once from all territory occupied in Russia and Roumania, and the allies are to have access to such territory. The enemy must also evacuate territory held in East Africa within 30 days.

Turkey is also to be evacuated by the Germans.

German troops which have not left the invaded territories within 14 days, including Alsace-Lorraine, become prisoners of war.

The repatriation within 14 days of the thousands of unfortunate civilians deported from France and Belgium is also demanded.

Baltic and Black Seas Opened.

Freedom of access by the allies to the Baltic is agreed upon, with power to occupy the German ports in the Cattegat. The Germans must also reveal the location of all mines, poisoned wells, etc. All German ports of the Black sea must be surrendered, as well as the Russian fleet recently taken over by the Germans in those waters.

Germans to pay for upkeep of allies' occupation troops in Germany.

Allied and American troops to occupy all land evacuated by the Germans.

The armistice is for 30 days, but President Wilson made it clear that the war might be considered as ended because the means of pursuing it had been taken from the enemy.

The president indicated that having secured this victory, the allies and American forces would now undertake to restore order in Germany under conditions of freedom and democracy.

Von Hindenburg Would Help Reconstruction.

A London dispatch says that Field Marshal von Hindenburg has asked delegates of the soldiers' and workmen's councils to meet with him in the interests of avoiding anarchy. London also reports that English recruiting has been discontinued.

There was no information as to the circumstances under which the armistice was signed, but since the German courier did not reach German military headquarters until 10 o'clock yesterday morning, French time, it was generally assumed here that the German envoys within the French lines had been instructed by wireless to sign the terms.

Wrong Somewhere.

A friend wants us to tell him if a certain citizen of this town is in all respects an upright and exemplary man. Most people who know him regard him so, but there must be something wrong about him, since he does not agree with us in politics and religion.—Houston Post.

Uncle Eben.

"Poverty," said Uncle Eben, "ain' no disgrace, 'ceptin' when a man would rather put up wif it dan work."

Meaning of the Word.

A colored man who prided himself on definitions was asked for a definition of reciprocity by a white man. "Well, sah," said he, "you see that chicken house ova dar? Well, de hens dey lays for de white folks. I lay for de hens, and de white folks dey lays for me; dat's re'procity."—Team Work.

Throw Away Old Bulbs.

As soon as an electric bulb blackens throw it away; old bulbs consume more current than new ones.

THIS WEAK, NERVOUS MOTHER

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I was very weak, always tired, my back ached, and I felt sickly most of the time. I went to a doctor and he said I had nervous indigestion, which added to my weak condition kept me worrying most of the time—and he said if I could not stop that, I could not get well. I heard so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my husband wanted me to try it. I took it for a week and felt a little better. I kept it up for three months, and I feel fine and can eat anything now without distress or nervousness."—Mrs. J. WORTHLINE, 2842 North Taylor St., Philadelphia Pa.

The majority of mothers nowadays overdo, there are so many demands upon their time and strength; the result is invariably a weakened, run-down, nervous condition with headaches, backache, irritability and depression—and soon more serious ailments develop. It is at such periods in life that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will restore a normal healthy condition, as it did to Mrs. Worthline.

Trench Expert.

Senator Sheppard of Texas sat on the veranda of the Chevy Chase Golf club discussing prohibition and watching a poor player endeavoring to tee off.

After the poor player had made a half a dozen ineffectual swipes at the ball the senator's companion said:

"What the dickens is that fellow trying to do?"

"It looks to me," said Senator Sheppard, "as if he were trying to dig himself in."

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels needs a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhœa, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

At Least He Had None Left.

Charles went visiting with his father and on their return his father was asked as to the boy's behavior. "Beautiful," was the answer. "He couldn't have been better." Whereupon the young hopeful said: "I used all the manners I had." And the family judged from his behavior the next day or two that he certainly had.

Keep your liver active, your bowels clean by taking Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets and you'll keep healthy, wealthy and wise. Adv.

Past 45.

"She says she is five years younger than her husband."

"That may be, but I understand that her husband isn't compelled to register for war service."

Even good luck can't do anything for a quitter.

Your Eyes A Wholesome, Cleansing, Refreshing and Healing Lotion—Murine for Redness, Soreness, Granulation, Itching and Burning of the Eyes or Eyelids; "2 Drops" After the Movies, Motoring or Golf will win your confidence. Ask Your Druggist for Murine when your Eyes Need Care. M-B Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago

MONDAY A DAY OF CELEBRATION

"Victory Day" as Observed in American Cities Was Carnival of Good Will.

JOY ALSO IN TRENCHES

Pending Completion of the Holiday Official Washington Unable to Give Much Information Regarding Future.

Washington, Nov. 12.—Monday, November 11, "Victory day," was celebrated spontaneously but almost universally throughout the United States and in the American trenches, as well as at many points in allied countries. In the cities and villages of America the celebration, while wholly informal, took on the nature of a carnival of good feeling, in which flag waving, torpedo firing, marching crowds with horns, and joyous processions of automobiles were characteristic features. Local organizations assisted the merrymaking in their own ways, and business places were very generally closed, as there was neither disposition nor opportunity for business.

News Reaches Fighting Front.

News of the armistice reached the various sections of the American fighting front early in the day and resulted in the most intense satisfaction on the part of the American fighters.

It was among the boys in the foremost lines who had been under shell fire for days that there was the most genuine rejoicing.

There had been so many rumors of peace lately that the boys in the front lines were not inclined to believe the report of the signing of the armistice until their officers informed them that it was a fact. Then there was general rejoicing.

Motorcycle couriers tore along the road shouting:

"It's over, boys!"

Marching columns, tired and mud-spattered, were galvanized into new life. They shouted, laughed and sang. The cheers rang from column to column.

Few Announcements Made.

So much was official Washington engrossed with the celebration that few facts could be gleaned regarding future plans through the day. It was said that in the insufficiency of time to assemble a great peace conference within 30 days it seemed probable that the armistice would require to be extended. Preparations for this great gathering, and for the tacit agreements of America and the allied nations which will no doubt precede it will begin without delay.

What happens in Germany and in what once was Austria-Hungary and in Russia during the meantime probably will govern the solution of many of the complex problems awaiting the conference.

Soldiers Not to Return at Once.

It is pointed out that whatever happens it is hardly conceivable that the return of American soldiers can be at once or soon. There will be extensive reconstruction work to perform and the maintenance of order required, not only in each of the former enemy countries, but also in Russia and Rumania as well. Naturally not all, nor perhaps even the most of this work, can be turned back to the forces of our allied nations, already weary with years of war.

Draft Calls Cancelled.

However, Provost Marshal General Crowder has issued telegrams cancelling all immediate calls for entrainment of draft men, and it seems quite probable that these may be permanently annulled. In various parts of the country 252,000 men had been under orders to entrain this week.

Hoover Makes Statement.

Immediate dropping of food prices as a result of the conclusion of an armistice cannot be expected, Food Administrator Hoover declared last night.

"With the war effectually over," said Mr. Hoover, "we enter a new economic era, and its immediate effect on prices is difficult to anticipate. The prices of some food commodities may increase, but others will decrease, because with liberated shipping, accumulated stocks in the southern hemisphere and the far east will be available.

All activities of the food administration will be continued through the armistice period, said Mr. Hoover, adding that "there will be no relaxation of efforts to keep down profiteering to the last moment."

Marshall Praises President.

Vice President Marshall said:

"The president's address sets a high water mark in the annals of the justice of English-speaking peoples and of all the allies."

Congressmen Praise Terms.

Washington, Nov. 12.—Unanimous approval of the armistice terms imposed on Germany is being voiced by members of congress.

Unconditional surrender was the interpretation of most senators and representatives, although some expressed disappointment that demobilization of the German armies was not required. Sentiment for punishment of those responsible for atrocities was voiced, and the president was commended for the assurance of help to inaugurate a democratic government in Germany.

HEALTH TALK

Spanish Influenza or Grip

BY DR. LEE H. SMITH.

An old enemy is with us again, and whether we fight a German or a germ, we must put up a good fight, and not be afraid. The influenza runs a very brief course when the patient is careful, and if we keep the system in good condition and throw off the poisons which tend to accumulate within our bodies, we can escape the disease. Remember these three C's—a clean mouth, a clean skin, and clean bowels. To carry off poisons from the system and keep the bowels loose, daily doses of a pleasant laxative should be taken. Such a one is made of May-apple, leaves of aloe, root of jalap, and called Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Hot lemonade should be used freely if attacked by a cold, and the patient should be put to bed after a hot mustard foot-bath.

To prevent the attack of bronchitis or pneumonia and to control the pain, Anuric tablets should be obtained at the drug store, and one given every two hours, with lemonade. The Anuric tablets were first discovered by Dr. Pierce, and, as they flush the bladder and cleanse the kidneys, they carry away much of the poisons and the uric acid.

It is important that broths, milk, buttermilk, ice-cream and simple diet be given regularly to strengthen the system and increase the vital resistance. The fever is diminished by the use of the Anuric tablets, but in addition, the forehead, arms and hands may be bathed with water (tepid) in which a tablespoonful of saleratus has been dissolved in a quart. After an attack of grip or pneumonia to build up and strengthen the system, obtain at the drug store a good iron tonic, called "Irontic" Tablets, or that well known herbal tonic, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

Patriotic.

Patience—I saw Harry at the patriotic meeting last night. He was in khaki.

Patrice—Oh, you saw him, did you?

Patience—Yes, and he was so patriotic that he stood up during the entire meeting.

Patrice—Oh, that wasn't altogether patriotism. He's joined the cavalry, you know, and yesterday was the first day he'd tried to ride a horse.—Camp Lee Bayonet.

STOMACH ACIDITY, INDIGESTION, GAS

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Scarcely Knew Him.

First Girl—Yes, I married the sergeant just two days after I met him and three before he sailed.

Second Girl—And was he good looking?

First Girl—Well, yes; as near as I can recollect him, he was.

Think He's Going to the Deuce.

We knew a dear old lady who has such a hatred of cards that she frets about her aviator son being called an "ace."—Boston Transcript.

Look out for Spanish Influenza.

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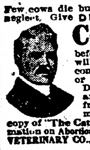

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Specification.

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Too Much for the Skunk.

Mr. Cackle Berry vouches for the following story:

A Frenchman, an Englishman, an Irishman and a German prisoner were in an argument as to which was the bravest.

A Yank overheard the controversy and decided to settle it. Pointing to a near-by poultry house, he told them that there was a skunk inside and asked the Irishman to step inside and see how long he could stand it.

Pat did as he was told. In five minutes he came out. The Englishman followed, but he stood it only four minutes. The Frenchman next tried it, but five minutes was enough for him.

It was the German's turn. He went in and the others waited. The minutes passed — one—two—three—four—five—six—seven, but no German. Eight minutes—ten—the skunk came out.

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"Got it?" said Mr. Subub.

"No," she said.

"Why not?"

"Well, Mrs. Swaggerer was in there buying pearls, so I couldn't ask for a key for the kitchen clock."

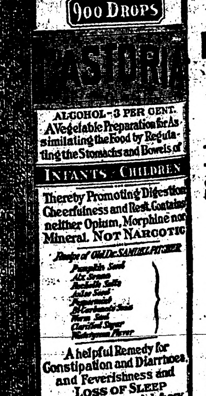
"What did you do, then?"

"Oh, I just inquired how long it would take to clean a diamond tiara."

Just It.

"Someone last night stole my incubator."

"What a fowl wrong!"



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What is it that robs so many people of their vitality, youth and good looks—makes them all in and decrepit, years before their time? Some say it's rheumatism that is ailing them. Others complain of chronic stomach or liver trouble. Others are bilious. Life is a burden to multitudes of dyspeptics. Severe headache, extreme nervousness, insomnia, mental depression, melancholia, anemia, dizziness, vertigo, heart and chest pains, constipation, etc., claim other multitudes.

Sometimes these people are downright sick. More frequently they are just weak, sickly and unfit, not knowing exactly what is the matter with them. Nearly always they resort to medicines of one kind or another in the hope of getting back their health and strength. And nearly always they are disappointed, because medicines don't build strength unless they set the stomach free from acidity, allowing it to take full strength out of the food eaten.

What is it that causes teeth to decay? Dentists say—acid mouth—that the acid formed by the fermentation of small particles of food lodged in the teeth is powerful enough to eat right through the hard enamel. An acid-stomach presents a similar condition. Excess acid retards digestion. Food in the stomach sours and ferments, causing pain. Gases affect the heart action. The intestines become the breeding place for countless millions of deadly germs or toxic poisons. These poisons are carried by the blood into every part of the system. The famous scientist, Metchnikoff, said — if the system could be kept free from these toxic germs, people might easily live a hundred years or more.

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BURNQUIST WINS BY WIDE MARGIN

Minnesota Governor Secures Big Plurality Over Evans and Wheaton.

SENATOR NELSON SAFE

W. G. Calderwood Receives Only a Light Vote for Seat in Senate—Clarence B. Miller Is Beaten for Congress.

Minneapolis, Nov. 7.—Senator Knute Nelson, Minnesota's grand old man, is running far in the lead of W. G. Calderwood of Minneapolis, who was backed by the Nationalist party and a few Democrats. It is estimated that the Nelson majority will run far in excess of 100,000 votes.

Burnquist Leads by 40,000.

Governor Burnquist has a lead of 40,000 votes over David H. Evans, in 1,178 out of 3,119 precincts in the state. The vote in those precincts follows: Burnquist, 113,067; Wheaton 52,777; Evans, 71,139.

In 188 out of 204 precincts in Hennepin county the vote on governor was: Burnquist, 28,555; Wheaton, 14,193; Evans, 12,865. Burnquist's lead in Hennepin county will run approximately 16,000 votes.

All of the other Republican candidates on the state ticket have apparently been elected by heavy majorities or pluralities. For some time there was doubt about Herman Mueller, Republican nominee for clerk of the supreme court.

Mueller was repudiated by the Republican state central committee, but the repudiation came too late. In 793 precincts out of the 3,119 in the state Mueller polled 45,677 votes and Charles A. Letheart, Democrat, indorsed by the Republican committee, polled 33,668.

Returns from 816 out of 3,119 precincts in the state indicated the reelection of sitting members of the state supreme court.

Chief Justice Calvin L. Brown received 43,042 votes against 35,884 for his opponent, Benjamin Drake, in the available figures.

Associate Justice Oscar Hallam and Andrew Holt received in the same precinct 29,227 and 34,534, respectively, for re-election, while W. H. Vanderburgh received 13 247 and Thomas Frazer received 25,226.

Returns for attorney general from 1,112 precincts out of 3,119 in the state give Hilton 64,575; Davis, 36,114; Gislason, 17,916, and Haugh, 3,924.

Returns for lieutenant governor from 709 precincts increased Frankson's lead. The lieutenant governor received 39,666; Helweg got 17,912, and Haggard polled 9,552.

The secretary of state, 652 precincts, gave Schmahl 65,165 and Indrehus 27,425.

Minnesota will send eight Republicans and two Democrats to the national House of Representatives for the next session.

The big feature of the election was the defeat in the Eighth district of Clarence B. Miller of Duluth, Republican, generally regarded as one of the strong men of the House. W. L. Carrs of Proctor, who was filed at the last minute, defeated Miller.

In the First district Sydney Anderson, Republican, was elected without opposition. In the Second, Franklin F. Ellsworth defeated his Democratic opponent by an overwhelming majority. In the Third, Charles R. Davis, Republican, was returned, although he was pushed hard.

In the Fourth district Carl C. Van Dyke, Democrat, was returned by a large vote.

In the Fifth district Walter H. Newton, Republican, was elected over W. C. Robertson, Democrat.

In the Sixth, Harold Knutson of St. Cloud was re-elected by a smashing majority.

Andrew J. Volstead, Republican, defeated his National opponent, E. E. Lobeck, by a large vote in the Seventh district.

In the Ninth district Halvor Steenerson, Republican, was re-elected by a heavy majority, as was Thomas D. Schall, Republican, in the Tenth district.

With the drys leading by approximately 1,000 votes on the prohibition amendment to the state constitution in one-third of the precincts in the state, the fate of the amendment will remain in doubt for several days.

In 998 precincts out of the 3,119, the vote stands—yes, 72,735; no, 71,905.

Mexican Minister Resigns.

Mexico City, Nov. 7.—General Candido Aguilar has resigned as Mexican minister of foreign affairs, according to an official announcement made, and will resume his post as governor of the province of Vera Cruz.

War Board Disciplines Firm.

Washington, Nov. 7. — Reorganization of the Machinery & Metals Sales company and its subsidiaries as a result of an investigation into methods by which the company obtained licenses for the export of caustic soda was announced by the War Trade board. In the reorganization of the concern, the announcement said, G. T. Biard, the president, who was accused of making misrepresentations to the board to secure licenses, and all persons connected with the transactions eliminated from the company.

REVOLT SPREADS; EMPEROR FLEES

Prince Max Ends Chancellorship by Inducting Socialist Leader to Place.

HERR EBERT, REGENT

Wilhelm's Regretful Withdrawal From Power Is Followed by That of Other Kingly Potentates—Crown Prince Is Also Out.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The turning of events in Germany within the past 48 hours has moved with dramatic swiftness. Following on the heels of Bavaria's declaration of a republic and the revolutionary uprisings among workmen and soldiers at Kiel, Hamburg and other important centers, the announcement of the kaiser's abdication of the throne reached here from official sources late Saturday afternoon. Accompanying this came word of the imperial crown prince's renunciation of his rights of succession. The Duke of Brunswick, also, who is a son-in-law of the kaiser, renounced his dukedom. Later the official retirement of King Lundwig III of Bavaria was announced, thus bringing a close to the Wittelsbach dynasty at Munich.

Withdrawal of the Emperor.

London dispatches assert that Emperor William signed a letter of abdication Saturday morning in the presence of the crown prince and Field Marshal Hindenburg. The crown prince's renunciation followed soon afterward. The news of the kaiser's abdication was received with general approval in Germany, tempered by the fear that it had come too late to preserve order for the distressed country.

The emperor is said to have received a note from Philipp Scheidemann, socialist leader, and then signed his abdication with a shiver, saying, "It may be for the good of Germany."

Fled to Holland.

A later report received here states that the kaiser arrived Sunday morning at Maestricht, Holland, and was proceeding to Middachten castle in the town of Desteeg, near Utrecht. This information was received by the American army general staff.

Ebert Appointed Chancellor.

Friederich Ebert, Socialist party leader, has been appointed chancellor and has undertaken the difficult job of restoring order in the country already torn with revolutionary movements of the most radical kind. He has issued a proclamation saying that he plans to form a people's government which will endeavor to bring about a speedy peace.

A train filled with soldiers has been sent out from Bremen for the purpose of persuading other towns to join the revolution, says a dispatch from the Danish frontier.

War Ministry in Ebert's Hands.

It is officially announced from Berlin that the war ministry has placed itself at the disposal of Herr Ebert, whose appointment as imperial chancellor was announced by Prince Max.

Virtually all the North sea coast and parts of the Baltic littoral are now in the hands of the revolutionists.

Armistice Report Delayed.

Meantime the German courier entrusted with the task of returning to Spa with armistice conditions from behind the allied lines was having most serious difficulty because of the German barrage fire at the point where he essayed to enter within the German lines. A Sunday dispatch states that he arrived at the German grand headquarters at 10 that morning, only 25 hours in advance of the hour that a reply is expected to be in Marshal Foch's hands. At 3:50 p. m. Sunday it was said the armistice conditions had not yet reached Berlin.

Prince Max Issues Decree

Announcing the emperor's abdication, Prince Maximilian issued the following decree:

"The kaiser and king has decided to renounce the throne. The imperial chancellor will remain in office until the questions connected with the abdication and the setting up of a regency have been settled. For the regency he intends to appoint Ebert as imperial chancellor and he proposes that a bill shall be brought in for the establishment of a law providing for the immediate promulgation of general suffrage and for a constitutional German national assembly that will settle finally the future form of government of the German nation and of those peoples which might be desirous of coming within the empire."

News Bureau Taken Over.

The Wolff bureau, the semi-official news agency of Germany, announces in a dispatch from Berlin that it has been taken over by the soldiers' and workmen's council.

Leipzig, Cologne, Frankfort Out.

Leipzig, the largest city in Saxony; Stuttgart, the capital of Wurtemburg, and Cologne and Frankfort have joined the revolution, according to reports from the Danish frontier. The frontier is being strictly guarded by the German soldiers' council. This is being done, it is stated, in order to prevent the escape of rich people, generals and other high officials. All national cockades and the eagle on the helmets of soldiers have been removed, being replaced by a red band. The wearing of the Iron cross has been strictly prohibited.

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Clansmen.

A Slovak butcher, working at some German headquarters in the St. Mihiel salient and blissfully unconscious of impending doom, had breezed into Thiaucourt, where there was the equivalent of a depot quartermaster, to buy him some supplies, when he found himself gazing on three Yankee sharpshooters.

"I was mighty scared at first," he said, "but they had no sooner spoken than I found they were Slovaks, too. You must have all nationalities in your army. Well, they gave me an orange, they gave me a piece of chocolate, they gave me a cigarette, and here I am." -Paris Stars and Stripes.

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The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolisalve is applied. It heals quickly without scars. 25c and 50c by all druggists. For free sample write The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Adv.

The New Suit.

The country boy had come to visit his city friends, and before leaving home his mother had spent much time on his wardrobe, but he soon saw that things were not quite right.

At a small party given in his honor he remained firmly fixed in a corner. At last his hostess, thinking to make him feel more at ease, said: "How nice you look, William; who made your suit?" From the depths came the reply: "Mother, blame it!"

There are times when the loveliest spot on earth looks suspiciously like an ace.

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[illegible] Soldiers Will Then Need More the Entertainment and Diversion Supplied by These Bodies —More Must Be Given.

When he gets through fighting, let's [illegible] what we think of what he [illegible]. Don't let anyone tell you [illegible] work of these seven organizations will be over when the war is [illegible]. [illegible] when their greatest [illegible].

[illegible]

[illegible] "university" [illegible] one thing. [illegible] to make [illegible] leisure—to fit [illegible] bigger things when [illegible] life for better [illegible] to learn is [illegible]. Text books, lec[illegible] must be pro[illegible] prepare for ad[illegible] they return. The [illegible] educators are in [illegible] ready for this work.

[illegible] don't forget that we all [illegible] owe the integrity of our [illegible] your fighter and the boys [illegible]. We sent them away with a [illegible] are going to welcome them [illegible]. And we are going [illegible] them just as carefully [illegible] way back as we looked after [illegible] all the way over.

[illegible] peace comes, the hardest [illegible] seven organizations will [illegible]. The [illegible] we must give.

—Do Your Part—

[illegible] "Y" MEN NEEDED AT ONCE IN FRANCE

[illegible] Will Be Required More Than Ever When Fighting Ceases.

With our brothers and sons overseas [illegible] begging for more Y. M. C. A. secretaries that the service of the "Y" may be extended into out-of-[illegible] places, and with the earnest [illegible] of the Czecho-Slovaks and [illegible] for more "Y" men and still [illegible], the need of new recruits in "Y" [illegible] has become imperative.

[illegible] thousand more men are needed [illegible] in France alone," declared [illegible], head of the re[illegible] service of the Army Y. M. C. A. [illegible]

[illegible] fighting ceases, the American [illegible] will need "Y" secretaries [illegible] to prevent the undoing of the good work that has helped produce the [illegible] morale of our army, and to aid in the reconstruction work [illegible].

[illegible] Czecho-Slovaks look upon the "Y" secretary [illegible]. In short, [illegible] their ideal and his influence [illegible] in the community where he is located. He has [illegible] friendship and con[illegible] of all factions. For this reason, it is thought that the American Y. M. C. A. secretaries will undoubtedly have a great deal to do with [illegible] of the future agricultural, [illegible] and economic [illegible] of the country.

[illegible] responsibility rests upon [illegible] that they may not be found wanting in response to the simple trust which is placed in them by these over[illegible] whose sanity and poise [illegible]."

—Do Your Part—

CAMPAIGN MUST SUCCEED

[illegible] Task Before American People, Says Mortimer Schiff.

Mortimer L. Schiff, Chairman Finance Committee, Jewish Welfare Board, Member Executive Committee, United War Work Campaign, says: "[illegible] of hostilities in Europe will [illegible] the sudden cessation of war [illegible] work. Our soldiers and sailors [illegible] from three to six thousand [illegible] from their own people, and it will take more than 12 months to get them back home again. This [illegible] when the grim duties of [illegible] are suspended and restraints [illegible] relaxed, will present [illegible] for our work. There is [illegible] task before the American [illegible] now more important than that of whole-heartedly putting the United War Work Campaign over the top."

GIVE LIKE THEY ARE GIVING

Following is the Appeal of a Returned K. of C. Man, Who Knows the Needs of Our Boys in France.

"Do what needs to be done November 11 to 18, when the United War Work drive is pulled off, like an American soldier! It's the finest simile I know," said a returned K. of C. man who spent a year with the boys "over there."

"Walk up to do your share for them, with your head high, your step firm and a cheerful smile on your lips—as our boys march into the hell of flame in France!

"Then give as they give on the battle-field—without a thought of self, gladly, whole-heartedly, gloriously!

"The more generous we are now, the more joyous will be their home-coming after peace is declared," said this returned welfare worker. "These boys of ours will probably be needed overseas for at least two or three years. And God only knows how vital is the need that this saving welfare service be extended during that period. It means health, sanity, all that is wholesome in their lives.

"Stay with them with your wholehearted support until they come walking down the gang-plank.

"And thank God you've got a chance to do something concrete for them!"

—Do Your Part—

HEARTY ENDORSEMENTS OF FOUR LEADING JEWS

Give Full Approval to United War Work Campaign for Funds to Help American Soldiers.

Following are endorsements of four leading Jews, prominent in public affairs of the United States, who give their full approval to the United War Work Campaign for funds with which to bring the touch of home to American soldiers:

Louis Marshall: "The union of all these organizations in making a joint appeal to the American people for the funds necessary to carry on their essential activities, is the most inspiring demonstration of a homogeneous people that the world has ever witnessed. It will not only result in securing the means for effective work, but every dollar contributed will help every man who is fighting under our flag for the entire American people."

Dr. K. Kohler, president of Hebrew Union College, Cincinnati, Ohio: "It seems as if out of this cruel warfare a new spirit of humanity is evolving. Here is our great opportunity to manifest the broad humanitarian spirit of Judaism; let us not miss it! Let the Jewish Welfare Board lead in this great campaign!"

Henry Morgenthau: "American boys of every race and religious belief are fighting shoulder to shoulder in trench and field, and war workers representing every faith are working together behind the lines to give the boys home comfort and good cheer and spiritual guidance. Support of the United War Work Campaign is support for our own."

Abram I. Elkus: "Military experts I have talked with attribute the indomitable spirit of our troops largely to the efforts of the seven great organizations which co-operate for the morale and happiness of the fighters. They are as important as the big guns and airplanes. Every dollar given to the United War Work Campaign is a dollar invested in morale. Let us all stand behind the war workers behind the men behind the guns!"

—Do Your Part—

A READING ARMY IN FRANCE

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"I found your books everywhere, from the seaport bases to the front line trenches," so Raymond B. Fosdick, Chairman of the Commission on Training Camp Activities, reported to the authorities of the American Library Association on his recent return from France. "I found them in dugouts thirty or forty feet below ground, in cowbarns where shrapnel had blown parts of the roof away, as well as in substantial huts and tents far back from the firing line. I found them also in hospitals and dressing stations; in scattered villages in the training area where our men are billeted, and even in remote parts of France where our forestry units are carrying on their lonely but essential work.

"And they were all well worn books that I saw, showing signs of constant usage. Indeed, the books are in continual demand, and I am sure that it will be a reading army that we shall welcome home from France when the war is done."

The continued service of this organization is one of the purposes of the United War Work Campaign.

—Do Your Part—

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GIVE and you'll GET!
The BIBLE says that
Reformers PREACH it
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The youngsters have DISCOVERED it
YOU know it by experience
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If you would RECEIVE, you must
GIVE
The UNITED War Work Campaign
Gives you YOUR chance
It may be your LAST
To PROVE your LOYALTY
To the BOY who is NOW in France
When he GETS HOME, he will say
I THANK YOU!

Martin Tenbelm shipped cattle to the markets Tuesday.

We seem to get warings right along to get ready for winter.

Mrs. P. H. Klebne is rapidly recovering under the care of Dr. Paulson.

Dr. Turley will be in Holt next Friday Nov. 22nd, to do dental work.

Mrs. Albert Halvorson and baby returned to their home at Hillsboro Wednesday.

James M. Peterson will have an auction sale near Golden Valley, Saturday Nov. 23rd.

Miss Betty and Mabel Johnson went to T. R. Falls Monday returning home Tuesday.

Dr. Biedermann was called to the Oscar Bottom home Tuesday where several of them are sick.

Arnold Rux and Hardy Bjerk went to east of Strathcona Monday to hunt moose a few days.

Elmer Hagglund came home Monday for a few days rest as he had been sick with influenza.

B. J. Bakke went to Crookston Saturday on business and returned home Wednesday about sick.

Mrs. Leonard Johnson of T. R. Falls came Tuesday to visit her mother Mrs. Furr and family.

Wait for C. G. Mugg to test your eyes Nov. 27 and forenoon of the 28th at Central Hotel in Holt.

Mrs. Docken and Mrs. Halvorson visited their sister Mrs. Robert Spinks at Middle River Monday.

Mrs. Hjalmer Peterson went to T. R. Falls one day this week to take care of her sister Mrs. Knauf who is sick.

Miss Minnie and Bertha Sorum came Monday from N. Dak. where they have been working in a cook car for some time.

Despite the fact there is mourning in so many homes,— this years Thanksgiving Day, will be a most Glorious Thanksgiving.

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

We must give to the United War Work just the same as it will be a long time perhaps, 2 years, before all the soldiers return home.

For Sale or Trade

160 tons of hay for sale at once at Mud Lake. Will take some spring rye for a few tons. If you want hay let us know at once.

C. J. Dale
Star Route, Holt Minn.

List of Patrons of Holt Drawing $40 and Over for Month of Aug.

C. L. Heinze	93.72
L. Wegge	86.28
J. Knutson	79.54
C. Surmo	77.84
Ed. Horien	77.67
P. Sorter	76.66
Fosholm	70.22
Ed. Warner	69.37
L. Halsyht	69.02
Jefferson	68.04
Erick Johnson	67.83
Ole J. Lunke	67.50
T. O. Devre	67.30
Sever Nohre	66.71
J. Fairman	62.66
M. J. Lunke	65.99
J. Swan	65.30
H. Knutson	62.47
W. Wegge	60.59
T. Elefson	60.32
A. C. Jahr	59.72
Swan Carlson	59.35
Olaus Rodahl	59.14
J. Megnuson	56.68
M. S. Sampson	56.13
Nels Gudyangen	55.92
M. O. Halvorson	54.47
Fred Peterson	54.48
Edw. Erickson	54.04
Mrs. Halfdan. Hanson	52.23
Willie Steinhauer	51.11
Skogland Bros.	49.75
Mrs. C. L. Anderson	48.77
Tom Severson	48.34
H. Heinze	47.42
C. E. Smith	43.41
Hoffman	48.17
A. Knutson	43.14
Evenson	43.04
Sorum	42.89
Rux	42.12
O. Saastad	41.82
P. P. Reierson	41.69
J. Udstrand	41.75
A. Mevig	41.03

It is'nt right not to help the soldier
Who was willing to give his life
To Protect Your Family
From the same Outrages
Of the Suffering Women
of Beligum and France

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Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on

Friday, Nov. 22, 1918

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Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
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AUCTION!

On account of poor health the undersigned will sell at Public Auction on his farm in section 31, Town of Eckvol, 2 miles east and 2 miles south of Golden Valley and 1-2 mile east of Blue Grove, on

SATURDAY NOV. 23

Sale commences at 1 o'clock, sharp

Horses	Machinery, Etc.
Gray mare 10 years old, wt. 1300	14 in. new Mammoth sulky plow
Red mare 10 years old, wt. 1100	5 foot McCormick mower
Black mare 10 years old, wt. 1100	11 foot hay rake
Black mare 5 years old, wt. 1100	3 section drag, new
Bay Hamilton mare 10 yrs wt 1200	Wagon Buggy New bob-sled
3 Yearling colts in good condition	25 bushel Potatoes and some Hay

TERMS: On amounts of $10.00 and over, time will be given to Nov. 1st, 1919, on bankable notes bearing ten per cent interest. All amounts under $10.00 are payable in Cash.

John M. Pederson
Owner

Clarence Larson, Auctioneer
Holt State Bank, Clerk

Many soldiers donated their all.

Creamery Statement

Business done by Holt Creamery for month of Aug. 1918.

Cream received	26,548 lbs.
Butterfat	7,978 lbs
Overrun	1,946 lbs
Butter made	9,924 lbs.
Price paid	50 cents
Receipts for butter sold	$4,504.62
Bal last month	240.81
Total	$4,745.43
Paid Patrons by check, supplies, etc.	$3989.30
Expense fund	231.90
Sinking fund	58.02
Balance	466.21
Total	$4,745.43

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota.
State Auditor's Office,
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 5, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 23rd 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first, without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

No lands will be sold to an alien, unless he has secured his first papers.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Dr. Turley will pull your teeth on Nov. 22.

John M. Pederson's auction Nov. 23, near Golden Valley.

It seems as tho' the weather for some time has been favorable for the spread of the influenza.

Art Brotten, of Moose Jaw, Canada, came Saturday to visit his uncle R. Reierson and family.

H. P. Oien of Shelly visited at the home of his son, H. J. Oien and family, between trains Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Bjerk of Strathcona came Monday to be here at the time of her brother Rhinehart Reierson's funeral.

Miss Amanda [illegible] came Wednesday from Crookston to care for her folks who are all sick except her father.

C. G. Mugg, the Grand Forks eye man, will be in Holt the afternoon of Nov. 28 and the forenoon of Nov. 29th.

The new cases reported sick Wednesday with influenza were Mrs. Mikkelson and daughter Stella and Hardy Bjerk.

T. H. Folden received word Monday that their son Bergman was sick with the influenza at Angus where he had been working.

Any one having any garments ready for the Red Cross will please bring them to this office soon as they should be sent to Warren at once.

All business places in Holt will be closed Thanksgiving Day in order that the day may be fittingly observed in honor of the victorious close of the war.

The hotel has been closed, temporarily, on account of the "Flu". The lunch room and butcher shop both have been closed for the same reason.

Sam Reierson, who has been working in the southern part of the state a few weeks, was called home Monday by the news of his brothers death.

Miss Agnes Bakke spent several days the past week at Middle River with her sister, Mrs. Spinks, who has been numbered with the sick people of that place.

Dr. Mellby was a professional visitor Monday afternoon and evening at the homes of J. M. Jahr, Alfred Sollom, Andrew Arnevick, Albert Bennes, B. Docken, Ludwig Monson and the Central Hotel.

School did not commence Monday as expected on account of several new cases of sickness in town. Misses Peterson and Newton came Saturday but returned to their homes Monday as it was decided not to commence school again until after Thanksgiving.

Many soldiers donated their all.

Death of Rhinehart Reierson

R. Reierson received a telegram Friday evening containing the sad news of the death of their son, Rhinehart which occurred at 8 o' clock Friday morning Nov. 15th at the age of 22 years and one day, in the hospital at Camp Oglethorpe.

He had previously undergone an operation for appendicitis and apparently was recovering when attacked by pneumonia which caused his death. The news came as a great shock to the family and friends and the mother is prostrated with grief.

We join the many friends in extending heartfelt sympathy to the family and other relatives at this time of their great sorrow.

The remains were shipped from Camp Oglethorpe Monday and are expected to arrive in Holt to day, when the funeral arrangements will be made.

Rhinehart Reierson was born on the old farm near Holt and always lived here until called into the service of his country, only a short time ago.

He leaves to mourn his death, the aged parents, four sisters, a half sister, an adopted sister, one brother and other relatives and numerous friends.

RED CROSS NOTES.

The Bingbo Red Cross Auxiliary.

Since last report the following work has been sent in:

One sweater each, Mrs. Sorter and Miss Mabel Knutson, six pairs of sock Mrs. Engen, three pair Mrs. Sorter, one pair Mrs. Johnson, ten property bags made by Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. Bean and Miss Esther Movick.

Christmas letters with donations have been sent to the following boys over seas: Richard Swenson, Julius Erickson, Ole Saastad, Eli Saastad, Eddie Davidson, Albert Larson.

The Bingbo Red Cross Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. M. Larson Thanksgiving Day. All welcome.

Olaf Johnson went to Warren yesterday for medical treatment.

Miss Netta Roseland returned home Wednesday from Dakota.

Theodore Sollom has been clerking in Carlson's store this week.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jahr, Monday Nov. 18.

Miss Albertina Nyberg came home Tuesday from Grand Forks for a visit with her folks.

We understand time of mailing Christmas boxes to the soldiers overseas has been extended to Nov. 30th.

Jesse Sorum went to So. St. Paul Tuesday with a car of cattle for Olaf Johnson and returned Saturday sick with the influenza.

Albert Bennes and Ole Backlund were both taken sick last Friday with the influenza, but both are much better this week.

Joe Nelson has so far recovered from his recent sickness as to be able to commence work in Gumheim's store again this week.

Miss Selma Dovre came home last Friday from Hillsboro where she has been working for some time and is at present taking care of Mrs. Docken.

E. R. L. Rudman received a car of lumber this week, for a house and barn which he will build on his farm near Holt.—Later: Mr. Rudman has traded his farm for a larger one near Fertile and has sold his lumber to C. H. Gumheim, who will build a large barn on his farm southeast of Holt.

Proclamation

In order that Thanksgiving Day may be observed in a way fitting to the victorious close of the great world war for humanity's sake, it is hereby ordered that all business places within the village of Holt shall close and remain closed all day on Nov. 28th, 1918, which is hereby proclaimed "a Day of Thanksgiving and Praise," in this village.

P. A. Riesberg, Mayor.

Death of Mrs. Arnevick

Mrs. Andrew Arnevick died yesterday morning at her home near Holt, after a long siege of sickness from a complication of diseases.

The funeral will be held at the home at 11 o'clock Saturday with a short service at the Holt cemetery.

We join the friends in extending sincere sympathy to the stricken husband children and other relatives.

Obituary

Carl Engebretsen was born in Norway July 26th 1876, and died at his home near Holt, Minn., Nov. 12th aged 42 years, 3 months and 16 days.

Mr. Engebretsen's parents emigrated to America with their family in the spring of 1883, before Carl was 7 years old, and lived [illegible] about a year and a half. In the autumn of 1884 the family moved to Marshall County, Minnesota, where Carl grew to manhood on the [illegible] near Holt.

He was united in marriage with Miss Lena Finn of [illegible], Sept. 9th, 1910. Four children, one boy and 3 girls, were born to this union, the eldest being 7 years old and the youngest only 3 months old, all of whom remain to mourn the death of a loving and devoted husband and father. The aged mother, two brothers and three sisters and other relatives and friends also mourn his death, to all of whom sincere sympathy is extended in their hour of sorrow.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Kilen at the home and at Holt cemetery on Friday afternoon and was attended by relatives and friends of the deceased.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends for their aid during the sickness and the sympathy given us at the time of the death of our beloved husband father and brother.

Mrs. Carl Engebretsen and children.
Nils Engebretsen and family.

C. G. MUGG, O. S.
OF GRAND FORKS, N. D.
FITS GLASSES
HE WILL BE AT
Holt Nov. 28 and forenoon Nov. 29.

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg.
Office Phone 297 Call 1. Residence 297 Call 2

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

John M. Pederson's sale to-morrow, near Golden Valley.

Cordwood Rates Down

After two months of conference with the Federal railway authorities, the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission is in position to announce a decided reduction in freight rates on cordwood. The new rates will place wood in direct competition with coal and other fuels as soon as the Fuel Administrator has fixed a price on the former commodity.

The new rates substantially are on a parity with those originally ordered by the Minnesota Commission and are from 20 to 40 per cent below the prevailing scale. A distinct benefit to the public in the new tariff is a rule providing that the rate will apply equally over a single line or two or more lines of railroad, the only basis being continuous mileage.

Having been successful in obtaining from the Federal authorities a radical reduction in lignite rates from North Dakota to Minnesota points and now a substantial reduction in cordwood, thus enabling fuel dealers to obtain ample stores of both classes of fuel at a moderate expense, the Minnesota railroad commissioners believe that the fuel situation in the Northwest will be generally satisfactory even though the coal supply should prove to be deficient.

FOR SALE!

A matched team of colts, mare and gelding, coming three years old next spring.

Lars Chenil, Holt.

Take Notice

As all business places will be closed for Thanksgiving, cream will be taken in at the Holt creamery on the next day, Friday Nov. 29th.

W. A. Lindahl, Buttermaker.

For Sale or Trade

160 tons of hay for sale at once at Mud Lake. Will take some spring rye for a few tons. If you want hay let us know at once.

C. J. Dale
Star Route, Holt Minn.

Estray Notice!

A milch cow and three spring calves came to my place Oct. 18th. The owner is hereby notified to come at once and prove property, pay all expenses of keeping and for this notice and take their stock away.

Ole Christenson,
Sec. 2, Town of East Valley.

Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 78
Residence: Dr. Mellby 107 Dr. Paulson 96

To The Public!

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K. E. CARL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
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All work guaranteed satisfactory

Edw. Nelson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.83
Oats	68
Barley	70 to .78
Rye	1.54
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

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Holt News

After the Grip What?

Did it leave you weak, low in spirits and vitality? Influenza is a catarrhal disease, and after you recover from the acute stage much of the catarrh is left. This and your weakness invite further attacks.

The Tonic Needed is Peruna.

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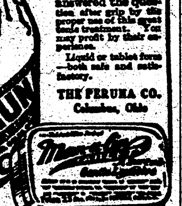

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Unkind.

Ella—My face is my fortune.

Stella—Somebody shortchanged you.—Chicago Daily News.

Even the strenuous poet has his idyl moments.

HOW TO FIGHT SPANISH INFLUENZA

By DR. L. W. BOWERS.

Avoid crowds, coughs and cowards, but fear neither germs nor Germans! Keep the system in good order, take plenty of exercise in the fresh air and practice cleanliness. Remember a clean mouth, a clean skin, and clean bowels are a protecting armour against disease. To keep the liver and bowels regular and to carry away the poisons within, it is best to take a vegetable pill every other day, made up of May-apple, aloes, jalap, and sugar-coated, to be had at most drug stores, known as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. If there is a sudden onset of what appears like a hard cold, one should go to bed, wrap warm, take a hot mustard foot-bath and drink copiously of hot lemonade. If pain develops in head or back, ask the druggist for Anuric (anti-uric) tablets. These will flush the bladder and kidneys and carry off poisonous germs. To control the pains and aches take one Anuric tablet every two hours, with frequent drinks of lemonade. The pneumonia appears in a most treacherous way, when the influenza victim is apparently recovering and anxious to leave his bed. In recovering from a bad attack of influenza or pneumonia the system should be built up with a good herbal tonic, such as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, made without alcohol from the roots and barks of American forest trees, or his Irontic (iron tonic) tablets, which can be obtained at most drug stores, or send 10c. to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial package.

WORLD'S EVENTS IN SHORT FORM

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European War News

A London dispatch says the allies' high command has sent to the German high command by French wireless a message that there can be no modification of the conditions of the armistice, including the annexes, at this time. It is added that a supplementary period of 24 hours for the evacuation of Belgium, Luxemburg and Alsace-Lorraine has been added to the 14 days stipulated in the original text, so as to permit the text to reach German headquarters at the desired time.

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The German command has asked the French government at Paris by wireless to request the population of Alsace-Lorraine to remain calm during the German retirement.

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It was stated at the Paris war office that no further official statements detailing events on the battle front will be issued. From time to time, however, there may be official reports regarding troop movements.

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A Paris dispatch says Holland has consented to carry on the work of repatriating allied prisoners of war now held in Germany.

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A Melbourne special says the latest figures on Australia's casualties show that the dead number 54,890 and the wounded 158,190. The significance of these figures will be realized when it is remembered that the whole population of Australia is only about 5,000,000.

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German guard vessels in the mine fields of the great belt and the little belt have left their stations. The crews forced the officers to leave the vessels and then hoisted the red flag, according to a Copenhagen dispatch.

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The correspondent of the London Morning Post in Berne reports that Roumania has declared war against Germany. Thousands of Germans are reported fleeing into Hungary from Roumania.

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Canada's casualties in the war up to eleven days before the capture of Mons on the final morning of the conflict totaled 211,358 men, it was announced at Ottawa. These are classified as follows: Killed in action, 34,877; died of wounds or disease, 15,457; wounded, 152,779; presumed dead, missing in action and known prisoners of war, 8,245.

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French general headquarters will be transferred to Metz within ten days, was the general belief expressed at Paris.

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Foreign

An Amsterdam dispatch says the German training ship Schlesien has been torpedoed by revolutionary warships, according to the Weser Zeitung of Berlin.

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A London dispatch says representatives of the bolshevist government are reported to have been expelled from Holland and diplomatic relations broken off, following the discovery that a revolution was brewing.

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Albert Ballin, general director of the Hamburg-American Steamship company, died suddenly Saturday, according to an announcement made in Berlin.

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The Vienna state council (the recently formed Austrian government) proclaimed a "republic of Germanic Austria" to be a part of the German republic.

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The abdication of Emperor Charles of Austria is officially announced at Vienna. A republic was proclaimed at Berlin on Saturday according to advices received from Munich.

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The crews of the German battleships Posen, Ostfriesland, Nassau and Oldenburg have joined the revolutionary movement, according to a dispatch from Brunsbuttel, Prussian Holstein. The four battleships named are among the largest in the German navy. The Posen and the Nassau are sister ships of 18,600 tons each, while the Ostfriesland and Oldenburg measure 22,400 tons each.

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The Rhenish Westphalian Zeitung of Essen announces that Eutin, the capital of the principality of Luebeck, is in the hands of the soldiers' council. Many persons, both civilians and military, have been shot.

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Both the former German emperor and his eldest son, Frederick William, crossed the Dutch frontier Sunday morning, according to advices from The Hague.

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Strikes and riots have broken out at Copenhagen.

Fresh fighting broke out in Berlin, according to messages received at Copenhagen from the German capital. Royalist officers opened fire from the royal stables and attacked the revolutionaries with machine guns on the Unter den Linden. Several persons were killed. Telegrams found in the palace of the former German crown prince, according to a Berlin telegram to the National Tidentde, show that it had been planned to send loyal troops from the front to Berlin in an attempt to crush the revolution.

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William Hohenzollern, former German emperor, arrived Sunday at Count Bentinck's chateau of Middachten at Velp, near Arnhem, according to a dispatch to the London Daily Express dated Sunday at Velp, Holland.

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Announcement of Germany's capitulation resulted in general rejoicing throughout the Japanese empire. In Tokyo, American Ambassador Morris addressed a mass meeting, while in Yokohama there were fireworks and parades. Premier Hara issued a statement in which he paid special tribute to the American people, "whose unselfish and well-timed intervention, so brilliantly performed, must have convinced the enemy that the struggle was hopeless."

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Washington

Government financial needs for many years are almost certain to run about $4,000,000,000 annually, Washington treasury experts estimate, and most of the money will be raised by taxation. Consequently students of government finances think the taxes imposed last year and paid in June probably will not be lightened materially by the advent of peace.

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Regulations requiring householders and bakers to purchase 20 per cent of substitutes with each purchase of wheat flour were withdrawn by the food administration at Washington, effective immediately. Sugar allowances for households and eating places were raised from three to four pounds for each person.

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The navy department at Washington issued an order discontinuing until further notice all Sunday work in navy and other shore stations of the navy. The order becomes effective at once.

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How many of Uncle Sam's boys have fallen in the fighting in France? The list is not complete; casualty lists are understood to be several weeks behind. The best record to date is the summary by the committee on public information at Washington. It showed the total overseas casualties to be 68,451 as follows: Killed in action, 12,128; died of wounds, 4,719; died of disease, 4,739; died of accidents, etc., 1,423; wounded in action, 38,768; missing and prisoners, 6,874. This list embraces the casualties since America entered the war in the spring of 1917.

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Secretary Daniels announced at Washington that no immediate step would be taken toward demobilizing any part of the naval forces of the United States. It was hinted at the navy department that the United States, the world's richest nation and the least sufferer from the war of all the great powers, might be called upon to do the greatest share of navy work for enforcement of armistice terms.

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Germany has requested President Wilson, according to a wireless message from Berlin, to arrange immediately for the opening of peace negotiations, there being a pressing danger of famine. The message was sent by Foreign Secretary Solf to Secretary of State Lansing.

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Treasury advisers at Washington recommended to Secretary McAdoo that war risk insurance rates on hulls, cargoes and seamen's lives be reduced 75 per cent.

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The Belgian legation in an official statement announced that Belgium will no longer submit to a status of "guaranteed neutrality" like that which existed before the war. It aspires to "complete independence; to the rights common to all free peoples."

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Domestic

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed two warehouses of the Chicago & Alton railroad at East St. Louis, Ill. Officials of the railroad estimated the damage at $100,000.

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The steamer Vauban, which docked at New York Wednesday, was the first steamship to enter New York harbor since the removal of the ban by the navy department on revealing the arrival and departure of vessels.

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All persons known to have been on board the Saetia, sunk off the Maryland coast, have been saved. Additional survivors landed at Cape May brought the number to 85, accounting for everybody on the ship's lists.

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Two British liners arrived at an Atlantic port Saturday from England with passengers and mails after passing through the German submarine zone unescorted for the first time in more than three years.

Four men are known to have been killed in an explosion at the Western Powder company's plant at Edwards, Ill. They were Kech Schrader and John Stewart, both employed in the powder department; Charles Franks night watchman, and Henry Goodwin night engineer.

WILSON TO BE AT PEACE MEETING

President Leaves for France Immediately After Opening of Congress.

SETS TWO PRECEDENTS

Attendance of President First Instance of Such Action by Executive—First President to Leave North America.

Washington, Nov. 19.—President Wilson will attend the opening sessions of the peace conference. This has been announced officially. He will go immediately after the convening of the regular session of congress Dec. 2.

This official statement was issued at the White House:

"The president expects to sail for France immediately after the opening of the regular session of congress, for the purpose of taking part in the discussion and settlement of the main features of the treaty of peace. It is not likely that it will be possible for him to remain throughout the sessions of the formal peace conference, but his presense at the outset is necessary in order obviate the manifest disadvantages of discussion by cable in determining the greater outlines of the final treaty about which he must necessarily be consulted. He will, of course, be accompanied by delegates who will sit as the representatives of the United States throughout the conference.

"The names of the delegates will be presently announced."

To Establish Two Precedents.

In visiting Europe the president will establish two precedents. He will be the first chief executive of the United States to participate in a peace conference for the settling of issues growing out of a war in which this country participated, and likewise he will be the first president to leave North America during his term of office.

ENORMOUS ALLIED WAR DEBT

Figures Now Available on Obligations Incurred to May 1.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The direct cost of the war for all belligerent nations to last May 1 was reported at about $175,000,000,000 by the federal reserve board bulletin, just issued, and it is estimated that the cost will amount to nearly $200,000,000,000 before the end of this year. These calculations were compiled by the board from various sources, and while their accuracy is not vouched for, the board believes the figures are substantially correct.

For purely military and naval purposes it is estimated all belligerents had spent about $132,000,000,000 to May 1, or about three fourths of the total war cost. The balance represented interest on debt, and other indirect war expenses.

Cost Largely Raised by Loans.

About $150,000,000,000 of the total war cost has been raised by war loans. The public debt of the principal entente allies is calculated at approximately $105,000,000,000 or more than twice as much as the aggregate debt of the central powers, set at $45,000,000,000. This does not take into consideration debt incurred since last May.

The enormous size of the war costs and debt is illustrated by comparison with the ante-war debt of the seven principal belligerents, which did not exceed $25,000,000,000. The cost of supporting this debt was only about $1,000,000,000 a year. Hereafter the annual burden to pay interest and sinking fund allowances will be not less than $10,000,000,000 and probably much more.

U. S. Troops in England First Home.

London, Nov. 11.—The first American troops to depart homeward as a result of the signing of the armistice will be 18,000 men stationed in England. The American army expects to start the first shipload of these soldiers homeward within a week and to have all the men on their way back to the United States ten days later. The plans for clearing England of American troops are incomplete, but it is desired to remove these men immediately as some shipping is available for this purpose. Most of the men are helping the British force.

Government to Take Cable Lines.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Government control and operation of all ocean cable lines owned in America under Postmaster General Burleson is ordered by President Wilson in a proclamation dated Nov. 2, which has just been made public through publication in the government's official bulletin.

Congress Adjourns Thursday.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Adjournment of the present session of congress Thursday was arranged today by Democratic and Republican leaders of the senate and house. This will enable members to secure travel mileage allowances and also will prevent the present session, which began last Dec. 3, from merging with the third and final session of this, the 65th congress, which will open Dec. 2. The senate financial committee will remain in session for work on the revenue bill.

YANKS HONORED; ADVANCE GUARD

Allies Led by American Forces in Occupational Advance Early Sunday A. M.

FOCH TO ENTER METZ

Demobilization Plans Being Rapidly Advanced—Gompers Warns Against Wage Decrease—English Elections Coming On.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The events incident to the closing of the world war continue to move with speed—military, political and industrial conditions all being immediately and visibly influenced by the oncoming tide of peace which, to use a paraphrase, appears to have its crises "no less renowed than war."

Honors for American Army.

Not as a crisis, however, but as a matter of momentous interest, is the fact that yesterday, Sunday, November 15, there was begun by the American first army under General Pershing the first movement towards the allied occupation of Alsace-Lorraine. At 5:30 a. m. the great movement began, and the plans call for an advance of 12 miles each day. Announcement has been made that Marshal Foch is to enter into Metz in solemn state, the event marking, in a way that will be ever remembered in France, the termination of Germany's long grasp upon soil that by all ties of kinship and association is purely French. In assigning to Americans the honor of being first on guard of this recovered ground, the Marshal has paid to General Pershing and his men a subtle compliment that is no less certain because expressed in deed and not by word. The honor bestowed will be a lasting memento of France's gratitude to the United States and will insure, in return, a long continued friendship between the two peoples.

U. S. Demobilization Plans.

In this country the news of most interest is that of America's demobilization plans, the tremendous importance of which lies in the bearing it will have upon the effort to restore normal industrial conditions throughout the states. In a statement made Saturday, General March, the American chief of staff, outlined the war department's plans and said that orders already issued will send 200,000 men back to civil life within about two weeks, and that when the program is in full swing about 30,000 would quit the army daily. Fighting divisions of General Pershing's army in France would be demobilized as fast as possible, the chief of staff said, but he would make no predictions as to when the first divisions would start home.

No Wage Decrease, Says Labor Head.

From Laredo, Texas, comes a premonition of one of the factors that must be reckoned with in the efforts to readjust the industrial situation in the United States following the war. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in the closing of the pan-American labor conference there served formal warning that no general reduction of wages nor increase in working hours would be accepted without a bitter fight by organized labor.

Statement an Answer to W. H. Barr.

He issued a statement, inspired by recent public utterances of William H. Barr, president of the National Founders' association, that a reduction of wages and longer hours would be the only means to enable American manufacturers to continue to cope with foreign industry after the war. "Notice is given here and now," Mr. Gompers said, "that the American people will not be forced back by either Barr, his associates, or all the Bourbons in the United States."

British Elections Coming On.

One of the crises of returning peace is to be seen in the tense interest surrounding the general election campaign just opening in England, in which Lloyd George and other leaders of the coalition ministry appeared before their constituents Saturday with statements showing a full realization of the grave and vital problems before them. At a meeting in Central hall, Westminster, presided over by the premier, Mr. George said the new parliament would be the most important ever elected in the history of the country.

War Revealed Defects, Says George.

"The war has revealed the defects of the old system and we will be wise to take note of and remedy them," he said. "We cannot return to the old conditions. If parliament rises to the level of its great opportunities then the empire and the throne will be firmly established on the only solid basis—that of a contented and happy people."

Tense Crisis in Holland.

A most acute crisis has been precipitated in Holland by the activity of socialists under the leadership of Pieter J. Troestra, who with utter frankness denies both the power and the right of the "government" to longer control, and asserts that the "historic moment" has arrived for Dutch Socialists to emulate the example of their German brethren and take the reins of authority into their own hands. Troestra denied that either the police or the soldiers would be loyal to those now in power.

THAT CHANGE IN WOMAN'S LIFE

Mrs. Godden Tells How It May be Passed in Safety and Comfort.

Fremont, O.—"I was passing through the critical period of life, being forty-six years of age and had all the symptoms incident to that change—heat flashes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proved to be. I feel better and stronger in every way since taking it, and the annoying symptoms have disappeared."—Mrs. M. Godden, 925 Napoleon St., Fremont, Ohio.

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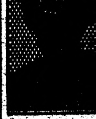

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Standing on a bench and raising his hand, he exclaimed: "Please, teacher, can I run and fetch father? He makes coffins." The peal of laughter which greeted this unconscious humor roused the teacher from her short trance, and nobody enjoyed the youngster's saying more than she did when the circumstances were explained to her afterward.

The Healthiest Way.

A company commander received an order from battalion headquarters to send in a return giving the number of dead Huns in front of his sector of the trench. He sent in the number as 2,001. H. Q. rang up and asked how he arrived at this unusual figure.

"Well," he replied, "I'm certain about the one, because I counted him myself. He's hanging on the wire just in front of me. I estimated the 2,000. I worked it out all by myself in my own head that it was healthier to estimate 'em than to walk about in No Man's Land and count 'em."

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1 Ton of Beef Value $400.00 Profit $5.00 or 1¼%
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Why Compare Beef and Coal Profits?

Swift & Company has frequently stated that its profit on beef averages only one-fourth of a cent a pound, and hence has practically no effect on the price.

Comparison has been made by the Federal Trade Commission of this profit with the profit on coal, and it has pointed out that anthracite coal operators are content with a profit of 25 cents a ton, whereas the beef profit of one-fourth of a cent a pound means a profit of $5.00 a ton.

The comparison does *not* point out that anthracite coal at the seaboard is worth at wholesale about $7.00 a ton, whereas a ton of beef of fair quality is worth about $400.00 wholesale.

To carry the comparison further, the 25 cent profit on coal is 3½ per cent of the $7.00 value.

The $5.00 profit on beef is only 1¼ per cent of the $400.00 value.

The profit has little effect on price in either case, but has less effect on the price of beef than on the price of coal.

Coal may be stored in the open air indefinitely; beef must be kept in expensive coolers because it is highly perishable and must be refrigerated.

Coal is handled by the carload or ton; beef is delivered to retailers by the pound or hundred weight.

Methods of handling are vastly different. Coal is handled in open cars; beef *must* be shipped in refrigerator cars at an even temperature.

Fairness to the public, fairness to Swift & Company, fairness to the packing industry, demands that these indisputable facts be considered. It is impossible to disprove Swift & Company's statement, that its profits on beef are so small as to have practically no effect on prices.

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The Idea.

"How are the charges from war balloons fired?"

"I suppose from the parachutes."

His Advantage.

"What on earth can a host do with a man who uses such choppy talk?"

"He can use him to break the ice."

Had to Give Up Work

Mr. McMurray Was In a Bad Way Until He Used Doan's—They Brought a Quick Cure.

P. E. McMurray, 48 W. Hickory St., Chicago Heights, Ill., says: "I was always a strong man until I was taken with kidney trouble. I worked many years as a blacksmith and this work brought the trouble on. When I stooped over there was a grinding pain in my back and I couldn't straighten up for four or five minutes. Sometimes it took me half an hour to put on my shoes. I got so bad, I had to lay off work for days at a time. Often I would have to get up a dozen times at night to pass the kidney secretions, and they burned like fire. My feet swelled, and at times they burned so that it seemed I was standing on a hot stove. I had spells of gasping for breath and dizzy spells, too, and my health failed rapidly. I was told that my working days were over, but *Doan's Kidney Pills* were brought to my attention and before I had used one box, I began to feel relieved. I kept on and by the time I had used ten boxes, I was absolutely cured. All pains left my back and other symptoms of kidney trouble disappeared and I felt as well and strong as ever."

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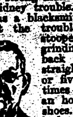

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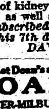

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United States war bill is about $1,000,000,000 a month.

NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings in Minnesota Given in Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Plainview.—The emergency hospital opened here because of the influenza epidemic has been closed. There have been 34 deaths.

St. Paul.—After continuing for eight days the influenza ban here has been lifted and all schools, churches and theaters are again open.

Crookston. — George Guleransen, a Minneapolis traveling man, dropped dead in a local hotel of heart failure, and the body was sent to Minneapolis.

Eveleth.—Carl Johnson, of Parkville, died in a hospital here of injuries sustained several weeks ago in an auto accident on the Eveleth road. He leaves a wife and three children.

Red Wing.—The Red Wing Malting Company has been sold to the Fleischmann Malting Company, of Chicago, which will soon begin the manufacturing of yeast and other malt products.

Brainerd.—The annual meeting of the Northern Minnesota Development Association, called to be held at Grand Rapids Nov. 20 and 21, has been postponed indefinitely because of the influenza epidemic.

Rochester.—Peace celebrations here resulted in the death of George Hoffman, an architect. While doing street traffic duty as a member of the Motor Corps he was run down and killed instantly by a motor truck.

St. Paul.—Dr. R. M. Gardner, state health official, has been appointed to take charge of all hospital relief work for influenza sufferers in the Iron Range district, in hospitals supplementary to those already established.

Biwabik.—An Iron Range ore train struck and killed Sever Severson, a teamster, 37 years of age, near the station at Pettit. Severson had been at McKinley and was walking back to Pettit on the railroad track and did not notice the oncoming train.

Cloquet.—William Kelly, 73 years of age, one of Cloquet's pioneer citizens, died after a short illness. He moved to Cloquet in the early '80s and had since that time been one of the town's most prominent citizens. He was mayor of Cloquet several times.

Stillwater.—Two prisoners being taken to the state prison here escaped near the prison from the officer in charge, and are still at large, though handcuffed together. The names of the men, the officer and the county from which the pair were sent are withheld.

St. Paul.—In answer to a telegram from Secretary of War Baker, requesting officials to continue their fight against vice during the time required to demobilize the army, Governor Burnquist has assured the department that there will be no relaxation of efforts on the part of health officials in Minnesota.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has announced the appointment of Mathias Baldwin to a place on the Minneapolis municipal court bench. Mr. Baldwin, who was defeated for the municipal bench in the general election, will fill the vacancy created by the election of Judge W. W. Bardwell to the district court. Mr. Baldwin was first assistant county attorney under James Robertson.

Faribault.—Announcement is made that Shattuck school will be closed for an indefinite period. Strict quarantine measures have prevented an epidemic of the influenza up to this time. Numbers of cases have appeared among Faribault residents, and yesterday the school was closed to prevent the spread of the disease. All cadets living within 200 miles of the school have been permitted to go home.

St. Paul.—Edward Lees, a Winona attorney, has been appointed by the state supreme court a commissioner to succeed Homer B. Dibell, recently named associate justice, to fill a vacancy caused by the death of Judge George L. Bunn, St. Paul. Commissioner Lees is a member of the Winona law firm of Weber & Lees. Although a Democrat, he has held no political offices, but has served on the state board of law examiners. The appointment is for a six-year term at a salary of $7,000 a year, the same as that paid supreme court justices.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has announced the appointment of state department heads and board members. They were all reappointed with the exception of C. G. Schulz, former state superintendent of education. The Governor had already announced the appointment of J. M. McConnell of Mankato to this position. The five department heads reappointed are C. Lewis Weeks, insurance commissioner; James Sorenson, dairy and food commissioner and chief oil inspector; W. A. Wittbecker, state hotel inspector; Elias J. Lien, state librarian, and W. F. Rhinow, adjutant general. James P. Gardiner was reappointed state labor commissioner for a four-year term. James T. Hale was reappointed state tax commissioner for a six-year term.

St. Paul.—C. G. Schulz, for 10 years state superintendent of education, will not be reappointed at the expiration of his term in January, Governor J. A. A. Burnquist has announced. The new superintendent will be J. M. McConnell, now professor of history and sociology in the state normal school at Mankato.

St. Paul.—War department orders for the removal of the army air mechanics school at Midway to Kelly field, Texas, have been suspended pending a hearing from representatives of the Twin Cities for the retention of the big school.

MRS. LEILA SANBORN

Bemidji Woman Active in the United War Work Campaign.

Mrs. Leila Stanton Sanborn, daughter of Judge C. W. Stanton, of Bemidji, who has been active in the United War Work campaign in Minnesota, is now at Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, with her husband, Dr. C. R. Sanborn, of the medical corps, who is ill at that camp.

Virginia.—More than 250 big game hunting licenses were issued here up till Saturday.

Winona.—An effigy of the former kaiser, which was thrown into the Mississippi river by the Elks during the victory celebration, was seen going down the river at La Crosse this week. The effigy is in a real coffin.

Spooner.—The flour mill of the Collins-Miller Milling Company is about ready for operation, the grinding and cleaning machinery being all installed. Several thousands of bushels of wheat have already been delivered.

Crookston.—Congressman and Mrs. Halvor Steenerson have left for Washington, where Mr. Steenerson expects to resume his congressional duties. Mr. and Mrs. Steenerson had been enjoying the fall at their Crookston home.

Duluth.—Charles L. Rakowsky, a Duluth real estate operator, pleaded guilty to grand larceny in the first degree when arraigned in district court, charged with appropriating illegally $1,900. He was given an indefinite sentence in the state penitentiary.

Hibbing.—The annual Hibbing chrysanthemum show will be held at the greenhouses this month. Conrad Wolf, superintendent of parks, reports that the varieties and number of "mums" this year is as great as last year. As is the custom they will be distributed to the hospitals.

Stillwater. — Stillwater merchants have voted to return to a modified free delivery, following a month's experience with a ten-cent charge for delivery. Under the new arrangement, free delivery will be provided for purchases amounting to $1 or more; under that amount the ten-cent charge will stand.

Winona.—T. M. Biddlecombe, formerly a member of the faculty of a Minneapolis high school, has been appointed the Y. M. C. A. educational secretary in Ireland, according to information received by Rev. G. S. Keller, rector of St. Paul's church in Winona. Mr. Biddlecombe went to France last spring with the expeditionary forces.

Duluth.—Hunting or killing of deer and moose during the open hunting season from November 10 to November 30, within 76 towns in the burned districts of St. Louis, Carlton, Pine and Aitkin counties have been prohibited except to the actual residents of the towns named, according to word received from H. W. Libby, secretary of the Minnesota Public Safety Commission.

Mankato.—Dr. C. A. A. Joshlyn, former local physician, has been taken to Stillwater penitentiary to serve an indeterminate term, not to exceed five years. Dr. Joshlyn was sentenced several months ago. Later he was paroled to a farm near Sleepy Eye and failing to keep his parole there was taken back to the poor farm here, where he remained several months. At the poor farm, however, the prisoner seemed unable to observe the rules of his parole and it was decided to enforce the sentence hanging over him.

Redby.—The fishery maintained by the state of Minnesota here on Red Lake has just closed a very successful season. The last few days of work by S. N. Selvog, in charge of the fisheries, and his assistants, has been devoted to taking whitefish eggs for the state hatchery in St. Paul and about 3,000,000 were secured. The season at the fishery has been a great success, many tons of fish being taken from the lake and shipped to all parts of the state to combat the high price of foods, the fish being sold at actual cost. The first season of taking fish in this manner from Red Lake has proved such a success it is expected the state fish department will continue it next year.

Bemidji.—Local employment agencies have been closed and hereafter, until the order is rescinded, all labor hired through an employment agency in Bemidji must go through the war industrial board agency, of which board Charles Dailey is the Bemidji representative.

Bemidji.—The fourth annual exhibit of the Bemidji poultry, potato and corn show, scheduled for this weeek, has been postponed on account of the "flu" until Dec. 5, 6 and 7, when it will be held in connection with the annual meeting of the South Beltrami County Farm bureau.

Prosperity.

"Jiblay's fortunes seem to be on the mend."

"So they are. If Mrs. Jiblay holds her job at a munition plant another month I wouldn't be at all surprised to see Jiblay take on a tailor."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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In noble hearts the feeling of gratitude has all the ardor of a passion.—Poincelot.

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When you're fifty, your body begins to creak a little at the hinges. Motion is more slow and deliberate. "Not so young as I used to be" is a frequent and unwelcome thought. Certain bodily functions upon which good health and good spirits so much depend, are impaired. The weak spot is generally the bladder. Unpleasant symptoms show themselves. Painful and annoying complications in other organs arise. This is particularly true with elderly people. If you only know how, this trouble can be obviated.

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Each capsule contains about one dose of five drops. Take them just like you would any pill, with a small swallow of water. They soak into the system and throw off the poisons which are making you old before your time. They will quickly relieve those stiffened joints, that backache, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gall stones, gravel, "brick dust," etc. They are an effective remedy for all diseases of the bladder, kidney, liver, stomach and allied organs.

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Maybe you have an acid-stomach—and don't know it! There are millions of such people—weak, ailing, tired, worn out and "all in" before the day is half gone—listless and indifferent to their surroundings—often with aches and pains all over the body—woefully lacking in physical power and mental vigor—pale, emaciated—just dragging out a weary existence. Nine out of every ten of these people are unconscious victims of acid-stomach.

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EATONIC is in pleasant-tasting tablet form—just like a bit of candy. We urge you—no matter what you have tried—take Eatonic just one week and find out for yourself how wonderfully improved you will feel. See how quickly EATONIC banishes the immediate effects of acid-stomach — bloat, heartburn, belching, food-repeating, sour, gassy stomach, indigestion, etc. See too, how quickly your general health improves—how much more you relish your food—how much more easily it is digested—how soundly you sleep—how nervousness and irritability disappear. And all simply because by taking EATONIC you have rid your stomach of a lot of excess acid that has been holding you back and making your life miserable.

EATONIC is absolutely harmless. It can be taken by the most delicate. Tens of thousands of people who have used it are enthusiastic in its praise.

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The thousands of U. S. farmers who have accepted Canada's generous offer to settle on homesteads or buy farm land in her provinces have been well repaid by bountiful crops of wheat and other grains.

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Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it
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NIONS
RANKS

Administration Urges
of This Old Friend.

DUCES THE PATRONION

Has Oversupply of Onions and
usewives Are Asked to Use
Them As War Measure.

onion has joined the ranks of
ilitary. It has become a Minne-
ar measure! Permit us to in-
e the Patronion! Fall in be-
his leader and put the Hun on
n with an on-ion!
Mildred Weigley, home eco-
director for the federal food
istration for Minnesota, is urg-
e housewives of the state to
generous use of this somewhat
ed vegetable friend. Miss Weig-
advice is given for three rea-
nesota just now has more onions
can handle unless rather imme-
se is made of them.
caloric value of onions is high;
ore, they are good food.
ease in their consumption adds
saving of other foods which
shipped to the Allies or must
pped to us.
ere are more onions in many
s of the state than can be
through the winter," says Miss
ey. "With our present food situa-
e cannot afford to let one ounce
d go to waste if there is a pos-
way of using it. Three to four
n onions or one-third cup of
ed onions will give as much
alue as two small baking pow-
iscuits or two slices of Victory
or two tablespoons of sugar.
may be prepared in many at-
ve ways. Here are some of the
ies of onion dishes:
alloped Onions with Cheese.
boiled onions in quarters. Put
buttered baking dish and cover
white sauce. Sprinkle top with
cheese, cover with bread
s and bake in oven until crumbs
browned.
Stuffed Onions I.
ve skins from onions and par-
0 minutes in boiling salted water
ver. Remove part of centers.
vities with a mixture of left-over
and onion and bread crumbs. Sea-
with salt and pepper and moisten
cream. Bake in a moderate oven
onions are soft.
Stuffed Onions II.
t large onions and remove a por-
of the inside. Put in a sauce pan,
with boiling water and let boil
inutes. Drain and stuff with left-
meat, which has been ground.
onion in pan on thin, narrow
s of fat salt pork. Pour around
up meat or chicken stock or one
milk and bake until onions are
This takes about 35 minutes.
ve onions to serving dish, thick-
nd season stock and pour over
s.
Glazed Onions.
l small onions and cook in boil-
water 15 minutes. Drain, put in
ed baking dish, add highly sea-
d stock to cover bottom of dish
tablespoons corn syrup. Bake
soft, basting with stock in pan.
ublic Eating Places Warned.
blic eating places are warned by
Wilson, federal food adminis-
r for Minnesota, that they must
ly with the new war program for
eating places as issued by the
d States food administration, or
what may become very serious
equences.
is warning is issued on the basis
vestigations by food administra-
inspectors which show that many
urants and hotels are not com-
g with the regulations in spite of
fact that the general orders is-
from Washington have been pub-
d in the newspapers and have
sent directly to all public eat-
places in the state.
Wilson believes that most of the
gers of hotels and restaurants
other public eating places are
to co-operate. He says, how-
that if such places do not co-
ate, the food administration will
compelled to use drastic methods.
Take Care of Animals.
e need of careful feeding and
fortable housing of animals and
try is urged upon farmers by the
administration. More than a mil-
tons of foodstuffs, to be shipped
seas, must comprise meat, fat and
ry products. The farm is the
ce of American food and the wise
of animal feeds which produces
imum results from the feed con-
ed is the basis for this food.
milk and poultry products all
be saved in large quantities this
Scarcity of feeding stuffs of all
ds has become so great in Great
tain that the Board of Agriculture
couraging road-side grazing. The
er side of the question is met by
employment of children,
the scant supply of milk is
This is due to the fact that
and grass land has been
for vegetable and cereal pro-
Present conditions in Amer-
where land is more abundant, em-
size the need of maintaining not
stock but also an abundant
of coarse grains and forage.
hundred and twenty million Al-
and 105,000,000 Americans must
fed. The starving of other nations
are looking to Americans for food.
will add millions to these mil-

Food

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

CORN.

What American crop is most valuable measured by its food value and production per acre?

Corn. One acre of corn gives nearly 150 pounds of digestible protein and more than 3,000,000 units of energy.

Why did we not send much corn to the Allies at first?

Partly because they lacked the facilities to handle it, and partly because they were unfamiliar with it and unready to take a strange foodstuff.

Are we shipping much corn now?

As much as possible.

Is it true that corn meal does not keep well?

It does not keep as well as wheat.

Why do the Allies take corn now?

Because they have been educated to the use of corn.

What has this education accomplished?

In 18 months they have learned to use more corn products than we have learned to use in years.

In what form is corn shipped?

In the grain, as flour, and as meal.

How much is used by the Allies in their breadstuffs?

From 25 per cent to 40 per cent.

Why is corn so important?

Because it is valuable food with food by-products such as corn oil, sugar, and starch; it is a good substitute for wheat, and a splendid feed for live stock.

Is corn as nutritious as wheat?

Yes.

What are the various corn foods?

Corn, corn meal, corn flour, cornstarch, corn syrup, corn oil, hominy, grits, samp.

DEALERS.

Does the Food Administration ask the co-operation of dealers and handlers of foodstuffs?

Yes; every one from producer and middleman to consumer is asked to co-operate.

What have food merchants done?

Representatives of all branches of food merchandising in the country have conferred with the administration and pledged their loyal support.

How is the problem of distribution dealt with?

By conference and by licensing.

What is accomplished by conference?

The members of a trade agree on fair prices and practices; they agree to make short stocks go as far as possible, and to keep supply steady and prices even.

What are the six trades that are called upon to bear the brunt of food saving?

Grocers, butchers, bakers, hotel and restaurant men, dealers in confectionery and ice cream, flour millers.

How have these classes helped in food conservation?

1. Grocers have limited sales and urged use of substitutes.
2. Butchers have limited sales and have meatless days.
3. Bakers have had profits kept down to pre-war basis. They have been cut in fancy breads, pastries, etc., and they are making Victory products. The prices of the ingredients of bread have risen 150 per cent, but price of bread less than 60 per cent.
4. Hotel men have helped to observe wheatless, meatless, and porkless days and have conserved in every way.
5. Confectioners were cut down to 50 per cent of their normal amount of sugar, since raised to 80 per cent.
6. Flour millers have done away with all gradings and done away with "fancy" flours. They all mill on the same basis.

What methods of economy have been successfully practiced in these businesses?

The "cash-and-carry" plan; standardizing prices and profits; eliminating waste; eliminating duplication of service; shortening store hours.

How can the housewife help the merchant in other ways?

By patronizing stores which display the merchants' pledge, by reporting unreasonable charges to her county or state Federal Food Administrator, who will take action under the law.

What is the merchant's pledge?

"We pledge ourselves to give our customers the benefit of fair and moderate prices, selling at no more than a reasonable profit above cost to us."

How to Save on Two Pounds of Sugar a Month.

Seven Ways for Daily Sugar Saving:

1. Use fresh fruits without sugar.
2. Cook dried fruits without additional sugar; they already contain sugar.
3. Can more fruit without sugar; put up fewer jams and jellies.
4. Use less sugar in tea and coffee; you will soon learn to like it better.
5. Avoid such sugar luxuries as candy, cakes, chewing gum, sweet drinks and sodas.
6. Use honey, maple sugar and syrups and other sweeteners when available.
7. Cut out all desserts or other dishes that require much sugar.

SUGAR RATION IS INCREASED

The Food Administration Adds Another Pound to Monthly Supply Per Capita.

NEW HOTEL REGULATIONS

Owners and Patrons of Public Eating Places Are Given New Rules for Sugar Service.

The food administration has made good on its promise to add to the sugar allowance for home consumption as soon as supplies warranted an increase. With the advent of November came an order from Herbert Hoover authorizing the increasing of the monthly per capita allowance from two to three pounds. At the same time the hotels, clubs, restaurants and other public eating places have had their supply increased from two to three pounds per every ninety meals, giving this class of consumers the relative increase accorded the householder.

The new regulation means the changing of the hotel rules concerning the serving of sugar. A. D. Wilson, federal food administrator for Minnesota, and Walter A. Pocock, chairman of hotels and restaurants for the food administration in Minnesota, have issued the following rules:

Sugar will not be served unless patron requests it.

To aid in interpreting a teaspoon of sugar, according to the three-pound ration, we suggest that 60 teaspoons to the pound will be considered a reasonable amount.

Sixty teaspoons to one pound—three pounds per every ninety meals—equals one hundred eighty teaspoons per ninety meals or six teaspoons of sugar per day per person.

Six level teaspoons for three meals equals one and one-half ounces.

Two teaspoons per meal equals one-half ounce, the allowance.

One teaspoon of sugar for a cup of tea or coffee.

One teaspoon of sugar for cereals.

One teaspoon of sugar for grapefruit.

Discourage the use of sugar on sweet fruits.

Do not serve sugar with sliced bananas or oranges. (Most places discontinuing the service of these fruits sliced.)

Cut down sugar in pies, pastries, puddings, etc., to one-half the amount usually used, or less.

Do not serve sugar with cocoa or chocolate.

Do not serve sugar for sliced tomatoes or for baked apples, pies, pastries, puddings and other prepared sweet dishes, that already have had sugar added to them in their preparation.

Concerning this latest order Mr. Pocock says:

"The new regulations are made up of the better parts of two previous bulletins issued here, including the new regulations. The order is still in effect that the sugar bowls and large containers must be kept off the table and lunch counter, nor may they be brought to the table or lunch counter. Officials of the United States food administration say that Minnesota hotels, restaurants and clubs have made the best record in the country on handling the sugar bowl proposition. This reputation we must maintain. The food administration has allowed the public eating places a ration of three pounds of sugar per every ninety meals—this allowance, which is effective at once, to cover sugar used in cooking and otherwise. The above rules, which are being issued throughout the state to hotels, restaurants, clubs and boarding houses, may seem in kindergarten form, but experience has taught us that we cannot be too explicit in the explanations of and suggestions for the carrying out of these orders."

Peace and the Food Problem.

The coming of peace will bring no relaxation in the food saving campaign for Americans. Peace will mean added responsibilities. Bear this in mind. Instead of 120,000,000 of the Allies and the additional population of our own country to be fed, America, on that day, must send food to another group of 180,000,000 victims of German treachery—the people of Poland, Roumania, Serbia, Armenia, European Russia and elsewhere. They will come to our doors, this starving horde, and they must not be denied. Ours will not be the role of the Good Samaritan, stopping by the roadside to give succor to the robbed and injured—we will be asked to share with those who have fought our battles for us. The division should be share and share alike.

No Turkey Raffles.

The federal food administration says "no turkey raffles this year." Just how general this one-time general practice in Minnesota is today is not known, but two reasons enter into the decision of the food administration to oppose any "shooting match, game of chance or contest of skill that might put into the hands of persons any quantity of foodstuffs for which they have no actual need." One reason is the need of the saving of every ounce of food this year, and its division with those who are hungry, and the other is the scarcity of turkeys. There is a national shortage of the holiday bird this year.

Arnold Boernstein is on the sick list.

Mrs. Docken and Mrs. Bennes are on the sick list.

Charley Schwartz is the proud owner of a Kissel car.

The Holt Merc Co. have put a new heating plant in their store.

The doctors and the drug stores are having their harvest now it seems.

Peter Ostlund came home Tuesday from Camp Grant on a short furlough.

Miss Lydia Bjerk has been on the sick list for several days but is getting better.

Miss Lilly Rustad and brother Victor returned home Tuesday from Moorhead.

It seems rather queer to close the schools and allow pool halls to remain open, but we understand they do that in Middle River.

Miss Effie Christenson went to Greenbush Tuesday to help her sister Mrs. Huseth, care for their baby who is very sick at present.

Mrs. T. Sollom and daughter Gunhild went to Middle River Monday to see Bertil Sollom who was sick but was getting along as well as could be expected.

Mrs. T. B. Folden went to T. R. Falls Monday to take their little son Johnny to a doctor there. The little boys case was one of a tumor in the side of the stomach.

Dr. Gambell was called last Thursday to see the Ole Lee family where several were sick but are now better. The doctor was also called the same day to Miss Helen Hanson who is very sick.

The best medical authority states that whiskey or alcohol in any form is the worst possible thing that can be given to influenza patients. Tea, pasteurized milk and lemonade are good beverages, but alcoholic drinks, it is stated, will only make the patient more subject to the disease, according to Dr. Hill, of the Minnesota Public Health Association.

The current story that alcoholic drinks are administered in excessive amounts in army cantonments and hospitals as a remedy, is false and the source is probably due to the activity of German propagandists.—Ex.

War Savings Stamps

Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without YOUR HELP or that Germany will let you keep your money if she Wins. Buy a Stamp

For Sale!

Buff Wyandotte cockerls for sale at $1.50 each.

Mrs. E. A. Erickson
R. 1. Holt, Minn.

For Sale Cheap.

Twelve room hotel doing a good business. Address Sam Mickelson
Holt Minn.

Notice

Lost—Two colts, one black gelding 2 years old, and one bay mare 1 year old. If found please notify
Bennie Vigen
Germantown, Minn.

Notice!

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Holt Dray and Livery
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Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

City Meat Market
Fresh and cured Meats
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Highest Market Prices
Paid for
Pork, Beef, Poultry
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SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED AT THIS OFFICE

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale, by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named, is authorised to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Rudolph J. Jensen and Inez O. Jensen, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the state of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated January 27th 1916, and recorded in the office of of the register of deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of January, 1916, at eight o'clock A. M., in book 76 of mortgages, on page 579.

That the amount claimed to be due, and which is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of $69.19.

That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are as follows: The East Half of the Northwest Quarter and the West Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section Four in Township One Hundred fifty five North of Range Forty one West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 4th day of January, 1919, at ten o'clock A. M. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes, if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the sum of $25.00 attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, subject to redemption within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated Nov. 18th, 1918.

HOLT STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota,
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 5, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 27th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those State lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale. Interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at the time up to the hour of sale or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption, "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land; provided, however, that state lands purchased previous to 1905 are not charged against such purchaser.

No lands will be sold to an alien, unless he has secured his first papers.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY
Eat Less — Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

School will commence Monday.

Do your holiday trading in Holt.

Mrs. Jacob Nelson is on the sick list.

Paul Olson was on the sick list the first of the week.

H. M. Olson returned home Tuesday from Milton, N. D.

Second Number The Holt Lecture Course on Friday evening Dec. 6th.

Ole Backlund and Albert Bennes are able to be at work again.

All of the sick people at the Central Hotel are now recovering.

Ida Hagglund went to Grand Forks Tuesday to visit relatives.

P. O. Reierson visited over Sunday with relatives in Thief River River.

We are having clear cold weather, which is appreciated after the rainy, cloudy weather of last week.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nelson, Monday night, but its life was spared only a few short hours.

Knute Knutson of Ada and Andrew Thoerson of Rosewood attended the funeral of Rhinehart Reierson, Tuesday.

Chas. Martel of Cedar Rapids, Iowa spent a few days here the past week visiting friends and looking after business.

Mrs. Spinks and little daughter of Middle River came Wednesday to visit at the Docken and Bakke homes a few days.

Dr. Paulson was called Monday to see Mrs. Bennes, Mrs. Christoferson, Mrs. Docken and son Adrian, all of whom are improving.

Olaf Johnson was operated upon at Warren Saturday for the removal of a tumor and at last reports was getting along nicely.

Miss Anna Knutson who has been working at Parkriver N. D. for some time returned home Tuesday. We understand Miss Knutson will commence work today at the Albert Bennes' Confectionery store.

Dr. Gambell was called Wednesday to see the seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bottom. The boy's condition is quite serious.

As stated in last weeks paper. Mrs. T. B. Folden took their seven year old son, Johnny, to Thief River Falls to see the doctors, as the little fellow was suffering from a tumor in the side of the stomach. He was not considered in condition for an operation until this week Monday, when he was put upon the operating table and it was found that the tumor had grown fast to all the nearby organs and it was impossible to remove it. The doctors say the boys condition is very critical and his death may come at almost any time.

Sailor Boy Returns

Dehard Johnson returned home Saturday from New York and surprised his folks as they did not know he was coming. It was while Dehart was on one of his voyages to France that he contracted a sickness which confined him in the hospital five months. Mr. Johnson is fairly well at present and has received an honorable discharge from the navy for physical disability.

Married

Miss Hilda Svenson and Pete Sorter were united in marriage on Saturday Nov. 23rd by Jusice W. O. Braggans at Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Sorter are both well and favorably known and will have the best wishes and congratulations of all their friends in which we too wish to join.

They will make their home on the Sorter homestead where the groom is known as a progressive young farmer and where the bride will do her part as a helpmate and homemaker.

New Agent

Mr. and Mrs. Horn and family of Eldred moved here Saturday and are occuping rooms at Carl Sorenson's.

Mr. Horn entered upon the duties of station agent here Wednesday to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of C. E. Peterson.

Mrs. Huglen of Badger came on Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Lee, northwest of Holt.

Mrs. A. L. Carlson and baby returned home Saturday from an extended visit with her folks on the farm.

Alfred Sollom will soon move his family to Middle River where he has a winter's job of graveling some roads.

Carl Johnson returned Tuesday from their camp where he had been to take home some of the crew who had been sick with the flu.

The nice weather of the past week has enabled the threshers to finish up the odd jobs left over from the regular run of the season.

Martin Lokken arrived here Friday from the Naval Training station at Bremertown, Wash. He was on his way to Newfolden to attend his sister's funeral.

Loyd Adams has finished M. B. Fitch's barn and if the weataer permits will build an addition to the house on the farm occupied by Chas. Hagglund and family.

Mrs. T. B. Folden returned home Wednesday from T. R. Falls and reports their son Johnny is getting along as well as could be expected.

Bergman Folden met his mother in Thief River Falls and returned home with her.

Meat Market Notice!

Meat Market Accounts are now past due
Please call and settle with us
or leave the amount at
Holt State Bank
Postively No Credit
After Dec. 1st, 1918

O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

At Rest

The funeral of Rhinehart Reierson was conducted Tuesday afternoon by Rev. Ordahl and was made as much of a military funeral as was possible under the present restrictions. The casket was covered with the American flag and on that was placed the beautiful flowers furnished by the relatives and friends of the deceased and by the Red Cross. Dehard Johnson, in the uniform of the navy, held the flag at the head of the casket during the ceremony and carried the flag at the head of the procession to the cemetery. The sides of the grave were beautifully trimmed with the colors, flowers and evergreens arranged by the President of the Red Cross Mrs. Fitch and her helpers.

All possible honor was given to one of our home boys who died in the service of his country.

Rhinehart was one who was liked by all, young and old, faithful in his work, enthusiastic in all clean sports and kind and good to his mother which speaks volumes for any young man. He will be missed by all.

Obituary of Mrs. Arnevick

Olga Nelson was born in Norway March 4th. 1875 and died at the family home east of Holt at 3:15 Thursday morning Nov. 21st 1918, aged 43 years 8 months and 17 days.

About 16 years ago she came to America with her brothers and settled in Marshall county, Minnesota.

One year later she was united in marriage with Andrew Arnevick and they have made their home on the homestead since then.

Four children were born to this union, the eldest a son who was 13 years old last August, the eldest girl is 12 years old, and the next about ten years and youngest 2 years old.

Besides the husband and children there remain to mourn her death, her aged parents, five brothers, two sisters, one half sister and other relatives and friends.

The funeral was conducted Saturday afternoon by Rev. Ordahl and interment was made in the Holt cemetery.

Sympathy is extended to the sorrowing family and relatives.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends for their aid and sympathy during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother, also for the beautiful flowers for the funeral.

Andrew Arnevick and family.

School will commence Monday.

Canadian money will have to be discounted three per cent after this week.

Misses Dora Olson and Albertina Nyberg went to Thief River Falls Monday.

A. H. Huseth came down from Greenbush Monday for a short visit at H. J. Oien's.

Dr. Froehlich was called to the Ole Christenson home Saturday, where they have the flu.

New cases of influenza since our last issue:

Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson and children, little Adrian Docken, Mrs. Carl Christoferson, Miss Amanda Mickelson, Sam Reierson and Ben Docken.

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
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Office Phone 297 Call 1. Residence 297 Call 2

RED CROSS NOTES.

East Valley Red Cross Auxilliary has sent in the following work for past two months: 40 pairs socks, 34 towels, 10 property bags, 2 sweaters.

Each 4 pair Socks: Mesdames C. A. Surmo, and J. H. Knutson. 3 pair each: Mesdames O. J. Lunke, O. Rodahl, O. B. Johnson and Miss Julia Lunke. 2 pair each: C. L. Erickson, P. C. Rosand, N. Gudvangen, H. Furr and A. C. Jahr. 1 pair each: Mesdames W. A. Silbaugh, O. Garthus, G. Knutson, J. A. Sorum, Canord Johnson, H. Knutson, C. L. Anderson and the Misses Alice Little, Tillie Knutson and Gladys Surmo.

34 towels donated by the following ladies: Mesdames O. J. Lunke, J. A. Surom, C. A. Surmo, O. Rodahl J. H. Knutson, N. Gudvangen, H. Knutson, Fred Peterson, C. L. Frickson, W. A. Silbaugh, O. B. Johnson O. M. Larson, Ed. Furr, O. Garthus, H. Furr, A. C. Jahr, M. Lunke, T. Severson, C. Knutson, F. Carlson Ed. Erickson, T. Knutson, the Misses Anna Wilson and Tina Bolingber.

Mrs. J. H. Knutson and Miss Anna Wilson made 1 sweater each.

The 10 property bags were made by Mrs. C. A. Surmo and Mrs. J. H. Knutson.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. A. Surom Dec. 11th. All are welcome.

Mrs. J. H. Knutson, President.

J. M. Swan made another shipment of cattle Tuesday.

Miss Lydia Bjerk was able to return to her work Monday in Carlson's store.

L. S. Kolden of Nielsville visited his brother, S. S. Kolden and family Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Melquist and baby returned home Friday from an extended visit with relatives at Erskine.

A stallion and an Altar car were shipped here last week to the bank on a deal for some land.

It seems as tho the mumps is trying to find the people who have'nt had the influenza, so all will have a chance to be sick.

For Sale or Trade

160 tons of hay for sale at once at Mud Lake. Will take some spring rye for a few tons. If you want hay let us know at once.

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SPANISH INFLUENZA

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The cool fighter always wins and so there is no need to become panic-stricken. Avoid fear and crowds. Exercise in the fresh air and practice the three C's: A Clean Mouth, a Clean Skin and Clean Bowels. To carry off the poisons that accumulate within the body and to ward off an attack of the influenza bacillus, take a good liver regulator to move the bowels. Such a one is made up of May-apple, leaves of aloe, root of jalap, and is to be had at any drug store, and called "Pleasant Purgative Pellets."

If a bad cold develops, go to bed, wrap up well, drink freely of hot lemonade and take a hot mustard foot-bath. Have the bedroom warm but well ventilated. Obtain at the nearest drug store "Anuric Tablets" to flush the kidneys and control the pains and aches. Take an "Anuric" tablet every two hours, together with copious drinks of lemonade. If a true case of influenza, the food should be simple, such as broths, milk, buttermilk and ice-cream; but it is important that food be given regularly in order to keep up patient's strength and vitality. After the acute attack has passed, which is generally from three to seven days, the system should be built up by the use of a good iron tonic, such as "Irontic" tablets, to be obtained at some drug stores, or that well known blood-maker and herbal tonic made from roots and barks of forest trees—sold everywhere as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

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Important News Events of the World Summarized

European War News

The historic event accomplished when Marshal Petain, commander in chief of the French armies, made his entry into Metz, the great stronghold of Lorraine and the pivot of Germany's effort to crush France, may be said more than any other happening to consecrate the victory of the allies in this war.

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The American troops shoved their line across the German frontier. The frontier was crossed at points opposite Briey and Audun-le-Roman, and at points between these two places. Farther north the duchy of Luxemourg was entered, says a dispatch from the front.

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Twenty German submarines are berthed in the harbor of Harwich. They were the first unit to surrender in compliance with the armistice treaty. They surrendered on the high seas and were escorted into port by British naval vessels.

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Arrangements have been made for the transportation of 100,000 Italian prisoners of war from Austria and Germany to Italy by way of Switzerland. The first of the special trains, 800 men each, passed Berne Saturday.

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The British mine sweeper Ascot was torpedoed and sunk on November 10 (the day before the armistice was signed) with all aboard, the London admiralty announced. "Six officers and 47 others are missing; there are no survivors," the statement says.

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The house of commons at London was informed that the total number of British soldiers killed on all fronts during the war was 658,665. Of these 37,836 were officers and 620,829 men; 8,082,122 were wounded and 359,145 are "missing."

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A Saloniki dispatch says that over the shell-pitted ground of Gallipoli point (on the Dardanelles) the British landed peacefully at dusk Tuesday night, using as stepping stones the bullet-riddled hulks grounded under fire in 1915. From these vessels thousands went toward the Turkish batteries and death during the ill-fated campaign three years ago.

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British and Russian forces reoccupied the Russian seaport of Baku on the west coast of the Caspian sea, says an official statement by the London war office. The allied forces were given an excellent reception, especially by the poorer classes. The Turks, before evacuating the port, looted it.

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Released French, British and Belgian prisoners by thousands are coming into France in the region of Nancy. Many of them show plainly their long captivity.

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King Albert, Queen Elizabeth and Prince Leopold of Belgium made their official entrance into Ghent. Huge crowds, delirious with enthusiasm, lined the streets.

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Foreign

A Berne dispatch says the bolsheviki have interned Prince Leopold of Bavaria, who commanded Germany's eastern front, and General von Huffmann, Germany's military spokesman at Brest Litovsk.

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Dr. Thomas Masaryk, first president of the newly created republic of Czecho-Slovakia, sailed for Liverpool on the British steamship Carmania. He was accompanied by his daughter Miss Olga.

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The Ukrainian government has been overturned and Kiev has ben captured by troops from Astrakhan, according to Kiev dispatches to Swedish newspapers. The Ukrainian national assembly has fled and a provisional government has been established by the capture of the city where the troops apparently are commanded by General Denikine, leader of the antibolshevist forces.

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An airplane of unidentified nationality bombed Swaolmen castle, near the ex-crown prince's internment place, it is reported from Amsterdam. The castle was badly damaged. There were no casualties.

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An Amsterdam dispatch says the German government is replacing the black, white and red imperial colors with the black, red and yellow of the ancient Roman empire.

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It was stated at the Paris war office that no further official statements detailing events on the battle front will be issued. From time to time, however, there may be official reports regarding troop movements.

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An official of the Austrian court who was sent to the Schoenbrunn palace to get some clothing for the former emperor, according to Austrian newspapers, was refused on the pretext that all crown property had been con-

The Berlin soviet, or soldiers' and workmen's council, at a lively meeting has passed a resolution against the summoning of a constituent assembly, says a dispatch from Copenhagen.

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Allies' and neutral shipping losses in October totaled 93,000 tons, the British admiralty at London announced. The British losses amounted to 84,000 tons.

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Personal

Huntington James of Kankakee, by succession became grand patriarch of the Illinois grand encampment, I. O. O. F., at the annual convention of the order at Springfield, Ill. He succeeds Walter J. North of Chicago, who was elected grand representative.

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John W. Davis was formally nominated by President Wilson at Washington to be American ambassador to Great Britain, and Alexander C. King of Atlanta, Ga., was nominated to succeed Mr. Davis as solicitor general.

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Maj. Gen. William C. Gorgas, former surgeon general of the army, will be returned to the retired list on December 1, the Washington war department announced.

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U.S.—Teutonic War News

Four armies, the French, American, British and Belgian, are on the march to the Rhine. The United States army has been designated as "the army of occupation." It is under the immediate direction of General Pershing, and includes many units of "Rainbow" men, says a Paris official announcement.

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Domestic

Wounded soldiers whose homes were in Indiana, Ohio, Illinois, Missouri and Michigan, returned to this country for further treatment, will be sent to the United States army hospital at West Baden, Ind.

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Members of the staff of the American consulate at Quebec were compelled to leave the consulate office in canoes, owing to a tidal wave which caused damage estimated at $1,000,000 to the lower town.

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J. O. Bentall, former Socialist candidate for governor of Minnesota, who was convicted of disloyalty in federal court in Minneapolis last year, must serve a sentence of 12 months in the Crow Wing county jail. This sentence was affirmed by the United States court of appeals at St. Louis.

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Five persons were killed and three were seriously injured at Canton, O., when a Pennsylvania passenger train struck an automobile carrying nine passengers. The machine was carried nearly a block.

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Washington

Consolidation of the services of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies under government control was announced at Washington by the postmaster general.

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Continued naval expansion by the United States without regard at present for possible decisions of the peace conference, the formation of a league of nations or reduction of armament, was recommended to congress by Secretary Daniels at a private conference with the house naval committee at Washington, which is framing the 1920 naval appropriation bill.

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President Wilson will sail on the Agamemnon, formerly the Kaiser Wilhelm II, of the North German line, when he leaves America to attend the peace conference, it was reported from a reliable New York source.

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Study of Germany's financial situation has been undertaken by government agencies at Washington with a view of throwing light on the ability of the German nation to pay big sums as reparation for devastation of invaded countries. Unofficial reports indicate that Germany's national debt, represented mainly by war bonds held within the empire, is now nearly $35,000,000,000, or almost two-fifths of the estimated national wealth of eighty billions.

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Government agents at Washington see evidences that German propaganda machinery in the United States is being put in working order again to promote a sentiment of leniency toward Germany in peace terms. Consequently department of justice officials warned that the public should remain watchful against resumption of organized propaganda by interests formerly actively pro-German, and for the last year passive.

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Reduction of the enlisted strength of the navy has commenced, Secretary Daniels said at Washington, and applications for discharge by men both in the regular service and in the reserve divisions are being received.

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Senator Cummins of Iowa introduced a resolution at Washington to give to every soldier and sailor the uniform he is wearing at the time of his discharge.

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A Washington dispatch says ships carrying 200,000 tons of food for the populations of northern France, Belgium and Austria are now en route to Europe. They are proceeding under sealed orders to Gibraltar and Bristol channel ports, and on arrival will await word from Food Administrator Hoover as to their final destinations.

CHILE AND PERU ON VERGE OF WAR

Near-by South American Countries at Breaking Point From Unfriendly Acts.

CONSUL IS FORCED OUT

Senor Hosa, Peruvian Consul at Iquiqui, Is Forcibly Deported by Riotous Crowd of Angry Chileans.

Lima, Peru, Nov. 26.—It is officially announced that Peru has withdrawn her consuls from Chile as a result of the renewal of anti-Peruvian rioting in Iquique and Antofagasta.

The Tacna Arica controversy apparently is approaching a critical stage, following the anti-Peruvian demonstrations in Iquiqui Sunday night. The residences of Peruvians and their business houses are reported to have been stoned and looted. The Peruvian club was closed and the Peruvian consul was forcibly placed aboard the Chilean steamer Palena, bound for Callao.

Hostilities Seem Imminent.

The possibilities of war between Peru and Chile was the one topic of discussion yesterday. It is reported the Peruvian government has cancelled all Chilean consular exequaturs here.

Iquiqui dispatches indicate no attempt was made by Chilean authorities to prevent the anti-Peruvian outbreak. Lima is quiet.

Anti-Peruvian Demonstrations.

Buenos Aires, Nov. 26.—A special dispatch to LaRazon from Santiago says:

"The government has received dispatches from Iquiqui confirming the reports that the entire province of Antofagasta is in a state of agitation against the Peruvians. The arrival of two steamers at the port of Antofagasta from Callao with many Chilean families aboard who seek refuge from Lima, caused the report to be spread that they had been expelled from Peru. Crowds immediately organized great demonstrations against the Peruvians and in spite of the efforts of the police, took possession of several commercial houses and Peruvian clubs.

Chilean Crowds Deport Consul.

The Peruvian legation here has received the following dispatch from the Peruvian minister of foreign affairs:

"After the extraordinary outrages at Iquique Saturday, during which the property of several Peruvians was sacked, Chilean crowds on Sunday attacked the Peruvian consul at Iquique, Senor L. Hosa, while he was on his way to the mayor to protest against the riots.

"He was carried by force aboard a small steamer anchored in the port. The authorities and the police consented to the outrage and notified the consul that they would not permit him to disembark."

FOUR BILLION REVENUE LIMIT

Senate Finance Committee Approves Administration Request.

Washington, Nov. 26.—By a strict party vote the senate finance committee has decided to recommend that the yield from the 1920 revenue bill be limited to $4,000,000,000. Ten Democratic members who voted for the amount suggested by Secretary McAdoo were opposed by the seven Republicans.

Before adopting the $4,000,000,000 limit the committees voted down a proposal by Senator Gore of Oklahoma, Democrat, to leave the $6,000,000,000 bill of 1919 unchanged for 1920 and use the $2,000,000,000 surplus for paying outstanding government obligations.

Vail Selected as Wire Head.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Theo. N. Vail, president of the American Telegraph & Telephone company, is to become the personal advisor of Postmaster General Burleson in the organization of telegraph and cable systems under government control. In making the announcement Mr. Burleson said Mr. Vail would prepare for the department's assistance in directing wire control a comprehensive report upon the wire service with a view to the more extended use of the telephone, telegraph and cable during government control.

Grand Jury Probes Mooney Evidence.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 26.—The county grand jury met here tonight to consider the published report bearing the signature of John B. Densmore, federal director general of employment, which charged official fraud in the conviction of Thomas J. Mooney for murder. After having two witnesses appear before it, the county grand jury adjourned until next Friday morning.

His Trouble.

"Count Von Luxburg is going home sick, they say. I wonder what's the matter with him?"

"I guess he is afraid he might meet with an enemy submarine, and is suffering with that sinking feeling."

His Blunder.

"That Bonnet Rouge means 'red hat,' doesn't it?"

"Yes."

"Well, the editor they have been trying must have been talking through

M'ADOO RESIGNS CABINET PLACE

Secretary of Treasury Sees Chance to Withdraw Now Peace Is Assured.

WOULD QUIT JANUARY 1

Business Reasons Assigned for Resignation of Secretary Who Has Been One of Cabinet's Most Active Men During War

Washington, Nov. 23.—William Gibbs McAdoo, secretary of the treasury, director general of railroads, and often discussed as one of the presidential possibilities of 1920, has resigned his offices to return to private business.

President Wilson has accepted his resignation. Mr. McAdoo will give up the treasury portfolio as soon as a successor has been selected. He wished to lay down his work as director general of railroads by January 1, but will remain if the president has not then chosen a successor.

Big Job Ahead of New Secretary.

Upon the new secretary of the treasury, whoever he may be, will devolve the task of financing the nation through the transition period of war to peace, which probably will include at least two more Liberty loans and possibly also a further revision of the system of war taxation.

Letters between President Wilson and Mr. McAdoo, made public yesterday with the announcement of the resignation, gave Mr. McAdoo's reasons for leaving the cabinet solely as a necessity for replenishing his personal fortune, and express the president's deep regret at losing his son-in-law from his official family.

Armistice Paves Way for Change.

The secretary's letter of resignation, written November 14, but which has just been made public, approaches the subject by saying: "Now that an armistice has been declared and peace is assured, I feel at liberty to advise you of my desire to return, as soon as possible, to private life."

KOLCHAK ASKS RUSS HELP

With Co-operation Will Rebuild a Stable Government, Asserts.

Vladivostok, Nov. 23.—The first proclamation of Admiral Alexander Kolchak as dictator and commander of the all Russian army and fleet, is dated at Omsk November 19, and declares the aims of the dictatorship are as follows:

"The creation of a fit army, the conquest of Bolshevism, the organization of right and order so that the people can select the form of government they desire without hindrance and be able to achieve their liberty."

Asks United Action.

The proclamation appeals for united action in the struggle against Bolshevism and continues:

"The all Russian government has gone to pieces. Having decided to bear the burden of the cross, I declare I will not follow the road of reaction, or the road of a party struggle which would lead to oblivion."

Lieutenant General Horvath has issued an appeal to the people to remain quiet during the transition period, assuring that "a single firm authority will bring a return of the former glory of our ruined and exhausted country."

LUXEMBURG CHEERS YANKS

City Pays Enthusiastic Homage to Pershing's Men.

Luxemburg, Nov. 23. — General Pershing entered the city of Luxemburg Thursday afternoon ahead of his troops. The American commander and his staff drove into the capital in automobiles. The general was greeted by thousands of cheering Luxemburgers and with the blowing of sirens and the ringing of church and school bells.

The eighteenth infantry of the first division were the first American troops to enter the city.

The Americans were greeted by thousands of civilians, who lined all the streets through which the troops marched. School children tossed flowers in their pathway, and each soldier was presented with a bouquet of chrysanthemums.

Says Germans Would Kill Ex-Kaiser.

London, Nov. 23.—From a special investigation in western Germany, the correspondent of the Daily Mail at The Hague has ascertained that there is considerable hostility against the former emperor and his eldest son. The correspondent says that after William Hohenzollern entered Holland a thousand German soldiers arrived at the frontier and demanded that they be allowed to pursue and kill him. They were turned back by the Dutch frontier guards.

Vice President May Visit State.

New York, Nov. 23.—Vice President Marshall and James W. Gerard, former ambassador to Germany, have accepted invitations to speak at a series of ten conventions to be held by state branches of the League to Enforce Peace from November 30 to December 13, according to an announcement tonight by the league. The purpose of the conventions is to stimulate favorable sentiment for a league of nations. Conventions will be held in North Dakota and Minnesota early in December.

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A small bottle of "Danderine" keeps hair thick, strong, beautiful.

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Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine for a few cents at any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.—Adv.

The Languages.

"Jones is all broken up over his business worries."

"I thought he looked broken down."

Have a Clear Skin.

Make Cuticura Soap your every-day toilet soap and assist it now and then by touches of Cuticura Ointment to soften, soothe and heal. For free samples address "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

The Usual Process.

"To begin with they fell in love."

"Then what happened?"

"They fell out."

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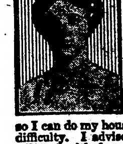
HOW MRS. BOYD AVOIDED AN OPERATION



Canton, Ohio.—"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well.

"My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them."—Mrs. MARIE BOYD, 1421 5th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

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Airplane Equipment.

There are several kinds of airplanes used in the military service and their equipment varies according to whether they are intended chiefly for scouting, for bomb dropping or for gun fighting. On most of the machines of the last named or battleship type, a machine gun is so fitted as to point along the axis of the machine. The pilot, who is alone, directs the nose of his airplane at the enemy and fires across the propeller. Two plans were tried for preventing the propeller from being broken by the bullets. The first consisted of stopping the machine gun whenever the propeller came within the field of fire, but experience showed that frequent stopping of the gun with the propellers making 1,200 revolutions a minute ends in putting the gun out of order. Designers then placed steel plates on those parts of the propellers likely to be struck and these plates turn the bullets that strike the propeller. It is mathematically calculated that only one bullet in 18 is wasted in that way.

Jealous.

He—Doesn't Maude look like a peach tonight?

She—Yes, but she didn't get the bloom evenly distributed.—Boston Transcript.

The great majority of all buildings in Uruguay is constructed of brick with a cement plaster finish.

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a scientific blend of nourishing cereals
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STATE BREVITIES

Rochester.—The influenza epidemic here having subsided public meetings are permissible.

Stillwater—All schools of the city, both public and private, have reopened after being closed for three weeks on account of the influenza.

Bemidji.—J. J. Opsahl is ill at his home in Lavinia. He recently returned from Cloquet, where he had been doing relief work in the fire district.

Bemidji—T. K. King has purchased the Morris hotel property in Bemidji and has opened a restaurant and rooming house to be known as the Kelliber hotel.

Albany.—Albert Besemann, saloon keeper of Albany, who was tried last week in the United States Court at Fergus Falls on the charge of selling liquor to an Indian, was acquitted.

Hibbing.—Weekly shipments from state mines were 97,659 tons, as follows: North Thorton, 1,776; Frantz, 1,530; Philbin, 2,982; Margaret, 450; Shiras, 1,932; Wanless, 3,680; Woodbridge, 817; Majorca, 14,280; Hill Annex, 17,220; Misaba Mountain, 42,912, and Leonidas, 1,080.

Eldred.—The ladies' aid of Eldred will serve dinner and have a sale of fancy articles on Thursday, Nov. 28. Rev. W. E. Dudley of Crookston will deliver an address. The proceeds of the dinner will go toward building a church here, and the proceeds of the sale will be given to the Red Cross.

Fergus Falls.—An indictment charging obstructing Liberty Loan bond sales was returned against George W. Freeks, an Ortonville attorney, by the United States district court grand jury. A plea of not guilty was entered and the case was continued until the spring term by Judge Page Morris.

East Grand Forks.—Patrick V. Murray, 58, died Nov. 15 at his home of a complication of diseases, chief of which was liver trouble of long standing. Mr. Murray was born in Clayton, Ont., and was one of the old settlers in the valley, coming here in 1879, when he settled on a farm near East Grand Forks.

Crookston.—The Northwest School of Agriculture here has purchased four exceptionally fine animals at the different pure-bred Shorthorn sales held in the valley. Among these was the top heifer of Scotch-Top breeding at the Carlson sale and the three Scotch-Top heifers at the Grand Forks sale. Three of these were prize winners at recent shows.

Brainerd.—Governor J. A. A. Burnquist has accepted an invitation from the program committee of the Northern Minnesota Development association to deliver an address at the annual convention to be held at Grand Rapids on Jan. 15 and 16. It is probable he will speak on Jan. 16. The first day will be devoted exclusively to the big potato show.

Winona.—Judge Wilbur F. Booth heard arguments on an application for reduction of bail in the cases of Albert Braden, alias "Little Red," alias "Essey," and his wife, Mabel Braden, who were arrested during the recent "dope" raid in St. Paul. The judge reduced the bail of the woman to $3,000, but refused any reduction in the $20,000 bond required for Braden.

St. Paul.—More than 100 men, under the command of Lieut. Col. H. A. Bellows of Minneapolis, composing the unit of the Fourth Minnesota infantry that has been doing duty in the fire district, have been ordered to return. There have been continued reports of improving conditions in the northern part of the state, which is the reason given for the recalling of the men.

Winona.—William M. Meiners, former president of the University of Southern Minnesota, a preparatory school at Austin, was indicted by the federal grand jury, charged with having used the mails in furtherance of a scheme to defraud. He was arraigned before Judge Wilbur F. Booth and released under bail of $1,500. His case will come up for trial at the May term of court.

Duluth.—Hunting accidents have been less frequent this season than in many years. However, Prosper Altstadt of Meadowlands, near Duluth, while stalking a deer, was stalked and shot and killed by someone who immediately left the neighborhood, taking pains to make no tracks on the way out. Altstadt's wife went to Coleraine to get his body. He was the father of two children.

St. Paul.—Minnesota will observe "Conservation week for war relief" the first week in December, starting with "Conservation Sunday," December 1, when special church services will be held throughout the country, it was announced by A. D. Wilson, federal food administrator for Minnesota. All women are asked to gather for a patriotic program on December 4, "Woman's Organization day," Mr. Wilson said. Housewives will be urged to accept a pledge "to remain mobilized until the Allies and the liberated millions are fed." Exercises bearing upon needs of the world in food at this time will be conducted in all schools of the country, it is planned.

St. Paul.—In the face of Liberty Loan campaigns and numerous other wartime demands for money, deposits in Minnesota state banks in the past year reached the record-breaking total of $296,915,981 and showed also a record increase of $51,755,630. Good crops and increased wages are counted as important factors in the remarkable showing, and the campaigns to promote thrift are credited with results. The figures were made public by F. E. Pearson, state superintendent of banks, from statements of condition of state banks at the close of business October 19.

Pipestone.—The wholesale grocery and fruit house of J. W. Hillard & Co. was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $150,000.

International Falls.—The Koochiching County Poultry show has been postponed indefinitely on account of the influenza epidemic.

Crookston.—The $15,000 refunding bonds of the city of Crookston were sold to the Harris Trust & Savings bank of Chicago for $201 premium.

Pipestone. — Public subscriptions have begun for funds to be used in the erection of a public hall. It is planned to begin the building next spring and to name it "Liberty Hall."

Pipestone.—Clarence Christensen, 4 years old, was killed when he fell to the floor in front of a horse. The animal became frightened and stepped on the boy's head, crushing his skull.

Mankato.—Marvin Smith, 15, indicted by the grand jury on a charge of grand larceny in the second degree for having stolen $12 from a garage, was sentenced to an indeterminate term in the state reformatory at Red Wing by Probate Judge Evan Hughes.

Winona.—Company D of the Fifth Minnesota National Guards has been mustered into the Federal service by Maj. W. E. Perlee of Camp Dodge, Iowa. It is the largest company in the regiment, which is commanded by Col. G. A. Lewis of Mankato. The roster is 136 men.

Little Falls.—N. N. Bergheim, who is in charge in Morrison county of gathering the fund for the fire sufferers, under the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety, says that the county will go over its allotment of $5,000, including the flour, grains, clothing, etc., given.

Mankato.—R. H. Landin, 34, single, a laborer at the Chicago Great Western roundhouse, where a new water tank is being built, was instantly killed when he stepped off of a scaffold and fell thirty-two feet, breaking his neck and crushing his skull. His home was in Chicago.

Brainerd.—Dr. J. A. Evert, who went to New York recently, is in the army service, taking a special course in brain surgery. His release is being sought by the Northern Pacific officials now that the war has ended in order that the doctor may resume his position here as assistant surgeon of the Northern Pacific hospital.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist may go to Washington or Annapolis December 16 to 18 to attend a conference of governors at which reconstruction policies will be considered by the heads of nation and states. A telegram from M. C. Riley, Madison, Wis., said tentative plans are being made and the place of meeting will be determined later.

Brainerd.—The Red Cross city hospital established in the Gardner block for influenza patients is now caring for eleven. Four large wards or compartments have been arranged on the main floor. Partitions of building paper, in neat wooden frames have been made, two on a side, with area way in the center. Eighteen beds have been supplied.

Crookston.—The funeral of J. P. Marcum, 68, an old resident who died here was held Monday. He is survived by a widow and two sons, Capt. E. H. Marcum, a doctor in the medical corps in France, and Walter Marcum, of Bemidji, manager of the Sentinel Publishing Company, besides two sisters, Mrs. Emma Chadwick, New London, Iowa, and Mrs. Molly Hooper, Amboy, Wash., and one brother, John F. Marcum, Rolfe, Iowa.

Minneapolis. — Lieutenant George Rogers Glotfelter, son of C. W. Glotfelter of Waterville, regent of the University of Minnesota, died of wounds received in action at a field hospital near the front October 5, a few weeks after he had gone into action with the One Hundred and Thirtieth Field Artillery. It was learned through a letter written by Major William O. Jordan, medical officer at the hospital where the young man died.

Duluth.—Three Duluth congregations missed the weekly sermon of their pastors Sunday because the preachers had volunteered to assist in reconstruction work in the fire zone. They were assigned the building of a frame barn and did a workmanlike job, according to reports. The pastors who volunteered were Dr. W. C. Hodgson, district superintendent of the Duluth Methodist church; Rev. F. E. Hirsch, pastor of the Lester Park Methodist church, and Rev. Bert E. Smith, pastor of the Joyce Memorial church, Minneapolis.

St. Paul.—Minnesota people have contributed $500,000 to the state forest fire and tornado relief fund. The announcement was made officially after $73,613.17 of contributions sent through Governor J. A. A. Burnquist's office had been deposited with those received by the State Public Safety commission and the joint bank total reached $125,068.59. This total is excessive of more than $200,000 sent direct to F. P. McGonagle, Duluth, chairman of the state committee, and a like sum remaining to be remitted from scattered localities, of which $161,000 is held in Hennepin county. The money in trust by the Safety Commission will be placed at the disposal of Mr. McGonagle when funds the committee has on hand are exhausted.

Minneapolis.—Wounded by a high explosive shell that almost caused his death, George H. Morgan, private with the One Hundred and Fifty-first Field Artillery, now among the convalescents at the Snelling base hospital, crept 500 feet to deliver an important message, and has been recommended for the award of the Croix de Guerre. Morgan joined the famous Minnesota regiment in July, 1917, and after battling through some of the fiercest engagements encountered by the Rainbow troops, again finds himself back to Fort Snelling, where he first "joined up."

It Worked.

"What I don't understand is this," said Mr. Jagsby, as he reached home in the wee sma' hours. "I told Sam at the poker club to tell you I was not there and he said, 'Boss, dey ain't no use tryin' to fool de missus, 'cause she done got de goods on you.'"

"Oh, that's easily explained," answered Mrs. Jagsby. "When he started to say you were not there I told him you were sitting right in front of the telephone and I could see you."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Headaches, Bilious Attacks, Indigestion, are cured by taking May Apple, Aloe, Jalap made into Pleasant Pellets (Dr. Pierce's). Adv.

Draft Dodger.

"The prima donna is on the warpath again," said the stage manager.

"What's the matter now?" asked the impresario.

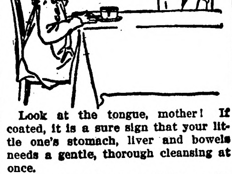
"She says she feels a draft in her dressing room."

"Umph! She'd better consult that young husband of hers. He's the most successful draft dodger I know."

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.



Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels needs a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhœa, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

Miss Florence Romaine recently became a "first-class" bootblack in Muscatine, Ia.

Four hours' sleep out of 24 is enough for the elephant.

Hard Work Alone Never Kills
Hard work never killed anybody. But hard work, with irregular hours and neglect of rest does weaken the kidneys and keeps one tired, miserable and half sick. If your back aches—if you have headaches, dizziness and urinary disorders—don't wait! Help the weakened kidneys before dropsy, gravel or Bright's disease attacks you. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands and are used the world over.
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A farmer of Jersey county, Illinois, is the inventor of a device with which he claims to have caught 35 bushels of grasshoppers in a single day.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Pick and Shovel Important.

When the American infantryman landed in France, particularly those who had not been taught modern methods of trench warfare before leaving the States, and was handed a pick and shovel to be included in his fighting equipment he was astonished at first. But the young man was adept at learning, even with a pick and shovel, although many of them at home had been clerks and held similar positions, and now those tools are the most highly prized of all.

Very Little Change

"It don't 'pear to make much difference at our house whether the clock is turned back and the time made an hour later or not," said Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge Ark. "There hain't no perversion in nature or law for turning the stomachs of my fourteen children back an hour, and they begin yelling for their breakfast at the app'inted time, regardless of the clock."—Kansas City Star.

It May Take Wings.

Bess—So Van Speederly has inherited a million? How long will it last him?

Bob—That depends. If he blows it, ten years; if he invests it, about five.—Town Topics.

Experiment has proved that every ton of coal burned makes unfit for breathing 800,000 cubic feet of air.

Japan has a glycerin manufacturing plant which has a capacity of about 300 tons a month.

Eccentric Woman.

"I've heard that she walks in her sleep." "Fancy! And they with two automobiles."—Boston Transcript.

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S WORK WONDERS

Are Giving the Huts in
nce the Touch of Home—
ing There Means Much.

is a hut at one of the train ools in France. He was a non- ssioned officer. He had been in for eight months, and now was rom the front as an instructor. n't seen a girl of his own kind, like his sisters, for weeks. there she stood behind the can- ounter in this big, roomy, com- e hut.

ought a bar of chocolate. Then ted over to the group around no. Presently he went back to teen for a package of cigarets. lled to the reading table and over a magazine. Again he re- —this time for a cake of soap me tooth-paste.

a moment the rush at the can- as over. He loitered at the and looked at the girl. She So did he. Then he blurted at he had been trying to say for utes: e! But it's nice to see a girl ou!"

re are girls like that all over e—in camps, in towns, in the ities—even at the front itself. are serving the canteens, run- restaurants, handing out hot choc r coffee, pies and doughnuts. y are giving the huts a look of —putting bright curtains at the s, posters on the walls, making gardens at the doors. They are g for the soldiers. most of all, they are just being They talk about the things sound like home. Perhaps they the very towns and streets and that these boys know. They bind er home and France! They are irls beside the men behind the

bout the organizations whose s they wear, these girls could plish nothing. However eager to they could not even travel as duals. with the backing of these estab- recognized and regulated bod- hey can work wonders. you think of war as a brutal think of American woman- rking with the soldiers in this then give to support the organ- s which make this possible.

—Keep Them Smiling—

VOICES VICTORY SPIRIT

By James Cardinal Gibbons.

erica, through her soldiers, is as voiced the spirit that leads ictory. They are our sons and ers; flesh of our flesh, and the that inspires them inspires us We have sent them across the fight—but we have in heart and soul gone with them. We are de- ined that they should know that people at home are fighting with standing with them, shoulder houlder. America in this war has what no other nation ever did. has carried the presence, the at- here of home into the camps ss the seas, that everywhere the ier may realize there are fatherly s to help him, motherly hands to ole him, friendly hands to enter- him.

—Keep Them Smiling—

UGHNUTS FOR DOUGHBOYS

"Soup to Salvation" to "Piety and Pies."

all the seven great war welfare nizations combining forces for the ted War Work Campaign of Nov. none is more popular than the ation Army, first in the field since that Salvation Army force of four- men and women landed in France ugust 14, 1914. When the United es got into the war, Salvation y action was just as prompt. e Salvation Army, like the Y. M. seeks to do for the boys what needs doing. Its workers supply ghnuts, pies, coffee, chocolate, tea, sorts of physical comforts to the iers, free at the front, again like Y. M. C. A., at small cost else- since they speedily learned the British and American soldier any suspicion of charity. They mending, nursing, hospital orderly where and whenever needed. keep the religious element al- in sight, but never intrude it; regard it always from the prac- aspect. The old slogan of "Soup Salvation" has been replaced by and Piety," or, as the soldiers selves put it, "Doughnuts for ughboys," but this represents but a all part of the Salvation Army work. e last to ask aid from the public, Salvation Army, which borrowed ney in America, London and Paris its first overseas equipment, now s its pro rata share of the $170,- 000 asked through the United War ork Campaign.

—Keep Them Smiling—

KEEP SOLDIERS HAPPY WHILE IN THE HOSPITAL

The morale of a wounded sol- er suffers severely unless he can entertained in some manner. That's why, whenever there's "anything doing" about the hospi- all the men who can walk or mp or lean upon their stronger "buddies" form a pleased yet sor- procession toward the place of ertainment. The growing need hospital entertainment is a appeal in the United War Campaign.

Food

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

CONSERVATION

What does conservation mean?

"The preservation of our natural resources for economical use, so as to secure the greatest good to the greatest number."

How can we conserve food?

By reducing consumption; by cutting out waste; by using some other foods in place of the foods we are asked to save; by using local products and thus saving transportation.

It is true that many people eat too much?

Probably 80 per cent of American people either eat or take into their kitchens much more food than is necessary.

Does the Food Administration object to teas and refreshments at parties?

Not if conservation rules are observed; but as a general principle of thrift it does not encourage the habit of eating between meals.

How can those people who neither waste nor eat too much help the Food Administration?

By substituting foods that are plentiful for the wheat, meat, fats, and sugar that are needed for shipping overseas.

How can I find out about these problems?

By writing to the Federal Food Administrator in your state for the free publications of the United States Food Administration.

What are these publications?

A list of them is given at the end of this primer.

Is food conservation really necessary?

So necessary that we may lose the war unless we conserve.

Why is food conservation necessary?

Because men have been withdrawn from farm and field in Europe to fight; because bad weather had made bad crops; because great food supplies have been sunk by submarines; because there is vastly increased demand for food for soldiers, and people working in war supplies.

How has the wheat crop in France been affected?

It has fallen off more than half.

What is the bread ration in France?

10½ ounces daily per person, with constant possibility of being lowered.

What is the situation in France in regard to other supplies?

France is producing 1 gallon of milk where she formerly produced 2½. Oils, fats, eggs, and meat are scarce.

What is the present situation in Italy?

There is extreme need of cereals, meat, and fats.

How dependent is England on foreign countries for cereals?

She has to import three-fifths of the cereals needed.

What are the present needs in England?

Meats, fats, and cereals are urgently needed.

Why is American help vitally necessary?

Because America is nearest and best able to supply food with the least exposure to submarines.

Is not the seriousness of the food situation exaggerated?

It is not; food is essential to winning the war. A 1-ounce slice of bread wasted is a bullet thrown away; to waste food is treason to cause and country.

Have the other warring nations been forced to practice food conservation?

Yes; if Germany had not done so she would be defeated today.

Why is the housekeeper asked to shoulder the burden of conservation?

Because so large an amount of the food raised in this country passes through her hands.

How can the little that one person can do help?

The little that one person can do, multiplied by the millions of helpers, mounts up to vast sums.

What are some figures showing the results from small daily savings?

One 1-ounce slice of bread saved each day in the 22,000,000 homes of the country would total 9,625,000 pound loaves saved a week—approximately 35,648 barrels of flour saved. One ounce of sugar saved a day would total about 26,786 barrels saved a week.

Will the small individual savings actually get to the Allies and help win the war?

Unquestionably, yes. Every time you eat a wheat substitute it is exactly as if you stretched out your hand and gave the wheat you have saved to some fighter or worker in trench or field or factory "over there."

Why does the Food Administration ask a person with plenty of money to refrain from buying more food than is absolutely necessary for health?

Because it is a patriotic duty to eat only what is needed for health so that food may be saved to help win the war.

What are the foods which we must especially save?

Wheat—Meat—Sugar—Fats.

Why must we send these particular foods?

Because they contain the most concentrated nourishment in the most easily shippable form.

The cost of the United States Food Administration for its first year's work has been less than two cents for every person in the United States.

THE BLUE TRIANGLE ON BABEL'S TOWER

Lucia pulled her shawl farther across her face and shrank down on the station platform bench as the solid blue figure suddenly bent down over her. Excitedly she shook her head in answer to the question that she could not understand. She searched through her red plaid waist for the paper that Tony had folded into a little square and given to her. The writing on it, in the English that Tony knew and she did not, told the house where she lived. Tony had explained it all to her that morning. He had told it to her again at the station. Then, waving his hat, he had disappeared into the train with the rest of the men, and Lucia had been left standing outside the gate. There were crowds of women pushing all about her. They were weeping. So Lucia wept, too.

Lucia had been betrothed to Tony in the old country. Five years before, with a long ticket for New York pinned into his inside pocket, her lover had left her. He wrote in every letter that he had made her a home in the new country. Her dowry money had finally provided her own transportation, and for two months Tony and she had been married. Then he had drawn a ticket with a number on it, and this morning he had gone off to war.

To the policeman Lucia told all these things in rapid Italian. But the policeman only talked back to her as rapidly in a language that was not Italian. She followed him dumbly to headquarters. An hour later a woman wearing American clothes gently began talking to her in beautiful Italian.

Italian Lucia was only one of thousands of foreign-born women, Syrians, Italians, Armenians, Russians, Lithuanians, Polish, who, when the draft called their men folk to the American colors, asked in helpless confusion what it was all about. When would their men be back? What did people mean when they told them they would receive money through the mail? Where could they find work that they knew how to do? Was there no one who could explain it all to them in their own language?

The Y. W. C. A. was ready to offer assistance, but it would be of no value to offer it in English. Consequently it had to supply a corps of women who could talk to the foreign-born woman at her own door in the language that she was used to hearing in the homeland. To teach her English was as essential a factor in her Americanization as to find her a job. Therefore the war council of the Y. W. C. A. set out to find her English.

A year before the war began in Europe, the leaders of the Young Woman's Christian association foresaw just such a situation, and made ready to meet it. They studied the needs of the immigrant. They trained skilled American social workers to become familiar with the home habits and to speak the language of the Lett and the Hungarian and the Greek and the other foreign mothers who brought babies and bundles over from Ellis island to Battery park.

The organization into which this experiment has developed was named by the Y. W. C. A. national board, "The International Institute for Young Women." In terms which these women can understand, it is teaching the foreign-born how to sew and cook and care for the baby.

To girls like Italian Lucia, who confusedly lingered on the station platforms when the draft trains pulled out, the W. Y. C. A. is giving direct assistance. Educated European women, appointed to the regular staff of workers at the camp Y. W. C. A. Hostess Houses are able to talk to the drafted men in their own language, assist them in writing letters home, and in arranging furloughs and little visits to the camp.

"The Home Information Service for Foreign Families of Enlisted Men" is doing practical relief work for the wives and mothers. The purpose of the board is to help the women folk left behind to understand where their boys are and how they are being treated; how they need home support and cheer, how to send them comforts, and to keep pace themselves by learning English and other things, so that when the boys come home they will not find their women still very un-American and out of sympathy with them.

Food conservation bulletins have been translated into 18 or 19 languages. At the factories and munition plants interpreters are available for the non-English speaking women by whom the real war industries of the country are being largely carried on. In 25 important cities International Institute Bureaus are training American and foreign women for full time social service work with foreigners. Twenty-four trained women are employed on the national and district field staff of the Y. W. C. A. On June 15 there were 105 trained women working at Americanization.

When more than 75,000 Chicago men filled out their blue cards for the September 12 draft, Gang Luo Wong appeared at one precinct bringing with him Mrs. Gang Wong and the three children. All five wished to register. The enrolling clerk explained, but the Gang Luo Wongs make many broken Chinese remonstrances before the master of the family was induced to sign a card without his wife. Mrs. Wong could not speak English. What would his family do in a strange country if Gang Luo went to war? All over the United States Chinese and Poles and Serbs were asking the same question. It is to just such needs that the War Council of the Y. M. C. A. is organized to give assistance.

For Sale!

Buff Wyandotte cockerels for sale at $1.50 each.

Mrs. E. A. Erickson
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For Sale Cheap.

Twelve room hotel doing a good business. Address Sam Mickelson Holt Minn.

FOR SALE!

A matched team of colts, mare and gelding, coming three years old next spring.

Lars Chenil, Holt.

Notice

Lost—Two colts, one black gelding 2 years old, and one bay mare 1 year old. If found please notify

Bennie Vigen
Germantown, Minn.

Take Notice

Notice is hereby given that after Dec. 1st, 1918, a discount of three (3) per cent will be made on all Canadian money.

HOLT STATE BANK.

Notice!

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Nov. 27, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Carl Fredrick Nielsen, of Golden Valley, Minn. who, on February 1, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 07243, for NE1-4, Section 28, Twp. 156N., Range 41W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 31st day of December, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Cleve Bergum, Melwin Olson, P. C. Rosland, all of Golden Valley, Minn., and C. F. Birkeland, of Holt, Minn.,

Peter M. Ringdal
Register.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.40
Oats	60
Barley	66 to .74
Rye	1.46
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Piso's gives prompt relief. [illegible] hoarseness and throat irritation and [illegible] tickle. At all druggists.
Contains No Opiate—Safe for Young & Old
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War Savings Stamps
Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without YOUR HELP or that Germany will let you keep your money if she Wins. Buy a Stamp

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale, by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named, is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Rudolph J. Jensen and Inez O. Jensen, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the state of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated January 27th 1916, and recorded in the office of of the register of deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of January, 1916, at eight o-clock A. M., in book 76 of mortgages, on page 579.

That the amount claimed to be due, and which is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of $69.19.

That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are as follows: The East Half of the Northwest Quarter and the West Half of the Northeast Quater of Section Four in Township One Hundred fifty five North of Range Forty one West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 4th day of January, 1919, at ten o'clock A. M. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes, if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the sum of $25.00 attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, subject to redemption within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated Nov. 18th, 1918.

HOLT STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota,
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 5, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 27th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

No lands will be sold to an alien, unless he has secured his first papers.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

No lecture to-night.

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Join the Red Cross for 1919.

Mail that Christmas parcel now.

Do your holiday trading in Holt.

C. E. Peterson went to Badger Saturday to visit a few days.

Miss Gladys Hagen came Tuesday from Grand Forks to visit her folks here a few weeks.

Miss Lilly Peterson has recovered from the influensa and is again clerking in Gunheim's store.

Please bring in your Red Cross garments so they can be sent to the Warren Chapter for shipment.

Dr. Mellby was called here Wednesday to see Ludvig Monson who has been on the sick list again since Sunday.

C. G. Mugg, the Eye Man, will be in Holt Saturday afternoon, Sunday and Monday forenoon, Dec. 7th, 8th and 9th.

The Second Number of the Holt Lecture Course has been postponed until a later date on account of sickness thruout the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kulseth and little son came Saturday for a few weeks visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Rux and family.

Christmas packages should be mailed now as the mails will be so crowded just about Christmas time that packages are apt to be delayed or broken, or both.

Miss Ingeborg Nelson returned on Thanksgiving Day from Grand Forks. She reports that her sister, Miss Beatha, as being sick in the hospital with the influenza.

Nels Lysne went to Grand Forks Wednesday to see his brother, Elek, who is sick in the hospital there with a chronic stomach trouble and is in a dangerous condition.

Mrs. P. P. Reierson returned Wednesday from Goodridge where she spent a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Poppenhagen, where they have been sick with the flu.

Red Cross membership fees are due this month. Membership in the Red Cross is for one year at a time and as their aid is still needed by the soldiers we hope no one will refuse to stay in the Red Cross for another year. Just think of the sacrifices the soldiers have made for us, and still are serving mankind at home and abroad.

The Publishers of The Youth's Companion will, as always at this season, present to every subscriber whose subscription is paid for 1919, a Calendar for the new year. It is a gem of calendar making. The decorative mounting is rich, but the main purpose has been to produce a calendar that is useful, and that purpose has been achieved.

Army and Navy News

Injured and Missing

A letter from P. L. Anderson received recently by B. Docken, contains some interesting news which his many friends in Holt will be anxious to hear. Pete writes that he was under machine gun fire, for forty two days and was about to be relieved when the enemy laid down a gas barrage which strucka bunch of soldiers including Pete, before they could adjust their masks. Mr. Anderson had been in the hospital four days when this letter was written and he also says he don't care to receive another dose, if he ever entirely recovers from this.

August Hoffman received a telegram Wednesday stating that his son, Frank, had been officially reported missing in action since Nov. 6th and that no farther information had been received.

Soldiers Return

Hilmer Davidson received an honorable discharge from Camp Grant and returned home Monday, surprising his folks. Altho Hilmer has had an attack of the Flu, he is now looking well. He spoke highly of the discipline and training one receives at the camps and is especially enthusiastic over the work which the Y. M. C. A. and Red Cross are doing for the soldiers.

Axel Ring was honorably discharge from Camp Dodge, returning home Tuesday. Axel as with the other soldiers and sailors returning home, shows the good effects of the training and discipline given them while in the service of Uncle Sam.

Among the Sick

J. M. Swan received a letter from his son Clarence at Norfork, Va. stating he had had the pneumonia but was getting along alright now.

Eyes and Glasses!

"C. G. Mugg, the Grand Forks Eye Man," will be in Holt afternoon of Dec. 7th, all day Dec. 8th and forenoon of Dec. 9th, to test eyes and fit glasses, at right prices.

No Lecture Course to-night, postponed on account of sickness.

Do your holiday trading now, if you want a good selection of stock.

Debard Johnson went to Warren one day last week to register with the Local Board.

Send your Christmas packages at once and mark them "Don't Open Until Christmas."

Mrs. O. D. Larson, of Hendrum, came Saturday to take care of her daughter, Mrs. C. J. Dale and family, during their sickness. Mrs. Larson's son came with her.

Meat Market Notice!
Meat Market Accounts are now past due
Please call and settle with us
or leave the amount at Holt State Bank
Postively No Credit After Dec. 1st, 1918
O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

RED CROSS NOTES.

Red Cross meeting next Wednesday Dec. 11th at Mrs. M. B. Fitch's at 1.30

The Red Cross Membership Campaign starts Dec. 16th and closes the 23rd. All are urged to join.

The Sunnyside Red Cross Auxiliary will meet Wednesday Dec. 11th with Mrs. John Augustine. Everyone welcome.

Finished garments for the Holt Red Cross Auxiliary should be brot to this office or to Mrs. M. B. Fitch, at once, so they can be sent to Warren for shipment to the soldiers.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services in Wilson school house, Golden Valley, at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon Dec. 8th.

Services in Holt at 11 o'clock on Sunday Dec. 15th.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

Card of Thanks.

For the sympathy and aid so kindly given us at the time the news reached us of our beloved son and brother's death, and at the time of the funeral and for the many beautiful flowers, we wish to extend our heartfelt thanks.

R. Reierson and family.

The Red Cross needs your help.

C. L. Sandberg and son Walter were Warren visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Simonson and Alfin visited the J. E. Erickson family Sunday.

Mrs. H. A. Fosholm visited relatives in Thief River Falls from Saturday until Tuesday.

The help of the Red Cross is still needed by the soldiers. Won't you join again for 1919?

Miss Esther Werner returned Wednesday from a weeks visit with relatives in Thief River Falls

Miss Nellie Saastad came home Thanksgiving Day from Middle River and is now sick with the influensa.

Miss Ragna Larson went to Thief River Falls Tuesday where she entered the hospital for a few days treatment.

New cases of influenza since our last issue: Chas. McLane, John O. Johnson and family, Walmer Riesberg and Ed Nelson.

Dr. Biedermann was a professional visitor at the Hjalmer Dovre home Friday, the family being sick with the influensa.

Sugar restrictions have been removed, but people are warned to be saving and avoid all extravagance in the use of sugar.

Now that about everybody in town has had the influenza, it is reaching out into the country found about and several cases are reported to the east of us.

J. M. Swan while in St Paul with a car of cattle, received the sad news of the death of his brother Robert a victim of the flu at Grove City, Minn.. Mr. Swan attended his brother's funeral, returning home Tuesday. We join with the many friends in extending sympathy to Mr. Swan and family.

The Red Cross needs your help.

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg.
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

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Merchants State Bank,
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Salesman Wanted!

We wish to get a Salesman for either Kittson Co., east half of Marshall, or Pennington and Red Lake counties. Our business is well established in these counties and anyone interested should write us at once. No experience necessary as we will train salesman.

Write for particulars to

McGonnon Remedy Co.,
Winona, Minn.

School meeting to-night.

Red Cross Campaign Dec. 16-23.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson drove to Thief River Tuesday.

Tony Carlson and John Swan enjoyed a business trip to Newfolden Wednesday.

Mrs. H. B. Young and Miss Ruth Knutson were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

Willie Werner was a business visitor at Roseau Monday, returning home the following day.

John Stensrud of Thief River Falls stopped at the J. E. Erickson home Thanksgiving evening.

Rudolph Rux returned home on Thanksgiving from Norwood, N. D., where he worked the past season.

School commenced again Monday and while the attendace is not as large as desired, it is hoped it will soon be better.

Bemidji is making plans for the big dairy convention to be held on Dec. 11th and 12th. All interested should attend.

Dr. Paulson was called Saturday to see Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dale and Alfred Newton all of whom were victims of the influensa.

The village council has raised the electric light rate to 30c per kilowatt hour. They have been pretty slow in making this raise when it is taken into consideration that most places raised their rates a year or more ago.

For Sale or Trade

160 tons of hay for sale at once at Mud Lake. Will take some spring rye for a few tons. If you want hay let us know at once.

C. J. Dale.
Star Route, Holt Minn.

Drs. Mellby & Paulson
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Office Phone 70
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 93

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"I should think your conscience would remind you that it's wrong to demand such a salary."

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Dandruff and Itching.

To restore dry, falling hair and get rid of dandruff, rub Cuticura Ointment into scalp. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

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"They tell me old Closefist has money to burn!" said Jinx. "Yes," said Winx, "and never a match in the house."

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J. L. Porte, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents

Happenings of the World Tersely Told

European War News

An Amsterdam dispatch says eleven German torpedo boats and mine layers that were left in the Antwerp harbor have been interned in a Dutch port.

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An Edinburgh dispatch says that Admiral Beatty's historic signal after the German fleet had been moored at the appointed place was: "The German flag is to be hauled down at 3:57 and is not to be hoisted again without permission." Germany as a naval power, ceased to exist Thursday. The heart of her mighty fleet—14 ships of line, seven light cruisers and 50 destroyers—surrendered to an armada of British, American and French vessels, the greatest fighting force that ever stood out to sea.

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French troops under command of General Herry entered Budapest. It is believed that French forces have arrived at Constantinople.

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A London dispatch says that one German light cruiser while on its way across the North sea with the other ships of the German high seas fleet to surrender to the allies struck a mine. The warship was badly damaged and sank.

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The historic event accomplished when Marshal Petain, commander in chief of the French armies, made his entry into Metz, the great stronghold of Lorraine and the pivot of Germany's effort to crush France, may be said more than any other happening to consecrate the victory of the allies in this war.

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The American troops shoved their line across the German frontier. The frontier was crossed at points opposite Bricy and Audun-le-Roman, and at points between these two places. Farther north the duchy of Luxemburg was entered, says a dispatch from the front.

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Twenty German submarines are berthed in the harbor of Harwich. They were the first unit to surrender in compliance with the armistice treaty and were escorted into port by British naval vessels.

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Foreign

A London dispatch says traffic and telegraph connection between Germany and Switzerland are reported interrupted. Berlin and other German cities are said to be the scenes of serious trouble.

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The Turkish government, according to a Berlin dispatch, has formally demanded from the German revolutionary government the return of Talaat Pasha and several Turkish generals who fled to Germany. Turkey proposes to punish Talaat Pasha and the generals for the Armenian atrocities.

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Lord Robert Cecil, undersecretary of state for foreign affairs at London, has resigned. The cause is declared to be a disagreement with the government in regard to the disestablishment of the Welsh church.

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A Brussels special says the program of the new Belgian government includes universal suffrage for all males over twenty-one years of age and a general election as soon as possible, probably next May.

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A London dispatch says King Albert and the Belgian government entered Brussels at two o'clock Friday.

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A Berlin dispatch says the city has now had a week of revolution, yet the streets have the same appearance they presented on any day during the war with the exception of the absence of newspaper reference to events along the front. A casual visitor would not be aware that this has been the storm center of a gigantic political upheaval.

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The Ukrainian government has been overturned and Kiev has been captured by troops from Astrakhan, according to Kiev dispatches to Swedish newspapers. The Ukrainian national assembly has fled and a provisional government has been established by the capture of the city where the troops apparently are commanded by General Denikine, leader of the antibolshevist forces.

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Arrangements have been made for the transportation of 100,000 Italian prisoners of war from Austria and Germany to Italy by way of Switzerland.

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A correspondent in London learns that the British government proposes to send a special plenipotentiary to Washington throughout the peace conference.

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Up to October 21, 1,589,000 German soldiers were killed, and the fate of 260,000 was not known, the Vorwaerts of Berlin says it learns on reliable authority. Four million soldiers had been wounded, some several times. The newspaper adds that there were 490,000 German prisoners in hostile countries.

The French senate at Paris has passed unanimously the motion already adopted by the chamber of deputies, paying homage to President Wilson as "having deserved well of humanity."

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A plot to swamp Spain with bolshevist agitators has been nipped in the bud by the Spanish authorities, according to Madrid advices.

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The greatest panic on the Berlin bourse in three years occurred when it was reported that the extremists in several German coast towns had usurped the power of the local authorities, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen.

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Dr. Thomas Masaryk, first president of the newly created republic of Czecho-Slovakia, sailed for Liverpool on the British steamship Carmania. He was accompanied by his daughter.

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Philipp Scheidemann, according to a Berlin dispatch, has resigned as minister of finance in the New German government and his place has been taken by Herr Landsberg, secretary of publicity, art and literature.

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A Berne dispatch says the bolsheviki have interned Prince Leopold of Bavaria, who commanded Germany's eastern front, and General von Huffmann, Germany's military spokesman at Brest Litovsk.

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U.S.—Teutonic War News

The German frontier was crossed at several places by American signal corps units and ambulance workers. Short trips were made into Rhenish Prussia, where the inhabitants are reported to have shown the Americans every consideration.

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With General Pershing, the American commander in chief, at her side, the youthful grand duchess of Luxemburg, from the balcony of her palace in Luxemberg, watched the Americans march into her capital.

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Progress of the American Third army across the duchy of Luxemburg has taken on the nature of triumphal procession, says a dispatch from the front. The march took the doughboys through villages filled with cheering people and down streets lined with American flags.

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Domestic

A New York dispatch says fifteen steamships aggregating 206,769 gross tons, were lost by the Cunard line during the war. Of these, all except two were classed as war losses, having been sunk by torpedoes or mines.

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A million letters from "our boys" overseas that will gladden the hearts of "the folks at home" reached New York on the French liner Rochambeau.

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Railroad employees representing the entire western system will recommend permanent government control of all railroads. They will also ask Director General McAdoo to reconsider his resignation. Business agents of western railroad employees' unions will hold a conference at Chicago to work out a definite program.

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Suit against the government is planned by Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Postal Telegraph company at New York, if a merger of the Western Union and the Postal is attempted, he announced.

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Influenza has broken out at the state colony for epileptics, near Dixon, Ill. August Weiss of Chicago and Edward Gill, Ashmore, Ill., are dead and five others in dangerous condition. H. B. Carriel, superintendent, is also seriously ill.

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Wounded soldiers whose homes were in Indiana, Ohio, Illinois, Missouri and Michigan, returned to this country for further treatment, will be sent to the United States army hospital at West Baden, Ind.

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Washington

A Washington dispatch says William G. McAdoo has resigned office as secretary of the treasury and director general of railroads, to leave the treasury on the appointment of a successor and the railroad administration on January 1 next. President Wilson has accepted Mr. McAdoo's resignation.

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Levies aggregating $1,000,000,000 were cut from the special miscellaneous tax schedules of the war revenue bill by the senate finance committee at Washington in accordance with its decision to make the 1919 levy about $6,000,000,000.

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Consolidation of the services of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies under government control was announced at Washington by the postmaster general.

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A $500,000,000 reduction in the new war revenue bill was made by the senate finance committee at Washington in revising the measure downward to the $6,000,000,000 total for 1919 proposed by Secretary McAdoo.

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Savings through war department readjustment orders, including cancellation of contracts, are estimated at $1,356,000,000 by Secretary Baker in a letter read to the senate at Washington by Senator Martin of Virginia, chairman of the appropriations committee.

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Back Feel Achy After Grip?

COLDS and influenza leave thousands with weak kidneys and aching backs. The kidneys have to do most of the work of fighting off a cold or a contagious disease. They weaken—slow up. Then you feel dull and draggy, irritable or nervous, and have headaches, dizzy spells, lame back, backache, sore joints and irregular kidney action. Give the kidneys quick help and avoid serious kidney troubles. *Doan's Kidney Pills* are always in unusual demand after grip epidemics as so many people have learned their reliability. *Doan's* are used the world over. They are recommended by your own friends and neighbors.

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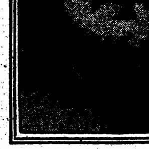

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"What d'ye want—to have yer beans loaded into a glass pistol and shot into yeh?" sarcastically returned Heloise, the waitress.—Kansas City Star.

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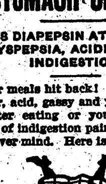
Your meals hit back! Your stomach is sour, acid, gassy and you feel bloated after eating or you have heavy lumps of indigestion pain or headache, but never mind. Here is instant relief.



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She—You looked so sheepish when you proposed.

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Ruth—Yes, Bess and Jack are finally engaged.

Ethel—Did he volunteer or was he drafted?

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RECEIVING WAR CROSS

The patriotic spirit and devotion with which American women have so far performed war-service work and made sacrifices has never been equalled in the history of any country. Mothers, wives and sisters support this burden with strength and fortitude. But those who are already miserable from the complaints and weaknesses which are so common to women, should take the right tonic for the womanly system.

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Designs Wrought by Ancient Peruvian Dyers Have Been Given Much Praise by Experts.

The ancients of Peru, by a curious coincidence—for there could not possibly have been any intercourse with their contemporaries in India and Egypt—seem to have used much the same kind of processes in printing their designs upon the fabrics they manufactured. Both Herodotus and Pliny, among early historians, have told us about the cloths of vegetable fiber made by the ancients; but in all likelihood the fabrics of the Peruvians were of even a more remote date. In some respects the methods of today bear strong resemblance to the older practice. The chief difference consists in the patterns now being engraved upon copper rollers and several colors being printed at one time. Just as today the coloring matter of dyes is not affixed by merely printing it on the material, but is secured by means of a substance known as mordant, so did the Peruvians make use of property which caused the dye to adhere and to withstand a test of thousands of years' wear and tear. Experts have declared that in the direction of technical and artistic value the designs in question have no equal.

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NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings In Minnesota Given In Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Pine River.—Supt. Watschke announces that the Pine River school will reopen on Monday, Dec. 2, and that there will be no Christmas or Easter vacations.

Red Lake Falls.—Seventeen carloads of live stock were shipped from this city in three weeks, showing that Red Lake county is fast becoming an important stock-raising center.

Stillwater.—Because of the prevalence of influenza at the Minnesota State Prison, the Washington county grand jury, in session in Stillwater, decided not to make an investigation of the institution.

Minneapolis.—Believing that the name was a disgrace, the citizens of the town that used to be called New Germany have changed its name to Motordale. Motordale is on the Great Northern railroad, east of Hutchinson.

Red Lake Falls.—After a month's illness of influenza-pneumonia, Rev. Father James John Hawkes, since last month pastor of St. Mary's Catholic church here, died, aged 31, being the second Red Lake county priest to die of the epidemic within a month, and of the other three priests, Rev. E. J. Lemire of this city is recovering.

Red Lake Falls.—The Red Lake county board has established a county road five miles in length in Gervais and River townships, running through the Pennington county line, which opens up considerable country and will make the territory easier of access to the county seat. Of the sixteen land owners along the way, all but one favored the road and were allowed no damages by the reviewing committee of the county board.

Minneapolis.—There will be no need for reimposing lightless nights in Minnesota, Judge John F. McGee, Minnesota fuel administrator, said on his return from a conference with fuel administration officials at Washington. Judge McGee's statement followed that made by Dr. H. A. Garfield, national fuel administrator, that lights might burn again unless state administrators had some special reason for restrictions.

Hibbing.—The destruction by fire of hundreds of tons of hay in pasture lands, considered the best in the state, has set the price of hay on the Mesaba range to soaring heights, according to Con Kepple, local feed dealer. The forest fires licked up many tons of hay which normally would find a market on the range, and feed dealers are forced to again import hay from Michigan and Wisconsin. The transportation costs add to the consumer's price in Hibbing.

Brainerd.—Cod Kimball, a farmer, declares onions saved his family from the influenza and next year proposes to put in ten acres to guard against a recurrence of the epidemic. Far from a doctor, with the disease all around the farm, the Kimball family, consisting of the father, mother and two children, luxuriated in onion poultices, onion broth, onion syrup, fried onions, baked onions, boiled onions. They were all saved. And now Cod takes off his hat every time he sees an onion.

Hibbing. — Hibbing's library on wheels, purchased by the township of Stuntz at a cost of over $6,000, has arrived. The car was made by the White company. It has shelves for hundreds of volumes of books, has its own heating and lighting systems, has space for readers in the rear and is modern in every respect. It will be used by the library for distribution of books in the locations. Some of the locations to be visited will be the Mahoning, Stevenson, Kittzville and Brooklyn.

Stillwater.—The funeral of Mrs. Margarette Anderson, wife of Olaus, also known as Olavus Anderson, who was mysteriously murdered at her home a few miles from the village of Forest Lake Nov. 18 by being shot through a kitchen window, was held from her late residence. "No trace of the party who killed Mrs. Anderson has been found," said Sheriff T. H. Maher. "The case is as great a mystery as it was when the body was found by her husband lying on the kitchen floor in a pool of blood."

St. Paul.—Since its first loan was made in July, 1917, the Federal Land bank of this district has extended aid to the farmers of Minnesota and the immediate Northwest to the total amount of $19,773,300. For October this year $1,053,500 was loaned. The average loan is $2,000, so that approximately 10,000 farmers have been aided. Between 50 and 60 per cent of the money was used to retire previous indebtedness and the balance was for the three other purposes on which loans may be made, namely, the opening of land for agricultural purposes, purchase of farm equipment, livestock, etc., and for construction and extension of farm buildings.

Brainerd.—Brainerd will have to make provision for the paying of $10,000 to Arnold Kalland, who suffered a broken back when his automobile was wrecked on a faulty street and bridge. A verdict was obtained against the city for the amount on account of alleged negligence in not properly safeguarding the street and bridge when the case was tried before Judge C. W. Stanton June 17, 1917. A new trial was denied and the state supreme court has just affirmed the verdict. It is believed to be the largest verdict against a municipality in Minnesota for negligence.

Duluth. — Clarence Anderson, 40 years old, of Duluth, is dead as the result of a hunting accident, which according to the police occurred near Two Harbors.

St. Cloud.—The cold has frozen over the Mississippi river for the first time this year. This is a later date than in 1917, when an early cold spell covered it on Oct. 30.

Staples.—The front of a local pool hall was painted yellow because the owned did not close up his place of business on Victory day and help to celebrate the end of the war.

Hibbing.—Joseph Chatich was arrested here by Indian agents, charged with importing liquor into dry territory. Fifteen quarts of whisky were found in his possession, the police charge.

Rochester.—A. C. Gooding of Rochester, former state treasurer, senator-elect from Olmsted county and a banker of prominence in Southern Minnesota, is seriously ill at his home in this city.

Keewatin.—M. Harrison of Stevenson, while here Monday, related a thrilling experience he had while hunting, when he encountered a she bear and three cubs. He opened fire and killed all four.

Hibbing.—The twelfth gold star was added to city service flag with the announcement of the death in action on October 31 of John E. Kalahar, aged 24, who left Hibbing to train at Camp Dodge, April 26.

Shakopee.—The action commenced against William F. Tobin, a St. Paul broker who was charged with selling valueless oil stock to the Rev. Van Boersch, a Catholic priest of this city, has been dismissed.

Red Wing.—A baby boy, about 2 months old, was found by W. W. Conley, conductor on the Milwaukee road coast train. A note reading "this is a war baby; born in North Dakota," was attached to the clothing of the infant.

Thief River Falls.—The city council has decided that the Commercial club must pay its electric light bill the same as anyone else. The club is now about $50 behind and the illumination will be shut off unless the cash is forthcoming.

Detroit.—Four cars of potatoes have been shipped through the local farm bureau to consumers in Kansas this fall. The shippers received from 20 to 35 cents per hundred above market price here. More will be shipped this year.

East Grand Forks.—Hard coal in small quantities is beginning to arrive in the city. A local firm received two carloads. It is being given out in lots not to exceed one ton to the customer. Other dealers have notice that some hard coal is in transit.

Fergus Falls.—The "flu" epidemic is still serious in this city and the closing order of Mayor G. W. Frankberg is still in force. There has been a clash between the mayor and Dr. J. G. Vigen, health officer, who attempted to countermand the closing order.

Two Harbors. —'An organization called the Lake County Potato Growers' association was formed at a meeting held here. The purpose of the organization is to help farmers in marketing their potatoes and to standardize the potato crop of this county.

St. Paul.—State Auditor J. A. O. Preus announces dates for a series of county sales of timber on state-owned land: Dec. 18, International Falls; Dec. 17, Two Harbors and Duluth, and Dec. 18 at Grand Rapids and Bemidji. All lots of timber on about 120 tracts of state land will be offered for sale.

Little Falls.—Clayton Bennett, arrested in St. Paul as one of a gang selling opium and other "dope," was identified by Hubert Friesinger as the man who broke into a local doctor's office about three years ago and stole some drugs. He went to the penitentiary from Little Falls and it was thought he had been cured of the habit when released.

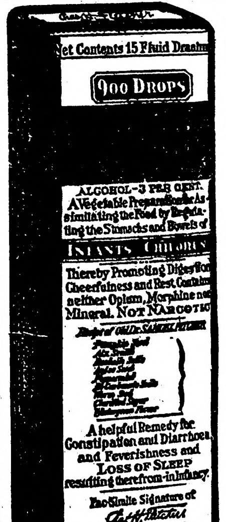
St. Paul.—Hearings on the applications of the Tri-State Telephone & Telegraph and Northwestern (Bell) Telephone companies for permission to increase charges for telephone service in Minnesota are being held before the state railroad and warehouse commission. Delegates from twelve cities in the state met and decided to vigorously oppose the proposed rate increase.

Moose Lake.—Need for state troops in the fire-burned district having gone the men who have been patrolling this section are being withdrawn, according to Maj. H. L. Brady, Federal property and disbursing officer. Mankato men of the Fifth hospital corps left and nearly all of the Fourth infantry have returned to Minneapolis, leaving Capt. H. L. Tourtelotte of Duluth and a small detail from the headquarters department to pack and ship equipment to St. Paul.

Stillwater.—Mrs. Mary Johnson, mother of Miss Myrtle I. Johnson of Stillwater, who was killed in an automobile accident a year ago while riding with Harold Smith, was given a verdict for $2,250 against Smith and his father, Swan Smith, by the jury which heard the case in Judge F. N. Dickson's court. Mrs. Johnson brought suit against the father and son for $7,500, based on alleged recklessness in driving the automobile on the part of young Smith. The mother lives at White Bear.

Stillwater.—In addition to the $21,025.10 now deposited with the banks of the city derived from the ten market days held in all of the towns and villages of Washington county, it is expected that the donations made by the farmers of the county to the Washington county Red Cross society will be augmented by an additional $2,500.

Crookston.—A call has been issued for directors of the newly organized Red River Valley Livestock Exhibitors' association to meet here to plan for completing the canvass for subscriptions for the livestock building to be built next to the Armory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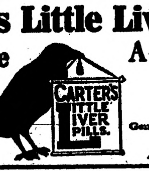
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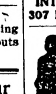

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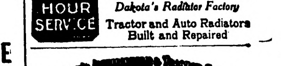

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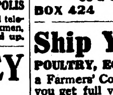

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EAT PRODUCERS DID FULL DUTY

Increase in American Hogs Will Help to Meet World Fat Shortage.

FARMERS SAVE SITUATION.

Government Justified in Stimulation of Pork Production—Sevenfold Increase Over Pre-War Exports.

Through increased production and conservation we will be able this year to export seven times our pre-war average exports of pork products. With the heavy demands added in caring for the millions who have been freed from German oppression, the Department of Agriculture and the Food Administration are justified today in our every action of stimulation of hog production. In the coming year the greatest world shortage will be in fats, and pork will help to save this situation. The efficacy of the policy of stimulated production has built up in this country supplies which will enable us to supply a very large part of the fat deficiency of the world. In fact there must be a shortage in Europe, due largely to limited refrigerator ship capacity. All freezer ships available, however, will be filled by America, Argentine and Australia.

The contribution made by the producers of this country to the war program as applying particularly to animal food products is illustrated by the following:

Reports compiled by the U. S. Department of Agriculture indicate an increase in cattle of 10,238,000 head and 12,441,000 hogs. These figures were compiled to January 1 last.

In this period there was a decrease in sheep of 819,000 head. The indications are that this decrease will show an increase, according to recent reports.

Since January 1 unofficial information indicates an increase in hogs of not less than 8 per cent. and not more than 15 per cent. as compared with one year ago, with an increase in the average weight.

Following the request of the U. S. Food Administration for an increase in hog production for marketing in the fall of 1918 and the spring of 1919 the increase may yield not less than 1,000,000,000 pounds more of pork products than were available last year. Without this increase the shipping program arranged by Mr. Hoover regarding animal food products would have been impossible.

The dressed hog products during the three months ending September 30, 1917, amounted to 968,172,000 pounds, while for the corresponding months of 1918 the dressed hog products totaled 1,277,589,000, an increase of over 374,000,000 pounds for the quarter.

During the same period for 1917 the records of inspected slaughter of dressed beef showed 1,268,000,000 pounds as against 1,454,000,000 pounds for the three month period ending September 1, this year.

Our food Gospel

eat less
serve less
waste nothing

America's Pledge of Food Gave Heart to the Allies In Their Darkest Hour

Whatever is necessary America will send. That was America's pledge to the interallied food council. And because the American food army had hitherto made good they took heart and went forward.

Farm enterprise and much soft corn increased pork supplies, food conservation increased exports—total shipments doubled.

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FAITH JUSTIFIED BY EVENTS.

I do not believe that drastic force need be applied to maintain economic distribution and sane use of supplies by the great majority of American people, and I have learned a deep and abiding faith in the intelligence of the average American business man, whose aid we anticipate and depend on to remedy the evils developed by the war.—Herbert Hoover, August 10, 1917.

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Patriot's Plenty

Buy less—Serve less
Eat only 3 meals a day
Waste nothing
Your guests will cheerfully share simple fare

Be Proud to be a food saver

SUGAR SHOWED OUR BACKBONE

American Willingness to Give Up Luxury Demonstrated Nation's War Conscience.

STAND WITH THE ALLIES.

By Reducing Consumption People of the United States Averted a Famine at Home in Spite of Low Supplies.

The fact that the people of the United States were able to reduce by more than one-half million tons their July, August, September and October consumption of sugar proves conclusively that their war conscience was thoroughly awakened and that the country as a whole stood ready to follow the injunctions of the Government.

Our normal consumption of sugar in the four-month period beginning with July has been 400,000 tons per month, a total of 1,600,000, for the quarter year.

In July, when our sugar stringency began to reach its height, consumption was reduced to 260,000 tons. In August only 325,000 tons went into distribution and in September only 279,000 tons. In October the distribution fell to 230,000 tons.

If the general public had failed to observe the injunctions of the Food Administration this country would have been in the throes of a sugar famine before the end of August. Our visible supplies were so low as to bring great anxiety to those familiar with the sugar situation. They feared that it would be absolutely impossible to reduce consumption to a point where sugar would no longer be a mere luxury in the American diet.

Few accomplishments of the Food Administration will stand forth so predominantly as this reduced consumption of sugar. By it we have been able to bridge over the period of stringency until the new beet and Louisiana cane sugar crops were in sight.

Now the nation is in a position so that if we choose we may return to our normal home use of sugar, and Europe, with the release of ships to go far afield, can maintain its recent restricted rations. If, however, those nations are to increase their use of sugar very considerably it must be by our continued sharing with them through limiting our own consumption.

AMERICAN SPIRIT RELIED ON TO WIN.

In the light of succeeding events it is interesting to recall the confidence with which the United States Food Administrator viewed the gloomy outlook in July of 1917, when this country had been in the war for less than four months and the Germans were steadily sending the western front nearer and nearer to Paris.

"Even though the situation in Europe may be gloomy today," he declared in a public statement, "no American who has knowledge of the results already obtained in every direction need have one atom of fear that democracy will not defend itself in these United States."

LOYALTY IN LITTLE THINGS LAST PROOF OF PATRIOTISM

Americans without murmuring cut their sugar allowance from four pounds a month to three and then as long as need be to two pounds for loyalty's sake.

Food Will Win the World.

America earned the gratitude of allied nations during war by sharing food. America under peace may win the world's good will by saving to share.

America's
food pledge
20 million tons

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DEMOCRACY VS. AUTOCRACY.

"There is no royal road to food conservation. We can only accomplish this by the voluntary action of our whole people, each element in proportion to its needs. It is a matter of equality of burden."

The truth of this statement, made by the United States Food Administrator soon after we entered the war, has been borne out by the history of our exports. Autocratic food control in the lands of our enemies has broken down, while democratic food sharing has maintained the health and strength of this country and of the Allies.

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Stay with the Red Cross.

Caspar Dale has hay for sale.

Do your holiday shopping in Holt.

Winter has come to stay. Were you ready for it?

Miss Ruby Swan went to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Sheriff Hanson was in this vicinity yesterday on business.

Silas Severson stopped at J. E. Erickson's over Friday night.

Dehard Johnson was a business visitor in T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Miss Lydia Bjerk was an over Sunday visitor in Thief River Falls.

Canadian money will have to be discounted three per cent after this week.

J. J. Little came up from Madison, Wednesday to look after his farm interests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson visited at the John Simonson home Thanksgiving Day.

Are you looking for a job? The McGonnon Remedy Co. want a man. See their ad in this paper.

Lars Ring went to T. R. Falls Monday to meet his brother Axel who was returning from Camp Dodge.

Mrs. A. H. Ahlborn and Miss Selma Saastad were visitors in Thief River Falls from Monday until Wednesday.

All those who have been sick with the influenza are slowly recovering and there are no dangerous cases at present.

John Hagberg has been about laid up for a few days with a cracked rib, which he accidently sustained a short time ago.

Dr. Paulson was called Tuesday to see the Jno. O. Johnson family and Walmer Riesberg, all of whom were sick with the flu.

Double store building for sale or will trade for improved farm at Holt. Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls.

We had our first real snow Saturday night, a few inches falling and the weather turning colder, reminds us old man winter has arrived to stay.

Mrs. Halfdan Hanson and Mrs. T. B. Folden took the formers daughter, Miss Helen Hanson, to the Thief River Falls hospital yesterday, for medical treatment.

Help the Red Cross

We Need Money

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Torald Tharaldson
State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court
In the Matter of the Estate of Torald Tharaldson, Decedent

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to George W. Walker

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that the 3rd day of June 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the City of Warren in said County, be and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News as provided by law.

Dated Dec. 3, 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

[COURT SEAL]

4 THRIFT STAMPS GIVEN AWAY.

Four Thrift Stamps will be given to any girl or boy for each name sent of those that need glasses, if they will get them in gold frames on my next visit. Names must be sent before any date advertised. If this is not understood, write to C. G. Mugg, O. S., Grand Forks, N. D.

For Sale!

Buff Wyandotte cockerls for sale at $1.50 each.

Mrs. E. A. Erickson
R. 1 Holt, Minn.

For Sale Cheap.

Twelve room hotel doing a good business. Address Sam Mickelson
Holt Minn.

FOR SALE!

A matched team of colts, mare and gelding, coming three years old next spring.

Lars Chenil, Holt.

Notice

Lost—Two colts, one black gelding 2 years old, and one bay mare 1 year old. If found please notify

Bennie Vigen
Germantown, Minn.

Take Notice

Notice is hereby given that after Dec. 1st, 1918, a discount of three (3) per cent will be made on all Canadian money.

HOLT STATE BANK.

Notice!

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Nov. 27, 1818.

Notice is hereby given that Carl Fredrick Nielsen, of Golden Valley, Minn. who, on February 1, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 07243, for NE1-4, Section 28, Twp. 156N. Range 41W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 31st day of December, 1918

Claimant names as witnesses: Cleve Bergum, Melvin Olson, P. C. Rosand, all of Golden Valley, Minn., and C. F. Birkeland, of Holt, Minn.,

Peter M. Ringdal
Register.

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SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED AT THIS OFFICE

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.28
Oats	61
Barley	65 to .73
Rye	1.45
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

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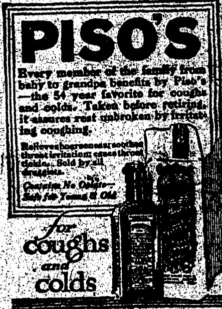

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Every member of the family from baby to grandpa benefits by Piso's—the 54 year favorite for coughs and colds. Taken before retiring, it assures rest unbroken by irritating coughing.

Relieves hoarseness; soothes throat irritation; eases throat tickle. Sold by all druggists.

Contains No Opiate—Safe for Young & Old

War Savings Stamps

Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without YOUR HELP or that Germany will let you keep your money if she Wins. Buy a Stamp

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale, by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named, is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Rudolph J. Jensen and Inez O. Jensen, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the state of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated January 27th 1916, and recorded in the office of of the register of deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of January, 1916, at eight o-clock A. M., in book 76 of mortgages, on page 579.

That the amount claimed to be due, and which is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of $69.19.

That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are as follows: The East Half of the Northwest Quarter and the West Half of the Northeast Quater of Section Four in Township One Hundred fifty five North of Range Forty one West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 4th day of January, 1919, at ten o'clock A. M. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes, if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the sum of $25.00 attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, subject to redemption within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated Nov. 18th, 1918.

HOLT STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota.
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 5, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 27th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest at rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

No lands will be sold to an alien, unless he has secured his first papers.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY

Eat Less —Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

State Historical Society

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell, phone 140.

Join the Red Cross for 1919.

Mail that Christmas parcel now.

Do your holiday trading in Holt.

Alfred Newton is sick at the hotel.

Nels Ouiley of Mud Lake returned from a visit at Oakly Tuesday.

John Stensrud of T. R. Falls came Saturday for a visit with friends out at Mud Lake.

Misses Amanda and Stella Mickelson were Thief River Falls visitors Friday and Saturday.

S. S. Kolden and H. M. Olson were Thief River Falls visitors Friday and Saturday.

Miss Ingeborg Nelson commenced working at the Bennes' Confectionery store, Wednesday.

Miss Helen Hanson who is in the hospital at Thief River Falls, is reported to be slowly improving.

Olaf Johnson returned home Wednesday from the Warren hospital and is getting along as well as could be expected.

Steve Peterson came down from Badger Friday for a short visit. We understand he is going to Warroad to work for a few weeks.

K. Brown and daughter of Wishek, N. D. came last week and are getting things ready to move onto the C. H. Gunheim farm which his brother has purchased.

Three cars of cattle were shipped from this station Tuesday to the twin city markets. J. M. Swan shipped two cars and J. J. Little one. Geo. Hanson went with Mr. Swan and Chas. Skoglund went with Mr. Littles' car.

There have been a few new cases of the influenza this week and last, not reported elsewhere in these columns, as follows: Nils Ness' family, Chas. McLane children, Victoria Johnson, Harald Gunheim and P. P. Reierson.

Mission meetings will be held here in the Free Mission church, commencing at 2 o'clock Christmas day and continue for several days. Rev. N. C. Carlson, Rev. Nyberg and Miss Carrie Norgard will all take part in the meetings.

About 25 young people gathered at the Ed O'Hara home last Saturday evening for a party in honor of Charley Dustal of Thief River Falls. Lunch was served at midnigth. The evening was spent in playing games and all present report a good time.

C. W. Christianson has sold his lot where the blacksmith shop is located, to the village and will move the building and use the lumber in it in making some changes on the Kolden machine shed which he has purchased and will fix up for a blacksmith shop.

The Red Cross needs and deserves your help and membership fee.

Army and Navy News

Returns From German Prison Camp

August Hoffman received another telegram Tuesday from Washington dated Dec. 9th. stating his son Private Frank Hoffman was officially reported released from a German prison camp and had returned to France in good health.

This is certainly good news for the family and friends of Private Hoffman and it is hoped Mr. Hoffman will arrive home in safety.

Severely Wounded

J. M. Ryan received a telegram Monday stating his son, Henry, had been severly wounded and was in a hospital. The telegram was dated Washington, Dec. 2, and reads as follows:

"Corporal Henry M. Ryan, Co. F. 38th Infantry, severely wounded in action under date of Oct. 5th, 1918, that he was in Base Hospital 85, A. E. F., under treatment for severe gunshot wound in right leg and left hand."

The above telegram was delayed a few days in reaching Mr. Ryan on account of a poor address and was first sent to Thief River Falls and then returned here, but we are unable to explain the delay in its being sent out from Washington.

Mr. Ryan received a letter from his son dated Oct. 23rd, in which he stated he was then able to sit up in bed while writing, but that he could not sit up very long at a time as it made him dizzy.

Before being wounded Corporal Ryan wrote home that he expected to eat Christmas dinner with his folks here. Altho they are now denied that privelege, they are thankful his life has been spared and that he will be able to return home later.

Death of Johnny Folden

Johnny, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Folden, died Tuesday forenoon at the hospital in Thief River Falls, about an hour after being operated upon for the removal of a large tumor. The operation itself was a success and he regained consciousness afterwards but the shock from it was more than the little fellow could stand and he expired peacefully and without any pain.

Mr. and Mrs. Folden had gone to Thief River Falls the day before and decided to risk an operation as it was certain he could not live with the tumor and neither could he be removed to his home in the condition in which he was. The Parents returned home Wednesday and brot back here the body of their beloved little son for the last sad rites of the funeral.

Johnny Robert Folden was born March 21st 1911 and was 7 years 8 months and 19 days old when he died. He was a bright little fellow and was loved by everybody and will be greatly missed in the family.

The funeral will be conducted by Rev. Kilen next Saturday afternoon, at two o'clock at the home and at 3 o'clock at the Folden cemetery where the interment will be made.

We wish to join with their many friends in extending heartfelt sympathy to the grief stricken parents and the other members of the family.

P. P. Reierson was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday.

Miss Amanda Mickelson has been working in the bank this week.

Ed. Nelson visited friends a few days this week in Thief River Falls.

Nils Engebretsen and family were Sunday guests at the Andrew Hanson home.

Child Welfare.

Baby's Drinking Water

The baby needs plenty of cool, answeetened water to drink. It is safe to boil all the drinking water for a baby, which should be given to a young baby lukewarm, never ice cold. Never put sugar or anything else in it. Offer it to the baby between feedings, in summer especially he needs to drink frequently. A "runabout" baby is constantly exercising while awake and requires a great deal of water. Fretful babies, especially those who are cutting teeth, are often quieted by a cool drink.

Mrs. Racine Olson accompanied by her sister Amanda Mickelson went to T. R. Falls Thursday where the former entered the Oakland Park Sanatorium for treatment.

Dr. Gambell was called Monday to see the following people, who had the flu: Gilbert Johnson and family, Nels Johnson, Iver Engebretsen family, Dan Nelson and the Fred Larson family.

GERMAN RETREAT BRINGS NEW WORK FOR RED CROSS

In France the retreat of the German armies and the redemption of wide territory has produced a tremendous expansion of all Red Cross activities. The German retreat widens the systematic destruction not only of cities and villages, but of practically everything in the evacuated territory.

It will be necessary to provide at once for the housing of homeless refugees in the devastated areas and in the temporary reconstruction of villages. It will be necessary to provide also [illegible] supplies, sewing machines, in addition to foodstuffs and medical supplies, throughout all this territory.

With the coming again of winter, the fight against tuberculosis must be taken up with renewed energy. Seventy-six tuberculosis hospitals have been completed and are in operation, but requirements have been made for ninety-six provisional hospitals, all to be in operation before winter. The Red Cross has adopted as a slogan "to visit every baby in France." It is estimated that 80,000 French babies died last year, 40,000 of whom might have been saved. One of the immediate objects of the Red Cross is to save those 40,000 babies in 1919.

Shoes for Belgian Children.

Faced with the fact that Belgian children are no different from any other in their ability to wear out shoes, the American Red Cross, figuratively, has gone in the shoe manufacturing business at Limoges, France. It will endeavor to make shoes for all the children in the various colonies in France which it is maintaining.

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THE EVERLASTING MERCY.

"For the sins of men God gave them repentance and for their wounds a healing balm.

"For the errors of men God gave them truth and for their sorrows a great consolation.

"For the hate of men God gave them love and for their greed the gift of sacrifice.

"And for the wars of man, which bring sin and sorrow, error, evil and greed, God gave them repentance and a healing balm, truth and a great consolation, love and the gift of sacrifice.

"And the symbol of these is the Red Cross."

This is the opinion of the Red Cross furnished by Rabbi Abba H. Silver of the Cleveland Temple.

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The Red Cross needs your help.

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg.
Office Phone 297 Call 1. Residence 297 Call 2

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Mabel and Ida Hagglund returned home Monday from Grand Forks where they have been visiting relatives.

RED CROSS TAKES HOME TO THE BOYS

The French soldiers have furloughs which they can spend at home. The English fighters go back to Blighty. But our boys have the ocean between them and home. They cannot come home on furlough, and it remains for the American Red Cross to try and take home to them.

This is particularly true in regard to the convalescent homes. Here all reversion to hospital life is avoided. Books, games, music, social evenings and home-like surroundings help them to throw off the grim business of war until they are really able to recover. The housekeeper is always a motherly woman, usually American, who looks after the comfort of her charges and helps them to pack up all imaginary troubles in the old kit bag.

The American Red Cross now has six of these homes in operation.

AMERICAN GIRLS BRING CHEER TO WOUNDED.

"My wound hurts like h——, but I don't intend to pass up this chance to talk to an American girl."

This sentiment, voiced by an American soldier, reflected the feelings of many of his wounded comrades when they arrived in Paris after the recent Franco-American drive north of Verdun, according to reports just received by the American Red Cross from workers in Paris. These reports, testifying to the wonderful cheerfulness of the wounded men, say that many of them refused to continue their journey to the hospital until they had a chance to chat with the American women in charge of the canteens.

Experimental Red Cross Dairy.

The American Red Cross has established an experimental dairy at one of the base hospitals in France. The French government has loaned 1,000 cows for this purpose and it is expected enough milk will be produced to supply some 20,000 injured fighters daily. For army doctors agree that fresh milk is vital in the speedy convalescence of the wounded men.

Work for the Refugees.

At Leghorn, Italy, there is a little shoe factory, which is furnishing work for the refugee families who are under the protection of the American Red Cross. It is but a little factory, but it is providing work, which means salaries, food and clothing for more than two dozen families from Sprezlano every month.

Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
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In the Matter of the Estate of Torald Tharaldson, Decedent

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to George W. Walker

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that the 3rd day of June 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the City of Warren in said County, be and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News as provided by law.

Dated Dec. 3, 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

[COURT SEAL]

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and Distribution

Estate Of Carl L. Anderson
State of Minnesota, County of Marshall In Probate Court.
In the Matter of the Estate of Carl L. Anderson, Decedent;

The State Of Minnesota To Anna Anderson, Carl Oscar Anderson, Carrie Elisabeth Anderson, Erick Ragnar Anderson, John Edwin Anderson, Helmer Levin Anderson, Gladys Evelen Anderson, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of January 1919, at 11 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 7th day of December 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Warren, Minnesota.

Meat Market Notice!

Meat Market Accounts are now past due
Please call and settle with us
or leave the amount at Holt State Bank
Postively No Credit After Dec. 1st, 1918

O. J. Basklund, Holt, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.38
Oats	61
Barley	67 to .75
Rye	1.41
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

Palace Barber Shop.

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
and
Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory

Edw. Nelson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale, by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named, is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Rudolph J. Jensen and Inez O. Jensen, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the state of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated January 27th 1916, and recorded in the office of of the register of deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of January, 1916, at eight o-clock A. M., in book 76 of mortgages, on page 579.

That the amount claimed to be due, and which is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of $69.19.

That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are as follows: The East Half of the Northwest Quarter and the West Half of the Northeast Quater of Section Four in Township One Hundred fifty five North of Range Forty one West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 4th day of January, 1919, at ten o'clock A. M. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes, if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the sum of $25.00 attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, subject to redemption within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated Nov. 18th, 1918.

HOLT STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY

Eat Less —Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

GOOD NEWS

A Lady in Texas Tells How She Regained and Keeps Her Health.

Every household should have at hand all the time a dependable remedy with which to fight catarrh and catarrhal conditions.

The experience of Mrs. M. E. Berkley, No. 1322 27th St., Galveston, Tex., is not unique, but her letter does carry a vigorous "safety first" suggestion to every American home: "I wish to tell you of the good Peruna has been to me. I have used it five years and have never found it other than satisfactory as a remedy for colds, catarrh, indigestion and many other ailments. I am never without Peruna."

Coughs, colds, catarrh, grip and influenza cannot safely be neglected. Any disease due to catarrhal inflammation of the mucous lining, whether of the nasal passages, throat, lungs, stomach, bowels, kidneys, bladder or other organs, is to be feared. Catarrh is always a menace to the general health and on account of its prevalence must be fought and fought hard all the time.

Thousands place their entire dependence upon the well known time-tried remedy, Peruna. Dr. Hartman began selling Peruna for catarrh forty-five years ago. Try Peruna first and avoid possible disappointment and expense.

Tablet or liquid form. Sold everywhere.

Keeping the Faith.

A man returning from Philadelphia tells of a ragged newsboy who, after his papers were all sold, still stood near Independence hall lustily shouting the news of Germany's surrender. "I'm just a-doin' what the Liberty bell would do if it could," explained the little patriot.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Vital Question.

Mrs. Johnson—Sistah Martha has jest got a divo'ce f'um her husband.

Mrs. Jackson—You don't say. How much ammonia did de cou't grant her?—Boston Transcript.

There is no parting so bitter as the parting of a quinine capsule just as you are in the act of swallowing it.

His satanic majesty must have a lot of branch offices.

Acid-Stomach Ruins Health of Millions

Besides those painful attacks of indigestion; that awful bloated, lumpy feeling after eating and downright stomach misery that you who have experienced it know so well; besides disgusting belching, food-repeating, sour stomach and distressing heartburn—besides all this, ACID-STOMACH undermines the health and saps the strength of millions.

If you don't get rid of those stomach miseries there is no telling where your stomach troubles will end, for it is a well known scientific fact that many serious ailments have their start in an acid-stomach.

Start now—this very day to get rid of your stomach miseries—take EATONIC—the wonderful remedy that absorbs the excess acid from the stomach and brings INSTANT relief. You simply have no idea how much better, stronger and brighter you feel at once. It drives out all the gas and bloat, puts an immediate stop to belching and heartburn, ends stomach suffering and makes it cool, sweet, comfortable and strong.

There can be no further excuse for you to allow acid-stomach to wreck your health—pile up misery upon misery until you get to the point where you feel down and out and that life has lost all its joys. Remember, just as acid-mouth ruins teeth, so acid-stomach ruins health.

Take EATONIC. It's good, just like a bit of candy and makes the stomach feel fine. You can then eat the things you like and, what is more, every mouthful you eat will count in creating power and energy. You'll feel so much better—have punch and pep—the power and will to do things and get results, and your stomach misery will be gone.

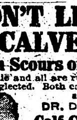
Take our advice. Get a big box of EATONIC from your druggist today, it costs so little. If it fails to remove your stomach distress, he will refund your money. That is guaranteed, you are to be satisfied or money refunded.

TAKE EATONIC TODAY
(FOR YOUR STOMACH'S SAKE)
Magic Relief for Bad Stomachs

DON'T LET YOUR CALVES DIE

from Scours or Calf Choler

Many die and all are ruined if these ailment are neglected. Both can positively be preventa and overcome with



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Consult DR. DAVID ROBER about all animal ailments. I formation free. Send for pr list of medicines and get FR copy of "The Cattle Specialist" with full inf mation on Abortion in Cows. DR. DAVID ROBER VETERINARY CO., 100 Grand Ave., Waukesha, W

Important News Events of the World Summarized

U. S.—Teutonic War News

A London dispatch says Reuter's Limited has received from a Greek source figures showing that in the spring of 1914 the Turks deported 700,000 Greeks, of whom 500,000 are now refugees in Greece. Since the war to the end of 1917 the Turks deported 2,140,000 Greeks and Armenians, of whom 900,000 Armenians and 760,000 Greeks have been massacred and 200,000 mobilized Greeks have been put to death or have died of their sufferings.

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A correspondent with the Americans in Prussia says the Third army now occupies about 400 square miles of German territory, including scores of towns and villages. The Americans encountered little hostilities from the inhabitants. While hundreds lined the streets in Treves there was absolutely silence.

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A dispatch from the headquarters of the American army of occupation says no demonstrations, either friendly or hostile, marked the entry of Major General Dickman's army into Germany. The frontier was crossed early in the day and by nightfall the Americans had moved forward 12 miles, reaching Radgen on the left and Saarholzbach on the right. The line extended along the Saar river and through Saarburg and Treves.

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News reaching London from Amsterdam indicates that the kaiser's abdication decree was published at the request of the Dutch government.

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American troops crossed the frontier into Prussia at daylight Sunday, behind the German rear guards. Treves is the most important city thus far occupied. Four American soldiers dispersed a mob of thousands at Esch after it had wrecked 28 shops in revenge for the overcharging of Americans.

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An American liner will sail from a French port soon for Rotterdam, where it will take on board 96 American officers and 2,000 men, who have been prisoners of war in Germany. They will be brought to France before being taken to America.

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The Forty-second division (the Rainbow) of the American expeditionary forces in France has been cited by Maj. Gen. Charles P. Summerall, commanding the Fifth army corps, for the service rendered and the bravery displayed by its personnel. The general order, issued by General Summerall at the headquarters of the corps in France, has reached Washington.

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European War News

Vehement protests against Italy's claim to the eastern shore of the Adriatic as part of her share of the war spoils were entered at the national congress of Serbians at Chicago.

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The vanguard of the American party which will be in Paris during the sessions of the peace conference sailed from New York on the new American steamship Orizaba. The members of the party included more than a hundred newspaper correspondents and those who will act in a secretarial and clerical capacity to members of the peace mission.

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The Christiania Aftenposten says the bolsheviki have raided the Norwegian legation at Petrograd and stolen confidential papers belonging to the Norwegian and Swiss governments.

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Austria-Hungary lost 4,000,000 killed and wounded during the war, according to a dispatch from Copenhagen. Eight hundred thousand men were killed, including 17,000 officers. The German losses were placed at 6,330,000 by the Socialist Vorwaerts of Berlin, on November 20. The newspaper's estimate, which was u. official, said that up to October 31, 1,580,000 German soldiers had been killed and the fate of 200,000 was not known. Four million soldiers were wounded and 490,000 were prisoners.

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Foreign

Russian bolshevik troops have crossed the River Narva on a broad front and have entered Esthonia, between the Gulf of Finland and Lake Peipus, says a dispatch from Stockholm.

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The giant British liner Aquitania reached Halifax with 4,000 returned Canadian soldiers on board.

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A Vienna dispatch says that on all sides in the former Austrian empire pleas are heard that American troops be sent to keep order.

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Germany's war debt, not counting any indemnities the allies may demand, is $50,000,000,000, according to a Munich dispatch to the London Daily Mail, quoting the Bavarian minister of finance.

Bucharest was burning Sunday, according to reports from Berlin received at Copenhagen. Peasant revolts are said to have broken out in all parts of Roumania.

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A London dispatch says that in an election manifesto the British labor party warns the coalition government against opposing the new European democracies and demands the immediate withdrawal of allied forces from Russia, free trade, the nationalization of land, mines, railways, shipping, armaments and electric power. The party also demands that the taxes be levied on capital and that there be a complete abolition of conscription.

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Germany must pay a war indemnity up to her capacity, Premier Lloyd George announced in an address at Newcastle-on-Tyne. At the same time Mr. Lloyd George declared there would be a "sternly just peace." As to indemnities, the prime minister said: "The principle always has been that the loser must pay. That is the principle we should now proceed upon regarding Germany. She must pay the cost up to her capacity."

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Reports from the Baltic province of Esthonia say that Russian bolshevik troops on Tuesday captured Pskov, 160 miles southwest of Petrograd. The fate of the volunteer northern army was unknown.

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Paris is already badly overcrowded and indications are that the convening of the peace conference will see conditions unequaled in any other city. It will be practically out of the question to get rooms in any of the hotels.

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Kurt Eisner, the Bavarian premier, has caused the arrest of a German courier on his way to Austria, according to a Berlin dispatch to the Berlingske Tidende. The courier's documents were seized.

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Former Emperor Charles of Austria is suffering from a mental depression, according to the Kreutz Zeitung of Berlin. He sits for hours at his desk staring vacantly.

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Washington

Secretary McAdoo says it will require a total of $7,443,415,858.07 to conduct the United States government during the fiscal year of 1920. The total estimates for the fiscal year of 1919 was $29,879,821,548.74.

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A London dispatch says Reginald's "Secret History" says it learns President Wilson will be nominated for the Nobel peace prize, 1918. The paper adds announcement to this effect will be made by the British embassy in Washington shortly.

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General Pershing cabled the war department at Washington that every effort is being made to report promptly the complete record of casualties among his forces. Reports of death are forwarded by cable to Washington as rapidly as received, he said, but as the army is on the march there is increasing difficulty in checking casualty lists.

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Government war contracts involving hundreds of millions of dollars were rendered doubtful in status by a decision of Comptroller Warwick of the treasury at Washington that orders have not been legally executed unless actually signed by responsible government contracting agents and contractors.

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President Wilson at Washington made public the American delegates who are to accompany him to France to participate in the world peace conference. Besides the president, the American delegates will be: Secretary of State Lansing; Henry White, formerly American ambassador to France; Edward M. House, Gen. Tasker H. Bliss.

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Domestic

Dr. Edward A. Rumely of New York, who bought the New York Evening Mail with money said to have been furnished by the German government, was indicted by a federal grand jury at Washington for failing to report German ownership of the property to the alien property custodian.

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Notice was received by the war department at Washington of the sailing from Liverpool on November 29 of the steamer Ascanius for New York with 47 officers and 1,427 men, and the steamer Canopic for Boston with 40 officers and 1,047 men. All on both steamers are aero units except a few casuals and unattached officers.

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A Sacramento (Cal.) dispatch says Governor Stephens has commuted to life imprisonment the sentence to death of Thomas J. Mooney, who was to die on December 13.

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The British steamship Mauretania, which returned to the United States the first large body of American overseas troops, docked at New York Monday. The bulk of the returning soldiers are men from the airplane training camps in England, but there are also several men from the American construction and radio units and about 300 civilian passengers aboard.

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Ten large steamships aggregating 379 gross tons were lost by the White Star line during the war, it was learned at New York.

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels needs a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhœa, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

Queens and Tobacco.

There are queens hostile to the use of tobacco, such as Queen Mary of England; there are others, and more numerous, who do not disdain to smoke in their intimacy a good number of cigarettes.

Queen Amelia of Portugal, for instance was wedded to tobacco. She undoubtedly had this passion for tobacco from her mother, the countess of Paris, who even smoked cigars, and one day took to the pipe.

The dowager empress of Russia likewise enjoyed smoking, and her daughter-in-law, the tsaritzh, when drinking te consumed innumerable cigarettes.

Queen Nathalia of Serbia, the queen of Roumania and in general all Balkan princesses worship Turkish tobacco and the whole day long smoke perfumed cigarettes.

Soothe Itching Skins

With Cuticura. Bathe with Cuticura Soap and hot water, dry and apply the Ointment. This usually affords relief and points to speedy healment. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Not Frederick!

"You sign this deed of your own free will, do you, madam?" asked the lawyer.

"What do you mean by that?" demanded the large, florid-faced woman.

"I mean there has been no compulsion on the part of your husband. Has there?"

"M'm!" she ejaculated, turning to look at a little meek man sitting behind her. "Frederick? I'd like to see him compulse me."

TOO WEAK TO FIGHT

The "Come-back" man was really never down-and-out. His weakened condition because of overwork, lack of exercise, improper eating and living demands stimulation to satisfy the cry for a health-giving appetite and the refreshing sleep essential to strength. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, the National Remedy of Holland, will do the work. They are wonderful. Three of these capsules each day will put a man on his feet before he knows it; whether his trouble comes from uric acid poisoning, the kidneys, gravel or stone in the bladder, stomach derangement or other ailments that befall the over-zealous American. The best known, most reliable remedy for these troubles is GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This remedy has stood the test for more than 200 years since its discovery in the ancient laboratories in Holland. It acts directly and gives relief at once. Don't wait until you are entirely down-and-out, but take them today. Your druggist will gladly refund your money if they do not help you. Accept no substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box, three sizes. They are the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil Capsules.—Adv.

Severe Injury.

Civilian—"How did you get that wound stripe?" Private—"Me heart broke when we didn't march to Berlin."

To Some Extent.

"Mrs. Gaddy claims that she made her husband."

"So she did; she made a fool of him."

When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy

No Smarting — Just Eye Comfort. 50 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

COBLENZ UNDER MARTIAL LAW

Under Control of U. S. Troops to Maintain Order Ahead of Army's Arrival.

REDS MENACE BERLIN

Machine Guns Placed As Liebnecht Addresses Crowd—10,000 Red Guard Ordered to Quell Riots in Capital.

Washington, Dec. 10.—General Dupont of the French army has arrived in Berlin, according to advices received here, and has established his headquarters in the palace formerly occupied by the French embassy. General Dupont has been entrusted with the transport and repatriation of French prisoners held in Germany.

With the Americans in Prussia, Dec. 10.—American troops are in Coblenz. The detachment comprises about 1,000 men.

The remainder of the Third Army will come up as planned. The Second Battalion will declare martial law in Coblenz and guard public utilities.

Copenhagen, Dec. 10.—Ten thousand members of the Republican guard were ordered under arms in Berlin to quell rioting there, according to dispatches received from that city.

The best Bolshevik organizers from Russia are arriving in Berlin to lead the Spartacus group. Among them is said to be "Lewine."

It is not known whether this is a mis-spelling of Premier Lenine's name.

Machine Guns Command Streets.

Berlin, Dec. 10.—Eager to make members of the Spartacus party martyrs as the result of previous rioting, Dr. Karl Liebknecht, leader of this faction, lost no time staging a spectacular open air meeting at the Tiergarten. His call for the meeting brought forth 4,000 munition workers who had responded to the demand for a general walkout.

These men and women marched through Unter den Linden to the Tiergarten until they reached the point where the avenue of Victory intersects the base of one of the granite statues erected in honor of the Hohenzollerns and made an address. The semi-circle of Dr. Liebknecht's auditors was flanked on all sides by machine guns mounted on motor trucks which commanded all approaches. Dr. Liebknecht harangued the crowd in his familiar style, indicting Frederick Ebert, the premier, Philipp Scheidemann and other "Kaiser Socialists" of complicity in the rioting. He called upon the masses to organize Red Guards and beat off the attacks of counter revolutionists.

At a late hour Berlin was absolutely quiet. It is estimated by the Tageblatt that the number of deserters that Berlin is feeding exceeds 60,000. Premier Ebert and his cabinet held a secret session with the executive committee of the soldiers and workmen's council discussing the rioting. Over 19 mass meetings of conflicting parties were announced.

BREST TO WELCOME WILSON

Unique Celebration Being Arranged for His Arrival.

Brest, Dec. 10.—Brest is preparing to outdo itself in the reception of President Wilson when he lands.

"The importance of an event unique in the history of the world will escape none of us," the mayor's proclamation says. "Breaking with the tradition of isolation the new world sends to the old continent, the cradle of its ancestors, the eminent man who is the incarnation of the ideal of free America. A universal union of peoples is in preparation after the downfall of the powers of carnage and oppression."

The committee in charge of the fete intends to have a group of Breton men and women wearing picturesque costumes on the wharf to greet the president when he lands.

All the rooms in the hotels of the city have been reserved for the day of the president's arrival.

SAYS KAISER NOT TO BLAME

Harden Asserts He Is Coward and Did Not Call War.

London, Dec. 10.—Maximilian Harden, editor of the Berlin Zukunft, in an interview with the correspondent of the Express, declared the impression abroad concerning former Emperor William is a false one. He said he himself had suffered too much through the former emperor to incur a charge of partiality, but it was fact that William Hohenzollern had no personal part in willing the war, but was a tool in the hands of the military party, by which he was regarded as a coward.

Germans Surrendering Airplanes.

London, Dec. 10.—The surrender of 2,000 German airplanes has been proceeding during the past week and it is expected the full complement of enemy machines will shortly be in the Allies' hands. Certain difficulties and attempted evasions connected with the precise proportion of the various types of aircraft to be turned over and the air worthiness of some of the machines surrendered are now being adjusted in response to firm representations by Marshal Foch on behalf of the Allies.

GIRLS! LOTS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

A small bottle of "Danderine" makes hair thick, glossy and wavy.

Removes all dandruff, stops itching scalp and falling hair.

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—it costs but a few cents—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance, freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre, and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp—Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower, destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp, and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this. Adv.

Making Things Worse.

It was at a party. He slipped up and tweaked her ear. She turned her head.

"Beg pardon," he stammered. "I thought it was my wife."

"It is quite all right," the lady replied.

"You see," he went on, "we sometimes get the wrong sow by the ear—"

And that was about all for him.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Cruel Treatment.

Yeast—The Germans in the internment camps in this country say we are treating them cruelly.

Crimsonbeak—How so?

"They claim we're taking all the 'kick' out of the beer we let 'em have."

It is better to live in the foggy present than in the misty past.

Your Labor Counts—every ounce of work you do helps some soldier. This war was fought as truly in the household and in the work-shop as it was in the trenches.

Some of our American women are borne down physically and mentally, by the weaknesses of their sex. They suffer from backache, dragging sensation, are very nervous and have pain in top of head. If they ask their neighbors they will be told to take a *Favorite* Prescription of Dr. Pierce's which has been so well and favorably known for the past half century.

Weak women should try it now. Don't wait! Today is the day to begin. This temperance tonic and nervine will bring vim, vigor and vitality. Send Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c. for trial pkg. tablets. It promotes perfect regularity. It soothes and strengthens the nerves, drives away despondency, and gives a healthy appetite and refreshing sleep. It makes weak women strong.

It is a wonderful prescription prepared only from nature's roots and herbs with no alcohol to falsely stimulate and no narcotic to wreck the nerves.

Write Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. for free confidential medical advice.

THE MAKING OF A FAMOUS MEDICINE

How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Is Prepared For Woman's Use.

A visit to the laboratory where this successful remedy is made impresses even the casual looker-on with the reliability, accuracy, skill and cleanliness which attends the making of this great medicine for woman's ills.

Over 350,000 pounds of various herbs are used annually and all have to be gathered at the season of the year when their natural juices and medicinal substances are at their best.

The most successful solvents are used to extract the medicinal properties from these herbs.

Every utensil and tank that comes in contact with the medicine is sterilized and as a final precaution in cleanliness the medicine is pasteurized and sealed in sterile bottles.

It is the wonderful combination of roots and herbs, together with the skill and care used in its preparation which has made this famous medicine so successful in the treatment of female ills.

The letters from women who have been restored to health by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which we are continually publishing attest to its virtue.

Cuticura Heals Itching Burning Skin Troubles

[illegible]

Minnesota [illegible] Lands. No residence required. [illegible] buys deeded quarter with [illegible]. Box [illegible], Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Her Title.

Bacon—I understand his wife has a position now?

Egbert—Yes. She's working at a ribbon counter in a department store.

"And does he call her his better half?"

"No; his counterpart."

Cure pimples, headache, bad breath by taking May Apple, Aloe, Jalap rolled into a tiny sugar pill called Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

HAD EXAMPLE BEFORE HIM

Lop-Eared Youth Could Not Doubt That Some People Could Speak Fast Without Stuttering.

A venerable citizen of the Straddle Ridge neighborhood entered a lunchroom in Polkville, dragging after him a gander-necked, lop-eared youth.

"What kind o' pie have ye got yere?" he asked of the brisk waitress.

"Peach, apple, mince, raisin, punkin, apercot, mince, raisin and cokernut custard!" she answered with considerable rapidity.

"Ptu—which?" returned the old fellow.

The young lady repeated the list with still greater speed.

"Please say that over ag'in, if you'd jest as liv'," requested the ancient man.

"Say, lookee here!" demanded the waitress. "Can't you understand anything?"

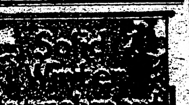
"Oh, yes'm; I understand all right!" He turned to the lop-eared youth. "There now, Emmett!" he triumphantly said. "You see, it's jest as I told you; a person kin talk as fast as he pleases without stutterin', if he'll only take keer!"—Judge.

Introspection.

"Aren't you a trifle self-centered?"

"Can't help it. It's hard for a man to keep his mind off himself after he has tried to do his duty by an income tax report and a few questionnaires."

To be trusted is often a greater compliment than to be loved.



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STATE BREVITIES

Ortonville.—Nels Lindgren, the first settler in Ortonville township, is dead. He settled on his claim here in 1870 and the log house in which he resided is still in existence. He leaves eleven children.

Keewatin. — The "flu" situation in this section is greatly improved. There were one or two new cases reported the first of the week, but they are on the road to recovery. The village hospital has discharged two cases.

St. Cloud.—The St. Cloud Commercial club adopted a resolution in favor of prohibiting the teaching of German in public schools throughout the United States. A committee to be elected later will take steps to make this a national measure.

St. Cloud.—St. Cloud has been divided into four sections for the Red Cross membership drive. Milton Guthman, chairman, and Walter Niskern and F. A. R. Moore, who form the central committee for Stearns county, have mapped out the local work.

Stillwater.—A farmer named Louis Zeiger was fined $250 and given four months in the county jail here for calling Wilson a vile name and for saying he would rather throw his money into the St. Croix river than to put it into Liberty bonds. Zeiger pleaded guilty under the espionage act.

Anoka.—A peace celebration will be held here Dec. 16 in the Armory, with a seating capacity of 5,000. President M. L. Burton of the University of Minnesota and Former Representative J. Adam Bede have been invited to speak, and state officials are asked to join in the celebration.

St. Paul.—The state of Minnesota derives a total revenue this year of $4,465,107 from the iron ore properties, an increase of more than 18 per cent over 1917, according to a statement issued by the tax commission. Including taxes for state, county, school and municipal purposes, the taxes on the mineral properties aggregate $10,564,890 for 1918, payable in 1919.

Grand Rapids.—Lewis Dane loaded five mutton lambs into the tonneau of his automobile, wired them in with woven wire and took the animals to the market at Nashwauk. Farmers who wish to take the trouble to haul their produce, etc., to the range towns, according to the reports, and to hunt up a market for the same, are usually well repaid for time and energy.

Moorhead.—In Clay county, during the last crop year, 2,616,574 bushels of wheat was produced, according to reports filed with A. C. O'Banion, the county farm agent, by the threshermen in compliance with the orders of the Federal food administration. The reports give the wheat acreage for the county at 113,904 acres, making an average wheat production of 22.97 bushels an acre.

Hill City.—This place is experiencing another siege of the "flu." This time it appears in the form of a sore throat followed by a high fever. Seven new cases were reported in the Woodenware factory and many local cases are again appearing. Undertaker O. F. Williams and Miss Laura Fuhrman, local school teacher, are among those confined to their homes with the disease.

Chisholm. — Chisholm's pledge of $35,500 to the United War Work fund, which was made by the local defense league and which covered the village quota of $28,400 plus 25 per cent, which was to make up for the deficit which would result from no subscription being made in the district swept by forest fires, has practically been paid through heavy contributions made by the mining companies, according to D. C. Hackett, secretary of the defense league.

Cloquet.—Cloquet's fire-fighting quartet, who with their chief constitute the village's department, have decided to become metropolitan. They insisted on the double platoon system, which would allow them twelve hours' liberty in twenty-four, and, failing to accomplish results by their insistence, they quit. "We can't take chances on living all day and all night in the shack they call the fire station," said Alfred Galerneu. Galerneu is one of the members who quit. The others are Ed. Blake, John Johnson and Ray Goodman. "If they'll put the double platoon system in effect," said Galerneu, "we'll go back." Chief Maghan is now Cloquet's fire department.

St. Paul.—Donald Stearns, Blue Earth, treasurer-elect of Faribault county, has had thrust on him the distinction of being the first discharged soldier to be elected to public office in Minnesota, according to reports at the Capitol. Enlisting in the air service, Young Stearns went into training at Kelly Field, near San Antonio, Texas, and in an accident lost the sight of one eye. He was honorably discharged and returned to his home in Blue Earth shortly before the election, according to the report. Friends there, in recognition of his patriotism, ran him with "stickers" for county treasurer, and he defeated M. J. Haase, who had held the office for many years.

Winona.—George Norris finished 51 years' service on the Northwestern railroad when he stepped from the cab of his locomotive at Tracy, after completing his run from Waseca. He formerly ran into Winona. He was 70 on Oct. 15 and was the oldest engineer on the road in point of service.

Virginia.—According to word from the Twin Cities the body of Al G. Flournoy, well known Virginian, which was taken to St. Paul Thursday, was cremated following funeral exercises conducted by the St. Paul Elks, and the ashes were buried in the Flournoy family plot, St. Paul.

Minneapolis.—On account of the influenza situation the convention of the State Horticultural society, to have been held in the West hotel, has been postponed.

Baudette. — T. J. Clauson sold forty acres of cedar stumpage in Rapid River township to Ernest Erickson of Roseau. Mr. Erickson will commence cutting the timber at once.

St. Peter.—With nearly 100 cases of influenza and a shortage of nurses and other help, a serious situation at the St. Peter state hospital for insane was reported to the state board of control.

Stillwater.—Lieut. Richard F. Kaiser has cabled his family from Bordeaux, France, that he will sail for the United States some time in December. Lieut. Kaiser is a member of the 338th field artillery.

Stillwater.—Nels N. Johnson, a former well known resident of Stillwater, who died suddenly at Minneapolis, aged 76 years, was the superintendent in charge of the Stillwater Gas & Electric Light Co. here for about thirty years.

East Grand Forks.—Hard coal is coming into the city in small lots. One dealer received two carloads of nut coal, with instructions from fuel headquarters to distribute it in one-ton lots to the signers so that everyone would have at least a small amount to burn until more can reach the city.

Dilworth.—Herman Kemp, 35, a local merchant, has been missing from his home eleven days, and officials have been searching the past three days for him without success. Several weeks ago he was found wandering about the fields near Dilworth and was placed in a Moorhead hospital for observation. He subsequently was released.

Cloquet.—The J. P. Olson estate, owners of the Northeastern hotel on Dunlap island, has sold the property to the Cloquet lodge of the Scandinavian Fraternity of America. The lodge has leased the building to the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety to be used as a hospital while needed in the fire-devastated regions of Carlton county.

Minneapolis.—No trace of incendiarism in the fire which destroyed the shell casing plant of the Minneapolis Steel & Machinery company, with a loss of $500,000, has been discovered. Many of the 1,500 men thrown out of work by the fire have been given employment through the United States employment service, George L. Weaver, local director, said.

St. Paul.—More than $86,000 of contributions to the state forest fire relief fund have passed through Governor Burnquist's office. Late contributions include $472.35 from Martin county citizens; $100 from the Red Cross at Armstrong, Iowa; $37 from Willmar; $40 from Huntley; $14 from Perley; $5 each from Cold Spring Eyota and Zumbrota, and $3 from Jud, N. D.

Thief River Falls.—Arthur J. Cloutier, 35 years of age, a fireman in the employ of the Soo railroad, died of pneumonia following influenza. Mrs Cloutier, who had been in constant attendance on her husband during his illness, also contracted the disease and died. The sudden calling of this young couple leaves four children, the eldest 11 and the youngest 3 years parentless.

Mankato.—A brewery, operated for sixty years by a German refugee and his descendants, will probably be torn down soon as a result of the beer prohibition order. After the revolution of 1849 in Germany failed, William Bierbauer fled to the United States. With other refugees, he came to Mankato, which was just being settled. In 1858, Bierbauer built a brewery. Since that time the plant has continuously been in operation. It was shut down on Nov. 30.

St. Paul.—Two members of the state board of law examiners resigned and the vacancies were filled by order of the state supreme court. John H. Ray, Jr., of Minneapolis, resigned after obtaining a commission in the military insurance department at Washington. He is succeeded by William M. Jerome of Minneapolis. Gustaf Youngquist of Crookston resigned after being commissioned in the judge advocate's office at Washington. His seat is given N. F. Fiedl of Fergus Falls.

St. Paul.—Minnesota is mobilizing to play a leading role in the nation wide drive to find suitable employment for the nation's fighters as they are demobilized. All the great government and private organizations in the United States which have been actively concerned with the prosecution of the war and in particular with the welfare of the soldiers here and overseas are being enlisted and united in a great drive to assure a proper job for each man.

St. Paul.—Payment of $14,413.3 was made to the state in settlement of state timber claims against R. L. Horr & Co., International Falls. The settlement was accepted by Attorney General Clifford L. Hilton on the recommendation of Oscar Arneson, state superintendent of timber. The suits were brought to recover under alleged short scales. Rescales were made in some instances and found impossible in others because of fires. For that reason it was deemed best to accept the settlement offered.

Winona.—Brig.-Gen. G. H. McManus who was mentioned in the dispatches as embarkation officer at the port of New York, is a brother of O. J. McManus of this city, and the news of Gen. McManus' elevation in rank from colonel to brigadier came to his brother in Winona from reading the dispatch.

Bemidji.—The board of directors of the Red Cross decided to employ a stenographer and secure suitable quarters for the mass of work that is confronting the chapter officials to carry on civilian relief work for families of soldiers.

BERLIN TROOPS URGE REPUBLIC

Riots Break Out in German Capital When Government Soldiers Stop Parade.

WANT EBERT AS HEAD

Chancellor, When Asked to Head New Republic, Says He Cannot Without Consent of the Present Government.

Copenhagen, Dec. 9.—The "German republic and her first president, Comrade Ebert," have been hailed by an organized demonstration of soldiers and sailors at Berlin. The Wolff bureau, the semi-official news agency, thus described the incident:

"On Friday evening soldiers and sailors armed with rifles demonstrated before the chancellor's palace. Their leaders spoke as follows:

"German stands on the brink of a catastrophe. We demand a national assembly be summoned on December 20. The executive council must no longer be able to put pressure on the government. Long live the German republic and her first president, Comrade Ebert."

Ebert Urges Patience.

Chancellor Ebert replied that the administration must remain in the hands of the government. He counselled patience until the congress of the workmen's and soldiers' councils had decided regarding the convocation of a national assembly.

A sailor from Kiel spoke up: "I will put a straight question, whether Comrade Ebert will agree to our selection of him as president of the German republic."

The chancellor replied:

"Not without conferring with the government."

The soldiers and sailors then marched away.

Parading Soldiers Slain.

There was a lively exchange of shots resulting in the killing of 16 persons and the wounding of 15 others when soldiers parading in Berlin as a demonstration against not being represented on the executive council of the soldiers and workmen, refused to disperse.

Newspapers in the German capital say that soldiers on leave and desert-ert were holding a meeting to protest at not being represented on the soldiers' council when they heard the announcement that the executive commitee of the Berlin soldiers' and workmen's council had been arrested. The meeting organized a demonstration which was broken up by soldiers with machine guns.

ASQUITH WANTS COMPLETE UNDERSTANDING WITH U. S.

Former Premier on Record for League of Nations and Punishment for Criminal War Lords.

London, Dec. 9.—Herbert H. Asquith, former prime minister, speaking at Rochdale, Lancashire, Saturday, ranged himself alongside those who have declared that the men responsible for the war and the atrocities shall receive adequate punishment.

The allied powers, he said, had announced their joint intention of summoning the late heads of the German government and state before some kind of international tribunal.

Insists on Justice.

There was a broad distinction between errors, even lying and wicked errors, of policy and a deliberate and systematic refraction of rules which rest for their sanction not only on international usage, but on the incidents which atended the devastation of Belgian territory, the sinking of passenger ships and the almost incredible brutality of the maltreatment of allied prisoners of war.

"We ought to insist that justice be done," declared Mr. Asquith, "and that not only the forms, but the spirit, of justice—the meting out to the wrong doer of his due, not less and not more—should be scrupulously observed."

Favors League of Nations.

Referring to the significance of the visit of President Wilson to Europe, Mr. Asquith said that for permanent purposes the world was a new one. These purposes, he contended, would not only not have been achieved, but there would have been no advance toward their achievement, unless before the president returned a league of nations had begun to be translated from formula into fact.

In his judgment the best security against the dangers which beset the coming conference was the maintenance in its fullest and freest sense of real understanding between the allies and the United States.

McAdoo to Lose Two Weeks' Pay.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Secretary McAdoo, who quit the cabinet because his salary was insufficient, now faces the predicament of working two weeks for the government for nothing. He will retire as secretary of treasury, December 16, and his pay at the rate of $12,000 a year will stop. Until January 1, however, he will continue as director general of the railroads, for which he receives nothing, although his regional directors receive $40,000 a year. From December 16 to January 1 he will be off the payroll.

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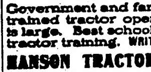

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T OF MANY RACES ED CROSS MAKES ONE

NE of the greatest services which the Red Cross is performing in this war is the unification of the races of which America is composed through the Home Service, ich, through its 10,000 committees, looking after the welfare of the soldiers' families in every corner of the ntry. America has always been lled the Melting Pot, and truly, but process has been slow. The war s accelerated it. The Indians of the st, the negroes of the south, the Italians and Eastern Europeans of our industrial centers, the Mexicans of the uthwest, Armenians and Swedes and rwegians and Japanese and Icelanders—all are now enlisted under one g, and were whole heartedly in the ar because it was America's war and ey are Americans.

That they feel this is patent to those who have seen and talked with these en. Witness the Italian, who in the sembly hall of one of our mobilization camps was waiting with a group his fellows to take the oath of allegiance. He stepped forward suddenly with tears in his eyes and with a vivid gesture pressed a corner of the American flag that hung over the desk front of him to his lips. A group of native born soldiers who had been looking on with amused indifference broke into applause and cheers. From then on these Italians were their brother Americans.

Such work as this is valuable not only for the morale of the men; it is binding the nation into one organic whole as it has never been bound before. To give concrete expression to this unity the Red Cross plans through its Christmas Roll Call, to be held the week beginning December 16, to increase its membership from 22,000,000 to the limit of available membership. It wishes to give in this way notice to the world that every American, irrespective of creed or birth, stands squarely and uncompromisingly for the principles for which we have been fighting—that America is one and indivisible pledged solidly for honor and mercy and good faith.

SICK FOLKS HUSTLE FOR THE RED CROSS

Through the National Tuberculosis Association and the Journal of the Outdoor Life, its official magazine, a campaign is being organized to get tuberculosis patients of the country to enlist every fellow "cure chaser" as a member of the Red Cross during the coming Red Cross Christmas Roll Call. Special campaigns have been organized in all of the large sanatoria, of which there are nearly 600 scattered throughout the United States. Efforts will be made to enroll one hundred per cent in each institution and also to go after all patients and enroll them as well. Every patient in the sanatorium will be responsible to get one more patient. The movement will be a contribution of the tuberculosis patients of the country to the Red Cross.

Since the National Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated agencies are being supported by the Red Cross through direct appropriation during the year 1919, this effort of the tuberculosis patients is considered to be an unusually appropriate one.

RED CROSS CARRIES TONS OF FOOD TO BELGIANS

American Red Cross trucks are constantly in action along the Belgian front. This report of the work of these trucks was recently received by the Commission for Belgium:

"In the last two weeks we handled 280 tons of foodstuffs and a large quantity of salvaged material.

"We have been saving the effects of people in the shelled towns, Furnes, Rhoele, Coxyde, La Panne, Alveringhem, Oost-Dunrick, the Trappist Farm, St. Jennie-Biezen and Reninghelst. On nearly all occasions when work was in progress in the last named it has been shelled, but fortunately without injuries to trucks or drivers."

For Better Drinking Water.

Because of the necessity for better drinking water in Italy the American Red Cross is manufacturing a large number of water sterilizers and disinfecting plants which are to be turned over to the Italian military authorities at home and used according to their [illegible]

THE HOME SERVICE IN ACTION AT THE UNION STATION, WASHINGTON, D. C.

RED CROSS AIDS FARMING IN ITALY

Through efforts of the American Red Cross scientific farming is now being taught the younger generation of Italy, thus eliminating considerable waste and replacing old-fashioned implements with modern American-made machinery.

Schools of agriculture have been established, and the Department of Civil Affairs of the American Red Cross, co-operating with a similar Italian organization, known as the "Comitato per gli Orfani de Constadini Morti in Guerra," has opened a school of farming, conducted by Salesian Fathers, in fields just outside the Porta Furia, one of the historic gateways of Rome.

The boys of the school, all orphans of peasant soldiers, are given training in scientific and practical farming, the object being to strengthen their attachment to the soil, also to convert them into good and intelligent farmers. Lectures and classroom instruction are accompanied by field work with modern tools under the direct supervision of the younger Fathers of the institution, who work side by side with the boys in the fields, teaching and demonstrating.

BISHOP JOHN J. O'CONNOR TELLS OF RED CROSS APPEAL

Bishop John J. O'Connor of Newark thus expresses his approval of the Red Cross Christmas roll call:

"A citizen of the United States can offer no valid excuse for failure to enroll himself in the American Red Cross Society. An organization whose one great principle is humanity has the right to call all men to its standard. The Red Cross appeals to the common human in us. It aims at giving fine words, like sympathy and pity and mercy, some practical value. The world has waited a long time for an organization which could give to vague feelings of sympathy wide, practical application. The American Red Cross fulfills every requirement of a broadly humanitarian association. It accepts only universally admitted principles. It limits its operations to no particular class. It sides with no party. It asks of its members but two things—that they have pity on suffering wherever found and that they have the will to relieve misfortune.

"The appeal of the Red Cross for an increased membership should be instantly heeded. The man who fails to heed this call places himself outside the pale. He does not feel with his native land. He is not one with his kind. Here is an opportunity to join in a work which gives to religion and its teaching present value. Place your names on the rolls of the American Red Cross."

WHY AMERICA NEEDS CHRISTMAS ROLL CALL

George E. Scott, general manager of the American Red Cross, thus explains the necessity for the Christmas Roll Call:

"The response that the people of the United States make when the Christmas Roll Call summons them to a universal membership in the American Red Cross will, if that response is nation wide, accomplish these things:

"It will give exalted purpose and high resolve to the Soldiers and Sailors of America.

"It will give encouragement and renewed devotion to those who are working here at home.

"It will give inspiration and courage to those of our people who are laboring overseas."

When the Soldiers Are Getting Well.

The convalescent soldiers are being cared for in Italy by the American Red Cross. There are sixteen hospitals already in operation and twenty-nine others in process of construction. At these hospitals, in addition to the care of their wounds and their general health, the soldiers are being taught useful trades. There are typewriters, sewing machines and tools for cabinet making at each hospital, and the soldiers find that, in addition to supplying them with a useful trade when they are well, the use of these "toys" gives them hours of pleasure during the tedious period of getting well.

MAKE IT UNANIMOUS.

SENDS BOYS MESSAGE

Governor Gives Greeting to Minnesota Lads Over There.

Tells Them They Will Be Given Fair Chance When They Return—Endorses United Campaign.

"The people of Minnesota are proud of their boys at the front. I have yet to hear of a Minnesota boy in the expeditionary forces guilty of any disgraceful act, but the stories of heroism and sacrifice are so numerous that they become commonplace."

This is a part of the message that Governor J. A. A. Burnquist has sent to the Minnesota boys at the front through Cass Connaway, an Indianapolis attorney, who will carry the greeting overseas.

Connaway adjourned his practice for the period of the war to don the Y. M. C. A. uniform and follow in the wake of his two soldier sons. He will visit the huts, hotels, shelters and dugouts of the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., War Camp Community Service, National Catholic War Council (K. of C.), Jewish Welfare Board, American Library Association and Salvation Army—the seven accredited welfare agencies that have joined in a United War Work Campaign, November 11-18, to raise $170,500,000 to carry on their work for soldiers, sailors and marines at home and abroad. Wherever he comes across a man from Minnesota Connaway will give him the home folks' greeting.

Governor Burnquist's message reads:

"Tell the boys that whatever stories they may see in the newspapers about seditious utterances, about slackers of various kinds, about war profiteers, are exceptional cases and in no way represent the average American. These happenings are printed as news simply because they are exceptional. I am convinced that it is unfair to say that any class or race of people of any section of our country is disloyal. The instant and ungrudging response which our people have given to all war demands is proof of this. They have subscribed to all three Liberty Loans, they have given more than was asked to the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A. and other war funds, and they have without complaint obeyed the requests of the food administration for the production and conservation of food.

"Tell the Minnesota boys also that everything possible will be given to give them a fair chance when they get home. I am glad to see that not only the federal government, but leading men all over the country are already taking up the problem of getting the men in our army back into the civil life with the least possible hardship. I shall be glad to co-operate in that work in any way I can."

—Do Your Part—

GREAT EFFORT FOR WOMEN

Taught to Industrial Women of France by Y. W. C. A.

To help establish the position of French women in industry—to bring to them a realization of their economic responsibility and independence, which American womanhood regards as its natural heritage, is one of the purposes of the Y. W. C. A., the only distinctively woman's organization among the welfare agencies united to raise $170,500,000 in the great drive to be held November 11-18. A large portion of its allotment from the total fund will be used for the enlargement of the facilities of its foyers, where French girls are learning the industrial value of leadership, executive initiative and co-operation. A Blue Triangle worker at one of these foyers, in writing of the work, says:

"We cannot fully appreciate the privilege of working with these French women and girls. Along with the rest of the world, through the ordeal of this war, they are learning many lessons of sympathy and courage, of co-operation and leadership—and the value of these things in the new place accorded to women for the first time. In France, there are comparatively few women in administrative positions. We are training up leaders of women, and I hope that when the time comes to go home to America, we may slip out unnoticed, as far as the work itself is concerned. The girls are now thinking and planning by themselves, with very little outside direction, and they are very efficient. They will need our help more than ever when hostilities cease."

—Do Your Part—

LEMONADE SAVES MANY LIVES

Salvation Army Lassies Make and Serve It to Soldiers.

Lemonade furnished to wounded American troops during the fighting near Chateau-Thierry saved hundreds of lives, say surgeons at the front, owing to the soothing drink fending off the fever that attends serious wounds at the critical moment.

This precious ministry was the work of three Salvation Army lassies who prepared the lemonade and served it while under fire, without a sign of fear.

"They were working in an exposed position with shells exploding here and there, but they paid no more attention to them than you might to the barking of a Pomeranian pup. They moved about among the wounded and supplied each with lemonade which, to their parched palates, was the nectar of the gods."

This is the purpose of the War-Welfare Campaign—to furnish funds for just such merciful service as these given by welfare workers of one of the seven participating agencies.

Ralph Ness was a T. R. Falls visitor this week.

H. Fosholm was a visitor in T. R. Falls this week.

B. J. Bakke went to Crookston Saturday on business.

Mrs. H. B. Young went to Thief River Falls Monday.

Ray O'Hara went to T. R. Falls Monday to consult Dr. Paulson.

Hans Stensrud and Arno Boernstein returned Monday from Erskine.

Send your Christmas packages at once and mark them "Don't Open Until Christmas."

Miss Ragna Larson who has been at the hospital nearly a week, returned home last Monday.

Miss Alma Knutson who has been visiting relatives for a month at Fertile, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. W. A. Lindahl went to Thief River Falls Monday to enter the hospital for a few days treatment.

Mrs. Aug. Kuehne returned home from T. R. Falls where she has been visiting her daughter Mrs Knauf and family.

Miss Nettie Roseland visited her sister Mrs. Olaf Snetting at Hazel for two weeks, returning home Thursday.

Dr. Mellby was called to Mrs. C. Gronvold's one night last week to see three of the little boys who were sick with the flu.

Rev. M. T. Strom, P. O. Releerson and son P. P. returned home Monday from attending gospel meetings in T. R. Falls.

W. A. Lindahl took their little girl to Ross Monday to stay with her grandparents while Mrs. Lindahl is taking medical treatment in Thief River Falls.

Notice!

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Mrs. B. Docken was a Middle River visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Frederickson visited a few days last week in Thief River Falls.

Rudolph Rux went to Thief River Falls Friday to have dental work done.

Mrs. R. L. Olson had dental work done in Thief River Falls last week Thursday.

Mrs. R. Hode of Duluth came last week to visit her sister, Mrs. C. Christoferson.

Anton Sagstuen went to International Falls Friday to work in the paper mills there.

Arnold Boernstein went to Erskine Friday to look over the hunting prospects there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lindahl and baby visited over Friday night in Thief River Falls.

The sleighing is improving right along and undoubtedly will soon be good for hauling heavy loads.

E. T. Eide has commenced shipping hay to his feed store at Spooner. Hay will be scarce soon now.

Here's an item we missed last week: Renie Werner and the Misses Mamie and Gladys Flak were out Sunday enjoying a sleigh ride.

COLDS GROW BETTER surprisingly soon when you use time-tested, reliable Piso's—the continuous favorite during more than 50 years since Civil War days. Relieves throat irritation and inflammation; eases tickling; soothes hoarseness. Every druggist recommends and sells Piso's—ask yours for it. Contains No Opiate Safe for Young & Old. PISO'S

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Do your holiday trading now, if you want a good selection of stock.

Salesman Wanted!

We wish to get a Salesman for either Kittson Co., east half of Marshall, or Pennington and Red Lake counties. Our business is well established in these counties and anyone interested should write us at once. No experience necessary as we will train salesman.

Write for particulars to

McGounon Remedy Co.,
Winona, Minn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Nov. 27, 1818.

Notice is hereby given that Carl Fredrick Nielsen, of Golden Valley, Minn. who, on February 1, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 07243, for NE1-4, Section 28, Twp. 156N. Range 41W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 31st day of December, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Cleve Bergum, Melwin Olson, P. C. Rosand, all of Golden Valley, Minn., and C. F. Birkeland, of Holt, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal
Register.

For Sale or Trade

160 tons of hay for sale at once at Mud Lake. Will take some spring rye for a few tons. If you want hay let us know at once.

C. J. Dale.
Star Route, Holt Minn.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Fa[illegible] for constipation.

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IF IT'S BUILDING MATERIAL, WE HAVE IT.
HOLT, MINN.

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS
Successor to "The Northern Light"
VOL. VIII. HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY DECEMBER 20, 1918 NO. 33.

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The Northern Light
By The
Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Join the Red Cross for 1919.

Merry Christmas to everybody.

Mail that Christmas parcel now.

Do your holiday trading in Holt.

Rev. Kilen will hold services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Ole Backlund was a Thief River Falls business visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sollom moved to Middle River the first of the week.

Miss Amanda Mickelson returned Saturday to her position as stenographer in Crookston.

A. L. Sagstuen returned Monday from T. R. Falls where he had consulted a physician.

The Pioneer reports the sale of a 240 acre farm near Middle River to North Dakota parties for $50.00 an acre.

The Gilbert Johnson family are reported better. So far as we have been able to learn, all the sick people are slowly improving.

The carpenters have finished Mrs. Carrie Anderson's house and she expected to move here soon from her present home near Wylie.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kulseth and son Leslie returned last week to their home at Norwood, N. D., after a short visit with relatives here.

WANTED: Competent cook to begin work January first. Good wages. Write State Agricultural School, Crookston, Minnesota.

Misses Hilma Nyberg and Andria Ness came home Tuesday from their work in Grand Forks, to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Victor Smith came Saturday to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith, a few days. Victor has been employed for some time on a dredge near Warroad.

Nils Engebretsen took Mrs. Halfdan Hanson, Mrs. Andrew Hanson and Mrs. Stein to Thief River Falls Sunday to see Miss Helen Hanson. They report the latter as getting better and that she expects to be well enough to return home soon.

We are glad to report to the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Racine Olson, that the latter is getting along fine at that Oakland Sanitarium and it is hoped that it wont be long when she may again take up her home duties and have continued health and strength once more.

Holt now has two Dr. Olson's. Everyone knows Dr. R. L. Olson, who doctors their sick stock and fixes their horses teeth, but it may be news to some that H. M. Olson has also taken to doctoring, having started out this week with a medicine wagon for the McGonnon Remedy Co., who have been advertising with us for an agent.

Army and Navy News

Reported Missing

The following telegram was received Tuesday by Mrs. Martin Mattson and probably refers to her brother, Alfred C. Olson who's in France. A mistake in the name could easily be made in relaying the telegram from one station to another.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 16,
Mrs. Martin Mattion,
Holt, Minn.,

"Deeply regret to inform you that Private Fred Coles, infantry, is officially reported as missing in action since Nov. 4th. Further information when received."

Harris,
Adj. Gen.

The last letter received from Alfred was dated Nov. 2nd. At that time he was well and was not then on the firing line. In the absence of further information, it is supposed that he has been taken prisoner and that he will soon be heard from again. All hope to hear soon that he has been returned to the Americans uninjured and in good health.

Among The Wounded

Nels Gudvangen received a letter last week stating his brother, Richard, was admitted to a hospital in France, Sept. 30th, suffering from a gunshot wound in right leg and arm. This is the third time Private Gudvangen has been wounded and he has five wounds on his body as a proof that he has been a brave soldier in the thickest of the battles for humanity.

Hans J. Olson is in the hospital among the wounded. He was hit in the head by a piece of shrapnel shell on Nov. 2nd and only his helmet saved his life.— John Sathre was wounded on Oct. 23rd having an arm shattered by a high explosive. He has since been in a hospital convalescing.—M. R. Pioneer.

First War Baby

A baby girl was born to Mrs. Peter Bjerken, Tuesday Dec. 17th, at the home of her father, Ole Reierson and family. The husband and father is with Gen. Pershing in France, and was well when last heard from, a couple of weeks ago.

Honorably Discharged

Hilmer Udstrand returned home Tuesday from Camp Cody, New Mexico, and is well and happy.

Ed. Nyberg and Walter Wegge returned home Monday from Camp Cody, New Mexico and both of them are enjoying good health.

Frank Wendt returned home on Monday from Camp Forest, Ga. He was in the hospital for a couple of weeks, sick with the influenza, from which he has not fully recovered, as he still has a bad cold.

Patronise the home business men.

Rudolph Rux started in on the hunting season last week by bagging a wolf.

Mrs. Willie Werner returned from T. R. Falls Saturday, where she has been visiting relatives for a few days.

Alfred Newton is having lumber hauled out from the Winton Nichols yard for a small house on his homestead.

The Middle River Pioneer says they are to have three experimental peat plots in their territory the coming season.

John Swanson and his sister Anna came last Saturday from Petersburg Alaska to enjoy a visit with Chas. Smith and family.

Death of Nels Larson.

Nels Larson died Friday afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Larson. He had been sick for a few days with pneumonia, but no one realised the end was so near and the news of his death was a great shock to the community. He died peacefully, praying for himself and others and believing God to be merciful.

The funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon by Rev. Ordahl, at the home and at the Holt cemetery where the interment was made. One of the sad features of the funeral was that no one in the home was able to attend the services at the grave, as they have all been sick with the influenza.

We wish to join their many friends in extending sincere sympathy to them in their time of sorrow.

Nils Larson was born in North Dakota, April 26th, 1895, and moved with his parents to Holt, Minn., in 1901 and had lived here ever since. He was a jovial, good natured young man and will be greatly missed, not only by the family, but also by all his acquaintances.

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Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

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C. J. Dale.
Star Route, Holt Minn.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindly assistance and sympathy at the time of the death of our beloved son, Johnny, also for the many beautiful flowers for the funeral. We also wish to thank the W. C. T. U. for the flowers sent to Johnny while at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Folden
and family.

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Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet Dec. 21, at 2:30.

Christmas services Dec. 25th in Holt at 11, in Thorvick at 3 o'clock. Dec. 26th, in Dist. 148, at Valley at 11, Wilson school house at 3 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl
Lutheran Pastor

Southeast of Holt.

(Too late for last week)

Messrs. Nels Sordahl and Nathan Soiney returned home last week from Scotsguard, Sask., Can., near which place they have been employed for some time past.

R. Storm who is employed as conductor on a street car near Duluth, called on friends in this locality last week. Mr. Storm expects to return in the spring and will commence farming his peat land.

Thom Bakken is recovering nicely from an attack of influenza.

Oscar Moe has been assisting Albert Molstad with his work the past week.

Dr. F. H. Gambell was called to the Andrew Joppru home on Monday. Mr. Joppru is reported very seriously ill. Also the whole family being down with the dreadful influenza.

Alfred Klungness went to Thief River Falls on Saturday to consult a physician in regard to his injured knee. We are all in hopes to see Alred around again and as spry as ever.

Mike Johnson and daughter Sina boarded the train Saturday for Thief River Falls.

Simon Warring died Dec. 9th, at the age of 72, from a stroke of paralysis. His son, Omer, died of the influenza, the same day his father was buried.

Andrew Joppru died Wednesday morning Dec. 11th, at Thief River Falls, where he had been taken for medical treatment.

Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 79
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 90

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CASKETS
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Piso's gives prompt and effective relief. It quickly soothes inflammation and irritation. Eases hoarseness; allays tickling.
Get Piso's from your druggist.
Contains No Opiate
Safe for Young and Old
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Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Torald Tharaldson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Torald Tharaldson, Decedent

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to George W. Walker

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that the 3rd day of June 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the City of Warren in said County, be and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News as provided by law.

Dated Dec. 3, 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

[COURT SEAL]

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and Distribution

Estate Of Carl L. Anderson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Carl L. Anderson, Decedent;

The State Of Minnesota To Anna Anderson, Carl Oscar Anderson, Carrie Elizabeth Anderson, Erick Ragnar Anderson, John Edwin Anderson, Helmer Levin Anderson, Gladys Evelen Anderson, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of January 1919, at 11 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 7th day of December 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Warren, Minnesota.

Meat Market Notice!
Meat Market Accounts are now past due
Please call and settle with us
or leave the amount at
Holt State Bank
Postively No Credit
After Dec. 1st, 1918
O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.24
Oats	59
Barley	61 to .70
Rye	1.39
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

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K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
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Phillips Steam Laundry
All work guaranteed satisfactory
Edw. Nelson, Prop.
Holt, Minn.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale, by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named, is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Rudolph J. Jensen and Ines O. Jensen, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the state of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated January 27th, 1916, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the [illegible] day of January, 1916, at eight o'clock A. M., in book 78 of mortgages, on page 579.

That the amount claimed to be due, and which is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of $69.19.

That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are as follows: The East Half of the Northwest Quarter and the West Half of the Northeast Quater of Section Four in Township One Hundred fifty five North of Range Forty one West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 4th day of January, 1919, at ten o'clock A. M. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, with taxes, if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the sum of $25.00 attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, subject to redemption within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated Nov. 18th, 1918.

HOLT STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY
Eat Less — Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

Washington

A Washington dispatch says only 44 vessels of the navy, including army and cargo transports manned by naval crews, were lost from the declaration of war, April 6, 1917, until hostilities ceased November 11. And only 12 of these were destroyed by enemy submarines.

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Twenty-nine battleships, manned by 40,000 men, will be maintained in active service after next March 1, according to the plans of the navy department at Washington.

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Vice President Marshall took the chair when the cabinet assembled at Washington Tuesday, explaining as he did so, that he was acting out of deference to the desire of the president. So far as anyone there knows a vice president never before has presided at a cabinet meeting.

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Restoration of normal passenger service has now been undertaken by the railroad administration at Washington, said Director General McAdoo in a statement addressed to the American people withdrawing his plea made last January for curtailment of passenger travel for the war emergency.

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A Washington dispatch says that of the 2,079,880 men taken over the statistics show 46¼ per cent were carried in American ships, 48⅛ in British and the balance in French and Italian vessels, according to official figures.

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Germany spent more than $7,500,000 for the dissemination of propaganda in this country from the beginning of the war, according to the testimony of A. Bruce Bielaski, chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice, on the stand at Washington, in the senate investigation of German and brewery propaganda. Some of this, he said, was used in purchasing controlling interests in newspapers, some for the printing and distribution of pamphlets and some was sent to the German consulates in principal cities.

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A Washington dispatch says congress will be asked to provide for another large increase in the permanent personnel of the navy. In his annual report to Secretary Daniels the chief of the bureau of navigation strongly recommends further expansion.

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President Wilson is understood to have sent word to Paris from the U. S. S. George Washington expressing the hope that no decision be reached on any mooted question, including peace conference representation, before his arrival Saturday. It is regarded as certain that the president favors deciding whether and how the league of nations shall be formed before reparation, punishment, indemnities and territories are adjusted.

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The war labor policies board at Washington has sent telegrams to governors of all the states urging the necessity of developing public works during the period of demobilization.

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With a story of brilliant achievements of the American navy in the war, Secretary Daniels couples, in his annual report, a recommendation for continued naval expansion to meet the demands of peace for national and international work on the sea.

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Foreign

A Copenhagen dispatch says the Nobel committee has decided not to award any Nobel peace prize this year.

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A Hamburg dispatch reports that a counter-revolution is in full swing in Berlin. The general command at Berlin is said to have refused to acknowledge the soldiers' council, whereupon the new revolt took open form. Berlin is in a state of turmoil, according to the dispatch. Several agitators who attempted a coup in Hamburg were arrested.

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A decree relieving Polo de Bernabe, the Spanish ambassador at Berlin, from the functions of his office is published in the Official Gazette at Madrid.

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The British steamer Canopic, bringing home approximately 2,000, arrived at Boston.

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Reports in circulation in Lima, Peru, were to the effect that Brazil had begun to mobilize her troops. There was no official confirmation.

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A London dispatch says the general election campaign entered its final week. The number of contests with more than two candidates is unprecedented. Three-cornered fights are the rule.

William Hohenzollern, former German emperor, has attempted suicide, following mental depression, according to the Leipsic Tageblatt, which is quoted in a Copenhagen dispatch to the London Exchange Telegraph company. A member of the former emperor's retinue who prevented Herr Hohenzollern from carrying out his intention was wounded, it is said.

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A state of siege (martial law) has been proclaimed in Berlin as a result of the counter-revolutionary agitations, the Zurich correspondent of the Paris L'Information reports.

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Prince Henry of Prussia, brother of the former German emperor, has proclaimed the establishment of a royalist party in Germany, according to reports from Holland.

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A London dispatch says one hundred thousand cotton spinners in the Lancashire district have been ordered to go on strike. The employers have refused a 40 per cent wage increase.

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U. S.—Teutonic War News

A Berlin dispatch says twenty-six hundred American prisoners of war interned at Camp Rastatt left there for Switzerland. Two hundred other Americans who have been scattered in various camps in Germany are leaving by way of Holland and Denmark. It is expected that the last of the Americans will be out of German camps by the middle of this week.

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Coblenz is under the complete military control of the Americans, with the municipal authorities co-operating. At the Coblenz end of the three bridges across the Rhine American sentries were posted. The American forces took charge of the barracks and other buildings evacuated by the German troops.

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After giving hearty greetings to the French troops three weeks ago, Metz received President Poincare and representatives of every branch of the French government. The American troops had the honor of leading the line during the review and "The Star-Spangled Banner" was wildly cheered as the regiment marched by in columns of eight in faultless style.

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Five additional divisions have been definitely assigned to the American army of occupation, now advancing into Germany, General March announced at Washington. They are the Second and Seventh regulars, the Twenty-eighth (Pennsylvania) and Thirty-third (Illinois National Guard) and the Seventy-ninth (northeast Pennsylvania, Maryland and District of Columbia) National army.

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European War News

The Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin says it learns from competent sources that Marshal Foch has agreed to postpone the date for the surrender of all German locomotives until February 1.

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Polish-American divisions, says the Warsaw correspondent of the Amsterdam Weser Zeitung, have embarked at Havre for Danzig to occupy the provinces of Posen and Silesia. The headquarters of the Polish-American troops, according to this information will be at the town of Posen.

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The disarming of Field Marshal Mackensen's army has begun in Hungary, according to a Berlin dispatch received at Amsterdam.

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Eleven men are missing as a result of the British warship Cassandra coming in contact with a mine in the Baltic sea at night, according to an official communication issued by the London admiralty.

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Domestic

The Empress of Britain, carrying 47 officers and 2,330 men, including sick wounded, casuals, aero squadrons and construction companies, arrived at her dock at New York from Liverpool.

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The troopship Kroonland, from Brest, France, with 83 officers and 1,18[illegible] men (including 704 wounded) on board arrived at New York.

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"Instead of our receiving hundreds of thousands of foreigners a year, we are to face a flat reversal of that condition. Immigration will become emigration," said Frederick C. Howe commissioner of immigration at New York. It was pointed out that reports from steamship companies during the past four years show applications from upward of 1,250,000 aliens for passage to their native lands as soon as the fighting was over.

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Nine million pounds of candy for the army has just been ordered by the war department at Washington and it was announced that a considerable part of it would be rushed overseas in time for Christmas.

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The influenza-pneumonia epidemic, from September 28 to November 16 resulted in 8,198 deaths in Chicago.

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Sir Charles Gordon will be appointed head of the Canadian trade commission to secure trade for Canada in the United States, it was learned at Montreal.

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When he was sentenced to life imprisonment for the theft of one automobile tire and one inner tube, Robert Bayles fainted in Judge T. N. Taylor's court at Huntington, W. Va.

SAYS ATROCITY PUT U. S. IN WAR

President in Paris Speech Claims Full Fellowship of America With All Liberty Lovers.

TO SPEED PEACE PACT

Has Indicated to Allied Leaders His Earnest Desire to Get Down to Work of Conference as Soon as Possible.

Paris, Dec. 17.—President Wilson delivered an address at the city hall where ceremonies had been arranged. The president replied to the greeting extended him.

"Your greeting has raised many emotions within me," the president began.

"It is with no ordinary sympathy that the people of the United States, for whom I have the privilege of speaking, have viewed the sufferings of the people of France. Many of our own people have been themselves witnesses of those sufferings. We were the more deeply moved by the wrongs of the war because we knew the manner in which they were perpetrated.

America an "Eyewitness."

"I beg that you will not suppose that because a wide ocean separated us in space we were not in effect eyewitnesses of the shameful ruin that was wrought and the cruel and unnecessary sufferings that were brought upon you. These sufferings have filled our hearts with indignation. We know what they were, not only, but we knew what they signified, and our hearts were touched to the quick by them; our imaginations filled with the whole picture of what France and Belgium in particular had experienced.

Country's Heart Moved.

"When the United States entered the war, therefore, they entered it not only because they were moved by a conviction that the purposes of the Central Empires were wrong and must be resisted by men everywhere who loved liberty and the right, but also because the illicit ambitions which they were entertaining and attempting to realize had led to the practises which shocked our hearts as much as they offended our principles.

"Our resolution was formed because we knew how profoundly great principles of right were affected, but our hearts moved also with our resolution.

Nation Rightly Interpreted.

"You have been exceedingly generous in what you have been gracious enough to say about me, generous far beyond my personal deserts, but you have interpreted with real insight the motives and resolution of the people of the United States. Whatever influence I exercise, whatever authority I speak with, I derive from them. I know what they have thought, I know what they have desired, and when I have spoken what I know was in their minds it has been delightful to see how the conscience and purposes of free men everywhere responded.

U. S. Right to Fellowship.

"We have merely established our right to the full fellowship of those people here and throughout the world who reverence the right of genuine liberty and justice."

Eager to Get to Work.

President Wilson has indicated to the Allied leaders his desire to get down to work as soon as possible.

The president and Premier Clemenceau exchanged ideas on the course of procedure in a conference yesterday. It is understood the American delegates are in favor of the preliminaries being conducted by President Wilson and one representative each from France, Italy and Great Britain.

This body would formulate a series of proposals which would be submitted to open conference of full delegates of all the Entente belligerents for debate, prior to drafting the final treaty.

2,571 ON CASUALTY LIST

Last Consignment of Names From France Shows 155 Killed.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Names of many northwest men are carried on the last casualty list of 2,571, announced by the war department. The casualties are divided as follows: Killed in action, 155; died of wounds, 51; died of disease, 164; died of accident and other causes, 2; wounded in action, 2,046; missing in action, 153.

CLASH LEFT TO DIPLOMACY

Trouble Between U. S. Sailors and Mexican Soldiers To Be Settled.

Washington, Dec. 17.—The clash between the armed guard of the Ward liner, Monterey, and Mexican soldiers at Tampico has been left to diplomatic settlement and is now the subject of negotiations between the American and Mexican governments, the state department announces.

Insignia For Air Pilots.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Instructors of fliers in the air service of the army have been authorized by the war department to wear on the left arm a sleeve decoration consisting of gilt wings the same size as those in the insignia on the collar decoration. This award, it is announced, "is made in appreciation of the services of the several hundred fliers who have been kept at home for use on the flying fields of this country in turning out the quota of pilots asked for by the allies."

WILD WELCOME FOR PRESIDENT

Booming of Cannon Heralds Arrival of Wilson in Paris Amid Dense Crowds.

IS MET BY POINCARE

Great Throngs Pack Streets to Greet Distinguished Visitor—French Troops in Solid Array Line Route.

Brest, France, Dec. 16.—The George Washington will return to the United States immediately. The crew is expected to reach home before Christmas.

Paris, Dec. 16.—President Wilson made his entrance into Paris at 10:15 a. m. The president's arrival at the capital was greeted with a salvo of artillery in salute.

The dense throngs gathered to greet the American executive hailed his coming with volleys of cheering.

President Greets Wilson.

Huge crowds were massed around the Bois De Boulogne station awaiting the president's coming. As he alighted from his train a roar of welcome went up that left no doubt of the cordiality of the welcome given by Paris to its latest guest.

President Wilson was greeted by President and Mme. Poincare, Premier Clemenceau, Andre Tardieu, French high commissioner to the United States, and other high officials.

Goes to Paris Residence.

The formalities of the greeting over, the president entered a carriage with President Poincare. Mrs. Wilson with Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the president, followed in another carriage accompanied by Mme. Poincare. The party drove immediately to the residence of Prince Murat in the Rue De Monceau, where the president will reside while in the French capital.

The route to the presidential residence was lined with French troops in solid array along its entire length. The welcome given by the crowds as the president drove by was vociferous and hearty. The city was making a vast fete of the president's coming.

Cheers Ring Out in Night.

The passage of the presidential train from Brest to Paris gave evidence of the interest the population attached to the president's visit. At every station along the railway crowds of men, women and children waited through the night for the passing of the train, hoping to catch a glimpse of the American executive.

Through the night along the route their cheers could be heard as the train slid by in the darkness.

Papers "Play Up" Wilson.

The front pages of the newspapers are devoted to details of the reception to be accorded President Wislon by Paris. Pictures of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson are printed by all the newspapers. Long editorials recounting the characteristics of the president, outlining his policies and describing his work during the war fill the journals. In addition considerable attention is paid to the part Americans have played in the war, the battles of Chateau Thierry, St. Mihiel and the Argonne being described.

4,389 LISTED AS CASUALTIES

Last List Received From Pershing Carries That Many Names.

Washington, Dec. 16.—A alrge number of men from northwest and middlewest states were carried on the last official casualty list of the American Expeditionary Forces, issued by the war department. There were 4,389 casualties listed. The losses were divided as follows: Killed in action, 351; died of wounds, 85; died of disease, 208; died from accident and other causes, 5; wounded, 3,328; missing in action, 412.

NO ADVANCE BEYOND RHINE

Hun Paper Urges All Steps Necessary to Prevent It.

Copenhagen, Dec. 16.—"All measures must be taken to prevent Foch's armies from marching east of the Rhine," the Berliner Tageblatt declared, supporting the demand for quick summoning of the reichstag.

"LET'S FINISH JOB," IS FIFTH LOAN SLOGAN

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 16.—"Let's finish the job" will be the slogan for the Fifth Liberty Loan, it is announced. The decision was reached at the national meeting of publicity and sales directors, who will aid in the next war loan campaign.

Czernin Made Peace Plea.

Vienna, Dec. 11.—(Delayed.)—Count Czernin, former Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, gave the correspondent an opportunity to read a copy of the letter which he sent to Emperor Charles in April, 1918, in which the minister declared that the condition of Austria was growing desperate. In the letter Count Czernin told the emperor that he did not think another winter campaign was possible and asserted it was necessary that peace negotiations should be begun.

The Farmer Receives More Than Five Thousand Dollars a Minute From Swift & Company

This amount is paid to the farmer for live stock, by Swift & Company alone, during the trading hours of every business day.

All this money is paid to the farmer through the open market in competition with large and small packers, shippers, speculators and dealers.

The farmer, feeder, or shipper receives every cent of this money ($300,000 an hour, nearly $2,000,000 a day, $11,500,000 a week) in cash, on the spot, as soon as the stock he has just sold is weighed up.

Some of the money paid to the farmer during a single day comes back to the company in a month from sale of products; much does not come back for sixty or ninety days or more. But the next day Swift & Company, to meet the demands made by its customers, must pay out another $2,000,000 or so, and at the present high price levels keeps over $250,000,000 continuously tied up in goods on the way to market and in bills owed to the company.

This gives an idea of the volume of the Swift & Company business and the requirements of financing it. Only by doing a large business can this company turn live stock into meat and by-products at the lowest possible cost, prevent waste, operate refrigerator cars, distribute to retailers in all parts of the country—and be recompensed with a profit of only a fraction of a cent a pound—a profit too small to have any noticeable effect on the price of meat or live stock.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

Canada made me Prosperous

—that's what thousands of farmers say, who have gone from the U. S. to settle on homesteads or buy land in Western Canada. Canada's invitation to every industrious worker to settle in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta is especially attractive. She wants farmers to make money and happy, prosperous homes for themselves by helping her raise immense wheat crops to feed the world.

You Can Get a Homestead of 160 Acres Free

or other lands at very low prices. Where you can buy good farm land at $15 to $30 per acre that will raise 20 to 45 bushels of $2 wheat to the acre—it's easy to become prosperous. Canadian farmers also grow wonderful crops of Oats, Barley and Flax. Mixed Farming is fully as profitable an industry as grain raising. The excellent grasses, full of nutrition, are the only food required either for beef or dairy purposes. Good schools and churches; markets convenient; climate excellent. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.;
J. L. Porte, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

Where Daddy Was Lucky.

Mary watched interestedly while her father anchored his flu mask to his ears and then said: "Isn't it nice, mother, that daddy has such 'normous big ears."

Keep clean inside as well as outside by taking a gentle laxative at least once a week, such as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

Lending a Hand.

"Don't you want to lend a hand to our soldier boys on the other side?" asked the orator at the woman's meeting.

"Lend a hand?" piped up one of the sweet young things. "Why, I gave my hand to one before he went over!"

Your Eyes Granulated Eyelids, Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggists or by mail 60c per Bottle. For Book of the Eye free write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

Often the Case.

"That Kaiser Bill was a bad actor."

"Yes," said Mr. Stormington Barnes. "And like many another bad actor he was so busy getting his name in big type on the billboards that he failed to see the handwriting on the wall."

Cuticura Complexions.

Nothing better than Cuticura Soap daily and Ointment as needed to make the complexion clear, scalp clean and hands soft and white. For free samples address "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." Sold by druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Man to Be Honored.

"De real patriot," said Uncle Eben, "is de man dat followed de music of de band cl'ar over to whur de sho' nuff fightin' was."

A Misfortune.

"Now you've made Dick angry and he's gone off." "But I didn't know he was loaded."

Silence is a great peacemaker.

MAKE YOUR FUTURE SECURE

Easy Farming Methods in Western Canada and Certain Financial Benefits.

With your crop harvested and marketed, with the disposal of your cattle and hogs completed, you are ready to prepare your financial statement for the year. You will soon know what you have gained, and if the gain made in your farming operatons has been up to your expectations and will meet your requirements. Probably you may have been the loser. Your land may have been productive, but it may have been too high priced. The cost of production has been too great. If you have had the remuneration you sought and are satisfied this article may not interest you. If your returns have not been satisfactory, or if your ambition leads you to the laudable desire of bettering your condition, if you have dependents for whose future you have anxiety, you will naturally look around for some place, some opportunity that offers greater advantages and brings satisfactory returns. To the north and west of you lie hundreds of thousands of unbroken acres in Western Canada awaiting the husbandman, and ready to give of its richness to place you where you desire to be placed. For thousands of farmers from nearly every state in the Union the prairies of Western Canada have afforded wealth beyond what they had been led to expect. The excellence of the soil of Western Canada, which comprises the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, can only partially be told by the knowledge of some facts.

Every year for some years past the world's highest prizes for wheat, oats and barley have been carried off by grain grown on Western Canadian Prairies. Beef fattened on the grasses of these same prairies recently brought the highest prices ever paid on the Chicago market. Throughout the entire world the quality of Canadian grain, and Canadian beef and mutton, is recognized. To recite what individual farmers have done, the riches they have acquired would fill volumes. The case of James Wishart of Portage la Prairie is not an exceptional one. His wheat crop this past season yielded him forty-five bushels per acre, and the land upon which it was grown was broken forty-four years ago, and it has been continuously under crop except for an occasional summer fallow. At Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, samples of the wheat of 1918 weighed 68 pounds to the bushel, others 66 and some 65½ pounds. Wheat crops at Coaldale, Alberta, went as high as 38 bushels acre, while wheat crops near Barons, Alberta, had yields of from 25 to 30 bushels.

Records such as these speak in glowing terms of the excellence of the soil of Western Canada.

The war is over, and we are all settling down to a peace basis. There is a great world beyond the seas to feed and clothe, and thus is afforded the opportunity to lend a hand in the great work. Aside from the philanthropy in which you can play a part, there is the satisfaction of knowing you are amply providing for yourself and for the future of those who may be dependent upon you. Greater progress can be made in this and your own development by availing yourself of the advantages that Western Canada offers in its low-priced lands and high yielding values. There are good schools, desirable social conditions, low taxation (none on improvements) with an enjoyable climate, and the satisfaction of possessing a well tilled soil capable of producing abundant crops for which good prices prevail, at easily accessible marketing places.—Advertisement.

Dick Was Charitable.

At the funeral services for an elderly negro of Richmond, Va., the following colloquy was overheard:

"There ain't no use in talkin'," said Mose Barker; "Dick Williams, he was the most charitable man dis town ever seen."

"I reckon dat's so," said the darkey to whom Mr. Barker imparted this information. And he paused as if waiting for evidence on this point.

"Yessuh," continued Mr. Barker, "Dick Williams, he always owned a plug hat, and durin' my time I ain't never heard that Dick ever refused to lend dat hat to anybody."

Dog Had Something to Say.

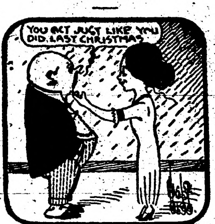
The Hon. John W. Davis, appointed our ambassador in London in succession to Mr. Page, is an eminent lawyer.

Mr. Davis tells the story of a very small boy who was trying to lead a big St. Bernard up a busy thoroughfare. "Where are you going to take that dog, my little chap?" inquired a passerby. "I—I'm going to see where —where he wants to go first," was the breathless reply.

Relics of Aztecan Era.

Near Phoenix, within the Salt river valley, are to be found seven communal settlements of the same pre-Aztecan era, with central buildings that were far larger than that at Casa Grande, a writer in the Christian Science Monitor states. To the northward and northeast every river valley retains evidence of the passage of at least a portion of these peoples, for some reason leaving their cities and their irrigated fields on the plains and seeking the mountains and the upper plateaus.

POOR PAPA



YOU ACT JUST LIKE YOU DID LAST CHRISTMAS

It's nearing Christmas,
don't you see,
So I suppose it's up to me
To dig down deep like
all papas,
And in return get bum cigars

DECLARE "XMAS" IS PROPER

Milwaukee (Wis.) Clergymen Say Abbreviation Has Origin in Greek Spelling of "Christ."

Use of the word Xmas in abbreviation of Christmas is not irreverent or sacrilegious, but is of ancient and classical origin.

"This was the consensus of opinion expressed by representative clergy of a number of denominations throughout the city, says the Milwaukee Sentinel.

The letter "X" as used in connection with the word Xmas to express Christmas is the first letter in the Greek name for Christ, which in English letters is spelled "Xristos," explained Rev. Herbert C. Noonan, S. J., president of Marquette university. "Because of this, the letter "X" long has been a symbol for Christ, and has been used as such for generations since the Christian era.

"An illustration of the common use of the term is the custom, still prevalent among some men, of signing letters 'Yours in Xto,' in this case the 'to' following the letter being the Latin ending of the name of Christ."

A similar opinion was expressed by Rev. R. S. Donaldson, pastor of Perseverance Presbyterian church.

"I know many ministers who use the letter 'X' to express Christ in writing their sermons," he said. "The custom is of ancient and honorable origin."

"It is a quite common practice among theological students to use the letter in preference to the full name," declared Rev. E. Reginald Williams, rector of St. Mark's Episcopal church. "I always write it that way myself."

Rev. W. T. Dorward, pastor of the Baptist Tabernacle, declared that he did not consider the term irreverent, but personally preferred the use of the full word.

When Christmas Comes

When Christmas comes, I never mind the cold,
I like to get up prompt an' go to school,
An' do my sums,
An' clean the walks 'thout waitin' to be told—
Though I like sleddin' better, as a rule,
Or buildin' forts— But nothin' ain't so bad,
When Christmas comes.

When Christmas comes, I'd just as lief give half
My cooky to the baby, an' take care
About the crumbs.
It's fun to make the little fellow laugh,
An' I don't mind his taggin' ev'rywhere.
He can't help bein' little! I'm not mad.
When Christmas comes.

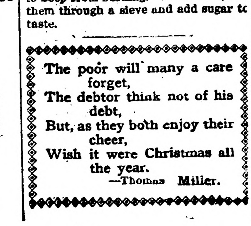
When Christmas comes, I don't forget to give
My shoes a wipe, an' scrub my ears a lot
Till my head hums.
An' mother says, "That boy's too good to live!"
But I'm not 'fraid of dyin', 'cause I'm not
No different from always—only glad
When Christmas comes!
—Abigal Williams Burton.

Christmas Bells.

There are some festivals, like birthdays, for example, which affect a single family; others, like national holidays, embrace the nation; and some there are which girdle the entire globe. But Christmas Day lifts at one leap a line of connection between earth and heaven. If there be one day on earth on which above another the gates of heaven are more widely opened, it is the day when joy-bells ring in memory of the birth of the Babe of Bethlehem. This is the day of the Christmas bells!—Bishop Vincent.

No Apology Needed.

Never apologize for a Christmas gift. Never say it is cheaper than what you would have liked to give, or not as pretty as you thought it, or anything of the sort. A Christmas gift is supposed to be an expression of good will. If there is kindness enough back of the giving, no apology is necessary.



Christmas Plums

Christmas—co-operation, cheer!

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It is a catching affair—this spirit of Christmas—and the nearer it approaches the more contagious it becomes.

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Every time that Christmas comes around again we wonder why we haven't cultivated the Christmas spirit all the year.

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Here's hoping that all our soldier boys, on land and sea, will have a few Christmas plums on the day of good will—even though this year they may be mostly in the pudding.

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Probably the girls are saying the same thing this year that they have said every year in the past—"Well, I'm going to start making presents right away for next Christmas."

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We get most of the enjoyment of Christmas out of the dreams that come before and after. Oh, to dream of it before it comes, to enjoy it while it is here, and to appreciate it when it has gone!

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At least we are reasonably sure of one thing—which is that no soldier will have to go without a good Christmas dinner. Well, this is as it should be, since—to paraphrase our old friend, Mr. Dryden—surely the brave deserve the fare.

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Not namin' any names, we are willing to admit that there are folks in this world whose Christmas dinner doesn't interest us in the least—except that we hope they'll have plenty of food for reflection, and that after the meal is over they'll get their just desserts.

WRAPPING ADDS TO THE GIFT

Home Art Specialist Suggests Use of White Ribbon and Tissue Paper With Bits of Foliage.

The wrapping of a Christmas gift is an expression of the giver as much as the gift itself, asserts Miss Araminta Holman, instructor in home art in the Kansas State Agricultural college.

"A pretty gift will lose much of its charm if it is wrapped carelessly," said Miss Holman. "As much care should be taken in the wrapping as in the selection of the gift.

"The wrappings should be dainty and inconspicuous, and in harmony with the gift and the sentiment that the giver wishes to accompany the gift. White tissue paper tied with white ribbon with a bit of foliage for color, makes a prettier and neater wrapping than colored paper and colored ribbon. If the gift is to be sent through the mail, the outside wrappings must necessarily be of strong paper, but if tied neatly and securely with tinsel Christmas cord, the package will make an attractive appearance, and at the same time will protect the gift."

Personal touches, such as original sketches on the gift card or a spray of foliage from the region of the giver's home convey a deep sentiment and thoughtfulness on the part of the giver, according to Miss Holman. While holly and mistletoe are the emblematic Christmas foliage, a spray of hemlock, bittersweet, pepper bough, or any pretty native foliage may be used.

ROAST GOOSE FOR CHRISTMAS

How to Prepare Fowl Which for Hundreds of Years Has Been Conventional Holiday Dinner Dish.

For hundreds of years goose has been an important conventional Christmas dinner dish. Select a young, tender goose, for its palatability greatly depends on this, one weighing about eight or ten pounds, says an experienced housekeeper.

For the dressing take four cupfuls of hot mashed potatoes, two and one-half tablespoonfuls of finely chopped onions, one cupful of English walnut meats chopped moderately fine; one and one-half teaspoonfuls of salt, one-half cupful of cream, two tablespoonfuls of butter and the yolks of four eggs and a teaspoonful of sage.

Stuff the body with the dressing and sew up the openings. Bring the legs and wings close to the body and tie with a white string, which must be removed just before serving.

Put the goose in the dripping pan with two cupfuls of boiling water and roast for nearly two hours, according to size of fowl, basting often and freely. Remove the goose to a hot platter, pour off the oil in the pan and make a gravy with flour that has been browned. Always serve apple sauce with roast goose.

Select juicy, tart apples and pare, slice and stew with just enough water to keep from burning. When done, rub them through a sieve and add sugar to taste.

The poor will many a care forget,
The debtor think not of his debt,
But, as they both enjoy their cheer,
Wish it were Christmas all the year.
—Thomas Miller.

MERCIER NEVER LOST FAITH

Persecuted Belgian Cardinal Always Confident That God Would Save the Unhappy Country.

Cardinal Mercier, archbishop of Malines, Belgium, was not actually imprisoned by the Germans, but his freedom was restrained. His offense was the issuing of a pastoral letter to his people in January, 1915, in which he said: "I have gone through most of the places in my diocese which have been wasted. . . . What I have seen of the ruins and the ashes passes anything that, in spite of my most acute fears, I could ever have imagined. . . . Churches, schools, charitable institutions, hospitals, convents, to a considerable number, are unfit for use or are in ruins. Whole villages have almost disappeared. . . . God will save Belgium, my brothers, we cannot doubt it. Let us say, rather, he is saving her. Is there a single patriot who does not feel that glory has come to Belgium? Which of us would have the courage to tear out the last page of our history? Which of us can look without pride on the splendor of the glory that our murdered country has won?"

Many a man has ruined his eyesight sitting in a barroom looking for work.

HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES IF YOUR BACK ACHES

Do you feel tired and "worn-out?" Are you nervous and irritable? Don't sleep well at night? Have a "dragged out," unrested feeling when you get up in the morning? Dizzy spells? Bilious? Bad taste in the mouth, backache, pain or soreness in the loins, and abdomen? Severe distress when urinating, bloody, cloudy urine or sediment? All these indicate gravel or stone in the bladder, or that the poisonous microbes, which are always in your system, have attacked your kidneys.

You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The oil soaks gently into the walls and lining of the kidneys, and the little poisonous animal germs, which are causing the inflammation, are immediately attacked and chased out of your system without inconvenience or pain.

Don't ignore the "little pains and aches," especially backaches. They may be little now but there is no telling how soon a dangerous or fatal disease of which they are the forerunners may show itself. Go after the cause of that backache at once, or you may find yourself in the grip of an incurable disease.

Do not delay a minute. Go to your druggist and insist on his supplying you with a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In 24 hours you will feel renewed health and vigor. After you have cured yourself, continue to take one or two Capsules each day so as to keep in first-class condition, and ward off the danger of future attacks. Money refunded if they do not help you. Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand, and thus be sure of getting the genuine.—Adv.

Puts a Stop to all Distemper CURES THE SICK

And prevents others having the disease no matter how exposed 60 cents and $1.15 a bottle, $5.50 and $11.00 a dozen bottles. All good druggists and turf goods houses. Spohn Medical Co. Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.

SPOHN'S DISTEMPER COMPOUND

You Are Dying By Acid

When you have Heartburn, Gas, Bloat, and that Full Feeling after eating. TAKE ONE

EATONIC (FOR YOUR STOMACH'S SAKE)

Rids you of the Excess Acid and Overload and you will fairly feel the GAS driven out of your body—THE BLOAT GOES WITH IT.

IT GIVES YOU REAL STOMACH COMFORT

Sold by druggists generally—If your druggist can't supply you a big box of Eatonic for 50c, send us this adv. with your name and address and we will send it to you—you can send us the 50c after you get it. Address Eatonic Remedy Co., 1018 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

EATONIC A Big Box for 50c

He Knew Willie.

Uncle Jim (after a visit)—I want to buy Willie a present that will be useful and that he will keep as long as possible. What would you suggest?

Willie's Dad—A cake of soap.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Country's Champion Knitter.

The day the armistice was signed Miss Hannah Turner of West Pittsfield, Mass., finished her one hundredth sweater for the navy. She began knitting in December, 1917, which means that she produced one sweater in every three days. When she notified Boston that she had completed her eightieth sweater she was told she had beaten any knitter in the United States. In her spare moments she also made one or two mufflers and some wristlets. She had never done any knitting before she undertook this wartime work.

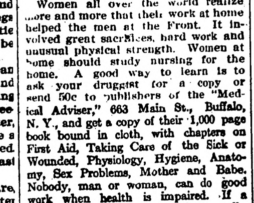
DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Cause for Rejoicing.

The morning of the eleventh, when the bells began ringing and the whistles blowing, Betty wakened up and asked what it meant.

"The war is over and now we shall have peace," I explained.

"Oh, goody!" she said in such a relieved tone. "Now I can begin to spend a little of my own money!"—Chicago Tribune.



Women all over the world realize more and more that their work at home helped the men at the Front. It involved great sacrifices, hard work and unusual physical strength. Women at home should study nursing for the home. A good way to learn is to ask your druggist for a copy or send 50c to publishers of the "Medical Adviser," 663 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y., and get a copy of their 1,000 page book bound in cloth, with chapters on First Aid, Taking Care of the Sick or Wounded, Physiology, Hygiene, Anatomy, Sex Problems, Mother and Babe. Nobody, man or woman, can do good work when health is impaired. If a woman is nervous or has dizzy spells, suffers from awful pains at regular or irregular intervals she should turn to a tonic made up of herbs, and without alcohol, which makes weak women strong and sick women well. It is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Now sold by pharmacists in liquid or tablets. Send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial package of the tablets.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a true friend to women in times of trial and at times of pain when the organs are not performing their functions. For headache, backache, hot flashes, catarrhal condition, mental depression, dizziness, fainting spells, lassitude or exhaustion, women should never fail to take this tried and true woman's medicine.

ALL AIDED IN WINNING WAR

Dumb Animals and Birds Had Prominent Part in Great Conflict Now Happily Ended.

Parrots have been mobilized to warn people from air raids. They sense the aircraft coming twenty minutes before it is visible.

Horses have been decorated.

Oxen have saved the life of King Peter of Serbia and millions of other fugitives.

Oxen have also been used by the Italians to sweep the barbed wire entanglements, as well as to sample first mined areas.

Dogs have played a great part.

Even cats and chameleons have taken part in actions as mascots.

Whales have been killed because of their close resemblance to U-boats.

Camels, rhinoceroses, lions, tigers and elephants have attacked convoys in Mesopotamia.

Giraffes cut telegraph wires.

Birds help to locate hidden artillery, and seagulls fly about submerged submarines.

Eagles furiously attacked airplanes, while other birds sympathized with the airmen and even rested on the planes.

Birds have fraternized with men at the front.

WAS GOOD ENOUGH REASON

Accused Man's Lawyer Asserted His Client's Innocence, So What Was There for Jury to Do?

"The following story either shows extreme ignorance on the part of a juror, or it shows what a wonderful charm some lawyers exercise on a jury," said a former marshal of a southern Indiana city.

"A murder was committed and it was not long before we had the man who we were sure had committed the deed. But he had money and he retained the best lawyers. The two lawyers we will call White and Black, because White and Black are not their real names. The jury was made up largely of men who tilled the soil. They were of the honest sort. White and Black, especially White, so presented their client's case, telling how he could not do such a horrible deed, using their handkerchiefs occasionally in the telling, that the jurors were carried away and voted for acquittal.

"Later I met one of the jurors and I said to him: 'Jones, why did you vote to acquit the prisoner? The evidence showed clearly that he was guilty.'

"'No, sir, that man was not guilty,' said Jones. 'What makes you think so?' I countered. 'Why, because Mr. White said he wasn't!' concluded Jones."

Too Much to Expect.

"Do you expect Josh will be able to speak French when he gets home?" asked Mrs. Corntossel.

"No," replied her husband. "You can take it from me that Josh has been too busy fighting to stop an' learn any fancy accomplishments."

Its Complexion.

"Her face is her fortune."

"Is she trying a skin game?"—Baltimore American.

Age knows what things are dangerous, youth has to find that out for itself.

Music for All Occasions.

Until Aunt May came to her house to visit, eight-year-old Marian cried for everything she wanted. Aunt May with the intention of curing her niece formed the habit of singing (as Marian wept): "Don't cry, little girl, don't cry, etc." All to Marian's disgust.

One night when father was fussy, Auntie proved that there was a song to suit him. Sweetly she sang: "Pack up your troubles in your old kit bag and smile, smile, smile."

A few nights later a bachelor of very uncertain age came to call on Aunt May. Auntie was very happy until suddenly from the next room victrola came:

"Darling, I Am Growing Old."

Marian had seized her chance to prove that there were songs for all occasions.

Enthusiastic.

"He's very enthusiastic about any project he thinks of going into."

"Counts his chickens before they are hatched, eh?"

"Yes, and figures two to a shell."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

In Close Touch.

Mrs. Hiram—"Are you much in touch with affairs?" Mrs. Rubely—"Oh, yes; our phone is on a party line."

Spanish Influenza can be prevented easier than it can be cured.

At the first sign of a shiver or sneeze, take

HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

Kill Dandruff With Cuticura

All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

PATENTS Watson E. Coleman, Patent Lawyer, Washington, D. C. Advice and books free. Rates reasonable. Highest references. Best services.

FARGO TANNERY

Andrew Monson, Prop., Fargo, N. D. receives hides and skins for tanning to harness leather, robes and coats. Robes lined, hides bought, leather and robes for sale. Send for price list of FUR COATS, AUTO and BUGGY ROBES, ETC.

Ship HIDES, FURS and WOOL to BOLLES & ROGERS Fargo, N. D. If we get the goods, you get the money. Have your bank look us up. HIGHEST PRICES – QUICK RETURNS

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Old Folk's Coughs

will be relieved promptly by Piso's. Stops throat tickle; relieves irritation. The remedy tested by more than fifty years of use is

PISO'S

"GOOD WORK!"

The Red Cross badge of membership is a delight to the soul of the man in khaki, or navy blue. He knows its true significance in war as well as peace.

So do the thousands of American mothers and wives and sisters who have had their loved ones with the colors.

So do the hundreds of thousands of men, women, and children of war-torn Belgium, France, Italy, Roumania, Serbia, Russia, Palestine and wherever Red Cross work has been going on.

It is up to every man and woman in free and happy America to see to it personally that the American Red Cross continues to carry on its great work of love and humanity.

Wear your button

It is evidence that you have placed your stamp of approval on the excellent work which the American Red Cross has done—and will continue to do.

Join the Red Cross
—all you need is a heart and a dollar

THIS SPACE CONTRIBUTED BY

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company, Holt, Minnesota

Fight Two Fights

BY ENROLLING IN THE

Red Cross Christmas Roll Call

1—A Fight for Democracy

The Red Cross brought heroic France the first help from America to turn back the onrush of democracy's foes.

Then it provided healing care and comforts to strengthen America's great democratic army.

Also it fights now beside our soldiers over there by looking after the needs of their loved ones over here.

2—A Fight for Health

By sending health workers to Italy and France—by appropriating millions for fighting tuberculosis both there and in America, the Red Cross gives every member a share in a winning war for health.

Red Cross funds enable American tuberculosis associations to combat the disease that most of all kills those needed as workers and soldiers.

You are not asked to buy Red Cross Christmas Seals this year. They are awarded to you as a Red Cross member for helping in the health fight.

Either one of the fights is reason enough for joining.

SO ANSWER "PRESENT" IN THE

Red Cross Christmas Roll Call

The National Tuberculosis Association

C. H. Gunheim, General Merchandise, Holt, Minnesota

SERVICE ON WHEELS

In modern warfare there is much portable relief work done. Instead of carrying the wounded man to hospital and canteen, canteen and hospital are moved to him. The first thing that is done for a man after the battle is to give him something to eat. The American Red Cross has rolling canteens that take hot bouillon, coffee, tea, cocoa, lemonade and sandwiches right to the front line trenches. To the man who is wounded there is a mobile hospital brought to his very elbow. This is the "autochir," a special motor truck that carries a complete surgical hospital right to the front.

These are some of the things that the people of America are doing for the comfort and welfare of the boys over there by enrolling their names in the Red Cross Christmas Roll Call. The Red Cross button and the Red Cross Service Flag should everywhere be in evidence during the week of December 16th to the 23d as outward symbols of this annual rededication to Red Cross service.

RED CROSS SUNDAY

The Red Cross Christmas Roll Call week begins with a special Red Cross Sunday on December the fifteenth. From every pulpit throughout the country will be told the message of the American Red Cross. Special programs should be arranged in the Sunday Schools on this day.

The Sunday School room should flame with Red Cross posters and emblems, and there should be prominently displayed both a Red Cross flag and a Red Cross Service flag. Teachers and pupils should carry home this Red Cross message to the members of their families and see to it that each one of these is wearing the Red Cross membership button before the week is over. The Christmas spirit should express itself in Red Cross service and sacrifice.

GERMAN PRISONERS REBUILD BELGIAN HOMES.

German prisoners were used to construct homes for Belgian refugees in the village which the American Red Cross is constructing for families rendered homeless by the German invasion of Belgium. Many prisoners have been put to work in the fields of France in this section, harvesting wheat and other crops and thus lessening the burden on the women and very old men who have been operating the farms while their men are fighting at the front.

War Savings Stamps

Don't be so foolish as to think that we can win without

YOUR HELP

or that Germany will let you keep your money if she

Wins. Buy a Stamp

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Nov. 27, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Carl Fredrick Nielsen, of Golden Valley, Minn, who, on February 1, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 07445, for NE1-4, Section 28, Twp. 156N, Range 41W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 31st day of December, 1918

Claimant names as witnesses: Cleve Bergum, Melwin Olson, P. C. Rosand, all of Golden Valley, Minn., and C. F. Birkeland, of Holt, Minn.,

Peter M. Ringdal
Register.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

Make this a Red Cross Christmas

The happiest, merriest Christmas the world ever knew is almost here. But in the rejoicings of peace and freedom there is one note of seriousness, that America must not forget—there is misery and distress and sickness in war-torn Europe. Relief must be given. The work of the Red Cross MUST go on. And to carry on, the Red Cross MUST have the support of your membership.

Join the Red Cross
—all you need is a heart and a dollar

THIS SPACE CONTRIBUTED BY

Red Lake Falls Milling Company, Holt, Minn.

Have you joined the Red Cross?

J. J. Little returned to Madison Monday.

Standing timber sold cheap at this office.

Christ Nash was a T. R. Falls visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sorenson are both on the sick list.

Alfred Newton went to McIntosh Monday to visit relatives.

Bergman Folden went to Crookston Monday on business.

Julius and Otto Olson came home Tuesday from Roseau county.

Martin Tunheim shipped a car of cattle Tuesday to the markets.

The dollar you send out of the country, never comes here again.

Jacob Nelson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Richard arson is able to be out again after a siege with the mumps.

Mrs. Paul Olson went to Warren last week to consult Dr. Bratrud.

Mrs. Gunheim and children and her father, Mr. Lein are on the sick list.

The baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sagmoen, died of influenza last week.

Mrs. Ormeston was a business visitor in T. R. Falls and Warren this week.

Engval Johnson went to T. R. Falls Wednesday to have dental work done.

Miss Agnes Bakke visited her sister in Middle River between trains Monday.

Mrs. C. S. Kolden and baby went to T. R. Falls Wednesday to visit relatives for a few days.

Tom Severson showed himself an expert with the rifle by killing two wolves last week.

School Notes

The Intermediate and High School departments of the Holt Consolidated school held a joint meeting in the high school room on Oct. 9th, 1918, and organizations were effected for a Junior Red Cross Auxiliary and a Little Citizen's League.

Motions were made and carried naming our auxiliary, "The Holt Junior Red Cross Auxiliary" and our league, "Uncle Sam's Little Citizen's League."

The League officers, as elected are as follows:

President	Clifford I...sk
Vice-President	Melvin Bakke
Secretary	Elevina Jom
Treasurer	Walmer Eiesberg
Adviser	Miss Peterson

The following committees were appointed:

A. Committee on Information and Programs: Elevina Sollom, Lillian Fitch, Thea Johnson.

B. Committee on Health and Sanitation:

For High School room	Mabel Hagberg
Intermediate	Myrtle Sollom
Primary	Ida Hagglund

C. Committee on Physical Training:

For High School pupils	Melvin Bakke
Intermediate	Bennie Heinse
Primary	Alice Swan

D. Committee on Patriotic Aid:

The high school pupils and seventh and eight grades were grouped into two teams, with Melvin Bakke and Walter Bakke as leaders. The teams will compete in the sale of Thrift stamps and War Saving stamps.

The committee on Health and Sanitation assists the teachers in the daily and weekly inspection of pupils.

(Continued next week)

Notice!

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Help the Red Cross

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Ole Reierson went to T. R. Falls Monday.

John Sorum looked after business in Warren last Friday.

Sam Mickelson built a house last week for Alfred Newton.

Miss Beatha Nelson returned home Saturday from Grand Forks.

Everybody will like the music at the ball Friday evening Jan. 3.

Thorval Kolden returned home on Christmas Day from Crookston.

Miss Jennie Folden went to Thief River Falls Monday to have her eyes treated.

Mrs. C. Hoffman and son Aug were Xmas shoppers in Holt Tuesday.

K. O. Flakne returned home Saturday from a business trip to Larimore, N. D.

Tina Johnson came home from T. R. Falls Tuesday to spend Xmas, with home folks.

We wish you all, both BIG and small, a Bright, Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Miss Mamie and Gladys Flak entertained a number of their lady friends at their home Thursday evening.

Miss Spokley has been attending high school at Climax, came last Thursday to spend the Xmas holidays with home folks.

Miss Helen Hanson returned home Tuesday from the T. R. Falls hospital and is much improved in health we are glad to report.

The second number of the Holt Lecture Course is a musical program to be given Friday evening Jan. 3rd by the Morlancourt Trio.

T. A. Reierson of T. R. Falls came last Friday between trains to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson and other relatives.

WANTED: Competent cook to begin work January first. Good wages. Write State Agricultural School, Crookston, Minnesota.

Miss Nellie Saastad came home from Middle River Tuesday, near where she has been teaching, to spend the holidays with home folks.

Gilbert Johnson is still a very sick man and it is expected he will have to go to T. R. Falls hospital next week to have an operation for an abscess of the lung.

C. L. Erickson has resigned his job on the J. J. Little farm and left here Saturday with his family for Madison, Minn. where he has purchased an interest in a vulcanizing shop.

It is expected a doctor or nurse will be here Saturday between trains to vaccinate people for the prevention of pneumonia. The work will be done in one of the lower rooms of the schoolhouse.

Army and Navy News

Peter Langlie, Alfred Larson and Olof Hagen returned home the past week from the training camps.

In France
Nov. 22, 1918

Dear Father:

It is all over, over here, that is for some of the boys, but not for all of us. Next letter you receive from me is very likely to be headed, "Some where in Germany." We are among the picked troops that are to occupy Germany. It is going to delay our returning home and God knows we are sure anxious to get back to civilization again. But this army life is not run on likes and dislikes. So its up to us to stay if they say so.

We went into action July 8th and never had a bit of relief until it was all over Nov. 11th The firing ceased at 11 A. M. Nov 11th. Believe me it was a happy moment.

Our brigade (composed of regiments of 155 millimeter guns) more commonly called 6 inch rifles, with a range of 14 miles, certainly have made some record for themselves.

I have seen some horrible sights during the past five months. Sights that I hope no human will ever again have to endure or witness, as they surely were awful.

Am in good health except for a little touch of rheumatism in my kness and legs. But after the next couple of weeks is over I expect to be able to take better care of myself.

Not counting my 5 weeks in the hospital with the mumps, I have slept in a bed twice in 10 months.

The weather here is about same as Sept. and Oct. at home. No snow yet, but sharp frosts and thin ice in the mornings.

Your loving son
Gill C. Jones
Hq. Co. 148 F.A. Band
Annex E. France

Extracts from a letter written to A. R. Jones by his son who is in France.

Estray Notice!

A white mare came to my place, in Sec. 3, Town of Holt, Dec. 14th. Owner please prove property, pay expenses of keeping and for this notice.

Elling Waggedahl

Geo. Hanson who is sick with pneumonia was reported better yesterday.

Miss Edna Anderson of T. R. Falls, visited at the C. Hoffman home this week.

Engebreth Moe went to Grafton, N. D. Monday to spend the holidays with relatives.

Theodore Sollom of Middle River and brother Elmer of Gatzke visited relatives here Sunday.

Dr. Gambell was called last week Thursday to see Mrs. J. E. Erickson and Mrs. Chas. McLane.

Lilly and Victor Rustad came home Tuesday from Rustad to spend Christmas with their parents.

Ole Hamernes returned Saturday from Chaplin, Sask., Can. where he had been farming the past season.

Mrs. Robt. Spinks came Tuesday from Middle River to spend Xmas. with her sister Mrs. B. Docken and family.

Dr. Mellby was called here Tuesday to see Geo. Hanson, the Horn and Sorenson families and Gilbert Johnton.

Mrs. Julius Knutson and children of Emerado, N. D. came last Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Langlie, a few weeks.

School Notes

(Continued from last week)

Points of daily inspection.

(1) Did you wash hands, face, neck and ears this morning?
(2) Are your nails clean?
(3) Did you brush and comb hair to-day?
(4) Did you clean your teeth last night?
(5) Did you sleep nine hours with windows open?
(6) Did you wash hands before all three meals yesterday?
(7) Have you a clean handkerchief?
(8) Are your shoes clean?
(9) Did you try to sit, stand and walk correctly yesterday?
(10) Did you do without tea and coffee yesterday?

Points of weekly inspection.

(1) Did you take a bath last week?
(2) Are your clothes clean, whole, with hooks, eyes, and buttons?

Altho this adds another burden to the teachers, we think it well worth the the time and work as we can already notice an improvement in the standard of the schools and parents are urged to co-operate so as to make it easier for the children to keep up this standard and raise it if possible.

The school attendance is not yet up to normal, and we hereby urge parents to send children as soon as conditions will allow, that they may not loose any more time than is absolutely necessary.

Martha M. Peterson, Principal.

For Sale or Trade

160 tons of hay for sale at once at Mud Lake. Will take some spring rye for a few tons. If you want hay let us know at once.

C. J. Dale.
Star Route, Holt Minn.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our neighbors and friends for their kindly assistance and sympathy at the time of the death of our beloved son and brother Nels, also for the beautiful flowers for the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Larson and family.

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.

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In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg.
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 207 Call 2

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Fa... ...for constipation.

PROVED SPIRIT OF DEMOCRACY

Voluntary Basis of Food Saving Showed Heart of America Beat True for Freedom.

To the voluntary service and sacrifice of the American people must be attributed the continued health, strength and morale of the Allied armies and the civil populace.

Upon this spirit of service and sacrifice will depend Europe's fate in the months to come. In the past year we have carried out an export program, the magnitude of which is almost beyond comprehension. But with the new demands that have come, with the liberation of nations freed from German oppression, our exports must be almost doubled. Instead of 11,820,000 tons, we must ship twenty million tons of food to Europe in the coming year—as much as can be pushed through our ports.

If the Allies had not been fed by America, it would have been impossible for them to maintain their defense against Germany.

Meeting this world need on a purely voluntary basis, the American people have conclusively proved that democracy is a success and that in time of need it will rise to its own defense.

If there were no other accomplishment to its credit the very fact that it has shown the strength of democracy has in itself more than justified the existence of the Food Administration in the eyes of the world.

Less than four months after the United States declared war the United States Food Administrator expressed his determination to meet America's food problem on a basis of voluntary action and reiterated his confidence that awakened democracy would prove irresistible.

"Many thinking Americans," said Mr. Hoover, "and the whole world have been watching anxiously the last four months in the fear that democratic America could not organize to meet autocratic Germany. Germany has been confident that it could not be done. Contrary proof is immediately at our door, and our people have already demonstrated their ability to mobilize, organize, endure and prepare voluntarily and efficiently in many directions and upon the mere word of inspiration aside from the remarkable assemblage of our Army and finances."

The history of the Food Administration has clearly shown that the trust of those who put their faith in democracy has not been misplaced.

Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 70
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 90

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and
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Contains No Opiate
Safe for Young and Old

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Torald Tharaldson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Torald Tharaldson, Decedent

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to George W. Walker

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that the 3rd day of June 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the City of Warren in said County, be and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News as provided by law.

Dated Dec. 3, 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

[COURT SEAL]

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and Distribution

Estate Of Carl L. Anderson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Carl L. Anderson, Decedent;

The State Of Minnesota To Anna Anderson, Carl Oscar Anderson, Carrie Elisabeth Anderson, Erick Ragnar Anderson, John Edwin Anderson, Helmer Levin Anderson, Gladys Evelen Anderson, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of January 1919, at 11 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 7th day of December 1918.

Peter H. Holm,
[COURT SEAL] Probate Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Warren, Minnesota.

Meat Market Notice!

Meat Market Accounts are now past due
Please call and settle with us
or leave the amount at
Holt State Bank
Postively No Credit
After Dec. 1st, 1918

O. J. Backlund, Holt, Minn.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.08
Wheat No. 2	2.05
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.24
Oats	59
Barley	61 to .70
Rye	1.39
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

Palace Barber Shop.

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K. E. DAHL COMPANY
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and
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All work guaranteed satisfactory

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Holt, Minn.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale, by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named, is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Rudolph J. Jensen and Ines O., Jensen, his wife, mortgagors, to Holt State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the state of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated January 27th 1916, and recorded in the office of, of the register of deeds of Marshall, County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of January, 1916, at eight o-clock A. M., in book 76 of mortgages, on page 579.

That the amount claimed to be due, and which is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of $69.19.

That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are as follows: The East Half of the Northwest Quarter and the West Half of the Northeast Quater of Section Four in Township One Hundred fifty five North of Range Forty one West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, or his Deputy, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 4th day of January, 1919, at ten o'clock A. M. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and taxes, if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the sum of $25.00 attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, subject to redemption within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated Nov. 18th, 1918.

HOLT STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY
Eat Less—Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

Happenings of the World Tersely Told

U.S.—Teutonic War News

A correspondent with the Americans across the Rhine says the Third army now occupies a strip of Germany containing more than 4,500 square miles. It is supervising the administration of several hundred villages and operating hundreds of miles of railroads and street car lines.

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A dispatch from American army headquarters says men in German military uniforms are not to be allowed within the American area of occupation after December 15, unless they are on duty and are provided with written permission of the American military authorities, according to a proclamation issued by Col. J. C. Rhea, chairman of the American bridgehead commission.

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A London dispatch says thousands of American soldiers in France probably will be given leave to go to England, with their transportation expense being paid to places in the United Kingdom.

European War News

A Paris dispatch says the Journal de Geneve asserts it has learned from a good source that some of the principal German manufacturers, financiers and pan-German leaders fear a German revolution to such an extent that they are secretly negotiating to persuade the allies to occupy the whole of Germany.

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A Paris dispatch says the Berlin central government is powerless to preserve order and deserters from the army terrorize the inhabitants. Robberies and attacks follow one another rapidly and apartments and shops are robbed in midday. Committees of all kinds, it continues, publish contradictory orders and practice blackmail.

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The supreme military tribunal at Vienna has announced that 11,400 persons were sentenced to death by Austrian military tribunals during the war and executed, according to a Berlin dispatch to the Amsterdam Handelsblad.

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Dr. Mathias Erzberger, civilian head of the German armistice commission, has again complained of the severity of the armistice conditions, according to a number of messages received from Amsterdam and other places relating to the German situation. Erzberger asks for the raising of the blockade, the liberation of German prisoners of war and the immediate opening of peace negotiations.

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A Paris dispatch says French marines have entered Odessa, Russia, and have received a cordial welcome from the people there, according to the Matin. Detachments have occupied the wireless station and expelled German soldiers from all military posts.

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Foreign

Admiral Canto Y. Castro has been elected president of Portugal, in succession to Dr. Sidonio Paes, who was assassinated at Lisbon.

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An Amsterdam dispatch says a general strike was called in Berlin. Advices from the frontier early in the day said that 350,000 workers had gone out and that only two newspapers were published.

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A Munich dispatch says Czecho-Slovak troops have occupied the towns of Tetschen and Bodenbach, in German Bohemia, south of the German border, have raised their flag and cut telephonic and telegraphic communication.

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President Wilson will spend the Christmas holidays at General Pershing's headquarters. Official announcement to this effect was made at Paris.

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Count Johann Heinrich von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States, is to be appointed foreign minister in the Ebert government, according to a Berlin message.

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A revolution has broken out in Bulgaria, according to information received by the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger from Bulgaria, by way of Hungary.

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The German moderates have scored overwhelming victories in the elections, according to an Amsterdam dispatch.

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Poland has severed relations with Germany, according to a telegram received in Berlin from Warsaw.

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The Dutch government will ask the Ebert government to take measures for the safety of former Emperor William when he returns to Berlin, according to a dispatch from The Hague.

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A London dispatch says Lord Hugh Cecil and Rowland E. Prothero, the coalition candidates, were declared elected to the house of commons for the two seats of Oxford university.

Several hundred boys and girls paraded through the streets of Berlin on their way to the reichstag building, where the soldiers and workingmen's congress is being held. They demanded, among other things, votes for persons eighteen years of age, the abolition of corporal punishment in schools and the participation by children in the administration of the government and schools.

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The situation in Smyrna is extremely critical, according to newspaper dispatches from Mitylene. Young Turk officials have posted armed bands at various places about the town and these have been bombarded by the allies' fleets.

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Sixteen hundred German soldiers were rescued when the German transport Worms was sunk between Sweden and Bernholm island, according to a Stockholm dispatch. The cause of the sinking is not given.

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Washington

General Pershing notified the war department at Washington that he had designated for early convoy home a number of additional units, including the Twenty-seventh engineers and the Three Hundred and Forty-sixth field artillery; in all about 4,500 officers and men.

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A Paris dispatch says President Wilson conferred with Edward N. Hurley, the shipping director, on the problem of obtaining ships for the homeward movement of the troops.

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Germany should be compelled to pay, so far as possible, the cost of the war to the United States, Senator Simmons of North Carolina, chairman of the finance committee, declared on the floor of the senate at Washington.

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Responding to a senate resolution, General Manager Piez of the Emergency Fleet corporation advised the senate at Washington that from August, 1917, to November 23, 1918, 280 ships were constructed by that organization, aggregating 1,216,367 gross tons.

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It cost the government twenty-nine and three-quarters millions of dollars to raise seventeen and three-quarters billions of dollars through the four Liberty loans and War Savings stamps. These figures were made public at Washington when the house committee on expenditures in the treasury department gave out the report of Secretary McAdoo.

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An increase of 6,726,000 acres of winter wheat, or nearly 16 per cent over that sown in the fall of 1917, is shown in the report of the federal department of agriculture.

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Postmaster General Burleson at Washington announced a reduction in night long-distance telephone rates, and a charge for all long-distance calls whether the individual called is reached or not. The new rates are effective January 21. Between 8:30 and 12 p. m. the rate is to be one-half of the day rate, and between 12 p. m. and 4:30 a. m. one-fourth the day rate.

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Appropriation of $600,000,000 for road construction is proposed in a bill introduced at Washington by Representative Browne of Wisconsin, Republican. Fifty million dollars would be made available for immediate use and the entire total in six years.

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The German government July 10, 1914, informed about 130 civilian employees at a conference in Berlin that a world war would be started soon, Capt. G. B. Lester of the army intelligence service testified before the senate committees investigating German and brewers' propaganda at Washington. These employees then were dispatched to all parts of the world, 31 coming to the United States to stimulate pan-German propaganda.

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A new 6-cent postage stamp, intended primarily for airplane mail service but valid for all purposes for which stamps of the regular issue are used, has just been announced by the post office department at Washington. It is rectangular in shape and of orange color.

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Domestic

Villa bands raided the ranch of an American, John B. Hibler, at Galena, in northern Mexico, December 9, according to a report to the state department at Washington. No one was killed. The raiders took most of the corn at the ranch, the entire store of feed and 28 burros, 18 oxen, 4 carts, 300 goats and all the cattle, horses and mules.

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Four more American members of the crew of the United States armored cruiser Brooklyn have died at Yokohama as a result of injuries sustained in the explosion, supposedly of coal dust.

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An aviator, said to be Carl Smith of Brockton, Mass., was killed instantly when his machine fell 500 feet at the Standard Aircraft corporation's field at Elizabeth, N. J.

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Four men were killed in an airplane collision near West Point, Miss. They are Lieuts. Alvin W. Splane of Oil City, Pa., and Fred Synnestvedt of Pittsburgh, Pa., flying instructors of Payne field, and Private Fred P. James of Litchfield, Ill., and Guy C. Wells of Reynoldsville, Ill., of Bowen field.

EBERT CABINET WINS SANCTION

Socialist Parliament Gives Its O. K. to Government Now In Power.

PLAN STATE INDUSTRY

New Seat of Government Proposed—Sentiment That Berlin Is Not Germany Receives Marked Applause.

Berlin, Dec. 23.—The revolutionary parliament, which adjourned Friday afternoon, gave the cabinet the fullest authority to manage affairs. The prestige of Chancellor Friederich Ebert and Philipp Scheidemann has been greatly enhanced by the appointment of a national central executive committee of 27 soldiers and workingmen, comprised wholly of majority Socialists. The committee is largely a body with parliamentary functions on a small scale. It can eject obstreperous cabinet members and has a restricted veto power.

State Industries Planned

The congress devoted its closing hours to problems of socialization. It approved of state control for such industries "as are ripe" for the experiment and a start will be made with the coal pits, afterward the steel and chemical industries and the alkali mines will be in line for seizure.

Although the bulk of sentiment was for leaving such complex problems to the national assembly, Mile Barth of the Ebert cabinet urged that an immediate start be made with the coal mines on account of the economic situation, as industries were being menaced by the chronic unrest in the Silesian and Rhenish mining districts.

Berlin Is Not Germany.

Herr Rickelt proposed Weimar, capital of the grand duchy of Saxe-Weimar-Eisenach, as the seat of the first constituent assembly.

The general makeup of the congress was pronouncedly mediocre as the majority of members were from local soldiers' and workmen's councils hurriedly organized in the early days of the revolution. The fact that the congress convened at Berlin was responsible for some embarassing episodes, such as invasions by soldiers and laborers.

Herr Scheidemann was loudly cheered by the country members when, in the course of his address, he declared that Berlin was not Germany.

DANGER IN 5 OF 14 POINTS

Senate Hears Criticism of President's Plans by Senator Lodge.

Washington, Dec. 23.—Five of President Wilson's 14 principles of peace were held in the senate by Senator Lodge, the Republican leader, as questions which might lead to division among the nations which have conquered Germany, and which certainly should be postponed until after the peace conference. They are the first four and the last of the points enunciated by the president in his speech January 8, 1918, and relate to secret diplomacy, freedom of the seas, economic barriers, reduction of armaments and the league of nations.

The senator delivered a prepared address on the problems of the peace conference in which he spoke of the heavy responsibility of the senate in the work of making peace, recalled that no treaty can become binding upon the United States without the senate's consent and declared that untoward results could be avoided only if the senate expressed itself frankly in advance.

"To bring forward propositions not inseparably connected with the immediate and difficult task of making a binding peace with Germany," Senator Lodge said, "may ruin all by trying to do too much at once." Such propositions, he said, were the five points enumerated.

TAX BILL GETS SENATE O. K.

All Provisions Being Forced Through Upper House.

Washington, Dec. 23.—By a strict party vote the senate last Saturday adopted all provisions in the war revenue bill prescribing tax rates for 1920, which Democrats advocated and Republicans opposed, but failed to reach a final vote on the measure, and adjournment was taken until today, when its passage is expected.

Action was taken virtually on a test vote in disposing of the provision reducing the individual income normal tax rate to 8 per cent in 1920. On a motion by Senator McCumber of North Dakota, Republican, to strike out this section, 37 Democrats voted to retain it and 31 Republicans were recorded for its elimination.

Hotels Again Given Free Rein.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 23.—Patrons of North Dakota hotels and restaurants may eat as much as their pocketbooks and consciences will permit beginning with breakfast today, according to an order received by Al H. Leimbacher, chairman of the hotel and restaurant division of the national food administration for this state. The telegram from Washington urges the importance of continued conservation, however, and requests that in announcing the abrogation of rules the need of further food saving be also made plain.

NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings In Minnesota Given In Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Pine River.—The Cass County Fair Association meeting here decided to hold the next Cass county fair here the third week in September.

Roseau.—Sheriff Rice took Gorman McEldowney to Stillwater prison to begin a five-year term at the penitentiary for stealing an automobile from the Ramstad Auto Company at Greenbush last summer.

St. Cloud.—Fire in Rice totally destroyed the large livery barn owned by the St. Cloud Brewing Company. In the barn were six horses, a number of buggies and a sled belonging to J. Werner, which were consumed.

Stillwater.—The members of the Washington County Holstein Breeders' Association held a meeting at the civic club rooms, this city, which was addressed by H. R. Leonard, state secretary of the Holstein association.

International Falls.—The telephone line between this place and Ericsburg will soon be completed. The farmers of the Ericsburg district and those living along the Elwell highway, over which the line is strung, built it.

Minneapolis.—Nick Claus, 50, a well-known trapper living alone in an old cottage on "Eight Mile Creek," at the end of Lyndale avenue south, near the Mississippi river, was found dead by a neighbor, who went to visit him.

Warren.—W. H. Dixon has sold his horse barn, sheds and second-hand store here to William Bradley. Mr. Dixon goes out of the horse dealing business, in which he had been engaged in Warren for seventeen years.

Melrose.—Funeral services have been held for ex-Mayor Edlebrock, of Melrose, a prominent business man of western Stearns county, who died at his home here, aged 58 years. He was a pioneer merchant. He is survived by his wife and three sons and a daughter.

Brainerd.—The annual meeting of the Crow Wing County Farm bureau, which was to be held on Dec. 18, has been indefinitely postponed because of the influenza situation. It is probable the meeting will be held some time in January in connection with the annual meeting of the Livestock Shipping Association.

St. Paul.—Resolutions protesting against any increase in telephone rates in Minnesota were passed unanimously at a mass meeting here by twenty-six representatives of Minnesota municipalities, all members of the telephone users' defense committee. A copy of the resolutions was presented to the state railroad and warehouse commission at the continuation of the telephone hearing at the capitol.

Montrose.—Half a dozen persons were injured, one seriously, when Great Northern passenger train No. 22 split a switch near here. The engine passed over the switch safely, but the baggage car, following, took the siding and piled on the engine of a freight train which had sidetracked for the passenger. The smoking car, next to the baggage car, turned over on its side and the passenger car following left the rails.

St. Paul.—Charges that St. Paul is a vice-ridden city, that automobile thieves reaching proportions of an organized gang, are stealing machines and bringing them to St. Paul and selling them, and that gambling and disorderly houses run rampant in the city with the apparent knowledge of the police, are contained in a report made public by the Ramsey county grand jury. The county attorney's office also is criticised for alleged laxness in prosecutions.

Howard Lake.—Michael Cavanaugh, engineer of the passenger train, was killed, and passengers and members of the crew were shaken up, when Great Northern passenger train No. 13 and a freight train collided head-on at the depot here. The engines on both the passenger and freight trains were smashed and the smoking car of the former train was damaged. Only one of the passengers was seriously hurt. Cavanaugh was a veteran engineer.

Minneapolis.—Six Minneapolis and St. Paul women will lead the movement for obtaining better working conditions for the women and children of Minnesota. They will constitute the legislative committee of the woman's committee of Council of National Defense. The members of the committee are Mrs. Charles P. Noyes, of St. Paul, chairman, and Mmes. Daniel Coonan, Andreas Ueland, David Simpson and Carlyle Scott, of Minneapolis, and Mrs. Frances Buell Olson, of St. Paul. The committee has been appointed by Mrs. T. G. Winter, state chairman of the woman's committee, in accordance with a vote at the last executive meeting. It will handle all legislative matters referred to the Council of National Defense.

Little Falls.—After a campaign of one week the Polish people of this city raised $1,520 toward the Polish relief fund that is being raised all over the country for relief of the stricken people of Poland. The allotment set for this city was $1,000, which was raised entirely among the Polish citizens.

St. Paul.—Lawrence W. Kine has resigned as rate supervisor on the staff of C. Louis Weeks, state insurance commissioner, to take a position with a private insurance company. He will be succeeded by Z. Z. Savory of Minneapolis.

Walker.—M. McAneney, connected with a local bank, is to take a similar position in Devils Lake, N. D.

East Grand Forks.—Joseph Tierien, of Bygland township, has returned to his old home in Montreal, after an absence of twenty-three years.

Chisholm.—The village council has increased the pay of the chief of police and day and night sergeant $5 per month and policemen and firemen $10.

Hastings.—Harry Johnson, second cook at the state hospital here, who weighed 350 pounds, died from influenza complications. His body was sent to his old home at Rayne, Ill.

Ivanhoe.—The Lincoln county board in session here has contributed an additional $5,000 to the relief fund of the Tyler tornado sufferers. The original amount contributed by the county was $12,000.

Bemidji.—County Auditor-elect A. D. Johnson returned from St. Paul, where he severed his connection with the M. & I. railroad, preparatory to assuming his new office of auditor of Beltrami county.

St. Cloud.—Supt. Boerger, of the county schools, has sent a check for $10 to the fire relief sufferers fund in northern Minnesota. It came from the school of Luxemburg, of which Sr. M. Olga is the principal.

Virginia.—Tony Vidac, of Biwabik, sentenced to sixty-five days on the county work farm by Judge Milbrook, of Biwabik, charged with making false and defamatory remarks about Johane Rebic, was taken to Duluth by a deputy sheriff.

Virginia.—This city will not forget the little folks this yuletide, as the usual community Christmas tree will be set up in the middle of Chestnut street, opposite the Elks building. Tiny vari-colored electric globes will be strung along its branches.

Virginia.—Ralph M. Spink, foreman of the composing room of the Virginia Enterprise several years ago, has been killed in action in France, acquaintances in Virginia have learned. Mr. Spink left Virginia some time ago. He worked for a time as a printer on the International Falls Journal.

Crookston.—A. D. Stephens received a report from the state director of the Fourth Liberty Loan which shows that the percentage of bonds sold in Polk county, based on the allotment, was 108, and the distribution of bonds per capita was 24.9 per cent, or one bond to every fourth person in the county.

Moorhead.—The demurrer in the $5,000 slander suit of Rosa Stella against John and Mike Kondolis, of Dilworth, has been overruled by Judge Bert Fesler, of Duluth, who heard the case. The case grew out of the charge made by the defendants to Sheriff Dan W. McDonald, that Stella had stolen money from them, and that he was not obeying the "work or fight" order.

St. Paul.—The office of Federal fuel administration engineer in each state will cease to exist January 15, 1919, according to notification received by H. J. Meyer, fuel engineer for Minnesota, from H. A. Garfield, Federal fuel administrator. Mr. Meyer said the government had decided to retain the conservation bureau of the fuel administration, and is planning to educate the public to keep up fuel saving for its own benefit.

Crookston.—E. M. McMahon, general secretary of the St. Paul association, was the principal speaker at the annual dinner of the Crookston association and in the course of his remarks paid special tribute to the enterprise of the farmers and business men of the valley in making possible the erection of the building for the promotion of the livestock industry, and evidenced that the Twin Cities were keenly interested.

Hastings.—Testimony in the election contest of Alfred E. Rietz against P. H. O'Keefe for county attorney of Dakota county, has closed here. The case is to be argued by a representative from the attorney general's office before Judge C. J. Rockwood, in Minneapolis, at a date to be announced later, when the question of legality of the soldier vote will be considered and alleged errors in ballots cast at the recent election will be taken up.

Pipestone.—According to information received here, one of Uncle Sam's big new battleships will be named Pipestone. The information was from Chairman Rogers, of the Ninth Regional Liberty Loan Committee. This county will receive the distinction because it was one of the four counties in the Ninth Federal Reserve district to have the highest standing in the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign. The total subscription of the county was $1,045,100.

Virginia.—The armory building question again bobbed up at the city council meeting, a new angle to the protracted controversy being introduced when City Attorney George Shea gave it as his opinion that the state cannot force the city to provide quarters for the military organization, contradicting the claim of a state official recently made that the city must furnish drilling quarters and headquarters for the National Guards. The matter went over till next meeting, when Mayor Edward Johnson will outline his plans for a combined city hall and auditorium, the latter to be used by the National Guard.

Hibbing.—Local Elks, after several weeks' idleness because of the ban, will resume activities after the holidays. The biggest initiation of the year will take place at the armory on the second Monday in January, when a large class will be put through, with visiting delegations from Chisholm, Duluth and Virginia present. An athletic program and lunch is planned.

Virginia.—Charged eighteen months ago with grand larceny while acting as collector for a publishing concern, H. S. Torence, former Virginian, has been arrested in Minneapolis and brought back to face the charge.

CANADA'S NEW DEVELOPMENT

After the War a Period of Prosperity.

It is evident that the Government of the Dominion in its programme of reconstruction and development is undertaking a work of tremendous importance. There will be available the labor for work that has been silent since 1914, and the rehabilitation of this labor will entail the thought and energy of most capable heads. The transition period from war to peace will be rapid and thorough, and, instead of Canada sinking into a state of lethargy, there will be a continued period of wakefulness that will give employment to the unemployed, and render to the capitalist and producer ample return for his money, effort and enterprise.

The agricultural potentialities of the great Canadian West possess illimitable acres of the best of soil, capable of producing millions of bushels of the best of grain. The cost of growing this is lower than any place on the continent. There will be a greater demand than ever for these lands, the consequent production will be heavier and the profits attractive. Cattle industry will be one of the chief developments, and the encouragement of it will lie in the continued high prices that beef products will bring. European countries have been depleted of cattle, and the demand for beef, cattle and dairy products will tax the efforts of the producer for years to come.

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More extensive development of the water power at Niagara, on the St. Lawrence and at waterfalls all over the country, is ready to be launched.

Peace will see new mine fields opened up, and it is equally certain that shipbuilding, railway equipment, steel production, and many of the industries will go forward with a bound.

Canadian industries will be required in the reconstruction of Europe, and already the Canadian Government has sent across the seas a commission for the purpose of securing orders. Canada took an early and prominent part in the war, and in the days of peace will be found equally active. She feels that by the valor and loyalty of her people she has earned a large share of the business and prosperity that will follow the war period, and she proposes to get it.—Advertisement.

One of Little Faith.

The old farmer had no faith in "physic," but he became so sick that he was eventually induced to see a doctor. A few days after his visit the doctor met him and remarked that he looked better.

"Yes, zur," said the farmer. "I am a lot better than I was."

"So the medicine did you some good after all, then?" said the physician.

"I dunno, zur, I dunno," the farmer went on. "'Tis like this 'ere, you see. Soon as I got outside your place I drinked one-half and throwed away the other—but I can't tell which done me the most good."—Tit-Bits.

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WILSON EXPECTS A JUST SOLUTION

President, in Interview, Shows Confidence in Good Results at Versailles.

NO BOSSES THERE, SAID

Congress Must Be Representative, Executive Believes—No Master Mind Great Enough to Be Entitled to Control.

Paris, Dec. 21.—"I am confident that the big council of statesmen of the world will be able to reach a just and reasonable solution of the problems that will be presented to them, and thus earn the gratitude of the world for the most critical and necessary service which has ever been rendered it," said President Wilson yesterday in an interview, referring to the approaching peace conference.

"Bosses" at Vienna

The congress of Vienna, the correspondent says, President Wilson told him, was congress of "bosses." The delegates were concerned more with their own interests and the classes they represented than the wishes of their peoples.

"Versailles, as President Wilson said, "must be a meeting place of the servants of the peoples represented by delegates and he added 'there is no master mind which can settle the problems of today. If there is anybody who thinks he knows what is in the mind of all people, that man is a fool. We have all got to put our heads together and pool everything we have got for the benefit of the ideals which are common to all.'"

British Navy Helped

Asked whether he would visit the grand fleet, President Wilson replied he would not have time, adding that he fully realized that behind the great armies there was the strong, silent and watchful support of the British navy in securing the communications of the allies.

STILL AFTER MEAT PACKERS

Federal Trade Chairman Says Retail Competition Will Cease.

Washington, Dec. 21.—Retail and wholesale groceries on a competitive basis will be wiped out within a few years unless present tendencies in the meat packing industry are eliminated, Chairman Colver of the federal trade committee told the house interstate commerce committee yesterday at hearings on the administration bill to regulate the packing business.

"The wholesale grocery business on a competitive basis will disappear in five or six years," said Mr. Colver. "In 10 or 12 years the retail grocers also will disappear as individuals to be supplanted by a great chain of stores."

The cause, he contended, was that the packers had obtained control of numerous industries not directly related to the packing industry. He asserted the consumer pays more and the producer gets less, due to the control of the packing industry by big concerns.

ALASKAN MORTALITY IS HIGH

Death Takes Heavy Toll Among Eskimo Population.

Nome, Alaska, Dec. 21.—Estimates compiled by the health authorities and relief workers of the bureau of education here place the mortality among the Eskimo population of Seward peninsula, due to pneumonia resulting from Spanish influenza, at nearly 1,000.

In the outlying sections of the peninsula the disease continues to take an appalling toll of life among the natives, the adult population of some half dozen villages in the Nome vicinity having been wiped out. In other towns reports of relief workers show Eskimo children are the principal survivors, and many of these have been found partially frozen in remote settlements owing to the death of their parents.

RAIL HEADS OPPOSE PLAN

Do Not Favor McAdoo's Suggestion for Continued Federal Control.

New York, Dec. 21.—Director General McAdoo's proposed plan to extend federal control over the railroads for a period of five years is to meet the vigorous opposition of the executive officials of the nation's leading railroads. Robert S. Binkerd, assistant chairman of the railway executives advisory committee, authorized the announcement that the executives were opposed to the extension of control beyond the 21 months fixed by law.

Marshall Discusses Peace League.

Carlisle, Pa., Dec. 21.—Vice President Marshall in an address here last night before the Carlisle chamber of commerce said on the question of a world league to prevent war, that, in his opinion, until all men are of good will wars will not cease unless nations desire peace at any price. The vice president said it was furthest from his thought to utter a single word which might in any manner be construed as endeavoring to affect the negotiations of the president in Europe.

PERSONAL STOCK-TAKING

Dawn of New Year a Good Time to Bolster Up Weak Spots

NOW'S the time for a personal stock taking. The habit is in the air around Christmas. The kiddie lives a miserable life from the first of December trying to do his best so that old Santa will be good to him. The average man starts in around Christmas to think about the New Year resolutions he is going to make. All his friends, wise and otherwise, proffer advice gratis until the poor chap isn't sure whether the New Year is coming or going and he himself is hopelessly lost. If he's wise he will go off by himself to a quiet corner and turn over the events of the past year and strike a balance on the results. The chances are that he will feel as chipper as a squirrel in May when the job is finished. There will be many instances where the "might have been" will condemn what was.

Life has many lessons that are hard to learn.

One is that you can't put your ability in cold storage until needed for some great scoop. Your present job may be no compliment to your ability, but you dare not slight it for that reason. To keep yourself fit you must constantly employ your talents to the limit. As soon as you begin to go easy on them you start to decline. Unused potentialities deteriorate. Labor saving devices and man-made expedients won't work out with the Divine masterpiece. God never intended ability to be held in reserve for spectacular purposes. The wise man takes stock daily to see whether or not he is measuring up to his privileges. This is the season to begin the practice of it.

Man's measure is best taken when he toils for the good of others.

Much that he does in this line is not appreciated. The knowledge of this kills some folks at the start. Most men do their best when the thing they advocate is popular. A few indomitable souls are fired to the heroic point by opposition. It takes the big souled man to struggle on when he sees few results and gets little thanks. He works for the sake of the thing to be done, and that is the evidence of the master-workman. It takes the stalwart to keep on the job in cloud and sunshine with his best always as the goal. If you are willing to take stock and profit by the results shown, you may be in that class soon.

The fellow that is honest in his stock taking will find many loose connections in his past efforts.

He has failed to keep the pace because his ideals and ability did not mix properly; or he has been short on one or both of these essentials. There are many sincere souls that are failures because they have gone at high speed with a bolt loose somewhere. No wonder they wrack themselves to death. The stock taking will help them to see where their personal mechanism needs repairs. Weakness in any one part hinders the best work of the whole. For the sake of a temporary gain you dare not endanger your future usefulness. The past has been of your making. If it does not please you find what has been the matter and make sure of a better record for 1919. It's unfair to blame your competitors for lack of success. If you had been able to deliver the goods you would doubtless have had your share of the trade. They have won because you have failed somewhere. Most failures begin with the mental apparatus. Look well to yours for the New Year. There is no time for adjustments after the race starts.

When the head is supplied with right thinking the body is apt to be best fitted for its tasks.

To be sure the care of the body influences the thinking, but even that needs right thinking to help it. If your head is off you can't give your body a square deal. You can't booze all night and have a clear head the next day. You can't dance until daybreak and have elasticity and sprightliness of body when the rush is on the next afternoon. You can't fill your stomach with cheap candies, creams and chemically preserved fruits and be happy and obliging to a trying customer in busy times. You must have the whole human mechanism working in harmony if you are going to get the most out of the coming year. That's why your old uncle is asking for a mental and physical examination. He's concerned for your welfare and wants you to make good.

Wishing You All Every Success for a Prosperous and Happy New Year

Think right, and you will generally be right.

If you haven't measured up to expectations during 1918 you must find the reason.

The truth will doubtless jar your self-opinion a little, and you would hate to see the analysis in the newspaper. But the results will be just as public if you fail and men who read between the lines know the facts. So if you're concerned about the future you will respect the verdict and honestly set out to avoid the foolish things done in 1918. You will make your corrections at once. If you continue in error you will damage your working ability, not to speak of your reputation and character. It isn't business to toy with things costly. You can better afford to down a foolish self-pride than be downed by tasks too big for you. If you make the corrections to your life at once even the balance of this year will profit by the stock taking and you will start the year with a little practice.

The best assurance of success is found in taking stock of the means of attaining it.

Many worthy projects are blasted by over-zeal. Faith does wonders, but it's a healthy process to mix considerable good judgment with it. Promises to pay are of no value without the ability to redeem them. You must count the cost before beginning the new enterprise. Scan your personal fitness before undertaking new ventures. If you stand the test you are bound to win. You have no reason to expect that simply because you attempt something beyond you some mysterious power is going to pull you through. The New Year will be full of challenges and for that reason I want you to take stock and be ready for the testing when it comes.

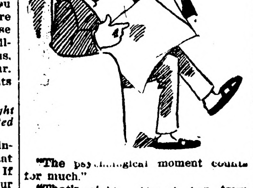
There's nothing like knowing what you dare expect of yourself.

It's just as foolish to attempt jobs too big for you as it is to be afraid of what you can do easily. There are some organizations that put on campaigns these days to help people find themselves. If you want the same results without the publicity go after your own case and don't be too easy with the subject. The coming year will be full of great opportunities and you won't know what to do when they come unless you take stock in advance. To be sure some lucky turn of fortune's wheel may put you in a high place, but you are far more likely to stay at the top if you rise by merit.

You owe yourself and your friends your best record for the coming year.

It should be a matter of satisfaction to know that you have the ability to do big things. It's equally important to know your weakness if you should be confronted with big things. In any case failure does not add to your credit. Many of life's failures could be avoided if men would only take stock. This is business, and you should not shirk it if you want to succeed. Rise to power and criticism go together. You will escape most of the latter if you take time to find yourself and fit yourself for being your best. Take stock before others take it for you and corrections are too late.

THE PSYCHOLOGICAL MOMENT.



"The psychological moment counts for much."

"That's right. Almost any town could be voted dry along about January 1."

THE DEATH OF THE OLD YEAR.

Full knee-deep lies the winter snow,
  And the winter winds are wearily sighing:
Toll ye the church bell sad and slow,
And tread softly, and speak low,
  For the Old Year lies a-dying.
Old Year, you must not die;
  You came to us so readily,
  You lived with us so steadily
Old Year, you shall not die.

His face is growing sharp and thin,
  Alack! our friend is gone.
Close up his eyes; tie up his chin;
Step from the corpse, and let him in
That standeth there alone,
  And waiteth at the door,
There's a new foot on the floor, my friend,
And a new face at the door, my friend,
  A new face at the door.

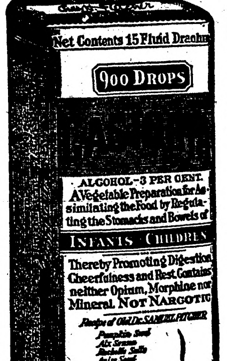
—Alfred Tennyson.

Only Today Is Ours.

The opening of the year is everybody's birthday. God has let us share his work. God has gifts for days to come. We may send our thoughts back through the ways of memory; we must send them forth through opening paths of faith and hope. The past will come no more, but today is ours and tomorrow is in the hands of everybody's birthday, then, bring joy and courage! May God's spirit help us, each and everyone, to walk with God and spend a joyful year in the service of his Kingdom.

Crowns.

There's many a crown for who can reach.—Browning.



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What a lot of misery they cause! How Acid-Stomach, with its day-after-day sufferings, does take the joy out of life! Not only that — Acid-Stomach is always undermining one's health. Think of what acid does to the teeth—how the acid eats through the enamel, causing them to decay. Is it any wonder, then, that Acid-Stomach saps the strength of the strongest bodies and wrecks the health of so many people?

You see ACID-STOMACH victims everywhere always ailing. They can't tell exactly what is the matter; all they say is, "I don't feel well"—"I'm all in; tired, sickly." If they only knew it, nine times out of ten it is Acid-Stomach that is ailing them. It surely makes good digestion difficult, causes food to sour and ferment in the bowels, weakens the blood and fills the system with poisons. It prevents one from getting the full strength out of their food.

Take EATONIC and get rid of your Acid-Stomach. This wonderful modern remedy actually takes the excess acid out of the stomach. It quickly and positively relieves bloat, heartburn, belching, food repeating, sour, gassy stomach, and the pains of indigestion. Makes the stomach cool and comfortable—keeps it sweet and strong. Banishes all stomach troubles so completely that you forget you have a stomach. You can eat what you like and digest your food in comfort, without fear of distressing after-effects. EATONIC helps you get full strength out of every mouthful you eat—and that is what you must have to be well and strong—full strength from your food.

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Furthermore, why do they call an ear splitting whistle a "siren?" Our understanding of a siren is that people don't try to get away from her.—Galveston News.

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Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Ointment with soft tissue paper. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

A Mixed Jury.

"How did she happen to lose the case?"

"Some of the ladies on the jury didn't think she was as beautiful as her lawyer tried to make out."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Right Place.

"Why do they have cages for the birds?"

"To put the birdmen in, my son."

The View of It.

"Do you believe in heredity?"

"Not at all. Neither of my parents were either smart or good-looking."

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PISO'S

Anna and Elisabeth Hoff- visited Mrs. P. W. Fuller in River Falls last Saturday and day.

O'Hara left here Friday for River Falls and Warren to medical advice and expected to have to submit to an operation for rupture.

Mrs. Lufkin of T. R. Falls came Monday to take care of her sister Mrs. Sorenson, for a few days. All the Sorenson family, except the baby, were much better at last reports.

P. A. Riesberg went to Thief River Falls Monday for a short visit with relatives there, departing the next day for Gardena, N. D., to spend Christmas with the H. Pavek family.

Oscar Bottom took his seven year old son to the Thief River Falls hospital Saturday, and Monday he was operated upon for abscess of the ears. At last report the little boy was improving nicely.

Carl Johnson was over at Warren last week and succeeded in landing another ditch contract, altho he had few others to bid against. The ditch is in the neighborhood of the one they worked on the past summer, on which they have about six weeks work to do when the season opens again.

SAVE 16,000,000 BUSHELS OF WHEAT THAT FORMERLY WAS LOST IN THRESHING

Farmers, Urged by Food Administration, Provide Seven Extra Loaves of Bread for Every American.

By adopting cleaner threshing methods and by literally combing harvest fields to gather grain formerly wasted, threshermen and farmers of the United States this year saved fully 16,000,000 bushels of wheat, estimated as equivalent to about seven one-pound loaves of bread for every person in the country. This result, accompanied by corresponding savings of barley, oats, rye and other grains, is shown by reports from 33 grain states to the U. S. Food Administration. Other states, although not prepared to furnish definite figures of conservation in the grain fields, report greatly reduced harvest losses.

This rural food saving achievement, accomplished in scarcely six months' time, was in direct response to requests by the Food Administration, which asked farmers and threshermen to reduce harvest losses from about [illegible] per cent.—the estimated average in normal times—to the lowest possible minimum. Country grain threshing committees carried into every grain growing community the official recommendations for accomplishing the results desired.

In numerous instances drivers of racks with leaky bottoms were sent from the fields to repair their equipment and frequently bad order threshing machines were stopped until the cause of waste was removed. But in proportion to the number of persons engaged in gathering the nation's grain crop, cases of compulsion were comparatively rare. The Food Administration freely attributes the success of the grain threshing campaign to patriotic service by farmers, threshermen and their crews. Incidentally grain growers of the United States are many millions of dollars "in pocket" as a result of the grain saved.

NO ONE SUFFERED HERE.

The marvel of our voluntary food saving, now that we are "getting results," is that no one ever actually suffered any hardship from it; that we all are better in health and spirit and better satisfied with ourselves because of our friendly self-denial.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn. Nov. 27, 1818.

Notice is hereby given that Fredrick Nielsen, of Golden Valley, Minn. who, on February 1, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. [illegible], for NE1-4, Section 28, Twp. 156N. Range 41W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for the District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minn., on the 31st day of December, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Bergum, Melwin Olson, P. C. sand, all of Golden Valley, Minn., and C. E. Birkeland, of Holt, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal
Register.

Get vaccinated Saturday.

Miss Burndette Horien came Friday from Easton to spend Christmas with her folks.

Miss Bettie and Dehard Johnson went to Alvarado Tuesday to spend Xmas with relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Hoffman who has been working at Goodridge, returned home to spend the holidays.

Miss Amanda Mickelson returned home Tuesday from Crookston, having resigned her position there.

The family of K. Brown arrived here Friday from Wishek, N. D., and surprised Mr. Brown as he was not expecting them for several days.

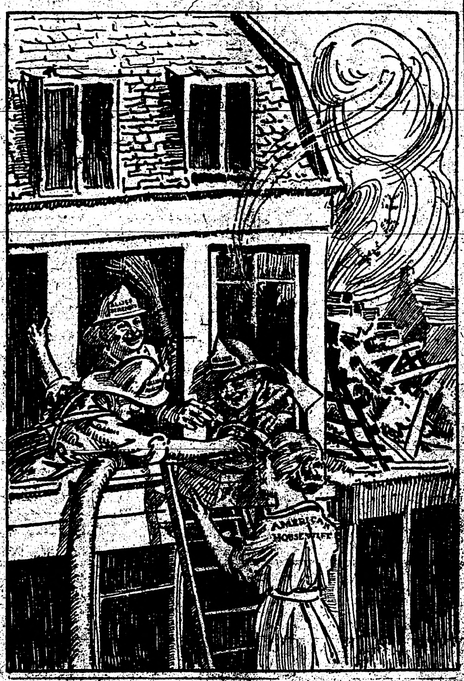
Mrs. W. A. Lindahl returned home Saturday from the Thief River Falls hospital and is much improved in health, we are pleased to report.

Mr. Kjelgren went to T. R. Falls Monday, returning home the next day accompanied by his daughter Ida who has been at the sanatorium for some time.

Nels Gudvangen received a telegram Friday from Duluth stating his brother, Hilmer, died there the day before from the influenza, from which the whole family had been sick.

Mrs. Sathre of Middle River, but who has been doing millinery work at Wilton N. D. for some time, came Friday, to assist in the house hold duties at the Bennes' home until Mrs. Bennes recovers from her sickness.

SHE KEPT THEM ON THE JOB



Happy New Year

The Holiday Season affords an opportunity to express again the pleasure we derive from our business relations with you. Our biggest asset is the good will of our customers, and we sincerely value the business you have given us, and on behalf of our entire organization we wish for you and yours A Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred ninety and 82-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Oluf O. Eggum and Petra Eggum, his wife Mortgagors, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota Corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of June 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of June 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 79 of Mortgages, on page 9, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section twenty two in Township One Hundred Fifty Six North of Range Forty Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of February 1919 at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Ninety and 82-100 Dollars and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 20th 1918.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.

Stolen!

The party who took two sets of spreaders off my harness, the night of Dec. 21st, while said harness was in the livery barn in Holt, is hereby notified to return them to Hjalmer Peterson at the Holt livery barn, at once. As the party who took the spreaders is known, papers will be served on him, if the spreaders are not returned at once.

Frank Brown,
Golded Valley, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Ninety and 29-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Ed. Ellingson and Christine Ellingson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January 1912, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of January, 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Book 66 of Mortgages, on page 320.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Holt State Bank Mortgagee, to The Minnesota Loan and Trust Company by written assignment dated the 3rd day of February 1913, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 27th day of March 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Book 71 of Mortgages on page 417.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Minnesota Loan and Trust Company the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minnesota, (a corporation) by written assignment dated the 4th day of September 1913, and recorded on the 13th day of December 1918, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 94 of Mortgages page 358; and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The southeast quarter (SE) Section thirteen (13) in Township One Hundred Fifty-eight (158) North of Range (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, and containing one hundred sixty acres more or less, according to the government survey thereof, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of February 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Ninety and 20-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemtion at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th 1918

Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minn.
Assignee of Mortgagee
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
Warren, Minnesota.

4 THRIFT STAMPS GIVEN AWAY. Four Thrift Stamps will be given to any girl or boy for each name sent of those that need glasses, if they will get them in gold frames on my next visit. Names must be sent before any date advertised. If this is not understood, write to C. G. Mugg, O. S., Grand Forks, N. D.

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Write it nineteen.

Musical entertainment to-night.

WANTED: To Buy, A Good Team of Horses. J. M. Jahr.

Dr. Turley will be here Wednesday Jan. 8th, to do dental work.

Rev. Kilen will hold services here next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nelson went to T. R. Falls Monday to have dental work done.

Miss Olive Mickelson went to T. R. Falls Monday to visit her sister Mrs. Racine Olson.

Jacob Nelson has resigned his job on the school route and S. H. Nohre is now driving the bus.

Thorval Kolden returned to Crookston Saturday, after spending a pleasant Xmas with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindahl returned on Wednesday from Ross where they had been to bring their little girl home.

The creamery takes in cream on both Mondays and Thursdays, after this week. Sell your cream to the home creamery.

Miss Ruby Swan went to Grand Forks, Monday to work at the university with the other girls from Holt and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Jernberg of Montana came New Years Day to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Sorter, also other relatives.

Willie Rux shipped a car of poplar wood to Ardock, N. D., the past week, for which he received six dollars a cord in the car.

The second number of the Holt Lecture Course is a musical program to be given Friday evening Jan. 3rd by the Morlancourt Trio.

Mr. and Mrs. Docken and children and Miss Agnes Bakke went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to visit at the D. B. Bakke home on New Years day.

A cold wave struck us Monday night and the thermometer was down around 30 degrees for a few days and now we know winter is here to stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christoferson, Mrs. Hoad, Mr. and Mrs. Will Steinhauer and Arnold Steinhauer spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steinhauer.

Loyd Adams has been building an addition, 14x16 with 12 foot posts, to the farm house occupied by Chas. Hagglund and family. Mr. Adams had the work almost completed, when he had to quit on account of sickness.

Gilbert Johnson went to Thief River Falls Monday to enter the hospital for a few days treatment. His mother, Mrs Otto Johnson, went with him as he expected to have an operation; but at last reports he was getting along so well that he is expected to return home in a few days.

Baby Called Home

Sanford Milton, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sorenson, passed away shortly after noon on Monday, from an attack of pneumonia.

The family were taken sick with the influenza about three weeks ago, the others recovering, but pneumonia fastened its hold on the baby.

All that loving hearts and hands could do, was done to relieve its suffering and bring back good health, but the disease had too strong a hold on the young life and after a vain struggle the baby succumbed to the dread disease.

The baby was born June 15th and was six and a half months old and had always been strong and healthy, until taken sick with the influenza.

Rev. Kilen conducted the funeral services at the home Wednesday after noon and interment was made in the Holt cemetery.

We join the friends of the family in extending them our sincere sympathy in their time of sorrow.

Dr. Gambell; phone 140.

Percy Huseth came one day last week to visit at H. J. Olen's.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Sorter went to T. R. Falls Monday.

Mrs. August Hoffman visited with her sister, Mrs. C. Hoffman one day last week.

Chas. Hagglund and daughter, Mabel, have been on the sick list the past week.

The high prices for hay, makes us wonder if it would'nt pay the farmer to sow a patch of clover.

Oscar Bottom went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to see his little son, Clarence, at the hospital.

Martin Mattson was out last week trying to persuade people to install the telephone in their homes.

C. L. Sandberg went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to help with the invoicing in his firm's lumber yard there.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Davidson went to T. R. Falls Monday to visit Mr. Davidson's cousin, Carl Johnson for a few days.

Lina, Emilea and Emil Johnson, Pauline and Ernest Schwartz, and Carl Kuehne called at the C. Hoffman home Saturday.

Ole Backlund closed the butcher shop Tuesday, for the winter, and went to Middle River to work in the gravel pit for Sollom & Moen.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson and little son came over from Newfolden last week for an extended visit here with relatives and friends.

J. J. Little came up from Madison Saturday and employed Willie Werner to work for him. Mr. and Mrs. Werner moved onto the Little place Tuesday.

Miss Gladys Hagen returned to Grand Forks Monday where she will resume her duties at the University Commons after a pleasant visit with home folks during the holidays.

The party who took my spreaders better return them or I will get the sheriff after him.

Frank Brown
Golden Valley, Minn.

It is expected a doctor or nurse will be here Saturday between trains to vaccinate people for the prevention of pneumonia. The work will be done in one of the lower rooms of the schoolhouse.

The following were pleasantly entertained at the C. L. Heinze home Christmas day:

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bjerk and two daughters Lydia and Mrs. Kautz, Mr. and Mrs. Fosholm and son Henry, Mr. Flak and family, Miss Newton, Ole Reierson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lindahl.

Estray Notice!

A white mare came to my place, in Sec. 3, Town of Holt, Dec. 14th. Owner please prove property, pay expenses of keeping and for this notice. Elling Waggedahl

For Sale or Trade

160 tons of hay for sale at once at Mud Lake. Will take some spring rye for a few tons. If you want hay let us know at once.

C. J. Dale.
Star Route, Holt Minn.

Take Notice

Notice is hereby given that commencing Monday Jan. 6th, that cream will be taken in at the Holt creamery on Mondays and Thursdays until further notice.

W. A. Lindahl,
Buttermaker.

Read our new ads.

Mabel Johnson went to T. R. Falls Monday.

Dr. Turley will be here next week Wednesday Jan. 8th to do dental work.

Winter commenced in earnest Sunday night and we now have plenty of snow to suit most people.

Gladys Ness of T. R. Falls came Christmas Day to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Reierson.

Miss Ida Kjelgren returned Wednesday to the Tri-county sanitarium of Thief River Falls, after a few days visit at home.

R. Reierson went to Strathcona Christmas day to visit friends and from there went to Roseau County to visit at the home of his daughter Mrs. Henry Bjerk and family. Mr. Reierson returned home Saturday accompanied by Henry Bjerk who remained here for a few days visit.

Dr. Mellby vaccinated between 35 and 40 people Saturday and we hav'nt heard of anyone getting sick from the effects of it. This is for the prevention of pneumonia, which so often follows the influenza. Dr. Mellby will be here again Saturday, between trains, and everyone should get vaccinated. It don't pay to run the chance of getting the pneumonia at this time of the year.

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ALLIES' NEED OF FOOD GREAT

To Win the War They Are Making Sacrifices and Must Continue To.

AMERICANS MUST HELP TO THE LIMIT

Hoover Confident United States Home Folk Won't Be Food Slackers.

America's allies in Europe are denying themselves food in greater measure than ever before. They will have to go on doing so, even if Herbert Hoover's promise to send across 17,550,000 tons of food this year is carried out. Remembering what they—France, Belgium, Italy and Great Britain—have endured in the four years of war in pain and hunger, the call is to every man, woman and child in America to save food as never before—to eat enough to maintain health and strength, but to eat no more, and to waste not a scrap either by overeating or by the garbage can route.

The call is made ten times more imperative when it is remembered that it is seconded with emphasis by our own soldier sons now fighting in France, Belgium and Italy.

Here are the figures of the needs of Europe as compiled by Mr. Hoover, showing the amounts of food America has promised to save for shipment to Europe by next fall:

	Must ship year ending July 1, 1919. Tons.	Increase this year over last year. Tons.
Meats and Fats—(Beef, pork, dairy, poultry and vegetable oil products) ..	2,600,000	1,050,000
Bread Stuffs—(Wheat and substitutes in terms of grain)	10,400,000	3,600,000
Sugar—(From United States and West Indies) ..	1,850,000	330,000
Feed Grains—(Mostly army oats)	2,700,000	750,000
Totals	17,550,000	5,730,000

Discussing the needs of the Allies further, Mr. Hoover says:

"At best the Allied table will be less than ours, for the Allied peoples are denying themselves more in order to transport our soldiers. We can do no less than fill the ships they send us.

"Of our imports, we shall apparently have sufficient sugar to maintain the present consumption and take care of the extra drain of the Allies from our markets, instead of compelling them to send their ships to the far East. We can secure in sailing vessels the coffee we need, if no one makes an over-brew. Of our own products we must secure a reduction in consumption and waste in the two great groups of, first, breadstuffs; and second, meats and fats—that is, in all bread and cereals, beef, pork, poultry, dairy and vegetable-oil products. The average consumption of our people of breadstuffs amounts to about six pounds per week and of meats and fats to four pounds a week for each person. A reduction in consumption of less than one-half pound per week per person in each of these two great groups of foods would accomplish our purpose. We wish to emphasize, however, that we do not want curtailment in the use of milk for children.

"Some of our homes by reason of limited incomes cannot now provide more food than they should have to maintain health in the family. They cannot rightfully be asked to make the suggested reduction in consumption. But the great majority of our homes can do more than suggested.

This year as last I believe we can accomplish the necessary ends by voluntary action of our own people. The willingness to assume individual responsibility in this matter by the vast majority is one of the greatest proofs of the character and idealism of our people, and I feel it can be constantly relied upon. Our simple formula for this year is to further reduce consumption and waste of all food.

"It is necessary that every family in the United States study its food budget and food ways to see if it cannot buy less, serve less, return nothing to the kitchen and practice the gospel of the clean plate."

A STATE WIDE WAR ON RATS

Food Administration and College of Agriculture Urge Public to Fight the Pests.

THEY COST STATE $3,000,000 A YEAR

Agricultural College Issues a Bulletin as Guide for Local Rat Campaigns.

A campaign to rid Minnesota of rats has been begun by the federal food administration for Minnesota and the division of entomology and economic zoology of the Minnesota College of Agriculture.

Rats eat about $3,000,000 worth of Minnesota foodstuffs every year. This means an annual tax on every resident of Minnesota of $2, for which there is absolutely no return. Besides, rats are carriers of disease and there is no telling to what extent they increase the burdens of the people in this respect.

What Rats Cost the U. S.

The figures for the whole United States are still more striking. Rats cost the United States annually not less than $200,000,000, to say nothing of disease spread by them.

Rats eat valuable foodstuffs; they cause disastrous fires; they spread bubonic plague, trichinosis, and other maladies; they eat grain in the fields and in warehouses; they take unprotected food from stock; they eat eggs and young chickens; and the eggs of many birds which are exterminators of insect pests; they destroy fruits and vegetables, and they multiply with tremendous rapidity, increasing the annual toll of food and life.

These are the reasons behind the action of the food administration and the Minnesota College of Agriculture.

Campaigns Must Be Co-operative.

A campaign must be widespread to be effective. One farmer or one merchant cannot rid his premises of rats if his neighbor harbors rats. A war against rats must be co-operative. For this reason, local campaigns are to be encouraged and it is suggested that county agents and county chairmen of the Council of Defense, boy scout directors, school authorities, commercial clubs, school clubs, and similar organizations organize to exterminate the pest.

Bulletin as a Guide.

The College of Agriculture has just issued a bulletin as a guide to those promoting local campaigns. This bulletin is by F. L. Washburn. It urges that prevention is the best method. Prevention can be effected by covering basement windows of buildings with one-fourth inch galvanized screens and the bottom of outside doors, particularly of stables and of markets, groceries, and food warehouses, with similar wire netting. Sills of such buildings may be made rat proof. Corn cribs may be protected by raising them at least three feet from the ground on posts with projecting metal guards over which the rats cannot climb. Rat-holes may be closed with cement containing bits of broken glass. Breeding places may be broken up or destroyed by the removal of rubbish and litter of all sorts. These and other methods are recommended by the bulletin, copies of which may be had by addressing Office of Publications, University Farm, St. Paul.

Traps and Poisons.

Where rats are already well established and doing their vicious thieving and germ-spreading, rats may be trapped or poisoned.

What is known as the guillotine trap, made entirely of metal, is regarded as the best. A large number of traps should be used at once, not just one or two as is commonly the practice. By using a considerable number at the outset a big catch is more likely than after the rats learn to be suspicious of anything like a trap.

Barium carbonate (barytes) is recommended as a poison because it acts slowly and rats which have taken it with their food leave buildings to go in search of water. This prevents their dying in buildings and causing objectionable odors. Bartyes is cheap and may be used by mixing it ground fine with cornmeal, 1 part of barytes to 4 parts of cornmeal with sweet oil added. It may also be made into a stiff dough with oatmeal and water or may be spread on buttered bread or on fish. Other methods of poisoning are outlined in Mr. Washburn's bulletin.

Rat-Proof Buildings Needed.

Having made plans for the extermination of rats, measures should be adopted for preventing their return by rat-proofing all buildings. This may be done by constructing concrete foundations and by the use of wire mesh already referred to. Farmers' Bulletin No. 461, issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, on the "Uses of Concrete on the Farm," tells how to construct such foundations. Farmers' Bulletin No. 896, by the same department, contains further information as to rat extermination.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.32
Oats	57
Barley	65 to .78
Rye	1.39
Flour, Best Patent	5.80

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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

U.S.—Teutonic War News

General Rhodes, member of the American armistice commission, was severely injured in an airplane accident on the outskirts of Paris. His pilot, a British officer, was killed.

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A dispatch says Marshal Foch ordered further changes in the distribution of troops in the American zone of occupation, reducing the Third army to eight divisions.

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Satisfactory arrangements have been perfected with the French authorities to cease canceling the charters of ships intended to carry home American troops, according to a Paris dispatch.

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A Coblenz dispatch says German propaganda and the tendency to criticism of conditions in the district occupied by the American forces have been abruptly checked by the establishment of a censorship by Major General Dickman upon the newspapers and the theaters.

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European War News

A Mayence dispatch says the French threw a pontoon bridge across the Rhine at Nierstein on Friday. This bridge, which is over 1,000 feet in length, was built in five hours.

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The Finanza Italian of Rome announced that it estimated Italy's claims for damages in the invaded provinces at more than 100,000,000,000 lire ($20,000,000,000).

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Fifty additional large German U-boats will soon be surrendered the London Evening News learns. This will make the total of surrendered German submarines 164.

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A Petrograd dispatch says Russia's war casualties are authoritatively given at 9,150,000 as follows: Killed, 1,700,000; wounded, 4,950,000; prisoners, 2,500,000.

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Italy's war damages amount to more than 100,000,000,000 lire (about $13,000,000,000), according to the Finanza Italia of Rome.

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When the total German casualties are published the number of dead will be about two million, according to the Cologne Gazette of November 25 a copy of which has been received at New York.

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The British army of occupation is entering Dusseldorff, on the Rhine, it is officially announced at London.

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French soldiers to the number of 1,400,000 were killed during the war, according to a statement by the socialist deputy, Lucien Violin, in the Paris chamber of deputies, during an interpellation of the government on demobilization.

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Foreign

Prof. T. Masaryk, president of the Czecho-Slovak republic, took the oath of office as president in the diet building at Prague.

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Bulgarian troops fired on the Greek posts near Troussova and wounded three Greek soldiers, according to an official dispatch from Seres, in Greek Macedonia. The Greeks, the message adds, then attacked and captured two Bulgarian posts. Several Bulgarian soldiers were killed. The Bulgarians retired toward the slopes of Mont Beles.

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President Wilson will arrive in Rome on January 3, according to an nouncement made in the Italian newspapers at Rome.

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A Rome dispatch says that immediately after the armistice was signed Italian aviation experts set themselves to the study of the best way to adapt their machines to commercial and traveling purposes. Their first effort met with the greatest success. Two Capronis, 35 yards along, with three motors, flew from Terrara to Rome in three hours, covering a distance of 640 miles. Each carried 20 passengers.

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Bloody street fighting at Essen between the forces of the workmen and soldiers' council and Sparticides was reported in a dispatch received at Zurich. There were many casualties.

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As soon as peace is signed a powerful British fleet will visit American ports and the British dominions, the London Daily Express announces.

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A Stockholm dispatch says Prof. Herjoe Hirn and Dr. Adolph Toerjgren, selected as Finnish peace delegates, will leave soon for Paris.

A Munich dispatch says all Bavarian industries employing more than ten persons have been ordered to shut down from December 23 until January 2 for the purpose of saving coal.

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Herbert Hoover announced at Paris the appointment of Colonel Wood, U. S. A., as director of relief for Serbia, and Jugo-Slavia in behalf of the United States food administration. Colonel Wood and six aides will leave immediately for Belgrade. Representatives of the allies will participate in the relief work. Colonel McIntosh, another army man, is leaving for Trieste to take charge of the supply bases where food is already arriving from the United States.

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Washington

President Wilson made possible a "Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year" for the German alien enemies in the United States. From the American embassy in Paris he flashed by wireless to the department of justice at Washington a message lifting the order establishing barred zones in various parts of the country.

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Without even a roll call the senate at Washington passed the war revenue bill, the largest tax measure in the history of the world, designed to raise $6,000,000,000 in 1919 and $4,000,000,000 in 1920.

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All regulations restricting the use of bread, meat of all kinds, sugar, butter, cream and cheese in public eating places, which have been in effect since last October 21, were ordered rescinded by the food administration at Washington.

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A Paris dispatch says President Wilson made the following statement concerning his visit to the American hospital at Neuilly: "I went through the American hospital at Neuilly with the greatest interest and with the greatest gratification. I found the men admirably taken care of and almost without exception in excellent spirits."

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A Washington dispatch says incomplete returns from all parts of the country indicate that 13,000,000 persons have answered the Christmas "roll call" of the American Red Cross.

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Carl H. Gray, who resigned last week as chief of the division of operations of the United States railroad administration may succeed Director General McAdoo, says a Washington dispatch.

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At a mass meeting of citizens of Queenstown a resolution was unanimously carried inviting President Wilson to visit Ireland while he is in England next week.

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Formal announcement was made by the food administration at Washington of the cancellation of flour milling regulations, including fair-price schedules.

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Five German submarines, including the famous Deutschland, have arrived at Cherbourg, diplomatic advices to Washington stated.

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Well over 300,000 soldiers have been discharged from the army and returned to civilian states. Secretary Baker at Washington said the rate of demobilization had now reached 150,000 a week and that the war department was pressing its efforts to make the average daily discharges 1,000 per camp.

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More than $16,000,000,000 of cash appropriations and contract authorizations voted by congress for war purposes will be unexpended, Representative Sherley of Kentucky, chairman of the house appropriations committee at Washington announced.

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Secretary Baker at Washington directed that each soldier honorably discharged be furnished with two scarlet chevrons to be worn on the left sleeve as a recognition of his service to the country.

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Domestic

After being entombed for 72 hours in the Cleveland-Cliffs mine at Negaunee, Mich., three men, caught by a slide of wet ore late last Thursday, Monday were apparently suffering serious effects therefrom.

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A Columbus (O.) dispatch says appeals to Secretary Baker for the release at once of at least 200 Ohio physicians from the army to aid in combating the influenza epidemic in the rural sections was made.

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Five persons were killed when a touring car skidded on the frost-coated planks and plunged through the wooden railing of the second drawbridge on the Meadow boulevard at Atlantic City, N. J.

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Influenza caused 66,034 deaths in the larger cities between September 14 and December 14, while pneumonia killed 38,763 more, according to census figures announced at Washington.

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The state supreme court at Jefferson City, Mo., upheld the six-cent car fare for St. Louis.

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Alberto J. Pani, minister of industry and Labor in the Carranza cabinet, left Laredo, Tex. for Washington. It was reported there that Pani is to become Mexican ambassador to France.

EBERT OUSTED, HAGUE REPORT

Liebknecht to Take Reins and Form New Cabinet, Says Word From Berlin.

NEWS CONTRADICTORY

German Cable Reports Surrender of Mutineers and Hindenburg Said To Be On Way to Capital to Restore Order.

The Hague, Dec. 30.—The Ebert government virtually has been overthrown, according to a dispatch filed in Berlin and received here.

The dispatch says Philip Scheidemann, socialist member of the government, has fled from the city.

It is predicted that a new cabinet will be formed, including Karl Liebknecht and George Ledebour, and that the central soviet will be summoned.

Radical Commands City.

London, Dec. 30.—Brutus Molkenshur, supporter of Karl Liebknecht, has been made commandant at Berlin, according to a dispatch from that city to the Daily Mail.

Says Mutineers Surrender.

Berlin, Dec. 30.—Government troops renewed bombardment of the royal palace, killing several of the mutinous sailors entrenched there. The defenders finally surrendered.

Field Marshal von Hindenburg, with an army of loyal troops, is reported to be marching on Berlin to restore order. The bolsheviks still control the former social newspaper Vorwaerts.

Wants Soviets to Take Charge.

Berlin, Dec. 30.—While the government continues to deny the existence of a crisis, developments appear to be rapidly approaching the point where the Ebert-Haase cabinet will no longer be able to assert its authority. The Vossische Zeitung says that the six men who sign for the government are no longer the government, and it calls upon the newly created central council of soldiers and workers to assume the responsibility.

ASKS VOTE ON WORLD LEAGUE

Solon Would Place Congress on Record Favorably.

Washington, Dec. 30.—A resolution placing congress on record in favor of a League of Nations that will establish an enduring world peace was offered in the house by Representative E. A. Britten of Chicago, republican member of the committee on naval affairs. Mr. Britten said he would ask a hearing before the committee on foreign relations immediately after the holidays. Under the terms of the resolution the house requests the peace conference to create a League of Nations at the earliest possible moment. It quotes from President Wilson's utterances on the subject.

WILSON IS INVITED TO HELP

President Asked to Assist in Settlement of Vatican Question.

Rome, Dec. 30.—Monsignor Ceretti, the papal undersecretary of state, asked President Wilson to mediate "with a view to settling the Vatican situation" during their interview in Paris, according to newspapers here.

He also submitted to Mr. Wilson documents justifying the Vatican's attitude of neutrality during the war.

McADOO TO PRACTICE LAW

Will Open Office in New York After Three Months' Rest.

New York, Dec. 30.—William G. McAdoo will open a law office in New York city about April 1, it is learned here. The former secretary of the treasury will remain as director general of railroads until President Wilson appoints a successor. He plans to leave about Jan. 6 for a three months' rest in California.

CREEL DENIES RESIGNATION

Announces That He Expects to Drop Position Soon, However.

Paris, Dec. 30.—"I have not resigned, but I expect to quit and return to the United States as soon as I can clean up my affairs here—as I intended to do before I came to Europe," George Creel, head of the committee of public information, announced.

Cable Censorships May Be Raised.

New York, Dec. 30.—Action toward bringing about the raising of the censorship on commercial cables was taken at a meeting of the council of foreign relations. A committee of four was named to discuss the subject with cabinet officials and other government authorities.

Boost Boys' Reserve, Is Request.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Secretary of Labor Wilson has asked the governors of all states to co-operate with him in procuring the observance of the week beginning January 20, as a national enrollment week for the United States Boys' Working reserve. This organization, created in the war to furnish an additional agricultural labor supply, must be continued, the secretary said in his appeal to the governors, in order that food production sufficient to the requirements of the world may be secured.

WOMEN JOIN IN GERMAN REVOLT

Wives of Mutinous German Sailors Seize Rifles and Help Defend Palace.

BERLIN FACES ANARCHY

Fighting in Hun Capital Expected to Continue With Two Separate Contests Under Way—Ebert's Position Uncertain.

London, Dec. 28.—Wives of the mutinous German sailors have seized rifles and joined in defense of the Royal palace against the civil guards, according to a dispatch filed in Berlin and received by the Express.

Although the sailors have technically surrendered, they refuse to leave the city, and have announced they will continue to support Chancellor Ebert, who permits them to remain.

"The city is on the verge of anarchy and fighting is expected to continue," the dispatch said.

Two distinct conflicts are now under way in the city—the armed opposition of the sailors and their women to orders transferring the men to Coastal cities and the efforts of the rejuvenated Spartacides to overthrow the Ebert-Scheidemann government.

The Spartacides, under leadership of Karl Liebknecht, have announced their intention of forcing the present ministry to resign. The dispatch said they continue in possession of the Vorwaerts plant, from which they are issuing the "Red Vorwaerts."

Machine Guns in Position.

The building is defended by 18 machine guns and an armored car.

A portion of the palace was still held by the sailors, while the government held the remainder. It was believed that Ebert, fearing the sudden growth in power of the Spartacides, would halt the attack against the sailors and seek to enlist them on his side.

Many of them have already openly declared their loyalty to the chancellor, in view of his disposition to defer enforcement of the orders transferring them.

BRAVERY WAS CAMOUFLAGE

Kaiser and Hindenburg Fooled People With Movies.

Spa, Belgium, Dec. 28.—The former headquarters of the kaiser and his general staff is disclosing some extraordinary queer facts about the men who engineered the world war. Take for one, Hindenburg, Germany's superman, around whom reams of poetry has been written hailing him as a fearless Napoleon. As a matter of fact, he spent a great deal of time in a wonderfully constructed "funk hole," or dugout, underneath the grounds of his villa here.

Spa, it may be noted, is almost on the German border and so far from where battle-lines used to be that it was almost a day's journey in a fast motor-car to get within sound of the big guns. The kaiser, too, had a similar hiding place at Neu Bois, near a comic opera trench system, about which he is said to have paraded for the benefit of motion pictures.

WHEAT GUARANTY COSTLY

Big Loss to Government Next Year Is Seen.

Washington, Dec. 28.—The keeping of Uncle Sam's war promises to his farmers is going to cost $500,000,000 and perhaps more.

It will take this amount to pay the difference between the market price of the forecast 1,000,000,000 bushels 1919 wheat crop and the price of $2.26 set by the president during wartime, Chairman A. F. Lever of the house agricultural committee estimated.

Lever had in first stages of preparation a bill extending the life of the United States Grain corporation and increasing its capital stock from $150,000,000 to about $600,000,000. The bill is the result of a joint recommendation of the food administration and agricultural department.

DRASTIC ORDERS ARE ISSUED

British Will Shoot Bolsheviks in the German Navy.

Amsterdam, Dec. 28.—The British admiralty is prepared to take drastic measures against the propagation of bolshevism in that part of the German fleet remaining in German hands, according to a Berlin dispatch. The text of the order attributed to the British admiralty reads:

"Vessels under the red flag will be sunk without warning. Vessels without officers will be dealt with in accordance with the laws of war. If a single man is caught propagating bolshevik ideas, the entire crew of the vessel in question will be shot."

Praised for Relief Work.

New York, Dec. 28.—The gratitude and good will felt by the people of Bethlehem, Nazareth and Jerusalem, toward the Sunday schools of America for their relief efforts is expressed in a cablegram received here by the American committee for relief in the Near East through the State department. General Allenby, commanding the British army forces, sent Christmas greetings "to every scholar, teacher and officer, thanking them for last year's offerings instead of giving each other presents."

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STATE BREVITIES

St. Cloud.—An employment bureau for women has been established here.

Trommald.—At a special election the proposition to purchase a site for the proposed new school building carried by a majority of three to one.

Brainerd.—The Parker & Kellogg company of Minneapolis is to operate two sawmills on the Mississippi next spring, one at Brainerd and one at Fort Ripley.

St. Paul.—Minnesota hotel keepers will find their 1919 state credit good only in event they have paid 1918 license fee and complied with state orders, A. Wittebecker, state hotel inspector, said.

Long Prairie.—William E. Lee, local banker, one time Republican candidate for governor, has announced that he will erect a monument here to the memory of the Todd county boys who lost their lives in the service.

Pipestone.—Edward Brockaw, who was sent to the hospital for insane from this place eight years ago, recently escaped from the hospital at Hastings and made his way to this place, where he was held for Hastings officers.

Baudette—Carroll Beebe, 21, a former Baudette boy, is chief wireless operator on the flagship Pennsylvania, and to him fell the lot of sending many of the wireless messages prepared by President Wilson on his voyage across the Atlantic.

Fairmount.—The name of Lieutenant Horace Day, son of Frank Day of this city, has been listed in the casualty list as severely wounded. Lieutenant Day's father has been prominent in newspaper and political circles in Minnesota for many years.

Pine River.—Fred Thomas was at Brainerd and made arrangements there with some friends, whereby they will have an open market here during the winter for the purchase of box bolts, spruce pulpwood, mining timbers, etc., for which they will pay the highest market prices.

Stillwater.—Receiver A. J. Holm, of the American Motor & Mfg. Co., has sold the plant of that concern to the American Harvester company of Minneapolis for $15,000. The plant will be moved to that city, immediately, workmen being engaged now in the task of dismantling the machinery here for shipment.

Pine City.—Sheriff Hawley appeared before the village council and requested an appropriation of $250 toward the upkeep of the Armory for the coming year, explaining that, if this were done, the state would give a like amount and allow of keeping the Armory open and put it out of debt. The amount was granted.

Pequot—The funeral of Levi Richmond, 25, who died on board a hospital ship 100 miles out from New York, was held here, Rev. Mr. Cartwright preaching the funeral sermon. He was born at Pillager, and in August, 1917, was called to service, was wounded in action in France, and died on board a hospital ship while returning home.

Mankato.—E. H. Lindberg, secretary of the I. O. O. F. lodge of St. Peter, received by express a small casket containing the ashes of J. D. Billingsley, pioneer of St. Peter, who died at Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 22. In charge of the committee from the local lodge the casket was interred in Greenhill cemetery Sunday by the side of deceased's wife.

International Falls.—The recount of votes cast for county auditor and register of deeds disclosed few mistakes and they did not materially affect the majorities found by the original canvassing board. Attorneys for the parties interested in the contest were present at the recount, which is preliminary to the contest hearing to be held next month.

The election contest of Charles S Norwood against Floyd E. Lindsley in the Twelfth senatorial district, made up of Murray, Pipestone and Lincoln counties, yesterday reached the state supreme court. Lindsley was declared elected as senator with 2,751 votes against 2,717 for Norwood, who is contesting the election, alleging errors in counting the votes.

Warren.—P. H. Gramer of Crookston was the successful bidder here for the installation of culverts in ditches Nos. 31 and 32 to be installed in Marshall county. Eight thousand dollars' worth of culverts will be placed. The American Dredging company of Thief River Falls obtained the ditch contract and the Minneapolis Bridge company got the bridges.

Minneapolis. — Encouragement of home building and home owning in cities and towns, and modern ideas in general farm structures, will be among the practical topics discussed by retail lumbermen of six northwestern states attending the annual meeting of the Northwestern Lumbermen's association at the West hotel, Jan. 14 to 16, according to announcement by Secretary Adolph Pfund. The association is aiding building movements with an architects' service, supplying plans for homes and farm structures through the retail dealers.

Willmar.—Rev. Thomas Scotton, well-known Presbyterian minister, who has been doing Sabbath school missionary work in this part of the state for twenty-five years, has resigned his position and will move to Iowa, where he will be engaged in similar work.

Little Falls —The report of the [illegible] Dale Shipping association for the year ending Nov. 30, shows a gross business of $147,442.98, with net receipts of $142,422.15. Freight and commission amounted to $5,037.57, and the amount paid to patrons was $141,536.42.

Mankato.—The Milwaukee road has restored two passenger trains on the Minneapolis-Wells branch, that were taken off about a year ago.

Madison Lake.—Jack Brown has secured a big grading contract in Waseca county involving six miles of road. Eight teams will be used.

Clinton.—Eight inches of snow fell here within five hours. The strong north wind and the heavy snowfall threatened to block to railroad service.

St. Cloud.—Henry J. Limperich, for many years clerk of the district court of Stearns county, has been appointed mayor of St. Cloud to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of D. H. Freeman.

St. Cloud.—There are 8,429 residents of Stearns county now members of the Red Cross for next year, according to incomplete reports sent to Minneapolis headquarters by Milton Guthmann, chairman.

Rochester—John Seater of Rochester was elected first vice president of the Minnesota-Dakota Lucky Thirteen chapter of the National Greeters of America and Col. F. A. Sears of Rochester was elected secretary-treasurer.

Bemidji.—The South Beltrami county chapter of the American Red Cross is having great success in its Christmas roll call, and the roster of new memberships and renewals is now over the 1,200 mark in Bemidji and still climbing.

Anoka.—Worthy Ehlein, an employe of a milling company here, fell four stories and sustained fractures of one leg and both jawbones and serious internal injuries. He was taken to a Minneapolis hospital, where it is said he will recover.

St. Paul.—One of the landmarks of St. Paul gave way to the progress of the age when workmen began demolishing the old frame house at 581 Wabasha street, built sixty years ago by Frank Robert, father of Deputy Sheriff Frank Robert.

Virginia.—The jury in Judge Freeman's court returned a verdict for $574.50 for the plaintiff in the case of Roman Washluk vs. Julius Niemi. The plaintiff sued for $3,114, alleging the defendant ran over his son, Peter, causing his death.

Chisholm.—Falling asleep on the Missabe tracks while walking from the Morton location, where he worked, to the powder plant at Wilpin, Joseph Sarich, a miner working at the Morton, was run down by a train and cut to pieces. He complained of being ill and advised his companion to walk on while he rested. It is presumed that he fell asleep and was run down.

Brainerd.—Rev. Elof G. Carlson, pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church, is sounding local sentiment toward securing the annual Minnesota conference of the Swedish Lutheran church, which, if designated to meet in Brainerd, will bring here 400 delegates, clergymen and laymen, from parts of North Dakota and South Dakota, part of Wisconsin and the state of Minnesota.

St. Paul.—Dr. Charles E. Cotton, Minneapolis, now in military service with the rank of major, has been elected secretary of the State Livestock Sanitary board, to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of Dr. S. H. Ward. His election was announced in Governor Burnquist's office. Dr. Cotton's successor as a member of the board remains to be named by Governor Burnquist.

St. Paul.—Sheriffs of Minnesota gathered here for the annual convention of the Minnesota Sheriffs' association. A two-day meeting was held at the City and County building. The convention took up several matters of importance, principally the discussion of proposed new laws relating to the apprehension and care of criminals, serving of papers and other duties connected with the office.

St. Paul.—Rev A. C. Haase, pastor of Trinity Lutheran church here, received a letter threatening him with death and the destruction of his church if he continued to preach in German. The letter, which was turned over to Federal authorities, was in the form of a hand and the back of it was smeared with blood. It was written in French and signed by the "Committee on Vengeance"

Stillwater.—Testimony for both contestee and contestant in the matter of the election contest brought by Senator George H Sullivan of Stillwater against W. W. Wilcox, of the town of Oneka, for senatorship of Washington county, has ended, both announcing that they had no more witnesses to offer. The next hearing of the case will come up before the Minnesota state senate when the contest will probably be referred to the committee on elections.

Grand Marais.—Epidemic of "flu" which has not spared this section of Minnesota, a number of deaths being reported in Cook county from the resulting pneumonia, took a heavy toll in the Beargrease family, one of the best known Indian families of this section. Recently Mrs. John Beargrease died. Then several days later her son, George, 20, native of Cook county, one of the most prominent young men of the county, gave up his life and the same day his uncle, Peter Beargrease, 60, also died.

Minneapolis After checking over their stock, officers of the American Jewelry company here said the four armed robbers who held up the place escaped with jewelry and other valuables worth $25,000. The loot included $1,100 in Liberty bonds, $857 in cash and $125 worth of War Savings Stamps. The loss is covered by insurance.

Albany J. B. Zimmermann of Albany has four boys in the service for Uncle Sam, three in France and one at Camp Cody The latter is so well pleased with army life that he may enlist for three years' service.

WORLD NEEDS FOOD

Demand Makes Opportunity for Returning Soldiers.

Thousands Will See Glorious Possibilities in Settlement of Available Farm Land in This Country and in Canada.

The war is over, peace will soon be signed, the fighting nations have sheathed their swords, and the day of reconstruction has come.

What of it?

Hundreds of thousands of men, taken from the fields of husbandry, from the ranks of labor, from the four walls of the counting house, and the confines of the workshop, taken from them to do their part, their large part, in the prevention of the spoliation of the world, and in the meantime removed from the gear of common everyday life, will be returning, only to find in many cases old positions filled, the machinery with which they were formerly attached dislocated.

Are they to become aimless wanderers, with the ultimate possibility of augmenting an army of menacing loafers? If they do it is because their ability to assist in laying new foundations, in building up much-required structures, is underestimated. Men who fought as they fought, who risked and faced dangers as they did, are not of the caliber likely to flinch when it comes to the restoration of what the enemy partially destroyed, when it comes to the reconstruction of the world, the ideals of which they had in view when they took part in the great struggle whose divine purpose was to bring about this reconstruction.

Inured to toil, thoughtless of fatigue, trained in initiative and hardened by their outdoor existence, they will return better and stronger men, boys will have matured and young men will have developed.

They will decide for themselves lines of action and thought, and what their future should and will be. On the field of battle they developed alertness and wisdom, and they will return with both shedding from every pore.

Action was their watchword, and it will stand them in good stead now that the din of the battle no longer rings in their ears, or the zero hour signals them to the fray, and it will continue during their entire existence.

But if they return to find their old avocations gone, their places filled, the institutions with which they were connected no longer existing, new walks of life and employment must be opened to them. It may be that the counting house, the factory, the workshop will have lost their attraction. The returned soldier will look elsewhere for employment; within his reach there is always the "Forward-to-the-Land" necessity. In this lies the remedy that will not only take care of a multitude of those who may not be able to return to their former occupations, whose desires are not to do so, whose health prohibits them from indoor life or whose outdoor habits from the past one, two, three or four years have given them such a taste and desire for it that confinement would be unbearable Farm life will thus appeal to them, and the indications are that it will be taken advantage of by thousands. It means much to them as well as to the continent of America that provides the opportunity to the world at large, and to the stricken and famished nations of Europe, who, not only today, but for years to come, will require the sustenance that can only largely be supplied by the United States and Canada. By following the pursuit of agriculture the returned soldier will continue the cause he so greatly advanced when fighting on the field of battle. Both countries have undeveloped areas yet open to settlement.

There is little need here to direct attention to the wealth that has come to the farmers of Canada within the past few years. It is not only in grain growing that unqualified and almost unequaled success has followed honest effort, but the raising of horses, cattle, sheep and hogs has been a large source of profit. These are facts that are well known to the many friends and acquaintances of the thousands of farmers from the United States who have acquired wealth on the prairies of Western Canada. Farms of from one hundred and sixty to six hundred and forty acres of the richest soil may be secured on reasonable terms, and with an excellent climate, with a school system equal to any in the world, and desirable social conditions, little else could be asked.

Canadian statesmen are today busily engaged planning for the future of the returned soldier with a view to making him independent of state help after the immediate necessary assistance has been granted, the main idea being to show in the fullest degree the country's appreciation of the services he has rendered.

But now that the war is ended, and the fact apparent that of all avocations the most profitable and independent is that of the farmer, there will be a strong desire to secure farm lands for cultivation. Canada offers the opportunity to those seeking, not as speculation but as production. The deepest interest is taken by Federal and Provincial authorities to further the welfare of the farmer and secure a maximum return for his efforts. Large sums of money are spent in educational and experimental work. Engaged on experimental and demonstration farms, and in the agricultural colleges, are men of the highest technical knowledge and practical experience, some being professors of international reputation. The results of experiments and tests are free and available to all. Educational opportunities for farmers are the concern of the government and appreciation is shown by the number of farmers who attend the free courses.

Agriculture in Canada has reached a high standard, notwithstanding which lands are low in price.

Thus upon the United States and Canada for many years will rest the great burden of feeding the world. With free interchange of travel, difficulties of crossing and recrossing removed, Canada may look for a speedy resumption of the large influx of settlers from the United States which prevailed previous to the war. During the war period there was a dread of something, no one seemed to know what. If the American went to Canada he might be conscripted, put in prison, or in his attempt to cross the border he would meet with innumerable difficulties, most of which, of course, was untrue. These untruths were circulated for a purpose by an element, which, it was discovered, had an interest in fomenting and creating trouble and distrust between two peoples whose language and aims in life should be anything but of an unfriendly character. The draft law of the United States, adopted for the carrying out of the high purposes had in view by the United States, kept many from going to Canada during the period of the war. The citizen army of the United States was quickly mobilized, and contained a large percentage of the young men from the farms. In this way many were prevented from going to Canada.

That is all over now. There are no real or imaginary restrictions; there is no draft law to interfere. On the contrary, there is an unfathomable depth of good feeling, and the long-existing friendship is stronger than ever. This has been brought about by the knowledge of what has been done in the recent great struggle, each vying with the other in giving credit for what was accomplished. In thought and feeling, in language, in aims in life, in work, in desire to build up a new world, there has been bred a kinship which is as indissoluble as time itself.—Advertisement.

If all the world's a stage, it's up to everyone of us to contribute something toward the elevation of it.

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Do not delay a minute. Delays are especially dangerous in kidney and bladder trouble. All druggists sell GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They will refund the money if not as represented. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported direct from the laboratories in Holland. They are prepared in correct quantity and convenient form, are easy to take and are positively guaranteed to give prompt relief. In three sizes, sealed packages. Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL. Accept no substitutes.—Adv.

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To do your duty during these trying times your health should be your first consideration. These two women tell how they found health.

Hellam, Pa.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for female troubles and a displacement. I felt all run down and was very weak. I had been treated by a physician without results, so decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, and felt better right away. I am keeping house since last April and doing all my housework, where before I was unable to do any work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is certainly the best medicine a woman can take when in this condition. I give you permission to publish this letter."—Mrs. E. R. CRUMLING, R. No. 1, Hellam, Pa.

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BIT OF HOME WITHIN THE CAMP

A long, low building of frame construction, attractively planned, with wide verandas and a homelike aspect. Outside are hanging the flags—the Stars and Stripes, which must soon be taken in as it is nearly sunset, and another flag bearing a little triangle of blue and the letters Y. W. C. A. It is a fall afternoon and the air is a bit sharp. Through the front windows of the house the woman approaching up the walk can see the cheerful glow of an open fireplace. There is the sound of a piano and some one is singing.

The woman, who is slight and young and tired-looking, puts her heavy suitcase down on the walk and shifts the baby she is carrying to the other arm. She listens a minute, then picks up the luggage and walks bravely up to the front door. Some one has heard her coming and is there to meet her. Some one always is in places like this. The door is thrown open and a kind woman's voice says: "Oh, do come in and rest. Let me take the baby." The baby is passed over and the stranger, worn from a long journey, tired and sad, is given the welcome which only the Y. W. C. A. hostesses know how to give.

She explains that she has come to see John before he leaves for the front. She has been saving her money for traveling expenses, and has come to surprise him. John has never seen the baby, and now maybe he never will, for she has discovered that John has just left on a two days' furlough to surprise her. Before she could get a train back to her home John's furlough will have expired and he will be on his way back to camp. The little mother does not know how to meet the situation and tears of fatigue and disappointment begin to flow.

"Well, that's too bad," says the sympathetic Y. W. C. A. worker. "But cheer up. You can just stay here for a couple of days. We'll send a wire to John at the first place his train stops and tell him to take the next train back. He can enjoy his furlough here."

This is done and the little family has a glorious day of it.

The Young Women's Christian association has established 92 hostess houses of this character for American soldiers and sailors and their families. In this brief bulletin of news lies one of the most potent factors in the winning of this war. Our boys are fighting for their homes. The Y. W. C. A. with its hostess work in this country and in France is helping to keep the ideal of American home life constantly before the men who are protecting it. These men had to go away from their individual homes, but there is a home which follows them—a place where they can go when they are off duty and meet their families and rest. There is a room in every Y. W. C. A. hostess house with a real fireplace in it and a domestic hearth. There are chairs with cushions on them; the china is not of the iron-bound bucket variety necessary in camps; and best of all, the boys say, there are nice women to talk to. No boy in camp would hesitate to ask his mother or sister or the girl he thinks most of to meet him at a Y. W. C. A. house, for he knows that the women she will see there are of the right kind. The very fact that it is known that there is a real, homey place near each camp authorized by the war department and presided over by dignified and refined women, has served very largely to discourage the other type of woman and keep her away from the men she formerly preyed upon.

The Y. W. C. A. houses are not established with any view to marking class lines, however, although many of the hostesses who assist led lives of greatest ease and luxury before the war. Democracy rules at the sign of the little Blue Triangle.

A story is told of a great merchant's wife whose individual fortune mounts to the million mark. This lady is a member of one of the Y. W. C. A. committees, and on one occasion she was helping in the cafeteria of a hostess house at the Great Lakes naval training station. A little shopgirl who had a "day off" from her work in the basement of the great store owned by the Y. W. C. A. worker's husband, and who had come to see her sailor brother, was in a State street hurry for service. She sharply ordered the merchant's wife to "look alive with these forks, girlie."

The lady addressed as "girlie" quite humbly saw to it that the pile of forks was replenished. Then she went over and talked to the girl, helped her to locate her brother and sent her away happy. The shopgirl never knew that she had been talking to her employer's wife.

There are two hostess houses at the Great Lakes station, and it is a wonderful sight to see the crowds of women relatives and friends of the sailors who throng to them on the Wednesday drill afternoons. From 1,000 to 3,000 persons a day are cared for in the cafeterias, and the nurseries are full of sailor babies, whose mothers can leave them there safely while they are on the grounds.

In addition to the hostess house work in this country the Y. W. C. A. has established the famous Hotel Petrograd in Paris as a center for transient women war workers overseas. There are also many foyers or recreation centers in France where girl munitions workers, signal corps girls and others are refreshed and brightened by association with the play leaders of the Y. W. C. A. who have introduced American gymnasium classes into French life.

If unable to be in Holt Saturday to vaccinate, on account of a late train or vaccine fails to come, then I will be there Monday.

Dr. Mellby.

Gift and Assistance Appreciated.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all our friends and neighbors for their kindly assistance and sympathy with us while we have been sick. We also wish to thank Rev. Ordahl and the choir for the beautiful Christmas tree they presented to us.

Gilbert O. Johnson
and family.

Business done by Holt Creamery for month of Sept. 1918

Cream received	21,869 lbs
Average Test	30.50
Butterfat	6,571 lbs
Overrun	1,611 lbs
Butter made	8,182 lbs.
Price paid	65 cents
Receipts for butter sold	$4,555:27
Bal last month	466.21
Total	$5,021.48
Paid Patrons by check,	$4,271.76
Expense fund	229.00
Balance	520.72
Total	$5,021.48

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Marshall County Skandinaviske Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Newfolden, Minn., will be held at Stephen, Minn., on the fourteenth day of January, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing three Directors, and to transact any other business that may be brot before said meeting. The Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Companies' Relief Committee of Minnesota ask every Farmer Mutual of the State, for a contribution of seventy-five cents on each thousand dollars of insurance in force, carried by them, for the relief of the fire stricken people of the northern part of Minnesota, and the matter of the co-operation of this company, in this relief work, will be taken up, and voted on at this meeting.

Policy holders are urgently requested to meet.

Dated at Newfolden, Dec. 19th 1918.

Nels Skaug,
Secretary.

The Morlancourt Trio

Will give a Musical Program

Friday eve Jan. 3

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Mrs. E. R. L. Rudman went to Warshaw, Nebraska to visit relatives for some time Monday.

Miss Gillia and Amanda Fosholm returned to T. R. Falls Monday where they have employment, after enjoying Xmas with home folks.

They were accompanied back by their sister Miss Ingval who will visit at the home of their uncle Halvor Fodstad.

How many New Year resolutions have you broken?

Geo. Hanson was slowly improving at last reports.

The next payment on the Fourth Liberty Bonds are due Jan 16 and 30th. The next payment is for 20 percent of the bond and last payment is 30 percent. We understand that some have not made the payment due Dec. 16th.

We want to thank our customers of the past year for their business, whether it was much or little, and respectfully solicit a share of your valued patronage for the year 1919.

We shall try by fair dealing and right prices to please both old and new customers of our store.

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General Merchandise

Holt, Minn.

As we commence another years work we hope all of our friends and customers will get all that they work and strive for, and that our work has pleased you and that you will come to us again when in need of blacksmithing and repairs.

C. W. Christianson, - Holt

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on

Wednesday Jan. 8th,

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50

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Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

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You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Help the Red Cross

Permit us to extend the season's well wishes trebly sincere in the knowledge that such a period of universal rejoicing has never been experienced before and that now; indeed, there is

"Peace On Earth

GOOD WILL TOWARD MEN"

WINTON-NICHOLS Lumber Company

IF IT'S BUILDING MATERIAL-WE HAVE IT.

HOLT, MINN.

Get vaccinated Saturday

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred ninety and 82-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Oluf O. Eggum and Petra Eggum, his wife Mortgagors, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota Corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of June 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of June 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 79 of Mortgages, on page 9, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section twenty two in Township One Hundred Fifty Six North of Range Forty Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of February 1919 at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Ninety and 82-100 Dollars and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 20th 1918.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.

Stolen!

The party who took two sets of spreaders off my harness, the night of Dec. 21st, while said harness was in the livery barn in Holt, is hereby notified to return them to Hjalmer Peterson at the Holt livery barn, at once. As the party who took the spreaders is known, papers will be served on him, if the spreaders are not returned at once.

Frank Brown,
Golded Valley, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Ninety and 29-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Ed. Ellingson and Christine Ellingson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January 1912, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of January, 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Book 66 of Mortgages, on page 320.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Holt State Bank Mortgagee, to The Minnesota Loan and Trust Company by written assignment dated the 3rd day of February 1913, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 27th day of March 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M. in Book 71 of Mortgages on page 417.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Minnesota Loan and Trust Company the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minnesota, (a corporation) by written assignment dated the 4th day of September 1918, and recorded on the 18th day of December 1918, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 94 of Mortgages page 358; and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The southeast quarter (SE) Section thirteen (13) in Township One Hundred Fifty-eight (158) North of Range (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, and containing one hundred sixty acres more or less according to the government survey thereof, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 8th day of February 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Ninety and 29-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemtion at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th 1918.

Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minn,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
Warren, Minnesota.

4 THRIFT STAMPS GIVEN AWAY.
Four Thrift Stamps will be given to any girl or boy for each name sent of those that need glasses, if they will get them in gold frames on my next visit. Names must be sent before any date advertised. If this is not understood, write to C. G. Mugg, O. S., Grand Forks, N. D.

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

WANTED: To Buy A Good Team of Horses. J. M. Jahr.

Mrs. J. E. Erickson was in Thief River Falls, a few days last week, having her eyes treated.

Miss Carrie Norgard will hold services at the Free Mission church next Sunday at 3 o'clock.

Ole Olson of Middle River and Halvor Olson of Elbow Lake Minn. visited Dr. R. L. Olson and family this week.

Dr. Mellby was called Monday to see Mat Larson and son Manuel, and Mrs. P. G. Sorter all of whom were on the sick list.

Ed Nelson went to Thief River Falls Monday to work in a barber shop there, his lease on the shop here having expired.

Mrs. Julius Knutson and children who have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Langlie and family for a couple of weeks returned to her home at Emerado N. Dak, Thursday.

P. A. Riesberg returned home Saturday from Gardena, N. D. and reports all of them well at the Pavek home. He says the "flu" has been worse in Dakota than in this section of the country.

Mrs. Otto Johnson and son, Gilbert, returned home Monday from Thief River Falls. We are pleased to report that Gilbert's health is improving right along which is good news for his friends.

The hall was well filled Friday night by an appreciative audience to listen to the music rendered by the Morlancourt Trio. We are glad to note that the people avail themselves of the opportunity to hear something worth while.

Dr. Biederman was called to the Gilbert Knutson home last week Thursday night to see their 16 year old son who is sick with the pneumonia. At last reports the boy was about the same and his father and mother both were about sick.

Ernest Phillipson came down from Middle River Wednesday and is running the barber shop again. Ernest was recently discharged from the students training school, on account of the close of the war, and is again taking up his former trade. We wish him success.

The G. N. water tank has been making trouble by freezing since the extremely cold weather of last week. The company sent a man to fix things right. He tried to thaw out the pipes by starting a small fire inside the curbing. During the hard wind of Tuesday night the fire caught in the boards and caused considerable damage to the curbing, besides causing some excitement and a lot of hard, cold and wet work to put it out.

Army and Navy News

Oscar Hagglund and Selmer Dahl received their discharges at Camp Dodge and returned to their homes this week Wednesday.

Mrs. A. H. Alhborn received a telegram the forepart of the week from her husband saying he expected to arrive in Holt to day from the training camp in the east where he has been stationed since their marriage.

It is reported the following soldiers are expected home soon: Ole Johnson, Rudolph Reierson and Charley Hotlen.

Applicants who are qualified for admission into the U. S. Navy Steam Engineering School may be enrolled as Chief Machinist's Mates, with pay of $83.00 per month in addition to quarters and subsistence, while taking the cource of instruction.

New Business Firm

A. H. Huseth and Olia Sovde came down from Greenbush Monday and before returning home the next day, Mr. Sovde had traded 40 acres of land, just outside the incorporation of Greenbush, and other valuable consideration to Mr. Huseth for his confectionery building on main street, which is at preent occupied by Jacob Nelson, who will move out at once. Mr. Sovde expects to arrive in Holt to-morrow and will immediately make arrangements for starting a restaurant, lunch counter and confectionery. He comes well recommended and is experienced in the line which he will soon open up, having been engaged in the same business at Greenbush and sold out to join the army, from which he has but very recently been discharged, and is naturally anxious to get back into business again.

We understand Mr. Sovde has a widowed sister who will assist him in the business and we join with the good people of Holt in extending them a hearty welcome and in wishing them success.

Help each other, by patronizing your home people.

J. M. Swan shipped two cars of cattle and hogs to the markets on Tuesday.

Mrs. H. Olen and children spent New Years at the A. Huseth home in Greenbush.

Mrs. Fred Lufkin and little daughter came Monday for a weeks visit with relatives here.

Engebreth Moe returned home on Saturday from spending the holidays with relatives in Dakota.

Miss Elizabeth Hofman has returned to Goodridge to take up her duties as teacher in the Graff school.

Nels Lysne went to Grand Forks Monday to visit his brother who is sick in one of the hospitals in that city.

O. H. Nohre and family have moved onto the old Anton Peterson farm, which he has rented for this year.

Misses Beatha and Ingeborg Nelson went to Grand Forks Saturday where they have employment at the Deaconess hospital.

If we say anything thats good or that people like,-- we don't hear anything about it. If we say anything they don't like,-- well ! ! ! Funny, aint it?

Dr. Mellby vaccinated several new ones Saturday and will be back again this Saturday for the same work, and this gives everyone a chance to get vaccinated.

Estray Notice!

A white mare came to my place, in Sec. 3, Town of Holt, Dec. 14th. Owner please prove property, pay expenses of keeping and for this notice. Elling Waggedahl

Take Notice

The party who took my spreaders better return them or I will get the sheriff after him.

Frank Brown
Golden Valley, Minn.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

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Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota.

Notice for Bids!

Sealed bids will be received up to Jan. 22nd, 1919, by School District No. 61, for 10 or 12 cords of good white poplar or tamarak wood to be delivered at the school house, state price wanted and send bids to clerk.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

August Nass, Clerk.
Holt, Minn.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmer's Co-operative Creamery Co., of Holt, Minn., for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held in the Woodman Hall in Holt, Minn., Saturday January 25th 1919, commencing at one o'clock P. M.

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Creamery Statement

Business done by Holt Creamery for month of Oct. 1918

Cream received	11,827 lbs
Average Test	28.80
Butterfat	3,309 lbs
Overrun	780 lbs
Butter made	4,089 lbs.
Price paid	65 cents
Receipts for butter sold	$2,389.54
Bal last month	520.72
Total	$2,910 2[illegible]
Paid Patrons by check,	$2,121.1[illegible]
Paid Patrons by butter, etc	22.6[illegible]
Sinking fund	7.0[illegible]
Expense fund	178.7[illegible]
Balance	580.62
Total	$2,910.26

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Fa[illegible] for constipation.

PISO'S

Every member of the family from baby to grandpa benefits by Piso's—the 54 year favorite for coughs and colds. Taken before retiring, it assures rest unbroken by irritating coughing.

Relieves hoarseness; soothes throat irritation; eases throat tickle. Sold by all druggists.

Contains No Opiate—Safe for Young & Old

for coughs and colds

Keep your New Year resolutions.

Oscar Carlson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls on Friday.

Carl Sorenson was able to get out Wednesday and work a little for the first time since his sickness.

The East Valley Red Cross Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. C. A. Surmo Jan. 15. All are welcome.

Mrs. Gunheim and Mrs. Bennes are both getting much better, which will be good news to their many friends.

Miss Anna Hoffman has returned to Miss Edna Anderson sewing school, ater spending the holidays at home

Don't kick about Big Business, and then ship your cream and patronize mail order houses. It is'nt consistent.

Loyd Adams is somewhat improved in health, but Mrs. Adams and their little boy are both on the sick list this week.

It is beginning to look as tho' we were going to have all the different changes of weather crowded into the month of January.

A $25000 live stock pavilion is about to be completed at Crookston.

Stock in the building is offered at $10.00 per share in order to raise the money to finish paying for it.

Live stock sales will be held there Feb. 12th and 13th in co-operation with the Farm Crops Show of Feb. 10th to 14th.

Southeast of Holt.

(Too late for last week)

Ye correspondent wishes all the readers of this paper a very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Christmas was spent in a very quiet way owing to a number of cases of the "flu."

Among those who have been sick with the influenza the past two weeks are the families of Jacob Klungness, Ole Johnson, C. Gutterud, S. Moe, Mike Johnson, L. Williams, W. Wendt and A. Molstad. Reports are to the effect that they are nicely improving.

Mrs. G. Nustvold and family were Sunday visitors at the Albert Klungness home.

Miss Clara Larson who teaches at Golden Valley spent her holiday vacation at her home.

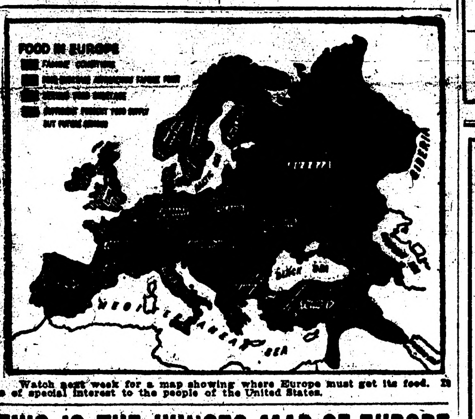
A fire started in the G. A. Soiney home on Saturday, which proved quite an excitement to the neighborhood, but was luckily put out before much damage was done.

(From another correspondent)

Matilda and Arthur Hoffman and Mrs. August Hoffman were New Year visitors at C. Hoffman's.

Fred Steinhauer, Martin Mattson, C. Hoffman, M. Kisch, Arnold and Willie Steinhauer attended a telephone meeting at Fred Voth's, held on Tuesday Dec. 31st.

In winter, prepare for summer.



Watch next week for a map showing where Europe must get its food. It is of special interest to the people of the United States.

THIS IS THE HUNGER MAP OF EUROPE

LOOK AT IT WELL—OBSERVE ITS MARKINGS AND WHAT EACH MARKING MEANS AND THEN ASK YOURSELF IF YOU WILL SAVE.

Here is the hunger map of Europe. Study it well and then determine for yourselves whether there is need for food saving in America this coming year.

Just before Herbert Hoover, United States Food Administrator, sailed for Europe on Saturday, Nov. 16, he made this statement:

"The food problem in Europe today is one of extreme complexity. Out of 420,000,000, practically but three areas—those of South Russia, Hungary, and Denmark, which comprise some 40,000,000—have sufficient food supplies to last until next harvest without imports. Some of these must have immediate relief. We can acquire a surplus of some 18,000,000 to 20,000,000 tons of food in the United States if we are economical. The food situation abroad can be handled if this and the other small surpluses in the world can be transported.

"Arrangements have been made long since whereby the big Allies—France, England and Italy—will be provisioned. This covers 125,000,000 people. Our first and deepest concern NOW must be for the little Allies—Belgians, Serbians, Roumanians, Greeks, Zecks, Jugo-Slavs and others. They represent another 75,000,000 people, and must be helped at once.

"Our next concern must be to relax blockade measures as far as possible that the neutral states in Europe, all of whom now are on short rations, may be able to care for their people and so prevent the growth of anarchy. This takes another group of 40,000,000.

"Still another concern, which confronts the countries where food is plentiful, is to be found in North Russia, where there are 50,000,000 people, many, many millions of whom face starvation this winter because, through anarchy and the breaking down of transportation, they may not be reached.

"Finally, there is a great problem in the situation of the enemy people—some 90,000,000. This problem is not one of going to their relief but of relaxing the water-tight blockade (which continues through the armistice) to such an extent that they may secure for themselves the bare necessities that will give stable government. Famine is the mother of anarchy. Justice requires that a government be established which is able to make amends for wrongs done and it cannot be accomplished through the spread of anarchy. I would certainly approach this problem with mixed feelings, having long been a witness to the robbery of food from women and children and the destruction of millions of tons of food at sea and to the misery suffered under the German yoke. Unless anarchy can be put down and stability of government can be obtained in these enemy states, there will be nobody with whom to make peace and nobody to pay the bill to France and Belgium for the fearful destruction that has been done."

Something over 200,000,000 people now are in social disorder. LIBERTY IS NOT SAFE as long as social disorder exists. The best boys of the world have FOUGHT—and DIED—for LIBERTY. Will you continue to SAVE for it?

The Local Market

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.30
Oats	.58
Barley	.68 to .76
Rye	1.39
Flour, Best Patent	5.50

Drs. Mellby & Paulson

McGinn Block

Thief River Falls

Office Phone 79

Residences: Dr. Mellby 107 Dr. Paulson [illegible]

Dr. Biedermann

Physician and Surgeon

Thief River Falls

Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg.

Office Phone 297 Call 1. Residence 297 Call 2

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Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

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Holt, Minn.

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

Complete Line

of

CASKETS

and

Funeral Supplies

which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Marshall County Skandinaviske Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Newfolden, Minn., will be held at Stephen, Minn., on the fourteenth day of January, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing three Directors, and to transact any other business that may be brot before said meeting. The Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Companies' Relief Committee of Minnesota ask every Farmer Mutual of the State, for a contribution of seventy-five cents on each thousand dollars of insurance in force, carried by them, for the relief of the fire stricken people of the northern part of Minnesota, and the matter of the co-operation of this company, in this relief work, will be taken up, and voted on at this meeting.

Policy holders are urgently requested to meet.

Dated at Newfolden, Dec. 19th 1918.

Nels Skaug,
Secretary.

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels needs a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhœa, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

Probably for the Best.

It may be all for the best for us elderly registrants that the war ended when it did, for if we had come back with wooden legs we should not realize it when our dear wives kicked us on the shin for an ill-advised remark at a company dinner and would be unable to retrieve ourselves.—Grand Rapids Press.

Technical.

Autoist—How did you escape a fine?

Motorist—Our attorney proved the constable's watch was fast.

At the Parade.

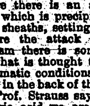
Military Man—"Why doesn't the line stand at attention?" Telephone Girl—"I guess the line's busy."

Towels and eggs can never be too fresh.

In 1848 Sir Arthur Garrod proved that in gout (also true in rheumatism) there is deficient elimination on the part of the kidneys and the poisons within are not thrown off.

Prof. H. Strauss attributes a gouty attack to the heaping up of poisons where there is an abundance of uric acid which is precipitated in the joints and sheaths, setting up inflammation. Before the attack of gout or rheumatism there is sometimes headache, or what is thought to be neuralgia, or rheumatic conditions, such as lumbago, pain in the back of the neck, or sciatica. As Prof. Strauss says, "The excretion of uric acid we are able to effect by exciting diuresis." Drink copiously of water, six or eight glasses per day, hot water before meals, and obtain Anuric tablets, double strength, for 60 cts., at the nearest drug store and take them three times a day. If you want a trial package send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

"Anuric" (anti-uric) is a recent discovery of Dr. Pierce and much more potent than lithia, for it will dissolve uric acid as hot tea dissolves sugar.



Hooked to Death!

This may happen if your cattle have horns, or they may injure each other and keep the whole herd excited. BE HUMANE. Prevent horns growing while calves are young. It means a contented and more profitable herd. Use

DR. DAVID ROBERTS'
HORN KILLER
At our dealers or
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Consult DR. DAVID ROBERTS about all animal ailments. Information free. Send for price list of medicines and get FREE copy of "The Cattle Specialist" with full information on Abortion in Cows. DR. DAVID ROBERTS VETERINARY CO., 100 Grand Ave., Waukesha, Wis

News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

U.S.—Teutonic War News

A Copenhagen special says a Franco-American squadron has passed the Skaw (near Skagerak) en route for Baltic waters.

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An order has been issued to the American soldiers at Coblenz that an officer or soldier who speaks to a German woman does so at the risk of court-martial.

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German war material to be formally turned over to the Americans by January 1 continues to arrive at Coblenz and at places in that vicinity. Among the arms surrendered are 100,000 rifles, 20,000 of which were captured from the allies.

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In a warehouse in Coblenz-Lutzel, across the Moselle river from Coblenz, Americans have found 80,000 pounds of shoe leather and machinery for repairing shoes.

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European War News

Italian troops have been concentrated at Innsbruck to advance on Munich, capital of Bavaria, and enter southern Germany en masse in case of bolshevik disturbances, according to a message from Rome by way of Switzerland.

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One hundred thousand Italian prisoners died of ill treatment, starvation and cold in Austria-Hungary, it was revealed at Rome by a committee making an official inquiry.

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A Geneva dispatch says between 30,000 and 40,000 Polish infantrymen, well supported by artillery and cavalry, are marching on Berlin, the Polish News agency at Lausanne learns from Posen. Polish cavalry have entered Frankfort-on-the-Oder and Posen, the report states. One dispatch says that Ignace Paderewski, the famous pianist, is leading his countrymen in street fighting in Posen. Polish infantry have occupied the railway centers of Gneen, Beuthen and Browberg, capturing much railway stock and booty.

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Japanese reservist troops on the Siberian front will be recalled, the Tokyo war office announced.

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Vilna has been captured by bolshevist forces, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the London Mail, quoting Petrograd reports.

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France does not desire any annexations as a result of the war, but reserves to herself the right of discussion concerning the boundaries of Alsace-Lorraine, according to a statement made in Paris by Stephen Pichon, minister of foreign affairs.

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An appeal was made in Paris chamber of deputies to have demobilization hastened, as there are only 4,000 nonmobilized doctors to care for the 35,000,000 civilian population, the death rate among whom has doubled owing to the influenza. It was said that the army's health was excellent and that it has 16,000 physicians with the colors.

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A Paris special says armistice conditions relative to the delivery of railroad rolling stock are being carried out satisfactorily by the Germans. In a single day 3,500 cars and 200 locomotives were turned over to the allies.

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Foreign

Testimony at the court-martial of Gallagher, a bookkeeper at Dublin, disclosed that he organized a plot in Wicklow and Wexford to blow up the railway bridges, capture the police barracks and post offices, and overthrow the British military. Decision is reserved.

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Bolshevik troops have entered Riga and Vilna, aided by Germans, the London Daily Express learns from its Geneva correspondent. The news is corroborated by Stockholm dispatches.

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President Wilson wound up his visit to England at a brilliant private dinner in Buckingham palace. The president and his party departed for France via Dover at nine o'clock Tuesday morning.

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Striking miners in the Dusseldorf district have fought a pitched battle with the soldiers protecting the mine, according to advices received at Amsterdam. The encounter resulted in several persons being killed.

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In addressing the chamber of deputies at Paris, Premier Clemenceau made it plain that it was his intention to support Great Britain in the peace negotiations on the question of the freedom of the seas, and he declared that his attitude in this matter was approved by President Wilson.

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Sinn Feiners at Cork, after the announcement of the election results, blew up the monument erected by public subscription to the Cork soldiers who had fought in the South African war.

A London dispatch says two hundred and seventy sailors were drowned as the result of the loss of the British steam yacht Iolaire off Stornoway, Scotland. The yacht had 300 sailors on board. They were on New Year's holiday leave.

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Bolshevik troops captured Ufa, "capital" of the White guards, according to an official Russian wireless message to London. Sterlitamek also fell into their hands. The Lithuanian government has left Vilna for Kovno.

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British forces have been landed at Riga, according to advices received at Copenhagen. Shortly after the landing there was an outbreak in which several persons were killed and wounded.

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Pillaging on a large scale is being carried on by mobs in Frankfort, Germany, and the authorities are powerless to prevent it, according to a dispatch from Amsterdam. Troops in the city refused to fire on the rioters.

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Disturbances at Constantinople continue and great fires have broken out in the Parmakkapol quarter of Pera, across the Golden Horn from the city proper, and in the suburb of Kadi Keui, according to advices from Athens.

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A Paris dispatch says General Gouraud, who commanded the French armies in the Champagne sector in the final days of the war, has been awarded the grand cross of the Legion of Honor.

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A Basle dispatch says burglars recently entered the former home of Goethe and carried off a quantity of mementos of the poet.

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Firing by a German officer on an allied automobile carrying an American flag was the cause of street fighting in Posen, says a dispatch to London. The Germans were defeated. About 140 persons were killed.

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Washington

By next summer the United States navy will have been divided into two fleets of equal strength, one on the Atlantic and one on the Pacific coast, Secretary of the Navy Daniels announced when he reappeared before the house naval affairs committee at Washington.

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Many railroad telegraphers who received little or no wage advance under the recent order of Director General McAdoo have their pay raised by the amended order issued by the director general at Washington.

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A Washington dispatch says one billion rubles ($500,000,000 face value) in bank notes printed in this country and sent to Russia aboard an American transport is held at Vladivostok awaiting a decision by the Japanese, British, French and United States governments as to its disposition.

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Secretary of the Navy Daniels before the house naval committee at Washington declared the United States, having pledged its support to small nations, should build a navy second to none in the world if an international tribunal with power to enforce its rulings failed to become a reality. He was speaking in behalf of the $600,000,000 naval building program.

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Domestic

Announcement was made at New York by the Aero Club of America that Lieut. Commander P. N. L. Bellinger, a veteran naval aviator, made a nonstop flight of 651 miles at Pensacola, carrying five passengers.

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A new minimum wage scale of $6 a day, a flat increase of $1 a day for approximately 28,000 employees throughout the country, was announced by the Ford Motor company at Detroit, Mich.

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The Cunard liner Carmania arrived at New York from Liverpool with 100 passengers. She discharged 3,000 Canadian soldiers at Halifax before proceeding to this port.

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An American food delegate is en route to Austria and is due to arrive in a few days, a dispatch from Vienna reported. American foodstuffs are already being sent from France to Austria.

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The homes of Justice Robert von Moschzisker of the state supreme court, Judge Frank L. Gorman of the municipal court and Acting Superintendent of Police Mills, located in widely separated sections of Philadelphia, were damaged by bombs.

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A Toronto special states that with a five-engined Handley-Paige airplane of about 2,000 horsepower, Lieut. Col. C. R. Collishaw of Nanino, B. C., would attempt a flight early in April across the Atlantic.

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Twelve men were killed and twelve injured when an acetylene gas tank exploded in the cellar of the Lebanon (N. J.) post office, causing the collapse of the building.

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In a thick mist which enveloped the sea and blotted out the shore lights, the United States transport Northern Pacific, having on board 2,481 American troops, 1,671 of them ill and wounded, went aground about a mile off the New York shore on a sand bar midway between Point of Woods and Fire island.

EX-PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT DIED SUNDAY NIGHT

Fact of His Death Discovered by Mrs. Roosevelt About 4 O'Clock Monday A. M.

END WAS UNEXPECTED

Death Occurred at Home in Oyster Bay—Meager Early Details Mention No Illness But Rheumatism of the Right Hand.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Jan. 6.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt died in his sleep early today at his home on Sagamore Hill.

The colonel suffered a severe attack of rheumatism and sciatica on New Year's day, but none believed his illness would likely prove fatal. The former president sat up most of Sunday and retired at 11 o'clock last night. About 4 a. m. Mrs. Roosevelt, who was the only other member of the family at Oyster Bay, went to her husband's room and found that he had died during the night.

New York, Jan. 6.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt died at his home in Oyster Bay early today. News of the death of the former president was received here by Miss Josephine Striker, the colonel's secretary, in a telephone message from Mrs. Roosevelt.

Miss Striker said that the colonel had suffered an attack of inflammatory rheumatism on New Year's day and had since been more or less confined to his room.

The attack of rheumatism settled mainly in Colonel Roosevelt's right hand and Mrs. Roosevelt sent at once for a nurse in the village of Oyster Bay. His condition did not at first seem to be alarming and the turn for the worse is believed not to have come until last night.

In announcing Colonel Roosevelt's death Miss Striker said:

"Mrs. Roosevelt called me on the telephone shortly before 7 o'clock, saying that the colonel had died early today. She did not give me any particulars and I am leaving at once for Oyster Bay.

"The attack must have been very sudden. On New Year's day inflammatory rheumatism developed in Colonel Roosevelt's right hand, which became much swollen. Mrs. Roosevelt sent for a nurse in the village and the colonel was made as comfortable as possible. It did not occur to me at that time that he was seriously ill."

Was Unexpected.

Miss Striker went to Oyster Bay last Saturday to pay the colonel a visit. She said:

"At that time the colonel was sleeping in his room and I did not see him, and there was nothing in the circumstances of his illness at that time to indicate to me that death was near. When Mrs. Roosevelt called me this morning and told me of the colonel's death, I could hardly believe it.

"Mrs. Roosevelt gave me no particulars of his death."

It is understood that only Mrs. Roosevelt and the nurse were with him at the time of his death. The other members of the family are in other parts of the country or abroad.

Colonel Roosevelt's last illness may be said to date from last February. On February 5 it was announced that he had been removed from his home in Oyster Bay to the Roosevelt hospital in this city, following an operation on one of his ears. Soon after his arrival at the hospital he underwent two more operations for the removal of the diseased tissue in his infected ear, and it was admitted at the time that he was seriously ill. He remained at the hospital until March 3.

During May and June the colonel made a number of addresses, speaking at Springfield, Mass., and in New York. In June he made a tour of the west during which he suffered a slight attack of erysipelas in one of his legs, but refused to give up his engagements. Early in November the colonel was taken to Roosevelt hospital in this city for treatment of rheumatism and sciatica. While in the hospital reports became current that the colonel was more seriously ill than his physicians would admit. Colonel Roosevelt returned to his home at Oyster Bay on Christmas day, remarking as he stepped to the porch that he was "feeling bully."

President Receives Rare Gift.

Rome, Jan. 6.—Pope Benedict Saturday presented to President Wilson a handsome mosaic, reproducing Guido Reni's famous picture of St. Peter. The mosaic was made in the Vatican grounds by the ancient mosaic factory of the Vatican and is a yard square.

This mosaic has been valued at $40,000. Cardinal Gasparri, the papal secretary of state, presented President Wilson with two copies of the modification of the canon law compiled by Cardinal Gasparri. One copy is bound in white parchment and contains an autographed dedication to President Wilson. The other is in red leather and bears the following autograph: "Homage to Princeton University from Pietro Cardinal Gasparri, Vatican, Rome." President Wilson thanked the pope and Cardinal Gasparri heartily for their gifts.

DEPUTIES HEAR WILSON SPEAK

President Delivers an Address to Italian Lawmakers in Parliament House.

REMARKS ARE CHEERED

American Executive's Statement That The Balance of Power Has Been Found Wanting Results in Great Ovation.

Rome, Jan. 6.—President Wilson has been made a citizen of Rome. The ceremony took place in the historic capitol, designed by Michael Angelo and redolent with suggestions of ancient and mediaeval Rome. Assisting in the services were King Victor Emanuel and Queen Helena, members of the Italian cabinet, members of the diplomatic corps, including Ambassador and Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page and municipal and military authorities.

Rome, Jan. 6.—President Wilson, in his speech before the Italian chamber of deputies, declared the balance of power has been found wanting because it won't stay balanced, and the ovation which broke forth in the historic gallery at the end of the statement lasted until he had passed out of the building.

Outside the throngs in the street took up the demonstration which followed the American executive all the way until the doors of the quirinal closed behind him.

From early morning there was lively animation throughout the city. There was a parade of troops returning from the front, which brought forth warm demonstrations. Particularly enthusiastic was the greeting given the troops from the Piave front.

The city was gorgeously decorated with Italian, American and Allied flags.

The weather was warmer and more balmy than the Presidential party had experienced in France and England and there was a feeling of relief in the party. The President met with really the first touch of sustained sunshine he had seen since coming to Europe, and he made the remark during the day that the weather reminded him of that at home.

During the day King Victor Emmanuel presented General Diaz to President Wilson, who complimented the Italian chief on the magnificent achievements of his army.

Can't Visit Battle Field.

The President expressed regret that he would be unable to visit the Italian battle front owing to lack of time and the necessity of returning to Paris as soon as possible for the work of the peace conference.

Among those who welcomed the presidential party at the railway station was the duchess of Aosta. Both the duchess and Queen Helena greeted Mrs. Wilson and Miss Margaret Wilson with extreme cordiality.

In the parliament house a joint reception was given President Wilson by the members of the Senate and the Chamber of Deputies. The function was an impressive one. The large and distinguished gathering listened with interest as the President spoke.

The visit of President Wilson to Pope Benedict at the Vatican was regarded as one of the most important events of the president's Italian visit. It was believed that a clear understanding would be reached regarding the church's attitude toward vital principles of the peace settlement.

Previous to his audience with the pope, the president conferred with Cardinal Gasparri, papal secretary of state, on certain angles of political subjects that were later taken up with the pope.

DESIRES CASUALTY REPORTS

Senator Sherman Says Cables Are Used for Other News.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Senator Sherman of Illinois, Republican, critized in an address what he described as the use of trans-Atlantic cables for the transmission of detailed reports of President Wilson's visit abroad, while parents were anxiously endeavoring, with little success, to obtain information relative to the welfare of their sons now in the American army overseas.

GERMANS ARE OUTNUMBERED

Three Battalions Oppose That Many Bolshevik Divisions.

London, Jan. 6.—The Bolsheviki, the Tageszeitung of Berlin says, are advancing with two armies, each of three divisions, toward Vilna and Kovno, while at present the Germans have only at their disposal three battalions that are absolutely reliable.

Terms "Sea Freedom" Vague.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Senator Charles S. Thomas of Colorado, Democratic member of the foreign relations committee, said in the Senate that "freedom of the seas is a vague and indefinable term." He said the President declares for absolute freedom of navigation upon the seas outside of territorial waters, alike in peace and war. The speaker said that since the submarine has "come to stay international regulation for its use is imperative"

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Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

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The Robust School.

"Give me the old-fashioned tragedian who used to bellow and smite his chest as he stalked about the stage."

"That sort of acting is out of date."

"I know it, but the old-fashioned tragedian frequently worked up a profuse perspiration before the performance was over. Even if he couldn't act, you could see he was no quitter."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

WHY WOMEN DREAD OLD AGE

Don't worry about old age. Don't worry about being in other people's way when you are getting on in years. Keep your body in good condition and you can be as hale and hearty in your old days as you were when a kid, and every one will be glad to see you.

The kidneys and bladder are the causes of senile afflictions. Keep them clean and in proper working condition. Drive the poisonous wastes from the system and avoid uric acid accumulations. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules periodically and you will find that the system will always be in perfect working order. Your spirits will be enlivened, your muscles made strong and your face have once more the look of youth and health.

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"Did you order anything from the grocer?" "No I humbly requested a few things."—London Answers.

Always keep a market basket within reach to carry quantities of little things up or downstairs.

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When adding to your toilet requisites. An exquisitely scented face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume, rendering other perfumes superfluous. You may rely on it because one of the Cuticura Trio (Soap, Ointment and Talcum). 25c each everywhere.—Adv.

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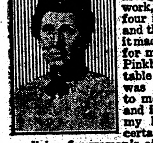

Portsmouth, Ohio.—"I suffered from irregularities, pains in my side and was so weak at times I could hardly get around to do my work, and as I had four in my family and three boarders it made it very hard for me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. I took it and it has restored my health. It is certainly the best medicine for woman's ailments I ever saw."—Mrs. SARA SHAW, R. No. 1, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Mrs. Shaw proved the merit of this medicine and wrote this letter in order that other suffering women may find relief as she did.

Women who are suffering as she was should not drag along from day to day without giving this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice in regard to such ailments write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its forty years experience is at your service.

Those "Kitchen" Police.

"I was taking my turn on kitchen police on day when an officer came in to make the usual inspection of the pots and pans. He picked up one kettle, saying, roughly: 'Who washed this?'

"Expecting a severe reprimand, I said: 'I did, sir.'

"'Well, it's the first time I've seen the bottom of this pan since it was new!' he exclaimed, much to my amazement."—Chicago Tribune.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Living Up to It.

"None but the brave deserve the fair."

"Well, I haven't heard of any girl refusing a second lieutenant."

Jealousy is a tree that bears the most bitter of all fruits.

Keep Yourself Fit

You can't afford to be laid up with sore, aching kidneys in these days of high prices. Some occupations bring kidney troubles; almost any work makes weak kidneys worse. If you feel tired all the time, and suffer with lame back, sharp pains, dizzy spells, headaches and disordered kidney action, use Doan's Kidney Pills. It may save an attack of rheumatism, dropsy, or Bright's disease. Doan's have helped thousands back to health.

A North Dakota Case

Louis McKeen, Thompson St., Bottineau, N. D., says: "I was bothered quite a bit with my kidneys. My back would become very lame and then sore and would ache constantly. The kidney secretions didn't pass freely enough. Neglect brought on rheumatic trouble and I suffered dreadfully. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and all trouble left."

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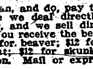

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STATE BREVITIES

Pine River.—The first annual poultry show will be held in the Leef building in Pine River on January 23 and 24.

Melrose.—Paul Yamke, aged 67 years, left his family some six weeks ago and has not been seen or heard of since.

East Grand Forks.—On account of the impassable condition of the roads, due to the heavy snow, the mail carriers did not make the rural routes one day recently.

Stillwater.—The tax rate for the city of Stillwater will be 66 mills next year, according to County Auditor N. A. Nelson, being an increase of 14 mills over the year before.

Moose Lake.—John J. Pukropp has sold the building and machinery of the former planing mill conducted by him about two years ago at Sturgeon Lake to the Bank of Sturgeon Lake.

St. Cloud.—Private Edward Slivnik, son of Mrs. Mary Slivnik of this city, is reported as severely wounded in action on Nov. 11, according to a telegram received from Adjt.-Gen. Harris by his mother.

Owatonna.—W. B. Thornburgh, superintendent of the Owatonna public schools, has been summoned to New York city to shortly sail for overseas service. He enters the Y. M. C. A. educational service.

East Grand Forks.—The schools of the city have reopened after a vacation of one week, and all of the teachers have returned. Three more of the boys who were on strike, objecting to the military drill, have returned to the class rooms, making five in all.

Lake Benton.—Andrew Strong, 78 years old, one of the best known old soldiers in this part of the state, died at his home here, following an illness of several weeks. Strong saw service in the Civil war as a member of the Forty-fifth Pennsylvania infantry, and was wounded more than a dozen times.

Minneapolis.—Retail yards of the Northland Pine company in the Twin Cities have been sold to the Thompson Yards, Inc. The change took effect January 1. The Thompson Yards control by far the largest string of country lumber yards of any concern in the country, but never have entered the city field before.

Pipestone.—The Rev. Isaac Witcome, the first regular appointed minister to have charge in Pipestone, and the man who erected the first church building here, died at the home of his daughter at Tourton, S. D., at the age of 73 years. Mr. Witcome came to Pipestone in 1882 and organized the Methodist church here.

Stillwater.—R. S. Parkhurst, born and well known here, has been cited for heroic service in the great war, for courage, perseverance and endurance while under most trying conditions in the war zone. Mr. Parkhurst is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Parkhurst and a nephew of Judge A. E. Doe of the probate court here.

Mankato.—Col. G. A. Lewis of the Fifth infantry regiment, National Guard, has been honored by the officers of his regiment, who presented him with a handsome officer's belt, holster and Colt's revolver, in recognition of his efforts in organizing the regiment. The presentation was made by Lieut. Col. Miller of St. Peter.

Bemidji.—H. M. Clark, president of the city council, received so many complaints from citizens to the effect that the water from the deep wells emitted an obnoxious odor, he called a special meeting of the water committee of the council, to which citizens in general were invited, to discuss what should be done in solving the water problem.

Moorhead.—The bottom has dropped out of the price of potato sacks and many growers and shippers who have large stocks on hand are heavy losers. Losses range from $48.50 to $96 per 1,000 sacks, depending upon the date of purchase. Sacks used by Red river valley growers and shippers are of two-bushel capacity and 300 are used in each carload, making the loss from $14.55 to over $28 on each car.

Moorhead.—Moorhead may be without a charter commission, it developed at a meeting of the commission, when the proposed construction of a city hall and a school building was considered. To construct the city hall will require an amendment to the city charter to permit increased bonding. Terms of several members of the commission have expired, and it is contended that they are disqualified from acting, even though their successors have not qualified.

Minneapolis.—The Ten Thousand Lakes association of Minnesota is preparing a petition to the Secretary of the Interior asking that the headwaters of the Mississippi river, in Itasca state park, be officially set aside as a national monument. The plans include the erection of a slab made from Minnesota stone to mark the spot. The association is also endeavoring to obtain a $100,000 appropriation from the state legislature for the national advertising of Minnesota's outdoor playgrounds.

Barnesville.—Barnesville's high school this winter will have the strongest basket ball team it has put into the field for several years, according to the present prospects. A good schedule also is being arranged, including the Glyndon, Moorhead, Detroit, Perham, Breckenridge teams. The season opens Jan. 11.

Moorhead.—The Red River Motor company, a new co-partnership, has leased the Sullivan building at the north bridge, Moorhead, now occupied by the National Furniture company, and will begin business early in January.

Virginia.—According to the annual report of the police department, there were 1,009 arrests made during the past year. During the same time 1,308 were arrested for sleeping in public places.

St. Paul.—R. D. McKercher, former chief of police of Duluth, resigned as executive agent of the State Society of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, after service since December 1. No reasons were given. He resigned as chief of police at Duluth to replace Welcome W. Brady, former head of the society.

Hibbing.—According to Indian Agent Ellis, who conducted a raid in Alice, 1,032 bottles of Jamaica ginger and a lot of Hoffman drops were confiscated to be held pending a reply from the department of justice, as to what disposition to be made of the stuff. The owner of the alleged substitutes is being sought.

Canby.—The citizens of Canby have decided to erect a handsome monument in memory of the soldiers who went from the city. Plans for the monument and the soliciting of subscriptions are now being worked out. It is expected to raise $10,000 for this purpose among the citizens of Canby and vicinity.

Ivanhoe.—Ivanhoe suffered a heavy loss by fire when the plant of the Ivanhoe Milling company was destroyed, entailing a loss of $30,000 and practically wiping out one of the leading industries of the town. Eleven hundred bushels of wheat, a carload of screenings and several carloads of flour were also burned.

Virginia.—Mayor Ed Johnson told the city council no decision had been made as to who would be secretary at war headquarters when George I. Williams assumed the office of postmaster. Mayor Johnson stated that Mr. Williams will devote a part of his time to the war headquarters even after going into the postoffice.

St. Paul.—Benjamin Fisher, 44, said by the local police to be well known to the police of Chicago, was shot and killed by George Dawson, a local detective. Dawson said that Fisher approached him, while standing in a local hotel, with a drawn revolver and threatened to "get him." The detective claimed he then fired in self-defense.

St. Paul.—Minnesota soldiers and sailors who have been released and returned home since the armistice was signed number 2,114 to date, according to reports from camp agents received by State Director Hugo V. Koch of the Federal Employment service. The majority of these are agricultural workers, and most of the others skilled mechanics.

St. Paul.—Whether telephone rate authority rests with the state or federal government will be decided soon in the courts, according to indications after the state railroad and warehouse commission had denied the applications of the Northwestern Telephone Exchange company and the Tri-State Telephone and Telegraph company for increases in rates.

Hills.—To be killed in action on a battlefield of France, two hours before the armistice became effective on November 11, was the fate of Otto Dannenbring of Hills. August Dannenbring, a brother of the soldier, has just received word that his relative was killed in action during the great battle that raged at 9 o'clock in the morning of the day that the fighting ended.

Bemidji.—Albert Uteck, Sr., 60, of Lavina, was killed by an M. & I. train while walking along the track, when, for no apparent reason, he stepped on the track right in front of the onrushing train and was badly mangled. The only witness was Miss Pearletta Wheeler, a teacher at the Lavina schools, who had met Mr. Uteck on the way to the depot to board the train for Bemidji.

Grand Marais.—Sheriff Lien brought from Bearskin lake Peter Albrom, a Russian, aged about 26, who has been living like a wild man in a ranger's cabin on East Bearskin, and as he refuses to work he may be turned over to the immigration authorities at Duluth for deportation as an undesirable. He presented a sorry sight when brought here, being in dirty rags, having a long beard and much emaciated from hunger.

Moorhead.—George Washington Gingery, 76, was burned to death in a fire that destroyed the Glyndon Telephone exchange. Mr. Gingery lived with the family of his son, Charley Gingery, manager of the exchange, who occupied rooms in the second story of the building. Mr. Gingery's 76th birthday was celebrated last Monday, friends presenting him with a purse of money. Coroner C. G. Vincent investigated the case and found no cause for action.

St. Paul.—Continued maintenance of both the National and Home Guard organizations in Minnesota is a special recommendation made by Adjutant General W. F. Rhinow in his annual report, which is to be submitted to Governor Burnquist. The proposal is to retain the National Guard, according to plans made public when the organization of the new units was begun to replace those called into Federal service. The Home Guard should be continued, General Rhinow said, under the command of a brigadier-general and divided into regiments.

Mankato.—Roads throughout the rural districts are said to be almost impassable as a result of the recent thaw and quick freezing. Rural mail carriers have found it almost impossible to make their routes and some were obliged to turn back before they had completed the trip.

Bemidji.—Coroner Garfield Ackerberg on Monday conducted the inquest over the death of Albert Uteck, Sr., killed by an M. & I. train at Lavina, the jury returning an open verdict to the effect that Mr. Uteck was killed by being struck by an M. & I. train on the morning he met death

AMERICANS WIN ANOTHER BATTLE

Check Advance of Bolshevik Soldiers on Kadish Village in Siberia.

FIGHT IN DEEP SNOW

Shells Falling On Frozen Ground Spread Their Zones of Destruction Twice as Far as Under Normal Conditions.

With Allied Army of the Dvina, Jan. 7.—Bolshevik troops, which made an advance near Kadish village, have been driven back by American forces after desperate fighting.

The Bolshevists also launched attacks on the Onega sector and bombarded the Allied front. The Americans came into battle along the Petrograd road and in the frozen swamps that border it. The battle was fought in snow from two to four feet in depth.

American forces captured Kadish last Monday after a display of gallantry that evoked the admiration of the Allied commanders.

Wounded Given Special Care.

Special care has been taken of the American wounded and the body of an American officer was taken back 100 miles by sledge and then sent to Archangel for burial. There were some casualties on Monday, but they were small in comparison to those inflicted upon the enemy.

On Tuesday, the Bolshevists opened a terrific fire from three and six-inch guns and launched a counter attack against the buildings held by Americans in Kadish. So hot was the artillery fire that the Americans withdrew temporarily from the village. The line, however, was not moved very far and the new positions were firmly held.

Shells Doubly Destructive.

The enemy did not occupy Kadish because the barrage fire from the American guns made the place untenable. Shells falling on the frozen ground spread their zones of destruction twice as far as they would under normal conditions.

Later, under the protection of artillery fire, American detachments again swept forward and reoccupied the town. The men engaged in the advance were from infantry and trench mortar units.

Saturday morning word came from headquarters that the American positions are now about 450 yards south of the village, which is the line marking the furthest advance made by the Americans late in October before they retired to the north of Kadish.

Bolshevists Fight Savagely.

Here and there are graves where are buried Americans who fell in the struggle that went on during the first advance. They are not many in number, but, for the troops involved, they gave evidence that the Americans have been in the hardest fighting that has been going on here. The Bolshevists are fighting more savagely here than elsewhere to hold their positions.

POLISH LEADERS DISAGREE

Paderewski and Pilsudski Cannot Come to Terms.

Warsaw, Jan. 7.—Ignace Jan Paderewski has found General Joseph Pilsudski, the Polish military dictator, will not give up his authority in Poland at the present time. The two Polish leaders have had an interview which, it is indicated, was unsatisfactory. Paderewski came to Poland as the representative of 4,000,000 Poles from whom he has received plenary powers, he says. He claims to have power to make loans to the Polish government and also to be the representative at Paris of the Polish committee.

FLAGS PUT AT HALF MAST

Lowered On All Buildings, Ships and Camps for Roosevelt.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Flags were halfmasted at the White House, the capitol and all public buildings upon the announcement of the death of Colonel Roosevelt and in respect to the memory of the former president and commander-in-chief. Secretary Josephus Daniels and General P. C. March ordered flags at halfmast on every ship and shore station of the navy and at every army post and camp at home and abroad. The announcement of the colonel's death has been cabled to President Wilson.

Norway Lost 829 Ships.

Christiania, Jan. 7.—Naval statistics show the losses to Norway's commercial shipping through the war were 829 ships of a total gross tonnage of 1,240,000. The number of sailors who lost their lives was 1,155.

To Rehabilitate the Blind.

New York, Jan. 7.—Practically every soldier who has lost his sight because of the war may be rehabilitated and become an asset rather than a drag upon the world that he has helped to save, said Sir Arthur Pearson, noted philanthropist, who, blind himself, is chairman of the Blinded Soldiers' Care committee of England, in telling of the purpose of his visit to this country. Sir Arthur will act in an advisory capacity for the Red Cross in the care of American blinded soldiers

Colds Coughs Catarrh

A trinity of evils, closely allied, that afflict most people, and which follow one on the other, in the order named, until the last one is spread through the system, leading to many evils. But their course can be checked.

PERUNA CONQUERS

It is of great value when used promptly for a cold, usually checking it and overcoming it in a few days.

Ample evidence has proved that it is even of more value in overcoming chronic catarrh, dispelling the inflammatory conditions, enabling the diseased membranes to perform their natural functions, and toning up the entire system.

The experience of thousands is a safe guide to what it may be expected to do for you.

Liquid or tablets—both tested by the public and approved.

THE PERUNA COMPANY . . . . . COLUMBUS, OHIO

A Lengthy Man.

"Would you consider Gadspur a well-informed man?"

"Yes, indeed. He has a remarkable memory even for trivial things."

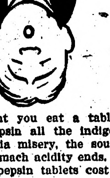
"For instance?"

"He can name in correct order every one of the titles Wilhelm left behind him when he headed for Holland."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

UPSET STOMACH

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN AT ONCE ENDS SOURNESS, GASES, ACIDITY, INDIGESTION.

Undigested food! Lumps of pain; belching gas, acids and sourness. When your stomach is all upset, here is instant relief—No waiting!



The moment you eat a tablet of Pape's Diapepsin all the indigestion pain, dyspepsia misery, the sourness, gases and stomach acidity ends.

Pape's Diapepsin tablets cost little at any drug store but there is no surer or quicker stomach relief known. Adv.

The Way of It.

"That singer made a pile, didn't she?"

"Yes, off her velvet voice."

Place the curiosity of a woman before the camera and the result will be a picture of some man.

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas H. Fletcher
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

There's only one way to get ahead, and that's to keep going straightforward.

This would be a quiet, peaceable world were it not for the movements of the under jaw.

Told of His Own Death.

John H. Everett was awakened to receive a telegram from Washington conveying the information that he had been killed in action in France. He read the telegram twice and began to think he was having a nightmare. The fact is Everett has never been in France. Neither has he ever worn a military uniform. He is within the draft age, but was never called for service.—Wilmington News.

Headaches, Bilious Attacks, Indigestion, are cured by taking May Apple, Aloe, Jalap made into Pleasant Pellets (Dr. Pierce's). Adv.

Spash!

Simple—"Ever hear the story of the fountain?" Simon—"No, spring it!"—Cartoons Magazine.

Chronic bargain hunters soon begin to look shopworn.

Don't trifle with a cold—it's dangerous.
You can't afford to risk Influenza.
Keep always at hand a box of
HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE
Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

FISH
The Kind That Makes You Want More
THE BIG BARGAIN
Winter Caught
Tulibee Whitefish
Write for special price and complete price list. All varieties of Lake, River, Ocean and Gulf Fish; fresh, frozen, smoked and salted.
CONSUMERS FISH CO.
Grand Forks . North Dakota
Reference: First National Bank

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PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 60c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

After the "Flu"—Fever or Cold

Clean the Acidity and Toxic Poisons Out of the Digestive Tract

Millions are now suffering from the after effects of the deadly "flu," a fever or a cold. Their appetites are poor; they are weak, and they are waiting for their strength to come back.

If these people could only realize that the return to health and strength would be greatly helped by giving attention to the stomach—that is, removing the acidity and toxic poisons from the entire digestive tract, making it act naturally, so that the body will receive the full strength of the food eaten—a great deal of suffering would be saved to humanity.

Everyone knows that the disease itself, and the strong medicines that have been taken, upset the stomach, leave it hot and feverish, the mouth dry, the tongue coated, a nasty taste, and no desire to eat. This is a poor foundation to build new strength on.

Now, tens of thousands of people all over this country are using EATONIC for the purpose of cleaning these poisonous after-effects right out of the system and they are obtaining wonderful results—so wonderful that the amazingly quick benefits are hardly believable, just as shown in the remarkable letter which is published upon the request of this sturdy old Civil War veteran. He is 77 years old. Read what he says EATONIC did for him:

"I am an old soldier, past seventy-seven years. I had the Spanish Influenza and it left my stomach in an awful shape. I tried three different doctors but got no relief. As a last resort I sent and got a box of EATONIC and to my greatest surprise the very first tablet I took helped me. I can now eat anything I want, and feel fine."
Yours thankfully,
Fowler, Indiana
Dec. 4, 1918 O. S. Martin

P. S.: If you can make any use of this letter for suffering humanity, you are at liberty to do so.
O. S. M.

This is only one case out of thousands. You should make the EATONIC test in your own case at once. You have everything to gain—not a penny can you lose, for we take all the risk. Your own common sense, your own feelings, tell you that a good appetite, good digestion, a good stomach, with the fever poisons and effects of strong medicines out of your system, will put you on the road to strong, robust health again.

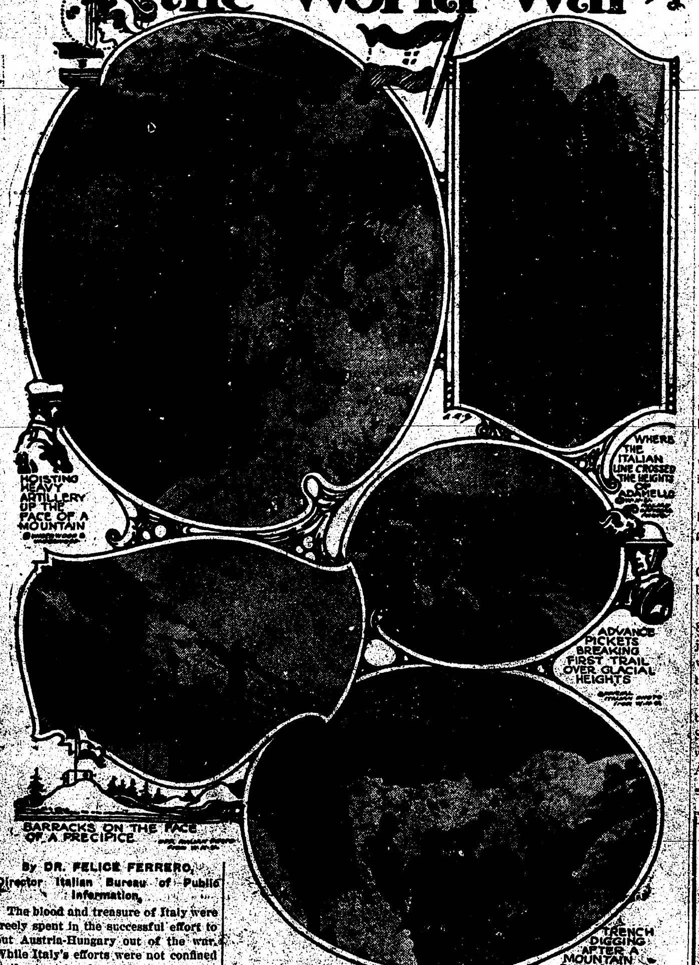
You want to enjoy life again after you have battled with the "flu," fever or colds, or any other illness that has taken your strength. You want to get back your old-time vigor, be full of pep and enthusiasm—be able to work with ease, instead of listlessly, half-heartedly dragging out a mere existence.

So be sure to take a box of EATONIC home with you today. We cannot urge this too strongly. If EATONIC fails to give you positive beneficial results, it will not cost you a penny. There is no risk—the benefit is surely all for you.

TAKE EATONIC TODAY
FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

NOTE—Over 20,000 drug stores throughout the United States sell and guarantee EATONIC. If you cannot obtain EATONIC quickly at your drug store, do not be without it. Write us and we will mail you a big 50c box at once and you can send us the 50c after you get it. Add.: H. L. Kramer, Pres., EATONIC REMEDY CO., 1044 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Italy's Efforts in the World War



HOISTING HEAVY ARTILLERY UP THE FACE OF A MOUNTAIN

WHERE THE ITALIAN LINE CROSSED THE HEIGHTS OF ADAMELLO

ADVANCE PICKETS BREAKING FIRST TRAIL OVER GLACIAL HEIGHTS

BARRACKS ON THE FACE OF A PRECIPICE

A TRENCH DIGGING AFTER A MOUNTAIN SNOW STORM

By DR. FELICE FERRERO,
Director Italian Bureau of Public Information.

The blood and treasure of Italy were freely spent in the successful effort to put Austria-Hungary out of the war. While Italy's efforts were not confined to the Austrian front, her contribution to allied success was greater here than in the other places where her troops fought the battle for civilization. Her financial and industrial efforts have been equal to her military effort, and in all these directions Italy has not lagged behind her allies. That the nature and extent of these efforts may be better understood by the American public, I wish to review them briefly.

In considering Italy's military contributions, let me emphasize the fact that her soldiers have not confined their fighting to their own soil. Like those of her allies, they have gone far afield. They contributed largely to the glorious victory on the Balkan front. A large contingent in France first gave powerful aid in the defense of Rheims, then took part in the advance of the allied forces.

Italy Had 5,500,000 Under Arms.

Since the beginning of the war Italy has called to the colors little less than 5,500,000 men and has suffered a loss of almost 1,500,000 of them. Of that loss nearly 350,000 died in battle, and 100,000 from disease. Over 550,000 are totally incapacitated, either by blindness, loss of limb or tuberculosis. At the present moment the strength of the Italian army is 4,025,000, including the class of men born in 1900, who have been called to the colors recently. It may be said, then, that the nation's man-power has suffered a permanent loss of nearly a million.

But, serious as is this loss, Italy has inflicted an even greater punishment upon the foe. In Austrian prisoners alone she has taken approximately a million. The Austrian loss in killed and wounded is, of course, unknown to us, but even the most conservative estimates make it far greater than ours. In the June offensive on the Piave alone over 200,000 Austrian dead were left on the field.

Fighting Under Extreme Difficulties.

Aside from their achievements in other theatres of the war, Italy's soldiers have fought through fifteen furious offensives on the Isonzo and the Piave, inflicting terrible losses on the foe in each. These campaigns were carried on in mountainous regions and under rigorous weather conditions that taxed to the utmost the genius of the military engineers and the endurance of the troops. The foe, when hostilities opened, were entrenched in carefully prepared and seemingly impregnable positions, backed by a network of military roads and railroads. On the Italian side were deep gorges, unscalable cliffs, almost impassable glaciers, passes filled with snow and commanded by Austrian guns. There were no suitable roads or bridges. The surmounting of these difficulties has challenged the admiration of the engineering world.

Over 2,500 miles of roads have been constructed on the mountains of Italy and of Albania, and 1,000 miles of aerial cable railroads (Teleferiche) have been built to carry food, ammunition and guns over deep ravines.

Economic Difficulties.

The magnitude of this military effort can be fully appreciated only when one takes into consideration the economic structure of the nation and the nature and number of its population. One must remember that out of 36,000,000 inhabitants in Italy at the beginning of the war only 17,000,000 were male. This seeming disproportion is caused by emigration, which was largely composed of male adults. Out of those 17,000,000 only 9,000,000 were adults economically productive. Consequently the subtraction of the mobilized forces has had an acute reaction on the economic life of the nation. It is estimated that on an average only 100 adults remained in each town or village to provide in each case for some 320 children below the age of fifteen.

Furthermore, the traditions of Italian family life render the work of their women an economic factor of less importance than in some other countries, though it has been utilized to the utmost and is becoming more available as old traditions give way to war's necessity.

No Troops From Colonies.

Italy got no help from colonial contingents. On the contrary, the scarcity of native troops in Italy's colonies compelled the government to reinforce them with troops from the mother country. Nor has help come to Italy through the co-operation of workmen of neutral or allied countries. Italy, on the other hand, sent a large contingent of skilled workmen to France, thus allowing her to release valued elements for war. Furthermore, nearly 500,000 of our male adults residing in America gave to this great nation direct contribution to her economic and military efforts.

To meet their military obligations, therefore, the Italian people have been compelled to cut into the most urgent needs of agriculture and industry. Her continuous lack of labor has made the task of feeding the army and providing it with munitions a most difficult one.

And yet Italy, lacking labor and industrial development, lacking almost entirely coal and raw materials, has by a miracle of energy been able to create almost from nothing a powerful organization of war industries.

Difficult to Obtain Goods.

The very act of entering the war cut off Italy from one of the sources of supply of manufactured products. It is not necessary here to enlarge upon the well known fact that Italian markets were largely under the domination of Germany and Austria. That is a situation that is as well known to Americans as it is and was distasteful to Italians. And it might be said in passing that it is a situation that must be guarded against by allied co-operation and sympathetic economic relationship when peace comes.

Mr. Francis H. Sisson, vice president of the Guaranty Trust Company, in a recent article on the economic situation of Italy points out that while Germany before the war dominated the foreign trade of Italy so far as manufactures were concerned, that country was one of the best customers of the United States in raw materials and foodstuffs. That writer also points out that it was the adjustment of her industrial and commercial life to the burdensome new conditions that has created an entirely new economic fabric in Italy.

"Italy's devotion of her resources to war purposes has been complete," says Mr. Sisson. "Her pre-eminence in the production of certain articles of commerce marked her as the chief source of supply for similar products of a warlike nature. Her ordinary production of automobiles, aeroplanes, turbines and heavy oil engines has merely been intensified and modified in the direction of such a standardization as would permit quantity production."

Financially Italy Responded Well.

Financially Italy also has responded to the demands of war with an openhandedness that has surprised even herself. From the first of August, 1914, to the end of 1917 the total expenditures of the state were $8,895,000,000. Calculating on the basis of a monthly average expenditure for the war of $240,000,000, the total cost of the war to Italy would be more than $12,000,000,000.

A further proof of the financial effort Italy made for the war, notwithstanding her small means, are the five national loans. The first one yielded about $200,000,000, and it seemed a great struggle, yet still others were launched, all giving greater returns, and the last one, after the disaster of October, 1917, yielded about $1,300,000,000.

It must be remembered, too, that labor shortage has meant a food shortage. It has established a vicious circle. Our fighters and industrial workers have accomplished their work while forced to endure a regime of restricted diet that has meant real and continuous suffering such as p is not to be found anywh the other belligerent peo

B. J. Bakke was an over Sunday visitor in Crookston.

Chris Norbeck shipped cattle to the markets Tuesday.

C. L. Sandberg visited in T. R. Falls a few days last week.

K. T. Knutson went to Thief River Falls Friday on business

K. O. Flakne returned from a business trip to Crookston Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swan visited the Sandberg home Sunday evening.

Carl Johnson returned Wednesday from a business trip to Warren.

Mrs. Chris Engen visited a few days in Thief River Falls the past week.

A baby boy was born Saturday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Olson.

Albertina and Hilma Nyberg went to Grand Forks Friday where they have work at the university.

Mrs. Jno. O. Johnson was able to ride out Tuesday for the first time since her sickness.

Dr. Turley failed to come Wednesday as advertised, but we don't know the reason why.

John Hagberg is doing carpenter work on a big planing mill which is being built at Cloquet.

Giller's clothing store in Thief River Falls was considerably damaged by fire Tuesday night.

O. A. Opperud, salesmen for the Crookstons granite works, was a business visitor in Holt this week.

Fred Voth, C. Hoffman, Willie Steinhauer and S. H. Nohre have joined the Excel Telephone Co. and will soon have phones installed in their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Lindahl returned to their home at Hazel on Saturday, after a few days pleasant visit at the home of their son, W. A. Lindahl and family.

E. M. Bennes was in town several days this week writing life insurance.

Herbert Severson came up from Thief River Falls Saturday to spend Sunday at home.

Alfred Newton went to Fargo Wednesday where he will attend agricultural school.

Albert Mathison of McIntosh visited in Holt several days last week, returning home Monday.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred ninety and 82-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Oluf O. Eggum and Petra Eggum, his wife Mortgagors, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota Corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of June 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of June 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 79 of Mortgages, on page 9, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section twenty two in Township One Hundred Fifty Six North of Range Forty Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of February 1919 at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Ninety and 82-100 Dollars and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 20th 1918.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Ninety and 29-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Ed. Ellingson and Christine Ellingson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January 1912, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of January, 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Book 66 of Mortgages, on page 320.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Holt State Bank Mortgagee, to The Minnesota Loan and Trust Company by written assignment dated the 3rd day of February 1913, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 27th day of March 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M. in Book 71 of Mortgages on page 417.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Minnesota Loan and Trust Company the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minnesota, (a corporation) by written assignment dated the 4th day of September 1918, and recorded on the 13th day of December 1918, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 94 of Mortgages page 358; and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The southeast quarter (SE) Section thirteen (13) in Township One Hundred Fifty-eight (158) North of Range (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, and containing one hundred sixty acres more or less according to the government survey thereof, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of February 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Ninety and 29-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemtion at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th 1918

Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minn.
Assignee of Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.
Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.
Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.
DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

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Nicollet Ave and 9th Street
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In the center of the business and theatrical districts, adjoining the largest retail store. One square from street cars to and from all depots, yet free from noise of that traffic. Entrance and lobby on Nicollet Avenue. Minneapolis' leading thoroughfare.
125 Rooms— 100 with bath and toilet
$1.00 to $2.00 per day
Furniture and equipment entirely new. All rooms have outside exposure, electric elevator and local and long distance phones
Guests will receive the personal attention of the owners who will be there to wait on them
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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

WANTED: To Buy, A Good Team of Horses. J. M. Jahr.

Carl Johnson was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday.

Obert Reierson went to T. R. Falls Tuesday to have dental work done.

Misses Dora and Celia Olson went to Fargo, N. D. Wednesday, where they have secured employment.

Carl Olen of Shelly came Friday for a few days visit at the home of his brother, H. J. Olen and family.

Co. Supt. Johnson visited the Holt school Wednesday forenoon, going from here to Middle River.

Miss Agnes Bakke entertained a party of young people Friday night at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. Docken.

Ray O'Hara has returned home from the Warren hospital where he underwent an operation, and is much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson and little son returned Monday to their home at Newfolden after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. Hovle of Duluth, came Tuesday to join his wife here on a visit with the families of C. Christoferson and the Steinhauer Bros.

The Young People's Society of Ringbo will have a basket social in the school house Sat. night at 8 o'clock Jan. 18th. Everybody welcome.

Racine Olson visited over Sunday with his wife in Thief River Falls and reports that Mrs. Olson is slowly improving in health, which is good news to all their friends.

Oscar Bottom visited his son Clarence, at the Thief River Falls hospital last week Friday and Saturday and reports the boy is getting along as well as can be expected.

We publish the bank statement this week which shows them to be in a prosperous condition.

They held their annual meeting Wednesday afternoon and re-elected all the old officers.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will hold their yearly meeting at the church, at 2 o'clock sharp, on Thursday Jan. 30th. All are requested to meet promptly as officers are to be elected besides serving the lunches.

Carl Sorenson went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to look over a rural mail route on which the carrier had resigned. We understand he expects to soon move his family there and carry the mail on the aforesaid route.

Mrs. C. S. Kolden went to Thief River Falls Wednesday and from there possibly to Adams N. D. to meet her sister, Mrs. Pavek of Gardena N. D. if the former receives word while in T. R. Falls that her sister is on her way to Holt.

Army and Navy News

Mrs. J. Nelson received a letter last week from Bently, stating he was well, and would probably be home in March.

Rudolph Reierson wrote home under date of Dec. 8th, that he was well and anxious to get home, now that the war is over.

Ludvig C. Larson and Martin Svenson returned home on Monday, having been mustered out of the service, at Camp Dodge.

The news has reached us of the birth of a baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. C. Docken, somewhere in California, where the young wife and mother has been living while her husband is in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Knutson were much pleased to receive a letter from their son, Oscar, for they had not heard from him for 3 or 4 months. He had been too busy to write before, was well and having a good time and thought he would be home soon.

John O. Johnson received a telegram Monday from his brother, Ole, at Camp Kearney, Cal., saying he would leave Sunday for Camp Dodge where he will be mustered out of the military service. He was uncertain as to when he would reach home, but thought it would be about the 25th of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sorum received a letter Saturday from Andrew, the first they have heard from him for a long time. He wrote he had sprained his wrist while cranking his machine and had been unable to write before. He was about 70 miles from Paris, had seen lots of France, but was ready to come home any time now that the war is over.

U. S. S. Melville
Queenstown, Ireland.
Dec. 17th.

Dear Father:

All the subchasers left here quite a while ago, twelve destroyers left here recently for the states and more are leaving soon, also the Dixie a big ship similar to ours, has left the station here. It is uncertain as to the date we leave but it will be several weeks yet.

All together there were about 1000 sailors here at different stations. Also there was a large station here for the sea planes. Our hospital is quite large and does excellent work and everybody who goes there says its like home. They have American nurses and the best of food and Red Cross articles are given to any of the sick members.

Our club is about the best on this side of the water. We have everything that goes with it, reading room restaurant, gymnasium, etc. and movie shows every night. But they are to leave soon as they are for Allied forces. There are two other Y. M. C. A.s here, English and American, so we are not out of them altogether.

Your loving son
Willie.

(Extracts from a letter written to D. B. Bakke by his son.)

We saw Dr. Turley Wednesday and he said he was sick the day he was advertised to be in Holt, but was better now and expected to be here again in about a month to do dental work.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn., has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property. Write him.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet Saturday at 11 o'clock. Classes in English and Norwegian.

The Ladies Aid will meet at Andrew Bjerk's Wednesday Jan. 22nd. We hope all the members will be there and all others are welcome.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Estray Notice!

A white mare came to my place, in Sec. 3, Town of Holt, Dec. 14th. Owner please prove property, pay expenses of keeping and for this notice. Elling Waggedahl

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the
Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota.

Band Notice!

A meeting will be held Saturday evening at 7:30 for the purpose of organizing a band. All interested are invited to attend.

The meeting will be held in the village hall.

Notice for Bids!

Sealed bids will be received up to Jan. 22nd, 1919, by School District No. 61, for 10 or 12 cords of good white poplar or tamarack wood to be delivered at the school house, state price wanted and send bids to clerk.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

August Nass, Clerk.
Holt, Minn.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmer's Co-operative Creamery Co., of Holt, Minn., for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held in the Woodman Hall in Holt, Minn., Saturday January 25th 1919, commencing at one o'clock P. M.

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Opening Announcement
Our new Lunch Room and Confectionery Store will be opened for business on
Monday Jan. 20th
We solicit a share of your valued patronage, and assure you of courteous and fair treatment
Olai Sovde - Holt

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As long as you can remember Piso's has been the favorite relief for coughs and colds. Since '64, mothers have kept Piso's handy in the home and used it to prevent little coughs and colds from growing big.
Piso's gives prompt relief. Eases hoarseness and throat irritation and soothes throat tickle. At all druggists.
Contains No Opiate—Safe for Young & Old
for coughs and colds

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

Red Cross Report

For the Sunnyside Auxiliary for the months of Oct., Nov., and Dec. is as follows:

Articles and by whom made, 4 pair of socks, 1 sweater, by Mrs. C. Anderson, 3 pr. socks, and 1 sweater, by Mrs. N. Lysne, 2 pr. socks by Mrs. A. Kuehne, 1 pr socks 2 property bags, and 6 towels, by Mrs. Ed. Horien, 1 pr. socks, 2 sweaters, by Mrs. A. Bjerk, 3 sweaters, and 3 property bags by Mrs. T. Dovre, 1 pr. socks, 1 property bag 7 towles, and 1 sweaters, by Mrs. (name omitted), 1 pr socks, by Mrs. G. Peterson, 1 pr. socks, and 1 sweater by Mrs. Fred Larson, 1 sweater, 17 Towels and 3 property bags by Mrs. C. F. Lindholm, 1 property bag, by Miss Evelyn Wegge, 1 sweater, by Miss Nora Dovre.

Mrs. T. O. Dovre
President

Rev. Ordahl will hold services at Strandquist and West Valley next Sunday.

The village council has raised the minimum rate for electric lights to $1.50 a month.

John W. Sorum returned to his home east of T. R. Falls Friday after a visit at the home of his uncle J. A. Sorum and family.

Mrs. Oscar Abrahamson of Gatzke came Saturday to visit at the homes of her father, S. Boersheim, and sister, Mrs. Alfred Anderson.

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Dec. 31, 1918.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$104,581 19
Overdrafts		179 63
U. S. Bonds and War Saving Stamps		6 132 77
Banking House		4 407 21
Furniture and Fixtures		3 500 00
Other Real Estate		1 402 68
Due from Banks	10,509 98	
Cash on Hand	2 667 03	
Cur. 2 295 00		
Silver, 340 60		
Other, 22 00		
Total Cash Assets		13,237 64
Checks and Cash Items		2 612 91
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		
Checks and Drafts in Transit		
Total		$196,344 03

LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		$5,000 00
Undivided Profits		3,455 40
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		26,605 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$64,907.47	
Cashiers Checks	1,020.60	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	66,528.07	
Savings Deposits	45.18	
Time Certificates	84,620.32	
Total Deposits		151,193 57
Total		$196,344 03
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$16,050 55
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$12,214 37

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Bakke, President,
B. Docken, Cashier,

Correct Attest: C. H. Gunheim,
[Two] Directors. R. Reierson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Jan. 1919.

[SEAL] —Nils Engebretsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.19
Oats	.56
Barley	.63 to .71
Rye	1.39
Flour, Best Patent	5.50

Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office, Phone 79
Residences: Dr. Mellby 107 Dr. Paulson 98

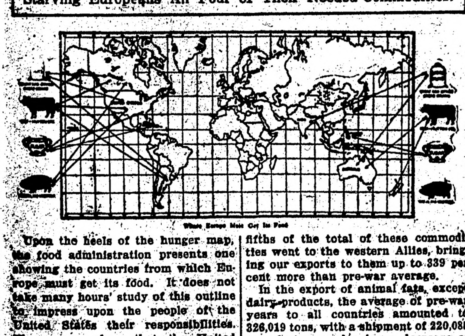
Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg.
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

City Barber Shop
Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
All work guaranteed satisfactory
Ernest Phillipson
Holt, Minn.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Fa or constipation.

THE UNITED STATES THE WORLD'S PANTRY

Map of the World's Food Shows the U. S. Alone Is Able to Send Starving Europeans All Four of Their Needed Commodities.



Where Europe Must Get Its Food

Upon the heels of the hunger map, the food administration presents one showing the countries from which Europe must get its food. It does not take many hours' study of this outline to impress upon the people of the United States their responsibilities. The arrows show that the United States alone can furnish a part of each commodity needed. Canada will send bread stuffs, meat, and animal and vegetable fat, the United States can send bread stuffs, meat, sugar—not only from its own immediate territory but from Cuba, Hawaiian Islands, and the Philippines—and both animal and vegetable fats; the Argentine will contribute bread stuffs and meat; India will send bread stuffs; Australia will send meat and bread stuffs; and New Zealand will contribute its share of meat.

Coincident with the sending of this map the food administration is publishing a summary showing the increasing extent to which farmers of the United States today are supplying foreign markets with food. The farmer who makes a study of these figures will understand more fully the need of the producer for keeping well-informed on food conditions abroad if sufficient of the commodities, greatest in demand, are to be produced.

The average export of cereals to all countries for the three years preceding the war amounted to 4,694,406 tons. For the last fiscal year ending July, 1918, our producers shipped to all countries 7,541,006 tons of cereals representing an increase of 60.6 per cent. During this time the cereal exports to the three great western Allies, the United Kingdom, France, and Italy, increased more than 260 per cent and were about 30 per cent larger than our total average of pre-war exports to all countries.

The average three pre-war years showed a shipment of meat and fish to countries amounting to 277,874. The last fiscal year showed a shipment of 986,508 tons—an increase per cent. More than four-fifths of the total of these commodities went to the western Allies, bringing our exports to them up to 339 per cent more than pre-war average.

In the export of animal fats, except dairy products, the average of pre-war years to all countries amounted to 326,019 tons, with a shipment of 220,085 tons last year showing a decrease of 32.5 per cent. In the pre-war years a little less than one-third of our total in these exports went to the United Kingdom, France, and Italy. Last year these countries received nearly one-half of our available surplus of this commodity.

In the exports of vegetable oils, oil cake, and meal, 1,088,611 tons represented our average pre-war shipment. The last fiscal year shows we shipped 151,620 tons, representing a decrease of 86 per cent, the exports to the Allies showing a decrease of 62 per cent.

The average of three pre-war years' exports of dairy products to all countries totals 13,019 tons. Last year's exports were 295,908 tons, or an increase of 2,173 per cent. The increase of dairy products to the Allies was more than 13,000 per cent, making our total to them nearly 15 times as great as the pre-war average of the exports to all countries.

In addition to these exports the war has developed some of its own. Sugar, molasses, and sirup, during the pre-war years, were sent on an average of 230,092 tons. Last year our shipments were increased 74 per cent in these commodities or 400,395 tons. The exporting of dried fruits and vegetables which had amounted to 152,118 tons before the war, was increased to 195,369 tons or a 28.4 per cent increase.

The climax of statistics being in the grand total, the producers will be interested in knowing that the average three pre-war years' shipments in these various groups represented 6,782,139 tons. During the last year the American producers have sent instead 9,790,891 tons and this year's pledge, made before millions of additional sufferers were liberated, represents a shipment of 20,000,000 tons.

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In connection with teams and rigs.
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices.
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Holt, Minn.

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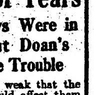
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY
Eat Less — Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED
120,000,000 ALLIES

Suffered For Years

Back and Kidneys Were in Bad Shape, But Doan's Removed all the Trouble

"My kidneys were so weak that the least cold I caught would affect them and start my back aching until I could hardly endure the misery," says Mrs. D. C. Ross, 973 Fulton St., Brooklyn, N. Y. "In the morning when I first got up, my back was so lame, I could hardly bend over and any move sent darts of pain through my kidneys. It was hard for me to walk up stairs or stoop, and to move while lying down sent darts of pain through me.


MRS. ROSS

"The kidney secretions were scanty and distressing and the water remained in my system, making my feet and hands swell. There were dark circles under my eyes and I became so dizzy I could hardly see. I had rheumatic pains in my knees and it was all I could do to get around. For years I was in that shape and I wore plasters and used all kinds of medicine to no avail until I tried *Doan's Kidney Pills.* They rid me of the trouble and strengthened my back and kidneys. When I have taken *Doan's* since, they have always benefited me."

Sworn to before me,
L. N. VAUGHAN, *Notary Public.*

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box
DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

GIRLS Clear Your Skin Save Your Hair With Cuticura

Soap, Oint., Talcum 25c. each. Sample each of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

Don't wear your bathing suit to a New Year's party just to show that you have one.

END INDIGESTION, EAT ONE TABLET

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN INSTANTLY RELIEVES ANY DISTRESSED, UPSET STOMACH.

Lumps of undigested food causing pain. When your stomach is acid, gassy, sour, or you have flatulence, heartburn, here is instant relief—No waiting!

Just as soon as you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapepsin all that dyspepsia, indigestion and stomach distress ends. These pleasant, harmless tablets of Pape's Diapepsin never fail to make sick, upset stomachs feel fine at once, and they cost very little at drug stores. Adv.

It takes a cheerful face to make good in a photograph.

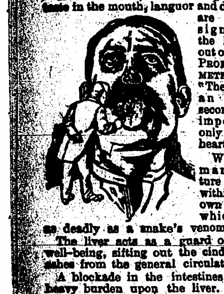
RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

The wife of a henpecked husband hasn't much to crow over.

A Coated Tongue? What it Means

A bad breath, coated tongue, bad taste in the mouth, languor and debility, are usually signs that the liver is out of order. PROF. HEMMETER says: "The liver is an organ secondary in importance only to the heart."



We can manufacture poisons within our own bodies which are as deadly as a snake's venom.

The liver acts as a guard over our well-being, sifting out the cinders and ashes from the general circulation.

A blockade in the intestines piles a heavy burden upon the liver. If the intestines are choked or clogged up, the circulation of the blood becomes poisoned and the system becomes loaded with toxic waste, and we suffer from headache, yellow-coated tongue, bad taste in mouth, nausea, or gas, acid dyspepsia, languor, debility, yellow skin or eyes. At such times one should take a pleasant laxative. Such a one is made of May-apple, leaves of aloe, jalap, put into ready-to-use form by Doctor Pierce, nearly fifty years ago, and sold for 25 cents by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

STOCKTON, CALIF.—"For constipation, sick headache, an inactive liver, indigestion and biliousness there is nothing to equal Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. I have tried other things but like the 'Pellets' best of any."—MRS. F. CAMPBELL, 229 S. Grant Street.

Children's Coughs

may be checked and more serious conditions of the throat will be often avoided by promptly giving the child a dose of safe

PISO'S

U. S. TROOPS MAY FIGHT IN POLAND

America Ready to Assist Poles in Defeating Bolsheviki, According to Paris Paper.

OFFERS TWO DIVISIONS

Rebel Leaders Taken in Capture of Spartacan Offices in Berlin—1,500 Spartacans Killed Since Outbreak in Capital Began.

Paris, Jan. 14.—America has informed the Allied governments, according to the Temps, that it is ready to send an American Expeditionary Corps to Poland. This force, the newspaper states, would be able to "at least double the support given by two Polish divisions to be sent from the western front and enable the Poles to victoriously resist the bolshevists."

Berlin, Jan. 14.—Rosa Luxemberg, associated with Dr. Karl Liebknecht in the leadership of the rebellious spartacan forces in Berlin, has been arrested by government soldiers, according to a report in the Taegliche Rundschau.

The arrest is said to have been made when the troops were cleaning out the central office of the spartacans, when Dr. Liebknecht's son also is reported to have been taken.

Police Station Shelled.

The capture of the spartacan office was effected by the free use of hand grenades. The soldiers burned in the street an immense quantity of bolshevik literature found in the headquarters.

Government forces have captured the police headquarters after a short bombardment.

When the fighting began, the troops fired a few shells and then waited to see what effect had been made upon the spartacans.

Fire on White Flag.

When the latter failed to show signs of yielding two men were sent forward with a white flag demanding the surrender of the spartacans. They were fired upon and killd.

Artillery fire then was resumed. The spartacans began to flee. The soldiers thereupon stormed the building and took several hundred prisoners. The bolshevists are believed to have suffered the loss of 50 killed and many wounded.

1,300 Spartacans Killed.

London, Jan. 14.—The armistice between the contending factions at Berlin has been broken and fighting has been resumed, according to Copenhagen advices received here.

Reports from Berlin indicate, it is said, that the spartacan forces have lost 1,300 killed since the outbreak of the revolution and that there are many more wounded.

Insurgent Leaders Disappear.

There is no confirmation of the report that Dr. Liebknecht has been killed. He has, however, faded from sight with Chief of Police Eichhorn.

Spartacan forces outside of Berlin have been to a certain extent able to interfere with the arrival of government reinforcements.

MINNESOTA SENATOR DIES

Carleton L. Wallace Succumbs to Pneumonia After Few Days' Illness.

Minneapolis, Jan. 13.—Senator Carleton L. Wallace is dead at his home in this city. He had been ill for several days with bronchial pneumonia.

Senator Wallace, who represented the Thirty-fourth district, comprising the Eighth ward, in the upper branch of the legislature, has served in many Minnesota legislative sessions. He was a member of the House of Representatives in 1899, 1901, extra session in 1902, 1905 and 1909. He was later elected a state senator and has served in the upper body eight years. He was re-elected last fall.

Senator Wallace is the second member of the state Senate to pass away since the session opened. Senator Harry F. Weis died last week.

REED ACT BARS IMPORTS

Liquor, Even for Personal Use, Banned From Dry Territory.

Washington, Jan. 14.—The supreme court holds that the Reed "bone dry" prohibition amendment prohibits interstate transportation into dry states of intoxicating liquor for beverage purposes even when intended for personal use.

Justice McReynolds, in a dissenting opinion, concurred in by Justice Clark, declared the Reed amendment was not an interstate commerce regulatory measure, but a direct intermeddling with a state's affairs and beyond federal power.

As interpreted by the court, the law nullifies state statutes permitting limited amounts of liquor to be brought in for personal use.

Drifted 24 Days in Lifeboat.

Honolulu, Jan. 14.—Eleven survivors of the steamer Dumaru, destroyed by lightning and fire off Guam October 16, have arrived here from the Philippines, where they landed in a life boat. Three others remained in Manila. There were 32 men in the boat when it left the Dumaru. Two of these were drowned, several who became insane jumped into the sea and were said to have been attacked by sharks, and the remainder of the missing died of hunger during the 24 days the lifeboat drifted.

NO ROOM FOR PESSIMISM

Canada as a Nation Builder.

With Canada's great task in the war before the public, the burdens that she so willingly took and so ably carried, and her recent victory in subscribing $175,000,000 to the 5th Victory Bond Loan more than she asked, he would be a skeptic who would associate the word pessimism with her present condition. Canada deplores the heavy human loss which she has suffered, but even those akin to those lost in battle say with cheerfulness that while the sacrifice was great, the cause was wonderful, and accept their sufferings with grace. It may well be said there is no room in Canada today for the pessimist. The agricultural production of the country has doubled in four years. $140,000,000 are the railway earnings today or 8½ times what they were ten years ago, while the bank deposits are now $1,733,000,000 as compared with $183,000,000 thirty years ago.

There is a wonderful promise for the future.

It is with buoyancy that Canada faces an era of peace. She has triumphed over the soul-testing crisis of war. Before the war Canada was a borrower, and expected to continue so for many years. For the past year and a half we have seen her finance herself. She has also been furnishing credits to other nations.

A recent article in the "Boston Transcript" says:

"The people at home have not been lagging behind the boys at the front in courage, resourcefulness and efficiency. The development of Canada's war industry is an industrial romance of front rank. American Government officials can testify to the efficiency of the manufacturing plant Canada has built up in four short years. In Department after Department where they found American industry failed them they were able to turn to Canada. The full story may be revealed some day."

The same paper says:

"It is a new Canada that emerges from the world war in 1918—a nation transformed from that which entered the conflict in 1914.

"The war has taken from Canada a cruel toll. More than 50,000 of her bravest sons lie in soldiers' graves in Europe. Three times that number have been more or less incapacitated by wounds. The cost of the war in money is estimated to be already $1,100,000,000. These are not light losses for a country of 8,000,000 people. Fortunately there is also a credit side. Canada has found herself in this war. She has discovered not merely the gallantry of her soldiers, but the brains and capacity and efficiency of her whole people. In every branch, in arms, in industry, in finance, she has had to measure her wits against the world, and in no case has Canada reason to be other than gratified."—Advertisement.

Furrowed brows today indicate a gift forgot.

Cuticura Comforts Baby's Skin

When red, rough and itching with hot baths of Cuticura Soap and touches of Cuticura Ointment. Also make use now and then of that exquisitely scented dusting powder, Cuticura Talcum, one of the indispensable Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Adv.

Nothing provokes a proud woman like the pride of some other woman.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

It is a wise old saw that cuts with its wisdom teeth.

Stop the Pain.

The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolisalve is applied. It heals quickly without scars. 25c and 50c by all druggists. For free sample write The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Adv.

In most cases a man doesn't realize how lucky he is when a woman refuses to marry him.

Don't wait until your cold develops Spanish Influenza or pneumonia.

Kill it quick.

HILL'S
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CASCARA QUININE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

FISH

Tulibee Whitefish 11c a pound; caught through the ice. Codfish and Haddock, 11c a pound—sweet as a nut—1½ lb. to 3 lb. each. Write for complete price list; all varieties of fresh, frozen, salted and smoked fish; ocean, lake and river.

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Reference: First National Bank

NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings In Minnesota Given In Brief Items For Busy Readers.

St. Paul.—John W. Edwards, assistant adjutant general, has decided to resign. The resignation will take effect January 15.

St. Paul.—Maj. Edward Karow has been reinstated in the Fourth Minnesota infantry by order of Adjutant General Rhinow. For several months Major Karow served as a lieutenant in the United States Ordnance corps.

St. Paul.—C. A. Meyer of the St. Paul Automobile club, was elected secretary of the St. Paul and Duluth division of the Burlington highway—New Orleans to Port Arthur—at an organization meeting at Pine City. Rollo N. Chaffee of Duluth was chosen supervisor.

Hastings.—Engineer W. E. Glendinning was knocked unconscious when his engine collided with an incoming freight train on the Milwaukee road near here. He was removed to a local hospital where he is recovering. Traffic on the line was not seriously hampered by the collision.

Minneapolis.—Six million bushels of potatoes grown in Minnesota as part of the bumper crop of 1918 were unmarketable, and thousands of bushels are rotting on the ground because of the war-time prices fixed by the bureau of markets and the difficulties of transportation, F. A. Corneia, county agent, said.

Rochester.—C. A. Chapman, cashier of the First National bank at Albert Lea, has succeeded Arthur C. Gooding as active executive of the First National bank of Rochester. Mr. Gooding recently suffered a nervous breakdown, but expects to improve sufficiently to take his seat in the legislature.

Minneapolis.—Editors of the Ninth Federal Reserve district have been invited by the central committee of the Government War Loan organization to a meeting with members of the committee in the directors' room of the Minneapolis Trust company. The plan of campaign for the coming war loan drive will be explained by the central committee officials.

Minneapolis.—Damages aggregating $18,850 are asked of W. G. Calderwood, "dry" leader and candidate for the United States Senate, against Knute Nelson in the recent election, in a suit filed in Hennepin county district court by Mrs. Bertina Rasten. Mrs. Rasten alleges that in October her 13-year-old son, Melvin, a newsboy, was struck and injured by Calderwood's automobile.

Crookston.—Directors and members of the advisory board of the Red River Valley Livestock association met here to arrange for the livestock show and sales to be held in the new pavilion here the week of Feb. 10. The new pavilion and auxiliary exhibit buildings, which are under construction, will be a credit to the valley farmers and businessmen who have co-operated to raise the funds and manage the enterprise.

St. Paul.—The Railroad and Warehouse commission has filed suit in the district court to restrain the telephone companies from continuing increased rates made in December and from further increasing toll rates January 21 under the order of Postmaster General Burleson. Judge F. N. Dickson signed an order for the company to show cause in each instance, and the papers were served on officers of the companies.

Minneapolis.—Suspension of the order issued Dec. 28, 1918, calling for an increase of 2 cents per 100 pounds in grain rates from Minneapolis to Atlantic seaports, to be effective Feb. 1, has been ordered by Edward Chambers, United States director of traffic, according to a dispatch received by W. P. Trickett, manager of the Minneapolis Traffic association, from Director E. A. Prouty of the United States Public Service division.

St. Paul.—The annual report of J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, shows that the receipts for the fiscal year ending July 31, 1918, were approximately $1,000,000 in excess of the expenditures. The receipts totaled $28,383,296.14, while the disbursements totaled $27,623,820.33. The calamity indebtedness incurred since June 20, 1916, totals $1,020,765.51. Six hundred thousand dollars of this amount was used for the forest fire sufferers.

St. Paul.—More than 200,000 automobiles are owned in Minnesota, according to figures announced by Secretary of State Julius A. Schmahl. State automobile license sales numbered 204,458 and produced $1,022,290 of revenue, exclusive of 5,021 motor-cycle licenses for $25,105, 725 dealers' licenses for $14,500 and other minor items making a grand total of $1,077,016 for the year in the department. The operating expenses were $61,000, leaving more than $1,000,000 of net revenue, the bulk of which is credited to the roads and bridge fund.

St. Paul.—Nearly 650,000 common barberry bushes were destroyed during the last year in an effort on the part of A. G. Ruggles, state entomologist, E. M. Freeman, head of the plant pathology division of the Minnesota experiment station, and A. C. Brakman, representing the federal government, to stamp out the plant as a promoter of the stem rust of wheat.

St. Paul.—Otto H. Diercks of Baudette has taken the oath of office as superintendent of state timber. He succeeds Oscar Arneson, St. Paul, who resigned to become chief clerk of the house of representatives.

Rochester.—Irving Dunford, 19 years old, accidentally shot and killed his uncle, Ora Oliver, while they were hunting.

Red Lake Falls.—Chief of Police Joseph Belair has handed in his resignation to Mayor Theodore La Bissoniere. For the last 10 years he has also been sheriff of Red Lake county.

St. Paul.—The use for advertising purposes of the flags, uniforms and insignia of the United States and friendly nations, the Red Cross and like organizations, will be made unlawful upon passage of a bill to be introduced in the legislature by Representative Leo Gleason, Minneapolis.

Minneapolis.—More than 300 delegates from all parts of the state are expected to attend the annual convention of the Minnesota Federation of County Fairs, which will meet at the court house, Jan. 15, according to R. F. Hall, secretary. The federation will have a banquet that night at the Dyckman hotel.

Minneapolis.—Delegates to the fifteenth annual convention of the Minnesota Implement Dealers' association paid a final tribute to Roosevelt at one of their business sessions at the West hotel. Following a eulogy by C. M. Johnson of Rush City, the men stood for two minutes in silent respect for the memory of Colonel Roosevelt.

Minneapolis.—The Minnesota Implement Dealers' association, at the closing session elected Charles W. Lyman of Northfield, president; M. J. Stolum of Hitterdal, vice president, and C. L. Buxton of Owatonna, secretary treasurer. G. A. Meyers, Lake Elmo, and August Lundrin, Warren, were named to serve on the board of directors for three years.

St. Paul.—Discontinuance of the publication of "fair food prices" has been ordered to take effect immediately by A. D. Wilson, federal food administrator for Minnesota. The orders are issued by the state food administration on receipt of a national order to that effect. Brisk competition among dealers will prevent any attempt at profiteering now, Mr. Wilson said.

Minneapolis.—All the police captains of the city, including the assistant superintendents, night captain, traffic lieutenant and captain of detectives, met for the first time under their new chief, J. F. Walker. Mayor Meyers spoke to the men, emphasizing the need for unqualified loyalty to country, state and city. A request for more men for the department was made by the police officers.

Luverne.—Peter Norwold was found dead, and his son, Carl, dying at their home in Rosedell township. Escaping coal gas was the cause of their death. Neighbors became alarmed at the absence of the two and forced an entrance into Norwold's premises. Carl was still alive when found, but in an unconscious condition, with both legs badly frozen. He died shortly afterwards. Peter Norwold was a pioneer resident, settling in Rock county in 1877.

Minneapolis.—The Minnesota Implement Dealers' Fire Insurance company declared a 50 per cent dividend at its annual meeting held at the West hotel in connection with the convention. This dividend will be paid to members in the form of reduced premiums on their 1919 insurance policies. The treasurer's report showed a balance of $500,000 on hand December 31, 1918, and an increase of $12,500,000 in the amount of property insured during the last year.

St. Paul.—George Wallgren, solicitor for the Prouty Commission Company, South St. Paul, was seriously injured and may lose both arms and legs as a result of an automobile accident. While driving near Bloomquist, Minn., his car went over an embankment, pinning him underneath. He was discoverered in the morning and taken to a Minneapolis hospital, where it is feared his arms and legs are so severely frozen that it will be necessary to have them amputated.

Minneapolis.—Every county in the state was represented at the University of Minnesota among the student personnel last year, according to a report submitted by E. B. Pierce, registrar. Hennepin, with 2,345; Ramsey, with 844, and St. Louis, with 150, were in the lead. The other counties ranged from forty-nine to one. There were students in attendance from thirty-two states. By number of residents in attendance, Minnesota was followed by South Dakota, Iowa, North Dakota and Wisconsin. The students hailed from a chain of states made up of Minnesota, Michigan, Maine, Florida, Arkansas, California, Washington, Montana and back to Minnesota again.

St. Paul.—State Senator Harry F. Weis of Le Sueur died at St. Luke's hospital in this city. He refused to make the race for Congress in the Third district last fall because of poor health. Senator Weis attended the opening session of the Senate, but he was plainly ill. He returned to his room at the Hotel Saint Paul and later was taken to St. Luke's hospital. Senator Weis was 53 years old. He was elected to the State Senate in 1906 and had served continuously ever since. He was for many years a member of the Democratic State Central committee.

Duluth.—Through the request of Dr. K. J. Hoke, superintendent of Duluth schools, moving picture machines will be used to teach the history of the great war in the class rooms of the city. The moving picture machines are being used not only in the day classes, but in the night schools as well.

St. Paul.—No trace has been found by the police of Aloise Barthie, 13 years old, and Francis Schiller, 15 years old, both living at 599 Sherburne avenue, who are believed to have run away on December 29 to become movie actresses.

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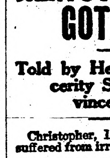

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She should leave the house by the back way, or, at any rate, avoid coming in contact with any of the occupants of the house. Once on the street she should not use the street cars nor enter another house and, if possible, should avoid touching anyone.

The fumigation of a sick room after a contagious illness is done by the board of health upon request of the family physician.—Exchange.

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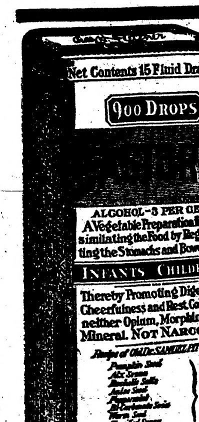
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Bulls, plain to best	6.50@12.50
Poor to fancy calves	6.75@15.75
Western range steers	10.00@18.00

These newspaper quotations represent live cattle prices in Chicago on December 30th, 1918.

The list shows price ranges on nine general classified groups with a spread of $13.85 per cwt.—the lowest at $6.50 and the highest at $20.35.

Why this variation in price?

Because the meat from different animals varies greatly in quality and weight.

Although the quotations shown are in nine divisions, **Swift & Company grades cattle into 34 general classes,** and each class into a variety of weights and qualities.

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GOPHER SOLONS START SESSION

Forty-First Minnesota Legislature Begins What Promises To Be Busy Sitting.

NOLAN MADE SPEAKER

Session Opens with Singing of Patriotic Songs—Caucus Nominees Chosen to Fill Minor Offices in Both Houses.

St. Paul, Jan. 8.—The singing of patriotic songs marked the opening sitting of the 41st Minnesota legislature Tuesday at noon of what promises to be a busy session. Prayers offered by Rev. A. D. Stowe, Minneapolis, in the senate, and Rev. W. J. Brown, Mora, house chaplain, preceded the singing.

The singing of the national anthem was led by Henry E. Brown of the War Camp Community service. Old patriotic airs were followed by hymns and war camp songs. The patriotic service continued for 15 minutes.

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Nebraska Congressman Dead.

Omaha, Jan. 8.—Former Congressman David H. Mercer died of heart failure here. He served ten years in Congress, completing his fifth term in 1903. He was born in Bent county, Iowa.

Ukranians Besiege Lemberg.

Warsaw, Jan. 8.—The Poles are making a gallant defense of Lemberg with limited means, but the bolshevik Ukranians, aided by German guns and German gunners, slowly are destroying the city. The besiegers are estimated to number 60,000, commanded by former Premier Holubowicz of the Ukrane. The Polish troops are being aided in the defense of the city by many citizens of Lemberg, including girls and boys who aid materially in the fighting.

W. I. NOLAN CHOSEN SPEAKER OF HOUSE

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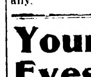

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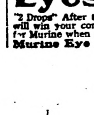

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STEADIER HOG MARKETS PLANNED

Hog Producers and Packers Confer With Representatives of the Food Administration and Agricultural Department and Adopt New Plan of Regulation.

In accordance with the policy of the Food Administration since its founda- to consult representative men in the agricultural industry on occasions importance to special branches of the industry, on October 24 there was vened in Washington a meeting of the Live Stock Subcommittee of the icultural Advisory Board and the special members representing the swine stry to consider the situation in the hog market.

The conference lasted for three days, and during this time met with the cutive committee of the fifty packing firms participating in foreign orders pork products and with the members of the Food Administration directing ign pork purchases.

The conclusions of the conference were as follows:

he entire marketing situation has changed since the September joint ference as to necessitate an entire ration in the plans of price stabi- tion. The current peace talk has wned the holders of corn, and there been a price decline of from 25 ts to 40 cents per bushel. The fact the accumulations of low priced n in the Argentine and South Afri- would, upon the advent of peace liberated shipping, become avail- e to the European market has cre- d a great deal of apprehension on part of corn holders. This decline spread fear among swine growers a similar reduction in the price hogs would naturally follow. More- the lower range of corn prices ld, if incorporated in a 13-to-1 ra- obviously result in a continuously [illegible] price for live hogs. In view these changed conditions many producers anticipated lower ces and as a result rushed their s to market in large numbers, and overshipment has added to and ravated the decline.

The information of the Department Agriculture indicates that the sup- of hogs has increased about 8 per , while the highest unofficial esti- does not exceed 15 per cent in- ased production over last year. On other hand, the arrival of hogs ing the last three weeks in the [illegible] markets has been 27 per more than last year, during the responding period, demonstrating unusually heavy marketing of the ailable supply. In the face of the cessive receipts some packers have maintained the price agreed last onth. On the other hand, many the packers have paid over the ices offered to them in an endeavor maintain the agreed price. The re- lt in any event has been a failure maintain the October price basis [illegible] upon at the September con- ence and undertaken by the pack- Another factor contributing to break in prices during the month been the influenza epidemic. It [illegible] curtailed consumption of [illegible] products and temporarily de- [illegible] the labor staff of the packers [illegible]

[illegible] of 130,000,000 pounds pork products for October com- [illegible] 52,000,000 pounds October a year ago, and the [illegible] placeable by the Food Administration for November amount 170,000,000 pounds as contrast- with the lesser exports of ,000,000 for November, 1917. The creased demands of the allies are ntinuing, and are in themselves oof of the necessity for the large roduction for which the Food Admin- tration asked. The increase in ex- rt demands appears to be amply cient to take up the increase in production, but unfavorable [illegible] conditions existing in October af- ford no fair index of the aggregate pply and demand.

It must be evident that the [illegible] shortage in fats in the Central [illegible] and neutral countries would immediately upon peace result in [illegible] demands for pork products which on top of the heavy shipments the Allies, would tend materially increase the American exports [illegible] as no considerable reservoir of supplies exists outside of the United States. It seems probable that the present prospective supplies would be inadequate to meet this world demand with the return to peace. So far as it possible to interpret this fact, it ap- pears that there should be even a stronger demand for pork products after the war, and therefore any alarm hog producers as to the effect of peace is unwarranted by the outlook.

In the light of these circumstances is the conclusion of the conference attempts to hold the price of hogs the price of corn may work out to disadvantage of pork producers. is the conclusion that any interpre- tation of the formula should be a [illegible] gauged policy applied over a period. It is the opinion of the conference that in substitution of the [illegible] plans of stabilization, the Stock Subcommittee of the Agri- Advisory Board, together with specially invited swine representa- should accept the invitation of Food Administration to join with Administration and the packers in determining the prices at which con- trolled export orders are to be placed. This will be regularly done. The in- fluence of these orders will be directed the maintenance of the common ob- namely, the stabilization of the live hogs so as to secure as far [illegible] returns to the producer and the insurance of an adequate future supply.

These foreign orders are placed upon the basis of cost of hogs to the packers.

As the result of long negotiations between this body and the Packers' Committee, representing the 45 to 50 packers participating in foreign orders, together with the Allied buyers, all under the Chairmanship of the Food Administration, the following undertaking has been given by the packers:

In view of the undertakings on the part of the Food Administration with regard to the co-ordinated purchases of pork products, covered in the attached, it is agreed that the packers participating in these orders will undertake not to purchase hogs for less than the following agreed minimums for the month of November, that is a daily minimum of $17.50 per hundred pounds on average of packers' droves, excluding throw-outs. "Throw-outs" to be defined as pigs under 130 pounds, stags, boars, thin sows and skips. Further, that no hogs of any kind shall be bought, except throw-outs, at less than $16.50 per hundred pounds. The average of packers' droves to be construed as the average of the total sales in the market of all hogs for a given day. All the above to be based on Chicago.

We agree that a committee shall be appointed by the Food Administration to check the daily operations in the various markets with a view to supervision and demonstration of the carrying out of the above.

The ability of the packers to carry out this arrangement will depend on there being a normal marketing of hogs based upon the proportionate increase over the receipts of last year. The increase in production appears to be a maximum of about 15 per cent, and we can handle such an increase.

If the producers of hogs should, as they have in the past few weeks, prematurely market hogs in such increasing numbers over the above it is entirely beyond the ability of the packers to maintain these minimums, and therefore we must have the co-operation of the producer himself to maintain these results. It is a physical impossibility for the capacity of the packing houses to handle a similar over-flood of hogs and to find a market for the output. The packers are anxious to co-operate with the producers in maintaining a stabilization of price and to see that producers receive a fair price for their products.

(Signed) THOS. E. WILSON,
Chairman Packers' Committee.

The plan embodied above was adopted by the conference.

The Food Administrator has appointed a committee, comprising Mr. Thomas E. Wilson, chairman of the Packers' Committee; Mr. Everett Brown, president of the Chicago Livestock Exchange; Major Roy, of the Food Administration; Mr. Louis D. Hall, of the Bureau of Markets, to undertake the supervision of the execution of the plan in the various markets. Commission men are asked to co-operate in carrying out the plan embodied in the packers' agreement. It must be evident that offers by commission men to sell hogs below the minimums established above is not fair, either to the producer or the participating packers. Mr. Brown has undertaken, on behalf of the commission men in the United States that they will loyally support the plan.

It is believed by the conference that this new plan, based as it is upon a positive minimum basis, will bring better results to the producer than average prices for the month. It does not limit top prices, and should narrow the margins necessary to country buyers in more variable markets. It is believed that the plan should work out close to $18 average.

Swine producers of the country will contribute to their own interest by not flooding the market, for it must be evident that if an excessive over percentage of hogs is marketed in any one month price stabilization and control cannot succeed, and it is certain that producers themselves can contribute materially to the efforts of the conferences if they will do their marketing in as normal a way as possible.

The whole situation as existing at present demands a frank and explicit assurance from the conferees represented—namely, that every possible effort will be made to maintain a live hog price commensurate with swine production costs and reasonable selling values in execution of the declared policy of the Food Administration to use every agency in its control to secure justice to the farmer.

The stabilization methods adopt for November represent the best forts of the conference, concurred by the Food Administration and Livestock Subcommittee of the Agricultural Advisory Board, together with special swine members and the representatives of the packers, to improve the present unsatisfactory situation, which has unfortunately resulted because of the injection of uncontrollable factors.

We ask the producer to co-operate with us in a most difficult task.

The members of the Conference were:

Producers—H. C. Stuart, Elk Garden, Va., Chairman Agricultural Advisory Board; W. M. McFadden, Chicago, Ill.; A. Sykes, Ida Grove, Ia.; John M. Evvard, Ames, Ia.; J. H. Mercer, Live Stock Commission for Kansas; J. G. Brown, Monon, Ind.; E. C. Brown, President Chicago Livestock Exchange; N. H. Gentry, Sedalia, Mo.; John Grattan, Broomfield, Colo.; Eugene Funk, Bloomington, Ill.; Isaac Lincoln, Aberdeen, S. D.; C. W. Hunt, Logan, Ia.; C. E. Yancey, W. R. Dodson.

Food Administration—Herbert Hoover, F. S. Snyder, Major E. L. Roy, G. H. Powell.

Department of Agriculture—Louis D. Hall, F. R. Marshall.

The packers present and others sharing in foreign orders were represented by the elected packers committee [illegible]

Walter and Marvin Sandberg were T. R. Falls visitors Friday.

Ed Bennes of Fertile visited his brother Albert, between trains Saturday.

Elmer Hagglund and Hardy Bjerk were Crookston visitors one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nelson were Sunday guests at the Otto Johnson home.

Dr. Froehlich was here a couple of days last week examining applicants for life insurance.

Wesley Kezar returned to Middle River Monday after a few days' visit with Ernest Phillipson.

Ed. Monson and daughter Betsy of Randen visited relatives and friends here the past week.

Andrew Ness and family of Thief River Falls came Friday to visit relatives and friends here for some time.

Misses Ida Reierson, Inga Johnson and Betsy Monson went to Thief River Falls Monday to have dental work done.

be proud
to be
a
food
Saver

Notice!

$25000 live stock pavilion is to be completed at Crookston. [illegible] in the building is offered at [illegible] per share. In order to raise [illegible] finish paying for it [illegible] will be held there [illegible] in co-operation [illegible] Crop Show of Feb. [illegible]

[illegible] control in America held the [illegible] of breadstuffs steady, prevented [illegible] speculation and extortion and [illegible] tranquillity at home.

[illegible] no other nation is there so willing [illegible] of voluntary self-sacrifice as [illegible] that was shown [illegible] the [illegible] from wheat.

more wheat [illegible] save [illegible] was answered [illegible] starvation.

[illegible] rules the new [illegible] the old world [illegible] food America helps make the world kin.

control made sufficiency from [illegible] kept the rein on food [illegible] nation's full [illegible]

[illegible] by Germany [illegible] food consum[illegible]

Dr. Gambell was in town Friday between trains.

Johnson Bros. and Halvorson packed the creamery ice this week.

Diedrick Nyberg came down from Middle River Saturday for a short visit at home.

Ole Hamernas will build a new garage in the spring which will be a big improvement for Holt.

Nels Omberg went to the twin cities Wednesday, where he expected to find employment.

The Chas. Hagglund and Jno. Melquist families were entertained Sunday at the home of Mrs. Nelson.

Mrs. Havle and daughter Mary visited relatives at Medicine, Montana, several weeks, returning home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Peterson went to Thief River Falls Saturday to spend Sunday at the Albin Knauf home.

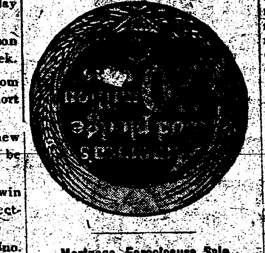
Dr. F. D. Brandenburg has recently moved from Hartland to New Richland, Minn. and asks us to send his paper there.

Little Beulah Bennes is the proud owner of a new player piano which was presented to her Monday by her Grandpa Swanson.

Miss Olena Bolenberg and Swan Carlson were united in marriage last Friday Jan. 10th at the parsonage by Rev. M. B. Ordahl.

A fifty pound package may now be sent into any of the zones by parcel post, but over fifty pounds can be sent no farther than the third zone.

Dr. Mellby expects to be back again Saturday to do vaccinating, but if unable to come, will phone so as to let the people know he can not come then. He will bring some typhoid vaccine along so as to vaccinate for the prevention of the typhoid fever.



Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred ninety and 82-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Oluf O. Eggum, and Petra Eggum, his wife Mortgagors, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota Corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of June 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of June 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 79 of Mortgages, on page 9, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section twenty two in Township One Hundred Fifty Six North of Range Forty Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Marshall County, and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of February 1919 at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Ninety and 82-100 Dollars and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 20th 1918.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Ninety and 29-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Ed. Ellingson and Christine Ellingson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January 1912, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of January, 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Book 66 of Mortgages, on page 320.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Holt State Bank Mortgagee, to The Minnesota Loan and Trust Company by written assignment dated the 3rd day of February 1913, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 27th day of March 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M. in Book 71 of Mortgages on page 417.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Minnesota Loan and Trust Company the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minnesota, (a corporation) by written assignment dated the 4th day of September 1918, and recorded on the 13th day of December 1918, at 8:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 94 of Mortgages page 353; and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The southeast quarter (SE) Section thirteen (13) in Township One Hundred Fifty-eight (158) North of Range (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, and containing one hundred sixty acres more or less according to the government survey thereof, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of February 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Ninety and 29-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemtion at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th 1918.

Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minn.
Assignee of Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
Warren, Minnesota.

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell, phone 140.

How do you like our California weather, hey?

Get your lunch at the Ladies Aid next Thursday.

R. Reierson was a Middle River visitor Tuesday.

Knute Brown went to Fargo Tuesday on business.

P. C. Rosand will have an auction sale on Saturday Feb. 8th.

Basket social Saturday evening Feb. 1st., Holt school house.

Dr. J. T. Turley will be here on Tuesday Feb. 4th to do dental work.

B. J. Bakke went to Fargo and other points Monday on a business trip.

Hoffman Bros. shipped a car of cord wood to North Dakota this week.

Rev. Eilen will hold services in the Mission church next Sunday at 3 o'clock.

A fine 8 lb. baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nass last Monday evening.

A fine baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McLane, early Monday morning.

Miss Hilma Sovde of Thief River Falls came Monday to help her brother in the confectionery store.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lindahl went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to see the former's mother who is very sick.

Dehard and Tina Johnson returned Monday to their work in Thief River Falls after an over Sunday visit with home folks.

There will be a basket social at the Holt school house Saturday evening Feb. 1st. The Little Citizens League will give a program.

Ladies Aid meeting at the Free Mission church next Thursday Jan. 30th. at 2 o'clock sharp. Election of officers. Lunch served later.

Mrs. A. H. Huseth, baby and daughter Lola came down from Greenbush Saturday to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. J. Oien and family.

All members of the Ladies Aid are requested to meet promply at 2 o'clock next Thursday at the Mission church for the election of officers. Lunch will be served.

Ole Backlund, Theo. Sollom, Jno. Kjelgren, Peter Langley, Ed. and Dick Nyberg came down from Middle River Saturday for a short visit here, returning Sunday evening to be ready to haul gravel on Monday.

Mrs. C. S. Kolden and baby returned home Tuesday from Thief River Falls accompanied by her sister, Mrs. H. Pavek and children of Gardena, N. D.

The later will visit here for sometime at the home of her parents.

Army and Navy News

Sergeant Willie Hoel returned to Ft. Riley, Kansas, Monday after spending a few days at home on furlough.

Emil Simenson returned Saturday from camp and went out to his home near Golden Valley.

A. H. Alborn returned Saturday from the east, where he has been stationed with the marines, and is now visiting at the Saastad home.

A telegram was received here Friday for Mrs. Martin Mattson stating that her brother, Alfred C. Olson is now reported killed in action, Mov. 11th, but no further information was given. He was first reported missing in action on Nov. 8th and as there is a difference in dates it seems as though the government have not as yet been able to get definite information concerning him.

The sincere sympathy of the entire community is extended to the sorrowing relatives in their time of sorrow and uncertainty.

Take Notice

Prof. Frances A. March, Ph. D is a brother of Gen. Peyton C. March, Chief of Staff of the United States Army. Prof. March has written a complete history of the great world war and General March has written an introduction to the book and Richard J. Beamish a special war correspondent and military analyst has given his assistance in the preparation of this wonderful history of the greatest war the world has ever known.

This book is now on the market at a reasonable price, viz: $2.75 and $3.75.

The agent for this vicinity is C. Rustad. Send your order to him at Holt, Minn.

Tin Wedding

A large crowd of Holt people met by appointment at the Mickelson hotel Wednesday evening and later laden with "goodies" were seen wending their way to the Docken home. An informal invasion was immediately made, surprising the family to a finish. It being Mr. and Mrs. Docken's 10th wedding anniversary, their friends proposed to celebrate it in the good old fashioned way. The principal features of the evening entertainment was the mock wedding, when the wedding procession, headed by the santified looking parson, R. L. Adams, followed by the flower girls, Alice Oien and Hildred Ordahl and last by the bride and groom, marched to the strains of the piano into the front room. The ceremony caused a ripple of merriment again and again among the audience and at the conclusion Miss Newton sang an appropriate solo.

The newly weds were presented with a lovely electric lamp as a token of esteem and in remembrance of the occasion. Later in the evening R. L. Adams gave a reading personating an old lady which capped the climax.

A most delicious lunch was served and everybody seemed to enjoy the evening to the fullest extent.

Long live the newly weds and may their pathway be strewn with rice and old shoes which is indicative of health, wealth and happiness.

We understand D. B. Bakke has purchased a couple of acres of land of Mrs. Sollom, just south of her residence, and will build a fine house thereon during the summer. Thus our little village is growing.

Important Telegram

New York, Jan. 18th

To Rev. Tollevs, Warren, Minn.

Cables just received indicate need more urgent than heretofore realized. Official advices report not more than one-fourth of the four million of deported Armenians can survive winter if quick relief is not sent. Prompt, generous action is necessary to save these ancient Christian races. Many counties have already gone over the top in advance of the Campaign. Can assure you that your effort in saving lives is abundantly worth while.

Signed
William H. Taft, H. Morgenthau
Chas. E. Hughes, Cleveland Dodge

Marshall County has been in the front ranks in every drive. We know she will retain that position of service and honor also in this drive to save from starvation millions of widowed women and helpless children.

Rev. A. T. Tollevs,
Marshall Co. Chairman.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will hold their yearly meeting at the church, at 2 o'clock sharp, on Thursday Jan. 30th. All are requested to meet promptly as officers are to be elected besides serving the lunches.

Holt Cafe!

Short order lunches, all hours
Bakery Goods all kinds for sale.

Confectionery
Candies Tobaccos Cigars
Soft Drinks

Olai Sovde - Holt

Chris Norbeck went to the cities Tuesday with a car of cattle for J. M. Swan.

Miss Amanda Mickelson visited her sister Mrs. Olson in T. R. Falls last Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. O. L. Monson of T. R. Falls came Wednesday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fosholm.

Theodore Olson came down from Spooner last week Thursday for a few days visit at home.

Dr. Froehlich was called Monday to see Mrs. Bennes who has been in poor health again, but is now better.

The Sweedish American State Bank at Warren has been incorporated under the name of The Warren National Bank, under which it will now transact business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steinhauer gave a party at their home Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hoad. The latter left Tuesday for their home in Duluth.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn., has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property.
Write him.

Telephone rates to all stations outside the state have been raised. It now costs 45 cents to talk 3 minutes to Grand Forks. The old rate was 25 cents for two minutes.

The telephone companies also raised the rates inside the state but were stopped by the railroad and warehouse commission and they are still scrapping over raising the rates.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet Saturday.

Services in Holt Sunday at 11, in East Valley at 3 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the
Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota.

Flowers Appreciated.

I wish to extend my thanks to the ladies of the Red Cross of Holt for the flowers sent me during my sickness. They were such a comfort to me in my loneliness and I appreciate the kindness of the ladies more than I can tell.

Mrs. Racine Olson.

Red Cross Report

Of the East Valley Auxiliary for the months of December and January.

The following ladies knit one sweater apiece:
Mesdames C. L. Erickson, A. C. Jahr, O. B. Johnson, C. A. Surmo, Ole Lunke, J. H. Knutson, Olaus Rodahl, Nels Gudvangen, Misses Anna Wilson and Tillie Knutson.

One pair of socks, each:
Mesdames O. M. Larson, N. Gudvangen, Ed Furr.

Underwear:
Mesdames, J. H. Knutson, 4 garments, W. A. Silbaugh 2, C. A. Surmo 2, A. C. Jahr 2.

Holt Red Cross Auxiliary.

A shipment was made to Warren Jan. 11th. Garments were made by the ladies as follows: Comfort bags, Mrs. Adams 3, Gladys Flak 3, Mayme Flak 4; Chemise, Agnes Bakke 1; Napkins, Mrs. H. Peterson 8; 1 pair of socks each by Mesdames W. A. Lindahl, B. J. Bakke, M. B. Fitch, R. L. Adams and Margaret Ohm, also 1 pair with no name.

Petticoats, for relief work, Mesdames Sandberg 1, Docken 2, Hagberg 1, Adams 2, Misses Elizabeth Newton, 1 Martha Peterson 1, Helen Johnson 2.

The 4th meeting of this year was held with Mrs. B. J. Bakke and ten children's petticoats were completed.

The next meeting was held with Mrs. J. Nelson Jan. 15th.

Mrs. C. Christianson will have the next meeting at her home Jan. 29th at 7:30 P. M. All members are welcome to attend these meetings.

Ten more petticoats were received this week and are being finished for shipment to-day (Jan. 24).

Stock Feed for Sale!

We have on hand a quantity of corn flour, corn meal, rice flour, barley flour and rolled oats, which we will sell at regular feed prices. Try some of this for your stock.

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
Holt, Minn.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmer's Co-operative Creamery Co., of Holt, Minn., for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held in the Woodman Hall in Holt, Minn., Saturday January 25th 1919, commencing at one o'clock P. M.

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Southeast of Holt.

Arthur Gutterud was taken suddenly sick last week and was taken to the Physicians hospital at T. R. Falls where he was operated upon upon for a ruptured appendix. His condition was very serious but, we hope the little fellow will soon be well again.

Mrs. G. Nustvold and family entertained a number of friends and relatives on Sunday.

Mrs. Jacob Klungnes spent a few days with her daughters Constance and Amanda who are attending the Lincoln high school.

Targe Sordahl returned from Camp Forest Ga. on Tuesday. He had become so badly crippled up from inflammatory rheumatism on his way home, that he had to be taken to the hospital at T. R. Falls. He was also operated upon for the removal of his tonsils on Saturday. He is getting along nicely, and expects to be home in a couple of days.

Ida Gutterud spent a couple days in T. R. Falls last week visiting her brother Arthur at the hospital, and her sister Thea who is attending the Lincoln high school.

Bertha Sorum is working at the home of her cousin J. J. Sorum at Silverton.

Gunda Moe spent last week visiting her sister Thora who is attending the Lincoln high school. She also visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Swanson at Silverton and other friends.

Mrs. Elmer Odie of Golden Valley visited at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson, returning to her home on Sunday, accompanied by her brother Ludvic Larson who recently rehurtnned from Camp Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Sordahl visited their son Targe at the hospital in T. R. Falls last Saturday.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on
Tuesday Feb. 4th

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00	Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00	Porcelain $5.00
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Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in The Holt Weekly News.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.09
Oats	.52
Barley	.62 to .70
Rye	1.33
Flour, Best Patent	5.60

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Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 36

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Holt, Minn.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors [illegible] ly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
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Complete Line
of
CASKETS
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Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
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Marshall County Campaign Jan. 26th to Feb. 1st. to raise funds for the relief of the starving Armenians and Syrians. Mr. Docken is chairman for this village.

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There's little peace when your kidneys are weak and while at first there may be nothing more serious than dull backache, sharp, stabbing pains, headaches, dizzy spells and kidney irregularities, you must act quickly to avoid the more serious trouble, dropsy, gravel, heart disease, Bright's disease. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that is so warmly recommended everywhere by grateful users.

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"How fortunate!" exclaimed the superior small boy whose father was working on a miniature engine.

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"That our tastes in toys are so similar."

Cole's Carbolisalve Quickly Relieves and heals burning, itching and torturing skin diseases. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Heals without scars. 25c and 50c. Ask your druggist, or send 25c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill., for a pkg. Adv.

For Hygienic Reasons.

Teacher (reading)—Water, water everywhere and not a drop to drink. Why was that so, Bobby?

Bobby—Because there were no individual drinking cups.—Boston Evening Transcript.

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Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Out of the Question.

Mrs. Justwed—If your husband's judgment should differ from yours what would you do?

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On retiring gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Make them your every-day toilet preparations and have a clear skin and soft, white hands.—Adv.

A miser is a man who carries his money in a purse that closes more easily than it opens.

Weekly Health Talks

What Doctor Pierce Has Done for Humanity

BY DOCTOR CRIPPS.

It has always seemed to me that Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., should be placed near the top when a list of America's great benefactors is written. He studied and conquered human diseases to a degree that few realize. Whenever he found a remedy that overcame disease, he at once announced it in the newspapers and told where it could be bought at a small price. He did not follow the usual custom of keeping the ingredients secret, so that the rich only could afford to buy the medicine, but openly printed the name of each root and herb he used. And so today the names of Dr. Pierce and his medicines are widely known, and they stand for better health and better citizenship.

One of this great physician's most successful remedies is known as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. These are little, sugar-coated pills, composed of Mayapple, leaves of aloe, root of jalap—things that Nature grows in the ground. These Pellets are safe because they move the bowels gently, leaving no bad after-effects, as so many pills do. Very often they make a person who takes them feel like a new man or woman, for they cleanse the intestines of hard, decayed and poisonous matter that accumulates when one is costive. If you are constipated, by all means go to your druggist and get some of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They may prove to be the very thing your system requires to make you well and happy.

STATE BREVITIES

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has announced the appointment of Ezra R. Smith as municipal judge of Crosby to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of D. J. Severance.

Paynesville. — Hoel Bros., proprietors of the Pioneer store here, have purchased the large department store of Baer Bros., at Frazee, Minn., one of the largest in that territory.

East Grand Forks.—Supt. F. E. Lurton of the city schools is preparing an account of "East Grand Forks in the World War," which he hopes to publish in book form and also deposit with the Minnesota State Historical society for future reference.

Bemidji.—Four boys at the Central school, Julius Goldberg, Robert Graham, Lawrence Burns and Owen Webster, enriched the Junior Red Cross fund $3.32 when they secured permission from the principal to give an entertainment of lantern slides.

Minneapolis. — Carleton L. Wallace, state senator from the Thirty-fourth district, comprising the Eighth ward, passed away at his home in this city. Senator Wallace is the second member of this year's senate who has died since the session convened. Senator Harry F. Weis of Le Sueur died previously.

St. Paul.—Maj. J. W. Edwards, St. Paul, has resigned as assistant adjutant general. The resignation was accepted immediately by Adjt. Gen. F. H. Rhinow, who appointed Sergt. J. C. LeClaire, St. Paul, to the position. Capt. M. C. Nolan, son of Senator W. A. Nolan, Grand Meadow, was appointed to fill Sergeant LeClaire's place.

LeSueur.—At a caucus of 150 local citizens, C. N. Cosgrove, who has been connected with the State Fair board, was selected as a candidate to make the race for state senator from Le-Sueur county to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of Senator Harry P. Weis. It is expected Governor Burnquist will call a special election soon to select Weis' successor.

St. Paul.—More carloads of immigrant movables passing through Minnesota Transfer during December were consigned to Minnesota points than to destinations in other states, according to Fred D. Sherman, state commissioner of immigration. Out of a total of 150 cars, 66 were to Minnesota points, 23 to Iowa, 17 to Wisconsin, 9 to Illinois and 7 to Canadian stations.

St. Paul.—John B. Sanborn, St. Paul, has resumed the duties of state insurance commissioner, the office from which he resigned early in October to enter military service. C. Lewis Weeks, Minneapolis, state insurance commissioner in the interim, again became deputy attorney general, and Egbert S. Oakley, Duluth, left that office to continue as assistant in the staff of Attorney General Clifford L. Hilton.

Minneapolis. — The annual meeting of the Minnesota Federation of County Fairs was held at the Hotel Dyckman in this city. There were about 175 "fair" men, who had come together from every county in the state. George E. Hanscom of St. Cloud, R. F. Hall of Minneapolis and Charles F. Serline of Mora were re-elected president, secretary and treasurer, respectively. John Stoneburg of Cambridge was elected vice president.

Pine City.—The Pine county board elected Robert Derr of Pine City, chairman. The salary of Sheriff Hawley was raised from $1,700 to $2,000 per year, and the salary of County Attorney Ervin from $1,300 to $1,500 per year, while the salary of County Superintendent of Schools Miller is fixed by law at $12.50 per school, and he will receive about $1,900, besides traveling expenses. The board voted $500 in aid of the county fair society.

St. Paul.—Virtually the whole session of the annual convention of the state association of registers of deeds in St. Paul was devoted to discussion of the fees for handling documents in the smaller counties. It is probable that the next session of the legislature will be asked to increase some of the fees. C. E. Tuttle of Hastings was elected president, A. W. Skog of Minneapolis, vice president, and George W. Thompson, Faribault, secretary.

St. Paul.—Minnesota's 437,400 school children are to join in a national tournament designed to improve the health of the millions of American children who will enter the lists with the idea not only of washing their hands before each meal but of washing their ears and necks at least once daily. The grand tournament in Minnesota, the dates of which are from February 9 to May 24—fifteen weeks—is to be carried out under the joint co-operation of the Minnesota Public Health association, representing the Modern Health Crusaders, the Junior Red Cross, Little Citizens' league, the Boys' and Girls' clubs of the agricultural extension division of the University of Minnesota, and other organizations representative of young America.

Minneapolis.—A petition signed by hundreds of Minnesota agriculturists will be presented to Governor Burnquist asking that the state conspiracy statutes be amended so that farmers may meet with dealers to decide on prices to be paid for farm products, it is reported.

Glencoe.—Dr. Herman A. Bohles, who was forced to carry the American flag at the head of the peace celebration parade last November on account of his un-American attitude during the war, was indicted by the McLeod county grand jury on a charge of practicing medicine without a license.

Duluth.—George Sprague, 32 years old, of West Duluth, drove head-on with an automobile into a rapidly moving streetcar here and was instantly killed.

Grand Marais. — Miss Schaller, 27, who taught in the local school last season, died from the effects of influenza at Jackson, Mich., recently. She was a daughter of Judge Schaller of St. Paul.

St. Paul.—Receipt by Representative W. A. Pittenger of Duluth, grand master of the state I. O. O. F., of a check for $600 brought the total sum received for the Northern Minnesota fire sufferers from that order to $18,000.

Minneapolis.—With 1,500 chickens, pigeons and rabbits on display, the thirty-third annual show of the Minnesota State Poultry association was held in the armory. Three hundred and fifty pigeons, the biggest exhibit ever seen in the Northwest, were on exhibition.

St. Cloud.—J. M. Leticon, 37, a granite cutter, met instant death while walking with Jack Smith, along the tracks in the Great Northern yards, when a box car which had been shunted onto the track struck him and knocked him down. The wheel passed over his neck, nearly cutting the head from the trunk.

St. Paul.—Seventy thousand workers have been placed in Minnesota by the Federal Employment service since its organization last August, according to reports made to Hugo V. Koch, state director. In addition, approximately 7,000 men and women were recruited in this state for direct war work in other communities.

Hastings. — Following indictments by the Dakota county grand jury on a charge of offering false evidence in the recent election contest against his opponent, Ralph W. Downs of South St. Paul, Peter A. Hoffman of Hastings, former auditor, was arraigned in the district court and his trial set for February 17. He was released on $2,500 bail.

Fergus Falls. — Otter Tail county commissioners adopted a resolution approving the Babcock state highway plan. The board also voted to construct a road from Fergus Falls southwestward to the Douglas county line at a cost of $103,000, having received notice that the United States government would appropriate $45,000 towards the cost of the road.

St. Paul.—The board of directors of the Minnesota State Automobile association at a meeting held at the St. Paul Athletic club adopted resolutions indorsing the plan for a state trunk highway system as proposed by C. M. Babcock, commissioner of highways, and pledged the association to favor an increased tax on motor vehicles in a sufficient sum to finance the proposition.

Grand Rapids. — Sessions of the Northern Minnesota Development association closed with a program devoted to sheep-raising prospects in cutover regions. Cass Lake was selected as the place for the summer meeting and Duluth for next November. The officers elected were R. R. Wise, Brainerd, president; Charles Scheers, Akeley, vice president, and Fred T. Lincoln, Brainerd, secretary.

Roseau.—Theo. Anenson, a young soldier stationed at Camp Forrest, Ga., was brought here in care of another soldier. The young man was ill, mentally, and he was turned over to the county authorities. His mind seemed to be more or less blank and he had only a hazy idea where his folks are located. His home was finally located in Beltrami county, northeast of Roosevelt, and he was taken there.

Duluth.—Ten men, out on their honor for five months after their conviction last fall in federal court here on bootlegging charges, voluntarily returned for sentence. They were given terms in jail ranging from 24 hours to four months by Judge Page Morris. Waino Kutilla, charged with failure to register for the draft, was given 24 hours in jail. He has an aged father whom he supports and the court was lenient with him.

St. Paul. — Regardless of whether jobs are waiting for them, 85,000 men returning to Minnesota from military service, all will be listed in the placement system inaugurated by federal, state and local employment agencies. Community agents will be required to report on each soldier and sailor returning from service to their respective districts. Many reports already have been received and the work is progressing satisfactorily, but no figures are available.

St. Paul.—With nearly $1,000,000 worth of military equipment authorized by the federal government for the Minnesota National guard, assurance that the state military organization will be reorganized under direction of the War department was given by Major H. L. Brady, federal property and disbursing officer for Minnesota, on his return from Washington. The announcement is taken to indicate that the three infantry regiments and the field artillery regiment, the state's former National guard strength, will be recruited soon. Thirty thousand dollars' worth of tentage will be shipped to the state soon, Major Brady said.

Little Falls. — The new Morrison county board of commissioners organized by electing Henry Gassert, chairman, and D. Rocheleau, vice chairman. The county attorney's salary was raised to $2,000 per year and that of the sheriff to $1,900, a raise of $200 per annum in each instance.

East Grand Forks.—Another fire of unknown origin within three weeks broke out in the second story of George Downham's confectionery on De Mers avenue, and for a time threatened to burn it to the ground. The fire department brought the flames under control.

SEE CANADA LANDS

Inspection of Choice Farm Acres Will Be Profitable.

Cost Only a Trifle Compared to Possible Benefit to Be Derived—"Ye Happy Fields, Unknown to Noise and Strife, The Kind Rewarders of Industrial Life"—John Gay.

There are thousands today looking for farms to buy, and with the hundreds of thousands of acres offered for sale, there is no lack of opportunities. But there are all classes of lands, good, bad, and indifferent, much of each. The government of the Dominion of Canada has no land for sale, but within the boundaries of the Dominion there are unlimited acres of choice land owned by railway and land companies and private individuals. It holds no brief for any, nor are any of them clients. But it is to the interest of the Dominion to have the hundreds of thousands of acres placed under cultivation, for every acre thus cultivated adds to the revenue which helps pay the government of the country. It is with the purpose of setting forth the agricultural advantages that Canada, especially Western Canada, possesses, that attention is drawn to the fact. The purpose is to place before the reader truthful statements, and advise the prospective settler as to the necessity to investigate and inspect, leaving to his own deduction the matter of his selection. Once he decides, the government will render him any further information necessary as to location, prices and value of land, and assist him in every way possible to become settled.

The cost of a trip to Western Canada, to any portion of the three provinces—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—specially indicated in this work, is but a trifle compared with the benefits that a personal inspection may give. Therefore the advice is to do so. Low rates on railways will be arranged and every opportunity afforded for giving the country a thorough and careful examination. It may be that you wish an improved farm, all ready for occupation and cultivation; you may want raw prairie, which only requires plowing and the other preparation necessary for a seed bed, leaving it to yourself to erect your buildings, sink your well, prepare your garden, and ascertain how close you are to school, church, town and market. You may wish to go into mixed farming, combining the raising of stock with the growing of grain. In this case you will look out for some shelter from sun, wind and storm, and want a farm a portion of which may be cultivated for grain, and pasture fields connected with it. You may make this out of the open level prairie, but you will do better to secure a partially wooded lot, where water and pasture are already at hand. You may wish to go into the raising of cattle, or sheep alone; then you will care less for the open prairie, but select something that may cost you less in the more northerly districts. No matter what you may want, unless it be land upon which to grow cotton, bananas or other tropical or semi-tropical products, your inspection trip will reveal to you that Western Canada possesses possibilities beyond which any literature you may read advises you.—Advertisement.

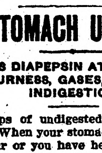
Every flower, even the fairest, has its shadow beneath it as it swings in the sunlight.—Anon.

The proof of a woman's temper is the arrival of an unexpected guest to dinner.

STOMACH UPSET?

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN AT ONCE ENDS SOURNESS, GASES, ACIDITY, INDIGESTION.

Lumps of undigested food causing pain. When your stomach is acid, gassy, sour or you have heartburn, flatulence, headache or dyspepsia, here is instant relief—No waiting!



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RUSSIAN PLIGHT BEFORE ENVOYS

French Ambassador to Petrograd, Just Returned, Is Heard by Peace Council.

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Much Definite Headway Gained in Composing Plans for League of Nations—President Wilson Is Guest of French Senate.

Paris, Jan. 21.—President Wilson was the guest of the French senate at luncheon. He was greeted by Antonin Dubost, the president, who made an eulogistic address, in which he said that the senate welcomed the president and his ideas.

M. Sazinov, former Russian foreign minister, had numerous conferences with peace conference representatives.

The coldest weather of the winter is prevailing in Paris.

Paris, Jan. 20.—The situation in Russia was taken up by the supreme council of the peace conference at its session. Joseph Moulens, the French ambassador to Russia, was present at the meeting and addressed it on the Russian question.

Official Statement Issued.

The text of the official communique is as follows:

"The president of the United States of America and the prime minister of the Allied governments, assisted by Baron Mikino and the Japanese ambassador in Paris, met at the Quai D'Orsay between 10:30 a. m. and 12 m.

"M. Noulens, the French ambassador to Russia, who returned a few days ago from Archangel, addressed the meeting and gave particulars of the situation in Russia.

"The next meeting will take place Tuesday at 10:30 a. m., to hear the remarks of M. Scavenius, the Danish minister in Petrograd, who left the Russian capital very recently."

League Plans Compared.

Marked progress is being made in the business of comparing various plans for the formation of a League of Nations, and harmonizing them into a unity of ideas which can be taken up as a concrete proposition.

Much headway in this direction was made at a conference at the Murat residence, which was attended by President Wilson, Lord Robert Cecil, the British representative charged with working out of a plan for a League of Nations; Leon Bourgeois, the French proponent of a plan for such an organization, and General Jan Christian Smuts, who has formulated a plan for a league.

Still in Formative Stage.

Preliminary conversations over the structure of the League of Nations are, strictly speaking, still in the stage of being discussed in meetings of the supreme council and are not technically before the peace conference as a whole, but the fact that the congress has advanced this question to the foremost place in its program is taken to indicate that such progress is being made in the supreme council as to warrant the expectation that a definite and somewhat detailed program will be soon evolved.

25 Days Left to Wilson.

With a definite plan formed for erecting a structure upon which the nations can agree, there are about 25 working days remaining of the time that President Wilson has allotted himself for work in France before leaving for home. The question being asked is whether he can in this comparatively short time bring the nations together in an agreement for a society of nations.

ASKED TO CUT COST OF FOOD

Resolution in Congress Demands Why Agreements Remain.

Washington, Jan 21. — Congress is being flooded with appeals for action to reduce the cost of living, sent skyward during the war.

There is a storm brewing over the policy in continuing, with the war ended, a high minimum price of foodstuffs under war legislation designed to stimulate production. This agitation is destined to crop out when the administration sends to congress the bill to appropriate $1,250,000,000 for stabilizing the wheat price.

Representative N. J. Gould of New York has introduced a resolution in the house calling upon the food administration to state the "economic reasons which warrant the continuing of agreements that fix the prices of food products, and explain the reasons for continuing a practice which evidently is directly responsible for the high cost of living to the consumer, together with detailed information as to the number and scope of all such existing agreements."

May Free Foe Prisoners.

Amsterdam, Jan. 21.—Replying to a letter from Mathias Erzberger, head of the German armistice delegation, urging the return of German prisoners of war and relaxation of trade restrictions between occupied and unoccupied Germany, Marshal Foch said he intended to recommend the return of prisoners most deserving sympathy and was prepared to permit an exchange of food between occupied and unoccupied Germany to an extent which would obviate unemployment and consequent disturbances.

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels needs a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhœa, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

Pythagoras, when he was asked what time was, answered that it was the soul of this world.—Platonic Questions.

Cure pimples, headache, bad breath by taking May Apple, Aloe, Jalap rolled into a tiny sugar pill called Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

No Response.

During the period before Christmas when all good boys were waiting for Santa Claus to come, William, age four and the pride of the household at the home of Dr. W. M. McGaughey of Greencastle, was attempting to learn his prayers. The mother worked with him each night, but invariably William would put in a word or leave one out. One night when he was terribly mixed on his prayer his father, who had retired in an adjoining room overheard the mother correct William and tell him to try the prayer once more. This was his answer: "Mother, why can't I just sneak off to bed and not say my prayers like dad does?" "Dad" says there was no response.—Indianapolis News.

Sword Deadlier Than Gun.

In spite of the long casualty lists of the present war, fought with all the fiendish contrivances of modern science, the destruction of life is not so great in proportion to earlier wars when soldiers fought hand-to-hand. The most deadly of all weapons was the Roman short sword. Caesar reported that, at the battle he fought near Namur, his soldiers slew 60,000 of the Nervii. There were no wounded when the weapon was the short sword. As men began to fight at longer range, the death lists grew shorter. It is an axiom of modern war that it costs a marksman his own weight in lead to kill one of the enemy.—People's Home Journal.

If a married man is willing to pose as an "angel" his wife will enact all the other parts in the show.

Save Sugar by eating Grape-Nuts as your cereal dish

This standard food needs no added sweetening for it is rich in its own sugar, developed from wheat and barley by the special Grape-Nuts process of cooking.

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SUPPLEMENT TO
HOLT WEEKLY NEWS,
Holt, Minn.

Official Proceedings of the County Board, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Annual meeting Jan. 7th and 8th A. D. 1919.

Meeting called to order by the Auditor at 10 o'clock A. M.

Members present Lodoen, Enge, Torgerson, Rokke and Olson.

Motion made and seconded that O. Enge be elected Chairman.

Having received a unanimous vote, Enge was elected Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

Motion made and seconded that A. S. Rokke be elected Vice Chairman.

Having received a unanimous vote, Rokke was elected Vice Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

The Board proceeded to select a list of persons to serve as Grand and Petit Jurors:

Certified List of Jurors.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall—ss.

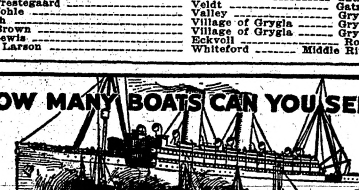
I, O. Enge, Chairman of the County Board of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the following is a correct list of the names of persons, properly qualified, selected from the qualified electors of the several election districts of said County by said County Board at their annual session, held on the 7th day of January A. D. 1919, to serve as Petit Jurors in the District Court of the 14th Judicial District, in and for said County of Marshall, according to law.

Dated this 7th day of January A. D. 1919.

O. ENGE,
Chairman County Board.

Attest:
A. G. LUNDGREN,
County Auditor and ex-officio Clerk of Board.

NAMES	TOWNSHIP	P. O. ADDRESS
G. B. Nord	City of Warren	Warren, Minn.
L. M. Olson	City of Warren	Warren, Minn.
Oscar Person	City of Warren	Warren, Minn.
Aug. Prellwitz	Boxville	Warren, Minn.
D. Cheney	Boxville	Warren, Minn.
J. Alstrom	Boxville	Warren, Minn.
V. Cederlund	Warrenton	Warren, Minn.
Geo. Copp	Warrenton	Warren, Minn.
Noble Nichols	Warrenton	Warren, Minn.
Ole Swanson	Warrenton	Warren, Minn.
J. Rymer	Warrenton	Warren, Minn.
J. J. Olson	McCrea	Warren, Minn.
H. L. Palmer	McCrea	Warren, Minn.
W. H. Grange	McCrea	Warren, Minn.
Ole L. Olson	McCrea	Warren, Minn.
R. Osvald	McCrea	Warren, Minn.
M. L. Warner	McCrea	Warren, Minn.
P. Turnlund	Comstock	Radium, Minn.
Harry R. Carlson	Comstock	Radium, Minn.
Carl Dahlin	Comstock	Radium, Minn.
Chas. Loeslie	Comstock	Radium, Minn.
Leonard Lull	Comstock	Radium, Minn.
W. Potucek	Comstock	Radium, Minn.
Emil Gustafson	Viking	Viking, Minn.
Lewis Halvorson	Viking	Viking, Minn.
J. Lindquist	Viking	Viking, Minn.
Ole J. Mebust	Viking	Viking, Minn.
Oscar Forsberg	New Solum	Viking, Minn.
C. Evenson	New Solum	Newfolden, Minn.
J. E. Hellquist	New Solum	Newfolden, Minn.
Henry Gunderson	Village of Oslo	Oslo, Minn.
John Espeseth	Village of Oslo	Oslo, Minn.
C. J. Johnson	Village of Oslo	Oslo, Minn.
M. O. Kleven	Village of Oslo	Oslo, Minn.
C. O. Olson	Village of Alvarado	Alvarado, Minn.
Carl Holt	Village of Alvarado	Alvarado, Minn.
John Smith	Village of Alvarado	Alvarado, Minn.
I. N. Lodoen	Village of Alvarado	Alvarado, Minn.
Knut Overlid	Oak Park	Oslo, Minn.
N. A. Nelson	Oak Park	Oslo, Minn.
Anton Swanson	Oak Park	Oslo, Minn.
Emil Olson	Oak Park	Oslo, Minn.
Albert Iverson	Oak Park	Oslo, Minn.
Andrew Oseth	Bigwoods	Oslo, Minn.
Ole Ramon	Bigwoods	Oslo, Minn.
Henry Aasand	Bigwoods	Argyle, Minn.
Emil Morberg	Bigwoods	Oslo, Minn.
Geo. Stewart	Bigwoods	Oslo, Minn.
Albert Buro	Fork	Fork, Minn.
Thor. Hellickson	Fork	Fork, Minn.
Jorgen Brosdahl	Fork	Fork, Minn.
Chas. E. Westberg	Vega	Warren, Minn.
Alfred Hill	Vega	Alvarado, Minn.
F. C. Hickman	Vega	Warren, Minn.
Aug. Hagglund	Vega	Alvarado, Minn.
John Forslund	Vega	Warren, Minn.
Fredolf Dahlin	Bloomer	Argyle, Minn.
Louis Larsen	Bloomer	Argyle, Minn.
Ole Olson	Augsburg	Stephen, Minn.
Fred Pearson	Augsburg	Stephen, Minn.
O. O. Carlson	Augsburg	Strandquist, Minn.
Herman Bartels	Sinnott	Stephen, Minn.
Alphonse E. Johnson	Sinnott	Stephen, Minn.
G. A. Anderson	Sinnott	Stephen, Minn.
George W. Avery	Donnelly	Stephen, Minn.
Martin Grim	Donnelly	Stephen, Minn.
John W. Olson	Wanger	Argyle, Minn.
John Williams	Wanger	Stephen, Minn.
Ellis Olson	Wanger	Argyle, Minn.
Matt. M. Hanson	Tamarac	Stephen, Minn.
H. A. Schantzen	Tamarac	Stephen, Minn.
Christ Alt	Tamarac	Stephen, Minn.
Henry Durand	Village of Stephen	Stephen, Minn.
David Carnegie	Village of Stephen	Stephen, Minn.
John H. Burlum	Village of Stephen	Stephen, Minn.
C. F. Adolphson	Alma	Argyle, Minn.
John Hagfeldt	Alma	Argyle, Minn.
Nels Haakenson	Alma	Argyle, Minn.
Carl Martinson	Middle River	Argyle, Minn.
Carl Olson	Middle River	Argyle, Minn.
Chas. Wallin	Middle River	Argyle, Minn.
Alfred Willer	Foldahl	Argyle, Minn.
John O. Haugen	Foldahl	Argyle, Minn.
T. M. Lewis	Foldahl	Argyle, Minn.
A. W. Hedrick	Village of Argyle	Argyle, Minn.
Alfred Paulson	Village of Stephen	Argyle, Minn.
H. P. Krogh	Village of Argyle	Argyle, Minn.
C. P. Warner	Village of Stephen	Stephen, Minn.
Alfred Elseth	West Valley	Newfolden, Minn.
Holger Haugaard	West Valley	Strandquist, Minn.
Otto Hjelle	West Valley	Newfolden, Minn.
Knut Haugen	New Maine	Jevne, Minn.
John Lee	New Maine	Newfolden, Minn.
Victor Sjoblom	Nelson Park	Strandquist, Minn.
Lars Torgerson	Nelson Park	Strandquist, Minn.
Sam Haugen	Wright	Strandquist, Minn.
Jens Hunstad	Wright	Argyle, Minn.
A. B. Isaacson	Huntly	Middle River, Minn.
Erick Wold	Huntly	Middle River, Minn.
Gotfred Spjut	East Park	Karlstad, Minn.
N. K. Braaflodt	Lincoln	Strandquist, Minn.
Ben Johnson	Lincoln	Strandquist, Minn.
P. O. Sanderson	Lincoln	Strandquist, Minn.
Ole L. Olson	Spruce Valley	Middle River, Minn.
E. L. Ingalls	Spruce Valley	Middle River, Minn.
August Anderson	Spruce Valley	Middle River, Minn.
Tollef Tunheim	New Folden	Newfolden, Minn.
Nels Anderson	New Folden	Newfolden, Minn.
Nels Ekman	New Folden	Newfolden, Minn.
Arnold Folden	New Folden	Newfolden, Minn.
S. E. Finnestad	Newfolden, Village	Newfolden, Minn.
John O. Bakke	Newfolden, Village	Newfolden, Minn.
Petter A. Dyrud	Newfolden, Village	Newfolden, Minn.
Knut Nelson	Middle River, Vil.	Middle River, Minn.
L. H. Olson	Middle River, Vil.	Middle River, Minn.
M. N. Gullikson	Middle River, Vil.	Middle River, Minn.
Sam Groven	Agder	Thief River Falls, Minn.
Anton Johnson	Cedar	Middle River, Minn.
Otto Krantz	Cedar	Middle River, Minn.
Severt Anderson	Como	Middle River, Minn.
Gunder Christoferson	Espelie	Esplee, Minn.
Swenke G. Swenkeson	East Valley	Holt, Minn.
Hans Stensrud	East Valley	Holt, Minn.
G. L. Leisner	Excel	Thief River Falls, Minn.
John Simonson	Excel	Holt, Minn.
Martin Grondal	Holt	Holt, Minn.
O. H. Norhe	Holt	Holt, Minn.
Ole J. Backlund	Village of Holt	Holt, Minn.
Will Wayne	Grand Plain	Germantown, Minn.
Albert Wilkins	Moylan	Esplee, Minn.
Pit Bjerken	Moylan	Esplee, Minn.
John Lamporter	Moylan	Goodridge, Minn.
Andrew P. Amundson	Linsell	Randen, Minn.
Chas. Zeidlik	Moose River	Homolka, Minn.
Elmer Odie	Mud Lake	Golden Valley, Minn.
Clarence Larson	Mud Lake	Golden Valley, Minn.
Gust Berg	Rollis	Gatzke, Minn.
N. P. Mugaas	Rollis	Gatzke, Minn.
T. N. Prestegaard	Veldt	Gatzke, Minn.
Otto Hohle	Valley	Grygla, Minn.
R. Bush	Village of Grygla	Grygla, Minn.
F. A. Brown	Village of Grygla	Grygla, Minn.
C. E. Lewis	Eckvoll	Rollis, Minn.
Sigurd Larson	Whiteford	Middle River, Minn.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Certified List of Jurors.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall—ss.

I, O. Enge, Chairman of the County Board of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the following is a correct list of the names of persons, properly qualified, selected from the qualified electors of the several election districts of said County by said County Board at their annual session, held on the 7th day of January A. D. 1919, to serve as Grand Jurors in the District Court of the 14th Judicial District, in and for said County of Marshall, according to law.

Dated this 7th day of January A. D. 1919.

O. ENGE,
Chairman County Board.

Attest:
A. G. LUNDGREN,
County Auditor and ex-officio Clerk of Board.

NAMES	TOWNSHIP	P. O. ADDRESS
August A. Johnson	City of Warren	Warren, Minn.
L. Lamberson	City of Warren	Warren, Minn.
Nels Johnson	City of Warren	Warren, Minn.
Arthur Kurz	Boxville	Warren, Minn.
Elmer Johnson	Boxville	Warren, Minn.
Aaron Johnson	Warrenton	Warren, Minn.
F. E. Hickman	Warrenton	Warren, Minn.
Severt Knutson	McCrea	Warren, Minn.
Alfred B. Carlson	McCrea	Warren, Minn.
Frank Sedlacek	Comstock	Radium, Minn.
W. Lineman	Comstock	Radium, Minn.
C. A. Lindell	Viking	Viking, Minn.
C. L. Rud	Viking	Viking, Minn.
E. A. Silverness	New Solum	Newfolden, Minn.
Gustaf Nakken	New Solum	Newfolden, Minn.
Ole Lindstrom	Vega	Warren, Minn.
Chas. E. Randstrom	Vega	Alvarado, Minn.
Carl Rodquist	Vega	Warren, Minn.
J. A. Bjorklund	Vega	Alvarado, Minn.
A. E. Larson	Oak Park	Oslo, Minn.
Chas. Strandberg	Bloomer	Argyle, Minn.
And. Kittelson	Bloomer	Argyle, Minn.
C. J. Hammerback	Eagle Point	Drayton, N. Dak.
Aug. Nyberg	Eagle Point	Drayton, N. Dak.
Tollef Sparlsaas	Parker	Stephen, Minn.
Olaf Sundby	Parker	Argyle, Minn.
Halvor Gunderson	Oak Park	Oslo, Minn.
J. T. Imsdahl	Bigwoods	Oslo, Minn.
Chas. L. Larson	Bigwoods	Argyle, Minn.
Wm. Merdink	Village of Stephen	Stephen, Minn.
Henry Hoper, Sr.	Village of Stephen	Stephen, Minn.
Tollef Bagaas	Wanger	Stephen, Minn.
Frank Kuznia	Wanger	Stephen, Minn.
S. D. Lincoln	Augsburg	Stephen, Minn.
S. P. Jensen	Sinnott	Stephen, Minn.
Ed. Henderson	Sinnott	Stephen, Minn.
Ray Merdink	Donnelly	Stephen, Minn.
E. L. Dykeman	Tamarac	Stephen, Minn.
John Nelson	Alma	Argyle, Minn.
Frank Gorman	Middle River	Argyle, Minn.
Olof L. Swanberg	Foldahl	Argyle, Minn.
Lewis Lofgren	Foldahl	Argyle, Minn.
Donald Robertson	Village of Argyle	Argyle, Minn.
John Sinclaire	Village of Argyle	Argyle, Minn.
E. O. Rokke	West Valley	Newfolden, Minn.
Sam Dahl	West Valley	Strandquist, Minn.
L. P. Slattum	New Maine	Newfolden, Minn.
Ira Thompson	New Maine	Newfolden, Minn.
Christian Shefveland	New Folden	Newfolden, Minn.
Gilbert Olson	New Folden	Newfolden, Minn.
John Wawizyniak	Wright	Strandquist, Minn.
John Lindstrom	Wright	Strandquist, Minn.
Christ Eskildson	East Park	Karlstad, Minn.
Ole Thompson	Lincoln	Strandquist, Minn.
Otto Anderson	Spruce Valley	Newfolden, Minn.
John Nordlum	Spruce Valley	Middle River, Minn.
Arvid Carlson	Newfolden, Village	Newfolden, Minn.
John Phillipson	Middle River, Vil.	Middle River, Minn.
S. S. Kolden	Agder	Holt, Minn.
Palmer P. Lund	Eckvoll	Gatzke, Minn.
Paul P. Sund	Espelie	Espelee, Minn.
Carl Larson	Excel	Thief River Falls, Minn.
John Whitman	Excel	Thief River Falls, Minn.
L. H. Hamre	Grand Plain	Germantown, Minn.
H. O. Ekerdalen	Holt	Holt, Minn.
Andrew Olson	Cedar	Middle River, Minn.
Christ Larmo	Como	Middle River, Minn.
Stephen Paulson	Linsell	Skime, Minn.
Ed. I. Monson	Moose River	Randen, Minn.
H. C. Naeseth	Rollis	Gatzke, Minn.
John Olberg	Whiteford	Middle River, Minn.
Otto Lee	Valley	Grygla, Minn.

Commissioner A. S. Rokke offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the salary for the Sheriff for the year 1919 be fixed in the sum of $2,000.00.

Commissioner C. T. Olson seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Commissioner A. S. Rokke offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the salary for the Register of Deeds for the year 1919 be fixed in the sum of $1,500.00.

Commissioner C. T. Olson seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Commissioner A. N. Lodoen offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the salary of the County Superintendent of Schools for the year 1919 be fixed in the sum of $2,000.00.

Commissioner Ole Torgerson seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Commissioner Ole Torgerson offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the salary of the County Attorney for the year 1919 be fixed in the sum of $2,000.00.

Commissioner A. N. Lodoen seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Commissioner C. T. Olson offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the salary of the Assistant County Superintendent of Schools for the year 1919 be fixed in the sum of $90.00 per month.

Commissioner Ole Torgerson seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Commissioner C. T. Olson offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the Clerk hire of the Judge of Probate for the year 1919 be fixed at $400.00 and the further sum of $200.00 as Clerk hire in connection with Inheritance Tax matters.

Commissioner A. S. Rokke seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Commissioner A. N. Lodoen offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the sum of $200.00 is hereby appropriated out of the General Revenue Fund for extra Clerk hire in the County Treasurer's office in connection with Inheritance Tax matters.

Commissioner C. T. Olson seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Commissioner C. T. Olson offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the sum of $1,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the General Revenue Fund as a contingent fund for the County Attorney.

Commissioner A. S. Rokke seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Commissioner C. T. Olson offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the sum of $350.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the General Revenue Fund as an Incidental Fund to the Auditor.

Commissioner A. S. Rokke seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Commissioner A. S. Rokke offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Mr. C. E. Grinder, Register of Deeds of Marshall County, having pursuant to Chapter 202 G. L. 1917, made his appointments of deputies and clerks in his office for the year 1919 and having recommended the salaries to be paid to each.

NOW THEREFORE it is hereby resolved that the appointments of Betsey M. Engelsrud and Bertha Knutson be approved, that Betsey M. Engelsrud be Deputy Register of Deeds and Bertha Knutson as Clerk, and that their salary be fixed in the sum of $70.00 per month each.

Commissioner Ole Torgerson seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Commissioner C. T. Olson offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the Auctioneer's License fee for the year 1919 be fixed at the sum of $10.00.

Commissioner A. S. Rokke seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Commissioner C. T. Olson offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the Ferry License fee for the year 1919 be fixed at the sum of $10.00.

Commissioner A. N. Lodoen seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

The Chairman announced the Committees appointed for the ensueing year as follows:

Committee on County Ditches: A. S. Rokke, A. N. Lodoen, Carl T. Olson, Ole Torgerson and O. Enge.

Committee on Buildings: O. Enge, A. N. Lodoen and Ole Torgerson.

Committee on Board of Health: A. N. Lodoen, A. S. Rokke and Dr. G. S. Wattam.

Purchasing Committee on Stationery and Printing: A. S. Rokke, Carl T. Olson and Ole Torgerson.

Committee on County Roads: O. Enge, Ole Torgerson, Carl T. Olson, A. S. Rokke and A. N. Lodoen.

Committee on State Roads: Ole Torgerson, Carl T. Olson, O. Enge, A. N. Lodoen and A. S. Rokke.

Committee on Judicial Ditches: A. N. Lodoen, O. Enge, Ole Torgerson, A. S. Rokke and Carl T. Olson.

On motion adjourned to Jan. 8th, 1919, at 9 o'clock A. M.

Jan. 8th, 1919, 9 o'clock A. M. Board reconvened. All members present.

VERIFICATION OF CURRENT TAX COLLECTIONS BY BOARD OF AUDIT

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners,
Marshall County, Minnesota.

Gentlemen:

The Board of Audit of Marshall County, respectfully report to your Honorable Body that they have examined the books, accounts and vouchers of the County Treasurer, counted and ascertained the kind, description and amount of funds in the treasury of said County, or belonging thereto, for the period from January 7th, 1918, to December 31st, 1918, both days inclusive. We find the Treasurer charged with the Tax Levy for 1917 as follows:

Tax Levy for 1917	$586,863.06	
Additions to Levey	None	
Total Debit		$586,863.06
Taxes collected	$531,180.07	
Taxes abated	155.83	
Total Credit		$531,024.24
Balance uncollected December 31st, 1918		$ 55,838.82

We hereby certify that we have verified the correctness of the foregoing statement by checking the duplicate receipts with the tax books for the period above named.

A. G. LUNDGREN,
County Auditor.
A. N. LODOEN,
Chairman, Board County Commissioners.
A. C. SWANDBY,
Clerk District Court.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners,
Marshall County, Minnesota.

Gentlemen:

The undersigned Board of Audit of said Marshall County, met at the office of the County Treasurer of said County on the 28th, 30th, 31st day of Dec., 1918, and 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 6th day of January A. D. 1919, for the purpose of examining and auditing the accounts, books and vouchers of Fred Bakke, Treasurer of said County, and to count and ascertain the kind, description and amount of funds in the County Treasury and belonging thereto. We respectfully make the following report thereon:

Treasurer's Receipts from (date of last report), Sept. 1st, 1918, to December 31st, 1918.

Balance in the Treasury	$149,016.07
From Tax collection	196,512.36
From Mtg. Reg. Tax	868.25
From Collections on Public Lands	6,558.17
From Collections on Private Redemption	8,284.53
From Collections from interest on County Funds	1,878.68
From Collections of Fines and Licenses	136.25
From Collections on Ditch Assessments	2,062.57
From Collections on Register of Deeds Fees	1,731.35
From School Apportionment and State aid	59,000.77
From Road and Bridge	18,780.92
From Inheritance Tax	372.00
From Tuberculosis Sanatorium	1,125.33
From Tax Penalty	3,414.81
From Teachers Pension	10.00
From Abstractor's Fees	210.25
Former years taxes	4,348.43
Total Balance and Receipts	$454,311.21

Disbursements from Sept. 1st, 1918, to Dec. 31st, 1918.

Paid Orders on Revenue Fund	$ 14,272.12
Paid Orders on Expense	197.69
Paid Warrants on Private Redemption Fund	5,789.94
Paid Warrants on Road and Bridge Fund	28,382.54
Paid Warrants on Tuberculosis Sanatorium	2,348.25
Paid Warrants on General Ditch Fund	86,506.63
Paid Warrants on Town Funds	32,207.56
Paid Warrants on School District Fund	98,596.51
Paid Warrants on State Taxes	17,206.51
Paid Warrants on Collections from Public Lands	2,694.55
Paid Warrants on County Agent	478.65
Paid Warrants on Teachers Insurance	1,361.34
Paid Warrants on Inheritance Tax	326.09
Paid Warrants on Bridge Bonds Fund	4,254.60
Paid Warrants on County Attorney Contingent	74.05
Balance at close of business Dec. 31st, 1918	$159,614.18
Total Disbursements and Balance	$454,311.21

Bank Deposits and Cash on Hand (to balance)

Cash in safe and drawer	$ 108.02
Cash items, checks, money orders	12,908.35
Deposited in State Bank, Warren	10,137.76
Deposited in State Bank, Viking	5,130.40
Deposited in Farmers & Merchants Bank, Argyle	6,597.85
Deposited in First National Bank, Warren	9,912.60
Deposited in State Bank, Stephen	6,138.40
Deposited in Scandia State Bank, Stephen	6,106.87
Deposited in First National Bank, Argyle	6,582.89
Deposited in Swedish American State Bank, Warren	8,465.47
Deposited in Farmers State Bank, Newfolden	5,114.80
Deposited in Citizens State Bank, Oslo	5,638.47
Deposited in First State Bank, Oslo	5,159.31
Deposited in State Bank, Alvarado	5,179.37
Deposited in Farmers State Bank, Alvarado	5,149.80
Deposited in State Bank, Middle River	5,418.02
Deposited in State Bank, Grygla	5,280.62
Deposited in Holt State Bank	5,040.50
Deposited in Farmers and Merchants State Bank, Strandquist	5,170.85
Deposited in Security State Bank, Middle River	5,174.49
Deposited in Peoples State Bank, Newfolden	5,593.85
Deposited in Farmers State Bank, Radium	5,314.22
Deposited in Farmers State Bank, Gatzke	5,133.53
Deposited in Farmers State Bank, Grygla	8,163.61
Deposited in Citizens State Bank, Grygla	5,240.15
Deposited in Citizens State Bank, Argyle	5,753.91
Total Funds	$159,614.18

Respectfully submitted this 6th day of January, 1919.

A. G. LUNDGREN,
County Auditor.
A. N. LODOEN,
Chairman, Board County Commissioners.
A. C. SWANDBY,
Clerk District Court.

On motion the Board proceeded to open bids for printing and the following bid was received:

Jan. 7th, 1919.

To the Honorable County Board of
Marshall County Minnesota.

Gentlemen:

The undersigned offers to do all county printing required to be done by and for Marshall County, Minnesota, during the year 1919 in the Warren Sheaf, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the City of Warren, Minnesota, at the following rates:

For publishing the Financial Statement, 70 cents per folio first insertion and 35 cents per folio for each subsequent insertion.

For publishing Delinquent Tax List, 15 cents per each description.

For publishing County Board Proceedings, 75 cents per folio.

For all other publications required by law, 75 cents per folio for first insertion, and 35 cents per folio for each subsequent insertion.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN P. MATTSON,
Publisher Warren Sheaf.

Commissioner A. N. Lodoen offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Whereas bids for the County Printing during the year 1919 having been called for and the County Board having opened, examined and considered all offers of publications filed pursuant thereto, and

Whereas the offer of John P. Mattson, publisher of the Warren Sheaf, was the lowest and best offer of publication and bid for County Printing for the year 1919, and Whereas the offer of said John P. Mattson is in words and figures as follows:

To the Honorable County Board of
Marshall County Minnesota.

Gentlemen:

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For publishing Delinquent Tax List, 15 cents per each description.

For publishing County Board Proceedings, 75 cents per folio.

For all other publications required by law, 75 cents per folio for first insertion, and 35 cents per folio for each subsequent insertion.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN P. MATTSON,
Publisher Warren Sheaf.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved that the said bid is hereby accepted and the Warren Sheaf is hereby designated as the Official Newspaper of Marshall County, Minnesota, for the year 1919, and the bond of said publisher for the publication of the Delinquent Tax List is hereby fixed in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars.

Commissioner Ole Torgerson seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Commissioner A. N. Lodoen offered the following resolution in writing and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the Warren Sheaf be and the same is hereby designated by the County Board of Marshall County, as the newspaper in which the notice and list of Real Estate Taxes remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1919, shall be published.

Commissioner Ole Torgerson seconded the motion and the same being put received a majority of the votes of the members of the County Board and was duly carried and was by the Chairman, then presiding, so declared.

Depository Bond of Citizens State Bank of Argyle was on motion approved.

Be it Resolved that the bonds of the following officers with the respective sureties thereon be and the same are hereby approvd, viz:

F. Bakke bond for $150,000.00 as County Treasurer, with the National Surety Co., Fidelity & Deposit Co. and the Aetna Accident & Liability Co., as sureties.

Irving E. Quist bond for $500.00 as County Surveyor, with the Lion Bonding & Surety Co., as sureties.

Chas. E. Grinder bond for $500.00 as Register of Deeds, with the Lion Bonding & Surety Co., as sureties.

Resolved that the annual reports of fees and emoluments of A. G. Lundgren, County Auditor; A. N. Eckstrom, County Attorney; Chas. E. Grinder, Register of Deeds; Peter H. Holm, Judge of Probate; A. C. Swandby, Clerk of Court; Hans C. Hanson, Sheriff; and Commissioners A. N. Lodoen, A. O. Fladeland, A. S. Rokke, C. F. Adolphson and O. Enge, be and the same are hereby approved.

Petition of John Dagoberg to be set off from School District No. 9 to School District No. 33, hearing granted to Feb. 25th, 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Examination of County Treasurer's Books and Accounts By the County Board, Marshall County, Minn.

Jan. 7th, 1919. All members of the Board present.

We do hereby certify and report, that we made an examination of the County Treasurer's books and accounts at the opening of business on the 7th day of January, 1919, and found the same as follows:

Cash Items, Money Orders and Checks	$ 2,215.47
Deposited in State Bank of Warren	11,291.02
Deposited in State Bank of Viking	5,143.66
Deposited in Farmers and Merchants Bank of Argyle	9,625.41
Deposited in First National Bank of Warren	11,434.19
Deposited in State Bank of Stephen	7,163.36
Deposited in Scandia State Bank of Stephen	7,129.87
Deposited in First National Bank of Warren	9,610.81
Deposited in Swedish American State Bank of Warren	7,946.43
Deposited in Farmers State Bank of Newfolden	5,127.80
Deposited in Citizens State Bank of Oslo	5,652.57
Deposited in First State Bank of Oslo	5,172.27
Deposited in State Bank of Alvarado	5,192.39
Deposited in Farmers State Bank of Alvarado	5,163.10
Deposited in State Bank of Middle River	5,433.23
Deposited in State Bank of Grygla	5,299.02
Deposited in Holt State Bank	5,053.52
Deposited in Farmers and Merchants Bank of Strandquist	5,185.45
Deposited in Security State Bank of Middle River	5,192.90
Deposited in Peoples State Bank of Newfolden	5,607.83
Deposited in Farmers State Bank of Radium	5,327.50
Deposited in Farmers State Bank of Gatzke	5,161.73
Deposited in Farmers State Bank of Grygla	8,163.61
Deposited in Citizens State Bank of Grygla	5,259.06
Deposited in Citizens State Bank of Argyle	6,780.39
Total Funds in Treasury January 7th, 1919	$160,332.59

By the Board of Marshall County, Minnesota

A. N. LODOEN
O. ENGE,
OLE TORGERSON,
A. S. ROKKE,
C. T. OLSON.

OFFICAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNTY BOARD, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINN.

Moved, seconded and carried that the Surety Bond of Olof Johnson, contractor for construction of County Ditch No. 27 be cancelled upon his filing a bond for $500.00 to complete all unfinished work, said bond to be executed to the satisfaction of County Auditor and County Attorney.

On motion the following bills were audited and allowed as follows:

Louis F. Dow Co., penholders for Auditor	$ .59
Fritz-Cross Co., Record for Judge of Probate	47.02
Fritz-Cross Co., receipts for Judge of Probate	6.09
Fritz-Cross Co., blanks for Judge of Probate	12.96
Free Press Co., Mortgage Record for Register of Deeds	38.25
Free Press Co., dating machine for Auditor	7.60
Miller-Davis Co., blanks for Clerk of Court	1.60
Kimball-Storer Co., supplies for County Officers	33.95
Kimball-Storer Co., tablets for Auditor	15.00
Kimball-Storer Co., receipts for County Treasurer	212.80
Kimball-Storer Co., stamp ink for Auditor	1.11
A. N. Lodoen, 7 days Board of Audit	21.00
A. G. Lundgren, 7 days Board of Audit	21.00
A. C. Swanson, 7 days Board of Audit	21.00
O. Enge, mileage Board meeting	4.60
Ole Torgerson, mileage Board meeting	5.00
A. S. Rokke, mileage Board meeting	11.60
C. T. Olson, mileage Board meeting	16.00
John P. Mattson printing Court Calender	40.00
Christ Hjelle, draying for year 1918	7.50
Peter H. Holm, cash paid on express, long distance calls	27.90
John P. Mattson, envelopes for Treasurer	105.68
C. E. Lewis, procuring General Election Ballots for Rollis	2.00
P. E. Stich, carrying General Election returns for Tamarac	1.40
K. J. Taralseth Co., supplies for Court House and Jail	123.87
John L. Dahlquist, procuring and carrying General Election ballots, for Warrenton	4.40
Reid-Geisler Mfg. Co., wicks	3.60
Wm. Neumann, making ventilators in Court House	6.25
A. J. Lofstrom, Tax Statements for Treasurer	40.00
Hans C. Hanson, expenses in case State vs. Trumbly	59.45
Remington Typewriter Co., platen for County Officers	9.50
John P. Mattson, publishing Board Proceedings	96.75
W. O. Braggans, Justice fees case State vs. Trumbly	9.90
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoner	23.25
John P. Mattson, slips for Treasurer	1.85
David Johnson, expenses in visiting schools	78.69
C. A. Tullar, envelopes for County Surveyor	15.87
John P. Mattson, publishing County Board Proceedings	184.25
John P. Mattson, statements for Treasurer	22.00
A. J. Nordstrom, Tulips for Court House grounds	3.50
Axel Skog, plastering boiler	10.00
Irving E. Quist, transcription of government field notes	200.00
Carl T. Olson, procuring General Election ballots for Moose River	1.80
Gust Eckblad, repairing sidewalk	30.00
A. Solberg, work on State Road No. 1	22.61
John P. Mattson, publishing Notice of Sale of County Road	15.10
Edward Liane, re-inforcing bars for bridges	51.65
W. O. Braggans, typewriting contracts and bonds in County Road	11.20
Henning Peterson, repairs for graders	10.00
Thomas Mulvey, dragging State Road No. 1	57.55
J. R. Carr, dragging State Road No. 5	20.00
Foreman & Brannan, sharpening grader blade	5.00
C. H. Smith, dragging State Road No. 7	42.04
John P. Mattson, Notices County Ditch No. 25	1.25
A. N. Lodoen, hearing on County Ditch No. 27	5.20
O. Enge, hearing on County Ditch No. 27	9.60
A. O. Fladeland, hearing on County Ditch No. 27	12.20
John P. Mattson, Notices on County Ditch No. 27	1.25
A. S. Rokke, hearing on County Ditch No. 28	10.00
Irving E. Quist, inspection and hearing on County Ditch No. 28	30.30
John P. Mattson, Notices on County Ditch No. 28	1.25
C. F. Adolphson, hearing on County Ditch No. 28	6.20
Silas Torgerson, cutting brush on County Ditch No. 30	4.00
W. O. Braggans, typewriting contracts and bonds, County Ditch No. 31	28.00
John P. Mattson, publishing Notice of Sale, County Ditch No. 31	16.95
Irving E. Quist, Engineer on County Ditch No. 31	22.50
W. O. Braggans, typewriting contracts and bonds, County Ditch No. 32	33.60
Irving E. Quist, Engineer on County Ditch No. 32	46.00
John P. Mattson, publishing Notice of Sale, County Ditch No. 32	19.85

On motion adjourned to Feb. 25th, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M.

O. ENGE,
Chairman County Board.

Attest:
A. G. LUNDGREN,
County Auditor.
(Auditor's Seal)

PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX LIST

According to Chapter 392, State Laws 1917, the Personal Property Tax List for Marshall County is published in the county papers. All personal property tax becomes delinquent March 1st, when a penalty of ten per cent is added. Personal property taxes unpaid April 1st are collected by the Sheriff. Remit by bank draft, express order, or postal money order, but not by personal check, except on banks in Marshall County, unless certified, if you have any other safe way of sending money; postage stamps are not accepted, except where taxes happens to be just a few cents.

F. BAKKE,
County Trasurer.

VILLAGE OF HOLT.

School District No. 35, rate 28.9 mills.

NAME.	Assessed Valuation.	Ordinary Property.	Grain Tax.	Money and Credits.	Total Tax.
A. B. Anderson	$ 407.00	$ 32.72	$	$ .60	$ 33.32
Guy Anderson	132.00	10.61		2.40	13.01
O. J. Backlund	224.00	18.01		.30	18.31
E. M. Bennes	72.00	5.79			5.79
Albert Bennes	393.00	31.60		1.50	33.10
Chinnell Bros.	226.00	18.17			18.17
C. W. Christianson	14.00	1.13			1.13
Carl Christofferson	22.00	1.77			1.77
A. S. Carlson	251.00	20.18			20.18
Ben Docken	119.00	9.57			9.57
Nels Engbretson	54.00	4.34			4.34
C. H. Gunheim	3,298.00	265.16		4.50	269.66
Holt Publishing Co.	83.00	6.67			6.67
Holt State Bank	4,997.00	401.76			401.76
Albert Huseth	120.00	9.65			9.65
Ole Hamernes	100.00	8.04		.90	8.94
Chas. Hagglund	270.00	21.71			21.71
Chas. Hinze	610.00	49.04			49.04
Holt Merc. Co.	3,300.00	265.32		4.50	269.82
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.	1,515.00	121.81	2.54		124.35
A. R. Jones	77.00	6.19			6.19
E. A. Johnson	66.00	5.31			5.31
S. S. Kolden & Co.	300.00	24.12			24.12
Albert Matheson	132.00	10.61			10.61
Mrs. Julia Nelson	46.00	3.70			3.70
Axel Nelson	101.00	8.12			8.12
Joseph Nelson	50.00	4.02			4.02
H. J. Olen	29.00	2.33			2.33
M. B. Ordahl	62.00	4.99			4.99
R. L. Olson	125.00	10.05		3.60	13.65
Hjalmar Peterson	122.00	9.81			9.81
Earnest Phillipson	25.00	2.01			2.01
Elisabeth O. Risberg	130.00	10.45			10.45
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.	1,570.00	126.23	3.22		129.45
R. Reitson	1,793.00	144.16		1.20	145.36
C. L. Sandberg	52.00	4.18			4.18
Standard Oil Co.	1,222.00	98.25			98.25
Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.	5,128.00	412.29		6.22	418.51
H. B. Young	179.00	14.39			14.39
Mrs. Swan Johnson				9.00	9.00
J. P. Lein				4.50	4.50
Racine Olson				.07	.07
Nels Swanson				1.50	1.50

TOWN OF EAST VALLEY.

School District No. 20, rate 4.8 mills
School District No. 58, rate 13.8 mills
School District No. 59, rate 12.1 mills
School District No. 148, rate 8.8 mills
School District No. 158, rate 16. mills
School District No. 159, rate 15. mills

NAME.	Assessed Valuation.	Ordinary Property.	Grain Tax.	Money and Credits.	Total Tax.
Mrs. C. L. Anderson	$ 113.00	$ 4.53	$	$	$ 4.53
Swan Carlson	457.00	15.04			15.04
Mrs. F. Carlson	286.00	10.35			10.35
Ole Christianson	304.00	12.19			12.19
O. H. Dovre	309.00	10.16			10.16
Christina E. Erickson	683.00	27.39		.30	27.69
Edward Erickson	305.00	11.56			11.56
Mrs. T. E. Ellestad	226.00	8.56			8.56
Anders Engstrom	47.00	1.70		1.80	3.50
Henrik Erickson	442.00	16.75			16.75
U. A. Fosen	526.00	17.31			17.31
Ed. Furr	283.00	7.66			7.66
Oscar Furr	301.00	10.90			10.90
Mrs. K. Grondvold	146.00	5.53			5.53
Ole Garthus	21.00	.69			.69
Geo. J. Hanson	599.00	22.70		2.10	24.80
J. M. Jahr	234.00	7.70			7.70
A. C. Jahr	332.00	10.92			10.92
Ole B. Johnson	329.00	10.82			10.82
Clarence Knutson	235.00	7.73			7.73
Hans Knutson	361.00	13.07			13.07
John Knutson	606.00	19.94			19.94
Gilbert H. Knutson	82.00	2.70			2.70
Aug. Kvehene	275.00	9.95			9.95
Ole M. Larson	212.00	6.96			6.96
J. J. Little	1,331.00	43.80			43.80
Ole J. Lunke	461.00	16.69		3.10	19.79
M. J. Lunke	465.00	16.83		3.00	19.83
Charley McLeon	185.00	7.01			7.01
Axel Nelson	420.00	16.84			16.84
Fred Peterson	440.00	17.80			17.80
V. J. Price	183.00	6.62			6.62
Anton Rodahl	275.00	9.05			9.05
Olaus Rodahl	403.00	13.26			13.26
C. Ring	172.00	5.66			5.66
Hans Stensrud	36.00	1.44			1.44
Carl Surmo	311.00	10.23			10.23
Tom Severson	311.00	11.26			11.26
G. A. Solney	236.00	9.23			9.23
W. A. Silbough	522.00	17.17			17.17
Ole Saxberg	279.00	11.19			11.19
S. G. Svenkeson	820.00	32.88			32.88
M. S. Sampson	251.00	8.26		.09	8.35
J. A. Sorum	422.00	15.27		1.50	16.77
John Udstrand	287.00	10.88			10.88
A. Youngquist	4.00	.15			.15

TOWN OF EXCEL.

School District No. 17, rate 6.2 mills
School District No. 20, rate 4.8 mills
School District No. 35, rate 28.9 mills
School District No. 133, rate 8. mills
School District No. 59, rate 12.1 mills
School District No. 72, rate 10. mills
School District No. 84, rate 10.9 mills
School District No. 112, rate 5.1 mills

NAME.	Assessed Valuation.	Ordinary Property.	Grain Tax.	Money and Credits.	Total Tax.
Wilhelmina Adams	$ 244.00	$ 11.49	$	$	$ 11.49
T. Aasland	392.00	11.62			11.62
O. Ahlstrom	300.00	8.76			8.76
John Boe	283.00	13.33			13.33
Iver Borahiem	148.00	3.85			3.85
Hugh Best	330.00	10.30			10.30
Nick Baker	217.00	5.97			5.97
Soren Berglan	313.00	10.05			10.05
Mathias J. Berg	598.00	13.97		1.50	15.47
Frank Coppay	323.00	10.50			10.50
John Christensen	202.00	6.30			6.80
Fred Copp	412.00	12.88			12.88
John W. Dahl	158.00	4.98			4.98
John Easthouse	332.00	10.85		1.44	12.29
Ole Easthouse	242.00	7.07			7.07
Edwin Erickson	264.00	6.86		3.00	9.86
Lourits Flak	282.00	13.28			13.28
Herb Fuller	181.00	5.81			5.81
Carl Gutterude	55.00	1.45			1.45
Mrs. Christ Gutterude	430.00	11.31			11.31
Oscar Hanson	316.00	10.17			10.17
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.	1,120.00	30.80	2.22		33.02
Mrs. Magdalin Hoffman	467.00	12.14			12.14
H. B. Halvorson	282.00	8.41		5.70	14.11
Oswald Hoffman	251.00	6.53		3.00	9.53
Florentine Hoffman	133.00	3.46			3.46
John Hoffman	224.00	6.14		9.00	15.14
Aug. Hoffman	432.00	11.23			11.23
Paul Hoffman	44.00	1.14			1.14
Peter Horneseth	290.00	11.39			11.39
Mikkel Johnson	298.00	10.37			10.37
Andrew Jopperude	305.00	9.79			9.79
John M. Johnson	221.00	7.09			7.09
Bernt Johnson	102.00	2.98			2.98
Ludvig Johnson	117.00	3.76			3.76
Carl Jorde	286.00	8.35		.24	8.59
Adolph Jorde	255.00	7.45			7.45
Ole A. Johnson	316.00	10.14			10.14
Paul H. Kirhne	117.00	5.51			5.51
John Kelberg	241.00	7.52		.60	8.12
Harry Kopp	320.00	9.08			9.08
August Koglin	344.00	9.52			9.52
Carl Kirhne	207.00	5.38			5.38
Gunstein Knutson	522.00	15.42			15.42
Martin Kisch	485.00	12.61			12.61
G. L. Leisner	756.00	20.79		.75	21.54
A. G. Loftness	272.00	7.94			7.94
Carl Larson	442.00	11.49		.90	12.39
Nathaniel Muzzy	252.00	6.96			6.96
John Meyer	327.00	9.27		.45	9.72
R. S. Muzzy	788.00	22.96			22.96
Arthur Muzzy	200.00	6.24			6.24
P. B. Malberg	252.00	9.68		.53	10.21
John Martenson	75.00	5.11			5.11
Martin Matson	242.00	6.42			6.42
Molstad Bros.	257.00	6.68			6.68
N. S. Nelson	256.00	7.48			7.48
Ose Bros.	304.00	9.76			9.76
Olof Olson	158.00	4.37			4.37
Tallok K. Ose	364.00	11.68			11.68
Gunne Ose	145.00	4.65			4.65
Rasmus Oen	142.00	4.56			4.56
Knute Ose	290.00	9.31			9.31
Mrs. M. Olson	387.00	13.52			13.52
Selmer Quammen	232.00	7.45			7.45
T. H. Risteigen	264.00	8.47			8.47
Reierhardt Reierson	138.00	8.90			8.90
John Reedle	241.00	9.38			9.38
R. S. Roggers	288.00	9.25			9.25
J. A. Russel	296.00	9.50			9.50
Ole Reierson	277.00	17.76			17.76
John Simonson	242.00	11.73		.15	11.88
Martin Strans	21.00	1.46			1.46
J. T. Swanson	405.00	11.14		.60	11.74
Oscar Swanson	135.00	3.71			3.71
Carl Steiner	230.00	6.82			6.82
Theodore Steigen	92.00	2.70			2.70
Peter Solem	272.00	7.48		.75	8.23
M. O. Saugen	342.00	9.43		7.20	16.63
C. Schwartz	264.00	6.87			6.87
Theo. Sorum	342.00	11.42		.60	12.02
G. J. Skommedal	54.00	1.73		1.95	3.68
Arno Steinhauer	249.00	6.47			6.47
William Steinhauer	208.00	5.41			5.41
Fred Steinhauer	317.00	8.24			8.24
John Skommedahl	487.00	15.95			15.95
Frank Stearns	205.00	6.58			6.58
Andrew Skahl	232.00	6.48			6.48
Stone & Co.	150.00	4.12			4.12
A. C. Simonson	308.00	8.47			8.47
Torbjorn Skommedahl	267.00	8.57			8.57
Severson Bros.	372.00	9.70			9.70
Bennie Tildahl	150.00	4.82			4.82
B. Tildahl	390.00	12.52			12.52
Renie Werner	270.00	12.72			12.72
Ed. Warner	27.00	1.27			1.27
Simon Warring	132.00	3.82			3.82
L. O. Williams	198.00	5.78			5.78
Henry Wendt	180.00	4.95			4.95
William Wendt	317.00	8.24			8.24
John Whitman	152.00	4.18			4.18
Anne Marie Erickson				1.50	1.50

TOWN OF MUD LAKE.

School District No. 91, rate 14.5 mills
School District No. 145, rate 26. mills
School District No. 146, rate 40.5 mills
School District No. 152, rate 31.5 mills

NAME.	Assessed Valuation.	Ordinary Property.	Grain Tax.	Money and Credits.	Total Tax.
C. F. Birkeland	$ 201.00	$ 17.53	$	$	$ 17.53
Cleve Bergum	120.00	7.50			7.50
Annie Bergum	136.00	8.50			8.50
Axel Benson	112.00	5.65			5.65
Frank Brown	106.00	5.35			5.35
Peter Christianson	162.00	12.47			12.47
Selmer Dahl	254.00	12.82			12.82
Emma Sophia Dahl	32.00	1.12		2.40	3.52
Rudolph Dahl	155.00	7.88			7.88
Olof Dahl	278.00	20.20		.22	20.42
Carl Dahl	278.00	13.88		.68	14.56
John Doane	132.00	8.76			8.76
Casper J. Dale	162.00	11.49			11.49
Grant Flakne	222.00	16.73			16.73
J. S. Gabrielson	401.00	31.34			31.34
W. J. Helland	48.00	2.48			2.48
August Johnson	163.00	11.43			11.43
Herbert Johnson	51.00	3.19			3.19
Edwin Johnson	231.00	21.69			21.69
Robert Lillie	218.00	13.60			13.60
Bernhard Larson	85.00	5.78		.30	6.08
Ed. Long	97.00	7.12			7.12
Clarence Larson	262.00	19.46			19.46
Halmer Moberg	136.00	9.63			9.63
John Mundhenke	170.00	10.62		.60	11.22
Ole Maakstad	211.00	16.24			16.24
E. S. Moe	412.00	29.80			29.80
W. A. Murray	656.00	41.00			41.00
Knute Nelson	274.00	18.76			18.76
Emma Nielson	192.00	16.49			16.49
Christ Norberg	421.00	29.78			29.78
Martin O. Nelson	30.00	2.21			2.21
E. W. Ostlund	266.00	20.48			20.48
Peter Ostlund	165.00	12.70			12.70
Isaac Ostlund	67.00	4.69			4.69
George E. Olson	332.00	22.56			22.56
Melvin Olson	257.00	19.41			19.41
Nels Omberg	57.00	3.38			3.38
Elmer and Oscar Odie	333.00	22.85			22.85
Tom Resdal	95.00	7.40			7.40
Gunder Tveit	569.00	51.48			51.48
George Walker	274.00	18.63			18.63
Moe & Larson				.61	.61
Leonard Dahl		.97			.97
Agnes R. Fosen		1.42			1.42
Alfred Larson		1.05			1.05
Paul Peterson		.23			.23
Alfred Sollom		3.28			3.28
A. L. Snook		.22			.22

TOWN OF AGDAR.

School District No. 112, rate 5.1 mills
School District No. 115, rate 9.4 mills
School District No. 121, rate 8. mills
School District No. 148, rate 8.8 mills
School District No. 159, rate 15. mills

NAME.	Assessed Valuation.	Ordinary Property.	Grain Tax.	Money and Credits.	Total Tax.
Birger Antonson	$ 121.00	$ 7.08	$	$	$ 7.08
Emil A. Eastman	11.00	.53		9.00	9.53
John Espeliden	204.00	7.48			7.48
Chas. Evenson	216.00	11.58			11.58
Julius Faiman	276.00	14.76			14.76
Nels Gudvangen	152.00	5.55			5.55
Jorgen Greibrok	242.00	13.33			13.33
Sam Groven	214.00	7.86			7.86
Nels Gunderson	316.00	11.61		3.00	14.61
Edward Hanson	242.00	14.60			14.60
Ole S. Halaa	299.00	10.98			10.98
Isaac A. Isaacson	358.00	20.48			20.48
Martin Johnson	228.00	8.46			8.46
Hans Jostad	364.00	13.51			13.51
August Johnson	153.00	5.68			5.68
C. Jefferson	420.00	15.66			15.66
Albert Klungnes	422.00	18.28			18.28
Jacob Klungnes	387.00	13.99			13.99
John Klungnes	438.00	16.06			16.06
S. S. Kolden	136.00	4.97			4.97
Halvor O. Listol	195.00	7.16			7.16
Louis Larson	197.00	7.31			7.31
Peter Michaelson	315.00	13.44			13.44
Peter Muldoon	331.00	12.27			12.27
Soren Moe	442.00	18.88			18.88
Halvor Moe	176.00	7.53			7.53
Mrs. George Nustvold	56.00	2.07			2.07
Christ Nelson	385.00	14.13			14.13
H. P. Nabben	626.00	23.28			23.28
Simon P. Nabben	149.00	5.54			5.54
Ole T. Ose	331.00	12.13			12.13
Charl C. Overum	325.00	11.92			11.92
Hans H. Peterson	576.00	21.13			21.13
Kazmer Panek	538.00	19.96			19.96
John Ristau	262.00	9.72			9.72
G. J. Rystad	279.00	11.91			11.91
Emil Rupprecht	289.00	10.62			10.62
Adolph Rupprecht	388.00	14.25			14.25
William Ryde	212.00	7.87			7.87
E. Senum	188.00	6.90			6.90
Ole J. Solberg	282.00	10.34			10.34
Nels Sordahl	329.00	14.04			14.04
Amund Sordahl	73.00	3.12		.60	3.72
G. H. Sandum	60.00	2.23			2.23
Silas Torgerson	329.00	10.78			10.78
Victor A. Trochmann	186.00	6.83			6.83
Arthur Thorvik	110.00	3.61			3.61
Albert Westphal	384.00	14.11			14.11
Ingval J. Wold	222.00	8.14			8.14
Tyler Wold	196.00	7.20		.90	8.10

TOWN OF HOLT.

School District No. 35, rate 28.9 mills
School District No. 49, rate 28.1 mills
School District No. 58, rate 13.8 mills
School District No. 59, rate 12.1 mills
School District No. 61, rate 7.3 mills
School District No. 74, rate 5. mills

NAME.	Assessed Valuation.	Ordinary Property.	Grain Tax.	Money and Credits.	Total Tax.
Andrew Arnewick	$ 341.00	$ 11.91	$	$	$ 11.91
Mrs. C. Anderson	204.00	6.75			6.75
Pet. Anderson	276.00	7.81		1.50	9.85
Oscar Bottom	105.00	5.04			5.0
John P. Bennett	213.00	7.05		.90	7.9
Andrew Bjerk	478.00	15.82		2.70	18.
A. L. Bean	301.00	10.47			10.
Hilmer Davidson	214.00	7.45			7.4
F. O. Dovre	535.00	17.71			17.7
Ole Davidson	190.00	6.87			6.8
John Engstrom	605.00	22.03			22.03
Carl Engebretson	343.00	16.63			16.63
Elven Erickson	414.00	14.41			14.41
H. O. Ekerdalen	242.00	7.47			7.47
Mrs. H. O. Ekerdalen	50.00	1.42			1.42
Tom Elefson	427.00	12.79			12.79
Christ Engen	396.00	13.78			13.78
Hans Fosholm	582.00	17.46			17.46
T. B. Folden	381.00	10.78			10.78
Stephen Fier	206.00	7.17			7.17
Helen Grondahl	409.00	14.98			14.98
Herman Guse	233.00	6.59			6.59
George Guse	582.00	15.06			15.06
M. O. Halvorson	429.00	20.80		1.50	22.30
L. L. Hellesylt	333.00	10.02			10.02
Mrs. Halfden Hanson	293.00	8.49			8.49
Ed. Horion	255.00	8.78			8.78
Osvald Haoel	322.00	15.72			15.72
Andrew Hanson	335.00	17.00			17.00
Herman Heinze	333.00	16.22		.30	16.52
Erick Johnson	503.00	17.50		1.20	18.70
Hjalmer Johnson	84.00	2.38			2.38
Joseph Jorlan	586.00	20.39			20.39
Louis Johnson	407.00	14.99			14.99
Olof Johnson	382.00	11.66			11.66
Johannes Johnson	110.00	3.25			3.25
Otto Johnson	304.00	9.04			9.04
Carl Johnson	300.00	9.29			9.29
Knut Knutson	232.00	6.57			6.57
O. A. Knutson	269.00	8.10			8.10
Mrs. O. G. Kjelgren	273.00	12.76			12.76
Nels Lyane	192.00	6.36			6.36
Math. Larson	418.00	14.55			14.55
Ludvig Larson	192.00	6.36			6.36
Carl Lindholm	410.00	13.57			13.57
Fred Larson	486.00	16.09			16.09
Andrew Movig	184.00	6.40			6.40
Thora Nelson	228.00	6.45			6.45
Mrs. O. H. Norhe	353.00	17.15			17.15
Syver Norhe	458.00	21.48			21.48
August Ness	550.00	15.56			15.56
N. N. Ness	194.00	5.49			5.49
Nels Offerdahl	365.00	12.70			12.70
Gust Peterson	431.00	14.27			14.27
Christ Rustad	137.00	6.42			6.42
E. R. L. Rudman	176.00	5.35			5.35
Alfred Solem	214.00	6.06			6.06
Charley Smith	356.00	10.07			10.07
T. O. Saastad	377.00	13.12			13.12
P. G. Sorter	368.00	12.81			12.81
Christ Saastad	286.00	13.41			13.41
J. M. Swan	208.00	9.76			9.76
Carl Skoglund	591.00	20.57			20.57
A. L. Sagstuen	684.00	19.70			19.70
Gullick Svenson	222.00	7.35			7.35
G. P. Sorter	582.00	20.25			20.25
Markus Udstrand	216.00	6.11			6.14
Louis Wegge	407.00	13.47			13.47
Henry Wegge	364.00	12.05		1.50	13.55
Fred Wegge	128.00	4.24		.30	4.54
B. O. Waagedahl	529.00	18.41			18.41
E. A. Erickson				1.05	1.05
Ollette Dovre				1.20	1.20
W. E. Damon				.30	.30

400 LOCOMOTIVES SENT TO FRANCE

Dispatched Intact, Ready for Steam, by the Army Transport Service.

1,200 SHIPPED IN SECTIONS

Record of 12 Days Made From Shops in This Country to Lines at the Front—Great Work Is Now Revealed.

Washington.—Shipment of American-built steam locomotives, each weighing 78 tons, and assembled all except the smokestack and the tender, so that they could move away under their own steam within a few hours after their arrival in France, was among the accomplishments of the United States army transport force under stress of war, and has since been continued.

More than 400 of these locomotives were so shipped from New York in a few months, it was learned here with the lifting of the war censorship regulations, and these were in addition to 1,200 which were shipped in sections, nine to a locomotive, packed in cases. The ships used to transport the locomotives complete were of a special type with three holds, each hold measuring 60 by 102 feet, entered by hatches 39 feet wide and 42 feet long.

Into each of the three holds were placed 12 locomotives—36 to a ship. A bed of flooring on which they rested for the voyage required more than 3,000 tons of steel rails. The locomotives when in position were braced with heavy wooden beams and the space between the boilers to the level of the top of the steam dome packed solid with highly compressed baled hay.

Compressed Hay Under Flooring.

On this hay another flooring was laid, and on this floor was placed the tenders—the smokestacks, with more baled hay or other light cargo, packed in the space where coal is to be carried. On top of the tenders was packed still more cargo to the deck level, and during the "rush days" the above-deck space filled with crated airplanes. When completely loaded with the 36 locomotives and other cargo each vessel was carrying a dead weight of 14,000 tons in addition to ship machinery, bunker coal and crew supplies.

The loading of the locomotives is an interesting sight. Steel railroad barges carrying 14 of the steel monsters are made fast alongside a 100-ton capacity floating derrick barge, in turn made fast to the ship. An ordinary sling of steel wire is placed around the forward end of the boilers, another under the supports to the cab, the signal given and the locomotive lifted 40 or 50 feet in the air, swung over and gently loaded into the ship's hold. The whole operation required but 20 minutes, and it was accomplished with the same ease and the same lack of excitement as prevailed on board a steamship at an adjoining dock which was taking on board 500-pound bales of cotton.

The idea of shipping locomotives complete was conceived when army transport officers were informed that England was shipping them across the channel ready to move away on arrival.

"America Can Do It."

"If England can do it, so can America," an officer said, and he straightway commandeered a fleet of ore-carrying vessels which were constructed with hatches large enough to permit the handling of such freight.

When the movement was at its height the following time was recorded for the movement of a locomotive from its builders to its base of action behind the battle lines: Shops to New Jersey terminals, 24 hours; from rail to barges, 6 hours; from terminals to ship side, 6 hours; barge to ship, 20 minutes; New York to France, 9 days; ship to army rail lines and hooked up to a transport train bound for the front, 6 hours; a total of less than 12 days.

Handling of 78-ton locomotives as if they were but one-tenth of their weight is only a small part of the tremendous work that has been under way at army transport piers since the United States transport service attained full swing.

Maj. Dan O'Brien, marine director, an officer who has won his rank by more than 20 years' service in every port of the United States, Cuba, Mexico and the Philippines, where transport facilities of the army were centered, is the man who handled the locomotives.

Thieves Return Loot.

Iowa City, Ia.—When Mrs. Wolfe of this city went down town recently she left her door unlocked. Robbers broke in and stole a sapphire ring, a watch, a necklace and a purse containing $75.

Next day the thieves returned the stolen property, leaving it on her front steps.

Calls "Spade a Spade."

Youngstown, O.—The Mahoning county War Savings stamp committee comes out in plain language and calls a "spade a spade" in talking of those who fail to meet their stamp pledges. "They are refusing to feed the army of occupation in Europe," the announcement says.

EXCUSE FOR FAKE HOLDUP

St. Louis Man Says He Had to "Stall Wife" on Money Spent for Drinks.

St. Louis.—"I had to hand out some kind of a stall to my wife," said Robert E. Morgan of this city to Detectives Lardner and Kaiser when they questioned him concerning the loss of $412 which he reported had been taken from him by three armed highwaymen.

"I got married Saturday," he said, "and promised my wife to buy the furniture."

"With $163 in my pocket I started out. I met several friends and we had some drinks. After paying some bills I found I had just $35 left for the furniture. And I had to hand out some kind of a stall to my wife. I framed up the holdup and she insisted I report it to the police."

Mora.—According to the marriage record sixty-eight marriage licenses were issued by the clerk of court, William W. Tenney, in Kanabec county during the past year, an increase of seven over the year 1917.

GIRLS! LOTS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

Small bottle of "Danderine" makes hair thick, glossy and wavy.

Removes all dandruff, stops itching scalp and falling hair.

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—it costs but a few cents—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance, freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre, and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp—Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower, destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp, and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this. Adv.

Education is good provided it does not unfit a man for honest labor.

Borrowed trouble is always the most burdensome.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart caused by gases in the stomach. August Flower is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. Sold in all civilized countries. Give it a trial.—Adv.

To save gas, never light it until the dish to be cooked has been placed on the burner.

HUSBAND SAVES WIFE

From Suffering by Getting Her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—"For many months I was not able to do my work owing to a weakness which caused backache and headaches. A friend called my attention to one of your newspaper advertisements and immediately my husband bought three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me. After taking two bottles I felt fine and my troubles caused by that weakness are a thing of the past. All women who suffer as I did should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. JAS. ROHRBERG, 620 Knapp St., N. S., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Women who suffer from any form of weakness, as indicated by displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness or "the blues," should accept Mrs. Rohrberg's suggestion and give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a thorough trial.

For over forty years it has been correcting such ailments. If you have mysterious complications write for advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

MINNESOTA JOINS DRY PROCESSION

HOUSE BACKS UP SENATE IN RATIFYING AMENDMENT FOR NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

BOARD TO RESCIND ORDERS

State Safety Commission Gives Notice That All Its Edicts Will End Feb. 5th Unless Legislature Acts in Meantime.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota house of representatives has adopted the resolution already passed in the senate, ratifying the prohibition amendment to the federal constitution by a vote of 92 to 36, making Minnesota the 40th state to ratify.

The senate voted for the resolution 48 to 11. The resolution passed in the house without debate under a suspension of the rules.

Asks Aid for Fighters.

Authority to expend unused funds of the State Public Safety commission to aid discharged soldiers and sailors in the state who are without employment or funds was asked of the legislature today by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist in a special message to the two houses.

The commission has available about $200,000 that could be used for this purpose.

Roads Amendment Asked.

The good roads program outlined by C. M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, was placed before the senate and house when Senator Patrick H. McGarry, Walker, and Representative Oscar A. Swenson, Nicollet, introduced a bill asking for a constitutional amendment to permit the adoption of the Babcock plan.

To Rescind Orders.

St. Paul.—All orders of the State Public Safety commission will be rescinded Feb. 5, unless the state legislature acts to continue the orders, it was announced by the commission when it referred to the legislature a measure making its orders inoperative.

Legislative Enactment Suggested.

The reason for the action, the commission said, is the measures were of wartime necessity, and the signing of the armistice makes a renewal of hostilities practically impossible. It is also suggested, should the legislature desire to continue all or some of the orders, it may do so by enactment.

Copies of the rescinding measure were sent to the house, the senate and to Governor J. A. A. Burnquist, with the statement that the rescinding order would become effective Feb. 5 unless the commission was otherwise instructed at its meeting Feb. 4.

Nearly half of the orders of the Public Safety commission still in force have a bearing on the liquor traffic.

Home Guard Retention Sought.

Steps to continue the Minnesota home guard as a part of the state military forces were taken by Adjutant General W. F. Rhinow upon reports that the order of the Safety commission creating the home guard will be made inoperative Feb. 5.

The home guard was created by order No. 3 issued by the Public Safety commission. General Rhinow plans to interview members of the legislature with a view to having the home guard continue in existence by legislative enactment.

St. Paul.—At a short evening session of the senate, Lieutenant-Governor Frankson named the standing committees of the upper house as follows:

Agriculture and Horticulture—Ward, chairman; Anderson, Cumming, Hamer, Johnson, Kuntz, Romberg, Schmechel, Turnham and Wold.

Banks and Banking—Nolan, chairman; Benson, Gillam, Gooding, Hegnes, Rask, Fowler, Hopp.

Cities of the First Class—Denegre, chairman; Adams, Brooks, Callahan, Conroy, Devold, Dwyer, Erickson, Fowler, Guilford, Handlan, Jackson, Orr, Palmer, Ribenack, Wallace, Van Hoven.

Civil Administration—Cadey, chairman; Bessette, Bonniwell, Callahan, Cashel, Hall, Jackson, Rockne, Sullivan.

Commerce, Manufactures and Trade—Boylan, chairman; Cumming, Kingsbury, Lee, Lindsley, Palmer, Ribenack, Orr, Reed.

Corporations — Palmer, chairman; Hegnes, Larson, Loonam, Naplin, Reed, Conroy, Benson.

Dairy Products and Live Stock—Bonniwell, chairman; Hamer, Handlan, Lee, Lindsley, Loonam, Millet, Van Hoven, Wilcox.

Drainage—Peterson, chairman; Cliff, Cumming, Nord, Putnam, Stepan, Ward, Adams, Turnham.

Education—Benson, chairman; Cumming, Larson, Millet, Palmer, Sageng, Ward, Rask, Carley, Gooding, Wold, Lee, Guilford.

Elections—Sageng, chairman; Blomgren, Gandrud, Larson, Putnam, Brooks, Rockne, Sullivan, Lee.

Finance—Rockne, chairman; Baldwin, Benson, Bessette, Gandrud, Hopp, Turnham, McGarry, Nolan, Nord, Orr, Palmer, Peterson, Rask, Sageng, Sullivan, Carley, Ward, Widell.

Game and Fish—Turnham, chairman; Handlan, Hopp, Kingsbury, Kuntz, McGarry, Van Hoven, Guilford, Swanson.

General Legislation—Sullivan, chairman; Blomgren, Boylan, Cliff, Conroy, Denegre, Gillam, Gjerset, Kingsbury, Palmer, Peterson, Wold, Putnam.

Grain and Warehouse—Gillam, chairman; Anderson, Bonniwell, Brooks, Johnson, Willcox, Loonam, Sageng, Stepan.

Insurance—Orr, chairman; Blomgren, Carley, Denegre, Guilford, Larson, Lindsley, Madigan, Schmechel.

Judiciary — Putnam, chairman; Adams, Baldwin, Benson, Bonniwell, Brooks, Callahan, Carley, Cashel, Cliff, Denegre, Fowler, Gjerset, Guilford, Hall, Hopp, Jackson, Madigan, Millet, Naplin, Orr, Peterson, Rockne, Sullivan, Swanson.

Labor—Callahan, chairman; Boylan, Brooks, Denegre, Conroy, Devold, Dwyer, Johnson, Swanson.

Markets and Marketing—Gandrud, chairman; Hamer, Ribenack, Romberg, Schmechel, Willcox, Wold.

Military Affairs—Rask, chairman; Kuntz, Nolan, Putnam, Swanson, Vibert, Widell.

Motor Vehicles—Hegnes, chairman; Boylan, Guilford, Reed, Romberg, Turnham, Naplin, Wold.

Municipal Affairs—Millet, chairman; Blomgren, Cashel, Gillam, Johnson, Vibert, Rask, Gjerset.

Public Institutions and Buildings—Cliff, chairman; Erickson, Lindsley, Loonam, Willcox, Blomgren, Conroy, Dwyer, Sageng.

Public Domain—Vibert, chairman; Bessette, Hamer, Hagnes, Nord, Peterson, Willcox, Gjerset.

Public Utilities—Adams, chairman; Callahan, Gandrud, Handlan, Kuntz, Madigan, Millet, Naplin.

Public Welfare and Health—Handlan, chairman; Boylan, Hall, Lindsley, Erickson, Reed, Ribenack, Schmechel, Stepan.

Public Highways—McGarry, chairman; Adams, Baldwin, Brooks, Cashel, Anderson, Cliff, Denegre, Gooding, Madigan, Nolan, Nord, Schmechel, Turnham, Widell.

Railroads—Baldwin, chairman; Cumming, Dwyer, Erickson, Romberg, Millet, Swanson, Fowler, Van Hoven.

Reconstruction and Relief—Bessette, chairman; Devold, Dwyer, Gandrud, Jackson, Reed, Stepan, Nord.

Rules—Larson, chairman; Benson, Sageng, Jackson, Nolan, Putnam, Rockne, Sullivan, Vibert.

State and County Fairs—Hopp, chairman; Bessette, Hall, Kuntz, Loonam, Peterson, Widell, Conroy, Madigan.

State Development and Immigration—Nord, chairman; Baldwin, Gooding, Hall, Hegnes, McGarry, Reed, Dwyer, Lindsley.

Soldiers' Home—Van Hoven, chairman; Bonniwell, Willcox, Cashel, Devold, Kingsbury, Hamer.

Taxes and Tax Laws—Gjerset, chairman; Adams, Anderson, Baldwin, Hegnes, Hopp, Johnson, McGarry, Vibert, Fowler, Widell, Nolan, Gillam, Nelson.

Towns and Counties—Widell, chairman; Anderson, Carley, Gillam, Hamer, Kingsley, Naplin, Gjerset, Larson, Rask.

Temperance — Blomgren, chairman; Gooding, Lee, Ribenack, Romberg, Van Hoven, Vibert, Ward, Peterson.

Workmen's Compensation—Jackson, chairman; Boylan, Cashel, Devold, Erickson, Fowler, Orr, Rockne, Swanson.

Mileage—Madigan, chairman; Cliff, Cumming.

House Committees.

Speaker Nolan has announced the standing committees for the house as follows:

Agriculture and Horticulture—Grant, chairman; Anderson, Arneson, Berve, Carlson, C., De Lury, Gislason, J. B. Green, H. M., Hompe, Hulbert, Johnson, Lagersen, Nett, Neuman, Rako, Schaleben, Welch, Wicklund.

Appropriations — Christianson, T., chairman; Adams, Bendixen, Bernard, Boyd, Carlson, Christensen, A., Corning, Derweiler, Erickson, Frisch, Greene, T. J., Hammer, Hompe, Howard, Jacobson, Kingsley, Lagersen, McLaughlin, McPartlin, Murphy, Nordgren, Oren, Pattison, Prince, Rako, Sliter, Swanson, S. J., Swanson, O. A., Teigen, Trowbridge.

Banks and Banking—Briggs, chairman; Adams, Baxter, Chirhart, Derweiler, Emmons, Frisch, Girling, Jacobson, Pedersen, Shirley, Oberg, Sliter, Swanson, S. J., Swenson.

Board of Control and Public Buildings—Bernard, chairman; Andersen, Christianson, T., Fawcett, Lee, Levin, Pedersen, Prince, Scherr, Smith, Waters.

Cities of First Class—Levin, chairman; Bernard, Corning, Cullum, Lennon, A. L., Lennon, J. G., Miner, Norton, Pittenger, Ryan, Smith, Solem, Sudheimer.

Civil Administration—Teigen, chairman; Christianson, T., De Lury, Gislason, Lee, Long, Moen, Nelson, C. N., Norton, Parker, Scherf, Sluke, Warner, Wicklund, Wilkinson.

Claims—Moen, chairman; Arneson, Burrows, Herried, Oren, Smith, Spelbrink, Solem, Thorkelson.

Commerce, Manufacture and Retail Trade—Lennon, J. G., chairman; Arens, Galewski, Girling, Goodspeed, Herried, Dilley, Johnson, Kelly, Lang, Levin, McLoughlin, Rodenberg, Ryan, Scherf, Shanks, Swanson, J., Trowbridge.

Corporations—Erickson, chairman; Moen, Chirhart, Darby, Gill, Levin, McGrath, Nelson, J. M., Oberg, Rodenberg, Sigel, Stahlke, Strand, Swensen, Thorkelson.

Dairy Products and Livestock—Wilkinson, chairman; Burdorf, Carlson, Curtis, Darby, Dilley, Flahaven, Gislason, C. M., Hale, Manske, Nelson, Carl, Olson, Pederson, Prince, Putnam, Ross, Schaleben, Shanks, Silver, Swanson, S. J., Swenson, O., Teigen, Urness, Welch, Stahlke.

Drainage—Neuman, chairman; Bendixen, Brophey, Burdorf, Burrows, Curtis, Enger, Emmons, Gislason, J. B., Greene, T. J., Grant, Harrison, McPartlin, Manske, Rako, Schaleben, Shirley, Sortedahl, Wicklund.

Education — Haugland, chairman; Berve, De Lury, Galewski, Green, H. M., Hitchcock, Iverson, Moen, Oberg, Oren, Stahlke, Swanson, S. J., Leonard, Warner, Waters, Wicker.

Elections—Warner, chairman; Adams, Baxter, Carlson, Gleason, Haugland, Hompe, Howard, Jacobson, Kingsley, McGivern, Nordgren, Norton, Parker, Putnam, Shanks, Sudheimer, Trowbridge, Wicker.

Enrollment and Engrossment—Hale, chairman; Arneson, Johnson, Kelly, Spelbrink.

Game and Fish—Praxel, chairman; Baxter, Christensen, A., Corning, Curtis, Enstrom, Fawcett, Frisch, Goodspeed, Grant, Hammer, Herried, Hinds, Leonard, McLaughlin, Thorkelson, Rodenberg.

General Legislation—Girling, chairman; Brophey, Bouck, Cullum, Dilley, Gill, Gislason, C. M., Gleason, Greene, T. J., Grant, Jacobson, Lennon, A. L., Lennon, J. G., Miner, Nimocks, Nordlin, Praxel, Swanson, John, Waters.

Grain and Warehouse — Bendixen, chairman; Baxter, Corning, Cullum, Dilley, Christensen, A., Hale, Howard, Shanks, Lee, Nelson, Carl N., Nett, Perry, Putnam, Ross, Gislason, C. M., Smith, Teigen, Welch.

Insurance—Solem, chairman; Arneson, Baxter, Berve, Bouck, Briggs, Chirhart, Johnson, Kelly, Leonard, Lennon, A. L., McGivern, Shirley, Nimocks, Pittenger, Rodenberg, Swensen, E.

Judiciary—Parker, chairman; Berve, Boyd, Brophey, Christianson, T., De Lury, Erickson, Gleason, Hammer, Haugland, Howard, Levin, McGivern, McGrath, McPartlin, Moen, Murphy, Nordlin, Norton, Oberg, Pattison, Pittenger, Praxel, Sigel, Solem, Sudheimer, Swensen, E., Wilkinson.

Labor—McGrath, chairman; Bernard, Burrows, Fawcett, Galewski, Gill, Harrison, Kingsley, Lennon, A. L., Long, McPartlin, Nordlin, Prince, Ryan, Sigel, Strand, Swanson, J., West.

Legislation Expense — Pittenger, chairman; Neuman, Rako, Sortedahl, Swanson, John.

Markets and Marketing—Nordgren, chairman; Bendixen, Carlson, Day, Enger, Hinds, Howard, Lee, Perry, Prince, Scherf, Serline, Sliter, Sortedahl, Teigen, Wicker, Wilkinson.

Military Affairs—Dilley, chairman; Bouck, Briggs, Christenson, A., Cullum, Hompe, Hulbert, Kingsley, Leonard, McLaughlin, Nordlin, Pattison, Praxel, Trowbridge, Wicker.

Motor Vehicles—Corning, chairman; Arens, Boyd, Goodspeed, Darby, Flahaven, Frisch, Gislason, C. M., Green, H. M., Greene, T. J., Nimocks, Oten, Sluke, Strand, Welker.

Municipal Affairs—Pattison, chairman; Boyd, Burrows, Emmons, Galewski, Gill, Goodspeed, Green, H. M., Harrison, Hodapp, Iverson, Long, Nett, Serline, Sliter, Spelbrink, Swanson, S. J.

Penal and Correctional Institutions—Harrison, chairman; Arens, Flahaven, Hinds, Hodapp, Iverson, Lee, Nett, Olson, Scherf, Smith.

Public Domain—Murphy, chairman; Anderson, Brophey, Burrows, Enstrom, Fawcett, Green, H. M., Hale, Hinds, Hulbert, Legersen, Long, McPartlin, Pedersen, Schaleben, Shirley, Skalem, Sinke, Sortedahl.

Public Highways — Swenson, O., chairman; Bouck, Bendixen, Burrows, Carlson, Chirhart, Curtis, De Lury, Derweiler, Enger, Emmons, Frisch, Gislason, J. B., Hale, Herried, Hinds, Hitchcock, Hulbert, Kelly, McPartlin, Manske, Nordgren, Oren, Perry, Rako, Ross, Schaleben, Solem, Shirley, Sudheimer, West.

Public Welfare and Health—Hompe, chairman; Cullum, Day, Galewski, Siegal, Lang, Milner, Nelson, J. M., Levin, Perry, Ryan, Stahlke, Swansen, John, Trowbridge.

Public Utilities—Gleason, chairman; Adams, Chirhart, Darby, Enger, Erickson, Gislason, J. B., Goodspeed, Lang, Lennon, J. G., McGrath, Murphy, Nelson, C. N., Nelson, J. M., Nimocks, Oren, Briggs, Strand, Teigen, Thorkelson, Urness.

Railroad—Swanson, S. J., chairman; Swenson, E., Holmquist, Lennon, John G., Long, Nelson, C. N., Nimocks, Praxel, Sigel, Sluke, Skalem, Urness, Walters, Welch, West.

Reconstruction and Relief—Hitchcock, chairman; Briggs, Burdorf, Darby, Erickson, Haugland, Holmquist, Neuman, Oberg, Olson, Parker, Pederson, Jacobson, Skalem, Warner.

Rules—Norton, chairman; Murphy, Nordgren, Parker, Putnam, Warner, Wilkinson.

State and County Fairs—Sudheimer, chairman; Anderson, Arens, Bouck, Corning, Enstrom, Frisch, Girling, Greene, T. J., Hale, Neuman, Serline, Swenson, C. A., West, Wicklund.

State Development and Immigration—Bouck, chairman; Boyd, Day, Derweiler, Herried, Hinds, Rodenberg, Serline, Sortedahl.

State Hospitals—Moen, chairman; Hammer, Lagersen, Lennon, A. L., Prince, Skalem, Spelbrink, Stahlke, Swenson, O. A., Swensen, Erling, Urness.

Soldiers' Home — Swanson, John, chairman; Arneson, Flahaven, Green, H. M., Harrison, Hodapp, Holmquist, Hompe, Kelly, Manske, Spelbrink.

Taxes—Adams, chairman; Bendixen, Briggs, Cullum, Engstrom, Haugland, Kingsley, Neuman, McGivern, Nimocks, Norlen, Perry, Pittengen, Ross, Serline, Shirley, Sliter, Sudheimer, Warner, Wicker, Wilkinson.

Temperance — Putnam, chairman; Bernard, Girling, Grant, Hammer, Lagersen, Leonard, McGivern, Moen, Nordgren, Norton, Oberg, Pittenger, Shanks, West.

Towns and Counties—Ross, chairman; Burdorf, Curtis, Darby, Enger, Grant, Herried, Hitchcock, Haugland, Holmquist, Iverson, Kelly, Lee, Long, Manske, Nelson, J. M., Olson, Serline, Thorkelson.

Universities and State Schools—Hitchcock, chairman; Boyd, Christensen, Andrew, Day, Derweiler, Hammer, Hodapp, Kingsley, McLaughlin, Pattison, Rako, Ryan, Urness.

Workmen's Compensation—Nordlin, chairman; Brophey, Emmons, Fawcett, Gleason, Hitchcock, Howard, Lang, McGrath, Miner, Pattison, Smith, Solem, Swensen Erling, Waters.

Draft System Proven Sound.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Addressing approximately 700 members of local draft boards of the state, members of the Illinois Selective Service association, Maj. Gen. Enoch H. Crowder declared that "after a year and a half of experience it is now generally conceded that the plan of the selective service system was fundamentally sound." "This war could never have been won by armies raised exclusively by the volunteer system," he said during the course of his address.

John Hays Hammond Sued.

Baltimore, Jan. 14.—John Hays Hammond, mining engineer and financier, was sued here for specific performance of an alleged agreement made by him for the settlement of the litigation over stock of the General Cotton Securities company, which he is charged with wrongfully obtaining and converting to his own use. The suit was brought by Mrs. Effie F. Doremus, as administratrix of the estate of her husband, Willard F. Doremus, and Addison G. Du Bois.

VANCE C. McCORMICK QUITS

Said to Have Resigned as Democratic Chairman.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Vance C. McCormick has resigned as chairman of the Democratic national committee. It is understood he is under consideration for appointment as American ambassador to France to succeed William Graves Sharp. Mr. Sharp's resignation, it is said, is in the hands of the President, but no announcement of the fact has been made.

The fact that Mr. McCormick has resigned became known here, although there had been no suggestion of it when he sailed for France two weeks ago to assist with work in connection with the peace conference.

DEPUTIES CHOOSE NEW RULER

Princess Charlotte to Preside Over Luxembourg Affairs.

Luxembourg, Jan. 16.—Princess Charlotte, sister of Grand Duchess Marie, has been chosen as the latter's successor by the chamber of deputies, which met immediately after the abdication of the grand duchess was announced. By a vote of 30 to 19 the chamber decided immediately to appoint a delegation to receive Princess Charlotte's oath of office. Princess Charlotte will assume office at once.

THOUSANDS MAY EMIGRATE

Italians and Austrians Anxious to Settle in America.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Thousands of Italian and Austrian war prisoners are planning to come to America as soon as possible, John B. Densmore, director of the federal employment service, told the House immigration committee at the beginning of hearings on bills to prohibit immigration.

ALLIED OFFICERS HONORED

Washington, Jan. 16.—Upon the recommendation of General March, Secretary Baker has awarded the American distinguished service medal to 11 officers of Allied armies for "exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service to the United States army" during the war.

U. S. Animal Casualties 42,311.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Animal casualties overseas had reached a total of 42,311 on Christmas day, at which time the total American animal army in France was 191,631, War department officials said.

Medical Men's Union Approved.

London, Jan. 15.—Satisfaction is expressed by the Times in an editorial commenting upon the foundations of an "inter-Allied fellowship of medicine" which it says will unite more closely American, British and other Allied schools of medicine. Dr. Sir William Osler is president of the organization and Dr. Sir Abuthnot Lane is treasurer. Steps will be taken to inaugurate in London post graduate courses in medicine similar to those already established at Paris.

Keeps PERUNA In the House All the time

Breaks up a Cold. Good for Bronchial Inflammations.

Those who object to liquid medicines can secure Peruna Tablets

Mr. Robert McDougall, R. R. No. 6, Liberty, Indiana, writes:

"I wish to state that I always keep Peruna in the house. I think it is a good medicine to have on hand. If I commence taking a cold, I take Peruna and it breaks it up for me. It is also good for the Bronchial Tubes."

Peruna has served the American people for more than forty years. Those who know its value always have it at hand. Why not you?

A man's self-esteem often receives a terrific blow from the small boy who wants to know things.

Failure is the one thing that is spoiled by success.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Why Friendship Ceases.

Pell—What do you suppose our baby did this morning?

Mell—Couldn't guess in a thousand years.

Pell—Why, the little rascal woke up!—Buffalo Express.

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Food

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

CHEESE.

Why are we not asked to save cheese?

Because we have a plentiful supply on hand in addition to that needed for exports.

How much cheese did we import in 1914?

An average of over 5,000,000 pounds every month.

How much did we import in August, 1917?

Half a million pounds.

What is the food value of 1 pound of cheese?

American pale cheese contains 130.6 grams protein, 162.8 grams fat, 1.35 grams carbohydrates, and furnishes 2,055 calories (according to Atwater and Bryant). It equals 1 pound of fat meat in energy value.

Is cheese made of whole milk or skim milk?

Most of it is made of whole milk.

Since the butter supply is limited, why not make cheese of skim milk and use cream for butter production?

Because cheese is made when there are such quantities of milk on hand that all of it could not be put on the market or consumed as milk or butter. It is really a by-product of the dairy industry.

What per cent of the milk produced is made into butter and what per cent goes into cheese?

Sixty per cent to butter, 5 per cent to cheese.

What is cottage cheese made of?

Skim milk, buttermilk, or sour milk.

Is cottage cheese nourishing food?

Yes. It is rich in protein, and in price it is one of the cheapest protein foods now available.

What does a pound of cottage cheese represent as protein value in terms of other foods?

One pound cottage cheese is equivalent to—

1.27 pounds sirloin steak.
1.37 pounds chuck rib beef.
1.53 pounds fowl.
1.46 pounds fresh ham.
1.58 pounds loin pork chop.

What other products are made of sour milk or buttermilk?

Skim-milk cheese, hard cheese, sour-milk drinks, all of which are wholesome, casein and milk sugar.

What place has cheese in the diet?

It is a substitute for meat, and should be eaten as a dish instead of a tidbit.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

What are the dairy products?

Milk, cream, butter, cheese, ice cream, etc.

What are the distinctive qualities of milk, butter, and cheese?

Milk is called a "perfect food" because it contains all the food elements in nearly the right proportion for proper nutrition and in the most digestible form; butter is probably the most attractive fat and is 100 per cent digestible; cheese has high protein value and is a good substitute for meat.

Why is the number of dairy cattle in Europe diminishing?

Because Europe has had to eat many dairy animals, because shortage of labor has reduced fodder and help necessary for the herds, and shortage of shipping has limited the amount of imported fodder.

Why do the Allies turn to us for dairy products?

Because supplies reaching them from Scandinavia, Holland, and Switzerland are now largely cut off, and shipping can not be provided to bring food from Australia and New Zealand.

Why should we encourage our dairy industry?

Because children need plenty of milk and butter, because the world faces a shortage of milk and butter, and because dairying is fundamental in much of our agriculture.

How can we use dairy products most wisely?

By using butter only on the table, by using more skim and sour milk and more whole milk; by wasting no milk or butter.

May we use ice cream freely?

Ice cream is a healthful food and offers an excellent way of using milk products. But it contains sugar, which is one of the foods we wish to save. Patronize dealers who use corn sirup and honey in place of sugar, and when making it at home, always use other sweeteners.

How much butter did we export to Europe from July 1, 1915, to July 1, 1916?

[illegible]2,673 pounds, most of which went to the Allies.

How much cheese did we export in the same period?

38,221,450 pounds, most of which went to the Allies.

How much condensed milk did we export in the same period?

[illegible]9,541,098 pounds. All except about 5,000,000 pounds of this went to the Allies.

Have we kept up the immensely increased exports which marked the fiscal year 1916-17?

No; from July 1, 1917, to January 1, 1918, we sent 20,000,000 pounds less butter and 13,000,000 pounds less cheese than in the corresponding period a year ago.

Read our new ads this week.

Walt Wegge went to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

This is the nicest winter we have had for many years.

Basket social Feb. 1, benefit the Holt public schools.

John Boe moved his family back to Minneapolis last week.

The Ladies Aid will serve lunch at the church next Thursday.

Mrs. Axel Nelson and Miss Mabel Christenson went to Warren Tuesday.

Mrs. Paul Olson visited Mrs. Racine Olson in Thief River Falls on Monday and Tuesday.

Wait for Dr. Turley, the dentist, as he will be here on Tuesday Feb. 4th to do dental work.

The railroad carpenters were here a few days repairing the damage on their water tank.

Mrs. John Ostlund died Monday night at her home in Newfolden from an attack of the flu.

Mrs. Sam Mickelson went to Thief River Falls yesterday to visit her daughter Mrs. Racine Olson.

Next week you will have a chance to help the starving Armenian and Syrian christians. Give of your plenty, as you do here.

Creamery Statement

Business done by Holt Creamery for month of Nov. 1918

Cream received	6,908 lbs
Average Test	26.20
Butterfat	1,820 lbs
Overrun	440 lbs
Butter made	2,260 lbs.
Price paid	70 cents
Receipts for butter sold	$1,991.40
Paid Patrons by check	$1,273.81
Sinking fund	18.25
Expense fund	119.34
Balance	515.00

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Bank Statement.

Bank No. 800.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Dec. 31, 1918.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$164,581 19
Overdrafts		179 63
U. S. Bonds and War Saving Stamps		6,132 77
Banking House		2,497 21
Furniture and Fixtures		2,500 00
Other Real Estate		1,402 68
Due from Banks	10,560 98	
Cash on Hand	2,867 00	
Cur. 2,505 00		
Silver. 340 00		
Other. 22 00		
Total Cash Assets		13,237 04
Checks and Cash Items		2,812 01
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		
Checks and Drafts in Transit		
Total		$190,344 03

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		3,000 00
Undivided Profits		3,455 40
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable, (including certificates for money borrowed)		20,005 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$31,907 47	
Cashier's Checks	1,020 00	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	66,328 07	
Savings Deposits	45 18	
Time Certificates	84,020 32	
Total Deposits		151,103 57
Total		$190,344 03
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$16,030 55
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$12,214 37

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Bakke, President.
B. Docken, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. Gunheim.
[Two] Directors. R. Reierson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Jan. 1919.

[Seal] —Nils Engebretson, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 15, 1919.

Creamery meeting Saturday.

Thursday Jan. 30th, lunch at the Mission church.

The annual meeting of the Holt creamery will be held to-morrow.

Thorval Kolden came up from Crookston Saturday for a few days visit at home.

C. W. Christianson went to Strandquist Friday for a few days visit with relatives.

Ole Sovde opened his confectionery store Monday and is now ready to serve the public.

Jesse Sorum went to Randen Tuesday to help Sevenke Svenkeson run his saw mill.

Ed O'Hara returned to Thief River Falls Saturday after a visit with his folks on the farm.

Racine Olson went to Thief River Falls Saturday for a few days visit with his wife at the sanatarium.

The personal property tax list and proceedings of the county board are printed this week in our supplement.

There are rumors that Holt is to have another elevator and bank before many moons.

Mrs. Jernberg and little son returned to her home in Montana Saturday after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Abrahamson returned to her home at Gatske Monday after a few days pleasant visit at the S. Boersheim and Alfred Anderson homes.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred ninety and 82-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Oluf O. Eggum and Petra Eggum, his wife Mortgagors, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota Corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of June 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of June 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 79 of Mortgages, on page 9, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section twenty two in Township One Hundred Fifty Six North of Range Forty Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of February 1919 at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Ninety and 82-100 Dollars and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 20th 1918.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Ninety and 29-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Ed. Ellingson and Christine Ellingson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January 1912, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of January, 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Book 66 of Mortgages, on page 320.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Holt State Bank Mortgagee, to The Minnesota Loan and Trust Company by written assignment dated the 3rd day of February 1918, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 27th day of March 1918, at 2 o'clock P. M. in Book 71 of Mortgages on page 417.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Minnesota Loan and Trust Company the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minnesota, (a corporation) by written assignment dated the 4th day of September 1913, and recorded on the 18th day of December 1918, at 8:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 94 of Mortgages page 353; and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The southeast quarter (SE) Section thirteen (13) in Township One Hundred Fifty-eight (158) North of Range (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, and containing one hundred sixty acres more or less according to the government survey thereof, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of February 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Ninety and 29-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th 1918.

Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minn.
Assignee of Mortgagee

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
Warren, Minnesota.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell, phone 140.

Basket social Saturday evening Feb. 1st., Holt school house.

John Olson went to Warren Monday to seek medical advice.

Case automobile for sale cheap. Enquire of Oscar Anderson, Holt.

Wait for Dr. Turley, the dentist, as he will be here on Tuesday Feb. 4th to do dental work.

Mrs. H. Pavek who has been ailing from a bad throat, went to T. R. Falls Monday to consult Dr. Fuelsen(?)

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Sorter went to Thief River Falls Saturday where the latter entered the hospital for medical treatment.

The farmers will hold a meeting here Monday Feb. 3rd for the purpose of organizing a Farmers' Elevator Co. All interested are invited.

Dr. Froehlich was called Wednesday to see Theodore Olson, who had been sick since Sunday. The doctor pronounced his case, the chicken pox.

The farmers elevator seems to be a sure go as a site has already been asked for from the railroad company and about $7500.00 has already been subscribed for the project.

The nurse who has been employed at the Albert Bennes home caring for Mrs. Bennes during her sickness, returned to her work in T. R. Falls, Wednesday.

Andrew Menom of Middle River visited Ernest Phillipson Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Manom returned home only last week from overseas where he served his country for several months.

Mrs. Ole Garthus and Miss Inga Johnson went to Thief River Falls Monday and the next day Mrs. Garthus left there for an extended visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Gus Johnson, at Duluth.

Rev. Kilen will hold services at the Mission church next Tuesday evening. The Lord's Supper will be celebrated at this time.

This will be Rev. Kilen's last service in Holt as he is soon to leave for China where he will do missionary work.

The following officers were elected at the annual creamery meeting: Directors, John Engstrom, John H. Knutson and Lewis Wegge; Secretary and Treasurer, John A. Sorum.

The date of the annual meeting was changed so that hereafter it will be held one month later.

It was decided to issue the cream checks on the first of the month, instead of the 20th, as formerly done.

The creamery made over 9,000 lbs. more butter than during the previous year and is in a very prosperous condition and can and do, do better by the farmers, than the Big Business centralizers.

Army and Navy News

Sergeant Ole Johnson returned home Tuesday from Camp Dodge, having been discharged from the military service.

Clarence Swan returned home Friday from Norfolk, Va., having received his discharge from the navy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ahlborn visited with Nellie Saastad in Middle River between trains on Friday then left for Willmar and Kandiyohi Minn. where they will visit friends and relatives, before leaving for Minneapolis where they will make their future home. Mr. Ahlborn will continue his office work for the Soo line where he was employed before his enlistment in the U. S. Marines.

Mr. and Mrs. Gullek Swenson received a telegram Friday stating their son, Richard A. Swenson, had been killed in action on Oct. 3rd.

Tuesday they received official confirmation, by mail, of the telegram with further information that their son had been buried in the French cemetery at Fay-en-Haye, France.

The young man formerly lived at Mallby, Minnesota, where he ran a barber shop until drafted into the service last April, and sent to Camp Dodge with the other boys from Alexandria.

Soon after entering the service he was sent overseas and had been on the firing line for sometime, serving his country faithfully until he made the supreme sacrifice.

He belonged to the 318th Engineers and was about 24 years old.

He had written home only 3 days before he was killed in battle.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the sorrowing parents and other relatives and friends of the deceased.

Basket social Feb. 1, benefit the Holt public schools.

Mrs. B. Docken visited in Middle River between trains Tuesday.

Mrs. Andrew Hanson visited at the Nels Engebretson home Monday.

Ernest Phillipson visited in Middle River between trains Tuesday.

The flu has broken out again in the villages of Oslo and Alvarado.

Carl Sorenson has gone to T. R. Falls to run one of the rural mail routes. He will move his family later.

Walter Sandberg went to T. R. Falls last Friday to visit relatives and friends, returning home Monday.

Racine Olson went to T. R. Falls last Saturday to visit his wife at the sanitorium, returning to Holt Tuesday.

John Olson was operated upon, at the Warren hospital Tuesday, for appendicitis, and came nicely thru the effects of the operation.

Andrew Ness and family of T. R. Falls, who have been visiting at the R. Reierson home for two weeks, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ness N. E. of Holt this week.

A most pleasant and unique party was held at the Lawrence Flak home last Saturday evening, Miss Gladys Flak and Miss Elisabeth Newton acting as hostesses. Each guests was dressed to represent certain characters or nationalities. Miss Agnes Bakke representing the Goddess of Liberty, received the first prize, Renie Werner representing a Turk, received 2nd. prize. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and music, afterwhich a delicious lunch was served. In the small hours of the morning the young people departed for their homes feeling that a most happy evening had been spent.

For Sale Cheap

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Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet Saturday at 1.

Services in Holt Sunday at 11, in Thorvick at 3 o'clock.

The yearly meeting of the Ladies Aid was held last week Wednesday at Andrew Bjerk's. Officers were elected and Mrs. M. B. Fitch was admitted as a member of the society.

It was reported that Wm. Wendt gave $10.00 toward a church basement, and the Aid extended him a vote of thanks.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Southeast of Holt

Who says we are not having a nice winter? Surely no one can complain of the cold.

A number of friends gathered and surprised Arthur Thorvick at his home Saturday evening it being his birthday anniversary. Mr. Thorvick was presented with a beautiful military set by his friends. The evening was most enjoyably spent with music and games, afterwhich a delicious lunch was served.

Clarence Larson of Golden Valley was a visitor at the S. Moe home enroute to Warren, on a business trip.

Amanda and Constance Klungness spent Saturday and Sunday at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness were visitors at the Nustvold home Sunday.

Torkel Ose returned home last week after having spent some time in England at a hospital where he was taken while on his way to France.

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K. O. Flakne, Holt, Minn.

Take Notice

Prof. Frances A. March, Ph. D is a brother of Gen. Peyton C. March, Chief of Staff of the United States Army. Prof. March has written a complete history of the great world war and General March has written an introduction to the book and Richard J. Beamish a special war correspondent and military analyst has given his assistance in the preparation of this wonderful history of the greatest war the world has ever known.

This book is now on the market at a reasonable price, viz: $2.75 and $3.75.

The agent for this vicinity is C. Rustad. Send your order to him at Holt, Minn.

The New Solum Ladies Aid was entertained at the Isaac Garfe home Wednesday.

Miss Esther and Renie Werner entertained at their home last Friday evening a party of young people from Holt. A most enjoyable time was spent.

Dr. Turley will be at the Central Hotel next Tuesday Feb. 4th. to do dental work.

P. C. Rosand will sell several cows that are fresh and to be fresh soon, also other cattle, horses, hogs chickens and machinery at public auction Saturday Feb. 8th.

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
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Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Hotel in Holt, on
Tuesday Feb. 4th

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $1.50
Gold Crowns $5.00 and $6.00 Porcelain $5.00
Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth Free
When Plates or Bridges are Ordered
Always Come In Early

You'll always find the date of my visit in The Holt Weekly News

Farmers' Elevator Meeting

Monday Feb. 3, Holt, Minn.
Woodman Hall
2 o'clock

For the purpose of organizing a
Farmers' Elevator Company
The election of Officers and for framing the
Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws
of the association
All interested are invited

Farmers Committee

The Local Market
(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.[illegible]
Wheat No. 2	[illegible]
Wheat No. 3	1.[illegible]
Wheat No. 4	1.[illegible]
Flax	[illegible]
Oats	.4[illegible]
Barley	$1 to .[illegible]
Rye	1.3[illegible]
Flour, Best Patent	5.00

Drs. Mellby & Pahlson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg. [illegible]

City Barber Shop
Agent for
N. E. GAHL COMPANY
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All work guaranteed satisfactory
Ernest Phillipson
Holt, Minn.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together [illegible]

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with livery and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

Marshall County Campaign [illegible] 26th to Feb. 1st, to raise funds for the relief of the starving Armenians and Syrians. Mr. Docken is chairman for this village.

MUST PROVIDE FOOD

Duty Devolving on Farmers of This Continent.

Western Canada Well Prepared to Meet the Needs of the Old World—"The Earth Is a Machine Which Yields Almost Gratuitous Service to Every Application of Intellect"—Emerson.

Speaking with one of the commissioners appointed to make a survey of the food situation in the battle-torn countries of Europe the writer was told that the depletion and shortage of food was far greater than anybody had expected. With the investigation, which at that time had merely started, much had been brought to light that had only been surmised. Herds of live stock were completely wiped out, fields that had been prolific yielders of grain, roots and vegetables were terraced and hummocked by bombs and shells, many of them still lying unexploded and dangerous. Until this land can be gone over and cleaned nothing in the way of cultivation can be carried on, and even where that is done the work of leveling and getting under cultivation will take a long time.

Much more devolves upon the farmer on this side of the Atlantic than was at first supposed. Herds of live stock will have to be replenished, and this will take years; the provisioning of the people in the meantime is the task the farmers here will be asked to undertake. Producing countries will be taxed to their utmost to meet this demand; all that can be provided will be needed. This need will continue for some time, and during this period prices will be high. The opinion of those who have given the question most careful thought and study is that food scarcity will be greater than ever before. The Allies will have to feed Germany, Austria, Turkey and Russia and this in addition to the requirements of European neutrals for increased supplies now that there is no submarine menace.

To the Canadian and American farmer this means a demand for his grain fully as great as at any time in the past. Wheat will be needed, meat will be required. The slogan "don't stop saving food" is as necessary today as ever. The purpose of this article is to direct attention to the fact that hundreds of thousands of acres of land in Western Canada are still unoccupied, and this land is capable of producing enough to supply all needs. On its rich grasses are easily raised—and cheaply too—the cattle that will be sought; in its soil lies the nutriment that makes easy the production of the grain that will be needed, and in both the farmer will be assured of a good profit on his investment. The land can be purchased at low prices, on easy terms, and with the abundance of returns that it will give, it does not mean a matter of speculation. The facts as set out are known, and certainly are guaranteed.

These facts, the low cost of the land, and its great productivity, combined with the admirable marketing and transport facilities at the disposal of the farmer make farming in Western Canada an attractive proposition.—Advertisement.

Natural Idea.

"How was it that criminal managed to make such a slick escape?"

"I suppose it was because he looked so smooth, the police thought they needn't iron him."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Heritage Worth While.

An education is the only legacy most fathers are able to leave their children. This education should be of the best.—Buffalo News.

Keep clean inside as well as outside by taking a gentle laxative at least once a week, such as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

Not a Mark of Affection.

Mistress—Are you married?

Maid—No, ma'am. I bumped into a door.—London Ideas.

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP

Why use ordinary cough remedies when Boschee's Syrup has been used so successfully for fifty-one years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles? It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health. Made in America and sold for more than half a century.—Adv.

All the world's a stage and the majority of us sit in the gallery and throw things at the performers.

A little good advice goes a long way—before anybody takes it.

Your Eyes Granulated Eyelids, Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggists or by mail 60c per Bottle. For Book of the Eye free write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

Happenings of the World Tersely Told

Peace Notes

President Wilson was the guest of the French senate at a luncheon at Paris. He was greeted by Antonin Dubost, president of the senate, who made an eulogistic address, in which he said that the senate welcomed the American president and his ideas.

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The "big five"—America, Britain, France, Italy and Japan—will be the dominating powers at the peace conference, says a Paris dispatch. They will take part in all meetings and commissions. The other powers actively engaged in the war against the central powers will attend sittings at which questions concerning them are discussed. Among these nations are Belgium, Brazil, China, Greece, Poland, Portugal, Roumania, Serbia and the Czecho-Slovaks.

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Washington

The post office department at Washington will stand pat on its new telephone rates. Furthermore, it will enforce the payment of the new tolls, despite conflicting orders of state public utilities commissions throughout the country, said William H. Lamar, solicitor of the department.

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Live stock on farms and ranges of the country on January 1 was valued at $8,830,204,000 in an estimate made public by the department of agriculture at Washington. This is an increase of $546,006,000 over their value a year ago.

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President Wilson cabled to Secretary Tumulty at Washington his approval of the proposal to hold Roosevelt memorial meetings throughout the country on February 9, simultaneously with the joint memorial services in congress.

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The senate bill to make Grand canyon a national park was passed by the house and sent to conference at Washington. In the area set aside are 996 square miles of public land, now parts of two national forests and a game refuge. The proposal has been before congress for 33 years.

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Only one more big war loan is planned by the treasury department, Secretary Glass said at Washington. This will be the Victory Liberty loan, to be floated probably the last three weeks in April. The amount will not be more than $6,000,000,000, and may be $5,000,000,000.

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Foreign

A Berlin dispatch says that from a trustworthy source it is forecast the election results will show that the Ebert-Scheidemann group has a majority, though not a large one, in the national constituent assembly.

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The Irish republic has been proclaimed. The Sinn Fein parliament, meeting in the Mansion house in Dublin, rose to its feet as the historic declaration of independence demanding the evacuation of Ireland by the British garrisons was read. The declaration of independence, read to the assemblage amid thunderous and constant cheers, asserts that "the Irish people alone have the power to make laws binding on the Irish people."

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Disorders in Hamburg, in which several persons were killed and others wounded, are reported from Zurich. The disorders are incident to demonstrations in connection with the demand for the release of the sailors who had been imprisoned by the government as the outcome of previous disturbances.

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Lemburg has been taken by Ukrainian troops, according to a dispatch to the state department at Washington, quoting the Lemburg Neue Freie Press as its authority.

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White Russia has proclaimed its union with the Russian soviet republic, according to a dispatch from Kiev.

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A Stockholm dispatch says the Esthonians have recaptured Dorpat, about twenty-five miles west of Lake Peipus, from the bolshevist forces. They captured three guns, a locomotive and more than one hundred cars.

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A counter-revolution has broken out in Petrograd, according to reports from Reval, and the bolsheviki have started a general hurried retreat eastward from Esthonia.

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The London stock exchange committee on the treatment of alien enemies approved the rule barring all enemy-born members and assistants after the war. The rule will go into effect March 25.

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A squadron of the Third guard uhlans, according to the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger, left Potsdam for the Polish front.

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Prince John, youngest son of King George, died at London. He was thirteen years old.

Swedish military missions which have just returned to Stockholm from Lithuania and Esthonia have reported favorably regarding the sending of a voluntary military expedition into Lithuania.

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A Borne dispatch says the German military command, in announcing the capture of Mitau by the bolsheviki, said that the advancing Russians also had occupied Boheljani, Schaulan, Tukkum and Golduz, in the region west and southwest of Riga.

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Domestic

The Nassau county grand jury failed to indict Mrs. Marie Augustine Lebaudy, who shot and killed her husband, the eccentric Jacques Lebaudy, at their home in Westbury, N. Y., early this month.

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Twenty-five prisoners, mostly Joliet convicts, who had been paroled to work in the government arsenal, escaped from the county jail at Rock Island and were reported to be headed for Chicago in automobiles.

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The senate of the California legislature at Sacramento adopted a resolution recommending to the war and navy departments that men discharged from the service be given six months' pay.

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Approximately 30,000 shipyard workers in Seattle and 15,000 in Tacoma are on strike. The men are demanding a new basic agreement of $8 a day for mechanics.

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The three months' invasion of Kansas by the influenza epidemic cost 5,517 lives, says an official statement issued by the state health department at Topeka.

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A mob gathered at the jail at Hillsboro, Tex., battered down the doors, took Bragg Williams, a negro, to the corner of the public square and burned him to death. Williams was sentenced to be hanged February 21 for the murder of Mrs. George Wells and her child December 2, 1918.

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Two persons were killed and more than four score injured in two railroad wrecks—one on the Northwestern railway and the other on the Ravenswood elevated in Chicago. The early morning fog is said to have caused both wrecks.

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A continued labor shortage with resultant high wages, for at least the period of 1919, was forecast at a conference at Chicago between some 75 men representing the various railroads centering in Chicago and government and state employment bureau officials.

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The French liner Rochambeau, which reported by wireless that she would put into Halifax, N. S., to replenish her coal supply, arrived there with 882 American troops as passengers.

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Leonard Clift, fifteen, and Adam Prior, sixteen, newsboys, of Toledo, O., were drowned while skating on the Maumee river. The boys were pulling a rowboat over the ice when they broke through.

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A three-story store and office building at Pierce and Sixth streets at Sioux City, Ia., owned by the T. S. Martin estate and occupying a quarter block, was destroyed by fire Sunday morning.

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A Denver (Colo.) dispatch says 50 Presbyterian elders and clergymen have adopted a report declaring the Iliff School of Theology and Denver university to be "hotbeds of infidelity."

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Minnesota ratified the federal prohibition amendment. The house adopted the resolution by a vote of 92 to 36. The senate adopted the resolution Thursday.

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According to a Philadelphia dispatch the old battleships Iowa, Indiana and Massachusetts are on their way to Norfolk to become training ships.

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All the 46 defendants in the I. W. W. conspiracy case were found guilty by a jury in the United States district court at Sacramento, Cal.

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A million-dollar oil fire at the docks of the Atlantic Refining company at Philadelphia resulted from an explosion of oil aboard the tanker Roald Amundsen.

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Mrs. Hilda Exlund was found guilty of murder by a jury in Judge Thomas Windes' court at Chicago and sentenced to 14 years in prison. This is the first time in the history of Cook county that a woman was convicted on the charge of murder, although others have been found guilty of manslaughter. Mrs. Exlund stabbed her husband on October 16 of last year, following a quarrel.

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Nikolai Lenine, the bolshevist premier of Russia, was among Russian refugees who landed at Barcelona recently, according to newspapers at Madrid.

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A midnight coasting party ended fatally when Martin C. Kehoe, Jr., of Highland Park, Ill., prominent investment broker, died in Highland Park hospital. His skull was crushed in a 15-foot fall into a ravine from a steep grade on Racine avenue, Highland Park, on which he and friends were sledding.

STATE BREVITIES

Rush City.—The Chisago county fair at Rush City will be held this year on Aug. 25-26-27, instead of about the middle of September, as has been the policy for many years.

Minneapolis.—A new winter wheat hardy enough for successful growing in Minnesota has been developed after 26 years experimenting at the University farm. It is a cross of the Odessa white wheat and Turkey red.

Duluth.—The first plans for the meeting of the grand lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, to be held in Duluth in June, were outlined at a meeting of the Duluth committee at the offices of L. A. Simonson.

St. Cloud.—Anthony Forcier, proprietor of the Merchants' hotel, was held up at the rear of the hotel at night and severely beaten about the head by two men who were scared off before they could rob him of $30 in a pocket.

Little Falls.—Governor Burnquist has re-appointed M. M. Williams of this city as a member of the board of regents of the University of Minnesota. Mr. Williams received his first appointment about six years ago from Governor Eberhart.

Rochester.—Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Mayo have presented "Red House," their former residence, to the local Y. W. C. A., to be used as a boarding home and entertainment hall for members of the Y. W. C. A. The property is valued at $35,000.

St. Paul.—Payments of royalties estimated at $250,000 on iron ore shipped from state owned mines under leases during the last quarter of 1918 began arriving late yesterday at the office of State Treasurer Rines. The royalty is at the rate of 25 cents a ton.

Red Lake Falls.—Secretary E. G. Buse of the Red Lake County Agricultural association has paid out premiums to prize winners at the 1918 Red Lake county fair. The check for the amount of the premiums was received by Mr. Buse from State Auditor, J. A. O. Preus.

St. Paul.—The State Public Safety commission has recommended to the Legislature that funds be appropriated to aid the widow and four children of Charles W. Robertson, a Hinckley home guardsman, who died of pneumonia contracted while aiding relief work in the Moose Lake fire.

St. Paul.—The State Public Safety commission has started preparation of an honor roll of Minnesota men who lost their lives in the war. Engraved memorials, expressing the state's debt to these men, will be sent to the nearest relative of each soldier, autographed by Governor Burnquist.

St. Paul.—Appeals for the relief of Northern Minnesota fire sufferers are receiving response from the four corners of the earth. Mail delays, and not slackness in giving, account for the receipt, by Representative W. A. Pittinger of Duluth, grand master, of $130.94 for the relief fund from a small I. O. O. W. lodge in Yokohama, Japan.

St. Paul.—The entire Fifth infantry regiment, Minnesota National Guard, has been granted federal recognition in War department orders received by Adjutant General Rhinow. Requisition for $170,000 worth of ordnance and equipment for the regiment was made immediately by Maj. Harry L. Brady, federal property and disbursing officer.

St. Paul.—Establishment of a pharmaceutical corps as part of the medical department of the army will be discussed by the Minnesota State Pharmaceutical convention, which will be held February 24, 25 and 26 at the Saint Paul Hotel, attended probably by 1,000 members. Dean E. J. Wulling of the University of Minnesota will introduce such a proposal.

Stillwater. — John Nesmith and Thomas Yould, both of St. Paul, arrested there as they were getting off a street car with two large packs of bed clothing and linen secured when they burglarized the residence of Clifford W. Bascom, on the shores of White Bear lake, appeared before Judge O. E. Lee in municipal court here and were held to the grand jury.

Minneapolis. — The Minneapolis Steel & Machinery company have closed a contract with the government for the construction of six steel barges at a cost of $390,000. These comprise a third of the fleet of eighteen barges the United States will operate between the Twin Cities and St. Louis to test the practicability of the Upper Mississippi river as a medium of trasportation.

St. Paul.—Profits allowed dealers on Minnesota prison-made binder twine will be changed to a percentage basis upon adoption by the state legislature of an amendment to the present law to be urged by the dealers of the state. The statute fixing dealers' margins at 1 and 1½ cents a pound was enacted when prison-made twine sold at 7 and 8 cents a pound. The dealers contend that because larger investments are necessary now that the twine is selling at an average of 20 cents a pound a wider margin should be allowed on a percentage basis.

Deerwood.—E. Masson, agent at the Northern Pacific depot, this village has received two Saanen milk goats from the bureau of animal industry, after trying for the last three years. The bureau placed seven on the market this year, the first time it has offered any. One, a doe, brought $500. The two Mr. Masson purchased are seven-eighths pure bred and cost him $35 apiece delivered. He has a buck which he purchased two years ago. The Saanan goats are the choicest milk goats and originally were imported from Switzerland. There have been no importations for twelve years.

Stillwater.—Lars G. Danielson, a resident of this city for the past thirty-seven years, passed away at the city hospital, aged 58 years.

Detroit.—The tractor school recently held here was a big success. A large number of interested men attended, and many timely subjects were discussed.

Crookston.—C. A. Hitchcock has left for Rice Lake, Wis., to purchase a carload of thoroughbred Holsteins to be placed on farms in the promulgation of thoroughbred cattle in this section.

Pipestone.—One of the most important deals in blooded cattle ever made in this section took place when Alex Mitchell sold his entire herd of Shorthorns to N. N. Wogensen, of Tyler, Minn.

Brainerd.—Senator George H. Gardner, in limited service as secretary of General E. H. Crowder of the draft board, has returned from Washington, having received his honorable discharge.

Ivanhoe. — Lawrence Felcyn, a wealthy resident of this place, was stricken with apoplexy and sank to the floor dead before members of the family who heard his cry for help could reach his side.

Grand Rapids.—Local grocers have arranged to reinstate the delivery of goods to customers. The delivery will be made, however, only once a day, and all will be made with one rig, thus eliminating duplication.

St. Cloud.—The Commercial Club and Businessmen's association are backing a movement for the building of a $75,000 armory. It is likely the legislature will be asked to pass an act permitting the issuing of bonds.

Brainerd.—Crow Wing county has received an allotment of $22,000 from the state to apply on road work. Aitkin county was given $32,000; Cass, $30,000; Beltrami, $27,000; St. Louis, $50,000 and Itasca county, $28,000.

Hastings.—Thomas Flum, 40 years old and weighing 350 pounds, was found dead in his room in a hotel here. He had been taking treatment for heart trouble, and his deputy coroner says death resulted from natural causes.

Pipestone.—Claude McLain who has been a patient in several hospitals in France as well as in this country, has arrived at his home. He is suffering from shellshock and is the first Pipestone county man to return from the front.

St. Paul.—Measures will be taken to gain a recognition of nurses who act as assistants to dentists at the annual meeting of the Minnesota State Dental Society, to be held in the St. Paul Auditorium, February 6, 7 and 8. Among the speakers will be Dr. Charles H. Mayo of Rochester.

Stillwater.—Nine thousand pounds of sheephead, carp and buffalo were seined in Lake St. Croix by Hub Miller of South Stillwater. Nine hoop nets were used. The catch is the largest known for one day in Lake St. Croix. The entire catch will be shipped to Chicago, where demand for rough fish is great.

Moorhead.—The annual meeting of the Minnesota Holstein Breeders' association will be held in Moorhead, in June, the exact date to be fixed by the directors. The Clay County Holstein Breeders' association will be host. The Clay County Poultry association will hold its second annual show at Glyndon, Feb. 1.

Moorhead.—Trial of the $20,000 damage suit of W. R. Tillotson against the city of Moorhead has begun in Clay county district court. On Aug. 2, 1917, Mr. Tillotson tripped over a wire stretched above the sidewalk boulevard in front of the Moorhead post-office and fell, breaking his right leg. He claims permanent injury.

St. Paul.—Twenty-five engineers interested in drainage work considered the project of completing the topographical mapping of Minnesota, which was dropped in 1917 when only 10 per cent of the state was completed, at a conference in the old capitol, St. Paul. The map was left incomplete because the Legislature failed to make necessary apporpriations.

Moorhead.—Private Waldo E. Anderson, reported killed in action in the government casualty list, was the second son of Noah Anderson of Eglon township to make the supreme sacrifice on the battlefield. According to notice received from the war department by his father he was killed on Nov. 4, one week before the armistice was signed. He was 24.

Pipestone.—A case of statewide interest was tried here in district court for the purpose of testing the law which prohibits the use of lime water in cream. Albert Crambiltt, an employee of a local creamery, was charged with having mixed lime water in the cream, and the test case, in which several state chemists and others testified, resulted in his conviction.

Crookston.—Plans are being completed by the Red River Valley Live Stock association for the third annual winter live stock show here, Feburary 10 to 14. C. G. Selvig, president of the association and head of the Minnesota Agricultural college here, and S. M. Sivertson, member of the board of directors of the association, have gone to South St. Paul to promote interest in the show among stockmen there.

St. Paul.—Assistance of all postmasters of Minnesota is asked by the Treasury department in disposing of exemption claims prior to the discharge of Minnesota soldiers. The government has notified postmasters that the Treasury department, through the bureau of war risk insurance, and the War department, through the judge advocate general's office, are bending every effort to decide within the next 30 days all of the cases in which the enlisted men have sought to avoid, during their period of service, the support of their wives and children.

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Women who suffer from nervousness, "heat flashes," backache, headaches and "the blues" should try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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An Alabama private who was raging because he was kept in a northern camp during the holidays when things were "right smart" down South was asked what he would do if he were suddenly discharged. "Boy, I'se gwine to take distance."

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Weekly Health Talks

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People are easily frightened when they think something is the matter with their lungs or heart, and well they may be; but few people understand the dangers of diseased kidneys. These organs have a duty of vital importance to perform, and if they are diseased, there is no telling how or where the symptoms may appear. The kidneys are filters, and when they are healthy they remove the poisons from the blood and purify it. When the kidneys are diseased, the poisons are spread everywhere, and one of these poisons is uric acid. The uric acid is carried all through the system and deposited in various places, in the form of urate salts—in the feet, ankles, wrists and back—often forming bags under the eyes. Sometimes the resulting trouble is called rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica and backache. Finally, come stone in the bladder, diabetes and Bright's disease.

Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., in recent years, discovered that a certain combination of remedies would dissolve uric acid (urate salts) in the system. He found this combination to be harmless, so that he made it up in tablets, of double strength, and called them Anuric Tablets. They dissolve uric acid in the human system as hot coffee dissolves sugar. If you have uric acid troubles, don't delay in taking Anuric Tablets, which can be secured in the drug stores. You can write Dr. Pierce, too, and he will tell you what to eat and how to live so that more uric acid will not form in your system. Dr. Pierce will not charge for this advice.

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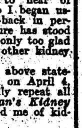
Some persons are like one-legged milk stools—no good unless sat upon.

When love comes in the door, reason flies out the window.



Confined to Her Bed Days at a Time

But Doan's Brought a Quick and Lasting Cure.

Mrs. Herrman Ruschke, 177 Fourth St., Long Island City, N. Y., says: "The pains in my back were almost unbearable. I always felt tired and listless and found it almost impossible to attend to my housework. Gradually the pains increased—day by day my suffering became worse. Often flashes of light and black specks would appear before my eyes and dizzy spells would come over me. My hands and feet were swollen and my head pained me so at times I thought it would split. My kidneys annoyed me, too. I became despondent. Sometimes I would have to take to my bed for three or four days at a time. I had the good fortune to hear of *Doan's Kidney Pills*, so I began using them and was soon back in perfect health again. My cure has stood the test of time, so I am only too glad to recommend Doan's to other kidney sufferers."

Mrs. Ruschke

Mrs. Ruschke gave the above statement in April, 1916, and on April 4, 1917, she added: "I gladly repeat all I have said about *Doan's Kidney Pills*, for they have cured me of kidney complaint."

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DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

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Figuring the Finances.

"Why don't you go into politics?"

"Can't afford it," replied the cautious citizen. "It has become almost a custom for a statesman to leave office a poorer man than when he entered it. And I'm in debt now."

Easily Accomplished.

Rich Bachelor—"My only ambition is to die poor." Married Friend—"And have you picked out the girl yet?"

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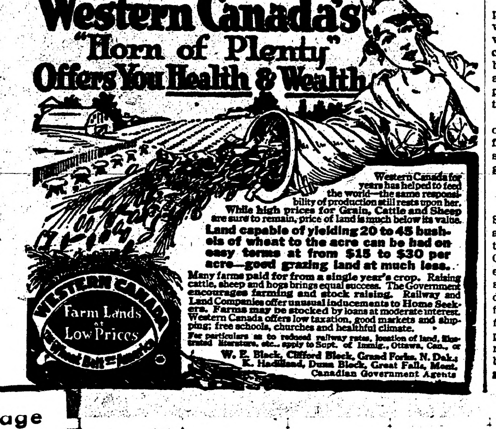
Just as soon as you eat a tablet of Pape's Diapepsin all the dyspepsia, indigestion and stomach distress ends. These pleasant, harmless tablets of Pape's Diapepsin always make sick, upset stomachs feel fine at once and they cost so little at drug stores.—Adv.

It's what a woman doesn't know about a man that causes her to have a good opinion of him.

Do what you can when you are unable to do what you would.



Western Canada's "Horn of Plenty" Offers You Health & Wealth

Western Canada for years has helped to feed the world—the same responsibility of production still rests upon her. While high prices for Grain, Cattle and Sheep are sure to remain, price of land is much below its value.

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For particulars as to reduced railway rates, location of land, illustrated literature, etc., apply to Supt. of Immig., Ottawa, Can., or

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. Dak.;
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Canadian Government Agents

PEACE TERMS READY IN MARCH

Conditions Germany Must Meet Expected to Be Settled by That Time.

DISPOSAL OF COLONIES

Question Occupies Attention of Peace Council—England and France Reported Opposed to Return of Hun Possessions.

Brussels, Jan. 28.—President Wilson will accept the invitation of King Albert to visit Brussels, it is said in well informed circles, but has not fixed the date for his trip.

Paris, Jan. 28.—When the supreme council of the peace conference met there was a full attendance of the members.

A number of technical advisers on colonial matters, including three Americans, accompanied the various delegations as they entered the foreign office for the session.

Question of Colonies.

One of the questions which it was expected the supreme council would take up was the fate of the German colonies. France and Great Britain, it is declared, are agreed on at least one feature of the solution of the problem which is that under no consideration shall the colonies revert to Germany. The reasons advanced for such a decision are various, but prominent among them is that it would render it impossible for Germany to establish submarine bases in her colonial possessions. The American attitude is as yet unrevealed.

A prominent official declared today that should the Franco-British viewpoint prevail, the German Kamerun will be taken over by the French, in accordance with an agreement reached by Great Britain and France. Belgium lays claim to that part of the Congo which she conquered by force of arms, the Belgian troops having captured Tabora and the territory lying beyond the western slopes of Lake Victoria Nyanza. The Belgians also desire a strip of territory along the left bank of the Congo, the delimitation, of course, to be settled amicably with Portugal, territorial compensation being given the latter.

Terms May be Ready in March.

The Council of Ten, as the French now call the ministers of the five great powers, has before it for consideration among other things the questions of territorial adjustments, the abolition of conscription and the economic reconstruction of Germany. These questions, in accordance with the settled method of procedure, will be referred by the council to suitable commissions.

There appears every prospect that the peace conference will make rapid progress from now on with the work of fixing the peace terms for Germany. A high French diplomatic authority is quoted as estimating that the conference will have the peace terms ready for submission for ratification by the various national governments between the middle and the end of March. If this is accomplished, the German delegates will be summoned to Paris early in April for the conclusion of the peace.

GERMAN PEOPLE ARE FOOLISH

Think That No Indemnity Will Be Demanded of Nation.

Paris, Jan. 28.—A French general who has just arrived from Berlin says in the Matin:

"The German people think that their bad times are at an end. They do not believe that the German army was beaten and that therefore no war indemnity will be exacted. They labor under illusions regarding the feelings of the American people, especially President Wilson. There have been seen processions passing the Adlon hotel cheering the general in command of the American mission in Berlin."

WANT BOYS BACK FOR FARM

Move Started To Have Farmers In Army Discharged.

Washington, Jan. 28.—Thousands of protests from farmers in the middle west against the retention in the service of men urgently needed in agricultural activities are being received by members of congress and have awakened a movement to have the present demobilization orders modified to include the discharge of such men.

Spring farm activities are not far off, and it is feared that unless plans for the release of farmers materialize shortly there will be no opportunity of getting back men now in France.

Socialist Conference At Berne.

Paris, Jan. 28.—The international Socialist conference will be convened at Berne, February 3, according to the newspaper L'Humanite. The German government attaches considerable importance to the conference, says the Journal's Zurich correspondent, because it hopes to use it to influence the decisions of the peace conference. The dispatch adds that it is possible that Herr Landsberg, the minister for publicity, probably will be sent to reinforce the German delegation.

ADOPTS LEAGUE OF NATIONS PLAN

Peace Conference Approves Resolutions Providing Method for Its Foundation.

WILSON IS CHAIRMAN

American Executive and Colonel House Are On Commission Appointed to Frame Constitution for Later Consideration.

Paris, Jan. 28.—The peace conference unanimously adopted a resolution providing for the organization of a league of nations by international cooperation.

M. Clemenceau, permanent chairman of the conference, read the resolutions formulated by the Supreme War council. Following the reading of the resolutions President Wilson addressed the conference on the league of nations, followed by Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain and Premier Orlando of Italy.

The purpose of the league, according to the resolution, is to make secure international obligations and safeguard the nations against war.

The league is to form an integral part of the peace treaty and be open to all civilized nations favoring its aims.

To Draw Constitution.

A commission representing the associated governments was appointed to elaborate a constitution for the league, including its prerogatives.

President Wilson and Colonel House are the American members of the commission. President Wilson will be chairman.

The conference afterward made public the draft of the preliminary resolutions adopted, looking to the creation of the league.

The draft calls for the appointment of a commission composed of two representatives each of the five great powers and five representatives of the other powers to inquire and report on the responsibility of the authors of the war.

This commission also shall inquire into breaches of laws and customs of war committed by Germany and her allies on land and sea and in the air during the war as well as the degree of responsibility for these offenses attaching to particular members of the enemy forces "including members of the general staffs and others," however highly placed.

BIG POWERS NAME ENVOYS

Delegates on the League of Nations Are Made Public.

Paris, Jan. 28.—The delegates of the great powers on the league of nations, it was learned, will be:

United States—President Wilson and Colonel Edward M. House.

Great Britain—Lord Robert Cecil and General Jan Christian Smuts.

France—Leon Bourgeois and Ferdinand L. Arnaude, dean of the faculty of law of the University of Paris.

Italy—Premier Orlando and Vitorio Scialoia.

Japan—Viscount Chinda and K Ochiai.

The delegates of the small nations will be announced later.

$10,500,000 FOR HOSPITALS

Public Health Service Bill Reported Favorably to House.

Washington, Jan. 28.—A bill to appropriate $10,500,000 for enlarging hospitals to be conducted by the Public Health service was reported favorably to the house by the buildings committee. A minority report, presented by Representative Kreider, Pennsylvania, Mansfield, Texas, and Elliott and Barnhart, Indiana, opposed the program as unnecessary if abandoned army posts were converted into hospitals.

UNREST SPREADS IN CHILE

Labor Plans Demonstration Against High Cost of Living.

Santiago, Chile, Jan. 28.—The labor unrest is spreading. The textile strike is affecting nearly all the mills in Chile, while the Coronel mines are paralyzed. The laborers are planning a demonstration throughout the republic on Feb. 7 in protest against the high cost of living. They are demanding that food and social legislation be expedited.

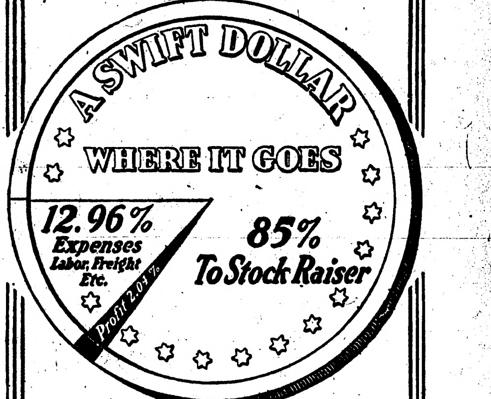
Famous Texas Pioneer Dies.

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 28.—Colonel Christopher C. Slaughter, pioneer cattleman, Indian fighter, banker and philanthropist, died here. He had been in poor health since a bad fall nine years ago while visiting in Waukesha, Wis. He was the first white child born in Texas after it became a republic.

Eleven Ships Added to Trade.

Washington, Jan. 28.—Eleven additional steamers of 100,000 deadweight tonnage were assigned to the trade between the United States and the east coast of South America during the week ended Thursday, according to reports to the shipping board's division of operations. This makes a total of sixty-nine steamers of 465,000 deadweight tonnage now released for this traffic. Demand for additional shipping space for this trade continues said the board's announcement.

The Swift Dollar for 1918



The above diagram shows the distribution of the average Swift dollar received from sales of beef, pork and mutton, and their by-products, during 1918.

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Song Trenches.

"She is having her voice trained."

"I suppose that is to enable her to go over the top notes."

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Sure Proof.

"The fellow who is visiting your girl is a coming man."

"He must be. He's not a going one."

To Have a Clear Sweet Skin.

Touch pimples, redness, roughness or itching, if any, with Cuticura Ointment, then bathe with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Rinse, dry gently and dust on a little Cuticura Talcum to leave a fascinating fragrance on skin. Everywhere 25c each.—Adv.

It is said that liquor improves with age, but some men don't care to wait.

Every woman is apt to be in the wrong until she begins to cry—then she's all right.

Spanish Influenza can be prevented easier than it can be cured.

At the first sign of a shiver or sneeze, take

HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

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For centuries all over the world GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has afforded relief in thousands upon thousands of cases of lame back, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatism, gallstones, gravel and all other affections of the kidneys, liver, stomach, bladder and allied organs. It acts quickly. It does the work. It cleanses your kidneys and purifies the blood. It makes a new man, a new woman, of you. It frequently wards off attacks of the dread and fatal diseases of the kidneys. It often completely cures the distressing diseases of the organs of the body allied with the bladder and kidneys. Bloody or cloudy urine, sediment, or "brickdust" indicate an unhealthy condition.

Do not delay a minute if your back aches or you are sore across the loins or have difficulty when urinating. Go to your druggist at once and get a box of imported GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They are pleasant and easy to take. Each capsule contains about one dose of five drops. Take them just like you would any pill. Take a small swallow of water if you want to. They dissolve in the stomach, and the kidneys soak up the oil like a sponge does water. They thoroughly cleanse and wash out the bladder and kidneys and throw off the inflammation which is the cause of the trouble. They will quickly relieve those stiffened joints, that backache, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gallstones, gravel, "brickdust," etc. They are an effective remedy for all diseases of the bladder, kidney, liver, stomach and allied organs. Your druggist will cheerfully refund your money if you are not satisfied after a few days' use. Accept only the pure, original GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. None other genuine.—Adv.

Red River Valley Live Stock Sale!

Crookston, Minn. Feb. 12

150 Head at Public Auction

Shorthorn	Cows	Heifers	Bulls
Hereford	Cows	Heifers	Bulls
Holstein	Cows	Heifers	Bulls
Guernsey	Cows	Heifers	Bulls
Poland China	Sows	Bred Gilts	Boars
Duroc Jersey	Sows	Bred Gilts	Boars
Berkshire	Sows	Bred Gilts	Boars
Chester White	Sows	Bred Gilts	Boars
Shropshire Sheep		Ewes	Rams

This stock is selected from the leading herds of the Valley. No culls or inferior stock. Inspected by a committee and sold on a guarantee.

When You Buy At This Sale - You Buy Right

Sale Held in New $25,000 Live Stock Pavillion

Commencing at 10 A. M. and 1 P. M.

For catalogue address

W. V. Gousseff, Secretary

Crookston, Minnesota

J. M. Swan shipped a car of cattle to the Markets again Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson and family visited at the Christ Saastad home the first of last week.

Ole Johnson commenced clerking in Carlson's store yesterday. All will be glad to see Ole back at his old job again.

Miss Amanda Mickelson who has been suffering from [illegible] pink eye, made two successive trips to T. R. Falls this week to receive treatment.

So many requests have come in for a special course in Farm Engineering and a course in Dairy and Stock Feeding that the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, has decided to offer courses in these subjects beginning the 17 of February and continuing four weeks until March 15.

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Holt, Minn., Jan. 31, 1919

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Illustrated with over 300 Pictures. Official War Pictures by the American, Canadian, British, French and Italian Government.

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Holt, Minnesota

Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets

Does Your Child Act Like this?

DON'T punish your children by forcing them to take nauseating oils and medicine when they are bilious, constipated or have bad colds. Compelling the child to take disagreeable medicine against its will often does more harm than good.

DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS are particularly fine for children. Pleasant to take because they *TASTE LIKE CANDY* and can be chewed. Children do not have to be coaxed to take them, and their gentle but effective action on the bowels restores healthful regularity promptly.

When your child is cross, feverish and peevish because of stomach disorders, give it one of Dr. Miles' candy-like Laxative Tablets. They take them readily and ask for more.

Not only are DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS desirable for children, but for adults as well. You will find in these tablets a safe, harmless and effective medicine for constipation, biliousness, sick headache and other bowel complaints.

They cost only a few cents—your druggist has them. Ask him about them.

PISO'S for COUGHS & COLDS

For more than 50 years Piso's has been the favorite remedy. You can depend upon it to give prompt relief. [illegible] throats and [illegible] hoarseness. Your druggist has Piso's—ask him for it. Contains No Opiate Safe for Young and Old

Jacob Nelson went to Grand Forks on business Monday.

J. Q. Robinson of Washington, D. C. delivered a splendid lecture at the Woodman hall Wednesday evening, to a small but appreciative audience.

This is the last number of the Holt Lyceum Course for this year and probably for some time to come, unless the people show a little more public spirit by giving their support to these splendid entertainments.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn., has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property. Write him.

Red Cross Report

Sunnyside Auxiliary for January.

Petticoats were made as follows: Mesdames T. O. Dovre 5, A. Bjerk, 2, Peterson 2, C. Anderson 1.

Thru a mistake the name of Mrs. L. Wigge was ommitted, week before last, as making 1 pair socks, 1 property bag, 7 towels and 1 sweater.

The next meeting will be held Feb. 12th, at Fred Larson's.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred ninety and 82-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Olaf O. Eggum and Petra Eggum, his wife Mortgagors, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota Corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of June 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of June 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 79 of Mortgages, on page 0, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section twenty two in Township One Hundred Fifty Six North of Range Forty Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of February 1919 at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Ninety and 82-100 Dollars and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 20th 1918.

Holt State Bank,
Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Ninety and 29-100 Dollars which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Ed. Ellingson and Christine Ellingson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Holt State Bank (a Minnesota corporation) Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January 1912, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of January, 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Book 66 of Mortgages, on page 320.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Holt State Bank Mortgagee, to The Minnesota Loan and Trust Company by written assignment dated the 3rd day of February 1918, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 27th day of March 1918, at 2 o'clock P. M. in Book 71 of Mortgages on page 417.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Minnesota Loan and Trust Company the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minnesota, (a corporation) by written assignment dated the 4th day of September 1918, and recorded on the 18th day of December 1918, at 8:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 94 of Mortgages page 353; and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The southeast quarter (SE) Section thirteen (13) in Township One Hundred Fifty-eight (158) North of Range (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, and containing one hundred sixty acres more or less according to the government survey thereof, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of February 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Ninety and 29-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th 1918

Holt State Bank, of Holt, Minn
Assignee of Mortgagee

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
Warren, Minnesota.

Basket social and program at the school house Saturday night.

W. R. Hoag of Minneapolis was here this week on business.

Miss Blanch and Burndette Horien went to T. R. Falls this week to have dental work done.

Mrs. M. T. Strom went to T. R. Falls last Friday to visit relatives, returning home Tuesday.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen ($15.00) Dollars which became due April 1st, 1917, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 18th day of April, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota on the 4th day of August, 1916, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 78 of Mortgages on Page 147 thereof; and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit, Sixty ($60.00) Dollars became at once due and payable, and was and is so declared by Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon said mortgage, the sum of Sixty ($60.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at ten (10) per cent per annum since April 1st, 1917, and the further sum of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars with interest thereon at six (6) per cent per annum since April 1st, 1917, and the further sum of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars with interest thereon at six (6) per cent, since April 1st, 1918, the two latter amounts of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars each being for interest paid by Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior first mortgage of Fifteen Hundred ($1500.00) Dollars upon said land, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amount by said mortgagors, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being Two Hundred Sixty-five and 40-100ths ($265.40) Dollars. And whereas, said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first described herein, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage,

to-wit, the Southeast Quarter (SE 1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1-4) of Section Eleven (11) and the East Half (E 1-2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1-4) of Section Fourteen (14) in Township One Hundred Fifty six (156) North of Range Forty-three (43) West, in Marshall County State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1919 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay said debt of Two Hundred Sixty-five and 40-100ths ($265.40) Dollars and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one (1) year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated Jan. 30th, 1919.

Merchants State Bank
of Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota

AUCTION!

I will sell at public auction on my place on the S 1-2, SE 1-4 Sec. 20, Township 156, Range 41, 12 miles east of Holt and 2 1-1 miles south west of Golden Valley, on Saturday Feb. 8th

SATURDAY FEB. 8

Sale begins at 11 o'clock Free Lunch at Noon

Live Stock, Etc.	Machinery, Etc.
Sorrel mare 6 yrs, wt about 1250	Deering binder 6 foot, nearly new
Black horse 10 yrs, wt about 1250	Monitor 14 d. dis drill nearly new
Black horse 13 yrs, wt about 1250	Osborne 12 disc harrow, new
2 Red cows were fresh Jan. 1st	New harrow, 3 section
2 Red cows fresh in February	McCormick mower 5 ft nerly new
3 Red cows fresh in March	Deering 10 ft hay rake nearly new
1 Roan cow fresh in May	Moline 16 inch sulky plow, new
2 Red heifers 2 1-2 yrs, fresh Mar.	John Deere 16 inch breaking plow
1 Red heifer 2 years old, with calf	Wide tire wagon Hay rack
1 Red steer coming 2 years	Good buggy Set bob-sleds
6 Yearling calves	New wagon box Single harness
5 Calves, 1 to 2 months old	Set heavy work harness Saddle
22 Chickens 2 Sow pigs 5 months	Economy Chief cream seperator
Some Hay Some Potatoes	Heating stove Big iron kettle
Grind stone Wheel barrow	Articles too numerous to mention

TERMS: On amounts of $10.00 and over, time will be given to Nov. 1st, 1919, on bankable notes bearing ten per cent interest. All amounts under $10.00 are payable in Cash.

P. C. Rosand, Owner

Ole G. Brenna, Auctioneer Holt State Bank, Clerk

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell; phone 140.

Case automobile for sale cheap. Enquire of Oscar Anderson, Holt.

Dr. Olson was a Thief River Falls business visitor Friday.

Children's fleeced lined underwear at bargain prices at Reierson's store.

Miss Amanda and Stella Mickelson were Thief River Falls visitors Monday.

Sam Mickelson returned to log cutting at Baudette Monday after a few days visit at home.

The farmers elevator is a sure go. Now is the time to join. Get in the band wagon and help to boost Holt.

Albert Hagglund returned home Friday from Beltrami county where he had been logging for sometime.

[illegible] came Friday to visit their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. K. Reierson.

The school in district No. 59 will have a pie social Saturday Feb. 8th at 8 o'clock, to which all are cordially invited.

Mrs. Carl Sorenson and children went to Thief River Falls Monday where they will make their home while Mr. Sorenson is working for Uncle Sam.

Fritjof Riesberg came up from Erskine Saturday for a couple of weeks vacation after which he goes to Longby to hold down an operators job for the G. N.

Mrs. P. G. Sorter returned home last week Thursday from the Thief River Falls hospital where she has been receiving medical treatment. We are glad to report that Mrs. Sorter is much improved in health.

Chas. Hagglund went to St. Hilaire Saturday with his mother who will remain there while he and Mrs. Hagglund makes an extended visit with relatives in Duluth, for which place they departed Monday.

W. A. Lindahl was called to Hazel Saturday by the death of his mother which occurred at the home of her daugter on Friday morning. Mrs. Lindahl was 68 years old and had been suffering from a cancer for some time. Sympathy is extended to the grief stricken family.

The following officers were elected last week Thursday by the Free Mission Ladies Aid:
President, Mrs. C. W. Christianson; Treasurer, Mrs. R. L. Olson; Secretary, Mrs. T. T. Sollom.

Fifteen dollars was taken in for the lunch served at that time.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn., has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property. Write him.

Army and Navy News

Nels Boe, a soldier from overseas service, arrived here Wednesday for a visit at the home of his uncle, Nels Lysne and family.

P. L. Anderson wrote to B. Docken, under date of Jan. 28th, that he had just arrived in New York from overseas and expected to soon be in this little village again. All will be mighty glad to see Pete again and learn how he came thru alive, after being under fire for 42 days.

B. Docken received a letter Tuesday from his brother, Clarence, who is doing clerical work with the army in France. Clarence says he likes the work, that it is easy, but he is like the most of the boys anxious to get home, now the war is over.

Resolution of Respect

Inasmuch as one of the families of our organization has been called upon to suffer the great loss of their son and brother, Richard Swenson, we take this means of acknowledging our debt of gratitude and honor to one who laid down his life in the service of our country and to express to his sorrowing relatives our sincerest sympathy.

Members of Sliugbo Red Cross.

The Elevator Meeting

The meeting held here Monday, for the purpose of organizing a farmers elevator company, was attended by a large number of enthusiastic and progressive farmers.

An organization was formed and a board of nine directors were elected as follows: P. A. Riesberg, Gunder Sorter, Oliver Noher, Henry Wendt, Engebreth Moe, Pete Peterson, Chas. Skoglund, J. A. Sorum and Ben Docken. The directors elected the following officers from among the members of the board: President, P. A. Riesberg; Vice-President, Chas. Skoglund; Secretary, J. A. Sorum; Treasurer, Ben Docken.

The meeting adopted a constitution and the board were appointed to draft the by-laws, which they did that afternoon and evening.

The authorized capital stock of the company is ten thousand dollars, the most of which has already been sold.

Another meeting will be held in two weeks from the first one, or on Monday Feb. 17th to adopt the by-laws.

In the meantime all the farmers need to do to make their elevator company a success, is to stick together.

Married.

Miss Lydia Bjerk and Albert Mathison were united in marrage at the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bjerk, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Rev. M. B. Ordahl officiating.

After the ceremony a reception was held and a bounteous repast was served to which a large number of relatives and friends were invited.

These young people are well and favorably known to all our people, who will join us in wishing them a hearty much joy.

They will make their home in McIntosh, where the groom is employed in a garage.

Rev. Kilen and Mrs. Kilen visited friends here Tuesday and held services in the evening. Rev. Kilen will soon leave for missionary work in China and will be followed by the best wishes of their friends in and near Holt.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet Saturday at 11.

There will be services at East Valley at 11 o'clock Sunday.

At the Wilson school house at 3 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

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Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

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Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Holt Telephone Co., will be held in the Woodman Hall at Holt, on Monday Feb. 17th. 1919 at 1 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing officers, making important changes in the payments of dues and transacting any other business properly brot before said meeting.

A full attendance is desired, as business of great importance is to be brot up.

Chas. Skoglund, Secy.

Carl Olsen returned to his home in Shelly last week Friday.

Winter is surely here, even if the ground hog did not see his shadow.

Mrs. Docken visited her parents over Monday night in Thief River Falls.

Rudolph Dahl went to the Grygla hospital Monday to have an operation for appendicitis.

Miss [illegible] Spurbeck came Monday from Baudette to visit her sister Mrs. Simeon Guleeth, who lives west from Holt.

So many requests have come in for a special course in Farm Engineering and a course in Dairy and Stock Feeding that the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, has decided to offer courses in these subjects beginning the 17 of February and continuing four weeks until March 15.

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Take Notice

Prof. Frances A. March, Ph. D is a brother of Gen. Peyton C. March, Chief of Staff of the United States Army. Prof. March has written a complete history of the great world war and General March has written an introduction to the book and Richard J. Beamish a special war correspondent and military analyst has given his assistance in the preparation of this wonderful history of the greatest war the world has ever known.

This book is now on the market at a reasonable price, viz: $2.75 and $3.75.

The agent for this vicinity is C. Rustad. Send your order to him at Holt, Minn.

Cream Separator Explodes.

A very bad accident which might have proven a very serious one occurred at the Chas Heinze home one day last week. While Mrs. Heinze was operating the cream separator, it exploded breaking the bowl and throwing the pieces and different parts of the machine in all directions.

Mrs. Heinze was struck over her left eye and both hands were cut, besides receiving a deluge of cream and milk in her face. Mrs. Heinse has recovered from the effects of the shock but the wounds are yet quite sore. We hope such a thing may never occur again and we congratulate Mrs. Heinse in coming out of it all has lucky as she did.

Racine Olson went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to visit his wife.

Oscar Erickson was a visitor in Thief River Falls Friday and Saturday.

Ralph Ekerdalen was a T. R. Falls visitor Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Ida Reierson went to Thief River Falls Monday for a few days visit.

Mr. Kouch of Crookston came Wednesday to attend the Bjerk-Mathison wedding.

A number of young people were entetained at a party at the Swan home Friday night.

Oscar Anderson came up from Crookston last week Thursday for a few days visit here.

Mrs. Fred Peterson and Selma Saastad were T. R. Falls visitors Tuesday and Wednesday.

Gilbert Johnson took a load of household goods to T. R. Falls Monday for the Carl Sorenson family.

Mrs. B. J. Bakke and Miss Agnes Bakke visited relatives in Thief River Falls last Thursday and Friday.

Lilly and Victor Rustad came home Saturday from near Grand Forks where they have been working for some time.

Racine Olson is again able to run the electric light plant which has been in charge of Dick Matison during the formers sickness.

It is rumored that soon the passenger trains will be stopping in our village for their dinners. Verily things are coming our way.

Miss Margaret Olim of Newfolden was a passenger from this station Tuesday for Warren where she was to undergo a slight operation.

P. C. Rosand will sell several cows that are fresh and to be fresh soon, also other cattle, horses, hogs chickens and machinery at public auction Saturday Feb. 8th.

Miss Luella Johnson is now employed at the Gunheim home, Miss Lilly Peterson having returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson, for a rest.

Almost a hundred dollars was taken in from the sale of baskets at the Holt school house Saturday evening. Mr. Bakke, the clerk, made up the deficit so as to make it an even hundred dollars. This money is to be used to finish paying for a clock and teachers desk and the balance goes into a piano fund, to purchase a piano for the school.

A home talent play will soon be given, the proceeds to go to help this piano fund.

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FISH

Is fish a "brain food"?
No more so than other foods. Fish contains a high percentage of phosphorus and when food values were first discussed this was credited as "brain" food. Phosphorus is no more a brain builder than other substances of which the brain is composed.

When is the best time to substitute fish for meat?
In the spring and summer when many varieties of fish are plentiful.

Is fish cheaper in warm weather?
Yes. Particularly in localities near the source of supply.

Which are more plentiful, the ocean or inland fish?
Ocean fish. The growth of large cities on inland rivers has brought into existence many mills and factories which pollute the waters and drive away the fish.

Which variety of fish furnishes the greatest food value?
The oily varieties, such as salmon and mackerel.

Where are these found in abundance?
Salmon on the Pacific coast, and mackerel on the Atlantic coast.

Why should we have frozen fish?
Because that makes it possible to have good fish in inland towns and cities.

Is frozen fish good?
Fish is frozen for market only when it is absolutely in good condition, and people should not fear to use it.

Should the fish be thawed out at the retailer's?
No; as soon as the fish is thawed out it deteriorates rapidly.

What should the housekeeper do?
She should insist on getting the fish frozen at the retailer's and keep it frozen until she wishes to use it.

How is the best way to thaw it out?
By placing it on ice in a pan in a cool place.

How long does this process take?
Several hours.

Is there a quicker way to thaw it out?
Yes; by putting it in cold water; never hot.

Should the water it is thawed out in be used?
By all means use the water if the fish is boiled; or use it for chowder. Some of the value of the fish goes into the water and is thus lost unless the water is made use of.

What are the advantages of cold-storage fish?
1. It brings good fish into large cities.
2. It standardizes the price of fish.
3. It lowers the annual price of fish.
4. It makes the transportation and caring for fish possible and safe.
5. It provides fish out of season.

Do these same points hold good for cold-storage foods in general?
Yes.

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C. Rustad, Agent
Holt, Minnesota

The Local Market

(Grain prices furnished by the [illegible] Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of [illegible] ness every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	
Wheat No. 2	
Wheat No. 3	
Wheat No. 4	
Flax	
Oats	
Barley	59 to .6
Rye	1.1
Flour, Best Patent	5.7

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Four Thrift Stamps will be given any girl or boy for each name sent those that need glasses, if they will them in gold frames on my next vi Names must be sent before any d advertised. If this is not understo write to C. G. Mugg, O. S., Gra Forks, N. D.

Defective Page

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Wise Pat!

...was simply a laborer, nothing ...nothing less, but naturally he ...witty. While on a certain job ...ay he noticed his foreman stand...ly, by seemingly lost in thought. ...as Pat didn't relish the idea of ...all the work himself, he re...d: "Anything wrong, sir?"

...o," replied the foreman, good...edly, "I was just thinking, you ..., Pat, one man scheming is as ...as two working."

...en, sir," responded Pat, "that ...the case, I suggest that we both ...me; that will be as good as four ...ing."

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...s been used for all ailments that ...caused by a disordered stomach ...inactive liver, such as sick head... constipation, sour stomach, ...ous indigestion, fermentation of ...palpitation of the heart caused by ...in the stomach. August Flower ...gentle laxative, regulates digestion ...in stomach and intestines, cleans ...sweetens the stomach and alimen... canal, stimulates the liver to se... the bile and impurities from the ...l. Sold in all civilized countries. ...it a trial.—Adv.

German Army Gardens.

...the German army, as in the ...rican, garden patches supplement...he food rations. German military ...ens in the reclaimed salient, how...were so numerous and of such ...that the impression the American ...was that the German soldiers in ...sector depended largely for food ...what they themselves produced ...upon what was grown by the ...ch natives forced to work in the ...s for three sous an hour. Our cap...included several thousand acres ...ardens.—Stars and Stripes.

...p your liver active, your bowels clean by ... Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets and you'll ...healthy, wealthy and wise. Adv.

Ground.

...e always has his nose to the ...dstone."

...noticed that he was sharp-fea...d!"

...ork your eyes and ears overtime, ...give your tongue an occasional ...day.

...a woman's beauty fades her ...ins come to the front.

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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

Washington

Revocation of President Wilson's power to return railroads under government control to their private owners at any time within 21 months after peace is declared was proposed in a bill introduced at Washington by Senator Cummins of Iowa.

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Rear Admiral Niblack, commanding American naval forces in the Adriatic, informed the navy department at Washington that the action of the Italian authorities in hauling down the American flag on the steamer Dinara was due to a misunderstanding and that the Italian commander had apologized and ordered the flag restored.

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The house at Washington passed and sent to the senate the bill appropriating $10,500,000 for constructing hospitals for disabled soldiers and sailors.

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General March, chief of staff at Washington, informed the senate military committee that shipping arrangements had been made by which 300,000 men might be transported home monthly and that all of the American expeditionary force could be returned home and demobilized within six months.

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Savings of more than $15,000,000,000 in the contemplated war expenditures of the war and navy departments were reported to congress at Washington in a bill framed by the house appropriations committee. The measure provides for the cancellation of army and navy contracts aggregating $7,179,156,944 and for the withdrawal of authority for the departments to obligate the government for $8,221,020,294 additional.

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The bill appropriating $100,000,000 to furnish food supplies to starving populations of Europe was passed by the senate at Washington by the vote of 58 to 18. Thirty-four Democrats and 19 Republicans voted for it, and three Democrats and 15 Republicans against it.

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The first open opposition to seating Victor Berger of Wisconsin as a member of the house at Washington came in a statement from Representative Gillett of Massachusetts, candidate for speaker in the next congress.

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To solve the problem of unemployed discharged soldiers, the war department at Washington has ordered that no man be discharged from the army against his desire until such time as he can obtain employment in civil life.

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Foreign

Complete failure of the royalist rising in Portugal is now established, according to latest word from Lisbon.

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French and Roumanian troops have entered Kiev, the capital of Ukrainia, according to a dispatch received at Vienna.

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A Copenhagen dispatch says fresh strikes have broken out in Germany. The railway service is practically at standstill and a huge industrial tie-up is threatened.

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Plans for the establishment of a bolshevist movement in the Rand, the rich gold mining region of the Union of South Africa, have been unearthed, according to a dispatch from Johannesburg.

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A London dispatch says the coal miners have won their short but serious strike. One hundred and fifty thousand strikers resumed work.

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The bourgeoise of Narva and the entire populations of surrounding villages were killed by the bolsheviki before they surrendered the towns to the victorious Esthonian forces, says a Copenhagen dispatch.

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An Amsterdam dispatch says settlement of the differences between Poland and Germany is reported near. Negotiations are under way for an economic exchange, Poland to send food to Germany and the latter to furnish the Poles with coal.

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Petrograd is being left to the mercy of gangs of robbers formed of escaped criminals, who are dividing the town into districts for looting purposes, according to the newspaper Russky Listok.

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Lithuanian troops have inflicted a defeat upon the bolsheviki near Koszedary, about midway between Kovno and Vilna, according to reports from Kovno received here. The casualties of the bolsheviki were heavy and they are reported to have lost 6,500 men in prisoners, says a Paris dispatch.

The worst labor riots since the outbreak of the war took place at Belfast. Squads of police charged into the rioting mobs of strikers and finally dispersed them. The mobs were attacking and stoning the doors of newspapers offices.

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Thirty-four murders, 220 day and night assaults and nearly 500 serious fights due to American soldiers occurred in the department of the Seine in December, says the Paris Matin.

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A Managua dispatch says many people were killed and injured in a railroad accident near Masaya, Nicaragua.

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King George has consented to the renunciation by Princess Patricia of Connaught of both her title of princess and her style of address as royal highness on her marriage next month to Commander Lord Alexander Ramsay, says a London cable.

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A Berlin dispatch to the New Berliner Zeitung says it learns the government is actually occupied with military preparations for an expected bolshevik invasion early in the spring and that it expects to receive the necessary added authority from the national assembly to mobilize two effective armies which are to be sent to East Prussia and Silesia.

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The French League of Rights for Women has sent to the Paris parliament a proclamation demanding that French women be given the franchise.

European War News

An Amsterdam dispatch says British forces have advanced from Baku and occupied the Trans-Caucasian railway, also occupying Petrovsk and Astrakhan, at the mouth of the Volga.

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Gen. von Hoetzendorff, former Austrian chief of staff, said in an interview at Vienna that he was forced to relinquish his command because he insisted that all military efforts be concentrated against Italy. "The defeat of Italy would have meant the collapse of the entente," he declared.

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Gen. D. von Winterfeldt, member of the German armistice commission, has resigned, according to advices from Berlin.

U. S.—Teutonic War News

A Washington dispatch says on the day that the armistice was signed the American army on the western front was second in strength only to that of France itself.

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German ships allotted to the United States for the transportation of troops aggregate 450,000 tons, including the giant Hamburg-American liner Imperator, it was authoritatively learned at New York.

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An official report from General Pershing, made by the war department at Washington, shows that on January 9 there were 105,753 men of the American army in hospitals in France and England, of whom 72,642 were suffering from disease and 33,111 from wounds or other injuries.

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Gen. John J. Pershing, commander of the American armies in Europe, will return to the United States with President Wilson on the transport George Washington, it was learned at Paris.

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Peace Notes

"The belief is expressed in French official circles in Paris that the preliminaries for peace will be finished and ready for submission to the French chamber between March 15 and March 31," says the Paris edition of the London Daily Mail.

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A Paris dispatch says Robert Lansing, secretary of state, will be one of the two members of the American committee created by the peace conference to deal with the question of responsibility for the war.

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One press representative for each of the five great powers will accompany the mission to Poland, it was decided at a session of the "Big Five" at Paris.

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A Paris dispatch says Prince Lvoff, former Russian premier, strongly deprecated the decision of the supreme council regarding Russia. "We never thought," said Prince Lvoff, "that the conference would commence its peace work by renewing relations with our tyrants. The bolsheviki have won their greatest victory in Paris. The decision of the council not only is of danger to us, but to the whole world. It gives new impulse to anarchy."

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Domestic

By agreement of counsel argument in the circuit court at Detroit, Mich., on motion for change of venue in the libel suit brought by Henry Ford against the Chicago Daily Tribune was postponed for one week.

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The steamship Westward Ho, carrying a $2,000,000 cargo of foodstuffs and clothing for the relief of destitute Poles, left Hoboken, N. J., for Danzig.

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One more Chicago bandit was killed, making six this week. The latest man slain, unidentified as yet, was shot and instantly killed by Detective Sergeant Harry Miller.

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Hurled 300 feet, Paul Whisler, engineer of a Western Pacific freight locomotive, was killed when the boiler exploded near Portola, Cal.

YOUR CHANCE HERE

Unbounded Prosperity Ahead of Western Canada.

Opportunity Beckons Settlers of All Kinds—"With the Golden Wake That Marked the Way the Happy Reapers Went"—James Whitcomb Riley.

The war having been brought to a favorable conclusion more attention can now be given to the agricultural and industrial development of Western Canada, which were checked by the troublous times of the past four years. Now that these are over, the proper development of the country will be continued.

True, much agricultural progress has been made during this time. Crop production has been greatly increased, the number of live stock has steadily grown, and with each succeeding year the dairying and wool industries have become more important. But despite this forward march, many phases of development have been held in check. The activities of farmers, too, have been greatly hampered by shortage of labor, and, under the circumstances, what they have achieved can only be described as marvelous.

Excepting those industries closely allied to agriculture, such as butter and cheese manufacture, industrial activity in the Prairie Provinces has been almost at a standstill. And even in these branches extensions have been strictly limited to those of urgent necessity. Building has been considerably curtailed, especially in the towns and cities, though many commodious and up-to-date dwellings, barns and other buildings have been erected by farmers in the country. Indeed, the amount of building farmers have done is one of the outward signs of their prosperity; but considerably more of it would have been done had not the more important work of food production received priority in the labor available. Railway construction work has been almost entirely suspended.

With more help available, and the use of the labor-saving devices that have been adopted during the last few years great advances in the agricultural development of Western Canada might be looked for even if no new settlers were expected; but the coming of thousands of prospective settlers who have hitherto been deterred only by the unsettled conditions from making their homes in this last great West will give a considerable impetus to every phase of agriculture in these Prairie Provinces.

Hand in hand with the development of agriculture, there will be a renewal of industrial activity. For the establishment of such industries as sugar refineries, canneries and many other industries for the utilization of the products of the land, as well as for the extension of the already important industries of butter and cheese manufacture, are splendid opportunities. Mining, lumbering, quarrying, the manufacture of clay products are also a few industries capable of considerable growth, and to which greater attention can now be devoted.

To provide accommodation for present business requirements alone would keep the building trade busy for a long time, but with farther development in the cities it is impossible to foresee any slackness in any branch of this trade. And the number of farmers whose needs have outgrown their present accommodation and who have been awaiting an opportunity to replace their buildings by larger and more modern ones, is considerable and constantly increasing. Municipal work will be gradually resumed, and the railways have much work in contemplation.

All this points to a period of great prosperity in Western Canada—agricultural and industrial prosperity. The former is the more important, for on it the latter depends. Being primarily an agricultural country, Western Canada will probably pass through the readjustment period with little difficulty.

There is no reason to believe that farming will be less remunerative than it has been in the past; there are, on the other hand, many good and sound reasons for believing that the returns will be as large as ever. One thing is certain: Intelligent farming on the fertile prairies of Western Canada, requiring as it does the smallest possible capital outlay compared with that required to get a start in older settled countries, will continue to be one of the quickest and surest ways to independence that can be followed by the average man.—Advertisement.

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Eighty proprietors of soda water fountains in New York were fined recently for serving drinks in dirty glasses.

MEET TO FRAME LEAGUE DETAILS

Wilson Begins Drive to Consummate Program Before End of Present Week.

AGREEMENT FORECAST

President Considers Plans of Making Regular Reports of Progress Made to Congress to Remove Misapprehensions.

Paris, Feb. 4.—President Wilson has begun his drive for consummation of the League of Nations' program before the end of the week.

Refreshed by a day of complete rest, the president, following an address on the subject of the league before the chamber of deputies, was to confer with the special committee which is working on details of the league's outline.

President Wilson met with the peace bureau. The Balkan situation was discussed with particular reference to Greece's political and territorial claims. Premier Eleutherios Venizelos of Greece, was the principal speaker.

Reports to Congress Planned.

The president had under consideration plans for reporting progress of the peace conference regularly to congress in the future. Reports from the United States indicate there is need of explaining the details of various problems being worked out, as a misunderstanding is obvious. The tone of congressional debates is liable to result in misapprehension by the other delegates here.

When President Wilson arrives in the United States three weeks hence—he is expected to sail Feb. 14—he expects sufficient progress to have been made for a comprehensive report to congress.

Colonel E. M. House is recovering rapidly and is expected to take full part in the peace work this week.

Pichon Explains Russ Situation.

The special committees to which details of the peace settlement are referred are doing their work efficiently and rapidly, according to French Foreign Minister Stephen Pichon.

Pichon said the position of the Allied troops on the Archangel front is not desperate. He declared that while the bolsheviki are strenghtening their army in that region, they are being defeated in other parts of the country, and that this condition must soon have an effect on the northern front.

"The greatest hold of the bolsheviki on the people is that the people are led to believe if they are beaten their land will be taken from them," said Pichon. "If we could show the people that their land would remain in their hands, three-fourths of Russia would be against the bolsheviki."

UNIVERSAL TAX FOR WAR BILL

Italy Proposes Nations Put Money Into Common Pool.

Paris, Feb. 4.—A universal tax, the proceeds of which would be put into a common fund along with the indemnities Germany should be made to pay is proposed by Signor Crespi of the Italian delegation to the peace conference in the proposition he has made for the establishment of a "single financial front" for the Allies. The tax would furnish interest on that portion of the debts of the Allies which Germany had not paid, and provide a sinking fund for ultimately canceling the debts.

Senor Crispi, who said his proposal for a single Allied financial front had been well received by Allied ministers, declared that his great point was that the Central Empires as a whole must be forced to compensate the Allies for the war damages they had suffered.

8 U. S. SOLDIERS ARE KILLED

30 Suffer Injuries When Troop Train in France Is Wrecked.

Troyes, France, Feb. 4.—Eight United States soldiers were killed and 30 injured when a troop train conveying American soldiers from Chaumont to Brest collided with two German locomotives standing in the station at Montieramey. The men were on their way to Brest to take ship for the United States. The dead and injured were taken to Bar-Sur-Aube.

OLD INDIAN FIGHTER DIES

Brig. Gen. Eagan, Who Served 30 Years in Army, Passes.

New York, Feb. 4.—The death of Brig. Gen. Charles Patrick Eagan, who won fame as an Indian fighter in the 70's, is announced here. General Eagan, who was 79, was born in Ireland. He came to America when a boy and served in the army for 30 years when he was retired at his own request in 1900.

No Soft Drink "Barmaids.

Salt Lake City, Feb. 4.—"Barmaids" in this city, even though they dispense only soft drinks, will not be tolerated, according to an edict just handed down down by Chief of Police J. Parley White. Since Utah entered the prohibition column of states many soft drink parlors have employed women to take the place of men, allowing them to work behind bars where liquor formerly was sold. The custom, according to Chief White, had developed to such a point where he feared underworld practices might follow.

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Snags.

She—I'm looking up our family tree, but the farther I go the harder it gets.

He—That's why I quit looking up mine. The farther I went the harder my ancestors got to be.—Boston Transcript.

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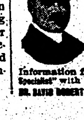

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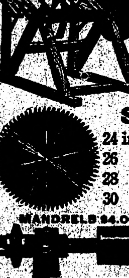

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When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhœa, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

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Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

Yes, Why?

Customer—"Will this bathing suit shrink if it gets wet?" Clerk—"It might; but why get it wet?"

Some Exceptions.

"Women are not given to abstract reflections." "Aren't they always stealing glances at a mirror?"

Weekly Health Talks

The Many Mysteries of Nature

BY L. W. BOWER, M. D.

You can take an onion seed and a pansy seed, and plant them side by side in the same spot of ground. In one case, you get an onion, with its peculiarly strong odor, and in the other you get a flower of rare beauty. You can plant a poppy seed and get opium (a dangerous, habit-forming drug), or you can plant a rhubarb seed and get something that helps constipation. No scientist, living or dead, can explain these mysteries of Nature. Behind the invisible life germ in each seed is hidden the deep secret that nobody understands. Everything growing out of the ground seems intended for some use in establishing natural conditions. Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., long since found out what is naturally best for women's diseases. He learned it all through treating thousands of cases. The result of his studies was a medicine called Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This medicine is made of vegetable growths that nature surely intended for backache, headache, weakening drains, bearing-down pains, periodical irregularities, pelvic inflammations, and for the many disorders common to women in all ages of life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is made of lady's slipper root, black cohosh root, unicorn root, blue cohosh root and Oregon grape root. Women who take this standard remedy know that in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription they are getting a safe woman's tonic so good that druggists everywhere sell it.

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STATE BREVITIES

St. Paul.—The Minnesota Shoe Retailers association will hold its annual convention in St. Paul, March 10, 11 and 12.

Finlayson.—St. John's congregation is planning to build a fire-proof church edifice next summer. It will be located on the same grounds where the recently destroyed church stood.

Long Prairie.—As Mrs. George Eberle was carrying a pan of boiling hot water the water splashed from the pan, striking her on the face, neck and body and inflicting severe burns.

Virginia. — There are thirty-one homes here under quarantine on account of influenza, and according to Dr. C. W. Miller, health officer, there are four new cases of the disease.

Virginia.—Harry Young, employed by Finch Brothers Logging company, was killed by a falling tree at Milepost 127 on the Duluth, Winnipeg & Pacific railroad. No relatives are known here.

St. Cloud.—Stearns, Benton and Sherburne counties will honor their returned soldiers by means of a big celebration to be held in this city in May or June, according to the plans of the city commissioners.

Crookston.—Pleading guilty to forgery in the second degree, Anthony Grassel, 18, who was arrested several weeks ago by Burns detective agency at Chicago, was sentenced to an indefinite term at the St. Cloud reformatory.

St. Paul.—Colors of the 125th artillery, formerly the Third Minnesota infantry, the first of the world war to be returned to Minnesota, have been presented by Col. F. W. Matson, commander, to Governor Burnquist. They will be hung in the capitol rotunda.

Stillwater.—Herman Pate, 18, Stillwater, was arraigned in St. Paul, before United States Commissioner Samuel Whaley, on a charge of having stolen a letter containing a $10 check from the postoffice at Cumberland, Wis., last August, and held for trial.

St. Paul.—At least 2,000 pictures of Minnesota's war heroes, including civilian war workers, will be on display today at the exhibit room of the St. Paul public library. This collection is to form a part of a permanent war record in the Minnesota Historical Society building, St. Paul.

Moorhead.—A charge of shot fired through a window of his home in this city, seriously wounded Charles Otterstetter. Dr. P. N. Barnes, a veterinary of Fargo, was arrested, charged with the shooting. Otterstetter was engaged to marry the divorced wife of Barnes. Officials state Otterstetter is in a critical condition and may die.

Stillwater.—The annual Lincoln day banquet, which is to be held here on the night of Feb. 12, promises to be the largest ever held. Each secret society of the city will have a representative, while a St. Paul man will deliver the address. All soldiers and sailors in Stillwater on that date will be guests of the committee in charge.

St. Paul.—As a result of the victory of the government in the telephone rate case at Indianapolis, the Minnesota case, now in the Ramsey county district court, may be made the test which will be carried through the courts to determine for the nation at large whether states or the national government now have jurisdiction over telephone rates.

Little Falls.—C. L. Ferrell, of Fargo, N. D., who was given two days in which to make his plea on the charge of grand larceny in the first degree imposed upon him by the grand jury for robbing E. Traseth of two $50 liberty bonds and $10 in cash at the West hotel, some time ago, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to two years in the state penitentiary.

Tyler.—By an almost unanimous vote the citizens of Tyler authorized the village council to sell bonds to the amount of $20,000 to take up outstanding orders issued by the city to rebuild the waterworks and electric light plant, which was destroyed by the tornado that swept through the town on the night of August 21 last. There were only eight votes cast against the bonding proposition.

Northfield.—Prof. Fred Burnett Hill, of Carleton college, died of pneumonia following influenza. He had been ill two weeks. Prof. Hill was chairman of the Minnesota committee formed to assist in the raising of the $5,000,000 National Pilgrim Memorial fund. He started the contributions in this state with a donation of $10,000. Prof. and Mrs. Hill some time ago erected and gave the Sayles-Hill gymnasium to Carleton college.

St. Paul.—A flare-up in the Minnesota influenza epidemic was indicated in a bulletin issued by the State Board of Health, showing 1,644 new cases reported last week. The total was compared with 742 new cases for the week ended January 18; 1,521 for that ended January 11, and 207 for the week ended January 5. Although the January total may exceed 5,000 cases, nevertheless it will be the lowest for any month since the appearance of the disease last September, according to the health officials.

Deer River.—T. H. Martin, local farmer, who last fall filled his silo with sunflower as an experiment states the venture is a great success. The sunflower stalk makes excellent ensilage, he says, and the cattle will leave all other feedstuffs for it, and clean up the last spot of it. As the sunflower produces about four times as much ensilage as does corn, it is profitable as feed for winter in this country.

Chisholm.—Steve Jurtich, 37, was instantly killed in the Chisholm mine by a fall of ore. He lived at the Glen location and is survived by his wife and three children.

Brainerd.—On complaint of Deputy Game Warden, A. R. Cardle, of Brainerd, Leo Mattson was arrested and fined $10 and cost for using a fish house without license on Hamlet lake.

Red Lake Falls.—Red Lake county gets an allotment of $19,800 from the state highway commission this year provided that the county will spend $35,750 of its own money in improving the state roads.

Bemidji.—A meeting will be held here, Wednesday, Feb. 12, at the Commercial club rooms, when the matter of building a trunk telephone line from Bemidji to Nebish, about twenty-five miles, will be discussed.

Thief River Falls — The Elks of Thief River Falls and vicinity will hold their winter charity carnival about the middle of February. A committee was appointed at the last meeting to make all the necessary arrangements.

St. Cloud.—Al Burley, before Judge John A. Roeser of the district court, entered a plea of guilty to the charge of assaulting Anthony Forcier of the Merchants hotel, and was sentenced to a year in the state penitentiary at Stillwater.

St. Paul.—Rev. Father Claude Wiemann, O. S. B., 41, native of St. Paul, assistant pastor of St. Boniface Catholic church, Minneapolis, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Wiemann, St. Paul, died suddenly at the parish house. Heart disease was said to have caused his death.

Stevenson.—Former Chief of Police Troyer, of Duluth, has been here with other sleuths looking over local affairs with a view to putting a stop to holdups, robberies and other crimes, quite numerous of late, and is expected to furnish evidence to be laid before the grand jury at Hibbing.

St. Paul.—Thirty-five former employes of the Railroad and Warehouse commission now returning from military service will find their old jobs waiting for them, Commissioner O. P. B. Jacobson announced. The majority of the men are of the grain inspection department. The same reinstatement policy is in effect in other state departments.

Minneapolis.—The Minnesota Horticultural Society, at its annual meeting held at the West hotel, re-elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, R. S. McIntosh, St. Paul; Secretary, A. W. Latham, Minneapolis; Treasurer, George H. Strand, Taylors Falls, and the old list of vice presidents from the 10 congressional districts of Minnesota.

Moorhead.—A verdict for $3,400 was returned in favor of W. R. Tillotson in his suit against the city of Moorhead, in Clay county district court. The suit was for $20,000 damages claimed because of injuries sustained when Mr. Tillotson tripped on a wire, stretched near the curb in front of the postoffice, and fell, breaking his leg, on Aug. 7, 1917.

Ortonville.—The Big Stone County Military association is the newly found "good angel" for the Ortonville motor corps of the state home guard. The social organization is formed to aid in maintaining the local corps and members will be assessed $2 a month dues to that end. It has filed articles of incorporation in the office of Secretary of State, Julius A. Schmahl.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has made public a plan to station a state representative at Camp Dodge to furnish advance information of homecoming arrangements for Minnesota soldiers mustered out of service there. The purpose is to help place the men in employment when they reach their homes, and also to enable local reception committees to prepare welcomes for the returning soldiers.

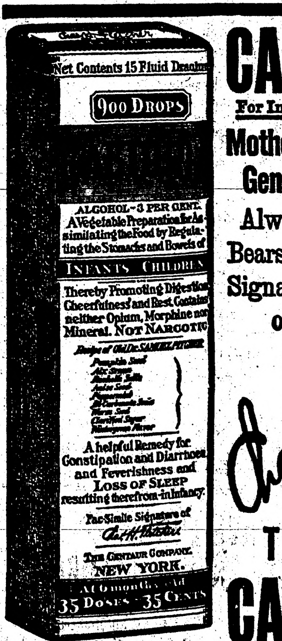
St. Cloud.—William Glassman of this city was arrested on a charge of forging a $600 note, which was later sold to F. F. Storms at a discount. The note was dated Jan. 7, and was payable on Feb. 1, and bore 8 per cent interest. When the sheriff went to the house after him he ran to the attic and when the officer reached that place Glassman was making an attempt to crawl out upon the roof. His hearing has been set for Jan. 30.

Minneapolis.—Two airplanes will leave the Twin Cities in a few days, for the northern part of the state, one going to Duluth and the other to Moorhead, according to announcement made by the Minnesota Motor Corps. The trips will be under the command of Captain J. P. Einster, aviation section, Minnesota Motor Corps. Lieutenant C. V. Marshall will pilot the machine going to Duluth, while Lieutenant W. A. Butters will go to Moorhead.

Crookston.—Cupid surpassed many records in this vicinity, when Miss Pearl Bemis was married to Charles E. Woolms, a young Crookston business man, who came here from New York state three weeks ago and met her for the first time only a fortnight ago. Mr. Woolms located here and opened an auto repair and painting shop. He happened to select his new bride to do some typewriting for him and at the first meeting Cupid's darts began to fly. A fast and efficient courtship followed on the part of Mr. Woolms, which ended in the announcement of their marriage. "We work fast in New York state," was his answer to the congratulations of his friends. His bride is an orphan and has an estate of $15,000.

Navy Gets 60 Men.—More than 60 recruits were obtained for the navy in the Minneapolis district this week, Lieut. George A. Treadwell, recruiting officer, announced yesterday. The marine corps, which has been recruiting about 15 men a week in this district since recruiting for the service was resumed, is to begin an active campaign for more marines soon.

East Grand Forks.—Last rites were held in Sacred Heart church for Mayor Cornelius Joseph Kelleher of this city, who died of pneumonia, following influenza, aged 51. He leaves a wife and five children.



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Put Auto Before Wife.

Men are taking good care of their automobiles these days. Most of them don't know where they will get another.

The other day a man ran away with our neighbor's wife and his automobile at the same time.

Our neighbor came up out of the basement just in time to see him driving away, and he yelled at the driver:

"Don't forget to send the car back."

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The "Come-back" man was really never down-and-out. His weakened condition because of overwork, lack of exercise, improper eating and living demands stimulation to satisfy the cry for a health-giving appetite and the refreshing sleep essential to strength. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, the National Remedy of Holland, will do the work. They are wonderful. Three of these capsules each day will put a man on his feet before he knows it; whether his trouble comes from uric acid poisoning, the kidneys, gravel or stone in the bladder, stomach derangement or other ailments that befall the over-zealous American. The best known, most reliable remedy for these troubles is GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This remedy has stood the test for more than 200 years since its discovery in the ancient laboratories in Holland. It acts directly and gives relief at once. Don't wait until you are entirely down-and-out, but take them today. Your druggist will gladly refund your money if they do not help you. Accept no substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box, three sizes. They are the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil Capsules.—Adv.

Good Delivery.

Hilife—I hear your new minister is a great success. One of those straight-from-the-shoulder speakers, who can put 'em over the plate.

Plodder—Yes, and in the plate.

He who shirks the duty he dislikes will be shunned by the success he desires.

Heard on the El.

"Madam, the feather in your hat is getting in my eye," said the man on the crowded car.

"Why don't you wear glasses?" snapped the woman.—Boston Transcript.

Cole's Carbolisalve Quickly Relieves and heals burning, itching and torturing skin diseases. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Heals without scars. 25c and 50c. Ask your druggist, or send 25c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill., for a pkg. Adv.

She Was Prepared.

A Saco woman steeled herself against the time when the order came to set the clock back. "They can't fool me," she said. "I never set mine ahead."

A man's head is like his pocketbook. It's not the outside appearance, but what it contains that counts.

In the dark lexicon of timidity there is no such word as "succeed."

People who blot out the past should destroy the blotter.

Look out for Spanish Influenza. At the first sign of a cold take

HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

Acid-Stomach Ruins Health of Millions

Besides those painful attacks of indigestion; that awful bloated, lumpy feeling after eating and downright stomach misery that you who have experienced it know so well; besides disgusting belching, food-repeating, sour stomach and distressing heartburn—besides all this, ACID-STOMACH undermines the health and saps the strength of millions.

If you don't get rid of those stomach miseries there is no telling where your stomach troubles will end, for it is a well known scientific fact that many serious ailments have their start in an acid-stomach.

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There can be no further excuse for you to allow acid-stomach to wreck your health—pile up misery upon misery until you get to the point where you feel down and out and that life has lost all its joys. Remember, just as acid-mouth ruins teeth, so acid-stomach ruins health.

Take EATONIC. It's good, just like a bit of candy and makes the stomach feel fine. You can then eat the things you like and, what is more, every mouthful you eat will count in creating power and energy. You'll feel so much better—have punch and pep—the power and will to do things and get results, and your stomach misery will be gone.

Take our advice. Get a big box of EATONIC from your druggist today. It costs so little. If it fails to remove your stomach distress, he will refund your money. That is guaranteed; you are to be satisfied or money refunded.

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by Peder Sorenson

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by A. O. Slattum

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by Olaf Opseth

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Solicited by B. P. Sagmoen

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Solicited by E. A. Silverness

A. C. Olson	$5
John Batten	5
Rasch Batten	3
M. O. Jarshaw	5
F. O. Jarshaw	5
Ralph Ness	5
T. J. Ness	5
Ed O'Hara	5
F. J. Taggart	1
Simon Gulseth	3
J. J. Serbus	3
Miss Ida Gulseth	1
N. Larson	1
R. M. Nyhus	5
Christ Evenson	5
E. A. Silverness	5
Total	$56

Peter Doran thru the "Soo" R. R. Co. $5.

Grand total of $340 50

One hundred and six people helped to raise the above sum. Our allotment was $391

We, the undersigned, wish hereby to express our sincere thanks to those who helped to raise this needed money for our Boys over there. We all feel better for having done this.

John Halvorson　　Olaf Opseth
A. O. Slattum　　B. P. Sagmoen
Peder Sorenson　　E. A. Silverness

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

All copy for [illegible] items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Help the Red Cross

We Need Money

SAVE FOOD AS NEVER BEFORE

This Is Call of Food Administration to Public for Coming Year.

INCREASE OF FIFTY PER CENT IS NEEDED

Last Year 11,820,000 Tons Sent Army and Allies—This Year 17,550,000 Must Go.

The people of the United States are right back up against [illegible]

[illegible]

What about the other 80 per cent or more than 80,000,000 people? In other words, what about saving in the American home?

"This is the answer: The American housewife must put herself into intensive training so as to learn to manage her resources as effectively as the soldier is compelled to save his strength, and use it with the most telling force. She must conserve scientifically, and all the other members of the family must support her loyally in doing this. All must conserve in the use of every kind of food. To eat merely for the pleasure of eating, after enough has been consumed to sustain health and strength, is to waste just as surely as to throw good food into the garbage can.

"Here is a typical illustration: A small boy in a Minnesota household the other day, within an hour after a hearty dinner, asked for something to eat. His mother knew that he could not be hungry [illegible] merely asking for food to satisfy his appetite for goodies. [illegible]

[illegible] ahead. But it should be remembered that

"By saving food we save soldiers' lives."

When in Minneapolis stop at

Hotel Lincoln

Nicollet Ave and 9th Street

Opened Sept. 1, 1918

In the center of the business and theatrical districts, adjoining the largest retail store. One square from street cars to and from all depots, yet free from noise of that traffic. Entrance and lobby on Nicollet Avenue, Minneapolis' leading thoroughfare.

125 Rooms—100 with bath and toilet
$1.00 to $2.00 per day

Furniture and equipment entirely new. All rooms have outside exposure, electric elevator and local and long distance phones.

Guests will receive the personal attention of the owners who will be there to wait on them

Wm. B. Camfield　　F. S. Gregory

The CELEBRATED

Mascot Flour

Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction

H. J. OIEN, Agent - - - Holt, Minn.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.

Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

Red River Valley Live Stock Sale!

Crookston, Minn. Feb. 12

150 Head at Public Auction

Shorthorn	Cows	Heifers	Bulls
Hereford	Cows	Heifers	Bulls
Holstein	Cows	Heifers	Bulls
Guernsey	Cows	Heifers	Bulls
Poland China	Sows	Bred Gilts	Boars
Duroc Jersey	Sows	Bred Gilts	Boars
Berkshire	Sows	Bred Gilts	Boars
Chester White	Sows	Bred Gilts	Boars
Shropshire Sheep		Ewes	Rams

This stock is selected from the leading herds of the Valley. No culls or inferior stock. Inspected by a committee and sold on a guarantee.

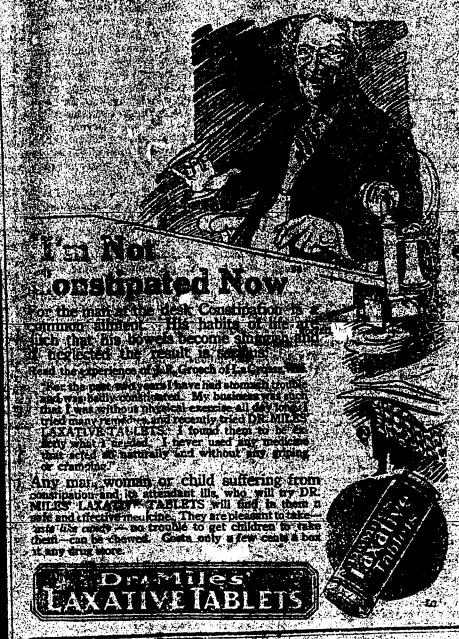
When You Buy At This Sale You Buy Right

Sale Held in New $25,000 Live Stock Pavillion

Commencing at 10 A. M. and 1 P. M.

For catalogue address

W. V. Gousseff, Secretary
Crookston, Minnesota



I'm Not Constipated Now

For the man at the desk Constipation is a common ailment. His habits of life are such that his bowels become sluggish and if neglected the result is serious.

Read the experience of J. R. Groesch of La Crosse, Wis.

"For the past two years I have had stomach trouble and was badly constipated. My business was such that I was without physical exercise all day long. I tried many remedies and recently tried DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS. I found them to be exactly what I needed. I never used any medicine that acted so naturally and without any griping or cramping."

Any man, woman or child suffering from constipation and its attendant ills, who will try DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS will find in them a safe and effective medicine. They are pleasant to take—taste like candy—no trouble to get children to take them—can be chewed. Costs only a few cents a box at any drug store.

Dr. Miles' LAXATIVE TABLETS

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen ($15.00) Dollars which became due April 1st, 1917, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 18th day of April, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota on the 4th day of August, 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 73 of Mortgages on Page 147 thereof; and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit, Sixty ($60.00) Dollars became at once due and payable, and was and is so declared by Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon said mortgage, the sum of Sixty ($60.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at ten (10) per cent per annum since April 1st, 1917, and the further sum of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars with interest thereon at six (6) per cent per annum since April 1st, 1917, and the further sum of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars with interest thereon at six (6) per cent since April 1st, 1918, the two larger amounts of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars each being for interest paid by Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior first mortgage of Fifteen Hundred ($1500.00) Dollars upon said land, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amount by said mortgagors, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being Two Hundred Sixty-five and 40-100ths ($265.40) Dollars. And whereas, said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first described herein, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage,

to-wit, the Southeast Quarter (SE 1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1-4) of Section Eleven (11) and the East Half (E 1-2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1-4) of Section Fourteen (14) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-three (43) West in Marshall County State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1919 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay said debt of Two Hundred Sixty-five and 40-100ths ($265.40) Dollars and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one (1) year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated Jan. 30th, 1919.

Merchants State Bank
of Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Wonderful Cuba Caves.

The wonderful caves of Bellamar, Cuba, to the east of Havana, attract the attention of the ambitious tourist. They are on a plateau as level as a table top, which presents no signs of the existence of such caves. After descending into the earth, however, a picture unfolds itself. Then come many passages, and at last the great "Gothic temple," 250 feet long and 85 feet wide.

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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The Northern Light

By The

Holt Publishing Company

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Local Items

St. Valentine's Day.

Children's fleeced lined underware at bargain prices at Peterson's.

Ole Sollom of Grand Forks, visited over Sunday with relatives here.

Farmers elevator and telephone meetings are both scheduled for next Monday.

Ole Backlund came down from Middle River Wednesday to have the seasons ice packed.

Dr. Biedermann was called Tuesday to see Mrs. H. Ekerdahlen who is quite sick, we are sorry to report.

Miss Lorine O'Hara returned home Thursday from several days visit with her parents in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hanslund and children returned home Wednesday from visiting relatives at Duluth.

Mrs. Lydia Pavek returned from T. R. Falls Friday. Her oldest boy Lyle has been quite sick but is alright now.

Social dance at the Woodman hall Friday evening Feb. 14th. Good music will be furnished and everybody welcome.

Theodore Olson is able to be out again but his sister Emma has been sick a few days and it is feared she also has the chicken pox.

The Ringo Red Cross Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. Ole Davidson at 2 o'clock sharp Wednesday afternoon Feb. 19th. Everybody welcome.—Secretary.

Mrs. Andrew Hanson of Spooner and Mrs. Wm. Bruce of Georgetown, Colo., visited at the home of their brother, W. A. Lindahl and family a few days the past week.

The following were entertained at dinner Monday at the C. L. Heinze home: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bjerk, Mr. and Mrs. Kaneli, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mathison and Mr. Ole Sverson.

Oscar Bottom visited his son, Clarence, at the Thief River Falls hospital a couple of days last week and reports the little fellow as getting along alright and that he is almost as well as usual.

The passenger train from the south stopped here Monday for the first time for dinner. Passengers and train crew are allowed 25 minutes for their lunches. This will be a big help to the hotel and two lunch rooms and will help to put Holt on the map of northern Minnesota.

Miss Hilma Sovde was taken suddenly sick Tuesday afternoon with appendicitis and Dr. Froehlich was sent for the same evening. Her brother, Olaf Sovde, took her to Thief River Falls Wednesday and she was operated upon at the hospital that evening. It was reported yesterday that she was still very sick.

Army and Navy News

Albert Nielson son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nielson of Golden Valley, returned home Tuesday from several months overseas service with the U. S. army in France.

P. L. Anderson arrived at Camp Grant, Ill., last Saturday, where he was to wait a few days for his discharge, so he may be expected home almost any day now.

T. A. Tobiason received a letter from his son Andrew, saying he was with the army in Germany. He also says he has always been real well since entering the army and hopes to be home in time for spring work.

To Recent Discharged Soldiers Who Want To Be Naturalized

Important Notice

R. K. Doe of Duluth, Minn., U. S. Naturalization Examiner for this district has notified Clerk of Court A. C. Swandby, of Warren, Minn., that aliens who have been honorably discharged from the service are expected to make applications for citizens papers in the near future.

The requirements for men who have been in the service are less stringent, according to advise received from Mr. Doe, than they are under ordinary circumstances. The present requirements are:

1. That you must have been honorably discharged less than six months.
2. You need no declaration of intention (1st paper).
3. You need not prove length of residence in the United States or in the state.
4. You need not have your petition posted and the same can be heard on the date of filing.
5. BUT you must have a Certificate of Arrival.
6. You must appear with your witnesses before R. K. Doe, U. S. Naturalization Examiner and get a certificate of Examination from him to be shown to the Clerk of the District before said Clerk of District Court can take your petition.

This last proviso is mandatory.

No petition can be taken under this subdivision later than six months from the date of the soldier's discharge.

To accommodate possible applicants under this act, R. K. Doe, U. S. Naturalization Examiner, will be in the office of A. C. Swandby, Clerk of the District Court, at Warren, Minn. on Thursday Mar. 27th.

The ladies of the Red Cross gave their president, Mrs. Fitch, a surprise birthday party last Saturday evening. The night was an ideal one and the ladies taking advantage of that, turned out in goodly number. A most enjoyable evening was spent in games, music and conversation with a spirit of good will and comradeship prevailing in all, made it complete. The ladies presented Mrs. Fitch with an aluminium coffee pot, an article indispensable in this northern clime, the recipient responding with a fine little talk which was appreciated by all. A delicious lunch was served and at a late hour the company dispersed to their separate homes, feeling that a getting together was not only pleasant but also necessary to promote neighborly interest.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn., has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property.

Write him.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

The Ladies Aid will meet at A. L. Sagstun's the first Wednesday in March.

The Ladies Aid met at Hans Knutson's last week Wednesday.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Holt Telephone Co., will be held in the Woodman Hall at Holt, on Monday Feb. 17th, 1919 at 1 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing officers, making important changes in the payments of dues and transacting any other business properly brot before said meeting.

A full attendance is desired as business of great importance is to be brot up.

Chas. Skoglund, Secy.

So many requests have come in for a special course in Farm Engineering and a course in Dairy and Stock Feeding that the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, has decided to offer courses in these subjects beginning the 17 of February and continuing four weeks until March 15.

Will Exchange For Land

One Registered Percheron Stallion, weight 2,000 lbs

One Registered Percheron Stallion weight 1,900 lbs

One Registered Percheron Mare coming 8 years old

One Midland Automobile nearly new

Will trade for land or sell all or any of the above

For a Bargain, Call on

K. O. Flakne, Holt, Minn.

Take Notice .

Prof. Frances A. March, Ph. D is a brother of Gen. Peyton C. March, Chief of Staff of the United States Army. Prof. March has written a complete history of the great world war and General March has written an introduction to the book and Richard J. Beamish a special war correspondent and military analyst has given his assistance in the preparation of this wonderful history of the greatest war the world has ever known.

This book is now on the market at a reasonable price, viz: $2.75 and $3.75.

The agent for this vicinity is C. Rustad. Send your order to him at Holt, Minn.

America's food pledge
20 million

For Rent

Rooms for rent. For further particulars call on Mrs. J. Nelson.

Thorough-breds for Sale!

Rose Comb Rhode Island Red Cockerels, also Rose Comb White Leghorn Cockrels.

Peter Ostlund, Jr.
Golden Valley, Minn.

News from Southeast of Holt.

(From another correspondent)

(Too late for last week)

Miss Matilda Hoffman and Miss Annie Erickson, spent Sunday afternoon at the C. Hoffman home.

Fred Steinhauer spent one evening last week with the Hoffman family.

Miss Ragna Larson and brother Bernard, and Miss Selma Saastad spent Friday evening at the C. Hoffman home. A very enjoyable time was reported.

Fred Hoffman who has been visiting with his parents for some time, will leave for Kempton N. Dak. the last of this week.

Andrew Kiseh is helping Mr. Voth haul hay and saw wood.

Miss Anna and Fred Hoffman spent Sunday evening at the Carl Larson home. A very pleasant time was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Schwarts visited at the Wm. Wendt home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mattson visited at the Wm. Wendt home Sunday evening.

Miss Ragna and Bernard Larson spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nohre.

C. G. MUGG, O. S.
OF GRAND FORKS, N. D.
FITS GLASSES
HE WILL BE AT
Central Hotel, Holt, Minn.

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

Mrs. Ole Knutson visited relatives in T. R. Falls the first of the week.

Ole Sovde is having his ice house filled by Hjalmer Peterson this week.

J. M. Jahr loaded a car of potatoes Monday and Tuesday which he sold on the track here to Mr. Biddick.

Geo. Hanson was in town Wednesday for the first time since his sickness and is feeling pretty good now.

The five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Tunheim, died Friday morning of diptheria and was buried Sunday.

Rudolph Dahl was operated upon at the Grygla hospital, last week for appendicitis and at last report was getting along nicely.

Save the heifer calves. The demand for meat will be great despite the close of the war. There are lots of hungry people to feed in both Europe and Asia.

Ole Sevevson of Dakota was entertained Saturday at the C. L. Heinze home. Mr. Sverson came here last week to attend the wedding of his niece, Miss Lydia Bjerk.

Remember the short hay crop last year, and now while there is plenty of time to plan, suppose you plan on a patch of corn fodder, rutabagas or mangels, to feed along with your hay next winter. Then the cultivating you do on that piece of land, will be fully as good as summer fallowing, perhaps even better. It's worth trying anyway.

Annual Statement

Farmers' Co-Operative Creamery Co. of Holt, Minn.

Cream received		197,772 lbs.
Average test	28.59	
Butterfat		56,659 lbs.
Overrun		13,320 "
Butter made		69,979 "
Per cent overrun	23.51	
Average price paid for butter fat		50.80
" price rec'd for butter		46.26
Cost of making one lb butter		3.64

Receipts

Balance from last year	$ 7.54
Rec'd for butter shipped	33,641.36
" " cash sales	499.02
" " ice m'chants order	72.82
" " money borrowed by Holt State Bank	600.00
" " butter sold patrons	151.58
" " buttermilk and supplies sold patrons	69.65
Total	$35,041.92

Disbursements

Paid patrons checks	$28,566.99
" freight & com'sion	2,000.75
" running expenses	2,549.11
" Holt State Bank loan	600.00
" Ice for merchants	72.82
" patrons by butter	151.58
" buttermilk, supplies	70.05
" Balance in all funds	1,030.67
Total	$35,041.92

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y

Case automobile for sale cheap. Enquire of Oscar Anderson, Holt.

K. O. Flakne went to Crookston Monday to attend the Farm Crops Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mathison left Monday for their home at McIntosh.

Alma Knutson who has been visiting in Crookston, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Sathre went to St. Paul Friday to look over the spring stock of millinery.

Miss Rose Heinze was an over Sunday visitor with friends in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Mabel Swenson and Miss Ida Knutson were T. R. Falls visitors Tuesday.

The Standard Oil Co. have installed a gas engine in the plant here to pump the oil out of the tank cars, which will save a lot of hand pumping during the year.

Carl Olen came Saturday from Shelly to work in the Sovde confectionery store. Mr. Sovde is fortunate in securing the help of Mr. Olen as he is a hustler.

The following young people were pleasantly entertained at the C. L. Heinze home Saturday evening:

Miss Annie Relerson and brother Obert, Misses Florence and Lillian Brown, Willie and Rudolph Rux and their sister Minnie.

Complete History of the
Greatest World War
By
Prof. Francis March
and
Richard J. Beamish
Special Military Analyst
Illustrated with over 300 Pictures. Official War Pictures by the American, Canadian, British, French and Italian Government.
C. Rustad, Agent
Holt, Minnesota

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.08
Wheat No. 2	2.05
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.27
Oats	.60
Barley	.58 to .64
Rye	1.17
Flour, Best Patent	5.70

Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 79
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 96

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg.
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

City Barber Shop
Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
All work guaranteed satisfactory
Ernest Phillipson
Holt, Minn.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surface. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

4 THRIFT STAMPS GIVEN AWAY.
Four Thrift Stamps will be given to any girl or boy for each name sent of those that need glasses, if they will get them in gold frames on my next visit. Names must be sent before any date advertised. If this is not understood, write to C. G. Mugg, O. S., Grand Forks, N. D.

13 Dollars—13 Cents

When Swift & Company paid, say,—13 dollars per hundredweight for live beef cattle last year, the profit was only 13 cents! In other words, if we had paid $13.13, we would have made no profit.

Or, if we had received a quarter of a cent per pound less for dressed beef, we would have made no profit.

It is doubtful whether any other business is run on so close a margin of profit.

This is bringing the producer and the consumer pretty close together—which should be the object of any industry turning raw material into a useful form.

This remarkable showing is due to enormous volume, perfected facilities (packing plants strategically located, branch houses, refrigerator cars, etc.), and an army of men and women chosen and trained to do their special work.

This, and many other points of interest, are found in the Swift & Company Year Book for 1919, just published which is brought out for the public as well as for the 25,000 Swift & Company shareholders.

The Year Book also represents the packer's side of the Federal Trade Commission investigation, upon which Congress is asked to base action against the industry.

Many who have never heard the packer's side are sending for the Year Book.

Would you like one? Merely mail your name and address to the Chicago office and the book will come to you.

Address
Swift & Company
Union Stock Yards, Chicago

SWIFT & COMPANY U.S.A.

All He Had in His Hand.

Bill Sikes had been charged with stealing a watch and had been found not guilty. Just as the verdict had been given a charge of assault was heard against the complainant.

"He beat me all about the 'ead with a brick an' near killed me, yer honor!" declared the victim.

"Why didn't you defend yourself?" asked the magistrate, rather bored with the proceedings. "Had you nothing in your hand?"

"Well, yer honor, I had his watch, but what was the use of that against a brick?"

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP

Why use ordinary cough remedies when Boschee's Syrup has been used so successfully for fifty-one years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles? It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health. Made in America and sold for more than half a century.—Adv.

Westward Bound.

One night the soldiers were telling what they did the first time they heard the big guns at the front. One fellow spoke up and said: "The first time I heard a big gun I ran so far in five minutes that it took me three hours to get back."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets put an end to sick and bilious headaches, constipation, dizziness and indigestion. "Clean house." Adv.

High Finance.

Walter—Mother, won't you buy me a watch?

Mother—What do you want a watch for?

Walter—I want to swap it with Jimmie Jones for one of his pups.—Baltimore Sun.

Philosophy.

"How does Jims support his wife?"

"Like the other trials of life—with what patience and resignation he can muster."

All She Did.

"Aunty," shrieked Hilda, "Gilbert is kicking me!"

"She began it," defended little brother.

"What did you do to him first, Hilda?" hotly demanded aunty.

"Nuffin at all 'cept hit him across the back wif my little broom," clamly replied Hilda.

Stop the Pain.

The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolisalve is applied. It heals quickly without scars. 25c and 50c by all druggists. For free sample write The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Adv.

The Early Mistake.

"Didn't Eve ask Adam to eat the apple, thereby bringing sorrow to the human race?"

"Yes," said the woman with snappy eyes. "And I'll bet many's the time Eve wished that instead of inviting him to have something to eat she had asked him to carry in wood or mend the roof or something he'd be sure to refuse."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Concealment.

"You never could believe anything a German diplomat said."

"Believe him!" exclaimed Miss Cayenne. "I couldn't even understand him."

In Fashion.

"What happened to your cook? Did she leave?"

"She abdicated."—Life.

Nothing pleases some girls so much as the chance to resist an attempt to kiss them.

Each experience a man has makes him either better or worse.

STATE BREVITIES

Worthington—After an illness of a week from influenza, A. J. Ward, 42, mayor of Worthington, died Jan. 30.

Warren—An assistant county agent will be appointed and placed at Grygla to take care of the work in the eastern part of the county, the Grygla bankers agreeing to pay one-half of the expenses of the assistant.

Winona—The establishment of a state hard surfaced highway from the border of the county on the east to the western boundary is proposed by L. H. Mathews as a memorial to the soldiers and sailors of Winona county.

Moorhead—The Remington Packing company shipped a carload of canned corn to the quartermasters' stores of the United States army. Before the corn was loaded it was inspected by a representative of the war department.

East Grand Forks—Wilfred Marleau, the 8-year old son of William Marleau of Brooklyn boulevard, fell from the top of the Sacred Heart church steps and struck his head on the ice below, being rendered unconscious.

St. Paul—Major Roger M. Weaver, Duluth, has been promoted to a colonelcy in the Minnesota Home Guard. He will command the Third Infantry battalion and motor corps attachment, succeeding Perry Harrison, Minneapolis, recently given the rank of brigadier general.

Moorhead—January was one of the warmest of the thirty-nine that have been recorded by the United States weather bureau. The mean temperature for the month was 15.5 deg. above zero. The records show that this average for the month has only been exceeded three times during the last thirty-nine years.

Biwabik—Fire broke out in the Belgrade mine, just west of Biwabik, and smoke filled the mine. The mine was working at full capacity at the time, but all the men got out safely excepting Frank Royal, who was overcome by smoke and gas. His body was found near the shaft, indicating he made a vain attempt to get out before being overcome.

Duluth—Logging operations have begun in earnest in Northern Minnesota as a result of the snow and cold weather, according to reports from various points. For the first time this winter lumber companies in the Virginia district are advertising for men. If favorable weather continues full crews will be kept at work from now until spring, dispatches state.

Minneapolis—In connection with the plan to place a military training unit in all important high schools of Minnesota, Lieut.-Col. F. A. Smith, district inspector of the reserve officers' training corps, announces that application blanks have been sent to high school authorities in every city of 5,000 or more poplation in Minnesota and other states of the Eighth district.

Pipestone—Mayor S. B. Duea has been informed by an assistant secretray of the treasury that the ship which will be named Pipestone, in honor of this county for having the highest percentage for the sale of Liberty Bonds of the Fourth issue, will be a firstclass battlecruiser and will be launched in the east at a time soon to be decided upon. Many from Pipestone will attend the launching.

Fergus Falls—A three-day session of Swedish Lutheran churches of the Alexandria district came to a close here when the following were elected district officers: President, Rev. P. E. Ording of Nelson; vice president, Rev. H. A. Bergdahl of Eagle Bend; secretary, Rev. P. E. Bergstrom of Holmes City; treasurer, Rev. Oscar Gustafson of Elbow Lake; statistican, Rev. M. A. Hendrickson of Eagle Lake.

Minneapolis—A great congress, representative of all lines of industry, commerce and finance comprised within the confines of the Ninth Federal Reserve bank district, is to be held in Minneapolis, March 19 and 20, under the auspices of the Minneapolis Advertising Forum, assisted by the Civic & Commerce association. Invitations to be sent throughout the district will assure the attendance of between 2,500 and 3,000 business men.

St. Paul—Bishop Dowling may be consecrated archbishop of St. Paul on Easter Sunday, Rev. J. C. Byrne, vicar general of the diocese, said that it would be several weeks before the ceremony can take place as the official appointment must be received from Rome. It is to be sent by special messenger. Arrangements for the consecration ceremony will be discussed at the residence of the Archbishop here some time this month.

Ely—No curfew bell "tolls the knell of parting day" more to incidentally remind youngsters to wend their way home or run afoul the police as the bell used for such purposes was removed when the Central school building was remodeled, but the police say that some sort of a noise making device will be substituted. If this is not in the shape of a whistle or another bell, the officers will still see to it that boys and girls get off the street at the same old time each evening.

Minneapolis—Several hundred men from Minnesota and other states of the Northwest who enlisted in the forestry regiment of the army are working now at 76 points in France, and are operating 107 sawmills, according to word received from Minneapolis men with the unit. In addition, the Twentieth engineers, as the regiment is now called, is clearing large tracts of timber elsewhere and is getting out the fuel wood required for the American army of occupation. Twentieth engineers, it is now asserted, is the largest regiment in the world, numbering 17,000 men.

St. Cloud—The Rockville creamery report for 1918: Income from all sources, $42,960.08. The resources are $10,440. The capital stock is $4,942.50.

Virginia—Congressman Miller has notified the Virginia council that one of the captured German cannon will be sent here to be put in a public place.

Stillwater—Banks closed here during the funeral of David Bronson, 85, for sixty-four years a resident of Stillwater, long identified with the city's upgrowth.

Brainerd—Edwin Geisel, alias Edwin V. Nelson of Fort Atkinson, Wis., was arrested here on orders of the adjutant general of Wisconsin charging him with desertion from the army.

Detroit—Judge John A. Doeser of St. Cloud has granted the application of Sheriff Con Glaum of Becker county for an increase of salary and has set the annual compensation at $1,200 per annum.

Winona—Frank Chase, a patrolman on the police department, was arrested on a charge of burglary. It is charged that he entered a shoestore by unlocking the front door, and stole a pair of shoes.

Fergus Falls—G. W. Frankberg sold his farm northeast of this city to C. E. Brown of Madelia, Minn., for $25,000, or $156.25 an acre. This is the highest price ever paid for a farm of this size in Ottertail county.

Pipestone—The city council has decreed that no more poolhalls will be allowed in this city. At present there are three, and the council has passed an ordinance prohibiting more than that number to operate here.

Lake Wilson—The Lake Wilson Commercial club has been formed with a membership of 30. Robert [illegible] is the first president and J. W. [illegible], secretary. The club will launch a campaign for a waterworks system.

Mankato—Fourteen saloons will go out of business when Mankato enters the prohibition ranks on Feb. 12. The fact that Blue Earth county is bounded on three sides by wet territory caused peace officials to be apprehensive. Strict enforcement of the bone dry provisions of the law will begin Feb. 24, according to the police.

Ginger—County Agent R. H. Van Scoik was present at a farmers' meeting held here to boost the verdict for a potato warehouse. Mr. Van Scoik outlined the benefits to be obtained and so much enthusiasm was aroused that thirty-four shares of stock at $25 each were sold. Work will be started on the building next spring.

Brainerd—In district court before Judge W. S. McClenahan, a jury returned a verdict of [illegible] for George O. Russell against the Northern Pacific Railway company and John Pihlstrom. It was a personal injury case, Russell claiming the loss of an eye through an accident at the shops of the railway company in Brainerd.

Fergus Falls—William Isaacson of New York Mills leased a farm from P. C. Rahto for three years, the lease containing the proviso that it should become void at any time that the farm was sold. Isaacson now says Rahto made a fake sale of the farm in order to get possession, and he has brought suit in the district court for $3,000.

St. Paul—More than 3,000 dentists from Minnesota and the Northwest attended the thirty-sixth annual convention of the Minnesota State Dentists' association, which held a three-day session in St. Paul last week. Among the speakers were Dr. Charles H. Mayo of Rochester, Dr. R. H. [illegible] of New York, and Dr. M. M. House of Indianapolis.

Pipestone—If the plans of a party of good roads promoters of Pipestone county are carried out, every mile of state roads in the county will be graveled before another winter. It is estimated that the work will cost about $100,000. A meeting of a committee on investigation will be called soon to discuss ways and means of meeting the expense.

Wabasha—Frank Stutzel of Wabasha, a mail clerk, and John Heintz of Austin, engineer, were killed when a passenger train, running from Wabasha to Faribault, crashed head-on into a freight train, from Minneapolis to La Crosse, one and one-half miles east of here, near Midland Junction, on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad. The collision is believed to have resulted from a misunderstanding of orders.

Minneapolis—In the Baptist Victory campaign, now on throughout the states to raise $6,000,000 for reconstruction and extension work, the Minnesota quota of $145,000 was announced. "Of this amount," said Rev. Dr. E. R. Pope, state missionary superintendent, "$60,000 will be taken from the regular apportionment of the churches, and $85,000 will come from personal gifts." The limit of the campaign is March 31.

Red Wing—The convention of the Young People's Lutheran league of America and Choral union, which was postponed last August for patriotic reasons, will be held here next May 16, 17 and 18. The organization includes all parts of the United States and Canada. Several thousand delegates are expected. The Choral union plans to stage a concert with a chorus of 1,500 voices and bands from Decorah, Ia., Northfield, Minn., and other college centers, will attend.

Alexandria—After receiving word that their son, Edwin Wilke, was killed in action and later that he had died as a result of wounds, the parents of the boy, residing here, were surprised when he arrived home. It developed that he had been wounded while in service in France.

Bemidji—Miss Mabel Anderson, Federal home demonstration agent, and A. A. Aamodt, county agent, visited the Red Lake school and both praised the work done in the government schol. Miss Anderson states that work done in bread making by the Indian girls is wonderful.

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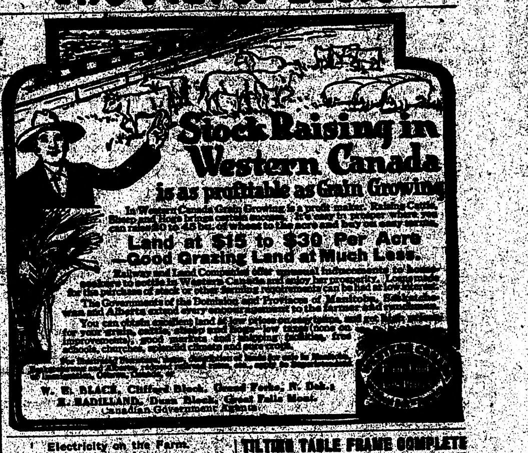

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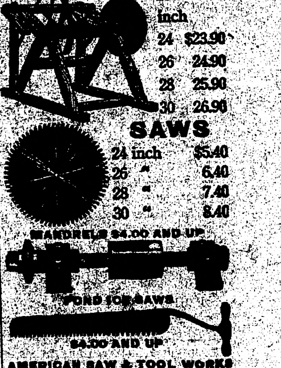

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BY FRANKLIN DUANE, M. D.

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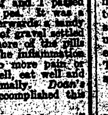

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LIEUT.-GOVERNOR FRANKSON ISSUES STATEMENT AGAINST RAISING OFFICIALS' PAY.

SAYS PROBLEM IS SERIOUS

Raise in Annual Stipend for Every Official Proposed in Bill Introduced in House—Safety Board Bill Re-referred.

St. Paul.—An increase of pay for state officers all down the line, from governor to deputy commissioner of insurance, is provided in a bill introduced by Representatives Neuman, Bauck, Sudheimer and Dilley.

The governor's pay is raised from $7,000 to $10,000; the secretary of state, attorney general, state auditor and treasurer are lifted from $4,500 to $6,500.

Proposed Raises for Justices.

The chief justice of the supreme court is raised from $7,500 to $9,000, and the associate justices from $7,000 to $8,500. The supreme court commissioners are also given $8,500 each.

Judges of district court are raised from $4,200 to $6,000, with $1,500 additional for the judges in Ramsey, Hennepin and St. Louis counties. The additional $1,500 would be paid by these counties.

Members of the board of control, superintendent of public instruction, public examiner, commissioner of highways, commissioner of insurance, superintendent of banks, members of the tax commission, secretary to the governor, clerk of the supreme court, are raised from $4,500 to $6,000 each. Railroad and warehouse commissioners are to get $6,500 each.

Assistant attorney generals are to have $5,300 each and the deputy attorney general $6,000.

$5,000 for Adjutant General.

The adjutant general and commissioner of labor are each to have $5,000. The secretary of the state board of health $5,500, state forester, $4,500.

The commissioner of weights and measures, dairy and food commissioner, state librarian, state printers, deputy secretary of state, secretary of the state board of investment, deputy state auditor, and deputy treasurer, deputy superintendent of banks and deputy commissioner of insurance, each $3,500.

Secretary of the forestry board $3,000; hotel inspectors, $2,500; superintendent of timber, $4,000; chief of accounts, $4,000; game and fish commissioner, $4,000; secretary of the tax commission, $3,500.

Assails Salary Increases.

In a signed statement, Lieutenant-Governor Frankson assails the public officials, state, county and municipal, who are flooding the legislature with demands for an increase in salary.

Declaring that the members of the legislature are not asking an increase of compensation for themselves, nor voluntarily asking it for others, Mr. Frankson says:

"To demand an increase of wages for public officials and clerks at this time when our state and nation need united action, co-operation and conservation of every human agency, together with all our natural resources and wealth, is an act unpatriotic and uncalled for.

Taxation Problem Called Serious.

"It is a fact that the taxation problem is serious for every taxpayer in the state, whether he lives in the city or on the farm. If our taxes increase during the next 30 years at the rate they have during the past 30 they will practically reach the stage of confiscation."

Mr. Frankson declares he believes it his duty as presiding officer of the senate to call the attention of the public to the demands of "these salary grabbers," who are flooding the legislature with bills from every department of the state, city and county government.

Mr. Frankson takes the position that this is the time for the already well-paid public official who remained at home with a good job, during the war, to show consideration for the thousands of patriotic citizens who gave up good positions in private life to enter the army and fight for the flag. The taxpayers also are entitled to some consideration, he declares.

House Vote Revises Record.

By a practically unanimous vive voce vote the house expunged from the records the resolution demanding the removal of Postmaster General Burleson and the restoration of the Twin City telephone employes to their former jobs.

Safety Board Bill Sent Back.

An attempt to bring the bill repealing the Public Safety commission law before the state senate failed and the measure was sent back to committee for further consideration. The bill, introduced by Senator Fred Bessette of Orr, was favorably reported by the Civil Administration committee.

When the committee report was read Senator John D. Sullivan of St. Cloud immediately objected. He insisted that the bill had been recommended by a vote of three to two in the committee, with four members absent. The measure was referred back to committee, following Senator Sullivan's objections.

Motor Corps Bill Favored.

The house committee on appropriations has recommended the motor corps bill for passage and voted to ask that it be made a special order.

The bill provides for the enlistment and equipment of 2,074 men and carries an appropriation of $150,000 annually from which pay and allowances for the corps are to be drawn.

The men are to be paid whenever the corps is in service more than twenty-four hours.

Efforts to eliminate the aero squadron, intended for patrol of the forest regions, were defeated by a vote of the committee.

Babcock Plan in House.

The Babcock road bill has come back to the house branded by the committee on highways as its own, which means that the bill will go on general orders and the members of the highways committee will fight to have it passed in its present form as a proposed constitutional amendment incorporating a complete trunk system of highways.

In the senate, Patrick McGarry of Walker, chairman of the highways committee of that body, has given notice that he will move for passage of the bill as a special order of business.

Consideration of all amendments to the proposed Babcock plan, where such proposed amendments deal only with change in routes or new routes to be added to the system was placed in the hands of sub-committee by members of the house and senate highways committees.

House Passes Fire Relief Bill.

The house passed the $1,800,000 forest fire relief appropriation under suspension of the rules.

The report of the Bendixen special committee seemed to have satisfied all objections to giving the entire amount asked by the state fire relief commission. The roll call was perfunctory.

The $1,800,000 provides for an overdraft of $400,000, and relief for the next five months.

For Emergency Brigade.

Representative E. O. Oren of Faribault proposes in a concurrent resolution that an emergency brigade be organized on the plan of the national guard. The emergency brigade is to be known as the state guard and is to be used by the governor to aid sufferers from cyclones, forest fires or other disasters.

Want Smaller Colleges to Share.

Representatives of denominational colleges throughout the state protested vigorously against a joint bill introduced to provide free tuition at the University of Minnesota to men and women of Minnesota who have served this country in the world war.

Dr. Donald H. Cowling of Carleton college and Dr. S. F. Kerfoot of Hamline university were spokesmen before the senate committee of education. They asked that the bill, introduced by Senator Leonard H. Nord in the senate and Representative F. J. McPartlin in the house, be amended to include an appropriation to furnish free tuition under like conditions in the smaller colleges.

To Help Industrial Cripples.

A concurrent resolution to memorialize Congress in favor of the passage of the Smith-Bankhead bill, to provide for the rehabilitation of industrial employes crippled at their work as well as vocational education for crippled soldiers was passed by the Senate unanimously after its introduction by Senator J. G. Callahan of Minneapolis.

Bill Affecting Bars Passed.

Red Lake county, which was made dry by a commission order, now becomes wet, but the senate has passed the bill of Senators James Cumming and F. H. Peterson prohibiting the sale of liquor within 50 miles of an Indian reservation. If this is passed by the house, Red Lake county will again be dry.

Among the important measures passed by the Senate was one introduced by Senator H. N. Benson, of St. Peter which would allow money to be loaned from the state treasury to the state prison revolving fund when advances are necessary to meet business requirements of the prison twine plant.

This arrangement will allow the prison to borrow money from the state at a lower rate of interest than it could be had from banks or individuals. In the past two years, without this provision, and in face of the war raise in prices, the prison warden was compelled to borrow nearly $2,000,000 for the operation of the twine plant.

Representative C. H. Warner introduced a bill proposing that newspapers, periodicals and pamphlets printed in a foreign language must run English translations of all matter contained therein, the translation to be verified by a competent translator in the office of the state superintendent of public instruction. The bill was referred to the judiciary committee.

MASONS CLOSE LONG MEETING

War Scare in Raleigh, N. C., in 1865, Prevented Observance of Ancient Ritual.

Raleigh, N. C.—After a lapse of 52 years, the longest Masonic "communication" on record came to an end one night recently, when John Nichols, master, formally "closed" a meeting of Hiram Lodge, No. 40, which began on April 17, 1865. Gov. Thomas W. Bickett, William W. Kitchen, formerly governor; Chief Justice Walter Clark and many other prominent Masons of the state attended.

Four days before the original convening of the lodge Raleigh had been surrendered to the Union army under Gen. William T. Sherman. News of the assassination of President Lincoln was received that evening after the lodge had gone into session.

Gen. John A. Logan, later vice president, who was in command of the city, learned that a division of negro troops had threatened to burn Raleigh

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Are they to become aimless wanderers, with the ultimate possibility of augmenting an army of menacing loafers? If they do it it is because their ability to assist in laying new foundations, in building up much required structures, is underestimated. Men who have fought as they have fought, who have risked and faced dangers as they have, are not of the caliber likely to flinch when it comes to the restoration of what the enemy partially destroyed, when it comes to the reconstruction of the world the ideals of which they had in view when they took part in the great struggle whose Divine purpose was to bring about this reconstruction.

Inured to toil, thoughtless of fatigue, trained in initiative and hardened by their outdoor existence they will return better and stronger men, boys will have matured and young men will have developed.

They will decide of themselves lines of action and thought, and what their future should and will be. On the field of battle they developed alertness and wisdom, and they will return with both shedding from every pore.

Action was their by-word and it will stand them in good stead now that the din of the battle no longer rings in their ears, or the zero hour signals them to the fray, and it will continue during their entire existence.

But if they return to find their old avocation gone, their places filled, the institutions with which they were connected no longer exist, new walks of life and employment must be opened to them. It may be that the counting house, the factory, the workshop will have lost their attraction. The returned soldier will look elsewhere for employment; within his reach there is always the "Forward-to-the-Land" necessity. In this lies the remedy that will not only take care of a multitude of those who may not be able to return to their former occupations, whose desires are not to do so, whose health prohibits them from indoor life or whose outdoor habits from the past one, two, three or four years have given them such a taste and desire for it that confinement would be unbearable. Farm life will thus appeal to them, and the indications are that it will be taken advantage of by thousands. It means much to them as well as to the Continent of America that provides the opportunity to the world at large, and to the stricken and famished nations of Europe, who, not only today, but for years to come, will require the sustenance that can only largely be supplied by the United States and Canada. By following the pursuit of agriculture the returned soldier will continue the cause he so greatly advanced when fighting on the field of battle. Both countries have undeveloped areas yet open to settlement.

There is little need here to direct attention to the wealth that has come to the farmers of Canada within the past few years. It is not only in grain growing that unqualified and almost unequaled success has followed honest effort, but the raising of horses, cattle, sheep and hogs has been large source of profit. These are facts that are well known to the many friends and acquaintances of the thousands of farmers from the United States who have acquired wealth on the prairies of Western Canada. Farms of from one hundred and sixty to six hundred and forty acres of the richest soil may be secured on reasonable terms, and with an excellent climate, with a school system equal to any in the world, and desirable social conditions, little else could be asked.

Canadian statesmen are today busily engaged planning for the future of the returned soldier with a view to making him independent of state help after the immediate necessary assistance has been granted, the main idea being to show in the fullest degree the country's appreciation of the services he has rendered.

But, now that the war is ended, and the fact apparent that of all avocations the most profitable and independent is that of the farmer, there will be a strong desire to secure farm lands for cultivation. Canada offers the opportunity to those seeking, not as speculation but as production. The deepest interest is taken by Federal and Provincial authorities to further the welfare of the farmer and secure a maximum return for his efforts. Large sums of money are spent in educational and experimental work. Engaged in Experimental and Demonstration farms, and in the agricultural colleges, are men of the highest technical knowledge and practical experience, some being professors of international reputation. The results of experiments and tests are free and available to all. Educational opportunities for farmers are the concern of the Government and appreciation is shown by the number of farmers who attend the free courses.

Agriculture in Canada has reached a high standard, notwithstanding which lands are low in price.

Thus upon the United States and Canada for many years will rest the great burden of feeding the world. With free interchange of travel, difficulties of crossing and recrossing removed, Canada may look for a speedy resumption of the large influx of settlers from the United States which prevailed previous to the war. During the war period there was a dread of something, no one seemed to know what: if the American went to Canada he might be conscripted, put in prison, or in his attempt to cross the border he would meet with innumerable difficulties, most of which, of course, was untrue. These untruths were circulated for a purpose by an element, which, it was discovered had an interest in fomenting and creating trouble and distrust between two peoples whose language and aims in life should be anything but of an unfriendly character. The draft law of the United States adopted for the carrying out of the high purposes had in view by the United States kept many from going to Canada during the period of the war. The citizen army of the United States was quickly mobilized, and contained a large percentage of the young men from the farms. In this way many were prevented from going to Canada.

That is all over now. There are no real or imaginary restrictions; there is no draft law to interfere. On the contrary there is an unfathomable depth of good feeling, and the long existing friendship is stronger than ever. This has been brought about by the knowledge of what has been done in the recent great struggle, each vying with the other in giving credit for what was accomplished. In thought and feeling, in language, in aims in life, in work, in desire to build up a new world, there has been bred a kinship which is as indissoluble as time itself.—Advertisement.

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Do you feel tired and "worn-out?" Are you nervous and irritable? Don't sleep well at night? Have a "dragged out," unrested feeling when you get up in the morning? Dizzy spells? Bilious? Bad taste in the mouth, backache, pain or soreness in the loins, and abdomen? Severe distress when urinating, bloody, cloudy urine or sediment? All these indicate gravel or stone in the bladder, or that the poisonous microbes, which are always in your system, have attacked your kidneys.

You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The oil soaks gently into the walls and lining of the kidneys, and the little poisonous animal germs, which are causing the inflammation, are immediately attacked and chased out of your system without inconvenience or pain.

Don't ignore the "little pains and aches," especially backaches. They may be little now but there is no telling how soon a dangerous or fatal disease of which they are the forerunners may show itself. Go after the cause of that backache at once, or you may find yourself in the grip of an incurable disease.

Do not delay a minute. Go to your druggist and insist on his supplying you with a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In 24 hours you will feel renewed health and vigor. After you have cured yourself, continue to take one or two Capsules each day so as to keep in first-class condition, and ward off the danger of future attacks. Money refunded if they do not help you. Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand, and thus be sure of getting the genuine.—Adv.

Tired Nervous Mothers

Should Profit by the Experience of These Two Women

Buffalo, N. Y.—"I am the mother of four children, and for nearly three years I suffered from a female trouble with pains in my back and side, and a general weakness. I had professional attendance most of that time but did not seem to get well. As a last resort I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which I had seen advertised in the newspapers, and in two weeks noticed a marked improvement. I continued its use and am now free from pain and able to do all my housework."—Mrs. B. B. Zielinska, 202 Weiss Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Portland, Ind.—"I had a displacement and suffered so badly from it at times I could not be on my feet at all. I was all run down and so weak I could not do my housework, was nervous and could not lie down at night. I took treatments from a physician but they did not help me. My Aunt recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I tried it and now I am strong and well again and do my own work and I give Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound the credit."—Mrs. Josephine Kimble, 935 West Race Street, Portland, Ind.

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TIES PLAN WILL PREVAIL

Savings Bodies to Be Organized in Ninth District Week of Feb. 17 to 24.

EE DIFFERENT TYPES

al Organizations for Schools, al Communities and Business Establishments Outlined to Teach Thrift.

[illegible]neapolis, Minn.—The week of [illegible]uary 17 to 24 will be Savings Society Week in the Ninth Federal Reserve District. [illegible] time was today fixed by A. R. [illegible], chairman of the Ninth District War Loan Organization, as the [illegible] in which every community in [illegible] Ninth Federal Reserve District [illegible] organize the War Savings Societies which are to be the nucleus of [illegible] 1919 campaign for Thrift. [illegible] and War Savings Stamp [illegible]. Centering on the society plan [illegible] scores in each society and [illegible] throughout the district will [illegible] a common point of contact [illegible] weekly or semi-monthly meetings, the District War Loan Organization [illegible] to have Thrift written large [illegible] minds and hearts of every man [illegible] child in the district. A [illegible] appeal will be made for the pur[illegible] of W. S. S. with the money [illegible].

Three Types.

[illegible] definite types of War Savings [illegible] have been worked out at [illegible] by John H. Meyering, [illegible] of the W. S. S. division, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] in so many rural communities.

[illegible], there is hardly any limit to [illegible] number or nature of groups which [illegible] organize War Savings Societies. [illegible] the models such names as [illegible] "community," or "industrial" [illegible] must merely to indicate [illegible] nature of the plan. Any [illegible] can organize, choosing the type [illegible] best suited to its needs. [illegible] group will be urged to organize [illegible] farmers' clubs, commercial clubs, [illegible] orders, woman's clubs, clubs [illegible] and girls, mutual co-operative [illegible] of all sorts, every father [illegible] the message of thrift, [illegible] and the purchase of [illegible] securities can be placed [illegible] a number of persons, will be [illegible].

Americanization work is to be closely linked with the War Savings Societies, especially in communities where [illegible] considerable proportion of the population [illegible] not yet come under the [illegible] spirit and the benefits [illegible] living in the United [illegible]. It is the opinion of the [illegible] committee that ownership of W. [illegible] and other Government securities [illegible] distinct help to Americanization. It will increase the interest of [illegible] individual in his Government [illegible] he knows he owns a part of the [illegible] public debt.

Speed Up Organization.

[illegible] chairmen of War Savings [illegible] have been advised by Mr. [illegible] to get in touch immediately [illegible] workers in their territories [illegible] make preparations for forming societies during the week of [illegible]uary 17. There also will be [illegible] of county chairmen at various points in each state of the Ninth [illegible], at which the information [illegible] will be made available for the [illegible]. At each of these meetings a [illegible] from headquarters in Minneapolis will attend with information [illegible] advice. A Speakers' Bureau is [illegible] worked up which will be able to [illegible] speakers to the societies, either [illegible] the time of organization or at [illegible] meetings.

[illegible] on the fundamental idea [illegible] value of Thrift, we intend also [illegible] convince every person in the district that the purchase of War Savings Stamps will make savings do a [illegible] bigger and more valuable work [illegible] any other use of the money," Mr. [illegible] said today. "At the same [illegible] of course, the money saved and [illegible] in stamps will be perfectly [illegible] and will yield an interest return [illegible] 4 per cent, and 5 per cent. [illegible].

Save And Invest.

[illegible] more than four years the world [illegible] been spending. Now the world [illegible] either start saving to make up [illegible] loss and waste or it must fall [illegible] into stagnation and sink to a [illegible] of comfort and happiness distinctly below that of 1914. But it is [illegible] for the American people [illegible] back if they are thrifty [illegible] have the best oppor[illegible]tunity to save, of any of the world's nations. We have food, clothing and money—all the good things in life. But we must make the basis of this prosperity secure. Saving makes the future prosperity of the individual safe. At the same time it supplies money to the Government with which the whole national structure can be so strengthened that we will not have to lose or forego our general prosperity.

"With these appeals there is also the fact that America must loan money to other nations if these nations are to continue to buy goods in the United States and by so doing give steady employment to our industrial and agricultural workers. During the war while we were supplying the world, our production expanded tremendously. We must hold those foreign markets if we are to keep up that production rate. We must hold foreign markets or undergo such a slackening in manufacture and agriculture, that every individual will suffer.

"Much of the money loaned through investment in War Savings Stamps will go to meet the overwhelming war expense which remains to be paid. Much of the rest will go to foreign nations as credits with which they can buy of us and keep the home wheels turning."

A Permanent Force.

The War Savings societies formed this year will probably become an increasingly important factor in financing the United States when the period for Liberty Loans has passed. According to Mr. Rogers, the Treasury Department plans to make the societies permanent so far as possible and to keep War Savings Stamps on sale as a means whereby every individual can save with security at the same time that he is adding to the Government's income. Not the least advantage of such a plan will be a material reduction of taxes in coming years, in so far as the total of many small savings defrays the heavy national expense we must carry as a result of the war.

WAR WON, BUT NOT ENDED

[illegible] Says Readjustment Days Need Aid of Every Citizen.

Statement by United States Senator Asle J. Gronna, of North Dakota.

"The war has been won but has not ended. The days of readjustment will demand the cooperation and intelligent aid of every loyal American citizen. [illegible] must be called to defray [illegible] bills which will worry the [illegible] of the nation's financial destiny for some time to come.

"Patriotic, constructive aid can be rendered the Government now by even the smallest wage earner, and in such a manner as to make his patriotic effort a foundation of good fortune. The Government is urging American citizens to continue the purchase of War Savings and Thrift Stamps and other Government securities to help raise money to defray expenses which at present are even heavier than those which arose while the war was on. Our financial stability must be maintained, our credit must remain unimpaired.

"I heartily approve of the Government's plan to spread the gospel of thrift in every home throughout the land. The purchase of War Savings and Thrift Stamps is a practical manifestation of thrift. The likeness of Benjamin Franklin which appears on the new issue is indeed significant, and homage should be paid to him by every citizen by investing in Government securities, thereby laying the foundation for the national spirit of thrift which I believe the war has inculcated to many who formerly did not know the meaning of the word."

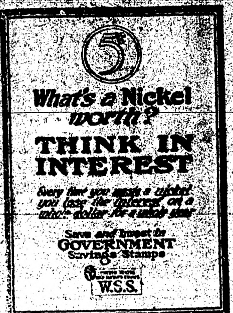
SUPPORT OF OUR SOLDIERS

People Should Buy Liberty Bonds and W. S. S. Says Clark.

Statement by Speaker Champ Clark of Missouri.

"It goes without saying that there must and will be another big Bond Issue. Having put our hands to the plow we must not look back. We cannot afford to. Because while the world war is really over, it is not technically ended until President Wilson issues a proclamation to that effect. We still have a huge army overseas and while it should be brought home as soon as ships can bring our soldiers back, until they get back they must be fed and clothed and otherwise cared for. It would be an everlasting shame not to do that. So people should subscribe for the impending loan and purchase War Savings Stamps as readily and liberally as they subscribed for past loans. It's for the support of our soldiers and nothing is too good for them."

"CHAMP CLARK."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What's a Nickel worth?
THINK IN INTEREST
Every time you spend a nickel you lose the interest on a whole dollar for a whole year
Save and Invest in GOVERNMENT Savings Stamps
W.S.S.

Picture of Poster to Be Displayed Throughout Ninth District.

E. M. Bennes was a business visitor in Holt Tuesday.

Albert Mathison treated the young folks to a dance at the Woodman hall Saturday night.

C. L. Sandberg was a Thief River Falls business visitor Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dr. Froehlich was called Tuesday night to see Miss Hilma Sovde who is very sick with appendicitis.

The farmers elevator is a sure go. Now is the time to join. Get in the band wagon and help to boost Holt.

Tilford Relerson of Thief River Falls visited over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Relerson.

The farmers will meet Monday to make further plans for their elevator, which it is expected will be started soon.

Our winter weather has grown mild again and if it keeps up a little longer, this year will make a record as a mild winter.

Whatever helps to build up our village, also adds to the prosperity of the farmer and to the value of his land, and whatever helps the farmer is also helpful to the village and adds to its prosperity and to the value of its property. We need each other. If either one could be removed bodily from our midst, the one left would'nt sell for much.

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Their Married Life

Many a husband and wife become so engrossed in their varied duties that they fail to realize that the first essential of a happy home is HEALTH. The ailment that is most common [illegible] LAXATIVE TABLETS [illegible] TASTE LIKE CANDY [illegible] Whenever your bowels are sluggish try DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS [illegible] For sale by druggists everywhere.
DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Help the Red Cross

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War Savings Stamps

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Buy War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps at any bank or post office.

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Holt News

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen ($15.00) Dollars which became due April 1st, 1917, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 13th day of April, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota on the 4th day of August, 1915, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 75 of Mortgages on Page 147 thereof; and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit, Sixty ($60.00) Dollars became at once due and payable, and was and is so declared by Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Sixty ($60.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at ten (10) per cent per annum since April 1st, 1917, and the further sum of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars with interest thereon at six (6) per cent per annum since April 1st, 1917, and the further sum of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars with interest thereon at six (6) per cent since April 1st, 1918, the two last amounts of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars each being for interest paid [illegible] Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior first mortgage of Fifteen Hundred ($1500.00) Dollars upon said land; default having been made in the payment of the same and by said amount of said mortgage, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being Two Hundred Sixty-five and 40-100ths ($265.40) Dollars. And whereas, said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first described herein, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Southeast Quarter (SE 1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1-4) of Section Eleven (11) and the East Half (E 1-2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1-4) of Section Fourteen (14) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-three (43) West, in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1919 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay said debt of Two Hundred Sixty-five and 40-100ths ($265.40) Dollars and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one (1) year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated Jan. 30th, 1919.

Merchants State Bank
of Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota

Wonderful Cuba Caves.

The wonderful caves of Bellamar, Cuba, to the east of Havana, attract the attention of the ambitious tourist. They are on a plateau as level as a table top, which presents no signs of the existence of such caves. After descending into the earth, however, a picture unfolds itself. Then come many passages, and at last the great "Gothic temple," 250 feet long and 80 feet wide.

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Local Items

Ida Relerson had dental work done in T. R. Falls Monday.

Lewis Wekke was a Thief River Falls business visitor Friday.

Dr. Mellby was called Saturday to see Hilmer Sovde who is sick with lung fever.

[illegible] of Greenbush visited at the H. J. Oien home [illegible] and Tuesday.

Elmer Hagglund and Clarence [illegible] went to Crookston Monday to [illegible] for work.

[illegible] Peterson came down from Williams Wednesday, where he is employed [illegible].

Mr. E. J. McKinley of Devils Lake, N. D., came Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the H. Heinze home.

Miss Bernadette Norton returned Monday to her work at Easton, after several weeks pleasant visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Johnson and little child of Alvarado came Saturday to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson.

B. J. Bakke went to Crookston to consult a specialist, Dr. Morley, about one of his ears which has been giving him trouble of late.

The Nazareth Young people's Society will have a Pie Social at the Sorenson hotel Saturday evening Feb. 22nd to which all are invited.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will serve lunch in the church basement on Thursday afternoon Feb. 27th. Everybody invited. A hearty welcome for all.

Miss Ida Kjelgren returned home Tuesday from the Thief River Falls sanitorium, having been discharged as cured, which is good news to the many friends of the family.

Ole Sovde received a letter Tuesday from his sister, Ida who is attending school in Thief River Falls stating that his sister Miss Hilda is recovering nicely from the effects of her recent operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. H. Pavek and children returned to Gardena, N. D., last Friday accompanied by her sister, Mrs. C. Kolden and baby who will make them an extended visit. Since arriving at Gardena, they have written their parents that they had had an awful hard snow storm and were afraid the roads were going to blockaded for awhile.

The Free Mission people have engaged Rev. Myre for their pastor for the coming year.

He is at present living in Wisconsin and will move to Newfolden in a few weeks and have charge of the churches in both places.

Rev. Myre is highly spoken of as a minister and these churches are very fortunate in being able to get him to take these pastorates.

Army and Navy News

Willie Bakke arrived at the home of his parents in Thief River Falls Sunday morning for a few days furlough. He came to Holt Monday for a short visit at the Bakke and Docken homes and went to Middle River Tuesday to visit his sister Mrs. Spinks. He has also visited at the home of another sister, Mrs. Albert Halverson in Hillsboro N. D. and leaves there to-day for New York, as his leave of absence expires the 24th of this month. It will be remembered that Mr. Bakke entered the U. S. navy for four years and expects to see more of the different countries, unless honorably discharged before his term expires.

Farm House Burned

The farm house of Paul Olson was completely destroyed by fire Friday night or early Saturday morning. Mr. Olson's son, Arthur and family, who occupied the house were unable to save any thing except the range, and that was broken in the hurry to get it out.

The house and all their household goods are a complete loss as there was no insurance.

The fire is supposed to have started up stairs in a defective stove pipe.

B. Docken and Willie Erickson attended the Farm Crops Show at Crookston last week.

Mr. L. Lovenson came Saturday from Strathcona for an over Sunday visit at the Herman Heinze home.

C. W. Christianson is moving his blacksmithing business to his new location in the Kolden warehouse.

Mrs. H. O. Ekerdahlen and son Ralph were passengers from Newfolden Sunday night for Thief River Falls, where the former entered the hospital for treatment for gall stones.

Miss Annie Hagglund who has been working in St. Paul for some time, arrived in town Saturday for an extended visit at the home of her brother, Albert Hagglund and family.

Fridjof Riesberg went to Lengby Friday as operator for the G. N. Frits has made good in his chosen profession and is now drawing a little better than $120 per month for his sevices.

The farmers met Monday and adopted the by-laws and constitution and signed the articles of incorporation for the farmers elevator company. About $3000.00 worth of stock has already been sold and every thing is looking favorable for the new company.

The Red Cross Society under the efficient leadership of their president Mrs. Fitch, has entered upon a campaign of cheer and helpfulness in our little community, besides doing relief work for the Belgians.

Last week Wednesday a birthday surprise party was given Mrs. Hagberg which was enjoyed by all. The society presented Mrs. Hagberg with a fine gift in remembrance of the occasion. Wednesday afternoon the society visited Mrs. Gunheim who has been sick nearly all winter but who is now gaining in health, was cheered by the presence of the ladies. A delicious lunch was served by the ladies and several of them presented gifts which delighted the heart of the hostess.

There are other homes to cheer and other hearts to lighten and the Red Cross will in time try to do both.

Goodwill is an oil which lubricates the machinery of a community and the Red Cross is an agency well equipped to promote that necessary quality.

Steiner News

(Written for last weeks paper.)

Well here we are again after a long rest. The weather is fine and everybody is happy.

Miss Amy Whitman visited at the Warring home Sunday.

Mr. Carl Kneline was a caller at Steiner the first of the week.

Louis Meyer, Harvey Copp, Hobson Rogers and Willie Meyers attended the farmers' club meeting held at Rosewood last Friday night.

Mr. S. R. Rogers and family returned from Washington last week. We're glad to see you all back again Mr. Rogers.

Nick Baker was in Steiner one day last week.

Mr. John Whitman was soliciting funds for the Assyrian relief fund the past week.

Willie and Ella Meyers made a trip to Thief River Falls Monday of this week. They were accompanied by Mrs. Omer Warring.

Steve Warring visited at home over Sunday.

Renie Wether has been hauling wood the past few days and expects to saw soon.

Stigen Bros. sawed wood for John Meyers last week Friday.

Harvey Copp hauled cord wood to the school house last week.

Miss Lena Riedl is working in Thief River Falls at present.

Harvey Copp visited his folks Sunday afternoon.

John Christianson made a business trip to Thief River Falls Friday of last week.

Mr. Jerry Rogers and family left for Colorado the first of the week.

Mr. Claire O'Hara took a load of straw to Thief River Falls last week.

Mrs. Fitch and Mrs. J. Nelson went to T. R. Falls Monday.

Fred McGregor of Crookston was in Holt on business Wednesday.

Alf Boten went to T. R. Falls yesterday to have dental work done.

Ole Hamernes is tearing down his garage preparatory to putting up a larger building.

A physician was called Wednesday to see Iver Engebretsen who is on the sick list.

Misses Amanda and Stella Mickelson visited their sister in Thief River Falls a couple of days last week.

Willie and Rudolph Rux have been making short work of the wood piles in town this week with their buzz saws.

Carl Johnson and Olaf Halvorson drove out to their dredge Tuesday to make some repairs on it and get ready for the spring work.

Alma and Anna Anderson who have been working at Billings, Mont., for some time, passed thru Holt one day last week on their way home at Middle River.

Miss Elizabeth Newton enjoyed a short visit last week with her sister who has been clerking in N. Dak. for some time. The latter left for her home in McIntosh last Friday.

Mrs. H. Heinze and daughter Alice, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McKinley and children, all left Monday for a visit at the homes of the former's daughters, Mrs. Chris Israelson and Mrs. Albert Higgins, in Bronson.

We understand J. J. Little has sold his farm to parties who will move onto it in the spring. Willie Werner who is at present working for Mr. Little, will commence work for Mr. Gunheim this spring, on the latters farm.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

There will be services in Holt Sunday at 11 o'clock and in Thorvick at 3 o'clock.

Services in Golden Valley Sunday March 2nd at 1 o'clock and East Valley at 3 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Casper Dale shipped a car of hay to McIntosh Tuesday.

Jno. A. Serum went to Thief River Falls Tuesday on business.

Sam Mickelson and Thorval Kolden came home Tuesday night from Randen.

Albert Bennes is having his ice house packed with a seasons supply of nice ice.

P. C. Rosand and family left here yesterday for Alberta Canada, where they will make their home.

Miss Anna Erickson went to T. R. Falls last Thursday to receive medical aid, returning home Monday.

Ole Anderson of St. Hilaire, visited a few days this week at the O. B. Johnson and C. F. Birkeland homes.

Misses Agnes Bakke, Martha Peterson and Helen Johnson were Thief River Falls visitors Friday and Saturday.

Miss Ruth Knutson went to Thief River Falls Wednesday. We understand she has entered the hospital for a few days treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith and two children, Mrs. O. A. Knutson and Mrs. Otto Johnson called at the Herman Heinze home Sunday afternoon.

Dr. Froehlich was called Sunday night to see the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Christenson. The little one had an attack of bronchitis but is getting better now.

W. A. Lindahl was a Roseau visitor Tuesday. Mr. Lindahl has been hired as buttermaker by the Roseau creamery board and will move his family there next month.

The members of the Nazareth Y. P. S. held a business meeting Thursday evening Feb. 13th, and elected the following young people as officers.

Martha Peterson, President, Ernest Phillipson, Vice President, Agnes Bakke, Treasurer and Joseph Nelson, Secretary.

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Notice of Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Free Evangelical Mission Church of Holt, Minn., will be held in the church at 2 o'clock P. M. on Thursday Feb. 27th, 1919, for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year and transacting any other business that is properly brot before said meeting.

A full attendance of the members is desired.

M. T. Strom, Foreman
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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

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LAND OF WEALTH

Western Canada Has Unbounded Possibilities.

Glorious Opportunities for the Stock Raiser, the Wheat Grower, and the Mixed Farmer—Its Fields to Feed the World.

Before there were any cattle in Alberta, or it was known that it was possible to feed them outside all the year round, the Indian hunters could always find the buffalo during the winter months pasturing in the foothills. In the summer the herds wandered on the plains and fed on the prairie grasses. The plains have since become grain fields, but the foothill district extending north from the International boundary for a thousand miles will always be a natural feeding ground for live stock. In the southern part of Alberta the altitude is greater than in the more northerly districts, but while the herds in the south have winder tracts of treeless pasturage, in the north from Red Deer on into the Peace river country there are more trees, a richer vegetation and more natural shelter.

Those who have been advocating stock raising and mixed farming for the past few years point to the number of hogs marketed as an evidence of the increased production of the Western Provinces. They may also take credit for the increase in cattle and sheep, which is very great, but perhaps not so marked as what has been accomplished in hog raising. For the first six months alone last year about half a million hogs were shipped from Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. A very conservative estimate value of these animals to the farmer would be $25.00 a head.

The Canadian West is fast forging to the front of the wheat-producing countries of the world, and "No. 1 hard" is without doubt the best wheat in the market today. When it is considered that the three hundred and forty-three million four hundred and seventy-three thousand bushel crop of 1915 was from only eleven million acres of her hundreds of millions of acres, it gives an idea of what her future will be.

It is felt, however, that on account of the great money there will undoubtedly be in growing wheat during the next few years there is a possibility that farmers may be tempted to drop the growing of coarser grains, which might result in less stock being raised. Every effort is being made by the Agricultural Departments of the various Provinces to impress on the farmers that forage crops and coarse feed in abundance mean production of flesh and milk, and that in the long run the great future of the Western Provinces lies in mixed farming which will found her prosperity on a more enduring basis.

Mixed farming has always been the rule in the Eastern Provinces where the formation of the land invites variety of crop, but it has not been as common in the Western Provinces, though the practice has grown in recent years. Hitherto the man mining wheat from the rich soil has purchased most of his household food and necessities, his energies being devoted to getting every possible bushel of grain out of every foot of his land, and he has paid prices for his supplies that have made a big dent in his profits. It has now dawned on him that he can raise vegetables and poultry, and supply his own table; that with very little effort he can raise a lot of garden produce and in a very simple manner solve his own problem of the cost of living. Further, that there is an increasing market for domestic necessities such as poultry, eggs, butter, milk and cheese, which command very high prices, and that there are other roads to prosperity besides that through the wheat field.

In 1916 Canada imported 7,989,269 pounds of butter, most of it from as far away as New Zealand, and for the first time in 60 years failed to ship butter to England, a condition due to the home consumption, which is estimated to be increasing at the rate of $3,000,000 worth a year, being greatly in excess of the increased supply. This condition has brought about a change in farming methods that is far-reaching, and will result in greatly increased production all round of the necessities demanded by the home market.

Natural Resources.

One of the most important considerations to the farmer is fuel. In northern Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, where portions of the country are well wooded, the settler has little difficulty in getting all the wood he requires and thousands of men find employment in the winter cutting wood, which is shipped all over the prairie portions of the provinces. There is an abundance of coal throughout the country. It is estimated that the coal deposits in Alberta cover over 81,000 square miles and represent an available tonnage of over ten hundred thousand million tons, while those in Saskatchewan cover an area of 13,000 miles, containing over 59,000,000 tons. In Manitoba the coal reserve is not as large, but even there 160,000,000 tons is considered a conservative estimate. At the present time these deposits are only worked to a small extent, but there is no doubt that they will be a great feature in upbuilding the country and will exercise a powerful influence on its commerce.

It is a common thing in the coal districts for farmers to get their coal supply off their own farm. Near Edmonton, for example, the farmers not only supply themselves, but they carry coal to the city market and find it a considerable source of revenue in the winter time. The Edmonton coal fields under and around the city have an estimated content of sixty thousand million tons. Farmers sell the coal at $4 a ton for domestic use.

The pioneer of Western Canada knew little of the enjoyments of life, compared with the farmer in that country today. The continual extension of railway lines affords facilities undreamed of a few years ago, closing up the gaps of communication, creating immense business for the East in the West and the West in the East, and drawing the farmer all the time nearer to the zones of commerce. In creating wider markets the railways are doing more than any other agency can do for Western Canada and the country as a whole. The products of the farms, which are now readily marketed, and the vast train of employment that follows the enlargement of the farming industry, is creating new agricultural centers and causing towns and cities of importance to grow all along its lines.

An admirable system of agricultural instruction has been developed through the efforts of the Dominion government and the various provincial Departments of Agriculture. This forms part of the educational system of Western Canada and is doing much for all branches of agriculture. Experimental farms have been established at various points in the provinces, which have done wonders in developing improved methods of farming.

The result has been a great awakening to the necessity of better methods of tillage, scientific stock raising and dairying. Farmers are beginning to realize that to get what they are entitled to out of the land, they must adopt scientific methods, and as a result, careful seed selection, proper rotation and summer fallow is the order of the day. Under the favorable conditions generally anticipated, prospects point to an all round increase in production that will leave a great deal of money in the hands of the western farmer this year, and prosperity for Western Canada as a whole. It will be years before Europe will make up arrears in agricultural production, caused by the enforced idleness and wholesale destruction, and Western Canada will play a big part in filling the void.

The result of the continued shortage in cattle, the future price of beef and the solution of the perplexing problem of feeding the world are vital questions uppermost in the minds of many thinking people today.

There is no doubt that the wide acres of Western Canada can, and will, be made to play an important part in bringing about a proper balance in supply and demand. In the northern parts of Manitoba and Saskatchewan and in Alberta are many thousands of acres of the richest pasture in the world, well watered and treated by the sunniest of climates. These rolling hills for the greater part are still unpeopled and untrodden by the hoofs of domestic animals.

One of the causes assigned for the decline in stock-raising is the reduction in the areas available for grazing on account of so many big ranches being converted into farms. Experiments, conducted at Vermilion, Alberta, would rather go to show that the old grazing grounds were too large, and that the feeding is really better when the animal is confined to a comparatively limited area, providing the pasturage is of the right kind and there is plenty of water.—Advertisement.

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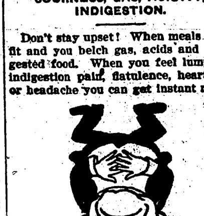

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ENEMY ACCEPTS NEW ARMISTICE

Teuton Assembly Bows to Terms of Truce After Long Debate, Danes Hear.

FOCH REFUSES DELAY

Pressure Being Exerted On Supreme War Council For Immediate Intervention In Russia—American Position Unchanged.

Paris, Feb. 18.—Pressure is being exerted on the supreme war council for an immediate intervention in Russia. The French were said to have been urged again that military action be taken against the bolsheviki on a large scale, while War Minister Winston Spencer Churchill's proposal—which has not been made public—was understood to contemplate proclamation of a state of war, if necessary. The American position in opposition to a military policy remained unchanged.

Accepts Terms.

London, Feb. 18.—The German cabinet discussed the armistice terms from 10:30 a. m. to 4 p. m., when an effort was made to summon the national assembly to decide upon the answer, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen. It was found impossible to summon the assembly, it is added, and after a conference with the party leaders it was decided to accept the terms unconditionally.

Ladies Attend Meeting.

Copenhagen, Feb. 18.—The German government accepted the Allied terms for the extension of the armistice, according to a dispatch to the Politiken from Weimar.

The meeting at which the acceptance was decided upon, the Politiken's correspondent says, was attended by leaders of the various parties.

An earlier report stated that in reply to a request by Mathias Erzberger, head of the German armistice commission, for a delay in the signing of the armistice terms until Monday noon, Marshal Foch declared that the armistice expired at 5 a. m. Monday and that the last hour for signing would be 6 p. m. Sunday.

In order to be able to issue necessary orders to the troops, if not signed then, Marshal Foch said he would be obliged to leave Treves and the armistice would no longer be in force.

Conflicting Reports.

Basle, Feb. 18.—Conflicting reports received from Treves regarding the status of the armistice. One dispatch said the armistice had been prolonged indefinitely, while another said that Marshal Ferdinand Foch had allowed the Germans three days grace in which to accept the new terms. The armistice was to have expired today.

FOE IN FINANCIAL STRAITS

Total War Cost to Germany $40,000,000,000, Says Schiffer.

Weimar, Feb. 18.—The German people generally do not yet understand clearly the financial situation in which the war has left them and they are too optimistic, declared Dr. Schiffer, the minister of finance, in an address to the German national assembly.

Dr. Schiffer asked the assembly to vote a credit in the form of a loan for $6,333,000,000, the greatest loan the German people ever have been asked to raise. He said that last October the government stood on the verge of financial exhaustion. It asked for a credit of $3,750,000,000, but when this was refused, raised it by means of bank note issues. The total cost of the war to Germany was $40,000,000,000, he said.

TO FRAME LAWS OF NATIONS

Root, Moore and Scott U. S. Members of Commission.

Paris, Feb. 18.—A permanent international jurisdiction has been constituted to study problems of international law that the peace conference must solve and the codification of international law.

The union, which is without any official status, will comprise 30 members from neutral countries.

The American members are Elihu Root, John Bassett Moore and James B. Scott. Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Cuba, Peru, Mexico, Great Britain, France, Italy, Spain, Belgium, Greece and Rumania also are represented.

PAY IS RAISED 25 PER CENT

Judge Alschuler Makes Award in Packing House Cases.

Chicago, Feb. 18.—Packing house employes were given a 25 per cent advance by the decision of the arbitrator, Judge Alschuler, who has announced the award. The advance is retroactive to Nov. 10.

Hague Opposed as League Capital.

Paris, Feb. 18.—Speculation already is at work as to the seat of the secretariat of the new league of nations, provided by Article V. New York has been suggested so that President Wilson could direct the administrative work, but its distance from the other capitals seems an insuperable obstacle. The Hague as a seat meets with opposition from the French press which is not satisfied with Holland's role in the war. Brussels seems the most acceptable proposal yet made.

Weekly Health Talks

GOING BACK TO NATURE

BY DR. W. LUCAS.

People get sick because they go away from Nature, and the only way to get well is to go back. Something grows out of the ground in the form of vegetation to cure almost every ill. Some of these vegetable growths are understood by man, and some are not. Animals, it would seem, know what to do when they are sick better than men and women. Observers have noted that a sick horse, dog or cat will stop eating food and seek out some vegetable growth in the field or yard, which, when found and eaten, often restores appetite and health. Haven't you seen these animals do this very thing yourself?

Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., long since found the herbs and roots provided by Nature to overcome constipation, and he had these vegetables collected and made up of Mayapple, leaves of Aloe, root of Jalap, into little white sugar-coated pills, that he called Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. You must understand that when your intestines are stopped up, poisons and decayed matter are imprisoned in your system, and these are carried by the blood throughout your body. Thus does your head ache, you get dizzy, you can't sleep, your skin may break out, your appetite declines, you get tired and despondent. As a matter of fact, you may get sick all over. Don't you see how useless all this suffering is? All that is often needed is a few of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, which he has placed in all drug stores for your convenience and health. Try them by all means. They are probably the very thing you need right now.

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There is a great distance between said and done.

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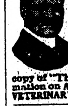

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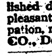

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COVENANT FOR WORLD LEAGUE

Constitution for League of Nations Read Before Conference by President Wilson.

9 NATIONS TO GOVERN

United States, Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan, With Four Smaller States to Form Executive Council of Body.

Paris, Feb. 15.—As outlined in the covenant read by President Wilson, the executive council of the League of Nations will consist of representatives of the United States, Great Britain, France, Italy, and Japan, together with representatives of four other powers.

The council shall meet as often as is necessary, but at least once a year, at whatever place may be designated.

Any matter within the sphere of action of the league, or affecting the peace of the world, will be dealt with.

Wilson To Call First Meeting.

The President of the United States shall summon the first meeting of the body of delegates and the executive council.

The league will have a secretariat under the direction of a secretary general, who shall appoint the other members.

The secretary general shall act in that capacity at all meetings.

Requirements For Membership.

The representatives of the high contracting parties and the officials of the league shall have diplomatic privileges and immunity. The building occupied by the league or its officials shall enjoy extraterritorial benefits.

The admission of states not signatory to the covenant shall be with the assent of not less than two-thirds of the states represented in the body of delegates and shall be limited to fully selfgoverning countries.

No state shall be admitted unless it gives effective guaranties to observe international obligations and unless it shall conform to conditions prescribed by the league in regard to its naval and military forces and armament.

To Protect Nations Attacked.

The high contracting parties undertake to respect and preserve the territorial integrity and political independence of all states members of the league against external aggression.

In case of any such aggression or any threat of danger of such aggression, the executive council shall advise upon the means by which the obligations of the members shall be fulfilled.

Declared Constitutional.

The plan for the Society of Nations, in the opinion of American delegates, is safe against attack on the ground of unconstitutionality. If it involves an alliance requiring the use of American troops, in combination with those of other nations, against an offender against the law of nations, as laid down by the conference, it is recalled that there is precedent for such an alliance in a treaty between the United States and France more than a century ago. It is also pointed out by authorities that power is reserved to congress to carry out the pledge in its own way through its control of appropriations and war making power.

The senate, especially, has distinctive powers in its right to approve or disapprove treaties such as that which is necessary to give life to the Society of Nations.

President Leaves For Home.

Preparations were completed for the homeward voyage of the presidential party, which left Paris for Brest on a special train and will sail on the liner George Washington, on which it came to France. This time the party is much reduced, the large staff of state department employes and numerous experts, who came over with Mr. Wilson, remaining in Paris.

HAMBURG IS TERRORIZED

Householders In Panic As Result of Depredations.

Copenhagen, Feb. 15.—There is a householders' panic at Hamburg as a result of the depredations by bands of thieves operating throughout the city, according to Berlin dispatches. The bands are said to travel in motorcars and to be heavily armed and it is reported that the residences of merchants have been pillaged and that the police are helpless.

Twenty residences have already been robbed, it is said.

Labor to Consider Merger.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Delegates of Illinois labor organizations will meet in May to arrange details of a proposed merger of the Labor party, recently organized at Chicago, and the Nonpartisan league, it was announced at headquarters here.

Pittsburgh Bank Is Closed.

Pittsburgh, Feb. 15.—With the arrest of J. F. Swartz, cashier, charged with embezzling $250,000 of its funds, the Park bank, one of the leading financial institutions of the East End, was closed. It was announced that P. G. Cameron, state bank examiner, had been appointed receiver. The bank's statement on Jan. 1 showed deposits of $2,235,859. According to the police, J. F. Swartz attempted suicide when officers arrived at his home. It was reported he is in a serious condition.

TO ALL WOMEN WHO ARE ILL

This Woman Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—Her Personal Experience.

McLean, Neb.—"I want to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all women who suffer from any functional disturbance, as it has done me more good than all the doctor's medicine. Since taking it, I have a fine healthy baby girl and have gained in health and strength. My husband and I both praise your medicine to all suffering women."—Mrs. JOHN KOPPELMANN, R. No. 1, McLean, Nebraska.

This famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, has been restoring women of America to health for more than forty years and it will well pay any woman who suffers from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness or "the blues" to give this successful remedy a trial.

For special suggestions in regard to your ailment write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

Let Cuticura Be Your Beauty Doctor

All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 & 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

One great trouble with the average man is that when he gets started he doesn't know when to stop.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

WERE NOT TRYING TO FLIRT

Nervous Woman Rather Flattered Herself as Being the Object of Strange Men's Attentions.

A woman who labored under the delusion that men were always on the lookout to speak to unaccompanied females was rather nervous walking along a city street one evening. Two men were just behind her laughing and chatting in a very queer fashion, she thought.

"May I join you?" she asked of two women walking in front of her.

"Certainly," they replied. The three walked along. Still the two men followed. They were still laughing and making comments which, though inaudible, the woman felt were directed toward her.

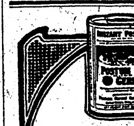
"Thank you for letting me go along with you," she said to her two companions as she left them at a subway entrance. "As a matter of fact those two men walking back of us made me very nervous. I think they have been trying to speak to me."

The women glanced back.

"Oh, indeed!" replied one, laughing, "those men are our husbands!"—Judge.

The man who aims to be good in this world may miss fire in the next.

It is the things that are made to look at that cost the most.



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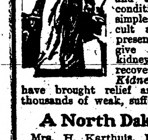
Try the change for ten days if health or other reasons appeal to you

You'll like this excellent table beverage with its rich mild coffee-like flavor & the results of the change will appeal to you. That's why so much Postum is sold nowadays



Every Little Task a Burden?

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

To the women worn-out with weak kidneys, housework is a heavy burden. Backache, sick headaches, nervousness, dizziness, "blue" spells and a weak, tired condition, make the simplest tasks difficult and the ever-present daily duties give the weakened kidneys no time to recover. Use *Doan's Kidney Pills*. They have brought relief and comfort to thousands of weak, suffering women.

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. H. Karthuis, Lisbon, N. D., says: "I suffered for some time with sharp pains in the small of my back and for long spells I had a dull, grinding ache over my kidneys. I also suffered from headache and was bothered with dizzy spells. My kidneys acted irregularly. Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended so much I got some and soon found them the right remedy, for the trouble quickly disappeared."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box
DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

And in a good many cases a lame excuse is the offspring of a paralyzed mentality.

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels needs a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhœa, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

"We have to live with ourselves and we should see to it that we always have good company."

Don't trifle with a cold —it's dangerous.
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Keep always at hand a box of

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Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

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BLACKLEG

Your Veterinarian can stamp them out with Cutter's Anti-Calf Scour Serum and Cutter's Germ Free Blackleg Filtrate and Aggressin, or Cutter's Blackleg Pills.

Ask him about them. If he hasn't our literature, write to us for information on these products.

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No need to let that cough persist. Stop the irritation, and remove tickling and hoarseness by soothing the inflamed throat with

PISO'S

WILSON PARTY NOW ON OCEAN

President Leaves France on Liner George Washington for Homeward Journey.

PEACE EXPECTED SOON

Renewal of Armistice Will Likely Develop Terms to Be Imposed on Germany—All Efforts Are Now Toward Peace.

Brest, Feb. 17.—President Wilson has sailed for the United States aboard the liner George Washington.

The President's party is much smaller than that which accompanied him on the trip over, due to the fact that a large portion of the staff of technical experts and assistants is remaining in Paris to assist in the peace work. The liner is also bringing back the 300 American soldiers who formed the guard at the Murat palace.

Paris, Feb. 17.—With the League of Nations temporarily disposed of, the peace delegates directed their efforts toward effecting a definite preliminary peace with Germany, which will enable general demobilization and resumption of normal industry and commerce throughout the world. Practicaly all the conferees have agreed that this is the most vital problem now before them.

The world is now in a state of stagnation. Industries everywhere are awaiting the actual signing of peace, and the growing unrest and uncertainty in many countries can be traced directly to economic conditions.

Food to Last to March.

Semi-official reports from Germany indicate that country has enough food to last until March. New crops will not be available before June. In the interim conditions of actual starvation may prevail and bring about serious disturbances unless steps to meet this situation are taken speedily. A preliminary peace would correct these conditons and would be comparatively simple in accomplishment.

The military status could be fixed by demanding immediate demobilization upon a peace basis. The Allies could agree what Germany should pay in the way of indemnities and how she should pay it, and this could be apportioned among the interested nations. After this was disposed of, the economic status could be fixed by agreeing to what extent the economic blockade would be lifted.

Truce to Show Terms.

That some such program will be partially arranged under the new provisions for extension of the armistice is hinted at in certain official quarters. These provisions will be presented to the Germans by Marshal Foch at Treves.

Considerable additional work must be done to perfect the plan, however, and toward this end the newly created supreme economic council will cooperate closely with the supreme war council, and it is expected that further requirements from Germany will develop as the armistice is renewed from time to time, resulting gradually in what will virtually amount to a preliminary peace.

U. S. PAYMASTER ACCUSED

Robbed of $12,000 Payroll, Is Held in Connection With Holdup.

New York, Feb. 17.—Neil Sheftal, 30 years old, chief paymaster here for the Emergency Fleet corporation, has been arrested, charged with assault and robbery in connection with the theft of $12,000 of the fleet's payroll by armed bandits who held up a taxicab in which he was on his way with two assistants to a Brooklyn shipyard.

The United States shipping board paymaster and assistants, entering a taxicab at the treasury with $12,000 to pay off ship workers in Brooklyn, were held up soon after they had crossed the river from Manhattan. The bandits drove off in a taxicab, the driver of which, the police say, was an accomplice.

PORTUGUESE REVOLT BROKEN

Republic Is Restored With Royalist Leaders Fleeing.

Lisbon, Feb. 17.—The republic has been restored in northern Portugal and Paiva Conceiro, leader of the Monarchists, has been arrested, it is officially announced.

Royalist leaders have fled from Oporto and are trying to cross into Spain, it is reported. The Portuguese republican flag has been raised again in Valencia.

Oporto and Valencia were the centers of the Portuguese monarchist revolt.

Protest German Plays.

Milwaukee, Feb. 17.—Resolutions protesting against a proposed revival of theatrical performances in the German language by a stock company at a local theater were made by the board of managers of the Wisconsin Society, Sons of the American Revolution. The resolutions suggest that the promoters "desist from this work," as such action would "be but another argument that Milwaukee and Wisconsin are not American, but are German."

GIRLS! LOTS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

A small bottle of "Danderine" makes hair thick, glossy and wavy.

Removes all dandruff, stops itching scalp and falling hair.

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—it costs but a few cents—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance, freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre, and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp—Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower, destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp, and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this. Adv.

Mother's Idea.

Johnny (reading)—"Ma, what's a 'humidor'?" Ma—"It's one of these Mexican bull-fighters, son."

Get New Kidneys!

The kidneys are the most overworked organs of the human body, and when they fail in their work of filtering out and throwing off the poisons developed in the system, things begin to happen.

One of the first warnings is pain or stiffness in the lower part of the back; highly colored urine; loss of appetite; indigestion; irritation, or even stone in the bladder. These symptoms indicate a condition that may lead to that dreaded and fatal malady, Bright's disease, for which there is said to be no cure.

Do not delay a minute. At the first indication of trouble in the kidney, liver, bladder or urinary organs start taking Gold Medal Haarlem Oil Capsules, and save yourself before it is too late. Instant treatment is necessary in kidney and bladder troubles. A delay is often fatal.

You can almost certainly find immediate relief in Gold Medal Haarlem Oil Capsules. For more than 200 years this famous preparation has been an unfailing remedy for all kidney, bladder and urinary troubles.

It is the pure, original Haarlem Oil your great-grandmother used. About two capsules each day will keep you toned up and feeling fine. Get it at any drug store, and if it does not give you almost immediate relief, your money will be refunded. Be sure you get the GOLD MEDAL brand. None other genuine. In boxes, three sizes.—Adv.

Thirst for Information.

"Say, pa, how does a man get water on the brain? Does his roof leak?"—Chicago News.

Cuticura for Sore Hands.

Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Ointment with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do if Soap, Ointment and Talcum are used for all toilet purposes.—Adv.

A Substitute.

"The Germans insist they must be fed." "All right; give them food for thought."

Headaches, Bilious Attacks, indigestion, are cured by taking May Apple, Aloe, Jalap made into Pleasant Pellets (Dr. Pierce's). Adv.

And the coot who is always "showing off" usually has the least to display.

The more checks a spendthrift has the faster he goes.

Your Eyes Granulated Eyelids, Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggists or by mail 60c per Bottle. For Book of the Eye free write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

STATE BREVITIES

Granite Falls.—Dr. E. C. Hawkins, former mayor of Granite Falls, died suddenly at his home here. A post mortem examination showed that heart disease was the cause of death.

Fairmont.—Fish valued at $13,500 have been added to the local food supply from the four lakes bordering on Fairmont's city limits in the last six months, according to an estimate by Game Warden Charles Altenberg.

St. Cloud.—Dr. J. H. Beatty resigned as city physician in accordance with the action of employers and others to take back their old positions and as Dr. McDowell has recently returned from service Dr. Beatty resigned and requested that Dr. McDowell be taken back.

Pine City.—The Pine county poultry show held in the Armory at Pine City was considered the best chicken show ever held in this region, with more than 600 birds on exhibition from all parts of the county and from all of the surrounding counties as far as Stillwater.

Mankato.—Representatives from southern Minnesota Baptist churches to the number of 25 held a conference in this city and laid plans for the $6,000,000 drive that is soon to be made for a fund for benevolences and reconstruction work. Speakers from Chicago and Minneapolis attended.

Winona.—The companionship of a brother and sister, twins, which extended over the greater part of a century, was broken by the death near here of Samuel Spaulding at the age of 90 years. His twin sister, Mrs. Harriet Gleason, who has lived on an adjoining farm for seventy-five years, survives him.

Bemidji.—The possibility of a National Guard unit for Bemidji and positive assurance that the application for an armory made by the naval militia unit will be considered, makes prospects for an armory for this city loom up bright and rosy, according to the report of a Commercial club committee sent to St. Paul.

Tyler.—Tyler now has telephone service for the first time since the night of August 21, last, when a tornado swept through the town, almost completely wiping out the telephone system. A modern telephone office building has been erected and in the most thickly settled portion of the town the wires have been placed in conduits beneath the ground.

Minneapolis.—Villages along the route of the Yellowstone Trail between Minneapolis and Norwood, Minn., are protesting the removal of the trail from the south shore of Lake Minnetonka to a route via Shakopee and Chaska, as proposed by the statewide good roads plan of C. N. Babcock, state highway commissioner, now before the state legislature.

St. Paul.—Approximately 430,000 Minnesota school children have started in a health tournament, which will continue until May 24, under the auspices of the Minnesota Public Health association and allied organizations interested in child welfare work. Records of each pupil will be kept, showing how well he has lived up to the standards set for the health tournament.

Minneapolis.—Minnesota and the War, the quarterly bulletin issued since the beginning of the war by the women's committee has been published and will be sent through the state. It is perhaps the last issue and is a resume of the work done by the women in the state since war was declared. Pictures of the executive state committee and short reports are contained in it.

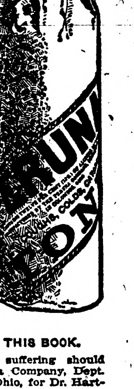
Duluth.—"Shall the city of Duluth acquire by condemnation proceedings, as provided by law, the street railway system now being operated within the city of Duluth by the Duluth Street Railway company?" This question will be submitted to the people at the city election April 1 if the ordinance prepared by Commissioner C. R. Magney and given its first reading by the city council today is adopted.

Brainerd.—Mrs. Hilda Hill of Manganese, on trial in district court for the murder of her husband, was acquitted after two hours' deliberation by the jury. The shooting took place August 8, 1918, when her husband, Jack Hill, came to the house intoxicated and threatened to break in the doors with an ax unless she admitted him. When he started to break in the door she shot through the panels.

Minneapolis.—Permanent organization of the mayors of Minnesota has been effected to combat bolshevism, provide for the employment of returned soldiers and promote community development throughout the state, it was announced at the concluding session of the Minnesota Mayors Conference. Mayor J. E. Meyers of Minneapolis was elected president of the organization. The other officers are Mayor J. R. Killiner, Stillwater, vice president, and Mayor Nels N. Bergheim, Little Falls, secretary and treasurer. The next annual meeting will be held in St. Paul in February 1920.

Mankato.—Bankers and others from southern Minnesota gathered in this city to lay plans for the continuation of the War Savings Stamp campaign. They expressed the belief that the general public should make thrift a cardinal principle, so that the war debt can be paid off from the savings of the country.

Crookston.—Retail grocers of Crookston will take steps within the next few days to fight the bill introduced both in the house and the senate, which if passed, they claim, will practically do away with the sale of oleomargarine.



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Unchecked catarrh soon breaks down the tissue and destroys the organs or part. Evidence of the ravages of catarrh are all around us. Without desire to frighten anyone, we say: "Guard yourself against catarrh as you would against the direst plague. Fortify your system. Take Peruna."

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Those painful attacks of indigestion, heart-burn, belching, disgusting food-repeating; that puffy bloated, lumpy feeling after eating, dyspepsia and stomach miseries—all point to just one awful American disease—commonly known as ACID-STOMACH.

Fortunately there has been discovered a wonderful modern remedy—called EATONIC—that brings instant relief from all these stomach miseries because it absorbs the hurtful excess acid in the stomach and drives out the bloat and gas. You won't know you have a stomach, so free of pain you'll feel. Besides, it saves you from more serious ailments because it is a scientific fact that ACID-STOMACH frequently creates conditions which baffle the best medical skill. Many cases of chronic stomach trouble, biliousness, severe headache, general weakness, rheumatism, gout, lumbago, intestinal ulcer, cancer of the stomach, heart pains and even heart failure can be traced directly to Acid-Stomach.

Avoid these dangers—don't let acid-stomach wreck your health. Don't drag out your days feeling all in, down and out, weak and ailing. Keep the vital spark flashing. Eat the things you like and digest your food in comfort. Then you'll feel fine—be fit—mentally alert—have pep and punch—the power and will to do things.

Take EATONIC and give your stomach the help to put it in a fine, healthy condition so that it will digest your food perfectly and make every mouthful you eat register 100% in enriching your blood and building up your bodily strength.

Get a big box of EATONIC TABLETS from your druggist today. They taste good—just like a bit of candy. The cost is trifling. It is absolutely guaranteed. If it fails to relieve your stomach misery, your druggist will refund your money.

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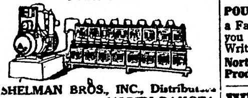

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Join a War Saving Society This Week

Think In Interest—Save

February 17-24

20,000 SAVINGS SOCIETIES' GOAL

War Loan Organization Predicts That Many for Ninth Federal Reserve District.

WAR JOB NOT FINISHED

America's Great Power of Production Whipped German Spirit and Now Bill Must Be Paid—Cheap at Any Price.

War Savings societies are being organized in all parts of the Ninth Federal Reserve District as the first important step in the national Thrift campaign for 1919.

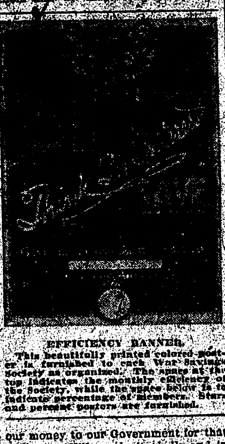
A. R. Rogers, Chairman of the District War Loan Organization, predicts that by the closing of Savings Society Week, February 24, there will have been organized at least 20,000 active societies for the encouragement of thrift and the sale of government securities.

Asked for a statement of the aims and plans of the 1919 campaign, A. R. Rogers, Chairman of the War Loan Organization, dictated the following:

"The fighting is over but our war job isn't finished. The world has progressed thus far toward permanent peace because America stepped in and with her millions of men and billions of money made it impossible for Autocracy to win. By our marvelous production of war materials and our ability to use them, we convinced Germany that a continuance of the fighting meant national suicide.

"What if our American-made cannon, motor trucks, tanks, rolling kitchens, airplanes, poisonous gases and ammunition did not reach Europe? They were in readiness and would have gone into the lines in the spring. Germany knew this. She was whipped in spirit by the tremendous show of power displayed by America.

"Our production of these things ended the fighting. They saved money and hundreds of thousands of precious lives. Now they have to be paid for and they are cheap at any price. Our Government must pay for them and we must temporarily loan



EFFICIENCY BANNER.

This beautifully printed colored poster is furnished to each War Savings Society as organized. The space at the top indicates the monthly efficiency of the Society, while the space below is to indicate percentage of members. Stars and percent posters are furnished.

our money to our Government for that purpose. Will we do it gladly and in the spirit of thankfulness? I believe we will.

Changed Conditions.

"The condition of the world in which we live and of our country have been wonderfully changed by this war. Formerly, whenever we wanted to finance a great development project in America we went to Europe for the funds. At the beginning of the war Europe owned six billion dollars worth of our securities. Today these have been paid up and we hold practically eight billion dollars worth of Europe's 'promises to pay.' Think of what that means! It means that when we need money for our Governmental projects or industrial development we cannot go to France or England for it. We must get it in America. In order that these necessary sums of money may be available, we of America must create new wealth, must eliminate waste, must save—not a few individuals but the great mass of our people must save and thus amass the dollars that will make possible our development and prosperity.

The Government's Program.

"With these facts in mind, the Government has decided to carry on a widespread and intensive educational campaign of Thrift and Americanization.

"The War Savings Campaign of 1919 is the first step in this program. The Treasury expects to realize this year from the sale of War Savings Stamps a sufficient sum to materially assist in financing the war budget before the end of the year.

"The Government hopes through the 1919 campaign to establish Thrift as a permanent habit of the American people for the lasting prosperity and enduring strength of the nation.

"Regular saving is the sound test of thrift and a sure foundation for investment. The backbone of the campaign is the War Savings society.

"In this great Ninth Federal Reserve District we hope to do our full share. Our people have never failed to respond to the call of duty, and that call is as urgent now as it was in 1917 or 1918. Because an individual has done his duty conspicuously up until now does not excuse him from further efforts. There can be slackers in peace times as well as in war times, and our organization will work untiringly to see that all of the people of these Northwest states realize their duty and do it. Incidentally, while we are performing our duty to the nation and upholding the honor of our district, state and community, we will be doing a favor to ourselves by learning habits of thrift and the value of service.

"There will be a Fifth or Victory Liberty Loan, a movement in which we can show our thankfulness for the safety of our country and the saving of the lives of hundreds of thousands of those dear to us.

Organize Societies.

"Just now we are most vitally interested in properly starting the 1919 campaign for Thrift. In order that this shall be a complete success, we are convinced that it is necessary to organize War Savings societies. They are the means to a great end. We should organize 35,000 of these societies in the Ninth Federal Reserve District. With the co-operation of all the people this will be an easy task. It will burden no one and it will benefit all of us."

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

IT ISN'T THE TOWN—IT'S YOU

"If you want to live in the kind of a town
Like the kind of a town you like,
You needn't slip your clothes in a grip,
And start on a long, long hike.
You'll only find what you left behind,
For there's nothing that's really new,
It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town;
It isn't the town—it's you.

Real towns are not made by men afraid
Lest somebody else gets ahead,
When everyone works and nobody shirks,
You can raise a town from the dead.
And if while you make your personal stake,
Your neighbors can make one, too;
Your town will be what you want to see,
It isn't the town—it's you."

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

THRIFT IS POWER ••• SAVE AND SUCCEED
19 BUY 19
W.S.S.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

NOT TIME NOW TO LAY YOUR PATRIOTISM ASIDE

We are spending at the rate of two billion dollars a month, and it is not the time for people to lay their patriotism aside. To the contrary, it is a time when people must exhibit a higher type than ever before. It is not so very difficult to induce people to respond to an appeal when we are feeling the fever of fighting in our veins, but it is a little difficult when people think the war is at an end.

There are two million American soldiers in Europe, and the obligation is just as much on the Government today as when the guns were firing to see that they are maintained in comfort, to provide for their return home, and to provide when they shall return for their places in the social and industrial life of the country. It is just as important, and even more important, to impress upon the American people the necessity of cultivating the habit of thrift and saving.

CARTER GLASS,
Secretary of the Treasury.
December 30, 1918.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

"MUST BE NO SAGGING" ROOSEVELT'S LAST PLEA

Applies in Most Direct Manner to Popular Support of Nation's Financing Projects.

That Theodore Roosevelt's last plea to America, "There must be no sagging back" has the most direct application to popular support of government financing projects, including sale of War Savings Stamps was the statement made today by A. R. Rogers, chairman of the central committee, War Loan organization for the Ninth Federal Reserve District.

"Roosevelt with his keen Americanism saw the possibility of a sag coming with the actual fighting at an end and was a most earnest worker to keep the hearts and thoughts of the people placed right during the period of rebuilding the same as in the war period," Mr. Rogers said.

"Every argument that applied to the habit of thrift during the war applies to it today. The personal benefit of saving is as great as ever, the profit from interest on the investment is still as good as it was. The security of any loan made to the government was unquestionable and today, with fighting at an end and even the possibility that Germany might triumph gone, it is perfect.

"When Roosevelt said there must be no sagging he meant that the habits of right action developed by the war must be continued. If he had been asked he would have said that for the American earners to keep, for their future benefit and the benefit of their families, a part of their earnings, was just as important as any of the big national policies. He would have said that to the earner and saver himself savings are immensely important.

"To stop saving and buying War Savings Stamps today would be as bad for the man at home as it would be for the soldier holding the Rhine to go on duty from now on without a rifle. Cashing the stamps now which a person has bought before, is simply a retreat, as if the army that fought its way to victory should run back to the Marne and beckon to the enemy to pour into France once more."

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

DO YOUR BIT WILLINGLY

By spending lavishly the United States ended the war, saved billions of dollars and hundreds of thousands of lives. Pay your share of the bills thankfully.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

DON'T PART WITH THEM

Government securities—Give insurance for the family against want. Don't part with them.

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
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Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
H. J. OIEN, Agent - - - - Holt, Minn.

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The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.
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Ever since DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS have been on the market thousands of people both young and old have been testifying to the merits of this popular and time tried remedy for constipation and stomach disorders.
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Simmons of East Columbia, Ohio, are typical examples. Mr. Simmons says:
"I have given DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS a thorough trial and they are the best medicine of any kind I have ever used. They are pleasant to take and pleasant in action and do the work without weakening the digestive tract. My wife has been bothered with constipation more or less all her life. When she began using DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS she got better results than she had ever been able to get with other remedies."
DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS are prepared especially for sufferers of constipation—the ingredients are such that they act surely, but gently on the bowels and assist in restoring healthful regularity. A box of these tablets costs only a few cents at any drug store. They taste like candy. Ask your druggist about them. He knows why they are the ideal laxative for old and young.
Taste Like Candy
Dr. Miles' LAXATIVE TABLETS

Miss Julia Johnson is working for Mrs. Albert Bennes.

Mrs. Fred Peterson was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday.

Miss Tina Johnson came up from Thief River Falls Friday for a few days visit at home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson visited at the home of Arvid Carlson in Newfolden Sunday.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen ($15.00) Dollars, which became due April 1st, 1917, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 13th day of April, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota on the 4th day of August, 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 73 of Mortgages on Page 147 thereof, and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit, Sixty ($60.00) Dollars became at once due and payable, and was and is so declared by Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon said mortgage, the sum of Sixty ($60.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at ten (10) per cent per annum since April 1st, 1917, and the further sum of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars with interest thereon at six (6) per cent per annum since April 1st, 1917, and the further sum of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars with interest thereon at six (6) per cent since April 1st, 1918, the two latter amounts of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars each being for interest paid by Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior first mortgage of Fifteen Hundred ($1500.00) Dollars upon said land, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amount by said mortgagors, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being Two Hundred Sixty-five and 40-100ths ($265.40) Dollars. And whereas, said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first described herein, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage,

to-wit, the Southeast Quarter (SE 1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1-4) of Section Eleven (11) and the East Half (E 1-2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1-4) of Section Fourteen (14) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-three (43) West, in Marshall County State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1919 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay said debt of Two Hundred Sixty-five and 40-100ths ($265.40) Dollars and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one (1) year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated Jan. 30th, 1919.

Merchants State Bank
of Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

This is the last day to pay personal property taxes.

Elmer Hagglund returned from Crookston Monday.

Art Brotten was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday.

Dick Mathison went to McIntosh Friday to visit home folks.

Rudolph Anderson was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday.

Harry Knutson visited his sister at the hospital in T. R. Falls Monday.

Albin Knauf came from T. R. Falls Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the Aug Kuehne home.

E. Brown returned home Friday from several weeks business trip to his former home at Wishek, N. D.

Miss Esther Suter returned home Wednesday from a couple of weeks visit with relatives at Grand Forks.

John Olson returned home Friday from the Warren hospital and we are pleased to report he is much improved in health.

Andrew Arnevick and son John went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to consult a physician regarding the latter's health.

A basket social will be given at the East Valley school house Dist. 148 on Saturday evening March 8th. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. John Thompson from Olinda, Calif. came Friday to visit Mrs. J. Nelson and Mrs. M. B. Fitch and families a few days.

Dr. Turley, the dentist, will be at the Central Hotel next Wednesday March 5th. Don't forget the date and be there early.

The Nazareth Y. P. S. will give a program and a good lunch at Sorenson's Hotel March 2nd, at 8 P. M. sharp. Everybody welcome.

Miss Sophia Ness returned Monday to work for Mrs. Ed. Hilfen near T. R. Falls after a few days visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Ness.

J. M. Swan shipped stock Tuesday. Mr. Swan says this about finishes the stock business for the winter, as stock is getting pretty scarce now.

Mrs. Fred Peterson had the misfortune of running a sliver into her finger causing her considerable pain, so that on Monday she was obliged to go to T. R. Falls and have Dr. Gambell lance her finger.

Mrs. Allen Tatamer Larson died Tuesday Monday from infirmities due to old age. The deceased had made her home for several years with Mr. and Mrs. Olaus Rehahl and was a distant relative of the former. She was generally supposed to be about 95 years old, but her exact age is not known.

The funeral will probably be held Saturday with Rev. Ordahl officiating.

Army and Navy News

Hugort Johnson returned home Saturday from France where he served in the Army Signal Corps for three months.

Olaf Dahl received a card Saturday from Eling Tollefsrud, stating he was on a furlough in Italy, at the time he wrote, and that he wanted to see all the country he could while he had a chance.

F. E. Anderson arrived at his home near St. Hilaire Monday from Camp Grant. Pete expects to arrive in Holt to-day or to-morrow for a visit and he will find a hearty welcome awaiting him.

Peter J. Bjerken arrived on the transport Antigone from "over seas" on the 15th. of Feb., at Camp Stewart, Va., He is in hopes of getting his discharge soon. It will be remembered that Mr. Bjerken is a son-in-law of Ole Reierson.

Thorval Kolden received a letter Saturday from his brother, Peter, saying that his health was slowly improving. Peter had the flu a couple of times and his health was so poorly that he was sent to the government sanitarium at Ft. Lyons, Colorado about three months ago.

Corporal Hilmer Langley arrived home from Camp Lee Va. Friday. Mr. Langley is looking well and speaks highly of the training received and of the opportunity of seeing so much of our own country. He started with his company for France and was out three hundred miles from shore when the armistice was signed and his transport was then ordered to return.

Stenway, France, Dec. 28th

C. O. Saastad
Holt, Minn.

Dear Uncle:

Well we are still in this forsaken country and it is getting more and more disagreeable every day. There goes that old bugle again, so I'll have to go. This is our first Sunday off since arriving in France. Heard we are going to have Sundays off for washing clothes.

Christmas went by the same as any other day, except we had rifle inspection and they happened to find a cootie in the chamber of my gun so that meant extra detail duty. That was my Christmas present.

Expect you are having it about 40 below over there about now and I almost wish we had it here instead of all this rain. It has been raining every day the last three months and the mud is up to your ears. We wear hip boots only.

At present we are destroying German shells and its kind of dangerous work, but cheer up, there is talk that we are to be sent home the last of February, so we may yet have a chance to forget all these hardships. This is surely a lonesome country. It was occupied by the Germans shortly before we got here. Stenay is a very nice town. It has not been shot up like all the other towns, where we have been. But not very many civilians have moved in yet.

Wishing you all a Happy New Year,

As ever, your nephew,
Eli Saastad,
Co. A. 3rd U. S. Pioneer Inf

The Minnesota War Records Commission desires to secure from every soldier and sailor boy a complete record of his activities in the service. A short questionnaire has been prepared for each man to execute. It is important that each soldier and sailor take cognizance of this movement in order that a complete record of Marshall County's part in the war may be preserved. It is urged that every returned soldier and sailor drop a postal card to the Marshall County representative of this Commission so that such questionnaire may be mailed. It is also urged that the parents of every deceased sailor or soldier drop a postal card so that questionnaire may be sent to the parent to be executed for the deceased person.

This is a State wide movement, under the Jurisdiction of the State with Gov. Burnquist as the ex-officio chairman of the Commission. It is not a private movement, so there need be no hesitancy on the part of the public in responding to this appeal. Address all communications to the undersigned.

W. O. Braggans,
Warren, Minn.

P. S. We want the address of every Marshall County man no matter whether he enlisted or whether he was inducted by the Marshall Co. Local Board or by some other Local Board. If you call Marshall County your home respond to this appeal.

Farmers Buy Elevator

The board of directors of the Holt Farmers Elevator Co., closed a deal Monday for the purchase of the Hanson & Barzen elevator property here in Holt. The consideration was $3750 and possession is to be given the farmers on or before May 1st.

Hanson & Barzen were among the first business firms established in this village and have always enjoyed a liberal patronage from the people of this part of the country.

However the farmers expect to greatly increase this business as they have the larger part of the farmers in a wide territory as shareholders in their company, and are therefore expecting to get considerable business that formerly went to other points.

The farmers elevator company is building on a firm foundation of fairness to both the small and large shareholders.

To begin with no one person can own more than five shares, and then he has only one vote, the same as the man who can only afford one share.

This is a wise move and a safe guard against the poor man being crowded out, or any one man or set of men being able to buy stock and run things to suit themselves.

Shares are sold at $50 each and if you haven't already got one, now is the time to buy, before all the shares are disposed of.

This company is a sure success and a big boost for Holt and the surrounding country.

John Swan and C. Norbeck were business visitors at Warren Saturday.

Mr. Marion Hardin of Crookston came Saturday to visit at the Mickelson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Flakne and family visited at the Mrs. J. Nelson home Sunday.

Iver Engebretsen is very dangerously ill with pneumonia and fears are entertained for his recovery.

Dr. Gambell has sold a half interest in his business to Dr. Fisher of Grand Forks, who comes highly recommended to the people of Thief River Falls and vicinity.

Mrs. T. G. Dahl received a telephone message Sunday stating her brother, C. P. Anderson, who lived in Duluth was very sick and could not recover. Mrs. Dahl and son Selmer went to Duluth Monday, but as her brother had passed away they returned home Wednesday, bringing with them the body of the deceased for burial here.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services in Golden Valley Sunday March 2nd at 11 o'clock and East Valley at 3 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Take Notice

All those who gave a note or subscribed for stock in the Holt Farmers Elevator Co. are requested to pay same to Holt State Bank on or before March 14th. 1919.

John Sorum, Secy.

Notice.

The Holt State Bank will have a car of phosphate on track here in a short time which will be sold to the farmers at a reasonable price.

Any one wishing a supply of this will please let us know at once.

HOLT STATE BANK.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The Annual meeting of Farmers and Village Switchboard Co. will be held March 10th. 1919 at 2 oc'lock P. M. at the Woodman Hall for the purpose of electing officers and transacting any other business that may come before said meeting. All stockholders are requested to meet.

T. B. Folden,
Secy.

Dr. Gambell, phone 140.

Ole Backlund returned to Middle River Saturday where he has work in the gravel pit.

Geo. Fitch of Minneapolis came Tuesday to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Fitch and other relatives.

Miss Lorrine O'Hara visited her parents in Thief River Falls a few days this week, returning home on Wednesday.

Please pay February telephone messages promptly and save us the trouble and expense of collecting.—Mrs. H. B. Young, Operator.

A supply of income tax blanks were sent to the bank and the postoffice by the revenue collector, E. J. Lynch of St. Paul. These should be sent in before March 15th.

There will probably be a caucus next Wednesday evening to nominate village officers. H. J. Oien and R. Reierson are the only hold over officers, so here's a chance for anybody who wants an office.

The Thief River Falls Tribune is a new paper which has recently come to our exchange table. Thomas A. Way is president of the company and Scott Laird is editor of the paper. Here's success to them.

Mr. and Mrs. Audley Ahlborn of Minneapolis and their cousin, Albin Newman of Wilmar, Minn., came Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Saastad and family.

Mr. Ahlborn was obliged to return to Minneapolis Sunday night but Mrs. Ahlborn and her cousin stayed a few days longer, returning to Minneapolis Thursday.

The Red Cross Society met at the pleasant home of Mrs. E. L. Olson Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Mclean being the guest of honor. The ladies were well supplied as usual, with a fine lunch and in addition, each one had a mysterious package which proved to be, to the great surprise of Mrs. Mclean, a shower for baby Mclean and the other children. Fine and various were the gifts presented as the recipient untied each parcel.

It was a jolly crowd which would be hard to equal and each donor went home with a richer heart from the fact that they had made some one happy.

For Rent

Rooms for rent. For further particulars call on Mrs. J. Nelson.

For Sale Cheap.

Light team of horses, or will sell either of them singley.

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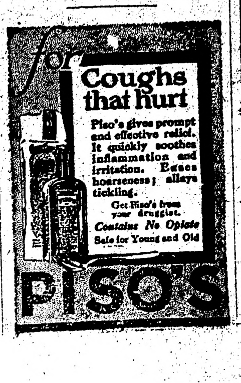

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(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2	2.02
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.31
Oats	49
Barley	61 to 69
Rye	1.27
Flour, Best Patent	5.70

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Thief River Falls
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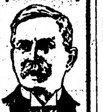
Dr. T. G. Farnsworth, 76 S. Kanawha St., Buckhannon, W. Va., retired physician of over forty years' experience, ex-State Congressman, ex-City Mayor and ex-County Health Officer, praises *Doan's Kidney Pills*. Here is Dr. Farnsworth's experience as he tells it: "It was just a few years after my retiring from practicing medicine that I found I was afflicted with severe disorder of the kidneys and bladder. I grew steadily worse, and sometimes I was unable to get around at all. The kidney secretions were retarded and so painful in passing I would cry out in misery. I was in a frightful condition. After I had lost hope in other remedies, *Doan's Kidney Pills* were brought to my attention and I tried them. I soon noticed a change for the better. I used several boxes and they cured me completely. Never in my practice did I know a remedy that would accomplish what *Doan's Kidney Pills* did, and I give them my heartiest endorsement."


Dr. Farnsworth

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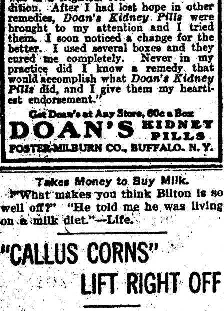

Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops on the corns, calluses and "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift them off.

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MUST NOT WITHDRAW

Seven Thousand People in Mechanics Hall Welcome President Home and Hear Masterful Address on Favorite Theme.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 25.—President Wilson will fight at home as he has fought abroad for a league of nations. Returning from France, he had been on American soil not more than three hours yesterday before he threw down the gauntlet to those who distrust the proposed concert of governments based, he said, on the American ideals which had won the war for justice and humanity.

An America confining to her own territories her conception and purposes to make men free, he said, would have to keep her honor "for those narrow, selfish, provincial purposes which seem so dear to some minds that have no sweep beyond their nearest horizon."

Pictures Old World

Before a responsive audience that filled the biggest auditorium in the city, the president pictured the Old World fighting with stubborn desperation and expecting in the end nothing better for the peoples than they had known for centuries. He pictured the American nation entering the lists with a new purpose—the freedom of mankind. The Old World had caught the vision, and any treaty of peace drawn otherwise than in the new spirit would be nothing more, he asserted, than a "modern scrap of paper" and the present peace, unless guaranteed by the united forces of the civilized world, could not stand a generation.

Bending over the speaker's table, his face set in tense lines and his right hand clenched, the president exclaimed: "Any man who thinks that America will take part in giving the world any such rebuff and disappointment as that does not know America. I invite him to test the sentiment of the nation."

Interrupted by applause, the president halted and then evoked the greatest demonstration of the afternoon when he added that he would accept no sweeter challenge than the issue of the American purpose in the war.

New England Gave Welcome

New England gave the president a rousing welcome home. This city probably never has seen a greater crowd than gathered at every point of vantage along the route from Commonwealth pier to which the naval cutter Ossipee brought his party from the steamer George Washington, through the downtown districts and around two sides of Boston common to the Copley Plaza hotel, where a stop was made for luncheon.

President Is Cheered

At every turn the president was cheered. Hat in hand, he stood in his motor car throughout the two miles of the parade except in one block between Washington and Tremont streets, where, because of the narrow way, spectators were not allowed to congregate.

The national army, the navy, the state guard and the city police in lines on either side of the route formed a guard of honor for the entire distance of the drive.

CROWN PRINCE RUPPRECHT IS SOUGHT AS A SUSPECT

Geneva Reports Bavarian Prince Is Wanted at Munich.

Paris, Feb. 25.—Former Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, who was commander of the northern sector of the western front in the final stages of the war, is reported to have been at the head of the monarchical plot that resulted in the assassination of Premier Eisner. The ex-crown prince is being sought by the police.

Geneva, Feb. 25.—Prince Leopold, former commander in chief of the German armies on the Russian front, has been imprisoned at Munich on suspicion of being one of the instigators of the murder of Premier Eisner.

A list of the persons to be assassinated by the reactionaries is said to have been found, and it is asserted that it has been decided to take 20 hostages from among the arictocracies. All students in the university have been searched.

Favorable Report on Wheat Bill

Washington, Feb. 25.—The house bill appropriating one billion dollars to maintain the government guarantee price of $2.26 for the 1919 wheat crop was ordered favorably reported by the senate agricultural committee. While approving the broad powers given the president by the house measure, the senate committee specified that steps should be taken to bring conditions in the wheat market to a normal basis at the expiration of the period of control, July 1, 1920.

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If Mixed with Sulphur it Darkens so Naturally Nobody can Tell.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready to use, at very little cost. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and beautiful.—Adv.

The man who really wants to be something worth while in this world has plenty of opportunity.

STOP LUMBAGO PAIN, RUB BACKACHE AWAY

Instant relief! Limber up! Rub pain, soreness, stiffness right out with "St. Jacob's Liniment."

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or neuritis has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Liniment" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right into the pain or ache, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

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RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

All weighty things are done in solitude.

Weekly Health Talks

URIC ACID IN THE SYSTEM

BY LEE H. SMITH, M. D.

Uric acid is now generally recognized as the cause of more diseases than was heretofore believed. When the kidneys are out of order uric acid accumulates within the body in superabundance. The disordered kidneys do not filter the poisons out of the blood, as they ought to do, and so the poisons remain in the blood and float around until they find a place to lodge, in form of urate salts. The thing to remember is that you may have rheumatism in any part of the body—you may have pains anywhere—your back may ache and your head may be dizzy—but the trouble is not where the pain appears.

The trouble is in the kidneys, and what is the first thing to do? You must get that excess uric acid out of your system, which can be done by taking Anuric Tablets, the splendid remedy which Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., has put on sale in the drug stores at a low price. Anuric Tablets (made double strength), when taken into the system as medicine, have the peculiar power of dissolving the uric acid deposited there. Drop a bit of sugar or salt into hot water, and it will disappear. In precisely the same way do these Anuric Tablets dissolve uric acid. Of course, after ridding the system of uric acid, it may return again unless you eat the right foods and live the right kind of life, but Dr. Pierce will advise you fully on proper food and correct living if you write and ask him. He makes no charge for such advice. Take Anuric Tablets today, by all means, and get that uric acid out of your system. Don't, don't, don't, put the matter off.

VICTOR L. BERGER

Given Twenty Years in Prison for Conspiracy.

Victor L. Berger, socialist congressman-elect from Milwaukee, and his four co-defendants are at liberty following granting of a writ of supersedeas after sentence of 20 years imprisonment for violation of the espionage act. This acts as a stay pending appeal to the higher courts.

CLEMENCEAU IS BETTER

Suffered No Adverse Effects From Strenuous Exertions.

Saw Forty Persons, Which Doctors Consider Excessive for Man With Bullet in Back.

Paris, Feb. 24.—Premier Clemenceau rested well during the night and seemingly suffered no adverse effects from his strenuous exertions of the day before. During the day he insisted on seeing no less than 40 persons, which the doctors considered excessive for a man of his age with a bullet in his back.

All the physicians agreed the action of the premier's lungs should be reduced as movement causes the edge of the wound to rub against each other. The only way of effecting this was an injection of morphine, which no one cared to propose to the premier foreseeing how he would receive the suggestion. At last Dr. Laubry volunteered, says the Petit Journal. He appealed to the premier as a "brother doctor," but M. Clemenceau sprang up, seized the physician by the shoulders and shouted: "What, what, morphine, morphine! You want to finish me? Are you in the pay of the Bolsheviki?"

Dr. Laubry threw up his hands and said: "There you are. We want to give your chest rest and you nearly burst it."

181,000 THREATEN TO STRIKE

Unionists May Go Out July 1 If Beer Is Cut Off.

New York, Feb. 24.—It is announced that 181,000 trades unionists in New York have voted to go on strike July 1 if beer was cut off at that time. The slogan of the unionists is: "No beer, no work."

The meeting at which the action was announced took place in Labor temple.

The unions which have voted against prohibition and their memberships are: Longshoremen, 65,000; shipbuilders, 60,000; ironworkers, 20,000; stationary firemen, 15,000; engineers, 15,000; pavers and rammer men, 50,000, and hatters, 1,000.

The New York Letter Carriers' association promised "moral support" because the government regulations forbade them taking part in any strike.

MANY GERMANS UNEMPLOYED

Estimated at One Million by Ministry of Demobilization.

Berlin, Feb. 24.—The national ministry of economic demobilization estimates the number of unemployed men in Germany at present to be a million. It is declared that the extent to which the war lessened the men's desire to work must not be underestimated. One official is quoted as saying: "We have lost the war as thoroughly as it could have been lost, but it is time to quit complaining. Let us grin and bear it."

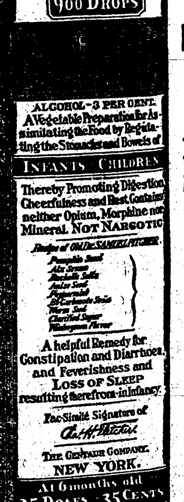
FOUND MURDERED IN HOTEL

Oklahoma Physician Robbed and Slain at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Feb. 24.—The battered body of Dr. Thomas B. Dickson, 56 years old, oil man and physician of Anamona, Okla., was found in a hotel room here. All indications showed the physician had been robbed and beaten to death as he was preparing to retire.

House Passes Rail Fund Bill.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The bill appropriating $750,000,000 for the railroad administration revolving fund, in addition to the $500,000,000 carried in the act which provided for federal control, was passed by the house with 15 negative votes. Senator Cummins of Iowa gave notice to the senate interstate commerce committee that he would seek to add to the revolving fund measure his bill to prevent the return of the railroads to private ownership before congress acts on railroad legislation.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Just as soon as you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapepsin all the dyspepsia, indigestion and stomach distress ends. These pleasant, harmless tablets of Pape's Diapepsin never fail to make upset stomachs feel fine at once, and they cost very little at drug stores. Adv.

Accept the disagreeable part of it as cheerfully as the agreeable.

If every woman's face was her fortune, some would be liable to arrest for counterfeiting.

HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR COLD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Opens Air Passages Right Up.

Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh.—Adv.

Odd Luck.

"He failed in the flag-making business." "That's queer. Goods in that line are always going up."

SAFE, GENTLE REMEDY CLEANSES YOUR KIDNEYS

For centuries GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has been a standard household remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and stomach trouble, and all diseases connected with the urinary organs. The kidneys and bladder are the most important organs of the body. They are the filters, the purifiers of your blood. If the poisons which enter your system through the blood and stomach are not entirely thrown out by the kidneys and bladder, you are doomed.

Weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, headache, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, difficulty when urinating, cloudy and bloody urine, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago, all warn you to look after your kidneys and bladder. All these indicate some weakness of the kidneys or other organs or that the enemy microbes which are always present in your system have attacked your weak spots. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are what you need.

They are not a "patent medicine," nor a "new discovery." For 200 years they have been a standard household remedy. They are the pure, original imported Haarlem Oil your great-grandmother used, and are perfectly harmless. The healing, soothing oil soaks into the cells and lining of the kidneys and through the bladder, driving out the poisonous germs. New life, fresh strength and health will come as you continue the treatment. When completely restored to your usual vigor, continue taking a capsule or two each day; they will keep you in condition and prevent a return of the disease.

Do not delay a minute. Delays are especially dangerous in kidney and bladder trouble. All druggists sell GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They will refund the money if not as represented. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported direct from the laboratories in Holland. They are prepared in correct quantity and convenient form, are easy to take and are positively guaranteed to give prompt relief. In three sizes, sealed packages. Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL. Accept no substitutes.—Adv.

Acid-Stomach Ruins Health of Millions

Besides those painful attacks of indigestion; that awful bloated, lumpy feeling after eating and downright stomach misery that you who have experienced it know so well; besides disgusting belching, food-repeating, sour stomach and distressing heartburn—besides all this, ACID-STOMACH undermines the health and saps the strength of millions.

If you don't get rid of those stomach miseries there is no telling where your stomach troubles will end, for it is a well known scientific fact that many serious ailments have their start in an acid-stomach.

Start now—this very day—to get rid of your stomach miseries. Take EATONIC—the wonderful remedy that absorbs the excess acid from the stomach and brings INSTANT relief. You simply have no idea how much better, stronger and brighter you feel at once. It drives out all the gas and bloat, puts an immediate stop to belching and heartburn, ends stomach suffering and makes it cool, sweet, comfortable and strong.

There can be no further excuse for you to allow acid-stomach to wreck your health—pile up misery upon misery until you get to the point where you feel down and out and that life has lost all its joys. Remember, just as acid-mouth ruins teeth, so acid-stomach ruins health.

Take EATONIC. It's good, just like a bit of candy and makes the stomach feel fine. You can then eat the things you like and, what is more, every mouthful you eat will count in creating power and energy. You'll feel so much better—have punch and pep—the power and will to do things and get results, and your stomach misery will be gone.

Take our advice. Get a big box of EATONIC from your druggist today. It costs so little. If it fails to remove your stomach distress, he will refund your money. That is guaranteed; you are to be satisfied or money refunded.

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FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

MOTHERS TO BE

Should Read Mrs. Monyhan's Letter Published by Her Permission.

Mitchell, Ind.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me so much during the time I was looking forward to the coming of my little one that I am recommending it to other expectant mothers. Before taking it, some days I suffered with neuralgia so badly that I thought I could not live, but after taking three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was entirely relieved of neuralgia, I had gained in strength and was able to go around and do all my housework. My baby when seven months old weighed 19 pounds and I feel better than I have for a long time. I never had any medicine do me so much good."—Mrs. PEARL MONYHAN, Mitchell, Ind.

Good health during maternity is a most important factor to both mother and child, and many letters have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., telling of health restored during this trying period by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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CITY FOLK SEEMED UNKIND

Visitor Couldn't Understand Such an Exhibition of "Unneighborliness" as They Gave.

He was old and angular, but strong and upstanding, with the look of the farm on his unsophisticated face. In his old and none too clean blue jumper and jeans he gazed out upon the boulevard with its shining cars and daintily clad ladies. Confidence in all the world shone in his innocent old eyes.

"Say, mister, I'd like a ride, please," he called to the driver of a new seven-passenger car at the corner of Thirty-fourth and main streets.

But the seven-passenger ignored his plea. Car after car did the same, and the old man turned puzzled eyes to the others standing near and remarked in neighborly fashion: "Out our way we ain't so proud as to refuse a ride to anybuddy."—Kansas City Star.

Reward!

"Lost something, senator?" asked the doorkeeper in a perfect outburst of condescension.

"Yes," said Senator Squash of Squeegee, with a worried look on his face, "I lost a perfectly good motion to adjourn in here this morning. Didya run across it?"

The Retort Connubial.

He—"Living in a flat is extremely tiresome." She—"Not half so tiresome as living with one."

As always—food will play a big part

"As a man eats, so is he."

Grape-Nuts

a food for body and brain

(Contains the building phosphates of the grain)

"There's a Reason"

10,000 WORKMEN INVADE MUNICH

Plundering and Violent Fighting Reported in Heart of Bavarian City.

BUDAPEST UNDER SEIGE

Provisional President Karolyi Calls Cabinet Meeting Which Decides to Take Necessary Steps to Quell Outbreak.

London, Feb. 24.—The troubles in Munich took a still more serious turn, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company. Church bells began ringing and thousands of workmen from the suburbs marched into the center of the city. A short time later violent firing was heard, it is said. The mob is reported to have begun plundering stores and shops.

State of Siege in Budapest.

Paris, Feb. 24.—A state of siege has been proclaimed in Budapest, following a Communist riot, according to a Zurich dispatch to the Matin.

The insurgents are said to have stormed the offices of the Socialist newspaper Nepzava, occupied the principal railroad station and the postoffice. Government troops recaptured the station.

Agitators Russian and German.

The revolt is under the leadership of agitators who are for the most part Germans and Russians, the dispatch states.

Count Karolyi, the provisional president, called a meeting of the cabinet. The ministers sat far into the night and decided to take all necessary measure to quell the outbreak.

The metal workers of the city, it is stated, are preparing an anti-communist manifestation.

Bavarian Assassinations Total Three.

Berne, Feb. 24.—With Premier Eisner, Interior Minister Auer and Deputy Osel of Bavaria dead from assassins' bullets, the victims' friends have begun to take revenge into their own hands, according to dispatches received from Munich.

Deputy Autel, author of a violent press campaign against Eisner, is said to have been killed. His body was riddled with revolver bullets, fired by a number of unidentified men. Several other attacks were reported to have been made on enemies of the present government.

Eisner was shot while walking in the street with his secretary. Count Arco-Valley, his assailant, who formerly was an officer in the Prussian guard, was wounded by a guard. Unconfirmed reports say he has died from his wounds.

As Eisner's assassination was announced in the Bavarian landtag, a volley was fired from the visitors' gallery. Auer was instantly killed and Osel received wounds from which he died later.

Poles Rush Campaign Actively.

Warsaw, Feb. 24.—The campaign of the Poles in Lithuania and also in the provinces east of Brest-Litovsk is proceeding actively. The Bolsheviki have been driven out of Maniewicz, in Volhynia, leaving behind them large quantities of cannon, ammunition and armored trains.

An agreement with the Germans has been made public whereby the Poles may occupy the provinces mentioned and also purchase the material remaining from General Hoffman's army. There also has been made public a decree for military and civil occupation of these provinces, which means that Poland's frontiers are being extended to the historic boundaries of the kingdom.

CONGRESSMAN BORLAND DIES

Missouri Solon Passes Away at Base Hospital in France.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Representative W. P. Borland, Kansas City, Mo., is said to be dead of pneumonia abroad, according to war department information. A cablegram said that the Democratic congressman, who had been touring the west front, died in Base Hospital 301.

Representative Borland, born in Leavenworth, Kan., has lived mostly in Kansas City, Mo. He had been in congress about 10 years and it was he who started the fight for investigating the packers.

MILITARY CENSORSHIP OFF

Messages Can Pass Freely to and From Mexico.

Laredo, Tex., Feb. 24.—Military censorship of telegraph on the Mexican border, which has been effective ever since the United States entered the war, has been removed. No order has been received here yet removing the postal censorship.

Soldiers' Uniform Bill Agreed on.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Agreement has been reached by House and Senate conferees on the bill permitting discharged soldiers, sailors and marines to retain their uniforms and granting them 5 cents a mile traveling expenses from the point where they were discharged to their homes. In view of the fact that the war revenue bill provides for a bonus of $60 to all discharged men, the House conferees receded from their amendment granting officers and enlisted men one month's pay upon their discharge.

LAND IN DEMAND

Opportunities of Western Canada Becoming Known.

Fertile Soil on Which Can Be Produced Record Crops Offered to Settlers at Prices Attractive to Farm Seekers.

In the early months of 1919 there was a demand for farm lands in Western Canada, the greatest that has ever been in the history of the country. This despite the fact that farm lands have increased in price, as the value of the farm product has increased and the virility and productive value of Western Canada farm lands have come more and more into evidence. Farming there is no longer an experiment. Good crops can be grown in all localities, some probably a little more favorable than others, but on the whole a good—more than good—general average. Land elsewhere on the continent is used for the developing of one hundred and twenty dollar steers, thirty-five dollar hogs, two dollar and twenty cent wheat and eighty-five cent oats, and its price is anywhere from one hundred and fifty to three hundred dollars an acre. Western Canada land sells at from twenty to forty dollars an acre, and the farmer cultivating it gets one hundred and twenty-five dollars for his steer, thirty-five dollars for his hog, two dollars and twenty cents for his wheat, and eighty-five cents for his oats. And he can grow corn, too, but Western Canada is saying no more about it than North Dakota did fifteen years ago, when it was an experiment there, and see what North Dakota is doing today. The prediction is that in less than a decade corn will be grown successfully in all parts of Western Canada. It is, therefore, easy to account for the increased demand for Western Canada lands. The war is ended, and the food that the American and Canadian farmer sent across to the soldier, holding up his strength and maintaining his vitality, won the war. No! It was just a factor in winning it, as was the soldier of Italy, of France, of Belgium, of Great Britain, of Canada and of the United States. An important factor, nevertheless. People generally have begun to realize what food means, means to everybody—and it is grown on the farm. So people today want farm lands, and they want those that are good. The great, wide, open stretches of wonderfully productive soil of Western Canada are the chief attraction of the land seekers of today, and it will be so tomorrow, and of all days, until these vacant inviting acres are brought into fruition by the hand of man and the multiplied effort of steam and gasoline power, to the influence and operation of which these lands present such a splendid opportunity.

The pulse of today's desire to secure farm lends may be seen to beat in the columns of the local newspaper, recording sales of many tracts of lands, ranging from 160 to 1,200 acres. A Regina (Sask.) paper says, "In farm lands there is so brisk a business being done that it might be considered a boom." Another paper reports the sale of a section of raw prairie seven miles east of Regina for $35 an acre, and 200 acres at $50 an acre. One real-estate firm handled in three weeks' time over 3,500 acres of farm lands, the turnover being upward of $100,000. An improved farm near Regina changed hands at $47 an acre. "For the first time in the history of the Moosejaw district farm land has been sold for $100 an acre, when J. S. Cameron of Victoria, B. C., sold half a section, known as the Lett farm, to John Logan. The farm was bought a year ago for $85 an acre and is located three miles from the city. It is highly improved and has fine buildings."

An extract from a local paper says: "The movement of farm lands is opening up well this season and there is every indication that a large area of prairie property will be turned over during the months intervening before seedtime.

"The price received for farm lands in each instance is considered as good, particularly for unimproved raw prairie, and shows a considerable improvement on prices for similar properties sold during the years of the war."—Advertisement.

She Knew Her Father.

"I am going to ask your father at once." "But I thought you really wanted to marry me?"—Life.

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP

Why use ordinary cough remedies when Boschee's Syrup has been used so successfully for fifty-one years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles? It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health. Made in America and sold for more than half a century.—Adv.

A man never gets to know so much but what there is always something he would like to know.

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STATE BREVITIES

Hibbing.—Mrs. V. Sinclaire was found guilty in district court of disposing of liquor unlawfully. The jury was out all night.

Minneapolis.—More than 500 women came to Minneapolis to attend the annual mid-winter conference of Minnesota Federation of Women's Clubs, which held a two-day session at Hotel Radisson.

Marble.—Kerosene carelessly spilled in the basement of the Marble hotel and store here, which came in contact with the fire in the furnace, caused the fire that destroyed the building here recently.

Stillwater.—Over 200 men are now employed at South Stillwater in harvesting the annual ice crop that is being stored in the big ice houses there for next summer's use. A night crew has been placed at work.

Minneapolis.—The body of an unidentified man, about 50 years old, dressed as a laborer, was found on the ice under the Minnehaha falls. Coroner Seashore pronounced death due to suicide. The man had been dead several days.

Moorhead.—Dr. E. W. Humphrey was elected mayor of Moorhead over N. N. Melvey, present mayor, by a majority of 30 votes, it was announced after the votes in all precincts had been counted. All other city officials were re-elected.

Two Harbors.—Albert Baker, aged about 50, a lumberjack of French descent, was killed instantly at one of the Scott-Graff lumber camps on the Wales branch of the Iron Range railroad, when hit on the head by a falling tree while working as a swamper.

Minneapolis.—The Minnesota Retail Jewelers' association, at their annual convention held at the Hotel Radisson, elected the following officers: President, D. W. Smith, Pipestone; vice president, A. E. Baker, Minneapolis; treasurer, C. A. Sherdahl, Montevideo; secretary, E. M. Schwenke.

Towner.—Dr. R. L. Burns, deputy coroner, is investigating the death of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Preno, seven miles from here. The Preno home was destroyed by fire and so far as known the aged couple burned to death. The fact that the farm animals had been turned out of the barn created a degree of suspicion and prompted the investigation.

St. Cloud, Minn.—A. C. Cooper of St. Cloud was elected president of the Minnesota Crop Improvement association which held its annual convention and seed fair here. Other officers are: Vice president, C. W. Glotfelter, Waterville; second vice president, John Neher, Tracy; treasurer, F. H. Gibby, St. Paul; secretary, C. P. Bull, university farm school.

Minneapolis.—Previous to the adjournment of the annual state convention, officers of the Minnesota Retail Grocers' and General Merchants' association were elected as follows: H. J. Dahn, Minneapolis, president; M. R. Bush, Duluth, first vice president; W. R. Robb, Winona, second vice president; G. M. Peterson, Duluth, secretary; J. W. Lux, St. Paul, treasurer.

St. Paul.—"Take me back to Winona and put me in jail again, for I will never pay the $250 fine and you can't make me do it." This was the statement of Dr. John Steinbach, eye and ear specialist of Winona, who has been in Winona county jail for the past three months for a violation of the espionage act. Dr. Steinbach was sentenced to sixty days in jail and to pay a fine of $250. He made a petition of poverty.

Stillwater.—George H. Sullivan of Stillwater was elected to the state senate from the Forty-third district over W. W. Willcox of White Bear, to fill the vacancy caused by the action of the senate in declaring the seat vacant recently because of alleged violation of the corrupt practices law in the general election. Sullivan, on complete returns from the county, received 2,421 votes against Willcox's 2,160, a majority of 261 for Sullivan.

Minneapolis.—E. F. Winship of Owatonna was elected president of the Minnesota State Automobile association at its annual meeting in the Radisson hotel here. Sixty-five delegates representing 50 affiliated clubs were in attendance. Other officers elected were: First vice president, A. J. Hilbe, St. Cloud; second vice president, G. A. Kortsch, Alexandria; third vice president, J. S. Scribner, Walker; treasurer, J. K. Martin, Little Falls; secretary, G. Roy Hill, Minneapolis.

Grand Rapids.—The local potato market continues to be very dull, the local dealers offering between 60 and 75 cents a hundred, with few sales. Quite a number of cars of potatoes left Grand Rapids in the past week, mostly southern seed stock, but now there is no market for the southern potatoes, no offers being made. There are still a great many potatoes in the Itasca country, with little prospect of a very good market. It is reported that the comparatively slow season for potatoes this winter has determined many farmers to cut down their acreage, and that there will be much less potatoes raised next year in this section than formerly.

Crookston.—A letter has been received from L. W. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway company, extending greetings upon the opening of the new live stock pavilion, and expressing regret that he was not able to be in attendance, as he had planned.

Fergus Falls.—J. V. Bopp, county agricultural agent, reports that a new variety of spring wheat, the seed of which he secured in the spring, averaged 46 bushels to the acre. The wheat was sown on the farms of Louis Johnson and Max Kroneman, and was ready for harvest in less than ninety days.

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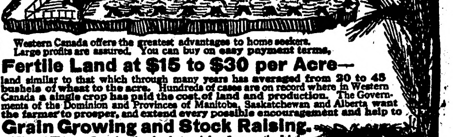

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IS TELLS HOW TO FIGURE INCOME TAX

Squarely Up to Every Individual to Get Busy by March 15 or Suffer Penalty.

"Don't wait until the final due date, March 15th, for paying your Income tax and making your return. Avoid the last minute rush. Any person can figure out his liability today as well as soon next week, and if there is any point on which he needs advice he can now get in touch with a Revenue man."

This word of advice is from Edward J. Lynch, Collector of Internal Revenue, St. Paul, who is collecting the Income Tax in Minnesota. Collector Lynch is giving without charge every aid of his office and his enlarged field force to help the people get their payments and their returns in by March 15th.

"But the Income Tax men will not ring your door-bell or your coat-tails," according to the Collector's announcement. "It is squarely up to every individual to figure out his own case and to get busy if he comes within the scope of the new Revenue law."

Did You Earn This Much?

Every unmarried person who received income averaging $19.25 a week during 1918 and every married couple who jointly received income averaging $38.50 a week should secure at once from the nearest Deputy Collector or the nearest bank a blank Form 1040 A. That form contains the information he will need to enable him to figure his correct net income and any tax that he owes the Government.

The law requires that every unmarried person who had a net income of $1,000 or over and every married person whose net income was $2,000 or over (including the income of husband or wife and the earnings of minor children, if any) must make a return on or before March 15th. And this requirement does not hinge on whether the person owes a tax.

Taxable Income.

An individual must include under gross income all gains, profits and income derived from salaries, wages or compensation for personal service of whatever kind and in whatever form paid, or from professions, vocations, business, sales or dealings in property, [illegible] interest, rent, dividends [illegible]

Deductions include ordinary and necessary business expenses, interest paid or accrued on indebtedness, taxes of all kinds except Federal income and excess profits taxes and assessments for local benefits, losses actually sustained, debts ascertained to be worthless and depreciation on buildings, machinery, fixtures, etc., used in business. A further deduction is allowed for contributions to corporations operated for religious, charitable, scientific or educational purposes or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals to an amount not exceeding 15 per cent of the taxpayer's net income as computed without the benefit of the contribution deduction.

The taxpayer is not allowed to deduct any personal, living or family expenses, any amount spent for improving property or making good its exhaustion for which an allowance is claimed under depreciation.

Figuring the Tax.

Before figuring the normal tax the dividends are deducted as credits from net income, together with the personal exemption. As in previous years, dividends of domestic corporations are exempt from normal tax when received by the stockholder.

The normal tax rates for citizens and residents are as follows: On the first $4,000 of net income in excess of the credits the rate is 6 per cent.; on any further taxable income the rate is 12 per cent.

The surtax rates apply to net income of each individual in excess of $5,000. The personal exemption and the dividends are not deductible before computing surtax. In the case of returns by husband and wife, the net income of each is considered separately in computing any surtax that may be due. Form 1040 should be used for making returns of net income exceeding $5,000, and the instructions thereon will show how to figure the surtax.

Business House Returns.

Employers and others who paid wages, salaries, rents, interest or similar determinable gains in an amount of $1,000 or over during 1918 to any person must file an information return with the Government. Blanks may be secured from the Collector.

Every partnership must file a return showing its income and deductions and the name and address of each partner with his share of the profits or losses during the past year. Personal service corporations will file similar information for 1918.

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INCOME TAX PAYS FOR PUBLIC BENEFITS.

"Viewed in its largest and truest sense, the payment of taxes is payment for benefits received or expected. Only from a narrow and essentially selfish and shortsighted viewpoint can the individual propose to himself the evasion of tax liability as a desirable course of action."
—Daniel C. Roper, Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

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EVERYBODY IS NOW FIGURING INCOME TAX

In Order to Be Helpful to Public, Internal Revenue Bureau Has Every Available Officer in Field.

SEVERE PENALTIES IF YOU DELAY BEYOND MARCH 15

With the due date for Income Taxes only a few weeks away, the collection of this far-reaching tax on 1918 incomes has started off with a bang. Everybody is figuring income tax.

Payments and sworn statements of income must reach Internal Revenue offices on or before March 15 and there are severe penalties for delinquency.

Residents of Minnesota are required to make their returns and pay their taxes to Edward J. Lynch, Collector of Internal Revenue, St. Paul, Minn., or to any of his deputy collectors who are now doing free advisory work on Income Tax.

"Pay your Income Tax by March 15," is the slogan of the Internal Revenue Bureau, which has sent every available officer into the field to help the public to understand the requirements and to prepare the returns.

Who Must Make Return.

It is estimated that many thousands of single and married persons in this section of the United States who have never before made annual returns are required to do so this year.

Income tax returns must be made between now and March 15 by persons who come under the following classifications:

Any unmarried person whose 1918 net income was $1,000 or over. Widows and widowers, divorcees and married persons who are living apart from their husbands or wives, are for the purposes of the Income Tax classed as unmarried.

Any married person living with wife or husband whose 1918 net income was $2,000 or over. The income of both husband and wife must be considered, together with the earnings of minor children, if any.

Revenue Bureau Offers Aid.

Every person in the United States who falls within these classifications must get busy at once if penalties are to be avoided. He should secure a blank Form 1040 A for reporting net income up to $5,000, or Form 1040 if his net income exceeded that amount. Forms are being distributed by Collectors and their Deputies, also by banks. By following the instructions on the forms a correct return can be prepared at home. If a person needs advice or aid, the Deputy Collectors in the field will furnish this without charge.

The new Revenue law places the Income Tax duty on citizens and residents. The Internal Revenue Bureau is sending its men to work right with the public to get the tax and the returns in. With active co-operation every tax due March 15 will be paid and every return required by law will be in the Revenue offices on time.

Exemptions Are Allowed.

A single person is allowed a personal exemption of $1,000. If he is supporting in his household relatives who are dependent upon him he may claim the status of the head of a family who has the same exemption as if married.

A married person who lives with wife or husband is allowed a personal exemption of $2,000. The head of a family is entitled to claim a similar personal exemption.

An additional exemption of $200 is allowed for each person under eighteen or incapable of self support who was dependent upon and received his chief support from the taxpayer.

A husband and wife living together are entitled to but one personal exemption of $2,000. If they make separate returns the exemption may be claimed by either or divided.

Accuracy Required.

Absolute accuracy is necessary in making up income figures. Any person who is working for wages should find out exactly how much he received during the whole year 1918. Fees, bank interest, bond interest, dividends, rents received and all other items must be reported correctly. Mere guesses are not accepted, for they are unjust alike to the taxpayer and the Government and defeat the proper administration of the law.

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INCOME TAX IS TRULY POPULAR.

"The payment of income taxes takes on a new significance, which should be understood by every citizen. The taxation system of this country is truly popular, of the people, by the people and for the people. Every citizen is liable to tax, and the amount of the tax is graduated according to the success and fortune attained by each individual in availing himself of the opportunities created and preserved by our free institutions. The method and degree of the tax is determined by no favored class, but by the representatives of the people. The proceeds of the tax should be regarded as a national investment."—Daniel C. Roper, Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

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Amanda Mickelson was in Warren Saturday.

Mrs. Ole Garthus returned home Saturday from a visit with relatives at Duluth.

Adolph Larson returned home last week from Duluth where he had been working this past winter.

Mrs. Ingebretson of Fertile came Saturday to visit her sisters Mrs. J. Nelson and Mrs. Fitch and families.

About thirty dollars was taken Saturday night at the pie social given by the Nazareth Young People's Society.

All of the Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds for this vicinity have been sent to the Holt State Bank, where they now are already for delivery.

The state fire marshall's office has caused the arrest of M. Giller of Thief River Falls on suspicion of causing a fire to be started in his store on the night of Jan. 7th.

Mrs. J. P. Mattson, wife of the editor of The Warren Sheaf, died at a hospital in Minneapolis last week. Mrs. Mattson went there a short time ago for treatment and death followed an operation for cancer. Sympathy is extended to Bro. Mattson and family.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn., has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property. Write him.

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A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY
Eat Less—Waste nothing
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AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

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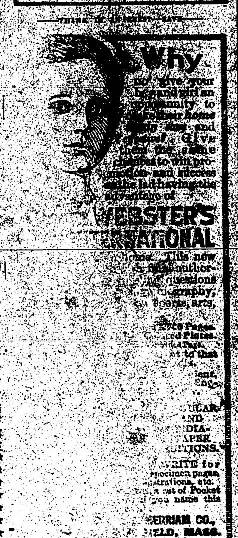

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Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
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I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:
Alloy Fillings $1.00   Treatments $2.00
Gold Crowns $6.00 and $7.00   Porcelain $6.00
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Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.
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Does Your Child Act Like this?
DON'T punish your children by forcing them to take nauseating oils and medicine when they are bilious, constipated or have bad colds. Compelling the child to take disagreeable medicine against its will often does more harm than good.
DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS are particularly fine for children. Pleasant to take because they TASTE LIKE CANDY and can be chewed. Children do not have to be coaxed to take them, and their gentle but effective action on the bowels restores healthful regularity promptly.
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Not only are DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS desirable for children, but for adults as well. You will find in these tablets a safe, harmless and effective medicine for constipation, biliousness, sick headache and other bowel complaints.
They cost only a few cents—your druggist has them. Ask him about them.
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Four Thrift Stamps will be given to any girl or boy for each name sent of those that need glasses, if they will get them in gold frames on my next visit. Names must be sent before any date advertised. If this is not understood, write to C. G. Mugg, O. S., Grand Forks, N. D.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen ($15.00) Dollars which became due April 1st, 1917, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 18th day of April, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota on the 4th day of August, 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 73 of Mortgages on Page 147 thereof, and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit, Sixty ($60.00) Dollars became at once due and payable, and was and is so declared by Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon said mortgage, the sum of Sixty ($60.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at ten (10) per cent per annum since April 1st, 1917, and the further sum of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars with interest thereon at six (6) per cent per annum since April 1st, 1917, and the further sum of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars with interest thereon at six (6) per cent since April 1st, 1918, the two latter amounts of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars each being for interest paid by Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior first mortgage of Fifteen Hundred ($1500.00) Dollars upon said land, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amount by said mortgagors, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being Two Hundred Sixty-five and 40-100ths ($265.40) Dollars. And whereas, said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the status in such case made and provided the said mortgage first described therein, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage,

to-wit, the Southeast Quarter (SE 1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1-4) of Section Eleven (11) and the East Half (E 1-2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1-4) of Section Fourteen (14) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-three (43) West, in Marshall County State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1919 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay said debt of Two Hundred Sixty-five and 40-100ths ($265.40) Dollars and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one (1) year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated Jan. 30th, 1919.

Merchants State Bank
of Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

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Invented in 1589.

The knitting frame was invented in 1589 by William Lee, a graduate of Cambridge university and a native of Woodborough, near Nottingham, England. So perfect was the invention in every detail that to this day the essential features of the machine continue in use for the class of work to which Lee applied it.

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Ole Hammernes went to Middle River Monday.

C. L. Sanberg was a business caller at T. R. Falls Monday and Tuesday.

"The Camouflage of Shirley" will be given Friday March 28th, by a home talent company.

Miss Amanda Fosholm who is working at H. Fodstad's east of T. R. Falls, came Monday to visit home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Werner and children of Thief River Falls came Monday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. Riesberg.

A basket social will be given at the East Valley school house Dist. 148 on Saturday evening March 8th. Everybody welcome.

Thorval Kolden was operated upon at Thief River Falls Monday for the removal of his tonsils and is getting along nicely at present.

Mrs. Verner Lindquist of Alvarado came Monday to assist her brother Olai Sovde, with his lunch counter and confectionery store.

Miss Ruth Knutson came Monday from T. R. Falls where she has been receiving treatment at the hospital for a week or two.

Miss Mabel Johnson and Ruby Swan came Saturday from Grand Forks where they have been working in the Deaconess hospital for some time.

Annie Erickson returned home Saturday from T. R. Falls where she had been for sometime receiving Chiropractic ajustment for her nerves and spine. She returns to T. R. Falls next week.

A basket social will be held in school district No. 80 one mile north of Martin Jarshaw's, Saturday evening March 15th. Girls bring basket, boys bring your pocket books. A good time is assured. Everybody welcome.

The Young people of the Lutheran church gave a very fine program and lunch at the Sorenson's hotel Sunday evening. There was a fine attendance and everyone seemed pleased with the efforts put forth by the society. The ammount taken in from the lunch was $8.05. Another entertainment will be given a week from Saturday evening, Mar. 15th.

The Red Cross Society and their manny friends, happily surprised Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Adams at their home Saturday evening in commemoration of their birthdays which occurred the same week. A very enjoyable evening was spent, the friends remembering the worthy couple with a beautiful set of silver knives and forks. A delicious lunch was served and not till a late hour did the friends separate for their respective homes.

Army and Navy News

Mr. and Mrs. John Sorum received a letter from their two sons, Andrew and Willie who were still in France but were hopeful of soon leaving for U. S. The boys were well and no harm had befallen them altho both had been at the front for some time. Holt awaits to welcome them home again.

P. L. Anderson has been the honored guest in Holt for the past week, and Holt takes off its hat to him. Pete has been thru all the hard details of army life from the U. S. camp to trench warfare, enduring many hardships which is hard for us at home to realize or conceive. Pete is looking fine but he still feels the bad effects of being gassed but is confident he will in time be able to overcome that. Heres success to Pete for a future full of health and happiness and an earnest and useful life.

Cards of Appreciation.

We wish to extend our most heart felt thanks to the Holt Red Cross Society for the way in which they so kindly and substantially remembered our children.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McLean and family.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks for the kindly and very substantial assistance so freely given to us, after the fire, when almost all of our household goods and clothing was destroyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Olson.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Steiner News

Harry Copp went to Thief River Falls with a load of pork the last of the week.

Nick Baker went to the Pasten sale at T. R. Falls last Friday afternoon.

Lewis Meyers, Willis Warring and S. R. Rogers helped Harvy Copp butcher last week.

John Meyers and family attended church in the city last Sunday.

S. R. Rogers went to T. R. Falls Friday afternoon for his daughters who are attending school there.

Some of the young people from this neighborhood attened the farmers club at Rosewood Friday evening.

Nat Muzzy was a business caller in this berg the other day.

G. L. Leisner is receiving a goodly number of loads of grain at the elevator these days.

Willis Warring was at the county seat last Friday.

Mr. Russell was in T. R. Falls one day this week.

Mr. Westfall was a business caller at the county seat last week.

Paul Shanke was busy getting up feed the past week.

Rene Werner has been on the sick list a few days.

Harry Copp lost a young cow by accident last Sunday morning.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Home talent play March 28th.

R. Reierson got in a car of Gold Medal Flour, Wednesday. adv.

The school notes and some other matter is unavoidably crowded out this week.

Prof. Hay has resigned as Supt. of the Thief River Falls school, his resignation to take effect at the close of the present school year.

Prof. Hay's removal from that city, will be a distinct loss to northern Minnesota.

Certificate Of Incorporation

Of The Holt Farmers Elevator Company

We, the undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the provisions of Chapter fifty-eight (58) General Statues of Minnesota for 1913, and any amendments thereof, do hereby associate ourselves as a body corporate, and do hereby adopt the following Certificate of Incorporation:

Article I.

The name of this corporation shall be

Holt Farmers Elevator Company.

The general nature of its business shall be to engage in and carry on the business of constructing, leasing, owning and operating Elevators and Warehouses; buying, selling, storing and handling grain, seeds and other farm products; buying, selling, handling and manufacturing flour and feed; buying, selling and handling fuel, general merchandise, fencing, twine, building material and farm machinery.

The principal place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be in the village of Holt, County of Marshall, Minnesota.

Article II.

The time for the commencement of this corporation shall be February 17th, 1919, and the period of its duration shall be thirty years.

Article III.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are

J. A. Sorum, P. A. Riesberg,
B. Docken, Henry Wendt,
O. H. Nohre, G. P. Sorter,
Chas. Skoglund, P. N. Pederson
and E. S. Moe all of Holt, Minnesota.

Article IV.

The management of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of Directors, composed of not less than five and not more than nine members. The names and addresses of the first Board of Directors are

J. A. Sorum, P. A. Riesberg, B. Docken, Henry Wendt, O. H. Nohre, G. P. Sorter, Chas. Skoglund, P. N. Pederson and E. S. Moe, all of Holt, Minnesota.

The first officers of this corporation shall be: President P. A. Riesberg, Vice-President Chas. Skoglund, Secretary J. A. Sorum, and Treasurer B. Docken. All of the above named officers and directors shall hold their respective offices aforesaid until the next annual meeting of the corporation to be held June 24th, 1919, at which time and annually thereafter, a Board of Directors shall be elected from and by the stockholders of this corporation. The annual meeting of this corporation shall be held at its principal place of business on the fourth Tuesday in June in each year. Immediately after the election of directors, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the directors shall meet and elect from their number a president and a vice-president, and from their number or from the stockholders a secretary and treasurer. Any office except that of president and vice-president may be held by one person. The directors and officers of this corporation shall hold their respective offices until their successors have been duly elected and entered upon the discharge of their duties. The first meetings of the stockholders and of the Board of Directors shall be held at Holt, Minnesota on the 17th day of February, 1919 at 10 and 11 o'clock, respectively.

Article V.

The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00) which shall be paid in, in money or property, or both, in such manner, at such times, and in such amounts as the Board of Directors shall order. The capital stock shall be divided into Two Hundred shares of the par value of $50.00 each.

Article VI.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall at any time be subject shall be the sum of $10,000.00.

In Testimony Whereof, we have hereunto set our hands, this 17th day of February, 1919.

J. A. Sorum, P. N. Pederson, P. A. Riesberg, E. S. Moe, B. Docken, Henry Wendt, O. H. Nohre, G. P. Sorter, Chas. Skoglund.

In the Presence of
Ole C. Johnson   Guy A. Anderson

County of Marshall }
State of Minnesota } ss

On this 17th day of Feb., 1919, personally appeared before me J. A. Sorum, P. N. Pederson, P. A. Riesberg, E. S. Moe, B. Docken, Henry Wendt, O. H. Nohre, G. P. Sorter, Chas. Skoglund to me known to be the persons named in and who executed the foregoing Certificate of Incorporation, and each acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Nils Engebretsen
Notary Public, Marshall Co., Minn.
My commission expires 6, 15, 1919.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Department Of State

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 19th day of Feb, A. D. 1919, at 11 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book G - 4 of Incorporations, on page 415.

Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State.

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 26th day of Feb'y., A. D., 1919, at 8:00 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in book J. of Misc'l on page 551.

Chas. E. Grinder,
Register of Deeds.

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Dr. Gambell: phone 140.

C. E. Smith visited over Sunday in Thief River Falls.

R. Reierson has green standing timber to sell at $1.00.

J. P. Benitt has installed a phone in his residence on line No. 1.

P. A. Riesberg was a county seat business visitor one day last week.

Dr. Gambell was called Tuesday to see Mrs. Ole Garthus, who is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ness and children returned Monday to their home at Thief River Falls, after an extended visit with relatives here.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn., has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property. Write him.

For Sale Cheap.

Light team of horses, or will sell either of them singley.

Willie Rux, Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Take Notice

All those who gave a note or subscribed for stock in the Holt Farmers Elevator Co. are requested to pay same to Holt State Bank on or before March 14th. 1919.

John Sorum, Secy.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Notice.

The Holt State Bank will have a car of phosphate on track here in a short time which will be sold to the farmers at a reasonable price.

Any one wishing a supply of this will please let us know at once.

HOLT STATE BANK.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Notice of Annual Meeting

The Annual meeting of Farmers and Village Switchboard Co. will be held March 10th, 1919 at 2 o'clock P. M. at the Woodman Hall for the purpose of electing officers and transacting any other business that may come before said meeting. All stockholders are requested to meet.

T. B. Folden,
Secy.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Holt Cafe!
Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery
Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream
Sovde & Olen

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Will Exchange For Land

One Registered Percheron Stallion, weight 2,000 lbs

One Registered Percheron Stallion weight 1,900 lbs

One Registered Percheron Mare coming 3 years old

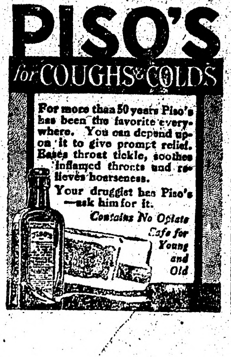
One Midland Automobile nearly new

Will trade for land or sell all or any of the above.

For a Bargain, Call on

K. O. Flakne, Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—



PISO'S for COUGHS & COLDS
For more than 50 years Piso's has been the favorite everywhere. You can depend upon it to give prompt relief. Eases throat tickle, soothes inflamed throats and relieves hoarseness.
Your druggist has Piso's—ask him for it.
Contains No Opiate
Safe for Young and Old

The Local Market

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday.)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.06
Wheat No. 2	2.03
Wheat No. 3	1.99
Wheat No. 4	1.95
Flax	3.51
Oats	47
Barley	61 to .69
Rye	1.26
Flour, Best Patent	5.90

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 29
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 66

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg.
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

City Barber Shop
Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
All work guaranteed satisfactory
Ernest Phillipson
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

$100 Reward, $100
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY
Eat Less—Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

DANDRUFF MAKES HAIR FALL OUT

A small bottle of "Danderine" keeps hair thick, strong, beautiful.

Girls! Try this! Doubles beauty of your hair in a few moments.

Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

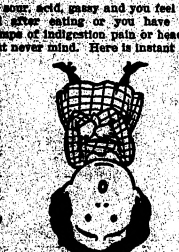
Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine for a few cents at any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.—Adv.

The fellow who is bent on getting married is generally broke afterward.

STOMACH UPSET?

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN AT ONCE ENDS DYSPEPSIA, ACIDITY, GAS, INDIGESTION.

Your meals hit back! Your stomach is sour, acid, gassy and you feel bloated after eating or you have heavy lumps of indigestion pain or headache, but never mind. Here is instant relief.



Don't stay upset! Eat a tablet of Pape's Diapepsin and immediately the indigestion, gases, acidity and all stomach distress ends.

Pape's Diapepsin tablets are the surest, quickest stomach relievers in the world. They cost very little at drug stores. Adv.

The secret of true wisdom is to know your ignorance.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

April first oughta be birthday for a lot of birds we know.

Cure pimples, headache, bad breath by taking May Apple, Aloe, Jalap rolled into a tiny sugar pill called Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

Useful toil always pays well.

Stop the Pain.

The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolisalve is applied. It heals quickly without scars. 25c and 50c by all druggists. For free sample write The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Adv.

Know your business and mind it.

When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy

No Smarting — Just Eye Comfort. 60 cents at Druggists or mail. Write for Free Eye Book. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

TERMS FOR FOE ARE CONSIDERED

Peace Council Considers Conditions To Be Imposed on Germany By Allies.

120 MILLION INDEMNITY

Surrender of 100 More Warships Said To Be Required—Safeguarding of Monroe Doctrine Suggested As Amendment.

Paris, March 4.—The peace conference committee on reparations has estimated that $120,000,000,000 is the amount which the enemy countries ought to pay the allied and associated powers, says a Havas agency statement. France, the statement adds, demands immediate payment by the enemy of $35,000,000,000, part in gold, part in materials and part in foreign securities, recommending that the remainder of the amount be payable in a period of from 25 to 35 years.

Paris, March 4.—The supreme war council has taken up the terms of peace to be imposed on Germany. At the same time it discussed conditions under which the economic blockade of that country will be partially raised.

Modification of the blockade will, it is understood, be ready to put into effect immediately after the return to Paris of President Wilson, Premier Lloyd George and Premier Victoriano Orlando. The separate peace terms probably will be completed by the first of next month, after which details of the treaties with Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey will be discussed.

To Make Germany Powerless.

The military and naval terms to be included in the preliminary peace pact will render Germany absolutely powerless to make war, it was learned from authoritative sources.

Marshal Ferdinand Foch's report, submitted Saturday, was said to include destruction of all German war materials with the exception of arms for a few divisions, which will be left for police duty. The Allies also will be given supervision over all German munition factories.

100 More Ships to Be Surrendered.

The naval conditions were said to include surrender to the Allies of practically all that remains of the German navy.

The units to be turned over will be the battleships Oldenburg, Thuringen, Ostfriesland, Helgoland, Posen, Westfalen, Rheinland and Nassau, the light cruisers Pillau, Graudenz, Regensburg, Stralsund, Strasburg, Augsberg, Kilburg and Stuttgart, 42 modern destroyers and 50 modern torpedoboats.

League Amendments Suggested.

It is thought the peace conference may consider amendments to the League of Nations plan, such as may be regarded in America as necessary to remove the ambiguity of clauses that might affect the Monroe doctrine, the right of secession from the league and the methods of using force against recalcitrant nations. The American delegates are awaiting the return of the president before defining their attitude.

ENFORCEMENT LAW HELD UP

Congress Takes No Action On Measure to Handle Prohibition.

Washington, March 4.—Agreement has been reached by the senate judiciary committee to take no action on legislation to enforce wartime prohibition which becomes effective July 1. The committee decided there was no chance for passage of the pending bill at this session.

Penalties for violation of the law are carried by the prohibition act itself. Prohibition leaders contend that additional and more specific legislation is needed to insure proper enforcement, although the absence of it will not prevent nationwide prohibition from becoming effective. They plan to bring in the bill now abandoned again as soon as congress is called into extra session.

SUGARMAN SENTENCE UPHELD

Minnesota Socialist Now Faces Three Year Prison Term.

St. Paul, Mar. 4.—Conviction of A. L. Sugarman, former secretary of the Socialist party in Minnesota, on charges of violation of the espionage act by the United States district court at Mankato, more than a year ago, was sustained by the United States supreme court in a decision just announced. Sugarman, who was charged with making a speech advising men under the draft age not to register, appealed from his three year sentence on the grounds of unconstitutionality of the espionage act.

Church League Sought.

New York, March 4.—Plans whereby the Roman Catholic, Greek, Russian and Protestant churches may organize a league similar to that of the proposed society of nations, "to co-operate in Christian work as brethren," will be laid before the Pope by three Protestant bishops, Rt. Rev. R. H. Weller, Episcopal bishop of Fond du Lac, announces. Bishop Weller said that, accompanied by Bishop Charles Anderson of Chicago and another bishop, he would journey to Rome in behalf of the church league

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels needs a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhœa, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

Many a man's failure in small things is due to his being troubled with great ambitions.

WHY WOMEN DREAD OLD AGE

Don't worry about old age. Don't worry about being in other people's way when you are getting on in years. Keep your body in good condition and you can be as hale and hearty in your old days as you were when a kid, and every one will be glad to see you.

The kidneys and bladder are the causes of senile afflictions. Keep them clean and in proper working condition. Drive the poisonous wastes from the system and avoid uric acid accumulations. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules periodically and you will find that the system will always be in perfect working order. Your spirits will be enlivened, your muscles made strong and your face have once more the look of youth and health.

New life, fresh strength and health will come as you continue this treatment. When your first vigor has been restored continue for awhile taking a capsule or two each day. They will keep you in condition and prevent a return of your troubles.

There is only one guaranteed brand of Haarlem Oil Capsules, GOLD MEDAL. There are many fakes on the market. Be sure you get the Original GOLD MEDAL Imported Haarlem Oil Capsules. They are the only reliable. For sale by all first-class druggists.—Adv.

Most of man's friends are willing to become his enemies on the least provocation.

SAGE AND SULPHUR DARKENS GRAY HAIR

It's Grandmother's Recipe to Restore Color, Gloss and Attractiveness.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is mussy and troublesome. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this famous old recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, at a small cost.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy and attractive.—Adv.

Saw a fellow the other day who'd cut out his bad habits all at once. He was riding slow lying down.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart caused by gases in the stomach. August Flower is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. Sold in all civilized countries. Give it a trial.—Adv.

Accuracy of Statement.

"I heard that Smith failed for $50,000." "No, he didn't; he failed for the want of it."

HUN OFFICERS TO BE INDICTED

Hundreds Face Punishment for War, Though Kaiser Is Likely to Escape.

GOVERNORS TO SUFFER

Considered Impossible To Visit Direct Reprisal on Wilhelm, Von Hindenburg or Ludendorff Though Lesser Lights Must Pay.

Paris, March 4.—The greatest grand jury indictment the world has ever seen soon will be returned.

The commission investigating the responsibility for crimes committed during the war is expected to submit its report in a few days. The true bill will contain hundreds of names, ranging from lieutenants to officers of the highest rank. Against each will be charged in detail the crimes he is alleged to have committed against humanity.

If the present purpose of the commission remains unchanged, the name of Wilhelm Hohenzollern will lead all the rest.

At the same time it has been practically concluded that it will be impossible to visit direct punishment on the former kaiser. Men like General Ludendorff and Field Marshal von Hindenburg are likely to escape for the same reason—although it is possible to establish their responsibility as the men higher up, it is impossible to disregard the fact that all their acts can be defended on the ground that they were carrying out the policies of the state.

Military Governors to Suffer.

The highest ranked officials deemed certain of punishment are the former military governors of various cities and districts who had arbitrary authority over the lives of enemy citizens and who abused their powers or allowed subordinates to do so.

These, of which there are hundreds, will be tried before an international tribunal, which the commission will recommend to be formed under the sanction of the League of Nations. This tribunal is expected to sit for the next several years, hearing evidence in individual cases, passing judgment and fixing penalties as each case is completed.

Prosecuting Committee Planned.

A permanent prosecuting committee is also planned. In just what manner warrants will be served and arrests made has not been determined. When the commission's list is turned over to the peace conference, it is expected it will be kept secret until as many as possible are arrested. Later, the names and pictures of those not found will be furnished to the rogues' galleries in all countries. The commissioners are confident that practically all the accused will be rounded up eventually and be compelled to face the tribunal. Some arrests already have been made, notably a number of Turkish officers, who are being held under the court, and are ready to hear their cases.

FAMOUS HUMORIST IS DEAD

Charles E. Van Loan Stricken—News Kills His Father.

Philadelphia, March 4.—Charles E. Van Loan, humorist, and famous as a writer of stories on sporting topics, died of chronic nephritis at a hospital in Abington, Pa., near here.

Mr. Van Loan came to Philadelphia from his home in Los Angeles on business and soon after his arrival he became ill and was hurried to the hospital.

Father Succumbs to News.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 3.—Overcome by the news of the death of his son, Charles E. Van Loan, Richard Van Loan, aged 77 years, died at his home here.

ALLIES WATCHING AMERICA

Expect United States to Aid in Securing General Peace.

Paris, March 4.—Speaking to the British correspondents, Arthur J. Balfour, British secretary for foreign affairs, said:

"By the end of March we shall at least be in sight of a preliminary peace, which will be the greatest stride towards universal peace. As a representative of the British government, I am in position to say that what is going on in America at this moment is more important for the success of a general peace than what is being done in Paris today."

Pershing Staff Officer Dead.

New York, March 4.—Major John C. Ostrup, who served on the staff of General Pershing in France during the war, and an authority on railway engineering, died of pneumonia here.

Wheat and Flour Congestion.

Portland, Ore., March 4.—Ninety ship loads of flour and wheat are awaiting transportation in the Northwest, according to the Portland Chamber of Commerce, which is appealing to the government to alleviate the present congestion and avert what is regarded as an impending milling catastrophe. In the warehouses and on the docks were 25,000,000 bushels of wheat and flour and the milling situation was said to be growing more serious. Next August the new wheat crop will start pouring in

SECURE FARM NOW

Western Canada Offers Opportunity to the Ambitious.

Fertile Land at Moderate Cost, With Social and Other Advantages That Mean So Much, Will Soon Be Taken Up.

The desire to have a piece of land of one's own is a natural instinct in the heart of every properly developed man and woman. In earlier years, on account of the great areas of land available in the United States, no great difficulty was experienced by any ambitious settler who wished to become his own landholder, but the rapid increase in population, combined with the corresponding rise in the price of land, has completely changed this condition. Land which a generation ago might be had for homesteading, now commands prices ranging to $100 an acre and over. At such prices it is quite hopeless for the city man with limited capital, to attempt to buy a farm of his own. To pay for it becomes a lifelong task, and the probability is that he will never do more than meet the interest charges. If he is serious in his desires to secure a farm home he must look to countries where there is still abundant fertile land available at moderate cost, and where these lands are to be purchased on terms which make it possible for the settler with small capital to become a farm owner as the result of a few years' labor. He will also want land in a country where the practices of the people are similar to those to which he has been accustomed; a country with the same language, same religion, same general habits of living, with laws, currency, weights and measures, etc., based on the same principles as those with which he is familiar. He wants a country where he can buy land from $20 to $40 an acre which will produce as big or bigger crops as those he has been accustomed to from lands at $100 an acre. He wants this land where social conditions will be attractive to himself and family, and where he can look forward with confidence to being in a few years independent, and well started on the road to financial success.

All these conditions he will find in western Canada. The provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Manitoba provide the one and only answer to the land-hungry. The land is there; it is the kind of land he wants; the conditions are as nearly ideal as is possible, and the prices and terms are such that the man of moderate capital has an opportunity not available to him elsewhere. Land values are going to increase, but it will largely depend on how well the soil can be used, and the modern farmer is using it each year to better advantage.

But those who are on the ground and come closest to the heart of the farming sections are convinced that no material decrease in value is in sight. Indeed, they are almost unanimous in believing that we shall see a strong real estate market for fertile land, with prices maintained; and as development and further equipments are added the prices on the open market may be expected to show a further increase as the years go on—up to the limit of income plus what men are willing to pay to possess an attractive home.

Someone once said: "Never sell short on the United States. You will lose every time." And this applies to those who are inclined to believe that the future of farm values is in doubt. The American farmer is going forward, not backward, and the same may be said of the Canadian farmer.—Advertisement.

Many of those little new nations seem to have come into the world with chips on their shoulders.

RHEUMATISM IS PAIN ONLY, RUB IT AWAY

Instant relief from pain, soreness, stiffness following a rubbing with "St. Jacobs Liniment."

Stop "dosing" rheumatism.

It's pain only; not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Liniment" right on the "tender spot," and by the time you say Jack Robinson—out comes the rheumatic pain and distress. "St. Jacobs Liniment" conquers pain! It is a harmless rheumatism liniment which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones; stops sciatica, lumbago, backache, neuralgia and reduces swelling.

Limber up! Get a small trial bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacobs Liniment" from any drug store, and in a moment you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheumatism away.—Adv.

An idle brain is the devil's scheme factory.

Cuticura Soap for the Complexion. Nothing better than Cuticura Soap daily and Ointment now and then as needed to make the complexion clear, scalp clean and hands soft and white. Add to this the fascinating, fragrant Cuticura Talcum and you have the Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Adv.

Love is blind, especially the kind known as self-lo

Weekly Health Talks

What Is the Cause of Backache?

BY DOCTOR CORNELL

Backache is perhaps the most common ailment from which women suffer. Rarely do you find anybody free from it. Sometimes the cause is obscure, but Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., a high medical authority, says the cause is very often a form of catarrh that settles in the delicate membranes of the feminine organs. When these organs are inflamed, the first symptom is backache, accompanied by bearing down sensations, weakness, unhealthy discharges, irregularity, painful periods, irritation, headache and a general run-down condition. Any woman in this condition is to be pitied, but pity does not cure. The trouble calls for Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which is a separate and distinct medicine for women.

It is made of roots and herbs put up without alcohol or opiate of any kind, for Dr. Pierce uses nothing else in his prescription. Favorite Prescription is a natural remedy for women, for the vegetable growths of which it is made seem to have been intended by Nature for that very purpose. Thousands of girls and women, young and old, have taken it, and thousands have written grateful letters to Dr. Pierce saying it made them well. In taking Favorite Prescription, it is reassuring to know that it goes straight to the cause of the trouble. There is but one way to overcome sickness, and that is to overcome the cause. That is precisely what Favorite Prescription is intended to do.

Send 10c for trial pkg. of Tablets. Address Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

Constipated women, as well as men, are advised by Dr. Pierce to take his Pleasant Pellets. They are just splendid for costiveness.

Self-esteem is about all the satisfaction some men get out of life.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

And an awful lot of argument can come out of a little mouth.

CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS

Tells How to Get Quick Relief from Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

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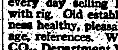

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Canton, Ohio.—"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well.

"My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them."—Mrs. MARIE BOYD, 1421 5th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

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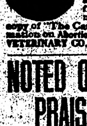

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Not often does a Postal Service Official put himself on record in this way. And that no less a personage than Hon. C. P. Grandfield, the first Assistant Postmaster under Taft, is the one who testifies to the value of EATONIC and its beneficial results, places EATONIC above the ordinary so-called stomach cures and indicates that here, at last, is something that will relieve all forms of stomach misery—indigestion, flatulence, heartburn, sour, acid or gassy stomach. The letter, devoid of all unnecessary words, is printed below. It hits the nail squarely on the head. Every sufferer from stomach misery should do what he tells them.

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STATE BREVITIES

Marshall.—Gould D. Allen, aged 95 years, Marshall's oldest citizen, is dead. He was a member of the Arlington G. A. R. post and his death brings the membership of that post down to four.

St. Paul.—Patrick J. Costello, charged with assisting in the stuffing of a ballot box in the St. Paul city elections last May, was found not guilty by a jury in the Ramsey county district court.

Pipestone.—The farm residence of Lloyd D. Long, across the line in Rock county, was destroyed by fire, which started while the family was at a neighbor's. A bucket brigade saved other buildings on the farm.

Ortonville.—Two horses belonging to A. B. Kaercher of this city were drowned in Big Stone lake, when they fell into an airhole. The driver of the team was not injured. The horses were Hambletonian trotters and were valued at about $3,000.

Olivia.—The funeral of Darwin S. Hall, former Minnesota congressman, was held from the Methodist Episcopal church here. Rev. Mr. Emery, pastor of the church, preached the funeral sermon. Julius A. Schmahl and other state officials attended the services.

St. Paul.—Donald Robertson of Argyle, Minn., newly elected president of the Minnesota State Pharmaceutical association, and other new officers of the organization were installed at a meeting at The Saint Paul, the final business session of the thirty-fifth annual convention.

Pipestone.—A wolf, which had made away with a large number of sheep in this vicinity, was shot and killed by Walter Anderson, a farmer. The wolf was sighted by a neighbor, after which Anderson and the neighbor gave chase in an automobile, finally killing him after a race of more than two miles.

Fairmont.—Ira Clynick, 88 years old, died at his home here. Clynick, who came to this county in the early 60s, raised the first crop in Nashville township and lived in that locality until last fall, when he moved to Granada. He was sheriff of the county back in the '60s and at that time, as well as in later life, was a prohibitionist.

Pipestone.—R. E. Gilmore, a farmer, has filed suit for $50,000 damages against Henry McKeon, Ralph Nason, D. W. Smith and L. H. Bruggeman, businessmen of this city. The suit is the aftermath of a peace demonstration held here Oct. 5, when, it is alleged, the complainant was paraded before throngs of people on the streets.

St. Paul.—Four hundred members of the Minnesota State Creamery and Cheese Managers' association attended the annual banquet of the organization at the Ryan hotel, St. Paul. Mayor L. C. Hodgson, who made the principal address, gave the visitors a cordial welcome to St. Paul and spoke in high praise of the state's dairymen, who represent, he said, the industrial background of Minnesota.

Mankato.—Sam K. Richman of St. Paul, who was recently convicted of picking the pocket of a traveler on a passenger train as it drew into the station in this city, has been sentenced to Stillwater prison for an indeterminate term, not to exceed five years. A stay of execution has been granted pending an appeal to the supreme court from an order of the district court refusing a new trial.

Winona.—There will be no through packet service between St. Louis and the twin cities during the season of 1919. That fact was definitely established, despite rivermen's forecasts to the contrary, by official announcement of the Streckfus Steamboat line that the steamer Quincy, in winter quarters at Davenport, Iowa, will be converted into an excursion boat at once. The Quincy is the last of large packets to be so reconstructed.

East Grand Forks.—That recent fires which destroyed the city hall and fire department headquarters, the Central high school and other property, were of incendiary origin is the opinion of Fire Chief J. J. Fitzgerald, who has been making a personal investigation. In one case Chief Fitzgerald found that hay had been carried from a barn and ignited in a frame structure. At the city hall the fire originated in the wagon room and it is the belief of the chief that coal oil was spread about in order to give the flames a start.

Balaton.—Mrs. Louise Pickford Shequen of this city has just celebrated her 100th birthday anniversary. She received many friends, and several of her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren visited her. Mrs. Shequen was born in 1819 at Standwich, Canada, and has lived in this vicinity since 1868. She is the widow of John Shequen, whose death occurred Oct. 11, 1916, at the age of 107 years. At the time of the husband's death the couple held the distinction of being the oldest married pair in the northwest and the only one to celebrate a 75th wedding anniversary.

Bemidji.—Peyote, a liquid said to be both intoxicating and poisonous and which, it is said, is made from a berry found on a Mexican plant, is a new brand of firewater that has been found in the possession of Indians at Cass Lake, and Late Rave, an Indian, who says his home is at Thurston, Neb., has been placed in the Beltrami county jail to answer federal charges of introducing intoxicants into Indian territory. Two Indian women are said to be victims of the drink, which has the same effect as a drug. The women are under the care of a Cass Lake physician.

Dakota.—Walter Vier, aged 16, was found dead in the main street of Dakota. A shot in the right ear from a revolver found near caused his death.

Delavan.—Suffering from mental depression as an after-effect of influenza, Ruth Geddes, 25, residing with her parents on a farm near here, drowned herself in a watering tank.

Mankato.—The creation of a regimental fund by subscription among officers and enlisted men of the thirteen companies was decided at a meeting of the Fifth regiment's officers here.

Moorhead.—Miss Maude Hayes of the Moorhead normal faculty has received an appointment from the Y. M. C. A. to do entertainment work in France and Italy during the summer months.

Virginia.—August Aho, 39, dropped dead while in the waiting room of the office of Dr. Raihala, of heart disease. He has been ailing for a year and a half and was unable to work the past six months.

St. Paul.—More than $1,000,000 of ditch and road assessments are outstanding against state-owned land, according to an estimate by Matt J. Desmond, superintendent of accounts in the auditor's office.

Winona.—W. B. Watkins of the Winona Association of Commerce was elected president of the trail organization meeting at Burlington, Iowa, which proposes an improved course along the river from New Orleans to Minneapolis.

Crookston.—Carl Andrews, who advertised a car of fish to be sold here last week, on account of a provision in the state law was prohibited from retailing the fish at this place and was therefore obliged to divert the car to North Dakota.

Bemidji.—The younger members of the Bemidji lodge of Elks have started to secure subscriptions for finishing the club rooms of the Elk temple and equipping them as has been contemplated since the temple was erected over a year ago.

Slayton.—When auto livorymen refused to take County Agent Frank Brown to Hadley to fill a speaking engagement, on account of the snowdrifts on the road, Brown secured a set of skiis and made the trip across country to Hadley.

Moorhead.—Three of sixteen collection boxes for the permanent blind relief war fund for Allied soldiers and sailors placed in the business district in Fargo are missing, and are believed to have been stolen and their contents appropriated by the thieves.

East Grand Forks.—There will be no lack of accommodations for the continuance of school during the remainder of the school year because of the high school fire, for the basements of both the Sacred Heart and the Mendenhall Memorial churches have been offered to the superintendent and school board, and will no doubt be accepted. The Commercial club has offered its rooms and the Lincoln school will probably accommodate some of the grades.

Minneapolis.—Minnesota was singled out as the most progressive state in the union in regard to protecting the vision of its citizens by law at the opening session of the Minnesota Association of Optometrists at the Radisson. Minnesota's enviable lead was attributed to the fact that it was the first state to enact legislation governing the qualification of practitioners of optometry. Following Minnesota in 1900, 44 states, Canada and Cuba have enacted regulation laws.

St. Paul.—Proposed reconsignment charges on grain and hay shipments are the subjects of protests made by the state railroad and warehouse commission to the Interstate Commerce commission. Adoption of the reconsignment schedules is recommended by the Interstate Commerce commission by George T. Bell, examiner, following a recent hearing. The state commission proposes to follow up its protest with briefs or oral arguments that the charges are unjust.

St. Paul.—Erection of a large auditorium and campanile on the campus of the University of Minnesota, as a memorial to men and women of the state who served during the world war, was recommended to Governor Burnquist by the State Memorial commission. Opinion was divided as to the proper location of the memorial. Six members of the committee voted for the university location, while the remaining four favored a site near the state capitol in St. Paul. The minority report has been filed with Governor Burnquist.

St. Paul.—A. L. Larpenteur, 95 years old, one of the last of St. Paul's pioneers, died at his home here. He was born in Baltimore in 1823. He moved to St. Louis in 1841 and left there with a stock of goods for the Indian trade, reaching St. Paul Sept. 15, 1843. Mr. Larpenteur assisted in laying out the city of St. Paul in 1847 in conjunction with Gen. H. H. Sibley, Captain Roberts, and other pioneers. The present capitol building is located on land which Mr. Larpenteur purchased for $1.25 an acre. As the oldest of the original pioneers, Mr. Larpenteur was a resident of Minnesota before the state possessed any taxable property and when he first came to St. Paul there were less than a score of white settlers living in this section.

St. Paul.—Influenza deaths in Minnesota in January totaled 751, according to statistics announced by Charles E. Smith, Jr., assistant secretary of the state board of health. The toll included 123 in Minneapolis, 57 in St. Paul, 52 in Duluth and 519 in all other parts of the state.

St. Paul.—W. A. McGonagle and H. V. Eva of Duluth were appointed permanently by Governor Burnquist to be chairman and secretary, respectively, of the Minneapolis Forest Fire Relief commission. They will supervise expenditures of $1,800,000 in the stricken areas

WILSON PLEDGES HELP

Tells Governors U. S. to Help Restore Normal Status.

Declares Federal Government Is Servant of the States and Will Perform Its Duty.

Washington, March 4.—Opening the White House conference of governors and mayors on peace time business and labor problems, President Wilson promised the federal government would consider itself the servant of the states, municipalities and counties in solving readjustment problems and would perform its duty guided by suggestions of the conference.

The president said he hoped the conference discussion would assume a wide range, including means of restoring labor conditions to a normal basis as soon as possible "and to effecting such fresh allocations of labor and industry as the circumstances may make necessary."

Touching on the peace conference he said the conferees at Paris regard themselves only as servants of about 700,000,000 people of the world and not as their masters.

The president confined himself largely to welcoming the visitors and promising complete co-operation.

Strikes Held Soviet Moves.

Secretary of Labor W. B. Wilson, who presided at the opening session, told the conference recent strikes at Seattle, Butte, Lawrence and other places were not industrial economic disputes in their origin, but were results of a deliberate organized attempt at a social and political movement to establish soviet governments in the United States.

SHIPS IN FINE CONDITION

German Merchant Vesels Are Found Fit for Service.

London, March 4.—The condition of the German merchant ships which ultimately will be used to transport American troops homeward is surprisingly good, in the opinion of the United States naval commission recently sent to survey them. It is inferred from preliminary reports that the Germans either kept up the vessels during the war, or that since the armistice they have worked to get them into first class condition.

ASKS AMERICAN CONFIDENCE

Edward De Billy Pleads for Faith in France.

New York, March 4.—A plea that Americans continue to trust France as they did during the war was made by Edouard De Billy, deputy French high commissioner to the United States, at a dinner given in honor of the commission by the Lotus club here.

M. De Billy declared France's aims are the same that were enunciated during the war.

DANISH CABINET RESIGNS

Political Situation Complicated by Effort to Abolish Senate.

London, March 4.—The Danish cabinet resigned as the result of the complicated political situation in Denmark, according to a wireless message received here from Copenhagen. A message adds that it is believed the Social Democrats will try to abolish the Landsting, or senate.

SEVERAL MEASURES RUSHED

German Assembly Passes Bill Relating to Elections.

Weimar, March 4.—Members of the German National assembly rushed through several bills in an effort to get back to and finish the discussion of the national constitution, but the deputies again fell afoul of the transition law bill on which discussion had been deferred.

Gen. Williams Ordered Abroad.

Washington, March 4.—Major General Clarence C. Williams, chief of ordnance, has been ordered by the War department to report to General Pershing in France for the purpose of inspecting the operations of the ordnance department in the American expeditionary forces. He will also make inspection of ordnance activities in England.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, March 5.—Oats—May, 58½c. Rye, May, $1.45½. Barley, choice, 88c.

Minneapolis Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Minneapolis, March 5.—BUTTER—Creamery extras, per lb, 52c; extra firsts, 49c; firsts, 48c; seconds, 47c; dairy, 38c; packing stock, 33c.

EGGS — Fresh, prime firsts, new cases, 40c; current receipts, rots out, $11.40; checks and seconds, doz, 32c; dirties, candled, 32c. Quotations on eggs include cases.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs and over, 28c; thin, small, cripples and culls, unsalable; stags and cocks, 20c; ducks, 23c; geese, 20c; hens, 4 lbs and over, 25c; hens, under 4 lbs, 23c; springs, young, smooth, 25c.

Estimate of Tax Payments.

Washington, March 4.—Latest Treasury estimates place at $1,000,000,000 the maximum of tax payments to be made March 15 as the first installment of taxes due this year, and officials believe the amount may be smaller. Since about $800,000,000 of tax certificates are to be redeemed on that date the Treasury believes the deposit conditions among banks will not be disturbed. This explanation was made in response to inquiries reflecting anxiety among bankers.

Relieved of Catarrh Due to La Grippe, Thanks to PERUNA

Mrs. Laura Berberick, 69 years old, of 1205 Willow Ave., Hoboken, N. J., writes:

"Four years ago I had a severe attack of La Grippe. After my sickness I was troubled with hoarseness and slime in the head and throat, and was told I had Catarrh. I took some medicine but without much benefit. Every winter for four years, I have had LaGrippe (last winter three times).

The Catarrh grew worse. I could not lie down or sleep at night. Was always troubled with slime, pain in my back and a terrible headache every morning, when I woke up, and had no blood.

I got a Peruna calendar in Danish, my native language, and I read it through, every testimony, and then I bought a bottle of Peruna. To-day I can truthfully testify that Peruna has been a great benefit to me. It has given me blood and strength. I can lie down and sleep without being troubled. I have no pain, headache, or noise in my head. I have gained in weight three pounds, which I think is good for my age. I will be sixty-nine years old next summer. I have used Peruna since I started in February, and I use it yet. I feel cheerful and happy, thanks to Peruna. It will always be in my home and I recommend it to those who need it."

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The Perfect Tobacco for Pipe and Cigarette

Guaranteed by The American Tobacco Co. INCORPORATED nest Phillipsin went to Thief Falls Monday.

The flu has broken out again in city of Thief River Falls.

Mrs. C. Hoffman visited at the Erickerson home Sunday afternoon.

Pete Hanson and family visited Sunday with his parents at andus.

Nils Ness has sold his 80 acre farm K. Brown. Consideration $25.00 per acre.

The school notes and some other matter is unavoidably crowded out this week.

A bill has passed Congress making good the price of $2.26 for this years wheat crop.

Olaf Sovde went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to visit his sister, Hilma, at the hospital.

Harold Berg, formerly of The Middle River Pioneer, is now employed on The Thief River Falls Tribune.

H. Tellkaupt of Fairmont, was here last week on land business and was much pleased with the country and will undoubtedly invest later on.

At the annual meeting of the Free Mission church the following officers were elected; P. P. Reierson, Foreman, M. Steom, Secy., Nels Engebretsen, Treasurer.

The Nazareth Y. P. S. will give lunch and a good program Saturday evening March 15th, instead Sunday evening as was announced at last meeting.

Village election next Tuesday. The polls will be open from 9 A. to 5 o'clock P. M. Vote early before you forget it and the polls close without you voting.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Notice!

The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate. Insurance against fire, thieves, etc. See them at once.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Southeast of Holt

(Written for last weeks paper.)

A surprise party was given in honor of Arthur Gutterud on Saturday evening. A large number of young people were present and a very enjoyable time was had.

Oliver Molstad returned home from Fort Bliss Texas on Monday at which place he has been stationed for sometime.

Arthur Thorwick purchased 80 acres of land near Grygla a short time ago and expects to start farming there this spring.

Gunda Moe returned home from Golden Valley on Monday at which place she has been visiting the past two weeks.

The Misses Thea Gutterude, Thora Moe, Amanda and Constance Klungness who are attending high school at T. R. Falls, spent Saturday and Sunday at their homes.

Carl Gutterud and Lars Ose returned home from Grygla on Sunday near which place they have had employment the past month.

Sorem Moe returned to his home after undergoing an operation at the Physician Hospital at T. R. Falls. Reports are that he is getting along nicely.

A number of farmers were at Warren, on ditch hearing last week.

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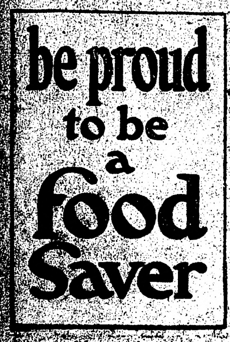

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorised to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Hans Johnnie Paulsberg, a single man, Mortgagor, to the Holt State Bank, a corporation, Mortgagee, dated July 23th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of August, 1917, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 82 of mortgages on page 296.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of Eighty and no 100ths ($80.00) Dollars with interest thereon from the 25th day of November, 1918, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, together with the further sum of Forty-eight and no 100ths ($48.00) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of ten percent per annum from the 25th day of November, 1918, being the interest paid on a prior mortgage and which payment was due on the 25th day of November, 1918, and the further sum of Fifty-two and 2-100 ($52.02) Dollars, together with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 28th day of February, 1919, being the amount then paid for the 1917 real estate taxes, which were past due and delinquent, and which interest and tax payments were paid pursuant to the terms of the mortgage herein described making a total sum due on said mortgage at this date of One hundred eighty-three and 52-100 ($183.52) Dollars.

That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage is: The Southeast Quarter of Section No. Seven (7), in Township No. One Hundred fifty six (156) North of Range No. Forty [40], West of 5th P. M, situate in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosd by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 21st day of April, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the attorney's fee allowed by statute.

Dated March 4th, 1919.

Holt State Bank, Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,

Attorney for the Mortgages,

Warren, Minn.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS
Holt, Minn., March 7, 1919

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For the man at the desk Constipation is a common ailment. His habits of life are such that his bowels become sluggish and if neglected the result is serious. Read the experience of J. F. Grosch of LaCrosse, Wis.

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Holt News

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen ($15.00) Dollars which became due April 1st, 1917, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Bertil L. Backe and Ruth Backe, his wife, mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 13th day of April, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota on the 4th day of August, 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 73 of Mortgages on Page 147 thereof; and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit, Sixty ($60.00) Dollars became at once due and payable, and was and is so declared by Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon said mortgage, the sum of Sixty ($60.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at ten (10) per cent per annum since April 1st, 1917, and the further sum of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars with interest thereon at six (6) per cent per annum since April 1st, 1917, and the further sum of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars with interest thereon at six (6) per cent since April 1st, 1918, the two latter amounts of Ninety ($90.00) Dollars each being for interest paid by Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior first mortgage of Fifteen Hundred ($1500.00) Dollars upon said land, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amount by said mortgagors, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being Two Hundred Sixty-five and 40-100ths ($265.40) Dollars. And whereas, said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first described herein, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage,

to-wit, the Southeast Quarter (SE 1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1-4) of Section Eleven (11) and the East Half (E 1-2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1-4) of Section Fourteen (14) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-three (43) West, in Marshall County State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1919 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay said debt of Two Hundred Sixty-five and 40-100ths ($265.40) Dollars and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one (1) year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated Jan. 30th, 1919.

Merchants State Bank
of Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Charles W. Foss, a widower Mortgagor, to D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of March, 1914, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 71 of Mortgages, on page 167.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, to W. H. Dempsey as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors by written assingment dated the 11th day of March 1914, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 18th day of May 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 152.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said W. H. Dempsey, as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank by written assignment dated the 15th day of February 1919, and recorded on the 20th day of February 1919, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 86 of Mortgages page 237; and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North Half of the Southeast quarter (N1-2 SE1-4) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty Six (156) North of Range Forty Two (42), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty Six and sixty eight hundredths acres, more or less, according to United States Government Survey thereof,

in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 21st day of April 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 4th A. D. 1919.

Holt State Bank
Assignee of Mortgage,

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Warren, Minn.

4 THRIFT STAMPS GIVEN AWAY.
Four Thrift Stamps will be given to any girl or boy for each name sent of those that need glasses, if they will get them in gold frames on my next visit. Names must be sent before any date advertised. If this is not understood, write to C. G. Mugg, O. S., Grand Forks, N. D.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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The Holt Weekly News
Successor to and Continuation of
The Northern Light
By The
Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday, at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Local Items

Pay your income tax.

Y. P. S. program and lunch Saturday evening. Everyone invited.

School benefit, home talent play, M. W. A. hall, Friday March 28th.

Carl Gustoferson of Newfolden was a business visitor in town Wednesday.

Miss Julia Sorum went to Silverton Friday to visit her sister there for a few days.

Mr. Mickelson has rented his hotel to Hjalmer Johnson who will take possession May 1st.

Jno. Engstrom and Chas. Skoglund were business visitors in Roosevelt Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. C. Kustad spent several days the past week at the Andrew Ness home in T. R. Falls.

The Zion Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Chris Bjerkland next Wednesday March 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson, Ole Johnson and P. L. Anderson visited Arvid Carlson and wife at Newfolden Sunday.

Fridjof Riesberg passed thru town Wednesday on his way to Badger where he will work for a few days as relief agent.

B. J. Bakke returned last week Thursday from Crookston where he spent several days, taking the treatment for his hearing.

Don't forget to come to the Young People Society Saturday evening Mar. 15th, at 8 o'clock sharp. Good progam and lunch.

Young People's Society meeting at the Free Mission church Sunday March 16th at 2 P. M. Lunch will be served. Everyone invited.

Mrs. Robt. Spinks and little daughter came from Middle River Monday to visit her sister Mrs. B. Docken and family. Mrs. Docken accompanying her home the next day.

Miss Tina Johnson returned home last week Thursday from Thief River Falls, where she had been working for sometime. Miss Hilda Berg accompanied Miss Johnson home for a visit.

A 9 1-2 lb boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Dahl of Golden Valley last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Dahl and son are getting along fine and papa is proud of his three boys.

A basket social will be given at Ringbo school district 58, on March 22nd. Ladies please bring baskets and cups for two. You are all invited. Mabel Knutson, teacher.

Don't forget date.

Guy Anderson has entered upon his 12th year as carrier on our rural mail route. During his 11 years of service he has never missed any trips, he has given the patrons good service and has made a record of which any man might well be proud.

The carpenter work has been rushed this week on Ole Hamernes' garage and the buiding is now pretty well enclosed. This building is 48x80 and will be a big improvemens to that side of the street and the whole town, and give Mr. Hamernes more room to accommodate his rapidly growing business.

Army and Navy News

Mrs. Peter Bjerken received word this week from her husband at Mahnomen, stating he was sick at the home of his folks there, but was getting better and expected to come here this week.

Ed Bjerk arrived at the home of relatives in Crookston yesterday and expects to be home to-morrow, and will find hearty welcome awaiting, as everyone will be glad to see him back here once more, alive and well

Nels Gudvangen recently received word from the Canadian authorities that his brother, Richard, who had been in a hospital in England, suffering from gunshot wounds in arm and leg, was sufficiently recovered to leave the hospital on January 17th

School Notes.

The Eighth Graders have chosen "As the Twig is Bent" a rural school drama in three acts, written by Estella Cook of the drama Dept. of the Minnesota University, as their class play and rehearsal has already begun.

The Health Tournament began on Feb. 9th, the very day President Wilson had designated as Rosevelt Day, and using Elisabeth Rankin's words in her last circular letter "How can we more fittingly observed the day than by beginning the Health Tournament. This great American himself carried on a health crusade which changed the sickly little boy into a strong vigorous man who was never daunted by any hardships."

Every pupil in attendance in each of the three rooms enrolled as a crusader, pledging to do at least 75 per cent of the health chores for each pupil week until May 24th the end of the Tournament. Now it remains to be seen how many can carry it thru and earn the highest rank. Each pupil upon completing two weeks work will receive a a certificate of enrollment and earn the title of Page in Health Knighthood. To rise to higher ranks and be entitled to different pins or certificates each pupil must do at least 75 per cent of the health chores each week for the following number of weeks.

For Squire, 3 weeks after becoming Page a total of 5 weeks, for Knight, 5 weeks after becoming Squire, a total of 10 weeks, for Knight Banneret, 5 weeks after becoming Knight, a total of 15 weeks.

The pupils having the best records in Marshall county in the Modern Health Crusade will be awarded as follows; 1st $2.00; $1.50; 3rd. $1.00 4th. $.75 The trophies for the victors in the pennants or banners, the winner in each of the nine divisions will be awarded one.

P. L. Anderson went to Dakota Wednesday to visit his sister a few days.

Miss Teckla Smith and brother returned home Tuesday from a few days visit in T. R. Fall.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken entertained a number of young people in honor of P. L. Anderson Monday evening.

Arthur Olson is busy hauling lumber for building a house to take the place of the one recently burned on his father's farm.

Holt township elected the following officers, Tuesday: Supervisor, 3 years, Elling Waggedahl, 2 years, John Engstrom; Treasurer, Aug. Nass; Clerk, T. B. Folden. Assessor, Erick Johnson; Justice, Chas. Skoglund; Constable, Ole Davidson.

Certificate Of Incorporation

Of The

Holt Farmers Elevator Company

We, the undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the provisions of Chapter fifty-eight (58) General Statues of Minnesota for 1913, and any amendments thereof, do hereby associate ourselves as a body corporate, and do hereby adopt the following Certificate of Incorporation:

Article I.

The name of this corporation shall be

Holt Farmers Elevator Company.

The general nature of its business shall be to engage in and carry on the business of constructing, leasing, owning and operating Elevators and Warehouses; buying, selling, storing and handling grain, seeds and other farm products; buying, selling, handling and manufacturing flour and feed; buying, selling and handling fuel, general merchandise, fencing, twine, building material and farm machinery.

The principal place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be in the village of Holt, County of Marshall, Minnesota.

Article II.

The time for the commencement of this corporation shall be February 17th, 1919, and the period of its duration shall be thirty years.

Article III.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are

J. A. Sorum, P. A. Riesberg,
B. Docken, Henry Wendt,
O. H. Nobre, G. P. Sorter,
Chas. Skoglund, P. N. Pederson
and E. S. Moe all of Holt, Minnesota.

Article IV.

The management of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of Directors, composed of not less than five and not more than nine members. The names and addresses of the first Board of Directors are

J. A. Sorum, P. A. Riesberg, B. Docken, Henry Wendt, O. H. Nobre, G. P. Sorter, Chas. Skoglund, P. N. Pederson and E. S. Moe, all of Holt, Minnesota.

The first officers of this corporation shall be: President P. A. Riesberg, Vice-President Chas. Skoglund, Secretary J. A. Sorum, and Treasurer B. Docken. All of the above named officers and directors shall hold their respective offices aforesaid until the next annual meeting

of the corporation to be held June 24th, 1919, at which time and annually thereafter, a Board of Directors shall be elected from and by the stockholders of this corporation. The annual meeting of this corporation shall be held at its principal place of business on the fourth Tuesday in June in each year. Immediately after the election of directors, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the directors shall meet and elect from their number a president and a vice-president, and from their number or from the stockholders a secretary and treasurer. Any office except that of president and vice-president may be held by one person. The directors and officers of this corporation shall hold their respective offices until their successors have been duly elected and entered upon the discharge of their duties. The first meetings of the stockholders and of the Board of Directors shall be held at Holt, Minnesota on the 17th day of February, 1919 at 10 and 11 o'clock respectively.

Article V.

The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00) which shall be paid in, in money or property, or both, in such manner, at such times, and in such amounts as the Board of Directors shall order. The capital stock shall be divided into Two Hundred shares of the par value of $50.00 each.

Article VI.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall at any time be subject shall be the sum of $10,000.00.

In Testimony Whereof, we have hereunto set our hands, this 17th day of February, 1919.

J. A. Sorum, P. N. Pederson, P. A. Riesberg, E. S. Moe, B. Docken, Henry Wendt, O. H. Nobre, G. P. Sorter, Chas. Skoglund.

In the Presence of

Ole C. Johnson Guy A. Anderson

County of Marshall }
State of Minnesota } ss

On this 17th day of Feb., 1919, personally appeared before me J. A. Sorum, P. N. Pederson, P. A. Riesberg, E. S. Moe, B. Docken, Henry Wendt, O. H. Nobre, G. P. Sorter, Chas. Skoglund to me known to be the persons named in and who executed the foregoing Certificate of Incorporation, and each acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Nils Engebretsen
Notary Public, Marshall Co., Minn.
My commission expires 6, 15, 1919.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

Department Of State

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 19th day of Feb. A. D. 1919, at 11 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book G - 4 of Incorporations, on page 415.

Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State.

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 26th day of Feb'y., A. D., 1919, at 8:00 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in book J. of Misc'l on page 551.

Chas. E. Grinder.
Register of Deeds.

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

For Sale Cheap.

Light team of horses, or will sell either of them singley

Willie Rux, Holt, Minn

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Take Notice

All those who gave a note or subscribed for stock in the Holt Farmers Elevator Co are requested to pay same to Holt State Bank on or before March 14th 1919

John Sorum, Secy.

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For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt] Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

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Notice.

The Holt State Bank will have a car of phosphate on track here in a short time which will be sold to the farmers at a reasonable price Any one wishing a supply of this will please let us know at once

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Ice Cream Parlor
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Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
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One Midland Automobile nearly new

Will trade for land or sell all or any of the above.

For a Bargain, Call on

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The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate

Insurance against fire, thieves, etc See them at once

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Many a husband and wife become so engrossed in their varied duties that they fail to realize that the first essential of a happy home is HEALTH.

The ailment that is most common and results in impairing the health of more families than any other malady is constipation and its train of disorders. For constipation, billousness, etc., you will find DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS safe, reliable and agreeable.

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Whenever your bowels are sluggish try DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS and notice how pleasantly they act and restore healthful regularity. They cost only a few cents a box. For sale by druggists everywhere.

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Thief River Falls
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and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

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The flu has broken out again in the Town of New Solum.

Who said Rene Werner was sick? He's as lively as a cricket.

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BENJAMIN M. AYRES,
Notary Public.

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The Idea.

"What is running in Jimps' magazine just now?"

"I think, too much fugitive poetry."

Keep clean inside as well as outside by taking a gentle laxative at least once a week, such as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

Had Heard Her Before.

"Doesn't her singing move you?"

"It did once, when I lived in the adjoining flat."

Freshen a Heavy Skin

With the antiseptic, fascinating Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented convenient, economical face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumes superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv.

It is better to be up with the lark than down with the measles.

Political fences are usually of the old-fashioned stake and rider pattern.

Spanish Influenza can be prevented easier than it can be cured.

At the first sign of a shiver or sneeze, take

HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

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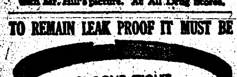

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Long List of Casualties as Result of Street Fighting in German Capital.

STRIKES CALLED OFF

Leipsic Difficulty Has Been Settled and Government Announces Severe Measures Will Be Taken Against Loafers.

London, March 11.—One thousand persons were killed or wounded in the fighting in Berlin last week, according to an estimate of the casualties made by the Wolff bureau, the leading news agency of Germany.

Leipsic Strike Settled.

Basel, Switzerland, March 11.—The Leipsic strike has been settled and order has been restored, the Frankfort Gazette announces. Minister Schwartz, the newspaper adds, has arrived in Leipsic and announced that severe measures will be taken against persistent idlers and that order will be maintained by the government.

Berlin Strike Terms Stated.

Berlin, March 11.—The conditions under which the Workingmen's council of Greater Berlin declared itself willing to approve the action of the Berlin federation of labor in adopting a resolution calling the strike off, have been announced. The conditions included the retirement of the volunteer regiments and the release of insurgents arrested during the strike. The council is the body dominated by the radicals which has been directing the strike.

Define Workingmen's Powers.

Weimar, March 11.—By a law to be passed immediately the powers and duties of the Workmen's councils which the government promised to create as a means of putting a stop to the strikes will be defined.

These councils will be the economic representatives of the workingmen. Each industry will have its industrial council which shall be consulted as to working conditions in all cases, while workingmen's associations will be created for the control and regulation of production and distribution in all branches of industry and trade. The members will be factory leaders, workers and employes, co-operating with the employers.

Employers to Help Run Plants.

District workmen's council chamber will be created for certain districts of the country and a central workmen's council for the empire. The members will be workmen of all sorts. Employers' council will assist in the process of socialization and control of the socialized plants and industries. All economic and social legislation must be submitted to them for approval and they will have the right to propose such legislation to the government.

COLD KEEPS WILSON INDOORS

President Follows Physician's Orders to Keep Quiet.

On Board U. S. S. George Washington, March 11.—President Wilson is suffering from a cold, and although it was less troublesome, he remained in his room the greater part of the time on the advice of Rear Admiral C. T. Grayson, his medical attendant, that he keep as quiet as possible.

The president is spending most of his leisure time on the voyage in reading.

The George Washington is expected to arrive at Brest Thursday and the president will proceed immediately to Paris. Various conferences are being arranged by wireless for him to take place Friday, March 14.

President Wilson expects to take up at once work of the most active order on his arrival in Paris. When the more important matters are disposed of he probably will take the promised trip to Belgium and the devastated regions of northern France.

100,000 YANKEES DISABLED

About 80,000 Soldiers Will Be Able to Return to Old Jobs.

Washington, March 11.—Present estimates of military authorities put the number of Americans disabled in the war at 100,000. Of this number, it is estimated that 80,000 will be able to return to their old occupations, leaving 20,000 who need retraining for work suited to their maimed condition.

Noted Sportsman Dead.

New York, March 11.—Martin Julian, who managed and seconded his brother-in-law, the late Bob Fitzsimmons, when he won the heavyweight championship from James J. Corbett at Carson City twenty years ago, died at his home in Brooklyn.

German Opera Stirs Gothan Ire.

New York, March 11. — Protest against the production of a season of German opera at the Lexington opera house was made to Governor Smith by the American Defense society, it is announced. "The United States is still at war with Germany," the letter declared, "and the worst abuse of the cause of Americanism is the systematic propaganda that has been made in this country for the glorification of Germany and German ideals." Action by the governor is awaited with much interest.

Weekly Health Talks

A Single Remedy Often Cures Many Diseases

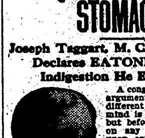
BY VALENTINE MOTT, M. D.

It is almost impossible to give a list of the endless diseases that follow indigestion. Perhaps a whole column in this newspaper would be required to print them all. You eat to keep alive—to supply blood and flesh and bone and muscle and brain. It is easy to see that if your food is not digested and taken up by the delicate organs and distributed where it is needed, a disease of some sort is sure to come. Dyspepsia is a common symptom, and so are liver complaint, loss of flesh, nervousness, bad memory, dizziness, sleeplessness, no appetite. Many times, when neglected, indigestion results in coughs, throat diseases, catarrh, bronchitis and even more dangerous things. And all these disorders arise because the food is not properly digested in the stomach. It is plain even to a child that relief and cure are to be had only by setting up a healthy condition in the stomach. Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., many years ago combined a number of vegetable growths into a temperance remedy for indigestion, and called it Golden Medical Discovery. It is probably the most efficacious discovery ever made in medicine, for the list of people all over the world who have had their countless ills overcome by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes an amazing total of thousands.

I know of no advice better than this: Begin a home treatment today with this good vegetable medicine. It will show you better than I can tell you what it will do. When taking Golden Medical Discovery, you can rest assured of one very important thing—it contains neither alcohol nor opiates. There is nothing in it but standard roots and herbs that possess curative properties of a high order. A safe medicine is the only kind you can afford to take.

U. S. CONGRESSMAN QUICKLY FINDS STOMACH RELIEF

Joseph Taggart, M. C., from Kansas, Declares EATONIC Best for Indigestion He Ever Used.



A congressman hears many arguments for and against different propositions. His mind is open to conviction, but before he casts his vote on any measure he insists upon evidence that, on its own weight, carries conviction.

In the case of "EATONIC" Joseph Taggart, Congressman from the 2nd District, Kansas City, Kans., decided that a trial of the remedy, itself, would furnish the most conclusive proof. Read his decision and do what he tells you.

"One box of EATONIC will convince the most skeptical. It is the best remedy I have ever tried for indigestion.

Respectfully,
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M. C. 2d Kan. Dist., Kan. City, Kans."

Nearly all stomach trouble is caused by too much acid in the stomach.

EATONIC neutralizes the excess acidity and enables you to eat what you like and digest what you eat in comfort. It keeps the stomach in a state of perfect health.

Here's the secret: EATONIC takes up the acidity, drives the gas out of the body—and the bloat goes with it. Costs only a cent or two a day to use it. Get a box today from your druggist.

Heal Itching Skins With Cuticura

All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 & 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

ICE MACHINES

For making ice and refrigeration for all purposes. Manufactured by
BAKER ICE MACHINE CO.
1911 Nicholas St. Omaha, Neb.

The Opposite Aim.

"Our doctor is making a specialty of reducing people's flesh."

"Then I bet he's got a fat job."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Its Sound.

"I am always on the qui vive when I motor."

"Is that a new make?"

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN FOR INDIGESTION

EAT ONE TABLET! NO GASES, ACIDITY, DYSPEPSIA OR ANY STOMACH MISERY.

Undigested food! Lumps of pain; belching gas, acids and sourness. When your stomach is all upset, here is instant relief—No waiting!

The moment you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapepsin all the indigestion pain and dyspepsia distress stops.

Your disordered stomach will feel fine at once.

These pleasant, harmless tablets of Pape's Diapepsin never fail and cost very little at drug stores. Adv.

Ideals create standards; standards determine moral action; and moral action leads to necessary law.

You cannot hurt anybody without hurting yourself.—Hayden.

Your Eyes **Granulated Eyelids,** Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggists or by mail 60c per Bottle. For Book of the Eye free write **Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.**

COURT UPHOLDS DEBS' SENTENCE

Conviction of Socialist Leader Sustained Unanimously by Highest Tribunal.

MUST SERVE 10 YEARS

Constitutionality of Enlistment Clause of Espionage Act of 1917 Is Upheld by Decision—Convicted on Ohio Speech.

Washington, March 11. — The supreme court has sustained the conviction of Eugene V. Debs, socialist leader, found guilty of violating the espionage act through statements made in a speech at Canton, Ohio, last June, and sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment.

In deciding the case the court in effect upheld the constitutionality of the so-called enlistment section of the espionage act of 1917. Debs had contended that this violated the constitutional right of free speech.

Court Ruling Unanimous.

The opinion of the court was unanimous.

As in the case of the espionage cases decided last week the supreme court in its opinion again made no specific ruling upon the constitutionality of the espionage act as a whole. The court based its opinion largely upon the part of the indictment charging obstruction of recruiting service, which was unanimously upheld.

Convicted Last Year.

The arrest of Debs took place June 30, 1918, at Cleveland, Ohio. He had been indicted for violating the espionage act by his speech at the Ohio socialist convention at Canton about two weeks before. He was tried in federal district court at Cleveland, before Judge D. C. Westenhaver.

Debs was indicted on four counts, charging him with the following acts:

"Caused and attempted to incite insubordination, disloyalty and mutiny and refusal of duty in the military and naval forces of the United States.

"Obstructed the recruiting and enlistment service.

"Provoked, incited and encouraged resistance to the government.

"Opposed the cause of the United States war with Germany."

Free Speech Plan Fails.

Debs, testifying in his own defense, admitted saying the things attributed to him, and relied solely on the constitutional guaranty of free speech.

"I have no dispute with the evidence presented by the government," he said. "I would not take back a word of what I believe right to save myself from the penitentiary.

"I deny nothing, I repudiate nothing, I retract nothing."

The jury found Debs guilty on three of the counts, and Sept. 14 sentence was imposed by Judge Westenhaver. He gave Debs 10 years on each of the three counts, but made the sentences run concurrently.

"I do not regard the idealism of the defendant as expressed by himself as any higher, purer, nobler than the idealism of thousands of young men I have seen marching down the streets of Cleveland to defend our country," said the judge in imposing sentence.

TO TRY GERMAN OFFICIALS

Peace Treaty Likely to Call for Surrender of Officers.

Paris, March 11.—The preliminary peace treaty, it is reported, probably will include a clause requiring Germany to turn over all officials found responsible for war crimes, to be tried by an international tribunal. If there is no other alternative, it is understood an international indictment will be published, branding Wilhelm as the world's greatest criminal, his punishment being limited to this historical document.

FOES EXPECT MEETING SOON

Preparing to Leave Berlin for Paris About March 19.

Berlin, March 11.—Preliminary peace negotiations may begin at Versailles about March 20, according to reports in circulation here. Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau the foreign minister, is arranging for a small party of prominent business men to accompany the German commissioners as experts. These men have been instructed to hold themselves in readiness for possible departure March 17 or March 19.

Thirty-five Hurt in Trolley Wreck.

Toledo, Ohio, March 11.—Thirty-five persons were injured, none fatally, it is believed, when a Toledo, Bowling Green & Southern traction car, southbound, collided with a Clover Leaf passenger train near here.

Want National Strike.

San Francisco, March 11.—Commercial telegraph operators of the district council, at a meeting here, adopted unanimously a resolution calling upon S. J. Konenkamp, international president, to order a vote on a national strike to enforce the demand that Postmaster General Burleson recognize the telegraphers' union. This announcement was made by P. C. O'Connor, president of the local district council, who added that the action was in line with that being taken in other cities.

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WRIGLEY'S
The Flavor Lasts
"AFTER EVERY MEAL"
WRIGLEY'S JUICY FRUIT CHEWING GUM
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PEPPERMINT

All three kinds sealed in air-tight, impurity-proof packages. Be SURE to get WRIGLEYS

Foresighted.

"Jack, dear, before our wedding, I wish you would see a doctor."

"Why should I? I am well, except for a touch of dyspepsia."

"That's just it. I'd like you to get a certificate from him which would show that your dyspepsia antedated our marriage."—Boston Transcript.

COUNT FIFTY! PAINS AND NEURALGIA GONE

Instant relief! Rub this nerve torture and misery right out with "St. Jacobs Liniment."

Rub this soothing, penetrating liniment right into the sore, inflamed nerves, and like magic—neuralgia disappears. "St. Jacobs Liniment" conquers pain. It is a harmless "neuralgia relief" which doesn't burn or discolor the skin.

Don't suffer! It's so needless. Get a small trial bottle from any drug store and gently rub the "aching nerves" and in just a moment you will be absolutely free from pain and suffering.

No difference whether your pain or neuralgia is in the face, head or any part of the body, you get instant relief with this old-time, honest pain destroyer—it can not injure.—Adv.

Respecting gray hairs is fair enough but not when you find one in the butter.

To be up to date nowadays you've gotta be about ten years ahead of the times.

A sunny temper gilds the edge of life's blackest cloud.

A man must stand erect, not be kept erect by others.—Marcus Aurelius.

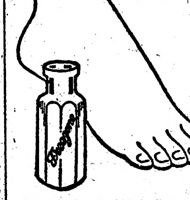
No Melba.

"Harry clapped his hands when I was singing."

"Over his ears?"—Boston Transcript.

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.

The Way of It.

"Madam, your husband footed the bill." "There! I knew he'd kick about it."

"Out of Torment and Misery to Comfort"

Headache
Neuralgia
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Colds
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Colds
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"Proved safe by millions"

Adults—Take one or two "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" with water. If necessary, repeat dose three times a day, after meals.

Holds the Faith of Medical Leaders!

20 cent Bayer packages—also larger Bayer packages. Buy Bayer packages only—Get original package.

Bayer-Tablets of Aspirin

The "Bayer Cross" on Genuine Tablets

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid

Who Benefits By High Prices?

You feel that retail meat prices are too high.

Your retailer says he has to pay higher prices to the packers.

Swift & Company prove that out of every dollar the retailer pays to the packers for meat, 2 cents is for packers' profit, 13 cents is for operating expenses, and 85 cents goes to the stock raiser; and that the prices of live stock and meat move up and down together.

The live-stock raiser points to rising costs of raising live stock.

Labor reminds us that higher wages must go hand in hand with the new cost of living.

No one, apparently, is responsible. No one, apparently, is benefited by higher prices and higher income.

We are all living on a high-priced scale. One trouble is, that the number of dollars has multiplied faster than the quantity of goods, so that each dollar buys less than formerly.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

SWIFT & COMPANY U.S.A.

Its Drawback.

"Madam you had better not wear that hat much in this dry town. We've not the location here."

"What has that to do with my hat?"

"I notice it is full of cocktails."

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP

Why use ordinary cough remedies when Boschee's Syrup has been used so successfully for fifty-one years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles? It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health. Made in America and sold for more than half a century.—Adv.

A little learning is a dangerous thing for the amateur skater.

Yes, Betty, all is fair in love—except brunettes.

No Posing for Josh.

"Your boy has proved a wonderfully industrious chap."

"Yes," replied Farmer Corntossel. "He never would let us have our own way. Now that his mother would be perfectly willing to have him do nothing but visit an' tell stories, he insists on bein' out where the real work is goin' on."

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

Easiest Way.

"How can you tell a dogwood tree?"

"Easily. By its bark."

The softer the road the harder it is to travel.

Western Canada's "Horn of Plenty" Offers You Health & Wealth
WESTERN CANADA
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Western Canada for years has helped to feed the world—the same responsibility of production still rests upon her. While high prices for Grain, Cattle and Sheep are sure to remain, price of land is much below its value.

Land capable of yielding 20 to 45 bushels of wheat to the acre can be had on easy terms at from $15 to $30 per acre—good grazing land at much less.

Many farms paid for from a single year's crop. Raising cattle, sheep and hogs brings equal success. The Government encourages farming and stock raising. Railway and Land Companies offer unusual inducements to Home Seekers. Farms may be stocked by loans at moderate interest. Western Canada offers low taxation, good markets and shipping; free schools, churches and healthful climate.

For particulars as to reduced railway rates, location of land, illustrated literature, etc., apply to Supt. of Immig., Ottawa, Can., or

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. Dak.;
K. Hadilland, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents

STATE BREVITIES

St. Paul.—Judge M. Brill has begun his forty-fifth year of service on the district court bench of Ramsey county. He became a district judge March 1, 1889.

Moorhead.—The Gruhl potato warehouse at Muskoda was burned and the estimated loss on building and contents is $12,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Brainerd.—The board of education re-elected W. C. Cobb as superintendent and approved the reports of the secretary and the treasurer for the periods ending Oct. 31 and Jan. 31.

St. Cloud.—The Ervin Milling company of this city has been working day and night on government business and this week received an especially large order for first grade flour.

Winona.—Footprints in the snow leading from a store at Haverhill, near here, led to the arrest of Ed Loveland, of that village. The store was burglarized of $100 worth of merchandise.

Aitkin.—The Methodist church officials of this village launched a drive this week to raise $[illegible],500 to pay the balance of the church debt. The church was erected four years ago at a cost of $15,000.

Bemidji.—The Bemidji Commercial club has made arrangements with N. L. Hakerup, the Bemidji photographer, to take photos of all returned Beltrami county soldiers, without cost to the soldier.

St. Paul.—Maj. B. O. Johnson, former Montana superintendent of the Northern Pacific railroad, has been promoted to be lieutenant-colonel of the Russian Railway Service corps, according to word received here.

Middle River.—Arthur Ellingsen of Middle River suffered a serious accident when a revolver he was handling accidentally was discharged, the bullet passing through his left hand and penetrating the bowels in thirteen places.

St. Paul.—The funeral of Alexander Dubeau, St. Paul pioneer and oldest Odd Fellow in Minnesota, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Downey, here, was held in St. Louis church, with burial in Calvary cemetery.

Alexandria.—William H. Hyland, a clothing merchant of Osakis, whose store was destroyed by fire last April, has been indicted by the grand jury on a charge of arson in the third degree. Hyland pleaded not guilty and gave bonds. He will appear for trial next Tuesday.

St. Paul.—Walter Egan, of Baudette, Minn., who recently was discharged after being wounded in action with the Thirtieth division, has assumed a temporary position in the state timber department under Supt. O. H. Diercke. His mother died at Baudette while he was overseas.

St. Paul.—Conrad Ernstung, Worthington, Minn., who was arrested as a subject for internment three months ago and held in the Ramsey county jail since that time, was released by the United States district attorney, after putting up $500 worth of Liberty Bonds as surety for his good behavior.

St. Paul.—A floral tribute was sent by state officials who were friends of the late Frank E. Wade of Fairmont, mayor of Fairmont and a member of the Republican state central committee. Secretary of State, Julius A. Schmahl, sent a message of condolence to Mrs. Wade on behalf of the officials.

Crookston.—Rev. Joseph Ressey, Catholic priest in charge of the parish at Warren, was burned to death in a fire that destroyed the parish house. The charred body was found by some of his parishioners who investigated when he failed to appear for mass Sunday. Explosion of an oil stove caused the blaze.

Moorhead.—The state highway commission has established one proposed state road in Clay County and refused indorsement of two others. State road No. 9, from Sabin south to the Wilkin county line, is the new road established by the state commission. This is part of the King of Trails, extending from the Gulf of Mexico to Winnipeg.

Crookston.—Under the provisions of the Smith-Hughes act in which United States government is granting aid to schools giving agricultural training, the Crookston school of agriculture and the state schools at St. Paul and Morris will receive aid according to U. G. Selvig of the Northwest School of Agriculture. Mr. Selvig returned from St. Louis and Chicago where he had been in attendance at meetings in the interest of agricultural colleges.

Minneapolis.—William C. Redfield, secretary of commerce, will be one of the principal speakers at the Better Business convention to be held at the Radisson hotel, in this city, March 19 and 20. Besides the main meetings there will be group conferences, entertainment features and visits to Mill City manufacturing plants. The convention is under the auspices of the Minneapolis Advertising Forum and the Minneapolic Civic and Commerce association. Several thousand delegates are expected from points in the Ninth Federal Reserve district.

St. Paul.—John Pelmeisl, Dan F. Reavy, judges, and D. W. Hammett, clerk, in the St. Paul city elections last May, were sentenced to indeterminate terms at the Stillwater prison by Judge J. C. Michel, in Ramsey county district court.

Stillwater.—"Hub" Miller, fisherman of South Stillwater, one day last week pulled in a number of nets in Lake St Croix opposite South Stillwater, at which time he was successful in landing about 1,000 pounds of rough fish, such as carp and sheepheads which he shipped to markets in Chicago and Milwaukee.

SAGE TEA BEAUTIFIES AND DARKENS HAIR

Don't Stay Gray! It Darkens So Naturally that Nobody can Tell.

You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost over night if you'll get a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, says a well-known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound to-night and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.—Adv.

Unfortunate.

"Jim is unfortunate. He got an automobile and it blew up."

"What did he do?"

"He got an airship, and it blew down."

FREE INFORMATION FOR HOMESEEKERS.

The U. S. Railroad Administration has assembled information regarding farm opportunities in the several states, and will furnish it to homeseekers free on request. The work will be done through the newly established homeseekers' bureau, headquarters in Washington.

"We are receiving about 1,000 letters a week from persons who wish to engage in farming," said J. L. Edwards, manager of the Agricultural Section of the U. S Railroad Administration. "The inquiries come from every state, asking about agricultural advantages in undeveloped territory. We furnish dependable data, and through our service many investors have been able to find just what they were looking for.

"Our information is put out in form of illustrated booklets, by states, sent to those sufficiently interested to write and tell us what kind of a farm project they have in mind, and naming the state the opportunities in which they desire to investigate. Homeseekers can find in the United States productive land at reasonable prices and on liberal terms, first-class markets, excellent transportation facilities, a satisfactory climate, and ideal living conditions. Now that the war is over, I look for a revival of farm development beyond that of any pre-war period." Correspondence from homeseekers is solicited. Address, Room 2000, Homeseekers' Bureau, U. S. Railroad Administration, Washington, D. C.—Adv.

Not for the Ailing.

"I am strong for this chafing dish stuff."

"Well, a fellow has to be strong for that."

Cole's Carbolisalve Quickly Relieves and heals burning, itching and torturing skin diseases. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Heals without scars. 25c and 50c. Ask your druggist, or send 25c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill., for a pkg. Adv.

About all you can do for a boy, worth while, is to give him something good to remember.

The man who considers his own faults has but little to say concerning the faults of others.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

A good many people long to be rich who don't know how to spend what they have properly.

The successful bird is the one who makes all his mistakes when no one is looking.

GUARANTEED TO SATISFY OR YOUR MONEY BACK
PATTERSON'S Tuxedo TOBACCO
SPECIALLY PREPARED FOR PIPE AND CIGARETTE
SUPERIOR PURE CHOCOLATE

"Your Nose Knows"

All smoking tobaccos use some flavoring. The Encyclopaedia Britannica says about the manufacture of smoking tobacco, "... on the Continent and in America certain 'sauces' are employed ... the use of the 'sauces' is to improve the flavour and burning qualities of the leaves."

Tuxedo uses *chocolate*—the purest, most wholesome and delicious of all flavorings! Everybody likes chocolate—we all know that chocolate added to anything as a flavoring always makes that thing still more enjoyable. That is why a dash of *chocolate*, added to the most carefully selected and properly aged burley tobacco, makes Tuxedo more enjoyable—

"Your Nose Knows"

Try This Test: Rub a little Tuxedo briskly in the palm of your hand to bring out its full aroma. Then smell it deep—its delicious, *pure fragrance* will convince you. Try this test with any other tobacco and we will let Tuxedo stand or fall on your judgment—

"Your Nose Knows"

Tuxedo

The Perfect Tobacco for Pipe and Cigarette

Guaranteed by
The American Tobacco Co.
INCORPORATED

Immediate Benefit.

"You must eat more simply."

"I know it. It will save me a lot of worry about the luxury tax."

There is no rhyme for silver, but it jingles with gold very nicely.

An old toper says the sweets of his are always mixed with the bitters.

How blindly we talk when we talk of trifles.—Mrs. Craik.

W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 11–1919.

WEAK KIDNEYS MEAN A WEAK BODY

When you're fifty, your body begins to creak a little at the hinges. Motion is more slow and deliberate. "Not so young as I used to be" is a frequent and unwelcome thought. Certain bodily functions upon which good health and good spirits so much depend, are impaired. The weak spot is generally the bladder. Unpleasant symptoms show themselves. Painful and annoying complications in other organs arise. This is particularly true with elderly people. If you only know how, this trouble can be obviated.

For over 200 years GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has been relieving the inconvenience and pain due to advancing years. It is a standard, old-time home remedy, and needs no introduction. It is now put up in odorless, tasteless capsules. These are easier and more pleasant to take than the oil in bottles.

Each capsule contains about one dose of five drops. Take them just like you would any pill, with a small swallow of water. They soak into the system and throw off the poisons which are making you old before your time. They will quickly relieve those stiffened joints, that backache, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gall stones, gravel, "brick dust," etc. They are an effective remedy for all diseases of the bladder, kidney, liver, stomach and allied organs.

GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules cleanse the kidneys and purify the blood. They frequently ward off attacks of the dangerous and fatal diseases of the kidneys. They have a beneficial effect, and often completely cure the diseases of the bodily organs, allied with the bladder and kidneys.

If you are troubled with soreness across the loins or with "simple" aches and pains in the back take warning, it may be the preliminary indications of some dreadful malady which can be warded off or cured if taken in time.

Go to your druggist today and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Money refunded if they do not help you. Three sizes. GOLD MEDAL are the pure, original imported Haarlem Oil Capsules. Accept No Substitutes.—Adv.

Proof that Some Women do Avoid Operations

Mrs. Etta Dorion, of Ogdensburg, Wis., says:

"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

How Mrs. Boyd Avoided an Operation.

Canton, Ohio.—"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well.

"My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them."—Mrs. MARIE BOYD, 1421 5th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

Every Sick Woman Should Try

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

Before Submitting To An Operation

LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. LYNN, MASS.

Mrs. Lindquist was a T. R. Falls visitor Wednesday.

Carl Christoferson went to Duluth last week Thursday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Martin Olson Seim returned here last week Thursday, from Madison, Wisconsin, where he had been employed for several months.

Shortly after the Andrew Ness family returned to their home in T. R. Falls last week, they were all taken sick with the flu. Mrs. Ness' sickness developed into pneumonia and she has been very sick but at last reports she was getting better.

Following are the officers of the Switchboard Company elected at the annual meeting: President. Aug. Nass, Treasurer P. A. Riesberg, Secy, T. B. Folden, Director for three years Fred Steinhauer. J. A. Sorum and August Nass are the hold over directors.

The Ladies of the Red Cross Society gave a farewell surprise party for Mrs. Lindahl at her home last Friday afternoon. There were a goodly number present and a good time was enjoyed by all. A set of silver teaspoons were presented to her as a token of esteem.

Mrs. Chas. Sandberg was the next subject upon whom the ladies bent their energies to surprise, on her birthday Wednesday afternoon, and by all indications it was a grand success. There were about forty ladies present in honor of the occasion and after serving a delicious lunch, the president presented in behalf of the Red Cross Society, three beautiful pieces of cut glass. The Society wishes Mrs. Sandberg many happy returns of the day.

Boy's Working Reserve.

As I have been appointed Enrolling Officer for Holt and rural community surrounding it, by Sherman Dickinson, Associate State Director of the U. S. Boy's working Reserve of the U. S. Department of Labor, I here by wish to make it known to all the boys in this community between the ages of 16 and 21, who are eligible for enrollment. This includes boys working on farms or in business with parents. Enrollment means that they promise to do some form of necessary work during vacation. There are no dues or obligations other then the above promise. All are expected to enroll whether or not they have secured jobs for the summer. All boys who have not enrolled by filling out enrollment card, please call on me for cards and enroll at once.

Hoping that all the boys will join the Reserve, either in the Agricultural or Industrial Units.

Martha M. Peterson
Enrolling Officec
U. S. Boys' Working Reserve.

Obituary

Sunday Feb. 23rd. Mrs. T. G. Dahl of Golden Valley received a message from Duluth that her only brother living, Carl P. A. Anderson was not expected to live and for her to come at once. Mrs. Dahl and son Selmer departed at once to be at the bed side of her sick brother whom she had not seen for twenty nine years. But our ways are not God's ways. Mr. Anderson had been called from this world.

Mr. Anderson was born on the 29th. of Sept. 1860 in Newberg Twp. near St. Ansgar Iowa. Was baptised Dec. 25th. by Rev. Clausen and confirmed in 1874 by Rev. J. Olsen and resided at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Olof Anderson until he grew up to manhood, when he went to N. Dak. where he was engaged in farming for several years.

Later years he has made his home at Duluth Minn. where he died of dropsy Feb. 24th. at 6 A. M. Mrs. Dahl arriving at Duluth 12 hrs. after her brother had passed away.

Mrs. Dahl brot the remains with her and the funeral was held at her home Friday Feb. 28th. at 2 o'clock and was laid to rest in the Golden Valley cemetery. Funeral services conducted by Rev. M. B. Ordahl of Holt.

Notice!

Anyone having rooms to paper this spring will do well to see my samples of wall paper and get my prices on same.

If you will let me know when you would like to have me call, I will be glad to do so, and show samples and give you a price on any or all of your rooms.

R. L. Adams

Walter Wegge went to T. R. Falls Wednesday.

R. Reierson will sell standing timber for a dollar a load. adv

Miss Jennie Folden went to T. R. Falls Monday returning home the next day.

Miss Abrahamson of Gatzke is visiting Mrs. Alfred Anderson and family this week.

Mr. Lindahl came up from Hazel one day last week to visit his son W. A. and family.

Miss Mabel Johnson visited Mrs. Edwin Peterson at Middle River a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson entertained P. L. Anderson, Ole Johnson, Carl Gustoferson, Elevena and Myrtle Sollom Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Israelson and daughter of Bronson, left Friday after a two weeks visit at her parental home. Mrs. H. Heinze and daughter Rosie accompanied her to Thief River.

Ladies Aid, west of Holt, will have a sale in the school house in district 68, out by P. Reierson's, on Saturday March 22, at 11 o'clock. Lunch will be served at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mickelson went to T. R. Falls Wednesday to visit their daughter Mrs. Racine Olson. Mr. Mickelson went on to Randen the following day.

While remitting for their paper one day last week, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Alkenbrack of Hopkins, took occassion to send greetings to all their old friends here. J. B. has been working all winter in one of the factories there and their children are busy with school duties. The whole family have been well all winter, which will be good news to their many friends.

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AUCTION SALE!

We will sell at public auction at Golden Valley P. O. and store on Section 15, Town of Mud Lake, on Saturday March 22, 1919

Saturday March 22

Sale begins at 11 o'clock Free Lunch at Noon

9 Head of Horses 9

Black mare 12 years old, wt. 1150
Bay mare 6 years old, weight 1000
Bay gelding 12 years old, wt. 1150
Bay gelding 7 years old, wt. 1200
Sorrel gelding 11 yrs old, wt. 1400
Black gelding 10 yrs old, wt. 1400
Black mare 8 years old, wt. 1200
Black gelding 3 years old, wt 1100
Black gelding 2 years old, wt 900

Farm Machinery, Etc.

6 foot Deering Binder nearly new
2 Deering Mowers 4 1-2 foot, in good shape
5 foot McCormick Mower in good shape
Hay rake 2 Hay Racks 3 section Drag
16 double disk drill good as new
14 disk Harrow 14 in J. Deere gang plow
14 in breaking plow on wheels 1000 lb. scale
16 in breaking plow nearly new Mandt sled
14 in walking stubble plow 9 in burr feed mill
14 in turf and stubble plow Post drill
Winner fanning mill Mandt wide tire wagon
Stoughton wide tire wagon Bob sled
Rock Island light wagon 2 pair horse blankets
3 1-2 sets work harness Home sawed lumber
Stoddard-Dayton 5 pass auto suitable for truck
12 gauge Winchester repeating shot gun, etc.

23 Head of Cattle 23

Red Poll Cow 8 years, fresh soon
R. P. Shorthorn cow 6 yrs, fresh
2 R. P. " " 3 " "
Red P " " 4 " "
2 R. P. " Heifers 3 yrs fresh soon
Red Poll Shorthorn Bull 3 yrs old
3-4 Shorthorn Cow 8 yrs coming fresh
Grade " " 3 " " "
" " Bull 1 year old
" " Heifer 3 years old
Red-white cow 6 yrs coming fresh
Red cow 4 years was fresh in Dec.
3 Yearling Heifers Yearling Bull
5 Calves Sow and 6 Pigs 4 Turkeys
Bred Sow due to farrow soon 15 Chickens
Rhode Island Red Rooster Some Potatoes

Grain and Machinery

800 bu barley 250 bu oats 800 lbs timothy
7 foot McCellean sled 15 gallon barrel churn
650 lb cap. U S cream separator, good as new
800 ft pure manilla hay rope 2 Grindstones
2 grindstone wheels Scythes garden tools, etc
2 1 man cross cut saws 2 1-2x10 jack screws
Singletrees, neckyokes Tank and tank heater
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Moe & Larson, Owners

Clarence Larson, Auctioneer Holt State Bank, Clerk

"The Camouflage of Shirley" will be given Friday March 28th, by a home talent company

Miss Ida Reierson went to T. R. Falls Tuesday to help care for her sister Mrs. Andrew Ness who has been very sick but is improving now.

A basket social will be held in school district No. 30 one mile north of Martin Jarshaw's, Saturday evening March 15th Girls bring basket, boys bring your pocket books A good time is assured Everybody welcome

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Hans Johnnie Paulsberg, a single man, Mortgagor, to the Holt State Bank, a corporation, Mortgagee, dated July 25th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of August, 1917, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 82 of mortgages on page 296.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of Eighty and no 100ths ($80.00) Dollars with interest thereon from the 25th day of November, 1918, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, together with the further sum of Forty-eight and no 100ths ($48.00) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of ten percent per annum from the 25th day of November, 1918, being the interest paid on a prior mortgage and which payment was due on the 25th day of November, 1918, and the further sum of Fifty-two and 2-100 ($52.02) Dollars, together with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 28th day of February, 1919, being the amount then paid for the 1917 real estate taxes, which were past due and delinquent, and which interest and tax payments were paid pursuant to the terms of the mortgage herein described making a total sum due on said mortgage at this date of One hundred eighty-three and 52-100 ($183.52) Dollars.

That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage is: The Southeast Quarter of Section No. Seven (7), in Township No. One Hundred fifty six (156) North of Range No. Forty [40], West of 5th P. M. situate in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosd by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 21st day of April, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the attorney's fee allowed by statute.

Dated March 4th, 1919.

Holt State Bank, Mortgagee.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.

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Dr. Gambell: phone 140

Mr. Loken and D. B. Bakke were business callers in town Wednesday.

Holt village elected the following officers, Tuesday:

For President
P. A Riesberg
For Treasurer
A L Carlson
For Clerk
H B Young
For Trustee
John O Johnson
For Assessor
B J Bakke
For Justices of Peace
Alfred Anderson
Joseph G Nelson
For Constables
Racine Olson
O J Backlund

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Charles W. Foss, a widower Mortgagor, to D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of March 1914, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 71 of Mortgages, on page 167.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, to W. H. Dempsey as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors by written assignment dated the 11th day of March 1914, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 18th day of May, 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 592.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said W. H. Dempsey, as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank by written assignment dated the 15th day of February 1919, and recorded on the 20th day of February 1919, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 86 of Mortgages page 237, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North Half of the Southeast quarter (N1-2 SE1-4) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section One (1) in Township One Hundred Fifty Six (156) North of Range Forty Two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty Six and sixty eight hundredths acres, more or less according to United States Government Survey thereof, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 21st day of April 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's Fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 4th A. D. 1919.

Holt State Bank
Assignee of Mortgage
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Warren, Minn.

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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The Holt Weekly News

Successor to and Continuation of
The Northern Light
By The
Holt Publishing Company

Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140

Miss Luella Johnson is on the sick list.

Ole Hamernes went to Canada on business Monday.

Mrs. Willie Werner was a Thief River Falls visitor Monday.

On Sunday March 30th all clocks are to be set ahead one hour.

Mrs. Fred Peterson was a T. R. Falls visitor Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Hans Knutson went to Middle River Saturday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Albin Ahlborn came from Minneapolis Saturday to visit home folks.

J. J. Little came up from Madison last week to look after business interests.

P. Anderson returned to Holt from visiting his sister at Gilby, N. D. Monday.

Miss Maud Adams of Dugdale is visiting her brother R. L. Adams and family this week.

S. Reierson visited his daughter Mrs. Andrew Ness and family at T. R. Falls Saturday and Sunday.

Peterson Bros. of Madison moved here this week onto the farm they recently purchased of J. J. Little.

Mrs. Effie and Lowell Christianson of Fertile came Saturday to visit their sister Mrs. Henry Olen and family.

Bergman Folden returned home last week from Crookston where he had been taking a course in engineering.

Eliel Sorter of Wannaska, Minn. has been visiting relatives near here a few days, returning to his home Friday.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain on Thursday March 27th in the church basement. Everybody invited.

The auction sale in Dist. No. 68 is postponed until later date on account of so much sickness in the surrounding country.

Mrs. Lewis Wegge and son Dennis returned home yesterday from a weeks visit at the home of the former's daughter in Crookston.

Geo. Fitch returned to Minneapolis last Tuesday after enjoying a visit with his parents and other relatives. His family will follow later.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Werner returned to their home in T. R. Falls Tuesday after enjoying a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. Riesberg.

The basket social held at the Wilson school house Dist. No. 152 on Saturday evening March 15th. was a grand success. The amount taken in was $63.65

A birthday surprise party was given Johnnie Sollom Friday night. The evening was spent in games and a general good time was reported. May Johnnie have many happy returns of the day.

K. Brown has made a deal with Chas. Haggland for the latters 40 acre place east of town. This land joins the 80 Mr. Brown recently purchased of Nils Ness and will make him a good farm.

Army and Navy News

Peter J. Bjerken came up from his home at Mahnomen Friday, and after a short visit here will return home with his wife and baby.

Ed. Bjerk returned home Monday from overseas. All his friends are glad to have Ed. home again safe and sound.

Lowell Christenson, a soldier recently returned to his home at Fertile from 18 months overseas service, came Saturday to visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. J. Olen and family.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Take Notice

Sealed bids will be received by the Town Board of Holt up to 1 o'clock P. M. Mar. 31 for dragging the following roads:

Between Sections 25 and 36, 26 and 35, 27 and 34, 28 and 33, and Sections 29 and 32, 30 and 31, and Sections 17 and 20, 18 and 19, and Sections 7 and 18, 8 and 17, 9 and 16, and Sections 10 and 15, 11 and 14, 1 and 2, Sections 25 and 26, 23 and 24, 13 and 14, and on range line between Holt and East Valley.

State price wanted per mile traveled. Send all bids to the Town Clerk.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By Order of Town Board,
T. B. Folden, Town Clerk.
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

B. Dokken went to T. R. Falls last week to have dental work done.

Elon Nauman of Craig, Mo. returned home Tuesday after spending a few days at Rollis and Golden Valley.

Mrs. Albert Huseth came Monday from Greenbush to visit at the Henry Olen home, returning the next day.

Miss Nelson of T. R. Falls came Wednesday to assist the young people with their play "The Camouflage of Shirley.

Iver Engebretsen who has been very sick with pneumonia, is up again and able to be around, we are glad to report.

Mrs. Aug. Kuehne who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Albin Knauf and family in T. R. Falls for several days, returned home Saturday.

The three months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Olson and the baby of Mr. and Mrs. Follet Tunheim's have the diptheria and the homes are under quarantine. At last report they were getting along nicely.

Miss Nellie Nelson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Nelson, died at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon from pneumonia at her home seven and a half miles S. W. from Holt. The News extends sympathy to the sorrowing family.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Southeast of Holt.

The Ladies Aid of the Synod church will have an auction sale at the Gerustein Knutsen home on Sat. Mar. 22nd. Sale commences at 2 o'clock followed by a basket social and lunch. All are cordially invited to attend.

Two Evangelists have been holding services at the Groven school house the past week with very good services and attendance.

R. Storm came down from Virginia Minn. last week and will commence farming as soon spring arrives which we hope will be soon.

Mrs. Ingeborg Brokke passed away at her home in T. R. Falls last week. Mrs. Brokke was well known in this vicinity having resided here a number of years.

Telephone Notice

Notice is hereby given that the Telephone Central will hereafter be closed at (8) eight o'clock P. M. on Sundays and Holidays, also that only sick calls are to be answered after the office is closed and that on three separate rings for central.

The holidays to be observed are: Memorial Day (May 30), Fourth of July, Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Years.

August Nass
President Switchboard Co.

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R. L. Adams

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Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants will meet Saturday at 11 o'clock. Services in the Wilson school house Golden Valley 11 o'clock Sunday and at East Valley school at 3 o'clock. All are welcome.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Golden Valley News

The Golden Valley Congregation had a box social in the Wilson school house Saturday evening March 15th.

The money received was $65.65 which goes toward building a church

Mrs. Anne Bergum's sale was attended by a good size crowd and a good price was received for all thing sold.

Mrs. T. C. Dahl returned to her home the fore part of the week after taking care of her daughter-in-law and little grandson Russell Charles Dahl since the 8th of Mar.

The young people in the vicinity surprised Bernard Larson at his home near Golden Valley Sunday evening. All present had a royal good time.

Miss Ragna Larson of near Holt is visiting relatives and friends at Golden Valley.

Herbert Johnson was a business caller in Holt last Tuesday.

Miss Gladys Sorum of near Holt is assisting Mrs. Olaf Dahl with her house work.

Paul Petterson was a business caller in Holt last Saturday.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Home talent play "The Camouage of Shirley", March the 28th.

Elizabeth Newton and Martha Peterson were in T. R. Falls Friday.

Miss Mabel, Tina, Lida Johnson and Hilda Berg visited at the Mickelson home over Sunday.

Alfred Newton and Albert Rassmusson came up from McIntosh Saturday to visit friends over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Werner moved off from Mr. Little's farm last Friday and since then Mr. Werner has been assisting with the work at his parental home while the folks have been sick with the flu.

A basket social will be given at Ringbo school district 58, on March 22nd. Ladies please bring baskets and cups for two. You are all invited. Mabel Knutson, teacher.

Don't forget date.

Holt Public School Benefit Home Talent Play

"The Camouflage of Shirley"

M. W. A. Hall, Holt, March 28

8 P. M. Matinee 2 P. M.

Cast of Characters

Molly, A Waitress		Gladys Flak
Captain Clay Calhoun, Of Kentucky		Renie Werner
Lieutenant William Joseph Wayne, The Groom		R. L. Adams
Annette Richmond Wayne, The Bride		Agnes Bakke
Shirley Carlisle, Who Wins a Service Pin		Elisabeth Newton
Jennie, Who is Something of a Mystery		Amanda Mickelson
Whitney Charlton, "Captain Scheppel"		Thorval Kolden
Ruth Hoyt, Who Supplies Literature to the Training Camp		Martha M. Peterson
Nell Chandler, Who Knits		Luella Johnson
Rose Ross, Who Allows Herself to be Loved		Mayme Flak
Mary Lou Lester, Who is Tired of Being a Stay-at-Home,		Helen Johnson
Neil Rutherford, A Slacker		Ernest Phillipson
Mrs. Richmond, Annette's Mother		Palma Johnson
Hal Winton	Guests	Clarence Swan
Walter Warren		Selmer Reierson
Jack Miller		Ole C. Johnson
Bob Bartlett		Olai Sovde
Bettina, Annette's Young Sister		Alice Swan

Time—Afternoon and Evening of 1918 Place—A Summer Resort
Time of Playing—Two Hours and Fifteen Minutes
Act I A tea room Five o'clock in the afternoon
Act II A deserted cabin Seven-thirty in the evening
Act III A sun parlor On toward midnight

Synopsis

Act I A gallant Captain who scorns a lady love; a bride and groom of two weeks; an impulsive Shirley who picks a name at random, announces an engagement and brings complications upon herself. A mysterious signaling, a mysterious Jeanne Dupriez, a mysterious waitress who faints—without warning.

Act II Rain, thunder and lightning. An unexpected entrance of Captain Calhoun just as the game of "Hunt-the-envelope" proves a bit strenuous, results in the desired document changing hands. A signal is flashed—and a revolver is pointed "in the name of the law."

Act III The entering guests are greeted with a remarkable story. The slacker disappears—forever—and Jennie beomes Jeanne. Bettina's interview with the "soldier man" results in further complications—but Cupid is victorious over Mars.

Evening gowns furnished thru courtesy The Sapero Co., Thief River Falls

Insure Your Auto

The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate

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Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

East Valley school district 148 took in $36.00 at their basket social. The money will be used for the benefit of the school.

The Free Mission Young People Society will again meet on Sunday afternoon March 30th. A good lunch will be served. These young people are working to raise money to fix up the basement.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellestad had the wind taken out of their sails Saturday evening when 50 of their friends and neighbors scooped down upon them in the form of a surprise party. T. E. dident know whether he was afoot or horseback but we are glad to say he survived the shock and he and wife were greatly pleased over the pleasant evening their friends gave them.

Hereafter the telephone office will be closed at (8) eight o'clock on Sunday evening instead of (9) nine o'clock as formerly.

Holt Cafe!

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The Local Market

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Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 18
Wheat No. 2	2 03
Wheat No. 3	1 99
Wheat No. 4	1 95
Flax	3 33
Oats	50
Barley	63 to 71
Rye	1 42
Flour, Best Patent	6 20

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McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
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Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 98

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Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

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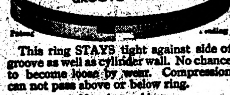

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What a Compliment!

At a meeting of a board of guardians a member was welcomed back after a long illness. The chairman, in the course of his speech, said:

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GRANDMA USED SAGE TEA TO DARKEN HAIR

She mixed Sulphur with it to Restore Color, Gloss, Youthfulness.

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant. Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, streaked or gray. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound at any drug store all ready for use. This is the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients.

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GRANT BECOMES PRINCIPAL CAMP

Soldiers From the Northwest Will Be Sent There for Demobilization.

DODGE WILL BE CLOSED

Change in War Department Plans May Hinder Minneapolis Arrangements to Welcome the Rainbow Division.

Minneapolis, March 18.—According to press dispatches from Rockford, Ill., all Minnesota soldiers will be demobilized at Camp Grant and Camp Dodge apparently will be closed as a center of demobilization, under new orders just issued by the war department.

Camp Grant is scheduled to be the point where soldiers in 12 states are discharged, according to the orders. Besides Minnesota, they are North and South Dakota, Wisconsin, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Missouri, Ohio and Kentucky.

Dodge Not in List.

Northwest men have been demobilized in large numbers at Camp Dodge since the armistice was signed, but under the new orders it may be abandoned, since the camp is not mentioned in the list of demobilization centers. Besides Camp Grant, the following camps are mentioned: Devens, Upton, Sherman, Dix, Lee, Jackson, Gordon, Pike, Funston, Bowie, Travis and Bliss, in addition to Fort Oglethorpe.

Under the ruling, the dispatches state, Camp Grant will become the large demobilization camp in the country, and Camp Devens, near Boston, will be the only one that will approach it in discharge activity, although only four state will contribute to that camp. The personnel staff at Camp Grant, it was stated, is preparing to handle 60,000 men monthly, if necessary, and believes that it will be able to care for all demands that will be made upon it under the enlarged program.

May Upset Welcoming Plans.

If the demobilization revision is made, the Minneapolis welcome for the 151st field artillery in the Rainbow division may be hindered, James F. Ells, chairman of Mayor Meyers' citizen welcoming committee, said. Local citizens are planning the welcome for the 151st on the assurance of the War department that the organization will be routed to Camp Dodge for discharge, stopping in Minneapolis for the celebration.

"The new orders," he said, "seem to indicate that the regiment may be demobilized at Camp Grant. In that case many men in the unit would not come to Minneapolis and we could not have a welcome for the regiment as a whole.

"Until definite word about the change is received, however, we will proceed on the assumption that the 151st will be demobilized at Camp Dodge."

REQUIRE BIG GOLD DEPOSIT

Allies Then Will Deliver Food Supplies to Germany.

Copenhagen, March 18.—Germany, in consideration of a deposit of 11,000,000 pounds in gold at Brussels, will receive an immediate delivery of 270,000 tons of foodstuffs, according to a Berlin version of the agreement entered into between the German delegates and representatives of the Allied powers of Brussels.

Germany will further be entitled to purchase monthly 370,000 tons of food in enemy and neutral countries, besides fish from European waters, and vegetables. The restriction of fishing in the Baltic will be removed.

VETERANS WILL ORGANIZE

American Officers and Enlisted Men Forming War Society.

Paris, March 18.—Five hundred officers and enlisted men of the American Expeditionary forces have taken the first action here toward the formation of an association of veterans of the world war similar to the Grand Army of the Republic.

A caucus was called to design the machinery for a national convention in America next year and the election of delegates to the convention from the forces now in France.

Lieutenant Colonel Roosevelt is arranging for a caucus in the United States April 12.

Merrimac Engineer Dies.

Portsmouth, Va., March 18.—Elsberry V. White, who was assistant engineer of the Confederate ironclad Virginia, or Merrimac, during the Merrimac-Monitor battle in Hampton Roads in 1862, died here at the age of 80.

Elks' $150,000 Aids Heroes.

Washington, March 18.—Contribution of $150,000 by the Elks' war relief commission for extension of the work of vocational training of disabled soldiers, sailors and marines is announced by the Federal board for vocational education, with the statement that if necessary further financial assistance will be given. Fifty thousand dollars of the fund will be lent to disabled men so they may be placed in training immediately with proper maintenance.

A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN

Miss Kelly Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.

Newark, N. J.—"For about three years I suffered from nervous breakdown and got so weak I could hardly stand, and had headaches every day. I tried everything I could think of and was under a physician's care for two years. A girl friend had used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and she told me about it. From the first day I took it I began to feel better and now I am well and able to do most any kind of work. I have been recommending the Compound ever since and give you my permission to publish this letter."—Miss FLO KELLY, 476 So. 14th St., Newark, N. J.

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NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH

Apply Cream in Nostrils To Open Up Air Passages.

Ah! What relief! Your clogged nostrils open right up, the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, mucous discharge, headache, dryness—no struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh is gone.

Don't stay stuffed up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid.—Adv.

Matter of Principle.

"You haven't given much advice lately."

"No," replied Senator Sorghum, "I'm definitely opposed to all useless giving."

Stop the Pain.

The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolisalve is applied. It heals quickly without scars. 25c and 50c by all druggists. For free sample write The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Adv.

To climb steep hills requires slow pace at first.—Shakespeare.

It's an ill wind that doesn't show a neat set of ankles.

Look out for Spanish Influenza.

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Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

SMOKING TOBACCO FACTS FROM THE ENCYCLOPAEDIA

The Use of Flavorings Determines Difference in Brands

The Encyclopædia Britannica says about the manufacture of smoking tobacco: "... on the Continent and in America, certain 'sauces' are employed ... the use of the 'sauces' is to improve the flavour and burning qualities of the leaves." Which indicates that a smoker's enjoyment depends as much upon the flavoring used as upon the tobacco.

Your nose is a sure guide in the matter of flavorings. Try this simple test with several tobacco brands: pour some tobacco into your palm, rub briskly, and smell. You will notice a distinct difference in the fragrance of every brand. The tobacco that smells best to you will smoke best in your pipe, you can rest assured.

Carefully aged, old Burley tobacco, plus a dash of pure chocolate, gives TUXEDO Tobacco a pure fragrance your nose can quickly distinguish from any other tobacco. Try it and see.

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surprisingly soon, throat inflammation disappears, irritation is relieved and throat tickling stops, when you use reliable, time-tested

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EARLY PEACE MOVE HALTED

League of Nations Covenant May Become Part of First Treaty With Foe.

CHANGES CONSIDERED

Safeguarding Monroe Doctrine and Other Amendments to Meet the Views of Different Allies May Be Incorporated.

Paris, March 18.—Something has happened at the peace conference since President Wilson returned. The "speeding up" program for obtaining immediate peace with Germany through the preliminary peace pact has been sidetracked.

After lying dormant for a month during the president's absence the old League of Nations covenant is being brushed up and shows signs of life. The interest has suddenly switched from making peace to revamping the League of Nations covenant.

House Confers With Allies.

Efforts are being directed to shape the covenant so as to insure its acceptance by the supreme council and win the approval of those Americans who are demanding its amendment.

Colonel House conferred with Lord Robert Cecil, Leon Bourgeois, and the American delegates and reported to President Wilson. It is conceded that some of the suggested amendments can safely be adopted, for instance, those safeguarding the Monroe doctrine and fixing conditions which will permit of the adherence of the late enemy powers.

Early Peace Moves Checked.

It seems that the whole speeding up campaign for an early peace next month is shattered, as with the covenant not even accepted yet by the Allied and associated powers, and with the neutrals yet to be heard from, there is small chance that it can be made palatable for everyone and revised coincidentally with the date tentatively set for the completion of the preliminary peace terms, March 20.

One of the five powers had hesitated to accept a distinct impression of the right of secession from the league.

Leaders' Absence Causes Delay.

This is not the first occasion time has been wasted through the absence of the leaders.

While Lloyd George was in London, Marshal Ferdinand Foch and the Allied military men drew up military terms allowing the German army between 250,000 and 300,000 conscripted men. But the moment Lloyd George arrived he upset the proposition by putting over a scheme reducing their forces to 100,000 men on 12 year enlistments. Had Lloyd George communicated to the peace conference his views before coming to Paris again, several days might have been saved.

SPAIN IN FAVOR OF LEAGUE

Makes Reservation as to Reduction of Armament, However.

Madrid, March 18.—A committee appointed by the government to study Spanish participation in the league of nations has submitted a report to the cabinet. The government indorses President Wilson's proposals, but reserves its decision as to reduction of armaments and the fixing of military forces by members of the league.

It is understood the government will ask definite assurances as to the Spanish coast line, protectorates in Africa and the suitability of military service as social discipline for Spain.

PEACE ONLY ON 14 POINTS

Erzberger Says They Are Only Terms on Which Germany Will Sign.

Copenhagen, March 18.—If the Allies load the peace treaty with conditions going beyond President Wilson's 14 points, the German national assembly will have to refuse its assent to the treaty, Mathias Erzberger, head of the German armistice commission, declared in an address at a Berlin meeting in favoring the formation of a real League of Nations, according to a dispatch. The matter then would be left to a referendum of the German nation, he said.

SAYS GOOD-BYE TO RAINBOWS

Pershing Reviews and Addresses 20,000 Men of Division.

Coblenz, March 18.—General J. J. Pershing has said goodby to the boys of the 42d Division. In a farewell address to the troops of the Rainbow unit, who are preparing to start for home the first week in April, the American commander-in-chief wished them all good luck in the peaceful occupations into which they will go on the other side of the Atlantic.

To Disband Medical Corps.

Washington, March 18.—Dissolution on April 1 of the volunteer medical service corps, with its membership of more than 56,000 physicians, is announced by the Council of National Defense, under which the corps was organized. The names of all physicians whose applications for membership were approved will be turned over to the surgeon general of the public health service and thus will be accessible should need for their services arise in the future.

GIRLS! LOTS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

A small bottle of "Danderine" makes hair thick, glossy and wavy.

Removes all dandruff, stops itching scalp and falling hair.

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If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this. Adv.

Auto Exhaust Causes Pneumonia.

Glaistner, who is recognized as a leading British authority on gas poisons, contends that one of the effects of carbon monoxide upon the human system is to cause a pronounced susceptibility to pneumonia, and he has presented a good deal of evidence in support of his contention.

Automobile engine exhaust fumes always contain this insidious poison. The warning conveyed is obvious.

Builders of most air castles live next to the roof.

Many a self-made man had a woman to finish the job.

AFTER INFLUENZA—WINTER COLDS—BAD BLOOD

You are pale, thin, weak—with little vitality. Your liver is sluggish and the bad blood causes your stomach muscles to lose their elasticity and become flabby and weak—then indigestion.

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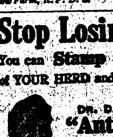

Winona, Minn.—"About five years ago I had an attack of ptomaine poisoning and afterward my blood was in very bad condition. I tried a great many "so-called" tonics but felt no better until a friend suggested my trying a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which gave me immediate relief. It is surely an excellent tonic, does not purge and is not objectionable to the taste. I was living in England when I first took the 'Golden Medical Discovery'. Have since been around the world and always carried a bottle of the 'Discovery' right with me. I would not be without it and am only too pleased to be able to recommend it."—*Walter H. Dunston, Willow Farm, R. F. D. 2.*

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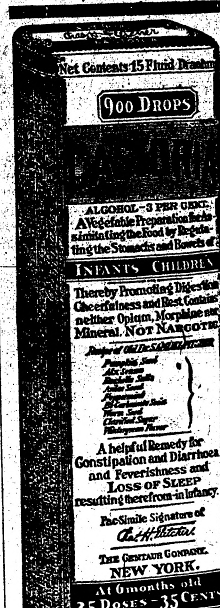
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Kanaka Language Going.

Is the Kanaka tongue to become extinct? This is the question the elder Hawaiians are asking themselves, and all they can see is an affirmative answer. The children go to the American schools and are taught in English. It has become the language of the childhood of Hawaii, and they are rapidly forgetting the language of their fathers, which they first learned to speak.

One old Hawaiian bewailed the fact that his grandson, aged fifteen years, who visited an elderly uncle on another island, was unable to talk with the latter, because he knew only his native tongue and the child had forgotten it and could speak only in English.

The Japanese and Chinese have schools where they teach their progeny their native tongues, but the nation of Hawaiians has no government to maintain such schools, and the United States has not established any nor provided any course in the native language in the American schools.

The younger generation minds it not at all, but the elders are sad.

The Husband Reformer.

"I hear their marriage did not turn out happily."

"No," she married him to reform him."

"Well?"

"Well, he was one of the hardest ice cream soda water drinkers in the country."—Portland Express.

His Nibs.

"There goes his nibs, my boss."

"Is that a respectful way to speak of your employer?"

"It's all right in his case. He manufactures pens."

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AS YOU THINK SO YOU ARE

Much Wisdom in Little One's Idea of the Way in Which Success May Be Won.

Aunt Marie was discouraged. She had just applied for a situation and her application had not been successful. "I just told myself before I went up that I wouldn't get it," she told her family. "I always have the worst luck."

Her ten-year-old niece looked up from her game. "You shouldn't have said that, Aunt Marie," she said earnestly. "I believe that's the reason you didn't get it. Why, auntie, when we girls play 'Hands Held Open' I always watch and see that the girl who gets the button when it's passed is the girl who holds her hands just right to get it, and who looks just like she was sure she was going to get it. So I always just fix my hands in just the right way, and then I look exactly like I expected it, and if I do that way I do get it. Maybe that's the way you'd better do about getting a job."

Auntie thought the matter over and decided that perhaps after all that was a good way to do.

Surely Looked Suspicious.

Old Jenkins was mad with rage. For twelve months he had taken the plate around at the local church every Sunday. Now someone else had been asked to perform the duty.

"I consider I have been grossly insulted," he said to a friend.

"But," said the latter, "I don't think there is any bad feeling toward you."

"I don't know about that," roared Jenkins, "but it looks very suspicious. The fellow they have asked to do the job has only got one arm."—Winnipeg Telegram.

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STATE BREVITIES

Stillwater.—A. C. Sempel has purchased the A. D. Wilcox farm of fifty-two acres west of the Stillwater town hall for $6,000.

St. Cloud.—Ernest Osborne, living two miles east of Bock, was killed by a train near Bock. Trainmen believe it a case of suicide.

Bemidji.—Harry Taylor, foreman of the logging camp of the Bemidji Manufacturing company at Spur, 15, near Puposky, is at the hospital suffering from a badly smashed foot and other injuries received at the camp.

Brainerd.—Corporal George S. McDonald, of the marines, was instantly killed in action on Sept. 15, 1918, in the St. Mihiel sector in France. He was the son of Mrs. Helen McDonald and a brother of Mrs. F. E. Ebner.

Moorhead.—Four all day farmers' short course meetings will be held in Clay county during the last week of March under the auspices of the Farm bureau assisted by speakers from the agricultural extension department, the Northwest School of Agriculture and the educational department of the International Harvester company.

Moorhead.—Clay county banks reported sales of War Savings Stamps for the three months, ending Feb. 28, aggregating $5,529.19. County Chairman James A. Garrity states that the Kragnes State bank led in the sales with $1,141.24; the Dilworth State, second with $987, and the Farmers' and Merchants of Hawley, third, with $813.46.

Duluth.—One hundred and sixty "iron men" found their way into the coffers of the police court in one day as the result of work on the part of the New Duluth police following the opening of the saloon and liquor houses in the town of Oliver. Eighteen men were arrested and tabulated as plain drunks, of whom sixteen put up $10 bail each.

Northfield.—President Donald J. Cowling of Carleton college, has left for the east, and will spend three days in Washington in the work of the American Council of Education, of which he is president. He will remain a week in New York in the interests of the $5,000,000 Pilgrim Memorial fund, of which nearly $1,000,000 has already been raised.

Crookston.—O. S. Omdahl, 55 years old, a former resident of Fisher, died in an ambulance in Crookston, while being taken to a local hospital for treatment. He was at Erskine and on being taken ill came to Crookston. Before arriving he became violently ill and an ambulance was ordered to meet the train. The sick man was being hurried to a hospital when he died.

Pine River.—Local business men considering plans for a soldiers memorial which met with such a unanimous favor that a committee was appointed to call a meeting very soon when some definite action will be taken. It is proposed that a stock company be formed and shares are to be sold to the amount of $5,000 or $6,000 with which it is estimated a playhouse can be erected that will serve for all purposes for many years to come.

Duluth.—Organized anarchist and I. W. W. propaganda is being carried on among the workers of the McDougall-Duluth ship yards here. Hundreds of small pamphlets addressed to "Fellow workers in the shipbuilding industry" have been circulated in Duluth and Superior by members of the red flag organization. Speaking of the American Federation of Labor, the pamphlet declares that it is an organization of unionism for the "bosses."

Crookston.—For the first time in 30 years Polk county is free from debt. The county auditor has just paid a $20,000 bond issue taken out in 1889. As the bonds were issued at the time Red Lake county was part of this county, it is said that Red Lake owes Polk $2,541.26 plus $127.06 in interest as its share of the payment. Whether or not Pennington county, which was later taken from Red Lake county, will reimburse the latter, is not known.

St. Paul.—Motley voters at the town election voted new officials into office and then voted them out again all on the same ballots. Motley village is in Motley township in Morrison county. At the election, village and town separation was voted on, and town officers were elected, village officials having been chosen at a separate election. When the ballots were counted it was found that candidates living in the village were elected to town offices, also that separation had carried and those officers were disqualified as a result.

Eveleth.—City Clerk C. H. Williams says that the city now has 10,000 cords of wood on hand at the city wood yard which is being sold to citizens at moderate prices, enough to pay the cost of handling. During the winter 4,000 cords were sold. Twelve-inch dry tamarack wood is now being sold at $2.50 per cord, 14-inch dry tamarack at $2.75, 12-inch dry birch at $2.75 and 16-inch green birch at $3.25. At the present rate there is enough wood on hand to meet the supply for the remainder of the winter and all next summer.

Crookston.—Championship of the Ninth district in the state debating league was settled at Fergus Falls, when the Crookston high school team defeated Fergus Falls by a two-to-one decision. This is the third victory for Crookston.

International Falls.—Louis Arseneau of Ranier came here and entered a plea of guilty to the charge of selling liquor illegally. No charge had been preferred against him, but evidence introduced at the inquest of a Finn killed south of Ranier caused Arseneau to decide to come and pay a fine and costs.

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels needs a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhœa, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

A Real Memory Test.

"Is his memory good?"

"Don't know. I've never tested it by lending him money."

SPRAINS! RUB PAINS AND SWELLING AWAY

Don't suffer! Go about your duties—Relief comes the moment you Apply "St. Jacobs Liniment."

Don't stay crippled! Rub this soothing, penetrating liniment right into the sprain, ache or strain, and out comes pain, soreness, stiffness and swelling.

Nothing else penetrates, heals and strengthens the injured muscles, nerves, tendons and ligaments so promptly. It doesn't burn or discolor the skin and can not cause injury. Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle from any drug store now—limber up! Rub the misery right out. A moment after "St. Jacobs Liniment" is applied you can not feel the slightest pain or soreness, and you can go about your regular duties.

"St. Jacobs Liniment" conquers pain. It has been used effectively for sprains, strains, soreness and stiffness for 60 years—six gold medal awards.—Adv.

It is the pleasantest life when you don't have to put any of your friends "to the test."

Out of Pain to Comfort!
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MERCY'S GIFT

For Pain
Headache
Toothache
Earache
Rheumatism
Lumbago

BAYER

Colds
Grippe
Influenzal-Colds
Stiff Neck
Joint Pains

Adults—Take one or two "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" with water. If necessary, repeat dose three times a day, after meals.

Ask for and Insist Upon

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin"

American owned—Entirely!

20 cent Bayer packages—also larger Bayer packages.
Buy Bayer packages only—Get original package.

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid

That Was All.

First Tramp—I had two meals today.

Second Tramp—That so?

First Tramp—Yes; cornmeal and oatmeal.

Lives 200 Years!

For more than 200 years, Haarlem Oil, the famous national remedy of Holland, has been recognized as an infallible relief from all forms of kidney and bladder disorders. Its very age is proof that it must have unusual merit.

If you are troubled with pains or aches in the back, feel tired in the morning, headaches, indigestion, insomnia, painful or too frequent passage of urine, irritation or stone in the bladder, you will almost certainly find relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This is the good old remedy that has stood the test for hundreds of years, prepared in the proper quantity and convenient form to take. It is imported direct from Holland laboratories, and you can get it at any drug store. It is a standard, old-time home remedy and needs no introduction. Each capsule contains one dose of five drops and is pleasant and easy to take. They will quickly relieve those stiffened joints, that backache, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gall stones, gravel, "brick dust," etc. Your money promptly refunded if they do not relieve you. But be sure to get the genuine GOLD MEDAL brand. In boxes, three sizes.—Adv.

In Time.

"She has no money. Her face is her fortune." "How lucky I didn't take her at face value."

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

The Main Point.

"How are you getting on with your study of French?" "Well, I would not call it a pronounced success."

Courting Disaster.

"That fellow's a glutton for danger."

"That so?"

"Yes. He even goes pleasure-driving along the road that is being used by the rum-runners."

UPSET STOMACH

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN AT ONCE ENDS SOURNESS, GASES, ACIDITY, INDIGESTION.

Undigested food! Lumps of pain; belching gas, acids and sourness. When your stomach is all upset, here is instant relief—No waiting!

The moment you eat a tablet of Pape's Diapepsin all the indigestion pain, dyspepsia misery, the sourness, gases and stomach acidity ends.

Pape's Diapepsin tablets cost little at any drug store but there is no surer or quicker stomach relief known.—Adv.

Consistencies.

Knicker—Blood is thicker than water.

Bocker—And the milk of human kindness is thicker than ink.

Keep your liver active, your bowels clean by taking Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets and you'll keep healthy, wealthy and wise. Adv.

This world belongs to the energetic.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

We can do more good by being good than any other way.

Bake More Save More.

More and more, thoughtful women are decreasing the cost of living by increasing the variety of their home baking. They have learned to bake the Royal way with fewer eggs. They have found that more baked foods mean less meat. They have further discovered that their baking keeps fresh longer when made with

ROYAL Baking Powder
Absolutely Pure

In many recipes, only half as many eggs are required, in some none at all, if an additional quantity of Royal Baking Powder is used, about a teaspoonful in place of each egg omitted.

Try it with your favorite recipes

Royal Contains No Alum—
Leaves No Bitter Taste

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
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Red Cross Report

Report of the years work of the Ringbo Red Cross Auxiliary.

Receipts

Cash received for lunches	$61 94
[illegible] membership drive	38 68
[illegible] social	40 80
Donated by Ladies Aid	12 72
[illegible] memberships	8 00
[illegible]	4 07
Total	$198 71

Disbursements

[illegible] Chapter, materials	$74 80
[illegible] bot at home	10 90
[illegible] memberships	4 00
[illegible] soldiers at Christmas	40 04
[illegible]-Syrian Relief	25 00
[illegible] for postage	1 00
[illegible] for meetings	9 15
[illegible] to Miss Waggedahl at the Sanitarium	5 00
[illegible] on hand	[illegible]
Total	$198 71
[illegible] articles made	94
[illegible] articles, sweaters	12
[illegible] socks	30
Total garments made	136

The Ringbo Red Cross Society [illegible] last meeting March 9th with a large crowd in attendance. [illegible] reported a good time and went [illegible] filled to the brim with ice cream and cake and all kinds of goodies.

[illegible] Secretary.

I wish to thank the members of the Ringbo Red Cross for the gift presented to me at the last meeting and assure them that I greatly appreciate the kindly spirit which prompted it.

Mrs. A. S. Bean.

The Holt State Bank, will have a car of phosphate on track here in a short time which will be sold to the farmers at a reasonable price

Any one wishing a supply of this will please let us know at once

Potatoes Wanted!
Let us know what kind of Potatoes you have to sell, also how many bushels, and we will give you a price on them, also dates on which to bring them to us for loading a car on track in Holt.
C. H. Gunheim - Holt

Mother's Health affects the whole family
Pleasant to take Taste Like Candy
DR. MILES' LAXATIVE

School benefit, home talent play, M. W. A. hall, Friday March 28th.

"The Camouflage of Shirley" will be given Friday March 28th, by a home talent company.

AUCTION!
Having rented my farm I will sell at public auction in Sec. [illegible], Town of Mud Lake, 16 miles NE of Holt, 2 1-4 miles NW of Golden Valley, on
SATURDAY MAR. 29
Horses and Cattle
1 black gelding 9 years old, weight 1500
1 black gelding 4 years old, weight 1200
1 sorrel gelding 4 years old, weight 1500
1 black mare 8 years old, weight 1400 due to foal in April
1 black mare 10 years old, weight 1500
1 black mare 2 years old, weight 1200
2 red cows, came fresh in January
1 red cow, freshened last December
2 red and white cows, freshened in Jan'y
1 black cow, came fresh in February
8 young red cows, freshen in April & May
3 heifers, 2 years old Bull 1 1-2 year old
10 heifers & steers, from 1 to 1 1-2 years
5 calves, 2 to 3 months old
Farm Machinery, Etc
Peoria drill, 16 disks Fanning mill
Cultivator Manure spreader, new
Farm truck, iron wheels Road cart
Machinery, Household Goods, Etc.
2 complete sets of harness 1 single harness
Minnesota binder, good as new Flax reaper
Emerson sulky plow with breaking attachment
Breaking plow Stubble plow Bob-sled
Harrow, 14 disks 5 section drag, wooden frame
Weber wagon with box, new New hopper cutter
Stoughton wagon, good as new Double disc plow
[illegible] dbl grain tank Deering mower
Deering hay rake 2 hay racks Cross cut saw
Some other machinery 2 seated buggy
Galvanized water tank Blacksmiths drill
A lot of farm tools and carpenters tools
About 12 tons fine timothy hay Some potatoes
Cream separator and some cream cans
Folding steel bed Washing machine
Also other items of Household Goods & Furniture
And many other articles too numerous to mention
Sale 11 o'clock sharp Come early as a part Will Be Sold Before Noon
A Free Lunch Will Be Served At Noon
I. C. Norbeck, Owner
Ole C. Brenna, Auctioneer Holt State Bank, Clerk

Home talent play Friday Mar. 28.

Dick Mathison came Saturday from McIntosh and has commenced working for Ole Hamernes this week.

A party was given at the R. L. Adams home Tuesday evening in honor of his sister Maud Adams who has been visiting here a few days.

Mr. Backus of Minneapolis was here between trains on business. This is a brother of Dave Backus who was famous as a flier having shot down several enemy airplanes.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Hans Johanie Paulsberg, a single man, Mortgagor, to the Holt State Bank, a corporation, Mortgagee, dated July 25th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of August, 1917, at 9 o'clock A. M., in book 82 of mortgages on page 298.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of Eighty and no 100ths ($80.00) Dollars with interest thereon from the 25th day of November, 1918, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, together with the further sum of Forty-eight and no 100ths ($48.00) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 25th day of November, 1918, being the interest paid on a prior mortgage and which payment was due on the 25th day of November, 1918, and the further sum of Fifty-two and 8-100 ($52.08) Dollars, together with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 28th day of February, 1919, being the amount then paid for the 1917 real estate taxes, which were past due and delinquent, and which interest and tax payments were paid pursuant to the terms of the mortgage herein described making a total sum due on said mortgage at this date of One hundred eighty-three and 52-100 ($183.52) Dollars.

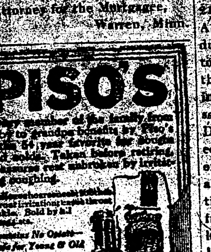
That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage is: The Southeast Quarter of Section No. Seven (7), in Township No. One Hundred fifty six (156) North of Range No. Forty (40), West of 5th P. M. situate in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 21st day of April, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the attorney's fee allowed by statute.

Dated March 4th, 1919.

Holt State Bank, Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.



Racine Olson went to T. R. Falls Saturday.

The Nazareth Y. P. Society will give a program and lunch Sunday evening Mar. 30th at Sorenson's hotel.

Helmer Halvorson of Newfolden loaded his car of goods here and shipped them to Watson, Minn. on Tuesday.

M. A. Harloff, who has been station agent at Badger for the past three years, was recently promoted to the agency at McIntosh.

The report of the Ringbo Red Cross is published elsewhere in this weeks paper. The ladies have done good work, as the report shows, and we are sure that men in the service feel grateful for their help.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Charles W. Foss, a widower Mortgagor, to D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of March 1914, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 71 of Mortgages, on page 167.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, to W. H. Dempsey as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors by written assignment dated the 14th day of March 1914, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 18th day of May 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 155.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said W. H. Dempsey, as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank by written assignment dated the 15th day of February 1919, and recorded on the 28th day of February 1919, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 80 of Mortgages page 287; and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North Half of the Southeast quarter (N1-2 SE1-4) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty Six (156) North of Range Forty Two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty Six and sixty eight hundredths acres, more or less, according to United States Government Survey thereof,

in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County, and State, on the 21st day of April 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash; to pay said debt of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 4th A. D. 1919.

Holt State Bank
Assignee of Mortgage

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Warren, Minn.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140

On Sunday March 30th all clocks are to be set ahead one hour.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Benitt Saturday night, a baby boy.

The home talent play has been postponed for a couple of weeks on account of sickness.

A. L. Carlson went to Crookston Tuesday to attend a meeting of Standard Oil agents.

Rev. Ordahl will hold services in the Holt Synod church at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon.

Iver Engebretsen and Carston Sagstuen were Thief River Falls visitors Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. E. M. Ostby of Thief River Falls, came Saturday to visit at the homes of P. A. Risberg and Ole Kjelgren.

The Nazareth Y. P. Society will give a program and lunch Sunday evening Mar. 30th at Sorenson's hotel.

Miss Amanda, Stella and Ollie Michelson went to T. R. Falls last week to visit their sister Mrs. Racine Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Oien entertained a party of young men last Wednesday evening in honor of Lowell Christianson and Pete Anderson.

The Free Mission Young People Society will again meet on Sunday afternoon March 30th. A good lunch will be served. These young people are working to raise money to fix up the basement.

Mrs. John Patterson of St. Croix Falls, Wisconsin visited here a few days at the home of her aunts Mesdames Nelson and Fitch, leaving Monday for Fertile to visit her mother, Mrs. Iver Ingbrigtson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lindahl moved to Roseau Saturday where he will work in the creamery. P. L. Anderson is in temporary charge of the Holt creamery and J. A. Sorum is helping him with the hardest part of the work as Mr. Anderson has not yet fully recovered from his army sickness.

The following were pleasantly entertained at the C. L. Heinse home Sunday: C. L. Sandberg and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kjelgren, Mr. Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Bjerken and baby, Ole Johnson, Olbert Reierson, Tilda Nyberg, and Mrs. Ostby.

A large bunch of Red Cross ladies gave a surprise party for Mrs. Sam Mickelson last week Wednesday. A very pleasant social time was spent and after pertaking of a delicious lunch, the ladies presented Mrs. Mickelson with a beautiful gift in token of their friendship, cheering the good lady of the home and diffusing a spirit of sympathy and good will in their wake.

Death of Mrs. Racine Olson

Mrs. Racine Olson died Tuesday noon at the Sanitarium in Thief River Falls where she had been for several weeks and where all that was possible to do was done that her young life might be spared to her family and friends. Her husband and children, both mothers and her sisters were with her during her last hours here on earth and the sincere sympathy of the entire community goes out to the grief stricken family in their hour of affliction. The remains will be brot home to-day and the funeral will be held at the Lutheran church at 12:30 Saturday.

Obituary next week.

Envgal Johnson is on the sick list.

Arvid Carlson and wife came over from Newfolden yesterday.

B. Docken sold an auto to Mike Leiran the forepart of the week.

P. A. Riesberg visited over Sunday at the home of his daughter in Thief River Falls.

Home talent play, "The Camouflage of Shirley", has been postponed to Saturday April 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Peterson moved Tuesday into the residence just vacated by W. A. Lindahl and family.

Miss Luella Johnson has recovered from her recent sickness and is again behind the counter at Gunheim's store.

Mrs. C. Kolden and baby returned home Saturday from an extended visit with her sister Mrs. Pavek at Gardena, N. D.

M. Moen returned to his home at McIntosh Wednesday after spending a couple of months on the farm with Casper Dale.

Mrs. A. Ahlborn returned to her home in Minneapolis last Thursday after enjoying a weeks visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Saastad.

Miss Effie Christiansen and her brother Lowell and Pete Anderson went to Greenbush last Thursday to visit at the Albert Huseth home a few days.

P. A. Riesberg received a letter Tuesday stating that his uncle Carl Turnlund, died at his home near Radium last week from an attack of the flu.

H. J. Oien has resigned his position as agent for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., and about May 1st will commence work for the farmers elevator company.

Turn your clock and watches one hour ahead of Standard time next Sunday morning. This is a Federal law and must be obeyed the same as any Federal statute.

The 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson, of Newfolden, died Sunday night of diabetes. The deceased is a granddaughter of Louis Johnson, who lives northeast of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Brown's son came Tuesday from Dakota to help them move onto their newly purchased farm east of town The Rux boys have rented the Gunheim farm where the Brown family have been living.

Miss Hilma Sovde came home Friday from Thief River Falls but was taken sick again on Saturday and became so dangerously ill that her father came down from Greenbush and in company with Mrs. Horn, took his daughter to the Crookston hospital Monday. Miss Sovde was operated upon Tuesday noon and tho' not yet out of danger is getting along as well could be expected.

Later: A telephone message yesterday stated Miss Sovde was lots better.

Arthur Anderson left Monday for Wyoming.

J. M. Swan shipped cattle to the twin city markets Tuesday.

A. Cairns of Crookston was a business visitor in Holt last Friday.

The "Camouflage of Shirley" is now scheduled for, Saturday April 5th.

Fridjof Riesberg came down from Badger Saturday for a short visit at home.

Iver Larson went to Golden Valley Tuesday after a load of swine for Axel Nelson.

Lost: A large brown curly dog. Please notify this office as to his whereabouts.

Mrs. Erick Johnson and daughter visited in Thief River Falls a couple of days last week.

Einer Johnson returned home Tuesday from the mining districts of northern Minnesota.

B. J. Bakke went to Crookston Saturday to spend a few days taking treatment for deafness.

Miss Sohpia Ness returned home Friday from near Thief River Falls, where she had been working.

Carl Erickson of Goodridge came Wednesday to visit at the home of his brother, J. E. Erickson and family.

Olaf Sovde went to Greenbush Wednesday to help his brother during their fathers absence in Crookston.

There will not be any sociable Friday evening on account of the death and funeral of Mrs. Racine Olson.

Albert Knutson came up from Gary Wednesday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Knutson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Anderson and children of near Thief River Falls were over Sunday visitors at the E. A. Johnson home.

Dr. Mellby was a professional visitor Wednesday at the home of Edward Erickson, P. G. Sorter, Erick Johnson and Gullek Svenson.

We had a pretty good rain Monday and the snow disappeared considerably on that account but the meadow larks will not be singing for a couple of days.

H. E. Mussey, editor of The Grygla Eagle, celebrated his 70th birthday last week. May he celebrate many more birthdays, is the hearty wish of this paper.

The quarantine was raised Tuesday from the Arthur Olson home. It was a mistake about the disease being diphtheria, but it was something else instead, it seems.

Miss Effie Christinson and brother Lowell came down from Greenbush Monday and visited at the Oien home until Wednesday when they left for their home at Fertile.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Take Notice

Sealed bids will be received by the Town Board of Holt up to 1 o'clock P. M. Mar. 31 for dragging the following roads:

Between Sections 25 and 36, 26 and 35, 27 and 34, 28 and 33, and Sections 29 and 32, 30 and 31, and Sections 17 and 20, 18 and 19, and Sections 7 and 18, 8 and 17, 9 and 16, and Sections 10 and 15, 11 and 14, 1 and 2, Sections 25 and 26, 23 and 24, 13 and 14, and on range line between Holt and East Valley.

State price wanted per mile traveled. Send all bids to the Town Clerk.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By Order of Town Board.

T. B. Folden, Town Clerk.
Holt, Minn

For Sale Cheap.

Light team of horses, or will sell either of them singley

Willie Rux, Holt, Minn

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The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate
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For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

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Notice!

Anyone having rooms to paper this spring will do well to see my samples of wall paper and get my prices on same.

If you will let me know when you would like to have me call, I will be glad to do so, and show samples and give you a price on any or all of your rooms.

R. L. Adams

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Hereafter the telephone office will be closed at (8) eight o'clock on Sunday evening instead of (9) nine o'clock as formerly.

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Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
We Buy All Kinds of Grain
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
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Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention
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125 Rooms--- 100 with bath and toilet
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Furniture and equipment entirely new. All rooms have outside exposure, electric elevator and local and long distance phones
Guests will receive the personal attention of the owners who will be there to wait on them
Wm. B. Camfield F. S. Gregory

The Holt State Bank will have a car of phosphate on track here in a short time which will be sold to the farmers at a reasonable price

Any one wishing a supply of this will please let us know at once

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Ice Cream Parlor
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Confectionery
Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream
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One Registered Percheron Stallion, weight 2,000 lbs

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One Midland Automobile nearly new

Will trade for land or sell all or any of the above.

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co at close of business every Thursday)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 23
Wheat No. 2	2 20
Wheat No. 3	2 16
Wheat No. 4	2 12
Flax	3 40
Oats	52
Barley	72 to 80
Rye	1 43
Flour, Best Patent	6 20

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All work guaranteed satisfactory
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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

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H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

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To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

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Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

END INDIGESTION. EAT ONE TABLET

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN INSTANTLY RELIEVES ANY DISTRESSED, UPSET STOMACH.

Lumps of undigested food causing pain. When your stomach is acid, gassy, sour, or you have flatulence, heartburn, here is instant relief—No waiting!

Just as soon as you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapepsin all that dyspepsia, indigestion and stomach distress ends. These pleasant, harmless tablets of Pape's Diapepsin never fail to make sick, upset stomachs feel fine at once, and they cost very little at drug stores. Adv.

Cute Is the Word.

Ever watch a young thing trying to be dignified while wearing a new spring skirt? Awfully cute the way she has to swing one little tootsie around and get it directly in front of the other one in order to advance eight inches.—Florida Times-Union.

COMB SAGE TEA IN HAIR TO DARKEN IT

It's Grandmother's Recipe to keep her Locks Dark, Glossy, Beautiful.

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is, that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive. —Adv.

Sensible Girl.

Maud—I haven't heard you practicing on the piano since you got engaged.

Edith—No, I'm practicing on the gas range now.—Boston Evening Transcript.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

As It Is in the City.

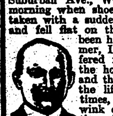
Jean was romping with her dog in front of the house under the watchful care of her mother. A woman passing asked her if she knew where a certain woman lived. Jean was overheard to say, "Yes, she lives over there in the third layer."

Practical Estimate.

"Did you say Bliggins is a good loser?" "Yes." "Why, even when his luck is worst he never loses more than two or three dollars." "That's what I call a good loser."

COULD NOT SLEEP

Mr. Schleusner in Misery From Kidney Complaint. Doan's Gave Complete Relief.


Mr. Schleusner

"Heavy work brought on my kidney complaint," says Wm. Schleusner, 6408 Suburban Ave., Wellston, Mo. "One morning when shoeing a horse I was taken with a sudden pain in my back and fell flat on the floor. If I had been hit with a trip hammer, I couldn't have suffered more. I stayed in the house for five weeks and the pain was wearing the life out of me. At times, I couldn't get a wink of sleep because of the misery and I had to get up every few moments to pass the secretions that were highly colored, of foul odor, filled with sandy sediment and terribly scalding. My bladder felt as though it were afire. The pain brought stupor and a reeling sensation in my head; the torture of it cannot be described. If I got onto my feet I couldn't walk but felt dizzy and all in a flutter and everything would turn black. My head ached so it seemed as though my eyes were being dragged out. I started using *Doan's Kidney Pills* and I was soon rid of all the trouble."

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PISO'S

DECLARES WAR AGAINST ALLIES

New Hungarian Republic Forms Alliance With Russian Soviet and Makes Declaration.

FORCES ARE MOVING

Lenine Greeted as International Leader and War on Imperialism Proclaimed—Berlin Sends Envoys to Moscow to Make Pact.

Berlin, March 25.—The new Hungarina Soviet republic has formed an alliance with the Russian Bolsheviki and declared war on the Entente, Budapest dispatches announce.

Bolshevik forces are reported to be moving in Hungary to aid the new government against French and other Allied troops which are scattered throughout the country.

The action of the Karolyi ministry in resigning and turning the country over to the communists was said to have resulted from "dissatisfaction of the Allies" and proposed adjustment of Hungarian frontiers by the peace conference.

Representatives of Premier Lenine are reported to have assisted in forming the new Socialist ministry.

Opponents to Be Executed.

Berlin, March 24.—The new Hungarian cabinet has issued the following proclamation:

"Uniting with the world's Bolsheviki, we rise against the Entente and imperialism and proclaim general mobilization. All opponents will be executed."

Allies Reported Disarmed.

Berlin, March 24.—A special dispatch to the Freiheit announces the disarmament of Allied troops at Budapest. It is unconfirmed, however, and appears questionable.

Germany Sends Envoy.

Paris, March 24.—Count von Brockdorf-Rantzau, the German foreign minister, has sent Carl Kautsky, one of the under secretaries in the foreign ministry, to Moscow to see the chiefs of the soviet government and to furnish an accurate report on the situation which will allow the foreign minister to study methods as to bringing about closer political and economic relations with the Russian bolsheviki government, says a Zurich dispatch to the Matin.

Greet Lenine as Leader.

Copenhagen, March 25.—Reports of wireless exchanges between Nikolai Lenine, the bolsheviki premier of Russia, and the foreign representative of the new Hungarian communistic government are received in advices from Budapest. Lenine was told the Hungarian proletariat had seized power and had introduced a proletariat dictatorship. Greetings were sent to Lenine as "leader of the international proletariat" and expressing solidarity with the revolutionary movement.

Replying, Lenine stated that he had submitted the Hungarian greeting to the bolshevist congress at Moscow, which had received it with great enthusiasm.

Urge Armed Resistance.

Paris, March 25.—The proclamation of the new Hungarian government invites the workmen and peasants of Bohemia, Rumania, Serbia, and Croatia to form an armed alliance against autocracy, landowners and dynasties. It requests also that the workmen of Austria and Germany follow the lead of Hungary in breaking off relations with the Paris peace conference.

They are requested to rally with the Moscow government and constitute a soviet republic and to resist, arms in hand, the "imperial conquerors."

TO DEBATE MONROE DOCTRINE

Amendment Advocated by President Wilson and House.

Paris, March 25.—An amendment to the League of Nations covenant covering the Monroe doctrine, advocated by President Wilson and Colonel E. M. House, is expected to be presented at the next session of the league commission. The proposed amendment would prevent any power from acquiring territory in the western hemisphere by conquest, purchase, treaty or otherwise, unless the Americans consented.

ANARCHISTS CLAIM VICTORY

Successes by Bolsheviki Reported in Black Sea Region.

London, March 25.—Successes by the bolsheviki in the Black sea region were reported in the bolshevik official communique received from Moscow. The statement said the bolshevik armies drove the Allies back in disorder between Voznessensk and Odessa, defeating an entire division. On the Archangel front, the dispatch said, an Allied outpost was captured.

Japan's Plan Criticised.

Peking, March 24.—Japan officially is advising China not to touch the 17,000,000 yen unpaid balance of the war participation loan. Meantime, negotiations have nearly been completed between the Okura company and the Chinese war ministry for a loan of 100,000,000 yen, the security for which is to be the Feng-Huang-Shan iron mines and surrounding territory. The plan is to organize a Chino-Japanese company which will give the Okura company first call on all its products.

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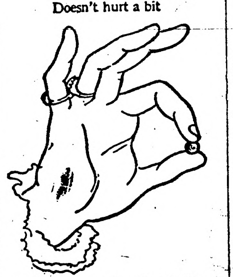

A few cents buys a tiny bottle of the magic Freezone at any drug store. Apply a few drops of Freezone upon a tender, aching corn or a callus. Instantly that troublesome corn or callus stops hurting, then shortly you lift it out, root and all, without any pain, soreness or irritation. These little bottles of Freezone contain just enough to rid the feet of every hard corn, soft corn, corn between the toes and the calluses on bottom of feet. So easy! So simple. Why wait? No humbug!

Why Spell It at All?

"Why not spell Germany with a small G hereafter," queries Superintendent Shields. "Surely she has earned the distinction.

"The old widespreading, pot-bellied capital G is typical of German type of other years, but the small g that resembles a whipped dog, with its down-hanging tail between its legs, is in keeping now." — Los Angeles Times.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets put an end to sick and bilious headaches, constipation, dizziness and indigestion. "Clean house." Adv.

Father's Definition.

"Pa, what is a family jar?"

"A vessel of wrath, my son."—Boston Transcript.

Final.

"What is the best test of realism in a play?" "The real money it draws at the box office."

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP

Why use ordinary cough remedies when Boschee's Syrup has been used so successfully for fifty-one years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles? It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health. Made in America and sold for more than half a century.—Adv.

Undoubtedly.

"Say, has Miss Perkins dyed her hair?"

"That's not a fair question."

Paradoxical.

"Jagg has a lot of dry humor."

"Yes, and oddly enough, especially when he has been drinking."

Cuticura for Pimply Faces.

To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura Talcum.—Adv.

Just So!

"What is marriage?"

"Love personified."—Boston Transcript.

DON'T DRUG KIDNEYS RUB BACKACHE AWAY

Instant relief! Rub pain, soreness and stiffness from your back with "St. Jacobs Liniment."

Kidneys cause backache? No! They have no nerves, therefore can not cause pain. Listen! Your backache is caused by lumbago, sciatica or a strain, and the quickest relief is soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Liniment." Rub it right on the ache or tender spot, and instantly the pain, soreness, stiffness and lameness disappears. Don't stay crippled! Get a small trial bottle of "St. Jacobs Liniment" from your druggist and limber up. A moment after it is applied you'll wonder what became of the backache, sciatica or lumbago pain. "St. Jacobs Liniment" stops any pain at once. It is harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin.

It's the only application to rub on a weak, lame or painful back, or for lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, sprains or a strain.—Adv.

Life may be a grand, sweet song to some, but it's just plain "jazz" to a lot of us.

Being in society is a good deal like being in jail; it isn't so bad after you get used to it.

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UNITED STATES IN FIRST PLACE

War Has Resulted in America Becoming the Greatest Maritime Power.

CAN REPLACE TONNAGE

Chairman Hurley of the Shipping Board Declares American Yards Lead World in Shipbuilding Facilities.

Washington, March 25.—Chairman E. N. Hurley of the shipping board asserts shipbuilding facilities acquired during the war have made the United States the greatest potential maritime power of the world and will enable it to outdistance all other nations in the race toward replacing a shortage of 16,225,000 gross tons of shipping lost as the result of unrestricted German submarine warfare and of the failure of normal increase by new production.

Mr. Hurley made this assertion in a report of his trip to Europe, where for three months he was in close touch with the shipping interests of foreign nations. The report will be used in working out a policy of ownership and operation of the American merchant marine.

Net Loss of 4,225,000 Tons.

Mr. Hurley estimated that in July, 1914, the sea-going steam bottoms of the world totaled 41,225,000 gross tons, which was reduced by war to 37,000,000 gross tons, a net loss of 4,225,000 gross tons. In addition, he stated, there was a loss of 12,000,000 gross tons which would have been constructed if war had not stopped the normal increase in production, making a total loss of 16,225,000 gross tons.

The Allies and neutrals suffered a total loss by enemy action, marine risk and capture of 15,218,000 gross tons, Mr. Hurley said, and gained by new construction and seizure of enemy ships 14,249,000 gross tons, leaving a net loss of 969,000 gross tons. The net loss to the Central powers was even greater, since they lost 3,016,000 gross tons and gained only 740,000, a difference of 2,276,000 gross tons.

Only two countries, the United States and Japan, have a larger amount of tonnage now than when the war began. Japan showed a net gain of 25 per cent, Mr. Hurley reported, while the United States jumped far in the lead with a net gain of 125 per cent.

U. S. Kept Forging Ahead.

"The United States forged ahead as rapidly as Germany fell behind," said the report. "In August, 1914, the United States seagoing merchant marine, 500 gross tons and over, included 624 steamers, 1,758,465 gross tons, and 870 sailing vessels and schooner barges of 947,852 gross tons, making a grand total of 1,494 seagoing merchant vessels of 2,706,317 gross tons.

"On Nov. 11, 1918, at the end of the war, the steamgoing merchant marine had increased to 1,366 vessels of 4,685,263 gross tons and the sailing vessels and schooner barges had decreased to 747 vessels of 829,917 gross tons, making a grand total of 2,113 seagoing merchant vessels of 5,515,180 gross tons."

HALF MILLION MEN HOME

American Army Overseas Is Being Rapidly Reduced.

Washington, March 25.—The total number of the members of the American expeditionary forces returned to the United States has passed the 500,000 mark.

The war department announced that the actual figure on March 20 was 500,034, including 27,940 officers, 2,146 nurses, 3,683 civilians and 448,241 men of the army, 13,550 navy personnel and 4,474 marines.

The strength of the expeditionary forces on March 20 was 1,470,676.

MONROE DOCTRINE IS SAFE

Former Attorney General Says It Needs No Safeguards.

Paris, March 25.—Thomas W. Gregory, former United States attorney general who is advising the peace conference commission on the league of nations with reference to legal phases of proposed amendments to the covenant, takes the view it is not necessary to introduce a specific amendment affirming the Monroe Doctrine. He holds the doctrine is sufficiently protected by the instrument as it stands

WILL SPEND $1,200,000,000

France Making Extensive Plans to Reorganize Communication.

Paris, March 25.—The expenditure of more than $1,200,000,000 in the reorganization of communication in northeastern France is planned by Albert Claveille, minister of public works.

Soldiers' Art Exhibit.

Philadelphia, March 24.—In the presence of Edouard de Billy, deputy high commissioner of France in the United States, captain Levis, member of the commission, and more than 500 persons prominent in art, music and society, an exhibition of oil paintings, water colors, etchings, pastels and black and white sketches by soldiers of France has been opened. The exhibit, which is touring the country under the auspices of the French High commission, will remain here for two weeks.

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Do not delay a minute if your back aches or you are sore across the loins or have difficulty when urinating. Go to your druggist at once and get a box of imported GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They are pleasant and easy to take. Each capsule contains about one dose of five drops. Take them just like you would any pill. Take a small swallow of water if you want to. They dissolve in the stomach, and the kidneys soak up the oil like a sponge does water. They thoroughly cleanse and wash out the bladder and kidneys and throw off the inflammation which is the cause of the trouble. They will quickly relieve those stiffened joints, that backache, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gallstones, gravel, "brickdust," etc. They are an effective remedy for all diseases of the bladder, kidney, liver, stomach and allied organs. Your druggist will cheerfully refund your money if you are not satisfied after a few days' use. Accept only the pure, original GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. None other genuine.—Adv.

Classifying Him.

The most cutting bit of repartee we remember to have heard in recent weeks happened out at the Willoughbeach picnic of a certain fraternity to which we belong. A very young man and very pretty girl were discussing costumes, horseback riding, golf and fudge. The girl said that she could ride, but preferred the old-fashioned side saddle. She said she thought it more graceful.

"But, really, Miss Z.," insisted the very young man, "do you see anything inherently improper in the divided skirt?"

"Nothing whatever, Mr. Q.," answered the very pretty girl, earnestly. "For instance, I think that you might wear one with perfect propriety."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Kind.

"I just dote on a hotel dinner."

"So do I, if it is a good table d'hote."

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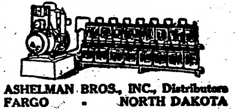

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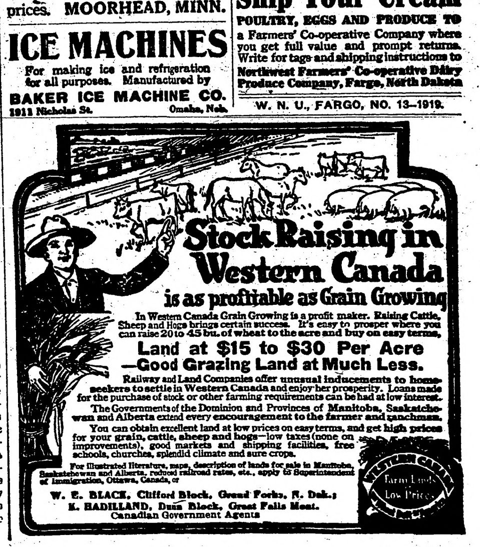

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Skinning Came Natural.

"Pardon me," said the army cook, for military chefs are prone to address their underlings courteously, "but I prithee tell me where you learned to peel potatoes so artistically? I observe that you do not cut off the cuticle in great hunks, as, alas, too many do, but loosen a bit of the skin of the tuber and then deftly strip it all off. You must have had much experience in skinnings e'er entering upon a soldier's life?"

"I did, thank you, sir," replied the accomplished member of the kitchen police. "Before I decided to make the world safe for democracy I was a banker."—Kansas City Star.

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THAT "LAST STRAW" AGAIN

This Time It Meant Real Tragedy in the Lives of Two Young and Loving Mortals.

"It's the last straw!" she exclaimed bitterly.

She tapped on the floor with her right toe, always, with her, a sign of repressed passion.

"The last straw!" she repeated.

He shuffled his feet in embarrassment.

"I'm going!" she cried. "I would not stay here another second, even for a moment."

And she swept out, and there was nothing left for him to do but follow.

"I didn't know it was the last straw, or I wouldn't have taken it," he apologized miserably.

And she, who had never sipped a lemonade without a straw in her life, and never intended to, sniffed scornfully, without replying, and refrained from inviting him in when they reached her house.

His 785 Suits.

Prof. Albert Bushnell Hart of Harvard said in Boston the other day:

"The kaiser was always unbalanced. Look at the way he was continually rigging himself out in different uniforms and costumes. Why, the man actually had 784 suits."

Professor Hart smiled.

"Exclusive," he added, "of his going-away suit."

Same Thing.

"So this private is the breadwinner of the family?"

"Sure; he's their doughboy."

There's plenty of luck for the fellow who spends fifteen or sixteen hours a day looking for it.

War Increases Mental Diseases.

Figures compiled by the New York state hospital commission show that 3,995 more patients have been admitted to the state hospitals during the forty-four months since war was declared than for the similar period of time prior to the beginning of hostilities, the admissions prior to the war being 29,316, as against 33,311 afterward. The state hospitals are actually housing 6,500 more patients than they were built to accommodate.

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SPEECH APPEALED TO HIM

More or Less Good Reason Why Listener Considered It Great Oratorical Effort.

They are telling a good joke on Will Upshaw. He was up the other day, and was the interesting center of several groups of members who had heard of the "Prohibition Cyclone" of Georgia.

While talking in the lobby to one of these groups of forthcoming associates, Congressman Garrett of Houston, Tex., passed, after salutations.

"Did you ever hear Garrett speak?" asked Upshaw of the members of his group.

"Yes," they all chimed in.

"The most masterly address, the most beautiful, soul-stirring address I ever heard in all my life of association with great orators, fell from the lips of that great Texan and statesman one night at Dallas," said Upshaw.

"On what subject was Garrett speaking?" queried one of the party, rather interested.

"He was introducing me," replied Upshaw solemnly.—Atlanta Constitution.

An Immune Miscreant.

"If you dig a pit for your neighbor, you may fall into it yourself," remarked the man who remembers his Sunday school vaguely.

"Yes," returned Mr. Chuggins; "that retribution idea may be all well enough for pit-digging. But the man who breaks glass bottles in the street very seldom has any tires of his own to be ruined."

The Darn Parasites!

Mrs. Boobee (with newspaper)—It costs Holland $3,000,000 a year to maintain her dikes.

Mrs. Boobee—Serves her right. Why doesn't she start a republic?—Buffalo Express.

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NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings In Minnesota Given In Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Ely.—At the last meeting of the Ely Commercial club, an active campaign was launched for the erection of a modern hotel.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist is back after a three days' absence. He spoke at the annual meeting of the Swedish Republican club in Chicago, and later visited relatives in Dayton, Ohio.

Bemidji.—Corporal William Eberline, until he enlisted in the military an employe of the Security State bank, has arrived from an artillery camp in Dover, N. J., where he has been in station several months.

Red Lake Falls.—The Perrault station cheese factory was recently reorganized, having been purchased by twenty farmers from Robidoux & Parenteau. The Lake Pleasant Dairy association is the name of the new company.

Crosby.—Jacob and Rade Rebul were instantly killed at Armour mine near here, while blasting. It is thought they miscounted the number of shots placed and returned before all had exploded. Two shots were the cause of the men's death.

International Falls.—Robert Gunther paid a fine of $75 and costs in municipal court. Sheriff McIntosh and Chief of Police Kirkpatrick found Gunther in possession of two quarts of whisky while on duty as a bartender at Bancroft's bowling alley.

St. Paul.—The state has received $1,008 inheritance tax on Minnesota property in the estate of Joseph Marcelina Hurtado of Bologna, Italy. The property held subject to Minnesota inheritance tax consisted of stock in the Great Nothern railroad.

Hibbing.—Independent labor candidates who were defeated in the city election have left for St. Paul where they say they will present to the Governor signed affidavits and photographs showing irregularities at the election precints of the city.

Crookston.—Mrs. L. M. Davis, chairman of the Crookston branch of the Polk county division of the council of National Defense, has appointed women to take charge of a survey to obtain data regarding what was done in Crookston during the war period.

Blackduck.—A year of progress and advancement was outlined for the Blackduck Commercial club at its annual meeting just held, when, at a banquet served by the domestic science students of the high school, plans for the coming season were discussed.

Moorhead.—Leslie Welter has been reappointed resident director of the Moorhead Normal school by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist and has received his commission for a four-year term. Mr. Welter was first appointed by Governor W. S. Hammond in 1915, succeeding C. G. Dosland.

Minneapolis.—A lonely tramp, on his early spring travels, is said to have saved several hundred persons three miles north of Pine Island, when he flagged a Rochester-St. Paul Great Western train in time to prevent a landslide from covering it. The slide was 600 feet long and three feet deep.

Hibbing.—The water and light board has decided to open bids for the erection of a modern power plant to be erected in Alice, on April 22. Charles Foster, superintendent of the local plant, has been busy on plans for the new building which will be modern in every respect. The present plant must be moved as mining operations will soon reach the ground it stands on.

Bemidji.—There is gratification here over the reappointment by Governor Burnquist of Arthur P. White of Bemidji on the state normal board. Since the appointment of Mr. White to this position by Governor Hammond four years ago, the sixth normal school has become a reality and its initial building representing an expenditure of $100,000, now adorns the shore of Lake Bemidji.

Duluth.—That her husband forced her to eat green peanuts and raw meat, do her washing in a swamp, learn telegraphy against her will and read books she did not care about, was the basis of testimony in district court here that secured for Mrs. George Cassidy a divorce. She was also forced to do her housework on a schedule which her husband prepared for her, the plaintiff testified. She was awarded $40 a month.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has named eight Minnesota representatives to an annual meeting of the Mississippi Waterways association, which will take place April 17 and 18 in St. Louis. The delegates are E. V. Willard, state drainage engineer; P. E. Stevens and L. P. Wolfe, all of St. Paul; Francis C. Shenahon, Minneapolis; William A. Watts, Duluth; Senator F. L. Cliff, Ortonville; Representative O. C. Neuman, Wheaton, and former Senator D. P. O'Neill of Thief River Falls.

St. Paul.—Chairman Ira B. Mills and Commissioner Fred W. Putman of the state railroad and warehouse commission have gone to Washington to represent the state at a hearing on proposed reconsignment charges by railroads, scheduled before the interstate commerce commission. The Minnesota commission is vigorously opposing the proposed charges by railroads, and Henry C. Flannery, assistant attorney general, has filed a brief outlining its contention. Adoption of the reconsignment charges would increase bills of Minnesota shippers of grain and hay more than $500,000 annually.

Hastings.—Mrs. Martin Maher, one of the best known pioneers of this city, died at her home at Marshan, near here, aged 78 years.

St. Paul.—The Surgeon General of the army has asked Minnesota to care for 1,000 insane soldiers in the State Hospital at Fergus Falls, one of the largest institutions of its kind in the Northwest.

Crosby.—There is a possibility that the returns of the election held March 11 will be contested, and it is stated that several arrests for illegal voting may be made. At the election 550 votes were cast, 11 more than in 1918.

Minneapolis.—Henry W. Baughan, professor of animal husbandry at Iowa State College, has been elected professor of animal husbandry of the Department of Agriculture at the University of Minnesota. He will enter duties here July 1.

Duluth.—An advance of $1.19 a ton has gone into effect on retail quotations on hard coal at the offices of the companies here. Consumers buying coal in small lots are charged 25 cents a ton allowed teamsters for loss of time weighing lots.

Two Harbors.—The seniors of the local high school are gathering material for a military annual to be published soon. It will not only deal with school people and alumni but cover in detail a complete account of Two Harbors' activities in the great war.

St. Cloud.—The site has been bought for the new $300,000 St. Cloud hotel, and the plans for the new structure are being completed by Architect L. W. Schafer, who was the organizer of the company which erected the new apartment house in this city.

Moorhead.—Alldrec H. Hellander, known also as Alldrec Johnson, and Wesley KcKinstrey, both well known young men of Fargo, are prisoners in the Clay county jail charged with assaulting Philip Jeffry of Michigan City, N. D., and robbing him of $153.

St. Paul.—The state pardon board will meet at the Capitol, Tuesday, April, 29, instead of April 14, as previously arranged. The postponement was agreed upon because state officials on the board will be occupied by legislative business until late next month

Stillwater.—Alex Bassett, a resident of Washington county for the past sixty-eight years, died here, aged 82 years. Mr. Bassett was born in Canada and came here when a young man and resided on a farm near Lake Elmo until eleven years ago when he retired.

St. Paul.—The annual convention of the Minnesota Electrical association closed with the election of officers and a banquet at The Saint Paul hotel. Officers elected were: President F. L. Cross, St. Paul; first vice president, Leonard Peterson, Thief River Falls; second vice president, R. E. Brown, Winona; secretary-treasurer, F. E. Barnert, St. Paul.

Chicago.—What was declared to be a world record price for a pure bred Hereford bull was announced by J. B. Ferguson, who said $50,000 had been paid by Ferguson Brothers of Canby, Minn., for "Richard Fairpax," a 5-year-old registered animal. The best previous American price was $31,000 for "Ardmore," sold by W. L. Yust to W. R. Pickering, both of Kansas City, Mo.

Chisholm.—Mystery surrounds the death of an unknown man who was struck by an east bound trolley car between stations 9 and 10. The man, so it is said, was wandering on the trolley track and was seen when too late to stop the car. The remains were taken to Gillespie's undertaking place here and all efforts to locate relatives or friends have so far proved futile.

Bemidji.—Indian Agents W. J. Johnson and C. E. Benson have made three arrests on the Bemidji and Cass Lake reservations in connection with the importation of "Peyote" beans from Mexico. The beans are a powerful narcotic and importations are forbidden by statue. A package sent thru the mail broke open, literally "spilling the beans." This led to the discovery and arrests of the alleged importers.

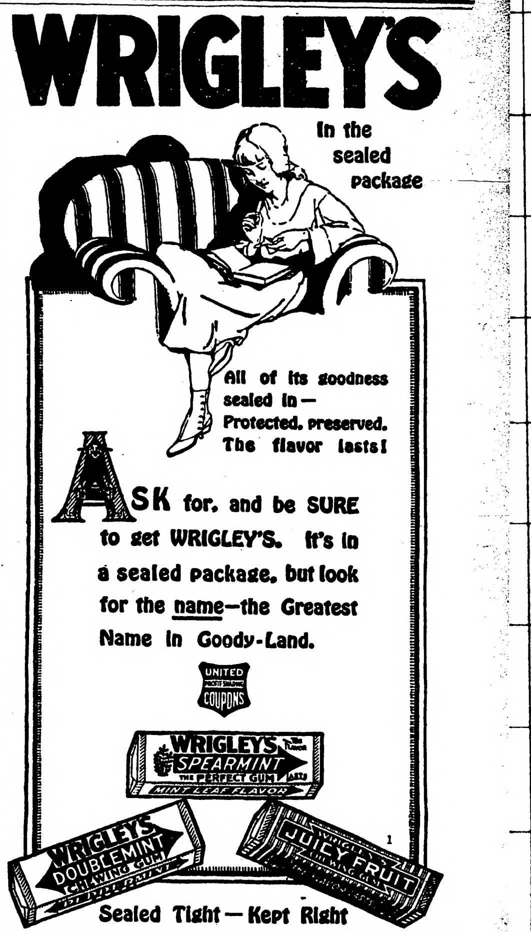
Little Falls.—H. C. Johnson, an employee of the local water power company, had a miraculous escape from death when 33,000 volts of electricity passed through his body. He came in contact with a high voltage wire while working about the plant. His hands were severely burned and he was slightly bruised about the body when he was thrown to the floor by the electric shock.

Two Harbors.—The employes of the city of Two Harbors, in every department except the office have petitioned the council for a general raise in salaries which would amount to about $15 per month per man. The present council members, however, did not take any action, as they decided that as their term of office would expire in a couple of weeks, they would leave the matter of adjusting salaries up to the new incoming council.

Red Lake Falls.—A determined effort will be made by the Red Lake Falls Commercial club to have the new Roosevelt International highway routed between Bemidji and Crookston by way of Red Lake Falls and Gentilly. The directors of the club point out that such a routing would be of great benefit to the highway, particularly as it would avoid the long stretch of unpromising country between Crookston and Dugdale.

Moorhead.—Bert Patterson, who confessed to having shot and killed his father on the night of February 14 last, was given a hearing before Justice Wade in this city. After the examination of witnesses for the purpose of fixing the time of the murder and the identification of the revolver used he was held to the grand jury without bail.

Albert Lea.—Paul, 6 months old son of Charles Christensen, was burned to death in his baby buggy. The child was alone in the room at the time and it is supposed he pulled a lamp off the table.



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Isn't it queer how many idle friends an industrious man has?

Billy's Slogan.

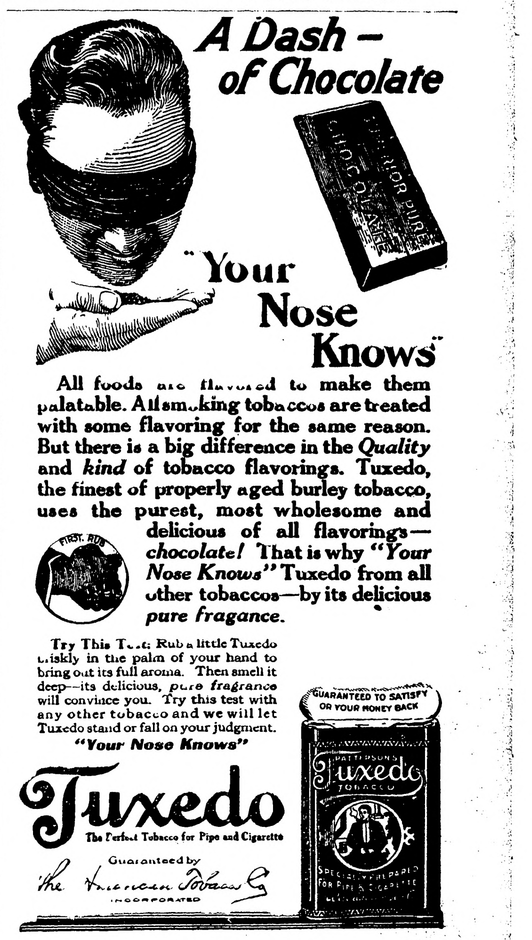
It was a week before Billy was five years old. One day he pinned a sign on his door, reading: "Birthday is coming. Give till it hurts."

The Addition.

"Is it true that Mrs. Hasty's temper broke up the family?"

"Yes, and most of the crockery."

Dare a man to do a thing, and if he's a fool he will attempt it.



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Declares Country Can Have Whatever He Has Whenever It Desires It.

If William Hohenzollern depended on Americans of German birth to do his work in this country he would never have picked August Heckert of Marietta, Minn.

Although born in Germany, Mr. Heckert stands today as the prize practical patriot of Lac Qui Parle county with $25,000 to his credit in Liberty Bonds, War Savings Stamps and Certificates of Indebtedness. In addition to the cash investments, he has loaned his 24-year-old son to Uncle Sam and the youth is serving his country on the dreadnaught Kearsarge. Mr. and Mrs. Heckert have also toiled unceasingly for the various war activities in their home town and county.

Chairman J. H. Hayden of Madison is authority for the statement that the Heckerts are the largest holders of government securities in Lac Qui Parle county.

And Mr. Heckert has not been silent concerning the prosecution of the war. He has won himself a host of enemies among old neighbors for the things he has told them about their attitude toward the land of their adoption.

The culmination came recently when Ferdinand Kahlbrenner, also of Marietta, brought suit for $10,000 against the prize patriot of the county. The suit followed a signed article in a Marietta paper, in which Mr. Heckert aired his views regarding the refusal of many of his townsmen to buy Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps. The jury did not deliberate long over the evidence and returned a verdict for Mr. Heckert.

"The land of my adoption is the only land that I recognize," Mr. Heckert said in telling his experiences to R. Rogers, Chairman of the Ninth District War Loan Organization. "This government has made it possible for me to succeed in business and whatever I have, the United States can have whenever it desires it. The jury that gave me the verdict apparently thought that a man who bought five or six times as many Liberty Bonds as his allotment called for, could not be very disloyal."

"The case of Mr. Heckert," said Chairman Rogers, "is proof that the majority of American citizens of German birth are loyal to their adopted country."

Chairman Hayden of Madison declared that the story of Mr. Heckert should have the greatest circulation in the coming Victory Loan campaign.

"The story should bring shame to many persons who have been evading their full duty to their country," Mr. Hayden said.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

MAKE JOINT SWEAR-OFF OF FOOLISH SPENDING

Some Pieces of Good Advice as Possible Keynotes for Coming Thrift Campaigns.

Here are some of the pieces of good advice L. B. Franklin, National Director of the War Loan Organization, has given to War Savings Stamp workers as possible keynotes for thrift campaigns:

We do not want to make a nation of tightwads but we do want to eliminate the darn fool waste.

Spend wisely and save your money so that you can go into business for yourself.

Spend less and pay off the mortgage or send your boy to college.

Put a little joy into saving.

A French housewife can feed a family on what an American family wastes.

"When a man 'swears off' smoking or ice cream or something like that, he is more apt to make good in his resolution if he has a fellow resolver, someone else who is undergoing the same denial with the same purpose in mind," Mr. Franklin said. "It is a joint 'swearoff.' This is the thing we want the American people to do, make a joint swearoff of foolish spending. And of course we want them to invest the saving in War Savings Stamps.

"We are going to get the 'joint swearoff' idea through the War Savings societies. Each member of a society will be a War Savings Stamp buyer and each will want to hold up his end, especially when he knows that every other member is doing his share."

This mild compulsion by public opinion as it exists in the society will this year take the place of the quota and allotment system of selling War Savings Stamps which was used last year. The W. S. S. buyer is to be made to want to save as much as he can, rather than to feel that he must save such and such an amount. Mr. Franklin said the quota system of War Savings Stamp sales was not in use this year.

The national director made it clear that the appeal is still to patriotism as well as to thrift and self interest but with the patriotic appeal changed from that of a battle crisis to that of the sturdier and less spectacular loyalty of the man who is willing to help his country under any and all circumstances. The War Savings Stamps, he said, are to be continued on sale in all parts of the country after the Fifth Liberty Loan is history and probably the stamp sales will be made permanent.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minnseota March 19, 1919

Notice is hereby given that Agnes Fosen, of Holt Minn., who, on May 2, 1916, made Homestead entry. Serial No. 013613, for E1-2 SW1-4 Lots 4 and 5. Sec. 19 and Lot 9, Section 30, Township 156 N., Range 41W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 28th day of April, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses: August Nelson, Nels A. Fosen, Grant I. Flakne all of Holt Minn. Emil Ostlund of Golden Valley Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912

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Potatoes Wanted!

Let us know what kind of Potatoes you have to sell, also how many bushels, and we will give you a price on them, also dates on which to bring them to us for loading a car on track in Holt.

C. H. Gunheim - Holt

N. B. Aug. Shoegren expects to be in Holt the first part of next week to buy potatoes.

"Here, Try One of These Candy-like Cathartics"

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I. J. HUSSEY, Chief of Fire Dept., Texarkana, Texas.

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As we are going to quit farming we will sell the following property at public auction, on the Math Olson farm, 1 mile south of Holt, on

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Horses and Cattle

Black horse 6 years old, wt. 950
Black horse 11 years old, wt. 1000
Black horse 2 years old, wt. 950
Black horse 15 years old, wt. 1100
Sorrel horse 18 years old, wt. 1150
Bay mare 9 years old, weight 1150
1 brown cow came fresh in Feb'y
1 brown cow came fresh in March
2 brown and white cows came fresh in March
2 brown cows will freshen in Apr.
1 brown heifer, freshens in April
2 brown and white cows coming fresh in April
1 heifer 2 years old
1 Hereford bull 3 years old
7 yearling heifers and steers
5 calves 3 to 6 weeks old

Stock and Hay

50 chickens and 2 turkeys
Some hay and straw

Machinery, Etc.

1 double and 2 single buggies
2 bob-sleighs 1 two horse cutter
Motorcycle 5 h. p. 3 hay racks
Gas engine 2 1-2 horse power
4 sweep horse power & speed jack
26 inch circular saw and shaft
18 feet of 4 inch rubber belt
16 inch breaking plow
16 inch walking plow
Cultivator with hiller
Spring tooth harrow
Disc harrow, 12 disks, with truck
Some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention

Sale begins at 11 o'clock Free Lunch at Noon

Olson Bros., Owners

Ole G. Brenna, Auctioneer Holt State Bank, Clerk

Joseph Johnson and Chris Saastad went to Alvarado Monday where they will work this season.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn., has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property. Write him.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Hans Johnnie Paulsberg, a single man, Mortgagor, to the Holt State Bank, a corporation, Mortgagee, dated July 25th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of August, 1917, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 82 of mortgages on page 296.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of Eighty and no 100ths ($80.00) Dollars with interest thereon from the 25th day of November, 1918, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, together with the further sum of Forty-eight and no 100ths ($48.00) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of ten percent per annum from the 25th day of November, 1918, being the interest paid on a prior mortgage and which payment was due on the 25th day of November, 1918, and the further sum of Fifty-two and 2-100 ($52.02) Dollars, together with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 28th day of February, 1919, being the amount then paid for the 1917 real estate taxes, which were past due and delinquent, and which interest and tax payments were paid pursuant to the terms of the mortgage herein described making a total sum due on said mortgage at this date of One hundred eighty-three and 52-100 ($183.52) Dollars.

That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage is: The Southeast Quarter of Section No. Seven (7), in Township No. One Hundred fifty six (156) North of Range No. Forty [40], West of 5th P. M. situate in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosd by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 21st day of April, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the attorney's fee allowed by statute.

Dated March 4th, 1919.

Holt State Bank, Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.

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War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

Ruby Swan is working for Mrs. Gunheim.

Carsten Sagstuen is hauling wood for Albert Bennes.

Alfred Newton returned to McIntosh Monday after a few days visit here with his sister.

Sam Mickelson was called home from Baden Tuesday by the death of his daughter, Mrs. Racine Olson.

Miss Annie Erickson returned home Wednesday from T. R. Falls where she had been for the past week taking treatment.

Eight page pamphlet, full of useful information for the potato grower, will be sent free by addressing Office of Publiactions, University Farm, St. Paul Minn., and asking for special bulletin No. 35.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Charles W. Foss, a widower Mortgagor, to D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of March 1914, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 71 of Mortgages, on page 167.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, to W. H. Dempsey as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors by written assingment dated the 11th day of March 1914, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 18th day of May 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 152.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said W. H. Dempsey, as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank by written assignment dated the 15th day of February 1919, and recorded on the 20th day of February 1919, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 86 of Mortgages page 237; and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North Half of the Southeast quarter (N1-2 SE1-4) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section One (1) in Township One Hundred Fifty Six (156) North of Range Forty Two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty Six and sixty eight hundredths acres, more or less, according to United States Government Survey thereof, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 21st day of April 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 4th A. D. 1919.

Holt State Bank
Assignee of Mortgage

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Warren, Minn.

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell; phone 140

Anton Sagstuen returned home Saturday from International Falls.

Theodore Olson went to Spooner Tuesday to work for E. T. Eide in his garage.

Albert Knutson returned Monday to Gary to resume his work in a restaurant there.

Arvid and Tony Carlson went to Minneapolis last Friday to visit relatives and transact business.

Miss Dora and Celia Olson of Fargo came Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Racine Olson.

Ole Backlund returned Tuesday from Middle River but will not open his butcher shop for a few days.

Miss Blanche Horien went to Thief River Falls last week Thursday to have dental work done.

J. E. Erickson returned home Tuesday from a few days visit with his brother northeast of Goodridge.

Ernest Phillipson, Thorval Kolden and Clarence Swan went to Middle River Monday to attend a home talent play.

Miss Ingeborg Nelson returned home Friday from Grand Forks where she has been working this winter.

The home talent play for the benefit of the Holt public school will be given on Saturday April 5th, both afternoon and evening.

Olaf Sovde is now to be found behind the counter at Gunheim's store, Joe Nelson having resigned to seek out-door employment during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gullek Svenson took their son, Oscar, to the Thief River Falls hospital Tuesday where he will receive medical treatment for a few days.

Hilmer and Oliver Davidson returned home Tuesday from Eveleth where they have been working in the iron mines this winter. They will soon start up their well drilling machine again.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Storholm, Mesdames J. Davidson, Eli and Chas. Roland all of Thief River Falls attended the funeral of Mrs. Racine Olson at the Lutheran church Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Horn took their little six year old girl, Viola Kiefer to Crookston Saturday where she was operated upon for the removal of her adnoids, tonsils and for being tongue tied. The little one got along so nicely that she came home Tuesday.

Ole Storholm and daughter, Mrs. Martin Olson of Crookston, came last Thursday, called here by the death of Mrs. Racine Olson. Mr. Storholm left Saturday to visit relatives at Thief River Falls and Mrs. Olson returned home Monday to Crookston.

Wedding

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Peterson, occurred the marriage of their daughter Lillie, to Alfred Larson, both of near Holt, last Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock, Rev. Ordahl performing the ceremony. The bridal couple was attended by Miss Larson as Maid of Honor and Tony Peterson as Best Man. Only relatives were present to witness the happy event after which a delicious wedding supper was served. These young people are widely and favorably known, having been reared in the same vicinity. Their many friends wish them a bonvoyage thru life.

Miss Tilda Hagen returned home Tuesday from several days visit in Thief River Falls.

Dr. R. L. Olson sold the Peter Sorenson forty to Chas. Hagglund one day last week.

Mr. Gustoferson of Strathcona came Tuesday to visit his old friend J. E. Erickson.

Miss Inga Johnson is working for her sister at the A. Bennes home as Miss Julia is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Hanson, a representative of The Thief River Falls Tribune, was a pleasant visitor at this office Saturday.

Miss Amanda Hanson of Roseau came Wednesday to spend sometime with her brothes, Peter Hanson and family.

Mrs. Caspar Dale and baby returned home Wednesday from Hendrum where they had been visiting relatives.

Sovde & Oien have added to the neatness of their confectionery and lunch room by covering the floor with pretty linoleum.

Olaus Rodahl got a $174.00 cream check the first of the month for cream sold to Holt creamery for the month of February.

Rev. Ordahl went to Golden Valley yesterday to hold funeral services for Mrs. Kleven, who died a few days previously, aged 83 years.

The "Camouflage of Shirley" will be played at 2 and 8 o'clock Saturday afternoon and evening Apr. 5th, for the benefit of the Holt school.

A. R. Jones has traded his village lots and driving team to Walter Patten for the latters homestead which is 2 1-2 miles east of Golden Valley and is a fine place.

Sam Mickelson is busy getting his house ready for plastering and wants to get it ready to move into May 1st when he is to give possession of the hotel to his tenant.

Cleve Bergum was made postmaster at Golden Valley April 1st to succeed Clarance Larson who has resigned after serving as postmaster at that point for more than six years.

A card from Orleans, Nebr. informs us that Dr. J. T. Turley was called there by the sickness of his mother, and on that account was unable to make his last trip here to do dental work. His mother is still very low and he will not be back for a couple of weeks.

It's now almost as cheap to take the train to Fargo as to telephone there or to any other point over in Dakota. If you call for a phone number only, in Fargo you can talk three minutes for 80 cents, if you want any certain party it will cost 95 cents and if an appointment is made to talk later, it costs $1.15, these prices include the 10 cent war tax. If a call is put in and the party is out at the time or out of the city and you do not talk to them that day you will be charged 20 cents for the report, which is called the report charge.

Obituary

God in his infinite wisdom has called from this life unto the life eternal, one of the good women of Holt. Mrs. Esther Olson, the beloved wife of Racine Olson, passed away at noon, on Mar. 25th., 1919, at the Oakland Park Sanatorium, from tuberculosis, at the age of 24 years, 1 month and four days.

Esther Mickelson was born in Crookston, Minn., Feb. 21st, 1895. She moved to Holt with her parents in the spring of 1910, where she passed her happy girlhood days and grew to womanhood. She attended the Thief River High School and taught three terms of school in this county.

She was married to Racine Olson on Oct. 6th, 1915. The happy couple established their home in Holt.

Their married life was blessed with two children, namely Marcella and Raymond. These children and the husband are now left to mourn the loss of a kind and affectiionate wife and mother. Deceased is also mourned by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mickelson, and her sisters Amanda, Stella and Olive Mickelson, all of Holt, and by many other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Olson was a woman who was loved and esteemed by all who knew her. It was in her own family circle and in the rearing of her children, that she took the greatest interest, and there also, she will be missed the most. That she should be taken away at a time when she seemed most needed in the home, is beyond human understanding, but it is not for us to question the ways of God, who doeth all things for the best. Mrs. Olson has made the great gain, she has kept the faith, and she has won the crown.

The funeral was held on Saturday by Rev. M. B. Ordahl, of the Norwegian Lutheran church, and was largely attended. Those who attended the funeral from out of town were Mrs. Martin Olson, and Ole Storholm of Crookston, aunt and grandfather. Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Storholm, of Thief River Falls, uncle and aunt of deceased. Dorthy and Celia Olson of Fargo, sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Olson of Newfolden, brother of Mr. Olson.

Many beatiful floral offerings were sent as tributes of esteem by loving friends. The remains of Mrs. Olson were laid away to rest in the Holt Cemetery, until the morn of resurrection. Peace to her memory.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us in our recent bereavment. Also for the music and the numerous and beautiful floral offerings.

Racine Olson and Children
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mickelson
Amanda Mickelson
Stella Mickelson
Olive Mickelson

Hilmer Folden went to Angus Wednesday to work on a farm.

The "Camouflage of Shirley" is now scheduled for, Saturday April 5th.

Mr. Jordan of Blackduck arrived in Holt last week Thursday on business.

Mrs Arvid Carlson is visiting home folks here while Arvid is in Minneapolis.

The county agent is sending out a warning against horse sharpers who are trying to sell inferior stallions on various plans and at high prices. Moral: Buy of the men who advertise.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet Saturday at 11 o'clock. Y. P. S. 8 P. M. Sunday. Services Palm Sunday, 10:30 Wilson school, 3 P. M. in East Valley.

Mesdames Alfred Anderson and John Simonson will entertain the Y. P. S. 8 P. M. Sunday.

The members will meet at 1:30 next Thursday to consider the proposition of building a basement.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

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School Notes.

The following pupils signed the official pledge for the "Earn and Give" Division of the United War Work Campaign and have now completed their payments and are enrolled as members of the Victory Boys and Victory Girls campaign.

The sums pledged and earned and donated to the United War Work Campaign are as follows:

High School Room

Clifford Fisk $5.00 Walter Sandberg $2.00 Marvin Sandberg $2.00 Gladys Hagberg $1.00 Emma Olson $1.00 Walter Bakke $1.00 Myrtle Sollom $1.00 Mabel Hagberg $1.00 Walmer Risberg $1.00 Lillian Fitch $1.00 Melvin Bakke $1.00 Martin Olson $1.00 Ida Hagglung $1.00 Elevina Sollom $1.00 Doris Sandberg $1.00

The Primary Room donated the sum of 75c making a grand total of $21.75.

A letter received from Chairman H. L. Wood of Warren extends thanks and his appreciation to these young folks who so willingly donated the above sums.

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Financial Statement

Holt Red Cross Auxiliary

Receipts

Oct 17, '18	Bal on hand	$135.25
" 16	Proceeds meeting with Mrs. Carlson	60
" 23	" " " " Sandberg	90
" 30	" " " " Fitch	75
Dec 11	" " " " Fitch	90
Jan 2	" " " " Docken	1.45
" 9	" " " " Bakke	75
	Total	$140.60

Disbursements

Jan 8, 19	To wreath for C. S. Kolden funeral	$5.00
" 8	To greenhouse telephone	30
" " "	captain home guards "	30
" " "	Gunheim, bunting	1.00
	" tacks 5c, pins 5c	10
" " "	Reierson, bunting	1.17
" 27	" express on flowers	.40
Mar 18	" donated Y. W. C. A.	5.00
" 25	Balance on hand	$127.27
	Total	$140.60

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Piso's gives prompt and effective relief. It quickly soothes inflammation and irritation. Eases hoarseness; allays tickling.

Get Piso's from your druggist.

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Safe for Young and Old

PISO'S

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY

Eat Less—Waste nothing
Create a Reserve

AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

Steiner News

We understand Henry Wendt has rented the John Boe farm this year.

Lewis Meyers has built a new garage and corn crib, for hisfather lately which makes a fine improvement on the Meyers farm.

Steven Warring visited his mother and brother Willis the past few days.

John Haider attended the John Roe sale Thursday.

Hobson Rogers and Lewie Meyers attended the Uncle Sam minstrel show in T. R. Falls Sunday evening.

Harvey Copp was delivering grain at the elevator in this place Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Ed. Werner did shopping in the berg Friday.

Mrs. Simon Warring has been having the flu but is better now.

S. R. Rogers took his two daughters to T. R. Falls last Monday morning as they are attending school at that place.

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Insure Your Auto

The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate

Insurance against fire, thieves, etc See them at once

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For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the
Merchants State Bank,
~~Red Lake Falls,~~
Minnesota

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Take Notice

A good young stallion is needed in your locality. The Tullar Farm, postoffice address, Warren, Minn., has two as fine horses as anyone could desire, for sale at very reasonable prices. Write the Tullar Farm at once and arrange to secure one of these horses.

C. A. Tullar, Manager

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Notice!

Anyone having rooms to paper this spring will do well to see my samples of wall paper and get my prices on same.

If you will let me know when you would like to have me call, I will be glad to do so, and show samples and give you a price on any or all of your rooms.

R. L. Adams

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Holt Cafe!

Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours

A nice line of Bakery Goods

Nice Booths and Tables for the serving of Ice Cream

Sovde & Oien

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

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The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co at close of business every Thursday)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 28
Wheat No. 2	2 25
Wheat No. 3	2 21
Wheat No. 4	2 17
Flax	3 51
Oats	55
Barley	.73 to 82
Rye	1 53
Flour, Best Patent	6 40

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Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls

Office Phone 70
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 86

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Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls

Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 3

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City Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
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All work guaranteed satisfactory.

Ernest Phillipson
Holt, Minn.

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$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

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Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.

Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs

Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

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To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

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Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

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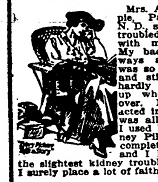


Weak and Miserable?

Does the least exertion tire you out? Feel "blue" and worried and have daily backache, lameness, headache, dizziness and kidney irregularities? Sick kidneys are often to blame for this unhappy state. You must act quickly to prevent more serious trouble. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy recommended everywhere by grateful users.

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. A. F. Gillespie, Park River, N. D., says: "I was troubled severely with my kidneys. My back was always aching and was so lame, sore, and stiff, I could hardly straighten up when I bent over. My kidneys acted irregularly, I was all run down. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and was completely cured, and I haven't had the slightest kidney trouble since and I surely place a lot of faith in Doan's."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

Vain Quest.

"The milk of human kindness is diluted with water," said the citizen with an acute thirst.

"What's wrong, my friend?"

"I called on eleven druggists in this town and told a tale of woe about the way I've suffered from the 'grip' that would melt the heart of stone, and not a darned one of them offered to sell me anything but cold tablets."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Headaches, Bilious Attacks, Indigestion, are cured by taking May Apple, Aloe, Jalap made into Pleasant Pellets (Dr. Pierce's). Adv.

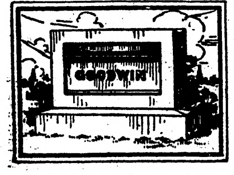
Whoopee!

"Heigh-ho!" cried the spirited nag, as he found his bridle on the barn floor and proceeded to smash the snaffle to smithereens, "I should say I've done my bit."

Romantic Girls Are Costly.

Dick—Do you like romantic girls, Harry?

Harry—I don't. When you make a hole in your salary buying them expensive flowers they tear them apart, repeating: "He loves me—he loves me not."—Pearson's Weekly.



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Just unloaded 15 cars of fine artistic granite monuments. We carry the largest stock in the Northwest to select from. We also make a specialty of Soldiers' Memorials. Send for our new catalogue.

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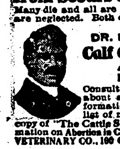

DON'T LET YOUR CALVES DIE from Scours or Calf Cholera

Many die and all are ruined if these ailments are neglected. Both can positively be prevented and overcome with

DR. DAVID ROBERTS' **Calf Cholera Remedy**

At our dealers or POSTPAID $1.00

Consult DR. DAVID ROBERTS about all animal ailments. Information free. Send for price list of medicines and get FREE copy of "The Cattle Specialist" with full information on Abortion in Cows. DR. DAVID ROBERTS VETERINARY CO., 100 Grand Ave., Waukesha, Wis.

Farm Opportunities in United States

If YOU are interested, write to the Homeseekers' Bureau, U. S. Railroad Administration, Washington, for free information, naming the state the advantages of which you desire to investigate, and giving full particulars about your requirements.

The Homeseekers' Bureau is NOT selling real estate. Its mission is to furnish dependable data by states regarding land values, production, markets, climate, schools, churches, roads, etc., to those who wish to engage in farming, stock raising, dairying, gardening and kindred pursuits. A letter will bring a free booklet which may help in solving your problems of living.

Address J. L. EDWARDS, Manager, Room 2000, Agricultural Section, U. S. Railroad Administration, Washington, D. C.

BOYS Clear Your Skin With Cuticura

All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 & 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

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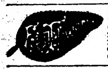
A toilet preparation of merit.
Helps to eradicate dandruff.
For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair.
50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.



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Films and Photo supplies. Finishing for Amateurs, enlarging. Mail orders Solicited.
Prices on application. DACOTAH PHARMACY
CORNER 3rd. ST. and DeMERS, GRAND FORKS, N. D.

DECIDE TO LAND POLISH TROOPS

Allies Are Said to Be Determined Upon Securing Use of Baltic Port.

ARRANGES CONFERENCE

Marshal Foch Is Reported to Have Invited Germany to Send Delegates to Spa for Purpose of Settling Difficulty.

London, April 1.—Germany has been invited to send delegates with all speed to Spa to meet Marshal Foch concerning the Danzig difficulty. This announcement is made in a Copenhagen dispatch to the Central News.

Paris, April 1.—The Temps says that the Allied and associated governments seem to have decided to disregard the German objections concerning Danzig and to land, by force if necessary, Polish troops at this Baltic sea port.

But this move, says the Temps, would not necessarily imply in the mind of the Allies, the union of Danzig to Poland. The newspaper adds that concerning the question of the Polish frontier the Allied governments seem inclined to create about Danzig a neutral state, in order to avoid attaching this part of the coast either to Germany or to Poland.

Hungary Offers Alliance.

Copenhagen, April 1.—The Vienna Volks Zeitung's Budapest correspondent says the Hungarian government has offered to ally itself with the German government against the Entente, according to a dispatch received here.

A telegram of the Wolff bureau says, however, that nothing is known in official quarters in Berlin concerning such an offer. Communist troops invaded German West Hungary, but were repulsed after several conflicts with the inhabitants, according to a dispatch from Berlin quoting the Vossische Zeitung as stating that a deputation from West Hungary arrived in Vienna to report to Secretary of State Bauer concerning the invasion. Many houses were plundered and burned.

Hungary Quiet, but Hungry.

Paris, April 1.—Advices received from Captain Thomas C. Gregory, of the United States Food Administration at Triest, are to the effect that quiet prevails in Hungary and that the receipt of food supplies might prevent further trouble. This news came through Lieutenant Smith, who arrived in Vienna from Budapest Thursday morning. When Lieut. Smith left Budapest, there was a feeling of great uneasiness among the higher classes. The new government, it is stated, will consist of a council of fifteen with Belakun, the leader of the revolution at its head.

Professor Brown and Lieut. White, of the American mission, are still in Budapest. The British and French mission are still in Budapest. The British and French missions left for Belgrade and the Italian mission departed the same day for Vienna.

SOCIALISTS ARE VICTORIOUS

Secure Majority on Berlin Soldiers' and Workers' Council.

Berlin, April 1.—The Independent Socialists triumphed in the elections of the Berlin Workmens' and Soldiers' council for the second congress of Workmen's and Soldiers' councils by winning nine seats to five for the majority Socialists and two for the Democrats.

The council voted to take steps to secure the immediate release of George Ledebour, the former Social Democrat leader, who was taken into custody during the recent disorders.

SUFFRAGE CONVENTION ENDS

Women Adopt Principles of Americanization Program.

St. Louis, April 1.—The jubilee convention of the Woman's National Suffrage association adjourned after indorsing action taken by the League of Women Voters, composed of suffrage members from franchise states, looking toward remedial legislation affecting the meat packing industry and adopting principles of an Americanization program.

HUN ATTITUDE IS REPORTED

Said to Be Standing on President's Fourteen Points.

London, April 1.—The department of the German foreign office having charge of the peace negotiations has reached a decision as to its attitude toward the negotiations, a German wireless message says. The department has decided the German government should act only in accordance with President Wilson's 14 points.

Renews Attacks on Mann.

Washington, April 1. — Representative Longworth of Ohio, Republican, renewed his attack on Representative Mann of Illinois in a statement declaring that the former Republican floor leader, although defeated for the speakership by a two to one vote, was in a position to wield greater power in the next congress than had he been elected. Mr. Longworth urged the liberalization of the house steering committee which, he said, does not represent all parts of the country.

IN MISERY FOR YEARS

Mrs. Courtney Tells How She Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oskaloosa, Iowa.—"For years I was simply in misery from a weakness and awful pains—and nothing seemed to do me any good. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and got relief right away. I can certainly recommend this valuable medicine to other women who suffer, for it has done such good work for me and I know it will help others if they will give it a fair trial."—Mrs. LIZZIE COURTNEY, 108 8th Ave., West, Oskaloosa, Iowa.

Why will women drag along from day to day, year in and year out, suffering such misery as did Mrs. Courtney, when such letters as this are continually being published. Every woman who suffers from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, ulceration, backache, nervousness, or who is passing through the Change of Life should give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

Direful Forecast.

The pocket wireless telephone will be in everyday use at no distant date. Thus a person walking on the street may hear a bell ringing in his pocket and put a receiver to his ear and hear the voice of another as far from him as Warsaw is from London.—News Item.

"Lord help us," sighed Mrs. Peabody, keeper of a boarding house. "The first call I get on it will be a distant relative who is coming up for supper."

SAGE TEA DARKENS HAIR TO ANY SHADE

Don't stay Gray! Here's an Old-time Recipe that Anybody can Apply.

The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, gray hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beautifully dark, glossy and attractive. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect.

But brewing at home is mussy and out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get this famous old preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients, which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, it becomes beautifully dark and glossy.—Adv.

Hail! King Apple!

The apple is the king of fruits in value of crop as well as in the estimation of apple lovers. for the apple crop of 1918 a value of $230,000,000 has been estimated, or nearly three-eighths of the value of all fruits.

The fewer scruples a man has the more drams he takes.

The faster a man's gait the sooner misfortune overtakes him.

In The Spring-Time.

Any fool knows enough to carry an umbrella when it rains, but the wise man is he who carries one when it is only cloudy. Any man will send for a doctor when he gets bedfast, but the wiser one is he who adopts proper measures before his ills become serious. During a hard winter or the following spring one feels rundown, tired out, weak and nervous. Probably you have suffered from colds or influenza which has left you thin, weak and pale. This is the time to put your system in order. It is time for house-cleaning.

A good, old-fashioned alterative and temperance tonic is one made of wild roots and barks without the use of alcohol, and called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, in tablet or liquid form. This is nature's tonic, which restores the tone of the stomach, activity of the liver and steadiness to the nerves, strengthening the whole system.

St. Cloud, Minn.—"Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has been a favorite medicine of mine for years. It has been very effectual in relieving me of liver trouble, and as a blood tonic to tone up one's system there is nothing better. I can highly recommend this medicine for the relief and benefit it has given me."—Mrs. Theresa Smith, 711 14th Ave., South.

PREPARES CALL FOR 50,000 MEN

War Department will Ask for Volunteers to Join the Army Overseas.

VETERANS WAY ENLIST

Those Desiring to See Service Abroad Will Be Offered Opportunity in Order to Relieve Men Wishing to Come Home.

Washington, March 29.—The war department has prepared an immediate call for 50,000 volunteers for service in Europe.

As an incentive to enlistment, the men will be offered early duty in France as a relief for men in the Expeditionary forces who wish to return home.

Enlistment in this special force will be for three years. The men will be concentrated at Camp Meade, Maryland, and probably will be sent overseas in contingents of 1,000.

Many Veterans Expected.

War department officials expressed confidence that no trouble would be experienced in raising the 50,000 men or an even greater number if it should be found that additional increments were necessary. The bulk of the men are expected to come from recently discharged troops, who after a short "vacation" as civilians, desire to return to army life.

Another incentive expected to have a decided effect on the recruiting campaign is looked for among the men who, after having been drafted and trained, were prevented from going overseas by the promulgation of the armistice. Opportunity to see service in Germany, it is thought, will lead many of these to enlist.

Would Be Trained Abroad.

A number of officers, probably 10 or 12, will be sent overseas with each increment of 1,000 men leaving Camp Meade. These will be used at the concentration camp to give the training necessary to whip the men into organizations and make the required examinations. On arrival in Europe they will take the place of officers who are eligible for discharge.

DECLARES PROBE ASSURED

Kansas Governor Says Congress Will Look Into War Losses.

St. Louis, March 29.—Congress will make a complete investigation of charges that soldiers were needlessly sacrified and other misconduct of war accusations, Governor Henry J. Allen of Kansas declared.

Governor Allen, who arrived here to address the national suffrage convention, said he had been assured of the investigation by both the committee on rules of the House and the military affairs committee of the Senate.

GERMAN SUBMARINES SAIL

Five Surrendered Boats Leave England for United States.

Washington, March 29.—Five surrendered German submarines have left England for the United States, manned by American crews and convoyed by the American submarine tender Bushnell. They are expected to arrive in American waters late in April, and will be displayed at ports to be selected in connection with with the next Liberty Loan campaign.

ADOPT MILITARY MEASURES

Roumania and Czecho-Slovakia Send Troops Into Hungary.

Paris, March 29.—The Roumanian and Czecho-Slovak governments have taken military measures against the Hungarian revolutionary government, a Geneva dispatch to the Petit Parisian says. Two Roumanian army corps are said to have crossed the frontier of Eastern Galicia.

ALLIES ASK SAFE CONDUCT

Demand Right to March Polish Troops Through Germany.

Copenhagen, March 29.—The German government at Weimar has received from the Allied high command a demand for permission for Polish troops to land at Danzig and to march through German territory to Poland, according to a dispatch received here from Weimar.

GERMAN MISSION DELAYED

Departure of Financial Envoys for Versailles Postponed.

Copenhagen, March 29.—The German financial mission which was to go to Versailles has received further instructions to postpone its departure, a dispatch received here today from Weimar says.

France Given Another Credit.

Washington, March 29.—France was given a credit of $100,000,000 by the treasury and Greece was given $3,858,000 additional. This made total credits to France, $2,617,477,000; to Greece, $43,412,000, and a total for all Allies of $9,036,269,000.

Mexicans Held for Murder.

Washington, March 29.—Three men are under arrest at Progreso, Mex., charged with the murder of Oscar Wallace, the American who was killed by bandits at Hacienda Encinas.

Constipated Children Gladly Take

"California Syrup of Figs"

For the Liver and Bowels

Tell your druggist you want genuine "California Syrup of Figs." Full directions and dose for babies and children of all ages who are constipated, bilious, feverish, tongue-coated, or full of cold, are plainly printed on the bottle. Look for the name "California" and accept no other "Fig Syrup."

CATCH PROVED WORTH WHILE

Remarkable Fish Not of Much Value as Food, but It Was Not a Total Loss.

"Talk about fishin'," says the old colonel. "I have hooked all kinds, but never until last Tuesday did I hook one of the 'old settlers'—one of the critters that helped to stake out the lake. Maybe he waren't game! He ran under the boat, turned flip-flops and went through all of the stunts of the fish tribe. Well, after about two and one-half hours I landed him. He was about four feet eight inches long and weighed 28 pounds and three ounces. Took him right over to the point to show him to the boys, and we decided we'd hold a little banquet the next night and eat the old cuss up. Well, when we sat down to table and I started to carve up that fish, do you know what? Anywhere I cut I struck right into a fish hook. He'd been hooked by everybody, and had swallowed the hook. That fish was just plumb full of tackle. I whittled and haggled away for a time, but finally gave it up for a bad job."

"What did you do with him?"

"Sold him for old iron."—M. L. Granger, in Judge.

No Deductions.

"I'm sorry for him. Been married fifteen years and hasn't a child."

"Yes, no home is complete without the laughter and prattle of the children."

"I wasn't thinking of that. I was thinking of the money a few children might save him on his income tax."

Papa's Bequests.

"And when I marry your daughter, will you settle anything on us?"

"I'd like to."

"You'd like to?"

"Yes, I'd really like to settle the piano and the girl's mother on you, old boy!"—London Answers.

The Student.

Pianist—Scanning this piece of music makes me feel like an aviator.

Friend—How's that?

Pianist—I'm trying to conquer the air.—London Tit-Bits.

As a failure many a man is a success.

WHAT HE TURNED TO SEE

Probably the Accessories Indicated Had Not Been Introduced in Evidence in the Case.

Lou Guernsey was defending one party to an auto collision and was cross-examining a lady witness who was undeniably pretty.

"Have you any idea what caused this accident?" thundered Lou.

"I think so," said the fair witness sweetly.

"Then tell the court how it happened," thundered Lou, eager for facts.

"Must I tell the truth?"

"You have sworn to do so."

"Well, sir, I was standing on the corner, and that gentleman turned to look at something and ran into the other machine."

"Ah," divined the astute Guernsey. "He turned to look at you. That makes you an accessory before the fact, madam."

"I—I think it was the—the accessories he was looking at," murmured the witness.—Los Angeles Times.

Creating Atmosphere.

"I understand this comedian tells some of his funniest stories in hotel bar rooms after the performance."

"He does, eh?" said the vaudeville magnate. "He's been delivering his monologue before a street scene in a deserted village, but if it will help to 'put over' his act any better I'm quite willing to provide him with a 'drop' showing the interior of a first-class bar room, with a shining mahogany bar, a brass rail, mirrors, cut glass and rows of realistic bottles."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

No Use.

"I wish wives were like beefsteak."

"What makes you wish that?"

"Because then you could make them tender by beating them."

The Cause.

"So the play failed because of the weakness of its love interest."

"Yes; another case of heart failure."

There's only one person worse than a gossiper and that's the person who doesn't know any.

The blush of a queen is a royal flush.

There's a rich, satisfying, old-time flavor to

The Original POSTUM CEREAL

that no substitute can ever equal.

A healthful drink that leaves no trace of harm, a beverage grateful to the stomach, that never upsets nerves, heart or digestion as does sometimes coffee.

Boil just like coffee

Boil thoroughly (15 minutes after boiling begins) make it rich and dark and you have something that makes your meal doubly enjoyable.

"There's a Reason"

At Grocers—two sizes 15c & 25c.

A Sheriff in Tennessee must be a man of brawn & vigor

Mr. B. W. D. Barnes, of Warren County, Measures up to Requirements.

HIS LIFE A STIRRING ONE

Always in robust health, B. W. D. Barnes could ride, shoot and get his man. He was everything a sheriff in Warren Co., Tennessee, should be until overtaken by a complication of catarrhal troubles that all but put him down.

Here is the story told in his own words: "I had throat trouble from which no relief seemed possible. My health was gone. Finally I decided to try Peruna and was entirely cured by four bottles. That was three years ago. I am now as well as ever; able to ride all the time. Thanks to Peruna."

Like Sheriff Barnes, thousands owe their present health to Peruna. For catarrh of the head, nose and throat, catarrhal inflammation of the stomach, bowels or other organs, Dr. Hartman's Famous Peruna Tonic has been a standard household remedy for forty-five years.

If you are sick and suffering, write The Peruna Company, Dept. A, Columbus, Ohio, for Dr. Hartman's Health Book. It is free. Your dealer has Peruna in both tablet and liquid form. If you want health, insist upon having Peruna. Your dealer will give you a Peruna Almanac.

The Brighter Side.

"The floorwalker reported me for inattention and I've been banished to the hardware department."

"Don't let that bother you, son. Although the hardware department may lack distinction, it's much easier to sell a suburbanite a hoe than it is to sell a lady of fashion a pair of gloves."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Had Done His Share.

Councilman—I've come to see, sir, if you will subscribe anything to the town cemetery.

Old Resident—Good gracious! I've already subscribed three wives.—London Tit-Bits.

One way for a lawyer to rise at the bar is to stand on a chair.

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"A Blessing for Humanity in Pain!"

For Headache
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Pain! Pain!

Proved Safe by Millions! American Owned!

Adults—Take one or two "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" with water. If necessary, repeat dose three times a day, after meals.

20 cent Bayer packages—also larger Bayer packages.
Buy Bayer packages only—Get original package.

Bolshevism in Practice.

"I thought you had an umbrella when you left home."

"I had," answered the man who was drenched. "I went to a socialist meeting where everybody was in favor of eliminating any individual advantage. By the time they got through dividing my umbrella around there wasn't anything left of it that anybody could use."

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Naturally.

"Jim was keyed up to the highest pitch the other night."

"What was the matter?"

"He was locked out."

Some men are in advance of their age, but women are always behind it.

A Fixed Listener.

She—Look at that sour-faced old maid who has been sitting in one place trying to find out what the couples coming near her are saying. Isn't she a regular sport-spoiling wallflower?

He—I would call her rather a rubber plant.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

An Absent-Minded Man.

Professor—I went to the railway office today to get that umbrella I left on the train last week.

His Wife—That's good! Where is it now?

Professor—Eh? By Jove, I really, my dear, I'm afraid I left it in the train!—London Answers.

The Family League.

Knicker—Is Jones the boss?

Bocker—No, his wife and children make six votes to his one.

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IT'S NOT YOUR HEART; IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is no respecter of persons. A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced back to the kidney trouble.

The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They are the filterers of your blood. If the poisons which are swept from the tissues by the blood are not eliminated through the kidneys, disease of one form or another will claim you as a victim.

Kidney disease is usually indicated by weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago.

All these derangements are nature's signals that the kidneys need help. You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The soothing, healing oil stimulates the kidneys, relieves inflammation and destroys the germs which have caused it. Go to your druggist today and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In twenty-four hours you should feel health and vigor returning.

After you feel somewhat improved continue to take one or two capsules each day, so as to keep the first-class condition and ward off the danger of other attacks.

Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand. Three sizes. Money refunded if they do not help you.

THE RIGHT WAY...

In all cases of

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of all horses, brood mares, colts, stallions, is to

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On their tongue or in the feed put Spohn's Liquid Compound. Give the remedy to all of them. It acts on the blood and glands. It routs the disease by expelling the disease germs. It wards off the trouble no matter how they are "exposed." Absolutely free from anything injurious. A child can safely take it. Sold by druggists, harness dealers, or sent express paid by the manufacturers. Special Agents Wanted.

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PROBE ORDERED IN LAND GRANT

State Department Starts Inquiry of Reported Mexican Concession to Japan.

ASKS SPEEDY REPORT

Tract Developed by Americans Is Involved, Holdings Being Confiscated by Revolutionists—Japs Have Long Sought Foothold.

Washington, April 1.—The American embassy at Mexico City has been instructed by the state department to make inquiries regarding the report that the Mexican government has granted agricultural concessions to Japanese in Lower California and to report the facts as quickly as possible.

No official information has reached the department about concessions, and surprise was occasioned by the dispatch from Mexico City quoting General Aado Aguirre, undersecretary of development and agriculture, as saying they had been granted.

Claimed by Americans.

The American government is interested both because of the apparent success of Japanese in obtaining a long sought foothold in Lower California, and because the tract of land involved was developed and is claimed by an American company whose rights were declared forfeited by the Mexican government in 1917.

The department was unable to determine as yet whether the land was the same as that to be sold two weeks ago by the California and Mexican Land company to Japanese interests, whether the concession had actually been made or report of it merely sent out as a "feeler."

Mexican Envoy Asks Word.

Mexican Ambassador Bonillas has no advices regarding reported negotiations, but has asked Mexico City for information. It is known here that the Mexican view is that the transfer of the property to Japanese citizens or companies is not in violation of the Monroe doctrine. The Mexicans point to the increasing Japanese interest in all South American and Central American coats and particularly the recent announced Brazilian concession to Japan—as grounds for such action.

Ambassador Ishii declined to discuss the reported deal. The Japanese, it is learned in diplomatic quarters, hold that the Japanese transactions in Latin America are purely commercial and can be given no political significance.

The state department declared today it has heard nothing from the California and Mexican Land company of Los Angeles, since it virtually warned that company against selling Lower California land to the Japanese two weeks ago.

GERMANS READY TO YIELD

Reported That They Will Allow Troops to Land at Danzig.

London, April 1.—The Berlin correspondent of the Mail says there is good reason to believe Germany will give way regarding the Danzig question if the Allies will agree that Polish troops shall not actually remain in Danzig pending the establishment of peace.

The German government has decided to send Mathias Erzberger to Spa to confer with Marshal Ferdinand Foch regarding the Danzig situation, according to a Berlin dispatch.

INSISTS THAT HE'S NO IDIOT

Former German Crown Prince Admits He May Be Tried.

Copenhagen, April 1.—The former crown prince, interviewed by a correspondent of the Berlingske Tidende, admitted the possibility of his being tried by an international court, but declared he did not believe he would be executed. He stoutly maintained that he is not an idiot. He frankly admitted his unpopularity.

WILSON AND GEORGE CONFER

Object of Meeting Is to Speed Peace Proceedings.

Paris, April 1. — Premier Lloyd George and President Wilson conferred privately for an hour before the council of four met at the president's residence. It is understood the purpose of the conference was to expedite the peace proceedings.

FOUR U-BOATS ON WAY HERE

German Submarines Leave English Port for America.

Harwich, England, April 1.—Four German submarines convoyed by the United States submarine tender Bushnell have left here for the United States.

Rioters Attack Train.

London, April 1.—Official communications referring to the outbreak in southern provinces of Egypt have been received from Cairo. They say that a train from Luxor was attacked at Minion March 15 and partially sacked. The bodies of seven British officers, who had been murdered, were found in the guard's car. On March 15, at Beni-Souef, a crowd invaded the courts during their sitting, drove out the officials and made an attempt to seize the British judge.

DANDRUFF MAKES HAIR FALL OUT

A small bottle of "Danderine" keeps hair thick, strong, beautiful.

Girls! Try this! Doubles beauty of your hair in a few moments.

Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine for a few cents at any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.—Adv.

False Economy.

"A long walk will give you a fine appetite."

"That's the reason I'm sitting still," replied Mr. Growcher. "I can't afford a fine appetite."

Mean Hint.

He—You don't catch my ideas.

She—I'm sorry, but I broke my butterfly net.

Sometimes a fellow calls making a lot of darned fool mistakes getting experience.

Beware of the man who doesn't look you in the eye—and the female who does.

Finest Burley Tobacco Mellow-aged till Perfect + a dash of *Chocolate*

Tuxedo

The Perfect Tobacco for Pipe and Cigarette

"Your Nose Knows"

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It Had No Terrors.

A snapshot taken by a noncom. A company marching by file on each side of the road not far from the Marne. A mounted French officer appears around the turn and rides up to the captain, who checks the advance of his column by signals. In somewhat broken English the French officer says: "Why do you go ahead on this road? You are going toward death."

"Well, I guess that was what we came to meet, wasn't it?"

"But there is a strong line ahead of you, and it is the Prussian guard."

"The Prussian guard? What the h—l is that?"—Scribner's Magazine.

Bringing the Wrinkles.

"Time, after all, is the great vaudeville artist." "The old fellow is a headliner all right."

No matter how early a man finds out he made a fool of himself some woman knew it first.

It's all right for a man to leave his better half if he leaves her plenty.

And She Answered!

In the conservatory during the Twelfth Night ball.

Reginald—Now that we are alone, Claire, I can ask you a question that I have been burning to ask you all the evening.

Claire (overcome with emotion)—Oh, Reginald!

Reginald—Ever since I entered the ballroom I have felt that my necktie was slowly creeping over the back of my collar, and the thought of my appearance made me miserable. Tell me, Claire, is my necktie all right?

Watch Cuticura Improve Your Skin. On rising and retiring gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. It is wonderful sometimes what Cuticura will do for poor complexions, dandruff, itching and red rough hands.—Adv.

Not Quite.

"How would you like to be an aviator?" "I can't say it would suit me down to the ground."

"Yes, I tried it, but I went back to Royal."

This is the experience of most women who have been tempted to try so-called cheaper baking powders which almost always contain alum and often leave a bitter taste.

Royal Baking Powder

Absolutely Pure

Made from Cream of Tartar derived from grapes

Royal Contains No Alum
Leaves No Bitter Taste

NINTH DISTRICT WILL NOT FAIL

People Must Do Their Full Share Putting Victory Loan “Over the Top.”

PATRIOTISM WILL DO IT

Officials of War Loan Organization Prepare for Campaign and Are Confident of Successful Outcome—To Uphold Past Record.

“The people of the Ninth Federal Reserve District will do their full share in finishing the job.”

A. R. Rogers, Chairman of the War Loan Organization, unhesitatingly made this promise to Carter Glass, Secretary of the Treasury, when he visited District Headquarters recently.

“We know the temper, the patriotism and the record of the people of the Northwest too well to have any fear of their response to the loan of Thanksgiving,” was the secretary's response.

“Therefore, it is up to us to continue to lead the United States ‘over the top,’” said Theodore Wold, Governor of the Ninth District Federal Reserve Bank. “Because of past performances the whole country is expecting great things of us in the test of peace time patriotism; and, judging from the ambition, enthusiasm and optimism already in evidence among our workers, we will not fail.”

Speakers Get Busy.

“We're off to a flying start,” said Joseph Chapman, district director of speakers. “Our campaign of platform education and instruction opened March 24. Every county is or will shortly be organized with a speakers' chairman. From now until the big buying day, April 21, there shouldn't be a meeting, large or small, in the whole district without a Victory Loan speaker on the program. Anyone who finds his county unorganized should take it up at once with his county chairman or with us. It is up to every man, woman and child to get busy and keep busy until the job is finished.”

The Opening Gun.

America's duty to her soldiers who suffered and bled and died for liberty on the fields of France was emphasized in a stirring speech by Carter Glass, Secretary of the Treasury, in the Minneapolis Auditorium the night of March 20.

In his talk he pointed out the need of raising money the government must have “to finish the job” that the wearers of the khaki started so well on the other side of the Atlantic.

The speech was the opening gun in the Victory Loan campaign that opens April 21 and was followed closely by a capacity house, made up of county chairmen from the Ninth District and delegates to the Better Business convention. He spoke in part as follows:

“When I am told of the difficulties which will beset the Victory Loan I refuse to lose faith in the enduring patriotism of the American people; I decline to believe that the fathers and mothers who gave four million sons to die, if need be, that liberty might survive, will now haggle over the material cost of saving the very soul of civilization from the perdition of Prussian tyranny.

“But I am told that we must approach the problem of future loans in a distinctly cold-blooded mood. Some men tell me it will be impossible again to appeal to the patriotism of the American people. Frankly, gentlemen, I should despair of my country if these things were exactly true. I should doubt our ability to cope with the problems of peace if so quickly we should forget the obligations of war. I wonder if those who talk in this fashion speak considerately? They tell about the “sacrifices” the American people have made, and in their voices there is a metallic tone and in their mien unconscious austerity.

“What is meant by the sacrifices of war for America? Where are our devastated fields and ruined cities? Where our cathedrals destroyed and homes profaned? Where our defiled women and starved children and wrecked men? Where on this wide continent does hunger stalk abroad or pestilential disease claim its thousands of victims? Is it, then, a serious sacrifice to invest one's money in the interest-bearing obligations of one's government in order to make everlastingly secure the nation's freedom as well as the nation's property?

“Our allies fought for us nearly three years before we began to fight with them. For nearly that period of time the United States profited tremendously, in a commercial and industrial sense, by the European war. Immense fortunes were made; prosperity pervaded our land. France and Britain lost millions of men killed and millions of others wounded. Less than sixty thousand American heroes sleep beneath the sod of France. Those men made the supreme sacrifice. Should we dishonor their memories or diminish the glory of their service by pausing in the cheerful performance of an imperative duty?

“When men undertake to compute the sacrifices of a war for freedom in terms of commerce I would like them to get a vision of some things I saw not long ago on the far-flung battle fronts of Ypres, which will live in song and story, through time and eternity, as the most memorable of which history will ever give account. There they might perceive the real meaning of sacrifice. There they could see what human heroism endured for the liberty of the race here and the wide world over. Here by night and day, in fair weather and foul, fighting their way step by step, waist deep in mud and mire, chilled to the bone, these incomparable heroes, these crusaders in the cause of liberty, fought their way through inconceivable obstacles and drove the enemy off the heights from which the Hun had literally viewed the Promised Land. Great God! what a moment was that for civilization. And how beyond the imagination of man to picture human endurance and courage so everlastingly sublime.

“Is there no obligation upon us to recompense vicarious suffering like that? Do we quite fully appreciate the sacrifices made by these boys for us when we talk about discharging our debt on a commercial basis, in a cold-blooded way? I want to be sensible in dealing with the Victory Loan; my own life has been too hard and too real to even suggest an excess of emotion. But, as the question looks to me, we should not approach it in cold blood. We have a right to invoke the patriotism of the people, and today it takes a higher type of patriotism to serve the nation than was required in the delirium of war. Upon this I shall confidently rely; and I here predict that the response will in no measure disappoint the expectation of those who set a high estimate upon the spirit of the American nation.

“We call this last the Victory Loan. It is that and more; It is a Thanksgiving Loan.

“There are yet 1,600,000 American boys in France and Germany who must be maintained in comfort and brought home in safety and provided with employment on their return. While Congress is writing off the books $13,000,000,000 of authorizations, for which public funds would have been expended had not the war suddenly terminated, the Government is still expending two billion dollars per month to meet the honorable commitments of the country. The honor of the Government is involved. Being your government, it is your honor that American people will make a response of which the nation will be proud.”

—Buy for Victory and Peace—

U. S. WAS FAR BEHIND IN WAR EXPENDITURES

Enlightening Information From Figures Computed by War Department.

Those who believe that the United States has contributed far more to the prosecution of the war than any of the other allies, may glean some enlightening information from figures recently compiled by the Treasury Department.

These figures show that in comparison with Great Britain, for example, this country was far behind in total expended.

The latest available statistics show that Great Britain's war bill totalled $37,100,000,000, in comparison with $18,481,000,000 for the United States.

Criticism has been heard that this country loaned Great Britain, France and others of the allies all the money they spent. The Treasury figures also disprove this statement. Our total loans to the Allies were $7,875,000,000 and Great Britain lent $8,500,000,000.

Even France, generally considered a poor war spender, devoted more to winning the war than did America with a total of $27,000,000,000. Russia was right behind us with $18,000,000,000.

Germany was second only to Great Britain in paying for the four years of war for the Berlin government poured out $36,500,000,000 in a vain attempt to get her place in the sun. The other Teutonic allies added $23,000,000,000, giving the Central Empires a total war bill of $59,500,000,000.

—Buy for Victory and Peace—

IF HE WERE YOURS.

The great heart of Uncle Sam is softened when dealing with the relatives of his soldiers who have made the great sacrifice.

It is often said that a big government has no time for sentiment, but Uncle Sam has spent millions for sentiment alone.

He has established an Effects Bureau that does nothing but see that the property of the dead boys gets to their people. He will spend a thousand dollars to get to a bereaved mother a watch or a knife or a trinket that belonged to that dead boy.

In one week in February, twenty tons of effects arrived in New York. It is the little details like this in “finishing the job” that cost money. Think of getting the dead boy's effects back to the bereaved mother when you are asked to subscribe to the Victory Liberty Loan on April 21.

—Buy for Victory and Peace—

HELP THE BLIND.

Soldiers themselves are almost unanimous in voting the blinded men the greatest tragedy of war.

Poor France has 3,200 men whose eyes were blasted out of their heads while meeting mankind's enemy in the Great War.

The United States has not compiled figures on the number of her blinded men. While the number is far lower [illegible] country is doing [illegible] and kindness [illegible] blind happy. [illegible] the [illegible] on

Big time in town Saturday.

Grygla expects to soon have a community hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nelson were Moorhead visitors one day last week.

There will be services Sunday at 11 o'clock at the Free Mission church by Rev. Myre.

Miss Hilma Sovde is now out of danger and is getting along nicely we are glad to report.

Bergman and Jennie Folden went to Warren to day where they both have employment on the Melgarad farm.

We are sure to have a Liberty Bond issue this month, but we are not sure when that Peace Treaty will be signed.

Eight page pamphlet, full of useful information for the potato grower, will be sent free by addressing Office of Publications, University Farm, St. Paul Minn., and asking for special bulletin No. 35.

Our car of phosphate has arrived and it is ready for delivery to the farmers.

Holt State Bank.

Telephone messages of 50c and over now bear a War Tax of 10c, the higher rate taking effect on the first day of April.

Miss Newton kept house and cared for the three little Kieffer children, while Mr. and Mrs. Horn were in Crookston over Sunday.

C. Holgren, formerly of Duluth, arrived here Tuesday to do some breaking on the farm owned by his father-in-law, Dr. F. D. Brandenberg.

Ten percent of the voters may petition the County Board to appoint a weed inspector. His salary is limited to $100 a month for six months only. There is no county that can not afford to use this law and start a movement to fight the sow thistle, the worst weed in the valley.

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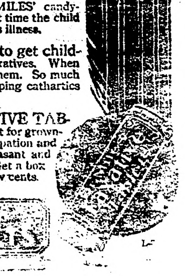
[illegible] only are DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS an effective medicine for children but for grown-ups as well. Any one suffering from constipation and its many ill effects will find in these pleasant and agreeable tablets an effective medicine. Get a box from your druggist — they cost only a few cents. Money back if first box fails to satisfy.



Are you ready for spring?

Aug Shogren is taking in potatoes here and expects to load a car tomorrow and probably another one next week. He pays 50 cents for Burbanks and 45 cents for Early Ohios, both to grade No. 1

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Hans Johnnie Paulsberg, a single man, Mortgagor, to the Holt State Bank, a corporation, Mortgagee, dated July 25th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of August, 1917, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 82 of mortgages on page 290.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of Eighty and no 100ths ($80.00) Dollars with interest thereon from the 25th day of November, 1918, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, together with the further sum of Forty-eight and no 100ths ($48.00) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of ten percent per annum from the 25th day of November, 1918, being the interest paid on a prior mortgage and which payment was due on the 25th day of November, 1918, and the further sum of Fifty-two and 2-100 ($52.02) Dollars, together with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 28th day of February, 1919, being the amount then paid for the 1917 real estate taxes, which were past due and delinquent, and which interest and tax payments were paid pursuant to the terms of the mortgage herein described making a total sum due on said mortgage at this date of One hundred eighty-three and 52-100 ($183.52) Dollars.

That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage is: The Southeast Quarter of Section No. Seven (7), in Township No. One Hundred fifty six (156) North of Range No. Forty [40], West of 5th P. M. situate in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosd by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 21st day of April, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the attorney's fee allowed by statute.

Dated March 4th, 1919.

Holt State Bank, Mortgagee.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minnesota March 19, 1919

Notice is hereby given that Agnes Fosen, of Holt Minn., who, on May 2, 1916, made Homestead entry. Serial No. 013613, for E1-2 SW1-4 Lots 4 and 5, Sec. 19 and Lot 9, Section 30, Township 156 N., Range 41W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 28th day of April; 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:
August Nelson, Nels A. Fosen, Grant I. Fiskne all of Holt Minn. Emil Ostlund of Golden Valley Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.
Proof made under Act June 6, 1912

Five thousand five hundred U. S. soldiers who were sent to Europe are still unaccounted for.

Fridjof Riesberg went to Langby, N. D. Saturday where he has an operators job in the depot.

Read our school report and notice that the young folks have done better than some of the grown ups.

Word reaches us that Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mosberg have moved from Minneapolis to Sturgeon Lake, this state.

The Middle River Pioneer is slightly mistaken about there being several cases of diphtheria here. On the contrary there was no diphtheria within six or seven miles of Holt and the people who had it are now all well again.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Charles W. Foss, a widower Mortgagor, to D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of March 1914, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 71 of Mortgages, on page 167.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, to W. H. Dempsey as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors by written assingment dated the 11th day of March 1914, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 18th day of May 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 152.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said W. H. Dempsey, as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank by written assignment dated the 15th day of February 1919, and recorded on the 20th day of February 1919, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 80 of Mortgages page 237; and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North Half of the Southeast quarter (N1-2 SE1-4) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section One (1) in Township One Hundred Fifty Six (156) North of Range Forty Two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty Six and sixty eight hundredths acres, more or less, according to United States Government Survey thereof,

in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 21st day of April 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 4th A. D. 1919.

Holt State Bank
Assignee of Mortgage
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Warren, Minn.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to “The Northern Light”

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Local Items

Dr. Gambell: phone 140

Plan your war garden, now.

Formaldehyde for smut at Carlson's store.

C. L. Heinze drove to Thief River Falls Friday on business.

Mrs Albert Jahr will entertain the ladies aid Wednesday April 16th.

B. J. Bakke left Monday, for the southern part of the state on business.

Miss Agnes Bakke went to Grand Forks Monday to attend an Eastern Star convention.

A fine baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hanson Friday P. M. Congratulations.

Rev. Myhrer will hold services at 11 A. M., Good Friday, in the Free Mission church.

Lost: A gem fountain pen. Finder please bring to this office. A reward will be given.

A fine 9lb. baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gunheim Wednesday morning. Congratulations.

Oscar Svenson was operated upon Wednesday at the Thief River Falls hospital for appendicitis.

Wanted: A girl for general housework. Good wages paid. Enquire of Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Thief River Falls.

Miss Esther Sorter went to Thief River Falls last week Thursday where she has a position as cook in the hospital.

Mrs. A. L. Carlson of Crookston come Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wigge and family for a few days.

Willie Rux went to Northwood, N. D., Friday to help care for the Martin Kulseth family who were sick with the flu.

Mrs B. O. Waggedahl spent the forepart of the week with her daughter Nellie at the tri-county sanitorium in Thief River Falls.

Dr. Mellby was called Wednesday night to see Mrs. Gunheim who was very sick at that time, but was very much improved yesterday.

Mrs. Riesberg was called to the Pavek home in Gardena, N. Dak., Tuesday by sickness in the family of her daughter, some of the members being sick with the flu.

C. G. Mugg, the Grand Forks Eye Man, makes a specialty of fitting glasses. 25 years experience in the northwest. Consultation free. He will be at Central Hotel in Holt on Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday forenoon April 29th and 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nelson went to Thief River Falls last week Thursday where the latter had her hand operated upon that same evening for an abscess. Mrs. Nelson is getting along as well as could be expected under the circumstances and her friends hopes that her hand will soon be all right again.

Army and Navy News

It's reported that Charley Horien has arrived at one of the eastern camps from overseas and will soon be mustered out of the service.

Adolph Johnson arrived from over seas March 15th, at Camp Merritt, N. J. and is quarantined for typhoid fever, but as it is a mild case of that disease, his condition is not considered dangerous.

Mrs. Martin Mattson received a letter Tuesday from the Casualty section of the U. S. Army and signed by the Captain of the company to which her brother, Alfred C. Olson had been previously transferred.

The letter stated that Private Alfred C. Olson was killed in action on Nov. 11th (the day the armistice was signed) in the battle of Haumont and was buried by Capt. Futcher, Chaplain 109th Infantry, at Woevre Chambley, Haumont Dept.

This letter confirms previous government reports and there is no longer any doubt that Alfred Olson has made the supreme sacrifice for his country and her people. The sincere sympathy of everybody is extended to the aged mother, the sisters, brothers and other relatives of the deceased.

The Home Talent Play

A big crowd attended the home talent play, “The Camouflage of Shirley” at the hall Saturday night and everyone was well pleased with the entertainment. These young people have worked hard to make the play a success and the many good words spoken of the entertainment shows how well they have accomplished their purpose. Each one, played well the part as assigned to them and showed the training given them by their instructor, Miss Nelson, of Thief River Falls, to whom no small part of the success of the play is due.

The play was staged for the benefit of the Holt public school. A piano has already been purchased and in order to pay the balance on that and the expenses of the play the same entertainment will probably be given in Newfolden and Middle River sometime in the future.

D. B. Bakke has let the job of excavating the basement for his house to P. A. Riesberg, and will commence building as soon as possible.

A. L. Carlson returned Friday from a weeks buying trip to the twin city wholesale houses and incidentally visiting his parents and other relatives.

A good young stallion is needed in your locality. The Tullar Farm, postoffice address, Warren, Minn., has two as fine horses as anyone could desire, for sale at very reasonable prices. Write the Tullar Farm at once and arrange to secure one of these horses.

C. A. Tullar, Manager

Albert Bennes, H. J. Oien and Ole Johnson went to Thief River Falls Friday night to ride the wild elk that is kept in their lodge room for the amusement of the old members and the joy of the new. Tony Carlson and P. L. Anderson went along to see that the bunch got home alive.

Aug. Shogren shipped a car of potatoes Tuesday that he bot of the farmers in this vicinity and he tells us they are all fine market potatoes.

He had expected to load another car this week, but on account of the disagreeable weather, has decided to stay here all next week and will pay the highert market prices for No. 1, potatoes.

Swan & Norbeck shipped cattle to the twin city markets again Tuesday.

Sack Erickson of Gatzke was a business visitor in Holt one day this week.

Mrs. Spinks of Middle River visited at the Docken home a few days this week.

A. R. Jones, P. L. Anderson, and Ole Johnson were Sunday guests at the Lewis Wegge home.

Ed. O'Hara has moved his family unto his farm from Thief River Falls where they have been living during the winter.

The weather man sent us a fair size snow storm the forepart of the week, just to remind us that we must not expect spring weather until about Easter time.

K. Brown and daughter Lillian left last week for Wishek, N. D., where he is going to put in a crop on some land he had rented, before moving to this place.

Miss Borghild Berg of Middle River came Saturday to visit Miss Luella Johnson and attend the play, returning to her home Monday morning.

Last week Wednesday, the Red Cross ladies gave Mrs. Gilbert Johnson and children a miscellaneous shower at Lutheran parsonage. A large attendance was present and a very pleasant social time was spent after which a delicious lunch was served.

The Marshall County Fair Board is offering $50 in prizes in the Boy's and Girl's Sheep Contest. The 1st prize is $10, 2nd $8, 3rd $6, 4th $4, and the next eleven $2 each. There are also prizes for the poultry and canning contests. Any boy or girl wishing to enter any contest should notify the county agent John Husby at Warren, who will send blanks, etc.

The Red Cross Ladies surprised and very much cheered Mrs. R. Reierson by congregating at her home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Reierson has practically been an invalid all winter and the meeting together meant much to her. After partaking of a fine lunch, the president Mrs. Fitch in behalf of the society presented the good lady with an aluminum coffee pot.

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Aug. Shogren, Holt

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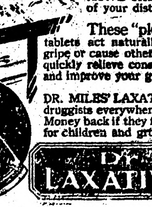

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co at close of business every Thursday)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 28
Wheat No. 2	2 25
Wheat No. 3	2 21
Wheat No. 4	2 17
Flax	3 65
Oats	56
Barley	75 to 81
Rye	1 45
Flour, Best Patent	6 45

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Thief River Falls
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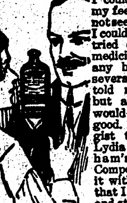

Peru, Ind.—"I suffered from a displacement with backache and dragging down pains so badly that at times I could not be on my feet and it did not seem as though I could stand it. I tried different medicines without any benefit and several doctors told me nothing but an operation would do me any good. My druggist told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it with the result that I am now well and strong. I get up in the morning at four o'clock, do my housework, then go to a factory and work all day, come home and get supper and feel good. I don't know how many of my friends I have told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Mrs. ANNA METERIANO, 36 West 10th St., Peru, Ind.

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Happenings of the World Tersely Told

Personal

Pope Benedict at Rome has appointed Rev. Fr. Thomas William Brumm of Cedar Rapids, Ia., to be bishop of Des Mones, Ia. Rev. Ex. Fr. Donald Martin of Oban has been appointed bishop of Argyll.

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August Belmont, Jr., died at New York, following an operation for intestinal trouble. He was thirty-seven years old.

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Washington

It is announced at Washington that Secretary Baker will sail from New York next Monday on the transport Leviathan for France to attend meetings of the American liquidation commission and to direct winding up the affairs of the American army in France.

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The Supreme court at Washington recessed until April 14, when arguments in pending cases will be resumed.

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A Washington dispatch says with the patriotic slogan to "match the navy" and a subscription of $5,000, Secretary of the Navy Daniels has won the distinction of having fired the first financial gun in the forthcoming Victory loan campaign.

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Terms of payment in the new Victory Liberty loan, announced at Washington are the most liberal ever offered by the government. Deferred payments may be extended over a period of six months, from May 10 to November 11.

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European War News

The Germans are concentrating large forces in eastern Prussia under command of Field Marshal von Hindenburg, according to the Paris edition of the New York Herald.

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The blockade of Germany has not been and will not be lifted for the present, Cecil Harmsworth, undersecretary for foreign affairs announced in the house of commons at London.

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It is reported from Bucharest that entente troops are being landed at Constanza, on the Black sea coast, en route to Hungary, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Central News.

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Allied troops, it is rumored at Paris, will be sent immediately into Roumania, which is threatened by Russ-Hungarian bolshevist forces. "The threat of new war is causing the greatest uneasiness in French socialist circles.

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Hungarian revolutionists fired on three English monitors when they arrived at Budapest from Belgrade, several English officers and men being killed, according to advices received here from the Hungarian capital.

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A small force of French troops stationed in the neutral zone between Hungary and Roumania has been attacked by the Hungarian troops, 350 of the French being taken prisoner, according to an official report received at Paris. On demand of the French general, the release of the prisoners has been promised by the Hungarians. Greatly disturbed conditions are reported to exist in Hungary.

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Foreign

The kaiser has turned socialist, according to The Hague correspondent of the London Daily Mail.

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Japanese corporations have been granted concessions to exploit agricultural lands in Lower California, according to the statement made by Gen. Amado Aguierre, undersecretary of development and agriculture at Mexico City.

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American troops refused to co-operate with the Japanese in fighting the bolsheviki near Blagovestchensk, War Minister Tanaka declared in answering questions put in the Japanese house of representatives Wednesday, a Tokyo dispatch says.

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A Paris dispatch says King Albert of Belgium flew in an airplane from Brussels to Paris.

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Lieut. C. Ripperger of Moline, Ill., was killed at Riverside, Cal., when the airplane in which he was flying over March field fell 1,000 feet.

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Drastic measures adopted by the Spanish government to suppress strikes were described in dispatches to the state department at Washington. Guns from warships in the harbor have been mounted in Barcelona and a rigid newspaper censorship is maintained.

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Serious disorders throughout Austria, the result of bolshevik agitation, are reported in Vienna dispatches. A mob at Deefing demolished the town hall in a demonstration demanding the overthrow of the government.

Communist troops invaded German West Hungary, but were repulsed after several conflicts with the inhabitants, according to a dispatch from Berlin.

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A Budapest dispatch says the Hungarian government has sent a delegation to Berlin to conclude a treaty of alliance against the entente allies. German officers formerly belonging to Field Marshal Mackensen's army have arrived in Budapest to reorganize the Hungarian army along German lines. The army now numbers 100,000 men.

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The communists have set up a reign of terror in Budapest, according to M. Krn, a member of the Czecho-Slovak mission to Budapest, who returned to Prague.

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A Peking dispatch says many persons were killed and wounded during another anti-Japanese demonstration in Seoul, Korea. Hundreds of persons were arrested by Japanese soldiers. The situation is serious.

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The government has decided to proclaim a state of siege in the Ruhr industrial district, according to a Berlin dispatch. Troops are advancing to this region to protect the plants and their workers from the terrorists.

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An official communication issued by the Esthonian army says the Esthonians captured the town of Pechery, in the Pskoff sector, and the town of Hutnash, on the eastern shore of the Gulf of Riga, about thirty miles south of Pernan. Both battles were won after hard fighting.

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Domestic

William Hale Thompson was re-elected mayor of Chicago by a plurality of 17,600 votes. The city went "wet" by a majority of 247,228.

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A phenomenon was recorded in Wisconsin when every city which is so far recorded as voting on the wet and dry issue went wet. Madison, the state capital, and Superior, the second city in the state, returned to the wet column, after being dry.

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A Washington dispatch says the United States troops which fought with the allies on the Italian front will begin to arrive in New York about April 10, and the entire command will be home probably before April 20.

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The appeal of the war department for 50,000 men for overseas service was answered at New York by more than 500 applicants. This number is said to be a record for peace-time enlistments.

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The last hope of the thirsty in Sangamon county, wherein is located Springfield, Ill., expired when Divernon township changed from the wet to the dry column by a majority of 90.

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A Manchester dispatch says the employers and operatives in that region have decided to close all mills using American cotton for a full fortnight from April 10.

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Mayor E. E. Jones, Republican, of Bloomington, Ill., defeated John B. Lennon, the nominee of the new Union Labor party, for mayor by a plurality of 278 votes.

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Dissolution of the Corn Products Refining company, which is required to sell to competitors before 1921 all but three of its manufacturing plants, was ordered by Federal Judge Learned Hand at New York.

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Eugene V. Debs, Socialist leader, threatened at Akron, O., to call a general strike of his party throughout the country on the day he starts serving his ten-year sentence under the espionage act.

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When they were refused admission by the Toledo (O.) city officials to Memorial hall, a city building, where Eugene V. Debs was scheduled to speak, 5,000 persons stormed the place, broke windows and doors, and then paraded the streets crying, "To hell with the mayor." And all the time Debs was in bed in a Cleveland hotel, too ill to appear in public. More than seventy-five men were arrested, including Thomas Devine, Socialist member of the city council.

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Citizens of Gary, Ind., propose to test whether a man's house is his castle or not—whether a constable has authority to invade a private residence in search of liquor stored against the time when the country shall be dry. Damage suits aggregating $25,000 have been filed in the Hammond superior court.

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Ensign W. C. Schulling, assigned to the Great Lakes naval training station, was arrested by Waukegan (Ill.) authorities as a "fence" for automobile thieves. He was held in default of $2,000 bonds, fixed by Justice of the Peace Taylor.

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The American cruisers Denver and Cleveland have arrived at Rio Janeiro.

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Eugene V. Debs' application for a rehearing of his appeal from conviction and sentence to ten years' imprisonment for violating the espionage act was denied by the Supreme court at Washington.

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The largest radio school in the world, now at Harvard university, will be transferred to the navy's Great Lakes training station, Chicago, about April 15.

HUNGARY RED CHIEF IS SLAIN

Counter Revolution Breaks Out in Budapest Is Report From Vienna.

HUNGER CRISIS IS NEAR

Austria Seething and Communist Revolt Is Reported Imminent—German Rail-Men Threaten to Block Polish Army Plan.

Basle, April 8.—Rumors are being circulated that a counter revolution has broken out in Budapest, according to a dispatch from Vienna. Foreign Minister Bela Kun is said to have been assassinated.

Basle, April 8.—A dispatch from Berlin said the workmen's and soldiers' council there had decided to arrest influential persons of the bourgeoise and press and occupy the war ministry, after which a soviet republic would be proclaimed simultaneously with a general strike.

Communists Plans Are for Strike.

Berlin, April 8.—Communists are completing plans for a general strike early next week.

Government forces are on the alert to oppose a coup d'etat.

Plots in Several Towns.

Copenhagen, April 8.—The German government has discovered plots in several towns for establishment of a soviet republic, a semi-official dispatch, from Berlin announces. Repressive measures are being taken.

The Krupp works are reported to be idle and its officials have been instructed to arm themselves against an emergency.

A dispatch from Berlin Saturday night said the government had discovered a plot to proclaim a soviet republic in that city.

Arming of Krupp officials may seem that a Spartacan attack is plotted on the works in an effort to obtain a large supply of arms and ammunitions.

Revolt in Austria.

Washington, April 8.—Advices reaching the state department indirectly from Vienna said a communistic revolution seemed imminent in German Austria.

New Difficulty.

Weimar, April 8.—After announcement was made that Polish troops would cross Germany, railway men presented new demands to the government, threatening a general strike if their demands were not granted. Newspapers urge that the government must make the strike impossible, since the Entente Powers have declared that if transportation is delayed or made difficult they will insist on landing Polish troops at Danzig.

STRIKE MARKED BY RIOTING

Shooting and Bomb Explosion Keep Lawrence Police Busy.

Lawrence, Mass., April 8.—Rioting marked by promiscuous shooting by strike sympathizers and police opened the 10th week of the textile strike here. The outbreak occurred near the Everett mills, a few hours after the city had been stirred by the explosion of a bomb in a tenement house in the same neighborhood.

The rioting began when strike sympathizers began throwing stones at mill windows and then shifted their attack to policemen. When the police found their clubs ineffective they drew pistols and their shots were answered by others from the crowd. Men and women also appeared at windows with missles. The bomb explosion occurred before daylight. The property damage was small. Twenty-three arrests were made.

WILSON ORDERS SHIP READY

Steamer George Washington to Proceed to French Port.

Paris, April 8.—Orders which it is learned have been given for the United States transport George Washington to proceed from America to a French port, are not taken to mean that President Wilson is contemplating a premature departure from France. They are thought rather to reflect a belief that the peace conference will be able to effect an adjustment of outstanding problems at a comparatively early date.

CHINESE WOMAN PEACE ENVOY

Only 23 Years Old, Arrives in Paris for Conference.

Paris, April 8.—Miss S. Cheng, a Chinese woman only 23 years of age, but with a record of several years' activity as a republican leader in China, has arrived here to attend the peace conference. Miss Cheng was three times condemned to death in 1916 and 1917 in connection with her activities. She was formerly a law student here.

Probe Body Members Named.

Paris, April 8.—Dr. Henry C. King, president of Oberlin college, and Charles R. Crane have been named as the American Members of the Inter-Allied commission designated by the Peace conference to investigate conditions in Syria, take a plebiscite and submit recommendations on the disposition of Syria. The investigation probably will require several months and it is certain no disposition will be made of Syria until after the signing of the peace treaty.

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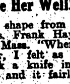
Health Was Shattered

Mrs. Hayes Was Discouraged Until Doan's Made Her Well.



Mrs. Hayes

"I was in awful shape from kidney trouble," says Mrs. Frank Hayes, 42 Dover St., Boston, Mass. "When I got up out of a chair, I felt as though someone had stuck a knife into the small of my back and it fairly took my breath away.

"The kidney secretions passed often and only a little at a time. They were so scalding I would scream so I believe I could be heard a block away. They deposited brick-dust-like sediment and their odor was something awful. My complexion became sallow and I had large puffs under my eyes.

"I was troubled with spells of gasping for breath and had such dizzy attacks I often fell right over. Spots floated before my eyes and I got so nervous I couldn't stand any noise. I cried over nothing at all, became irritable and imagined all sorts of things. My health was shattered and I became discouraged.

"I continued to grow worse in spite of any treatment and came pretty near dying several times. After several months of this horror, I heard about *Doan's Kidney Pills.* I used a dozen boxes of *Doan's* and was cured. I was entirely well and have enjoyed good health ever since."

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One of the worst features of acid-stomach is that very often it literally starves its victims in the midst of plenty. And the strange thing about it is that the people with acid-stomachs seldom know what their trouble really is.

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You may say: "My stomach doesn't hurt me." That may be true because many victims of acid-stomach do not actually suffer stomach pains. Then again, there are millions who do suffer all kinds of aches and pains—headaches, rheumatic twinges, gout, lumbago, pains around the heart and in the chest—who never dream that an acid stomach is the real cause of the trouble.

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LAND OF WEALTH

Western Canada Has Unbounded Possibilities.

Glorious Opportunities for the Stock Raiser, the Wheat Grower, and the Mixed Farmer—Its Fields to Feed the World.

Before there were any cattle in Alberta, or it was known that it was possible to feed them outside all the year round, the Indian hunters could always find the buffalo during the winter months pasturing in the foothills. In the summer the herds wandered on the plains and fed on the prairie grasses. The plains have since become grain fields, but the foothill district extending north from the International boundary for a thousand miles will always be a natural feeding ground for live stock. In the southern part of Alberta the altitude is greater than in the more northerly districts, but while the herds in the south have winder tracts of treeless pasturage, in the north from Red Deer on into the Peace river country there are more trees, a richer vegetation and more natural shelter.

Those who have been advocating stock raising and mixed farming for the past few years point to the number of hogs marketed as an evidence of the increased production of the Western Provinces. They may also take credit for the increase in cattle and sheep, which is very great, but perhaps not so marked as what has been accomplished in hog raising. For the first six months alone last year about half a million hogs were shipped from Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. A very conservative estimate value of these animals to the farmer would be $25.00 a head.

The Canadian West is fast forging to the front of the wheat-producing countries of the world, and "No. 1 hard" is without doubt the best wheat in the market today. When it is considered that the three hundred and forty-three million four hundred and seventy-three thousand bushel crop of 1915 was from only eleven million acres of her hundreds of millions of acres, it gives an idea of what her future will be.

It is felt, however, that on account of the great money there will undoubtedly be in growing wheat during the next few years there is a possibility that farmers may be tempted to drop the growing of coarser grains, which might result in less stock being raised. Every effort is being made by the Agricultural Departments of the various Provinces to impress on the farmers that forage crops and coarse feed in abundance mean production of flesh and milk, and that in the long run the great future of the Western Provinces lies in mixed farming which will found her prosperity on a more enduring basis.

Mixed farming has always been the rule in the Eastern Provinces where the formation of the land invites variety of crop, but it has not been as common in the Western Provinces, though the practice has grown in recent years. Hitherto the man mining wheat from the rich soil has purchased most of his household food and necessities, his energies being devoted to getting every possible bushel of grain out of every foot of his land, and he has paid prices for his supplies that have made a big dent in his profits. It has now dawned on him that he can raise vegetables and poultry, and supply his own table; that with very little effort he can raise a lot of garden produce and in a very simple manner solve his own problem of the cost of living. Further, that there is an increasing market for domestic necessities such as poultry, eggs, butter, milk and cheese, which command very high prices, and that there are other roads to prosperity besides that through the wheat field.

In 1916 Canada imported 7,989,269 pounds of butter, most of it from as far away as New Zealand, and for the first time in 60 years failed to ship butter to England, a condition due to the home consumption, which is estimated to be increasing at the rate of $3,000,000 worth a year, being greatly in excess of the increased supply. This condition has brought about a change in farming methods that is far-reaching, and will result in greatly increased production all round of the necessities demanded by the home market.

Natural Resources.

One of the most important considerations to the farmer is fuel. In northern Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, where portions of the country are well wooded, the settler has little difficulty in getting all the wood he requires and thousands of men find employment in the winter cutting wood, which is shipped all over the prairie portions of the provinces. There is an abundance of coal throughout the country. It is estimated that the coal deposits in Alberta cover over 81,000 square miles and represent an available tonnage of over ten hundred thousand million tons, while those in Saskatchewan cover an area of 13,000 miles, containing over 59,000,000 tons. In Manitoba the coal reserve is not as large, but even there 160,000,000 tons is considered a conservative estimate. At the present time these deposits are only worked to a small extent, but there is no doubt that they will be a great feature in upbuilding the country and will exercise a powerful influence on its commerce.

It is a common thing in the coal districts for farmers to get their coal supply off their own farm. Near Edmonton, for example, the farmers not only supply themselves, but they carry coal to the city market and find it a considerable source of revenue in the winter time. The Edmonton coal fields under and around the city have an estimated content of sixty thousand million tons. Farmers sell the coal at $4 a ton for domestic use.

The pioneer of Western Canada knew little of the enjoyments of life, compared with the farmer in that country today. The continual extension of railway lines affords facilities undreamed of a few years ago, closing up the gaps of communication, creating immense business for the East in the West and the West in the East, and drawing the farmer all the time nearer to the zones of commerce. In creating wider markets the railways are doing more than any other agency can do for Western Canada and the country as a whole. The products of the farms, which are now readily marketed, and the vast train of employment that follows the enlargement of the farming industry, is creating new agricultural centers and causing towns and cities of importance to grow all along its lines.

An admirable system of agricultural instruction has been developed through the efforts of the Dominion government and the various provincial Departments of Agriculture. This forms part of the educational system of Western Canada and is doing much for all branches of agriculture. Experimental farms have been established at various points in the provinces, which have done wonders in developing improved methods of farming.

The result has been a great awakening to the necessity of better methods of tillage, scientific stock raising and dairying. Farmers are beginning to realize that to get what they are entitled to out of the land, they must adopt scientific methods, and as a result, careful seed selection, proper rotation and summer fallow is the order of the day. Under the favorable conditions generally anticipated, prospects point to an all round increase in production that will leave a great deal of money in the hands of the western farmer this year, and prosperity for Western Canada as a whole. It will be years before Europe will make up arrears in agricultural production, caused by the enforced idleness and wholesale destruction, and Western Canada will play a big part in filling the void.

The result of the continued shortage in cattle, the future price of beef and the solution of the perplexing problem of feeding the world are vital questions uppermost in the minds of many thinking people today.

There is no doubt that the wide acres of Western Canada can, and will, be made to play an important part in bringing about a proper balance in supply and demand. In the northern parts of Manitoba and Saskatchewan and in Alberta are many thousands of acres of the richest pasture in the world, well watered and treated by the sunniest of climates. These rolling hills for the greater part are still unpeopled and untrodden by the hoofs of domestic animals.

One of the causes assigned for the decline in stock-raising is the reduction in the areas available for grazing on account of so many big ranches being converted into farms. Experiments, conducted at Vermilion, Alberta, would rather go to show that the old grazing grounds were too large, and that the feeding is really better when the animal is confined to a comparatively limited area, providing the pasturage is of the right kind and there is plenty of water.—Advertisement.

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ENEMY ACCEPTS NEW ARMISTICE

Teuton Assembly Bows to Terms of Truce After Long Debate, Danes Hear.

FOCH REFUSES DELAY

Pressure Being Exerted On Supreme War Council For Immediate Intervention in Russia—American Position Unchanged.

Paris, Feb. 18.—Pressure is being exerted on the supreme war council for an immediate intervention in Russia. The French were said to have been urged again that military action be taken against the bolsheviki on a large scale, while War Minister Winston Spencer Churchill's proposal—which has not been made public—was understood to contemplate proclamation of a state of war, if necessary. The American position in opposition to a military policy remained unchanged.

Accepts Terms.

London, Feb. 18.—The German cabinet discussed the armistice terms from 10:30 a. m. to 4 p. m., when an effort was made to summon the national assembly to decide upon the answer, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen. It was found impossible to summon the assembly, it is added, and after a conference with the party leaders it was decided to accept the terms unconditionally.

Ladies Attend Meeting.

Copenhagen, Feb. 18.—The German government accepted the Allied terms for the extension of the armistice, according to a dispatch to the Politiken from Weimar.

The meeting at which the acceptance was decided upon, the Politiken's correspondent says, was attended by leaders of the various parties.

An earlier report stated that in reply to a request by Mathias Erzberger, head of the German armistice commission, for a delay in the signing of the armistice terms until Monday noon, Marshal Foch declared that the armistice expired at 5 a. m. Monday and that the last hour for signing would be 6 p. m. Sunday.

In order to be able to issue necessary orders to the troops, if not signed then, Marshal Foch said he would be obliged to leave Treves and the armistice would no longer be in force.

Conflicting Reports.

Basle, Feb. 18.—Conflicting reports received from Treves regarding the status of the armistice. One dispatch said the armistice had been prolonged indefinitely, while another said that Marshal Ferdinand Foch had allowed the Germans three days grace in which to accept the new terms. The armistice was to have expired today.

FOE IN FINANCIAL STRAITS

Total War Cost to Germany $40,000,000,000, Says Schiffer.

Weimar, Feb. 18.—The German people generally do not yet understand clearly the financial situation in which the war has left them and they are too optimistic, declared Dr. Schiffer, the minister of finance, in an address to the German national assembly.

Dr. Schiffer asked the assembly to vote a credit in the form of a loan for $6,333,000,000, the greatest loan the German people ever have been asked to raise. He said that last October the government stood on the verge of financial exhaustion. It asked for a credit of $3,750,000,000, but when this was refused, raised it by means of bank note issues. The total cost of the war to Germany was $40,000,000,000, he said.

TO FRAME LAWS OF NATIONS

Root, Moore and Scott U. S. Members of Commission.

Paris, Feb. 18.—A permanent international jurisdiction has been constituted to study problems of international law that the peace conference must solve and the codification of international law.

The union, which is without any official status, will comprise 30 members from neutral countries.

The American members are Elihu Root, John Bassett Moore and James B. Scott. Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Cuba, Peru, Mexico, Great Britain, France, Italy, Spain, Belgium, Greece and Rumania also are represented.

PAY IS RAISED 25 PER CENT

Judge Alschuler Makes Award in Packing House Cases.

Chicago, Feb. 18.—Packing house employes were given a 25 per cent advance by the decision of the arbitrator, Judge Alschuler, who has announced the award. The advance is retroactive to Nov. 10.

Hague Opposed as League Capital.

Paris, Feb. 18.—Speculation already at work as to the seat of the secretariat of the new league of nations, provided by Article V. New York has been suggested so that President Wilson could direct the administrative work, but its distance from the other capitals seems an insuperable obstacle. The Hague as a seat meets with opposition from the French press which is not satisfied with Holland's role in the war. Brussels seems the most acceptable proposal yet made.

Weekly Health Talks

GOING BACK TO NATURE

BY DR. W. LUCAS.

People get sick because they go away from Nature, and the only way to get well is to go back. Something grows out of the ground in the form of vegetation to cure almost every ill. Some of these vegetable growths are understood by man, and some are not. Animals, it would seem, know what to do when they are sick better than men and women. Observers have noted that a sick horse, dog or cat will stop eating food and seek out some vegetable growth in the field, or yard, which, when found and eaten, often restores appetite and health. Haven't you seen these animals do this very thing yourself?

Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., long since found the herbs and roots provided by Nature to overcome constipation, and he had these vegetables collected and made up of Mayapple, leaves of Aloe, root of Jalap, into little white sugar-coated pills, that he called Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. You must understand that when your intestines are stopped up, poisons and decayed matter are imprisoned in your system, and these are carried by the blood throughout your body. Thus does your head ache, you get dizzy, you can't sleep, your skin may break out, your appetite declines, you get tired and despondent. As a matter of fact, you may get sick all over. Don't you see how useless all this suffering is? All that is often needed is a few of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, which he has placed in all drug stores for your convenience and health. Try them by all means. They are probably the very thing you need right now.

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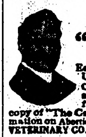
Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart caused by gases in the stomach. August Flower is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. Sold in all civilized countries. Give it a trial.—Adv.

Every woman is a born coquette, but the clever ones manage to conceal it at the proper time.

Cole's Carbolisalve Quickly Relieves and heals burning, itching and torturing skin diseases. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Heals without scars. 25c and 50c. Ask your druggist, or send 25c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill., for a pkg. Adv.

There is a great distance between said and done.

Railway travel teaches people to know their station and stop at it.



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COVENANT FOR WORLD LEAGUE

Constitution for League of Nations Read Before Conference by President Wilson.

9 NATIONS TO GOVERN

United States, Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan, With Four Smaller States to Form Executive Council of Body.

Paris, Feb. 15.—As outlined in the covenant read by President Wilson, the executive council of the League of Nations will consist of representatives of the United States, Great Britain, France, Italy, and Japan, together with representatives of four other powers.

The council shall meet as often as is necessary, but at least once a year, at whatever place may be designated.

Any matter within the sphere of action of the league, or affecting the peace of the world, will be dealt with.

Wilson To Call First Meeting.

The President of the United States shall summon the first meeting of the body of delegates and the executive council.

The league will have a secretariat under the direction of a secretary general, who shall appoint the other members.

The secretary general shall act in that capacity at all meetings.

Requirements For Membership.

The representatives of the high contracting parties and the officials of the league shall have diplomatic privileges and immunity. The building occupied by the league or its officials shall enjoy extraterritorial benefits.

The admission of states not signatory to the covenant shall be with the assent of not less than two-thirds of the states represented in the body of delegates and shall be limited to fully selfgoverning countries.

No state shall be admitted unless it gives effective guaranties to observe international obligations and unless it shall conform to conditions prescribed by the league in regard to its naval and military forces and armament.

To Protect Nations Attacked.

The high contracting parties undertake to respect and preserve the territorial integrity and political independence of all states members of the league against external aggression.

In case of any such aggression or any threat of danger of such aggression, the executive council shall advise upon the means by which the obligations of the members shall be fulfilled.

Declared Constitutional.

The plan for the Society of Nations, in the opinion of American delegates, is safe against attack on the ground of unconstitutionality. If it involves an alliance requiring the use of American troops, in combination with those of other nations, against an offender against the law of nations, as laid down by the conference, it is recalled that there is precedent for such an alliance in a treaty between the United States and France more than a century ago. It is also pointed out by authorities that power is reserved to congress to carry out the pledge in its own way through its control of appropriations and war making power.

The senate, especially, has distinctive powers in its right to approve or disapprove treaties such as that which is necessary to give life to the Society of Nations.

President Leaves For Home.

Preparations were completed for the homeward voyage of the presidential party, which left Paris for Brest on a special train and will sail on the liner George Washington, on which it came to France. This time the party is much reduced, the large staff of state department employes and numerous experts, who came over with Mr. Wilson, remaining in Paris.

HAMBURG IS TERRORIZED

Householders in Panic As Result of Depredations.

Copenhagen, Feb. 15.—There is a householders' panic at Hamburg as a result of the depredations by bands of thieves operating throughout the city, according to Berlin dispatches. The bands are said to travel in motorcars and to be heavily armed and it is reported that the residences of merchants have been pillaged and that the police are helpless.

Twenty residences have already been robbed, it is said.

Labor to Consider Merger.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Delegates of Illinois labor organizations will meet in May to arrange details of a proposed merger of the Labor party, recently organized at Chicago, and the Nonpartisan league, it was announced at headquarters here.

Pittsburgh Bank Is Closed.

Pittsburgh, Feb. 15.—With the arrest of J. F. Swartz, cashier, charged with embezzling $250,000 of its funds, the Park bank, one of the leading financial institutions of the East End, was closed. It was announced that P. G. Cameron, state bank examiner, had been appointed receiver. The bank's statement on Jan. 1 showed deposits of $2,235,859. According to the police, J. F. Swartz attempted suicide when officers arrived at his home. It was reported he is in a serious condition.

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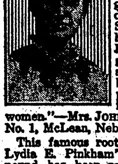

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WERE NOT TRYING TO FLIRT

Nervous Woman Rather Flattered Herself as Being the Object of Strange Men's Attentions.

A woman who labored under the delusion that men were always on the lookout to speak to unaccompanied females was rather nervous walking along a city street one evening. Two men were just behind her laughing and chatting in a very queer fashion, she thought.

"May I join you?" she asked of two women walking in front of her.

"Certainly," they replied. The three walked along. Still the two men followed. They were still laughing and making comments which, though inaudible, the woman felt were directed toward her.

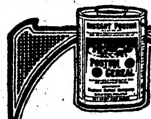
"Thank you for letting me go along with you," she said to her two companions as she left them at a subway entrance. "As a matter of fact those two men walking back of us made me very nervous. I think they have been trying to speak to me."

The women glanced back.

"Oh, indeed!" replied one, laughing, "those men are our husbands!"—Judge.

The man who aims to be good in this world may miss fire in the next.

It is the things that are made to look at that cost the most.



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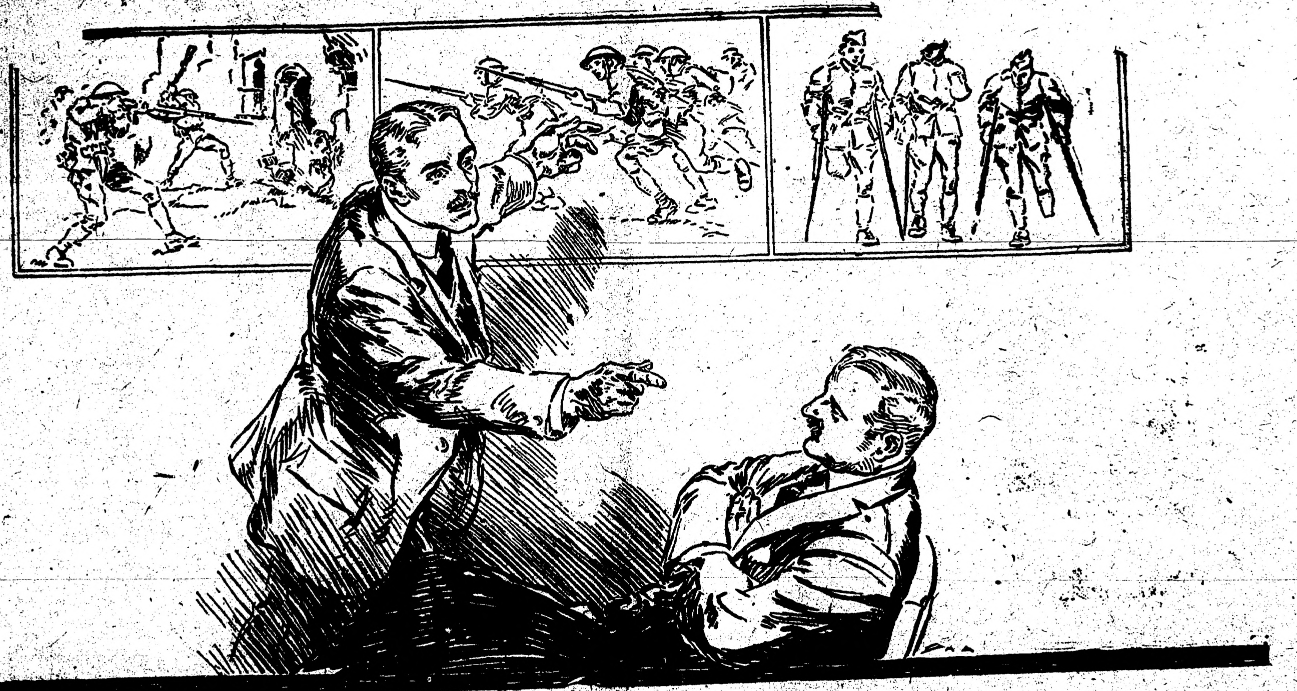

Did They Quit?

THEY did not. And they are not quitting now. Neither did you while we were winning the war.

Well, are you going to quit now—when the war is won? Our job isn't finished yet—not by a long shot. And it's a man-size job, too—if we are going to turn our victory to real account, if we are going to make from it a more prosperous America and a better world to live in.

We have fighting men to bring home and find jobs for. We have our wounded to care for and our crippled to rebuild into confident, successful citizens. There is still work for our fighting men to do in Europe, if we are to gain from our victory the kind of world we have been fighting for.

It's a big job! If we leave it unfinished now—when the end is in sight—Chateau Thierry and the Meuse will have been fought and won in vain.

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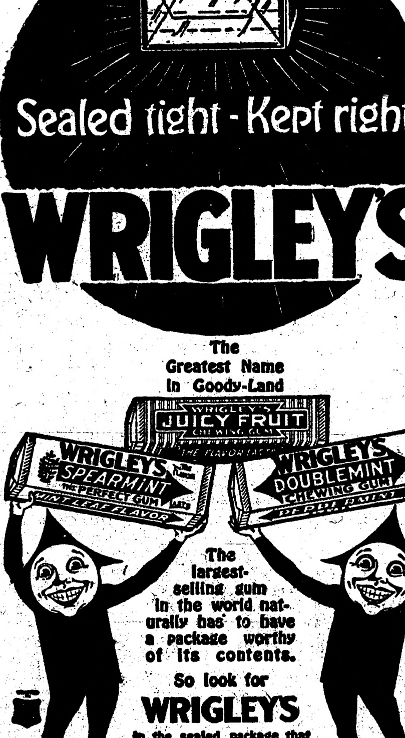

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LESSON ENDED RIGHT THERE

Third Answer to His Question Must Have Left School Superintendent Gasping for Breath.

Superintendent of Schools Shiels of Los Angeles, while endeavoring to teach a class of boys the composition of sentences, said to them:

"If I ask you 'What have I in my hand?' you must not answer 'chalk,' but compose a complete sentence such as, 'You have a piece of chalk in your hand.' Now we will continue.

"What have I on my feet?"

"Boots," was the immediate answer.

"Wrong, you haven't listened to my directions."

"Socks," answered another heedless one. "Wrong again; worse than ever," protested Shiels in exasperation.

"Well?" as another pupil raised his hand.

"Please, sir," then he paused. Perhaps he thought his answer might seem funny, but convinced that it was right, he gasped out recklessly, "corns!"

When it is our duty to do an act of justice it should be done promptly. To delay is injustice.—LaBruyere.

Wonder what the critics would do if nobody ever accomplished anything?

SHOULD HAVE KNOWN BETTER

Imperious Guest Made Great Mistake in Engaging in Controversy With Hefty Waitress.

"A guest came bulging out of the dining room yesterday with rivulets and rills of ketchup coursing down his face," related the landlord of the Petunia tavern, "and yelling that he had been assassinated or misconstrued or something. 'Peared like he had bit onto a tack in his fritters, and when he chided Sylphie, the hefty waitress, she busted the condiment over him. Also he wanted to know what I was going to do about it.

"'Well, Mr. Hollar,' says I, 'when you found a tack in your viands it was an accident, but when you talked so that she smashed the ketchup on your head to a young lady who served her apprenticeship as a waitress on a boarding car for a railroad construction gang, that was contributory negligence, and I can't do anything for you except to hand your bill to you and wish you well on your journey."—Kansas City Star.

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STATE BREVITIES

Pine River.—Twelve-year-old George Mellen was brought from Hackensack to the hospital for treatment for an injured ankle, broken when logs fell on him.

Winona.—Navigation on the Upper Mississippi river was officially opened today when the steamer Ideal left her slip here for Hannibal, Mo., on the first trip of the season.

Virginia.—The Whippet tanks sent by the Ninth Federal Reserve district to stimulate interest in the Victory Loan will visit Virginia April 14. Other towns of the range will also be visited.

Goodridge.—The Goodridge Co-operative creamery is now prepared to handle large amounts of cream for patrons. Its books for the last month show a very substantial increase over former months.

International Falls.—George P. Watson and others who failed to secure a restraining order stopping the city from buying a site for a water pumping plant, have now restrained the city from paying for the site.

St. Paul.—George H. Nettleton of St. Paul has been appointed state fire marshal by John B. Sanborn, state insurance commissioner. All present deputies were reappointed. The fire marshal's salary has been increased from $2,400 to $3,000 yearly.

Rochester.—Dr. Isaac Vandowlin of Virginia, past grand master of the I. O. O. F. of Minnesota, died at St. Mary's hospital here, following an operation. His remains were taken to Virginia by his wife. He was buried with I. O. O. F. honors.

St. Paul.—There were 7,958,645 fowls in the state last year. Although the figures issued by poultry fanciers give the number for 1917 as 7,959,595, it is thought more fowls were marketed early in 1918 than during the corresponding period in 1917, because of high prices.

Red Lake Falls.—To boost the sheep growing industry in Red Lake county Col. Frank Jeffers, stock breeder and vice president of the Red River Valley Livestock Breeders' association, proposes to organize a sheep club with a limited number of boys and girls under 21, each member to try to raise the best sheep.

Willmar.—Great Northern train No. 10, the Winnepeg-St. Paul mail and passenger, suffered its second wreck in two days, when it jumped the track two miles east of Pennock. Twenty-two passengers were more or less injured. All except seven were able to proceed on their journey after receiving medical attention. These seven were brought to the three hospitals here.

St. Paul.—Minnesota state banks in the process of organization and without state charters March 21 must be approved by the state securities commission before they can begin business. The ruling under the new law passed March 21 and requiring new state banks to pass examination by the board administering the "blue sky" law was given by Attorney General Clifford L. Hilton. F. E. Pearson, state superintendent of banks estimated that about 40 bank projects will be affected.

St. Paul.—Minnesota begins April business with $9,744,816.56, nearly $2,500,000 more than a year ago, according to Henry Rines, state treasurer. Sales of state securities and increases in railroad gross earnings tax payments make up the big increase in the balance of cash on hand. During March the receipts were $3,827,359 and the disbursements totaled $3,845,164. More than $1,200,000 from sales of certificates of indebtedness issued by the forest fire relief commission was the largest single receipt.

Fergus Falls.—The boys at Pelican Rapids, 20 miles north of here, have discovered a gold mine in the frog crop there. For some unexplained reason the frogs are coming out of the river banks or the river bottom in large numbers this spring. They are cold and stiff after their winter's sleep and are easily caught with improvised nets. Three boys working after school three evenings cleared up between $63 and $64. A brakeman on the Pelican Rapids branch, with his son, caught enough frogs in several hours Sunday to net him $61.20. It is thought the townspeople will net several thousands of dollars.

St. Paul.—Countess Iva proved herself to be the finest specimen of cowhood at the prize sale at South St. Paul. The countess, which was exhibited by Hagen & Covington of Kennedy, Minn., brought $1,400 from the pocketbook of J. L. Bady of Kellogg, Minn. Avon Chief, consigned by C. B. Grimes of Winnebago, Minn., took highest honors among the bulls when it was sold to Robert Bjorkland of Henning, Minn., for $630. Altogether, ninety head of prize cattle figured in the ring and the average sale price was $349.11, with the entire proceeds close to $31,400. The average price for the forty-two cows was $504, while the forty-eight bulls averaged $222. The sale was held by the Minnesota Short Horn Breeders' association.

Bemidji.—More than fifty beaver will be trapped by game warden, skinned and the skins prepared and shipped to St. Paul, where they will be sold because of the damage they are doing in the vicinty of Big Falls, Koochiching county. Game Warden Bailey has been authorized to supervise the trapping.

East Grand Forks.—W. J. Edwards, Grand Forks architect, presented plans for the rebuilding of the city hall to the building committee. The plans were approved and bids will be requested and construction commenced as soon as possible.

Barnesville.—The directors of the Clay County Fair association have decided to hold the sixth annual show at Barnesville, Sept. 9-12.

Stillwater.—The old two-story frame school house at Stillwater, was practically destroyed by fire, at a loss of about $4,000, partly insured.

Fergus Falls.—Mr. and Mrs. N. Rieman of Otter Tail celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home in Otter Tail township.

Luverne.—Burglars blew the safe of the Beaver Creek postoffice, but as there was no cash available they left without disturbing anything else.

Minneapolis. — Francisco Carlucy died in the Swedish hospital following injuries received when an automobile driven by Dr. A. E. Johnson, struck him.

St. Cloud.—Joe Lauer, who, with another youth, is charged with an attempted rape, of a 13-yead-old girl, was bound over to the grand jury and the case will come up in the May term.

Hawley.—Potato dealers here say that 538 cars of potatoes were shipped out of Hawley the past fall and winter. Indications are that the number of cars will reach the 800 mark with the spring shipments.

Pillager.—Postmaster J. C. Peterson announces that the postoffice at Sylvan, Minn., was discontinued March 31 and all mail addressed to Sylvan is received, delivered and accounted for by the postoffice at Pillager after that date.

Bemidji.—The splendid part Beltrami county played in the recent world's conflict are brought out in a letter issued by the county draft board to the people of the county, showing that one out of every two Beltrami county young men of draft age entered military service.

Red Lake Falls.—Leo Knott of Gervais was given a verdict of $350 in his suit against the county commissioners of Red Lake county for damages caused by the laying out of a road through his 160-acre farm. The case was the only jury case tried at the March session of the district court.

Minneapolis.—V. N. Grady, Duluth, was elected preseident of the Minnesota Funeral Directors' association at a meeting in the Institute of Anatomy, University of Minnesota. L. E. Wilwerschied, St. Paul, was elected first vice president; George Forrester, second vice president; A. P. Knaeble, third vice president; R. E. Dare, secretary, and Joseph Gross, treasurer.

Crookston.—Lee R. Boyd, formerly a lieutenant in the Three Hundred and Thirteenth engineers, has received his commission as captain, according to word received by his parents. Capt. Boyd is the son of State Representative John Boyd and won his commission as captain as a direct reward for merit in the completion of a difficult job of railroad engineering in the devastated region in France.

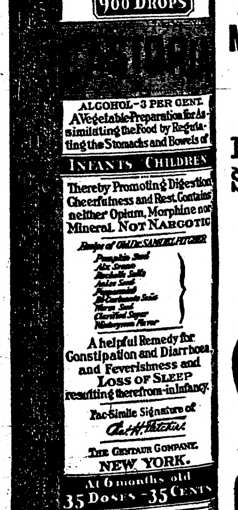
St. Paul.—Public safety commission figures show that wheat acreages of the state were increased in 1918 to 3,136,459, for a gain of more than 60 per cent over those of 1917. The wheat planted in 1917 totaled 2,029,465 acres. Increases in grains included the following: Barley, 1,480,147 acres, from 1,131,672; oats, 2,590,254 acres, from 3,280,792; and hay, 2,960,759, from 2,832,493, in 1917. The increase in corn acreage was 2,814,982 in 1917, to 2,658,515 in 1918. Potatoes were planted on 261,303 acres last year, as against 234,554 in 1917.

St. Paul.—Minnesota farmers milked 980,093 cows in 1918, while they milked only 929,023 the year before. Other cattle increased in number to 1,443,912 in 1918, from 1,328,338 in 1917, according to the livestock census made by the Public Safety commission. Greater sheep raising was indicated by 318,414 in 1918, as against 239,781 in 1917. Despite the large number of tractors and automobiles, there were 764,336 horses in the state in 1918, compared with 716,372 the year preceding. Hogs dropped from 2,028,346 in 1917 to 1,887,939 in 1918.

St. Paul.—Otter Tail county, with 35,248 cows, led the other counties of the state last year. It was closely followed by Stearns, which has 33,585. Fillmore was the banner county for other cattle, having 49,398, and nosing Otter Tail out of first place by 65 Stearns was first in horses, with 19,490, which was 468 more than had Fillmore. With 69,735, Renville county was the leader in hogs last year. It was hard pressed by Rock county, which had 68,718. These counties were the leaders in 1917, also. Otter Tail was first in 1918 in poultry, with 239,881, and led in 1917, also, with 233,900.

St. Paul.—Thousands of wild ducks and other migratory water fowl may now be seen on Minnesota lakes and rivers on their northward spring flight, Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, said and barring a repetition of conditions late last year, Minnesota sportmen will enjoy good hunting next fall. Commissioner Avery explained that the poor hunting last fall was due to unfavorable flight conditions and not to a scarcity of birds. Canadian lakes were open until December and the flight was unusually late and rapid as a result. The birds either took new routes or made no stops in Minnesota and hunting suffered accordingly.

Hibbing.—The extra income tax aliens are obliged to pay is said here to be causing numerous noncitizens on the Minnesota iron ranges to return to their native land. No one nationality predominates, at least seven being represented. Figures at the local postoffice savings department show a decrease in savings of $3,000 for March, as compared with February, due, Postmaster J. B. Connors says, to heavy withdrawals by foreigners, who, when asked for a reason, state they are going home. The past several weeks has witnessed the greatest exodus in years, it is said.



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At the Zoo.

Bobby, aged seven, was making his first visit to the zoo. He looked around at the various animals, and coming to a cage markel "Female," he rushed up to his mother in great excitement.

"Oh, mother," he said, "I've always wanted to see a 'Female,' and here he is!"—Cartoons Magazine.

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Do your best, then take what comes without flinching. Every experience can be turned to good account.

I could hardly feel much confidence in a man who had never been imposed upon.—Guesses at Truth.

Monkeys Die of Flu.

Monkeys are the latest victims of the Spanish influenza scourge which has been sweeping the world, according to a letter received by a resident of Albany, Ore., from a relative who is a banker in a South African city. Thousands of monkeys have perished in the forests of South Africa from influenza, the latter declares. Moreover the plague is prevailing among the white and black population, with high mortality.

Cinch.

"How can I be sure that I am the only woman you ever loved?"

"That's easy. Until I met you I didn't know what love was."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

For Colds, Catarrh or Influenza

Do you feel weak and unequal to the work ahead of you? Do you still cough a little, or does your nose bother you? Are you pale? Is your blood thin and watery? Better put your body into shape. Build strong!

An old, reliable blood-maker and herbal tonic made from wild roots and barks, is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This "nature remedy" comes in tablet or liquid form. It will build up your body, cure your cold, and protect you from disease germs which lurk everywhere. One of the active ingredients of this temperance alterative and tonic is wild cherry bark with stillingia, which is so good for the lungs and for coughs; also Oregon grape root, blood root, stone root, Queen's root,—all skilfully combined in the Medical Discovery. These roots have a direct action on the stomach, improving digestion and assimilation. These herbal extracts in the "Discovery" aid in blood-making, and are best for scrofula. By improving the blood they aid in throwing off an attack of influensa.

Catarrh should be treated, first, as a blood disease, with this alterative. Then, in addition, the nose should be washed daily with Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

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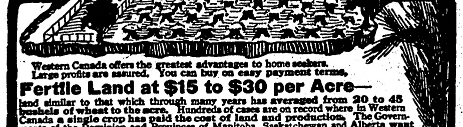

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land similar to that which through many years has averaged from 20 to 45 bushels of wheat to the acre. Hundreds of cases are on record where in Western Canada a single crop has paid the cost of land and production. The Governments of the Dominion and Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta want the farmer to prosper, and extend every possible encouragement and help to

Grain Growing and Stock Raising.

Though Western Canada offers land at such low figures, the high prices of grain, cattle, sheep and hogs will remain.

Loans for the purchase of stock may be had at low interest; there are good shipping facilities; best of markets; free schools; churches; splendid climate; low taxation (none on improvements).

For particulars as to location of lands for sale, maps, illustrated literature, reduced railway rates, etc., apply to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Can., or

W. E. BLACK, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. Dak.;
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WESTERN CANADA Farm Lands Low Prices

INCREASE FOOD EXPORTS

[illegible]ica Called on by End of War to Supply Added Millions.

ECONOMY STILL NEEDED.

Over Three Times Pre-War Shipments Required—Situation in Wheat and Fats Proves Government's Policy Sound.

With the guns in Europe silenced, we have now to consider a new world food situation. But there can be no hope that the volume of our exports can be lightened to the slightest degree with the cessation of hostilities. Millions of people liberated from the Prussian yoke are now depending upon us for the food which will keep them from starvation.

With food the United States made it possible for the forces of democracy to hold out to victory. To insure democracy in the world, we must continue to live simply in order that we may supply these liberated nations of Europe with food. Hunger among a people inevitably breeds anarchy. American food must complete the work of making the world safe for democracy.

Last year we sent 11,820,000 tons of food to Europe. For the present year, with only the European Allies to feed, we had originally pledged ourselves to a program that would have increased our exports to 17,500,000 tons. Now, to feed the liberated nations, we will have to export a total of not less than 20,000,000 tons—practically the limit of loading capacity at our ports. Reviewing the world food situation, we find that some foods will be obtainable in quantities sufficient to meet all world needs under a regime of economical consumption. On the other hand, there will be marked world shortages in some important commodities.

Return to Normal Bread Loaf.

With the enlarged wheat crops which American farmers have grown, and the supplies of Australia, the Argentine and other markets now accessible to shipping, there are bread grains enough to enable the nations to return to their normal wheat loaf, provided we continue to mill flour at a high percentage of extraction and maintain economy in eating and the avoidance of waste.

In fats there will be a heavy shortage—about 3,000,000,000 pounds—in pork products, dairy products and vegetable oils. While there will be a shortage of about three million tons in high protein feeds for dairy animals, there will be sufficient supplies of other feedstuffs to allow economical consumption.

In the matter of beef, the world's supplies are limited to the capacity of the available refrigerating ships. The supplies of beef in Australia, the Argentine and the United States are sufficient to load these ships. There will be a shortage in the importing countries, but we cannot hope to expand exports materially for the next months in view of the bottle neck in transportation.

We will have a sufficient supply of sugar to allow normal consumption in this country if the other nations retain their present short rations or increase them only slightly. For the countries of Europe, however, to increase their present rations to a material extent will necessitate our sharing a part of our own supplies with them.

Twenty Million Tons of Food.

Of the world total, North America will furnish more than 60 per cent. The United States, including the West Indies, will be called upon to furnish 20,000,000 tons of food of all kinds as compared with our pre-war exports of about 6,000,000 tons.

While we will be able to change our program in many respects, even a casual survey of the world supplies in comparison to world demands shows conclusively that Europe will know famine unless the American people bring their home consumption down to the barest minimum that will maintain health and strength.

There are conditions of famine in Europe that will be beyond our power to remedy. There are 40,000,000 people in North Russia whom there is small chance of reaching with food this winter. Their transportation is demoralized in complete anarchy, and shortly many of their ports will be frozen, even if internal transport could be realized.

To Preserve Civilization.

At this moment Germany has not alone sucked the food and animals from all those masses of people she has dominated and left starving, but she has left behind her a total wreck of social institutions, and this mass of people is now confronted with absolute anarchy.

If we value our own safety and the social organization of the world, if we value the preservation of civilization itself, we cannot permit growth of this cancer in the world's vitals.

Famine is the mother of anarchy. From the inability of governments to secure food for their people grows revolution and chaos. From an ability to supply their people grows stability of government and the defeat of anarchy. Did we put it on no higher plane than our interests in the protection of our institutions, we must bestir ourselves in solution of this problem.

DISTRICT HAS EIGHT OF 100 BRAVEST

All Offered Their Lives and Five Died for Country on French Battlefields.

The Ninth Federal Reserve district boasts the honor of having eight of its sons listed among the "Hundred Bravest" with the American army in France.

For use in the coming campaign, the Victory Liberty Loan committee in Washington asked General John Pershing to forward to America the 100 bravest acts performed by his men during the great struggle. After long and careful consultation with his board of generals that decides who is worthy to receive the Distinguished Service Cross, the Hundred Immortals were named.

Five of the eight men named from the Ninth District died in the performance of the feat that won them undying fame in American history. Paying insurance to the relatives of these men who thought life cheap when country and honor were at stake, is one of the reasons why the Victory Liberty Loan must succeed. Commenting upon the brilliant achievements of the eight men from his district, A. R. Rogers, chairman of the Ninth District War Loan organization, said:

"Nothing could be more apropos in discussing the work of these heroes than the words of Lincoln at Gettysburg: 'That from these honored dead we take increased devotion to that cause for which they gave the last full measure of devotion, that we here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain.'"

WE GAVE OUR QUOTA OF HEROES.

Here are the men whose names will be graven deep on the pages of American history through all the ages:

WILLIAM R. PECK, of Minneapolis, Sergeant in "C" company, 38th Infantry. He was killed near Remonville, France in Nov. 1918 when he threw himself against one of his officers and exposed himself to a German machine gun. This act of bravery saved the officer's life but Peck was riddled with bullets. His death was instantaneous. He left a wife and a baby that he never saw. They live at 4027 Zenith Ave. Minneapolis.

THEODORE PETERSON, of Minneapolis, Sergeant in the medical detachment of the famous 151st Field Artillery. Although mortally wounded near Peronne, France in March, 1918 and too weak to aid his comrades he directed the treatment of others and refused aid himself until all others were cared for. Dying, he directed the men in affixing their gas masks although suffering terribly. He died shortly after reaching the hospital. He was swimming instructor at the Minneapolis Athletic Club. His mother lives in Oshkosh, Wis.

LOUIS CUKELA, of Minneapolis, Lieutenant in 5th Regiment of Marines. Because his company was suffering fearful losses from a strong enemy point near Villers-Cotterets, France in July, 1918, he crawled out to a flank and made his way to the German line in the face of heavy fire, and despite the warnings of comrades attacked a machine gun emplacement alone. He killed the crew with his bayonet. With hand grenades, he bombed out the remaining portion of the strong point.

NESS WOLD, of Kelly Lake, Minn., private in "I" company, 138th Infantry. He died in action at Cheppy, France in Sept. 1918 after a series of brave exploits that is still the talk of his regiment. Machine gun nests had been holding up his company's advance and Wold with a comrade, silenced the guns and brought back 11 prisoners in the face of murderous fire. Later he leaped from a trench and rescued a pal who was about to be shot by a German, killing the officer at the same time. While rushing a fifth machine gun nest he was killed. His bravery was responsible for the advance of his company that day.

CLAYTON K. SLACK, of Lampson, Wis., private "D" company, 124th Machine Gun Battalion. At Consenvoye, France one day in Oct. 1918, he saw German soldiers under cover, 50 yards away. On his own initiative, he attacked them single-handed and captured 10 prisoners and two machine guns. His action saved his company and neighboring organizations from heavy casualties. His mother, Mrs. Jennie Mae Slack lives at Lampson, Wis.

CARL F. PAYSON, of Monroe, Mich., Sergeant in "C" company, 125th Infantry. He died for his country near Chateau Thierry in August, 1918. Although mortally wounded by a machine gun bullet in the head at the village of Cierges, he kept going with the attacking wave. His words of encouragement and his valor and will power instilled the men with a spirit of fearlessness that carried them to victory. He died within an hour. His mother, Mrs. Minnie Timberman, lives at Monroe, Mich.

RAY C. DICKOP, of West Bend, Wis., 1st lieutenant in the 127th Infantry, also died in performing his act of bravery. In the attack on Fismes in August, 1918, he was fearfully wounded in the body, head and legs. Although fatally shot, he gave the command to "charge" when the order came and led his men forward until he fell dead. His aunt, Miss Lena Schiller lives at West Bend, Wis.

WALTER S. SEVALIA, of Brule, Wis., corporal in "F" company, 7th Engineers, cited for "extraordinary heroism" in action near Breulles France in November 1918. He swam the Meuse under terrific fire with a cable for a pontoon bridge. Later he carried another cable over the Est Canal, across an open field covered by enemy machine guns. At this juncture he was wounded but returned, carrying a message of great importance. He is alive to tell his experience. His mother, Mrs. Mary Stewart, lives at Brule, Wis.

"And those of us who bought Liberty Bonds thought we were doing something," said Chairman Rogers, after reading the roll of honor above. "Those eight boys offered their lives, while we at home only offered our money. Five of them died for us; the other three offered to die. With the thought of these eight immortals uppermost in our minds, I don't see how the Victory Liberty Loan can fail."

Will we fail to give our quota of dollars to finish the job?

VICTORY LIBERTY LOAN

APRIL 21

Rev. Myhrer will hold services at 11 A. M., Good Friday, in the Free Mission church.

Jens Folden of Idaho came last week Thursday to visit his brother, T. B. Folden and other relatives.

Remember the short hay crop last year and if the season is favorable, try seeding some tame grass this spring with your wheat or oats.

W. A. Ziegler an instructor in the state university, has been chosen superintendent of the Thief River Falls high school to succeed Prof. Hay.

The report of the peat experiment work at Golden Valley is ready and will be sent free. Write the Northwest Experiment Station, Crookston. They also sell small amounts of pure bred seed to farmers when they agree to keep the stock pure and free from weeds.

Burbank potatoes are selling for 60 cents and early Ohios for 45 cents and some might think by that the late potatoes are the best to raise. But how was it last fall? Were not prices just the other way then? How much have the farmers made by holding their potatoes and how many have sufficient storage room for keeping their potatoes till spring? Mr. Shogren, the potato buyer here in Holt, says himself that the early potato brings the best price at digging time.

The farmer who markets his potatoes in the fall saves the labor of putting them in storage and taking them out again.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

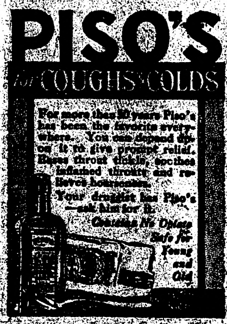
Notice!

Anyone having rooms to paper this spring will do well to see my samples of wall paper and get my prices on same.

If you will let me know when you would like to have me call, I will be glad to do so, and show samples and give you a price on any or all of your rooms.

R. L. Adams

—SAVE—THINK IN INTEREST—



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Creamery Statement

Business done by Holt Creamery for month of Jan. 1919

Cream received	14,490 lbs
Average Test	26.90
Butterfat	3,899 lbs
Overrun	911 lbs
Butter made	4,810 lbs.
Price paid	53 cents
Receipts for butter sold	$2,758.49
Paid Patrons by check,	$2,051.09
Sinking fund	25.55
Expense fund	601.81
Shortage	1.51
Balance	78.53
Total	$2758.49

Patrons receiving checks of $50.00 and over:

Olaus Rodahl	$151.70
F. D. Voth	111.14
Julius Faiman	91.26
Jno. Engstrom	82.21
Jno. Simonson	69.82
C. E. Smith	74.95
E. O. Waggedahl	59.59
Gust Peterson	58.01
L. Wegge	52.39

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Insure Your Auto

The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate "Insurance against fire, thieves, etc. See them at once

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Hans Johnnie Paulsberg, a single man, Mortgagor, to the Holt State Bank, a corporation, Mortgagee, dated July 25th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of August, 1917, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 88 of mortgages on page 290.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of Eighty and no 100ths ($80.00) Dollars with interest thereon from the 25th day of November, 1918, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, together with the further sum of Forty-eight and no 100ths ($48.00) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of ten percent per annum from the 25th day of November, 1918, being the interest paid on a prior mortgage and which payment was due on the 25th day of November, 1918, and the further sum of Fifty-two and 2-100 ($52.02) Dollars, together with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 28th day of February, 1919, being the amount then paid for the 1917 real estate taxes, which were past due and delinquent, and which interest and tax payments were paid pursuant to the terms of the mortgage herein described, making a total sum due on said mortgage at this date of One Hundred eighty-three and 52-100 ($183.52) Dollars.

That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage is: The Southeast Quarter of Section No. Seven (7), in Township No. One Hundred fifty six (156) North of Range No. Forty [40], West of 5th P. M., situate in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 21st day of April, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the attorney's fee allowed by statute.

Dated March 4th, 1919.

Holt State Bank, Mortgagee.
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minnesota March 19, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Agnes Fosen, of Holt Minn., who, on May 2, 1916, made Homestead entry, Serial No. 018613, for E1-2 SW1-4 Lots 4 and 5, Sec. 19 and Lot 9, Section 30, Township 156 N., Range 41W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 28th day of April, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses: August Nelson, Nels A. Fosen, Grant I. Flakne all of Holt Minn. Emil Ostlund of Golden Valley Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.
Proof made under Act June 6, 1912

Take Notice.

Our car of phosphate has arrived, and it is ready for delivery to the farmers.

Holt State Bank.

—SAVE—THINK IN INTEREST—

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

No services in Golden Valley and East Valley Palm Sunday April 13.

Easter services and Ladies Aid at John Anderson's at 11 o'clock and 4 o'clock in district 148, East Valley on April 27th.

Communion services in Holt at 2 o'clock Thursday April 17. English services 8 P. M. Good Friday. Apr. 20th, Easter services at 11, in Thorvick at 3 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Charles W. Foss, a widower Mortgagor, to D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of March 1914, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 71 of Mortgages, on page 167.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, to W. H. Dempsey as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors by written assignment dated the 11th day of March, 1915, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 18th day of May, 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 158.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said W. H. Dempsey, as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank by written assignment dated the 15th day of February 1919, and recorded on the 20th day of February 1919, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 86 of Mortgages page 281, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North Half of the Southeast quarter (N1-2 SE1-4), and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty Six (156) North of Range Forty Two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty Six and sixty eight hundredths acres, more or less, according to United States Government Survey thereof,

In Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 21st day of April 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 4th A. D. 1919.

Holt State Bank
Assignee of Mortgage
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Warren, Minn.

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

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Subscription Price: $1.25 per year, in the First, Second, Third and Fourth Zones, in all other Zones $1.50 per year, all in advance.

Local Items

Dr. Gambell, Specialist [illegible]

Formaldehyde for smut at Carlson's store.

[illegible]

[illegible] his son, Carl and H. J. [illegible] family for a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. Horn have moved [illegible] section house which [illegible] to the railroad company.

[illegible] Model thoroughly overhauled. For price see Oscar Anderson, Holt.

[illegible] and Tony Carlson and A. R. [illegible] attended Masonic lodge in Thief River Falls Tuesday evening.

Thorvald Kolden went to Middle River Tuesday where he has employment on a farm ten miles east of the village.

Mrs. Albert Mathison came from McIntosh Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew [illegible] and family.

There will be an Easter program at the Synod church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Lunch will be served at the parsonage.

Alfred and Bertil Sollom, [illegible] and John Kjelgren drove down from Middle River Tuesday evening in the former's new Ford.

The Ringbo Young People's Society will give an Easter program in their church Sunday evening April 20th. Lunch will be served.

Treat your seed grain and potatoes with formaldehyde to prevent [illegible] scab. Sold by Holt Merc. Co. Call for Formaldehyde.

Elizabeth Mo[illegible] returned home on Tuesday from visiting relatives and friends at different points in this state, Wisconsin and North Dakota.

The Ringbo Farmers Club will meet at the school house on Saturday evening April 19th at 8 o'clock. Lunch will be served and the ladies will please bring lunches with them.

The young people of Holt gave their home talent play at Middle River Saturday evening and at Newfolden Monday evening. They were greeted with good sized crowds at each place and from all reports their efforts were appreciated.

Formaldehyde for smut at Carlson's store.

Army and Navy News

Clarence Docken arrived at Camp Mills Long Island Monday from overseas and will soon join his wife and baby who are at Bismark, N. Dakota.

Ernest Kuehn returned home on Tuesday from Camp Dodge where he was stationed for sometime before being mustered out. Ernest is quite well again, we are pleased to report.

Sgt. M. D. Fitch wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Fitch, under date of March 18th, that his motor truck company has been on the French roads, nearly all the time for the last four months. They use a large Liberty truck and when they have made about 60 miles over the [illegible] they feel they have [illegible].

[illegible] has been in the Army [illegible] half years and has undergone lots of hardships, that the rest of us might enjoy our liberties, but he tries to smile through it all, and to cheer up others along his pathway.

[illegible]

Formaldehyde for the prevention of grain smut and potato scab, sold by the Holt Merc. Co.

Pure bred stock and pure grain and vegetable seeds help to make [illegible] farmers.

We are glad to report that Oscar Swenson came thru his operation O. K. and is on the road to recovery.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Davidson April 13th, a baby boy. Both mother and babe are getting along nicely.

The Synod congregation have decided to build a basement under the church and will commence work as soon as possible.

K. T. Knutson is putting up a little home on his farm to use as a bachelors quarters while doing his farm work in the field.

Miss Susan R. [illegible] of Chicago Ill. came last week to look over her farm at Golden Valley, which she purchased about a year ago.

W. E. Damon returned Sunday from a short business trip to Ottertail county. We understand Mr. D. invested in a farm down there, but will not move this season.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minnesota March 19, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Agnes Fosen, of Holt Minn., who, on May 2, 1916, made homestead entry, Serial No. 018613, for E 1-2 S W 1-4 Lots 4 and 5, Sec. 19 and Lot 9 Section 30, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 28th day of April, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses: August Nelson, Nels A. Fosen, Grant I. Flakne all of Holt Minn. Emil Ostlund of Golden Valley Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.
Proof made under Act June 6, 1912

Notice- Everybody

There will be school next Monday as usual, but the Holt Village Liberty Loan Committee will be at the school Monday April 21 from 4 to 8 P. M. to take subscriptions for Victory Bonds, and the Red Cross will serve lunch commencing at 4 until all are served.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Plan your war garden, now.

Lots of tractors are being shipped in here this spring which is good evidence of the farmers prosperity.

Pedigreed seed grains can be obtained of the N. W. Experiment Station by applying to Co. Agt. Jno. Husby.

Nels Johnson, Clarence Swan and Einer Johnson went to Hibbing Friday to look for work. The Johnson boys failed to find work to suit them so they returned home Wednesday.

The Thief River Falls Times has purchased the [illegible] printing plant in that city and will consolidate the two plants at the location of the latter. We are pleased to note this evidence of prosperity of [illegible] and co-workers.

[illegible]

[illegible] and Mr. Rogers are doing some carpenter work for Mr. Best.

[illegible] and Chris Berg were in this town Sunday.

Art Simonson accompanied by Robert [illegible] was out in his Ford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz called on Nick Baker and family Sunday.

[illegible] Copp visited his parents over Sunday.

[illegible] and Ella Meyers made a trip to T. R. Falls Saturday returning home Monday.

[illegible] has a Ford car now and [illegible] a good time as soon as the roads are dry.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Holt Cafe!

Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours

A fine line of Bakery Goods

Nice Booths and Tables for the serving of Ice Cream

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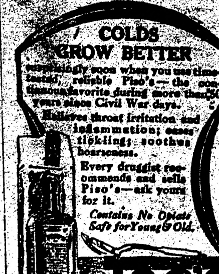

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A Steady Growth!

That this Bank is a well established and prosperous condition is evidenced by the following figures showing the increase in the deposits from the time the present management took charge up to the present time:

April 1, 1913 Total Deposits	$ 56,445.14
April 1, 1914 Total Deposits	$ 60,891.21
April 1, 1915 Total Deposits	$ 71,271.23
April 1, 1916 Total Deposits	$ 87,419.35
April 1, 1917 Total Deposits	$111,521.11
April 1, 1918 Total Deposits	$188,072.92
April 1, 1919 Total Deposits	$206,291.40

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Holt State Bank

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When mother is feeling "out of sorts" the home life is "out of tune." When suffering from headache, or any of the various ailments caused by constipation she is obliged to neglect her home duties. Children and husband miss the hundred and one little things she does for them.

Read how Mrs. Lillie Smith of Burlington, Vt., found relief.

"For years I suffered from chronic constipation. I grew steadily worse and was unable to do any work. I used different remedies but to no avail. I used DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS and they gave me prompt relief."

Women, men and children find in DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS a splendid and effective medicine for constipation and it's ills. Keep a box always on hand. Delicate women and children can take them with safety. Money back if first box fails to satisfy. All druggists.

Pleasant to take—Taste Like Candy

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co at close of business every Thursday)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.30
Wheat No. 2	2.27
Wheat No. 3	2.23
Wheat No. 4	2.19
Flax	3.60
Oats	.56
Barley	72 to 80
Rye	1.48
Flour, Best Patent	6.55

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls

Office Phone 73,
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 96

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Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls

Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

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City Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners

All work guaranteed satisfactory

Ernest Phillipson
Holt, Minn.

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State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886. A. W. GLEASON, (Seal) Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.

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In connection with teams and rigs

Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

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Holt, Minn.

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To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

Complete Line of CASKETS and Funeral Supplies

which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

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Dr. Mugg, p m Apr. 28, a m of 29.

Wanted: A girl for general housework. Good wages paid. Enquire of Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Thief River Falls.

[illegible] INCREASE FOOD EXPORTS

[illegible] Called on by End of War to Supply Added Millions.

ECONOMY STILL NEEDED.

Over Three Times Pre-War Shipments [illegible] Situation in Wheat and Fats Proves Government's Policy Sound.

With the guns in Europe silenced, we have now to consider a new world food situation. But there can be no hope that the volume of our exports can be lightened to the slightest degree with the cessation of hostilities. Millions of people liberated from the Prussian yoke are now depending upon us for the food which will keep them from starvation.

With food the United States made it possible for the forces of democracy to hold out to victory. To insure democracy in the world, we must continue to live simply in order that we may supply these liberated nations of Europe with food. Hunger among a people inevitably breeds anarchy. American food must complete the work of making the world safe for democracy.

Last year we sent 11,820,000 tons of food to Europe. For the present year, with only the European Allies to feed, we had originally pledged ourselves to a program that would have increased our exports to 17,500,000 tons. Now, to feed the liberated nations, we will have to export a total of not less than 20,000,000 tons—practically the limit of loading capacity at our ports. Reviewing the world food situation, we find that some foods will be obtainable in quantities sufficient to meet all world needs under a regime of economical consumption. On the other hand, there will be marked world shortages in some important commodities.

Return to Normal Bread Loaf.

With the enlarged wheat crops which American farmers have grown, and the supplies of Australia, the Argentine and other markets now accessible to shipping, there are bread grains enough to enable the nations to return to their normal wheat loaf, provided we continue to mill flour at a high percentage of extraction and maintain economy in eating and the avoidance of waste.

In fats there will be a heavy shortage—about 3,000,000,000 pounds—in pork products, dairy products and vegetable oils. While there will be a shortage of about three million tons in high protein feeds for dairy animals, there will be sufficient supplies of other feedstuffs to allow economical consumption.

In the matter of beef, the world's supplies are limited to the capacity of refrigerating ships. The supplies of beef in Australia, the Argentine and the United States are sufficient to load these ships. There will be a shortage in the importing countries, but we cannot hope to expand exports materially for the next months in view of the bottle neck in transportation.

We will have a sufficient supply of sugar to allow normal consumption in this country if the other nations retain their present short rations or increase them only slightly. For the countries of Europe, however, to increase their present rations to a material extent will necessitate our sharing a part of our own supplies with them.

Twenty Million Tons of Food.

Of the world total, North America will furnish more than 60 per cent. The United States, including the West Indies, will be called upon to furnish 20,000,000 tons of food of all kinds as compared with our pre-war exports of about 6,000,000 tons.

While we will be able to change our program in many respects, even a [illegible] survey of the world supplies in comparison to world demands shows conclusively that Europe will know famine unless the American people reduce their home consumption down to the barest minimum that will maintain health and strength.

There are conditions of famine in Europe that will be beyond our power to remedy. There are 40,000,000 people in North Russia whom there is small chance of reaching with food this winter. Their transportation is demoralized in complete anarchy, and shortly many of their ports will be frozen, even if internal transport could be realized.

To Preserve Civilization.

At this moment Germany has not alone sucked the food and animals from all those masses of people she has dominated and left starving, but she has left behind her a total wreck [illegible] of social institutions, and this mass of people is now confronted with absolute anarchy.

If we value our own safety and the social organization of the world, if we value the preservation of civilization itself we cannot permit growth of this cancer in the world's vitals.

Famine is the mother of anarchy. From the inability of governments to secure food for their people grows revolution and chaos. From an ability to supply their people grows stability of government and the defeat of anarchy. Did we put it on no higher plane than our interests in the protection of our institutions, we must bestir ourselves in solution of this [illegible]

DISTRICT HAS EIGHT OF 100 BRAVEST

All Offered Their Lives and Five Died for Country on French Battlefields.

The Ninth Federal Reserve district boasts the honor of having eight of its sons listed among the "Hundred Bravest" with the American army in France.

For use in the coming campaign, the Victory Liberty Loan committee in Washington asked General John Pershing to forward to America the 100 bravest acts performed by his men during the great struggle. After long and careful consultation with his board of generals that decides who is worthy to receive the Distinguished Service Cross, the Hundred Immortals were named.

Five of the eight men named from the Ninth District died in the performance of the feat that won them undying fame in American history. Paying insurance to the relatives of these men who thought life cheap when country and honor were at stake, is one of the reasons why the Victory Liberty Loan must succeed. Commenting upon the brilliant achievements of the eight men from his district, A. R. Rogers, chairman of the Ninth District War Loan organization, said:

"Nothing could be more apropos in discussing the work of these heroes than the words of Lincoln at Gettysburg: 'That from these honored dead we take increased devotion to that cause for which they gave the last full measure of devotion, that we here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain.'

Here are the men whose names will be graven deep on the pages of American history through all the ages:

WILLIAM R. PECK, of Minneapolis, Sergeant in "C" company, 20th. Infantry. He was killed near Remonville, France in Nov. 1918 when he threw himself against one of his officers and exposed himself to a German machine gun. This act of bravery saved the officer's life but Peck was riddled with bullets. His death was instantaneous. He left a wife and a baby that he never saw. They live at 4027 Zenith Ave. Minneapolis.

THEODORE PETERSON, of Minneapolis, Sergeant in the medical detachment of the famous 151st. Field Artillery. Although mortally wounded near Peronne, France in March 1918 and too weak to aid his comrades he directed the treatment of others and refused aid himself until all others were cared for. Dying, he directed the men in affixing their gas masks although suffering terribly. He died shortly after reaching the hospital. He was swimming instructor at the Minneapolis Athletic Club. His mother lives in Oshkosh, Wis.

LOUIS CUKELA, of Minneapolis, Lieutenant in 5th. Regiment of Marines. Because his company was suffering fearful losses from a strong enemy point near Villers-Cotterets, France in July, 1918, he crawled out to a flank and made his way to the German line in the face of heavy fire, and despite the warnings of comrades attacked a machine gun emplacement alone. He killed the crew with his bayonet. With hand grenades, he bombed out the remaining portion of the strong point.

NELS WOLD, of Kelly Lake, Minn., private in "I" company, 138th. Infantry. He died in action at Cheppy, France in Sept. 1918 after a series of brave exploits that is still the talk of his regiment. Machine gun nests had been holding up his company's advance and Wold with a comrade, silenced the guns and brought back 11 prisoners in the face of murderous fire. Later he leaped from a trench and rescued a pal who was about to be shot by a German, killing the officer at the same time. While rushing a fifth machine gun nest he was killed. His bravery was responsible for the advance of his company that day.

CLAYTON K. SLACK, of Lampson, Wis., private "D" company, 124th. Machine Gun Battalion. At Consevoye, France one day in Oct. 1918, he saw German soldiers under cover, 50 yards away. On his own initiative, he attacked them single-handed and captured 10 prisoners and two machine guns. His action saved his company and neighboring organizations from heavy casualties. His mother, Mrs. Jennie Mae Slack lives at Lampson, Wis.

CARL F. PAYSON, of Monroe, Mich., Sergeant in "C" company, 125th. Infantry. He died for his country near Chateau Thierry in August, 1918. Although mortally wounded by a machine gun bullet in the head at the village of Cierges, he kept going with the attacking wave. His words of encouragement and his valor and will power instilled the men with a spirit of fearlessness that carried them to victory. He died within an hour. His mother, Mrs. Minnie Timberman, lives at Monroe, Mich.

RAY C. DICKOP, of West Bend, Wis., 1st lieutenant in the 127th. Infantry, also died in performing his act of bravery. In the attack on Fismes in August, 1918, he was fearfully wounded in the body, head and legs. Although fatally shot, he gave the command to "charge" when the order came and led his men forward until he fell dead. His aunt, Miss Lena Schiller lives at West Bend, Wis.

WALTER S. SEVALIA, of Brule, Wis., corporal in "E" company, 7th Engineers, cited for "extraordinary heroism" in action near Breuilles France in November 1918. He swam the Meuse under terrific fire with a cable for a pontoon bridge. Later he carried another cable over the Est Canal, across an open field covered by enemy machine guns. At this juncture he was wounded but returned, carrying a message of great importance. He is alive to tell his experience. His mother, Mrs. Mary Stewart, lives at Brule, Wis.

"And those of us who bought Liberty Bonds thought we were doing something!" said Chairman Rogers, after reading the roll of honor above. "Those eight boys offered their lives, while we at home only offered our money. Five of them died for us; the other three offered to die. With the thought of these eight immortals uppermost in our minds, I don't see how the Victory Liberty Loan can fail."

WE GAVE OUR QUOTA OF HEROES.

Will we fail to give our quota of dollars to finish the job?

VICTORY LIBERTY LOAN

APRIL 21

Rev. Myhrer will hold services at 11 A. M., Good Friday, in the Free Mission church.

Jens Folden of Idaho came last week Thursday to visit his brother. T. B. Folden and other relatives.

Remember the short hay crop last year and if the season is favorable, try seeding some tame grass this spring with your wheat or oats.

W. A. Ziegler an instructor in the state university, has been chosen superintendent of the Thief River Falls high school to succeed Prof. Hay.

The report of the pest experiment work at Golden Valley is ready and will be sent free. Write the Northwest Experiment Station, Crookston. They also sell small amounts of pure bred seed to farmers when they agree to keep the stock pure and free from weeds.

Burbank potatoes are selling for 60 cents and early Ohios for 45 cents and some might think by that the late potatoes are the best to raise.

But how was it last fall? Were not prices just the other way then?

How much have the farmers made by holding their potatoes and how many have sufficient storage room for keeping their potatoes till spring?

Mr. Shogren, the potato buyer here in Holt, says himself that the early potato brings the best price at digging time.

The farmer who markets his potatoes in the fall saves the labor of putting them in storage and taking them out again.

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For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota.

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Notice!

Anyone having rooms to paper this spring will do well to see my samples of wall paper and get my prices on same.

If you will let me know when you would like to have me call, I will be glad to do so, and show samples and give you a price on any or all of your rooms.

R. L. Adams

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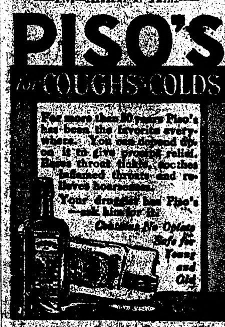

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Creamery Statement

Business done by Holt Creamery for month of Jan. 1919

Cream received	14,490 lbs
Average Test	26.90
Butterfat	3,890 lbs.
Overrun	911 lbs
Butter made	4,810 lbs.
Price paid	58 cents
Receipts for butter sold	$2,758.49
Paid Patrons by check,	$2,051.09
Sinking fund	25.55
Expense fund	601.81
Shortage	1.51
Balance	78.53
Total	$2758.49

Patrons receiving checks of $50.00 and over:

Olaus Rodahl	$151.70
F. D. Voth	111.14
Julius Faiman	91.26
Jno. Engstrom	82.21
Jno. Simonson	69.82
C. E. Smith	74.95
E. O. Waggedahl	59.59
Gust Peterson	58.01
L. Wegge	52.39

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Insure Your Auto

The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate

"Insurance against fire, thieves, etc. See them at once

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage containing a power of sale by reason of which default said power of sale has become operative, and the mortgagee hereinafter named is authorized to declare the whole sum due, and hereby does declare the said sum due, which mortgage was executed by Hans Johnsen Paulsberg, a single man, Mortgagor, to the Holt State Bank, a corporation, Mortgagee, dated July 25th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of August, 1917, at 8 o'clock A. M., in book 82 of mortgages on page 290.

That the amount claimed to be due, and is due on said mortgage at this date is the sum of Eighty and no 100ths ($80.00) Dollars with interest thereon from the 25th day of November, 1918, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, together with the further sum of Forty-eight and no 100ths ($48.00) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of ten percent per annum from the 25th day of November, 1918, being the interest paid on a prior mortgage and which payment was due on the 25th day of November, 1918, and the further sum of Fifty-two and 2-100 ($52.02) Dollars, together with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 28th day of February, 1919, being the amount then paid for the 1917 real estate taxes, which were past due and delinquent, and which interest and tax payments were paid pursuant to the terms of the mortgage herein described, making a total sum due on said mortgage at this date of One Hundred eighty-three and 52-100 ($183.52) Dollars.

That the premises described in and covered by said mortgage is: The Southeast Quarter of Section No. Seven (7), in Township No. One Hundred fifty six (156) North of Range No. Forty [40], West of 5th P. M., situate in the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota.

That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the above described premises, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 21st day of April, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and taxes if any, together with the costs of such sale, and the attorney's fee allowed by statute.

Dated March 4th, 1919.

Holt State Bank, Mortgagee.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minnesota March 19, 1919

Notice is hereby given that Agnes Fosen, of Holt Minn., who, on May 2, 1916, made Homestead entry, Serial No. 018613, for E1-2 SW1-4 Lots 4 and 5, Sec. 19 and Lot 9, Section 30, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 28th day of April, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses: August Nelson, Nels A. Fosen, Grant I. Flakne all of Holt Minn. Emil Ostlund of Golden Valley Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

Proof made under Act June 6, 1912

Take Notice

Our car of phosphate has arrived, and it is ready for delivery to the farmers.

Holt State Bank.

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Nazareth Lutheran Church.

No services in Golden Valley and East Valley Palm Sunday April 13.

Easter services and Ladies Aid at John Anderson's at 11 o'clock and 4 o'clock in district 148 East Valley on April 27th.

Communion services in Holt at 2 o'clock Thursday April 17. English services 8 P. M. Good Friday. Apr. 20th, Easter services at 11, in Thorvick at 3 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Charles W. Foss, a widower, Mortgagor, to D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of March 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of March 1914, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 71 of Mortgages, on page 162.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said D. B. Bakke Mortgagee, to W. H. Dempsey as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors by written assignment dated the 11th day of March 1914, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 18th day of May, 1915, at 9:00 o'clock A. M. in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 158.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said W. H. Dempsey, as Guardian of Helen, Michael and Agnes Brandle, Minors the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Holt State Bank by written assignment dated the 15th day of February 1919, and recorded on the 20th day of February 1919, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 86 of Mortgages page 287, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North Half of the Southeast quarter (N1-2 SE1-4), and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty Six (156) North of Range Forty Two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty Six and sixty eight hundredths acres, more or less, according to United States Government Survey thereof,

In Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 21st day of April 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Hundred thirty five and 86-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 4th A. D. 1919.

Holt State Bank
Assignee of Mortgage

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Warren, Minn.

State Historical Society

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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By The
Holt Publishing Company.

Published every Friday at Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota.

Entered as second-class matter Sept. [illegible], at the post office at Holt, Minnesota, under the act of March 3, 1879.

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Local Items

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Alfred and Bernt Sollum, [illegible] and John [illegible] drove down from Middle River Tuesday evening in the former's new Ford.

The Ringbo Young People's Society will give an Easter program in their [illegible] Sunday evening April 20th. Lunch will be served.

[illegible] with formaldehyde to prevent [illegible]. Sold by Holt Merc. Co. Call for Formaldehyde.

[illegible] returned home on Tuesday from visiting relatives and friends at different points in this state, Wisconsin and North Dakota.

The Ringbo Farmers Club will meet at the school house on Saturday evening April 19th at 8 o'clock. Lunch will be served, and the ladies will please bring lunches with them.

The young people of Holt gave their home talent play at Middle River Saturday evening and at Newfolden Monday evening. They were greeted with good sized crowds at each place and from all reports their efforts were appreciated.

Formaldehyde for smut at Carlson's store.

Army and Navy News

Clarence Dicken arrived at Camp Mills Long Island Monday from overseas and will soon join his wife and baby who are at Bismark, N. Dakota.

Ernest Kuchel returned home on Tuesday from Camp Dodge where he was stationed for sometime before being mustered out. Ernest is quite well again, we are pleased to report.

Sgt. M. H. Fitch wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fitch, under date of March 18th, that his motor truck company has been on the French roads, nearly all the time for the last four months. They use a large Liberty truck and when they have made about [illegible] miles over the poor roads they feel they have [illegible]

[illegible]

The Synod congregation have decided to build a [illegible] church and will commence work as soon as possible.

[illegible] is putting up a little house on his farm [illegible] while [illegible] his farm [illegible]

Miss [illegible] of Chicago Ill. came last week to look over her farm at Golden Valley, which she purchased about a year ago.

W. E. Damon returned Sunday from a short business trip to Ottertail county. We understand Mr. D. invested in a farm down there, but will not move this season.

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U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minnesota March 19, 1919.

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Proof made under Act June 6, 1912

Notice- Everybody

There will be school next Monday as usual, but the Holt Village Liberty Loan Committee will be at the school Monday April 21 from 4 to 8 P. M. to take subscriptions for Victory Bonds, and the Red Cross will serve lunch commencing at 4 until all are served

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Plan your war garden, now.

Lots of tractors are being shipped in here this spring which is good evidence of the farmers prosperity.

Pedigreed seed grains can be obtained of the N. W. Experiment Station by applying to Co. Agt. Jno. Husby.

Nels Johnson, Clarence Strom and Einer Johnson went to Hibbing Friday to look for work. The Johnson boys failed to find work to suit them so they returned home Wednesday.

The Thief River Falls [illegible] purchased the [illegible] plant in that city and will consolidate the two plants [illegible] of the [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] and Chris Berg were in [illegible] Sunday.

Art Johnson accompanied by [illegible] was out in his Ford [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz called on [illegible] and family Sunday.

[illegible] visited his parents [illegible]

[illegible] and Ella Meyers made a trip to T. R. Falls Saturday returning [illegible]

[illegible] has a Ford car now and [illegible] a good time as soon as the [illegible] dry.

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Holt Cafe!

Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours

A fine line of Bakery Goods

Nice Booths and Tables for the serving of Ice Cream

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surprisingly soon when you use time-tested, reliable Piso's—the continuous favorite during more than 50 years since Civil War days. Relieves throat irritation and inflammation; eases tickling; soothes hoarseness. Every druggist recommends and sells Piso's—ask yours for it. Contains No Opiate Safe for Young & Old.

PISO'S

A Steady Growth!

That this Bank is in a well established and prosperous condition is evidenced by the following figures showing the increase in the deposits from the time the present management took charge up to the present time:

April 1, 1913	Total Deposits	$ 56,448.14
April 1, 1914	Total Deposits	$ 60,891.21
April 1, 1915	Total Deposits	$ 71,271.38
April 1, 1916	Total Deposits	$ 87,419.35
April 1, 1917	Total Deposits	$111,521.11
April 1, 1918	Total Deposits	$188,072.92
April 1, 1919	Total Deposits	$206,261.40

A Time Account in this bank possesses all the essentials of a high grade investment. You may deposit $1.00 or 10,000

Holt State Bank

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
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We Buy All Kinds of Grain
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THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you [illegible]. We have a new modern, complete [illegible] etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists. Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

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Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

Mother's Health affects the whole family

When mother is feeling "out of sorts" the home life is "out of tune." When suffering from headache, or any of the various ailments caused by constipation she is obliged to neglect her home duties. Children and husband miss the hundred and one little things she does for them.

Read how Mrs. Lillie Smith of Burlington, Vt., found relief.

"For years I suffered from chronic constipation. I grew steadily worse and was unable to do any work. I used different remedies but to no avail. I used DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS and they gave me prompt relief."

Women, men and children find in DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS a splendid and effective medicine for constipation and it's ills. Keep a box always on hand. Delicate women and children can take them with safety. Money back if first box fails to satisfy. All druggists.

Pleasant to take—Taste Like Candy

LAXATIVE TABLETS

The Local Market
(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	[illegible]
Wheat No. 2	[illegible]
Wheat No. 3	[illegible]
Wheat No. 4	[illegible]
Flax	[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]
Barley	72 to [illegible]
Rye	[illegible]
Flour, Best Patent	[illegible]

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Drs. Mellby & Paul
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 79.
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Pa[illegible]

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Dr. Biederman
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank
Office Phone 397 Call 1, Residence [illegible]

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—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, (Seal) Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams a[illegible]
Light and Heavy Hauling
on short notice and at
Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

To The Public
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold [illegible]
reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile [illegible]

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Dr. Mugg, p m Apr 28, [illegible]

Wanted: A girl for housework. Good wages paid. Inquire of Mrs. O. F. Mell[illegible] River Falls.

[illegible] of Influenza.

Do you feel weak and unequal to the work ahead of you? Do you still cough a little, or does your nose bother you? Are you pale? Is your blood thin and watery? Better put your body into shape. Build strong!

An old, reliable blood-maker and herbal tonic made from wild roots and barks, is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This "nature remedy" comes in tablet or liquid form. It will build up your body, cure your cold, and protect you from disease germs which lurk everywhere. One of the active ingredients of this temperance alterative and tonic is wild cherry bark with stillingia, which is so good for the lungs and for coughs; also Oregon grape root, blood root, stone root, Queen's root—all skilfully combined in the Medical Discovery. These roots have a direct action on the stomach, improving digestion and assimilation. These herbal extracts in the "Discovery" aid in blood-making, and are best for scrofula. By improving the blood they aid in throwing off an attack of influenza.

Catarrh should be treated, first, as a blood disease, with this alterative. Then, in addition, the nose should be washed daily with Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

Send 10c for trial pkg. of Medical Discovery Tablets or Catarrh Tablets to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Just a Difference in Letters.

A young Evansville schoolteacher startled her family by the announcement that she was going to marry as soon as she could persuade some man to propose to her. Her married sister, who was visiting the home, gave her this advice: "You had better stay the way you are. You have your own money and—"

"I don't care a bit for that," retorted the younger girl. "I'm always afraid that I'll die without a husband. I'd like for people to read on my tombstone 'relict' of some one than be just a plain relic of an educational system."—Indianapolis News.

Cuticura Comforts Baby's Skin

When red, rough and itching with hot baths of Cuticura Soap and touches of Cuticura Ointment. Also make use now and then of that exquisitely scented dusting powder, Cuticura Talcum, one of the indispensable Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Adv.

Not Guilty.

The Sikeston Herald says that when a negro left a train at Charleston recently carrying a heavy suitcase very carefully and acting suspiciously, the authorities thought they had caught a bootlegger redhanded. They grabbed him and compelled him to open the case, and out stepped a lean and ancient hound, which the colored brother had smuggled on the train.—Kansas City Times.

Found It High.

"How did you find the medicine I prescribed for you yesterday?"

"Rather expensive, doctor."

Some Cases.

"Don't you believe it is better to give than receive?"

"Certainly, if it is advice or knocks."

KIDNEYS WEAKENING? BETTER LOOK OUT!

Kidney and bladder troubles don't disappear of themselves. They grow upon you slowly but steadily, undermining your health with deadly certainty, until you fall a victim to incurable disease.

Stop your troubles while there is time. Don't wait until little pains become big aches. Don't trifle with disease. To avoid future suffering begin treatment with GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules now. Take three or four every day until you feel that you are entirely free from pain.

This well-known preparation has been one of the national remedies of Holland for centuries. In 1696 the govern[illegible] ment of the Netherlands granted a special charter authorizing its sale.

The good housewife of Holland would almost as soon be without food as without her "Real Dutch Drops," as she quaintly calls GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Their use restores strength and is responsible in a great measure for the sturdy, robust health of the Hollanders.

Do not delay. Go to your druggist [illegible] GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. [illegible] GOLD MEDAL [illegible]

TRIBUTE TO YANKEE FIGHTER

Magazine Writer Describes the "Doughboy" as All the World Has Come to Know Him.

George Patrulli, a magazine writer who has been with General Pershing's army in France, has paid a tribute to the American fighting men that is worthy of reproduction in every county in the United States. Says Mr. Patrulli: "The American soldier is about the finest human specimen on top of the earth—rough and ready, grumbling, never giving up; always able to laugh, even at his own plight; a holy terror in a fight; ruthless to an enemy capable of resistance; generous to a fault to a beaten foe; hating nobody, fearing nobody; with backbone enough to storm hell, and the gentleness to win a child."

France knows this, England knows it, even Germany has a hazy idea that a Yankee doughboy is a combination of an angel from heaven and a devil from hell. Isn't it about time for Americans to realize the worth of their fighting sons?—Exchange.

Every man intends to have his own way after marriage, but sometimes his wife relieves him of a false impression.

A humbug is bad enough but a bedbug is worse.

EASY TO CURE "NAUGHTINESS"

Common-Sense Methods of Dealing With Children Will Always Be Found Effective.

A morbid exaggeration and perversion of the natural desire which all children feel for notice by their elders, is held by Thomson to be the cause of abnormal naughtiness in children. These cases are of essentially the same nature as those of "moral imbecility" in children who are in some degree mentally defective. The proper lines of treatment are clear enough, and when carried out consistently and thoroughly are rapidly and completely successful. They may be summarized as follows: (1) All severe corporal punishment must be stopped—it never does any good. (2) Nobody must ever appear shocked, amused or even surprised at anything a child does. (3) His misdeeds are never to be alluded to, much less described, in his presence; and, lastly, he should be noticed and encouraged in every way when he is good and altogether ignored when he is naughty.—British Journal of Children's Diseases.

Poison Bottle Warning.

To distinguish bottles containing poisons in the dark a sandpaper band to encircle them with an opening for their labels has been invented.

Stop and Think!

Why are Americans using such great quantities of

POSTUM CEREAL

Health value, wonderful flavor and practical economy make Postum the ideal American table drink.

Boil just like coffee—

(15 minutes after boiling begins)

—but remember that, unlike coffee, this beverage contains no drugs to upset stomach, heart or nerves. It is absolutely pure and without harm, made from the best of roasted wheat and wholesome molasses.

You can get the original Postum at grocers. Two sizes—

Usually sold at 15c and 25c

Important News Events of the World Summarized

Peace Notes

"Peace by Easter or bust" is the current slogan at Paris, meaning that the allies must agree and summon the German delegates by April 20. Two weeks more are required for putting together and revising the entire treaty.

Personal

A man whose merchandising dreams produced many millions died near New York. Frank W. Woolworth, originator of the 5 and 10-cent stores, who was ill for several months, passed away at his home in Glen Cove, L. I., at the age of sixty-six years.

Washington

A Washington dispatch says 5,000,000 Americans will pay income taxes this year. This is nearly two million more than last year. More than 10,000,000 persons will pay federal taxes of all kinds under the collections now being made.

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On April 1, the war department at Washington announced, the aggregate strength of the American army was 2,000,[illegible], excluding the 17,788 marines with the expeditionary forces. This total shows a net decrease of [illegible] per cent from November 11 last.

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President Wilson, upon his return to this country, will issue a call for an industrial conference to be held either in New York or Chicago. The purpose of the conference will be to bring capital, labor and the government [illegible] in an amicable program [illegible] readjusting [illegible] Washington [illegible].

[illegible]

Large numbers of drafted men who have been looking forward to early demobilization are doomed to disappointment. Many are to be kept in service for the full period allowed by law, which is four months after peace has been declared. The war department at Washington desires to keep these men in service until a satisfactory number of enlistments have been obtained under the [illegible] plan of increasing the regular army to 500,000 men.

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Regulations limiting General Pershing's authority over court-martial proceedings, [illegible] to which the general objected, have been revoked by Washington.

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Money circulating in the United States this [illegible] sufficient to give every man, woman and child $[illegible],56, an increase [illegible] over the per capita circulation in March, according to a Washington dispatch.

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A Washington dispatch says production of the Liberty airplane engines for the army reached a total of 20,478, final deliveries having been made by the manufacturers during the week ending March [illegible].

Foreign

Premier Lloyd George is confined to his Paris home with a severe chill.

Six hundred Irish-American soldiers arrived at Dublin from Holyhead. It was their first opportunity to visit Ireland during the war.

The German national government will not recognize the new soviet republic of Bavaria, a semi-official press bureau message received from Berlin declares.

Lieut. Jean Pierre Fonton started on a flight Tuesday to Casablanca, Morocco, from which town he will proceed to Dakar, in the French colony of Senegal, with the intention of attempting a flight across the Atlantic.

In disturbances in Delhi in the last few days eight persons were killed and twelve injured, a dispatch from Reuter's correspondent at the Indian capital says. The city is now quiet.

One policeman was killed and four were wounded when Sinn Feiners raided the Limerick workhouse and hospital and removed a Sinn Fein prisoner.

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The London Morning Post, commenting on conditions in the British motor-car industry, says: "So soon as importation is permitted, Americans will fill the British market with inexpensive and serviceable cars. The result will be that the British motorcar industry will be ruined."

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It is again stated that bolshevik pressure against Odessa, the great Russian port on the Black sea, is increasing, and the evacuation of the city by the allied forces is imminent, says a Paris dispatch in the Matin.

Herr Landsberg, minister of justice in the national German government, was arrested at Magdeburg, the capital of Prussian Saxony, by members of regiments stationed there, a Magdeburg dispatch reports. General Kleist, in command of the Fourth army, and his staff also were arrested.

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The first hospital train conveying invalid German prisoners from France to Germany by way of Switzerland passed Berne. Three thousand such Germans will be transported in the next four days.

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A Warsaw dispatch says 35 bolshevists were executed at Pinsk, on the eastern frontier of Poland, Saturday, charged with plotting to overpower the weakened garrison and seize the city.

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The Ukrainian soviet troops have captured Odessa, according to advices from Kiev, transmitted by wireless from Moscow under date of April 7.

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The prince of Wales made a flight in an airplane over London. The trip lasted an hour.

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A Paris dispatch says Thomas Nelson Page has sent his resignation as American ambassador to Italy to President Wilson, but as yet no action has been taken in the matter.

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Airships will be used by the British navy, the London Daily Express understands, to clear 5,000 miles of mined waters between the Shetlands and Norway of more than 50,000 mines.

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On the dispersal of the grand fleet Vice Admiral Sir David Beatty hauled down his flag as commander in chief. All the London newspapers published articles on the historic occasion.

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Rioting has occurred at Delhi, making necessary intervention by government troops, who charged into the rioting mobs, according to a Bombay dispatch.

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There is widespread agitation in Constantinople that if any country be given the mandatory of Turkey it should be the United States, says the London Pall Mall Gazette.

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The South African parliament at Capetown adopted the woman suffrage bill, 44 to 42.

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Josef Pomanis, minister of war in the Hungarian soviet government at Budapest, has resigned.

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The government has decided to proclaim a state of siege in the Ruhr, industrial district, according to a Berlin dispatch. Troops are advancing on this region to protect the plants and [illegible] workers from the terrorists.

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Unconfirmed reports reaching Amsterdam from Budapest via Vienna state the Hungarian soviet government has been overthrown.

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A Santiago, Chile, dispatch says Lieutenant Cortinez, in a British airplane, flew over the Andes mountains at a height of 18,000 feet.

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A Coblenz dispatch says preparation for feeding the Germans in the area occupied by the American army are virtually completed. Foodstuffs will begin to arrive and will be distributed about April 15.

Domestic

Returns received from every section of Michigan, while unofficial, show the state has voted to remain dry. Most of the counties of the state voted three to one against the wine and beer amendment to the constitution.

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Vice Admiral William S. Sims, who directed American naval operations in European waters and who arrived in London two years ago, arrived in New York on the British liner Mauretania.

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The Commercial Telegraphers' union of Washington voted unanimously to strike unless Postmaster Burleson adjusts their grievances. A secret ballot of the union throughout the country is being conducted.

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The first of the three navy flying boats entered for the flight across the Atlantic is scheduled to leave the air station at Rockaway, near New York, April 1. A nonstop flight will be attempted.

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Mayor Thompson's plurality, the only instance in the city's history of the re-election of a republican mayor of Chicago, was 21,822. The total vote cast for him was 259,828; men, 161,321, women, 98,507.

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John W. Cheatham, formerly postal clerk at Dallas, Tex., was arrested by federal agents in connection with the theft of $18,500 cash and jewelry worth $2,000 from the mails March 23, 1918.

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Deportation of 40 men serving sentence in the federal prison at Leavenworth, including 12 of the 37 members of the I. W. W. recently admitted to bail pending rehearing of their cases, is called for in warrants served by an immigration official.

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The vanguard of Admiral Mayo's fleet arrived at New York when the destroyers Ammen, Beale, Barrows, Drayton, Paulding and Terry, from southern waters, passed in at quarantine.

"ASPIRIN" WAS TALCUM POWDER

Heavy Sentence Imposed on Manufacturer of Tablets.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH)

NEW YORK, December 31.—Accused of having manufactured and sold to influenza sufferers thousands of boxes of aspirin tablets, principally composed of talcum powder, Joseph M. Turkey, head of the Verandah Chemical company, of Brooklyn, was found guilty yesterday of violation of the sanitary code and sentenced to three years in prison with a fine of $500. The sentence was the most severe ever imposed in the country for such an offense.

Hereafter say, "Give me genuine 'Bayer Tablets of Aspirin.'" Insist you want only the Bayer package with the "Bayer Cross" on the package and on the tablets.

Don't buy Aspirin in a pill box! Get Bayer package!

Bayer-Tablets of Aspirin

The genuine American owned "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" have been proved safe by millions for Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Toothache, Earache, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Colds, Grippe, Influenzal Colds, Joint Pains, Neuritis. Proper dosage on every "Bayer" package.

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[illegible] mine at the same time.

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP

[illegible] For sale in all civilized countries.—Adv.

Overdoing "Ads."

A city advertisement was headed: "Three sisters want washing." So did a good many others. Another advertisement was: "Wanted—A boy to [illegible]."

FRECKLES

[illegible]

Nothing Escapes.

"Dyer—Everything Wild touches turns to money." "Ryer—Yes, he even profits by his mistakes."—Judge.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

In Wrong.

"Why did the movie director quit the business?" "His wife saw several of the triumph movies he filmed."—Film Fun.

[illegible] Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

Hubbie Was Right.

"Albert, is that furnace going?" asked wifie as her husband emerged grimly from lower depths.

"Sure, it's goin'," responded Albert.

A short time later wifie had her say. "Albert Pennyroyal Jones, you said that furnace was going and this register is perfectly cold."

"I know it," said Albert, sheepishly. "I meant it was—er—goin' out."

A woman who is popular with other women is seldom a reigning favorite with men.

Preferences as a rule go by contraries.

When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy

[illegible] MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

[illegible] up with the beam.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Fargo, N. D.

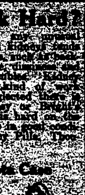
An awful lot of the [illegible] can be attributed to the [illegible] of woman.

If the meek shall inherit the earth, where shall the scornful [illegible]?

Is Your Work Hard?

Work which brings any unusual strain on the back and kidneys tends to cause kidney ailments, such as backache, lameness, headache, dizziness and distressing urinary troubles. Kidney weakness makes any kind of work doubly hard and if neglected there is danger of gravel, dropsy or Bright's disease. If your work is hard on the back, keep your kidneys in good condition with Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands rely on them.

A North Dakota Case



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Calf Enemies

WHITE SCOURS BLACKLEG

Your Veterinarian can stamp them out with Cutter's Anti-Calf Scour Serum and Cutter's Germ Free Blackleg Filtrate and Aggressin, or Cutter's Blackleg Pills.

Ask him about them. If he hasn't our literature, write to us for information on these products.

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Soothe Your Itching Skin With Cuticura

All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 & 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

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Growers and shippers of cut flowers, plants, etc. Write for catalog. Funeral designs on short notice. Phone day or night. Fargo, N. D.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 60c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

STATE BREVITIES

St. Paul. — "Perfect Princess," a Hereford cow, was sold for $660 at the annual spring sale of the Minnesota Hereford Breeders' association held at South St. Paul.

Moorhead. — Dr. Hubnekens, baby specialist, and his staff of nurses who are sent out by the Minnesota state board of health, held a baby clinic at the Moorhead courthouse on April 11.

Moorhead.—A total of $262.12 was raised in Clay county in the Blue Triangle drive to raise funds for the Y. W. C. A. Miss Lulu B. Wagner was county chairman and Miss Lois La Valley was chairman for Moorhead.

St. Paul.—The administration building at the new state reformatory for women at Shakopee has been finally inspected by members of the state board of control. The date for opening the new institution has not been fixed.

Fergus Falls.—Because of the confusion in the names of streets, the directors of the Fergus Falls Commercial club have under consideration a proposition to abolish the present street names and name the streets by numbers.

Mankato.—Municipal Judge-elect Hiram Goff stated that he proposed to make bootlegging and blindpigging in the city a most serious offense during his term of office. Mr. Goff stated that he considers the man who gets the booze is just as bad as the man who sells it.

St. Paul.—The state board of control has called a conference of Child Welfare board members from all counties to meet at the state capitol May 9 and 10. Policies governing adoption, placement, illegitimacy cases and local problems of administration will be discussed.

St. Paul.—The One Hundred and Fifty-first (First Minnesota) field artillery band will be an attraction at the 1919 Minnesota state fair, if negotiations are successful [illegible] by Michael M. Jahn [illegible] through Capt. [illegible] Schoebaker with the fair management.

Worthington. — Announcement is made of the opening of the Southwestern Minnesota Tuberculosis Sanatorium here. The institution, which is owned and operated by nine counties [illegible]

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Fergus Falls.—Fair Hills summer resort, one of the largest in this section, has been sold for $40,000 to W. B. Miller, a St. Cloud man. The property includes a hotel, store building and a large number of cottages, as well as considerable lake frontage on Lake Pelican, which is on the northern border of Otter Tail county and in the town of Dunn. The property was owned by [illegible] Hicks.

St. James.—The order of the state railroad and warehouse commission directing the Omaha railroad to erect a new depot at St. James was upheld by the state supreme court on an appeal by the railroad company from proceedings begun by the St. James Commercial club. The commission's order was for a new station to cost approximately $18,000.

Tracy.—A tray containing ten diamonds was stolen from Gustafson and company's jewelry store. It became known when the police department offered a reward for the arrest of the person or persons who entered the store. The only things taken from the store were the tray of diamonds. A large amount of money in the same compartment of the safe with the stones was overlooked.

New Ulm.—Dr. Caryl B. Storrs, who recently returned from a trip to Serbia; Mrs. T. G. Winter, one of the leading club women in the state, Mrs. Andreas Ueland, suffragist leader, and Miss Anna Shalland, all of Minneapolis, will take a prominent part in the program of the Second district convention of the Minnesota Federation of Women's clubs, which will be held in New Ulm May 20 to 22. Among the other speakers are Mrs. George Allen, Rochester, state president of the Federation, and Mrs. Peter Oleson of Cloquet.

Minneapolis.—Checking of assets of the Peoples State bank, which was robbed by four men, showed that practically all the robbers secured was $3,000 in cash and $8,150 in Liberty bonds, of which about $6,000 belonged to the bank. The numbers of these bonds were immediately telegraphed everywhere to prevent their sale. The handle of a satchel containing $2,400 in cash broke just outside the bank because of the weight of $75 in pennies which the bandits grabbed at the last moment. The satchel and money were recovered. The picture of one of the bandits was identified at police headquarters by Cashier Siever Kolstad.

Little Falls.—Charles Daylon, 30, was found dead in his room here with a bullet wound through the head. He had evidently committed suicide. A .32-caliber revolver was beside the body. Daylon had been a resident of Little Falls for eighteen years.

Hibbing.—Gaining entrance to the house by representing themselves as being Indian agents searching for hidden liquor, two men robbed Joseph Danisch and Joseph Maranich, Austrians, of $1,200, which they found beneath a pillow on a bed and in a trunk. One of the men was severely beaten by the bandits.

Mankato.—Mrs. Henrietta Felgner, oldest resident of Blue Earth county, is dead at the home of her great-nephew near Eagle Lake. For 60 years she had resided in Blue Earth county.

St. Paul.—St. Paul aviators will compete in a national long distance flight competition next month for the Pulitzer trophy, offered by New York newspaper publishers. The flight will be from St. Paul to Atlantic City, N. J.

Hastings.—Fred W. Marr, 57 years old, employed as a janitor for Swift & Co. of South St. Paul, was struck by a train near Inver Grove and killed. His skull was crushed and he sustained internal injuries.

St. Cloud.—The boy scouts of this city are doing a great work in connection with the old clothes drive made by the Red Cross. They are also helping in the work of the coming Victory Loan drive.

Brainerd.—The annual meeting of the Minnesota State Veterinary association will be held in this city Wednesday and Thursday, July 9 and 10, bringing to Brainerd 100 or more prominent veterinarians and stock experts.

Winona.—Julius H. Preis, Winona's "war mayor," was re-elected by a majority of 600. The labor elements placed a council ticket in the field and elected six out of seven of the municipal body. The labor people also indorsed Preis.

Renville.—Supt. C. West has been re-elected superintendent of city and associated schools for the coming year. W. Reilly will remain as director of the Smith-Hughes Vocational school under the direction of federal vocational boards.

Gilbert.—Martin Yambrick, who was found with his throat cut near his home here and taken to Mere hospital, Eveleth, died there without saying how he sustained the injury. The police incline to the belief that he died by his own hand.

Winona.—Schoolhouse burglars are operating in this section. Public schools in Winona and LaCrosse have been entered, but only small sums of money were secured. The burglars apparently are traveling on short jumps with their plunder.

St. Cloud. — Articles of incorporation have been filed with the county register of deeds for a new granite finishing works, to be known as the Independent Granite company. The company is capitalized at $50,000. The incorporators are St. Cloud men.

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Alexandria.—United States Senator Knute Nelson was given an informal welcome home, which expressed the home people's appreciation of the work and public service of their fellow townsman. The occasion was a Liberty Loan meeting, the senator being one of the audience.

Bemidji.—Fire destroyed the elevator of the [illegible] Elevator & Milling company, with about 10,000 bushels of grain, 300 barrels of flour and a quantity of feed. The loss is estimated at $20,000. A live electric wire blown against the building is supposed to have caused the fire.

Pipestone.—War-time hours are to prevail at the oasis of Southwestern Minnesota. The village council of Trosky, where the only saloon for many miles around is located, has passed an ordinance making the hours when liquor can be sold in that village from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.

East Grand Forks.—Tentative plans for the reconstruction of the East Grand Forks city school, destroyed by the disastrous fire of Feb. 22, soon will be completed by Architect Bert D. Keck, and it is expected that they will be submitted for approval to a meeting of the school board to be held within a few days.

St. Paul.—Repudiating their pledge to city officials that Mrs. Kate Richards O'Hare, convicted of the violation of espionage laws, would not be permitted to speak in the state auditorium, the Socialist committee Sunday presented Mrs. O'Hare to the gathering of about 2,000 and Mrs. O'Hare spoke from a box adjoining the stage.

Bemidji.—Bemidji women, through the Women's Community and Civic club, recently organized, will demand that all places where food of any kind is sold be kept in a sanitary condition. A committee which was recently appointed by that organization to investigate conditions in places where food is sold, reports that in several instances places were found to be not as sanitary as they might be, but that in each instance the dealer promised to make improvements as soon as possible.

Minneapolis.—A gift of $100,000 to St. Olaf's college at Northfield from Harold Thorson, one of the five founders of the institution in 1874, and the only one of that number now living, is announced. The gift is made for the erection of a science hall to cost $200,000, the construction of which will begin this spring. Mr. Thorson has been living at Elbow Lake, Minn., and at Drake, N. D., where he has banking interests, but is now making his home here. The college is now erecting a gymnasium to cost $125,000.

Owatonna.—"The League of Civic Organizations of Southern Minnesota" was formed here this afternoon at a meeting of delegates from cities of this section of the state. The purpose of the league is mutual protection against organized bands of crooks, which are said to have operated from large cities. There were 200 delegates, representing 25 cities. They agreed to advise their communities to send out a general alarm in the event of a robbery, when the various towns would stretch cables across the highways to prevent passage of automobiles.

FOE ENVOYS TO COME THIS WEEK

Date of Their Arrival in Paris Only Few Days Hence, Says Journal.

"EVERYTHING IS WELL"

Statement Made by Lloyd George as He Leaves for Brief Stay in London—Date Undecided, But Soon, Says Clemenceau.

Paris, April 15.—The peace conference leaders have come to an understanding regarding the date when the German delegates shall be called into conference, the Petit Parisien says it understands. That date, it declares, is close at hand, before April 20.

Premier Lloyd George, leaving for London, said "everything is going well," and he is "well pleased with what has been accomplished." He is expected to return Friday.

Date Undecided, Says Clemenceau.

Premier Georges Clemenceau, asked regarding the suggested date of April 25 for calling in the Germans, said it had not yet been definitely decided, and that possibly it might be earlier.

President Wilson was expected to make a statement outlining the progress of the peace conference and showing the work is nearly completed.

The Big Four met unexpectedly for the purpose of reaching an agreement on certain details that would permit Premier Lloyd George to leave for London.

Italian Claims Discussed.

Italian claims were discussed by the Big Four. It was understood that Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino are at odds.

Premier Clemenceau told a deputation of the radical socialist group which called on him that the question of reparation by Germany had been settled among the Allies a few hours previously on a basis that would satisfy the desires of the deputation as these had been presented to him, and that the same could be said for the stipulations concerning the Saar valley.

The council of four did not meet, but President Wilson conferred with Premier Orlando and other Italian leaders on the Adriatic problem.

The conference committee on territorial questions has settled the problem of the Banat district, south of Hungary proper, in which Serbian and Rumanian claims were involved, according to the Petit Parisien. The newspaper says the decision respected the rights of each nation.

Speed Toward Peace.

Washington, April 15. — Continued progress at the peace conference is reported in dispatches to the White House from Paris. The intimation was conveyed that all important questions still at issue soon would be cleared up.

YANKS ARE BACK FROM ITALY

First U. S. Troops Arrive in New York from Genoa.

New York, April 15.—The first United States troops to come home from Italy have arrived here on the steamer Duca d'Aosta, which sailed from Genoa March 29.

United aboard were 332nd infantry, field and staff, detachment of headquarters company, supply company, machine gun company, Companies A, B, C, D and I, veterinary detachment and detachment of medical detachment, total 77 officers and 1,595 men.

RAINBOW DIVISION LEAVING

Part of Organization Sets Sail from France for Home.

Brest, April 15.—Four ships have sailed from France for America with a part of the Rainbow Division.

The entire Rainbow Division is expected to arrive in Camp Pontanezen from the front at once. The latest arrivals include the 117th Sanitary train, Battery F, 150th Artillery of Indiana; headquarters; Companies A and B, 149th Machine Gun Battalion of Pennsylvania; 117th Field Signal Battalion of Missouri.

DEBS BEGINS SERVING TERM

Incarcerated in Prison Under Sentence of Ten Years.

Moundsville, W. Va., April 15. — Eugene V. Debs, often Socialist candidate for president, has begun serving his 10-year sentence in federal prison here.

Debs gave himself up to federal authorities in Cleveland yesterday by arriving there from his home in Terre Haute, Ind. He was convicted some months ago of seditious utterances during an address in Canton, Ohio.

Advocates More Open Air.

Cannes, France, April 15.—The committee on tuberculosis of the inter-Allied Red Cross congress, in session here, has made public a report which will be presented to the nations of the world through national Red Cross societies. It lays down a number of recommendations under the headings of care of children, housing, nutrition and alcoholism, and advocates the extension of open air systems in congested localities such as barracks and asylums.

Not Enough Time.

Pahson Brown was stopped on the street by Sistah Jackson, one of his flock.

"Oh, Pahson Brown, I'se done been so misfortunate dis week. I'se done los' mah husban'."

"Shoh, now dat am too bad, Sistah Jackson; but you must try to beah up. Time am de great healer, you know."

"Yes, pahson, but six months ain't a-goin' to cure dat man ob mine. He ain't sick. The jedge said he was jest triflin'."

Decadent Times.

"So there are still a few old-fashioned cowboys out West?"

"You would think so, to see their marksmanship. I saw one take a six-shooter and bounce a tin can along as easily as you would do it with a walking stick."

"Surely you don't mean to tell me a cowboy puts a notch on the handle of his gun for a performance like that?" —Birmingham Age-Herald.

PERUNA A Wonderful Remedy

FOR EFFECTS OF LA GRIPPE

Mr. George E. Law, 11½ North Franklin St., Brazil, Indiana, has a word of cheer for sufferers from LaGrippe and its results.

Liquid or Tablet Form Sold Everywhere

Read His Letter

"I have suffered for the last two winters with that terrible disease, LaGrippe. Having often heard of the great value of Peruna I decided to try it. I have only used four bottles and I do not now have any bad effects from the Grippe as it has just about entirely disappeared, and my general health is good. I am satisfied that Peruna is a wonderful remedy, and I do most heartily endorse and recommend it for LaGrippe."

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"Worms," that's what's the matter of 'em. Stomach and intestinal worms. Nearly as bad as distemper. Cost you too much to feed 'em. Look bad—are bad. Don't physic 'em to death. Spohn's Compound will remove the worms, improve the appetite, and tone 'em up all round and don't "physic." Acts on glands and blood. Full directions with each bottle, and sold by all druggists.

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"Your answer is about as clear as mud." "Well, that covers the ground, doesn't it?"

It is the easiest thing in the world for a woman to tell when a man is going to propose.

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We distribute PIONEER and HEIDER TRACTORS, in all sizes—4 to 10 Plows. We also have a number taken and rebuilt Engines of other makes, we will close out at cut prices.

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"I suppose his usual hack work."

Definite and Distinct.

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Ever notice what a lot of friends your enemies have?

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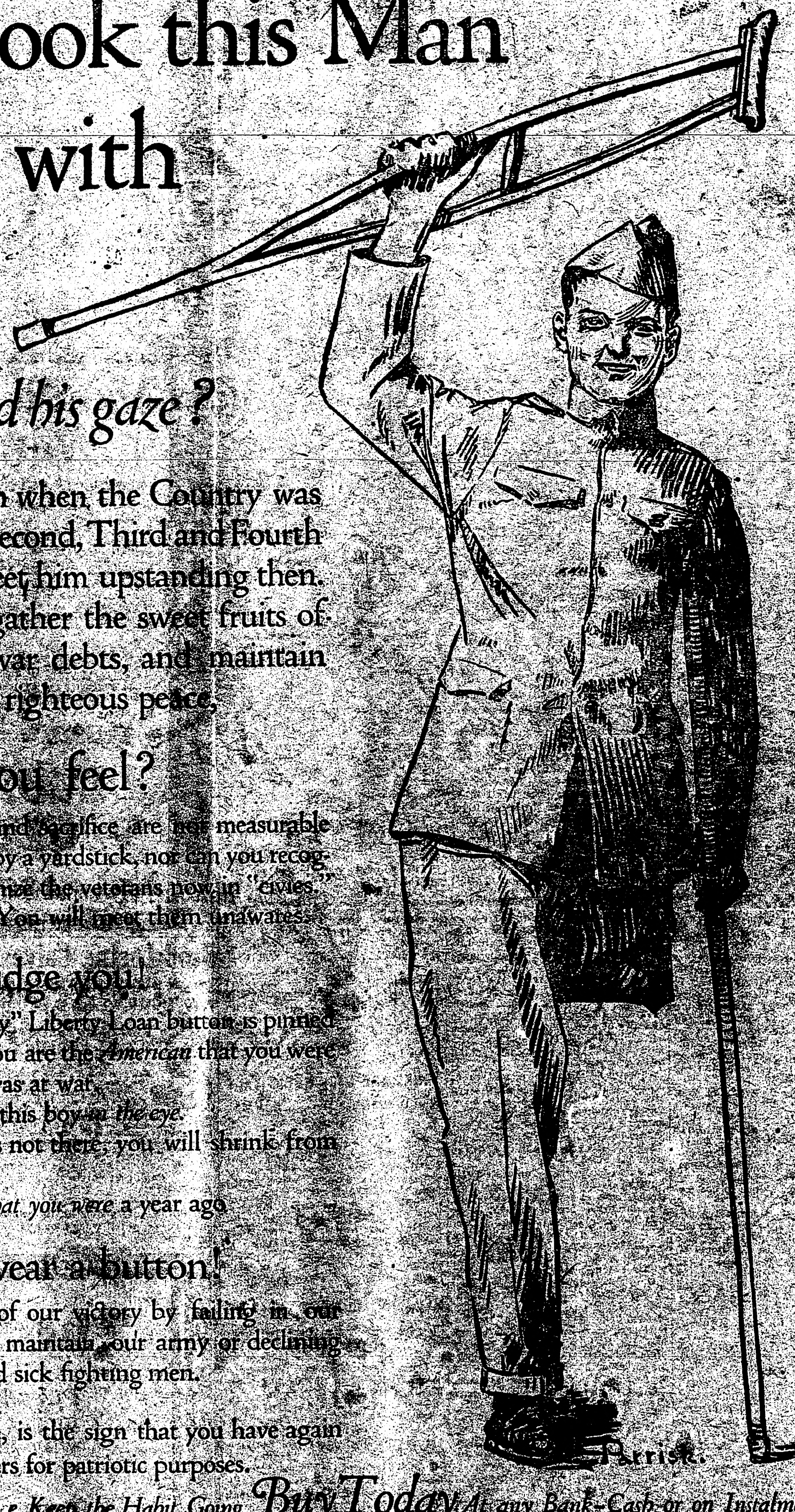

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Local Items

Let's do something for Memorial Day this year.

Everyone invited to the home talent play May the Third.

Liberty bonds taken at face value on accounts.—Davidson Bros.

Art Brotten departed Tuesday for his home at Moose Jaw, Canada.

Oscar Anderson went to Superior Friday where he has employment on the railroad.

Miss Nellie Saastad came home from Middle River Friday to spend Easter with her folks.

Rev. Myhrer will hold services at the Free Mission church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

[illegible] be in Holt, afternoon of Apr. 28 and forenoon of 29th. Central Hotel.

Ole Hamernes returned home last week Thursday night from a business trip to Chaplin, Sask., Canada.

Girl wanted for general cleaning also for dining room work, at the Oakland Park Sanitarium, short hours, good wages.

The Holt high school class will give the play entitled "As the Twig is Bent, the Tree is Inclined," at hall Saturday evening May 3rd.

Red Cross meeting at the school house, 8 o'clock p. m. Wednesday April 30th. A full attendance is desired. Profitable meeting assured.

Victor Johnson returned home Monday from several months service overseas, and seems as well as usual. All are glad to welcome him home again.

Miss Beatha Nelson returned home last week Thursday from Grand Forks where she had been working in the Deaconess hospital for a few months.

Mrs. A. H. Ahlborn came home last Friday to spend Easter Sunday with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Saastad, returning to her home in Minneapolis Tuesday.

Mrs. Gullek Svenson returned Monday from visiting her son, Oscar, at the Thief River Falls hospital and reports that he is getting along so well that they expect to bring him home next week.

The following were pleasantly entertained at the C. L. Heinze home Easter Sunday; Andrew Bjerk and family, B. Docken and family, T. O. Dovre and family, Mrs. Albert Mathison, Hans Langlie, Ole Johnson, Pete Anderson, Misses Palma and Luella Johnson.

Misses Inga and Julia Johnson went to Crookston Wednesday, where the latter expected to seek medical aid. Miss Inga returned home Wednesday and their mother went to Crookston to be with her daughter in case an operation for appendicitis was considered necessary.

Found: A crochet hook.

Plant your war garden, now.

K. O. Flikne went to Crookston Monday.

Aug Shogren will ship another car of potatoes this week.

Andrew Hanson celebrated his 80th birthday Monday.

Class play Saturday evening May 3rd, at the Woodman hall.

Miss Newton entertained her sister Maggie a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Engstrom were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

Found: A watch charm. Owner prove property and pay for this ad.

Rain Tuesday and a freeze up Wednesday, has delayed farm work somewhat this week.

Miss Amanda Fosholm came home from Thief River Falls Friday to spend Easter with her folks.

Ole Hammernes went to Thief River Falls Saturday after a Maxwell car which he had purchased.

A home talent play will be given by the Holt high school, at the hall Saturday evening May 3rd. Everyone invited.

The Red Cross will meet at the school house at eight o'clock P. M., Wednesday April 30th, to take up business of great importance.

See and hear "As the Twig is Bent, the Tree is Inclined," the high school class play, at the hall on Saturday evening May 3rd.

Ernest Knehne attended the patriotic doings at Warren last Friday and visited friends there, also at the Knauf home in T. R. Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson and [illegible] Edwardson and son spent Easter Sunday at the Chris Saastad home.

The Middle River Pioneer gave our young folks and their home talent play a fine write up in last weeks paper. Thank you Bro. Carr.

Svenke Svenkesen, Led Horien and Ragnar Anderson returned Tuesday from Randen where they have been sawing logs all winter at the former's mill.

The Zion's Ladies Aid of East Valley will be entertained by Miss Wilson at the school house Dist. 148 on Friday May 2th, at 2 P. M. All are welcome.

Carl Johnson and Olaf Halvorson and their crews went out to their dredge the first of the week to make some repairs on it and expect to commence the work of excavating the big ditch next week.

Axel Nelson has sold the S 1-2 of the SW 1-4 of Section 27, Township 156, Range 42, to Ole M. Larson for $80.00 an acre. About 15 acres has been broken on this piece and as there are no buildings on it, this shows that real estate prices are going up.

Agdar township is the first one in this district to go over the top in the Liberty Loan drive. They made their report to Chairman Wood at 11 o'clock Monday night and will get a German helmet as their reward for a duty well done.

The carpenter work on the Hamernes garage is about finished, but a part of the floor is to be laid yet, and a pit dug for the heating plant. Mr. Hamernes is going to have an up to date garage, well equipped for taking care of his growing business, and his large building is a big improvment for the village.

Miss Elizabeth Hanson, who was a visiting nurse in this county last year and is at present doing Red Cross work in New York City, has been employed as a public health nurse for the county. Marshall county is the first one in the state to take advantage of the new law authorizing them to take these steps in the interests of the public health.

Sam Mickelson has taken the contract for building the basement under the Synod church for the sum of $1260.00. The contract includes an addition of the same height to the church and 16x24 feet, which will make the basement 24x52 feet, and 8 feet high in the clear. Also a 10x10 addition to the basement to be used for a cloak room. This is a big improvement to the church and pastor and people are to be congratulated and everybody wishes Mr. Mickelson success in his undertaking.

Ludvig Monson was a St. Hilaire visitor last week Thursday.

Home talent play at the Opera house, May 3. Everyone invited.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Svenson a fine baby boy on Easter Sunday.

Treat your seed grain to prevent smut and kill the barberry to prevent rust.

Olai Sovde returned Monday from a business trip to Alvarado and Greenbush.

F. W. Ramaly of Minneapolis was here this week looking after farm interests.

Pure bred stock and pure grain and vegetable seeds help to make good times and satisfied farmers.

A. T. Lee, of Leeds, N. D. was here a couple of days last week looking after his farm interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bjerkvan went to Mahnomen Friday for a few days visit, returning home the following Tuesday.

Mrs. Ole Sollum of Grand Forks came Friday to visit at the homes of Mrs. T. Sollom and P. O. Reierson for a few days.

Oscar Nelson of Low Gap, Washington, came Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. J. Nelson, and other relatives for a few weeks.

Delard Johnson who has been visiting at different points in eastern and northern Minnesota and N. Dak. returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. A. S. Bean, Mrs. Elvin Erickson and Miss Mabel Knutson were Thief River Falls visitors last week Wednesday and Thursday.

A. R. Jones went to Crookston Saturday to spend Sunday. He also went to Grand Forks with his commandery to attend big lodge doings.

Mrs. P. Riesberg returned from Gardena, N. D. last Saturday, where she has been caring for her daughter Mrs. Pavek and family, during their illness with the flu.

Ole Hamernes went to Red Lake Falls Monday after a Cheverolet car which he has sold to Chris Norbeck. Mr. Hammernes also has two others sold, to be delivered soon.

Arvid Carlson visited in Holt Sunday, returning to Newfolden in the evening accompanied by his wife who has been enjoying a couple of weeks visit here with home folks.

J. A. Lindsay, the highway engineer, was here Monday afternoon inspecting the state road. He promised to have some work done on that part of the road fronting the school yard, as soon as he can get men and teams. This part of the road should have been graded along with the north road last year.

Prof. Alway came Saturday to get the work started on the state experimental peat farm at Golden Valley. They want to try to get about 35 acres into crop this year and are expecting to get good results from their labor. They proved last year that good crops can be raised on the peat soil and are going to make experiments on a much larger scale this year. Everyone wishes them success.

Insure Your Auto

The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate

Insurance against fire, thieves, etc See them at once

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John Olson has purchased Oscar Anderson's Ford.

Davidson Bros. are drilling a well for Sam Mickelson.

True Education is the foundation upon which all Liberty is built.

Miss Betty Johnson went to Thief River Falls Friday for a short visit.

Miss Elisabeth Newton spent Easter with relatives at McIntosh.

Spring is coming and everyone is getting anxious to clean up their yards.

Miss Ingeborg Nelson is now employed in the Sovde confectionery store.

Cleve Peterson of Badger visited with old friends here one day last week.

Dr. Paulson was called Saturday to see Miss Julia Sorum who was on the sick list.

Otto Olson went to Nelson, N. D. last week Thursday where he will work this summer.

Rev. Myhrer will hold services in the Mission church next Sunday at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Use 40 gallons of water to 1 pint or 1 lb. of formaldehyde for a smut solution. One gallon of solution will treat about a bushel of grain.

Alfred Sollom and family, Ida Kjelgren and Bertel Sollom came down from Middle River Sunday in the formers auto to visit home folks.

P. A. Riesberg has the excavating for D. B. Bakke's new house about finished and the contractor, Mr. E. J. Rustad, expects to put in the basement forms to-morrow.

Corn fodder and mangels, or rutabagas, make nice winter feed for cows. Try it, ask the cow about it and if she refuses to answer, the milk pail will soon convince you.

Messrs. Rustad and Amnson of T. R. Falls were in town Monday afternoon. Mr. Rustad was sent here by the state to inspect and draw plans for the disposal of the sewerage at the school house.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will hold a bazaar in the near future and all those who wish to contribute articles for it, are invited to do so. Please leave all articles with the president, Mrs. C. W. Christianson.

C. G. Mugg, the Grand Forks Eye Man, makes a specialty of fitting glasses. 25 years experience in the northwest. Consultation free. He will be at Central Hotel in Holt on Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday forenoon April 28th and 29th.

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M. B. Ordahl,
Lutheran Pastor.

Southeast of Holt.

Mrs. A. Joppru recently sold her farm town of Excell and has moved with her family onto her new farm in town of Agdar.

Mrs. G. Nustvoed who has been very sick the past six weeks is reported improving.

The Y. P. S. met at the Gutterud home Saturday evening with a good attendance.

Oscar Joppru will work for Mrs. Andrew Joppru this season.

Mrs. Skramstad and daughter of Sask, Canada are visiting at the home of the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Johnson of Excell.

Ludovic Larson and the Misses Ragna Larson, Thora and Gunda Moe made a trip to Warren last Friday.

Miss Ida Gutterud left the first of the week to work in T. R. Falls.

Misses Margart Bergland and Olga Klungnes who are employed at T. R. Falls spent Easter at their respective homes.

Mrs. S. Moe entertained the ladies aid last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olson and daughter returned hame last week from a couple of months stay at Euclid, Minn.

Ole Larson of Mud Lake called at the S. Moe home on Monday.

Mrs. Jacob Klungnes entertained the ladies aid on Friday.

Spring work is going in full force in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Tallack Ose and family has moved to their farm near Grygla.

Benny Tildahl is now living on the Harold Oen farm.

Harold Oen came down from Outlook Sask. on a business trip to this locality.

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Miss Salma Dovre was a T. R. Falls visitor one day this week.

Loyd Knutson went to T. R. Falls Thursday to consult a physician.

J. E. Erickson is now driving a Ford which he recently purchased.

Miss Martha Peterson was a T. R. Falls visitor Friday and Saturday.

Nels Swanson went to Erskine Friday to spend Easter with relatives.

Alfred Newton of McIntosh visited friends in Holt one day last week.

Hardy Bjerk and Jesse Sorum returned from Randen last week where they have had employment in Svenkeson's saw mill for several months.

No village should let Memorial Day go by this year without it being observed in some way, and Holt is no exception to this suggestion. Let's try to do something in remembrance of our brave boys who did so much for us.

Some of the farmers are put to a lot of extra work every year by having to go away from home to put up a part or all of their hay. The same amount of extra work put on patches of corn, mangels or rutabagas would produce a lot of feed and the cultivating would make the land fit for any kind of crop the farmer wishes to raise the following year.

Also a few acres of tame hay would help out some during the long winters.

The Local Market.

(Grain prices furnished by the Red Lake Falls Mill'g Co. at close of business every Thursday)

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 52
Wheat No. 2	2 49
Wheat No. 3	2 45
Wheat No. 4	2 41
Flax	3 75
Oats	59
Barley	82 to 90
Rye	1 61
Flour, Best Patent	6 75

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Thief River Falls
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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
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Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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HOW TO AVOID BACKACHE AND NERVOUSNESS

Told by Mrs. Lynch From Own Experience.

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Backache and nervousness are symptoms or nature's warnings, which indicate a functional disturbance or an unhealthy condition which often develops into a more serious ailment.

Women in this condition should not continue to drag along without help, but profit by Mrs. Lynch's experience, and try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—and for special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

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THE MEN IN CLASS A1

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When you feel worn out, "tired to death" with the household duties—cooking, scrubbing, cleaning, dusting—(it all comes in the day's work in the household)—turn to the right remedy to strengthen you. The poor woman whose back feels as though it would break, who feels dizzy, whose head aches, or black specks appear before her eyes, all are due to troubles essentially feminine which should be overcome.

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BLUFF BY FOE IS SEEN

Story Told That Hun Envoys Will Tear Up Treaty Submitted, and Attempt to Make Counter Proposals.

Paris, April 22.—The German reply to the ultimatum of the council of four that it will not receive any German delegation not fully empowered to conduct and negotiate peace is awaited anxiously.

The ultimatum was sent to check German plans to refer the treaty to Berlin or Weimar for decision.

Grave doubts are expressed whether the perfected peace treaty would be presented to the German representatives Friday. While the treaty will be communicated to them in substance, it was said in well informed quarters that it would be physically impossible to prepare the document in its complete final form in the four days remaining.

If the German government in reply to the ultimatum, raises a controversy regarding the status of the German delegates and the procedure to be followed, the arrival of the delegates at Versailles, may be postponed.

Foe Plan Bluff.

Berlin, April 22.—The German peace delegation is going to Paris confidently expecting to wreck the Allied peace machine. This is plainly evident from statements in the Berlin press, as well as the attitude of the foreign office.

The Germans plan to employ the same tactics which brought America into the war two years ago. The foreign office theory is that the Allies will not call Germany's bluff if the delegates announce their determination to refuse to sign the terms.

The delegation is expected to leave for Paris at once. Some reports have been circulated that the government may have a plebiscite to decide whether the Allied terms will be accepted.

Same Crowd in Charge.

The new republic has intrusted its destinies to a group of diplomatists who have not changed in any way from those who directed Germany's policies before the revolution.

"We believe the terms received from Paris are just Entente propaganda to prepare the German people for the hardest possible peace so they will appreciate the terms actually offered, which undoubtedly will be much easier," a member of the foreign office said. "It is clever peace propaganda, but fortunately, we see through it."

Foreign Minister Brockdorff-Rantzau is prepared to interpret President Wilson's 14 points in an entirely different light from that of the Allies and Wilson's viewpoint regarding Alsaac-Lorraine, Posen, the German colonies and other disputable questions.

Bolshevism Threat Prepared.

It has been reported the Germans plan to tear up the peace terms and refuse to sign them, then make counter-peace proposals according to German ideas, threatening to turn Germany over to the bolsheviki if the Allies still sand pat. The foreign office is expected to frighten the Allies into believing Germany will pay no indemnities if the bolsheviki get control of the country.

This is purely bluff, because the foreign office has absolutely nothing to do with bolshevism in Germany. Germany's internal troubles will no more disappear as the result of peace than they faded when it was announced that Allied food had arrived.

HARBOR STRIKE IS ENDED

Faction Compromise on 10-Hour Day and Arbitration.

New York, April 22.—Striking harbor workers have returned to their jobs, following a compromise agreement reached between union officials and the employers. The men who returned were employed by private boat owners, who refused to meet the original demands of the men for an eight-hour day and wage increases. The compromise provides a 10-hour day and arbitration of the wage question.

WILSON NOT TO HOLD SHIP

George Washington to Return to America Loaded With Troops.

Paris, April 22.—President Wilson has decided not to hold the George Washington at Brest, it is reported, but it will be sent home loaded with troops. Its escort, the dreadnought Arizona, will remain at Brest, ready for a quick trip if necessary.

Spain Names Food Head.

Madrid, April 22.—The government, which has refused to accept the resignation of Juan De La Cierva, minister of finance, whose exclusion from the new cabinet has been demanded by striking telegraphers and telephone operators, has appointed as minister of food Dr. Maestre, and has begun appointments to various high posts of partisans of Cierva and Premier Maura. The Minister of the Interior, meanwhile, is taking steps to restore wire communication.

ALL MUST BE FED

Practically Every European Country Short of Foodstuffs.

Agriculturists on This Side of the Water Are Called on to Save the World From Starvation—Western Canada's Great Opportunity.

Considerable discussion is taking place in the papers as to the amount of money that the United States will have to pay for its guarantee of the price of wheat for 1919. The indications at present are that the treasury will not be affected. Instead of wheat going down the outlook now is that it will go considerably above the present guarantee. It is not only the opinion of a man of the experience of Mr. Hoover that gives weight to this assumption, but we have the glaring fact that there will be more mouths to feed for this year, and the next year or so, than there were in 1918, and the quantity of food will be little, if any, greater.

The assumption is based on the fact that Germany, Austria and Poland, and others of the fighting nations, unable to secure food enough in the past two or three years, and still unable to supply it within themselves, will require to be fed. The food can now be taken to them. For some time the soldiers will require to be fed; Italy will have its demands. There will be additional shipping, some of which will be needed for requirements of India, but it will also make ocean transport easier. Mr. Hoover is possibly better acquainted than any other individual observer with both the world's food needs and its prospects of supplying them.

He is naturally very closely in touch with conditions on this continent and his position as virtual dictator of the distribution of American-grown food in Europe has given him a possibly unique insight into European needs.

Mr. Hoover says there will be no surplus from the 1918 crop to carry over into 1919. Even under normal conditions this would be a sufficiently precarious situation, for there naturally never is any possible guarantee that one or more of the great wheat-producing countries in Europe may not experience a crop failure. Under present conditions, however, such lack of surplus is distinctly dangerous, for the very European nations upon which that continent could normally rely for the great bulk of its wheat, that is to say Russia, Bulgaria, Serbia and Roumania, will for obvious reasons be unable to supply their own demands for the coming year. In addition to this, Mr. Hoover points out that famine in India will call for a substantial proportion of the Australian surplus, and that, moreover, a considerable part of the Australian supply, which for lack of shipping has been accumulating in that country, has spoiled.

And the demand is by no means only for wheat. Mr. Hoover estimated that he would be able to furnish Germany 180,000 tons of grain during the month of April. But it is asserted that the German stocks of all kinds of grain and of potatoes and vegetables will surely be exhausted before June.

Mr. Hoover has also expressed the belief that it is questionable whether under the circumstances food enough can be supplied to tide Germany over until the next harvest.

It is quite clear, from all this that the world is going to depend more than ever upon this continent to keep the wolf from the door until the war devastated and anarchy-ridden countries in Europe can once again feed themselves. Already we read of the protests of British soldiers occupying Germany against allowing German women and children to perish of starvation as they are beginning to do. If these conditions prevail in Germany what must be the state of affairs elsewhere in Europe among nations which have fought with us during the last four years?

To sum up, it may be stated with confidence that the demand for every product of the farm will be unprecedented, and that the agriculturist will receive the highest prices on record for all that he has to sell.

The duty of Canada, therefore, is to keep up its work of assisting in supplying the need. It can do so. It has the land available at low prices; the market is there; railroad facilities are good, the climate and the soil produce the best wheat in the world. Western Canada offers the opportunity and the unceasing flow of farmers into the country indicates the fact that advantage is being taken of it.—Advertisement.

We do most for others when we make the most of ourselves.

Cuticura Soothes Itching Scalp

On retiring gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Make them your every-day toilet preparations and have a clear skin and soft, white hands.—Adv.

There is no limit to the age at which a man can make a fool of himself.

Your Eyes Granulated Eyelids, Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggists or by mail 60c per Bottle. For Book of the Eye free write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

CONQUEST OF THE AIR

AERIAL SERVICE FOR PASSENGERS, MAIL AND MERCHANDISE.

BIRDMEN MEET NEXT MONTH

Big Convention of Pan-American Aeronauts Will Stimulate Enlistments in the U. S. Air Service.

Atlantic City, New Jersey, will be the Mecca for a large gathering of American men, and representatives of foreign countries, who will be attracted by the first Pan-American Aeronautics Convention, which meets there in May.

Captain Charles J. Glidden, of the U. S. Air Service, Military Aeronautics, now stationed in the administrative department of the United States Flying School, Southerfield, Georgia, says:

"The Pan American Aeronautics Convention and exhibition to be held at Atlantic City during the month of May will bring to the attention of the American people the wonderful progress of aviation. The work of aircraft during the war establishes its practicability for commercial uses and insures the creation in this country of a complete aerial service, connecting all cities and towns for the transportation of persons, mail and merchandise.

"Before the close of 1920 I confidently predict this service will be in full operation, with extensions to all countries on this hemisphere. In the United States trunk lines will be established across the country which will place every city and town within six hours from some twenty-four distributing points. Once created and in operation our extensive coast line could be put under complete protection from any possible invasion. Thousands of college-trained aviators in and out of the service are now waiting to join in the operation of an aerial service.

"The government calls for fifteen thousand men to enlist in air service for one or three years' time. This is bound to receive a quick response, as here is an opportunity for men to be immediately assigned to duty in the service and of the number who enlist those who pass certain examinations will be given flying and balloon piloting instruction. This liberal offer is equivalent to a one or three years' college course in aeronautics, and one may become expert in all branches of aviation, and if qualified a non-commissioned or even a commissioned officer. In addition to regular pay, clothing, quarters and rations, extra pay begins with instructions to operate the aircraft. As the number of men wanted is limited to fifteen thousand for the entire country, quick application to the nearest recruiting officer will be necessary before the privilege is withdrawn.

"Everybody directly and indirectly interested in aviation should attend the Atlantic City convention and exhibition in order to keep abreast with the times and become familiar with the development of aircraft for defense and commercial uses and witness the demonstrations of the world's greatest airplane aviators, who will fly, and balloon pilots sail, to the Atlantic air port from all over the country."

Town of Historic Interest.

Brienne-le-Chateau, the little French town where Napoleon received his military education, recently celebrated the 105th anniversary of the emperor's last visit to the village. It was on January 29 that Napoleon began his campaign against the allies, who were storming at all the borders of France. At Brienne, where he had been taught the grim science of warfare, he attempted to cut the Silesian army in two by suddenly interposing his forces between those of Schwartzenberg and Bluecher, the object being to prevent their uniting. Almost on the same spot and on the same day Napoleon had a hairbreadth escape from the attack of a Cossack who attempted to murder him. It was only the prompt assistance of Gorgaud that saved Napoleon.

De Leon's Landing in Florida.

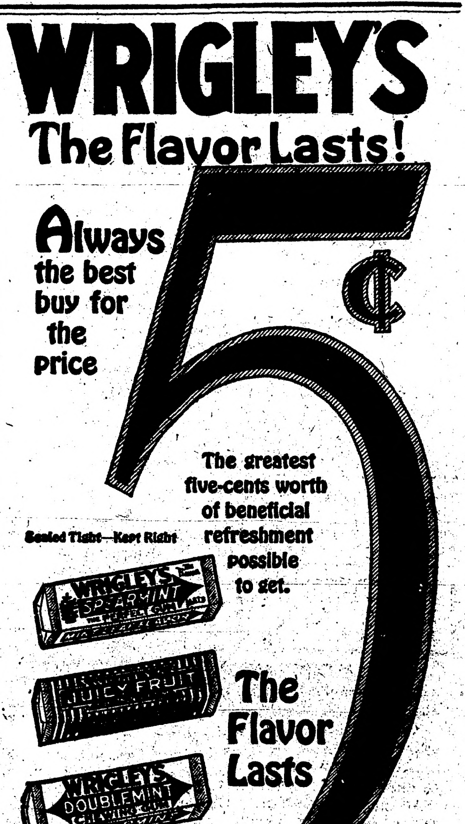
On March 27, in 1513, or Easter Sunday, Ponce de Leon discovered land after his voyage of exploration from Porto Rico. De Leon had sailed in search of the mythical island of Bimini, where the "Fountain of Youth" was said to be, when he discovered land on the North American continent. He named the country Florida, on account of the profusion of flowers.

Medicinal Plants.

In the Philippines the number of plants used for medicinal purposes is very large. A few are recognized as sources of standard medicines, but the number having commercial value is decidedly small. From one, the St. Ignatius bean (Strychnos ignatii), the strychnine of commerce is extracted.

Famous Old Inn Gone.

The city of Augsburg has seen the last of that famous inn, "Drei Mohren," or preferably, in sonorous French, "l'hotel des Trois Maures." The Bavarian revolution has demolished it with the famous room and fireplace in which the financier Pugger, to save his life, lit a fire with all those "I. O. U.'s," awkward reminders of a monarch's indebtedness. It was in this hostelry, too, that Marie Antoinette put up on her way to France to become the dauphin's wife.



Allen's Foot-Ease For the Feet

Sprinkle one or two Allen's Foot-Ease powders in the Foot Bath and soak and rub the feet. It takes the sting out of Corns and Bunions and smarting, aching feet. Then for lasting comfort, shake Allen's Foot-Ease into your shoes. It takes the friction from the shoe, rests the feet and makes walking a delight. Always use it for dancing parties and to break in new shoes. All dealers sell it.

After seeding see Texas MAGIC VALLEY. Write Wadsworth, Land Merchant, Grand N. D., for low round trip rate. Special car.

Out of the Catalogue.

A Franklin family had a catalogue from a mail-order house in their home, and the children had seen the different members of the family make their selections from the book and send in an order for them. One day one of the twins, Donald Ray, three years of age, had been unusually naughty, and the mother said:

"Donald Ray, you are such a naughty boy, mother wonders where she got such a bad boy."

Donald Ray, instantly replied: "Out of the catalogue, mother."—Indianapolis News.

Want Old Fort Preserved.

There is a movement afoot for the preservation of Fort Wilkins at Copper Harbor, almost on the tip of the Keweenaw peninsula, which juts out into Lake Superior, toward the Canadian shore, 50 miles. Fort Wilkins, established in the forties by the federal government, was one of the northernmost of the United States army posts. It is located on Lake Fanny Hoey, a stone's throw from the shore of Lake Superior. There remain several of the old barracks and officers' quarters, and remnants of the old stockade of pointed cedar poles can be seen. The Keweenaw Historical society is back of the movement to preserve the fort.

There's a limit to every man's capability—but very few men reach their limit.

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We distribute PIONEER and HEIDER TRACTORS, in all sizes—3 to 10 Plows. We also have a number used and rebuilt Engines of other makes, we will close out at cut prices.

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Soldiers' Feet in Sad Shape.

An inspection among feet and shoes of 1,087 soldiers in the Sixteenth Pennsylvania infantry showed: Corns, 750; callosities, 1,059; toes jammed or crowded, 636; hammer toes, 16; ingrowing nails, 762; bunions, 613; good feet, 290; men wearing shoes one-half size too small, 200; men wearing shoes one or more sizes too small, 476; men wearing shoes too large, 131.

The Limit of Density.

"Your new hired man seems to be pretty stupid, Ezry."

"And he doesn't deceive his looks much, either," replied honest Farmer Hornbeak. "He knows less round the farm here every day than the average person does on the witness stand."—Country Gentleman.

New Game.

"We're going to have a grab bag at our sociable," said the cheery woman to Mr. Growcher.

"You mean one of those things where everybody reaches in and tries to help himself to the best of it?"

"Something like that. Only I should like a more modern and elegant name for it!"

"Well, why don't you call it 'league of nations?'"

Not of Much Account.

Hewitt—Poor Gruet is no more.

Jewett—He never was very much.—Chicago Daily News.

All Food—No Waste

If you want an appetizing ready-to-eat cereal that you can serve with no fuss and with fullest satisfaction, try—

Grape-Nuts

DON'T BUY ASPIRIN IN A "PILL" BOX

Ask for "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a Bayer package—marked with "Bayer Cross."

You must say "Bayer." Never ask for merely Aspirin tablets. The name "Bayer" means you are getting the genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," proven safe by millions of people.

Don't buy Aspirin tablets in a pill box. Insist on getting the Bayer package with the safety "Bayer Cross" on both package and on tablets. No other way!

Beware of counterfeits! Only recently a Brooklyn manufacturer was sent to the penitentiary for flooding the country with talcum powder tablets, which he claimed to be Aspirin.

In the Bayer package are proper directions and the dose for Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sciatica, Colds, Grippe, Influenzal-Colds, Neuritis and pain generally.

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," American made and owned, are sold in vest pocket boxes of 12 tablets, which cost only a few cents, also in bottles of 24 and bottles of 100—also capsules. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

A woman may pretend to be convinced against her will, but she never is.

Don't fail to keep an eye upon the friend who offers you suggestions at the expense of another friend.

One way to put in your time is over the pawnbroker's counter.

Keep clean inside as well as outside by taking a gentle laxative at least once a week, such as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

What is good is difficult.—Plato.

Western Canada's "Horn of Plenty" Offers You Health & Wealth

Western Canada for years has helped to feed the world—the same responsibility of production still rests upon her. While high prices for Grain, Cattle and Sheep are sure to remain, price of land is much below its value. Land capable of yielding 20 to 45 bushels of wheat to the acre can be had on easy terms at from $15 to $30 per acre—good grazing land at much less. Many farms paid for from a single year's crop. Raising cattle, sheep and hogs brings equal success. The Government encourages farming and stock raising. Railway and Land Companies offer unusual inducements to Home Seekers. Farms may be stocked by loans at moderate interest. Western Canada offers low taxation, good markets and shipping; free schools, churches and healthful climate.

For particulars as to reduced railway rates, location of land, illustrated literature, etc., apply to Supt. of Immig., Ottawa, Can., or

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. Dak.; K. Hadiland, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Mont.
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MARRY ON LITTLE CAPITAL

Natives in the Belgian Congo Apparently Are Willing to Take Most Desperate Chances.

When an African boy in Congo-Belge reaches the age of eighteen and has saved what in American money would be about two dollars, which is enough to buy a piece of cloth for himself and his wife, he proceeds to get married. The courtship period lasts only while the prospective bridegroom gives presents to the girl's parents. Then if the presents are considered large enough the wedding day is set.

In Kapanga in the Methodist Episcopal mission the ceremony takes place. The bride walks with an umbrella over her head to protect her from the sun, and is preceded by a bridesmaid who carries the garment the bride wore before marriage. Other bridesmaids follow, all walking single file.

After the ceremony the bridal procession goes to the bridegroom's house. The bride never walks with her husband, but follows him. A wedding breakfast is served, usually consisting of goat meat and corn mush or gruel made from some kind of a root.

Dyspepsia is the remorse of a guilty stomach.—A. Kerr.

JAP ADVERTISERS NOT SLOW

Experts of the Occident Might Even Borrow a Few Ideas From Their Oriental Colleagues.

An advertising man who has returned recently from the orient says the Japanese merchants and manufacturers who have occasion to make use of printer's ink are not disposed to limit themselves to dull, prosaic statements concerning the excellence of their wares. Among the entertaining bits that the traveler noticed in his study of Japanese advertising are these:

"Goods dispatched expeditiously as a cannon ball."

"Parcels done up with such loving as a wife bestows upon her husband."

"The print of our books is clear as crystal; the matter charming as a singing girl."

"Customers are treated as politely as by rival steamship companies."

"Our silks and satins are as smooth as a lady's cheek and colored like the rainbow."

It ought to be possible to get advertisements read in Japan without scattering them around next to "pure reading matter."—Dayton News.

Naturally.

"Jemima looks so loud in that dress."

"I should say so. She's a scream."

Means Family Comfort

when the boiling pot of Postum sings its song of health and satisfaction on the kitchen stove.

THE ORIGINAL

POSTUM CEREAL

led the way to comfort for many a family of coffee drinkers, for with the coming of Postum, away went the headaches, nervousness, sleeplessness and irritability that so often follow the the use of coffee.

You can still buy that original Postum from your grocer—an invigorating drink of rare, delicious flavor—a beverage that is really part of the meal, not merely something to drink.

"There's a Reason"

Two sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c.

NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings In Minnesota Given In Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Winton.—John Yuzam died here from injuries received in a cave-in at the section 30 mine.

International Falls.—Boat service has been established between here and Ranier, the road between the two towns being impassable.

Winona.—Bills will be introduced in congress to make Winona or La Crosse the center of fish rescue work on the upper Mississippi.

Spooner. — The work of preparing the local sawmill for the season's run is being pushed as rapidly as possible. A large crew of millwrights and machinists are to be employed.

Walker — Members of the Cass County Development association, in session at the annual meeting at the court house here, were unanimous in favoring a continuance of the state fair exhibit.

International Falls.—Serg Bloomfield, in charge of the local regular army recruiting station, opened headquarters in the International hotel building and reported two recruits secured the first day.

Rochester.—Police seek a girl who forged the name of Mrs. E. H. Beckman of this city to a check for $55. The name of Ella Stetz was signed to it. A similar name was signed to checks passed in Mankato.

Bemidji. — Joe Jerome was bound over to the federal grand jury on a charge of having stolen a letter containing a returned soldier's bonus check. The check was payable to Vaino Niomi and was for $60.

Crookston—Alleged to have taken a car without the permission of the owner, Hjalmer Goodmanson was fined $20 and costs in municipal court after a complaint had been made by George Hardon, owner of the car.

Brainerd.—A car for the shipment of waste paper under the direction of the chamber of commerce was "spotted" on the Northern Pacific tracks here early in the morning and was filled before night and ready for shipment.

Warroad.—The highway commission allotted $35,000 as government aid for the proposed Federal road between Warroad and Roosevelt, under condition that the road secure right of way along the Canadian Northern the entire distance.

Luverne.—A report shows that Rock county has the lowest tax rate of any county in the state. The rate is 22.63 mills. This rate was levied on real and personal property assessment valuation of $14,285,255, on which $334,081 was realized.

Moorhead.—The First English Lutheran church of Moorhead was officially received into the membership of Trinity Lutheran church Sunday. By the union Trinity becomes officially an English church, with preaching in the English language.

Stillwater.—The dates for the next Washington county fair were announced today as Sept. 25 and 27. Prizes aggregating $3,500 will be awarded to exhibitors. The Northern Minnesota Poultry association show will be held on the same dates.

Hibbing. — Game Warden George Wood obtained a warrant in municipal court for the arrest of Gene W. New, Floodwood merchant, charging him with buying beaver hides. According to Wood he has a sworn affidavit of A. W. Lindwall of International Falls that he shipped the skins, parcel post, to the Floodwood man.

St. Paul.—Voluntary contributions to the Moose Lake forest fire relief fund, sent to the State Public Safety commission and to Governor Burnquist, have totalled $196,058, it was announced in the commission offices. This does not include donations forwarded directly to the relief commission.

Canby.—In the inter-district high school debate held at Canby, between the team from Henderson high school, representing the third district, and the Canby high school team, representing the seventh district, the latter team won a two to one decision. The victory places Canby in the semi-finals for the state championship.

Moorhead. — Chief of Police Cleve Knapp says he wants to meet the man with the "big thirst." A liquor shipment which the chief has seized and is consigned to a person not yet identified, consists of one barrel, 50 gallons of whisky; one box, 11 quarts of liquor; one box, 10 quarts of liquor, and another box of five quarts.

Stillwater. — Jamieson, Thorsen & Sandeen were awarded a contract by the county commissioners to construct and gravel five miles of the Hudson-St. Paul highway in Washington county, for which they will receive $30,073.34. The work will be completed by Dec. 1. More than $100,000 will be spent in building new and improving state and county roads in Washington county this year.

Mankato.—Four patrolmen struck for $10 monthly increases in pay today. Their demand was refused and they turned over their stars to four new men from the waiting list. Among the strikers was the only old patrolman kept on the force when Mayor Watters assumed office a short time ago.

Hastings.—William Barrett, one of Minnesota's pioneers and a prominent Dakota county resident, died at the home of his son here. He was 92 years old. Mr. Barrett had lived at Rich Valley for nearly half a century He is survived by two sons.

Stillwater.—Walter Klinefelter of this city has been reappointed game warden of Washington county, by Governor Burnquist.

Mankato.—Philip Lead, for six years chief of the local fire department, and for 34 years a member of that organization, has resigned.

Mankato. — All charitable organizations in Mankato will combine activities to avoid duplication, and work under the direction of the Red Cross.

Mankato.—Members of the Mankato Firemen Relief association made the first purchase of Victory Loan Bonds in Blue Earth county, when they subscribed $1,000 to the drive.

Brainerd. — George Mazon of St. Paul, charged with attempting to run the Indian territory blockade with a suit case of whisky, came to grief when he was taken into custody.

Pillager.—The Cuyuna Range Power company now furnishes power to Brainerd, Deerwood, Crosby, Ironton, Cuyuna, Pillager, Motley, Walker, Akeley, Trommald, Manganese, Woodrow and Riverton.

Brainerd.—Rev. Jesse Bruce, D.D., field secretary of the board of church erection of the Presbyterian church, was in Brainerd and held a conference with the local church in regard to its building project.

Moorhead. — Moorhead will have a fully equipped glove and mitten factory as soon as the balance of the machinery is received and installed. This new industry will occupy the south room of the Dommer building.

Slayton.—Farmers of Murray county have formed a farm land bank here. F. R. Blake was elected president and L. Anderson secretary and treasurer. Loans amounting to $84,000 were applied for at the initial meeting.

St. Paul.—Ernest H. Kiekenapp, Lake Benton, who recently returned from overseas, where he was in military service, will succeed H. T. Halvorson, Alexandria, on the state board of optometry, Governor Burnquist has announced.

St. Cloud.—R. A. Voy, in charge of the agricultural department at the Indian training school at Flandreau, S. D., was in St. Cloud seeking two Indian boys who escaped from that institution several days ago and were here last week.

Glyndon.—The Farmers and Merchants State bank here was robbed of about $20 in cash. The robbers, who are thought to be amateurs, also raided the safety deposit boxes and probably obtained several Liberty bonds. They gained admittance into the vault by hacking a hole through the brick wall.

Bemidji.—Miss May O. MacGregor has returned to her home here after a year of overseas service as a Red Cross nurse in France. Miss MacGregor was cited for bravery twice by the French government, one citation being for service at Chateau Thierry and the other for service in the Meuse, Argonne and St. Mihiel sectors.

Minneapolis.—The commercial beekeepers of Minnesota will have their convention short course at the university farm, April 21 to 26. The government extension service is sending from Washington its staff of bee experts to assist. There are about 20,000 beekeepers in the state, of whom about 500 are commercially interested in bees and honey.

Mankato.—Mankato will stage a mammoth reception for returned soldiers on May 1. George M. Palmer, president of the Blue Earth County Red Cross chapter, is chairman of arrangements. A parade, in which returned soldiers and five companies of the Minnesota National Guard, Fifth Regiment, quartered here, will take part, will be a feature.

Minneapolis. — Members of the Northwestern Hotel Men's association will be entertained in Minneapolis, June 16, 17 and 18, the guests of the Minneapolis Hotel Men's association. It was decided at a meeting of the Minneapolis association at the Andrews hotel yesterday About 300 delegates from all parts of Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Iowa and Wisconsin are expected to attend.

Bemidji.—Assistance was given to 132 families during March by the Bemidji home service of the American Red Cross, according to the regular report filed by Mrs. E. H Smith, chairman of the committee and D. S. Mitchell, secretary. In addition eighty-five were provided with information and help and forty seven were given information. During March $315.35 was expended by the committee.

Rushford.—Fifty years of married life and fifty years as pastor of the Rushford Lutheran church were celebrated simultaneously by Rev. and Mrs. E. Jaastaad. The pastor married Miss Thorbjor Aga in 1869, shortly after he accepted his first pastorate at Rushford. He has been continuously pastor of the Rushford church since that time. Both Mr. and Mrs. Jaastaad are in excellent health, despite their advanced age. The celebration was featured by a dinner served at noon to the congregation in the church, and special morning and afternoon services were conducted by visiting clergymen.

Hibbing.—Iron range aliens charged with planning to evade the income tax by returning to Europe must either show their income tax receipts or remain in this country, according to information received here. It is estimated that more than 400 aliens sought to evade the income tax in the Hibbing district alone.

Bemidji.—As one of the memorials dedicated to the Bemidji boys who have given their lives for their country in the world war, a clump of elm trees is to be planted in the north west corner of the Library park by the park board.

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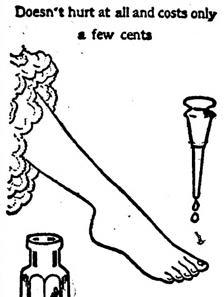

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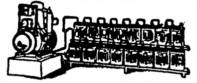

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ANTIQUITY OF DECORATIVE ART

Strange Sources From Which Pigments Used by Modern Painters Are Derived.

PRESERVATION OF SURFACES.

Crude but Effective Processes Employed by the Egyptians and Greeks of Pliny's Day—Noah Prudently Waterproofed the Ark.

Whether paint was invented in answer to a need for a preservative or to meet a desire for beauty is a question fully as knotty as the ancient one about the relative time of arrival of the chicken or the egg. It was invented, though, and it serves both purposes equally; so whether it is an offspring of mother necessity or an adopted son of beauty remains forever a disputed question.

The first men, cowering under the fierce and glaring suns of the biblical countries, constructed rude huts of wood to shelter them. The perishable nature of these structures caused rapid decay, and it is probable that the occupants, seeking some artificial means of preservation, hit upon the pigments of the earth in their search. It is perhaps natural to suppose that it was the instinct of preservation that led men to the search, although the glories of the sunsets and the beauties of the rainbow may have created a desire to imitate those wonders in their own dwellings.

The earliest record of the application of a preservative to a wooden structure dates from the ark, which was, according to the Bible, "pitched within and without." The pitch was a triumph of preservation whatever it lacked as a thing of beauty.

Decoration applied to buildings first comes to light with ancient Babylon, whose walls were covered with representations of hunting scenes and of combat. These were done in red and the method followed was to paint the scene on the bricks at the time of manufacture, assuring permanence by baking. Strictly speaking, this was not painting so much as it was the earliest manifestation of our own familiar kalsomining.

The first Hebrew to mention painting is Moses. In the thirty-third chapter of the book of Numbers he instructs the Israelites, "When ye have passed over the Jordan into the land of Canaan, then shall ye drive out all the inhabitants of the land from before you and destroy all their pictures. . . ."

At later periods the Jews adopted many customs of the peoples who successively obtained power over them and in the apocryphal book of the Maccabees is found this allusion to the art of decorating. "For as the master builder of a new house must care for the whole building, but he that undertaketh to set it out and paint it, must seek out things for the adorning thereof."

Although Homer gives credit to a Greek for the discovery of paint, the allusions to it in the books of Moses, the painted mummy cases of the Egyptians and the decorated walls of Babylon and Thebes fix its origin at a period long antecedent to the Grecian era. The walls of Thebes were painted 1,900 years before the coming of Christ and 996 years before "'Omer smote his bloomin' lyre."

The Greeks recognized the value of paint as a preservative and made use of something akin to it on their ships. Pliny writes of the mode of boiling wax and painting ships with it, after which, he continues, "neither the sea, nor the wind, nor the sun can destroy the wood thus protected."

The Romans, being essentially a warlike people, never brought the decoration of buildings to the high plane it had reached with the Greeks. For all that the ruins of Pompeii show many structures whose mural decorations are in fair shape today. The colors used were glaring. A black background was the usual one and the combinations worked thereon red, yellow and blue.

In the early Christian era the use of mosaics for churches somewhat supplanted mural painting. Still, during the reign of Justinian the Church of Saint Sophia was built at Constantinople and its walls were adorned with paintings.

In modern times the uses of paint have come to be as numerous as its myriad shades and tints. Paint is unique in that its name has no synonym and for it there is no substitute material. Bread is the staff of life, but paint is the life of the staff.

No one thinks of the exterior of a wooden building now except in terms of paint coated. Interiors, too, from painted walls and stained furniture down to the lowliest kitchen utensil, all receive their protective covering. Steel, so often associated with cement re-enforcing, is painted before it goes to give solidity to the manufactured whole. The huge girders of the skyscrapers are daubed an ugly but efficient red underneath the surface coat of black. Perhaps the best example of the value of paint on steel is found in the venerable Brooklyn bridge, on which a gang of painters is kept going continually. It is scarce possible to think of a single manufactured article which does not meet paint somewhere in the course of its construction. So has paint grown into the very marrow of our lives.

PAINT AS AN ASSET.

Bankers Say They Lend More Money on Property When Buildings Are Well Painted.

AN INDICATION OF THRIFT.

One Concern Advances 25 Per Cent. More if Repainting Is Done Every Five Years.

Does it pay to paint carefully farm buildings? Does it add to the selling value of a farm when buildings are properly kept up and regularly painted? A careful inquiry of a number of leading bankers in the Mississippi valley, including such states as Iowa, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio, Indiana and Missouri, reveals the fact that in nearly every case the bankers did not hesitate to say that they would lend all the way from 5 to 50 per cent. more on land where farm buildings were well painted and kept in good condition. They maintain that well kept-up and well painted buildings and fences are an indication of thrift and that the thrifty farmer is a good client, and to him money can be safely loaned. An average of the returns from these bankers shows that the increased loan value because of painted buildings is around 22 per cent.

Some of these bankers make interesting comment. A Michigan concern says that, while not especially prepared to advise definitely in response to this inquiry, the officers would loan more money on farms where buildings were painted than where they were not so treated. This bank also finds that where houses, barns and fences are well taken care of the farm is a profitable proposition, and bankers in general consider the farmer a good client. Another Michigan bank says "farm buildings out of repair and needing paint indicate that the owner is slow pay." Such farms are rated at about one-third of the assessed value for loans. Where the farm buildings are in good shape the rating is one-half. The president of a middle western bank says that when real estate loans are considered, painted buildings are always taken into consideration in making an estimate. The general appearance of the property surrounding the house and barn and also the fields and fences would be carefully observed. He further says that he has no hesitancy in saying that he would absolutely refuse a loan on farms where the buildings were not kept up and well painted. In his judgment, unpainted farm buildings would reduce the loan value at least 25 per cent.

A Minnesota banker says that he is much more willing to loan money where the buildings are well painted. In his particular case he believes that he would loan 20 per cent. more than if the buildings were not properly taken care of. A farmer who will keep his buildings painted takes a much deeper interest in his work than one who does not. Another Minnesota bank says that well painted buildings have resulted in securing from his bank sometimes as high as 25 per cent. more money than where the buildings are not painted. An Ohio concern says that it will loan 25 per cent. more money on a well kept farm where buildings are painted at least once every five years. A southern Illinois bank says that it has no fixed rule about this, but it does make a decided difference when owners of farm lands apply for loans. If the buildings are well painted and thus well preserved the loan rate would not only be cheaper, but the amount of money borrowed would be larger. A northern Illinois bank does not hesitate to say that it would loan fully 50 per cent. more on a farm where buildings were well painted and in good order than where they were not. The vice president, who answers the inquiry, goes on to say: "There probably are many farmers good financially and morally who permit their buildings to remain unpainted, but as a rule the most substantial people who live in the country keep their buildings well painted."

An Iowa bank, through its vice president, states that it would make a difference of at least 25 per cent. in favor of the farm with painted buildings. Another Iowa concern says that it would make a difference of at least 20 per cent.

All this being true, it is perfectly evident that it is a good business proposition to keep the farm buildings well painted. They not only look better and are more pleasing to the owner, but the farm would sell to better advantage, the loan value of the property would be greatly increased and the buildings themselves would last much longer and need less repair.—The American Agriculturist.

PAINT AND ILLITERACY.

Curious Fact Comes to Light That Localities Least Using Books Avoid Paint Also.

Washington, D. C.—A curious fact has been brought to light by the Educational Bureau and the Bureau of Industrial Research here. It is that in the states where illiteracy is most prevalent paint is least used. The paint referred to is the common or barn variety, of course, for the backwoods countries have no need for the finer pigments or facial adornments. It is true, though, that in the sections of all states where white illiteracy is highest painted homes are rare and painted outbuildings and barns are practically unknown. Probably the illiterates do not use paint on their buildings because they do not understand its value as a preservative.

HOW CLEOPATRA'S NEEDLE WAS SAVED

New Process Invented to Preserve Surface of Monolith in Central Park.

HIEROGLYPHS OBLITERATED.

Rigors of Western Climate Caused Khedive's Gift to Disintegrate. Painting Ancient Obelisk With Special Preparation Stayed Decay—Ruined Portions Restored.

New Yorkers awoke one morning to find in their breakfast headlines the news that a zealous park employee had discovered signs of disintegration on the surface of the city's most treasured antique—Cleopatra's Needle. Photographs revealed that the monolith was peeling, large pieces of sandstone having fallen from the tall shaft, carrying with them part of the prized hieroglyphs.

London's twin sister of Cleopatra's Needle was reported as resting comfortably and enduringly on the banks of the Thames, and the rival port wondered whether a preparation would be found to stay the attacks of their harsher climate.

Such a preparation was soon forthcoming. A new paint combination as a preservative for stone was invented by Dr. William Kuckro, chemist of the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Many years previous coating with paraffin had been tried, but the application had not entirely accomplished its purpose. The new painting process, however, proved a success. Disintegration was halted and the damaged parts restored. New York breathed easily again.

THE OBELISK.

The Obelisk was presented to the City of New York by the Khedive of Egypt. Lieutenant Commander Gorringe, U. S. N., after a three years' effort, obtained possession of it and moved it to its present position, at an expense of nearly $100,000. It was finally swung into position at noon, January 22, 1881.

The height of this monument, from base to tip, is 69 feet, 2 inches. The measurement of the base, square through its axis, is 7 feet, 8¾ inches. The entire weight of the monolith is 219¼ tons.

Since it was quarried near the torrid zone, it has traversed the entire length of Egypt, most of that of the Mediterranean Sea and the width of the Atlantic Ocean—a distance of 6,400 miles—proving itself a first rate traveler for one whose age has exceeded thirty-five centuries. In the course of its existence it has seen Pharaoh and his host going to their destruction in the Red Sea; Shishak marching to the Conquest of Jerusalem; Cambyses desolating the land; Herodotus, Plato and other Greek students engaged in pursuit of Egyptian lore; Alexander the Great on his victorious expedition through the land of Goshen; six and a half centuries of Roman sovereignty and Christian struggle at Alexandria; all the long line of Moslem rulers since Caliph Omar; and now, leaving altogether its native land, it stands looking upon the million dwellers in this metropolis, whose site was unknown to the Eastern world at a time when the Obelisk had been in existence for two thousand years.

PAINT PROTECTION AND ITS ECONOMY.

The preservation of structural materials, which may be obtained through the application of paint, constitutes a most vital means of furthering the conservation of our natural resources. It is, moreover, the most economical method of sustaining the appearance and general upkeep of any community.

A structure coated with sheets of India rubber would not be as well protected from decay as a structure coated with a good oil paint. This is due to the fact that a sheet of rubber is not so durable or as waterproof as a thin dried film of paint. The latter material when applied dries to a continuous elastic film containing finely divided particles of metallic, wear resisting pigments. A square foot of such a film upon a wooden surface costs less than a penny, yet it will beautify and protect a dollar's worth of surface for many years. This is a low rate of insurance.

Dwellings, barns, outbuildings, sheds, posts, fences, stock enclosures, wagons, implements, windmills and other structures, whether of wood, iron or cement, should be preserved, through the use of paint, from rapid decay. High grade paint may be used successfully for all such purposes. Colored paints will be found the most serviceable, the coloring matter in the paint adding from two to three years to the life of the coating.

Rev. E. LaRoe of Thief River Falls will hold services in the Mission church at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening.

Ed Nelson of T. R. Falls and his brother, Oscar of Low Gap, Washington, visited their mother Mrs. J. Nelson and family Sunday.

Don't put all your eggs in one basket, for if you fall down all may be broken. In otherwords; do not stake everything on any one single crop, but have several, if possible. Mixed or deversified farming is the safest.

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Butterfat	4,205 lbs
Overrun	958 lbs.
Butter made	5,158 lbs.
Price paid	60 cents
Receipts for butter sold	$2,812.96
Paid Patrons by check,	$2,499.19
Sinking fund	28.64
Expense fund	248.20
Balance	36.93
Total	$2812.96

Patrons receiving checks of $50.00 and over:

Olaus Rodahl	$175.70,
Julius Faiman	113.36
Jno. Engstrom	83.38
Gust Peterson	77.61
F. D. Voth	74.15
T. O. Dovre	70.20
C. E. Smith	67.16
Ed Horien	58.71
L. Wegge	57.57
Ole B. Johnson	56.87
O. A. Knutson	56.74
Jno. Simonson	56.52
Alfred Anderson	50.29

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston Minnesota March 19, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Agnes Fosen, of Holt Minn., who, on May 2, 1916, made homestead entry, Serial No. 013613, for E 1-2 S W 1-4 Lots 4 and 5, Sec. 19 and Lot 9 Section 30, Township 156 N., Range 41 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 28th day of April, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses: August Nelson, Nels A. Fosen, Grant I. Flakne all of Holt Minn, Emil Ostlund of Golden Valley Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdal, Register.

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April 1, 1914 Total Deposits	$ 60,891.21
April 1, 1915 Total Deposits	$ 71,271.38
April 1, 1916 Total Deposits	$ 87,419.85
April 1, 1917 Total Deposits	$111,521.11
April 1, 1918 Total Deposits	$188,072.92
April 1, 1919 Total Deposits	$206,291.46

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Local Items

Mrs. H. Furr visited friends in Middle River Monday and Tuesday.

Jacob Nelson of Larimore, N. Dak., came Monday to visit relatives a few days.

Chas. McLane and H. J. Oren were visitors in Thief River Falls Saturday morning.

Willie Rux returned home Monday from Northw[illegible] his sister's [illegible] but not w[illegible]

Miss Ma[illegible] came up from Thief River Falls Saturday for a few days visit at home.

Dr. Gam[illegible] was [illegible] to the Nels Gudvangen home Wednesday morning where they are sick.

The flu has struck this vicinity again, but most of the cases have been in a mild form, so far.

Mrs. Jacob Nelson and Mrs. M. B. [illegible] went to Fertile Saturday to visit relatives for a few days.

E. M. Bennes of Thief River Falls was here all last week writing insurance for the Lincoln National Life Ins. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Reisberg of Thief River Falls came Saturday to visit at the home of the latter's brother, Pete Hanson, and family.

A baby girl was born Saturday night to Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nohre. Mother and babe are doing nicely, but the father is sick—with the flu.

Mrs. O. A. Knutson brot their son, Ludwig, home Saturday from Thief River Falls sanitorium where he had been a patient for several months past.

The Free Mission young peoples' society will hold a meeting at the church at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening, assisted by their pastor, Rev. Myhrer.

Dr. Mellby was called Tuesday night to see Arthur Larson. The sick boy had a bad sinking spell but is much better at this time we are glad to report.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel Anderson and son George of Lockhart arrived Friday evening for a visit at the J. E. Erickson home. They returned to Lockhart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sorenson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lufki of Thief River Falls visited Sunday at the home of the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Relerson.

Dr. Paulson was called Tuesday night to see Anton Rodahl who is sick with the flu. He also called at the Tony Carlsons home where they have all been sick for the past week.

Postmaster Eugebretsen and wife have both been on the sick list the past week. J. E. Boyeson has charge of the post office at present and Mrs. Kjelgren is taking care of the family.

Mrs. Ole B. Johnson returned home Tuesday from Warren where her daughter, Miss Julia, underwent an operation Saturday for appendicitis. We are pleased to report the latter is getting along as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken autoed to Viking Friday night after Mrs. Clarence Docken and baby who will visit here until her husband arrives home from overseas.

Mr. Docken received a letter Tuesday from Clarence stating he was to leave Camp Merrit on Monday for Camp Dodge, where he will be mustered out of the service and expected to arrive in Holt to-morrow or Monday.

Elevator Burned

The Red Lake Milling Co's elevator in this village was completely destroyed by fire, early Thursday morning.

The fire was first seen by Ole Backlund at a little before 5 o'clock. He immediately gave the alarm and it was only a few minutes until the fire company were pouring water onto the flames. When first discovered, the fire seemed to be close to the top of the elevator but it was not very long before the whole building seemed to be ablaze, and as it was plain to all that it could not be saved, the fire company turned the hose on the Hanson & Barzen elevator, which was in grave danger as a shower of sparks was continually falling on the roofs of that building and the ware houses to the south. All of the latter buildings were saved by the hard and efficient work of the fire company, under the direction of their chief, Albert Bennes. The big engine and force pump gave plenty of pressure to keep the roof and sides of the elevator soaked with water and on that account probably was the means of saving many, if not all the buildings south of the elevators. Holt can take just pride in the fire fighting spirit of its men and the apparatus with which to work.

Mr. Oien, the Red Lake Falls Milling Co's, agent has been here for almost seven years and he feels very badly about the fire. He had been loading cars for the past few days and the fire undoubtly started from a hot box. Mr. Oien shipped a car of flax Wednesday and had another car already for loading the next morning and another car in the yard to get ready. There were about 5500 bushels of grain in the elevator, of which about 1500 was wheat. Also about 250 sacks of flour and a lot of feed was burned.

Peter Bjeorken went to Mahnomen Wednesday on business.

Racine Olson attended a meeting of the assessors of the county at Warren Tuesday.

Estray: Large red cow, coming fresh soon. Please notify K. Brown, Holt, Minn.

Davidson Bros. struck a good flow of water at 90 feet in the well they just drilled for Sam Mickelson.

Mr. Onstad and his helper came up from Thief River Falls Tuesday to do the plastering in Sam Mickelson's new house.

Loyd Adams commenced work Tuesday on the forms for the basement of D. B. Bakkes' new house.

Chas. McLane has finished drilling the well on the Ed Jonnson farm, which is occupied by Chris Rustad and family.

The high school play has been postponed until a later date on account of the sickness of some of those who were to take part in it.

Free clinic for the examination of children up to 12 years of age at Thief River Falls May 12th. Write Miss Haggert, the school nurse for information.

The biggest check ever issued by the Holt creamery was delivered on Monday to Olaus Rodahl for cream sold during the month of March. The check was for $213.00 but as $3.00 had been deducted for butter, the actual amount of cream sold amounted to $216.00. Julius Fairman's check was over $175.00 and there were several more big ones. Who says dairying don't pay in this country?

The Holt public school grounds have been raked, the rubbish burned and twenty-five evergreens have been set out the past week. The principal, janitor and pupils did this work and the grounds look so much better, that we are quite sure all feel well repaid for their work. They have shown a public spirit that some older people could follow up with advantage to themselves and the community as a whole.

LAND DEALS

F. W. Ramaley of Minneapolis has sold his farm 6 miles east of town to Lund Bros., of Alexandria, who will take immediate possession. We understand the price paid was a little over $40 per acre or $20,000 for the 470 acres contained in the farm.

The farm has an entire set of new up-to-date building and as the Lund Brothers are hustlers they are bound to succeed in the venture.

V. L. Price who has occupied the farm and operated it for Mr. Ramaley will have an auction Saturday, May 10 to dispose of his personal property.

Axel Nelson has made a deal with Mrs. Sven Johnson for the SE¼ of section 29, town of Holt. As the farm is just outside of the incorporation it is considered a valuable location and as Mr. Nelson expects to improve the place at once he is going to soon make it a good farm and one that will sell for big money.

T. E. Ellestead has sold his farm of 160 acres to Erik Johnson. This farm is 5½ miles north of town and near Mr. Johnson's home place and will furnish plenty of land so as to keep his sons at home.

B. Docken recently sold a quater in section 22, Town of East Valley to Olaf Ness.

Rev. M. T. Strom was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday.

Miss Amanda Mickelson was a Warren visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Ole Kjelgren visited in T. R. Falls a couple of days last week.

Engebreth Moe transacted business in Warren one day this week.

Alfred Newton has moved onto his Mud Lake claim.

A bunch of young people attended a dance in Newfolden Saturday night.

P. L. Anderson went to T. R. Friday to have dental work done.

Gladys and Clifford Flak went to T. R. Falls Tuesday.

Even the gypsies are putting on style during these good times, as a bunch of them passed thru here Tuesday in automobiles.

Pauline, Gust and Henry Schwartz visited at the C. Hoffman home Sunday.

Carl Erickson met Miss Elizabeth Hoffman at T. R. Falls Friday on her return from Goodridge where she has been teaching.

K. Brown has lost a large red cow, that may be fresh when found. Anyone knowing of her whereabouts please notify the owner at once.

Now is the time to swat the fly before they commence to breed.

J. M. Swan shipped a car of cattle to the city markets Tuesday.

Pay your telephone bills now. It costs money to send out statements every month.

B. Docken has sold his Winton Six auto.

Among those reported on the sick list the past week, and not noted elsewhere in this paper, are: Mrs. Melquist and baby, Mrs. Hilmer Davidson and baby, Mrs. Ole Knutson, and Mrs. Adams, Misses Victoria Johnson, Elevena and Myrtle Sollom, Hjalmer Peterson and John Hagberg.

J. L. Hirsch of Amherst, S. Dak., arrived in Holt Wednesday, expecting to take charge of the Red Lake elevator, as soon Mr. Oien could be checked out, but as noted elsewhere, the elevator burned the next morning.

It is hoped that the elevator will be rebuilt at once as one can't take care of all the grain in the busy season.

Girl wanted for general cleaning also for dining room work, at the Oakland Park Sanitarium, short hours, good wages.

SYNOD CHURCH NOTES

Services for next Sunday as follows: Sunday school at 10. Services at 11 o'clock, Y. P. S. meet at the Woodman hall at 8:30. Silver Creek church in Thorvick at 3 o'clock. Confirmants Saturday at 1 o'clock

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor

Carl Oien sold his interest in the confectionery store to his partner, Olai Sovde, and departed Friday for his home at Shelly.

Miss Hilma Sovde stopped off here during the train lunch hour Tuesday to see her brother, Olai. She was enroute to her home in Greenbush from Crookston where she had been in the hospital. We are pleased to report that she is recovering nicely.

The elevators are getting ready for the change in management and ownership, which will take place in a few days. The Hanson & Barzen elevator have cleaned out all their grain and quit buying and have it already to give possession of to the farmers. The Red Lake Falls elevator is loading out as fast as possible, to make the cut easier for all concerned.

STEINER

The John Meyer family autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon. They report the roads as better than a week ago

Joe Weiss just returned home from the army. He was at the front for about three months and comes home well and hearty.

John Haider bought a car the other day. It is getting up this way now that the farmer who has no auto is the exception.

Willis Warring and Harvey Copp called at the Werner home Sunday.

S. R. Rogers and Lewis Meyers finished their carpenter work at Mr. Ment's place last week.

Everyone in this neighborhood is seeding these days.

Mrs. S. Warring visited her daughter, Mrs. John Whitmain the past week.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers visited over Sunday with her daughters who are attending school in Thief River Falls.

The Berg boys were trying their car last Sunday.

Mr. Fustman and wife are again located on their farm north of here He is putting in his crop this spring himself.

Joseph Russel and family visited at the Rogers home last Sunday.

A party was given Saturday evening at the Haider home in honor of Joe Weiss just returned from France.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Dr. Turley will be here May 21.

Let's do something for Memorial Day this year.

Child's clinic in Thief River Falls May 12th. Children examined free.

Ludovic M. Larson went to Stephen Wednesday where he has employment in a lumber yard.

A Minneapolis bridge company crew arrived here Wednesday with a complete outfit and are going to put in a bridge a half mile south of town.

Andrew Spokley had a lot of his effects shipped here Wednesday from Climax.

Miss Albertina Nyberg came last week to visit home folks.

Jesse Sorum is hauling the Golden Valley mail for Olaf Dahl, who is only one of the numerous sick people at Golden Valley.

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John Melquist and family visited with relatives over Sunday at Erskine.

A bunch of young people autoed down from Greenbush Friday evening to visit Olai Sovde.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simenson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Torgerson of Thorwick visited at the J. E. Erickson home Sunday.

Miss Nettie Roseland was married at Warren last week Monday to Henry B. Snelting. They will make their home at Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel Anderson, George Anderson and Annie Erickson, visited at the G. Svenson and Mr. Utstrand homes Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Swan, Rudolph and Theka Smith went to Petersburg, Alaska, Tuesday where they will have employment during the summer.

Carl Garfield and Myrtle Erickson from east of Goodridge visited at the J. E. Erickson home Friday afternoon. They returned home in the evening.

John Anderson visited Sunday at the home of his uncle, E. A. Johnson and family. Mr. Anderson recently returned from several months overseas service in France.

Great Opportunities:—While the editor of a certain newspaper was away from home for a while, he left the paper in charge of a minister of the gospel. During the minister's stay in the office the following letter came from a subscriber: "I know very well that I paid my subscription to your paper the last time I was in your office. If I get any more letters from you as I received last week I will come in and maul h——l out of you." The minister answered the note like this: "I have been trying to get that out of the editor for ten years, and if you will come down and maul it out of him, then my dear sir, I have twenty members in my church I will let you operate on."

Treat your seed grain to prevent smut and kill the barberry to prevent rust.

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Piso's gives prompt relief. Eases hoarseness and throat irritation and soothes throat tickle. At all druggists.

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Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 39
Wheat No. 2	2 36
Wheat No. 3	2 32
Wheat No. 4	2 28
Flax	3 73
Oats	59
Barley	81 to 89
Rye	1 57
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All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

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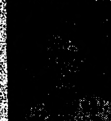
By taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, One of Thousands of Such Cases.



Black River Falls, Wis.—"As Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved me from an operation, I cannot say enough in praise of it. I suffered from organic troubles and my side hurt me so I could hardly be up from my bed, and I was unable to do my housework. I had the best doctors in Eau Claire and they wanted me to have an operation, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me so I did not need the operation, and I am telling all my friends about it."—Mrs. A. W. BINZER, Black River Falls, Wis.

It is just such experiences as that of Mrs. Binzer that has made this famous root and herb remedy a household word from ocean to ocean. Any woman who suffers from inflammation, ulceration, displacements, backache, nervousness, irregularities or "the blues" should not rest until she has given it a trial, and for special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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Life in the Army.

First Orderly Sergeant—You know, Bill, a man's mind gets pretty rusty after a few months of this life.

Second Orderly Sergeant—Righto! I haven't used my head for a thing lately except as a drill ground for my razor.—Judge.

A man likes to be called a brick, but refer to him as a lump of common clay and he will get mad.

He who has not learned how to play has not learned how to work.

Work Too Hard?

This time of the year finds everyone hurrying to get the home cleaned up for summer. It's a pleasure, too, when you're well, but no man or woman with a "bad back" enjoys doing anything. If your back is lame, if sharp twinges catch you when lifting and you feel tired and worn out, kidney weakness is likely causing your trouble. Don't wait! Delay may cause gravel, dropsy or Bright's disease. Doan's Kidney Pills have helped people the world over.

A Montana Case

Every Picture Tells a Story

George Cross, prop. "Electric Shoe Shop," 112 Second St. W., Kalispell, Montana, says: "Last winter I had a great deal of trouble with my kidneys and back. For some time I suffered from intense pains through the small of my back and my kidneys acted too frequently. I could hardly straighten after bending. I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and they helped me. I kept on taking them until I was rid of the attack. Doan's certainly did me good and I know they are a good remedy."

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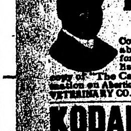

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FORMER KAISER TO STAND TRIAL

Articles of Such Agreement Not Yet Taken Up, But Passage Is Claimed Assured.

LEAGUE PACT ADOPTED

Covenant in Revised Form Moved by President Wilson, Adopted by the Peace Conference—Italian Delegates Not Present.

Washington, April 27.—Although the peace conference in plenary session today failed to take up the question of responsibility for the war, officials here were unanimous in their belief that the peace treaty as delivered to the German plenipotentiaries will call for the trial of William Hohenzollern, former emperor of Germany, before a court of the associated powers.

Trial of the former emperor for a "supreme offense against international morality and the sanctity of treaties," the state department announced, had been included in the recommendations of the peace conference commission on responsibility. These recommendations are embodied in four articles, which were made public by the state department without comment and which the commission proposes to insert in the final treaty.

Court of Five Judges.

The articles specify that the former emperor is not to be tried "for an offense against criminal law," and that the international court shall be composed of five judges, one to be appointed by each of the five great powers: Great Britain, the United States, Japan, Italy and France. It is further provided that the associated governments shall request Holland to deliver up the former emperor.

Not to Be Tried Alone.

Not alone, though, will the head of the house of Hohenzollern be tried, but the commission's recommendation provides that all persons accused of acts of violation of the international rules of warfare shall be brought before international tribunals and if found guilty shall be given the penalties of international law.

Some officials said this provision would bring before the associated governments other members of the house of Hohenzollern and such other leaders of extreme German militarism and cruelty as General von Bissing, military governor of Belgium, and Admiral Von Torpitz, who conceived and advocated the submarine campaign.

League Covenant Now Approved.

Paris, April 29.—The covenant of the league of nations in revised form, moved by President Wilson, was adopted yesterday by the peace conference in plenary session without a dissenting vote.

The president's motion also named Sir James Eric Drummond as secretary general of the league and provided for a committee to inaugurate the league.

Thus one of the notable works of the conference passes its final stage and is incorporated in the peace treaty.

The French and Japanese amendments, after a brief discussion, were not pressed, and the way was thus cleared for unanimous acceptance of the league.

Italy was not represented at the session, but the nation of Italy appears as one of the members of the league in the covenant as finally adopted. Nine labor principles were adopted for insertion in the treaty.

WILL RETURN CABLE LINES

Postmaster General Would Promptly Restore Them to Owners.

Washington, April 29.—The government is preparing to relinquish control next month of American cable lines and to restore the telegraph and telephone systems to private ownership immediately after enactment by congress of laws necessary to safeguard the properties.

Postmaster General Burleson, as directing head of the wire communication service taken over as a war measure, announces he has sent President Wilson a recommendation that the cables be turned back forthwith, probably not later than May 10. The postmaster general has also given out a statement saying he would recommend that the telegraph and telephone service be returned to the private owners, contingent, however, upon financial protection to be obtained from congress.

More Germans Arrive at Versailles.

Versailles, April 29.—The second installment of Germans who are to attend the peace congress arrived here at 10 o'clock last night. The party included a large number of women stenographers and typists.

They were taken to the hotel assigned to them in motor busses. A cordon was thrown about the streets in the vicinity of the hotel during the arrival.

The main plenipotentiaries and the technical delegates, are expected to arrive tomorrow.

DAIRY PROFITS BIG

Splendid Returns From Farms in Western Canada.

Production of Butter and Cheese, Commanding Highest Prices, Increases Steadily—Live-Stock Raisers at Height of Prosperity.

Dairying is rapidly approaching one of the first positions in Western Canada agriculture. This does not apply particularly to any one of the three Western Canada provinces, as they all participate in the distinction.

A report recently published by the Alberta Department of Agriculture shows that in 1918, in spite of adverse conditions of labor and the high cost of feed there was no decline in the industry. It will be interesting to know that the average number of milch cows per farm is 5.6. The total production of creamery butter in the provinces in 1918 was 9,100,000, as against 8,944,000 pounds in 1917.

No better evidence of the growth of Western Canada can be given than by the fact that in ten years the production of butter has increased from 2,500,000 pounds and of cheese from 88,570 pounds to 650,000 pounds. When it is known that in the production of grain so much energy was placed, and through which bank deposits were increased, homes made comfortable, farms carefully tilled, it will be realized that the increase in dairy production has been remarkable. During the past four years the price to the producer increased 75 per cent.

Further evidence of the great interest taken in the dairy and livestock industries is found in recent bull sales. At Edmonton the average price of 141 was $231.06; at Calgary 784 head were sold, bringing an average price of $269.18; while at Lacombe 179 bulls brought an average of $191.34. Sales in Manitoba a few days ago gave fully as good an average, or better. The sales were attended by farmers from all parts of the country. The high prices paid show that good stock was required, and, no matter the price, the farmer had the money to pay for it. As evidence of this we find that at a sale recently held at Carman, Manitoba, buyers were present from all parts of the province, besides some from Saskatchewan points. Five head of Herefords brought $590 each. A Shorthorn bull was sold for $700 and registered Shorthorn cows brought $500 each.

The establishment of creameries and cheese factories throughout the entire West is on the increase, and it will only be within the period of a very few years before Western Canada will occupy a position in the first ranks in the dairy production of the continent.

There is complete government supervision over creameries and cheese factories. The government takes care of the sales, looks after the manufacturer and employs as heads of the institutions highly paid and efficient managers.

It may well be said that the dairy industry in Western Canada is rapidly coming into its own. At present it is but an adjunct to the parent or foremost industry of the country—the growing of grain, but while an adjunct, it is a highly important one. The price of farm lands is gradually increasing, but not in the rapid proportion that has been shown in other countries. This rise in price does not materially increase the cost of production, nor lessen the profits that may be derived from an acre of wheat, oats or barley. The advance in the prices of these grains has more than doubled; the use of tractors has lessened the cost.

The reports from government sources are that the present year will show a great increase in immigration over the past four or five years. The man who has made a tour of inspection of the country will give you the reason. He will speak of the fertile soil, of the good crops, of the attractive climate, of compliance with the law, the splendid school system, the almost perfect social conditions that prevail. He will have visited settlements composed almost solely of Americans, who have built up their homes and villages, who have brought, and are applying, today, their experience in economic land culture as applied to large tracts with the result that he obtains yields on $30 an acre land equal to that formerly produced on land that he had sold for $200 an acre. The story of his success he has sent back to his friends in his home state. They in turn follow him, and so it goes on, and immigration to Western Canada increases.—Advertisement.

Beyond Pardon.

"An infernal scoundrel over at Sand Mush shot his brother-in-law tuther day," related Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge.

"Well, such things will happen," replied a neighbor. "That is about all brothers-in-law 'pear to be created for, and—"

"Yes, but after shooting him this yur demon went and writ a piece of poetry about it for the paper!"—Kansas City Star.

Cause and Effect.

"Jones has such lantern jaws."

"Maybe that is why his face lights up so when he talks."

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ITALIAN MUDDLE CLEARS RAPIDLY

Advices From Paris to White House Say Situation Is Becoming Better.

HUNS EXALT OVER SPLIT

Last of Italian Envoys Leave Paris for Rome—Orlando to Meet King and Then Go Before Parliament for Endorsement.

Washington, April 28.—The Italian situation is clearing rapidly, according to private advices received at the White House. It is stated the President's action on Fiume is generally endorsed by participants in the Peace Conference.

Paris, April 27.—The last of the

Paris, April 28.—The last of the Italian peace delegation, Foreign Minister Sonnino and former Premier Salandra, has left for Rome. A crowd of Italian officials and civilians gave them a great ovation at the Gare de Lyon.

Orlando to Test Strength.

Paris, April 28.—The Italian situation now has two focal points—Rome and Paris.

Premier Orlando was expected to confer with King Victor Emmanuel preparatory to going before the Italian Parliament to put his stand on the Fiume question to the test of a vote of confidence.

Orlando to Ask People to Choose.

In appearing before Parliament, Orlando will in effect ask the Italian people to choose between their government and President Wilson. A vote of confidence will enable him to return to Paris and renew his demand for Fiume under threat of annexation or to order annexation of that city without the formality of returning. Failure to gain a vote of confidence will mean his overthrow and a victory for the President, bearing out the latter's contention that the peoples are more powerful than governments.

No official comment could be obtained on the visit to Italian headquarters of Ambassador Matsui, Japanese representative in France. Rumors persisted, however, that there was a possibility of co-operation between Italy and Japan in pressing their territorial claims.

Germans Exult.

Berlin, April 28.—Berlin newspapers, commenting on Italy's reported withdrawal from the Peace conference, made no effort to conceal their satisfaction with the turn of events.

"Not only is Italian egotism to blame, but the egotistic spirit inspiring all the Entente peace delegates," said the Berliner Tageblatt.

The Vorwaerts (Socialist) openly indorsed President Wilson's stand.

Elation in Vienna.

Vienna, April 28.—The withdrawal of the Italian delegation from the Peace conference was received here with elation, the people generally being glad to see the Allies in conflict with each other. The Neue Freie Presse says:

"Premier Orlando is bluffing, probably to square his position in Italy toward the interventionists. It is impossible for Italy to withdraw, as she is fed by America."

The paper adds: "President Wilson's position is based on the idea of right and justice and it is hoped he will act in the same way toward Bohemia and Tyrol, where the people will be driven to desperation if subjected to Czech or Italian control."

FALL OF KIEV SEVERE BLOW

Is Held to Sound Doom of Anarchists in Ukrane.

Vienna, April 28.—The capture of Kiev from the bolsheviki by partisans of General Petlura, the Ukranian nationalist leader, is interpreted here as signifying the ebb of the bolshevik strength in southwestern Russia. As soon as the bolshevik troops came into contact with the untrained but determined forces of General Petlura they deserted the red standard and forced the bolshevik leaders to give up Kiev.

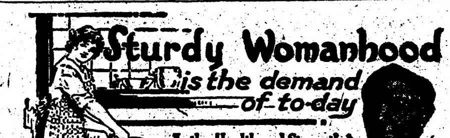
It apparently had been the intention of Lenine and Trotsky to hold the Ukrane until the crops could be harvested and transported to Moscow and then to withdraw.

Opens Desert Land July 1.

Washington, April 28.—Exclusion of about 84,570 acres of land from the Inyo national forest for restoration in part to homestead entry has been announced by Secretary Lane. The tract includes 68,075 acres in Mono and Basin counties, California, and 16,495 acres in Esmeralda county, Nevada, all of semi-desert character. It will be subject to homestead entry at and after 9 a. m., July 1, and to other disposition on and after July 8.

Greatest Gun Factory in World.

Troy, N. Y., April 28.—It was officially announced here this afternoon by Colonel Mettler of the Watervliet arsenal that the government had authorized gigantic extension plans which will convert the gun factory opposite this city into the greatest plant of its kind in the world, not excepting that of the Krupps in Germany. The plans call for the expenditure of $14,000,000 and the purchase of thirty-five additional acres of ground in Watervliet.



In the Health and Strength of the Wives and Mothers Rests the Future Integrity of the Nation.

We must preserve our womanhood. There is need, greater than ever for strong women. Apparently, the race is not as sturdy as formerly or our women are victims of an over-civilization and less able to resist disease.

Thousands suffer and thousands more are destined to suffer from that most insidious of diseases, catarrh. Ninety-seven per cent of the people have catarrh. It is not confined to the head, nose and throat as many suppose. Catarrhal inflammation may attack the stomach, bowels or any portion of the body where there are mucous linings. It is no respector of persons or position. Everyone is liable to attack.

Mrs. Mary Fricke, 507 Bornman St., Belleville, Ill., was one of its victims. She says: "I have weighed as little as 100 pounds. For years I suffered with my stomach, cramps and severe headaches. After reading Dr. Hartman's Health Book, I decided to try Peruna. The first bottle brought good results, but as I was bound to get well, I took twelve.

Fifteen years ago, I started with Peruna and I wouldn't be without it. My weight is now around 200 pounds and I am hale and hearty at the age of 63. I can do as much work as my daughter."

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A British officer who has just returned from German East Africa tells an amusing story of the Askari recruits whom he was training. Mistakes in the drill were frequent, and, in consequence, "As you were" became an order rapped out with increasing severity of expression. Later the officer overheard a conversation between two natives in the squad.

"What does our officer mean by 'As you were?'" inquired one Askari.

"'Asuwer,' replied the other, 'is a word the Englishman has invented for when he wants to say "I am sorry, I have made a mistake."'"

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Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Glittering Highways.

"Why don't you take charge of that man who is acting so queerly?"

"I will in time," answered the bicycle policeman. "I always like to let him enjoy himself for awhile. He imagines he's Sinbad the sailor, and when he sees all the glass in the roadway he thinks he's in the valley of diamonds."

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Spain's Harvest.

Official statistics as to the 1918 harvests in Spain show that the crops were as follows, in metric tons: Wheat, 8,693,429; barley, 1,970,343; oats, 442,830; rye, 778,339; corn, 613,225; rice 207,848, and chickpeas, 116,727.

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Never.

"One thing that need never expect any sympathy when it's down—"

"And that is?"

"The thermometer."

Bright Outlook.

"Did the doctor seem encouraged about your condition?"

"Yes," said Mr. Grabcoin. "I have an idea he thinks I'm going to be one of the most profitable patients he ever had."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Cheaper living does not mean necessarily less to live on.

MY HEAD!

When the head feels thick or aches, when one feels all out-of-sorts—perhaps a coated tongue—it is the signal that poisons are accumulating in the system, and should be cleaned out at once.

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"FAKE" ASPIRIN WAS TALCUM

Counterfeiter Caught! The New York health authorities had a Brooklyn manufacturer sentenced to the penitentiary for selling throughout the United States millions of "Talcum powder" tablets as Aspirin Tablets.

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Snakes Denizens of Caverns.

Until recent times no reptiles were known to have adapted themselves to existence in the darkness of caverns. Now, however, it is known that in the Malay Peninsula, a snake, a species of coluber, inhabits certain caverns, feeding upon the bats. These cave-dwelling snakes attain a length of between eight and nine feet. Their coloring simulates that of the walls of the cavern. The rock is a yellowish limestone traversed with blackish veins and these markings and colors are curiously reproduced in the snakes, many of which lurk on the ledges in the semidarkness near the entrance, watching for the bats.

Sabotage.

"Hey! What the heck!" howled a customer in the rapid-fire restaurant. "This soup is so full of pepper that it is almost pasty with it!"

"Gee!" triumphantly returned Heloise, the waitress. "I knew all the time there was something wrong with that horse-faced guy that had it first. I'll bet he was a bolshevecky. He sure had a bad eye!"—Kansas City Star.

The frankness with which a seventeen-year-old girl refers to herself as an old maid is certainly amusing.

Some men are better satisfied with failure than others are with success.

Women Served.

In September, 1917, the British war office proclaimed it needed 10,000 women before the end of October for a Woman's Auxiliary corps for home and overseas service. Mrs. Chalmers Watson, sister of Sir Auckland and Sir Eric Geddes, was made first chief controller. About 10,000 women a month were recruited thereafter, enrolled for the duration of the war. They replaced men in England and France, cooking, laundering, driving automobiles, doing stenographic work, etc. Other British women served in the Woman's Royal Naval service, "Wrens," and in the woman's division of the Royal Flying corps, "Penguins." These women form part of the British military and naval forces and are subject to military discipline.

The Difficulty.

"Why doesn't your wife run over of an evening sometimes to see us?"

"She'd like to, but the cook won't let her have an evening out."

The Wise Man's Comment.

"Women will vote the way their husbands tell them to." "Guess you haven't had much experience with women."

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STATE BREVITIES

Brainerd.—A baby clinic held in Brainerd was a great success. One hundred and three babies were brought to the clinic.

Stillwater.—The new conciliation court, for which the legislature passed a special law, was opened here by Judge O. E. Lee.

Tracy.—Several hundred thousand pounds of fish probably will be seined from Lake Sagal within the next few weeks as the result of local men having obtained permission to drag the lake which it is proposed to drain the coming summer.

Jackson.—Glen Dunleavy, a returned soldier, who was working as a telephone lineman, was instantly killed here when he touched a 1,000-volt electric light wire while painting a crossarm. He was released from the service two weeks ago.

Thief River Falls.—A silver loving cup as first prize and shrubbery or perennial flowers as second awards are offered by the local woman's club to the street of this city making most and best improvement in appearances during the present season.

Mankato.—The new mayor and council have issued orders that the curfew, which has been a dead institution for the past year, again will be observed. All children not accompanied by parents or a guardian must be in their homes by 9. p. m.

Thompson.—The voters of this village decided at a special election to sell the municipal electric light plant to the Commonwealth Utilities company of Mankato for $10,500, and to grant the company a twenty-five years' franchise. The vote was practically unanimous.

Hibbing.—More than 200 miners were thrown out of work when the Stevenson mine closed down. Edward Corcoran, local superintendent of the mine, said there is no market for the ore. Inquiry at other locations has brought the information that no other mines in this section intend closing.

St. Paul.—The first daily shipment of pike eggs this season from northern waters has been received at the St. Paul State Fish Hatchery. Commissioner Carlos Avery said the egg supply prospects are good, and that the season probably will be unusually successful. Eggs to fill to capacity the St. Paul, Glenwood, Granite Falls and all state hatcheries in northern districts, he said, will be obtained.

Owatonna.—Tentative policy under which the League of Civic Associations of Southern Minnesota, is to conduct its campaign against crime raids was outlined here by C. R. Dye of Northfield, president, T. E. Cashman, vice president, and R. H. Naylor, secretary, both of Owatonna. The officers drafted by-laws which will be presented to the board of directors for adoption at a meeting here April 30.

St. Paul.—That Minnesota is destined to become a vacation ground for the entire continent of America is the belief expressed by Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, at the session of the food and home making show at the Ryan hotel. On account of the exceptional opportunities and advantages of fishing and camping around Minnesota's 10,000 lakes, the future will bring thousands of people to the lakes' vicinities for the vacation periods," said Mr. Avery.

St. Paul.—The cost of laws has soared like the cost of living. The session of the State legislature just ended cost Minnesota taxpayers $339,691 to date, compared with $320,978 for the 1917 session. The disbursements were for salaries of members and employes and other general expenses. The present legislature has a fund balance of $33,475, but that will be used in paying outstanding claims, it is said. The 1917 Legislature ended with a $96 balance.

Bemidji.—More than 400 men will be given employment by the opening of both of the big mills of the Crookston Lumber company here this week, when they will begin their work for the summer. Returned soldiers, many of whom formerly were employed in the mills and who have been unemployed since they were discharged from the service, will return to their old positions and it is believed that practically all the unemployed men in the city will be given work as a result of the opening of the mills.

St. Paul.—George B. Aiton, Grand Rapids, is chairman of the newly-created State Board of Education, by appointment of Governor Burnquist. He formerly was state high school inspector and played an important part in developing the Minnesota school system. Other members of the board are: Julius Boraas, graduate of the University of Minnesota, former superintendent of Goodhue county schools, and now head of the department of education of St. Olaf college, Northfield. Thomas E. Cashman, Owatonna, nursery man, farmer and stock raiser, former state Senator and former member of the State Public Safety commission. Mrs. R. D. Musser, Morrison county, prominent in child welfare work. W. D. Willard, Mankato banker and school board member.

Fairmont.—Lyle and Cecil Miller, sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller of this city, enlisted together, served 13 months in the same battery, were discharged at the same time and have arrived home together. Their only separation during the time they were overseas occurred when one was sent to a hospital with influenza.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has announced he had abandoned plans for a trip to Alaska next July. He had planned to attend a conference of governors at Juneau, but was informed that the conference would be held in Salt Lake City.

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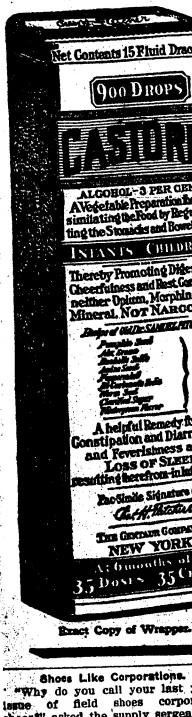
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Zam!

He—"And is it my declaration that surprises you so much?" She—"No, it's your nerve."—Milestones.

Want of tact is an incurable infirmity.

A trouble hunter can always find plenty of business.

Must Have Been One Grownup.

Bobby, four, was watching his grandmother prepare dinner. His mother and two uncles were also in the kitchen. Bobby said:

"Uncle Jim was a little boy once, wasn't he?" Uncle Jim answered in the affirmative. The same question was asked of the other uncle and the same answer received. He then asked his mother and grandmother if they had been little girls once. They said they had.

"Well, grandma," he said, "when we were all little, who cooked our dinner for us?"

Explaining It.

"This letter from your son is very short."

"So is he. That's why he wrote it."

Redeeming Trait.

She—At least there is one thing the credit of Ananias.

He—What is that?

She—When he was caught in the act of lying he didn't say he couldn't help it; it was all Sapphira's fault.—Baltimore American.

To Have a Clear Sweet Skin.

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Washington.—(Special.)—Henry P. Davison as chairman issues the following statement on behalf of the War Council of the American Red Cross:

To the American People:

The War Council of the American Red Cross appointed by President Wilson on May 10, 1917, to carry on the work of the American Red Cross during the war at their request and by vote of the Central Committee, ceased at midnight, February 28.

Immediately the armistice was signed the War Council instituted studies to determine when the strictly war work of the organization would have been sufficiently matured to enable the direction of affairs to be resumed by the permanent staff. Henry P. Davison, being in Paris when the armistice was signed, summoned a conference there of the heads of all the Red Cross Commissions in Europe to canvass the situation. After considering all the factors it was concluded to make the transition on March 1. The very fortunate choice of Dr. Livingston Farrand as the new chairman of the Central Committee, and thereby the permanent chief executive of the Red Cross, makes possible the consummation of this plan under the most favorable conditions.

Accounts Audited by War Department.

Detailed reports to Congress and a complete audit of its accounts by the War Department will constitute the final record of Red Cross activity during the war. Although it has been the rule to make public all expenditures when authorized and to give detailed information relative to all work undertaken, the War Council in turning over its responsibilities to Dr. Farrand and his associates desire to give a brief resume of Red Cross war time activities to the American people, to whom the Red Cross belongs, and whose generous contributions have made possible all that has been accomplished.

During the past nearly twenty-one months the American people have given in cash and supplies to the American Red Cross more than $400,000,000. No value can be placed upon the contributions of service which have been given without stint and oftentimes at great sacrifice by millions of our people.

The effort of the American Red Cross in this war has constituted by far the largest voluntary gifts of money, of hand and heart, ever contributed purely for the relief of human suffering. Through the Red Cross the heart and spirit of the whole American people have been mobilized to take care of our own, to relieve the misery incident to the war, and also to reveal to the world the supreme ideals of our national life.

Everyone who has had any part in this war effort of the Red Cross is entitled to congratulate himself. No thanks from anyone could be equal in value to the self satisfaction everyone should feel for the part taken. Fully 8,000,000 American women have exerted themselves in Red Cross service.

Has Over 17,000,000 Adult Members.

When we entered the war the American Red Cross had about 500,000 members. Today, as the result of the recent Christmas membership Roll Call, there are upwards of 17,000,000 adult members outside of the members of the Junior Red Cross, numbering perhaps 9,000,000 school children additional.

The chief effort of the Red Cross during the war has been to care for our men in service and to aid our army and navy wherever the Red Cross may be called on to assist. As to this phase of the work Surgeon General Ireland of the U. S. Army recently stated that the Red Cross has been an [illegible] as vast as the war itself. From the beginning it has done those things which the Army Medical Corps wanted done but could not do itself.

The Red Cross endeavor in France has naturally been upon an exceptionally large scale where service has been rendered to the American Army and to the French Army and the French people as well, the latter particularly during the trying period when the Allied World was waiting for the American Army to arise in force and power. Hospital emergency service for our army in France has greatly diminished, but the Red Cross is still being called upon for service upon a large scale in the great base hospitals, where thousands of American sick and wounded are still receiving attention. At these hospitals the Red Cross supplies huts and facilities for amusement and recreation of the men as they become convalescent. The Army of Occupation in Germany is followed with Medical units prepared to render the same emergency and supply service which was the chief business of the Red Cross during hostilities. The Army Canteen service along the lines of travel has actually increased since the armistice.

"As for work among the French people, now that hostilities have ceased, the French themselves naturally prefer as far as possible to provide for their own. It has accordingly been determined that the guiding principle of Red Cross policy in France henceforth shall be to have punctilious regard to its every responsibility, but to direct its efforts primarily to assisting French relief societies. The liberated and devastated regions of France have been divided by the government into small districts, each officially assigned to a designated French relief organization.

"The American Red Cross work in France was initiated by a commission of eighteen men who landed on French shores June 13, 1917. Since then some 9,000 persons have been upon the rolls in France, of whom 7,000 were actively engaged when the armistice was signed. An indication of the present scale of the work will be obtained from the fact that the services of 6,000 persons are still required.

"Our American Expeditionary Force having largely evacuated England, the activities of the Red Cross Commission there are naturally upon a diminishing scale period. Active operations are still in progress in Archangel and Siberia.

"The work in Italy has been almost entirely on behalf of the civilian population of that country. In the critical hours of Italy's struggle the American people, through their Red Cross, sent a practical message of sympathy and relief, for which the government and people of Italy have never ceased to express their gratitude.

Supplies and Personnel to Near East.

"The occasion for such concentration of effort in Italy, England, Belgium and even in France having naturally and normally diminished, it has been possible to divert supplies and personnel in large measure to the aid of those people in the Near East who have hitherto been inaccessible to outside assistance, but whose sufferings have been upon an appalling scale. The needs of these peoples are so vast that government alone can meet them, but the American Red Cross is making an effort to relieve immediately the more acute distress.

"An extensive group of American workers has been dispatched to carry vitally needed supplies, and to work this winter in the various Balkan countries. In order to co-ordinate their activities, a Balkan commission has been established, with headquarters at Rome, Italy, from which point alone all the Balkan centers can be reached promptly.

"A commission has just reached Poland with doctors and nurses, medical supplies, and food for sick children and invalids. An American Red Cross Commission has also been appointed to aid in relieving the suffering of Russian prisoners still confined in German prison camps.

"An important commission is still working in Palestine. Through the war special co-operation has been given to the Armenian and Syrian Relief Commission, which was the only agency able to carry relief in the interior of Turkish dominions.

Red Cross Will Continue.

"Red Cross effort is thus far flung. It will continue to be so. But the movement represented by this work has likewise assumed an intimate place in the daily life of our people at home. The army of workers which has been recruited and trained during the war must not be demobilized. All our experience in the war shows clearly that there is an unlimited field for service of the kind which can be performed with peculiar effectiveness by the Red Cross. What its future tasks may be it is yet impossible to forecast. We know that so long as there is an American army in the field the Red Cross will have a special function to perform.

"Nothing could be of greater importance to the American Red Cross than the plans just set in motion by the five great Red Cross societies of the world to develop a program of extended activities in the interest of humanity. The conception involves not alone efforts to relieve human suffering but to prevent it; not alone a movement by the people of an individual nation, but an attempt to arouse all people to a sense of their responsibility for the welfare of their fellow beings throughout the world. It is a program both ideal and practical. Ideal in that its supreme aim is nothing less than veritable 'peace on earth good will to men,' and practical in that it seeks to take means and measures which are humanly available and make them effective in meeting without delay the crisis which is daily recurrent in the lives of all peoples.

"For accomplishing its mission in the years of peace which must lie ahead of us the Red Cross will require the ablest possible leadership, and must enjoy the continued support, sympathy, and participation in its work of the whole American people. It is particularly fortunate that such a man as Dr. Livingston Farrand should have been selected as the permanent head of the organization. The unstinted fashion in which all our people gave of themselves throughout the war is the best assurance that our Red Cross will continue to receive that co-operation which will make its work a source of pride and inspiration to every American.

"Mr. Davison, as chairman of the International Commission of the American Red Cross, has undertaken to represent the American Red Cross in the preparation of the program for extended Red Cross activities, and will spend the next several months in Europe in consultation with other Red Cross societies for that purpose.

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Not only are DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS an effective medicine for children but for grown-ups as well. Any one suffering from constipation and its many ill effects will find in these pleasant and agreeable tablets an effective medicine. Get a box from your druggist,—they cost only a few cents. Money back if first box fails to satisfy.

Dr. Miles' LAXATIVE TABLETS

War gardens help to feed the people in time of need.

The Marshall County Fair Board is offering $50 in prizes in the Boy's and Girl's Sheep Contest. The 1st prize is $10, 2nd $8, 3rd $6, 4th $4, and the next eleven $2 each. There are also prizes for the poultry and canning contests. Any boy or girl wishing to enter any contest, should notify the county agent John Husby at Warren, who will send blanks, etc.

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT, REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912

Of The Holt Weekly News, published weekly at Holt, Minn., for April 1st, 1919.

County of Marshall } ss
State of Minnesota }

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared H. B. Young, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor of The Holt Weekly News and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse side of this form, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are: Publisher, Holt Publishing Company, Holt, Minn. Editor, Managing Editor and Business Manager, H. B. Young, Holt, Minn.

2. That the owners are: P. A. Riesberg, D. B. Bakke, A. L. Carlson, Arvid Carlson, Axel Nelson, O. J. Backlund, C. H. Gunheim, R. Reierson, Oscar Hanson and B. Docken, all of Holt, Minn.

That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

H. B. Young, editor, publisher, business manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of April, 1919.

B. Docken, Notary Public, Marshall County, Minn.

My Commission expires Nov. 15th 1920.

AUCTION!

As I am going to quit farming, I will sell the following property at public auction on the F. W. Ramaley farm, 6 miles east of Holt, on

SATURDAY MAY 10

Stock, Seed, Etc.

4 fresh Cows — 4 Calves
50 Chickens — 13 bu seed oats
15 bu Potatoes — 60 gal gasoline
5 gal can kerosene — 1 Cutter

Machinery, Etc.

Set work harness — Buggy harness
Road wagon — Flax brusher
Wagon running gear — Cultivator
Set blacksmith tools — Vise
14 in plow, 2 shares — Hand seeder
Four section harrow — Pipe lift
12 disk harrow — 3 garden tools
Hand corn planter — Plow evener
18 inch Stilson pipe wrench
Monkey wrench — Set of wrenches

Household Goods, Etc

2 Ranges — 3 Bedsteads — 14 Chairs
Heater — Dining table — Sideboard
15 gal churn, Pails, other articles
DeLaval cream separator
Water cream separator.
Dinner bell — Water fountain
Blacksmith tools, anvil, forge
Drill with bits, horseshoeing set
Pipe threader — Blow torch
Soldering set — Tool grinder
Tool kits — Augur bits — Hack saw
2 Compass saws — Nail puller
3 30 ft chains — 2 3 horse eveners
Feed cooker — Grub hoe — Axe
Square, Saw, Hammer, Wrenches
15 inch pipe and other articles

Sale begins at 1 o'clock — Free Lunch at Noon

TERMS: On amounts of $10.00 and over, time will be given to Nov. 1st, 1919, on bankable notes bearing ten per cent interest. All amounts under $10.00 are payable in Cash.

V. J. Price, Owner

Ole C. Brenna, Auctioneer — Holt State Bank, Clerk

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

[illegible] Olen came up from Shelly Monday for a few days visit.

Jacob Nelson returned Monday to his work at Larimore, N. Dak.

For Sale:—Winton Six auto. Address Lock Box 638, Holt, Minn.

Miss Olson, a trained nurse from Thief River Falls, came Tuesday to take care of Nils Engebretsen.

Dr. Cambell was called Monday to see Nels Gudvangen who was dangerously sick with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Gudvangen of Fertile arrived Tuesday in response to a message stating their son, Nels, was very sick.

[illegible] drove up from Erskine Monday night with a Ford which he sold and delivered to John Melquist.

Dr. Paulson was called Monday [illegible] Voth home to see the [illegible] sick with flu.

Miss Albertina Nyberg returned Monday to her work at the university in Grand Forks, after spending a couple of weeks at home.

Henry Hanson and his cousin, Oscar Nelson, drove up from Fertile Saturday night to visit at the J. Nelson home over Sunday.

John Backlund came down from Randen last week and visited his son, Ole J., a couple of days, departing Friday for his home at Hoffman, Minn.

Miss Esther Sorthen returned home Monday from Thief River Falls, where she had been employed in the hospital for the past several weeks.

A. L. Carlson commenced work in this store Friday for the first time since his sickness. Mrs. Carlson and little Reuben are also getting better slowly.

Dr. Mellby was called Sunday night to see Mrs. Carl Sorum, Fred Peterson, Nels Engelbretsen and little Esther Hagberg, all of whom were very sick with the flu.

Mrs. Knutz of Crookston and Mrs. Albert Mathison of McIntosh arrived here on Monday for a few days visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bjerk and family.

Most of the people who have had the flu so far, are those who did not have it last fall and winter. A majority of the cases have been mild and many of them have recovered and gone back to their usual work.

The Red Cross will meet at the school house at 8 o'clock next Wednesday evening to elect two delegates to attend the county convention to be held at Warren on May 22. A full attendance is desired as the meeting is of much importance to everybody.

Casper Sharo of Greenbush was here Saturday night and gave an exhibition of his moving pictures. A big crowd was out and everybody was well pleased with the show. Mr. Sharo will be here again Saturday and he promises the public a good exhibition of moving pictures.

Miss Hilma Nyberg arrived here Tuesday from Grand Forks where she has had employment for several months.

Miss Nyberg is deputy postmistress and was called here on account of Postmaster Englebretsen's illness.

A. Youngquist and little daughter, of St. Paul arrived here Friday for a few days visit at the Henry Erickson home.

Army and Navy News

Since the news reached here last fall that Adolph Sollom had been killed in battle, many reports have been current as to how his death occurred. In order to correct these reports we herewith give a verbatim copy of a letter written by the Red Cross Bureau of communication, to his mother, Mrs. T. T. Sollom:

"On Sept. 28th, 1918, near the front, near Montiville, France, in the St. Mihiel sector, Private Sollom was sleeping in a dug-out, and about 4:00 a. m., a gas shell burst at the entrance to the dug-out and gassed everyone inside. He died at 1:30 the next morning."

The above information was furnished the Red Cross by Corporal Vester W. Haygood, Co. B. 345th Machine Gun Batallion, the same company to which Adolph Sollom belonged, and there is no doubt but what it is correct.

Ole Tveit of Golden Valley returned home Tuesday from Camp Grant where he served in the army for several months.

Clarence Docken arrived home Monday from Camp Dodge and all are glad to see him again, especially his wife and baby.

Rudolph Reierson arrived at Camp Mills Monday from several months service at the front in France, and is expected to reach home in a few days.

J. A. Sorum received a telegram Saturday stating that his son, Willie, arrived in New York at 10 o'clock Friday night from overseas and his folks are looking for him to be home soon.

Charley Horien arrived home Tuesday from Camp Dodge where he was mustered out of the service. Charley saw several months service overseas and all are pleased to hear of his safe arrival home.

DEATH CLAIMS NELS GUDVANGEN

Nels Gudvangen died at about midnight Tuesday night, after only a few days sickness with pneumonia.

The deceased was about 35 years old and leaves a wife and three children, his parents and other relatives and a host of friends to mourn his death. He was well liked by all who knew him and will be greatly missed by his friends, as well as the family, who so much needed him, and to whom the sincere sympathy of all is extended in their hour of sorrow and grief.

Funeral services will be held in Holt today, between trains and the remains will be laid to rest in the local cemetery.

RED LAKE CO. WILL REBUILD

S. M. Sievertson, Secy of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., arrived in town Friday from Montana where he was at the time their elevator burned. Mr. Sievertson announced that his company would erect a modern, up-to-date elevator to take the place of the one just burned. He rented the Kolden building the same day and has shipped his agent, Mr. Hirsch, a stock of flour and feed and they are ready to supply the trade at all times.

We congratulate the Red Lake people on their enterprise and public spirit.

Albert Cairns, auditor of the Red Lake Falls Milling company, arrived in Holt the next day after the fire to look after the salvage. Mr. Cairns secured a gang of men from Thief River Falls who went to work next morning on the ruins of the elevator. The insurance company sent the Brooks elevator company's men here to load the damaged grain and ship it away. Three cars were loaded and shipped away Tuesday. They were so careless about loading that the first car got afire and the fire company had to be called out to stop it. The fire company has surely had lots of practice the last week.

Math Barzen, of the [illegible] & Barzen Milling Co., came here last week Thursday and with J. A. Sorum, Sec'y of the Farmers Elevator Co., invoiced the stock in the elevator and gave formal possession to the latter company.

Mr. Jones who has been agent here for the former company departed Saturday for his home in Crookston.

Mr. Olen took charge of the Farmers Elevator on Monday and is busy getting things in shape for business.

Death Calls Popular Citizen

Nils Engebretsen died at five o'clock Thursday morning from a complication of pneumonia and intestinal trouble, which started from an attack of the flu a week ago last Sunday. Since that time the deceased made a brave fight for life and all that neighbors, nurse, and doctors could possibly do was done to save his life, but all to no avail. Mr. Engebretsen had always been in good health and when he had to give up work last week Monday, his friends thought it would be only for a few days at the most when he would again resume his duties at the post office, but this shows the uncertainty of this life.

Mr. Engebretsen was a little past 47 years old and had been postmaster for more than 20 years. Before the village was started he had a little store and postoffice near here, which he moved onto the site of the Farmers State Bank, when the village commenced to grow. There isn't a man, woman or child but what will miss our genial postmaster, for he was always accommodating and had the respect and good will of everybody.

He leaves a wife and three small children, and aged mother and sisters to whom the sincere sympathy of everybody is extended.

Funeral services will be held Saturday morning 10:30 conducted by Rev. Myhrer, and interment will be made in the village cemetery.

CLEAN-UP NOTICE

It is hereby ordered by the village council of the village of Holt, [illegible] that the manure and rubbish of all kinds must be cleaned up and hauled away from property, streets and alleys within said village, also that all the streets and alleys must be cleared of all machinery, wood, ect., before May 20th, 1919, or the work will be done by the order of the council at the owner's or occupant's expense.

By order of the Village Council.
P. A. Riesberg, President. — H. B. Young, Clerk.

Work is progressing nicely on the bridge near P. A. Riesberg's place.

See the moving pictures next Saturday night at the Woodman hall.

Gus Garvick of Inwood, Iowa, has been here the past week to look after his farm interests in section 36, town of Holt.

Dr. Mellby was called last Thursday night to see Myrtle Sollum, who was very sick with the flu, but is improving nicely at present.

Lloyd Adams has been awarded the contract for building the basement under the Synod church for the sum of $1480.00, which was his first bid.

Mrs. Nils Skoug of near Newfolden came Sunday to take care of her sister, Mrs. Nils Engebretsen, and family all of whom are getting better at present.

Paul Olsen has finished the foundation for his new farm house and expects to put up the frame work this week. The house will be 22x26, two stories high.

Prof. R. O. Westley, of the agricultural school at Crookston, has been at Golden Valley the past week superintending the work at the state experimental peat farm.

The creamery directors decided at their last meeting to pay cash for cream on delivery, to all those who desire it. Bring your cream to the Holt creamery and help to build up a home industry.

H. L. Wood was over from Warren Monday in the interests of the Liberty loan. Holt village raised their allotment, but some of the townships failed to do so, and Mr. Wood is making an investigation.

Mr. Docken received a letter Monday from the State Highway Commission stating that the road from Holt to Grygla will be designated as a state road, which means that it will be graded and graveled and put in shape for travel at all times of the year.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Aos of Minneapolis will hold services here at half past three o'clock next Sunday afternoon. Rev. Aos was one of the first ministers to hold services in this country and the old settlers are especially invited to hear him once again.

John Melquist has sold his racer to Olaf Sovde.

John Folden returned home Tuesday from Camp Dodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes were Thief River Falls visitors Saturday.

P. O. Reierson visited relatives in T. R. Falls Friday and Saturday.

Miss Tillie Wendt went to Thief River Falls Friday to visit friends a few days.

Mr. Tolleys of McIntosh was here this week looking after his claim out at Mud Lake.

The village of Spooner has voted $8000.00 bonds to build or buy a hospital. That's going some we think.

Sam Mickelson's are moving out of the hotel this week and Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Johnson are taking possession. We wish them success.

Holt will have a five days Chautauqua sometime this summer, the date to be announced later. This should be a big Ad. for this community.

The Middle River people will give a band concert, home talent play, recitations, etc. in our village, at the Woodman hall, on Saturday night May 17th. A complete program will be published next week. The moving pictures will be shown on Friday night next week to give way for the above entertainment.

Boost the Chautauqua, talk the chautauqua and when writing your friends tell them all about the big 5 day chautauqua that is comming to Holt this summer.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

NOTICE!

We will accept Liberty Bonds
at Face Value
On Accounts
Also for Payments on
Well Drilling, Pumps, Pipes,
Casings and all Supplies

Davidson Bros.

Holt, Minn.

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War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

The house fly is one of the most dangerous of human pests. It multiplys by the million and every fly becomes a sprender of dangerous disease germs, says Dr. W. A. Riley, head of the entomology division of the Minnesota college of agriculture. The only thing to do, therefore, is to fight the fly in season and out of season by keeping the premises clean, destroying breeding places, screening houses to keep the flies out, and swatting the flies that get inside. Community co-operation in fly fighting is one of the best moves toward public health.

Edwin Nelson came up from Thief River Falls Saturday night for an over Sunday visit at home.

P. S. Hilleboe, president of the East Hennepin State bank, of Minneapolis were here last week to look at some land with the view of buying if it suited him.

The concrete culverts that were unloaded here last summer, were hauled to Middle River last week where they will be used to build a bridge on the state road.

SYNOD CHURCH NOTES

Confirmants meet Saturday at 1 o'clock. Sunday school at 11. Services Sunday in Goodridge. Ladies aid at L. Wegges' May 14.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor

Mid-Summer Chautauqua

Holt, Minn.

Be a Rousing Booster

Dr. Turley will be here May 21.

Let's do something for Memorial Day this year.

Now is the time to swat the fly before they commence to breed.

Pay your telephone bills now. It costs money to send out statements every month.

Girl wanted for general cleaning also for dinning room work, at the Oakland Park Sanitarium, Thief River Falls, short hours, good wages.

Free clinic for the examination of children up to 12 years of age at Thief River Falls May 12th. Write Miss Haggert, the school nurse for information.

Shipping tags for sale at this office.

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Holt Cafe!

Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours

A nice line of Bakery Goods

Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream

Sovde & Olen

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Insure Your Auto

The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate. Insurance against fire, thieves etc. See them at once

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the
Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will hold a bazaar in the near future and all those who wish to contribute articles for it, are invited to do so. Please leave all articles with the president, Mrs. C. W. Christianson.

A good young stallion is needed in your locality. The Tullar Farm, postoffice address, Warren, Minn., has two as fine horses as anyone could desire, for sale at very reasonable prices. Write the Tullar Farm at once and arrange to secure one of these horses.

C. A. Tullar, Manager

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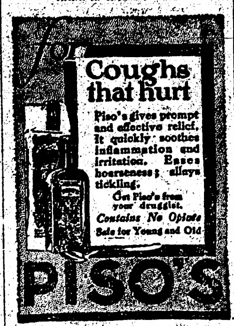

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Piso's gives prompt and effective relief. It quickly soothes inflammation and irritation. Eases hoarseness; allays tickling.

Get Piso's from your druggist. Contains No Opiate. Safe for Young and Old

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Wheat No. 2	2 38
Wheat No. 3	2 34
Wheat No. 4	2 30
Flax	3 78
Oats	55
Barley	81 to 89
Rye	1 46
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

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Drs. Mellby & Paulson

McGinn Block

Thief River Falls

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Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 96

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Dr. Biedermann

Physician and Surgeon

Thief River Falls

Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 397 Call 1, Residence 397 Call 2

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French Dry Cleaners

All work guaranteed satisfactory

Ernest Phillipson

Holt, Minn.

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Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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In connection with teams and rigs
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To The Public!

We wish to announce that we
have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at
reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Treat your seed grain to prevent smut and kill the barberry to prevent rust.

THIN PEOPLE SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitro-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

Thinness and weakness are usually due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as bitro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bitro-phosphate quickly produces a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

This increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, soon disappear, dull eyes become bright, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health.

CAUTION:—Although bitro-phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its remarkable flesh-growing properties, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.

Now Is the Time to Buy a Farm in Good Old U.S.A.

Although the war is over, the demand for food continues. The business of producing things to eat, therefore, gives promise of paying satisfactory dividends.

The U. S. RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION offers the co-operation of its HOMESEEKERS' BUREAU to those who wish to engage in farming, stock raising, dairying, poultry raising, fruit growing, and kindred pursuits. Free information will be furnished about farm opportunities in any State on request.

Write today. Give me the name of the State you want information about, say what line of farm activity you wish to follow, and the [illegible] of acreage you will need, and let me know what kind of terms you desire. The more particulars you can send regarding your requirements, the better I can serve you.

Nothing to Sell. Only Information to Give.

J. L. EDWARDS, Manager,
Agri. Section, U. S. Railroad Administration, Room [illegible], Washington, D. C.

MONUMENTS

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W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 19--1919.

TOMMY IN HUMOROUS MOOD

And Possibly There Was a Little Sarcasm in Remark Credited to Real Soldier.

"Don't ever imagine that the British haven't some sense of humor," said Robert Chambers, the author, recently. "A friend of mine, just back from London, relates an incident that shows that the Tommy, at least, has a funnybone somewhere in his anatomy.

"These two Tommies, disheveled, torn with wounds and altogether untidy, were on leave in London. As they stood in Trafalgar square there approached a detachment of the Windsor guard in silver trappings, waving plumes, red coats, long varnished boots shining like mirrors, and kid gloves.

"The Tommies looked on in silence for a moment and then one nudged his mate.

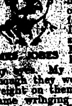
"'Looka, Bill,' he whispered in an awed voice. 'Them's sojers.'"

The Proper Vehicle.

"How foolish some of these poets are in their imagery! Now, how can a lover's lady drink to him with her eyes?" "Couldn't she use a looking-glass?"

They Still Exist.

"The peace-at-any-price man doesn't exist any more." "Doesn't, eh? Don't the married men count at all?"



WAS IN MISERY

Mrs. Jobes Was in Serious Condition From Dropsy. Doan's Made Her Well.

"I don't think many have gone through such misery as I," says Mrs. C. Jobes, 130 Federal St., Burlington, N. J. "That awful pain in my back felt as though my spine were crushed. My head [illegible] and I had reeling and falling sensations when everything would turn black. Though the kidney secretions passed ten or fifteen times in an hour, only a few drops came at a time and they felt like boiling water. I soon found I had dropsy. I bloated all over. My face was so swollen I could hardly see out of my eyes. My ankles and feet felt as though they would burst if I put any weight on them. My night clothes became wringing wet with sweat and I would get chilly and shake all over. *Doan's Kidney Pills* soon had me feeling like a different woman. My kidneys were regulated and all the swelling went away. The aches and pains left me and after I had finished my eighth box of *Doan's*, I was as well as ever. My kidneys have never bothered me since *Doan's Kidney Pills* cured me."

MRS. JOBES

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

J. LEEDOM SMITH,
Notary Public.

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box
DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

GERMAN TROOPS OCCUPY MUNICH

Bavarian Capital Falls After Stubborn Defense by Force of Communists.

ORDER BEING RESTORED

Berlin Government Officials Declare That the Soldiers Will Be Withdrawn as Soon as Danger of Further Trouble Is Over.

Berlin, May 6.—Government troops have captured practically the whole of Munich. Gustave Landauer, Bavarian soviet minister, has been shot by government troops.

The Roumanian, Czech and Serbian commanders have decided not to occupy Budapest, though it is reported that the Hungarian capital is in the throes of a counter revolution. Budapest soviets are making one last stand.

Berlin, May 6.—Government troops have captured the whole of Munich with the exception of the Ganhen quarter, where the Communists have made frequent attempts to negotiate in order to secure more favorable conditions. Premier Hoffmann has reiterated his demand for their unconditional surrender.

The Communists made a bitter defense. The dead are estimated at two hundred. The Berlin government has declared that its troops will be withdrawn as soon as order has been restored.

The failure of the Munich insurrection marks the collapse of the last important Communist stronghold in Germany, and for the time being the Ebert and Scheidemann government is heaving a deep sigh of relief, for which it can thank Herr Noske, minister of defense.

The irony of fate decreed that at the moment when Field Marshal von Hindenburg announced his retirement as chief of the army, Noske, six months ago an unknown person of military caliber, with the ragged remnants of former battalions hurriedly recruited volunteer regiments, should be winning the nation's acclaim in the sordid internecine guerrilla warfare that is not wholly without its opera bouffe setting.

Munich Given Ample Dose.

Munich, the gayest and best fed of the capitals, has been given an amplified dose of Communistic antics, when compared with Bremen, Hamburg, Halle, Dusseldorf and Brunswick. Prussia, still mindful of the arbitrary export embargo maintained by Bavaria when Berlin went hungry, today is marveling at the lack of the intrepidity of the Bavarians and their utter impotence in the face of a handful of Bolsheviki. Now that the latter have apparently been defeated and scattered, government circles in Berlin are not expecting insurrections in other sections on an equally violent scale.

The commander of the Bavarian Red army, Herr Eglhofer, was killed after being sentenced to death by court-martial, according to a message to the Tageblatt.

The Hoffman government has announced, the Tageblatt says, that the Communist leaders are being treated as they treated the hostages they took, 10 of whom were shot in the Luitpold gymnasium.

FEDERAL LAND BANK PAYS

St. Paul Institution Plans 6 Per Cent Dividend in August.

St. Paul, May 6.—The Federal Land bank, which celebrated its second anniversary last Thursday, is in such a sound condition and is making such good profits from its steady growing business that payment of a 6 per cent cumulative dividend on Aug. 1 is contemplated, President E. G. Quamme announced.

This dividend payment would be in addition to the bank's setting aside the surplus required by law. Dividends will be paid annually hereafter, said President Quamme.

BELGIAN PEOPLE AROUSED

Dissatisfaction Exists Over Peace Conference Decisions.

Brussels, May 6.—Public opinion in Belgium has been upset by the news from Paris concerning what is described as the unsatisfactory decisions reached by the Peace conference respecting Belgium.

Newspapers express their disappointment and it is said the Belgian government may appeal to public opinion in the United States and in Great Britain, recalling the formal promises made to Belgium by the responsible heads of both those countries.

Quits Peace Conference.

Paris, May 6.—Leon Jouhaux, secretary general of the Federation of Labor, who was among those injured in the May day riots, has resigned from the Peace conference, in which he was a supplementary member representing the working classes. M. Jouhaux has sent a letter to Premier Clemenceau, saying it was impossible to continue co-operation after the day "your government brutally prohibited the French workers from expressing their thoughts and manifesting their aspirations."

FINE CROPS SURE

Outlook in Western Canada Never More Favorable.

Perfect Weather Conditions Enabled Early Seeding and Wheat Has Long Been Above Ground in the Land of Opportunity.

The greatest optimism prevails throughout every district in Western Canada. From the eastern boundary of Manitoba to the slopes of the Rocky Mountains the farmers have been busy for three weeks in seeding operations. Last fall, even for Western Canada, was an exceptional one. Threshing was completed at an early date and the amount of fall plowing made ready for crop from fifteen to twenty-five per cent more acreage than in any year in the brief history of the country. Therefore there was ready for seeding this spring an acreage away beyond anything ever before experienced in that country.

On April 20 Calgary (Alta.) reported that in south country points there was a notable spirit of optimism amongst the farmers there. Moisture and weather conditions were good, while land in most places was in the best possible condition. More tractors were being put into operation than in any previous year. In some parts of the south country, however, there was a marked shortage of labor, but in the consideration of the country as a whole the labor outlook was bright.

Seeding operations were well under way in every part of Western Canada by the fifteenth of April. The practice of the farmers in that country is to commence as soon as the frost is out of the ground enough to allow the few inch seed bed to be worked up well. Beneath this the ground may still be frozen, but from this frost the young and tender wheat roots get the moisture at first so necessary to its existence. The warm days of spring and the long hours of sunlight that are ushered in with it thaw the frost out day by day and pay to the growing plant the moisture as it is needed. Nature's way of producing moisture to the young wheat plant is one of the chief reasons why Western Canada has become world famous as a wheat producing country. What may be said of wheat can as truly be said of oats and barley, and yes, in fact, corn too. Rapid and strong growth is stimulated in this manner. Heavy spring rains usually occur after seeding is over and the grain well above ground.

Already a report has been received, dated April 20, that a farmer near Cabri, Saskatchewan, had 180 acres of wheat showing above the ground.

A good, strong and sturdy wheat plant is necessary when it is expected that there will be produced a forty-bushel-to-the-acre crop of wheat of a quality that will weigh out its sixty-five pounds to the "measured" bushel.

These spring wheat conditions represent but one of the reasons why Western Canada has been able to produce, with so little effort, world's record grain crops, wheat and oats that have carried off all championship awards at America's largest expositions.

Western Canada has this spring shipped ten thousand bushels of Marquis wheat, the variety that holds most of the world's championships, to Australia, where it is to be tried out. Seventy-five thousand bushels of the same variety has been sent to France to be used for seed.

The wheat lands of Western Canada are probably the most undervalued of any on the continent.

A comparatively small acreage of Western Canada's lands has been sold as high as $60 an acre. The greater portion of the best farming land in its unimproved state may be purchased at $25 an acre. The comparison between these prices and an annual revenue derived from grain-growing alone, with big yields and present prices, cannot but more firmly impress one with the certainty of a rapid increase within the next few years.—Advertisement.

On Being Cheerful.

You find yourself refreshed by the presence of cheerful people? Why not make earnest effort to confer that pleasure on others?—Lydia Maria Child.

Kill the Flies Now and Prevent disease. A DAISY FLY KILLER will do it. Kills thousands. Lasts all season. All dealers, or six sent express paid for $1.25. H. SOMERS, 150 De Kalb Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Adv.

Cement From Oyster Shells.

Oyster shells are being used extensively in the manufacture of portland cement along the coast of the gulf of Mexico.

ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE DOES IT.

When your shoes pinch or your corns and bunions ache get Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath. It will take the sting out of corns and bunions and give instant relief to Tired, Aching, Swollen, Tender feet. Sold everywhere. *Don't accept any substitute.*—Adv.

Economical.

"Why don't you try cooking with electricity?" "Because we want to keep down current expenses."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUS (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

There are twice as many blind people in Russia as in the whole of the rest of Europe.

St. Louis boasts of the champion lazy man. He went to work and was too lazy to stop.

ITALIAN ENVOYS RETURN TO PARIS

Compromise on Fiume Seen as Orlando and Sonnino Rejoin Peace Conference.

TREATY BY THURSDAY

Announcement Made That Document Will Be Solemnly Handed to German Delegates That Day—New Port Proposed for Slavs.

Paris, May 6.—It is now certain, according to the French press, that the treaty of peace will be solemnly handed to Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, the German foreign minister, by Premier Clemenceau at Versailles on Thursday afternoon.

Paris, May 6.—The Italian ambassador to France has informed Foreign Minister Stephen Pichon that Premier Vittorio Orlando and Foreign Minister Sidney Sonnino are leaving Rome and will arrive here early Wednesday.

The Big Three is considering a plan for making Fiume a free port under control of the League of Nations for a period of three years. While the Italians and Jugo-Slavs would thus enjoy equal commercial privileges in the disputed city during this period, work would be hurried on construction of another port for the Jugo-Slavs on the Dalmatian coast. At the expiration of three years, it is assumed Fiume would be formally annexed to Italy.

Italy's Consent Expected.

While this does not positively assure Italy's immediate resumption in her place in the peace conference, it is believed this will follow, in view of the apparent acceptable compromise formulated by the Big Three, together with the spirit of conciliation evinced by both the Italians and Allies in the last few days.

The Italians officially announced their temporary withdrawal from the peace conference April 23, following publication of a statement by President Wilson in which he declared that he would not consent to Italy having Fiume, inasmuch as such a concession would be in violation of the armistice terms and the 14 principles.

Orlando Backed by Parliament.

Returning to Rome, Orlando laid his case before the Italian parliament and was given a vote of confidence. Since that time unofficial reports have been received of overtures by both Italy and the Allies toward getting together on a common basis that would permit the Italians to come back to Paris in time for signing of the German peace treaty.

These negotiations were given additional impetus by the imminence of the arrival of the Austrian peace delegates, now unofficially reported to be set for May 12.

Italian at League Meeting.

Marquis Imperiali, Italian ambassador to Great Britain, was expected to attend the business meeting of the League of Nations.

A secret plenary session of the peace conference will take place, at which the complete German treaty will be discussed. The meeting is expected to be brief.

Credentials of the German peace delegates have been accepted. The German envoys are empowered to represent the entire country, including Bavaria, by a law enacted at Weimar, transferring all of the former kaiser's treaty making rights to the government. The Germans have also accepted the Allies' credentials, including those of the Jugo-Slavs.

3,000,000 IN GARDEN ARMY

May Day Enrollment Swells Total for Entire Country.

Washington, May 6.—May day enlistments in the United School Garden army brought the total number of children enrolled to nearly 3,000,000. In announcing the total membership, the bureau of education said it indicated that the 1919 goal of $100,000,000 of foodstuffs produced on 100,000 acres of otherwise unproductive land would be reached. Fifty thousand teachers, it was said, are directing the army of children gardeners.

Illinois leads in membership, it was said, with a total of 171,300 in 137 cities. State enrollments include: Ohio 149,000, Michigan 56,000, Wisconsin 30,756, and Kansas 40,000. The membership in the Philippines has reached 7,500.

ZARA DECLARES SELF ITALIAN

Dalmatian City Proclaims Its Annexation in Mass Meeting.

Rome, May 6.—The population of Zara, at a mass meeting, proclaimed annexation of that (Dalmatian) city to Italy, it is announced here.

Gotham Fighters Back.

Newport News, Va., May 6.—Bringing approximately 1,200 officers and enlisted men, principally of the Fifty-third pioneer infantry (formerly the Forty-seventh New York infantry of Brooklyn), the battleship New Hampshire has docked here. The vessel left Brest April 22. The troops aboard were headquarters company, companies D, E, F, and G, and supply company of the Fifty-third pioneers, a sanitary detachment, evacuation hospital No. 14, seventeen casuals and two sick men.

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And Then He Quit.

A French officer was trying to learn the English language. The following is his version of our mother tongue:

"When I discovered that I was quick I was fast; that if I was tied I was fast, and if I spent too freely I was fast. I was discouraged. But when I came across the sentence 'The first shall be last and the last shall be first,' I gave it up."

BACK LIKE A BOARD? IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

There's no use suffering from the awful agony of lame back. Don't wait till it "passes off." It only comes back. Find the cause and stop it. Diseased conditions of kidneys are usually indicated by stiff, lame backs and other wrenching pains, which are nature's signals for help!

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Too Much of a Good Thing.

"I thought," said the boy's mother, "that I told you I wanted you to stay where I could put my hand on you."

"I d-didn't know," he whimpered, "that you wanted me to git across yer knee an' stay there."

Couldn't Shout.

While Zenobia, the new maid, was taking her first lesson on arranging the dining table, some one in the basement kitchen put something upon the dumbwaiter below.

"What is that noise?" asked Zenobia quickly.

"Why, that's the dumbwaiter!" responded the mistress.

"Well," said Zenobia, "he's a scratchin' to git out."

On Being Cheerful.

You find yourself refreshed by the presence of cheerful people? Why not make earnest effort to confer that pleasure on others?—Lydia Maria Child.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Storms Can Brew, Anyhow.

"Pa, where are those dark-looking clouds going to?" "To thunder, my son!"—Cartoons Magazine.

A girl doesn't trouble herself much about a man's future if he comes with a present or two.

Supreme Law.

The children in the neighborhood organized a club and were enthusiastic about it.

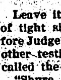
"Tell me about your laws and by-laws," I said to one of the members.

"Oh," he replied, "we only have one law, and that is to serve refreshments at every meeting."

IT'S NO SECRET

whence she got her color. Many women, perhaps your neighbor, will tell you that she got her wonderful color, her vivacious spirits, her strength and health by taking a "temperance" tonic, known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Probably no man in America was ever better qualified to successfully treat the diseases peculiar to women than Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. The cases that come to him run into many thousands, giving him an experience that rarely comes to any one man. Dr. Pierce found that in nearly every case there were certain vegetable growths which rarely failed to give prompt relief in those feminine disorders from which so many women suffer. He combined these roots and herbs into a temperance medicine that he called Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This medicine is sold in both liquid and tablet form by druggists everywhere. A weakly, sickly, backachy, headachy, nervous, despondent woman, with regular or irregular pains—with feminine disorders that come in youth or middle age—is pretty sure to find in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription the exact remedy that her condition calls for.



Why Bald So Young
Rub Dandruff and Itching with Cuticura Ointment
Shampoo With Cuticura Soap
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An Alibi.

Leave it to the Irish to squirm out of tight situations. This one was before Judge Richardson and along with other testimony it was stated that he called the arresting officer names.

"Shure, judge, an' I did nothin' o' the kind," protested Pat. "All I sid was that one of us should be in the zoo."—Los Angeles Times.

Yes, Rose, every race is a sure thing, but the majority of girls bet the wrong way.

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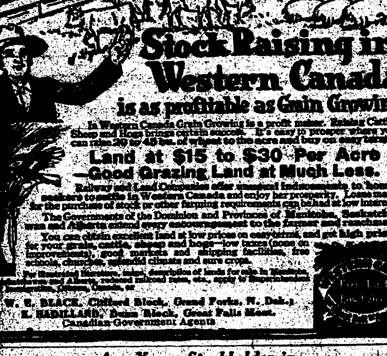

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For illustrated literature, maps, description of lands for sale in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, reduced railroad rates, etc., apply to Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

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UNSPOILED BY HIGH HONOR

Officers and Men Alike Recognize in General Pershing Qualities That Compel Their Affection.

"Why do we swear by Pershing?" countered a staff officer in Washington one day in response to a question. "Well, I guess it's because he's the real thing—a regular American, if you know what I mean.

"You can easily figure out the sort of man he is by the stories they tell of him. I was with him when he was on his way to Washington to receive his orders for France. On the way we passed through the town in which he lived when he was a boy. On the station platform was the same old negro porter Pershing had thrown stones at in his boyhood. The general chatted with the old man. Afterward I asked the porter what happened. He said:

"'He done wanted ter know all 'bout the folks he uster know, an' when he was gettin' on the car again he picked up a pebble as big as my thumb an' hove it at me, jes' like he uster when he was an ornery kid.'"

Aerial Hunt for Whales.

With his airplane equipped with a machine gun, an army lieutenant recently went out on a whale-hunting expedition. Flying at an altitude of about a thousand feet above the Pacific ocean, the airman saw his quarry about four miles out at sea, and swooped down before the great animal could submerge. A short round from the machine gun was sufficient, and a motorboat was soon on its way to pick up the carcass, which yielded the hunter a considerable profit.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Bullet Meets Bullet.

So many bullets flew through the air in both directions in large battles of the great war that some of them were bound to bump into each other. A pair of fighting bullets were picked up by an English soldier one day after he and his comrades had pushed the Germans back several hundred yards. In their perilous journey over No Man's land they struck barbed-wire entanglements with varied results.

Youth is a theory but old age is a fact.

WITH AN EYE TO THE FUTURE

Prima Donna Had Good Business Reasons for Asking for Slight Change in Contract.

Senator Lodge sounded the warning that the articles of the league of nations should be weighed carefully before being adopted. He asserted that too many ties might well jeopardize our future.

"Indeed," we may well follow the example of the prima donna who was reading a rough draft of her new contract.

"When she came to the paragraph providing that she should have transportation for herself and maid, her dog and Signor Gazibeni, her husband, she drew a line through the singer's name.

"'Just make that husband,' she said.

"'Yes, madam,' asserted the manager, 'but may I ask why?'

"The diva blushed and coyly fingered her hair. 'I might wish to make a change,' she answered."

Out of Order.

The village was all agog. Flossie Flatfeet was marrying William Giles. The church was crowded. Flossie, looking as pale as her somewhat highly colored countenance would allow, bore up until the plain band ring was safely on her finger, and then, overcome, burst into tears.

The villagers were touched, but not anxious. All girls cry at weddings.

Then suddenly William Giles screwed up his face and broke into howls. Tears poured down his face and dripped off his whiskers.

"What's up? Hush, man!" those nearest him urged. But Giles continued to howl, and at last burst out:

"Let me be! I feel wuss 'an 'er about it!"—London Tit-Bits.

Thrift of Time.

Thrift of time will repay you in after life with a usury of profit beyond your most sanguine dreams.—Gladstone.

Quickly Over.

Bix—I'm going to see a mind reader.

Dix—You'll have a short session.—Boston Transcript.

Some women are always talking about the lost art of conversation.

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then in the cities, then in the nation's great metropolitan centers, until today it is demanded everywhere, and sold everywhere, as America's greatest health drink for table use. You can get from your grocer

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Boil it just like coffee—15 minutes after boiling begins.

It doubles the enjoyment of the meal with its rich, invigorating flavor; and, unlike coffee, it never upsets nerves, stomach or heart. Children as well as grown folks can drink Postum freely.

"There's a Reason"

Two Sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c.

STATE BREVITIES

Fergus Falls.—More than 150 women attended the annual convention of the Ninth district, Minnesota Federation of Women's Clubs here.

Hibbing.—Hibbing is the first big village on the Mesaba range to go over the top in the Victory loan drive. The total amount subscribed here is $689,000.

St. Paul.—Victory Loan subscriptions totaling $3,600 were reported by officials on the staff of the St. Cloud state reformatory. Inmates of the institution were not canvassed.

Red Lake Falls.—The First Presbyterian church here has received the banner awarded it by Adams Presbytery in recognition of its being the first church in northwestern Minnesota to raise the budget assigned to it in the New Era campaign, recently conducted by the church.

St. Paul.—Minnesota began May business with $8,450,725 in its cash box, according to Henry Rines, state treasurer. Funds holding more than $500,000, were the revenue fund with $5,818,669, the road and bridge fund with $839,164, and the forest fire relief fund with $538,832.

Pipestone.—Pipestone's paving program for this year is to go forward immediately. The city council has let the contract for the work to the Campbell Construction company of Minneapolis. The price of $2.10 a square yard was quoted. More than two miles of paving will be laid this season.

Fairmont.—Herbert Brie took his car to a garage, bought two new tires, a new battery and other fixtures for the 1919 season, the bill amounting to $99. The next day he found that thieves had stolen the machine. A Minneapolis paper stamped with a railway news agent's mark indicated that the robbers had come from the twin cities.

Duluth.—J. A. Todd, former board of trade member and well known in financial circles in the Northwest, has been named as defendant in a $30,000 suit brought by Claire Luhn, a clerk in a local store, for alleged breach of promise. On April 24, 1918, the complainant alleges, Todd promised to marry her, but failed to carry out his agreement.

St. Paul.—The State Board of Investment has voted to invest $500,000 in state trust funds in the Victory Loan, and to ask for bids on $500,000 Massachusetts state bonds now held for the same funds. Applications from schools and cities for loans aggregating $470,000 were approved and early payments were ordered on previously authorized loans of $42,200.

Faribault.—Beginning this week all city employes who desired to continue in their official position climbed on the old water wagon. The new city administration issued sweeping orders declaring that no person who is not "on the wagon" may be employed by the city. Some employes have inquired into the possibility of the ban being removed just for one day, June 30th.

Wykoff.—Case M. Allen, local banker, is reported to be dying at his home here as a result of having been struck twice by the same automobile, driven by a woman. Mr. Allen took a short cut across the main street. The automobile rounded a corner and struck him squarely. He fell heavily, but was apparently not seriously hurt. In the act of arising, however, he was struck again, the woman evidently in her excitement losing control of the car.

Duluth.—A second John Dietz case has developed at Floodwood. George H. Kramer, a settler, is alleged to have shot and seriously wounded James Ryan, one of a crew of drivers attempting to run logs through land owned by Kramer. Ryan was hit three times, once in the wrist, again in the arm and through the body. He is in a Duluth Hospital. Kramer was arrested and brought to this city. Other settlers are reported to be offering resistance.

St. Paul.—Some $10,000,000 of negotiable securities and other tangible evidences of the state's great wealth, now scattered in safety deposit boxes in St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth banks, soon will be rounded up and placed in a new safety deposit vault to be built in the treasury department offices in the capitol, Henry Rines, state treasurer, announced. A fund of $25,000 for the new safety deposit vault was provided by the 1919 legislature and the building contract is to be awarded soon by the state board of control.

St. Paul.—Funds totalling $128,350, appropriated by the 1919 Legislature for immediate relief, compensation and refundments have been paid out by Henry Rines, state treasurer. Dependents of guardsmen dying from injuries or sickness suffered in the forest fire zone and others who died in state service will receive $40,410. Compensation voted those injured in state service aggregated $27,057. Reimbursements of $35,472 and refundments of $25,411, to cover overpayments and funds advanced the state, made up the total.

Virginia.—John Severon is showing his friends a pot of gold which fell at his feet out of a foundation near Chandlerville. Severon bought the old Robert Morgan estate north of Chandlerville recently. He was sounding the stone underpinning of the house, built before the Civil War, recently. He dislodged an ancient kettle and it contained 140 $20 gold pieces.

Duluth.—Alfred Jaques, of this city, United States district attorney for Minnesota, has received a parchment signed by President Wilson, reappointing him to his position for four years.

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Drop Freezone on a touchy corn, then lift that corn off with fingers

Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic! No humbug!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

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Criticism.

Billy Sunday tells with gusto of the subtle criticism a pretty Philadelphia girl once passed on his informal preaching methods.

The revivalist halted at the end of an impassioned Philadelphia harangue, rolled down his sleeves, put on his coat and said:

"And now, dear friends, are there any questions?"

"All the congregation was silent except the pretty girl. She asked from her front pew:

"May I smoke?"

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has been a household remedy all over the civilized world for more than half a century for constipation, intestinal troubles, torpid liver and the generally depressed feeling that accompanies such disorders. It is a most valuable remedy for indigestion or nervous dyspepsia and liver trouble, bringing on headache, coming up of food, palpitation of heart, and many other symptoms. A few doses of August Flower will relieve you. It is a gentle laxative. Ask your druggist. Sold in all civilized countries.—Adv.

She Understood.

The preacher had been talking about the necessity for a "new heart." Little Bess' father took her on his knee and gravely asked if she understood what a new heart was.

"Oh, yes, indeed," she answered, brightly. "It's a kind of heavenly stomach."

A Lady of Distinction.

Is recognized by the delicate fascinating influence of the perfume she uses. A bath with Cuticura Soap and hot water to thoroughly cleanse the pores, followed by a dusting with Cuticura Talcum Powder usually means a clear, sweet, healthy skin.—Adv.

When Money Is a Curse.

It is only when money is cheapened to worthlessness for some, and made impossibly dear to others, that it becomes a curse. In short, it is a curse only in such foolish social conditions that life itself is a curse.—George Bernard Shaw.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets put an end to sick and bilious headaches, constipation, dizziness and indigestion. "Clean house." Adv.

If some people were to think twice before speaking they would never say anything.

Counterfeiter Caught! The New York health authorities had a Brooklyn manufacturer sentenced to the penitentiary for selling throughout the United States millions of "Talcum powder" tablets as Aspirin Tablets.

Warning!

Don't buy Aspirin in a pill box! Get Bayer package! Never ask for just Aspirin Tablets! Always say, "Give me a package of 'Bayer Tablets of Aspirin.'" Insist that every Aspirin Tablet you take must come in the regular Bayer package and the "Bayer Cross" must appear on this package and on each tablet.

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Adults—Take one or two "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" with water. If necessary, repeat dose three times a day, after meals.

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Boxes of 12 tablets—Bottles of 24—Bottles of 100—Also Capsules.

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They Still Exist.

"The peace-at-any-price man doesn't exist any more." "Doesn't, eh? Don't the married men count at all?"

Friendly Chatter.

Belle—Do I make myself plain?

Nell—Ah, nature saved you that trouble.

Indigestion, Gas and Bloat From Acid-Stomach

An acid-stomach cannot digest food properly. Instead, the food sours and ferments and, passing into the intestines, becomes a breeding place for countless millions of deadly germs—toxic poisons they are called. These poisons are absorbed into the system and cause untold misery. So, you see, it is just acid-stomach, nothing else—that makes so many people weak, listless and unfit; saps their strength and energy; robs them of their vigor and vitality. Biliousness, bad liver, nervousness, blinding, splitting headaches, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica—these and many other still more serious ailments often are traced to the common source—an acid-stomach.

Take EATONIC and get rid quickly of the pains of indigestion, heartburn, that horrible, lumpy, bloated feeling after eating; disgusting, belching, food-repeating; sour, gassy stomach. These stomach miseries are caused by what doctors call "Hyperacidity." It's just ACID-STOMACH. And in addition to the pains and miseries it causes, ACID-STOMACH is the starter of a long train of ailments that most people never dreamed are in any way connected with the stomach.

Pleasant tasting EATONIC TABLETS that you eat like a bit of candy, quickly put an end to your stomach troubles. They act as an absorbent—literally wipe up the excess hurtful acid and make the stomach pure, sweet and strong. Help digestion so that you get all the power and energy from your food. You cannot be well without it!

If you are one of those who have "tried everything" but in spite of it still suffer all kinds of acid-stomach miseries—if you lack physical and mental strength and vigor—begin at once to take EATONIC. Get back your physical and mental punch and enjoy the good things of life. Like thousands of others you will say you never dreamed that such amazingly quick relief and such a remarkable improvement in your general health was possible.

Your druggist has EATONIC. We authorize him to guarantee it to give you instant relief or refund your money. Get a big box of EATONIC today, it costs but little and the results are wonderful!

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ATTENTION! Sick Women

To do your duty during these trying times your health should be your first consideration. These two women tell how they found health.

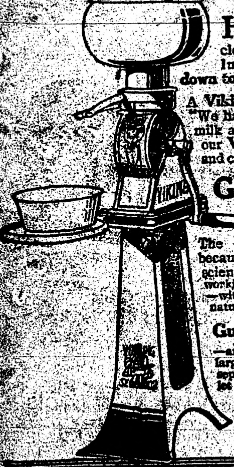
Hellam, Pa.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for female troubles and a displacement. I felt all run down and was very weak. I had been treated by a physician without results, so decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, and felt better right away. I am keeping house since last April and doing all my housework, where before I was unable to do any work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is certainly the best medicine a woman can take when in this condition. I give you permission to publish this letter."—Mrs. E. R. Crumling, R. No. 1, Hellam, Pa.

Lowell, Mich.—"I suffered from cramps and dragging down pains, was irregular and had female weakness and displacement. I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which gave me relief at once and restored my health. I should like to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's remedies to all suffering women who are troubled in a similar way."—Mrs. Elise Heim, R. No. 6, Box 83, Lowell, Mich.

Why Not Try
LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND
LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. LYNN, MASS.

Defective Page

Get A VIKING CREAM SEPARATOR



HERE'S the separator that has the world beaten for close-skimming records! Absolutely guaranteed to skim down to a mere trace.

A Viking user said the other day: "We have taken several tests of the milk after it has been separated in our Viking and let stand 24 hours and could not see a trace of cream!"

Get All the Cream With Less Work

The Viking is easiest to operate because it is the simplest and most scientifically constructed. It has less working parts. That makes it run easier —without vibration or [illegible] to disturb the natural separation of whole cream.

Guaranteed For a Lifetime

—and positively guaranteed to have a larger capacity per hour than other separators of equal rating. Come in and let us demonstrate a Viking to you.

R. Reierson

Better for You—and Your Hired Help, Too

A modern roomy barn lightens the farm work. It's good for you, it pleases the hired help and saves money in the long run by keeping the stock in good condition.

Your experience with the old barn has probably shown many little points of improvement to include in your plans for a new barn. Why not put your ideas into definite shape? Build now and earn the increased dividends at once.

Call on us to help you decide upon the best material for different parts of the building. We will see that you get the most for your investment.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company, Holt

C. L. Sandberg, Agent

"For that Dull Feverish, Tired 'Out-of-Sorts' Feeling"

caused by absorbing the poisons from waste matter in bowels, try DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS. They remove the cause of your distress and keep you feeling "fit."

These "pleasant-to-take" candy-like tablets act naturally on the bowels and do not gripe or cause other unpleasant sensations. They quickly relieve constipation, and its derangements and improve your general health.

DR. MILES' LAXATIVE TABLETS are for sale by druggists everywhere. Cost only a few cents a box. Money back if they fail to satisfy. The ideal laxative for children and grownups.

Dr. Miles' LAXATIVE TABLETS

Holt Chautauqua

Mid-Summer Meeting

5 Big Days 5

Everybody boost for the BIG CHAUTAUQUA

Moving Pictures

Woodman Hall every Saturday night.

Program May 10th.

1 Reel Magazine. 1 Reel Frenisied Flim Comedy

5 Reels B. B. Raggedy Queen

Show starts at 9 P. M. Admission 10 and 30 cents

Casper Snare

The CELEBRATED

Mascot Flour

Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the

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Temporarily located in the Kolden building

Sell Feed at Low Prices

Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction

J. L. Hirsch, Agent — Holt, Minn.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Sorenson Hotel in Holt, on

Wednesday May 21

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $2.00

Gold Crowns $6.00 and $7.00 Porcelain $6.00

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Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth

Always Come In Early

You'll always find the date of my visit in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

War gardens help to feed the people in time of need.

The Marshall County Fair Board is offering $50 in prizes in the Boy's and Girl's Sheep Contest. The 1st prize is $10, 2nd $8, 3rd $6, 4th $4, and the next eleven $2 each. There are also prizes for the poultry and canning contests. Any boy or girl wishing to enter any contest should notify the county agent John Husby at Warren, who will send blanks, etc.

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT, REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912

Of The Holt Weekly News, published weekly at Holt, Minn., for April 1st, 1919.

County of Marshall
State of Minnesota } ss

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared H. B. Young, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor of The Holt Weekly News and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse side of this form, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are: Publisher, Holt Publishing Company, Holt, Minn. Editor, Managing Editor and Business Manager, H. B. Young, Holt, Minn.

2. That the owners are: P. A. Risberg, D. B. Bakke, A. L. Carlson, Arvid Carlson, Axel Nelson, O. J. Backlund, C. H. Gunheim, R. Reierson, Oscar Hanson and B. Docken, all of Holt, Minn.

That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

H. B. Young, editor, publisher, business manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of April, 1919.

B. Docken, Notary Public, Marshall County, Minn.

My Commission expires Nov. 15th 1920.

Holt Chautauqua 5 Big Days

Midsummer Entertainment

Everybody Boost this good work along

Automobile Tourists

When in Minneapolis Stop at

Hotel Lincoln

Nicollet Ave. at 9th St

Opened Sept. 1st. 1918

Especially convenient for auto parties as Nicollet Avenue is the leading road from all points, and has no car tracks; within two squares of 5 large garages. Adjoining the cities' largest stores.

Rooms at $1.00 per day. With private toillet 25 cent extra; with private bath 50 cents extra. In addition there are suits of rooms with separate toilet, each room having connecting bath—an ideal arrangements and only found here.

Cafe in connection—Hotel Lincoln guarantees an atmosphere of home refinement.

Wm. B. Camfield PROPRIETORS F. S. Gregory

For past ten years with Minneapolis leading hotels.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free

DR. H. B. NEWELL, D. C.

Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

AUCTION!

As I am going to quit farming, I will sell the following property at public auction on the F. W. Ramaley farm, 6 miles east of Holt, on

SATURDAY MAY 10

Stock, Seed, Etc.

4 fresh Cows 4 Calves
50 Chickens 13 bu seed oats
15 bu Potatoes 60 gal gasoline
5 gal can kerosene 1 Cutter

Machinery, Etc.

Set work harness Buggy harness
Road wagon Flax brusher
Wagon running gear Cultivator
Set blacksmith tools Vise
14 in plow, 2 shares Hand seeder
Four section harrow Pipe lift
12 disk harrow 3 garden tools
Hand corn planter Plow evener
18 inch Stilson pipe wrench
Monkey wrench Set of wrenches

Household Goods, Etc

2 Ranges 3 Bedsteads 14 Chairs
Heater Dining table Sideboard
15 gal churn, Pails, other articles
DeLaval cream separator
Water cream separator
Dinner bell Water fountain
Blacksmith tools, anvil, forge
Drill with bits, horseshoeing set
Pipe threader Blow torch
Soldering set Tool grinder
Tool kits Augur bits Hack saw
2 Compass saws Nail puller
3 30 ft chains 2 3 horse eveners
Feed cooker Grub hoe Axe
Square, Saw, Hammer, Wrenches
15 inch pipe and other articles

Sale begins at 1 o'clock Free Lunch at Noon

TERMS: On amounts of $10.00 and over, time will be given to Nov. 1st, 1919, on bankable notes bearing ten per cent interest. All amounts under $10.00 are payable in Cash.

V. J. Price, Owner

Ole C. Brenna, Auctioneer Holt State Bank, Cerk

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

VOL. IX HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY MAY 16, 1919 NO.

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The Holt Weekly News

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By The

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Local Items

For Sale—Winton Six auto. Address Lock Box 688, Holt, Minn.

Mrs. Gullick Swenson visited a few days last week with relatives and friends at Alexandria.

[illegible] and family of Brooks visited Sunday with Mrs. [illegible]'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. [illegible].

[illegible]

Mrs. A. H. Ahlborn of Minneapolis arrived here Tuesday for several day's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Docken departed Sunday for an extended visit with their parents and other relatives at Viking and Mekinock, N. D.

Mrs. Mickelson and Amanda and the two little Olson children went to Crookston last week Thursday for several days visit with relatives.

Mr. Gullick Swenson brought their son, Oscar, home Saturday from the Thief River Falls hospital. We are pleased to report that the lad is rapidly getting well and will be alright again soon.

Mrs. Larson received a letter last week Thursday from their son Albert who is with the U. S. army of occupation in Germany. He did not write much except that he was well and liked the country.

Mrs. T. G. Sorter wishes to thank all the members of the Ringbo Red Cross for the beautiful cut flowers presented to her. She has had a long siege of illness and the flowers are a great comfort to her.

Dr. Paulson was a professional visitor Sunday at the home of Mrs. Nels Gudvangen, the eldest boy being very sick, [illegible] at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Erickson northeast of Holt.

Harold Adams of Dugdale visited Friday and Saturday with his brother, Loyd Adams and family. The former recently returned from France where he served for several months with the military police.

A. T. Lee has moved his family from Leeds, N. D., onto his farm north of town. Mr. Lee will put in his crop and his son will run the mail route at Leeds for a few months, while his father is farming.

Peter Hanson sold his little home at Roseau the fore part of the week as he expects to make his home here for some time to come. His place consisted of 5 acres and a house and the consideration was $800.00.

STATE EXAMINATIONS

The high school board examinations will be given at the Holt consolidated school in the following subjects at the time designated.

Friday, May 23
Commercial Geography 8 a. m.
Physiography (Physical Geography) 8 a. m.
English I. 10:15 a. m.
Physiology 2 p. m.

Monday, May 26
Elementary Algebra 8 a. m.
High School History 10:15 a. m.

Tuesday, May 27
American History 8 a. m.
Civil Government 10:15 a. m.
Spelling 10:15 a. m.
Eighth Grade Compo. Grammar 2 p. m.
Field Crops 2 p. m.

Wednesday, May 28
Arithmetic 8 a. m.
Animal Husbandry 8 a. m.
Geography 2 p. m.

No change of program is allowed so those wishing to take examinations must be there at the time given. Cut out this program and keep it for reference. Examinees must bring pen, pencil, blotter and a good eraser. Paper and ink will be furnished at the school.

Martha M. Peterson, Principal.

STEINER ITEMS

Henry Meyers of Red Wing is visiting at his parents home, Mr. and Mrs. John Meyers.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers visited at the J. Wiseman home Sunday.

A Mothers Day program was given in the Steiner school house Sunday by Miss Amy Wiseman, teacher and her pupils.

[illegible]

Bernie Hunt was in Holt Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Furstneau visited at the R. Werner home Sunday.

Hobson Rogers did business in Thief River Falls Friday.

Harvey Capp visited his parents Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Nick Baker and children visited at the A. Simonson home Sunday, May 11.

To the Red Cross Auxiliary of Ringbo.

I most heartily thank you all, dear members for your kind remembrance of me during my long illness with such a nice big gift, also your nice letter, Mrs. Bean. It surly was a great happiness to me to know I have made such a nice lot of true friends during my short stay in this country.

Oscar Swenson.

Chas. McLean is drilling a well on the Plummer farm, which is occupied by Chas. Hagglund and family.

Mrs. H. D. Strong of Gardner is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gullick Swenson, also her sister, Mrs. Pete Sorter.

O. H. Nohre is well enough to be out again we are pleased to report.

Dr. Mellby was called here Wednesday to see Mrs. Thora Nelson who is in very poor health.

The Home Talent Play has been postponed one week on account of the bad roads. Don't forget the play and band concert May 24th.

For Sale—Paige 5 passenger automobile in good running order. Electric lights and starter. Take it home for $475.00. Novelty Sales Co., Holt, Minn.

Andrew Sorum arrived at Camp Dix May 6th from overseas. It possibly will take a week or so before he gets his discharge at Camp Dodge.

Willie Sorum wrote home that it was reported they were to leave Camp Mills on Tuesday May 13th for Camp Dodge where he will receive his discharge from the army.

Holt will be glad to welcome the brothers back again.

Take Notice

The Holt Creamery will take in cream on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, commencing Monday May 26th. You will do me a great favor by trying to deliver your cream in the forenoon, or at least by 1 o'clock P. M. P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

Notice!

A Novelty Social will be given at the Holt Consolidated school on Thursday evening May 22, the proceeds of which will go towards paying the sum due on the piano purchased this winter for the school. A Health program will be furnished by "The Little Citizens League" this being the closing day of the Health Crusade Tournament of fifteen weeks which has been conducted by the Junior Red Cross. Ladies please bring a novelty to be sold to highest bidder and a box of eats for two. Coffee will be served free to all who bring cups.

Mrs. Rudolph Dahl died Wednesday night at her home in Golden Valley. Her death was due to an attack of influenza, followed by pneumonia. Rev. Ordahl will conduct the funeral services in Golden Valley at two o'clock this afternoon. Mrs. Dahl was a young woman and had been married less than two years.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the [illegible] and other relatives and friends of the deceased.

Dr. Turley will be here May 21. [illegible]

[illegible] for the Memorial Day program in next weeks paper.

Anton Rodahl went to Thief River Falls Thursday to consult a physician.

Ole Hammernes is laying the cement floor in the addition to his garage.

Mrs. Nels Gudvangen will have an auction sale next Tuesday to dispose of her personal property.

Moving pictures, home talent play and last but not least is the big five day Chautauqua, we are to have this summer.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will serve lunch in the church basement Thursday, May 22nd. Everybody is cordially invited to be there.

Boost the Chautauqua, talk the chautauqua and when writing your friends tell them all about the big 5 day Chautauqua that is comming to Holt this summer.

Soldiers needing legal advice are invited to write to the Home Service section of the Red Cross, who will see to it that they get the special privileges granted to them by the government.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bjerk and family are moving to Crookston this week, where they will make their home. Mr. Bjerk has rented his farm to V. J. Price who takes immediate possession.

On the light loam or sandy soils, Canadian field peas can be grown to advantage to be hogged off during the month of August. One acre will feed twelve pigs about five weeks.—University Farm Press.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will hold a bazaar in the near future and all those who wish to contribute articles for it, are invited to do so. Please leave all articles with the president, Mrs. C. W. Christianson.

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Mybrer will hold services at the Free Mission church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. E. La Roe of Thief River Falls, will hold services here at 8 o'clock Sunday evening May 25th. Everybody intited.

The Ladies Aid will serve lunch in the church basement, Thursday afternoon May 22nd. Everyone invited.

Mat Larson is on the sick list.

D. B. Bakke spent several days here this week on business.

Pay your real estate taxes now and avoid the penalty.

B. J. Bakke was a Grand Forks business visitor Saturday.

Peter Hanson was a business visitor in Roseau Wednesday.

Now is the time to swat the fly before they commence to breed.

The moving pictures will be given on Friday night this week, so that all of us can attend the home talent play Saturday night.

Holt will have a five days Chautauqua sometime this summer, the date to be announced later. This should be a big Ad. for this community.

Mrs. Ole Lee stopped here Wednesday to visit Mrs. Paul Olson on her way home from Badger where she visited with her daughter for several days.

An assistant county agent has been appointed, who will have his office at Grygla, and look after the work in the country surrounding that village.

Miss Palma Johnson and Therval Kolden were united in marriage Monday evening May 12th, by Rev. Ordahl, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johnson, at Golden Valley.

C. L. Sandberg has cleared the timber off the land which he purchased of the Townsite Co., and will put it into a big garden. This work has greatly improved the appearance and value of Mr. Sandberg's place and that part of our little village.

CLEAN-UP NOTICE

It is hereby ordered by the village council of the village of Holt, Marshall county, Minnesota, that the manure and rubbish of all kinds must be cleaned up and hauled away from property, streets and alleys within said village, also that all the streets and alleys must be cleared of all machinery, wood, ect., before May 20th, 1919, or the work will be done by the order of the council at the owner's or occupant's expense.

By order of the Village Council.

P. A. Riesberg, President. H. B. Young, Clerk.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
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NOTICE!

We will accept Liberty Bonds at Face Value On Accounts

Also for Payments on Well Drilling, Pumps, Pipes, Casings and all Supplies

Davidson Bros.

Holt, Minn.

SYNOD CHURCH NOTES

Confirmants meet Saturday at 1 o'clock. Sunday school at 11.

Services Sunday in Wilson school house at 11 and in East Valley at 8 o'clock.

The Young People's Society will meet in the Woodman hall at 8:30 Sunday night.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor

Bank No. 899

AMENDMENT TO CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF THE HOLT STATE BANK

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 12th day of March A. D., 1919, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED: That secition Five (5) of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Five.

The amount of Capital Stock shall be Fifteen Thousand Dollars fully paid in, in cash, which shall be divided into one hundred fifty shares of One hundred Dollars each.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Holt, Minnesota on the 12th day of March A. D. 1919

(Corporate Seal) D. B. Bakke, President. B. Docken, Cashier

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
COUNTY OF MARSHALL } ss

On this 12tht day of March, 1919, before me appeared D. B. Bakke and B. Docken, to me personally known, who being duly sworn did say that they are respectively the President and Cashier of Holt State Bank, that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was executed by them as their free act and deed.

Nels Engebretsen, Notary Public, Marshall Co., Minn.

My commission expires June 15th, 1919.

(Notarial Seal)

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Insure Your Auto

The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate

Insurance against fire, thieves, etc See them at once

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Holt Cafe!

Ice Cream Parlor and Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours

A nice line of Bakery Goods

Nice Booths and Tables for the serving of Ice Cream

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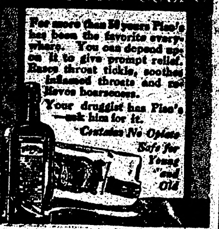
PISO'S for COUGHS & COLDS



For more than 50 years Piso's has been the favorite everywhere. You can depend upon it to give prompt relief. Eases throat tickle, soothes inflamed throats and relieves hoarseness. Your druggist has Piso's—ask him for it. Contains No Opiate. Safe for Young and Old

Mid-Summer Chautauqua

Holt, Minn.

Be a Rousing Booster

The Local Market

Wheat No. 1 Northern
Wheat No. 2
Wheat No. 3
Wheat No. 4
Flax
Oats
Barley 79 to
Rye
Flour, Best Patent

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Drs. Mellby & Paulson

McGinn Block

Thief River Falls

Office Phone 79
Residence: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. [illegible]

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Dr. Biedermann

Physician and Surgeon

Thief River Falls

Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 237 Call 1, Residence 237 [illegible]

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City Barber Shop

Agency for

K. E. DAHL COMPANY,

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All work guaranteed satisfactory

Ernest Phillipson

Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. [illegible] the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Holt Dray and Livery

H. Peterson, Prop.

Auto Livery

In connection with teams and rigs

Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson

Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a Complete Line of CASKETS and Funeral Supplies which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

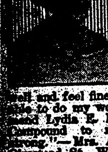
Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Pure bred stock and pure grain and vegetable seeds help to bring good times and satisfied farmers.

WOMAN'S NERVES MADE STRONG

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Winona, Minn.—"I suffered for more than a year from nervousness, and was so bad I could not rest at night—would lie awake and get so nervous I would have to get up and walk around and in the morning would be all tired out. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and thought I would try it. My nervousness soon left me. I sleep well and feel fine in the morning and able to do my work. I gladly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to make weak nerves strong."—Mrs. ALBERT SULTZE, 603 Olmstead St., Winona, Minn.

How often do we hear the expression among women, "I am so nervous, I cannot sleep," or, "it seems as though I should fly." Such women should profit by Mrs. Sultze's experience and give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial.

For forty years it has been overcoming such serious conditions as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, dizziness, and nervous prostration of women, and is now considered the standard remedy for such ailments.

Kill All Flies! THEY SPREAD DISEASE

Placed anywhere, DAISY FLY KILLER attracts and kills all flies. Neat, clean, ornamental, convenient and cheap. Lasts all season. Made of metal, can't spill or tip over; will not soil or injure anything. Guaranteed.

DAISY FLY KILLER at your dealer or 6 by EXPRESS, prepaid, $1.25.

HAROLD SOMERS, 150 De Kalb Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 60c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

Couldn't Shoot.

While Zenobia, the new maid, was taking her first lesson on arranging the dining table, some one in the basement kitchen put something upon the dumbwaiter below.

"What's that noise?" asked Zenobia, quickly.

"Why, that's the dumbwaiter!" responded the mistress.

"Well," said Zenobia, "he's a scratchin' to get out."

Immediate Action Necessary.

Kind Old Gentleman—What are you crying for, my little man?

Tommy Tuff—I can't think of a name fer dat guy.

K. O. G.—And why should it be necessary for you to think of a name, my little chap?

T. T.—Yer wouldn't ask that if yer heard the one he called me.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Superficiality.

"There are two sides to every question."

"Yes," replied Senator Sorghum. "And too many of us chaps who pose as powerful thinkers don't take the trouble to get to the inside."

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP

will quiet your cough, soothe the inflammation of a sore throat and lungs, stop irritation in the bronchial tubes, insuring a good night's rest, free from coughing and with easy expectoration in the morning. Made and sold in America for fifty-two years. A wonderful prescription, assisting Nature in building up your general health and throwing off the disease. Especially useful in lung trouble, asthma, croup, bronchitis, etc. For sale in all civilized countries.—Adv.

None Satisfied.

Officer—But surely you, a millionaire, have little to complain about.

Munition Magnate—Oh, I don't know. The multimillionaires treat us like so much dirt.—London Opinion.

Shave With Cuticura Soap

And double your razor efficiency as well as promote skin purity, skin comfort and skin health. No mug, no slimy soap, no germs, no waste, no irritation even when shaved twice daily. One soap for all uses—shaving, bathing and shampooing.—Adv.

Cross-Examination.

Mistress—So you are the brother of my cook? Her only brother?

Policeman—I hope so.

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ENVOYS CONFER; HOPE TO AGREE

Colonel House and Sonnino Trying to Settle Muddle Over Fiume Question.

COUNCIL OF FOUR BUSY

Considering Replies to Third and Fourth Notes From Germans—Preparing for Arrival of Austrian Peace Delegates.

Paris, May 13.—Baron Sidney Sonnino, the Italian foreign minister, had a conference with Colonel E. M. House of the American peace delegation. The conferees went over the Italian situation with a view of reaching a basis of adjustment before the Austrians arrived.

The conference took place at a luncheon at which Colonel House was the Italian diplomat's guest.

The Council of Four of the peace conference took up consideration of the replies to be made to the latest German notes, those regarding labor matters and prisoners of war.

The council decided to refer the German notes on labor and war prisoners to experts for consideration instead of answering them at once as it did with the first two communications from the German delegation.

Allied Armies to Parade Paris.

A triumphal march of the Allied armies through Paris will take place June 6, according to the present understanding.

Work is being hastened on the quarters at St. Germain, where the palace of Francis I is being put in order for the reception of the Austrian peace delegates. Used for years as a museum, it contains a wonderful collection of Gallic relics ranging from prehistoric times to the era of the Gallic kings.

To Present Terms in Palace.

It is planned that the presentation of the peace terms will take place in the most beautiful apartment of the old palace, which is located on the first floor and approached by a grand staircase, the walls of which are emblazoned with royal devices.

Two groups of nearby villas have been requisitioned for the Austrian and Hungarian delegates. It is purposed to conduct the negotiations separately, but if possible they will be carried on simultaneously.

Rantzau Writes Two Notes.

Two additional notes were filed with the French foreign office by Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the enemy delegation. The first stated that Germany already has many of the reforms contained in the labor section of the treaty and proposed that an international law conference be called in Versailles at once to revise this article.

The second asked that the 400,000 German war prisoners who are to be repatriated be guaranteed adequate food and clothing.

Couriers Sent to Berlin.

Couriers are rushing back and forth between Versailles and Berlin like shuttlecocks, keeping the German government posted on progress of the official translation of the treaty and whatever information is gathered by the delegates.

NAVY PLANES WAIT JUMP-OFF

Weather Conditions in Mid-Ocean Are Rough, Delaying Start.

Aboard the U. S. S. Prairie, Trepassey, N. F., May 13.—Commander J. H. Towers awaited information as to the probable time of arrival of the seaplane NC4 before giving orders for the start of the attempted trans-Atlantic flight. The NC1 and the NC3 are ready to go, but the NC4 was delayed at Chatham, Mass., by engine trouble. Towers suggested that Lieutenant Commander Read of the NC4 make a nonstop flight from Chatham to Trepassey so as to arrive in time for the getaway.

Weather conditions in midocean are rough, according to latest reports; there is a northwesterly wind. Rain is expected along this coast.

TAKE WHAT BELONGS TO YOU

Urged by Radicals at I. W. W. Mass Meeting in Chicago.

Chicago, May 13.—"Organize, march on and take what belongs to you," was the advice given at a radical mass meeting staged by the national convention of the I. W. W. here. Roberta Bruner pleaded for an organization to help the unemployed and gain the freedom of imprisoned radicals. Police of Gary and Hammond, Ind., put a quietus on demonstrations planned in those places. A mass meeting in Hammond was broken up by a force of armed officers, while three radicals were arrested in Gary and the others dispersed.

Foe Helmets Used to Sell Bonds.

El Paso, Texas, May 13.—German helmets which were made for the anticipated grand goose-step entry into Paris are worth from $2,000 to $2,500 on the local market. Each night when the Victory Loan mass meeting was held in the Plaza, the sales manager offered at auction one of these helmets to the person buying the greatest amount of Victory bonds. The first night a helmet was offered at auction it brought $2,000 in bonds. The second night the price was raised to $2,500 worth of bonds.

STATE BREVITIES

Stillwater.—There were 411 births and 323 deaths in Washington county during 1918.

Menahga.—On one day recently the local creamery paid out $1,000 for the cream purchased that day.

Nashwauk.—It is not believed there are to exceed fifteen or twenty cases of influenza in this village now.

Crookston.—The Polk County Sunday school convention will be held here on May 19, at the Congregational church.

East Grand Forks.—Dr. J. G. Arneberg, Grand Forks, has purchased the Gibbs 100-acre farm lying in section 19, Sullivan township, consideration being $12,806.

Pine River.—Pine River will hold the biggest Memorial day celebration in its history this year. Congressman Knutson has promised to come and deliver the principal address.

St. Cloud.—The Meire Grove creamery, located in the center of Stearns county's leading Holstein community, during the month of March paid out $11,212.07 to the creamery's patrons.

Winona.—An increase of $10 a month for members of the Winona police department, bringing the patrolmen's salary to $100 a month, was recommended by Chief W. C. Norton.

Mankato.—Deputy Sheriff Jack Macbeth has returned from Chicago, bringing with him Floyd Griffith of Lake Crystal, who is wanted here on a charge of nonsupport, brought by his wife.

St. Paul.—Cigaret licenses will be issued by the state dairy and food department instead of by the cities, according to notification from James Sorenson, dairy and food commissioner.

Spooner.—At the special election held last week bonds in the sum of $8,000 were voted for the purchase of a hospital for the village. Fifty-two votes were cast and only six were against it.

Lake Park.—Becker and Clay counties, which jointly maintain an anti-tuberculosis sanitarium near here, will construct a home for nurses this year, it is announced. The building will cost $20,000.

Hibbing.—The first traveling library on the Mesaba range will soon be in operation. A large White truck has been transformed into a library to take books to the various locations near Hibbing.

St. Paul.—Minnesota's new labor laws will be the subject of lectures before inspectors, special agents, and deputies of the state department of labor and industries at a meeting May 22-23 in the old state capitol, St. Paul.

Hawley.—Prompt action on the part of the village officials in closing the schools when the diphtheria epidemic gained headway here is believed to have headed off new cases. The schools, which were closed two weeks ago, have been reopened.

Buhl.—Four stitches were required to sew up the nose of the 4-year-old son of Edward Santini, village fireman, after a vicious dog had bitten the child. The dog will probably be shot and its head sent to a Pasteur institute to learn whether the animal had rabies.

Virginia.—About 100 Italians pledged themselves at a meeting of the Italian political club to become citizens at the earliest possible time. Three weeks hence at another meeting of the club plans will be more definitely arranged for their taking out their first papers.

St. Cloud.—At the request of the attorney for the officers and directors of the Pan Motor company, under Federal indictment, an immediate trial has been granted. The case was originally set for November, but the court held it was unfair to compel a long delay of the case.

Rochester.—Duluth was selected as the place for holding the next convention of the state Congregationalists at the closing session here. Delegates and pastors voted to appoint a commission of twenty-five to superintend the raising of $140,000 during the year as a fund to handle various conference activities. Forty thousand dollars of this fund will go to Carleton college, a Congregational institution.

St. Paul.—Creditors of the First State bank of Federal Dam, which was closed July 18, 1917, by A. E. Pearson, state superintendent of banks, will receive 100 cents on the dollar together with interest at 6 per cent from the day the bank was closed, Supt. Pearson has mailed checks for the final dividend of 35 per cent and interest earnings. An assessment of 100 per cent was made against stockholders.

Crosby.—Daniel Duggan, proprietor of the new Crosby hotel, was struck on the head with a club about 3 o'clock in the morning by one of two men who attempted to rob the place. Duggan was awakened by the men when they came in and while sitting on the edge of his bed one of the men pushed a flashlight into his face and the other hit him with a club on top the head, inflicting a big gash. Duggan retained his senses sufficient to yell for help and then collapsed. The men were arrested.

Crookston.—After returning to his farm home near Girard following a visit to Crookston, Fred Layton found six sets of harness valued at $500 cut to ribbons. Although having no knowledge of any enemies who would attempt such a trick Layton believes the act was committed by some one who has been nursing a grudge against him for some time.

Moorhead.—Mrs. Gil Richards, wife of a Moland township farmer, was severely burned about the face and upper part of her body, when she used gasoline to start a fire in the kitchen range.

Bagley.—F. A. Simpson, deputy state fire marshal, was here to sell two buildings condemned and ordered destroyed by Judge C. W. Stanton.

Virginia.—Hibbing's "bad boy," whose name the authorities will not disclose, was sent to the reform school. He has been in many mixups.

Stillwater.—Speaking to the Washington county Red Cross, Mayor J. R. Kolliner said that several persons have agreed to donate $5,000 each for the purpose of constructing a needed addition to the present city and county hospital.

Mankato.—Esther Demmin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Demmin, was seriously injured and Elinor Melchert of Northfield was somewhat bruised and hurt when a Ford car struck the two girls at the corner of Front and Main streets.

Virginia.—The water and light commission has decided to extend water mains to West Virginia, where sixty-five families live and have to rely on wells for water. As it is only half a mile from the Williams addition the mains at the former will be extended to West Virginia.

Bemidji.—A. W. Aamodt, agricultural agent, announces that a beekeepers' meeting will be held in Bemidji May 26. Field Agent McMurry of the United States Department of Agriculture will be the principal speaker at the morning session and during the afternoon an apiary inspection trip will be made.

East Grand Forks.—In response to a request received by Mayor Robert Anderson from the Duluth Commercial club that East Grand Forks be represented at a meeting of the Roosevelt Trail association, to be held soon at Duluth, selection of a delegate to represent the city was referred to the Commercial club, and action will be taken to insure representation.

St. Paul.—Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, was at Red Lake investigating reports that Indian officials are protesting against state fishing operations on Red lake, a large part of which is in the Indian reservation. It was unofficially stated that the Indians, although many of them are employed in state fishing, are demanding payment for fish taken from the lake.

Two Harbors.—John Lindquist, single, 34, living at Maple, northwest of here, was found dead underneath his auto at the bottom of a road embankment by Andrew Sonju of Finland. The body was brought here. Lindquist apparently was killed when his machine left the road and rolled down the embankment near Lax lake on State Road No. 1, about forty-five miles northwest of here in Lake county.

Minneapolis.—Of four Johnson brothers—two sets of twins—who went to the war from Bemidji, three were killed in battle. The fourth, George Johnson, was held in this country and served a year with the One Hundred and Thirteenth engineers in the spruce division in Washington state. He has re-enlisted here for service in Europe. Two of the brothers, Joseph and Herman, aged 29, died at Chateau-Thierry. His own twin brother, Earl, died of wounds sustained in the Argonne.

St. Paul.—J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, has announced a plan to consolidate June 1 the state timber and land departments. O. H. Dorecks will continue as superintendent and will be assisted by J. F. Gould, now manager of land sales. Oscar Arneson, former timber superintendent, will aid in the prosecution of ten timber trespass claims aggregating $160,000 and set for trial this month in the Ramsey county district court, the auditor said. He will then retire from the state office to manage a St. Paul concern manufacturing a portable power saw.

Cass Lake.—A hotel in which guests will register their names and addresses upon the wall is the novel affair promised here by W. C. Northway, formerly of Los Angeles, who proposes to erect the structure fronting on the Mississippi Scenic and Roosevelt Memorial highways and three blocks from the Mississippi Valley scenic highway from New Orleans [illegible], Minn. He will call it the Autograph hotel. The novel manner of registering guests was started by Mr. Northway in a similar venture elsewhere, when for fifteen years he had all people stopping with him write their names on the walls. This unique autograph collection will decorate the walls of his proposed hostelry here, as will a large pen drawing thirty feet square.

Marshall.—Carl R. Swanson, a farmer residing near here, will spend the next six months in the Lyon county jail as a result of having been found guilty of using the mails to defraud. Last spring, when the farmers of this section were looking everywhere for good seed corn, Swanson inserted advertisements in many newspapers throughout the Northwest offering for sale seed which he guaranteed would test 96 per cent or better. In a very short time he received a great number of orders, but the farmers, upon testing the corn, found that it did not run better than 20 per cent. Complaint was made to the Federal authorities and Swanson was taken into custody and his trial took place a few days ago.

Virginia.—The board of education has hired the first of the teachers for the new vocational school to be opened next fall. In all, seven were engaged. More will be hired later. Plans for looking after pupils who did not keep up to their classes were also discussed.

Thief River Falls.—W. C. Pfaender of the university farm, St. Paul, carefully inspected Pennington county last week searching for the common barberry, which is a spreader of black stem rust on grains. No plants were found in the county this year as some had been destroyed last year.

Fish Day.

He—By jove, Betty, you look nice enough to eat. She—Well, don't forget this is Friday.—Boston Transcript.

Proving It.

Pussyfooting is a calamity."

"I suppose it is something of a catastrophe."

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Danger in Abbreviation.

Even the school nurse has her fun. In a talk before the central philanthropic council the other day, Miss Helen R. Stewart of the board of health told of one little boy, who, after he had been examined by the nurse, went to the teacher in tears, complaining that the nurse called him names.

When the teacher expressed her surprise, the boy sought to prove his case by handing her the card the nurse had given to him as her record of the examination.

"Look at that!" he cried.

"Poor nut," read the card.

"Poor nutrition," explained the teacher, finally sending the child away with a better opinion of the nurse.—Dallas News.

Von Tirpitz a Pauper.

The Tribune de Geneve is informed that Grand Admiral von Tirpitz is staying at Wildegg, Switzerland, as the guest of Lieut.-Colonel Wille, son of the former commander-in-chief of the Swiss army.

Tirpitz has lost all his fortune. His son is a clerk in a bank at Zurich, and his daughter is a governess in a Zurich family.

To avoid paying the German war tax of 1918 Tirpitz invested his money in Italian securities, with the result that he is now penniless. What a patriot!

Information Needs Confirmation.

"Old Dursey Dudgeon prides himself on knowing where the conflagration is as soon as he hears the fire-bell ring," related the landlord of the Petunia tavern.

"By the time half a dozen whangs have changed he has scrabbled into a garment or two and is out on his front porch, hollering to the people running by just where he knows the fire is."

"He should be of considerable assistance to the volunteer firemen and others in sending them in the proper direction," commented the interested guest.

"Eh-yah! He would be if he didn't nine times out of ten know it wrong."—Kansas City Star.

Glossing Over the Facts.

"Pa, what is a euphemism?"

"I'll have to explain that by giving you an example, son."

"Yes, pa."

"The dictionary says a euphemism is 'a figure of speech by which a word or phrase more agreeable or less offensive is substituted for one more accurately expressive of what is meant,' as in the case of the society reporter who states that a widow who has been married three or four times is led to the altar by a wealthy old codger who never had the slightest notion of getting married until he faced the preacher."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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"What is the biggest game you have in Wyoming?"

"Poker, ma'am!"

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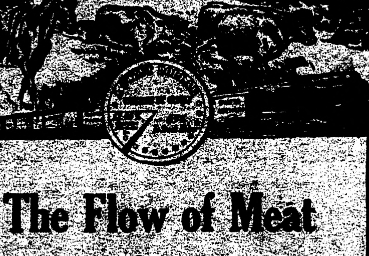
Don't loaf in front of a bank just because it has money in it.



The Flow of Meat

Two-thirds of the live stock in the United States has to be raised in the West.

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In other words, most of the live stock is one or two thousand miles distant from most of the people who need it in the form of food.

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PEACE TREATY GIVEN GERMAN

Pact Handed to Enemy Envoys at Versailles.

SHORN OF MILITARY POWER

Enemy Must Pay $5,000,000,000 as Initial Payment for Damages; Return Alsace-Lorraine and Agree to Trial of Former Kaiser.

Paris, May 8.—Following is the official brief summary of the peace treaty as presented to the German plenipotentiaries at a memorable assemblage at Versailles on Wednesday afternoon, attended by the delegates of the twenty-seven nations which are parties to the peace pact:

Following the preamble and deposition of powers comes the covenant of the league of nations as the first section of the treaty.

The frontiers of Germany in Europe are defined in the second section; European political classes given in the third; European political classes in the fourth.

Next are the military, naval and air terms as the fifth section, followed by a section on prisoners of war and military graves and a seventh on responsibilities.

Alsace-Lorraine Restored.

Germany, by the terms of the treaty, restores Alsace-Lorraine to France, accepts the internationalization of the Sarre Basin temporarily and of Danzig permanently, agrees to territorial changes toward Belgium and Denmark and in East Prussia, cedes most of upper Silesia to Poland, and renounces all territorial and political rights outside Europe, as to her own or her allies' territories, and especially to Morocco, Egypt, Siam, Liberia and Shantung.

She also recognizes the total independence of German-Austria, Czecho-Slovakia and Poland.

Her army is reduced to 100,000 men, including officers.

Conscription within her territories is abolished.

All forts 50 kilometers east of the Rhine are to be razed.

German Navy Is Reduced.

Allied occupation of parts of Germany will continue till reparation is made, but will be reduced at the end of each of three five-year periods if Germany is fulfilling her obligations.

Any violation by Germany of the conditions as to the zone 50 kilometers east of the Rhine will be regarded as an act of war.

The German navy is reduced to six battleships, six light cruisers and twelve torpedo boats, without submarines, and a personnel of not over 15,000.

All other vessels must be surrendered or destroyed.

Germany is forbidden to build forts controlling the Baltic, must demolish Heligoland, open the Kiel canal to all nations and surrender her fourteen submarine cables.

She may have no military or naval air forces except 100 unarmed seaplanes until October 1 to detect mines.

Responsible for All Damage.

Germany may manufacture aviation material for only six months.

Germany accepts full responsibility for all damages caused to allied and associated governments and nationals, agrees specifically to reimburse all civilian damages beginning with an initial payment of 20,000,000,000 marks, subsequent payments to be secured by bonds to be issued at the discretion of the reparation commission.

Germany is to pay shipping damage on a ton-for-ton basis by cession of a large part of her merchant, coasting and river fleets and by new construction, and to devote her economic resources to the rebuilding of devastated regions.

Germany agrees to return to the 1914 most-favored-nation tariffs without discrimination of any sort; to allow allied and associated nationals freedom of transit through her territories, and to accept highly detailed provisions as pre-war debts, unfair competition, internationalization of roads and rivers, and other economic and financial clauses.

She also agrees to the trial of the ex-kaiser by an international high court for a supreme offense against international morality and of other nationals for violation of the laws and customs of war, Holland to be asked to extradite the former and Germany being responsible for delivering the latter.

The league of nations is accepted by the allied and associated powers as operative, and by Germany in principle, but without membership.

Similarly an international labor body is brought into being with a permanent office and an annual convention.

Still Talk of Special Pledge.

Paris.—The revival of the story that some special pledge of security to France is to be made by Great Britain and the United States is due, probably, to an utterance of Marshal Foch. What element of truth there is in it should be disclosed soon.

Denial was made from Washington, when the story of a Franco-British-American treaty was first published, that the United States contemplated any arrangement of the sort. The Echo de Paris is responsible for giving new currency to the rumor.

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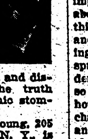

There is hardly any one who does not experience some trouble with the stomach. It is so common that we frequently pay little or no attention to it. Yet, the stomach is very easily upset, and catarrhal inflammation of the mucous lining develops, grows worse—the pain and distress is incessant and the truth dawns that we have chronic stomach trouble.

The case of Mr. Louis Young, 205 Merrimac St., Rochester, N. Y., is typical. He writes: "I suffered for thirty years with chronic bowel trouble, stomach trouble and hemorrhages of the bowels. We bought a bottle of Peruna and I took it faithfully. I began to feel better. My wife persuaded me to continue and I did for some time as directed. Now I am a well man." Mr. Young's experience is not unusual.

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Proper Procedure.

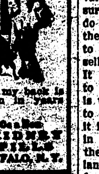
"What is a young man to do when his attention is arrested by a pretty girl?"

"Why, carry his case to court, of course."

Back Lame and Achy?

There's little peace when your kidneys are weak and while at first there may be nothing more serious than dull backache, sharp, stabbing pains, headaches, dizzy spells and kidney irregularities, you must act quickly to avoid the more serious trouble, dropsy, gravel, heart disease, Bright's disease. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that is so warmly recommended everywhere by grateful users.

A North Dakota Case



John G. Volz, prop. shoe repair shop, Hill Ave., Grafton, N. D., says: "I had kidney disorder and suffered with severe pains in my back. The pains through my back and limbs were so terrible I had to give up work. At times I had dizzy spells and was miserable. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they took hold better than any of the other remedies I had tried and the trouble disappeared. Now my back is stronger and better than in years before."

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Pleasures are the commas used to punctuate life's sad story.

YIELD BIG CROPS

Grain Seeds From Western Canada Do Well in Ohio.

Demand for Them Is Bound to Add Value to the Land of Our Northern Neighbor, Now to Be Had Cheap.

A large area of the land in several counties in Ohio prepared for spring seeding will be seeded with Marquis wheat—a spring variety. This wheat is imported from Western Canada. It was about three years ago that the first of this seed was imported into the States, and the result, watched each succeeding year, proved that Ohio soil and spring seeding was a success. The demand for the seed has now become so great that one of the largest seed houses in the state, that has been purchasing from Western Canada farmers and importing it, has decided to purchase a large block of land in that country for the purpose of growing the grain themselves. They will devote a considerable portion of their Western Canada holdings to growing oats, barley and rye. Their action is a strong indorsement of the product. For some time past a considerable quantity of seed oats has also been imported. The prolific yield reported was what probably gave an impetus to the introduction of wheat.

It was found, though, after a couple of years the quality of the oats, as well as the yield, began to deteriorate when grown seed was used, making it necessary for fresh importations every couple of years. It is possible that the same experience may follow the growing of Western Canada wheat. In fact it is quite probable, and the Ohio farmer will find it necessary to import every two years.

With the success that has followed the Ohio farmers' experiments with this imported seed it is possible other states now growing winter wheat will begin growing spring wheat. It may therefore be taken for granted that Western Canada, in addition to its ability to produce hundreds of millions of bushels of wheat possessing the greatest percentage of gluten of any wheat in the world, will shortly be called upon to provide the seed that will be grown on the additional acres in the United States that may be devoted to spring wheat.

It is a well-established fact that the further north any product of the farm can be brought to a state of maturity, the more vigorous it becomes. This has been proven in the grains that have been produced in Western Canada; it has been shown in the development of its horses, its cattle, its sheep and its hogs; also in its people. The neighbor to the north really has a splendid future before him, and many years will not have passed before the lands that are selling today at much less than their producing value will bring prices more commensurate with their true worth than they do today. Think of lands that yield in their operation a profit of from fifteen to twenty-five dollars an acre a year, selling at figures less than $40 an acre. It does not require a mathematician to figure the percentage of profit. It is unfair to these lands to ask them to continue these profits for long. So it is safe to make the prediction that in a very few years they will place themselves on a parity with other lands that today produce less and sell for much more.—Advertisement.

Appropriate Food.

"What is the best food to give gunners?"

"I guess grapefruit is."

THIN PEOPLE SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitro-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

Thinness and weakness are usually due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as bitro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bitro-phosphate quickly produces a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

This increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, soon disappear, dull eyes become bright, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health.

CAUTION:—Although bitro-phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its remarkable flesh-growing properties, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.

Now Is the Time to Buy a Farm in Good Old U.S.A.

Although the war is over, the demand for food continues. The business of producing things to eat, therefore, gives promise of paying satisfactory dividends.

The U. S. RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION offers the co-operation of its HOMESEEKERS' BUREAU to those who wish to engage in farming, stock-raising, dairying, poultry raising, fruit growing, and kindred pursuits. Free information will be furnished about farm opportunities in any State on request.

Write today. Give me the name of the State you want information about; say what line of farm activity you wish to follow, and the number of acres you will need, and let me know what kind of terms you desire. The more particulars you can send regarding your requirements, the better I can serve you.

Nothing to Sell. Only Information to Give.

J. L. EDWARDS, Manager,
Agri. Section, U. S. Railroad Administration, Room 2060, Washington, D. C.

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After seeding see Texas MAGIC VALLEY. Write Wadsworth, Land Mgr., Grand Forks, N. D., for low round trip rate. Special car.

A Test of Love.

"Oh, yes, we are engaged to be married next spring, but I fear she has not that utter confidence in me that comes with perfect love."

"Why so?"

"Well, when a fellow looks back—as a fellow in love naturally will, you know—and sees her testing her new diamond engagement ring on the window pane, it makes him a little dubious, don't you know?"

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

One trouble with a watch dog is its tendency to see too much that doesn't interest anyone else.

Betty Said She Could Bake

"I knew she never had baked a cake and I was doubtful. But I told her to go ahead.

"She got my treasured Royal Cook Book, my can of Royal Baking Powder and all the fixings—and sailed in.

"Honestly, it was the best cake we ever had, and now I believe anyone who tries can bake anything with

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OMING!

ertainment at Holt

ver Local Talent Play and Band
rt at Holt Sat. Eve. May 24

Program

Part I

The Chaser,"	Middle River Band
Remarks,	Ruth Sjoberg
	Ray [illegible]
	Francis Scovel
"Forward,"	Band
nday Morning,"	Eunice Hjertoes, Harold Gullikson
	Ray Nordlum
	Mrs. Loveid
g, in costume,	Band
ar Director,"	Herbert Ness
ce in costume,	Mesdames Loveid and Olson
	Frances and Esther Scovel
	Mrs. Loveid
	Ruth Sjoberg
ur Glorious Flag,"	Band

PART II
"THE MILLIONAIRE UNCLE"
or
"THE TRIALS OF A BRIDEGROOM"
Cast of Characters

Rich Old Bachelor	Lenny Pokels
his nephew, the groom	Orville Morris
the best man	[illegible]
a Rich Spinster	Mrs. [illegible] Carr
the Bride	[illegible]

[illegible]

ou Waiting for Prices to Come Down?

CURTIS
WOODWORK

se prices were so high" [illegible] of about 700,000 homes [illegible]

Our advice is, Build Now! [illegible]

Is Wise to Build Now

-Nichols Lumber Company, Holt
C. L. Sandberg, Agent

lt Chautauqua

Mid-Summer Meeting

Big Days 5

body boost for the BIG CHAUTAUQUA

Moving Pictures

Friday night May 16th

Everybody invited

Show starts at 8 P. M. Admission 10 and 30 cents

Casper Sauve

The CELEBRATED

Mascot Flour

is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

Temporarily located in the Kolden building

Sell Feed at Low Prices

Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction

J. L. Hirsch, Agent Holt, Minn.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Sorenson Hotel in Holt, on

Wednesday, May 21

[illegible] Holt [illegible] and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:

Silver Fillings $1.00 [illegible] Treatments $2.00

Gold Crowns $6.00 and [illegible] Porcelain $6.00

Plates [illegible] and up

[illegible] you have been paying and you will see the advantage of [illegible] me.

[illegible] guaranteed and repaired or made [illegible]

Painless Extraction of Teeth

Always Come Early

Watch for [illegible] The Holt Weekly News

Bank Statement

[illegible]

RESOURCES

[illegible]

LIABILITIES

[illegible]

Casper Sauve of Greenbush was here Saturday night and gave an exhibition of his moving pictures. A big crowd was out and everybody was well pleased with the show.

The creamery directors decided at their last meeting to pay cash for cream on delivery, to all those who desire it. Bring your cream to the Holt creamery and help to build up a home industry.

Pay your telephone bills now. It costs money to send out statements every month.

Holt Chautauqua 5 Big Days

Midsummer Entertainment

Everybody Boost this good work along

Automobile Tourists

When in Minneapolis Stop at

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Especially convenient for auto parties as Nicollet Avenue is the leading road from all points, and has no car tracks; within two squares of 5 large garages. Adjoining the cities' largest stores.

Rooms at $1.00 per day. With private toilet 25 cent extra; with private bath 50 cents extra. In addition there are suits of rooms with separate toilet, each room having connecting bath—an ideal arrangement and only found here.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the [illegible]

[illegible]

Holt Public School Novelty Social May 22

AUCTION!

Owing to the recent death of my husband I will sell the following property at public auction on my farm in Sec. 2, Town of Adger, [illegible] miles east of Holt, on Tuesday May 20th.

TUESDAY MAY 20

Horses and Cattle

1 bay gelding 1 bay mare
1 gray gelding 1 gray mare
[illegible] large well bred fresh milk cows
[illegible] head of young heifers, steers and calves. All that shows as nice a bunch of cattle as can be found in this vicinity

Machinery, Etc.

1 set harness
1 sulky plow 1 disk 1 drag
2 mowers 1 new hay rake
1 wagon. Also other machinery and many articles too numerous to mention

Sale begins at 1 o'clock, sharp

TERMS: On amounts of $10.00 and over, time will be given to Nov. 1st, 1919, on bankable notes bearing ten per cent interest. All amounts under $10.00 are payable in Cash.

Mrs. Noami Gudvangen

Owner

Ole C. Brenna, Auctioneer Holt State Bank, Cerk

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

-Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Taxes must be paid before the first of June.

Miss Ruth Knutson went to Gerry Wednesday to visit relatives.

Peter Bjerken returned to Mahnomen Tuesday after a few days visit here.

Andrew Ness came up from Thief River Falls Tuesday to see his mother who is still very sick.

All the business houses in Holt will be closed from 2 o'clock until 4 o'clock P. M. Memorial Day.

Mr. Hagen of Greenbush, was entertained over Sunday at the homes of Peter Hanson and Frank Horn.

All soldiers are requested to meet for organization and drill next Tuesday evening at the school grounds.

The Ringbo Y. P. S. will meet at their church next Sunday evening May 25. Everybody invited.

Adrian, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Erickson has been critically ill for some time with the flu.

Mrs. Carl Sorenson and son Stanley of Thief River Falls, visited relatives in Holt a short time this week.

Mrs. Walker of Devils Lake, N. Dak., came Monday to visit her sister Mrs. Johnnie Knutson, and family.

The committee is working to get a band for Memorial Day and expect to get one for the afternoon program.

Miss Julia Johnson returned Wednesday from Crookston where she has been recovering from the effects of her recent operation.

Rev. La Roe of Thief River Falls will hold services in the Free Mission church at 8 o'clock Sunday evening. Everybody invited.

Let's not forget the Chautauqua and boost it to all the people who are here to attend the programs Saturday evening and Memorial Day.

For Sale: Paige 5 passenger automobile in good running order. Electric lights and starter. Take it home for $475.00. Novelty Sales Co., Holt, Minn.

Don't fail to speak of our big Chautauqua to the people that visit this place on Memorial Day and treat them so well that they will be anxious to come here again.

Thirty-nine tubs of butter and between 75 and 80 cases of eggs were shipped from this station Saturday. At present prices, this means a nice little bunch of money for the farmers.

Miss Bernice Hobbs arrived here Monday from Grand Forks and immediately went to work in the Holt State Bank. Miss Hobbs is a stenographer of considerable experience and her help is much needed as the work in the bank is constantly on the increase.

Army and Navy News

Arne Sordahl returned home on Monday from Camp Dodge.

Rudolph Reierson and Willie Sorum arrived here Monday from Camp Dodge. Both these young men served several months overseas and Holt is much pleased to welcome them home.

Andrew Sorum wrote home under date of the 14th inst. that he was to be operated upon the next day in hospital at Camp Dix, N. J. His trouble is an abscess of the stomach. All hope he will soon recover and return home.

Henry Stensrud arrived at Thief River Falls Friday to visit his mother. He came here Wednesday to visit his brother Hans at Mud Lake. Mr. Stensrud served several months in France and was severely wounded. His friends are all glad to see him back and looking so well again.

Soldier's Notice.

All soldiers in this vicinity are invited to meet on the Holt public school grounds next Tuesday evening May 27th to make arrangements for the Memorial Day drill. Please wear your uniforms and come as early as possible.

P. L. Anderson
Ole C. Johnson
Committee

Pay your real estate taxes now and avoid the penalty.

Miss Lorine O'Hara was an over Sunday guest of Miss Ida Reierson.

Work has commenced on the basement for D. B. Bakke's new house.

English services Sunday evening 8 o'clock conducted by Rev. La Roe. Mission church.

B. Docken recently traded 80 acres of Mud Lake land to J. Nelson of Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson and little son drove over from Newfolden Monday P. M. and visited relatives a short time.

Boost the Chautauqua, talk the chautauqua and when writing your friends tell them all about the big 3 day chautauqua that is comming to Holt this summer.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will hold a bazaar in the near future and all those who wish to contribute articles for it, are invited to do so. Please leave all articles with the president, Mrs. C. W. Christianson.

Work was commenced Wednesday on clearing away the ruins left by the fire that burned the Red Lake elevator. The new elevator will be much larger in every way and will be equipped with modern machinery.

It is with great pleasure and gratitude that we, thru the columns of our local paper, convey to our friends and relatives our sincere thanks for the honor confered upon us in the substantial form of a fine kitchen shower on May 18th.

The Holt Creamery will take in cream on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, commencing Monday May 26th. You will do me a great favor by trying to deliver your cream in the forenoon, or at least by 1 o'clock P. M. P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

The moving picture man got stuck in the mud last week and failed to get here as announced. He has sent word that on account of the other doings here he will not come this week but wait until Saturday night May 31st. He will give big shows in Greenbush Saturday and Sunday May 24 and 25.

MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM

1:30 P. M. MAY 30th 1919

Holt Public School Auditorium and Grounds

Opening Number	Instrumental Music
Recitation, Welcome	Primary Room
Recitation, Decoration Day	Elsie Rux
Patriotic Dialogue	Grammar Grade
Patriotic Song	School
Recitation, Camp Calls	Leonhard Ellestead
Music	Choir
Recitation, In Flanders Field	Doris Sandberg
Welcome Address to Our Brave Boys	E. A. Silverness
Music	Male Quartette
Flag Drill	Primary Room
Recitation, Our Flag	Benny Hagglund
Song,	Fourth Grade
Memorial Address	Rev. M. B. Ordahl

Star Spangled Banner
Soldiers Exhibition Drill
Line of March to Cemetery
Soldiers and Sailors
Teachers and Pupils, Junior Red Cross, Red Cross, Citizens
Decorating Graves and Memorial

Music	Male Quartette
Emblems of Decoration Day	Little Girls

America
Lunch at School House and Grounds
Marshall of The Day, Mr. R. L. Adams

Soldiers and Sailors are requested to appear in uniform
All business places will be closed from 2 until 4 o'clock P. M.

Notice to Soldiers and Sailors

All soldiers and sailors in the vicinity of Holt and Golden Valley are invited to attend the Memorial Day exercises in Holt on Friday afternoon, May 30, and be our guests. This invitation is also extended to the bereaved parents of our soldier dead from this vicinity.

The soldiers will give an exhibition drill as a part of the exercises, and in order to get ready for that they are requested to meet on the Holt public school grounds on next Tuesday evening, May 27th, for a preliminary drill.

The Holt Red Cross auxiliary

Shipping tags for sale at this office.

Miss Gladys Flak is clerking at Carlsons' store.

Bro. Carr of Middle River made us a brief visit Saturday.

Davidson Bros. are drilling a well for C. H. Gunheim, on his farm.

For Sale:—Winton Six auto, Address Lock Box 638, Holt, Minn.

The bridge crew have moved to Steiner where they are putting in a bridge.

Dr. Paulson was called here Monday evening to see little Ruben Carlson who is sick with tonsilitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Docken and Mrs. B. J. Bakke went to Crookston Saturday in a Chalmers touring car which Mr. Docken took in on a trade.

Ole Kjelgren went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to consult a physician regarding his health, which has been quite poorly for some time.

The Middle River folks are coming to Holt Saturday evening and will put on a home talent play and give a band concert at the Woodman hall.

Albert Cairns of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. was in town Friday. He reports his company will soon commence work on an elevator of 30,000 bushels capacity to replace the one burned.

Aug. Shogren shipped his fourth and last car of potatoes for this spring on Saturday. Mr. Shogren says he will be here again in September prepared to buy up twenty car loads of nice smooth good sized potatoes.

B. J. Bakke returned home Sunday from Grand Forks with a brand new 1919 model Maxwell car. Mr. Bakke has taken the agency for the sale of this car and he says it is much improved and greatly different from any of the cars formerly put out by this company. We wish him success.

A. Bjerk went to Crookston Monday where his family are now living, and on Tuesday they went to Grand Forks to attend the funeral of Mrs. Bjerk's only sister, Mrs. Sauer. The home of the deceased was at Reynolds, but she died in the hospital at Grand Forks where she had been taken for treatment for blood poisoning.

Now is the time to swat the fly before they commence to breed.

MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEES

Decorating

Mesdames Docken, Fitch, Adams, Misses Martha Peterson and Helen Johnson.

Platform and Seats

Messers Riersberg, Sandberg, Carlson and H. Peterson.

The Eats

Mesdames Young, Adams and Docken.

Serving

Mesdames R. L. Olson, Paul Olson, Christianson and Olen.

Other committee appointments than those announced were made too late for this weeks paper and they will be notified otherwise.

Notice!

As Memorial Day is one of our recognized holidays, the telephoned office will be open on Friday May 30th only from 7 A. M. until noon, and from 6 to 8 o'clock P. M.

Mrs. H. B. Young
Telephone Operator.

Insure Your Auto

The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate

Insurance against fire, thieves, etc See them at once

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For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

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NOTICE!

We will accept Liberty Bonds
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On Accounts
Also for Payments on
Well Drilling, Pumps, Pipes,
Casings and all Supplies

Davidson Bros.
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

B. Docken, Holt, Minn., has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property. Write him.

Band Concert & Local Talent Play, M W A Hall Saturday night By Middle River talent

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. E. La Roe of Thief River Falls, will hold services here at 8 o'clock Sunday evening May 25th. Everybody intited.

No movies this week.

Holt will have a three days Chautauqua sometime this summer, the date to be announced later. This should be a big Ad. for this community.

Soldiers needing legal advice are invited to write to the Home Service section of the Red Cross, who will see to it that they get the special privileges granted to them by the government.

On the light loam or sandy soils, Canadian field peas can be grown to advantage to be hogged off during the month of August. One acre will feed twelve pigs about five weeks.—University Farm Press.

Olai Sovde went to Greenbush Saturday for an over Sunday visit with his parents and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Mickelson, daughter, Amanda, and little grand children returned Friday from Crookston and are busy getting settled in their new home.

The creamery directors decided at their last meeting to pay cash for cream on delivery, to all those who desire it. Bring your cream to the Holt creamery and help to build up a home industry.

Harold Scaar of Viking has been a guest at the R. Reierson home several days the past week. Mr. Scaar was acquainted with the Reierson's in the old country and they were both glad and surprised to see him again.

Miss Agnes Bakke has resigned her position in the Holt State Bank and will leave Monday for Fargo where she has accepted a position in the accounting department of The Lincoln National Life Insurance Co.

Mrs. Gudvangen sold off her personal property at public auction Tuesday and will move to Superior next week. Mr. and Mrs. Thorval Kolden will move onto the place next week, he having rented the farm for this year.

The house fly is one of the most dangerous of human pests. It multiplys by the million and every fly becomes a spreader of dangerous disease germs, says Dr. W. A. Riley, head of the entomology division of the Minnesota college of agriculture. The only thing to do, therefore, is to fight the fly in season and out of season by keeping the premises clean, destroying breeding places, screening houses to keep the flies out, and swatting the flies that get inside. Community co-operation in fly fighting is one of the best moves toward public health.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Holt Cafe!

Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream

Sovde & Oien

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Moving pictures, home talent play and last but not least is the big five day Chautauqua, we are to have this summer.

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 43
Wheat No. 2	2 40
Wheat No. 3	2 36
Wheat No. 4	2 32
Flax	3 86
Oats	56
Barley	88 to 96
Rye	1 38
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Drs. Mellby & Paulson

McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 79
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 98

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Dr. Biedermann

Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

City Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
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All work guaranteed satisfactory

Ernest Phillipson

Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Holt Dray and Livery

H. Peterson, Prop.

Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices

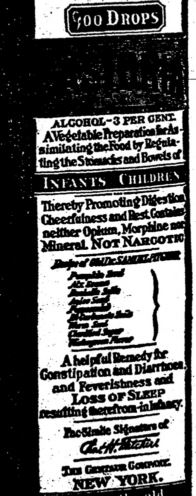
Holt Mercantile Co.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

Pure bred stock and pure grain and vegetable seeds help to make good times and satisfied farmers.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900 DROPS
ALCOHOL–3 PER CENT.
A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food by Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of
INFANTS CHILDREN
Thereby Promoting Digestion Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC
A helpful Remedy for Constipation and Diarrhoea, and Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP resulting therefrom in Infancy.
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THE CENTAUR COMPANY.
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At 6 months old
35 DOSES 35 CENTS

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CASTORIA

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

Make This Test For Acid-Stomach

There are millions of people who suffer almost daily from the horrors of an acid-stomach—indigestion; sour, gassy, stomach; distressing heartburn; sickening food-repeating; painful bloat and that miserable, puffed up, lumpy feeling after eating. Many of these people have tried treatment after treatment; medicine after medicine; others have gone to doctors and stomach specialists and some to hospitals, but in spite of all of their efforts they have obtained no lasting relief or a permanent cure.

These symptoms simply mean acid-stomach. If allowed to run on, they are very likely to cause a lot of serious trouble. Dyspepsia, rheumatism, gout, lumbago, sciatica, splitting headache, dizzy spells, nervousness, sleeplessness, mental depression, melancholia, a feeling of listlessness and all-goneness—these are just a few of the disorders which can be traced to acid-stomach. As a matter of fact, acid-stomach is often the direct cause of those almost incurable conditions known as catarrh of the stomach, intestinal ulcer, and cancer of the stomach. The lives of those who suffer from these serious troubles are nothing short of daily agony. Surely, then, you must see how important it is to go at once to the seat of the trouble—acid-stomach. You know what acid-mouth does to the teeth—how it eats right through the hard enamel and causes them to decay. Think then of the havoc that must be caused by excess acid in the stomach!

Even if you are not suffering any immediate stomach pains, but are not feeling just as fit and fine as you should, you should by all means make this test: Go to your drug store at once and get a big box of EATONIC. It is in the form of pleasant-tasting tablets—you eat them like a bit of candy. EATONIC is prepared for just one purpose—correcting acid-stomach by driving out the excess acid. EATONIC literally absorbs the excess acid. It brings instant relief from the pains of indigestion, heartburn, belching, sour, gassy stomach, bloat, etc. It makes the stomach pure, sweet, cool and comfortable, puts it in a normal, healthy condition, so that your food is properly digested. You need every bit of strength you can possibly get out of the food you eat—and EATONIC helps you get it.

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Mabel—Oh, she got real ugly about it.

If a man is wide awake during the day he can afford to sleep at night.

Most of us are willing to take up our cross, but it must be a gilt one.

Counterfeiter Caught! The New York health authorities had a Brooklyn manufacturer sentenced to the penitentiary for selling throughout the United States millions of "Talcum powder" tablets as Aspirin Tablets.

Aspirin "DON'TS"

Don't ask for Aspirin Tablets—say "Bayer!"
Don't buy Aspirin in a pill box! Get Bayer package!
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STATE BREVITIES

Hibbing.—The Victory Loan subscriptions here will total close to $800,000 when figures are all checked up.

Hibbing. — Influenza claimed two deaths within ten hours in the same household in the passing of Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Pearson of Ness, old settlers of the Beaver River Country.

Washington.—Paul D. Michelet, son fo Simon Michelet, Senator Knute Nelson's secretary, has passed all the West Point entrance examinations and will be admitted to the military academy June 13.

Minneapolis.—Managers of the Minnesota state fair and the State board of control have decided to postpone the erection of the proposed $300,000 livestock barn on the state fair grounds until after the annual exhibition this fall.

Aitkin.—Miss Annie E. Shelland, member of the state school commission, who is making a tour of the fire district of Northern Minnesota to investigate school conditions, was here conferring with Miss Poston, county superintendent of schools.

Hastings.—Commissioners of Dakota county, at a meeting here, turned down bids for paving six miles on the Jefferson Highway from the city north toward Westcot, on account of being too high. New bids will be advertised for June 9.

Coleraine.—While hunting wolves Archie Check, 31, son of Louis Check of the Bigfork country, accidentally shot himself in the thigh with a rifle when the weapon got tangled in the brush and he tried to pull it out. He was brought to a local hospital by his brother, Alex Check.

St. Paul.—The State Securities commission refused a charter to the proposed people's State bank of Goodthunder, acting under the provisions of a recent statute making its approval necessary to the chartering of state banks. A new bank would affect the solvency of existing banks, the commission contended.

Bemidji.—Claims aggregating $25,000,000 against the federal government are made in a petition that is being prepared by the Chippewa Indians for presentation to Congress and the Secretary of the Interior. Members of the executive and legislative committees of the Chippewas are in session here preparing the petition.

International Falls.—Blind pig raids here and at Ranier are bringing in the money these days as local court records testify. The city treasury was enriched $300 as the result of four raids made here. At Heiberg & La Page's seven cases of booze were found. "Dutch" Reiser in the Nurick building has some stock on hand, as did Slim Ryder, and "Smoke" at the Pease barber shop.

St. Paul.—J. G. Whelan of Minneapolis, was elected state deputy of the Knights of Columbus at the Minnesota state convention held in the council hall, here. Other officers chosen were the Rev. Robert Hughes of Mankato, state chaplains; John D. Mahon of Duluth, secretary; M. S. Fisch of Austin, treasurer; J. F. Fahey of Graceville, advocate, and D. W. Hughes of Crookston, warden.

St. Paul.—Beginning a $3,500,000 state building program for 1919-1920, the Board of Control will open bids on three new structures estimated to cost $175,000. Proposals will be opened on the contract for a $75,000 building for employes at the Faribault State School for Feeble Minded, and on contracts for similar buildings to cost $50,000 each at St. Peter and Hastings State Institutions for the Insane.

St. Paul.—Contracts for the erection of a new building for employees at the Faribault state school for feeble-minded, probably will be awarded soon on bids opened by the state board of control. The lowest bids in each class total $63,608. The preliminary fees, superintendence and other items, was $75,000, a sum provided by the last legislature. The building is made necessary, board members said, by the new law fixing an eight-hour day in state institutions.

St. Paul.—Dr. H. M. Bracken has resigned as secretary and executive officer of the State Board of Health. The resignation followed his acceptance of a commission as surgeon in the Reserve corps of the United States Public Health service. The commission was issued by Surgeon General Rupert Blue and Dr. Bracken is detailed as supervisor to organize agencies and care for war risk patients in District No. 10, comprising Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana.

St. Paul.—Nearly 100 rangers and patrolmen now are employed on fire prevention and other timber work in Northern Minnesota, W. T. Cox, state forester, announced, following additions of 35 men to the organization. The majority of the men are qualified as deputy scalers of logs and lumber under M. J. Thornton, as well as forest rangers, Mr. Cox said. The federal forestry department is continuing assistance to the state by furnishing the services of rangers and sharing in the expense of the prevention and other work.

St. Paul.—Declaring that no adequate public demand was to be found, the State Securities commission denied applications for charters to the Farmers' State bank of Adrian, represented by Nick Schultz, and to the Kandiyohi State bank, represented by P. M. Burns.

St. Paul.—Fifty-two cases of influenza in Minnesota were reported to the State Board of Health last week, an increase of 42 over the previous week. The increase is attributed to an outbreak of the malady at Brook Park, Pine county, where more than half of the 42 cases are quarantined.

Crookston.—Knights of Columbus Council No. 1216, at regular meeting decided to invest $500 in the Fifth Liberty loan.

Marshall.—Fifty employes of the Marshall flour mill went on strike because of the refusal of the company to meet the demands of newly organized union men for increase in wages.

Pine River.—This community will be visited by more than 100 Minneapolis business men in June, on the occasion of the renewal of the annual friendship-making tours from that city.

Detroit.—P. S. Converse has resigned as oil inspector for Becker, Hubbard and Mahnomen counties and has accepted a position with the state forestry service, similar to that of a forest ranger.

St. Paul.—After many months of delay, the state has paid a check of $6,521.44 to Ambrose Tighe, a St. Paul attorney, for services as special counsel for the Public Safety commission in 1917 and 1918.

Moorhead.—The First State Bank will build a two-story bank home and office building, 50x150 feet in dimension at the corner of Front and Fifth streets, Moorhead, this summer at an estimated cost of $60,000.

Stillwater.—Eugene Williams, for many years superintendent of the twine factory at the Minnesota state prison here, died at the city hospital where he had been taken for treatment a week or ten days ago.

Menagha.—John McClay has purchased the Carl Franz farm in section 6, Runeberg, a $10,000 deal, and in the trade has taken over the large stock of general merchandise from Mr. McClay at his Hewitt store.

Erskine.—Erskine has elected M. G. Randolph of Crosby as superintendent of the consolidated school. Mr. Randolph has been principal of the Crosby junior high school at Crosby and has also acted as assistant superintendent.

St. Paul.—Officers in the new Minnesota National Guard will wear collar ornaments made of the metallic letters "Minn." over the larger "U. S." under orders received by Adjutant General Rhinow from the war department.

Brainerd.—Under the auspices of the council of defense, thrift clubs are being organized in the different wards. These thrift clubs for the present will fit out neglected children from in and near Brainerd, co-operating with the county child welfare board.

Crosby.—T. E. Aho, local shoemaker, claims to have a calf educated to turn the water faucet whenever he is thirsty. A watchful eye has always been kept on the animal to see that the water is not left running. A few nights since, however, the calf got out of his shed and turned the water on; result, an extra large water bill.

St. Peter.—Bernard Schotman, 10, in the fourth grade at Courtland, is the champion speller of Nicollet county. After nearly two hours of spelling at the annual county spelling match here young Schotman "spelled down" Miss Evelyn Peterson of North Mankato and thirty-two other contestants, thereby winning first place in the match.

Duluth.—Samuel J. Cusson, aged 57, general manager of the Virginia & Rainy Lake company's plant at Virginia, Minn., died at the Spalding hotel here. Death was due to hemorrhage of the brain which first occurred shortly after dinner the night before. Mr. Cusson was one of the most prominent figures in the lumber industry of the Northwest.

Thief River Falls.—The question as to whether or not the office of county attorney and city attorney can be held by the same party has been decided in the negative by Judge Andrew Grindeland. Theodore Quale's contention that he is entitled to pay for services in the latter capacity in spite of having assumed the post of county attorney on Jan. 4 is therefore denied.

Embarrass—Rain fell and put out small brush and slashing fires in this district as it did on the Hinsdale Ridge, in the Dinka river district. The fire at the latter place burned over several tracts of already burned lands, but was boxed and kept out of good timber, according to reports received here. Fire fighters had the Dinka blaze under control and the rain finished it.

Sandstone.—Messrs. Hawley, Pearson and Dean of the local Boosters' club have been delegated to wait on officials of the Great Northern Railway company, owning the Kettle River Quarry company, here, and ascertain under what terms the plant can be leased to local interests so that it can be reopened, as it is feared the industry will never be worked again, plans being afoot for dismantling it.

Bemidji.—The big plant of the Bemidji Potato Products company has been sold to the Falk company of Pittsburgh, Pa., which will take possession immediately. The Potato Products company began operating a large potato flour mill here last fall in the old plant of the Bemidji company. Negotiations were begun between the products company and the Falk company several months ago, but it was not until this week that the selling of the plant took place. The Falk company operates large metal manufacturing plants at Pittsburgh, and the manufacture of potato flour is a subsidiary proposition.

Rustad—Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Cornell, old residents of Kurtz township, Clay county, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary here. About 150 of their friends assembled at the consolidated school house, where an appropriate program of music was rendered.

St. Paul.—Chisholm wants to organize a new National Guard Company, Walter B. Brown of the Tribune Herald and other Chisholm citizens presented the matter to Governor Burnquist. They were referred to Col. G. Bookstaver, commander of the new Sixth Minnesota infantry.

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Keeping It Up.

A maid servant applied for a week-end off, as her home was distant, for the purpose of being at home on her parents' silver wedding day.

The leave was granted, and the maid returned.

"Well," said her mistress, "did everything go off satisfactory?"

"Oh, yes, thank you, ma'am," said the girl, "and mother told me to say she is very grateful to you for letting me off."

"And what did your father say?" asked the lady.

"Oh, lor! ma'am," replied the girl, "he wasn't there. He's been dead this 20 years."

That Friend!

"Mother doesn't think she'll go to the theater with us tonight, Albert."

"Is that so? I have got three tickets. What shall I do with the third one?"

"Give it to the man you always go out to see between the acts. He can sit with us and you won't have to go out and see him."

Complimentary to Him.

He—But I asked you, dearest, to keep our engagement a secret for the present.

She—I couldn't help it. That hateful Miss Oldum said the reason I wasn't married was because no fool had proposed to me, so I up and told her you had.—Brooklyn Citizen.

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Mystery Explained.

He stood amid the blaze and splendor of his magnificent mansion, and in his hand he held the portrait of a beautiful woman. His face was pale and haggard, and his lips moved convulsively.

What was this mystery. Was this the picture of his departed wife?

No.

Was it the portrait of his dead but dearly remembered daughter.

No.

What, then, was the cause of his haggard face?

Was it not the same portrait that two minutes ago had fallen from its nail, and raised a lump as big as a hen's egg on his head?

It was.

A Diagnosis.

"Oh, doctor," said a worried looking agrarian, "My wife is in an awful condition! From a medium fat woman she has been reduced to skin and bones. She talks incessantly in a loud squawking voice, begins a sentence and never finishes it, and jumps from subject to subject without uttering anything that has the least sense to it."

"H'm! I see!" returned the physician. "Go home, Mr. Gabbleby, and take out your party line telephone at once. Your wife has been listening in on it too much."—Kansas City Star.

Lots of people make fortunes out of other people's curiosities.

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What Esau Sold.

Bobby was entertaining the air pilot who was waiting to see his sister.

"Fancy," said Bobby, "flying machines are mentioned in the Bible."

"Are they really?" asked the interested sub.

"Well, in his sermon this morning the vicar said that Esau sold his heirship to his brother Jacob," replied Bobby.—Stray Stories.

Cuticura for Sore Hands.

Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Ointment with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do if Soap, Ointment and Talcum are used for all toilet purposes.—Adv.

MERELY PIECE OF FOOLING

Course Taken by Germany Resembles Closely Neat Trick That Is Credited to Sheridan.

"The Germans, by fooling us with German bolshevism, hoped to escape the payment of war indemnities," said a congressman.

"It reminds me of a story about Sheridan, the spendthrift playwright.

"Gunter, the confectioner, left his statement with Sheridan one morning, and a few hours later Hanson, the ironmonger, called.

"Hanson was very pressing on the subject of his account. He harangued and he harangued. Sheridan, broke, as usual, paced the floor in despair.

"But suddenly an idea struck the spendthrift and he said:

"'You know Gunter?'

"'One of the safest men in London,' Hanson replied.

"'Then you will be satisfied if I give you his bill for the amount?'

"'Certainly.'

"Sheridan thereupon handed the ironmonger Gunter's neatly folded account, snatched up his hat and rushed forth."

Old-Fashioned.

"They are old-fashioned children."

"That so?"

"Yes. They even obey their parents."

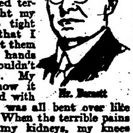
Ominous.

"I don't notice anything of a music rack about here." "Just wait until you hear Sallie begin to play."

Suffered for Years

Miserable From Kidney Trouble. Doan's Made Mr. Barnett Strong and Well.

"I suffered untold agony with my kidneys for years," says John Barnett, 30 Virginia Place, Buffalo, N. Y. "Sometimes I felt that I would burn up with fever, but every now and then would have a severe chill. Often my clothes were wringing wet with perspiration. The kidney secretions were unnatural in color and odor and burned terribly. At night my shoes were so tight on my feet that I could hardly get them off and my hands swelled so I couldn't hold a teacup. My back! Oh, how it ached! I walked with two canes and was all bent over like an aged man. When the terrible pains shot through my kidneys, my knees would give way and many times I had to be lifted to my feet by people on the street. I didn't care whether I lived or died, I was so miserable. I finally used *Doan's Kidney Pills* and they cured me of all kidney trouble. *Doan's* made me strong and well."



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Value of Canadian Farm Land.

In the annual report of the Canadian bureau of statistics, recently issued, it appears that the average value of farm land in the dominion, including improved and unimproved land buildings, was $46 an acre in 1918. The average was $44 in 1917, $41 in 1916, $40 in 1915, and $38 in 1914.

Well Meant, No Doubt.

"Ah, friends," said the minister to a little group after the service, "ours is a constant fight with the devil. We find him hard to overcome. His resistance is stubborn, but persistence will finally win."

"Indeed, it is well, Brother Gooden True," rejoined a sister of the flock, "but it took a whole hour of coaxing this morning to get him to come to church."

LOOKED LIKE LABOR WASTED

Board's Visit Over, Small Boy Couldn't See Further Necessity for So Much Soap antd Water.

He was a new little boy at the orphanage and was much impressed by all the scrubbing and cleaning he saw done there, more so because he had come from a home in which disorder and dirt had held sway. He could not understand it; more than that, it irritated him, and when he got the job of scrubbing the dining-room steps he was almost ready to leave.

But just then came a new excitement to the home. The board was coming to make its annual tour of inspection, and the cleaning was doubled. "Get ready for the board," was the home watchword, it seemed, and he, being very human, decided to stay until that big event was over.

The day of visiting came and passed. The next morning the new youngster sought the matron. "Now that them boards has been here, I don't see no use of scrubbing them steps so often—do you?" he asked.

Appropriate.

Outside Brussels is a large monument of a German general. When the allies started to advance last year, some wit placed a handbag with the words "To Berlin" printed on, in the outstretched hand of the monument.

Very Likely.

"What killed your case in court?"

"I guess it was the fact of its being a short circuit court."

Is Your Table Drink A Real Part of the Meal?

There's no food value in coffee or tea. They are only accompaniments to the meal.

POSTUM CEREAL

is part of the meal and a right royal part, as one well knows who enjoys a hot, full-flavored cup of this snappy, invigorating drink.

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SEAPLANE NC3 AND CREW SAFE

Located Seven Miles North of Ponto del Gada Under Its Own Power.

HAWKER NEAR IRELAND

Unofficial Word Says Australian Flier Has Been Sighted Off Coast—NC1 Is Definitely Out of Flight Owing to Damage.

Washington, May 20.—The NC3 has been located seven miles north of Ponta del Gada under its own power.

Washington, May 20. — A message from Ponta del Gada said the NC1 was definitely out of the race because of damage and that the NC4 would proceed to Lisbon and Plymouth.

An earlier report was that the NC4, which is at Horta, Azores, has been ordered to aid in the search for the NC3, Commander John Towers' flagship, missing more than 60 hours.

The NC4 was tuning up preparatory to its flight to Ponta del Gada.

An official report to the department from Trepassey Bay said Commander John Towers had discarded the radio telephone installation of the NC3 before leaving Newfoundland so as to reduce weight. The plane retained, however, the long distance radio set and should have been able to communicate the fact that it was landing and probably to continue radio communication for a limited distance after it was on the surface.

Secretary Josephus Daniels expressed confidence that Commander Towers and his ship would be found, but many naval officers made no effort to conceal their anxiety for the safety of the flight commander and the four men with him.

Hawker Nearing Ireland.

London, May 20.—Harry G. Hawker, in his airplane, has been sighted off Ireland, according to an unofficial report received by American Navy here.

The manager of the Sopwith Airplane company received a report at 5 p. m. that Aviator Hawker was 150 miles off Ireland at 4 p. m.

The British air ministry had received no news of the whereabouts of Hawker, who jumped off from Newfoundland in a Sopwith airplane, for the nonstop jump of nearly 2,200 miles over the ocean.

Many rumors concerning Hawker's flight were circulated here. One report had it that he had been sighted 400 miles off the Irish coast. Another report was that the British airman had been seen off the Irish coast at 2:30 p. m.

A map shop in Fleet street was showing a chart purporting to give Hawker's position at 4:30 a. m., at about longitude 32, latitude 52. There was no confirmation of this report, however, from any other source.

Anxiety over Hawker's safety is increasing in official circles.

DECLARES WAR ON RUMANIA

Moscow Says Bolshevik Troops Cross Dneister River.

London, May 20.—Owing to Rumania's disregard of the ultimatum from the Russian soviet government, demanding an evacuation of Bessarabia, a state of war exists between Russia and Rumania, according to a wireless dispatch from Moscow. Bolshevik troops have crossed the Dneister river in the Tiraspol district, where they have defeated the Rumanians and occupied Tchegrutchi and Bender, the dispatch says. Tiraspol is situated on the Dneister river, 53 miles northwest of Odessa. Bender is on the west side of the Dneister and 58 miles from Odessa.

MAY SETTLE WINNIPEG STRIKE

Officials and Merchants Make Proposition to Unions.

Winnipeg, May 20.—Draft of a plan for the settlement of the general strike here will be submitted to the unions at once, it is expected. The plan, it is said, was worked out at meetings of officials, professional men and merchants which were attended by men friendly to the unions.

The plan embraces a compromise of some of the leading demands of the unions on strike. Adjustment of other issues involved in the dispute would be attempted after the men returned to their jobs, it was stated.

BRITISH ATTACK BOLSHEVIKI

Helsingfors, May 20.—British warships engaged the Russian bolshevik fleet in a 35-minute fight, in the gulf of Finland. The bolsheviki fled to Kronstadt after one of their vessels had been sunk and another stranded.

New Auto Road Planned.

Washington, May 20.—Secretary Lane announced plans for establishing an automobile line from Denver, Col., through Rocky Mountain, Yellowstone and Glacier National parks, by way of Boulder and Loveland, Col., Cheyenne, Douglas, Caspar, Thermopolis and Cody, Wyoming, and Livingston, Bozeman, Boulder, Townsend, Helena, and Choteau, Montana. Secretary Lane said improved road conditions would make it possible to change the route so as to include several other important cities.

GOODBY, WOMEN'S TROUBLES

The tortures and discomforts of weak, lame and aching back, swollen feet and limbs, weakness, dizziness, nausea, as a rule have their origin in kidney trouble, not "female complaints." These general symptoms of kidney and bladder disease are well known—so is the remedy.

Next time you feel a twinge of pain in the back or are troubled with headache, indigestion, insomnia, irritation in the bladder or pain in the loins and lower abdomen, you will find quick and sure relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This old and tried remedy for kidney trouble and allied derangements has stood the test for hundreds of years. It does the work. Pains and troubles vanish and new life and health will come as you continue their use. When completely restored to your usual vigor, continue taking a capsule or two each day.

GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported from the laboratories at Haarlem, Holland. Do not accept a substitute. In sealed boxes, three sizes.—Adv.

The Wish and the Thought.

Little three-year-old Ruth had very curly hair, and it was a great trial whenever her mamma combed it.

One day during the ordeal she cried and struggled more than usual and her mamma said:

"Why, Ruth, what will the neighbors say if they hear you?"

"I dess they'll say," answered Ruth, between sobs, "if zat was my kid I wouldn't bother wif her old frizzy hair."

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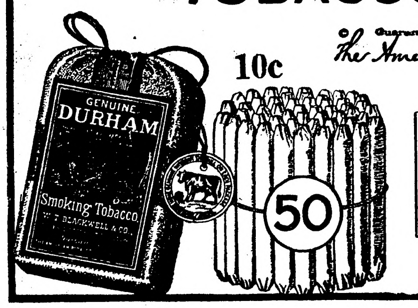

You pipe smokers; mix a little "BULL" DURHAM with your favorite tobacco. It's like sugar in your coffee.

COMING!

Entertainment at Holt

ddle River Local Talent Play and Band Concert at Holt Sat. Eve. May 24

Program

Part I

March, "The Chaser,"	Middle River Band.
Welcome Remarks,	Ruth Sjoberg.
Vocal Solo,	Ray DeLap.
Reading,	Francis Scovel.
March, "Forward,"	Band.
"Some Sunday Morning,"	Eunice Hjertoes, Harold Gullikson.
Recitation,	Ray Nordlum.
Norske song, in costume,	Mrs. Loveid.
March, "Our Director,"	Band.
0. Darky Dance in costume,	Herbert Ness.
1. Vocal Duet,	Mesdames Loveid and Olson.
2. Ukulele Duet,	Frances and Esther Scovel.
Reading,	Mrs. Loveid.
Recitation,	Ruth Sjoberg.
5. March, "Our Glorious Flag,"	Band.

PART II
"THE MILLIONAIRE UNCLE,"
or
"THE TRIALS OF A BRIDEGROOM"

Cast of Characters

hn Phelps, a Rich Old Bachelor,	Lenny Pokela
ester Phelps, his nephew, the groom,	Orville Morris
rker Glenn, the best man,	Arthur Olson
ra Adams, a Rich Sprinster,	Mrs. R. D. V. Carr
abel her niece, the Bride,	Gail Woodham
ne, younger niece, maid of honor,	Jule Watne
ridesmaids,	Misses Syverson, and Gresslie and Mrs. Mathiason
nna, the colored maid,	Mrs. Garey

STORY OF THE PLAY

On account of a family quarrel Chester Phelps has not seen his millionaire cle since babyhood. On the day Chester is to marry Mabel Adams, Uncle hn comes to the bride's house disguised in black whiskers and asks permission to see the ceremony. Mabel's Aunt Sara hides him in the closet. Chester is evading jury duty and fears that the sheriff, "a man with black whiskers," will find him. The bridesmaids think Uncle John is a burglar ter the silver. Chester and the best man think he is the sheriff and they g and bind him to prevent his interfering with the wedding. Aunt Sara scues him and explains. Uncle John is ruffled but admires his nephew's irit. "I insist on being allowed to give away the bride." Wedding March d general satisfaction.

Are You Waiting for Prices to Come Down?

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WOODWORK
"The Permanent Furniture for Your Home"

ABOUT 320,000 houses are built each normal year in this country.

Last year home-building was at a standstill, for patriotic reasons.

The year before that and the year before that, home-building was below normal because "prices were too high." As a result, there is a shortage in this country of about 700,000 houses!

Consequently, there is a "hungry market" for building materials. General Demand is about to launch a campaign for home-building. What will General Supply do? What effect will a big demand have on prices? You can draw your own conclusions.

You can decide now whether you want to take advantage of the present favorable prices of materials and build now, or whether you want to wait three, five, ten or fifteen years until "prices are right" and then build, in the meantime, doing without the comfort, convenience, and satisfaction of a home of your own.

Think it over. Our advice is, Build Now! not because the Government asks you to, but because

It Is Wise to Build Now

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company, Holt

C. L. Sandberg, Agent

Holt Chautauqua

Mid-Summer Meeting

3 Big Days 3

Everybody boost for the BIG CHAUTAUQUA

STATE EXAMINATIONS

The high school board examinations will be given at the Holt consolidated school in the following subjects at the time designated.

Friday, May 23

Commercial Geography .... 8 a. m.
Physiography (Physical Geography) .... 8 a. m.
English I .... 10:15 a. m.
Physiology .... 2 p. m.

Monday, May 26

Elementary Algebra .... 8 a. m.
High School History .... 10:15 a. m.

Tuesday, May 27

American History .... 8 a. m.
Civil Government .... 10:15 a. m.
Spelling .... 10;15 a. m.
Eighth Grade Compo., Grammar .... 2 p. m.
Field Crops .... 2 p. m.

Wednesday, May 28

Arithmetic .... 8 a. m.
Animal Husbandry .... 8 a. m.
Geography .... 2 p. m.

No change of program is allowed so those wishing to take examinations must be there at the time given. Cut out this program and keep it for reference. Examinees must bring pen, pencil, blotter and a good eraser. Paper and ink will be furnished at the school.

Martha M. Peterson, Principal.

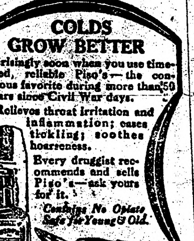
MORTGAGE FORCLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Louis Olson, a single man, mortgagor, to Martin V. Evenson, mortgagee, dated March 23rd, 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on March 29th, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock A. M., in Book 74 of mortgages, on page 530 thereof; that such default consists in the failure to pay the installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1918, and another installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1919, and interest thereon, and the mortgagee has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount secured by said mortgage principal and interest, due and payable in accordance with the terms thereof; that the amout claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date is fifty-five dollars and eighty cents ($55.80); that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are Lots three (3) and four (4), and the South half (S½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section two (2), in Township one hundred and fifty-seven (157), North of Range thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in Marshall County, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the West front door of the Marshall County Court House in the City of Warren in said Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 7th day of July A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including taxes if any have been paid by the mortgagee, together with the cost of such sale and twenty-five dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated May 20th, 1919.

MARTIN V. EVENSON,
Mortgagee.

THEO. QUALE
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,
Attorney for Mortgagee.



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Relieves throat irritation and inflammation; eases tickling; soothes hoarseness.

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Contains No Opiate
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20
million

Big entertainment Sat'day

Bank No. 899

AMENDMENT TO CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF THE HOLT STATE BANK

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 12th day of March A. D., 1919, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED: That secition Five (5) of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Five.

The amount of Capital Stock shall be Fifteen Thousand Dollars fully paid in, in cash, which shall be divided into one hundred fifty shares of One hundred Dollars each.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Holt, Minnesota on the 12th day of March A. D. 1919

(Corporate Seal)

D. B. Bakke,
President.
B. Docken,
Cashier

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
COUNTY OF MARSHALL }

On this 12tht day of March, 1919, before me appeared D. B. Bakke and B. Docken, to me personally known, who being duly sworn did say that they are respectively the President and Cashier of Holt State Bank, that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was executed by them as their free act and deed.

Nels Engebretsen,
Notary Public, Marshall Co., Minn.
My commission expires June 15th, 1919.
(Notarial Seal)

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF BANKS. St. Paul, April 30, 1919

This is to certify that the action of the stockholders of the Holt State Bank in voting to increase the capital stock from Ten Thousand Dollars to Fifteen Thousand Dollars as provided for in the foregoing amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation, has been approved by me.

(SEAL)

F. E. Pearson,
Superintendent of Banks
By G. Dwinnight
Deputy Superintendent

STATE OF MINNESOTA
Department of State

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 30th day of April, A. D., 1919, at 3 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in Book B of State Bank Records, on page ——

Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State
98472

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS
County of Marshall, Minn.,

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 2nd day of May, A. D., 1919, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in book K of Miscl., page 27.

Chas. E. Grinder.
Registerer of Deeds

be proud to be a food Saver

Mid-Summer Chautauqua

Holt, Minn.

Be a Rousing Booster

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY

Eat Less — Waste nothing
Create a Reserve

AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

The CELEBRATED

Mascot Flour

Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the

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Temporarily located in the Kolden building

Sell Feed at Low Prices

Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction

J. L. Hirsch, Agent - - - Holt, Minn.

Moving Pictures

Are ommitted this week. Will be shown again on

Saturday night May 31st

Woodman Hall, Holt, Minn.

Show starts at 9 P. M. Admission 10 and 30 cents

Casper Snare

Showing in Greenbush Saturday - Sunday May 24 and 25, Starland Theatre

"The Heart of Humanity"

Matinee Sunday at 3 o'clock P. M.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists

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When in Minneapolis Stop at

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For past ten years with Minneapolis leading hotels.

BIG DANCE!

Holt, Minn.

Saturday May 24

Woodman Hall

Immediately following the Middle River Band Concert and Local Talent Play, to be given at that time

The Warren Orchestra
Will furnish Good Music

Good Floor Good Time Assured
Everybody welcome Popular Prices

State Historical

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

VOL. IX. HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY MAY 30, 1919 NO. 8

The Holt Weekly News

Successor to and Continuation of

The Northern Light

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Local Items

Rev. Ordahl will hold services in Holt next Sunday at 11 o'clock a m.

Baseball meeting Tuesday evening, Kolden building. All invited.

Misses Amanda and Stella Mickelson were Thief River Falls visitors Friday.

R. A. Kolden of Thief River Falls, and R. L. Adams of Holt will do the carpenter work on D. B. Bakke's new house.

Miss Mabel Hagglund returned home Tuesday from Mayville, N. Dak., where she has been teaching the past year.

The moving pictures will be given this week on Friday night to accommodate the people in attendance at the Memorial Day exercises.

B. J. Bakke has resigned his position in the Holt State Bank will do outside work this summer for the benefit of his ear and catarth trouble.

P. L. Anderson, Ole Johnson, Misses Elevins and Myrtle Sollom autoed to St. Hilaire Sunday to visit at the home of Mr. Anderson's parents.

E. R. L. Rudman went to Fleming Friday to put up some temporary buildings on his place there, preparatory to moving there a little later on.

Mrs. Gus Johnson and children arrived here Tuesday from Duluth to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson, also other relatives and friends.

Mrs. D. Hall and baby of Turlock California arrived here on Thursday of last week to visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson, also other relatives and friends.

The Meat Market was opened yesterday for business and will be open only up to 11:30 o'clock A. M., daily, until July 1st.

Ole Backlund, Prop.,

Mrs. Strong returned on Tuesday to her home at Alexandria after a few days visit at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gullek Svenson and other relatives and friends.

Adolph Johnson returned home Sunday having received his discharge at Camp Dodge. Mr. Johnson served several months in France.

He arrived in this country sometime ago but was sick with typhoid fever and could not be discharged before. We are pleased to report that he is well now and all join in welcoming him home again.

Anyone in the market for a new Nielson tractor, either large or small call and see me.

Also a few tractors, used only for demostrating, which will be sold cheap.

Agency for the Maxwell and the Nash automobiles.

Novelty Sales Company,
B. J. Bakke, Prop.
Holt, Minnesota

A Good Entertainment

Again the people of Holt and vicinity were privileged to listen to a fine program, rendered by the young people of Middle River last Saturday evening at the Woodman hall, which delighted both young and old. The performers were greeted with a large and appreciative audience and the rendering of song, recitations and the Home Play brot forth bursts of applause which confirms the above statement.

One of the fine features of the performance, was the Middle River band which gripped the hearts of the people. We regret to state that many were obliged to turn away as all available room both for seating and standing were taken. We wish to congratulate this little company for the talent displayed in song, speech and in impersonating, and we extend to them a most hearty invitation to return to our town sometime in the near future.

Civil Service Notice.

The U. S. Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held in Thief River Falls June 27th to fill the vacancy of postmaster at Holt. This office paid $727 for the last fiscal year.

Application blanks, Form 1753, and full information can be obtained of the U. S. Civil Service Com., at Washington, D. C.

Applications should be executed and filed with the C. S. Commission at Washington as soon as possible.

Big community auction June 11.

P. P. Relerson went to Warren Monday on business.

B. Docken has sold his Chalmers car to R. Relerson.

What's become of the fellow who was kicking on a cold spring?

Community Auction Sale, Holt, Minn. Wednesday June 11th., Everybody invited.

Miss Betty Johnson returned on Saturday from a short visit in Thief River Falls.

The Middle River band is expected here to day to furnish the music for the Memorial program and exercises.

There is a nation wide campaign on, to secure a million new members for the Boy Scouts during the week of June 8 to 14. Who wants to join?

We understand Rev. Neset has resigned his pastorate at Middle River and has accepted one at some other point, which will mean his moving away soon.

For Sale: A 15x30 Minneapolis gas tractor, used only two years. Will sell cheap for cash or trade for land. See Andrew Ness, Thief River Falls, or R. Relersen, Holt.

Charley Hoflen commenced work in the creamery last week as there was too much for Mr. Anderson to do alone. We would like to see so many farmers bring in cream that three men would have to be hired.

Only a nominal charge of 15 cents will be made for the lunch to be served to day by the Red Cross.

The net proceeds will be divided between the Red Cross and the Holt school, if any thing is left, which is very doubtful, after all the expenses are paid.

Last Sunday the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Olson was baptised and christened at the Hauges church six miles west of Holt. The relatives were afterwards entertained at dinner at the Roseland home, afterwhich a company of about forty friends and relatives held a picnic on the Paul Olson farm. A most enjoyable time was spent,

South east from Holt

A surprise party was given in honor of Arne Sordahl on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Sordahl has recently returned from France. A large crowd was present.

Gunda Moe made an over Sunday visit with friends at Crookston.

Olga Klugnes returned home from Thief River Falls last week where she has been employed the past few months.

Two speakers have held meetings at the Groven school house the past week and will continue their meetings for some time. Their services commence at 9 o'clockevery evening.

Ragna Larson visited with friends at Gonvick the last of last week.

STEINER

It is reported that Henry Rogers is on his way home from France. He has been over there about a year and a half.

Willis Warring is breaking up a lot of their old pasture land this spring.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers has been on the sick list but was better when last we heard from her.

Miss Skinnadahl is visiting her parents this week.

Ervin Russell and brother who are attending highs chool at Thief River Falls visited at home over Sunday.

Hobson Rogers was in the county seat on business Friday.

Lewis Meyers and a bunch of neighbor boys autoed to Holt for a good time Thursday evening.

Willie Meyer and Harvey Copp went to Holt Saturday evening to attend the big blow out.

S. B. Rogers has been treating his home to a new coat of paint. Good job Mr. Rogers.

Rene Werner autoed to Holt Saturday evening on business, we suppose, tho we didn't ask him.

Crops in this part are looking fine. Most of the farmers are about done with small grain seeding. Next week will be corn week.

The Sunday school in this place is very well attended under the superintendancy of Mrs. S. R. Rogers.

The Holt State bank will commence business next week with a capital stock of $15,000.00, which is an increase of $5,000.00 over the present amount of their capital stock. This bank is in a very prosperous condition and their buisness is increasing steadily, so that they are obliged to hire more help. Their time certificates of deposit at present, equals their total resources less than five years ago, and the deposits subject to check are almost as large, besides the amount of reserve on hand far exceeds the amount required by law. This is a record that the bank, its officials and everyone else can be justly proud of.

Hans Rustad of Thief River Falls met with the school board Friday night to look over the plans drawn by the former for the addition to the Holt public school building. The plans had already been approved by the state board of education and were accepted by the school board and have been sent to the state board of health for their approval. It is hoped that the board will be ready to advertise next week for bids for constructing the new building.

For Sale:—Winton Six auto, Address Lock Box 638, Holt, Minn.

Tilford Relerson and Miss Asplund of Thief River Falls visited Sunday at the home of the former's brother, P. P. Relerson and family.

G. Jacobson of Minneaolis arrived Sunday with an auto which had been sold to Ole Saxberg. Mr. Jacobson returned home Monday night accompanied by his mother-in-law, Mrs. E. A. Johnson, who will visit there for a few days.

The young people gave Miss Agnes Bakke a farewell party Sunday night at the home of her sister, Mrs. Docken. A most enjoyable time is reported. Before their departure the young people presented her with a nice little purse as a token of good will and esteem. Miss Bakke dearted Monday for Fargo to take up her new work there.

Mrs. Ole Benson of Blaisdall, N. D., came Monday to visit at the home of her brothers, Martin and Fred Jarshaw. Mr. Benson is expected to arrive here today from Blackduck where he has been on business for a few days.

MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM
1:30 P. M. MAY 30th 1919

Opening Number	Instrumental Music
Recitation, Welcome	Primary Room
Recitation, Decoration Day	Elsie Rux
Patriotic Dialogue	Grammar Grade
Patriotic Song	School
Recitation, Camp Calls	Leonhard Ellestead
Music	Choir
Recitation, In Flanders Field	Doris Sandberg
Welcome Address to Our Brave Boys	E. A. Silverness
Flag Drill	Primary Room
Recitation, Our Flag	Benny Hagglund
Song,	Fourth Grade
Memorial Address	Rev. M. B. Ordahl

Star Spangled Banner
Line of March to Cemetery
Soldiers and Sailors
Teachers and Pupils, Junior Red Cross, Red Cross, Citizens
Decorating Graves and Memorial

Emblems of Decoration Day	Little Girls

America
Lunch at School House and Grounds
Soldiers Exhibition Drill
Marshall of The Day, Mr. R. L. Adams

Soldiers and Sailors are requested to appear in uniform
All business places will be closed from 2 until 4 o'clock P. M.

Taxes must be paid before the first of June.

Don't forget that little patch of mangels or 'bagas.

For Sale:- Ford car, 1917 model in good condition. A. G. Bell's store, Rollis, Minn.

The creamery shipped 43 tubs of butter Saturday and the make is increasing right along.

B. Docken delivered one of his fine Hart-Parr tractors to Frank Erickson, one day last week.

All the business houses in Holt will be closed from 2 o'clock until 4 o'clock P. M. Memorial Day.

A bunch of young fellows went to Thief River last night to take in the big doings at the Elks lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennes, H. J. Oien, P. L. Anderson and J. L. Hirsch autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

Mrs. Nelson and daughter Ingeborg and R. L. Adams were visitors in Thief River Falls last week Thursday.

Miss Nellie Saastad returned on Wednesday from Middle River, having just closed a successful term of school, near that place.

Dick Mathison went to Red Lake Falls last Thursday after another Chevorlet car for which Ole Hamernes has the agency.

Miss Olava Sollom closed a very successful term of school on Friday in the Hagen district and returned to her home here in Holt.

For Sale: Paige 5 passenger automobile in good running order. Electric lights and starter. Take it home for $475.00. Novelty Sales Co., Holt, Minn.

B. J. Bakke sold a new Maxwell, 1919 model touring car, to Constantine Hoffman last week and went to Grand Forks Friday after another Maxwell, which he drove home on Saturday.

Bring in your horses, cows, hogs, chickens, in fact anything you have to sell, for the big community auction sale on Wednesday June 11th. Ole C. Brenna, Auctioneer, Holt State Bank, Clerk.

J. A. Sorum has been appointed treasurer of the creamery to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the former treasurer, Nils Engebretsen. This makes Mr. Sorum, Sec'y-Treas. of the creamery.

Over 750 gallons of cream were taken in at the creamery Monday, which we understand is the biggest day the creamery every had. If the farmers will stay by their own creamery it will soon be as big as any of them.

Now is the time to swat the fly before they commence to breed.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

The Annual Meeting of the Scandianavian Gospel Mission will be held June 12th. Business meeting at 2 o'clock P. M. Services at 8 P. M. Also services forenoon, afternoon and evening on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Several ministers will be present and a spiritual blessing is sure to come to all. Everybody invited.— M. T. Strom, Sec'y.

Notice!

As Memorial Day is one of our recognised holidays, the telephoned office will be open on Friday May 30th only from 7 A. M. until noon, and from 6 to 8 o'clock P. M.

Mrs. H. B. Young
Telephone Operator.

Insure Your Auto

The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate Insurance against fire, thieves, etc See them at once

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

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Holt Café!

Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours

A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream

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Mrs. Frederickson went to Thief River Falls Monday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

A study of the church notices in the Thief River Falls papers reveals the fact that only two of the pastors there make any reference to Memorial day services. Another oportunity lost for teaching true patriotism.

Oscar Anderson arrived here on Saturday for several days furlough. Mr. Anderson is serving in the navy, on board the U. S. destroyer, Reed. He greatly enjoys his work and is an enthusiastic booster for Uncle Sam's navy.

He is a son of Mrs. Casper Anderson.

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 43
Wheat No. 2	2 40
Wheat No. 3	2 36
Wheat No. 4	2 32
Flax	3 86
Oats	56
Barley	86 to 96
Rye	1 33
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 79
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 96

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297, Call 2

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

City Barber Shop
Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
All work guaranteed satisfactory
Ernest Phillipson
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Pure bred stock and pure grain and vegetable seeds help to make good times and satisfied farmers.

WOMAN WORKS 15 HOURS A DAY

Marvelous Story of Woman's Change from Weakness to Strength by Taking Druggist's Advice.

Peru, Ind.—"I suffered from a displacement with backache and dragging down pains so badly that at times I could not be on my feet and it did not seem as though I could stand it. I tried different medicines without any benefit and several doctors told me nothing but an operation would do me any good. My druggist told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it with the result that I am now well and strong. I get up in the morning at four o'clock, do my housework, then go to a factory and work all day, come home and get supper and feel good. I don't know how many of my friends I have told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Mrs. ANNA METERIANO, 36 West 10th St., Peru, Ind.

Women who suffer from any such ailments should not fail to try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

HOW CAN YOU TELL YOUR FAVORITE TOBACCO?

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"I put a note in the jar for the milkman." "Yes, my dear, I found it in the milk."—Kansas City Journal.

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Happenings of the World Tersely Told

Personal

Pope Benedict at Rome has appointed Rev. Fr. Thomas William Brumm of Cedar Rapids, Ia., to be bishop of Des Mones, Ia. Rev. Ex. Fr. Donald Martin of Oban has been appointed bishop of Argyll.

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August Belmont, Jr., died at New York, following an operation for intestinal trouble. He was thirty-seven years old.

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Washington

It is announced at Washington that Secretary Baker will sail from New York next Monday on the transport Leviathan for France to attend meetings of the American liquidation commission and to direct winding up the affairs of the American army in France.

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The Supreme court at Washington recessed until April 14, when arguments in pending cases will be resumed.

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A Washington dispatch says with the patriotic slogan to "match the navy" and a subscription of $5,000, Secretary of the Navy Daniels has won the distinction of having fired the first financial gun in the forthcoming Victory loan campaign.

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Terms of payment in the new Victory Liberty loan, announced at Washington are the most liberal ever offered by the government. Deferred payments may be extended over a period of six months, from May 10 to November 11.

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European War News

The Germans are concentrating large forces in eastern Prussia under command of Field Marshal von Hindenburg, according to the Paris edition of the New York Herald.

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The blockade of Germany has not been and will not be lifted for the present, Cecil Harmsworth, undersecretary for foreign affairs announced in the house of commons at London.

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It is reported from Bucharest that entente troops are being landed at Constanza, on the Black sea coast, en route to Hungary, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Central News.

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Allied troops, it is rumored at Paris, will be sent immediately into Roumania, which is threatened by Russ-Hungarian bolshevist forces. The threat of new war is causing the greatest uneasiness in French socialist circles.

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Hungarian revolutionists fired on three English monitors when they arrived at Budapest from Belgrade, several English officers and men being killed, according to advices received here from the Hungarian capital.

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A small force of French troops stationed in the neutral zone between Hungary and Roumania has been attacked by the Hungarian troops, 350 of the French being taken prisoner, according to an official report received at Paris. On demand of the French general, the release of the prisoners has been promised by the Hungarians. Greatly disturbed conditions are reported to exist in Hungary.

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Foreign

The kaiser has turned socialist, according to The Hague correspondent of the London Daily Mail.

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Japanese corporations have been granted concessions to exploit agricultural lands in Lower California, according to the statement made by Gen. Amado Aguierre, undersecretary of development and agriculture at Mexico City.

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American troops refused to co-operate with the Japanese in fighting the bolsheviki near Blagovestchensk, War Minister Tanaka declared in answering questions put in the Japanese house of representatives Wednesday, a Tokyo dispatch says.

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A Paris dispatch says King Albert of Belgium flew in an airplane from Brussels to Paris.

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Lieut. C. Ripperger of Moline, Ill., was killed at Riverside, Cal., when the airplane in which he was flying over March field fell 1,000 feet.

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Drastic measures adopted by the Spanish government to suppress strikes were described in dispatches to the state department at Washington. Guns from warships in the harbor have been mounted in Barcelona and a rigid newspaper censorship is maintained.

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Serious disorders throughout Austria, the result of bolshevik agitation, are reported in Vienna dispatches. A mob at Deefing demolished the town hall in a demonstration demanding the overthrow of the government.

Communist troops invaded German West Hungary, but were repulsed after several conflicts with the inhabitants, according to a dispatch from Berlin.

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A Budapest dispatch says the Hungarian government has sent a delegation to Berlin to conclude a treaty of alliance against the entente allies. German officers formerly belonging to Field Marshal Mackensen's army have arrived in Budapest to reorganize the Hungarian army along German lines. The army now numbers 100,000 men.

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The communists have set up a reign of terror in Budapest, according to M. Krn, a member of the Czecho-Slovak mission to Budapest, who returned to Prague.

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A Peking dispatch says many persons were killed and wounded during another anti-Japanese demonstration in Seoul, Korea. Hundreds of persons were arrested by Japanese soldiers. The situation is serious.

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The government has decided to proclaim a state of siege in the Ruhr industrial district, according to a Berlin dispatch. Troops are advancing to this region to protect the plants and their workers from the terrorists.

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An official communication issued by the Esthonian army says the Esthonians captured the town of Pechery, in the Pskoff sector, and the town of Hutnash, on the eastern shore of the Gulf of Riga, about thirty miles south of Pernan. Both battles were won after hard fighting.

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Domestic

William Hale Thompson was reelected mayor of Chicago by a plurality of 17,600 votes. The city went "wet" by a majority of 247,228.

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A phenomenon was recorded in Wisconsin when every city which is so far recorded as voting on the wet and dry issue went wet. Madison, the state capital, and Superior, the second city in the state, returned to the wet column, after being dry.

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A Washington dispatch says the United States troops which fought with the allies on the Italian front will begin to arrive in New York about April 10, and the entire command will be home probably before April 20.

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The appeal of the war department for 50,000 men for overseas service was answered at New York by more than 500 applicants. This number is said to be a record for peace-time enlistments.

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The last hope of the thirsty in Sangamon county, wherein is located Springfield, Ill., expired when Divernon township changed from the wet to the dry column by a majority of 90.

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A Manchester dispatch says the employers and operatives in that region have decided to close all mills using American cotton for a full fortnight from April 10.

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Mayor E. E. Jones, Republican, of Bloomington, Ill., defeated John B. Lennon, the nominee of the new Union Labor party, for mayor by a plurality of 278 votes.

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Dissolution of the Corn Products Refining company, which is required to sell to competitors before 1921 all but three of its manufacturing plants, was ordered by Federal Judge Learned Hand at New York.

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Eugene V. Debs, Socialist leader, threatened at Akron, O., to call a general strike of his party throughout the country on the day he starts serving his ten-year sentence under the espionage act.

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When they were refused admission by the Toledo (O.) city officials to Memorial hall, a city building, where Eugene V. Debs was scheduled to speak, 5,000 persons stormed the place, broke windows and doors, and then paraded the streets crying, "To hell with the mayor." And all the time Debs was in bed in a Cleveland hotel, too ill to appear in public. More than seventy-five men were arrested, including Thomas Devine, Socialist member of the city council.

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Citizens of Gary, Ind., propose to test whether a man's house is his castle or not—whether a constable has authority to invade a private residence in search of liquor stored against the time when the country shall be dry. Damage suits aggregating $25,000 have been filed in the Hammond superior court.

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Ensign W. C. Schulling, assigned to the Great Lakes naval training station, was arrested by Waukegan (Ill.) authorities as a "fence" for automobile thieves. He was held in default of $2,000 bonds, fixed by Justice of the Peace Taylor.

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The American cruisers Denver and Cleveland have arrived at Rio Janeiro.

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Eugene V. Debs' application for a rehearing of his appeal from conviction and sentence to ten years' imprisonment for violating the espionage act was denied by the Supreme court at Washington.

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The largest radio school in the world, now at Harvard university, will be transferred to the navy's Great Lakes training station, Chicago, about April 15.

HUNGARY RED CHIEF IS SLAIN

Counter Revolution Breaks Out in Budapest Is Report From Vienna.

HUNGER CRISIS IS NEAR

Austria Seething and Communist Revolt Is Reported Imminent—German Rail Men Threaten to Block Polish Army Plan.

Basle, April 8.—Rumors are being circulated that a counter revolution has broken out in Budapest, according to a dispatch from Vienna. Foreign Minister Bela Kun is said to have been assassinated.

Basle, April 8.—A dispatch from Berlin said the workmen's and soldiers' council there had decided to arrest influential persons of the bourgeoise and press and occupy the war ministry, after which a soviet republic would be proclaimed simultaneously with a general strike.

Communists Plans Are for Strike.

Berlin, April 8.—Communists are completing plans for a general strike early next week.

Government forces are on the alert to oppose a coup d'etat.

Plots in Several Towns.

Copenhagen, April 8.—The German government has discovered plots in several towns for establishment of a soviet republic, a semi-official dispatch, from Berlin announces. Repressive measures are being taken.

The Krupp works are reported to be idle and its officials have been instructed to arm themselves against an emergency.

A dispatch from Berlin Saturday night said the government had discovered a plot to proclaim a soviet republic in that city.

Arming of Krupp officials may seem that a Spartacan attack is plotted on the works in an effort to obtain a large supply of arms and ammunitions.

Revolt in Austria.

Washington, April 8.—Advices reaching the state department indirectly from Vienna said a communistic revolution seemed imminent in German Austria.

New Difficulty.

Weimar, April 8.—After announcement was made that Polish troops would cross Germany, railway men presented new demands to the government, threatening a general strike if their demands were not granted. Newspapers urge that the government must make the strike impossible, since the Entente Powers have declared that if transportation is delayed or made difficult they will insist on landing Polish troops at Danzig.

STRIKE MARKED BY RIOTING

Shooting and Bomb Explosion Keep Lawrence Police Busy.

Lawrence, Mass., April 8.—Rioting marked by promiscuous shooting by strike sympathizers and police opened the 10th week of the textile strike here. The outbreak occurred near the Everett mills, a few hours after the city had been stirred by the explosion of a bomb in a tenement house in the same neighborhood.

The rioting began when strike sympathizers began throwing stones at mill windows and then shifted their attack to policemen. When the police found their clubs ineffective they drew pistols and their shots were answered by others from the crowd. Men and women also appeared at windows with missles. The bomb explosion occurred before daylight. The property damage was small. Twenty-three arrests were made.

WILSON ORDERS SHIP READY

Steamer George Washington to Proceed to French Port.

Paris, April 8.—Orders which it is learned have been given for the United States transport George Washington to proceed from America to a French port, are not taken to mean that President Wilson is contemplating a premature departure from France. They are thought rather to reflect a belief that the peace conference will be able to effect an adjustment of outstanding problems at a comparatively early date.

CHINESE WOMAN PEACE ENVOY

Only 23 Years Old, Arrives in Paris for Conference.

Paris, April 8.—Miss S. Cheng, a Chinese woman only 23 years of age, but with a record of several years' activity as a republican leader in China, has arrived here to attend the peace conference. Miss Cheng was three times condemned to death in 1916 and 1917 in connection with her activities. She was formerly a law student here.

Probe Body Members Named.

Paris, April 8.—Dr. Henry C. King, president of Oberlin college, and Charles R. Crane have been named as the American Members of the inter-Allied commission designated by the Peace conference to investigate conditions in Syria, take a plebiscite and submit recommendations on the disposition of Syria. The investigation probably will require several months and it is certain no disposition will be made of Syria until after the signing of the peace treaty.

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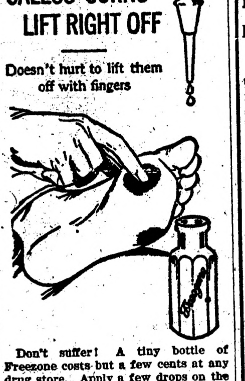

Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops on the corns, calluses and "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift them off.

When Freezone removes corns from the toes or calluses from the bottom of the feet, the skin beneath is left pink and healthy and never sore or tender.

Even rough men can be gentle when they meet a real woman.

True love is seldom able to express itself in words.

Much in a Name.

"Doing better with your health classes for girls?" "Yes, I call 'em beauty classes now."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Even hard cash melts sooner or later.

Health Was Shattered

Mrs. Hayes Was Discouraged Until Doan's Made Her Well.

"I was in awful shape from kidney trouble," says Mrs. Frank Hayes, 42 Dover St., Boston, Mass. "When I got up out of a chair, I felt as though someone had stuck a knife into the small of my back and it fairly took my breath away.

Mrs. Hayes

"The kidney secretions passed often and only a little at a time. They were so scalding I would scream so I believe I could be heard a block away. They deposited brick-dust-like sediment and their odor was something awful. My complexion became sallow and I had large puffs under my eyes.

"I was troubled with spells of gasping for breath and had such dizzy attacks I often fell right over. Spots floated before my eyes and I got so nervous I couldn't stand any noise. I cried over nothing at all, became irritable and imagined all sorts of things. My health was shattered and I became discouraged.

"I continued to grow worse in spite of any treatment and came pretty near dying several times. After several months of this horror, I heard about *Doan's Kidney Pills*. I used a dozen boxes of *Doan's* and was cured. I was entirely well and have enjoyed good health ever since."

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Acid-Stomach Steals Strength and Good Feelings From Millions

One of the worst features of acid-stomach is that very often it literally starves its victims in the midst of plenty. And the strange thing about it is that the people with acid-stomachs seldom know what their trouble really is.

No matter how good or wholesome the food may be, or how much they eat, they do not gain in strength. This is clearly explained by the fact that an acid-stomach cannot properly digest food. Instead of healthy, normal digestion, the excess acid causes the food to sour and ferment. Then when this mass of sour, fermented food, charged with excess acid, passes into the intestines, it becomes the breeding place for all kinds of germs and toxic poisons, which in turn are absorbed into the blood and in this way distributed throughout the entire body. And that is exactly why it is that so many thousands of people eat and eat and keep on eating and yet are literally starving in the midst of plenty. Their acid-stomachs make it absolutely impossible for them to get the full measure of nourishment out of their food. And it doesn't take long for this poor nourishment to show its ill effects in a weakened, emaciated body.

You may say: "My stomach doesn't hurt me." That may be true because many victims of acid-stomach do not actually suffer stomach pains. Then again, there are millions who do suffer all kinds of aches and pains—headaches, rheumatic twinges, gout, lumbago, pains around the heart and in the chest—who never dream that an acid-stomach is the real cause of the trouble.

Naturally, the sensible thing to do is to strike right at the very cause of this trouble and clean the excess acid out of the stomach. There is a quick, easy way to do this. A wonderful new remedy quickly removes the excess acid without the slightest discomfort. It is EATONIC. Made in the form of tablets—they are good to eat—just like a bit of candy. They literally absorb the injurious excess acid and carry it away through the intestines. They also drive the bloat out of the body—in fact you can fairly feel it work. Make a test of EATONIC in your own case today. Get a big box of EATONIC from your druggist. See for yourself how surely it brings quick relief in those painful attacks of indigestion, bitter heartburn, belching, disgusting food repeating, that awful bloated, lumpy feeling after eating and other stomach miseries. Banish all your stomach troubles so completely that you forget you have a stomach. Then you can eat what you like and digest your food in comfort without fear of distressing after effects.

If EATONIC does not relieve you, it will not cost you one penny. You can return it to your druggist and get your money back. So if you have the slightest question about your health—if you feel you are not getting all the strength out of your food—if you are not feeling tip-top, ready for your work, full of vim and vigor—do give EATONIC a fair trial this very day and see how much better you will feel.

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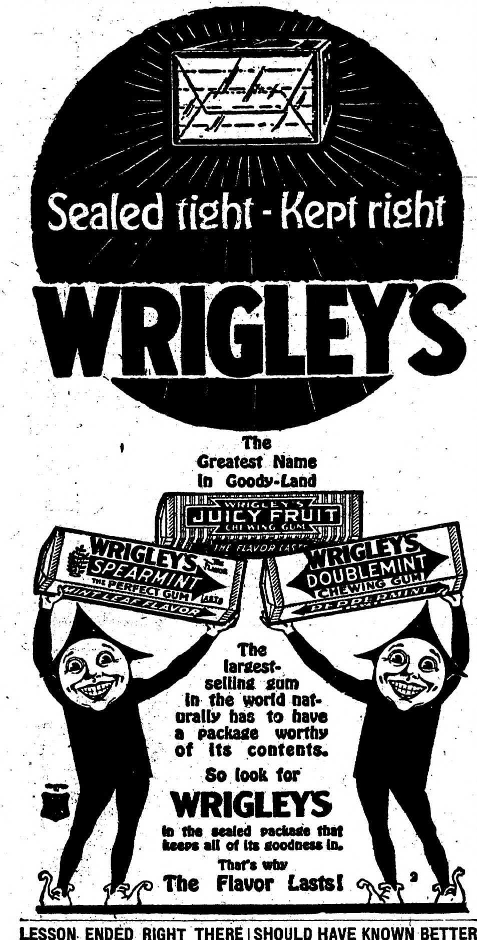

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LESSON ENDED RIGHT THERE

Third Answer to His Question Must Have Left School Superintendent Gasping for Breath.

Superintendent of Schools Shiels of Los Angeles, while endeavoring to teach a class of boys the composition of sentences, said to them:

"If I ask you 'What have I in my hand?' you must not answer 'chalk,' but compose a complete sentence such as, 'You have a piece of chalk in your hand.' Now we will continue.

"What have I on my feet?"

"Boots," was the immediate answer.

"Wrong, you haven't listened to my directions."

"Socks," answered another heedless one. "Wrong again; worse than ever," protested Shiels in exasperation.

"Well?" as another pupil raised his hand.

"Please, sir," then he paused. Perhaps he thought his answer might seem funny, but convinced that it was right, he gasped out recklessly, "corns!"

When it is our duty to do an act of justice it should be done promptly. To delay is injustice.—LaBruyere.

Wonder what the critics would do if nobody ever accomplished anything?

SHOULD HAVE KNOWN BETTER

Imperious Guest Made Great Mistake in Engaging in Controversy With Hefty Waitress.

"A guest came bulging out of the dining room yesterday with rivulets and rills of ketchup coursing dowh his face," related the landlord of the Petunia tavern, "and yelling that he had been assassinated or misconstrued or something. 'Peared like he had bit onto a tack in his fritters, and when he chided Sylphie, the hefty waitress, she busted the condiment over him. Also he wanted to know what I was going to do about it.

"'Well, Mr. Hollar,' says I, 'when you found a tack in your viands it was an accident, but when you talked so that she smashed the ketchup on your head to a young lady who served her apprenticeship as a waitress on a boarding car for a railroad construction gang, that was contributory negligence, and I can't do anything for you except to hand your bill to you and wish you well on your journey."—Kansas City Star.

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STATE BREVITIES

Pine River.—Twelve-year-old George Mellen was brought from Hackensack to the hospital for treatment for an injured ankle, broken when logs fell on him.

Winona.—Navigation on the Upper Mississippi river was officially opened today when the steamer Ideal left her slip here for Hannibal, Mo., on the first trip of the season.

Virginia.—The Whippet tanks sent by the Ninth Federal Reserve district to stimulate interest in the Victory Loan will visit Virginia April 14. Other towns of the range will also be visited.

Goodridge.—The Goodridge Co-operative creamery is now prepared to handle large amounts of cream for patrons. Its books for the last month show a very substantial increase over former months.

International Falls.—George P. Watson and others who failed to secure a restraining order stopping the city from buying a site for a water pumping plant, have now restrained the city from paying for the site.

St. Paul.—George H. Nettleton of St. Paul has been appointed state fire marshal by John B. Sanborn, state insurance commissioner. All present deputies were reappointed. The fire marshal's salary has been increased from $2,400 to $3,000 yearly.

Rochester.—Dr. Isaac Vandowlin of Virginia, past grand master of the I. O. O. F. of Minnesota, died at St. Mary's hospital here, following an operation. His remains were taken to Virginia by his wife. He was buried with I. O. O. F. honors.

St. Paul.—There were 7,958,645 fowls in the state last year. Although the figures issued by poultry fanciers give the number for 1917 as 7,959,595, it is thought more fowls were marketed early in 1918 than during the corresponding period in 1917, because of high prices.

Red Lake Falls.—To boost the sheep growing industry in Red Lake county Col. Frank Jeffers, stock breeder and vice president of the Red River Valley Livestock Breeders' association, proposes to organize a sheep club with a limited number of boys and girls under 21, each member to try to raise the best sheep.

Willmar.—Great Northern train No. 10, the Winnepeg-St. Paul mail and passenger, suffered its second wreck in two days, when it jumped the track two miles east of Pennock. Twenty-two passengers were more or less injured. All except seven were able to proceed on their journey after receiving medical attention. These seven were brought to the three hospitals here.

St. Paul.—Minnesota state banks in the process of organization and without state charters March 21 must be approved by the state securities commission before they can begin business. The ruling under the new law passed March 21 and requiring new state banks to pass examination by the board administering the "blue sky" law was given by Attorney General Clifford L. Hilton. F. E. Pearson, state superintendent of banks estimated that about 40 bank projects will be affected.

St. Paul.—Minnesota begins April business with $9,744,816.56, nearly $2,500,000 more than a year ago, according to Henry Rines, state treasurer. Sales of state securities and increases in railroad gross earnings tax payments make up the big increase in the balance of cash on hand. During March the receipts were $3,827,359 and the disbursements totaled $3,845,164. More than $1,200,000 from sales of certificates of indebtedness issued by the forest fire relief commission was the largest single receipt.

Fergus Falls.—The boys at Pelican Rapids, 20 miles north of here, have discovered a gold mine in the frog crop there. For some unexplained reason the frogs are coming out of the river banks or the river bottom in large numbers this spring. They are cold and stiff after their winter's sleep and are easily caught with improvised nets. Three boys working after school three evenings cleared up between $63 and $64. A brakeman on the Pelican Rapids branch, with his son, caught enough frogs in several hours Sunday to net him $61.20. It is thought the townspeople will net several thousands of dollars.

St. Paul.—Countess Iva proved herself to be the finest specimen of cowhood at the prize sale at South St. Paul. The countess, which was exhibited by Hagen & Covington of Kennedy, Minn., brought $1,400 from the pocketbook of J. L. Bady of Kellogg, Minn. Avon Chief, consigned by C. B. Grimes of Winnebago, Minn., took highest honors among the bulls when it was sold to Robert Bjorkland of Henning, Minn., for $630. Altogether, ninety head of prize cattle figured in the ring and the average sale price was $349.11, with the entire proceeds close to $31,400. The average price for the forty-two cows was $504, while the forty-eight bulls averaged $222. The sale was held by the Minnesota Short Horn Breeders' association.

Bemidji.—More than fifty beaver will be trapped by game warden, skinned and the skins prepared and shipped to St. Paul, where they will be sold because of the damage they are doing in the vicinity of Big Falls, Koochiching county. Game Warden Bailey has been authorized to supervise the trapping.

East Grand Forks.—W. J. Edwards Grand Forks architect, presented plans for the rebuilding of the city hall to the building committee. The plans were approved and bids will be requested and construction commenced as soon as possible.

Barnesville.—The directors of the Clay County Fair association have decided to hold the sixth annual show at Barnesville, Sept. 9-12.

Stillwater.—The old two-story frame school house at Stillwater, was practically destroyed by fire, at a loss of about $4,000, partly insured.

Fergus Falls.—Mr. and Mrs. N. Rieman of Otter Tail celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home in Otter Tail township.

Luverne.—Burglars blew the safe of the Beaver Creek postoffice, but as there was no cash available they left without disturbing anything else.

Minneapolis. — Francisco Carlucy died in the Swedish hospital following injuries received when an automobile driven by Dr. A. E. Johnson, struck him.

St. Cloud.—Joe Lauer, who, with another youth, is charged with an attempted rape, of a 13-yead-old girl, was bound over to the grand jury and the case will come up in the May term.

Hawley.—Potato dealers here say that 538 cars of potatoes were shipped out of Hawley the past fall and winter. Indications are that the number of cars will reach the 800 mark with the spring shipments.

Pillager.—Postmaster J. C. Peterson announces that the postoffice at Sylvan, Minn., was discontinued March 31 and all mail addressed to Sylvan is received, delivered and accounted for by the postoffice at Pillager after that date.

Bemidji.—The splendid part Beltrami county played in the recent world's conflict are brought out in a letter issued by the county draft board to the people of the county, showing that one out of every two Beltrami county young men of draft age entered military service.

Red Lake Falls.—Leo Knott of Gervais was given a verdict of $350 in his suit against the county commissioners of Red Lake county for damages caused by the laying out of a road through his 160-acre farm. The case was the only jury case tried at the March session of the district court.

Minneapolis.—V. N. Grady, Duluth, was elected preseident of the Minnesota Funeral Directors' association at a meeting in the Institute of Anatomy, University of Minnesota. L. E. Wilwerschied, St. Paul, was elected first vice president; George Forrester, second vice president; A. P. Knaeble, third vice president; R. E. Dare, secretary, and Joseph Gross, treasurer.

Crookston.—Lee R. Boyd, formerly a lieutenant in the Three Hundred and Thirteenth engineers, has received his commission as captain, according to word received by his parents. Capt. Boyd is the son of State Representative John Boyd and won his commission as captain as a direct reward for merit in the completion of a difficult job of railroad engineering in the devastated region in France.

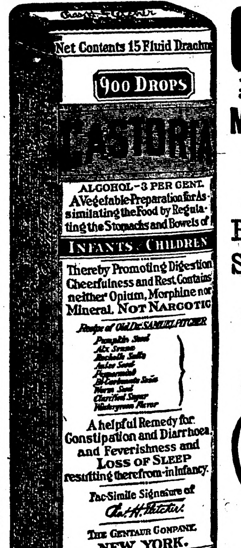
St. Paul.—Public safety commission figures show that wheat acreages of the state were increased in 1918 to 3,136,459, for a gain of more than 60 per cent over those of 1917. The wheat planted in 1917 totaled 2,029,465 acres. Increases in grains included the following: Barley, 1,480,147 acres, from 1,131,672; oats, 2,590,254 acres, from 3,280,792; and hay, 2,960,759, from 2,832,493, in 1917. The increase in corn acreage was 2,814,982 in 1917, to 2,658,515 in 1918. Potatoes were planted on 261,303 acres last year, as against 234,554 in 1917.

St. Paul.—Minnesota farmers milked 980,093 cows in 1918, while they milked only 929,023 the year before. Other cattle increased in number to 1,443,912 in 1918, from 1,328,338 in 1917, according to the livestock census made by the Public Safety commission. Greater sheep raising was indicated by 318,414 in 1918, as against 239,781 in 1917. Despite the large number of tractors and automobiles, there were 764,336 horses in the state in 1918, compared with 716,372 the year preceding. Hogs dropped from 2,028,349 in 1917 to 1,887,939 in 1918.

St. Paul.—Otter Tail county, with 35,248 cows, led the other counties of the state last year. It was closely followed by Stearns, which has 33,585. Fillmore was the banner county for other cattle, having 49,398, and nosing Otter Tail out of first place by 65 Stearns was first in horses, with 19,490, which was 468 more than had Fillmore. With 69,730, Renville county was the leader in hogs last year. It was hard pressed by Rock county, which had 68,718. These counties were the leaders in 1917, also. Otter Tail was first in 1918 in poultry, with 239,881, and led in 1917, also, with 233,900.

St. Paul.—Thousands of wild ducks and other migratory water fowl may now be seen on Minnesota lakes and rivers on their northward spring flight, Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, said and barring a repetition of conditions late last year, Minnesota sportmen will enjoy good hunting next fall. Commissioner Avery explained that the poor hunting last fall was due to unfavorable flight conditions and not to a scarcity of birds. Canadian lakes were open until December and the flight was unusually late and rapid as a result. The birds either took new routes or made no stops in Minnesota and hunting suffered accordingly.

Hibbing.—The extra income tax aliens are obliged to pay is said here to be causing numerous noncitizens on the Minnesota iron ranges to return to their native land. No one nationality predominates, at least seven being represented. Figures at the local postoffice savings department show a decrease in savings of $3,000 for March, as compared with February, due, Postmaster J. B. Connors says, to heavy withdrawals by foreigners, who, when asked for a reason, state they are going home. The past several weeks has witnessed the greatest exodus in years, it is said.



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When adding to your toilet requisites. An exquisitely scented face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume, rendering other perfumes superfluous. You may rely on it because one of the Cuticura Trio (Soap, Ointment and Talcum). 25c each everywhere.—Adv.

At the Zoo.

Bobby, aged seven, was making his first visit to the zoo. He looked around at the various animals, and coming to a cage markel "Female," he rushed up to his mother in great excitement.

"Oh, mother," he said, "I've always wanted to see a 'Female,' and here he is!"—Cartoons Magazine.

AS YOUNG AS YOUR KIDNEYS

The secret of youth is ELIMINATION OF POISONS from your body. This done, you can live to be a hundred and enjoy the good things of life with as much "pep" as you did when in the springtime of youth. Keep your body in good condition, that's the secret.

Watch the kidneys. They filter and purify the blood, all of which blood passes through them once every three minutes. Keep them clean and in proper working condition and you have nothing to fear. Drive the poisonous wastes and deadly uric acid accumulations from your system. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules and you will always be in good condition. You will feel strong and vigorous, with steady nerves and elastic muscles. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported direct from the laboratories at Haarlem, Holland.

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Do your best, then take what comes without flinching. Every experience can be turned to good account.

I could hardly feel much confidence in a man who had never been imposed upon.—Guesses at Truth.

Monkeys Die of Flu.

Monkeys are the latest victims of the Spanish influenza scourge which has been sweeping the world, according to a letter received by a resident of Albany, Ore., from a relative who is a banker in a South African city. Thousands of monkeys have perished in the forests of South Africa from influenza, the latter declares. Moreover the plague is prevailing among the white and black population, with high mortality.

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Cinch.

"How can I be sure that I am the only woman you ever loved?"

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For Colds, Catarrh or Influenza

Do you feel weak and unequal to the work ahead of you? Do you still cough a little, or does your nose bother you? Are you pale? Is your blood thin and watery? Better put your body into shape. Build strong!

An old, reliable blood-maker and herbal tonic made from wild roots and barks, is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This "nature remedy" comes in tablet or liquid form. It will build up your body, cure your cold, and protect you from disease germs which lurk everywhere. One of the active ingredients of this temperance alterative and tonic is wild cherry bark with stillingia, which is so good for the lungs and for coughs; also Oregon grape root, blood root, stone root, Queen's root,—all skilfully combined in the Medical Discovery. These roots have a direct action on the stomach, improving digestion and assimilation. These herbal extracts in the "Discovery" aid in blood-making, and are best for scrofula. By improving the blood they aid in throwing off an attack of influenza.

Catarrh should be treated, first, as a blood disease, with this alterative. Then, in addition, the nose should be washed daily with Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

Send 10c for trial pkg. of Medical Discovery Tablets or Catarrh Tablets to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

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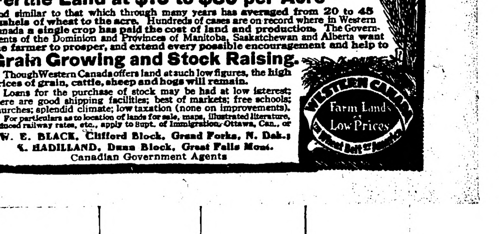
One Crop Often Pays for the Land



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Community Day

and

Auction Sale!

Holt, Minn., 1 o'clock sharp

Wednesday June 11

All the Stores will be closed

Everyone requested to bring in anything they may wish to sell, including

Horses Cattle Hogs Sheep Poultry Household Goods any kind of Machinery, etc.

Arrangements will be made for a Program

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Are You Waiting for Prices to Come Down?

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ABOUT 320,000 houses are built each normal year in this country.

Last year home-building was at a standstill, for patriotic reasons.

The year before that and the year before that, home-building was below normal because "prices were too high." As a result, there is a shortage in this country of about 700,000 houses!

Consequently, there is a "hungry market" for building materials. General Demand is about to launch a campaign for home-building. What will General Supply do? What effect will a big demand have on prices? You can draw your own conclusions.

You can decide now whether you want to take advantage of the present favorable prices of materials and build now, or whether you want to wait three, five, ten or fifteen years until "prices are right" and then build, in the meantime, doing without the comfort, convenience, and satisfaction of a home of your own.

Think it over. Our advice is, Build Now! not because the Government asks you to, but because

It Is Wise to Build Now

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C. L. Sandberg, Agent

Holt Chautauqua

Mid-Summer Meeting

3 Big Days 3

Everybody boost for the BIG CHAUTAUQUA

We wish to extend our hearty thanks to the Ringbo Red Cross auxiliary for the very substantial donation of $9.20 given us on Sunday, May 18, also for the many expressions of good will. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Erickson.

Miss June Fitch and her friend, Ruben Johnson, arrived here Friday to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Fitch, also other relatives. These young people have been students at Oak Park academy, Nevada, Iowa, and they are greatly enjoying their vacation

The public school gave a fine program at the hall last Thursday night which was greatly enjoyed by all present. The proceeds from the sale of novelties and lunch amounted to over $80. Ole Breuna was the auctioneer and he knows how to get a good price for what he sells.

Mrs. Fitch and Mrs. Adams attended the Red Cross convention at Warren last week Thursday. The Red Cross in the county will be re-organized as a county chapter with headquarters at Warren. Also a county nurse will employed and a few slight changes made. The work of the Red Cross is not finished and there is an urgent call for workers right now.

It is encouraging to hear of the large number of farmers who are planting all the way from one and two acres of potatoes and several are planting up to five acres. We believe this is a good move on their part. Also we should very much like to see them try a little patch of corn and see how much good fodder can be raised from a single acre of corn. Diversified farming and rotation of crops have proved a success, while on the other hand it has been proven that the single crop system will bring ruin to any country.

PISO'S

Every member of the family from baby to grandpa benefits by Piso's—the [illegible] year favorite for coughs and colds. Taken before retiring it [illegible] by irritated [illegible]

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MORTGAGE FORCLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Louis Olson, a single man, mortgagor, to Martin V. Evenson, mortgagee, dated March 23rd, 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on March 29th, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock A. M. in Book 74 of mortgages, on page 530 thereof; that such default consists in the failure to pay the installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1918, and another installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1919, and interest thereon, and the mortgagee has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount secured by said mortgage principal and interest, due and payable in accordance with the terms thereof; that the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date is fifty-five dollars and eighty cents ($55.80); that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are Lots three (3) and four (4), and the South half (S½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section two (2), in Township one hundred and fifty-seven (157), North of Range thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in Marshall County, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the West front door of the Marshall County Court House in the City of Warren in said Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 7th day of July A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including taxes if any have been paid, by the mortgagee, together with the cost of such sale and twenty-five dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated May 20th, 1919.

MARTIN V. EVENSON,
Mortgagee.

THEO. QUALE
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

Revs. Myhrer and Strom left yesterday for Shelly and other points where they will hold meetings for about a week.

Mrs. Nels Gudvanger and family departed Monday for Superior, Wis., where they will make their future home.

Mr. Poppenhagen and family, Mrs. Lund and daughter, all of Goodridge, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Reierson.

D. B. Bakke's new house is to be built of tile brick, which is going to make them a fine residences. S. Brennan of Thief River Falls is doing the mason work.

Mrs. Ole Kjelgren went to Middle River last week Thursday to help care for the new baby boy that arrived the same day to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sollom.

School closed yesterday after a very successful term despite the inroads made last fall by the flu. The children will have a picnic today at the school grounds, at the same time the Red lunch is served.

Miss Olga Tunheim returned Saturday from Crookston where she has been attending school for the past three years. Miss Tunheim has graduated with honors and will take up teaching as her vocation in life.

S. A. Johnson made a deal last week for the sale of his farm, 9 miles east of town to Harry Scaar, who is acting as agent for other parties in one of the mining districts of the state. We understand the price paid was $30.00 per acre.

Bank No. 899

AMENDMENT TO CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF THE HOLT STATE BANK.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 12th day of March A. D., 1919, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED: That section Five (5) of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Five.

The amount of Capital Stock shall be Fifteen Thousand Dollars fully paid in, in cash, which shall be divided into one hundred fifty shares of One hundred Dollars each.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Holt, Minnesota on the 12th day of March A. D. 1919

(Corporate Seal) D. B. Bakke, President.
B. Docken, Cashier

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
COUNTY OF MARSHALL }

On this 12th day of March, 1919, before me appeared D. B. Bakke and B. Docken, to me personally known, who being duly sworn did say that they are respectively the President and Cashier of Holt State Bank, that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was executed by them as their free act and deed.

Nels Engebretsen,
Notary Public, Marshall Co., Minn.
My commission expires June 15th, 1919.
(Notarial Seal)

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF BANKS. St. Paul, April 30, 1919

This is to certify that the action of the stockholders of the Holt State Bank in voting to increase the capital stock from Ten Thousand Dollars to Fifteen Thousand Dollars as provided for in the foregoing amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation, has been approved by me.

(SEAL) F. E. Pearson,
Superintendent of Banks,
By G. Dwinnight
Deputy Superintendent

STATE OF MINNESOTA
Department of State

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 30th day of April, A. D. 1919, at 3 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in Book B of State Bank Records, on page

Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State
98472

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS
County of Marshall, Minn.,

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 2nd day of May, A. D., 1919, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in book K of Miscl., page 27.

Chas. E. Grinder,
Registerer of Deeds

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Notice of Annual Meeting

HOLT FARMERS ELEVATOR COMPANY

June 24th, 1919

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Holt Farmers Elevator Company will be held on the 24th day of June 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M. at the M. W. A. Hall, Holt, Minnesota, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and receiving and acting upon the report of the Officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

J. A. Sorum, Secretary

Dated May 27th, 1919

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Local Items

A bright little boy was born Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. Jno. O. Johnson.

Mrs. Albin Knauf of Thief River Falls visited relatives here several days the past week.

Andrew Bjerk departed Saturday for Crookston where he moved his family some time ago.

Rev. Thy. Myhrer, of Newfolden, will hold services in the Mission church at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson autoed to Hillsboro, N. D., Tuesday to consult with a well-known physician at that place.

Mrs. C. Kolden went to Thief River Falls Monday for a few days visit with relatives, also to have dental work done.

Miss Helen Johnson departed Tuesday for her home in Tower, where the best wishes of her many friends will follow her.

Albert Johnson of Wanaska visited a few days the past week at the home of his aunt, Mrs. John Hagglund and family.

Sam Mickelson, daughter, Amanda and Racine Olson autoed to Warren Tuesday where the former expects to do carpenter work for some time.

Dr. Paulson was called last week Thursday to see J. M. Swan, who was quite sick at that time, but is up and around again, we are pleased to report.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Knutson received a letter from their son, Oscar, containing the good news that he was leaving Germany and headed for home.

Carl Surmo went to Thief River Fals Tuesday to consult Dr. Paulson. Mr. Surmo's health has not been very good since he had the flu, but all hope he will be better now the weather is warmer.

Miss Mildred Jahre returned home Tuesday from Crosby where she has been making her home with an Uncle for the past year, while attending high school.

Don't fail to attend the big gospel meeting's commencing next Thursday, June 12th, at the Mission church. Arrangements will be made to have some of the preaching in the English language.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Werner and children autoed up from Thief River Falls Sunday, to visit at the Riesberg home. Mr. Werner returned home the same evening, Mrs. Werner and children remaining until the next day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Olson of Warren were guests at the Gunheim home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Olson were sponosrs for Mr. and Mrs. Gunheim's baby boy, Clayton Earl, who was baptised at the services in the Synod church Sunday forenoon.

Miss Esther Werner entertained a party of young people at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Werner, Monday evening in honor of Misses Martha Peterson, Helen Johnson and Elizabeth Newton. A goodly number were present and a good time reported.

B. J. Bakke sold a new Maxwell car to A. S. Bean Tuesday and left the same day for Grand Forks to get another one. Lots of the farmers are buying autos this spring. Among recent purchasers of cars are T. C. Doure, Christ Evenson and Mat Lunke. Several others have the fever too, with temperature running pretty high.

Memorial Day in Holt.

A big crowd of people attended the Memorial Day exercises in our little village last Friday afternoon.

On account of the windy weather the program was given in the Mission church, which wouldn't hold half of those who desired to get in. Two splendid addresses were given by Mr. Silverness and Rev. Ordahl. Miss Mayme Flak recited, "America for Me," the school children furnished a short program and there was music by Miss Mickelson, Oscar Hagglund and Ernest Phillipson. The entire program was good and greatly enjoyed by everybody.

The soldiers, led by the Middle River band, followed by the Red Cross, school children and citizens. A short service in memory of the brave soldier boys was held at the cemetery, the band furnishing music.

After the services at the cemetery the soldiers marched to the school grounds where they gave an exhibition drill and the Middle River band furnished music, both of which was greatly enjoyed by all the people present.

Just as the ladies were almost ready to serve lunch a rain and wind storm came up and a large part of the crowd left for their homes, but enough remained to tax the capacity of the the school house to hold them.

Altho Memorial Day brings up many sad memories we believe everyone enjoyed the exercises, especially the soldiers and the bereaved parents and relatives who were guests of the Red Cross that day.

The Holt Red Cross auxiliary desires to thank everyone who contributed in any way toward helping them with the Memorial Day exercises, the decorating, lunches and the numberless jobs that had to be done.

For Sale:—Winton Six auto, Address Lock Box 638, Holt, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Malberg from near Steiner were Sunday guests at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim.

The Red Cross had some flags left over from Memorial day, which they desire to sell. Enquire at this office for prices.

Theodore Sollom and P. P. Rierson have been awarded a ditching contract just west of Newfolden and will commence work there next week.

Dr. Mellby was called to the H. P. Peterson home at the east of Holt last week Wednesday, at which time a fine baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peterson.

The Holt creamery shipped 60 tubs of butter Saturday which is the largest shipment ever made by this creamery. They expect to ship about 75 tubs this week as the make is increasing right along.

Carl Christoferson has sold his little place to Hjalmer Peterson for a consideration said to be $600. We understand Mr. and Mrs. Christoferson will leave next Tuesday for Duluth where they will make thier home.

Ole Hamernes has finally succeeded in getting the cement floor laid in his garage. He has made several other improvements, among them a pit to run autos over while working underneath them. This gives Mr. Hamernes a well equipped garage.

Tom and Richard Larson came up from Thief River Falls Monday to paint their mother's house, grade up the yard, etc. When this work is finished their mother, Mrs. Anderson, will have a nice little home, in a good location, in a good little village.

Among those who have been painting their houses this spring are: Mrs. T. Sollom, Mrs. Carrie Anderson, P. O. Reierson and R. L. Olson; and Gust Peterson is painting the big barn that he built last fall. We hope a lot more of our people will catch the painting fever.

Mrs. Alfred Anderson has been elected president and Miss Amanda Mickelson treasurer, of the Nazareth Young Peoples' society to fill the vacancies caused by the leaving of our little village of Miss Martha Peterson and Miss Agnes Bakke, the former officers.

The Grygla Eagel says Mr. Fladeland has received word that $60,000 has been appropriated for gravelling state road No. 14, running from Grygla thru Golden Valley then to Holt. This is good news and a big boost for all concerned. We hope the work will soon start on this road as it is much needed.

A Narrow Escape

Little Ambrose Kieffer, a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Horn who makes his home with them, narrowly escaped drowning Sunday evening. Mrs. Horn and the children were out walking and picking flowers, when the little fellow in trying to walk a plank laid across the ditch which is a half mile from town, lost his balance and fell into the water which was about eight feet deep at that place. Mrs. Horn who was several rods away, hearing their screams, ran back just in time to see the little fellow come up the second time. With presence of mind but with much difficulty she drew him out and immediately commenced to roll him on the ground to expell the water from his lungs.

Mrs. Horn's skill as a trained nurse stood her well in hand at this critical time, for after a good rubbing down and wrapped in a blanket, he was placed in an oven until thorougly warm. We are glad to report that after receiving this ideal treatment, little Ambrose came out of the ordeal none the worst for his experience, yet at the same time, had there been no grown person near to have rescued him, there would have been a pretty sad event which would been a great calamity for Holt.

Parents should take warning at this experience and keep their young children away from this ditch one half mile south of Holt.

Big community auction June 11.

Moving Pictures to-night at the Woodman hall. See them.

Rev. Myhrer will hold services here next Sunday evening.

List your property for Wednesday sale June 11th, at the bank.

Rev. Ordahl will hold services in Holt next Sunday at 11 o'clock a m.

The Young People's Society of the Ringbo church will hold a meeting Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. All welcome.

Holt extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend their Community Day program and Big Auction Sale, next Wednesday June 11.

For Sale: A 15x30 Minneapolis gas tractor, used only two years. Will sell cheap for cash or trade for land. See Andrew Ness, Thief River Falls, or R. Reierson, Holt.

Bring in your horses, cows, hogs, chickens, in fact anything you have to sell, for the big community auction sale on Wednesday June 11th. Ole C. Brenna, Auctioneer, Holt State Bank, Clerk.

Do'nt fail to attend the big meetings commencing next week Thursday June 12th at the Free Mission church. At some of these services there will be preaching in English. Everyone invited.

Olai Sovde has bot Carl Oien's interest in the confectionery and lunch room and will continue the business at the old stand where the public is always assured prompt service and courteous treatment.

Andrew Ness and children of T. R. Falls, attended the Memorial services in Holt last Friday, returning to his home the same day while the children remained for a longer visit at the R. Reierson home.

Mrs. C. Saastad and little daughter Ruth, accompanied by her sister Mrs. Herman Heinze and daughter Alice, went to Minneappolis Tuesday to visit the former's daughter, Mrs. Albin Ahlborn also relatives at Willmar, Minn. Mrs. Heinze will also visit relatives at different points in Wisconsin before returning home.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Pentecostal services in Holt next Sunday at 11 o'clock and Thorvick at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. J. M. Jahr will entertain the Zion Ladies Aid next Tuesday June 10th.

Y. P. S. Friday evening June 13.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor

Movies to-night.

R. Reierson was a Roseau visitor Wednesday.

Don't forget that little patch of mangels or 'bagas.

The movies will be shown Friday night, this week, June 6th.

Albert Bennes and wife were visitors in T. R. Falls Tuesday.

List your property for next Wednesday's big auction, with the Holt State Bank.

Sever Hoff of Middle River came last Saturday and visited at the R. Reierson home.

Community Auction Sale, Holt, Minn. Wednesday June 11th., Everybody invited.

Mesdames Docken, Bakke and Miss Martha Peterson were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

Walter Larson of Wiley came last week Thursday to visit at the Sandberg and Anderson homes.

C. L. Sandberg recently sold lumber for a granary to Ericksen Bros., who live 11 miles east of Holt.

Master Roy Hagen of Haug came Friday to visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. P. Hanson and family.

Master Percy Strom of Thief River Falls visited a few days the past week at Grandpa Riesberg's.

At the baseball meeting Tuesday night, B. Docken was elected manager and J. L. Hirsch captain of the team.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson and little son returned to Newfolden Saturday after enjoying a pleasant visit with home folks.

Miss Elizabeth Newton left Wednesday for her home in McIntosh and the best wishes of her many friends will follow her there.

There is a nation wide campaign on, to secure a million new members for the Boy Scouts during the week of June 8 to 14. Who wants to join?

The Holt State Bank is making up a list for next Wednesday's sale. List your property there with them. They will sell anything from a tooth pick to a farm. Try them.

Ole Ihle has been hauling his moving outfit here this week, to use in raising the Synod church off of its present foundation, to give room for building the basement.

Loyd Adams commenced Tuesday the work of putting a new roof on his house. His brother Harold came up from Dugdale Monday and will help with the work on several buildings which Mr. Adams has the contract for.

Martin Mattson received by express Saturday a nice little Chester White pig, with a great long pedigree. Her sire was winner of the prize at the International stock show in Chicago and also several other lesser prizes. We are pleased to see the farmers getting in registered stock.

Anyone in the market for a new Nielson tractor, either large or small call and see me.

Also a few tractors, used only for demostrating, which will be sold cheap.

Agency for the Maxwell and the Nash automobiles.

Novelty Sales Company,
B. J. Bakke, Prop.
Holt, Minnesota

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Myhrer will hold services here next Sunday evening at eight o'clock. All are welcome.

The Annual Meeting of the Scandianavian Gospel Mission will be held June 12th. Business meeting at 2 o'clock P. M. Services at 8 P. M. Also services forenoon, afternoon and evening on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Several ministers will be present and a spiritual blessing is sure to come to all. Everybody invited.—M. T. Strom, Sec'y.

Civil Service Notice.

The U. S. Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held in Thief River Falls June 27th to fill the vacancy of postmaster at Holt. This office paid $727 for the last fiscal year.

Application blanks, Form 1753, and full information can be obtained of the U. S. Civil Service Com., at Washington, D. C., or at the post-office here in Holt.

Applications should be executed and filed with the C. S. Commission at Washington as soon as possible.

Dr. Mellby was here again Friday to see Mrs. Thora Nelson who is still very sick.

All the business houses in Holt will be closed from 1 o'clock until 4 o'clock P. M. Community Day.

Boost the Chautauqua, talk the chautauqua and when writing your friends tell them all about the big 3 day chautauqua that is comming to Holt this summer.

We regret that thru a mistake the local relating to the Ladies Aid being entertained at the Gus Peterson home this week Wednesday, was left out of the paper last week.

Insure Your Auto

The Holt State Bank is writing insurance of all kinds on farmer's automobiles at a special low rate

Insurance against fire, thieves, etc See them at once

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

For Service

Pure Bred Jack

Commodore D, 3323

Color, black, white points

Will stand at my farm 3 & 1-2 north of Holt

Season of 1919

C. E. Smith, Owner

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Holt Cafe!

Ice Cream Parlor

and

Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours

A nice line of Bakery Goods

Nice Booths and Tables for the serving of Ice Cream

Olai Sovde, Prop

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 26
Wheat No. 2	2 23
Wheat No. 3	2 19
Wheat No. 4	2 15
Flax	4 45
Oats	56
Barley	87 to 95
Rye	1 33
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

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Drs. Mellby & Paulson

McGinn Block

Thief River Falls

Office Phone [illegible]

Residences: Dr. Mellby 167, Dr. Paulson [illegible]

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Dr. Biedermann

Physician and Surgeon

Thief River Falls

Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg

Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence [illegible] Call [illegible]

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

City Barber Shop

Agency for

K. E. DAHL COMPANY

French Dry Cleaners

All work guaranteed satisfactory

Ernest Phillipson

Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors [illegible] ly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. [illegible] Catarrh Cure, manufactured by [illegible] Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken [illegible] and acts thru the Blood on the [illegible] Surfaces of the System. One [illegible] Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, [illegible]

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Fa[illegible] for constipation.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Holt Dray and Livery

H. Peterson, Prop.

Auto Livery

In connection with teams and rigs

Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson

Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

Complete Line

of

CASKETS

and

Funeral Supplies

which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

Now is the time to swat the fly before they commence to breed.

"CALLUS CORNS" LIFT RIGHT OFF

Apply a few drops of "Freezone"—No pain!

Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops on the corns, calluses and "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift them off.

When Freezone removes corns from the toes or calluses from the bottom of feet, the skin beneath is left pink and healthy and never sore, tender or irritated.

Big Game Country.

"I understand you came from a great game country?" said the lady on the committee to welcome the grizzled warriors of the Western plains.

"Indeed, yes, ma'am," was the cowboy's reply.

"What is the biggest game you have in Wyoming?"

"Poker," ma'am!"—Yonkers Statesman.

DR. J. HARRINDLAUS (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Real Cause for Complaint.

"Eh-yah!" admitted Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "In the good old days, it was nothing uncommon to have as high as seven fights to every dance. But since this yur infernal bone dry law has cracked down on us we often have seven dances to one fight, which strikes me is spreading the fighting out mighty thin."—Kansas City Star.

Mitigations.

Mrs. Gabby—Husbands are just worms, that's what they are.

Mrs. Tabby—That's all right if they're not fishing worms.

It isn't pride that makes the gallery gods look down upon the rest of the audience.

THIN PEOPLE SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitro-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

Thinness and weakness are often due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as bitro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bitro-phosphate should produce a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

Increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, should disappear, dull eyes become bright, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health.

CAUTION: — Although bitro-phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its tendency to increase weight, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.

BILIOUSNESS Caused by Acid-Stomach

If people who are bilious are treated according to local symptoms they seldom get very much better. Whatever relief is obtained is usually temporary. Trace biliousness to its source and remove the cause and the chances are that the patient will remain strong and healthy.

Doctors say that more than 70 non-organic diseases can be traced to an Acid-Stomach. Biliousness is one of them. Indigestion, heartburn, belching, sour stomach, bloat and gas are other signs of acid-stomach. EATONIC, the marvelous modern stomach remedy, brings quick relief from these stomach miseries which lead to a long train of ailments that make life miserable if not corrected.

EATONIC literally absorbs and carries away the excess acid. Makes the stomach strong, cool and comfortable. Helps digestion; improves the appetite and you then get full strength from your food. Thousands say that EATONIC is the most effective stomach remedy in the world. It is the help YOU need. Try it on our money-back-if-not-satisfied guarantee. At all druggists. Only 50 cents for a big box.

EATONIC
(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

Cuticura Soap Best for Baby

Soap 25c., Ointment 25 & 50c., Talcum 25c. Sample each mailed free by "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings In Minnesota Given In Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Hibbing.—Weather sharks claim that this is the hottest May weather experienced on the Mesaba range in years.

Cook.—The Progressive league of this place is planning to hold a fair next September, showing the agricultural products of this section.

Hibbing.—Local hotels announce a slight advance in charges. Hotel owners claim that along with other things, the cost of keeping up a hotel is increasing every day.

Canby.—Ralph W. Hanson, a young farmer, was crushed to death when a tractor he was using on his farm turned over on him. The machine stalled in a bog and Hanson threw on all power to free it.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has appointed G. F. Buehler of the St. Paul Machinists' union to succeed R. F. Schroeder, also of St. Paul, as labor's representative on the state board of arbitration.

St. Cloud.—Belated reports at Victory Loan headquarters show additional subscriptions of $8,900 in the county, making total subscriptions for Stearns county of $1,700,850, making a total oversubscription for the county of $75,850.

Welcome.—This village is without light or power. It is asserted that the plant was built to sell and that when a market was not found the promoters left. Plans are being perfected by which the village will operate the forsaken plant.

Fairmont.—Fairmont's new golf clubhouse was officially opened here with a house warming and dance at which 30 members and friends were in attendance. The golf links and club are at Interlaken park, three miles south of this city.

Sauk Center.—High school graduation exercises were held here. Dr. Lotus D. Coffman of the University of Minnesota giving the address. Diplomas were granted to forty-four students, thirty in the regular academic work and fourteen in the normal department.

Red Lake Falls.—County Agent Charles C. Lake is scouring the county for fifty men to help him clear up a location for the second annual picnic of the Red Lake County Farm Bureau association, which will be held at the Terrebonne dam on the Clearwater river Tuesday, June 24.

Minneapolis.—Hospitals of Minneapolis will receive a thorough analysis at a week's session of the Minnesota Hospital association in Minneapolis beginning June 2. Hospital standardization in general is to be the aim of the conference, which will meet with the Hennepin County Medical society June 4.

Bemidji.—Southern Beltrami county bee keepers met here and formed an association. H. A. Fladhammer, who conducts an apiary in Liberty township was elected president; P. E. Welch, secretary, and A. T. Boe, treasurer. The officers will comprise a committee to draw a constitution and by-laws, which will be presented at a meeting to be held soon.

St. Paul.—Archbishop Austin Dowling of St. Paul was invested with the pallium, the insignia of papal delegation of authority, at the Roman Catholic cathedral here. Archbishop J. J. Keane of Dubuque, Iowa, officiated in the ceremony of investure, and Archbishop G. W. Mundelein of Chicago also was in attendance.

Moose Lake.—The present warm spell has given a great impetus to Carlton county crops, especially hay, ground that was burned over during the fire disaster last fall in this section now being a welcome green. Farmers have seeded a larger acreage to grain than usual, while many are putting in extensive potato crops. Many returned soldiers are helping farmers.

Virginia.—W. E. Beaderwolf, evangelist, will conduct a six weeks' revival here, starting the first week in October. This was decided with the acceptance by the evangelist of the contract sent him by officers of the Northern Minnesota Laymen's Evangelist association. Mr. Beaderwolf is now closing his campaign in Los Angeles, Cal. It is estimated the campaign will cost $6,000.

Minneapolis.—The State of Minnesota has been given signal recognition in the plans for America's greatest educational convention by the selection of Minnesota educators for important parts on the program of the National Education Association to be held in Milwaukee, June 28 to July 5. Miss Alma L. Binzel, head of the kindergarten work of the city schools in Minneapolis and Dr. Guy Stanton Ford will be on the program for the general sessions of the Convention while the programs for sectional gatherings will include a large number of Minnesota people though the program is not as yet completed.

Baudette.—Thomas Tait, who resides south of here, had his back broken and his arm and head badly bruised when his team of horses, while standing in front of the lumber yard, became frightened. In attempting to stop the team he was knocked down and both the team and wagon passed over his body.

Brainerd.—Pig raising in the city limits thrived when Hoover boosted the pig-at-your-home idea in war times, but it has been frowned on in peace times, and so no more squeals will be heard in Brainerd city limits this summer.

Preston.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the roundhouse and two engines of the Milwaukee railroad here.

St. Paul.—The Farmers' State bank of Mountain Lake, capitalized at $25,000, has filed articles of incorporation in the office of Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state.

Henricks.—Fire entirely destroyed the fine farm residence of A. O. Morseth, two miles northwest of here. The blaze originated from the explosion of a gasoline stove.

St. Cloud.—Subscriptions to the Victory Liberty Loan in Stearns county totaled $1,691,950, according to a statement given out by County Chairman Fred Schilplin. Stearns county's allotment was $1,625,000.

Rochester.—The annual summer meeting of the Southern Medical association will be held here June 23 and 24. Surgical clinics will be conducted both days by Doctors W. J. and C. H. Mayo and other surgeons.

Detroit.—Mild cases of smallpox have developed here. The schools were visited and ten well-developed cases of the disease located. All of the cases were put under quarantine and the school buildings thoroughly fumigated.

Fergus Falls.—J. H. Jones, deputy game warden, in charge of seining pike spawn from Otter Tail lake, near here, is the authority for the statement that all the fish hatcheries of the state will be short of pike fry this year.

St. Cloud.—The Memorial day program in this city was more interesting this year than ever before. Governor Burnquist spoke in the morning following a parade in which the American Legion participated. This was the first official parade of returned soldiers.

St. Paul.—August Palm, Fergus Falls, was low bidder with a bid of $33,405 for erection of a dormitory for men employes at the Fergus Falls state insane hospital, when offers were opened by the state board of control. The contract will not be let until specifications are modified.

St. Paul.—Hundreds of former students returned to St. Thomas college, Merriam park, for home coming day. The day was marked by the dedication of the new college chapel by Archbishop Austin Dowling. At the high mass following the dedication, Bishop J. J. Lawler of Lead, S. D. preached the sermon.

St. Paul.—An inheritance tax of $38,538 was paid the state on $369,394 of Minnesota property in the estate of George B. Harris, Chicago millionaire, who died June 10, 1918. He left $318,000 of his Minnesota holdings to charity, but the estate did not come under the 1919 law exempting such bequests from taxation.

Cloquet.—Directors of the local Y. M. C. A. say that the building will be rebuilt, plans having been revised by architects and bids will soon be invited. It will be located on the site of the former Cloquet Lumber company's office, on Cloquet avenue, between Fifth and Sixth streets. It will be of brick, two stories high, with full basement 72x114 feet in size.

Lakeville.—William Joseph Moran, 28 years old, was instantly killed, an automobile in which he was riding tipped over, crushing him beneath it. Deceased, a fireman on the Hastings & Dakota division of the St. Paul railroad, with headquarters at Farmington, was driving from the latter place to the home of his parents when the accident occurred.

St. Paul.—Vidian D. Vye, formerly assistant to the state food administrator, was indicted by a grand jury in Brown county on a charge of extortion, according to information from New Ulm. The indictment came as a result of charges made by certain farmers who had been accused of hoarding grain that Vye not only made them turn over such grain to the Red Cross but that he made them pay expense money. The expense money item is alleged to be the extortion.

St. Paul.—Charles MacGregor, Detroit, Minn., was ruled ineligible to continue as a member of the state board of pharmacy in a decision made by C. Louis Weeks, assistant attorney-general, based on a law passed at the last Legislature which specifies that members of the board must be engaged in active practice as pharmacists. Mr. McGregor had been a member of the board since December, 1915, and was appointed to serve until December, 1920. Nine months ago he sold his drug store at Detroit and went into the insurance business according to statements presented to the attorney-general's office.

St. Paul.—State business was greater in volume by $3,500,000 during the last nine and a half months than the entire fiscal year preceding, Henry Rines, state treasurer, announces. The comparative figures show that since Aug. 1 the state treasury department has received $29,336,279 and disbursed $30,235,259, a total volume of $59,571,538, while during the twelve months preceding that period the receipts were $28,383,296 and the disbursements $27,689,557, a total of $56,072,853. The big gain will be increased next month by tax collections approximating $3,000,000, according to George La Fond, chief accountant. Legislative appropriations immediately made a factor in the big increase in business.

Chisholm.—The fire department was summoned to the substation of the Mesaba Railway company early in the morning to extinguish a fire that originated from an explosion in a transformer in the interior of the building due to wires being rounded by a cat. The fire was soon extinguished. The cat was killed.

Keewatin.—The families of Frank Pribovich of the St. Paul location and Matt Ranta in the village have influenza, but no one is reported in a dangerous condition. This is the first influenza in the village since the "flu" ban was lifted Feb. 10 last.

AUSTRIAN PACT IS LIKE GERMAN

Main Features of Proposed Treaty Similar to Those Presented to Huns.

NAVY IS CONFISCATED

Nation Is Recognized as Republic and Treaties With All Russian Elements Are Annulled—Allies Control Wireless.

St. Germain, June 3.—The principal conditions of the peace treaty as submitted by the Allies to Austria, are as follows:

Austria must accept the covenant of the League of Nations and the labor charter.

She must renounce all her rights outside of Europe.

She must demobilize all her naval and aerial forces.

Austria must recognize the complete independence of Hungary.

Austrian nationals guilty of violating international laws of war to be tried by the Allies.

Austria must accept economic conditions and freedom of transit similar to those in German treaty.

Sections dealing with war prisoners and graves are identical with German treaty.

Guaranties of execution of treaty correspond to those in German pact.

Boundaries of Bohemia and Moravia to form boundary between Austria and Czech-Slovakia, with minor rectifications.

Allies later to fix southern boundaries (referring to Jugo-Slavia).

Eastern boundary leaves Marburg and Radkerburg to Jugo-Slavia.

Western and northwestern frontiers (facing Bavaria and Switzerland) unchanged.

Austria must recognize independence of Czech-Slovakia and Jugo-Slavia.

Recognized as Republic.

Austria is recognized as an independent republic under the name "republic of Austria."

Austria must recognize frontiers of Bulgaria, Greece, Hungary, Poland, Rumania, Czech-Slovakia and Jugo-Slavia as at present or ultimately determined.

Boundaries of Austria, Czech-Slovakia and Jugo-Slavia to be finally fixed by mixed commission.

Czech-Slovakia and Jugo-Slavia must agree to protect racial, religious and linguistic minorities.

Both Slav nations and Rumania must assure freedom of transit and equitable treatment of foreign commerce.

Austria must recognize full independence of all territories formerly a part of Russia.

Russian Treaties Annulled.

Brest-Litovsk treaty is annulled.

All treaties with Russian elements concluded since revolution annulled.

Allies reserve right of restitution for Russia from Austria.

Austria must consent to abrogation of treaties of 1839, establishing Belgian neutrality.

Austria must agree to new Belgian boundaries as fixed by Allies.

Similar provision with respect to neutrality and boundaries of Luxembourg.

Austria must accept Allied disposition of any Austrian rights in Turkey and Bulgaria.

She must accept Allied arrangement with Germany regarding Slesvig-Holstein.

Austrian nationals of all races, languages and religious equal before the law.

Clauses affecting Egypt, Morocco, Siam and China identical with German treaty.

Entire Navy Confiscated.

Entire Austro-Hungarian navy to be surrendered to Allies.

Twenty-one specified auxiliary cruisers to be disarmed and treated as merchantmen.

All warships, including submarines, under construction, shall be broken up and may be used only for industrial purposes.

All naval arms and material must be surrendered.

Future use of submarines prohibited.

Allies Control Wireless.

Austrian wireless station at Vienna not to be used for military or political messages to Austria's late allies without Allies' consent for three months.

Austria may have no military or naval air forces. She must demobilize existing air forces within two months and surrender aviation material.

Austrian nationals canot serve in military, naval or aerial forces of foreign powers.

She may send no military, naval or aerial mission to any foreign country.

Penalties section identical with German treaty, excepting reference to German kaiser.

New states required to aid in prosecution and punishment of their nationals guilty of offenses against international law.

Fields Periled by Grasshoppers.

Fargo, N. D., June 3.—County agents in the western half of North Dakota predict serious damage to crops this year by grasshoppers, according to R. C. Pollock, county agent leader. The grasshoppers are hatching rapidly and in some counties farmers have reported entire fields destroyed by the hoppers. The county agents are putting on campaigns and ordering poison bait by the carload lot. Indications are that approximately $100,000 will be spent this year in the state for grasshopper poison.

ENEMY ANSWER IS MADE PUBLIC

Says German People Stand Aghast at Demands Made by Victorious Nations.

REGARD TERMS HARSH

Although Realizing Germany Must Make Sacrifices to Obtain Peace, Foe Delegates Declare Conditions Are Terrible Burden.

Washington, June 2.—Although realizing that she must make sacrifices to obtain peace, Germany is convinced that the execution of the peace treaty as drawn is "more than the German people can bear."

Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the German peace delegation, thus sums up the attitude of the German nation towards the proposed treaty of peace in a note to the Allied and associated powers, outlining various German counter proposals. The German note, delivered to Premier Clemenceau, president of the Peace conference, last Thursday, was made public by the State department.

Justice Held Sacred, Foe Claims.

The German delegation nowhere in its note asserts that it will refuse to sign the present treaty, but declares on behalf of the German nation that "even in her need, justice for her is too sacred a thing to allow her to stoop to achieve conditions which she cannot undertake to carry out."

Exclusion of Germany from the league of nations, the note asserts, means that in signing the peace treaty Germany would be executing a "decree for its own proscription, nay its own death sentence."

The German people, the note says, have been disappointed in their "hope for a peace of justice which had been promised" and stand aghast at the demands made upon them by the "victorious violence of our enemies."

Outline of Counter Proposals.

Outlining its counter proposals, the German delegation agrees to reduction of Germany's army and navy on condition that Germany be admitted immediately to the league of nations; to renounce Germany's sovereign rights in Alsace-Lorraine and Posen but as to all other territories which Germany is called upon to give up the principle of self-determination, applicable at once, is asked; to subject all German colonies to administration by the league of nations but under Germany mandatary, and to make the indemnity payments as required, but in amounts that will burden the German taxpayer no more heavily than the taxpayer of the most heavily burdened among those represented on the reparation commission.

The note declares Germany is willing to pool her entire merchant marine with that of the associated powers. Neutral participation in the inquiry as to responsibility for the war is asked.

PROCLAIM RHINE REPUBLIC

Population in Cities Welcomes Event With Satisfaction.

Mayence, June 2.—The Rhine republic was proclaimed in various Rhine cities. The population welcomed the event with satisfaction, and expressed the hope that it would put an end to the painful uncertainty prevailing in the Rhine provinces regarding the Allied nations and Germany.

The new government is headed by Doctor Dorden. It has been installed provisionally at Wiesbaden. Doctor Dorden addressed a message to the different governments and to the Peace conference.

TRANSPORT SERVICE BUSY

American Vessels Are Bringing Most of the Troops Home.

New York, June 2.—Of the 320,000 troops brought home from overseas last month, vessels operated by the cruiser and transport force of the navy carried more than 300,900, it was announced here at the office of Vice Admiral Albert Gleaves.

This represents the work of 89 ships, former German liners, converted freighters and battleships and cruisers listed as transports.

MARRIES LORD RIBBLESDALE

First Wife of Late John J. Astor Weds in London.

London, June 2.—In the column of paid marriage notices in the Times is one saying that Mrs. John Astor was married to Lord Ribblesdale, at St. Mary's church, Bryanston square, London.

The Daily Express, the only newspaper announcing the marriage in its news columns, identines Mrs. Astor as the first wife of the late John Jacob Astor of New York.

New Chile-Genoa Ship Line.

Rome, June 2.—Senior Vilegas, Chilean minister to Italy, has completed arrangements with the Italian trans-Atlantic company for a regular line of steamers between Genoa and the Pacific, beginning in June.

Recognizes Kolchak Regime.

Paris, June 2.—The royal government of Montenegro anounces that it has recognized Admiral Kolchak as head of the government of Great Russia.

THIS WEAK, NERVOUS MOTHER

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I was very weak, always tired, my back ached, and I felt sickly most of the time. I went to a doctor and he said I had nervous indigestion, which added to my weak condition kept me worrying most of the time—and he said if I could not stop that, I could not get well. I heard so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my husband wanted me to try it. I took it for a week and felt a little better. I kept it up for three months, and I feel fine and can eat anything now without distress or nervousness."—Mrs. J. Worthline, 2842 North Taylor St., Philadelphia Pa.

The majority of mothers nowadays overdo, there are so many demands upon their time and strength; the result is invariably a weakened, run-down, nervous condition with headaches, backache, irritability and depression—and soon more serious ailments develop. It is at such periods in life that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will restore a normal healthy condition, as it did to Mrs. Worthline.

Every Woman Wants
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ANTISEPTIC POWDER
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Mrs. Gibbert

Weak From Pain

Mrs. Gibbert Was in Misery, But Doan's Brought Her Splendid Health.

"About 15 years ago my kidneys were in bad condition," says Mrs. Lucy Gibbert, 15310 Columbia Ave., Harvey, Ill. "There was a constant, dull, bearing-down pain in the small of my back. I couldn't turn over in bed without such pain I could hardly breathe. Mornings I was stiff, sore and lame all over; my back was like a rusty hinge.

"Inflammation of the bladder nearly drove me wild. The kidney secretions passed every little while, day and night, a little at a time, and burned like fire. Great sacs of water formed under my eyes.

"I was in such misery I would become weak and so nervous I would scream. I had nerve-racking headaches and the back of my neck pained me. I was so dizzy I didn't dare bend over for fear of falling on my face. My sight became blurred. I was sick all over.

"Five boxes of *Doan's Kidney Pills* cured me of kidney trouble. Since then I have enjoyed splendid health and I owe it all to *Doan's*.

Sworn to before me,
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DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
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A new government ruling in Burma requires all Burman girls twelve years of age and over to attend a girls' school, if one exists in the town, rather than a mixed school, as heretofore.

Cuticura Soap for the Complexion.

Nothing better than Cuticura Soap daily and Ointment now and then as needed to make the complexion clear, scalp clean and hands soft and white. Add to this the fascinating, fragrant Cuticura Talcum and you have the Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Adv.

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FELT SOLDIER SPOKE TRUTH

No Doubt Colonel Blank, in His Heart, Realized Just How Tough He Did Look.

Colonel Blank, who had been such a tartar at all inspections that his name was a byword in his regiment, was in the thick of the Argonne fighting and for six days was unable to shave. For six days he was unable to pry the mud from his clothes or rake it from his hair. And in this unfamiliar state he was hailed at the end of the sixth day by a doughboy who seized a moment of leisure to shave by a mirror hung on a knife stuck in a tree.

"Hey, there, Buddie!" the doughboy shouted. "Do you know you look like h——? Better come up and get a shave or Colonel Blank will land on you like a ton of bricks!"

Colonel Blank accepted the invitation.—Stars and Stripes.

A Bit Slow.

"Do you know that my daughter is an extravagant young woman, sir?"

"I have—er—surmised that she is," replied the suitor, hesitatingly.

"By George, sir! If you've been running around with my daughter for a twelvemonth and haven't got any further than a mere surmise, you lack the perspicacity I would like for my son-in-law to possess."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Many agree as to the goal truth, but never as to the road, the method and the criterion.—Amiel.

At Least He Was There.

When he was minister of the interior in the Sarrien cabinet, M. Clemenceau prescribed for the functionaries of his department precise office hours which were to be rigorously observed. One day, early in the afternoon, he called his bureau chief, Mr. Winter, and said:

"Let us take a turn in the bureaus."

Obviously his command had had little effect. Office after office was found empty. At last, in a nook under the roof, they came upon a poor devil of a clerk who, overcome by the heat, had fallen asleep at his desk. Mr. Winter sprang forward to shake and rouse him, but Mr. Clemenceau checked him:

"Sapristi! But, no! Don't waken him, or he, too, may run away!"

Both Got There.

"Sammy" Coles of Luxborough, West Somerset, England, a famous pedestrian preacher, during 40 years walked 35,000 miles to keep preaching engagements.

When war broke out Capt. John MacGregor, M. C., D. C. M. Canadian mounted rifles, who has been awarded the Victoria cross, snowshoed over 100 miles to join the colors.

His Crime.

"I saw a baseball player arrested in the very act."

"What was he doing?"

"Stealing a base."

We wonder if the Lord loves a cheerful giver as well as the cheerful giver loves himself.

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Two sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c.

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AUSTRIANS GET PEACE TREATY

Skeleton of Pact Handed Envoys With Boundary and Finance Clauses Omitted.

MUST REPLY IN 15 DAYS

No Oral Discussions to Be Allowed, Clemenceau Informs Delegates—Chancellor Says Country Recognizes Its Responsibilities.

St. Germain, June 3.—The peace treaty was handed to the Austrian delegation at 12:39 p. m., with the problem of the Adriatic claims of Italy unsolved.

The meeting did not convene until 12:25 p. m. owing to the late arrival of President Wilson. He was the last of the delegates to reach the chateau, entering the hall at 12:14; a punctured tire on his automobile had held him upon the way.

Fifteen-Day Leeway Allowed.

Premier Clemenceau, in his instructions to the Austrian delegates, informed them that no oral discussions would be allowed and that all written observations must be submitted within a maximum period of 15 days.

The document was reported to be a mere skeleton of the treaty, with financial economic reparations, military and boundary clauses, either wholly or partially lacking. The complete sections consist principally of political and territorial clauses, together with the league of nations covenant, which is identical with that in the German treaty, according to advance information.

Boundaries to Be Fixed Later.

While the treaty indicates generally the territory which Austria loses, the precise boundaries will be fixed later either by the Allies or a mixed commission. It provides that Austria shall retain the northern boundary she had in 1914, with the Czecho-Slovak boundaries in the northwest, while on the south she will be assigned the boundaries fixed under the treaties of 1916, except the regions of Marburg and Klagenfurt, the allegiance of which will be determined by plebiscites. The treaty holds that the recent plebiscite in Voralberg, where the population voted to join Switzerland, is invalid and provides that Voralberg shall remain with Austria and pay her portion of the Austrian war debts and indemnity.

Clemenceau finished speaking at 12:29. (His speech was then translated into English, Italian and German and the treaty was presented to the Austrains at 12:39.)

Chancellor Renner arose and replied in French. While he was speaking a glass case containing relics of the Stone Age (the chateau is used as a national museum) burst and interrupted him momentarily.

Recognize Own Responsibilities.

"We trust in your sense of justice and practical spirit not to demand that we be crushed," said Renner. "We are disposed to recognize our own responsibilities and accept our share in proportion with the other great powers

"Our revolution was pacific and without military action. It was simply a social revolution, as peaceable and reasonable as possible, and we will not depart from that line of conduct and policy if you give us the peace of justice and democracy necessary for our economic existence."

The Austrian delegates appeared in morning dress, while most of the Allied representatives wore business suits. Mrs. Diaz, wife of the Italian general, was the only woman present.

The meeting adjourned at 1:14 p. m.

88TH UNITS STARTING WEST

Camp Hill, Va., June 3.—With the bulk of the 88th Division mobilized in this historic locality, plans were laid to start the first units westward immediately.

To the 350th Infantry falls the pleasant task of being the first to entrain for the last leg of the journey that started last month from Gondrecourt, France. The destination of the men who leave for the west at once is Camp Dodge. Members of the 351st are due to leave next and the 352d in two days.

GERMANS MUST ACCEPT OR REFUSE BY JUNE 25

Paris, June 3. — The reply to the German counterproposals, the Echo de Paris declares, will be handed to Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau Friday. It will constitute a refusal of the German proposals. The Germans, the newspaper adds, will be told they must either accept or refuse the Allied conditions before June 25.

7 Divisions Now Abroad

Washington, June 3.—Twenty-one combatant and seven skeletonized divisions will have been returned home when the movement of the Eighty first and Ninetieth divisions, now in progress, has been completed, General March, chief of staff, said the expeditionary forces now are practically reduced to the seven regular divisions, four of which have been released for early return. Demobilization, General March said, has returned 2,276,299 officers and men to civil life

PHYSICALLY FIT AT ANY AGE

It isn't age, it's careless living that puts men "down and out." Keep your internal organs in good condition and you will always be physically fit.

The kidneys are the most overworked organs in the human body. When they break down under the strain and the deadly uric acid accumulates and crystallizes look out! These sharp crystals tear and scratch the delicate urinary channels causing excruciating pain and set up irritations which may cause premature degeneration and often do turn into deadly Bright's Disease.

One of the first warnings of sluggish kidney action is pain or stiffness in the small of the back, loss of appetite, indigestion or rheumatism.

Do not wait until the danger is upon you. At the first indication of trouble go after the cause at once. Get a trial box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, imported direct from the laboratories in Holland. They will give almost immediate relief. If for any cause they should not, your money will be refunded. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. None other is genuine. In sealed boxes, three sizes.—Adv.

Revenge.

"You can get a seat pretty soon," said Claudine of the rapid fire restaurant, to a customer who was unable to find a vacant stool. "That gent will be through right away."

"Don't you believe it!" was the reply. "This skinny guy here is spending his money and eating himself sick just to keep me out of my lunch, because I took his girl away from him at the dance last night. I can stand it as long as he can."—Kansas City Star.

His Style.

"Did that rich fellow travel incognito?"

"No; he traveled in a Pullman."

Libby's Dried Beef
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A cream sauce poured over tender, uniformly wafer-like slices of Libby's Dried Beef makes a delightful luncheon at little cost. Ask your grocer today for Libby's Dried Beef.

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The Reason.

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"Why so now?"

"Because I feel it has only a fighting chance."

A fraction takes up as much room as a full-sized figure.

No, Not Always.

"A woman is as young as she looks," —but not always as young as she thinks she looks.—Boston Transcript.

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GRAND old "Bull" Durham. He belongs in this country's Hall of Fame. Can you think of a more familiar figure? For over half a century Bull has been part of the landscape; the tobacco he represents has made millions and millions of friends.

You can roll fifty-thrifty cigarettes from one bag.

The Government tax on 50 "Bull" Durham cigarettes that you roll yourself is less than 1½ cents, the Government tax on 50 machine-made cigarettes is 15 cents. It's real good sense to roll your own.

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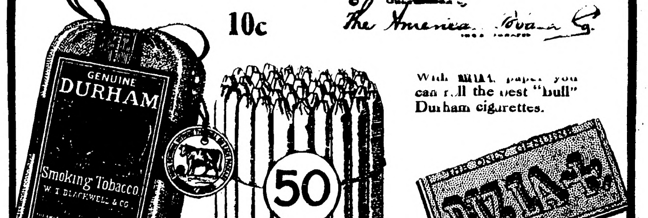

COMMUNITY DAY AUCTION SALE!

Wednesday June 11th

Woodman Hall and Main Street

Holt, Minnesota

Races Commence at 12 M. Noon

Mens, Boys, Ladies and Girls Foot Races

For Boys and Girls of 16 years and under   Adults under 100 years

Sale begins at 1 o'clock, sharp

Following is only a Partial List of many articles to be sold

3 sets of Harnesses   Mower   Hay rake   Gasoline engine
Steam engine   Paige auto   Reo runabout   Gasoline lamp
2 Gas lighting systems   2 Heating stoves   Cutter, other articles

Program begins at 3 o'clock P. M.

Address and Entertainment by Mr. Winden   Special Music

All business places will be closed from 1 until 4 o'clock

Get your lunches early before the arrival of the train and crowds

TERMS: On amounts of $10.00 and over, time will be given to Nov. 1st, 1919, on bankable notes bearing ten per cent interest. All amounts under $10.00 are payable in Cash.

Ole C. Brenna, Auctioneer   **Holt State Bank, Cerk**

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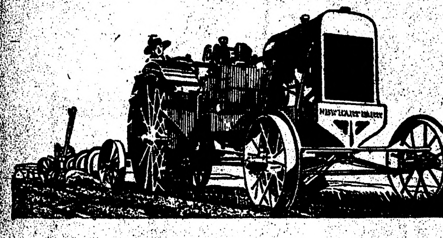

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Holt Chautauqua

MORTGAGE FORCLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Louis Olson, a single man, mortgagor, to Martin V. Evenson, mortgagee, dated March 23rd, 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on March 29th, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock A. M., in Book 74 of mortgages, on page 530 thereof; that such default consists in the failure to pay the installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1918, and another installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1919, and interest thereon, and the mortgagee has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount secured by said mortgage principal and interest, due and payable in accordance with the terms thereof; that the amout claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date is fifty-five dollars and eighty cents ($55.80); that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are Lots three (3) and four (4), and the South half (S½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section two (2), in Township one hundred and fifty-seven (157), North of Range thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in Marshall County, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the West front door of the Marshall County Court House in the City of Warren in said Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 7th day of July A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including taxes if any have been paid by the mortgagee, together with the cost of such sale and twenty-five dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated May 20th, 1919.

MARTIN V. EVENSON,
Mortgagee.

THEO. QUALE
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

Flags for sale at this office.

All Holt is looking for you to attend their big doings on June 11th.

For Sale;- Ford car, 1917 model in good condition. A. G. Bell's store, Rollis, Minn.

Big Meetings commence next week Thursday at the Free Mission church. Everyone invited.

Holt will have a three days Chautauqua sometime this summer, the date to be announced later. This should be a big Ad. for this community.

For Sale: Paige 5 passenger automobile in good running order. Electric lights and starter. Take it home for $475.00. Novelty Sales Co., Holt, Minn.

Little Viola Kieffer was the recipient of many nice presents Tuesday afternoon, it being her 6th birthday anniversary. Quite a number of happy little tots met at the Horn home where a fine time was spent. Ice cream and cake was served after which their Primary teacher, Miss Newton, took several pictures of the happy party. May Viola enjoy many happy returns of the day.

C. W. Christianson has improved the interior of his blacksmith shop by laying a cement floor therein.

The Red Cross held a reception at the schoo houlse Saturday night in honor of Misses Martha Peterson and Helen Johnson, who have been very faithful in this work during the two years they have been in Holt, and they will be greatly missed by all our people.

A short program was rendered after which lunch was served. An enjoyable time is reported.

"Rutabagas are the best vegetables to give succulence to winter rations for poultry" says "Uncle Norton" Chapman, extension specialist in poultry, and "uncle" of every boy and girl who raises poultry in Minnesota. "While mangels, beets and pumpkins are also used, rutabagas are to be preferred because of their market value and easy culture. They may be sown as late as the last week in June or early in July. Any soil that will grow potatoes will give a good crop of rutabagas.

Mid-Summer Chautauqua

Holt, Minn.

Be a Rousing Booster

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Torald Tharaldson,

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court:

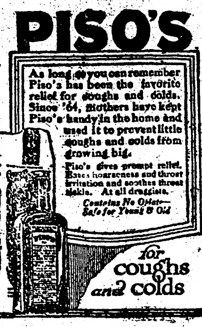
In the matter of the Estate of Torald Tharaldson.

The State of Minnesota to Liv. T. Brokke Tharaldson and all persons interested in the sale of all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Torald Tharaldson, The petition of Geo. W. Walker as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be sold and praying that a license be to Geo. W. Walker granted to sell the same:

NOW THEREFORE, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren, County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of June 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 3rd day of June, 1919.

[COURT SEAL]   Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate Court



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Notice of Annual Meeting

HOLT FARMERS ELEVATOR COMPANY

June 24th, 1919

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Holt Farmers Elevator Company will be held on the 24th day of June 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M. at the M. W. A. Hall, Holt, Minnesota, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and receiving and acting upon the report of the Officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

J. A. Sorum, Secretary

State Historical Society

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

June 27th is the date set to commence the Holt Chautauqua.

Peter Hanson was a business visitor in Roseau Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bjerk came up from Crookston Tuesday for a few days visit.

Come to Holt June 27th, see the big chautauqua tent and take in the afternoons entertainment.

Girl wanted for all around work at Hotel Holt. Enquire of Sorenson Bros. Props., Holt, Minn.,

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Docken and baby came Tuesday from Mekinock N. D. for a few days visit at the Docken home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Heinze returned home Tuesday from a few day visit with friends at Crookston and at Reynolds, No. Dak.

Red Cross meeting at the school house next Wednesday evening 8:30 June 25th. Important business and a full attendance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pavek of Gardina N. D. came Wednesday to visit the latters parents Mr. and Mrs. P. Riesberg and family.

Mrs. Albert Halverson and little son of Hillsboro, N. Dak., came Monday to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. Docken and family.

Special music and good singing at the Mission church, forenoons, afternoons and evenings, of Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 13-15.

Prof. Emil Prushek of Saum was here several days the past week, helping the school board with some difficult jobs, about building, hiring teachers, etc.

Miss Ida Knutson who has been employed at T. R. Falls for some time, came Tuesday accompanied by her niece, Miss Nella Knutson, for a visit with home folks.

The gospel meetings at the Mission church are being well attended and everyone is well pleased with the singing and speaking. The meetings continue over Sunday.

For Sale: A 15x30 Minneapolis gas tractor, used only two years. Will sell cheap for cash or trade for land. See Andrew Ness, Thief River Falls, or R. Reierson, Holt.

Miss Anna Knutson and Elmer Haglund were married at noon yesterday at the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Knutson, Rev. Ordahl officiating. Both bride and groom are favorably known and we join their friends in extending congratulations.

Carl Christoferson shipped out of here Tuesday with his household goods, cows and other belongings for Duluth. Mrs. Christoferson left here on Monday for Duluth, where they will make their home on a little farm of 20 acres which they have purchased near that city. All wish them success.

Army and Navy News

Otto Kuehne is expected home to day. All will be glad to see him again.

Ole Lee of Golden Valley returned home Tuesday from several months overseas service. At Crookston he learned that the land office were about to allow his homestead to be filed on again, but they soon changed their mind when he fold them he had just returned from France.

Ludvig Larson returned home Tuesday from Camp Dodge. Ludvig served over seas for several months, was in the midst of the hardest fighting in the Argonne and it is a wonder that he came thru alive. He is looking well and is mighty glad to get home again and all are pleased to give him a hearty welcome.

Rewards War Work

All Liberty loan workers have been awarded medals from captured German cannons. They were sent out by the government the past week and are of a very neat design.

A German helmet and a victory flag were received here Friday by B. Docken, chairman of the Liberty loan committee. These were awarded Holt village for going over the top in the Victory loan and all the other loans made by our government since the war commenced.

A Growing Institution

That the Holt creamery is giving general satisfaction is evidenced by the fact that very few farmers are shipping their cream away.

The cream from the Golden Valley station was brot here Saturday for the first time, as they were unable to get any service by shipping it away, and prompt service will be given them here.

The larger the make of the creamery the smaller the cost per lb to manufacture butter, therefore if the farmers will patronize their home creamery all concerned will be more prosperous.

Narrow Escapes

E. A. Johnson fell from a ladder Tuesday afternoon and twisted his wrist out of joint and perhaps also fractured the bone, but on account of the swelling it could not be told at the time. Mr. Johnson was doing some work on the porch of Dr. R. L. Olson's house when the ladder which was standing on the wet cement walk slipped causing him to fall eight feet with the above result. John Melquist took Mr. Johnson to Dr. Mellby, who did all that medical skill and surgery could do, and now he is getting along as well as could be expected.

Guy Anderson had a narrow escape from what might have been a terrible accident, Friday afternoon, when a pinon bolt broke and the front wheel of his car came off.

On account of the rains the road was very muddy where the accident occurred, but Mr. Anderson was running his auto at a very low speed, probably less then 10 miles an hour and he thinks that is the only thing which saved his auto from turning turtle. It, instead came to a very sudden stop but he received no injuries. After securing help the wheel was replaced and made secure by another bolt, enabling him to reach town again no worse for the interruption.

Boost the Chautauqua, talk the chautauqua and when writing your friends tell them all about the big 3 day chautauqua that is comming to Holt this summer.

Notice.

All soldier boys in this vicinity are requested to meet at the Holt public school grounds at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon June 22, for a preliminary drill for the 4th of July celebration at Middle River, which village wants to have the soldier boys help them celebrate the "Glorious Fourth."

If anyone who is willing to take part in the Middle River drill, but is unable to attend the drill here on June 22, will please notify Herb Severson, then all arrangements can be made for the soldiers part in the celebration.

Holt Chautauqua commences Friday June 27th.

T. O. Dovre is building a garage for his new auto.

Shorty Hamilton in "The Snail," at the movies to-night, Woodman hall.

Lieut. Hans O. Chommie has resumed the practice of law in Thief River Falls.

The Synod church has been raised preparatory to building a basement under it.

Hotel Holt was opened Wednesday for business under the management of Sorenson Bros.

Mrs. Woodstrom of Crookston came Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. A. Langlie for a few days.

Lars Sovde of Greenbush visited his son, Olai, at the confectionery store a short time Tuesday evening.

Red Lake Falls is soon to have four banks, dispite the expected drouth which commences July 1st.

Want several quarters cheap land, Open preferred.—Wadsworth,
829   Grand Forks, N. D.

Work is progressing nicely on D. B. Bakke's new house and on the new roof of Loyd Adams' house.

T. E. Ellestead went to Argyle Tuesday after his daughter, Gladys, who has been attending school there the past year.

The community auction sale Wednesday was held too late for this weeks paper and on account of it, will appear in our next issue.

The young people gave Willie Sorum a surprise party Saturday evening at the home of his parents. A general good time is reported.

Casper Dale shipped up a car of lumber Tuesday from Hendrum which he will use in building a house on his claim in Mud Lake.

Dr. Gambell left Monday for the long journey to Siberia where he will be employed by the Red Cross as one of their physicians in that country.

H. P. Stone and hired man returned Saturday to their home in Lakeville after being tied up here for a week or more, waiting for repairs for his auto.

Bro. Nordine of The Karlstad Advocate announces the arrival of a son at his home recently. Congratulations. May he make as good and wide awake a printer as his papa.

Carl Christoferson had his three Gurnseys cows tested last week for butter fat content. The milk from one cow tested .045 per cent butterfat, the other one .044 The heifer which will not be two years old until next month, tested 4 per cent.

In behalf of the Holt people, we wish to thank Bro. Carr of the Middle River Pioneer, for the words of praise given in his last weeks issue of the Memorial Day exercises, the banquet and the courteous treatment with which the Middle River Band was accorded while guests in our little village.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Dedication of the Golden Valley cemetery next Sunday, 11 o'clock. Picnic dinner served on the church grounds. All welcome.

Services at East Valley school house 3:30 P. M.

Nazareth Y. P. S. 8 o'clock Sunday eve, M. W. A. hall.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor

Free Mission Church

No Sunday School June 15th.

English services Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights. Scandianavian services Friday, Saturday and Sunday forenoons and afternoons.

Everyone invited to attend these meetings. Special music and good singing at all the services. Come.

STEINER ITEMS

Vivian Capp and Mr. Best called at the Rogers home Sunday.

Miss Grace Russell who has been attending normal school at St. Cloud the past school year arrived home the last of the week.

Willis Warring did trading in this place last Friday.

Nick Baker was a business caller in Thief River Falls last week.

Arthur Simonson and wife, Mrs. Agnus and Willis Warring called at the Rogers home one evening last week.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers departed for Pauora, Iowa, last Tuesday evening on the Soo flyer, being called to her old home by a dispatch from her sister, containing the sad news of the death of their mother. Mrs. R. will be gone several weeks.

The Minneapolis bridge crew completed the culvert at this place the past week.

S. R. Rogers did business in this place last Friday.

It is reported the 28th is in the U. S.; S. R. Rogers having had a letter from his son, Henry, who has been in France for about a year and a half, stating he was at Camp Merritt, N. Y., and would be home soon as they could unwind a string of red tape the government had rolled up that at place.

Lewis Meyers is rebuilding his barn these days, which will make a fine improvement to their farm when completed.

John Skomedahl is having a fine new residence built this summer on his farm.

Ed Werner lost his dog. did you see him?

Movies to-night.

Oslo is planning on a big picnic for June 25th.

Dehard Johnson is carrying his arm in a sling on account of a very bad felon on one of his fingers. He has had it lanced once and all are in hopes his hand will soon be well again.

Coughs that hurt

Piso's gives prompt and effective relief. It quickly soothes inflammation and irritation. Eases hoarseness; allays tickling.

Get Piso's from your druggist.

Contains No Opiate
Safe for Young and Old

PISO'S

Take Notice

The Town Board of Holt will meet at A. Lindolm's place at 10 o'clock A. M., and at Chas. Skoglund's place at 2 o'clock P. M., on June 21st 1919, to contract out some road work.

T. B. Folden,
Town Clerk.

Civil Service Notice.

The U. S. Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held in Thief River Falls June 27th to fill the vacancy of postmaster at Holt. This office paid $727 for the last fiscal year.

Application blanks, Form 1753, and full information can be obtained of the U. S. Civil Service Com., at Washington, D. C., or at the postoffice here in Holt.

Applications should be executed and filed with the C. S. Commission at Washington as soon as possible.

Middle River will celebrate.

Flags for sale at this office.

Tickets for sale by the business men.

Ludvig Knutson is not so well of late we are sorry to report.

Special summer course Northwest School of Agriculture, at Crookston, opens June 23.

Misses Anna Knutson and Mabel Haggland were Thief River Falls visitors Monday.

Misses Hilma Nyberg and Johanna Larson were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday forenoon.

~~Holt will have a three days Chau-~~tauqua sometime this summer, the date to be announced later. This should be a big Ad. for this community.

The Red Cross had some flags left over from Memorial day, which they desire to sell. Enquire at this office for prices.

Don't fail to attend the big gospel meeting's commencing next Thursday, June 12th, at the Mission church. Arrangements will be made to have some of the preaching in the English language.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the
Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

For Service

Pure Bred Jack

Commodore D, 3323

Color, black, white points

Will stand at my farm
3 & 1-2 north of Holt
Season of 1919

C. E. Smith, Owner

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Holt Cafe!

Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours

A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream

Olai Sovde, Prop.

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	[illegible]
Wheat No. 2	[illegible]
Wheat No. 3	[illegible]
Wheat No. 4	[illegible]
Flax	[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]
Barley	78 to 83
Rye	[illegible]
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Drs. Mellby & Paulson

McGinn Block

Thief River Falls

Office Phone 70
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167   Dr. Paulson [illegible]

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Dr. Biedermann

Physician and Surgeon

Thief River Falls

Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 207 Call 1, Residence 207 Call 2

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

City Barber Shop

Agency for

K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners

All work guaranteed satisfactory

Ernest Phillipson

Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Fam[illegible] for constipation.

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Holt Dray and Livery

H. Peterson, Prop.

Auto Livery

In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done
on short notice and at
Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at
reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

Moving Pictures to-night at the Woodman hall. See them.

News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

Personal

Miss Helen Herron Taft, daughter of former President Taft, has been chosen by the board of directors of Bryn Mawr college to serve as acting president of that institution next year.

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Washington

Postmaster General Burleson issued an order returning the telephone and telegraph systems of the country to private ownership, effective immediately. In a statement accompanying the formal order the postmaster general stated that the existing rates would remain in effect and that orders forbidding discharge of employees because of union affiliations also would stand.

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The United States government soon will lose the services of Frank L. Polk, acting secretary of state, and one of the strongest men in the administration. Polk has confided to his friends that his health will not permit him to continue his present duties.

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Checks amounting to $33,933,962 were mailed to 959,906 dependents of men in the military service in May by the bureau of war risk insurance.

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Appealing to the house judiciary committee for repeal of the war prohibition law, Adolph Neurad, chairman of the legislative committee of the Family Wine and Liquor Dealers' association, said that Senator Simmons told him last November the law would take care of itself July 1, and that he might as well "return to New York and not worry."

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Unanimous approval was given by the house to a resolution increasing the war expenditures committee to fifteen members so that five separate investigations of disposition of funds by the war department may be made.

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The $31,600,000 agricultural appropriation bill was passed by the house at Washington, with only one dissenting vote, and sent to the senate.

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The house woman suffrage resolution was adopted by the senate and the proposed constitutional amendment now goes to the states for ratification. The vote was 56 for adoption and 25 against, or one more than two-thirds majority required.

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Secretary Baker told the house military committee he had authorized the sale of $25,000,000 worth of surplus food stocks held by the army to the Co-operative Purchase society of Russia. Mr. Baker said that some of the food probably would reach the bolsheviki.

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Only by increased rates can the government controlled railroads meet operating expenses, Director General Hines told the house appropriations committee. He is opposed to any increase at this time, however, because it might advance the cost of necessities of life.

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Laxness in the cancellation of tax stamps will not be tolerated by the internal revenue bureau. Failure to comply is punishable by a fine of $100, says an order issued by the bureau.

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Foreign

The Swedish socialist newspaper Folkets Dagsblad of Copenhagen has received a telegram from Petrograd reporting that the forces of Admiral Kolchak of the Omsk government have been defeated on the south and center, while the northern front is shaking. The soviet troops are said to have captured 40,000 prisoners and 100 guns.

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The allies' answer to the counter proposals will be handed to the Germans before June 12, it was learned in Paris from an authoritative source.

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Petrograd has been captured by the Esthonians and the Finns, according to an unconfirmed report received by the newspaper Tidens Tegn of Christiania from Vardoe.

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The small powers have won a victory in their opposition to the limitation of armaments of the new states created from the former Austro-Hungarian empire, as incorporated in the Austrian peace treaty. The council of four in Paris has decided to eliminate the provisions for such limitation.

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Royalty paid honors to America's airmen when the prince of Wales attended a luncheon in London given in honor of Lieutenant Commander A. C. Read, skipper of the American naval seaplane NC-4, and his fellow flyers.

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Spokesmen for a big delegation of returned soldiers opposed to the general strike at Winnipeg told Mayor Gray that if the strike forces persisted in their efforts to curtail food supplies in Winnipeg they "would tear the Trades and Labor council to pieces."

Austria placed its fate in the hands of the allied and associated powers, following receipt of the peace terms, which were presented to the Austrian delegation. Under the terms of the treaty Austria is reduced from a nation of some 50,000,000 population to a country of between 6,000,000 to 7,000,000 nationals, occupying a territory something less than 40,000 square miles in area. From the old Austro-Hungarian empire are carved out the states of Hungary, Czecho-Slovakia, and the new Serb-Croat-Slovene nation, the independence of all of which Vienna is required to recognize. The remainder of the old Hapsburg empire is to be known as the republic of Austria.

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The Austrian government has decided unanimously that the peace terms presented at St. Germain are unacceptable, the Neues Abenblott of Vienna says.

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Six companies of the Three Hundred and Thirty-ninth infantry, aggregating 1,600 men, or approximately one-third of the American force on the Archangel front, constitute the first detachment to leave Russia. They embarked at Economia, the winter port of Archangel.

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Two changes in the German peace terms, one territorial and the other financial, are being considered by the council of four, it became known in Paris. The financial question is the possibility of the acceptance of Germany's proposal to bind herself to pay a total indemnity of $25,000,000,000. The second proposal is for a plebiscite in Silesia.

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How Count Apponyi, former Hungarian minister of education, fled across the Danube in a rowboat and, begging the new Czecho-Slovak government not to deport him, promised to become a faithful subject, is told in official dispatches received in Washington.

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The big four has decided to call in the Turkish peace delegates, according to an unofficial report from Paris. The exact date has not been fixed.

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Domestic

In an address before the United Spanish-American War Veterans at Cedar Rapids, Ia., Gov. W. L. Harding of Iowa accused the city government of Chicago of being un-American and pro-German.

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A reign of terror, with wholesale bombings and killings, to be followed by the calling of a general strike throughout the country and seizure of cities and towns isolated by the tie-up of transportation facilities, was planned by the plotters to follow the bombing raid. This is the declaration of a member of the military intelligence bureau at Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Eighty-five miners were killed and forty wounded in a tunnel of the Delaware and Hudson Coal company near Wilkesbarre, Pa., when a car of black powder attached to the train carrying the workers was exploded by a broken electric wire which fell on the car.

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Immediately upon receipt of Postmaster General Burleson's order returning the telephone and telegraph systems to private ownership, a strike of all Western Union telegraph employees in the Southeast was called by S. J. Konenkamp, international president of the Commerical Telegraphers' Union of America. The strike is effective immediately and is an extension of the present Atlanta Western Union strike.

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Improvement in shipping conditions at the seaboard have been such that railroad administration officials said the permit system for moving the new grain crop probably would not be put into effect before the end of the month.

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A shortage of upwards of $1,000,000 in the accounts of Jackson (Mich.) prison has been discovered, according to a report made by the Detroit Trust company to the special session of the state legislature

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Three men were killed and four injured at Hopkins, Mich., when the boiler in the creamery there exploded, wrecking the plant and shaking the entire village.

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The "flying circus" comprising six army airships landed at Chicago after a flight from Indianapolis. The machines will give exhibition flying in Chicago for several days.

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Two men were shot to death and two were seriously wounded in a riot growing out of the labor disturbances involving 13,000 employees of the Willys-Overland Automobile company at Toledo. The victims, presumably idle employees of the company, were killed by discharged soldiers who are guarding the plant. Mayor Schreiber wired Gov Cox for troops to restore order.

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The entire One Hundred and Twenty-ninth infantry, which reached Camp Grant for demobilization, is under quarantine as the result of the death of Private Ed Johnson of Belvidere, Ill., who died at Camp Merritt, N. J., from spinal meningitis.

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Terrorists who think they can overthrow the United States government by violence were warned by William G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury, that they had come to the wrong place. Mr. McAdoo made the statement in an address at New York.

KEYMEN'S STRIKE WILL COVER U. S.

Called for Wednesday, June 11, to Affect All Big Telegraph and Telephone Lines.

100,000 MEN MAY QUIT

Non-Union Men Expected to Join—Wire and Postoffice Officials Think Situation Is Not Serious.

Chicago, June 9.—A nation-wide strike of telegraph and telephone operators who are members of the C. T. U. A. was ordered Saturday to take effect Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock, standard time. The order was issued at general headquarters of the union here on telegraphic instructions from S. J. Konenkamp, international president, who was in Pittsburgh on his way to Chicago.

The strike order is declared to apply to employes of the Western Union Telegraph company, the American Telephone and Telegraph company, and the Postal Telegraph and Cable company, with its associated institutions.

It was estimated at headquarters here that the strike would affect between 60,000 and 100,000 individuals, of whom nearly 25,000 were said to be members of the union. Outside of the union ranks, it was said, many wire workers had pledged themselves to support a strike.

The strike is called in support of a telephone walkout in Atlanta, where workers allege some of their numbers had been dismissed for union affiliations.

Newton Carlton, head of the Western Union Telegraph company in New York is quoted as predicting that the strike "will amount to nothing," and as assuring the public that there will be no delay in handling their messages. Postoffice officials in Washington have expressed the same belief.

ARRESTS FOLLOW PLAN TO DEFRAUD THE GOVERNMENT

Army Officers and Others Held in Detroit on Serious Charge.

Detroit, Mich., June 9.—With the arrest here of four men, one of them an army officer, department of justice agents disclosed an alleged conspiracy to defraud the government in the sale of $30,000,000 worth of army supplies to be salvaged here.

The United States grand jury has returned indictments, it was announced, against Captain Sotarios Nicholson, of Washington, chief finance officer of the ordnance department for this district; an unnamed army officer recently sent to France in connection with the disposal of excess supplies; Grant Hugh Browne, a millionaire sportsman and racetrack owner of Detroit; and Fred C. Collins, vice consul for Greece and president of a local realty company.

All but the officer in France, together with Bert Harris, a New York junk dealer, are held at Fort Wayne for trial. Harris, who, it is alleged, was to dispose of the material, will be arraigned before the grand jury Tuesday. The arrests came, department of justice officials said, after the first deal in the alleged plot was put through at Rochester, N. Y., Thursday.

Cables Note to President.

Washington, June 9.—Acting Secretary of State Polk has cabled President Wilson the senate resolution calling on the state department for delivery of the peace treaty.

Officials believe here President Wilson cannot release the treaty without the consent of the French and British leaders. Both the French chamber of deputies and the British house of commons, it is stated, are as anxious to get the treaty as the American senate is. That Lloyd George or Clemenceau will consent to publication of the treaty is doubted.

Texas Wants Border Guard

Washington, June 9.—Declaring the Mexican situation is so critical that a large force of troops on the border is necessary to protect lives and property of citizens, Governor Hobby of Texas has requested Secretary Baker to call into the federal service the first and second brigades of Texas cavalry and to mobilize them at a convenient point. The war department has telegraphed the commanding general of the southern department, asking his views.

No Reserve Camps

Washington, June 9.—There will be no training camps for civilians and reserve officers this summer, the war department today advised C. B. Pike, chairman of Military Training Camps association.

Bandits Get $4,000 From Iowa Bank.

Sioux City, Ia., June 9.—Four robbers held up the Leeds bank at Leeds, a suburb of Sioux City, locked the bank's cashier and clerk in a vault, took nearly $4,000 in cash and $22,000 in Liberty bonds and escaped. A customer who entered the bank while the robbers were at work mistook one of the men for a bank employe and asked him to cash a check. "Certainly we can cash a check," the robber said as he knocked the customer unconscious with a blow on the head.

ORDERS GO INTO EFFECT AT ONCE

Postmaster General Gives Up Control of Telegraph and Telephone Lines.

SEVERAL RULES STAND

Companies Are Prohibited From Discriminating Against Union Employes and Existing Rates Remain in Effect.

Washington, June 7.—Postmaster General Burleson has ordered telegraph and telephone companies whose lines have been controlled and operated by the government since Aug. 1 to resume immediately operations for their own account.

The Postoffice department, however, under terms of Mr. Burleson's order, retains a measure of control of the services, pending final action by congress.

Regulations prohibiting discrimination against wire employes because of union affiliations, maintaining existing rates and charges and instructing companies to keep special accounts to facilitate settlement between themselves and the government are retained in effect under the order issued by the postmaster general.

Says Duty Prompted Him.

Mr. Burleson accompanied the order with a statement giving the reasons which impelled him to take the action. He asserted that the President having recommended the return of the properties, the senate interstate commerce committee having indicated that immediate return was advisable and the house committee having, through hearing, manifested a desire for action toward that end, he felt it his duty to return operative control to the various private owners.

Strikes threatened by telephone and telegraph employes' unions had no bearing on the department's action, officials said.

One Control Board Retained.

The order abolishes the wire operating board of which Union N. Bethel of New York is chairman, but the wire control board, consisting of John A. Koons, first assistant postmaster general, W. H. Lamar and the statistical and legal staff, will continue to exercise the control retained by the order until the government's connection with the wire systems is ended.

Contracts for compensation and awards by state commissions remain in effect under the order as well as the increased toll rates, service connection charges and special exchange rates recently authorized by the postmaster general. Special arrangements are provided for compensating mutual and co-operative companies.

DEMONSTRATION ON JULY 4

Planned by Reds as Part of Plot Against Government.

Washington, June 7.—The word is being passed through "Red" circles for a demonstration on July 4, government officials here have been informed.

According to these reports the "May day" outbreaks, the June 2 bomb outrages and the July Fourth plot spectacle constitute a progressive series of demonstration against the government.

As a result every precautionary measure is being taken by officials to thwart the "reds" insofar as the existing laws permit

Congress is preparing legislation to further the government's campaign against the menace.

NEARLY TWO BILLION DEBT

Canadian Government Plans to Raise Income Tax.

Ottawa, June 7.—Canada's debt when expenditures authorized for the current year are made, will aggregate $1,950,000,000 or $220 per capita, Sir Thomas White, minister of finance, announced in a discussion of the Dominion budget in the House of Commons.

A large increase in the income tax will be authorized as one of the measures to meet the Dominion's obligations

BADGER LAWMAKERS READY

Will Vote on Suffrage Amendment When It Arrives.

Madison, Wis., June 7.—The Wisconsin legislature will pass the federal suffrage amendment as soon as it is received here. Secretary of State Merlin Hull telegraphed to Senator L. L. Lenroot asking when it might be expected. Two other suffrage bills have been adopted by this legislature with large majorities.

Quarantine of Regiment Lifted

Rockford, Ill., June 7.—Quarantine of the 129th Infantry, 33rd division at Camp Grant, due to death of a Belvidere soldier from spinal meningitis, has been lifted.

Galli-Curci Hits Back.

Chicago, June 7.—Amelita Galli-Curci, opera singer, through her attorney denied all charges against her character made in a recent answer to her bill for divorce, which was filed by her husband. At the same time she filed an affidavit alleging that Curci has $25,000 in Italian securities which rightfully belong to her. She asked that $15,000 of this amount be paid her at once as her support pending determination of her suit.

GERMANY IN NEW WAR

Esthonians Start Military Operations Against Huns.

Superior Teuton Detachment Forces Retirement of Defenders, Says Dispatch From Helsingfors.

London, June 10.—The Esthonian general staff considers itself forced to start military operations against the Germans, says a Helsingfors dispatch to the Mail. This action is in consequence of the action of the Germans in the Riga district in advancing behind the bolshevik lines for the purpose of occupying the eastern frontier of Livonia, which, with a treacherous attack upon the Esthonians by the German cavalry under orders from General von der Goltz, commander of the German forces in the Baltic region, it is said, unmasked the Germans as accomplices of the bolsheviki.

Clash With Germans.

Stockholm, June 10. — Esthonian forces have clashed with German landwehr troops in the region east of Riga, where Lettish detachments also have been in serious fighting with the Germans, according to an official statement issued at Esthonian headquarters. The statement says:

Fighting with German landwehr forces is proceeding in the Ramosck sector. Esthonian troops sent to reinforce Lettish forces, which had been in combat with the Germans, have been forced to retire after violent fighting with superior landwehr detachments. Several detachments raised by the Baltic barons have been repulsed by our armored trains. The fighting continues.

The capture of Kreitzburg has occurred and the Esthonians captured a large number of prisoners.

TEXT WILL GO INTO RECORD

Senate Acts on Treaty Copy Brought to U. S. by Correspondent.

Washington, June 10.—A copy of the German peace treaty brought to this country by Frazier Hunt, war correspondent, was presented in the senate by Senator W. E. Borah (rep.) of Idaho, and by a vote of 47 to 24 ordered put in the Congressional Record and printed as a public document. All the votes against publication were cast by democrats with the exception of that by Senator P. J. McCumber of North Dakota (rep.). Senator C. S. Thomas (dem.), Colorado, forced a rollcall, refusing unanimous consent for publication.

CABLES ABOUT TREATY "LEAK"

Wilson Sends Message to Hitchcock Regarding Matter.

Washington, June 10.—Senator G. M. Hitchcock, author of the senate resolution for an investigation of how the peace treaty with Germany reached private interests in New York, has received a cablegram from President Wilson. He declined to make it public until it could be presented to the foreign relations committee which was to meet to make plans for the inquiry.

DANIELS' PLAN IS APPROVED

House Committee O. K.'s 250,000 Figure Till Oct. 1.

Washington, June 10 In framing the 1920 appropriation bill the House naval affairs committee approved Secretary Daniels' recommendation that the enlisted personnel be fixed at 250,000 until Oct. 1.

From that date to Jan 1, Mr Daniels wanted 225,000 men The committee voted to put the maximum for that period at 200 000 and 175,000 thereafter, the number asked by the department.

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK

Minneapolis Grain

Minneapolis, June 9. — Oats July, [illegible]½c. Rye, July, $1 47⅛. Barley, July, $1 10½; September, $1 06⅝.

South St Paul Live Stock.

South St Paul, June 9 · Estimated receipts at the Union Stock Yards: Cattle, 1,000; calves, 400; hogs, 11,000; sheep, 100; cars, 221. Cows, $7.50@12.75; calves, $8.50@14; hogs, $19.35@19.50; sheep and lambs $7@13.50.

Minneapolis Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Minneapolis, June 9. — BUTTER— Extra, 51c; extra firsts, 48c; firsts, 47c; seconds, 46c; dairies, 40c, packing stock, lb, 39c.

EGGS -- Fresh prime firsts, new cases, free from rots, small, dirties and checks out, per doz, 38c; current receipts, rots out, $10.50, checks and seconds, doz, 30c; dirties, candled, doz, 30c. Quotations on eggs include cases.

LIVE POULTRY— Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs and over, 28c; thin, small, cripples and culls, unsalable; stags and cocks, 16c; ducks, 24c; geese, lb, 15c; hens, 4 lbs and over, 28c; under 4 lbs, 24c; guineas, doz, $9; broilers, all sizes, lb, 42c.

Predicts Bridge of Boats

London, June 10.—Commander [illegible] Towers, skipper of the NC-3 and "admiral" of the fleet of three American seaplanes which attempted a trans-Atlantic flight, predicts that a permanent bridge of boats will connect America and Europe within five years. These boats would serve as an aid both to aerial and aquatic navigation. A chain of light ships, each a floating meteorological station, will mark the air routes to Europe" Commander Towers declared.

IDEAL FARM LANDS

Minnesota Man at Last Found What He Sought.

After Long Search, the Wondrous Productiveness of Western Canada Was Pointed Out, and He Is Going There.

He farmed for a number of years near Windom, Minnesota, and as Mr. O. S. Marcy told it, he had done well. He had made sufficient money to see him and his wife through their remaining days.

"But there were the boys," said Mrs. Marcy, "and six of them, too—some of the six not yet back from 'overseas.' Yes, we are proud of them," the fond mother said, "but, oh! my, we had no girl," and she bemoaned that. These boys had to be looked after. "Why not settle them about you in your own neighborhood? You have good land there, splendid neighbors, and everything that might be desired."

"Yes, that is all true," replied this estimable lady, "but the land is so high-priced we couldn't afford to buy there, although worth every cent asked for it. You see we have six boys, and they are good one, too."

So, one day, three years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Marcy rigged up the automobile for a touring trip. They wanted to investigate for the boys' benefit. The journey lasted for a year. It took them through Arizona with its varied scenery, its climatic and agricultural attractions; into the canyons of Colorado they went, and the agricultural possibilities there aroused a large amount of interest. Still undecided, down into the valleys of California the automobile went. Fruit orchards were plentiful, grain fields were attractive, but the psychological time had not arrived. Reversing their way, they passed through Washington, Oregon and Montana and home. A year's journey and no results. "Oh, yes," Mr. Marcy said, "we had a delightful time, enjoyed it all but the day and night up in Colorado, when we were held up by a wonderful snowstorm; we and six others. Planking the snow embankment, we came through safely, if a trifle inconvenienced."

It was interesting to hear these people talk. Their practical minds showed that they had not lacked opportunities for observation. They could not find what they wanted for the boys. When he was between twenty and twenty-five years of age, Mr. Marcy pictured to himself the kind of a home he wanted. He reared a family of boys and had yet to find such a place. His year's journey had been fruitless in that respect.

One day he decided he would try what Western Canada could do. He had read of it, and he had friends there who had done well. He toured the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. He saw the vast prairies, yielding their twenty and twenty-five, and as high as forty bushels of wheat, with enormous yields of other grains. The north central country, which afforded the grass and the shelter that made stock-raising a valuable adjunct to the growing of grain, was visited, interviews were had with the settlers, many from his own home district, and all were satisfied.

Only the other day he arranged for a car in which he will load his effects to be taken to the Alberta farm he had purchased when on his visit. Mrs. Marcy goes with him, and the six boys will follow He found the place he had pictured in his mind when he was twenty or twenty-five years old. "I was unable to find it until I made my Western Canada visit. I bought the farm, and I am satisfied When I saw a carload of four-year-old steers brought into the Edmonton market, weighing 1,700 pounds, that had never been inside a building nor fed a bit of grain, I was glad I had made up my mind."—Advertisement.

Even in Siam.

Examining commercial possibilities in Siam, a commercial report makes it clear that the country offers a larger unexploited field for piano manufacturers than for the makers of phonographs. With the exception of the phonograph Siam still prefers the musical instrument of its ancestors The Siamese orchestra contents itself with gongs, native harmoniums, and so forth. Indeed, the only western instruments known to the Siamese are the piano, a small portable organ, and the phonograph. The piano and the organ, however, are rare, and are kept more for ornament than for anything else. But the phonograph is popular and is already to be found in nearly every Siamese family that is able to afford it

Dead Statute.

"This is an enlightened community."

"How's that?"

"If a landlord refuses to rent an apartment to a couple with children he can be haled to court and fined."

"That's the right idea. How does it work?"

"Not worth a cent. There's no law to prevent a landlord from boosting the rent to a prohibitive figure."—Birmingham Age Herald.

The rapid progress of the world also gives greater inventive powers of cussedness.

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FAMOUS PEACE TREATIES

By H. IRVING KING

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TREATY OF GHENT, 1814.

Treaty Ending the War of 1812 Signed a Month Before War's Biggest Battle.

There are many curious facts about our second war with England, among which may be mentioned that the greatest battle of the war was fought after the treaty of peace had been signed and that negotiations for peace began at about the same time as the declaration of war. The United States declared war on Great Britain on June 19, 1812, and Napoleon declared war on Russia four days later. As England was an ally of Russia, whatever harmed England at such a crisis had more or less effect on Russia. Czar Alexander, much disturbed at this new complication, directed his minister of foreign affairs to sound John Quincy Adams, the American minister, at the court of St. Petersburg, as to the mediation of Russia, making a similar proposal to the British ambassador. Both Mr. Adams and the British ambassador reported to their respective governments.

It is rather remarkable that the czar should have interested himself so much, for in the great struggle of the Napoleonic wars the United States had been treated by Europe as a negligible quantity, and her neutral rights coolly disregarded by every nation. She had been protesting for twelve years and her protests were disregarded as petty annoyance which nations engaged in more serious matters had not time to consider. There was hardly a nation in Europe that we could not have found a cause for going to war with.

Why England Was Chosen.

However, England had acted perhaps a trifle more "nasty" than the others and we chose England. The war was exceedingly unpopular in some parts of the country, especially New England, which talked secession. When President Madison received Mr. Adams' communication he appointed James A. Bayard of Delaware and Albert Gallatin, then secretary of the treasury, to proceed to St. Petersburg and join the American minister there in negotiating a peace. Mr. Adams called upon Count Roumanzoff, Russian minister of foreign affairs, and informed him that the two new commissioners were on their way. Count Roumanzoff was very sorry, really, but the British government had replied that the question at issue between England and the United States was not one which could be settled by mediation. Meantime, Gallatin and Bayard had got as far as Gottenburg on their way to Russia. Anxious to keep Russia from mixing up in the matter, Lord Castlereagh, when he heard the commission were at Gottenburg, sent word to the czar that he wished he would not push his point about mediation and he would deal with the United States direct, either at London or Gottenburg. But the commissioners went on to St. Petersburg and there waited, from July, 1813, to January, 1814, and nothing happened. Communication between London and Washington was rather slow in those days at the best, and especially slow in war times, so it was not until January 3 of 1814 that a note from Lord Castlereagh, dated November 4 of the previous year, and proposing direct negotiations, was received by Mr. Monroe, secretary of state. Two days later the whole correspondence was laid before congress and the peace commission was enlarged by the addition of Henry Clay and Jonathan Russell, an able merchant of Rhode Island who had before served in minor diplomatic positions. Ghent was appointed as the place of conference, but England was in no hurry to begin negotiations.

Battle Month After Treaty Signed.

But England stood committed to the negotiations and in August, after keeping the American delegates waiting six weeks, the British delegates appeared. The British delegates were men of little experience and no ability, and did nothing but voice the opinions of the English government. The British demanded a discussion of the right of search and the question of allegiance, a revision of the Canadian boundary, a discussion of the right of fishing on the Grand Banks, and the erection of an Indian buffer state out of the territory of the United States.

The Americans replied that they had no instructions regarding the Indians or the fisheries; these matters were not in dispute. But with regard to the search of American vessels and the impressment of her seamen they had very full instructions; also with regard to the Canadian boundary, the right of blockade and the payment of indemnity to American citizens.

But Castlereagh sent word asking them to wait. Wellington was asked to go to America and take command. He said he would go, of course, if ordered, but saw little use of a land campaign there unless control of the Great Lakes could be gained, and that seemed improbable. He also thought England was asking too much. Fresh instructions were given to the British delegates at Ghent and the conference reassembled. At length, after bickering with the British commissioners and fiery quarrels among themselves by the American delegates, a treaty was signed on December 24, 1814, which left all the vital questions of the war unsettled and was "peace in its simplest form," a cessation of hostilities, the release of prisoners and a commission to settle the boundary. The news of the signing of the treaty reached New York on Februrary 11, 1815. The battle of New Orleans occurred on January 8 over a month after the treaty had been signed which so carefully avoided even alluding to the causes of the war which it ended.

CONGRESS OF VIENNA, 1815—SECOND SESSION.

After Napoleon's Defeat at Waterloo, the Interrupted Peace Delegates Took Up Their Work Again and Divided Europe, Regardless of the Desires of the People, in a Way Destined to Bring Warfare to Later Generations.

After the "Reign of the Hundred Days" and the crushing defeat of Napoleon at Waterloo, the congress of Vienna reassembled, meeting in June, when the smoke of Waterloo had scarcely cleared away. The delegates came again to the council table with an appetite for plunder, whetted by the exciting events of the recess. They looked upon their former work and found it good, but capable of being improved. The idea that the Italians, who were handed over to a German rule; Poles, who were handed over to Prussian and Russian rule, or the Norwegians, who were transferred to the rule of Sweden, should have any voice in the matter, seems not to have weighed with the map-makers.

Large armies were still kept under arms in France and Italy. Murat, the sergeant of marines whom Napoleon had made a marshal of France and king of Naples, had deserted the emperor when things went against him in 1814, hoping thus to keep his throne of Naples and the two Sicilies. But Murat knew that the congress of Vienna was seeking some excuse to oust him and dispose of his kingdom; that they would, by hook or crook, find such an excuse, and so, when Napoleon broke out from Elba, he declared for the emperor. Whereupon an allied army promptly drove him out of Naples. Now the congress gave Murat's kingdom to that line of the Bourbons which had formerly reigned there, whose misrule had been a scandal to Europe.

The congress spent a very agreeable summer and fall in completing their work. When it was concluded Austria had not only northern Italy but Dalmatia on the eastern shore of the Adriatic confirmed to her. Prussia, which had proved the most greedy land-grabber of all the nations, had not only half of Saxony and a slice of Poland, but the extensive Rhine provinces and Swedish Pomerania. Sardinia was restored to the status of a kingdom and Genoa on the mainland was added to it. The territory of Switzerland was enlarged and the Roman church states restored to the pope. Spain was declared the rightful property of the Bourbons. A Germanic confederation, with Austria at its head, which embraced all Germany except West and East Prussia and the duchy of Posen, was formed. England had Ceylon, part of Guiana, Heligoland, Cape Colony, Malta, Mauritius, etc., confirmed to her and was given a protectorate over the Ionian islands off Greece.

The Congress Is Dissolved

Having thus settled the affairs of Europe, the congress dissolved, well pleased with its work. The peace of Europe had been settled as every other peace had been, on the basis of what the continental powers were able to seize for their own aggrandizement and left, as Whitbread had predicted, the seeds of "bloody and revengeful wars."

Napoleon said afterwards at St Helena of the British part in it: 'So silly a treaty was never signed before; they gave up everything and got nothing."

It was the exhaustion of Europe by nearly twenty years of war and the intense longing of people for peace that enabled the arrangements of the congress of Vienna to be carried out without violent uprising on the part of the bartered nationalities.

Home of Pump Inventor

Magdeburg was the home of Otto von Guericke inventor of the air pump, one of the few original inventions that can be credited to Germany despite the German fostered impression to the contrary. Students of physics will recall a principle of physics proved by what is often called the "Magdeburg experiment." Von Guericke is said to have demonstrated his discovery of the possibilities of the vacuum to Ferdinand III by clamping together two parts of a copper sphere, from which the air was then exhausted and hitching 15 horses to each hemisphere The story that the horses could not pull the hemispheres apart may be an exaggeration, but the principle is sound.

HIGH ON SCROLL OF FAME

Is Written the Name of Frank Luke, One of the Best of American Air Fighters.

What Lieutenant Luke, famous American aviator, would, and often did, attempt was illustrated by his last fight. Starting out alone to attack three "drachens," or observation balloons, he had seen behind the German lines in front of Verdun, he was intercepted by ten enemy machines. He engaged them all, got two of them, and escaped the others by seeming himself to be disabled. His "fall" was from directly over the balloons, and before they could be lowered or protected he shot all three of them in flames. But then Luke disappeared, and what became of him was not known until after the armistice.

When the allies entered the village of Murvaux the rest of the story was learned from the peasants. The American had been forced by wounds or the disablement of his machine to descend, but he did not land until he had used his machine gun to the extent of killing eleven of the many German soldiers stationed there. Then he alighted safely in a nearby field and was seen to quit his machine and start for a little stream as if to get water. German soldiers ran up, and either by them or by a shot from further away he was killed. The German officer in command kicked the body and ordered that no one touch it. There it lay till the next morning, when the villagers were allowed to take it, uncovered, in a cart, to their cemetery and bury it.

So ended Frank Luke at the age of 20. He had lived much, if not long, and down in Phoenix, Ariz., where he was born, they are justly proud of him. He does not lack appreciation elsewhere, for Captain Rickenbacker says: "Had he lived he would have put me out of business long ago as America's leading ace. I wouldn't have had a show against him."

Bruges of Today.

Mrs. B. O. Tufnell, writing in reference to Bruges, says: "I think it may be of interest to you to know that Bruges is extraordinarily little changed since the war. We were most agreeably surprised to find our things left behind intact and only one case had been opened. The hotel was still well run and comfortable, and the food was good, only the pre-war prices had changed for the worse! The beautiful old city looked much the same as before. The carillon is still pealing in the belfry, and few of the public buildings have suffered. The port has been greatly altered, and there the signs of war are very evident, not only in the huge works started by the enemy, but in the effectual destruction of them by our airmen. The shops are open, and the life of Bruges goes on as it did. Only the welcome appearance of khaki-clad men or businesslike W. A. A. C.'s strikes a strange note in the cobbled spaces of the Grande Place."

Memorial to Great Naval Deed.

Were it possible for the British people to forget that greatly daring naval deed of the war known by the uninspiring title of the Zeebrugge raid, the present movement on foot to commemorate it will assure for it perpetual fame. Happily the initiative has been taken by the city of Bruges, so there is not the slightest element of vain glory in the idea of a memorial to be erected on a suitable site within a few yards of the spot where the blockships Intrepid and Iphigenia were successfully sunk. The actual sinking of these vessels for the purpose of preventing the German submarines using the canal to Bruges was rendered possible only by the gallantry of the attack made by the old cruiser Vindictive, which was afterward sunk across the fairway at Ostend. Standing on an elevation, the monument will be visible far out to sea.—Christian Science Monitor.

Suspense Worse Than Attack.

There are sailors who will tell that the actual torpedoing of a vessel was not very much worse than the suspense and the many false alarms—any of which might have proved to be an enemy submarine. A merchant captain was looking out to sea one day when in the distance he thought he saw something dark and round. He watched to see whether it would move It did move, and then suddenly it dived There was no time to do anything since he did not know from what direction the torpedo might come. He waited. To his horror the dark, round object rose from the waves only 30 yards away from the boat. He said it was the worst moment in his life until he realized on further inspection that the "periscope" was in actual fact a large seal with a dirty yellow neck and a full crop of whiskers

War and Roller Skates.

It is a far cry from the world [illegible] a child's roller skates, but according to the fashion expert of Popular Mechanics Magazine roller skates of the latest approved model are after the style of British fighting tanks. Novelty always being uppermost in the juvenile heart it matters not that the new skates are a bit snowshoelike in size. The new skates are like all others except that they are surrounded by tanklike bodies made of light sheet metal.

[illegible] "How do you happen to have [illegible] luck with [illegible]?" asked [illegible]

"[illegible]" [illegible] gardener "and [illegible] the ground a [illegible] spray them a lot, and work with them a lot."

Highway Improvement

PLAN TO MAKE A ROAD DRAG

Illustration Shows an Implement Which Is Simple and Inexpensive—Tough Wood Best.

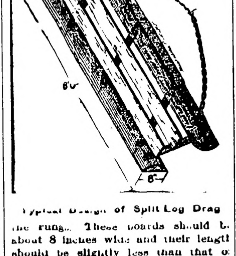
(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The accompanying illustration shows a typical design for a road drag, which is very simple and inexpensive. The design contemplates the use of an ordinary log of timber, such as may be readily obtained in almost every locality. The log should be about 7 or 8 inches in diameter and from 6 to 8 feet long, and should preferably be of hard, tough wood which will not decay very rapidly when exposed to the weather. White oak, burr oak, chestnut, cedar, hickory, walnut, or any similar wood may be satisfactorily used, provided that it is well seasoned before the drag is put into use. Railroad ties have been frequently used for this purpose and possess the advantage that they are already cut to about the right length. In selecting the tie, however, care should be exercised to see that it is of sound wood and of the proper size.

The drag is made by splitting or sawing the log into two equal semi-cylinders, which are then framed together in the manner shown in the illustration. The better of the two pieces should form the front runner of the drag, because it is the one subjected to the greater wear. Moreover, while the front runner should always be placed with the face forward, it is claimed by many that better results may be obtained by having the round part of the back runner go forward in order to increase the smearing action of the drag. The two runners are usually spaced from about 30 inches to 36 inches apart, and are connected in ladder fashion by means of cross stakes or rungs.

The ends of the rungs are ordinarily fitted into 2-inch auger holes, bored in the runners, and are securely held in place by means of end wedges. The auger holes are so arranged that the runners, when framed together, will be displaced in a longitudinal direction with respect to each other. The object of this displacement, or offset as it is usually termed, is to make the ends of the front and back runners follow approximately the same line on the road while the drag is in operation. The amount of displacement, therefore, should depend on the amount of skew necessary to make the drag empty itself. But since this skew varies with the condition of the road surface, the proper offset to be given to runners cannot be definitely fixed Under ordinary conditions an offset of from about 12 inches to about 16 inches will prove satisfactory.

In order to make it easy for a man to stand upon the drag and to shift his weight properly when dragging over a hard surface, the drag should be provided with two 1-inch boards parallel to the runners and nailed down to the rungs. These boards should be about 8 inches wide and their length should be slightly less than that of the runners of the drag



Typical Design of Split Log Drag

The chain by means of which the drag is drawn should be about 8 feet long and its links should be made of three-eighths-inch steel. On light drags two trace chains may be used for this purpose

Many road drags constructed as above described, without metal-cutting edges or other modifications, have been very satisfactorily used where the conditions were favorable. It is evident, however, that such drags are effective only on comparatively soft road surfaces, and to diminish this limitation and also to increase the life of the drag it is very desirable to provide a metal cutting edge for the front runner. An excellent edge of this kind may be made from a strip of iron or steel about one-fourth inch thick and about four inches wide, and even old wagon tires or wornout grader blades have been very satisfactory.

GOOD ROADS ARE NECESSITY

Add to Joy and Comfort of Country and City Life—National Problem for Everybody

[illegible] roads will add to the joy [illegible] comfort of country and city life. They are a public necessity. The problem is a township problem, a county problem, a state problem, a national problem, a problem of men and women of all business and industrial life that deserves united co-operation.

JUST PALS

By BESSIE SLAVIT.

"What shall I do? He is coming home!"

For weeks past these thoughts filled the mind of Fay Foster, who had drifted into a kind of informal engagement with Bob Baxter before he left for France.

It had been a boy and girl friendship. Both popular, Bob and Fay were constantly together during their senior year in high school. Everywhere, at baseball, at dances, at school entertainments, Bob was her faithful escort. As he possessed admirable qualities, he was a very congenial companion; most particularly, because he always strove to please Fay.

But that was four years ago, when Fay was only eighteen. She had changed considerably since then, and the chief factor in her change was her acquaintance with Hugh Wrentham.

How well she remembered meeting him at a dance two years ago.

Hugh was older than Bob and had traveled a great deal. It was interesting to hear a recital of his travels; she could listen forever for the sheer enjoyment of hearing his voice. What a delightful spring and summer they spent together!

Then the parting! Alas! it was the only sad experience in her young life—that parting from Hugh.

Fay had never written to Bob about Hugh—Bob, who admired her so much and was so proud of his "little pal," as he called her.

Now, Bob was coming home—he might call at the house this very afternoon! How could she tell him! How could she hurt him, he who was so easily wounded in his deep regard for her.

She perceived two men in uniform coming at a quick pace towards the house. She arose from the big armchair in which she had been nervously knitting, walked to the window and peered out. Yes; it was Bob, grown broader, perhaps, but with the same peculiar gait. But the other? Could it be he, that other who looked so much like Hugh? He hadn't written that he expected to arrive. Did he mean to surprise her? She watched intently until they came nearer, when she saw that it was indeed Hugh—and she uttered a sharp cry. Her heart bounded with joy, her whole body quivered as she recognized him.

Good heavens! Why was he coming with Bob? Wild fancies flitted through her mind and she felt as if a cyclone was carrying her off her feet and whirling her round and round.

Bob was the first to greet her, crying cheerily:

"Well, Fay, old girl, won't you welcome a fellow back from the jaws of death?"

"Bob!—Hugh!—what—how—" but unable to say more, she collapsed at their feet.

"Fay, why don't you say something?" Bob asked soothingly. "Is anything wrong?"

Fay could only glance at Hugh appealingly, for she could not speak. Although her face betrayed her secret, Bob had already divined the cause of her agitation. He motioned to Hugh to leave the room then, drawing a chair to Fay's side:

"Fay, dear little chum please don't feel distressed I already know the truth." Fay cast a furtive glance at his face half surprised, half frightened "You see," he continued "I met Hugh on board ship coming home We became inseparables and pledged an everlasting friendship Hugh, knowing nothing of our old friendship spoke of your mutual love I then told him that we were school friends and he was delighted to talk to someone who knew you When we arrived he insisted upon my coming with him, despite my remonstrances Everything is just as it should be Fay, and I shall be delighted to see you both happy together."

Fay seemed to gain new strength The color mounted to her cheeks and her eyes glistened Rising from the chair she held out her hands to him

"Bob, I thought you you—"

Bob laughed a joyful relieved laugh it was and replied:

"Fay dear four years ago when we were both too young to judge wisely, we made a premature decision As for me I shall always esteem you immensely and shall never forget the delightful times spent with you, little pal but" here he blushed and paused awkwardly, then while a happy expression spread over his countenance he boyishly cried: 'Fay here is a picture of the sweetest little girl in the world to me a girl whom I met in Paris;' and he opened his watch case which disclosed to Fay the lovely face of a girl about twenty years of age "Now that everything is happily adjusted between you and me I shall sail to France within a month and claim the most wonderful American girl who braved the dangers of war and brought me back to life"

"Oh, Bob I'm so glad!" was all she said as tears of joy trickled down her cheeks

"Hugh [illegible] impatient I'll send him in" and Bob rushed from the room

A [illegible] later Hugh entered and embracing Fay on the sofa [illegible]

"Fay my own darling I [illegible] come back to build a paradise for you and me my little queen"

Three weeks later Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wrentham bid good-by to a few friends on board the boat which was to carry him to his happiness in France

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MAN IS WARNED BY SPIRIT VOICE

Strange Experiences Make Him Firm Believer in Psychic Phenomena.

SAVES LIFE IN THE WAR

Mysterious Voice Urges Him to Move and as He Obeys Minnie Ball Crashes Into the Spot Where He Lay.

London, Ark.—W. D. Studer, seventy-four years old of this place, present at a gathering of "old-timers" here, said he had come to be a firm believer in telepathy, or psychic phenomena. Many things had happened in his long life, he said, that served to strengthen his belief in the supernatural, or mysterious forces that have puzzled all mankind since the days of Adam.

For example, Mr. Studer's brother was wounded in the battle of Gettysburg, on the second day of July, 1863. With help, Mr. Studer, who was also in the battle, placed his brother behind a huge bowlder, and then observed that the federals were advancing. Their advance was met by fire from Longstreet's men.

Mysterious Voice Warns.

"This exposed a number of us to our own fire," Mr. Studer explained. Studer and several of his companions laid down flat behind the bowlder, as it was almost certain death to remain standing, owing to the hail of bullets that were flying over them.

Something whispered to Studer to get up. "Move!" said a mysterious voice close to his ear. He did move, and was no sooner upon his feet than a minnie ball crashed into the bowlder exactly where he had lain.

If he had remained there three seconds longer the ball would have entered his breast. Many other soldiers, of course, had similar experiences, but Studer is positive that he was warned by a voice.

In 1888 in a dream vision, Studer, then living at Wheelan Springs, Ark., saw a near relative shot in a fracas in Oklahoma, where the relative then lived. The vision was very realistic,

The Vision Was Very Realistic.

and during the following day Studer was enabled to recite all of its details.

In a few days information reached him that the relative had actually been shot in a quarrel and the facts coincided faithfully with Studer's dream.

In Similar Distress.

In November, 1890, Studer says he was in considerable distress following an ordinary supper. He told his family that it was very likely that some other Studer was in similar distress. At precisely eight o'clock he experienced strange sensations and was very weak.

Three days later a letter was received from his brother living at Social Circle, Ga., 720 miles distant, which informed him that his brother's daughter had died at eight o'clock on the very night that Studer was so strangely affected.

"If telepathy or psychic force is not proved by these strange happenings," said Mr. Studer "then from whence come these mysterious whisperings and silent warnings that seem to hover about us from time to time, especially in the hour of danger and calamity?"

"DO WRONG" GOT IN WRONG

"Act Right" Helps Out His Brother When Jail Threatens in Georgia

Atlanta, Ga.—Do Wrong Henderson and his brother Act Right Henderson, lived in Walton county Ga Do Wrong got in wrong by breaking into a house in Monroe and eating everything edible in sight He had also burglarized another house and was convicted nearly five years ago on both charges and sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

Through a mistake the sentences were not concurrent and Do Wrong was due to serve another five years, but Act Right, who always acted right, has gone before the state prison committee to have the sentence effective concurrently, thus saving Do Wrong five years additional servitude.

OUT-OF-ORDINARY PEOPLE

JOHNSON AND THE PEACE TREATY

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As everybody knows, one of the storm centers of the Sixty-sixth congress will revolve about the peace treaty and the league of nations. It will not be a question of strict party politics, either. A good many of the senators on either side of the political fence think they know considerable themselves about international and constitutional law and purpose to be heard, and party politics be hanged. Also, there is a general realization that the question is one bigger than politics.

The first clash in the senate over the peace treaty occurred when Senator Johnson of California introduced a resolution calling upon the administration to transmit immediately to congress the complete text of the 80,000-word instrument. Senator Johnson tried to get action on the resolution at once. He asked unanimous consent for its immediate consideration. Senator Robinson of Arkansas promptly objected and the resolution was laid on the table temporarily.

It is the view of those senators opposed to the treaty—and of some of its friends—that it was impossible to enter upon a detailed analysis because although it may be supposed that the draft of the league sent over in the press dispatches is fairly accurate, there is no real knowledge of the treaty with Germany or of its relations to the league.

The summary which was sent out was not only incomplete, but vague and inaccurate, it is said.

MARSHAL HAIG ON THE GREAT WAR

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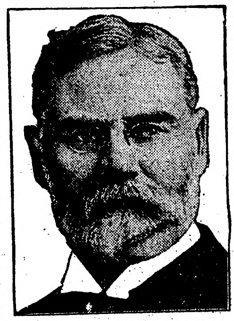
When the history of the great war comes to be written Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig is likely to find himself a stormcenter. Anyway, nothing that has occurred since the signing of the armistice has so tended to excite American officers as the full and complete report of Marshal Haig, copies of which have just been received in Washington.

The only mention which Marshal Haig makes of the Americans throughout the report is his statement that they occupied Coblenz after the signing of the armistice.

He ignores the American divisions which fought under him, and which took the lead in the final British drive on Cambrai. Moreover, in accounting for the collapse of German military power, he completely ignores the effect of American participation in the war, and the work of Pershing's army.

This report of Field Marshal Haig, with its failure to say any single word of credit for the Americans, or make any acknowledgment of the value of America's aid toward ending the war, probably will result in demands in congress upon the war department for the complete record of the achievements of American arms in France.

MANN AND THE SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT



James R. Mann, representative from the Second Illinois district, whose portrait is here given, introduced the first resolution in the house on the opening day of congress (H. J. Res. 1.), proposing an amendment to the Constitution extending the right of suffrage to women. Times change. Representative Mann provoked the resentment of woman suffragists years ago by remarking, in connection with a suffrage parade of women, "They ought to be at home."

Mann's position in the house, without being officially defined, is influential. He was defeated for speaker in the Republican caucus. He was offered the position of majority floor leader, but declined.

President Wilson's message contained a paragraph indorsing woman's suffrage. Mann, as the new chairman of the woman's suffrage committee, stole a march on the president by parliamentary maneuvering and got the resolution well on its way in advance of the reading of the message.

Two days later the resolution was adopted by a vote of 304 to 88, the necessary two-thirds total being 262. Mann got it out on the floor in record time and [illegible] the suffrage forces in the two hours' debate. The measure evidently was not a matter of strict party politics.

Friends of the measure professed to know that the senate would also pass the resolution.

ALL THE WORLD LOVES A LOVER

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Francis Burton Harrison, governor general of the Philippine islands, has been in the limelight more or less for some time in connection with the movement for Philippine independence. And, as all the world loves a lover, his romantic marriage the other day in Chicago gives him added claims to public attention. Governor Harrison, who is forty-five years old and has been married twice before, married Miss Elizabeth Wrentmore, eighteen years old, a student of the University of California, daughter of Professor Wrentmore, dean of the College of Manila, P. I.

The course of true love certainly did not run smoothly in this case. The romance began a year ago in Manila. Mrs. Mabel Judson Harrison, the governor general's second wife, in San Diego, Cal., obtained her final decree of divorce the very day of the Chicago marriage. Mr. Harrison's first wife was Mary Crocker of San Francisco, who died in 1905. Mrs. Wrentmore objected to the match because of the governor's age. Then the Wrentmore home in Berkeley, Cal., was quarantined for diphtheria. Miss Wrentmore went to Chicago, just the same. The health authorities met her at the depot and insisted on throat cultures. Mr. Harrison went to Chicago from Washington.

At last all was arranged and the lovers were married.

LIVE STOCK

SELF-FEEDER IS ECONOMICAL

One of Best Labor Savers and Efficient Means of Feeding Hogs—More Fencing Urged.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

One of the best labor savers and one of the most economical and efficient means of feeding hogs is the self-feeder. Experiments comparing the self-feeder with feeding by hand have been made at a number of experiment stations, and most of them have shown not only that the self-feeder is a time-saver, but that more pounds of pork will be produced with a given number of pounds of grain by using the self-feeder. This applies not only to the use of corn, but to ground and mill feeds such as tankage, shorts, middlings, peanut meal, soy-bean meal, etc. By using the self-feeder in feeding the ground and mill feeds one does away with the laborious work of feeding slop to hogs. No definite experiments have been made along the line of comparing feeds of this kind fed dry as against slop, yet some work of this kind has been done and results were very satisfactory with the self-feeder plan. Many farmers and hog growers have tried feeding these feeds in a self-feeder, and the results were fully as good or better than those obtained by the system of slop feeding.

Self-Feeders Save Labor for the Hog Raiser.

It is highly desirable that feeds used in feeding hogs, especially corn, be fed as near as possible to the crib or granary. Feeding floors should be built adjoining corncrib or granaries holding shelled corn.

Another means of saving labor in hog growing is the more extended use of woven-wire fence. If the hog grower has all his fields and lots fenced with hog-tight fencing, he can save the waste in these fields after harvest, and can also follow the method of hogging down corn, which is highly desirable and economical.

Probably the best use to which woven-wire fencing can be put is in making possible the use of forage crops. Our best hog growers have become convinced that feeding hogs in dry lots is no longer the best method. In nearly every part of the country where hogs are grown some kind of forage crops can be successfully used, and they offer three distinct advantages: First, the saving of grain by allowing hogs to get all the green feed they want; second, the building up of the soil through the use of manure obtained from hogs continuously on these pastures, and, third, the much more sanitary conditions under which the hogs live, plus the exercise which the hogs get in pastures, both of which are necessities in successful hog growing. In some parts of the hog-growing country farmers are able to pasture their hogs 10 or 11 months in the year. In almost all parts of the country hogs can be pastured at least six or seven months.

All these practices save labor in feeding, and in addition save a considerable amount of labor in hauling out and scattering manure that accumulates when feeding under the dry-lot plan.

Many hog feeders dip or spray their hogs to keep down the lice. Many commercial hog oilers on the market are practical and effective in keeping hogs from becoming infested with lice.

The general practice of growing hogs and feeding them the grains raised on the farms has a tendency to distribute the labor throughout the year.

AID FOR OVERHEATED HORSES

Live Stock Breeders' Association of Wisconsin Gives Directions for Care of Animal.

When a horse is overcome by heat, get him in the shade, wash out his mouth and nostrils, sponge him all over, shower his legs, cool his head at once, using cold water or, better, chopped ice wrapped in a cloth or sack. Give him four ounces of aromatic spirits of ammonia, or two ounces of sweet spirits of nitre in a pint of water, or a pint of warm coffee.—Wisconsin Live Stock Breeders' association.

The KITCHEN CABINET

Good housekeeping is not necessarily good home making. Spotless floors may grace a house not a home. Real living means comfort, happiness and growth.

FAVORITE FOOD.

Sherbets, parfaits, mousses, and frappes are not always in the market and no matter how we may like the different flavors of ice cream, an occasional frozen dish prepared at home is a treat. Here is one:

Lemon Sherbet.—Take a quart of milk, good rich milk of course; two cupfuls of sugar and the juice of three lemons. Stir all together, regardless of the curdled appearance, and freeze. The freezing will result in a velvety smooth sherbet called Velvet, but most of us pronounce it "so good."

Beaten Biscuit.—Into a pint of flour stir a teaspoonful of salt, and a cupful of cold water. Work to a stiff dough, transfer to a floured board and with a rolling pin beat the dough for 15 minutes, turning and folding so that the dough may receive the treatment in all parts. Cut into biscuit, prick with a fork and bake a light brown.

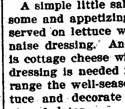
Cherry Pudding.—Mix together the following ingredients: one and one-third cupfuls of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of butter, one cupful of milk, two cupfuls of flour sifted with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, the yolk of an egg and the white beaten stiff and folded in. Pour this batter over a quart of berries from which the juice has been drained, and steam one hour. To make the sauce add a tablespoonful of flour with the same amount of sugar well mixed to the juice, cook stirring until well blended, add butter and nutmeg for seasoning. Cook until smooth.

Vanities.—Beat three eggs until light, add a tablespoonful of sugar, one of cold water, and a pinch of salt. Stir in flour to make a stiff dough. Knead well and roll out after dividing it into four portions. Roll very thin—as thin as paper, tear off a piece the size of the hand and drop into hot fat to brown. The more irregular they are the prettier. When brown sift powdered sugar over them and serve. Kept in a closely covered can they will keep crisp some time.

A pretty dessert is bananas cut in halves lengthwise and raspberry jam used; spread sandwich fashion. Put two halves together, lay on a plate and cover with whipped cream.

There is a shady side of life,
And a sunny side as well,
And 'tis for every one to say
On which side he'd choose to dwell;
For every one unto himself
Commits a grievous sin,
Who bars the blessed sunshine out
And shuts the shadows in.
—Josephine Pollard.

THE SUNDAY EVENING MEAL.



The family meal for Sunday night is one which admits of much variety, depending upon the appetites and tastes of those served. In some homes bread and milk is the usual Sunday night lunch with a bit of cake for a finish. There are other families who enjoy mush and milk even during the warm weather. Whatever is served one must bear in mind that it must not be anything very hearty.

A simple little salad which is wholesome and appetizing is stewed prunes served on lettuce with a little mayonnaise dressing. Another even simpler is cottage cheese with dates; no salad dressing is needed for this salad. Arrange the well-seasoned cheese on lettuce and decorate with washed and stoned dates.

If the night is chilly a bowl of hot soup of any kind will be relished. Hot cocoa or tea or hot milk are good drinks for a night lunch.

Milk toast, made of nicely toasted bread, well buttered and covered with hot milk, thickened or not as one likes, is an especially good dish for the little people. Grated cheese added to the dish for those a little older adds zest to the dish.

Sandwiches of different kinds are in great favor. Figs and nuts ground together, mixed with cream to moisten, a bit of salt, makes a good filling.

Chopped green onions, seasoned with oil and vinegar, salt and pepper, is another good sandwich filling.

A spring sandwich very refreshing is made by using sliced cucumber, seasoned with onion juice, with a bit of salad dressing as a filling.

For a simple dessert a dish of sauce or berries, fresh fruit or preserved, with a plain sponge cake, dropped or baked in gem pans will be found satisfying.

For a special occasion, sponge cakes baked in gem pans, the top cut off and some of the crumb scooped out, then filled with sweetened whipped cream or some other favorite filling.

Cheese Fingers.—These are nice to serve with a salad or hot soup. Beat the whites of two eggs to a stiff froth, add a cupful of grated cheese, added very lightly, season with salt and paprika and spread on long salted crackers. Bake until brown. Serve hot or cold.

Nellie Maxwell

Cape Holds Its Own All Year

Season in and season out the cape flourishes in undiminished popularity. It is not often, declares a fashion authority, that a conspicuous fashion such as this, which quickly attained universal favor, survives for a single season, much less for the four well-rounded ones which the cape already has to its credit, as it enters on the summer solstice with a following as enthusiastic as ever.

There are capes long and short, capes slim and straight or draped in voluminous folds, three tiered capes, reversible capes, capes in striking combinations of two materials in one color or of two colors in the same material, curious and interesting capes and cobwebby sketches of capes in georgette or tulle boldly accented with fur.

One sees much less of the waistcoat in the summer cape models. It is hard to tell whether the almost total elimination of this feature in all except the strictly sport models is due to the fact that its added warmth is no longer desirable or whether it has been simply done to death.

Collar Arrangements.

The collar arrangement which wraps around the neck in many folds is still much in evidence, but there are capes with Medici collars, capes with a fitted yoke and high close-fitting collar and capes with no more collar than a band about the shoulders.

One of the most useful cape models has a very wide band of the fabric folded softly back across the front from hem to hem. This can be gathered snugly about the throat or allowed to fall in gracefully negligent folds around the shoulders as occasion demands.

This cape is displayed at its best in two-toned combinations of one material or in different fabrics of identical color. It is handsomely developed in navy blue serge and satin or in castor tricolette and duveteen.

There is a peculiar smartness about the circular three-tiered capes, and there are capes on straight lines also with three tiers, the extremely wide cape collar which falls well below the shoulder line forming the upper tier.

These capes are at their best in Poiret twill or gabardine, but it is only fair to say that the useful navy blue serge cape has been relegated to the background which useful old friends are so frequently required to grace.

In dealing with the summer cape there is not much to be said of woolen fabrics except as they are used in combination with silken stuffs or in their unchallenged field, the sport outfit.

For Sport Wear.

For summer sports the strictly serviceable tailored capes of English worsteds and tweeds may be passed over as year round standbys, but capes of homespun, dyed in soft fruity colors, have by reason of their light open weave a distinctly summery place in the sport outfit.

Wool jersey still has a claim on the summer sportswoman and capes of this fabric are frequently seen, the most popular development of this garment being the detachable cape to be buttoned beneath the collar of a sleeveless sport suit. A white wool jersey sleeveless sport suit has a cape of navy blue wool jersey, with white facings buttoned back with pearl buttons. This forms a very useful as well as an undeniably attractive costume.

A sport cape which is comparatively new and which will interest many women is fashioned of channellette. This wool fabric, apparently knit by hand, but in reality a product of the knitting machine, can be purchased by the yard in a variety of gay and lovely colors. It is 36 inches wide and sufficiently expensive, but as capes of this type are cut very scant and straight a large quantity of the fabric is not required.

Narrow bands of Angora knitted wool may also be bought with which capes and sport coats of channellette are bordered, collared and cuffed. A cape has been designed for country wear of heavy, soft linen crash, lined with bright gingham, which has a certain bizarre charm of its own but comes dangerously near being an eccentricity.

Silk, Satin and Wool.

Capes of silken weaves for daytime wear spell summer in every lustrous length of tricolette or satin and in the crisp and sprightly folds of moire or taffeta. Satin is often used in combinations with wool, either duveteen, gabardine or wool jersey. The upper part of the cape is usually of satin with a broad band of the woolen fabric at the lower edge. Often the collar is of wool, but frequently of fur.

A delectable cape of this type has the lower half of beige wool jersey, the upper half of brown satin and the collar of summer ermine.

Satin as well as taffeta is sometimes reduced to the severe cut of the three-tiered cape, but it is at its best in the more suave and gracious lines of the draped models. One very lovely cape of double-faced satin has a long scarf front and is gathered at the shoulders with a small upstanding frill. The soft, dull blue of the under side is turned back in a wide fold at the neck and down the front over the navy blue of the exterior.

Attractive satin capes in henna, black or blue show the plainness of their surface broken by roundabout gathered inserts of georgette.

Capes of tricolette, often gathered into wide bands of duveteen or gabardine of the same shade, have a great deal of distinction. Both the plain and fancy weaves are employed, and in the latter case the trimming of wool fabric is frequently omitted, while a fur collar gives the accent of weight and substance which most summer capes seem to require as a need of their being.

A changeable taffeta cape in shades of red, brown and blue is a noticeable exception to this rule. Its quaintly gathered and frilled body is topped by a yoke in which delicate dull gold embroidery plays an important part.

Capes Extraordinarily Smart.

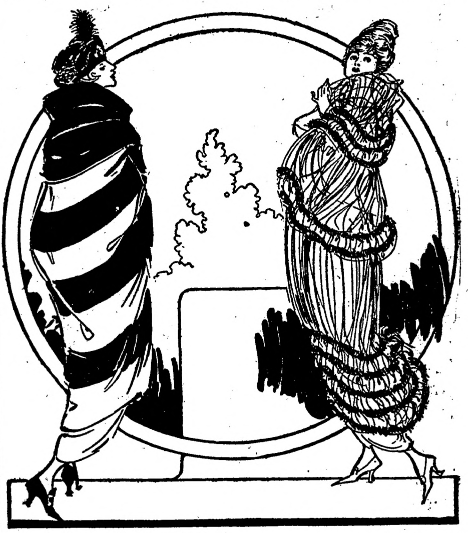
Extraordinarily smart capes are developed in moire silk in navy, black, brown or castor and nearly always with the all but inevitable fur collar. One in black has superimposed upon its moire surface brocaded satin figures, the glint of which, added to its squirrel collar, completes a cape distinguished enough for any occasion.

What might be called the apotheosis of the summer cape is now coming very much to the fore in all the more exclusive shops. These exquisite and fragile garments have little to recommend them except sheer charm. Extravagant they are to a degree, both in the initial cost and in perishability; and as to warmth, two thicknesses of georgette provide but scant protection even to the most imaginative. They are like Lucy Lockett's pocket, which had nothing in it but the binding round it, and depend altogether for substance on the bandings and mountings of fur which do their utmost to hold these thistledown garments near the earth.

Short-hip length georgette capes with armholes banded by fur to match the deep collars are provided for those who have a weakness for these intriguing little affairs.

Fringe Is Popular.

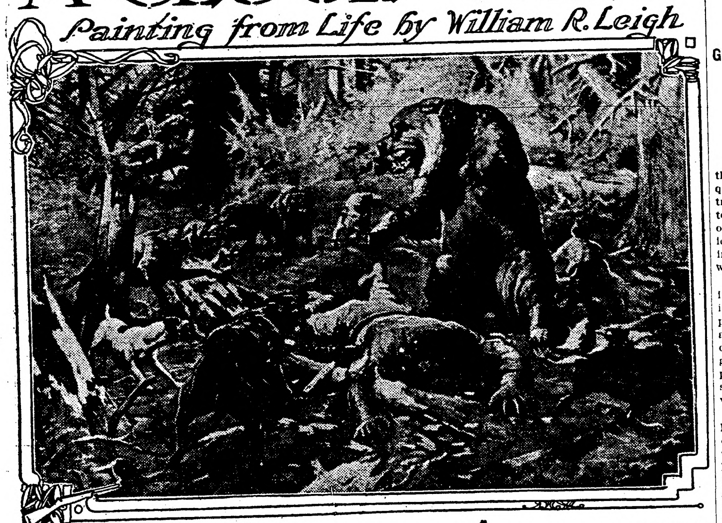
According to the procedure of Agnes, fringe is not passe, for it is well in evidence on many of her newest dress models.



Cape of navy blue and biscuit silk poplin, and one of brown tulle over brown chiffon fur trimmed.

"A CLOSE CALL"

Painting from Life by William R. Leigh



By JOHN D. SHERMAN.

"A CLOSE CALL," by William R. Leigh, a New York artist, is possibly the best picture of a grizzly ever painted. Outdoor men and big-game hunters say it is the "real thing." Well, it ought to be the real thing, because it was painted from life, so to speak.

There's a little of what might be called poetic license in the picture, which improves it from the dramatic viewpoint. When you read the plain, straightforward story of the picture, as told by Director J. D. Figgins of the Colorado Museum of Natural History at Denver, you will see how the artist used this license. As to the details of the painting, they are the real thing and no mistake. The grizzly was a real grizzly; his mounted skin is now in the museum. The dogs were real dogs. The man in front of the bear is one of two noted Wyoming guides—either Ned Frost or Fred Richards. The trees are real trees and they and the little open space are there yet. The hunter in the left-hand upper corner coming to the rescue is Figgins himself. As for Artist Leigh, he was rushing around the ring, taking photographs and making pencil sketches and absorbing "local color."

The grizzly is worthy of the best effort of the best artist. He is the "King of the Wilds" on the American continent. Enos Mills, whose exhaustive work on the grizzly is to be published this spring, says this royal animal excels all others in brains; he does not except either the dog or the elephant. Mr. Mills belongs to the "reason" school of American naturalists, as contrasted with the "instinct" school; the former credits animals with what may be called a mental process akin to reasoning, while the latter believes that all their actions are due to inherited instinct. Mr. Mills should know something about grizzlies; he captured as cubs and brought up Johnny and Jennie, the two enormous grizzlies in the Denver zoo. And he studied the grizzly in his native wilds. The grizzly will soon be extinct in continental United States—except in the national parks, which are sanctuaries for wild animal life.

"King of the Wilds."

The grizzly is a queer animal. Notwithstanding his size, he seldom kills big game or cattle or sheep for food. He eats nearly everything edible that he finds. He will root up a field of flowers for their roots. He will overturn great bowlders to get at a nest of ants. He will go to the foot of a sloping snowbank in the summer and feast on the grasshoppers that have become chilled. He loves berries. And he dotes on field mice and chipmunks. But occasionally a grizzly gets the cattle-killing habit and then he becomes a terror to stockmen.

The experts insist that the grizzly is not ferocious by nature. Originally he was absolute monarch of the wilds. He took the path and kept it—except for the skunk—and everything got out of his way. So he did not have to fight. After he had been trapped and hunted and shot by the white man he gave man a wide berth. His senses are exceedingly keen; it is believed that he will hear a hunter at a distance of a quarter of a mile and will scent him at nearly a mile. Eternally vigilant, wary, intelligent, he keeps out of the way. When hunted with dogs, his intelligence, endurance and speed over rough country usually enable him to get away.

But when the grizzly is cornered he is a tremendous antagonist. Wounded, he is a terror. A grizzly mother with a cub is as dangerous an animal as walks the earth.

The grizzly can be killed with a single bullet—if that bullet is placed right. Otherwise the contents of a modern high-power magazine rifle will not check a charging grizzly. The brain, the spine and the upper part of the heart are the vital spots. A western man—his name is purposely omitted—once killed three full-grown grizzlies in about 30 seconds with three shots; he doesn't dare print the story.

One most interesting feature about the grizzly is his individuality. Grizzlies seem to be even more individual than men. For example, there is the career of "Old Mose," which is a Colorado classic.

Old Mose first appeared in the limelight about 1869. His territory was the region around Black Mountain; it lay on top of the Continental Divide and was about 60 miles in diameter. Two toes missing on his left hind paw made it easy to keep track of him. Old Mose quickly became an expert killer of cattle, sheep, horses and hogs. Once he had learned the taste of beef, mutton and pork, he lost all desire for ants, grasshoppers and flower roots. Toward the close of his career he was followed at a respectful distance by a large cinnamon bear which fed on the remnants of his carcasses.

A heavy price was put on the head of Old Mose. Trappers and hunters of known skill made a business of trying to win the reward. All attempts to trap him failed. Poison was tried in vain. Three hunters got close enough to him to meet death.

Old Mose seemed to have a keen sense of humor. After he had been hunted for many years he developed a habit of sneaking up on the camp of campers and prospectors. Then he would rush the camp, roaring and seeming bent on killing everybody in sight. There is no record that he ever attacked anyone at such times. But the stampedes he caused were many and ludicrous. Undoubtedly he enjoyed them.

This sort of thing went on for 35 years. Old Mose during that time killed more than 800 cattle, to say nothing of colts and other live stock. He killed at least five men. Though forty or more years of age, his fur was glossy, his teeth were sound, his bodily powers were undiminished and he was more cunning than ever.

Finally, in April, 1904, a hunter with a pack of first-class bear dogs managed to get him cornered. Old Mose turned at bay for the last time. It took eight shots to kill this tremendous old grizzly.

"A Close Call"

And now for "A Close Call" with the foregoing to give you a hint why this portrait is so remarkable.

"The fight from which the painting was made took place in the spring of 1912, near Cody, Wyo.," said Director Figgins." I met Mr. Leigh at Cody, and he was keen to paint a bear in action. I invited him to go with me on my trip for a bear group for the museum. He accepted and took along his equipment and guide. I had secured the services of the famous Wyoming guides, Ned Frost and Fred Richards. We set out in May for the bear country.

"We had two camps established and we roamed the mountains and timber land day after day, spending the night at whichever cabin happened to be closest. We had found a great many tracks and had followed them without result over hundreds of miles of rocky and wooded territory, when one morning one of the guides found a new track in the dust near our camp. Our dogs got the scent and took up the trail. For two hours we trekked after the bawling hounds as they made straight for higher ground up the side of a mountain.

"Leigh's manner was all eagerness now and his eyes glistened as he rode along with his kodaks and boxes. His object was entirely different from ours, but he entered into the pursuit with quite as much zeal.

"Finally the dogs came within sight of the bear. Up the mountain side they bounded with the bear giving them a fast race. On a north slope of the mountain the animal made a fatal mistake—he plunged into a stretch of snow, soft and mushy from the spring sunshine, a certain trap for his heavy body. He lumbered along for a time in the snow, with the lighter dogs gaining every second. Then he turned and made for an open space. But it was too late.

The Grizzly at Bay.

"The dogs were upon him as he reached firm ground and a terrific fight began. One of the guides and I came up with our guns—I have forgotten whether it was Frost or Richards—and Leigh was right at our heels.

"Leigh got to work with his camera and pencils and we waited near by, changing our position occasionally in order to maintain a vantage point in case the bear should make a break for liberty. It was in one of these maneuvers, I think, that the guide came too close to the fighting dogs and was knocked down. This gave Mr Leigh the idea which he has incorporated in his picture as it was finished—the spectacle of one of the hunters lying prone under the bear.

"After about twenty minutes, during which time our dogs were keeping up a hot fight and having their hands full, so to speak a pup which had been trailing slightly in the rear came up with us. I had asked the guides to let this young dog come along as a special favor, because I thought I saw in him the making of a fine bear-hound and I wanted him to get some early experience. The pup and I had become close friends during the trip due to the special attention I had paid him, and I had learned to love him as much as though he were my own. I had noted his gameness many times on the march. Although he was less than a year old he kept up with the old dogs easily and no mountain stream was too swift for him.

"I was not surprised, then, to see Champ—that was the dog's name—come bounding through the timber toward the bear fight. He saw the prey when about 40 yards away and stopped still on his haunches, his hair bristling and his body trembling. I could see that he was scared, but my faith in him told me it would not be for long. My faith was justified. When he saw the other dogs sprawling and bawling and struggling around the bear, he made a bound and landed in the arena.

"With a long leap he sprang at the bear, but his clumsy legs tricked him and he rolled on the ground beyond. I knew that he was not wily enough for the fight and that one heavy blow from the bear would break him in two. So I shot the bear in the neck, breaking his spinal cord."

EVAPORATION TEST

A floating meteorological station at Gatun lake consists of a raft carrying an apparatus for measuring evaporation, an anemometer recording wind variations, and a rain gauge. The evaporation record is of especial interest. The apparatus is simply a copper vessel four feet in diameter, which is kept filled with water, and shows by the amount of water added at intervals how much of the liquid passes into the air. This amount reaches four inches per month during the eight months of the wet season, and seven inches per month in the four dry months. The air is very humid from the frequent rains, which come nearly every day even in the so-called "dry" season, but the surprisingly high evaporation is explained by the strong winds continually blowing. It is noted that even the Salton sea, with arid desert surroundings has only about the same evaporation.

An Innocent Abroad.

"And what thoughts came over you when you viewed the lion of St. Mark's for the first time?"

"I was as mad as a wet hen," replied the thrifty tourist. "I paid a piratical guide a dollar to show the blamed thing to me and I wan't 40 feet away from it."

THRIFTY DUTCHMEN TURNED INTO DESPERADOES BY WAR

Genuine Shock Has Come to These Who in Old Days Admired Industrious Hollander Whose Only Occupation Now Is in Deeds of Daring and Robbery—Country Is Now Paradise for Thieves.

The Hague.—To those who knew the Hollander before the war as a quiet, well-behaved, thrifty and industrious soul, content to pursue the even tenor of his way and sticking religiously to orderliness and good behavior, his transformation since the signing of the armistice last November will come as a genuine shock.

Crime, in the pre-war days, was at its minimum in Holland. Her standing army of some 50,000 was composed of young men who served their allotted time in the military service of their country with the minimum of grumbling, returning cheerfully to the plow, or the dairy, or the fisheries, as soon as their term of army service was over.

Except for an ever watchful eye on her frontier, Holland lived a calm, contented existence, turning out her world-famous cheeses and her perhaps, more infamous gins, her citizens secure in the feeling that theirs was a land where the law was observed, where their chattels were safe even though their front doors remained unlocked and where the infrequent offender against the penal code could not hope to get his full name in the papers, much less his photograph with a pretty border around it.

Today all this is changed. From a land of safety Holland has been transformed into a land of danger and the Hollander—that is, he who is represented in the ranks of the plow boy, the driver of the horse or donkey along the tow path, the churner of the butter and the cream, the farm hand or the miller's assistant—has been transformed into a shiftless, lazy, disorderly ne'er-do-well, whose principal occupation is burglary!

It Is a New Crime.

Burglary in Holland was not a usual crime in the pre-war days. That fact makes the present wave of lawlessness all the more striking. The great truth that has dawned upon the country is that the 800,000 Hollanders who have been doing military service as non-combatants since the beginning of the war have come to hate work and to hate having to provide for their own living, after enjoying food, clothing and shelter at government expense for nearly five years.

When Holland mobilized her young manhood, middle-aged manhood and full-grown manhood during the first six months of the war, when there was momentary danger of Germany suddenly getting it into her disordered brain to invade and despoil the Netherlands as well as Belgium, the Dutch government provided for the support of the families of the soldiers whom she mobilized as well as for the support of the soldiers themselves.

In her well-ordered house, Holland could not see 800,000 families in want because 800,000 male supporters were taken for the defense of the fatherland. She provided this support as punctiliously and as carefully as she provided for the thousands of Belgian and French refugees, who have lived on the country's bounty from the day of the siege of Antwerp to the day that Marshal Foch handed his fountain pen to the German armistice commissioners and said: "Sign!"

With the demobilization that began during the latter days of last November the discharged soldiers found it irksome to resume their duties as family providers instead of "letting Wilhelmina do it." The plow did not appeal nearly so much as the light field equipment along the frontier. The long hikes along the towpaths were not nearly so attractive as the short stretches between sentry posts on the border between Holland's eastern provinces and the Westphalian or Prussian country. It was found a hard matter to get the Hollander back into a civilian job, not because the job was not there but because the erstwhile thrifty Dutchman no longer cared for the job.

Food Shortage a Cause.

For many months now life for the law-abiding Dutchman and his family has been anything but a paradise and the shortage of food has been but a small matter in the grand total of this general unhappiness.

The principal thing that has been worrying Holland has been the burglar, who has since before the Christmas holidays become a sort of national institution, like the cheese and the gin. Acts of violence are of daily, in fact, of hourly, occurrence in the country districts as well as in the cities. Not alone must doors be securely locked and bolted at night, but if during the daytime the householder turns his back to look over his chickens in the barnyard without first closing his front door he will most likely return to the "pronk kamer" (parlor) only to find every article of intrinsic value has disappeared.

The theft of silverware, jewelry, clothes and even pots and pans from the kitchen is reported to the police in every town and hamlet on an average of once every hour during the 24 hours of the day. The flow of complaints is so steady that in most places one man is assigned to do nothing but record these reports of burglaries.

While, of course, it would be unfair to say that every one of the demobilized soldiers has turned burglar after receiving his discharge from the army, it is safe to say that one-half of the 800,000 troops has turned its attention to either burglary, petty or grand larceny or highway robbery as a means to keep the wolf from the door without an undue amount of physical exertion.

The visitor in Holland, although he is still much in the minority because of the passport restrictions, has learned to keep his hand on his wallet pocket and his fingers firmly around the end of a stout cane whenever he ventures out into the street or along a country path, once Holland's delight and the safest promenade in the wide world.

Daring Highway Robberies.

The "kwajongems," who used to stand in proper awe of the well-dressed man or woman in the public thoroughfares of the city, now openly and brazenly snatch at watch chains, ladies' bags or pocket books that are carried in the hands by the ladies. Nine times in ten the culprit manages to make a clean getaway in the crowd of sympathetic ruffians, who gather quickly at the first sign of disorder in the street.

Children sent to the stores by their mothers are often the victims of the thieves, who take away their pennies, and market baskets on the way to the expectant housewives very often go astray and ultimately reach the dens of the underworld, now a real menace in the economic and civic life of the Netherlands.

The same spirit of disregard of the conventions that obtains throughout the country, as far as the rights of others is concerned, obtains in the nation's parliament—the Staaten General. Ultra-bolshevistic members occupy seats in the lower chamber and openly advocate doctrines which, a year before the war began in 1914, would not have been listened to by any self-respecting Dutchman. The self-respecting Dutchman must listen to these doctrines now, for they are preached on every street corner, from the forums and from the platform of the governing body, whenever the radical wing gets a chance to give voice to its sentiments.

Blocked at the Frontier.

The government does everything humanly possible to prevent the influx of the radical element from Germany and every day dozens of would-be intruders, be they bolshevist or Sparticus, are turned back at the frontier with the admonition to go East. But many slip through, with the result that this formerly quiet, orderly land is fast being poisoned by the seed of violence that has been planted in its fertile soil from the very day that the one-time kaiser entered the country as a refugee and the one-time crown prince took up his involuntary abode on the Island of Wieringen.

There is enough of the regular army left to prevent any serious concerted movement by the forces of the malcontents, especially as they are not organized and no leader has yet put in an appearance. The police in the various districts, too, still observe the street discipline of the pre-war days, although they have not been very successful in stamping out the lawlessness that is everywhere evident, they are, at least, holding the unruly element in check and, to a certain degree, holding it in awe of municipal authority.

The principal hope of the better educated class of Hollanders lies in an early restoration of the regular channels of food importation.

Now Land of Unrest.

Just now the Hollander is anything but tractable. He will drop his hammer, his shovel, his hoe or his churning handle at the drop of a hat or the whisper of a labor agitator. He imagines that he is the under dog of every man who possesses a nickel more than he does.

From a land of calm peaceful, seething quiet, Holland has changed into a land of unrest. It oozes out of the very ground at every step one takes. Lack of grains keeps the grist mills idle, which consequently fail to provide work for those who might be induced to take up the broken strands of their tasks and don the snow white of the miller for the blue of the soldier.

Stagnation in shipping, owing to the restrictions placed upon the country by the allies, has had its natural effect upon Holland's inland waterways commerce, with the result that thousands of men who were employed along the numerous canals, both as boatmen and tow drivers, before the war, now find their vocations gone. This is another important industry which if it could resume its normal proportions, would greatly reduce the number of the unemployed.

Over everything, however, looms the one large fact that the formerly correct Hollander could so readily be changed into a man with criminal instincts and to such an extent as to make the entire country, practically, a burglar's paradise.

HAS MANY DECORATIONS

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GENERAL LEROY UPTON

Gen. Leroy Upton, who recently returned from France, has received the distinguished service cross and medal, the croix de guerre with two palms, and the cross of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, for distinguished service in the war.

COMES TO HELP THE GIRL SCOUTS

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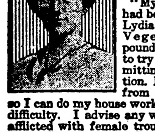
General Sir Robert Baden-Powell, founder of the boy scout organization, is here from England to help the girl scouts, which organization did such wonderful work in England during the war. In the group, left to right, Mrs. Arthur O. Choate, commissioner of Manhattan council of girl scouts; Sir Robert Baden-Powell and Lady Baden-Powell; Mrs. Juliette Low, president and founder of the Girl Scouts of America.

HOW MRS. BOYD AVOIDED AN OPERATION

Canton, Ohio.—"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well.



"My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them."—Mrs. MARIE BOYD, 1421 5th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

Sometimes there are serious conditions where a hospital operation is the only alternative, but on the other hand so many women have been cured by this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, after doctors have said that an operation was necessary—every woman who wants to avoid an operation should give it a fair trial before submitting to such a trying ordeal.

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Friendly and Alert.

Small boy with two large bundles, each about three feet long, one under each arm, crossing Broadway in a gale of wind. Midway his hat blows off and goes rolling away with the boy in swift pursuit; handicapped, however, by those two bundles, for with his arms and hands thus handicapped you wondered how he could pick the hat up when he came to it. But he didn't even have to try for it. As it struck the curb a friendly and alert passerby on the sidewalk stopped the hat, picked it up, and as the boy came up jammed it securely on his head, all without the boy's touching it at all.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
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Making Everything Easy.

"You favor the split infinitive?"

"I do."

"And you think the use of a singular verb with two nouns is sometimes permissible?"

"If you happen to feel that way about it."

"On what grounds?"

"Reform. Spelling reform has made good progress in simplifying education. Now I think we're about due for some grammar reform."

Requires Olive Oil.

Although olive oil as a food and medicinal oil can be replaced very largely by other vegetable oils, there are one or two technical uses, wool spinning, for instance, for which no entirely satisfactory substitute has yet been found.

No, fellow mortal, platonic affection and teutonic are not one and the same thing.

THIN PEOPLE SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitro-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

Thinness and weakness are often due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as bitro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bitro-phosphate should produce a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

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NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings In Minnesota Given In Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Bemidji.—The business association is planning for a great celebration on July 4.

Pipestone. — Clarence Rislov, a young farmer here, probably will die from injuries received when kicked by a horse.

Verndale.—A new farm industry in Wadena county is being developed by Newman Ireland of Verndale, who is raising Belgian hares.

Roseau.—The civil service commission announces an examination will be held on June 28 at 8 a. m., to fill the position of rural carrier at Roseau.

New Ulm.—Miss Anna Domeier, 20, died at the Loretta hospital of burns received when a can of kerosene exploded and threw burning oil over her at the Northwestern hotel.

St. Cloud.—Representative Knutson of the Sixth Minnesota district has accepted an invitation to speak at the St. Cloud home-coming celebration July 3 for returning soldiers.

St. Paul.—E. G. Quamme, president of the Federal Land bank of St. Paul, has been named chairman for the Federal reserve district of the committee in charge of the Boy Scout campaign.

Minneapolis. — Minnesota railroad officials have been notified by Director R. H. Aishton to comply with the law enacted by the last legislature for individual sanitary cups on each passenger train.

Bemidji.—The marriage license records of Fred Rhoda, clerk of court, show that in May there were twenty-four weddings in Beltrami county, while last year but nine were recorded for the month.

Moorhead.—Burt Patterson was taken to St. Peter by Sheriff Dan W. McDonald and Deputy P. O. Nokken, to be confined in the criminal ward of the state hospital for the insane in that city for killing his father.

Stillwater.—During last month twenty marriage licenses were issued by clerk of the District Court, David A. Connors of Washington, while for the same month in 1918 only twelve wedding permits were issued.

Rochester.—All contract work here was virtually tied up when the common laborers went on strike. They asked for 50 cents an hour. A compromise offer of 45 cents an hour by the contractors was rejected by the labor union men.

St. Paul.—E. J. Lynch, collector of internal revenue here, is beginning to receive checks in payment of the second of the installments on income and excess profits taxes which are due June 15. One-fourth of the tax must be paid by that date.

Winona. — Hans P. Krog, former postmaster of La Cresent, Minn., charged with having embezzled from the government, pleaded guilty in Federal court here and was sentenced to ten days in the Winona county jail. Full restitution was made.

Moorhead.—The Northwestern Lutheran College association of Concordia college, Moorhead, is organizing an endowment fund campaign of $200,000 for the school, enlisting the co-operation of the 70,000 Lutherans in this territory for that purpose.

St. Paul.—The Cosmopolitan State bank of Stillwater, newly organized, will be granted a state charter under recommendations made by the state securities commission, which found that there is a reasonable public demand for a new bank. It will have $25,000 capital and $5,000 surplus.

East Grand Forks.—Arthur Helm, 15 son of Mrs. John Helm at 201 Washington avenue, was severely injured when coming in contact with a live electric wire on the Minnesota tower of the Red River Power company, upon which he climbed with Byron Thomson. Helm fell about fifty feet.

St. Paul.—About 100 teachers and principals from all parts of the state have started correcting 200,000 papers of pupils taking state examinations. The work is being done in the House chamber at the Capitol and will take about two weeks' time. It is under the direction of P. C. Tonning, assistant state superintendent of education.

St. Paul.—The boundary line case of Minnesota against Wisconsin, involving the taxing authority of the respective states over a large amount of valuable dock property at Duluth, will be argued by Attorney General Hilton in the United States supreme court in October. Application to set the hearing was made by Senator Kellogg.

Baudette.—A slight frost in this section did but little damage to small fruit and garden produce, which is farther advanced than usual because of the warm spell. Rains have done much good to pastures that were greatly retarded because of the dry weather. The rains checked many fires which farmers had started on their places.

St. Paul.—Arrested, convicted, given a $60 fine and thirty-day jail term, besides being required to pay the cost of fighting the fire, all within a few hours after the accused started a blaze and permitted it to run in the woods near Biwabik, is the record in one recent prosecution under regulations to prevent forest fires in Northern Minnesota.

East Grand Forks.—The thirteenth annual commencement exercises of the East Grand Forks high school were held at the Mendenhall Memorial Presbyterian church, ten graduating.

East Grand Forks.—Sixteen students were graduated from the Sacred Heart parochial school.

Stillwater.—Sixty-seven members of the 1919 class of the Stillwater high school were graduated at the Auditorium theater.

Sleepy Eye.—Burglars entered the office of the Lambert Lumber company here and enriched themselves to the extent of $250 in Liberty bonds.

Crookston.—After being disorganized during the war owing to the absence of a number of active members, Crookston has reorganized its Advertising club.

St. Paul.—Captain Herbert H. M. Hauck, Mankato, recently discharged from military service, was appointed an assistant state bank examiner by F. E. Pearson, state superintendent of banks.

East Grand Forks.—Funeral services for Aaron Brown, pioneer resident and former mayor, who passed away at his home here, took place at the Mendenhall Memorial Presbyterian church.

Warren.—The Marshall County Federated Farm club picnic, an annual event, will be held this year on June 21 in the grove east of Argyle. The Crookston association has named a committee to attend.

Moorhead.—In connection with the summer term at the Moorhead normal school, a vacation school for the elementary grades will be conducted. The summer term lasts for a period of six weeks, beginning June 24.

Moorhead. — Commencement exercises of the Moorhead high school were held in the auditorium of the normal school and twenty-seven graduates received diplomas. Dr. Henry Hoag Frost of Fargo gave the address.

St. Cloud.—Mrs. Jacob Czlok of Popple Creek was found dead in bed. The cause has been attributed to heart trouble. Mrs. Czlok was a resident of Poppe Creek for thirty-four years. She is survived by her husband and six children.

Minneapolis. — Julius H. Barnes, head of the U. S. Food Administration Grain Corporation, will be the principal speaker at the convention of the Tri-State Country Grain Shippers' association to be held in Minneapolis, June 26, 27 and 28.

St. Cloud.—At a meeting of the city commission the bid of $2.74 per square yard for bitulithic paving, submitted by the General Contracting Company of Minneapolis, was accepted and the mayor and city clerk instructed to enter into a contract for the work.

Crookston. — With representatives from every division in which Minnesotans participated in line, the parade of World War veterans which will be reviewed by Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood will be one of the features of the Soldiers' Homecoming and celebration, to be held in Crookston July 1 and 2. The parade will be held on July 2.

Red Lake Falls.—The free women's rest room has been opened by the Civic league in the Healy building. The room is a woman's room and is designed for free use by women visitors to the city and for women's meetings of all kinds. The quarters consist of a main lounge 15x20 feet, furnished with easy chairs, tables and reading matter, a kitchen, and a committee room 10x14 feet.

Minneapolis.—Gunder B. Gunderson, president of the Minnesota Grain company, and prominent member of the chamber of commerce has been sued for divorce by his wife, Grace M. Gunderson. Mrs. Gunderson alleges that he frequently insulted her at social gatherings and humiliated her in many ways. Among other things, his wife declared at a party he once threw a plate of creamed tomatoes at her.

Hibbing. — Four "drunks" faced Judge Brady in municipal court, among whom was Erick Frederickson, 54, a resident of America for thirty-four years, during which time he has never even applied for any papers of citizenship, easily holding the record in Hibbing for indifference to the country in which he lives. His case is ten years worse than any other which has come to the notice of the municipal court.

East Grand Forks.—While James McIlraith, foreman in charge of the crew making the repairs on the Minnesota Point bridge over the Red river, was on top of the bridge superintending the work, he slipped and fell thirty feet to the ground. Although badly bruised and shaken up, Mr. McIlraith suffered no broken bones. He is reported as recovering, although he will be confined to his bed for some little time.

St. Paul.—Minnesota's new department of agriculture, created by the 1919 legislature, has begun activities. Commissioner N. J. Holmberg of Renville county opened offices adjoining those of the state immigration department on the second floor of the new capitol. Assistant commissioners are Prof. J. H. Hay of Thief River Falls and Hugh J. Hughes of St. Paul. The state department of agriculture is created to promote farming and marketing for the mutual advantages of producers and consumers. It will co-operate with county agricultural agents and otherwise strive to assist the farmers, and continuation of the work of the marketing committee of the State Public Safety commission also will be included in its activities.

Bemidji.—Thomas Fitzgerald was arraigned before Judge H. A. Simons, United States commissioner, on a charge of having had in his possession one pint of whisky. He was bound over to the next term of federal court at Fergus Falls and released on $500 bonds.

St. Cloud.—Sam Hass, who claims Minneapolis as his home and who was arrested here while riding in a car which it is said was stolen, was bound over to the grand jury and bail fixed at $5,000. At the time of his arrest he was with three others, who escaped.

LET WHISTLERS BE WARNED

New York Newspaper Is Emphatic in Its Declaration of Uncompromising Hostility.

Reader, have you ever been made frantic and exasperated beyond measure by some man whistling in your neighborhood? Did you ever sit in a tram car and hear one of these nuisances blow noises out through puckered lips? If you have, you can well sympathize with the unidentified person who listened to Moses Cohen whistle in a local motion-picture theater and arose and slew him on the spot. We regret the killing; it was uncalled for; unlawful; dreadful; not to be tolerated. Law sleuths are on the track of the killer, and, of course, as upholders of law, with almost puritanical vehemence we hope he will be caught. And yet . . . persons should not whistle in cinema theaters, or in tram cars, or in the streets, or in shops, or in newspaper offices, or any other place on the face of the green earth where they can be heard. We have spoken.—New York Evening Telegraph.

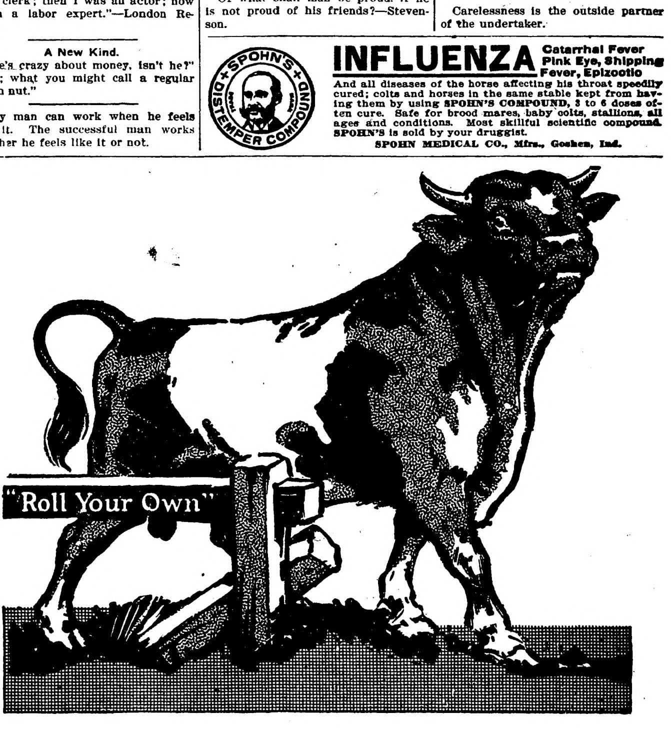
Training of an Expert.

During an air raid we overheard this priceless remark: "Oh, I've been several things. I began as an insurance clerk; then I was an actor; now I am a labor expert."—London Review.

A New Kind.

"He's crazy about money, isn't he?" "Yes; what you might call a regular dough nut."

Any man can work when he feels like it. The successful man works whether he feels like it or not.



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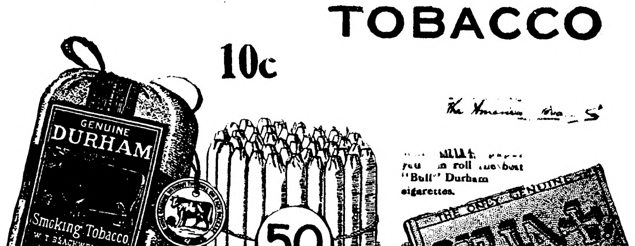
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Peeled Chicken.

Three-year-old Kitty was visiting her grandmother, who lived on a farm. Everything about the farm was a novelty to the child. Another pleasant thing about the visit was grandmother's constant questioning of:

"Now, what shall we eat today?"

One morning she asked the usual questions as to the menu. Little Kitty thought a minute and then answered:

"Oh, grandma, won't you please catch a chicken and peel it for dinner?"

A Lemon.

Two couples were strolling slowly around Monument Circle. A boy approached one with a bouquet of roses pleading that the man buy. The woman stopped, looked down at the boy, and said:

"You needn't mind, boy. He won't buy. He's my husband."

There was no more "sales talk" then. —Indianapolis News.

Accounted For.

"The fellow you speak of is a human misfit." "Of course he is. Isn't he a self-made man?"

Dynamite is rather excitable when all het up. Treat it kindly and it will do the same by you.

Of what shall man be proud, if he is not proud of his friends?—Stevenson.

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You can't afford to be laid up with sore, aching kidneys in these days of high prices. Some occupations bring kidney troubles; almost any work makes weak kidneys worse. If you feel tired all the time, and suffer with lame back, sharp pains, dizzy spells, headaches and disordered kidney action, use Doan's Kidney Pills. It may save an attack of rheumatism, dropsy, or Bright's disease. Doan's have helped thousands back to health.

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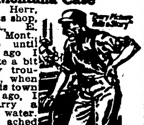
Every Picture Tells a Story

Geo. M. Herr, prop. harness shop, First Ave., E. Roundup, Mont., says: "Up until two years ago I suffered quite a bit with kidney trouble. In fact, when I came to this town nine years ago, I couldn't carry a pail of water. My back ached nearly all the time and the kidney secretions passed too freely. I kept hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills so often, I got a box and started using them. I used more than one box, but it wasn't long before I was cured."

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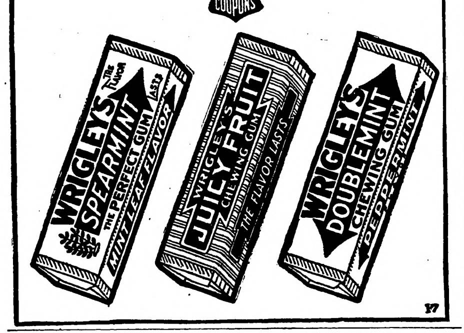
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MOTORS INSTEAD OF DOGS

Trip Over the Cascades in a Gasoline Sleigh Was a Distinct Success.

A spectacular trial trip was recently made across the Cascades in a motor sleigh, and a number of photographs, taken at various stages of the journey, are reproduced in Popular Mechanics. The achievement of the motor sleigh was almost as amazing as that of the first army tank, conquering, as it did, all kinds of obstacles. Skimming the surface of snowfalls, old or new, the strange little vehicle broke its way through primeval passes with never a stumble. The rescue of an automobile, hopelessly stalled in the drifts of Snoqualmie pass, was a mere incident in its progress. Crossing a deep gully on a pair of hemlock poles was but one of the day's adventures. The intended substitution of the motor sleigh for the dog drawn sledges of Alaska's snowbound post trails means more to the people of that great territory than may be generally realized. Jack London and others have limned the malemute as a romantic figure; but the followers of the trail know well he is never that. It is the elimination of much human hardship, as well as canine inefficiency, that recommends the gasoline method.

Quick Action Called For.

When an angler drops a line he hopes to get an answer right away.

Time's Changes.

"Times shore change," philosophically said Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "Just tuther day, as it were, nobody thought anything in pertickler if a feller took a demijohn to church under the back seat of his wagon, and after the sermon had growh sorter tiresome winked a few of his friends outside to help him lap it up and fool around and swap horses and mebbey fight a little in a general way.

"But now, by grit, if he even smells of patent medicine on a week day he's got to produce the omenick and p'int out the place whur it says he's got the deadly disease that he claims to have taken the medicine for."—Kansas City Star.

Proud of His "Profession."

"Burglars who served in the army are going back to their old trade," said a London police official the other day. "These men deliberately elect to live by stealing because they find it adventurous. It was with the same spirit that they joined the army. At least one convicted burglar won the Victoria cross." Confirmation of this characteristic is provided by a captain in a famous fighting regiment, who declares that one of the bravest men in his company, a corporal with a D.C.M. and other honors, declared himself a professional thief. "His one regret," remarked the officer, "was that the recruiting authorities would not let him describe his occupation on his attestation papers as 'burglar.'"

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PEACE EXPECTED IN NEXT 10 DAYS

Allies Speed Up Reply to Counterproposals and Will Demand Quick Action.

TO REJECT PROPOSALS

Different Commissions Report to Big Four in Favor of Rejection of Many Clauses Proposed by Germans.

Paris, June 10.—The peace conference commissions on colonies, prisoners of war, responsibilities and the labor, military and naval clauses of the treaty in their reports to the Council of Four, the Echo de Paris says it learns, urged the rejection of the German counterproposals as far as the several commissions are concerned.

Paris, June 10.—A speeding up process, similar to that adopted for completing the German treaty, is now being applied to the counterproposals. The more optimistic members of the American commission predict that the treaty will be signed by June 20, allowing five days to a week between the time the reply is placed in the Germans' hands and the date to be fixed for their final answer.

The latest indications are that the Allied answer will be ready for presentation Friday.

Allied experts were reported to have reached an agreement whereby the specific amount of reparations will not be put in the treaty but France and Belgium will accelerate establishment of the definite sum of their claims so Germany will learn the total indemnities she is to pay within two or three months after the treaty is signed instead of having to wait two years, as first planned.

Agreement Over League.

The league of nations commission was understood to have reached an agreement on the reply to the Germans' demand for immediate admission to the league. While the agreement is yet to be ratified by the Big Four it was said to provide that Germany shall be admitted after a brief period of probation, although she will be excluded from executive council.

The territorial committee, it was reported, has recommended rejection of Germany's demand for mandataries over certain of her former colonies.

This decision was said to have been reached despite the suggestion of American experts that she be given administration of her former territories in East Africa.

Rantzau Back in Versailles.

Foreign Minister Brockdorff-Rantzau has returned to Versailles from a conference with German government officials in Cologne.

Colonel House plans to go to London the latter part of this week, possibly in connection with preparations for the first meeting of the league of nations council in that city.

Provisions have been made for extending American occupation of the Hotel Crillon to autumn, so that Secretary Lansing, Henry White, General Bliss and various experts may remain to clean up unfinished business of the Peace conference.

Austrian Terms Impossible

Vienna, June 10.—The peace terms presented to Austria are impossible and mean the death of the country by starvation, President Seitz declared in opening the extraordinary session of the national assembly. The galleries were filled and the floor contained a large proportion of the members of the assembly including two women.

Foreign Minister Bauer made a report on his conference at Feldkirch with Dr. Renner, head of the Austrian peace delegation. Bauer is not popular in Vienna or in the country and is generally referred to as a "Bolshevik."

WORLD LEAGUE IS INDORSED

A. F. L. Committee Report to Convention Favors Treaty.

Atlantic City, N. J., June 10.—Unqualified indorsement is given the peace treaty and the League of Nations covenant by the executive council of the American Federation of Labor in its report, submitted to the officers and delegates at the opening session of the 39th annual convention.

The basic principles of a lasting peace are in the treaty and covenant, the report says, and adds that with a peace so built, "the world has in truth been made safe for democracy."

The covenant of the League of Nations, the report continues, "must meet the unqualified approval and support of the American working people."

Red Holocaust Revealed

Zurich, June 10.—Sensational statements were made during the trial of alleged secret agents and anarchists. It was testified that an anarchist band blew up a train in the Mont Genis tunnel in November, 1917, in which hundreds of French soldiers were returning from Italy on leave. Large sums of money which the Hindu leaders spent freely, it was declared under oath, were supplied not only by Berlin, but by Hindus in America, especially in California.

COCA-COLA WILL BE USED TO CHRISTEN ENGINE

Program Will Feature Exercises at Fire Hall on Wednesday.

[From Nashville Tennessean.]

Ann Dallas Dudley, the new fire engine at the Waverly-Belmont fire hall, will be christened on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with appropriate exercises. Mrs. Guilford Dudley, for whom the engine gets its name, is one of the state's pioneer suffrage workers and it is due to her untiring work that partial suffrage was given the women of Tennessee. Mrs. Miles Williams, a resident of the twenty-first ward, is chairman of arrangements, and also a pioneer suffragist, and little Judith Winston Folk, the 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reau Folk, also a pioneer suffragist and the youngest member of the Nashville organization, has been chosen sponsor. Miss Folk has selected as her maids the following young girls, daughters of prominent suffrage leaders: Travania Dudley, Lenore Kenny, Kate Barksdale, Harriet Ingram, Mary Sue Cantrell, Jane Davis and Elizabeth Smith.

At the christening not champagne but a bottle of coca-cola will be broken and the maids will shower the engine with yellow flowers. Speeches will be made by Mayor William Gupton, Commissioner Tompkins and Chief A. A. Rosetta. Mrs. Dudley, a member of the national suffrage organization, and Mrs. Reau Folk, chairman of the city organization, will be honor guests of the occasion.—Adv.

All some women talk about is—well, about 18 hours.

Cry tomorrow, if you must, but laugh today.

Freshen a Heavy Skin

With the antiseptic, fascinating Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented convenient, economical face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumes superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv.

Do you put your "O. K." on your day's work?

Laws are not alive until they are executed.

IT'S NOT YOUR HEART; IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is no respecter of persons. A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced back to the kidney trouble.

The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They are the filterers of your blood. If the poisons which are swept from the tissues by the blood are not eliminated through the kidneys, disease of one form or another will claim you as a victim.

Kidney disease is usually indicated by weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago.

All these derangements are nature's signals that the kidneys need help. You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The soothing, healing oil stimulates the kidneys, relieves inflammation and destroys the germs which have caused it. Go to your druggist today and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In twenty-four hours you should feel health and vigor returning.

After you feel somewhat improved continue to take one or two capsules each day, so as to keep the first-class condition and ward off the danger of other attacks.

Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand. Three sizes. Money refunded if they do not help you.

Good Riddance.

"Shall we hire a detective to watch our wedding presents?"

"I hardly think that will be necessary, my dear. Our friends have seized the opportunity to work off a lot of old junk."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The General Tendency.

"Everybody in America belongs to some kind of a social or commercial organization," observed the distinguished visitor."

"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum. "We have developed into a nation of leagues."

Their Faithfulness.

"Force of habit is almost as hard a master to some people as rum is said to be," commented the landlord of the tavern at Grudge. "Although the post office moved to its new location more than a month ago, and, too, though they never were compelled by law to do so, 'most any time o' day a bunch of prominent and influential lunkheads can be seen standing in the doorway of the old post office room, patiently waiting for busy people to come, as they used to, and scrouge past them, trying to get in."—Kansas City Star.

Hard facts do not always make an impression on a soft-headed man.

The Effects of Opiates.

THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotic, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous dyspepsia and lack of staying powers are a result of dosing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable.

The administration of Anodynes, Drops, Cordials, Soothing Syrups and other narcotics to children by any but a physician cannot be too strongly decried, and the druggist should not be a party to it. Children who are ill need the attention of a physician, and it is nothing less than a crime to dose them willfully with narcotics.

Castoria contains no narcotics if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Don't Sneeze; You May Die.

Scientists say that we are never nearer death than when we sneeze, the act causing a momentary convulsion of the brain.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

The bet you intended to make but didn't is always a safe bet.

NEW SOUTH WALES INFORMATION BUREAU

Singer Building, 149 Broadway, New York City Will be pleased to send Government Bulletins or answer any inquiries regarding opportunities for farming, stock raising, fruit growing, mining and investment in New South Wales,

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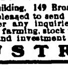

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All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

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Caused by

Acid-Stomach

That bitter heartburn, belching, food-repeating, indigestion, bloat after eating—all are caused by acid-stomach. But they are only first symptoms—danger signals to warn you of awful troubles if not stopped. Headache, biliousness, rheumatism, sciatica, that tired, listless feeling, lack of energy, dizziness, insomnia, even cancer and ulcers of the intestines and many other ailments are traceable to ACID-STOMACH.

Thousands—yes, millions—of people who ought to be well and strong are mere weaklings because of acid-stomach. They really starve in the midst of plenty because they do not get enough strength and vitality from the food they eat.

Take EATONIC and give your stomach a chance to do its work right. Make it strong, cool, sweet and comfortable. EATONIC brings quick relief for heartburn, belching, indigestion and other stomach miseries. Improves digestion—helps you get full strength from your food. Thousands say EATONIC is the most wonderful stomach remedy in the world. Brought them relief when everything else failed.

Our best testimonial is what EATONIC will do for you. So get a big 50c box of EATONIC today from your druggist, use it five days—if you're not pleased, return it and get your money back.

EATONIC
(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

Hard to Determine.

Ruth Clifford, the moving picture star, has a cousin overseas. Recently his name appeared in the casualty list as wounded.

"Yes," said Miss Clifford, in answer to an inquiry by her director, "he was wounded, but not seriously. We had a letter from the regimental surgeon."

"Where was he wounded?" asked Gerard.

"We are not quite sure. The surgeon mentioned the place, but we don't know whether it's an anatomical phrase or a French village."

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This is health insurance of such vital importance that millions of women bake at home just to be sure that Royal Baking Powder is used.

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Royal Contains No Alum
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June 27th
Is the opening date of the
Holt Chautauqua

Tickets for sale by
The Business Men of this village

Program next week

Mid-Summer Meeting
3 Big Days 3
Everybody boost for the BIG CHAUTAUQUA

Engebret Moe has purchased Gilbert Mickelson's improved 40 acre farm in Agdar.

Lost: An 8 gallon cream can. Finder please leave at the Holt creamery and oblige, C. F. Birkeland.

For Sale: Paige 5 passenger automobile in good running order. Electric lights and starter. Take it home for $475.00. Novelty Sales Co., Holt, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson and Mrs. T. Sollom accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sollom to Thief River Falls Tuesday to see the latters little son, Clifford, who was taken to the hospital last week Friday, suffering from stomach poisoning caused by the flu. At last reports the little fellow seemed to be a trifle better, but his condition is still considered very critical.

The creamery directors decided at their last meeting to pay cash for cream on delivery, to all these who desire it. Bring your cream to the Holt creamery and help to build up a home industry.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will hold a bazaar in the near future and all those who wish to contribute articles for it, are invited to do so. Please leave all articles with the president, Mrs. C. W. Christianson.

Soldiers re-union in Crookston July 1st. and 2nd.

Pay your telephone bills now. It costs money to send out statements every month.

Estray:- Two calves at my place. Prove property, pay 25c for this ad, also expenses. Mrs. K. Gronvold.

Davidson Bros. struck water at a dept of 148 feet in the well they have just finished drilling on C. H. Gunheim's farm.

Anyone in the market for a new Nielson tractor, either large or small call and see me.

Also a few tractors, used only for demonstrating, which will be sold cheap.

Agency for the Maxwell and the Nash automobiles.

Novelty Sales Company,
B. J. Bakke, Prop.
Holt, Minnesota

As will be seen in another column the March statement of the local creamery shows that in the month of March there was made from the cream brot in by the farmers living in this vicinity 10,858 lbs of butter which sold for $6,475.56. When it is remembered that March is one of the poorest months in the year for milk production, it should look prosperous for a community situated as Grygla is without a railroad.—The Grygla Eagle.

The Hart-Parr Tractor

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For the Hart-Parr and Waterloo Boy Tractors
See him if you want a good tractor

The Year 'Round Profit

Chickens yield a bigger profit the year 'round if properly housed. They are better producers during the cold winter months if the poultry house is sunny, roomy, well ventilated, well constructed and if good drainage has been provided.

Our experience in supplying all kinds of material for poultry houses will help you in your plans for any new buildings of this kind.

Come in and talk it over. Ask our help on any building problem.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company, Holt
C. L. Sandberg, Agent

Obert Relerson went to Mahnomen Saturday where he has employment during the summer months.

Mrs. M. B. Fitch and grandson, George Fitch, departed last week Thursday for an extended visit with friends and relatives at Decorah Iowa.

Casper Snare has changed the time of showing his moving pictures to Friday nights. This will enable him to make the return trip by train in case the roads are too muddy for autos.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Sorenson, sons, Arthur and Dewey and Mrs. Carl Sorenson all have been working hard in cleaning, repairing and fixing up the Evergreen hotel the past week. We understand the boys will open the hotel for business this week and we wish them success.

The Middle River base ball boys crossed bats Sunday with the Holt team on the home diamond, the game resulting in a score of 1 to 9 in favor of the home team.

The Middle River boys are a gentlemanly bunch and good feeling prevailed thruout the game. There were a lot of people here from Middle River to witness the game and all seemed pleased with the fair treatment which the management tried to give all concerned.

The return game will be played in Middle River next Sunday if the weather permits.

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Torald Tharaldson,

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, In Probate Court:

In the matter of the Estate of Torald Tharaldson.

The State of Minnesota to Liv. T. Brokke Tharaldson and all persons interested in the sale of all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Torald Tharaldson, The petition of Geo. W. Walker as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be sold and praying that a license be to Geo. W. Walker granted to sell the same:

NOW THEREFORE, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren, County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of June 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 3rd day of June, 1919.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate Court

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., June 10, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Ole Ingebrigtsli, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Sept. 11th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08457, for NE 1-4 Section 27, Township 156 N., Range 41 West, 5th. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 15th day of July, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Carl Dahl, Axel Benson, William Helland and Rudolph Dahl, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal,
711 Register.

Creamery Statement

Business done by Holt Creamery for month of March 1919

Cream received	19,201 lbs
Average Test	2.82
Butterfat	5,437 lbs
Overrun	1254 lbs
Butter made	6,691 lbs.
Price paid	68 cents
Patrons this month	87
Balance last month	86.93
Receipts for butter sold	$3,933.43
Paid Patrons by check,	$3,697.80
Sinking fund	27.18
Expense fund	237.32
Balance	8.06
Total	$3,970.36

J. A. Sorum, Sec'y.

Mid-Summer Chautauqua
Holt, Minn.
Be a Rousing Booster

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in payment of the sum of One Hundred Twenty-seven and 55-100—Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Mary Faulkner, a single woman, Mortgagor, to Lester E. Gesell, Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1915, and with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of January, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Book 79 of Mortgages on page 258.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Lester E. Gesell, Mortgagee, to Nathan K. Harris by written assignment dated the 11th day of April, 1916, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 5th day of June, 1919, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Book 94 of Mortgages, on page 456, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Warren in said County and State, on the 28th day of July, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Hundred Twenty-seven and 55-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale as provided by law.

Dated June 9, 1919.

Nathan K. Harris,
Assignee of Mortgagee

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee.

MORTGAGE FORCLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Louis Olson, a single man, mortgagor, to Martin V. Evenson, mortgagee, dated March 23rd, 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on March 29th, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock A. M., in Book 74 of mortgages, on page 530 thereof; that such default consists in the failure to pay the installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1918, and another installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1919, and interest thereon, and the mortgagee has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount secured by said mortgage principal and interest, due and payable in accordance with the terms thereof; that the amout claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date is fifty-five dollars and eighty cents ($55.80); that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are Lots three (3) and four (4), and the South half (S½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section two (2), in Township one hundred and fifty-seven (157), North of Range thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in Marshall County, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the West front door of the Marshall County Court House in the City of Warren in said Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 7th day of July A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including taxes if any have been paid by the mortgagee, together with the cost of such sale and twenty-five dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated May 20th, 1919.

MARTIN V. EVENSON,
Mortgagee.

THEO. QUALE
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

Holt Chautauqua 3 Big Days
Midsummer Entertainment
Everybody Boost this good work along
This will be a big advertisement for this community
Grab a root and HELP HELP HELP

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Mascot Flour
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Notice of Annual Meeting
HOLT FARMERS ELEVATOR COMPANY
June 24th, 1919

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Holt Farmers Elevator Company will be held on the 24th day of June 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M. at the M. W. A. Hall, Holt, Minnesota, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and receiving and acting upon the report of the Officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

J. A. Sorum, Secretary

State Historical Society

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Allie Werner and family visited at the Riesberg home Sunday.

C. H. Gunheim was a business visitor at Fork last Saturday afternoon.

The Sunday program of the Holt chautauqua will be in keeping with the spirit of the day.

Middle River has decided not to celebrate the 4th. of July on account of a lack of support.

Misses Elizabeth and Anna Hoffman, August Hoffman and Mrs. C. Hoffman autoed to Goodridge Sunday.

J. P. Benitt and famiy entertained his brother and family from Goodhue county several days the past week.

Mrs Larson and chidren of Argyle visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Hagglund and family, on Sunday.

Attend The Big Chautauqua !!!

Mrs. Johnnie Jahr and children went to Roseau Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Einer Olson and family.

Casper Snare will show "Twenty Thousand Leagues under the sea" at the Woodman hall to-night. Don't miss it.

Mr. and Mrs Ole B. Johnson, and Mrs. Birkland and children visited Mrs. Johnson's mother Mrs. Anderson, at St. Hilaire Sunday.

Pete Hanson and family went to T. R. Falls Friday evening and brot back his sister Miss Amanda Hanson for an over Sunday visit.

Guy Anderson left Tuesday morning for several days visit with his brother, Oscar, also with friends at Dell Rapids and other points in So. Dak.

A. L. Carlson left Wednesday night for Minneapolis to attend a convention of the Elks as a delegate, also to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Erickson and family, J. E. Erickson and daughter Annie, and C. L. Holgren visited Carl Erickson and family Sunday, near Goodridge.

Elmer Hagglund gave a wedding dance at the Woodman hall Monday night. The guests presented the newly weds with a purse of something thing like $40.00, for a wedding present.

John Kellberg and family of T. R. Falls, John Sholin and family, John Helstrom and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sholin, all of Wiley were entertained Sunday at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg.

H. P. Peterson and Anton Rodahl autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday where the latter had a small piece of plow steel removed from his eye. While fileing a plow a couple of weeks ago a piece of the steel lodged in his eye and gave him considerable trouble until it was removed.

Army and Navy News

Oscar Anderson departed Tuesday for Philadelphia to report for duty in the navy. Mr. Anderson's furlough did not last long, but he greatly enjoyed the few days he spent at the home of his mother, Mrs. Caspar Anderson and family.

Han Knutson's folks received a telegram Monday stating their son Oscar, arrived at Camp Mills Saturday, that he was well and would write soon.

Selmer Kolden arrived here Friday to visit his father, S. S. Kolden and family. Mr. Kolden has just returned from several months service with the U. S. army in France.

Private Andrew Tobiason lately arrived from overseas, and was heartily received by his home folks and friends here Wednesday. He is looking fine and is glad to be at home once more.

Mrs. Ole Davidson received a telegram Monday stating that her son Pvt. Edward Davidson Co. D. 53rd. Infantry Regulars, had arrived at New York on June 14th. 1919 on the Leviathan. She also received a card saying he was well and expected to be at home soon.

R. L. Anderson went to Devils Lake, N. D., Tuesday to take the government examination as to his physical condition.

Miss Ruby Swan went to Thief River Falls Sunday to work for Mrs. Martin Strom, who is on the sick list.

Good music, singing, speaking, drawing and all varieties of entertainment at the Holt Chautauqua next week.

C. H. Gunheim is building a barn 34x60 with 14 posts, on his farm south of town. Anton Rodahl and John Hagberg are doing the carpenter work.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Erickson and sons Enejer and Carl of Dale Minn. came Saturday evening for a few days visit with his brothers J. E. and Carl Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Peterson moved into their new home Saturday. J. L. Hirsch has rented the house, they vacated, and will soon move his family to our village.

For Sale: A 15x30 Minneapolis gas tractor, used only two years. Will sell cheap for cash or trade for land. See Andrew Ness, Thief River Falls, or R. Reierson, Holt,

William Vantassell from Newfolden has charge of the creamery during Mr. Anderson's absence.

Messrs Vantassell and Horien are kept pretty busy, there is so much cream coming in this month.

Otto Johnson and son Gilbert have purchased the eight acre tract of the Townsite Co., that lies just north of Mrs. Sven Johnson. We understand the younger Mr. Johnson will build a house and barn there, which he hopes to have ready for occupancy before winter.

The business men met Monday evening and made arrangements for holding the Chautauqua. A lisence was granted Olai Sovde to operate stands on the grounds and it is expected that this fee will meet most of the local expenses. Don't fail to get your tickets of some of our business men, before next Friday.

While Ole Hamernes was fixing the carburetor of his stationary engine Tuesday evening, a fire suddenly started in the gasoline around the machine. It is thot that he accidently touched two wires to-gether, making a spark which caused the fire, scorching the walls some. Help quickly arrived and the fire was put out. However the people had a good scare and the fire company had a little extra practice.

The Gospel Meetings

The meetings at the Mission church came to a close Sunday night. The first session was held on Wednesday evening and the attendance and interest increased all the time. On the closing day the church proved to be far too small to hold the people who came from the surrounding country. People were present from Thief River Falls and all the villages near by and many from a distance. Among those from a distance were: Rev. N. C. Carlson of Beresford, S. D., Prof. Peterson, Mrs. Angove, Miss Volstad, Messrs Olson and Vold, the Misses Holty and Lykkedrag, all of Minneapolis and Anton Hill of Alvarado, also many others whose names we were unable to get.

These gospel meetings have been a great inspiration for the Christian and its influence for good is far reaching. Holt has been honored in having this Conference meet here and we hope these same workers may be induced to return to our little village again in the near future.

Flags for sale at this office.

Moving pictures next week Friday at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Want several quarters cheap land. Open preferred.—Wadsworth,
829 Grand Forks, N. D.

Dr. Paulson was called Tuesday to see And. Movik who is on the sick list.

K. Spoonhiem went to T. R. Falls Friday after a few days visit at Edwin Erickson.

Miss Mabel Johnson came home Saturday from Thief River Falls for a couple of weeks visit.

Mrs. J. L. Montague and Esther Harding visited at the G. Hoffman home a few days this week.

Charles Cassel of Iowa visited a few days the past week at the home of Mrs. John Hagglund and family.

B. J. Bakke returned from Grand Forks Sunday evening with a new Nash car, for which he has the agency.

Mrs. Carl Engebretsen took her little daughter to Thief River Falls Monday to consult a physician about the latters health.

Telephone rates throughout the state were raised this week Tuesday, so that there is no difference in the rates either inside or outside of this state.

Mr. and Mrs. Neprude and little son of Middle River visited friends here Monday and Tuesday. Mrs Neprude will perhaps be better remembered as Miss Ella Olberg.

Holts chautauqua entertainment consists of all kinds of music, crayon artist, drawing with both hands, ventriloquists, all kinds of readings and imitations, speaking, singing etc.

"The Ringbo Rambles" were received in due time this week but on account of extra advertisements and news, they are unavoidably crowded out. Look for them next week.

K. T. Knutson took his son Loyd to Thief River Falls Tuesday to see a physcian. The latter has had trouble with his nose and it is hoped he will be able to get some relief.

The Holt creamery shipped ninty one tubs of butter Saturday. Thats what is termed "going some". We hope the farmers will keep the good work up, until there is not a single farmer shipping cream.

Miss Magda Hagen and Anna Liberg came from Minneapolis Saturday to visit the former's sister, Mrs. Pete Hanson and family for a few days. They were enroute to Haug to visit home folks.

The Community Auction

A big crowd of men, women, and children attended the community auction sale here last week Wednesday. The Woodman hall was opened for a rest room for the ladies, where good music was furnished to them by Miss Amanda Mickelson, and we are sure the ladies appreciated the opportunity to rest and listen to good music.

The address was given by Mr. Winden as advertised, but the races were not pulled off until after the auction as the crowds were slow in coming to town on account of the stormy looking weather.

The people seemed to come from al the surrounding country and all the business places did a rushing business.

Ole Brouna worked hard to make good sales with varying success.

There was so much to be sold that the sale lasted until about six o'clock. Some things brought good prices, others did not, while on a very few things the crowd did not care to bid.

The result of the foot races were as follows:

Old men: Tom Severson 1st; Gullek Svenson 2nd; Young men's Herman Peterson, 1st; Olaf Ness, 2nd; Girls, Elsie Rux, 1st; Cora Brown, 2nd; Three legged; Melvin Bakke and Walter Sandberg, 1st; Herman Peterson and Olaf Ness 2nd.

Mrs. Klep of Grand Forks came Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. T. Sollom and family.

Mrs. Kuehue went to Thief River Falls Friday for a few days visit at the Knauf home.

The ball game at Middle River Sunday resulted in a score of 3 to 7 in favor of the Holt nine.

Carl Erickson of Goodridge visited a few days last week with his brother, J. E. Erickson and family.

J. M. Swan is building a one story 16X14 addition to his farm house. Hjalmer Johnson is doing the carpenter work.

C. L. Sandberg has sold T. E. Ellestead a bill of lumber for a 24 x 28 bungalow which he expects to build next month.

Lloyd Adams with his force of workman commenced building the basement of the Synod church the first of this week.

Mrs. Erik Johnson and daughter, Mrs. Hall, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Momberg, in Alvarado several days the past week.

Paul B. Silgestrom of Rollis will be the new mail carrier on the Golden Valley route. He commences work July 1 and his salary is $540 per year.

Albert Bennes has installed an electric fan in his confectionery store and the breeze it makes these warm days is much appreciated by his many customers.

P. B. Lund left Monday for a couple of weeks business visit at his former home in Alexandria. His little brother, Clifford, who came here last week to visit, accompanied him home.

Simon Esser of Casseltown, N. D., came Saturday to visit at the Mickelson home. Mr. returned recently from more than a years service overseas and he talks very interestingly of his experience.

Prof. Alway came Saturday to look after the experimental work at Golden Valley. They have about 12 acres in to crops this year and it is divided into about 800 plots. Prof. Alway is working as hard as ever to have the work done right.

Fred Peterson, Mr and Mrs. Alfred Larson, Mrs. Fred Larson and son, Joseph, autoed to Warren Monday where the latter underwent an operation the next morning for appendicitis. At last reports the young man was doing nicely, all will be glad to learn

Miss Martha Peterson departed Saturday for her home at Viking and after about a weeks visit there she leaves for Washington, D. C., where she has been given a clerkship. Miss Peterson has been a successful teacher in our schools for the past years and all wish her much success in her new work.

Hjalmer Peterson has made a deal with Guy Anderson for the latter's big feed barn and will move it onto the southwest corner of the property he purchased from Carl Christoferson This will make a much better location for the barn as it will be on the corner with a street in front and an alley on the side.

Shipping tags for sale at this office

Southeast of Holt.

The Larson and Moe young folks autoed out to Golden Valley Sunday. They attended the dedication of the cemetery, services being by Rev. Ordahl and also visited at the C. Larson and E. Odie homes. An enjoyable time was reported.

The ladies aid picnic and auction given at the Gullorud home last Thursday turned out successful in spite of rain and bad roads. The sum of $173 was taken in. The young peoples society rendered an interesting program in the afternoon. Also there was an interesting sermon delivered by Rev. Ordahl.

Larsons purchased a brand new Brisko car on Thursday.

Arthur Thorwick and Charley Steenerson, who have been working on farms near Grygla returned to this vicinity last week.

Rev. Bakke from Battle Lake has had a three days meeting in the Free church in this vicinity the latter part of last week.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the Holt Township Board up to 2 o'clock P. M., of June 30th, 1919, to furnish material and do the concrete work on a steel bridge across county ditch No. 2, contractor to furnish satisfactory bond.

Plans and specifications on file at the office of the township clerk.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Send all bids to the clerk,
T. B. Folden,
Holt, Minn.

John Melquist and Arnold Boernstein autoed to Roseau Saturday evening.

Joseph Johnson came home from Comstock, N. D., last week Thursday for a few days visit.

K. P. Sponheim of Northwood, N. D., arrived here last week Tuesday for a few days visit at the J. E. Erickson home.

The Red Cross had some flags left over from Memorial day, which they desire to sell. Enquire at this office for prices.

Guy Anderson is taking a well earned vacation from his duties as rural mail carrier. O. J. Backlund is substituting on the Mr. A. route.

Ole Sollom and daughters, Emma and Tilda, of Grand Forks were visitors last Wednesday at the homes of Mrs. T. Sollom and P. O. Reierson.

The creamery directors decided at their last meeting to pay cash for cream on delivery, to all those who desire it. Bring your cream to the Holt creamery and help to build up a home industry.

Come to Holt June 27th, see the big chautauqua tent and take in the afternoons entertainment.

Anyone in the market for a new Nielson tractor, either large or small call and see me.

Also a few tractors, used only for demostrating, which will be sold cheap.

Agency for the Maxwell and the Nash automobiles.

Novelty Sales Company,
B. J. Bakke, Prop.
Holt, Minnesota

Hans O. Chommie
LAWYER
Thief River Falls
Offices in Scandia Block

Holt Cafe!
Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery
Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream
Olai Sovde Prop.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

English Confirmation services 2 P. M. June 24, at T. O. Dovre's. Ladies Aid will entertain. Norwegian confirmation class meets at same place, Sunday. Y. P. S., 7:30 at J. Klungness'. No Sunday School

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 31
Wheat No. 2	2 28
Wheat No. 3	2 24
Wheat No. 4	2 20
Flax	4 59
Oats	57
Barley	$8 to 91
Rye	1 32
Flour, Best Patent	6 70

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Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 79
Residence: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 60

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 307 Call 1; Residence 20; Call 2

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

City Barber Shop
Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
All work guaranteed satisfactory
Ernest Phillipson
Holt, Minn.

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Catarrh Cannot Be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

Important News Events of the World Summarized

Personal

Former United States Senator John C. Spooner of Wisconsin died at his home in New York. Sixteen years ago John Coit Spooner relinquished the position with which the legislators of his former state had thrice honored him and retired in 1907. He was born in Lawrenceburg, Ind., January 6, 1843.

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On a green hillside in Fentress county, Tennessee, Sergt. Alvin C. York, hero of the Argonne drive, wedded Miss Gracie Williams of Pall Mall, Tenn. Gov. Albert H. Roberts performed the ceremony.

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Washington

The responsibility for the "leak" of the peace treaty from Paris to Wall street has been definitely traced to Thomas W. Lamont, a member of the commission on reparations of the peace conference by appointment by President Wilson and a member of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. It was Mr. Lamont who gave a copy of the treaty to Henry P. Davison of the same firm in Paris May 9. The copy was brought to New York by Mr. Davison and given to former Senator Elihu Root, who showed it to Senator Lodge.

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Victor L. Berger, representative-elect from the Fifth Wisconsin district, challenged, through counsel, the right of the house of representatives in Washington or of its committees to deprive him of his seat.

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A board of officers has been appointed by Secretary Baker to select a site in the vicinity of San Francisco for a combined land and water coast defense air station.

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Maintenance of the government guaranteed price of $2.26 a bushel to the wheat producer is absolutely needed to care for world wants, it was asserted in New York by Julius Barnes, United States wheat director, presiding at a conference of 250 representatives of the grain industries.

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By a vote of 305 to 4 the house of representatives at Washington passed and sent to the senate the bill authorizing $750,000,000 for use of the railroad administration in operating the government controlled lines.

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The United States senate, without a record vote, passed the Kellogg bill for repeal of the law authorizing government control and operation of telegraph, telephone and cable wires.

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Representative Dyer of Missouri (Rep.), by cable from Washington requested President Wilson to issue a proclamation declaring the war ended and demobilization completed to prevent wartime prohibition from going into effect, so far as it pertains to beer and light wine.

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Senator Borah and his supporters, after a five-hour fight, forced a copy of the peace treaty into the public record of the United States senate after many attempts to prevent its publication had been beaten on record votes. According to his information, Senator Borah said he had reason to believe the bankers had knowledge of the treaty contents for at least ten days past.

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A wheat production of 1,236,000,000 bushels this year, combining the winter wheat and spring wheat crops, was forecast by the department of agriculture from the condition of the crop June 1. Winter wheat production is forecast at 893,000,000 bushels. Spring wheat production is forecast at 343,000,000 bushels. Based on $2.26 per bushel at Chicago, the wheat crop is worth $2,793,000,000.

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Foreign

The palace of the Yildiz kiosk in Constantinople, inhabited by the sultan, was destroyed by fire.

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As a result of the NC-4's successful trans-Atlantic flight President Wilson has appointed a commission to visit England and make an investigation with a view to establishing an American air force, separate from the army or navy, it was learned in London.

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Dora Charlton, aged twenty-four, an alleged spy who traveled on a false American passport, committed suicide in Turin when she was arrested.

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Bela Kun, the Hungarian communist foreign minister, in reply to a message from Premier Clemenceau, according to a London dispatch, agrees to stop hostilities with the Czecho-Slovaks.

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Riot and violence tore loose on the streets of Winnipeg, Man. For three hours the strikers fought a pitched battle with the special constabulary in the heart of the city. Sergt. Frederick George Coppins, winner of the Victoria cross in the great war, was so maltreated that he may die.

The British admiralty announced in London that a British submarine operating in the Baltic sea has been missing since June 4 and is presumed to have been lost with all hands.

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Information was received in official quarters at Brownsville that 75 persons were killed in the Mexican city of Monterey in fighting that started early Monday morning after the election Sunday.

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Private Patrick Sheridan, an American soldier, is dead at Coblenz, Germany, from a wound inflicted by a German police sergeant at Ehrenbreitstein. The German, who had been drinking, jostled the American soldier. The American struck him on the jaw.

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President Wilson told representatives of Irish societies in America that he would do what he could unofficially to bring the Irish question to the attention of the other peace commissioners. Announcement to this effect was made by Frank P. Walsh and Edward F. Dunne, representatives of the Irish-Americans, after a conference with the president in Paris.

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Bolshevik forces recaptured Ufa, recently taken by troops of Admiral Kolchak, after three days of sanguinary fighting, a Russian wireless dispatch received in London reads.

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It was learned in Paris that the Berlin government is sending photographically reproduced copies of the peace treaty to every United States senator and representative.

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Premier Orlando of Italy caused another hitch in the peace negotiations when he again informed the big four at Paris that Italy would refuse any suggestions for a compromise on the counter-territorial claims affecting the Adriatic littoral. He declared that Italy would "stand pat" on the pact of London.

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The signing of an armistice by the Austrians and Jugo-Slavs is reported in advices reaching Geneva, Switzerland.

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Payment to the allies of indemnity of 100,000,000,000 marks gold ($25,000,000,000) has been approved by the German cabinet. This announcement was made in Berlin by Dr. Dernberg, minister of finance, who added that part of the indemnity will be paid in the form of raw products and that the former German provinces should be called upon to pay their share pro rata.

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The peace terms presented to Austria are impossible and mean the death of the country by starvation, President Seitz said in his address opening the extraordinary session of the national assembly at Vienna.

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Domestic

Organized labor went on record against wartime prohibition and in favor of the exemption of 2¾ per cent beer from both the wartime prohibition act and the federal prohibition amendment, in a resolution adopted by the American Federation of Labor at Atlantic City, N. J. The resolution was carried by a vote of 26,475 to 4,005.

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The steamship Graf Waldersee was rammed 100 miles off Sandy Hook and is in a sinking condition. Several United States army officers and the crew were transferred to the steamer Patricia, according to a wireless message received in New York.

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Illinois was first to ratify the national suffrage amendment. At Springfield, after passage by the house, the senate voted favorably at 10:48 a. m., Tuesday. At Madison notice of passage by the Wisconsin legislature was given by the lieutenant governor at 11:52 a. m. The Michigan legislature ratified the amendment late in the afternoon.

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Return to Germany of about 2,000 former officers and sailors taken from German vessels when the United States seized enemy shipping at the outbreak of the war will begin about July 1. Those to be released now are being held at Forts McPherson and Oglethorpe.

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Department of justice officials in Detroit, working under the direction of Arthur L. Barkey, chief of the bureau, have nipped an alleged plot to defraud the government out of $30,000,000 worth of ammunition supplies which were to be disposed of abroad, presumably to the militaristic group in Germany. Secret indictments charging conspiracy have been returned by the United States grand jury.

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Two men were killed and five injured when a Waterloo (Ia.) Rock Island train from Minneapolis for Chicago and St. Louis struck three horses at a cattle guard north of the switch at Washburn, Ia.

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Oscar Bricker, thirty years old of Wabash, Ind., a civilian flyer, was burned to death at Hannibal, Mo., when his airplane fell out of control and crashed in a street, bursting into flames.

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Tyranny, whether it be in the political or industrial life of the nation, will not be tolerated by organized labor, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, told delegates at the opening of the thirty-ninth session of the organization at Atlantic City, N. J.

VILLA DEFEATED BY U. S. TROOPS

American Soldiers Sent Into Mexico Fight Engagement With Rebels and Win.

YANKS OCCUPY JUAREZ

U. S. Cavalry and Negro Infantrymen Take Rebel Trenches and Prisoners After Battling in Open—Action Declared Not an Invasion.

Juarez, Mexico, June 17.—United States infantry began withdrawing from Juarez to El Paso in obedience to orders by Major General Dercey C. Cabell, commander of the southern department, who arrived from San Antonio.

At 10:45 a. m., the 34th infantry started marching across the international bridge from Juarez and by 11 a. m. the entire command was back on American soil, after having spent exactly 11 hours on Mexican soil.

El Paso, Texas, June 17.—Artillery fire against the Villa rebel forces southeast of Juarez was opened at 10:35 with the Second battalion of the 82d Field Artillery firing shrapnel bursts which could be seen plainly from the river.

Washington, June 17. — "There can be no misunderstanding between the governments of the United States and Mexico regarding the movement of troops across the border at El Paso," Secretary N. D. Baker said. The sole purpose, he said, was protection of the American side of the border and there is a distinct understanding between the governments for such action.

El Paso, June 17.—American troops sent into Mexico to stop the indiscriminate firing across the border fought their first general engagement with the Mexican rebel forces of Francisco Villa at the Juarez race track shortly after 2 a. m. and the Americans were victorious.

Villa's troops were driven from the race track by rifle and machinegun fire and many prisoners were reported taken by the United States cavalry, which surrounded the track on the east and southeast according to an official report at military headquarters.

Americans Occupy Juarez.

United States troops were in full possession of Juarez and American cavalry scoured the Mexican territory south and east of Juarez, capturing or killing every Villista soldier they found.

The American advance into Mexico was led by three armored motor cars carrying machinegun crews and one-pound field pieces.

U. S. Artillery Opens Fire.

The motor vanguard was followed closely by two battalions of Negro troops of the 24th infantry. The men wore helmets and carried campaign packs.

Beside them walked the 19th Infantry.

Soon after midnight American artillery opened fire on Villistas. It was believed here that they were endeavoring to lay down a box barrage to isolate the Villistas in the vicinity of the Juarez race track.

Killed in El Paso.

The Mexican rebels and federal troops had fought in the streets of Juarez, many on both sides being killed. Many bullets from the rebel guns came across the Rio Grande and two persons were killed, and seven wounded on the American side.

When the Mexican bullets came too thick for the safety of the citizens of El Paso, Brigadier General J. B. Erwin ordered American troops to cross the border and in 10 minutes after the order was issued 3,600 United States soldiers were in Mexico. The first troops to cross the border were the Fourth Battalion of the 24th Infantry (Negro), a battalion of the 82d Artillery and the Fifth and Seventh Cavalry.

After the federals were allowed to retire into the town, Colonel Hadsel's Negro infantry opened up with a terrific rifle fire on the trenches flanking the race track. They advanced in open order and succeeded in dislodging the Villa forces.

In announcing his action in ordering Americans into Juarez, Brigadier General J. B. Erwin said he had done so to prevent the indiscriminate firing into El Paso by rebel soldiers, endangering the lives of Americans. He said it was not an invasion into Mexico.

Disorders in Switzerland.

Paris, June 17.—Bolshevik and anarchistic disorders are reported from Switzerland. Two persons were killed and 17 wounded, according to official figures in a serious uprising in Zurich.

French Seek Printing Machinery.

Chicago, June 17.—The Germans destroyed or carried out of France printing machinery valued at $100,000,000 which must be replaced chiefly from the United States, J. Radiquer, type manufacturer and editor of La Typologie, of Paris, said here.

English Duchess Asks Divorce.

London, June 17.—Among the suits which will come up for a hearing at the next session of the divorce court, beginning June 17, is that of the Duchess of Westminister.

BRITISH AIRMEN CROSS ATLANTIC

Captain Alcock and Lieutenant Brown Make First Non-Stop Trip Over Ocean.

TIME SIXTEEN HOURS

Voyage Is Without Accident, but Vickers-Vimy Biplane Is Forced to Climb and Dive in Effort to Escape Fogs.

London, June 17.—The final goal of all the ambitions which dying men have ventured to dream since the Wright brothers first rose from the earth was realized when the British officers, Capt. John Alcock and Lieut. Arthur Brown, landed on the Irish coast after the first non-stop flight across the Atlantic ocean.

Their voyage was without accident and without unforseen incident, so far as can be learned. It was a straightaway clean-cut flight, achieved in 16 hours and 12 minutes—from New Foundland to Clifden, Ireland, a distance of more than 1,900 miles.

Plane Battles With Fogs.

But the brief description which comes from the air men at Clifden tells of an adventurous and amazingly hazardous enterprise. Fog and mists hung over the North Atlantic, and the Vickers-Vimy biplame climbed and dove, struggling to extricate herself from the folds of the airplane's worst enemy.

She rose to 11,000 feet, swooped down almost to the surface of the sea and at times the two navigators found themselves flying upside down only ten feet above the water.

Before booming down to earth near the Clifden wireless station Alcock circled the wireless aerials, seeking the best spot to reach the earth but no suitable ground was found, so he chanced it in a bog.

The wireless staff rushed to the aid of the aviators. They found Brown dazed and Alcock temporarily deafened by the force of the impact. As soon as they were able to be escorted to the wireless station they telegraphed the news to their friends, then had breakfast.

"That is the best way to cross the Atlantic," said Lieutenant Brown after he had eaten.

The landing was made at 9:40 a. m. British summer time. In taking the ground the machine struck heavily and the fuselage ploughed into the sand. Neither of the occupants were injured.

Radio Out of Commission.

Captain Alcock explained the silence of his radio instrument by saying that the wireless propellor blew off soon after leaving New Foundland.

The Daily Mail's correspondent found Alcock and Brown at Clifden packing their gear into a huge sack. Alcock's face lit up with a smile when he was congratulated by the correspondent. Brown, who was bending over packing, said quietly:

"We didn't do so badly, did we?"

Alcock said with a laugh: I am not at all tired. Brown, however, confessed, "I am a bit fagged out." The correspondent says Brown's eyes were slightly bloodshot, but that otherwise the men looked as if they had not travelled across the ocean.

LAUNCH CAPSIZES IN RIVER

Nineteen Persons Are Drowned and Twelve Missing.

Tuscaloosa, Ala., June 17.—Nineteen persons, most of them children, are known to have been drowned, while rescue parties, aided by searchlights were dragging the Warrior river near Tuscaloosa for the bodies of 12 others missing from a pleasure party of 62 who were cast into the water when a gasoline launch was overturned in midstream.

FRANCE ORDERS STEAMERS

Hurley O. K.'s Contracts for Half Million Tons of Trade Craft.

Paris, June 17.—Orders placed in American shipyards for a half million tons of merchant ships to go under the French flag have been approved by Edward N. Hurley, chairman of the United States Shipping Board, and he has informed M. Casenave, French charge d'affaires at Washington, to this effect, it was announced.

ALTITUDE RECORD IS SET

French Aviator Soars to Height of 33,000 Feet.

Villacoublay, June 17.—Adjutant Casale, the French aviator, who established a new world altitude record of 31,168 feet last week, broke that record by ascending to a height approximately 33,136 feet. The temperature at that height was 8 degrees below zero.

German Methodists Appeal.

Berlin, June 17.—German Methodists in conference here have adopted an appeal to their American and English brethren urging their co-operation in behalf of a peace in keeping with President Wilson's fourteen points.

No Special Suffrage Session.

Trenton, N. J., June 17.—There will be no special session of the New Jersey legislature to act on the federal suffrage amendment, Governor Runyon has announced.

On a warm day there's no more refreshing luncheon than Libby's Veal Loaf, chilled and sliced! So easy, too. Ask your grocer for a package today.

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Everything Lovely.

"Howdy, Gap!" saluted an acquaintance, upon meeting the well known Rumpus Ridge citizen on a shopping expedition in Tumlinville. "How's everything going with you?"

"Finer'n frog hair, Jurd!" triumphantly replied Gap Johnson. "Of course, my wife has been sorter pung, yur of late, and several of the children have got the measles and mumps and one thing and another, and the lightning struck the corner of the house tuther night and like to have tore the whole place to pieces, and one of the kids fell out of a tree and broke his arm, and a feller took a shot at me day before yesterday and ventilated my ear, and such as that, but I swapped for a running horse last week, and a couple of my hounds have got six pups apiece. Aw, I tell you, they can't keep a good man down!"—Kansas City Star.

Well Known.

I was hurrying home up the hill when a little boy came rushing down in such haste that he ran headlong into me. He was quite breathless and very flushed.

"Have you seen my pa?" he managed to stammer.

"I don't know your pa, little boy," said I.

He looked at me in round-eyed wonder and his pink cheeks fairly stuck out.

"You don't know my pa?" he said incredulously. "Why, I knew pa just as easy!"—Exchange.

BELCHING

Caused by

Acid-Stomach

Let EATONIC, the wonderful modern stomach remedy, give you quick relief from disgusting belching, food-repeating, indigestion, bloated, gassy stomach, dyspepsia, heartburn and other stomach miseries. They are all caused by Acid-Stomach from which about nine people out of ten suffer in one way or another. One writes as follows: "Before I used EATONIC, I could not eat a bite without belching it right up, sour and bitter. I have not had a bit of trouble since the first tablet."

Millions are victims of Acid-Stomach without knowing it. They are weak and ailing, have poor digestion, bodies improperly nourished although they may eat heartily. Grave disorders are likely to follow if an acid-stomach is neglected. Cirrhosis of the liver, intestinal congestion, gastritis, catarrh of the stomach—these are only a few of the many ailments often caused by Acid-Stomach.

A sufferer from Catarrh of the Stomach of 11 years' standing writes: "I had catarrh of the stomach for 11 long years and I never found anything to do me any good—just temporary relief—until I used EATONIC. It is a wonderful remedy and I do not want to be without it."

If you are not feeling quite right—lack energy and enthusiasm and don't know just where to locate the trouble—try EATONIC and see how much better you will feel in every way.

At all drug stores—a big box for 50c and your money back if you are not satisfied.

EATONIC

(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

KNEW THAT WOULD STOP HIM

Lawyer Evidently Was Well Acquainted With the Weakness of His Long-Winded Friend.

C. H. Murphy relates the story of a Philadelphia lawyer, retired, who, in the days of his active practice, was notorious for his long-windedness.

On one occasion he had been spouting forth his concluding argument for six hours, and the end was nowhere in sight, when the opposing attorney beckoned his associate and whispered:

"Can't you stop him, Jack?"

"I'll stop him in two minutes," Jack replied confidently. And he wrote and passed to the orator the following note:

"My Dear Colonel—As soon as you finish your magnificent argument I would like you to join me at the hotel in a bumper of rare old Bourbon."

The lawyer halted in the midst of an impassioned period, put on his glasses, and read the note that had been handed him, then he removed his glasses again and, taking up his hat and bag, he said:

"And now, may it please the court and gentlemen of the jury, I leave the case with you."

A minute later he was proceeding in stately fashion in the direction of the hotel bar.

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Brighten the Morning Meal

with a hot drink that gives refreshing invigoration.

The Original

POSTUM CEREAL

is so pleasing and satisfying that it has completely taken the place of tea and coffee in many homes everywhere.

Try this healthful Drink and note results.

Two sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c.

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A visit to the laboratory where this successful remedy is made impresses even the casual looker-on with the reliability, accuracy, skill and cleanliness which attends the making of this great medicine for woman's ills.

Over 350,000 pounds of various herbs are used anually and all have to be gathered at the season of the year when their natural juices and medicinal substances are at their best.

The most successful solvents are used to extract the medicinal properties from these herbs.

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It is the wonderful combination of roots and herbs, together with the skill and care used in its preparation which has made this famous medicine so successful in the treatment of female ills.

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Growing Old.

When a man gets so he can philosophize it means he is getting along in years.—Macon Republican.

Some are already using hard words over the tax on soft drinks.

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Doesn't hurt a bit and costs only a few cents

Magic! Just drop a little Freezone on that touchy corn, instantly it stops aching, then you lift the corn off with the fingers. Truly! No humbug!

Try Freezone! Your druggist sells a tiny bottle for a few cents, sufficient to rid your feet of every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and calluses, without one particle of pain, soreness or irritation. Freezone is the discovery of a noted Cincinnati genius.

General Pershing's War Map.

In installing General Pershing's war map in the old National Museum building in Washington, the commander's room at the front just as it looked when the map was in actual use, is being reproduced as a setting. Here will be the chairs used by the general and his aids while they studied the map, which changed hourly, night and day, as reports came in and were recorded. The table at which the officers looked over documents will stand as it used to at one side, and the walls will be covered with the identical lineoleum that was a background for the map. The map was brought over in pieces now joined together, and the conventional design of the lineoleum is said to give an odd kitchenlike domesticity to the room in which General Pershing watched history writing itself in a very literal sense on the wall.

A Fair Proposition.

"Mr. Grabcoin, I've saved up $3,000 and I want to marry your daughter."

"Do you realize that $3,000 won't last long nowadays?"

"Oh, yes, sir. But it ought to take care of us for at least six months and at the end of that time if I haven't convinced you that I'm an ideal son-in-law you needn't do a thing for us."

As we have to live with ourselves we should see to it that we always have good company.

FARMERS ARE WORKING HARDER And using their feet more than ever before. For all these workers the frequent use of Allen's Foot=Ease, the antiseptic, healing powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath, increases their efficiency and insures needed physical comfort. It takes the Friction from the Shoe, freshens the feet, and prevents tired, aching and blistered feet. Women everywhere are constant users of Allen's Foot=Ease. Don't get foot sore, get Allen's Foot=Ease. Sold by dealers everywhere.—Adv.

The Ruling Passion.

Mrs. Talkerton—Oh, dear! I wish there was some way to break little Gladys of sucking her thumb.

Her Husband—Don't worry; when she gets a little older she'll notice that it interferes with her talking. Then she'll quit it herself.

Buy a Farm Now.

Because land is cheaper than it will ever be again. The U. S. Railroad Administration is prepared to furnish free information to homeseekers regarding farming opportunities. We have nothing to sell; no money to lend; only information to give. Write me fully with reference to your needs. Name the state you want to learn about. J. L. Edwards, Manager, Agricultural Section, U. S. Railroad Administration, Room 70, Washington, D. C.—adv.

"The way of the transgressor is hard," when he is trying to transgress the laws of nature.

The Cuticura Toilet Trio.

Having cleared your skin keep it clear by making Cuticura your every-day toilet preparations. The soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal, the Talcum to powder and perfume. No toilet table is complete without them. 25c everywhere.—Adv.

Calling names in an argument may make the chap called sore, but do they answer his arguments?

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

A daughter is an embarrassing and ticklish possession.—Menander.

STRENGTHENS KIDNEYS—PURIFIES BLOOD

You can't expect weak kidneys to filter the acids and poisons out of your system unless they are given a little help. Don't allow them to become diseased when a little attention now will prevent it. Don't try to cheat nature.

As soon as you commence to have backaches, feel nervous and tired, GET BUSY. These are usually warnings that your kidneys are not working properly.

Do not delay a minute. Go after the cause of your ailments or you may find yourself in the grip of an incurable disease. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil capsules will give almost immediate relief from kidney troubles. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules will do the work. They are the pure original Haarlem Oil Capsules imported direct from the laboratories in Haarlem, Holland. Ask your druggist for GOLD MEDAL and accept no substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box. Three sizes, sealed packages. Money refunded if they do not quickly help you.—Adv.

Authors' Handwriting.

If readers and admirers of the polished sentences of popular authors could see the original manuscripts from which their works are printed they would be given interesting sidelights on the character and personality of the writers. The handwriting of G. K. Chesterton has been described by an English editor as "shocking." W. W. Jacobs, comedy writer of the sea, has all his literary work typed and makes but few corrections on the finished manuscript. Other English writers whose copy is reputed to be neat and quite acceptable to a printer are H. G. Wells, Rudyard Kipling, Arnold Bennett and Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. Editors say they never know what to expect from that imaginative genius, H. de Vere Stacpoole. Sometimes his work is neatly typed on good paper, but often it is scribbled to sheets torn from a copybook.

Heard on the Train.

"Is this Mr. Riley?"

"Eh—what?" said the deaf old chap.

"Is this Mr. Riley?"

"Riley! Oh, yes!"

"I knew your father."

"No bother."

"I say I knew your father."

"What?"

"I—knew—your—father."

"Oh, did ye? So did I."—Boston Transcript.

There's a Reason why so many people make Grape-Nuts the regular part of at least one meal each day. It's because of the delightful flavor, and wonderful values of Grape-Nuts as a health builder.

STATE BREVITIES

East Grand Forks.—Four generations were represented at the celebration of the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Josef Banik.

Fergus Falls.—Julius H. Bender, who was charged with discouraging enlistments during the war, was tried in district court here and found guilty.

St. Paul.—More than 150 incumbents and new applicants for deputyships in the state oil inspeciton service, according to present examinations, will take civil service examinations this week.

Moorhead.—Burglars made a partially successful raid at Baker, a village between Moorhead and Barnesville, getting away with $160 in cash, stolen from a safe in in the Iverson store and postoffice.

St. Paul.—The state board of investments has approved applications for loans of $156,000 from state trust funds to schools and ordered payment this month of $325,000 on similar loans to cities and school districts in Minnesota.

Minneapolis.—At the first session of the twenty-eighth annual convention of the English Evangelical Lutheran synod, at Milwaukee, Rev. G. Keller Rubrecht of Minneapolis was elected president, and the Rev. L. B. Steckel, Albert Lea, secretary.

St. Paul.—The special election to fill the Fourth district vacancy on the Minnesota delegation in congress caused by the recent death of Representative Carl C. Van Dyke will take place July 1, the date fixed for a special charter election in St. Paul.

St. Paul.—A. H. Anderson, a house member in the Minnesota legislature of 1905 and for many years a Renville county farmer of prominence, died suddenly at his home near Sacred Heart. Mr. Anderson was born in Sweden in 1856 and became a resident of Minnesota in 1869.

St. Paul.—Minnesota automobile license tags, road markers and signs will be manufactured in the Stillwater prison in the event the state adopts the New Jersey idea, Chairman Charles E. Vasaly of the State board of control said, on his return from an Eastern trip.

Minneapolis.—John Cook, 100, Minneapolis pioneer, died at his home at Hamel, Minn. He was born in England, Aug. 19, 1818. For the last sixty-four years he lived in Minneapolis and vicinity. Mr. Cook is survived by eighteen great grandchildren, twenty-one grandchildren and nine sons and daughters.

St. Paul.—Out of 225 Minnesota high schools fewer than 25 are carrying classes in German, records show. Falling off of first and second year German is shown by the fact that only 350 state examination papers in this branch have been received at the state capitol for correction this year. Heretofore the average has been 5,000 annually.

Mankato.—Mankato has sent out a call for the "Pied Piper of Hamlin." At a meeting of the city council the mayor brought up the question of the large number of rats in the city. High water in the Minnesota river has driven the rodents into people's cellars. "Rat day" is to be officially observed, according to the mayor's plans. Bounties are to be offered.

St. Paul.—Transfer of the criminal insane to the state prison at Stillwater from the St. Peter state hospital, advocated by Dr. R. M. Phelps, superintendent of the latter institution, following escapes of four criminal insane patients, can be made only by special authority from the state legislature, C. J. Swenson, a member of the state board of control, said.

St. Paul.—More than 2,500 delegates from all parts of the state are expected in St. Paul June 19 to 22, for the sixty-first annual convention of the Minnesota State Sunday school association. The meeting will be the biggest in history, W. H. Schilling, executive secretary, said. General sessions will be in Central Presbyterian church, and divisional conferences will be held in First Baptist, Central Park, Methodist and Central Presbyterian churches.

St. Paul.—Dr. J. M. A. Gravelle, St. Paul physician recently discharged from the army, in which he held a commission as captain in the medical corps, is held by the police charged with shooting and killing his wife at their home here. A 16-year-old boy, son of the couple, according to the police, witnessed the shooting. Mrs. Gravelle died at a hospital shortly after she was removed there. She told hospital physicians that her husband had shot her "in a fit of insanity."

Waseca.—The manufacture of more than over a ton of butter for every working day of the month was the record of the Waseca Co-operative creamery during May. The total amount of butter made in May was 58,373 pounds. This was nearly 10,000 pounds more than the output during May last year. The banner day was May 24, when the creamery turned out 5,791 pounds. The market price that day would make the day's churning worth more than $3,000. The price paid for butterfat last month was 67 cents a pound.

Brainerd.—Senator Hilding Swanson of Brainerd and Miss Alice Marie Elmgren of North Branch, Minn., are to be married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elmgren at North Branch. Senator and Mrs. Swanson will be at home after July 20 at Brainerd.

Minneapolis.—The Minnesota State Horticultural society will have its summer meeting June 20 in the gymnasium at University farm. This choice of date will bring the horticulturists of the state to University farm on farmers' visiting day, and will give an added attraction for that day.

Thief River Falls.—Over 750 gallons of cream were received at the Holt creamery one day. That was the largest business the concern had ever done.

Fergus Falls.—The Gudbrandsdalslaget's annual meeting will be held in this city July 1 and 2, and not in Little Falls, as first announced by the press.

Moorhead.—Eighty head of Holstein cattle were sold at auction by the Minnesota Holstein Breeders' association at the E. C. Schroeder farm, near here last week.

St. Cloud.—The election on the proposition of issuing bonds, totaling $75,000, for the extension of water mains and sewers carried by a ratio of 3⅗ to 1, every precinct except the Seventh ward voting favorably.

St. Paul.—Fifty Hereford cows were sold at Canby last week by N. J. Holmberg, state commissioner of agriculture, at an average price of $2,000 each. One heifer brought $4,100. Five thousand stockmen attended the sale.

Virginia.—Authorities are inclined to believe that William Sepponen, whose body was found in Pike river, fourteen miles from here, was a victim of suicide. He disappeared from his haunts here last fall and had since been sought.

Mankato.—Mayor E. V. Waters welcomed the delegates of the Minnesota State Aeries of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, who held their annual convention here. President E. B Lott responded to the welcome on behalf of the delegates.

Red Wing.—More than 1,000 delegates and visitors attended the annual three-day convention of the State Firemen's association here last week, N. B. Remley of Moorhead was elected president and Moorhead was selected for next year's convention.

Hastings.—A jury returned a verdict of $200 in favor of Mrs. Anna Gallagher of South St. Paul, who sued John Rocco for $1,000 as a result of having been bitten by a dog owned by Rocco when she was soliciting for the Red Cross last December.

St. Paul.—Summer home sites on the shores of Vermilion lake in the state forest may be leased from the state at an average rental of $10 a year. Twelve cottages are built, as many more are being built, some costing $2,500 each and 200 sites remain to be leased.

Mankato.—F. J. Allen was arrested at Bismarck, N. D., on the charge of stealing a four-passenger touring car in this city on Memorial day. The car belonged to A. Hund of Mapleton. It is said that Allen has confessed to the theft. Deputy Sheriff Nerdahl went to Bismarck after Allen.

Stillwater.—Otto W. Steele, a mulatto in the employ of the Great Northern dining car service as a waiter, who stabbed George Walsh, a white cook in a buffet car near Hinckley, with a butcher knife, was brought to the Washington county jail by Sheriff R. J. Hawley of Pine county, pending the outcome of Walsh's condition.

St. Paul.—Hearings will begin soon after June 15 on the proposal to increase lawful wage minimums for women and minors employed in Minnesota, members of the state minimum wage commission decided at an executive meeting at the capitol. Much preliminary data on the cost of room and board and other items in the cost of living already have been gathered.

Moorhead.—S. H. McCrary, chief of the drainage division of the United States department of agriculture, left for Washington after spending three days with P. T. Simons, engineer in charge of the Red River drainage survey project. Mr. McCrary spent part of the time in the field and the balance of his stay in checking over the maps and data in the office in the Moorhead postoffice building.

St. Paul.—Annual examinations for embalmers will be conducted by the state board of health, July 31, at the institute of anatomy on the University of Minnesota campus. Applicants passing the examinations will be granted state licenses after they are 21 years old and have had one year of experience, regardless of the schooling they have had, according to O. C. Pierson of the health board staff.

New Ulm.—Many hundreds of farmers from Iowa and Illinois have come to southern Minnesota to buy farms and deals are being made every day. The Poehler farm near Courtland has been sold to an Iowa farmer for more than $200 an acre. This is an example of the prices that are being realized all along the line. Buyers are thronging over Brown, Martin, Blue Earth, Redwood and various other counties. The movement approaches the phenomenal.

St. Paul.—Aliens fishing in this state without licenses are liable to prosecution, Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, was advised by Clifford L. Hilton, attorney general. A provision of the 1919 game laws, Rollin L. Smith, assistant attorney general, explained, places resident aliens of Minnesota in the same class with non-residents who are required to pay the state commissioner $1 for a license to take fish by angling. Aliens may take wild animals in this state only in defense of person or property, or by complying with regulations governing non-residents. Wild animals are defined as including fish.

Nashwauk.—Homemade wine drunk too freely by several Austrians at Mose Napolin's place on the outskirts of town resulted in knives being used and several arrests made. One Austrian complained he had been beaten out of $365 in a poker game. The accused were haled before a justice of the peace and fined.

East Grand Forks.—The ruins of the burned high school are now in the process of being demolished, all the debris is being carried away, and it looks as though the work of wrecking will be completed even before the allotted time.

THEN SHE GOT A MOVE ON

Took Warning of Dire Danger Impending to Get Angelina to Leave That Car.

With sundry rattles, clankings and strange noises, the motorcar of obsolete make seemed to have taken into its head to behave in a most uncomplimentary manner. After running along in a quick succession of impatient jerks, it came to a dead stop.

Out jumped a young and handsome driver and endeavored to coax the car into a better temper by pulling various levers. Alas! the car remained immovable.

"Angelina," said the young man, in tones of trembling emotion, "I'm afraid you will have to get out."

"Oh, George, why?" queried the dainty one.

"Get out," he repeated more anxiously.

"But, George, dear, I want to stay in!" replied the girl, almost tearfully.

"Get out at once!" cried George. "The boiler is going to bust."

Then Angelina obeyed.—London Tid-Bits.

"FAKE" ASPIRIN WAS TALCUM

Always Ask for Genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin"

BAYER

If you see the "Bayer Cross" on the package you are sure you are not getting talcum powder. Millions of fraudulent Aspirin Tablets were recently sold throughout the country. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

The Adjutant's Warning.

With the demobilization of the army some new stories are being demobilized here. One is the story of the bright thought of an adjutant. The commanding officer of a force behind the lines had acquired or "won" (as they say in the army) a cow, and he was much envied by all the messes. The adjutant had a cottage with a garden, in which he had some good strawberries. One day the C. O. without a word went into this garden and helped himself to the adjutant's strawberries. The adjutant could not, of course, rebuke his chief, but he put up this notice:

"Trespassers in this strawberry garden will have their cow shot."—London Morning Post.

Neat Compromise.

"Sisters of our returning heroes will please line up on the left," said the chairman of the reception committee.

"I'm not exactly a sister," said one pretty damsel, hesitatingly. "But I promised to be a sister to at least a dozen of these boys. Am I eligible?

"I suppose so, miss. Here's your badge. Let conscience be your guide."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

His Firm Belief.

"How was the show at the town hall last night? No admission asked, I believe?"

"It was wuth it," answered the sage of Plunkville.—Louisville Courier Journal.

A young man who was fired with love says he thinks it was the girl's father who acted as fireman.

Men are born robbers. Every time a man marries he robs a woman of her name.

Rapidly for a Woman.

Howell—Your wife is aging rapidly.

Powell—That's so. She was twenty-five when I married her ten years ago and now she admits being twenty-seven.

Didn't Recall the Asking

Mrs. Benham—Do you remember the day you asked me to be your wife?

Benham—I remember the day you said you would.

THIN PEOPLE SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitro-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

Thinness and weakness are often due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as bitro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bitro-phosphate should produce a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

Increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, should disappear, dull eyes become bright, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health.

CAUTION: — Although bitro-phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its tendency to increase weight, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.

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Singer Building, 149 Broadway, New York City. Will be pleased to send Government Bulletins or answer any inquiries regarding opportunities for farming, stock raising, fruit growing, mining and investment in New South Wales.

AUSTRALIA

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His Escape.

"My least boy, Bearcat, was playing in the dust of the big road tuther day when a motorcar knocked him gally-winding," related Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "For a minute I shore thought he was a goner. But he riz up, gave a few hitches like a chicken with a burr in its neck, a cloud of dust poured out of his mouth and he began to cuss everything and everybody he had ever heered of. 'Thank the Lord!' says I. 'The little feller is all right yet!'"—Kansas City Star.

Explaining It.

"What a reptilian expression that man has!" "Probably got it from seeing snakes."

COULDN'T SLEEP

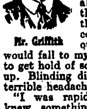
Was Miserable and Loosing Weight Suffering From Kidney Complaint. Doan's Removed the Trouble.

"I was about down and out from kidney trouble," says Harry Griffith, of 228 N. Darlington St., Westchester, Pa. "The kidney secretions burned like scalding water. Sometimes there would be a complete stoppage and, oh! what pain I suffered! My feet became swollen and I had a time of it getting on my shoes.

"My back hurt right over my kidneys. Nights I did nothing but toss about. It was just as though a knife were thrust into my back. I couldn't bend over without terrible pain and I would fall to my knees and crawl along to get hold of something to help myself up. Blinding dizzy spells came on and terrible headaches added to my misery.

"I was rapidly losing weight and knew something would have to be done. I began taking *Doan's Kidney Pills* and was more than surprised. The troubles were soon leaving me and six boxes of *Doan's Kidney Pills* cured me entirely. To this day I have been free from kidney complaint."

Sworn to before me.
A. J. TOWNSEND,
Notary Public.



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June 27, 28 and 29

Program Friday afternoon, 2 o'clock

Forty-five Minutes of Vocal and Instrumental Music, Readings, Etc.
Lucile Cross is vocalist and pianoist   Ferne Pollard readings, pianologs
Prof. Weaver's wonderful lecture, "The Mansion Beautiful"
A Big Entertainment for a Little Money   Dont Miss It

Friday evening 8 o'clock

Another 45 minutes of music, readings, etc by the same ladies
Prof. G. E. Weaver appears at this time as a very skillful crayon artist
Draws with either right or left hand or with both at the same time
Writes backwards, upside down or more than one sentence at a time

Second Days Program

Carl Nelson will give a Novelty Entertainment in the afternoon
His evening entertainment consists of readings, ventriloquism, music
Dr. Sheldon will lecture, both afternoon and evening, on vital subjects

Third Days Program

In the afternoon, Lillian Roseland assisted by Edna Archer, will give 20 minutes of American music and 20 minutes of Scandinavian music
Miss Roseland has very successfully toured several states as the "Norwegian Peasant Girl"
The evening program consists of a musical entertainment by the The Lillian Roseland Company
Recital—"If I Were King" - - - Edna Archer
A story of literary success and very popular with all lovers of romance

Take Notice

The Town Board of Holt will meet at A. Lindolm's place at 10 o'clock A. M., and at Chas. Skoglund's place at 2 o'clock P. M., of June 21st 1919, to contract out some road work.

T. B. Folden,
Town Clerk.

For Sale: Paige 5 passenger automobile in good running order. Electric lights and starter. Take it home for $475.00. Novelty Sales Co., Holt, Minn.

For Sale Cheap

An eleven months old ram for sale cheap, or will trade for another one.

Willie Rux, Holt, Minn.

J. M. Swan shipped a car of cattle and hogs to market Tuesday.

E. R. L. Rudquin moved to Fleming this week where they will live on their farm.

Lost: An 8 gallon cream can. Finder please leave at the Holt creamery and oblige, C. F. Birkelund.

The Hart-Parr Tractor

B. Docken, Holt, Minn., Agent
For the Hart-Parr and Waterloo Boy Tractors
See him if you want a good tractor

The Year 'Round Profit

Chickens yield a bigger profit the year 'round if properly housed. They are better producers during the cold winter months if the poultry house is sunny, roomy, well ventilated, well constructed and if good drainage has been provided.

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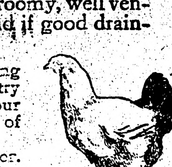

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State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court:

In the matter of the Estate of Torald Tharaldson.

The State of Minnesota to Liv. T. Brokke Tharaldson and all persons interested in the sale of all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Torald Tharaldson, The petition of Geo. W. Walker as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be sold, and praying that a license be to Geo. W. Walker granted to sell the same:

NOW THEREFORE, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren, County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of June 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 3rd day of June, 1919.

[COURT SEAL]   Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate Court

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., June 10, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Ole Ingebrigtsli, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Sept. 11th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08457, for NE 1-4 Section 27, Township 156 N., Range 41 West, 5th. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 15th day of July, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Carl Dahl, Axel Benson, William Helland and Rudolph Dahl, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal,
711   Register.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in payment of the sum of One Hundred Twenty-seven and 55-100—Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain martgage, duly executed and delivered by Mary Faulkner, a single woman, Mortgagor, to Lester E. Gesell, Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1915, and with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of January, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Book 79 of Mortgages on page 315.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Lester E. Gesell, Mortgagee, to Nathan K. Harris by written assignment dated the 11th day of April, 1916, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 5th day of June, 1919, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Book 94 of Mortgages, on page 456, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Warren in said County and State, on the 28th day of July, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Hundred Twenty-seven and 55-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale as provided by law.

Dated June 9, 1919.

Nathan K. Harris,
Assignee of Mortgagee

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortagee.

MORTGAGE FORCLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Louis Olson, a single man, mortgagor, to Martin V. Evenson, mortgagee, dated March 23rd, 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on March 29th, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock A. M., in Book 74 of mortgages, on page 530 thereof; that such default consists in the failure to pay the installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1918, and another installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1919, and interest thereon, and the mortgagee has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount secured by said mortgage principal and interest, due and payable in accordance with the terms thereof; that the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date is fifty-five dollars and eighty cents ($55.80); that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are Lots three (3) and four (4), and the South half (S½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section two (2), in Township one hundred and fifty-seven (157), North of Range thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in Marshall County, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the West front door of the Marshall County Court House in the City of Warren in said Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 7th day of July A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including taxes if any have been paid by the mortgagee, together with the cost of such sale and twenty-five dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated May 20th, 1919.

MARTIN V. EVENSON,
Mortgagee,

THEO. QUALE
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

P. L. Anderson visited at the J. E. Erickson home last week Sunday.

Miss Alma Knutson came up from Thief River Falls last Saturday for a couple of weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hagglund have moved to St. Hilaire where Mr. H. is employed as section foreman.

Everybody is glad to see Clarence Docken back again at his old job as assistant cashier of the Holt State Bank.

Miss Ruth Knutson has been a patient in St. Paul hospital sometime ago but is better now we are glad to report.

Mrs. Peter Bjerken and baby Ethel returned Monday from a few days visit with her husband and other relatives at Mahnomen.

P. P. Reierson, Theodore Sollom Emil Simenson and Leonard Poppenhagen commenced work Tuesday on the formers ditch contract west of Newfolden.

Axel Nelson threshed several hundred bushels of barley for Chris Norbeck last week. Perhaps this isen't worth mentioning, only it seems rather early in the season for that kind of work.

C. L. Heinze and family, Mrs. Mickelson and daughters and little grandchildren, Racine Olson, Simon Esser, Guy Anderson, ye editor and wife were all pleasantly entertained Sunday at the prosperous farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Anderson.

Peter Jacobson visited J. E. Erickson Sunday evening.

June 27th is the date set to commence the Holt Chautauqua.

Mrs. K. Brown was a caller in T. R. Falls, Monday.

Mrs. Hagen of Haug visited her daughter, Mrs. Pete Hanson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Docken and baby visited her parents at Viking Sunday.

Next week Friday and Saturday the movies will show at five o'clock in the afternoon.

Minnie Ekre and Ragna Larson visited at the J. E. Erickson home last week Tuesday

Gilbert Knuson has quit the job of selling medicine on the road and will seek other work.

Mr. and Mrs B. J. Bakke, and two sons Melvin and Norman, were T. R. Falls visitors Monday.

"Garter's" fliver was made to go last week by Herb Severson. Everybody said it coulent be done.

Mrs. Bjerken and baby, Anna Reierson and brother Roy, were Middle River visitors between trains Monday.

We need the help and good will of every man, woman and child, in Holt and vicinity in order to make our chautauqua a success Are you with us?

Mrs. L. Wegge visited over Sunday with relatives in Thief River Falls and attended the Mission Festival of the German Lutheran church.

Willie Mclean had the misfortune of stepping on a rusty nail the fore-part of the week which gave him considerable pain. We are glad to report his foot is much better.

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Moving Pictures
Friday Night June 20th
Showing Jules Vernes' "20,000 Leagues Under the Sea"
Woodman Hall, Holt, Minn.
Show starts at 9 P. M.   Admission 10 and 30 cents
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Over Three Million Dollars Marshall County's War Record

MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA
WAR WORK RECORD.

	Amount Subscribed
First Liberty Loan	$ 95,500.00
Second Liberty Loan	373,200.00
Third Liberty Loan	512,950.00
Fourth Liberty Loan	976,800.00
VICTORY LIBERTY LOAN	703,250.00
War Savings and Thrift Stamps	261,867.00
Red Cross Drives	56,205.00
Y. M. C. A.	10,000.00
Lutheran Church Drive	3,756.00
Armenian Relief	3,700.00
United War Work Campaign	20,000.00
Grand Total	$3,017,228.00

Number of Enlistments, Army and Navy, 875

Having completed the Liberty Loan Drives, I feel that it is due the people of Marshall county that they should know the results obtained throughout the different townships and villages, and I therefore take pleasure in submitting as complete a report as it is possible to give.

There are no records of subscriptions in the different precincts for the First Loan as it was purely a free will offering, so to speak, and an accurate account was not kept, except as to the totals obtained.

In the Second Loan there were no specific allotments made but with these exceptions the record is as accurate as it has been possible to keep it.

In connection with the Liberty Loan Drives I am giving a report of funds received from all other drives, which gives a grand total of the funds raised by the citizens of Marshall county in response to the demands made by our Government. This shows a grand total of over Three Million Dollars or about $112 to every man, woman and child in our county.

This is a record, that as a citizen, I am willing to have compared with any county in the United States, when everything is considered, as I believe it is one that none of us need feel ashamed of.

The work has been strenuous for those who have had an active part as committeemen, but we all have the satisfaction of knowing that we have given service that has counted a full hundred per cent. There has not been a demand made upon our county that we have not met in full, and the loyal, energetic, faithful men and women who have assisted in this splendid work are deserving of every credit.

Winners of German Helmets.

In the Helmet Contest in the Fifth Loan the agreement was that the village or township of each district first reporting over the top would receive a German Helmet, and the following are the winners, the time of reporting to the County Chairman being given in each instance. The drive opened April 21st at 8:00 A. M.

Middle River Village was the first to report, at 8:40 A. M., April 21st; Second, Grygla, at 12:20 P. M., April 21st; Third, Lincoln, at 1:40 P. M., April 21st; Fourth, Whiteford, at 2:25 P. M., April 21st; Fifth, Boxville, at 2:30 P. M., April 21st; Sixth, Village of Argyle, at 3:40 P. M., April 21st; Seventh, New Maine, at 4:05 P. M., April 21st; Eighth, Village of Oslo, at 6:10 P. M., April 21st; Ninth, Agdar, at 9:00 P. M., April 21st; Tenth, Marsh Grove, at 9:50 P. M., April 21st; Eleventh, Village of Holt, at 8:20 A. M., April 22nd; Twelfth, Eagle Point, at 4:00 P. M., April 23rd; Thirteenth, Parker, at 4:05 P. M., April 23rd; Fourteenth, Comstock, at 11:30 P. M., April 24th; Fifteenth, Alvarado, at 9:20 A. M., April 26th.

Winners of Honor Flags.

Honor Flags were won by forty townships and villages, as follows, this prize being given to each precinct who raised their quota:

Alma, Agdar, Augsburg, Big Woods, Boxville, Cedar, Comstock, Donnelly, Eagle Point, East Park, Foldahl, Grand Plain, Huntly, Lincoln, McCrea, Marsh Grove, Middle River, Mud Lake, Nelson Park, New Folden, New Maine, Parker, Rollis, Sinnott, Spruce Valley, Tamarac, Thief Lake, Wanger, Warrenton, West Valley, Whiteford, Village of Alvarado, Village of Argyle, Village of Middle River, Village of Newfolden, Village of Oslo, Village of Stephen, City of Warren, Village of Grygla, Village of Holt.

As County Chairman, I wish to take this means of thanking all of the committeemen who so loyally stood by me in every drive. It has been a pleasure to work with men who are one hundred per cent American and who have not hesitated to deprive themselves and sacrifice time and money in order to raise the amount asked of them.

During the Fifth Loan there were some townships and some committeemen who did not respond as fully as they might have done but the records show for themselves and no criticisms on my part are necessary.

As a people we have had to sacrifice time and money but this is nothing in comparison with the benefits derived as a whole. Everyone of us has a better knowledge of our country and its ideals than we had before and today measure up far nearer the true standards of real citizenship and consequently are better Americans.

Let us be thankful for the benefits received and the great victory for humanity that has been won and hope that never again will the ravages of war invade the lands set free by democracy.

Respectfully yours,
H. L. WOOD,
Chairman Marshall County.

What Each Township in Marshall County Has Done in the Liberty and Victory Loan Drives

	First Liberty Loan		Second Liberty Loan		Third Liberty Loan		Fourth Liberty Loan		Fifth Victory Loan		Grand Total of Liberty Loans		U. S. Thrift and Savings Stamps	
	Allotment	Subscribed	Allotment	Subscribed	Allotment	Subscribed	Allotment	Subscribed	Allotment	Subscribed	Allotment	Subscribed	Allotment	Subscribed
Alma	-------	-------	-------	$ 2,400	$ 6,000	$ 9,100	$ 17,850	$ 18,300	$ 12,000	$ 13,050	$ 35,850	$ 42,850	$ 4,000	$ 4,425
Agdar	-------	-------	-------	1,300	1,200	2,850	9,600	9,750	6,000	6,250	16,800	20,150	800	915
Augsburg	-------	-------	-------	7,400	7,200	10,550	18,000	18,550	12,000	12,000	37,200	48,500	4,800	4,800
Big Woods	-------	-------	-------	1,600	8,400	16,300	30,750	33,750	24,000	26,900	63,150	78,550	5,600	5,810
Bloomer	-------	-------	-------	4,500	6,000	8,950	30,500	31,650	24,000	20,850	60,500	65,950	4,000	4,220
Boxville	-------	-------	-------	5,500	4,000	7,400	9,750	9,750	7,000	7,250	20,750	29,900	2,600	2,600
Cedar	-------	-------	-------	1,900	1,400	1,650	9,200	9,250	6,000	6,000	16,600	18,800	900	900
Comstock	-------	-------	-------	7,400	7,500	7,700	20,650	20,650	14,000	14,500	42,150	50,250	5,000	5,000
Como	-------	-------	-------	450	600	850	4,700	4,200	2,700	1,250	8,000	6,750	400	420
Donnelly	-------	-------	-------	4,100	3,700	5,200	10,550	11,450	7,500	7,500	21,750	28,250	2,500	2,500
Eckvoll	-------	-------	-------	150	600	1,150	4,500	3,850	2,500	1,450	7,600	6,600	400	525
Eagle Point	-------	-------	-------	1,550	3,000	4,600	16,050	16,300	12,000	12,350	31,050	34,800	2,000	2,312
East Park	-------	-------	-------	750	900	950	3,700	3,750	2,000	2,150	6,600	7,600	600	710
East Valley	-------	-------	-------	1,800	1,600	1,600	10,000	10,050	6,500	4,450	18,100	17,900	1,000	1,085
Espelee	-------	-------	-------	-------	1,600	1,750	8,750	5,600	4,500	600	14,850	7,950	1,000	485
Excel	-------	-------	-------	1,400	2,700	3,500	16,350	16,100	11,000	8,750	30,050	29,750	1,800	1,800
Foldahl	-------	-------	-------	1,700	2,800	4,200	9,900	10,500	6,500	6,500	19,200	22,900	1,900	1,900
Fork	-------	-------	-------	1,750	4,400	6,250	20,000	20,250	15,000	12,300	39,400	40,550	2,900	2,900
Grand Plain	-------	-------	-------	100	800	3,150	8,400	7,900	4,000	4,100	13,200	15,250	500	725
Holt	-------	-------	-------	2,850	2,400	2,700	12,300	12,400	8,500	8,150	23,200	26,100	1,600	1,620
Huntly	-------	-------	-------	150	400	1,250	3,900	3,350	2,200	2,200	6,500	6,950	250	250
Lincoln	-------	-------	-------	3,800	5,800	9,800	11,900	12,300	8,500	10,500	26,200	36,400	3,900	3,900
Linsell	-------	-------	-------	-------	300	900	2,550	800	1,000	-------	3,850	1,700	200	200
McCrea	-------	-------	-------	5,850	6,700	7,450	29,500	29,600	23,000	23,050	59,200	65,950	4,500	4,820
Marsh Grove	-------	-------	-------	2,800	3,000	4,300	11,500	12,300	8,000	8,100	22,500	27,500	2,000	2,000
Middle River	-------	-------	-------	7,850	9,500	11,950	27,350	29,150	19,000	20,400	55,850	69,350	6,400	6,400
Moylan	-------	-------	-------	-------	700	1,600	9,250	5,900	4,000	1,950	13,950	9,450	450	640
Moose River	-------	-------	-------	100	600	1,200	3,300	3,200	1,800	1,450	5,700	5,950	400	400
Mud Lake	-------	-------	-------	800	600	1,100	3,200	3,200	1,800	1,950	5,600	7,050	400	410
Nelson Park	-------	-------	-------	1,000	2,100	3,250	10,500	10,850	5,500	5,850	18,100	20,950	1,400	1,800
New Folden	-------	-------	-------	3,800	3,200	3,750	12,100	12,200	8,500	8,500	23,800	28,250	2,100	2,100
New Maine	-------	-------	-------	2,300	1,600	3,150	3,950	5,000	3,000	3,000	8,550	13,450	1,000	1,000
New Solum	-------	-------	-------	2,000	2,700	3,000	11,850	12,200	7,800	7,100	22,350	24,300	1,800	1,610
Oak Park	-------	-------	-------	3,850	11,100	14,250	42,600	44,700	34,000	31,850	87,700	94,650	7,400	7,400
Parker	-------	-------	-------	3,850	4,500	6,150	19,700	21,250	14,500	15,100	38,700	46,350	3,000	3,000
Rollis	-------	-------	-------	1,700	2,000	6,400	11,500	12,100	8,000	8,250	21,500	28,450	1,300	1,300
Sinnott	-------	-------	-------	13,000	8,200	11,450	33,750	38,200	26,500	26,700	68,450	89,350	5,500	5,500
Spruce Valley	-------	-------	-------	3,050	2,300	3,250	8,100	9,200	5,000	5,600	15,400	21,100	1,500	1,575
Tamarac	-------	-------	-------	8,550	7,000	11,800	26,400	26,900	19,500	19,700	52,900	66,950	4,700	4,700
Thief Lake	-------	-------	-------	1,300	800	1,150	3,050	3,150	1,800	2,000	5,650	7,600	500	505
Valley	-------	-------	-------	1,650	1,600	2,600	8,550	8,150	5,000	4,200	15,150	16,600	1,000	965
Vega	-------	-------	-------	2,900	10,800	16,250	44,850	47,050	35,000	26,200	90,650	92,400	7,200	7,400
Veldt	-------	-------	-------	50	600	1,950	3,500	3,050	2,000	1,250	6,100	6,300	400	495
Viking	-------	-------	-------	6,900	7,100	7,800	24,500	24,600	16,000	15,750	47,600	55,050	4,700	2,100
Wanger	-------	-------	-------	7,300	6,900	10,600	30,400	30,450	18,000	18,800	55,300	67,150	4,600	4,600
Warrenton	-------	-------	-------	5,350	6,000	8,600	27,250	25,450	16,000	17,400	49,250	56,800	4,000	4,170
West Valley	-------	-------	-------	4,100	3,000	4,050	9,050	9,650	6,000	6,350	18,050	24,150	2,000	2,015
Whiteford	-------	-------	-------	1,850	1,300	1,550	9,200	9,800	5,500	5,850	16,000	19,050	800	1,500
Wright	-------	-------	-------	2,600	4,000	5,150	12,700	13,050	8,000	4,900	24,700	25,700	2,700	2,700
Village of Alvarado	-------	-------	-------	10,250	12,500	14,000	14,500	18,750	14,000	19,000	41,000	62,000	8,300	8,300
Village of Argyle	-------	-------	-------	54,550	50,000	56,950	45,200	52,700	45,000	52,350	140,200	216,550	33,500	33,865
Village of Middle River	-------	-------	-------	6,750	9,000	9,400	10,350	11,450	9,000	10,200	28,350	37,800	6,000	6,000
Village of Newfolden	-------	-------	-------	5,650	6,300	7,050	8,150	8,150	8,000	8,400	22,450	29,250	4,200	4,200
Village of Oslo	-------	-------	-------	12,400	14,200	21,900	17,800	18,300	17,000	17,750	49,000	70,350	9,500	9,500
Village of Stephen	-------	-------	-------	26,100	26,000	29,150	23,300	25,850	23,000	23,050	72,300	104,150	17,400	17,400
City of Warren	-------	-------	-------	98,600	80,000	96,950	71,650	85,800	75,000	79,650	226,650	361,000	53,600	54,100
Village of Grygla	-------	-------	-------	5,750	5,500	6,100	5,850	5,850	5,000	5,000	16,350	22,700	3,600	3,750
Village of Holt	-------	-------	-------	6,100	5,300	5,350	8,000	9,150	7,000	7,550	20,300	28,150	3,500	3,575
	$ 95,500	$ 95,500	$ 335,000	$ 373,200	$ 390,000	$ 512,950	$ 920,000	976,800	$ 700,000	$ 703,250	$ 2,440,500	$ 2,661,700	$ 260,000	$ 261,867

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Local Items

Flags for sale at this office.

Sunday School June 29th at 11 o'clock A. M. Everyone invited.

Letter postage goes back to the old rate of 2c July 1st, and postal cards to 1c each.

Misses Beatha Nelson and Luella Johnson were visitors in Middle River Tuesday.

Alida Johnson returned home Saturday from a weeks visit with her sister in Alvarado.

Mr. Stone of Strathcona has charge of the barber shop during Ernest Phillipson's absence.

Get the habit of attending the big meetings that are being held in the big tent on the school grounds.

Wm. Vantassell left here Wednesday for [illegible] he has a buttermakers job in the creamery there.

Miss Roseland will appear Sunday night as the "Norwegian Pheasant Girl," and will render some beautiful Scandianavian selections.

"Twenty Thousand Leagues under the Sea," at the movies, Woodman hall, 5 P. M., Saturday June 28th. Admission 55 and 20 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heinze returned home Friday from their Wisconsin visit and Mrs. Christ Saastad returned home at the same time from her visit in Minneapolis.

C. S. Holgren who has been boarding at J. E. Erickson's home since the first of April, left Thursday for two or three week visit with his family at New Richland Minn.

For Sale: A 15x30 Minneapolis gas tractor, used only two years. Will sell cheap for cash or trade for land. See Andrew Ness, Thief River Falls, or R. Reierson, Holt.

Willie Larson and Hilmer Olson returned to the latters home at Alvarado Monday after after a few days visit at the home of the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mat Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken returned home Monday night from a few days visit with relatives in Hillsboro and a short visit with friends at Argyle. Mr. Docken also attended to business matters in the twin cities, while away.

Miss Mammie Blak and Ernest Phillipson departed Monday for Crookston to attend the Young People's Union of the Synod churches. They will afterwards enjoy the delights of camp life with a party of friends who will meet them and camp out about twenty miles from McIntosh for a week or so,

There will be a BIG picnic and bowery dance July 4th. at the O'Hara's farm 1 mile south and 2 miles west of Holt, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, Good music will be furnised, and lunch and ice cream will be served. Everybody welcome.

Attend The Big Chautauqua ! ! !

Army and Navy News

Eddie Davidson and Oscar Knutson arrived home Monday. Both young men are well and mighty glad to get home and relatives and friends all join us in giving them a hearty welcome.

Bently Nelson wrote home from France, under date of June 8th., that they had had their final inspection in their camp and were waiting for transportation to the seafront for the journey home, and if everything went well he expected to arrive about July 4th. He said it was so hot there he wished he could get away, as he did not feel like doing any thing on account of the heat.

Death of Clifford Sollom

Clifford, the seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sollom, died at the Thief River Falls hospital at 1:30 Saturday afternoon. His death was caused by the flu, which had poisoned his whole system, so that medical skill could not save his life.

For a few day, after he was taken to the hospital he seemed to get slightly better, but he was taken worse on Saturday and soon passed away.

The funeral services were held in the Free Mission church in Holt Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Myhret speaking comforting words from Gods Book to the bereaved ones, assisted by Rev. Olson and the Misses Holty and Lykkedrag with their sweet music. The floral decoration were beautiful and arranged with taste by Arvid Carlson who had it in charge.

The interment was made in the Holt cemetery where his little body will rest until the resurrection.

Human sympathy can do much to alleviate the pain of sorrow, yet there is only one who can heal our broken hearts, for He has said my grace is sufficient for thee. The many friends join us in expressing sincere sympathy to these sorrowing parents and other relatives.

Guy Anderson returned home on Wednesday from his Dakota visit.

Seasons tickets will be sold until Saturday night for the chautauqua.

Movies Friday and Saturday this week during the afternoon instead of at night.

Miss Roseland will appear as the "Norwegian Peasant Girl" Sunday night at the Holt chautauqua.

Mr. and Mrs. Sever Norhe kindly remembered the editor and wife with some delicious strawbeeries.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Erickson Enger and Carl returned to their home at Dale Minn. last week Wednesday.

The Holt school board, also the board in district No. 149, are advertising this week for bids for new school houses.

As July 4th comes Friday, cream will be received only on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.— P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

Anyone in the market for a new Nielson tractor, either large or small call and see me.

Also a few tractors, used only for demostrating, which will be sold cheap.

Agency for the Maxwell and the Nash automobiles.

Novelty Sales Company,
B. J. Bakke, Prop.
Holt, Minnesota

Hans O. Chommie
LAWYER
Thief River Falls
Offices in Scandia Block

Free Mission Church

Sunday School June 29th. at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Rev. Myhrer will hold services here at 11 o'clock A. M. Sunday July 6th.

SYNOD CHURCH NOTES

The Confirmation services have been postponed until 11 A. M. August 3rd.

The Nazareth Lutheran Congregation will have their annual summer meeting at the parsonage July 2nd. at 11 o'clock. The Ladies Aid will serve dinner.

The Nazareth Young People's Society will hold their meeting at the Woodman hall Sunday July 6th. Mrs. Oliver Nohre, Mrs. H. Fosholm and Miss Mabel Knutson will serve lunch. Commence at 8:30 Everybody is welcome.

For Sale Cheap

An eleven months old ram for sale cheap, or will trade for another one.

Willie Rux, Holt, Minn.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

Soldiers re-union in Crookston July 1st. and 2nd.

T. Aasland visited J. E. Erickson Thursday evening.

We are indebted to some of our friends for a fine supply of pieplant.

Carl Olen and Oscar Hagglund were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

Want several quarters cheap land. Open preferred.—Wadsworth,
829 Grand Forks, N. D.

The Sunday program of the Holt chautauqua will be in keeping with the spirit of the day.

Big picnic and bowery dance 2 o'clock July 4th at the Ed O'Hara farm. Everyone invited.

Lost: An 8 gallon cream can Finder please leave at the Holt creamery and oblige, C. F. Birkelund.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simonson Carl and E. J. Erickson and daughter Annie, autoed to T. R. Falls Friday afternoon.

We need the help and good will of every man, woman and child, in Holt and vicinity in order to make our chautauqua a success. Are you with us?

Good music, singing, speaking, drawing and all varieties of entertainment at the Holt Chautauqua next week.

Holts chautauqua entertainment consists of all kinds of music, crayon artist drawing with both hands, ventriloquists, all kinds of reading and imitations, speaking, singing etc.

Holt Cafe!

Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream

Olai Sovde, Prop.

Editorial Notice!

We are about two columns short on locals, correspondence and legal notices, thru the failurue of the express company to load our linotype matter at Thief River Falls, yesterday.

DOMESTIC SERVICE COURSES PLANNED

Trained Home-Maker Is to Have an Eight Hour Day and Standard Minimum Wage.

Courses for training home assistants, who will go into the home by the day, hour or week and work on a schedule of hours and fixed wages, have been inaugurated by the Young Women's Christian Association as a means for meeting the problem of domestic service.

The object of this course, now being tried out in New York City, is to place domestic service on the same dignified basis as clerical work, trained nursing or other professions open to women.

The home assistant will work eight hours a day for a salary of $15 a week. She will not live in the home of her employer or take her meals there. She will have an hour for luncheon, when she can go to a restaurant or eat a lunch which she has brought with her just as she would were she employed in a factory. The employer will not address the home worker by her first name. She will be Miss Smith or Mrs. Brown, as the case may be.

Applicants for the course are carefully selected, and registrants are appearing in large numbers. With the same independence as to recreation hours, places of eating and living as the factory girl, house-work has a greater appeal, as being a less monotonous and more interesting work to the average woman.

The course is a thorough one in plain cooking, waiting on table and door, chamber work, plain sewing, care of children, making of menus and the washing and ironing of light things. Heavy work is to be done by outside workers. On graduation the student receives a certificate which proves her qualification as a dependable home worker capable of attending to all ordinary duties in a home.

The Young Women's Christian Association has been interested in the problem of domestic service both from the standpoint of the employee and from that of the employer for some years. The first commission on Household Employment made its report at the fifth national convention of the Young Women's Christian Association held in Los Angeles, Cal., in May, 1915.

The difficulties of attracting capable women to this field of work were laid to the long hours, lack of independence in arranging recreation hours, lack of opportunities for growth and progress and lack of social standing.

Girls have acquired a distaste for the conditions which govern household work since the freedom they have experienced in working in munition factories. By standardizing domestic service it is believed by the Young Women's Christian Association that a higher type of worker may be attracted to the necessary work in homes.

The American Y. W. C. A. has opened a Hostess House in Germany, which will serve as a residence house and social center for American women war workers who have advanced to do canteen, Red Cross and Signal Corps work with the Army of Occupation.

WOMEN BEGIN Y. W. C. A. FOREIGN TRADE COURSES

Courses in New York City Prepare Girls for South American Jobs.

Sensing a sudden call to jobs for American women in South America, the New York City Y. W. C. A. has opened Foreign Trade courses, including classes in shipping, filing orders, trade acceptances, tariff, consular invoices, documents, insurance, mail order trade and other lines of international work hitherto left mostly to men. These classes are designed to meet after-war needs.

South America is receiving particular attention as the Y. W. C. A. is informed of new jobs that are opening in the southern countries. Many girls in New York who combine a desire to see the world with a craving for financial independence are registering with the expectation of going there to get positions when their courses in training are completed.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the Holt Township Board up to 2 o'clock P. M., of June 30th, 1919, to furnish material and do the concrete work on a steel bridge across county ditch No. 2, contractor to furnish satisfactory bond.

Plans and specifications on file at the office of the township clerk.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Send all bids to the clerk.

T. B. Folden,
Holt, Minn.

625 GRADUATED BY UNIVERSITY

The University of Minnesota graduated 625 Thursday, June 19. Sixty of these were graduates of the college of agriculture, forestry and home economics. This is the smallest class graduated since 1910. The difference largely due to the drain upon the student body by the war.

INVENTING ZERO-PROOF WHEAT FOR MINNESOTA

By crossing Turkey and Odessa wheats the Minesota experiment station at University farm has obtained results which give much promise of a winter wheat which will withstand Minnesota's sub-zero temperatures. This wheat—Minnesota No. 1505—at University farm from 1916 to 1918, and at the Waseca experiment station in 1918, gave an average yield of 30.1 bushels to the acre, with an average winter injury of only 29 per cent.

Compared with some of the other wheats which have showed winter injury amounting to as high as 73 per cent the result with this Turkey-Odessa cross have been highly satisfactory. This wheat is an awnless wheat with a short head and white chaff. The seeds are similar in shape to the common fife spring wheat, altho somewhat softer.

These results are announced in Minnesota experiment station bulletin 182, Breeding Small Grain in Minnesota, by H. K. Hayes and R. J. Garber, of the division of agronomy and farm management. The bulletin announces that the experiment station have decided to increase and to distribute two crosses between Turkey and Odessa. These wheats have been named Minhardi, Minn. 1505, and Minturki, Minn., 1507, but no seed will be available before the fall of 1920 and possibly not then if the conditions should not be favorable.

The Red Cross had some flags left over from Memorial day, which they desire to sell. Enquire at this office for prices.

The creamery directors decided at their last meeting to pay cash for cream on delivery, to all those who desire it. Bring your cream to the Holt creamery and help to build up a home industry.

"Rutabagas are the best vegetables to give succulence to winter rations for poultry" says "Uncle Norton" Chapman, extension specialist in poultry, and "uncle" of every boy and girl who raises poultry in Minnesota. "While mangels, beets and pumpkins are also used, rutabagas are to be preferred because of their market value and easy culture. They may be sown as late as the last week in June or early in July. Any soil that will grow potatoes will give a good crop of rutabagas.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn., has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property. Write him.

It is dangerous to use the telephone during a thunder storm, so please do not ring central when the lightning is apt to strike a pole or wire.

Soldiers needing legal advice are invited to write to the Home Service section of the Red Cross, who will see to it that they get the special privileges granted to them by the government.

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 36
Wheat No. 2	2 33
Wheat No. 3	2 29
Wheat No. 4	2 25
Flax	4 63
Oats	56
Barley	80 to 88
Rye	1 25
Flour, Best Patent	6 70

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Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 207 Call 1, Residence 207 Call 2

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All work guaranteed satisfactory

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Holt, Minn.

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Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done
on short notice and at
Reasonable Prices

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Holt, Minn.

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We wish to announce that we
have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at
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FERGUS FALLS IS DEVASTATED BY FIERCE CYCLONE

Between Fifty and Sixty Lives Believed Lost When Tornado Hits Town.

DAMAGE IS $3,000,000

Wind Hurls Houses Into Lake and Ravages Business Center When Storms Meet—Many Bodies Recovered—98 Injured.

Minneapolis, June 24.—Between 50 and 60 lives are believed to have been lost in Fergus Falls when the northwestern section of the town was laid waste by a terrific storm. Wire communication into the town was impossible for nearly 24 hours, and rumors told of 200 to 1,000 lives lost. News received from authentic sources gave the casualties as follows:

Identified dead, 38.
Unidentified dead, 3.
Missing, 62.
Injured seriously, 98.

Another storm which swept a path near Dumont, more than 40 miles south of Fergus Falls, is known to have cost one life.

Property loss in Fergus Falls is estimated at $2,000,000 to $3,000,000. Most of the loss of life was in the Grand hotel, which had 50 guests, and was laid completely in ruins, which are still being searched for the missing.

50 Homes Demolished.

More than 50 private homes were demolished entirely, and 75 or 80 others badly wrecked. Some bodies may yet be found in ruins of the homes.

Relief parties from nearby cities reached the town quickly, and a special train from the twin cities a few hours later. The injured are cared for in three local hospitals.

The storm struck the city with little warning at 5:45 p. m. Accounts are conflicting, but show that the wind was cyclonic, blowing in different directions in different parts of the city.

The main storm apparently came from the northwest, and some observers say that it met another coming from the south or southwest. The main business section was damaged but not razed by the wind, and the worst destruction was in six blocks, including the Grand hotel, the court house, three of the leading churches, the woolen mills, the sash and door factory and one grade school building, besides many private homes.

Houses Blown Into Lake.

Passengers and crew of the Oriental Limited train on the Great Northern road miraculously escaped death when the force of the wind blew the train off the track. It happened to plunge into a deep ditch, which prevented the cars from overturning, and few received anything more than a shaking up. Traffic on the road was not impeded by the wreck.

The power dam in the Red river at Fergus Falls was blown out and wrecked by the storm. The Northern Pacific depot was demolished, but was closed at the time and there was no loss of life there.

Two small houses on the shore of Lake Alice, on the north side of town, were blown into the lake with their occupants, three in one and four in the other. The occupants of the houses are missing, and are believed to have been drowned in the lake.

Debris Hurled Through Windows.

Debris from the wrecked buildings was hurled for blocks and some of it went thru windows in the business district, partially wrecking many buildings.

The path of the main storm was about five miles wide and fifteen miles long, but the total destruction was in a small area.

The state insane hospital, near the town, was not seriously damaged; some of the injured were taken to its hospital ward for care.

Adjutant General W. F. Rhinow, who is in command of the troops doing relief work, sent word to his office that he does not expect the death list to exceed 50.

Residences Suffer Most.

"Except for the destruction of the Grand hotel, in which many lives were lost, the business section was not damaged as heavily as the residence districts," said General Rhinow. "Many homes were leveled to the ground and others partially wrecked."

General Rhinow said good order is being maintained without establishing military law or quarantine regulations. Organization of relief work is progressing satisfactorily, and immediate needs are being supplied without great difficulty.

Calls for two St. Paul companies of the Sixth Infantry, Minnesota National guard, were issued by General Rhinow and forwarded to Lieutenant Colonel F. G. Stutz. The general added that 10 electric linemen and 10 bricklayers were needed and the crews, obtained in St. Paul, left on the first train.

Lake Alice is filled with debris and was searched for dead and injured. One unidentified girl was found in the lake.

Several bridges over the Red river, of steel construction, were destroyed.

Dumont, a village in Traverse county on the Milwaukee line to Fargo, was hit about 7 p. m. by a heavy storm coming from the southwest.

Farmer Killed at Dumont.

The only loss of life reported is that of Nichol Didlot, a farmer, in the outskirts of the town, killed when the wind demolished his home. The public school building, the Lutheran church and several residences were blown down. Edward Burke was seriously injured, when caught under falling timbers of his house. Several others were slightly injured.

A congregation had left the Lutheran church only a few minutes before the storm broke, which saved considerable loss of life at Dumont.

Heavy crop damage is reported from the Dumont district, and much damage is feared to crops in Otter Tail county. Many bridges were washed out by the heavy rain which came with the wind, and roads were made almost impassable. The rain extended over a wide area, and washouts are reported from the region of Brainerd and Walker.

Hospitals Can Accommodate Injured.

Late reports from Fergus Falls say that all of the injured there can be cared for in local hospitals, with the aid of the relief doctors and nurses who have gone from St. Cloud, Alexandria, Elbow Lake, Wahpeton, Fargo, and from the Twin Cities. Six physicians and 11 nurses went from Alexandria.

Several citizens of Fergus Falls today corroborated statements that three funnel shaped clouds were seen, and the assertion is made that 3 separate storms struck the city in quick succession. The first storm, they say, struck the town from the northwest and tore through the Lake Alice district. This was the one that wrecked the Grand hotel. The second storm, which brought driving rain, approached from the southwest. A third storm, it is claimed, swept over the eastern portion of the town from the southeast, but did less damage.

Governor J. A. A. Burnquist, Adjutant W. F. Rhinow and a National Guard detachment left St. Paul on a special train for the tornado district. The train carried doctors, nurses and supplies.

Appeal for Help.

An urgent appeal for help from Mayor George W. Frankberg of Fergus Falls, in a telegram sent from Detroit to Governor Burnquist, was the first official message to come out of the stricken district.

Mayor Frankberg said the loss of life will be large and hundreds of homes and business blocks are destroyed. The city was in darkness and the situation is extremely urgent, the telegram added.

Carpenters and electricians are needed at once. Help from the adjutant general's office also was asked. The military company is at work and a company in St. Cloud went to Fergus Falls.

13 Buildings Reported Destroyed.

The Dumont storm path first appears a mile and a half southwest of the town. It swept through the east end of the village and for half a mile beyond, when it apparently lifted. Several barns outside the city were razed. Thirteen buildings in the village, according to the latest reports, were destroyed, including a livery stable, in which a number of horses were killed or maimed.

Known Dead.

W. A Fraser, Florence Austin, Viola Nelson, William Forsen, Mrs. J. Nelson, Emma Johnson, Edward Thompson, W. A. Daugherty, S. Shetted, August Palm, Mrs. August Palm and daughter, Imer Hoaberg, Mrs. William Forsen, L. E. Larson.

The missing: Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson and son, George Woodhouse, proprietor of the Grand Hotel, Alonzo Brandenburg, president of the First State Bank, Nichol Didlot, at Dumont.

List of injured; S. C. Strand, both legs broken, Edward Burke and four others, at Dumont.

Editor Makes Statement.

Harold Barker, editor of the Grant County Herald, reached Fergus Falls from Elbow Lake at 3 a. m.

"The tornado hit the town at the northwest corner," he said, "and crashed down Union avenue. It swept everything before it. Most of the buildings destroyed were homes. They were crushed to kindling wood in the flash of a moment.

"The tornado seemed to break when it struck the Grand hotel. The building was crushed like paper. Bodies were buried in a great pile of brick, heavy stones and plaster. When we arrived people were tearing frantically at the wreckage to get at the bodies pinned beneath.

New Cabinet Hard to Get.

Weimar, June 24. — Germany acquired a new cabinet only after a week of literal sweating in Weimar. The signing of the peace terms was the only question around which the cabinet construction hinged, and the government, which went on record as considering the terms unacceptable, found a surprising following behind them. The first party ballots, however, seemed to make signing inevitable, for the powerful Majority Socialist party voted two-thirds for signing.

1,200 Take Training.

Camp Funston, Kan., June 24.—Revised estimates of the attendance at the reserve officers' training camp scheduled to open here at once indicated that twelve hundred candidates for reserve commissions are expected to arrive within the next two days to take the six weeks' course. Men who complete the advanced training will be assigned for six months' service with the army, after which they will be commissioned in the officers' reserve corps.

FOE ASSEMBLY ACCEPTS TERMS

German National Body Agrees to Peace Conditions by Vote of 237 to 138.

ALLIED ENVOYS FIRM

All Requests of Germans for Further Alterations Have Been Rejected and Enemy Must Take Treaty Just As It Is Drawn.

Berlin, June 24.—Germany will sign the peace treaty of the Allied and associated powers. The National Assembly by vote of 237 to 138 decided to sign. The assembly also voted confidence in the new government of Herr Gustav Sauer, 236 to 89. Sixty-eight members abstained from voting.

On the question of signing five members of the assembly abstained from voting.

Before the vote of confidence was taken, Premier Bauer declared the government would sign the treaty, but without acknowledging the responsibility of the German people for the war and without accepting the obligations contained in Articles 227 to 230 in the treaty relating to the trial of the former emperor and the extradition of other German personages.

Offer Sent to Conference.

Paris, June 24.—The offer of the National Assembly at Weimar has been communicated to the peace conference in Paris, which has discussed its provisions, including reservations made by the Germans against affixing their signatures to the document while it contains clauses acknowledging the responsibility of the German people for the war and demanding the trial of former emperor William.

All the requests of the Germans for further alterations have been rejected by the Allies, and Germany now must give her acquiescence to the treaty as it stands before the expiration of the time limit this afternoon.

Troops Are Ready to March.

All is in readiness on the part of the Allied troops in the occupied areas. More than 500,000 soldiers are concentrated here and are only awaiting the word to march eastward into Germany if the Germans prove obdurate. About 190,000 Americans are included in this force.

On the other hand prepartions are being made at Versailles to hold a session of the Peace conference during the present week at which the Germans may affix their signatures to the treaty in the famous Hall of Mirrors in the Trianon Palace.

Four Notes Received From Foe.

Paris, June 24.—The council received four notes from the Germans, which are supposed to have been prepared in advance and were held to await advices from Weimar on the result of the meeting of the assembly. President Wilson went at once to the residence of Premier Lloyd George, where the council took up consideration of the notes.

LIQUOR MEN FILE LAW SUIT

Would Bar Prosecutions of Wartime Dry Act Violations.

San Francisco, June 24.—A suit to restrain the United States attorney here from prosecuting infractions of the wartime prohibition act was filed by representatives of the local liquor interests, it was announced by the California wet federation.

The action covers all points not covered by the suit brought by a vineyardist to restrain the government from enforcing the same law in regard to wines, it was announced.

GRAIN TRADES FIGHT OPENS

House Resolution Calls for Congressional Investigation.

Washington, June 24.—The wheat belt opened its long threatened attack on the grain grades promulgated by the Department of Agriculture when Representative Tincher of Kansas introduced a resolution calling for a congressional investigation. While the measure is directed chiefly at Charles J. Brand, the retiring chief of the bureau of markets, it is intended to go into the whole subject of Federal supervision of grain marketing.

ALASKAN NATIVES REVOLT

Governor Orders Submarine Chaser to Quell Yakutat Uprising.

Juneau, Alaska, June 24.—Submarine chaser No. 310 was ordered by Governor Thomas Riggs, Jr., to the vicinity of Yakutat village to quell a reported native uprising there. The governor also ordered the gunboat Vicksburg to Kodiak and Port Althrop, where cannery men are striking and from where reports of alleged Bolshevik activities had been received.

Army Will Save Clothing.

Washington, June 24.—There will be no bargain sales of surplus clothing and tent equipage in France, the war department announced. Instructions have been issued for the return of all new articles of this kind which cannot be sold abroad for cost.

Morris Comes Home From Sweden.

New York, June 24.—Ira Nelson Morris, American minister to Sweden, arrived unannounced on the steamship Rochambeau from France.

Buy a Farm Now.

Because land is cheaper than it will ever be again. The U. S. Railroad Administration is prepared to furnish free information to homeseekers regarding farming opportunities. We have nothing to sell; no money to lend; only information to give. Write me fully with reference to your needs. Name the state you want to learn about. J. L. Edwards, Manager, Agricultural Section, U. S. Railroad Administration, Room 16, Washington, D. C.—adv.

The mere fact that a man doesn't call you a liar is no reason that he doesn't think you are one.

Cuticura for Pimply Faces.

To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura Talcum.—Adv.

Silence is more eloquent than words. —Carlyle.

KIDNEYS WEAKENING? BETTER LOOK OUT!

Kidney and bladder troubles don't disappear of themselves. They grow upon you, slowly but steadily, undermining your health with deadly certainty, until you fall a victim to incurable disease.

Stop your troubles while there is time. Don't wait until little pains become big aches. Don't trifle with disease. To avoid future suffering begin treatment with GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules now. Take three or four every day until you feel that you are entirely free from pain.

This well-known preparation has been one of the national remedies of Holland for centuries. In 1696 the government of the Netherlands granted a special charter authorizing its sale.

The good housewife of Holland would almost as soon be without food as without her "Real Dutch Drops," as she quaintly calls GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Their use restores strength and is responsible in a great measure for the sturdy, robust health of the Hollanders.

Do not delay. Go to your druggist and insist on his supplying you with a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Take them as directed, and if you are not satisfied with results your druggist will gladly refund your money. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on the box and accept no other. In sealed boxes, three sizes.

Frank.

"What are you selling bananas for today?"

"To make a living."

Daily Thought.

How many worthy men have we seen survive their own reputations.—Montaigne.

Middle Aged Women

Are Here Told the Best Remedy for Their Troubles.

Freemont, O.—"I was passing through the critical period of life, being forty-six years of age and had all the symptoms incident to that change—heat flashes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proved to be. I feel better and stronger in every way since taking it, and the annoying symptoms have disappeared."—Mrs. M. Godden, 925 Napoleon St., Fremont, Ohio.

North Haven, Conn.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored my health after everything else had failed when passing through change of life. There is nothing like it to overcome the trying symptoms."—Mrs. Florence Isella, Box 197, North Haven, Conn.

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London Doctors Eager to Examine Brain of Man Known as Human Encyclopedia.

Of course you have heard of Datas, the human encyclopedia—the man who can memorize and reel off dates quicker than the fire of a machine gun; the man on whose head the doctors have placed a price of £2,000?

"But I am not anxious to sell it yet for dissection," Datas told a writer for London Tit-Bits the other day. "It is worth more to me than £2,000."

Datas has lately been devouring war facts and had just added a couple of thousand in two and a half hours to his repertoire when we met.

"For an outlay of twopence," he said, "I bought a little book on a bookstall, called 'Two Thousand Facts About the War.' I bought it and read the list through in two and a half hours and then knew it by heart."

There is no doubt about it. I tested Datas with the book in my hand, and no matter what question I asked him—dates of battles, air raids, names of ships sunk, famous generals' careers—he answered them without hesitation, says the writer.

Datas has had many amusing and curious experiences, but the most extraordinary was the friendly dinner he shared with John Lee, the Babbacombe murderer, and the late James Barry, the executioner who tried to Hang Lee three times but failed. "Berry, after ceasing to be an executioner, set up at Bradford as a phrenologist and character reader," said Datas. His card bore the words: "Heads examined." He examined a good many heads in his time."

Dressed to Kill in "Shell-Cloth."

Shell-cloth is the name of a new fabric being manufactured in England. The stuff is a fine serge and an essential part of projectiles.

And now that the war is over the stuff is going into the making of clothes instead of shells, says the Philadelphia North American. It ought to make "staggeringly" good-looking clothes, don't you think? One woman might say quite truly to another: "Oh, my dear, she was dressed to kill, all in shellcloth."

Or, on the other hand, what clever opportunity for the feminine cat to say that her dear enemy has "shocking taste in the matter of clothes!"

Boy's Bill of Fare.

George Bailey, answering the inquiry, "What is good for a boy to eat?" says:

"At this time of the year, according to the theories extant in North Carolina in 1870, a boy should have daily plenty of green fruit, pine rosin, young cucumbers, raw new potatoes, green blackberries, doughnuts, branch water and two hours in the swimming hole." —Atlanta Constitution.

Economy to Both Health and Purse

follow a change from coffee to the American table drink—

POSTUM CEREAL

A rich, full-bodied beverage—boiled full fifteen minutes after boiling begins. Pure and free from the nerve impairing drug, caffeine.

Two sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c

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Placed anywhere, DAISY FLY KILLER attracts and kills all flies. Neat, clean, ornamental, convenient and cheap. Lasts all season. Made of metal, can't spill or tip over; will not soil or injure anything. Guaranteed. DAISY FLY KILLER at your dealer or 5 by EXPRESS, prepaid, $1.25. HAROLD SOMERS, 150 De Kalb Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

Nova Scotia Cherries.

The province of Nova Scotia raises exceedingly large and luscious black cherries.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

And lots of men make fools of themselves by doing the fool things they are invited to do.

INDIGESTION Caused by Acid-Stomach

Millions of people—in fact about 9 out of 10—suffer more or less from indigestion, acute or chronic. Nearly every case is caused by Acid-Stomach.

There are other stomach disorders which also are sure signs of Acid-Stomach—belching, heartburn, bloat after eating, food repeating, sour, gassy stomach. There are many ailments which, while they do not cause much distress in the stomach itself, are, nevertheless, traceable to an acid-stomach. Among these are nervousness, biliousness, cirrhosis of the liver, rheumatism, impoverished blood, weakness, insomnia, melancholia and a long train of physical and mental miseries that keep the victims in miserable health year after year.

The right thing to do is to attack these ailments at their source—get rid of the acid-stomach. A wonderful modern remedy called EATONIC now makes it easy to do this.

One of hundreds of thousands of grateful users of EATONIC writes: "I have been troubled with intestinal indigestion for about nine years and have spent quite a sum for medicine, but without relief. After using EATONIC for a few days the gas and pains in my bowels disappeared. EATONIC is just the remedy I needed."

We have thousands of letters telling of these marvelous benefits. Try EATONIC and you, too, will be just as enthusiastic in its praise.

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The Usual Thing.

"There does not seem to be much fraternal spirit among your citizens," said the spectacled guest. "They appear to be almost at swords' points with each other—backbiting, gossiping, denouncing, and—"

"Yep!" returned the landlord of the tavern at Wayoverbehind. "But that's all on the surface. Just wait till some stranger comes to town and gets into trouble, and you'll behold a united community jump onto him with both feet and in one voice."—Kansas City Star.

Subject to Change.

"Mrs. Smith-Jones is a decided blonde, isn't she?" "Yes, but she only decided last week."—Stray Stories.

It's easier to acquire a poor wife than a good servant girl.

It takes a strenuous man to win a victory over himself.

THIN PEOPLE SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitro-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

Thinness and weakness are often due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as bitro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bitro-phosphate should produce a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

Increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, should disappear, dull eyes become bright, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health.

CAUTION: — Although bitro-phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its tendency to increase weight, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.

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NOT HIS UNLUCKY NUMBER

Although Unpopular, "Thirteen" Has Been Decidedly Mixed With This Englishman's Life.

Superstitious readers will be interested in the following extraordinary story, of which the hero is Mr. F. G. Cordwell, the well-known and popular Fleet street journalist.

Mr. Cordwell has been literally dogged by the number thirteen. It was on the 13th day of the month that he went to France, that he went into action, got his first leave and returned to take up his commission. It was in the thirteenth tent, in line 13, camp 13 that he had his first lodgment in France. The tent contained 13 men. He had 13 days in hospital. He was given No. 13 pills. And, returning to civil work on January 13, he found that his old room had been renumbered 113.

Now count up the coincidences. You will find 13 of them!—Answers, London.

The First Kipling Book.

Few who are reading Mr. Kipling's new volume of poems have seen a copy of that precious item of Kiplingiana, the first edition of "Departmental Ditties." It was, as its author says, "only a sort of book"—a lean, oblong docket, wire stitched, bound in brown paper and secured with red tape, in imitation of an Indian government report. A hundred copies or so were put together by the poet hmself and posted, in imitation official envelopes, "up and down the empire from Aden to Singapore, from Quetta to Colombo." The first issue contained only twenty-six poems, but others were added to the new edition rapidly called for, until presently the book changed its format and grew into a conventional stiff-back, gilt-topped volume. "But," says Mr. Kipling, "I loved it best when it was a little brown baby."—Manchester Guardian.

The Way Around.

Mrs. Wakeup—Where did Mrs. de Style get her new hat?

Mrs. Blase—That's a problem. She bought it with the money which her husband borrowed from her uncle, who had won it in a poker game from her brother, to whom she had loaned it shortly after her mother had taken it from her father's pockets and given it to her for a birthday present.—New York Globe.

Power Pays.

It is said that a sewing machine with an individual motor averages 1,000 stitches a minute, while the old foot-driven machine accomplishes only 300 or 400 stitches a minute at most.

Fur Fashions.

"When did the custom of wearing summer furs originate?" asked the woman.

"I dunno," replied the man; "probably among the Eskimos."

The man who thinks he knows it all is an easy mark for a designing woman.

STATE BREVITIES

Middle River.—Middle River will celebrate the Fourth of July, the Woodmen lodge having taken the initiative in the matter.

Virginia.—John Aho, 38, committed suicide here by shooting himself. It is believed he has suffered reverses in gambling.

Two Harbors.—Twenty-two crews are daily hauling ore to the docks here over the Iron Range and the shipping season is in full swing.

Winona.—Fred C. Ford, 50 years old, was struck and killed by a passenger train at Trempealeau while delivering a rural mail route in a small automobile.

Crookston.—The Polk County Farm bureau members will hold their first annual picnic on the grounds of the Northwest School of Agriculture in this city.

Crookston.—In district court a verdict for $1,425 was returned in favor of the plaintiff in the case of Chris Brendemuehl vs. Chris Poehs, an action to recover for labor.

Brainerd.—Rev. Renius Johnson severed two tendons of his left wrist while chopping poles on his farm in Bay Lake township and was laid up two weeks. He preaches Sundays only in the country.

Bemidji.—A blaze starting in the rear of the city meat market here spread to adjoining business blocks and caused a loss of $30,000. Buildings destroyed were the Rex theater, the P. J. O'Leary building and the city market.

St. Paul.—Forty forest fires reported last month did $5,000 damage to the state and private property in the vicinity of Tower, according to the state forest service office. Half of the fires were caused by sparks from railroad engines.

Bemidji.—Hope that the new pump installed in well No. 2 would bring the city water supply to 1,000,000 gallons daily was abandoned by the water committee of the city council when a trial showed that it would produce far less than had been expected.

Duluth.—The annual election for members of the local school board will be held on July 19. Four members are to be chosen and the electoral horizon already is presenting the faces of several candidates. Mrs. Julius H. Barnes, wife of the national grain director, has announced herself as a candidate and is assured a strong support.

St. Paul.—John Everall, St. Paul, resumes today his duties as assistant on the staff of Clifford L. Hilton, attorney general. Mr. Everall terminated a previous term in the state legal department in January, when he became ill with influenza, and was reappointed after the legislature authorized an additional assistant to the attorney general.

Moorhead.—Grasshoppers are causing damage to crops in several parts of Clay county. They are the local varieties, not the Rocky mountain locust, but they are numerous enough to destroy the grain and other crops. County Agent A. C. O'Banion and A. G. Ruggles, state entomologist, went to the Thorpe farm, northeast of Felton, to investigate.

Crosby.—The bodies of O. A. Yoeman and his son, O. C. Yoeman, who were drowned in Blackhoof lake, near here, have been recovered. The young man was swimming when he was taken with cramps. His cries for help were heard by his father, who was unable to swim, but who nevertheless went to the rescue. He reached the side of the boy and the latter dragged him into the depths with him.

Minneapolis.—In the week ending June 14, the United States Employment service offices in Minnesota placed 1,570 men and 701 women. Minneapolis headed the list of placements of both men and women during the week, positions being found here for 307 women and 561 men. Placements by other Minnesota offices were: St. Paul, 255 women and 436 men; Duluth, 138 women and 511 men; Mankato, 1 woman and 44 men; St. Cloud, no women and 19 men.

St. Paul.—Armistice day, Nov. 11, may be made a Minnesota holiday on which every locality in the state will celebrate the return of its world war veterans. The Legion of Honor is promoting the proposal. Governor Burnquist indorsed the movement when it was outlined by a Legion of Honor representative. The governor previously had announced that a state-wide celebration would be in order soon after the arrivals of all Minnesota men returning from overseas and has agreed that Armistice day would fit in with the general plan.

St. Paul.—Mrs. Claude Dolan, matron of the Minnesota Soldiers' home, has sent in her resignation, to become effective July 1. The board of directors has not yet appointed her successor. Complaints have been received by the board from old soldiers to the effect that the matron was arbitrary in her treatment of the inmates, and at the last Minnesota G. A. R. encampment in St. Paul resolutions were passed asking for the resignation of the surgeon, quartermaster and matron. No action will be taken by the board until its next meeting in the fall.

Crookston.—Esther Nichols, 16, drowned while wading in Union lake. Twenty minutes after she was missed the body was found in five feet of water. It is believed that heart failure caused her to fall into the water. She was the only daughter of Roy Nichols, residing six miles west of Fertile.

St. Paul.—Reorganization of the One Hundred and Fifty first artillery, Minnesota's regiment in the famous Rainbow division will begin at once under the direction of Col George E. Leach, who commanded the regiment throughout its brilliant campaign in France.

No Trust.

"Rufus, aren't you feeling well?"

"No, sah. I's not feelin' very well, sah."

"Have you consulted your doctor, Rufus?"

"No, sah; I ain't done dat; sah."

"Why? Aren't you willing to trust your doctor, Rufus?"

"Oh, yes, sah; but de trouble is he's not so alt'gether willin' to trus' me, sah."—Yonkers Statesman.

Couldn't Read German Sign.

"No, I don't want any insurance? Didn't you see 'No Admittance' on the door?"

Agent—Sure I did! The Germans had "No Admittance" written in barbed wire and bullets outside their trenches, but we got in, just the same.—Life.

When speaking of her age a woman doesn't tell you one thing today and another thing ten years later.

Rainbow chasers get at least a run for their money.

One on the Judge.

A certain judge could not control his temper, and consequently could not control other people. One day there was unusual disorder in court, and at last the judge could endure it no longer.

"It is impossible to allow this persistent contempt of court to go on," he exclaimed, "and I shall be forced to go to the extreme length of taking the one step that will stop it."

There was a long silence, then one of the leading counsel rose, and with just a trace of a smile, inquired: "If it please your honor, from what date will your resignation take effect?"

Eventually.

"I say, Fritz, I've found a diamond stickpin."

"Where is it?"

"For the time being over there in the scarf of the old gent with the monocle."—Ulk, Berlin.

Women dress for the benefit of men, but their clothes are seldom noticed except by other women.

It is impossible to buy a friend that is worth the price.

WHY SO MOODY?

To feel "blue," cross and nervous all the time is not natural for anyone. Often it is due merely to faulty kidney action. Housework and the many family cares wear the nerves and so weaken the kidneys. Then comes that tired, fretful, half-sick state. If you have backache, headache, dizziness and kidney irregularities, and sharp, shooting pains, try *Doan's Kidney Pills.* They have brought health and happiness to thousands of women.

A Montana Case

Every Picture Tells a Story

Mrs. C. M. Barnes, 612 N. First St., Hamilton, Mont., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and I know they are just as represented. I have also used them for my children when they have had any kidney weakness and they have always helped them too. I had considerable trouble with my kidneys acting irregularly and suffered with backache. Doan's Kidney Pills gave me fine relief."

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The responsibility attached to the preparing of a remedy for infants and children is undoubtedly greater than that imposed upon the manufacturer of remedies for adults whose system is sufficiently strong to counteract, for a time at least, any injurious drug. It is well to observe that Castoria is prepared today, as it has been for the past 40 years, under the personal supervision of Mr. Chas. H. Fletcher.

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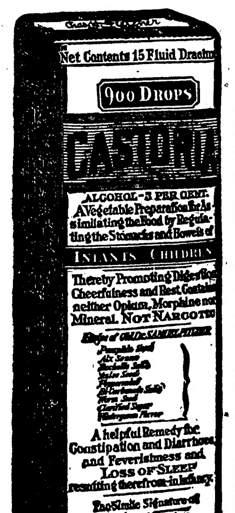
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Fletcher's Castoria is prepared for Infants and Children. It is distinctly a remedy for the little-ones. The BABY'S need for a medicine to take the place of Castor Oil, Paregoric and Soothing Syrups was the sole thought that led to its discovery. Never try to correct BABY'S troubles with a medicine that you would use for yourself.

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Crawfish Decide to Migrate.

Passengers arriving in New Orleans on a recent Sunday evening by the Louisville & Nashville railroad said the tracks were swarming with crawfish practically the whole distance between Micheud and Chef Menteur. Hundreds were walking along gathering the seafood. Baskets, heavy with squirming, wiggling, pinching crawfish were brought in by scores of persons. Expert fishermen said the fish were crawling back to calm waters to escape the squalls outside.

Hard Task.

Tom—Hallon, Dick, old boy! Writing home for money?

Dick—No.

Tom—What are you taking so much trouble for? You've been fussing about two blessed hours over that one letter.

Dick—I'm trying to write home without asking for money.

Superfluous.

Visitor—But have you [illegible] yet?" Promoter—"We don't need 'em; on our claim it rains oil."

Old Friendship Sweet.

The years have taught some [illegible] the bitter lessons—none wiser than this: To spread in all things else, but of old friends to be most miserly.—Lowell

It is never safe to judge a woman's daring by the way she manages to avoid an interview with a mouse.

Gladness is appreciated only by those who know what sadness is.

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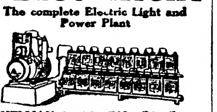

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"What did the blonde say to you?"

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Your Eyes Granulated Eyelids, Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggists or by mail 60c per Bottle. For Book of the Eye free write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

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In the afternoon, Lillian Roseland assisted by Edna Archer, will give 20 minutes of American music and 20 minutes of Scandinavian music
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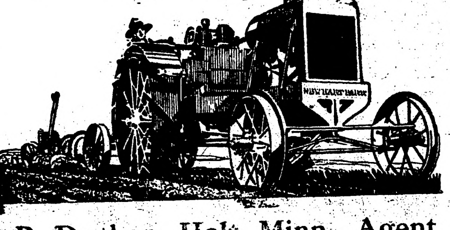

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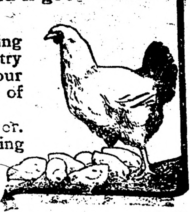

Our experience in supplying all kinds of material for poultry houses will help you in your plans for any new buildings of this kind.

Come in and talk it over. Ask our help on any building problem.

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Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Torald Tharaldson,

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, in Probate Court:

In the matter of the Estate of Torald Tharaldson.

The State of Minnesota to Liv. T. Brokke Tharaldson and all persons interested in the sale of all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Torald Tharaldson, The petition of Geo. W. Walker as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be sold and praying that a license be to Geo. W. Walker granted to sell the same:

NOW THEREFORE, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren, County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of June 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 3rd day of June, 1919.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm.
Judge of Probate Court

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., June 10, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Ole Ingebrigtsli, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Sept. 11th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08457, for NE 1-4 Section 27, Township 156 N., Range 41 West, 5th. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 15th day of July, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Carl Dahl, Axel Benson, William Helland and Rudolph Dahl, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in payment of the sum of One Hundred Twenty-seven and 55-100—Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Mary Faulkner, a single woman, Mortgagor, to Lester E. Gesell, Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1915, and with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of January, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Book 79 of Mortgages on page 315.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Lester E. Gesell, Mortgagee, to Nathan K. Harris by written assignment dated the 11th day of April, 1916, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 5th day of June, 1919, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Book 94 of Mortgages, on page 456, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Warren in said County and State, on the 28th day of July, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Hundred Twenty-seven and 55-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale as provided by law.

Dated June 9, 1919.

Nathan K. Harris,
Assignee of Mortgagee

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortagee.

MORTGAGE FORCLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Louis Olson, a single man, mortgagor, to Martin V. Evenson, mortgagee,—dated March 23rd, 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on March 29th, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock A. M., in Book 74 of mortgages, on page 530 thereof; that such default consists in the failure to pay the installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1918, and another installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1919, and interest thereon, and the mortgagee has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount secured by said mortgage principal and interest, due and payable in accordance with the terms thereof; that the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date is fifty-five dollars and eighty cents ($55.80); that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are Lots three (3) and four (4), and the South half (S½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section two (2), in Township one hundred and fifty-seven (157), North of Range thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in Marshall County, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the West front door of the Marshall County Court House in the City of Warren in said Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 7th day of July A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including taxes if any have been paid by the mortgagee, together with the cost of such sale and twenty-five dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated May 20th, 1919.

MARTIN V. EVENSON,
Mortgagee.

THEO. QUALE
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

Moving Pictures

Friday June 27th 5 P. M.

Woodman Hall, Holt, Minn.

Show starts at 5 P. M. Admission 10 and 30 cents

Saturday June 28 5. P. M.

"Twenty Thousand Leagues under the Sea"

One of the most wonderful and thrilling pictures ever shown

See: The submarine sink a ship The bottom of the ocean

Sights and scenes never before witnessed by man

Admission 55 and 20 cents and worth it too

The hour for the moving pictures each day has been arranged to come between the afternoon and evening chautauqua programs. Don't miss either of these shows, they are good.

Casper Snare

4th of July

Big Picnic and Bowery
Ed O'Hara Farm

Two miles west and 1 mile south of Holt

Commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon July 4
A Big Bowery Dance and Picnic will be held at above date and place Come

Lunch and Ice Cream Served
Good Music Furnished

Everybody welome

Buy Holt Chautauqua Tickets

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Will stand at my farm
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Season of 19[illegible]

G. E. Smith, Owner

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Amanda Mickelson went to T. R. Falls Thursday.

B. Docken was a Crookston business visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Olen and children went to Fertile Wednesday to visit relatives.

This is the "Glorios Fourth," and means more this year than ever before.

Misses Olava Sollom and Hilma Nyberg were Thief River Falls visitors Saturday.

Carl Sorenson and Edwin Nelson of Thief River Falls visited their folks here Sunday.

Miss Alma Kuntson came from T. R. Falls Tuesday for a couple of weeks visit at home.

Mrs. John Heggstead of Badger visited a few days last week at the Otto Johnson home.

Mrs. J. Nelson and Miss June Fitch were visitors in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Guy Anderson is back on his mail route and he is having an awful time with the muddy roads.

Mrs. Fitch returned home Friday from a pleasant visit with relatives and friends at Decorah, Iowa.

Miss Charollette Sovde came down from Greenbush Monday to work in her brother's confectionery store.

Carl and Myrtle Erickson, and Mr. Olson from near Goodridge visited at the J. E. Erickson home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug Severson of St. Hilaire came Sunday, to visit the latter's sister Mrs. Fred Steinhauer and family.

Mrs. Ole Storholm and three children came Friday from T. R. Falls to visit at the Mickelson home for a short time.

Miss Hazel Barnes was the only applicant for the Holt postoffice to take the civil service examination, so we understand.

August and Henry Knutson arrived from Canada Saturday, to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Knutson and family.

Theodore Olson and Miss Larson autoed down from Spooner to visit the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson and family, returning the next day.

Albert Jahr and family started out Friday by auto for a visit at Hillsboro and other points in Dak. but their auto broke down near Alvarado and much to their disappointment they were obliged to return home.

Mrs. W. Anderson and daughters Haltee and Mabel, also her married daughter, Mrs. Johnson and husband, all of Minneapolis, arrived here Sunday via the auto route to visit at the homes of the former's sisters, Mesdame O. A. Knutson, Eric Johnson, Ole Kjelgren and R. J. Olson.

HOLT CHAUTAUQUA

Prof. C. F. Ross, platform manager of our chautauqua, arrived here last week Thursday with the tent, and a large company of men and boys assisted him that evening in raising it, erecting the platform and arranging for the seats. The first company arrived the next day and the following advertised program was carried out:

Friday, June 27
Afternoon
Entertainment .... Victory Duo
Lecture, The Mansion Beautiful, ...Prof. G. E. Weaver
Evening
Music and Readings .... Victory Duo
Entertainment .. Prof. G. E. Weaver
Saturday, June 28
Afternoon
Novelty Entertainment .. Carl Nelson
Lecture, The Philosophy of Life ..Dr. Charles, Frederick Sheldon
Afternoon
Evening
Sketches and Ventriloquism .... Carl Nelson
Lecture, The Soul of America, ..Dr. Charles Frederick Sheldon
Sunday, June 29
Afternoon
Frand Entertainment .... Lillian Roseland Company
Assisted by Edna Archer
Evening
Music .... Lillian Roseland Company
Recital, If I were King, Edna Archer

The entertainments given by the Victory Duo were much appreciated as was also Prof. Weaver's chalk talks, and the reader was repeatedly encored. Prof. Weaver is a genuine artist and his illustrated lecture "The Mansion Beautiful" is a whole sermon in itself.

Carl Nelson is of a pleasing personality and everyone, especially the children, were pleased with both of his entertainments. Rev. Dr. Sheldon, pastor of one of the churches in Perry, Iowa, was the only lecturer on the whole program, and he is a good one too. Everyone was much pleased with his addresses and would gladly have heard him again.

Sundays programs were also well received by the audiances.

Miss Roseland is a fine musician and the male member of the company is a splendid singer and was repeatedly encored at both programs. Miss Archer is a fine reader and showed much ability in rendering all of her selections.

Sunday afternoon just before the program, Rev. Sheldon preached a fine sermon to a small but appreciative audiance.

Prof. Ross is superintendent of the public schools in Barnard, Mo., and made friends with all whom he met. He is a very pleasant and courteous gentleman, honest and fair minded in all his business and asks for only a square deal for his company, the local people and for himself.

There were in attendance at the different programs, people from all the surrounding towns and country, filling the the tent Sunday evening to it's fullest capacity.

Mrs. Carrie Anderson went to St. Hilaire Monday to visit relatives.

P. G. Sorter who has been visiting his son Abe at Warroad, Minn., returned home Monday accompanied by his two grandsons, Archie and Loyd who will visit at the home of their uncles, Gunder and Pete Sorter.

Anyone in the market for a new Nielson tractor, either large or small call and see me.

Also a few tractors, used only for demostrating, which will be sold cheap.

Agency for the Maxwell and the Nash automobiles.

Novelty Sales Company,
B. J. Bakke, Prop.
Holt, Minnesota

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Myhrer will hold services here at 11 o'clock A. M. Sunday July 6th.

SYNOD CHURCH NOTES

The Confirmation services have been postponed until 11 A. M. August 3rd.

The Nasareth Young People's Society will hold their meeting at the Woodman hall Sunday July 6th. Mrs. Oliver Nohre, Mrs. H. Folholm and Miss Mabel Knutson will serve lunch. Commence at 3:30 Everybody is welcome.

Tvedt Bros. visited with J. E. Erickson Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Larson received a card Monday from the Red Cross dated June 26th, stating their son Albert had just arrived from overseas and would be home soon.

Miss Jula Nohre came Wednesday from Litchfield, N. D. to visit her sister Mrs. P. P. Reierson and family.

A fine nine pound baby arrived at the Hjalmer Peterson home Saturday morning Congratulations.

Wednesdays storm put all of the telephone lines, except the Excel, out of commission.

Want several quarters cheap land. Open preferred.—Wadsworth,
829 Grand Forks, N. D.

Ruben Johnson who has been visiting for some time at the Fitch home, departed for Nevada, Iowa, Monday.

In looking over the country after the heavy rains of this week, no one would think that the country had "gone dry."

The Holt school board, also the board in district No. 158, are advertising this week for bids for new school houses.

C. L. Sandberg has recently sold lumber bills to Willie Steinhauer for a machine shed and to Olaf Dahl for a granary.

As July 4th comes Friday, cream will be received only on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.— P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker.

For Sale: A 15x30 Minneapolis gas tractor, used only two years. Will sell cheap for cash or trade for land. See Andrew Ness, Thief River Falls, or R. Reierson, Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pavek and children arrived here Wednesday for a short visit at the Riesberg home. They came from Owatonna where they have been visiting his relatives for a couple of weeks.

Chris Norbeck has sold his farm to John Nybo of Montana, who will take possession this fall. The prices paid were $40.00 per acre for a part of the farm and $30.00 for the balance, making a total of $10.000 for the 280 acres.

Hans Knutson and sons John and Oscar returned home Friday from a few days visit with relatives at Fertile. John brot back a fine pure blooded short horn bull calf that he purchased there.

Who will be the next to add pure blooded stock to their herds.

The Holt town officers met Monday per notice and awarded the following contracts:

For concrete work on bridge across ditch No. 2 between sections 7 and 18, to Hjalmer Johnson for $375.00 also Mr. Johnson contracts a job of cutting brush for almost two miles on the mail route west from A. Sagstuen's for $30 00, and Geo. Gusa a job of grading 70 rods between sections 3 and 4 for $80.00

For Sale Cheap

An eleven months old ram for sale cheap, or will trade for another one.

Willie Rux, Holt, Minn.

News from Southeast of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jahr and family were pleasantly entertained at the Ed. Hanson home on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Klungness entertained a number of friends and relatives on Sunday.

Nathan Solney purchased a Maxwell car from Benny Teldall recently.

Miss Gertrude Nelson from Minneapolis, Minn., is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity this week.

Millie Faiman had an operation for the removal of her tonsils last week.

Wedding
Moe-Larson

On Wednesday afternoon June 25th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Soren Moe occurred the marriage of their daughter, Gunda Christine, to Mr. Ludovic Larson. Rev. A. N. Skogerboe of Thief River Falls officiating.

The bride was beautifully dressed in white voile, wearing a bridal veil and carried a boquet of white roses and lilies of the valley.

The groom wore a dark blue suit.

The rooms were beautifully decorated throughout and a delicious six o'clock dinner was served to a number of close relatives. They were presented with many beautiful and valuable presents and also a large sum of money.

The happy couple left Saturday for Stephen, Minn. where they will make their future home.

Lewis Wegge was a Middle River visitor Monday.

Alfred Newton returned to McIntosh Monday after a short visit with friends.

Miss Betty Johnson returned Wednesday from several weeks stay in Thief River Falls.

During the past week, B. Docken has disposed of four quarter sections of Marshall county land.

Big picnic and bowery dance 2 o'clock July 4th at the Ed O'Hara farm. Everyone invited.

Mrs. C. W. Christianson and children went to Strandquist last week Wednesday to visit relatives.

Miss Mabel Fosen arrived here last week Thursday to spend the summer with her sister, Miss Agnes.

Elling Waggedahl went to Thief River Falls last week Thursday to have a slight operation on his nose.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wegge are enjoying a visit from two of their married daughters, who arrived from Dakota Monday.

Carl, Myrtle, Annie Erickson and Mr. Olson visited at C. Hoffman's Tuesday evening. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mrs. Hans Leen and children returned Monday to their home at Victor, S. D., after a weeks pleasant visit at the home of her brother, Martin Mattson and family.

The Synod church has been let down on the basement wall and the cement floor put in this week, and the carpenters will soon commence their part of the work on the basement.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of District No. 158, Marshall county, Minn., will receive sealed bids for the building of a one story frame school building in said district. Bids will be received up to 2 o'clock P. M., of July 5th, 1919, at which time the Board will meet at the Woodman hall in Holt to open and consider the bids.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Plans and specifications on file at the Holt State Bank.

S. G. Svenkeson,
District Clerk. Holt, Minn.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of District No. 35, Marshall county, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids, up to 8 o'clock p. m., July 5th, 1919, for the building of a one story addition to the school house in said district.

Separate bids will be received for furnishing all new material, also using material in the part of the school house that is to be torn down.

Plans and specifications on file with the district clerk.

Bidders must deposit a certified check payable to the district clerk for 5% of the bid.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a good and sufficient surety bond.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

H. J. Olen, District Clerk.
District No. 35. Holt, Minn.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the
Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

$2 $3 $4 $5 $6 $8

C. G. MUGG, Optomoric Specialist

of Grand Forks, N. D., will fit Headache and other special glasses for $5. Reading glasses $2 to $5. Torics $6 (sphers). 20 years experience. He will be at Holt, afternoon of July 16 and forenoon July 17th. Don't forget it.

Several members of the Sellom family attended the gospel meeting at Newfolden Sunday.

Miss Ruby Swan came from T. R. Falls for an over Sunday visit with home folks.

Mrs. Knauf came Friday to care for her sister, Mrs. Hjalmer Petersons during her sickness.

Ernest Phillipson and Mayne Flak accompanied by other friends returned home Sunday from their Summer outing near McIntosh.

There will be a BIG picnic and bowery dance July 4th at the O'Hara's farm 1 mile south and 2 miles west of Holt, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Good music will be furnished, and lunch and ice cream will be served. Everybody welcome.

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Thief River Falls
Offices in Scandia Block

Holt Cafe!

Ice Cream Parlor
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Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables for the serving of Ice Cream

Olai Sovde, Prop.

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 35
Wheat No. 2	2 35
Wheat No. 3	2 28
Wheat No. 4	2 24
Flax	5 06
Oats	57
Barley	85 to 93
Rye	1 25
Flour, Best Patent	6 70

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Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 19
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 96

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Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg.
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

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All work guaranteed satisfactory

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. [illegible] constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.

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Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

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"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" to be genuine must be marked with the safety "Bayer Cross." Always buy an unbroken Bayer package which contains proper directions to safely relieve Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Colds and pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents at drug stores—larger packages also. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

Resuscitation Record.

What is said to be the record for resuscitation from drowning was accomplished by United States life-savers after the victim had been submerged for six minutes. Among a great many persons the erroneous belief exists that persons can be resuscitated after having been in the water a great length of time. Cases have been known where resuscitation methods were used for hours after the drowned persons had been under water for a half-hour, or even longer. Thus it will be seen that drowning is a quick death and the hazard of the water correspondingly great.

So Sudden, Dear.

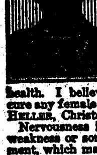
After a brief two weeks' acquaintance he invited her to go with him to a football match. As the players appeared on the field he began to enlarge on their several merits.

"There's Smith," he said; "he's a really fine forward; absolutely first-rate! Then there's Jackson, over there; he's really fine—going to be our best man in a few weeks!"

"Oh, Walter, will he—he do all right?" she lisped shyly. "This is so sudden, dear."

There's a good thing about a dog; he does not pretend to be anything else.

How would you negotiate with the dog after he had eaten your sheep?



HOW THIS NERVOUS WOMAN GOT WELL

Told by Herself. Her Sincerity Should Convince Others.

Christopher, Ill.—"For four years I suffered from irregularities, weakness, nervousness, and was in a run down condition. Two of our best doctors failed to do me any good. I heard so much about what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for others, I tried it and was cured. I am no longer nervous; am regular, and in excellent health. I believe the Compound will cure any female trouble."—Mrs. ALICE HELLER, Christopher, Ill.

Nervousness is often a symptom of weakness or some functional derangement, which may be overcome by this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as thousands of women have found by experience.

If complications exist, write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for suggestions in regard to your ailment. The result of its long experience is at your service.

HEADACHE Often Caused by Acid-Stomach

Yes, indeed, more often than you think. Because ACID-STOMACH, starting with indigestion, heartburn, belching, food-repeating, bloat and gas, if not checked, will eventually affect every vital organ of the body. Severe, blinding, splitting headaches are, therefore, of frequent occurrence as a result of this upset condition.

Take EATONIC. It quickly banishes acid-stomach with its sour bloat, pain and gas. It aids digestion—helps the stomach get full strength from every mouthful of food you eat. Millions of people are miserable, weak, sick and ailing because of ACID-STOMACH. Poisons, created by partly digested food charged with acid, are absorbed into the blood and distributed throughout the entire system. This often causes rheumatism, biliousness, cirrhosis of the liver, heart trouble, ulcers and even cancer of the stomach. It robs its victims of their health, undermines the strength of the most vigorous.

If you want to get back your physical and mental strength—be full of vim and vigor—enjoy life and be happy, you must get rid of your acid-stomach.

In EATONIC you will find the very help you need and it's guaranteed. So get a big 50c box from your druggist today. If it fails to please you, return it and he will refund your money.

EATONIC
(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

DAISY FLY KILLER PLACED ANYWHERE ATTRACTS AND KILLS ALL FLIES. Neat, clean, ornamental, convenient, cheap. Lasts all season. Made of metal, can't spill or tip over; will not soil or injure anything. Guaranteed effective. Sold by dealers, or 5 by EXPRESS, prepaid, $1.25.
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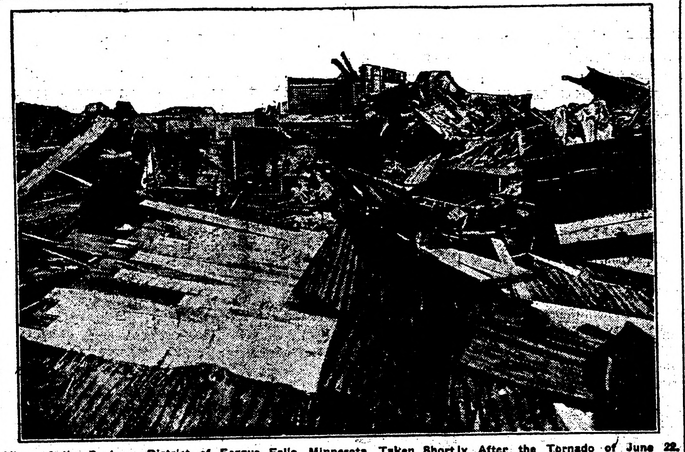
Clover Leaf Orangeade. A very delicious drink. Make it from our compound; send 10c for three glasses. Schubert, R. 3, Dayton, O.

WHERE HURRICANE'S HAVOC IS SEEN AT ITS WORST



View of the Business District of Fergus Falls, Minnesota, Taken Shortly After the Tornado of June 22.

STORY OF STORM THAT WRECKED FERGUS FALLS

Unparalleled Tornado of Sunday, June 22, a Juncture of Three Cyclonic Storms.

DAMAGE FOUR MILLIONS

Graphic Story of Havoc Wrought and Debris Left in Hurricane's Wake —Immediate Help Needed— Freaks of the Storm.

Fergus Falls, Minn., June 26.—Fergus Falls today, four days after the almost unparalleled hurricane of Sunday afternoon, is still a mass of broken and scattered debris. While the first story of the tragedy has now been told throughout the country, the real stories of the loss, the personal suffering, the fortitude of citizens and the opening of efforts at reconstruction of the devastated area are still to be told. How many actually are dead, even, is not yet accurately known and may never be. Already the list of bodies recovered aggregates 53, four of which are unidentified. Several others known to be missing will almost certainly be added to the list of victims. Work at clearing away the debris, which had begun almost within an hour after the storm, has continued uninterruptedly and will occupy many days. The city, 40 per cent of which was leveled or wrecked by the wind, is almost totally strewn with broken and tangled material. Much of the area may be described as resembling the vicinity of a sawmill—with finely splintered lumber slashings everywhere. Lake Alice, which is within the city limits, is covered with a floating mass of rubbish, and how many bodies it will give up cannot be guessed. One Mile lake, at the city outskirts, presents a similar scene, and the gruesome secrets of its depths are not yet fully told. Both are being dragged for bodies. The presence of strangers in the city renders a complete list of the dead impossible until both lakes have been searched and the last vestiges of debris cleared away from the town.

Further Losses in the Storm.

The human suffering entailed by the storm is but lightly suggested by the long list of the dead. Two hundred persons, at least, have been injured, beyond the number who have already succumbed. Some of these may die; others—many of them—will be permanently maimed.

Add to this the fact that the other material losses aggregate, according to latest figures, between three and four million dollars, instead of the $1,500,000 of earlier estimates; and that these losses fall, almost without exception, upon persons whose entire business resources are destroyed by the storm, and a graphic idea of the city's suffering begins to be possible. Besides losses of upward of a million dollars in the business area, 400 homes have been wrecked or utterly wiped away. A conservative estimate of their average value would be $3,000. Many of them were worth two or three times as much, for Fergus Falls was a city of beautiful homes. Union avenue, a residential district skirting the thoroughfare to the state hospital, was a section of unusual beauty. The northern half of it is wholly destroyed. Vernon avenue, another handsome street, met a similar fate. How complete and irreparable is the total loss to citizens can be guessed from the fact that not over 5 per cent of the property wrecked was protected by insurance against casualties of this kind.

Public and Private Buildings Gone.

If Byron's description of carnage in which all were in "one red burial blent" might be quoted to express the destruction of inanimate things, the use of it in description of Fergus Falls' structural and business losses would be almost apropos. Property of every kind is inextricably mixed in a hopelessly tangled confusion in which each becomes burial material for that which remains. All church edifices in the city, except two, are a part of the tangled and twisted debris. The court house and all the school houses of the city are destroyed or seriously damaged. Theatres, schools, laundries, the Grand hotel—scene of the largest number of fatalities—the Northern Pacific passenger and freight depots, municipal bridges, manufacturing plants, stores, the big Red River mill —all, sustained heavy damage, and most of them are now but jumbled heaps. The wrecking of approximately 100 automobiles at various places about the city is mentioned as merely one of the minor items of the damage effected by the storm.

What Is Being Done.

Familiar as the story of the tragedy, is, in part, the story of what is being done to succor the injured town. Relief trains quickly brought physicians, nurses, medicines and surgical dressings. Helpers streamed into the city. Governor Burnquist dispatched three companies of Home Guards, who have policed the stricken district day and night. For the protection of people and property, the city is temporarily under martial law. By designation of the governor, after conference with local business men and officials, a relief committee was promptly given authority to solicit and distribute necessary supplies and funds. Cities throughout the northwest have sent words of encouragement, with advance tenders of needed money and food.

Committee Appeals for Help.

A fund of $500,000 for relief work in Fergus Falls was decided upon at the meeting of the Fergus Falls citizens with state officials and others, held last night. As a result a new appeal went to the people of the northwest for aid.

The relief fund goal was increased as the result of information gathered by the Red Cross and other relief workers in the city, and presented at the meeting. A thousand are homeless, and those whose homes have been wrecked are virtually without clothing or supplies of any nature. Everything in the ruined homes was destroyed. It is a pitiful sight to see people searching the ruins of their homes for things that might have escaped the elements. Their search in most instances is an unsuccessful one.

A revised estimate by the committee now places the loss at between $3,500,000 and $4,000,000.

Anderson Heads Relief.

Funds and provisions designed for relief of the stricken city are to be sent to A. G. Anderson, who has been designated to take charge of this part of the work. The committee, designated by Governor Burnquist, includes Elmer E. Adams, A. G. Anderson, E. J. Evans, C. R. Wright and F. E. Hodgson. The committee is a responsible one and its appeals for help and statements of the city's needs may be taken at face value. The requested assistance should come freely and at once.

Personal Instances of Loss.

Most intensely interesting, could they be known, would be many of the stories of personal suffering and loss. Like all casualties from the elements, the work of the storm showed wondrous freaks of ruthlessness or forbearance. The story of a small house sheltering a family of four is typical of what may happen. There is not a vestige of the house, yet every member of the family was left within a few yards of where the building stood before it collapsed and started upon its wild ascent.

Buys Hotel—Results in Death.

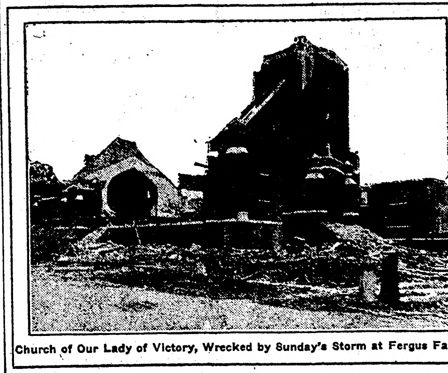
Most personal experiences within the storm area were not so fortunate for those concerned. The death of George Woodhouse, owner of the Grand hotel, is a case in point. He had just repurchased the building and business after a temporary sale, and had returned to Fergus Falls and resumed the management not thirty minutes before the storm broke. With him in the building, besides many others seeking shelter, was A. F. Brandenburg, president of a local bank, who had stopped to call. The body of Mr. Woodhouse has been recovered, and there can be no doubt of the banker's death. Most distressful in its revelations of fatalities has been the mass of debris which forms all that is left of this $40,000 hotel. Its welcoming portals had proved an alluring place of refuge from the gale but the veneered brick walls of the building rendered it only a dangerous trap.

Wrecks Great Northern Train.

An interesting sidelight of the storm news is the group of stories told by eyewitnesses of the tornado as it approached. It is said that among the hundreds of hurricanes which have dotted history and devastated towns, that of Sunday afternoon at Fergus Falls is perhaps unique in that it was not one tornado merely, but the culmination of three which sucked together into one mighty blast at the very instant that they struck the city. Perhaps no more powerful vortex of the elements has ever been known. Distinctly seen by many people just outside its path, the nature of its course is clearly agreed. The three cyclonic storms approached from different angles, bearing in a southerly direction from the north and west. One of these struck and wrecked Great Northern train No. 1 several miles out of town, and the freakishness of its action is most remarkable in that it tore one car completely loose from the train, derailed the rest, lifted them from their trucks and deposited them upon the ground without serious injury to any of the scores of persons on board.

Roar of Storms Drowns Other Sounds.

The ominous roar of the storm as it merged together in tripled fury is a memory never to be forgotten. Beside its heavy tones the noise of wrack and wreckage of buildings passed unheard. For an hour prior to the coming of the funnel-shaped clouds there had been a continuous crash of thunder, and when the wind storm finally unleashed its forces, a spectator is said to have described it as "like a hundred automobiles, driving at intense speed with open mufflers." The sound and sight is one that no onlooker will ever erase from mind.



Church of Our Lady of Victory, Wrecked by Sunday's Storm at Fergus Falls.

VOTERS APPROVE REFERRED LAWS

Returns Received Up to Sunday Morning Show Safe Margins for All Measures.

NEARLY ALL RETURNS IN

Cities Show League Gains—Some Reduction in Country Strength, According to I. V. A. Claims—Total Majority in Doubt.

Fargo, N. D., June 29.—Referendum election returns received at Nonpartisan league headquarters and by the Fargo Courier-News up to an early hour this morning are said to show a majority of 6,788 votes for the printing bill, which it is believed will carry the smallest majority of any of the seven referred laws. The vote reported on this bill stood 55,763 for and 48,975 against.

Bank and Commission Bills Lead.

Reports at hand included returns from every county in the state except Oliver, which is regarded as a Nonpartisan stronghold. A total of 110 precincts were still to send in their returns. In 39 of the 53 counties of the state the state bank law ran 1,079 votes ahead of the printing bill. In 40 counties the industrial commission bill ran 1,219 ahead of the printing bill. The league measures carried in 35 counties, the opposition carried in 15 counties, two counties—Morton and Dickey—split their vote, giving a majority for some and against certain others of the measures. The bank and industrial commission laws carry the highest majorities. Estimated majorities on these, when the full vote is returned, vary from 8,500 to 12,000.

Cities Show League Gains.

An analysis of the vote shows that many cities gave increased support to league measures as compared with their general election vote last year. Various country precincts show comparative reduction in league strength, although the total vote will be increased.

Returns on Printing Law.

The following table, published by the Courier-News, gives returns so far received on the printing law:

	Yes	No
Adams	568	370
Barnes	1,820	1,426
Benson	1,218	882
Billings	367	176
Bottineau	1,998	987
Bowman	578	456
Burke	1,077	952
Burleigh	1,334	1,212
Cass	2,267	3,545
Cavalier	1,236	616
Dickey	892	907
Divide	1,229	600
Dunn	812	467
Eddy	778	341
Emmons	681	988
Foster	612	486
Golden Valley	377	710
Grand Forks	1,514	2,553
Grant	976	800
Griggs	828	516
Hettinger	811	500
Kidder	862	350
LaMoure	1,366	861
Logan	345	541
McHenry	1,984	1,054
McIntosh	352	678
McKenzie	1,048	464
McLean	1,616	1,338
Mercer	801	357
Morton	1,480	1,626
Mountrail	1,686	821
Nelson	935	898
Pembina	1,004	1,587
Pierce	834	724
Ramsey	1,089	1,331
Ransom	1,156	862
Renville	1,140	400
Richland	1,396	2,199
Rolette	1,034	523
Sargent	866	1,112
Sheridan	709	314
Sioux	155	273
Slope	329	191
Stark	906	1,056
Steele	725	645
Stutsman	1,619	2,127
Towner	824	661
Traill	1,103	1,259
Walsh	1,450	1,960
Ward	2,080	1,607
Wells	568	422
Williams	2,153	1,135
Total	55,763	48,975

Richardton Has Big Fire Loss.

Richardton, N. D., June 28.—Fire of undetermined origin, starting at about 11:30 o'clock Friday night in the Pathman elevator building, and fanned by a high wind from the west, swept through Richardton and destroyed three-fourths of the business district of the city, a number of residences and several buildings along the Northern Pacific railroad tracks.

The Dickinson fire department, responding to a call, got onto the ground quickly and helped fight the blaze until 3 o'clock a. m.

The loss is estimated at between $300,000 and $400,000. No one was injured. The Pathman elevator has not been in use for over three years, and the cause of the fire is unexplained.

Paid $3,000 for Bull Calf.

Fargo, N. D., June 28.—A new high record price for Shorthorn cattle in North Dakota was established at the sale held at Edgewood farm, near Fargo, yesterday, when 51 Shorthorns sold for $40,500. The average price paid for the livestock was $800 a head. The top price of the day was brought by a bull calf, sired by Imported Royal Cup, sold for $3,000 to H. J. Cross of Tenney, Minn. The top price for females was $2,000, paid for a cow

THIN PEOPLE SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitro-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

Thinness and weakness are often due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as bitro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bitro-phosphate should produce a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

GEORGIA HAMILTON.

Increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, should soon disappear, dull eyes ought to brighten, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health. Miss Georgia Hamilton, who was once thin and frail, reporting her own experience, writes: "Bitro-Phosphate has brought about a magic transformation with me. I gained 15 pounds and never before felt so well."

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Slamming Herself.

There had been a quarrel. Everybody could see that, the minute they came into the car. The woman sat with rigid jaw, her hands folded forbiddingly. The man scrooched down on his spine, and glowered at the signs across the aisle. The car wondered. Then there came a dead silence as the car halted to let off a passenger. Into the silence came the woman's voice.

"If it wasn't for me you'd be the biggest fool in San Francisco!"

Then for the first time the man grinned, and the others grinned with him.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Watch Cuticura Improve Your Skin. On rising and retiring gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. It is wonderful sometimes what Cuticura will do for poor complexions, dandruff, itching and red rough hands.—Adv.

Snobless Land.

The earl of Dunmore said at a farewell dinner in New York:

"Democracy does away with snobbishness. I called one afternoon on a Chicago lady, and her little son was presented to me. The urchin studied me curiously as I drank my tea. At length he said:

"'Why are you a lord, mister? Was you born in a manger?'"

WORSE THAN DEADLY POISON GAS

Kidney disease is no respector of persons. It attacks young and old alike. In most cases the victim is warned of the approaching danger. Nature fights back. Headache, indigestion, insomnia, lame back, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatism, pain in the loins and lower abdomen, difficulty in urinating, all are indication of trouble brewing in your kidneys.

When such symptoms appear you will almost certainly find quick relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This famous old remedy has stood the test for two hundred years in helping mankind to fight off disease.

It is imported direct from the home laboratories in Holland, where it has helped to develop the Dutch into one of the sturdiest and healthiest races in the world, and it may be had at almost every drug store. Your money promptly refunded if it does not relieve you. Be sure to get the genuine GOLD MEDAL Brand. In sealed packages, three sizes.—Adv.

Simpering Stars.

"I hear that many of these movie queens have an understudy to do the high dives and narrow escapes."

"With some of those girlies it wouldn't hurt to have somebody do the acting and just let them pose for the close-ups."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Laying for the Neighbors.

"Chickens come home to roost."

"Mine don't," said the amateur poultryman.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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NEVER KNEW HE WAS BEATEN

That Quality, Among Many Others, Accounts for Andrew Jackson's Rise to Greatness.

The boyhood friends of Andrew Jackson, so the story goes, could never quite understand how Jackson became so great a general—not to say president—while the rest of them remained simple pioneer citizens at home.

"Why, Jim Brown, right down the pike here," they said, "could throw Andy three times out of four; and look where he is now!"

"How did there happen to be a fourth time?" asked some one. "Usually it's three times and out, isn't it?"

"Sure it is. But Andy, you see, never had the sense to know when he was beat. He would never stay throwed. So, by and by Jim would get tired out throwing him and stay throwed himself. And then Andy would think he'd beat him."

There is a whole sermon in a nutshell in that simple little anecdote. The thing that counts is not how many times you are "throwed," but whether you are willing to "stay throwed."

Your adversary, whether he be a person or a misfortune or a difficulty, or just a hard job, can be tired out in the end by throwing you just as surely, if not as swiftly, as by your throwing him. It is merely a question of which of you gives in—in his mind—first, and "stays throwed." Remember that!—Youth's Companion.

Annoyed Blister.

"The lightning played a good joke on my boy, Blister, tuther day," related Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "He was feeling around under a tree when it began to rain, and the next thing a bolt of lightning tore a big limb off'm the tree and slammed it down on Blister. You ort to have heered him r'ar and cuss as he dug his way out from under it. Made him madder than a scalded cat, to be fit by something he couldn't fight back at."—Kansas City Sar.

The Debt Affirmed.

Wife—Everything you have you owe to me.

Hub—That's what Doctor Brown says.

Wife—Who's Doctor Brown?

Hub—The stomach and nerve specialist.

Many a man who claims to be discreet is only a coward.

MAKING STUDY OF VOLCANOES

Department of Agriculture Has Taken Up New Line, Which Is Bound to Be of Interest.

The department of agriculture has begun the extensive observation of the volcanoes within its borders and insular possessions, and has recently taken formal charge of the observatory on Kilauea, Hawaiian islands. Prof. T. A. Jaggar, Jr., formerly of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who has been director of the observatory since its foundation, will remain in charge. The investigations at Kilauea were begun in 1912, under the auspices of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and since 1918 have been maintained at the expense of the Hawaiian Volcano Research association, consisting chiefly of residents of Honolulu. It is expected that the weather bureau's work in volcanology will be developed in many details and eventually be extended to Alaska and other regions under the control of the United States in which active volcanoes exist.

Hammer and Tongs.

Bishop Elliston Caruthers of Savannah, Ga., was talking about Russia.

"Poor Russia is in a bad way," he said. "Bolsheviks and cadets, maximalists and Cossacks are going for one another hammer and tongs. Instead of uniting to defeat the common enemy, they squabble like—like the parson and the choir.

"The parson, you know, thought to get the better of the hostile choir one Sunday morning by announcing at the end of the first anthem:

"'Our text, brethren, will be "And after the uproar was ceased."

"But the choir got back at the parson by singing for the closing anthem at the sermon's end:

"'Now it is high time to awake out of sleep.'"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Dry Cleaned.

A little four-year-old, who is most emphatically opposed to having her face washed, said to her grandmother the other day:

"I am not going to wash my face any more."

When asked for an explanation, she said: "I've decided to have it dry-cleaned."

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NATIONS SIGN PEACE TREATY AT VERSAILLES

German Delegates Affix Signatures First Followed by Americans, Then Allies.

CEREMONY LASTS LONG

Historic Hall of Mirrors in Palace at Versailles Scene of Most Impressive Ceremonial in World's History.

Versailles, June 29.—The German delegates have signed the peace treaty.

The ceremony took place in the Trianon palace at Versailles at a session of the entire peace congress, in which 23 Allied nations participated.

Premier Clemenceau called the meeting to order and said that they had assembled for the purpose of signing the treaty and the protocol and the Rhine arrangement. The German plenipotentiaries, Mueller and Bell, were then invited to sign all three documents and when they had done so the Allies commenced signing, doing so by delegations. Thus all the Americans signed and were followed by the other delegations.

The treaty was carried to Premier Clemenceau, President Wilson and Premier Lloyd George by William Martin, official master of ceremonies and attache of the French foreign office. It was then replaced on the table to be signed by the other plenipotentiaries in the alphabetical order of their countries, America signing first.

The peace treaty was deposited on the table in the Hall of Mirrors at 2:10 o'clock by William Martin of the French foreign office. It was enclosed in a stamped leather case.

Stage of All French Glories.

The signature of the "Second Peace of Versailles" in the long Hall of Mirrors in the chateau of France's great monarch, Louis XIV., restored to Versailles its old place as the stage of "all the glories of France," dimmed in more recent days by the memories of mob excesses during the French revolution, the military downfall of France in 1870 and the proclamation of the German empire in the same hall. Representatives of the nations of the world gathered there to sign and seal the instrument undoing the work of conquest of Bismarck and Von Moltke and inaugurating the sway of the league of nations in place of the ill-adjusted European balance of power.

The ceremony was set for 3 o'clock in the afternoon, but hours before that time an uninterrupted stream of automobiles began moving up the cannon-lined hill of Champs Elysees, past the Arch of Triumph and out through shady Bois de Boulogne and Park St. Cloud carrying plenipotentiaries, officials and guests to the ceremony. They reached Versailles over a thoroughfare kept clear by pickets, dragoons and mounted gendarmes, and were cheered en route by throngs gathered in the flag-decked suburban towns of Boulogne, St. Cloud and Sevres-Ville d'Avray for a passing glimpse of the world's celebrities of the conference.

Hope for Only Glimpse.

In the meantime thousands upon thousands of Parisians were packing regular and special trains and interurban lines to Versailles and contending with the residents of Versailles for places in the great Place d'Armes before the chateau or in Chateau park where the playing of famed fountains of Versailles would mark the end of the ceremony. They could hope for only a brief glimpse of the delegates but they wished to be able to say later that they had participated in the event.

The Avenue de Paris, the broad boulevard leading direct to the chateau's court of honor, was reserved for the automobiles of delegates and secretaries. For half a mile before they entered the chateau grounds the motors rolled along between ranks of French soldiers of today, succeeded within the grille of the court of honor by rows of statues of old time military heroes of France from Admiral Du Quesclin and Chevalier Bayard "without fear and without reproach," to Prince de Conde and Viscount de Turenne.

Guard in Full Dress.

A company of republican guards in brilliant full dress uniforms drawn up at the end of the court as a guard of honor presented arms as the leading plenipotentiaries passed. On entering the building by the portal through which the Paris mob burst in the early days of the French revolution, the delegates mounted by the marble, or Queen's stairway, to the suite of "Queen's apartments" and the Hall of peace through which they gained access to the Hall of Mirrors. The walls of these apartments were hung with antique gobelin tapestries, representing scenes of the triumphant reign of Louis XIV. and were carpeted with rugs of the same epoch.

To reach the peace table the plenipotentiaries passed through a space reserved for some 400 privileged guests who were instructed to be in their seats well in advance of the entry of the delegates. It had been arranged that the delegates instead of straggling in without order as they did when the orignal terms of peace were communicated to the Germans should make their entrance by groups, each one being formally announced by ushers from the French foreign office.

No Formality for Germans.

This formality was not prescribed for the Germans, who were given a separate route of entry, coming into the chateau through the park and gaining the marble stairway through the ground floor. Thus there was no occasion for the guard of honor to render them military honors, which were reserved for the Allied representatives. Dismounted guardsmen with drawn saber, who lined the marble staircase and the Queen's apartments when the Allied delegates passed, remained in their places, however, for the entry of the Germans.

The setting of the Hall of Mirrors, a long, narrow gallery, 240 feet from end to end, with high arched ceiling, adorned with allegorical and historical paintings by Lebrun and Bright, with the light reflected from the mirrors, which match the almost uninterrupted array of windows forming the opposite side of the apartment, gave a tone of impressive state which would otherwise have been rather lacking in the assemblage of delegates, who were clad as for ordinary gatherings in frocked coats and cutaways.

The German delegation which signed the peace treaty arrived here at 9 a. m. It consisted of Foreign Minister Herman Mueller and Colonial Minister Johanes Bell. They were accompanied by a small staff of secretaries.

Ceremony Lasts Long.

Big crowds were in the streets at an early hour.

Every preparation was complete for the ceremony in the palace at 3 p. m. It was expected to last at least three hours. In addition to the treaty proper, the convention governing administration of the left bank of the Rhine and the protocol of June 21, interpreting the provisions, were signed.

The Germans expressed fear the treaty to be signed might contain variations from the original, it was learned. Secretary Dutasta of the peace conference thereupon delivered to Secretary von Haniel of the German delegation a letter signed by Premier Georges Clemenceau, guaranteeing the copy signed would not vary from the text handed to Count Brockdorff-Rantzau, former head of the German commission.

German Threats Met.

German threats not to live up to the treaty stipulations regarding the eastern boundary have been met by the Big Three with instructions to the supreme war council to take up consideration of the problem of getting munitions and war materials to the Polish army.

Colonel House, Lord Milner, Sir John Simon, Signor Terespi and Viscount Chinda have been appointed a special committee to draw up model mandatories. The question of Austrian reparations has been completed and the remainder of the Austrian treaty is expected to be presented at St. Germain on Monday.

Germans Leave by Separate Door.

The soldiers stood in the embrasures of the windows overlooking the Chateau park a few feet from their commander-in-chief, Marshal Foch, who was seated with the French delegation at the peace table.

A second change in the program was introduced as a result of the attitude taken by the German government, press and public toward the execution and binding validity of the treaty. The German plenipotentiaries, instead of being regarded from the moment of the signature as representatives of a formerly friendly power with which diplomatic relations had been renewed, left the hall after the signature separately, by the door through which they entered, not joining the general procession of delegates to the terrace of the chateau to watch the playing of the great fountain of Versailles. For them peace was regarded as concluded from the moment of German ratification, since the German government had announced it would sign the treaty only under protest and German political leaders had declared their intention to work to undermine the provisions of the treaty.

Place Resembles Picture.

All the day before workmen and officials were busy in the chateau putting the finishing touches. The peace table, a huge, hollow rectangle, had its open side facing the windows and its tawney yellow coverings blending with the rich browns, blues and yellows of the antique hangings of the room and the rugs covering the dais. The mellow tints of the historical paintings on the arched roof of the long hall completed the picture.

Charged With Kidnapping.

Kansas City, June 29.—Charging that they were kidnapped and deported from the United States for service in the Serbian army, when they had registered for service in the United States army, 15 Croatians have brot suit in the Wyandotte county, Kan., court for $5,000 damages each against police, members of draft board No 1, Mayor H. A. Mendenhall of Kansas City, Kan., W. A. Gordon, chief of which the mayor was chairman, and officers of the police department.

Pulpit 300 Feet in Air.

Columbus, Ohio, June 29.—From a height of 300 feet above an immense crowd at the Methodist centenary celebration here, Dr. Edward Soper delivered a sermon through a megaphone from the decks of the big army dirigible A4, which came here from Akron under command of Major Clarence Maranville. Dr Soper's voice could be distinctly heard. The sermon was about 800 words in length. Former President Taft was principal Sunday School day speaker.

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You Know 'Em, Too.

"It's funny how we hate to face realities. I knew a commuter once who rode into town every day on the 8:13. But he used to call it the 7:73. He said it made him feel more virtuous."—From "The Haunted Bookshop," by Christopher Morley, in the Bookman.

And then there's the chap who sets his clock half an hour ahead at night, so he can turn over in the morning and get an extra nap.

Playing Safe.

Robson—Why are you offering such a thumping big reward for that wretched-looking cat of your wife's?

Dobson—Only to please the wife, old chap.

Robson—But such a big reward will certainly bring the brute back, and then you'll look jolly sick.

Dobson—Don't worry, my boy. The beast won't come back. You see, I drowned it myself.—Boston Post.

Especially Sense of Harmony.

"My wife doesn't sing any more."

"Did she lose her voice?"

"No; she found her senses."

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"What sort of a place is it?"

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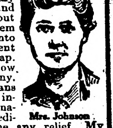
Acts Up to His Name, Also.

"Meanleigh is quiet enough ordinarily, but somehow collectors for charitable purposes dread to go near him."

"I guess he acts like a bear then because he's foxy."

You can purchase a man's labor, but you've got to cultivate his good-will.

The leaf of the pineapple plant can be wrought into a serviceable cloth.



Couldn't Move
In Bed Twelve Weeks From Rheumatic Trouble. Now Praises Doan's.

"For twelve weeks I lay abed, unable to move a muscle," says Mrs. Gust Johnson, 654 E. Seventh St., Red Wing, Minn.

"The pains that shot through my entire body seemed more than any human being could stand. My hands and arms and lower limbs were put in splints to stop them from twisting into knots. Every ligament seemed ready to snap. I can't understand how I endured such agony.

"Several physicians agreed that I had inflammatory rheumatism, but their medicine didn't give me any relief. My folks wanted to take me to a hospital, but I would not let them. The doctors said that nothing could be done for me.

"I had been an invalid now for two years, before I finally decided to resort to *Doan's Kidney Pills*. I used twelve boxes and they surely did prove their wonderful merit. It is a year since, and I have enjoyed the best health of all my life. I weigh nearly 170 pounds and am like a different person in every respect. I shall always praise *Doan's Kidney Pills*."

Mrs. Johnson

Sworn to before me.
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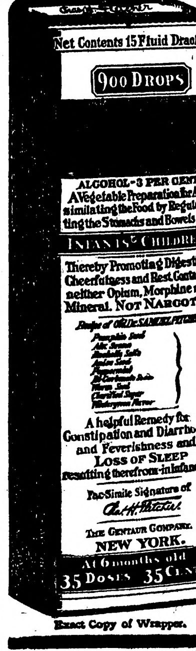

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WESTERN CANADA Farm Lands at Low Prices The Wheat Belt of America

Services at Mission church Sunday July 6th at 11 o'clock by Rev. Myhrer.

Walmer Riesberg went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to have dental work done.

Jacob Nelson returned to Angus Monday after several days visit with relatives here.

Dr. Mellby was a professional visitor at the H. Peterson home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kolden and baby went to Middle River Sunday to visit at the Olberg home.

Mrs. Spokley and two daughters returned Wednesday from visiting at their former home in Climax.

Every one ought to save money now that letters can be mailed for two cents each and the country has gone dry.

Mr. and Mrs. Gotfred Adolph of Thief River Falls came Saturday to visit at the Fred Steinhauer home for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Gutrude, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Amundson and Mrs. J. Stensrude of T. R. Falls were Sunday guests at the J. E. Erickson home.

Soldiers needing legal advice are invited to write to the Home Service section of the Red Cross, who will see to it that they get the special privileges granted to them by the government.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will hold a bazaar in the near future and all those who wish to contribute articles for it, are invited to do so. Please leave all articles with the president, Mrs. C. W. Christianson.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn., has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property. Write him.

INVENTING ZERO-PROOF WHEAT FOR MINNESOTA

By crossing Turkey and Odessa wheats the Minnesota experiment station at University farm has obtained results which give most promise of a winter wheat which will withstand Minnesota's sub-zero temperatures. This wheat—Minnesota No. 1505—at University farm from 1916 to 1918, and at the Waseca experiment station in 1918, gave an average yield of 39.1 bushels to the acre, with an average winter injury of only 29 per cent.

Compared with some of the other wheats which have showed winter injury amounting to as high as 73 per cent the result with this Turkey-Odessa cross have been highly satisfactory. This wheat is an awnless wheat with a short head and white chaff. The seeds are similar in shape to the common fife spring wheat, altho somewhat softer.

These results are announced in Minnesota experiment station bulletin 182, Breeding Small Grain in Minnesota, by H. K. Hayes and R. J. Garber, of the division of agronomy and farm management. The bulletin announces that the experiment station have decided to increase and to distribute two crosses between Turkey and Odessa. These wheats have been named Minhardi, Minn. 1505, and Minturki, Minn., 1507, but no seed will be available before the fall of 1920 and possibly not then if the conditions should not be favorable.

625 GRADUATED BY UNIVERSITY

The University of Minnesota graduated 625 Thursday, June 19. Sixty of these were graduates of the college of agriculture, forestry and home economics. This is the smallest class graduated since 1910. The difference largely due to the drain upon the student body by the war.

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Financial Statement

Holt Red Cross Auxiliary

Mar. 25	Balance on hand	$127.27
April 22	Red Cross Credit	12.50
May 19	Rec'd contributions from school children towards flowers fund for Mr. Engebretsen	3.15
June 5	Rec'd 1-2 proceeds Memorial Day lunch	10.79
	Total	$153.71
May 10	Paid for flowers for Mrs. Racine Olson	$8.73
April 22	Pd for flowers for N. Engebretsen funeral	8.50
April 8	Pd for flowers for Miss Sovde, at hospital	1.50
May 27	Pd expenses two delegates to Warren	9.58
May 31	Paid A. Carlson merchandise charity work	9.91
June 2	Pd Sovde & Oien supplies Memorial Day	11.00
June 10	Pd R. Reierson sugar for Memorial Day	93
May 31	Pd C. H. Gunheim, merchandise, charity	6.18
May 31	Pd for butter for Memorial Day lunches	1.12
May 31	Pd Middle River Band for Memorial Day	10.03
May 31	Pd for flags for Memorial Day	4.50
May 24	Pd postage on invitations to soldiers	.90
May 31	Pd postage and express	1.00
June 10	Pd for flowers for Memorial Day	6.00
June 10	Pd R. L. Adams carpenter, Memorial Day	2.50
	Total amount paid out	$86.45
June 18	Balance on hand	$67.26
	Total	$153.71

Martha M. Peterson, Treasurer

Financial Statement Little Citizen's League

HOLT PUBLIC SCHOOL

Feb 3	Rec'd from box social	$100.00
May 24	Rec'd from Novelty social	31.90
June 5	Rec'd 1-2 proceeds Memorial Day lunch	10.79
June 15	Rec'd from Home Talent Play Company	30.47
	Total	$173.16
Feb 2	Paid Roosevelt Memorial buttons for pupils	$5.05
Feb 10	Pd school clock & one half teachers desk	20.00
Feb 10	Pd on piano 60.00, flags 430, amounting to	64.30
Feb 15	Victrola needles and records	4.70
June 14	Pd expenses for school and league as follows: bal Jr Red Cross fee 2.98, Health Journal 25c 14 copies of "As Twig is Bent" 3.85, L C L fee 25, 4 Health leaflets 50c, 3 lbs popcorn 75c 3 pounds of coffee for socials 1.05, total amt pd	9.64
June 14	Pd balance on piano	65.00
June 14	Pd school expenses as follows: 4 locks for manual training benches 1.28, red ink for exams 10c, invoice ledger 30, library glue 10c postage on examination papers 75c, postage on reports to parents 50c Total	3.08
June 14	Pd R. L. Adams for carpenter work, (play)	1.44
	Total	$173.16

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in payment of the sum of One Hundred Twenty-seven and 55-100—Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain martgage, duly executed and delivered by Mary Faulkner, a single woman, Mortgagor, to Lester E. Gesell, Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1915, and with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of January, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Book 79 of Mortgages on page 315.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Lester E. Gesell, Mortgagee, to Nathan K. Harris by written assignment dated the 11th day of April, 1916, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 5th day of June, 1919, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Book 94 of Mortgages, on page 456, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Warren in said County and State, on the 28th day of July, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Hundred Twenty-seven and 55-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale as provided by law.

Dated June 9, 1919.

Nathan K. Harris,
Assignee of Mortgagee

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Assignee of
Mortgagee.

MORTGAGE FORCLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Louis Olson, a single man, mortgagor, to Martin V. Evenson, mortgagee, dated March 23rd, 1915, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on March 29th, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock A. M., in Book 74 of mortgages, on page 580 thereof; that such default consists in the failure to pay the installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1918, and another installment of eighteen dollars ($18.00) which fell due on said mortgage March 23rd, 1919, and interest thereon, and the mortgagee has elected to declare, and has declared, the whole amount secured by said mortgage principal and interest, due and payable in accordance with the terms thereof; that the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at this date is fifty-five dollars and eighty cents ($55.80); that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are Lots three (3) and four (4), and the South half (S½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section two (2), in Township one hundred and fifty-seven (157), North of Range thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, situated in Marshall County, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Marshall County, Minnesota, at the West front door of the Marshall County Court House in the City of Warren in said Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 7th day of July A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including taxes if any have been paid by the mortgagee, together with the cost of such sale and twenty-five dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated May 20th, 1919.

MARTIN V. EVENSON,
Mortgagee.

THEO. QUALE
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

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Notice

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Notice.

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War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., June 10, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Ole Ingebrigtsli, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Sept. 11th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08457, for NE 1-4 Section 27, Township 156 N., Range 41 West, 5th. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 15th day of July, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Carl Dahl, Axel Benson, William Helland and Rudolph Dahl, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal,
711 Register.

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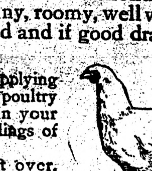

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Local Items

Dr. Turley, the dentist, will be here next Monday, July 14th.

John Sorum and Carl Oien autoed to Warren Tuesday on business.

Miss Betty Johnson went to T. R. Falls Monday to attend summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hoffman and family autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday.

J. L. Hirsch went to Amherst, S. D. last Thursday to visit his family for a few days.

Olaf and Carl Johnson and Olaf Halvorson autoed to Warren Monday on business.

Mrs. Theo Sorum returned home Wednesday from a visit with her [illegible]

[illegible] visited J. E. Erickson and family Saturday and Sunday.

L. Fisk returned home Monday evening from a few days visit with relatives at Cass Lake.

Sam Mickelson came home from Warren last week Thursday to spend the "Fourth" with his family.

Mrs. Gust Momberg and Mrs. Emil Johnson and son came Friday to visit at the home of Erick Johnson.

B. Docken and family leave to-morrow for Leach Lake where they will spend their summer vacation.

C. S. Holgren arrived from New Richland last week at the J. E. Erickson home where he will stay for the rest of the summer.

Miss Ruth Knutson who has been visiting relatives at Gary for some time, returned home Monday, accompanied by her nephew, Kermit Bagne.

Mrs. Abe Sorter, of Wanaska, was called here Monday on account of the sickness of her boys, both of whom are at the Gunder Sorter home, sick with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pavek and children returned to their home at Gardena, No. Dak., Saturday after a pleasant visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg.

Miss Agnes Bakke visited her sister, Mrs. B. Docken, between trains, Saturday. Miss Bakke is employed at bookkeeping in Fargo and is much pleased with her position.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson came Saturday from T. R. Falls for an over Sunday visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Furr. Mr. Johnson has recently returned from Camp Grant, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson and daughter Emma attended a wedding reception near Viking Sunday, given in honor of their niece, Miss Rakel Ueland and Mr. Hanson who had just returned from their wedding trip.

Army and Navy News

Oscar Anderson returned home Wednesday from Philadelphia having received his discharge from the navy.

Frank Anderson came up from Climax last week Thursday to visit friends. Mr. Anderson recently returned from France where he was in the service for eight months and had some pretty narrow escapes from being killed or wounded.

Mrs. J. Nelson received a telegram Monday stating her son, Bently, had just arrived in New York, that he was going to Camp Mills and expected to be home soon all of which is good news for the family and friends of Mr. Nelson.

Albert Larson who belonged to the 54th regiment Co. G., received his discharge and returned home from Camp Grant, Monday. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Mat Larson and their many friends will join them in welcoming the young man home again.

The Flood Waters

The flood waters in all the country east of the Thief River is the worst it has been for many years. In many places the bridges, culverts and grades are being washed out, the fields and pastures are flooded and how the stock is being kept alive is a mystery. It is reported some stock has been drowned, but it is impossible to get all the particulars at this time. Some of the farmers have sold a part or all of their stock, as they have no place to keep them. Many of them either have moved out or will be compelled to do so, if the waters keep on raising.

The mail service to Golden Valley has been somewhat irregular and the wonder is that the carrier has been able to get thru at all as the only guide to the road is the willows on each side of it. The bridges and culverts are unsafe and if still in place no one knows how long they will be there. But the Mud Lake country don't seem to be any worse off than the country surrounding it as it is all one great big lake now.

The water is backing up on the west side of the river, many farmers will loose a part of all of their crops there also.

All the farmers in the flooded country are heavy loosers and some will loose all their worldly goods. Added to this, will be the shortage of all kind of feed and pasture for livestock. Under the circumstances, it would seem that the state should give some financial aid to these people.

Rev. Ordahl assisted by several young men have been making some boats and getting lumber out to others for boats and doing what they could to help the flood sufferers.

Perhaps this is not the time to criticise, but never the less the ditch system is at fault and should be corrected as soon as possible to relieve the danger of another flood.

Prof. Alway says there will not be any visiting day at the Golden Valley experimental peat farm this year on account of their crop being flooded by the high waters.

Carl Johnson and Olaf Halvorson attended church Sunday and when they started to go back to their dredge camp several miles east from Steiner they were oblieged to turn back on account of the high waters which were not there in the morning.

Miss Hanson was a Thief River Falls visitor Monday.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Revs. Myhrer and Strom will hold services at 3 o'clock next Sunday at Mrs. Gronvold's place, 7 miles northeast of Holt. Everybody invitied.

Children's meeting at 7 o'clock next Sunday evening in the church and young people's meeting at 8 o'clock the some evening. Everybody invited.

Death of Mildred Engebretsen

Mildred, the eldest daughter of Mrs. Carl Engebretsen, died at a little past 10 o'clock Wednesday night. Death was due to heart disease and complications following the flu.

The little girl would have been eight years old the 29th of this month and never has been very strong.

The funeral will be held at the Mission church at 2 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. Myhrer officiating, and interment will be made by the side of the deceased's father in the Holt cemetery.

Sympathy is extended to the widowed mother and other relatives in their hour of sorrow.

For Sale Cheap

I have a 5 passenger Dodge car 1916 model, good as new, with self starter and everything in good running order. Can be bought at a bargain if taken at once.

Dr. R. L. Olson,
Holt, Minn.

Will be in Holt Monday July 14.—Dr. Turley, dentist.

Found: Child's sweater. Owner please prove property and pay for this notice.

Dr. Fisher was called Tuesday to see Mrs. Elmer Oide who was quite sick at that time.

Lost: A five dollar bill on the Chautauqua grounds. Finder please return to this office.

Want several quarters cheap land. Open preferred.—Wadsworth,
829 Grand Forks, N. D.

J. E. Erickson, daughter Annie and C. S. Holgren attended the circus at T. R. Falls the 4th.

B. Docken made a deal this week whereby he sells and trades off 720 acres of land to parties from Dakota.

C. G. Mugg, the Grand Forks Eye Man, will be here next Wednesday afternoon and Thursday forenoon.

Mrs. Elmer Odie was taken to the hospital at Thief River Falls Tuesday night for treatment. At last reports she was getting better.

For sale or trade: One 35 horse power Buick auto. Will trade for young horses or cattle.

Casper J. Dale,
Holt, Minn., Star Route.

Chas. McLean has finished the well he has been drilling for T. E. Ellestead. It is a 120 feet deep and has a good strong vein with a good flow of water.

A number of our people took in the circus at Thief River Falls last week. That is the usual way of stating it, but some thot they got "took in by the circus."

For Sale: A 15x30 Minneapolis gas tractor, used only two years. Will sell cheap for cash or trade for land. See Andrew Ness, Thief River Falls, or R. Reierson, Holt.

Postmaster Converse of Goodridge has purchased the material of the printing plant in that village and will soon start a paper there according to last weeks. Grygla Eagle.

Mr. and Mrs. Schyenke, Edward Schyenke and Roy Langewan visited at C. Hoffman's Sunday.

Mrs. Strom and granddaughter, Alpha, returned Monday from a few days visit with relatives at Thief River Falls.

J. E. Erickson and daughter Annie and C. S. Holgren autoed to T. R. Falls Sunday and visited at the Tom Jacobson home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Flattum, Roy Flattum, Mrs. Overland and son Gordon of Thief River Falls, visited at the C. Hoffman home Sunday afternoon.

Albert Cairns, auditor of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., was here between trains Wednesday to look after the building operations on their new elevator.

Big bowery dance at the Ed O-Hara place, one mile south and two miles west of Holt, Saturday night July 12th. Music by four piece orchestra. Everybody welcome.

There is a report charge on all telephone calls dating back to June 17th. That is if your party is'nt in, or even out of town, and you fail to talk to them later that day, the telephone company makes a charge for the call, from 10c and up, according to distance.

The work on the new buildings in town is being pushed as rapidly as possibly. D. B. Bakke's house is enclosed and the workmen are now doing some inside work. The cribbing of the Red Lake elevator will undoubtedly be finished this week and the frame work is up for the ware- and flour house.

Mrs. Helland and son Willie of Mud Lake and Mrs. Nelson and daughter Ruth of T. R. Falls visited at J. E. Erickson's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arness and family of Fork were Sunday visitors at the Gunheim home.

Martin O. Nelson, who has been working at Milton, N. D., came Saturday to visit old friends and neighbors.

Mrs. George Fitch and little son departed last week Thursday for Sioux City, Iowa, where her husband has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Walberg Anderson and daughters retured to Minneapolis Saturday after a few days visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson and little son started out Friday by auto for Minneapolis but not finding the regular route passable tried to go by the way of Oklee, but were obliged to turn back, reaching home that night. The next day they went to Newfolden and took the "Soo flyer" for the city where they will visit relatives for a couple of weeks.

PISO'S

As long as you can remember Piso's has been the favorite relief for coughs and colds. Since '64, mothers have kept Piso's handy in the home and used it to prevent little coughs and colds from growing big.

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The knitting frame was invented in 1589 by William Lee, a graduate of Cambridge university and a native of Woodborough, near Nottingham, England. So perfect was the invention in every detail that to this day the essential feaures of the machine continue in use for the class of work to which Lee applied it.

Ed Amundson of Roseau came Tuesday to work for Geo. Lee for a few weeks.

Miss Emma Olson visited the L. Roseland home a couple of days the past week.

The second Liberty Bond payment of 10 per cent is due Tuesday July 15th, and payable at the bank.

Miss Clara Svenson of Badger came Monday to visit at the homes of Gunder Sorter and John and Martin Udstrand.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tverstol of near Grgyla and Mrs. Pederson of Crookson visited at the J. E. Erickson home last week.

Miss Othelia Lee of near Holt came Monday from Badger where she has been visiting her sister Mrs. Huglen for several weeks.

Shipping tags for sale at this office.

The Free Mission young peoples' society will hold a meeting at the church at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening, assisted by their pastor. Rev. Myhrer.

Dr. Newell has been appointed government agent for this territory, to test cattle for tuberculosis. In case it is necessary to kill the stock the government makes the farmer a small allowance for them.

Hans O. Chommie's professional card is now running in our paper. Mr. Chommie is well known to our people and they are glad to know he has decided to locate in Thief River Falls again. We wish him success.

For Sale Cheap

An eleven months old ram for sale cheap, or will trade for another one.

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The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 31
Wheat No. 2	2 25
Wheat No. 3	2 20
Wheat No. 4	2 16
Flax	5 54
Oats	59
Barley	84 to 96
Rye	1 32
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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

Personal

James K. Hackett, the actor, sustained a compound fracture of the left leg above the ankle at Brockville, Ont., when he slipped on the wet floor of a bathroom.

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Washington

The Mexican government has committed an overt act of confiscation in preventing American oil well drillers working on lands owned by American individuals or companies by sending soldiers into the fields and driving away the workmen, state department officials at Washington said.

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Without a record vote the house at Washington passed the army appropriation bill, carrying a total of $764,000,000.

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Demobilization will be completed by August 1, in the opinion of army officials at Washington. The final decision in the matter, they say, will rest with the general staff of the army and not with the department of justice.

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After protracted discussion, the house at Washington adopted the conference report on the $604,000,000 sundry civil appropriation bill without opposition. The report is yet to be approved by the senate.

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Attorney General Palmer announced at Washington that as long as the wartime prohibition law remains in force it must be obeyed, and that the department of justice would do its utmost "to perform the duty which the congress has placed upon it" in enforcing the law.

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Reductions of appropriations aggregating $200,000,000 were made in the sundry civil bill by senate and house conferees at Washington. The principal cut was in the shipping board's construction fund.

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Washington official reports say 18 American soldiers were killed, one officer and eight men severely wounded, and 16 slightly wounded in an engagement with anti-Kolchak troops near Roumanovka on June 25.

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President Wilson, en route home from Europe on board the U. S. S. George Washington, signed the Indian appropriation bill and the railroad deficiency bill.

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Two more measures aimed at anarchists, bomb throwers and other enemies of law and order were included by the senate in the sundry civil appropriation bill at Washington.

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Dr. Edwin C. Dinwiddie, legislative superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league at Washington, declared that the dry forces look to the department of justice to carry out the enforcement of the war prohibition act.

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Foreign

The former crown prince, according to a wireless press dispatch from Amsterdam, has renewed his lease on the parsonage of Wieringen for another three months.

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Anti-bolshevik forces are advancing against Kursk, 250 miles south of Moscow, and Voronezh, hoping to find a way to Moscow, according to a Russian wireless message received at London.

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A London dispatch says Hamburg, which has been in the possession of Spartacans and communists for a week, was occupied at five o'clock Tuesday morning by the government troops. There was no fighting.

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One hundred and twenty persons are estimated to have been killed in and near Vicchio, the center of an earthquake, Sunday, in the Florence district, according to the Rome Tempo.

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The army of Kuban Cossacks operating in the bend of the Don river, has captured 4,000 bolsheviki and ten guns. The Don Cossacks have captured 1,500 prisoners and three trains, according to an Ekaterinodar dispatch.

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Italian and Serbian troops have clashed near Dizrai, according to an unofficial report received at Paris.

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Bolshevist activities have increased in Siberia so alarmingly that additional troops are to be sent there, the Tokyo war office announced.

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It is reported from Prangins, where former Emperor Charles of Austria is staying, that his health is causing anxiety. He has not left the house for a week. He is attended by a Swiss doctor.

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Two French civilians were killed and five American soldiers and sailors were injured severely and more than a hundred wounded in riots at Brest Sunday night. Two of the American soldiers are expected to die.

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A Berlin dispatch says Dr. Theobald von Bethmann-Hollweg, former German chancellor, has formally asked the allied and associated powers to place him on trial instead of the former emperor. The former chancellor says that he assumes responsibility for the acts of Germany during his period of office and places himself at the disposal of the allies.

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Greek re-enforcements have been sent to Smyrna to aid the Greeks who have been attacked by strong Turkish forces, according to advices received at Paris.

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Peace Notes

A Paris dispatch says assurance of good faith in signing the treaty was given by Doctor Mueller and Doctor Bell, the German plenipotentiaries. At the same time they expressed the hope that the terms would be modified later.

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President Wilson, the treaty with Germany signed, sailed from Brest on his return to the United States. The U. S. S. George Washington, carrying the presidential party, steamed from the harbor at 2:20 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

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The peace treaty has been signed. The world war, which for more than four years ravaged the greater part of Europe, was ended officially at 3:45 o'clock Saturday when cannon boomed, announcing that the last plenipotentiary to the conference had affixed his signature to the peace treaty. The delegates, in addition to signing the world peace treaty, also affixed their signature to the Rhine protocol and the Polish undertaking.

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The peace treaty was taken from Versailles to Paris and deposited at the protocol office.

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The Franco-American convention was signed on behalf of the two governments, according to Paris newspapers. It is said that the covenant includes several articles and specifies that violations of the peace treaty by Germany will give France the right to request American and British assistance.

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Domestic

The big navy dirigible C-8, commanded by Lieut. N. J. Learned with a crew of six men and two passengers bound from Cape May, N. J., to Washington, exploded with terrific force just after landing at Camp Holabird, near Baltimore, Md., at 12.30 to adjust rudder trouble. Seventy-five persons, mostly women and children, were burned or otherwise injured.

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Ten persons were killed and more than a score were injured in a rear-end collision between New York Central Train No. 7, known as the Westerner, and the second section of train No. 11 at Dunkirk, N. Y.

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There were 27 officers and 708 enlisted men on the steamer Steigerwald when it sailed from Archangel on June 27 for Brest with the last of the American forces in northern Russia.

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While the street mobs were howling their good-by to John Barleycorn in Chicago members of the city council were passing an ordinance authorizing the issuance of 50-day licenses for the sale of 2¾ per cent beer and also wines. Edward J. Brundage, attorney general of Illinois, issued a statement to the effect that the sale of beer and wine will be legal, so far as the state laws are concerned, until national statutory prohibition becomes effective next January 16.

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Governor Lowden at Springfield, Ill., vetoed the boxing bill. He held it is unconstitutional.

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Dr. Walter Keene Wilkins, under sentence of death for the murder of his wife, hanged himself in the jail at Mineola, N. Y. He was alive when discovered by keepers, but died shortly after six o'clock in the evening.

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Three-fourths of the business district and two blocks of residences in Rickardton, Stark county, North Dakota, were wiped out by fire.

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Trailed for ten days through southern Mississippi by posses which included several hundred members of his own race, John Hartfield, negro, confessed assailant of an Ellisville (Miss.) young woman, was captured, desperately wounded, in a canebrake, rushed by automobile to the scene of his crime, hanged to a gum tree and burned to ashes. His victim identified him and witnessed his execution.

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Losses ranging from $800,000 to $1,000,000 resulted from a fire which completely destroyed the plant of the Armour Fertilizer company at Baltimore.

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Calls for harvesters aggregating 10,000 have been received at the United States employment bureau at Topeka, Kan.

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Tons of bolshevist and Socialist literature were seized in a raid on the foreign quarters of Montreal conducted by 130 patrolmen under the direction of Chief of Police Belanger.

CHARGES MADE AGAINST WILSON

House Committee Alleged That "Secret Regime" Rules United States.

TOOK BROAD POWERS

Congressional Investigators Censure Formation of Council of Defense, Even Charging That Law Was Violated.

Washington, July 8.—Charges that President Wilson organized the Council of National Defense before war was declared, in absolute violation of law, and thereby created a "secret government of the United States," which formulated war legislation, dictated policies the country was to pursue and befriended "big business," were made by Chairman W. J. Graham of the special house committee investigating war department expenditures.

Minutes of the council were read to the committee by Mr. Graham, together with a report in which he asserted the council assumed such broad powers that Major General G. W. Goethals, former chief of the purchase, storage and traffic division of the war department, defied it; cabinet members protested against its activities and Judge E. H. Gary, chairman of the board of the United States Steel corporation, accused it of operating in "flagrant violation of the law."

Intent of Law Declared Ignored.

Mr. Graham declared the president created the "secret government" by ignoring and reversing the intent of congress in authorizing the establishment of a Council of National Defense in August, 1916. As authorized by congress, he said, the council was to be composed of six members of the cabinet, who were to be the real executives, and seven civilians to be selected by the president, who were to act in a purely advisory capacity. Instead of doing this, Mr. Graham said, the president made the advisory commission the real executives, "clothing them with unprecedented and almost illimitable powers."

"Behind closed doors weeks and even months before war was declared," he said, "these seven men designed practically every war measure which congress subsequently enacted. They devised the entire system of purchasing war supplies, planned a press censorship, designed a system of food control and selected Herbert Hoover as director, even determining on the daylight saving scheme."

TO TELL SENATE THURSDAY

Will Present Treaty and Covenant at That Time.

Washington, July 8.—President Wilson will present the League of Nations covenant and the peace treaty to an open session of the senate alone at 12:15 p. m., Thursday, it was announced at the White House. There has been some talk of his addressing a joint session of the house and senate, but this will not be done. The senate and not the house has power to ratify the treaty.

BILL WOULD AFFECT ALIENS

Proposed Measure to Deport Certain Undesirables.

Washington, July 8.—The house committee on immigration has completed a bill providing for the deportation of aliens who evaded the draft, who preach or practise bomb throwing, destruction of private property, overthrow of the government or terrorism, who are now interned or who have been convicted of violation of war statutes.

BRITAIN WOULD TAKE THIBET

Would Attach It to India Says Japanese Paper.

Washington, July 8.—A Japanese paper reports Great Britain is getting ready to annex Thibet to India. Japanese interests with investments in China have demanded the exclusion of Mongolia and Manchuria from the new concertium for financing China, in which Chicago bankers are interested.

WOMEN'S GOOD WORK IN WAR

Volunteers Produced Millions of Articles for Army.

Washington, July 8.—The Red Cross reports that American womanhood's part in winning the war is graphically shown by the fact that 8,000,000 volunteer women war workers produced 354,868,855 articles for the armies valued at $81,449,997.

Postmen Want More Pay.

Hutchinson, Kan., July 8.—The state convention of the Letter Carriers association of Kansas, adjourned here after demanding an increase of salary to a minimum of $1,800 a year, an annual vacation of 30 days, time and a half for overtime, and double pay for Sunday and holidays. Demands to this effect will be submitted to the Federal government. The convention also declared for a court of appeals to which employes in the postal service can appeal dismissal cases.

WILLARD BEATEN IN THREE ROUNDS

Dempsey Sails Into Champion Like Wildcat From First Sound of the Gong.

BADLY BATTERS JESS

Jack Floors His Big Antagonist Five Times in First Round and the Bell Probably Saved Him From Knockout.

Toledo, July 7.—Jack Dempsey is the new ring champion of the world.

In the Bayview arena here before 40,000 people, Dempsey won the heavyweight pugilistic title from Jess Willard in just three rounds of murderous fighting. Willard, spouting blood, with one eye entirely closed, sat helpless in his corner as his seconds tossed the sponge into the center of the ring. He was utterly unable to respond.

ROUND ONE.

Willard Downed Five Times.

Willard loomed up like a Goliath against his five-inch shorter David, and opened the engagement by pumping his long left twice into Dempsey's face with force enough to make the latter blink. The challenger missed a swing, and slipping into a clinch landed three body blows with his free left hand carrying but little force. Willard held him easily in a clinch and partly turning him around, used his rapier-like left again, once to the head and once to the body after the break.

Then Dempsey, as if he had got the range, opened his heavy artillery and swung a jarring left to the jaw, followed by a right and left to the body. The almost superhuman power of the punches immediately was apparent. A partly silly, partly stupid expression overspread the champion's face, and as he rocked on his heels his whole body quivered. He pulled himself together and, as Dempsey crowded in again, shot a left to the mouth and repeated to the eye.

The blows did not even cause his youthful nemesis to hesitate, and dodging past the outstretched left as it snapped for the third time, he whipped over a right and left almost simultaneously, the blows landing flush on Willard's jaw, and for the first time in his championship career Willard was dropped to the floor. He was up again at the count of six, only to be sent to the canvas with another right as he rose slowly to his feet. The blood began to pour from his mouth. He turned away from his opponent, who struck again twice with his right, Willard falling on his hands and knees. When he arose Dempsey crowded him into a corner, and with a right and left to the face sent him to the floor again. As he arose a fusillade of body blows dropped him in a corner where he sat when the bell terminated the round, and led Dempsey to believe that Willard has been counted out.

ROUND TWO.

Ex-Champion's Face Battered.

Dempsey started where he left off, and Willard, with a big cut under his eye appeared to be in a bad way. He managed to snap a left to Dempsey's face and a puny right uppercut to the chin. Dempsey replied with several body drives and Willard fell partly through the ropes. When he regained his feet he stumbled into a clinch, but Dempsey easily tore loose and proceeded to batter him almost at will, the champion retaliating with but three feeble stabs to the face during the melee.

THIRD ROUND.

Willard Quits.

The final session was simply a series of rapid fire swings which fell on Willard's face and body with pile driving power which left Willard completely helpless. He staggered about the ring and wobbled along the ropes utterly unable to defend himself. Blood bubbled from his mouth with every gasp for breath, while the crowd about the ringside began to yell to Referee Pecord to stop it. Just as the bell rang and Willard collapsed in his chair he spat out a tooth and it was seen that he was in bad condition. As he sat lolling from side to side, his chief second, Walter Monahan, talked earnestly to him and when Willard nodded his head Monahan walked over and spoke to Referee Pecord. The referee threw up his hands and hurried to Dempsey's corner. He gesticulated in the uproar, and finally pulled Dempsey toward the center of the ring before the new champion realized that Willard's second had thrown up the sponge. As soon as he grasped the situation he started for Willard's corner and the late title holder arose and stepped weakly to meet him. They shook hands and Willard muttered something in reply to Dempsey's remarks, and the fight had passed into history.

Thompson Is Appointed.

Spokane, Wash., July 7.—Sergeant George Thompson, boxing instructor at Camp Lewis and recently appointed district boxing instructor for the army in the northeast, has reported to Fort George Wright to take charge of boxing work at the local army post.

Strike at Toronto Settled.

Toronto, Ont., July 7.—The street railway strike, in progress here about 10 days, has been settled and service was resumed.

SAFELY CROSSES ATLANTIC OCEAN

Giant British Dirigible Lands at Mineola, N. Y., After an Exciting Air Trip.

NEARLY OUT OF FUEL

Lighter Than Air Machine Makes Trip From Scotland to United States Without a Halt in 108 Hours and 12 Minutes.

Mineola, N. Y., July 8.—The R34 was torn from its mooring rope by a violent gust of wind. The cross girder to which the rope was attached broke under the strain, ripping a hole six feet by three feet in the gas bag. The giant dirigible was saved from being blown away by 300 men who seized ropes hanging from its sides and held it down with great difficulty.

Mineola, N. Y., July 8.—Lieutenant Colonel Frederick W. Lucas of the Royal Air Force, in charge of the landing arrangements of the R34, denied there had been any change of plans for the departure of the big British dirigible. He said the overseas start postively would not be made before Tuesday.

Mineola, N. Y., July 8.—Great Britain's super-dirigible, the R-34, the first lighter-than-air machine to cross the Atlantic ocean, anchored here at Roosevelt flying field after an aerial voyage of 108 hours and 12 minutes, which covered 3,130 knots or approximately 3,600 land miles.

Passing through dense banks of clouds, with the sun and sea visible only at rare intervals, the R-34 was forced to cruise 2,050 knots to reach Trinity Bay, N. F., from East Fortune, Scotland, and 1,080 knots from there to Mineola.

When the super-airship arrived here she had left only enough petrol to keep her moving 90 minutes longer. Her crew, almost sleepless for four and a half days, was weary almost to the point of exhaustion, but happy at the successful completion of an epoch-making trip. The return voyage will be started Tuesday at 8 a. m.

Crew Haggard From Vigil.

Haggard, unshaven, their eyes bloodshot from the long vigil and lines of care bitten deep into their faces, Maj. G. H. Scott, the commander, and his officers showed plainly the effects of the anxious hours through which they lived, while they were cruising over the far reaches of Canada and the Bay of Fundy, beset by fog, heavy winds and terrific electrical storms.

"It seemed as though the atmosphere was haunted by 5,000 devils," said Lieut. Guy Harris, the meteorological officer.

With the R-34 long over-due at its destination, petrol supply running low, and buffeted by strong head winds Major Scott decided, while over the Bay of Fundy, to send a wireless call to the American Navy department to prepare to give assistance if it were needed. This was merely a measure of precaution and did not indicate discouragement.

Hoodoo Lifts.

While destroyers and submarine chasers were racing to her assistance, the R-34 was plugging steadily ahead on the way to Mineola. Once clear of the Bay of Fundy the atmospheric hoodoo, which had beset the craft from the time it took the air, was gradually left in its wake.

The R-34 headed southwest out across the Atlantic along the coast of Maine, her nose pointed for Cape Cod, with the United States destroyer Bancroft hanging on her tail and in constant wireless communication with her. The destroyer stuck in the wake of the air monster, running under forced draft until Cape Cod was reached, and then the dirigible cut across "lots."

It had been decided on the voyage along the coast that unless a favoring wind came up the R-34 would be forced to land at Montauk Point, and a wireless message was sent out making that announcement. Fortune finally favored the dirigible and the wind veered in her favor.

DRY TEST CASE IS PLANNED

Amount of Alcoholic Content to Be Basis of Suit.

Kansas City, July 8.—A test case in this district under the wartime prohibition act has been ordered instituted by Attorney General Palmer in a letter received by United States District Attorney Francis M. Wilson.

"The test case," said Mr. Wilson, "will be brought on the point that beer containing more than ½ of 1 per cent alcohol is in violation of the wartime measure regardless of whether it is intoxicating."

Swiss Would Limit Citizenship.

Berne, July 8.—The Swiss federal council has submitted to parliament a bill to make the naturalization laws more rigid. It requires that before citizenship is granted the applicant must reside in Switzerland six years.

Discharging 15,000 Daily.

Washington, July 8.—Army men are now being discharged at an average rate of 15,000 a day, a War department statement said. The grand total of discharges to date was given as ,611,416.

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Lawyer (examining his client in a divorce case)—Mr. Gothis, did your wife ever hit you with anything?

Mr. Gothis—Sure, she did, with anything!

New Clubs for Old.

First Young Lady (learning golf)—Dear me, what shall I do now? This ball is in a hole.

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First Young Lady—Oh, yes, of course. See if you can find one like a dustpan and brush.—Journal of the American Medical Association.

His Experience.

"Had any railroad experience?"

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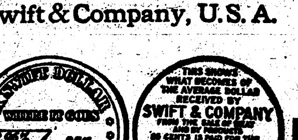
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His System of Memory.

Teacher—With whom did Achilles fight the Battle of Troy?

Pupil—Pluto.

Teacher—Wrong.

Pupil—Nero.

Teacher—Nero! How do you—

Pupil—Then it must have been Hector. I know it was one of our three dogs!

The average man lets good opportunities go while waiting for a better one.

A fly is not very tall yet it stands over six feet without shoes or stockings on.

STATE BREVITIES

International Falls.—The roads in this section are in fine condition now, with the exception of spots or short stretches.

St. Cloud.—Loretta Deering, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Deering, was quite badly injured when she ran into an auto driven by Dr. Fay Brigham.

Thief River Falls.—Hoag & Co., Minneapolis contractors, have a crew of men at Holt erecting a new elevator there to replace the one recently destroyed by fire.

Thief River Falls.—Carl Christofferson, Robert McGinn and E. O. Mogensen have been named by Mayor G. A. Penny to solicit funds for the destitute at Fergus Falls.

Brainerd.—The clerks' union and merchants of the city have generally agreed upon the new schedule of hours, providing that stores shall open at 8 a. m. and close at 6 p. m.

Stillwater.—G. W. Tolen received a telegram from G. J. McGraw of Minneapolis, announcing that it had been decided to hold the state shoot in Stillwater next year, probably at Crocus Park.

Bemidji.—The county board received one bid on $100,000 worth of county road bonds, made by W. L. Slayton, Toledo, Ohio, and he was awarded this amount of bonds. The bonds bear 5½ per cent interest.

Brainerd.—The Minneapolis Working Boys' band enjoyed its annual outing at Mille Lacs lake fishing, boating and swimming. There were sixty in the party accompanied by their leader, C. C. Heintzeman.

Litchfield.—One of the largest crowds ever in this city helped to make the Fourth here a success. A big parade and aeroplane stunts were the morning events. D. W. Lawler of St. Paul delivered an address.

Brainerd.—A feature of the Fourth celebration here was the big dinner served all returned soldiers who were present, for which no charge was made. It was an elaborate spread and in personal charge of Mrs. Tom Smart.

Hibbing.—The village council decided to accept the amended and revised Mesaba Electric railway franchise. In the new franchise the street railway company agrees not to tear up any of the old tracks and to extend the line to Alexandria street and Alice.

St. Paul.—Seven-year-old Helen Smith, daughter of Herbert Smith, was severely burned about her face and body the Fourth, when her dress caught fire while playing with firecrackers near her home. She was taken to the City hospital. Her condition may prove fatal.

Crookston.—On the Fisher road, north of the Northwest School of Agriculture, an Overland, driven by Grand Forks people, went off the road into the ditch. The car was wrecked and the passengers were injured, it is believed, for considerable blood was found around the car. The occupants, however, were picked up by cars westbound and taken to Grand Forks.

Bemidji.—Governor R. G. Pleasant and 100 Louisiana road enthusiasts and Jefferson highway supporters left New Orleans on a sociability run to Winnipeg. They will reach Bemidji July 18, and Frank S. Lycan, chairman of the Bemidji committee in charge of arrangements, is planning a reception at Birchmont in their honor. It is also planned that a delegation of Bemidji men will motor to Wadena to meet the tourists and pilot them to this city.

Minneapolis.—Fergus Falls needs $300,000 for immediate relief work and 100 workmen to help provide immediate housing for the homeless, according to Elmer E. Adams, chairman of the Fergus Falls relief committee, who conferred with Twin City men here at the office of Mayor Meyers. As a result of the conference it was decided to have a meeting to apportion the relief fund to the three large cities and to raise the money immediately.

Minneapolis.—More than 12,000 residents of Minneapolis attended the community dance on the pavement before the Minneapolis Art Institute the Fourth, bringing to a close the cooperated Fourth of July celebration. There were fifteen community celebrations in Minneapolis parks, playgrounds and other recreation centers. Sixty thousand persons, it was estimated, visited Lake Minnetonka. Thirty thousand flocked to Lake Harriet to enjoy the band concert and other attractions.

Thief River Falls.—M. R. Allen was placed on the stand by the state in the prosecution of Maurice Giller, charged with arson on Jan. 7, and recounted conversations with the accused, telling of the payment of $600 for setting the fire, part of the sum being given, he said, to one John Johnson, who is claimed to have set the fire. Allen also identified checks and drafts in payment of various shipments of clothing from the accused's store during several weeks preceding the date of the fire, the goods sold being valued at about $3,000.

Bemidji.—Instructions from the war department have been received at the army recruiting station that on account of changes in the situation in Europe, no more men will be accepted for special assignment to the American expeditionary forces. Otherwise, voluntary enlistments will continue as usual.

Detroit.—Thomas Rae, 18 years, son of Mrs. E. M. Rae, Fargo, and Robert Haggart, son of G. W. Haggart of Fargo, were rescued from drowning by Grant Hughes, son of T. D. Hughes, also of Fargo, while swimming in Detroit lake.

St. Paul.—Although a serious shortage of help exists at the Anoka state insane asylum, conditions there are wholly satisfactory, the state board of visitors announced.

Bemidji.—Bemidji had a big celebration for the Fourth. At an open-air mass meeting the principal speaker was R. E. Denfield, former superintendent of schools of Duluth. A baseball game between Bemidji and Pine River was won by the Bemidji team, 3 to 2.

St. Paul.—Tom Brown, said to live in Minneapolis, came over into the Minnesota Transfer district of St. Paul with a stock of fireworks. He fired off a few loud ones to attract customers and Motorcycle Policeman C. Haeckert arrested him for violating the ordinance. He forfeited $10 bail.

St. Paul.—Federal funds and federal crews will be used in the rescue of fish in the Mississippi river between Prescott, Wis., and the Iowa line, it is announced. The state funds will be used entirely in Minnesota waters, according to Carlos Avery. The government last year rescued 32,000,000 fish.

Crookston.—The Red Lake river, which passes through this city, raised at the rate of four inches an hour, due to the heavy rainfall in this vicinity. The rise of the river made necessary removing the animals from the park zoo, which is inundated. Considerable damage is reported from farming districts.

Winona.—Wabasha was declared the winner of the canoe race from Minneapolis to Winona. The winning team arrived in the city at 8 a. m., about four hours earlier than was predicted by followers of the event. The canoeists encountered considerable difficulty because of the rough condition of the river.

Hastings.—Hastings celebrated the Fourth with parades, a barbecue, concerts, athletic events and a big mass meeting. In the forenoon an industrial parade was followed by a public meeting in the city park, at which Mayor L. C. Hodgson of St. Paul, and L. C. Chapin, also of St. Paul, were the principal speakers.

Bemidji.—While the Fourth of July festivities were at their height, Carl Gentile, otherwise known as Carl Smith, and Peter Ausland, both about 30 years of age, became involved in a quarrel. Gentile drew a knife and slashed Ausland's neck and abdomen. Ausland is in the City hospital in a serious condition, while Gentile is being held by the police.

Moorhead.—The inquest to determine the responsibility for the crossing tragedy at Hawley, in which Peter Ness and Even O. Peterson, farmers, living near Rollag, Clay county, lost their lives when the motor truck on which they were riding was struck by the North Coast limited, was postponed, pending the return to Moorhead of Attorney Garfield Rustad.

Watertown.—Watertown's population was largely increased by crowds from Carver county and surrounding cities to celebrate the Fourth. Concerts were given by an orchestra and bands; several dancing pavilions were going and there was a program of sporting events. A feature was the baseball game between Watertown and Montrose, which was won by the former, 5 to 1.

Virginia.—The city council's ordinance committee and City Attorney George F. Shea are receiving and redrafting the city ordinance regulating traffic. Virginia is claimed to be the only municipality in the state which gives the autoist driving on avenues the preference over the men driving on the street, and is in conflict with the state law and the measure is expected to be changed.

St. Paul.—With cash totaling $6,984,522 in the treasury, Minnesota began July business and a new fiscal year in better financial condition than ever before. A 1919 law advanced the closing date of the state business year from July 31 to June 30, but totals of the volume of business for the 11-month period are greater than those for the full year preceding, according to Henry Rines, state treasurer.

St. Paul.—The state treasurer's figures for the 11 months ending June 30 showed receipts of $32,644,530, and disbursements of $33,937,823, while those for the full year preceding were $28,383,296 of receipts and $27,689,557 of disbursements. The cash on hand was greater in fact than a year ago and also at the end of the last fiscal year, the total being exclusive of more than $1,000,000 loaned to the state prison revolving fund and an advance of $250,000 to the University of Minnesota.

Winnebago.—Mrs. William Bursaw is dead and her husband badly burned as the result of the woman's attempt to light a fire in the kitchen range with a gallon can of kerosene. Mr. Bursaw sprained his ankle and was confined to his bed. During the afternoon his wife went berry picking and when she returned about 8 p. m., went about preparing the evening meal. Mr. Bursaw heard an explosion in the kitchen and a moment later his wife, with her clothing in flames, plunged into the bedroom and threw herself on the bed where her husband lay. Bursaw attempted to smother the flames and received severe burns. His wife died an hour later.

Minneapolis.—George Hidde, 6-year-old son of Mrs. Hilda Hidde, Minneapolis, was drowned in Crystal Lake, where in company with a half dozen children from the Children's Protective Society, Minneapolis, he had gone in bathing. The boy's mother is visiting in North Dakota and the boy has been staying at the institution for several weeks.

Moorhead.—A directed verdict was returned in favor of the plaintiff for $1,000, in the case of Dr. Joseph F. Carter of Fargo, vs. P. J. Kall and Sigfred Monson, in Clay county district court.

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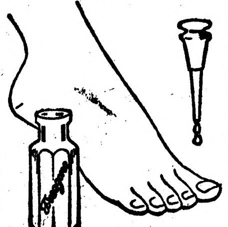

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"Lady outside wants to see you."

"I wonder if she's worth seeing?"

"She is. Blue eyes, golden hair, perfect figure. Oh, boy!"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

It is for want of application rather than of means that men fail of success.—Rochefoucauld.

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Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

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Increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, should soon disappear, dull eyes ought to brighten, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health. Miss Georgia Hamilton, who was once thin and frail, reporting her own experience, writes: "Bitro-Phosphate has brought about a magic transformation with me. I gained 15 pounds and never before felt so well."

CAUTION:—Although bitro-phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its tendency to increase weight, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.

OLD AGE STARTS WITH YOUR KIDNEYS

Science says that old age begins with weakened kidneys and digestive organs.

This being true, it is easy to believe that by keeping the kidneys and digestive organs cleansed and in proper working order old age can be deferred and life prolonged far beyond that enjoyed by the average person.

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Do not wait until old age or disease have settled down for good. At the first sign that your kidneys are not working properly, go to your druggist and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Money refunded if they do not help you. Three sizes. But remember to ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand. In sealed packages.

CENTRAL HOTEL SOLD

Sam Michelson closed a deal Monday with Hjalmer Johnson, whereby the latter becomes the owner of the Central Hotel in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson took possession of the above hotel early in May and have been so well pleased with the business that they decided to buy and save rent. We understand the price paid was $3600, including some furniture which is in the hotel at this time.

Railroad Washouts

The hard rains last week washed out all the railroad culverts between Warroad and Roseau, also a couple of them between Badger and Greenbush and 15 to 20 rods of the track between the first two towns named.

There was so much damage done that it took a couple of days to get the track in shape to use.

July 3rd the north train could not get thru and the Crookston train went as far north as possible and then came back, arriving here a little past 8 o'clock in the evening. The next day the Warroad train came south, but did not arrive here until almost nine that evening.

STEINER

J. A. Rusell did business in Thief River Falls the other day.

Benny Kilahl was a county seat caller last week.

Harvey Copp visited at his father's home Sunday.

G. W. Borden and son, Jesse, called at the Rogers home the past week.

The new barn on Swenson farm is nearing completion. This will make a fine addition to the already good set of buildings on that farm.

The John Meyer barn is ready for the finishing touches.

S. R. Rogers took a load of hay to Thief River Falls last Friday.

Arthur Simonson, took his family out Sunday afternoon in their car.

John Sterim was on our streets Sunday.

Egbert Malberg was a caller at the Russell home Sunday.

A bunch of the young bloods from around here went to Holt Sunday evening.

A very edifying service was held in the school house Sunday evening. A full house was present.

Henry Rogers did business in Thief River Falsl last week.

Louie Meyer and brother, William, attended Rosewood club meeting Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Russell attended church in Thief River Falls Sunday July 6.

J. Whittman was seen driving about in his new car Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Borden drove to Middle River July 6.

Mrs. A. Lanska attended services in Thief River Falls Sunday.

Mrs. S. R. Roger returned home Friday after visiting her relatives near Des Moines, Iowa.

Willus Warring and G. L. Leisner celebrated July 4th in Warren.

Nick Baker autoed to Holt Saturday.

Louie Meyer, Henry and Hobson Rogers attended the soldiers reunion in Warren July sixth.

Elin and William Meyer attended the circus in Thief River Falls Friday.

August and Frances Riedl were in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K[illegible] attended the revival meeting held in Thief River Falls Sunday, June 29.

Professors Alway and Selvig came Monday to look after the experimental peat farm at Golden Valley.

Constantine Hoffman has sold an eighty off his farm to John Augustine for $47.50 per acre and the former keeps the crops thereon.

Otto Olson returned home last week Thursday from Milton, N. D., where he had been employed since spring.

A large number of our people took in the picnic at Ed O'Hara's July 4, a few attended the county fair at Warren and several the circus at Thief River Falls.

The annual school meeting for the election of officers will be held July 19th. Two directors are to be elected to succeed H. J. Olen and A. L. Carlson.

Mildred, the eldest daughter of Mrs. Carl Engebretsen is very sick with heart disease. Dr. Paulson was called Monday to see the little sufferer, whom it is feared is almost beyond human help.

The Middle River Pioneer has entered upon its seventeenth volume and is steadily growing in reading matter, advertising and circulation. We join the rest of the newspaper fraternity in wishing Bro. Carr continued health and prosperity.

PRESCRIBE EXERCISE FOR THE WOUNDED

"PLAY-THERAPY" IDEA IS BEING TRIED OUT IN CAMPS OF CENTRAL MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Chicago.—"I prescribe an hour of volley ball for your stiff wrist this morning," is being heard now in a dozen of Uncle Sam's camps wherein wounded soldiers are convalescing. Or, it may be that the prescription is something like this: "Boy, your knee joints are pretty stiff and the hinges of your hips don't work right. Suppose you play arch ball for an hour today and tomorrow and then prolong the period of play a bit. This will do more for you than anything else."

Dr. H. F. Kallenberg, chief of Y. M. C. A. physical directors in the central military department, with headquarters in Chicago, is receiving word almost daily that the latest method of treating wounded men in government hospitals in such cases as demand exercise of joints, fingers, wrists, legs or arms, is doing wonders for the soldiers. They not only are throwing off their ailments but are taking on cheerfulness and a new interest in life, he declares. The treatment is "new" in that medical men examine each case and prescribe certain games to fit the needs of that case. No playing at games requiring exercise of muscles or joints is done save under the direct supervision of a medical officer, Doctor Kallenberg asserts.

Helping Government.

"Physical directors of the Y. M. C. A. are helping the government in these matters at this time," explained Doctor Kallenberg. "I understand the application of our theory that the playing of certain games mend certain ailments is being demonstrated with success at various camps in the plain reconstruction of the physical man. We do not under-rate massage, hydrotherapy, electrotherapy or manual therapy, but we are finding that specified exercise in play works wonders in loosening joints and brings the man to a normal state."

At the following camps the new treatment of "play-therapy" is being used successfully upon hundreds of wounded soldiers, sailors and marines: Taylor, Dodge, Great Lakes, Fort Sheridan, Fort Des Moines, Fort Benjamin Harrison, U. S. General hospital No. 21, Denver, and plans are being made now to establish the treatment at Camps Funston, Sherman, Custer and the big Ford hospital, Detroit. It is reported that Major Kelley at Camp Grant has set aside two large two-story barracks for a gymnasium and will ask the Y. M. C. A. for two men to assist in directing wounded soldiers in their games.

HONOR FIGHTING PARSON

Dr. John H. Clifford, Baptist minister in time of peace, but real fighter in time of war, has been awarded the croix de guerre for extraordinary heroism in action.

Doctor Clifford, as a Y. M. C. A. worker, braved the red wrath of war. He has been in the firing zone as much as the hardiest infantryman and was decorated for a most unusual exploit. He was one of three men who braved incessant enemy shell fire while rescuing Col. Albertus W. Catlin, commanding officer of the Sixth regiment of marines. The trio carried the colonel to safety on a stretcher.

DOCTOR CLIFFORD.

Doctor Clifford went over the top many times and came near being killed on several occasions. He is fifty-one years old.

Praises "Y" Work.

Unqualified praise by Consul General Harris in Siberia for the service rendered not only to the American expeditionary troops, but also to the Czechs and to Russian prisoners, by the American Y. M. C. A. secretaries, is contained in an official communication transmitted to the state department at Washington by Paul S. Reinsch, American minister to China.

Great Athletic Program.

Through the Y. M. C. A. the United States plans to introduce a project for the development of American athletics in the allied countries. America's greatest athletic leaders are being fitted to direct the movement from the headquarters to be established in Paris.

VOICES CONTEMPT FOR FOE FIGHTERS

REPORTS OF FRATERNIZING BY AMERICAN AND FOE TROOPS DENIED BY RED TRIANGLE WORKER.

Chicago.—Reports of fraternizing of allied and foe troops following the signing of the armistice on the western front are denied in a letter from H. B. Stecher, Racine, Wis., received at the offices of the national war work council, Y. M. C. A., here.

Stecher was a Y. M. C. A. worker attached to the Ninety-first division. He served for more than six months on three fighting fronts—at St. Mihiel, in Flanders and the Argonne. Twice he was cited for bravery and awarded the D. S. C.

Before going to France to serve as a "Y" worker Stecher was associated with the Hamilton Beach Manufacturing company at Racine. Formerly he was a member of the California National Guard when he was living in Los Angeles, Cal. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Stecher, live in Chicago.

Referring to reports of fraternizing of the troops Stecher says: "Certainly there was no attempt or desire on the part of the men of our division to fraternize with our much-despised opponents, and had there been, the officers would not have permitted it. As a matter of fact the guns were going right up to the time the armistice went into effect. You see, our boys have had a mighty good chance to size up the caliber of the other side, and had the Germans shown any indications of good sportsmanship in the fighting no doubt we would feel some little respect for them. Having been a doughboy myself in the past, and now having gone through all the fighting with my division, I believe my viewpoint is the same as that of the majority of our division, and, personally, I have the utmost contempt for the German soldier, his methods and his ideals."

MAJOR GENERAL PRAISES SERVICE OFFERED BY "Y"

Spread upon the records of the Third division, A. E. F., and just brought to the attention of the national war work council of the Y. M. C. A., is a general order issued by command of Major General Dickman which "Y" officials have hailed as an emphatic answer to charges that Red Triangle workers had avoided the danger zones in France and had wrung exorbitant prices from the soldiers for the comforts which the association had sent overseas. General Dickman directed that a copy of the order be sent to every one of the thirty-four men and six women who went with the division through the fighting of Chateau-Thierry and along the Marne, to St. Mihiel, and later into action north of Verdun and along the Meuse.

The Y. M. C. A. has made public General Dickman's order along with a communication from Col. J. C. Rhea of another division which was in the St. Mihiel fighting. Colonel Rhea gave figures showing the large amount of supplies which were distributed in his division by "Y" secretaries without charge.

GREAT EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM PLANNED

Paris.—General Pershing has signed an order establishing an American Army university in France to accommodate 10,000 to 20,000 soldier students. The school will be opened at Beaune. At the same time the main office of the Y. M. C. A. army educational commission will be moved from Paris to Beaune.

Courses in engineering, liberal and fine arts, science, music and the like will be offered. It is expected that one of the four agricultural exhibits which have been prepared by the department of agriculture in co-operation with the Y. M. C. A. will be a permanent feature at Beaune.

The Y. M. C. A. war work council announced that the cost of the educational program in the A. E. F. had now reached $700,000 a month. Books and supplies costing $1,800,000 have been sent overseas. The army pays for the books and distributes them to the soldier students.

To Improve Idle Time.

Wherever there are as many as 500 reasonably stationary soldiers, sailors and marines at the base camps or the ports of shipment or with the army of occupation, there will be educational courses supervised by the Y. M. C. A. For those who are to be moved in a few weeks there will be short courses, but there will be something to interest every one.

"Y" Operates Hotels.

London.—Half a dozen London hotels, including the Palace, Cosmo and Grafton, have been taken over by the American Y. M. C. A. and are now in full operation. This addition to the war plant of the "Y" is required by the even more comprehensive period of occupation program which has been set up in the United Kingdom by the Y. M. C. A.

Want American Tables.

An American pool table is a grateful oasis to the American soldiers impatiently awaiting orders to leave for home, for somehow or other they do not take kindly to the model of pool or billiard table which is extant in Merrie England. Hence there never is any rest to the billiard tables in the Y. M. C. A. hut in the British Isles.

Take Notice

"Pay your telephone bills now. It costs money to send out statements every month.

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

Notice.

It is dangerous to use the telephone during a thunder storm, so please do not ring central when the lightning is apt to strike a pole or wire.

August Nass, President.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., June 10, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Ole Ingebrigtsli, of Golden Valley, Minn., who, on Sept. 11th, 1912, made Homestead Application Serial No. 08457, for NE 1-4 Section 27, Township 156 N., Range 41 West, 5th P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 15th day of July, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses: Carl Dahl, Axel Benson, William Helland and Rudolph Dahl, all of Golden Valley, Minn.

Peter M. Ringdal,
Register.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in payment of the sum of One Hundred Twenty-seven and 55-100—Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Mary Faulkner, a single woman, Mortgagor, to Lester E. Gesell, Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1915, and with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of January, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Book 79 of Mortgages on page 315.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Lester E. Gesell, Mortgagee, to Nathan K. Harris by written assignment dated the 11th day of April, 1916, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 5th day of June, 1919, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Book 94 of Mortgages, on page 466, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 28th day of July, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Hundred Twenty-seven and 55-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale as provided by law.

Dated June 9, 1919.

Nathan K. Harris,
Assignee of Mortgagee

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Assignee of
Mortgagee.

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Local Items

Mrs. R. L. Olson visited over Sunday with friends in T. R. Falls.

Peter Torulund and son Carl of Radium were visitors at the Riesberg home Monday.

Miss Lucy Wegge came Tuesday from York, N. Dak., to spend her summer vacation at home.

Mrs. Alex Strom of Thief River Falls visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg, between trains last week Thursday.

J. M. Swan shipped a car of cattle and hogs Tuesday. Lots of the farmers in the flooded districts must sell a part or all their stock.

O. A. Knutson has sold his farm to a Mr. Bukne of Iowa. Mr. Knutson will retire from farming on account of his advanced age.

August and Henry Knutson returned Wednesday to their home in Kelxington, Sask., Canada after a pleasant visit at the parental home.

Daylight Fireworks will be shown featuring bombs containing souvenirs for the children at the Pennington County Fair, Thief River Falls, August 7--8

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes and little daughter, Beulah, went to Fertile Wednesday where they will spend their summer vacation with relatives and friends.

Olai Sovde returned home Saturday from an auto trip with his father to Devils Lake N. D. They started on a trip to Montana but gave it up on account of the muddy roads.

Mrs. Esther Nelson of Winnepeg, visited at the Riesberg home between trains last week Thursday. Mrs. Nelson is staying with her mother, Mrs. Roner at the Warren hospital.

J. L. Hirsch returned home Saturday from a weeks visit with his family at Amherst, S. D. Mr. Hirsch reports he will not move his family here until about the first of September.

B. Docken who has been enjoying a vacation at the lake near Walker, Minn returned home Wednesday while his family stopped at Leonard, Minn. to visit at the D. Payne home

Mrs. Ole Ness and three children of Battle Lake who had been visiting her folks in West Valley for a couple of weeks, came Sunday for a visit at the home of her husband's brother, August Nass and family.

Four Overseas Dispatch Motorcycle Riders will demonstrate Military Dispatch Riding and contest in speed races featuring such daring riders as Shorty Thompson, Fred Green, Red Olson, and Speed Johnson all having recently ridden for Uncle Sam in the A. E. F. at the Pennington County Fair, Thief River Falls, Aug 7--8.

Army and Navy News

Bently Nelson arrived here Wednesday from Camp Dodge, and is well and glad to get home again. All join in extending him a hearty welcome.

After a long delay news has been received that Geo. Svenkeson was killed in France, sometime during the war, but we did not learn any of the particulars of the sad event.

Dr. R. E. Spinks, wife and baby stopped in town a few minutes Monday on their way to Middle River. The doctor was just returning home from overseas, having received his discharge from the army.

Lester Adams of Dugdale visited here Friday and Saturday at the home of his brother, Loyd Adams and family.

Mr. Adams just recently returned home from France where he served in the army for several months.

Sergeant Martin D. Fitch arrived in Holt last week Thursday to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Fitch and other relatives for sometime. Sergeant Fitch has served six years in the regular army and has another year to serve. He has been in France for a couple of years where he has undergone many hardships. Having been granted a two months furlough, he came here to visit his parents whom he had not seen since he first enlisted.

Will Build New School House

No bids were submitted on July 5th, 1919, for building the addition to the Holt school building and the matter was postponed another week with the same results, so on Tuesday eve the board passed a resolution to hire the work done and entered into an agreement with L. D. McAdams, of Thief River Falls who will have charge of the work. Mr. McAdams is to superintend the whole job of building, buying the material under the directions of the board, and furnish all tools and necessary equipment for the job, hire all the labor and receive 10 per cent of the cost of the building for his services.

A seperate contract for furnishing all the equipment and installing the heating, ventilating and plumbing systems was let to Holt & George of Thief River Falls for $5,204.00

Another bid was received from Mr. Lee of the same city, which was about $300 higher than the Holt & George bid.

Thief River Falls attorneys have given advice to the board in the above matter and there did not seem to be any other way to get the school house built this year, so we hope everyone will be satisfied.

PROGRESS ON NEW BUILDINGS

Hans J. Olson came down from Middle River Friday and with Racine Olson did the wiring for the electric current for D. B. Bakke's house. They also did some wiring for H. J. Olen. The workmen are now doing the stucco work on the Bakke house and the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

A twelve foot full width addition to the Synod church is almost finished as well as the carpenter work in the new basement.

Fine progress has been made on the new elevator of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. They have the roofs on both the elevator and warehouse but still have the drive way to build. On Tuesday the company sent word they had decided to tear down the old office and build a larger one and that work is now being done.

The new elevator is 24X32 feet and is 42 feet high to the eaves. It has several more bins than the old elevator and will hold more than twice the amount of grain. The new ware house is 22X32.

Excavating the basement for the new school house in Holt commenced yesterday morning.

Better Drainage System Needed

J. J. Waller and Michael Leiran of Whiteford and C. J. Dale and Chris Norbeck of Mud Lake came to town Monday to get things started to get some relief for the people in the flooded districts. The two former gentlemen went to Thief River Falls to present their claims to the people there. The others had telegrams sent to Gov. Burnquist on Tuesday and Wednesday an answer was received saying he was out of the city, but a representative would be sent here Thursday and the Governor would be communicated with.

In the meantime the people were coming to town and making anxious enquires for help. A meeting was held at the Woodman hall which was well attended by at least fifty people, the most of them from the flooded districts. Committees were appointed from East Valley, Agdar, Excel, Grand Plain, Mud Lake and Whiteford with B. Docken as chairman. The work of this committee will be to get a better system of ditches, so that the whole country will not be flooded out again. But immediate relief is needed for the people who have lost all they had and all they expected to get from their crops, hay lands and pastures this year.

C. J. Dale had a gas engine with a propellor attachment already to put on a boat sent here Wednesday and the Thief River Falls Commercial club sent up a gasoline launch and a row boat and some supplies for those who could not get out from their homes. A party of men started out Wednesday afternoon with these boats to make a thorough investigation of the flooded area.

It is reported considerable live stock have been drowned by the high water and every thing that was loose has been washed away.

The water in Mud Lake commenced going down very slowly several days ago, but the river did not go down any until about Tuesday of this week.

This is the fourth time in six years that these districts have been flooded and it is the worst flood in over thirty years.

Immediate relief is needed for some of the people, others can get along until winter, but something must be done to prevent another flood or the whole flooded district will be deserted, as the people can not stand these floods, as there is sure to be sickness after this.

It is up to the authorities, they can have the present ditch systems and the floods if that is what they want, but they can't have the people too. Therefore they must make their choice soon, otherwise the people will leave, never to return.

On account of the flood there will be no school house built in Dist. No 158 this summer to replace the one burned last spring.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thorval Kolden Sunday.

C. Saastad visited relatives and friends in the flood district Sunday. Mr. Saastad says there is more water there then he ever saw since coming to this country.

P. A. Riesberg received the sad news last week Thursday that his aunt, Mrs. Roner of Argyle, was in the hospital in Warren, where she had been operated upon the previous Monday for the removal of a tumor.

Miss Lillian Baldwin will perform her death defying lofty pole act both afternoon and night, one false move means death, entire performance on top of pole eighty feet high, the vaudeville feature of the Pennington County Fair, Thief River Falls, August 7--8

Died

Mrs. Elmer Olde died at 9:30 Wednesday night at the hospital in Thief River Falls.

For a few days she seemed to be getting better, but became worse again the first of the week and to soon became apparent that she could not recover.

Funeral services will be held in Holt Saturday at 11 o'clock.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the grief stricken family and friends of the deceased.

C. S. Holgren went to Grand Forks Tuesday to attend the fair.

Found: Child's sweater: Owner please prove property and pay for this notice.

Alfred Sollom has moved from Middle River unto his mother's farm west of Holt.

George Hanson and Jesse Sorum went to Grand Forks Wednesday to attend the fair.

Dr. R. T. Olson sold his Dodge car one day last week to Oscar Sorenson of Newfolden.

Miss Luella Johnson has been helping her sister, Mrs. Thorval Kolden, the past week.

Want several quarters cheap land. Open preferred.—Wadsworth,
829 Grand Forks, N. D.

Ruben Johnson of Nevada, Ia., came last week Thursday for a visit at the M. B. Fitch home.

Julius Olson came down from Strathcona one day last week for a few days visit at home.

Read the statement of the Holt State Bank. It shows their business is steadily growing and that the bank is in a prosperous condition.

For sale or trade; One 35 horse power Buick auto. Will trade for young horses or cattle.

Casper J. Dale,
Holt, Minn., Star Route.

Mrs. Ben Eide and children of Warren are enjoying a two weeks visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Tobiason and family.

See Lieutenant Daniel Kaiser in his demonstration of Army acrobatic flying and Hun strafing at the Pennington County Fair, Thief River Falls, August 7--8

August Hoffman sold two hogs to Mr. Swan for $117.25, Theo Sorum sold two for $123.30 and P. A. Riesberg one for $61.25. At these prices hogs will sell for as much as cattle.

Albert Mathison came up from McIntosh Saturday after a car he had made a deal for. He returned home Sunday by way of Crookston his brother, Diederick going with him as far as that city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Erickson and C. S. Holgren autoed to T. R. Falls Saturday, where the former bought 2 1-4 acres of land one mile east of the business part of town of N. K. Nelson. Consideration $375.00.

P. G. Hougard and family of Strandquist stopped in town last week Thursday for a short visit at the home of his niece, Mrs. C. W. Christianson and family, on their return from visiting friends at St. Hilaire.

Nine big features, free circus acts are included in the program and the great Clifton-Kelley shows will be opened day and night, these shows are the best that money can buy and are clean and free from all objectionable features, you be at the Pennington County Fair, Thief River Falls, August 6--7--8

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain at the church next Wednesday afternoon July 23rd.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirments will meet every Wednesday and Friday at 1 o'clock P. M., until confirmation which will be August 3rd., at 10:30 A. M.

The Nazareth Y. P. Society of the Synod church will hold their meeting at Olaf Johnson (Sandberg) Sunday afternoon July 20th. Mrs. Olaf Johnson, Mrs. Otto Johnson and Mrs. A. L. Sagatuen will entertain. Everybody invited.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their kindly assistance and sympathy during the sickness and death of my daughter, Mildred, also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. Carl Engebretson.

FOR SALE!

Dodge roadster for sale, in fine running order, spot light, extra non-skid tire, set of tools, gas saver attachment. Price $750.00.

B. J. Bakke, Holt, Minn.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the
Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received by the Town Board of the Towns of Excel, Agder and East Valley for the construction of reinforced concrete abutments for bridge across Thief river on range line between section 12 of Excel and section 7 of Agder. Said abutments to be constructed according to the Engineer's drawings on file at the office of the town clerk of Excel at Steiner where they can be seen. Contractor to furnish material, also to pay for 23 yards of gravel already at the place of building.

Bids will be opened on Tuesday, July 29th, 1919 ta 2 o'clock p. m. at the office of the town clerk of Excel, at Steiner, Minn.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

G. L. Leisner,
Town Clerk of Excel
P. O. address
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The third Liberty Bond payment of 20 per cent will be due August 12th.

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 36
Wheat No. 2	2 30
Wheat No. 3	2 23
Wheat No. 4	2 19
Flax	5 57
Oats	67
Barley	91 to 99
Rye	1 43
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

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Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 96

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Dr. Biedermann
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Thief River Falls
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Office Phone 207 Call 1, Residence 207 Call 2

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WILSON SPEAKS BEFORE SENATE

Says League of Free Nations Is Practical Necessity to Assure Future of World.

AMERICA FRIEND OF ALL

Moral Leadership of World Offered to United States and Question Shall We Accept or Reject It—America Made Victory Certain.

Washington, July 11.—Following is President Wilson's address before the United States senate:

Gentlemen of the Senate: The treaty of peace with Germany was signed at Versailles on the 28th of June. I avail myself of the earliest opportunity to lay the treaty before you for ratification and to inform you with regard to the work of the conference by which the treaty was formulated.

The treaty constitutes nothing less than a world settlement. It would not be possible for me either to summarize or to construe its manifold provisions in an address which must of necessity be something less than a treatise.

My services and all the information I possess will be at your disposal and at the disposal of your committee on foreign relations at any time, either informally or in session, as you may prefer, and I hope that you will not hesitate to make use of them. I shall at this time, prior to your own study of the document, attempt only a general characterization of its scope and purpose.

"Historical Circumstances" Control.

In one sense, no doubt, there is no need that I should report to you what was attempted and done at Paris. You have been daily cognizant of what was going on there—of the problems with which the peace conference had to deal and of the difficulty of laying down straight lines of settlement anywhere on a field on which the old lines of international relationship, and the new, alike, followed so intricate a pattern and were for the most part cut so deep by historical circumstances, which dominated action where it would have been best to ignore or reverse them. The cross-currents of politics and of interest must have been evident to you. It would be presuming in me to attempt to explain the questions which arose or the many diverse elements which entered into them. I shall attempt something less ambitious than that and more clearly suggested by my duty to report to the congress the part it seemed necessary for my colleagues and me to play, as the representatives of the government of the United States.

American Role Determined.

That part was dictated by the role America had played in the war and by the expectations that had been created in the minds of the peoples with whom we had associated ourselves in that great struggle.

The United States entered the war upon a different footing from every other nation except our associates on this side the sea. We entered it, not because our material interests were directly threatened or because any special treaty obligations to which we were parties had been violated, but only because we saw the supremacy, and even the validity, of right everywhere put in jeopardy and free government likely to be everywhere imperiled by the intolerable aggression of a power which respected neither right nor obligation and whose very system of government flouted the rights of the citizens as against the autocratic authority of his governors. And in the settlements of the peace we have sought no special reparation for ourselves, but only the restoration of right and the assurance of liberty everywhere that the effects of the settlement were to be felt.

U. S. Champion of Right.

We entered the war as the disinterested champions of right and we interested ourselves in the terms of the peace in no other capacity.

The hopes of the nations allied against the Central Powers were at a very low ebb when our soldiers began to pour across the sea. There was everywhere amongst them, except in their stoutest spirits, a somber foreboding of disaster. The war ended in November, eight months ago, but you have only to recall what was feared in midsummer last, four short months before the armistice, to realize what it was that our timely aid accomplished alike for their morale and their physical safety.

That first, never to be forgotten action at Chateau Thierry, had already taken place. Our redoubtable soldiers and marines had already closed the gap the enemy had succeeded in opening for their advance upon Paris—had already turned the tide of battle back towards the frontiers of France and begun the rout that was to save Europe and the world.

This is not the occasion upon which to utter a eulogy of the armies America sent to France, but, perhaps, since I am speaking of their mission I may speak also of the pride I shared with every American who saw or dealt with them there. They were the sort of men America would wish to be represented by, the sort of men every American would wish to claim as fellow countrymen and comrades in a great cause.

Makes Triumph Permanent.

The conviction of what they stood for was upon us who represented America at the peace table. It was our duty to see to it that every decision we took part in contributed so far as we were able to influence it, to quiet the fears and realize the hopes of the peoples who had been living in that shadow, the nations that had come by our assistance to their freedom. It was our duty to do everything that was within our power to do to make the triumph of freedom and of right a lasting triumph in the assurance of which men might everywhere live without fear.

Treaties to Be Enforced.

Future international conventions with regard to the control of waterways with regard to the illicit traffic of many kinds, in arms or in deadly drugs, or with regard to the adjustment of many varying international administrative arrangements could not be assured if the treaty were to provide no permanent common international agency, if its execution in such matters was to be left to the slow and uncertain processes of co-operation by ordinary methods of negotiation, if the peace conference itself was to be the end of co-operative authority and common counsel among the governments to which the world was looking to enforce justice and give pledges of an enduring settlement.

Regions like the Saar basin could not be put under a temporary administrative regime which did not involve a transfer of political sovereignty, and which contemplated a final determination of its political connections by popular vote to be taken at a distant date. No free city like Danzig could be created which was under elaborate international guarantees, to accept exceptional obligations with regard to the use of its port and exceptional relations with a state of which it was not to form a part.

Properly safeguarded plebiscites could not be provided for where populations were at some future date to make choice what sovereignty they would live under, no certain and uniform method of arbitration could be secured for the settlement of anticipated difficulties of final decision with regard to many matters dealt with in the treaty itself.

Nations League Essential.

The long continued supervision of the task of reparation which Germany was to undertake to complete within the next generation might entirely break down. The reconsideration and revision of administrative arrangements and restrictions which the treaty prescribed but which it was recognized might not prove of lasting advantage or entirely fair if too long enforced would be impracticable. The promises governments were making to one another about the way in which labor was to be dealt with, by law not only, but in fact as well, would remain a mere thesis if there was to be no common tribunal of opinion and judgment to which liberal statesmen could resort for the influences which alone might secure their redemption.

A league of free nations had become a practical necessity. Examine the treaty of peace and you will find that everywhere throughout its manifold provisions its framers have felt obliged to turn to the League of Nations as an indispensable instrumentality for the maintenance of the new order it has been their purpose to set up in the world—the world of civilized men.

That there should be a League of Nations to steady the counsels and maintain the peaceful understandings of the world, to make, not treaties alone, but the accepted principles of international law as well, the actual rule of conduct among the governments of the world, had been one of the agreements accepted from the first as the basis of peace with the Central Powers.

The statesmen of all the belligerent countries were agreed that such a league must be created to sustain the settlements that were to be effected, but at first I think there was a feeling among some of them that, while it must be attemptetd, the formation of such a league was perhaps a counsel of perfection which practical men, long experienced in the world of affairs, must agree to very cautiously and with many misgivings.

It was only as the difficult work of arranging an all but universal adjustment of the world's affairs advanced from day to day from one stage of conference to another that it became evident to them that what they were seeking would be little more than something written upon paper, to be interpreted and applied by such methods as the changes of politics might make available if they did not provide a means of common counsel which all were obliged to accept. A common authority whose decisions would be recognized as decisions which all must respect.

And so the most practical, the most skeptical among them turned more and more to the league as the authority through which international action was to be secured, the authority without which, as they had come to see it, it would be difficult to give an assured effect either to this treaty or to any other international understanding upon which they were to depend for the maintenance of peace.

The fact that the covenant of the league was the first substantive part of the treaty to be worked out and agreed upon, while all else was in solution, helped to make the formulation of the rest easier. The conference was, after all, not to be ephemeral. The concert of nations was to continue, under a definite covenant which had been agreed upon and which all were convinced was workable. They could go forward with confidence to make arrangements intended to be permanent.

The most practical of the conferees were at last the most ready to refer to the League of Nations the superintendence of all interests which did not admit of immediate determination, of all administrative problems which were to require a continuing oversight. What had seemed a counsel of perfection had come to seem a plain counsel of necessity. The League of Nations was the practical statesman's hope of success in many of the most difficult things he was attempting.

Wars Forever Impossible.

And it had validated itself in the thoughts of every member of the conference as something much bigger, much greater every way than a mere instrument for carrying out the provisions of a particular treaty. It was universally recognized that all the peoples of the world demanded of the conference that it should create such a continuing concert of free nations as would make wars of aggression and spoliation such as this that has just ended forever impossible.

Rule of Force Rejected.

A cry has gone out from every home in every stricken land from which sons and brothers and fathers had gone forth to the great sacrifice that such a sacrifice should never again be enacted. It was manifest why it had been exacted. It had been exacted because one nation desired dominion and other nations had known no means of defense except armaments and alliances. War had lain at the heart of every arrangement of Europe—every arrangement of the world—that preceded the war. Restive peoples had been told that fleets and armies which they toiled to sustain, meant peace, and now that they had been lied to; that fleets and armies had been maintained to promote national ambitions and meant war. They knew that no old policy meant anything else but force, force, force—always force. And they knew that it was intolerable.

New Purpose Proclaimed.

Every true heart in the world and every enlightened judgment demanded that, at whatever cost of independent action, every government that took thought for its people or for justice or for ordered freedom should lend itself to a new purpose and utterly destroy the old order of international politics.

Statesmen might see difficulties, but the people could see none and could brook no denial. A war in which they had been bled white to beat the terror that lay concealed in every balance of power must not end in a mere victory of arms and a new balance. The monster that had resorted to arms must be put in chains that could not be broken. The united power of free nations must put a stop to aggression, and the world must be given peace. If there was not the will or the intelligence to accomplish that now, there must be another and a final war and the world must be swept clean of every power that could renew the terror.

The League of Nations was not merely an instrument to adjust and remedy old world wrongs under a new treaty of peace. It was the only hope for mankind. Again and again had the demon of war been cast out of the house of the peoples and the house swept clean by a treaty of peace, only to prepare a time when he would enter in again with spirits worse than himself. The house must now be given a tenant who could hold it against all such.

Convenient, indeed indispensable, as statesmen found the newly planned League of Nations, they saw it in a new aspect before their work was finished. They saw it as the main object of the peace, as the only thing that could complete it or make it worth while. They saw it as the hope of the world and that hope they did not dare to disappoint. Shall we or any other free people hesitate to accept this great duty? Dare we reject it and break the heart of the world?

And so the result of the conference of peace, so far as Germany is concerned, stands complete. The difficulties encountered were very many. Sometimes they seemed insuperable. It was impossible to accommodate the interests of so great a body of nations—interests which directly or indirectly affected almost every nation in the world—without many minor compromises. The treaty, as a result, is not exactly what we would have written. It is probably not what any one of the national delegates would have written. But results were worked out which on the whole bear test. I think that it will be found that the compromises which were accepted as inevitable nowhere cut to the heart of any principle. The work of the conferences squares, as a whole, with the principles agreed upon as the basis of the peace as well as with the practical possibilities of the international situations which had to be faced and dealt with as facts.

America Disinterested.

We were welcomed as disinterested friends. We were resorted to as arbiters in many a difficult matter. It was recognized that our material aid would be indispensable in the days to come, when industry and credit would have to be brought back to their normal operation again and communities beaten to the ground assisted to their feet once more, and it was taken for granted, I am proud to say, that we would play the helpful friend in these things as well as in all others without prejudice or favors. We were generously accepted as the unaffected champions of what was right. It was a very responsible role to play, but I am happy to report that the fine group of Americans who helped with their expert advice in each part of the varied settlements sought in every transaction to justify the high confidence reposed in them.

And that confidence, it seems to me, is the measure of our opportunity and of our duty in the days to come, in which the new hope of the peoples of the world is to be fulfilled or disappointed. The fact that America is the friend of the nations, whether they be rivals or associates, is no new fact. It is only the discovery of it by the rest of the world that is new.

TOWNLEY FOUND GUILTY BY JURY

Verdict Against League President and Advisor Found on Second Ballot.

COURT GRANTS STAY

League Head Says Organization Virtually "On Trial"—Request for Privilege to Make Personal Plea Denied by Judge.

Jackson, Minn., July 14.—The jury in the trial of President A. C. Townley and Joseph Gilbert of the Nonpartisan league late Saturday evening found the defendants guilty of the charge of conspiracy to teach disloyalty, in violation of the Minnesota law.

The defense asserted that speeches by Townley and Gilbert, at mass meetings in Minnesota, early in 1918, were not disloyal in their references to the government and prosecution of the war. These speeches were made the basis of the indictment together with circulation of the Nonpartisan league's so-called war program, over Townley's signature.

Conspiracy Charged.

During the three weeks of the trial the defense has made repeated charges that the case is an outgrowth of efforts to injure the Nonpartisan league. Testimony along this line, and also testimony by Representative John M. Baer, and North Dakota state officials concerning the loyalty of Townley and the league, was excluded by Judge E. C. Dean.

The jurors announced that they took two ballots. The first was nine to three for conviction. The second was unanimous for conviction.

Denied Personal Plea.

At the conclusion of a four-hour address to the jury by Prosecutor E. H. Nicholas, Mr. Townley arose and stated to the court that he had dismissed his counsel, and asked the privilege of pleading the case in his own behalf, and that of the Nonpartisan league, which he felt to be on trial. After hearing arguments, the court denied the request upon technical grounds.

Judge E. C. Dean granted a stay of sentence until September 15 to permit the preparation of the court record and the making of motions for a new trial.

R-34 COMPLETES HOME TRIP

Shows Up Over Ireland on Sunday Morning.

London, July 14.—Over the northeast coast of Ireland the R-34, returning from America, was making 60 knots, according to the report received here. She had kept on the course for East Fortune, but turned southeast and headed for Pulham.

The dirigible reported her position today at 3 p. m. Greenwich mean time (11 a. m., New York time), as 50 degrees north latitude and 15 degrees 20 minutes west longitude.

This position showed that the R-34 had traveled approximately 2,675 miles in her trans-Atlantic flight from New York and was within about 170 miles off the Irish coast.

The air ministry calculated at midnight that the R-34's landing time would be about 8 o'clock Sunday morning.

A later message from the dirigible by wireless indicated she would attempt a landing at Pulham airdrome about 6 a. m., Greenwich time, Sunday.

Fatal Fire in Philadelphia

Philadelphia, July 14.—Five firemen were killed, 31 others injured in a blaze that destroyed a three-story brick warehouse of the Burlap Bag Manufacturing plant of Jacob Potash & Bros., here Saturday. The victims were plunged into the flames and debris when the roof and three walls collapsed. Three saved themselves from serious injury by a spectacular slide down a tottering ladder. Rescuers worked more than two hours to extricate the dead from the ruins which rose in chaotic piles as high as the second story. No cause has been assigned for the fire, which was the third in the building in 15 years. The damage is estimated at over $100,000.

WHITLOCK ASSIGNED TO ITALY

Former U. S. Representative to Brussels Gets Ambassadorship.

Paris, July 14.—Brand Whitlock has been named as American ambassador to Italy. Brand Whitlock at present holds the post of minister to Belgium, to which he was appointed in 1913. Mr. Whitlock's appointment as ambassador to Italy has been under consideration for some weeks past. He succeeds Thomas Nelson Page, who recently resigned.

President's Ship to Carry Babies.

New York, July 14.—The presidential ship, George Washington, which sails back to France this week, has been fitted up with a nursery to take care of the "war babies" returning on that vessel. Two hundred "war babies" are scheduled to sail on the transport on her next trip from France to this country and at the request of Dr. C. A. Lockett, the ship's surgeon, the American Red Cross has provided the ship with baby food, milk, clothing and other prerequisites of infantile comfort.

WILSON'S VETO IS SUSTAINED

House Fails to Override Action of President for Saving of Daylight.

NEW TIME TO CONTINUE

Members to Number of 247 Favor Repassing Bill Over Executive's Veto, 23 Short of Required Two-thirds.

Washington, July 15. — The house failed to pass the agricultural appropriation bill with its rider repealing the daylight saving law, over the veto of President Wilson.

The vote was 247 to 135, or 23 affirmative votes less than the required two-thirds. One member voted present.

After the vote the bill was referred to the agricultural committee. It probably will be reported to the house later minus the rider.

Party Lines Broken.

Champ Clark and Claude Kitchin, as well as many other democrats, voted against the president.

Chairman G. N. Haugen of the agricultural committee said before the vote was taken, if the veto was not overruled, the president would have to accept the political responsibility for saving the plan, which brought bitter opposition from the farming districts.

Other Veto Before Committee.

The appropriations committee was to consider the veto of the sundry civil bill, because it did not carry enough, in the president's view, for vocational work among soldiers.

Chairman J. W. Good stated he is willing to grant the increase of from $6,000,000 to $8,000,000 the president desires, but insists on limiting the salaries of the board in charge of this work. It was believed the bill would be again returned to the house with such a provision.

A rider on the agricultural appropriation bill, which was vetoed, would have repealed the daylight saving law late in October. If the law stands unchanged, daylight saving will go into effect in March, 1920, as heretofore.

COMMITTEE HAS TREATY

Resolutions Bearing on Versailles Negotiations Offered.

Washington, July 15.—The Senate foreign relations committee, beginning consideration of the peace treaty, reported three minor resolutions bearing on the Versailles negotiations.

The resolutions reported would call on the president and the state department for information regarding an alleged secret treaty between Japan and Germany; regarding a protest said to have been made by General T. H. Bliss, Secretary Robert Lansing and Henry White against the Shantung settlement, and why Costa Rica "was not permitted to sign the peace treaty."

All the resolutions were amended. That regarding the alleged Japanese-German treaty and that relating to Costa Rica were reported without record votes. The Shantung resolution was reported by a vote of 9 to 3, all the democratic members present opposing it and the republicans, including Senator P. J. McCumber, of North Dakota, voting for it. Senator Hiram Johnson (rep.) of California, offered a resolution in the committee, proposing that copies of all documents connected with negotiations of the treaty be submitted to the committee.

TORNADO DAMAGES CROPS

Minnesota Storm Does Harm Amounting to 50 Per Cent.

Crookston, Minn., July 15.—A number of buildings and crops valued at thousands of dollars were destroyed in Lockhart and vicinity as a result of a tornado and hail storm which hit that place. According to reports here the storm covered an area of about four miles in width at that place.

Neillsville and Climax, two neighboring towns, were in the path of the storm and reports are that more than 50 per cent of the crop in this vicinity was destroyed. A few frame buildings were wrecked in Neillsville, but no persons injured.

QUIET RESUMED AT FIUME

Italian Provost Marshal Maintaining Order.

Vienna, July 15. — Fiume is quiet, with the Italian provost marshal maintaining order. Few Italian soldiers are on the streets. The French remain in their barracks. Two French and two Italian warships are in the harbor. The city, it is said, is plastered with handbills reading: "Italy or death." The Italians, the reports say, accuse the French of meddling.

Socialists Protest Treaty; Strike.

Rome, July 15.—The Intransigeant Socialists have published a manifesto proclaiming a general strike on July 20 and 21 as a protest against the Peace treaty, denounced as "an attempt by the Allies to suffocate Bolshevism in Russia and Hungary." "Workmen of France will do likewise," the manifesto says. "Workmen of England will also bring to bear the powerful action of their trade unions. Workmen in Switzerland, Holland, Denmark and Sweden will join in the movement."

BIG POTATO YIELD

Western Canada Man Raised 600 Bushels on Two Acres.

He Thinks He Did Pretty Well, but There Were Even Larger Crops in the Neighborhood—Live Stock Men Prosper.

As a by-product the yield of potatoes on the farm of Ben Pawson of Coaldale, Alberta, was somewhat of a paying proposition. Coaldale is in the Medicine Hat district of Alberta. Medicine Hat is a place, pictured in the mind of many Americans, where the weather man holds high carnival, and when he wants to put a little life or spirit into the people just moves the mercury down a few notches. The rascal has thus given Medicine Hat a rather unenviable place on the map. But it isn't half as bad as it is pictured. Anyway, Ben Pawson likes it. Last year he grew six hundred bushels of potatoes on two acres of land that had no special preparation, and only the usual precipitation, or rain, as the less cultured would call it. When he couldn't work at his hay or grain, because of the damp mornings, he gave them some attention. And then evenings between supper and chores and bedtime he gave them some work. Anyway his yield was six hundred bushels, and he sold the whole lot for $285. Ben is satisfied. Still there were larger yields than this in the neighborhood.

If one might speak of hogs in the same breath in which you speak of potatoes, there is nothing in the ethics of literature that would create a debarment. Taking advantage of this license it will not be out of place to state that large potato yields are not the only feature of interest in this new and interesting country. Amongst others hogs are having a good deal of attention. Not long ago, hogs reached the $23.00 mark on the Calgary market. It doesn't cost much to raise a hog and very little to bring him to a weight of 200 pounds. Don't cost much! Certainly not. But what about the man who recently paid $350 for a Duroc Jersey Boar? That was all right. That man knew what he was doing. He was doing what a great many other farmers in Western Canada are doing today. He is acting on the old "saw," that "it costs no more to raise a good critter than a poor one." That is the reason that Western Canada is looming large in the live stock world. The best is none too good. The same may be said of horses, cattle, yes, and sheep, too. The very best sires and dams of the best breeds are purchased. And while big prices are paid, it is felt that the demand for pure-bred stock at home and abroad will bring returns which will warrant any reasonable price that may be asked.—Advertisement.

Unsophisticated.

Bess—She seems to like everybody.

June—Yes; she has no husband.—Baltimore American.

Cuticura Comforts Baby's Skin

When red, rough and itching with hot baths of Cuticura Soap and touches of Cuticura Ointment. Also make use now and then of that exquisitely scented dusting powder, Cuticura Talcum, one of the indispensable Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Adv.

In New York.

"I'll pay the dinner check."

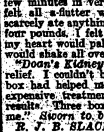
"All right; and I'll ransom our hats."

"Ransom is a good term for it."

EVERYTHING FAILED

Then Mrs. Bozarth Used Doan's for Kidney Trouble. Says Worth Weight in Gold.

"*Doan's Kidney Pills* are worth their weight in gold for they cured me after all other medicine had failed," says Mrs. B. Bozarth, 87 Water St., Mt. Holly, N. J. "For over three years I was in misery.



Mrs. Bozarth

"The pain in my back grew worse until I had to go to bed. I did nothing but toss about. The stinging pains shot through my body and my head ached and throbbed. My eyes felt as though they would bulge out of my head. The blinding dizzy spells made me think I was going to lose my mind. Everything would turn dark.

"The kidney secretions burned, were the color of coffee and passed every few minutes in very small amounts. I felt all a-flutter with nervousness. I scarcely ate anything and I lost twenty-four pounds. I felt short of breath and my heart would palpitate. Sometimes I would shake all over and become numb.

"*Doan's Kidney Pills* soon gave me relief. I couldn't believe this little 60c box had helped me after the doctors' expensive treatments had brought no results. Three boxes of *Doan's* cured me." *Sworn to before me,*

R. J. B. SLACK, Notary Public.

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

Nothing In It.

Tommy—How you did holler when the dentist was working over you.

Bobby—Well, it was a holler tooth.

It is easier to make a new quarrel than it is to patch an old one.

MURINE FOR YOUR EYES

Rests, Refreshes, Soothes, Heals—Keep your Eyes Strong and Healthy. If they Tire, Smart, Itch, or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Safe for Infant or Adult. At all Druggists. Write for Free Eye Book. Murine Eye Remedy Company, Chicago, U. S. A.

CORNED BEEF

This summer don't spend hours over a hot stove! Serve Libby's delicate Corned Beef chilled — it will give you an entirely new idea of how easily an appetizing summer meal can be prepared. Get a package from your grocer today.

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DAISY FLY KILLER PLACED ANYWHERE ATTRACTS AND KILLS ALL FLIES. Neat, clean, ornamental, convenient, cheap. Lasts all season. Made of metal, can't spill or tip over; will not soil or injure anything. Guaranteed effective. Sold by dealers, or 6 by EXPRESS, prepaid, $1.25.

HAROLD SOMERS, 150 De Kalb Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

FILMS DEVELOPED

Any size 6 exposures and 6 prints mailed you on your first order with this ad inclosed for only 20 cents.

White Drug Co., Jamestown, N. D.

GIRLS Clear Your Skin Save Your Hair With Cuticura

Soap, Oint., Talcum 25c. each. Sample each of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

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NO NEED FOR THEM TO PART

Young Man Willing to Sacrifice Himself to Soften Blow to Poor Father-in-Law.

The young man had asked him for the hand of his daughter, and a pang wrung the fatherly heart of Mr. Jones as he looked at the youth, and thought of the bitterness of parting with his well-beloved child.

"I suppose, Oliver," he said at last, "it is only natural and right that when the young birds have become old enough to fly, they should leave their parental nest and go with their chosen mates to build nests of their own, and yet it pains me when I think of one of my fledglings getting ready to fly away."

"This seems to be a good-sized nest," suggested the young man, anxious to soften the blow; "perhaps you'd rather have me and Gertie stay here."

Looking on the Bright Side.

Old Lady—That parrot I bought yesterday uses most violent language.

Dealer—Lady, I don't deny that he does swear a bit, but you must be thankful he doesn't drink or gamble.

Call not that man wretched who, whatever ills he suffers, has a child to love.—Southey.

Honesty buys and sells things; dishonesty steals and keeps them.

The worst use that can be made of success is to boast about it.

"BAYER CROSS" ON GENUINE ASPIRIN

BAYER

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" to be genuine must be marked with the safety "Bayer Cross." Always buy an unbroken Bayer package which contains proper directions to safely relieve Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Colds and pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents at drug stores—larger packages also. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

Refused Further Responsibility.

Priscilla had been left alone with the twins and had taken it upon herself to correct them. Hearing them cry, her mother hurried upstairs to see what the matter was.

"They were naughty," explained Priscilla, "and I slapped them."

"Then I shall have to send you downstairs," said her mother firmly. "If I can't trust you with the babies you cannot stay where they are."

A little later her mother found Priscilla sitting on the steps, looking thoughtful. "Well," she remarked, as her mother passed her, "if you want to bring up your children to be naughty you can."

Expert Judgment.

Two store girls were interested spectators when "The Heart of Wetona," an Indian picture, was being screened.

Wetona, played by Norma Talmadge, was pretty enough to win the admiration of any hero, but one old squaw in the picture was a sight.

"I wonder if that is Wetona's mother," one of the store girls said.

"I don't know, but if she is I can tell you one thing."

"Wetona's heart may be in the right place, but if she takes after her mother I wouldn't give much for the future of her waistline.—Youngstown Telegram.

What man has done woman thinks she can do better.

You Hesitate to Give Coffee to Children

Then why give it to grown folks? You can pleasantly solve the question of a table drink by giving all the family

Postum Cereal

Boiled full 15 minutes after boiling begins, it tastes much like superior coffee. It's an economy.

At Grocers.

Two sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c

STATE BREVITIES

St. Paul.—St. Paul's new $11,000,000 Union station will be ready for occupancy early in November, it has been announced.

Washington.—Army casualty lists contained the names of 26 men killed in action, including Private Walter E. Roberts, Annandale, Minn.

St. Paul.—Notices to employers have been mailed by the state minimum wage commission announcing the new state minimum wage of $11 a week for women and minors, which will go into effect August 4.

Crookston.—The Buffington farm, one of the largest in the Northwestern section of Minnesota, was sold to E. Hene of Freeport, Ill., for an even $100,000. The farm includes 1,600 acres of extraordinary soil.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist will receive two checks for last month's pay as a result of an oversight. His regular remittance was short 24 cents and a special check will have to be drawn. It was his last pay day of the fiscal year.

Swan River.—Poland's restoration to a place among nations was celebrated Sunday here. Discharged American soldiers of Polish antecedents acted as a guard of honor at a field mass conducted by Bishop Bush of St. Cloud.

Willmar.—The body of Carl Anderson, a railroad employee, was found near the yards. Examination disclosed that Anderson had been hit on the head and that his throat was cut with a razor. Police authorities say robbery was the motive for the crime.

St. Paul.—J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, went to Duluth to start on his first 1919 inspection of state owned iron mines on the Mesaba and Cuyuna ranges. The auditor will confer with lessees of state mines on the rule that royalties must be paid on crude ore before concentration, which was established by a recent ruling of the State Supreme court.

Winona.—Julius Cieminski, 10, died in a Winona hospital as the result of running a sliver in his foot on July 4. Death was due to lockjaw. The boy gave little attention to the injury until Saturday, when he extracted the sliver. The following day the foot was badly swollen and he secured medical aid. He was removed to the hospital where he died in great agony.

Thief River Falls.—Maurice Giller is at liberty under $2,000 bond, after conviction of arson in the third degree in connection with the burning of his store. The state charged Giller asked George Allen to hire Jack Johnson to set fire to the place. Allen and Johnson admitted culpability in the crime. The defense was that the fire was caused by a short circuit of electric wires.

Minneapolis.—Country banks of the Ninth Federal Reserve district have made an overwhelming response to the proposal of the War Savings stamp organization that they stock up with hand grenade savings banks for the use of children in saving to buy War Savings Stamps, it was said by M. E. Harrison, district director. Between 150,000 and 200,000 of the banks have been ordered.

St. Paul.—Dr. Charles E. Smith, Jr., St. Paul, has assumed the duties of executive officer of the state board of health. Dr. H. M. Bracken, who resigned after 20 years' service as secretary and executive officer, is to continue as the nominal head of the department until September 1, but Dr. Smith will take active charge of the offices. He has been assistant to Dr. Bracken for more than a year.

Baudette.—For the first time in a week, this town is in communication with the outside world. A cloudburst destroyed the telegraph and telephone communication and the tracks of the Canadian National railroad company's line. In that one storm, 10 inches of rain fell, according to the government's observers. At Kelliher, the residents were forced to use boats in the streets. All bridges have been washed out and the loss is estimated at $250,000 throughout the district.

Winona.—The status of the Winona Motor Corps company is unusual. Several months ago, at a meeting of the entire unit, the company was demobilized. The members were advised that their duties had been concluded. Since then the company has virtually dropped out of sight. Now comes the statement of Governor Burnquist that the Safety commission will exist for three months more and that the motor corps, created by the commission, also will not pass out of existence until that time.

Minneapolis.—The success of "The Torchbearers," produced last year by the Civic Players of Minneapolis on the steps of the Art Institute, created a wide interest in the production of another large pageant. The educational value to hundreds of men, women and children who take part, and the artistic prestige which comes to Minneapolis by a production of this kind is of great advantage to the city. "Swords and Plowshares" has been selected for the title of the pageant this year and will be presented July 29 and 30.

Minneapolis.—Application blanks for Rhodes scholarship may be obtained at President Burton's office in the library building, University of Minnesota, it has been announced. The application blanks should be filled in and sent to W. B. Milien, 617 Dayton avenue, St. Paul, secretary of the committee for selection for Minnesota.

Mankato.—The coroner's jury that investigated the fatal shooting in the Plaza apartments here of Mrs. Joseph Stein, a young married woman, formerly Miss Natalie Gardeze of St. Paul, established that she shot herself twice, through thigh and temple.

Moorhead.—G. F. Barstow of Stillwater has assumed his duties as highway engineer for Clay county.

Mankato.—Capt. Charles E. Wise of Mankato, has been awarded a distinguished service cross for heroism in action.

Crookston.—Services for Joseph G. Jarvis, who drowned at Grand Marais Saturday night, were held from the farm home.

Moorhead.—The Moorhead city council has decided to begin at once upon a system of street paving to cover the residence sections of the city.

St. Paul.—The Federated Fliers, a Minneapolis aviation concern with $50,000 authorized capital, was granted a state charter by the secretary of state.

Stillwater. — The Stillwater water board has paid off another bond of $10,000, making $90,000 paid on the purchase price of $145,000, leaving $55,000 still to be paid.

Moorhead.—David Askegaard, 65, old settler, prominent farmer, banker and business man of Comstock, died at a Moorhead hospital following an operation performed as a last resort in the hope of saving his life.

St. Paul.—Receipts of $531,481 one day last week, in the state treasurer's office established a new day's record. The bulk of the big checks and drafts represented payments of principal and interest on loans of state funds to cities, counties and schools.

Hibbing.—Chief of Police William Dwyer has ordered gamblers and undesirables to leave. Police and plain clothes men, Whyment and Cassidy, visited two hotels located in the north end and ordered the gamblers and their cohorts to take the next train. They complied.

Detroit.—The Y. W. C. A. camp here at Lake Melissa is open to all women visitors and parties or individuals will be welcomed at the camp for either a few days or a longer period. In order that all guests will feel perfectly at home at all times, the hostess system has been adopted.

McIntosh.—The creamery here has increased its output 25 per cent over the corresponding month last year. During the month of May this year, $7,990 was paid out to the farmers of the vicinity and the general move toward dairying in this vicinity is indicated by the immense acreage of fodderage planted.

Pipestone. — While workmen were placing braces to hold the Ruthton farmers elevator from toppling over, the structure collapsed. The structure was loaded with grain at the time but in spite of the fact that the building was a total loss, all of the grain remained in the bins at the bottom of the pit and was saved.

International Falls.—Charles A. Anderson, recently elected agricultural instructor of Independent School District No. 4, to succeed W. J. Freed, has arrived to assume active direction of the work at once, having received his discharge from the United States navy, in which he served a year. Mr. Anderson is a Minnesota man.

Bemidji.—Ned G. Begle, of the Berst Manufacturing company, which operates a tooth pick and butter dish factory at Cloquet, has been here conducting an investigation as to the birch supply in this district with the idea that if a sufficient quantity is available an institution similar to that at Cloquet may be established here.

Albert Lea—Crop conditions in this vicinity are reported to be good. Hay is a bumper crop. Oats and all small grain except wheat will be fine. Wheat is afflicted in some cases with scab and joint worm, and owners of these fields do not expect more than half a crop. Rye is being harvested. Barley will be harvested the last of this week. Corn is exceptionally advanced in first class condition.

St. Paul.—R. J. Johnson, Forest Lake, a young attorney recently discharged from military service, has accepted a position as law clerk during July and August in the state legal department, Attorney General C. L. Hilton announces. Mr. Johnson is preparing compilations of election, registration of title and corporation laws which are issued biennially in pamphlet form by Julius A. Schmal, secretary of state.

St. Cloud.—Dr. Herbert Lake of Swift Current, Sask., who has been here for a month looking over housing conditions, and with a view of building apartment houses here, will return to Swift Current in a few days and expects to return to St. Cloud about Sept. 1. Dr. Lake is endeavoring to close a deal for the Lewis estate at Briggs Lake, near here, which comprises a tract of about 176 acres with a one-half mile water frontage, and contemplates erecting a large pavilion.

Two Harbors. — The 18-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Jenick of Minneapolis, who are visiting at Palmers, is in the local hospital, his hand nearly severed from being chopped by a hatchet in the hands of a 3-year-old girl with whom he was playing. The infant's cries aroused its parents, who rushed into the house and found the girl with the hatchet in her hand dripping blood and the baby screaming with his right hand nearly severed. They hurried the child to the hospital and surgeons hope to save the hand.

Tabor.—A splendid new Catholic church was dedicated at Tabor Sunday. The dedicatory address was delivered by Rt. Rev. T. Corbett, bishop of the Crookston diocese. Practically the entire day was devoted to church festivities connected with the church dedication.

Bemidji.—The vicinity of the new normal school is a special object of attention on the part of the city and the extensive improvements now in the course of construction are to be greatly augmented, until that portion of the city assumes a modern aspect, figuratively and literally.

FARMERS ARE WORKING HARDER

And using their feet more than ever before. For all these workers the frequent use of Allen's Foot=Ease, the antiseptic, healing powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath, increases their efficiency and insures needed physical comfort. It takes the Friction from the Shoe, freshens the feet, and prevents tired, aching and blistered feet. Women everywhere are constant users of Allen's Foot=Ease. Don't get foot sore, get Allen's Foot=Ease. Sold by dealers everywhere.—Adv.

Yielding to Superstition.

Wife (to husband)—There were two hats that I liked—one for $13 and the other for $18.

Husband—Which one did you finally decide upon?

Wife—The $18 one. I'm a little superstitious about the number 13.—Stray stories.

Double Capacity.

"Old Man Bobbitts is a mean concern, isn't he?"

"Mean? Why, that old skinflint is a regular twin screw."—Baltimore American.

"CAN I BE CURED?" SAYS THE SUFFERER

How often have you heard that sad cry from the victims of disease. Perhaps the disorder has gone too far for help, but oftener it is just in its first stages and the pains and aches are only nature's first cries for help. Do not despair. Find out the cause and give nature all the help you can and she will repay you with health. Look after the kidneys. The kidneys are the most overworked organs of the human body, and when they fail in their work of filtering and throwing off the poison that constantly accumulates in the system, everything goes wrong. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules will give almost immediate relief from kidney and bladder troubles and their kindred ailments. They will free your body from pain in short order. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. Look for the name on every box. In three sizes, sealed packages. Money refunded if they do not help you.—Adv.

Of No Importance.

"Trotzky says—"

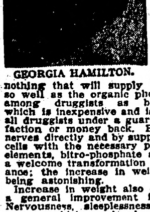
"Never mind the rest of it. I'm fed up on bunk."

On the day a man discovers that he is a fool he begins to acquire wisdom.

THIN PEOPLE SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitro-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.



GEORGIA HAMILTON.

Thinness and weakness are often due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as bitro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bitro-phosphate should produce a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

Increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, should soon disappear, dull eyes ought to brighten, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health. Miss Georgia Hamilton, who was once thin and frail, reporting her own experience, writes: "Bitro-Phosphate has brought about a magic transformation with me. I gained 15 pounds and never before felt so well."

CAUTION:—Although bitro-phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its tendency to increase weight, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.

DOCTOR URGED AN OPERATION

Instead I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Was Cured.

Baltimore, Md.—"Nearly four years I suffered from organic troubles, nervousness and headaches and every month would have to stay in bed most of the time. Treatments would relieve me for a time but my doctor was always urging me to have an operation. My sister asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before consenting to an operation. I took five bottles of it and it has completely cured me and my work is a pleasure. I tell all my friends who have any trouble of this kind what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—NELLIE B. BRITTINGHAM, 609 Calverton Rd., Baltimore, Md.

It is only natural for any woman to dread the thought of an operation. So many women have been restored to health by this famous remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, after an operation has been advised that it will pay any woman who suffers from such ailments to consider trying it before submitting to such a trying ordeal.

Train Nurses in Haiti.

The first training school for nurses in Haiti has been established and opened under the direction and control of the United States public health service.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Oyster shells are being used extensively in the manufacture of Portland cement along the coast of the Gulf of Mexico.

A barking dog occasionally bites the dust.

MILLIONS Suffer from Acid-Stomach

Millions of people suffer year after year from ailments affecting practically every part of the body, never dreaming that their ill health can be traced directly to acid-stomach. Here is the reason: poor digestion means poor nourishment of the different organs and tissues of the body. The blood is impoverished—becomes weak, thin, sluggish. Ailments of many kinds spring from such conditions. Billiousness, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, general weakness, loss of power and energy, headache, insomnia, nervousness, mental depression—even more serious ailments such as catarrh and cancer of the stomach, intestinal ulcers, cirrhosis of the liver, heart trouble—all of these can often be traced directly to acid-stomach.

Keep a sharp lookout for the first symptoms of acid-stomach—indigestion, heartburn, belching, food repeating, that awful painful bloat after eating, and sour, gassy stomach. EATONIC, the wonderful modern remedy for acid-stomach, is guaranteed to bring quick relief from these stomach miseries. Thousands say they never dreamed that anything could bring such speedy relief—and make them feel so much better in every way. Try EATONIC and you, too, will be just as enthusiastic in its praise. Make your life worth living—no aches or pains—no blues or melancholy—no more of that tired, listless feeling. Be well and strong. Get back your physical and mental punch; your vim, vigor and vitality. You will always be weak and ailing as long as you have acid-stomach. So get rid of it now. Take EATONIC Tablets—they taste good—you eat them like a bit of candy. Your druggist has EATONIC—50 cents for a big box. Get a box from him today and if you are not satisfied he will refund your money.

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W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. Dak.;
K. Haddeland, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents

[illegible]drew Bjork came up from [illegible] Monday on business.

[illegible] Mrs. Fred Steinhauer visited relatives in St. Hilaire Sunday.

Julius Olson returned home Monday from several months service overseas.

The Misses Amanda, Stella and Olive Mickelson were Thief River Falls visitors last week Thursday.

Word was received by the Riesberg family last week that Mr. and Mrs. Pavek and children arrived home at Gardena S.D. safely Sunday night, making the trip by auto in a day and a half.

The annual school meeting for the election of officers will be held July 19th. Two directors are to be elected to succeed H. J. Olen and A. L. Carlson.

P. A. Riesberg and J. A. Sorum took out the old driveway at the Farmers elevator Monday and have built a new one out of the stones from the old foundation of the Red Lake elevator.

Axel Nelson autoed to Warren Saturday on business in relation to the flooded district east of Holt. He was accompanied by Mrs. Fred Larson who wished to consult a physician, also by A. C. Jahr and daughter, Lillian, the latter having her tonsils removed at the hospital the same day. Miss Jahr returned home Monday and is getting along as well as could be expected.

Non-Partisian Meeting

The Non-Partisan league held a meeting Friday afternoon at the beautiful farm home of Mr. and Mrs. August Nass. A good sized crowd of farmers were present and undoubtedly there would have been many more there had it not been that the weather man was threatening to send more rain.

The principal speaker was Mr. A. E. Bowen and he presented his arguments in a forceful and convincing manner. At the close of Mr. Bowen's speech which every one liked, Mr. Emil Pladson of Thief River Falls made a short speech in explanation of the business methods of the league.

WHO AM I

I am more powerful than the combined armies of the world.

I have destroyed more men than all the wars of the nations.

I am more deadly than bullets, and I have wrecked more homes than the mightiest of siege guns.

I steal in the United States alone over $300,000,000 each year.

I spare no one, and I find my victims among the rich and poor alike, the young and old, the strong and weak. Widows and orphans know me.

I loom up to such proportions that I cast my shadow over every field of labor from the turning of the grindstone to the moving of every railroad train.

I massacre thousands upon thousands of wage earners each year.

I lurk in unseen places, and do most of my work silently. You are warned against me, but you heed not.

I am everywhere—in the house, on the streets, in the factory, at railroad crossings, and on the sea.

I bring sickness, degradation, death, and yet few seek to avoid me.

I destroy, crush, or maim; I give nothing, but take all.

I am your worst enemy.

I AM CARELESSNESS.—Ex.

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Dr. Newell has been appointed government agent for this territory, to test cattle for tuberculosis. In case it is necessary to kill the stock the government makes the farmer a small allowance for them.

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Bank Statement.

Bank No. 809.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on June 30, 1919.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$194.346 62
Overdrafts		162 14
U. S. Bonds and other obligations		950 00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		10 000 00
Other Real Estate		3 124 75
Checks and Drafts in Transit		9 25
Due from Banks	11 631 68	
Cash on Hand	2 190 39	
Cur. 1 899 00		
Gold. 10 00		
Silver. 228 00		
Other. 13 39		
Total Cash Assets		13 822 07
Checks and Cash Items		1 864 48
Paid out for Expenses, etc. in Excess of Earnings		244 20
Total		$224.523 51
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$15.000 00
Surplus Fund		$5,000 00
Undivided Profits		
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable. (including certificates for money borrowed)		27,000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$80,119.90	
Cashier.s Checks	3,922.42	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	84,042.32	
Savings Deposits		
Time Certificates	93,481.19	
Total Deposits		177,523.51
Total		$224,523 51
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$15,686 55
Amt. of Reserve Required by Law		$14,750 12

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B. Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. Bakke, President,
B. Docken, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. Gunheim,
[Two] Directors. R. Reierson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July 1919.

[Seal] —H. B. Young, Village Clerk
Holt, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in payment of the sum of One Hundred Twenty-seven and 55-100—Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain martgage, duly executed and delivered by Mary Faulkner, a single woman, Mortgagor, to Lester E. Gesell, Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1915, and with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of January, 1916, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Book 79 of Mortgages on page 315.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Lester E. Gesell, Mortgagee, to Nathan K. Harris by written assignment dated the 11th day of April, 1916, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 5th day of June, 1919, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Book 94 of Mortgages, on page 456, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances: which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Warren in said County and State, on the 28th day of July, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One Hundred Twenty-seven and 55-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale as provided by law.

Dated June 9, 1919.

Nathan K. Harris,
Assignee of Mortgagee

O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Assignee of
Mortagee.

There is a report charge on all telephone calls dating back to June 17th. That is if your party is'nt in, or even out of town, and you fail to talk to them later that day, the telephone company makes a charge for the call, from 10c and up, according to distance.

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

Your New Barn

Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

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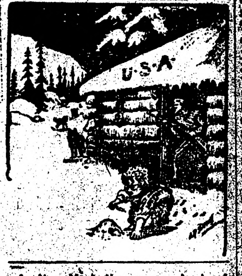

In New York the average load collected from garbage cans in 1916 contained $50 of good material. Under stress of war thrift this in 1917 was reduced eight per cent, a saving for the year of over one million and a half dollars.

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

FATS

Do American eat too much fat?

As a nation we have the reputation of being the greatest fat eaters and wasters in the world.

Why is it necessary to save fats?

Because fats have high value as energy-producing food of a sort specially needed by soldiers; and because they are needed in the manufacture of high explosives, for the lubrication of machinery, and for ointments.

Why are fats so important to Germany?

They are the essential food that Germany most lacks. Eating-fat in Germany not under government control costs from $8 a pound up.

Is it better to make soap at home or sell waste fat to the soap maker?

If possible sell to the soap maker. He can get glycerine as a by-product, and he will not waste lye.

What are the animal fats?

Cream, butter, lard, and fats of all animals.

What are the vegetable fats?

Olive oil, cottonseed oil, corn oil, and oil from nuts.

Why may vegetable fats be used more freely than animal fats?

Because the animal fats are needed for the Allies, and we have larger stocks of vegetable fats.

Is there any difference in the value of animal and vegetable fats in cooking?

No; vegetable fats are just as good as animal fats.

Is there any essential difference between fats and oils?

No, fats are solid at room temperature and oils are liquid.

Is our lard supply decreased?

Yes; the total production of lard in 1916-17 was 22,500,000 pounds less than in the previous year. It began to show decided increase in the spring of 1918.

How can we save fats, especially animal fats?

By frying less; by saving meat drippings; by using butter only on the table; by using substitutes for lard; by wasting no soap.

How much fat should an adult consume daily?

Not below 40 grams (about 1½ ounces) and many will prefer 50 grams (about 1¾ ounces) or 60 grams (a little over 2 ounces).

WANTED WAR FOR FINANCIAL GAIN

TRIBUNE EDITORIAL WRITER TESTIFIED PAPER THOUGHT INTERVENTION WOULD BE PROFITABLE.

NINTH WEEK OF FORD CASE

Famous Million Dollar Libel Case Continues in Mt. Clemens—Edsel Ford Is Called to Stand by Newspaper.

Mt. Clemens, Mich.—Editors who directed the policy of The Chicago Tribune, and editorial writers who put that policy into printed words, were the witnesses produced by the defense during the ninth week of the Ford-Tribune $1,000,000 libel case.

Tiffany Blake, chief editorial writer of The Tribune, was one of the most interesting witnesses. Mr. Blake testified that he had deliberately permitted the characterization of Mr. Ford as an anarchist because it seemed to him to sum up Mr Ford's activities. He testified at length, under cross-examination, concerning the attitude which his paper took in favor of war with Mexico but against war with Germany, and admitted that The Tribune had in mind the material benefits which would accrue to the United States in the event of intervention, and the fact that no such gains could be reaped from war with Germany.

Ford Was in the Way.

During the course of his testimony Mr. Blake characterized the utterances and the attitude of Mr. Ford as "notorious." Ford counsel took the stand that Mr. Ford's position could not have been notorious to readers of The Tribune because The Tribune never referred to the alleged statements which it is now using as a means of justifying its attack. Its attitude towards Mr. Ford, counsel attempted to show by questioning the witness, was based upon the fact that just when it seemed that the paper's long campaign for war with Mexico was about to bear fruit, and troops were being hurried to the border, it suddenly found Henry Ford in its way.

Submarine warfare, in the estimation of The Tribune, the witness said, was never sufficient cause for war. Mr. Blake admitted that the newspaper did not demand armed redress after the sinking of the Lusitania, and that when the President used the Sussex case as a test, The Tribune continued to declare that the submarine issue was no cause for war.

An editorial from The Tribune was introduced and Ford counsel proceeded to read from it, "If we win in Germany, what do we win."—

"Yes, what do we win," interjected the witness.

"Blessed if we know"—continued the editorial.

"Yes, blessed if we know," broke in the witness again, "we don't know today."

"You stated," said Ford counsel, "that when the government finally decided on its position that you supported it and stopped argument against war with Germany. Do you consider that when the President had presented an ultimatum and broken off diplomatic relations that you were supporting him and the nation by continuing to tell the people that the President had no ground for war with Germany?"

"Yes, because the submarine issue was not a good ground for war."

"Well, when the President broadened the issue by telling the country that we must enter the war to make the world safe for democracy, did you argue for war on these broader grounds?"

"No, we did not."

Overlooked Ford's Offer.

"Did you know, Mr. Blake, that Mr. Ford was the first person in the United States to offer himself, his ability, his factories and all he had, to assist the government in the event of war—did you know that?"

"No, I did not know that."

"Your perusal of The Tribune did not give you that information about Mr. Ford?"

"No."

R. R. McCormick, president of The Tribune company, and one of the editors of the paper, was another witness. Mr. McCormick testified that The Standard Oil and International Harvester interests, in which Tribune stockholders have holdings, never in any way directed the policy of the paper towards Mexico. His testimony also touched the matter of salaries, which The Tribune cut off as soon as men entered the service of the nation in the great war, although it had continued salaries when its employes were called to the border. The fact that the army pay had been doubled, that married men were discharged from the guard and that conscription had been put in force, caused the paper to change its policies, Mr. McCormick stated.

E. G. Liebold, general secretary to Mr. Ford, and Edsel Ford, the president of the Ford Motor Company, were called to the witness stand by The Tribune late in the week. Mr. Liebold testified concerning a letter which he had written in response to a communication which sought to interest Mr. Ford in a device which would deal out death.

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¶The Pharaohs sought me as an adornment for their tombs—their mummies endure because I conserve.
¶I am the woad of the ancient Britons: their blue battle hue.
¶Because of me the treasures of the Sistine Chapel defy effacement.
¶I am the keeper of the antique.
¶I am the servant of progress.
¶Columbus found me bedecking the savages who watched him plant Ferdinand's banner on the shores of New Spain; and the very sails of his caravels resisted the elements of the West through my aid.
¶The pioneers westward wending their way daubed the prairie schooners with my protection.
¶I am the royal robes of civilization's monarchs, Steel and Lumber.
¶The taut wings of the airplane gleam under my protective veneer.
¶The sullen dreadnaught and the homing transport plow the seas impervious to corrosion because of me.
¶I waterproofed your agents of destruction, the bullet and the shell.
¶Then I drew the mercy of my concealing camouflage over your hospitals.
¶I glisten on the homes, and on the barns, and on the cement surfaces.
¶Where life is, I am alive.
¶Where death and decay set in my absence hastens them.
¶And my mission is to preserve.
¶Saver of Surface, I am PAINT!

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Local Items

B. Docken was a Crookston visitor Saturday.

[illegible] Peterson is clerking in [illegible]'s store.

[illegible]

The Tarnlund Bros and families and [illegible] and family of [illegible] and Mr. and Mrs. Schantz of Thief River Falls were Sunday guests at the P. A. Riesberg home.

Nine big features, free circus acts are included in the program and the great Clifton-Kelley shows will be operated day and night, these shows are the best that money can buy and are clean and free from all objectionable features, you be at the Pennington County Fair, Thief River Falls, August 6-7-8

Army and Navy News

P. L. Anderson went to Devils Lake, N. Dak., Monday to be examined again by the governments medical men.

Elling Tollefson returned a week ago Sunday from overseas, where he served a year and [illegible] days in the engineers corps. All are glad to see him again.

Last week we made a mistake when we said Julius Olson had returned home from overseas. The local should have read Julius [illegible] had returned.

J. A. Sorum received a letter [illegible] day from their son Andrew, who is still at the hospital at Camp Dix, N. J. His wound from the operation for [illegible] of stomach is not [illegible] and altho he is [illegible]

[illegible]

Dick Nyberg, Morris Holl, Ole Gerde and Melvin Bakke went to Devils Lake, N. Dak. one day last week to work during harvest.

[illegible]

Sec. Lieutenant Daniel Kaiser in his demonstration of Army aerobatics and Hun strafing at the Pennington County Fair, Thief River Falls, August 7--8

Leonard Brekkestran has been honorably discharged from the U. S. Army service and arrived home the first of the week from Camp Robinson. He is glad to be back home, and we are glad to have him home too.—Newfolden Review.

Miss Lillian Baldwin will perform her death defying lofty pole act both afternoon and night, one false move means death, entire performance on top of pole eighty feet high, the vaudeville feature of the Pennington County Fair, Thief River Falls, August 7--8.

After The Flood

Matters Relative To The Flood

Disappointing

Warren, Minn., July 18 [illegible]
H. B. Young
Holt, Minn.,

Dear Sir:- In reply to your [illegible] 17, 19, I wish to state that [illegible] I know at present it will be at least four months before the work will be let on State Road No. 11. The survey will take thirty days then another thirty days to complete the plans. Then the plans have to be accepted by the Federal Government, as this is a Federal Aid Project. Then the job will be advertised thirty days and sold to the lowest bidder.

There is no way [illegible] hire teams except for regular [illegible] maintenance. I think, however, that it might be well for [illegible] to write to the Chairman of [illegible] County Board, Mr. O. [illegible] and Mr. A. S. Bokke, Newfolden, Minn. Mr. Bokke has considerable [illegible] in his District that [illegible] Day labor if he can [illegible].

Yours truly,
J. [illegible],
Highway Engineer.

Encouraging

[illegible] Stephen, Minn. July 21.
H. B. Young, Esq.
Chairman Holt Red Cross Auxiliary.

Your letter [illegible]

I have directed the Secretary to [illegible] the Chairman of the Civilian Relief Committee to go out to your section and investigate the needs there and you can feel assured that if there is anything that should be done by the Chapter to relieve distress, there it will be done [illegible] and [illegible] by the Chapter.

Yours Truly,
Bernard B. Brett,
Chairman Executive Committee
Marshall County Chapter, A. R. C.

In response to telegrams from this place and Thief River Falls, Prof. J. H. Hay, who is now located in St. Paul was sent here by the Governor's office to make an investigation of conditions in the flooded districts. Mr. Hay arrived here last week Thursday and accompanied with B. Docken and County Agent Husby went out and looked over the district or rather the water. As a result of Mr. Hay's visit he reported to St. Paul that fourteen townships were partially flooded, that ten were completely flooded and about three hundred families had lost their crops, hay and pasture, and many would have to move away at least temporarily. Mr. Hay asked the state to send [illegible] 25 tents for these people and $500 for supplies. The tents came Saturday, some more came Monday and Tuesday. Sergeant Sochum of St. Paul came to look after them and ship back the Federal tents sent here by mistake.

[illegible] held a meeting in Holt Friday to talk over matters for providing [illegible] for the flooded districts. He put the county agent in charge of the work and recommended that a large delegation attend the convention held in Thief River Falls Tuesday, and they took his advice and a large number attended.

Several committees were appointed at Friday's meeting and any one needing help or wanting work or pasture land should notify this office, the bank or almost any business man in Holt. Also the matter of providing better drainage is to be looked after and everybody's help is needed and solicited in these matters.

The people of Mud Lake will meet in Golden Valley Saturday, July 26, from 9 until 2 o'clock to make out claims for damage done by the flood.

Mrs. Grant Flakne and baby went to Pipestone county Monday to stay with her parents until the effects of the food is over with.

Co. Agent John Husby has sent us some blanks for distributing to those who wish to make out claims against the state for losses caused by the floods.

In all matters relative to the flood relief work, the commercial club and people of Thief River Falls have shown themselves always ready to do all they possibly could and we are sure that this is appreciated by everybody.

Ludvig Peterson went to Madison, Friday where he will work this summer, as their crops are drowned out by the floods.

There were more than twice the number of cars of cattle usually shipped, on the stock train thru here Tuesday, which is a pretty good proof that the people in the flooded districts must sell their stock on account of the pastures being ruined by the high water.

There is a good chance for the men of the flooded districts who can leave home to get work on the farms in the western part of the county at good wages and the work will be steady, as the farmers are ready to hire by the month. County Agent Jno. Husby will find [illegible] place free of charge for all who apply to him.

Obituary

Mrs. Elmer Olie was born April 26th 1891 and was baptised July 5th, the same year by Rev. [illegible]. She was confirmed May 21st 1905 by Rev. [illegible]. She attended the high school in Thief River Falls and taught several terms of school.

On June 27th 191[illegible] she was united in marriage with Elmer Olie at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson. They made their home at Golden Valley until she was called to the heavenly home on Wednesday night, July 16th. A baby boy was born about a week before, who also died.

Funeral services were conducted at the Mission church in Holt Saturday forenoon by Rev. Ordahl after which the remains were taken to Golden Valley for interment and there another funeral service was also held by Rev. Ordahl.

Besides the grief stricken husband and parents there are four brothers, two sisters and other relatives and friends remain to mourn her death.

Ernest Phillipson was called to Middle River Friday by the serious illness of his mother. He returned for a short time and reported that she was very low. Word was received here Sunday that Mrs. Phillipson died that morning. She had been in poor health for a number of years. The funeral was held Tuesday and was attended by several old neighbors and friends from this vicinity, whom we join in extending sincere sympathy to the stricken family.

Misses Anna and Elisabeth Hoffman attended the young Ladie's Sodality Sunday.

Herb Severson went to Dakota Monday where he expected to find employment this summer.

Frank, Arthur and Matilda Hoffman spent a very enjoyable evening at the C. Hoffman home Wednesday of last week.

Four Overseas Dispatch Motorcycle Riders will demonstrate Military Dispatch Riding and contest in speed races featuring such daring riders as Shorty Thompson, Fred Green, Red Olson, and Speed Johnson all having recently ridden for Uncle Sam in the A. E. F. at the Pennington County Fair, Thief River Falls, Aug 7--8.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirments will meet every Wednesday and Friday at 1 o'clock P. M., until confirmation which will be August 3rd., at 10:30 A. M.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

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Holt, Minn.,

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the
Merchants State Bank,
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received by the Town Board of the Towns of Excel, Agder and [illegible] Valley for the construction of reinforced concrete abutments for bridge across Thief river on range line between section 12 of Excel and section 7 of Agder. Said abutments to be constructed according to the [illegible] on file at the office of the town clerk of Excel at Steiner where they can be seen. Contractor to furnish material, also to pay for 28 yards of gravel already at the place of building.

Bids will be opened on Tuesday, July 29th 1919 to 2 o'clock p. m. at the office of the town clerk of Excel, at Steiner, Minn.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

G. L. Leisner,
Town Clerk of Excel
P. O. address
Thief River Falls,
R. F. D. No. 2 Minn.

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Thief River Falls
Offices in Scandia Block

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Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours

A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream

Olai Sovde, Prop.

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There is a report charge on all telephone calls dating back to June 17th. That is if your party is'nt in, or even out of town, and you fail to talk to them later that day, the telephone company makes a charge for the call, from 10c and up, according to distance.

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 61
Wheat No. 2	2 55
Wheat No. 3	2 48
Wheat No. 4	2 4[illegible]
Flax	5 60
Oats	60
Barley	94 to 1 0[illegible]
Rye	1 40
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

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Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 39
Residence: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 86

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Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 307 Call 1, Residence 307, Call 3

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Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
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All work guaranteed satisfactory

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Catarrh Cannot Be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, [illegible] the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, [illegible] Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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which will be sold at
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EORGIA HAMILTON.

dging from the countless preparations treatments which are continually be- advertised for the purpose of making people fleshy, developing arms, neck bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness. Thinness and weakness are often due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is hing that will supply this deficiency well as the organic phosphate known ong druggists as bitro-phosphate, ch is inexpensive and is sold by most druggists under a guarantee of satis- tion or money back. By feeding the ves directly and by supplying the body s with the necessary phosphoric food ents, bitro-phosphate should produce welcome transformation in the appear- e; the increase in weight frequently ng astonishing.

ncrease in weight also carries with it general improvement in the health. rvousness, sleeplessness and lack of rgy, which nearly always accompany essive thinness, should soon disappear, eyes ought to brighten, and pale eks glow with the bloom of perfect lth. Miss Georgia Hamilton, who was e thin and frail, reporting her own erience, writes: "Bitro-Phosphate has ught about a magic transformation h me. I gained 15 pounds and never ore felt so well."

AUTION:—Although bitro-phosphate is urpassed for relieving nervousness, eplessness and general weakness, it uld not, owing to its tendency to in- ase weight, be used by anyone who s not desire to put on flesh.

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hat is what the government sent last r to make the soldiers' and sailors' feet nfortable and fit for the kind of war y fought and finished.

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"'Do you think the motor will en- ely supersede the horse before ng?'

"'I hope not,' said the farmer. here must be some market for hay. u see, I depend on what I make on y hay to buy gasoline for the auto.'"

Location.

"Is he a parlor socialist?"

"No. He never got into a parlor. e's a saloon socialist."

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"I can handle any subject without oves."

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Nervousness often comes from weak kidneys. Many a person who worries over trifles and is troubled with neuralgia, rheumatic pains and backache, would find relief through a good kidney remedy. If you have nervous attacks with headaches, backaches, dizzy spells and sharp, shooting pains, or if you are annoyed by bladder troubles, try *Doan's Kidney Pills*. They have brought quick benefit in thousands of such cases.

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. W. E. Crawford, 124 W. Sixth St., Devils Lake, N. Dak., says: "I suffered a great deal from heavy bearing down pains in the lower part of my back, especially during the day. A tired feeling clung to me. I felt all worn out and had no ambition. Doan's Kidney Pills were highly recommended and soon after using them, I got relief. They took away the distress in my back and made me feel a hundred per cent better."

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DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

Important News Events of the World Summarized

Personal

Charles Rock, the well-known English actor, died in London.

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The baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie S. Chaplin is dead at Los Angeles, Cal. The child lived but 70 hours.

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Washington

One officer and six enlisted men were killed in the destruction of the American mine sweeper Richard H. Buckley by the explosion of a mine in the North Sea, according to a Washington dispatch.

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Over 4,000 Chicago post office clerks are affected by an increase in wages of $100 annually, which was authorized by the post office department in Washington.

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Without a record vote, the senate at Washington adopted Senator Lodge's resolution asking the president for information as to an alleged treaty negotiated between Japan and Germany in 1918.

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Resumption of mail service between the United States and Germany, effective immediately, was provided in an order signed by Postmaster General Burleson at Washington.

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The house at Washington failed to pass the agricultural appropriation bill, with its rider repealing the daylight saving law, over the veto of President Wilson.

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President Wilson at Washington discussed the peace treaty at some length with Senators King of Utah and McKeller of Tennessee, who were among half a dozen White House callers.

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"Vastly improved conditions" were found in Mexico by Ygnacio Bonillas, Mexican ambassador to the United States, he said upon his return to Washington after a month's absence.

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Preparations for the early return of General Pershing and his personal staff from France is indicated, army officials at Washington said, in recent dispatches from abroad.

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An amendment to the war-time prohibition bill which would have permitted the sale of 2¾ per cent beer was voted down in the house at Washington, 128 to 84.

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Appropriations of at least $20,000,000 will be needed this year for rehabilitating and educating wounded soldiers, sailors and marines, the house appropriations committee at Washington was told by James P. Munroe, vice chairman of the federal board of vocational education.

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The Pacific fleet, it was announced at Washington by Admiral Rodman after a conference with Secretary Daniels, will sail for the Pacific coast on July 19 from Hampton Roads and will in all probability be at San Francisco August 15.

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President Wilson on Monday received an Abyssinian mission sent to this country to congratulate the American government on the victory of the associated nations. Members of the mission appeared in gorgeous costumes of red velvet, decorated with gold, and wore jeweled turbans.

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Reports that the United States proposes to intervene in Mexico are "made of whole cloth," Secretary Lansing told newspaper men at Paris just before his departure for America.

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Trade between the United States and Germany will be resumed immediately, Acting Secretary Polk of the state department at Washington announced.

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Foreign

A Vienna dispatch says a great battle is reported to have been in progress for several days in eastern Galicia between Ukranians under General Gregow and two Polish armies.

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A small crowd of Germans gathered before the Y. M. C. A. at Berlin, threatening Americans who were attending an entertainment.

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A Berne dispatch says some of the Swiss cantons, including Zurich and Thurgau, have forbidden automobiling on Sunday.

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The waiters' strike in Paris has been settled, an agreement being reached between representatives of the strikers and the employers. All cafes and restaurants will reopen.

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When the Victory day parade was in progress at Paris the roof of a house on the Boulevard St. Martin collapsed. Eighteen persons were injured.

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Three thousand Galician Jews have been arrested in the streets of Budapest, according to advices received at Vienna.

Notwithstanding strong opposition by the government, a house of commons committee at London approved by a vote of 15 to 12 a clause in the alien bill restricting the employment of aliens in Great Britain.

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Argentine government reports show that 1,000,000 sheep and 100,000 cattle have been drowned in floods in the southern part of Buenos Aires province.

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The national council of the socialist party at Paris decided to oppose ratification of the peace treaty. The vote was 1,420 to 114, with 387 abstentions.

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The American First division completed the taking over of the outline post of the bridgehead from the Second division, which is preparing to start entraining at Coblenz for home.

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Gen. John J. Pershing, commander of the American forces in France, arrived at London with his staff to take part in the peace celebration. He was met at Dover by Gen. Sir Henry S. Horne and a guard of honor.

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Strike disorders occurred at various places in Italy, according to a Rome dispatch. At Lucera eight persons were killed and thirty wounded.

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The government of Premier Nitti at Rome, which took office several weeks ago, received a vote of confidence in the chamber of deputies. The vote passed 257 to 111.

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The British airship NS-11, which left Pulham in a 48-hour flight, was struck by lightning and its crew of 12 men lost, according to a London dispatch. The NS-11 was engaged in mine-sweeping.

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A terrific battle between armed strikers and police is reported from Lucera, southern Italy. Six persons were killed, three are dying and twenty-five were wounded.

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Germany, not Holland, will be asked by the allied and associated governments to hand over the ex-kaiser for trial, according to the latest semiofficial information received at London.

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Four men, convicted of illicit speculation in sugar, were sentenced to from one to fifteen month's imprisonment and fined in the aggregate $20,000 by the criminal court at Marseilles, France.

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Enver Pasha, Asha Talaat Bey and Djemal Pasha, leaders of the Turkish government during the war, were condemned to death at Constantinople by a Turkish court-martial.

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The dirigible R-34 completed her return across the Atlantic from Mineola, L. I., landing at Pulham, Norfolk, near London, after a voyage lasting 75 hours and 15 minutes.

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Domestic

The Calumet and Hecla and the Mohawk Wolverine Mining companies announced at Calumet, Mich., the restoration of war-time wages, allowing an increase of 15 per cent in the wages of 12,500 men.

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Twenty-six men are reported by London to have been killed in an explosion on board the American oil carrying ship Roseleaf at Cardiff, Wales. The vessel was in drydock at the time.

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Through a "house of representatives" and "senate," the 5,000 employees of the Riverside and Dan River cotton mills at Danville, Va., will have a voice in the conduct of the plant, it was announced by officials of the company.

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Three men lost their lives when a naval seaplane in a trial flight over the Delaware river took a nose dive about a mile from the Philadelphia navy yard.

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Capt. William S. Jones, twenty-five, and George Duzane, thirty, mechanician, both of McCook field, at Dayton, O., died as a result of injuries received when the biplane in which they were riding crashed to earth.

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A jury in Judge Brentano's court at Chicago found Mme. Vera Trepagnier guilty of killing Paul E. Volland. It fixed the crime as manslaughter, carrying a sentence of from one year to life in the penitentiary.

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Three bandits attacked Miss Goldie Pritkin, twenty-two years old, cashier for Belson & Lure, wholesale commission merchants at Chicago, and escaped with $1,002. The girl was going to the bank.

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A man and woman are dying and many others are nursing wounds as the result of the renewal of rioting and a battle between guards and strikers of the Corn Products Refining company at Argo, Ill.

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Heavy rains, accompanied by a severe windstorm swept over the Crookston (Minn.) section, causing much crop damage and destroying several buildings on farms.

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Twenty-five persons were injured, several probably fatally, when lightning struck a crowded Hamilton avenue street car at Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Eighty-seven persons are known to have been drowned and the loss of life may have been much greater, in a hurricane which swept Valparaiso, Chile.

AUSTRIA GETS TEXT OF TERMS

Final Clauses of the Proposed Treaty Are Now in That Country's Hands.

EVENT UNCEREMONIAL

Terms Comprise Full Text of Treaty Austria Will Be Asked to Sign—They Are Similar to Germans' Terms.

Paris, July 22.—The full peace conditions of the allied and associated powers are now in the hands of the Austrians. The first sections of the terms were presented to the Austrian delegates at St. Germain on June 2, the final sections were delivered to them at the same place yesterday, without ceremony, by M. Dutasta, secretary general of the peace conference.

The terms comprise the whole treaty which Austria is asked to sign, including the reparation, financial, military and certain minor clauses, which were not ready for presentation when the official ceremony took place.

In an accompanying memorandum the Austrians are granted 10 days in which to make their final observations, although they have already submitted a large number of notes on the terms previously submitted to them.

In addition to the published summary of the terms of June 2, the new clauses provide for reparation arrangements very similar to those in the treaty with Germany, including the establishment of an Austrian sub-section of the reparation commission, the payment of a reasonable sum in cash, the issuing of bonds, and the delivery of livestock and certain historical and art documents.

The financial terms provide the Austrian pre-war debt shall be apportioned among various former parts of Austria and that the Austrian coinage and war bonds circulating in the separated territory shall be taken up by the new governments and redeemed as they see fit.

TO ALLOW BOOZE IN HOMES

Amendment Attached to Provisions of Prohibition Bill.

Washington, July 22.—The prohibition enforcement bill was adopted yesterday, section by section, by the house, but a man's right to store liquor in his home stood up against all attacks. On the final count, only three votes were recorded in favor of an amendment to make home posession of intoxicants unlawful.

The first fight of the day was over the section giving courts the right to put under bond a person convicted of violating the liquor law. This was stricken out after Representative Gard, democrat, Ohio, had pointed out that it provided double punishment for the poor man, who might be sent to jail. The vote was 88 to 66, many prohibitionists opposing its retention.

When the house reached section 35 of the bill, dealing with enforcement of constitutional prohibition, and which contained the provision that it was not unlawful to store liquor at the home for personal use, the scene was not unlike that on a stock market on a high sales day. Everybody wanted to speak or offer an amendment, fully a score clamoring for recognition.

The bill was amended to provide that liquors stored in private homes must be for personal consumption by the owner of the dwelling or his family or bona fide guests.

PRESIDENT WILSON IS ILL

Dysentery Causes Executive to Take to His Bed.

Washington, July 22.—President Wilson returned to Washington early yesterday from a week-end cruise to Hampton Roads and was immediately ordered to bed by his personal physician, Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson, who announced that the president was suffering from dysentery.

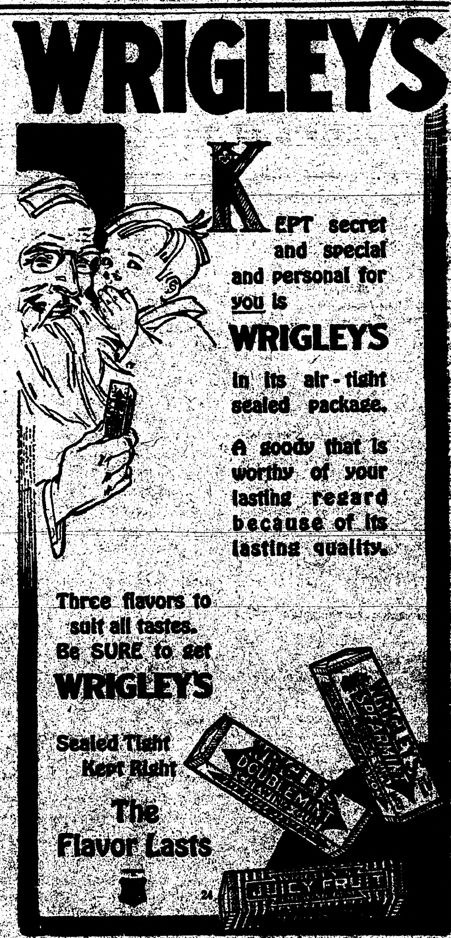
Admiral Grayson said the president's condition was not serious but that he probably would be unable to receive callers before the end of the week. The president was in a weakened but no wise serious condition last night after having spent the day in bed.

Attendance Records Are Broken.

Fargo, N. D., July 22.—All attendance records in the city of Fargo were broken yesterday on the opening date of the Inter-State fair 28,121 admissions being recorded at the three gates for the day. This is more than seven times the number of people who attended the opening day of the state fair in this city a year ago. The day's record was due to the soldiers' and sailors' homecoming celebration, which brought thousands to town besides those who attended the fair.

Ten Killed by Falling Blimp.

Chicago, Ill., July 22.—Ten persons were killed and 25 injured, when a large dirigible on its test flight caught fire, and fell about 500 feet, crashing through the glass roof of the Illinois Trust and Savings bank at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Most of the dead were employes of the bank, trapped and burned to death in a fire caused by the explosion of the balloon's gasoline tanks as they hit the floor of the bank rotunda, where more than 200 bookkeepers and clerks, nearly all girls, were working.



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Catty Comment.

Belle—I'd just like to see any man try to kiss me!

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Cuticura Soothes Itching Scalp

On retiring gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Make them your every-day toilet preparations and have a clear skin and soft, white hands.—Adv.

OLD NAMES RETURN TO FAVOR

Nomenclature in England Shows Effect of War's End on Minds of Parents.

Parents are giving their "Peace Year" babies much prettier names than those who were born during the war period.

Investigation of the registers at Somerset house shows some of the most popular names for boys and girls now are Ronald, Edward, George, Gordon, Jean, Kathleen, Irene, Marguerite.

Lilian is another popular name for girls today, and among Welsh people "Megan" is a great favorite.

Names of flowers are more in vogue now, and politics and loyalty are not without their influence upon the register's books. Oddly enough the early Victorian names are cropping up again—Susannah and Letitia are occurring much more frequently than they have for many years, but except in remote rural districts Biblical names have not held sway for some decades.—London Chronicle.

These Modern Dances.

"You say you don't dance, Mr. Black."

"No. I gave it up a year ago."

"What's the trouble, too awkward?"

"Not at all, just too modest."

Mad at Her.

"Was the host agreeable?"

"With everybody except his own wife."

FIND GOLD IN EAST INDIES

Precious Metal Is Sought in Many Places, Though No Great Amounts Are Recorded.

Gold is found in Sumatra, the Celebes and in Dutch Borneo in beach deposits, alluvial deposits, tertiary gravel beds and also in vein deposits. According to a government report, the working of the gravel beds has so far been of little importance, and the dredging companies have met with little success. The natives are employed to some extent in the washing of river sediment, and in certain parts of Sumatra they also work the tertiary beds in a primitive way by tunnels. The larger companies confine themselves to working vein deposits.

It is understood that the greatest quantity of gold is produced in the residency of Benkulen, Sumatra. The gold mining area extends sometimes to a length of two and one-half miles. Water power can be employed nearly everywhere. Some mines in central Sumatra are being worked. The mines in the Celebes are not as rich as those in Sumatra.

A Ghastly Loan.

Representative Bascom Slemp said in Richmond the other day:

"There's something ghastly about German resourcefulness, something that reminds me of Bill's silk hat.

"Bill was on his way to Joe's funeral in a resplendent silk hat. A friend also on the way to the funeral, met him and eyed the tile enviously.

"'Where did you get it, Bill?' he said. 'You don't own a tile—I know that.'

"'Sh!' said Bill. 'It's poor Joe's. I borrowed it off the widow.'"

Not Too Reformed.

"I heard Second-Story Bill killed Burglar Jim." "Yes; Jim called him a reformer."—Cartoons Magazine.

Maybe the "war lord" wore a steel helmet to protect his head from the shafts of common intelligence.

A Health-Bringer!

Make your morning cereal dish a strengthener.

Grape-Nuts

is not only most delicious in taste, but is a builder of tissue.

"There's a Reason"

NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings in Minnesota Given in Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Crookston.—The Crookston breadmakers won first prize in the bread baking contest held in Floral hall during the fair.

Wadena.—W. L. Schafer sold his sixty-acre farm on the western outskirts of this city to J. H. Krips of Compton townships for $130 an acre.

Virginia.—With many members of the Moose order from both ranges present a range Legion of Moose was organized here when 120 were initiated.

Red Lake Falls.—Work on the Red Lake Falls hotel, which has been largely held up by lack of brick and tile, has been resumed, as a big shipment has been made from the Twin Cities.

Wadena.—Engineer E. S. Ward has severed his connections with the highway commission as road engineer and will be in the employ of the county hereafter at a salary of $200 per month.

Hallock.—Ed. Feldt of Robbin, Minn., was drowned in the river here while bathing. He was married and the father of five children. About ten years ago he was the leader of the Robbin band.

Bemidji.—A meeting of the Beltrami county board will be held soon for the purpose of opening bids for the sale of $[illegible],000 road bonds and it is expected there will be no difficulty in disposing of them.

Minneapolis.—A bulletin issued by the College of Agriculture announces that the recent influx of insects mistaken for gnats or mosquitoes are black flies. Smudges are advised, and other measures decided for warding off the insects' attacks.

Crookston.—Marshall and Pennington county farmers who suffered loss from this year's floods in those counties will receive aid from the Red River Valley Development association according to C. G. Selvig, Crookston, secretary of the association.

Crookston.—With the haying season on in full swing the demand for men has been increasing rapidly, according to County Agent R. H. Van Scoick. The demand for men is slightly greater than the supply although no particular shortage is being experienced.

Thief River Falls.—One cattle barn, 26 by 60 feet, has been completed at the fair grounds and another has been begun. If the others can be kept within the cost of the first one the entire program, which calls for three such buildings, will be carried out this year.

Royalton.—Mary, the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Borash, who reside three miles north of town, met her death by drowning in the Platte river, while attempting to save her little sister, 6, from a like fate. The little one was saved by a brother.

Virginia.—Range blueberries are abundant and hundreds of berry-pickers go to the lakes north of the city. The Sand Lake road being one of the most popular highways visited by pickers as berries grow near the road. Truck and passenger cars take the pickers to the favorite patches.

St. Paul.—A public auction of 450 confiscated shotguns, rifles, revolvers, shell cases, belts, fishing tackle and other sporting paraphernalia will be held by the State Game and Fish department August 1 and 2 at 115 West Sixth street, St. Paul. This is the first sale held by the department.

Minneapolis.—Funeral services for Patrolman John F. Young, 51, who was shot and killed by one of five safe blowers, who attempted to crack the safe in the Minneapolis Packing plant, were held in Holy Rosary church, and burial was in St. Mary's cemetery. Fellow patrolmen served as pallbearers and attendants included officials of the Minneapolis police department, led by Chief J. F. Walker.

Brainerd.—Officers elected and installed at the convention of the Sons of Norway district comprising Minnesota, South Dakota and Iowa included past president Mons Hague, Appleton; president, Judge Lewis Larson, Sioux Falls, S. D.; vice president, George Reinholdtsen, St. Paul; secretary, Hallward Askeland, Minneapolis; treasurer, Andrew Steinmund, Duluth. The 1921 convention was won by Sioux Falls.

Minneapolis.—Theodore S. Wold, governor of the Ninth district federal reserve bank, has announced his resignation, effective Oct. 1. Mr. Wold was elected vice president and a member of the board of directors of the Northwestern National bank of Minneapolis to succeed Joseph Chapman, who has obtained an interest in the department store of L. S. Donaldson & Company, and will be associated with Mr. Donaldson in the active management of the store.

Brainerd.—Beer and whisky valued at more than $700, seized in a raid on Mille Lacs lake resort, were dumped into the river here by Sheriff Claus A. Theorin. C. N. Cannon of Mille Lacs county was the owner of the larger portion of the confiscated liquor, according to the police authorities.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has directed J. H. Hay, assistant commissioner of agriculture, to go to Thief River Falls to investigate conditions resulting from a cloudburst July 2 and 3. The report will be used to aid settlers who are reported to have lost their crops and livestock.

Bemidji.—The board of education decided to purchase a motor bus for conveying the school children to and from their homes.

Stillwater.—The city council ordered the unearned portion of the $1,000 retail liquor license for 1919 returned to the holders.

St. Paul.—Applications for tuition refunds from 300 former members of the S. A. T. C. at Carleton and St. Olaf's college were received at the office of Adjt.-Gen. W. F. Rhinow.

Thief River Falls.—The city council has decided to submit to the people at the fall election the question of the adoption or rejection of the Sunday closing ordinance about which there is much difference of opinion.

Minneapolis. — Minneapolis postal receipts for the first 15 days of July show an increase of $10,992.94 over the same period one year ago. The reduction in postal rates that went into effect July 1, is the reason given for the increase.

Albany.—At a meeting of the presidents, secretaries and buttermakers of the co-operative creameries of Stearns county held here on Thursday an association to be known as the Stearns County Co-operative Creamery association was formed.

Moorhead.—Tornado insurance to the amount of $50,500 will be placed on the Clay county courthouse, it was decided by the Clay county board of commissioners. Andrew O. Houglum, Clay county auditor, also was authorized to take out tornado insurance on the county jail.

Bemidji.—Mrs. Sanborn of Bemidji has accepted the appointment as representative of the Sixth congressional district to the women's state Democratic committee of Minnesota, and will be one of the leaders in organizing the women's auxiliary to the Democratic party.

Sauk Rapids.—At a mass meeting it was decided to use the balance of the civilian relief fund for a monument to be erected not only for the boys who died in service in foreign fields and at home, but also in memory of the boys in the township and village who served with the army.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has announced a reward of $1,000 for arrest and conviction of the murderers of Jacob Carlson of Colvin, St. Louis county, a prominent Iron Range citizen active in draft board work. Carlson was killed June 15. An equal reward is offered by St. Louis county.

Warren.—Conditions in Roseau, Pennington and Marshall counties have been distressing on account of high water. Many of the farms are inundated and in places farmers will not even harvest enough potatoes for their own use. Trees are being cut down in order to get feed for stock from the leaves.

Jackson.—Jackson county officials are searching for an automobile party of seven men who forced entrance into the home of Francis L. West, a farmer living nine miles south of Windom, held up Mrs. West, a farm hand and Mrs. West's boy, and looted the cellar, which contained 150 cases of whisky valued at $8,000.

Bemidji.—Federal authorities are investigating the death of Mrs. Susan Defoe, the Indian woman who was found dead in the woods near Red Lake a few days ago. When found her body was bruised and murder was suspected. It is reported that arrests have been made in connection with the matter but the Federal men have not confirmed this report.

Brainerd.—Building operations now under way here include a three-story modern Northern Pacific railway depot, a three-story courthouse, costing over $250,000; a new waterworks plant, costing over $800,000; a new school in West Brainerd, a new flue house of the Northern Pacific railway shops, a large new garage of W. E. Lively and numerous fine residences, costing $5,000, $6,000 and more.

Eveleth.—John Smith, claimed to be the oldest man living in the world, and his adopted son, Thomas E. Smith, who were here most of last week, were forced to leave when Mayor Edward H. Hatch learned that they were partaking too freely of firewater. It could not be learned whether Smith got his whisky in Eveleth or whether he brought it with him, but he had it, and the effects were very evident.

Faribault.—Fred J. Oster, 13, of Belle Plaine, was drowned at the school for feeble-minded and apoplectic children here. While playing with other children in charge of an instructor he became separated from the party and when found some time afterwards was lying face down in a creek. According to the coroner's report he probably was seized with an apoplectic fit while crossing the stream and fell in.

St. Paul. — Minnesota's National Guard organization, which now contains three regiments of infantry, totaling 4,200 men, will be reduced to half that number in 1920, Major William C. Garis, chief of staff to Adjutant General Rhinow, said after news dispatches from Washington had announced that appropriations for the National Guard next year would permit the organization of National Guard units only on the basis of 200 men for each Senator and Congressman.

Brainerd.—J. T. Carey, of Albany, N. Y., international president of the papermakers union, and J. P. Burke, of Fort Edward, N. Y., international president of the pulp and sulphite workers, have arrived here. New schedules are being considered by the associations and paper making industries.

Mankato.—Bethany college incorporated is the title of a new corporation which was organized with $150,000 capital to take over the property of Bethany college and operate the school as a seminary for Lutheran girls.

Lift off Corns!

Doesn't hurt a bit and Freezone costs only a few cents.

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"Why do you waste your days and nights on these pictures?" asked the wife of a struggling painter. "You don't get enough for them to pay for the paint you use."

"I know, my dear," he answered, "but think! Rembrandt and others painted pictures and sold them for trifles, and now they are the masterpieces of this world and sell for a million dollars! I am not painting for us, I am painting for our descendants."

"Humph!" was the wife's discouraging reply. "You don't make enough for us to raise any descendants."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Father Dodged.

"I couldn't decide among my beaux so I sent 'em all to get father's consent."

"Well!"

"Now I'm worse off than ever. He gave his consent to every one of them."

Affected by the Moon.

Professor—Does the moon affect the tide?

Student—No, sir; merely the untied.

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There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

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Prepare for the worst, hope for the best and take what comes.

They can conquer who believe they can.—Mazzini.

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No organs of the human body are so important to health and long life as the kidneys. When they slow up and commence to lag in their duties, look out! Danger is in sight.

Find out what the trouble is—without delay. Whenever you feel nervous, weak, dizzy, suffer from sleeplessness, or have pains in the back, wake up at once. Your kidneys need help. These are signs to warn you that your kidneys are not performing their functions properly. They are only half doing their work and are allowing impurities to accumulate and be converted into uric acid and other poisons, which are causing you distress and will destroy you unless they are driven from your system.

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Portland, Ind.—"I had a displacement and suffered so badly from it at times I could not be on my feet at all. I was all run down and so weak I could not do my housework, was nervous and could not lie down at night. I took treatments from a physician but they did not help me. My Aunt recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I tried it and now I am strong and well again and do my own work and I give Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound the credit."—Mrs. Josephine Kimble, 935 West Race Street, Portland, Ind.

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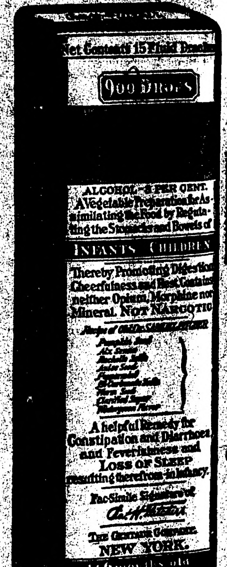

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Bunk.

A soldier, coming through the gate with something under his coat was stopped by the officer of the day and asked:

"What is that you have under there—a tumor?"

"No, it's a can-cer," was the reply.—The Trouble Buster.

The Superlative One.

"The consequential man you see over the way is the whole show."

"Who is the sharp-looking woman near him?"

"That's his wife. She bosses the show."

Cheerfulness is like money well expended in charity; the more we dispense of it the greater our possessions.—Victor Hugo.

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YOUR EYES

His Description.

The Chinese are not a race given to flattery. A gentleman called at a Chinese laundry for his clothes. On receiving the package he noticed some Chinese characters marked upon it. Being curious, he asked, pointing to the lettering:

"That is my name, I suppose?"

"No. 'Scliption,'" was the Chinaman's bland reply. "'Lil' ol' man, close-eyed, no teet'!"

Men and Horses.

"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "I should think race horses would feel foolish!"

"Why?"

"Because they keep running around in great excitement and never really get anywhere—just like the people who bet on them."

A boy who will howl at a necessary "lacing" will laugh at a finger broken in a ball game.

The perfume of the violet has been found to be particularly injurious to the voice.

Easy to Tell.

June—Is that her dad or her husband with her?

Bess—Her dad, of course. She's asking his opinion of something.—Boston Globe.

Automobiling may be the poetry of motion until the machine breaks down; then it is blank verse.

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be allowed ... Shall fixed prices be established for registered seed? Shall control be had for cleaning, selling and shipping? ... prices be recommended? ... be submitted at a conference to be held early in the coming winter.

Found: Child's sweater. Owner please prove property and pay for this notice.

... He denied emphatically that he ever said he would raise this flag above the stars and stripes, and said the statement that he ... a terrible thing to say about an American.

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Progress on New Buildings

Work is progressing nicely on ... house on the farm.

The front of the old ... hotel house is being torn down to make room for the new brick addition.

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Army and Navy News

Lewis Roseland returned home on Saturday from several months overseas service.

Peter Ostlund returned home last week Thursday. He is well and glad to be home again.

Bentley Nelson went to Grand Forks Monday ... had employment when he entered the service.

Over three ... doughnuts were given ... France by the Salvation Army ... fourteen hundred ... were held ... conversions.

John Sorum ... Tuesday ...

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... Overseas Dispatch Motorcycle ... will demonstrate Military Dispatch Riding and contest ... speed races featuring such daring riders as Shorty Thompson, Fred Green, Red Olson, and Speed Johnson all having recently ridden for Uncle Sam in the A. E. F. at the Pennington County Fair, Thief River Falls, Aug 5—8.

J. L. Hirsch expects to go to St. Hilaire next week to take charge of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.'s elevator at that place, and their agent there will come to Holt to run their new elevator here. This transfer is made on account of Mr. Hirsch not being able to get a house here to move his family into and the St. Hilaire man can live here because he is still a single man. This last bit of information is given for the benefit of the young ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl ... Mrs. C. S. ... Edwin ... and daughter ... Sunday morning to visit ... miles west of Newfolden at the Carl Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Adams, son Myron, and Miss Ingeborg Nelson went to Ragdale Friday to visit relatives and to take in the sights at Maple Lake Sunday. Mr. Adams returned Tuesday, the others remaining for a longer visit.

Nine big features, free circus acts are included in the program and the great Clifton-Kelley shows will be opened day and night, these shows are the best that money can buy and are clean and free from all objectional features, you be at the Pennington County Fair, Thief River Falls, August 6-7-8

The Joke On The Jokers.

If there is one thing above all others in which Holt shines forth as the morning sun, it is Her big Heart. A Heart pulsating with sympathy for the distressed, a Heart overflowing with joyousness for those who are happy—in short She weeps with those who weep and rejoices with those who rejoice.

A demonstration of the latter was forth coming Monday night when a score or more of the town people joined ... "Auld Lang Syne". The thrilling notes of this noted ... silenced the warbling of the nightingale and whippoorwill, while the bull frog ... lullaby, made ... cover. But not ... verily the louder ... harder he hit, but ... the King hospitality of friends ... were in order. But ... that jarred ... flew ... understand the ... however, congratulations ... on the ... and condolences ... bride.

Once ... the ... with ... searchlights to guide ... matrimonial sea of ... to ... The groom and ... all ... groom ... gallantly ... to ice cream ... served a delicious ... which were very ...

A ... evening was spent and at an early hour in the morning the ... party ... with kind wishes ...

... a ... of thanks ... Holt, who turned out ...

... Elling Wagendahl's well Saturday. It is sixty-six feet deep and has a good vein of water that comes to within about 20 feet of the top.

Mr McBane moves from there to Mr. Tom Sabstad's to drill his well deeper.

All persons living in Minnesota, eastern North and South Dakota, northern Iowa, and western Wisconsin, will be able to get a fare and a half rate to the Minnesota State Fair, Aug. 30 to Sept. 6, as the result of a ruling just made by the U. S. Railroad Administration.

The fair will open Saturday morn Aug. 30, and continue eight days.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Myhre will hold services here next Sunday evening at eight o'clock. All are welcome.

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Card of Thanks

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News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

Foreign

An El Paso (Tex.) dispatch says Francisco Villa and Gen. Felipe Angeles have disbanded their forces until September, and announced to their troops they will go to Japan in an effort to obtain ammunition for the Villa revolution.

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The Japanese delegation to the peace conference at Paris made denial of assertions that the treaty clause giving Japan the concession in Shantung was in exchange for the withdrawal of the racial clause.

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France may again be put on bread rations in September. It was said at Paris the system of bread cards probably would be re-established in that month, because of a possible shortage of wheat.

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The First battalion of the Three Hundred and Tenth American engineers reached Brest from Archangel. The Three Hundred and Tenth engineers are from Michigan and Wisconsin.

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Troops were moved into Yorkshire area affected by the coal strike. Sir Eric Geddes, the government's representative at London, explained that the move was for the protection of the navy men engaged in keeping the mine pumps in operation.

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Austria's army is reduced to 30,000 on a purely voluntary basis, by one of the military terms of peace which, together with the reparation clauses and a number of minor terms, were handed to the Austrian delegates at Paris.

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The American consulate at Juarez received a report from Carranza military authorities that 250 Villa followers had surrendered to federal commanders and had been given amnesty.

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By a vote of 272 to 181 the chamber of deputies at Paris sustained the Clemenceau cabinet.

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At Cork a crowd of Sinn Feiners attacked police and soldiers. A constable was wounded. There was much street rioting.

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The state of siege in Pomerania has been raised, according to advices received at Copenhagen from Stettin. The counter-strike of citizens in Stettin has ended.

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Peace riots are reported from various English towns. At Luton, Bedfordshire, the town hall was burned by rioters. One hundred persons were injured in peace riots at Melbourne.

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A policeman was shot while attempting to stop a fight between soldiers and civilians at Dublin.

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The bolshevik government at Petrograd refused to release members of the Swedish legation at Petrograd, recently arrested, it was announced at Stockholm.

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German espionage is reported from Warsaw to be thriving throughout Poland. The Polish government has forbidden the sale of German newspapers and also has prohibited the publication of personal and family announcements except death notices.

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Theodore Patterson, a British subject and superintendent of the mines of the Mazapil Copper company, was murdered by Mexican bandits, according to a dispatch received at Laredo, Tex.

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Washington

Federal regulation of the navigation of the air is provided in a bill introduced in the senate at Washington by Senator Sherman of Illinois.

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By a vote of 368 to 47 the house at Washington passed the bill providing a minimum wage of $4 for all government employees except those in the postal service. The wage is exclusive of the war-time bonus.

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A motion to strike from the prohibition enforcement bill the provision permitting storage of liquor in the home for personal use was defeated in the house at Washington, 10 to 3.

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The Mexican government has informed the state department at Washington that it will exhaust all means to prosecute and punish the bandits who murdered John W. Correll, an American citizen.

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The prohibition enforcement bill, described by opponents of the measure as drastic enough to invite a veto by President Wilson, was finally passed by the house at Washington. The vote was 287 to 100.

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The resignation of Col. Samuel T. Ansell, former acting judge advocate general of the army, was accepted by Secretary Baker at Washington. Colonel Ansell has announced that he will continue his fight for a radical revision of the army court-martial system.

President Wilson at Washington denied published reports that he had told senators he was responsible for the Shantung settlement in the treaty with Germany. An official statement issued at the White House said the president had "exerted all the influence he was at liberty to exercise in the circumstances" to obtain a modification of the Shantung provision.

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Thomas J. Mooney did not receive full justice in his trial at San Francisco for alleged connection with the preparedness day bomb explosion, for which he is serving a life term, according to a report to the house at Washington by John B. Densmore, who investigated the case for the government.

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The United States will sign the peace treaties with Bulgaria and Turkey, it was announced at the state department at Washington. Although the United States never has been actually at war with Bulgaria and Turkey, it will sign the treaties to show its concurrence in the terms imposed upon those allies of Germany and Austria.

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A Washington dispatch says all interned civilian enemy aliens except those guilty of advocating anarchistic doctrines and those who desire to be repatriated will be freed soon by the United States.

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Deportations of 513 enemy aliens for violations of various war statutes is proposed in a bill unanimously reported by the house immigration committee at Washington.

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President Wilson's recommendation that the American legation at Brussels, Belgium, be raised to the rank of an embassy was approved unanimously in the senate foreign relations committee at Washington.

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It now costs no more to send a letter by airplane than by train. Under an order issued by Postmaster General Burleson at Washington all first-class mail is placed on the same basis.

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Henry P. Fletcher, American ambassador to Mexico, told the house rules committee at Washington that since his appointment three years ago about fifty Americans had been killed in Mexico without a prosecution being made by the Mexican authorities.

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Personal

Cardinal Gibbons observed his eighty-fifth birthday Wednesday. He passed the day very quietly at the home of Robert O. Shriver at Union Mills, Md.

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Following an illness of one month, George Primrose, famous minstrel died at San Francisco. Primrose was born in London, Ont., in 1853. He began his stage career at fifteen.

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Frank L. Polk, undersecretary of state, sailed from New York on the steamship Imperator for France to take the place of Secretary Lansing at the peace conference.

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Domestic

By 271 to 104 the Minnesota Federation of Labor at New Ulm voted down a formal proposal, introduced by State Representative Frank Miner of Minneapolis, to participate in a general strike starting September 1.

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Governor Sproul at Harrisburg, Pa., vetoed the Ramsey prohibition enforcement act, which would permit the manufacture of 2.75 beer.

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Officials of the federal prison at Leavenworth will begin a thorough investigation of the fire which damaged the west cell wing Saturday night, believing that the fire was of incendiary origin. The damage is estimated at $100,000.

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Twenty-five hundred military prisoners in the disciplinary barracks at the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., went on strike and have repeatedly resisted attempts of the guards to force them to work.

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Two bandits held up Philip Fleming, a messenger of the Austin National bank of Chicago and robbed him of $45,800.

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A complete confession that he has made away with approximately $900,000 from the North Penn bank, of which he was cashier, was made by Ralph T. Moyer at Philadelphia. The cashier appeared at the city hall and surrendered himself.

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Twelve were killed and twenty-eight injured when a gigantic dirigible on its test flight caught fire and fell 500 feet, crashing through the glass roof of the Illinois Trust and Savings bank of Chicago shortly before five o'clock in the afternoon. Nine of the dead were employees of the bank, trapped and burned to death in a withering rain of fire caused by the explosion of the balloon's gasoline tanks.

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Fresh outbreaks between the whites and blacks occurred at Washington. One white man was killed and one was mortally wounded. A third man was attacked and stabbed.

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The State bank of Donnellson, Ill., ten miles south of Hillsboro, was robbed of about $100,000 in Liberty bonds and $90,000 in securities.

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Patrick Limerick, forty, a farmer, near La Crosse, Wis., was gored to death by a bull when he tried to feed him salt.

7 ARE KILLED IN CHICAGO RIOTING

Race Animosity Breaks Out in Windy City With Alarming Results.

5 BLACK, 2 WHITE DEAD

Troops Are Mobilized for Eventualities But Not Taken to Black Belt. —Fighting Spreads Over Large Area.

Chicago, July 29.—Seven persons were killed and more than two score injured, many of them seriously, in a renewal of race riots in the Chicago "black belt" last night.

For more than five hours the five-mile area on the south side was a battleground of scattered fights between whites and blacks, and between policemen and negroes, who fired from housetops, from dark alleys and other points of vantage.

The call for troops to quell the outbreaks resulted in four regiments of national guardsmen being mobilized, but at a late hour they had not been dispatched to the district, and Chief of Police Garrity expressed the belief that the worst of the disorder had passed.

Five of the dead are negroes and two are whites.

Riots Started on Lake Beaches.

The riots, which started on the south side beaches, were renewed when negro laborers began leaving the plants and by dusk more than a score of separate outbreaks had occurred. Whites began dragging negroes from street cars, the negroes retaliated with stones and knives.

A flying squadron of blacks mounted a touring car, and riding at full speed through the section known as "No Man's Land," sent a volley of shots at a group of whites. One white woman was injured, but not fatally. The negroes were overtaken after a long chase and placed under arrest.

Shortly afterward a mob of several hundred blacks formed at Thirty-fifth street and began stoning a policeman. In a twinkling gunfire was opened and four of the negroes fell, all mortally wounded.

A negro chauffeur was killed by whites a few minutes later in the same block. Scores of arrests were made but where the rioters were found to be unarmed they were released.

Negroes began looting stores of whites in one district shortly after the firing of revolvers by a squad of policemen in an effort to break up a fight over a small purchase of groceries. The police soon emptied their guns. The looting continued until a special squad of police, armed with rifles, arrived. They fired low, felling half a dozen blacks.

WILSON TO SUBMIT TREATY

Senate May Have Proposed Defense for Approval Soon.

Washington, July 29.—The special defense treaty with France, which Republican senators have declared President Wilson is withholding from the senate in violation of its own terms, probably will be submitted for ratification within a few days.

To a group of Democratic senators with whom he talked at the capitol the president indicated that the treaty which promises American aid to France in case of an unprovoked attack from Germany, would be laid before the senate before Mr. Wilson begins his country-wide speaking tour. It was said he probably would not present it in person, but would send with it a written message urging its ratification.

CHILD SLAYER IS INDICTED

Quick Trial Asked for Self-Confessed Chicago Murderer.

Chicago, July 28.—Within an hour after a coroner's jury had held Thomas Fitzgerald, confessed murder of six-year-old Janet Wilkinson, to the grand jury, the latter returned an indictment charging Fitzgerald with the murder and asking for a speedy trial.

Assistant States Attorney J. O'Brien said that as soon as counsel could be obtained for Fitzgerald, "we will be ready to try him." As yet no lawyer has offered his services to the slayer.

Fitzgerald has signed a written confession that he strangled Janet, a neighbor's child, to death last Tuesday.

Marine Strike Settled.

New York, July 29.—The strike which for about three weeks has tied up shipping along the Atlantic and Gulf seaboard was finally settled last night, when an agreement on wages was reached with the marine engineers. William S. Brown, national president of the engineers' union, immediately sent out orders to move ships without delay.

Chicago, July 29.—Street car employes last night voted to strike at 4 a. m. today, after refusing to ratify an agreement reached between representatives of the employes and employers. The agreement, representatives of both parties had thought, would avert a walkout of the men.

Rio de Janeiro, July 29.—Dr. Epitacio Pessoa was inaugurated tenth president of Brazil in the senate chamber at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Vice President Moreira administered the oath.

RUSSIA NEEDS U. S. SOLDIERS

So Says President Wilson in Response to Johnson Resolution.

GUARD SIBERIAN ROAD

"Vital Element in Sustaining Traffic," Says the President—Required by Agreement With Japan.

Washington, July 26.—President Wilson has informed the senate, in response to a resolution by Senator Johnson, Republican, California, that the presence of American troops in Siberia is a "vital element" in the restoration and maintenance of traffic on the Siberian railroad and under the agreement with Japan they can be withdrawn only when the American railway experts operating the road are withdrawn.

The president said Siberia could be protected from a further period of chaos and anarchy only by keeping the railroad open and, lacking the essentials of life, the people there were looking to the United States and the allies for economic assistance. This is being extended and additional supplies are to be sent forward.

Purpose Twofold.

The original purposes of the American military expedition, Mr. Wilson wrote, were twofold; the saving of the Czecho Slovak forces, and the steadying of the efforts of the Russians at self-defense or the establishment of law and order, in which they might be willing to accept assistance.

Major General Graves, commanding the expedition of 8,000 men, was specifically directed not to interfere in Russian affairs, the president said, but to support whenever necessary, John H. Stevens, American railway engineer, who is carrying out the work of rehabilitating the Siberian railroad under the direction of the inter-allied committee.

AIR MAIL MEN MAY STRIKE

U. S. Aeronauts Protest That Planes Are Unfit.

New York, July 26.—The strike of aerial mail pilots which went into effect yesterday has been called off pending conferences in Washington between Second Assistant Postmaster General Praeger and representatives of the strikers, it was announced by Superintendent Stanton of the eastern postal division prior to his departure for Washington in an airplane.

The proposed strike, the first of its kind in the country, followed the refusal of the postoffice department to reinstate two pilots discharged for refusing to take out planes Tuesday on account of the fog. Postoffices at Belmont Park, Long Island, the landing field for mail planes, stated that they had received instructions to give out no information concerning the aviators' action.

The pilots say that they complained on several occasions that the planes were poorly equipped for flying because of their high speed. They said they desired lighter and slower machines as in misty or foggy weather the visibility was so poor as to make high speed dangerous. The men declared that since July 15 no less than 15 accidents have occurred in which ten planes were demolished and two aviators killed.

JAP SITUATION MAY CLEAR

President Hopeful of Favorable Information Soon, Is Report.

Washington, July 26.—Diplomatic discussions with Japan over the Shantung provision in the peace treaty have reached a stage where President Wilson is reported as very hopeful of developments within a few days that will clear the air and remove much of the senate opposition.

This interpretation of the president's expectations was expressed by Senator Spencer, Republican, Missouri, after a long talk with Mr. Wilson. The senator declined to go into details and both the White House and the state department were silent on the subject. There were indications that the conversations with Japan, though quite informal in character, had as their object such a declaration from Tokio as would satisfy China and result in her acceptance of the treaty.

Patrick Cudahy Is Dead.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 26.—Patrick Cudahy of the Cudahy Packing company, Cudahy, Wis., died suddenly yesterday from an apoplectic stroke. His death removes the third of the Cudahy brothers, whose rise to wealth makes one of the most remarkable chapters in the history of western business.

To Probe Cause of Horgan's Death.

Fargo, July 26.—The manner in which Joseph E. Horgan came under the wheel of the traction engine which caused his death by crushing his skull Thursday night will be determined, it is expected, at the coroner's inquest. Several eye witnesses to the tragedy have been summoned to testify, and it is understood they will substantiate the statement of Frank Wheeler, a motorman, that an automobile struck Horgan and threw him under the wheel of the tractor.

FORGERY PLOT IN FEDERAL PRISON

Gigantic Swindle Operated From Within Walls of Fort Leavenworth.

SCORE UNDER ARREST

Subtreasury Checks and Checks on Private Concerns Printed in Prison Printing Office — Confession Reveals Amazing Plot.

Chicago.—An amazing story of forgery and counterfeiting carried on by a band of 25 men in the federal prison in Fort Leavenworth, was revealed in this city through the arrest of several of the participants.

The arrests, which were made after six weeks' work by Peter Drantzberg and W. G. Harper, assistants to Capt. Thomas I. Porter, chief of the Chicago district of the United States secret service, turned up the entire conspiracy.

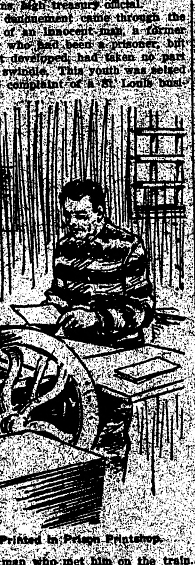
The forgery, from which perhaps $100,000 has been realized through the use of many names of prominence, involved the printing of 1,000 subtreasury checks, calling for $100 each, as well as checks on private concerns, such as the United Fruit company of New Orleans. The printing of these was done in the prison printing office at Fort Leavenworth.

Also Forged Letterheads.

In order to get paper on which to print the private checks the prisoners had to obtain supplies of the best bank paper. So they wrote for samples to the leading supply houses of the country.

On a large number of the phony checks the name "C. Skelton Williams" was written. These checks passed more readily than any, it being hastily assumed by the recipient that it was drawn at the instance of John Skelton Williams, high treasury official.

The denouement came through the arrest of an innocent man, a former soldier who had been a prisoner, but who, it developed, had taken no part in the swindle. This youth was seized on the complaint of a St. Louis business man who met him on the train. He was chummy and told all about himself to his chance acquaintance, and it was no trouble to find him in Chicago after the St. Louisan learned the check he had cashed was bogus.



Printed in Prison Printshop.

On being questioned by Drautzberg he convinced the operative he was innocent of actual complicity. While walking along the street with the youth after he had been freed Drautzberg opened a letter he had just received from Kansas City. A photograph dropped out.

"Why, that's Bob Jones," the youth said.

Grab the Star Trusty.

Drautzberg read the letter and it called for the arrest of Robert Jones as one of the ringleaders. The youth knew where Jones was and steered Drautzberg to him.

Jones had been a star trusty—he wore a star that passed him through all departments of the prison. After his arrest at 168 Hill street he confessed and implicated 15 to 20 men. Among these were Arthur Matheson, 1867 North Marshfield avenue; Alfonso Jones, a colored man, and Joe Wilson. They were all held in $10,000 bonds each.

The checks have been passed promiscuously in all parts of the country.

A dispatch from New York told of the arrest there of Ralph Vaszberg, a lieutenant, who, it was said, escaped in a major's uniform from Leavenworth and cashed forged checks in many cities.

Stole a Headstone.

Eugene, Ore.—For many years E. C. Lake, a Eugene marble worker, has had no door to his salesrooms, as he thought no one would steal tombstones. Recently he reported to the police that a headstone had been stolen. It was a stone without marking, and Lake said he believed the person who took it was preparing for a future decoration of his own grave.

HOW RHEUMATISM BEGINS

The excruciating agonies of rheumatism are usually the result of failure of the kidneys to expel poisons from the system. If the irritation of these uric acid crystals is allowed to continue, incurable bladder or kidney disease may result. Attend to it at once. Don't resort to temporary relief. The sick kidneys must be restored to health by the use of some sterling remedy which will prevent a return of the disease.

Get some GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. They have brought back the joys of life to countless thousands of sufferers from rheumatism, lame back, lumbago, sciatica, gall stones, gravel and other affections of the kidneys, liver, stomach, bladder and allied organs.

They will attack the poisons at once, clear out the kidneys and urinary tract and the soothing healing oils and herbs will restore the inflamed tissues and organs to normal health.

All others are imitations. Ask for GOLD MEDAL and be sure the name GOLD MEDAL is on the box. Three sizes, at all good druggists.—Adv.

Processes Are Taught.

The decision of one of New York's retail stores to install a merchandise laboratory in which materials and workmanship were to be tested has shown such good results that, according to a representative of the store, the idea will probably be followed by other stores. Not only are the buyers present when tests are made, but the sales persons in the department handling the goods examined are also witnesses of the tests and the audience at the lecture accompanying the experiments. In this way the salespeople are acquainted with the processes used in manufacturing and are given an intelligent idea of the merchandise they are selling. This has increased their interest in the merchandise they are selling. This has been found, had very good results in placing their salesmanship on a higher plane.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Fargo, N. D.

Famous Japanese Scholar.

Baron Mishima (who recently died at the age of 90) was one of the most famous scholars in the Chinese classics in Japan. He was a pupil of Yamada Hokoku. He studied law and after service as a judge became a professor of the Imperial University. He was lecturer to the present emperor when his majesty was the crown prince. The baron established a school of his own for the study of the classics, called the Misho Gakusha, and more than 6,000 students have been enrolled. Among his students were the late General Fukushima, Baron Sakatani and many other men of distinction.—East and West News.

To Have a Clear Sweet Skin.

Touch pimples, redness, roughness or itching, if any, with Cuticura Ointment, then bathe with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Rinse, dry gently and dust on a little Cuticura Talcum to leave a fascinating fragrance on skin. Everywhere 25c each.—Adv.

Jollying Her Along.

"I wish a set of John Shakespeare's books."

"Yes, ma'am," said the glib clerk. "Here's a set of—ahem—John Shakespeare's works for only $40."

"Is it a complete set?"

"Yes, indeed. It includes a life of—ahem—John Shakespeare and some letters he addressed to a prominent gasoline merchant of Stratford."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

In the good old summer time when fruits of all kinds are getting ripe and tempting, when cucumbers, radishes and vegetables fresh from the garden are too good to resist, when the festive picnic prevails and everybody overeats and your stomach goes back on you, then is the time for "August Flower," the sovereign remedy for tired, overworked and disordered stomachs, a panacea for indigestion, fermentation of food, sour stomach, sick headache and constipation. It gently stimulates the liver, cleanses the intestines and alimentary canal, making life worth living. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Way of the Schoolboy.

Teacher—Now, Willie, suppose you were to hand a playmate your apple to take a portion of it, wouldn't you tell him to take the larger piece?

Willie—No.

"You wouldn't! Why?"

"'Cos it wouldn't be necessary."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Point He Had Overlooked.

"Sir, I 'm afraid you are visionary."

"Why? Just because I think the Solomon islanders ought to be uplifted?"

"No. Because you seem to thing the Solomon islanders care a hang about being uplifted."—Birmingham Age.

Nothing is humbler than ambition when it is about to climb.—Anonymous.

MURINE FOR YOUR EYES

Rests, Refreshes, Soothes, Heals—Keep your Eyes Strong and Healthy. If they Tire, Smart, Itch, or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Safe for Infant or Adult. At all Druggists. Write for Free Eye Book. Murine Eye Remedy Company, Chicago, U. S. A.

HUSBAND SAVES WIFE

From Suffering by Getting Her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—"For many months I was not able to do my work owing to a weakness which caused backache and headaches. A friend called my attention to one of your newspaper advertisements and immediately my husband bought three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me. After taking two bottles I felt fine and my troubles caused by that weakness are a thing of the past. All women who suffer as I did should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. Jas. Rohrberg, 620 Knapp St., N.S., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Women who suffer from any form of weakness, as indicated by displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness or "the blues," should accept Mrs. Rohrberg's suggestion and give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a thorough trial.

For over forty years it has been correcting such ailments. If you have mysterious complications write for advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

THE "BLUES" Caused by Acid-Stomach

Millions of people who worry, are despondent, have spells of mental depression, feel blue and are often melancholy, believe that these conditions are due to outside influences over which they have little or no control. Nearly always, however, they can be traced to an internal source—acid-stomach. Nor is it to be wondered at. Acid-stomach, beginning with such well defined symptoms as indigestion, belching, heartburn, bloat, etc., will, if not checked, in time affect to some degree or other all the vital organs. The nervous system becomes deranged. Digestion suffers. The blood is impoverished. Health and strength are undermined. The victim of acid-stomach, although he may not know the cause of his ailments, feels his hope, courage, ambition and energy slipping. And truly life is dark—not worth much to the man or woman who has acid-stomach!

Get rid of it! Don't let acid-stomach hold you back, wreck your health, make your days miserable, make you a victim of the "blues" and gloomy thoughts! There is a marvelous modern remedy called EATONIC that brings, oh! such quick relief from your stomach miseries—sets your stomach to rights—makes it strong, cool, sweet and comfortable. Helps you get back your strength, vigor, vitality, enthusiasm and good cheer. So many thousands upon thousands of sufferers have used EATONIC with such marvelously helpful results that we are sure you will feel the same way if you will just give it a trial. Get a big 50 cent box of EATONIC—the good tasting tablets that you eat like a bit of candy—from your druggist today. He will return your money if results are not even more than you expect.

EATONIC

(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

Handy Man to Have Around.

"Rastus, how is it you have given up going to church?" asked Pastor Brown.

"Well, sah," replied Rastus, "it's dis way. I likes to take an active part, an' I used to pass de collection basket, but dey's give de job to Brothah Green, who just returned f'om Ovah Thai-ah."

"In recognition of his heroic service, I suppose."

"No, sah; I reckon he got dat job in recognition o' his having lost one o' his hands."—Cartoons Magazine.

Centenary of Famous Hymn.

The centenary of Bishop Heber's notable missionary hymn, "From Greenland's Icy Mountains," was celebrated at Wrexham, England, on Whit Sunday by the singing of it in all the places of worship. The hymn was first sung in Wrexham parish church on Whit Sunday, 1819, having been composed on the previous Saturday by Bishop Heber at Wrexham vicarage.

Suggestive of It.

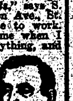
"Have snakes any sentiment?"

"Well, they have a way of winding themselves around one."

Couldn't Work

S. W. Bishop Was Laid Up By Kidney Trouble. Now Owes Good Health to Doan's.

"I owe my present good health, largely, to Doan's Kidney Pills," says S. W. Bishop, 5162 Kensington Ave., St. Louis, Mo. "I wasn't able to work. Sharp pains would catch me when I stooped or tried to lift anything, and at night the kidney secretions passed frequently and were scanty and painful. Specks seemed to be before my eyes and I would get dizzy. There was a puffiness under my eyes. I could see myself failing from day to day and I finally was laid up from June until September. I got Doan's Kidney Pills and used them. I received relief with the first box and became stronger every day. I could sleep well at night and the kidney secretions were now of natural color. The dizziness and other troubles disappeared and I picked up in weight. After I had used four boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills I looked and felt like my old self. The cure seemed a miracle and I firmly believe that my life was saved by this remedy."



Mr. Bishop

Sworn to before me.

JOHN W. BRUNS, Notary Public.

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DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings In Minnesota Given In Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Menahga.—Two thousand eight hundred quarts of blueberries were shipped from this station one morning recently.

Warren.—Reports from gardeners are that the recent heavy rains did a lot of damage to vegetables and especially to potatoes.

Brainerd.—The park board turned over to the city $764.95 as its share of receipts from the carnival that played in the city recently.

Milaca.—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the Milaca Milk Product company's plant here, causing a loss which is estimated at $15,000.

Ada.—R. L. Mason, superintendent of Ada public schools, was drowned at Heiberg park while bathing. He is survived by his widow and two children.

Moorhead.—Rev. S. T. Sorenson, formerly pastor of Bethlehem Lutheran church, Los Angeles, has been installed as associate pastor of Trinity Lutheran church.

East Grand Forks.—The total amount contributed by East Grand Forks citizens toward the carrying on of the war is conservatively estimated at $385,000, exclusive of labor and taxes.

Glyndon.—Hundreds of people from Glyndon and the neighboring parts of Clay county gathered at the Glyndon homecoming celebration and community picnic held at the Glyndon park.

International Falls.—Rev. P. O. Hanson and family are to remove from the city next fall, Rev. Hanson having accepted a call to Mille Lacs Lake. The family have resided here for the past six years.

Virginia.—Value of the lots and dwellings on the site, bounded by First street south and Third and Fourth avenues, desired by the city for a city hall site, has been fixed at $80,100 by the board of appraisers.

Stillwater.—No arrests have been made in this city since June 28 for drunkenness and with one or two exceptions few people under the influence of intoxicating liquors have been seen on the streets of the city.

Mankato.—W. E. Stewart and T. E. Lindholm, former members of the North Mankato board of education, and the only two candidates who had filed for reelection, according to law, were unanimously reelected to serve for two years.

St. Cloud.—While working as a house mover for Charles Sherbing, Edward Goedker was severely injured by the bricks of a falling chimney, which were pulled off as the house was being moved under a wire which could not clear the roof.

Roseau.—District Judge Watts came here from Crookston and accepted a judicial ditch constructed at a cost of $240,000 and draining lands for 130 miles in Northeastern Roseau county. A final hearing was held previous to the acceptance of the work.

Mankato.—Robert Janda, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Janda, formerly of this city, now of Stillwater, lost his left eye while playing with a tin boomerang, which he tossed into the air, and which when it returned, struck him directly in the left eye.

St. Cloud.—At the district school meeting held at Waite Park it was unanimously voted to erect a new schoolhouse. The present one is not adequate. The plans for the new building will be presented in the near future and bids will be advertised for.

Stillwater.—Frank Brady, arrested in St. Paul on the charge of stealing J. J. Bolnick's automobile, and who has been bound over to await action of the November grand jury under bonds of $1,000 and is now confined in the county jail here, is believed to be the notorious "Topeka Frank," who is wanted in Kansas City, Mo.

Breckenridge.—While examining his engine on the road south of here, J. C. Dunham of Clinton, Minn., saw a diamond ring imbedded in the dust and, on picking it up, realized that it was of considerable value. No clue was available as to the ownership of the ring and Mr. Dunham turned it over to the authorities, who valued it at between $800 and $1,000.

Minneapolis.—Sixty thousand dollars, the quota of Hennepin county and Minneapolis in the $300,000 Relief Fund agreed on by Governor Burnquist's committee for Fergus Falls' tornado sufferers, has been paid over in total by the War Chest of Hennepin county and Minneapolis. Hennepin county was enabled to make its payment promptly and without a campaign as a result of its Three Million Dollar War Chest raised last fall. There was included in the chest a fund sufficient to cover unexpected calls on the community for catastrophes such as the Tyler tornado and the forest fires in northern Minnesota.

Long Prairie.—William T. Lewis post, No. 12, American Legion, was organized at Community hall, being the first branch of the new association of veterans of the World war to be organized in Todd county and starts off with a charter membership of more than fifty.

Crookston.—Rye cutting in many portions of Polk county is now on in full blast. Some farmers have finished their rye cutting. Joseph Welter, on the W. P. Murphy farm in Andover, has completed cutting forty-five acres of rye and has plowed the land for next season.

Aitkin.—Premium lists have been issued for the Aitkin county fair, which will be held here Sept. 4, 5 and 6.

Detroit.—Charles Robinson, who has been county commissioner of Becker county for the past sixteen years, died of Bright's disease.

Pelican Rapids—Black bass weighing five and a half and four and three-quarter pounds were among the catch made Sunday by a party of Fargo men.

International Falls.—The little daughter of Mr. Peterson, the buttermaker, was seriously burned when her dress ignited from a match which she lighted.

East Grand Forks.—The nomination of Theresa Thoreson of East Grand Forks as postmaster has been sent to the United States senate and is expected to be confirmed.

St. Paul.—The June report of State Fire Marshal John B. Sanborn shows thirty-eight fewer fires in the state than during June, 1918. Total fire losses were $82,000 less in June, this year.

Crookston.—John Hock died at Red Wing recently at the advanced age of 90. Forty years ago he was one of the two leading merchants of Crookston, running a typical provision store.

Pipestone.—Pipestone county farm bureau will keep up its present high standard of efficiency as the county board voted $2,000 as the county's share for the maintenance of the bureau and county agent's work in this county.

Stillwater.—Mrs. Mary Stickney, one of Stillwater's old settlers, celebrated the eighty-ninth anniversary of her birth at the home of her son-in-law, E. L. Hospes, a number of relatives being present at a birthday dinner in her honor.

St. Cloud.—Miss Popelik, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Popelik, who was born at Duelm, Nov. 17, 1902, where she received her education and came here with her parents last fall, was drowned in the canal while bathing with others.

Moorhead.—E. W. Smith, Parkers Ferry, Minn., a representative of the Minnesota seed potato and certification board, who has been inspecting Clay county potato fields, declares that some of the best looking potato fields in the state are to be found in Clay county.

St. Paul.—Minnesota losses from floods this year total several times the cost of complete control to prevent such destructive floods in the opinion of Senator F. L. Cliff, Ortonville, leader of forces fighting for more adequate drainage funds and laws in the 1919 legislature.

Virginia.—Complaint in the case of Maria Skytt vs. her son, Erick Skytt, and his wife, Senya Skytt, to recover property deeded to the defendants by the plaintiff and her husband in December, 1912, has been filed in district court. Mrs. Skytt claims her son failed to pay for her land.

Thief River Falls.—June was the banner month for the Thief River Falls Creamery association, as more money was paid out to patrons during the thirty days than for any similar period in the plant's history. The total was $32,799.91, or $1,093.33 per day, including Sundays and holidays.

St. Paul.—Ella M. Blake, 16, a domestic employed by A. G. Anderson of Springfield, has started suit against her employer for $25,000 in district court here for damages growing out of the alleged loss of one of her eyes by striking one of the prongs of a pair of fire tongs left on a ledge in the home.

Elk River.—The board of directors of the Sherburne County Agricultural society meeting at Elk River approved a premium list of $3,000 for the fair to be held the first week in October. This is $600 over the amount offered in premiums last year. Three hundred dollars was appropriated for soldiers' homecoming October 2.

St. Paul.—Nearly two score Minnesota National Guardsmen who have already received a $250 tuition bonus from the state, have been turned down in their applications for the new $200 bonus, in rulings made in Adjt. Gen. Rhinow's office and upheld by the attorney general. Only one bonus for tuition can be drawn, Maj. W. C. Curtis decided.

St. Paul.—State treasury receipts one day recently included $300,000 of royalties on iron ore from state mines during the last three months, according to Henry Rines, state treasurer. The total of revenue from this source will go well up to the average of recent years for this quarter, State Auditor J. A. O. Preus said, but will not reach that of 1918, a record year in iron ore production in Minnesota.

Tracy.—John Greenman, 84 years old, believed to be the oldest man in Minnesota to have ridden in an airship, declared that air riding had a decided advantage over any other means of transportation. Mr. Greenman recently was asked by a returned aviator if he would care to ride in a plane which had been recently purchased by him. Mr. Greenman insisted on being taken up. When he landed, the aged passenger declared he never again would be satisfied with the more common forms of transportation.

Spanish Silk.

Four hundred years ago the silks of Seville, then the most famous in the world, were exported to all countries, for Spain was the first nation of western Europe to take up silk culture. The climate of Spain is excellent for this industry, and fine silk worms such as were employed when silk cultivation was at its height are available in the foothills of the Sierra Nevada, near Granada. This worm has a life of fifty days, during the first thirty of which it grows to many thousands of times its original size.

TAFT SUGGESTS PLAN TO RATIFY

Proposes Interpretations to Be Placed on League of Nations Covenant.

MIDDLE OF ROAD POLICY

Hopes It May Result in Adjustment of Differences Between President and Senate So Treaty May Be Adopted.

Washington, July 24.—A plan for interpretations in senate acceptance of the league of nations has been suggested by former President Taft in the hope of uniting on a middle ground enough Democratic and Republican senators to defeat any radical amendment of the covenant and in the end obtain its ratification.

The suggestion has been received with earnest consideration by the group of Republicans who favor the league idea, and who already are at work on a definite program of interpretative representations which they declare they have reason to believe will be accepted by the administration. The administration leaders, however, unwilling to concede that any reservations will be necessary, still insist they will have the votes when the time comes to ratify the covenant as it is.

Believes Wilson Will Accept.

So confident are the league Republicans of the success of their plan that some of them believe President Wilson will publicly accept it to smooth the way to acceptance of the league. Some Republican senators, who have seen the President in the last few days have come away from the White House with the impression that Mr. Wilson might not be adverse to such interpretations as would leave the league fabric unimpaired. They say, however, that this impression is not based on any direct statement by the president.

Letter Creates Sensation.

Mr. Taft's suggestion, which created a sensation in the senate because of his well known advocacy of unreserved ratification, was embodied in two letters to Will H. Hays, the Republican National chairman, copies of which reached some Republican senators. They touched upon many features of the treaty controversy and emphasized the former President's belief that only by acceptance of some reservations could the treaty be ratified.

SAYS MOONEY WAS 'FRAMED'

U. S. Agent Reports to House on Investigation of Case.

Washington, July 24.—Charges of labor leaders that Thomas J. Mooney was unjustly convicted for participation in the bomb outrage in San Francisco three years ago were supported in a report of John B. Densmore, special agent of the Department of Labor, submitted to the house in response to a resolution demanding more information on the case.

The prosecution was conducted without a real investigation of the crime, Mr. Densmore declared, and with deliberate intent to "frame" the labor leader.

WASHINGTON IS QUIET AGAIN

Hope Prevails That Race Riots Are at an End.

Washington, July 24.—Streets of the national capitol were patrolled again by a force of cavalry, infantry and marines numbering more than 2,000 men, no precaution being overlooked by the authorities against a renewed outbreak of the race riots which have occurred on four successive nights. Officials were hopeful that the comparative quiet which prevailed, marred by only one clash resulting in the killing of one white man and the fatal wounding of another by a negro, meant that the sudden blaze of race hatred had been extinguished.

VISIT FROM PRINCE OF WALES

To Be Guest of President and Will Also Go to Gotham.

London, July 24.—The Prince of Wales will visit the United States next month, as a guest of the American government. King George, on behalf of the prince, has accepted an invitation sent the prince by President Wilson to visit the President in Washington.

After his visit to Canada the Prince of Wales will go to Washington for a few days and later will make a brief visit to New York.

Farmer Killed by Cattle.

Bangor, Wis., July 24.—Ludwig Limerick was killed when attacked by a herd of cattle. His dog tried to save him.

Relief for Armenians Hindered.

Paris, July 23.—The American relief administration has received a message from Major Joseph Green, who is in charge of Armenian relief, saying the Georgian government has placed an embargo on supplies passing through Georgia for the Armenians. This embargo has lasted more than a week and the officials show little disposition to raise it. As a result of the food embargo hunger threatens many sections of Armenia despite the supplies which the Americans have made available.

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Locusts Harmful to Chickens.

The department of agriculture has recently issued a warning stating that serious losses may result from chickens eating too many locusts. The wings and legs of the locusts are quite indigestible, and are likely to obstruct the outlet of the crop in such a way as to cause the chickens to become crop-bound.

London Cabby's Gallantry.

A cabman was driving a very stout old lady one day, and had some difficulty in getting her in and out of the vehicle.

"I'm afraid I'm a bother to you," said she, as he was helping her out.

"Not a bit," answered cabby, meaning to be gallant. "I likes a fare what steadies the cab."—London Tit-Bits.

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Consoling Thought.

"I don't see how these motion picture actors can put up with the treatment they receive from that director."

"Why not?"

"When they spoil a scene he talks to them as if they were no better than the dirt beneath his feet."

"Oh, that might hurt the feelings of an ordinary person, but when a movie director raves, the actors can always maintain their composure by thinking of the salaries they get."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Valuing a Voice.

"Maud says she isn't going to sing for nothing any more."

"Hm! If I had her voice I wouldn't sing for anything." — Boston Transcript.

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

[illegible] HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY AUGUST 8, 1919 NO. 18

[illegible]

A. G. [illegible] returned last week Thursday from [illegible], N. Dak. where he had taken his daughter, Mildred, who will work there for sometime. Mr. [illegible] says the crops along his journey were no better than here and he traveled a distance of about 120 miles from Holt.

[illegible]

B. Docken, Axel Nelson and H. B. Young autoed to Warren Tuesday. Mrs. B. Docken and baby accompanied them as far as her former home near Viking, where she visited her parents until their return in the evening. The others attended a meeting of the executive committee of the Red Cross, after which they and the committee were entertained at a fine luncheon, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Wattam.

After The Flood

Matters Relative To The Flood

Axel Nelson and [illegible] are [illegible] completing a [illegible] drainage district [illegible] position [illegible] one will have [illegible] the ditches, culverts, etc. [illegible] will take [illegible] patience in waiting.

The Red Cross [illegible] car of oats [illegible] for distribution [illegible] the flooded districts [illegible] the county agent [illegible] this work [illegible] everything [illegible] Mr. Hussey [illegible] to get the [illegible] flooded districts [illegible] appreciate his [illegible]. The farmers should [illegible] sacks as the [illegible].

[illegible]

[illegible] executive committee of [illegible] Red Cross Chapter [illegible] court house [illegible] city [illegible] day [illegible] and [illegible] appropriation [illegible] 000.00 [illegible] of the [illegible] the [illegible] A committee [illegible] to [illegible] an [illegible] Red Cross [illegible] ers [illegible] Jno. [illegible] the [illegible] was made chairman of the committee and the other [illegible] B. Docken [illegible] B. [illegible] agent [illegible] Red Cross [illegible] a survey and report [illegible] in need of [illegible] and [illegible] reports to officers of the [illegible].

[illegible]NER NEWS

[illegible] John Meyer attended [illegible] Holt Sunday.

[illegible] Whittman left Monday for the [illegible] part of the state to attend the funeral of his sister.

[illegible] Leisner sold his [illegible] to T. P. Hamre of Thief River [illegible].

[illegible] Russell and daughters [illegible] Gladys called at the S. R. Rogers home Thursday afternoon.

[illegible] Mrs. Orloff called at the [illegible] home Wednesday.

[illegible] Meyer has been helping Harvey Copp in the hay field the past week.

[illegible] of the Burg purchased a [illegible] binder the [illegible] of the week.

[illegible] Simmonson called at the Rogers home Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Barackman called at the S. R. Rogers home the last part of the week.

Adolph Rupprecht and neighbors rented [illegible] land from S. R. Rogers.

Harvey Copp visited at the parental home Sunday.

The third Liberty Bond payment of 20 per cent will be due August 12th.

NOTICES FOR BIDS

Electrical Wiring

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the School Board of Dist. No. 35 Marshall County, Minn., for wiring the New Addition. Bids will be received up to August 16th, 1919, at 8 o'clock p. m. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids to be filed with the Dist. Clerk.

H. J. Olen,
District Clerk.

Janitor For School House

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the School Board of Dist. No. 35 of Marshall County, Minn., for the position of Janitor of the School for a ten months term. Bids will be received up to Saturday, August 16th, 1919 at 8 o'clock p. m. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids to be filed with the District Clerk.

H. J. Olen,
District Clerk.

For Septic Tank

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the School Board of District No. 35, Marshall Co., Minn., up to 8 p. m. of August 23rd, 1919, for building a concrete septic tank according to plans and specifications on file at the district clerk's office. A certified check for five per cent of the amount of bid must accompany the same to be returned to the unsuccessful bidders. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

H. J. Olen, District Clerk,
Holt, Minn.

Transportation Of Pupils

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of Dist. No. 35 of Marshall County, Minn., will receive [illegible] during the coming 1919-1920 term of school over three different routes, as per plans and schedules now on file with the District Clerk. Bids will be received up till Saturday, August 16th, 1919, at 8 o'clock p. m. and to be filed with the District Clerk. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

H. J. Olen,
District Clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mattson came Sunday from McIntosh to visit relatives and friends.

[illegible] Hanvorues has greatly improved his garage by putting on a coat of coats of paint.

George Smith of Petersburg, Alaska, came Friday to help his folks with haying and harvest.

[illegible] Tunheim of Kariak, Sask., Canada arrived here Friday for a few days' visit with his brother, Oscar, and family.

Carl Berenson is now running the hotel. His brother Dewey has gone back to the farm and Art left Monday with the elevator carpenters.

Everyone is wondering what the price of hay will be this fall and winter. Better save the straw as it will be needed before the grass grows next spring.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom of Thief River Falls and Miss Ruby Swan, who is employed in the hospital there, were visitors at the J. J. Swan home Sunday afternoon.

[illegible] Jensen of McIntosh visited friends in Holt a couple of days last week. Mr. Jensen returned home a couple of weeks ago from France, where he served in the military service for several months.

Miss Tillie Knutson went to Thief River Falls Monday to work in the hospital for a few days in the place of her sister, Miss Alma, who had her hand injured by the dumb waiter falling on it, while working in the kitchen Sunday noon.

Swan & Norbeck shipped three cars of cattle to the markets Tuesday. The most of these cattle were from the flooded districts and many of them were milch cows, some of which would have been fresh this fall and winter. The farmers say they are obliged to sell as they are unable to get hay to feed their stock.

Jacob Nelson returned last week Thursday from Angus.

Axel Nelson was a Crookston business visitor Saturday.

Alfred Newton came up from McIntosh Saturday for a few days visit.

The farmers are a busy class of people with their haying and harvesting.

A. H. Huseth of Greenbush visited at the Olen home last week Thursday.

Found: Child's sweater. Owner please prove property and pay for this notice.

Several of the people from Mud Lake attended homestead contests at Thief River Falls last week.

All persons living in Minnesota, eastern North and South Dakota, northern Iowa, and western Wisconsin, will be able to get a fare and a half rate to the Minnesota State Fair, Aug. 30 to Sept. 6, as the result of a ruling just made by the U. S. Railroad Administration.

The fair will open Saturday morn Aug. 30, and continue eight days.

[illegible] Church

Sunday School at [illegible] o'clock.

Rev. [illegible] will hold services here [illegible] Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock. All are welcome.

For Sale Cheap

My residence and property, including two lots, in Block 10, Village of Holt. For further information write me or see B. Docken.

Terms will be given the right party.

D. Payne, Owner,
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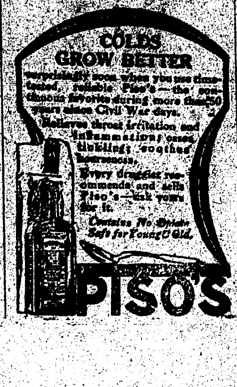

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WORLD'S EVENTS IN SHORT FORM

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Foreign

All British troops will be out of Russia before winter sets in, War Minister Winston Churchill told the house of commons at London in response to attacks by laborites on the government's Russian policy.

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Frank L. Polk, the American undersecretary of state, who will take the place of Secretary Lansing at the peace conference, has arrived in Paris.

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A bolshevist rising in Bulgaria is reported in a wireless dispatch from Moscow. The outbreak is declared to have occurred in a garrison town, the garrison joining the revolutionists.

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A Paris dispatch says a French regiment belonging to the allied army in the Balkans has been sent into Sofia to quell the disturbances prevalent in the Bulgarian capital in the last few days.

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Alexander Garbai, president of the Hungarian soviet government, killed himself in the assembly building at Budapest after delivering a speech against the soviet.

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Wireless reports from Moscow announce that, "owing to enemy pressure," the bolsheviki have retreated along the Archangel railway to their point of departure.

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Army headquarters at Coblenz gave permission for five American commercial travelers to proceed through the Coblenz bridgehead on business, in the interest of Germany.

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The Hungarian soviet troops have been thrown back in disorder across the Theiss river by the Roumanians at Szolnok and other points, according to reports received at Vienna.

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An American loan $100,000,000 has been obtained by Martin Nordegg, representing the Deutsche bank of Berlin, according to a dispatch from Berlin.

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Five million eggs brought to Genoa, Italy, by the American steamship Sun, early in the present month, have since been decaying on the dock. The port authorities say they were consigned to Switzerland.

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Dispatches from Agram and Gratz report a serious military revolt in Croatia. The Croatian troops have proclaimed an independent Croatian republic, demanding separation from Serbia, according to a dispatch from Agram, the capital.

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Committees of working men who shall act as mediators in disputes between the workers and manufacturers of the government have been established by the ministry of labor at Omsk.

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Eight hundred natives were killed and 1,600 wounded during the recent disturbances in Egypt, according to dispatches to London from Gen. E. H. H. Allenby.

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Washington

President Wilson transmitted to the senate at Washington the special treaty with France by which the United States pledges itself to come immediately to the aid of that republic in the event of an unprovoked attack by Germany, and asked for its early ratification "along with the treaty with Germany."

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A rechecking by the war department at Washington of the figures up to June 3 shows the total number of Americans captured by the enemy in France was 4,480, of whom 316 were officers.

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Acting upon the advice of the Mexican government, J. W. Thompson, an American living near Mexico City, has paid 1,500 pesos ransom demanded by bandits for the release of his fourteen-year-old son, according to reports to the state department at Washington.

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The house at Washinton voted to repeal the 10 per cent tax on soda water and ice cream.

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A Washington dispatch says demotions and prison terms ranging from one to twelve years have been meted out to seven officers and enlisted men who figured in the recent graft scandal in the Third naval district.

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Every dollar of loans and credits advanced by the United States to foreign countries, including Russia, is protected by securities and will be paid in full, R. C. Leffingwell, assistant secretary of the treasury, told the house committee on expenditures in the state department at Washington.

Carter Glass, secretary of the treasury at Washington, in a letter to all banks and trust companies states that he anticipates the revenues of the government in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920, will amount to at least $6,500,000,000 and that he has no reason to believe the expenditures of the government will exceed that abount.

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The council of state at Manila, P. I., has memorialized the congress of the United States to permit the Filipino people to decide for themselves the question of prohibition.

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President Wilson advised the senate at Washington that the American military expedition in Siberia was there primarily to protect and maintain operation of the Siberian railroad, and indicated that the expedition would remain as long as such protection was necessary.

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The war department at Washington has sold to the United States sugar equalization board 37,000,000 pounds of refined sugar, it was announced.

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Relaxation of restrictions on the issuance of passports to European countries, except Germany, Austria and Russia, is announced by Secretary Lansing at Washington.

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Without a record vote, the senate at Washington passed and sent to the house the administration bill authorizing an increase from 9,500 to 18,000 in the number of commissioned officers to be retained in the army.

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Sporting

Johnny Kilbane, monarch of featherweights, outpointed Joey Fox, England's best, in five of the six rounds at the Philadelphia National league ball park.

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Jack Britton scored a victory over Ted (Kid) Lewis in their eight-round bout at the Armory A. A. at Jersey City, N. J.

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Personal

Miss Mary Bishop of New York was decorated at Paris with the Cross of the Legion for her relief work under fire in the Paris and Soissons areas.

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Patrick Cudahy, president of the Cudahy Packing company, Cudahy, Wis., died suddenly from an apoplectic stroke. Mr. Cudahy passed away at his Milwaukee home.

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Domestic

A capsized rowboat in Rice lake, near Lake Linden, Mich., leads to the belief that four Lake Linden ex-soldiers and their guide were drowned. The men have been missing since Monday noon.

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The Taylor State bank at Emington, northeast of Pontiac, Ill., was robbed. The safeblowers opened 200 private safety deposit boxes and took Liberty bonds valued at $10,000.

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George Near, twenty-two, London, Ont., shot and killed his young wife and then committed suicide in a field near the state hospital for insane at Pontiac, Mich. Mrs. Near left her husband three weeks ago.

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A house in Denver, Colo., in which lived E. Molensky, a fruit peddler, his wife and two children, a girl of nine and a boy of eighteen months, was wrecked by an explosion and then burned to the ground.

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The body of Mrs. Eugenie Brickwood, a wealthy widow, was discovered in a badly decomposed condition in her apartment at 4212 Greenwood avenue, Chicago.

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After a week of fruitless conferences between heads of the Chicago trolley men's unions and company officials the order was given for a walkout and the surface and elevated cars were run into the barns. The men demand 85 cents an hour, an eight-hour day, 80 per cent of the runs to be straight time and time and one-half for overtime.

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Four boys and a man were crushed to death under the wheels of a passenger train near Wauwatosa, Wis. The dead are: Matt Lewandowski, John Niedziakowski, Frank and Sigmund Niedziakowski.

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Central Illinois has entered upon the third week of intense heat and without any rain, and the farmers near Bloomington say that unless there is immediate relief the damage to corn will reach tremendous proportions.

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Sam Bloom, a farmer living near Kelsey, Ia., was shot and killed by his son-in-law, Aaron Boelkes. After killing Bloom Boelkes shot his mother-in-law and wife.

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Rioting that ended in looting, arson and murder broke loose in Chicago's "black belt" Monday evening. Before midnight fifteen had been killed and 156 injured. Of the dead, nine were white and five colored. Fifty-six white persons were hurt and 100 negroes.

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Construction of a temple costing at least $1,000,000 for safeguarding permanent records of the order was recommended to the triennial assembly of the general grand chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, in session at Seattle, Wash.

TRAINMEN MAKE LARGE DEMANDS

Tripartite Management of Railroads Asked by Representatives of Engineers.

TO OVERHAUL PROFITS

American Labor Demands Take New Form With Development of New Plan Now Put Forward in Nation's Capital.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Organized labor came out yesterday with the unequivocal formal demand that private capital be retired from the railroads. A tripartite control composed of the public, the operating management and the employes is demanded instead.

Addressed to the American public, and signed by the engineers, firemen and conductors, a formal statement announcing this proposal will be carried before congress Wednesday.

To Overhaul System of Profits.

"It marks," says the statement, "the step by which organized labor passes from demands for wage increases to demands that the system of profits in industry be overhauled."

This sentence sums up in a few words the proposal of which there have been hints and indications, but which is now laid before the country for the first time. Everywhere in official Washington it is recognized as the most serious and far-reaching proposition the country will be called upon to face.

To Remedy Cost of Living.

Characterizing the proposal as "labor's bill" it is put forth as a remedy for the high cost of living, because the railroads are the key industry of the nation. It demands the "genuine co-operation and partnership based on a real community of interest and participation in control" of which President Wilson spoke to congress, and which the statement says has been ignored by labor and the private owners of the railroads.

Wall Street Eliminated.

"We ask," it says, "that the railroads of the United States be vested in the public, that those actually engaged in conducting that industry, not from Wall street, but from the railroad offices and yards and out on the railroad lines, shall take charge of the service for the public."

The trainmen are not represented in the statement because W. G. Lee, president of the brotherhood, was out of the city, but it was said they join in it.

SHOPMEN ARE RARIN' TO GO

At Mass Meeting in St. Paul 3,000 Vote to Go Out on Strike.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 5.—Railroad shopmen of St. Paul voted last night to strike at 10 o'clock this morning with but few dissenting votes among 3,000 workers at a mass meeting held here.

Between 7,000 and 8,000 workers will join the walkout, union officials said, and the decision is expected to have an influence in other railroad centers in the northwest. Representatives from Minneapolis, Duluth, Superior and Hudson, Wis., attended the mass meeting. Several hundred men struck in the Great Northern shops but most of the men obeyed orders asking the men to stay at work until orders had been received from national headquarters.

The roads which have their shops in St. Paul are the Great Northern, Northern Pacific, Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Omaha and Great Western.

Shopmen on the Milwaukee road at Sioux Falls, S. D., have struck, and the road is refusing perishable freight.

BAKER HAS DEFENSE PLAN

Bill Embodying War Department's Program Now Before Congress.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Maintenance of one field army with a war strength of 1,250,000 men is proposed in a bill establishing a permanent military policy which was sent to congress by Secretary Baker Monday.

The active force of this army would be 510,000 regulars while the remainder would be young men who had taken a three months' military training course which would be compulsory for all 19-year-old young men. This reserve strength would be used to fill out the twenty infantry divisions and one cavalry division into which it is proposed to divide the regular army.

The plans were embodied in a bill which represents the policy of the war department with respect to the peace time military establishment. Under the measure all special services built up during the war would be maintained as separate branches except the chemical warfare service which would be merged with the engineers corps.

WOOD ALCOHOL KILLS TWO

Negro Party Near Hannah Proves a Fatal Affair.

Grand Forks, N. D., Aug. 5.—Two transients are dead and three others, one of whom is not expected to live, are in a serious condition as the result of drinking wood alcohol at an informal party given at Hannah by a negro. The dead are John Parker, colored, who gave the party, and Tom Burns, a returned soldier, both of whom have been working the harvest fields.

HOUSE DEFERS AUGUST RECESS

Readily Grants President's Request to Battle Economic Problems.

TO PROBE H. C. OF L.

Demands of Railway Engineers for Increased Pay Will Also Have Attention of Solons—Daylight Law Is Up.

Washington, Aug. 2.—Developments yesterday in the efforts of the government to reduce the high cost of living were:

The house, at the request of President Wilson, agreed to defer its planned five weeks' recess and consider demands of railroad employes for increased wages.

The senate again discussed increased living costs, but postponed action on the Myers resolution proposing reduction in currency circulation.

The committee of three appointed to consider means of reducing living expenditures and report to the president and cabinet Monday, began work.

The national officers of the Brotherhood of Railway Conductors conferred with President Wilson regarding increased wages and the cost of living.

Resolutions and bills designed to alleviate conditions of living were introduced in both houses of congress.

Of the half dozen important developments, however, the request of President Wilson that the house forego its recess at least temporarily, to consider wage requests of the railroad workers and to study economic conditions was by far the most unexpected.

The alacrity with which the house complied with the request of the president was taken as an indication of the deep impression made on members of congress by pleas for relief from all parts of the country.

Senate Renews "Daylight" Repeal.

The senate yesterday decided to have the proposal for repeal of the daylight saving law again run the gauntlet of President Wilson's veto. By a vote of 41 to 12 the senate passed and sent to the president the separate house bill repealing the daylight saving measure. The separate house bill was passed June 18, but action in the senate was suspended until yesterday, and in the interim the president vetoed the rider and the house was unable to enact it over the veto.

Bill Does Not Affect Time Zones.

The senate's action now places virtually similar repeal legislation again before the president. The only difference in the vetoed rider and the separate bill is that the latter would not interfere with standard zones of time.

KOLCHAK FORCES WAR WORN

Extreme Fatigue Reduces Morale of All-Russian Fighters.

Paris, Aug. 2.—The All-Russian government of Admiral Kolchak is preparing to move from Omsk to Irkutsk, Siberia, and the morale of the Kolchak army is becoming so bad that there is little hope of it regaining the territory recently lost to the Bolsheviki, according to dispatches received in Paris.

The dispatches indicate that general weariness, rather than Bolshevism, is weakening the Kolchak forces. The Czecho-Slovak troops, which were the backbone of Kolchak's army, have shared the general demobilization and most of them insist on returning to their newly established country, refusing to fight longer in Russia. Recently a "green army" of considerable dimensions was organized in Siberia as well as in European Russia. This army was recruited from both red and white armies and pledged itself not to fight any more, saying the world war was over.

N. D. TO GET SHORT CROP

Government Inspector Estimates State Wheat Crop One-Half Last Year's.

Fargo, N. D., Aug. 2.—North Dakota's 1919 wheat crop will not total more than 50,000,000 bushels, an average yield of six to seven bushels per acre on the area of between 7,000,000 and 8,000,000 acres of wheat planted last spring, according to an estimate made last night by P. F. Trowbridge, director of the North Dakota Experiment station.

The estimated yield of 50,000,000 bushels of wheat for North Dakota in 1919 is one-half of the yield for 1918 in this state, which was 99,190,000. The yield in 1917 was 56,000,000 and in 1916 39,325,000.

"The crop prospect was very good on July 1," said Dr. Trowbridge, "but black rust and the hot winds in the next few weeks greatly damaged the crops, especially wheat."

Worst conditions, he says, are found in the southwest part of the state.

Almost a Million in N. D. Bank.

Bismarck, Aug. 2.—Nearly a million dollars has been deposited in the Bank of North Dakota. This money is in part public funds and the remainder reserve deposits sent in by state depositories. Director General Cathro has received a number of letters from substantial banks of the twin cities and Chicago soliciting the eastern business of the bank. "We have opened connections with three Minneapolis and St. Paul institutions of the highest standing," he said.

ROOT RESISTS BAN ON BEER

Former Cabinet Member Writes Opinion as Attorney for Brewers.

O. K. AFTER JAN. 16

Until Constitutional Prohibition Is in Force, Brewers' Representative Claims Pending Law Are Invalid.

Washington, Aug. 4.—The war-time prohibition enforcement bill recently passed by the house and now pending before a senate committee, is unconstitutional, according to an opinion by Elihu Root, William D. Guthrie and Wm. L. Marbury, counsel for the United States Brewers' association, made public Saturday.

Not Good Before January 16.

This opinion holds that until the eighteenth amendment becomes effective on January 16, 1920, congress, under well settled rules of constitutional law, "has no express power to prohibit the manufacture and sale of beer, whether or not intoxicating." There is now no valid reason for the war-time prohibition act, the lawyers declare, and there is no evidence, they add, to support the claim that the proposed enforcement measure is necessary or proper to conserve the nation's food supply.

The opinion holds that the decision would not apply to pending legislation.

TWO SHOT IN POLICE RAID

Alleged Counterfeiter Dead and Detective Badly Wounded.

Minneapolis, Aug. 4.—James Hogan, leader of an alleged gang of counterfeiters, is dead and Paul Gottfried, St. Paul police detective, is in a hospital with four bullet wounds in his body as the result of a raid made on the Hogan home in the outskirts of Minneapolis. For several weeks a large number of counterfeit silver dollars have been placed in circulation in St. Paul and Minneapolis. Government officials working on the case obtained information which led to the belief that Hogan was connected with the gang and Walter Rowan, federal secret service man, accompanied by two St. Paul police detectives, went to Hogan's home to question him.

According to police, the detectives and secret service men rang the door bell and were met with a shower of bullets. Leaving one man at the front door, Gottfried and another man went to the rear of the house and gained entrance. In attempting to disarm James Hogan, Gottfried was shot by Harry Hogan, a son. In the fight which followed, the elder Hogan was killed, and the son escaped.

BELA KUN REGIME IS ENDED

Hungarian Soviets Deposed, According to Vienna Report.

Vienna, Aug. 4.—Hungary's soviet government experiment has ended, according to reports from Budapest. Bela Kun and the entire red cabinet have resigned. The move followed a conference of several hours, during which the commissaries decided that capitulation of the Bolshevik government was the only means of saving Hungary, due to the recent military defeats.

A socialist democrat coalition government is being founded under the leadership of Julius Peidl, who will be premier. The Hungarians have decided to give up the soviet system for good, according to the reports.

The new cabinet has issued a proclamation stating its main objects were negotiating with the allies and the maintenance of order.

SPECIAL SESSION THIS FALL

Governor Frazier Also Says Worst Named for Immigration Job.

Williston, N. D., Aug. 4.—Governor Frazier and John N. Hagan, commissioner of agriculture and labor addressed about 3,000 people here Saturday at a ratification jubilee over the adoption of the industrial program of the Nonpartisan league.

The governor told his audience that a special session of the legislature will be called as soon as the busy season on the farm is over, and that the main purpose of the session will be to provide relief for the farmers of the state who have had crop failures this year, especially those who have suffered loss through drouth.

He also announced that he had appointed Dr. John H. Worst immigration commissioner for this state. Dr. Worst has accepted this position and is now on his way home from the Pacific coast.

JUD BANKER IS UNDER ARREST

Embezzlement of $42,000 Charged to Cashier and President.

Bismarck, N. D., Aug. 4.—E. H. Mann, cashier of the First State bank of Jud, LaMoure county, has been arrested on order of State Bank Examiner Lofthus. He and President Pierce Egan are charged with having embezzled $42,000 of its funds. Egan was at Pocatello, Idaho, when Mann was arrested, and Governor Frazier issued requisition papers for his arrest in the west.

MOTHERS TO BE

Should Read Mrs. Monyhan's Letter Published by Her Permission.

Mitchell, Ind.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me so much during the time I was looking forward to the coming of my little one that I am recommending it to other expectant mothers. Before taking it, somedays I suffered with neuralgia so badly that I thought I could not live, but after taking three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was entirely relieved of neuralgia, I had gained in strength and was able to go around and do all my housework. My baby when seven months old weighed 19 pounds and I feel better than I have for a long time. I never had any medicine do me so much good."—Mrs. Pearl Monyhan, Mitchell, Ind.

Good health during maternity is a most important factor to both mother and child, and many letters have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., telling of health restored during this trying period by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Bad Sickness Caused by Acid-Stomach

If people only realized the health-destroying power of an acid-stomach—of the many kinds of sickness and misery it causes—of the lives it literally wrecks—they would guard against it as carefully as they do against a deadly plague. You know in an instant the first symptoms of acid-stomach—pains of indigestion; distressing, painful bloat; sour, gassy stomach; belching; food repeating, heartburn, etc. Whenever your stomach feels this way you should lose no time in putting it to rights. If you don't, serious consequences are almost sure to follow, such as intestinal fermentation, auto-intoxication, impairment of the [illegible] nervous system, headache, biliousness, [illegible] of the liver, sometimes even cancer of the stomach and intestinal ulcers and cancer.

If you are not feeling right—[illegible] acid-stomach that is the cause of your ill health. Take EATONIC, the wonderful modern stomach remedy. EATONIC tablets quickly and easily [illegible] bloat, belching and heartburn that indicate acid-stomach. Make the stomach strong, clean and sweet. By keeping the stomach in healthy condition so that you can get full strength from your food, your general health steadily improves. Results are marvelously quick. Just try EATONIC and you will be as enthusiastic as the thousands who have used it and who say they never dreamed anything could bring such marvelous relief.

So get a big 50-cent box of EATONIC from your druggist today. [illegible]

EATONIC

(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

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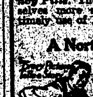
Flatbush—Don't you think men travel more in the summer time than they do in the winter?

Bensonhurst—Why, sure! Just think of the number of miles I have to go with the lawn mower compared to those I have to travel with the snow shovel!—Yonkers Statesman.

When we look at some children we begin wondering how they ever tolerate their parents.

A woman learns a lot from her servants, but she will not admit it.



Back Giving Out?

That "bad back" is probably due to weak kidneys. It shows in a dull, throbbing backache, or sharp twinges when stooping. You have headaches, too, dizzy spells, a tired, nervous feeling and irregular kidney action. Don't neglect it—there is danger of dropsy, gravel or Bright's disease! Use *Doan's Kidney Pills*. Thousands have saved themselves more serious ailments by the timely use of *Doan's*.

A North Dakota Case

S. M. Goodnow, machinist, 209 W. Eleventh Street, Devils Lake, N. D., says: "I am only too glad to praise Doan's Kidney Pills as I have found them just as represented. I was having trouble with my back. It was lame and weak and used to ache most all the time. The first few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills gave me relief and continued use removed the trouble."

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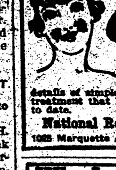

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Sealed Tight Kept Right
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DELICATE HINT FOR AUNTIES

Little Marian Cleverly Conveyed Reproof to Her Altogether Too Fastidious Relatives.

The two spinster aunties really did have a very beautiful house, but they were too particular about it to suit their small niece and nephew, who had become tired of being told to "be careful" in this room, and "don't touch anything" in that one.

And Marian decided very tactfully to let them know about it, too. So one day when she and her brother Billy were in the presence of their aunties she began a conversation on the subject of their future careers. After John had named his as that of a lawyer, Marian announced that she was going to be a school teacher like her aunties. "And Billy, since I'm going to be an old maid, I don't 'spect you'd better get married, either," she told him. "It would be awful hard on your children when they came to my house to be told to be careful so much."

Foregone Conclusion.

"A cat show is always a success."

"Naturally; a cat show ought to come up to the scratch."

Most of us never miss the target when we begin throwing bouquets at ourselves.

Idleness is the rich man's bane and the poor man's curse.

TOO MUCH FOR THE OCULIST

That Kind of Shortsightedness Was Something for Which He Had No Cure.

A woman consulted an oculist about her husband's eyesight, saying she wanted a very strong pair of glasses for him.

"I fear I cannot recommend glasses without first seeing your husband," the oculist said.

"He won't come at any price," was the reply.

"Then tell me something about him. Can he see objects at a distance, or does he experience difficulty when reading? For instance, could he see that pigeon flying above us?"

"Rather," the woman said. "He'd spot a pigeon on the wing quicker than he'd see an airplane, especially if he'd got a bet on it. What I want yer to cure is his short sightedness when he's looking for a job. He's been lookin' for work for the last ten years and never got any to suit his fastidious eyesight yet."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Talking of Comfort.

"Value and usefulness," said Uncle Eben, "don't allus go together. "A diamond stud ain' near as much solid comfort as a five-cent piece of ice."

A Good Thing to Know.

"Know much about an auto?"

"No. Just enough to leave it alone."

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STATE BREVITIES

Marshall.—Marshall has completed plans for the erection of a $17,000 stock sales pavilion on the county fair grounds.

Bagley. — "Bill" Kaiser, son of Al Kaiser, Bagley banker, has returned from France, where he was in military service during the war.

Bemidji.—Beltrami county has been called upon to raise $1,000 for the relief of those who suffered from the cyclone at Fergus Falls.

Minneapolis.—Mrs. Sarah S. Underwood was found dead in her apartment at 1408 West Twenty-sixth street here. A gas jet in the room was found open. Mrs. Underwood was 60.

Moorhead.—Frank Underwood, alias Frank Gierke, Charles Cross and James Melet were held to the Clay county district court by Judge L. D. Evans on the charge of robbing Mr. and Mrs. Carl T. Nelson of $200.

Virginia.—Judge Carey in municipal court fined Margaret Ozonich, 606 Third avenue north, $100 and costs Saturday afternoon after adjudging her guilty of blindpigging. She was the fifth of the piggers caught in a raid made by Chief Witte and force.

St. Cloud. — Tearing down the Schwartz building on St. Germain street has started, and means the passing of one more of the city's landmarks. With one exception it is the last frame building on St. Germain street in the business section of town.

Thief River Falls.—One of the largest inheritance taxes of recent years was paid at the Polk county courthouse, when a check for $846.96 was given County Treasurer George J. Flaten in payment of the taxes in the estate of Gunder Krostue, Fisher business man.

Buhl.—Practically every band of the Mesaba range and from Duluth will take part in a meeting of these organizations to be held here Aug. 24, in what promises to be the most successful meeting of its kind ever held on the range. At least fifteen bands and their leaders will participate.

Stillwater.—Floyd Bailes, arrested at Duluth by Sheriff T. H. Maher, on the charge of failing to provide for his wife and two minor children of this city, appeared in municipal court for a hearing and as he could not furnish bonds for $500 he was ordered committed to the county jail for ninety days.

Renville.—Reports of damage by rust to the wheat crop in this vicinity continue and grain men of this section fear that the crop will be considerably shortened. Harvesting is already under way in many sections and large fields of barley have been threshed. The barley yield is above the average.

Bemidji.—Leaping from the side of a jitney bus when it slowed down, Blair Stilles, 11, was thrown beneath a rear wheel, which ran over his chest. George Cochran conveyed the unconscious lad to the office of Dr. E. W. Johnson, where he recovered his senses and appears little worse for his experience.

St. Paul.—Minnesota farmers are warned by Professors A. D. Wilson and W. A. McKerrow of the university farm school to use caution in engaging in the sheep industry. They say the experience of farmers of the state for years has been with other stock and that there are problems in sheep raising that must be carefully considered.

Thief River Falls.—A representative of a chain of Montana banks visited Pennington county and made arrangements for the cutting of 5,000 tons of wild hay on the Red Lake Indian reservation. The contract was let to Swarts & Johnson of this city, who will take over the entire job, from cutting the crop to placing it on cars at Goodridge.

St. Cloud.—Rev. Father Joseph Mayerhofer celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination to priesthood at high mass at the cathedral. Father Mayerhofer, who is 76, was born in Tyrol, where he was ordained on July 26, 1869. Very soon after his ordination he came to America and was assigned to the diocese of St. Cloud, where he has been ever since.

Mora.—The Wilson highway trail will run through Main street in this village to Maple avenue, thence east by the courthouse and schoolhouse, thence north. Painters will commence work in the near future. A committee consisting of Charles F. Serline, R. G. Streetly and Kleo McIlhargey has been appointed to co-operate with the people of Isle and Aitkin, in order to secure better connections with Mille Lacs Lake.

Hibbing.—The question of a new wage scale for the firemen, policemen and other village employes will come up at a meeting of the village council soon. Both the fire and police committee have received letters in answer to their inquiries as to what wages other municipalities pay. This knowledge will help them in perfecting a scale for the biggest village. The firemen and policemen are seeking higher wages.

Moorhead.—A women's employment agency is being conducted by the Clay county farm bureau under the direction of Miss Esther Ferris, home demonstration agent. Farmers' wives find it next to impossible to obtain domestic help during the busy harvest and threshing seasons.

Willmar.—Harvest is in full swing here and some of the earlier grains have been threshed. The barley yield is placed at approximately forty-three bushels to the acre for a general average. The oat and wheat crop are expected to be good, although there are reports of damage by rust.

Milaca.—Work on the sewer system in this village was started and is expected to be completed by fall.

International Falls. — Walter J. Smith, former state treasurer, has departed west after spending several days here on business.

Mankato.—The National Bank of commerce has purchased from Mrs. Roma I. Saulpaugh the Saulpaugh hotel block, one of the largest and best located blocks in Mankato.

Perham.—Joseph A. Struett sold the Ernest Koppert farm of 160 acres and the Christ Ebeling place of 320 acres to Alvin Jacobson of Mapleton. The consideration was close to $50,000.

Long Prairie.—Supt. R. O. Bagby of the Long Prairie high school announces that there will be accomodations next year for a number of additional normal training pupils here.

Sauk Rapids.—Charles E. Bell, a veteran of the Civil war and well known in Sauk Rapids, sustained painful, if not serious injuries, when he was run down by an automobile he was cranking.

Blackduck.—Committees in charge of arrangements for the Blackduck community fair have decided to start it on Oct. 1. Prizes have been provided for exhibits of grasses, grains, vegetables and fruits.

Hitterdal.—Minnie Carlson, 13, suffered cuts on the face and shoulders, and Miss Sarah Norby was thrown from a car and bruised in a collision between two automobiles on a narrow grade a mile east of Hitterdal.

St. Cloud.—Services were conducted in the St. Martin church for Father Meinulf Stukenkemper, O. S. B., pastor of St. Martin, who died Thursday. Father Meinulf was born in Westphalia, Germany, on Jan. 17, 1837, and came here in 1863.

Hibbing.—Mrs. Dan Bublich is in a serious condition at her home at Carson Lake with a bullet wound through her left lung. The police arrested her husband, charging him with firing the shot. The shooting is supposed to be the climax of a family quarrel.

East Grand Forks.—Considerable alarm has been caused among potato raisers here and in the immediate vicinity during the last few days because of the sudden appearance of the leaf-hopper, which did considerable damage in local potato fields last year.

Milaca.—A double wedding was celebrated here, the principals being Ward J. Strubie, postmaster of Mora, to Miss Amanda Hoaglund, who for some time past has been assisting at the postoffice, and Otto Hoaglund, assistant cashier of the First National bank of Milaca, and Miss Blanche Hay of this village.

St. Cloud.—Twenty-five quarts of whisky, Mrs. Mary Heeck reported, were stolen from her place of business, the New West hotel. Chief Brick has in custody a Joe Gallagher, who, according to his own statement, is from Pittsburgh, Pa., who tried to sell some liquor.

Wadena.—Rev. E. S. Murphy of St. Helen's Episcopal church received a call from the congregation at Detroit this week with an offer of a substantial increase in salary, Crookston to be served by him from Detroit. Rev. Murphy feels in duty bound to remain by this charge and therefore decided not to accept the call.

Crookston.—Residents in Crookston and in other towns in northwestern Minnesota are fearful of a milk shortage due to mosquito pest, which is worse this year than at any other time in recent years. The large number of heavy rains and the inundated lands are responsible for the heavy crop of mosquitos and farmers declare the pests are affecting their cows.

Owatonna.—Clark Chambers, former member of the Minnesota State Fair Board and owner of the site where the early Minnesota state fairs were held in Steele county, died at his home here. Mr. Chambers served as an aide to General Alex Chambers, his brother, during the Civil war, and was at one time member of the state prison board. He was 80 years old and had lived in Owatonna since 1859.

Nashwauk. — Another murder, the motive for which was robbery, has occurred on the Western Mesaba following closely on the heels of the Taconite tragedy. Zuerie Switich, 65, Serbian, employed at the Hawkins mine, was found shot dead with a bullet wound in his head in the La Rue location by miners going to work. It has been reported that he carried a large amount of money on his person, reports putting the amount as high as $2,500, and this, the authorities believe, prompted the crime.

St. Paul.—F. J. Bayle, district forest ranger on the north shore of Lake Superior, has advised State Forester Cox that the forest fire that raged some distance from Lutsen was controlled by the combined efforts of fifteen Alger-Smith railroad employes and a state force of fourteen men after a long, hard fight. "The fire ran over a good part of the section and burned out one-half mile of railroad track," the ranger wrote. It was along the line of the Alger-Smith Lumber company between Cramer and Knife River. Ranger Bayle said the railroad company will be asked to reimburse the state for the expense of fighting the fire.

Bemidji. — Congressman Knutson has written to Auditor A. D. Johnson of Beltrami county that the preliminary examination and survey of the Red Lake and Red Lake river from the outlet to the junction of the Red River of the North at Grand Forks has been submitted by the chief engineer to the secretary of war.

Mora.—The state railroad commission has ordered that within three months after June 20 the Great Northern Railway company provide stockyard facilities, consisting of a one-pen stockyard with loading chute, at the village of Quamba.

Not for Man's Wear.

A new sweater, we see by the fashion page, is of pale pink silk, knitted in filet design, with flowers, and lined with mauve chiffon; but we can hardly imagine a man wearing one home from a fishing jaunt with a week's growth of whiskers on his face.—Grand Rapids Press.

Brazilian Rice.

Formerly one of the big imports of Brazil was rice. Now she exports five times as much rice as she ever imported.

It is more important to be going in the right direction than to be going rapidly.

He Was Learning.

An Indianapolis physician has a new office boy, who himself has ambitions to become a doctor. The other day a little girl came into the office and asked to see the doctor. "He isn't in just now," informed the boy, and in the conversation that followed asked her who was sick.

"My papa," answered the little girl. "And I just wanted some medicine for him. He isn't sick enough for the doctor to come to see him."

The office boy thought a minute. Then, "Is he insured?" he asked.

The little girl nodded that he was. The look of hesitation left the office boy's face. "All right!" he said. "I'll fix him some medicine."

Don't Poison Baby.

FORTY YEARS AGO almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and a FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "*A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death.*" The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician know of what it is composed. CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Decrease in Prices of Horses.

Horses under one year of age on farms in Canada averaged $56 a head in price in 1918 against $57 in 1917; horses one to less than three years old, $112, against $116 in 1917; and horses three years old and over, $162, against $167 in 1917.

A Lady of Distinction.

Is recognized by the delicate fascinating influence of the perfume she uses. A bath with Cuticura Soap and hot water to thoroughly cleanse the pores, followed by a dusting with Cuticura Talcum Powder usually means a clear, sweet, healthy skin.—Adv.

Corroborative.

She—This apartment is a dear.

He—Well, you might call it a suite thing.

His Views.

"What is this domestic science, anyhow?" "A college course in housework, that's all."

Lift off Corns!

Doesn't hurt a bit and Freezone costs only a few cents.

With your fingers! You can lift off any hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the hard skin calluses from bottom of feet.

A tiny bottle of "Freezone" costs little at any drug store; apply a few drops upon the corn or callus. Instantly it stops hurting, then shortly you lift that bothersome corn or callus right off, root and all, without one bit of pain or soreness. Truly! No humbug!

Great Lack.

"Is Harry a good fisherman?"

"No, and he never will be; he has no imagination."

The cheek that knows the kiss of a little child needs no other perfume to make it beautiful.

A lot of people get to like each other because they have the same bad habits.

"If" is a little word that spoils some big plans.

The Millionaire's Little Joke.

The millionaire was discussing with his gardeners the plans for his new grounds.

"On these terraces," he said, brushing aside his tie, because it hid a diamond stud, "we'll have five thousand weeping willows."

"Have you any preference as to how they shall be arranged?" asked the head gardener.

"The is only one way in which to plant weeping willows," said the merry plutocrat, "and that is in tiers."

Three gardeners fainted away, a chestnut tree burst into tears, and a little dog hid its head in a drain.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

Fargo, N. D.

Paradoxical.

"I'm afraid young Dibbs is a bad egg."

"Yes, and he's a fresh one, too."—San Francisco Chronicle.

A married man says the easiest way to manage a wife is to let her have her own way.

IF THIN AND NERVOUS, TRY PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitro-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

When one stops to consider the host of thin people who are searching continually for some method by which they may increase their flesh to normal proportions by the filling out of ugly hollows, the rounding off of protruding angles with the attendant bloom of health and attractiveness, it is no wonder that many and varied suggestions along this line appear from time to time in public print.

While excessive thinness might be attributed to various and subtle causes in different individuals it is a well-known fact that the lack of sufficient phosphorous in the human system is very largely responsible for this condition. Experiments on humans and animals by many scientists have demonstrated beyond question of doubt that a body deficient in phosphorous becomes nervous, sickly and thin. A noted author and professor in his book, "Chemistry and Food Nutrition," published in 1918, says: "* * * that the amount of phosphorous required for the normal nutrition of man is seriously underestimated in many of our standard text books."

It seems to be well established that this deficiency in phosphorous may now be met by the use of an organic phosphate known throughout English speaking countries as Bitro-Phosphate. Through the assimilation of this phosphate by the nerve tissue the phosphoric content when absorbed in the amount normally required by nature soon produces a welcome change in our body and mind. Nerve tension disappears, vigor and strength replace weakness and lack of energy, and the whole body soon loses its ugly hollows and abrupt angles, becoming enveloped in a glow of perfect health and beauty and the will and strength to be up and doing.

CAUTION:—While Bitro-Phosphate is unsurpassed for the relief of nervousness, general debility, etc., those taking it who do not desire to put on flesh should use extra care in avoiding fat-producing foods.

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Placed anywhere, DAISY FLY KILLER attracts and kills all flies. Neat, clean, ornamental, convenient and cheap. Lasts all season. Made of metal, can't spill or tip over; will not soil or injure anything. Guaranteed.

DAISY FLY KILLER at your dealer or 6 by EXPRESS, prepaid, $1.25.

HAROLD SOMERS, 150 De Kalb Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

SAFE, GENTLE REMEDY BRINGS SURE RELIEF

For 200 years GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has enabled suffering humanity to withstand attacks of kidney, liver, bladder and stomach troubles and all diseases connected with the urinary organs, and to build up and restore to health organs weakened by disease. These most important organs must be watched, because they filter and purify the blood; unless they do their work you are doomed.

Weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, pains in the loins and lower abdomen, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago all warn you of trouble with your kidneys. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are the remedy you need. Take three or four every day. The healing oil soaks into the cells and lining of the kidneys and drives out the poisons. New life and health will surely follow. When your normal vigor has been restored continue treatment for a while to keep yourself in condition and prevent a return of the disease.

Don't wait until you are incapable of fighting. Start taking GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules today. Your druggist will cheerfully refund your money if you are not satisfied with results. But be sure to get the original imported GOLD MEDAL and accept no substitutes. In three sizes. Sealed packages. At all drug stores.

And we know a lot of birds who have capital ideas, with other people's capital.

MURINE FOR YOUR EYES

Rests, Refreshes, Soothes, Heals—Keep your Eyes Strong and Healthy. If they Tire, Smart, Itch, or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Safe for Infant or Adult. At all Druggists. Write for Free Eye Book. Murine Eye Remedy Company, Chicago, U. S. A.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 60c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

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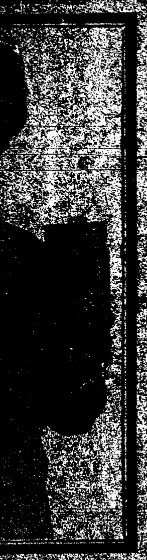
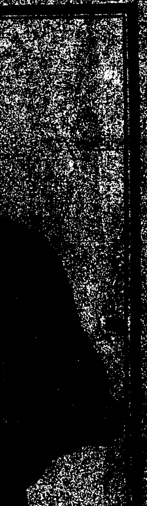
Growers and shippers of cut flowers, plants, etc. Write for catalog. Funeral designs on short notice. Phone day or night. Fargo, N. D.





[illegible] prizes for draft [illegible] offered in the combin[illegible] State Fair and Victory [illegible] Aug. 30 to Sept. 6.

NO ANARCHY IN FORD'S VIEWS

[illegible]

Prof. [illegible] then asked to run through the articles and interviews sponsored by Henry Ford and indicate the portions which would convince a critical examiner that Mr. Ford was not an anarchist.

The witness promptly pointed out numerous references to the government and to the use of the ballot which showed, he said, that Mr. Ford believed in the orderly processes of government and therefore could not be an anarchist. In no writing or interview, he said, could he find a single indication that Mr. Ford was an anarchist, either in the common or philosophical conception of that

[illegible]

[illegible]

All copy for [illegible] items, correspondences and advertising should reach this office not later than [illegible] day, and sooner if possible.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn. has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property.

Notice to Land Seekers!

[illegible]

The best country for mixed farming in the Red River Valley.

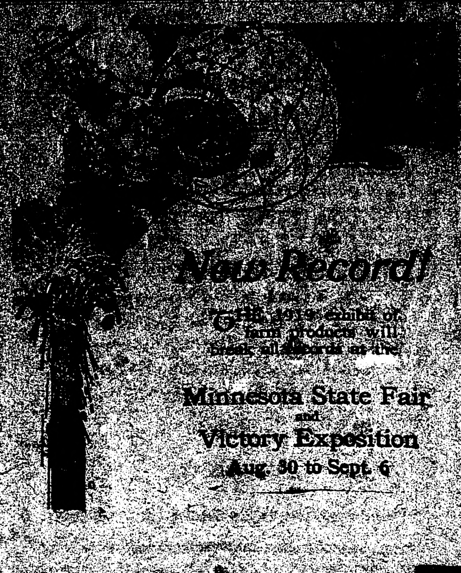
[illegible]

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

[illegible]

Hotel Lincoln

[illegible]



The 1919 exhibit of farm products will break all records at the

Minnesota State Fair
and
Victory Exposition
Aug. 30 to Sept. 6

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local News

[illegible]

[illegible] arrived here Friday from Grygla where she has been at work [illegible] He went to Middle River Sunday to [illegible] a two weeks vacation which he is spending in visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Saastad entertained a number of their relatives at their home last Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ahlborn of Minneapolis who were celebrating their first wedding anniversary. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Heinze and family, Mesdames Carl Larson, Tom Saastad and Lawerence Edwardson, Misses Clara and Ragna Larson, Messrs. Bernard Larson and Nels Hovde.

Team Frightened By Storm

A most distressing accident occurred last Monday afternoon when after a terrible crash of thunder [illegible]

Obituary of August Kuehne

[illegible]

The funeral services were held at the Synod church in Holt Wednesday afternoon [illegible] officiating and interment was made in the local cemetery.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks for the kindly assistance and sympathy extended to us during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. Augusta Kuehne.
Ernest, Otto and Willie Kuehne.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sauter.
Mr. and Mrs. Albin Knauf.
Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Peterson.

S. Moe and family called at J. E. Erickson's Sunday evening.

Rev. C. J. Dahl and baby returned Tuesday from Thief River Falls where the former had a slight operation performed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ahlborn left on Monday to extend their visit to Willmar and Granite Falls, Minn., before returning to their home at Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simenson and son, Arefein, C. S. Holgren, Edwin Erickson and daughter, Annie, attended the fair at Thief River Falls, last week Thursday.

Wm. Fulton of Montana sent a crew of men here Wednesday to put up the hay on his land several miles southeast of town. He also shipped in a car of horses, haying machinery and other things necessary for the men while making their home out there.

After The Flood

Matters Relative To The Flood

Mr. Johnson [illegible] arrived here Monday [illegible] after the conditions in the flooded districts.

Governor Burnquist has called the legislature to meet in special session Sept. 8 to take [illegible] The governor mentions the damage done by the floods in this part of the state, alleged to be due to inadequate and [illegible] drainage.

It would seem that right now is the time to go before [illegible] try to get the [illegible] drainage system [illegible] also make a special appropriation [illegible] river at least [illegible] done, and for [illegible] seed grain. This matter should be looked after without delay.

MINNESOTA STATE [illegible]

Division of [illegible]

[illegible]

The Secretary of the Interior,
Washington, D. C.
Dear Mr. Secretary:

I enclose herewith a copy of House Document No. [illegible], 66th Congress, 1st session, relative to the improvement of Red Lake and Red Lake river in Minnesota with the view of not only improving the same for navigation, but the reclamation by drainage of [illegible] acres of valuable land, [illegible] in the Red Lake Indian reservation, and 248,500 outside. The [illegible] cost to be apportioned against the land to be drained is only [illegible] and substantially all the lands within the Red Lake reservation which would be benefited by the improvement are today wild and unimproved.

Before this project can be undertaken the money must either be raised or secured. I understand public-spirited individuals in that vicinity are about to undertake the task of getting the water power companies and municipalities to contribute their share and to have drainage districts organized embracing the lands outside the reservation, in order that estimates may be made and the money secured to pay the shares apportioned. Of course in order to enable the reservation lands to contribute their share congressional action is necessary and this again would depend upon the [illegible] of the Interior department. I therefore, have the honor to urge upon your office to take this matter under consideration and to give it most careful attention, with the view to submitting to congress a recommendation on the subject.

In these times, when the subject of reclamation of unused lands is uppermost in the public mind, I hope the department will not overlook this opportunity to co-operate in the reclamation of about 500,000 acres of the richest land in the United States. The War Department Engineers, no doubt, have apportioned this cost in accordance with the benefits justly and fairly. I have already spoken to the Bureau of Indian Affairs officials, but they have so far given no indication of a disposition to take action. Presumably the reason for this is that the initiative should come from the office of the Secretary of the Interior. May I not, therefore, ask that this matter be given early attention.

Very respectively,
(Signed) Halvor Steenerson.

If the money expended on dredging Roseau river east of Duxby had been used to open the channel thru Kittson county and to Red river the drainage problem would have been largely solved.—Badger Herald.

Geo. P. Sanders, assistant county agent, and P. O. Anderson, forest ranger, were in town a couple of days this week. These gentlemen have their offices at Grygla and were here to see County Agent John Husby on official business.

The car of oats for the Red Cross finally arrived Wednesday and was distributed by Mr. Husby. Many were in town Friday and again on Monday and were greatly disappointed and inconvenienced by having to make the extra trips, also Mr. Husby was detained here several days and kept from his other work.

NOTICES FOR BIDS

Electrical Wiring

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the School Board of Dist. No. 35 Marshall County, Minn., for wiring the New Addition. Bids will be received up to August 16th 1919, at 8 o'clock p. m. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids to be filed with the Dist. Clerk.

H. J. Olen,
District Clerk.

Janitor For School House

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the School Board of Dist. No. 35 of Marshall County, Minn., for the position of Janitor of the School for a ten months term. Bids will be received up to Saturday, August 16th, 1919 at 8 o'clock p. m. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids to be filed with the District Clerk.

H. J. Olen
District Clerk.

For Septic Tank

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the School Board of District No. 35, Marshall Co., Minn., up to 2 p. m. of August 23rd, 1919, for building a concrete septic tank, according to plans and specifications on file at the district clerks office. A certified check for five per cent of the amount of bid, must accompany bid, same to be returned to the unsuccessful bidders. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

H. J. Olen, District Clerk
Holt, Minn.

Transportation Of Pupils

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of Dist. No. 35 of Marshall County, Minnesota, will receive bids for the transportation of pupils during the ensuing 1919-1920 term of school over three different routes, as per plans and schedules now on file with the District Clerk. Bids will be received up till Saturday, August 16th, 1919, at 8 o'clock p. m. and to be filed with the District Clerk. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

H. J. Olen,
District Clerk.

For Sale of Used Lumber, Etc.

Notice is hereby given that the school board of District No. 35 Marshall Co. Minn., will offer for sale, on Saturday August 16th, at 9 o-clock P. M., a lot of used material consisting of steel sheeting, board siding, ceiling, etc.

H. J. Olen, District Clerk.

Nels Hovde left Sunday evening for Thief River Falls where he took the flyer for Minneapolis and from there he leaves for Norway, where he plans to make his home in the future.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

The Newfolden Willing Workers will give an ice cream social Sunday afternoon, August 17th, at 3 o'clock, at Adolf Elseth's home, east of Newfolden. Everybody invited.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services in Thorvick Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock.

Young People's meeting, Holt, 2 P. M., in the new church basement.

The offering for "Home Missions" at the confirmation services amounted to $12.70.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

Used Cars For Sale!

One Ford Roadster and two Overlands, 5 passenger, in good shape. Can give a good deal on them.

H. J. Bakke.

For Sale Cheap

My residence and property, including two lots, in Block 10, Village of Holt. For further information write me or see B. Docken.

Terms will be given the right party.

D. Payne, Owner,
Leonard, Minn.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota.

Clarence Larson
Licensed Auctioneer
Satisfaction Guarenteed
Call on or write me for prices
Holt - Minn.

Hans O. Chommie
LAWYER
Thief River Falls
Offices in Scandia Block

Holt Cafe!
Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery
Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream
Olai Sovde, Prop.

PISO'S

Every member of the family from baby to grandpa benefits by Piso's—the 54 year favorite for coughs and colds. Taken before retiring, it assures rest unbroken by irritating coughing.

Relieves hoarseness; soothes throat irritation; eases throat tickle. Sold by all druggists.

Contains No Opiate—Safe for Young & Old

for coughs and colds

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 26
Wheat No. 2	2 23
Wheat No. 3	2 19
Wheat No. 4	2.09
Flax	5 [illegible]
Oats	63
Barley	96 to 1 15
Rye	1 38
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Drs. Mellby & Paulson
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 79
Residence: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 98

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

City Barber Shop
Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
All work guaranteed satisfactory
Ernest Phillipson
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

How's This?

[illegible] for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Hall's Catarrh Cure has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions. After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY
Eat Less—Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

Defective Page

News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

Washington

Representatives of 14 different railroad unions now have joined in a communication to Director General Hines at Washington asking immediate increase in wages. So far as known this is the first instance on record in which all the railroad unions, representing 2,000,000 employees, have acted as a unit.

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Secretary Lansing told the senate foreign relations committee at Washington that the American plan for a League of Nations was "not pressed" at Versailles and never presented to the full peace conference.

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Norman Davis, one of the financial advisers to the American peace delegation, told the senate foreign relations committee at Washington that he regarded it is likely that Russia would participate in the indemnity to be paid by Germany in the event that it organized a stable government.

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By the payment of $35,176,128, Great Britain has settled her obligations to the American government for munitions negotiated for during the war, the war department at Washington announced.

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General Pershing cabled the war department at Washington that on July 31, 98,487 troops were overseas. The maximum number of American troops in Europe was 2,200,000 November 11, 1918.

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Seven hundred and fifty-six of the American soldiers killed in action were victims of gas, according to an announcement by the war department at Washington. The average age of all the men killed was twenty-three years.

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Maintenance of one field army with a war strength of 1,250,000 men is proposed in a bill establishing a permanent military policy which was sent to congress at Washington by Secretary Baker. The active force of this army would be 510,000 regulars.

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Officials of the six big railway shopmen's unions told President Wilson at Washington they could not approve of his plan for the settlement of railway wage problems and asked the immediate granting of increases.

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Foreign

The National Union of Railwaymen of England declined to call a general strike in support of the police union, which ordered a strike recently over the government's refusal to withdraw its bill affecting the police organization.

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The Roumanians, after occupying Budapest, have served an ultimatum on the Hungarian government, according to messages reaching the peace conference at Paris. The ultimatum, it is stated, makes demands far in excess of the armistice terms.

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King George at London conferred upon Premier David Lloyd George the Order of Merit as a sign of his appreciation of the premier's war services.

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Great Britain purposes to establish a central authority to deal with profiteering, the house of commons at London was informed.

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A Berlin dispatch says Germany has cut the cost of living in half. The reduction applies to all rationed food, principally flour, potatoes, meat and fat. The government is spending one and a half billion marks ($375,000,000) in an attempt to bring food prices to a permanently low level. The cutting in half of the cost of living is the direct result of the railroad strike. The railroad men asked for higher wages and accepted cheaper food as a compromise.

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Five persons were killed at Basle, Switzerland, during the recent strike riots there, according to official reports on the disorders. Fifteen persons were wounded.

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The German government at Berlin is now getting ready to ship 140,000 milch cows to France and Belgium, as required by the treaty of peace. According to a government statement, there are now 7,700,000 milch cows left in Germany.

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Bela Kun, the deposed Hungarian dictator, took 5,000,000 crowns ($1,015,000) with him when he left Hungary, says a Berne dispatch.

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Viscount Uchida, Japanese foreign minister at Tokyo, says that Japan does not intend to claim any rights affecting the territorial sovereignty of China in Shantung. He promises that the Japanese troops will be withdrawn immediately an agreement is concluded with China.

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Coblenz will become the headquarters of the American forces in Europe when American grand headquarters in Paris is closed about August 20, it became known when General Pershing arrived ther[illegible]

In their occupation of Budapest the victory of the Roumanians was decisive and complete. The First Hungarian army has been captured intact with all its supplies and artillery, says a Budapest dispatch.

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Diplomatic relations between Great Britain and Argentina are delicate as a result of the purchase by Argentina of the German steamship Bahia Blanca, according to the Buenos Aires La Nacion.

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A resolution setting forth Chile's acceptance of the League of Nations covenant was approved by the senate at Santiago de Chile without a dissenting vote.

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Personal

Col. John Quincy Adams, noted Indian fighter and for many years United States instructor at Culver Military academy, is dead at Norwalk, O., aged seventy-six years.

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Domestic

Chicago's new rates of fare on the surface and elevated lines were announced by the state utilities board as follows: Surface lines, 7 cents for adults and 4 cents for children between the ages of seven and twelve years. Elevated lines, 8 cents to all points within the city limits of Chicago and to the western suburbs; 1[illegible] cents to Evanston.

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Between 5,000 and 6,000 men went on a strike at the four plants of the Standard Steel Car company at Butler, Pa., to enforce their demands for higher wages.

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Thirty-one French and British brides arrived at New York aboard the transport Leviathan, which brought 6,388 officers and men, including the last of the Second division.

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Steaming in silence and with the majestic dreadnaughts surrounded by a cordon of darting destroyers, Admiral Hugh Rodman's epoch-making Pacific fleet entered the San Diego (Cal.) harbor.

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A strike of Brooklyn Rapid Transit company employees affiliated with the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees was voted unanimously at a union meeting.

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Negroes employed on paving work at Lexington, 170 miles west of Lincoln, Neb., were forced to leave town by a white mob. A negro shack was riddled with bullets.

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Governor Philipp at Madison, Wis., issued a proclamation to the people of the state asking that dealers in the necessities of life desist from charging abnormal prices.

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Warrants were issued for the arrest of three officers of the Pittsburgh branch of the Central Sugar company of Chicago, charged with profiteering.

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August Kayser, forty-five years old, a St. Louis (Mo.) butcher, killed three of his children by slashing their throats and then attempted his own life.

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Robert and Ralph Lambert, twenty-one and twenty-six years old, were drowned when swimming in a gravel pit pool on the banks of the Sangamon river at Decatur, Ill.

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Because officials of the Chicago & Joliet Electric railway would not grant their demands for a 20 cents wage increase, Joliet (Ill.) street car men went on strike. They refused an increase of 10 cents an hour.

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Mrs. John Brownlee and infant son died at their home in Posey county, Indiana, from burns received by an explosion when the mother used gasoline to build a fire in the kitchen.

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Three persons are dead and three others, one of whom is not expected to live, are in a serious condition as the result of drinking wood alcohol at an informal birthday party given at Hannah, N. D.

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The University of Nebraska extension service at Lincoln, Neb., which has been investigating drought conditions in Montana, Wyoming and Idaho, announced that there will be little loss of live stock.

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It took Cook county's prosecuting machinery just one week to sufficiently unravel the tangled evidence in the Chicago race riots to indict 17 negroes on specific charges of murder, assault to kill, conspiracy to riot, etc.

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Six dreadnaughts of the Pacific fleet were severely shaken by a double earthquake shock 20 miles off the west Mexican coast near Colima, according to a dispatch from the flagship. None of the ships reported any damage.

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Four persons known to be dead, probably six seriously wounded, property and crop damage estimated at more than $2,000,000 and 200 families driven from their homes was the toll of the electrical storm which swept northern Ohio, near Tiffin.

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Twenty-two men, fourteen stills and several hundred gallons of illicit whisky were taken to Chicago after Internal Revenue Agents L. C. Keter, Mathew Weydell and Perry Fullmer descended on Elgin, Ill., and raided an alleged illicit still.

DEATH CLAIMS "IRONMASTER"

Andrew Carnegie, American Millionaire and Philanthropist, Dies at His Home.

HAD FAMOUS CAREER

Bronchial Pneumonia Cause of Death—Many Benevolences Mark Later Years of Eccentric Millionaire's Life.

Lenox, Mass., Aug. 12.—Andrew Carnegie died at his summer home, "Shadow Brook," here at 7 o'clock this morning. The cause of death was bronchial pneumonia.

Andrew Carnegie was born in Dunfermline, Scotland, Nov. 25, 1835.

Next to his fame as the "Steel King," Carnegie is undoubtedly most widely known through his remarkable list of public benefactions in the shape of libraries, museums and other worthy public objects, the total amount of which was estimated in 1910 at $150,000,000. His most noteworthy gifts were $80,000,000 for public libraries in the United States; $[illegible]000,000 for the Carnegie Institute in Pittsburgh, Pa.; $15,000,000 for college professors' pensions; $10,000,000 for the Carnegie Institute in Washington, D. C.; $10,000,000 for libraries in foreign countries; $10,000,000 for Scotch universities; $5,000,000 for a Hero Fund in the United States, $1,250,000 for one in Scotland and $1,000,000 for one in France; $5,000,000 for Carnegie Steel company employes; $5,000,000 for Dunfermline (Scotland) endowment; $7,000,000 for Carnegie Technical Institute at Pittsburgh; $1,750,000 for Temple of Peace at The Hague; $1,500,000 for the Allied Engineering Societies in New York; $750,000 for a building for the Bureau of American Republics in Washington, D. C.; $20,000,000 to colleges in the United States; $20,000,000 in miscellaneous gifts in the United States, and $6,500,000 for the same in Europe. He has published several books on business and public affairs.

TO MAKE 'FAIR PRICE' LISTS

Attorney General Palmer to Educate Public on Living Costs.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Attorney General Palmer has started out to ascertain how much of the high cost of living is due to excessive profits by retailers.

In a telegram to all state food administrators who worked with Administrator Hoover during the war, the attorney general requested the appointment of a fair price committee in each county to investigate what is being charged for retail necessities and if in excess of what the committee considers just, to publish a list of fair prices for the guidance of the public.

"This is the 'extra legal' means of reaching profiteering which Mr. Palmer recently indicated was under consideration. He has frankly admitted from the start that there was no means to prosecute directly a man guilty of extortion in prices. Retailers who are gouging the ultimate consumer will have to be disciplined by public sentiment, which officials have no doubt is sufficiently alert to the situation now to act vigorously. Hoarders can be reached through the war time food laws or the Sherman act, and Mr. Palmer requested the state food administrators to transmit to him any evidence of hoarding or other violations of the law which they might encounter in their work, with the promise that the government would act promptly.

PEACE LEADERS ALTER VIEWS

Attitude Toward Rumanian Occupation of Budapest Now Changed.

Paris, Aug. 12.—The peace conference, it became known today, is changing entirely its attitude toward the Rumanian army in Budapest. The conference, it is learned, is not disposed to ask the Rumanians to leave the Hungarian capital immediately, despite the fact that the supreme interallied council asked the Rumanians not to enter Budapest.

"We are at a loss to understand why the allies and the Americans above all should criticise Rumania for its action in defeating the Bolshevik in Hungary," said Nicholas Misu of the Rumanian peace delegation.

"We feel that we have done the peace conference and the entire world a service by giving the Hungarians an opportunity to set up a republican government. Furthermore, we were forced to march against Budapest in self defense. Hungary attacked us and the Bolsheviki threatened to overwhelm us from two sides. For tactical reasons we had to advance beyond the armistice limits fixed between us and the Hungarians.

Fifth Negro Dies From Drinking Bout.

Hannah, N. D., Aug. 12.—Joe Morrow, one of the participants in the wood alcohol drinking bout staged here last Sunday night, died Thursday as the fifth victim of the tragedy. Late Saturday a coroner's jury decided that Morrow's death was caused by wood alcohol poisoning. The jury sternly censured drug dispensers for being negligent in the handling of denaturalized spirits, and made an urgent recommendation that existing laws be enforced to the letter.

WILSON TACKLES HIGH LIVING COST

In Frank Talk to Congress Many Causes and Suggested Remedies Are Named.

OPPOSED TO STRIKES

Extensive Remedial Legislation Urged by President Includes Licensing System for Dealers—Continuance of Food Control.

Washington, Aug. 9.—President Wilson has laid several specific proposals before congress for checking the high cost of living but at the same time has declared permanent results cannot be expected until peace is fully restored.

Present prices are not justified, but were created in many instances artificially and deliberately by "vicious practices," he said. Retailers were responsible in large part for extortionate prices.

Strikes Make Matters Worse.

Strikes, the president warned the labor world, would only make matters worse, and those who sought to employ threats or coercion were only "preparing their own destruction."

Leaders of organized labor, he said, he was sure would presently yield to second sober thought.

Present Practices "Criminal."

"Illegal" and "criminal" were the words the president used in characterizing the methods by which some present-day prices have been brought about.

License System Urged.

Present laws, he said, would be energetically employed to the limit to force food hoarders and meet the situation as far as possible, but in the supplement of the existing statutes he specifically urged the following:

Licensing of all corporations engaged in interstate commerce with specific regulations designed to secure competitive selling and prevent unconscionable profits in the method of marketing.

Extension of food control act to peace times and the application of its provisions against hoarding fuel, clothing and other necessities of life as well as food.

A penalty in the food control act for profiteering.

Regulate Cold Storage.

A law regulating cold storage, limiting the time during which goods may be held. Prescribing a method of disposing of them if held beyond the permitted period and requiring that when released goods bear the date of storage.

Laws requiring the goods released from storage for interstate commerce bear the selling prices at which they went into storage and requiring that all goods destined for interstate commerce bear the price at which they left the hands of the producer.

Enactment of the pending bill for the control of security issues.

Additional appropriations for government agencies which can supply the public information of prices charged by retailers.

Early Ratification.

Early ratification of the peace treaty so that the free processes of supply and demand can operate.

The limiting and controlling of wheat shipments and credits to facilitate the purchase of which in such a way as not to raise but rather to lower the price of bread at home.

Sale of surplus stocks of foods and clothing in the hands of the government. The [illegible] withdrawal from storage and sales of surplus stocks in private hands.

General recommendations included:

Increase of production.

Careful buying by housewives.

Fair dealing with the people on the part of the producers, middlemen and merchants.

That there be no threats and undue insistence upon the interest of a single class.

Correction of many things in the relations between capital and labor in respect to wages and conditions of labor.

In concluding, the president made a plea for deliberate, intelligent action, reminding congress that an unbalanced world was looking to the United States.

"We, and we almost alone," he said, "now hold the world steady. Upon our steadfastness and self possession depend the affairs of nations everywhere. It is in this supreme crisis—this crisis for all mankind—that America must prove her mettle."

No Wide Curtailment Likely.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Officials of the railroad administration declared that no nation-wide curtailment of passenger traffic, as a result of the shopmen's strike, is in contemplation. Discontinuance of 128 trains has been authorized by the different railroads.

Hines Awaits Return of Shopmen.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Director General Hines awaits the return of all striking shopmen to work before undertaking to carry out instructions to settle the wage controversy on its merits. Until the men have returned the line of procedure will not be discussed. Two main points to be considered in the investigation, however, are whether living costs have advanced beyond previous wage increase and whether wages now paid are proportionate to those paid in other industries for the same class of work.

NO THREATS IN PLUMB'S PLAN

Congress Not to Be Coerced By Strikes or Violence, Say Brotherhood Men.

FIGHT ON 'PRIVILEGE'

Without Forcing Other Industries, Except and "Public and Employes Desire It," Scheme Requires That Private Grants Cease.

Washington, Aug. 11.—Organized labor will not attempt to impose the Plumb plan for control on other industries unless the public and the employes desire it, and its fight for public ownership of utilities will not stop until it has reached that point where "grant and privilege cease."

This was the message delivered by Glenn E. Plumb, speaking as labor's representative to the house interstate commerce commission which for three days has been holding hearings on tripartite control of the transportation systems.

Denies Threats of Violence.

Plumb denied charges that the railroad brotherhoods had attempted by threats of violence or strikes to force congress to adopt his plan for control of the railroads by the public, operating officials and employes.

The denial was made in a statement signed by the heads of the fifteen brotherhoods.

"We unite in a definite assertion that we have no design and have had none," said the statement, and Plumb, who paraphrased it, "to impress upon the public by violence, or by threat, our proposal that the railroads be nationalized under tripartite control."

Labor would be blind to its own interests, Plumb added with emphasis, if it attempted such methods.

Cites Postal Management.

Plumb cited the case of the post office department, the only great industry politically managed, and said its efficiency would be greatly increased if the employes had a voice in its management, or if it were operated under the democratic principles of this bill.

It would be absurd, he declared, to suggest farmers might come forward with a demand for tripartite control, but if they wanted it and the public said so, they should have it.

SHOPMEN VOTE TO STAY OUT

Twin City Workers, as Well as Men in Chicago, Want Strike to Go On.

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 11.—Striking railroad shopmen of Minneapolis, who quit work last Monday to enforce wage increase demands, voted to remain on strike at a mass meeting at the Parade, Saturday. Their action was a negative answer to requests from President Wilson and national officers of their union that they return to work pending the wage conference.

The St. Paul shopmen at a meeting in the St. Paul Auditorium voted to continue the strike.

In Chicago, representatives of the district council of shopmen's unions which called a strike in defiance of international officers, dominated conferences at which some of the international officers sought to have the men return to work in obedience to the wishes of President Wilson.

The council sent a telegram to the president stating that unless some concession has been made the attitude of the men would be unchanged and they would remain on strike.

AIR PATHFINDERS TO START

War Department Sends Out Party for Transcontinental Flight.

Mineola, L. I., Aug. 11.—Nine biplanes, known as the "All-American Pathfinders," will start on a flight from Hazelhurst field to San Francisco next Wednesday, under the auspices of the war department, it is announced. The itinerary embraces stops at 171 cities in fifteen states and covers 4,183 miles.

The objects of the flight include an educational campaign designed to show the people the actual workings of an aero squadron, recruiting for every branch of military service, establishment of aerial mail service, obtaining military information of the air service, advantage of establishing radio stations, testing aerial radio phones and obtaining information on which to base recommendations for the placing of steel hangars.

Base stops scheduled include Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Indianapolis, St. Louis, Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Fargo, Jamestown, Bismarck, Miles City, Great Falls, Helena, Spokane, Seattle, Portland and San Francisco.

Cavett Heads Vocational Training.

Bismarck, N. D., Aug. 11.—Charles E. Cavett of Lisbon, director of school gardens in the Ninth reserve district for the United States bureau of education, was selected as vocational training director of North Dakota schools by the board of administration. Director Cavett's duties are in connection with the Smith-Hughes act, by which federal funds are appropriated to aid in establishing a system of training students in home economics, industry and agriculture.

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A cold in the summer time, as everybody knows, is the hardest kind of a cold to get rid of. The best and quickest way is to go to bed and stay there if you can, with a bottle of Boschee's Syrup handy to insure a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning.

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Grouch Remains.

Mrs. Flatbush—What's the matter?

Mr. Flatbush—Oh, he insulted me.

"What did he say?"

"Called me an old grouch."

"Don't mind him. You're not so old, dear."—Yonkers Statesman.

"BAYER CROSS" ON GENUINE ASPIRIN

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" to be genuine must be marked with the safety "Bayer Cross." Always buy an unbroken Bayer package which contains proper directions to safely relieve Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Colds and pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents at drug stores—larger packages also. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

Flying Trips to Europe.

A flyer predicts that we shall within a few years fly across the Atlantic in the forenoon and return in the afternoon. We shall return in the afternoon, no doubt, because after paying fare for flying so high we shall have nothing left upon which to "do" lands beyond the Atlantic.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Friends Gave Her Up

Mrs. Hoffman's Recovery From Dropsy a Surprise. She Used Doan's.

"I was in dreadful shape," says Mrs. W. B. Hoffman, [illegible] Oakley Ave., Hammond, Ill. "There was a sickening pain across the small of my back and when I stooped over, knife-like twinges nearly drove me wild. I had large puffs under my eyes and my body bloated badly all over. My feet were swollen to twice their natural size and the skin looked shiny. When I pressed it down, it left a dent there and I knew I was bad off with dropsy. "My friends didn't think I would live very long. I doctored with three different physicians and they didn't help me and I was discouraged. Nobody knows the torture I went through.

"I decided to try *Doan's Kidney Pills*. I used three boxes and I was cured. I felt fine. As the swelling went down, my appetite picked up and I was soon perfectly healthy. My color came back and people said I looked as well as ever. *Doan's Kidney Pills* saved my life."

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Drive the poisonous wastes from the system and avoid uric acid accumulations. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules periodically and you will find that you are as good as the next fellow. Your spirits will be rejuvenated, your muscles strong and your mind keen enough for any task.

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Tommy's Tummy.

Teacher—Tommy, spell "stomach."

Tommy (who has just recovered from an overdose of green apples)—S-t-o-m-a-c-h-e!—Cartoons Magazine.

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STATE BREVITIES

St. Paul.—The annual meeting of the Great Northern railroad will take place here Oct. 9, and it is said, will be one of the most important meetings ever held by the stockholders and directors of that railroad.

Hibbing.—Farm exhibits at the St. Louis county fair here Aug. 30, 31 and Sept. 1 (Labor Day), this year will surpass any ever made as the favorable weather has brought out some of the finest crops ever seen in these parts.

St. Cloud.—Twelve hours after he had escaped from the state reformatory here, John Johnson, an inmate serving a ten-year sentence on a charge of forgery, was apprehended at Rice. He had served only six months of his time.

Red Wing.—Nels Neseth, 65, section foreman of Zumbrota, while riding on a railroad motorcar on the Great Western road, near Zumbrota, was killed when the vehicle left the tracks, tipping over on him. He is survived by a widow and six children.

Virginia.—With a taxable valuation of $17,037,000 and no bonded indebtedness, Virginia is believed in the record class of cities of the country, as evidenced by the report laid before the city council by W. T. Townes, who audited the city books and incidentally complimented the Queen City.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has indicated that his announcement of the date of the proposed special session of the legislature may not be issued until the state legal department has given an opinion on the question of the power of the state calamity board to deal with an impending forest fire menace.

St. Paul.—Another call for the maximum allowance of $1,700 for entertainment of Minnesota soldiers and sailors reaching New York city during August and for maintenance of the Minnesota desk in the Hall of States in that city was made on the state public safety commission by Secretary Charles P. Berkey and honored by Governor Burnquist as chairman and H. W. Libby, secretary of the commission.

New Ulm.—Over 200 farmers from Brown, Nicollet, Renville, Redwood, Blue Earth, Le Sueur, Scott and other counties bordering along the Minnesota river, went on record in meeting here favoring an assessment of at least 25 cents per acre on overflowed lands to secure funds to finance a movement to in some manner secure abatement of the damage caused by the occasional overflow of the Minnesota river.

Minneapolis.—Marines in the northwest who belonged to the famous Fifth and Sixth regiments, which stopped the Germans at the gateway to Paris and began the drive which resulted in the ending of the war six months later, will take part in a big review and parade at the Minnesota state fair on Thursday, Sept. 4, which is Soldiers', Sailors' and Marines' day. It is expected that at least 3,000 marines will march.

Pine City.—Ben Soule, his wife and two children residing near Princeton, were caught under an automobile in which they were riding near here, when the machine turned turtle. The accident was caused by the car running into a deep rut. Occupants of another car which came along shortly after the accident, released the victims. Soule and his wife were considerably bruised, but the children escaped with a shaking up.

Minneapolis.—Practically all the wounded soldiers who have been under treatment at Base Hospital 29, Fort Snelling, have been discharged or moved to other military hospitals. The work of the Bureau of Camp Service and the Red Cross field Director will continue in such measure as may be required by the units of infantry which are to be placed in barracks at the Fort. The fate of the Red Cross Convalescent House is a matter of considerable discussion among both Red Cross and military authorities.

St. Paul.—Reduction of the Minnesota National Guard as recently ordered by the war department will be considered by the state military board. Disbanding of the negro battalion of the Minnesota Home Guard, Gen. Rhinow said, is probable when the State Public Safety commission passes out of existence. The announcement followed the positive refusal of the militia bureau to authorize the continuance of the organization, composed of St. Paul and Minneapolis companies, as a unit of the new National Guard.

St. Paul.—The severe drouth in the west, particularly in Montana, Wyoming and Idaho, has created a demand from all agricultural sections for the surplus hay. The U. S. department of agriculture has requested the Minnesota state department of agriculture to ascertain as thoroughly as possible the hay surplus of Minnesota. The plan adopted is to take listings of the hay on hand and for sale either in the stack or in the field, together with a statement of the tonnage, kind, quality and price. These listings are then turned over by the department to the regular hay dealers and also to such relief committees or buying associations or individuals as may have been in the market for Minnesota hay.

Moose Lake.—Army worms are operating extensively west of this village. A black worm of from one to three inches in length infests a field and over night destroys a big tract, cutting the stalk next to the head. The Commercial club has wired for help and County Agent Johnson is on the job doing his best to check the pest.

Crookston.—The board of directors of the Polk County Improvement association, organized at Crookston June 9, has about completed plans for launching a definite program for the promotion of good roads in Polk county that it is expected will bear fruit.

Bemidji.—It is expected that by Oct. 1, a community market will be in operation.

Bemidji.—The town of Northern has let a contract for the erection of a new $30,000 consolidated school building.

Hibbing.—About 100 shopmen in the Great Northern branch shops at Kelly Lake and the Missabe shops at Mitchell have gone out.

Crookston.—William Benham, negro, 55, janitor in the United States post-office here, and his wife are the only two negroes in the city.

Moorhead.—O. C. Beck, after conducting a furniture store in Moorhead for thirty-five years, retired from business, when he sold out to Leo Johnson.

Virginia.—Mrs. Margaret Osonich, convicted of blindpigging, must spend ninety days in the county jail, being unable to pay her fine. She is the mother of eight children.

Glyndon.—The county commissioners of Clay county will meet at Downer soon as a road committee to consider the petition for a direct road from Barnesville to Glyndon.

East Grand Forks.—Prospects for an abundant corn yield this year are the very best, according to business men in the city who have just returned from a tour throughout the adjacent country.

Stillwater.—The Civic club has decided to co-operate with the Washington county Agricultural association toward holding a county fair here on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 25, 26 and 27.

Moorhead.—A movement for the erection of a steel and concrete bridge across the Red river connecting Front street, Moorhead, and N. P. avenue, Fargo, has been inaugurated by the Moorhead city council.

Dilworth.—A watermelon feast here cost Amie Zappa and John Barone $18.50. They were two of five men arrested on a charge of stealing three watermelons from a car in the Northern Pacific yards here.

Mora.—The Kanabec County Fair association will give $5,000 in premiums for exhibits at the fair to open here Aug. 25. An airplane has been engaged for three days and Walter Bullock will make flights.

Grand Marais.—A. J. McGuire, dairy specialist of the state agricultural extension division, will visit Cook county the week of Aug. 18-23. He will speak at meetings of the county farm bureau at Tofte, Rosebush and Hovland.

Red Wing.—Most of Margaret Olmsted's scalp was torn from her head when she was drying her hair before the flywheel of a gasoline engine near Bennion. Hospital physicians here sewed the scalp back into place.

Moorhead.—Mrs. Minnie Wright, known also as Minnie Foss, a prominent witness in the Sheffield murder trial, obtained a divorce in the Clay county district court from Lyle Wright, whom she married on Sept. 12, 1917.

Moorhead.—Concordia college of Moorhead will have a football team this fall, it has been announced by Dr. J. A. Aasgaard, president of the college, who added that A. M. Sattre would again be in charge of athletics at the college.

New Ulm.—Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state, will be the principal speaker at a soldiers' homecoming celebration here Aug. 20. The celebration also will mark the turn of warfare in favor of the white people in the Indian massacres of August, 1862, at Fort Ridgley.

Center City.—At the annual meeting of the Pine-Chisago-Kanabec Counties Bar association held here the old officers were re-elected as follows: J. D. Markham of Rush City, president; S. G. L. Roberts, Pine City, vice president; J. C. Pope, Mora, treasurer, and W. H. Lamson of Hinckley, secretary.

St. Paul.—Regulations against excessive charges for hay and corn, unaccountable stock losses and other possible abuses at the stockyards in Minnesota were promised shippers by the state railroad and warehouse commission at an initial conference at the capitol, establishing a commission control of stockyards.

Grand Rapids.—Itasca county authorities arrested Mrs. Nick Stupar and brought her to the county jail here on suspicion of being implicated in the murder of Bude Cevetich, miner, but are not disposed to say much about the charge against her. It is said that Cevetich was last seen talking to Mrs. Stupar and that it was in her pigpen that the revolver and other things were found and that a trail of blood led from a shed belonging to the Stupars to where the body was found.

Crookston.—The exciting career of Clarence Stout, 24, a farmer formerly living near here, came to a prosaic ending with his application for a license to marry Johanna Hulst, 15, with whom he eloped to Des Moines to be brought back to Crookston after living in Iowa and posing as the girl's husband. After being convicted on a charge of abduction, Stout drank a vial of carbolic acid in an attempt to commit suicide when the parents of Johanna Hulst forbade his seeing her. He was then judged insane and taken to the asylum at Fergus Falls. He was discharged from that institution as cured and applied for a license to marry with the sanction of R. B. Stout, his father, and Rudolph Hulst, the father of the girl.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has returned to St. Paul after more than two weeks' stay on his farm near Clinton. He exhibited tan and blisters on his hands as evidence that he was not merely directing the harvest. The crop on his farm, he said, will not be as big as that last year. Wheat is affected by black rust, he said, but the corn and other crops give good promise.

Thief River Falls.—The Livestock Breeders' association and Pennington County Fair association offer $30 in premium money for a Boys' and Girls' dairy judging contest.

BOY WINS LIFE BY POKER GAME

Stephen Scanlan Relates Hair-Raising Experience While in Mexico.

USE CORN FOR MONEY

Falls Into Hands of Martin Lopez, Most Bloodthirsty of Villa's Followers—Happy to Be Back in United States.

El Paso, Texas.—Stephen Scanlan, 16 years old, is the youngest soldier of fortune.

Steve has just tasted all the hair-breadth escape and "bite-the-dust" adventure you hoped to experience when you were his age and were thrilling to the dare-devil feats of Diamond Dick, Handsome Harry and Wild Bill.

Steve lives to tell how he played poker with Martin Lopez, most bloodthirsty of Villa's followers:

How he narrowly escaped execution against a 'dobe wall—

How he scouted for the Mexican federal troops, and—

How he was held by bandits.

All this below the Rio Grande whither he had wandered in search of adventure when he ran away from his home town, the tame city of Providence, R. I.

Mexico Appeals to Adventurer.

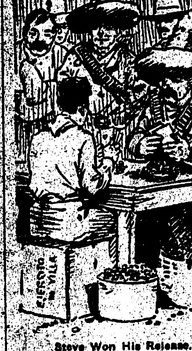
Young Scanlan had read much about Mexico, and decided that was the country for him. Making his way to El Paso, he evaded the soldier and immigration authorities on both sides of the line, riding across the Rio Grande in a box car.

From Juarez he went south on a Carranzista troop train, and at Meoqui he got his first thrill.

Villistas threatened to attack the train. When the bandits retreated Scanlan volunteered to sneak after them and do a bit of scouting for the federals. By way of appreciation, the federals boarded the train, leaving him to the mercies of the military police of the little town. He was being taken to jail as a Villista suspect when an interpreter happened along and secured the boy's release.

Rejoining the troops, Scanlan eventually arrived at Parral.

With an American boy's proper pride, Steve refused to act as a servant to a captain, and the officer in a



Steve Won His Release.

rage threw the youngster against a 'dobe wall and had drawn his gun to shoot him when soldier friends interceded.

Then came the battle of May 4, in which the Villistas drove the Carranza garrison from Parral.

Steve was captured by Martin Lopez, the Villista tiger man.

Was he afraid? He was not. When the battle was over, the boy calmly proposed a game of poker with the bandit chief. It struck Lopez as amusing. He admired the lad's cool courage.

"Sit down," he laughed uproariously, slapping his thigh and commanding his soldiers to gather round. "Here's a gringo boy who would play the great game with Lopez."

Used Corn for Money.

Kernels of corn were used instead of money. Lopez lost several pecks of corn—and his admiration for the American boy grew.

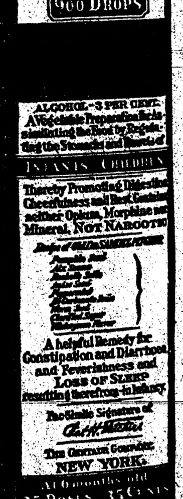
In this way Steve won his release from the bandits.

He concluded he had enough thrills to last him for a time, and started hiking the long trail back to the border. An American mining man gave him some money. He worked a little, here and there. A few days ago he reached El Paso—sunburned, in rags, penniless but happy.

Just a plain American kid who had the nerve to go out and get the adventure which you, gentlemen, got second hand from the thumb-marked pages of "Wild Bill."

Now he's on his way back to that tame, respectable Providence to tell the other kids about it.

The population of Madagascar at the close of 1917 was estimated at 3,227,470.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Like a Veteran.

A friend of mine who was down in the Hawaiian islands with the American first field artillery told me he had not been in the service long but was already as tanned as a raspberry and as bowlegged as a donkey.—Exchange.

Not Knocking, of Course.

A Perth Amboy gentleman says he took his pet cat to Pennsylvania, a distance of 99 miles, and dropped her. Later the cat arrived home with very sore feet and cried for something to eat.

"I don't expect anybody to believe this," says the gentleman.

So far as we are concerned, he has his wish.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Slow Populace.

"You seem down on your town."

"Consarn the place," said the village pessimist. "Th' folks in this burg are dead on their feet. I don't believe we could even git out a full attendance to a lynchin' bee!"

Newsroom Typewriter.

"The celebrated Doctor Johnson wrote one of his immortal essays in half an hour and never stopped to read it over," said the studious person.

"Possibly so," answered the veteran newspaper man, "but you must remember that the celebrated Doctor Johnson didn't use a typewriter with a twisted ribbon and one or two letters missing from the keyboard."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Shave With Cuticura Soap

And double your razor efficiency as well as promote skin purity, skin comfort and skin health. No mug, no slimy soap, no germs, no waste, no irritation even when shaved twice daily. One soap for all uses—shaving, bathing and shampooing.—Adv.

Not in the Right Class.

"Betty, I wish you'd tell Billy and Anna to stop playing with those Ainsworth children. Their social standing is growing a bit questionable."

"Why, is that right?"

"Yes, it leaked out at a director's meeting last night that they have the poorest stocked cellar in town."—Life.

CORNED BEEF
Libby McNeill & Libby

Tender slices of chilled Libby's Corned Beef and steamed greens garnished with egg—here is a dinner your family will ask for again and again! Ask your grocer for a package of Libby's famous Corned Beef today.

Libby, McNeill & Libby
Chicago

Grow Wheat in Western Canada
One Crop Often Pays for the Land

Western Canada offers the greatest advantages to home seekers. Large profits are assured. You can buy on easy payment terms.

Fertile Land at $15 to $30 per Acre—

land similar to that which through many years has averaged from 20 to 45 bushels of wheat to the acre. Hundreds of cases are on record where in Western Canada a single crop has paid the cost of land and production. The Governments of the Dominion and Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta want the farmer to prosper, and extend every possible encouragement and help to

Grain Growing and Stock Raising.

Though Western Canada offers land at such low figures, the high prices of grain, cattle, sheep and hogs will remain.

Loans for the purchase of stock may be had at low interest; there are good shipping facilities; best of markets; free schools; churches; splendid climate; low taxation (none on improvements).

For particulars as to location of lands for sale, maps, illustrated literature, reduced railway rates, etc., apply to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Can., or

W. E. BLACK, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. Dak.;
K. HADILLAND, Dunn Block, Great Falls Mont.
Canadian Government Agents.

WESTERN CANADA Farm Lands Low Prices

The farmers are building a new elevator at [illegible] River.

Ralph [illegible] and lady were visitors in [illegible] Sunday.

Charley McLane is painting Albert [illegible]nnes confectionary store and dwelling.

Lloyd [illegible] has commenced the carpenter work on T. E. Ellestads new house.

Gladys Hagberg went to Grand Forks Saturday for a couple of weeks visit with relatives.

Andrew [illegible] died Monday morning after an illness of less than three days with pneumonia.

Peter Hilkerson returned Saturday spending a week here with his family at the Ole [illegible] home.

Dr. [illegible] of St. Paul was here last week looking after the work at the experimental farm at Golden Valley.

A few friends were entertained at the P. T. [illegible] home Sunday afternoon to help [illegible] Hagen celebrate her birthday.

[illegible] Johnson and his classmate [illegible] Tuesday for [illegible] after a visit at the [illegible] home.

The basement for the Synod church has been [illegible] and will be used for the [illegible] Sunday afternoon for the [illegible].

There will be an auction sale on the C. Hoffman farm three miles south-east of Holt on Saturday, August 30, to sell off the stock and machinery.

[illegible]

NOTICE [illegible] SCHOOL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the [illegible] Hall in the village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 28th day of August, [illegible] at seven o'clock P. M. of that day, the polls remaining open until [illegible] P. M. for the purpose of voting upon the proposition of issuing [illegible] interest bearing bonds of Consolidated School District No. 35, Marshall County, Minn., in the aggregate sum of [illegible] thousand [illegible] dollars, bearing interest [illegible] fifteen years from the date of issue, the proceeds thereof to be used for the purpose of [illegible] expenses incurred or to be incurred in rebuilding, remodeling, repairing and furnishing the school house belonging to said School District and installing heating, ventilating and plumbing plants therein and equipping the said school house with [illegible] and school furniture for school purposes, such bonds to be in such denomination and to be numbered as set forth in the resolution adopted by the Board of Education of said school district and now on file with the clerk of said board.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION of Consolidated School District No. 35, of Marshall County, Minn.

Dated August 9th. 1919.

H. J. Oien,
Clerk of Consolidated School District No. 35.

Charles Holgren is helping Fred Volk during harvest.

We are getting almost too much rain for harvesting and haying.

The Fred Volk family were Sunday guests at the C. Hoffman home.

[illegible] Langevan will soon begin the carpenter work on C. Hoffman's new house.

The farmers will need every [illegible] of hay that can possibly be [illegible] this year.

Found: Child's sweater. Owner please prove property and pay for this notice.

Our merchants are helping with the Red Cross relief work. [illegible] mail order houses ever.

Want several quarters cheap land. Open preferred.—Wadsworth,
Grand Forks, N. D.

Misses Elizabeth and Anna Holt visited at the Edwin [illegible] home Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

A car of face brick for the new school house arrived here [illegible]

[illegible]

War Risk Insurance issued to [illegible] during the war may now be converted into permanent policies of any of the following six forms: [illegible] 20 or 30 payment, 20 or 30 year endowment, or endowment maturing at the age of 62. Full information given [illegible] Charles Castle, [illegible] Officer, [illegible] Nicollet Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

Notice To Land Seekers!

Dr. R. L. Olson is dealing in Real Estate
The best country for mixed farming in the Red River Valley
1000 acres of Wild and Improved Lands
For Sale at Reasonable Prices Terms Easy
I am absolutely responsible
All business done fair and square
Write to me for any further information

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The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
Temporarily located in the Kolden building
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
[illegible] Agent - - Holt, Minn.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE
[illegible]
DR. H. B. NEWELL [illegible]
[illegible]

Automobile [illegible]
When in Minneapolis [illegible]
Hotel Lincoln
Nicollet Ave. at 9th St.
Opened Sept. 1st, 1919
Especially convenient for auto parties as Nicollet Avenue is the leading road from all points, and has [illegible] within two squares of a large garage. [illegible]
Rooms at $1.50 per day. With private toilet [illegible] with private bath 50 cents extra. In addition [illegible] are suits of rooms with separate toilet [illegible] connecting bath—an ideal arrangement [illegible]
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Wm. R. Camfield PROPRIETORS C. S. Gregory
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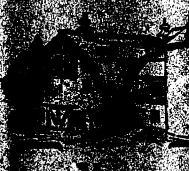

Your New Barn
Build it now, have your new barn ready for you just that much sooner.
You will enjoy the winter [illegible] the [illegible] properly housed, [illegible] be in fine condition to earn more [illegible] year.
Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. [illegible] the best season to get your buildings in shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
Holt, Minn.

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All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

Big Exhibit!
THE world's biggest machinery show will be a feature of the great
Minnesota State Fair
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Aug. 30 to Sept. 6

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A. B. Brousberg and family and Albert Knutson all of Gary arrived here Friday for a few days visit at the K. T. Knutson home.

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Hans J. Olson was here a couple of days last week and made arrangements with several of our residents to wire their houses for electric lights.

A little son was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Monson of near Thief River Falls. Mrs. Monson will be remembered as Miss Imanda Fosholm.

H. Fostad of Thief River Falls and his nieces, Misses Amanda and Gylla Fosholm, came to visit at the home of the latters parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fosholm.

The ladies aid of the Lutheran church wish to extend their thanks to Henry Wegge for his gift of $10 towards the fund for building the church basement.

After The Flood

Happenings In and About The Flooded Districts

Mr. Durgin of Minneapolis, a special Red Cross agent from the Division Headquarters, was in town Monday with Mr. Johnson who has been here looking after the Red Cross work in the flooded districts.

As a result of their visit the Red Cross will establish an office here in the old Farmers State Bank building and a stenographer will be employed, who will have charge of the office when Mr. Johnson is working in the country.

Mr. Johnson went to Grygla from here, where he will visit the flooded district with the assistant county agent, Mr. Sanders, whose office is in that village.

J. A. Lindsay, state highway engineer, was here Wednesday and in company with Jno. Sorum went over the state road to Golden Valley to see what repairs were needed.

As a result of their visit the repair work has already commenced on the bridge in Mud Lake which was in a dangerous condition.

Mr. Lindsay reports they will not be able to get any road work done this year, as it takes a long time to get all the plans passed upon and approved.

The State Highway Engineer wants 25 good men and teams to haul gravel on the state road between Warren and Stephen. The pay will be $8.00 a day, but the board for man and team is to be deducted from this amount.

The work may continue all winter. Anyone wanting a job like this should notify the State Highway Engineer or County Agent at once, or call at this office.

Homesteaders in the flooded districts can get leave of absence for a year or less by applying to the land office at Crookston. One or more witnesses will be required and an affadavit made of all the facts in the case which makes it necessary for the homesteaders to move in order to make a living.

Any further particulars desired will be furnished as far as possible by this office.

County Agent Jno. Husby and the Red Cross Agent, Mr. Johnson worked hard for three days last week in distributing the car of oats shipped here by the Red Cross. Many farmers who lost all their feed by the floods were given temporary help to enable them to put up hay and do some plowing.

Mrs. Ole Larson and baby went to T. R. Falls last week Thursday to visit her sister, Mesdames Arthur and Leonard Johnson, until the country dries up enough so they can move onto their own place.

If the matter is handled rightly, it seems as tho the legislature would make an appropriation to help the flood sufferers thru the winter and until another crop can be raised.

The county commissioners have made an appropriation of $500.00 for the repairing of roads and bridges in Mud Lake township.

People in the flooded districts should have their cattle vaccinated as there is a sickness already appearing there.

Miss Hilda Brekke returned Tuesday from Dakota to see after her homestead in Mud Lake.

Hay Land for Rent

Two sections in Grand Plain and some in sections 9, 10 and 14, in Agdar townships. Will let by the share or reasonable cash rent. Call on or address

K. O. Flakne,
Holt, Minn.

Is it hot enough for you?

It pays to boost your town and community.

B. Docken sold a Maxwell car to Fred Larson recently.

Harald Adams spent Sunday at his home in Dugdale.

[illegible] a few second hand [illegible]

Two furnished rooms for rent. Enquire of Mrs. J. Nelson.

If you are going to have a sale, see Clarence Larson for auctioneer.

Estray: Some sheep. Please notify Ralph Ness, R. 1, Newfolden.

Be up with your village neighbors by putting in electric lights.

Geo. Johnson and sisters were Thief River Falls visitors Monday.

P. Hanson and family and P. A. Riesberg visited relatives in Thief River Falls Sunday.

A crew of railroad men are stationed here while putting in concrete culverts along the line.

J. M. Swan shipped a car of cattle to the twin city markets Tuesday and Barlow & Sons shipped three cars.

The state will pay $200.00 tuition at approved colleges, for returned soldiers, who want to finish their education.

Two good second hand 8-16 Avery Tractors (one re-built) for sale by Smeby & Aasen, Newfolden, Minnesota.

The elevator carpenters left Tuesday for Strathcona to work on the elevator the Red Lake Fall Milling Co., is building there.

Mrs. Fosen and son Arthur of Cambridge and her daughter, Mrs. Larson and grandson, Walmer of Reno, Nev., came Saturday to visit at the Nels Foson home.

Winter rye sowed August 15th. yielded this year 44 bushels an acre, that planted September 15 averaged 27.1 bushels while that sowed October 1st. yielded but 22.9 bushels.

Want several quarters cheap land. Open preferred.—Wadsworth,
Grand Forks, N. D.

Found: Child's sweater: Owner please prove property and pay for this notice.

STEINER NEWS

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. John Heider were visitors at the J. Meyer home Aug. 10.

John Steiner and August Riedl were in this burg the first of the week.

Mrs. Kennison of Thief River Falls has been spending a few days at her brother's home, John Whittman.

Paul Keglin has been working for N. [illegible] the past week.

Louie Meyer left for North Dakota where he expects to work during harvest and threshing.

Stephen Warring, who has been working at Humbolt the past month, returned home Friday.

Edward Schzenke was in Steiner Sunday, August tenth.

Miss Frances Riedl spent Wednesday in Thief River Falls taking in the Pennington County fair.

Irwin and Kenneth Russell transacted business in this burg Sunday.

Mr. LaRoe, Union Sunday school missionary, gave an interesting talk at the Excel school house August 10.

William Meyer and Henry Rogers were Rosewood callers Sunday, August 10.

S. R. Rogers transacted business in Holt Monday.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement Friday afternoon Aug. 19th. Everyone invited.

Used Cars For Sale!

One Ford Roadster and two Overlands, 5 passenger, in good shape. Can give a good deal on them.

B. J. Bakke.

For Sale or Trade!

[illegible] store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

For Sale Cheap

My residence and property, including two lots, in Block 10, Village of Holt. For further information write me or see B. Docken. Terms will be given the right party.

D. Payne, Owner,
Leonard, Minn.

Hans O. Chommie
LAWYER
Thief River Falls
Offices in Scandia Block

Clarence Larson
Licensed Auctioneer
Satisfaction Guarenteed
Call on or write me for prices
Holt - Minn.

Shoe Repairing
Neatly done
Leave your work
at
Holt Merc. Co.'s store

Holt Cafe!
Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery
Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of ice Cream
Olai Sovde, Prop.

PISO'S
for coughs and colds

As long as you can remember Piso's has been the favorite relief for coughs and colds. Since '64, mothers have kept Piso's handy in the home and used it to prevent little coughs and colds from growing big.
Piso's gives prompt relief. Eases hoarseness and throat irritation and soothes throat tickle. At all druggists.
Contains No Opiate—Safe for Young & Old

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 26
Wheat No. 2	2 23
Wheat No. 3	2 19
Wheat No. 4	1 94
Flax	5 63
Oats	60
Barley	95 to 1 14
Rye	1 34
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Drs. Mellby, Paulson & Fisher
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 70
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 90

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Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 207 Call 1, Residence 207 Call 2

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City Barber Shop
Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
All work guaranteed satisfactory
Ernest Phillipson
Holt, Minn.

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How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
Hall's Catarrh Cure has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.
After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

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Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
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To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY
Eat Less—Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

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Gilbert, Nels and Gust Johnson went to Dakota last week to run a threshing rig for parties there.

Ben Nelson took John Arnerick to Thief River Falls Saturday to see a doctor concerning the latters health.

Mr. and Mrs. Schultz of Minneapolis were here a couple of days this week looking after their landed interests east of town.

A. B. Bonsberg and family and Albert Knutson all of Gary arrived here Friday for a few days [illegible] at the K. T. Knutson home.

There will be an auction sale on the C. Hoffman farm [illegible] southeast of Holt on Saturday, August 30, to sell of the stock and machinery.

Hans J. Olson was here a couple of days last week and made arrangements with several of our residents to wire their houses for electric lights.

A little son was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Monson of near Thief River Falls. Mrs. Monson will be remembered as Miss Imanda Fosholm.

H. Fostad of Thief River Falls and his nieces, Misses Amanda and Gylla Fosholm, came to visit at the home of the latters parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fosholm.

The ladies aid of the Lutheran church wish to extend their thanks to Henry Wegge for his gift of $10 towards the fund for building the church basement.

After The Flood

Happenings In and About The Flooded Districts

Mr. Dargis of Minneapolis, a special Red Cross agent from the Division Headquarters, was in town Monday with Mr. Johnson who has been here looking after the Red Cross work in the flooded districts.

As a result of their visit the Red Cross will establish an office here in the old Farmers State Bank building and a stenographer will be employed, who will have charge of the office when Mr. Johnson is working in the country.

Mr. Johnson went to Grygla from here, where he will visit the flooded district with the assistant county agent, Mr. Sanders, whose office is in that village.

J. A. Lindsay, state highway engineer, was here Wednesday and in company with Jno. Sorum went over the state road to Golden Valley to see what repairs were needed.

As a result of their visit the repair work has already commenced on the bridge in Mud Lake, which was in a dangerous condition.

Mr. Lindsay reports they will not be able to get any [illegible] work done this year as it takes [illegible] get all the plans [illegible] approved.

The State Highway [illegible] wants [illegible] good men and teams to haul gravel on the state road between Warren and Stephen. The pay will be $8.00 a day, [illegible] board for man and team is to be deducted from this amount.

The work will continue all winter. Anyone wanting a job like this should notify the State Highway Engineer or County Agent at once, or call at this office.

Homesteaders in the flooded districts can get leave of absence for a year or less by applying to the land office at Crookston. One or more witnesses will be required and an affadavit made of all the facts in the case which makes it necessary for the homesteaders to move in order to make a living.

Any further particulars desired will be furnished as far as possible by this office.

County Agent Jno. Husby and the Red Cross Agent, Mr. Johnson worked hard for three days last week in distributing the car of oats shipped here by the Red Cross. Many farmers who lost all their feed by the floods were given temporary help to enable them to put up hay and do some plowing.

Mrs. [illegible] Larson and baby went to T. R. Falls last week Thursday to visit her sister, Mesdames Arthur and Leonard Johnson, until the country dries up enough so they can move onto their own place.

If the matter is handled rightly, it seems as tho the legislature would make an appropriation to help the flood sufferers thru the winter and until another crop can be raised.

The county commissioners have made an appropriation of $500.00 for the repairing of roads and bridges in Mud Lake township.

People in the flooded districts should have their cattle vaccinated as there is a sickness already appearing there.

Miss Hilda Brekke returned Tuesday from Dakota to see after her homestead in Mud Lake.

Hay Land for Rent

Two sections in Grand Plain and some in sections 9, 10 and 14, in Agdar townships. Will let by the share or reasonable cash rent. Call on or address

K. O. Flakne,
Holt, Minn.

Is it hot enough for you?

It pays to boost your town and community.

B. Docken sold a Maxwell car to Fred Larson recently.

Harald [illegible] spent Sunday at [illegible]

[illegible] has a few second hand [illegible]

Two furnished rooms for rent. Enquire of Mrs. J. Nelson.

If you are going to have a sale, see Clarence Larson for auctioneer.

Estray: Some sheep. Please notify Ralph Ness, R. 1, Newfolden.

Be up with your village neighbors by putting in electric lights.

Geo. Johnson and sisters were Thief River Falls visitors Monday.

P. Hanson and family and P. A. Riesberg visited relatives in Thief River Falls Sunday.

A crew of railroad men are stationed here while putting in concrete culverts along the line.

J. M. [illegible] shipped a car of cattle to the twin city markets Tuesday and Barlow & Sons shipped three cars.

The state will pay $200.00 tuition at approved colleges, for returned soldiers, who want to finish their education.

Two good second hand [illegible] Avery Tractors (one rebuilt) for sale by Smeby & Aasen, Newfolden, Minnesota.

The elevator carpenters left Tuesday for Strathcona to work on the elevator the Red Lake Fall Milling Co. is building there.

Mrs. Fosen and son Arthur of Cambridge and her daughter, Mrs. Larson and grandson, Walmer of Reno, Nev., came Saturday to visit at the Nels Foson home.

Winter rye sowed August 15th. yielded this year 44 bushels an acre, that planted September 15 averaged 27.1 bushels while that sowed October 1st. yielded but 22.9 bushels.

Want several quarters cheap land. Open preferred.—Wadsworth,
Grand Forks, N. D.

Found: Child's sweater. Owner please prove property and pay for this notice.

STEINER NEWS

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. John Helder were visitors at the J. Meyer home Aug. 10.

John Steiner and August Riedl were in this burg the first of the week.

Mrs. Kennison of Thief River Falls has been spending a few days at her brother's [illegible] John Whittman.

[illegible] has been working for N. [illegible]

Louis Meyer left for North Dakota where he expects to work during harvest and threshing.

Stephen Warring, who has been working at Humbolt the past month, returned home Friday.

Edward Schzenke was in Steiner Sunday, August tenth.

Miss Frances Riedl spent Wednesday in Thief River Falls taking in the Pennington County fair.

Irwin and Kenneth Russell transacted business in this burg Sunday.

Mr. LaRoe, Union Sunday school missionary, gave an interesting talk at the Excel school house August 10.

William Meyer and Henry Rogers were Rosewood callers Sunday, August 10.

S. R. Rogers transacted business in Holt Monday.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement Friday afternoon Aug. 19th. Everyone invited.

Used Cars For Sale!

One Ford Roadster and two Overlands, 5 passenger, in good shape. Can give a good deal on them.

B. J. Bakke.

For Sale or Trade!

[illegible] store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

For Sale Cheap

My residence and property, including two lots, in Block 10, Village of Holt. For further information write me or see B. Docken. Terms will be given the right party.

D. Payne, Owner,
Leonard, Minn.

Hans O. Chommie
LAWYER
Thief River Falls
Offices in Scandia Block

Clarence Larson
Licensed Auctioneer
Satisfaction Guarenteed
Call on or write me for prices
Holt - Minn.

Shoe Repairing
Neatly done
Leave your work
at
Holt Merc. Co.'s store

Holt Cafe!
Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery
Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream
Olai Sovde, Prop.

PISO'S
As long as you can remember Piso's has been the favorite relief for coughs and colds. Since '64, mothers have kept Piso's handy in the home and used it to prevent little coughs and colds from growing big.
Piso's gives prompt relief. Eases hoarseness and throat irritation and soothes throat tickle. At all druggists.
Contains No Opiate—Safe for Young & Old
for coughs and colds

The Local Market

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 26
Wheat No. 2	2 23
Wheat No. 3	2 19
Wheat No. 4	1 94
Flax	5 63
Oats	60
Barley	95 to 1.14
Rye	1.34
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Drs. Mellby, Paulson & Fisher
McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 79
Residence: Dr. Mellby 167. Dr. Paulson [illegible]

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call [illegible]

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

City Barber Shop
Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners
All work guaranteed satisfactory
Ernest Phillipson
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
Hall's Catarrh Cure has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.
After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

—THINK IN INTEREST—SAVE—

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY
Eat Less — Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

Happenings of the World Tersely Told

Personal

Andrew Carnegie, the steel magnate, died at his Lenox, Mass., summer home, "Shadow Brook," at 7:10 Monday morning after an illness of less than three days with bronchial pneumonia. So sudden was his death that his daughter, Mrs. Roswell Miller, was unable to get to her father's bedside before he died. His wife and private secretary were with him at the end.

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Washington

The plan for a League of Nations used as a basis of discussion at Versailles was not any of the drafts submitted by the United States, Great Britain, France or Italy, but was a combination of all of them, the senate foreign relations committee at Washington was told by David Hunter Miller, legal adviser to the League of Nations commission in France.

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Final casualty reports from the A. E. F. central records office made public by the war department at Washington, gave the total battle deaths as 49,498, total wounded 205,690, and prisoners, 4,480.

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First heroes of the world war to be reviewed in America by President Wilson—the marines brigade of the Second division—marched up Pennsylvania avenue from the capitol to the White House at Washington.

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President Wilson at Washington in a message of condolence sent to Mrs. Andrew Carnegie said the death of the philanthropist constituted a serious loss to the forces of humanity.

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The original American draft of the League of Nations covenant, sent to the foreign relations committee at Washington by President Wilson, contains several provisions widely differing from the league covenant as adopted at Paris. The much debated provisions of article X of the present covenant for guaranteeing the territorial integrity of league members is almost identical with a clause in the American draft.

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Complete collapse of the Kolchak movement in Siberia was forecast in reports reaching Washington. Kolchak forces have fallen back almost 200 miles from their former advanced lines and Omsk was said to be threatened with evacuation.

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Hoarded food stocks will be taken over by the government and placed upon the market to help re-establish the operation of the law of supply and demand, the department of justice made known at Washington.

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Col. Frederick Mears, who was general manager of the American railroad lines in France during the war, was appointed chief engineer of the government railroad in Alaska by President Wilson.

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Foreign

The whole food supply system of Paris is paralyzed by a novel strike. The wholesalers supplying the central markets suddenly refused to turn a wheel, as a protest against the activities of the Consumers' league in forcing down prices.

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Invasion by the bolsheviki of all legations and consulates in Petrograd and Moscow and the wholesale arrest of foreigners, regardless of nationality, early in June, was reported to the state department at Washington from Danish sources.

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Viscount Grey of Falloden, who retired as head of the British foreign office at London in 1916, it is understood, is likely to accept the post of British ambassador to the United States.

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A London dispatch says executives of Britain's triple labor alliance of railway men, miners and transportation workers decided to postpone its "direct action" referendum on political demands.

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The Jugo-Slav government has prohibited the publication of all communist newspapers in Jugo-Slavia, says a Vienna dispatch.

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The peace conference, it became known at Paris, is changing entirely its attitude toward the Roumanian army in Budapest. The conference, it is learned, is not disposed to ask the Roumanians to leave the Hungarian capital immediately.

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It is reported at Paris that General Pershing has been recalled suddenly to the United States. He may even abandon his visit to King Albert.

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A decree prohibiting the exportation of sugar was promulgated by the Argentine government at Buenos Aires.

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Dispatches from Warsaw carry the announcement by the newspapers there that Polish troops have occupied the city of Minsk. Minsk is some 200 miles east of the borders of the old province of Poland.

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A London dispatch says the Yorkshire miners' council recommended that work be resumed by the 200,000 men on strike.

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The Roumanians have swept the country bare of provisions for miles around Budapest. The American food mission at Vienna, in response to urgent apeals has undertaken to feed the school children of Budapest.

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Belgium will proceed at once to electrification of the principal railroads in accordance with a decision recently taken by the commission at Brussels having charge of this question.

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Twenty villages in the Somme district have bestowed the title "honorary citizen" on Miss Stuart of Washington, who served as an American Red Cross nurse in Amiens region.

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A race riot, reported to have occurred at Kingston, Jamaica, was suppressed only after West Indian troops and 50 marines with machine guns were called out, according to word received at Panama.

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The chamber of deputies at Brussels unanimously ratified the peace treaty with Germany.

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An Athens dispatch says the Turks have proclaimed a "holy war" against the Greeks landed at Panderma.

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The strike on the tramways of Liverpool was settled. Work was resumed at once.

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Domestic

The war labor board at its final session at New York granted an increase of 12 per cent in wages to employees of ten traction companies centering in Boston, Pittsburgh and Cleveland.

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Deputy Will Farley of the state prohibition department was shot and killed by three moonshiners as he lay in bed at his home on Dart's creek near Charleston, W. Va.

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The inheritance tax on Andrew Carnegie's estate of $500,000,000 is $144,181,000, it was estimated at Cleveland, O., by T. E. Peckinpaugh of the Cleveland office of the United States revenue department.

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The actual demobilization of the American army, in so far as the combatant troops are concerned, will be practically completed by the last of October, Secretary of War Baker announced at Washington.

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Cap makers employed in 23 cap factories at St. Louis went on strike to enforce demands for increased wages, a 44-hour week and recognition of the union.

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Fifteen leaders of the conspiracy to cause mutiny in the Chihuahua City federal garrison and to deliver the city over to Gen. Francisco Villa, were executed, according to an El Paso, Tex., dispatch.

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Clarence Kaiser of Moline, Ill., was killed; Mrs. Sam Kell of Belleplaine suffered internal injuries and a broken leg in an automobile accident near Burlington, Ia.

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Five persons were killed when an Atlantic City express train on the Reading railway crashed into their automobile at Stratford, N. J., about five miles from Camden.

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Twenty-six United States submarine destroyers, from the Mediterranean, have arrived at Bermuda. They are the last of this type of craft to return to America from war service abroad.

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Mr. and Mrs. George M. McMasters were instantly killed and Mr. and Mrs. John Conda were seriously injured when a Chicago, Burlington & Quincy train crashed into their automobile a few miles from Kewanee, Ill.

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Scott Ferris, representative in congress for 13 years, has announced at Oklahoma City he will be a candidate for senator in 1920 to succeed Thomas F. Gore.

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Ninety per cent of the striking miners in the Belleville district returned to work, Frank Farrington, president of the Illinois Mine Workers, announced at Springfield, Ill.

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Thirty-one French and British brides arrived at New York aboard the transport Leviathan, which brought 6,383 officers and men, including the last of the Second division.

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Twenty-three negroes were indicted by the special grand jury investigating the race riots at Chicago, bringing the number who must face trial on various charges to more than forty.

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Three men held up the State bank at Lake Elmo, Minn., and escaped with $3,000.

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H. J. Brown and Arthur J. Clements, charged with embezzlement of $36,000 from the Alamo National bank, were held at San Antonio, Tex., under $10,000 bond each.

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Edward Campbell, fifty years old; his sister Katherine, twenty-six, and Mrs. Anna Beebe, twenty-two, drowned while bathing near Chester, Ill.

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The Underwood Typewriter factory at Hartford, Conn., closed its doors following a strike of more than 2,000 employees.

U. S. ENDEAVORS TO SAVE AIRMEN

Payment of Ransom Authorized to Mexican Bandits Who Detained Airmen.

SITUATION IS ACUTE

Severe Strain Placed on Diplomatic Relations by Outrage Following Close on Promise of Protection.

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 19.—Assurances were anxiously awaited along the border tonight of the safety of Lieutenants Paul H. Davis and Harold G. Peterson, held by Mexican bandits for $15,000 ransom.

The payment of the money, authorized by the United States government is understood to have been made to an agent of the bandits at or near Candelaria, Tex. The two army fliers are being held prisoner south of the Mexican border opposite Candelaria, it was stated, but what arrangements had been made to follow the payment of the ransom fund at Candelaria, or how soon the two officers might be expected at the border, was not announced.

Money Advanced by Cowboys.

The money was taken to Candelaria today by H. M. Fennell of Marfa under a United States army military guard. The fund was raised last night at a cowboy camp meeting in the Big Bend district, but the subscriptions will be returned to the donors, it was announced, following receipt of authorization from Major General Joseph T. Dickman, commander of the Southern department, to foot the ransom bill.

Aviators on Lookout.

Aviators on detached service at Big Bend also left Marfa for Candelaria, presumably to keep a lookout for their returning comrades.

The commander at Juarez has been served by American Consul A. E. Dow with the request of the state department for the immediate release of the aviators.

Diplomatic Situation Is Delicate.

The results of the outrage to American airmen intensifies the delicacy of the international situation existing between the United States and Mexico following a previous American protest and the receipt of President Carranza's promise of full protection. Officials at Washington, it is said, have declined to make statements for the present.

NEW LABOR PARTY PLANNED

Initial Steps Taken for Organization to Represent Six Million Men.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—Initial steps in the organization of a national labor party were taken here yesterday at a conference of representatives of labor organizations of several states. A temporary executive committee was named to issue a call for a convention to be held in Chicago in November and to set a definite date. Officials of the conference said that the party expected 2,500 and 3,000 delegates at the convention. A constitution and platform will be formulated at that meeting, and a decision as to what candidates will be entered in the 1920 campaign also will be made.

Represents Many Workers.

The basis of representation to the convention as decided yesterday was one delegate to each central labor body, of which there are 760 in the United States, and one delegate for 500 members of all labor party groups and all local unions.

The new party will represent the six million members of organized labor in the United States.

SUBWAY STRIKE CALLED OFF

Agreement Reached Gives Men Twenty Per Cent Increase.

New York, Aug. 19.—The strike which for two days has paralyzed subway and elevated systems in Manhattan, the Bronx, Brooklyn and Queens, was formally called off last night by a vote of the strikers to accept a compromise offered them at a conference of city and state officials this afternoon.

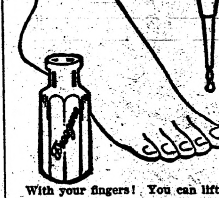
Under the terms of settlement the men will receive a wage increase of 20 per cent, and it is provided that the question of whether they shall receive the additional 25 per cent demanded by them shall be submitted to arbitration.

Pershing Starts Home Soon.

Paris, Aug. 19.—General Pershing is expected to return from Italy next Friday and will start for home September 1, leaving less than four thousand American soldiers in Europe. Pershing left for Italy Friday night. German prisoners captured by American forces will be held until the peace treaty is ratified by congress.

War Cost Britain $200,000,000,000.

London, Aug. 19.—Prime Minister Lloyd George in the house of commons said that the war cost Great Britain $200,000,000,000 and increased its war debt from $3,205,000,000 to $39,000,000,000. The war expenditure, he said, was devoted largely to purposes of destruction. The only way to meet the increased burden is to increase production. Mr. George declared the most outstanding fact of Britain's present situation to be an alarming adverse trade balance.



Lift off Corns!

Doesn't hurt a bit and Freezone costs only a few cents.

With your fingers! You can lift off any hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the hard skin calluses from bottom of feet.

A tiny bottle of "Freezone" costs little at any drug store; apply a few drops upon the corn or callus. Instantly it stops hurting, then shortly you lift that bothersome corn or callus right off, root and all, without one bit of pain or soreness. Truly! No humbug!

Belgium Recuperating.

The rapid growth of the railway services in Belgium is helping restore normal conditions in that country, which was regarded as having among the best means of communication before the war. At the beginning of December, 1918, Belgium had available only 305 cars with a tonnage of 3,700. At the beginning of June, 1919, Belgium had in service 9,104 cars with a tonnage of 123,361. Now 1,056 freight trains run daily in Belgium.

Agitation for a plebiscite in Dutch Limburg under the direction of the League of Nations is going on in Belgium, where expressions in favor of this movement are being made by every commune under the leadership of the committee on national politics. They set forth that the Belgians in Dutch Limburg are in the majority and never were Dutch.

Giving a Guess.

"What's this?" asked one, as they gazed at the zebra.

"Must be a war horse with service stripes."

Deduction.

"What's a polyclinic, Jim?"

"I don't know exactly, but I guess it's a hospital for parrots."

When a fellow is stuck on himself it's a mighty difficult matter to get him apart.

ALLIGATOR HAS GOOD POINTS

South Carolina Newspaper Gives Some Reasons Why Indiscriminate Killing Should Be Stopped.

The alligator is another good citizen whose usefulness is overlooked, for killing alligators has been from time immemorial a popular pastime. In Louisiana it was found that when the alligators were killed off the muskrats multiplied and destroyed the levees; also the cotton-mouth moccasin, the garfish and the carp increased wonderfully. Whereupon protection was given to the alligators. This lacertilian, to give him his correct family name, has probably kept the muskrat away from the South Carolina coast, for the muskrat is unknown on the coast. If allowed to multiply the alligator will make inroads on the carp, the garfish and the cotton-mouth, all undesirable members of our fauna. The sum total of the alligator's evil doing amounts to this: He catches a dog now and then; once in a long while pulls a hog or bites the tail off a cow, for sundry stump-tailed cows along the Atlantic Coast Line right of way have met misfortune in this way. The cow, the dog and the hog are out of place when the alligator can get at them; but at best very little of this happens.—Charleston News and Courier.

The Reminiscent Fraction.

"I suppose I'm getting to be a back number," remarked Uncle Bill Bottletop sadly.

"What number?" inquired the village wag.

"I haven't thought about that. I guess it's about two and seventy-five hundredths."

Rather Neat.

"I object to admitting the plaintiff's ankles as evidence."

"On what grounds?"

"Ahem! Your honor, this is a breach of promise suit and I don't want my client's judgment to appear at fault in passing up a pair like that."

Warned Her.

"Where are you going?" asked the butcher's wife.

"I'm going out to get some butter."

"Well, say—don't buy it at that store across from my place. The man over there borrowed my scales this morning."—Boston Evening Transcript.

Watch-Cigar Cutter.

A combination watch and cigar cutter is a new novelty just brought out for the man's pocket.

The Exception.

"An ill wind brings no one good."

"I am sure the doctors would not wish for a well wind."

A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN

Miss Kelly Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.

Newark, N. J.—"For about three years I suffered from nervous breakdown and got so weak I could hardly stand, and had headaches every day. I tried everything I could think of and was under a physician's care for two years. A girl friend had used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and she told me about it. From the first day I took it I began to feel better and now I am well and able to do most any kind of work. I have been recommending the Compound ever since and give you my permission to publish this letter."—Miss FLO KELLY, 476 So. 14th St., Newark, N. J.

The reason this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, was so successful in Miss Kelly's case was because it went to the root of her trouble, restored her to a normal healthy condition and as a result her nervousness disappeared.

LetCuticuraBe YourBeautyDoctor

All druggists; Soap 25, Ointment 25 & 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray and Faded Hair. 60c. and $1.00 at druggists.

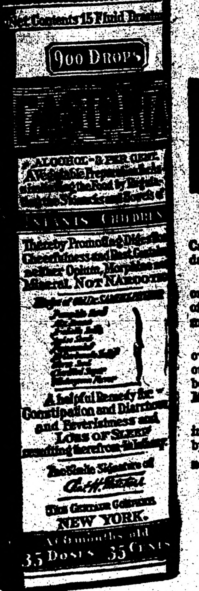
HINDERCORNS Removes Corns, Callouses, etc., stops all pain, ensures comfort to the feet, makes walking easy. 15c. by mail or at Druggists. Hiscox Chemical Works, Patchogue, N. Y.

Sheiwell Floral Co.
Growers and shippers of cut flowers, plants, etc. Write for catalog. Funeral designs on short notice. Phone day or night. Fargo, N. D.

W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 34—1919.

At any rate, the folks who use street cars don't start out praying against blowouts.

The lucky man can afford to pose as a disbeliever in luck.



Imitations Are Dangerous.

AN OHIO druggist writes to "The Practical Druggist," a prominent New York Drug Journal, as follows: "Please furnish formula for Castoria. All the formulas I have worked with are either ineffective or disagreeable to administer."

To this "The Practical Druggist" replies: "We do not supply formulas for proprietary articles. We couldn't if we wanted to. Your experience with imitative formulas is not surprising, but just what is to be expected. When Castoria is wanted, why not supply the genuine? If you make a substitute, it is not fair or right to label it Castoria. We can give you all sorts of laxative preparations for children, but not Castoria, and we think a mother who asks for Castoria would not feel kindly toward you if you gave her your own product under such a name."

No mother with a spark of affection for her child will overlook the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher when buying Castoria.

Children Cry For Fletcher's CASTORIA

Mothers Must Use Care.

Why do we so often call your attention to imitations of Fletcher's Castoria? Because it is a baby's medicine and imitations are always dangerous, particularly imitations of a remedy for infants.

Your druggist may not keep an imitation but they are to be found on drug-store shelves. Reliable druggists think only of the welfare of their customers. The other kind only of the greater profit to be made on imitations.

Your own judgment tells you that Fletcher's Castoria having for over thirty years at great expense held up its reputation, must jealously guard it. Then, it follows that this company must use the very best of material. Must employ experts in the selection of the herbs. Must retain skilled chemists in its manufacture.

Your same good judgment must tell you that these irresponsible imitators are trading on your credulity and the reputation built up by Mr. Fletcher, during all these years, for his Castoria.

MOTHERS SHOULD READ THE BOOKLET THAT IS AROUND EVERY BOTTLE OF FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Exact Copy of Wrapper.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

IT'S NOT YOUR HEART; IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is no respecter of persons. A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced back to the kidney trouble.

The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They are the filterers of your blood. If the poisons which are swept from the tissues by the blood are not eliminated through the kidneys, disease of one form or another will claim you as a victim.

Kidney disease is usually indicated by weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago.

All these derangements are nature's signals that the kidneys need help. You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The soothing, healing oil stimulates the kidneys, relieves inflammation and destroys the germs which have caused it. Go to your druggist today and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In twenty-four hours you should feel health and vigor returning.

After you feel somewhat improved continue to take one or two capsules each day, so as to keep the first-class condition and ward off the danger of other attacks.

Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand. Three sizes. Money refunded if they do not help you.

Nothing but Trouble.

"Every have any trouble with your automobile?"

"Yes. Ever since I got it, all my wife's relatives expect me to be their chauffeur."

IF THIN AND NERVOUS, TRY PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitro-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

When one stops to consider the host of thin people who are searching continually for some method by which they may increase their flesh to normal proportions by the filling out of ugly hollows, the rounding off of protruding angles with the attendant bloom of health and attractiveness, it is no wonder that many and varied suggestions along this line appear from time to time in public print.

While excessive thinness might be attributed to various and subtle causes in different individuals it is a well-known fact that the lack of sufficient phosphorous in the human system is very largely responsible for this condition. Experiments on humans and animals by many scientists have demonstrated beyond question of doubt that a body deficient in phosphorous becomes nervous, sickly and thin. A noted author and professor in his book, "Chemistry and Food Nutrition," published in 1916, says: "* * * that the amount of phosphorous required for the normal nutrition of man is seriously underestimated in many of our standard text books."

It seems to be well established that this deficiency in phosphorous may now be met by the use of an organic phosphate known throughout English speaking countries as Bitro-Phosphate. Through the assimilation of this phosphate by the nerve tissue the phosphoric content when absorbed in the amount normally required by nature soon produces a welcome change in our body and mind. Nerve tension disappears, vigor and strength replace weakness and lack of energy, and the whole body soon loses its ugly hollows and abrupt angles, becoming enveloped in a glow of perfect health and beauty and the will and strength to be up and doing.

CAUTION:—While Bitro-Phosphate is unsurpassed for the relief of nervousness, general debility, etc., those taking it who do not desire to put on flesh should use extra care in avoiding fat-producing foods.

Women Dry Fish Nets.

It would appear that every line of labor is open to women. They are now seen on the wharves in Portland, Maine, as gill-net spoolers. Each day, after a trip to the fishing grounds, the gill-nets have to be dried, and these reels are so arranged that the nets lie across them and are wound up similar to a piece of thread on a spool; in fact, they are gigantic spools. One reel will hold a great many nets, which are ready for use again in twenty-four hours. Women are now doing this sort of work. Many of them are wives of local fishermen. They receive fifty cents for each box of gill-nets they spread on the reel. The women average from $4 to $4.50 a day.

Getting Madder All the Time.

Bobby noticed that his friend Johnny was sitting on little Willie's neck, while the latter was faced to the ground in a helpless position.

"What are you sitting on Willie for?" demanded Bobby.

"Oh, I'm just going to sit on him till I count a hundred, 'cause my mamma told me to always count a hundred when you are angry before striking anyone, and I don't want him to get away."

Contentment.

Perfect contentment kills all ambition. No small boy licking an ice cream cone would change places with the president of the United States during that glad few minutes.

WIFE GAVE HIM INSPIRATION

Author, at His Wit's End for Plot, Got Excellent Idea From His Better Half.

How the idea of a new book was suggested in an unexpected manner to the author is told by William J. Locke in "The Rough Road."

"One evening a couple of months after I had finished 'The Red Planet,' I was tearing my hair and saying that this time I really had come to the end of things and would never again have the ghost of an idea for another book, when my wife, who was sitting on the divan in the drawing room playing unconcernedly with our little Pekinese—she had heard this cry of wolf so many times before—addressed this little beast—I love him dearly, by the way—in the maudlin tone of which we both are guilty: 'Why doesn't he write a nice book about you, darling?' Whereupon I clapped my hand to my forehead and cried: 'I will! I'll write a story about a man brought up like that dog and pitched into the war!' And I went straight into my study and set to work on the scheme."

Belgium After the War.

Statistical students of the cost of living in Brussels show that for necessities the price of which may be designated as 100 in April, 1914, Brussels paid 699 in January, 1919, or nearly a sevenfold increase. There has been a constant drop since January, reaching 564 in February, 403 in March, 344 in April and 333 in May, 1919. Articles not necessities have come down from 615 in January to 406 in May, and clothing, shoes, coal and light represented by 516 in January, have dropped to 351 in May.

Stung.

Harry and Grace each received a nickel with which to buy candy. They hurried down the street to a little shop, where the tempting array of chocolates in the window and the inviting sign, "The Busy Bee," above the door, lured them within. They made their purchases and left. Once out on the sidewalk, Harry held up his sack, in which rattled wee particles of candy.

"Busy Bee," he snorted. "No wonder they call it that if everybody who goes in there gets stung like we did."—Indianapolis News.

Lonely Job.

"You want to get away from people," said the doctor wisely. "Your nerves are in a badly shattered condition. You must get somewhere you will be entirely alone."

"Alone!" exclaimed the patient. "You have me wrong doctor. I'm a night watchman."

Dry.

"He has a fund of dry humor."

"Better book him for some of our future banquets."

Noah was six hundred years old before the knew how to build an ark—don't lose your grip.—Silver Threads.

The harder you knock down a true man the higher he will bounce.

This Drink Doesn't Change Its Price

Its quality doesn't vary, and it doesn't start a headache.

The Original POSTUM CEREAL is pure and drug-free. It will agree with you, and its rich, robust flavor makes it a big favorite.

Postum is a real part of any meal for old and young.

"There's a Reason"

STATE BREVITIES

Mankato.—Mankato Lodge of Elks voted $300 to the home service campaign fund of the Salvation Army.

Wadena.—The blueberry crop alone in Wadena county this year is conservatively estimated to be worth over $100,000.

Detroit.—The skeleton of a man was unearthed in a sandpit near Detroit, owned by Joseph Ames of Fargo. The Becker county coroner was notified.

Minneapolis.—Ira Montgomery, a returned soldier, of St. Paul, was elected agricultural agent for Hennepin county by the executive committee of the county farm bureau.

East Grand Forks.—Two men entered the home of John Dokken, 219 International avenue, having previously called Mrs. Dokken from the house on a fake errand, but took nothing.

Stillwater.—Dr. William A. Caine, landed a trout of the German brown variety that weighed just exactly seven pounds. The big trout was caught at Sand Creek, a common, ordinary fly being used.

Brainerd.—Reports are current here that young ducks are being shot out of season at Rice Bed 33, near Ironton. Sportsmen are exasperated and will seek the deputy game warden's aid to put a stop to it.

Thief River Falls.—Eleven-year-old Allen Sorenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson, suffered a compound fracture of the left leg just below the knee while attending the fair, when run over by an automobile.

Moorhead.—Thirty-four owners who operated their cars without tail lights were arrested. There were also four arrests for drunkenness, and three for disorderly conduct in the same time. Judge L. D. Evans imposed fines amounting to $181.80.

Moorhead.—Walter Peterson, alleged I. W. W. organizer, who was carrying a 32-caliber revolver, and George Grier, who was armed with a 45-caliber Colt, were held to the Clay county grand jury by Judge L. D. Evans.

St. Cloud.—St. Cloud's population has grown to approximately 20,000 during the past few years, according to an estimate made by the publisher of the biennial directory. This is an increase of about 25 per cent in the last three years.

Hibbing.—Edward Hirschbach, traveling salesman, was killed and William Thomas, his companion, had his leg broken in an auto accident south of town, when the car made a sharp turn, throwing both men out, Hirschbach sweeping along the ground for about twenty feet, his scalp being torn off and skull fractured. He was dead when picked up.

Bemidji.—The Bemidji Townsite & Improvement company, said to be delinquent on payment of taxes since 1912 on 650 lots, got out a restraining order for the city to show cause before Judge Stanton, why its property should be sold for delinquent taxes after being illegally assessed, as the company claimed, in 1912, by the board of equalization, which raised the assessment 10 per cent.

St. Paul.—The first lease of state land at one cent an acre under the offer by State Auditor J. A. O. Preus to attract stockmen from drouth stricken Western states to good pastures on Northern Minnesota cut-over land has been made. George H. Crosby, of Crosby, paid $6 rental on a 600 acre tract of state land near that town for a Western stockman who will pasture sheep there. The rental was asked by the auditor to comply with the law and was paid by Mr. Crosby that the Western stockman might use the land without cost.

University Farm.—Minnesota owes its prestige as a corn state largely to the advance made in the selection of seed corn. "Fifty years ago," says Andrew Boss, vice director of the Minnesota experiment station, "only a little corn was grown in Minnesota. Flint corns and a few early dents were brought from the New Egnland states and gradually became adapted to the soil and climate. Continued selection of the earliest kinds of dent has developed varieties that are pretty sure to ripen even in a short season. In this way the corn belt has been extended from the southeastern corner of the state to the northwestern corner."

University Farm.—"More corn is now grown in the farthest northwest county of the state, Kittson, than was grown 50 years ago in the southeasternmost county of the state, Houston," says Andrew Ross, vice director of the Minnesota Experiment Station. "Corn with deeper kernels, more rows and better yielding habits has been developed. A steady increase in livestock raising has made farming more profitable. The fertility of worn out soils has been restored and employment given to the farmer's labor. Besides, cultivation of corn has meant cleaner farms through the subjugation of weeds. The result is a much more remunerative farm. Time devoted to the adaptation of a variety of corn to local environments is almost sure to result in larger yields of better corn and greater profits from farming."

Red Lake Falls.—A new Catholic church and a priest's residence will be erected at Dorothy station on the Northern Pacific, according to the board of trustees, James Hance, Leon Huot, and Rev. Fr. Lemay, who have asked for bids for the construction of the buildings, the material to be furnished by the parish.

Crookston.—Carl, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fiedler, Lincoln avenue, who was struck by an automobile driven by William Arnold, owner of the Standard garage, a week ago, and seriously injured, is improving rapidly, having regained consciousness.

Bemidji.—Bemidji local, No. 2192, Carpenters' union, established a union minimum scale of wages commencing this week, the scale to be 65 cents per hour.

Bemidji.—Rev. A. M. Whitby and family have gone to Madelia, Minn., on a month's vacation before going to Duluth, where Rev. Whitby has accepted a call.

Sauk Rapids.—The continued absence of Donald Campbell, 14-year-old Sauk Rapids boy, who mysteriously disappeared fourteen days ago, has caused increasing anxiety at his home.

Moorhead.—Bids for the basement of the new high school building will be opened by the Moorhead board of education on Sept. 9. The call for bids was issued at a meeting of the board.

Minneapolis.—Where necessary Red Cross chapters have extended money relief to the families of soldiers, drawing upon the funds collected locally. In May $9,874.94 was thus expended in Minnesota.

Hastings.—Dr. R. H. Wald, who went overseas twenty months ago as a regimental surgeon attached to the Thirty-fifth division with the rank of captain, has returned home a major, having been promoted while in the service.

Marshall.—Wabasso and Redwood Falls will fight out the county seat matter at the polls. The county board of Redwood county has set the date for the election, which has been petitioned for by more than half the voters of the county.

Crookston.—The town of Higdem has raised its full quota in the Salvation Army drive. The towns of Garden and Onstad came in early with very good reports and their subscriptions, while not quite coming up to the quota allotted, were very liberal.

St. Cloud.—Edward Schrelarecki, 15, of Sauk Rapids appeared before Judge Roeser on a charge of stealing a $50 Liberty bond from his employer, William Demo, and was put on probation for six months on the condition that during that time he could pay back the amount of the bond to the owner.

Moose Lake.—Army worms have played havoc among some crops in Carlton county, especially those west of town. On the farm of John E. Johnson's the worms had completely eradicated one oat field and tackled a potato patch. The ground and shocks of grain was literally covered with the worms.

Mora.—Army worms got into a field of millet on the Elliott stock farm and within a few days entirely cleaned out the forty-acre field and threatened to do serious damage in adjoining corn fields. State division of entomology was notified and immediate steps were taken to confine the pest to that field by plowing around it.

St. Cloud.—Onie E. Edgcomb, arrested early in June on a charge of forgery and held in the county jail since that time, pleaded guilty and got an indeterminate sentence. Edgcomb forged a check of $25, passing the check on Milton Guthmann of the Blommer-Guthmann firm. The crime was committed on July 3.

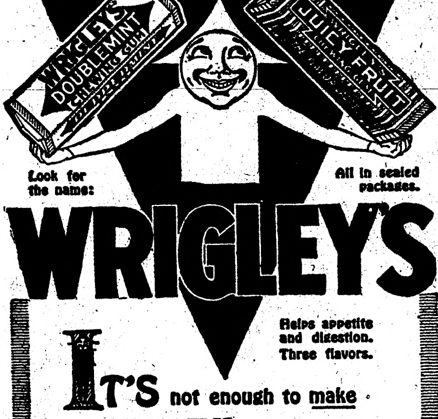
Minneapolis.—Harry W. Jones of Minneapolis, district vocational officer of the rehabilitation division, Federal Board for Vocational Education, for the district comprising Minnesota, North and South Dakota and Montana, has severed his connection with the federal board. While his resignation becomes effective at once, Mr. Jones has informed the Washington office of the board that he will assist his successor in getting the rehabilitation work at district headquarters organized.

Minneapolis.—Red Cross Home Service has been organized to assist families of soldiers and sailors when it was found there was need to combat anxiety, to safeguard health, to give legal protection, to promote education, to assist in employment, to give encouragement to disabled soldiers on their return, and to assist them and their families during the period of their retraining for civilian life. The continuation of Home Service and the extension of its responsibilities are included in the peace-time program of the Red Cross.

Minneapolis.—In one month prohibition trebled the consumption of soft drinks in Minnesota, it was revealed in the tax receipt figures collected in the state, made public by E. J. Lynch, collector of internal revenue for this district. The receipts on soft drinks last month were $181,867.25, compared with $60,617.73 in June. The July receipts on soft drinks came near being as large as the receipts from the tax of $3 a barrel on beer in July, 1918, which netted $222,111 in Minnesota. There was no tax on soft drinks and the so-called "near beer" a year ago.

St. Paul.—Children's clinics are now afforded by the Minnesota Public Health association in every county in Minnesota, it was announced by Dr. H. W. Hill, executive secretary. These clinics were previously the Baby and Infant Welfare clinics conducted by the State Board of Health but discontinued due to the failure of the last session of the Legislature to appropriate funds. The association has made arrangements with the Northwestern Pediatric society by which that body and the public health association will have joint supervision of all children's clinics in the state.

St. Cloud.—This city paid tribute to one of its most illustrious citizens, when Rev. Leo Gans celebrated high mass of requiem at the cathedral for the late Colin Francis Macdonald, nestor of Minnesota editors and for sixty-three years a resident of the state, who died in his 76th year. Business was suspended during the funeral. The funeral procession was led by the McKelvy post of the G. A. R., comrades of Mr. Macdonald. There were escorts from the St. Cloud court of the Catholic Order of Foresters, the Knights of Columbus and the St. Cloud Business Men's association.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What Father Missed.

I had been married almost a year and knew all of my husbands's peeple except his father, who lived in another town and who is fond of a joke.

One day we received word that he would arrive on a certain train, so several of my husband's relatives went with us to meet him. While waiting one of them suggested that they point him out to me and that I should meet him alone.

When the train arrived they saw him and told me he was wearing a gray overcoat and soft hat. I, thinking I had the right one, in fun rushed out, threw both arms around him, and gave him a big kiss, only to find my father-in-law with the rest when I returned.—Exchange.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Dead Loss.

She—I can never be yours. Here are your presents.

He—All very fine. But what about those cigars I gave your father and those quarters I gave your little brother?—Boston Evening Transcript.

Cuticura for Sore Hands.

Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Ointment with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do if Soap, Ointment and Talcum are used for all toilet purposes.—Adv.

Our Claim to Distinction.

We may not have much that entitles us to fame, but when we are dead and gone we may be written down as one who lived through these high cost of living days and never went on a strike for higher wages.

The quietest people often create the biggest noise.

HEARTBURN Caused by Acid-Stomach

That bitter heartburn, belching, food-repeating, indigestion, bloat after eating—all are caused by acid-stomach. But they are only first symptoms—danger signals to warn you of awful troubles if not stopped. Headache, biliousness, rheumatism, sciatica, that tired, listless feeling, lack of energy, dizziness, insomnia, even cancer and ulcers of the intestines and many other ailments are traceable to ACID-STOMACH.

Thousands—yes, millions—of people who ought to be well and strong are mere weaklings because of acid-stomach. They really starve in the midst of plenty because they do not get enough strength and vitality from the food they eat.

Take EATONIC and give your stomach a chance to do its work right. Make it strong, cool, sweet and comfortable. EATONIC brings quick relief for heartburn, belching, indigestion and other stomach miseries. Improves digestion—helps you get full strength from your food. Thousands say EATONIC is the most wonderful stomach remedy in the world. Brought them relief when everything else failed.

Our best testimonial is what EATONIC will do for you. So get a big 50c box of EATONIC today from your druggist, use it five days—if you're not pleased, return it and get your money back.

EATONIC
(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

The Last Word.

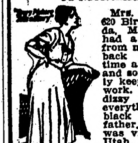
Mistress—Now, Bridget, there's no use of further argument as to how the dish should be prepared; but our ideas on the subject are so different that it is evident one or the other of us is crazy.

Bridget—True for ye, mum—an' sure it isn't yerself 'd be kapin' a crazy cook.—Boston Transcript.

No Illuminations.

"The dark dry days are coming."

"They will be dark when nobody can get lit up."



Don't Go From Bad to Worse!

Are you always weak, miserable and half-sick? Then it's time you found out what is wrong. Kidney weakness causes much suffering from backache, lameness, stiffness and rheumatic pains, and if neglected, brings danger of serious troubles—dropsy, gravel and Bright's disease. Don't delay. Use *Doan's Kidney Pills*. They have helped thousands and should help you. Ask your neighbor!

A Montana Case

Mrs. J. N. Browning, 620 Birch St., Anaconda, Mont., says: "I had a lot of trouble from my kidneys. My back ached all the time and was so lame and sore I could hardly keep at my housework. I often had dizzy spells when everything would turn black before me. My father, a doctor, who was visiting me from Utah, said he would get something for me. When he brought it it was Doan's Kidney Pills. I used them and four boxes completely cured me."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box
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Display of Ribbon.

When the war started and Gen. Peyton March, chief of staff, first appeared before the senate military committee in connection with military legislation, he wore a single ribbon on his coat, denoting his campaigns in the army. Now, together with ribbons denoting foreign decorations as well as some given him in this country, together with service bars, he has three rows of them over the left-hand pocket, and if placed in a row would measure nearly two feet.

His Idea of Bigness.

During the examinations at the close of school, the fourth-grade teacher asked her history class to name the five most important men of the recent war. One boy, in all seriousness, answered the question thus: "General Pershing, President Wilson, General Foch, my big brother Tom and Andy Sullivan's brother Pat."

A success is a man who has stuck to one job long enough to do it well.

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EIGHTEEN APPLES AND A PEACH

"Just thought I would send you a picture of the box of apples I'm going to exhibit," ran the postscript on the photo. Indications point to an unusually large fruit and vegetable show this year at the coming Minnesota State Fair and Victory Exposition, Aug. 30 to Sept. 6.

HE RAISED IT ALL BY HIMSELF

This little boy has hoed and watered this beet all summer long. It is so perfect in scale that it is to be exhibited for a prize at the show of children's products, which is to be a big educational feature of the Minnesota State Fair and Victory Exposition, Aug. 30 to Sept. 6.

SHE'D RATHER PLOW THAN EAT

This girl plowed over 500 acres of raw land on a western ranch this year. So adept is she with a tractor that she has been engaged to demonstrate tractors every day of the farm implements show at the Minnesota State Fair and Victory Exposition, Aug. 30 to Sept. 6.

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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Carl Engebretson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court,

In the matter of the estate of Carl Englebretson Decedent.

The state of Minnesota, to Lena Englebretson, Harriet Engebretson, Clarice Engebretson, Clifford Engebretson and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Lena Engebretson having been filed in this Court, representing that Carl Engebretson, then a resident of the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 12th day of November 1918, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Lena Engebretson and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the city of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of September 1919, at two o'clock P. M., why said petition should not be graned.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 14th day of August 1919.

PETER H. HOLM,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge
HANS O. CHOMMIE
Attorney for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minn.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the Woodman Hall in the village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota on the 23rd day of August, 1919, at seven o'clock P. M. of that day, the polls remaining open until 9 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of voting upon the proposition of issuing the negotiable interest bearing bonds of Consolidated School District No. 35, of Marshall County, Minn., in the aggregate sum of fifteen housand ($15,000) dollars, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed five and one half per cent payable semi-annually and running fifteen years from the date of issuance, the proceeds thereof to be used for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred and to be incurred in rebuilding, remodeling, repairing and furnishing the school house, belonging to said School District and installing heating, ventilating and plumbing plants therein and equipping the said school house with aparatus and school furniture for school purposes, such bonds to be in such denominations and to be numbered as set forth in the resolution adopted by the Board of Education of said school district and now on file with the clerk of said board.

By ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION of Consolidated School District No. 35, of Marshall County, Minn.

Dated August 9th, 1919.

H. J. Olen.
Clerk of Consolidated
School District No. 35.

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

Your New Barn

Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine, condition to earn [illegible]

[illegible] of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
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All persons living in Minnesota, eastern North and South Dakota, northern Iowa, and western Wisconsin, will be able to get a fare and a half rate to the Minnesota State Fair, Aug. 30 to Sept. 6, as the result of a ruling just made by the U. S. Railroad Administration.

The fair will open Saturday morn Aug. 30, and continue eight days.

The War Risk insurance issued to soldiers during the war may now be converted into permanent policies of anyone of the following six forms: ordinary, 20 or 30 payment, 20 or 30 year endowment and endowment maturing at the age of 62. Full information given by Charles Castle, Recruiting Officer, 311 Nicollet Ave Minneapolis, Minn.

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School Matters

SCHOOL NOTICE

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After The Flood

Happenings in and About The Flooded District

Good heavy teams are wanted [illegible] grading work in preparation for the gravel on the state road [illegible]

[illegible]

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at [illegible] o'clock.

Rev. E. LaRoe will hold services here at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening. Everyone invited.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement Friday afternoon Aug. 29th. Everyone invited.

[illegible]

The Local Market

Wheat No. 1 Northern	[illegible]
Wheat No. 2	[illegible]
Wheat No. 3	[illegible]
Wheat No. 4	[illegible]
Flax	[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]
Barley	[illegible] to 1 [illegible]
Rye	1 [illegible]
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

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McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone [illegible]

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg.

How's This?

[illegible]

[illegible]

Mrs. Ordahl and little Hildred returned home Wednesday from the Thief River Falls hospital where she had an operation performed on her nose and also on the little girls nose and throat. Both are recovering nicely from the effects of the operations.

[illegible] consulted a physician regarding her health.

Rev. [illegible] and Ole Moen will hold services at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the [illegible] Ness school house, and at 8 o'clock in the evening in the Sollom school.

T. E. Ellestead has the frame up for his new house. The main part is 24x30 with 12 foot posts with an addition 8x14 feet. The basement is full size of the main part. This is going to make them a fine home when completed.

[illegible] River Falls.

[illegible] is able to be at work again, and has announced a raise in advertising and job work rates.

[illegible] Carlson returned Friday to her home in Crookston after a few days pleasant visit at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Louis [illegible].

Several from Holt went to Thief River Falls Sunday to witness a ball game between the teams of that city and St. Hilaire, which was won by the latter by a score of 5 to 8.

In many places the people are unable to get sufficient sugar for the ordinary household uses, and if that situation continues the country may have to go back to the war time basis. Housewives are urged to use syrup substitutes and do their canning without sugar, as much as possible.

Little Miss Elnor Larson who has been visiting with her grandparents [illegible] for the last two weeks returned home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul [illegible] and daughter [illegible] to T. R. Falls last Sunday.

Andrew Ness and family of Thief River Falls visited relatives here the forepart of the week.

Arvid and Tony Carlson and their families and Ole Johnson were Sunday guests at the Charles Skoglund home.

Esther Hagglund formerly of Holt was married Aug. 23rd. at Tacoma, Wash., to Geo. Johnston of that city.

Telephone bills for the month of August are due and should be paid at once, as it takes time and money to send out statements.

Miss Gladys Flak has resigned her position with the Holt Mercantile Co., and Mrs. Kolden is now clerking full time in the store.

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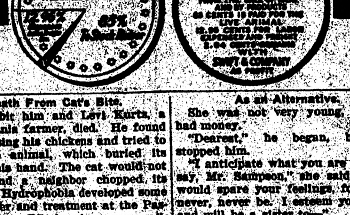

Death From Cat's Bite.

A cat bit him and Levi Kurtz, a Pennsylvania farmer, died. He found a cat chasing his chickens and tried to seize the animal, which buried its teeth in his hand. The cat would not let go and a neighbor chopped its head off. Hydrophobia developed some weeks later and treatment at the Pasteur institute, Pittsburgh, was unavailing.

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Thus Typist Prays.

While in a certain government office recently Sir Evan Jones, the British transport chairman, overheard the following dialogue between two fair typewriter tappers:

"Isn't it terrible the way we have to work these days?"

"Rather! Why, I typed so many letters yesterday that last night I finished my prayers with 'Yours truly.'"—Vancouver (B. C.) Province.

The Main Point.

"Has Scribson found anybody to produce his play?"

"No, He's still living in hopes."

"If he can keep his landlady in that frame of mind, well and good."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

One seldom realizes that he is wrong until he is found out.

As an Alternative.

She was not very young, but she had money.

"Dearest," he began, but she stopped him.

"I anticipate what you are about to say, Mr. Sampson," she said, "and I would spare your feelings, for it can never, never be. I esteem you highly and will be a sister to—"

"I have four sisters already," he replied bitterly, "four grown sisters and life is a hideous burden. But, oh, Clare," he went on passionately, "if you cannot be my wife, will you not give me a home and a mother's protective love? I am an orphan."—Pearson's Weekly.

The Reason for "She."

She—"I never could see why they call a boat 'she.'" He—"Evidently you never tried to steer one."

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Innocence.

It was Mr. Youngbride's first experience in marketing. "How do fish come?" she asked the dealer.

"In various sizes, ma'am."

"Then give me a pair of sevens. That is the size of the gloves I wear."—Boston Evening Transcript.

Getting up a concert is a sound undertaking.

STATE BREVITIES

Two Harbors.—C. E. Campton has again been appointed superintendent of the city schools by the board of education.

Windom. — The school board at Mountain Lake has let the contract for a $38,000 school building and work on the structure will be commenced within the next few weeks.

St. Cloud.—Several additional miles of paving in St. Cloud will be considered soon by the city commission. Plans for laying the sewer and water mains already have been made.

Marshall.—A post of the American legion has been formed here and officers will be elected as soon as the charter is received. The name chosen for the post is "Luther I. Snapp post."

Brainerd.—A sale of 160 acres of land in Long Lake township, south of Brainerd, was sold by C. E. Peabody for $160 an acre. The land is broken, but is unfenced and has no buildings.

Brainerd.—When an automobile, belonging to Earl Clemencer here, broke out in flames in Lum Park, the occupants ran the machine in to a lake and saved the car from total destruction.

Grand Rapids.—Itasca county is in favor of good roads. This was demonstrated when the proposal to issue $2,000,000 in bonds for county roads was carried at a recent election by a large majority.

Tyler.—At a mass meeting of citizens here it was decided to erect a modern hospital building, replacing the one which was destroyed by the tornado a year ago. A structure costing more than $30,000 is planned.

Red Wing.—Following the death of Vincent Kelly from injuries sustained in an automobile wreck at Cannon Falls, George Tiedeman, Mobridge, S. D., driver of the car in which Kelly was riding, was arrested by Sheriff Anderson on a warrant charging him with manslaughter in the second degree.

St. Paul.—More than 500 delegates from Minnesota towns will attend the state Fire Prevention congress, September 25, in St. Paul, it was estimated at a committee meeting. Delegates will include fire department members attending a school of instruction during the week with city officials.

Bemidji.—Thomas W. Swenson of Bemidji has been appointed as census supervisor of the sixth district, which includes these counties: Aitkin, Beltrami, Benton, Cass, Crow Wing, Hubbard, Morrison, Sherburne, Stearns, Todd and Wadena. The population for the eleven counties in 1910 was 191,616.

Duluth.—William Kumpulu, alleged I. W. W. agitator and draft evader, has confessed he murdered and robbed Jacob Carlson, in his store at Markham, June 15, according to a telegram received by Sheriff Magie of St. Louis county, from Deputy Sheriff Troyer, who went to Oakes, N. D., to bring Kumpulu back here.

Tracy.—Rev. Walter Johnsboy has received notices of appointment to a fellowship in the board of education of the Norwegian Lutheran church of America. The fellowship carries the largest stipend which the board can award and may be used at any university. Rev. Mr. Johnsboy received a scholarship from Harvard last spring in Semetic languages.

Wahkon.—Mille Lacs county now boasts of six consolidated schools. Wahkon, Milaca and Cove availed themselves of the law several years ago. Onamia came in four years ago. Isle is entitled to the privileges of a consolidated school as soon as proper buildings are provided, and the Princeton school was recently approved by the state department as a consolidated school.

Chisholm.—Myrtle Bartol, 5-year-old daughter of Anton Bartol, a business man of this village, was struck and instantly killed by an automobile owned and driven by William Rowe, master mechanic of the Oliver Iron Mining company at Hibbing. Witnesses state that Rowe was driving at a speed not in excess of eight or ten miles per hour and that the child ran from the sidewalk directly in front of the car.

St. Peter.—A. Bornemann, former mayor of this city, and Merritt Hill, son of a Traverse farmer, were seriously injured when the car in which they were driving, crashed into the front of a locomotive of a passenger train on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, a mile west from here. Ira Smith, a Traverse farmer, driver of the car, was not seriously hurt. This is the third accident of this nature at the same point within three months.

New Ulm.—Open-air dancing, concerts and community singing brought to a close New Ulm's three-days' homecoming celebration in honor of returned service men. A parade, in which soldiers, sailors and marines participated, with floats depicting historical scenes since the settlement of the community, preceded a banquet given by residents of the county. Sports and musical events were held in the afternoon. Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state, spoke.

Wadena.—The local potato market opened strong, with quotations at $1.20 per bushel, field run.

Brainerd.—The number of tourists traveling through the city is large. They are coming by train and automobiles.

Baudette. — A meeting has been called by several farmers of this section for the purpose of organizing a farmers' insurance company.

International Falls.—At the state land sale held here, approximately 1,000 acres were sold. The sale was conducted by the county auditor.

Marshall.—Miss Marry McMann was electrocuted when she grasped an uncovered electric wire, while connecting the current with an electric toaster.

Stillwater.—The Washington county Poultry association decided to hold the next annual exhibit on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 20, 21, 22 and 23.

Crookston.—The high cost of living will be investigated in Polk county as a result of orders received by O. K. Berget, county food administrator from Attorney General Palmer.

Grand Rapids.—John Pierson, who is employed at the Itasca hospital was made happy by the arrival from Sweden of his wife and five children, whom he has not seen for over eight years.

International Falls.—Rev. Knutson and family have departed for Portland, Ore., where they will make their home. Mr. Knutson was pastor of the local Norwegian church for several years.

Brainerd.—Tony Bohlke of Hubert accidentally collided with a cow near the Peasely farm corner on the Merrifield road, coming upon a herd in the dark. His car had radiator and lamps badly damaged.

Brainerd.—A committee of labor men are arranging the Labor day program. This year the farmers are to be taken into the celebration and they have a committee of farmers arranging for their part in it.

Stillwater.—Miss Pity Wyman, a young girl living here, was drowned in Lake St. Croix near here, on the Wisconsin side of the lake. Attempts of Miss Lila Hill, also a Stillwater resident, to save Miss Wyman failed. The body was recovered.

Winona.—The theft of a motorboat, the stealing of two automobiles and the robbery of a hotel and a barber shop are charged to Max Laird, 16 years old, and Elwood W. Haupt, 18, sons of prominent persons at Prairie du Chien, Wis., both boys being brot to the Winona county jail.

Bemidji.—The lowest bid on the general contract exceeding the $100,000 fund available, proposals opened on contracts for the proposed women's dormitory at the Bemidji state normal school probably will be rejected by the state board of control. These bids rejected, the plans and specifications probably will be revised and new proposals invited.

Mora.—Eight children were left parentless when Andy Backlund, a resident of Kanabec county for the past thirty-nine years, died at his home in Comfort township, after a lingering illness, at the age of 45. He was born June 27, 1874, at Arvdahl, Sweden, and when but 6 years of age, came with his parents to this county. Mrs. Backlund died last February.

St. Paul.—Homing pigeons were enlisted by the state forestry service in the fight to safeguard Northern Minnesota against the forest fire menace. While other states have adopted airplanes and other new devices to combat forest fire dangers, Minnesota is the first to plan to use carrier pigeons in the protection campaign, W. T. Cox, state forester, said, after buying three pairs of the birds.

St. Paul.—Newly perfected gas may be used by government experts to smother peat fires now burning stubbornly in Northern Minnesota bogs. Following reports of the successful use of gas to smother fires in Pennsylvania and West Virginia coal mines, W. T. Cox, state forester, has asked the Federal bureau of mines to consider experiments with similar gases on fires in Minnesota peat beds.

Keewatin.—Some Nashwauk young men whose names did not develop were arrested charged with running down a child in the Patrick location. It is said they speeded away towards Pengilly leaving the child crying in the street, but their machine went "dead," and police easily arrested them. The child is in serious condition, and the men are held pending the outcome of the injuries.

Thief River Falls.—The breaking of the scaffold on which they were working on a silo caused Clarence Roese and William Gilbertson, carpenters to fall thirty feet at a farm one mile south of Hazel. Both of the young men were employed in building a silo and were shingling the roof when the board snapped. The two men went down, Gilbertson suffering two cracked ribs. Roese escaped with bruises.

Ely.—The fires in the Snowbank and Clear Water lakes district are now out and the rangers in charge of the fire fighting crews have returned. The carelessness of some camper or berry picker has cost the government over $5,000 for fighting fire left by them and which bid fair to destroy a large amount of territory in addition to that already destroyed. A crew of six men is being kept on watch for incipient blazes that might develop.

Sensitiveness of Plants.

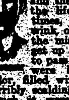
When rain is about to fall the clover shuts its leaves, bringing two of its three leaves face to face and folding the third over the top. The young blossoms are also carefully sheltered by inclosing leaves which move forward in the evening and wrap them round.

Cruelty in Training Birds.

Performing birds are often taught by starvation. How many are aware that the pretty doves that fly when released to the bespangled artists, and form themselves into geometrical patterns on her head and outstretched arms, are often the sole survivors of hundreds which have been starved and then only fed when they perched upon an exact spot on the owner's arms.

Honoring the Great Dead.

We honor our heroic and patriotic dead as being true men, by faithfully fighting the battles of our day as they fought the battles of their day.—David Gregg.



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Giant Apricot Tree.

On the Muir fruit ranch, between Van Nuys and Lankershim, is the largest apricot tree in the world, in the opinion of J. W. Grimes, a well known figure in the fruit industry, who inspected the arboreal giant last week, the Los Angeles Times said recently. It is thirty-five years old.

The tree, measured by Mr. Grimes and G. A. Hubaker, was found to be fifty-four and a half inches in circumference at a point two and a half feet from the ground. It is twenty-five feet high. Mr. Grimes is said to have visited almost every fruit-growing region in California and has made a special study of apricots.

Already Occupied.

Harold and his mother had been on a journey and on coming home stopped at a hotel. When they had retired they found the bed full of bedbugs. They summoned the landlady and asked her for another room, whereupon she said: "Why, I didn't know there was a single bedbug here." "No," replied Harold, "they's all married and has got families."—Chicago American.

Concrete Piling Best.

An English inventor's interlocking concrete piling is said to be stronger than sheet piling made of wood.

Our idea of a pleasing conversationalist is one who possesses the faculty of making a long story short.

The average man is to be seen everywhere—except in the mirror.

Everybody Knew It.

He is a very facetious young man who has paid court to a Hoosier schoolteacher for several years. Now he has formed the habit of often coming after her in his machine, and while he waits for her he amuses himself by teasing the boys. Recently one of the boys reminded him of a promise he had made to take them riding. "Aren't you ever going to do it?" demanded the boy.

"Oh, of course—some day," laughed the man. "Didn't you fellows know that I was a regular shark at putting off things?"

The boy was provoked. "Yes, we know it, and so does Miss W——." He gave the other boys a significant look. "If you weren't that, we'd have a new teacher some day."—Indianapolis News.

Going to Be Married.

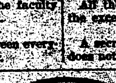
My husband and I went to a strange town to be married, and after we got off the car we asked a man the way to the courthouse. He told us where to turn after so many blocks and we started out and arrived at the jail. Wonder if he was married, too?—Chicago Tribune.

So That's Why Stream Is Warm.

Headline—"Devil fishing in the Gulf stream." Hope they catch the old boy.—Boston Transcript.

All the world loves a winner—with the exception of the loser.

A secret is something that a woman does not know.



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There are women everywhere who long for children in their homes yet are denied this happiness on account of some functional disorder which in most cases would readily yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Wonderful Persian Shawl.

Mrs. Bernard E. Grace, a collector of St. Louis, submitted a rare Persian shawl at the New York Metropolitan museum. The owner had traced its history back 163 years. The shawl is eleven feet by four feet, worked in long flowing designs of the palm leaf and the River of Life with the stories of the mosques. The predominating colors are mellowed garnets and brown, with alternating sheens of steel gray and rusty brown. A Washington expert to whom the shawl was shown said its make-up probably represented the lifetime of the weavers.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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"Well, senator, are you feeling the public pulse these days?"

"I don't have to exert myself to do that," replied Senator Twobble. "I'm swamped with telegrams from my constituents every day and judging from the way most of those messages read the public's pulse is considerably accelerated."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

In the good old summer time when fruits of all kinds are getting ripe and tempting, when cucumbers, radishes and vegetables fresh from the garden are too good to resist, when the festive picnic prevails and everybody overeats and your stomach goes back on you, then is the time for "August Flower," the sovereign remedy for tired, overworked and disordered stomachs, a panacea for indigestion, fermentation of food, sour stomach, sick headache and constipation. It gently stimulates the liver, cleanses the intestines and alimentary canal, making life worth living. Sold everywhere. Adv.

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AS YOUNG AS YOUR KIDNEYS

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An Irish Philosopher.

Mrs. Casey—An' phwat are yez doin' wid thot income tax paper, Casey?

Casey—Oi'm thryin' to figger out how much money Oi save by not havin' anny.—Life.

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PEACE BEFORE WAGE DECISION

This Is Policy of the Administration, President Tells Railway Shopmen.

ALLOWS 4-CENT BOOST

Cooperation of All Classes Will Be Necessary Condition of Wise Adjustments, Says Executive in Talk to the Men.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Postponement of the settlement of wage demands until normal economic conditions are restored is announced by President Wilson as the policy which the administration will pursue in dealing with such questions, particularly those affecting railroad workers.

The president announced also that it was neither a wise nor feasible thing at this time, when the most important question before the country is a return to a normal price level, to increase freight rates to provide funds for higher wages.

"It is the duty of every citizen to insist on a truce in such contests until intelligent settlements can be made and made by peace and effective and common counsel. I appeal to my fellow citizens of every employment to cooperate in insisting upon and maintaining such a truce."

Four Cent Boost Granted.

The decision of the president was announced to a committee of one hundred, representing the railroad shopmen, were asked to accept an adjustment to the basis of ten hours' pay for eight hours' work, which they contended was given other employes and denied them, when the Adamson law became effective. This means an advance of the basic pay from 68 cents to 72 cents an hour.

In view of the delay of the railroad administration board on wages and working conditions in reporting on demands of the shopmen, Director General Hines recommended that the new rate of pay be made retroactive from May, although the board's report was made July 16, the date of report generally being taken as the retroactive date.

TROOPS BACK; BANDIT SLAIN

All Punitive Expedition Troops Now Again on American Soil.

Marfa, Tex., Aug. 26.—The American cavalry border patrol last night rested in home stations along the border between Presidio and Hester's ranch after six days spent in Mexico in pursuit of the bandits who kidnapped and held for ransom two American aviators.

With the reported killing of Jesus Renteria, leader of the bandits and four other bandits, capture of nine more by Mexicans, and arrest of six suspects by the Americans, Major J. P. Yancey said the fourth punitive expedition into Mexico had accomplished its object of clearing away the bandits from the section of Mexico just below the border from the Big Bend district.

Tomorrow the troops will resume their patrol duty along the Rio Grande.

Major Yancey told the Associated Press that he considered authentic the report that Jesus Renteria, bandit leader, had been shot and killed from an American airplane last Tuesday.

The bandit was slain at a point 15 miles south of Candelaria in Navarette canyon.

N. D. YOUTH KILLED IN FALL

Brian Karr of Jamestown Victim of Accident to Airplane.

Fargo, N. D., Aug. 26.—Brian Karr, 19, of Jamestown, son of Alex Karr, who as editor of Community Life has offices in this city, was killed and Lieutenant Edward Axberg of Enderlin was injured at Sutton Sunday afternoon, when an airplane, in which they were flying dropped 1200 feet to the ground.

Karr died an hour and a half after the accident. His legs broken and his body all twisted from the terrific crash, the young man never regained consciousness.

The accident is said to have been due to failure of the machine to readjust itself rightly after a "tail spin" attempted among a series of stunts which the boys had performed.

Two Hundred Arrested at Bisbee.

Douglas, Ariz., Aug. 22.—Two hundred defendants in the Bisbee deportation cases have been arrested here on a blanket warrant. Nearly all reside in Bisbee. A special court train was run from Bisbee to Douglas with the defendants aboard.

Hearing was resumed today on 30 cases. Fifty-one cases have previously been disposed of by binding over on motion of the defendants.

Frazier Names Three New Judges.

Bismarck, Aug. 26.—The three additional district court judges provided for under the judicial redistricting act were named last night by Governor Lynn J. Frazier upon his return from the governor's conference at Salt Lake City. The appointees are M. J. Englert of Valley City for the First district, former State's Attorney Fred Graham of Dickey county for the Fourth district, and State's Attorney Frank T. Lembke of Grant county for the Sixth district.

SENATE MAY GET TREATY UP SOON

Foreign Relations Committee Is Now Considering Amendments to Pact.

MAY REPORT MONDAY

Early Conclusions Predicted by Senator Hitchcock—Some Republicans Concur—Senator Lodge Declines to Express Opinion.

Washington, Aug. 23.—In a determined effort to report the peace treaty before the end of next week the senate foreign relations committee suddenly interrupted its public hearings yesterday and arranged to go to work today on proposed amendments and reservations. Members thought Monday might be the last hearing before the bill was reported. Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, the Democratic leader, declared his belief that the report would be laid before the senate before the end of the coming week and asserted that he had been assured the Republicans would cooperate to that end. Some Republican members agreed with his prediction but Chairman Lodge declined to say when he thought the committee would act.

To Go Over Plans.

Late yesterday plans to expedite the consideration of amendments were discussed at a conference of Republican members of the committee and they will go over the subject again tomorrow morning, before the committee session begins. It is likely that among the first amendments to be voted will be one to strike out the articles giving Japan control in Shantung province. The story of the negotiations resulting in the Shantung provision was told the committee by Prof. F. T. Williams, who was technical adviser to the American peace delegation. He said he had strongly objected to the settlement reached and thought the American delegates should not have assented to it.

BANDIT CHASE SLOWED UP

General Dickman May Pay Balance of Ransom to Rebel Chief.

Marfa, Tex., Aug. 23.—Little progress was made yesterday by the American expedition below the border in Mexico. It was reported by airplane that no more bandits had been located, but the troops are expected to move to a new base south of the one used since they left the border Tuesday morning and to resume intensive operations today.

That an effort would be made later to pay the remain $6,500 ransom to Renteria or his family was indicated by General Joseph T. Dickman, southern department commander. General Dickman took the position at the time Captain Matlack rescued Lieutenant Paul H. Davis, without payment of the total ransom, that the United States is too great to go back on its word, even to bandits.

JOSEPH'S REIGN NEAR END

Vienna Reports Show This Belief—Paris Hears End Has Come.

Vienna, Aug. 23.—Advices from Budapest indicate the approaching end of the administration of Archduke Joseph. The belief is expressed that the resignation of the administration is imminent after the past few days' developments.

Archduke Joseph and Premier Friedrich were called before the inter-allied mission to explain their declarations of a state of siege in certain parts of Hungary and, according to well informed sources, were told they had exceeded their authority.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Advices received from Paris report that Archduke Joseph has resigned as head of the Hungarian government and has left Budapest, according to a Vienna dispatch received there today.

CARRANZA ASKED TO RESIGN

Document Circulating in Mexico Requests Withdrawal of President.

San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 23.—A copy of a manifesto calling upon President Carranza to resign, issued in Mexico City by Alfredo Robles Dominguez, prominent engineer and former adviser of President Madero, has been received here.

Dominguez, who heads his manifesto "Before the Danger" and who asserts that he is not a rebel nor an advocate of sedition, urges a provisional government to succeed Carranza. He charges Carranza is responsible for all the interior and exterior difficulties of Mexico. The manifesto is being circulated, it is said, along the border in Mexico and the Mexican quarters of this city.

No Profiteering—Shoes $12 a Pair.

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 23.—Shoe retailers at the convention of the National Shoe Retailers' association in session here, denied profiteering charges. Five thousand shoe retailers were represented. Officers of the association denied that shoes would cost $25 a pair this winter. They announced that winter styles in footwear would be devoid of the fancy features which add cost to production and said that "just plain kicks" would be offered to the public as prices ranging from $8 to $12 per pair.

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Veal Loaf

Choice bits of veal, creamery butter and fresh eggs combine with other tempting ingredients to give Libby's Veal Loaf its delicate, appetizing flavor. Order a package from your grocer today.

Libby, McNeill & Libby, Chicago

Calling the Turn.

"In our army," said War Correspondent George Patullo, "it doesn't pay to pull the long bow.

"I once heard a captain scold a doughboy for pottering too long over his meals.

"'Why, when I was on the west coast,' said the captain, 'I had to hunt my breakfast in the jungle. Out I'd start every morning, and I'd penetrate several miles into the wilderness, shoot my food, skin it, cook it, eat it, and be back in camp again inside of half an hour.'

"He paused impressively, then he added:

"'Of course you've heard of the west coast?'

"'Oh, yes, sir,' said the doughboy. 'Baron Munchausen came from there, didn't he?'"

HAD THE SPIRIT OF GERMANY

Old Man Green Might Have Been a Model for Some of the Hun Statesmen.

A senator was discussing one of the German counter-propositions.

"The spirit of the thing," he said, "reminds me of old man Green.

"Old man Green's house was overrun with rats, and he hired a rat-catcher for $2 to clean the rodents out.

"The rat-catcher worked like a Trojan. He killed a whole packing case of rats. Then he said to the old man:

"'There you are, Mr. Green. My job is done. You'll have no more trouble with rats, and you needn't bother about these here dead ones, neither. I'll cart 'em away myself.'

"'How much do I owe you, friend?' said old man Green.

"'Two simoleons, like what was agreed on, boss.'

"Then the old man pointed at the huge packing case and said in a protesting voice:

"'Don't I get nothing for all them rats?'"

It's surprising what a number of practical things are impracticable when you try them.

A gentleman is a man who wouldn't argue one second with any other woman but his wife.

Some men just can't foot a bill without kicking.

QUEER OLD "MAGIC MIRROR"

One in British Museum Known to Have Been Used by Aztecs and Ancient Mexicans.

Crystal gazing and the use of magic mirrors played an important part in religion and wizardry in the past, and though almost every nation had its own method these did not vary as much as it would be supposed.

Thus while Japan had in her inner temples mirrors which only the priest saw, and which were always to reflect the good and the beautiful for the gods, the ancient Mexicans taught that their god Texcatlipuco had a magic mirror in which he saw everything that happened each day in the world.

A real obsidian mirror with its strange textile string still attached is in the British museum now and was used by the Aztecs and ancient Mexicans for various purposes and very probably for crystal gazing. It is much the same as the other crystals used by so-called "wizards," so far as its shape is concerned. Even in recent years crystal gazing has been practiced, and it is said by those who have tried it that the mirror or crystal seems to disappear into a mist after it has been stared at in complete silence for a great length of time, and then—if ever—the visions appear.

Cure for Shell Shock.

Cases of shell shock and army nerves are being treated by an officer of the British medical corps through study of the patient's dreams. The afflicted man is persuaded to relate the features of any nightmares or other dreams, concentrating particularly upon the emotional recollections. The observant physician is able to identify, by the expression of the subject and sometimes by symptoms of terror, the exact nature of the disturbing vision, and thereby to adopt means to combat its influence.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

About the only way to convince a girl that her favorite young man is not an angel is to let her marry him.

If it were not for the easy marks in this world there wouldn't be so much "doing."

An English inventor's interlocking concrete piling is said to be stronger than sheet piling made of wood.

Some finished orators don't seem to know when to quit.

BELCHING Caused by Acid-Stomach

Let EATONIC, the wonderful modern stomach remedy, give you quick relief from disgusting belching, food-repeating, indigestion, bloated, gassy stomach, dyspepsia, heartburn and other stomach miseries. They are all caused by Acid-Stomach from which about nine people out of ten suffer in one way or another. One writes as follows: "Before I used EATONIC, I could not eat a bite without belching it right up, sour and bitter. I have not had a bit of trouble since the first tablet."

Millions are victims of Acid-Stomach without knowing it. They are weak and ailing, have poor digestion, bodies improperly nourished although they may eat heartily. Grave disorders are likely to follow if an acid-stomach is neglected. Cirrhosis of the liver, intestinal congestion, gastritis, catarrh of the stomach—these are only a few of the many ailments often caused by Acid-Stomach.

A sufferer from Catarrh of the Stomach of 11 years' standing writes: "I had catarrh of the stomach for 11 long years and I never found anything to do me any good—just temporary relief—until I used EATONIC. It is a wonderful remedy and I do not want to be without it."

If you are not feeling quite right—lack energy and enthusiasm and don't know just where to locate the trouble—try EATONIC and see how much better you will feel in every way.

At all drug stores—a big box for 50c and your money back if you are not satisfied.

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(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

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New S. J. Radiators and Cores. You can't burst them by freezing. All makes of RADIATORS REPAIRED. All work guaranteed.
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Willing Enough.

"Subbubs, why don't you make a garden?"

"I'm willing, if you'll tell me what I can grow with a tin can substratum and ashes for a top soil."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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FAMOUS FRENCH DISCOVERY
replaces nerve wastage, increases strength, energy, endurance and vigor, builds firm healthy flesh.
BEST THING KNOWN FOR
THIN NERVOUS PEOPLE

Revenge of a Reporter.

Doctor Gore, the retired bishop of Oxford, has been one of the numerous British victims of the American reporter. During a visit to the American Episcopal church some years ago, he was besieged in a "city" of the wild West by a horde of copy-hunting pressmen, who demanded his views of various topical subjects, but he declined to be drawn.

The next morning a purely fictitious interview appeared in a local paper giving at great length startling opinions he was alleged to hold on various topics, including some highly spiced personal criticisms on local politicians opposed to the paper.

This work of imagination was illustrated by an enormous pair of boots fabled to belong to the bishop. Beneath the boots was a libelous query: "Are these feet or yards?"—London Chronicle.

Fresh Meat.

"At last the wolf is at the door."

"Well, coax him in and we'll eat him."—Boston Evening Transcript.

Cholly's Type.

"I can read Cholly like a book."

"You're foolish to strain your eyes over a small type."—Cleveland Press.

Explained.

Howell—How did your money take wings?

Powell—I put it into an airship.

25 Cents
will buy
a big package of
POSTUM CEREAL
weighing over a pound, net.
What are you paying for coffee?

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

L. S. Kolden of Nielsville visited in town Monday.

Leave your shoes for repairing with the Holt Merc. Co.

Mrs. C. Docken had dental work done in Thief River Falls Friday.

Miss Stella Mickelson is clerking in Sovde's confectionery store.

If you are going to have a sale, see Clarence Larson for auctioneer.

Misses Amanda Mickelson and [illegible] Holm were Thief River Falls visitors Monday.

The John Melquist family and Mrs. C. Kolden were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday evening.

Mrs. M. T. Strom went to T. R. Falls Friday with her daughter Mrs. Henry Peterson for a short visit.

Mrs. A. H. [illegible] and [illegible] daughter [illegible] Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. [illegible] and family.

Miss Mabel Fosen left Thursday for Wheaton, Minnesota, where she will teach the 7th grade, the ensuing year.

Andrew Sorum is expected home almost any day now, from Camp Dix, where he has been in the hospital for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Evensen, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Benson of Thief River Falls visited Sunday at the Dr. R. L. Olson home.

Dr. Spinks was called Saturday to see the baby, at the Frank Horn home, who was quite sick at that time, but is now much better.

Miss Nettie Melquist returned to her home at Erskine Sunday after a few days visit at the home of her brother, John Melquist and family.

Sarg. Martin D. Fitch departed Friday for Camp Grant after a two months furlough spent in visiting at his home here and in nearby places.

Gilbert, Nels and Gus Johnson returned home the first of the week from Dakota and have since been seeking work in the western part of the county.

Tom and Richard Larson came up from Bronson, where they are working on a road job for a short visit at the home of their sister, Mrs. C. L. Sandberg, Sunday.

Oscar Knutson, Arthur Sorum, Art Sorenson and Ragnar Anderson came from Humbolt Friday where they have been working with the crew that were tearing down the elevator there. They left Monday to work on the elevator at Strathcona.

Word has been received from Ben Hoff that he is not coming to Holt and as Ernest Phillipson can not give up the barber shop for the present at least, Miss Hilma Nyberg has decided to stay in the post office until Oct. 1st. In the meantime there will probably be other candidates for the position.

County Helps Flood Sufferers

The county commissioners at a special session last week Thursday made an appropriation of $20,000 for relief work in the flooded part of the county. It seems the legislature will have to pass on the validity of the boards action, which no doubt they will approve of.

There is now no doubt that the farmers in the flooded districts of this county will be taken care of until another crop is raised.

The farmers will appreciate this help and will work harder than ever to get their land in good condition for a bumper crop next year.

Much credit should be given to Senator Hegnes, County Agent Husby and B. Docken, all of whom have worked hard for the above mentioned appropriation.

P. P. Releraon is now driving a new Ford.

The village of Badger is to have electric lights by Nov. 1st.

B. Docken sold an automobile to Nels Johnson one day this week.

E. G. Seskans of Forsythe Mont. was here the fore part of the week on business.

Merchant Carlson and Banker Myhre of Newfolden, visited in this vicinity Sunday.

Mr. Johnson the Red Cross agent, went to Roseau county Monday to look over the flood situation there.

Wanted: Man and team to put up hay. E. S. Mac, Holt, Minn.

Mrs. Rachel Fosen who has been visiting relatives at Mud Lake, left Thursday for her home at Litchfield.

E. M. Holland of Newhall, Iowa has been here the past week looking after his land interest north of town.

C. L. Sandberg has sold lumber to Peter Schluter to put up some buildings on the Wm. Fulton land east of town.

Everything sold well at the auction sale of C. Hoffman Saturday and they are well satisfied with the prices their property brot.

W. B. Torgerson and family of Oakley, Minn. stopped on their way home from Greenbush and visited at the Alfred Anderson home Saturday.

We understand Frank Horn has resigned his position as station agent here and that probably a new man will arrive here next week to take his place.

There is ample proof that corn can be raised in this country, as the crop here is good this year. More corn and other cultivated crops will help to solve the sow thistle problem.

Chris Saastad has a sample of crab apples at the bank that are just as good as any shipped in and shows that hardy varieties of crabs can be raised in this northern climate.

There were only a small attendance at the cemetery meeting Saturday morning. Alfred Anderson was re-elected treasurer, E. A. Johnson sexton and Guy Anderson was elected secretary. It was decided to build a tool house, provided there were sufficient funds in the treasury.

Guy Anderson tells us the rural carriers have been made an extra allowance of $150.00 for this years work and that they expect a bill to be passed that will give them a permanent increase in wages.

Uncle Sam has never paid his rural carriers and fourth class postmasters what he should, and it is about time he should wake up to that fact.

Free Mission Church

No Sunday School next Sunday Sept. 7th.

The Ladies Aid of the Mission church will serve lunch in the church basement Friday Sept. 12th. Everybody welcome.

A Great Bible Conference

A great bible conference will be held in the auditorium at Thief River Falls from the 7th of September continuing for six days. There will be three meetings on the opening day (Sunday) at 11 o'clock A. M. and at 3 and 8 P. M. On the week days there will be two meetings every day at 3 and 8 P. M. Rev. F. Johnson from the Swedish Tabernacle, Minneapolis, and Dr. C. W. Foley and Bob Moyer will be the speakers. Everyone invited.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services Sunday at 11 o'clock in Wilson school house, Golden Valley.

The Dorcas Society will meet at the parsonage Sept. 6th. at 3 o'clock.

The Young Peoples' Society will give a short program in English at the T. O. Dovre home at 3 o'clock Sunday.

Mrs. Lysne will entertain the Ladies Aid Wednesday Sept. 10th.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

For Sale: Two good farm horses. Call at T. O. Saastad's, R. R. Holt.

Mr. Johnson the Red Cross agent will be in his office to-day and the two following Fridays.

Sam Mickelson returned to Warren Monday where he has been doing carpenter work for sometime.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement on Friday afternoon Sept. 12th. All invited.

Miss Ruby Swan came home on Tuesday from Thief River Falls where she has been working for several weeks.

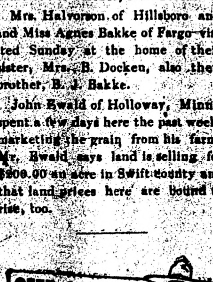
Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Bakke and Mesdames C. W. Christianson and H. B. Young auted to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

The young people gave Martin Fitch and his sisters a party at their home last Thursday night. An enjoyable time is reported.

Mrs. C. F. Larson and son Waldemar departed for Reno, Nevada, last week, after a two weeks visit at the home of her brother, Nels Fosen.

Mrs. Halvorson of Hillsboro and and Miss Agnes Bakke of Fargo visited Sunday at the home of their sister, Mrs. B. Docken, also their brother, B. J. Bakke.

John Ewald of Holloway, Minn., spent a few days here the past week, marketing the grain from his farm. Mr. Ewald says land is selling for $200.00 an acre in Swift county and that land prices here are bound to rise, too.



Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

STEINER NEWS

A bunch of the young people of the neighborhood spent Sunday afternoon at the Gunderson home attending the picnic at that place.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers and family attended church in Thief River Falls Sunday, Aug. 31.

Miss Amy Whittman, Egbert and Stella Malberg called at the Russell home Sunday.

Cyrus Malberg visited at the parental home Sunday.

Peter Solem and daughter did business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. August Koglin spent Sunday with John Christenson and family.

Mrs. A. Lanska was in Thief River Falls Friday.

Oliver Molstad transacted business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Ruth Solem left Sunday morning for her school located a short distance from Newfolden.

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer attended German services held in Holt Sunday.

Arthur Bartleson has been shock threshing in this community the past week.

Charles Holm of Holt called at the Malberg home Sunday.

Mrs. A. Koglin spent Sunday afternoon at the N. E. Mussy home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whittman called at the Russell home Sunday.

Georgia Mussy called at the Rogers home Sunday.

Nick Baker transacted business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Ole Halmethes was a Red Lake Falls business visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Chris Engen left here Friday to attend the state fair for a few days.

Andrew Bjerk came up from Crookston one day last week to spend a few days on the farm.

Nels Omberg returned to his home at Gully Saturday after a few days visit with friends at Golden Valley.

Miss Nellie [illegible] went to Strandquist Monday near which place she will teach school for several months.

Miss Gladys Hagberg returned home Saturday from several weeks visit with relatives and friends in Grand Forks.

Mrs. Crowley returned to her home in St. Paul one day last week after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

E. A. Silvernes is putting up a silo on his farm west of town. Mr. Silvernes is making a success of farming, because he uses up-to-date methods.

Oscar J. Johnson, the Red Cross agent, will be in his office in Holt today and the two following Friday's to meet anyone who may wish to get relief.

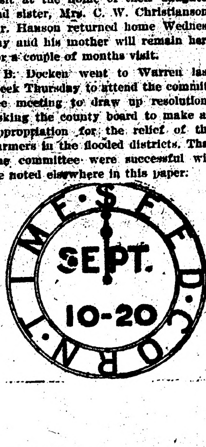
The brick mason from Crookston did not come as expected, but Mr. McAdams brot another one here Tuesday and the work on the school house is being pushed as rapidly as possible.

Allie Werner has moved his family back to Thief River Falls, as the boiler inspector refused him a permit because of a lack of experience. The school board has made arrangements to have the school boys do the janitor work.

Our teachers will arrive this week and be ready for the opening of school Monday morning. The high school and primary department will have rooms in the Sollom store building and the other two rooms in the Synod church basement.

Mrs. Nels Hanson and son, John, of Albert Lea, arrived here Friday to visit at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. C. W. Christianson. Mr. Hanson returned home Wednesday and his mother will remain here for a couple of months visit.

B. Docken went to Warren last week Thursday to attend the committee meeting to draw up resolutions asking the county board to make an appropriation for the relief of the farmers in the flooded districts. That the committee were successful will be noted elsewhere in this paper.



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Terms will be given the right party.

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Call on or write me for prices
Holt - Minn.

Shoe Repairing
Neatly done

Leave your work
at
Holt Merc. Co.'s store

Holt Cafe!
Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery
Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream
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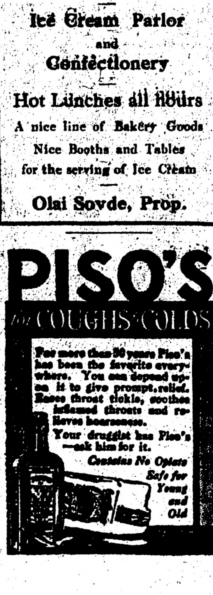
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Flax	5 09
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Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 9

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Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office, Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

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Agency for
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All work guaranteed satisfactory
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Holt, Minn.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Hall's Catarrh Cure has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

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H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
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Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
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Eat Less — Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES.

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Notes Covering Most Important Happenings of the World Compiled in Briefest and Most Succinct Form for Quick Consumption.

Washington

Railway Director Hines at Washington, warns "public officers and employees and citizens generally in California, Arizona, and Nevada" that the government will restore "full railroad service." Strikers will find their places filled. Interference will be dealt with as an "offense against the United States."

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President Wilson will leave Washington next Wednesday on his speech-making tour in the interest of the peace treaty. He will deliver his first address at Columbus, O.

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In recognition of Gen. John J. Pershing's services in the war, the house at Washington passed a bill authorizing the president to confer on him the permanent rank of general.

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In warning Turkey that massacres of Armenians must stop, Rear Admiral Mark L. Bristol, commander of the United States naval forces in Turkey, was acting under instructions from the state department, it was announced officially at Washington.

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Retail stores for the sale of household commodities included in the surplus stocks of the war department will be established September 25, it was announced at Washington. The stores will be in depot centers and large cities.

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Russian soviet interests apparently are supplying funds for a propaganda to stir up race antagonism in the United States, according to information now in the hands of the department of justice at Washington.

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In quick succession the senate foreign relations committee at Washington, approved a series of amendments to the peace treaty eliminating the United States as one of the powers represented on international commissions created to supervise reconstruction in Europe.

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Only two men of the thousands of the American expeditionary forces, who went into battle against the Germans remain unaccounted for, accordinging to a casualty list issued by the war department at Washington.

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The committee of 100 representing the railroad shopmen, informed Director General Hines at Washington that they could not accept as a basis of settlement of their demands the rates submitted to them by President Wilson. A strike vote was ordered.

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The Fifth and Fiftieth United States infantry regiments, which are now in the United States, have been ordered to Silesia, according to a Coblenz dispatch. They will go direct to Coblenz to be equipped before proceeding across Germany, according to word received from Coblenz.

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Foreign

The greatest exodus in history is looked for as soon as Europe finds the necessary transportation facilities. Information gathered by the British government at London, indicates 10,000,000 persons are eager to leave the continent.

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President Carranza at Mexico City has ordered that a general census of the republic be taken next year.

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A Berlin dispatch says Dr. Haniel von Haimhausen, former counselor of the German embassy at Washington, has been selected for appointment as German ambassador to the United States.

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Ten thousand bales of raw silk, valued at $8,500,000, were brought to Victoria, B. C., from the Orient by the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Asia. In addition, the Asia carried 2,053 cases of silk goods.

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Lieutenant General Rozanoff, at Vladivostok, the highest Russian authority in eastern Siberia, denies recent reports that the all-Russian government under Admiral Kolchak has abandoned Omsk and moved to Irkutsk.

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According to a Berlin dispatch received at London, the American military mission in Germany has left Berlin for Copenhagen on its way to the United States.

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An American aviation squadron is being formed in Paris on the lines of the Lafayette escadrille to fight with the Poles against the bolsheviki.

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Pskov, southwest of Petrograd, has been captured by bolshevik forces, according to an official statement issued at Moscow.

Cardinal Mercier will leave Brussels for the United States on September 15, according to most recent information. It is said that he probably will meet King Albert and Queen Elizabeth in America.

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The extradition of Bela Kun and his associates in the former Hungarian communist government has been demanded by Hungary from the new Austrian foreign office, says a dispatch from Vienna.

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Personal

The will of Andrew Carnegie, made public at New York, estimates the value of the iron master's estate at between $25,000,000 and $30,000,000.

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Gen. Louis Botha, premier and minister of agriculture of the Union of South Africa, died suddenly at Pretoria, following an attack of influenza.

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Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, arrived at New York on the transport George Washington from Brest.

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The prince of Wales and his party visited hospitals at Toronto where returned soldiers are being treated.

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Domestic

By a vote of 2,882 to 408 striking motormen and conductors of street railways company at Pittsburgh decided to return to work. A 12 cent raise demand was temporarily waived for the five cent raise granted by the war labor board.

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Carpenters' union leaders at Chicago, rejected arbitration and 120,000 building trades laborers will remain out of work.

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Return of the giant transport Leviathan to the shipping board for use in the transatlantic freight and passenger trade is being considered by the war department at Washington.

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Harris Rosenthal and Abraham Levin, proprietors of the Imperial hotel at Boston, where $13,000 worth of liquors were seized two weeks ago, were sentenced to serve nine months in jail and pay a fine of $100 each.

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Three thousand steel workers went out on strike at Cleveland and it is only with difficulty that union officials are restraining other organized steel workers from doing likewise.

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Lieut. John K. McRae of Washington state and Private Robert A. Brook, Newman, Ga., were killed at Souther field near Americus, Ga., in the collision of two airplanes at a height of 750 feet.

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The cost of living took a tumble at Chicago. Starting at the stock yards, where pork dropped from 1 to 1½ cents a pound, with other meats following, the slide reached the grain, vegetable and fruit markets.

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Twelve members of the crew of the four-masted auxiliary schooner Elmer Roberts arrived at Yarmouth, N. S., and reported that their ship, loaded with ammunition, caught fire and blew up at sea.

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Two men were killed and ten injured, four probably fatally, in a battle between police guards and a mob of strike sympathizers at the car barns of the Southern Public utilities company at Charlotte, N. C.

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Foreign buyers, demanding everything from toys to locomotives, and representing practically every country of the civilized globe, are pouring into New York on every arriving steamer.

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The theft of $100,000 in Liberty bonds and $35,000 in cash from a vault in the office of the paymaster of the Boston & Albany railroad at Boston was discovered.

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In a 1,500-foot plunge to earth after their airplane had gone into a tail spin, Lieut. Floyd B. Meisenheimer, Detroit, and Sergt. Harold J. Ice, a resident of Iowa, were killed at Scott Field, Belleville, Ill.

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Approximately 2,200 workers who went on strike at the Argo plant of the Corn Products Refining company several weeks ago met in Union hall in Chicago and voted to return to work.

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Traffic on the four railroads entering Los Angeles was paralyzed by the strike of trainmen, who quit their posts in sympathy with the platform men of the Pacific Electric company.

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American aviators made Jesus Renteria, bandit leader, pay in full for his treatment of Lieutenants Peterson and Davis, held for ransom by the Mexican, when Lieut. R. H. Cooper killed Renteria, from an airplane, according to statements made at Marfa, Tex., by Maj. James P. Yancey, commander of the United States punitive expedition.

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Clerks and baggagemen of the Chicago & Alton at Bloomington, Ill., who went on a strike Monday, returned to work, failing to secure the concessions demanded.

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Nearly 12,000,000 fur skins, with an estimated value of $15,000,000, will be offered for sale at the fur auction at St. Louis September 10-20.

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Three persons were killed and three perhaps fatally hurt when a Missouri Pacific train struck an automobile near Donaldson, Ark.

TROOPS PATROL SCENE OF RIOT

Have Check on Remarkable Disorders Following Mob's Attempt to Lynch Negro.

MANY WOUNDED; 7 DEAD

Escape of Prisoners and Loss of Confiscated Liquor Result from Rioting—Negroes Break Into Stores for Arms.

Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 2.—One white man and two negroes were wounded Sunday in rioting between whites and blacks growing out of Saturday night's disorders which resulted in the killing of seven persons, including two national guardsmen, and the wounding of more than a score.

Saturday night's riots, which followed attacks on the county jail by more than 1,000 persons bent on obtaining Maurice Mayes, a negro accused of killing a white woman, were quelled early yesterday, but as the day wore on incipient rioting broke out afresh despite the presence in the city of 1,200 national guardsmen.

Negroes Steal Many Weapons.

Many negroes during the night broke into hardware stores and pawn shops to obtain guns and ammunition. To prevent the bringing in of more firearms, police and soldiers today searched all negroes arriving in Knoxville by train.

The attack on the jail was made by a mob of more than 1,000 whites who believed Mayes was held there. The negro, however, had been taken to Chattanooga.

Prisoners Released From Jail.

In gaining entrance to the jail, the mob permitted 16 prisoners, several of them convicted murderers, to escape.

Machine Guns Used by Troops.

Troops meeting a band of armed negroes who refused to give way, turned machine guns on the blacks. In the resulting exchange of shots, Lieut. James W. Payne of Providence, Ky., a regular army instructor, and a private by the name of Henderson, were killed.

In its attack on the jail, the mob came upon a large quantity of confiscated whisky, the liquor vanishing quickly.

PERISHING EN ROUTE HOME

Marshal Foch Makes Feeling Address as American Leaves France.

Brest, Sept. 2.—General Pershing, commander of the American expeditionary forces, sailed for the United States Monday. The steamer left port at 3 o'clock p. m.

Marshal Foch came aboard the transport shortly before she sailed and made a feeling address to the departing commander.

"In leaving France," said the marshal, "you leave your dead in our hands, on our soil we will care for them religiously and zealously, as bearing witness of the powerful aid you brought us. These dead will bring from America many thoughts of remembrance and pious visits, and will bind still more strongly our already close union."

General Pershing replied by bidding farewell to France in the person of the marshal, "to her gallant poilus, to her patriotic men and to her noble women."

PRESIDENT DENIES REQUEST

Demand of Senate Committee for Proposed Treaties Is Refused.

Washington, Sept. 2.—The request of the foreign relations committee for latest drafts of the proposed treaties with Germany's allies would set a precedent encouraging senatorial encroachment on the presidential power of treaty negotiation.

In an exchange of letters made public yesterday, Mr. Wilson wrote that it "was out of the question" to accede to the committee's suggestion, and Chairman Lodge replied that although the treaties were closely connected with the treaty with Germany, the president undoubtedly had authority to keep information about them from the senate if he chose.

Must Increase Production.

Chicago, Sept. 2.—Strict economy and increased production are suggested as remedies for the high cost of living by H. A. N. Daily, president of the National Canned Foods and Dried Fruits Brokers' association, in a letter to the public today.

In speaking of the extravagant habits of all classes, he says:

"I question whether there was ever a time when there was less distress and suffering. The known distress is the inability to satisfy the extravagant tastes and desires of the time."

Cooper Killing Still a Mystery.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 2.—Police today admitted they have made little headway toward solving the mystery of the murder of Robin J. Cooper, whose body was found in Richland creek Saturday. The theory that Cooper may have been the victim of a blackmail plot was weakened when police denied their earlier story that Cooper had drawn $10,000 from his bank and that the money was missing. The dead man had drawn but $200 from his deposit.

GOMPERS ACTIVE IN STEEL CRISIS

In Three-Day Conference Labor Head Seeks to Avert Impending Walkout.

TWO STRIKES APPROVED

Position of Actors and Cigarmakers Meet With Approval of Chief—Sanction of Plumb Plan Deferred.

Washington, Sept. 1.—"Efforts to organize the workers in the steel industry still are being made with the hope that an amicable adjustment of their demands may be reached before any outbreak or cessation of work shall be inaugurated," Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, said in a statement summarizing the work of the Federation's executive council Saturday.

The council has been in session three days, considering the general labor situation over the country, but Mr. Gompers did not deal with the situation as a whole, nor did he indicate upon what was based the hope that the controversy between the steel men and the United States Steel corporation would be adjusted without resort to a strike.

President May Not Intervene.

President Wilson was asked Saturday to intervene, but as he has made no move, some officials believed he had declined to take a hand. Meantime, the time limit set for Chairman Gary of the steel corporation to answer the men's request for a conference has expired without an answer being received.

Indorsement of two strikes—those of the cigarmakers and actors—by the federation's executive council was announced.

Decision on Plumb Plan Postponed.

As to the railroad brotherhoods' plan for tripartite control of the railroads, generally known as the Plumb plan, Mr. Gompers said the council had considered this of such importance to labor, the people and the country that no action would be taken until a special committee had gathered and presented all the facts.

NATHVILLE LAWYER IS DEAD

Dead Man Once Charged With Murder of U. S. Senator Carmack.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 1.—Robin J. Cooper, a Nashville attorney, whose trial for the killing of former United States Senator Edward W. Carmack during the celebrated pistol duel between his father, Colonel D. B. Cooper and Carmack in 1908, attracted country-wide attention, has been murdered here under mysterious circumstances.

Cooper's body was taken from Richland creek soon after his bloodstained automobile had been found on a bridge near his home in the fashionable Belle Mead park section. The skull had been crushed, but there were evidences that a violent struggle had taken place before the fatal blow was struck.

Police are proceeding on the theory that Cooper was lured from his home by whisky sellers.

Governor Roberts has offered a reward of $500 for the arrest and conviction of the murderers of the lawyer. This later was supplemented by an offer of a similar amount by the family.

IRISH WOULD REJECT PACT

Impassioned Pleas Made Before Senate Committee on Foreign Relations.

Washington, Sept. 1.—Impassioned protests against the league of nations were presented on behalf of American Irishmen Saturday at a hearing before the senate foreign relations committee.

In a series of dramatic appeals which repeatedly drew cheers from the crowd jamming the committee room, the spokesman declared the covenant sought to pronounce a death sentence on the aspirations of the Irish people and to fasten forever upon Ireland what they characterized as a yoke of British oppression.

Representatives of various Greek societies also appeared before the committee and made a statement of the claims of the Greek people regarding the peace settlement.

Packers and "Profiteers" Indicted.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 1.—Five cold storage houses, three leading packers and five commission houses of Indianapolis were indicted Saturday by the Marion county grand jury in its first report on the high cost of living. Approximately one hundred indictments were returned alleging violation of the Indiana cold storage law and the state health law which provides that foodstuffs shall not be kept in cold storage for more than nine months.

Anamoose Light Plant Burns.

Anamoose, N. D., Sept. 1.—The Anamoose electric light plant, owned by N. J. Walper, was destroyed by a fire which broke out at 2 o'clock a. m. and it is believed to have been started by sparks from the smokestack of the plant. The fire, starting near the compressed air tank which is used to start the big dynamo, caused the tank to explode, knocking the plateglass front of the building across the street. The damage, estimated at $25,000, is mostly covered by insurance.

Rebuking Daddy.

Alice's father was an engineer with a decided conscience. His work came before pleasure, absolutely.

"Oh, daddy!" pleaded the child one day, "please go with us to the ball game this afternoon!"

"Simply can't, child; too much to do," was the hurried answer.

"Oh, daddy! You'll never go anywhere! You are so dutified."

Didn't Want It by Heart.

Five-year-old Dorothy was watching her aunt drink a glass of milk. Upon being offered some she said: "Oh, no, I never drink milk by heart; I only like it with tea or coffee."

Toad in a Coal Seam.

A toad has been found buried in Netherseal colliery, near Burton-on-Trent, England. A collier was mining 600 feet below the surface and a mile from the pit shaft when his pick struck into a pocket of clay, and out rolled a toad three inches long. It is being kept in the manager's office, and is recovering sight and moving about.

A Wonder.

"Do you swear, little boy?"

"No, but say, you just ought to hear my old man."

Anyway, the man who boasts of his ability as a liar isn't a hypocrite.

What is Castoria

CASTORIA is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhœa; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-Good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment. Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Why They Failed.

Of every hundred men called failures ninety-seven have been lukewarm in their work.

Several rivers in Siberia flow considerable distances under ice.

While in the act of acquiring a black eye a man is apt to see a lot of stars that are unknown to astronomers.

When a man marries a girl for her beautiful face and graceful form the joke is apt to be on him later.

KIDNEYS WEAKENING? BETTER LOOK OUT!

Kidney and bladder troubles don't disappear of themselves. They grow upon you, slowly but steadily, undermining your health with deadly certainty, until you fall a victim to incurable disease.

Stop your troubles while there is time. Don't wait until little pains become big aches. Don't trifle with disease. To avoid future suffering begin treatment with GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules now. Take three or four every day until you feel that you are entirely free from pain.

This well-known preparation has been one of the national remedies of Holland for centuries. In 1696 the government of the Netherlands granted a special charter authorizing its sale.

The good housewife of Holland would almost as soon be without food as without her "Real Dutch Drops," as she quaintly calls GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Their use restores strength and is responsible in a great measure for the sturdy, robust health of the Hollanders.

Do not delay. Go to your druggist and insist on his supplying you with a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Take them as directed, and if you are not satisfied with results your druggist will gladly refund your money. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on the box and accept no other. In sealed boxes, three sizes.

PERSONS OF ROYAL DESCENT

In Natural Course, Millions Might Lay Claim to Blood of William the Conqueror.

There are more claims of descent from William the Conqueror than from any monarch in the world, and in most cases a descendant of this king comes down a line of 15 or 20 other royal personages, although sometimes the descent from monarch to plain, untitled yeoman seems to have been accomplished in two or three generations. There is practically no limit to his descendants today and one genealogist says this fact is accounted for by the statement that, according to the regular proportion of increase in each generation since his time, the descendants of William the Conqueror would now number more than twice the present population of the British isles. So, of course, it is very easy to see how many of them came over to the United States.

Tin From Malay.

The amount of tin exported from the Federated Malay States in the last year was 87,370 tons, valued at $51,520,532.

Some people can't even be crazy without attracting attention.

It is better to forget an injury than to forgive it.

Riviera Motoring.

Descending at Nice from their open car, General Pershing and a party of officers were received by a French government official who, noting the white coating of dust under which their uniforms almost disappeared, said:

"You are very brave, mon general, to undertake to motor on our Riviera roads in their present state. Poor France! Her roads, once the best in the world, are now the worst. With their holes and dust they are really impossible. Yes, indeed, I repeat that you are brave."

General Pershing politely disclaimed that it was a matter for bravery, but a staff officer, shaking from his cap a big dust cloud, remarked:

"Well, if it is not a question of bravery it is at least one of grit."

After-War Bulletin From the Rhine.

The "Sally Anns" visited D company Monday and put over a doughnut and ice cream barrage, which was met with great resistance. Having inflicted a heavy loss (doughnuts and ice cream) in the taking of the first objective, they went in for seconds, and got 'em, too! It is thought that the "Sally Anns" are preparing a counter-attack—let 'em come; we won't budge an inch, as the last assault raised our morale wonderfully.—Bridgehead Sentinel.

The average man doesn't waste any politeness on his wife.

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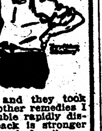
What are you paying for coffee?



Can You Afford That Bad Back?

Nowadays, to be half crippled with a lame, aching back is mighty expensive. If you suffer with constant backache, feel lame, weak and all-played out; have dizzy, nervous spells and fits of "blues"—look to your kidneys. You can't do a full day's work without well kidneys and a sound, strong, back. Use *Doan's Kidney Pills. Doan's* have helped thousands of workers. *Ask your neighbor!*

A North Dakota Case

John G. Volz, prop. shoe repair shop, Hill Ave., Grafton, N. D., says: "I had kidney disorder and suffered with severe pains in my back. The pains through my back and limbs were so terrible I had to give up work. At times I had dizzy spells and was miserable. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they took hold better than any other remedies I had tried and the trouble rapidly disappeared. Now my back is stronger and better than in years before."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box
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FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

Father Got It.

"Dad, do we have to pay war tax so the government can buy our Thrift stamps back from us?" said Dick, who was just eight years old.

"Yes, you have the right idea about it," replied the father.

"Well, why can't we turn in the stamps and just call it square? If we could do that I could buy a soda. I've got a dime," said Dick.

Dick was waiting for an answer, and after much thinking, father reached for his pocket, "Here's another penny."

Eat Less and Take Bitro-Phosphate To Put on Flesh

A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE.

Frederick S. Kolle, M. D., Editor of New York Physicians' "Who's Who," says that weak, nervous people who want increased weight, strength and nerve-force, should take a 5-grain tablet of Bitro-Phosphate just before or during each meal.

This particular phosphate is the discovery of a famous French scientist, and reports of remarkable results from its use have recently appeared in many medical journals.

If you do not feel well; if you tire easily; do not sleep well, or are too thin; go to any good druggist and get enough Bitro-Phosphate for a two weeks' supply—it costs only fifty cents a week.

Eat less; chew your food thoroughly, and if at the end of a few weeks you do not feel stronger and better than you have for months; if your nerves are not steadier; if you do not sleep better and have more vim, endurance and vitality, your money will be returned, and the Bitro-Phosphate will cost you nothing.

INDIGESTION Caused by Acid-Stomach

Millions of people—in fact about 9 out of 10—suffer more or less from indigestion, acute or chronic. Nearly every case is caused by Acid-Stomach.

There are other stomach disorders which also are sure signs of Acid-Stomach—belching, heartburn, bloat after eating, food repeating, sour, gassy stomach. There are many ailments which, while they do not cause much distress in the stomach itself, are, nevertheless, traceable to an acid-stomach. Among these are nervousness, billousness, cirrhosis of the liver, rheumatism, impoverished blood, weakness, insomnia, melancholia and a long train of physical and mental miseries that keep the victims in miserable health year after year.

The right thing to do is to attack these ailments at their source—get rid of the acid-stomach. A wonderful modern remedy called EATONIC now makes it easy to do this.

One of hundreds of thousands of grateful users of EATONIC writes: "I have been troubled with intestinal indigestion for about nine years and have spent quite a sum for medicine, but without relief. After using EATONIC for a few days the gas and pains in my bowels disappeared. EATONIC is just the remedy I needed."

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When Aloft.

"I was just reading that an English clergyman has become an aviator."

"A high churchman, eh?"

In the last 150 years Dummerston, Vt., has had only eight town clerks.

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Rests, Refreshes, Soothes, Heals—Keep your Eyes Strong and Healthy. If they Tire, Smart, Itch, or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Safe for Infant or Adult. At all Druggists. Write for Free Eye Book. Murine Eye Remedy Company, Chicago, U. S. A.

STATE BREVITIES

Hastings.—The M. V. O'Connor farm of 183 acres in Washington county, was sold to J. C. Baer of Austin, Minn., at $130 an acre.

St. Paul.—The state board of arbitration has volunteered its services to avert the threatened strike of organized mill wagon drivers in Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Thief River Falls.—Pennington county's returned sailors, marines and soldiers are to be the honored guests at a homecoming celebration and reunion to be held some time during the last two weeks of September.

Fergus Falls.—A determined campaign to stop automobile speeding within the city limits has been opened here by the police, resulting in the arrest of four automobile drivers and one motorcyclist on the opening day.

Winona.—Attacking the high cost of living, the city council has outlined plans for the establishment of a municipal market. It is proposed here to have farmers sell their products direct to the consumers, eliminating the middleman's profit.

Luverne.—J. F. Seares' residence at Ash Creek, a small village eight miles south from here, was totally destroyed by fire. The origin of the fire is unknown, although it started in the summer kitchen some distance from the main house.

St. Paul.—A $50,000 monument as a memorial to American soldiers and World war workers is projected at Fort Ridgely state park. The movement was launched at a soldiers' homecoming celebration there and M. J. Dowling, Olivia, was elected president of the association to raise the fund.

Crookston.—The Crookston public schools opened Tuesday with prospects bright for a successful season. Eighteen new teachers have been added to the local force, and one new department has been organized, which will take care of those pupils who have some difficulty doing the regular work.

Slayton.—While bathing with a party of friends at Tepeotah pier on Lake Shetek, Fred Mathews of Lynd, Minn., sank before help could reach him, and was drowned. The young man had gone to the lake to spend the day, it being his 28th birthday. A brother of Mathew's drowned in a similar manner about a year ago.

Luverne. — William Luzmann of Rosedale township, whose alleged utterances against the United States are alleged to have become very pronounced, and whose expressions it is alleged were very favorable toward Germany, was arrested on a charge of sedition. Luzmann is being held to the grand jury on $5,000 bail.

Frazee.—The dam at the Nichols-Chisholm Lumber company's mill, which went out owing to high water, has been repaired, and the mill is again sawing. Over 1,000,000 feet of logs went over the dam and are scattered for about two miles along the river bed below the dam. The loss to the lumber company will be around $15,000.

Little Falls.—A deal has been closed whereby the 200-acre farm, stock and machinery of the S. Hammerbeck farm in Little Falls town, two miles south of the city, passed to the ownership of Olof Johnson of McNabb, Ill. Possession is to be taken March 1. The consideration, including about $5,000 worth of stock and machinery, was $21,000.

Luverne.—William Spronk of this township, who was mysteriously injured while threshing near here some days ago, has remained unconscious for 15 days. He was tending the separator and was found lying alongside the machine by a fellow workman. It is believed that his jacket became caught in the drive belt and he was hurled against the separator.

Barnesville.—Ducks are feeding in great numbers on the stubble fields between Barnesville and Pelican Rapids, Minn., flooded by the recent heavy rains. "Ducks can be seen flying everywhere," said a visitor after a trip through the duck regions east of Barnesville. "They have not been so plentiful since 1915, when the famous Manston slough near Breckenridge was loaded with them."

Bemidji. — A park or community building and probably both will be established in Bemidji as a memorial for the Beltrami county boys who fought in the World War. At a meeting of the Ralph Gracie post of the American Legion, a committee was named to investigate the proposition and report at the next meeting of the legion. Delegates were also named to the state meeting of the legion, which will take place at St. Paul Sept. 2, 3 and 4.

Hastings.—Miss Pauline S. Lemen, 24 years old, daughter of K. R. Lemen, operator for the Milwaukee road at East Hastings, was found dead by her father on his return home. She was a graduate of the Hastings high and Winona normal schools. For the past few years she had taught at Dakota county rural schools and during the present vacation had been employed as a clerk in the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad offices at Minneapolis. Besides her father, two sisters survive.

Luverne.—Rock county will be used as a state model in making the survey for the inter-church world movement. Preliminary organization work has been started. The organization will assist in closer co-operation of various denominations and a detailed survey will be carried out. Avoidance of overlapping of religious work, establishment of churches and Sunday schools where none are active, and greater efficiency of team work among churches are some of the aims. Rev. Howard Johnson is chairman of the county work. The survey will be started in October.

Rothsay. — Albert Stinar and Joe Gerries were seriously injured when, in passing another automobile, the car in which they were riding was crowded off the grade.

Two Harbors.—The city of Two Harbors municipal coal yards have received their winter supply of soft coal when the steamer Marquette was unloaded at the local docks. Five thousand seven hundred tons was received.

Red Lake Falls.—The 1919 personal property assessment as completed by the Red Lake county board of equalization, shows a total of 1,732 persons assessed in this county, with a total valuation of $774,217. The household furniture in the county is assessed at $50.

Nashwauk.—Peter Stamfal, an Austrian, of this village, was ordered held in jail until Judge of Probate Webster could examine him as to his sanity. This man was released from Fergus Falls insane asylum last November, but was noticed to be acting queer lately, so Judge Fattila ordered him held.

Moorhead. — Stepping directly in front of an automobile driven by C. J. Herreid, Mrs. Martha Gray, 67, mother of Burton Gray of Moorhead, was knocked down by the fender of the car, her head striking the pavement, and suffered a fractured skull which caused her death in the Moorhead hospital.

Thief River Falls.—Albert Mostrum of Neptune met death by drowning when pinned under an auto which turned turtle on leaving a high embankment and landing in eight feet of water in a drainage ditch alongside the road. A nephew who accompanied him jumped as the car went off the road.

Minneapolis.—More than 1,000 persons attended a farewell rally in the Swedish tabernacle in honor of the Rev. David Ostlund, superintendent of Scandinavian work of the Anti-Saloon league of Minnesota, who has left for Norway, where he will make an extensive speaking tour in the interests of prohibition.

Minneapolis. — More than 150 officials, including state grand masters and secretaries were here attending the thirteenth biennial convention of the Masonic Relief Association of the United States and Canada. Sessions were held at the local Masonic temple. The meeting this year was the finest since the war started.

Willmar.—A broad range of subjects, including Americanization, prohibition, legislation, social diseases and women in industry, were discussed at the forty-third annual convention of the Minnesota Woman's Christian Temperance union, which was held here. "Victory" was the keynote of the convention. "Victory in war and victory in the fight for prohibition" are referred to.

Montevideo.—This year the road and bridge levy for Chippewa county was set at $74,000 against $30,000 last year and $15,000 in 1917. A program of work covering forty-seven miles of road improvement has been laid out by the county board. This will be all done in accordance with Federal requirements at a cost of approximately $350,000 so as to secure government aid.

St. Cloud.—Richard Lichey, 25, of Holdingford, a returned soldier, shot Julia Pierskalla of Avon in the arm after her sister, Mary, had rebuked his attentions toward matrimony. Lichey had fired at the two girls at a lonely place in the road between Avon and Holdingford. The girls were walking close together and Lichey stepped out behind them and fired. He has been placed under arrest on a charge of attempted murder.

Hibbing.—Enough dynamite to blow the Penobscot location to pieces was discovered by children playing in the basement of the home of C. Heide, switchman for the Oliver Iron Mining company. The children at play noticed an old trunk. They reported it to their mother. Mrs. Heide made an investigation. Inside the trunk were 196 sticks of dynamite, each about a foot long. How the explosives came to be located there is a mystery to the Heide family.

St. Paul.—Investigation of prices on clothing, shoes and five food staples has been started by the newly-created state department of agriculture to gather data that may be of use to the state legislature in dealing with the high cost of living situation at the special session beginning Sept. 8. J. H. Hay, assistant commissioner, made the move public in a statement issued and emphasized that it is to be a "friendly inquiry" to the sole end of gathering information for legislative purposes.

Red Wing.—Victor Carlson, night watchman at the state training school here, received severe scalp lacerations as a result of being hit over the head with a bat by one of the inmates. A group of the larger boys of the institution planned a general escape, the plan being to knock out the watchman on duty, take his keys and gain their freedom. One of the boys took a baseball bat to bed with him and attacked Carlson, who was stationed near the boy, hitting him over the head several times. The watchman was able to give the alarm and the plans of the boys miscarried. Six boys were implicated.

Canby.—M. J. Dowling, Olivia banker, who lost both feet, one hand and three fingers on the other during a severe snowstorm in which he lost his way near Canby in 1880, was recently presented to King George of England, according to a letter received from him by Mrs. W. E. Dodge of this city.

Crookston.—Narrowly escaping from her burning home with her life, Mrs. N. C. Barrette of this city is suffering from a number of burns received when fire destroyed the Barrette home. The fire started when a kerosene stove exploded, doing an estimated damage to the home of $1,500.

The Possibilities of Peat.

The Commercial museum of Philadelphia has been holding a large exhibition to illustrate the possibilities in the utilization of peat. There are about 11,188 square miles of peat bog in the United States, capable of producing more than 12,000,000,000 tons of fuel. The exhibit shows how, apart from its use as fuel, peat may be spun into yarn, made into paper, used for packing, etc. It is valuable as a preservative, as it contains large amounts of humic acid. Ground up peat may also be used as a filler for fertilizer, making possible the use of slaughter-house waste for this purpose; also as a filler for stock feed, such as molasses. Its manufactured products include insulations, soundproof boards, paving stones, and alcohol.—Scientific American.

Cuticura Soap for the Complexion.

Nothing better than Cuticura Soap daily and Ointment now and then as needed to make the complexion clear, scalp clean and hands soft and white. Add to this the fascinating, fragrant Cuticura Talcum and you have the Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Adv.

Could Do It Another Way.

Have you ever noticed how a lamb, the most timorous of animals, will become suddenly brave when badly frightened?

Well, that is what young Bingle is like. Bingle is so nervous that it almost amounts to a disease.

He was at a party the other night, and sat against a wall between two charming girls, twiddling his thumbs round each other in a fever of fright. But it was very annoying.

"Do you always do that at a dance?" asked one of the girls at last, unable to stand it any longer.

"Er—no," stuttered Bingle. "Sometimes"—twiddling his thumbs in the reverse direction—"I do it this way!"

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
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Nervy.

"What are you writing, old man?"

"An article entitled 'Advice to Graduates.'"

"Eh! Advice to grad— Well, of all the presumption!"—Boston Evening Transcript.

Lift off Corns!

Doesn't hurt a bit and Freezone costs only a few cents.

With your fingers! You can lift off any hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the hard skin calluses from bottom of feet.

A tiny bottle of "Freezone" costs little at any drug store; apply a few drops upon the corn or callus. Instantly it stops hurting, then shortly you lift that bothersome corn or callus right off, root and all, without one bit of pain or soreness. Truly! No humbug!—Adv.

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He who murders a forest is indirectly guilty of homicide.

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Large Seismological Library.

Dr. J. C. Branner of Leland Stanford university has purchased the seismological library of Count F. de Montessus de Ballore, director of the seismological service in Chile, and presented it to Stanford university. This is said to be one of the largest collections of seismological literature in existence, and is accompanied by a manuscript catalogue including some 5,000 titles.—Scientific American.

Wheat in Mexico.

Argentina is offering to Mexico at low prices 8,000,000 kilos of wheat, 1,000,000 kilos of oats, and 50,000 barrels of corn.

Opportunity seldom goes to the loafing place to look for a man.

Wisconsin Early in Field.

The practice of law by women was legalized by the Wisconsin legislature in 1877.

Few men are powerful enough to keep their faces closed.

A child who has been taught obedience has had wise parents.

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Proof that Some Women do Avoid Operations

Mrs. Etta Dorion, of Ogdensburg, Wis., says:

"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

How Mrs. Boyd Avoided an Operation.

Canton, Ohio.—"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well.

"My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them."—Mrs. MARIE BOYD, 1421 5th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

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SCHOOL NOTICE

School will commence on Monday, September 8. Until the school house is ready classes will be held in rooms downtown. The teachers for the year are: First grade, Miss Venice Lawrence, Grades 2, 3, and 4 and Home Economics, Miss Edith Erickson; Grades 5, 6 and 7, Mrs. M. V. Silver; High school, Emil Prushek.

As this is practically our first year of high school work only one year will be given. For the benefit of those who already have some high school credits the following subjects have been chosen for this year: English I, Botany, General Science and Commercial arithmetic(½ credit). We expect to have about 20 in the high school. Next year regular second year subjects can be offered. If there are pupils ready and we have enough teachers and building space, one year can be added ... the high school course each year until all four are offered at Holt.

The primary teacher will have only one grade this year as the enrollment will be large in this grade and we want to give the children a good start. Primary children can enter only at the beginning of the school year.

All children should be ready to enter school on the first day. The three grade teachers are all normal graduates and are good teachers. We can have as good a school as you help us make it. The least we can expect of the parents is that they send their children regularly and support the teacher by getting acquainted with the work of the teacher and the children. Get acquainted early. Visit the school often. It is your school and you will like it better if you really get acquainted with it. May we have your cooperation in the interest of a good school and a good community?

Emil Prushek,
Principal

NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL BONDS

Public Notice Is Hereby Given that bids will be received by the School Board of Consolidated School District No. 85, Marshall County, Holt, Minnesota, at the Clerk's office in the village of Holt, Marshall County, Minnesota, in said District on the 12th day of September, 1919, at the hour of Two o'clock p. m. for the sale of Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000) Bonds of said District. Said bonds will be of the denomination of $1,000 each, dated September 1st, 1919, and due and payable September 1st, 1924. Said bonds will bear interest at the rate of five and one-half per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, both principal and interest payable at the First National Bank, St. Paul, Minnesota. Bonds will be ready for delivery at the time of sale and the successful bidder must ..... for same and take them up at that time. All bids must be without condition or qualification. The legal opinion of H. W. Moody, attorney, St. Paul, will be furnished the successful bidder without charge.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. ..... should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order of the Board of Education of Consolidated School District No. 85, Marshall County, Holt, Minnesota. Dated this 23rd day of August, 1919.

H. J. Olen,
Clerk, Board of Education Consolidated School District No. 85, Marshall County, Minnesota.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, August 20, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Karoline Johnson, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on May 2, 1916, made Homestead entry, Serial No. 13041, for Lot 5, Section 23, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for district of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 29th day of September, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Fred Peterson, of Holt, Minnesota.
Carl Surmo, of Holt, Minnesota.
John H. Knutson of Holt, Minnesota
Albert G. Jarr, of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdahl,
Register.

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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Olga C. Odie (Formerly Larson)

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Olga C. Odie (Formerly, Larson) Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Elmer Odie and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Elmer Odie having been filed in this Court, representing that Olga C. Odie (Formerly, Larson), then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 16th day of July 1919, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Elmer Odie and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition:

THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms, in the city of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of September 1919, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 27th day of August 1919.

PETER H. HOLM
(Court Seal) Probate Judge
Hans O. Chommie
Attorney for Petitioner

Your New Barn

Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

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C. L. Sandberg, Agent
Holt, Minn.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Carl Engebretson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Carl Englebretson Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Lena Englebretson, Harriet Engebretson, Clarice Engebretson, Clifford Engebretson and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Lena Engebretson having been filed in this Court, representing that Carl Engebretson, then a resident of the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 13th day of November 1918, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Lena Engebretson and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the city of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of September 1919, at two o'clock P. M., why said petition should not be graned.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 14th day of August 1919.

PETER H. HOLM,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge
HANS O. CHOMMIE
Attorney for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minn.

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Have Many Attractive Features That Appeal to Investor—to Be Issued Continuously Hereafter—Protected Against Loss.

The entire machinery of the Ninth District War Savings Organization is being set in motion in a united effort to increase sales of the new $100 and $1,000 treasury savings certificates. That every county has scores of residents who would buy these government securities regularly if they knew of them and that no effort will be spared to bring that knowledge to every possible buyer is the statement of M. E. Harrison, district director of the organization.

"We are confident a lasting demand for Government securities has been created in this district and we intend doing everything possible to foster and supply that," Mr. Harrison said. "We want investors to have government bonds, notes and certificates on the lists of securities which they habitually buy. The Treasury Savings Certificates are to be issued continuously hereafter. It is vital that the public be thoroughly acquainted with their terms and advantages."

Nature of Certificates.

The treasury savings certificates, issued on the same basis as war savings stamps, whereby the purchaser receives his interest in advance thru an equivalent reduction in price, are a short term security, maturing five years from the first of January of the year in which they are purchased. They bear four per cent interest, compounded quarterly, giving a yield of 4% per cent to the man who holds them during the entire period of their life.

Perfectly secured by the entire resources and the full taxing power of the United States government the certificates are 100 per cent safe. In addition to this, the terms of issue are such that the price increases monthly and with it the value of certificates previously sold. On January 1st of the maturity year, the government will redeem them at full face values.

"It is to the investor's benefit to recognize some of the unique and attractive features of the new treasury savings certificates," said Mr. Harrison. "Nowhere else in the world is there a perfectly safe investment, from which one may withdraw one's money on 10 days' notice, that pays interest as high as 4% per cent. No other security in the world is so easily available as treasury savings certificates. They are on sale in practically every settled part of the United States. Banks and trust companies everywhere may carry the $1,000 issue, while banks, trust companies and postoffices of the first and second class are carrying the $100 certificates.

"These certificates may be redeemed one month after the month in which they were bought. Ten days written notice is all that is required for getting one's money back and repayment is made at the certificate's value in the month of redemption, a higher value than that at which it was bought.

Protected Against Loss.

"An additional security attaching to these certificates is the requirement that they be registered. The name of the purchaser is written on the certificate when it is sold and at the same time is recorded by the treasury department. The loss of them does not mean loss of the investment.

"Owners of War Savings Stamps who wish to have their investment in a more convenient form than the books of stamps have the privilege of exchanging War Savings Stamps of the 1919 issue for treasury savings certificates. Cards filled with 20 war savings stamps, total maturity value $100, can be exchanged for $100 treasury savings certificates. Owners of ten such cards, with a total maturity value of $1,000, can exchange them for a $1,000 certificate."

The treasury department, in issuing the savings certificates, was convinced that their unusual attractiveness as an investment would assure large sales, quite apart from appeals for support of the government by loans or arguments as to the personal advantages of saving and investment. But these arguments apply and add overwhelming weight to the reasons why treasury savings certificates should be purchased now.

Purchasing of war savings stamps and treasury savings certificates in any one year is limited to $1,000 by any individual or corporation. This total is reached by purchase of one $1,000 certificate, ten $100 certificates or 200 War Savings Stamps of $5 maturity value. The $1,000 limit may be bought each year, however, purchases in 1918, for instance having nothing to do with the 1919 purchase privilege.

In August $100 certificates sell for $83.30 and $1,000 certificates for $833. The former increase 20 cents a month in value and the latter $2 monthly.

KEEP LIBERTY BONDS

More Should Be Purchased at Present Market Quotations.

Financial Experts Believe Every Issue Will Be Above Par Within Few Years.

Paralleling the treasury department's effort to bring about wider realization of the value of investment in war savings stamps and treasury savings certificates, a call has been sounded urging the public to make the most of the market's investment opportunities by purchasing Liberty bonds at their present quotations. It is pointed out that it is just as patriotic today to buy Liberty bonds at 94, 95 or 96 as it was to buy them at 100, while on the other hand it makes the investment just that much better for the man who buys. For instance, a 4¼ per cent Liberty Bond, if bought at 94 for example, yields 4.53 per cent.

It is pointed out also that the fall in value which has taken place in some Liberty bond issues is an excellent reason why those who own the bonds should hold them now, rather than surrender them at a loss. In purchasing the bond, the buyer tacitly agreed to let the government have the money for 10 or 20 years, or whatever the term was. He gets less for the bond, if sold now, because he does not abide by the implied terms of the agreement. He wants his money back now instead of waiting the period of years stated on the bond he bought.

Every bond will be worth par at maturity and long before that time in the opinion of leading bankers. Financial experts are of the belief that every issue of Liberty bonds will go above par within a few years. As capital piles up again and interest rates drop, the rates borne by the Liberty issues will seem correspondingly large and the value of the principal as invested, the bond itself, will be correspondingly greater.

In spite of repeated warnings, Liberty Bond owners still continue to listen to the smooth-tongued sharpers who have fanciful stocks that they will trade for perfectly good Liberty Bonds. "Look before you leap" is the advice of the Treasury Department. "Investigate very carefully before you make purchases of stock and consider prayerfully before you trade Government securities for anything on earth."

SETTING AN EXAMPLE FOR DISTRICT SAVERS.

The thorough conviction that government securities are the best in the world which enabled the heads of the ninth district war loan organization to keep the northwest among the national leaders in Liberty loan compaigns was not a thing that could be forgotten or lost in a moment. Theodore Wold, governor of the ninth district federal reserve bank, and Arthur R. Rogers, who headed the district loan campaigns, feel exactly the same way about war savings stamps and treasury savings certificates as they did about the bonds. Witness Governor Wold selling Mr. Rogers the first $1,000 treasury savings certificate to be sold in the ninth district. "An A-1 investment," the chiefs chimed in chorus; and when it comes to business they both know exactly what they are talking about.

This is Seed Corn Time

More Protection for Depositors

The Holt State Bank is getting more up to date every day. They now carry a $5000 bond which protects the bank and depositors against any alternation, raising, forging of signature or endorsement of payee, on any checks or Certificates of Deposit drawn on the bank. The check or draft, however, must be written in ink, either by hand or a typewriting machine or a check writing machine, and signed in ink the usual and customary manner.

We would like to advise all our depositors to use ink as much as possible in the drawing of their checks from now on in order to get the benefit of this protection.

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Establishment of a system of profit sharing by employees is only one of the far-reaching provisions of the bill for the restoration of the country's railroads to private ownership, favorably reported in the senate by Senator Cummins, Republican, of Iowa, as chairman of the senate interstate commerce committee.

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The house bill conferring the permanent rank of general upon General Pershing in recognition of his service abroad was passed by the senate at Washington without a debate or a record vote.

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The task of paying the $60 bonus to discharged soldiers is 98 per cent complete, it was announced at Washington. Payments have been made to 1,574,000 soldiers who were discharged without having received it.

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Personal

Mrs. Michael Cudahy, widow of the late Michael Cudahy, pioneer of Chicago's packing industry, died at her home at Chicago. She was seventy-seven years old and was born in Kilbritain, Ireland.

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Herbert Hoover has arrived in London for the purpose of winding up the work of the Belgian relief commission. He will sail on the Mauretania on September 6 for home.

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The prince of Wales may not reach Washington until the middle of November, the state department announced, because of the extended program for his entertainment in Canada.

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Sporting

Joe Beckett, English heavyweight champion, defeated Eddie McGoorty, the American light heavyweight, by a knockout in their 20-round fight at the National Sporting club at London. The knockout came in the seventeenth round.

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Domestic

In a referendum election Wisconsin indorsed the action of the legislature to provide each soldier, sailor and marine with a bonus of $10 for each month in service, says a Madison dispatch.

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Five hundred journeymen tailors employed in 24 of the better-class shops are on strike at St. Louis.

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Cudahy Brothers company, packers, pleaded guilty in district court at Milwaukee to 23 violations of the cold-storage law, and was fined the maximum amount on each charge, totaling $2,300.

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"The crest in the high cost of living has been reached, prices have already started downward, and will continue. The drop later will be considerable," said J. Ogden Armour, the Chicago packer.

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Safe blowers cracked a strong box in the West side branch of the American Railway Express company at Chicago and escaped with cash and jewelry valued at $20,000.

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The safe of the filling station of the Standard Oil company at East Moline, Ill. was cracked and $800 in cash, a large number of checks and coupons stolen.

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An American army citation for "prompt and intelligent action" in a troop train wreck in France has been awarded Miss Anna P. Whelpley of Caldwell, N. J., an American Red Cross nurse.

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Carl A. Larson, widely known as a referee of wrestling matches, was killed at Rockford, Ill., when an automobile in which he was riding crashed into a horse and carriage.

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Gen. John J. Pershing, commander of the American expeditionary forces, sailed from Brest on the transport Leviathan for the United States.

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Two priests, Father Conrad Glatzmaier and Father Jules Pacigord, both of Stillwater, Minn., were killed instantly when a Soo line limited struck their automobile near Bald Eagle lake, Minn.

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The national committee for constructive immigration legislation and the third world Christian citizenship congress will meet in joint session in Pittsburgh, Pa., November 9 to 16.

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A wheat crop of 58,445,000 bushels, an average yield of 13.7 bushels per acre on the 4,190,000 acres planted, is forecast for Kansas in the August crop report issued by the state board of agriculture at Topeka.

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Frank Heining of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., a pugilist, died in the City hospital at Atlantic City, N. J., September 1, as the result of injuries sustained in a prize fight. His opponent, K. O. Circus of Pittsburgh, was held.

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Suspension of all strikes throughout the United States and the declaration of a labor truce on the basis of the status quo for six months or more is recommended in a report of a committee of the New York State Federation of Labor made public at New York.

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Charged with the theft of 2,000 wrist watches from the army supply base in Brooklyn, George Heather, a longshoreman, was arrested. The watches, valued at $40,000, were sold to an auctioneer.

PERSHING BUSY FOR FOUR DAYS

Commander-in-chief Has No Time Left, Except a Few Hours for Sleep.

WELCOMED BY MILLIONS

Hundreds of Thousands of School Children Join in Welcoming General Home from Battlefields of France and Belgium.

New York, Sept. 8.—Official plans for the reception and entertainment of General Pershing from his arrival here this morning until his departure for Washington on Thursday, leaves the commander-in-chief of the American expeditionary forces scarcely a minute to himself, except for the few hours allotted for sleep.

Impressive Naval Parade.

Hundreds of peace and war craft, including submarines, and scores of seaplanes, will go down the harbor to greet the general upon his arrival on the transport Leviathan, and will escort the vessel to her berth at Hoboken.

Vice President and Mrs. Thomas R. Marshall, Secretary of War and Mrs. Newton D. Baker and a score of high military officers, headed by General Peyton C. March, chief of staff, will be on board the welcoming ship.

Welcome by Governor and Mayor.

From Hoboken General Pershing will be brought to the Battery on a police boat and escorted to the city hall, where he will be welcomed officially by Governor Smith and Mayor Hylan.

From that moment the mayor's welcome committee will pilot General Pershing from reception to luncheon, to dinner, to theater, to supper, waiting only for morning to begin operations again, until he leaves on Thursday for Washington.

Millions of people, including hundreds of thousands of school children, will join in the welcome to the general.

Wednesday Is Pershing Day.

On Wednesday, "Pershing Day," the general will ride down Fifth avenue at the head of a spectacular military pageant. Plans have been made to have members of the general's family accompany him to Manhattan. Federal, state and military officials joined in the welcome.

MEXICO ADOPTS NOVEL PLAN

Americans Must Sign Release of Responsibility to Visit Oil Region.

Washington, Sept. 8.—Apparently convinced that the United States is in earnest in demanding proper treatment of Americans in Mexico, the Carranza government has adopted a novel expedient in an attempt to relieve itself of responsibility.

Americans going to the Tampico region, hereafter, will be compelled to sign a formal release of the Mexican government's responsibility for what may happen to them. If they refuse, Mexican officials will refuse to vise their passports.

The condition raises a peculiar situation, for under international law a government may refuse travel permission to foreigners into a region where it may not be prepared to guarantee their safety.

This release is not only required of workmen who are American citizens, but also of American citizens in the United States holding passports from the state department authorizing them to visit the Tampico region.

PRESIDENT SPEAKS TO 7,500

Airplanes Meet and Escort Executive's Special to Des Moines.

Des Moines, Sept. 8.—Making his second address of the day, the president spoke in the Des Moines Coliseum, said to seat 7,500. Every chair was taken and many were standing. Earlier in the day he had spoken at Kansas City, Mo., more than 300 miles away.

An escort of airplanes dropped flowers on the president's special train as it approached the city and he was cheered during an automobile ride through crowds that packed the downtown streets. When he entered the Coliseum he was cheered again.

The meeting was opened with an invocation and Mr. Wilson was introduced by W. H. Weaver, president of the Des Moines Chamber of Commerce, who spoke on the outstanding figure in the life of the world today. Mrs. Wilson sat on the platform.

Austrians' Acceptance Assured.

Berne, Sept. 8.—The Austrian cabinet, after discussing the treaty, has decided to recommend its acceptance. This information is conveyed in a dispatch received from Prague today.

U. S. Launches Big Submarine.

Quincy, Mass., Sept. 8.—The fleet submarine AA-2, latest word in undersea boat construction, was launched Saturday at the Fore River yards of the Bethlehem Steel corporation from designs of the Electric Boat company. She is 300 feet long and said to be the fastest Diesel engine boat afloat, with surface speed of 18 knots an hour and 18 knots submerged, according to the designers. She is intended to operate with the battle fleets and has a cruising radius estimated at 7,000 miles.

YANKEE FINEST SOLDIER OF ALL

Greatest Achievement Was Cutting Lines at Sedan After Hindenburg Line Was Broken.

GENERAL STILL ON DUTY

Pershing on Strenuous But Pleasant Duty of Being Entertained, With Very Little Time to Himself for Rest.

New York, Sept. 9.—The American doughboy is the finest soldier in the world, and it didn't take the Germans long to find it out, declared General Pershing in an interview granted newspaper men today at the Waldorf Astoria.

"We boasted a little probably of the peculiar qualities of the American fighting man, but his aggressiveness, initiative and devotion as a member of the American expeditionary forces gives us every right to boast and to be proud of him," the commander said.

"I suppose it is because of the way the American boy is raised, due to the fact that he is encouraged to develop his initiative and that he feels at any crisis of his life, that he is master of his own destiny."

Unwilling to Discuss Plans.

The interview brought about in the hope that the general might be willing to express his own views on such subjects as the league of nations, the situation in Europe and in Mexico, what he intended doing when he entered civil life, when he expected to retire from the army and similar questions, was preceded by a general handshaking all around.

"I am still on duty," he said. "It is a pleasant duty, but very strenuous." The general had just finished luncheon after a little rest to refresh himself after the arduous hours of the morning, and he said that while he was glad to meet all the newspaper men he could answer only such questions as properly came within his profession.

His Biggest Achievement.

The questions asked were:

"General, what do you consider the crowning achievement of your service abroad?"

To which he replied:

"Cutting the German lines at Sedan on November 6."

"Was that a more difficult operation than cutting the Hindenburg line?" he was asked.

"Cutting the Hindenburg line was a start toward cutting the line at Sedan. It was hard to tell what might have become of it under difficult circumstances. It followed the effort of the Germans to force their way through, but their armies were beaten before they started."

MEXICAN QUESTION IS UP

Washington, Sept. 9.—Existence of an organized propaganda movement in the United States calculated to counteract any step toward armed intervention in Mexico was established at the first hearing today of the senate foreign relations sub-committee investigating the situation.

Dr. Samuel Guy Inman, an officer in the League of Free Nations association and a former neighbor in Mexico of President Carranza, admitted under sharp cross-examination that his association had sent out literature aimed to quiet any demand for intervention by the United States. Dr. Inman told the committee that American oil companies were expending large sums of money in an attempt to obtain intervention.

Dr. Inman in opening his testimony, told the committee that in his opinion President Carranza was a man of honor and integrity and that he had a strong faith in the ability of Mexico to work out its own problems. He deprecated intervention, adding that it would stunt the growth of the Pan American idea.

OLD STORY CONTRADICTED

Paris, Sept. 8.—Colonel Blanton Winship, judge advocate general and also head of the requisitions and claims department of the American expeditionary forces, finally disposed of the old story that the French people claimed rentals for the ground occupied by the trenches at the front, in his testimony today before the committee of the American congress which is investigating war expenditures.

He testified that no such claim had ever been made against the American expeditionary forces and that the only claims of this nature were for the use of ground in the training area which was cut up and damaged in order to familiarize the men with conditions at the front.

Police Chiefs to Help Soldiers.

As a result of a letter to all the police chiefs in the United States, Colonel Arthur Woods, assistant to the secretary of war, has added many thousand men to his field forces who are finding positions for returned fighting men. The assistance and co-operation of policemen generally is now promised. In order to help place the few soldiers yet to be demobilized as well as the scattering number who have not yet satisfactorily readjusted themselves to civil life.

WILSON CHEERED BY ST. LOUISANS

President Discusses Peace Treaty at Length in Two Addresses.

COLISEUM IS PACKED

Speaker Is Introduced as "The Father of World Democracy"—Cheered Lustily at Both Addresses.

Coliseum, St. Louis, Sept. 6.—In two addresses here today President Wilson discussed at length disputed points of the peace treaty.

The president's first address was at a chamber of commerce luncheon, after he had been cheered along the route of a seven-mile automobile ride and stopped at Washington university to visit several members of the faculty who were school chums of the executive.

Returning, the executive was driven through the residential section of the city. He and Mrs. Wilson had supper privately.

At 8 o'clock sharp the presidential party started for the coliseum and arrived there at 8:12.

Great Convention Hall Packed.

The coliseum, where many national conventions have been held, was packed and when the president arrived the crowd arose and cheered more than four minutes.

The president was introduced by Governor Frederick D. Gardner, who said the people of Missouri never had been more sincere in a welcome to any visitor. At that the crowd cheered again.

When the governor introduced Mr. Wilson as "the father of world democracy," there was more cheering.

SENATE PASSES DRY BILL

One Vote Only Is Cast Against Proposed Measure.

Washington, Sept. 6.—The prohibition enforcement bill was passed by the senate today without a record vote and virtually in the form it came from the committee. The measure now goes to conference for discussion of amendments inserted in the house bill by the senate.

The only material change made in the bill by the senate was the adoption by amendment of the liquor and drug prohibition act for the Panama canal zone. This measure has not been acted up by the house.

An eleventh hour attempt by Senator Shields, Democrat, Tennessee, to render ineffective the whole section of the measure relating to enforcement of war time prohibition, failed, his own vote being the only one cast in favor of it. His amendment would have limited the operation of the war time law to the six states in which demobilization camps are located.

As it passed the senate and goes to conference the bill defines as an intoxicant any beverage containing more than one-half of one per cent of alcohol. The senate modified, however, some of the most rigid provisions of the house bill, including that affecting private stocks of alcoholic beverages held for personal use.

SEES END OF RISING PRICES

Federal Reserve Board Thinks Reaction Has Now Set In.

Washington, Sept. 6.—Reaction from the high price level established during the war has set in, says the federal reserve board's review of business conditions in August.

Not only are some foodstuffs declining in cost to the consumer but the price of wearing apparel, such as textiles and shoes, also has been affected, the review says. Business continues at an "extremely high level" and confidence of a satisfactory solution of the wage and price problems was reported from all sections of the country.

"During August factors which had not hitherto arrested much attention exercised great influence on the business situation," the board's statement said. "Reference is made, of course, to the problem of commodity prices, in particular those going to make up the cost of living, and to the consequent condition of labor unrest. Whereas previously, emphasis had been placed on the great activity displayed by business, the problem of price readjustment and the difficulties connected with it now bulk largest. Discussion in connection with this readjustment is particularly centered on the problem of the relation of wages and prices."

Alleged Counterfeiters Arrested.

Fargo, Sept. 6.—Four men are under arrest in Fargo suspected of being counterfeiters, after two molds for coining silver dollars were unearthed by Fargo police.

SECREARY-REDFIELD RESIGNS.

Resignation of Secretary of Commerce Has Been Accepted.

Washington, Sept. 6.—William C. Redfield, secretary of commerce in the cabinet since the beginning of the Democratic administration in 1913, resigned today, announcing that he was returning to private business.

President Wilson has accepted the resignation, to be effective November 1. There was no official hint given with the announcement as to who would be

WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Need Help to Pass the Crisis Safely—Proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Can be Relied Upon.

Urbana, Ill.—"During Change of Life, in addition to its annoying symptoms, I had an attack of grippe which lasted all winter and left me in a weakened condition. I felt at times that I would never be well again. I read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it did for women passing through the Change of Life, so I told my doctor I would try it. I soon began to gain in strength and the annoying symptoms disappeared and your Vegetable Compound has made me a well, strong woman so I do all my own housework. I cannot recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly to women passing through the Change of Life."—Mrs. Frank Henson, 1316 S. Orchard St., Urbana, Ill.

Women who suffer from nervousness, "heat flashes," backache, headaches and "the blues" should try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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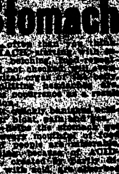

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Reporting a Crime.

"First you talk of a jewel robbery," said the policeman, "and now all you have to say is that you have lost your cook."

"Well," exclaimed Mr. Grossiots, "that cook was a jewel and some of the neighbors came around and stole her."

THE MEN IN CLASS A1

A sound, healthy man is never a back number. A man can be as vigorous and able at seventy as at twenty. Condition, not years, puts you in the discard. A system weakened by overwork and careless living brings on decay prematurely. The bodily functions are impaired and unnatural symptoms appear. The weakest spot is generally the kidneys. Keep them clean and in proper working condition and you will generally find yourself in Class A. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules periodically and your system will always be in working order. Your spirits will be enlivened, your muscles supple, your mind active, and your body capable of hard work.

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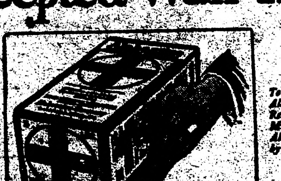

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"I hope they don't teach you to flirt in school, Ethel?"

"No, they don't, mother."

"Well, it seems you know something about it, dear."

"Yes, mother. But we don't learn that in school. We learn it during recess."

Freshen a Heavy Skin

With the antiseptic, fascinating Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented, convenient, economical face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumes superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv.

SMALL CHANCE TO GET AWAY

As It Happened, the Old Gentleman Was Placing the Blame Where It Didn't Belong.

"I don't know what the young men of today are coming to," said Mr. Smith. "In my young days there wasn't any need for all this courting. The girls then—"

But he was cut short by the coal-scuttle which Mrs. Smith accidentally dropped on his toes.

"I was only going to say, my dear," he remarked, when he had recovered his composure, "that I wish the young fellow who is calling on Christabel would go away and let us get the house shut up. It's past midnight!"

At that moment there entered the small boy of the household. He had been, for the last hour or so, behind the draught-screen in the drawing-room, and vowed that he had enjoyed himself better than if he had been at a movie show.

"It isn't his fault, pa," said the heir of the Smiths. "He can't go; Christabel's sitting on him!"

Tumultuous.

"Don't you admire Wagnerian music?"

"Yes," replied Mr. Cumrox, "only don't you think some of it is what you might call slightly over-jazzed?"

It is in accord with the eternal fitness of things that the police telegraph wires should be made of copper.

BRIGHT SCHEME DIDN'T WORK

Overly Frank Criticism Caused Bride to Drop Her Deaf-and-Dumb Pose Suddenly.

A newly-married couple hit upon the idea of pretending to be deaf and dumb whilst on their honeymoon.

At the station they started talking on their fingers and overheard the following remarks:

"It's a newly married couple," said a lady. "The poor things are deaf and dumb. Isn't it awful?"

"What do you suppose he saw in her?" asked the other. "She is positively ugly."

"And I believe her hair is dyed," said the first woman.

"And her hat is out of date," was the next startler.

"Looks like an old one," was the reply.

"Her dress wrinkles in the back," said the first.

"She's thirty-five if she's a day; and she looks as if she had a frightful temper."

At this point the bride found her tongue, and her remarks to those two women left no doubt about her having that important article that women are supposed to exercise so freely.

Utilization.

"Our friend Dustin Stax seems embarrassed sometimes, in spite of his fortune."

"Yes," observed Miss Cayenne; "he is like a friend of mine who thinks that because she inherited a fine grand piano she is under obligations to try to play on it."

Vain Hope.

"Mayme was flushing this morning when she saw me, so I must have made an impression." "Don't flatter yourself. That was only four-flushing."

Stop Orders.

"This is your trick; I take it."

"Sure it's our trick. Don't you dare take it."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Don't think he's slow because of the tortoiseshell he wears.

Off-Color Days

are usually the reflexion of some upset to bodily health.

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STATE BREVITIES

Stillwater.—At the meeting of the Scandia Farmers' Club it was voted to hold a calf show at Scandia on October 4.

Stephens.—The congregation of the Catholic church at Stephens presented their pastor, Rev. J. Fraling, with a new touring car.

Moorhead.—Twenty-six Clay County schools opened last week, according to an announcement made by S. G. Tang, Clay County superintendent.

Wilmont.—Floyd Liebeck, 13, was instantly killed when he collided with an automobile driven by W. A. Shelquist here. The boy was thrown from his wheel and his neck was broken.

Detroit.—Fire Ranger P. S. Converse has been busy posting signs of warning in the wooded sections of the county and securing the co-operation of the settlers and others in an attempt to eliminate the fire danger always prevalent at this time of the year.

Trommald.—The special election held at Trommald by Independent School District No. 110, on the proposition to bond the district for $10,000, carried by more than four to one. The bonds will pay for the building of an addition to the Trommald school building.

St. Paul.—Armistice day, November 11, will be proclaimed a legal holiday in Minnesota by Governor Burnquist. The American Legion, during its convention in this city, received the governor's intentions to that effect in a message, in which he urged the greatest demonstration in the history of the state on that date.

Roseau.—Hans Trandem has a half acre on his lots on North Riverside Avenue from which he has without doubt harvested the biggest money return for an equal tract of land in the county, if not in the state. The half acre is in raspberries and when the picking is finally completed the gross returns will be close to $300.

Minneapolis.—The veteran wearers of the blue and the gray will be present at the American Legion national convention to take place November 10, 11 and 12, on the invitation of the local Legion officers and of T. Semmes Walmsley, president of the Louisiana branch of the Legion, who sends out the call to all veterans in his state.

St. Paul.—Rush D. Simmons, postoffice inspector in charge at St. Paul, was informed that the postoffice at Sanborn, Minn., was robbed of $500. Postmaster Herman E. Kemp of Sanborn reported that his safe was cracked by burglars and $500 in cash taken. Postoffice Inspectors M. R. Ryan and Fred R. Bell went to Sanborn to investigate.

Warren.—Levi Hawkins was sentenced to the St. Cloud reformatory on his plea of guilty to the indictment returned by the last grand jury charging him with forgery in the second degree. Hawkins was cashier of the Farmers' State Bank of Gryla, whose manager, C. E. Ballard, wrecked that institution and is now serving time. Hawkins had recently returned from service in the United States army.

Red Lake Falls.—Rev. Charles E. Bronson, D.D., pastor of Westhope Presbyterian Church of Philadelphia for the past nineteen years, returned here last week after an absence of thirty-six years and preached in the Presbyterian church which he founded here in 1883. Dr. Bronson came here from Crookston in a lumber wagon in 1883 with Dan Patterson of St. Hilaire, a Mr. Thibeau who came to start a saloon, and a Mr. Morris who was to start a bank.

St. Paul.—The 1920 convention of the Minnesota American Legion will be held in Duluth, that city having been selected by the state convention here. The convention selected delegates to the national convention to be held in Minneapolis November 11 and 12, and elected officers. A feature of one session was the address of Lieut. Col. Theodore Roosevelt, who outlined in part the program which will be discussed at the national convention in Minneapolis in November.

Minneapolis.—Delegates from all over the state were here when H. J. Merdienk of Ely, president of the Minnesota division, Woodrow Wilson Way Association, opened the annual meeting which was devoted largely to committee reports and recommendations looking toward state development through betterment of its highways. The "Way" extends from Ely, in the northeast corner of Minnesota, thence over the Shakopee bridge, southwest to Albert Lea and Des Moines. Its southern terminum is El Paso, Tex.

St. Paul.—Extra precautions against fire in a pine forest along the Northern Pacific Railroad south of Moose Lake, which is rated an extraordinary fire hazard as the result of a severe hail storm, have been ordered by W. T. Cox, state forester. The hail stripped the needles and the bark from the pines, leaving them to dry and make an unusual fire danger, the forester said. Special crews were sent into the district and will be kept there for a few weeks until the menace is over. Reports are asked as to the area of timber damage.

Little Falls.—The 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richter, a farmer living near here, was accidentally hanged when he tried to get into an iron bed. The little tot climbed from a chair to the bed at the foot and in trying to get through the framework, slipped and was accidentally caught.

Mankato.—Ole Nelson, a merchant here, killed himself by suffocation. Nelson placed his head under a tin cupola in the rear of his shop and held a blow torch in such position that he forced himself to inhale the fumes from the lighted torch which caused his death.

Dilworth.—Shopmen of the Northern Pacific here have voted to stay on the job 90 days in accordance with President Wilson's plea.

Brainerd.—The Northern Potato Company, in which local business men are interested, has shipped three cars of potatoes and has two more to ship soon.

Hibbing.—Local schools are crowded, the enrollment being over 4,200, an increase of several hundred over last year's opening enrollment. There are 188 teachers.

Lake City.—Mrs. John Meyer, 61 years old, was instantly killed when struck by a Milwaukee mail train here. Besides her husband, she is survived by seven children.

Bemidji.—Compilation of the results of the recent membership drive by the Bemidji Civic and Commerce Association, by Secretary H. Mayne Stanton, shows the actual membership to be 404.

Clarissa.—Officials of the State Bank of Clarissa, which recently was robbed of Liberty Bonds, War Savings Stamps and cash, have announced that their check of the loss indicates that the robbers obtained about $20,000.

Minneapolis.—The first convention of full blooded Indians Minneapolis has ever had will convene Oct. 2, when 200 delegates, Society of American Indians, assemble in the city hall for the seventh annual convention.

Winona.—Lieut. Edmund Clemenski of Winona, who has been chosen for the consular service of the United States and will work with the military attache of the American legation at Sofia, Bulgaria, has left for his new post.

Virginia.—Unless local restaurants and cafeterias keep all flies out, they will be closed up, Dr. C. W. Miller, health officer, reported to the city council, and declared that the health board may be forced to close one or two restaurants.

Winona.—Rt. Rev. Patrick R. Heffron, D.D., bishop of the diocese of Winona, has started on a two weeks' trip throughout the diocese in the interest of the campaign for raising of a fund of $1,000,000 for a Greater St. Mary's College in Winona.

St. Paul.—Resolutions demanding punishment of profiteering as a felony and barring of alien slackers and conscientious objectors from the homestead right were adopted by the Minnesota convention of the American Legion with a thunderous cheer.

International Falls.—Miss Phyllis Sullivan is now principal of the South International Falls school. She formerly taught there, but during the past year was engaged in training as a nurse in the army service and was discharged but a few months ago.

Hibbing.—The St. Louis County Fair closed here after the largest attendance in the history of the exposition. Horse racing, automobile speed contests, and aerial exhibition flights marked the three days' program. The fair drew visitors from over the entire range.

Pipestone.—The city council and county commissioners met in joint session here and officially accepted the gift of $50,000 recently made by Oscar E. Ashton for a city and county hospital to be located here. The donation of Mr. Ashton is made as a memorial to his late father, R. W. Ashton.

St. Cloud.—The seventh annual fair of the Benton County Agricultural Society registered the biggest attendance and was said to be one of the best fairs ever promoted by the society. Only one auto theft was reported at the fair grounds during the fair days and that auto was recovered twenty minutes after the theft.

Grand Rapids.—Itasca county came into its own at the Minnesota state fair this year, word being received that it won first prize for the best county exhibit from the northern part of the state and tied Bemidji with 195 points out of a possible 200, on its potato exhibit. A silver cup and a large cash prize goes with winning the best county exhibit.

Thief River Falls.—The body of Miss Heggie Jorde, aged about 50, was discovered by a friend when she called at her room over the Thief River Falls creamery office, located in a former residence, across the street from the creamery. Death evidently was due to apoplexy two or three days before. Miss Jorde lived alone and was quite well off, having been very frugal all her life.

Pipestone.—When the Pipestone public school opens for the fall and winter term, all departments will be housed under one roof for the first time since the fire which destroyed the school building in April, 1918. Work on the $350,000 structure, which has been under way for many months, has progressed so far that certain portions of it will be ready for occupancy at the opening of the school year.

Spooner.—The Collins flour mill caught fire and was burned to the ground. The origin is unknown. The Cloverleaf creamery was saved after a hard fight, several streams of water being thrown on this plant which adjoined the mill site. The oil house and storehouse of the mill were also saved. The loss is estimated at about $20,000, with insurance of $16,000. J. W. Collins, the owner, plans to rebuild as soon as matters can be arranged.

Duluth.—Receipts of coal at Duluth and Superior docks fell off during August as a result of the strike of dock operatives. Arrivals of anthracite for the month were 62,100 tons as compared with 197,200 tons during July, and bituminous receipts were 510,500 tons, against 1,327,400 tons during July. The movement of anthracite this way up to September 1 aggregated 662,700 tons, a falling off of 121,000 tons from the corresponding period last year, and 5,002,000 tons of bituminous came in, an excess of 430,500 tons as compared with the same period in 1918.

"BAYER CROSS" ON GENUINE ASPIRIN

BAYER

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" to be genuine must be marked with the safety "Bayer Cross." Always buy an unbroken Bayer package which contains proper directions to safely relieve Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Colds and pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents at drug stores—larger packages also. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

How Pat Won Out.

Anxious to travel for a big English firm in the ham line, an Irishman obtained an interview with the proprietor.

"What experience have you had?" the Irishman was asked.

"Eighteen months," was the answer.

"Eighteen months!" scornfully repeated the proprietor. "What could you learn about bacon in that time? Why, I've been studying for forty years, and don't know half enough about it yet."

"Bedad," exclaimed Pat, with a confident smile, "if I had been studying it for forty years, I'd know how to make a pig!"

He got the job.

Right Hen, Wrong Tack.

Lucile was visiting auntie in the country. It was the joy of the four-year-old to hunt for eggs in the barn. One day she brought in a very small one, presumably laid by a bantam.

"Auntie," said the little maid, showing it, "the hen that laid this egg didn't have the right recipe."—Terre Haute Tribune.

A SUMMER COLD

A cold in the summer time, as everybody knows, is the hardest kind of a cold to get rid of. The best and quickest way is to go to bed and stay there if you can, with a bottle of "Boschee's Syrup" handy to insure a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning.

But if you can't stay in bed you must keep out of draughts, avoid sudden changes, eat sparingly of simple food and take occasional doses of Boschee's Syrup, which you can buy at any store where medicine is sold, a safe and efficient remedy, made in America for more than fifty years. Keep it handy.—Adv.

Not Hard to Satisfy.

There were two plates of cake on the table and the hostess asked Arthur which he preferred, chocolate or cocoanut. "Oh, I'm not perticklер like some folks is," said the little chap; "an' so I'll just have a piece of each kind."

The Reason.

"I heard Nellie tell that rich crank the other day that he was sweet enough to eat."

"That was her way of hinting he was a dough nut."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

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"You ought to be ashamed of yourself to sell me such eggs," said the excited woman to her grocer.

"What is the matter with them ma'am?" replied the man with the apron.

"Matter? Look at the size of them! They're hardly as large as hailstones!"

First Impression.

"Well, I must be off."

"I thought so the first time I met you."

HAD TO GIVE UP

Was Almost Frantic With the Pain and Suffering of Kidney Complaint. Doan's Made Her Well.

Mrs. Lydia Shuster, 1838 Margaret St., Frankford, Pa., says: "A cold started my kidney trouble. My back began to ache and got sore and lame. My joints and ankles became swollen and painful and it felt as if needles were sticking into them. I finally had to give up and went from bad to worse.

"My kidneys didn't act right and the secretions were scanty and distressing. I had awful dizzy spells when everything before me turned black; one time I couldn't see for twenty minutes. Awful pains in my head set me almost frantic and I was so nervous, I couldn't stand the least noise. How I suffered! Often I didn't care whether I lived or died.

"I couldn't sleep on account of the terrible pains in my back and head. Nothing seemed to do me a bit of good until I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. I could soon see they were helping me; the backache stopped, my kidneys were regulated and I no longer had any dizzy spells or rheumatic pains. I still take Doan's occasionally and they keep my kidneys in good health."

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Sworn to before me.
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DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

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Two Cynical Pollus.

"The French," said Dr. Sidney E. Mezes of New York, the brilliant director of the American peace delegation's experts—"the French are terrible cynics about love. They don't believe in its durability. They claim it never lasts.

"Two French pollus were discussing love in an estaminet.

"'I hold,' said the first pollu, 'that if you fall in love with some ravishing beauty, the only way to cure yourself is to run off.'

"The second pollu took a sip of wine.

"'Yes, that'll cure you, all right,' he agreed, 'provided you run off with the ravishing beauty.'"

They Should Have.

A Terre Haute (Ind.) librarian had a new book which two boys were very anxious to take out for the next week. They argued and argued, and then came to the point where blows were imminent. A little girl, who had been listening to the discussion, turned to the librarian and saw the anxiety on her face. Then she became angry. She spoke to the boys: "Ain't you two got any suspect for Miss H—— to keep you all from fightin' in her libery?" she demanded.

It is but natural that a man should get hot when others "roast" him.

Even a crook may cast a straight shadow.

BITRO-PHOSPHATE IS GOOD FOR THIN NERVOUS PEOPLE

A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE.

Frederick S. Kolle, M. D., Editor of New York Physicians' "Who's Who," says that weak, nervous people who want increased weight, strength and nerve-force, should take a 5-grain tablet of Bitro-Phosphate just before or during each meal.

This particular phosphate is the discovery of a famous French scientist, and reports of remarkable results from its use have recently appeared in many medical journals.

If you do not feel well; if you tire easily; do not sleep well, or are too thin; go to any good druggist and get enough Bitro-Phosphate for a two weeks' supply—it costs only fifty cents a week.

Eat less; chew your food thoroughly, and if at the end of a few weeks you do not feel stronger and better than you have for months; if your nerves are not steadier; if you do not sleep better and have more vim, endurance and vitality, your money will be returned, and the Bitro-Phosphate will cost you nothing.

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Land Deals

C. M. Lumpkin of Crookston was in town Wednesday and made a deal with D. B. Bakke and B. Docken for the land and lots in this village that belonged to The Northern Townsite Company.

Olaf Iverson closed a deal Monday with Peter Larson of Kensington, Douglass county, Minnesota, whereby the latter becomes the owner of the Iverson farm in the incorporation of the village. The price paid was $70.00 an acre. Mr. Larson expects to return here soon and build a barn and will move his family here this fall.

If you are going to have a sale, see Clarence Larson for auctioneer.

Homecoming celebration Sept. 20 in Thief River Falls. Everybody go.

Miss Mabel Hagglund is teaching the school in the Albert Klungness district.

Miss Hilma Sovde went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to visit her sister there.

Every soldier is wanted in Thief River Falls to-morrow at the home coming celebration.

Miss Johanna Larson went to Strathcona Sunday near which place she will teach school.

Diedrick Nyberg and Morris Hoel returned home Wednesday from Devils Lake, No. Dak.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albin Dahl, at Golden Valley, Wednesday Sept. 17th.

Nels Johnson, John Johnson and family and Miss Ida Reierson autoed to Warren Monday.

Oscar Knutson returned home Saturday from Strathcona where he had been working on the elevator.

Elef Gunderson of Crookston came Tuesday for a few days visit at the homes of P. G. and Gunder Sorter.

Mrs. Fred Larson and daughter Mabel and Mrs. Nels Lysne went to Warren Monday to consult a physician.

The Ladies Aid of the Mission church will serve lunch in the church basement Friday Sept. 26th. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Reierson, Mrs. Monson and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Reierson visited Sunday at the Henry Bjerk home near Strathcona.

Ruben Carlson of Minneapolis arrived here Friday night to visit his brother, Tony and family and uncle Arivd and family at Newfolden for sometime.

Albert Bennes and Ole Backlund autoed to Thief River Falls Monday, the latter to see a physician who ordered him to take a rest as he was suffering from an attack of summer influenza.

Mrs. Benitt returned to her home in Goodhue county Wednesday afternoon after a pleasant visit at the homes of her son, John Benitt and family, and her daughter, Mrs. John Augustine and family.

J. M. Jahr went to Thief River Falls Monday to meet his daughter, Josie, who was returning home from the Warren hospital where she had been operated upon for appendicitis and the removal of her tonsils.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Haugard of Strandquist visited Monday at the home of their niece, Mrs. C. W. Christianson and family. Mrs. Nels Hanson who had been visiting here at the home of her daughter for a few days, returned home with them Monday evening for a few days visit.

Big homecoming celebration in Thief River Falls, Sept. 20. Attend

Homecoming Celebration

Everybody is invited to attend the big homecoming celebration in Thief River Falls to-morrow, in honor of the returned soldiers, sailors and marines. The boys from this vicinity are invited to join Post No. 117 of the American Legion at Thief River Falls.

Everyone who has been in any branch of our countrys service is entitled to membership in the American Legion and should join them.

Sad Accident

Dr. R. L. Olson received word Tuesday evening that his, brother Theodore, had been killed that afternoon in a threshing machine accident at his home nine miles east of Thief River Falls.

Mr. Olson had recently purchased a threshing rig and was trying to move it to another place about one fourth mile away. Some parts of the self feeder were broken so that he could not well take it off, but but as it was only a short distance to move, he thot he could safely do it. He reversed the engine to back up for coupling and got off for that purpose but when he got back on the engine he couldent stop it quick enough and was caught between the feeder and engine. His lifeless body was found by the hired man who had been after a chain.

Mr. Olson leaves a wife and six children, four brothers and an aged father, to all of whom sincere sympathy is extended.

The funeral services were held yesterday.

W. E. Damon recently purchased an auto from B. Docken.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Docken are moving into rooms in Mrs. Sven Johnson's residence.

Olai Sovde went to Middle River Monday where he expects to learn the barber trade.

Rev. Theo Myhrer is going to spend his vacation at a former charge in Wisconsin.

Ole J. Backlund has leased the butcher shop to Herb Walker for a term of months and will take a much needed rest.

T. O. Saastad is having his well drilled deeper to get a bigger supply of water. Chas. McLane is doing the work.

A car of coal for the school arrived last Friday, so that there will be plenty of fuel to keep the new school house warm.

The Ladies Aid of the Lutheran church wishes to extend their thanks to Mr. Louis Wegge for his gift of $10.00 for the basement of the church.

Oscar J. Johnson, the Red Cross agent, will return to Minneapolis this week and Miss Warner of Rollis, who is a trained nurse, will have charge of the work in flooded districts.

The recent sugar shortage has proven that people can go without many things when they have to.

Sugar has been pretty scarce here for some time. Tony Carlson has received a couple of small shipments the past week which he has been dividing with his regular customers.

Casper Snare will show moving pictures here once every week as soon as the hall can be fixed up and opera chairs installed. The Woodman have promised to have the hall fixed up, change the door and ventilating system and build a booth for the machine so there will not be any danger from fire.

Willie Rux has a tractor which he will sell on easy terms.

Willie Bakke is again employed in the Holt State Bank.

Leave your shoes for repairing with the Holt Merc. Co.

For Sale: Two good farm horses, Call at T. O. Saastad's, R. R. Holt.

The Tri-County fair will be held at Gordridge next week Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Andrew Spokley returned Saturday from a short visit with friends at Nielsville.

Mrs. Arthur Boyce of Thief River Falls visited a few days here with her husband last week.

Wanted:- A girl for dining room work, experience not necessary. Hotel Warren, Warren, Minn.

Wanted; Man and team to put up hay. E. S. Moe, Holt, Minn.

Dr. R. L. Olson sold three quarter sections of land to Iowa parties last week. It takes Doctor Olson to sell land.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hagglund moved last week into the section house that was vacated by Frank Horn and family.

Sig Tunheim came Friday from Northwood, N. D. to visit a few days at the home of his brother Oscar Tunheim and family.

Leonard Peterson has resigned as superintendent of the Thief River Falls water and light department to accept a similar position at Crookston.

Farmers have never had a better season for the ripening and saving of seed corn and we hope all of them have improved their opportunity for doing so.

Olaus Rodahl built the foundation for Constantine Hoffman's new house last week and the carpenters are expected to commence their work this week.

Auto For Sale!

Pullman 5 passenger auto, Overland 5 passenger Model 83, overhauled looks like new; 7 passenger 1917 Model Studebecker. All these cars have electric lights and starter.

Phone or address

B. J. Bakke,

Thief River Falls or Holt.

MARSHALL COUNTY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

To Be Held at Warren, During Week Beginning Oct. 6, 1919

This to notify the rural teachers of Marshall county that a weeks' institute will be held during the week of Oct. 6 to 10 inclusive. The session will be held in the court room of the court house beginning in the forenoon of Oct. 6. All rural school teachers of the county are required to attend. You will close your schools for that week and come to the institute. The time you spend at the Institute will not have to be made up and your salary will continue the same as if the school were open.

Maude Kavanagh and Geo. Howard have been assigned to us as regular instructors. Others with special messages will also be here to give instruction. Special attention will be given to Health Work in the schools. A moving picture film on that subject will be shown. Indications are that this will be the best Teachers' Institute that Marshall county has had. Attendance on the part of the teachers is going to be 100%. There will be no excuses granted. The state requires that all teachers in the rural schools attend.

Teachers, remember that the Institute opens in the forenoon of October 6. Please be there not later than 10 a. m.

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David Johnson

County Supt. of Schools.

Shipping tags for sale at this office

J. J. Shindelar and family of New Prague, moved here last week onto his farm four miles southwest of town.

County Engineer J. A. Lindsay and a party of surveyors came last week Thursday to make survey on the state road from Holt to Grygla.

Mr. Holt, of the Holt-George firm of Thief River Falls, came Tuesday with a crew of six men to install the heating and plumbing in the new school house.

It really looks now as if we would soon have the new school house ready for occupancy. If the weather remains good the brick work will be finished some time next week.

All of our nimrods were out hunting Tuesday as were also those from many neighboring towns. The hunting is good this year and the men are thoroughly enjoying themselves with the sport.

For rent—50-50 proposition. 120 acres in Section 11, township 156 Marshall county, known as the old Ready farm. Address G. A. Grow, Care of The Tribune, Thief River Falls Minn.

Julius and Otto Olson arrived home Monday from Crystal, N. D., where they had been working for sometime. The former is taking an enforced vacation on account of a severe injury to one of his fingers.

John H. Brumund manager of the Princess theatre in Thief River Falls was here last Friday putting advertising matter for the "Unpardonable Sin,, which was shown there Monday and Tuesday evenings and was well attended by the people of Holt and vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Siljesstrom of Golden Valley invited the editor and wife to go down there Tuesday evening to see the pictures and of course we accepted their kind offer and greatly enjoyed the trip and the evening's entertainment.

Mr. Brumund is running the best pictures he can get and his friends in Holt wish him much success in the venture.

PRINCESS THEATRE TO SHOW BIG FAIRBANKS FILM

It is doubtful if any motion picture was ever awaited with as much interest and anticipation in Thief River Falls as Douglas Fairbanks' new picture "His Majesty, the American" which will be the attraction at the Princess Theatre Sunday, Sept. 21.

Something more than mere interest in a motion picture lies back of this anticipation, for "His Majesty, the American" is Douglas Fairbanks' first independent production and marks the first release of the United Artists Corporation, the so-called "Big Four."

In January of 1919 the entire amusement world was startled by the formation of the United Artists Association. This association was formed by Mary Pickford, Charlie Chaplin, Douglas Fairbanks and D. W. Griffith. These artists, conceded throughout the world to be the screen's foremost producers, after having released their pictures for a number of years through various distributing companies decided that to assure their best work and in order to have full independence for the highest expression of their art, they would, upon the completion of their then-existing contracts, release their own pictures, direct to the theatres of the country.

This move for independence by the foremost artists of the screen is the most important and beneficial step that has been taken in the motion picture business since it assumed its leadership in the amusement field.

It means for the motion picture patrons that Mary Pickford, Charlie Chaplin, Douglas Fairbanks and D. W. Griffith will hereafter be enabled to produce pictures in their own way.

They will make fewer pictures than they have made before, and this in itself will be an advantage. Heretofore they have been obliged to turn out a certain number of productions within a given period and consequently have not always had the time to perfect their work.

Thus under the leadership of the screen's foremost artists is the perfection of motion picture entertainment in sight.

The first picture made under these ideal conditions is "His Majesty, the American." The management of the Princess theatre feels great pride in having secured this production for its city.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Ole Moen will preach in the Ole Hall school house Sunday at 2 P. M. and in Holt at 8 o'clock P. M. Everyone invited.

The Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement Friday afternoon September 26th. Everbody invited.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Y. P. S. meet at the Edwin Erickson home next Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Bernards of Greenbush will address the Young People's Society, in English, at 3 o'clock P. M. Sunday and will preach in Norwegian in Holt at 7:30 Sunday evening.

Mrs. Edwin Erickson will entertain the Ladies Aid on Wednesday Sept. 24th.

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For Sale Cheap.

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After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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FIGHTER BONUS PASSES HOUSE

No Dissenting Voice When Measure Comes to Vote in Lower Body.

$50 MINIMUM BONUS

Tennage Tax Bill Goes Through House By Vote of 101 to 22—Provisions of New Primary Bill Before Solons.

St. Paul.—With the passage of the soldiers' $15 per month bonus bill in the House of Representatives by a unanimous vote and its certain passage in the Senate predicted, members of the Minnesota Legislature are turning their attention to primary election reform and forest fire prevention measures.

The soldiers' bonus bill went through the lower branch by a vote of 124 to 0. An attempt was made to amend it so that widowed mothers and orphans might share in the bonus due a soldier. It was decided not to delay the bill, however. It is probable that such an amendment can be made in the upper body.

$50 Minimum Bonus.

As passed in the House the bonus bill gives every man or woman in the service $15 for each month in the service, with a minimum of $50. Conscientious objectors are barred from participation. A fund of $20,000,000 is to be provided to meet the expense by the issuance of certificates of indebtedness.

With ratification of the woman suffrage amendment and passage of the soldiers' bonus bill out of the way the two big topics of primary election reform and forest fire prevention naturally come to the fore. Those measures were mentioned along with the other two in the Governor's call. Besides those four, the Governor asked for consideration of the high cost of living question. That matter, being so broad in scope, is one in which it is believed little progress will be made.

The Legislature has been flooded with an avalanche of small, petty bills in some instances, and bills of statewide but not pressing importance in other cases. The machinery has been clogged.

Passes Tonnage Tax Bill.

By a vote of 101 to 22 the House passed the tonnage tax bill introduced by Representative C. M. Bendixen of Morgan. The measure provides for a tax of five per cent on the value of the ore at the mouth of the mine. An amendment was adopted dividing the proceeds between the school and the general funds. Representative Thomas H. Girling of Robbinsdale tried to have the bill amended so as to provide for a 12 per cent tonnage tax in lieu of all other taxes, with the further provision that half the amount go into the State Treasury and one-half into the local communities.

The elections committees of House and Senate met to consider the primary reform. Senators Brooks and Putnam introduced in the upper branch an indorsement convention bill which would be supplemental to the present primary.

Provisions of Primary Bill.

The bill provides for party conventions that may either recommend or nominate candidates for the state and congressional primaries, but care is taken not to exclude independent candidates who may care to file on the primary ticket. The candidates nominated or recommended by the state or congressional convention are to have their names placed on the ballot with the statement that they have been nominated or recommended by the party convention. The clause in the bill relating to this feature reads:

"This act is supplementary to, and not in lieu of any law relating to primary elections, and it shall not be construed to modify any such law save as the addition of this act shall compel such modification."

Representation in the state convention is to be based upon the average vote for state officers cast by the party holding the convention at the last preceding general election. The average vote is to be certified to the respective state committees by the secretary of state and the committees will apportion the representation.

Rules for New Parties.

New parties may hold conventions by filing with the secretary of state not later than February 1, preceding the date of the primaries, a petition or certificate showing that they have a membership equal to 5 per cent of the total vote cast in the state at the last general election.

The conventions are to be called for the nomination or recommendation of candidates and the adoption of party platforms.

The state convention is to be held on the sixth Tuesday prior to the state primaries.

Congressional conventions are to be held on the seventh Tuesday prior to the congressional conventions.

County conventions will be held on the seventh Tuesday prior to the county conventions.

Delegates to county conventions will be elected at the town elections in March.

In the state convention each county is entitled to two delegates-at-large in addition to the number of delegates based upon the party vote.

All candidates, convention nominees and independents alike will be voted upon at the primaries, and those receiving the highest primary votes will be declared the party nominees.

The bill, it is understood, has the approval of Governor Burnquist. It was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Military Bill Passed.

The House passed the military bill prohibiting the purchase of War Savings Stamps at less than their par value, and three bills by the committee on reconstruction and relief. The latter prohibiting the starting of open fires in the forest region except under regulations prescribed by permit and under regulation prescribed by the forestry department; requiring railroads to screen smokestacks on locomotives and providing a fine of $500 a day for failure to do so; a joint resolution requesting Congress to increase appropriations under the Weeks law for forest protection and the joint memorial asking Congress to establish a hydroplane station at Duluth, from which aviators may aid in detecting incipient fires.

Cold Storage Control Proposed.

A high cost of living bill by Senator H. A. Swanson puts food warehousemen under the control of the railroad and warehouse commission as public utilities, prohibits discrimination and monopolizing practises by food warehousemen and those dealing with them except as allowed by the commission, requires warehousemen to file schedules of rates, and empowered the commission to fix rates and regulations. It went to the committee on markets and marketing.

Cities would be authorized to provide by ordinance for purchase and sale of food products by the city, under another cost of living bill introduced by Senators C. E. Adams, E. M. Erickson, E. R. Ribenack and J. G. Callahan. It went to the markets committee with another bill by the same authors planned for city owned wood, coal and fuel yards to sell fuel at cost. Senator F. L. Cliff's bill, sent to the committee on civil administration, would transfer regulation of wholesale dealers in farm products, with commission merchants, from the railroad and warehouse commission to the department of agriculture.

Attorney General's Opinion Asked.

The rules committee decided that the Erickson resolution, providing $10 a day for expenses of senators during the special session, should go to the attorney general for an opinion on legality.

Poultry Premium Aid Proposed.

In the senate bill sponsored by seven members to extend state aid to certain poultry associations in payment of premiums and cost of exhibitions, failed to get a second reading and went to the finance committee.

Senator H. N. Benson's bill authorizing the state auditor to transfer $5,000 this year and again next year from the teachers' training and institute fund of the department of education to the contingent fund, was passed under suspension of rules.

Housing Legislation.

Senator L. H. Nord's bill for appointment of a commission to investigate housing legislation and recommend plans for this state, came up before the rules committee. Upon its recommendation Mr. Nord will rewrite his bill, giving the commission power not only to investigate housing commission plans in other states and Canada and recommend a Minnesota plan, but also to investigate causes of the high cost of building and owning homes. In this form, it is expected, the bill will be recommended to the senate.

Senator Fred Bessette's forest fire bill providing for removal of fire hazards and appropriating expenses, went to the finance committee. Under this measure the state foresters on investigation may order clearing of any property judged a fire menace.

H. C. L. Hearing.

Farmers, workingmen, manufacturers, wholesale dealers and housewives, producers and consumers of all kinds gathered at the Capitol for the public hearing on the high cost of living conducted by the Senate and House committee on marketing, in the House chambers.

The hearing showed a tendency to wander from the cold storage bills, which were the specific subjects for discussion.

A dozen or more Minneapolis jobbers appeared to argue against the bill to tag all goods with the prices charged by manufacturer, wholesaler and retailer. The discussion ranged from the price of eggs in 1890 and 1900 to the price of beef and milk and broiler chickens in 1919.

Mine Nationalization Indorsed.

Cleveland, Sept. 13.—Nationalization of mines as a general principle was approved by the convention of the United Mine Workers of America with only one dissenting voice. The convention voted with the same unanimity for the six hour day and five day week in all coal mines, to be incorporated in the demands presented to the mine operators at joint wage conference at Buffalo September 25 but referred discussion of specific wage demands until later.

Schwab Has Big Holding.

Pittsburgh, Sept. 13.—Charles M. Schwab, head of the Bethlehem Steel company, has closed a deal with J. J. Flannery of this city whereby he obtains control of the Bridgeville, Pa., and Murvian mines of the American Vanadium company. According to Flannery, $4,000,000 was involved in the transaction. This gives Schwab control of 90 per cent of the world's vanadium supply. Schwab was accompanied by J. Leonard Reptogle, president of the concern.

NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings In Minnesota Given In Brief Items For Busy Readers.

Brainerd.—The University Lyceum Extension society will give a course in Brainerd this fall and winter, starting Oct. 8.

Hibbing.—Twenty-three citizenship applicants will appear before Judge Martin Hughes Sept. 19. The hearings will be conducted by R. K. Doe, naturalization examiner.

Marshall.—The city council has instructed its attorney to prepare an ordinance establishing a municipal court in Marshall with jurisdiction throughout Lyon county.

St. Cloud.—Mrs. Francis Ergin, a resident of St. Augusta, near here, for fifty-six years, died, aged 79 years. She was born in Lorraine, France, and came to America when a child.

Owatonna.—Stopping at a restaurant here, while on her way to St. Paul, Mrs. C. A. Gunderson, 35, of Northwood, Lowa, fell down the cellar and was killed, her skull being fractured.

Moorhead.—The Moorhead hospital was purchased by Concordia college from Dr. D. C. Darrow and will be used as a women's dormitory. This will afford room for about forty women students.

Ellsworth.—N. L. Nelson, chief of the Ellsworth fire department, has resigned and W. H. Bofenkamp has been chosen to fill the vacancy. Chief Nelson had been a member of the department for 12 years.

Minneapolis. — Minneapolis voters will express themselves on the proposed street railway franchise at a special election Dec. 9, the Minneapolis city council committee on street railway matters decided to recommend to the council.

St. Cloud.—A home building corporation, with a capital of $100,000, will be organized here. The company proposes to build 1,000 homes here. This is the shortage estimated in St. Cloud. The new organization proposes to start work at once.

Pipestone.—The Pipestone city council has ordered plans for the building of a new waterworks plant for this city. A new well is now being bored and it is proposed to erect a new pumping station and contstruct a large reservoir and water tower.

Little Falls.—Arrangements are being completed for the 25th annual convention of the Minnesota Federation of Women's clubs to take place here Sept. 24, 25 and 26. Officers of the organization predict that this will be one of the most successful meetings held by that body.

Walker.—The clover seed raised on the Guy Irwin farm in Cass county was sold to the Farmers' Shipping association and brought a check of $1,057. There was forty-eight bushels and ten pounds of it and it was threshed from ten acres of clover, which was cut recently.

Pipestone.—The Pipestone county fair was held last week. The exhibits of corn, potatoes and other vegetables were said to be the best ever shown here. A large exhibit of blooded cattle, especially Herefords, were entered.

Duluth.—Seven persons were injured in automobile and streetcar accidents in one evenings at the Garfield avenue viaduct. Six are in the hospital suffering minor bruises. While the ambulance waited to take an unidentified woman, injured in a streetcar accident, to a hospital, a passing automobile turned over.

Minneapolis.—The school children of Minnesota are to take an active part in the raising of Minnesta's $150,000 quota to the Roosevelt Memorial Association fund. This was the statement of Irving A. Caswell of Anoka, Chairman of the Minnesota Campaign Executive Committee, which has charge of the Minnesota plans to honor the memory of former President Roosevelt. Plans are rapidly being completed for raising Minnesota's portion of the fund and headquarters have been established at 816 Guardian Life Building, Saint Paul. County chairmen have been appointed in every county of the state and funds will be accepted in a short time from those who desire to contribute.

Minneapolis.—According to reports received at Division Headquarters from less than half of the Chapters in Minesota, Red Cross Home Service in the state ministered to 7,534 families in July. Complete reports would doubtless bring the total of those to whom service has been rendered well above 15,000. Over $8,000 was expended in money relief by the reports. The continuance of this branch of the Red Cross in its work of helpfulness to the families of soldiers and sailors and to the community at large is one of the reasons for the Red Cross Roll Call, which will be held November 2 to 11, when every American will be asked to renew his membership and assist the Red Cross to carry on in peace.

East Grand Forks.—Surveyor Harding of the Minnesota engineering department and his workmen have begun the work of surveying the state highway road, which will run north and east of this city as far as Euclid, Minn. The work will begin on the road one mile north of the city running east.

Mankato.—Herman Gray, 12, was killed by a Chicago & Northwestern passenger train on the outskirts of Mankato. He was riding a bicycle and his brother, Edward, was riding on the handle bars when the accident occurred at a crossing. Edward Gray was uninjured.

East Grand Forks.—Farmers say that threshing operations in this section of the Red River Valley will be about completed this week.

Little Falls.—The Morrison County Public Health association has been formed here to take care of the physically unfit of this community.

Owatonna.—Lewis C. Berg, 81, veteran of the Civil war, died at his home here. Mr. Berg served three years with Company A, Twenty-eighth Wisconsin Volunteer infantry.

Minneapolis. — Personal property listed by the assessor in Minneapolis this year totaled $154,671,703 as compared with $147,500,944 in 1918, a gain of $7,620,759.

Dunnell.—Samuel Floberg, a member of the original Swedish colony that settled in Lake Fremont township fifty years ago, died at the home of his daughter in Worthington.

Marshall.—Robert G. Curtis, who came to Marshall in 1879 and established the first blacksmith shop here, died at the home of a daughter in New York. He was 85 years of age.

Crookston.—A retail merchants' institute will be held here for five days, beginning Sept. 22 and ending Sept. 26. Frank Stockdale, qualified by years of retail experience, will be in charge.

Minneapolis.—Falling on the sidewalk in front of her home, Mrs. Clara Joyce, 54, was taken to the city hospital suffering from a fractured skull and hospital physicians say her condition is critical.

Bemidji.—The Hubbard County Agricultural association held its seventh annual fair at Nevis last week. A large agricultural and stock exhibit was entered. Carnival attractions held the attention of visitors.

Tracy.—Tracy will probably soon make plans for the establishment of a white way system for street lighting in the paved districts of the city. This town claims to have more paved streets than any other town of its size in the northwest.

St. Cloud.—Plans for the membership campaign of the St. Cloud post of the American Legion, co-operating with that of the National organization, were made at a meeting here. A complete list of all soldiers, sailors and marines from here will be obtained.

Stillwater.—Lieut. Paul Perigord, brother of the late Rev. Jules Perigord, who was accidentally killed by a Soo passenger train near White Bear on Labor Day, has arrived here from Boston, Mass., where he has been confined in a hospital due to shock from news of his brother's death. He will remain in this locality for several days before returning to the East, settling up his brother's estate.

St. Cloud.—Granite producers in this district have notified the state highway commission that they are prepared to furnish all the hard stone necessary for permanent highway construction in the state under the provisions of the Babcock amendment. They were informed by the state commission that it was going to be difficult to obtain hard stone, 20,000,000 tons of it being necessary each year.

St. Paul.—Postmaster Otto N. Raths, president of the Tri-State Postmasters' association, has called a meeting of the association to be held in the Stain Paul hotel Sept. 15 and 16. First and second class postmasters in Minnesota, North and South Dakota are members of the association. The conference was called to discuss the proceedings of the joint commission on postal salaries, which meets in St. Paul, Sept. 19 and 20.

St. Paul.—J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, will urge special measures to conserve mineral rights that may be found on approximately 5,000 acres of state-owned land in Cook county, he announced, on his return from an inspection trip in that section of the state. While no important mineral discoveries have yet been announced, he said, there are indications of such deposits on the state land, although they may not be as valuable as those on the mesaba and Cuyuna ranges.

Brook Park.—A Great Northern passenger train, St. Paul to Duluth, was derailed here. Only seven persons were hurt, receiving only scratches and bruises. All of the coaches overturned when the accident occurred. The train was not traveling at high rate of speed, approaching this place, preparatory to a stop. In some manner the rear truck of the engine split a switch, tearing up the track at that point. The baggage car stayed on its wheels but the cars behind it rolled over.

St. Paul.—Continued increases in prices of certain kinds of building materials threaten delay to projects for new buildings at state institutions, Charles E. Vasaly, chairman of the state board of control, has recently announced. "While the board of control has awarded contracts for nearly $700,000 of new structures at state institutions since May 20," said Mr. Vasaly, "it also has been forced to reject numerous bids because the totals were in excess of the funds available. Unexpected advances in prices of many kinds of building materials have occurred since estimates were presented to the legislature with requests for appropriations and the continued increases threaten to delay several building projects at least until more funds can be obtained."

Willmar.—J. R. Franks, suspected slayer of Carl Anderson, who was found dead with throat cut, near the Willmar roundhouse in July, was arrested here by order of Detective M F. Hallowell of St. Paul, who has been working on the case for a long time. Hallowell was employed by relatives of the deceased.

Moorhead.—Louis W. Hinger, who says he is 19 years old and that his home is at Pettibone, N. D., was held to the Clay county district court by Judge E. U. Wade, charged with taking an automobile from the garage of the Smith Motor Co.

MANY DEAD FROM SOUTHERN STORM

Known Dead Near 25, According to Early Report---Many More Are Missing.

THOUSANDS HOMELESS

Corpus Christi and Nusons Bay Scene of Tropic Storm of Unwonted Violence—Property Damage Near Four Million, Is Estimate.

San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 16.—From fifteen to twenty-five are dead; four thousand people are homeless, property damage amounting to $4,000,000 has been caused as a result of the tropical storm which struck Corpus Christi Sunday, a long distance message to the Express, from Corpus Christi said. The city is without light and water, and food is running short. An appeal has been issued by the mayor for financial assistance.

General Joseph T. Dickman, commander of the southern department, ordered a relief train sent to Corpus Christi tonight. The train will carry tents, cots, blankets, medical supplies and several thousand cases of foodstuffs.

Death List Said to Be Heavy.

Reports coming from Corpus Christi last night, which are unconfirmed, stated that the bodies of more than 125 persons had been recovered in the city and from Nusons bay. The account is not fully credited.

A message from Austin states that former Mayor Roy Miller of Corpus Christi wired army headquarters at San Antonio that twenty-five or more persons were dead. The finding of numerous additional bodies may be expected.

WILSON CONCURS WITH LODGE

So States President in Portland, Ore., Speech This Week.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 16.—Quoting from an address made in 1915 by Senator Lodge, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, suggesting that nations must unite as men unite to preserve peace, President Wilson said here that the league of nations covenant carried out what Mr. Lodge suggested. This was the first time during his speaking tour that Mr. Wilson had mentioned by name any of the senators opposing the league.

The president's words were greeted with laughter and cheers by an audience which packed the municipal auditorium, said to accommodate more than 7,000.

Concurs With Lodge.

"I entirely concur in Senator Lodge's declaration," said the president, "and I hope I shall have his cooperation in carrying out the desired ends."

Asserting he had found few men opposed to a league of nations, the president said the great objection seeemed to be to this particular league. He recalled his conference with the foreign relations committee on his return from Paris, and said that every suggestion for improvement by the committee members had been written into the covenant.

TOWNLEY "GETS" 90 DAYS

Sentence of Jackson County Court Is Subject to Sixty Days' Stay.

Jackson, Minn., Sept. 16.—Ninety days in the Jackson county jail—the limit under the statute—was the sentence imposed by District Judge E. C. Dean here Monday afternoon on President A. C. Townley of the National Nonpartisan league, and Joseph Gilbert, who were convicted here on July 12 of having "conspired to teach sedition."

Townley and Gilbert were tried on charges of having made speeches and distributed literature in Jackson county and other counties of the state shortly before and after the United States entered the war, for the alleged purpose of discouraging enlistments and co-operation in other war measures.

A stay of 60 days was granted by the court for the perfection of a motion for a new trial upon errors in the record of the court. If a retrial is denied an appeal will be taken to the state supreme court.

Neither of the defendants was heard during the session at which sentence was pronounced.

Rim Flyers Reach North Dakota.

Fargo, N. D., Sept. 16.—Nine aeroplanes and six balloons, attended by a train of motor trucks, will arrive in Fargo at 5 p. m. today from St. Paul, according to a telegram received yesterday. This party comprises the "round the rim" flyers who are making an air tour around the United States.

Senator Johnson Flays Treaty.

Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 16.—Vigorous objection to the approval of the peace treaty and the league of nations covenant by the senate without amendments which protect every interest of the United States were voiced by Senator Hiram W. Johnson of California last night in two addresses delivered before large audiences. Senator William E. Borah was to have spoken also, but he sent a telegram stating that he had been called back to Washington to participate in the senate debate on the treaty.

NOW RAISES 600 CHICKENS

After Being Relieved of Organic Trouble by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oregon, Ill.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for an organic trouble which pulled me down until I could not put my foot to the floor and could scarcely do my work, and as I live on a small farm and raise six hundred chickens every year it made it very hard for me.

"I saw the Compound advertised in our paper, and tried it. It has restored my health so I can do all my work and I am so grateful that I am recommending it to my friends."—Mrs. D. M. ALTERS, R. R. 4, Oregon, Ill.

Only women who have suffered the tortures of such troubles and have dragged along from day to day can realize the relief which this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, brought to Mrs. Alters.

Women everywhere in Mrs. Alters' condition should profit by her recommendation, and if there are any complications write Lydia E. Pinkham's Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice. The result of their 40 years experience is at your service.

BAD BREATH

Often Caused by

Acid-Stomach

How can anyone with a sour, gassy stomach, who is constantly belching, has heartburn and suffers from indigestion have anything but a bad breath? All of these stomach disorders mean just one thing—Acid-Stomach.

EATONIC, the wonderful new stomach remedy in pleasant tasting tablet form that you eat like a bit of candy, brings quick relief from these stomach miseries. EATONIC sweetens the breath because it makes the stomach sweet, cool and comfortable. Try it for that nasty taste, congested throat and "heady feeling" after too much smoking.

If neglected, Acid-Stomach may cause you a lot of serious trouble. It leads to nervousness, headaches, insomnia, melancholia, rheumatism, sciatica, heart trouble, ulcer and cancer of the stomach. It makes its millions of victims weak and miserable, listless, lacking in energy, all tired out. It often brings about chronic invalidism, premature old age, a shortening of one's days.

You need the help that EATONIC can give you if you are not feeling as strong and well as you should. You will be surprised to see how much better you will feel just as soon as you begin taking this wonderful stomach remedy. Get a big 50 cent box from your druggist today. He will return your money if you are not satisfied.

EATONIC

(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

Skin Tortured Babies Sleep After Cuticura

All druggists; Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

Found.

Colonel Breckinridge of the Navy League was talking in New York about a stern father.

"He's stern, entirely too stern," he said. "In fact, the old boy's raving now—raving mad against his son.

"He sent his son off to New York last week, you know, and told him to find an opening. Well—"

Colonel Breckinridge chuckled.

"The boy telephoned yesterday to wire $200, as he was in a hole."

Back Given Out?

Housework is too hard for a woman who is half sick, nervous and always tired. But it keeps piling up, and gives weak kidneys no time to recover. If your back is lame and achy and your kidneys irregular; if you have "blue spells," sick headaches, nervousness, dizziness and rheumatic pains, use *Doan's Kidney Pills*. They have done wonders for thousands of worn out women.

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. Patrick Keating, N. Second St. W., Langdon, N. D., says: "My back was so lame and sore I could hardly get around. A tired, worn-out feeling clung to me and I felt out of sorts. I read about Doan's Kidney Pills and got some and used them. I used two boxes and they relieved me entirely. I haven't needed a kidney remedy for some time. I give Doan's credit for my cure."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

An Irish Opinion.

During March, 1918, we were camped in northern France. It was the rainy season, and our clothes were always damp. One morning a big Irishman, as he thumped the water from his hobnails, said in a husky voice: "If a guy don't get pneumonia here there is something the matter with his lungs!"—Everybody's Magazine.

Always cut the deck after the bird who is always telling the world how honest he is.

MURINE FOR YOUR EYES

Rests, Refreshes, Soothes, Heals—Keep your Eyes Strong and Healthy. If they Tire, Smart, Itch, or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Safe for Infant or Adult. At all Druggists. Write for Free Eye Book. Murine Eye Remedy Company, Chicago, U. S. A.

Eat Less and Take Bitro-Phosphate To Put on Flesh

A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE.

Frederick S. Kolle, M. D., Editor of New York Physicians' "Who's Who," says that weak, nervous people who want increased weight, strength and nerve-force, should take a 5-grain tablet of Bitro-Phosphate just before or during each meal.

This particular phosphate is the discovery of a famous French scientist, and reports of remarkable results from its use have recently appeared in many medical journals.

If you do not feel well; if you tire easily; do not sleep well, or are too thin; go to any good druggist and get enough Bitro-Phosphate for a two weeks' supply—it costs only fifty cents a week.

Eat less; chew your food thoroughly, and if at the end of a few weeks you do not feel stronger and better than you have for months; if your nerves are not steadier; if you do not sleep better and have more vim, endurance and vitality, your money will be returned, and the Bitro-Phosphate will cost you nothing.

Disappearing Service.

"No," said the commuter. "I'm not making any complaints about the road."

"Then you are satisfied?"

"I won't say that. But the last time I complained about my trip they took that train off the next day."

A Souvenir Fiend.

Windsor Magazine—"She held out her hand and the young man took it and departed."—Boston Transcript.

Lift off Corns!

Doesn't hurt a bit and Freezone costs only a few cents.

With your fingers! You can lift off any hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the hard skin calluses from bottom of feet.

A tiny bottle of "Freezone" costs little at any drug store; apply a few drops upon the corn or callus. Instantly it stops hurting, then shortly you lift that bothersome corn or callus right off, root and all, without one bit of pain or soreness. Truly! No humbug!—Adv.

Two-Masters.

"You cannot serve two masters."

"I understand that you cannot serve schooners after now."

OLD AGE STARTS WITH YOUR KIDNEYS

Science says that old age begins with weakened kidneys and digestive organs.

This being true, it is easy to believe that by keeping the kidneys and digestive organs cleansed and in proper working order old age can be deferred and life prolonged far beyond that enjoyed by the average person.

For over 200 years GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has been relieving the weaknesses and disability due to advancing years. It is a standard old-time home remedy and needs no introduction. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil is inclosed in odorless, tasteless capsules containing about 5 drops each. Take them as you would a pill, with a swallow of water. The oil stimulates the kidney action and enables the organs to throw off the poisons which cause premature old age. New life and strength increase as you continue the treatment. When completely restored continue taking a capsule or two each day. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules will keep you in health and vigor and prevent a return of the disease.

Do not wait until old age or disease have settled down for good. At the first sign that your kidneys are not working properly, go to your druggist and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Money refunded if they do not help you. Three sizes. But remember to ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand. In sealed packages.

RECOGNIZED THAT ART WORK

Profiteer Picked Out Wrong Man to Boast About Picture He Had "Picked Up."

A Kansas City profiteer moved into his gaudy new home last week, and last night was piloting a salaried friend around through the new rugs and furniture. As they entered the "library," the profiteer pointed with great pride to a lurid picture 6 by 9, on the wall, and said:

"How d'ye like that for art? I'm ashamed to tell you how cheap I got that down at the art shop the other day. See that torn place in the corner? That was made, the dealer said, by one o' them German looters in the Thirty-Year war."

"The dealer was mistaken," observed the salaried friend. "It was another war. It was made by a beer bottle I threw myself. I never could stand that picture, especially when I was lit up. Grogan's bartender kicked me clear across the sidewalk the night I heaved that bottle. So Grogan's selling off his pictures, is he?"—Kansas City Star.

Father's Little Joke.

I was absent from high school one day. The next day I asked my father, who loves a joke, to write an excuse for me. He did so, and in my hurry I forgot to look at it before handing it to my teacher. She took the note, read it, looked at me, and read it again. I began to feel that something was wrong. Finally she handed me the note. It read: "Please turn Betty over your checkered apron. She needs it."—Exchange.

INSISTED ON QUICK ACTION

This Father About as Sensible as Many Who Expect Wonders From Correspondence School.

Henry P. Davison was talking about the numerous correspondence courses in five lessons—each lesson to be mastered in one evening over the after-dinner cigar—which teach a man how to become a Napoleon of finance.

"You can't learn to be a Napoleon of finance or anything else so easily," he said. "These courses remind me of the man who brought his son to the school of mines and growled:

"'I want you to learn this here boy to be an expert minin' engineer, but look a-here—I don't want him to waste his time over a lot of book nonsense about strata and denudations, and don't bother him with minerology and crystals, neither. What I want him to learn is how to find gold and silver and copper in payin' quantities—payin' quantities, mind you—and I'll call for him and put him in to work Monday a week.'"

An Apology.

Whether the following excerpt from the Williamsville (N. D.) Item is a bona fide apology, or only the work of the office humorist, it has originality:

"We wish to apologize to Mrs. Orville Overholt. In our paper last week we had as a headline 'Mrs. Overholt's Big Feet.' The word we ought to have used is a French word, pronounced the same way, but spelled 'fete.' It means a celebration, and is considered a very tony word."

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There's health and comfort in the truly All-American table beverage—

The Original

POSTUM CEREAL

Bid your coffee troubles good-bye by joining the great army who now drink Postum instead of coffee.

Two sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c.

Everywhere at Grocers.

UNCLE SAM HAS VETO IN LEAGUE

Decisions of Assembly Must Be Unanimous, Says President Wilson.

U. S. VOTE REQUIRED

Will Extend Our Sovereignty to Saying Whether Other Nations Shall Be Permitted to Go to War or Not.

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 12.—Replying here today to objections that Great Britain would have a preponderance of voting power in the league of nations assembly, President Wilson said any possible danger on that score was removed by the fact that decisions must be unanimous.

Largely a "debating body," said the president, the assembly would act on important questions and when it did the United States, with its one vote, would have "an absolute veto" under the rule requiring a unanimous vote.

There was only one case in which the assembly could decide an important question, he said, and that was when such a question was unanimously referred to it by the council. The assembly also must act unanimously, he added, so that in either council or assembly the one vote of the United States would constitute a veto power.

The unanimous rule, added the president, seemed to him the only weakness of the league, but it was a weakness in the direction of throwing a safeguard around national sovereignty.

Mr. Wilson also discussed at length proposed reservations to the treaty and asked for its unqualified acceptance.

He asked for Republicans present "not to think of 1920 when thinking of the redemption of the world," adding that he himself did not for a moment do so.

Not one of the qualifications suggested to the league of nations covenant was warranted, declared the president. Under the withdrawal clause, he asserted, the nation itself would judge whether it had performed its international obligations. That was a matter, he added, which never could or would be left to the judgment of any other nation.

In effect, Mr. Wilson declared, the language of the covenant made the right of withdrawal unconditional.

Taking up the proposed reservations to Article X, the president said the vote of the United States would be required to insure any decision of the league covenant.

"Yet I hear gentlemen say," he said, "that this is a violation of our sovereignty. If anything, it is an exaggeration of our sovereignty. This extends our sovereignty to saying whether other nations shall go to war or not."

PERSHING VISITS CAPITAL

Receives Warm Welcome of Vice President Marshall.

Washington, Sept. 12.—General John J. Pershing arrived in Washington today and received a foretaste of the more formal greeting he will receive next week when he leads the First division up historic Pennsylvania avenue in the nation's victory parade.

As the American commander stepped from his special train at the station, a shrill cry of greeting arose from hundreds of women and girls. As he stood later before Vice President Marshall in the president's waiting room to receive the welcome of the president and of the nation, again it was women and girls, armed with flags and flowers, who surrounded him. There was little of the pomp of war about this conqueror's return.

The reception, with the exception of these lines of school girls and women of the government departments, and the meeting extended in President Wilson's name by Vice President Marshall, was informal. Secretary Baker and General March, chief of staff, greeted General Pershing at the train.

HANKINSON MAN HAS ORDER FOR $35,000

Minneapolis, Sept. 13.—Richard Biggs, wealthy Hankinson, N. D., farmer is in Minneapolis with a telegraphed order from his home bank, drawn on the First and Security National bank for $35,000. Fearing crooks were planning to rob Biggs, officers of the bank persuaded him not to cash the order. Meanwhile the police picked up a Minneapolis man who had been under suspicion in investigations of swindles in the past. This man, they said, had gone to the Minneapolis bank and inquired whether Biggs would have any trouble obtaining money, according to the police.

Says Packers Need Common Sense.

Washington, Sept. 12.—Excoriation of the "Big Five" packers was the burden of a three hour argument before the senate agriculture committee today by Edward L. Burke of Omaha, Neb., vice-president of the American National Live Stock association, who asked the immediate passage of the Kendrick and Kenyon bills. "What the big packers need," Mr. Burke declared, "is common sense enough to accept fair federal regulation. The trouble is that they think themselves bigger than the government."

NEITHER HAD KICK COMING

Mutual Mistake Nothing for Gentlemen to Worry About in These Servantless Days.

The head of one house where war conditions had left the place helpless drove his daughter to a party.

The head of the house where the party was held was perforce acting as his own carriage man and door-opener.

Afterward, when they were formally presented, one said:

"I certainly must beg your pardon for something, sir."

"What is it?"

"You know that night when you drove your daughter to my daughter's party?"

"Yes."

"Well, when I came to open the door I thought you were your chauffeur."

"Cheer up! I thought you were your butler!"—Farm Life, England.

Thrive, Too

Joseph Hergesheimer was talking at the Authors' club in New York about the copyright law, which deprives a writer and his heirs of any remuneration from his work 58 years after its copyright.

"We authors," said Mr. Hergesheimer, "have little to fear from the bolsheviks. Our work has always been treated as under bolshevik regime.

"But, then, literary artists," added the talented writer whimsically, "have the consolation that their work lives after them. Look at Rubens! He painted a thousand pictures, yet there are something like four thousand in existence today!"

The Cuticura Toilet Trio

Having cleared your skin keep it clear by making Cuticura your every-day toilet preparations. The soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal, the Talcum to powder and perfume. No toilet table is complete without them. 25c everywhere.—Adv.

Knew Her Letters.

Aunt Grace came into the room where her three-year-old niece was cutting up her grandmother's new magazine. Grandmother was making feeble remonstrances but the small youngster continued placidly with her cutting. Aunt Grace turned to her mother. "It seems to me," she said, "Ruth Marie is getting to be b-a-d (spelling the word)."

But Ruth Marie had not been playing with the school children in the neighborhood for nothing. She knew the word from the sound of its letters and promptly retorted to Aunt Grace, "Well, you aren't so better yourself."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

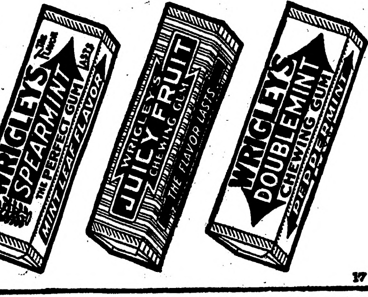
Personal Question.

"Person" in the dictionaries is described as "an individual human being." But it is not so in England from a legal standpoint, as women do not come within the class. This was revealed recently when the Royal Astronomical society of London decided to admit women as fellows of the council. The plan was found to be impossible until the society had its charter altered.

Eligibles for election in the society's by-laws were described as "persons" and when legal opinion was obtained it was decided that a "person" was strictly of the masculine sex. The change was made in the charter and the clever women who had distinguished themselves in star gazing were admitted to the society.

Find Coal in Argentina.

Coal deposits have been discovered in the Andean foothills of Argentina.—Consular Report.



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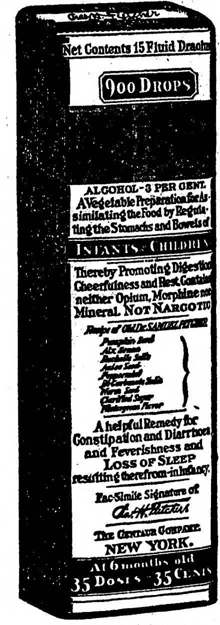
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FORECLOSURE SALE

t having been made in the of Three and 50-100 Dollars, ecame due on the 9th day of 1919, which said sum is now payable upon a certain mort- y executed and delivered by e Olson and Marie Olson, hus- d wife, Mortgagors to Mer- State Bank of Red Lake Falls, esota Corporation, Mortgage, date the 9th day of August nd with a Power of Sale contained, duly recorded in e of the Register of Deeds in the County of Marshall Min- on the 18th day of August 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book ortgages on page 289.

WHEREAS, by reason of the hereinbefore mentioned the ortgage chooses to declare and does declare the whole debt by the aforesaid mortgage payable, making Thirty and Dollars which is claimed to and is due upon the aforesaid ge at the date of this notice.

WHEREAS, said mortgage is oned that if the Mortgagors ail to pay their prior mortgage o Hundred Dollars upon the aud or any installment of in- due thereon, that the Mortga- this mortgage now being fore- may pay the same, and have therefor under this mortgage, efault having been made in ayment of Twelve Dollars, in- due August 9th 1918, and in ayment of Twelve Dollars in- due August 9th 1919, upon rior mortgage, represented by n interest notes bearing six nt interest after maturity, the was paid by the undersigned, Mortgagee, and there is now due laimed to be due at the date of notice upon account of the in- so paid upon said prior mort- Twenty-four and 04-100 Dollars amounting to the sum of Fifty- and 04-100 Dollars, due and ed to be due at the date of this e; and no action or proceeding ng been instituted at law or wise, to recover the debt se- , by said mortgage, or any part of.

W THEREFORE, Notice is here- ven, that by virtue of the Power ale contained in said mortgage, pursuant to the Statutes in such made, and provided, the said gage herein first described, will reclosed by the sale of the prem- described in and conveyed by mortgage, to wit: The Northeast ter (NE¼) of the Northeast ter (NE¼) of Section number ty-one (31), in Township num- One Hundred and Fifty-five) North of Range number Thir- ine (39) West of the Fifth Prin- l Meridian and located in Mar- l County, State of Minnesota, the hereditaments and appur- ances; which said sale will be e by the Sheriff of said Marshall nty, at the front door of the rt House in the City of Warren in County and State, on the 4th of November 1919, at ten o'clock M. of that day, at public vendue, the highest bidder for cash, to pay d debt of Fifty-five and 04-100 llars, and interest, and taxes if , on said premises, and twenty- e Dollars Attorney's fees, as stip- ted in and by said mortgage in e of foreclosure, and the disburse- nts allowed by law, subject to re- mption at any time within one r from the date of sale, as pro- ed by law.

Dated, September 9th 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee

ed L. Farley
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
EPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
S. Land Office at Crookston,
innesota, August 20, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Karo- ne Johnsen, of Holt, Minnesota, ho, on May 2, 1916, made Home- ead entry, Serial No. 13541, for ot 1, Section 23, Township 156 N., ange 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, as filed notice of intention to make hree year proof, to establish claim to he land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for istrict of Minnesota, at Middle River, innesota, on the 29th day of Sep- ember, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Fred Peterson, of Holt, Minnesota.
Carl Surmo, of Holt, Minnesota.
John H. Knutson of Holt, Minnesota
Albert C. Jarr, of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdahl,
Register.

The Holt school district sold $15,- 00 worth of five and a half per cent onds to Kalman, Mattson and Wood of St. Paul, last Friday at par and ccrued interest.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Olga C. Odie (formerly Larson)

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Olga C. Odie (Formerly, Larson) Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Elmer Odie and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Elmer Odie having been filed in this Court, representing that Olga C. Odie (Formerly, Larson), then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 16th day of July 1919, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Elmer Odie and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition:

THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms, in the city of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minn., on the 4th day of October 1919, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 9th day of September, 1919.

PETER H. HOLM
(Court Seal) Probate Judge
Hans O. Chommie
Attorney for Petitioner

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fourteen dollars ($14.00) which became due on the 20th day of May, 1917, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Emil Vroman, a widow, mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of May, 1915, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of June, A. D. 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 73 of Mortgages on page 188 thereof, and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit: Fifty-six dollars ($56.00) became at once due and payable and was so declared by the mortgagee; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice, the sum of Sixty-nine dollars and six cents ($69.06) and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th 1917, and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th 1918, and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th, 1919, the three latter amounts being for interest paid by the mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage, upon a prior mortgage of $700.00 upon said land, default having been made in the payment of same by said mortgagor, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being Two hundred and five dollars and fourteen cents ($205.14), and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of said power of sale, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) in Township One hundred fifty-seven (157) North of Range Forty (40) West, in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said county and state, on the 1st day of November, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $205.14 and interest from date of this notice, and taxes if any, and an attorney's fee of $25.00 as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 12th, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

Your New Barn

Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
C. L. Sandberg, Agent
Holt, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Twenty dollars ($20.00) which became due on the 18th day of December, 1918, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Johanah Sullivan, a widow, mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 18th day of December, 1916, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 179 thereof; and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default the whole principal sum remaining unpaid, to-wit: Eighty dollars ($80.00), became at once due and payable and was so declared by the mortgagee; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Eighty-six dollars ($86.00), and the further sum of $55.00 with interest thereon at 6½% since December 18th, 1918, the latter amount being for interest paid by the mortgagee, under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of $1000.00 upon said land, default having been made in the payment of the same by said mortgagor; the total amount so claimed to be and payable at the date of this notice being One hundred forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents ($143.25); and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of Section twenty-eight (28) in township one hundred, fifty-six (156) North of Range forty (40) West in Marshall County, state of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 1st day of November, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $143.25 and interest from date of this notice and taxes, if any and an attorney's fee of $25.00 as as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 12th 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn, has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property.

STEINER NEWS

William Sorenson of Rosewood was in this neighborhood the latter part of the week.

Edward Schzenke transacted business in Steiner the first of the week.

Miss Grace Russell, who spent the week end at her home returned to Trail Sunday to resume her duties there as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whitman called at the Warring home Sunday.

Henry Rogers, who has been threshing in Petersburg, N. D., returned home Thursday.

Paul Koglin was in Thief River Falls Sunday.

Watson Borden was out in a new Ford runabout Sunday.

PISO'S

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036.00) dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Carl Engebretson and Bertholine Engebretson, his wife Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Holt, a corporation Mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of October 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of April 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 74 of Mortgages, on page 560.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Farmers State Bank of Holt, Mortgagee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, by written assignment dated the 16th day of June 1916, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 15th day of November 1917, at 8.00 o'clock A. M. in Book 90 of Mortgages on page 831 and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036.00) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Southwest quarter (SW¼) and the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty (30) in Township One hundred fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-three (43) West, of the fifth (5) Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing Eighty acres of land more or less according to the U. S. Government Survey thereof in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 1st day of November 1919, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036) Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 12th A. D. 1919

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.
Chas. E. Boughton
Attorney
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

War Saving Stamps sold at Bank and Postoffice

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Holt, Minnesota, September 19, 1919

BIG SPECIAL

Sunday Sept. 21
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Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Nils Engebretson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nils Engebretson:

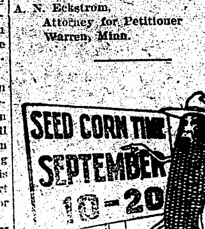
The State of Minnesota to Olaine Engebretson, Olive Engebretson, Agnes Engebretson, Ruth Engebretson and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Olaine Engebretson having been filed in this Court, representing that Nils Engebretson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 8th day of May 1919, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to her and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition.

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of October, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 11th day of September, 1919.

Peter H. Holm
(Court Seal) Probate Judge
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.



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MINNESOTA
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Notice

Several men wanted at once for cutting timber and clearing land in the corporate limits of Holt.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

For Sale

Nearly thoroughbred heifers, also some good milch cows, some fresh, some coming fresh early next spring, for sale at reasonable prices. Enquire at the City Meat Market,

Holt, Minn.

Hay For Sale

Sixty tons of good wild hay. Hay is stacked on the NW. 1-4 Sec. 7, in Mud Lake township. Call on or address

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Holt, Minn.

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For Sale or Trade

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Caspar J. Dale,
Star Route Holt, Minn.

Beginning next week cream will be received on Mondays and Thursdays.

P. L. Anderson,
Buttermaker

Two young spring calves left my [illegible] after the flood: one dark red [illegible] bull. Anyone [illegible]

Caspar J. Dale, Star R. Holt, Minn.

Miss Betty Johnson was a visitor in Thief River Falls Monday.

Read about the Wonders of America on the inside pages of this paper.

Loyd Adams is building a cellar under his house and installing a furnace.

Misses Dorthy and Celia Olson returned home last week Thursday from Fargo.

E. A. Johnson has sold his farm to Gullek Svenson, who takes immediate possession.

We had our first killing frost Wednesday night. Not so bad for northern Minnesota, eh?

Miss Annie Reierson and brother Obert returned home last week Thursday from Northwood, N. D.

B. Docken has sold the Gus Nelson farm to Tom Severson who is fixing it up and will soon move onto it.

Lester Adams came up from Dugdale Wednesday and on Thursday left with his brother, Harald for Baudette.

Mrs. Otto Severson and sons Elof and Willie of Edmonton Alberta, Canada came Sunday to visit relatives and friends.

Rev. Orlahl writes that he can not get home until Oct. 5th and that he will hold English services at 8 oclock Sunday evening Oct 12.

LOST: Sunday Sept. 21, on the road between Holt and Newfolden, a 30x3 1-2 automobile tire. Finder please return to the printing office in Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Huseth accompanied Rev. Bernards here Sunday from Greenbush and spent the day in visiting with relatives and friends.

The report of The Holt State Bank, which we publish this week, shows a good substantial growth, which is largely due to safe and sound banking and conservative business methods.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Knutson went to Thief River Falls Tuesday for a few days visit with relatives.

Iver Engebretsen is having a well drilled on his farm north of town. Charley Mclane is doing the work.

The carpenters have commenced work on Constantine Hoffman's new house, which he hopes to have finished this fall.

Miss Mildred Jahr returned home Saturday from Thief River Falls where she has been attending school for a few weeks.

Hugott Johnson and Herb Severson returned home last week Thursday from Oslo, where they have been working for sometime.

Several of our citizens are improving and adding much to the convenience and comfort of their homes by installing furnaces.

Tonnes Michaelson, of Chicago, came last week Thursday for a few days visit at the homes of his sons, Peter and Gilbert Michaelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennes, Beulah and grandpa Swenson spent a couple of days at Erskine this week visiting relatives and attending the fair.

A public health clinic will be held in Middle River, Oct. 3. The county nurse will have a good physician there, who will make examinations free.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagley of Lisbon, N. Dak. came Saturday to visit at the homes of her father, S. Boersheim, and sister, Mrs. Alfred Anderson and their families.

It looks as tho P. A. Riesberg is the champion pumpkin raiser in [illegible] pumpkin on display at Reierson's store, that weighs fifty one lbs.

A ditch hearing will be held in Thief River Falls Nov. 7th and all interested are urged to attend and take part in the meeting as it may mean much to the future of this part of the county. This matter should be given careful study.

C. H. Gunheim is having a cement floor put in his large new barn and will also have the cement foundation built for a fine new house. Olaus Rodahl is doing the work, which is a guarantee that Mr. Gunheim will have a good job done for him.

Ole Backlund, H. J. Olson and A. Bjerk autoed to Warren Tuesday, the latter going on to his home at Crookston while the formers returned to Holt that same evening accompanied by Geo. Johnson who has been there in the hospital a few days for treatment.

Dr. Haney was called Sunday to treat some cattle for Mrs. August Kuehne, that were suffering from the new disease which is afflicting the stock in the flooded districts.

We understand Mrs. Kuehne lost one of her best cows that died from that dreaded disease.

The brick work on the school house was finished Tuesday and then several feet was added to the brick chimney. The masons left Wednesday for Bemidji where a job has been waiting for them for some time. Several more carpenters are now at work on the school house and workman have started digging for a large septic tank to take care of the sewerage.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Severson pleasantly entertained the following friends and relatives Sunday: Mrs. Otto Severson and sons, Elof and Willie from Edmonton, Alberta Canada, Pete Turnlund, son Carl and hired man from Radium, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Anderson, daughter Eleanor and son Arvid from Kratka, Mrs. E. A. Johnson and son Hugart, and P. A. Riesberg and son Walmer from Holt.

Chris Nash returned home Wednesday from Grand Forks.

F. W. Ramaley of Minneapolis arrived here Wednesday.

Miss Amanda Mickelson visited in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Dehard and Engval Johnson were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

W. A. Siloaugh and daughter Florence, were Thief River Falls visitors Monday.

Mrs. John Melquist went to Erskine S[illegible] to visit relatives a few days.

Ole Ga[illegible] returned home Monday from Devils Lake, N. D. where he had been threshing.

Miss Sorenson of Thief River Falls came Tuesday to visit at the P. N. Peterson home.

Peter Turnlund and son, Carl, of Radium were Sunday guests at the P. A. Riesberg home.

Read the new meat market Ad. Mr. Walker is having a good business and is greatly enjoying living in Holt.

Miss Albertina Nyberg came home Wednesday from Searls, N. D., where she has been employed in a cook car.

The Ladies Aid of the Mission church will serve lunch in the church basement Friday Sept. 26th. Everybody welcome.

A trained nurse came Wednesday to help care for Olaf Johnson, who is very low and there are no hopes of his recovery, we sorry to report.

Mrs. Gust Momberg and sister, Mabel Johnson, of Alvarado, were Sunday visitors at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson.

Mrs. Fred Larson returned home yesterday from Warren, where her daughter, Mabel was operated upon Tuesday for appedicitis. We are glad to report that Miss Mabel is getting along nicely.

A large number of people from Holt and vicinity attended the homecoming celebration at Thief River Falls Saturday, and all were well pleased with the entertainment furnished by that city.

Last week the treasury department paid residents of the Ninth Federal Reserve district, comprising the states of Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Montana, and parts of Michigan and Wisconsin, almost four millian dollars interest on the Third Liberty Loan for six months.

Red Cross Work Explained

The aim of the relief work of the Red Cross during the past six weeks has been two fold. First, to give immediate relief; Second, to make a survey of the flooded territory and to compile records which can be used by the permanent secretary.

We have tried to use business methods in both of these tasks, and to get at the truth in all cases. Our principle is to help according to the needs of the people, and not according to what they may have lost. This is the principle used in all disaster relief. The writer appreciates the attitude and fairness of those who lost their crops by the flood as in nearly every case they were willing to leave their case to the decision reached by the Red Cross knowing that the latter wishes to do the square thing, by everybody.

The Red Cross has been fortunate in securing the services of Miss Pricilla Warner of Rollis to carry on the field work for the next few months, and we ask the hearty cooperation of all the people in helping to make her work as pleasant as possible.

The people are urged to do all that they can to help themselves and to show their appreciation of what the Red Cross has tried to do to help them.

Sincerely your friend.
Oscar J. Johnson
Field Representative, Northern Division, A. R. C.

SOUTHEAST FROM HOLT

A large number of friends and relatives gathered at the Soren Bergland home to surprise him before his moving away. Mr. Bergland has disposed of his farm and purchased property to which place he intends to move with his family in the near future. They were presented with a beautiful clock also a sum of money.

Halvor Moe had the misfortune of breaking his arm while cranking his car last Tuesday. Reports are he is getting along nicely.

Mrs. L. M. Larson of Strathcona has been spending a few days with relatives in this locality.

Miss Mabel Haglund, who teaches school district 159 spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Holt.

Hunters are very numerous around here this fall. There being plenty of ducks around.

Mrs. S. Moe, Mrs. L. M. Larson, Oscar and Mabel Moe spent Sunday at the C. Larson home at Golden Valley.

Knute Ose underwent a successful operation at the hospital in Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

The boys who went out to the harvest fields in Dakota are returning home fast.

STEINER NEWS

Mrs. M. O. Saugen and family were in Thief River Falls Friday.

John Christianson and family did shopping in Thief River Falls the last of the week.

Sargeant Emmons Rogers returned home Tuesday from Texas where he has been stationed for the past two years. He was one of the first of the young men of this community to offer his services for U. S. A.

Louie Meyer returned home after several weeks of threshing in the southern part of the state.

Many of the neighbors of the community attended the homecoming celebration Saturday in Thief River Falls.

Miss Celia Saugen visited her sister, Inga, the latter part of the week.

Lars Berg of Thorhult, who has been threshing near Warren returned home Tuesday via our town, Steiner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Werner and family transacted business in Thief River Falls the latter part of the week.

Good Work of Health Clinic

The public health clinic which was held at Gatzke last Thursday when twenty-two people were examined by Dr. M. G. Milan, a chest and throat specialist, was as well attended proportionately as any of the four previous clinics, and the findings were relatively the same. The people of the eastern part of the county are to be commended for the readiness with which they have responded to this health movement, for it is the first work of its kind to be introduced into this locality.

The next public health clinic will be held in Middle River on October 3. While these are occasional clinics they cannot be repeated except at intervals of considerable length due to the size of the county. People are therefore advised to take advantage of the opportunity when it presents itself.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

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Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office: Citizens State Bank Bldg
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Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

If you are going to have a sale, see Clarence Larson for auctioneer.

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 31
Wheat No. 2	2 26
Wheat No. 3	2 21
Wheat No. 4	2 11
Wheat No. 5	1 97
Flax	4 14
Oats	56
Barley	81 to 1 01
Rye	1 23
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

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Canned Goods
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Leave your work
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Holt Merc. Co.'s store

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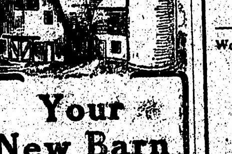

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Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.

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Piso's gives prompt relief, eases hoarseness and throat irritation and soothes throat tickle. At all druggists.

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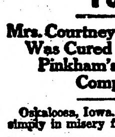

IN MISERY FOR YEARS

Mrs. Courtney Tells How She Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oskaloosa, Iowa.—"For years I was simply in misery from a weakness and awful pains—and nothing seemed to do me any good. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and got relief right away. I can certainly recommend this valuable medicine to other women who suffer, for it has done such good work for me and I know it will help others if they will give it a fair trial."—Mrs. LIZZIE COURTNEY, 108 8th Ave., West, Oskaloosa, Iowa.

Why will women drag along from day to day, year in and year out, suffering such misery as did Mrs. Courtney, when such letters as this are continually being published. Every woman who suffers from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, ulceration, backache, nervousness, or who is passing through the Change of Life should give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

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"You know, don't you, that he was made by corners?"

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

In the good old summer time when fruits of all kinds are getting ripe and tempting, when cucumbers, radishes and vegetables fresh from the garden are too good to resist, when the festive picnic prevails and everybody overeats and your stomach goes back on you, then is the time for "August Flower," the sovereign remedy for tired, overworked and disordered stomachs, a panacea for indigestion, fermentation of food, sour stomach, sick headache and constipation. It gently stimulates the liver, cleanses the intestines and alimentary canal, making life worth living. Sold everywhere. Adv.

At this stage of the game the lightweight championship is conceded to the iceman.

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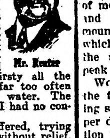
To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura Talcum.—Adv.

Its Right Space.

"How much shall we give this story about erecting a pillar in the public square?"

"That ought to be a good column story."



Mr. Reuter

DISCOURAGED

Mr. Reuter Was Almost Helpless From Kidney Trouble, But Doan's Made Him Well.

"I was in terrible shape from kidney trouble," says D. Reuter, North St., West Chicago, Ill. "I couldn't stoop because of the awful pains in my back and the steady, dull misery almost drove me frantic. I had to be helped out of bed mornings, the pains across my kidneys were so bad and nobody knows the agony I went through. I couldn't do anything and was almost helpless; it seemed I would never get well. At times everything in front of me grew dark and I couldn't see for several minutes. I perspired profusely and I was thirsty all the time. The urine passed far too often and burned like scalding water. The passages were scanty and I had no control over them.

"For two years I suffered, trying medicine after medicine without relief. I was just about discouraged and didn't think I would ever be able to work again. Hearing about *Doan's Kidney Pills* I used them and four boxes cured me. My kidneys became normal, my back got well and strong and all the other troubles disappeared."

Sworn to before me,
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The Wonders of America

By T. T. MAXEY

MAMMOTH CAVE, KENTUCKY.

MAMMOTH CAVE, the largest of a number of caves in Edmondson county, Kentucky, is said to be the largest cave known. It extends for almost a mile below the surface of the earth and contains about 100 miles of passage ways. Here are displayed perhaps the greatest and grandest examples in the world of the wonderful work of water in underground sculpturing.

Its discovery was another case of the hunter and the bear—date about 1800. The bear, wounded, crawled into the cave and escaped. The hunter followed and discovered the cave.

A visit to this cave is certainly a unique and wonderful experience. Nowhere else can it be duplicated. The interior is a maze of domes, pits, halls, chambers, pillars, temples, cascades, caverns, crevasses, stalactites and stalagmites, carved stone and other characteristic and peculiar phenomena and fairylike forms fashionable in cave architecture. There are lakes and rivers in it—one can boatride on the Echo river for half a mile. The lofty limestone roof, 60 feet high in places, and the battlemented shores reflect and magnify every sound.

The Giant's Coffin is the largest rock in the cave. It is 18 feet thick, 43 feet long and weighs 2,000 tons. Mammoth Dome, the largest and most impressive of many, is 280 feet high. Many varieties of animal life are found, including eyeless fish and blind crawfish. The air is good and the temperature even—about 54 degrees. There are several routes through the cave, the longest requiring a full day.

YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK.

YELLOWSTONE, our oldest and largest national park, is considerably larger than the state of Delaware. Its altitude ranges from 6,000 to 11,000 feet above sea level. It contains such a large collection of weird and freak natural phenomena that the visitor gains the impression the Great Creator of all things must have roamed over the world, collecting all the odd things he saw, dumping them here in one great disordered heap.

There are more geysers than in all the rest of the world put together. They range from tiny openings, spouting water but a few feet, at intervals of a few minutes, to the great giant, larger than a well, projecting a column of water 250 to 300 feet high, for a period of several minutes at intervals of several days. There are numerous waterfalls, the great fall of the Yellowstone river in the gorgeously colored, 20-mile-long Grand canyon, being 308 feet high. There are many hot springs and small lakes, also the largest lake—Yellowstone—at its height in North America. There are several paint pots—great cauldrons of blubbering, hissing mud; many steam vents and boiling pools, a natural bridge, a roaring mountain, a mountain of volcanic glass, petrified trees and wedded trees.

At Norris basin is said to be the thinnest known portion of the earth's crust. Standing there, the visitor needs no assurance that his satanic majesty resides near by.

Yellowstone, known far and wide for its wild flowers, is also the largest wild game preserve in the world.

THE CROOKEDEST RAILROAD IN THE WORLD.

THE Mount Tamalpais and Muir Woods railway runs from Mill Valley California, to the top of Mount Tamalpais—the guardian of our famous Golden Gate, the entrance to San Francisco bay. This miniature railway is but 20 miles long. The longest piece of straight track is 413 feet. It contains 281 curves. In one place the track parallels itself five times in a little more than 300 feet—forming an almost perfect double bow-knot. So crooked is this line that if all the curves were continuous, they would make 42 complete circles. It is one of the most wonderful pieces of engineering on the American continent.

The curious looking, oil-burning locomotive squirms its way tail first, pushing the train up the tortuous track, on a grade averaging six feet to the hundred, to the summit, 2,592 feet above the valley below.

The reason for it all is, of course, the view from the top of this peak which stands on the very edge of the U. S. A. Here, the eye, in one far-reaching sweep, commands a panorama of mountains, forest, bay, island, city and sea, lying between the Sierra mountains and the Pacific ocean which, 'tis said, is not surpassed from the summit of any other mountain peak in the world.

Worth mentioning in passing, too, is the fact that the government recording station here, shows more sunshine per day than any other recording station in this country.

The return trip is made by gravity—the train coasting all the way down.

THE HIGHEST HIGHWAY IN THE WORLD.

PIKE'S PEAK is, without question, the most-talked-of, most-written-about and consequently most-famous mountain in America. Fittingly indeed has it fallen heir to the name "Monument of the Continent," for it has played an important part in the history and romance of our fascinating and wonderful West. Now its importance as a landmark, situated on the dividing line between the great plains on the east and the mountain kingdom on the west, has been further increased, because of the ability of the public to ascend it comfortably and quickly and enjoy the panoramic view of five or six states which is visible from its snow-clad summit, 14,109 feet high.

The most marvelous highway building achievement of the age is the construction of an automobile highway from Colorado Springs and Manitou to the summit of this peak. The fearless thought that conceived and the daring which executed the work of building this, the highest highway in the world, absolutely stun the average individual. It is about 16 miles long, from 20 to 50 feet wide, smooth as a boulevard, and has a maximum grade of 10½ per cent.

While this serpentine road turns and twists and winds and zigzags up, to an elevation seldom reached in this world under any circumstances, the visitor is treated to indescribable views of illimitable space and into immeasurable depths and receives a series of new thrills and sensations. Looking up, one may see cars moving in opposite directions on different levels of this road, yet both are going the same way—up.

THE GALVESTON SEA WALL.

GALVESTON has the finest harbor on the gulf coast and ranks high as a city of delightful homes. Although not a resort, the semitropical climate attracts thousands of tourists annually to her long, gradually sloping beach.

To prevent a recurrence of the terrible flood of 1900, the sea wall—one of the sights of the country—was constructed along the gulf side of the city. This great wall is 22,403 feet long, 17 feet high, 16 feet wide at the bottom and five feet wide on top. It is built of concrete and granite and rests on a foundation of piling. These piles are 40 feet long, not less than 12 inches in diameter at the small end, four rows wide, set four feet apart. The top of the wall is used for a walk.

To prevent water from the gulf flowing behind the wall and flooding the city during severe storms, the grade of a large portion of the city was raised from 2 to 17 feet. This necessitated the raising of about 2,500 buildings and the readjustment of streets, sidewalks, street car tracks, electric lights, water and gas pipes to the new level.

The filling-in material was taken from the bay. The dredges, after pumping their holds full, steamed up a canal behind the wall and discharged their load through pipe lines leading down the various streets. When the work was completed the canal was filled. The magnitude of this undertaking is unparalleled in America.

ESTES-ROCKY MOUNTAIN NATIONAL PARK.

MANY years ago three Englishmen hunted big game in the Rocky mountains. They had hunted in Asia, Africa and South America, but as they stood on the continental divide in north-central Colorado and looked down into Estes park it seemed to them a very paradise on earth. One of Colorado's most satisfying outing places ever since that time Uncle Sam, in 1915, proclaimed part of Estes and the territory immediately to the west a national park.

Only 70 miles from Denver, it is the most accessible to the largest number of people of any of our great national playspots. Here, at an average elevation of 7,500 feet above sea level, is a pine-scented, snow-capped pleasureland—a perfectly delightful refuge of peaceful grandeur, where one may be out every day from May to October in clear, bracing air, beneath a bright but scorchless sun and enjoy every night the cool, refreshing sleep that only the mountains can induce.

Long's Peak stands sentinel over the park, in which are lakes on which float ice cakes in August; masses of snow (glaciers) a mile long and hundreds of feet thick, supposed to be older than the pyramids of Egypt, always exposed to the sun, far away from their starting point, yet slower than a snail; moraines—great ridges formed by glaciers which moved through the park centuries ago; rock-walled canyons; magnificent forests of pine and aspen; numerous mountain-trout streams; broad valleys, carpeted with luxuriant wild flowers of many varieties, including the delicate columbine—the state flower of Colorado.

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Japanese Gala Day.

Of all floral festivities, Japan's Feast of the Cherry Blossom is the most generally observed. Practically every town and village throughout the land has its own particular cherry tree for honoring at this great occasion, but the most famous of them all is that at Kioto. Here early in April is to be seen such a sight as can be witnessed nowhere else in all the world There are seldom fewer than 1,000,000 persons present, who gather from all parts of the empire. Everywhere is feasting, dancing and merrymaking.—"Flaneur," in Indianapolis Star.

Best Fruits of Romance.

A speaker was taken aback during a Sunday school session. He had been commenting on the blessings of matrimony, and just to see whether or not the class was really paying attention, asked one girl what she considered to be the best fruits of romance. The girl pondered a moment and then answered: "I should say the wedding date and the bridal pair."

SPECIAL SESSION BROUGHT TO END

Equal Suffrage, Soldiers' Bonus and Ore Tonnage Tax Are Approved by Solons.

OTHER MEASURES FAIL

Proposed Changes in Primary Election Law Fall by Wayside—Forest Fire Bill Passed—Senator Senator Johnson Speaks.

Governor J. A. A. Burnquist vetoed the Bendixen tonnage tax bill. His veto message, read to the Minnesota legislature shortly before adournment, precipitated an exciting scene as tonnage tax advocates in the house made a last ditch fight to hold the legislature in session until an attempt could be made to pass the bill over the veto. The house voted to extend the session but the senate by one vote refused to concur.

St. Paul.—Soldiers' bonus and ratification of the woman suffrage amendment, both urged in the Governor's call, and tonnage tax, not mentioned in the call, are the outstanding measures passed during the special session of the Minnesota legislature, which adjourned sine die last Friday, after listening to an address on the peace treaty by U. S. Senator Hiram Johnson of California. The actual business of the session was wound up the night before.

Minnesota's war veterans will receive the state bonus of $15 for every month in the service in the war with Germany.

Final approval of the bill came when the senate surrendered to the demands of the lower house and repassed the measure unanimously without the amendments to which the representatives objected.

Payments expected Jan. 1.

The bill went to Governor J. A. A. Burnquist for signature, which was immediately forthcoming. Legislators predicted that payments of the bonus would begin by Jan. 1, 1920.

Tonnage Tax Passes.

State senators listened to four hours of debate on the tonnage tax bill, and then passed the bill by a vote of 38 to 28. It carried two amendments to the house measure, placed in the bill by its friends. One struck out the provision for sending one-third of the tax to the permanent school fund, on the ground that this might invalidate the bill. The other related to computation of the tax.

By a vote of 86 to 15 the house repassed the bill with the senate amendments attached. The bill was sent to the governor as soon as it was enrolled.

The tonnage measure passed by both houses was originally introduced by Representative C. M. Bendixen of Morgan. It levies a tax of five per cent of the value of ore at the mouth of the mine after the cost of mining has been deducted. In others words, it is a tax upon the profits of mining. It is a super-tax in that it is in addition to the regular ad valorem tax now paid.

Cold Storage Control.

The senate passed the bill for the regulation of cold storge plants agreed upon by the marketing committee of the senate and house. The bill had previously passed the house and went to the governor for his signature.

No Election Law Changes.

The legislature failed to produce any changes in the primary election laws. The house killed, overwhelmingly, a bill for a dual-primary, said to have been favored by Governor Burnquist. The senate did not even take a vote on a measure affecting the primary election laws. The senate elections committee made no report on the one bill along that line introduced.

Forest Fire Bill Passed.

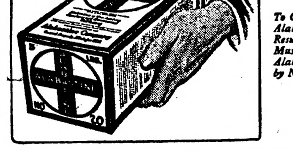
Power to issue certificates of indebtedness up to $1,000,000 to prevent forest fires and give relief to disasters is conferred on a state relief board, under the provisions of a bill passed by both houses. The measure, introduced by George Wicker of Kasson, would change the so-called state calamity board into a relief board to take steps both to avert calamities and to give aid.

Authorizes Price Study.

The bill empowers the commissioner of agriculture to investigate prices and costs of necessities of life, all the way from the raw material to the consumer, and to give the prices and profits found in such commodities all possible publicity through newspapers. The commissioner is given power to subpoena witnesses and records, take testimony under oath, and in general to do anything needed to get at the facts.

Closer Relations With Chile.

Santiago, Chile, Sept. 19.—Relations between the United States and Chile are certain to become closer in the future, said Joseph H. Shea, American Ambassador. Mr. Shea, who recently returned from a trip to the United States, expressed himself with enthusiasm in discussing the possibilities of trade between the two countries. "All the intellectual, commercial, industrial and financial efforts of the United States are bing co-ordinated in the development of export trade," he said



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"I'm chairman of the house committee of our club."

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JUST WHAT DID SHE MEAN?

Young Teacher's Reply Might Have Been Merely a Statement of Plain Fact, or—

The young primary teacher had been continually annoyed by Bobby's mother ever since he had entered school. Nothing suited her. At first it was the hours, then the arrangement of Bobby's seat, and finally, after a score of complaints about everything imaginable, she began to come to school to criticize the teacher's methods and books used. "Now, these readers are not nearly so interesting as the ones we used to use," she said. "Couldn't you get some of those old books and use them to supplement these?" she asked.

"I don't know whether I could find any," hesitated the little teacher.

"But you will find the stories so much more interesting that you will be paid for your effort in hunting them," insisted the woman. "How I did love those stories! There was one about a little red hen. It—"

"I don't believe that would interest my children now," interrupted the young teacher. "You see, the hen grew up."—Indianapolis News.

A Man Now.

"Does that husky sailor object to being called a 'gob?'"

"I should say not! Before he enlisted the people in his home town called him 'Gussie.'"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

If you want to find out what a woman's age is just add ten years to the way she acts.

MERELY RED CLOTH TO HIM

Fact That It Was Cut From Country's Flag Meant Nothing to German Merchant.

It is a known fact that the average German will forget religion, civil laws, and even his patriotism, if they interfere with his chances to drive home a good bargain. The latest display of this tendency came during the preparations for the victory ball, which was given the Fourth of July in the Enlisted Men's club at Andernach. As no Fourth of July ball would be complete without "Uncle Sam," several "Y" girls set out to prepare a costume for the revered character. When it came to purchasing the red cloth for the stripes in the trousers, however, it seemed that their plans had gone amiss. Nowhere in Andernach could a sufficient quantity of the right colored material be purchased. Finally one German merchant announced that he had just what they wanted. Out of a closet at the rear of his shop he dug a large German flag. Quickly he cut all the red cloth from it, and sold the material to the girls with the air of one who had just accomplished a noble deed.—From the Watch on the Rhine.

Jasper's Clay Man.

Little Jasper Senter learned from the minister's sermon one Sunday that man was made of clay; so, after returning from church, he resolved to make him a man after his own fashion. The work proceeded in the clay bank back of the garden until his mother called Jasper to luncheon. He had completed all of the man save one leg.

That afternoon Jasper and his mother, while walking along the street, met a man with one leg, walking with crutches. Jasper accosted him and grabbed his coat.

"See here!" he said. "I thought I told you to stay there in the yard till I put that other leg on you."—Judge.

Fortunate is the girl who loses her temper and never finds it again.

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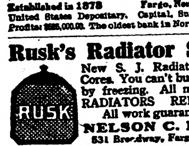

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STATE BREVITIES

Anoka.—The Minnesota Dry Milk Factory here, was destroyed by fire. The building and machinery is a total loss, amounting to several thousand dollars.

East Grand Forks. — Eighty-seven sheep belonging to Rand Smith were killed on his farm three miles east of East Grand Forks, by the incoming Northern Pacific passenger train.

St. Paul.—F. Solminen, a substitute letter carrier at Virginia, was arrested and charged with intercepting mail, according to information received by R. D. Simmons, postoffice inspector.

St. Paul.—Governor Burnquist has appointed J. W. Pike, a retired Lyon county farmer and former justice of the peace, to preside over the newly created municipal courts at Marshall, Minn.

St. Paul.—Merchants of Virginia, Minn., have been complaining against the high switch rates on railroads, and have been asked to send their complaints to the Railroad and Warehouse commission here.

Moorhead.—An $80,000 contract for building and equipping a starch factory in Moodhead has been awarded to the National Potato Machinery company, Chicago, by the Red River Valley Starch & Potato company.

Minneapolis.—Armed bandits, prowling before sunrise, interrupted morning prayers at Mikrow Kodesh synagogue, twisted the flowing beard of one aged worshipper, and escaped with $41 in cash and a check for $24.

Winnebago.—The Mankato Presbyters, in session here, adopted an overture to the Minnesota Synod, asking that body to appoint a committee to present a protest against Sunday opening of the State Fair henceforth.

Sauk Center.—While judging at the fair here, Joseph Schoenoff of this city was bitten by a boar and the wound is considered serious. The boar snapped at the man, biting a large piece out of the calf of his leg.

Fergus Falls.—John Larson, employed by the Fergus Falls Fuel Company here, was caught in the belt of a sawing machine and carried onto the saw, his body being cut in two. Larson's home was blown away and his wife crippled in the cyclone here in June.

Stillwater.—As W. J. Reynolds was leaving the penitentiary after serving three years for forgery he was arrested by a deputy sheriff from Ramsey county on the charge of passing an alleged forged check on the American National bank of St. Paul for $600, and was taken to St. Paul to be given a trial in the district court.

St. Paul.—The big movement in which approximately 150,000 sheep and 60,000 cattle from the drouth-stricken sections of Western states were placed in green pastures in Northern Minnesota is virtually ended for the season, J. H. Hay, assistant commissioner in the state agricultural department, announced; and future shipments will be only the normal traffic to the South St. Paul stockyards.

Hastings.—Bud Rodgers, Ernest Hallowell and James Neely, the three bandits who held up the Mendota State bank, were brought here and lodged in the Dakota county jail. Sheriff H. A. Dunn of Dakota county and Officer John Day of South St. Paul went to St. Paul upon receipt of news of the men's capture and with Detectives E. J. Murnane, B. A. Carr, T. A. Brown and W. R. Oliver of St. Paul, brought the robbers here.

St. Paul.—Only six out of more than 700 inmates of the Stillwater state prison were disciplined during the last month, Warden C. S. Reed states, in a monthly report to the state board of control. "The remarkable showing is a strong argument for the present policy of prison management," said Ralph W. Wheelock, of the board of control. "I do not believe another prison in the entire country can make a showing like that."

Minneapolis. — Prosperity of the Northwest is reflected in a statement of conditions issued by Theodore Wold, governor of the Ninth District Federal Reserve bank, in which a decrease of more than $64,000,000 in loans by the parent bank to its members is shown, as compared with a year ago. In addition to paying off individual debts, the people of the Ninth district have purchased more than $176,000,000 worth of Liberty bonds and the banks of the region have absorbed increasingly large amounts of government securities.

Red Wing.—Minnesota is the banner state as regards child labor laws, and restriction was the message brought to the state conference of charities and corrections by Josephine E. Eschenbrenner, New York, representing the National Child Labor committee. There are still improvements to be made in laws and their enforcement the speaker said, citing the fact of restrictions on newsboys of tender age, the employment of only one truant officer in St. Paul and the 14-year-old minimum employent age in Minnesota mines, as compared to the federal standard of 16 and the recommendation of the children's welfare congress of 18.

Brainerd.—Charged with keeping an insanitary barn and premises, John Dieken, a farmer near Brainerd city limits, was in court on complaint of Inspector Peter Schletty of the state dairy and food commission. He pleaded guilty before Judge W. F. Wieland and was fined $15, which he paid.

St. Paul.—The 1920 convention of the Burlington Way Good Roads association will be held in St. Paul, according to a telegram received from E. L. DeLestry, attending the annual meeting in Jackson, Tenn. The convention is to be held the last week in

Red Lake Falls.—The first annual show of the Red Lake County Poultry association is to be held at Plummer this week.

St. Cloud.—An assembly of the fourth degree of the Knights of Columbus will take place in St. Cloud on Oct. 12, Landing Day.

St. Paul.—The annual convention of the Minnesota Creamery Operators' and Managers' association will be held here Oct. 28, 29 and 30.

Moorhead. — Lieut. Alex Nemzek, former football star of the North Dakota Aggies, has taken charge of the Moorhead normal squad and practice has started.

St. Cloud.—The Stearns county board of commissioners has appropriated funds for the continuance of the county farm bureau work during the following two years.

Windom.—The farmers in the vicinity of Lamberton, both in Cottonwood and Redwood counties, have organized to fight the hog cholera cases that have appeared in the community.

International Falls.—The Commercial club decided to lease the dining room, private dining rooms and kitchen of the Rex hotel as club headquarters, the lease to run for a year at a monthly rental of $100.

St. Cloud.—A new edifice for St. Augustine's Catholic church in East St. Cloud will be erected soon. The contract for the new building was let to Edward M. Wahl for $15,439. Five other contractors submitted bids.

Crrokston.—The Crookston Cordage company is planning to start operations at its factory on the outskirts of the city about Oct. 1, with T. A. Hanson again superintendent. The company is now buying all the flax straw it can get and is paying the highest market price.

Menahga.—Numerous fields of clover are being threshed in this locality, yielding from three and one-half to eight and one-half bushels per acre. Some report a yield of ten bushels per acre, which would be equal to $242 per acre, but the average amount received is from $80 to $200 per acre.

Ellsworth.—It is believed that the victims in the automobile accident across the line in Iowa, in which Mrs. H. B. Protexter of George was killed, will recover, though some of the party are yet in a serious condition. There were nine people riding in the large car owned by F. W. Cobble when it collided with a small car on a country road.

St. Cloud.—Uncle Sam "wasted" a lot of beer at Cold Spring, near here, when his agents poured 435 bottels of the brew that made that place famous into the sewer. The Cold spring company had paid $1 per case tax upon it before July 1. The company got a refund, then the government ordered the liquid destroyed, the pouring out following.

International Falls.—The Minnesota & Ontario Paper company had about seventy-five of the leading newspaper publishers of the United States as its guests in the Rainy River section. They were entertained up the lake, in the Seine river country, where they enjoyed a genuine outing in one of the beauty spots of the country, where the fishing is fine and big game abounds.

Eveleth.—When a swing in which he was playing with companions at the Lincoln school playgrounds broke, an iron bar fell and struck Joseph Zimidarisch, 9, a school boy, on the head crushing his skull, death resulting in a short time. Six other boys in the swing were not hurt. Because of the fatality the school board ordered all overhead apparatus at playgrounds removed, meaning the children will be without large swings or tumbling bars.

St. Paul.—Relief in the car shortage situation in Minnesota and adjoining states is expected this week, the state railroad and warehouse commission is advised by C. E. Elmquist, a former member, now general solicitor for the National Association of State Commissions, with headquarters in Washington. The telegram stated, however, that no early improvement in the refrigerator car situation is expected, although the railroad administration is endeavoring to improve the car situation in the Northwest.

Mankato.—Twenty returned soldiers who have seen overseas service left here, driving to Decoria, to the home of Robert Haedt, to demand an apology from Haedt for his alleged statements that "the first men who entered the war were bums, good for nothing, out of work." Finding Haedt at the Decoria church, the men interrupted the services and demanded that Haedt apologize publicly. He denied having made such remarks. Haedt is a prominent farmer in Decoria township. All the men are said to have been volunteer soldiers.

Albert Lea.—City officials are investigating the responsibility of the collapse of the walls of the Ramsey schoolhouse here, when fifty children narrowly escaped death. The building is having an addition of four rooms built upon it, and the heavy rains are said to have softened the subsoil about the foundation where the new basement had been excavated adjoining the old. School sessions were continued when teachers were told that the building was safe. The collapse of the wall occurred at 3:30 p. m. shortly before dismissal of the classes.

Moorhead.—Ten acres of sweet clover on Mr. Sand's farm, northeast of Moorhead, yielded eighty-one bushels. At present market prices the seed is worth $12 a bushel, or $972. The seed will be worth $16 to $18 a bushel later on.

St. Cloud.—A corporation to build homes to solve the serious housing problems of the city of St. Cloud was launched at a meeting here of about 300 business men of the city. The corporation is to be capitalized at $100,000 and more than one-quarter of the capital stock was subscribed at the initial meeting.

SEVEN ARE SHOT IN STRIKE RIOT

Outbreaks at Steel Mills Result in a Number of Deaths on Opening Day.

LONG FIGHT STARTED

Mill Guards About the Pennsylvania Works Open Fire When Crowd Assaults Men Preparing to Take Places of Strikers.

New Castle, Pa., Sept. 23.—Seven persons were shot, one probably fatally, in rioting which broke out at the Carnegie Steel company's plant late Monday afternoon.

The trouble started when a crowd of about 400 persons attempted to prevent mill workers from entering the plant. About 20 workmen were being assaulted when the mill guards came to their rescue.

Crowd Refuses to Disperse.

The mill guards were met with a volley of bricks, stones and clubs. They drew their revolvers and attempted to hold the mob at bay, but the shower of missiles continued and the crowd refused to disperse.

When the situation appeared to be getting beyond control the guards are alleged to have opened fire on the crowd. Two women were shot. A man shot through the stomach is reported to be in a critical condition. A boy also was wounded. Three other persons were struck by bullets, but not seriously hurt.

Following the shooting, the mill guards had little difficulty in clearing the streets.

Another outbreak occurred at the plant of the Shenango Tin Plate company, in which two local policemen weer slightly wounded while attempting to protect mill workers. One officer was stabbed and another was shot.

Outbreak at Farrell.

A Pittsburgh dispatch says one man was killed, two state troopers were shot and many other persons less seriously injured last night in a second outbreak at Farrell.

The fight occurred near the American Steel and Wire plant when, it is said, members of a crowd threw bricks and other missiles at the state police and local officers.

At the end of the opening day both sides express themselves as satisfied with preparations made, and it is considered evident that a long fight has been started.

SENATE WARNS THE GALLERY

Noisy Demonstration Marks Reed's Attack on Treaty Provisions.

Washington, Sept. 23.—At the end of a four-four attack on the league of nations by Senator Reed of Missouri, a Democrat, the senate galleries yesterday started a demonstration that had to wear itself out and then followed with hisses of violent disapproval when the cheering was condemned from the floor.

There has been no outburst like it since the treaty fight was put before the senate. But there were indications soon after Senator Reed began his speech that the crowds, swarming for admittance at all doors, were in sympathy with his argument. Mindful of the evidences of feeling in the galleries, Senator Cummins, president pro tem., gave warning that while applause might be tolerated at the end of the addresses, it would not be permitted at other times

Pershing and Staff Aid R. C.

Washington, Sept. 23.—General Pershing's last days in France contained an incident which is disclosed in a report just reaching national headquarters of the American Red Cross from Paris. It was a gift of 94,262.40 francs, more than $10,000, from General Pershing and the officers of his staff to the Red Cross to be devoted to some deserving work among mothers and children of France who suffered in the war.

New Counterfeit Bill Out

Washington, Sept. 23.—Notice of a new counterfeit $20 note on the Federal Reserve bank of New York was given today by the treasury. The border of the note and the background of Cleveland's portrait are solid black, instead of having fine cross lines, and the treasury numbers are black instead of blue.

Extradition Is Granted

Bismarck, N. D., Sept. 23.—Extradition papers were granted by Gov. Lynn J. Frazier for the arrest of Herbert Buis, of Minot, by William T. Judkins, state game warden of Wyoming, on a charge of having shot elk in the Big Stone game reserve contrary to law

President Speaks at Reno

Reno, Nev., Sept. 23.—Contrasting the peace conference at Versailles with the congress of Vienna, President Wilson declared in an address here tonight that the Vienna peace effort had failed because all the governments represented there were in the hands of a small coterie of autocrats. At Versailles, said the president, the league of nations covenant was drawn up by great democracies so that autocracies never again could enslave the peoples of the world.

BACK LIKE A BOARD? IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

There's no use suffering from the awful agony of lame back. Don't wait till it "passes off." It only comes back. Find the cause and stop it. Diseased conditions of kidneys are usually indicated by stiff lame backs and other wrenching pains, which are nature's signals for help!

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A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE.

Frederick S. Kolle, M. D., Editor of New York Physicians' "Who's Who," says that weak, nervous people who want increased weight, strength and nerve-force, should take a 5-grain tablet of Bitro-Phosphate just before or during each meal.

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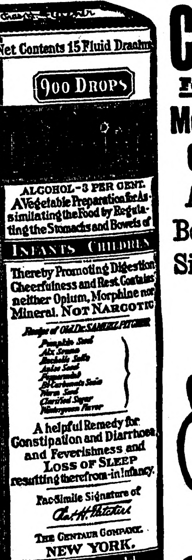

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We all wondered why it happened, and the driver could not account for it himself.

When we got to town in about fifteen minutes we learned there had been an earthquake. People were thrown off their chairs, windows broken, and other damage done. Then we knew what hit us.—Chicago Tribune.

Grandpa's Status.

James and his mother went to the show one night and James' mother read the print in the picture aloud. In one place the writing was about a bum. James asked his mother what a bum was. "A bum is a man that just lays around and doesn't do any work."

"Oh," said James, "den drampa is a bum, huh!"

Good Models.

"You paint sheep a good deal."

"Yes, they're not very active. Will hold a pose for hours."

His Experience.

"Goodness gracious, Ysobelle! What sort of a butler is this new one you have? He admitted me with the most condescending unction, strutted half-way across the reception room with all the dignified pomposity of a strolling behemoth, and then suddenly sogged down in a chair, produced and lighted his pipe, flung his feet up on another chair and began scratching himself."

"Oh, you'll have to bear with Biggins. All the experience he has had as a butler was in the movies, where he buttled for the width of the scene, and then was at ease until he got his cue again. But doesn't he do it beautifully while he lasts?"—Kansas City Star.

No Brains.

A huge steam shovel operating on the channel improvement work was raising ton after ton of dirt the other day near the State street bridge. An old Irishman who sauntered along the bank looked intently at the big machine and finally remarked:

"Well, you can bate me shovelin' but ye can't vote."—Columbus Dispatch.

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Three and 50-100 Dollars, which became due on the 9th day of August 1918, which said sum is now due and payable upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by R. Leroy Olson and Marie Olson, husband and wife, Mortgagors to Merchants State Band of Red Lake Falls, a Minnesota Corporation, Mortgage, bearing date the 9th day of August 1917, and with a Power of Sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall Minnesota, on the 13th day of August 1917, at 8:30 o'clock, A. M., in Book 82 of Mortages on page 289.

AND WHEREAS, by reason of the default hereinbefore mentioned the said Mortgagee chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable, making Thirty and 20-100 Dollars which is claimed to be due and is due upon the aforesaid mortgage at the date of this notice.

AND WHEREAS, said mortgage is conditioned that if the Mortgagors shall fail to pay their prior mortgage of Two Hundred Dollars upon the same land or any installment of interest due thereon, that the Mortgagee in this mortgage now being foreclosed, may pay the same, and have a lien therefor under this mortgage, and default having been made in the payment of Twelve Dollars, interest due August 9th 1918, and in the payment of Twelve Dollars interest due August 9th 1919, upon said prior mortgage, represented by coupon interest notes bearing six per cent interest after maturity, the same was paid by the undersigned, said Mortgagee, and there is now due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon account of the interest so paid upon said prior mortgage Twenty-four and 84-100 Dollars, in all amounting to the sum of Fifty-five and 04-100 Dollars, due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice; and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage herein first described, will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit: The Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section number Thirty-one (31), in Township number One Hundred and Fifty-five (155) North, of Range number Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and located in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 4th day of November 1919, at ten o'clock, A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fifty-five and 04-100 Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, September 9th 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee

Fred L. Farley
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, August 20, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Karoline Johansen, of Holt, Minnesota, who, on May 2, 1916, made Homestead entry, Serial No. -13611, for Lot 5, Section 23, Township 156 N., Range 42 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Knute Nelson, U. S. Commissioner for district of Minnesota, at Middle River, Minnesota, on the 29th day of September, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Fred Peterson, of Holt, Minnesota.
Carl Surmo, of Holt, Minnesota.
John H. Knutson of Holt, Minnesota
Albert C. Jarr, of Holt, Minnesota.

Peter M. Ringdahl,
Register.

For rent—50-50 proposition. 120 acres in Section 11, township 156 Marshall county, known as the old Ready farm. Address G. A. Grow, Care of The Tribune, Thief River Falls Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fourteen dollars ($14.00) which became due on the 20th day of May, 1917, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Gunil Vroman, a widow, mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of May, 1915, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of June, A. D. 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 73 of Mortgages on page 138 thereof; and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit: Fifty-six dollars ($56.00) became at once due and payable and was so declared by the mortgagee; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice, the sum of Sixty-nine dollars and six cents ($69.06) and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th 1917, and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th, 1918, and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th, 1919, the three latter amounts being for interest paid by the mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage, upon a prior mortgage of $700.00 upon said land, default having been made in the payment of same by said mortgagor; the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being Two hundred and five dollars and fourteen cents ($205.14), and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of said power of sale, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) in Township One hundred fifty-seven (157) North of Range Forty (40) West, in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said county and state, on the 1st day of November, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $205.14 and interest from date of this notice, and taxes if any, and an attorney's fee of $25.00 as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 12th, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee

Chas E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John H. Smith and Mable Smith, his wife, Mortgagors to W. S. Ericson Mortgagee, bearing date the 24th day of November 1913, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of November 1913, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages, on Page 413. Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said W. S. Ericson, mortgagee, to John G. Jaenike, by written assignment dated the 23rd day of June, 1914, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 24th day of June, 1914, at 8.30 A. M. in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 25 thereof;

And which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly further assigned by said John G. Jaenike, assignee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, by written assignment dated the 2d day of June, 1919, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 21st day of August, 1919, at 8:00 A. M., in Book 86 of Mortgages on page 282 thereof. Which default has continued to the date of this notice, by the failure and neglect of said Mortgagor to make payment of the principal and interest by said mortgage secured, which by its terms became due and payable on the 1st day of December 1918.

AND WHEREAS, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 48-100 ($997.48) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, towit: The Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Eleven (11) in Township One hundred fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth principal meridian in Minnesota, containing one hundred sixty acres of land more or less according to the Government Survey thereof in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of November, 1919, at 10.00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 48-100 Dollars, and interset and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 15th A. D. 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee

Chas. E. Boughton
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Twenty dollars ($20.00) which became due on the 18th day of December, 1918, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Johannah Sullivan, a widow, mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 18th day of December, 1916, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 179 thereof; and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default the whole principal sum remaining unpaid, to-wit: Eighty dollars ($80.00), became at once due and payable and was so declared by the mortgagee; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Eighty-six dollars ($86.00), and the further sum of $55.00 with interest thereon at 5½% since December 18th, 1918, the latter amount being for interest paid by the mortgagee, under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of $1000.00 upon said land, default having been made in the payment of the same by said mortgagor; the total amount so claimed to be and payable at the date of this notice being One hundred forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents ($143.25); and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of Section twenty-eight (28) in township one hundred fifty-six (156) North of Range forty (40) West, in Marshall County, state of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 1st day of November, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $143.25 and interest from date of this notice and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of $25.00 as as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 12th 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Auto For Sale!

Pullman 5 passenger auto, Overland 5 passenger Model 83, overhauled looks like new; 7 passenger 1917 Model Studebecker. All these cars have electric lights and starter.

Phone or address
B. J. Bakke,
Thief River Falls or Holt.

Bank Statement.

Bank No. 899.

Statement of the condition of Holt State Bank, at Holt, Minn., at close of business on Sept 12, 1919.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts		$194,122 47
Overdrafts		527 60
U. S. Bonds and Other obligations		2250 00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		10 000 00
Other Real Estate		3 124 75
Checks and Drafts in Transit		
Due from Banks	27 001 23	
Cash on Hand	2 811 99	
Cur. 2 428 00		
Gold. 5 00		
Silver. 346 20		
Other. 37 79		
Total Cash Assets		29 813 22
Checks and Cash Items		3026 83
Paid out for Expenses, etc. in Excess of Earnings		
Total		$241,834 89

LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$15,000 00
Surplus Fund		$5,000 00
Undivided Profits		49 17
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable. (including certificates for money borrowed)		18,000 00
Deposits Subject to Check	$112,797.42	
Cashier,s Checks	5,731.35	
Due to Banks		
Total Immediate Liabilities	119,533.77	
Savings Deposits		
Time Certificates	87,281.95	
Total Deposits		203,815.72
Total		$241,834 89
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$31,840 07
Amt of Reserve Requried by Law		$18,706 15

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

We, D. B. Bakke, President and B Docken, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. B. BAKKE, President.
B. DOCKEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: C. H. GUNHEIM.
[Two] Directors. R. REIERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Sept. 1919.

[SEAL] —H. B. Young, Village Clerk
Holt, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036.00) dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Carl Engebretson and Bertha Oline Engebretson, his wife Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Holt, a corporation Mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of October 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of April 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 74 of Mortgages, on page 560.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Farmers State Bank of Holt, Mortagee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls by written assignment dated the 16th day of June 1916, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 15th day of November 1917, at 8.00 o'clock A. M., in Book 90 of Mortgages on page 331 and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036.00) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute, in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Southwest quarter (SW¼) and the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty (30), in Township One hundred fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-three (43) West, of the fifth (5) Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing Eighty acres of land more or less according to the U. S. Government Survey thereof in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 1st day of November 1919, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036) Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 16th A. D. 1919

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton
Attorney
Red Lake Falls, Minn

Special Sunday Sept. 28th

New Princess Theatre
Thief River Falls
Next door to the Brummund Hotel

Harold Lockwood
in
"Shadows of Suspicion"
Showing the Mysterious working of The Secret Service
Also a special two reel Keystone Comedy
Matinee 2:30 Evening 7:30 and 9:00

Notice To Land Seekers!

Dr. R. L. Olson is dealing in Real Estate
The best country for mixed farming in the Red River Valley
1000 acres of Wild and Improved Lands
For Sale at Reasonable Prices Terms Easy
I am absolutely responsible
All business done fair and square
Write to me for any further information

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Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
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Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
We have moved into our New Elevator
Come and see how nicely we have it arranged
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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Nils Engebretson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nils Engebretson;

The State of Minnesota to Olaine Engebretson, Olive Engebretson, Agnes Engebretson, Ruth Engebretson and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Olaine Engebretson having been filed in this Court, representing that Nils Engebretson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 8th day of May 1919, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to her and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition.

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of October, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 11th day of September, 1919.

Peter H. Holm
(Court Seal) Probate Judge

A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Olga C. Odle (formerly Larson)

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Olga C. Odle (Formerly, Larson) Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Elmer Odle and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Elmer Odle having been filed in this Court, representing that Olga C. Odle (Formerly, Larson), then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 16th day of July 1919, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Elmer Odle and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition:

THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms, in the city of Warren in the County of Marshall State of Minn., on the 4th day of October 1919, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 9th day of September, 1919.

PETER H. HOLM
(Court Seal) Probate Judge

Hans O. Chommie
Attorney for Petitioner

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

VOL. IX. HOLT, MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FRIDAY OCTOBER 3, 1919 NO. 21

Geese For Sale

At $1.75 each. Leave orders at the printing office or with the Golden Valley mail carrier.

Notice

Several men wanted at once for cutting timber and clearing land in the corporate limits of Holt.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

For Sale

Nearly thoroughbred heifers, also some good milch cows, some fresh, some coming fresh early next spring, for sale at reasonable prices. Enquire at the City Meat Market,
Holt, Minn.

Hay For Sale

Sixty tons of good wild hay. Hay is stacked on the NW 1-4 Sec. 7, in Mud Lake township. Call on or address Grant Flakne,
Holt, Minn.

For Sale Cheap.

A good 12x22 Hart-Parr kerosene tractor completely rebuilt. Only run 80 miles since leaving the shop. Will sell on easy terms.

Willie Rux.

LOST: Sunday Sept. 21, on the road between Holt and Newfolden, a 30x3 1-2 automobile tire. Finder please return to the printing office in Holt.

A stray pig came to our place some time ago. Owner please prove property, pay expenses of keeping and for this notice.

Dahl Bros,
Golden Valley

L. Flak will commence digging potatoes Saturday and county agent Jno. Husby will buy them for the people of the flooded districts. These potatoes will be given out in small quantities to supply the people temporarily.

J. P. Lein was a Crookston visitor Monday.

Good sise shipping tags for sale at this office.

Andrew Sorum went to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

J. M. Swan shipped cattle to the markets again Tuesday.

Mrs. Gullek Svenson was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bjerk visited Thursday and Friday at the Sam Mickelson home.

Ruben Smith of St. Paul came Wednesday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Smith.

Miss Julia Sorum returned home Wednesday from a couple of weeks visit with her sister at Silverton.

Tony and Arvid Carlson and their families, Mrs. Sollom, Evelena, Myrtle, Johnny, and Ruben Carlson of Minneapolis autoed to Thompson, N. D. Sunday for a short visit at the Ole Sollom home.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will have an auction sale in the church at 7:30 Saturday evening Oct. 11th Ladies please bring in their articles for sale before that time. Lunch will be served in the basement.

While working on the new elevator at Strathcona a week ago Satutday, Arthur Sorum was knocked down by a falling timber and then another heavy timber fell on his leg breaking it below the knee. A doctor was called to set the broken limb and afterwards he was taken to his home where he is resting as well as could be expected. All hope to see Arthur out again soon and trust he will suffer no permanent inconvenience from the broken limb.

Death of Olaf Johnson

Olaf Johnson died at his home 3 miles north of town Wednesday at mid-night. His death had been expected for sometime, but never the less it comes as a great shock to his family and friends.

The funeral will probably be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the late home of the deceased.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the grief stricken family in their hour of sorrow.

Mrs. Carl Engebretsen has moved into the Reierson building on Main street.

P. A. Riesberg and family autoed to Thief River Falls Friday to visit relatives.

Loyd Adams commenced work Oct. 1st as janitor for the Holt school district.

Grant Flakne left the forepart of the week for Pipestone, Minn. for a visit with relatives.

Gullek Svenson is moving onto his farm which he recently purchased of E. A. Johnson.

Mrs. Frank Carlson will entertain the Nazaeth Ladies Aid Wednesday afternoon Oct. 8th. Everyone invited.

Enoch Erickson is working for C. H. Gunheim in place of Willie Werner who is going to Thief River Falls to work.

Fred Holst of Goodhue county moved here Wednesday onto the Constantine Hoffman farm which he recently purchased.

Misses Olava and Evelena Sollom left Tuesday for Minneapolis where they will attend the Bible Institute and Academy for several months.

Sam Mickelson and Charls Beckstrom of Warren visited over Saturday night at the home of the former, returning to Warren Sunday afternoon.

Misses Gyda and Alma Udstrand and their cousin, all from Argyle, came Monday for a short visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Udstrand.

Ragnar Anderson and Art Sorenson returned Monday from Strathcona where they have been working on the new elevator which is now finished.

Racine Olson and Dick Mathison have rented the repair rooms of Ole Hamernes' garage and are ceiling it and getting ready for winter. We wish the boys success in their venture.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Knutson returned Saturday from a few days visit at the home of their daughter in Thief River Falls. They have purchased a home in that city and expect to move there next spring.

Chas. McLane finished Iver Engebretsen's well Saturday, having found a good vein of water at a dept of 80 feet.

Mr. McLane will move his machine to C. Hoffman's new place and drill a well there soon.

Miss Hilma Nyberg has resigned as postmistress and Miss Hazel Barnes took her place Oct. 1st. Miss Nyberg will help Miss Barnes in the postoffice a few days until she gets used to the work.

Miss Nyberg has proven herself proficient as postmistress and has made many friends by her obliging and courteous ways, who wish her success in whatever work she may take up in the future.

We welcome Miss Barnes to our little village and hope she will find the work both pleasant and profitable.

The only thing that it doesn't pay to advertise, is for people to pay their bills.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Ladies Aid auction sale Saturday evening Oct. 11th. All invited.

The Salvation Army will hold services here at 8 o'clock Friday evening Oct. 10th. Everyone invited to attend.

For Sale or Trade

One 8-16 Avery tractor in good shape, A team of good driving horses. Two well bred Poll bulls, 1 and 2 years old. 1 Buick car.

Caspar J. Dale,
Star Route Holt, Minn.

Mrs. Halfdan Hanson is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Riesberg were guests at the Jno. A. Sorum home Sunday.

A branch station of the weather bureau is to be established in Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Dahl were Thief River Falls visitors Saturday.

P. A. Riesberg bought a Pullman car of J. B. Bakke one day last week.

Elmer Sollom returned to Gatske Tuesday after enjoying a few weeks visit with home folks.

Thomas Anderson came from St. Hilaire Saturday to visit his uncle Ole B. Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mathison and son Myron returned to their home at McIntosh, Saturday.

Miss Amanda Mickelson went to Crookston Friday to visit relatives and to take medical treatment.

Miss Effie Christianson of Fertile came Friday to visit at the home of her sister Mrs. H. J. Oien and family.

October 9th. is Fire Prevention Day and the people are urged to clean up everything that would cause any danger of fire.

B. Docken and Herb Sevenson went to Eldred Saturday after a 30-60 tractor for which the former made a deal sometime ago.

P. B. Larson of Kensington came Tuesday with a carpenter to put up a barn on the Ole Iverson farm which he recently purchased.

Miss Warner who went as a delegate from Marshall Co. to Minneapolis to attend the Red Cross Conference, returned home Friday.

The carpenters are putting the roof on the school house and the plumbers and the men working on the septic tank are all busy, when the weather permits.

Hardy Bjerk, Clare and Gerald O'Hara, Walter and Marvin Sandberg returned home Saturday from Donaldson, where they had been working for some time.

Mrs. F. J. McKinley and children left Saturday for her home in Devils Lake N. Dak. after a pleasant visit at her parental home. Miss Rosie Heinse accompanied her sister home.

Leo Horien and Ragnar Anderson have taken the job of brushing all the land on the south side of town for D. B. Bakke and B. Docken, that they recently purchased of the Townsite company.

Julius and Otto Olson and R. Reierson autoed to Strathcona Saturday for a short visit with relatives. Mr. Reierson returned home Monday with Ole Quale who remained here for a short visit.

John and Ole Nybo from Montana arrived Monday with their goods and will live on the farm occupied by F. A. Tobiason, which they recently purchased. Mr. Tobiason has moved onto the O. H. Nohre farm, where they will live for a short time, later they will move onto the Ole B. Hanson farm which he has rented for next year.

STEINER NEWS

Miss Ruth Koepp of Middle River was in this burg Friday.

A pound social was given Friday evening in the Excel school house. The proceeds were given to Mr. LaRoe, the Sunday School Union Missionary. A large crowd was present.

Miss Agnes Warring who has been working at the J. A. Russell home for the past few weeks, returned to her home the first of the week.

Messrs. Louie Meyer and Hobson Rogers have been threshing on the A. Bartleson rig, the past week.

W. Swanson purchased a new Sampson tractor one day of the past week.

A. Simmonson did business Thief River Falls one day of the past week.

August Riedl attended the social held in Excel school house Friday.

Misses Anna Kilen, Anna Johnson, Mildred Jahr and Mable Rogers Normal students, did observation work in Excel school Friday.

Misses Olga and Linda Koglin, who are attending high school in Thief River Falls, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Koglin.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

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Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls
Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 297 Call 1. Residence 297 Call 2

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota.
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 27, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 26th, 1919, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the state by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

Shipping tags for sale at this office

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 36
Wheat No. 2	2 31
Wheat No. 3	2 26
Wheat No. 4	2 16
Wheat No. 5	2 07
Flax	3 71
Oats	57
Barley	92 to 1 02
Rye	1 23
Flour, Best Patent	6 85

City Meat Market
All kinds of
Fresh & Cured Meats
Cold Meats, Poultry
Canned Goods
Vegetables, Etc.
Herb Walker, Prop.

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Neatly done
Leave your work at
Holt Merc. Co.'s store

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Ice Cream Parlor
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Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables for the serving of Ice Cream
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Your New Barn

Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

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Holt, Minn.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,
Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S [illegible]
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.
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Doesn't hurt a bit and Freezone costs only a few cents.

With your fingers! You can lift off any hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the hard skin calluses from bottom of feet.

A tiny bottle of "Freezone" costs little at any drug store; apply a few drops upon the corn or callus. Instantly it stops hurting, then shortly you lift that bothersome corn or callus right off, root and all, without one bit of pain or soreness. Truly! No humbug!

"Highgate."

The word "Highgate" is derived from a gate erected over 400 years ago to receive tolls for the bishop of London. At one time all travelers who tarried at Highgate taverns were required to take an oath never to eat brown bread while they could get white.

Lost Opportunity.

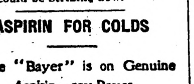
"It is a pity those people who used to fast for weeks couldn't get the public interested in their theory."

"Why so?"

"Because if the idea had been taken up and practiced, the ultimate consumer could be striking now."

ASPIRIN FOR COLDS

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer



Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Colds, Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

Miserable Anyway.

"I am telling you the truth when I say that I was much happier when I was poor than I am now."

"Then why don't you let your millions go and be poor again?"

"Why, because I should be miserable thinking of the people who got the money."

"CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP" IS CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from stomach, liver and bowels.

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear.

Mother! You must say "California."—Adv.

She Needn't Wait.

Mother was putting Max to bed.

"Now Max," said mother, "come let me hear your prayers, or you won't get to Heaven with mother."

Max, rolling over, answered sleepily:

"Well mother, you go ahead. I come with pop."

When a fool offers to back up his argument with a bet a wise man shuts up.

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Keep Your Eyes
Clean - Clear and Healthy
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The Wonders of America

By T. T. MAXEY

THE MISSOURI BOTANICAL GARDEN.

IN 184[illegible] Henry Shaw, a citizen of St. Louis, a lover of nature and of flowers in particular, built a large country residence near the city limits. He surrounded it with flowers and plants of every known variety. When he died in 1899, his will provided for a board of trustees to manage the garden and left sufficient funds to support it. This wonderful floral park, said to be the largest in the world, was thus preserved for the education, admiration and enjoyment of all.

It contains a collection embracing 150 species of palms; a varied collection of tropical and sub-tropical plants; a collection of the 35 known species of cycads; a wonderful assortment of plants which grow best under desert conditions; numerous species of ferns and allied plants; a great array of plants of great economic value and displays of plants that feed on insects; species of the pineapple and its relatives; numerous showy, flowering plants, while in the private orchid house a representative of each of the 800 species of this beautiful flower is to be found.

The out-door collection includes a water garden, several hundred varieties of roses, numerous species of herblike plants, a rare pansy display, a variety of economic plants and trees and shrubs, native to North America and grouped in families. All told, about eleven thousand species of plants are growing in this garden. The body of Mr. Shaw reposes in a handsome mausoleum within the grounds.

THE MOST POWERFUL LOCOMOTIVES.

AT the time of their completion, the locomotives used for hauling the long, heavy coal and other trains over the steep railroad grades in the mountains of Virginia were the most powerful in the world.

The enormous size, weight and power of these leviathans of the rail are positively astounding. Each engine (and tender) weighs almost 900,000 pounds, is considerably more than 100 feet in length, has 20 driving wheels, is fired by machinery, exerts a straightaway pull of 176,000 pounds and, 'tis said, will haul any load that the coupling pin will hold.

The boilers of these giants on wheels are about 9½ feet in diameter. Each boiler contains 381 two and a quarter-inch tubes, which, placed end to end, would reach almost two miles; also seventy 5½-inch flues, having a total length of more than a quarter of a mile. The fire boxes are 15 feet long and 9 feet wide.

The shipment of these large locomotives from the point of construction to the point of service presented an unusually peculiar and difficult problem requiring great care and attention, for the reason that the tracks and bridges of the various railroads over which they had to move were not, in all cases, built to withstand such tremendous weights. They were shipped in a partially knocked-down condition and approximately two weeks were required to move them from Schenectady, N. Y., to Princeton, W. Va. Three cars were necessary to carry the loose and detached parts belonging to each locomotive.

NIAGARA FALLS.

IF you can imagine a river three-fourths of a mile wide, 20 feet deep in the middle, and containing thousands and thousands of tons of water, suddenly tumbling over a cliff 160 feet high and dashing on the rocks below with a deafening roar and throwing up huge clouds of mist and spray, you have some impression of what Niagara Falls, the world's best-known and most popular waterfall, is like.

This majestic cataract is situated in the Niagara river, between Lake Erie and Lake Ontario and near the city of Buffalo, N. Y. Ny-ah-ga-rah is an Indian word, meaning Thundering Waters. Members of the Seneca tribe, 'tis said, considered the roar of the falls as the voice of the Great Spirit. Thinking he inhabited the spray, they made many and various offerings to this deity.

The waterfall divides itself into two parts, American Falls and the Horseshoe or Canadian Falls. Nine-tenths of the flow, which is estimated to be 500,000 tons per minute, passes over the Horseshoe Falls, which is by far the more impressive of the two.

Below the falls the river is considerably narrower than it is above the falls, and the water rushes, at a frightful speed, through a seven-mile-long gorge, in which is located the famous Whirlpool Rapids.

The edge of the cliff over which the water plunges into the canyon below, wears away at the rate of about five feet a year. Geologists declare that this mighty fall has been in operation for about 20,000 years.

HELL GATE BRIDGE.

THE completion of the New York Connecting railroad gave us our first all-rail through route from New England, via New York, to the rest of America and a continuous rail line up and down the Atlantic coast from Key West to Halifax. It also calls to mind the fact that the insurmountable obstacle which had heretofore blocked the way had been overcome and the supposedly impossible accomplished.

Before this route could be opened, it was necessary to get trains across that terror to navigators, the rocky-bottomed tidal channel, known as "Hell Gate," between Long Island shore and Ward's Island in the East river, opposite Manhattan Island on which New York city proper stands.

It was not possible to sink piers into the channel, and the stretch was considered too great to be covered by one arched span. An engineer with vision came to the rescue and trains now cross on a wonderful four-tracked steel bridge. A peerless, steel arch, 1,017 feet long, said to be the longest as well as the heaviest ever flung across any waterway of equal width, now bridges the gap. The entire weight is carried by gigantic 250-foot high towers on either shore. The bridge is 93 feet wide, designed to carry 76,000 pounds per linear foot. The extreme height of the arch is more than 300 feet above the water.

About 19,000 tons of steel were used. The towers are bedded in solid rock, and it is estimated that they contain 3,000,000 cubic feet of masonry. The bridge cost $12,000,000.

THE CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN, THE DIVINE.

THE corner stone of this great Episcopal house of worship, which crowns Morningside Heights in New York city, was laid on December 27, 1892. This church was designed to be the largest and most costly church edifice in America and the fourth largest in the world, St. Peters at Rome and the cathedrals at Seville, Spain and Milan, Italy, only being larger. It will be over 600 feet long and its greatest width 300 feet. The total cost will exceed $10,000,000, and although it has been under construction for more than twenty-six years, no one can now say when it will be completed.

The architecture is of the French gothic style. The plans for the great organ call for 7,000 pipes and a chime. The crypt will seat 500 and the altar is to contain 150,000 pieces of mosaic glass. It will contain seven chapels of tongues: St. Martin of Tours or Huguenot chapel, representing the French rite; St. James or Spanish chapel, representing the Mozarabic rite; St. Ambroze, representing the Italian rite; St. Saviour, representing the Oriental rite; St. Columba or Scots chapel, representing the British rite; St. Boniface or Holland chapel, representing the German rite, and St. Ausgarius or Swedish chapel, representing the Scandinavian rite. There is to be also an open-air pulpit with a 40-foot-high spire and ornamentations in gothic structures.

Donations, large and small, have come from every conceivable source and direction, to assist in the erection of that which is to be America's greatest cathedral—a cathedral for the people in America's greatest city.

THE OLDEST SCHOOL.

THE Boston Latin school is the oldest educational institution in the United States, having enjoyed a continuous existence since April, 1635. From the start, it was a school for higher education, especially Latin and Greek. It appears to have been the determination of the founders "To beat Satan in each and all of his lairs;" therefore, "For the common defense and for the general welfare should the classical languages be taught at the common charge."

One day during the early days of the revolution, the master (as the teachers were called in those days), a loyalist, announced, as he dismissed school, "War's begun and school's done; deponite libros," but the school was soon re-opened, and when the British evacuated Boston in March, 1776, the master went with them as a prisoner. 'Tis said that in his day, all that was required for admission was to read a few verses in the Bible. School began at seven o'clock in the morning in summer (eight o'clock in winter) and ended at five in the afternoon, with a recess from eleven to one.

The present building, completed in 1880, was, at that time, "the largest structure in America devoted to educational purposes, and the largest in the world used as a free public school." It contains 56 school rooms, each accommodating 85 students.

It is doubtful, indeed, if any other school boasts of a more honorable career, can show as long a list of prominent men as graduates or more persistently conformed to the aspirations of its originators.

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Where He Got the Name.

The first bulldog appears to have been bred from the English mastiff, and by process of systematic selection in breeding a smaller and more active dog than the mastiff was evolved. The smaller dog was found to be better suited for sport than the heavier and slower mastiff. The bull-baiting dog, without a doubt, required an inordinate amount of gameness.

Lisbon's Gambling Clubs.

The Portuguese are born gamblers and the most brilliant side of their night life is found in the exclusive clubs of the city of Lisbon. Wonderfully appointed, with added attractions of excellent dining rooms, music, dancing, reading rooms and libraries, they are kept alive by one thing—the Portuguese love of play.

OMAHA SUFFERS COSTLY RIOTING

Negro Lynched, Court House Destroyed and Lynching of Mayor Is Attempted.

TROOPS NOW ON GUARD

Over Forty People Believed to Have Been Injured in Most Remarkable Demonstration of Mob Madness City Has Ever Known.

Omaha, Sept. 30.—After a night of mob rule during which a negro was lynched, an attempt was made to hang the mayor of Omaha, Edward P. Smith, the county court house burned, one man, said to be an ex-soldier, shot and killed, and perhaps 40 others injured, the city was quiet yesterday under the control of federal troops ordered from Fort Omaha and Fort Crook.

With returning dawn Omaha's downtown section looked well nigh a wreck as the result of the night's rioting, which resulted in more than 40 casualties. Practically all the casualties that were not fatal resulted from shooting. Thousands of shots were fired from various kinds of weapons, all discharged in the open with thousands of people on the streets.

Courthouse Burned.

The fire that was started in the courthouse left that magnificent structure a mass of ruins. The property was valued at a million and a half dollars. The damage to the records could not be estimated.

The mob assaulted the jail and sheriff's office in search of a negro, said to have assaulted a white woman. Hundreds of people gathered and when the mob gained entrance to the jail and a fire in the building became menacing to 100 prisoners in the jail on the top floor, Sheriff Clark sent all the prisoners, including the negro Brown, to the roof. He was there in the custody of the other prisoners. The sheriff and his deputies were guarding the entrance to the jail and were able to keep back the mob for several hours. However, as the heat became intense, the prisoners themselves took action and delivered the negro to the mob.

Attempt to Lynch Mayor Smith.

Mayor Smith was seized by the mob on Seventeenth street, near the courthouse, at 10 o'clock and was hustled to Harney street and stopped at the foot of a trolley pole. A rope was then placed around his neck and lynching was attempted. Appalled at the possibility of murdering the city's chief executive, the crowd protested. Two officers cut the rope, carried the mayor to an automobile and rushed him to a hospital.

Eleven officers and 250 men from Camp Funston, Kan., and 20 officers and 550 troops from Camp Grant, Ill., are now in the city helping to preserve quiet. In addition to these, many men of the American Legion are acting as special officers.

Mayor Smith, who was severely injured and who remained unconscious for some time after the attempt had been made on his life, is now in a hospital and is said to be improving.

PRINCTON GREETS MERCIER

Belgian Cardinal Given Ovation by Enthusiastic Students.

Princeton, N. J., Sept. 30.—A mightier yell than ever greeted any victorious hero of the gridiron echoed over Princeton when Cardinal Mercier of Belgium was welcomed with the famous "Biss Boom 'Ah Tiger, Tiger, Tiger'" from hundreds of student throats as he arose in Alexander hall to receive the degree of doctor.

The special train which brought the cardinal and his suite from Philadelphia was met at the station by President Hibben and members of the faculty. At Alexander hall President Hibben delivered an address of welcome, in which he compared the distinguished visitor to Saint Augustie "pleading not for mercy, but for justice."

N. Y. Drink Dispensers Hear Rumor.

New York, Sept. 30.—Acting, it is said, on one of Broadway's famous "rumors" that within a week President Wilson would cast wartime prohibition into the discard by proclaiming demobilization completed, New York liquor men began stocking up today for a brief period of trade.

Saloons began enrolling bartenders and waiters previously laid off.

Pershing Is Honored.

New York, Sept. 29.—General John Pershing was elected commander-in-chief of veterans of the foreign wars. This is the first time in the history of the organization that such an honor has been conferred.

London Watches Strike Situation.

London, Sept. 30.—Great Britain, a nation without transportation, expected last night that the next 48 hours would prove the most critical period of the railway strike. Today, it was believed, would show whether the walkout would be broken soon or whether the nation would have to face a long siege. While all the strikers readily accepted a week end holiday, it was believed that many of them were becoming disheartened over the public's hostility and were likely to resume work.

At the Right Time.

The other night at a local picture show an egotistical young man was giving a very shy, diffident person some advice, which interested the people around them. He told elaborately of his own success and then ended: "What you have to do now is to talk a little bit more about yourself and the things you do. If a fellow doesn't advertise himself who will, I want to know?"

Just then a subtitle was flashed on the screen and every one around the two young men laughed heartily. It read: "A whale never gets into trouble till he begins to blow."

Suspicious Circumstance.

"Did you find your house in great disorder when you returned from the seashore?" asked Mrs. Gripping.

"Why, no," replied Mrs. Whymple. "There was a great deal of dust, to be sure, but everything was just as I left it and I congratulated Mr. Whymple on being so orderly."

"Umph! You should have put a detective on that man's trail. He evidently didn't stay at home while you were away."

If people were given all they pray for the world would have to be enlarged.

The Effects of Opiates.

THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotic, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous dyspepsia and lack of staying powers are a result of dosing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable.

The administration of Anodynes, Drops, Cordials, Soothing Syrups and other narcotics to children by any but a physician cannot be too strongly decried, and the druggist should not be a party to it. Children who are ill need the attention of a physician, and it is nothing less than a crime to dose them willfully with narcotics.

Castoria contains no narcotics if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

The Naughty He-He.

Mrs. Benham—Where have you been?

Benham—I have been to one of those afternoon tee-hees.—Cartoons Magazine.

Any girl can paint her own portrait several years in advance by getting her mother to pose as the model.

And the green grocer is in a position to acquire a lot of ripe experience.

THE MOST DANGEROUS OF ALL DISEASES

No organs of the human body are so important to health and long life as the kidneys. When they slow up and commence to lag in their duties, look out! Danger is in sight.

Find out what the trouble is—without delay. Whenever you feel nervous, weak, dizzy, suffer from sleeplessness, or have pains in the back, wake up at once. Your kidneys need help. These are signs to warn you that your kidneys are not performing their functions properly. They are only half doing their work and are allowing impurities to accumulate and be converted into uric acid and other poisons, which are causing you distress and will destroy you unless they are driven from your system.

Get some GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules at once. They are an old, tried preparation used all over the world for centuries. They contain only old-fashioned, soothing oils combined with strength-giving and system-cleansing herbs, well known and used by physicians in their daily practice. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported direct from the laboratories in Holland. They are convenient to take, and will either give prompt relief or your money will be refunded. Ask for them at any drug store, but be sure to get the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand. Accept no substitutes. In sealed packages. Three sizes.

OLD SAYING SLIGHTLY MIXED

Familiar "Before You Could Say Jack Robinson" Does Not Convey the Right Idea.

Opinion differs as to the proper duration of a social call. "Anywhere from ten minutes to a half hour," says the woman who has a social secretary and whose daily job is "calling," to the tune of tea and wafers. "All afternoon," says the bourgeoise, who takes along her knitting and sits down to coffee and cake. "And then," say some, "it depends upon the call. On some occasions and with different people we stay longer than others."

But Jack Robinson's calls never varied. He never stayed long enough to wear out his welcome. In fact hardly had he been announced, hardly had the servant who admitted him spoken aloud his name than he was gone.

So, as you see, "before you can say Jack Robinson" has no reference to the time it takes to say it. "As long as you can see Jack Robinson" would be more in order with its origin and significance.

Mahogany Trees.

Mahogany trees do not grow in clusters, but are found scattered throughout forests and hidden in dense undergrowths.

A man may be poor and proud, but who ever heard of a man's being rich and humble?

OH, YES, THEY LOVED MOTHER

But One Can't Help Feeling the Jones Family Might Have Shown It in a Different Way.

Mr. Smith hearing music and singing at his neighbor's house, decided he would drop in and see how they were.

Mr. Jones welcomed him and ushered him into the parlor where his daughter was playing the piano and his son singing. Mr. Smith begged them to continue. They consented.

The first song they selected was "Mother" They sang this very feelingly and then father joined in on "Mother Machree" and others of like sentiment or songs about mother—how true they were, how dear and how they loved to sing them.

Then, as Mrs. Jones hadn't appeared yet, Mr. Smith inquired about her state of health.

"Oh," said Jones, "she's well enough. She's in the kitchen doing the dishes, but after she has finished and has taken in the wood she'll join us."—Judge.

Oh! Yes, Indeedy.

June—Did he marry for money?

Belle—Well, he married just one day before his income tax was declarable.

Proof.

"That baby of ours is some class, I can tell you." "I know it is. I've heard its class yell."

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is a delicious drink, of coffee-like flavor, made instantly in the cup.

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FEEL OLD?

Don't let that bad back make you old! Get back your health and keep it. You can detect kidney weakness in its early stages, from the morning lameness, dull backache, dizzy spells, nervousness and kidney irregularities. Taken early, a short treatment with *Doan's Kidney Pills* will usually correct it. Neglect may lead to more serious trouble, gravel, dropsy or Bright's disease. *Doan's* have helped thousands.

A North Dakota Case

Ole Kittleson, retired farmer, Thompson St., Bottineau, N. D., says: "About two years ago I had an attack of kidney trouble which began with a dull ache through the small of my back. My back was finally so lame I could hardly be around. The kidney secretions were scanty in passage. Hearing a great deal about Doan's Kidney Pills, I used some and they quickly cured the attack."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

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Acid-Stomach

Makes 9 Out of 10

People Suffer

Doctors declare that more than 70 non-organic diseases can be traced to Acid-Stomach. Starting with indigestion, heartburn, belching, food-repeating, bloat, sour, gassy stomach, the entire system eventually becomes affected, every vital organ suffering in some degree or other. You see these victims of Acid-Stomach everywhere—people who are subject to nervousness, headache, insomnia, biliousness—people who suffer from rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica and aches and pains all over the body. It is safe to say that about 9 people out of 10 suffer to some extent from Acid-Stomach.

If you suffer from stomach trouble or, even if you do not feel any stomach distress, yet are weak and ailing, feel tired and dragged out, lack "pep" and enthusiasm and know that something is wrong although you cannot locate the exact cause of your trouble—you naturally want to get back your grip on health as quickly as possible. Then take EATONIC, the wonderful modern remedy that brings quick relief from pains of indigestion, belching, gassy bloat, etc. Keep your stomach strong, clean and sweet. See how your general health improves—how quickly the old-time vim, vigor and vitality comes back!

Get a big 50c box of EATONIC from your druggist today. It is guaranteed to please you. If you are not satisfied your druggist will refund your money.

EATONIC
(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

Thought She Was Serving.

We took our 3-year-old son to a cafeteria for supper the other evening and when he saw me going around with the tray he said out loud: "Mamma, are you working here now?"—Exchange.

Bashfulness and awkwardness are faults.

Even the unmusical fish dealer knows the scales.

BITRO-PHOSPHATE IS GOOD FOR THIN NERVOUS PEOPLE

A French scientist has discovered an organic phosphate which should be a very effective remedy for weak nerves, sleeplessness, thinness and lack of strength, energy and vigor.

Its substance is described by specialists as identical in composition with certain vital elements naturally found in brain and nerve cells and one which when taken into the human system is quickly converted into healthy living tissue.

This phosphate is already widely known among druggists in this country as Bitro-Phosphate and some physicians claim that through its use strength, energy, vigor and nerve force are frequently increased in two weeks' time.

Dr. Frederick Kolle, Editor of New York Physicians' "Who's Who," says it should be prescribed by every doctor and used in every hospital in the United States. As there are a great variety of so-called phosphates, those who wish to test this substance should be sure to get the genuine Bitro-Phosphate.

WHEN NEURALGIA ATTACKS NERVES

Sloan's Liniment scatters the congestion and relieves pain

A little, applied *without rubbing,* will *penetrate* immediately and rest and soothe the nerves.

Sloan's Liniment is very effective in allaying external pains, strains, bruises, aches, stiff joints, sore muscles, lumbago, neuritis, sciatica, rheumatic twinges.

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All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 & 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

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Michigan Fruit

Stock and Farm Lands cheap and on easy terms. Map and book of views free. S. S. THORPE, Owner, 45 E. 42d St., New York City

STATE BREVITIES

Virginia.—The city council voted to purchase a site for the new city hall. The price to be paid for the property is set at $30,000.

St. Cloud.—St. Cloud city bonds were sold to the Minneapolis Trust Company, which offered a premium of $1,250.50 on the issue of $75,000.

Moorhead.—The enrollment for the fall term at Concordia college has reached 300, the largest in the history of the school for the first week of the term.

Virginia.—A verdict of guilty was brought in by the jury in the case of Joe Mazar of Buhl, who was charged with first degree murder. The jury was out 22 hours.

Pipestone.—The government Indian training school here has opened for fall and winter terms. The attendance is 175, the largest in the history of the school.

Bemidji.—Marie Thompson and Mrs. Charles Sears will not be tried for selling whisky this term. One became sick and was taken to the hospital and the other followed suit. Both are under indictment.

Crookston.—In spite of the fact that practically every modern home in the city is occupied and the demand for houses cannot be filled, rent increases have been small in Crookston, declare real estate dealers.

St. Cloud.—No trace has been discovered of the two men who held up and beat Carl Moline and then drove away in his Reo taxi and escaped after a hot pursuit by a posse headed by Sheriff Illif of Elk River.

Fergus Falls.—The Rev. G. H. Seents, pastor of Grace Methodist Episcopal church here, has decided to accept a call to the pastorate of the Methodist church at Brookings, S. D. Brookings is the center of South Dakota Methodism, the church college being located there.

Hibbing.—Mille Stanovich, year-old daughter of Wade Stanovich, a miner living near here, was instantly killed when the wheels of a loaded ice wagon passed over her. The child was just learning to walk and toddled out into an alley. In some manner she was knocked down by the heavily loaded truck.

Luverne.—Whisky valued at over a thousand dollars was confiscated at the home of I. O. Bolland, on a farm near Luverne, when Sheriff Wiggins went to the place armed with a search warrant, following a "tip" that had been given him that liquor could be purchased at the Bolland place at $12.50 a quart.

Crookston.—The Merchants Institute opened last Monday and continued until Friday evening. Merchants and wholesalers of Crookston were behind the project. Frank Stockdale, expert merchandising man, addressed the merchants every evening and also talked at the noon-day luncheons each day of the Institute.

Thief River Falls.—Arrangements have been completed by the Pennington County Livestock Breeders' association for a sale at the fair grounds, Oct. 22 and 23. The stipulation has been made that all cattle sold must be tuberculin tested. Seven government veterinarians are working throughout the county.

Minneapolis.—There is a feeling among business men and bankers in the East that prices will recede after the first of the year, according to C. T. Jaffray, president of the First and Security National Bank, Minneapolis, who has returned from Washington, where he attended a meeting of the Federal Reserve Bank board's advisory council, of which he is a member.

Brainerd.—At a meeting of representatives of 42 rural telephone lines at the Brainerd Chamber of Commerce, presided over by L. P. Hall of Bay Lake, with Henry Bouck of South Long Lake as secretary, a committee of five, three representing farmers and two labor unions, was appointed to investigate the advisability of consolidating or incorporating the rural lines in one company.

Alexandria.—The marriage of Miss Ida G. Nelson, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Knute Nelson and Andreas Gustaf Nelson, son of Mrs. John Nelson of Alexandria, took place at the home of the bride's parents. Senator Nelson was unable to come from Washington for the marriage. The bridegroom was formerly connected with the Swedish legation in New York City. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson will make their home in Alexandria.

St. Paul.—The soldiers' bonus bill in which the state legislature voted $20,000,000 to pay gratuities of $15 to Minnesota men and women for each month of service in the World war, has become a law, having been signed by Governor Burnquist. The state bonus board is to meet to effect a staff organization and prepare application forms which may be ready for distribution in ten days. When actual payments may start probably will depend upon the period necessary to sell certificates of indebtedness, probably from sixty to ninety days, according to the officials.

Pine River.—Last week the Warren Hill farm, south of Pine River, was sold by the Spurrier company for $125 per acre to an Iowa man. The farm consists of 120 acres, well improved.

St. Cloud.—Charles E. Weitgenant, well-known farmer living five miles east of Rice, died after an illness of fifteen minutes, at the close of a celebration at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Thomas, at which the returned service men were being entertained by the Rice Farmers' Club. He was seized with a coughing spell while cranking a car and burst a blood vessel.

Brainerd.—The biggest squash seen in Brainerd this season was exhibited by William Bison of Crow Wing prairie, which weighed 63½ pounds.

Bemidji.—With the seven branches of the Southern Beltrami County Red Cross chapter represented, an important meeting will be held in Bemidji Wednesday, October 26.

Hibbing.—A son born to Mr. and Mrs. Judge Thomas Brady held up municipal court for twenty-four hours, his father being too busy receiving congratulations to hold court.

Wabasha.—The melon crop this year has been the best in the history of this section of the state. As high as $3,000 has been made on this crop by farmers who planted but ten acres.

Lamberton.—Charles W. Knox, president of the Southern Minnesota Teachers' Association, has announced the annual convention of the organization will be held at Mankato October 2, 3 and 4.

Crookston.—Rain, wind and hail, a small hurricane in intensity, hit locally at an early hour. In Crookston .97 inch of water fell. The storm was not general. Five miles north but a light rain was reported, while but a few miles east little rain fell.

Crookston.—Reports of national and state banks here indicate prosperity prevailing in this city and the Red River valley in general. A comparison of the five banks here shows an increase in the banks' deposits in the past year to be nearly $1,500,000.

Minneapolis.—Senator William F. Brooks, president of the Minneapolis Aero Club, and Maj. William C. Garis, president of the St. Paul Aero Club, have been named as the representatives from Minnesota on the national committee to organize the first transcontinental air derby.

Hibbing.—Hibbing will seek the 1921 meeting of the state charities conference. C. E. Everett, range probation officer, who attended the meeting held at Red Wing, was given assurance that if the range wants the meeting it can have it. St. Cloud was awarded next year's conference.

Little Falls.—A memorial park overlooking the Mississippi River and containing a monument in honor of the men and women from Morrison County who served the colors during the war, has been decided upon by the Morrison County Memorial Association. Options have been obtained on land for a prospective site.

Stillwater.—Stillwater merchants are entirely out of sugar and a new supply is not expected to reach this city for a week or ten days. Wholesale dealers report that all sugar factories are running overtime, but that orders cannot be filled except in their regular turn. Small towns and villages in this immediate vicinity have been without sugar for the past ten days.

Minneapolis.—A farewell meeting of Minneapolis Socialists for Alexis Georgian, under sentence of deportation, was broken up by the police at Elliott park. Another meeting in the evening was not disturbed. Park commissioners refused a permit for the open air meeting. Georgian, who was charged with making seditious utterances during the war, starts for New York tomorrow to take the first means available for returning to Russia.

St. Paul.—Minnesota will mobilize its forces to wage the biggest fight since the World war was won—the combat against the "great white plague"—at a conference of representative citizens of the state at the Minnesota club here. Action taken at this conference fired the opening gun in the annual Red Cross Christmas seal campaign, which will have its climax during the week of Dec. 1 to 10, when the intensive seal selling campaign will be conducted.

Grand Rapids.—Nearly all of the state land sold here by County Auditor Erskine, acting for State Auditor Preus, was acquired by residents of this county. Twenty five forties, or 1,000 acres of land, were sold. This land was well scattered all over the county. Six forties was the largest amount in any township while the land sold was divided among ten different towns. None sold over the appraised price, though this varied from $5 an acre up to $12.50.

Mora.—After request had come to the farm bureau from several farmers in Kanabec County for some experimental work on peat soil to try to determine what response will be made by application of fertilizer, four such experiments were arranged—one at Mora on L. G. Lincoln's farm; one in the township of Grass Lake on Karl Anderson's farm; another in the township of Pomroy, on the farm of Mike Lilienthal, and the fourth on J. G. White's farm at Ogilvie.

Grand Rapids.—Because of the confusion in names, this village's mail being often sent to Grand Rapids, Mich., and Grand Rapids, Wis., C. K. Blandin, president of the Itasca Paper company, suggested to the Commercial club that the name of the village be changed, with the consent of citizens and the postoffice department. The matter was discussed quite thoroughly, and it was the sense of the club that the name should be changed, so a committee was appointed to circulate the petition and explain the proposition.

Middle River.—The Ben Arends farm in town of Whiteford was sold to Joseph Ostrowski of Oglesby Ill., a brother of Alex Janoski's wife. The deal comprised the farm, crop, stock and machinery, and the consideration was $8,500.

International Falls.—W. Irving Burton, who has returned from St. Paul reports that his son Jerome, who was badly burned, is improving, skin from his thighs having been successfully grafted on to the burned portions of his body. It is expected that Mrs. Burton will be able to bring the boy home in a few weeks.

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A little "Danderine" cools, cleanses and makes the feverish, itchy scalp soft and pliable; then this stimulating tonic penetrates to the famished hair roots, revitalizing and invigorating every hair in the head, thus stopping the hair falling out, or getting thin, dry or fading.

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A few cents buys a bottle of delightful "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter.—Adv.

Element of Fear.

She was just two years older than Don, who was four, and therefore she thought she had the right to be a mother to him as well as a sister.

As they were coming down the street Don stopped to give a lamp post the once over. An automobile had hit it and broken it off even with the ground.

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Too Smart.

"Did you see anything marked down at the new department store?"

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Feel grand! Be efficient! Don't stay sick, billous, headachy, constipated. Remove the liver and bowel poison which is keeping your head dizzy, your tongue coated, your breath bad and your stomach sour. Why not get a small box of Cascarets and enjoy the nicest, gentlest laxative-cathartic you ever experienced? Cascarets never gripe, sicken or inconvenience one like Salts, Oil, Calomel or harsh pills. Cascarets bring sunshine to cloudy minds and half-sick bodies. They work while you sleep. Adv.

Thinking of the Milliner's Bill.

De Grim—When an ostrich is surprised he hides his head in the sand.

De Grouch—I wish he'd everlastingly hide his tail feathers there.

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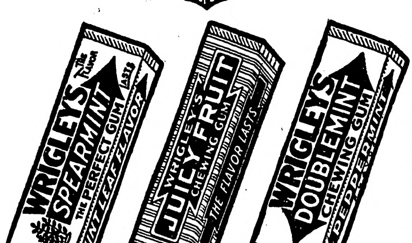

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Bookseller's Enterprise.

A Parisian bookseller has found an ingenious way of providing the people of his "quartier" with poetry, in spite of the fact that the price of books has risen to an extent which places them beyond the reach of many purses. Outside his shop he has set up a large blackboard on which he chalks up, every morning, a fresh poem by one of the younger poets of whose works he is publisher. The idea has proved very popular. Every morning students of the Quartier Latin pause before the blackboard to enjoy this literary feast so generously offered without money and without price.

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"Because is it a miss-fit establishment."

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"Got next winter's coal in?"

"I should say not. I haven't even got tomorrow's meals provided for."

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ATTENTION! Sick Women

To do your duty during these trying times your health should be your first consideration. These two women tell how they found health.

Hellam, Pa.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for female troubles and a displacement. I felt all run down and was very weak. I had been treated by a physician without results, so decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, and felt better right away. I am keeping house since last April and doing all my housework, where before I was unable to do any work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is certainly the best medicine a woman can take when in this condition. I give you permission to publish this letter."—Mrs. E. R. Crumling, R. No. 1, Hellam, Pa.

Lowell, Mich.—"I suffered from cramps and dragging down pains, was irregular and had female weakness and displacement. I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which gave me relief at once and restored my health. I should like to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's remedies to all suffering women who are troubled in a similar way."—Mrs. Elise Heim, R. No. 6, Box 83, Lowell, Mich.

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Three and 50-100 Dollars, which became due on the 9th day of August 1918, which said sum is now due and payable upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by E. Leroy Olson and Marie Olson, husband and wife, Mortgagors to Merchants State Band of Red Lake Falls, a Minnesota Corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 9th day of August 1917, and with a Power of Sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall Minnesota, on the 13th day of August 1917, at 8:30 o'clock, A. M., in Book 82 of Mortages on page 289.

AND WHEREAS, by reason of the default hereinbefore mentioned the said Mortagee chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable, making Thirty and 20-100 Dollars which is claimed to be due and is due upon the aforesaid mortgage at the date of this notice.

AND WHEREAS, said mortgage is conditioned that if the Mortgagors shall fail to pay their prior mortgage of Two Hundred Dollars upon the same land or any installment of interest due thereon, that the Mortgagee in this mortgage now being foreclosed, may pay the same, and have a lien therefor under this mortgage, and default having been made in the payment of Twelve Dollars, interest due August 9th 1918, and in the payment of Twelve Dollars Interest due August 9th 1919, upon said prior mortgage, represented by coupon interest notes bearing six per cent interest after maturity, the same was paid by the undersigned, said Mortgagee, and there is now due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon account of the interest so paid upon said prior mortgage Twenty-four and 84-100 Dollars, in all amounting to the sum of Fifty-five and 04-100 Dollars, due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice; and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage herein first described, will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit: The Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section number Thirty-one (31), in Township number One Hundred and Fifty-five (155) North, of Range number Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and located in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 4th day of November 1919, at ten o'clock, A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fifty-five and 04-100 Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, September 9th 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee

Fred L. Farley
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fourteen dollars ($14.00) which became due on the 20th day of May, 1917, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Gunil Vroman, a widow, mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of May, 1915, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of June, A. D. 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 73 of Mortgages on page 128 thereof; and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit: Fifty-six dollars ($56.00) became at once due and payable and was so declared by the mortgagee; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice, the sum of Sixty-nine dollars and six cents ($69.06) and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th 1917, and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th, 1918, and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th, 1919, the three latter amounts being for interest paid by the mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage, upon a prior mortgage of $700.00 upon said land, default having been made in the payment of same by said mortgagor; the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being Two hundred and five dollars and fourteen cents ($205.14), and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of said power of sale, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premses described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) in Township One hundred fifty-seven (157) North of Range Forty (40) West, in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said county and state, on the 1st day of November, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $205.14 and interest from date of this notice, and taxes if any, and an attorney's fee of $25.00 as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 12th 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee

Chas E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortagee.
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Twenty dollars ($20.00) which became due on the 18th day of December, 1918, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed, and delivered by Johanah Sullivan, a widow, mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 18th day of December, 1916, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 179 thereof; and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default the whole principal sum remaining unpaid, to-wit: Eighty dollars ($80.00), became at once due and payable and was so declared by the mortagee; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Eighty-six dollars ($86.00), and the further sum of $55.00 with interest thereon at 5½% since December 18th, 1918, the latter amount being for interest paid by the mortgagee, under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of $1000.00 upon said land, default having been made in the payment of the same by said mortgagor; the total amount so claimed to be and payable at the date of this notice being One hundred forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents ($143.25), and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale; and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of Section twenty-eight (28) in township one hundred fifty-six (156) North of Range forty (40) West, in Marshall County, state of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 1st day of November, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $143.25 and interest from date of this notice and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of $25.00 as as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September, 12th 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036.00) dollars which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Carl Engebretsen and Bertha Oline Engebretson, his wife Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Holt, a corporation Mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of October 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of April 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 74 of Mortgages, on page 560.

Which said Mortgage together with the debt, secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Farmers State Bank of Holt, Mortgagee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls by written assignment dated the 16th day of June 1916, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 15th day of November 1917, at 8.00 o'clock A. M., in Book 90 of Mortgages on page 331 and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036.00) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Southwest quarter (SW¼) and the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty (30) in Township One hundred fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-three (43) West of the fifth (5) Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing Eighty acres of land more or less according to the U. S. Government Survey thereof in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 1st day of November 1919, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036) Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 16th A. D. 1919

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton
Attorney
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given. That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John H. Smith and Mable Smith, his wife, Mortgagors to W. S. Ericson Mortgagee, bearing date the 24th day of November 1913, with power of sale thereiff contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of November 1913, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages, on Page 413. Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said W. S. Ericson, mortgagee, to John G. Jaenike, by written assignment dated the 23rd day of June, 1914, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 24th day of June, 1914, at 8.30 A. M. in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 25 thereof;

And which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly further assigned by said John G. Jaenike, assignee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, by written assignment dated the 2n day of June, 1919, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 21st day of August, 1919, at 8:00 A. M., in Book 86 of Mortgages on page 282 thereof. Which default has continued to the date of this notice, by the failure and neglect of said Mortgagor to make payment of the principal and interest by said mortgage secured, which by its terms became due and payable on the 1st day of December 1918.

AND WHEREAS, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 48-100 ($997.48) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, towit: The Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Eleven (11) in Township One hundred fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth principal meridian in Minnesota, containing one hundred sixty acres of land more or less according to the Government Survey thereof in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of November 1919, at 10.00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 48-100 Dollars, and interset and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00 Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day or sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 15th A. D. 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee

Chas. E. Boughton
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen Dollars, which became due on the 8th day of August 1918, which said sum is now due and payable upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Benno Menzel and Charlotte Menzel, husband and wife, Mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a Minnesota Corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of August 1916 and with a Power of Sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall Minnesota, on the 19th day of September 1916, at 8:30 o'clock, A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 68.

AND WHEREAS, by reason of the default hereinbefore mentioned the said Mortgagee chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable, making Seventy-eight and 74-100 Dollars which is claimed to be due and is due upon the aforesaid mortgage at the date of this notice.

AND WHEREAS, said mortgage is conditioned that if the Mortgagors shall fail to pay their prior mortgage of Three Thousand Dollars upon the same land or any installment of interest due thereon, that the Mortgagee in this mortgage now being foreclosed, may pay the same, and have a lien therefor under this mortgage, and default having been made in the payment of One Hundred Sixty-five Dollars, interest due August 8th 1918, and in the payment of One Hundred Sixty-five Dollars interest due August 8th, 1919, upon said prior mortgage, represented by coupon interest notes bearing 5½ per cent interest after maturity, the same was paid by the undersigned, said Mortgagee, and there is now due and claimed to be due, upon the date of this notice upon account of the interest so paid upon said prior mortgage Three Hundred Forty-one and 38-100 Dollars, in all amounting to the sum of Five Hundred Six and 38-100 Dollars, due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice; and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby gvien, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage herein first described, will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit: The East half of the East half (E½ of E½), West half of the North East quarter (W½ of NE¼), Northwest quarter of Southeast quarter (NW¼ of SE¼) and Northeast quarter of Southwest quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Eleven (11) Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and located in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 15th day of November 1919, at ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Hundred Six and 38-100 Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and, the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, September 23, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.

Fred L. Farley.
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

For rent—50-50 proposition. 120 acres in Section 11, township 156 Marshall county, known as the old Ready farm. Address G. A. Grow, Care of The Tribune, Thief River Falls Minn.

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

Estate of Nils Engebretson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nils Engebretson:

The State of Minnesota to Olaine Engebretson, Olive Engebretson, Agnes Engebretson, Ruth Engebretson and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Olaine Engebretson having been filed in this Court, representing that Nils Engebretson, then a resident of the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 8th day of May 1919, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to her and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition,

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren in the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of October, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 11th day of September, 1919.

Peter H. Holm
(Court Seal) Probate Judge
A. N. Eckstrom,
Attorney for Petitioner
Warren, Minn.

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Inquire at Holt State Bank.

For Sale

Nearly thoroughbred heifers, also some good milch cows, some fresh, some coming fresh early next spring, for sale at reasonable prices. Enquire at the City Meat Market,

Holt, Minn.

Hay for Sale.

Sixty tons of good wild hay. Hay is stacked on the NW 1-4 Sec. 7, in Mud Lake township. Call on or address Grant Flakne,
Holt, Minn.

A stray pig came to our place some time ago. Owner please prove property, pay expenses of keeping and for this notice.

Dahl Bros.
Golden Valley

L. Flak will have an auction sale Thursday Oct. 16th. See bills.

Carl Olen came from Shelly Saturday to visit his brother H. J. Olen and family for a few days.

Andrew Sorum returned home Sunday from Minneapolis where he had been for a government examination.

Mrs. Erick Johnson and daughter Pearl went to Thief River Falls Monday to have dental work done for the latter.

Mrs. [illegible] Beulah and grandpa [illegible] returned home last Thursday night from visiting [illegible]

[illegible] Plummer farm in town of New Solum to V. J. Price the first of the week. Mr. Price plans on making some improvments and will move onto the farm next spring.

Mrs. Otto Johnson returned home Tuesday from Adams N. Dak., where she accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Gust Johnson and children last week. Mr. Johnson has work in the round house there.

Mrs. Gust Peterson and sons Fred and Leonard and sisters, Mrs. Alfred Larson and Mrs. Wm. Werner, autoed to Thief River Falls Monday, where the latter remained to look for a house to rent.

Mr. Semmelhack our depot agent has fixed up rooms at the depot and will reside there with his family who arrived here Saturday from Wausau, Wisconsin. Holt welcomes them to our little village.

Ludvig Larson and sister Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Boe autoed to Warren Friday and brot Miss Mabel Larson home from the hospital. The latter is getting along as well as could be expected, we are glad to report.

A public health clinic under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Hanson, the county nurse, will be held in Holt on Friday Oct. 17th., and any one having any suspicion of lung trouble should be there for examination.

Relief quickly obtained through Dr. Albertson's Chiropractic Adjustments. Acute and chronic diseases successfully treated. Even those who have been pronounced incurable, have been restored to perfect health again. Phone No. 85. Crookston, Minn.

Wm. Cheedie, P. L. Anderson, Misses Bernice Hobbs, Margaret Hobbs, Venice Lawrence and Edith Erickson made up an auto party to Thief River Falls Sunday evening to take Miss Margret Hobbs there who was returning to her home in Grand Forks after a pleasant visit with her sister Bernice.

Obituary of Olaf Johnson

Olaf Johnson was born in Vermland, Sweden May 19th. 1858 and came to America in 1883 with his married sister. About a year later he homesteaded the farm where he died last week Wednesday night, having lived in the Town of Holt ever since settling on his homestead.

In 1889 he was united in marrage with Miss Albertina Johnson, who remains to mourn the loss of a loving and affectionate husband.

His mother, Mrs. John Sandberg, who is 86 years old, also remains to mourn the loss of her son who has cared for her so many years. He also leaves to mourn his death, one sister in Sweden and three sisters in America, several nephews and nieces and a host of close friends and neighbors, all of whom will greatly miss him.

Mr. Johnson had a hard attack of typhoid fever five years ago and had not been well since that time.

Since then he has had two operations for cancerous tumors and other complications setting in hastened his death. Funeral services were conducted at the home Saturday afternoon by Rev. Myhrer and a large number were present to pay their last respects to the memory of their late friend and neighbor.

Interment was made in the Folden cemetery.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their help and kindness during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and son, [illegible] offerings for the funeral.

Mrs. Olaf Johnson and Mother.

Public Health Clinic

Thirty-five people were examined by Dr. Milan, throat and lung specialist, at the Middle River health clinic and four were found to have active pulmonary tuberculosis, three inactive, and eight other cases of serious illness and many in need of treatment. The next clinic will be held in Holt on Friday Oct. 17th.

Auction Oct. 16, L. Flak will sell all his livestock, machinery, etc.

Misses Hilma and Albertina Nyberg were T. R. Falls visitors Monday.

Nels Omberg left Wednesday for Norway to spend the winter with his mother.

Schlitter & Nesselin are shipping several cars of hay to Montana for Wm. Fulton.

Albert and Dick Mathison, Stella and Olive Mickelson visited at the Mathison home in McIntosh Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Johnson and daughter, Tillie, of Thief River Falls, attended the funeral of Olaf Johnson Saturday.

Hilmer Folden who has been employed on a farm near Warren for several months, returned to his home near Holt Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Grove arrived here Wednesday from Montana to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nybo. Mr. Grove is thinking strongly of investing in Marshall county real estate.

Mrs. Nels Hanson departed Tuesday for her home at Albert Lea after a pleasant visit of several weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Christianson, also with relatives at Strandquist.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Olson and two children from Warren visited at the C. H. Gunheim home Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. Burleen of Adams N. Dak. and Miss Topper, a nurse from New York.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Services in East Valley Sunday at 11 o'clock, Wilson school house at 3. English services in Holt at 8. Sunday School at 2. Confirmants Saturday Oct. 11th at 1 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Ladies Aid auction sale Saturday evening Oct. 11th. All invited.

The Salvation Army will hold services here at 8 o'clock Friday evening Oct. 10th. Everyone invited to attend.

Public health clinic in Holt Friday Oct. 17th. Examination free.

Onstead Bros., of Thief River Falls came Friday to plaster T. E. Ellestead's new house.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hamerstead of Goodridge visited at the P. A. Riesberg home Sunday evening.

Revs. Myhrer and Strom left Monday for Shelly and other points where they will hold meetings.

Miss Hazel Barber received her appointment Monday as postmaster at Holt, which all her friends will be glad to hear.

A small shipment of clothing has been sent here from the Minneapolis Red Cross to Miss Warner, the field worker, for distribution.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels K. Boe departed Monday for their home in Iowa after a pleasant visit at the homes of E. Larson and N. [illegible]

Hilmer Folden departed for Crookston Monday where he will enter the North West School of Agriculture, taking up a three years course.

Gilbert Johnson will soon commence a house of tile construction, having bought from Mr. Bakke those left over after his house was finished.

B. Docken has sold the E. M. Hollis place (better known as the Fred Johnson farm) to Nels A. Nelson of Madison, Minn., who will take possession soon.

Chris Rustad has rented the Laurence Flak farm three fourths miles south of town and will move there soon. Mr. Flak will have a sale and move back to southern Minnesota sometime this fall.

Mr. Rankin and a crew of men have been making surveys this week on state road No. 7. We understand this road will be entirely rebuilt next year, from Holt to Steiner, and that there is a possibility of the Jefferson Highway being relocated on this road.

Everybody is invited to attend the Red Cross meeting in Prof. Prushek's room in the Solleim store building next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Immediately following this, a Parents and Teachers Association will be organized. All parents are requested to be present.

P. B. Larson is getting along nicely with the work on his new barn which he is building on the Ole Iverson farm to take the place of the one burned this summer. He is building the barn 24x40 with 12 foot posts and will move here as soon as he has it finished.

D. B. Bakke and B. Docken have been selling several pieces of the land that they recently acquired of the townsite Co. They have sold a tract east of the line of third street and west of Jno. O. Johnson, to the latter, also acre tracts north of the creamery to Albert Haggland, John Haggberg and Jacob Nelson.

They are also planning on building a couple of houses, this fall, for rent, and we understand there are parties ready to lease them as soon as finished.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of Carl Engebretson, Decedent

Letters of administration this day having been granted to

Oliver H. Nohre

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 11th day of January 1920, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the city of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Holt Weekly News as provided by law.

Dated Oct. 4th 1919
[court seal] Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate

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Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the

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Thief River Falls
Office; Citizens State Bank Bldg
Office Phone 297 Call 1, Residence 297 Call 2

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota.
State Auditor's Office.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 27, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 26th, 1919, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern		$2 20
Wheat No. 2		2 21
Wheat No. 3		2 11
Wheat No. 4		2 01
Wheat No. 5		1 96
Flax		4 02
Oats		57
Barley	93 to	1 05
Rye		1 23
Flour, Best Patent		6 75

City Meat Market
All kinds of
Fresh & Cured Meats
Cold Meats, Poultry
Canned Goods
Vegetables, Etc.
Herb Walker, Prop.

Shoe Repairing
Neatly done
Leave your work
at
Holt Merc. Co.'s store

Holt Cafe!
Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery
Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
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Your New Barn

Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

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All work guaranteed satisfactory
Ernest Phillipson
Holt, Minn.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,
Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this [illegible] day of December, [illegible]
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
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Sold by all druggists, 75c.
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For more than 50 years Piso's has been the favorite everywhere. You can depend upon it to give prompt relief. Eases throat tickle, soothes inflamed throats and relieves hoarseness.
Your druggist has Piso's—ask him for it.
Contains No Opiate
Safe for Young and Old

MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

Washington

Authority has been given commanding generals of military departments by the war department at Washington to furnish troops necessary for the protection of lives and property in case of disorders in the limits of their departments.

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President Wilson returned from his western tour suffering from a serious though not alarming, breakdown and unable to give attention to the greatest aggregation of domestic and foreign difficulties an American executive has confronted in many a decade.

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There is much anticipatory apprehension in Washington that one result of the British railway strike will be a coal famine in Europe.

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Planning to close its hearings this week, the house budget committee has called as witnesses William Howard Taft, former president, and Governors Goodrich of Indiana and Harrington of Maryland.

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President Wilson canceled the remainder of his tour under orders from Admiral Cary T. Grayson, the president's physician, and will return to Washington direct from Wichita. Admiral Grayson gave illness and physical exhaustion as the reason for his action.

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The issue in the nation-wide steel strike was defined by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, before the senate investigation committee at Washington, as recognition of the right of employees "to be heard, to organize and to have some voice in determining conditions under which they labor."

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Domestic

The iron trades of the Bay cities are on strike and all the shipyards, foundries and manufacturing plants in San Francisco and neighboring cities are effectually closed as a result of a walkout.

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Grand jury investigation for prosecution of those responsible for race rioting at Omaha, Neb., last Sunday will be started soon. Judges of the district court decided to call a special grand jury in the case.

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Rock county milk producers will receive $3.63 per hundred pounds for their milk, according to announcement made by Alva Maxfield, secretary of the local association at Janesville, Wis.

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The first fatality of the hunting season in central Illinois was reported from Thowbridge, Guy Peterson being killed by an accidental shot by his cousin, Arthur Storm.

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Omaha, Neb., is again quiet following the rioting which resulted in the injury to the mayor, the lynching of William Brown, a negro, accused of recently attacking Miss Agnes Lobeck, a white girl; the death of one white man, the injury to several score of whites and negroes and the partial destruction of the new $1,500,000 county courthouse, which was set on fire by members of the mob. With federal troops patrolling the streets it was believed that the authorities would be able to prevent any possible fresh disorders, which began when a mob set out to lynch Brown. Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood has taken charge of military operations.

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Immigration officials at Laredo, Tex., have rounded up and deported to Mexico 298 Mexican laborers smuggled into this country.

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The state supreme court at Columbus, O., affirmed the lower state courts in holding valid a proposed referendum on action of the state legislature in ratifying the federal prohibition amendment.

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Arrangements for the use of sailors from the Great Lakes naval training station to suppress rioting and preserve order in Waukegan were completed.

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The soft-coal operators of the central competitive field submitted to the joint conference of operators and miners at Buffalo, N. Y., their reply to the demands of the men for a 60 per cent increase in wages and shorter working hours. It was a rejection.

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United States Senator Owen of Oklahoma, in an address at St. Louis, attributed the high cost of living to activities of interstate monopolies, which he declared limit production in many lines, control distribution and are not content with reasonable profits.

Three bids were submitted at Philadelphia for the purchase of the government built powder plant city of Nitro, W. Va. The highest was $5,800,000. The city cost the government $70,000,000.

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Demands of longshoremen of New York for a wage of $1 an hour, an increase of 15 cents, and a 48-hour week were submitted at the first session of the national adjustment commission of the United States shipping board.

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Four men were burned severely in an explosion in the boiler room of the destroyer Greene, off Key West, Fla.

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Two negroes, Miles Phifer and Robert Grosky, the latter a discharged soldier, were taken from county officials about five miles from Montgomery, Ala., and shot to death by a mob. Both negroes were charged with having attacked white women.

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Emma Goldman, agitator and social revolutionist, has returned to the world after 20 months in the Missouri state penitentiary at Jefferson City, Mo., an unrepentant anarchist.

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Decision to lock out 7,000 pressmen at New York and halt the publication of book, periodical and job printing was reached at a meeting of employing printers.

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Tugmen of the Whitney Brothers, Barnet & Record company and England Towing company went on strike at Duluth, Minn., in response to a call for a strike on the Great lakes.

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The steel workers and not the mill owners will surely win, according to Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who declared in a statement that the report that the strike was crumbling was based on "inspired and untrustworthy" reports from Pittsburgh and elsewhere.

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One of the old coast defense battleships—the Iowa, Indiana or Massachusetts—recently placed out of commission by the navy department at Washington will be used as a target for defense batteries.

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Personal

Rev. Maj. Edward V. Vattman, oldest ranking Roman Catholic chaplain in the United States army, is dead at Evanston, Ill. He was appointed an army chaplain by President Hayes in 1877.

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A gift of $20,000,000 from John D. Rockefeller for the improvement of medical education in the United States was announced by the general education board at New York.

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Foreign

British forces have landed at Odessa and occupied the city, says a dispatch from Vienna, quoting advices received there from Budapest.

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Troops have been put on duty in the national railway strike in England. Soldiers were posted about the railway stations and armed guards were placed in departing trains at London.

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The blockade of Germany, which was threatened by the allies in case the German troops of Gen. von der Goltz were not removed from the Baltic region, has begun, according to the Paris Intrasigeant.

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President Wilson will make a third trip to Paris, according to a London report current in diplomatic quarters, if the senate attaches any amendments to the League of Nations scheme or any of the treaty clauses.

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Gen. M. M. Dieguez, commander of the Carranza forces in Chihuahua. Mex., reported that six Villa followers had surrendered to his troops and sought amnesty. Their pardon was granted, it was said.

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After wavering for weeks as to whether to turn to the political parties of the left or right for necessary support to insure it a longer life, the German government has turned its back upon extreme radicalism.

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Paris music hall strike leaders say the present contest in which they are engaged is "going to be a life and death struggle."

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Mount Mauna Loa on Hilo island, Hawaii, burst into new eruption and a wide stream of lava began pouring down the Kona side, destroying many homes.

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Dispatches from Fiume report that Gabriele d'Annunzio, in command of the insurgent garrison of the city, has stated that he considers himself in a state of war with Jugo-Slavia.

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Brand Whitlock of Ohio, now minister to Belgium, was nominated by President Wilson at Washington to be ambassador to that country.

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Serbia is planning an expedition against d'Annunzio's Italian troops who are occupying Fiume, a Berne dispatch says.

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American aviators flying into Mexico will be fired upon by Mexican troops, said a message received in El Paso, Tex., from Mexico City by El Nacional, a newspaper here.

BRITAIN'S RAIL STRIKE ENDED

Compromise Averts Peril From Most Menacing Labor Contest of Years.

WAGES SAME TILL 1920

At End of One Year It Is Agreed That Rail Wages Will Be Reviewed in Light of Conditions Then Current.

London, Oct. 7.—British railway workers were returning to their posts after both the strikers and the government had made concessions which ended this country's greatest labor walkout.

On many of the railway lines trains were in operation early yesterday. In some quarters fear was expressed that agitators might cause further trouble, but there was no evidence of it in London, where the night shifts have generally reported for work.

With both sides claiming victory, the average Briton was concerned chiefly with the simple fact that a settlement had been reached.

Regardless of the partisan claims of victory, Britain recognizes generally that both sides conceded some points and granted some compromises. Both retained enough "to save their faces," and both were plainly conscious of the terrible possibilities involved in a failure to settle the issue.

Under the terms of settlement wages will remain at their present level until September 30, 1920, when they will be reviewed in the light of existing circumstances. The government will pay the arrears in wages which were withheld owing to the strikers' breach of contract. The government also made the concession of reopening negotiations with the strikers after the premier had refused to engage in further discussion until the men returned to work.

LABOR CONFERENCE OPENED

Delegates at Washington Arrive With General Demand for Action.

Washington, Oct. 7.—Representatives of the public evidenced a spirited desire for action, rather than oratory, at the opening session yesterday of the industrial conference called by President Wilson.

Apparently with the determination of differentiating this conference from many similar gatherings held in Washington, the public delegates demanded that the sessions be held night and day, if necessary, to establish basis for harmonious relations between capital and labor during the present abnormal economic conditions. Bernard M. Baruch of New York, one of the deelgates, was active in directing the affairs of the conference, which was considered significant in view of his close friendship with President Wilson and his frequent visits to the White House.

After the appointment of committees, on nominations and rules, the conference adjourned to meet tomorrow morning. Gavin McNab of San Francisco, a representative of the public, was mentioned prominently for permanent chairman of the conference, but members of both committees declined to indicate what their recommendations would be.

Virtually every delegate was in his seat when Secretary Wilson called the meeting to order.

WAR RULES ON CAR LOADING

Reinstatement of Heavier Loading Required to Move Potato Shipments.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—Freight car loading rules effective during the war have been ordered reinstated by the federal railroad administration, according to a statement issued at the northwestern regional office here, which says:

"The potato crop this year is considerably larger than a year ago, and movement so far made shows satisfactory progress compared with a year ago. The demand for cars is very heavy, and while it is always important to supply the current demand, it is particularly desirable to get as much of this business loaded now in box cars as possible, in order to avoid the necessity of refrigerator service when the weather becomes colder. Reports indicate that the loading is not in all cases as heavy as these conditions warrant."

Ukranians Declare War.

Basle, Switzerland, Oct. 7.—Advices from Vienna confirm the report that General Simon Petlura, leader of the Ukranian forces, has declared war against General Deniken, anti-Bolshevik leader in the south of Russia. Relations between the southern Russian army and the Ukranian forces have long been strained.

Devils Lake Man Sentenced.

Devils Lake, N. D., Oct. 7.—William Pfehlhaber, 30 years old, pleaded guilty before Judge Buttz in district court here to attempting to kill Francis Johnson and was sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary. Pfehlhaber came from Germany about seven years ago and took out his first naturalization papers in Devils Lake. He has twice been sentenced on charges of larceny. In pleading guilty of attempted murder he said his purpose was to secure the automobile.

PRESIDENT IS A VERY SICK MAN

No Material Change for 36 Hours Up to Friday Night--Patient Being Carefully Attended.

NO WORK PERMITTED

Dr. Grayson and Other Physicians in Consultation—Crisis of Ailment Probably Not Yet Reached, Is Said—Family at Bedside.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Reports from the bedside of President Wilson, whose condition during the last 36 hours had been less favorable, indicated no change yesterday. The president was kept in bed with physicians in constant attendance upon him.

Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson, his personal physician, made the announcement that the "president is a very sick man," stand throughout the day, only issuing a bulletin saying his condition was unchanged.

Consultation Held.

There was another consultation of physicians and immediate members of the family came to the White House to be near him. Although reticent about the condition of the patient, those who attended him indicated that his ailment had not yet clearly revealed the inroads upon his system and several days might be required to ascertain its effects.

Nervous exhaustion, from which he is suffering, complicated with his long standing weakness of the digestive organs and a lingering touch of last spring's attack of influenza, the doctors say, have considerably weakened the president's power of resistance. For a man of his years, however, Mr. Wilson's general physical system is said to be in good condition to stand the combined attack against which he is now fighting.

Hard to Keep Mind Free.

There have been no indications of depleted heart action and the president's mind is declared by his physicians to be so clear that they have had considerable difficulty in keeping his attention diverted from the affairs of his office.

The prohibition against official acts of any kind, modified several days ago long enough to permit him to sign a few bills and nominations, has been rigidly imposed by Dr. Grayson.

PREPARE FOR LONG FIGHT

Leaders of Striking Steel Employes Plan to Finance Campaign.

Pittsburgh, Oct. 4.—While the virtual deadlock continued yesterday in the steel strike in the Pittsburgh district, leaders of the organized workers were making plans to finance a prolonged struggle.

The 24 international presidents of unions involved in the strike will meet with the executive council of the American Federation of Labor at Washington Monday to discuss the paying of strike benefits, it was announced at headquarters here. The federation is expected to levy assessments on its members to aid the benefit fund, it was stated.

The average benefit paid by some unions is $7 a week for single men, and $9 for married men.

While union leaders continued to claim they have the steel mills in the district crippled, the company officials said that many men were returning to work and that production was nearing normal.

From different places came word that steel companies were preparing to open all mills shut down by the strike next Monday.

MINE PROMOTERS ARRESTED

Pocketed Four-Fifths of Stock Sale Proceeds, It Is Alleged.

New York, Oct. 4.—Federal indictments against George W. Snyder of the Tjosevig Kennicott Copper company, with mines at McCarthy, Alaska, and five other Seattle, Wash., promoters, were returned today charging them with "engaging in a mail fraud" involving $400,000.

After organizing their company, the indictments stated defendants negotiated with a brokerage firm in New York for sale of the stock and "in furtherance of the alleged conspiracy," disposed of 550,000 shares of a par value of $1 each under representation that the money would be used for development purposes. Only one-fifth of the money acquired was used for development and the remaining four-fifths never reached the company's treasury, the indictments declared.

Guatemala Ratifies.

Washington, Oct. 3.—The state department today was informed that the executive assembly of Guatemala ratified the treaty with Germany October 1.

British Strike Increases in Gravity.

London, Oct. 4.—After seven days, the railroad strike situation has become the gravest in the history of any labor crisis of the British empire in the present generation. All efforts of the transport workers' federation to find a bridge to enable a renewal of negotiations between the government and the national union of railway men failed. The government's proposal for a seven days' truce for the railmen to return to work and permit resumption of negotiations has been rejected.

THOUSANDS IN RIOT AT GARY

Sight of Non-Strikers on Car Set Mob Hurling Missiles --Police Interfere.

HOSPITALS ARE FILLED

Worst Riot Since Strike Began, Is Comment on Outbreak—Probably 3,000 Participated—Officers Are Outnumbered.

Gary, Ind., Oct. 6.—Serious rioting broke out late Saturday when thousands of steel strikers and others hurled bricks and stones, fought the police, deputy sheriffs and city firemen, injuring probably scores. The local company of militia was notified by city officials to be in readiness for duty.

The fighting spread virtually all over the south part of the city, extending from Tenth to Eighteenth avenues.

The local hospitals soon were filled with the injured, and the city jail was filled with men arrested.

The fighting was of such a fierce nature, between squads, as well as between individuals, and spread so rapidly that it was feared it would be prolonged.

The immediate cause of the rioting, the first serious disorder here since the strike was called September 22, was the presence of a number of nonstrikers on a street car on their way to the steel mills to work.

The car was halted by a passing train. The strikers began to hoot and jeer the men on the car, according to police, and soon sticks and stones began to fly.

The first policemen on the scene were overwhelmed.

Officers Greatly Outnumbered.

A second riot call brought the remainder of the police force, about 100 men. These were followed by nearly 500 special policemen, the firemen and between 200 and 300 special deputy sheriffs.

The fighting continued. Men with broken heads, cuts and other injuries were hurried away to the three city hospitals.

The strikers and their sympathizers numbered several thousand, it was estimated, and against such forces the police and special officers were unable to make much headway.

A rain aided the authorities in quelling the disturbances and the rioters finally were dispersed.

64,000,000 ACRES TO WHEAT

Government Advises Acreage to Equal Average of Past Five Years.

Washington, Oct. 6.—More wheat should be sown this fall than was the average in pre-war years, but not so much as was sown last year. This is the outstanding fall farming recommendation of the United States department of agriculture, which is watching the changes of world supply and demand while European countries are getting back to normal in food production and thus affecting the market for American products. The department's suggestions are based on the observations of specialists sent abroad to report on foreign conditions and probable needs, and on reports obtained from other sources in this country and elsewhere.

As to winter wheat, the department suggests that 42,000,000 acres be sown this fall to this crop, and that 20,000,000 acres be sown in 1920 to spring wheat, making a probable aggregate production in 1920 of 830,000,000 bushels, of which 200,000,000 would be available for export after home needs are met. This production would approximately equal the average yield of wheat in the United States for the five years, 1915 to 1919, inclusive. The five-year average is thought to be a safe guide for American farmers.

Senate to Push Work on Treaty.

Washington, Oct. 4.—The trend of developments in the peace treaty situation still is toward rapid progress on amendments and reservations. The senate was not in session Saturday but leaders held numerous conferences. The Shantung amendments are to be taken up today, and Republican leaders think it possible that all amendments will be disposed of and considerations be given in a week.

President Shows Improvement.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Continued improvement was recorded in Rear Admiral Grayson's night bulletin which declared President Wilson passed a more encouraging day. The bulletin issued at 10:20 was as follows:

"The president has passed a more encouraging day. The improvement is slight but not decisive."

Dr. Grayson indicated that he felt much encouraged by the day's progress.

Conference Ready to Start.

Washington, Oct. 6.—Arrangements for the opening today of the industrial and labor conference called by President Wilson virtually was complete, with only the question of whether the railroad unions would send delegates, unsettled. With the transportation workers unrepresented, many officials thing the value of the conference may be reduced because of the tremendous part played by the rail men in the economic life of the country. Railroad men have not yet announced if they will participate.

DEWS OF EVE

No More Gentle Than "Cascarets" for the Liver, Bowels

It is just as needless as it is dangerous to take violent or nasty cathartics. Nature provides no shock absorbers for your liver and bowels against calomel, harsh pills, sickening oil and salts. Cascarets give quick relief without injury from Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion, Gases and Sick Headache. Cascarets work while you sleep, removing the toxins, poisons and sour, indigestible waste without griping or inconvenience. Cascarets regulate by strengthening the bowel muscles. They cost so little too.—Adv.

Rank by Christening.

Two negroes were carrying a heavy piece of timber. Both wanted to "boss the job."

"Lay it down here," ordered one.

"Who you-all a-talkin' to, man?" the other demanded. "Does you-all think you kin boss me around like dat?"

"Sure I kin," said the first darky. "Mah name is Lew Tennant."

"Huh! dat's nothin'," responded the second son of the sunny south. "Mah name is Sam Browne."—Yank Talk, Trench and Billet.

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In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

His Eccentricity.

"Yes," said old Gaunt N. Grimm, "he is a remarkable man—one of the sort you so seldom see that you finally come to fancy they are extinct—a person who does his duty without bothering about what Smith, Jones and Brown are doing, or waiting for them to do it first."—Kansas City Star.

Rest in the Old Home.

"Won't you be lonesome without the summer boarders?"

"No," replied Farmer Corntossel; "we are goin' to take a little rest ourselves now. Nobody around the house is goin' to play jazz on the phonograph or say a word about the League of Nations."

Political Boundaries.

"Johnny, you haven't studied your geography lesson."

"Not very well," confessed the youngster. "But father says that geography is one of the most difficult and uncertain studies now before the public."

GOODBY, WOMEN'S TROUBLES

The tortures and discomforts of weak, lame and aching back, swollen feet and limbs, weakness, dizziness, nausea, as a rule have their origin in kidney trouble, not "female complaints." These general symptoms of kidney and bladder disease are well known—so is the remedy.

Next time you feel a twinge of pain in the back or are troubled with headache, indigestion, insomnia, irritation in the bladder or pain in the loins and lower abdomen, you will find quick and sure relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This old and tried remedy for kidney trouble and allied derangements has stood the test for hundreds of years. It does the work. Pains and troubles vanish and new life and health will come as you continue their use. When completely restored to your usual vigor, continue taking a capsule or two each day.

GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported from the laboratories at Haarlem, Holland. Do not accept a substitute. In sealed boxes, three sizes.—Adv.

Softened the Censure.

The small girl is proud of the fact that she goes to kindergarten and is always glad to instruct her smaller sister in the various plays she has learned at school. When it came to teaching the tot to do one of the dances, however, her patience was sorely tried and finally she said to her: "Well, dear, that isn't the way to do it; but you're cute anyway."

Don't Forget Cuticura Talcum
When adding to your toilet requisites. An exquisitely scented face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume, rendering other perfumes superfluous. You may rely on it because one of the Cuticura Trio (Soap, Ointment and Talcum). 25c each everywhere.—Adv.

Strategem.

"Some portions of your last speech were a trifle ungrammatical."

"Made 'em that way on purpose," replied Senator Sorghum. "There is no possible advantage in being mistaken for an uncompromising highbrow."

The Mode.

"Sometimes I have traveled miles in my dreams."

"I suppose it was on a nightmare."

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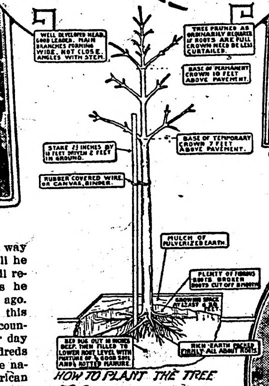
HE WHO PLANTS A TREE

ONE OF THE LYNCHBURG TREES

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY MEMORIAL PLANTING


BASE OF TEMPORARY CROWN 7 FEET ABOVE PAVEMENT
STAKE 2½ INCHES BY 10 FEET DRIVEN 2 FEET IN GROUND
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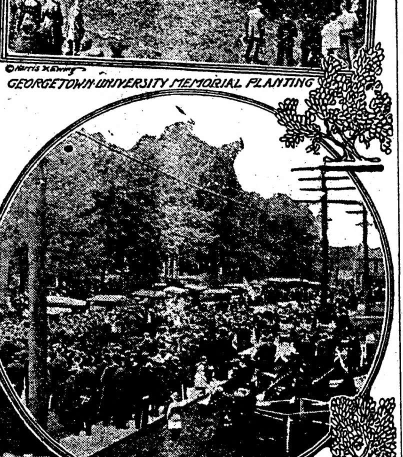
HOW TO PLANT THE TREE



MEMORIAL PLANTING AT LYNCHBURG, VA

WHITMAN MEMORIAL TREE AT CAMDEN, N.J.

COULD "Johnny Appleseed" find his way to thousands of our schools this fall he would see something that would well repay him for all the weary miles he walked planting apple seeds years ago. In many states Arbor day comes this fall, but the school children of the country promise to make almost every day Arbor day this year and during the spring of 1920. Hundreds of towns and cities have been entered on the national honor roll being compiled by the American Forestry association at Washington. The association hopes to see every young American citizen become a "Johnny Appleseed, Jr."

You remember the story of Johnny Appleseed, as they called him, who, many years ago, went up and down the land planting apple-tree seeds? That was not his real name, but that is what he came to be called. Of course a lot of people laughed at him, for there were so many trees then. Many thought him crazed. But now his idea is taken to be a good one. For many things have happened since the day of Johnny Appleseed. The world war has set our people thinking about many things. One of these things has been the way lumber is being consumed. Then, too, there is the high cost of living that agitates everyone. In many places the planting of nut and fruit trees is advocated, and a campaign is on to have every victory gardener plant a nut or fruit tree in his garden or back yard. Another fine opportunity for planting is memorial trees along the motor highways and good roads that are in the process of building. To these calls of the American Forestry association the people of the country are responding in hearty fashion. So to the school children of the country comes a great chance to enter actively into the study of outdoor life through the planting of trees. The American Forestry association will send any one a free planting day program and instructions how to plant a tree.

Coming Arbor days are: Georgia, first Friday in December; Hawaii, first Friday in November; Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Michigan, Minnesota, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, North Dakota, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Vermont, Virginia, Wisconsin, Washington and Wyoming all have days set aside by proclamation of the governor; North Carolina, Friday after November 1; Porto Rico, last Friday in November; South Carolina, third Friday in November; Tennessee, November date set by county school superintendents. With this day before us, Charles Lathrop Pack, president of the American Forestry association, sends this message to the school children of the United States:

"No finer memorial can be erected by any school or class than by the planting of a tree. Every pupil will have a close and intimate interest in that tree and therefore the school after he leaves. I need not attempt to picture what that tree or avenue of trees will mean to the class of 1920 when it comes back to the old school for the class reunion in 1940. A space on the campus or a walk near the town can be lined with trees, one for each member of the class. The American Forestry association is registering all memorial trees in a national honor roll and urges that all tree planting be reported that it may keep its rolls complete."

What Is Best to Plant.

Last spring and fall hundreds of trees were planted, but much bigger plans have been made for tree planting this year and next. If you are not planting fruit or nut trees you will want to study what best to plant and here is a list of such trees divided for you by states:

New England states, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Ohio, West Virginia, Kentucky, Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, Missouri and Iowa: Hardwood—Sugar maple, Norway maple, scarlet maple, green ash, white ash, American white elm, red oak, white oak, pin oak, American linden, scarlet oak. Evergreen—White spruce, Colorado blue spruce, white pine, Scotch pine, balsam pine, hemlock, arbor vitae.

Delaware, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Tennessee, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas: Hardwood—Tulip, sycamore, pin oak, white oak, scarlet oak, black oak, red oak, white ash, bald cypress, Norway maple, scarlet maple, red elm, American white elm, Kentucky coffee tree, American linden, red gum, black gum, hackberry, willow. Evergreen—White pine, longleaf pine, magnolia, live oak, cedar of Lebanon, American holly.

Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana and Idaho: Hardwood—Bur oak, linden, Norway maple, green ash, wild cherry, larch, American elm, black walnut, hackberry, honey locust, black locust (less desirable, cottonwood, box elder). Evergreen—Scotch pine, Austrian pine, white pine, Norway spruce, Colorado blue spruce, white spruce, red cedar, arbor vitae.

New Mexico, Arizona, Utah and Nevada: Hardwood—Hackberry, honey locust, green ash, American elm, black locust, bur oak, valley cottonwood, mountain cottonwood, mountain ash, box elder. Evergreen—Arbor vitae, deodar cedar, box, euonymus.

California, Oregon and Washington (coast region): Hardwood—Large-leaved maple, European linden, sycamore, weeping willow. Evergreen—Deodar cedar, Monterey cypress, Monterey pine.

California, Oregon and Washington (Columbia basin): Hardwood—Norway maple, European linden, sycamore, green ash, silver poplar, Russian poplar, white willow. Evergreen—Lawson cypress, bigtree.

On the planting of a tree you will want to proceed with the greatest care. For the best results, organize a tree-planting program in your town. If there is no shade-tree commission or city forester, interest yourself in the proposition. In selecting trees for street planting the following qualities should be considered in about the order named: Form, hardiness or adaptability, rapidity of growth, shade protection, neatness and beauty. If there is any doubt on the question it is advisable to consult the state forest commission, the local forester or some other authority who can tell what varieties are best for a given locality.

No general rules, of course, can be given, but in a larger part of the eastern United States it will be found that for narrow streets the red maple, red gum or ginkgo can be recommended; for wider streets, Norway maple, basswood, horse chestnut or pin oak; and for wide avenues, white elm, white oak, red oak and tulip poplar.

Qualities Needed in Street Trees.

Street trees should have hardiness and adaptability. They should be vigorous, be able to recover from mechanical injuries and be as resistant as possible against insect attack and disease. It is not desirable to have trees which cast too much shade, particularly on narrow streets. Houses and sidewalks need sun, even in summer. Deciduous, broadleaved trees are most satisfactory. Again, the question of neatness should be be considered; and the trees which will break up the pavement, such as silver maples, or those which cover the pavement with their bloom in the spring, such as cottonwoods and poplars, should be avoided. Black locust should not be planted because it is likely to be destroyed by the borer worm. Beech is a slow grower and casts too dense a shade for any street.

Trees planted along a street should be of the same kind, the same size and uniformly spaced. On narrow streets trees planted every 40 feet apart, and alternated on opposite sides of the street, will be found sufficiently close. On wider streets they should be from 40 to 60 feet, or even farther apart, the distance being determined partly by the size which the tree is likely to attain and by other habits.

Every tree should have at least six square feet of earth above its roots. It is more important that there be plenty of space where the pavement and roadway are paved with concrete than if brick or other loose-jointed materials are used.

Keep the Roots Moist.

In planting a tree, move as many of the roots as possible. A cloudy day is better for transplanting a tree than a bright, sunny one, because a bright sun quickly exhausts the stored-up moisture. An important point is in regard to packing the earth around the roots. They should have close contact with the ground. To do this, fill in around the roots with finely pulverized earth, working it under and around the roots by hand and compacting it. If the earth is wetted down as it is put in, it will make a much better contact.

Many trees which are unsuited for one reason or another for a sidewalk are most attractive and ornamental in a park or on a lawn. The beech, for instance, which has no value for street planting, makes a beautiful lawn tree; either the native or the European species may be planted. The sour or black gum grows under most adverse circumstances, but apparently is not well suited for street planting, although as an ornamental tree it deserves a place.

Purchase trees from a reliable nursery; beware of tree peddlers. Choose healthy, well-formed trees. Trees two or three inches in diameter and ten or twelve feet high are large enough for any purpose. Where smaller trees can be used, they generally give better results, because the root system is less disturbed by transplanting. Do not expose the roots to the sun, wind or frost. Keep wet blankets or canvas wrapped tightly about the roots until the tree is ready to be set out; then plant with the least possible delay.

Trim off any broken, torn or injured roots. Use a sharp pruning knife and make a clean, smooth cut. Remove all broken branches and cut back one-half to four-fifths of the previous year's branch growth. The size of the top must be proportioned to the size of the root system or the roots will be unable to supply sufficient water and food for satisfactory growth. Forest-grown trees have poor root systems and must be severely pruned by removing the greater part of the side branches. Never cut back the main stem or leader.

Dig Wide, Deep Holes.

Dig wide, deep holes. Trees become root-bound and make poor growth or die if the roots are cramped or twisted. The holes should be a foot or two wider and deeper than is needed to accommodate the roots. For street trees, the hole should be about twice as large as the root system actually requires. Partly fill the hole with rich loam and pack it down well. If poor soil must be used, mix with well-rotted manure. Green or partly decomposed manure will burn the roots and must not be used.

Do not plant the tree too deep. The upper roots should lie only an inch or two deeper in the soil than they grew originally. Spread out the roots in their natural position and work soil around them, a little at a time, compacting it firmly with the fingers or a pointed stick. Occasionally tamp it with the foot so that no air spaces remain. Also see that the stem of the tree is kept perfectly vertical. Now water the soil generously. The final inch or two of soil should be left fine and loose over the top of the hole to act as a mulch.

After planting, the tree should be staked to prevent it from swaying in the wind and growing crooked. The stake should be long enough to support the trunk for two-thirds the height of the tree. Trees exposed to traffic, horses and children should be protected by suitable wooden or metal guards. In case any injury to the young tree results, apply tree surgery methods at once.

Shallow cultivation of the soil for three feet around the tree is beneficial during the first few years of growth. Loosen the top soil with a spade or hoe several times during the season to keep down weeds and grass. During the hot, dry summer months watering should be done not oftener than twice a week.

Tree planting should form a permanent part of the improvement program in every city and town in the United States. It should not be undertaken in a temporary or haphazard manner; but it should receive the constant thought and attention of those who are interested in making the community attractive and at the same time in adding to the future timber resources of the United States. It must be remembered that what is done in one city or two serves as an inspiration to others.

Let us keep in mind a thought of future so well expressed in the poem by Lucy Larcom, who said:

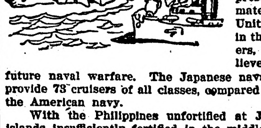
> "He who plants a tree,
> He plants love.
> Tents of coolness spreading out above,
> Wayfarers he may not live to see."

So in honoring loved ones let us of the present look to the future and by memorial tree planting make this a better country in which to live, which after all, is all the memorial those loved ones ask Yet what a memorial, if it be accomplished!

WASHINGTON CITY SIDELIGHTS

Importance of America's Future Naval Program

WASHINGTON.—Uncle Sam's future naval program is beginning to assume greater importance than ever because of the trend of events in the Pacific. Japan has gained a dominating position in the Orient and by virtue of her exploitation of China is destined to become a power of such proportions and resources that she will be able at any time to challenge the control of the Pacific.



Japan is building a great navy as rapidly as her resources permit. At present her naval strength is estimated at less than half that of the United States, but she is specializing in the construction of fast battle cruisers, which many naval authorities believe will be the determining factors in future naval warfare. The Japanese naval program now under way will provide 73 cruisers of all classes, compared with 47 cruisers of all classes in the American navy.

With the Philippines unfortified at Japan's door, with the Hawaiian islands insufficiently fortified in the middle of the Pacific and containing a preponderant Japanese population, and with Japan acquiring the German archipelagoes in between, many statesmen are of the opinion that the United States should not neglect to maintain a greater naval strength than Japan's in all types of craft as insurance against trouble in the Pacific.

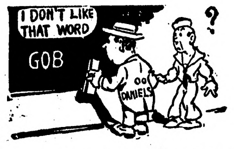
Of course such views are not entertained by those who believe that the League of Nations is going to banish war forever.

It is noteworthy, however, that President Wilson deemed it important to send Admiral Rodman to the Pacific with an American fleet stronger in many respects than Japan's present available fleet.

Naval officials estimate that most of the ships authorized in the 1916 program will have been completed by next year and all of them by the summer of 1921. This will give the United States 41 first-class dreadnaughts, 21 battleships of the second class, six battle cruisers, ten scout cruisers, 400 destroyers, and 131 submarines.

Will "Gob" Also Be Put in Davy Jones' Locker?

OFFICIAL Washington is smiling over the episode of "Josephus and the Gob." Which is to say that out in San Francisco Secretary of the Navy Daniels fell afoul o' the word "gob." "It is a short, ugly word, and I don't like it," said the secretary. "It's not worthy of the men of our splendid fleet," and thereupon the honorable secretary consigned gob to the same fate which has already befallen starboard, port, rum, whisky, grog and dress uniforms.


I DON'T LIKE THAT WORD
GOB
DANIELS
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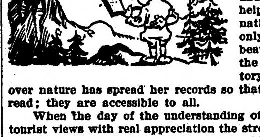
But out at the Great Lakes naval training station near Chicago the gobs apparently don't agree with Josephus. From the commandant to the newest gob they agree that the navy, far from disliking "gob" regards it with affection, respect, love, worship, veneration, delight and some other minor emotions, none of which are in the least like those felt by Mr. Daniels. Anyway, here is the reply that comes from Chicago—which is the cause of Washington's smiles:

> "This 'gob' is not a pretty word," the secretary said.
> "It is not only too absurd, but doesn't sound well-bred—
> And so, to me, it has occurred to knock it in the head."
>
> "Aho-ee there," arose a cry from out a thousand throats.
> "Avast, belay, likewise stand by, and man the second boats;
> At last this here Josephus guy has got the navy goats."
>
> "He changed our rum to liquids light"—they checked some bitter sobs—
> "He turned the 'starboard' into 'right' and still we held our jobs;
> But now, by gosh, we quit—we fight—stand fast, there—WE ARE GOBS."

To Understand Scenery Now Enjoyed Emotionally

THIS is the day of emotional enjoyment of national park scenery. Tomorrow is to be the day of appreciative enjoyment of national park scenery. In other words, various factors in the national movement have united in a campaign of education of the people so that they may double their enjoyment by having an understanding of the scenery they now enjoy only emotionally.

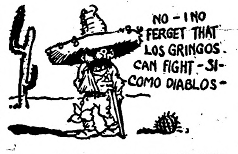


A work of this scope is a large undertaking. Nevertheless, this fact helps to lessen the undertaking. The national parks of America are not only the sublimest areas of natural beauty easily accessible, but are also the completest expression of the history of the earth in its making. Moreover nature has spread her records so that anybody with understanding may read; they are accessible to all.

When the day of the understanding of scenery comes and the American tourist views with real appreciation the stream-made Grand Canyon abyss, the giant crater of a vanished volcano that holds Crater lake, the Yosemite valley, glacier-dug; the naked granite core of the Rockies in Rocky mountain, and the old, old ice-carved shales of many-colored Glacier, his enjoyment will be greater in proportion to his knowledge. For no man can take out from nature's beauty more than he puts in—which is to say that we enjoy according to our experience and capacity.

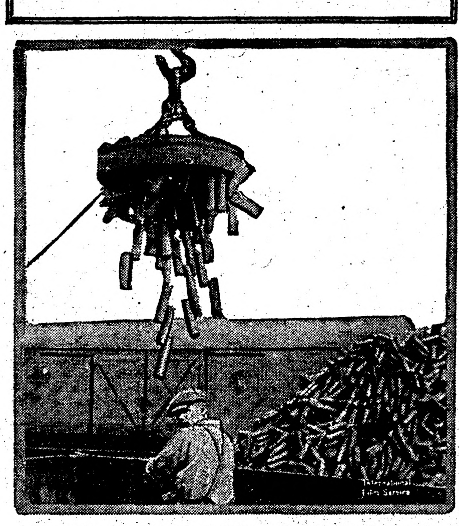
Why Mexicans Know Americans Can and Will Fight

SOME of the members of congress from the border states are all "het up" over the Mexican situation and say some forcible things in debate. Representative Hudspeth of Texas, a Democrat, made a speech the other day and said among other things, in connection with the Emerson resolution, which directs intervention:


NO - I NO FERGET THAT LOS GRINGOS CAN FIGHT - SI - COMO DIABLOS -

"You may say it means war. I say it does not mean war. They have not forgotten, gentlemen, when Zachary Taylor went almost to the City of Mexico with 6,000 troops and whipped Santa Anna at Buena Vista. They have not forgotten when Gen. Winfield Scott visited Mexico and whipped Santa Anna at Chapultepec. Santa Anna had 25,000 troops and Scott had only 5,000. They have not forgotten that the 'gringoes' can and will fight. They have not forgotten that Sam Houston and his 680 coonskin cap and flintlock frontiersmen vanquished Santa Anna with 1,800 of picked troops at San Jacinto, where a nation was born in the short space of 18 minutes. They have not forgotten the time when old Sam Houston rode his white horse, leading those unconquerable frontiersmen against Santa Anna at San Jacinto singing that love song, 'Come to the bower I have shaded for thee.' When he put the fear of God into them with the minie balls from the muzzle of the flintlocks and the craven cowards, when they saw death approaching, fell upon their knees in front of Houston and his gallant frontiersmen and pleaded, 'me no Alamo; me no Goliad,' when their hands at that time were red with the blood of the dead heroes of both places. No! They have not forgotten the Alamo, where Crockett died, where Fannin died, where Bowie died, where Travis drew his line and said, 'Every man who wants to die for the liberty of Texas come across this line,' and every man crossed. No; they know Americans will fight."

Millions of Unused Shells Go to Scrap Heap



Thousands upon thousands of shells made useless by the cessation of hostilities abroad are being unloaded of their charges and sent to various metal foundries. The photograph shows shells being unloaded from a box car by means of a monster magnet at the yards in Philadelphia, Pa. They will be melted and remade into implements of peace.

Overcoming Our Failures

Discouragement is a Menace to Happiness

There are times when notwithstanding our efforts we do not seem to make any headway with our ambitions, says a writer. We set high goals for ourselves and we make the attempt to gain them, but even though we plod perseveringly toward them we seem to meet only with obstacles and disappointments. Then it is that we begin to feel that discouragement which is bound to react to our undoing unless we pull ourselves up sharply. Life is not a bed of roses for anyone, for all that we envy the apparent ease and happiness of some of those with whom we come in contact. They, too, have their trials and their disappointments of which we know nothing, and who knows but that they bravely hide their real feeligns under a show of prosperity and happiness? No one likes to wear his heart upon his sleeve, and from the proudest to the humblest, from the richest to the poorest, there is ever uppermost the determination to hide the disappointment of ambitions unattained and hopes unfulfilled. It is only through earnest effort that we overcome our failures, whether they affect our spiritual or our worldly desires, and it is for this reason that discouragement is such a menace to happiness.

A FEW CONDENSATIONS

The police at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., are looking for a husky who stole 500 feet of brick paving.

A combined electric and sand bath for treating certain ills is the idea of a New York inventor.

A school to teach the arts, sciences and agriculture is planned for Iquitos by the Peruvian government.

For use where current is not available a ceiling electric light operated by a dry battery has been invented.

Man With Right Attitude Will Keep Morale Right

High courage often runs wild. It's a common thing for daring to run into the foolhardy. And when it does the victim often suffers such severe punishment that it is impossible for him to regain his proper balance with life problems. He loses self-confidence and becomes the lackey of those who choose to use him. So the proper morale keeps a man within his limits and helps him fill them to their capacity. The greater the natural endowments the worse the ruin when morale fails. On the other hand the man with the right attitude in life is almost sure to keep his morale right and win in spite of circumstances.

Data Show Production of Mexican Beans and Cotton

Statistics have just been given out covering the production of Mexican beans and cotton. According to the data at hand the states producing the former in greatest quantity were Jalisco and Sonora, with 37,500,000 and 18,878,775 kilos respectively, the total production of Mexico, according to official figures, being 101,979,319 kilos.

Mother's Cook Book

I believe in the deep blue sky and the smiling water.
I can see through the clouds of the sky,
And I am not afraid of the waves of the sea.
I believe in the living friendship given by the flowers and the trees;
Outwardly they die,
But in the heart they live forever.

Honey Dishes.

Honey is the nectar of flowers gathered by bees and ripened by them in the hive. Honey being a natural sweet is more easily digested and foods prepared from it will keep better than those prepared from sugar and molasses.

Honey Tea Cake.

Take one cupful of strained honey, one-half cupful of sour cream, two eggs, one-half cupful of shortening, two cupfuls of flour, one-half teaspoonful of soda and one teasponful of cream of tartar. Add salt to taste. Bake 30 minutes in a loaf pan.

Oberlin Layer Cake.

Take two-thirds of a cupful of shortening, one cupful of honey, three well-beaten eggs, one-half cupful of milk, two cupfuls of flour and one and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Bake in layers; use whipped cream for filling, which is sweetened with honey.

Honey Cookies.

Take one cupful each of sugar, honey, shortening and sour cream, three eggs well beaten, a teaspoonful of soda, a teaspoonful of flavoring and flour to roll.

Pumpkin Pie.

To one cupful of pumpkin add one-half cupful of honey, two eggs, a pint of milk, one teaspoonful of ginger, a grating of nutmeg and three drops of lemon extract; salt to taste. Mix and fill the shell. Bake slowly.

Honey Sauce for Puddings.

Boil one cupful of honey, one-fourth of a cupful of water, one tablespoonful of butter, a grating of nutmeg or a bit of cinnamon and the juice of one lemon. Cook together 15 minutes.

Honey Salad Dressing.

For a sweet dressing, use equal parts of lemon and orange juice with honey to make a sirup. Mix well and serve on fruit of various kinds.

Nellie Maxwell

It Is Important to Have First-Hand Information

It's a great thing to be your own scout.

Other men may know more about the technicalities of a thing. They may even be able to tell you just how to make the money they can't seem to get possession of. But after all a little first hand observation added to ordinary horse sense will go a long way toward putting you on the writing side of the desk. At Waterloo Napoleon had to depend on guides. He did not know the ground. Lacoste was trusted and hitherto had never failed him. Now he is responsible for the loss of life that brought defeat to the French arms and exile to the greatest general the world has ever seen. It's a great thing to have first-hand information.

Pleasure of Work.

After all, there is nothing that affords some people more real pleasure than agreeable work.

Army Officer Describes Animals, Birds, Reptiles of Panama Canal Jungle.

The blank spaces on the world's map have been dwindling so rapidly that it is a bit surprising to read of a great wilderness—unmapped, uninhabited and practically unknown—alongside one of the great American thoroughfares. In his account in Natural History, Lieut.-Col. Townsend Whelen states that a passage cut from the Panama canal some five miles through a tangled second growth of small trees and other vegetation leads to a gigantic wall of verdure, and this is the beginning of the primeval jungle comprising most of the eastern portion of the Republic of Panama, and extending about 300 miles in length by 50 to 100 miles in width. In this strange new world one can wander unimpeded by thorns and creepers, in a climate oddly cool and balmy. The vegetation is most impressive, even terrifying—giant moras, borigen, cavanillesia, ceibas, rubber and fig rising limbless 100 to 200 feet, with tops spreading to shut out the sky, and a lower growth of many kinds of slender tree ferns and palms, developed in semi-darkness, that shorten one's view without hindering progress. Hardly anywhere can one see more than 50 yards. The jungle is alive with a wonderful bird life, which is distributed in zones of altitude on the mountain slopes and locally from the ground to the tree tops—quail, tinamou and pheasants being common near the earth's surface, wrens, humming birds, thrushes and other species, in the low-bush level; doves, guans, owls and trogons, half way up, and parrots, parrakeets, macaws, toucans and cotingas, under the leafy roof. Tapir, deer, peccaries and other mammals, are abundant, though shy. The many serpents do little harm, the chief dangers being malaria, getting lost and falling branches and fruits.

Difference Between Dawn and Twilight; Ending and Beginning of Phenomenon

Twilight is the diffused illumination of the sky which immediately precedes sunrise and follows sunset. When the sun sets below our horizon, we are not at once plunged into the darkness of night. There is an intermediate period of partial and slowly increasing darkness which we call twilight. It is caused by the reflection of the sunlight by dust and particles of water vapor in the upper atmosphere. The same phenomenon occurs just before sunrise and, to distinguish it from the evening twilight, is called dawn. Dawn begins and twilight ends when the sun is about 18 degrees below the horizon, and consequently their duration varies with the latitude and with the season of the year. The higher the latitude the smaller the angle at which the sun's path meets the horizon, and hence the longer it takes the sun to sink to a distance of 18 degrees below the horizon. In the tropics twilight rarely lasts longer than 30 minutes, while in the latitude of north Scotland it lasts so long that about midsummer there are several nights on which it fills the entire interval between sunset and sunrise.

SHE HAS NO OCCUPATION

(Elsie Duncan Yale in Woman's Home Companion.)

She rises up at break of day,
And through her tasks she races;
She cooks the meal as best she may,
And scrubs the children's faces.
While schoolbooks, lunches, ribbons, too,
All need consideration,
And yet the census man insists
She has "no occupation."

When breakfast dishes all are done,
She bakes a pudding, maybe;
She cleans the rooms up one by one,
With one eye watching baby;
The mending pile she then attacks,
By way of variation,
And yet the census man insists
She has "no occupation."

She irons for a little while,
Then presses pants for daddy;
She welcomes with a cheery smile
Returning lass and laddie.
A hearty dinner next she cooks
(No time for relaxation),
And yet the census man insists
She has "no occupation."

For lessons that the children learn
The evening scarce is ample.
To "mother dear" they always turn
For help with each example.
In grammar and geography
She finds her relaxation,
And yet the census man insists
She has "no occupation."

Paints Retard Fire, but Give Little Protection

From tests made at the bureau of standards it appears that while practically all paint coatings have some fire-retarding action, none of those so far tested affords great protection. All the samples in question were materially damaged by application of flame for a few seconds. Both sodium salicylate and whitewash rank comparatively high. These have the advantage of cheapness and can both be used on the same surface. However, according to a recent bulletin of the bureau, no treatment of wood after erection can be expected to serve as an effective fire protection, and the use of such materials should not be made an excuse for omitting any of the usual precautions against fire.

Yea, Verily.

If we could really see ourselves as others see us we would save money at the photographer's. What most of us would like, however, is that others should see us as we see ourselves.

Making Money and Thrift

Sheer lack of thrift has caused more financial failures than anything else. How many men there are today who might have become wealthy had they only known how to save money! During the course of their careers they have earned large sums, but these have slipped from their fingers from day to day. They had the natural gift of making money, just as their successful rivals, but they lacked the quality of permanent success—which is thrift.

Although the ability to make money is, to a considerable extent, a matter of natural aptitude, the still more important accomplishments of thrift can be acquired by anyone. There is no excuse for not saving money.

Thriftlessness is an indication of weakness. It is indecision of character.

Thrift requires steadfastness, and the marshaling of the last ounce of moral strength that we possess. But it does not require any special genius or brilliant gift of mind.

It is within the power of every man and woman to thrive through the cultivation of prudent habits. Practices of thrift do not bring a guarantee of great wealth. But they are an absolute assurance of modest success and a never-failing protection against complete failure and poverty.

The primary value of thrift lies in the fact that through it we secure full advantage of the little things.

Those who are thriftless in money matters do not, as a rule, dissipate their resources in large amounts. The processes of waste are going on constantly, however, in the way of unnecessary or ill-advised spending.

On the other hand thrift consists of saving by small degrees.

A point often overlooked is that a few years of thrifty habits will place one in a financial position where he can enjoy many of life's wholesome pleasures, whereas continual thriftlessness yields only inadequate and superficial pleasure.—S. W. Straus in Thrift Magazine.

About Poultry Feeding

The high prices of grain this past year have caused many poultry people to try different feeds and feeding from what might be called standard feeding.

From reports reaching the Pennsylvania department of agriculture and the observations of the poultry experts in its employ, these experiments in new or abbreviated feeding have mostly been a failure and have resulted in much poultry having made an unprofitable growth and being puny and stunted.

A notable exception is the feeding of boiled oats, which feed, previously used by only a few poultry keepers, has become very popular, particularly among the larger poultry keepers having much feeding to do.

Boiled oats are greedily eaten by chickens of all ages; make a good growing and a good laying feed and in results obtained or obtainable are proving to be the cheapest food that has been available the last six months.

Boiled oats have largely, too, superseded the sprouted oats so much exploited a few years ago, as they are safer, a better and a less fussy feed.

To prepare, soak good, heavy oats 12 hours or more (in hot weather or a warm room a fresh lot should be soaked daily), dissolve one tablespoonful of salt in each bucket of water used for this; boil two or three hours and so gauge the amount of water used for soaking that at the finish the water is boiled away. Feed warm, but not hot. White Leghorn pullets can have these boiled oats twice daily, say, at 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., and all they will eat up clean. For old hens or heavyweight pullets, one feed a day is enough, and not too much at that, lest they become too fat on this much-liked feed.

SOME POSTSCRIPTS

In one region of government forest land in Argentina it is estimated that there are at least 1,000,000 pine trees large enough for profitable lumbering.

An Illinois inventor has patented hangers for barn or other doors that are suspended from tracks that can be adjusted to work properly when a door warps.

To save automobile tires when a car is standing in a garage a jack has been invented that automatically lifts the car clear of the floor when run over it.

The Siamese musical scale is an equal division of the octave into seven parts and music never is written, but learned by ear and handed down traditionally.

Tartar on Teeth May be Cause of Many Diseases

Where tartar is allowed to grow undisturbed it eventually covers the teeth and forces the gum from around them. The gums become spongy and bleed freely when brushed. In advanced stages pus pours out from around the roots of the teeth into the mouth and is swallowed into the stomach, causing many diseases. Keep your teeth clean if you wish to be healthy. Watch 'em! Your eyes can greatly assist in this work.

Poverty.

No man is poor that does not think himself so.—Jeremy Taylor.

Central Longitudinal Line of the United States Runs Through State of Kansas

Discussing the frequently used term "middle West," an American writer remarks that the territory so designated might more reasonably be called the "middle East." The central longitudinal line of the United States passes through Kansas not far from Topeka. On one side of the line, geographically speaking, lies the true West; on the other the true East, and the eastern side includes what is ordinarily called the "middle West," whereas the geographical "middle West" would cover the region of the Rocky mountains. The expression originated on the eastern seaboard, just when or how it would perhaps be difficult to discover, and seems in the beginning to have been a patronizing phrase indicating that, compared with the older cultural condition of the states bordering the Atlantic, the nearer states toward the west were well-meaning but somewhat backward, although nothing like so lacking in the amenities as those younger states which were growing up still nearer the sunset. The idea has vanished with the development of the nation, and the term remains as a convenient but rather indefinite way of referring to what many people think is really a geographical division of the country.

Why the Tree Leaves Turn Red When Chilly Autumn Days Return

An examination of the withered leaves of the autumn foliage at the time of their turning red shows that they contain more sugar and less starch than in midsummer. Leaves of evergreens, however, lose their red tints with the return of the warm season, and reassume their green color. In these plants—i. e., the holly and ivy—the sugar of the leaf is transformed into starch in springtime. From these observations two inferences can be drawn—first, that the red coloring substances are probably of the nature of the glucoses, being in most cases compounds of tannic substances with sugar; second, the chief physical conditions for the formation of the red color are sunshine, which, on the one hand, enhances the assimilation and production of sugar, and, on the other hand, quickens the chemical process that leads to the formation of the coloring matter, and, furthermore, a low temperature, which prevents the transformation of the sugar into starch. In other words, the red tints of autumn are the direct product of the meteorological conditions prevailing during that season—i. e., sunshine and low temperature.

Fate of American Indian, Now Slowly Disappearing

There is, in the fate of the Indian, much to awaken our sympathy, and much to disturb the sobriety of our judgment; much which may be urged to excuse their own atrocities; much in their characters which betrays us into an involuntary admiration. What can be more melancholy than their history? By a law of their nature, they seem destined to a slow, but sure extinction. Everywhere, at the approach of the white man, they fade away. We hear the rustling of their footsteps, like that of the withered leaves of autumn, and they are gone forever.—Joseph Story.

Silent Motor Coming.

The effort to make a silent motor and propeller for the airplane is progressing steadily.

Recreation, as Well as Relaxation, Is Necessary to the Happiness of All

We need breathing spells in life's bigger issues just as we need them in out routine work. No one may work continuously without some period of relaxation, and in the same way no one may bear up under heavy responsibilities unless he is able at times to forget them, observes the Charleston News and Courier. That is why recreation as well as relaxation is necessary to the happiness of us all. There is something within us, something that calls to us, as it were, in no uncertain tones to lay down our problems occasionally and try to divert our minds from them. If we are forced to live with those big crushing responsibilities, that weigh us down at every turn, that are never far away from us, that keep step with us in our daily walk, we shall miss much of the better, brighter part of life. Every one has the right to live his own life in the way which he thinks will be best for him, and it is a hard blow of fate which robs him of that right. Yet this is done more often in life than we realize, and one of the worst of our disappointments is to be forced to surrender the privilege of controlling our own lives as far as it is in our human power to do so. Because certain responsibilities are forced upon us we are often compelled to abandon the road which stretches so invitingly ahead and to seek another path, rough and hard to walk upon, full of obstacles and barren of those things that perhaps have meant the very wine of life to us.

A FEW SMILES

Not a Chance.

Jones—Just a tip about Brown—he intends getting a car from you—and he'll never pay.

Auto Agent—What shall I say when he calls?

Jones—Just tell him the truth about your car—anything to keep him from buying.

The Way of It.

"It was very unlike the majority of business men the way Ananias got into trouble."

"How was it?"

"Through both his assets and his lie-abilities."

The Cause.

"What makes Stiffins such a queer lead color?"

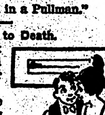
"I guess it is the plumbago his wife says he has in his back."

His Way.

"Did the foreign nobleman you were speaking of travel in this country incognito?"

"No, he traveled in a Pullman."

Tickled to Death.



"Do you think your father will consent to our marriage?"

"Wait until the bills for this month come in and then I am sure he will be glad to have you take me off his hands."

One Instant.

"I never saw such a lazy fellow. I gave him such a talking to that I scared him nearly to death."

"He is not all lazy. I noticed while you were talking that his face was working."

Britain's Prime Minister Is Nominated by Sovereign and Organizes Government

The premier, or prime minister of Great Britain, is nominated by the reigning sovereign. The king sends in the name of the leader of the party just successful at the polls and to that extent the appointment is dictated by the vote of the people. The sovereign appoints the prime minister to form a cabinet and organize the government. The appointment of premier does not have to be confirmed by parliament, but no prime minister could carry on the government of the country for any length of time who did not possess the confidence of the house of commons. He selects his colleagues or other members of the cabinet, and his resignation dissolves the ministry.

Japan Has Taken Steps to Encourage Sheep Raising.

Japan was verging on a wool famine during the recent war, and as a result of this condition the country has taken steps to encourage sheep raising. The government of Chosen recently incorporated the sum of $56,000 in the budget for the fiscal year of 1919 to be used in encouraging this industry.

Heavy Task.

Earrings made of heavy metal, to be worn with negligee attire, have been invented by a Philadelphia woman for drawing the lobes of the ears into more perfect shape.

STORIES of AMERICAN CITIES

Judge Sentences Automobile Speeders to Morgue

CHICAGO.—Instead of letting off the five fast drivers who were arraigned before him with customary fine, Judge Stelk ordered them all to report to Warden Michael Zimmer of the county morgue, and afterward to visit the county hospital to look upon the victims of reckless autoists who are stretched on beds of pain in that place. The cases were continued for a week.

"I want you all to have a chance to digest your impressions of the morgue," said the judge.

"You won't need to send me," pleaded A. W. Cornell of Western Springs. "I was only going 38 miles an hour on a clear road, straight ahead of me."

"I'm going to show you two widows, one with five children and one with 12, whose husbands were killed by men who were going 33 miles on a clear road," said the judge grimly. "If some one crossed the street ahead of you, you couldn't stop your car in 104 feet. You go out and look at those two men in the county morgue, and interview their families, and then come back a week from today and tell me what you think of it."

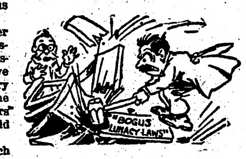
Joseph Bitel, 2100 South Halsted street, who was arrested for driving by the side of a street car while passengers were alighting didn't think he ought to go out, either.

"I fined you $25 a week or so ago for speeding, didn't I?" said the judge. "It didn't do much good. I'm going to send you out to see two little children in the morgue and then you can come back and tell me your thoughts on the speed problem."

Louis Koalvas, 5754 West Chicago avenue; A. H. Mangold and James John O'Donnell, 1924 Springfield avenue, were the other three sent to the morgue.

Chaloner's Mission Now to Fight "Lunacy Trust"

NEW YORK.—Branding alienists as "head hunters who, for a price, will send any man to the madhouse," John Armstrong Chaloner, sage of Virginia and author of "Who's Loony Now?" has announced his intention of devoting his life to fighting "bogus lunacy laws."



Summoning a group of newspaper men, whom he insisted upon addressing as "Gentlemen of the Fourth Estate," Mr. Chaloner said that five years of warfare would be necessary to defeat the "lunacy trust" in the United States and then only two years in Europe before there, too, he would be victorious.

The "lunacy trust" here "is rich and intrenched," he said, but asserted he was willing to devote to his campaign both his time and his income, which amounts to $112,000 a year.

On Sunday morning, November 9, at 7:45 o'clock, Mr. Chaloner will begin a series of lectures to which the public will be invited. He will continue the series for five months, under the title, "The Philosophic Aspects of Christianity."

"The lunacy laws of this state, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri and New England are rotten. In the South there are fewer rich men and it hasn't paid to organize a 'lunacy trust' there."

Mr. Chaloner (originally Chanler) is a grandson of John Jacob Astor and the owner of an estate valued at more than $1,500,000. He was adjudged insane in this state in 1897 on the petition of several of his relatives, and was confined in Bloomingdale asylum. Two years later he escaped and took refuge in Virginia.

The courts have now declared him sane and restored his fortune.

"The Quick and the Dead" Combined in One Soldier

SAN FRANCISCO.—A good many men have seen their death notices in a newspaper and read their own obituaries. It is a standing joke of the grimmest kind that many men are dead who don't know it. But here's a man who seems to be unable to convince the government he's alive. Anyway, to try to re-enlist in Uncle Sam's army and then be repeatedly told that he is dead is the experience of James Q. O'Malley of Plymouth, Cal.

YOU'RE DEAD—
I AM?

Although Col. T. E. Page, in charge of army recruiting here, insists that O'Malley is alive and produces the man to support his contention, official Washington insists that he is dead.

And O'Malley's mother, despite her repeated letters informing the war department that her son is alive, is receiving death compensation every month from the government.

O'Malley has been trying to re-enlist for weeks. He learned for the fourteenth time that he was dead when he applied to the recruiting officer recently for re-enlistment.

In making application for reinstatement O'Malley requested assignment to San Francisco in the motor transportation corps. In order to secure special assignment Colonel Page wired the adjutant general at Washington for this special dispensation and he received this telegraphic reply:

"Request in regard to James Q. O'Malley not understood. This soldier deceased October 16, 1918."

O'Malley has an honorable discharge given to him at the Presidio here in April of this year. He served overseas with the One Hundred and Eleventh engineers.

All his letters to the war risk insurance department asking them to discontinue his death compensation to his mother have been of no avail.

Patriotic Woman Buys League of Nations Stock

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—If you want the League of Nations to be a success you have got to support it by subscribing for stock. That was the argument used by "Miss Sarah Benson of Chicago" in Birmingham. "Miss Benson" called at the home of Mrs. Blank the other morning. Mrs. Blank, who refused to give her real name, laid the case before the police in the afternoon. Here is Mrs. Blank's story:

I'LL TAKE TWO SHARES WITHOUT CESERVATIONS
YES—TH' PRESIDENT AN' MISTER TAFT ARE BACKIN' THIS—

"I am just an ordinary woman. I read the papers occasionally, but generally just glance at the headlines; so when this woman came to my house and said that great men like President Wilson and William Howard Taft were backing the league and offered me stock at $4.50 a share I considered it a good business venture. She pointed out to me that the purpose of the League of Nations was to buy up all the material used by the different nations and make farming implements of it. I am a religious woman and she quoted me a verse from the Bible about men beating their swords into plowshares, and it impressed me as an admirable plan.

"When I informed her that I would take two shares she explained that 'stock with reservations was $6 a share and without them was $4.50.'

"'Which way is President Wilson taking his?' I inquired.

"She informed me that the president was taking his without the reservations, so I invested what money I had with the woman.

"When my husband came home I told him what I had done. He took about two hours explaining the League of Nations to me. I feel like a silly old hen, and people will tease me to death about it if my name is used."

Mrs. Blank thought that this woman should be caught. That is the reason she came to police headquarters and reported the matter.

TREAT OATS AND WHEAT FOR SMUT

Reports Show That It Pays to Use Formaldehyde at Time of Planting Crops.

WORK OF DIFFERENT AGENTS

Practically None of Fields Given Treatment Showed Any Signs of Disease—Farmers of Porter County Lost $140,000.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Evidence that it pays to treat wheat and oats at the time of planting with formaldehyde to prevent smut is given in reports of a number of demonstrations conducted by Indiana county agents. Fields of oats in DuBois county, sown with seed treated with formaldehyde for smut as recommended by the United States department of agriculture and the State Agricultural college, showed practically none of the disease, while fields planted from seed not treated contained about 15 per cent smut, according to the local county agent's report.

Work in Warren County.

As a result of the demonstration conducted by the county agent in Warren county it was found that a plot of oats planted with untreated seed showed 33 per cent smut, while another plot in the same field planted with treated seed was free from the disease. Other oat fields throughout the county that were not treated were infested with the disease in amounts varying from 7 to 35 per cent.

As the result of the damage done by wheat smut in Porter county, farmers will lose about $140,000 on the crop, according to statistics compiled by the county agent. In checking up the damage done by smut the agent found that the disease had caused 7 per cent decrease in the county's yield. About two-thirds of the farmers of the county treated their seed and effected a saving of nearly $100,000.

Smut in Steuben County.

The county agent of Steuben county, in company with a representative of the United States department of agriculture, found one field of wheat with as much as 84 per cent of smutted heads, and considerably more than 50 per cent of the crop was lost. Other fields showed as high as 40 to 50 per cent of scab. Where wheat had been sown in corn stubble ground the scab was much worse than where it followed other crops. The agent took advantage of the gatherings of farmers while they were thrashing to show how smut and other cereal diseases were causing losses and to demonstrate methods of seed treatment.

Protecting Seed Wheat Against Smut by Formaldehyde Treatment.

PASTURE FOR STOCK IN FALL

Highly Important to Keep Animals in Good Condition Through Fall and Winter.

One of the essential factors in keeping live stock in good condition through the fall and early winter, which is highly important, is good fall pasture, says Andrew Boss, vice director of the Minnesota experiment station. Nothing excels the grasses for pasture, though mixtures of the grasses and clover are better than either grasses or clover alone, and furnish the best kind of feed for all kinds of stock.

Where an abundance of cultivated grasses can be obtained for pasturage, no further attention need be given the subject. Meadow aftermath containing clover, or timothy and clover, makes good fall feed. Clover growing in the stubble field is also an excellent fall pasture. Pasturing stock on clover often enables the farmer to pick up some of the wasted grain, and the droppings of the live stock are beneficial to the land.

WOOD ASHES ARE VALUABLE

As They Have Peculiar Fertilizing Value They Should Be Carefully Stored Away.

The farmer who burns wood for heating or cooking should carefully store the ashes and not permit them to leach, as they have a peculiar fertilizing value. They not only contain potash and phosphoric acid in appreciable amounts, but also contain magnesia and lime, and when applied to the land they also act indirectly to increase the available nitrogen content of the organic matter in the soil.

GOOD STALLIONS TO IMPROVE COLT CROP

Harvest Aid, Animal of Highest Type, Is Purchased.

Work at New Breeding Station at Buffalo, Wyo., Carried on by Government in Co-operation With State Officials.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A standard-bred stallion, Harvest Aid, 63908, an animal of the very highest breeding type, has recently been purchased by the United States department of agriculture and placed at the government's new horse-breeding station at Buffalo, Wyo. Work at this station is being carried on in co-operation with the state of Wyoming, the object being to develop utility horses especially adapted to western range and farm conditions. Harvest Aid is by the champion trotting stallion The Harvester, and his dam is Santos Maid, a mare which holds the trotting record of 2:08¾, and a daughter of Peter the Great, the leading sire of speed in America. Harvest Aid is an animal of great stamina, good size and conformation, and while he was selected on his merits as an individual, the horsemen of the department say they are extremely fortunate in getting such a well-bred animal. It is not the purpose at the horse-breeding station to develop speed animals, but it is well understood that a good stallion from a family noted for its speed is highly desirable for the production of active utility horses.

A Sire That Insures an Improved Colt Crop.

MAKE MONEY RAISING BARLEY

Experiments Show It Will Surpass Corn as Ration for Fattening Hogs if Properly Fed.

Experiments at the Wisconsin experiment station show that barley will surpass corn as a ration for fattening hogs if it is properly fed. Twelve lots of pigs were fed, using with some a corn ration, while the others were given barley. The return for each pig over the cost of feed was $14.38 for the barley-fed pigs, and $12.38 for the corn-fed porkers.

One of the most interesting facts brought out was the value of a barley and whey combination, which netted a handsome return, and the gains made with this ration were very rapid.

If you are in a region which is suited for the production of barley, or if you have been using it as a nurse crop for alfalfa, do not be discouraged by the prospect of a lower price, due to the curtailing of the use of barley in the brewing industry. Perhaps it will pay you more than ever as a feed for your hogs and your other live stock.

LIMESTONE INCREASES YIELD

Demonstrations Carried On for Two Years in Indiana to Show Value of Ground Material.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

For two years the county agent in Jefferson county, Ind., has been carrying on demonstrations to show the value of ground limestone on acid soils. In one demonstration this year an average of 25½ bushels of wheat were produced to the acre. Neighbors who helped thrash this wheat, and who have land that is just as good, except that they did not make applications of ground limestone, obtained only 15 bushels to the acre. This high yield is hardly an exception, reports the agent, for similar results were obtained by other farmers in the section who used limestone.

ADVANTAGES OF SAME BREED

Better Prices Secured From Uniform Product and Breeding Stock Secured Near Home.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

There are many advantages to be gained when the stock raisers of one community raise the same breed. Better prices may be secured from the sale of a uniform product and suitable breeding stock can be secured near home.

FARMER WHO AIDS FERTILITY

Dairyman Who Studies Feed for Land Is Not Soil Robber—Something Must Be Put Back.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The dairy farmer not only studies how to feed his cow, but how to feed his land. He is not a soil robber, as he realizes that the farmer who reduces the fertility of his land robs without reason, since he steals from himself.

MOST DANGEROUS SWINE AILMENTS

Tuberculosis Among Brood Sows Is Not Serious Menace to Their Progeny.

THUMPS CAUSED BY WORMS

Pigeons and Other Birds Wrongfully Blamed for Spread of Hog Cholera—Canning Sausage in Oil Is Being Investigated.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Tuberculosis among brood sows does not seem to be a menace to their progeny if other exposure to infection is eliminated, experiments recently completed show. Feces of tuberculous cattle have been found to be the most dangerous tuberculous material to which hogs are exposed under natural conditions.

It now appears that the disease known as thumps in young pigs may in some cases at least be the result of intestinal worms, which in the larval state migrate to the lungs, causing pneumonia. Some very thorough work leads to that conclusion, and research is now being directed to prevent infection of suckling pigs with this parasite.

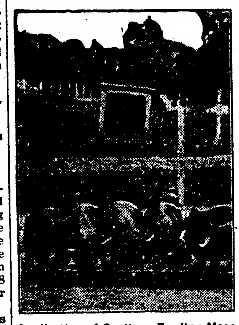
Immature and Hairless Pigs.

The disease causing the birth of immature and hairless pigs seems to be most prevalent in the far West. Its investigation is being continued.

It appears from experiments with hog-cholera virus and the ways in which cholera spreads that pigeons and similar birds are unlikely to transmit hog cholera.

In the field of meat inspection, the cause of ham souring has been worked out.

Canning sausage in oil has been investigated, and rules governing the preparation of this product have been adopted.



Application of Sanitary Feeding Measures Prevents Many Diseases.

Bacteria in the carcasses of hog-cholera hogs have been studied.

Prevent Entry of Dirty Water.

The process of dehairing and washing hog carcasses in packing establishments has been investigated and measures adopted to prevent dirty wash water from entering the wound in the neck and penetrating the blood vessels.

Studies of trichinae in pork have been continued, and the results, which obviate the necessity of microscopic inspection for trichina, have been used as a basis for revised meat-inspection regulations.

PROTECT MACHINES ON HAND

Avoid Needless Exposure to Weather and Lubricate All Bearings to Prevent Rust.

All practicable steps should be taken to preserve machinery now on hand. Needless exposure to the weather should be avoided, and in cases where it is not practicable to house machinery when idle, all bearings should receive a thorough application of heavy oil or grease to keep out moisture and prevent rust. On many farms machinery could be more adequately sheltered in the buildings available by exercising care in placing them so as to economize space.

STUDY DEMANDS OF MARKET

Uniform Color of Eggs and Flesh Is Always Most Desirable—Mixed Flock Not Wanted.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Every poultry raiser should make a study of the market demands. A uniform color of eggs and flesh in poultry is desirable. A mixed flock will not produce uniform eggs or meat, and eggs from such a flock are not desirable for hatching.

SILAGE FOR STOCK CATTLE

Splendid Results Produced When Fed in Connection With Cottonseed Meal or Alfalfa.

Silage alone is not first-class for stock cattle, owing to the fact that it is poor in protein, but silage fed in connection with a little oil meal, cottonseed meal or alfalfa hay produces splendid results.

CAMPAIGN IS ON FOR BETTER LIVE STOCK

Connecticut First State to Enroll as Supporter.

Movement Is Arousing Keen Interest in Various States Throughout the Country—Federal Authorities Keep Records.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Connecticut is the first state in the Union to enroll officially as a supporter of the "Better Sires—Better Stock" campaign. Connecticut authorities have decided to deputize their county agents with authority to examine and approve the animals of each farmer who desires admittance to the 100 per cent purebred sire club. Delaware and Virginia were the second and third states, respectively, to enroll. The "Better Sire—Better Stock" campaign, begun October 1, is arousing keen interest throughout the country.

Better Sires Mean Improved Stock.

The federal authorities in charge of the campaign will keep accurate records of the animals by kind, breed, sex and blood lines of each farmer who enrolls. The lists will be kept by states and counties so that there will be readily available a record of the breeding stock belonging to farmers who have been granted the official emblem of the better-sires movement.

An emergency county agent at Conyers, Ga., was the first to request enrollment blanks for distribution among the farmers of his section.

EFFICIENT WAY OF HAULING

Farmer Should Not Drive Home With Empty Wagon After Taking Crops to Market.

The farmer hauls his potatoes and other crops to town during the fall and winter, and drives home with the empty wagon. In the spring, when farm work starts, he drives in with an empty wagon and hauls out lime, machinery, seeds or fertilizers. He might far better order these goods early and haul them home when he brings in his crops. In other words, haul a load both ways, and save one trip. All farm supplies, such as machinery, lime, seeds and fertilizers, should be ordered early and hauled home. If not ordered until spring, the railroad will be unable to ship them. A "load both ways" means efficiency.

BEST SILAGE IS FROM CORN

Greatest Gains Made With Beef Feeders When Kernels Were Dented or Glazed.

Silage made from corn when the kernels were glazed or dented produced the greatest gains in beef feeding experiments conducted by the animal husbandry department of the South Dakota state college. The poorest gains from silage were made by steers receiving silage made from corn when the kernels were in the blister or milk stages. Silage from corn in the dough stage produced nearly as great gains as the more mature corn. The better the silage the less was required for a pound of gain.

FEED TROUGH FOR PORKERS

Device Should Be Constructed in Manner to Prevent Crowding and Each Pig Get His Share.

Construct a feed trough for pigs in such a fashion that the porkers cannot get their feet into it. This will lessen the possibility of crowding. Young pigs should be given their feed in such a way that each individual pig will get its share.

ADVANTAGES OF SILO

If corn is cut at the proper stage and put into a good silo, the whole corn plant is eaten.

Silage is more convenient to feed than any other rough feed commonly used on the farm.

Silage is both palatable and succulent.

The addition of a succulent feed to a ration increases the digestibility of the dry feed eaten.

With a silo it is possible to save corn that might otherwise, owing to immaturity, be largely wasted.

Your New Home should be made artistic, sanitary and livable.

These walls should be Alabastined in the latest, up-to-the-minute nature color tints. Each room should reflect your own individuality and the treatment throughout be a complete perfect harmony in colors.

The walls of the old home, whether mansion or cottage, can be made just as attractive, just as sanitary, through the intelligent use of

Alabastine

Instead of kalsomine or wallpaper

How much better, when you have a new home, to *start right* than to have to correct errors afterward from former treatment with other materials, when you come to the use of Alabastine, as does nearly every one sooner or later.

Once your walls are Alabastined you can use any material over it should you desire, but having used Alabastine you will have no desire for any other treatment.

Alabastine is so easy to mix and apply—so lasting in its results—so absolutely sanitary—and so generally recognized as the proper decorative material in a class by itself that it is becoming difficult to manufacture fast enough to supply the demand.

Alabastine is a dry powder, put up in five-pound packages, white and beautiful tints, ready to mix and use by the addition of cold water, and with full directions on each package. *Every package of genuine Alabastine* has cross and circle printed in red.

MIX IN ONE MINUTE WITH COLD WATER

THE ONLY TOOL NEEDED TO APPLY

Better write us for hand-made color designs and special suggestions. Give us your decorative problems and let us help you work them out.

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Even the feet of a lazy man can kick up trouble dust.

It's mighty easy to mistake prejudice for opinions.

A good intention makes a poor blanket on a cold night.

Truth and oil will come to the surface.

Encouraging Bolshevism

Everything that falsely encourages unrest also encourages bolshevism.

Misunderstanding of American industrial organization, and of its benefits to mankind, leads to unrest, dissatisfaction, and radicalism.

For example, the Federal Trade Commission tells the public that the large packers had an agreed price for lard substitute (made of cotton-seed oil.)

It reproduces letters taken from the files of one of the packers, showing that such agreed price existed.

But it failed to mention that the agreed price was determined at the request of and in co-operation with the Food Administration!

Even the Department of Justice, in its unjust attempt to create prejudice against the packers, has made public these same letters, with no explanation.

How long must this kind of misrepresentation continue? In so far as it is believed, it not only breeds discontent, but results in injustice to our industry.

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It will interest you.
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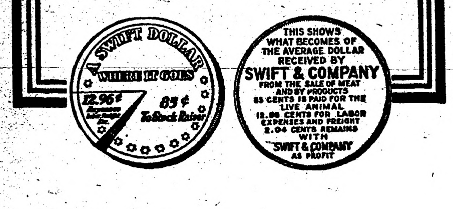

A SWIFT DOLLAR
WHERE IT GOES
12.96¢
85¢ To Stock Raiser
THIS SHOWS WHAT BECOMES OF THE AVERAGE DOLLAR RECEIVED BY SWIFT & COMPANY FROM THE SALE OF MEAT AND BY-PRODUCTS
85 CENTS IS PAID FOR THE LIVE ANIMAL
12.96 CENTS FOR LABOR EXPENSES AND FREIGHT
2.04 CENTS REMAINS WITH SWIFT & COMPANY AS PROFIT

HOT BATH TREATMENT FOR SEED WHEAT EFFECTIVE IN KEEPING DISEASE AWAY

Giving Seed Wheat a Bath to Rid It of Smut Infection.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A firebrand applied to inflammable tinder is no more destructive than are the smuts which annually ravage and pillage the grain crops of the United States. Last year 25,500,000 bushels of wheat, 110,000,000 bushels of oats, and 6,000,000 bushels of barley were the tribute paid to smut.

There are two smuts which attack wheat, the loose and covered smut. Loose smut is most serious in the southern winter wheat section, which includes southern Illinois, southern Indiana, southern Ohio, southern Pennsylvania, southern Missouri, Maryland, Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee, where it causes yearly losses ranging from 5 to 20 per cent of the entire crop. Loose smut shows conspicuously when the wheat comes into head. At this time it reduces the grain to dusty black refuse, consisting largely of spores of the fungus which are spread broadcast by the wind and rain. The dissemination of the disease is furthered by the fact that the blooming period of the healthy plants and the shedding of the spores in the diseased plants are simultaneous. Some of these spores reach the flowers and infect the developing seed. The seed shows no external evidence of the presence of the smut fungus, but when planted gives rise to the black heads in the next crop.

Loose Smut Difficult to Control.

Loose smut is hard to control because the fungus exists inside the seed, and hence cannot be reached by ordinary chemicals without killing the wheat embryo. Fortunately, the disease can be controlled by the hot-water treatment, which consists of soaking the seed in cold water from 8 to 6 hours and then dipping it in hot water at a temperature of 132 degrees Fahrenheit for ten minutes. Subsequently the seed should be spread out to dry. Great care must be exercised not to have the water too hot nor to allow the seed to remain in the water too long. An advisable system is to treat four or five bushels of seed and to sow it in a special plot, isolated from the wheat fields proper, in order that the seed from the plot may be used for seeding operations the following year. Farmers who treat their seed in this manner fortify their fields against invasion by loose smut.

Bunt or stinking smut ranges at large over the entire wheat-growing section and generally causes a crop damage of from 1 to 5 per cent, although frequent individual fields show losses which range from 20 to 40 and even as high as 50 and 75 per cent. Bunt is sporadic in distribution, occurring here and there and everywhere in irregular sequence. One field may be seriously infested while the neighboring field on the right may be free from the disease. The disease shows up a few days before the wheat is ripe. If one carefully examines the diseased head at this time he will note that the glumes are pushed slightly apart, while the developing kernel is of dark color. If he crushes open the kernel, really a smut ball, a mass of ill-smelling, brownish black spores is released. In thrashing, these smut balls are knocked out and more or less broken apart so that the spores are scattered over the sound seed. On account of its bad smell, millers discount and penalize wheat covered with bunt dust.

Formaldehyde Bath Kills Bunt.

Stinking smut or bunt is easily controlled by use of formaldehyde, one pint or one pound of commercial formalin being dissolved in 40 gallons of water. The seed to be treated should be freed as much as possible from smut balls and other foreign matter and then should be placed in a loose gunny sack, filling the sack about two-thirds full, and then the sack should be dipped in the formalin solution and kept there about ten minutes. By raising and lowering the sack the grain will be mixed thoroughly and brought into complete contact with the solution. After treatment the grain must be dried and carefully protected from further contamination either in the sack or in the planting machinery. One pint of commercial formaldehyde solution dissolved in 40 gallons of water is usually sufficient for the treatment of 40 bushels of seed grain.

In the far West and on the Pacific coast, because of the occurrence of soil infestation by smut in that region, the copper-sulphate treatment is preferable to the formaldehyle method on controlling bunt. The former treatment consists in dipping the seed in a solution of one pound of copper sulphate dissolved in five gallons of water When the seed is removed from the copper-sulphate solution it should be dipped in a mixture of one pound of quicklime to ten gallons of water, this latter measure being necessary to prevent the continued injurious action of the copper sulphate on the grain after the smut spores have been killed. At thrashing time the smut spores are spread broadcast over the fallowed land by the wind, as fallowing for wheat is a common practice in the Pacific Northwest. Subsequently, when the fall rains occur, these spores germinate and infect the young wheat plants as they develop. Hence seed treatment is not entirely effective, but generally the copper-sulphate control gives the better results because some of the chemical adheres to the seed and prevents infection from the soil.

BEAUTY BATH HELPS APPEARANCE OF HEN

White Fowls Must Be Washed Before Put on Exhibition.

Birds of Various Colors Can Be Improved by Fluffing and Grooming—Soft or Rain Water at Right Temperature Is Best.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

All white fowls must be washed, and most fowls of other colors can be improved in appearance by washing, fluffing and grooming before the show.

For white birds have three tubs, one filled with warm, soft or rain water, another with warm, soft or rain water, and the third with warm, soft or rain water colored the proper shade to rinse and blue white goods. Use a bar of good white or castile soap, a large sponge and a nail brush. Have the temperature of the room 80 or 85 degrees and bring the birds in clean exhibition coops, the floors of which should be covered with fresh, dry shavings.

Wash the males first. Clean the shanks and feet with the nail brush, soap and water. Insert the bird in the first tub and push it down under the water several times until the plumage is wet through; make a heavy lather with the sponge and soap and thoroughly wash the plumage with the sponge; open the wings and sponge them in the direction of the feathers. Always wash the length of the feather, from the quill to the tip and not across it.

Keep the bird's head out of the soapy water if possible; sponge the soap off the bird and remove to the second tub. Press it under the water several times, allow it to stand and drip for a few seconds, and then dip it twice in the tub containing the bluing water. Remove the bird from the water, hold its legs firmly and raise it up and down quickly, so that it will flap and expand its wings and tail, and shake out the water.

Do not use a towel to dry a white bird. Move the exhibition coop near the fire or some heat so that the bird will dry. Lifting up the plumage of the breast and opening the feathers of the fluff while drying has a tendency to increase the apparent size of these sections. It is necessary to examine the white birds frequently if the coops are near a stove to guard against overheating them or scorching or curling their feathers.

GENERAL FARM NOTES

Destruction of grasshopper eggs by fall plowing, disking, or harrowing is recommended when practicable.

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Let the brood sow live out all summer in the open on succulent pasture, developing bone and muscle.

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The real "handy man" about the farm is the one who has everything at hand for the work to be done.

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Marketing is one of the many problems that farmers must solve before they can expect to get satisfactory profits on their labor and capital in farming.

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To control celery blight spray plants every two or three weeks with bordeaux mixture, 4-4-50. It will do very little good after the disease appears.

ASPIRIN FOR HEADACHE

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer

Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Headache, Colds, Pain, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin toxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

Roundabout Increase.

"Do you think cold storage increases cost?"

"Undoubtedly. It makes the price of an unfrozen egg almost prohibitive."

A SUMMER COLD

A cold in the summer time, as everybody knows, is the hardest kind of a cold to get rid of. The best and quickest way is to go to bed and stay there if you can, with a bottle of "Boschee's Syrup" handy to insure a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning.

But if you can't stay in bed you must keep out of draughts, avoid sudden changes, eat sparingly of simple food and take occasional doses of Boschee's Syrup, which you can buy at any store where medicine is sold, a safe and efficient remedy, made in America for more than fifty years. Keep it handy.—Adv.

WOULD HAVE ONE GOOD FEED

Man With $700,000,000 Had Meal Figured Out, Even to Amount Left for Waiter.

"I read in the paper," said the fat plumber, "about a Columbiana man who is to inherit part of $700,000,000."

"Gee," said the thin carpenter, "I'd like to be in on a fortune like that."

"What would you do if you had $700,000,000?"

"I have always wanted a lot of money and I know just what I'd do."

"Well—"

"I'd go right into the biggest hotel in New York city—"

"Yes—"

"And I'd walk right into the main dining room—"

"Yes—"

"And I'd say to the waiter: 'Bring me the best plank steak you have in the house.'"

"Uh, huh."

"And after I had eaten it I'd tell the waiter to bring me the check."

"Of course."

"I'd pay the check with my money and then I'd take my 30 cents change to tip the waiter."—Youngstown Telegram.

Naturally.

"Weren't you once a hand-reader?"

"Yes, those were my palmy days."—Baltimore American.

Both Supplied.

"We have an old family knocker on our front door."

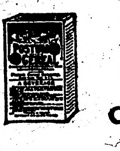
"We have one inside."

Crazy.

"She's crazy about me."

"If she thinks anything at all about you she's certainly crazy."

Conscience is something that makes a guilty man tremble every time it thunders.



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Two sizes usually sold at 15¢ & 25¢

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Was Laid Up In Bed

Doan's, However, Restored Mrs. Vogt to Health and Strength. Hasn't Suffered Since.

"I had one of the worst cases of kidney complaint imaginable," says Mrs. Wm. Vogt, 6315 Audrey Ave., Wellston, Mo., "and I was laid up in bed for days at a time.

"My bladder was inflamed and the kidney secretions caused terrible pain. My back was in such bad shape that when I moved the pains were like a knife-thrust. I got so dizzy I couldn't stoop and my head just throbbed with pain. Beads of perspiration would stand on my temples, then I would become cold and numb. My heart action was affected and I felt as if I couldn't take another breath. I got so nervous and run down, I felt life wasn't worth living and often wished that I might die so my suffering would be ended. Medicine failed to help me and I was discouraged.

"Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended to me and I could tell I was being helped after the first few doses. I kept getting better every day and continued use cured me. My health improved in every way and best of all, the cure has been permanent. I feel that Doan's saved my life." *Sworn to before me,*
HENRY B. SURKAMP. Notary Public.

MRS. VOGT

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"HANG ON" FOR MANY YEARS

Scientists Know That Jellyfish Live Long, but "What Do They Get Out of It?"

In a recent lecture to children at the Royal Institution, London, Prof. D'Arcy W. Thompson told of a jellyfish known as Granny that was rescued by Sir John Graham Dalyell and kept alive in sea water. Granny, according to Prof. Thompson, was carefully tended by Sir John and fed regularly one-half mussel a fortnight. She throve exceedingly under this kind attention. Six hundred of her offspring were known. On the death of Sir John she passed to the care of an arctic explorer and was bequeathed by him to another scientific man. Granny outlived four protectors and died at last, Oct. 11, 1887, at the authentic age of 67 years, because of the neglect or ill-treatment of a botanist.

Prof. Thompson did not say so, but he left it to be assumed that had the neglectful botanist been as careful and attentive as was Sir John Dalyell Granny might yet be alive, says the New York Tribune, in which case she would be no less than 98 years old, and assuming that she was at least two when Sir John found her, which seems probable, she would be well past the century mark.

The greatest dividend in human life is happiness.

Potatoes, tobacco and corn are native to America.

BITRO-PHOSPHATE IS GOOD FOR THIN NERVOUS PEOPLE

A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE.

Frederick S. Kolle, M. D., Editor of New York Physicians' "Who's Who," says that weak, nervous people who want increased weight, strength and nerve-force, should take a 5-grain tablet of Bitro-Phosphate just before or during each meal.

This particular phosphate is the discovery of a famous French scientist, and reports of remarkable results from its use have recently appeared in many medical journals.

If you do not feel well; if you tire easily; do not sleep well, or are too thin; go to any good druggist and get enough Bitro-Phosphate for a two weeks' supply—it costs only fifty cents a week.

Eat less; chew your food thoroughly, and if at the end of a few weeks you do not feel stronger and better than you have for months; if your nerves are not steadier; if you do not sleep better and have more vim, endurance and vitality, your money will be returned, and the Bitro-Phosphate will cost you nothing.

THE "BLUES" Caused by Acid-Stomach

Millions of people who worry, are despondent, have spells of mental depression, feel blue and are often melancholy, believe that these conditions are due to outside influences over which they have little or no control. Nearly always, however, they can be traced to an internal source—acid-stomach. Nor is it to be wondered at. Acid-stomach, beginning with such well defined symptoms as indigestion, belching, heartburn, bloat, etc., will if not checked, in time affect to some degree or other all the vital organs. The nervous system becomes deranged. Digestion suffers. The blood is impoverished. Health and strength are undermined. The victim of acid-stomach, although he may not know the cause of his ailments, feels his hope, courage, ambition and energy slipping. And truly life is dark—not worth much to the man or woman who has acid-stomach!

Get rid of it! Don't let acid-stomach hold you back, wreck your health, make your days miserable, make you a victim of the "blues" and gloomy thoughts! There is a marvelous modern remedy called EATONIC that brings, oh! such quick relief from your stomach miseries—sets your stomach to rights—makes it strong, cool, sweet and comfortable. Helps you get back your strength, vigor, vitality, enthusiasm and good cheer. So many thousands upon thousands of sufferers have used EATONIC with such marvelously helpful results that we are sure you will feel the same way if you will just give it a trial. Get a big 50 cent box of EATONIC—the good tasting tablets that you eat like a bit of candy—from your druggist today. He will return your money if results are not even more than you expect.

EATONIC (FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

His Invulnerability.

"No, I do not think you are deceiving me," replied old Festus Pester; to the somewhat disgruntled inquiry of the purveyor of oil stock. "In fact, I know you are not. No one can deceive me about oil stock. I am perfectly aware that not more than one person in every thousand who invests in that sort of truck ever even gets his money back. If it were of any account, my young friend, you would not be peddling it around."—Kansas City Star.

If you once get into the habit of telling the truth you will find it much easier than lying.

It is not so much what you earn as what you spend that counts.

NEGLECTING THAT COLD OR COUGH?

Why, when Dr. King's New Discovery so promply checks it

IT'S natural you don't want to be careless and let that old cold or cough drag on or that new attack develop seriously. Not when you can get such a proved successful remedy as Dr. King's New Discovery.

Cold, cough, grippe, croup does not resist this standard reliever very long. Its quality is as high today as it always has been—and it's been growing steadily in popularity for more than fifty years. 60c. and $1.20 a bottle at all druggists.

Constipated? Here's Relief

Not that often harmful, always violent and temporary help that comes from harsh purgatives, but the comfortable, gratifying, corrective regulation of stubborn bowels so pronounced in Dr. King's New Life Pills.

Tonic in action, they promote free bile flow, stir up the lazy, thoroughly but gently cleanse the system of waste matter and fermenting foods, and give you keen zest for hard work and healthful recreation. All druggists—25c.

GET SLOAN'S FOR YOUR PAIN RELIEF

You don't have to rub it in to get quick, comforting relief

Once you've tried it on that stiff joint, sore muscle, sciatic pain, rheumatic twinge, lame back, you'll find a warm, soothing relief you never thought a liniment could produce.

Won't stain the skin, leaves no muss, wastes no time in applying, sure to give quick results. A large bottle means economy. Your own or any other druggist has it. Get it today. 35c, 70c, $1.40.

Sloan's Liniment Keep it handy

STATE BREVITIES

Moorhead.—A loan of $50,000 was granted the Moorhead school board by the state investment board. The money will be used to help in payment of the cost of building the new Third ward school building.

Farmington.—The school teachers of Farmington have petitioned the school board for a $15 a month increase. No action was taken by the school board at its regular meeting. The salaries of the teachers now range from $80 to $125.

St. Paul.—Nine cases of influenza in St. Paul and twelve in the state at large were reported during September, according to figures issued by the state board of health. Outside of St. Paul not more than two cases were listed in any community.

Winona.—As a result of eating poisoned berries, it is said, Mildred Eaves, 3 years old, is dead and the mother, Mrs. Owen Eaves, and another child are critically ill at their home at Alma, Wis. All were taken violently ill with convulsions. The authorities are investigating.

Two Harbors.—The Duluth & Iron Range railroad has laid off two of its train crews hauling ore from the Vermillion range, presumably as a consequence of the strike at Ely. The company has 17 trains in operation to bring the bulk of its business here by way of Biwabik.

Ellendale. — Citizens of Ellendale were hosts to the returned service men of this section. A banquet with a number of prominent men of the state as speakers, a football game between a squad from Pillsbury academy and the Blooming Prairie high school eleven marked the day's program.

Pipestone.—The Knights of Columbus council of this city made plans for the initiation of a class of 75 last Sunday. The first and second degree were conferred by the Pipestone council and the third degree was exemplified by a degree team from Minneapolis. It was the first big initiation that the local council has had in the last two years.

Mankato. — Teachers from over southern Minnesota attended the 33d annual convention of the Southern Minnesota Teachers' association. Superintendent F. O. Hartwell of St. Paul, delivered the opening address, and Dr. Julius Boraas, head of the department of education, St. Olaf college, Northfield, spoke on "The Teacher as a Promotor of Democracy."

Pipestone.—W. C. Anderson was elected first mayor of Hatfield. newly incorporated village, at the initial election. Theodore Smallfield, Nick Pechon and J. H. Wiener were chosen as councilmen; W. M. Smith, clerk; N. J. Nisson, treasurer, and John A. Thompson, justice of the peace. Hatfield is the second village in the county to incorporate during the present year.

Hibbing.—The village of Hibbing, the village council, the Oliver Mining company and the Mesabe Railway company are defendants in an injunction suit instituted by 150 local residents, who are seeking to prevent the defendants from removing railroad ties, roads or bridges from any section of the present Hibbing village site. The district court granted a temporary restraining order.

St. Cloud.—James de Rocher, "trusty" at the local state reformatory who walked off a few weeks ago while outside the institution at the farm colony was located by Superintendent Scott at a camp at Round Lake north of Brainerd, and James is now back at the institution. He was sent from Brainerd on a maximum ten year sentence. and will probably have to serve out his full term.

Springfield.—Returned soldiers, sailors and marines of this vicinity were the guests at a homecoming celebration here. The boys were served with a free dinner, after which a program of sports and exhibition flights was held. A baseball game between Springfield and Fairfax and a football game between the local eleven and Sleepy Eye high schools marked the sport program. A fireworks display was given at night.

Fairmont.—The Commercial club in a resolution condemned the commissioners of Hennepin county, who are holding up contracts for the completion of the Cedar avenue highway to Minneapolis, approved of the action of the Dakota county commissioners and formed committees to obtain from the merchants of Rochester and other intervening towns petitions telling the commissioners that they are defeating the interests of their city.

Pipestone.—There is a report in circulation here to the effect that a farmer's wife found a grip lying in the road near their place which contained $150,000 in currency and Liberty Bonds. The find is supposed to have taken place a few miles southwest of Pipestone, but all efforts to secure the name of the party who is said to have found the fortune have been fruitless. Much credence is given the report, however, and it is believed that the money was the booty of bank robbers who have recently made extensive hauls in South Dakota towns.

St. Cloud.—D. W. Schwartz, a sailor, was here in an effort to learn of the whereabouts of Malcolm Rose, a St. Cloud youth who had enlisted in the navy as a bugler. Rose disappeared from the naval station some time ago. About a month ago he was apprehended by the Little Falls police and held there on a charge of vagrancy, but escaped.

Lake City.—Representative Sidney Anderson of the first Minnesota district has appointed Glenn B. McConnell of this city to take the West Point Military academy entrance examination in February.

Moorhead.—Mike Dauner raised a $5,000 crop of potatoes this year on tyenty-nine acres of his farm in Keene township, Clay county.

East Grand Forks.—The East Grand Forks high school is planning to place a debate team in the state league this year to contest for a Minneapolis trophy cup.

Crookston.—Work has been started on the construction of the new Great Northern bridge and viaduct. Sixth street. A large pile driving machine is in operation.

Minneapolis.—Appointment of J. A. Will of St. Louis as chief federal examiner for the reserve banks of the western district is announced by the federal reserve board at Washington.

St. Paul.—Boys and girls of the state, backed by the Minnesota Livestock Breeders' association, will put on a baby beef, lamb and fat hog show at South St. Paul, Nov. 19, 20 and 21.

St. Cloud.—Eight city officials including the mayor, city clerk and council from Detroit, Minn., were here one afternoon recently to inspect the paving work done here in the past summer.

East Grand Forks.—Farmers on Minnesota Point and the vicinity of East Grand Forks are having little or no difficulty in securing plenty of laborers to harvest the potato crop this year.

Stillwater.—Dwight Jones, an employe of the Twin City Forge & Foundry company, received a compound fracture of the right leg below the knee while working in the foundry department.

St. Cloud.—C. W. Bancroft, charged with stealing an automobile at Wahpeton and brining it into Stearns county and disposing of it, was released from the county jail on a $500 bond furnished by his wife.

Moorhead.—Frank Robotka of the University Farm, St. Paul, has been in this section to make preliminary arrangements for a short course in bookkeeping by the officers of farmers cooperative organizations.

St. Cloud.—Letters have been received here from a large manufacturing concern in Middle Grandville, N. Y., making inquiries as to the granite production here and the possibilities of obtaining and unlimited amount of crushed granite.

East Grand Forks.—Philip Lundy and Louis Hochberg, both of Grand Forks, charged with the theft of Wheat from the granary of Paul St. Lawrence near East Grand Forks, were bound over to the session of the Polk county grand jury on a larceny charge.

Owatonna.—Steele county now has two posts of the American Legion, the second, at Blooming Prairie, having just been temporary organized with a membership of nearly 250. Plans are being made for its formal organization some time late this month.

Virginia.—Edward Nyquist, Herman Hyvonen and Albert Nyquist, farmers living near Biwabik, who were arrested by Game Warden George E. Wood on a charge of killing a moose out of season at Birch lake, waived examination before Judge Carey here and announced they would plead guilty in district court.

Bemidji.—Mayor L. F. Johnson, who was asked by a vote of 8 to 5 to resign by the city council said he would take the matter under consideration and denied he was responsible for alleged bad conditions. The mayor's resignation was asked in a resolution adopted by the council to straighten out bootlegging conditions which have existed for some time.

St. Paul.—Actual field work has been started to determine methods of preventing floods in the Minnesota River valley. Similar investigations in the Red Lake and Roseau river basins will be undertaken when pending negotiations with Canadian officials handling interrelated problems are completed, accordng to E. V. Willard. state drainage engineer.

Elk River.—Motor bandits who shot and killed Deputy Sheriff Edward Foley and twice wounded Deputy Will Iliff, are still uncaught. The fugitives were traced with bloodhounds for three miles from the scene of the battle at the Elk river bridge. One of the bandits is believed wounded. Some officials say the bandits may still be in hiding in the woods along Elk river but various rumors have started indicating their escape.

Cambridge. — Walter Johnson, a farmer living near West Point, Minn., who was shot and killed by guards placed at the West Point bridge to watch for escaped bandits, when he disregarded a challenge to stop, came to his death by a member of a posse directed to guard the bridge and the person responsible for his death is not guilty of culpable negligence, according to a verdict of a coroner's jury at the inquest held here.

St. Cloud.—A windstorm which took on the proportions of a small tornado, started west of Paynesville and swept a stretch of country about four miles wde and 50 miles long. It demoralized telephone and telegraph service and destroyed many small farm buildings, according to reports reaching here. The wind followed a southwesterly direction and swept through Collegeville, St. Joseph and Rice. No one was injured according to reports. At Paynesville the wind was accompanied by a hailstorm

Worthington.—Charles Morton Cory, 53, for the last twenty-seven years judge of probate of Nobles county, died at his home here after two month's illness. Judge Cory came to this state in 1885 from Indiana. He was a graduate at Carleton college and the University of Minnesota law school. He is survived by his widow and four children.

Beltrami.—W. I. Nolan, speaker of the house of representatives was the principal speaker here at a homecoming celebration in honor of the returned soldiers, sailors and marines of Polk and Northern Norman counties.

Consideration for the Pastor.

"I'se done been down to de show grounds," said Goat Simmons, the gambling man, upon meeting old Deacon Holler on circus day. "Dey's got a dancer—yaller lady dat claims to be a Orient, or suppin'—dat squirms scan'lous. If yo' wants to see her, sah, go to de striped tent. All de niggers is pilin' in, fas as dey kin puhdoose deir dimes, and—

"Mussy sakes!" was the shocked reply. "Somebody ortuh go right quick and tell Pahson Bagster 'bout dat!"

"W'y, yassah! I'm gwine right by his house—if yo' think de pahson would like to see dat lady dance I'll stop and tell him."—Kansas City Star.

Getting On.

Old Pa Pscadds—Won't have you marrying a mere clerk. You tell that young man to keep away until he has an interest in his firm.

Myrtle Pscadds—Why, dad, he has that now. The manager told him he'd have to take some interest in his work or he'd lose his job, and he's already done it.

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"Say," said the stage manager to the heavy villain, "you've got to cut down a little on that murder scene with the bishop. You had the women in the house hysterical last night. It was too realistic!"

"I can't help it," growled the villain. "That guy borrowed four bits from me last pay day and won't come across."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Too Ill to Work

Scores of Women

in homes, stores, offices and factories are not fit to be at work. They toil on day after day and year after year suffering with distressing weaknesses and derangements, hoping against hope that they will soon feel better, but how can they hope to do good work or escape permanent invalidism?

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—Mrs. TIMOTHY GRANEY,
426 Connor Ave., Joplin, Mo.

And Another

Chicago, Illinois.—"I suffered for four years with pains in my sides, hips and legs and a terrible backache. I could not do any work at all. I was treated by many physicians but they did not help me. I read in one of your books where other women have been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, so I tried it and it helped me very much so that now I can do everything in the house. I have told my friends about Vegetable Compound and you have my permission to use this letter."—Mrs. I. OVENSTEIN, 902 S. Marshfield Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Three and 50-100 Dollars, which became due on the 9th day of August 1918, which said sum is now due and payable upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by R. Leroy Olson and Marie Olson, husband and wife, Mortgagors to Merchants State Band of Red Lake Falls, a Minnesota Corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 9th day of August 1917, and with a Power of Sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall Minnesota, on the 13th day of August 1917, at 8:30 o'clock, A. M., in Book 82 of Mortages on page 280.

AND WHEREAS, by reason of the default hereinbefore mentioned the said Mortagee chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable, making Thirty and 20-100 Dollars which is claimed to be due and is due upon the aforesaid mortgage at the date of this notice,

AND WHEREAS, said mortgage is conditioned that if the Mortgagors shall fail to pay their prior mortgage of Two Hundred Dollars upon the same land or any installment of interest due thereon, that the Mortgagee in this mortgage now being foreclosed, may pay the same, and have a lien therefor under this mortgage, and default having been made in the payment of Twelve Dollars, interest due August 9th 1918, and in the payment of Twelve Dollars interest due August 9th 1919, upon said prior mortgage, represented by coupon interest notes bearing six per cent interest after maturity, the same was paid by the undersigned, said Mortgagee, and there is now due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon account of the interest so paid upon said prior mortgage Twenty-four and 84-100 Dollars, in all amounting to the sum of Fifty-five and 04-100 Dollars, due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice; and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage herein first described, will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section number Thirty-one (31), in Township number One Hundred and Fifty-five (155) North, of Range number Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and located in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 4th day of November 1919, at ten o'clock, A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fifty-five and 04-100 Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, September 9th 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee
Fred L. Farley
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fourteen dollars ($14.00) which became due on the 20th day of May, 1917, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Gunil Vroman, a widow, mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of May, 1915, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 73 of Mortgages on page 138 thereof; and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit: Fifty-six dollars ($56.00) became at once due and payable and was so declared by the mortgagee; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice, the sum of Sixty-nine dollars and six cents ($69.06) and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th 1917, and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th, 1918, and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th. 1919, the three latter amounts being for interest paid by the mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage, upon a prior mortgage of $700.00 upon said land, default having been made in the payment of same by said mortgagor; the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being Two hundred and five dollars and fourteen cents ($205.14), and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of said power of sale, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) in Township One hundred fifty-seven (157) North of Range Forty (40) West, in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said county and state, on the 1st day of November, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $205.14 and interest from date of this notice, and taxes if any, and an attorney's fee of $25.00 as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 12th. 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee
Chas E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Twenty dollars ($20.00) which became due on the 18th day of December, 1918, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Johannah Sullivan, a widow, mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 18th day of December, 1916, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 170 thereof; and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default the whole principal sum remaining unpaid, to-wit: Eighty dollars ($80.00), became at once due and payable and was so declared by the mortgagee; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Eighty-six dollars ($86.00), and the further sum of $55.00 with interest thereon at 5½% since December 18th, 1918, the latter amount being for interest paid by the mortgagee, under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of $1000.00 upon said land, default having been made in the payment of the same by said mortgagor; the total amount so claimed to be and payable at the date of this notice being One hundred forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents ($143.25); and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of Section twenty-eight (28) in township one hundred fifty-six (156) North of Range forty (40) West, in Marshall County, state of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 1st day of November, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $143.25 and interest from date of this notice and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of $25.00 as as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 12th 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036.00) dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Carl Engebretson and Bertha Oline Engebretson, his wife Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Holt, a corporation Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of October 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of April 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 74 of Mortgages, on page 560.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Farmers State Bank of Holt, Mortgagee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls by written assignment dated the 16th day of June 1916, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 15th day of November 1917, at 8.00 o'clock A. M., in Book 90 of Mortgages on page 331 and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036.00) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Southwest quarter (SW¼) and the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty (30) in Township One hundred fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-three (43) West, of the fifth (5) Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing Eighty acres of land more or less according to the U. S. Government Survey thereof in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 1st day of November 1919, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036) Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 16th A. D. 1919

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.
Chas. E. Boughton
Attorney
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John H. Smith and Mable Smith, his wife, Mortgagors to W. S. Ericson Mortgagee, bearing date the 24th day of November 1913, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of November 1913, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages, on Page 413. Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said W. S. Ericson, mortgagee, to John G. Jaenike, by written assignment dated the 23rd day of June, 1914, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 24th day of June, 1914, at 8.30 A. M. in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 25 thereof;

And which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly further assigned by said John G. Jaenike, assignee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, by written assignment dated the 2a day of June, 1919, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 21st day of August, 1919, at 8:00 A. M., in Book 86 of Mortgages on page 282 thereof. Which default has continued to the date of this notice, by the failure and neglect of said Mortgagor to make payment of the principal and interest by said mortgage secured, which by its terms became due and payable on the 1st day of December 1918.

AND WHEREAS, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 48-100 ($997.48) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, towit: The Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Eleven (11) in Township One hundred fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth principal meridian in Minnesota, containing one hundred sixty acres of land more or less according to the Government Survey thereof in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of November 1919, at 10.00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 48-100 Dollars, and interset and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 15th A. D. 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee
Chas. E. Boughton
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen Dollars, which became due on the 8th day of August 1918, which said sum is now due and payable upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Benno Menzel and Charlotte Menzel, husband and wife, Mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a Minnesota Corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of August 1916 and with a Power of Sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall Minnesota, on the 19th day of September 1916, at 8:30 o'clock, A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 68.

AND WHEREAS, by reason of the default hereinbefore mentioned the said Mortgagee chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable, making Seventy-eight and 74-100 Dollars which is claimed to be due and is due upon the aforesaid mortgage at the date of this notice.

AND WHEREAS, said mortgage is conditioned that if the Mortgagors shall fail to pay their prior mortgage of Three Thousand Dollars upon the same land or any installment of interest due thereon, that the Mortgagee in this mortgage now being foreclosed, may pay the same, and have a lien therefor under this mortgage, and default having been made in the payment of One Hundred Sixty-five Dollars, interest due August 8th 1918, and in the payment of One Hundred Sixty-five Dollars interest due August 8th, 1919, upon said prior mortgage, represented by coupon interest notes bearing 5½ per cent interest after maturity, the same was paid by the undersigned, said Mortgagee, and there is now due and claimed to be due upon the date of this notice upon account of the interest so paid upon said prior mortgage Three Hundred Forty-one and 38-100 Dollars, in all amounting to the sum of Five Hundred Six and 38-100 Dollars, due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage herein first described, will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East half of the East half (E½ of E½), West half of the North East quarter (W½ of NE¼), Northwest quarter of Southeast quarter (NW¼ of SE¼) and Northeast quarter of Southwest quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Eleven (11) Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and located in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 15th day of November 1919, at ten o'clock, A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Hundred Six and 38-100 Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, September 23, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.
Fred L. Farley
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Chris Jefferson is on the sick list.

Obert Reierson returned Tuesday from Pipestone.

The last half of the real estate taxes are due and should be paid before the last of the month.

Frances Silbaugh returned home from T. R. Falls Saturday where she had some dental work done.

Misses Albertina and Hilma Nyberg left yesterday for Fargo where they expect to find employment.

Miss Tillie Wendt returned home Friday from Mayville N. Dak., where she has been working in a cook car.

Mr. and Mrs. Bakke moved into their new home Wednesday. We are pleased to welcome them to our little village.

About 150 of the large magazines in New York city have suspended publication temporarily on account of a pressman's strike.

Ben Docken autoed to Thief River Falls Monday for Mrs. Docken and Mrs. Bakke who had been down there for a short visit.

Paul Siljestrom has rented the old Farmers State Bank building and opened a shoe and harness repair shop. We wish him success.

H. J. Olson finished wiring our school building Wednesday and left the same day with Hugert Johnson to wire the school house at Greenbush.

C. L. Heinse and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Young and Guy Anderson were pleasantly entertained at the K. T. Knutson home last week Sunday.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid will have an auction sale in the church at 7:30 Saturday evening Oct. 11th.

Emil Ostlund is drilling a well for Andrew Spekley.

Geo. E. Olson of Germantown was a Holt business visitor Saturday.

The F. A. Riesberg family were Sunday guests at the Ole Kjelgren home.

Dr. Spinks and wife of Middle River visited at the Docken home Friday.

Jesse Sorum went to Warren Wednesday to have an operation for tonsilitis.

Ole Backlund is running the rural route while Guy Anderson takes a short vacation.

Several of our rural teachers are in Warren this week attending the teachers institute.

Albert Knutson arrived from Dakota last week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Knutson.

Mrs. E. M. Ostby of Thief River Falls came Monday to visit Mrs. Ole Kjelgren a few days.

Christine and Nellie Fostolm went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to visit relatives a few days.

Miss Nettie Nash came Monday from Grand Forks where she has been working for some time.

Ole Hamernes has installed an outside gasoline tank for the accomodation of customers and profit to himself.

H. J. Olson has been doing some work on the telephone lines in town this week. The farmer lines are the next that should be fixed up.

J. M. Swan did not ship cattle Tuesday as he was unable to get a car. Sugar is not the only thing on which there is a shortage.

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Notice

Several men wanted at once for cutting timber and clearing land in the corporate limits of Holt.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Guy Anderson purchased a new Ford one day last week.

Dr. Turley, the dentist will be in Holt Monday Oct. 27th.

Paul Olson is improving his house with a new coat of paint.

Pay electric light bills before the 10th. or penalty will be added.

Public health clinic in Holt Friday Oct. 17th. Examination free.

Fridjof Riesberg arrived here last week Friday for a months visit with his folks.

Miss Margaret Ohm assisted Miss Barnes in the postoffice a few days the forepart of the week.

Mrs. A. H. Ahlborn came Friday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Saastad for a few days.

Estray: Red milch cow left my place Oct. 8th. Please notify the owner Harald Ness, R. 1. Holt, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Hougard and P. R. Hougard of Strandquist visitd at the C. W. Christianson home Sunday.

C. A. Hien of Grand Forks was an over Sunday visitor at the home of his brother-in-law, B. Docken and family.

Algot Skoglund departed Tuesday for Sweden where he expects to spend several months with relatives and friends.

Mrs. [illegible] Simonson will entertain the [illegible] Wednesday afternoon Oct. 22nd. Everybody invited.

Reuben Carlson, Mrs. Sollom, Mrs. Tony and Arvid Carlson and children autoed to Gatske Tuesday to visit Elmer Sollom.

Miss Alma Dovre came home from Hillsboro last week Thursday for a few weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dovre.

C. E. Russell of Superior, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. Yotter, Mrs. Snyder and two sons, all of Thief River Falls were Sunday visitors at the H. J. Oien home.

Mrs. Wm. Werner and little son went to Thief River Falls Wednesday where they will make their home. Tony Peterson took a load of their households goods there the same day.

Racine Olson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday night to meet Miss Amanda Mickelson who was returning home from visiting relatives and friends at Crookston and McIntosh.

Ludvig Monson, Mrs. R. Reierson and daughter Ida, Mrs. C. Kolden and Inga Johnson autoed to Warren Tuesday. The latter remained there for an operation for the removal of her tonsils and adenoids.

A car of oats arrived here Monday for the Red Cross and was distributed by the assistant county agent, Geo. P. Sanders. P. O. Anderson, the forest ranger at Grygla was also here helping Mr. Sanders the forepart of the week.

A public health clinic under the direction of Miss Elisabeth Hanson, the county nurse, will be held in Holt on Friday Oct. 17th., and any one having any suspicion of lung trouble should be there for examination.

Relief quickly obtained through Dr. Albertson's Chiropractic Adjustments. Acute and chronic diseases successfully treated. Even those who have been pronounced incurable, have been restored to perfect health again. Phone No. 85. Crookston, Minn.

Runaway Accident.

S. Boersheim and son Iver had a bad runaway Monday afternoon and the elder man is now at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Alfred Anderson, where he will be well cared for while recovering from his injuries. Mr. Boersheim had three ribs fractured and one limb bruised, but he is now resting well and will soon be around again. The younger man was not injured. The team started to run at the corner just east of the Ole Iverson farm, when a steer which they had loaded in the basket hay rack, stepped too far to one side and tipped the rack off the wagon. The team and wagon were not much hurt but the harness was badly damaged.

C. Jefferson is able to be out again after a short sick spell.

J. M. Swan and Ole Landrue, the latter from Grygla, each shipped a car of cattle to the city markets this week.

Miss Priscilla Warner of Rollis arrived here Wednesday to distribute the clothing shipped here by the Red Cross.

Special baby clinics, for children under six years, will be held in Warren Oct. 21st. and in Middle River Oct. 22nd.

Miss Nettie Nash was married one day last week to a Mr. O'Hara of Rugby, N. Dak., and they departed Saturday for their home at that place.

The U. S. census will be taken during the month of January. Enu[illegible] from $4.00 to $6.00 a day and anyone wishing to do this kind of work should write at once to Olaf A. Fetvedt, Supervisor of Census, Fergus Falls, Minn.

Further information furnished at this office.

The school house is now enclosed with storm sash and temporary doors, the radiators are installed and the men can now work in comfort, no matter if the weather should be bad outside. The plasterers came Monday and it was a lively place around the new building this week with so many men at work.

Bakke & Docken are building the foundation walls for three houses which they expect to build this fall.

Two of the houses are located just north of the Mission church and the other one on the corner lot south of Axel Nelson's house. They also have men chopping the timber in the streets they will lay out on the west side of town.

The local Red Cross at their meeting Monday evening selected Mr. Docken and Mrs. Fitch as delegates to the county convention. The Girl Scouts, acting under the supervision of Miss Lawrence, were selected to take charge of the membership drive, the first of next month, so have a dollar and a smile ready for the girls when they call to see you.

A parents and teachers association was formed Monday evening and the following officers were elected: Mrs. Docken president and Mrs. Carlson secretary and treasurer.

Committees were appointed and the second Tuesday in November was decided on as the date for the first meeting. All parents are urged to attend these meetings and co-operate with the teachers in working for the welfare of the pupils and the betterment of our schools. Teachers will be pleased to take the names of parents as members of the assciation.

The girl scouts will take care of the children while parents attend the meetings, if arrangements are made for the girls to stay in town over night.

Killed By Mad Bull

P. A. Anderson, a batchelor farmer living three miles north of Holt, was found dead in the pasture on his farm, yesterday by the railroad section crew. A mad bull stood on guard over the body and he had to be shot, as he would not let anyone go near the body of the dead man, which he had mangled and torn bare of all clothing except socks and shoes.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants meet every Saturday at 1 o'clock in the church basement.

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Servises Sunday Oct. 26th., at 11 o'clock. Y. P. S. at 8 o'clock in the high school room in the Sollom store building. Messrs Iver Boersheim, Guy Anderson, Ole Ellingson and Ole Backlund will entertain.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor

Notice

Customers indebted on book account, kindly settle on or before Oct. 25th.

O. J. Backlund

A stray pig came to our place some time ago. Owner please prove property, pay expenses of keeping and for this notice.

[illegible]
Golden Valley

Miss Libby Faiman has been [illegible] a few days [illegible] at the [illegible] home.

Ben Nyberg has received his discharge from the navy and returned to his home here yesterday.

The Free Mission Ladies Aid took in over $90.00 at their auction sale and lunch Saturday evening.

Miss Dora and Celia Olson departed for Fargo last week Tuesday where they have employment.

Mrs. Henry Oien entertained a number of lady friends Saturday afternoon in honor of her sister, Miss Effie Christianson.

All clocks are to be turned back to standard time on Sunday Oct. 26th., to stay there until another freakish notion strikes congress.

Loyd and Harald Adams built a new chimney on C. W. Christianson's house and also for the central and printing office one day last week.

Nineteen Marshall county students have already registered at the Northwest School of agriculture and several more are expected to enroll there soon.

Surveyors are at work at Mud Lake and the question naturally arises, what are they after any way since the lake bed has already been homesteaded?

Thirty-five people were examined by Dr. Milan, throat and lung specialist, at the Middle River health clinic and four were found to have active pulmonary tuberculosis, three inactive, and eight other cases of serious illness and many in need of treatment. The next clinic will be held in Holt on Friday Oct. 17th.

Auction Oct. 23

C Engebretson's near Holt
11 cows, 9 horses, 1 colt
9 heifers and steers, hogs
90 chix, 3 wagons, 2 sleds
buggies, plows, drags
drills and other farm tools
will be sold

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Myhrer will hold services here Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Everyone invited.

Rev. Dahl of T. R. Falls will preach in English next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Mission church. Subject: Can we know if we have reached the time of the End as foretold by the Prophet?

No one can afford to miss these spiritual and intellectual treats.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

State of Minnesota }
County of Marshall } ss

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of
Carl Engebretson, Decedent

Letters of administration this day having been granted to

Oliver H. Nohre

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 11th day of January 1920, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the city of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Holt Weekly News as provided by law.

Dated Oct. 4th 1919

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate

WM. J. BROWN, Lawyer

Former County Attorney Marshall County
Drainage Matters
Probate Cases a Specialty
Commercial Law
Practices in all State and Federal Courts
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota,
State Auditor's Office,
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 27, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 20th, 1919, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st. of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905, are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

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Wheat No. 2	2 26
Wheat No. 3	2 16
Wheat No. 4	2 06
Wheat No. 5	2 01
Flax	4 01
Oats	57
Barley	89 to 99
Rye	1 17
Flour, Best Patent	6 75

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All kinds of
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Lucas County, ss.

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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.

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ARRANGED FOR BUSY PEOPLE

Notes Covering Most Important Happenings of the World Compiled in Briefest and Most Succinct Form for Quick Consumption.

Washington

Confronted with an estimated deficit of government revenue this fiscal year of from $2,000,000,000 to $3,600,000,000, leaders in congress at Washington have abandoned their projected program for the reduction of taxation and are seeking means of increasing the federal income.

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News from the White House at Washington, encouraged the belief that President Wilson is on the road to recovery. "The president is mending slowly," said Rear Admiral Grayson, Mr. Wilson's personal physician, adding that he believed it reasonable to expect that the patient would continue to gain strength under enforced quiet and rest.

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Secretary Lane was elected permanent chairman of the industrial conference at Washington.

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Rear Admiral Philip Andrews, in command of the American squadron, has issued orders for the withdrawal of the American ships from Spalato. American food supplies are being removed from the city, says a Rome dispatch.

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With Secretary Lansing presiding, the president's cabinet met at Washington, to consider questions in which more than one department was concerned and also to discuss the industrial conference.

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The embargo placed on shipments to British ports, because of the transportation strike, has been lifted, it was announced at the division of operations, United States shipping board at Washington.

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Discussion of the peace treaty in the senate at Washington, ended abruptly when Vice President Marshall had the clerk read a letter from one of his Indiana constituents asking congress to name his new baby.

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Bodies of all American soldiers interred in Germany, Belgium, Italy, Great Britain, Luxemberg and northern Russia will be returned to the United States, says a Washington dispatch.

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The United States state department is sending a mission to the Baltic provinces to look after American interests, it was learned in American conference circles at Paris.

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Domestic

Wholesale seizures of firearms, radical literature and "red" flags in the homes of the steel strikers at Gary, Ind., were followed swiftly by a statement from Mayor William P. Hodges, placing blame for the strike and its consequent outbreaks squarely on socialist leaders in the Indiana city.

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Robert Leeson, Yukon miner and "sourdough," recently received a letter from his sister, Mrs. Mary Cannan, stating he had become heir to the title and estate of the earl of Milltown.

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King Albert of Belgium passed through Chicago on his special train at dusk on his way to the Pacific coast. From Toledo, O., to Goshen, Ind., the king rode in the cab of the locomotive.

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The National Education association estimates that the new school year began with a shortage of nearly 88,000 teachers.

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A Montreal dispatch says the Canadian manufacturers are complaining of the desertion of alien laborers. The men are going back to Europe.

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Jack Gordon, a negro, charged with wounding Deputy Sheriff Freeman and Boyce Forton near Lincolnton, Ga., and Will Brown, another negro, were lynched near the scene of the shooting and their bodies burned.

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Martial law was declared in Gary, Indian Harbor and East Chicago, Ind., by Adjutant General Smith of Indiana, acting on authority of Governor Goodrich. Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood then assumed charge.

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Fire in the famous Homestake mine in South Dakota, one of the greatest gold producers in the world, which has been raging for several days on the 700-foot level, is still out of control.

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Four companies of Indiana state troops were rushed to Gary, Ind., when rioting broke out afresh. Klem D. Duness was shot and probably fatally wounded.

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A forest fire patrol airplane fell near Gold Bay, Ore. One man was killed and another seriously injured.

Five men, including Police Captain W. F. Woods, were shot in the rioting consequent upon the attempt of the San Francisco-Oakland terminal railways to resume street car traffic at Oakland, Cal.

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Tobacco growers, leaf dealers, warehouse men, manufacturers, jobbers and retailers met in Cincinnati and effected permanent organization of what will be known as the Allied Tobacco League of America.

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Two men were drowned when an automobile went over the Chicago river embankment at Racine avenue, Chicago. One of the men was Charles Fifer. The other is known only as "Ernest."

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Five were killed and 13 injured, three seriously, in a rear-end collision on the Buffalo-Lake Erie traction line between Dunkirk and Fredonia, N. Y.

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The Allegheny Steel company at Pittsburgh, Pa., announced that the bars were up against foreign labor. Hereafter only naturalized citizens will be employed, it was stated by company officials.

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Sporting

Little Dick Kerr won his second game of the 1919 world's series 5 to 4 for the White Sox, at Cincinnati, making the games up to date stand 4 to 2 in favor of the Reds.

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Personal

Henry Mills Alden, editor of Harper's Magazine since 1869, died at his home in New York after a long illness. He was eighty-two years old.

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Don Ricardo Palma, a widely known author and a chronicler of Peruvian traditions, died at Lima, Peru.

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John W. Garrett of Baltimore, for more than two years American minister to the Netherlands, has forwarded his resignation to President Wilson at Washington, with the request for its early acceptance.

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Because of the illness of President Wilson, King Albert of Belgium will cancel all engagements in connection with his tour of the United States after those in Boston and Buffalo until October 14, it was announced at New York.

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Foreign

Coblenz will be the headquarters of all operations for the resumption of trade relations between Germany and the United States after the peace treaty becomes effective, the Berlin Tageblatt says it is informed.

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Damages amounting to $200,000 were paid by the United States to Luxemburg citizens who were inconvenienced in one way or another by United States occupation, according to a Luxemburg dispatch.

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A new ministry for Jugo-Slavia has been formed in Belgrade, according to dispatches received at Paris. M. Trikovitch has been named premier, it is stated, and M. Trumbitch minister of foreign affairs.

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A Berlin dispatch says Captain Rose, who commanded U-53 when it touched at Newport News, has sought engagements on the American lecture platform. He has been informed that he would not be welcomed.

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A commission of German experts who have visited the mines of northern France which were devastated during the war believes that it will take from two to eight years to restore them, says a Paris dispatch.

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The capture of 15,000 bolsheviki during operations around Voronezh by General Denikine's troops is reported in a communique received at London by wireless from the general headquarters.

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A royal decree has been issued at Rome ratifying the peace treaties.

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Great Britain's railway system is again in operation as the result of the settlement at London of the great railway strike, averting what threatened to develop into an ominous spread of the nation's labor troubles.

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General Denikine's troops are within 30 miles of Orel, on the road to Moscow, and the boshevíki who have been opposing him are surrendering in great numbers, according to a dispatch.

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A new cabinet has been formed in Turkey to succeed that of Damad Ferid Pasha. The new grand vizier is Gen. Ali Riza Pasha, according to a Paris dispatch.

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The task of dismantling the 12 ancient forts which surrounded Mayence and protect the crossing of the Rhine has begun by the Germans under the supervision of the French army of occupation.

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Gen. von der Goltz, commander of German forces in the Baltic provinces, whose activities there have recently led to sharp exchanges between the allied powers and Germany, has, with his staff, joined the Russian bolshevist forces, according to a Berlin dispatch.

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The coal situation in Austria is unimproved and the city of Vienna is literally on the brink of starvation. The cars have stopped running on Sundays and run only a few hours on

WILSON SHOWS SLOW PROGRESS

President's Condition, While Improving, Physicians Say, Changes Very Slowly.

HIS MIND IS ACTIVE

Unconfirmed Rumors Afloat About Washington Not So Hopeful—One News Organization Hears Unfavorable Reports.

Washington, Oct. 14.—President Wilson's condition was described as "about the same" in a bulletin issued last night by Rear Admiral Grayson, his personal physician. It was added by Dr. Grayson in an informal conference with newspaper men that a gradual, although slight improvement was being noted in the president's condition daily.

The daily changes in the president's condition, Dr. Grayson said, while encouraging were slight and could not always be clearly indicated in a formal brief bulletin. For this reason he departed from his usual custom and supplemented the formal bulletin with an oral statement of the patient's condition.

He said the president's mind was active and that while rest was desired, yet any important matters demanding the president's attention might be attended to should the occasion demand it.

Referring to rumors that the president's condition is perhaps more serious than is generally understood, the United Press last night dispatched rumors at Vice President Marshall might, in such event, be called upon to act for the president temporarily. There appears nothing to indicate that such action has been officially discussed.

MISSING DRUGGIST RETURNS

D. J. McNeil of Crystal Appears in Weakened Condition.

Bathgate, N. D., Oct. 14.—Dan J. McNeil, of Crystal, who disappeared September 17, came to life Sunday morning when he appeared at the home of Fred Steinke, four miles west of here.

He was seen trying to get through a barbed wire fence at the Steinke home, walking as if in a stupor. He was bent over and held his hands between his legs. Tears were streaming from his eyes.

When Mr. Steinke rushed up to him he made a passionate plea for help and a drink of water. He was carried to the house and given a drink of warm milk, then a drink of hot coffee.

The man's face was covered with a shaggy beard. His voice is weak, and he seems unable to give any coherent accounts of himself or of his whereabouts during the weeks he has been missing. His shoes show little wear.

McNeil was a druggist at Crystal, and well known throughout the section. His family has been notified, and it is hoped that he may show early recovery.

TWELVE FINISH FIRST LAP

Nine More Fliers Complete Transcontinental Trip in Great Air Race.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Nine of the forty aviators remaining in the transcontinental reliability race finished the first lap of the aerial derby yesterday, three landing at Mineola, N. Y., and six at San Francisco. The remaining contestants are at various control stations along the route but sundown today will see the majority of them near the end of the first lap. Twelve have finished the first lap, while a score have dropped out on account of accidents and five men were killed.

Lieutenant B. W. Maynard, the first aviator to reach San Francisco and complete the trip from ocean to ocean, is preparing for his return flight. He plans to leave at 1:12 p. m. today at the expiration of the minimum allowed at the terminus.

Hopes to Avert Coal Strike.

Washington, Oct. 14.—Demands of coal miners in central competitive fields for more wages and changed working conditions were discussed today with Secretary Wilson by the senate interstate commerce subcommittee.

"Secretary Wilson assured us that as a government official he had interested himself in the threatened strike," Senator Frelinghuysen, of New Jersey, said in a statement following the session, "and that he hopes to make an adjustment. The committee will cooperate with him to that end."

Death Toll 357.

Corpus Christi, Texas, Oct. 14.—The total number of dead and missing as a result of the recent tropical hurricane here was officially announced as 357 by the bureau of information today, as a result of revision of figures.

Chicago Girls Acquitted.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Margaret Seithamier, aged 16, on trial for the murder of Benjamin Burr, a Chicago attorney, whom she was alleged to have shot to death in his office July 7, was found not guilty last night after two hours of deliberation by the jury. Mrs. Marie Hermes, co-defendant, also was acquitted. Seven ballots were said to have been taken by the jury, six as to the guilt or innocence of the Seithamier girl and the punishment to be inflicted.

SAMUEL L. ROGERS

Samuel L. Rogers, director of the census, who has announced that the census bureau is "all set" for the beginning of the task of taking the enrollment of the United States in 1920. The "grind" will begin January 2, and nearly 900,000 persons will be engaged in "taking stock" of Uncle Sam's large family

UNDER MARTIAL LAW

Three Steel Strike Centers Controlled by Military.

General Wood Commands Troops at Indiana Harbor, East Chicago and Gary.

Chicago, Oct. 8.—Quiet reigned in the Chicago steel strike area after a day of raids on the homes of agitators in Gary where regular army troops are in control. Indiana state troops enforced martial law in East Chicago and Indiana Harbor.

Chicago, Oct. 7.—Declaring of martial law at Indiana Harbor and at East Chicago, and the dispatching of Federal troops to Gary, Ind., although no violence had occurred since Saturday, marked developments in the steel strike situation in the Chicago district.

Acting under authority conferred upon him by Governor Goodrich of Indiana, Adjutant General Smith, in command of 12 companies of Indiana state troops on duty in the Indiana strike zone, declared martial law in a territory embracing the towns of Indiana Harbor and East Chicago and extending for five miles in either direction from each of them.

The step was taken, General Smith said, "following indications of trouble" and after consultation with the mayors of the two towns. A detachment of approximately 1,000 Federal troops from Fort Sheridan, Ill., under the personal command of Major General Leonard Wood, commander of the Central department of the army, took over control of the situation at Gary following an appeal for aid to General Wood from Governor Goodrich. Upon arrival of the Federal troops the state units which have been distributed over the Indiana strike district were withdrawn from Gary and concentrated in Indiana Harbor and East Chicago.

State troops had been sent into the district after rioting at Gary and Indiana Harbor.

FIUME CRISIS SEEN AT HAND

Definite Agreements Are Possible According to Report.

Rome, Oct. 7.—The Popolo Romano declares that the question of Fiume has entered a new stage, in which definite agreements are possible. Although the incident has not yet been closed, it is stated, the probabilities of success are such that confidence may be entertained that Italy soon will be freed from the Fiume situation.

Rear Admiral Phillip Andrews, in command of the American squadron, has issued orders for the withdrawal of the American ships from Spalato. American food supplies are being removed from the city.

FLOODING MINE TO STOP FIRE

Flames Raging in Deep Level of Famous Black Hills Shaft.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Oct. 8.—The fire in the famous Homestake mine, the leading mine of the Black Hills and one of the great gold producers of the world, has assumed more serious proportions. Steps now have been taken to flood the mine for the purpose of extinguishing the fire, which has been burning a number of days and nights between the 700- and 800-foot levels of the mine.

House Sails for Home.

Brest, Oct. 6.—Colonel E. M. House sailed for New York on the transport Great Northern.

Ruling Sought From High Court.

Washington, Oct. 7.—The government in the supreme court moved to expedite a final decision on what amount of alcohol in a beverage constitutes intoxicating liquor. Solicitor General King asked the court to advance the case of the government against the Standard Brewery, Inc., of Maryland. Lower courts held that 2.75 beer is not intoxicating under the wartime prohibition act. The government will insist that the beer of ½ of 1 per cent of alcohol or more should be declared intoxicating.

'FLYING PARSON' WINS AIR RACE

First Leg of Transcontinental Flight Finished—Return May Be Abandoned.

TIME NOT YET GIVEN

Lieutenant Kiel First to Arrive at Roosevelt Field, But Major Carl Spatz Credited as Probably Made the Quicker Flight.

New York, Oct. 13.—Lieutenant Belvin W. Maynard, the "flying parson," won the first coast-to-coast leg of the army air race, it was announced by officials of the American Flying club, which assisted the army in the conduct of the race.

His actual flying time for the 2,701 miles from Roosevelt field, Mineola, N. Y., to San Francisco, had not been officially checked late Saturday night, reports of the time he spent at the Reno, Nev., control station having failed to reach headquarters here, but it was stated by flying officials that they felt safe in announcing Lieutenant Maynard first in the flight across the continent.

Kiel First at Roosevelt Field.

While Lieutenant Emil Kiel touched the ground at Roosevelt field 20 seconds before Major Carl Spatz in the dash from west to east, Major Spatz was credited with second honors, having left San Francisco three minutes behind Lieutenant Kiel.

Lieutenant Maynard's total elapsed time was given unofficially as 75 hours, 47 minutes; Major Spatz's as 83 hours and 41 minutes; and Lieutenant Kiel's as 83 hours and 44 minutes.

Only the unofficial elapsed time could be given, and the results of the two divisions of the race, actual flying time and handicap time, must await the receipt of official reports.

Race May Be Over.

Despite announcement from the army air service at Washington that the return trips of the planes would be started October 20, it was intimated at the American Flying club that the race might not be continued and that should it be, the route might be laid out in easy stages through the south in an effort to avoid the severe weather encountered in the west.

EXTENDS FOOD CONTROL ACT

Bill Asked for by President Agreed Upon by Senate and House.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Senate and house on Saturday adopted the conference report on amendments extending the food control act to include clothing and food containers and providing punishment for profiteering and hoarding. The bill now goes to the president, who asked for this legislation as a weapon against the high cost of living.

Dispute over a senate resolution aimed at extortionate rents in the District of Columbia resulted in considerable degree in the passage of the measure and the section finally was carried through the house under a special rule, the conference report including it, being adopted 208 to 8. Hoarding and profiteering in the act are punishable by two years' imprisonment and $5,000 fine.

SLOW RECOVERY PREDICTED

President Wilson's Physicians Do Not Expect Early Return to Duties.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Hope that President Wilson soon might regain his normal health and resume fully the duties of his office has been swept away by his physicians, who have announced it will be impossible for him to leave his bed "for an extended period."

The announcement, made after a consultation between Rear Admiral Grayson and three other physicians aiding in the case, said there had been no interruption of the president's slow improvement but emphasized that he still had a long road to travel before he reached complete recovery.

Strikers Claim Free Speech Denied.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 13.—Strike leaders from the industrial districts where the steel controversy is being waged, were given almost the entire day Saturday by the senate investigating committee in an attempt to prove the assertion of J. G. Brown, one of the union organizers, that "the long arm of the steel trust has reached into the government of western Pennsylvania to strangle the workingman's right of free speech and free assemblage." Chairman Kenyon only interrupted the long procession of striker witnesses twice, once to call Mayor E. V. Bascock, and later to hear E. M. Scott, president of the Wheeling (W. Va.) Iron and Steel company.

New York Teamsters Threaten Strike.

New York, Oct. 13.—Michael Cashael, president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, on Saturday notified the conference labor board that a strike of 10,000 teamsters would go into effect at once unless demands made by the men last May were immediately granted. The demands have been before the wage adjustment board of the railroad administration as an important section of the union is represented by the American Railway Express company.

HAIR IN FLAMES; DIES FROM BURNS

Girl Uses Gas Heater Instead of Electric Drier After Swim.

FIRE ENVELOPS HEAD

Friends Attempt to Rescue Victim in Vain—Death Due Chiefly to Shock, Physicians Say—Inhaled Gas Fumes.

Pittsburgh.—A few minutes after little Miss Eleanor Asher scrambled merrily out of a swimming pool, she lay dying from shock caused by terrible burns.

Her hair caught fire while she was drying it over a gas heater at the Abington Y. M. C. A. and her death occurred in the Abington hospital.

Miss Asher, who was fifteen years of age, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney S. Asher, 1858 North Sixtieth street. At present they are occupying their summer home at Noble.

The Y. M. C. A. which is in York road near Susquehanna road, is given over to girls and women three nights of the week. Friday night was girls' night, and Miss Asher went over for a swim.

Laughing gayly after her plunge, Miss Asher went down to the locker room to dry her hair. There are two electric hair driers in the room, but the young women have found that the four gas heaters installed by Y. M. C. A. during the season of coal shortage, for the purpose of taking the chill off of the room, dry hair more quickly than do the electric driers. Their use, however, has been against the house rules.

Flames Envelop Head.

Miss Asher used the gas heater Friday night. She chatted pleasantly with the girls about her, as she lowered her head to the heater.

Suddenly her head was enveloped in flames. The strands of her long brown hair had touched the blue fire of the gas.

Miss Asher screamed and rushed wildly about the room. Her friends bravely made an effort to put out the flames, but they tried in vain.

Only Miss Ruddech, physical director for the women, seemed to have kept her mind free from hysteria. She heard the screams of the young women and the agonizing cry of little Miss Asher and rushed to the locker room.

Her Head Was Enveloped in Flames.

Without hesitation she seized a heavy coat lying on the bench and threw it over the girl's head.

"Turn on the showers!" she cried to the weeping girls.

The shower was turned on and Miss Ruddach shoved the suffering child under the spray. By the time the flames were extinguished, Miss Asher had fainted.

Inhaled Gas Fumes.

Her face had been scarcely touched by the licking tongues of flame. Her shoulders and arms were burned and she had inhaled gas fumes.

She was hurried to the hospital, where she died late in the night, as a result of the shock, chiefly, the physicians say.

Coroner Neville, of Montgomery county, investigated the case and pronounced the death due to accident. He exonerated the institution of any blame.

LOST BOY FOUND BY DOG

Child Hides in a Ditch, Afraid to Report the Loss of 10 Cents.

Youngstown.—Taken from a sewer ditch in Mill Creek park by a dog, Henry Martin, seven, told of having run away from his home in Salt Springs road Monday because he had lost 10 cents change which he had been given at a store.

J. Holt, a railroad policeman, went through the park early today. His dog stopped at the end of the ditch.

Unable to coax the animal to leave, Holt sent the dog into the ditch and the boy was dragged out.

WASHINGTON CITY SIDELIGHTS

Congress Likely to Act on Police Unionization

WASHINGTON.—Congress is likely to take a hand in the question of the unionization of the police force and its affiliation with the American Federation of Labor. If it does, it will come about in this way: In Washington instead of the issue going to a strike it has been taken to the courts by the police union. The union has asked for an injunction preventing the commissioners of the District of Columbia from carrying out their orders that any member of the force found to belong to a union affiliated with a labor organization would be discharged, on the ground that their right to organize is illegally interfered with.

The pressure of the American Federation, with its four million members, is being used in Washington to win recognition of the police union. The District commissioners, on the other hand, have taken a position from which, they assert, they will not retire—that no member of the force may belong to a police union affiliated with a labor organization. The commissioners have full jurisdiction, but already the contest has extended to congress and it is likely that before the struggle is ended a vote on some phase of the question will be forced.

For example, Senator Myers of Montana proposed in the senate that congress interpose by refusing to vote the pay of any member of the Washington police force who belonged to a union. In pointing out the national importance of the question the Montana senator said:

"If the police department of the District of Columbia is permitted to unionize and affiliate with a superior body of organized labor, you may be sure that the police forces all over the country will follow suit and do the same thing."

Senator Thomas of Colorado said he thought congress should inform the District commissioners that it was squarely behind them.

Wanted by Uncle Sam: A Deputy Game Warden

THE United States department of agriculture is in need of a well-qualified man, not less than twenty-five nor more than forty-five years old, to fill a vacancy in the position of deputy chief United States game warden, and the United States civil service commission will give a most practical open competitive test to secure the right man. The entrance salary will be between $2,500 and $3,000 a year. Headquarters will be in Washington, D. C.

WANTED DEPUTY CHIEF GAME WARDEN

The duties of the position are to assist in administering the law which gives effect to the treaty between the United States and Great Britain for the protection of migratory birds and the sections of the United States penal code known as the Lacey act; in the supervision of the United States game wardens and deputies in the gathering of evidence and the preparation of cases for prosecution of alleged violations of the federal game laws, and in office administration; and to participate in conferences, in and out of Washington, with individuals and organizations interested in wild life conservation.

In accordance with its practice in connection with positions of this class, the examination given by the civil service commission will not require the applicants to appear in an examination room for a mental test. Those who apply will receive a rating on their education and practical experience, weighted at 80 per cent, and on a thesis on a selected game conservation subject, weighted at 20 per cent. Those who attain a passing grade will later be given an oral test to determine their personal qualifications for the position. Failure in this oral test will render the applicant ineligible for appointment.

Applications will be received by the civil service commission up to and including October 28. Full information and application blanks may be obtained from the secretary of the local board of civil service examiners at the post office or customhouse in any of 3,000 cities, or by writing to the United States civil service commission, Washington, D. C.

Army Gas Masks Are Proving Extremely Versatile

ARMY gas masks are proving extremely versatile. A vaudeville comedian facetiously uses a gas mask to protect himself against the hot air of his fellow comedian; while in a more serious way, the worker in a match factory renders himself invulnerable to deadly chlorine fumes by wearing an army mask.

NOW — GO AHEAD WITH TH' STORY —
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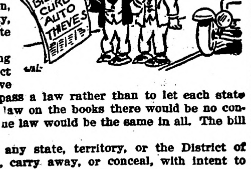
An engineer wrote to the chemical warfare service of the war department asking for a gas mask, because he was growing old and could not stand the smoke which flooded the engine cab whenever the train passed through a tunnel. The mask was sent, and the engineer wrote that it saved him his position. Other engineers have since bought masks for the same purpose. A New York society woman stepped from her limousine into the office and demanded a gas mask. She explained that she had just opened her New York house, and that moths were positively eating up her clothes and house furnishings. Her butler, ordered to fumigate, had purchased a large quantity of formaldehyde and three dozen sulphur candles. He sprayed formaldehyde all over the house, and lighted the three dozen candles. The fumes soon became so strong that it was impossible to stay in the house, and she had hurried after a gas mask in order to have some one open the windows. Her footman, who had been in the army, fitted on the mask and entered the house without being at all affected by the fumes. The woman's pets, a monkey, cat and parrot, were all found dead in the house.

Bill in Congress May Scare Automobile Thieves

AUTOMOBILE thieves will find their activities dangerous if the senate passes a bill recommended to it by the house. The bill was introduced in congress by Representatives L. C. Dyer and C. A. Newton of Missouri. It is a compromise between one designed by the St. Louis men and one by the National Automobile Dealers' association.



WHAT DO YOU THINKA THAT?
BILL TO CURB AUTO THIEVES

Under the provisions of the bill a penitentiary sentence awaits any one who steals an automobile, buys a stolen car, or has one in his possession, knowing the car to be stolen property, or drives a stolen car from one state to another.

Automobile dealers have long waited for a federal law to protect them. Their organizations have urged the members of congress to pass a law rather than to let each state handle this matter. With a federal law on the books there would be no conflict between the various states, as the law would be the same in all. The bill includes the following:

"Section 2. Whoever shall in any state, territory, or the District of Columbia, steal or unlawfully take, carry away, or conceal, with intent to convert to his own use, any automobile, automobile truck, or any other motor vehicle, or shall buy or receive or have in his possession any such automobile, automobile truck or any other motor vehicle, knowing the same to have been stolen, or shall thereafter, in any other manner or means transport such automobile, automobile truck, or other motor vehicle in interstate commerce, to any other state, territory, or the District of Columbia, or to a foreign country, shall be deemed guilty of a felony and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by imprisonment for not more than ten years."

Jungle Fever

By R. RAY BAKER

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An "M. D." was the cause of the rupture in relations. No, it was not a doctor; it was just those two initials.

Carrie Crothers wanted to put the letters to her name, and Austin Fredericks strongly opposed. Of course, the right to the initials would involve a course at college; but Carrie was prepared for that. Austin was not prepared. He wanted Carrie to settle down with him, and cook and sweep and do sundry other household duties.

But Carrie was willing—after she wrested a career from the world. When she had proved to herself and everybody else that she was capable of making her own way she would be content to give it all up and be plain Mrs. Fredericks, subtracting and discarding the "M. D."

"But that isn't reasonable, Carrie," he protested. "If you're so determined to do something, why don't you be a teacher? That won't take so long, and besides—well, anything but a woman doctor for me. It isn't their place—not by a long shot. Now, women make fine teachers, and I rather admire them, and think what a fine thing they are doing in educating the rising generation. Of course, you know I want you to get married right away, but I know your disposition enough to realize that you won't until you learn some kind of profession. But make a little concession to me and be a teacher. Give up this doctor idea. Women doctors are no good."

Carrie took umbrage at his attitude. Women doctors were just as good as the men variety, and a lot better in many cases, she contended, stamping her foot and growing red with anger. Did he mean to intimate that she could not be a good physician or anything else she chose to be? Very well, if that was all the faith he had in her, he might as well take his hat and coat and go, and he needn't come back unless it was on her terms. She'd show him whether a woman could be a successful doctor. Maybe some time he'd get down on his knees and beg for the services of a feminine physician.

Austin was desperate. He realized Carrie would not yield a point, and somehow he was bound to admire her for her ambition.

"By George!" he pondered. "I believe she will do it at that. But who wants a doctor for a wife? People would pass me on the street and remark: 'There goes Doctor Fredericks' husband.' That's all I would count for, because she'd change her mind about giving up practice, once she got her degree. I can't do it, that's all. I'll wait a few days and see if she won't change her mind, although I'm almost certain she'll stick to it."

He was hardly prepared for the swiftness with which things developed. His morning paper two days later made public the fact that "Miss Carrie Crothers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Crothers, 853 Jefferson avenue, left last night for Ann Arbor, where she will take a six years' course in the study of medicine at the University of Michigan."

Austin was so dejected that he ate only one of the two doughnuts furnished him for breakfast at the armchair lunch and drank only half the coffee. He went around in a daze for three days, and was constantly afraid that, in his capacity as assistant teller at the bank, he might cash a cigar coupon for a hundred-dollar check or commit some equally tragic error.

In desperation he wrote her a special delivery letter, which came as near being of a pleading nature as his rather proud spirit would permit.

The answer came the next day on a postcard:

"After six years. No sooner. Wait or not, as you see fit."

The reply and the manner of replying aroused Austin's wrath.

"She's going to show me, is she? Very well, I'll show her, too," he whispered vengefully to himself, and he went to the bank and resigned, after drawing out his savings account.

He was determined to go away. He had no idea what his destination would be, but it would be somewhere out of the civilized world, where he would try to forget and at the same time give Miss Carrie Crothers a good opportunity to think things over and come to her senses. At the end of a year, he decided, he would come back and see if things were different. It was going to be hard for him, but it would be harder to stay and "take her insults," as he put it in conversation with his aggrieved self.

By chance he picked up a newspaper which announced that Thomas Stevenson, the explorer, was preparing to sail in a week for Africa on a new expedition.

Austin's eyes brightened. Here was his chance. He had accompanied Stevenson on the latter's first exploring journey into the African wilds, and he would arrange to go with him this time. Invoking the aid of the telegraph, using as the address the name of Stevenson's favorite hotel in New York, Austin ascertained that he would be a welcome addition to the party.

The young man found the explorer packing up in his room. There was a hearty handshake and a brief exchange of words, and a week later Austin sailed with Stevenson and five others for Durban, on the southeastern coast of the dark continent.

Arriving there they employed three Zulus and two Hottentots to make up the remainder of the expedition and do the work. Many weeks later found the party north of the Transvaal, through which they had passed, and shortly afterward they began exploring in earnest.

Austin understood well before going that it was a hazardous undertaking on which he had embarked, for the dangers from both disease and uncivilized natives, especially the Bushmen, were many and serious. However, he wanted excitement to occupy his mind.

The expedition continued for months, always heading northward, climbing over mountains and passing through jungle regions. In many places wild beasts were to be reckoned with, and Austin's experience with the elephant rifle and other weapons stood him in good stead.

Stevenson wrote constantly concerning his observations. He said he was in quest of an undiscovered river, hoping to rival Roosevelt's feat in finding the River of Doubt, and he pushed on with few rests.

In the vicinity of the Zambezi river Austin was taken down with jungle fever, and Stevenson reluctantly detailed two of his Zulus to carry him back to the coast. The journey was long and laborious, but it finally was completed and Austin was taken into the home of a hospitable English settler in a small colony. Austin was out of his head most of the time, but at rare intervals he came out of the fever world and heard snatches of conversation, to which he sometimes replied, usually with an erratic remark.

During one of these near-lucid moments he heard a man's voice.

"He's got to have a doctor, and we'd better summon that woman who arrived here last month. They say she's a regular physician, although I've always been skeptical about the ability of a woman M. D. She's the only medic around here, though, so we'll have to have her."

"No woman doctor for mine!" shouted Austin, but, of course, his words bore no weight with the others.

After weeks of struggling with the fever, one morning Austin awoke to find himself back in the world. He felt weak, but otherwise no traces of the disease remained with him. He stared round in wonder at the strange walls that surrounded him. Slowly his memory came back; that is, the part which dealt with events up to the time the fever had got a strong hold on him.

Strange jabbering noises outside the window at his side attracted his attention and his eyes encountered a number of half-naked black children engaged in various grotesque forms of play.

"Well, how do you like it?" said a gentle voice at the other side of the bed.

"The woman doctor," he thought, recalling the words he had heard while in the throes of the fever. Turning his head slowly he looked into the pale blue eyes of Carrie Crothers.

"You!" he ejaculated. He was too astonished to articulate any further words for a moment, but mechanically he reached out his hand and took the small one extended toward him.

"Then—then you brought me out of this," he finally said. "You're the lady doctor!"

She smiled, captured a vagrant strand of brown hair and replied, with eyes sparkling in a strange way:

"No; the lady doctor is Elsie Shaw, an elderly woman, and she brought you out of this. But of course I helped nurse you when I could find the time. You see, I'm pretty busy."

She pointed out the window.

"Those black youngsters keep me pretty well occupied," she went on. "You see, I'm a teacher in the mission school, and they are the rising generation."

Round Towers in the West.

Those who venture into the West of the United States in these days are often puzzled by the number of round towers that at times throw very lengthy shadows across the landscape. There is always more or less guessing at the windows of passenger coaches as to the name and purpose of these structures. Most of them have greater circumference, and some seem to have greater height than the famous round towers of Ireland. They are silos, so called because they are employed for the preservation of ensilage or fodder crops at their green stage. There are possibilities in barn and silo combinations which will some day, we believe, be developed by the skillful architect. Even now departures from the crude and conventional are visible in many parts of the Indian corn belt.

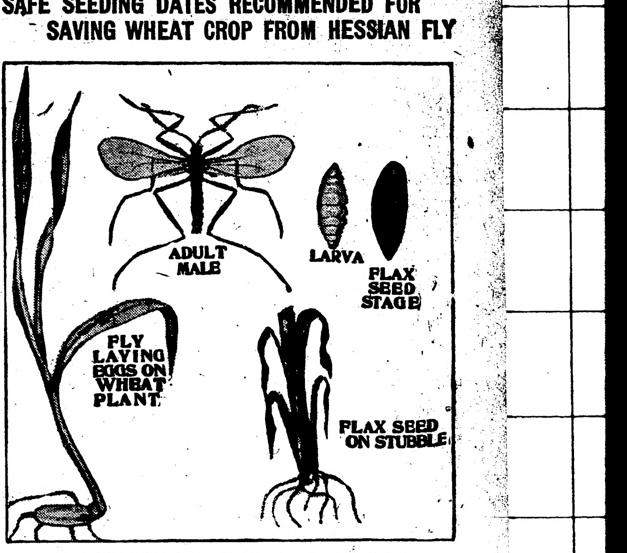
London's Ugliest Church.

Charing Cross is by common consent London's ugliest bridge; do you know which is her ugliest church? It dominates Smith's square, Westminster, and Canon Wilberforce was vicar for many years. The story of its origin is that Queen Anne wanted a church built hereabout and ordered an architect to prepare the design. When the plans were brought for her approval she disliked them so much that she tore them into shreds, threw them at the artist's head, and kicked over a footstool in her rage. "There," she said, pointing to the overturned footstool, "build me a church like that." The terrified man took her at her word, and the result we see.—London Chronicle.

Way of the Henpecked.

Willis—"Bump claims to be a very strong-minded man." Gillis—"That's right. When Bump tells his wife to do a thing he does it."—Life.

SAFE SEEDING DATES RECOMMENDED FOR SAVING WHEAT CROP FROM HESSIAN FLY



Important Stages in the Life Cycle of the Hessian Fly.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The Hessian fly, a minute wheat parasite, less than knee-high to a grasshopper, but gigantic as a fierce lion in its destructiveness, collects $50,000,000 a year from American wheat growers. This mosquito-like fly lays its eggs upon the leaves of wheat, and after the eggs hatch the little maggots live upon the plants' sap which they obtain by gnawing into the soft portion of the stem. Ordinarily two, or sometimes three or more, generations of the insect occur during a year. The main army of flies arrives in the fall and conducts a carnival of despoliation among the newly seeded grain. After the Hessian fly has once thoroughly infested a crop of wheat there is no known means of saving the grain, and the only known method of preventing damage from the fly is to keep such invaders out of the wheat.

Safe Dates for Seeding.

One of the most effective means of escaping fly damage is to defer fall seeding until danger of molestation from the fly is over. Safety dates for seeding wheat in different sections of the country are as follows:

Northern Michigan, soon after September 1; in southern Michigan, and northern Ohio, about September 20; in southern Ohio, after the first week in October; in Kentucky and Tennessee, October 10 to 20; in Georgia and South Carolina, October 25 to November 16; in extreme southern Kansas and northern Oklahoma, as well as in Virginia, after the first week in October. October-sown wheat always enjoys the greatest freedom from the fly in Missouri. Practically the same corresponding delay in wheat sowing in the fall should be followed to the southward.

These safety dates are only approximate and serve to show in a general way about the time when the fall brood of the fly will have largely disappeared from the wheat belt east of the Mississippi river. As the larger part of the fall brood appears and is gone within a week, it is possible for a farmer to time his seeding operations so as to avoid the fly.

Rotating Crops Is Effective.

Crop rotation is an efficient control as during the season of migration, unless new unaffected fields are near by, most of the insects succumb. Rotating the crops decreases the available supply of new host plants.

Destruction of volunteer grain plants by plowing, disking, or other tillage operations must begin before the larvae have matured in order to be effective, as volunteer wheat ordinarily is a prolific distributer of fly infection. Enriching the soil by plowing under the green cover crops and by applying stable manure also aid indirectly in combating the fly because a fertile soil will produce plants that soon attain vigorous, healthy growth and are better able to resist diseases than those grown on thin soils where it is hard to develop sufficient growth to withstand the winter if the wheat is sown late.

Good seed is a perequisite in securing healthy vigorous growth. Ordinarily the fly is avoided where good seed is sown in a thoroughly prepared fertile soil after the majority of the fall brood has disappeared. It is preferable to sow on ground not devoted to wheat the preceding year. In the case of spring wheat, the earlier the grain is sown the less it will suffer from the Hessian fly, but good seed and a well prepared, fertile soil are as essential in this case as elsewhere.

EFFICIENT MEANS OF PREPARING SEED BED

Use Disk to Prevent Growth of Grass and Weeds.

Plow Land to Depth of 6 or 7 Inches Where Wheat Follows Other Than Cultivated Crop—Keep Topsoil Well Broken Up.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

When wheat follows a cultivated crop that is removed sufficiently early, such as corn or tobacco, the soil can usually be prepared for seeding by the use of a disk and ordinary harrows. As soon as the crop is harvested the land should be gone over with the disk to prevent the growth of grass and weeds. A second disking, followed by harrowing, is given just before the grain is sown. A better seed bed can be prepared in this way than by plowing, and it takes much less time and work. If weeds are plentiful, plowing three or four inches deep may be necessary. Harrowing with an ordinary harrow should follow the plowing.

When wheat follows cotton the stalks should be plowed under as soon as the bolls are all open and picked. Plowing in this case should be deep enough to bury the stalks completely in order to destroy the boll weevil. The land should then be firmed with a roller and the wheat sown with a disk drill. Disking or harrowing is not advisable, as it unearths the buried stalks.

When wheat follows other than a cultivated crop, the seed bed should be prepared by plowing the land to a depth of six or seven inches several weeks before seeding. It should then be harrowed at once and afterwards worked down with a harrow, disk, drag, or roller in such a manner as to kill all weeds that start to grow after the topsoil is well broken up. When it is necessary to plow just before seeding, as when a catch crop of cowpeas is plowed under, the soil should be compacted by rolling and harrowing several times before seeding.

BETTER SWINE AND PROFITS

Farmers Learning to Be More Careful in Selection of Their Breeding Animals.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Farmers throughout the country are using improved hog-breeding stock more generally than ever before, report specialists of the United States department of agriculture, as they are learning that the best stock yields the most profits, and hence are more careful in their selection of breeding animals. Farmers, as a rule, seem to be pleased with the outlook for the hog raiser, and the indications point to a large increase in the number of litters to be farrowed this fall. Much trouble was experienced with the early spring litters because of cold weather at farrowing time and on account of feed shortage and the high price of protein feeds, causing many stockmen to allow their brood sows to get into poor condition, with the result that small and weak litters were farrowed. In the main, these farmers have learned a costly lesson, and henceforward it is presumed that they will provide better housing and farrowing conditions as well as ample food of the right mixture for their porkers.

GENERAL FARM NOTES

Order clover seed now.

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Dig potatoes on a dry day.

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Sprouts, briars, and bushes cut now are not likely to come out again.

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As soon as the kernels have fairly hardened it will do to cut corn for grain and fodder.

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Many farmers are pooling their interests and purchasing fertilizers together in carload lots.

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There are two ways to can corn. One is in cans and the other is in the silo. Can all you can both ways.

U.S.S. NEW MEXICO: First Electrified Battleship

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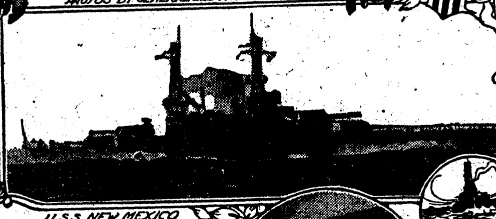

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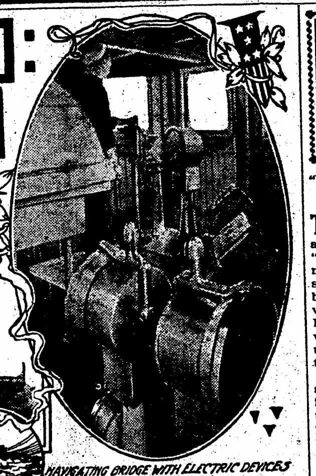

NAVIGATING BRIDGE WITH ELECTRIC DEVICES

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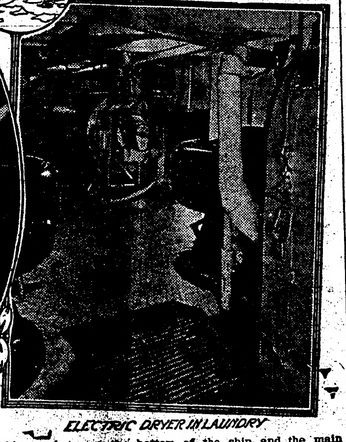

ELECTRIC DRYER IN LAUNDRY

UNCLE Sam's superdreadnaught New Mexico is very much in the eyes of the world these days for the special reason that this battleship is the first of any nation to be propelled by electricty. Moreover, electric drive has been so successful and its fighting advantages have become so generally recognized that the navy department has decided to equip all of its new capital ships with electric propulsion apparatus.

The New Mexico is a most impressive fighting machine. She was built at the Brooklyn navy yard and launched in the summer of 1917. She is 624 feet over all. She weighs (displaces) 32,000 tons. She draws 30 feet of water. She has 97 feet 4½ inches beam at the waterline. At full speed she can make slightly in excess of 21 knots an hour. She generates 28,000 horsepower for propulsion. Her crew numbers nearly 1,200 men. She burns oil instead of coal as fuel and has a total fuel capacity of about 1,000,000 gallons.

It's not an easy thing nowadays to get permission to examine a battleship from stem to stern and to take photographs of her interior. But representatives of one of the big concerns which had a hand in making the New Mexico what she is was recently allowed the privilege—which has been exceedingly rare since the beginning of the great war. The following account of an inspection of the superdreadnaught at drydock in the Brooklyn navy yard is the result.

Lieut. Com. P. L. Carroll, chief engineer, turns us over to one of the junior engineers. We start with the navigating bridge and examine the various pieces of apparatus for transmitting signals to the engine room for the control of the vessel, and to half a dozen other parts of the ship, each of which has a particular and important function to perform. Next we begin a systematic survey of the ship, and to begin as far down into the vitals of the vessel as possible we are led through circuitous routes, down steep hatchways, through narrow alleys, and down more ladders, through deck after deck until we have lost all knowledge of time and space.

We find ourselves at last on the very bottom of the ship, directly behind the rudder. A complicated mass of machinery, pistons, rods, valves, dials and electric motors, combine to make up the steering gear engine. This machinery is operated and controlled directly from the navigating bridge by a control device. This is only one of five different methods of steering the ship. In a water-tight compartment directly aft is what is known as the auxiliary steering gear. And here we see four large wheels connected to a shaft, which when occasion demands, can be used to move the rudder by hand—which takes eight men. But this shaft is also connected to an electric motor and by the simple turn of a switch can be operated electrically. Two other electrical units are situated in this compartment for rudder control and if all steering methods fail, a "jury" rudder may be rigged off the stern.

Going forward along the bottom of the ship we come presently to the propeller shafts—four in number—each operating an immense propeller. These shafts extend from the motors which operate them back through the ship and out at the stern, through what are known respectively as the starboard outboard shaft alley, starboard inboard, port inboard and port outboard alleys. Following forward along the inboard shaft we go through several more water-tight compartments, drop down a hatchway and find ourselves in the propelling motor room. This is the section of the ship which actually drives the propellers.

The tremendous motor which meets our gaze gives an inkling of the power necessary to make the big shafts revolve.

This motor stands 12 feet high from the floor and is 12 feet wide. It generates 7,000 horsepower. Like the rest, it is inclosed in a water-tight compartment, protected by bulkheads, and if anything should happen to it, the current may be cut off at once and directed to the operation of the other three propellers.

To see how the motor is controlled, reversed, started, stopped, etc., we follow the wire cables further forward, still almost on the bottom of the ship until we come to what the engineers call the center engine room. Here spread out before us lies a switchboard containing levers, dials, telephones, indicators, and instruments for measuring electrical currents. It is the main control station of the ship containing the arteries through which courses the life blood of the vessel, the electrical current. In fact, it is often called the heart of the vessel.

Here in this compartment the electrical current is received, measured and passed on to the motors which we have just left. From this station the propellers may be made to reverse, or to go at full speed ahead; two propellers may be reversed while the other two are driven ahead. Here also any combination of control may be made up. The flexibility of control made possible by this central control station constitutes one of the advantages of the system of electric drive. The captain of the ship communicates directly to this station and gives instructions concerning the control of the vessel.

Having seen how the ship is propelled, and controlled, we are naturally curious to see the source from which the tremendous energy comes. The cables from the switchboard lead us forward into another compartment where we view the machine which generates the electrical current which turns the propellers.

This is the turbo-generator section. There are two turbo-generators consisting of a steam turbine direct, connected to a powerful generator. This generator is operated by the steam turbine and produces the current we have been seeking. Each of the turbo-generators produces 14,000 horsepower. In technical language this spot within the ship is known as the power plant.

The turbine is an essential part of this plant. It illustrates another advantage of the electric drive. A steam turbine to operate at its maximum efficiency must revolve at a relatively high speed, say 2,000 revolutions per minute. On the other hand, the propeller to be most efficient, must revolve with comparative slowness, say 200 revolutions per minute. This is because if the propellers revolved at high speed they would merely churn up the water and fail to drive the vessel ahead.

Now electricity acts as a connecting link between this highspeed turbine and the low-speed motor which drives the propellers. Mechanical gears, which in the turbine driven vessel have been used to reduce the turbine speed down to a suitable propeller speed, are entirely eliminated, and the necessary reduction accomplished by simple electrical means. Moreover the operating units of vital importance are each inclosed in separate water-tight compartments. In addition the machinery is grouped very close to the center of the ship as far as possible away from the sides.

"The possibility of so grouping the machinery," says an officer, "means a greater protection of the apparatus from shell fire, grounding and collision. We might say that this feature, plus the flexibility of control and the ability to cut off defective or damaged apparatus, constitutes one of the essential superiorities of electric drive."

To follow the power route to its source, we must go still further forward to a point amidships. Here are nine huge steam boilers, arranged three in a compartment. They store up the steam under a pressure of 250 pounds to the square inch and deliver it to the turbines. The New Mexico burns oil instead of coal.

Thus the electrical propulsion equipment of the New Mexico may be briefly summarized as follows: Nine steam boilers deliver steam to two turbines. The two turbines operate two generators. The two generators produce electrical current. The electrical current is led through copper cables to a control station where it is distributed and passed on to four big motors. Each of the four motors turns a propeller and thus the ship is driven through the water.

The current which the two turbo-generators produce is used entirely in the actual propulsion of the vessel. The New Mexico must have additional electrical energy with which to operate scores of auxiliary apparatus.

For instance, electric motors operate the 12-inch and 14-inch guns, blowers which supply the ventilation of the ship, electric fans, telephones, heaters, pumps, refrigerating machinery, wireless apparatus, kitchen appliances, laundry equipment, etc., to say nothing of the lighting system. Motor-driven machinery also operates the boat cranes and the anchor windlass. There are scores of storage batteries which stand ready to keep the electric lights going should the main lighting system fail. It has been estimated that there are aboard the New Mexico no less than 50 electric motors.

"Where does the current come from to operate them?" we ask. It comes from six auxiliary turbo-generator sets and we find two of them well up toward the bow of the vessel, still on the same level as the boiler room from which we have just emerged. This turbo-generator, and the others similar to it, are responsible for the wonderful applications of electricity which we will make the acquaintance of as we go upward through the New Mexico. There are four separate decks between the bottom of the ship and the main deck.

All the baking is done electrically—electric motors operate the dough mixers, and dough kneaders, while the loaves are baked in electrically heated ovens. Next we visit the electric laundry with its many ingenious machines electrically driven. Electricity also plays its part in other places, such as the crew's library, reading room and recreation quarters; the barber shop; the sick bay, with its up-to-date operating room; Capt. A. L. Willard's quarters, the officers' wardrooms, etc.

The New Mexico has 12 14-inch guns and many of smaller caliber, including a battery of anti-aircraft guns. The larger caliber guns, three in each of four turrets, are operated by electricity. The turrets are revolved and the guns elevated by electric motors. Ammunition hoists run electrically and there are electric gun loaders, while even the big guns are fired by electrical means, but the smaller caliber guns are generally oprated by hand.

In examining into the control of these great batteries of destruction, we come to one of the most interesting spots on the ship—the conning tower. Navy regulations designed to withhold important matters of military design, forbid us from obtaining a picture of the conning tower. But it is permissible to describe it briefly. The conning tower is a well-shaped shaft extending perpendicularly through the ship from top to bottom with ladders running up and down the sides and convenient methods of transmitting instructions by means of indicators and telephones. During an action the vessel's commanding officer usually stations himself in this tower which is also known as one of several fire-control stations and transmits instructions.

Up on one of the masts we encounter one of the big "eyes" of the ship—an electrical eye which can see for miles in inky darkness. The current for the operation of the searchlight comes from one of the turbo-generators heretofore described.

Is the electrical propulsion of marine vessels opening up an entirely new era of scientific advancement and will the day come when the seven seas will be dotted with electric ships? So far as our own navy is concerned, Secretary Daniels expressed the essence of the idea when he said:

"I think this country has cause to be proud of this achievement in engineering, not alone because of the pronounced success in this particular instance (referring to the New Mexico), but because of the assurance it gives us of the superiority of our capital ships to those of foreign countries."

"The New Mexico is the first and only dreadnaught of any nation to have electrically operated propelling machinery," continued Secretary Daniels. "On this account she has been an object of surpassing interest to the officers of our own navy and to those of foreign navies as well, and to electrical engineers in general.

"The result was satisfactory from every point of view and confirmed the judgment of all who were in any way concerned in its design and adoption. There was not the slightest mishap with any part of it, everything worked to perfection, and the crew was as enthusiastic over the performance of the machinery as is the department proud in the possession of such an efficient dreadnaught.

"When we entered into contract for the machinery we stipulated that, in addition to being capable of developing the maximum power, she should also give an economy at cruising speed very much superior to that obtainable with the turbine installations previously used. This stringent requirement was also met. As a matter of fact, the New Mexico will steam at ten knots on less fuel than the best turbine-driven ship that preceded her."

Anyway, electrical engineers are now turning their attention to the adoption of similar principles to the driving of merchant ships and to large passenger vessels.

The Wonders of America

By T. T. MAXEY

"THE CATHEDRAL OF COMMERCE."

THE Woolworth building, New York city, the highest office building in all the world, is often referred to as "The Cathedral of Commerce." This marvelous building is 792 feet or 60 stories tall. About 8,000,000 human beings reside within the bird's-eye view visible from the observation gallery on the fifty-eighth floor. This view, so unusual, so wonderful, has attracted representatives from more than sixty different countries.

About four hundred feet of the outside of the upper portion of the tower is flood lighted at night. This causes the building to present a bold and imposing spectacle—visible, 'tis said, 40 miles at sea. The structure weighs 223,000 tons, this tremendous weight being supported by 69 caissons, the largest 19 feet in diameter, all going down to bed rock or 110 feet below the sidewalk. Engineers claim its construction is so solid and safe that it would withstand a wind having a velocity of 200 miles per hour.

About 250 people are required to operate and maintain the building, which contains almost thirty acres of floor space. The tenants and their employees number about ten thousand. To serve them and those who enter to transact business with them, 28 elevators are required. About 25,000 people, on an average, ride in them daily. Approximately 250,000 pieces of mail matter are delivered in the building daily. The two elevators which operate to the tower are the fastest elevators in the world, having a speed of 700 feet per minute.

BUNKER HILL MONUMENT.

THE elevation known as "Bunker Hill" is situated in Charlestown, Boston harbor. On this spot, on June 17, 1775, was fought the famous Battle of Bunker Hill, between the British and American forces. Here the gratitude and patriotism of the American people have caused to be erected a great granite obelisk as a memorial.

Located in the center of a four-acre square and surrounded by an iron fence, this monument is 221 feet high and 30 feet in diameter at the base. Within the shaft is a circular stairway leading to a chamber, 11 feet in diameter and 17 feet high, at the top, from which is visible a view that thrills the heart of every American, who has been fortunate enough to witness it.

It is an interesting fact that the corner stone was laid by General LaFayette, a son of glorious France, during his famous visit to America in 1825. The monument was dedicated in 1842, on which occasion Daniel Webster spoke these famous words:

"It looks, it speaks, it acts, to the full comprehension of every American mind, and the awakening of glowing enthusiasm in every American heart. Its silent but awful utterance; its deep pathos, as it brings to our contemplation the 17th of June, 1775, and the consequences which have resulted to us, to our country, and to the world, from the events of that day, and which we know must continue to rain influence to the destinies of mankind to the end of time."

THE STATUE OF LIBERTY.

THE colossal statue of Liberty enlightening the world, the gift of the people of France to the people of the United States, in commemoration of the centennial of their national independence, stands on Bedloe's or Liberty Island in New York harbor and was dedicated October 28, 1886. It has welcomed millions of people to our shores, and it bade farewell to our brave soldier boys when they sailed away to save the land from whence it came.

This statue is of bronze, 151 feet high and rests upon a stone pedestal, approximately 100 feet high, making the total height of the entire structure over 300 feet above the waters of New York bay. Its estimated weight is 225 tons and the cost, including erection, was about $600,000.

The index finger of this gigantic figure is 8 feet long and 7½ feet in circumference at the second joint; the head is ten feet thick; the nose 4½ feet long and the mouth 3½ feet wide. Forty persons can stand in the head and the torch will accommodate 12 more. There are 154 steps in the statue from the pedestal to the head, and the ladder in the raised right arm contains 54 rounds. The light in the torch is maintained by the United States lighthouse service and is visible for many miles at sea.

The view that greets the eye from the top is one of the most marvelous in all the world.

THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS.

A LIBRARY for congress was an unquestioned necessity. Consequently, the congressional library was founded about the same time the government was first established, or in 1800. It was entirely destroyed by fire in the war of 1812 and also suffered seriously from fire at a later date. So, congress authorized the construction of a building that could not be burned. Result, the present structure, completed in 1897, said to be the most perfectly adapted for the convenient use and storage of books of any large library in the world, likewise the largest, costliest and safest.

It consists of three stories, a basement and a dome, covers almost three and one-half acres and has a total floor space of about eight acres. You can better grasp the magnitude of this building, when I tell you that it contains 22,000,000 brick, to say nothing of the other materials, and has 69,200 shelves with a total length of about forty miles.

It now houses considerably more than one million books and pamphlets, which is the largest single collection on the western hemisphere. Its estimated total capacity is about 1,900,800 publications. Its more than 2,000 windows render it the best lighted library in the world.

The colorings of the reading room are soft, quiet, rich and warm, being conducive to the greatest comfort. The walls carry many helpful and inspiring inscriptions. Its conspicuous beauty or charm, however, is in the wonderful mural decorative scheme, it being, unquestionably, the most gorgeously decorated public building in America.

THE KEOKUK DAM.

THE Mississippi river has been harnessed! A genius named Cooper (Hugh L., late of General Pershing's forces in France) turned the trick.

He built a concrete dam, 42 feet wide at the bottom, 29 feet wide on top and about 53 feet high, across the river; a powerhouse in which will be housed thirty 10,000 horsepower turbines, each with its generator weighing 850 tons; a lock 400 feet long and 110 feet wide (the width being the same as the locks in the Panama canal, but the lift is higher); the largest dry dock (at the time) in fresh water and an ice fender.

It was necessary to acquire about 25,000 acres of land, build 50 miles of roads and streets and clear 5,000 acres of brush and timber. More than 1,300 property owners were dealt with. Litigation was resorted to in only about ten cases. Two hundred and eighty-nine tons of dynamite were used. Construction work required about 800,000 barrels of cement, 7,500 tons of steel, 300,000 cubic yards of sand, 3,500,000 pounds of structural steel and 20,000,000 feet of lumber.

Now, the "Father of Waters" turns the machinery that lights cities, runs street cars and operates factories. Sixty thousand horsepower of electricity is used in St. Louis, 141 miles away. Sufficient power is generated to light a boulevard from Portland, Me., to Los Angeles, Cal., using 48 candle-power lamps set 100 feet apart.

Construction started January 5, 1910. The first current reached St. Louis July 1, 1913. The total cost of the plant was $26,000,000.

THE ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY.

FITTING, indeed, it is, that the national cemetery should occupy a position atop the Virginia hills which line the placid Potomac opposite the capital of the nation.

The grounds comprise about 1,100 acres and once were the property of the grandson of Martha Washington, whose only child married the conspicuous military leader, General Robert E. Lee, through whom it passed into the possession of the United States, in 1864.

So peaceful and beautiful is this spot that one half suspects nature just lovingly shaped it for the very purpose for which it is being used. The portion now used for burial purposes is inclosed within a wall of red sandstone. It is divided into sections, with tastefully-arranged avenues, drives and walks.

In this consecrated spot sleep the silent hosts "who gave their lives that the country might live"—approximately 25,000 of them at the present writing. Any honorably-discharged soldier, sailor or marine of the United States service is entitled to burial here.

In one section rest the remains of the sailors who were killed in the wreck of the Maine in the harbor of Havana; in another the remains of 2,111 nameless soldiers gathered from various battlefields, camps and abandoned cemeteries. Here, too, are the graves of many of our brave generals and admirals, including that of Quartermaster General Meigs, who suggested to President Lincoln that this site be converted into a military cemetery. Also some time-worn stones marking the graves of several officers of the Revolutionary war.

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Work Hard and Play Hard.

Regular daily relaxation and particularly relaxation through enthusiastic hobby riding has the advantage of promoting emotional control, an indispensable factor in the winning of success. To work hard, to play ardently, to live a decent, hygienic life in general, sums up pretty comprehensively the secret of business success. Following this plan, men of only average ability can, and do advance by rapid stages, while without its aid more brilliant men falter and fail.

Ascertaining Mountain Heights.

The height of mountains is ascertained by barometric observation, showing the pressure of atmosphere at the lower and higher levels. An instrument called the mountain barometer is graded especially for this purpose. It can also be done with a leveling instrument and theodolite, but either way requires technical knowledge.

INOCULATE SOIL TO AID ALFALFA

Addition of Bacteria to Promote Favorable Conditions Is Needed in Eastern States.

NOT NEEDED IN SOME PARTS

Farmer Ordinarily Secures Material From an Old Sweet or Bur Clover Field—Several Machines Useful in Applying.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Alfalfa failures, especially in the eastern parts of the country, result in many instances from the lack of or improper inoculation—the addition of enough bacteria to the soil to promote conditions favorable for the growth of the crop. Despite the popular conception that inoculation is necessary in all parts of the country, specialists report that throughout the alfalfa belt proper, which includes Montana, Wyoming, California, Colorado, Idaho, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Arizona, New Mexico, and nearly all of Texas, it is not necessary to inoculate for alfalfa.

In certain other sections of the country there are sufficient alfalfa or allied leguminous organisms in the soil to make a profitable growth of alfalfa possible. Where such crops as white or yellow sweet clover, California bur clover, southern bur clover, and yellow trefoil grow, it is unnecessary to inoculate for alfalfa.

Transferring Inoculated Soil From an Old Sweet Clover Field to a New Alfalfa Field.

Soil Should Be Neutral.

The soil should be neutral in order that the alfalfa bacteria may thrive, and unless the soil conditions are generally good it is impossible to grow alfalfa on a commercial scale.

Quite commonly the farmer secures his inoculation material from an old sweet clover or bur clover field, or else from an old alfalfa sod, applying the inoculated soil on a cloudy day or during the evening in order that the alfalfa bacteria may not be injured by the bright sunlight. Investigations have shown, however, that there is less danger of permanently injuring the alfalfa bacteria by sunlight than was formerly supposed, and although it is not advisable to court trouble by needlessly exposing inoculation material, this dirt, if necessary, can bear sunlight for several hours without severe injury.

Nodules Are Essential.

It is essential that the soil, if taken from old alfalfa fields, should be from those plots where the alfalfa plants show numerous nodules upon their roots. Such soil, well dried, pulverized, and sifted through a window screen, is best applied to the new field through the fertilizer attachment of a grain drill, by the use of a lime spreader followed by a smoothing harrow, or by distributing it with the aid of an end gate sower attached to a wagon box. Two hundred pounds or more of sifted field soil will be sufficient for an acre. It is necessary in obtaining the material to remove from the surface 2 or 3 inches of soil and to obtain the inoculating material from the underlying 6 or 7 inches. Broadcasting the soil by hand requires a larger quantity and is best done in the early morning, late evening, or on cloudy days in order to minimize the damage effected by the sun's rays.

The glue method of inoculation was widely practiced several years ago in Illinois. It consists of moistening the alfalfa seed with ordinary furniture glue and then sprinkling inoculated soil over it so that the soil will adhere to the seed and carry the bacteria on to the new field. Specifically, this method consists in dissolving two handfuls of glue for every gallon of boiling water and then allowing the solution to cool. Then the seed should be placed in a washtub and enough of the solution sprinkled over the seed to moisten it, but not enough to wet the seed, one quart to the bushel usually being adequate. The soil from the inoculated field should be dried in the shade, pulverized into a fine dust and scattered uniformly over the seed, from one-half to one gallon of dirt being sufficient for each bushel of seed.

HEAVY HOG LOSS CAN BE LARGELY AVOIDED

Greater Care Should Be Used in Shipping Live Animals.

Cars Ought to Be Thoroughly Cleaned Before Loading and Not Overcrowded—Spraying While in Transit Is Helpful.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

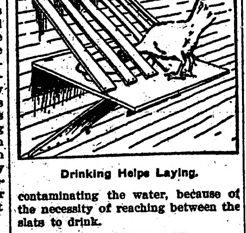
Last May 651 hogs, weighing approximately 157,000 pounds, were unloaded dead, or died in the stockyards at the South St. Paul market. Of this number, 359 hogs, weighing approximately 102,000 pounds, died in transit or in yards during the last six days of the month. This was the week of the first real warm weather, and as is usually the case during the first hot spell in the summer season, the loss of hogs in transit was extremely heavy. The difference in price between dead or live hogs during this week was approximately 18 cents a pound, which would mean a total loss of about $18,360. This loss might have been largely avoided if the shippers had taken proper care in loading, seeing that all cars were properly cleaned before loading, and that cars were not loaded as heavily as is the custom in cooler weather. If these hogs had been loaded in clean cars the losses could have been further decreased by having them sprayed often in transit, by the carrier, especially upon arrival at transfer points, and also upon delivery to the terminal. One of the largest buyers of hogs at the South St. Paul market, who reships to other markets for slaughter, states that the losses of his firm during the last week in May were no heavier than usual, but that they were extremely careful to have their cars thoroughly cleaned and sanded before loading, in addition to loading lighter than usual and taking the adequate precaution of requesting the railroad officials to issue instructions to have the hogs sprayed as often as possible in transit.

WATER HELPS LAYING FOWLS

Plentiful Supply Should Always Be Available for Hens—Stock-Feed-Rack Idea Is Good.

A plentiful supply of clean, fresh water must always be available to hens. The fowls drink freely, especially when laying heavily, and should not be stinted of such a necessary and cheap material as water. The water pan or dish should be kept clean.

The stock-feed-rack idea has been successfully applied to the watering of poultry. One successful poultry raiser uses a contrivance such as the one illustrated on this page, the chickens being forced to hop upon an elevated platform in order to reach the water, and being prevented from standing on the edge of the dish or contaminating the water, because of the necessity of reaching between the slats to drink.



Drinking Helps Laying.

REASONS FOR FALL PLOWING

Longer Period Given for Decomposition of Stubble and Other Pieces of Vegetable Matter.

Fall plowing is a bank balance booster because it returns the best crops. It does this for several reasons, says Andrew Boss, vice director of the Minnesota experiment station, University farm, St. Paul:

It gives a longer period for the decomposition of the stubble and other particles of vegetable matter turned under in plowing.

It opens the soil to the fall rains.

It helps to dispose of weeds which interfere with growth of crops.

It lessens the amount of spring work and thereby allows the prompt sowing of the crops in the spring.

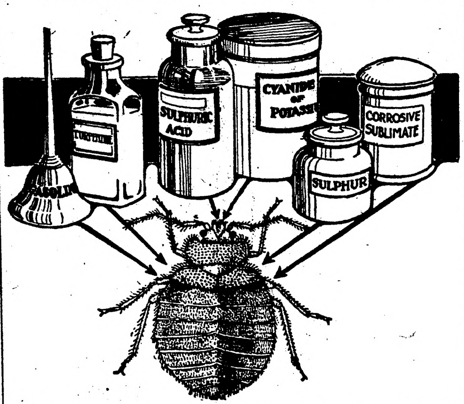
It enables one to avoid crowding at any time, and, therefore, is beneficial both to men and horses.

GIVE HARNESS PROPER CARE

First Wash With Warm Water and Soap, and While Still Moist Oil It Thoroughly.

To oil harness correctly, first wash the harness thoroughly with warm water and soap. Then hang the harness up to dry. Do not let it get dry, but when it is still moist, rub it thoroughly with some animal or vegetable oil. Pure neats-foot oil is the best oil known. This renews the softness of the leather and its flexibility. Do not use mineral oils on harness, for it has a destructive effect, say the farm engineering authorities at Iowa State college who make the foregoing recommendations.

ETERNAL VIGILANCE IS QUITE NECESSARY TO INSURE HOME AGAINST BEDBUG PEST



Any of These Remedies Are Warranted to Be Sure Death to Mr. Bedbug.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

There's no disgrace in finding a bedbug; the disgrace lies in keeping it.

Somewhere back in the dim ages, a housekeeper—possibly Mrs. Noah—gave utterance to the above. Perhaps Noah was so literal minded, being a man, as to think the injunction to take into the ark a pair of every living creature included bedbugs, too, and his wife, when she laid down what was to be forever after a household proverb, had just found them. Whether the originator of the phrase was Mrs. Noah or the Queen of Sheba—she is said to have been a fussy housekeeper—doesn't matter. Generations of women since have comforted themselves by repeating it when they discovered the pest in their homes and when anguish filled their souls.

Bugs Gain Entrance Easily.

The presence of the bedbug in the house is not necessarily an indication of neglect or carelessness, for this insect may gain access in spite of the adoption of all reasonable precautions. Trunks, wraps, and bags of travelers, and baskets of laundry may furnish a means of transportation for the pest. Unfortunately, too, it is quite capable of migrating from one house to another, and will often continue to go from an adjoining house sometimes for a period of several months, gaining access daily. Such migration is especially likely to take place when the human inhabitants of the house leave it. When its usual source of food departs, the migratory instinct of the bedbug is developed, and, escaping through windows, it passes along walls, water pipes, or gutters, and thus gains entrance to adjoining houses. In these or other ways anyone's premises may be temporarily invaded.

The presence of the bedbug in houses, both from the standpoint of personal comfort and the possible carriage of disease, is not to be lightly considered, and the failure on the part of anyone to institute immediate efforts of eradication will warrant the odium which is properly attached to "buggy" premises.

The bedbug is normally nocturnal in habits and displays a certain degree of wariness, caution, and intelligence in its efforts at concealment during the day. Under the stress of hunger, however, it will emerge from its place of concealment in a well-lighted room at night, so that under such circumstances keeping the gas or electric light burning is not a complete protection. It usually leaves its victim as soon as it has become engorged with blood and retires to its normal place of concealment, either in cracks in the bedstead, especially if the latter be one of the wooden variety, or behind wainscoting, or under loose wall paper. It thrives particularly in filthy apartments and in old houses which are full of cracks and crevices, in which it can conceal itself beyond easy reach.

The bite of the bedbug is decidedly poisonous to some individuals, resulting in a slight swelling and disagreeable inflammation. To allay the irritation peroxide of hydrogen or dioxygen may be used with good results. In common with other insects which attack man and warm-blooded animals, it is entirely possible for a bedbug to transmit contagious human diseases.

How to Get Rid of Them.

Undoubtedly the most efficient remedy for the bedbug is to fumigate the infested house or rooms with hydrocyanic-acid gas. A bulletin giving directions for such fumigation has been issued by the department of agriculture.

The fumes of burning sulphur are also a very efficient means of control where the conditions are such that this method can be used. It readily destroys insects in all stages, including the egg. There is some risk of injury to household fabrics, furnishings, and wall papers from the strong bleaching quality of sulphur fumes. The danger will be somewhat diminished if the fumigation can be done at a time when the room or house is thoroughly dried out, as in winter by a furnace or other heating system. Further precautions should be taken by removing metallic surfaces from the room or protecting them with a coat of vaseline. Two pounds of sulphur are recommended for each 2,000 cubic feet of space and the building should be closed for the treatment for at least five or six hours or preferably for 24 hours. Thoroughgoing precautions must be taken to prevent accidental overflowing or the starting of a fire. After the fumigation the house should be given a thorough airing.

Gases, such as formalin and the vapors of benzine, napthaline, and camphor are sometimes used, but are of little value. Insect powders, because they are difficult to get into crevices, are not effective.

Methods of Control.

Among the simple methods of control, however, perhaps the most efficient is a very liberal application of benzine, kerosene, or gasoline, introduced with small brushes or feathers, or by injecting with syringes into all crevices of beds, furniture, or walls where the insects may have concealed themselves. Not only is the baseboard of the room apt to be infested with them, but the picture molding and the back of the pictures themselves may furnish lodging for the pest. Corrosive sublimate is also of value, and oil of turpentine may be used in the same way. Hot water, wherever it may be employed without danger to furniture, is also an effective means of destroying both eggs and bugs.

Various bedbug remedies and mixtures are for sale, most of them containing one or another of the ingredients mentioned, and these are frequently of value. The important point, however, in the case of an infested house is a daily inspection of beds and bedding, particularly the seams and tufting of mattresses, and of all crevices and locations about the premises where these vermin may have gone for concealment.

A vigorous campaign should, in the course of a week or so at the outside, result in the extermination of this very obnoxious and embarrassing pest, which swoops down upon its helpless sleeping prey during the midnight watches.

HOW TO COOK MUTTON STEAK

It Closely Resembles Hamburg Steak as Ordinarily Prepared—Onion May Be Added.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Mutton cooked in the following manner is appetizing and nutritious:

1 pound lean mutton free from bone.
1 egg.
½ cupful milk.
1 teaspoonful salt.
½ teaspoonful pepper.
Few drops onion juice.

Chop the meat fine, add the other ingredients, form into small cakes and either broil or fry them. While this dish is more delicate if the egg and milk are used, it can be made without them. In this case it very closely resembles Hamburg steak as ordinarily prepared from beef. It may be made with or without onion.

FEEDING VALUE OF POTATOES

Tubers Are Rich in Mineral Matter Necessary to Keep Body in Good Condition.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

One medium potato gives as much body fuel as two slices of bread and more than one egg. The tissue-building material, protein, is present only in slight amount, so that milk, cheese, eggs, fish and meat, which are rich in protein, are the logical foods to eat with potatoes. However, the small quantity of protein which the potato contains is of an especially valuable kind. Potatoes are rich in the mineral matter necessary to keep the body in condition.

OF INTEREST to the HOUSEWIFE

Lay tough meat in vinegar water a few minutes.

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Orange is a far better dessert flavor than lemon.

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Kerosene will remove stains left on clothes wringers.

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Purchase a coarse scrubbing brush for cleaning muddy shoes.

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Loose groceries are an economy. One pays for cans and packages.

HIDES AND SKINS OF BEST QUALITY

Many of Profit-Absorbing Intermediary Agencies Avoided by Direct Marketing.

PREPARATION IS IMPORTANT

Essential to Fold in Head and Neck, Flesh Sides Together—Sheepskins Are Bundled Differently—Use Strong Linen Tags.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Much may be done to improve the country branch of the hide and skin industry by marketing the hides and pelts on a graded and selected basis, according to relative merits, and by avoiding many of the profit-absorbing intermediary agencies through more direct marketing by the rural producers. In this way country producers will not only derive more profits, but the profits will be commensurate with the quality of their products, a condition which will prove an incentive to produce hides and skins of the best possible quality.

The preparation of hides and skins for market is of great importance, as when they are not properly prepared and shipped they are subject to great deterioration. The farmer who has thoroughly cured a number of hides and skins by the green salting method commonly followed should place them over some elevated object, such as a barrel. They should remain there over night, to drain free of excess moisture; after which the surplus salt should be swept off or removed by thoroughly shaking the hides.

Care in Removing Hides Reduces Ultimate Cost of Leather.

Folding the Hides.

As a rule hides are folded so that the hair side is out. It is essential to fold in the head and neck on the body of the hide, flesh surfaces together, and to turn in the tail in a similar manner. Then a narrow fold on each side should be made by throwing back the body edges and legs upon the body of the hide, flesh surfaces together, keeping the lines of the folds parallel. The legs should then be folded back and these lapped with the hair surfaces together, bringing the break of each fold near the middle line of the back. The side folds should then be completed by bringing together the two breaks of the folds, with the middle line of the back as the main fold, in this way making one long rectangular bundle. The butt end of the folded hide should then be thrown forward about four-fifths of the distance to the neck fold, whereupon the forward portion of the bottom lap should be folded back on top of the first fold, bringing the break of the rear fold even with that of the fold just made.

Each hide should be bundled separately and tied securely, about seven feet of strong cord being necessary to tie one hide bundle. A soft rope or line at least one-fourth inch thick is suitable for this purpose, although regular hide rope is preferable. Wire should never be used, as it is likely to damage the hide by rusting.

Sheepskins Bundled Differently.

Sheepskins are bundled differently from either cattle hides or calfskins. The wool sides are laid down and the skins are folded along the median line of the back with the wool side out. As many as five skins folded in this manner can be placed in a single bundle for shipment. Two pieces of stout rope should then be wound around the pack from back to belly, one passing around the back portion just in front of the hind legs, and the other passing around the front portion immediately back of the forelegs. All shipments of hides should be tagged with good, strong linen tags with a paper finish and brass eyelets, and all addresses should be done plainly with moisture-resisting ink. Hides and skins should be shipped as soon as possible after bundling without needless exposure to sun, draft, water, or rusty or corroded metals.

Complete information regarding the best methods for skinning, curing, and preparing hides for market is given in Farmers' Bulletin No. 1055, which may be obtained upon request to the United States department of agriculture, Washington, D. C.

SECRETARY HOUSTON WANTS SQUARE DEAL

Manufacturer Must Do His Part in Lowering Prices.

Everything Possible Will Be Done to Enable Farmer to Produce More Economically—Profiteering Must Be Stopped.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

David F. Houston, secretary of agriculture, does not assent to the theory that the prices of farm products should fall before the prices of manufactured commodities fall. He makes this clear in replying to a recent communication in which it was stated that "There must be a drop in prices before there is a drop in wages, and it would seem that the farmer is the man who is going to be first hit."

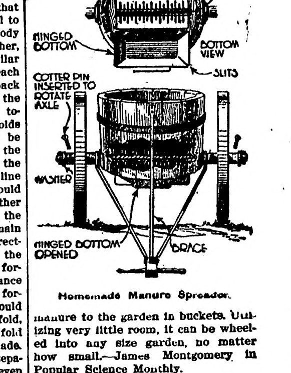
This theory has been advanced by a number of manufacturers, said the secretary, who continued, "it is clearly an unjust contention. It manifestly would not do to ask farmers to produce, buying everything that they have to buy from manufacturers at high prices, with the assurance to them that their products will fall in price, and that then manufacturers will consider what they will do with reference to their own prices. Obviously, manufacturers must be willing to make at least a contemporaneous decrease in their prices. It might even be contended that they should make a prior decrease in their prices, since the farmer's operations involve a year and he could not recoup for twelve months, or could not recoup at all, because, on the theory put forth, his products would fall in price. It seems to me that business men must be brought to realize that if we are to get back to the normal, they must set about immediately to do their part, and unquestionably, profiteering in manufactured products must be eliminated.

"Of course, everything possible will be done to enable the farmer to produce more economically, so that if prices do fall, he will not sustain a loss, or so great a loss. All the efforts of the department of agriculture and of the land-grant colleges have this aim. They are trying to bring about better methods of cultivation, better financing, better marketing, the elimination of plant and animal diseases and insect pests, and the better utilization of labor. Much has been done in this direction, and more will be done as time passes."

TO MAKE MANURE SPREADER

Handy Device for Any Farm Is Easily Put Together From Parts of Discarded Machines.

The illustration shows a machine that is easily made from parts picked up about the farm. It will replace the work of two or three men hauling manure to the garden in buckets. Utilizing very little room, it can be wheeled into any size garden, no matter how small.—James Montgomery in Popular Science Monthly.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HINGED BOTTOM OPENED
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Homemade Manure Spreader.

GOOD PASTURE IS ESSENTIAL

Because Grass Is Able to Take Care of Itself It Is Most Neglected Farm Crop.

Of all the feeds that come nearest to meeting the needs of live stock, good grass pasture is generally admitted as being the best, and yet, because it is so able to take care of itself and requires so little attention, it is the most commonly neglected farm crop. Good pastures can always be depended upon to get results when the most carefully prepared feed mixtures fail. In fact every ration that is fed is an imitation of grass.

WELL-DIVIDED YARD SYSTEM

Farmer Should Have Strong Permanent Fences, Together With Convenient Gates.

Good fencing is an asset to any farm. There are many farms that have the very best of fencing in the fields and around the fields, but when it comes to a well arranged system of barnyards, then many farmsteads are lacking. If there is any one thing which is handy in a barnyard it is to have a good system of yards, having strong permanent fences, together with a good stable and handy gates.

Watch That Cold!

Chills and colds tend to throw an extra burden on the kidneys and poisons, that weak kidneys normally throw off, accumulate. That may be why you have been feeling so tired, irritable and half sick since that cold. Don't wait for worse troubles to set in! If you suffer constant backache, headaches, dizzy spells and irregular kidney action, get a box of *Doan's Kidney Pills* today. Doan's are helping thousands. *Ask your neighbor!*

A Montana Case

Geo. M. Herr, prop. harness shop, First Ave. E. Roundup, Mont., says: "Up until two years ago I suffered quite a bit with kidney trouble. In fact, when I came to this town nine years ago I couldn't carry a pail of water. My back ached nearly all the time and the kidney secretions passed too freely. I kept hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills so often, I got a box and started using them. I used more than one box, but it wasn't long before I was cured."

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The Refineries Make the Money

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Heading Her Off.

"My husband anticipates my every wish."

"Mine seems to have talent in that direction, too. At least, when I am about to express a wish he heads me off with a poverty plea."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

IN MEMORY OF DOUGHBOYS

Memorial Centers for Social Activities Are Preferred to Monuments.

Statistics just made public by the bureau of memorial buildings of War Camp Community service show that 254 communities in the United States have decided to erect buildings in memory of their men who served in the war. Of the memorial buildings to be raised, 182 will take the form of community-houses, each to function as a free recreation and social center. Six of the structures will be municipal office buildings.

More than 700 American communities are now considering the putting up of memorial buildings instead of shafts or monuments, the bureau of memorial buildings also announces. It is crusading throughout the United States for the community building type of memorial. Such an institution, the bureau head maintains, is a living influence in every community, and serves constantly as a reminder of the men the community gave to the national fighting forces.

Additional figures concerning the 254 memorial buildings already decided upon show that fourteen of them will serve as state memorials and that forty-four of them will be of the auditorium type. These will have social and recreational facilities in addition to large meeting halls, and for the most part will be in larger cities. Other memorials will take the form of hospitals, libraries, school buildings and church work centers.

Report True.

First woman—I've been told that every time she calls at her husband's office he is out.

Second woman—I'll warrant he is out $10, at least.

Speculators in the 1917 Java sugar were hit hard by the low prices and high freights to Europe.

"CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP" IS CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from stomach, liver and bowels.

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear.

Mother! You must say "California."—Adv.

Putting on Side.

Diner—How is it that the terrapin on your bill of fare is always struck out?

Candid Walter—That's just a fancy touch, sir. We never had a terrapin in the joint.

Cuticura Comforts Baby's Skin When red, rough and itching with hot baths of Cuticura Soap and touches of Cuticura Ointment. Also make use now and then of that exquisitely scented dusting powder, Cuticura Talcum, one of the indispensable Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Adv.

GOT SPIRIT OF THE THING

After Watching Men Give Up Their Seats in Car, He Offers His Place.

The Broad Ripple car was crowded, as usual. As women boarded the car the polite and gallant men got up and permitted them to have seats. A man, his wife and little son, about five years old, got on the car. The attractive looking mother was given a seat and she took her son on her lap.

As the car went along, the boy conversed in a loud tone. He spoke of the condition of the road bed, of the length of his trousers, of how long it would be until they got there, and so on.

Finally so many men had given up their places that several of them were standing in the car aisle. The little boy seemed to think it was wrong for him to have a comfortable on his mother's lap while so many men were standing. Finally he sung out in a voice that could be heard throughout the car:

"Somebody can have my seat," he shouted.—Indianapolis News.

Going Too Far.

"How do you like this futurist style of painting?"

"Don't like it. I see it has reached the theater now. It was bad enough when you didn't know what the play was all about, but I call it the limit when you don't understand the scenery."

Rather Hard.

"Is young Mr. Daft such a fool as he looks."

"No, indeed. More so."

His Reply.

"Is she modest?"

"Well, she dances all the new dances."

More Economical Than Coffee

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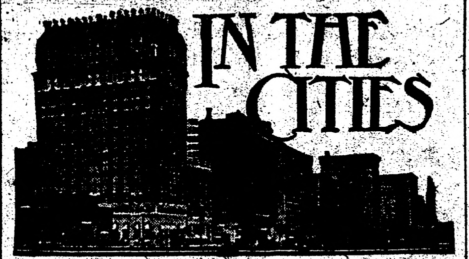
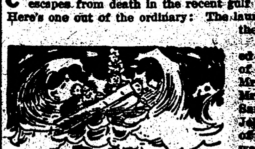


Odd Escape of Launch Party in Gulf Hurricane

CORPUS CHRISTI, TEX.—"Kismet," says the Turk—it is fated. Narrow escapes from death in the recent gulf hurricane would fill many volumes. Here's one out of the ordinary: The launch Waldo left here the day before the storm for a trip in the outer bay.



Those in the launch party included Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Anderson of Houston, T. A. Shearer of Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Roark of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Guertz and daughter of San Antonio, and Walter Agnew, John Webster and James McAllister of Corpus Christi, and L. M. Woodward of Houston. McAllister owned the launch. The party was formed in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, who were recently married. The party stopped Saturday evening at Corpus Pass to pass the night at the Newport club. At midnight they were awakened by the coming of the hurricane.

Just then a tent floor carried on the crest of the waves was swept toward them. Two of the men leaped into the water and dragged it in. Tying the women securely to the floor, the men launched out just as a deluge of water covered their late place of refuge.

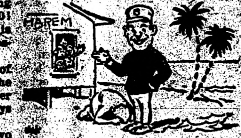
For some time the unwieldy craft was battered about, entirely at the mercy of the churning waters. Finally it was thrown ashore upon what remained of Mustang island, a plot of ground hardly more than 20 feet square.

There they remained until the coming of dawn Monday. The waters had subsided somewhat and from an old fisherman who had survived the storm they obtained their first food in 30 hours. Later aviators dropped them some provisions.

Woodward, by means of a raft, made his way to the mainland and brought in word that the party was safe, six days after their departure.

Sultan Bob McLean of the Marines and His Harem

NEW YORK.—The marine corps here is putting on new airs over Sergt. Robert McLean of the recruiting station, 24 East Twenty-third street. He's just learned he's the sultan of Liang-Liang, Philippine islands, and the proud possessor of an island three miles around, and all it contains, including a harem of 40 women—count 'em, 40! And what's more, Sergeant McLean is starting for Liang-Liang to take possession. You see, it's this way:



The sergeant spent two years of his service among the Moros. The sultan adopted him and died the other day, making the marine his heir. Says the sergeant:

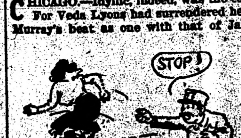
"The sultan's house was two stories high and made of nipa fiber, It was set upon stilts eight feet high and had 20 rooms. The cows and pigs and chickens were kept in the space underneath the stilts. The women of the harem were off in quarters by themselves, and I never set eyes upon them.

"The sultan was quite an educated man, and spoke English quite fluently. He was eighty years old. I told him all about America and our ways, and he would sit and listen for hours. He grew so fond of me that he said he wanted to make me his legal son, since he had no legitimate male heir. One day I received a summons to come to him at once and bring two of my friends along. I took Frank Korneum, who was killed in France, and Sergeant Walter of the marine corps along with me. When we reached the sultan's home we were ushered into the public hall. There I found the sultan looking very stately and important.

"My friends and I were taken into an adjoining room and dressed in long flowing robes. The sultan bared his chest and made a little slash in it with a Moro kris. Then he cut my chest. Taking a drop of blood from his chest he mixed it with a drop of my blood, and from then on I was his adopted son. I left that next week and I have never seen him since."

French Heel and Manhole Stop Veda the Sprinter

CHICAGO.—Idyllic, indeed, was the course of their true love until yestere'en. For Veda Lyons had surrendered her heart to Harry Holmes and Florence Murray's beat as one with that of James Morton. Ah, Cupid, ah—But the details. Veda's hero — Snagtooth Holmes, the boys called him—was a safeblower; so was Florence's king, whom she addressed as Big Jim. June 17 the West Cleveland (Ohio) bank was held up by four men. They obtained $50,000 in cash and $10,000 in Liberty bonds.

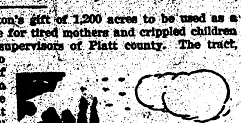


Since then Veda's Lochinvar has been apprehended. Likewise Florence's Don Juan has been pinched. They now languish in a Cleveland gaol. But the cash and the bonds have not been found. Wherefore, Detective Sergeants Thomas M. McFarland and John Carton and Capt. Michael Lee of the Fiftieth street station tiptoed up to a building at 5341 Grand boulevard. There, in the second floor flat, lived Flo and Veda.

Captain Lee tapped lightly on the door. No answer. But a window opened softly overhead. McFarland heard it. He slipped around to the side of the house. He remembered that Veda used to be a movie actress of the gymnast type. Pretty soon he descried two French heels emerging from a window. They were followed by two trim ankles. McFarland turned his head to see what time it was. In the interim the possessor of the heels emerged from the window and made her way swiftly to terra firma. Deftly making a girdle of her kirtle, so as not to impede her perambulation, she darted away. He gave chase. She hurdled the back fence. So did he. She hurdled another fence and dashed into another alley. Then one of her French heels became wedged in the interstices of a manhole cover.

Ill, Crippled and Weary Given a 1,200-Acre Farm

MONTICELLO, ILL.—Robert Allerton's gift of 1,200 acres to be used as a tuberculosis sanitarium and home for tired mothers and crippled children has been formally accepted by the supervisors of Platt county. The tract, which lies two and one-half miles to the northeast of Monticello, is one of the most fertile farms in this section of the state. It now is under intense cultivation, and it is expected that profits derived from its operation will make the institution self-supporting.



Mr. Allerton is giving the land to the county outright as a memorial to his father, the late Samuel Allerton of Chicago, and his friend, the late John Phalen.

The acceptance of the farm was made by a select committee of the board of supervisors, consisting of Roy H. Jones, William Hughes and J. M. Branch. The legal steps preparatory to putting the sanitarium into operation must be delayed until the regular meeting of the full board of supervisors.

A tax levy for the building of the sanitarium will be passed at the next meeting of the board of supervisors and funds will be available for the erection of the buildings early next spring.

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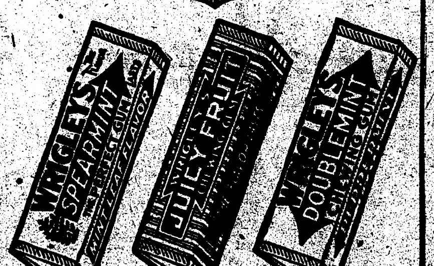

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The Easiest Way.

"Do you always let your wife have her own way?"

"Yes, and mine, too."

Nasty Colds

Get instant relief with "Pape's Cold Compound"

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a cold and ends all grippe misery.

The very first dose opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist on Pape's! Ad.

10,000 Dog Soldiers.

At the time of the signing of the armistice there were 10,000 dogs employed in various capacities along the war front.

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If Constipated, Bilious or Headachy, take "Cascarets"

Sick headache, biliousness, coated tongue, or sour, gassy stomach—always trace this to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissues it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep.—Adv.

India is reviving its ancient industry of building wooden ships, using timber from its vast forests.

Each to His Trade.

"Sensible man, this macaroni king."

"How so?"

"I asked him what he thought of the Fiume question."

"Well?"

"He answered: 'I maka da spaget, Senor Orlando, he maka da treaty.'"

"DANDERINE" PUTS BEAUTY IN HAIR

Girls! A mass of long, thick, gleamy tresses

Let "Danderine" save your hair and double its beauty. You can have lots of long, thick, strong, lustrous hair. Don't let it stay lifeless, thin, scraggly or fading. Bring back its color, vigor and vitality.

Get a 35-cent bottle of delightful "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter to freshen your scalp; check dandruff and falling hair. Your hair needs this stimulating tonic; then its life, color, brightness and abundance will return—Hurry!—Adv.

Truth is always plain.

Truth blushes at nothing but secrecy.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER.

Stop a minute and think what it means to say that "Green's August Flower has been a household remedy all over the civilized world for more than half a century." No higher praise is possible and no better remedy can be found for constipation, intestinal troubles, torpid liver and the depressed feeling that accompanies such disorders. It is most valuable for indigestion or nervous dyspepsia and liver trouble, coming up of food, palpitation of heart, and many other symptoms. A few doses of August Flower will relieve you. It is a gentle laxative. Ask your druggist. Sold in all civilized countries.—Adv.

Reciprocity.

"Did the doctor pay a visit?"

"Yes, and the visit paid the doctor."

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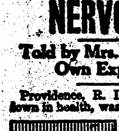
HOW TO AVOID BACKACHE AND NERVOUSNESS

Told by Mrs. Lynch From Own Experience.

Providence, R. I.—"I was all run down in health, was nervous, had headaches, my back ached all the time. I was tired and had no ambition for anything. I had taken a number of medicines which did me no good. One day I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for women, so I tried it. My nervousness and backache and headaches disappeared. I gained in weight and feel fine, so I can honestly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman who is suffering as I was."—Mrs. Adeline B. Lynch, 100 Plain St., Providence, R. I.



Backache and nervousness are symptoms or nature's warnings, which indicate a functional disturbance or an unhealthy condition which often develops into a more serious ailment.

Women in this condition should not continue to drag along without help, but profit by Mrs. Lynch's experience, and try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—and for special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

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Red Tape Citadel.

"Circumlocution office" is a description used by the great novelist, Charles Dickens, in his book, "Little Dorrit," to ridicule official delays and indirectness. It is described as the chief of "public departments in the art of perceiving how not to do it." The name has come into popular use as a synonym for governmental routine, "red tape," procrastination and delay in transacting public business.

On Land and Sea.

"What is a revenue cutter, pa?"

"A revenue cutter is a coupon clipper, my son."

"ONLY ONE THING BREAKS MY COLD!

"That's Dr. King's New Discovery for fifty years a cold-breaker"

NOTHING but sustained quality and unfailing effectiveness can arouse such enthusiasm. Nothing but sure relief from stubborn old colds and onrushing new ones, grippe, throat-tearing coughs, and croup could have made Dr. King's New Discovery the nationally popular and standard remedy it is today.

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Bowels that move spasmodically—free one day and stubborn the next—should be healthfully regulated by Dr. King's New Life Pills. In this way you keep the impurities of waste matter from circulating through the system by cleansing the bowels thoroughly and promoting the proper flow of bile.

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You'll find Sloan's Liniment softens the severe rheumatic ache

Put it on freely. Don't *rub* it in. Just let it *penetrate* naturally. What a sense of soothing relief soon follows!

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A Bad Cough

if neglected, often leads to serious trouble. Safeguard your health, relieve your distress and soothe your irritated throat by taking

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STATE BREVITIES

Luverne.—Lloyd, 6 year old son of Mrs. Emil Wise, died from injuries received when he fell into a tub of boiling water.

Hibbing.—The Hibbing village jail has been condemned and Chief of Police William Dwyer is taking women prisoners to the county jail.

St. Paul.—Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state, made a series of patriotic addresses at homecoming celebrations for service men in various Minnesota towns.

Hibbing. — When James Monroe needed a piece of rope to tie some packages, he cut it from a flag pole at Stevenson and it cost him $10 in court before Judge Thomas Brady.

Fairmont.—Returned soldiers, sailors and marines of Martin county, with friends and relatives, gathered here to attend the homecoming celebration staged in honor of the returned service men.

Hibbing.—In order to give those wishing an opportunity to learn French or Spanish, the Hibbing board of education has made arrangements to offer night school courses in both languages.

Crookston.—The officers and directors of the Red River Valley Livestock association have unanimously decided to build a large addition to the livestock pavilion here owned by this association.

Thief River Falls.—Clarence Langer, aged 10, died, his skull having been fractured by an auto driven by Fred Fox, when the lad jumped off the railing of a bridge into the path of the machine, which, it is said, was moving slowly.

Luverne.—Unofficial returns show that the good roads bonds issue of $300,000 was carried in Rock county by nine votes, only two townships voting unfavorably. Five hundred and twenty-three voted in favor and 514 against. Only about half of the votes were cast in the county.

East Grand Forks.—Hugh Thompson, of Denver, Colo., formerly of East Grand Forks and at one time mayor, is now totally blind as the result of cataracts on his eyes, according to word received by his brother, Robert Thompson. He will undergo an operation soon in an effort to regain his sight, the message said.

Little Falls.—Delegates representing practically every county through which the Jefferson highway passes in Minnesota gathered here to discuss plans for the organization of a state Jefferson Highway association. S. M. Williams, president of the federal highway council of the United States, was one of the principal speakers.

Crosby.—Howard Nesheim and 6-year-old son killed by a Northern Pacific train near Detroit, Minn., a few days ago, formerly lived at the Northland mine location here. Nesheim quit his job as teamster at the Northland mine and shipped his household goods to a farm he had bought near Detroit. When the accident happened, he and his family were on their way to the farm by auto.

Nashwauk.—There is no evidence of a miner's strike here or on the Western Mesaba range. There is no diminution of mining activity except of course, conditions in transportation and manufacturing cast uncertainty on all operations and improvements. It is not believed that the strike will affect this section as it is thought that the question of union recognition would be first settled in the east at the steel mills.

Taylors Falls.—The one hundredth anniversary of the birth of "Uncle" John Daubney of this city, dean of the Minnesota pioneers, was brought to a close with a fitting celebration in honor of the aged man, who is now the only living Minnesotan who was 21 prior to May 11, 1858, when Minnesota was admitted as a state. The "party" took place at the opera house, where approximately 400 friends and relatives gathered.

East Grand Forks.—Edna Werner, aged 17, was killed on the Washington avenue bridge over the Red Lake river shortly after 9 o'clock at night. The body was carried to the bank of the river, some thirty feet below, and was discovered at 8 o'clock the next morning. The girl was apparently shot through the head. Two negroes have been arrested and charged with the crime. They have been taken to the Minneapolis jail for safe keeping. One of them is said to have confessed, laying the blame on the other one.

Winona.—Prominent educators from all parts of the northwest gathered here for the opening of the 23d annual convention of the Southeastern Minnesota Educational association. Among the speakers scheduled to address the convention were H. J. Johnson, superintendent of Rochester High schools; W. L. Mercer, Olmstead county superintendent; Dr. Paul Goode, of the University of Chicago; Dr. W. W. Hill, Minnesota Public Health association; Superintendent D. E. Hickey, St. Paul; President Frank Weld, Moorhead Normal; President J. C. Brown, St. Cloud Normal; Superintendent G. O. Hartwell, St. Paul, and C. C. Swain, rural school commission.

Winona.—Rev. A. T. Wallace, Brighton, Ill., has accepted a call to become pastor of the First Baptist church, one of the leading congregations in Winona. He served with the Y. M. C. A. during the war.

Clinton.—A prairie fire of unknown origin started on the south side of two vacant sections about six miles west of this place, burning nearly 700 tons of hay and causing a loss of more than $10,000. The two sections were nearly all hay land and an exceptionally good crop of hay had been harvested this season by various parties renting the land.

Stillwater.—George Noltmier pleaded guilty here to hunting in Newport township without a license and paid a fine of $13.50 and costs.

Moorhead.—Plans are under way for the big meeting and show of the Minnesota State Potato Growers' association to be held in Moorhead Nov. 5, 6 and 7.

St. Cloud.—During August there were eighty-six marriage licenses issued by Clerk of Court Dominik, exceeding the number issued a year ago by twenty-one.

Stillwater.—Major J. R. Kollinar has received inquiries from the Federal government asking for information regarding a landing field in this immediate vicinity for airplanes.

Brainerd.—Forms are being placed in position for the bowl at the water tower on the old depot site. Cement workers have been favored by wonderful weather, with no frosts.

Two Harbors.—One little partridge slain in violation of Minnesota law cost Ernest Reuberg $30 and costs when he was haled before Judge Kroberger here by Deputy Game Warden Tabor.

Brainerd.—Carl Wheeler raised 3,000 bushels of Green Mountain potatoes on 15 acres of his farm near Brainerd and sold the whole lot, field run, to a Humbolt, Iowa, man at $1.30 a bushel f.o.b. Brainerd.

St. Paul.—More than 250 young women who prepared themselves to become nurses during the war have applied for state licenses, according to a report of the state board of examiners at the capitol.

Roseau.—Sealed proposals will be received by the school board of School District No. 82, Roseau county, until 2 p. m. Oct. 18, for the erection and completion of a school building on section 20. Moranville township.

Crookston.—Rev. J. W. Kuyper, pastor of the Morgan Park United Protestant church of Duluth, who has been elected to fill the pulpit of the First Congregational church in Crookston, will assume the pastorate Nov. 1.

Brainerd.—At a special meeting of the city council the resignation of City Clerk Lloyd Greeno was accepted. It was decided to continue the deputy clerk, Miss Jennie Nelson, as city clerk until a successor is elected.

Royalton.—At a recent meeting of the school board it was decided to rent a house which will make a home for all the teachehrs. This home will be open to all teachers of the Royalton school who desire to live there.

St. Cloud.—Howard Studer, at one time a belboy at the Grand Central, is now in the city jail, bound over to the grand jury under bond of $500 to face the charge of having stolen an overcoat from the checking room at the hotel.

Virginia.—Vincent Popelk, 17, employed by a local butcher, who had his skull fractured while riding a motorcycle struck by an automobile, underwent an operation at Lenont hospital that took three hours, and is now able to walk.

Moorhead.—A recommendation for the adoption of U. S. grade No. 1 seed potatoes was made to the Minnesota board of certification by the directors of the Clay County Co-operative Seed Potato Growers' association at a meeting held in Moorhead.

Mora.—Fire broke out in Knife Lake township, and caused considerable excitement on account of the heavy wind blowing. Fire fighters from Mora were aroused to the danger by the fire alarm and many spent the larger part of the day fighting the flames.

St. Paul.—Arguments in the tests of the Minnesota prohibition enforcement law before the state supreme court are set for Nov. 26 in the November calendar of the court, issued by Herman Mueller, clerk. There are fifty-four cases to be heard during the month.

Virginia.—The local school enrollment has reached 3,308. Four hundred and seventy-seven students are enrolled in the senior high school, while in the junior high there are 430 students. The night school enrollment, 177, already exceeds that of 1918-1919.

Virginia.—Potatoes grown on the Mesaba range are in big demand in the Southwest, as evidenced by the amount being shipped from this section. W. H. Peterson company, Virginia, has been shipping on the average of twenty-five carloads per week. The company has sent carloads to points in Missouri and to various cities in Massachusetts, Connecticut and other Eastern states.

Mankato.—The Southern Minnesota Teachers' association, in session here, elected the following officers: President, Supt. G. W. Van Cleve, Le Sueur; vice president, Supt. N. F. Fossland, New Richland; secretary, Mrs. Ruth D. Tuttle, Mankato; treasurer, Supt. L. J. Hollister, Springfield; executive committee, W. H. Detamore, Blue Earth county, chairman; George J. Miller, Mankato, and Emily Brown, St. Peter.

Nashwauk. — Foreigners, especially those who have not taken out their first papers, are said to be leaving this part of the Mesaba range for their former homes in Europe at an alarming rate, several hundred having already gone since the war ended, 200 going one day last week. A desire to meet their kin again as well as to help rebuild Europe and make over the new countries formed after the great conflict contribute largely, it is claimed, to the desire to leave.

Virginia.—The case of Veronica Andresen, against Matt Lofbotka, hardware dealer, for $5,800 for injuries sustained on Nov. 18, 1918, on Fayal road, when she was struck by a Ford truck driven by the defendant, is being tried. She claims she was earning $117 a month as railroad clerk when injured.

Paynesville.—The fire hall here has been a fire menace, in a condemnation order issued from the state fire marshal's office. The hall is old and dilapidated, and, by adjoining the pumping station, increases the fire danger there. Inspector E. J. Heimbach declared.

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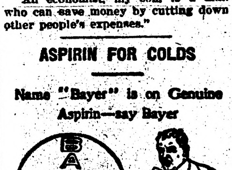

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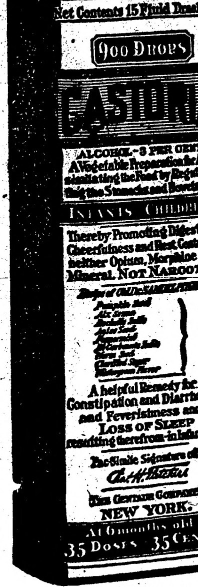

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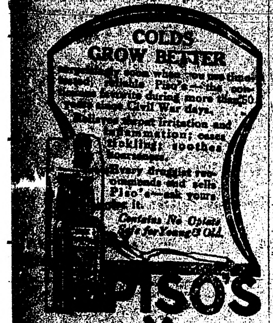
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Twenty dollars ($20.00) which became due on the 18th day of December, 1918, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Johannah Sullivan, a widow, mortgagor to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 18th day of December, 1916, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 170 thereof, and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default the whole principal sum remaining unpaid, to-wit: Eighty dollars ($80.00), became at once due and payable and was so declared by the mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Eighty-six dollars [illegible] and the further sum of [illegible] with interest thereon at [illegible] since December 18th, 1918, the latter amount being for interest paid by the mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of $1000.00 upon said land, default having been made in the payment of the same by said mortgagor; the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being One hundred forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents ($143.25); and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof:

Now, therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of Section twenty-eight (28) in Township one hundred fifty-six (156) North of Range forty (40) West, in Marshall County, state of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State on the 1st day of November, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $143.25 and interest from date of this notice and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of $25.00 as so stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 12th, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.



MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John H. Smith and Mable Smith, his wife, Mortgagors to W. S. Ericson Mortgagee, bearing date the 24th day of November 1913, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of November 1913, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages, on Page 413. Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by said W. S. Ericson, mortgagee, to John G. Jaenike, by written assignment dated the 23rd day of June, 1914, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 24th day of June 1914, at 8:30 A. M., in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 25 thereof.

And which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly further assigned by said John G. Jaenike, assignee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, by written assignment dated the 2d day of June, 1919, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 21st day of August, 1919, at 8:00 A. M. in Book 86 of Mortgages on page 382 thereof. Which default has continued to the date of this notice, by the failure and neglect of said Mortgagor to make payment of the principal and interest by said mortgage secured, which by its terms became due and payable on the 1st day of December 1918.

AND WHEREAS, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 48-100 ($997.48) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, towit: The Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Eleven (11) in Township One hundred fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth principal meridian in Minnesota, containing one hundred sixty acres of land more or less according to the Government Survey thereof in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of November 1919, at 10.00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 48-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 15th A. D. 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee
Chas. E. Boughton
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Hay for Sale.

Sixty tons of good wild hay. Hay is stacked on the NW¼ Sec. 7, in Mud Lake township. Call on or address

Grant Flakne,
Holt, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Three and 50-100 Dollars, which became due on the 9th day of August 1918, which said sum is now due and payable upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by R. Leroy Olson and Marie Olson, husband and wife, Mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a Minnesota Corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 9th day of August 1917, and with a Power of Sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall Minnesota, on the 13th day of August 1917, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 289.

AND WHEREAS, by reason of the default hereinbefore mentioned the said Mortgagee chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable, making Thirty and 20-100 Dollars which is claimed to be due and is due upon the aforesaid mortgage at the date of this notice.

AND WHEREAS said mortgage is conditioned that if the Mortgagors shall fail to pay their prior mortgage of Two Hundred Dollars upon the same land or any installment of interest due thereon, that the Mortgagee in this mortgage now being foreclosed, may pay the same and have a lien therefor under this mortgage, and default having been made in the payment of Twelve Dollars interest due August 9th 1918, and in the payment of Twelve Dollars interest due August 9th, 1919, upon said [illegible], represented by coupon interest notes bearing six [illegible]

[illegible] and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage, herein first described, will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit: The Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section number Thirty-one (31) in Township number One Hundred and Fifty-five (155) North of Range number Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and located in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of November 1919 at ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fifty-five and 04-100 Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, September 9th 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee
Fred L. Farley
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

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Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen Dollars, which became due on the 8th day of August 1918, which said sum is now due and payable upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Benno Menzel and Charlotte Menzel, husband and wife, Mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a Minnesota Corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of August 1916 and with a Power of Sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall Minnesota, on the 19th day of September, 1916, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 68.

AND WHEREAS, by reason of the default hereinbefore mentioned the said Mortgagee chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable making Seventy-[illegible] and 74-100 Dollars which is claimed to be due and is due upon the aforesaid mortgage at the date of this notice.

AND WHEREAS, said mortgage is conditioned that if the Mortgagors shall fail to pay their prior mortgage of Three Thousand Dollars upon the same land or any installment of interest due thereon that the Mortgagee in this mortgage now being foreclosed, may pay the same, and have a lien therefor under this mortgage, and default having been made in the payment of One Hundred Sixty-five Dollars, interest due August 8th 1918, and in the payment of One Hundred [illegible]-five Dollars, interest due August 8th, 1919, upon said prior mortgage [illegible]

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage herein first described, will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit: The East half of the East half (E½ of E½), West half of the North East quarter (W½ of NE¼), Northwest quarter of Southeast quarter (NW¼ of SE¼) and Northeast quarter of Southwest quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Eleven (11), Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty-[illegible] (41) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and located in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 15th day of November 1919, at ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Hundred Six and 38-100 Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, September 23, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.
Fred L. Farley
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

The last half of the real estate taxes are due and should be paid before the last of the month.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036.00) dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage duly executed and delivered by Carl Engebretson and Bertha Oline Engebretson, his wife Mortgagors to Farmers State Bank of Holt a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of October 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota on the 28th day of April 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 74 of Mortgages on page 360.

Which said Mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by said Farmers State Bank of Holt, Mortgagee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls by written assignment, dated the 16th day of June 1916, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 15th day of November 1917, at 8.00 o'clock A. M., in Book 90 of Mortgages on page 331, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036.00) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action [illegible]

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Southwest quarter (SW¼) and the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty (30) in Township One hundred fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-three (43) West of the fifth (5) Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing Eighty acres of land more or less according to the U. S. Government Survey thereof in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 1st day of November 1919, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036) Dollars and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 16th A. D. 1919

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.
Chas. E. Boughton
Attorney
Red Lake Falls, Minn

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fourteen dollars ($14.00) which became due on the 20th day of May 1917, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by [illegible] Fromm, a widow, mortgagor to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of May, [illegible], duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of June, A. D. 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book [illegible] of Mortgages on page 188 thereof, and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit: Fifty-six dollars [illegible] became at once due and payable and was so declared by the mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of [illegible] nine dollars and six cents ($69.06) and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th, 1917, and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th, 1918, and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th, 1919, the three [illegible] having been made in the payment of same by said mortgagors, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being Two hundred and five dollars and fourteen cents ($205.14), and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) in Township One hundred fifty-seven (157) North of Range Forty (40) West in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said county and state, on the 1st day of November, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $205.14 and interest from date of this notice, and taxes if any, and an attorney's fee of $25.00 as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 12th, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee
Chas E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Dr. Biedermann

Physician and Surgeon

Thief River Falls

State Historical Society
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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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Mrs. Paul Olson was a Warren visitor Saturday.

Dr. Torley, the dentist will be in Holt Monday Oct. 27th.

If you approved the Red Cross in war, approve it in peace.

P. L. Anderson attended a creamery meeting in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Gust Peterson purchased a new [illegible] car of Ole Hamernes the first of the week.

Please call and settle twine bills before Nov. 1st and oblige R. Reiersgord, Holt, Minn.

Miss Warner, the Red Cross field worker, will be in Holt every Thursday until further notice.

Sam Mickelson returned home on Saturday from Warren where he had been working all this season.

Miss Inga Johnson returned Friday from Warren and is recovering nicely from the effects of her operation.

Mrs. D. Kilen has been visiting friends in this vicinity for the past week and all are glad to see her again.

Miss Tillie Knutson returned on Wednesday from Thief River Falls where she had been working for [illegible]

[illegible] and Elmer Engstrom [illegible] for Crookston where they will attend the agricultural college.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nelson [illegible]

P. A. Riesberg and family [illegible] to Thief River Falls Sunday to [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bagne of [illegible] were Sunday visitors at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Knutson.

Rev. M. L. Strom conducted the [illegible] Anderson funeral services [illegible] and the remains were laid to rest in the Folden cemetery.

Miss [illegible] Christenson commenced working in Carlson's store Wednesday in place of Mrs. C. Kolden who has resigned on account of poor health.

Mrs. Gunheim took little Myron, and Mrs. Mickelson and daughter, Olive, the Olson children, to Middle River Wednesday to be examined at the baby clinic.

Ole Backlund, Ole Iverson, Sam Mickelson and daughter Amanda autoed to Warren Tuesday where the latter was operated upon for the removal of her tonsils and adenoids. At last reports Miss Mickelson was recovering nicely from the effects of the operation.

The debt on the Mission church has been paid and they are going to celebrate the event on Sunday Nov. 2nd. Services will be held all day. A big chicken and lefse dinner will be served in the basement for 35c, a lunch for supper at 25c. All the ladies are invited to help furnish eatables.

Olai Sovde purchased the barber shop of Ernest Phillipson last week and has been running it since then. Mr. Phillipson departed Wednesday for his home at Middle River and later on will take a course in mechanical drawing at a school in Wisconsin. We wish both young men success in their work.

Relief quickly obtained through Dr. Albertson's Chiropractic Adjustments. Acute and chronic diseases successfully treated. Even those who have been pronounced incurable, have been restored to perfect health again. Phone No. 85. Crookston, Minn.

The work of the Red Cross is not finished and you should join again.

The Holt Health Clinic

The public health clinic held in Holt last Friday was the best attended of any of the clinics held in the county, up to the present time. Fifty-five persons were examined, 3 were found to be actively tuberculous, 2 probably tuberculous, 14 were suffering from other serious illness and were sent to their family physicians for treatment, and 6 had abnormal lung conditions other than tuberculosis. Instructions in general care and prophylaxis were given to the adults examined, and a written record was sent to the parents of the children who reported alone for examination. The active cooperation of schools, churches and other local organizations make these clinics the most successful perhaps in the state. The next clinic will be held in Newfolden at some later date.

Your Red Cross button proves your Americanism.

For Sale: Red Poll bull 2 years old, 8-16 Avery tractor. C. J. Dale.

The Girl Scouts will solicit memberships in the Red Cross Nov. 2-11.

Joseph Johnson returned home Tuesday from Hillsboro where he had employment for some time.

Hazel Davidson and Esther Movik returned Saturday from a visit with friends at Thief River Falls.

Estray: Red milch cow left my place Oct. [illegible]. Please notify the owner Harald Ness, R. 1, Holt, Minn.

Gunder Sætter and [illegible] returned Saturday from [illegible] days stay in Crookston and [illegible]

Mrs. Knteath and her daughter Mrs. Johnson of New Solum, visited at the Paul Olson home last Friday.

Nels A. Nelson and family from Madison, Minn., moved Monday on to the Fred Johnson farm, which he recently purchased.

E. F. Eide returned to Spooner Sunday after spending sometime on his farm blasting stones and breaking for next seasons crop.

The Ringbo Young People's Society will hold a meeting in the church next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited.

H. A. Fosholm visited relatives at Thief River Falls a short time last week returning home Saturday accompanied by his daughters Amanda and Gylla.

Mrs. Halfdan Hanson was taken to a hospital at Fergus Falls last week Wednesday for treatment as her condition is considered quite serious by the physicians.

B. Docken sold the Severt and Ed. K. Johnson farm to Ole Grove one day last week and since then he has sold a quarter northeast of Middle River to parties from the southern part of the state.

Nazareth Lutheran Church,

Norwegian and English confirmants class every Saturday 1 P. M.

English and Norwegian Sunday School 10 o'clock; preaching service 11, Y. P. S. 8 P. M.

Circuit Meeting, Pine Creek, Oct. 31 to Nov. 2.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

Electric Light Notice!

Notice is hereby given that all electric light and power bills for the month of October 1919 will become due Nov. 1st, 1919, and should be paid as soon due to A. L. Carlson, the village treasurer who has the statements of the amounts due. A ten per cent penalty will be added to all bills not paid by Nov. 10, 1919, and if not paid by Nov. 15th, 1919, the service will be discontinued at once. This plan will apply to all the following months until further notice is given.

By order of the village council.
P. A. Riesberg, President
H. B. Young, Clerk

Halloween Frolic

Witches will greet you
Ghosts will meet you
Fates and fortunes await you
On Friday Oct. 31
At the Woodman Hall back [illegible]
Girls will bring lunches
lunch baskets [illegible]
Boys will bid "Over the top" [illegible]
till they get [illegible]
Dance.

The Red Lake elevator shipped [illegible]

Give yourself a Christmas present. Buy the Red Cross Magazine.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bjerken and baby arrived here last week from Mahnomen.

The editor and wife were entertained Sunday at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Fitch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lunde and a lady from Dakota arrived here Tuesday to visit at the M. O. Mattson home.

The Zion Ladies Aid will hold their annual meeting at Ole B. Johnson's Oct 29th, at 2 o'clock.

A. Olson, daughter and son, Glena and John, of New Solum, came Monday to visit at the Paul Olson home.

Mrs. Albin Dahl and Mrs. Emma Dahl took the formers baby to Thief River Falls, Tuesday to consult Dr. Mellby about its health.

A party was given Ben Nyberg Sunday at the home of his mother, to welcome him home from the navy. An enjoyable time is reported.

B. Docken and family made a trip to Grand Forks, Kempton and other points in Dakota Sunday. Mrs. Docken and the children remaining for a few days visit with her sister Mrs. Halvorson at Hillsboro.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 1 o'clock.

Rev. Mybrer will hold services here Sunday at 3 o'clock and will read with the children at 4 o'clock.

A big religious festival will be held here all day Sunday Nov. 2 to celebrate the final payment of the church indebtedness.

Services forenoon, afternoon and evening. Dinner will be served for 35c and supper for 25c and all the ladies are invited to help furnish the food.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Marshall }

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of Carl Engebretson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Oliver H. Nohre

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 11th day of January 1920, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the city of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Holt Weekly News as provided by law.

Dated Oct. 4th 1919
[court seal] Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate

WM. J. BROWN, Lawyer

Former County Attorney Marshall County

Drainage Matters
Probate Cases a Specialty
Commercial Law

Practices in all State and Federal Courts
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota,
State Auditor's Office,
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 27, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that on Nov. 28th, 1919, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the county auditor, at Warren, Marshall county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale.

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale. Interest rate of four per cent per annum due on June 1st of each year: provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber, when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the state by the laws of the state.

All lands are sold subject to any and all ditch taxes thereon.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale, or before resale to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption: "Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905 are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' reports showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor or the Immigration Commissioner at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

J. A. O. PREUS
State Auditor.

Read the electric light notice.

Auction Sale Tues. Oct. 28

J. A. Johnson farm 3 miles west and 2 north of Holt
Commencing at 11 o'clock the following property:
6 milch cows 7 spring calves bull 1 1-2 yr old
3 heifers 1 1-2 years old 1 registered ram
17 breeding ewes 22 lambs 1 grade boar
Poland China brood sow 7 shoats 10 geese
A few turkey gobblers 80 bu potatoes Buggy
2 gang plows 18 in stubble plow double buggy
Sulky cultivator Wagon Truck, steel wheels
Manure spreader, bob sled, hog and wood rack, etc.
3 hay racks, 30 tons hay, 400 bu oats and barley
Seed corn, cream separator, cupboard, 3 stoves, etc.

L. A. Glassman, Owner

HARNESS REPAIRING

Bring in your Harness and old Collars
All work strictly first class

SHOE REPAIRING

Paul B. Siljestrom

Farmers State Bank Building

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 41
Wheat No. 2	2 36
Wheat No. 3	2 26
Wheat No. 4	2 16
Wheat No. 5	2 06
Flax	4 02
Oats	58
Barley	91 to 1 01
Rye	1 13
Flour, Best Patent	6 75

Hans O. Chommie

LAWYER
Thief River Falls
Offices in Scandia Block

Clarence Larson

Licensed Auctioneer
Satisfaction Guarenteed
Call on or write me for prices
Holt - Minn.

City Meat Market

All kinds of
Fresh & Cured Meats
Cold Meats, Poultry
Canned Goods
Vegetables, Etc.

Herb Walker, Prop.

Drs. Mellby, Paulson & Fisher

McGinn Block
Thief River Falls
Office Phone 79
Residences: Dr. Mellby 167 Dr. Paulson 9

City Barber Shop

Agency for
K. E. DAHL COMPANY
French Dry Cleaners

All work guaranteed satisfactory

Olai Sovde

Holt, Minn.

Holt Cafe!

Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream

Horien & Johnson

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Your New Barn

Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company

C. L. Sandberg, Agent
Holt, Minn.

Holt Dray and Livery

H. Peterson, Prop.

Auto Livery

In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices

H. Peterson

Holt, Minn.

To The Public!

We wish to announce that we have put in a

Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies

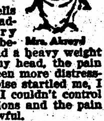
which will be sold at reasonable prices

Holt Mercantile Co.

Tell us the news and help your home paper.

NERVES GAVE OUT

Serious Kidney Trouble Had Made Life Miserable, But Doan's Removed All the Trouble. Hasn't Suffered Since.



"I had such severe pains in my back," says Mrs. Albert Akroyd, 304 W. Indiana Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa., "that they almost doubled me up. Many a day I could not do my housework and at every move it seemed as if my back would break in two. My feet and ankles swelled until I had to wear large-sized slippers and sometimes I couldn't stand up.

"I had dizzy spells and dreadful headaches and fiery flashes passed before my eyes. Had a heavy weight been resting on my head, the pain could not have been more distressing. The least noise startled me, I was so nervous. I couldn't control the kidney secretions and the pain in passage was awful.

Mrs. Akroyd

"It began to look as though my case was beyond the reach of medicine until I used *Doan's Kidney Pills*. The first box benefited me and four boxes cured all the troubles. I have had no further cause for complaint."

Sworn to before me,
Thos. H. Walters, *Notary Public.*

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box
DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

These Balance Men.

I profess no special partiality for any critic, who, holding balance in hand, weighs eagerly whatsoever of learning comes to his counter. I question whether he is not taking less of the quality of the wares than of the fashion of his scales, never questioning their accuracy nor his own levity. Still it must be admitted that these balance men are not without their usefulness, being convenient for appraising market values.—A. Bronson Alcott.

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP.

In these days of unsettled weather look out for colds. Take every precaution against the dreaded influenza and at the first sneeze remember that Boschee's Syrup has been used for fifty-three years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis and colds, throat irritation and especially for lung troubles, giving the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning. Made in America and kept as a household panacea in the homes of thousands of families all over the civilized world. Try one bottle and accept no substitutes.—Adv.

Rank by Christening.

Two negroes were carrying a heavy piece of timber. Both wanted to "boss the job."

"Lay it down here," ordered one.

"Who you-all a-talkin' to, man?" the other demanded. "Does you-all think you kin boss me around like dat?"

"Sure I kin," said the first darkey. "Mah name is Lew Tennant."

"Huh! dat's nothin'," responded the second son of the sunny South, "mah name is Sam Browne."

BITRO-PHOSPHATE IS GOOD FOR THIN NERVOUS PEOPLE

A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE.

Frederick S. Kolle, M. D., Editor of New York Physicians' "Who's Who," says that weak, nervous people who want increased weight, strength and nerve-force, should take a 5-grain tablet of Bitro-Phosphate just before or during each meal.

This particular phosphate is the discovery of a famous French scientist, and reports of remarkable results from its use have recently appeared in many medical journals.

If you do not feel well; if you tire easily; do not sleep well, or are too thin; go to any good druggist and get enough Bitro-Phosphate for a two weeks' supply—it costs only fifty cents a week.

Eat less; chew your food thoroughly, and if at the end of a few weeks you do not feel stronger and better than you have for months; if your nerves are not steadier; if you do not sleep better and have more vim, endurance and vitality, your money will be returned, and the Bitro-Phosphate will cost you nothing.

NEGLECTING THAT COLD OR COUGH?

Why, when Dr. King's New Discovery so promptly checks it

IT'S natural you don't want to be careless and let that old cold or cough drag on or that new attack develop seriously. Not when you can get such a proved successful remedy as Dr. King's New Discovery.

Cold, cough, grippe, croup does not resist this standard reliever very long. Its quality is as high today as it always has been—and it's been growing steadily in popularity for more than fifty years. 60c. and $1.20 a bottle at all druggists. Give it a trial.

Tardy Bowels, Inert Liver

They just won't let you put "pep" into your work or play. Sick headache comes from retaining waste matter and impurities in the body.

Feel right for anything—make the liver lively, the bowels function regularly, with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Smoothly yet positively they produce results that cleanse the system and make the liver and bowels respond to the demands of a strong, healthy body. Still 25c.—at all druggists. Try them tonight.

GARY IS STRONG FOR OPEN SHOP

Head of Steel Corporation, in Industrial Conference, Unwilling to Yield.

GOMPERS IN PROTEST

Position of Steel Magnate and Obduracy of Employers' Group Puts Avoidance of Final Deadlock in Doubt.

Washington, Oct. 21.—In his pronouncement before the national industrial conference, Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the board of the United States Steel corporation, sitting as a representative of the public, yesterday reaffirmed his position that the steel strike "should not be arbitrated or compromised" and objected to action on that issue by the conference.

Mr. Gary restated his belief in the open shop and the right to determine terms of employment "between employe and employer." This statement brought from Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and leader of the labor group in the conference, the charge that Mr. Gary was taking the attitude that "there is no other opinion in the matter."

Gompers Answers Gary.

Referring to Mr. Gary's request that the conference take no action in the steel strike, the labor leader declared that if the real industrial issues were to be brushed aside there was no purpose in continuing the conference.

While the clash of the leaders admittedly further removed the hope of an agreement on the dominant issue of collective bargaining, prospects of conciliation were considered still more remote when it was permitted to become known that the representatives of capital, after an all-day session, were steadfast in their refusal to accept the Russell-Endicott resolution for recognition of collective bargaining, which has been approved by the public and labor groups. The employers again went into session last night but the members of the group privately admitted that reconvening of the conference today probably would find them still in no mood to yield.

DONALDSON SECOND IN RACE

Other Cross-Country Contestants Nearing Their Final Goals.

Chicago, Oct. 21.—With the arrival in New York of Captain J. O. Donaldson on the second lap of his double transcontinental flight in the army air race, finishing second to Lieutenant B. W. Maynard, who completed the 5,402 mile voyage Saturday, Captain Lowell Smith last night stood the best chance of finishing third.

Captain Smith reached Reno, Nev., last evening, after flying from Cheyenne, and had only 356 miles to go to finish his flight at San Francisco.

Lieutenant Earle Manzelman, eastward bound, has reached Cleveland with 508 miles separating him from the finish at Mineola field. Captain Alexander Pearson, who had been delayed at North Platte, Neb., since Friday on account of a broken motor, reached Rock Island, Ill., 965 miles from New York.

Next among the six men still flying in the second lap was Lieutenant H. W. Sheridan, who landed at Sidney, Neb., from the west, with 1,608 miles to go. Lieutenant R. S. Worthington, westward bound, was in Chicago with a flight of 1,891 miles ahead of him, while Colonel J. L. Reynolds, leaving San Francisco during the day, had covered several hundred miles before darkness.

SEEKS MILLIONS OF ESTATE

New York Will Demand Inheritance Tax on Property of Astor, Deceased.

New York, Oct. 21.—The state of New York will attempt to collect an inheritance tax amounting to millions of dollars from the estate of William Waldorf Astor, who died Saturday in London.

The attempt will be fought by Charles A. Peabody, attorney for the Astor interests, who stated that Viscount Astor had transferred his entire property to a trust company, as trustee for his two sons, before his death.

Eugene M. Travis, state comptroller, declared that the one point on which hinged the effort to collect a tax was proof that Astor transferred his property "in anticipation of death."

Auto Victim Is Dead.

Fargo, N. D., Oct. 21.—Frank Burnam, a stock salesman, died yesterday from injuries sustained when he was run into by an automobile accidentally started when the engine was in high gear.

New York Police Charge Service Men.

New York, Oct. 21.—Mounted police last night charged a crowd of 300 service men who had massed in front of the Lexington theatre to prevent production of German opera, upon which Mayor Hylan had placed an official ban. Dispersed by the police, the service men hastened to Times square, recruited nearly 1,000 civilians and returned to the theatre. One section of the line engaged in a flight with the police, laying down a barrage of bricks and stones.

"FIDDLE-FIT"

Keep Liver and Bowels Clean and Active with "Cascarets"

Sick headache, biliousness, coated tongue, sour, gassy stomach—always trace this to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will have you feeling clear, rosy and as fit as a fiddle by morning. They work while you sleep.—Adv.

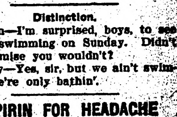
Distinction.

Parson—I'm surprised, boys, to see you in swimming on Sunday. Didn't you promise you wouldn't?

Jimmy—Yes, sir, but we ain't swimmin', we're only bathin'.

ASPIRIN FOR HEADACHE

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer



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Animals Slaughtered.

It is estimated by competent authorities that 80 per cent of the leather furnishing animals of Italy have been slaughtered for food purposes during the war. Some years are necessary to recoup these losses.

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It isn't age, it's careless living that puts men "down and out." Keep your internal organs in good condition and you will always be physically fit.

The kidneys are the most overworked organs in the human body. When they break down under the strain and the deadly uric acid accumulates and crystallizes look out! These sharp crystals tear and scratch the delicate urinary channels causing excruciating pain and set up irritations which may cause premature degeneration and often do turn into deadly Bright's Disease.

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"So Jim married a cold million, eh?"

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Explaining the Leak.

"Can you keep a secret, Peggy?"

"I can; but it's just my luck to tell things to other girls who can't."

Humanity divides into two classes. One has too much to do, and the other hasn't enough.

Birds of prey are not endowed with the gift of song.

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TROTZKY REGIME SEEMS NEAR END

Only Anti-Red Disorganization Delays Result, Washington Believes.

FORCES NEAR CAPITAL

General Yudenitch, Though Not in Petrograd, Has Cavalry Forces Near—Week of Effort Sufficient, Official Thinks.

Washington, Oct. 20.—Official information received here summarizes the situation in Russia as follows:

"The final crash of the Trotzky-Lenine regime may be delayed some weeks, but it is inevitable."

Only the "inertia" of the anti-Bolshevik groups has permitted the Moscow government to remain alive beyond September 15, one official said. The Bolshevik organization, the reports say, has been so poor at the foundation—the confidence of the masses—that only a push was necessary to start the fall. This push has been lacking because there was no efficient co-operation between the anti-Red leaders and in the absence of initiative or ability on the part of them to start the forward movement.

General Denikine's advance toward Moscow, the campaign of attrition waged by the Northwest Russian volunteers and the stiffening of Admiral Kolchak and his Cossack allies, the reports say, have furnished more than the hoped for pressure.

"A continuation of this pressure by any one of these forces for one week will finish the matter," declares a military expert. "The British alone, through their assistance to the Northwestern group operating in the Esthonian sector, can turn the trick."

Petrograd Closely Invested.

London, Oct. 18.—Petrograd was so closely invested by the anti-Bolshevik forces, according to the latest official advices, that military experts expressed the belief that little short of a miracle could save the hard-pressed Bolsheviki. One newspaper dispatch reported General Yudenitch's cavalry in the capital. But there is no confirmation of this.

Neither had British official confirmation been received of the reported surrender of Kronstadt, although the war office states that the Esthonians Friday, operating in conjunction with Yudenitch, got within four miles of the Krasnaia Gorka, facing Kronstadt.

Coincident with these reports comes a vitriolic announcement by Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevik war minister, referring to the anti-Bolshevik forces as "a pack of bourgeoise curs worrying the body of soviet Russia," and declaring that Petrograd will not fall.

In the meantime, in the south, General Denikine has been pursuing his successes. But he is meeting strenuous resistance in the Orel region, where fierce fighting is going on.

MAYNARD WINS AIR DERBY

Flying Parson Lands at Mineola at 1:50 Saturday Afternoon.

Mineola, N. Y., Oct. 20.—Lieutenant Belvin W. Maynard, victor in the army's air race across the continent and return, the greatest aviation endurance test of history, landed here at 1:50 p. m. Saturday.

Lieutenant Maynard flew the 142 miles of the last stage in his great flight from ocean to ocean and return at a speed of nearly two miles a minute. Several minutes before he landed his plane was visible flashing across the cloudless sky in the brilliant sunshine of a perfect autumn day.

The first persons to greet him as he stepped from his machine at the conclusion of his historic flight were his wife and two little girls, who rushed across the field amid the frantic cheering of the hundreds of spectators who were marshalled at a safe distance by special detail of soldiers.

The first words uttered by Lieutenant Maynard when he put his foot on mother earth again were a generous tribute to Sergeant N. Klein, his companion on the flight.

"Sergeant Klein deserves the greatest credit," said the lieutenant.

"It is all up to the lieutenant," promptly retorted the sergeant.

"The airplane is just as safe as the Brooklyn bridge," he said. "As long as a pilot keeps his head there is only one thing that can cause an accident and that is motor trouble. I got a lot of experience that I would not have got otherwise.

"I would rather fly after I leave the army if I could afford it. But just as soon as I get out I am going back into the ministry. I intended to get out this fall but could not get quarters in time at college, where I have two years to put in."

Held I. W. W. Had No Rights.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 18.—Declaring that a confessed I. W. W. had no standing in the courts of the United States, Civil Judge A. U. Hedding today set aside a verdict which had been returned by a jury in favor of a member of that organization. The man was U. H. Lane, a Finn, who was awarded $150 last week by a jury in Judge Hedding's court, which heard the evidence in Lane's suit against Gust Palhogios, whom he charged with assault and battery.

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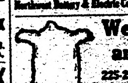

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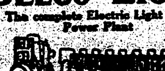

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NO LONGER MISTRESS OF SEAS

Great Britain's Supremacy Passing Into New Hands, Says Naval Expert.

In Great Britain fear is being felt that the trident of the ocean is passing into new hands. This at least is the note sounded by Archibald Hurd, the naval expert, writing in the London Daily Telegraph.

"It is an arresting fact," he says, "that, judged by the strength of its battle squadrons in active commission, this country's supremacy has at least temporarily passed away.

"The United States has now in commission 31 battleships, and Washington plans to have 20 next year, the reduction in number being balanced by the increased power of some of the ships now approaching completion.

"We have in a similar state of readiness 22 battleships and five cruisers, and, in accordance with the order published with reference to reduction to a reserve basis, our instantly ready battle force will fall at an early date to 16 ships, 10 of them forming the Atlantic fleet and the other six cruising in the Mediterranean. It may be somewhat of an affront to our national pride that we should have reached this secondary position at sea."

Mr. Hurd consoles himself with the reflection that the British admiralty is saving money.

Explained by Father.

Mother—I wonder why a growing girl is so hard to manage?

Father—Well, naturally, as long as she is a girl her deeds are all mis-doings.

Farm Note.

"Pretty girls attract other boarders."

"And pay board themselves. Yes, they're a great help."

Even the unmusical fish dealer knows the scales.

WANTED TO SEE THAT PIG

"Animal" Had a Strange Fascination for the Thirty Easterners of a Century Ago.

The present prohibition law is much more stringent than was the dry law of Massachusetts of 100 years ago, when the "Striped Pig" gained its fame. At that time the law read that liquor could not be secured, save in 15-gallon lots. That gave the "pig" its chance.

An enterprising resident attended the military muster on the Readville fair grounds, and established a side show. A banner before the tent flaunted the likeness of a red and black pig, which, a sign said, could be seen for four pence. Many men went in to see the strange animal, and returned many times. As the law did not prohibit the exhibitor from giving away liquor he gave each patron a generous glass of the forbidden drink from a large stock he had laid in. The "Striped Pig" became famous over night. Songs were written about the animal, a beverage was named after it, and a burlesque play in New York adopted the absurd title.

A Just Grievance.

"Why are you so prejudiced against Bertie?"

"He was a slacker during the war," said the discharged doughboy.

"It's true that he didn't go to France, but he claims he kept the home fires burning."

"So he did, the lounge lizard! He kept 'em burning under a chafing dish presided over by the girl I left behind me."

Only a Few.

"Everybody knows about it. Some people take her part and some take her husband's part."

"And I presume there are a few eccentric individuals who mind their own business."

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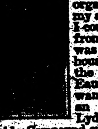

Black River Falls, Wis.—"As Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved me from an operation, I cannot say enough in praise of it. I suffered from organic troubles and my side hurt me so I could hardly be up from my bed, and I was unable to do my housework. I had the best doctors in Eau Claire and they wanted me to have an operation, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me so I did not need the operation, and I am telling all my friends about it."—Mrs. A. W. Binzer, Black River Falls, Wis.

It is just such experiences as that of Mrs. Binzer that has made this famous root and herb remedy a household word from ocean to ocean. Any woman who suffers from inflammation, ulceration, displacements, backache, nervousness, irregularities or "the blues" should not rest until she has given it a trial, and for special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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Had Not Made a Choice.

They had just completed the fifth dance—three couples and some thirty-odd girls—and they had strolled out to the balcony to rest. He, just out of high school, and she out of high school also.

"So," he said, beginning the conversation, "you are from Indiana?"

"You're mighty right," she answered. "Hoosier girl."

He stuttered and stammered. "Why—er—really—" he said, "that is, I don't know—I mean I haven't decided yet, who."

Children's Coughs
may be checked and more serious conditions of the throat often will be avoided by promptly giving the child a dose of safe
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STATE BREVITIES

St. Paul.—State timber valued at $200,000 was sold at auction by State Auditor J. A. O. Preus to prevent its loss.

St. Paul.—Distribution of $1,706,700 in the semi-annual distribution of the general state school funds has been postponed probably for a month, it is announced.

St. Paul.—The new state-owned flour mill, will be located in the Midway district, with trackage facilities and near the State Agricultural college, it was decided at a conference of state officials.

St. Paul.—Potatoes are moving to market by hundreds of cars daily to beat freezing weather, and complaints of car shortage apparently have ended for a time, according to a report by the State Railroad and Warehouse commission.

Minneapolis.—Arraigned before District Judge C. F. Jelley, Ralph La Count and Oscar Lundgren pleaded not guilty to the joint indictment charging them with the murder of Madelyn La Count at Northome, Lake Minnetonka, Sept. 12.

St. Paul.—Influenza was blamed in a report to the State Board of Health for an increase in deaths and decrease in births in Minnesota during the first half of 1919. Births still outnumbered deaths by more than 60 per cent, the figures showed.

St. Paul.—The relief board created by the last Legislature will administer its first aid to flood sufferers of Marshall, Roseau, Beltrami and Koochiching counties, it was decided at a meeting of the board. More than 300 families are said to require aid.

Middle River.—Rev. R. Drysdale was formally installed as pastor of the Presbyterian church here last week. Rev. R. L. Barackman of Thief River Falls, preached the sermon of the evening. Rev. Mr. Kelley of Red Lake Falls delivered the charge to the pastor.

Shelvin.—George Daniels, a Bagley business man, recently sold clover seed from his farm three miles east of here, amounting to $4,000, which was raised from about nineteen acres. The total amount of seed raised was 150 bushels selling at 42 cents a pound or $25.20 a bushel.

Pipestone.—A special meeting of the Pipestone county farm bureau has been called, when the subject of joining the state federation of farm bureaus will come up for consideration. H. J. Farmer of Airlie, a member of the state organization committee, and F. F. Norwood, of Balaton, are to speak on the federation subject.

Coleraine.—Clayton Elisen, who has been running a barber shop and pool room at Calumet since returning from war, where he served in the Three Hundred and Forty-eighth infantry, is in a local hospital with a shattered thigh bone sustained while duck hunting at Twin Lakes, when a gun used by his companion, Harold Childs, Calumet steam shovel man, exploded.

Minneapolis.—Only a shift of wind saved the entire summer colony at Groveland, Lake Minnetonka, from destruction, when flames, fanned by a gale, burned 21 cottages and the auditorium and drove hundreds of residents from their homes. Buildings and furniture valued at more than $100,000 were destroyed before Minneapolis firemen checked the blaze at 3.30 a. m. Six persons were injured.

Ely.—The Zenith, Pioneer, Sibley and North and South Chandler mines, closed through the activities of I. W. W. agitators, are still shut down and as some have boarded up there is no immediate prospect of resumption. The strikers hold meetings that appear to accomplish little and occasionally new members are secured but nothing is done towards bringing about a resumption of work. Local stores have gone on a cash basis, it is announced, and predictions of a hard winter, for some people are common.

Northfield.—Decision to launch a $50,000 campaign in Minnesota for the building of an institutional church to replace the present Olivet Baptist church building in Minneapolis, the amount to be raised within the next three weeks, featured the closing day of the 60th annual Minnesota state convention, which adjourned here. Election of officers for the year resulted as follows: F. K. Pratt, Minneapolis, president; Rev. Dr. Frank Peterson, Minneapolis; D. D. Smith, St. Paul, and Mrs. George E. Young, Minneapolis, vice presidents; C. J. Brown, Minneapolis, recording secretary; J. A. Ridgway, Minneapolis, treasurer; trustees for three years, Rev. M. Berglund, Cambridge; Mrs. A. F. Gale, F. C. Nickels, J. C. Buckbee, Mrs. A. E. Jenks, Minneapolis; Mrs. D. D. Smith, Rev. Dr. A. M. Bradley, Mrs. C. T. Mears, Rev. Dr. G. A. Hagstrom, E. S. Doran, and Rev. J. G. Briggs, St. Paul; Mrs. H. W. Jensen, Albert Lea; Rev. R. A. MacMullen, Rochester; Rev. R. E. Sayles, Duluth, and Rev. A. C. Earley, West Concord; trustees for two years are Rev. Dr. R. W. VanKirk, Owatonna; Mrs. J. J. Runyan, and Mrs. J. H. O. Brandenburg, St. Paul.

Fairmont.—County Attorney C. P. Cooper is mystified by the receipt of a letter from Sherburne, this county, "W. M. Marks," declaring that "Marks" forged a check at Ceylon for which offense Frank Carey of Sherburne was arrested and held to the grand jury. "Marks" stated that he had returned the money and defied the authorities to catch him.

Rochester.—Reports of committees and election of officers marked the closing day of the annual meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Winona district of the Methodist church.

St. Paul.—State Board of Health officials attached importance to the fining of a Winona physician, the first conviction under the state law requiring reports of all cases of veneral disease in this state.

Blue Earth.—Victor Basset, 27, was shot and killed while hunting at Rice Lake, ten miles north of Blue Earth. He was in a boat with a companion when the butt of Basset's gun striking the bottom of the boat was discharged. A hole was torn in his head and he fell into the lake. He leaves a widow and four children.

Moorhead.—At the meeting of the Minnesota Potato Growers' association here Nov. 5, 6, and 7, W. I. Nolan of Minneapolis, speaker of the lower house of the Minnesota legislature; Dean R. W. Thatcher, of Minnesota Agricultural college, and N. J. Holmberg, commissioner of agriculture of Minnesota, will be among the speakers.

Minneapolis.—Snow fell in many points in Minnesota Friday night. At Luverne, residents awoke to find snow on the ground, and at 8 o'clock flakes were falling thick in Mankato, but melting as they fell. In Pipestone a fall of two inches was reported with threats of a real storm. Duck hunters were reported leaving Pipestone in "flocks."

Clearwater. — Wilbur F. Shattuck, one of the incorporators of the Clearwater Mercantile company, died at his farm near here. He was an active promoter of the first rural mail service and of the telephone system of this community, and was vice president of the telephone concern since its organization. He was born in Franklin county, New York, in 1857, and came to Minnesota with his parents when he was 10.

St. Paul.—Protests against the pardoning of Joseph W. Bragdon, Minneapolis business man, who was convicted of offense against young girls in 1916, poured in at the capitol to the pardon board. Club women from the Twin Cities brought messages from other women's clubs in the state to the governor's office objecting to clemency for "Uncle Ned," as Bragdon was known by several of the girls who appeared as witnesses against him at his trial.

Crookston.—Little additional light has been uncovered in the murder of Edna Werner, 17-year-old East Grand Forks girl, who is alleged to have been slain by Jim Smith, and Tom Thomas, negroes of Grand Forks. Smith still maintains that Thomas did the actual killing, while Thomas maintains that he was in a dice game the night of the shooting, according to Polk county authorities. It is said that Thomas' statement is corroborated by other Grand Forks negroes.

Minneapolis — Thirty-six Holstein cattle exhibited by Minnesota breeders at the national dairy show in Chicago last week captured 28 prizes, seven of which were firsts. Minnesota Guernseys at the show were not numerous, but made up in quality what they lacked in quantity. This is the report brought back by W. A. McKerrow, livestock specialist of the extension division of the Minnesota college of agriculture, who acted as one of the judges at the big show.

Luverne.—Damages in the sum of $3,250 were awarded James York of Rock Rapids, Iowa, against his brother, Mathew J. York, of this county, in district court here in a suit for personal damages. The plaintiff in the action claims that during an altercation with his brother in the fall of 1917, the defendant struck him over the eye causing an injury which later resulted in the loss of sight of one eye. The suit was for $10,000, and the jury returned a verdict of $3,000, adding $250 for medical bills.

Pipestone.—Because of conflicting stories of Theodore Mattsick, aged 13 years, and Leslie Binnebose, 9 years of age, the only eyewitnesses of the death of Joseph Fritz, 17-year-old boy, near here, the coroner's jury has returned a verdict of "accidental." Young Frits received a charge of shot in the head and died instantly. Matsick said he had layed his gun on the ground and that the Binnebose boy had picked it up and shot Fritz. One of the shot grazed Matsick's lower lip, he said. He exhibited a wound which he declared was inflicted by the shot. The Binnebose boy declared that he was not near the scene and that he did not see either Fritz or Matsick on Saturday, the day of shooting. The jury decided that death was accidental and it is probable that no further action will be taken.

East Grand Forks.—Men who were the most active in bringing about the arrest of the two negroes charged with her murder were honorary pallbearers at the funeral here of Miss Edna Werner of East Grand Forks, who was shot. The honorary pallbearers were: O. K. Bolstad, Sheriff of Polk county; J. Montague, state's attorney, Polk county; C. Nelson, coroner, Polk county; C. C. Stewart, sheriff of Grand Forks County, N. D.; Chief of Police Odin Overby, Grand Forks; Chief of Police Tugh Quigley, East Grand Forks; B. J. Warren and Casey Gunderson. The last two furnished the information which resulted in the arrest of James Smith and Tom Thomas, the two negroes who were taken to St. Paul to prevent mob violence.

Rochester.—W. A. Bolcom, superintendent of the Bemidji public schools, has resigned to accept a similar position as head of the Rochester school system, filling the vacancy left by the resignation of Superintendent H. A. Johnson, now assistant business manager of the Mayo clinic here.

Menahga.—Olof Junus, the Hillview merchant, has threshed 115 bushels of clover seed from less than 20 acres of land of his farm just south of town that will bring him the neat sum of $1,875 and will net him more than what is made on 160 acres in the Iowa corn belt.

VOTE OPPOSES TREATY CHANGE

Shantung Amendment to Peace Pact Is Rejected by U. S. Senate.

COUNT STANDS 55-35

Six Proposed Changes Are Swept Away by Action of Solons, Only Three Remaining to Be Acted Upon.

Washington, Oct. 17.—The long debated Shantung amendment to the peace treaty, presented by Senator Lodge, and approved by the foreign relations committee, finally was rejected in the senate with a majority of an even score against it.

In the vote of 35 to 55, 14 Republicans swung over to the pro-treaty forces, while three Democrats lined up with those supporting the proposal. Of the six senators absent, two Republicans were put on record as in favor of the amendment, and one Republican and three Democrats as opposing it.

The roll call, which came at the end of another six and a half hours of sharp debate, in reality swept away six amendments instead of one, each change in the treaty having been numbered separately by the committee in its decision to strike out the word "Japan" and substitute the word "China" throughout the sections relating to the province of Shantung. By unanimous consent, however, the six changes were debated and voted against as one.

Only three of the committee's 45 amendments now remain to be acted on by the senate, 36 previously having been rejected. Of those remaining, one relates to American representation on the reparations commission, and two to equalization of voting power in the league of nations assembly.

LABOR'S PLEA WINS TEST

Collective Bargaining Favorably Reported by Conference Committee.

Washington, Oct. 17.—Recognition of the right of collective bargaining came to the floor of the National Industrial conference, and was debated for three hours, but a vote was impossible as the conference had to adjourn under its rules. Virtual notice was given by members of the labor group that should the representatives of capital succeed in their attempt to send the resolution back to the committee of fifteen, the labor delegation would withdraw.

The collective bargaining resolution providing for an indorsement of the right of wage earners to negotiate with employers through "representatives of their own choosing" was reported to the conference with the approval of all of the public and labor delegates in the committee, but opposed by capital representatives.

VOTES TO EXTEND ALIEN BAR

House Favors Restrictions to Continue Another Year.

Washington, Oct. 17.—With government reports showing that alient radicals are agitating strikes and disorders in all parts of the country, the house voted overwhelmingly to continue for one year after conclusions of peace the wartime ban against the entrance into the United States of undesirable foreigners.

The house action was taken after the state department had let it be known that consular reports showed large numbers of radicals already collected at foreign ports waiting to come to the United States at the conclusion of peace expecting wartime regulations to be lifted.

PRESIDENT RESTING WELL

Col. House and Samuel Gompers Also Reported Improving.

Washington, Oct. 17.—Latest reports from the sick room of three American leaders who have succumbed to the strain of the last few months are as follows:

Woodrow Wilson—General condition unofficially said to be better. He is resting well after glandular trouble, from which he suffered for two days, was relieved.

Samuel Gompers—At Mr. Gomper's home it was stated he rested easily during the night. He was anxious to get up.

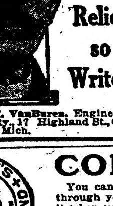
Colonel House—Physicians reported Mr. House "doing very well."

Japanese Troops to Siberia.

Tokio, Oct. 16.—It is announced by the War office that a brigade of infantry and a battalion of engineers from the Thirteenth division will be dispatched to Siberia and to North Manchuria.

World's Largest Check.

Washington, Oct. 17.—Secretary Glass has put his name to a check for $2,648,309,171.53, said to have been the largest ever drawn. It was made payable to the treasurer of the United States, but did not involve a transfer of that amount of money. It was made necessary to account for redemption of certificates of indebtedness and other obligations in June. The largest check ever drawn on the treasury for outgoing money was $200,000,000 which was lent to Great Britain.



The First Bottle of PE-RU-NA Gave Relief so Writes

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An Abuse.

Cornelius Vanderbilt said at a dinner party in Newport:

"A number of Fifth avenue firms have ceased to give free samples of dress materials to their lady patrons.

"It appears," Mr. Vanderbilt added "that certain ultra-fashionable lady patrons would secure a free sample of dress material and make an evening gown of it."

Times Have Changed.

It is said that the post office in Philadelphia gets $15,000 a day less as the result of going from the three-cent back to the two-cent rate for letters.

That happens to be exactly the sum which Benjamin Franklin was able to turn over to Great Britain in annual revenues from the post offices in the colonies in 1774, after he had put in four years of hard work in creating a postal system.

Cuticura Soothes Itching Scalp

On retiring gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Make them your every-day toilet preparations and have a clear skin and soft, white hands.—Adv.

Praises Japanese Music.

The song which Japanese workmen sing when raising the roof tree of a new building ranks with the purest music in the world, according to Henry Eichheim, a Boston composer, who is spending a year in Japan studying oriental music, says the New York Evening Post. He said in Tokyo: "The orientals have evolved by the process of elimination a perfect philosophy, a perfect art and a perfect music. If we could think as orientals think we would realize the absolute simplicity and perfection of their art life." As he goes about Japan he takes notes on the primitive music of laborers and on the sound of temple bells, with their beautiful overtones, with the view of making them themes for his compositions.

Business Picking Up There.

During the 15-year period, 1904 to 1918, inclusive, only four American vessels called at Sourabaya, of an aggregate net tonnage of about 6,500. Seven American ships, aggregating over 15,000 tons net, called at Sourabaya for discharge and loading of cargo during the first six months of 1919.

The Best Way.

Traveler—Will I have time to get a drink before the train leaves?

Conductor—Yes, plenty of time.

Traveler—How do I know the train won't leave without me?

Conductor—Well, I'll go along and have a drink with you.

Not "Romantical."

Little Susan's auntie writes love stories occasionally for magazines. The other day she did a mystery one and told the family about it. Little Susan passed the news on to her little friend. "Yes, it was a story all right," her mother heard her say, "but it wasn't a romantical one — not nearly so romantical as most she writes are."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

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Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

WOULD BE FRIEND IN NEED

Grateful Colored Man Promised to Go If Services Should Be Needed.

"The race riots in Chicago remind me of the same sort of excitements that ran around Atlanta when I was living there as a young man," said George McDaniel of Metro, Cal., recently.

"My brother and I were both medicos—owners of smooth and virgin sheepskins. We shared the same office and lunched at the same counter. In the midst of wild confusion, one day, a wounded negro rushed into our office and begged for protection. This was freely granted, for we had no race prejudices, in spite of our Southern upbringing. We also poured salve on the negro's bruises.

"'Yo' shuah been good to me,' said the grateful darkey, turning to my brother—who, by the way, is now practicing in Los Angeles—'an' I'll 'member it, doc. Say, if ye' ever kills anybody mah friends and I'll get you out if we have to bust the jail to do it.'"—Los Angeles Times.

Electro-Therapeutical Brush.

A novel electro-therapeutical brush, instead of being connected to the usual battery, carries its own tiny generator. This generally supplies an infinitesimally small current of 50 to 200 volts, and is operated through a chain of gears by working a little lever placed beside the handle of the brush.

Visitorial Amenities.

Mrs. Hashleigh—Some of my boarders are very witty.

Her Caller—Well, they say that hunger sharpens the wits, you know.

A Jazz Headline.

Hub (reading headline) — "Solons Bolt Pact; Rap Japs."

Wife—What is it, dear—Esperanto?

Among the women of Borneo elongated ear lobes are considered a great mark of beauty.

There are as many ways to win a woman's heart as there are women.

A Saver to pocket book and health, and a delight to the palate.

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Dr. R. L. Olson - Holt, Minn.

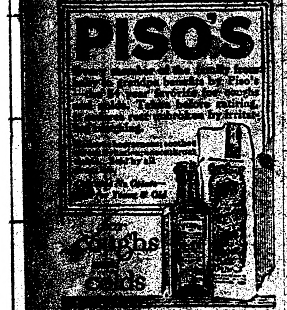
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Twenty dollars ($20.00) which became due on the 18th day of December, 1918, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Johanah Sullivan, a widow, mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 18th day of December, 1916, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 179 thereof; and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage by reason of said default the whole principal sum remaining unpaid, to-wit: Eighty dollars ($80.00), became at once due and payable and was so declared by the mortgagee; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Eighty-six dollars ($86.00) and the further sum of $56.00 with interest thereon at 5½% since December 18th, 1918, the latter amount being for interest paid by the mortgagee, under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of $1000.00 upon said land, default having been made in the payment of the same by said mortgagor, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being One hundred forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents ($143.25), and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of Section twenty-eight (28) in township one hundred fifty-six (156) North of Range forty (40) West, in Marshall County, state of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said County and State, on the 1st day of November, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $143.25 and interest from date of this notice and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of $25.00 as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 12th 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Red Lake Falls, Minn.



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Coughs and Colds

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John H. Smith and Mable Smith, his wife, Mortgagors to W. S. Erieson Mortgagee, bearing date the 24th day of November 1913, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of November 1913, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages on Page 413. Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said W. S. Erieson, mortgagee, to John G. Jaenike, by written assignment dated the 23rd day of June, 1914, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 24th day of June, 1914, at 8:30 A. M. in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 26 thereof.

And which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly further assigned by said John G. Jaenike, assignee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, by written assignment dated the 20 day of June, 1919, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 21st day of August, 1919, at 8:00 A. M. in Book 86 of Mortgages on page 282 thereof. Which default has continued to the date of this notice by the failure and neglect of said Mortgagor to make payment of the principal and interest by said mortgage secured, which by its terms became due and payable on the 1st day of December 1918.

AND WHEREAS, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 48-100 ($997.48) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Eleven (11) in Township One hundred fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth principal meridian in Minnesota, containing one hundred sixty acres of land, more or less according to the Government Survey thereof in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of November 1919, at 10.00 o'clock A. M. of that day at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 48-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes if any, on said premises, and Fifty (50.00) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 15th A. D. 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee
Chas. E. Boughton
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Hay for Sale.

Sixty tons of good wild hay. Hay is stacked on the NW 1-4 Sec. 7, in Mud Lake township. Call on or address

Grant Flaknel
Holt, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Three and 50-100 Dollars which became due on the 9th day of August 1918, which said sum is now due and payable upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by R. Leroy Olson and Marie Olson, husband and wife, Mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a Minnesota Corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 9th day of August 1917, and with a Power of Sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall Minnesota, on the 13th day of August 1917, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 269.

AND WHEREAS, by reason of the default hereinbefore mentioned the said Mortgagee chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable, making Thirty and 20-100 Dollars which is claimed to be due and is due upon the aforesaid mortgage at the date of this notice.

AND WHEREAS said mortgage is conditioned that if the Mortgagors shall fail to pay their prior mortgage of Two Hundred Dollars upon the same land or any installment of interest due thereon, that the Mortgagee in this mortgage now being foreclosed, may pay the same, and have a lien therefor under this mortgage, and default having been made in the payment of Twelve Dollars interest due August 9th 1918, and in the payment of Twelve Dollars interest due August 9th 1919, upon said prior mortgage, represented by coupon interest notes bearing six per cent interest after maturity, the same was paid by the undersigned said Mortgagee, and there is now due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon account of the interest so paid upon said prior mortgage Twenty-four and [illegible]-100 Dollars in all amounting to the sum of Fifty-five and 04-100 Dollars, due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice; and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage herein first described, will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage to wit: The Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section number Thirty-one (31), in Township number One Hundred and Fifty-five (155) North, of Range number Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and located in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the [illegible] day of November 1919 at ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fifty-five and 04-100 Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises and twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursement allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, September 9th 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee
Fred L. Farley
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen Dollars, which became due on the 8th day of August 1918, which said sum is now due and payable upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Benno Menzel and Charlotte Menzel, husband and wife, Mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a Minnesota Corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of August 1916 and with a Power of Sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall Minnesota, on the 10th day of September 1916, at 8:30 o'clock, A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 68.

AND WHEREAS, by reason of the default hereinbefore mentioned the said Mortgagee chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable, making Seventy-eight and 74-100 Dollars which is claimed to be due and is due upon the aforesaid mortgage at the date of this notice.

AND WHEREAS, said mortgage is conditioned that if the Mortgagors shall fail to pay their prior mortgage of Three Thousand Dollars upon the same land or any installment of interest due thereon, that the Mortgagee in this mortgage now being foreclosed, may pay the same, and have a lien therefor under this mortgage, and default having been made in the payment of One Hundred Sixty-five Dollars interest due August 8th 1918, and in the payment of One Hundred [illegible]-five Dollars interest due August 8th, 1919, upon said prior mortgage, represented by coupon interest notes bearing 6% per cent interest after maturity, the same was paid by the undersigned, said Mortgagee, and there is now due and claimed to be due upon the date of this notice upon account of the interest so paid upon said prior mortgage Three Hundred Forty-one and 88-100 Dollars, in all amounting to the sum of Five Hundred Six and 88-100 Dollars, due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice; and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage herein first described, will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit: The East half of the East half (E½ of E½), West half of the South East quarter (W½ of SE¼), Northwest quarter of Southeast quarter (NW¼ of SE¼) and Southeast quarter of Southwest quarter (SE¼ of SW¼) of Section [illegible] ([illegible]) Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Forty-[illegible] ([illegible]) West of the [illegible] Meridian, and located in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, [illegible] hereditaments and appurtenances, which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the [illegible] day of November 1919, at [illegible] o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Hundred Six and 88-100 Dollars and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, September 23, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.
Fred L. Farley
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Customers indebted on book account, kindly settle on or before Oct. 25th.

O. J. Berklund

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036.00) dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Carl Engebretson and Bertha Oline Engebretson, his wife Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Holt, a corporation Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of October 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of April 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 71 of Mortgages, on page 560.

Which said Mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Farmers State Bank of Holt, Mortagee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls by written assignment dated the 10th day of June 1916 and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 15th day of November 1917, at 8.00 o'clock A. M. in Book 90 of Mortgages on page 381 and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036.00) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Southwest quarter (SW¼) and the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty (30) in Township One hundred fifty-six (156) North of Range Forty-three (43) West, of the fifth (5) Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing Eighty acres of land more or less according to the U. S. Government Survey thereof in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 1st day of November 1919, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of One thousand and thirty-six ($1036) Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 16th A. D. 1919

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.
Chas. E. Boughton
Attorney
Red Lake Falls, Minn

Several men wanted at once for cutting timber and clearing land in the corporate limits of Holt.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fourteen Dollars ($14.00), which became due on the 20th day of May, 1917, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Gunil Vroman, a widow, mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of May, 1915, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of June A. D. 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 71 of Mortgages on page 588 thereof, and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit: Fifty-six dollars ($56.00) became at once due and payable and was so declared by the mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Sixty-nine dollars and six cents ($69.06) and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th 1917, and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th 1918, and the further sum of $42.00 with interest thereon at 6% per annum since May 20th 1919, the three latter amounts being for interest paid by the mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage, upon a prior mortgage of $700.00 upon said land, default having been made in the payment of same by said mortgagor, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being Two hundred and five dollars and fourteen cents ($205.14), and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of said power of sale, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: the Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) in Township One hundred fifty-seven (157) North of Range Forty (40) West in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren, in said county and state, on the 1st day of November, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $205.14 and interest from date of this notice, and taxes if any, and an attorney's fee of $25.00 as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 12th, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.
Chas E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

All clocks are to be turned back to standard time on Sunday Oct. 26th., to stay there until another freakish notion strikes congress.

State Historical Society

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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Axel Nelson was a Crookston visitor Tuesday.

Fridjof. Riesberg went to Erskine Friday for a few day visit.

Give yourself a Christmas present. Buy the Red Cross Magazine.

The Girl Scouts will solicit memberships in the Red Cross Nov. 2-11

The next public health clinic will be held in Newfolden Friday Nov. 7th.

Chris Engen returned Monday from a few days visit in Thief River Falls.

Engval Johnson went to Minneapolis Saturday on a two weeks visit with relatives.

Mrs. Huseth and baby came down from Greenbush Monday for a few days visit at the Olen home.

Nazareth Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. T. O. Dovre Wednesday Nov. 5th. Everybody invited.

Big Community Sale on Saturday Nov. 8th. Bring in your property and list it for sale early as possible.

Ben Docken, Willie Bakke, Peter Anderson and Ole Johnson attended the play in Thief River Falls Monday night.

Mrs. M. B. Fitch attended a convention of the Advent congregation in Middle River from Friday to Sunday.

Everyone who is interested in anyway, should attend the ditch hearing at Thief River Falls next Friday Nov. 7th.

A. S. Bean has sold his farm and will have an auction sale of all his personal property on Wednesday the [illegible]th of November.

[illegible] Carlson, who has been [illegible] at Newfolden for several weeks, departed Tuesday night for his home in Minneapolis.

Miss Bernice Hobbs has been suffering from an attack of tonsilitis and was obliged to give up work at the bank for a few days, but is now much better.

Mrs. S. Boersheim and daughter Nettie have moved their household goods from Northwood, Iowa and will make this place their home in the future.

Gilbert Johnson has put up a small house and moved his family therein for the winter, as it is getting too late in the season for building his tile brick house.

Dr. Spinks was called Monday to see Mrs. Tora Nelson who is very sick with pneumonia. Her condition is considered so serious that the relatives have been notified.

A basket social will be given in school district No 30, five miles west of Holt, on Saturday evening Nov. 8th. Proceeds for the school organ. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Lysne returned Wednesday from Warren where they had been to consult a physician regarding the latters health, which is very poorly at present.

Miss Julia Johnson has been obliged to give up work for awhile on account of sickness and has returned to her home. Her sister Inga is taking her place at Bennes' confectionery.

Hilmer Davidson went to Thief River Falls Monday to run an engine for a hay baling machine for Swartz & Johnson at Goodridge. His brother Eddie who had been working there, was obliged to give up work for a few days on account of a bad boil on his arm.

Relief quickly obtained through Dr. Albertson's Chiropractic Adjustments. Acute and chronic diseases successfully treated. Even those who have been pronounced incurable, have been restored to perfect health again. Phone No. 85. Crookston, Minn.

Third Red Cross Roll Call.

The Drive for Red Cross membership is Nov. 2 to 11, and all Marshall County people are expected to be members of the American Red Cross. $15,000,000 must be provided for war relief obligations, but here we are only asked to give one dollar each. An excellent magazine is offered at the very low rate of $1,00 also. Do you know of any one who cannot buy a Red Cross membership? Try buying one for them. It is a nice gift.

When the canvassers arrive please cheer them on. Their voluntary efforts are for you and your country. If you know of any shortage of workers in your locality, offer your services to help, that will be much appreciated.

I shall be glad to have published the names of the first districts, townships, or towns finishing their work.

The clergy will speak for us, the press is helping us, our president is backing us, our governor is with us, and the American Legion stand behind us. Won't You join?

Jeanie R. Yetter,
Marshall Co. Roll Call Chairman.

Marshall County's Red Cross quota—everybody.

One of our popular young business men has taken unto himself a wife. The happy event occurred Wednesday when Miss Margaret Louise Ohm and Charles E. Horien took the marriage vows before the Probate Judge in Thief River Falls.

The groom's brother and sister Leo and Blanche Horien were the only witnesses.

The News joins the many friends of this young couple in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

Read the electric light notice.

Your Red Cross button proves your Americanism.

Miss Hilda Brekke was a Crookston visitor Monday.

Casper J. Dale went to Hendrum Tuesday on business.

For Sale: Red Poll bull 2 years old, 8-16 Avery tractor. C. J. Dale.

Miss Christine Waggedahl visited over Sunday with friends in T. R. Falls.

Wm. Kuehne went to Thief River Falls Monday where he expected to find work.

Please call and settle twine bills before Nov. 1st and oblige R. Reierson, Holt, Minn.

John E. Boyeson is on the sick list and has been moved to the home of his brother.

The Zion Ladies' Aid will have an auction sale in Dist 148 on Saturday Nov. 8th, at 1 P. M.

Estray: Red milch cow left my place Oct. 8th. Please notify the owner Harald Ness, R. 1. Holt, Minn.

Miss Mabel Hagglund's school in Dist. 152 will give a basket social Friday eve Nov. 7th. Everybody invited.

Big Community Auction Sale in Holt on Saturday Nov. 8th. List your property, for this sale, at the bank as soon as possible.

Rev. Bot Nyborg of Thief River Falls will assist with the services at the Mission church next Sunday and will preach in English at the afternoon or evening service.

W. A. Teal of Thief River Falls is the new agent of the G. N. at this place. Mr. Semmelhack gave perfect satisfaction and the people wanted him to stay but the company objected to his living in the depot and as there are no houses for rent he is obliged to move and all are sorry to have him leave town.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

No confirmants this week as I will be in Pine Creek from Oct. 31st to Nov. 2nd, next class meets Nov. 7, Norwegian 2 o'clock, English 3:30.

Sunday School 2 o'clock Nov. 2.

Mrs. T. O. Dovre entertains the Ladies Aid Nov. 5th, 2 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

A Proclamation

State of Minnesota
Executive Department

The American Red Cross is planning to make November second Red Cross Sunday and the week of November third to eleventh, Red Cross Week.

We should at this time show thru contributions, our appreciation of the wonderful work done by this efficient organization, both at home and abroad. Although the World War is over, there is much work yet to be done. There are starving and suffering people in the war-torn countries to be cared for. There are many problems of public health, relief of poverty, preparedness for possible calamities, and the like to be solved in this country. No organization can perform this kind of service as capably as the American Red Cross.

Permit me, therefore, to urge that on Red Cross Sunday special attention be given at all public meetings in churches and elsewhere to the [illegible] of funds for this purpose and that the people of Minnesota co-operate in every possible manner in the campaign for Red Cross Week.

J. A. A. Burnquist, Governor.
October 18th, 1919.

Electric Light Notice!

Notice is hereby given that all electric light and power bills for the month of October 1919 will become due Nov. 1st, 1919 and should be paid as soon due to A. L. Carlson, the village treasurer who has the statements of the amounts due. A ten per cent penalty will be added to all bills not paid by Nov. 10, 1919, and if not paid by Nov. 15th, 1919, the service will be discontinued at once. This plan will apply to all the following months until further notice is given.

By order of the village council.
P. A. Riesberg, President
H. B. Young, Clerk

Halloween Frolic

Witches will greet you
Ghosts will meet you
Fates and fortunes await you
On Friday Oct. 31
At the Woodman Hall back door.
Girls will bring luscious
lunch baskets
Boys will bid "Over the top and on"
till they get 'um.
Dance

STEINER NEWS

Thursday evening occurred the death of our old neighbor, Mrs. Fred Copp. She has been a resident of these parts for over twenty years.

We all join in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr. Willis Warring returned home Saturday from Baudette, where he had been spending a few days.

Mr. Werner transacted business in Thief River Falls Thursday.

Peter Solem and son, Arnie transacted business in Stiner Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Muzzy called at the J. A. Russell home Sunday.

Arthur Simmonson did business in T. R. Falls Friday.

Many of the neighbors attended the funeral of Mrs. Copp, Sunday. Services were held at the home.

Free Mission Church

A big religious festival will be held here all day Sunday Nov. 2 to celebrate the final payment of the church indebtedness.

A chicken and lefse dinner will be served in the basement for 35c, a lunch for supper at 25c. All the ladies are invited to help furnish eatables.

Everybody is invited to attend and all will be heartily welcomed, whether they have helped with the church or not and whether they belong to some other church or not, it does not matter, we want you to come and help us celebrate the day.

Scouting Education for Girls

Holt is now one of the 515 cities and towns in the United States to have a Girl Scout Organization. Twenty girls between the ages of ten and eighteen organized September 25 under the leadership of Miss [illegible] R. Lawrence.

The Girl Scouts is a similar organization to the Boy Scouts. Mrs. Juliette Low and Miss Agnes Baden-Powell founded the Girl Scout movement in 1912 with the inspiration of Sir Robert Baden-Powell who organised the Boy Scouts of America. The ultimate aim of scouting is good citizenship. It is based on the fundamental qualities of all girlhood and knows no dividing line of race, rank or religion. Scouting is inspiring, constructive, definite, practical and is fun. The active Girl Scout of to-day is the vigorous, clear-eyed, well-informed, civic leader of tomorrow. Every activity [illegible] members of a group, responsible to a larger group, to the home, to the community, and to the nation.

The product of their troop garden is sent to the community kitchen; the result of their canning work is given to the school lunch committee; the jams which they make from berries picked in the woods last summer are intrusted to the district nurse for distribution.

Dean Russell, of Teachers College, from his first-hand experience as chairman of the National Executive Board of Girl Scouts writes of the program as follows:

"Scouting differs from all other work for girls that I know about in that its primary aim is good citizenship. It seeks to develop physical strength, right posture, and grace of movement because these are essential to good health; to dignify the daily duties of the household because the home is made by woman, to care for the sick and protect the young children because these are woman's rights, to do good unto others whenever occasion offers, because this is the law of love; and to train its members to keep mentally awake and morally straight because this is the way to grow. Other organizations, however, may claim as much. But the glory of scouting is that it makes these aims merely means to ends. The supreme end is service to God and Country."

The Girl Scouts offer their services to the community and will gladly care for the children of parents wishing to attend Parent-Teacher Association meetings if provisions are made for their lodging or safe return home.

WM. J. BROWN, Lawyer
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Thief River Falls, Minnesota

HARNESS REPAIRING
Bring in your Harness and old Collars
All work strictly first class
SHOE REPAIRING
Paul B. Siljestrom
Farmers State Bank Building

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 46
Wheat No. 2	2 41
Wheat No. 3	2 31
Wheat No. 4	2 21
Wheat No. 5	2 11
Flax	4 09
Oats	57
Barley	98 to 1 09
Rye	1 16
Flour, Best Patent	6 75

City Meat Market
All kinds of
Fresh & Cured Meats
Cold Meats, Poultry
Canned Goods
Vegetables, Etc.
Herb Walker, Prop.

Holt Cafe!
Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery
Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream
Horien & Johnson

Your New Barn
Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.
You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.
Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.
Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
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Thief River Falls
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Call on or write me for prices
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All work guaranteed satisfactory
Olai Sovde
Holt, Minn.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

To The Public!
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

Tell us the news and help your home paper.

Happenings of the World Tersely Told

Domestic

The presence of federal troops in Gary guarantees the constitutional right of free speech and assembly and is welcomed by the leaders of the steel strike, according to John Fitzpatrick.

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Four liquor dealers pleaded guilty before Judge Wilman in the United States court at Scranton, Pa., charged with violating the war-time prohibition amendment. They were fined $850.

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Four persons were killed and several injured when a Third avenue elevated train crashed into the rear end of another train, stalled between 175th and 176th streets in New York.

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King Albert of Belgium laid a wreath on Lincoln's tomb at Springfield, and paid tribute to the memory of the great emancipator in the presence of Governor Lowden and throngs of people from Springfield and central Illinois.

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Merger of the northern, central, southern and Chicago district synods, the organization to be known as the Illinois state synod, was effected at the northern Illinois Evangelical synod convention at Rockford, Ill.

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Three-Steeple Creek bandits, convicted of the murder of Constable James McKay last November, died on the scaffold at Prince Albert, Sask.

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The American army transport Great Northern sailed from Vladivostok October 7 with 100 officers and 1,400 enlisted men, returning to the United States.

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Eight hundred men and women employed in the meat-packing industry in Baltimore, Md., went on strike for an eight-hour law and an increase in wages.

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Seven bandits robbed the First National bank at Roselle, N. J., of $7,000 in cash in a daring holdup in the afternoon. They escaped after shooting a policeman who endeavored to stop them.

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Three persons were killed at Niles Center, Ill., when a touring car struck a safety island, careened over against a lamp post, telescoped, and turned over. The dead: Arthur W. Hill, Chicago; E. S. Miller, address not known; Mrs. Ray Taylor of Wichita, Kan., sister of Mr. Hill.

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The Los Angeles Times appeared with a page of news printed without type. Articles for the page were typewritten, photographed and a zinc etching made therefrom.

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Five hundred soldiers of the regular army were landed at New York from the transport George Washington to attempt to end the congestion at the army piers in Brooklyn caused by the longshoremen's strike.

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Judson Montgomery, who was found guilty of killing Mrs. William Blanchard, one of three persons, by his automobile, was taken from Milwaukee to Waupun to begin his fourteen-year sentence.

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Joseph Beyer, twenty-one, was killed at Racine, Wis., when an automobile collided with a motorcycle which he was riding. His neck was broken.

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Gov. William L. Harding of Iowa sent telegrams from Des Moines to the governors of all coal-producing states, asking that they arrange to attend a meeting to discuss plans for obtaining arbitration of the questions involved in the threatened coal strike.

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Wholesale disorders marked the production of the German opera "Meistersinger" at the Lexington Avenue opera house, New York.

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Foreign

Lettish forces have fought their way across the Duna river at Riga and operations there are now developing favorably, according to a dispatch received from Libau by the Lettish press bureau at Copenhagen.

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Count Johann Heinrich von Bernstorff testified at the opening sesion of the national assembly at Berlin, investigation into war guilt, that the German government late in 1916 deliberately wrecked President Wilson's efforts for peace.

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General Yudenitch has encountered strong bolshevist resistance beyond Pulkovo, about seven miles south of Petrograd. He has, therefore, halted his advance to concentrate his forces while awaiting re-enforcements and heavy artillery.

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A disaster in the Levant mine at St. Just Cornwall, England, caused about 40 deaths. Many miners were injured.

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Field Marshal Count Seiki Terauchi, former premier of Japan, died at Tokyo.

The monarchist movement in Hungary is rapidly gaining, large factions espousing the cause of Archduke Joseph and ex-Emperor Charles, according to a Vienna dispatch.

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Severe fighting is in progress in the vicinity of Zanghizur, in the Russian Caucasus, between Armenians and regular troops from Azerbaijan province, it is reported at Constantinople.

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Mayor Hylan of New York, instructed the police commisioner to prevent further performances of German opera at the Lexington theater, following the riots of Monday night.

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The liner America has just arrived at Genoa from New York after a narrow escape. She was tossed about by a terrific cyclone which swept away her upper decks.

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The lord mayor of Dublin has been informed that all the Irish political prisoners in Mount Joy prison will be liberated immediately. This is the outcome of the hunger strike, it was explained.

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Lieutenant Poulet, the French aviator who started from Lesy-Les Moulineaux Tuesday on a flight to Melbourne, Australia, arrived at Rome at the aviation field of Centocelle.

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The admiralty at London has announced that flags flown by British ships in battle are to be preserved and placed in suitable position on these ships.

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Personal

An army chaplain must accompany every transport carrying more than 200 soldiers, Secretary Baker at Washington instructed officials of the Hoboken embarkation headquarters.

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Dr. Clarence E. Wilson of Washington, D. C., secretary of the temperance board of the Methodist church, at the international convention of the Disciples of Christ at Cincinnati, O., declared in an address that the elimination of the cigarette would be the next crusade undertaken by his church.

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Winslow W. Thayer, seventy-four, business man and one of the oldest Masons in Wisconsin, died of pneumonia at Milwaukee.

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Alfred T. Ringling, head of Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey circus, died at his Oak Ridge estate at Dover, N. J., He was fifty-six years old. Mr. Ringling was born in McGregor, Ia.

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Count V. Macchi di Cellere, Italian ambassador to the United States, died at the Emergency hospital at Washington, where he had been taken for an operation.

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Former Congressman Martin D. Foster (Dem.) died at his home at Olney, Ill., after several months' illness. He served six terms in congress as representative from the Twenty-third Illinois district and retired last March.

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Washington

The prohibition enforcement bill was signed at Washington by Vice President Marshall and Speaker Gillett for immediate transmission to President Wilson.

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Prices charged by retailers for food stuffs at Washington frequently are from 200 to 3,600 per cent in excess of the wholesale prices, a senate investigating committee declared in its report.

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The sending of bombs through the mails would be made a capital offense under a bill by Senator King of Utah, the senate judiciary committee at Washington.

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Beet sugar refiners were notified by the department of justice at Washington that a charge for sugar in excess of 10 cents a pound wholesale would be considered in violation of the food control act.

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Recognition of the right of workers to bargain collectively was swept aside by the national industrial conference at Washington, in defeating first a proposal by the employers, next a substitute declaration by the conference's general committee, and third, the original proposal of the general committee. The proposal from the labor group to arbitrate the steel strike was next disposed of, both the employers and the public representatives voting against it.

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The house passed the federal budget bill by a vote of 283 to 3. It now goes to the senate, where it is planned to take it up early in the regular session, which begins December 1.

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Laying aside the peace treaty temporarily, the senate at Washington, took up the urgent deficiency bill carrying $42,000,000.

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The industrial conference at Washington, having failed to settle the steel strike, strike leaders are now planning to strengthen their fight by extending it to the railroads, their plan being to tie up all the transportation facilities of the United States Steel corporation.

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American troops will not be used to police Silesia or any other country for which a plebiscite is proposed until the treaty of Versailles has been ratified by the senate, Secretary Baker announced at Washington.

DRY LAW VETOED, HOUSE PUTS OVER

Law Providing Enforcement Means for Prohibition Is Disapproved by President.

REPASSED 176 TO 55

Chief Executive Vetoed Because of Wartime Provisions No Longer Needed, He, Said—Senate to Vote Again on Measure.

Washington, Oct. 28.—President Wilson unexpectedly vetoed the prohibition enforcement bill yesterday and within three hours the house had repassed it over his veto by a vote of 176 to 55. The total vote was barely more than a majority of the entire membership.

Dry leaders in the senate immediately began laying plans to repass the bill there. They expect to ask unanimous consent for its consideration today, claiming enough votes to put it through. They expect to act on it by Wednesday at the latest.

The president refused to sign the bill because it included the enforcement of war-time prohibition.

The objects of war-time prohibition, the president said in his veto, had been satisfied, and "sound public policy makes clear the reason and necessity of its repeal."

It would not be difficult, the president held, for congress to deal separately with the two issues.

Veto Is Unexpected.

The veto hit congress like a crack of lightning. The house, getting on its feet again, deserted its leaders, who wanted to defer consideration until Thursday so as to round up all the dry members. But the drys swept into the chamber and showed there was an overwhelming sentiment among them to give the government ample weapons for dealing with the liquor traffic, now outlawed throughout the land.

GOVERNMENT BACKS WILSON

President's Demand for Delay of Coal Strike Will Be Fully Supported.

Washington, Oct. 28.—The government is standing pat on President Wilson's ultimatum to the soft coal miners of the country that the strike ordered for November 1 must not take place.

The whole federal machinery, already set up for the emergency, is ready to deal with conditions in the mining fields unless the executive board of the United Mine Workers of America, meeting at Indianapolis Wednesday, votes to rescind the strike order.

In the face of statements by John L. Lewis, president of the miners' organization, that it is too late now to stop the walkout, there is a strong belief in official quarters that the strike will at least be postponed. This hope of averting industrial disaster is based largely on the feeling that sentiment throughout the country is overwhelmingly for peace, regardless of how the people may view the reported grievances of the miners.

MINERS' CHIEFS TO CONFER

President Lewis Calls Meeting of Coal Miners' Leaders at Indianapolis.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 28.—Confronted by the demand of President Wilson that the strike call, which would stop production of soft coal in the United States, be rescinded, John L. Lewis, acting president of the United Mine Workers of America, last night by telegraph invited 25 district presidents of coal producing states and members of the miners' scale committee to meet with the international executive board at 10 a. m., Wednesday, to consider the strike issue.

"The statement of President Wilson opposing the strike has thus far had no results so far as we are concerned," Lewis said. No word reached him, he stated, from government sources during the day.

Lewis expects to reach Indianapolis at 2:40 p. m., where he will make preparations for the meeting Wednesday of the international executive board. He said he expected no developments prior to this conference.

TRAINMEN VOTE TO STRIKE

Fourteen Lodges in Chicago District Would Insist on Demands.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Fourteen lodges of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, representing 12,000 men in the Chicago switching district, voted at a secret meeting Sunday to strike Thursday unless their wage demands are met in full. A vote on the proposition is in progress in the other lodges of the 180,000 trainmen throughout the country.

Senate Defeats Johnson Amendment.

Washington, Oct. 28.—The Johnson amendment to the peace treaty, designed to equalize American and British voting strength in the league of nations, was rejected in the senate by a vote of 38 to 40. Two Democrats joined the Republicans supporting the amendment and nine Republicans voted with the Democrats against it. Of eighteen senators absent or paired, four Republicans and two Democrats were recorded as favoring it and twelve Democrats as opposing it.

RED CROSS ROLL CALL

Membership Campaign Opens November 2d, Closes 11th.

President Wilson, in Message Prepared Before Illness, Makes Appeal for Generous Response.

Washington, D. C.—In a request to the people of the United States to generously respond to the Third Red Cross Roll Call the following message was dictated by President Wilson before his present illness:

As president of the United States and as president of the American Red Cross I recommend and urge a generous response to the Third Red Cross Roll Call, which opens on November the second with the observance of Red Cross Sunday and appropriately closes on November the eleventh, the first anniversary of the signing of the armistice.

Twenty million adults joined the Red Cross during the war, prompted by a patriotic desire to render service to their country and to the cause for which the United States was engaged in war. Our patriotism should stand the test of peace as well as the test of war, and it is an intelligently patriotic program which the Red Cross proposes, a continuance of service to our soldiers and sailors, who look to it for many things, and a transference to the problems of peace at home of the experience and methods which it acquired during the war.

Stress on Membership.

It is on membership more than money contributions that the stress of the present campaign is laid, for the Red Cross seeks to associate the people in welfare work throughout the land, especially in those communities where neither official nor unofficial provision has been made for adequate public health and social service.

It is in the spirit of democracy that the people should undertake their own welfare activities, and the National Red Cross wisely intends to exert upon community action a stimulating and co-ordinating influence and to place the energies of the organization behind all sound public health and welfare agencies.

The American Red Cross does not purpose indefinite prolongation of its relief work abroad, a policy which would lay an unjust burden upon our own people and tend to undermine the self-reliance of the peoples relieved, but there is a necessary work of completion to be performed before the American Red Cross can honorably withdraw from Europe. The congress of the United States has imposed upon the Red Cross a continuing responsibility abroad by authorizing the secretary of war to transfer to the American Red Cross such surplus army medical supplies and supplementary and dietary foodstuffs now in Europe as shall not be required by the army, to be used by the Red Cross to relieve the distress which continues in certain countries of Europe as a result of the war.

Program Deserves Support.

To finance these operations, to conclude work which was begun during the war, and to carry out some comparatively inexpensive constructive plans for assisting peoples in eastern Europe to develop their own welfare organizations, the American Red Cross requires, in addition to membership fees, a sum of money small in comparison with the gifts poured into its treasury by our generous people during the war.

Both the greater enduring domestic program and the lesser temporary foreign program of the Red Cross deserve enthusiastic support, and I venture to hope that its peace-time membership will exceed rather than fall below its impressive war membership.

WOODROW WILSON.

Averse to Borrowing Trouble.

Jimmy has been rather unfortunate lately in the way of minor accidents, and his mother has grown quite cautious about his taking chances. One day he came in and wanted to ride his tricycle down to his auntie's house. His mother hesitated before consenting to his request, and Jimmy cut in with the comforting assurance, "Maybe there won't be a thing happen, mother, so don't make a worry for yourself till it does."

Success.

Life is indefinite—a bundle of contradictions. We men, with our ideas, strive to give it a particular shape by melting it into a particular mold—into the definiteness of success. All the world conquerors, from Alexander down to the American millionaires—mold themselves into a sword or mint, and thus find that distinct image of themselves which is the source of their success.—Rabindranath Tagore.

Her Wish.

Wee Bessie on being told that she would have to eat condensed milk on her oatmeal exclaimed, "I wish that old condensed cow would die."—Boston Transcript.

Fertilizers in the Netherlands.

One source of the demand for fertilizers in the Netherlands that one is apt to overlook is the fairly extensive reclamation of waste land. The process of dyking and draining that has won large sections of the country from the sea and its culmination in the project to drain the greater part of the Zuider Zee are well known.

Then Get the Other Side.

Success is merely a matter of luck—if you don't believe it ask any unsuccessful man.—Boston Transcript.

WILSON WARNS AGAINST STRIKE

Characterizing Miners' Walkout as Unlawful, Says Law Will Be Enforced.

CABINET HAS BUSY DAY

Failure of Secretary of Labor to Heal Breach in Coal Industry Impels President to Resort to Peremptory Demand.

Washington, Oct. 27.—Holding the impending coal strike to be not only unjustifiable, but also unlawful, President Wilson in a statement issued Saturday night with the support of his entire cabinet called on the coal miners of the nation, both union officers and members, to rescind the strike order effective November 1.

The president declined to enter into the merits of the controversy between the miners and operators, but emphatically declared that the strike, which he characterized as the most far-reaching proposal in the nation's history to restrict production and distribution of all necessaries of life, had apparently been ordered without a vote of the individual miners concerned. For this reason, the president served definite notice "that the law will be enforced and the means will be found to protect the interests of the nation in any emergency that may arise out of this unhappy business."

Situation Is Discussed.

The president's statement was issued after his cabinet had gone over the entire situation with Secretary Wilson of the labor department whose efforts to bring miners and operators together in negotiations had failed.

The president in his statement reviewed the steps leading up to the strike call, including the Cleveland convention of the United Mine Workers of America one month ago, at which the demands for a 30-hour week and a 60 per cent increase in wages were formulated. The war in itself, the president asserted, was still a fact, peace negotiations still in suspense and troops still being transported.

Because of these factors and the added consideration that victims of the strike would be among the rich and the poor of the nation, the president said the proposed walkout could only be considered as unlawful and as the nation's executive, he would use the means at his disposal to prevent any stoppage of work.

While not suggested in the president's warning, it is believed probable that United States troops would be used if necessary, to enforce the demand that the strike be not pressed.

LABOR HEADS ISSUE THREAT

Representative of Machinists' Union Says Direct Action May Be Used.

Washington, Oct. 27.—Organized labor intends to preserve the right to strike, officials of the American Federation of Labor said in warning that passage in the congress of the anti-strike legislation proposed in the pending railroad bill would result in an immediate general walkout over the country.

William H. Walker, of the International Association of Machinists, said "direct action" might be resorted to if all other means of advancing the interests of the unions failed. He announced that with the passage of the anti-strike legislation he would order immediately a vote on the strike of the 350,000 members of his association and predicted that the heads of the 112 international unions in the American Federation of Labor would take similar action. Other union officials agreed with this view.

Officials of the four railroad brotherhoods conferred with Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. It has been proposed that the co-operation of the brotherhoods be enlisted in the general fight now being waged for recognition of the principles of collective bargaining and representation by the chosen spokesman of labor.

MEXICO TO HOLD ELECTION

Convention for Nomination of President Called in Mexico City.

Mexico City, Oct. 27.—A call for the first political convention in the Mexican presidential campaign has been issued by Jose I. Novelo, president of the liberal constitutionalist party, which is supporting General Alvaro Obregon for president. The convention is to be held in Mexico City January 1 and will be participated in by at least seventy groups, representing different shades of political belief, according to the formal notice of convocation.

Compensation Law Upheld.

Bismarck, Oct. 25.—Two important decisions, one involving the constitutionality of the workmen's compensation act, and the other the right of the workmen's compensation bureau to disburse its own funds without the consent of the state auditor, have been handed down by the supreme court. Voting four to one in each case, the court held the law constitutional and that the bureau has the right to draw its own warrants since the money is a trust fund which is not public money.

Eases Colds

At once! Relief with "Pape's Cold Compound".

The first dose eases your cold! Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a severe cold and ends all grippe misery.

Relief awaits you! Open your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of your head; stop nose running; relieve the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist on Pape's!—Adv.

A Big Tale.

The magazine called Our Navy is never frightened by facts when fiction is just as good. From it we take a story which sets forth the estimate the marines had of the mud "over there."

"I was walking along the road," says the marine, "and happened to see a soldier's hat lying there. I kicked the hat and discovered there was a head under it and a live man under the head. So I pulled the man out. He then informed me that he was on horseback, so both of us dug down in the mud and pulled the horse out. The horse was good and hungry by that time, so we dug down farther and hauled up a bale of hay the horse had been eating."

"CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP" IS CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from stomach, liver and bowels.

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear.

Mother! You must say "California."—Adv.

Oil Stations in Cuba.

In view of the contemplated establishment at Antilla, Cuba, of a fuel oil station by the Texas company (South America) the United Fruit company has begun the erection of fuel oil tanks on its properties at Banes and Preston, Orsente province, Cuba. Six tanks will be erected at present by an American construction company.

ASPIRIN FOR COLDS

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer

Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Colds, Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

A Word Grenade.

Excited proprietor—Hey!

Ad writer—What is it?

"Never use the word 'verve' again in an advertisement! Here in this morning's issue you have a statement that our 'sales force is full of verve,' and the confounded printer has got it 'nerve'!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Gold is found in Sumatra, the Celebes and in Dutch Borneo in beach deposits.

Use Murine Night and Morning Keep Your Eyes Clean - Clear and Healthy
Write for Free Eye Care Book Murine Co. Chicago, U.S.A.

IN THE CITIES

Committee Quizzes Radicals of Pedagogues' Union

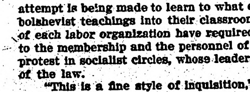
NEW YORK.—The School Teachers' union is the latest organization to receive the attention of the attorney general in connection with the Lusk legislative investigation into bolshevism, begun more than four months ago. Deputy Attorney General Berger and Archibald E. Stevenson, counsel for the Lusk committee, have for a month held hearings under the peace and safety act of 1917, passed to enable the state to deal with pro-Germans.

These hearings had as an object uncovering the extent to which bolshevism has spread in unions which were designated as "radical" at open hearings of the Lusk committee. While the teachers' union was not so designated, it became known that one of its officers was among those examined. The examination is said to have disclosed that the union contains many teachers of socialistic tendencies, and an attempt is being made to learn to what extent the members are trying to carry bolshevist teachings into their classrooms. The subpoenas calling the officers of each labor organization have required the production of all records relating to the membership and the personnel of the officers. The examinations aroused protest in socialist circles, whose leaders assert they are contrary to the spirit of the law.

"This is a fine style of inquisition," said S. John Block, attorney for the Rand School of Social Science, "and is without the slightest justification. We believe the law under which the inquiry is held is unconstitutional, but rather than take the trouble of going to court, we have told the union leaders to appear and give such harmless information as is asked. As a matter of fact, there is nothing those who have been summoned have any desire to conceal from the public."

Murder Inquiry Methods in Chicago Called Joke

CHICAGO.—"The present methods of conducting murder investigations are neither more nor less than a joke," declared Coroner's Physician Joseph Springer. The physician's remarks followed a conference with Chief of Detectives James Mooney, who has been ordered by Chief Garrity to present a plan for a homicide squad to investigate all Chicago murders. After declaring himself heartily in favor of the homicide-squad-plan, the physician, who has had 24 years' experience in the coroner's office, discussed police methods.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I GUESS ALL TH' CLUES ARE DESTROYED - SO WE CAN NOW TELEPHONE TH' CORONER-

"What happens when John Jones is murdered?" he asked. "The police are called, the wagon men arrive on the scene. 'Oh, there's been a murder!' they exclaim. Then they grab the body and hurry it to an undertaking establishment. There they strip off the clothes and phone for the coroner.

"The result? There are none in many cases, which accounts in part for Chicago's 40 unsolved murder cases. The location of the body, the location of the gun, the blood and the finger and footprints, all of which are essentials in the solution of the murder, are often made mysteries by the present methods of investigation."

Chief Mooney and Doctor Springer have practically agreed on their recommendations to Chief Garrity. The squad, if the chief approves of it, will be made up of two or three picked detectives, an assistant state's attorney, the commanding officer of the district in which the murder was committed, a finger-print expert, and a physician from the coroner's office.

Despite special motor squads and the dispatching of detectives to the scenes of murders, surroundings which would have proved good evidence have been so changed by the time experts arrive that only poor clues remain for them to direct their attention.

Chicago the past year has experienced its record for unsolved murders, of which it probably has had more than any other city. Many have been lost sight of because of apparent poor system of the police department, and the

Philadelphia Police Have Nine-Year-Old Tartar

PHILADELPHIA.—Police of this city are once more ahead in the happy little game of hide and seek they are playing with John Pope, the nine-year-old North Camac street criminal, who has been keeping them on the jump for the last two years. They grabbed John in the middle of another burglary a few days ago.

HE'S A BAD ONE, YER HONOR

This is how it goes: John breaks into the jewelry store of Kennedy & Bros., 112 South Thirteenth street. He escapes when detectives, answering the burglar alarm, find they haven't the right key.

Police find John trying to sell a gold watch for a few cents in Market street. John grins at the judge, who threatens dire things are coming to him at the house of detention. John decides he will not take any chances. So he crawls through a couple of transoms at the house over doors separating him from liberty. A police "flier" is sent to all stations, with no result.

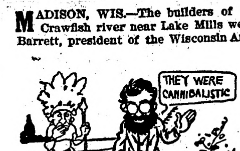
The boy was caught robbing the cigar store and poolroom of Michael Mish, 124 North Thirteenth street.

For the eighth time in two years he is in the clutches of the police. He knows how to use an alias, and says he "doesn't care a bit" for the police.

John made his entrance into the Mish store through a skylight, after climbing the fire escape of an adjoining building. He slid through a small opening, ran merrily down the stairs, and helped himself to $2.34 from the cash drawer, after filling his pockets with cigarettes. And just then in walked Mish, on a trip to his store, and saw John flop suddenly behind a counter. "I don't smoke. I took the cigarettes for some big fellows," said John.

Archaeologist Thinks Ancient Indians Cannibals

MADISON, WIS.—The builders of the famous Indian earthworks on the Crawfish river near Lake Mills were cannibalistic, according to Dr. S. A. Barrett, president of the Wisconsin Archaeological society. During the last two months the Aztalan earth-works inclosure has been subjected to investigations and excavations by the Milwaukee museum, of which Doctor Barrett is the head. Although the grounds have been plowed upward of 70 years the outline of the earthworks is still distinct.



The fabled city of Aztalan was first discovered in 1836 and surveyed in 1837 by N. E. Hyer. The city was named Aztalan by Hyer, because, according to Humbolt, the Aztecs had a tradition that their ancestors came from the North, and the possibility that the newly discovered remains might have been built by them, suggested the name. When the first survey was made the inclosure covered about 18 acres. The remains of the city were inclosed in a wall of earth and adobe bricks which was 631 feet long on the north, 1,419 feet on the west and 705 feet on the south side, making the total length of the wall 2,750 feet. It was from one to five feet high.

An Ideal Angler

By E. B. B. REESOR

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When I stepped onto the John Jo Traddles' veranda that Saturday afternoon I looked around in amazement.

Mrs. John Jo was there; but—where were the merry guests who, I had been assured, would be with her to make a week in a never-before-heard-of summer place somehow endurable?

A feeling of resentment overcame me as I took Mrs. Traddles' proffered hand, and, in the unfeeling way that gay society allows spoiled favorites to speak their inmost minds, I responded to her cordial greeting:

"Has no one else come? Whatever have you asked me for?"

This was not of the manner in which I had been brought up, but practice makes perfect, and after two years of constant study I found that I could be as insolently rude in a gushing way as any of the fashionables who for some freak had taken me up and treated me as one of themselves.

"We have one charming guest, Trixie, dear," Mrs. John Jo assured me. "He is out with John Jo looking over the fishing prospects."

And then, as she led me to a lovely suite of rooms: "I hope you will not be dreadfully disappointed; but, for reasons, no one else came."

"Whom did you ask?" I questioned as I released my hatpins.

"Let me see. There was the Golightlys—they were five deep in acceptances for this week, and when lots were drawn they fell to someone else."

"Gone to the Parrots," I said—really that glass was a delight; I was pirouetting round to get a better glimpse of myself—"Glad I did not go. And who else?"

"Freddy Pun. He had some moonlight entanglements. Made more proposals than he intended—so he confided to John Jo."

"Yes," I said knowingly—I didn't believe I would have to touch my hair—"Had to go to the mountains to get his brain clear. I was the one in the canoe. He does it very nicely, though."

"And then there were the Will Wisps—Monty Bach and that little girl who plays his accompaniments; and—let me see—but I'll show you the list. There come John Jo and Mr. Godwin. I must go."

"Godwin!" I exclaimed, arresting her flight. "What Godwin?"

"Geoffrey Godwin," she answered, in a shamefaced sort of way. "Really I could not help it. He has simply fascinated John Jo, who said he needed a holiday and must come when the fish were biting. Do be nice to him, Trixie Troutout, for, to tell you the truth, he is an ideal man."

She brought out the "man" just as if it were all in capitals, and he were something very great and big.

"Of all people to ask the up-to-date Trixie to meet," I muttered to myself. "The Beatrice of early years might have had something in common, but now—"

However, it was too late; and one of the Traddles' contracted-for maids, busying herself about trunks, claimed my attention for dress consideration.

Dinner passed off pleasantly enough. John Jo Traddles can adapt himself to individuals and circumstances indiscriminately; and as for his wife, she is a past mistress in bringing diametrically opposites together.

The Rev. Geoffrey Godwin had heard of me, so he was pleased to inform me directly grace was spoken. I did not tell him that I heard of him often and often—I rather liked his voice.

Once it was that old cook of grandmother's told about jelly and things I had conveyed surreptitiously to her—one must be decent to people who have been kind to them—I don't care what anyone says to the contrary.

And then that silly, little, fussy muff of a seamstress went and told him of the night I helped her with the gown that "had to be finished for Sunday."

But it is always the way. One's sins against really good society invariably hunt you up and expose you before other people's hired help. I turned it off as best I could; told the reverend that I had understood the confessional was sacred, and made other cutting remarks in the frivolous manner which I had acquired, and resented Mrs. John Jo's "You dear old Beatrice of a real woman!"

Well, I was in for it. Not a frolic some footstep sounded upon the veranda that night; nor did a motor even hesitate near by. Truly I was entangled, but I made up my mind I would never be caught in that way again.

Sunday was desperate. Poured with rain—blew furies. I thought of a long, tiresome day in the house—not a card, no billiards; neither Freddies nor ragtimes. Well, there are three hundred and some odd days to a year, and it is not absolutely necessary to be flighty upon every one of them. At breakfast—fancy me down at a nine o'clock Sunday breakfast—Mr. Traddles said right out before the reverend: "Mr. Godwin is going to take the service at St. Saints. The auto will be waiting for us at the door at precisely ten-thirty."

It was like a sentence from childhood. In prompt obedience I went and changed my dress.

A lot of people, all together, with their minds on hymns and prayer books, does bring out something comfortable in you; and rather after the midday dinner, as a natural result, the Traddles hunted out sacred music, and we sang and sang and sang, then read and discussed improvements in time-servers and sang again.

Some way I felt really good and pleasant and loving all round—kind of in short frocks and hair ribbons. But as John Jo, with a distinct stoop of piety between his shoulders, led the reverend toward the library to look up the heathen in books my fingers strayed irresponsibly to dancing jig-notes that could not fail to get into his toes and shake the Sunday humps out before he got there.

In this mood of good will toward everybody I thought of letters I owed to people who really deserved them, and made myself comfortable in kimono and unbound hair before seating myself at the desk that my room boasted.

Then that wretched cat of the Traddles began.

I felt sure it was shut outside a window somewhere, and, going through the main hall, I floundered down a darksome, alley-like place, hunting for the thing. The sound seemed close beside me and as I opened a door out scudded the cat.

What insane notion made me step into the room I don't know, but no sooner had I passed the threshold than a wind from somewhere banged the door behind me. When I turned to find it it was gone. I ran my hand along the wall to find the light button, but that was lost too.

I shouted and banged and reshouted, but no one appeared. So I closed the window and tried to make a bee line for the door.

With an "Allah be praised!" I turned the handle and walked boldly forth. I caught hold of something—portieres, I supposed, but they were queer of shape and seemed to be hung on wires. Clothes, by all that was unpleasant, and—men's clothes at that. They seemed to stretch out and clutch at me.

Hastily I began again to hunt for the right door. I found a handle, but it belonged to a bureau. Then I knocked against something furry—some of the Traddles' bugs and caterpillars, I knew (they have a mania for horrors); and I shrieked as they fell about me, and imagined them crawling round from the upset box. More things tumbled over; more crawly things crept after me.

In agony I reached high up out of their way, and something bit my arm. I yelled and yelled, and the thing bit harder the more I tried to get away and then came bouncing down upon me. I could feel the blood trickling down my arm; but, not satisfied, it gripped and dragged at me, then fell to the floor with a thud and wriggled around my feet.

I cried again in terror and gingerly put down my hand to push it away, but it would not budge and my arm was tearing. I knocked against something—a bed, and sank convulsed beside it. My last hour had come, and with fervency I began to say my prayers; and, in their midst, I gained strength to try and rid myself of the awful something. It was hard and stringy; that reassured me. I touched my arm. Yes, it was a hook, caught deep in the flesh. I had knocked a fishing contrivance down bodily and it was having its revenge.

I could not get it out, so began with the litany, went on and on as far as "love, honor and obey;" and there I halted, could get no further, and kept muttering the words to myself that I had vowed would never pass my lips.

Then I heard a sound—someone was coming. I tried to shout, but it was of no use. "Love, honor and obey" was all I could cry out.

The door was pushed noisily open—far away from any direction I had even thought of, and a person almost danced into the room to the tune of that dancing-jig, stumbled over the fishline and said words inappropriate to the day.

The jerk hurt excruciatingly, but I began to laugh. I laughed and laughed, and could not stop. Then, without the slightest warning, it turned into a howl of a sob, and down came the deluge—great, big, uncontrollable sobs that shook me and shook the room, and made the whole earth convulse.

Light was turned on, and there was the reverend leaning over me, patting my head with "Poor little girlie" sayings while he disengaged the hook.

Somehow I was unbound and led away.

The aftermath of the sickening thumpings of a two-days' headache is the nearest to heaven that we mortals get.

I lay quietly in a hammock on the upstairs piazza—no one near me—with the loveliest, the kindest, the most glorious thoughts chasing each other in a delicious abandon through my brain, and twinkling with good will and blessings about my eyes and mouth—when along came the reverend and caught them.

I was so peacefully happy in his arms (he had appropriated me also), and I drank in the loveliness of his words and the comfort of his soothing.

I never knew just what happened; whether we were married before tea was served or whether it took place the following week.

One thing is certain—Geoffrey Godwin, my Geoffrey Godwin—the idealest man in the world, who lets me be as silly as I like with soup and sewing—says that his wedding gift to me is the pretty place he has bought down near the Traddles', where the fishing is so good that a line will go off on its own hook and catch—

But—it will not do to repeat all that the reverend says.

APPETIZING DELICACIES CAN BE MADE FROM VARIOUS PRODUCTS OF THE HOME ORCHARD

Apple Butter in Days Gone By Was Always Made in a Copper Kettle Out of Doors.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

If you have more peaches, pears, or plums than you can use fresh or care to can or dry, by all means utilize some of them for fruit butters. The apples which will not keep fresh for winter use may be kept in the form of apple butter if the family can be restrained from eating all of it before cold weather arrives. With food so scarce and high this year none should be allowed to go to waste. Fruit butters not only will utilize the surplus, but will make also additional delicacies which will add variety to any meal during the winter.

On many farms apple butter time is an enjoyable season long looked forward to and not soon forgotten. The delicious odors of the spicy butter when they fill the kitchen, tend to make the one who is entrusted with keeping the butter from burning forget the long and wearisome stirring. Fruit butter requires time and labor but it is well worth the effort and the reward comes when the delicious product is served during the winter.

The familiar sight, some years ago, of apple butter being made in a copper kettle hung over an out-of-door fire is not common in these days. The modern housewife, however, has not lost the art though she makes her fruit butter on the kitchen range.

An enamel-lined, aluminum or other good preserving kettle, a colander, wire sieve, potato masher, measuring cups, knives and pans, are all the utensils that are needed in the making of fruit butter.

Apple Butter Made With Cider.

Almost any apple will make good apple butter, but that which is of good quality and will cook well is most satisfactory. There is no better way to use good apples and the sound portions of windfalls, wormy, and bruised apples, than to make them into butter. Varieties of coarse texture make a rather coarse product unless it is put through a colander or a wire sieve. Such varieties ought to be made into apple sauce and be put through a colander or wire sieve before adding them to the boiled cider. Sometimes sweet apples are used with tart apples, the usual proportion being one-third of the former to two-thirds of the latter. Overripe apples are not desirable, but if they must be used, a little vinegar should be added to give some snap to the butter. The amount of vinegar required must be determined by the taste. Only fresh, sweet cider or commercial sterilized cider should be used. This should be boiled down to about half its original quantity. If boiled cider is canned and bottled hot, in sterilized containers it will be available for future use in making apple butter.

The peeled and sliced apples may be cooked in the boiled cider to make the butter in one operation or they may be made first into apple sauce which is then cooked in the boiled cider. The cooking should be continued until the cider and the apples do not separate and the butter when cold is as thick as good apple sauce. Determine the thickness at frequent intervals by cooling small portions. It usually takes about equal quantities of sweet cider and peeled and ripe apples to make butter of the right consistency. In other words, five gallons of sweet cider should be boiled down to two and a half gallons and five gallons of peeled and sliced apples should be added to it either uncooked or as apple sauce.

Apple Butter Essentials.

Two of the essentials of making good apple butter are long, slow cooking (four to six hours) and constant stirring. If sugar is used, add it after the cooking of the cider and apples is about two-thirds done. The usual proportion is about a pound of either white or brown sugar per gallon of butter. Spice it according to taste; about one-half a teaspoonful of each of brown cinnamon, cloves, and allspice being used to each gallon. These are stirred into it when the cooking is finished.

While still boiling hot, pack in hot sterilized jars, glasses, or hermetically-sealed stone jars with tightly-fitting covers. Process in steam by placing the containers, filled and with tops on, in a vessel fitted with a false bottom and deep enough to hold them. Pour a little water into the container, put on a cover to hold in the steam, and set over the fire. Begin to count time when the steam starts to escape. After five minutes' processing for quart or small size, ten minutes for half-gallon size, and 15 minutes for gallon size, take the containers out to cool. Do not disturb the covers until the apple butter is to be used.

Apple Butter With Grape Juice.

If a grape flavor is desired in apple butter, it may be obtained by the use of grape juice. To each gallon of peeled and sliced apples, cooked into sauce, and strained, one pint of grape juice, one cupful of brown sugar, and one-quarter of a teaspoonful of salt should be added. These should cook slowly and be stirred often for two hours, or until of the desired thickness, then stir in one teaspoonful of cinnamon, and pack hot in hot containers and process as directed for other apple butter.

Pear Butter.

Pear butter is made like the apple butter without cider. The pears should be ripe enough to cook up well. After being peeled they are cored and sliced, put in a preserving kettle with a little water, and cooked slowly until soft. The sugar is then added, one cupful to one quart of sliced pears, and cooking is continued very slowly, with frequent stirring, for one and a half to two hours. The butter should then be smooth and of the consistency of thick apple sauce. A little lemon juice, with ginger, cinnamon, or other spices to taste, should be well stirred into the hot butter. Pack while hot in hot sterilized containers and process with steam as directed for apple butter.

Peach Butter.

Put the peaches in a wire basket, and dip them in boiling water a few seconds until the skin slips—test by raising the fruit out of the water and rubbing the skin between the fingers. Dip the peaches into cold water, peel, and pit them. Well-ripened freestone varieties are best. Mash the pulp, and cook it in its own juice without adding water. If it is rather coarse, put it through a colander or coarse wire sieve to make a butter of fine texture. To each measure of pulp add a half-measure of sugar, cook slowly, and stir frequently until the product is of the desired thickness. The meats of several pits may be cooked either whole or sliced in each gallon of butter. While still hot, pack in sterilized jars or glasses with tight-fitting tops and process like apple butter or cover with hot paraffin.

Garfield Butter.

Take two-thirds plums and one-third peaches. Pare, pit, and slice the peaches, and if the plums are freestones remove the pits. Cook the peaches and plums together slowly until soft and rub through a colander or coarse sieve. If the plums are clingstones the pits are removed by this operation. To each measure of pulp add three-fourths of a measure of sugar, cook slowly, and stir often until of the right thickness. Pack hot and process like peach butter.

Complete directions for making all kinds of fruit butters with tested recipes may be had by writing the department of agriculture for Farmers' Bulletin 900, "Home-made Fruit Butters."

OF INTEREST to the HOUSEWIFE

Never leave onions in the refrigerator.

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Cinnamon toast is an agreeable luncheon dish.

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A little potato may be added to mashed turnip.

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Stale bread is always to be preferred for sandwiches.

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Cabbage salad, raw, goes very well with lima beans.

Electric Spanker for Unruly Children

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Children, beware! Science has contributed the electric spanker, doing away with the cat o' nine tails. Operated by ordinary electric current, such as is found in most homes today, the machine works silently and effectively.

Says Moon Has No Effect

Illinois Weather Prognosticator Ridicules Old Theories

H. M. Willis, official weather prognosticator at Springfield, Ill., throws a harpoon into the pet theory that the moon has a great deal to do with the vegetable, animal and human life growth. It is all bunk, he says. Harken to him:

"We have calls every day seeking the phase of the moon from people who are contemplating planting something or who believe it has some effect on human life. The moon has no effect on human life on the earth's surface. The only effect it has on conditions on the earth's surface is that it draws the tides. Under proper conditions of the sky, the only way the moon can affect human life is to furnish moonlight for young couples."

Post Offices Liken Unto Miniature Barnyards as Farmers Ship by Mail

Cat calls and barks of penned-up canines will mingle with the crowing of fowls in the country post offices in the near future. Live things of noisy age may now be sent by rural parcels post as a result of the new ruling of of the postmaster general, extending the service which heretofore has rejected live things except germs in sealed bottles, and one-day-old chicks.

The new service is "confined exclusively to rural motor vehicle routes and country motor express routes and then only when delivery can be effected on the route where mailed or on a connecting rural motor vehicle truck route or country motor express route."

Interpretation of this ruling does not permit the receiving of fowls and live animals for shipment between cities where delivery by train and numerous handlings would be necessitated. Delivery must be made within 48 hours. Fowls and animals must be carefully and securely crated.

How Men Should Dress at the Morning Wedding

The essential dress for the bridegroom at the morning wedding consists of a black or dark blue frock coat, a waistcoat that matches the frock coat or a white pique one, gray trousers, white linen, a white silk or satin tie, pearl tie pin, gray suede gloves, patent leather shoes and a top hat. The best man generally follows the groom's example. Ushers usually agree among themselves to dress as nearly alike as possible. They should be fully gloved while serving in the aisles. Tuxedo coats should never be worn in the morning. Plain dark business suits may be worn by any male guests not of the wedding party who wish to be informal.

30,582 Belgian Soldiers Killed.

Of the 14,000 officers and 365,000 men mobilized by Belgium during the world war, 982 officers and 29,600 men were killed, according to a telegram printed in the Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, quoting from an alleged official report given out in Brussels.

First Roller Coaster.

The first roller coaster was built at Coney island in 1884, only 450 feet long and with the longest drop but 10 feet.

Daily Thought.

He hath no power that hath not power to use.—Bailey.

THE OLD MELODEON

There, like some ancient visitant
  Of bygone days it stands;
Its yellow keys a welcoming
  Extending to the hands.
No fingers wander o'er the keys,
  No feet its pedals press;
'Reft of the soul of music there
  It waits some hand's caress.

It leans against the chamber wall
  Like some old broken form,
Too weak to stand alone without
  Assistance in the storm.
Its bellows gaping wide is hung
  With cobwebs to the floor;
The dust upon its yellow keys
  Is strewing thickly o'er.

As in the stillness of the night
  The ancient thing it grieves,
And plaints in echo to the soft,
  Low whispering of the leaves,
Then from the lonely chamber float
  Sweet tones of "Beulah Land;"
A spirit song from spirit throat
  Chorused by spirit band.

But when the light of morning falls
  In glory everywhere
The dust upon the yellow keys
  Is strewing thickly there.
From Beulah land the player came
  To spell away the gloom;
And, passing, left behind the same
  Sweet lavender perfume.
—Horace S. Keller in New York Sun.

Weeds and Flowers Serve as Nature's Barometers

Chickweed is an excellent thing by which to get a forecast of the weather. When the flower expands fully we are not to expect rain for several hours. Should it continue in that state no rain will disturb the summer's day. When it half conceals its miniature flower the day is generally showery; but if it entirely shuts up, or veils the white flower with its green mantle, it is a sign of a very wet day. The different species of trefoil always contract their leaves at the approach of a storm. So certainly does this take place that these plants have acquired the name of the nurseryman's barometer. The tulip and several of the compound yellow flowers all close before rain. There is also a species of wood sorrel which doubles its leaves before a storm. The banksia, or mountain ebony, capia, and other sensitive plants observe the same habits.

TO THE POINT

The most difficult things to understand are frequently the explanations which some men make.

Prices may be high, but we don't see the cost of living scaring any young folks who have made up their minds to get married.

The rich man in the box may be a little more comfortable, but he doesn't get any more fun out of the show than the gallery gods.

Keeping out of debt beats getting out.

Fertilizing Explosives Bring Excellent Results

Two experimenters have endeavored to apply the lesson they learned during the war. They were struck by the fact that vegetation grew in profusion in shell holes, and when they returned home gave much thought to the subject. As a result they have designed a fertilizing cartridge which blasts a cavity about a yard deep. After the soil has absorbed the gases produced by the explosion, a tree is planted in the hole. Working with cherry trees, the experimenters have recorded a gain of 100 per cent.

Flax in Australia.

Flax raising in Australia has passed the experimental stage and the industry is becoming firmly established.

Modern Forestry Turns Against Word "Woodlot" in Professional Lingo

Forestry is a new science, comparatively speaking, and so it is not surprising that its leading exponents have just reached the point of perfecting the language in which its work is expressed. Every profession has its peculiar vocabulary; in some cases the "lingo" is the most impressive feature of the profession.

One of the first steps taken in elevating and dignifying the language of forestry is the banishment of the good old word "woodlot," says the Rochester Democrat and Chronicle. It was more in use in New England than anywhere else and possessed a distinct meaning there that was well understood by the natives. One forestry expert says that "woodlot" does not mean anything in sections of the country where a tract of forest may embrace thousands of acres. "We have nothing in the West," says Professor Cheney of the University of Minnesota, "that corresponds to this eastern expression."

It is quite possible, however, that the real secret of the offensiveness of the word to professional ears is better explained by State Forester Holmes of North Carolina, who boldly declares that "to me 'woodlot forestry' sounds perfectly ridiculous." So it has been decreed that "woodlot" cannot be tolerated in learned society. Removing it from the common speech of New England is another matter.

Mother's Cook Book

It is not the revolution that destroys machinery, but the friction.—H. W. Beecher.

Some Main Dishes.

With the main dish sufficiently filling and satisfying the dessert may be light and the meal will be well balanced.

Baked Fish With Parsley Butter.

Split open and bone a white fish, spread with soft butter and dredge with flour, salt and pepper. Bake in a hot oven from twenty to thirty minutes, according to the weight and thickness of the fish and serve promptly with lemon as a garnish.

Parsley Butter.

Cream four tablespoonfuls of butter, add the juice of a small lemon very slowly, mixing well a teaspoonful of minced parsley salt and cayenne to taste. Heap in the shell of half a lemon and serve with the fish.

Supreme of Chicken.

Run through a meat chopper the breast of a large chicken, beat into it, one at a time, three eggs; season well with salt and paprika, a speck of nutmeg and one and one-third cupfuls of thick cream. Place in buttered molds and steam for thirty minutes or until firm. Serve with a white sauce made with chicken stock and cream, adding two beaten egg yolks.

Mock Duck.

An inexpensive dish (or less expensive) of lamb can be made by buying the shoulder instead of the leg. Have the bone removed and make a mock duck of the meat. Cook in a moderate oven, basting occasionally. Serve garnished with parsley.

Scalloped Meat.

Lamb, mutton or chicken make nice scalloped dishes. Chop fine, removing all gristle and bone; season to taste. Have ready as much bread crumbs as meat. Put into a buttered baking dish a layer of meat, then a layer of crumbs, bits of finely minced onion and a few spoonfuls of gravy or stock to moisten. When the dish is full, sprinkle with milk and bake half an hour in a moderate oven. Serve with a plain lettuce salad with boiled or French dressing.

Nellie Maxwell

Bolshevism Is Not New Excepting in the Name

There is nothing new in bolshevism excepting the name, writes Gustavus Myers, in the Review. The essentials of it, he says, were spread broadcast in the United States 90 years ago. Industrial communism, free and easy marriage and divorce, children the property of the state, abolition of religious instruction, etc., were all proposed here during the years 1826-34. The bolshevism of that time, like that of today, became an acute public question with astonishing suddenness, but the approaches were gradual and could be traced to the French revolution and the anti-religious campaign headed by Thomas Paine. Then came Robert Dale Owen, with his gospel of perfect social and industrial equity.

Silk Reeling Discovered in China Year 1700 B. C.

In the garden of Hoang-Ti, emperor of China in 1700 B. C., Si-Ling-Chi, the empress, gathered the cocoons of the silkworm and discovered a way to reel the silk. From this she learned to weave marvelous, shimmering fabrics of silk. For many years the secret of the source of silk was guarded with the death penalty by the emperors of China. However, this mysterious cloth was exported to many countries. And even to this day Si-Ling-Chi is worshiped in China as the "Goddess of the Silkworms."

Fire the Great Destroyer

Fire not only destroys about $300,000,000 worth of property annually in the United States, but 15,000 people are burned to death and 50,000 are injured by fire each year. Most of the victims are women and children.

It is an established fact that most fires are preventable and due to the careless habits of the American people. Europe, by being careful, has an annual per capita fire loss of less than 30 cents. Ours was $2.63 last year.

More than half our fires are in homes. The majority of these occur because of defective furnaces and flues, faulty electric wiring, careless smokers, open lights, thoughtless use of electric appliances, rubbish, careless use of matches, gasoline and kerosene, and other easily avoidable causes.

Therefore the following suggestions are made:

Make sure your heating plant and appurtenances are in safe condition before starting fire for winter. Paper flue-stops court disaster. Place ashes in metal cans, never in wooden receptacles.

Examine electric wiring for worn insulation and defects in installation.

Protect open lights with globes.

Clean up rubbish, especially in basements, attics and back yards, and keep clean.

Use gasoline, if you must use it, only with greatest care and never near a fire. The vapor from one gallon of gasoline has an explosive force equal to 83 pounds of dynamite.

Never fill kerosene lamps while lighted. Never use kerosene to start fires.

Keep matches in metal boxes and away from children. Never discard a match until the last spark is out. Place used matches in metal receptacles. Never throw them on the floor or in waste baskets.

Oil mops and oily rags ignite from spontaneous combustion. Keep them in closed metal receptacles.

Never leave an electric iron, or other electric heating device, even for a minute, without disconnecting at the socket.

Careless smokers cause thousands of fires, costing many lives. Cigaret butts and cigar stubs should be extinguished before being discarded and care should be used in depositing pipe ashes.

Observance of these and other simple precautions will do much to reduce our fire waste. It is the duty of every person to assume a sense of personal responsibility to prevent fires and to be careful at all times and in all places under conditions likely to cause fires.

HINTS FOR THE POULTRY GROWER

Those who have green crops such as wheat, oats, rye and barley for their fowls are fortunate. There will be times during the winter when these crops will do the fowls much good.

But where for any reason no green crops are available oats may be sprouted to provide green feed for the fowls.

A good way to do this is to get a few boxes that may be easily handled. Fill the boxes with garden loam soil and put in the barn, cellar or outhouse where there is ventilation. Moisten the soil and sow oats in these boxes. The seed may be planted very thick, as it will be best to set the box out and let the chickens have access to them as soon as the plants are an inch or more above the ground. Another sowing may then be made in the box.

In this way the fowls may have enough green food to give them a good appetite and keep them in fine health and vigor. It is a very difficult matter to keep hens in good laying condition during the winter without green food. The best way is to sow green crops. If this has not been done, then oats may be sprouted as has been suggested.

WORDS OF WISE MEN

It's the easy job that is hard to get.

Today's decisions may determine your destiny.

It is easy to find remedies for other people's troubles.

A broken friendship may be soldered but will never be sound.

Platonic friendship is like carrying matches in an explosive works.

Our ideals are not worth much if we surrender them at the first attack.

The ignorance that is bliss generally leads to the knowledge that is expensive.

Ingredients Required for Home-Made Apple Butter

Apple butter is generally made with cider, but this can be left out if desired. Four quarts of sterilized sweet cider should be boiled down to two quarts. To this add four quarts of apples peeled and cut into small pieces. If the texture of the apples is coarse they should be boiled and put through a strainer before being added to the cider. Boil this mixture until the cider does not separate from the pulp. When two-thirds done add one pound of sugar. One-half teaspoonful of cinnamon, allspice and cloves may be added. Pour into sterilized jars and steam for five minutes.

First Elephant Shown.

The first elephant ever exhibited in America was shown at Philadelphia in 1796. Grown people were charged a dollar a look and children a quarter.

Wasps Are Wise and Vain; Know All About Aviation; Keen on Air Resistance

Who would be a wasp? The bees get all the credit! But our affection for bees is largely cupboard love, due to the honey they provide us with, and the wasp has virtues which few people trouble to recognize.

Wasps are wise, declares a writer in London Answers. It is doubtful whether any action in a beehive is more sagacious than the action of a wasp when he has killed a bluebottle, and is faced with the problem of carrying him home. He carefully cuts off the legs and wings, leaving the body of its victim quite compact.

Why does he do this? To save weight when flying home with the booty? Not at all. The wasp knows all about aviation, and he gets rid of the legs and wings of the bluebottle to reduce air resistance!

Wasps are strong as well as wise. They can carry a weight equaling 46 bluebottles. They are also more friendly than one imagines, rarely stinging without good cause. But they are vain, for yellow and black are their favorite colors. And, when all is said and done, they are a nuisance!

Students of Flight of Birds Give Gull Title of "Master of the Air"

A student of the flight of birds is inclined to give the title of "master of the air" to the gull, which often follows a ship at sea and lives on the scraps thrown from the galley. No other bird, he says, performs such seemingly impossible feats of flight or looks so completely at home in the air. Sometimes, by the perfect adjustment of their bodies, the gulls will poise on outstretched wings and appear to defy the laws of gravitation by remaining perfectly motionless; or, again, they may be seen moving without a single visible effort, straight against a gale of wind. Their flight is altogether different from that of the Caspian tern, which is as graceful as it is unusual. "Unlike that of any other birds, whether of sea or land," says some one who has watched the terns, "it reminds one a little of the high, apparently uncertain flight of a large-winged butterfly; and it is in perfect harmony with the idea of a being where life is spent amid wind and mist and fluctuating wave."

First Woman School Official.

Probably the first woman in America to hold an elective school office was Emma Willard, the famous educator, who in the early part of her career was elected superintendent of schools in the town of Kensington, Conn.

Wire in the White House.

In the White House there are about 175 miles of electric wire, providing for 3,000 incandescent lights, together with a call bell system and a private telephone system for the use of the executive household.

Migration of Water Fowl.

The migration of several species of water fowl is from west to east instead of north to south.

There Are 246 Bones and 527 Muscles From Tip to Toes of the Human Body

Do you know how many bones you have? Probably not; for we have such little curiosity about ourselves and our composition that we generally know very little beyond what we can see, remarks a writer in London Answers.

You possess 246 bones from tip to toe. They are distributed about you as follows:

Your ears have 6 (3) each. Your head has 8. Your face has 14 and your teeth comprise 32. Your backbone, with its base, has 26 bones and so has the area of your expansive chest.

Your legs and feet have 62, your arms and hands 64.

The grand total is reached by the addition of 8 small movable bones.

There are more muscles in your body than bones. They number 527.

If you are curious for further knowledge regarding your bones you will be interested to know their composition. They include phosphate of lime, carbonate of lime, phosphate of magnesium fluoride of lime, chloride of sodium, cartilage and blood vessels. The next time you say "feel it in your bones," you might remember this!

Scarcity of Coal and to Save Expense Should Be Kept in Mind This Winter

From all reports, coal will be as hard to get this winter as it was last. For this reason, as well as for the reason of cutting down expenses, it should be known in every household how coal may be saved. Following the old adage that "it's never too early to begin," this information may be acquired right now as a sort of stitch in time.

In the first place, keep your stove, flues, pots and pans free from soot. Anything soot covered requires a long time to heat.

If the fireplace in your kitchen is very large, fill it in with firebricks, clay balls or lumps of chalk.

Mix coal dust with clay and sawdust, form into balls, let dry a few days and use for banking up the kitchen fire. Burn coke and coal mixed.

Heat the oven once or twice a week only, not daily. Once it is heated it is just as easy to make three or four cakes or pies as one.

HAVE A LAUGH

It Never Fails.

The Interested Listener.—It was lucky for you the wind sprang up when it did after you had been becalmed so long.

The Ancient Mariner—No luck about it. When I seen the wind wasn't goin' to come of itself I fills my pipe an' takes out my last match an' lights it on my pants, an' up comes the wind an' blows it out an' starts the ship.

Shaking Shakespeare.

"Were you concerned in the actors' strike?"

"No," replied Mr. Stormington Barnes. "What I want is some binding arrangement that will prevent the audience from quitting on me."

Thought and Speech.

"Do you believe that speech was given man to conceal his thoughts?"

"I do, for I've noticed that, as a rule, the talkative man never reveals any thought."

They Made Up.

"Jack gave me a rainbow kiss last night."

"What kind of a kiss is that?"

"One that follows a storm."

Its Advantages.

"A bee is odd in one respect."

"What is that?"

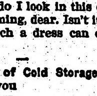
"It is not a fake and yet it is a humbug."

How They Love Each Other.

Ethel—How do I look in this dress?

Marie—Charming, dear. Isn't it wonderful how much a dress can do for one?

Just Out of Cold Storage.



"How do you want your eggs, sir?"

"Soft boiled, and see that I get 'em that way. Those you served me yesterday morning were merely thawed."

No Traveler.

"They do tell as how th' professor chap wot lives atop o' the hill yonder 'ave just wrote a book about Mars."

"Mars? Wot do 'e know about Mars? Why, to my knowledge, 'e ain't bin out of his neighborhood for seven years."

Fool-Killer.

Small Bobby—What is a fool-killer, father?

Father (ex-soldier)—The gun he blows into, son.

Daily Optimistic Thought.

They are deceived that look for any reward from treason.

SAFETY FIRST— 5,000 LIVES SAVED

U·S·BUREAU·OF·MINES

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EQUIPPED FOR RESCUE

RESCUE PARTY WITH BUREAU APPARATUS

THE new laboratories of the interior department's bureau of mines at Pittsburgh, costing more than a million dollars, were dedicated recently with appropriate ceremonies in which the mining and metallurgical industries of the country took part. The program of three days was arranged by the bureau of mines in co-operation with the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce.

One of the biggest features of these ceremonies was the nation-wide first-aid and mine-rescue contest held during the last two days. About 100 teams from the coal and metal mining companies throughout the country entered the lists. The last day there was a holiday for the miners of the Pittsburgh district and thousands witnessed the awarding of the prizes to the winners.

In addition to the usual prizes for these contests, the Joseph A. Holmes Safety association, an organization created in 1916 in honor of the memory of the first director for the purpose of giving recognition to persons who had performed meritorious and heroic deeds in the saving of human life in the mining and metallurgical industry, or who had developed some safety appliance to further the saving of life in those industries, made its first awards. Dr. Van H. Manning, president of the association, announced the list of recipients of diplomas and medals and recited the deeds for which they were presented. The committee on awards had recommended that 12 gold medals be awarded, all for heroic deeds performed by miners in coal and metal mines in efforts to save the lives of fellow workmen.

Speaking of the accident conditions generally in the mining industries and of the outlook, Dr. Van H. Manning, director of the bureau of mines, says:

"I am often asked, 'What has the bureau of mines accomplished in saving of human life in the mines?' It is difficult to say, as there are so many varying factors involved. I may say, however, that if you consider the prevailing average death rate in the mines for a period of years before the federal government took up this work and compare it with the average fatality rate since the bureau was created, you will find that 5,000 less miners have been killed. In other words, had the old fatality rate been maintained through the last few years 5,000 more men would have lost their lives. It must also be remembered that the situation was gradually becoming worse, and who knows that there might not have been 7,000 or 8,000 lives lost? We also have to take into consideration that, thanks to the many improvements in life-saving methods and the greater understandings of the causes of accidents, this saving of 5,000 human beings will be increased as the years roll on until we can show several times 5,000 lives saved.

"It is indeed a glorious record of human progress. Five thousand lives saved! Perhaps 2,000 less widows! At least 3,000 children who still have fathers. Take away all the other manifold duties of the bureau of mines and this one accomplishment is worthy of all its costs to the government since its establishment and for years to come.

"I do not mean that the bureau of mines deserves all the credit. It was, however, the agency that picked up the isolated, sporadic efforts of a few well-meaning men and companies and welded them into a great national movement for greater safety in the mines. It at once gained the co-operation of the miners, the mine operators, the state mine inspectors and others, and without these the bureau of mines would have been almost helpless.

"It was in 1911 that the bureau held under its auspices a great national first-aid and mine-rescue meet at Pittsburgh, which was attended by 22,000 miners. The slogan of that meet was 'safety first,' and that was the time that the slogan, since internationally famous, first became a national battle cry for this humanitarian movement. Not only was 'safety first' immediately adopted by the mining companies, but it was also taken up by the railroads and by industrial plants of the country. Safety organizations appeared everywhere. Determined campaigns were fought to reduce the number of deaths and injuries. In quite a number of mills and factories and railroads there was a reduction in the fatalities of more than 50 per cent. Further improvement was slower, but the original gains were made and added to.

"Just how many thousands of lives were saved may never be known, for there are no statistics that adequately cover industrial accidents, but we do know that the bureau of mines and its associated agencies started a movement that not only spread throughout the entire United States, but it also reached the other countries of the world with an equally good effect. And it all started with the modest mine safety meet we held in Pittsburgh in 1911.

"Since that time the bureau has gone its way, improving its methods, interesting the miner in his own safety and that of his fellow man; doing what it could to point out to the owners of the mines the dangerous places that could be avoided and making recommendations as the result of its experiments looking toward still greater safety.

"Today the bureau of mines maintains in every mining field of the country a mine rescue car, fully equipped with modern life-saving apparatus, that responds to disasters and assists in the rescue work. In the meanwhile it visits the mines in its district and gives the miners training in both mine rescue and first aid to the injured. As a result there are several thousand miners throughout the country who are expert in the use of the oxygen mine rescue apparatus and who are familiar with the most modern methods of life saving. Besides, more than 50,000 miners understand first-aid-to-the-injured work as well as a regular hospital corps. All of these men have been trained by the bureau of mines.

"Happily, great mine disasters have been becoming fewer and fewer as the men come to a better understanding of the causes. Nevertheless they do happen, and one thing that the bureau has preached is that upon such a visitation there shall be a more orderly and systematic method of rescue work, for it has been demonstrated that life can be saved in devious ways. The bureau has endeavored to tell the miners that in a great catastrophe it is often better for entombed miners to barricade themselves in, keeping the poisonous gases out of their working place and waiting for relief. In this manner 42 men entombed in a mine for four days were recently rescued, the men even being able to walk out of the mine.

"We are not content to rest on the progress made. There are now more than a million miners in the United States, and each year more than 3,000 are killed in accidents and a quarter of a million injured. Taking the cold, business calculation of the state compensation commissions and eliminating the suffering and sorrow of 3,000 killed each year, the economic loss from these fatalities alone is $12,000,000 a year, for these commissions are paying an average of $4,000 for every life lost. This is a terrible toll for one industry to pay each year. It is hard for us to realize that out of every mining camp of 1,000 men, three of them are sure to lose their lives within 12 months.

"Mining will always be an extra hazardous business. But the question is, 'Have we reached the irreducible minimum?' No, I think not. It is my belief that we can cut down the present fatality rates full one-half; that we can save each 1,500 of the 3,000 killed.

"The causes of these fatal accidents are much better known. Operators and miners are giving much more thought to the dangers of the mines, and the wide-awake among them have installed more modern safety devices. Through the experimental mine of the bureau mining men and miners both have a keener understanding of the dangers of coal dust and have learned how to combat them.

"In the mining industry a human life is much more valuable than ever before, and I believe that can be said of all the industries. This is seen in the great advances in safety work, the millions of dollars spent in safety devices and the humanitarian work of the different state compensation commissions. The day of the ambulance chaser and those ghouls that preyed upon the widow beset with grief over the loss of her husband have happily passed away. The state now steps in and sees that the widow and the orphan are protected, and that alone is worth all the fight that we have endeavored to make. I do not say that the bureau of mines is responsible for these state compensations, but I do know that these commissions came after the mining industry started its great human-saving drive and that the disclosures of the conditions in mining furnished the states with facts that favored the establishment of these commissions.

"Cut the mine fatalities in half."

The dedication ceremonies brought to Pittsburgh for the three days the most prominent mining and metallurgical men of the nation, not alone those interested in the safety-first movement, but also those connected with the allied industries that use the products of the mines.

The bureau of mines, in co-operation with the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce, arranged an elaborate program of events calling for the presence of high government and state government officials besides the leading men of mining throught the country. The first morning the new laboratories at 4800 Forbes street were dedicated, Dr. Van H. Manning, director of the bureau, presiding.

After invocation by Dr. S. B. McCormick, chancellor of the University of Pittsburgh, there was an address of welcome by E. V. Babcock, mayor of Pittsburgh. Responses were made by Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior; Horace B. Winchell, president of the American Institute of Mining and Electrical Engineers; John L. Lewis, acting president of the United Mine Workers of America, and William C. Sproul, governor of Pennsylvania. The formal ceremony of handing over the keys of the building by Secretary Lane to Director Manning followed.

After luncheon at the bureau of mines buildings the guests boarded special trains to the experimental mine of the bureau of mines at Bruceton, Pa., 14 miles from Pittsburgh. Upon arrival there a prearranged explosion of coal dust took place in the experimental mine as a demonstration to the visitors, and after that there was an inspection of the mine and the explosives-testing plant, the guests returning to the city at 6 o'clock in the evening. At 8 o'clock there was a general meeting at Carnegie Music hall under the auspices of the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce, with an address by Secretary Lane and an organ recital by Dr. Charles Heinroth. A moving picture prepared by the National Coal association, "The Story of Coal," was given a first presentation.

The second day the new laboratories were open for inspection by the guests the entire day, and at 2 o'clock the elimination contests in the National Safety First-Aid and Mine-Rescue meet were held at Forbes field; also the awarding of the state championships. At 5 o'clock, at Forbes field, there was a demonstration of the explosibility of coal dust and at 8 o'clock the chamber of commerce presented a pageant typifying the spirit of the mining industry, with music by the band of the Carnegie Institute of Technology.

The third day at 9 a. m. there was a final mine-rescue contest by the ten successful teams of the previous day at Forbes field, with a presentation of the national cups and prizes. At 2 p. m. announcement of the J. A. Holmes Safety association was made by Dr. Van H. Manning. At 2:30 o'clock the final first-aid contest, participated in by the 20 best teams of the previous day, was held. At 5 o'clock there was a demonstration of a coal-dust explosion at Forbes field, the events closing with a smoker at the chamber of commerce in which prizes were awarded and speeches made.

The honorary committee in charge of the dedication of the Pittsburgh station included: George S. Oliver, president Pittsburgh chamber of commerce; John F. Herron, president city council of Pittsburgh; Harry N. Taylor, president National Coal Operators' association; John L. Lewis, acting president United Mine Workers of America; Horace B. Winchell, president American Institute of Mining and Electrical Engineers; Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior; Dr. Van H. Manning, director bureau of mines; Dr. S. B. McCormick, chancellor University of Pittsburgh; Dr. Arthur A. Hammerschlag, president Carnegie Institute of Technology; Dr. S. W. Stratton, director bureau of standards; Dr. R. F. Bacon, director Mellon institute; Seward E. Button, chief department of mines, state of Pennsylvania; Dr. D. Van Schaack, president of the National Safety council; T. A. O'Donnel, president American Petroleum institute; Mortimer E. Cooley, president American Society of Mechanical Engineers; Fayette S. Curtis, president American society of Civil Engineers; J. A. Capp, president American Society of Testing Materials; Dr. William H. Nichols, president American Chemical society; Calvert Townley, president American Society Electrical Engineers; G. H. Neilson, president Engineers' Society of Western Pennsylvania; Dr. W. D. Bancroft, president American Electro-Chemical society; R. T. Stull, president American Ceramics' society; E. N. Zern, president Coal Mining Institute of America; James A. Angell, chairman National Research council.

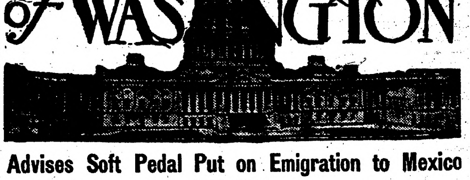
Home Helpfulness.

"I am tempted," said Mr. Meekton, "to give Henrietta a moving picture machine for Christmas."

"Is she to lecture?"

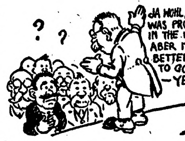
"Not in public. But I had an idea that maybe some of those long talks she has given me would be more interesting if they were illustrated."

NEWS and GOSSIP of WASHINGTON



Advises Soft Pedal Put on Emigration to Mexico

WASHINGTON.—Count von Eckardt, whose activities as German minister to Mexico during the war were credited as responsible for the strong pro-German sentiment in the southern republic, warns his fellow countrymen against emigrating to Argentina and Mexico until they are certain that conditions there are favorable for them, according to one of his recent lectures, a copy of which has just been received in Washington from Germany, Minister von Eckardt asserts: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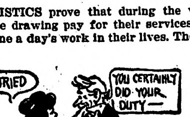
JA WOHL, MEXICO WAS PRO-GERMAN IN THE WAR— ABER IT IS BETTER NOT TO GO THERE —YET—

"The country is still pro-German today and the sympathies for Germany will not be killed. What advantages we may derive from this predilection depend wholly upon our ability to inculcate into the Mexican people German culture and upon our keeping up the reputation we have gained for capability and trustworthiness.

"We must send only capable men of character, knowledge and energy to Mexico, where they may do honor to the name of Germany and Hamburg. Then we will be able not only to get our old connections back, but also to see them grow and expand."

15,000,000 Women Drew Pay for Labor During War

STATISTICS prove that during the war nearly 15,000,000 women actually were drawing pay for their services. More than a million of them never had done a day's work in their lives. The volunteers would add another million.


WE TRIED
YOU CERTAINLY DID YOUR DUTY—
15,000,000 WOMEN WORKED TO WIN WAR

In the Liberty Loan campaigns alone 700,000 women acted as volunteers. There was a similar number in the United War drive. For the Red Cross the total must have been millions, for in this organization women who worked all day or who kept house all day, and who had an hour "to spare," would devote that hour to surgical dressings, classes, refugee work or ministering to the wants of those whose homes had been hit by the influenza epidemic. Then, too, stenographers, clerks and girls in office buildings would, at the close of the business day, offer their services, gratis, to the draft boards or any of the other countless bureaus organized for the speedy termination of the war.

In actual figures the women whose services brought monetary remuneration were listed as follows:

Mechanical and manufacturing	2,000,000	Professional	70,000
Agriculture	2,000,000	Clerical	700,000
Transportation	200,000	Domestic and personal service	2,500,000
Merchandise	600,000	Unclassified	6,750,000
Public service	50,000	Total	14,870,000

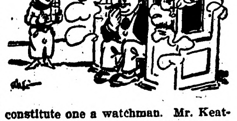
Those employed in the actual winning of the war or in positions listed as necessary for the winning of the war included:

Munitions	100,000	Making shoes	95,000
Canneries	80,000	General equipment	600,000
Food, spice, drug, tobacco and similar factories	125,000	Shipyard and foundry employees (the latter made bolts and rivets, ran drill presses and worked in machine shops)	100,000
Textiles	275,000	Total	1,717,000
Clothing factories	212,000		
Hosiery and knit goods	130,000		

This figure represents only the women who already were mill-trained and does not include those who left other occupations to assist in war work, nor does it include those who had had no previous experience in work of any kind.

Keating Not a Watchman—Just Wanted to Smoke

PERSONS who came along by Four and One-Half street and Missouri avenue one morning recently were mystified to see Edward Keating, secretary of the congressional commission on reclassification of salaries in the District, sitting in the watchman's guardhouse puffing at a cigar.



"Keating must have a new job," said one passer-by to another. "What a distinguished-looking watchman," said one woman who did not know that the "watchman" was Secretary Keating of the big commission that is hard at work on the job of making new salary schedules for 106,000 federal employees in the national capital.

But Keating neither had a new job nor was a watchman of any kind. To sit in the watchman's box does not constitute one a watchman. Mr. Keating has viewed life from the halls of congress, and from his office in the reclassification commission headquarters, so life from the watchman's little guardhouse offered no particular novelty.

But what was Secretary Keating doing in the guardhouse smoking a long, black cigar?

The whole truth of the matter was simply this: If Secretary Keating wanted to smoke at all, while at work at his office, he had to go outdoors to do it. There is a big sign on the stairway that reads: "Smoking strictly prohibited in this building." The order is signed by General Menoher, and it goes.

That is why, when Edward Keating, secretary of the reclassification commission, takes a notion to smoke one of his long, black cigars, he has to go outside the building to do it.

Baby's "Bye-Bye" Melted Heart of Cold Janitor

DICKENS would not recognize him, but his name is Samuel Weller. He is very tall, and very black, and holds down the job of janitor of one of Washington's apartment houses. Just which one it is not necessary at all to state.

BYE-BYE
BYE-BYE

But Samuel Weller was not always a good janitor. He is a "changed man." What has wrought the great change is not necessary to mention, but changed he is. It may have been the prohibition law. Certainly a baby of one of the tenants of the building has played a part in the metamorphosis of Samuel Weller.

When Sam came to that apartment, it is said, he didn't like his job worth a cent. He was sullen, and didn't wash off the front sidewalk, never cut the grass, didn't give a whoop if the hall was never cleaned or not, and just generally showed that janitoring wasn't his trade.

Many a night the tenants saw him come reeling home through the snow. They hoped he wouldn't set the house afire, and he didn't, but that was more through the help of neighbors than anything else. Several times they rushed in to rescue the janitor's dinner at it went up in smoke where he had left it on the stove.

Now there was a little baby in that apartment, a little girl who was just learning to say "bye-bye." She spent most of her time last summer on the porch of her apartment, and there, every day, she saw the janitor go up and down the fire escape with the trash.

"Bye-bye," she would call to Samuel.

For a long time Samuel Weller paid no attention, but went about his business. But the baby was no whit nonplused.

One morning Samuel Weller thawed out, and returned a sullen "bye-bye" in answer to the baby. Now the grass in the yard is cut. The front pavement is washed every morning, and the halls and steps are cleaned regularly. Samuel Weller is a real janitor. Dickens wouldn't know him, but he would be worthy of Dickens.

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FIVE MILLION PEOPLE USED IT LAST YEAR

HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture.

At All Drug Stores

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Caused by

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That bitter heartburn, belching, food-repeating, indigestion, bloat after eating—all are caused by acid-stomach. But they are only first symptoms—danger signals to warn you of awful troubles if not stopped. Headache, biliousness, rheumatism, sciatica, that tired, listless feeling, lack of energy, dizziness, insomnia, even cancer and ulcers of the intestines and many other ailments are traceable to ACID-STOMACH.

Thousands—yes, millions—of people who ought to be well and strong are mere weaklings because of acid-stomach. They really starve in the midst of plenty because they do not get enough strength and vitality from the food they eat.

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Our best testimonial is what EATONIC will do for you. So get a big 50c box of EATONIC today from your druggist, use it five days—if you're not pleased, return it and get your money back.

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FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

Travelers Will Find a Warm Welcome at the

Hotel West

MINNEAPOLIS

Sensible Prices—Service Our Watchword

The Meanest.

Two small boys were discussing the various excellencies of their respective parents and their conversation had reached a highly critical and even personal stage.

"Well," remarked Tommy Stubbs, "you can say what you like, but I reckon your father's about the meanest man that ever lived. Fancy him lettin' you walk about in them old shoes, and him a shoemaker, too!"

"Is that so!" snorted Bobby Roberts. "My father ain't near so mean as yours, anyway. Why, just think of him being a dentist and your baby only got one tooth!"

To Have a Clear Sweet Skin.

Touch pimples, redness, roughness or itching, if any, with Cuticura Ointment, then bathe with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Rinse, dry gently and dust on a little Cuticura Talcum to leave a fascinating fragrance on skin. Everywhere 25c each.—Adv.

Still So Skeptical?

"The airplane's dash across the Atlantic is the wonder of today," observes a contemporary.

It is even more than that. It is the wonder of each day.

Did it ever occur to you that nearly all fireproof buildings are insured?

WHEN THE DAY IS OVER

When the household cares and the worries of every-day life have dragged you down, made you unhappy, and there is nothing in life but headache, backache and worry, turn to the right prescription, one gotten up by Dr. Pierce fifty years ago, called Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

A Prominent Minnesota Woman

St. Paul, Minn.—"I used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription to help me during expectancy and can say that it is all that is claimed for it. I also took Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets at the same time and think they are a splendid purgative. I have four children and we are all in perfect health. Dr. Pierce's book, 'The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser,' has been a great help to me in bringing up my family. I gladly recommend Dr. Pierce's remedies to those who need them."—Mrs. A. J. Allen, 343 Walnut St.

Doctor Said She Would Not Live

Fort Dodge, Iowa.—"At one time my daughter was very nervous and run-down in health. The doctor said she would not live a year. Before she had finished taking a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription her health was fully restored.

"My mother took the 'Prescription' about twenty-five years ago for general weakness and she was cured. I always recommend it."—Mrs. Mohler, 520 20th Street.

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Removes Dandruff-Stops Hair Falling

Restores Color and Beauty to Gray and Faded Hair

60c. and $1.00 at druggists.

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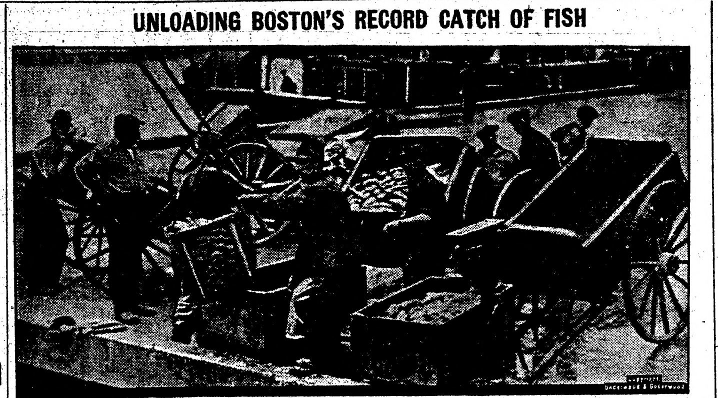
HINDERCORNS Removes Corns, Callouses, etc., stops all pain, ensures comfort to the feet, makes walking easy. 15c. by mail or at Druggists. Hiscox Chemical Works, Patchogue, N. Y.

UNLOADING BOSTON'S RECORD CATCH OF FISH



Fishermen unloading fish at Boston on the day when 2,000,000 pounds were caught, the biggest catch in years. It swamped the market and prices went way down.

Bag Many Wild Animals in West

Government Inspectors Kill Coyotes, Wolves, Lynxes and Mountain Lions.

HUNTERS ELIMINATE PESTS

Stockmen Are Delighted With Reductions Made in Wild Animal Plague in the Last Three Years—Cause of Heavy Losses.

Washington, D. C.—Wild, predatory animals in the West have had a hard time this summer. Government hunters reporting to the bureau of biological survey tell of great slaughter of the animals and some incidents where it almost was the other way round. Uncle Sam's bag of coyotes, wolves, mountain lions and lynxes cannot be counted yet, but enough data has come to hand to show that it will be a big one.

One of the most interesting narratives of this exciting business comes from E. F. Pope, an inspector of the service stationed in New Mexico. To give encouragement and assistance to the hunters located on ranches where their work is most needed, Mr. Pope has traveled two thousand miles in that state.

Stockmen Are Pleased.

"Almost everywhere," he writes, "I found stockmen delighted with reductions made in the wild animal plague in the last three years. They say that from an economic standpoint it is one of the most far reaching and sensible undertakings the government has yet attempted. Among the stockmen are the Fullerton brothers, who have extensive sheep ranges on the St. Augustine plains west of Magdalena. Ever since they started they have suffered heavy animal losses from depredations of coyotes and wildcats, especially during the lambing season.

"Last winter one of our hunters was assigned to these ranges. He was handicapped by heavy snows and bad weather, but he got so many of the brutes that he virtually eliminated the pests from this section. A new hunter was assigned to the infested ranch of Edward Otero not far away. While waiting for him I set a line of twelve traps and distributed two hundred poison baits. My catch was five old coyotes, one of which was killed with a rifle at long range. A few days after his arrival the new hunter got two more coyotes and a brace of wildcats in the vicinity. For some time before that from three to six lambs had been lost every night. In ten days the hunter could find no more of the animals and moved to a neighboring ranch.

Old Ones Are Wary.

"There are many instances where the younger and less shy coyotes and cats have been taken during the winter by fur hunters, leaving the older and more wary animals alive. These do the killing and keep the ranches paying toll to their kind. I have notes in my field diary describing the work of the old coyote which I have mentioned as having been killed with the rifle. This fellow bore evidence of having been previously caught in a trap from which he got away. Thinking to escape again he made the effort resulting in his death. It often requires more time and effort to destroy this sort of coyote than it takes to get the younger ones, but the value of the results obtained is very much greater."

Mr. Pope says settlers find it hard to build up large herds or flocks under the constant onslaughts of beasts of prey. The elimination of the pests is giving them encouragement and increasing their sheep and cattle. Game animals with the passing of their enemies also are getting more numerous. "We have records," says Mr. Pope, "of antelope being constantly seen in timbered sections from which wolves, lions and cats have been eradicated, the deer, no doubt, having become aware that their dread foes no longer are there to spring upon them from cover. It is my own observation that wild game in some sections of the state is increasing under protective measures now being taken."

Bulldog Bites Nose of Gallant Barber

San Francisco, Cal.—Samuel L. Jones, barber, had his nose bitten by a bulldog that was taken to the shop for a haircut by Miss Grace Stanley.

When Jones tried to unfasten a wrist watch from the dog's front leg, the animal, a prize winning canine of the Boston variety, objected.

Apparently the dog did not understand that Jones desired to remove the wrist watch in order to get better play for his clippers.

Jones declined to get treatment for his injury at a hospital. Instead, he went home and called a private physician.

Jones, who is an ex-veterinarian, wants it understood that he doesn't make a practice of cutting dog's hair. In the present instance he was going out of his way for the pretty owner of the dog.

HEADS WOMEN DEMOCRATS

Underwood & Underwood

Mrs. George Bass of Chicago, former president of the Chicago Women's club, has been given the highest position offered by the Democratic party to the women of the country. She is chairman of the women's national committee of the Democratic party.

Officer Explains Red Cross Sales

Only Perishable, Second Hand and Surplus Stock Being Disposed of.

WORKING IN 17 COUNTRIES

Shipment of Further Relief Material From the United States to Europe Continues in a Large Way—One-Third to France.

Paris.—Because many inaccurate reports of large sales of American Red Cross merchandise have appeared in the last few weeks, Red Cross headquarters in Paris has issued a statement explaining that the only materials which have been sold are certain perishables, second hand equipment, surplus stocks and articles which can no longer be used for direct relief work, either in France or in Eastern Europe.

The total sales of surplus and second hand material by the American Red Cross in Europe will aggregate not more than 30,000,000 francs, says the Red Cross, while the value of the relief material distributed in Europe during July and August alone amounted to more than 100,000,000 francs.

Work in 17 Countries.

The American Red Cross is now conducting operations in seventeen European countries. The relief material distributed in France, mainly in the devastated districts, since the armistice, is valued at more than 125,000,000 francs, while in the same period other European countries have received more than 20,000,000 francs of similar supplies, including not only medical and surgical material, but also clothing, food, barracks, etc.

Such sales as have been authorized in France have been conducted through the American Red Cross liquidation board. The official statement says regarding this material:

"Unexpectedly heavy expenses of work in Poland and the Balkan states, and the beginnings of new relief activities in western and southern Russia made it advisable to turn these stocks into cash to assist the relief programs, as well as to save certain of the accumulated stocks from total loss.

Supplies Still Come.

"Of all the relief material in the American Red Cross warehouses on May 1, one-third was set aside for distribution in the devastated districts of France. The distribution of this material is still continuing, and will continue for months to come, while the shipments of relief material to the commissions in eastern Europe are on a constantly increasing scale, and will continue for many months.

"In the meantime the shipment of further relief material from the United States continues in a large way, and we have recently received notice from America of the early shipment of supplies valued at 40,000,000 francs."

BLACK HAWK IS IN MUSEUM

Bones of Famous Indian Chief Are Placed in Glass Case in the Deseret Museum in Utah.

Salt Lake City.—The bones of Chief Black Hawk, who played havoc with settlers in Utah in the early 60's, now rest peacefully in the Deseret Museum in the Mormon temple grounds.

The skeleton was brought from an Indian burial ground near Spring Lake Villa, Utah county, this state, and with all accouterments of Indian burial, now reposes in a glass case.

From veterans of raids made by Black Hawk's bands, it is declared the Black Hawk wars of Utah began in 1864, when a small band of Indians suffered an epidemic of smallpox and blamed the white settlers for it.

Blind Peddler Weds Widow.

Litchfield, England.—A widow of 80 and a blind peddler aged 50 were married here. Both parties were assisted up the steps of the registry office. The bridegroom apologized for the bride's infirmity, remarking that she was not so nimble as she used to be.

Curtailed.

"It is possible to have too much of a good thing," remarked the Parlor Philosopher.

"Yes," agreed the mere man, "the dog with the shortest tail runs the least danger of having tin cans tied to it."—Life.

Good Job of Painting.

"What do you think of her complexion?" "I think she puts it on remarkably well."

As Usual.

First Farmer—How do you find your new hired man, Ezry?

Second Farmer—I look in the shade of the tree nearest his work.—Buffalo Express.

There is no effect without a cause—except when a woman changes her mind.

Girls like compliments—also ice cream and oysters.

Save the Babies

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save many of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. There can be no danger in the use of Castoria if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher as it contains no opiates or narcotics of any kind.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Danger.

"Who are the plain people, anyhow?"

"Well, I don't apply the term to the lady voters."

Keep thy tongue and keep thy friends.

The less a man says the more he means it.

IT'S NOT YOUR HEART; IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is no respecter of persons. A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced back to the kidney trouble.

The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They are the filterers of your blood. If the poisons which are swept from the tissues by the blood are not eliminated through the kidneys, disease of one form or another will claim you as a victim.

Kidney disease is usually indicated by weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago.

All these derangements are nature's signals that the kidneys need help. You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The soothing, healing oil stimulates the kidneys, relieves inflammation and destroys the germs which have caused it. Go to your druggist today and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In twenty-four hours you should feel health and vigor returning.

After you feel somewhat improved continue to take one or two capsules each day, so as to keep the first-class condition and ward off the danger of other attacks.

Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand. Three sizes. Money refunded if they do not help you.

PRIZED RELICS OF THE MAGI

Cologne Cathedral Said to Contain the Skulls of the Three "Wise Men of the East."

A British army chaplain celebrated mass recently in the great Cologne cathedral at the altar of the relics of the Magi, the skulls of the three wise men who came from the East to visit the newly born Savior at Bethlehem.

Tradition says that the Empress Helene procured the bones and took them to Constantinople, whence they were removed to Milan. In 1164 they were presented by Frederick Barbarossa to Archbishop Reinald von Dassel, who brought them to Cologne. At first they were kept in the chapel of the Magi, the central chapel of the seven flanking the choir, but since the war they have been put away in the cathedral treasury, near the organ.

The bones are kept in a golden reliquary, a costly specimen of Romanesque craftsmanship in the form of a basilica, said to have been made about 1200 A. D. In the Cologne coat-of-arms three crowns are represented, the ownership of the Magi relics having suggested the design.

Catty.

Mildred—I think I'll have my beauty nap now.

Maud—Well, take a good, long sleep, dear.

Then Pick Away.

Profiteer—"What makes you work so hard?" The Common One—"Sure, an' I'm too nervous to steal, sir."

We shall do well to reflect that being sure is not always the same as being right.

KNEW NONE MORE QUALIFIED

Clemenceau's Explanation of Appointment of Colleague Shows "Tiger" Can Be Bitter.

During his first presidency of the council, as today, M. Clemenceau was frequently reproached for the inefficiency of certain of his collaborators and, as today, he got out of it by making jests at their expense, says Le Chi de Paris. In 1906 Charles Benoist happened to hear "the Tiger" expressing himself rather strongly to one of his ministers. Mr. Benoist was astonished at the premier's severity, and said as much.

"But," exclaimed Clemenceau, "he's a fool."

"So much the worse for you; it's your fault."

"What; my fault that he's a fool?"

"No; but your fault that he is a minister. By the way, how did you happen to choose him?"

Clemenceau hesitated a moment, looken Benoist straight in the eye and suddenly shot at him in a triumphant voice:

"Do you happen to know one that's more stupid?"

Made Easy Work of It.

"Are you children in bed?" mother called from below.

"Yes, mother."

"Well, I must say it didn't take you long to say your prayers."

"We divided them up and each took a section and said them all at once."

Much charity ends with the bestowal of a sympathetic smile.

A clean cellar is cheaper than doctor's bills.

The Charming Flavor of POSTUM CEREAL

has made this pure, healthful table-drink the favorite with thousands.

To make it *Right*, boil 15 minutes after boiling begins. Add cream and sugar as desired. The flavor resembles a high-grade coffee, but it contains no caffeine, and is free from coffee harm.

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Why be miserable with a "bad back?" It's time you found out what is wrong! Kidney weakness often causes much suffering from backache, lameness, rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness and kidney irregularities. Neglected, it may lead to dropsy, gravel or Bright's disease, but if taken in time it is usually easily corrected by using *Doan's Kidney Pills*. *Doan's* have helped thousands.

A North Dakota Case

Mrs. Henry Sweep, 15 S. Third St., Wahpeton, N. D., says: "About a year ago I began to suffer from kidney trouble. I had sharp pains through the small of my back which changed to a dull, nagging ache. If I swept the floor or exerted in any way I had to sit down and rest. Dull, aching pains would come over me as soon as I got up. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I found the results excellent, so kept on using them until I was cured."

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Cuticura Soap

All druggists: Soap 25, Ointment 25 & 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

The Right Prescription.

Patron—Can you tell me what ails my wife?

Doctor—She does not take enough outdoor exercise.

"She does not feel like it."

"True; she needs toning up."

"What would you prescribe?"

"A new hat."

Many a man who is sure he is right is unable to go ahead.

HOW TO GET RID OF YOUR COLD

The quick way is to use Dr. King's New Discovery

DON'T put off until tonight what you can do today. Step into your druggist's and buy a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery. Start taking it at once. By the time you reach home you'll be on the way to recovery.

This standard family friend has been breaking colds, coughs, grippe attacks, and croup for more than fifty years. It's used wherever sure-fire relief is appreciated. Children and grownups alike can use it—there is no disagreeable after-effect. Your druggist has it. 60c. and $1.20 bottles.

Bowels Begging for Help

Torpid liver pleading for assistance? How careless to neglect these things when Dr. King's New Life Pills so promptly, mildly, yet effectively come to their relief!

Leaving the system uncleaned, clogged bowels unmoved, results in health-destructive after-effects. Let stimulating, tonic-in-action Dr. King's New Life Pills bring you the happiness of regular, normal bowels and liver functioning. Keep feeling fit, doing the work of a man or woman who finds relish in it. All druggists—25c.

SATISFYING RELIEF FROM LUMBAGO

Sloan's Liniment has the punch that relieves rheumatic twinges

This warmth-giving, congestion scattering circulation-stimulating remedy *penetrates without rubbing* right to the aching spot and brings quick relief, surely, cleanly. A wonderful help for external pains, sprains, strains, stiffness, headaches, lumbago, bruises.

Get your bottle today—costs little, means much. Ask your druggist for it *by name*. Keep it handy for the whole family. The big bottle is economy. 35c, 70c, $1.40.

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Get on our mailing list for quotations on cotton seed cake, peanut cake, cotton seed, and peanut meal. We have best prices. We handle the volume. Both nut and pea size, ready for shipment. Write today. BAGBY BROS. CO., San Francisco, Cal.; Ft. Worth, Tex.; Seattle, Wash.

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PISO'S

STATE BREVITIES

Wadena.—At the recent election, Wadena's schools became an independent system. This year opens with a new school board, and practically new faculty.

Aitkin.—Aitkin county has received a huge gravel grader or sifter which will be used at the Barker gravel pits, which were recently purchased in the interests of the good roads campaign.

St. Cloud.—John Gamades, defendant in a $15,000 damage suit brought against him by Allen Redman, has been proven innocent of the charge of assault brought against him by the plaintiff.

Bemidji.—County Auditor A. D. Johnson has advertised for a superintendent for the new county infirmary, now in the course of construction on the county farm, just east of Lake Bemidji.

Wahkon.—A channel has been blasted between Mulvey's island and the mainland of Mille Lacs lake to enable boats to pass from one side of the bay to the other without making a long detour.

Thief River Falls.—A $6,000 addition to the mechanical building to promote a general mechanics' course in the Thief River Falls high school was decided upon by the school board, and work has begun.

Fairmont.—W. H. Colton of Fairmont has lost twenty-two head of hogs by what he calls "hog flu." This is a new and strange disease that acts a good deal like hog cholera. He has only three head left, and these are sick.

Brainerd.—Virgel Gibford, 17, was killed at the roundhouse of the Northern Pacific Railway shops, as an engine entered the roundhouse. Gibford's head was caught and crushed between the edge of the cab of the locomotive and the roundhouse door, death being instantaneous.

Aitkin.—As Nina Voll, 10, was going home from school recently, a boy struck her across the face with some heavy grasses which cut the eyelid and left a scar on the eyeball. She was blinded for a time but given prompt medical attention and the doctors hope by giving the eye complete rest the sight may be completely restored.

St. Cloud.—Elmer Neslund, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Neslund, near Foley, Benton county, was shot and killed by a brother shooting with a .22-caliber rifle in target practice. Elmer was plowing twenty rods from the place of shooting and when luncheon was brought out to him his body was found with a bullet hole in the back of his head.

Bemidji.—St. Paul advices are that Bemidji is being given serious consideration as a location for a company of infantry in the Minnesota National Guard. It is stated that Eveleth had contemplated a company and armory of the National Guard but had neglected to take advantage of the fact and that Bemidji was next in line for the honor.

Crookston.—Between 700 and 800 teachers are expected to attend the convention to be held here the last three days of this month, when the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association will hold its annual meeting. The association comprises the northwestern counties of the state, and considerable importance is attached to the convention this year, as no session was held in 1918.

Virginia.—Between fizzes as it were, G. W. Little, late of Minneapolis, in charge of the soda fountain in a local establishment, cast loving eyes towards Miss Sophie Birksey, who hands out cigars and cigarettes in the same place. His glances were reciprocated. The romance gained daily and they were "quietly" married hoping to keep it a secret, but like all secrets, it just leaked out and now they are being congratulated.

East Grand Forks.—Much local interest is shown over the prospective sale of pure bred stock, which will include pure bred animals from the herds of prominent stockmen of East Grand Forks and the surrounding district. The Western Polk County Breeders' association, which consists of about 100 of the owners of farms tributary to East Grand Forks, will arrange for this sale of pure bred cattle, horses, sheep and hogs, the latter part of November.

St. Paul.—Colonies for tuberculosis victims are advocated as one of the most practical means of fighting that disease, by Ernest J. Henryson, special representative of the Permanent Inter-Allied Committee, who recently completed a rehabilitation survey in Europe and the United States. Mr. Henryson is a Minnesotan and the urges the establishment of such colonies in this state, where 2,430 persons died from tuberculosis last year. He is to tour the state for the Minnesota Public Health Association, to assist counties in organizing for the annual Red Cross Christmas Seal Sale. Minnesota is to raise a $250,000 fund with which to fight tuberculosis and other diseases.

Minneapolis.—In a warning to druggists to mark plainly on containers the serious effects of drinking denatured alcohol, the Department of Internal Revenue reveals the fact that many chronic drinkers have died from the effects of drinking the deadly poison.

St. Paul.—The charter application of the People's State bank of Staples was approved by the state Securities commission. Otto Bremer, St. Paul, banker, and Richard N. Gardner and others of Staples are among principal stockholders. The new bank will open in the near future.

GOVERNOR PROCLAIMS NOV. 11 HOLIDAY

Governor Burnquist's proclamation setting November 11 as Armistice Day, is as follows:

"In accordance with an announcement at the time of the reception to the One Hundred and Fifty-first field artillery, and pursuant to a telegram to the American Legion on September 1, I desire to proclaim November 11, 1919, as Armistice Day.

"On the anniversary of the armistice it is exceedingly befitting that the citizens of Minnesota should hold, in honor of all service men, the largest patriotic demonstration in his history.

"On that date the American Legion will meet in national convention within the borders of our commonwealth. This gathering should be made the occasion for the wide promulgation of the American principles for which this organization stands.

"The Sunday preceding Armistice Day is a fitting time for churches and religious organizations to hold appropriate services in memory of those who served during the world war and for the dedication of such suitable memorials as will perpetuate their patriotism for the inspiration of future generations.

"Therefore, I, Joseph A. A. Burnquist, governor of Minnesota, do hereby designate November 11, 1919, as Armistice Day, and urge that said day and the Sunday immediately preceding be observed *as herein requested.*

"In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand at the Capitol in the city of St. Paul, this eighteenth day of October, 1919.

"(Signed)

"J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

"Governor."

Attest:

Secretary of State.

Motley.—The Motley postoffice has been advanced to third class with a salary of $1,100 per year for the postmaster, John Monahan, coupled with additional rent and clerk hire.

Red Lake Falls.—Approximately $3,000 more stock must be sold in the Red Lake Falls Hotel company to put the corporation securely upon its feet. This fact was made evident at a meeting of the stockholders of the corporation when the report of Treasurer George F. Hennings was read.

Minneapolis.—Carrying out an alleged threat made in Hennepin county district court two weeks ago, George East, a returned soldier, who was being sued for divorce, shot and killed Mrs. Lucille East, his wife, and then killed himself at the home of his wife's mother, Mrs. Jacob Brunner, here.

St. Paul.—The fifteenth champion prize banner awarded Minnesota in butter making contests by the National Creamery Butter Makers' Association has been received by James Sorenson of the state food and dairy department. The award was won with an average of 95.40 out of a possible 100 points.

Fergus Falls.—Andrew Burnett of Rock Lake, N. D., who came to Clitheral, near here, several days ago, with his family to visit relatives, died after eating, it is said, pancakes made from buckwheat flour. Mrs. Burnett and children also became ill, but are recovering. A sample of the flour has been sent to the state chemist to be analyzed.

St. Paul.—Ore shipments from state-owned mines this year will aggregate 4,000,000 tons, about 20 per cent less than was shipped last year. State and privately owned iron mines in northern Minnesota last year furnished 44,000,000 tons of ore. The decrease this year is attributed by Mr. Preus to cessation of war demands and uncertainty in industrial conditions.

Minneapolis.—Swindled out of $61,000, Emil Buchholz, a wealthy landowner, is returning to his home at Hitchcock, S. D. Minneapolis police are searching for a band of expert swindlers who, they say fleeced Buchholz by inveigling him into operations destined, according to the swindlers, to force down the exchange rate of the British pound and plunge the empire of Great Britain into bankruptcy and make Buchholz wealthy.

Moorhead.—The value of the potato crop produced this year in the Red River valley is over $10,000,000. While this is a startling total, growers have already received over $6,000,000 for shipments made before Oct. 15. Official reports of the United States bureau of markets show a total of 7,059 carloads of potatoes grown this year shipped out of the Red River valley up to Oct 15. Of these shipments 5,548 were from the Minnesota side of the river and 1,511 from the valley in North Dakota. Shipments from the valley, both sides of the river last year, including Oct. 15, were 2,880, showing an increase per acre for this year in even dates of 4,179 carloads.

Bemidji.—The home service department of Bemidji is seeking the whereabouts of a boy by the name of Shotto, who enlisted in Bemidji in the Twentieth engineers, Twenty-first company. He has not been heard from since March 17.

Sleepy Eye.—In order to lose as little time as possible on business trips to Minneapolis, Edward F. Berkner, banker of Sleepy Eye, has purchased an airplane. When the plane is delivered, Mr. Beckner said he will be able to make the trip, which takes two days by train, in approximately one hour.

TOO SHORT TO DO UP AND STILL FALLING

A little "Danderine" stops your hair coming out and doubles its beauty.

To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a small bottle of delightful "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After several applications the hair usually stops coming out and you can't find any dandruff. Help your hair to grow strong, thick and long and become soft, glossy and twice as beautiful and abundant.—Adv.

A Matter of Address.

Considerably out of patience, he was endeavoring to play golf at the Muncie Country club and in his first attempt at a drive sliced the ball miserably. The words he used, although spoken in an undertone, were sufficient to make the caddy look up appreciatively, accustomed as the boy was to the use of eloquence by players under such circumstances.

A short distance away was the player's wife who inquired ever so gently: "Did you say anything to me, Fred?"

"No, I was just addressing the ball," he replied.

"I am afraid if the ball goes to that address it will melt," she remarked, still gently.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

Fargo, N. D.

Under a Cloud.

Shoe salesman—Will you please, sir, ask some one else to wait on Mrs. de Style in my place?

Floor manager—I suppose so, but why?

Shoe salesman—I attended an afternoon tea fight at her house one time and spilled a cup of hot Oolong down her back.

"KILL-JOYS"

Constipation, Headache, Colds, Biliousness ended with "Cascarets"

Nothing takes the joy out of life quicker than a disordered liver or waste-clogged bowels. Don't stay sick, bilious, headachy, constipated. Remove the liver and bowel poison which is keeping your head dizzy, your tongue coated, your breath bad and stomach sour. Why not spend a few cents for a box of Cascarets and enjoy the nicest, gentlest laxative-cathartic you ever experienced? Cascarets never gripe, sicken or inconvenience one like Salts, Oil, Calomel or harsh pills. They work while you sleep.—Adv.

The Better One.

"You ought to see Belle's figure in a pose." "You ought to see Nell's father's figure in Bradstreet."

Present trials foreshadow future bliss.

What man has done woman can undo.

WRIGLEY'S

5c a package before the war

5c a package during the war

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THE FLAVOR LASTS SO DOES THE PRICE!

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WRIGLEY'S JUICY FRUIT CHEWING GUM THE FLAVOR LASTS
WRIGLEY'S DOUBLEMINT CHEWING GUM PEPPERMINT

Looked That Way.

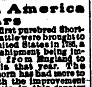
One doesn't often look for humor in a church, but the other Sunday a considerable portion of a congregation nearly burst into laughter. The mirth was occasioned by a little boy, who was being brought to service for the first time. When the choir entered in its surplices, he whispered decidedly audibly:

"Daddy, are they all going to have their hair cut?"

Rochelle Salt in Batteries.

An experiment has succeeded in substituting crystals of Rochelle salt for dry cell batteries in telephone circuits to transmit and amplify sound.

No length of pedigree can atone for lack of individuality in men—or any other live stock.



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The first purebred Shorthorn cattle were brought to the United States in 1786, a small shipment being imported from England to Virginia that year. The Shorthorn has had more to do with the improvement of cattle in this country than any other breed—probably than all other breeds. It is the combined beef and milking quality of the Shorthorn that has made the profits on the farms, plantations and ranches. It pays to use Shorthorn bulls. American Shorthorn Breeders' Assn., 13 Dexter Park Ave., Chicago, Ill.

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Trunks direct from factory to user.

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of all kinds and pay top prices and make quick cash returns.

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Middle Aged Women

Are Here Told the Best Remedy for Their Troubles.

Freemont, O.—"I was passing through the critical period of life, being forty-six years of age and had all the symptoms incident to that change—heat flashes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proved to be. I feel better and stronger in every way since taking it, and the annoying symptoms have disappeared."—Mrs. M. Godden, 925 Napoleon St., Fremont, Ohio.

North Haven, Conn.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored my health after everything else had failed when passing through change of life. There is nothing like it to overcome the trying symptoms."—Mrs. Florence Isella, Box 197, North Haven, Conn.

In Such Cases

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

has the greatest record for the greatest good

LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. LYNN, MASS.

The county board has voted to discontinue for the present, the survey on that part of state road No. 14 east of the Thief River. They also laid over the petition of Hilmer Johnson and others for a county ditch on the site of No. 26 which failed to go thru about three years ago.

Does your baby play on the floor, Mrs. Youngmother?

Do you know that a deadly disease lurks in dust and dried sputum carried into the house on people's shoes?

Minnesota physicians who have studied these matters carefully state that a vast number of persons who contract tuberculosis are infected in childhood and that eight of every ten persons have the germs at some time in their lives.

Last year, 3,000 Minnesota infants died. The average number of children killed annually by tuberculosis in this state is 150. The germs begin to take a heavier toll in death between the ages of 20 and 35 years, about 1,000 Minnesotans of those ages being victims of the "great white plague" each year.

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY
Eat Less — Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

The work of the Red Cross is not finished and you should join again.

C. H. Gunheim is building a house 26x32 on his farm near town.

Tony and Ruben Carlson were Beltrami county visitors Sunday.

The snow reminds us winter is on the way and headed straight for this neighborhood.

The winter schedule goes into effect on the rural route Nov., 15th. Mail your Christmas parcels early.

A dollar a week for ten years, at an interest rate of only four per cent amounts to more than $638. Save now and buy war stamps.

The 16th annual convention of the Red River Valley Dairymen's Association will be held at Crookston on December 10th and 11th.

J. W. Short and family arrived here Monday with an emigrant car of goods etc. from Tolley N. D. and are temporarily located on the O. H. Nohre farm.

The carpenters have the Bakke & Docken house, just north of the Mission church, enclosed and will push the work as fast as the weather will permit.

Palmer Peterson shipped a car of goods etc. here Monday from Madison and will make his home on the farm with his brother, H. P. Peterson and family.

Good size shipping tags for sale at this office.

If you approved the Red Cross in war, approve it in peace.

Pay electric light bills before the 10th, or penalty will be added.

Miss Warner, the Red Cross field worker, will be in Holt every Thursday until further notice.

The carpenters have commenced work on the Bakke & Docken house south from Axel Nelson's residence.

Save while the saving is good, a rainy day is coming, when those little savings will come mighty handy.

The Marshall Co. farm bureau wants 500 farmers to join them. Who wants to join from this vicinity?

Join the Red Cross and help along with the peace time work which is going to be made broader and more helpful each year. Join Now.

Unless the coal strike is settled at once there will be lots of suffering. Wood should be used as much as possible to save coal for those who cannot get other fuel.

If a single ounce of food is allowed to be spoiled in each of the 20 million American homes, more than 13,000,000 pounds of our food supply will be wasted each day.

The Red Cross is always ready to help suffering humanity. Remember the work they did at the time of the Halifax disaster, the Fergus Falls cyclone and other places when relief was needed.

Since our last report Bakke and Docken have sold acre tracts of land to Dr. Olson, John Hagberg and a two acre tract to Prof. Prusheck. The latter is building a good sized log cabin 14x26 on his land and will use it as a meeting place for the boy scouts.

Joseph Jarland shipped in a car of sheep from St. Paul on Friday and O. J. Nybo and Ole Grove a car of sheep on Monday. This country is well adapted for sheep raising and we would like to see more farmers start in with a few and give them a good trial. They are everywhere acknowledged as great weed eradicators.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John H. Smith and Mable Smith, his wife, Mortgagors to W. S. Ericson Mortgagee, bearing date the 24th day of November 1913, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of November 1913, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages, on Page 413. Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said W. S. Ericson, mortgagee, to John G. Jaenike, by written assignment dated the 23rd day of June, 1914, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 24th day of June, 1914, at 8.30 A. M. in Book 75 of Mortgages on page 25 thereof;

And which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly further assigned by said John G. Jaenike, assignee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, by written assignment dated the 20 day of June, 1919, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 21st day of August, 1919, at 8:00 A. M. in Book 80 of Mortgages on page 282 thereof. Which default has continued to the date of this notice, by the failure and neglect of said Mortgagor to make payment of the principal and interest by said mortgage secured, which by its terms became due and payable on the 1st day of December 1918.

AND WHEREAS, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 48-100 ($997.48) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, towit: The Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Eleven (11) in Township One hundred fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty-two (42), West of the Fifth principal meridian in Minnesota, containing one hundred sixty acres of land more or less according to the Government Survey thereof in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 8th day of November 1919, at 10.00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 48-100 Dollars, and interset and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00 Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 15th A. D. 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee
Chas. E. Boughton
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen Dollars, which became due on the 8th day of August 1918, which said sum is now due and payable upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Benno Menzel and Charlotte Menzel, husband and wife, Mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a Minnesota Corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of August 1916 and with a Power of Sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall Minnesota, on the 19th day of September 1916, at 8:30 o'clock, A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on page 68.

AND WHEREAS, by reason of the default hereinbefore mentioned the said Mortgagee chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable, making Seventy-eight and 74-100 Dollars which is claimed to be due and is due upon the aforesaid mortgage at the date of this notice.

AND WHEREAS, said mortgage is conditioned that if the Mortgagors shall fail to pay their prior mortgage of Three Thousand Dollars upon the same land or any installment of interest due thereon, that the Mortgagee in this mortgage now being foreclosed, may pay the same, and have a lien therefor under this mortgage, and default having been made in the payment of One Hundred Sixty-five Dollars, interest due August 8th 1918, and in the payment of One Hundred Sixty-five Dollars interest due August 8th, 1919, upon said prior mortgage, represented by coupon interest notes bearing 5½ per cent interest after maturity, the same was paid by the undersigned, said Mortgagee, and there is now due and claimed to be due upon the date of this notice upon account of the interest so paid upon said prior mortgage Three Hundred Forty-one and 38-100 Dollars, in all amounting to the sum of Five Hundred Six and 38-100 Dollars, due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice; and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage herein first described will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East half of the East half (E½ of E½), West half of the North East quarter (W½ of NE¼), Northwest quarter of Southeast quarter (NW¼ of SE¼) and Northeast quarter of Southwest quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Eleven (11) Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and located in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 15th day of November 1919, at ten o'clock, A. M., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Hundred Six and 38-100 Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, September 23, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.
Fred L. Farley
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the
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Piso's gives prompt relief. Eases hoarseness and throat irritation and soothes throat tickle. At all druggists.

Contains No Opiate— Safe for Young & Old

for coughs and colds

Notice

Several men wanted at once for cutting timber and clearing land in the corporate limits of Holt.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Hay for Sale.

Sixty tons of good wild hay. Hay is stacked on the NW 1-4 Sec. 7, in Mud Lake township. Call on or address
Grant Flakne,
Holt, Minn.

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

Dr. Biedermann
Physician and Surgeon
Thief River Falls

ANNOUNCEMENT!

We have rented the Hamernes Repair Shop and we are now prepared to do winter over hauling of

Autos and Machines
of all kinds
Oxy-Acetylene Welding
of any kind done on short notice
Bring in your batteries for winter storage

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Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
We have moved into our New Elevator
Come and see how nicely we have it arranged
Oscar Walland, Agent - - - Holt, Minn.

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The best country for mixed farming in the Red River Valley
1000 acres of Wild and Improved Lands
For Sale at Reasonable Prices Terms Easy
I am absolutely responsible
All business done fair and square
Write to me for any further information

Dr. R. L. Olson - Holt, Minn.

Community Day
and
Big Auction Sale!
Saturday Nov. 8

Horses, Cattle, Machinery, Household Goods, lots of other articles

Bring in anything you wish to sell and it will be auctioned off to the highest bidder for cash

Free Entertainment for everybody

Ask the Man Who Wore One!

THE Red Cross banner carries the glory of Americanism to the far corners of the earth. Its Unselfish Service has won the undying gratitude of humanity.

And now, to be to America in Peace what it has been to the World in War, is its sacred Duty—and Yours.

EVERY AMERICAN
Must Answer to the
THIRD RED CROSS ROLL CALL
November 2 to 11, 1919

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THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

If you were loyal during the war join the Red Cross now.

Dr. Farley, the dentist will be in Holt again on Monday, Nov. 17th.

[illegible]

[illegible] Sale for Saturday [illegible] bring in your property and list it for sale early as possible [illegible]

[illegible] left for Middle River yesterday and will later go to [illegible] River, N. D. where he has employment in a large barber shop.

The Zion Ladies Aid have postponed their auction sale to Saturday Nov. 15th at 1 P. M., at the school house in Dist. No. 148. Lunch will be served.

An auction sale will be held probably Saturday Nov. 15th, to sell the personal property of the Peter A. Anderson, estate. The bills will be out the first of next week.

A large crowd attended the services at the Mission church Sunday, which were held to celebrate the [illegible] of the church debt. Services were held all day and a big dinner and supper was served to a large crowd, and something over $80.00 was taken in as the proceeds from the meals served.

A meeting of those interested in athletics was held at the high school room Monday evening. An Athletic Club was organized with membership at $1.00 a month. The members will play basket ball at the Hall on Monday and Thursday evening of each week. Ole Johnson was elected secretary-treasurer and Fridolf Riesberg manager.

The co-operatively managed skating rink was not entirely satisfactory last year and it was thought best if somebody would assume responsibility for the rink and put it on a commercial basis.

School Notes

As there has been some misunderstanding about the dance given last Friday, we wish to state that the school did not benefit from the sale of dance tickets. Originally the dance was to be conducted by the four-piece orchestra that has been holding dances here regularly.

The basket sale brought in $10[illegible]. This money will be used for special purposes such as the purchase of magazines, library books and supplies and equipment for the playground, gymnasium and [illegible].

The books in the school library are now ready for circulation and may be taken out by anybody in the community. Books may be obtained personally or thru the school children. Lists of the books in the library will be ready for circulation in about a week. A State Free Travelling Library of 50 volumes of general fiction will be at the schoolhouse about the same time.

The second month of school closed last Friday with an enrollment of 8[illegible]. These are distributed by grades as follows: first 31; second, 10; third, 5; fourth, 7; fifth, 18; sixth 7; seventh, 8; high school, 15.

Parent-Teachers meeting Tuesday evening Nov. 11. A patriotic program will be given. The parents are invited to come and enjoy the [illegible] entertainment.

The Girl Scout Troop in Holt is called the "Poppy Peoples," so called after [illegible] Peterson, Lenora D[illegible], Alice Sandberg, Evelyn Christianson, Mabel Thompson, [illegible], Gladys Hagberg, Alice [illegible], [illegible] Pederson, Doris Sandberg, Al[illegible] Nelson, [illegible], [illegible] Thea Johnson, Mildred Pederson, Gladys Thompson.

The next public health clinic will be held in Newfolden Friday Nov. 7th.

The Zion Ladies' Aid will have an auction sale in Dist. 148 on Saturday Nov. 15th, at 1 P. M.

Julius Olson, came down from Strathcona Saturday to do carpenter work for Bakke & Docken.

The plasterers have finished their work at the school house and the plumbers have also been working there this week.

A. S. Bean has sold his farm and will have an auction sale of all his personal property on Wednesday the 12th of November.

A list of those who were given hats by G. P. Sanders, out of the car shipped here by the county, is at the bank and open for inspection.

T. E. Ellestad and family moved Tuesday from Olai Sovde's house, into their new house just north of town. When the house is finished they will have one of the nicest farm houses in this section of the country.

Parents wishing a Girl Scout to care for their children on the evening of November 11, during Parent-Teacher Association meetings, please confer with Miss Laurence as soon as possible.

The Woodman hall has undergone some needed overhauling this week. The doors and stage have been repaired, a booth built for the Movie man and a partition built across the front to provide an entry and keep out some of the chill of winter when the outside door is opened.

[illegible] Lutheran Church

Sunday School 11 o'clock Nov. [illegible]

The Nazareth Young People's Society will have a [illegible] social at the Woodman hall on Friday evening Nov. 14th. Everybody invited.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor

STEINER NEWS

M. O. Sagen has been very ill the past week. We all hope an early recovery is near.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer attended church services in Holt, Sunday.

Many of the young men of this vicinity attended the Basket Social in Holt Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] called at the Russell home, the middle of the week.

M. R. Mussy transacted business in T. R. Falls Friday.

August Koslin was in Thief River Falls the latter part of the week.

Willis Warring made a trip to Thief R. Falls the last of the week.

A Halloween program was given at the Steiner School Friday [illegible]. So the reports goes that [illegible] and other halloween [illegible]

Oscar and Edwin Swanson transacted business in Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. Sagen has been [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] approved of the Red Cross in war, approve it in peace.

Pay electric light bills before the 10th, or penalty will be added.

For Sale. Red Poll bull 2 years old, 8-16 [illegible] tractor. C. J. [illegible].

Mrs. [illegible] of T. R. Falls, visited Mrs. [illegible] Christianson Friday and Saturday.

The carpenters commenced work Tuesday on the third house which Bakke & Docken are building near Ole Ellingson's.

Engval Johnson returned home from a weeks visit with relatives at Minneapolis Monday. Engval thinks Minneapolis is alright.

Arrangements have been made with the bank to take memberships in the Red Cross when the Girl Scouts are not on duty.

Peter Sorter returned home Tuesday from Garfield and reports that a daughter was born to them Oct. 28th at the home of Mrs. Sorter's sister in Garfield where they had been visiting for a couple of weeks.

The first Parents-Teacher meeting will be held Tuesday evening in the Mission church and all parents are urged to attend. As this comes on "Armistice Day" a patriotic program will be given, also efforts are being made to secure a good speaker for the occasion.

Rev. F. J. Seltz of Thief River Falls held services here Sunday afternoon and at the close of the services a German Lutheran church congregation was organized with J. P. Benitt, treasurer; Fred P. Holst, secretary; J. P. Bennitt, John Augustine and Fred Voth, as directors.

Miss Alice Johnson of Thief River Falls and brother Ralph came Monday to visit at the Jno. Engstrom home. Mr Johnson was recently discharged from the Canadian army, with whom he served four years on the battle fields of Europe. He was both wounded and gassed but is now able to be at work again.

The work of the Red Cross is not finished and you should join again.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.
Choir practice at 3:30

Notice!

Men are wanted to cut fence posts up the S. W. 1-4—25—156—43, Inquire at the Holt State Bank.

For Sale

Seed buckwheat at $[illegible] per hundred lbs., if taken at once.
[illegible]
[illegible], Minn.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of [illegible], Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Oliane Engebretson,

It is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; [illegible]

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News as provided by law.

Dated Oct. [illegible], 1919
[illegible] Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

Electric Light Notice

Notice is hereby given that all electric light and power bills for the month of October 1919 will become due Nov. 1st, 1919 and should be paid as soon due to A. L. Carlson, the village treasurer who has the statements of the amounts due. A ten per cent penalty will be added to all bills not paid by Nov. 10, 1919, and if not paid by Nov. 15th, 1919, the service will be discontinued at once. This plan will apply to all the following months until further notice is given.

By order of the village council.
P. A. Riesberg, President
H. B. Young, Clerk

WM. J. BROWN, Lawyer
Former County Attorney Marshall County
Drainage Matters
Probate Cases a Specialty
Commercial Law
Practices in all State and Federal Courts
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

A basket social will be given in school district No. 80, five miles west of Holt, on Saturday evening Nov. 8th. Proceeds for the school organ. Everybody invited.

The Woolworth building in New York was built with the proceeds from their five and ten cent stores. This building is nearly 800 feet (60 stories) high and proves that it pays to save the nickels and dimes.

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

HARNESS REPAIRING

Bring in your Harness and old Collars
All work strictly first class
SHOE REPAIRING

Paul B. Siljestrom
Farmers State Bank Building

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 51
Wheat No. 2	2 46
Wheat No. 3	2 36
Wheat No. 4	2 26
Wheat No. 5	2 16
Flax	4 16
Oats	60
Barley	84 to 1 04
Rye	1 17
Flour, Best Patent	6 75

City Meat Market
All kinds of
Fresh & Cured Meats
Cold Meats, Poultry
Canned Goods
Vegetables, Etc.
Herb Walker, Prop.

Holt Cafe!
Ice Cream Parlor
and
Confectionery
Hot Lunches all hours
A [illegible] of Bakery Goods
Nice Booths and Tables
for the serving of Ice Cream
Horien & Johnson

Hans O. Chommie
LAWYER
Thief River Falls
Offices in Scandia Block

Clarence Larson
Licensed Auctioneer
Satisfaction Guaranteed
Call on or write me for prices
Holt - Minn.

[illegible]

City Barber Shop
[illegible]
All work guaranteed satisfactory
Olai Sovde
Holt, Minn.

[illegible] Cheney & Co. [illegible] CATARRH CURE [illegible] F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Your New Barn

Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
C. L. Sandberg, Agent
Holt, Minn.

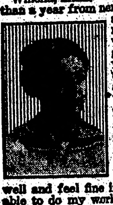
Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
In connection with teams and rigs
Light and Heavy Hauling done on short notice and at Reasonable Prices
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

To The Public
We wish to announce that we have put in a
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
which will be sold at reasonable prices
Holt Mercantile Co.

Tell us the news and help your home paper.

WOMAN'S NERVES MADE STRONG

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Winona, Minn.—"I suffered for more than a year from nervousness, and was so bad I could not rest at night—would lie awake and get so nervous I would have to get up and walk around and in the morning would be all tired out. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and thought I would try it. My nervousness soon left me. I sleep well and feel fine in the morning and able to do my work. I gladly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to make weak nerves strong."—Mrs. ALBERT SULTZE, 603 Olmstead St., Winona, Minn.

How often do we hear the expression among women, "I am so nervous, I cannot sleep," or "it seems as though I should fly." Such women should profit by Mrs. Sultze's experience and give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial.

For forty years it has been overcoming such serious conditions as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, dizziness, and nervous prostration of women, and is now considered the standard remedy for such ailments.

Do You Smoke?

Send us fifty cents for one pound carton of "OLD KENTUCKY" natural leaf Tobacco, direct from the grower. One pound prepaid, 50 cents. Five pounds prepaid, $2.00. Send check, bank draft or Mo. O.

Old Kentucky Tobacco Association, Water Valley, Kentucky.

KODAKS Films and Photo supplies. Finishing for amateurs, enlarging. Mail orders Solicited. Prices on application. DACOTAH PHARMACY, CORNER 3rd. ST. and DeMERS, GRAND FORKS, N. D.

Italy Seals in Coffee.

Consul General David F. Wilbur reports from Genoa that by a decree of June 4, 1919, the Italian government "assumes for itself and with exclusive right, the supply and sale in Italy of coffee of every species and quality."

YOUR COLD IS EASED AFTER THE FIRST DOSE

"Pape's Cold Compound" then breaks up a cold in a few hours

Relief comes instantly. A dose taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a severe cold and ends all the grippe misery.

The very first dose opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages in the head, stops nose running, relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Clear your congested head! Nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only a few cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—Insist upon Pape's!—Adv.

No matter how much patience a man has he never uses any of it at the table when he wants the salt.

Never swap autos with a bird who cheats himself at solitaire.

INDIGESTION, DYSPEPSIA

Torpid Liver, Pain in Side and Shoulder-blade

Lime Springs, Iowa.—"I have taken Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery with occasional doses of 'Pleasant Pellets' for indigestion, or dyspepsia, and torpid liver, with pain in side and under shoulder blade, which I thought was caused by rheumatism. I was so troubled with pain under the shoulder blade that in chopping or cutting wood, the work in which I have been engaged so much of the time by the day—I could not work steadily at it without being played out entirely. I am now 58 years old. Will say that since taking the 'Discovery' and the 'Pleasant Pellets' as mentioned, my stomach is in better condition than it has been before for 25 or 30 years. Not long since I chopped down and trimmed up about 47 loads of wood as quickly as I ever did that amount in my life, and I just enjoyed doing the work. I have taken the 'Discovery' and the 'Pleasant Pellets' a number of times in my life and never without very beneficial results. I also know that as a cough remedy or for any rash or skin disease the 'Discovery' is a great remedy. I could say more in recommendation if space would permit."—James L. Colby, Rt. 4, Box 26.

COULD NOT SLEEP

Dubuque, Iowa.—"Have used Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets for 36 years and can say nothing but what is to their credit. I could not sleep without them in the house. They have cured me of chronic constipation, and thus assisted in preventing serious results."—R. C. Campbell, 104 W. Locust St.

SICK-HEADACHES

Shenandoah, Iowa.—"I have given Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery to my children at different times when they have needed a tonic and it worked all right. It is mighty good for sick headaches. One of my daughters took it for that and was relieved. It has always acted well for us. We have never taken any other medicine. I consider it one of the best medicines."—Mrs. B. J. Simmons, 711 Seventh Ave.

Baby Coughs require treatment with a remedy that contains no opiates. Piso's is mild but effective; pleasant to take. Ask your druggist for PISO'S

Happenings of the World Tersely Told

Washington

In accord with predictions made when the president's veto of the prohibition enforcement measure was received in congress at Washington, the senate followed the example of the house and passed the bill over the president's veto. The vote in the senate was 65 to 20.

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The president of the United States and the members of his cabinet at Washington pronounced the proposed strike of bituminous coal miners scheduled for November 1 a crime against the government and people of the United States. They brand the strike both morally and legally wrong and declare in a statement to the public that the law will be enforced and means be found "to protect the interests of the nation in any emergency that may arise out of this unhappy business."

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After eliminating the senate provision of $15,000,000 for the army air service and reducing the appropriation for the Alaskan railroad from $17,000,000 to $6,000,000, house and senate conferees at Washington reached an agreement on the first general deficiency bill of this session.

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Expenses of the international labor conference at Washington are being paid directly out of the treasury of the League of Nations.

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Loans made to cattle growers in the Southwest to aid them during last year's drought were called in by the war financing corporation at Washington for payment November 15. The amount outstanding October 18 was $8,182,340.

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The bill providing for return of railroads to private ownership and operation under federal supervision was reported out by the senate interstate commerce committee at Washington.

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Portugal has made no concession for a naval base to the United States in the Azores, as stated at Lisbon, says Secretary Daniels at Washington, and the navy department has no intention of establishing one there.

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Preparations are being made by federal department of justice officials at Washington for the transfer to New York of the government's fight against the high cost of food launched in Chicago early in September.

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Domestic

Scores of persons were injured in a pitched battle between 2,000 striking longshoremen and several hundred men who were on their way to work at the Bush Terminal docks in Brooklyn.

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The theft of Liberty bonds in excess of $100,000 from a messenger of Kidder, Peabody & Co. of Boston, while he was on his way to New York was reported.

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Hiram Cornell, sixty, and his foster son, Jerome Murphy, twenty-five, fishermen, were drowned near Jack Reef in Greenbay, off Eagle Bluff, Wis., when their boat was wrecked.

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After a riot at Utica, N. Y., during which five strikers were shot by policemen, Mayor Smith requested Governor Smith to send a detachment of state police to that city.

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Henry Booth, a negro, arrested on charges of attacking a white woman, was shot and probably fatally wounded during the night by unidentified persons, who fired through the windows of the jail at Humboldt, Tenn.

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Governor Lowden of Illinois issued a statement at Springfield, indorsing President Wilson's stand in reference to the threatened coal strike.

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Robbers blew the door off the vault of the Citizens' Savings bank at Hanlontown, Ia., and took about $10,000 in Liberty bonds from the safety deposit boxes.

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The Goodyear Tire and Rubber company was exonerated from all blame by the technical jury and business men's jury in connection with the "blimp disaster" at Chicago July 21.

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Nine members of the crew and six passengers lost their lives when the Crosby steamer City of Muskegon, formerly the Holland, struck the south pier in Muskegon (Mich.) channel.

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John Fitzpatrick, chairman of the national committee directing the steel strike, before leaving Chicago for Pittsburgh, made what is taken to be practically an admission that the strike is lost.

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Burglars dynamited the safe of the Tioga, Pa., post office and escaped with $2,200 in money and stamps.

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The city council of Hartford, Conn., unanimously adopted an ordinance providing for daylight saving in the city next year.

Both the National City bank and the Guarantee Trust company of New York have closed negotiations for quarters in Berlin with the view to establishing central branches for Germany.

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King Albert visited the grave of Theodore Roosevelt at Oyster Bay, N. Y. Kneeling in the graveyard near the Roosevelt home, the king bowed his head and placed a wreath upon the mound.

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Whisky valued at $40,000 was stolen at St. Louis. Robbers entered the government bonded warehouse and, according to police, carted away many barrels.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sternberg, wealthy residents of Mattoon, Ill., are in a serious condition as a result of being beaten about the head with a hammer by robbers, who burglarized their home.

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Personal

Alfred Phillippe Roll, painter and president of the National Society of Fine Arts, died at Paris. M. Roll was born in 1846. He was a commander of the Legion of Honor.

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Richard Henry Little, Chicago Tribune correspondent with General Yudenitch's army, was seriously wounded in the fighting near Petrograd, according to a message received at Paris from the American relief administration at Reval.

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Hiram J. Dunlap, aged seventy-eight, formerly in the United States consular service and prominent in politics and journalism in Illinois, died at his home at Kankakee, Ill.

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Foreign

The house of commons at London adopted a bill for the removal of sex disqualifications, permitting women to sit and vote in the house of lords. The message was adopted by a vote of 171 to 64.

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The former Nancy Langhorne of Virginia, now Viscountess Astor, will be a candidate for election to a seat in the British parliament, representing Plymouth. What is more, she will doubtless be elected.

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The death of Field Marshal Gottlieb Haeseler, Germany's veteran soldier and strategist, from heart disease, is reported to the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger. Field Marshal Haeseler was eighty-four years old.

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It is reported at Paris that Holland has applied for admission to the League of Nations. If this is true, surrender of the former kaiser for trial by the allies will be one of the necessary conditions.

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A Paris dispatch says the proprietors of the foundries in the northern provinces of France declared a complete lockout and shutdown of their plants. The decision is the result of the coke and coal famine.

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A Berne dispatch says the Swiss railway authorities ran a special train on which was carried 1,000 Polish and Czecho-Slovak emigrants returning from the United States to Prague and Warsaw.

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Governor Cox of Ohio suspended Charles E. Poorman of Canton for alleged inefficiency in handling steel strike riots and appealed to a committee of business men to support Vice Mayor Schrantz.

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The monitor Erebus is bombarding the fortress of Kronstadt and Kraspala-Gorka with 15-inch shells weighing two tons each from a 16-mile range, according to a Helsingfors dispatch.

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Pierre Lenoir, convicted of having treasonable dealings with the Germans during the war, was executed at Paris. He was shot as he sat in a chair, being too ill to stand.

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A disaster in the Levant mine at St. Just, Cornwall, England, caused about forty deaths. Many miners were injured.

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Objections by a third power led to the refusal of Portugal to grant the United States a naval base in the Azores, according to information received at Madrid, in well-informed circles.

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A wireless report from bolshevist military headquarters picked up by the station at Paris reports that the counter-offensive against General Yudenitch in the vicinity of Petrograd has been successful.

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Extremist elements in trade union circles at Paris plan to call a general strike November 7, according to the Excelsior, which says that leaders in the general confederation of labor are opposed to the movement.

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Sir Joseph Lawrence, chairman of the International Linotype company (Ltd.) and a director of the Mergenthaler Linotype company of New York, died suddenly at London.

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Alfred Flamval, a French aviator, looped the loop 624 times in a single flight in a military airplane at Madrid.

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Fifteen war dogs were awarded at Paris "collars of honor," inscribed with the croix de guerre. Each was cited in a special army order for "gallantry in action against the enemy."

EARLY VOTE ON PACT UNLIKELY

Move for Vote by Nov. 12 Was Blocked by Administration Senators.

NO LIMIT ON DEBATE

Senate Renews Consideration of Amendments, Each Side Fearful to Accept Other's Plans to Hurry Final Vote on Pact.

Washington, Nov. 4.—Further indications that the peace treaty fight may lead to a continued deadlock developed yesterday while the senate leaders weer trying in vain to fix a definite date for a roll call on ratification.

Administration senators, suggesting that the final vote be taken this week, indicated a purpose to defeat ratification by combining with the treaty's irreconcilable opponents, should the reservations adopted by the foreign relations committee be written into the ratification resolution. Whether the administration forces then could present an alternate resolution under senate rules was brought into question by the Republican leaders who predicted that even if such a resolution got consideration it, too, would be voted down.

To Vote on Labor Clause.

An hour of debate on the subject got nowhere and the senate went back to its consideration of treaty amendments. It may reach a vote tomorrow on that by Senator La Follette, Republican, Wisconsin, to strike out the labor provisions and then, unless some new plan is devised to hasten action, other amendments and a long list of proposed reservations will be taken up, under the tedious rule of unlimited debate.

The administration proposal for a vote this week was presented by Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, the Democratic leader, after he had blocked one by Republican Leader Lodge calling for a final vote on November 12.

Chance for Showdown.

A "final vote" on that date, Mr. Hitchcock declared, would mean that the only opportunity for a showdown on ratification must come on a resolution drawn up by the treaty's enemies and containing reservations unacceptable to the administration senators.

COAL PRODUCTION VERY LOW

Strike of Bituminous Miners Virtually Paralyzed Industry.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Monday, the first real test day in the nation-wide strike of bituminous coal miners, passed without a break of any consequence in the general cessation of production despite the inactivity of the leaders of the United Mine Workers of America because of the government's restraining order. During the day there was a further movement of troops into affected areas, although only one minor disturbance was reported.

Soft Coal Production Paralyzed.

Although there was a report that a break among union miners had occurred in the northern West Virginia fields, miners and operators alike asserted that the production of soft coal was paralyzed. It also was reported that some union miners resumed work in the Colorado mines when operators and union officials agreed upon a settlement, whereby operators would make such wage increases as were later made effective in eastern fields.

Nonunion mines in Pennsylvania and West Virginia were in operation today with almost the usual working forces. In Ohio five of six shipping companies were operating.

Thousands of cars of coal were being confiscated by the federal railroad administration; a few schools were closed in remote places, and in a number of communities water and electric companies were affected.

SOLDIERS ILL, LABOR LOAFED

Steamfitters Charged With Delay in Making Camp Improvements.

Camp Sherman, Ohio, Nov. 4.—Charges that wilful negligence on the part of steamfitters employed in the construction of the base hospital at Camp Sherman resulted in exposure for weeks to the zero weather prevalent in late October and all of November, 1917, of sick soldiers confined there, were among the startling disclosures made before the congressional subcommittee by Joseph Poole, Chillicothe contractor, late yesterday. The evidence given by Poole will be followed up to fix the responsibility for the suffering of the men, according to Chairman John C. McKenzie and Chief Examiner Roscoe C. McCullough of the committee.

To Test Minnesota Bonus Law.

Minneapolis, Nov. 4.—The question of the validity of the soldiers' bonus bill was taken under advisement by Judge Jelley in Hennepin county district court yesterday, following the filing of a demurrer by the state to the suit of A. Gustafson, Minneapolis taxpayer, to test the constitutionality of the law. An early decision is expected and attorneys for both sides announced that regardless of the outcome of the matter, it would be taken to the state supreme court for a final ruling.

EUROPE AWAITS STRIKE RESULTS

Governments, People and the Press Overseas Anxiously Watch Coal Strike.

MAY IGNITE EUROPE

Many View Possible Results of Conflict With Misgivings—Greatest Upheaval Outside of Russia, Thought by Some.

London, Nov. 3.—Europe since Saturday has been tensely awaiting the reaction from the American coal miners' strike.

That both the direct and indirect efforts of the strike would be only secondary in importance on this continent to that in the United States is the general impression here, causing a feeling of depression that temporarily overshadowed Europe's own social and economic ills.

Even greater than the realization of the widespread commercial and industrial backfire is the gripping fear that the clash between capital and labor may provide the spark that will carry to the highly inflammable European social structure.

Governments, the press and the public are intensely interested in this test of the American government's strength. The majority foresee a violent struggle, with the result in doubt.

"The strike is likely to develop into the biggest industrial upheaval ever seen outside Russia," declares the Globe. "Whatever the merits of the dispute, it does not justify such action. Such a movement will undoubtedly have repercussions in other countries and revive everywhere the spirit of labor unrest. No happening on such a scale can be isolated."

435,000 MINERS ARE OUT

Some Fields Open But Unionists Claim Strike Highly Effective.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—Although Saturday night found nearly all the nation's vast bituminous coal fields closed as a result of the miners' strike, effective Friday midnight, thousands of nonunion miners were at work, and in scattered districts where contracts still were in effect union miners reported as usual. Figures compiled tonight and based chiefly upon union leaders' claims, although in many cases conceded by the operators, showed that 435,712 men were on strike.

Coal operators claimed thousands of non-union miners were producing coal in usual quantities, although conceding that in union fields the strike was effective.

Union leaders reported in most instances that the strike was virtually 100 per cent effective throughout the country.

Saturday's figures on the number of men out were as follows: Alabama, 23,000; Arkansas, 4,000; Colorado, 5,000; Illinois, 90,000; Indiana, 28,000; Iowa, 14,000; Kansas, 13,000; Kentucky, 20,000; Maryland, 4,000; Michigan, 2,400; Missouri, 9,000; Montana, 4,000; New Mexico, 800; Ohio, 40,000; Oklahoma, 10,500; Pennsylvania, 87,000; Tennesseee, 10,000; Texas, 4,000; Utah, 1,000; Washington, 6,000; West Virginia, 42,000; Wyoming, 8,000.

It is expected that North Dakota lignite mines will continue open for the present.

GAVE NOTE FOR FREEDOM

Kidnapped American Consular Agent Bought His Own Way to Liberty.

Washington, Nov. 3.—William O. Jenkins, American consular agent at Puebla, Mexico, gave his personal note, endorsed by five responsible citizens of Puebla and Mexico City, to procure his release from bandits who kidnapped him October 19.

The full amount of the ransom included also an agreement that the bandits keep $25,000 worth of property stolen from Jenkins' hacienda.

The first payment of the ransom consisted of 34,000 pesos and two drafts for $5,000 each in American gold, the balance being covered by the note.

These facts are disclosed in a statement which the American embassy in Mexico City has been authorized to make public.

Cut Out Dead Timber, Says Pershing.

Washington, Nov. 3.—Promotion of army officers by selection instead of seniority was urged by General John J. Pershing. Such a plan would tend to eliminate "dead timber," he said. Pershing resumed his testimony on the military reorganization bills, before a joint meeting of the house and senate military affairs committees. He suggested allowing officers elected under the selection system 2½ per cent of their pay for each year of service.

Deputy Sheriff's Slayer Caught.

Crookston, Minn., Nov. 3.—One of the bandits who killed Deputy Sheriff Ed. Foley at Elk River September 27 is held here and has been identified by Sheriff Illip of Elk River. He was arrested with another man at East Grand Forks Friday in a raid when officers discovered a quantity of dynamite, nitroglycerine and other safe crackers' paraphernalia in a room. Sheriff Illip said the man believed to be one of the Elk River bandits trio is known as "Slim" David, "Joy" Bird, and by other aliases.

INFLUENZA starts with a Cold

Kill the Cold. At the first sneeze take HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture.

At All Drug Stores

CHEST CLOGGED UP WITH HEAVY COLD?

Don't give it a chance to "set in"—use Dr. King's New Discovery

THAT dangerous stage where a cold or cough or case of grippe might get the better of you may be nearer than you think. Prompt action with Dr. King's New Discovery will avert a long siege.

For fifty years it has loosened congested chests, dissipated tight-packed phlegm, broken vicious colds and coughs. Give it to the youngsters—take it yourself. There will be no disagreeable after-effects.

60c. and $1.20 a bottle. At your druggist's. Give it a trial.

Bowels Become Normal

—liver livens up, bile flows freely—headache, biliousness, tongue-fur, stomach-sourness, disappear when Dr. King's New Life Pills get in their natural, comfortable action.

Purgatives, never pleasantly corrective, sometimes habit-forming, should not be taken to rack the system violently. Nature's way is the way of Dr. King's New Life Pills—gently but firmly functioning the bowels, eliminating the intestine-clogging waste, and promoting the most gratifying results. Cleanse the system with them and know the boon of regular bowels. 25c. at all druggists.

DON'T NEGLECT A RHEUMATIC PAIN

Go after it with Sloan's Liniment before it gets dangerous

Apply a *little*, don't *rub*, let it *penetrate*, and—good-by twinge! Same for external aches, pains, strains, stiffness of joints or muscles, lameness, bruises.

Instant relief without mussiness or soiled clothing. Reliable—the biggest selling liniment year after year. Economical by reason of enormous sales. Keep a big bottle ready at all times. Ask your druggist for Sloan's Liniment. 35c, 70c, $1.40.

Sloan's Liniment Keep it handy

Why Bald So Young

Rub Dandruff and Itching with Cuticura Ointment

Shampoo With Cuticura Soap

FRECKLES

Rechristening Demanded.

"And they call that stuff moonshine!" exclaimed the man who was more inquisitive than wise.

"That's the name is goes by in these hills."

"You ought to rechristen it. It tastes like bottled sunstroke."

STRENGTHENS KIDNEYS—PURIFIES BLOOD

You can't expect weak kidneys to filter the acids and poisons out of your system unless they are given a little help. Don't allow them to become diseased when a little attention now will prevent it. Don't try to cheat nature.

As soon as you commence to have backaches, feel nervous and tired, GET BUSY. These are usually warnings that your kidneys are not working properly.

Do not delay a minute. Go after the cause of your ailments or you may find yourself in the grip of an incurable disease. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil capsules will give almost immediate relief from kidney troubles. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules will do the work. They are the pure original Haarlem Oil Capsules imported direct from the laboratories in Haarlem, Holland. Ask your druggist for GOLD MEDAL and accept no substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box. Three sizes, sealed packages. Money refunded if they do not quickly help you.—Adv.

Explained.

"It is said that a man never marries his ideal." "No; the trouble is that he is not his ideal's ideal."

The best way to wear out a grouch is to keep your face up and your back down—and buck the game hard.

MURINE FOR YOUR EYES

Night and Morning. Have Strong, Healthy Eyes. If they Tire, Itch, Smart or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Soothes, Refreshes. Safe for Infant or Adult. At all Druggists. Write for Free Eye Book. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago

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PE-RU-NA and MANALIN Cured Me

Mrs. E. M. Harris, R. R. No. 3, Ashland, Wis., sends a message of cheer to the sick:

"After following your advice and using Peruna and Manalin, I was cured of catarrh of the nose, throat and stomach, from which I had suffered for several years. When I commenced taking Peruna I could not make my bed without stopping to rest. Now I do all my work and am in good health. I recommend this valuable remedy to all suffering from any disease of the stomach."

Catarrh of the Nose, Throat and Stomach.

Peruna Is Sold Everywhere Liquid or Tablet Form

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ANCIENT CITY KNOWN TO FEW

Musan, in Korea, Visited Only by Occasional Stragglers From Western Civilization.

Few white men have been fortunate enough to wander inland, in Korea, as far as the ancient city of Musan. This city, with its grim old walls bearing five centuries of history, lies on the very edge of Korea. To enter it is like stepping backward to another world, into a story of the Arabian Nights.

During the Russo-Japanese war several Russians took refuge there, and since then half a dozen foreigners have discovered it, but, except for these stragglers, Musan lies unknown to the western world. The great central palace, or reception hall of the city, remains intact, and close by, in partial ruins, is the temple guesthouse. The smaller public buildings, the gates, the watch towers and even the walls themselves have their own particular story to tell of Musan's interesting past, but few people know it.

People who have hunted tigers in the vicinity of Musan say the animals are more beautiful than their relatives of India or the Malay peninsula. These beauties range among the bitterly cold mountains of China, Korea and Manchuria, and far into Siberia.

Still Looking.

"And so you are not married yet?" asked a girl's friend.

"No," was the reply.

"Engaged?"

"No."

"What's the matter?"

"Well, papa says my husband must be a keen and experienced man, of good health and good habits; mamma says he must be frugal, industrious and attentive; and I say he must be handsome, dashing, talented and rich. We are still looking for him."

Outside Help.

"Personally, I don't believe grocers ever put sand in their sugar."

"They don't have to around here," answered old Mr. Putterby. "What with autymobiles an' one thing an' another zippin' through Chiggersville from sunup to dark, all a groceryman's got to do is to leave the cover off his sugar barrel an' let it accumulate."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Past Power.

"I can give you a few wrinkles about keeping young." "That is just what wrinkles won't do."

DIVIDING THE FAMILY AUTO

Arrangement Proposed by Hubby By No Means Satisfactory to His Better Half.

There is a distinct feeling in a Muncie family, due to a difference in mother's and father's politics, he being a Democrat and she a Republican. Also there is a family automobile.

On the morning of the last election in Muncie the head of the house made the announcement that he was off that day and was going to haul voters to the polls. Immediately mother rose in revolt. "Half of that machine is mine!" she stormed, "and you are not going to use it to haul Democrats to the polls!"

Father was rather warm under the collar then. "Indeed I am," he retorted. "Tomorrow is my day to use it and I intend to use it to haul Democrats to the polls. The next day is yours and you can use my half of it as well as your own to haul Republicans to Halifax for all I care!"—Indianapolis News.

Origin of Hawaiians Sought.

Largely financed by the trustees of the Bernice Pauahi Bishop estate and the Bernice Pauahi Bishop museum, a scientific expedition will leave Hawaii next spring to spend two years in the South seas in an effort to determine the origin of the Polynesian race and to trace its various migrators until Hawaii, the northeastern outpost of Polynesia, was reached. Bernice Pauahi was an Hawaiian princess who married Charles R. Bishop, pioneer Honolulu banker. She once declined an offer of the throne of Hawaii. Her estate, valued at many millions, provides revenue for a number of institutions designed to promote the interests of the native Hawaiians.

Wrong Job.

The city farmer boy who had spent three days on the ranch suddenly disappeared, leaving this note:

"Friend Si—I've gone, and I won't come back. You got me up at three with a lantern and I was still chasing the kine into the stable at ten. You don't want a farm hand; you want a night watchman!"—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Not Sure About It.

"You are giving your daughter a musical education, aren't you?"

"Well, I can't say that exactly, but I am paying for one."

Let your own experience decide—

If coffee *does* hurt your nerves and general health, try a change to

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You will find this cereal drink of delicious coffee-like flavor, satisfying to the taste, and a friend to health.

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Boil for fifteen minutes after boiling begins.

Two sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c

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STATE BREVITIES

Crookston.—The Polk county board of county commissioners has established a road between East Grand Forks and the Red Lake county line.

Warren.—An addition of ten rooms for patients is being built on the south side of the Warren hospital. The hospital's capacity will be still further increased next spring.

Hibbing.—That the 1920 Federal census will give Hibbing a population close to 20,000 is the opinion of village officials conversant with the growth of the village the past two years in particular.

Nashwauk.—The unprecedented cold spell has closed down the local ore washing plants. The one at the Nashwauk mine will resume as soon as weather permits, but it is stated that the Hawkins washer will continue closed until next spring.

Hibbing.—Waldo Ricciani, Domini Gambloi, Philip Bonelli and five others were arrested by Game Warden George Wood on a charge of hunting on a game preserve. Nine guns and three hounds, the dogs alleged to have been used in hunting, were seized.

Menahga.—L. F. Bradke, of Spruce Grove, brought in a load of winter wheat to the Farmers' Co-operative elevator that he raised on his farm this season. This wheat weighed 64 pounds to the bushel, yielded 32 bushels to the acre, and brought the farmer $73.16 per acre.

Winona.—It's apple blossom time in the vicinity of Winona. Jacob Jerreczek, farmer of Homer Valley, near here, brought to the city a half dozen apple blossoms from a tree in his orchard. The tree has been in full bloom for the past week. Later frost killed the autumnal bloom.

New Ulm.—August Nagel, 33, living on a farm near here, was found dead in the woods near the home of his father. A large hole was found beneath the chin, indicating where the barrel of the gun had been directed when the trigger was pulled. He leaves a wife and two children.

Crookston.—Leonard J. Houske, secretary of the Minnesota Red River Vallty Dairymen's association, spent a day here in making preparations for the sixteenth annual convention of the association, to be held in this city Dec. 10 and 11. The program for the two days' session is being arranged and several men of state and national fame will be brought to address the meeting.

Bemidji.—The contracts awarded by the Beltrami county board during the past few months will put the road between Bemidji and Baudette in such condition that it may be used as an automobile road, and with additional improvements next year it is believed it will not only be a good road, but that it will draw a large amount of business from the north country to Bemidji.

Red Lake Falls.—So far nearly 100 returned soldiers and sailors have filled out their bonus application blanks at the local office of the Red Lake County post of the American Legion, according to Secretary M. H. Latendresse. There are approximately 250 returned service men in the county who are entitled to bonuses under the provisions of the law passed by the special session of the Minnesota legislature.

St. Paul.—Sugar prices made a puzzle for the state department of agriculture, although the department's findings in a sugar investigation were made public only a day or two ago. Grocers complain that they are forced to pay $12 to $13 a hundred pounds, and retail sales at reported fair prices would mean losses to them. Country merchants argued that they cannot make up the loss on other items as is sometimes done by city dealers.

Virginia.—John Schulte, 28, Nett Lake reservation Indian guide, who was at first believed murdered, killed himself, according to Dr. A. W. Shaw, of Buhl, and Assistant County Attorney Edward L. Boyle, of Virginia, who investigated the case. Schulte was found dead in bed by Indians living in a cabin adjoining his. Schulte had placed his rifle under his chin and pulled the trigger. Schulte's squaw, with whom he had been quarreling since his return from service, did not spend the night with him, but was with neighbors. She was able to give a satisfactory account of her whereabouts, and was not held by the authorities. Schulte and his squaw have not lived together for several weeks.

Winona.—Auto thieves and other crooks operating in Southeastern Minnesota and Western Wisconsin will shortly find themselves entangled in an inescapable net if the league of city and county authorities, garagemen and filling station employes, in the territory between St. Paul and Madison, Wis., which is being advocated by Chief of Police Norton of Winona becomes a reality. According to the scheme just made public, police authorities in a city of the league in which a theft takes place will at once notify the authorities in certain specified neighboring cities, each of whom will in turn pass the word on until every city of the league is on the lookout for the crooks.

Sandstone.—Antes Dupee killed himself by shooting in the temple with a revolver at his home here. The act is attributed to an uncontrollable temper that at times made him crazy. During a discussion of family affairs he told his wife and two children that he was going to end it all. He went to a trunk and got the gun and immediately carried out his threat. He returned from the North Dakota harvest fields and his wife had but lately returned home from a severe operation at a Minneapolis hospital. Mr. Dupee was well known hereabouts and his act was a surprise to all.

Cass Lake.—Annie Aldrich, 6, died at Boy River of diphtheria.

Chisholm.—The village council let the contract for excavating for the new recreational building to Winslow & Salvi for $68,000.

Brainerd.—Odd Fellows of Brainerd held a reunion and homecoming celebration for Odd Fellow soldiers. The local Odd Fellows lodge had 14 men in the service.

Owatonna.—M. J. Dowling of Oliva, delivered the memorial address which featured the United Church Roosevelt Memorial meeting held at the Baptist church here.

Marshall.—Arthur Dresser, 23 years old, fell from a scaffold at Russell and died at a Marshall hospital a few hours later. Dresser's home was at Red Wood Falls.

East Grand Forks.—Teachers from all departments of the East Grand Forks schools attended the institute meetings which were held in Crookston last week.

Winona.—John T. Blair, 92 years old, vice president of the Winona County Old Settlers' association and a resident of this county since 1854, died at the home of his son here.

Pipestone.—A large number of members of the Mystic Shrine in this vicinity are making plans to go to St. Paul for the meeting to be held at Osman temple, early in November.

Owatonna.—The Owatonna chapter of the American Red Cross at its annual meeting here, re-elected its officers. A committee of three was appointed to consider plans for a membership drive.

Gilbert.—Because nobody wanted the job as postmaster, the postoffice at Sparta, established 20 years ago, has been discontinued. The Sparta office was one of the oldest on the Mesaba range.

St. Paul.—State aid of $2,770,440 to schools for the year ending July 21, 1919, was certified by J. M. McConnell, commissioner of education to State Auditor J. A. O. Preus. Aid apportionments are granted 6,323 schools.

St. Paul.—A charter creating the Security State bank of Moose Lake was delivered by F. E. Pearson, superintendent of the state banking department, to August F. Rohleder of St. Paul, president of the new institution.

Hastings.—A. M. Northrop, 70 years old, died in a hospital here. He is survived by two daughters. Interment was at River Falls, Wis. B. C. Cadwell, 80 years old, also died. He is survived by three sons and three daughters.

Hutchinson.—The Hutchinson Co-operative creamery captured first prize for its cheese at the National Dairy show in Chicago. The creamery won a gold medal in national competition and a silver medal for the best Minnesota cheese.

Hibbing.—Hearing on the Hibbing injunction case to prevent moving of tracks, building and, in fact, the heart of the northern part of the town, to the "new" Hibbing at Alice that was to have come before Judge Edward Freeman, was continued until Nov. 24.

Virginia.—Negotiations involving the purchase of three lots from Alderman Elmer Matheson have been practically completed by the local Masonic order, which will build a lodge home next spring. The lots are located on First street south, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and are held at $8,000.

Cass Lake.—Earl Childs, with his father, W. C. Childs of Federal Dam, missing since last Friday, when they went duck hunting on Leech Lake, are believed to have drowned in the lake during a heavy windstorm. The boat in which the men went hunting, which was fitted with an attachable motor, had not been found, but two oars and a gasoline can were found floating on the surface of the lake.

Eveleth.—Funeral services have been held for John Kolbuchar, leaving a wife and seven children, who was smothered to death by a cave-in in the Spruce mine under ground. Companions managed to rush to safety as the mass of earth and timbers started to fall, but the victim was unable to get away. His body when found was almost devoid of bruises, indicating that death had apparently resulted from suffocation.

Black Duck.—The reckless days when this place was a lumbering town were recalled when a dog, digging into the earth back of a building, unearthed the bones of a human body. It was recalled by old timers that the building had at one time been a saloon. Coroner H. N. McKee was called from Bemidji to investigate and found that the skull belonging to the body had been crushed by some instrument. There was nothing in the crude grave which could be used for identification.

Canby.—A Canby bull got bull-headed recently and in less than two minutes it caused the destruction of $2,000 worth of property and a train wreck; two men narrowly escaped death and railroad traffic was tied up for several hours. The bull ambled on to the Chicago and Northwestern right of way as a freight train approached. The whistle screamed, the bull bellowed. The train couldn't stop and the bull wouldn't get out of the way. A dead bull lay in the ditch; the train made five yards and went down into the ditch. The engineer and fireman went over with the engine but escaped serious injury.

Virginia.—Members of the American Legion post here will be asked to form the nucleus of the local National Guard company, if the plans of officers of Company I are realized. Col Woolnough, who inspected Company I, also favors the use of returned service men in the National Guard, according to the Virginia company officers who conferred with him here.

Pipestone.—Lieut. Robert Ryan, formerly of Pipestone, who served in the army in France, is seriously ill in a hospital at Sioux Falls as a consequence of injuries sustained in an airplane landing.

BIFF!

Stop jolting Liver and Bowels with violent drugs, but take "Cascarets."

"Dynamiting" bile out of your system with calomel and other sickening purgatives is all wrong. Salts, Oil, and Cathartic Waters act by flooding the bowels with the digestive juices which are vital to the stomach. Cascarets are different. They act as a tonic to the bowel muscles, which is the only sensible way to relieve a bilious attack, a sour, acid stomach, or constipated bowels. There is no griping or inconvenience. You naturally return to regularity and cheerfulness. Cascarets cost very little and they work while you sleep.—Adv.

Demonstration Essential.

"Why was it necessary for you to add anything to the voluminous and enlightening remarks already offered on this subject?"

"It wasn't positively necessary," answered Senator Sorghum, "except on my own account. I had to say something to keep the folks out home from thinking I was losing my influence."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Trouble.

Hub (arriving home)—Your eyes look red. What's the matter?

Wife—Oh, nothing.

Hub—Yes, there is. What is it—something that happened at home or something you saw at the movies?

A Lady of Distinction.

Is recognized by the delicate fascinating influence of the perfume she uses. A bath with Cuticura Soap and hot water to thoroughly cleanse the pores, followed by a dusting with Cuticura Talcum Powder usually means a clear, sweet, healthy skin.—Adv.

Discouraging.

"I shall never ask Jack for his advice again."

"What's the matter, dear?"

"He never thinks what I've made up my mind to do is right."

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Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Headache, Colds, Pain, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

Its Sort.

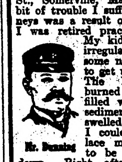
"Here are the boys in the pantry squabbling over the remnant of pie."

"Ah! a regular piece conference."

The indolent man takes out in wanting what the diligent man goes after and gets.

Refused Insurance

Mr. Dunning Left Service in Bad Shape, But Doan's Soon Corrected His Trouble.



Geo. Dunning, ex-Chief Boatswain Mate of the U. S. Navy, 470 Medford St., Somerville, Mass., says: "Every bit of trouble I suffered from my kidneys was a result of exposure at sea. I was retired practically an invalid. My kidneys became more irregular all the time and some nights I was forced to get up every half hour. The kidney secretions burned like fire and were filled with brick-dust-like sediment. My joints swelled and were inflamed. I couldn't bend over to lace my shoes and had to be helped up and down. Right after my retirement from service I tried to get insured, but was turned down because of kidney trouble. I began taking *Doan's Kidney Pills* and used sixteen boxes. By that time every sign of kidney trouble left me and my back was like iron; not an ache or pain left. I tried for insurance again and was declared a good risk. I give *Doan's Kidney Pills* credit for putting me in perfect health."

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Let EATONIC, the wonderful modern stomach remedy, give you quick relief from disgusting belching, food-repeating, indigestion, bloated, gassy stomach, dyspepsia, heartburn and other stomach miseries. They are all caused by Acid-Stomach from which about nine people out of ten suffer in one way or another. One writes as follows: "Before I used EATONIC, I could not eat a bite without belching it right up, sour and bitter. I have not had a bit of trouble since the first tablet."

Millions are victims of Acid-Stomach without knowing it. They are weak and ailing, have poor digestion, bodies improperly nourished although they may eat heartily. Grave disorders are likely to follow if an acid-stomach is neglected. Cirrhosis of the liver, intestinal congestion, gastritis, catarrh of the stomach—these are only a few of the many ailments often caused by Acid-Stomach.

A sufferer from Catarrh of the Stomach of 11 years' standing writes: "I had catarrh of the stomach for 11 long years and I never found anything to do me any good—just temporary relief—until I used EATONIC. It is a wonderful remedy and I do not want to be without it."

If you are not feeling quite right—lack energy and enthusiasm and don't know just where to locate the trouble—try EATONIC and see how much better you will feel in every way.

At all drug stores—a big box for 50c and your money back if you are not satisfied.

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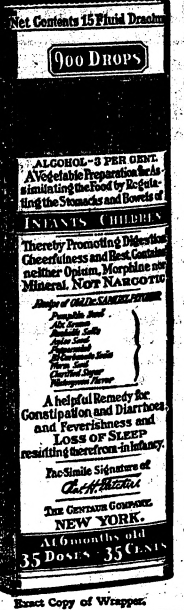
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I am prepared to supply you with choice potatoes of standard varieties, suitable for either eating or seed.

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[illegible] these potatoes, I [illegible]

All Potatoes Guaranteed To Be First Class

All orders must be [illegible] State [illegible] deposit of one-half cash [illegible] above quantities [illegible] in Holt. All buyers will be [illegible] expected to come [illegible]

[illegible] on or before Nov. 15th [illegible] potatoes to arrive [illegible] December 1st.

Yours truly,

August Shogren,

Middle River, Minn.

Notice

Several men wanted at once for cutting timber and clearing land in the corporate limits of Holt.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Hay for Sale

Sixty tons of good wild hay. Hay is stacked on the NW 1-4 Sec. 7, in Mud Lake township. Call on or address

Grant Flakne,

Holt, Minn.

Read the electric light notice.

Your Red Cross button proves your Americanism.

More snow Sunday and Monday makes it seem like real winter weather.

Pay your electric light bill before next Monday or a penalty of ten per cent will be added to it.

Telephone bills for the month of October are past due. Please call at the central office at once and settle these accounts.

Estray: Red milch cow left my place Oct. 8th. Please notify the owner Harald Ness, R. 1. Holt, Minn.

Miss Mabel Hagglund's school in Dist. 152 will give a basket social Friday eve Nov. 7th. Everybody invited.

The winter schedule goes into effect on the rural route Nov., 15th. Mail your Christmas parcels early.

The [illegible] annual convention of the Red River Valley Dairymen's Association will be held at Crookston on December 10th and 11th.

There is to be examinations at Thief River Falls and Warren Dec. 13th for rural mail carriers at [illegible] and other vacancies [illegible] in Marshall County [illegible]. Application blanks should be made at once to the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

The Girl Scouts will solicit memberships in the Red Cross Nov. 2-11

Give yourself a Christmas present. Buy the Red Cross Magazine.

B. Docken, Holt, Minn. has a good quarter section of land to trade for auto or other property

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For Sale or Trade

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

Merchants State Bank,

Red Lake Falls,

Minnesota

J. H. Johnson, town of Rosa, raised a big crop of rutabagas this year. He had two acres and estimates the yield at 1600 bushels. At one cent a pound his crop would be worth $600.00, or $450.00 per acre. Who can beat it?—Badger Herald-Hustler.

Relief quickly obtained through Dr. Albertson's Chiropractic Adjustments. Acute and chronic diseases successfully treated. Even those who have been pronounced incurable, have been restored to perfect health again. Phone No. 85. Crookston, Minn.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen Dollars, which became due on the 8th day of August 1918, which said sum is now due and payable upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Benno Mensel and Charlotte Mensel, husband and wife, Mortgagors to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a Minnesota Corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of August 1918 and with a Power of Sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall Minnesota on the 10th day of September 1918, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 83 of Mortgages on page 68

AND WHEREAS by reason of the default hereinbefore mentioned the said Mortgagee [illegible] to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable, making [illegible] and 74-100 Dollars which is claimed to be due and is due upon the aforesaid mortgage at the date of this notice

AND WHEREAS said mortgage is conditioned that if the Mortgagors shall fail to pay their prior mortgage of Three Thousand Dollars upon the same land or any installment of interest thereon, [illegible] payable [illegible] may pay the same [illegible] mortgage [illegible] default having been made in the payment of One Hundred Sixty-five Dollars interest due August 8th 1918, and in the payment of One Hundred Sixty-five Dollars interest due August 8th, 1919, upon said prior mortgage represented by coupon interest notes bearing [illegible] per cent interest after maturity, the same was paid by the undersigned, said Mortgagee, and there is now due and claimed to be due upon the date of this notice upon account of the interest so paid upon said prior mortgage Three Hundred Forty-one and 88-100 Dollars, in all amounting to the sum of Five Hundred Six and 88-100 Dollars due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit: The East half of the East half (E½ of E½) West half of the North East quarter (W½ of NE¼), Northwest quarter (NW¼) of Southeast quarter (NW¼ of SE¼), and Northeast quarter of Southwest quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Eleven (11) Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty-one (41) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and located in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 15th day of November 1919, at ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Hundred Six and 88-100 Dollars and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, September 23, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of

Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee.

Fred L. Farley

Attorney for Mortgagee.

Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

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Monday Nov. 17

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $2.00

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Autos and Machines

of all kinds

Oxy-Acetylene Welding

of any kind done on short notice

Bring in your [illegible] for winter storage

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AUCTION SALE!

Having sold the farm I will sell at public auction on my place in section 11, Town of Holt, 6 1-2 miles northeast of Holt, 7 miles south of Middle River, commencing at 11 o'clock, the following property, on

Wed. Nov. 12

4 Head of Horses

1 bay horse [illegible] years, weight [illegible]

1 grey horse [illegible] years, weight [illegible]

1 black mare [illegible] years, weight [illegible]

1 black horse weight 1200

15 Head of Cattle

[illegible] milch cows, [illegible] fresh soon

[illegible] Shorthorn bull

[illegible] spring calves

[illegible] dozen brown Leghorn chix

Farm Machinery, Etc

Grain wagon [illegible]

Low wide tire wagon [illegible]

6 foot binder 11 foot Acme rake

5 foot McCormick mower

Hay rack 16 disk Peoria drill

2 wheel sweep rake, good as new

[illegible] Corn planter with 80 rods wire

[illegible] 4 sec iron harrow

[illegible] gang plow 14 disk pulverizer

16 in breaking plow cultivator

14 in walking plow grindstone

[illegible] work harness grain sacks

[illegible] single harness 240 lb scales

leather fly-nets 50 gal water tank

[illegible] post hole digger, many [illegible] tools, etc.

Hay, Grain, Etc.

About [illegible] tons of hay, part time

About [illegible] bu of oats

Considerable dry stove wood

Household Goods, Etc

Library table, center table, settee

Bookcase, couch, rocking chairs

Beds, dresser, wash-stand

Dining table, set chairs, sideboard

Cupboards, kitchen cabinet

Coal heater, 2 wood heaters

Cream separator and cream cans

Dishes, and many small articles too numerous to mention

A. S. Bean, Owner

Ole C. Brenna, Auctioneer Holt State Bank, Clerk

State Historical Society

[illegible] HI[illegible] SOCIETY

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

[illegible] will have an auction sale Saturday Nov. 22nd.

Dr. Turley, the dentist will be in Holt again on Monday, Nov. 17th.

Harold Adams went to Dugdale Friday for a short visit with home folks.

[illegible] Nelson of Thief River Falls visited home folks a few days this week.

The young people enjoyed a party [illegible] night this week.

[illegible]

[illegible] went to Minneapolis [illegible] to attend the big meeting of the American Legion.

The school observed Armistice Day last Tuesday by giving the teachers and pupils a holiday.

Miss Hilma [illegible] came down from [illegible] last week to keep house for her brother Ole.

On account of the bad weather the Parent-Teacher meeting was postponed until next Tuesday evening.

Bergman Folden returned home Wednesday from St. Cloud, Minn., where he has been working for some time.

Melvin Bakke returned home Friday from Devils Lake, N. Dak., where he has been working for several months.

Engeval Johnson went to Crookston the forepart of the week to take [illegible] course at the agricultural college.

Mrs. Chas. Winnegge and three children of Devils Lake, N. Dak., came Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Garfe.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Folden went to Thief River Falls Saturday where the latter had a slight operation performed on Tuesday morning and is getting along as well as could be expected.

Mrs. V. M. Carlson and son John of Minneapolis, came last Friday to make an extended visit at the home of A. L. Carlson and family of Holt and Arvid Carlson and family of Newfolden.

Fred Steinhauer and family returned home Saturday from an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christofferson at Duluth and report them as doing well and liking their home in that city.

Relief quickly obtained through Dr. Albertson's Chiropractic Adjustments. Acute and chronic diseases successfully treated. Even those who have been pronounced incurable, have been restored to perfect health again. Phone No. 85. Crookston, Minn.

Live Stock Sale!

Great Combination Sale at Plummer, Red Lake County, Minnesota Wednesday Nov. 19th, 1919 under the auspices of the Red Lake County Farm Bureau and Breeders Assn.

On above date will be offered 60 head of Pure Bred Shorthorns, 20 cows, 20 heifers and 20 bulls. This will be a grand opportunity to secure some of the best individuals that will be offered in the northern part of the state this season of both the milking strain and beef type as this draft is being made from some of the best herds in the valley. In addition to this grand Shorthorn consignment there will be offered many Pure Bred Holstein and Hereford Cattle, Percheron Stallions and Mares, French Draft and Morgan Stallions, Poland China, Duroc Jersey and Chester White Boars and Gilts, Shropshire Ewes and Rams. Beside the pure bred entries the sale will contain 50 grade Shorthorn and Holstein cows and heifers, 200 breeding ewes and many good farm mares.

Address inquiries to C. C. Lake, County Agent, or Frank Jeffers, President Breeders Assn., Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Our Alien Laborers

In the iron and steel manufacturing industry of the United States [illegible] per cent of the men employed are of foreign birth. Of these [illegible] per cent were formerly on farms [illegible] countries.

In the slaughtering and meat packing industry, 61 per cent of the men are foreign born.

In the bituminous coal mining, 62 per cent are foreign-born (only 24 per cent of them had former experience in mining).

In the woolen and worsted manufacturing 62 per cent are foreign born, silk goods and dyeing 34 per cent, cotton 69 per cent, in the clothing manufacturing 72 per cent, boots and shoes 27 per cent, furniture 59 per cent, leather tanning 67 per cent, glove 58, oil refining 67 per cent are foreign-born.

One-quarter of the foreign-born wage earners are unable to read and write their own language.

With the exception of the North Italian, no race of recent immigration with a residence in this country of five to nine years exhibited a proportion as high as 16 per cent of their number who had been fully naturalized. One-half of the foreign wage earners from non-English speaking countries were able to speak the English language.

Albert Bennes had dental work done in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Miss Bernice Hobbs went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to have dental work done.

Kettle Sollom returned home Tuesday from Middle River where he had been doing road grading for several weeks.

Clarence Larson commenced hauling the mail on the Golden Valley route Tuesday and expects to continue the work during the winter.

The community auction sale Saturday was a success in every way. A large crowd was in attendance and every thing brot good prices.

A few farmers went to Warren Tuesday to attend a road and ditch hearing and many more would have gone had the roads and weather been better.

The Zion Ladies Aid have postponed their auction sale to Saturday Nov 15th at 1 P. M., at the school house in Dist. No. 148. Lunch will be served.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Sunday School 11 o'clock. Services Golden Valley, T. G. Dahl's, 3 o'clock

The Nazareth Young People's Society will have a parcel social at the Woodman hall on Friday evening Nov. 14th. Everybody invited.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

Notice

Will the party who took one of my harness lines out of my [illegible] Saturday Nov. 8th., please return the same at once as I have a pretty good opinion who he is.

Hjalmer Johnson

Red Cross Notice

Miss Warner, the Red Cross field worker, will be in Holt next Thursday and wishes to see all those in need of food relief, who have not already received aid.

For Sale

Doors, windows, hardwood finishing lumber, etc., formerly used in the Holt school building. Parties wishing to buy, should see the clerk.

H. J. O[illegible]

A Basket Social will be given [illegible] Pioneer School District No. [illegible] Friday evening Nov. 21st, commencing at 8 o'clock. Program [illegible] follows [illegible] Ladies [illegible] bring baskets. Everybody welcome.

Mary Plevie

Teacher

The P. A. Anderson estate will have an auction sale to-morrow (Saturday.)

John Nesseth and family departed Monday for their former home in California.

The Zion Ladies' Aid will have an auction sale in Dist 148 on Saturday Nov. 15th. at 1 P. M.

L. Fisk came up from Thief River Falls Monday to do carpenter work on the new school house in Holt.

A. L. Carlson and family and Mrs. V. M. Carlson and son John, visited Arvid Carlson and family of Newfolden Sunday.

The first Parents-Teacher meeting will be held Tuesday evening in the Mission church and all parents are urged to attend.

Miss Julia Nohre came from Litchfield, N. D., Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. P. P. Reierson and family for sometime.

The Zion Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Fred Peterson at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon Nov. 19th. Everybody welcome.

Elmer and Oscar Odie and Bernard Larson went to Middle River Monday where the former made final proof on his wife's homestead.

Several inches of snow fell here Monday and the storm reached almost the magnitude of a blizzard. The roads were blocked and freight trains did not run until Wednesday. This is said to be the worst storm coming so early in the season, that has been experienced in this part of the country for more than twenty years.

Nearly all of the farmers to the east of Holt and many others interested in a better ditch system, attended the hearing at T. R. Falls last Friday. A few witnesses were heard and arguments on both sides were made by the attorneys and then the meeting was postponed to Jan. 29th. In the meantime there is still lots for the farmers to think about and perhaps some work to do in their own interests.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Myhrer will hold services here next Sunday evening at eight o'clock. All are welcome.

Notice!

Men are wanted to cut fence posts on the S. W. 1-4—25—156—43. Enquire at the Holt State Bank.

For Sale

Seed buckwheat at $3.50 per hundred lbs., if taken at once.

W. E. Damon

Holt, Minn.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Nils Engebretson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nils Engebretsen, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Oliane Engebretsen

It is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 8th day of May 1920, at eleven o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms, at the City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS as provided by law.

Dated Oct. 30th, 1919

[COURT SEAL.] Peter H. Holm,

Judge of Probate.

Electric Light Notice!

Notice is hereby given that all electric light and power bills for the month of October 1919 will become due Nov. 1st, 1919 and should be paid as soon due to A. L. Carlson, the village treasurer who has the statements of the amounts due. A ten per cent penalty will be added to all bills not paid by Nov. 10, 1919, and if not paid by Nov. 15th, 1919, the service will be discontinued at once. This plan will apply to all the following months until further notice is given.

By order of the village council.

B. A. Riesberg, President

H. B. Young, Clerk

WM. J. BROWN, Lawyer

Former County Attorney Marshall County

Drainage Matters

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First National Bank Building

Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Guy Anderson was unable to make the mail route the forepart of the week on account of the snow drifts which are caused by the brush along the roads. Government regulations provide that patrons must keep the roads open if they wish the mail delivered, also the roads opened to their boxes and the carrier is not required to break roads or shovel a road in the highway or to the boxes of the patrons.

If the brush was cut along the roads lots of this trouble would be eliminated.

P. A. Anderson sale to-morrow.

HARNESS REPAIRING

Bring in your Harness and old Collars

All work strictly first class

SHOE REPAIRING

Paul B. Siljestrom

Farmers State Bank Building

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 56
Wheat No. 2	2 51
Wheat No. 3	2 41
Wheat No. 4	2 31
Wheat No. 5	2 21
Flax	4 41
Oats	59
Barley	97 to 1 07
Rye	1 15
Flour, Best Patent	6 75

City Meat Market

All kinds of

Fresh & Cured Meats

Cold Meats, Poultry

Canned Goods

Vegetables, Etc.

Herb Walker, Prop.

Holt Cafe!

Ice Cream Parlor

and

Confectionery

Hot Lunches all hours

A nice line of Bakery Goods

Nice Booths and Tables,

for the serving of Ice Cream

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Your New Barn

Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

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City Barber Shop

[illegible]

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French Dry Cleaners

All work guaranteed satisfactory.

Olai Sovde

Holt, Minn.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,

(Seal) Notary Public.

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Holt, Minn.

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Tell us the news and help your home paper.

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Get instant relief with "Pape's Cold Compound"

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a cold and ends all grippe misery.

The very first dose opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of your head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness, stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist on Pape's!—Adv.

For His Own Good.

"What became of Niblick who used to be in the ribbons and laces?"

"We've transferred him to the hardware department," answered the manager. "He was getting too sentimental with some of our feminine patrons. If he's called to wait on a woman in the hardware department she'll probably be the kind who won't stand any foolishness."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

FOGGY?

If Bilious, Constipated or Headachy take "Cascarets."

Tomorrow the sun will shine for you. Everything will seem clear, rosy and bright. Your system is filled with liver and bowel poison which keeps your skin sallow, your stomach upset, your head foggy and aching. Your meals are turning into poison, gases and acids. You cannot feel right. Don't stay bilious or constipated. Feel splendid always by taking Cascarets occasionally. They act without griping or inconvenience. They never sicken you like Calomel, Salts, Oil or nasty, harsh pills. They cost so little too—Cascarets work while you sleep.—Adv.

Keeping to the Truth.

"I engaged the rooms for my holiday," he said, "because the landlady wrote me that they overlooked a superb garden of 200 acres richly adorned with statuary, where I was at liberty to promenade."

"Well?" his friend inquired.

"It was a cemetery," he said bitterly.—London Tit-Bits.

Never judge a ring by the jeweler's name on the box.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
[illegible] Restores Color and Beauty to Gray and Faded Hair
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[illegible]

HINDERCORNS Removes Corns, Callouses, etc., stops all pain, ensures comfort to the feet, makes walking easy. [illegible] by mail or at Druggists. Hiscox Chemical Works, Patchogue, N. Y.

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STATE BREVITIES

International Falls.—On account of the near approach of the freeze-up period, the city council has decided to suspend street paving for this season.

Jenkins.—The school in Jenkins has been closed two weeks on account of scarlet fever, the malady being attended in two instances with serious results.

East Grand Forks.—Members of the Western Polk County Breeders' association will meet here soon to complete arrangements for the first annual stock sale which will be held here Nov. 28.

Moorhead.—Amendments to the Moorhead city charter, authorizing bond issues for public improvements aggregating $41,500, were recommended to the city council by the charter commission.

Thief River Falls.—A. J. Anderson and County Agent J. J. McCann are the sponsors for the sheep club contest to be held in this city on Nov. 15. The lambs will be exhibited in the lobby of the Citizens' State Bank.

Redwood Falls.—The Redwood Electric Telephone company has taken over the local business of the Tri-State Northwestern exchange. The Northwestern company will maintain a checking office and their long distance service here.

Worthington.—William Schwarts, 22 years old, is dead from a gunshot wound received while hunting with several friends. Schwartz, it is said, was crawling through the grass when he was shot by another member of the party. The charge struck him in the abdomen. An investigation will be made.

Mankato.—Arnold Schulz, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Schulz of Fairmont, was injured in the manual training department of the school. He was using a small circular saw, which is operated by electric power. His left hand was caught in some manner by the saw and lacerated in a painful and serious manner.

Moorhead.—St. Louis county was declared the winner here of the county contest in the Minnesota Potato Growers' association potato show, held in conjunction with the association's annual meeting. Itasca county won second; Clay county, third; Kittson county, fourth; Lake county, fifth; Norman county, sixth; Clearwater county, seventh, and Red Lake county, eighth.

Minneapolis.—Judge Jelley in district court upheld the validity of the state soldiers' bonus b'l. He sustained the demurrer interposed by the attorney general's office to the action brought by A. Gustafson, a taxpayer, attacking the validity of the law. An appeal will be taken immediately to the supreme court in order that an early ruling of that court may be had upon the law.

Duluth.—A convention of the Northern Minnesota Development association will open here Friday, Nov. 14. In connection with the convention the first annual sale of Guernsey cattle will be held under the auspices of the Minnesota Guernsey Breeders' association. Catalogues are out for the first consignment sale and auction of pure bred sires, cows and heifers. E. P. Gibson is chairman of the sales committee. Oliver S. Johnson auctioneer, and W. P. Hicken will act as clerk of sales.

St. Paul.—The $5,000 state soldiers' bonus applications filed to date represent about half of the estimated claims to be filed under the bonus law, according to Major W. A. Curtis, executive officer of the state bonus board. Following preliminary examination, many of the applications will be sent to Washington, where additional information will be obtained regarding the service records of applicants. When these applications are returned the bonus board will begin acting on the claims.

Duluth.—Rather than die by starvation and cold, James Francisco, caretaker for the summer place of C. L. Simmons of Bloomington, Ill., on Wabana Lake, seventeen miles from Coleraine, shot himself. A letter he left explained how he suffered from blood poisoning that rendered him helpless and unable to gather supplies of wood or reach provisions stored in the cellar. The body was found by Jack Hayes, a neighbor. Francisco's signals for help were mistaken for the shots of duck hunters on the lake, it is believed.

St. Paul.—Four Minnesota cities—Eveleth, Crookston, Thief River Falls and Cloquet—held elections last week. Mayors were elected in each of these cities. At Eveleth a returned soldier, Victor E. Essling, was elected mayor, receiving 394 votes to 346 cast for Edward H. Hatch, present mayor. At Cloquet, J. E. Biesen, an attorney, defeated M. K. Whittamore, a dentist, for mayor. Frank A. Grady was elected mayor of Crookston, defeating J. E. Morrissey. The closing of theaters on Sundays was the issue at Thief River Falls. John Bratrud, who opposed such closing, was elected mayor. He received 406 votes to 256 cast for his opponent, N. B. Stevenson.

Winona.—Several suits are threatened as the result of the shooting of four boys at Chatfield, near here, during a Halloween celebration. The shooting is alleged to have been done by Charles Cotton, a Civil war veteran. The affair has caused considerable feeling in that vicinity.

St. Cloud.—The school bond issue submitted to the St. Cloud school district, empowering the board of education to apply to the state of Minnesota for bonds in the amount of $130,000 for a new school building, was carried by a vote of 312 in favor of the issue and 85 opposed.

International Falls.—The city council has rented the Oveson storeroom adjoining the city hall which will be used as a hook and ladder station.

Tyler.—A municipal hospital will be erected in Tyler early in the spring. The committee in charge report that $30,000 has already been subscribed.

New Ulm.—John Schnobrich, son of Martin Schnobrich of New Ulm, lost his left hand in a corn shredder, while assisting in shredding operations at the farm of Henry Reinhart in Cottonwood township.

Hendricks.—Lewis Lende, 21, is in a serious condition after being accidentally shot and severely injured while hunting near Astoria, west of here. He was crawling through a fence with a loaded gun.

Winona.—Permission to close the station at Homer, five miles south of this city, has been granted the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad company by the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission.

Virginia.—Growth of Virginia is reflected in the steady gain of enrollment in the local schools. In October the enrollment was 3,394, compared with 3,173 a year ago, an increase of 221. Night classes also are popular.

Stillwater.—On complaint of J. C. Thomas, special agent of the Omaha railroad, Clarence Carlson, 10, and Hartford Ellis, 12, both of Baytown, were arrested on charge of placing obstructions on the tracks of the company in that locality consisting of rocks and iron bolts. The case is in juvenile court.

Hibbing.—Last week's snow storm was a record breaker for these parts, old settlers say, an unprecedented fall of snow for this time of year being reported, interfering with steam and electric railroad traffic and making any sort of getting about a burden. Snow plows were used by the village of Stunts to make roads passable.

Hastings.—The Minnesota Christian Endeavor union, incorporated, was the recipient of an engraved mahogany gavel with a silver plate, suitably inscribed, from the Commercial club of Duluth. The gavel was received by Miss Kate M. Shubert of Hastings, state secretary of the society. It was in commemoration of the union's recent convention held in Duluth.

Crookston.—Although the average price per head for boars, gilts and rams at the first annual sale held at the livestock pavilion was not high, the attendance reached close to 250 and every animal put up was quickly purchased. Twenty-five hundred and thirty-five dollars was what the entire lot of animals, including approximately fifty hogs and ten sheep, totaled.

Winona.—The annual convention of the Southeastern Minnesota Congregational association, which was held here in a two days' session, was arranged in connection with the reopening of the First Congregational church after extensive repairs and remodeling which the church has undergone during the last four months. More than fifty delegates from outside cities were in attendance.

St. Paul.—The State Board of Control, having turned in $1,650,000 on collections for twine and machinery made at Stillwater, Henry Rines, state treasurer, reported a balance of $11,258,282 in Minnesota's cash box. The big remittance by the Board of Control was credited to the state prison revolving fund, after approximately $500,000 had been taken to cover advances to the funds under a new law. The balance will be held until January, when it will be used to buy raw materials for the prison plant.

St. Paul.—Official statistics presented to Governor Burnquist indicate that the high cost of living has caused a number of families in Minnesota to temporarily dispose of their children, so that husband and wife may both obtain employment and live in one or two rooms. High rents, coupled with the high cost of food, has compelled a number of women in distress to turn their children over to the charitable institutions, according to S. W. Dickinson, superintendent of the Children's Home Society of Minnesota, St. Paul. In addition to this method, parents have placed their children in cheap boarding houses, according to Dickinson, and it is alleged that investigations disclose a number of cases of delinquency.

St. Paul.—Specialists and farm bureau men of the agricultural extension division of the University of Minnesota have started a movement to bring about state-wide co-operation by the co-operative creamery associations. What many regard as certain tendencies of the times, emphasized now and then by charges and statements that certain allied interests are attempting to control the entire food industry of the United States, have prompted the belief that co-operative creamery associations of Minnesota should stand together. Under the plan proposed for more general co-operation by Minnesota co-operative creameries the county is to be the unit and ultimately a powerful state-wide federation is to follow in natural sequence. Owners and managers of private plants will be offered membership in the county organization. Co-operative creameries of Minnesota number more than 600, or an average of seven such plants for every county.

Hibbing.—Two Superior girls, 16 and 18, who started out to see the world by running away from home, were picked up by the police here, and Police Matron Miss Tyler of the Wisconsin city escorted them home yesterday. The girls had been employed as domestics.

Bemidji.—Clifford Gaines was held up about three miles from town on his way to W. G. Schroeder's farm, and was robbed of his watch and $1.11. The robber dragged the young man from his seat on the wagon down to the ground, kicking and otherwise abusing him.

ARMISTICE DAY DULY OBSERVED

Washington Sets Official Pace in Celebrating Anniversary of Eventful Day.

NATION IS GRATEFUL

President Wilson, General Pershing and Secretary Baker Transmit Appropriate Greetings for the Day.

Washington, Nov. 11.—As darkness fell over the national capital last night, three huge illuminated crosses shone out from the high walls of the war risk insurance bureau building, across Lafayette square from the White House, and the celebration of Armistice day, the first anniversary of the cessation of the hostilities in the world war began. The giant symbols were formed by light pouring from selected windows in the otherwise dark facades of the great structure and one of them looked directly down on the square where official Washington will join today in celebrating the new anniversary.

To the country at large, formal messages commemorating the day were sent out by President Wilson, members of his cabinet and General Pershing.

Day Filled With Pride.

The president said to Americans the reflections of Armistice day would be filled with solemn pride in the heroism of those who died in the country's services and with gratitude for the victory both because of "the thing from which it had freed us, and because of the opportunity it has given America to show her sympathy with peace and justice in the councils of the nations."

The exercise by the American people of practical patriotism during the war, General Pershing said, was an avowal of their firm adherence to the principles of free government that will continue to have great influence upon the progressive thought throughout the world.

Secretary Baker said that while mourning the dead, the nation was grateful for their achievement and for that of their living brothers and that "in the name of both we may hope for an early accomplishment of the terms of peace that shall complete their work upon the battlefields of France."

Today, in the presence of cabinet officers, Generals Pershing and March and many other officials, two redwood trees will be planted in Lafayette square to commemorate the day. An army firing platoon will take part in the ceremony and later engage in mimic warfare with all the tools that trench fighting in France developed.

NORTHWEST IN STORM'S GRIP

Heavy Snowfall Ties Up Traffic at Many Points.

Fargo, N. D., Nov. 11.—A record snowfall of more than 18 inches in the past 36 hours, at times accompanied by a 36-mile gale, held the Northwest snowbound from early yesterday morning until midnight last night. In Fargo the precipitation started with a rain at 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon and it continued to rain until early Sunday morning, when snow started falling.

Street car traffic was blocked early in the morning in this city, the snow plows even being stuck in drifts later in the forenoon. Taxicabs attempted to do business, but in the afternoon they, too, had to give up. Enormous drifts in the streets made virtually every kind of traffic impossible long before the close of the day.

All freight trains running into and out of Fargo were cancelled yesterday afternoon, although the passenger trains attempted to run.

The storm is said to have been the worst on record for this section at so early a date.

FRAZIER ISSUES ULTIMATUM

Tells Coal Operators They Must Open Mines or State Will.

Bismarck, Nov. 11.—Coal mines of the state will be taken over by Governor Frazier for operation during the strike unless by this evening at 6 o'clock the operators will have come to an agreement with the mine workers.

This was announced in a proclamation issued yesterday afternoon from the office of the governor. Facing the calamity of a general fuel famine, due to the shutdown of the mines at a time when one of the worst blizzards for this time of the year in history was sweeping the state. The governor pointed out that the necessity for immediate action was forced upon him.

War Service Bonds Proposed.

Minneapolis, Nov. 11.—War service adustment bonds amoujnting to $1 for each day in the federal service were proposed last night to an American Legion committee at the first national convention opened here yesterday, by Henry D. Lindsley, chairman of the convention, as the solution of the much discussed problem of compensating service men and women for their physical and financial sacrifices. A favorable committee report on the recommendation was expected.

RESERVE RIGHT OF WITHDRAWAL

Senate Passes First Reservation on League Plan by Close Party Vote.

REPUBLICANS UNITED

United States to Be Sole Judge of Right to Withdraw—Sponsors of Reservation Say Will Carry 13 More.

Washington, Nov. 10.—A resolution purposing to safeguard the nation's right to withdraw from membership in the league of nations was adopted by the senate Saturday with every Republican senator and six Democrats voting for it or paired in its support.

Holding the whip hand by a safe majority, the Republican leaders swept aside every suggested modification and carried the reservation through exactly as approved by the foreign relations committee.

Two Republican senators of the mild reservation group led a stubborn fight to alter it, but after they had failed, voted for adoption.

Vote Is 50 to 35.

The final count was 50 to 35, and pairs announced for the absentees. Five Democrats, Senators Reed, Missouri; Gore, Oklahoma; Smith, Georgia; Walsh, Massachusetts, and Chamberlain, Oregon, voted in the affirmative while Senator Shield, Democrat, Tennessee, was paired in favor of the reservation.

The first of the fourteen proposed by the committee to carry out a program which its sponsors say has been pledged a safe majority throughout, the reservation provides:

Text of Reservation.

"The United States so understands and construes Article I that in case of notice of withdrawal from the league of nations, as provided in said article, the United States shall be the sole judge as to whether all its international obligations and all its obligations under said covenant have been fulfilled and notice of withdrawal by the United States may be given by a concurrent resolution of the Congress of the United States."

MUST CANCEL STRIKE ORDER

Anderson, Federal Judge, So Directs Union Miners' Leaders.

Indianapolis, Nov. 10.—The United Mine Workers of America were on Saturday ordered to withdraw the strike order under which 400,000 men quit work on November 1.

The mandate was issued by Judge A. B. Anderson, of the United States district court, after a hearing in which the union attorneys fought vainly for a chance to present arguments on the right to strike.

The union was given until November 11, at 6 p. m., to issue the cancellation. The date was selected because so many defendants were absent. The union attorneys explained the absentees must be summoned by telegraph from many parts of the country to issue the cancellation order.

The attorneys announced that President Lewis and Secretary Green of the union purposed obeying the court order, but that they could not speak for their fellow officials.

BLAME GARY AND FEDERATION

Senate Investigation Committee Fix Responsibility for Steel Strike.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Refusal of Chairman Gary of the United States Steel corporation to meet union representatives and the determination of the American Federation of Labor to organize the steel industry, rather than any complaint of the steel workers themselves, brought about the steel strike, is the opinion of the senate committee which investigated the controversy.

In its report, submitted to the senate, the committee characterized all strikes as "industrial barbarism," and recommended establishment of a permanent mediation board similar to the former war labor board as a means of settling industrial disputes. The board should have, the committee said, powers of compulsory investigation, admitting it to all facts, but compulsory arbitration was not recommended.

M. E. A. Will Not Affiliate.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 8.—Opposition to affiliation with the American Federation of Labor was voiced by speakers at the concluding sessions of the annual convention of the Minnesota Educational association here today. A new constitution providing for several divisional or district organizations was adopted.

Federation May Spurn Farmers' Call.

Washington, Nov. 10.—American Federation of Labor officials express surprise at the action of officials of the Farmers' National union in calling a conference of farmers and wage earners in Chicago, November 21 to 22. Federation officials said they could see no reason for the proposed conference in view of the call issued for a conference here December 13 of chiefs of labor unions and leaders of farm organizations. The American Federation of Labor may refuse official compliance.

112 Millions used last year to KILL COLDS
HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE
Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture.
At All Drug Stores

EASY NOW TO SAW LOGS AND CUT DOWN TREES

Only one man, or even a boy, with the improved Ottawa Engine Log Saw can easily cut twenty-five to forty cords a day, and at a cost of less than 2c per cord. This machine, which outdoes all others, has a heavy, cross cut saw driven by a powerful especially designed 4-cycle gasoline engine. It's a fast money-maker for those using it, and does more than ten men could do, either cutting down trees, sawing logs, or buzzing branches *while you rest*. When not sawing, the engine can be used for other work requiring power.

The entire machine is mounted on truck wheels to make it easy to move to the trees or logs, and from cut to cut on a log *without stopping the engine*. For moving on the road, the truck wheels are placed parallel with the skids and the rig hauled straight ahead. The wheels turn on a two-way spindle. You do not have to take them off, but can change direction of wheel travel by merely taking out a pin.

The Ottawa can be fitted for sawing down trees. It cuts level with surface of ground, thereby getting all the timber and leaving no stumps sticking up. An automatic friction clutch stops the saw in case of undue resistance. Two men can fall forty to fifty trees a day in ordinary timber.

The whole outfit is compact, simple, durable against a lifetime of hard wear. It sells for a low price and is fully guaranteed for reliable operation in the hands of every one who has trees to cut down and logs to work up.

Full information and low factory price to you can be had simply by addressing the Ottawa Mfg. Company, 2724 Wood St., Ottawa, Kansas.

GROW SHORTHORN BEEF
The Pacheco Cattle Co. of California [illegible] and roan. For information write to the American Shorthorn Breeders' Association, 13 Dexter Park Ave., Chicago, Ill.

IF YOU ACT QUICK YOU CAN GET your season's supply of tires at cost. Write B. J. Smith, Fargo, N. D.

Write For Mississippi Map and Homeseekers' Guide. Ad. Southern Land Co., Meridian, Miss.

Why Hurry?

One of the colored convicts at Leavenworth had knocked the ball over the prison wall in a baseball game and was tearing around the bases at terrific speed, making hard work out of an easy "homer," whereat one of the boarders shouted:

"Take yo' time, bo', take yo' time; yo's in fo' life; take yo' time."

"CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP" IS CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from stomach, liver and bowels.

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear.

Mother! You must say "California."—Adv.

The Supreme Sparkle.

"Now that you are a high-salaried picture star, you can wear diamonds."

"Diamonds!" echoed the film favorite, scornfully. "Where are you going to get any jewelry that will put up a display to compare with the electric lights at the front of the house?"

Use MURINE Night and Morning
Keep Your Eyes Clean - Clear and Healthy
Write for Free Eye Care Book Murine Co. Chicago, U.S.A.

THIS WEAK, NERVOUS MOTHER

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I was very weak, always tired, my back ached, and I felt sickly most of the time. I went to a doctor and he said I had nervous indigestion, which added to my weak condition kept me worrying most of the time—and he said if I could not stop that, I could not get well. I heard so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my husband wanted me to try it. I took it for a week and felt a little better. I kept it up for three months, and I feel fine and can eat anything now without distress or nervousness."—Mrs. J. Worthline, 2842 North Taylor St., Philadelphia Pa.

The majority of mothers nowadays overdo, there are so many demands upon their time and strength; the result is invariably a weakened, run-down, nervous condition with headaches, backache, irritability and depression—and soon more serious ailments develop. It is at such periods in life that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will restore a normal healthy condition, as it did to Mrs. Worthline.

HE KNEW ONLY ONE METHOD

Italian Wanted to Be Incorporated and Went About Scheme in Practical Way.

"Mister," an Italian of middle age addressed Lou Guernsey, "I want to be incorporated."

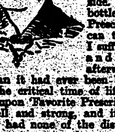
By questioning the Italian, Lou gained the information that his client was a man of odd jobs, mowing lawns, carrying coal, washing windows, etc.

"You see," explained the client, "I am going to have some advertising cards printed and I think it would give an influence if I say on them I am incorporated."

"But how," asked Guernsey, "do you expect to have yourself incorporated?"

"I have no knowledge," was the reply, "but if it costs, I will pay!"—Los Angeles Times.

Tell All The World "PAIN IN MY SIDE"



Davenport, Iowa.—"I wish I could tell all the world how much I owe to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I was nearing middle life when my last child came and my health was miserable. I had continuous pain in my right side. I took nine bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and can truly say that I suffered the least, and my health afterwards was better than it had ever been before. Going thru the critical time of life, I depended solely upon 'Favorite Prescription' to keep me well and strong, and it did not fail me. I had none of the distressing symptoms most women have at this period, such as heat flashes and dizzy spells. I came thru in excellent health and am still just as strong and well as I was thirty years ago, thanks to this best of medicines, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription."—Mrs. Alice Van Arnam, 1705 W. 4th St.

FOR ALL AILING WOMEN

Foley, Minn.—"Some years ago Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cured me of a case of woman's weakness, and since that time I have become the mother of seven healthy children. I have always taken the 'Prescription' and not one of my children was ever puny or sickly. They have grown up strong, and I have been in the best of health these many years, due I am sure to the constant use of this medicine. I hardly know what I would have done without it. I feel safe in recommending it to all ailing women. There is nothing better.

"We also keep Dr. Pierce's 'Pleasant Pellets' in the house for immediate use."—Mrs. George Walbridge, Lock Box 318.

BAD COLD GOT YOU? FEELING GRIPPY?

Dr. King's New Discovery soon starts you on the road to recovery

ONCE tried, always used. That's a trite expression, but one never more applicable than it is to Dr. King's New Discovery.

You will like the prompt, business-like way it loosens the phlegm-congested chest, soothes the tortured throat, relieves an old or a new cold, grippe, cough, croup.

The kiddies can take it in perfect safety, too. No bad after-effects. Standard half a century. 60c. and $1.20 a bottle. At your druggist.

Don't Continue Constipated

Don't let your bowels bulldoze your system. Make them function regularly—keep the body cleansed of waste matter with Dr. King's New Life Pills.

Biliousness, sick headache, sour stomach, indigestion, dizziness, furred tongue, bad breath—think of the embarrassments and discomforts traceable to constipation. How easily they're rectified by the occasional use of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Move the bowels smoothly but surely. Try them tonight. All druggists—25c. as usual.

Home-Made Christmas Presents

Pretty Gifts That You Can Make for Your Friends at Slight Expense

By JULIA BOTTOMLEY

Home-Made Toys

The perennial rag doll that appears this year is made of any ribbed goods—as a ribbed stocking—tinted pink. It is cut out by a pattern, sewed and stuffed with cotton. The face and hair are the result of red, black and white water color. The doll is then dressed up in blue cotton crepe and a blue stocking cap.

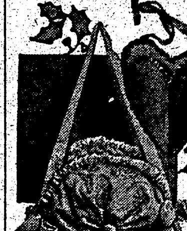
A ball made from scraps of velvet is a fine gift for a very little boy. It takes twelve pieces, measuring three inches across at their widest part to make it. They are sewed together, leaving an opening for stuffing with cotton, and the brighter the colors used the better.

Gifts Made of Paper

Among inexpensive gifts that are at the same time elegant and worth while there are many little convenient articles made of prettily colored, heavy paper. Telephone and laundry lists, small portfolios, envelopes in which to place memoranda, etc., are among them. Two articles made of bright blue mottled paper are shown in the picture. The envelope for recipes is made by folding a straight strip of the paper into a pocket and flap. The sides of the pocket are fastened down with little bows of blue ribbon and the flap is ornamented with a painted spray of flowers in pink. The lettering is done in black.

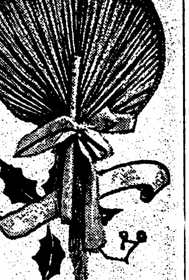
A long strip of the same paper folded over at each end carries one or more sheets of white paper on which a telephone list is to be written. Small white squares outlined with black ornament it and suggest that this is a man's list. It is tied with a bow of blue ribbon at the top.

Little Wall Pockets



Here are two pretty wall pockets to hang beside or on the dressing table, ready to hold whatever their owners choose to put in them. Disks of cardboard covered with gayly printed ribbon make the frivolous and dainty pocket at the left, and it is suspended by plain satin ribbon that ends in small bows at the sides. At the right two heart-shaped pieces of cardboard are covered smoothly with red satin and fastened together. The edges are finished with narrow puffing of ribbon, and the same ribbon serves to suspend the pocket. This smooth and matter-of-fact affair is evidently intended as a gift for a man. Two hearts with but a single pocket are quite meaningful. But one might use a diamond, a spade or even a club to make a similar pocket, and anyone of them will hold a deck of cards, score cards, pencils and such things, or pins, needles and thread for a bachelor.

A Novelty in Fans



Small palm-leaf fans, all decked out with pretty furbelows are among the novelties that have been brought out for Christmas gifts. These fans are first painted any desired color and then varnished. Then the edge is bound with ribbon having a picot edge or with gold or silver braid or other fancy binding. A spray of millinery flowers is tied against the handle, on one side of the fan, and the handle wound with ribbon that is tied in a bow below the flowers. Or flowers may be painted on the fan or made with sealing wax, as in the fan pictured here. This sample is bound with silver braid and has a long tassel of silver tinsel besides a ribbon bow on the handle. It is pretty in turquoise blue, rose color, red, etc., with ribbon and flowers in colors that harmonize, and is easy to make at home.

A Fad for Flowers

There is a fad for artificial flowers to be used instead of natural flowers for household decoration just now and every home-loving woman will be sure to enjoy a gift of this kind. Small garden roses, nasturtiums and chrysanthemums are great favorites and these particular flowers are cleverly made. They appear in baskets and vases as shown above and make a charming Christmas gift.

Pretty Gift Cushions

Cushions were never so numerous or so beautiful within the memory of the oldest gift seeker as they are now. They are made for chairs, window seats, lounges, couches and the floor, of all sorts of cheerful materials. Here is a handsome specimen in which brocaded and plain satin ribbon are used and embellished with satin-covered cord and a cluster of roses and leaves made of satin ribbon.

Christmas Slippers

At the top is a gay little pair of ribbon slippers for the young girl. In the center there are elderdown bedroom slippers for any member of the family, and just below a pair of satin bootees for baby, lined with plush or elderdown and bordered with fur. At the bottom is a pair of handsome bedroom slippers made of ribbon that will delight any woman.

GIRLS! DRAW A MOIST CLOTH THROUGH HAIR

Let "Danderine" save your hair and double its beauty

Oh, girls, such an abundance of thick, heavy, invigorated hair; a perfect mass of wavy, silky hair, gloriously fluffy, bright and so easy to manage.

Just moisten a cloth with a little "Danderine" and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; this magically removes all dirt, excess oil and grease, but your hair is not left brittle, dry, stringy or faded, but charmingly soft, with glossy, golden gleams and tender lights. The youthful glints, tints and color are again in your hair.

"Danderine" is a tonic-beautifier. Besides doubling the beauty of the hair at once, it checks dandruff and stops falling hair. Get delightful Danderine for a few cents at any drug or toilet counter and use it as a dressing and invigorator as told on bottle.—Adv.

Influence.

The high school teacher was giving a review biography of John Milton. "His life influenced a great many of his poems," she told the class, "and Milton had a very unhappy life indeed. His first wife and he were very unhappy." She talked a few minutes and then asked: "Now what poem did this unhappy marriage cause him to write?"

"Paradise Lost," came back from one of the listeners.

Shave With Cuticura Soap
And double your razor efficiency as well as promote skin purity, skin comfort and skin health. No mug, no slimy soap, no germs, no waste, no irritation even when shaved twice daily. One soap for all uses—shaving, bathing and shampooing.—Adv.

Applied Knowledge.

Our little boy asks so many questions and so many of them we are unable to answer, so we give him this answer: "That's just nature, son." One day I asked him how he got his face so dirty, and he said: "That's just nature, mother."—Chicago Tribune.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

One F—m.

"What is camouflage, pa?"

"Staining your fingers with ink to make people think that you are a writer."

Several people have bumped up against disgrace while trying to dodge poverty.

PLACE NAMES THAT PUZZLE

Europeans Said to Find It Hard to Master the Designations of the Various States.

Down on the wharves they tell a story of how two British sailors were rowing a skiff under the stern of the battleship Ohio as she lay in an English port.

"A ho, a haitch, and a 10," said one of the limies; "wot a 'ell of a name for a ship!"

We made very merry over Russian and Polish names. When it came to the Balkans we were free to confess that we didn't know whether the Dobrudja was a river or a breakfast food. But it is now borne in upon us that our own place names may not mean much more to Europeans than some of theirs mean to us.

Half the names of our states are pure Choctaw to all but educated Europeans, and not much more to many of those. A celebrated violinist said he had long ago given up trying to comprehend American geography or Indian names, and simply bought his railroad ticket to any place his manager designated.

"You ought to translate them," he added plaintively.

His host confessed:

"We can't."—Boston Globe.

ASPIRIN FOR COLDS

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer

Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Colds, Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

Origin of Names of States.

Connecticut is an Indian name meaning "Long River;" Maine is regarded as of French origin from the province of Maine; Massachusetts is an Indian word meaning "Place of Great Hills;" New Hampshire is English, coming from Hampshire county, England; Vermont is French, Vert Mont, meaning "Green Mountain." With reference to Rhode Island there is a difference of opinion, some claiming that it was named for the island of Rhodes and others for a prominent settler named Rhodes.

After all, is it sensitiveness—or just touchiness?

Why That Lame Back?

Morning lameness, sharp twinges when bending and an all day backache; each is cause enough to suspect kidney complaint. If you feel tired all the time and are annoyed by dizzy spells, headaches and irregular kidney action, you have additional proof and should act quickly to prevent more serious kidney trouble. Use *Doan's Kidney Pills*, the remedy that is recommended everywhere by grateful users. *Ask your neighbor!*

A Minnesota Case

H. M. Elfert, 335 E. Winnifred St., St. Paul, Minn., says: "I had been a sufferer for years with kidney trouble and the awful pains through my back and kidneys put me past going for three years. Rheumatic pains were the worst trouble and had me doubled up like an old man. Most of the time I spent lying on my back as helpless as a child. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me. I am a strong man today and can do a good day's work."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box
DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

INDIGESTION Caused by Acid-Stomach

Millions of people—in fact about 9 out of 10—suffer more or less from indigestion, acute or chronic. Nearly every case is caused by Acid-Stomach.

There are other stomach disorders which also are sure signs of Acid-Stomach—belching, heartburn, bloat after eating, food repeating, sour, gassy stomach. There are many ailments which, while they do not cause much distress in the stomach itself, are, nevertheless, traceable to an acid-stomach. Among these are nervousness, biliousness, cirrhosis of the liver, rheumatism, impoverished blood, weakness, insomnia, melancholia and a long train of physical and mental miseries that keep the victims in miserable health year after year.

The right thing to do is to attack these ailments at their source—get rid of the acid-stomach. A wonderful modern remedy called EATONIC now makes it easy to do this.

One of hundreds of thousands of grateful users of EATONIC writes: "I have been troubled with intestinal indigestion for about nine years and have spent quite a sum for medicine, but without relief. After using EATONIC for a few days the gas and pains in my bowels disappeared. EATONIC is just the remedy I needed."

We have thousands of letters telling of these marvelous benefits. Try EATONIC and you, too, will be just as enthusiastic in its praise.

Your druggist has EATONIC. Get a big 50c box from him today. He will refund your money if you are not satisfied.

EATONIC
FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

Get the Genuine and Avoid Waste
Morgan's SAPOLIO Scouring Soap
Economy in Every Cake

FRECKLES POSITIVELY REMOVED by Dr. Berry's Freckle Ointment—Your druggist or by mail, 65c. Free book. Dr. C. H. Berry Co., 2975 Michigan Avenue, Chicago.

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KIDNEYS WEAKENING? BETTER LOOK OUT!

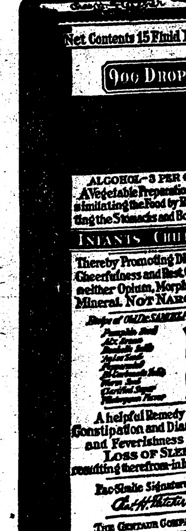
Kidney and bladder troubles don't disappear of themselves. They grow upon you, slowly but steadily, undermining your health with deadly certainty, until you fall a victim to incurable disease.

Stop your troubles while there is time. Don't wait until little pains become big aches. Don't trifle with disease. To avoid future suffering begin treatment with GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules now. Take three or four every day until you feel that you are entirely free from pain.

This well-known preparation has been one of the national remedies of Holland for centuries. In 1696 the government of the Netherlands granted a special charter authorizing its sale.

The good housewife of Holland would almost as soon be without food as without her "Real Dutch Drops," as she quaintly calls GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Their use restores strength and is responsible in a great measure for the sturdy, robust health of the Hollanders.

Do not delay. Go to your druggist and insist on his supplying you with a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Take them as directed, and if you are not satisfied with results your druggist will gladly refund your money. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on the box and accept no other. In sealed boxes, three sizes.



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Thereby Promoting Digestion Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC
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Bears the Signature of
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Early Ohios Cobblers
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If orders are given me for these potatoes, I can furnish them to you at $2.00 per bushel.

All Potatoes Guaranteed To Be First Class

All orders must be sent to the Security State Bank of Middle River and a deposit of one-half cash is required. The above quotation is for potatoes F. O. B. on track here in Holt. All buyers will be notified when potatoes arrive and expected to come after their purchases at once.

Please place your orders on or before Nov. 15th so I can order a car of potatoes to arrive here before December 1st.

Yours truly,
August Shogren,
Middle River, Minn.

Auction Sale!

Saturday Nov. 22

On my farm 1 mile north 8 miles east of Holt

The following property will be sold at 11 o'clock

4 Cows coming fresh in winter and spring
1 Heifer coming fresh in spring — 5 heifer calves
1 bull calf — 1 bull coming 2 years
10x20 C. O. D. Tractor — 30 h. p. E. M. F. auto
Columbus wagon, nearly new — 1000 lb scale
R. I. disc, good as new — Dehorning machine
Work harness in good shape — F. M. Feed mill
Other articles too numerous to mention

A. C. Jahr, Owner

Ole Brenna, Auct. — Holt State Bank, Clerk

AUCTION!

The personal property of the Peter A. Anderson estate will be sold at public auction on the farm, three miles north of Holt, on

SATURDAY NOV. 15

Live Stock

2 Horses — 4 Milch Cows
4 Calves — 1 Hog — 14 Chix

Feed, Seed, Etc.

Some Hay — 100 bu Barley
Some Wheat — 60 bu Oats

Offers for the sale of the farm will be received on above date.

Machinery

Binder — Mower — Rake
Disc — Drill — Cultivator
Cross Plow — Breaking Plow
Wagon — Bob-Sleds
Flax attachment — Fanning Mill
Harrow — Grindstone — 2 Scythes
Horse and Ox Harnesses, Collars
Fence Wire — Household Goods
Articles too numerous to mention

Sale commences at 1 o'clock, sharp

B. Docken, Adm.

Ole G. Brenna, Auctioneer — Holt State Bank, Clerk

Notice

Several men wanted at once for cutting timber and clearing land in the corporate limits of Holt.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Hay for Sale.

Sixty tons of good wild hay. Hay is stacked on the NW 1-4 Sec. 7, in Mud-Lake township. Call on or address

Grant Flakne,
Holt, Minn.

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

Good size shipping tags for sale at this office.

For Sale: Red Poll bull 2 years old, 8-16 Avery tractor. C. J. Dale.

Carsten Sagstuen had dental work done in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

A. C. Jahr will sell his personal property at public auction next Saturday, Nov. 22.

P. B. Larson and family have moved onto the Ole Iverson place. All extend them a hearty welcome.

Telephone bills for the month of October are past due. Please call at the central office at once and settle these accounts.

Parent-Teacher meeting Tuesday evening Nov. 18. A patriotic program will be given. The parents are invited to come and enjoy the evenings entertainment.

There is to be examinations at Thief River Falls and Warren Dec. 13th for rural mail carriers at Argyle and Oslo and other vacancies that may occur in Marshall County at later dates. Application for blanks should be made at once to the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

H. J. Olson has completely overhauled the telephone switchboard so that operator and patrons don't have to holler their heads off to be heard. A few of the patrons need new batteries in their phones and some of the lines need repairing in order to get service that is worth having.

Mr. Olson has also wired nearly every house in town for electric lights, that did not formerly have them, and some of the people are trying to wait patiently for the lines to be built to their places, as now is the time they need the lights.

TELLS OF THRILLS WHEN SHELLS FLY

MAN WHO SAW WAR ON FOUR FRONTS ESCAPES DEATH MANY TIMES WHILE SERVING SOLDIERS.

Chicago.—More than 700 Y. M. C. A. workers saw service with the soldiers of the American expeditionary force in the front lines during the last months of the war.

Frank M. Van Epps, seriously wounded while serving as a Y. M. C. A. worker in the Argonne, told of some of his experiences in a talk at the Y. M. C. A. college here.

On the way to France last April on the Oronzo, Van Epps and 56 other "Y" men narrowly escaped drowning when the ship was torpedoed by a German U-boat.

Van Epps was divisional secretary of the Y. M. C. A. outfit. He worked with the Fifth division until the armistice was signed. He was dressed up in a doughboy's uniform when he arrived here. A limp and a kitbag slung over his shoulder containing what is left of his equipment complete his souvenirs of more than six months' service overseas.

Van Epps saw the war on four fronts in France and Alsace, serving in the first-line trenches on two of them. When the Oronzo was torpedoed on April 29 60 miles off the coast of Wales U-boats "got" two out of a convoy of seven steamships. The Oronzo went down in 12 minutes after she was struck, and Van Epps and other "Y" men lost all their baggage. They were picked up by a torpedo-boat destroyer and landed at Hollyhead, Wales.

In Front Line.

In southern and middle Alsace, Van Epps was in the first-line trenches and at St. Mihiel, when the drive opened, he became a stretcher bearer after his supplies ran out. Getting word to shift to the Argonne, he traveled all night by train, on trucks and afoot, and spent the next three weeks sleeping in shell holes and trenches when he was not at work.

At Madedeine farm, on October 18, Van Epps and Thomas F. Hadley of Iowa, another Y. M. C. A. man, set up shop in an old barn. All but three of the twenty-five "Y" workers went back to get supplies. The barn had been under shell fire for several days, but Van Epps and Hadley decided it was good enough to sleep in. They built a bed of boxes of jam, with a tub of chewing tobacco for a pillow and lay down.

Half a mile back, an American battery was hammering the Germans, and two German airplanes came over looking for the position. They let go two bombs which landed on each side of the barn. Soon came a third, which struck the roof, bringing down a mass of rafters and beams and scattering shrapnel. A splinter was driven through the calf of one of Hadley's legs and a piece of shell tore through both of Van Epps' thighs.

After dressing stations and field hospitals had finished with them they spent half a day in an ambulance and then were put aboard a French hospital train, where they remained another two days. One of these days was Sunday, so Van Epps, at the suggestion of some of the doughboys, "put on" a service, conducting it propped up in his stretcher.

Soldiers to Study.

Paris.—With the arrival of General Rees from Washington on detail from the war department to take charge of the army educational work, progress has been rapid along the lines laid down in the program submitted by the Y. M. C. A. army educational commission. Text books required to satisfy the demands of the men for instructions are coming overseas rapidly, according to Prof. John Erskine of Columbia university, chairman of the "Y" commission; post schools are starting up at the rate of 40 to a division and groups of officers and men are being absorbed by French and British universities to the limit of their capacity.

General Praises Y. M. C. A.

Paris.—There are some fools in the Y. M. C. A., according to Brig. Gen. J. F. O'Neil of the Ninetieth division. "Our Y. M. C. A. is everything to be desired," said the general. "Among the employees are some fools. One of them was such a fool that he would not stay away from the front line, and he got mussed up with Boche shells and other projectiles that we were forced to recommend him for a Distinguished Service Cross. That is a sample of the men you have sent to us. Please keep this work up, and whether I am commanding this division or not, the things that you have done will make a lasting impression upon it."

Honor "Y" Worker in Russia.

News that the general commanding the American and allied expedition in northern Russia had recommended Howard D. Merrill of New York, a Y. M. C. A. worker, for suitable recognition of his cool behavior during a surprise attack on the forces he was serving, is conveyed in a delayed cablegram received at the Y. M. C. A. national war work council offices.

Plan Educational Courses.

English universities are preparing to welcome the American officers and men designated to take collegiate, special or post-graduate courses there in accordance with the scheme of the army educational commission conducted by the United States army and the

Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist

Will be at the Sorenson Hotel in Holt, on

Monday Nov 17

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 — Treatments $2.00
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Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

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A. C. Jahr auction sale Nov. 22

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Autos and Machines
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Bring in your batteries for winter storage

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The best country for mixed farming in the Red River Valley
1000 acres of Wild and Improved Lands
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I am absolutely responsible
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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

A. C. Jahr will have an auction sale Saturday Nov. 22nd.

Miss Jennie Folden was a Thief River Falls visitor Monday.

Mrs. Tora Nelson is getting somewhat better we are pleased to report.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Johnson were Middle River visitors Monday.

Mrs. P. A. Riesberg was an over Sunday visitor in Thief River Falls.

Nels Johnson is very sick at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson.

Carl Olen of Shelly visited over Sunday here with his brother, Henry and family.

Lars Chenill went to Illinois last week Thursday for a couple of weeks visit with old friends.

Several of our mighty nimrods have been out the past week after big game with varied successes.

Mrs. Fred Larson went to Warren Monday with her son Engval who had an operation for tonsilitis.

Percy Sorter and Elmer Engstrom came up from Crookston Saturday for an over Sunday visit at home.

O. O. Listel and family recently moved back to these parts from Canada where they lived for about a year.

Little Kermit Bagne accompanied by his aunt, Miss Ruth Knutson, returned to his home at Gerry, Minn. Friday.

Miss Burndette Horien returned home Friday from Easton, Minn., and is working in the confectionery store of Horien & Johnson.

Miss Agnes Ekerdalen was in Thief River Falls a few days last week where she had an opperation performed on her nose at the hospital.

Miss Josephine Marty came from North Dakota Saturday for a short visit at the Mickelson home. From here she left for Canada where the family are moving.

Mrs. Ole Kjelgren went to Thief River Falls Saturday with her dauhgter Tillie, who entered the Tri-County Sanitorium at that place for a few weeks treatment.

Kittle Sollom is going to quit farming and will sell his horses, cattle and machinery at public auction Tuesday Nov. 25th, on the T. T. Sollom farm. Free lunch at noon.

Mrs. Ed. O'Hara was called to Wycoff, Minn., last week by the serious illness of her mother. At last reports the sick lady was much better and Mrs O'Hara will remain there for a couple of weeks visit.

Relief quickly obtained through Dr. Albertson's Chiropractic Adjustments. Acute and chronic diseases successfully treated. Even those who have been pronounced incurable, have been restored to perfect health again. Phone No. 85. Crookston, Minn.

Notice to Creamery Patrons

On account of next Thursday being "Thanksgiving" cream will be received on Monday only.

Red Cross Notice

Miss Warner, the Red Cross worker, will not be in Holt Thanksgiving week.

Dr. Mugg will be here Dec. 5th.

Dr. Turley will be here again Dec. 8th.

Tom Severson is reported as being on the sick list.

P. A. Riesberg was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday.

Elmer Odie and Norbeck Bros. were Warren visitors Tuesday.

Dr. Turley, the dentist will be in Holt again on Monday, Dec. 8th.

Guy Anderson is driving a fine team that he purchased of Halvor Fodstad.

Tillie Hagen returned Tuesday from a few days visit with her sister at Hazel.

The Nazareth Y. P. S. took in $57.00 at their parcel auction Friday night.

A. C. Jahr will sell his personal property at public auction next Saturday, Nov. 22.

The telephone office will be closed next Thursday afternoon as that is a legal holiday.

Mrs. R. E. Spinks and daughter of Middle River visited over Tuesday with relatives here.

Miss Victoria Johnson returned home Wednesday from an extended stay in Minneapolis.

Our paper will be a day late next week on account of Thanksgiving coming on our press day.

Holt Merc. Co. have recently installed a dandy new cabinet in their hardware department.

H. Ekerdalen and daughter Agnes went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to consult a physician.

Misses Tillie Knutson and Gladys Sorum were Thief River Falls visitors the forepart of the week.

Herb Walker has sub-let the butcher shop to C. J. Sorenson and returned to his home at Rollis.

Mrs. Quam, of Portland, N. Dak., came Wednesday to visit at the homes of her sons, A. C. and J. M. Jahr and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hanson and children went to Thief River Falls Monday where the latter visited friends while the former went to Warren to consult a physician.

Paul Siljestrom moved his family here last week from Golden Valley and they are making their home in Bakke and Docken's new house near the Mission church. Lugvig Sagstuen moved his family Tuesday into the above firm's new house south of Axel Nelson's sesidence.

The first meeting of the Parent-Teacher Assn. was held Tuesday evening in the Mission church and was quite well attended. A short patriotic program was given and Rev. J. B. Smith of Thief River Fall delivered a splendid address on patriotism which was greatly enjoyed by an appreciative audience.

Last year, tuberculosis, a preventable disease, caused the death of 2430 people in the state, the majoring being between 15 and 45 years of age, and many of them young fathers and mothers with children dependent upon them for economic support and moral guidance. There are 21,000 active cases of tuberculosis in Minnesota today.

Disease annually takes a greater toll in life and property than does war—even than did the World war.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants Friday 1-4.

Sunday School at 10, services 1 Thanksgiving services in Engli 11 o'clock Nov. 27. Soldiers a sailors are honored. Come and with us, you are invited. Ladie Aid serves dinner in the basemen and will have an auction sale at Supper will also be served.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

Notice.

A basket Social will be given at Pioneer School District No. 61 Friday evening Nov. 21st. commencing at 8 o'clock. Prof. Jackson of Newfolden will speak. Ladies please bring baskets. Everybody welcome.

Mary Hevle,
Teacher

For Sale or Trade.

36x60 Separator in good running order for sale or will trade for land or anything we can use.

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Good size shipping tags for sa at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Larson wer Middle River visitors Monday.

Kittle Sollom will have an auction sale next Tuesday Nov. 25th.

For Sale: Red Poll bull 2 years old, 8-16 Avery tractor. C. J. Dale.

Dr. Turley had such a good business this week that he has decided to come back again Dec. 8th.

C. G. Mugg, the eye man, will be here Dec. 5th to test eyes and glasses. Wait for him. See him.

Mrs. P. O. Reierson left Monday for a weeks visit with relatives at Thief River Falls and Goodridge.

Mrs. T. B. Folden returned home Tuesday from the Thief River Falls hospital and is getting along as well as could be expected.

Jno. Bennitt, John Augustine and Fred Holst recently purchased 18 head of pure bred Holstein cattle of parties near Grygla.

Gov. Burnquist has appointed Scott Laird to look after the relief work in the northern part of the state that had looses due to the July floods.

M. A. Mathison who lives on the Alfred Johnson farm, and Mr. Thompson, who has purchased the Chris Norbeck farm, were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

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Notice

Several men wanted at once for cutting timber and clearing land in the corporate limits of Holt.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Hay for Sale.

Sixty tons of good wild hay. Hay is stacked on the NW 1-4 Sec. 7, in Mud Lake township. Call on or address

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Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the

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Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

Rev. E. LaRoe of Thief River Falls will hold services here next Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock and the Sunday School will be at 12 o'clock.

Rev. Myhrer will hold services here Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Notice!

Men are wanted to cut fence posts on the S. W. 1-4 —25—156—43, Enquire at the Holt State Bank.

For Sale

Seed buckwheat at $3.50 per hundred lbs., if taken at once.

W. E. Damon
Holt, Minn.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Nils Engebretson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nils Engebretsen, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Ollane Engebretsen

It is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 8th day of May 1920, at eleven o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms, at the City of Warren in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Holt Weekly News as provided by law

Dated Oct. 30th, 1919

[COURT SEAL] — Peter H. Holm,
Judge of Probate.

Electric Light Notice!

Notice is hereby given that all electric light and power bills for the month of October 1919 will become due Nov. 1st, 1919 and should be paid as soon due to A. L. Carlson, the village treasurer who has the statements of the amounts due. A ten per cent penalty will be added to all bills not paid by Nov. 10, 1919, and if not paid by Nov. 15th, 1919, the service will be discontinued at once. This plan will apply to all the following months until further notice is given.

By order of the village council.

P. A. Riesberg, President
H. B. Young, Clerk

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FITS GLASSES
HE WILL BE AT
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Eat Less — Waste nothing
Create a Reserve
AMERICA MUST FEED 120.000.000 ALLIES

HARNESS REPAIRING
Bring in your Harness and old Collars
All work strictly first class
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Paul B. Siljestrom
Farmers State Bank Building

The Local Market.

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2 71
Wheat No. 2	2 66
Wheat No. 3	2 56
Wheat No. 4	2 46
Wheat No. 5	2 36
Flax	4 45
Oats	60
Barley	1 07 to 1 17
Rye	1 21
Flour, Best Patent	6 75

City Meat Market
All kinds of
Fresh & Cured Meats
Cold Meats, Poultry
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Ice Cream Parlor
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Hot Lunches all hours
A nice line of Bakery Goods
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Build it now. Have your new barn earning for you just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall months to complete all your building and repair work. It's the best season to get your buildings in ship-shape, and you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
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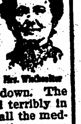

ST. CHARLES WOMAN WAS FORTUNATE

It Was a Lucky Day for Mrs. Wiethoelter When She Read About Doan's

"I had such awful cutting pains in the small of my back and hips, I often had to cry out," says Mrs. Ernest Wiethoelter, 550 Madison St., St. Charles, Mo. "The pain was knife-like and I couldn't turn in bed, in fact I was almost helpless. My feet and ankles swelled badly, my hands were puffed up and there were swellings under my eyes. I often got so dizzy I had to sit down to keep from falling and my health was completely broken down. The kidney secretions pained terribly in passage and in spite of all the medicine I took, I kept getting worse until I was a wreck.

"By chance I read about *Doan's Kidney Pills* and bought some. After I had used half a box there was a change and I continued to improve; the pains, aches and swellings left and my health returned."

Sworn to before me,
WM. F. WOLTER, *Notary Public.*

ALMOST TWO YEARS LATER, Mrs. Wiethoelter said: "I think as highly of *Doan's* as ever. Whenever I have used them, they have benefited me."

Mrs. Wiethoelter

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Yes, indeed, more often than you think. Because ACID-STOMACH, starting with indigestion, heartburn, belching, food-repeating, bloat and gas, if not checked, will eventually affect every vital organ of the body. Severe, blinding, splitting headaches are, therefore, of frequent occurrence as a result of this upset condition.

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If you want to get back your physical and mental strength—be full of vim and vigor—enjoy life and be happy, you must get rid of your acid-stomach.

In EATONIC you will find the very help you need and it's guaranteed. So get a big 50c box from your druggist today. If it fails to please you, return it and he will refund your money.

EATONIC
FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

NEGLECTING THAT COLD OR COUGH?

Why, when Dr. King's New Discovery so promply checks it

IT'S natural you don't want to be careless and let that old cold or cough drag on or that new attack develop seriously. Not when you can get such a proved successful remedy as Dr. King's New Discovery.

Cold, cough, grippe, croup does not resist this standard reliever very long. Its quality is as high today as it always has been—and it's been growing steadily in popularity for more than fifty years. 60c. and $1.20 a bottle at all druggists.

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FRECKLES POSITIVELY REMOVED by Dr. Berry's Freckle Ointment—Your druggist or by mail, 65c. Free book. Dr. C. H. Berry Co., 2975 Michigan Avenue, Chicago.

AGENTS WANTED—Perfect Furnace Carburetor; sizes for any furnace; increases heat ½; reduces soot, ash, labor and fuel; big profits. West Furnace Carb. Co., Denver, Colo.

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are dangerous. Get prompt relief from Piso's. Stops irritation; soothing. Effective and safe for young and old. No opiates in

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PRESIDENT TO POCKET TREATY

Such Is Threat if Lodge Reservations Are Attached When Pact Is Passed.

WAITS SENATE ACTION

With Treaty Virtually Ready for Final Vote, Both Sides Stiffen Resistance—Democrats Pin Hopes on Mild Reservationists.

Washington, Nov. 18.—On the eve of a final vote on the peace treaty, President Wilson gave the senate to understand yesterday that unless it modified the reservations already adopted he would take the treaty back to the White House and lock it up in his desk.

The first effect of the warning was to stiffen the lines on both sides of the senate fight. Then compromise proposals of many kinds were thrown out by the Democrats in a final effort to break into the majority program. They found the treaty's Republican friends, all of whom had voted for the reservations, disposed to listen but to promise nothing, and last night the life of the treaty seemed to hang upon a slender thread.

Decision Wednesday.

A decision one way or the other is planned for Wednesday. Today the senate will remain in session until it has cleared away all proposed reservations, leaving nothing to do but act upon the ratification resolution itself. Four reservations, two of them proposed by the foreign relations committee, were voted down today and none were adopted.

Will Unite for Final Test.

Yesterday's efforts at a compromise were conducted in a roundabout way, Senator Hitchcock declaring he would reserve his direct offer until after the mild reservationists had been released from their pledges to the majority by defeat of the majority resolution of ratification. He had intended to bring all the treaty's friends on both sides of the chamber into conference yesterday, but he found the Republicans unwilling to negotiate until they had completed the program to which they had agreed.

KANSAS TO OPERATE MINES

Eight-Hour Day Proposed for Miners as State Prepares to Mine Coal.

Topeka, Kans., Nov. 18.—The large coal mining properties of Crawford and Cherokee counties last evening passed into the control of the state of Kansas when the state supreme court issued orders and named receivers for the properties. The action followed the filing of quo warranto proceedings by Attorney General Richard A. Hoplins to bring about the receivership.

The average daily production of the mines affected is said to be 36,000 tons. Under the receivership Governor Allen hopes to have the mines in operation by the end if the week.

John Crawford, state commissioner of labor, has suggested to the governor that the miners be asked to work on an 8-hour day basis with Saturday erties. They can fix wages, get out ency.

Under the order issued by the supreme court, the receivers have full control of the mines and mining propday preparing a reply to the demands the coal, arrange for its sale and distribution.

League Opponent Locked in Car.

Ortonville, Minn., Nov. 18.—Ernest Lundeen, former congressman from the Fifth Minnesota district, who was scheduled to speak at a local theater last night against the league of nations, was taken from the stage by members of the local post of the American Legion, escorted to the railroad tracks and locked in a refrigerator car on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad. He was later released at Appleton by trainmen, according to a report.

Progress in Coal Conference.

Washington, Nov. 18.—There were evidences of real progress yesterday in the wage scale negotiations between coal miners and operators of the central competitive field, although no meeting of the joint wage scale committee was held. The conference was postponed until today at the request of the operators, who spent the day preparing a reply ti the demands resubmitted Saturday by the workers.

Italian Ex-Premiers Elected.

Rome, Nov. 17.—Giovanni Giolitti, Paolo Boselli, Antonio Salandra, Vittorio Orlando, all former premiers, and Signor Raimondo, have been reelected to the chamber, according to latest election returns.

Fatal Accident at Williston.

Williston, N. D., Nov. 18.—One man was instantly killed, another barely escaped death, while a third was seriously injured in a series of mining accidents here yesterday. Amos Sarff, 44 years old, was killed when a solid lump of coal weighing about two tons fell on him in the Lovejoy mine east of Williston. It required the combined strength of six men with crowbars, according to witnesses, to move the block of coal from the body of the victim. He is survived by a large family.

Nasty Colds

Get instant relief with "Pape's Cold Compound"

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a cold and ends all grippe misery.

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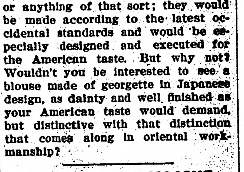
"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist on Pape's! Ad.

Fabrics for Paper.

For a long time we have derived many of our most interesting fabrics from Japan, and it would be hard to find a woman's wardrobe that did not contain some fabric that was of Japanese design or that was actually made in that land of chrysanthemums and geisha girls. But it is only in the immediate present that the proposition of getting clothes already made from Japan has presented itself. No, they would not be kimonos or obis or anything of that sort; they would be made according to the latest occidental standards and would be especially designed and executed for the American taste. But why not? Wouldn't you be interested to see a blouse made of georgette in Japanese design, as dainty and well finished as your American taste would demand, but distinctive with that distinction that comes along in oriental workmanship?



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Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer

Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Headache, Colds, Pain, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

India Needs American Goods.

The fact that the Bombay Electric Tramway company, Bombay, India, recently placed an order for 130 tramtrucks in America on account of the advantageous prices quoted, indicates that there is further opportunity for the marketing in India of this and kindred lines.

You can always tell when a city is out of debt. It looks like a man who isn't.

Put your feet down in the right place, and then stand firm.—Lincoln.

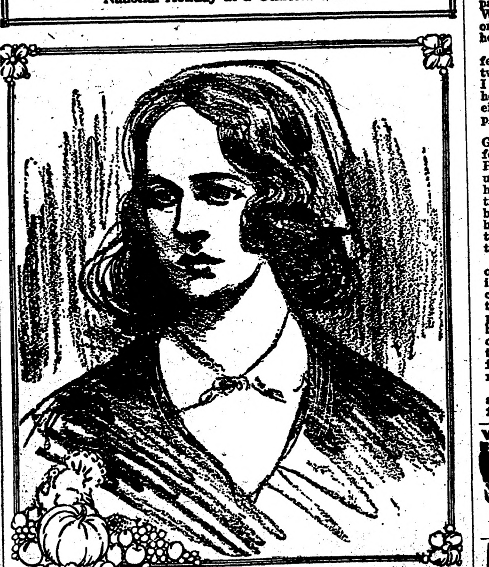
SAVED HER LIFE

Morrison, Iowa.—"Dr. Pierce's remedies and the professional advice received from the specialists at Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y. (which I followed to the letter), saved my life when I was a girl and I have had cause to feel grateful for more than forty years. When I was about sixteen years of age I fell from my horse and was terribly injured internally. A short time after this an immense bunch formed on my right hip which doctors neglected to lance and consequently my entire system was poisoned. I not only became terribly emaciated but my body was a mass of running sores and my right limb drew up under me and became helpless. I was in bed for more than six months and all hope for my recovery had been given up when someone told my father about Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, where they not only manufactured some wonderful remedies but also gave advice free, so he wrote for advice, and in a very short time we were very thankful that he did, because the first half bottle of 'Golden Medical Discovery' helped me so much that I was able to raise my head from the pillow, my appetite returned and I was able to sleep. Then the sores commenced to heal and I knew that I had started on the right track.

"It took five years to bring me back to my original good health but I took no remedies but Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Pleasant Pellets'—with the approval of my doctor all the time. This was forty years ago and I am still in the best of health. I have never had any sign of a blood disorder since or any ailment due to impurity left in my system, and I feel quite confident in recommending Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery as a blood purifier. The 'Favorite Prescription' I found equally as good in toning up the womanly organs, and I could not have kept house without the 'Pleasant Pellets.' Every member of my family has found them to be unequaled as a purgative and liver tonic, and we have often had to drive a good many miles from home to get them."—Mrs. N. P. Jensen, P. O. Box 100.

MOTHER OF THANKSGIVING DAY

How Sarah Josepha Hale Succeeded in Establishing the National Holiday at a Uniform Time



MRS. SARAH JOSEPHA HALE, "THE MOTHER OF THANKSGIVING"

IT WAS a patriotic and philanthropic widow who gave us our national Thanksgiving day and Philadelphia, Liberty's old cradle, was naturally the home of the enterprise. This heroine, who in the Hall of Fame deserves a place amongst the country's mothers, was Sarah Josepha Hale, an editor whose Ladies' Magazine and Godey's Lady's Book gave unto our grandmammas the latest styles in hoops and pantalettes.

When Mrs. Hale got down to work on the Thanksgiving problem that item on Uncle Sam's calendar was badly muddled, but finally, with the aid of President Lincoln, she brought order out of chaos. Let us first see how the complications came about:

Hot, Turkeyless Thanksgiving.

Turkeyless and hot was our first national Thanksgiving day, appointed by congress, although held in midsummer—July 20, 1775—it set the Thursday precedent, religiously followed during the past two generations, although not immediately respected, for the second national Thanksgiving day occurred Friday, May 17, 1776. Two years later Wednesday was the day, but after Washington took control of affairs Thursday was preferred.

The nation's first official thanks promoters were committees, usually of three, appointed by the continental congress in the days before we had a proclamation recommending to the governors of the states that a designated date be observed as a day of national thanksgiving and prayer. These committees appear to have been members of congress, except in 1778, when the two chaplains of congress were directed to prepare the draft.

Washington helped to promote the nation's thanks on two notable occasions before he became president—the first being during his desolate winter at Valley Forge, when he directed that his army on December 18, 1777, the date appointed by congress, "remain in its present quarters and that the chaplains perform divine service with their several corps and brigades."

Picturesque Maytime Feast.

A more festive program was arranged by the general the following spring, when he ordered his troops to observe May 7, 1878, as a day of thanksgiving for the aid given by France to the patriotic cause. Happily, his "orderly book" outlining in great detail the ceremony to be observed has been preserved.

"Upon a signal given the whole army will huzza 'Long live the king of France,'" he directs. This huzza was then to be followed by the booming of cannon, a general discharge of musketry, another huzza, "Long live the European powers!" then more cannon, more musketry fire and a final huzza, "The American States!"

Two years of our history saw two Thanksgiving days each, and both were wartime years. In 1776, May 17 and December 11 were both designated, while in 1863 Lincoln designated Thursday, August 6, as a special Thanksgiving day in advance of the autumnal feast of the last Thursday in November. The summer holiday was a special thanksgiving for victory, as had been, in fact, the only national Thanksgiving day in 1862.

From Madison's time to Lincoln's there were no national thanksgivings proclaimed by presidents, although the festival was observed annually in New England and in New York, as also in the scattered Episcopal congregations, whose Book of Common Prayer since 1789 has designated the first Thursday in each November for giving thanks in the churches unless civil authority should designate another date for this purpose.

Greatest of Festivals.

In New England, where it had been an institution since 1621, Thanksgiving day continued all the while to outrank even Christmas as a festival of joy, feasting and family reunion.

On becoming governor of New York John Jay endeavored to establish it in that state as an annual institution, but his political enemies branded his proclamation as an attempt to stir up religious prejudice in his favor and he made no further attempts.

Governor Clinton, however, renewed the effort and was successful, but New York's Thanksgiving did not coincide with New England's, which, until the middle of the last century, occurred a week later than the Empire state's. Searching old newspaper files we learn how Thanksgiving was celebrated in these times. I found the other day a statement that in 1858 10,000 people after eating one Thanksgiving dinner in New York city, had gone to their early homes in New England to enjoy another, a week later.

Thanksgiving soon became an annual, though local, institution in most of the western states, which had been settled largely by New Yorkers and New Englanders, but the South was tardy in adopting the idea.

Grace for Thanksgiving

FOR laughter and the love of friends,
We thank Thee,
For sorrows that Thy wisdom sends,
We thank Thee,
For Thy most kindly graciousness,
For peace, dear peace, for plenteousness,
For all these blessings we possess,
We thank Thee, Lord.

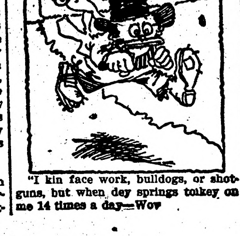
Although Governor Johnson of Virginia designated Thanksgiving day in 1853, his successor, Governor Wise, when requested to do so, publicly declined on the ground that he had no authority to interfere in the religious matters of the people.

Meanwhile, in Philadelphia, Mrs. Hale was wielding her facile pen in a zealous crusade to have Thanksgiving day established as a national festival and observed upon a uniform date throughout the country. For 20 years she persisted in this agitation, not only through the columns of the two magazines which she edited, but in letters which she wrote to all the presidents and governors.

By agreeing to establish the precedent of proclaiming the holiday on the last Thursday of each November, Lincoln at last crowned her tireless efforts with success, and no president has failed to emulate his example.

So Sarah Josepha Hale may be rightfully termed the mother of our annual nation-wide festival of Thanksgiving.—John Elfreth Watkins in Utica Saturday Globe.

ENOUGH.



"I kin face work, bulldogs, or shotguns, but when dey springs toikey on me 14 times a day—Wov

HAD CHRONIC BRONCHITIS FOR TWENTY-SIX YEARS NOW WELL AND HAPPY

THIS IS WORTH READING

The experience of Mr. E. J. Toupalik, 1438 Rose street, LaCrosse, Wisconsin, is chiefly remarkable on account of the length of time he was afflicted.

He writes: "I have been suffering with chronic bronchitis for twenty-six years and every winter I would catch cold and become so hoarse I could not speak for six or eight weeks. I could get only temporary relief.

"This winter I was taken with Grip and was in awful shape. A fellow workman advised me to take PE-RU-NA. By the time I had used three-fourths of a bottle, the hoarseness was gone, also that tired feeling. I am on my second bottle. Hereafter PE-RU-NA will be constantly in my house. It is the best medicine ever put up for the purpose."

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Putting Him Right.

"Among the possessions of every poor man in this region can be found at least one worthless dog," severely said the spectacled tourist.

"There hain't no such thing as a worthless dog, podner!" returned Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "And no man that owns a good dog is plumb poor."—Kansas City Star.

RASCALS

Biliousness, Headache, Colds, Constipation, driven out with "Cascarets"

Why take nasty cathartics, sickening salts, or stomach-turning oils to drive these rascals out? Let gentle, harmless Cascarets remove the liver and bowel poison which is keeping your head dizzy, your tongue coated, your skin sallow, your breath offensive, and your stomach sour. Get a box of Cascarets at the drug store and rid your liver, stomach and bowels of the excess bile, poisons, and waste which are keeping you miserable. Cascarets never gripe, never sicken, never inconvenience. They cost so little and work while you sleep.—Adv.

An Eastern Flight.

A British airman recently flew in one day from Mosul, on the upper Tigris, over the Syrian desert, to Cairo on the Nile, making three stops on the journey of 1,100 miles, reports Popular Mechanics Magazine.

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP.

In these days of unsettled weather look out for colds. Take every precaution against the dreaded influenza and at the first sneeze remember that Boschee's Syrup has been used for fifty-three years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis and colds, throat irritation and especially for lung troubles, giving the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning. Made in America and kept as a household remedy in the homes of thousands of families all over the civilized world. Try one bottle and accept no substitutes.—Adv.

Growing Suspicious.

If anybody tells you that someone else said so, the betting is 50 to 1 that someone else never said any such a thing.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Tight Rope Bridge.

A bridge over the Strinagar river, India, is made of only three ropes. One is the footpath, while the other two are rails.

48,000 Drug Stores Sell It.
Five million people use it to KILL COLDS

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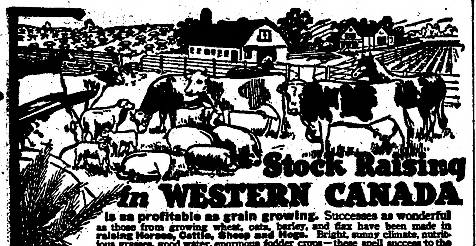
Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture.

At All Drug Stores



Stock Raising in WESTERN CANADA

is as profitable as grain growing. Successes as wonderful as those from growing wheat, oats, barley, and flax have been made in raising Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs. Bright, sunny climate, nutritious grasses, good water, enormous fodder crops—these spell success to the farmer and stock raiser. And remember, you can buy on easy terms

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—land equal to that which through many years has yielded from 20 to 45 bushels of wheat to the acre—grazing land convenient to good grain farms at proportionately low prices. These lands have every rural convenience; good schools, churches, roads, telephones, etc., close to live towns and good markets.

If you want to get back to the farm, or to farm on a larger scale than is possible under your present conditions, investigate what Western Canada has to offer you.

For illustrated literature with maps and particulars regarding reduced railway rates, location of land, etc., apply to Department of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

W. E. BLACK, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. Dak.;
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And all diseases of the horse affecting his throat speedily cured; colts and horses in the same stable kept from having them by using SPOHN'S COMPOUND; 3 to 6 doses often cure. Safe for brood mares, baby colts, stallions, all ages and conditions. Most skillful scientific compound. SPOHN'S is sold by your druggist.

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A Strategist.

"Aren't you afraid somebody will steal that flivver of yours?"

"No," said Mr. Chuggins, "I'm leaving it around in that apparently careless manner as a trap. Some automobile robber is going to drive off with it, not knowing its ways; and the first time it strikes a street car track or a railroad crossing it's going to stop short and render the entire crew liable to capture."

Cuticura for Sore Hands.

Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Ointment with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do if Soap, Ointment and Talcum are used for all toilet purposes.—Adv.

LISTEN TO AMBITION'S VOICE

Desirable Companion May Fail to Call Again if She Is Not Accorded Recognition.

Most young people seem to think that ambition is a quality that is born in one and which cannot be materially changed, but the greatest ambition may be materially injured in many different ways. The habit of procrastination, of postponing, the habit of picking out the easier tasks and putting off the difficult ones, for example, will very seriously impair the ambition. Whatever affects the ideals affects the ambition.

Ambition often begins very early to knock for recognition. If we do not heed its voice, if it gets no encouragement after appealing to us for years, it gradually ceases to trouble us, because, like any other unused quality or function, it deteriorates or disappears when unused.

Be careful how you discourage or refuse to heed that inner voice which commands you to go forward, for if you do it will become less and less insistent until finally it will cease to prod you and when ambition is dead deterioration has set in.—From "Ambition and Success," by Orison Swett Marden.

On the Contrary.

Marion had been out several evenings in succession and looked tired, so mother suggested she retire early instead of going out again that evening. When little Dick came downstairs from her room mother said: "Well, is sister making up her mind to stay in?" He replied: "I should say not, she's making up her face to go out."

HIS SCHEME DIDN'T WORK

This Colonel Evidently Was Wise as to the Foxy Ways of His Junior Officers.

In the regular army it is one of the customs of the service, when at a regular army post, for the junior officers to call upon the senior officers. To comply with this custom without making the calls, the junior officer frequently waits until he knows the senior officer is away and then calls at his home and leaves a card. One night when I was stationed at a post in Texas, I saw the colonel down town and on my way home stopped at the colonel's quarters and put my card under the door. I was just leaving the porch when I noticed a car at the gate, and on closer inspection I noted that the colonel was in the car and was awaiting me at the gate. He laughingly said: "Kind of late to make a call, isn't it, Lieut.?" This became one of the colonel's best stories, and to say that I was more than once embarrassed would be putting it mild.—Exchange.

Taxing the Millionaires.

Under the new scale of income tax imposed by the recent United States revenue bill every citizen in receipt of $150,000 or more a year must pay at least half of it to the state.

Mr. Henry Ford, for example, is said to have an income of $25,000,000 a year, of which the revenue authorities will claim between $15,000,000 and $20,000,000—a sum sufficient to keep 1,000 families in modest comfort forever.

But even Mr. Ford gets off lighter than Mr. John D. Rockefeller, who is reputed to have an income of $100,000,000 a year. Mr. Rockefeller's contribution to the treasury, it is said, will not fall short of $80,000,000 for the current year—a sum which represents 2,000 times his weight in gold.

Formerly Was Oyster King.

Jacob Ockers, known as the "Oyster King," who died recently at his Long Island (N. Y.) home, was the first exporter of oysters to Europe, and his name came to be known in all markets where the blue point oyster was found in foreign countries. His foreign shipments the first year amounted to only 1,000 barrels. Later his export business became the largest of its kind in the United States, and amounted to 30,000 barrels annually.

Of course, man is like any other animal that growls when it's hungry.

Jumpy, Irritable, Frazzled Nerves—

when caused by coffee—are helped to become normal, healthy nerves, when a change is made to

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This wholesome table beverage with a rich aromatic, coffee-like flavor is deliciously satisfying, economical, and respects both health and pocketbook.

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NEWS OF STATE TERSELY TOLD

Recent Happenings in Minnesota Given in Brief Items for Busy Readers.

St. Cloud.—Fourteen cases of diphtheria have been reported and are now under quarantine in this city.

Moorhead.—The Clay county teachers' institute was held in the observation room of the Moorhead normal school this week.

Stillwater.—On the way for 22 years, a postal card addressed to August Ryden, deputy county auditor, has arrived. It was mailed at Harris, Minn., January 29, 1897.

St. Paul.—More arrests in the Ramsey county treasurer's office tangle will be made soon, according to R. D. O'Brien, county attorney. Additional forged checks have been unearthed.

Stillwater.—T. W. Toten, president of the Cosmopolitan bank of Stillwater, accidentally shot and killed himself in his home here. He was cleaning his rifle, when it was discharged.

Winona.—By a vote of 115 to 36 the Lewiston Consolidated School district at a special election, approved the issuance of bonds in the sum of $75,000 for the construction of a new high school building.

Minneapolis.—Trials of Ralph La Count and Oscar Lundgren accused jointly of the murder of La Count's wife, Mrs. Madelyn La Count, Sept. 12, were continued indefinitely at the request of their attorneys.

Fairmont.—With "America First" as their slogan, 200 citizens from 86 counties, members of the America First association, met here to plan a comprehensive program of Americanism to extend throughout the state.

International Falls.—A class of 150 was confirmed at St. Thomas Catholic church by Rt. Rev. Bishop McNicholas of Duluth. It was the first confirmation service held here for perhaps eight year, therefore the class was a large one.

Bemidji.—The coroner's jury at Black Duck decided that the death of Anthony Schweigel, who was shot by his father, Andrew Schweigel, while hunting last Tuesday, was accidental. The father testified that he shot at a deer and that the bullet glanced off a tree, hitting his son.

Mankato.—Mankato is to have a winter fete or carnival that will rival anything ever held in Southern Minnesota if the enthusiastic sentiment expressed by business and professional men and city officials at the meeting just held can be taken as an indication of the support to be given.

Moorhead.—Twenty per cent of the milk marketed by several dairies in the vicinity of Moorhead is not from herds that have been given the tuberculosis test. This point develops in a report of the Moorhead dairy inspector who advised the city council that he had condemned several sources of milk supply as unsanitary.

Morristown.—H. E. Hershey, proprietor of a motion picture theater here, and his helper, Leonard Witter, 18 years old, were burned to death when the theater was partly destroyed by fire. An explosion in the operator's booth is held responsible. Hershey was 38 years old and unmarried. Witter evidently was trapped in the operator's room. No patrons were in the building when the explosion took place.

St. Paul.—Little acts of kindness will be rewarded after many years in the case of Peter J. Lavalle, St. Paul pawnshop inspector, who is the only known heir to an estate of $35,000 left by Anthoni Genini at Marshall, Minn. Thirty-three years ago Mr. Lavalle read newspapers and talked French to Genini on cold winter nights, when he was a roomer in Lavalle's mother's rooming house. After all these years, Genini is repaying his kindness in hard cash.

Hills.—A. C. Finke whose case against several prominent citizens of Rock county was dismissed at Mankato where it had been called for trial in federal court, will again start action, according to a statement given out by him. Mr. Finke, at one time a member of the state legislature of this district, brought suit for $50,000 damages against numerous Hills citizens and others, charging that his residence at Hills had been painted yellow.

St. Paul.—Elmer Stuart Smith, arrested at Centralia, Wash., in connection with the massacre of four American Legion members during the parade on Armistice day, is remembered by former students of Macalester college and the St. Paul College of Law. He was graduated from Macalester in 1910 and the college of law in 1913. Professors at the St. Paul colleges describe Smith as "a high type of student," "a conscientious worker" and "scrupulously honest." He played tackle on the Macalester football team and was prominent in school activities. At that time he said his home was Lisbon, N. D.

Coleraine.—To acquire ideas of modern, up-to-date high schools to be adopted in the proposed new building here, Supt. J. A. Vandyke of the local schools, members of the board of education and Architect W. T. Bray of Duluth visited the Fargo schools and those of Minneapolis.

Coleraine.—Pursuant to the request of Mrs. Ina Edwards, a daughter living at Grand Rapids, Mich., the body of her father, James Francisco, who killed himself in his lonely home on Lake Wabena, seventeen miles from here, while suffering from blood poisoning, was shipped to that point.

Backache only a Symptom

"It Seems as Though my Back Would Break."

This is a common expression among women, yet they toil on day after day heedless of the significance of this distressing symptom.

Backache is often a warning of some inward trouble that requires attention, and which unless relieved will sooner or later declare itself in more serious ailments.

If it is caused by female derangement Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is what you need. It quickly asserts its curative powers in all those peculiar ailments of women.

For more than thirty years this good old fashioned root and herb medicine has been restoring American women to health.

The Splendid Recovery of Mrs. Coventry

Newark, N. J.—"The doctor said I had organic trouble and treated me for several weeks. At times I could not walk at all and I suffered with my back and legs so I often had to stay in bed. I suffered off and on for eight years. Finally I heard that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was a good medicine, and I tried it with splendid effect. I can now do my housework and my washing. I have recommended your Vegetable Compound and Blood Medicine and three of my friends are taking it to their advantage. You may use my name for a testimonial."—Mrs. THERESA COVENTRY, 75 Burnett St., Newark, N.J.

Mrs. Hunt tells how it helped her

Detroit, Mich.—"I was in a general run-down condition, was very nervous and tired, had backache and other troubles. I suffered for several years, was not able to work at times and tried doctor's medicine with no results. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised, and after taking it a short time I was much better. I am still taking it myself and giving it to my daughter, and am glad to recommend Vegetable Compound at any time."—Mrs. M. E. Hunt, 171 Davison Ave.

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Mean Comment.

Belle—I have been told my eyes are like jewels.

Nell—So they are; like cat's eyes.

WORSE THAN DEADLY POISON GAS

Kidney disease is no respector of persons. It attacks young and old alike. In most cases the victim is warned of the approaching danger. Nature fights back. Headache, indigestion, insomnia, lame back, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatism, pain in the loins and lower abdomen, difficulty in urinating, all are indication of trouble brewing in your kidneys.

When such symptoms appear you will almost certainly find quick relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules.

This famous old remedy has stood the test for two hundred years in helping mankind to fight off disease.

It is imported direct from the home laboratories in Holland, where it has helped to develop the Dutch into one of the sturdiest and healthiest races in the world, and it may be had at almost every drug store. Your money promptly refunded if it does not relieve you. Be sure to get the genuine GOLD MEDAL Brand. In sealed packages, three sizes.—Adv.

Unusual.

"There's just one thing I want to ask you, John." "Only one, Henrietta? Ain't you feelin' well?"

A Strike for Freedom.

Unionism in a slightly different phase is being used by students of Shanghai, who have in their organization some 20,000 of their number, one-fourth of whom are girls. These unionists desire—not shorter hours, not other teachers—but they have struck for freedom of speech and the preservation of the freedom of the press. The movement, it is reported, is spreading to other cities. Thus come the evidences of the great democratic movement in China.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Fargo, N. D.

Conditional.

"But we simply must have a cook!" wailed Mrs. Newlywed tearfully. "I've never lived in a house without one."

"Well, if it's as bad as that, mum, I'll come," replied the hesitating candidate. "I don't mind staying so long as I don't have to do any of the cooking."

Cause for Suspicion

"Senator Smugg has the manners of a Chesterfield."

"Yes," returned old Festus Pester. "He is always so polite and deferential that he keeps me wondering how much he wants to borrow."—Kansas City Star.

France Seeks Auto Travelers.

France is making systematic plans to attract the automobile tourist. National roads will have red-painted mile stones and large blue enameled plates, with the direction of the next town and its distance displayed in big white letters.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Merely Broke.

She—They say Mr. Destyle is financially embarrassed.

He—Well, he's horribly in debt, but it would take more than that to embarrass him.—Boston Post.

It is difficult to realize that the sweet girl graduate was once a short haired baby with a red nose.

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Saturday Nov. 22

On my farm 1 mile north 8 miles east of Holt

The following property will be sold at 11 o'clock

4 Cows coming fresh in winter and spring

1 Heifer coming fresh in spring 5 heifer calves

1 bull calf 1 bull coming 2 years

10x20 C. O. D. Tractor 30 h. p. E. M. F. auto

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U. S. FIGHTING MEN WANTED A CHURCH

REPORT OF Y. M. C. A. IN CENTRAL MILITARY DEPARTMENT CONTAINS INTERESTING INFORMATION.

Chicago.—Uncle Sam's soldiers and sailors go to church. Figures showing attendance at religious services in Y. M. C. A. huts in military camps of the central department prove it.

Attendance at the religious meetings and Bible classes held in the huts between May 1, 1917, and December 31, 1918, was more than 5,290,000.

A. H. Lichty, executive secretary of the central department of the national war work council of the Y. M. C. A., has issued a report covering statistics of the Y. M. C. A. activities in the 131 huts in Central department camps. Mr. Lichty is in command of nearly 1,000 workers. Before coming to Chicago for war work he was secretary of the Ohio State Y. M. C. A. During his administration more than 2,500 men and women have been recruited in the 14 Central states for overseas service with the Y. M. C. A.

A. H. LICHTY.

The number of letters written in huts in the 33 military camps totaled 62,798,410. The total attendance was 60,663,806.

Movies were the most popular feature of the "Y" service in the camps. The attendance at the 12,496 motion picture shows was 5,979,[illegible], an average of more than 400.

The "Y" educational features were popular. In the 20 months 7,570 lectures were heard by 2,202,810 soldiers and sailors. The 68,272 classes of various kinds drew 1,394,418 and the 982 science and art clubs 62,530. For the American Library association the "Y" passed out 1,423,668 books.

Athletics Popular.

The number of participants in athletic contests under the direction of the "Y" was greater than the number of spectators. There were 5,398,259 in the contests and 4,437,017 "looking on."

The 902 workers in the 131 huts in the army and navy camps and the 184 S. A. T. C. units passed out to America's fighting men 510,432 Scriptures. There were 282,229 personal interviews on the subject of religion; 52,754 decisions to accept the Christian faith and 117,770 signed the "war roll" pledging themselves to a Christian life.

The 17,381 entertainments not including movies, drew 6,731,646 soldiers and sailors.

The fighting men were thrifty. In the period covered by the report the "Y" sent home for the enlisted men $3,996,025 in money orders.

"Y" to Open Clubs for Troops.

At the request of the French minister of marines the Y. M. C. A. is planning the establishment of clubs for American and French troops in Toulon and in the suburbs of that city.

Y. M. C. A. NO LONGER TO MAINTAIN ARMY POST EXCHANGES.

Paris.—The American Y. M. C. A., at its own request, has been relieved of its work of maintaining the post exchanges with the American army. Correspondence exchanged between General Pershing and E. C. Carter, in charge of Y. M. C. A. with the army, shows the reason for this arrangement was that the Y. M. C. A. now has "increased responsibilities in promoting educational, athletic and entertainment activities in the American expeditionary forces," thus placing a rapidly increasing burden on its personnel.

General Pershing in a letter to Mr. Carter approving the change, expressed his thanks "for the very valuable services and assistance which the Y. M. C. A. has rendered to the American expeditionary force in handling these exchanges. General Pershing added:

"Handicapped by the shortage of tonnage and land transportation, the Y. M. C. A. has by extra exertion served the army better than could have been expected, and you may be assured that its aid has been a large factor in the final great accomplishments of the American army."

THE A B C OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

By DR. FRANK CRANE.

1. What is the League of Nations?

A. A union of the strongest civilized nations formed at the conclusion of the great war.

2. What is its object?

A. First, to promote the Peace of the World by agreeing not to resort to war. Second, to deal openly with each other, not by secret treaties. Third, to improve international law. Fourth, to co-operate in all matters of common concern.

3. Does it presume to end war?

A. No more than any government can end crime. It claims to reduce the liability of war.

4. What will be done to any nation that makes war?

A. It will be boycotted and otherwise penalized.

5. How else will the probability of war be lessened?

A. By voluntary, mutual and proportionate disarmament; by exchanging military information, by providing for arbitration, by protecting each nation's territorial integrity and by educating public opinion to see the folly of war.

6. What else does the League propose to do for Mankind?

A. (1) Secure fair treatment for labor,
(2) suppress the White Slave Traffic, the sale of dangerous Drugs, and the traffic in War Munitions,
(3) control and prevent Disease,
(4) promote the work of the Red Cross, and
(5) establish International Bureaus for other Causes that concern the human race.

7. Who are to be Charter Members of the League?

A. The United States of America, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, British Empire, Canada, Australia, South Africa, New Zealand, India, China, Cuba, Czecho-Slovakia, Ecuador, France, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Hedjaz, Honduras, Italy, Japan, Liberia, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Rumania, Serbia, Siam, Uruguay and the following states which are invited to accede to the covenant: Argentine Republic, Chili, Colombia, Denmark, Netherlands, Norway, Paraguay, Persia, Salvador, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Venezuela.

8. What other nations may join?

A. Any self-governing State which will agree to the rules of the League, provided the League accepts it.

9. What Agencies will the League have?

A. (1) An Assembly, composed of representatives of all the member Nations,
(2) a Council of Nine,
(3) a Secretary-General,
(4) a Mandatary Commission, to look after colonies, etc.,
(5) a Permanent Commission, for military questions,
(6) various International Bureaus; such as the Postal Union, etc.,
(7) Mandataries.

10. What is a Mandatary?

A. Some one nation designated by the League to attend to the welfare of "backward peoples residing in colonies of the Central Empires, or in territories taken from them." This is to be a "sacred trust," and in selecting a mandatary the wishes of the people of the area in question shall be the principal consideration.

11. Does the League mean a Super-nation?

A. No. It interferes in no way with any Nation's Sovereignty, except to limit its power to attack other nations.

12. Can any Nation withdraw when it wishes?

A. Yes. The League is Advisory and Co-operative, not coercive.

13. Does the League put Peace above Justice and National Honor?

A. No. It puts Reason before Violence.

14. Does not the League take away the Constitutional right of Congress to declare war?

A. No. The League can advise war; Congress alone can Declare war.

15. Does it destroy the Monroe Doctrine?

A. Exactly the contrary. For the first time in history the other nations recognize the Monroe Doctrine; and extend it to all the world.

16. Does it not interfere with Treaty Making Powers of the United States?

A. No. It is a Treaty. We can make any Treaty we please.

17. Would we have had the Great War if we had had this League?

A. No. That War cost the world over 7,000,000 lives and 200,000,000,000 dollars.

18. Of what importance is the League?

A. It is the greatest deed of mankind in the history of the world.

19. Has not anyone a right to object to the League?

A. Yes. This is a free country. Anyone has a right to any opinion he chooses.

20. Why is the League so bitterly opposed by a few?

A. Because, unfortunately, any Treaty or League must be made by the President, and a President is chosen by a political party and many members of the opposite Party think they must decry whatever he does.

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Sometimes there are serious conditions where a hospital operation is the only alternative, but on the other hand so many women have been cured by this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, after doctors have said that an operation was necessary—every woman who wants to avoid an operation should give it a fair trial before submitting to such a trying ordeal. [illegible] write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice. The result of many years experience is at your service.

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STRIKE QUESTION GOES TO CABINET

Should This Body Fail to Solve Coal Problem, Question Is Up to President.

DR. GARFIELD IS HEARD

Fuel Administrator in Talk to Conference Implies That Some of Operators' Wartime Profits May Be Encroached Upon.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Settlement of the controversy over a new wage agreement in the bituminous coal industry awaits action by President Wilson's cabinet.

At the meeting of the cabinet today a definite decision of policy regarding all phases of the strike situation is expected and if the cabinet is in disagreement the whole question may be put before the President.

Owing to the disagreement which has arisen as to the amount of the increase in the cost of living, and consequently the just cost of wage advance needed to meet higher living costs, great significance is attached to Fuel Administrator Garfield's declaration that "the average total increase in pay over the scale which was the base considered in 1917 should not exceed the present increase in the cost of living over the same base.

"It is also to be considered that the cost of living will fall rather than rise during the next few years," Dr. Garfield adds.

Conflicts With Wilson.

Operators construed this statement as in conflict with the contention of Secretary Wilson [illegible]

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HUNGARIAN CABINET FORMED

New Government Is a Compromise —Representative of All Parties.

Budapest, Nov. 25.—All the parties are represented in the new cabinet formed by Karl Huszar. The Christian nationalists, however, have a heavy majority of the portfolios. The socialists get only one [illegible] and one secretaryship.

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TO RATIFY SUFFRAGE [illegible]

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China Buys Silver.

San Francisco, Nov. 25.—Large purchases of silver dollars to fill rush orders placed by China were made here today to be forwarded by the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Asia to sail from Vancouver, B. C., November 27.

England Hopes to Try Kaiser Soon.

London, Nov. 25.—The British government expects the trial of former Emperor William to begin in London early in the new year and is completing necessary arrangements, says the Mail, which adds that as soon as the allies have ratified the treaty a united request for the surrender of the former emperor will be presented to Holland. "There is no room for doubt that the request will be complied with," the newspaper says. Ratification of the treaty is confidently expected.

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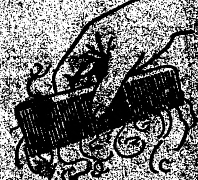

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Rochester.—Joseph Towner, janitor of the Watson hotel here, was found unconscious in the basement of the building with his throat badly slashed with a razor.

Fergus Falls.—Plans for a big semi-centennial celebration and homecoming to be staged in this city in 1922 are under consideration. The city was founded in 1872.

Bemidji.—Forest C. Halgren of Bemidji has been named to succeed Deputy United States Marshal Frank Bradley, who was recently transferred to the Duluth district.

East Grand Forks.—An increase of $10 a month in wages was granted to practically the entire teaching staff of the East Grand Forks public schools.

Byron.—E. W. Woodbury, well known citizen of this vicinity, lost his right arm up to the elbow as the result of an accident which befell him while operating his corn shredding machine.

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Worthington.—[illegible] passed through the gates of the annual Nobles county fair here this fall and the total receipts of the fair association from all sources were $5,713.90, according to the annual report of the secretary.

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Hutchinson.—Cloverdale club, a progressive farmers club near Hutchinson, has called a meeting of fruit growers and other farmers' clubs for Dec. 1, to discuss the organization of a company to market apples and other fruits which go to waste every year on Hutchinson community farms.

Winona.—L. C. Thrun, formerly of this city and for a number of years Federal building inspector for the southeastern district, with headquarters at Washington, has been transferred to the newly organized district of the Mississippi valley. His headquarters will be in Winona.

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DECORATING THE TABLE

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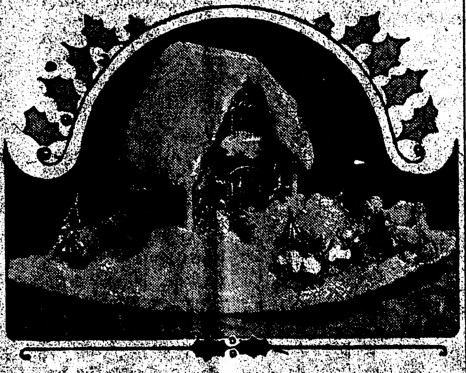


The happiest dinner of all the year is that in which all the members of a family join on Christmas day. Preparations for this joyous feast are going on two or three weeks before Christmas day, or even for a longer time. There is a lot of fun in making them, especially when all the family is interested and every member of it takes some part in the work.

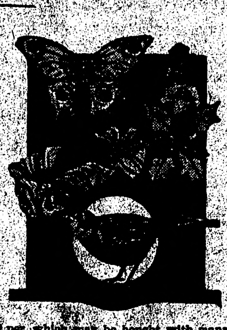
In addition to the usual Christmas greens—the pine and holly—so dearly loved and always used as a background for other things, some new and unexpected decorations add to the interest of Christmas celebrations. For the dinner table, the sideboard, the Christmas tree, serving tables and mantels some things are to be newly made each year, adding the spice of variety to the charm of old-time favorites. Among these are centerpieces for the Christmas table. To replace the miniature Christmas tree or the decorative Christmas cake—which have done long and valiant service as centerpieces, there are a number of new things that are easy to make and cost next to nothing, which have been brought out lately. Among them "Christmas pies" are featured. They are boxes of some sort that simulate a house, a chimney, a figure of Santa Claus, a sleigh or any receptacle that will hold small packages, and they are filled with little gifts, usually things that provoke a laugh, that are to be distributed before or after dinner to the people seated at the table.

A centerpiece made of cardboard, cotton, powdered mica and crepe paper is shown in the picture above. A very heavy cardboard is used for the foundation and this is about thirty inches square. A box twelve inches square will serve for the house, and it is either covered with red paper or painted red, with windows and doors sketched on. In the printed papers pictures of houses might help out in making the house. When the box has been glued or tacked to the foundation small pine trees may be made by cutting green crepe paper into narrow fringe. This is wound to moderately heavy wire, using thread or tie wire to fasten the fringe to the heavy wire. By trimming the fringe in different lengths the short and long branches of the trees are simulated.

The next step is the placing of cotton to simulate snow on the foundation board, on the roof of the house, on the trees and below the painted windows. It is fastened down with little dabs of mucilage. The roof of the house can be lifted off when the time comes and small packages that have been placed within distributed to those about the table. Little figures added to the scene help to make it attractive. Santa Claus and his reindeer, cut from printed paper and pasted against thin cardboard, are set in the snowy scene pictured. Finally powdered mica—"Santa Claus snow"—is sprinkled over the whole piece to give it a frosty sparkle, and this finishes a fine centerpiece for the Christmas dinner table.

Nearly all these center pieces are made of a low pasteboard box—either round or square—containing small gifts and having a flat lid. This is covered with cotton or crepe paper and a Santa Claus, chimney, or tiny Christmas tree is mounted on the lid.

ORNAMENTS FOR THE CHRISTMAS TREE



In order that the high cost of living may not fall like a blight upon the Christmas tree, we must begin to consider its decoration right now. Quite a number of things are more expensive than they used to be, and candy is among them, but there are plenty of ornaments that cost next to nothing, and homemade candies—which are better than others—will partially replace the confectioners' wares.

Some of the inexpensive ornaments that will adorn this year's Christmas trees appear in two groups above. At the left are a few of the new and inexpensive celluloid toys that have been produced in great variety and abundance and can be bought for ten or fifteen cents each. They include very pretty little jointed dolls, all kinds of domestic and wild animals, ducks, fishes and swans and very vividly colored horns. They are very light and will float, so that the waterfowl, the tiny battleships and fishes can be floated in a basin of water. In the group at the left there are three celluloid animals, besides a doll and a horn. They are all nicely colored and the doll is large enough to dress easily. The horn is a very vivid red, has a silk cord and tassel and will delight the small youngsters to whom noise is music.

In the group at the right, just a few home-made ornaments are shown. They include a butterfly and a robin, with a plain horn of tin, having red gauze ribbon wrapped about it and tied in bows at the ends. Also one of those long candy snappers, wrapped in bright red paper. A face is painted on it, with hair and whiskers indicated by cotton, to look like Santa Claus.

The butterfly is cut from crepe paper, which may be bought with many butterflies in various sizes and colors painted on it. It is then pasted against a thin piece of cardboard or a heavy writing paper that is cut out to conform to it, and mounted on a short wire. By brushing a very little mucilage on the wings (in lines or spots), powdered mica sprinkled over them will give the glitter that is expected on the Christmas tree. The birds are made in the same way.

Mosquito netting, in white and red, makes fine ornaments in the form of little mittens, stockings and bags, that hold mixtures of popcorn and candy. These are cut out and sewed with red yarn along the sides. A drawstring of yarn, run through the top, closes these candy bags and serves to hang them on the tree.

Tinsel, that is bought by the yard for the tree, will make sparkling silver stars. The stars are cut from thin cardboard and the tinsel sewed to them. They will take the place of glass balls at less cost. Gold and silver paper make the prettiest horns of plenty, cut in small triangles that are pasted together at the longer sides. The open end can be finished with tinsel and the horn is hung to the tree with narrow red ribbon, tinsel or plain red or green cord. Small balls of popcorn, suspended on threads, help fill in wherever decorations look thin and, being white, are sure to help set off all the gay trinkets that make up the glory of the Christmas tree.

Julia Bottomley

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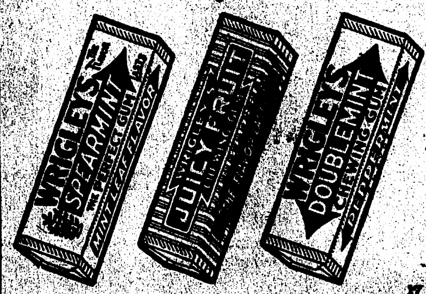

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GREAT SECRET OUT AT LAST

Observing Intellect Has Discovered How the Brain That Names Sleeping Cars Works.

I used to be awed, writes Inobetta, at the thought of the intellectuality of the man who names the Pullman cars. To what storehouse of classical or historical lore did this mentality have access, that he could exhume therefrom such names—names that seemed to mean something, but yet just eluded analysis? I used to think I'd like to meet that bird.

But I've pegged him at last! He's no giant intellect at all. He's just a pathological specimen—one of these wrong-font cases the medical journals have been discussing lately, whose cerebral or spinal connections seem to be crossed. Their handwriting goes from right to left—it's called "mirror writing." Their co-ordinating mechanism is constantly in reverse gear. And how do I know that the nomenclator of Pullman cars is one of these? Simply thus:

The sleeper in which I rode from Cincinnati to Atlanta the other day was named "Klimwoc!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Reds and Reds.

"Who are those fellows praising 'the reds?'"

"Bolsheviki, I guess."

Faith and ingenuity often take the place of the hired man.

Just Rats.

For want of a pied piper of Hamelin, the British board of agriculture is using the next best thing to get rid of rats and mice—a bill.

The house of parliament tittered when the bill was introduced, says "A Londoner." The titterers did not know that the rat has been described as the most expensive animal maintained by man. He costs in damages anything up to $200,000,000 a year—as much as the whole government subsidy to the farming industry. He spreads bubonic plague and other diseases among men and animals alike. He is of no earthly use except as a scavenger, and there the remedy is worse than the disease. The fiat has gone forth; he must be exterminated wherever he shows his head—in stacks, in granaries, in warehouses, in the holds of vessels. The mouse, too, if less harmful, is just as useless as his big relative—and the only living creature which will regret his disappearance is the cat.

Who Does?

"Here's a man who claims that a knowledge of Greek and Latin is necessary in order to write English correctly."

"But nowadays who considers it necessary to write English correctly?" —Merritt Dispatch.

Take strict heed to thy ways; set a watch over thy actions; and govern the thoughts of thy heart.—Dorothea Dix.

If you want to make good health a habit—and coffee interferes, try a change to

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Local Items

Dr. Mugg will be here Dec. 5th.

Lewis Wegge was a Thief River Falls caller Friday.

Rev. Mybrer will preach in Holt next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Dr. Turley, the dentist will be in this town on Monday, Dec. 8th.

George Johnson and [illegible] Peterson went to Duluth Sunday to look for work.

Miss Hazel Haney went to [illegible] Saturday to visit friends, returning Monday.

David Johnson went to Fargo on Friday to attend a school for [illegible]

[illegible] 17 year old [illegible]

[illegible]

M. W. Finn returned to [illegible] Saturday after a few days visit with his daughter, Mrs. Carl [illegible]

[illegible] Sunday School [illegible] services by Rev. Mybrer.

The Ladies Aid of the Mission church will entertain in the basement of the church next Thursday Dec. 11th. All are welcome.

Join the American Legion Saturday night, for your own good, and buy R. C. Christmas Seals for your own good and the good of others.

Mr. and Mrs. Wrolson and children of Montana came last week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Knutson and other relatives.

We want to commence business Jan. 1st with a new set of books and would appreciate the settlement of all accounts before that date.

Your letters and packages will go safely, if you use enough Christmas Seals on the backs to hold them securely. The money from their sale may save you from tuberculosis.

Misses Tina and Mabel Johnson returned home last week Thursday from Fargo. The former had been in a hospital for three weeks being treated for rheumatic fever and was obliged to use crutches with which to get around.

August Nass returned home Sunday from Battle Lake and reports that his father passed away Wednesday night before his arrival on Thursday morning. Sympathy is extended to the sorrowing relatives and friends of the family.

Relief quickly obtained through Dr. Albertson's Chiropractic Adjustments. Acute and chronic diseases successfully treated. Even those who have been pronounced incurable, have been restored to perfect health again. Phone No. 85. Crookston, Minn.

Death of Peter Kolden

A telegram was received here last Friday stating that Peter Kolden had died that morning in the Naval Hospital at Fort Lyons, Colorado.

Mr. Kolden had the remains sent to Crookston and himself and son Thorval went there to attend the funeral services which were held on Wednesday. The young man was buried with military honors, by the side of his mother in the cemetery there.

Peter Kolden was 21 years old the [illegible] of October and apparently had a bright future as he was an ambitious young man. He joined the navy a year before the war with Germany, and served his country faithfully. During the autumn of 1918 he had the flu twice and was sent to the naval hospital Nov. 21st, 1918 for treatment for tuberculosis which the flu had caused to take hold of his young life. He seemed to be getting better of late until attacked by the pleurisy about two weeks ago which hastened his death.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the sorrowing father and other relatives.

Married

Miss Luella Johnson and Olai Sovde were united in marriage Thanksgiving morning in the groom's home by Rev. M. B. Ordahl.

Only a few of the immediate relatives were present to witness the happy event. The News joins their many friends in extending to [illegible] much joy.

A. [illegible] was here from Crookston a few days on business.

Miss Bernice Hobbs had dental work done in Thief River Falls last week Friday.

Mrs. Fred [illegible] and little son Walter went to St. Hilaire Monday to visit relatives.

Rev. M. Strom returned home Monday from Viking where he had been holding meetings.

Make your mail safe by using R. C. Christmas Seals on the back of each letter and package.

Charley Mclean has painted the interior of the creamery which greatly improves its appearance.

The Zion Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. C. H. Knutson Dec. 17 at 2 P. M. All welcome.

Mr. Holmgren, late of Red Lake Falls, is the latest depot agent at this place according to reports.

Andrew Sorum and Fridjof Riesberg were among the number who were fortunate enough each to bag a deer during the big game hunt.

Several cars of hay have been shipped out of here this fall and a lot more is being hauled in while the roads are good.

A. E. Bowen spoke here Monday evening in the interest of the Non-Partisian League. There was a good attendance of farmers, considering the cold weather and the distance they had to drive.

The school furniture was moved into the new school house last week and school was first held in the new building on Monday. Altho the building was not fully ready, things are being put into shape as rapidly as possible.

P. A. Riesberg, M. Grondahl, A. H. Langley, Iver Boersheim, O. H. Nohre and B. J. Bakke from this vicinity and Bertil Sollom of Middle River were called to Warren this week as witnesses in the case of the State vs B. L. Bakke, who is being tried on a charge of grand larceny.

Shipping tags for sale at this office.

Notice

Ex-Soldiers and Sailors

All service men desiring to start an American Legion Post in Holt should not fail to attend the Legion meeting in the bank Saturday Dec. 6th at 8 o'clock. This meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers and getting a post started. It requires at least fifteen (15) members to secure a charter and we need and want every one of you at this meeting and to stir up enthusiasm among the boys. The American Legion Magazine is given free to each member. Buttons cost 25c.

Don't fail to be there at 8 o'clock P. M., sharp.

School Notes

The basket social held at Pioneer School November 21st was a success. Prof. Jackson of Newfolden gave an instructive talk on cooperation. The total receipts from baskets and lunches sold were $38.40. After expenses were paid the neat sum of $36.25 was left for the school.

$7.25 was sent to the Junior Red Cross.

Route No. 2.

Miss Alice Feiman, student of the Holt high school, spent the Thanksgiving vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

Miss Julia [illegible] returned to her home from Thief River Falls where she has been employed.

[illegible] has decided to make his headquarters at the Martin Kisch farm for the rest of the winter and next summer.

Miss [illegible] Hanson has returned to her parental home after an absence of several months during which she has been employed at the homes of John Keller and [illegible] Torgerson.

There will be a program and basket social given at the Schwartz district school, Saturday Dec. 6th. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Schwartz spent Thanksgiving the at Warner home.

Ben Tildahl left home Monday in search of employment in the lumber camps.

Mr. Fred Voth was a caller at the Schwartz home Friday.

Christmas Seals are all the rage.

Tuberculosis annually kills 150,000 people in the United States.

For Sale: Red Poll bull 2 years old, 8-16 Avery tractor. C. J. Dale.

All letters and packages should be made secure by placing a Christmas Seal on the back of them.

Dr. and Mrs. Spinks and little daughter of Middle River visited over Friday with relatives here.

C. G. Mugg, the eye man, will be here Dec. 5th to test eyes and fit glasses. Wait for him. See him.

The Red Cross Christmas Seal Sale begins Dec. 1, and extends to Dec. 11. The money is used for stamping out tuberculosis.

The mails are always crowded at Christmas time and parcels are apt to be lost or damaged. Mail your Christmas parcels early to avoid the rush, and mark them "Don't open until Christmas."

A car load of county oats arrived here this week for distribution among the farmers who lost their crops by the floods. They didn't last long after arrival and probably another car will be shipped in later.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Rev. Mybrer will hold services here next Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock. All are welcome.

The Ladies Aid will entertain in the church basement next Thursday afternoon. Everyone invited.

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants Saturday 1 o'clock.

Girls from confirmants classes of 1917 and 1918 meet at the parsonage at 2 o'clock Saturday to arrange for a Christmas program.

Sunday School at 1 o'clock. Services at 2. Y. P. S. at 3. Refreshments served by Mrs. C. H. Gunheim. All members should come to the yearly meeting.

Services in Thorvik Sunday at 11 o'clock.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

Notice!

Men are wanted to cut fence posts in the S. W. 1-4—25—156—43. Enquire at the Holt State Bank.

For Sale or Trade.

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Red Cross Christmas Seals are being sold now that the campaign is on in full blast.

Albert Knutson of Thief River Falls visited over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Knutson.

The Nazareth Ladies Aid served a fine dinner in the church basement on Thanksgiving Day to a large crowd. The proceeds from the dinner, lunch and sale amounted to over $128 60

The Ladies Aid wishes to extend their thanks to those who helped to make the dinner and lunch a success on Thanksgiving Day at the Lutheran church.

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Wheat No. 3	2 66
Wheat No. 4	2 56
Wheat No. 5	2 46
Flax	5 07
Oats	67
Barley	1 10 to 1 20
Rye	1 34
Flour, Best Patent	7 15

C. G. MUGG, O. S.

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Holt, afternoon of Dec. 5th, forenoon of Dec. 6th.

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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
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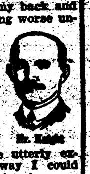

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Mr. Knight

Sworn to before me,
A. M. EGGMANN, Notary Public.

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Care Necessary.

Reds—I see a luncheon case has recently been invented which is so shaped that it will also serve as a footrest in an automobile.

Greene—Looks all right, but I suppose the ladies in the party must exercise great care and not get their high French heels in the custard pie or raspberry jam.

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Northwest

A. D. Hall, first dean of Fargo, N. D., college, was burned to death at Three Fork, Mont. The explosion of a can of gasoline caused his death.

Lars Brendsel, one of the best known of the pioneer residents of the Volga, South Dakota district, dropped dead while on his way to attend religious services.

Fire spreading from the basement of the warehouse of Stone-Ordean-Wells grocery company, caused a loss in the wholesale district of Butte of more than $250,000.

Threatened strike of Washburn, Wis., teachers for more pay was averted when the board of education granted an increase in wages of $10 per month dating from Sept. 1.

George Beachwood, a farmer living near Stanley, Wis., was shot in the abdomen while hunting near Ladysmith by members of his party. They mistook him for a deer. He is thought to be fatally injured.

The trial of John F. Hill for the alleged violation of the Mann act, was set at Butte, Mont., in the United States district court before Judge G. M. Bourquin. May Dahl of Brainerd, Minn., is the chief witness called by the state.

Omaha.—Schools have been ordered closed for one week following an order by the fuel committees, that no coal be used by nonessential industries. Streetcar services will be reduced 25 per cent except during the rush hours.

The Tacoma city council agreed to let the 22 alleged I. W. W. who are on hunger strike in the city jail, starve if they want to, following a report from Assistant City Attorney Frank Carnahan that the city cannot be held responsible.

South Dakota state officials' request for 5,000 cars of soft coal on the Duluth-Superior docks was refused by E. D. Brigham, chairman, and W. H. Groverman, fuel administration member of the northwest coal distributing committee at Duluth.

Governor Peter Norbeck, of South Dakota, is doing everything possible to keep a supply of coal coming into South Dakota. Temporary needs at practically every point in the state have been supplied, but there is only enough coal to last a few days.

Mrs. Mary McCarthy, 80, was burned to death at Grand Forks, N. D. At the time of the fire Mrs. McCarthy was alone in the house. When her son, Daniel McCarthy came home from work he found the charred body of his mother lying on the kitchen floor.

Major Charles L. Sheridan is organizing headquarters at Helena of vocational training in Montana, of which he has been named state superintendent. Major Sheridan is also in charge of the war department's employment bureau for veterans in the state.

Representatives from the 20 locals of the United Mine Workers union in Montana, after a conference at Billings, decided to take no action looking toward a resumption of work, basing their decision on the expressed belief that the nationwide strike would be settled at the Washington conference within a few days.

A site at Sixth and Main sts has been selected as the location for the new $200,000 auditorium at Mitchell, S. D. Construction work is expected to commence as soon as weather will permit. The new building will be used jointly as a corn palace and auditorium. It will have a seating capacity of between 5,000 an 6,000.

"You should take over and operate the mines in the name of the people," Governor Sam W. Stewart of Montana was urged in a telegram sent from Livingston to the capitol by representatives of all local business houses. Continuing, the telegram states: "This community is confronted with the most acute fuel famine ever faced by people."

E. C. Woodburn, Aberdeen, was elected president of the South Dakota Educational association in annual convention at Mitchell. Mrs. Edith Beaumont, defeated candidate, polled the largest vote ever given a woman for that office. Mrs. Olive Warran, Spearfish Normal, was elected secretary and Bruce McBey, De Smet, was chosen treasurer. Aberdeen was selected as the 1920 convention city.

His high hopes of success crushed, Walter Sheridan, 22 years old Minneapolis student and veteran of the World war, is dead by his own hand. Lack of education, his friends believe, frustrated his ambition, born in France, to become a scientific farmer.

A hard fight is being made for the life of Alfred Hanson, 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson, who were killed at their home near Abernathy, Sask., by J. R. Sullivan, grain-buyer. He has a slight chance for recovery. Sullivan killed Mr. and Mrs. Hanson, shot Alfred through the neck, and killed himself.

The formal charge of murder has been filed against Mr. and Mrs. Walter Zimmerman of Granville, N. D., held for some time in connection with the death of Margaret Kottke, whose body was found in a straw stack. The trial will take place next month.

A. Mitchell Palmer, United States attorney general, will attend a meeting of the fair price committee of each city and town of South Dakota, according to E. W. Fiske, United States district attorney. The meeting is to be conducted at Pierre early in December.

Coal miners in the Musselshell county field, meeting at Roundup, Montana, voted formally not to return to work, in compliance with instructions sent from Washington by District President Henry Drennan. Miners in the Carbon county region also voted not to return to work.

Washington

At least $500,000,000 will be forced from income tax dodgers in 1920 by the federal government, according to an official statement issued by Daniel Roper, commissioner of internal revenue.

The Mexican government has refused the demand of the United States for the release of Counsular Agent Jenkins, which may result in the sending of an ultimatum from Washington.

The food shortage in Petrograd now has become so acute that food is only distributed upon prescriptions of physicians, according to unofficial advices to the state department from Helsingfors.

Replying to a farewell message from Secretary Robert Lansing, the Prince of Wales sent a dispatch from his ship saying he could not thank this government enough for its kindness and hospitality.

Secretary N. D. Baker, with General P. C. March, chief of staff, and Senator G. E. Chamberlain of Oregon, will leave New York on the transport Great Northern for Colon, where the secretary will formally open the Panama canal to the commerce of the world.

"Coal will be produced," is the government's dictum. This determined stand was officially announced in a statement issued from the department of justice by Assistant Attorney General C. B. Ames, acting in the absence of Attorney General Palmer. Mr. Ames' statement means that the government will no longer trifle with efforts of labor leaders to enforce the demands of the mine workers.

On top of the already delicate Mexican situation was the report of the murder of another American, W. M. Wallace, oil man, who was shot down by a Carranza soldier. This, combined with the Jenkins case, was expected to spur the state department to strong diplomatic action against the Carranza government, which has been warned repeatedly against mistreatment of American citizens.

Foreign

The purchasing power of an American gold dollar in Tientsin, China, is only 76 cents, American army officers report.

The British government expects the trial of former Emperor William to begin in London early in the new year, says the Daily Mail.

Those members of the Clemenceau ministry who were defeated for reelection to the chamber of deputies in the recent elections, have tendered their resignations to the cabinet council.

Jesus Renteria, famous kidnaper of Lieutenant Harold Peterson of Hutchinson, Minn., and another American airman several months ago, is reported to have been shot to death at Carrisoso Springs, Mexico.

Colonel J. A. Frazer, chairman of the eastern committee of the Canadian wheat board, said that no steps would be taken to interfere with exportation of wheat to the United States, as the board's function was to get the highest prices wherever obtainable.

Trial of eight leaders of the general strike in Winnipeg last spring, who are charged with conspiracy to commit sedition has begun. It is alleged by the prosecution that the defendants conspired to launch the general strike to paralyze industry and, if possible, to overthrow the government.

Domestic

Lieutenant Robert Stocker, Washington, D. C., and Fred Thompson, Dover, Maine, a civilian aeronautic inspector, were killed when a naval airplane, piloted by Stocker, dropped several hundred feet into the Delaware.

Countess Primo Magri, known to the general public as Mrs. Tom Thumb, and one of the best known Liliputians in the world, is dead at her home in Middleboro, Mass., after a long illness. She was 77 years of age and had traveled around the world several times under the management of the late P. T. Barnum.

Youngstown.—Elmer Flickinger of Columbus, Ohio, is $169,000 richer because he saved the life of a Montgomery, Ala., woman two years ago.

One hundred thousand dollars in Liberty issues was secured by robbers who cut their way into the vault of the Farmers' Savings bank at Rockford, Ohio, and looted 18 deposit boxes.

Farmers found the body of a negro hanging to a tree near Lake City, Fla. An investigation disclosed that the man, Sam Mosely, had been lynched by a party of white men. It was claimed he insulted a young white woman in Columbia county.

A wireless message was received at the port of embarkation, Hoboken, from the liner President Grant, on which an explosion killed one man, notifying army officials that she is proceeding to Europe. The steamer left Hoboken with 500 soldiers to join the American forces at Coblenz, Germany.

BETHLEHEM

Cold was the earth and all the stars,
But Mary Mother smiled
Where in the manger of an inn
Lay warm the Holy Child.

The ox was host upon that night
Unto the King of all;
He gave for incense meadowy breath,
For shelter his rude stall.

Not all the cold of earth and man
Can pierce the heaven mind,
Where warm against her leaping heart
A Mother clasps Her Child.

O miracle of utmost love,
How God grew greater when
He stooped to be a helpless babe
Beside the hearts of man.

Long ages since—and still in joy,
In loneliness and tears,
We kneel unto a Little Boy
Who smiles down through the years.
—Wilbur Underwood in Reedy's Mirror.

MAKE SOME SAD HEART GLAD

Christmas the Time for Remembering Those Not as Fortunate as You Are.

Christmas is a sad time in some households, among the older members who miss familiar faces always associated with family gatherings—a list of missing ones which increases as the years go by. But if it is impossible to be happy one's self, it is always possible to make some one else rejoice—this is an easier task than some people imagine. So many are so foolish as to think that because they cannot give beautifully that it is not worth while to give at all. They forget that what seems very little to a person in comfortable circumstances may appear very large to those who have virtually nothing at all; while among friends a small gift, bearing some sign of thoughtfulness, is often more acceptable than a costly but ill-chosen present. This is an excellent time to go over the children's toys and select those which can be spared to go to some less fortunate little ones. Do not select only those which are too battered to be recognizable; such, of course, are not to be despised, but a little glue and a few stitches to freshen up a broken doll or torn book add much to the pleasure of a second-hand gift—for all children love fresh-looking things and it is, besides, scarcely generous to give away only such articles as would otherwise be thrown in the ashes.

WHERE SANTA WAS BORN

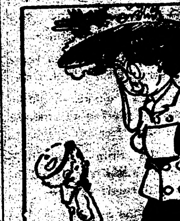
Russian Legend of Saint Klaus and How He Came to Be Known as the Children's Friend.

Very many years ago, there lived in Russia a nobleman and his wife, who had a little son named Klaus. He was such a good boy that everyone used to call him Saint Klaus. In course of time his parents died and left him a large fortune, not the least part of which was three large bars of gold.

Saint Klaus one day happened to be passing a house, and overheard a father telling his daughters that he had lost all his money, and that he didn't even know how he was going to buy food for them. This worried Saint Klaus very much, and he wondered how he could help them. So that night he took one of the bars of gold and threw it through the window. The next night he threw the second bar, and crept quietly away, but on the third night when he was about to throw the third bar, the man who had lost all his money came out and caught him. He tried to thank Saint Klaus for his goodness to him and his daughters, but Saint Klaus told him to pay his thanks to God, whose servant he was.

And there, boys and girls, you have the story of Saint Klaus (or Santa Claus as we call him).

PRECIOUS MOMENTS WASTED.



Mrs. Slumm—They're not going to have the Christmas tree at the church tonight. Not till next Friday night, Jimmie!

Jimmie—Gosh! Will I have to wash me hands agin nex' week, too?

Christmas is the poker that rakes the dull ashes of the past and brings smoldering memories and resolves to light for the warmth of man throughout the year that follows. It is modern civilization's greatest involuntary stimulant.

Real Christmas Joy.

For somehow, not only for Christmas, but
all the long years through,
The joy that you give to others is the joy
that comes back to you.

LID IS CLAMPED ON COAL SUPPLY

Fuel Administration at Last Renews Wartime Restrictions on Industrial Use.

RULES ARE STRINGENT

State, County and Municipal Authorities Asked to Help Administer Conservation Rules—Many Factories Must Close Down.

Washington, Dec. 2.—Wartime restrictions on the nation's use of coal, more stringent even than those applied during the war, have been ordered into effect to stave off a fuel famine.

Fuel Administrator Garfield, acting in conjunction with the railroad administration, gives notice that hereafter only the essential consumers included in the first five classes of the war priorities list will be supplied with coal and asks the help of all state and municipal authorities to make rationing effective.

The order, which made national those restrictions already put into local effect by regional coal committees where the pinch of fuel shortage has been felt, cuts off supplies from all but transportation agencies, federal and local government institutions, including concerns working on government contracts; public utilities, including newspapers and retail dealers.

Industrial establishments operating their own power plants will be forced to shut down when present supplies are exhausted while the operations of those whose power is supplied from public utility plants will be curtailed or continued in the discretion of local agencies and officials. Dr. Garfield noted further that the "government would be glad to leave supervision and control of distribution by retailers entirely to state, county or municipalities which may make provision therefor."

2 PLEAD GUILTY OF FRAUD

Unexpected Progress in Arraignment of Persons Indicted in Election Case.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 2.—Unexpected progress was made yesterday by federal officers in preparing the way for an early trial of the 125 men indicted on charges of corruption, fraud and conspiracy in connection with Senator Newberry's election campaign in 1918. Service was secured on a number of those indicted and first arraignments were held before Federal Judge G. W. Sessions.

Something of a sensation was caused when two of those cited in the true bills came before Judge Sessions and pleaded guilty to counts contained in the indictments. These were William Eric, a Grand Rapids printer, who pleaded guilty to conspiracy and was released under bond of $1,000, and Allie K. Moore, formerly a Grand Rapids newspaper man and later a publisher at Marquette, Mich., who pleaded guilty to four of six counts.

"ANTI-RADICAL" BILL IS IN

Michigan House Member Introduces Measure to Curb Syndicalism.

Washington, Dec. 2.—Declaring the time had come when "the federal government must take steps to protect itself and the governments of the several states from persons and organizations advocating crime and violence as a means of bringing about a new social, industrial or political order," Representative Kelley, Republican, Michigan, introduced a bill Monday defining "criminal syndicalism" and making it a felony to advocate it.

Under his measure, "criminal syndicalism" is "the doctrine which advocates crime, sabotage, violence or any method of terrorism, for the overthrow of a republican form of government as a means of accomplishing industrial, economic, social or political reform." Aliens advocating it would be ordered deported and persons of foreign birth who had become naturalized would lose their American citizenship and also be deported.

N. D. RATIFIES SUFFRAGE

House Follows Senate in Approving National Amendment.

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 2.—By a vote of 102 to 6 the house of representatives yesterday followed the lead of the senate in ratifying the proposed amendment to the national constitution providing for woman suffrage. This action had been taken by the senate early last week. North Dakota, it is understood, is the twentieth state to vote ratification of this amendment, which must be approved by the legislatures of two-thirds of the states.

Hair Tonics Must Be Undrinkable.

Washington, Dec. 2.—Prohibition Commissioner Kramer has served notice on manufacturers of proprietary medicines, barbers' supplies and other alcoholic preparations that they must doctor their products so that they may not be used as beverages after January 16, when the constitutional prohibition becomes effective. "Hair tonics that are hair tonics in name only must be made undrinkable," Mr. Kramer declared. Representatives of the manufacturers promised him their support.

THE JOY OF MOTHERHOOD

Came to this Woman after Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to Restore Her Health

Ellensburg, Wash.—"After I was married I was not well for a long time and a good deal of the time was not able to go about. Our greatest desire was to have a child in our home and one day my husband came back from town with a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and wanted me to try it. It brought relief from my troubles. I improved in health so I could do my housework; we now have a little one, all of which I owe to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. O. S. JOHNSON, R. No. 3, Ellensburg, Wash.

There are women everywhere who long for children in their homes yet are denied this happiness on account of some functional disorder which in most cases would readily yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

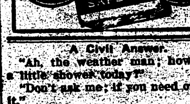
Such women should not give up hope until they have given this wonderful medicine a trial, and for special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of 40 years experience is at your service.

MILLIONS Suffer from Acid-Stomach

Millions of people suffer year after year from ailments affecting practically every part of the body, never dreaming that their ill health can be traced directly to acid-stomach. Here is the reason: poor digestion means poor nourishment of the different organs and tissues of the body. The blood is impoverished—becomes weak, thin, sluggish. Ailments of many kinds spring from such conditions. Biliousness, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, general weakness, loss of power and energy, headache, insomnia, nervousness, mental depression—even more serious ailments such as catarrh and cancer of the stomach, intestinal ulcers, cirrhosis of the liver, heart trouble—all of these can often be traced directly to acid-stomach.

Keep a sharp lookout for the first symptoms of acid-stomach—indigestion, heartburn, belching, food-repeating, that awful painful bloat after eating, and sour, gassy stomach. EATONIC, the wonderful modern remedy for acid-stomach, is guaranteed to bring quick relief from these stomach miseries. Thousands say they never dreamed that anything could bring such speedy relief—and make them feel so much better in every way. Try EATONIC and you, too, will be just as enthusiastic in its praise. Make your life worth living—no aches or pains—no blues or melancholy—no more of that tired, listless feeling. Be well and strong. Get back your physical and mental punch; your vim, vigor and vitality. You will always be weak and ailing as long as you have acid-stomach. So get rid of it now. Take EATONIC Tablets—they taste good—you eat them like a bit of candy. Your druggist has EATONIC—50 cents for a big box. Get a box from him today and if you are not satisfied he will refund your money.

EATONIC
FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH



A Civil Answer.

"Ah, the weather man; how about a little shower today?"

"Don't ask me; if you need one take it."

"CAN I BE CURED?" SAYS THE SUFFERER

How often have you heard that sad cry from the victims of disease. Perhaps the disorder has gone too far for help, but oftener it is just in its first stages and the pains and aches are only nature's first cries for help. Do not despair. Find out the cause and give nature all the help you can and she will repay you with health. Look after the kidneys. The kidneys are the most overworked organs of the human body, and when they fail in their work of filtering and throwing off the poisons that constantly accumulate in the system, everything goes wrong. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules will give almost immediate relief from kidney and bladder troubles and their kindred ailments. They will free your body from pain in short order. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. Look for the name on every box. In three sizes, sealed packages. Money refunded if they do not help you.—Adv.

Her Own.

"Was she self-possessed when you proposed to her?"

"Yes, and—er—she is yet."

Cuticura Soap for the Complexion.

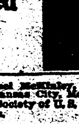
Nothing better than Cuticura Soap daily and Ointment now and then as needed to make the complexion clear, scalp clean and hands soft and white. Add to this the fascinating, fragrant Cuticura Talcum and you have the Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Adv.

Laugh and the world laughs at you; scowl and you're in good company.

How many a man fools himself when he thinks he is fooling his wife.

MURINE FOR YOUR EYES

Night and Morning. Have Strong, Healthy Eyes. If they Tire, Itch, Smart or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Soothes, Refreshes. Safe for Infant or Adult. At all Druggists. Write for Free Eye Book. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago



I Owe My Life to PE-RU-NA

Mr. McKinley's letter brings cheer to all who may be sufferers as he was. Read it:

"I can honestly say that I owe my life to Peruna. After some of the best doctors in the country gave me up and told me I could not live another month, Peruna saved me. Travelling from town to town, throughout the country and having to go into all kinds of badly heated stores and buildings, sometimes standing up for hours at a time while plying my trade as auctioneer, it is only natural that I had colds frequently; so when this would occur I paid little attention to it, until last December when I contracted a severe case, which, through neglect on my part settled on my lungs. When almost too late, I began doctoring, but without avail, until I heard of Peruna. It cured me; so I cannot praise it too highly."

It Cured Me

Mr. Samuel McKinley, 2504 E. 22nd St., Kansas City, Mo., Member of the Society of U. S. Jewelry Auctioneers.

Sold Everywhere.
Tablet or Liquid Form

The Right Way

in all cases of
DISTEMPER, PINKEYE
INFLUENZA, COLDS, ETC.
of all horses, brood mares, colts and stallions is to
"SPOHN THEM"
on the tongue or in the feed with
SPOHN'S DISTEMPER COMPOUND

Give the remedy to all of them. It acts on the blood and glands. It routs the disease by expelling the germs. It wards off the trouble, no matter how they are "exposed." A few drops a day prevent those exposed from contracting disease. Contains nothing injurious. Sold by druggists, harness dealers or by the manufacturers. AGENTS WANTED.

SPOHN MEDICAL COMPANY, GOSHEN, IND.

Knew One When She Saw It.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—What detained you?

Mr. Crimsonbeak—I stopped on my way home to get a cup of tea and a bun.

"I suppose the tea was not essential. I see you have the 'bun' all right."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Fargo, N. D.

Almost Human.

I had occasion to visit a small jewelry store. While the jeweler was showing me his wares a voice from the rear of the shop called: "Papa, papa." Being the owner of a fine parrot and much interested in the birds, I turned to the jeweler and remarked that the parrot's voice sounded almost human. To my horror the jeweler said: "That is not a parrot—that is my daughter." With a few muttered words of apology I rushed from the shop and, although the jeweler had offered me some unusually attractive bargains, nothing could make me face that jeweler again.—Chicago Tribune.

Typical Hun Trick.

Among the post cards widely circulated in Germany and Belgium in 1914 to justify the killing of Belgian civilians there was one that purported to show Belgians not in uniform firing on approaching German soldiers from the windows of Louvain university. Aside from the improbability that anyone took a photograph of such an affair, it is interesting to know that there are no windows on the side of the university that appears in the picture, but the card did its lying work.—Youth's Companion.

Up in the Air.

She—I would not marry any man on earth.

He—But if you accepted me I would not be on earth, but in the seventh heaven of happiness.

She—You dear boy! I am yours!—Boston Evening Transcript.

It is more difficult for some men to collect their wits than their bills.

OCEAN LIKE ANOTHER WORLD

But Different in That There Is No One to Explain or Explore Its Mysteries.

The ocean was calm and clear—so very calm that it reflected, as if from a solid surface, every vapor that floated along the heavens; it was like sailing into a new world—a creation whose laws and boundaries must remain forever unknown to us. How exciting to imagination! So many fantastic forms reveled beneath the transparent crystal, huge rocks looking like castles, exaggerated by the watery distance; bleak Alpine landscapes stretching far away; and then the monsters of the deep moving in the solemn majesty of silence!—living things, without one sympathy for the earth about them; without a single feeling that we can comprehend—it may be, if our eyes do not weary, that, in fancy we gaze deeper down, and strange, unearthly forms are succeeded by deeps on deeps,—the very eternity of waters!—where we can see nothing but the blue abyss!—down—down—down. It is a fearful thing to pass over their mysteries—a great lesson.—A. M. Hall.

Mother's Memory.

Three-year-old Marian accompanied grandfather home for dinner the other Sunday. Grandmother was delighted, but she wished to seem surprised, so she asked: "Now, whatever made you come today, baby?"

And baby made answer: "Oh, my mamma was as mad as everything this morning. She scolded John and daddy took his part, and then she turned on me and gave me the dickens for eating candy, and (mournfully) I ain't had any for a whole month."

Cheap Concrete Houses.

At Union, N. J., Charles H. Ingersoll is building concrete houses that cost $2,200 each, with a kitchen, a dining room and a living room on the first floor and two bedrooms and a bath on the second floor. The form into which the concrete is poured costs $7,000, but can be erected in one day and used 100 times. A house can be completed in a month.

It's the wise housewife who serves

Postum Cereal

instead of coffee. For where coffee sometimes disagrees and leaves harmful after-effects, Postum is an absolutely healthful cereal drink. Made of roasted wheat blended with a wee bit of molasses.

The extraordinary flavor of this beverage resembles that of the finest coffee—pleasing to particular tastes.

Two sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c.

Made by
Postum Cereal Company, Battle Creek, Michigan

HAPPENINGS IN GOPHER STATE

News From All Parts of Minnesota Given in Condensed Form.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

Where Busy Readers Will Find News From All Parts of State Tersely Chronicled for Their Benefit.

Hibbing.—Within two years Hibbing has become the strongest union labor town in northern Minnesota, with 16 unions.

Sauk Rapids.—Aug. 24, 25, 26 and 27, were chosen as the days for the 1920 Benton county fair at a meeting of the association held here.

Canby.—Benjamin Mummey, 72 years old, Civil war veteran and commander of the local G. A. R. post, was found dead in bed at his home here.

Luverne.—A special election will be called here in December to decide the question of issuing bonds for the erection of a modern high school building.

St. Paul.—The appeal in the test case on the Minnesota soldiers' bonus law will be heard at 1:30 p. m. Friday, December 19th, in the state supreme court.

Wilbert.—A new $12,000 German Lutheran school has been dedicated here. Professor Theodore Buenger of Concordia college, St. Paul, delivered the dedicatory address.

Aurora.—Andrew Germ, a deer hunter, is believed to have perished in the woods north of Aurora during the recent severe storm. Firemen have joined a hunting party searching for him.

International Falls.—Two young children of Magnus Hanson were burned to death when the home was destroyed by fire. Their mother was seriously burned trying to save the children.

Tower.—The third mortality of the deer season in northern Minnesota took place at Mud Lake, two miles from Tower, when Jacob Scalser, an Austrian, died of wounds accidentally self-inflicted.

Farmington.—Seven children of Frank Kane of Rosemount were found unconscious in their home due to gas from a coal stove. The children were living in town and attending school. They will recover.

Duluth.—For the second time a jury disagreed in the damage suit of G. A. Ringquist against the Duluth Missabe & Northern railroad growing out of the forest fires which swept northern Minnesota a year ago.

Hibbing.—Sheep used for the first time in northern Minnesota in forest fire prevention and which were imported here by the Dupont Powder company, to dispose of underbrush near its plant at Wiltin, are being disposed of rapidly.

Worthington.—Ludwig Swanson may die from wounds received from a shotgun in the hands of a companion. The two were hunting and in crawling through a wire fence the gun was accidentally discharged. The charge of shot struck Swanson in the face.

Hill City.—Rewards totalling $100 have been offered for the finding of Alfred Amonson, a local man who has been missing since November 2. The company by which he was employed offers $50 and the other $50 has been raised by subscription. Mr. Amonson went hunting and never returned.

Pipestone.—Forty years ago, C. J. Cawley was installed as agent for the company here, coming to Pipestone on the first railroad train to reach the city. Mr. Cawley has remained as agent in Pipestone, and railroad men claim that he holds a record which is probably not equaled by another stationman in the country.

St. Paul.—The state railroad and warehouse commission has granted the Great Northern railroad permission to remove its tracks and passenger and freight stations from the village of Hibbing, to carry out the project of moving the village of Hibbing to Alice so the iron ore underlying the village can be mined.

East Chain.—East Chain township of Martin county has dedicated a $60,000 consolidated school, which serves the entire town. Children are brought to school by nine motor busses. Although in a rural community which is 10 miles from a railroad, the school offers the 200 pupils complete high school as well as grade courses.

Brainerd.—Failing to commit suicide by hanging in his barn, John Palmquist, 60 years old, reached for his revolver and fired two shots, one taking effect in his forehead and causing death. Palmquist had mounted a chair and doubled a rope around his neck. He jumped off and was strangling before reaching for his revolver to kill himself.

Two Harbors.—The first hunting accident of the big game season in this locality occurred in the Gooseberry river country when Nick Magnuson, son of Peter Magnuson, residing in this city, was shot and seriously injured by his father, who mistook him for a deer while moving through the brush.

Buhl.—Anthrax, the dread cattle disease, contracted from using a new shaving brush, is credited by local physicians with having caused the death of William Latunen, employed in the Wade mine, after an illness of barely a week.

Cook.—John Veigs, Owens, was seriously gored by a bull here.

Brainerd.—Mrs. John Jackson was named by the city council a member of the library board to fill a vacancy.

Aitkin.—Judge W. C. McClenahan, Brainerd, has denied an application to drain Big Rice lake, famous duck hunting ground.

Faribault.—Mrs. Ray Boyle, who slashed her throat five times with a razor is dead. She is survived by her husband and one child.

Spooner.—Daniel Beardsley, Roosevelt, died in a local hospital following accidental discharge of his rifle while hunting. He was 36 years old.

Bemidji.—Kenneth Mohler, 12 years old and Elof Gustafson, 13 years old, were drowned in Lake Bemidji when they broke through the ice while skating.

Jackson.—The county commissioners have voted to issue $[illegible]00,000 bonds for road work with the object of getting a like sum from the federal government.

Duluth.—Chauncey H. Troyer, former chief of police of Duluth, who died Nov. 13, left an estate valued at $7,600, according to a petition filed in probate court.

Fairmont.—Rev. E. J. O'Connell, in charge of the local Catholic parish, reports $31,300 raised here in the campaign for endowment of St. Mary's college, Winona.

Fergus Falls.—Plans for a big semicentennial celebration and homecoming to be staged in this city in 1921 are under consideration. The city was founded in 1871.

Brainerd.—Rev. E. Powers, chaplain of St. Joseph's hospital, has gone to Virginia, Minn., where he was recently given an appointment by Bishop McNicholas of Duluth.

Duluth—Sixty thousand tons of flour and feed remain in Duluth dock warehouse to be taken down the lakes by freighters before the close of navigation. If good weather continues, the last boat will go down in December.

Crookston.—The body of Napoleon Clement, 44 was found hanging from a tree alongside the river, by his sister, Mrs. Joseph Normanien. Clement had a stroke of apoplexy some time ago and it is believed that his mind was affected.

Sauk Center.—Benjamin DuBois has been chosen president of the Stearns County Agricultural society. The annual report showed that the attendance at the county fair was 9,700, and there is a surplus on hand of $4,747.34.

Austin.—Lee Bauman and Henry Harma, Wellsberg, Iowa, are dead from injuries received when a train struck their automobile two miles north of Lyle. The injured men were rushed to this city where they died three hours later.

Madison.—Irene Peterson was severely bruised, her father, County Coroner Nels Peterson, his wife and Marian Driscol, all of Madison, were badly shaken up when the automobile in which they were riding ran into a ditch and turned over.

Fairmont.—Mrs. Caroline Zaboroski, formerly of Minneapolis and bride of Michael Zaboroski, returned soldier, was sentenced by Judge E. C. Dean to the Stillwater penitentiary for forging three checks with the name of her husband's mother.

Fergus Falls.—The Fergus Falls high school will enter the state debating contest this year. The subject for debate will be: "Resolved, That the Philippine Islands should be granted complete independence." The first debate will be with the Moorhead high school.

Virginia.—I. W. W. agitators reported to be working among lumberjacks working for the Rainy Lake Lumber company north of here, seeking to foment trouble, appear to have met with partial success as it was stated that ninety men quit at Camp 61 of the company for no known reason.

Rochester.—The worst fire in several months swept a portion of Rochester business district causing a loss of about $25,000. The fire started in the basement of the Wagener hotel and spread to several stores on the ground floor. The Conrad Fur company of Winona was the heaviest loser, sustaining about $15,000 damage.

University Farm.—The University farm school isn't going to find it difficult to select judges for the state's first Ham and Bacon show at the agricultural school in December, for the judges are to have the privilege of slicing and partaking of samples of all the entries, which will consist of the finest hams and bacon cured in the state. The show will be held in connection with the state's congress of farmers and home-makers, December 29 to January 3.

Minneapolis.—The first Northwest "S. O. S." call for coal was received by the State Railroad and Warehouse commission. Lamberton, Minn., is experiencing an acute shortage, according to A. J. Praxel of that city. In a message received by O. P. B. Jacobson, commissioner, Mr. Praxel says that unless coal is received immediately the Lamberton Light & Power station will be forced to shut down. In that event the nearby towns of Wabasso and Walnut Grove, supplied by the plant, will be in darkness and without adequate fire protection.

Austin.—A quarter mile driveway is being constructed around the plot of land bought by the state here to establish a state park along the bank of Cedar river. The driveway will extend along the south bank of the river, which was converted into a bathing beach last summer.

Duluth.—With detectives scattered throughout the audience and a squad of uniformed policemen lined up at the rear of the hall, a radical meeting here was allowed to proceed without interruption other than that caused by the extinguishing of the electric lights in the midst of the program.

Eases Colds

At once! Relief with "Pape's Cold Compound"

The first dose eases your cold! Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a severe cold and ends all grippe misery.

Relief awaits you! Open your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of your head; stop nose running; relieve the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist on Pape's!—Adv.

Jarred Him.

"I don't like her singing; her notes come from her chest."

"Well, ought they not?"

"No, they ought to stay there."—Boston Evening Transcript.

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP.

A cold is probably the most common of all disorders and when neglected is apt to be most dangerous. Statistics show that more than three times as many people died from influenza last year, as were killed in the greatest war the world has ever known. For the last fifty-three years Boschee's Syrup has been used for coughs, bronchitis, colds, throat irritation and especially lung troubles. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning. Made in America and used in the homes of thousands of families all over the civilized world. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Worse and More of It.

Patience—"Was she ever crossed in love?" Patrice—"Worse than that. She was double-crossed."

CARBON!

Rid System of Clogged-up Waste and Poisons with "Cascarets."

Like carbon clogs and chokes a motor, so the excess bile in liver, and the constipated waste in the bowels, produce foggy brains, headache, sour, acid stomach, indigestion, sallow skin, sleepless nights, and bad colds.

Let gentle, harmless "Cascarets" rid the system of the toxins, acids, gases, and poisons which are keeping you upset.

Take Cascarets and enjoy the nicest, gentlest laxative-cathartic you ever experienced. Cascarets never gripe, sicken, or cause inconvenience. They work while you sleep. A box of Cascarets costs so little too.—Adv.

Do not hang your religion up in the closet with your Sunday clothes. Use it every day.

Important to Mothers

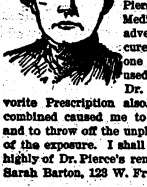
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Girls that are not born awkward usually dance themselves that way before they are twenty.

Out of the frying pan of courtship a man slips into the fire of matrimony.



An Iowa Woman Testifies

Muscatine, Iowa.—"When in Oklahoma and waiting to build I was exposed to cold weather. I was not well and felt the need of some medicine to give new strength. Having seen Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery advertised I procured and used one bottle, then I used one bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription also. These two combined caused me to get stronger and to throw off the unpleasant effects of the exposure. I shall always speak highly of Dr. Pierce's remedies."—Mrs. Sarah Barton, 123 W. Front St.

A PROMINENT WOMAN FROM MINNESOTA

Duluth, Minn.—"I am a great believer in Dr. Pierce's remedies. I have taken 'Favorite Prescription' for weakness peculiar to women and found it very beneficial. I had taken other medicines for this ailment but did not get any relief. This medicine gave me the relief I was seeking. I also use the 'Pleasant Pellets' for disordered stomach, biliousness and headaches—there is nothing better. I can highly recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines from the actual use of them. I am taking 'Favorite Prescription' at the present time and it is doing me a world of good."—Mrs. R. Thayer, 4027 W. 5th St.

The Stormy Sea of Matrimony.

The family thunderstorm in a Revere beach cottage was not quite over. Deep rumblings could still be heard.

"Well," snapped the woman, "I hope that I can now take my beauty nap without your interruptions."

"My dear," replied the man, "if that is what you are going to take, you'll need to imitate Rip Van Winkle."

A second storm broke with violent lightning.—Boston Post.

Cuba takes about $3,000,000 worth of our potatoes each year.

Pneumonia often follows a Neglected Cold

KILL THE COLD!

HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture.

At All Drug Stores

Cuticura Soap Best for Baby

Soap 25c, Ointment 25 & 50c, Talcum 25c. Sample each mailed free by "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

GET SLOAN'S FOR YOUR PAIN RELIEF

You don't have to rub it in to get quick, comforting relief

Once you've tried it on that stiff joint, sore muscle, sciatic pain, rheumatic twinge, lame back, you'll find a warm, soothing relief you never thought a liniment could produce.

Won't stain the skin, leaves no muss, wastes no time in applying, sure to give quick results. A large bottle means economy. Your own or any other druggist has it. Get it today. 35c, 70c, $1.40.

Sloan's Liniment
Keep it handy

W. N. U., FARGO, NO. 49--1919.

Thousands of Happy Housewives in WESTERN CANADA

are helping their husbands to prosper—are glad they encouraged them to go where they could make a home of their own—save paying rent and reduce cost of living—where they could reach prosperity and independence by buying on easy terms.

Fertile Land at $15 to $30 an Acre

—land similar to that which through many years has yielded from 20 to 45 bushels of wheat to the acre. Hundreds of farmers in Western Canada have raised crops in a single season worth more than the whole cost of their land. With such crops come prosperity, independence, good homes, and all the comforts and conveniences which make for happy living.

Farm Gardens—Poultry—Dairying

are sources of income second only to grain growing and stock raising. Good climate, good neighbors, churches, schools, rural telephone, etc., give you the opportunities of a new land with the conveniences of old settled districts.

For illustrated literature, maps, description of farm opportunities in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, reduced railway rates, etc., write Department of Immigration, Ottawa, Can., or

W. E. Black, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.;
K. Haddeland, [illegible] Block, Great Falls, Mont.
Canadian Government Agents.

WESTERN CANADA
Farm Lands
Low Prices

Dr. Turley will be here again Dec. 8th.

R. Reierson went to Crookston Saturday on business and pleasure bent.

Dr. R. L. Olson had dental work done in Thief River Falls last week Friday.

Miss Lorine O'Hara went to Thief River Falls Friday to have dental work done.

Dr. Mellby was called Monday to see P. B. Larson who is sick with the asthma.

Miss Jennie Johnson returned to Erskine Friday after an extended visit at the Melquist home.

Harry Knutson had an operation at the Thief River Falls hospital last week for the removal of his tonsils.

Miss Amanda Mickelson had dental work done in Thief River Falls Saturday, returning home Monday.

Our allotment of Red Cross Seals is 1500 and everybody should buy in order to help reach the mark.

Any of us may be the first to need help to overcome an attack of tuberculosis.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen Dollars ($15.00) which became due on the 1st day of August, 1918, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Charles H. Rossmon, a single man, Mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee, bearing date August 1, 1916, and duly filed and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of October, 1916, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages, on Page 74 thereof; and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage by reason of said default the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid to-wit: Sixty Dollars ($60.00) became at once due and payable and was so declared by the Mortgagee and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Sixty-seven Dollars and Fifty Cents ($67.50) and the further sum of Fifty-five Dollars ($55.00) with interest thereon at five and one half per cent per annum (5½) since August 1, 1918, and the further sum of Fifty-five Dollars ($55.00) with interest thereon at five and one half per cent per annum (5½) since August 1, 1919, the two latter amounts being for interest paid by the Mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) on said land, default having been made in the payment of same by said Mortgagor, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being One Hundred Eighty-two Dollars and Three cents ($182.03); and said mortgage containing the power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof; now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Three (3) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155), North of Range Forty-one (41), West, in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the court house in the City of Warren in said County and State of Minnesota on the 20th day of January, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of One Hundred Eighty-two Dollars and Three Cents ($182.03) and interest from date of this notice and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) as stipulated in said mortgage and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 1, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls
Mortgagee

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

A NATION'S STRENGTH IS IN ITS FOOD SUPPLY

Eat Less — Waste nothing
Create a Reserve

AMERICA MUST FEED 120,000,000 ALLIES

Jake O'Hara went to Thief River Falls Friday to work on a dray line.

Yourself or child or some of your loved ones may be the next victim of tuberculosis. Buy Red Cross Christmas Seals and help to protect yourself and loved ones.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Bertha Giller, a widow, and Maurice Giller and Beatrice Giller, his wife, Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Mavie, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of June, 1910, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 80 of Mortgages, on Page 243, which said mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by the said mortgagee to the Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls by written assignment duly executed, dated December 1, 1916, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 18th day of November, 1919, at 8:00 A. M., in Book 00 of Mortgages on Page 590 thereof, which default has continued to the date of this notice, by the failure and neglect of said Mortgagor to make payment of the sum of $48.00, interest, by said mortgage secured, which by its terms became due and payable on the 9th day of June, 1919, and which default has continued for more than 150 days.

AND WHEREAS The said Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Eight Hundred Seventy-two Dollars and Fifty Cents ($872.50), and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The North Half (N½) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) and the South Half (S½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Nineteen (19) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155), North of Range Forty-one (41), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of January, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Seventy-two and 50-100ths Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 1, 1919 A. D.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

In New York the average load collected from garbage cans in 1916 contained $50 of good material. Under stress of war thrift this in 1917 was reduced eight per cent, a saving for the year of over one million and a half dollars.

Good size shipping tags for sale at this office.

Hardy Bjerk was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday.

The Red Falls Milling Co., got in a car of corn last week Friday.

Miss Hazel Davidson was an over Sunday visitor in Thief River Falls.

Sam Mickelson has recently installed a furnace in their residence.

If you are going to have a sale, see Clarence Larson for auctioneer.

Miss Helen Hanson went to Fergus Falls Monday to visit her mother at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hanson entertained his sister from Middle River over Thanksgiving.

Miss Charolette Sovde came down from Greenbush Wednesday to attend the wedding of her brother, Olai.

Miss Ingeborg Nelson returned to Grand Forks Saturday where she has employment in the Deaconess hospital.

Clare O'Hara and Charley Dustel of Thief River Falls spent Thanksgiving at the home of the former, near Holt.

Elmer Docken of Mekinock, N. D. came Thanksgiving Day to visit his brothers, Ben and Clarence a few days.

Herbert Johnson returned home Thursday from Albert Lea to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Johnson at Golden Valley.

The 16th annual convention of the Red River Valley Dairymen's Association will be held at Crookston on December 10th and 11th.

Red Cross Christmas Seals for sale by the schools, bank, postoffice and printing office. The money is to be used in a tuberculosis campaign for cure and prevention.

It's less than three weeks until Christmas. Shop early and mail all packages at once, use Christmas Seals to insure their safe delivery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomas who lived on the Ostby farm, took their little son to Thief River Falls one day last week to have his tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorval Kolden have moved to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Johnson, at Golden Valley for the winter.

There is to be examinations at Thief River Falls and Warren Dec. 13th. for rural mail carriers at Argyle and Oslo and other vacancies that may occur in Marshall County at later dates.

Mrs. E. Rupprecht and two children of Thief River Falls visited over Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Werner, returning home Saturday accompanied by her sister, Miss Esther Werner, who will visit there a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Heinze entertained at their pleasant home Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Kjelgren, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Nohre and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sagstuen, Ole Iverson, Guy Anderson, Elmer Nyberg and H. B. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Bently Nelson of Grand Forks, came Thanksgiving Day to visit his parents and other relatives a few days. They returned home Saturday via the way of Warren where the former was sent by the government for a physical examination.

The Farm Bureau is sending out a long statement denying articles published by certain twin city papers that they are fighting the Non-Partisian League.

The Farm Bureau is not for or against any political organization but welcomes the cooperation of all farmers, irrespective of their political affiliations.

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible

SPECULATIVE CRAZE BRINGS STOCK CRASH

Reckless Investment Followed by Heavy Losses When Market Goes to Pieces.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES REMAIN SAFE AND SOUND

Uncle Sam's Bonds "Good as Gold" While General Slump Wipes Out Fortunes.

New York.—Semi-panicky declines in the stock market and subsequent relapses from the partial recovery, with heavy forced liquidation of lightly margined holdings of the popular market favorites on the New York stock exchange have demonstrated clearly the dangers of speculation. For six months the stock market advanced, slowly at first and with the usual "profit-taking reactions" and in recent weeks going up by leaps and bounds in some departments of the market, notably oil, motor and other "industrial" shares. Then in a few days there has been a decline wiping out much of the advance of months—in some stocks practically all of the advance.

There was reason behind the advance, but a speculative craze carried it beyond reason. Eastern market reports for months have carried mention of buying by "the public." High wages, war profits, the prosperity of industry and agriculture have given many the fever to speculate.

Investments Prove Disappointing.

Financing of new and old corporations by stock, bond and note issues called for hundreds of millions of dollars. Issues of preferred stock alone since January 1 have totaled more than $600,000,000 and common stock a billion more. Foreign loans with more in prospect to finance Europe's buying added to the burden. The immense buying power of the country shouldered the load, but speculation in listed shares was getting out of bounds. Money rates began to show the strain. Three weeks ago call money in New York rose to 15%, the next week to 20% and last week to 30%, the highest point since the panic of 1907. Renewals touched 14%, the highest in years, and time money hit 8%. The advance was a warning from the banks to go slow. "Pools" and "tipsters" began to draw in their horns.

The decline was orderly until insufficiently margined accounts were liquidated. Then came a smash. General Motors new common stock, which had soared to 408½ dropped to 330, Mexican Petroleum from 255¾ to 186, Texas company from 338 to 286, Studebaker from 143¾ to 103¾, American Tobacco from 307¼ to 240, Crucible Steel from 235 to 209 and so on down the list. Even U. S. Steel, the porverbial market barometer, declined from 112⅝ to 103.

The break extended throughout the list, less marked of course in lower priced stocks. The bond market also suffered.

Perils of Speculation Shown.

Since the culminating slump there has been recovery ranging from 2 or 3 points to around 20 to 45 points in stocks which suffered most on the decline but down swings followed the recoveries and the market atmosphere is not yet considered cleared.

In a nutshell a speculative craze set the banking interests and the Federal Reserve Board against overspeculation and the crash came.

No better illustration of the permanent and fixed value of government securities can be found than in the present unsettled market. War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates and Liberty Bonds continue their interest bearing career unaffected by the storms of financial stress that overtake less favorable securities.

DO YOU KNOW MR. KELLER?

The hand is quicker than the eye and so is the typewriter.

Fifteen years ago, some of you may remember, there were two great magicians appearing before the American public, Hermann the Great and Keller the Magician. Although rivals they were great friends. They were sitting together at Brighton Beach one day when an admirer of Hermann's came up and started to tell the latter how good he was.

"You know," he said, "that I am something of an amateur sleight of hand expert myself. I am sure no one but yourself could have deceived me with the card trick you did last night."

"[illegible]," said Hermann modestly, "that is a very simple trick. Any one could do it. I venture to say this gentleman sitting right here could deceive you [illegible]."

"I bet a hundred dollars he could not," said the amateur and Hermann took the bet.

A deck of cards was brought and Keller performed the trick with ease and grace.

"I guess you don't know my friend Mr. Keller," said Hermann as he pocketed the hundred.

When any sleight of hand promoter wants to sell you wild cat stocks, or to exchange something he says is sure to make you thousands for every dollar you put up, for your Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps, you had better find out whether you know Mr. Keller.

A prospectus and a promise is all the equipment these fakers require. With that simple apparatus they can make oils wells spout where there is not enough oil to lubricate a watch; they can find gold where there is not enough yellow metal to plate a profiteer's consciences; they can make rubber plantations flourish in countries where the natives are the only things that stretch.

If a man has $10,000 salary, he may be able to afford to take a chance. If he has less than that amount he cannot afford to lose.

You know there is no trick about government savings securities. You KNOW they are safe, that they are profitable, that you can exchange your War Savings Stamps and Savings Certificates [illegible] when you need it.

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Dr. J. T. TURLEY, the Dentist
Will be at the Sorenson Hotel in Holt, on
Monday Dec. 8

I will visit Holt about every month and this will give you an opportunity to get your dental work done at a saving of time and expense. My prices are as follows:-

Alloy Fillings $1.00 Treatments $2.00
Gold Crowns $6.00 and $7.00 Porcelain $6.00
Plates $10.00 and up

Compare these prices with those you have been paying and you will see the advantage of coming to me.

Every piece of work fully Guaranteed and repaired or made over without expense to you, if faulty.

Painless Extraction of Teeth
Always Come In Early
You'll always find the date of my visit in The Holt Weekly News

ANNOUNCEMENT!

We have rented the Hamernes Repair Shop and we are now prepared to do winter over hauling of
Autos and Machines
of all kinds
Oxy-Acetylene Welding
of any kind done on short notice
Bring in your batteries for winter storage

Olson & Mathison
HOLT, MINN.

The CELEBRATED
Mascot Flour
Is Manufactured, Sold and Guaranteed By the
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
Sell Feed at Low Prices
Our Elevator Always Gives Splendid Satisfaction
We have moved into our
New Elevator
Come and see how nicely we have it arranged
Oscar Walland, Agent - - - Holt, Minn.

THE NEWELL DRUG STORE
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The Leading Drug Store of the Northwest—The Store where you get what the doctor ordered. We have a new, modern, complete stock of Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, etc. Send us your prescriptions and family recipes which will be carefully and skillfully compounded by Expert Druggists.

Send us a trial order and be convinced of our careful and prompt attention.

Write me in regard to your sick animals. Advice and counsel Free.

DR. H. B. NEWELL, M. D. C.
Registered Pharmacist and Veterinary Surgeon

Notice To Land Seekers!

Dr. R. L. Olson is dealing in Real Estate
The best country for mixed farming in the
Red River Valley
1000 acres of Wild and Improved Lands
For Sale at Reasonable Prices Terms Easy
I am absolutely responsible
All business done fair and square
Write to me for any further information
Dr. R. L. Olsen - Holt, Minn.

Is Your Paper Paid For

THE HOLT WEEKLY NEWS

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HARNESS REPAIRING
Bring in your Harness and old Collars
All work strictly first class
SHOE REPAIRING
Paul B. Siljestrom
Farmers State Bank Building

The Local Market.

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A bill has been introduced in the U. S. Congress to protect the nation against the Red menace. If the present laws are not strong enough, others should be passed at once, and then enforced. Law enforcement is what is needed in this country, and is badly needed too.

Good size shipping tags for sale at this office.

Yourself or child or some of your loved ones may be the next victim of tuberculosis. Buy Red Cross Christmas Seals and help to protect yourself and loved ones.

Your New Barn

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Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
Holt, Minn.

AMERICAN RED CROSS
MERRY CHRISTMAS
1919
HEALTH AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Buy Christmas Seals of the business places and the schools.

Holt Dray and Livery
H. Peterson, Prop.
Auto Livery
[illegible]
H. Peterson
Holt, Minn.

[illegible]
Complete Line
of
CASKETS
and
Funeral Supplies
[illegible]
Holt Mercantile Co.

Defective Page

Ask for "HILL'S"

FIVE MILLION PEOPLE USED IT LAST YEAR

HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture.

At All Drug Stores.

Acid-Stomach Makes 9 Out of 10 People Suffer

Doctors declare that more than 70 non-organic diseases can be traced to Acid-Stomach. Starting with indigestion, heartburn, belching, food-repeating, bloat, sour, gassy stomach, the entire system eventually becomes affected, every vital organ suffering in some degree or other. You see these victims of Acid-Stomach everywhere—people who are subject to nervousness, headache, insomnia, biliousness—people who suffer from rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica and aches and pains all over the body. It is safe to say that about 9 people out of 10 suffer to some extent from Acid-Stomach.

If you suffer from stomach trouble or; even if you do not feel any stomach distress, yet are weak and ailing, feel tired and dragged out, lack "pep" and enthusiasm and know that something is wrong although you cannot locate the exact cause of your trouble—you naturally want to get back your grip on health as quickly as possible. Then take EATONIC, the wonderful modern remedy that brings quick relief from pains of indigestion, belching, gassy bloat, etc. Keep your stomach strong, clean and sweet. See how your general health improves—how quickly the old-time vim, vigor and vitality comes back!

Get a big 50c box of EATONIC from your druggist today. It is guaranteed to please you. If you are not satisfied your druggist will refund your money.

EATONIC
FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

FRECKLES [illegible]

All men are a little lower than the angels, and the majority a good deal more so.

"CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP" IS CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from stomach, liver and bowels.

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear.

Mother! You must say "California."—Adv.

Some folks are never happy until something has happened that they can be exasperated about.

Freshen a Heavy Skin

With the antiseptic, fascinating Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented convenient, economical face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumes superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv.

Among Musicians.

"I have a genuine Cremona violin."

"What's that in these days? I have the finest cowbell known to jazz!"

ASPIRIN FOR COLDS

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer

Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Colds, Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

The smaller a man's mind, the longer it takes him to make it up.

Use MURINE Night and Morning Keep Your Eyes Clean-Clear and Healthy
Write for Free Eye Care Book Murine Co. Chicago, USA

MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

Big Happenings of the Week Condensed for Benefit of Busy Readers.

TOLD IN A FEW WORDS

Kernels Culled From News of Moment In All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

Northwest

I. B. Babbitt of Rapid City, S. D., was mistaken for a deer by another hunter and shot through the hand.

A. D. Hall, first dean of Fargo, N. D., college, was burned to death at Three Fork, Mont. The explosion of a can of gasoline caused his death.

Lars Brendsel, one of the best known of the pioneer residents of the Volga, South Dakota district, dropped dead while on his way to attend religious services.

E. G. Carey of East Fairview, McKenzie county, N. D., was acquitted in district court at Williston, on charges of embezzlement, when Judge Leighton sustained a motion by counsel for the accused to dismiss the case.

In dispatches sent broadcast to every city and town in the northwest the federal government, through its fuel directors, called on public officials everywhere to enforce coal conservation to meet the threat of a fuel famine.

The trial of John D. Hill for the alleged violation of the Mann act, was set at Butte, Mont., in the United States district court before Judge G. M. Bourquin. May Dahl of Brainerd, Minn., is the chief witness called by the state.

The Minot, N. D., Association of Commerce went on record at a special meeting favoring an invitation to the state industrial commission to investigate the advantages of that city as a location for a state owned mill and elevator.

The fair price committee which was appointed by Mayor Burnside of Sioux Falls, S. D., has made its first report, and the percentage of profits allowed on certain necessaries of life, such as meats, flour, groceries, etc., will go into effect at once.

South Dakota state officials' request for 5,000 cars of soft coal on the Duluth-Superior docks was refused by E. D. Brigham, chairman, and W. H. Groverman, fuel administration member of the northwest coal distributing committee at Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Callahan of Blue River, Wis., and their son, John, 17, were killed when a train crashed into their automobile, throwing it nearly 50 feet. They were unable to see the train because of buildings on either side of the tracks.

Governor Peter Norbeck, of South Dakota, is doing everything possible to keep a supply of coal coming into South Dakota. Temporary needs at practically every point in the state have been supplied, but there is only enough coal to last a few days.

The new plant of Armour & Co. at South St. Paul has been formally opened. Several days will be required before killing on a large scale will begin, but when the full capacity of the plant is developed 1,750 cattle, 7,500 hogs and 2,000 sheep can be slaughtered daily.

Mrs. Mary Howe, 60 years old, a pioneer of Robert county South Dakota, committed suicide at Sioux Falls, by drowning. She threw herself into a water tank at the farm home of her daughter, Mrs. Ben Anderson. It is believed the act was done during a temporary fit of insanity.

The 30th annual session of the Montana Teachers' association was held at Helena this week with a large number of teachers from over the state in attendance. The Parent Teachers' association, the State Athletic association, which is in charge of school athletics, and various other auxiliary bodies, were also in session.

A site at Sixth and Main sts has been selected as the location for the new $200,000 auditorium at Mitchell, S. D. Construction work is expected to commence as soon as weather will permit. The new building will be used jointly as a corn palace and auditorium. It will have a seating capacity of between 5,000 an 6,000.

Cities that have armories get first consideration in the organising of the Montana National Guard, which is proceeding under direction of Adjutant General Phil Greenan. Such cities are Choteau, Kalispell, Shelby, Glasgow, Sidney, Miles City, Billings, Round Up, Bozeman, Valier and Helena. The state is now entitled to eight companies and after June 1, 1920, may organize four additional companies.

North Dakota, which went into the hail insurance business this year, has adjusted hail losses totalling $3,418,770, claims numbering 12,848, according to T. J. Sheehan, deputy hail insurance commissioner. Mr. Sheehan announced that an indemnity tax of 25 cents an acre will be collected on 12,467,000 acres, that being the acreage protected against hail damage through the state act.

Fire spreading from the basement of the warehouse of Stone-Ordean-Wells grocery company, caused a loss in the wholesale district of Butte of more than $250,000.

A revision of several important laws probably will be the subject of legislation at the special session of the North Dakota legislature now in session.

Injuries received when a gun he was carrying was accidentally discharged caused the death of Oliver Haffner, aged nine, son of Mrs. H. E. Peck, living on a farm six miles from Huron.

Coal miners in the Musselshell county field, meeting at Roundup, Montana, voted formally not to return to work, in compliance with instructions sent from Washington by District President Henry Drennan. Miners in the Carbon county region also voted not to return to work.

In district court at Butte, Mont., Louis Keilar, formerly instructor in the public schools of Butte, was cleared of the charge of being responsible for the death of Ruby Pascoe June 21. On motion of the defense, Judge J. J. Lynch directed the jury to return a verdict of not guilty. Miss Pascoe died from fracture of the skull received while auto riding with Keilar. The defendant declared Miss Pascoe became angered in a dispute with him and jumped from the car when it was going at a high rate of speed.

Washington

Embargos on wheat and flour will be lifted Dec. 15, it is announced by the United States Grain corporation.

The passage of each week finds President Wilson materially stronger, in the opinion of Dr. F. X. Dercum, Philadelphia, who paid his weekly visit to Wilson's bedside.

The food shortage in Petrograd now has become so acute that food is only distributed upon prescriptions of physicians, according to unofficial advices to the state department from Helsingfors.

Replying to a farewell message from Secretary Robert Lansing, the Prince of Wales sent a dispatch from his ship saying he could not thank this government enough for its kindness and hospitality.

Officials of the government are preparing for drastic action in the coal strike even to seizure and enforced operation of the mines, unless operators and miners in conference here reach an agreeemnt in a few days.

Gaylord M. Saltsgarber, commissioner of pensions, has resigned, and his resignation has been accepted by Secretary Lane. Mr. Saltsgarber is now at his home in Ohio, recovering from an illness, which is given as the reason for his resignation.

Secretary N. D. Baker, with General P. C. March, chief of staff, and Senator G. E. Chamberlain of Oregon will leave New York on the transport Great Northern for Colon, where the secretary will formally open the Panama canal to the commerce of the world.

Foreign

Gabriel D'Annunzio is preparing for a raid on Spalato, according to reports from that city.

Vienna.—The first year of the new Austrian republic has closed with a deficit of 13,000,000 crowns.

British authorities have received disturbing reports of bolshevik activities in Turkestan and Afghanistan.

The British government expects the trial of former Emperor William to begin in London early in the new year, says the Daily Mail.

Tolls collected from ships passing through the Panama canal in October exceeded those of any previous month and amounted to $662,000.

William O. Jenkins, United States consular agent at Puebla, was placed in the penitentiary there, according to advices received in Mexico City.

Those members of the Clemenceau ministry who were defeated for reelection to the chamber of deputies in the recent elections, have tendered their resignations to the cabinet council.

Jesus Renteria, famous kidnaper of Lieutenant Harold Peterson of Hutchinson, Minn., and another American airman several months ago, is reported to have been shot to death at Carrizoso Springs, Mexico.

The former Austrian emperor, Charles, denies the report that he has asked the French government for a pension, but it is known the royal family and the archdukes are greatly embarrassed financially. Unless funds arrive from Vienna the former Empress Zita, it is said, will be obliged to sell some jewels to meet necessary household expenses.

Domestic

Mayor Peters of Boston put the official stamp of disapproval on freak weddings when he forbade a marriage on the stage of a local theater as part of a show. 'Tis not proper, he declared.

Lieutenant Robert Stocker, Washington, D. C., and Fred Thompson, Dover, Maine, a civilian aeronautic inspector, were killed when a naval airplane, piloted by Stocker, dropped several hundred feet into the Delaware.

Jewelry samples, estimated to be worth $50,000 to $75,000, disappeared from a hotel at Raleigh, N. C., and three Negroes are under arrest. One of the Negroes is said by the police to have confessed.

With all persons in the building at the time accounted for, the complete list of those who lost their lives in the dance hall fire at Villa Platte, La., was announced as 28. About 300 persons were guests at a dance on the second floor of a two story frame building, and in addition to the heavy death toll, scores were badly burned or seriously hurt in the mad rush to escape through the one narrow exit.

The famous Holstein Fresian bull, King Segis Pontiac Alcartra, valued at $50,000, died at Middletown, N. Y. It was owned by John H. Arfmann, of Fairmont farm.

T. H. NEWBERRY IS 'OUT ON BAIL'

Michigan Senator, Arraigned Under Indictments, Held Under $15,000 Bonds.

13 MORE ARRAIGNED

Senator Receives Charge Without Personal Plea, But Counsel Explains "Not Guilty"—Case Is Set for Trial January 27.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 9.—Truman H. Newberry, who occupies the highest office within the gift of the electorate of Michigan, stood before the bar of Judge C. W. Sessions in federal court yesterday afternoon and was recorded as pleading not guilty, after his counsel had explained the United States senator was not guilty, but desired to stand mute in order to take advantage of certain legal questions that might be raised as to the validity of the indictments.

The senator and thirteen others among the men indicted by the grand jury, which conducted the investigation into the Newberry election, were arraigned under two indictments. There were 18 mentioned in the second indictment, at the same time being among the 135 indicted under the first true bill.

Following the arraignment of the principals in the case, which cleared up all but six of those indicted, Judge Sessions went into conference with counsel for the government and for the defense and set Tuesday, January 27, as the day for the trial.

The bonds of Senator Newberry were set at $10,000 on the first indictment and $5,000 on the second.

ABANDON FALL RESOLUTION

Leaders Acquiesce in President's Plea for Freedom in Mexican Affair.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The resolution asking President Wilson to break off diplomatic relations with the Carranza government was abandoned yesterday by Republican leaders in the senate after the president had informed Senator Fall of New Mexico, its author, that he would "be gravely concerned to see any such resolution pass the congress."

In announcing after a conference with Senators Fall and Brandegee, of Connecticut, that the foreign relations committee would take no action on the resolution, Senator Lodge said:

"We want to help, but now the entire Mexican situation goes to the president. The responsibility is on his shoulders. Let it rest there."

Passage of the resolution, the president wrote Senator Fall, would "constitute a reversal of our constitutional practice which might lead to very grave confusion in regard to the guidance of our foreign affairs." Declaring that the initiative in directing relations with foreign governments was assigned by the constitution to "the executive and to the executive only." Mr. Wilson said he was confident that "the only safe course" was to adhere to the prescribed method of the constitution.

"We might go very far afield if we departed from it," he said.

STANGELAND ASKED TO QUIT

Administration Board Takes Steps to Quell Feeling Over Library Muss.

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 9.—Holding that the criticism of Dr. C. E. Stangeland, survey official of the state's public library commission, for connection with the selection of certain books which have appeared in traveling libraries throughout the state, is a "malicious assault," but that Dr. Stangeland was "indiscreet" in permitting the conditions for such an assault to be laid, the board of administration yesterday asked Dr. Stangeland's resignation.

The following motion was presented by Commissioner John N. Hagan and seconded by Robert Muir and P. M. Casey:

"Because of the malicious assault upon Mr. C. E. Stangeland by the minority members of the sixteenth legislative assembly and because of the indiscreet judgment used by Mr. Stangeland I move that his resignation be asked for by the board of administration to be effective at once so that corrupt politicians may not be able to divert the public mind from the great industrial program which is being worked out."

Victor Berger Renominated.

Milwaukee, Dec. 9.—Victor L. Berger, Socialist, and Henry H. Bodenstab, Republican, fusion candidate, yesterday were nominated for congress at a primary election in the fifth Wisconsin district.

Goldman and Berkman Are Held.

New York, Dec. 9.—Federal Judge Mayer yesterday dismissed writs of habeas corpus obtained by Alexander Berkman and Emma Goldman to prevent their deportation to Russia and refused to admit them to bail. Federal District Attorney Gaffey announced in court that the government planned to deport the two anarchists within two weeks. Mr. Gaffey announced that "other aliens" besides Berkman and Miss Goldman would be also deported within two weeks.

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An Unrest.

"You mean to tell me you work eighteen hours a day?"

"At least that, just at this time of year," answered the man with dust in his eyebrows. "My wife is cleaning house and I have to move most of the furniture."

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The fourth-grade teacher had a great deal of trouble with Fred's attendance. He was absent so often that she got suspicious and wrote a note to his parents, as follows:

"I am afraid that Fred is playing truant and I would like your co-operation in securing a better attendance record from him."

This was the reply:

"Dere Teecher—If Fred is playing truant he didn't lern it at home. We air church peeple and hain't got a card in our house."

Berlin's Heating Plan.

The city of Berlin adopted in July a new plan for supplying some public buildings with heat and warm water. Exhaust steam from the Berlin electricity works will be used, in addition to coke-heated boilers. Pipes are to be laid in concrete conduits along the streets, the pipe sections to be welded together. A number of tenement houses will be included in the distribution area, which is set at about two miles at first. It was the original intention to commence the supply this winter, but it is doubtful if the work will have been completed in time.

Dead Loss.

"Then your dream book is a total loss?"

"Seems so."

"How's that?"

"Can't seem to dream nothing that will fit it."

Grumbling doesn't pay. It only makes the hard job harder.

Every man is capable of doing his best and it's up to him to do it.

Britons Breed Rabbits for Fur.

Rabbit breeding in Great Britain, to supply a portion of the large quantities of fur purchased in the country, is stated by a commerce report to be the purpose of the new Beveren club. The fur of the blue beveren is described as having a lovely shade of lavender blue throughout, and as being long, lustrous, exceedingly fine and silky; that of the Havana rabbit is a rich chocolate color and is thick and fairly long. From these varieties it is hoped to produce natural furs with a fine color that will not fade.

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MERRY-GO-ROUND FOR CHINA

Celestial, Long Resident in Hawaii, Has Planned Triumphant Return to His Native Land.

Twelve years ago Chang Chau coiled his queue on top of his head, donned the garb of the Occident in order to facilitate speed, and hied himself out of China between two suns. Chang Chau had made a bad guess and had allied himself in 1907 to the forlorn hope of Dr. Sun Yat Sen, late president of China, but in that year overwhelmingly defeated by the troops of the Manchu dynasty. So it was that Chang Chau arrived in Honolulu. But the Manchus now are no more, and, take it from Chang, his is to be a triumphal return.

He has bought a merry-go-round, which for untold years has been adding to the hilarious enjoyment of Hawaiian natives, and intends to set it up in Peking, an exchange says. Before many moons the blatant wail of "Je-er-er-u-us-s-alem—Je-e-e-r-u-u-s-s-alem," will be floating out from the mechanical organ of the giant swing and mingling with the thousand other noises of the Orient, while staid Chinese mandarins rock dignifiedly on the gaudy wooden horses, their queues and robes flying out behind them as they make the dizzy circuit. Cynics might be tempted to say that Chang's return smacks something of revenge.

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Faribault.—Mrs. Ray Boyle, who slashed her throat five times with a razor is dead. She is survived by her husband and one child.

Duluth.—John Early, who died in Duluth, Nov. 23, provided in his will, that the bulk of his estate of $3,512.59 should be given to the socialist labor party.

Litchfield.—C. M. Cronse, breeder of Durco-Jersey hogs, has refused an offer of $10,000 for his herd boar. The animal is nine months old and weighs 840 pounds.

Brainerd.—A substantial increase in livestock premiums is contemplated by the Crow Wing County Agricultural association which conducted a meeting at Pequot.

Red Lake Falls.—William De Coursiere, a butcher, bled to death after having severed an artery in his right leg while cutting frozen meat on a block. The knife slipped.

Virginia.—A fall on the ice of Virginia lake proved fatal for Charles Conroy, widower, age 54, father of seven children, as he fractured his skull and died soon afterwards.

Duluth.—Jack Carney, arrested on a department of justice warrant charging that he had sought to discourage enlistments in the United States army, was released under $5,000 bond.

Mankato.—Jan. 19 to 24 are the dates set for the big Mankato winter fete, F. E. Crandall, John Farmer and C. B. Butler have been appointed as King Jesters to his honor, Carnival King Fred Hoerr.

Farmington.—Clifford Larson post of the American Legion passed a resolution asking congress to pass laws for the suppression of radicalism and offering themselves for the defense of the country at any time.

Pipestone.—Reports received from different sections of the county where the drive for the sale of health bonds is on, indicated that good success is being made. Edgerton was the first village to report its sales with $384 collected.

Bemidji.—Former members of the Bemidji division of the Minnesota Naval Militia are assisting in the reorganization of a division here. At a recent meeting eight men signed enlistment papers. A campaign to secure more members is being waged.

Hastings.—Paul Tampke of St. Paul, was brought here by Sheriff J. J. Dunn, after having been bound over to the grand jury on the charge of stealing musical instruments and wearing apparel from F. Jennings, at a rooming house in South St. Paul.

Mankato.—Dr. A. A. Wohlrabe, city health commissioner, was found not guilty of failing to stop after having injured a person with a motor vehicle. The case was the outgrowth of running down and injuring of 7 year old Morrill Stone in September. The boy died.

St. Paul.—St. Paul authorities are investigating a report that an express company messenger had been robbed of $16,000 in the union station at St. Paul. At the police headquarters in St. Paul it was said that the report was being checked up, but that it had not been verified.

Duluth.—Dismissal of various actions in the United States district court here wound up all but one of the socalled "hoarding cases," started two months ago as a result of agitation against alleged profiteering. All of these cases brought against Armour & Co., the Charles B. Robins Fish company of Chicago and Johns Fish company of Duluth, were dismissed.

St. Paul.—An ear of white dent corn grown near Ceylon in Martin county won Minnesota the first prize in the best single ear corn contest at the International Live Stock show in Chicago. First and second awards on short-horn heifers were won by animals shown by S. G. Eliason, Montevideo, and Minnesota competitors carried off other prizes at the big exposition.

St. Cloud.—Two cars a day are being produced at the factory of the Pan Motor company here, according to officials of the company. It was stated by them that there are now about 350 men on the payroll. They say the company plans during the next sixty or ninety days for a production of about twenty-five cars a day. Most of the parts used in the cars now turned out were made in the local plant, it is stated.

Blue Earth.—Early Herring, 15 years old, is expected to recover after being robbed, stripped of his clothing and left to die in the snow. Auto thieves were making away with his father's car when Herring tried to stop them. They took him along, took most of his clothing and threw him out unconscious near a farm house.

Madison.—Irene Peterson was severely bruised, her father, County Coroner Nels Peterson, his wife and Marian Driscol, all of Madison, were badly shaken up when the automobile in which they were riding ran into a ditch and turned over.

Hastings.—Robert Holmes, 62, farmer of Douglas, was found dead in his barn. Heart disease was given as the cause.

Fairmont.—Schools of Martin county, with a few contributions from private citizens, have raised $150 for the Theodore Roosevelt Memorial fund.

Sauk Center.—The plans for a $26,000 armory here has been accepted by the adjutant general in St. Paul. The contract for construction has been let.

Crosby.—Raids by Indian agents on alleged blind pigs in Crosby's wet end resulted in confiscation of 2,750 gallons of grape wine, all of which was destroyed.

Northfield.—By a verdict of a jury in district court at Faribault, the city of Northfield secures practically the entire $50,000 estate left by the late George W. Murphy.

Pipestone.—The Pipestone County Breeders association organized here with a capital stock of $25,000, and will build a stock sales pavilion at the county fair grounds.

Moorhead.—William Mendenhall, 60 years old, for many years a resident of Moorhead, was killed by the kick of a horse at Richville, Mont., according to word received here.

Aurora.—Andrew Germ, a deer hunter, is believed to have perished in the woods north of Aurora during the recent severe storm. Firemen have joined a hunting party searching for him.

Litchfield.—The school board has raised the salaries of teachers here $15 per month, it is announced. The amount will be paid in the nature of a bonus at the close of the school year.

Mankato.—In a recent order issued by Chief Martin all punchboards, slots machines, dice games or other gambling devices in the city are forbidden. Gambling games of this nature had run unheeded in Mankato.

Ruthton.—By the narrow margin of 11 votes the voters at a special election decided against the erection of a public school building here. The proposition called for the issuing of bonds to the amount of $50,000.

St. Paul.—It was so cold at the Mineral Springs sanitarium at Cannon Falls, Minn., that ink was frozen in the inkwells this week, according to one patient who left. The hospital is a county institution with 26 patients and has been practically without coal for two weeks.

Rochester.—Mrs. Cleo Langstron is dead and her husband near death as a result of asphyxiation by gas fumes from a kitchen stove. Despite blood transfusion and other efforts to resusciate the husband, physicians feared he would die. Langstron recently returned from overseas service.

Tyler.—Tyler, which has been without hospital facilities since the tornado of August, 1918, wiped out the local hospital, is soon to have a new institution. A stock company with a capital of $50,000, formed by Mayor S. M. Hansen and others, will erect a modern hospital building in the spring.

Mankato.—Ten carnival clubs with a membership of several hundred have been formed in this city recently to take part in the Mankato winter carnival. The dates were set for January 19-24. Fred Hoerr of this city has been elected carnival king and votes for the queen of the carnival are being sold.

Windom.—Teachers' contracts with school boards are more than mere scraps of paper. It looked as if the grade teachers here would receive a salary boost, but County Attorney Finstand rules that where school boards have engaged teachers by contract at a stipulated salary they have no authority to pay more than the contract calls for.

St. Paul.—A washing powder mine, the first discovered in Minesota, is located near Big Falls in Koochiching county, according to reports to the capitol offices of the state forest service. It is a large deposit of gray powder resembling pumice and eastern concerns marketing scouring and cleaning preparations are negotiating for its output, according to reports. Valentine Veller found the powder on his homestead.

St. Paul.—Indefinite postponement of the Minnesota high cost of living conference, scheduled at the capitol at which A. Mitchell Palmer United States attorney general, was to explain to mayors, other city officials, fair price committeemen and other delegates, how every community can co-operate in the government campaign to reduce prices of necessities was announced, upon receipt of a telegram in which Mr. Palmer cancelled his engagement.

St. Paul.—Minneapolis is to get the experimental wheat flour mill for which the special session of the legislature appropriated $35,000. A site near the junction of Thirty-fourth street and the Milwaukee railroad tracks has virtually been chosen. The mill will have a capacity of 100 barrels a day. It will be built by the state railway and warehouse commission and the state department of agriculture, with forces of the agricultural college working with them in an advisory capacity. Actual construction will be started in the spring.

Crookston.—Several sensational cases will come up before the grand jury when it begins its sesion Jan. 5. The case which will attract the most interest will be that of Jim Smith and Tom Thomas, Grand Forks negroes now being held at Stillwater penitentiary in connection with the murder of Miss Edna Werner of East Grand Forks several weeks ago.

Owatonna.—The funeral of Mrs. Anna Ringhofer, a resident of Steele county for more than 50 years, who died at the home of her son Frank, in Bixby, while on a visit there, took place here.

A Christmas "Burglary"

By SAIDEE ESTELLE BALCOM

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THE night-watchman at Plympton, possessed of a due sense of his importance, was called "Sergeant" Moore. He had become aware that the distinctive title was one in general vogue with metropolitan police systems and he was proud of the designation.

The day preceding Christmas was always one looked forward to by the doughty sergeant, for it was upon that occasion that his conscience allowed him to accept little marks of approbation.

"Hey, there, sergeant!" generally prefaced the bestowal of something in the shape of a gift.

"It's duty I have to attend to all night long," he told his wife. "They say there's a regular band of burglars on the move."

Now two problems of fate were to work out a strange series of circumstances, in the Christmas eve events appertaining to the redoubtable sergeant. The first was that the little town jail had burned down the week previous. The second was that a new family had moved to town early in December, comprising the Waynes—father, mother, a charming daughter of seventeen and three young children. As Moore passed their place he noted that it was all dark, the family probably absent at some local entertainment, and he caught the echo of a sound resembling the tipping over of a piece of furniture. Then from an open window a form protruded.

"Burglars!" muttered the sergeant, and made a dash for the presumable despoiler.

"Hold on!" spoke the latter excitedly. "It's all right."

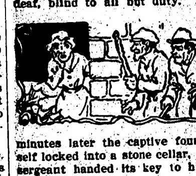
"Oh, is it?" purred Moore derisively.

"What's that?" and he made a grab at the protruding pocket of the young man.

"If you'll allow me to explain," began the latter. "I know the people who live here."

"Oh, yes, very particular friends! Cordially invited you to break into the house at any hour of the night! And this—a new muffler and a pair of gloves. Say, you come with me," and the sergeant marched his captive from the spot.

"If you'll only let me explain," pleaded the young man, but Moore was deaf, blind to all but duty. Fifteen minutes later the captive found himself locked into a stone cellar, and the sergeant handed its key to his wife saying:



"You might pass in a jug of water and a plate of bread to my catch through the window; it's got no sash to it. I'll drop around again soon."

The young man in retirement was pacing about in the dark and anathematizing his officious captor when Mrs. Moore timidly approached the window.

"Here's some water and a little food," she said, "so you won't suffer," and just as she passed the things in she uttered a shriek and crouched down trembling. Two men had suddenly appeared, real burglars this time.

"Oh, sir!" whispered the woman through the cellar window, "they may kill the children! And then there's all Tim's half yearly pay in the bureau! Please help me. Here's the key to the cellar door," and something tinkled on the floor. Something else then transpired. The released captive located and knocked down and tied hand and foot the prowler within the house. Then coming unawares upon the armed bandit outside he toppled him over, rendered him helpless, and seemed to enjoy the excitement of it all.

"I am Roscoe Walden and I am engaged to Ethel Wayne," he explained an hour later to the bewildered sergeant, after the latter had transferred the two criminals to limbo. "This is the first time I have visited their new home, and I got in surreptitiously to place a present on the Christmas tree as a surprise to my lady love. I don't want the Waynes to know I am in Plympton until after she finds it."

There was a rare spice of adventurous excitement for pretty Ethel in her devoted lover's unique experience when he recited the same the next morning. And meantime Sergeant Moore was gaining popularity and the community's good will by detailing his heroic act which had signalized Christmas eve in the apprehension of two desperate criminals who, but for him, might have had the entire town at their mercy.

DOUBLE BEAUTY OF YOUR HAIR

"Danderine" creates mass of thick, gleamy waves

In a few moments you can transform your plain, dull, flat hair. You can have it abundant, soft, glossy and full of life. Just get at any drug or toilet counter a small bottle of "Danderine" for a few cents. Then moisten a soft cloth with the "Danderine" and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Instantly, yes, immediately, you have doubled the beauty of your hair. It will be a mass, so soft, lustrous and so easy to do up. All dust, dirt and excessive oil is removed.

Let Danderine put more life, color, vigor, and brightness in your hair. This stimulating tonic will freshen your scalp, check dandruff and falling hair and help your hair to grow long, thick, strong and beautiful.—Adv.

He Thought It Did.

"Do you believe that the moonlight makes people silly, George?" asked the sweet young bride after the honeymoon.

"Well, dear," remarked the husband from behind his evening paper, "you know I proposed marriage to you in the moonlight."

TONIGHT!

Take "Cascarets" if sick, Bilious, Constipated.

Enjoy life! Straighten up! Your system is filled with liver and bowel poison which keeps your skin sallow, your stomach upset, your head dull and aching. Your meals are turning into poison and you cannot feel right. Don't stay bilious or constipated. Feel splendid always by taking Cascarets occasionally. They act without griping or inconvenience. They never sicken you like Calomel, Salts, Oil or nasty, harsh pills. They cost so little too—Cascarets work while you sleep.—Adv.

PAID FOR DECENT BURIAL

Ghostly Visitor Who Appeared to Lucky Campers Proved to Be Man of His Word.

A good ghost story comes from New Brunswick. Two men were out camping and shooting in wild country. One night one of them awoke and saw sitting over the glowing embers of the dying fire a figure dressed in an eighteenth century costume.

"Who are you?" asked the sportsman, startled. The ghost bade him search in the cliff above which the camp lay, and told him that he would find his (the speaker's) bones there. He ordered him to bury them decently, and take as his reward what he found in the cave.

The figure then vanished. At dawn the two comrades set to work. They found the entrance to a cave which had been almost blocked by a landslide. Inside was a skeleton with a massive gold ring on its bony finger, and around the skeleton lay various books of dates varying from 1659 to 1685. There was also a manuscript giving the locality and description of a treasure buried nearby, which the lucky finders duly dug up and appropriated.

Her Changes.

"Isn't your wife rather dogmatic?"

"She was when Pomeranian pups were the style, but now she's automatic."

Stage Comedy.

"Drunkenness as comedy will have to go."

"Well, we can still retain the seltzer siphon."

Mother and Daughters ALL TESTIFY TO RELIEF

Mankato, Minn.—"I have three daughters who are all strong and healthy today, due, I am sure, to the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. When they were in their teens they were all very delicate. I always gave them this medicine and it never failed to give relief.

"I have had, in years past, three operations for wens, my blood was in bad condition. I also would suffer with pains all through my flesh at different times. Could not seem to get anything to help this condition until I began using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and the 'Pleasant Pellets' and they gave me wonderful relief. I know of no better medicines than Dr. Pierce's."—Mrs. Mary Goodrich, 218 W. Rock St.

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Des Moines, Iowa.—"I was ailing and dragged out. It was after motherhood and I did not get my strength back. My husband got Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription at the drug store and I used two bottles. It brought back my strength and helped me overcome my troubles. I have been well ever since."—Mrs. Ambrose Stein, 922 W. 3rd St.

The SHORTHORN Is the Farmers' Breed

Shorthorn cattle are particularly adapted to the needs of the farmers, regardless of location. They are of quiet temperament. They take on flesh quickly, the cows are as a rule liberal milkers. They have an inherent quality and reach an excess of weight at maturity. They are hardy and thrive on the ordinary roughage produced on the farms and ranches. It pays to grow Shorthorns. For information write to the American Shorthorn Breeders' Association 13 Dexter Park Ave. Chicago, Ill.

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On the Links.

Dubb—I don't like my caddie; he laughs every time I play badly.

Gubb—I noticed he had a perpetual grin.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

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Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

SAD DAY FOR CAPITALISTS

Even the Bloated Monopolist at the Newspaper Desk Is Victim of Vicious System.

What are we coming to, and whither are we drifting? Alas, these be parlous times, and sadly out of joint. Whoever it was let loose the "got to have more money" bacillus started something there seems to be no stopping. It has spread like an epidemic; it is not confined to any particular class of people or limited to any particular age. Witness this over the telephone to us yesterday morning from our own daughter:

"Hello, that you, daddy?"

"Yes."

"This is Marjorie."

"Well?"

"You're going away tomorrow?"

"Yes."

"Well, I just called you up to let you know that before you go you'll have to increase my wages."

We promised to do so, and then said with a sigh: "These are certainly sad days for us capitalists."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Three R's in Real Life.

The three R's run all through life—at twenty-five you think of romance, at forty-five you thing of rent and at sixty-five of your rheumatism.—Schenectady Union.

Some women who see things just as they are drive men to seeing double.

There's something really fascinating about the nut-like flavor of

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The strength and nutrition gleaned from this wheat and malted barley food make it a most sensible breakfast cereal, while its low cost adds true economy.

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Successor to "The Northern Light"

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Local Items

Christmas program at the school house to night.

Lever Olson was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday.

English services 12 o'clock Sunday at the Mission church.

Rev. Myhrer will preach in Holt next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Chas. Hagglund of St. Hilaire was an over Sunday visitor with his family here.

We wish you all a Merry, Merry Christmas, full of Brightness and Good Cheer.

P. A. Riesberg went to Warren Tuesday for medical treatment and to have his tonsils removed.

Make your mail safe by using R. C. Christmas Seals on the back of each letter and package.

Dr. Fisher was called Friday to see Mrs. H. Peterson who was on the sick list for a few days.

Grant Flakne returned to Pipestone Saturday where he has rented a farm for the comming season.

Miss Marie Folden came home Saturday from Middle River where she has been working for a short time.

Mrs. A. H. Alborn of Minneapolis arrived here Wednesday to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Saastad.

A big baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Augustine Saturday morning at the Physicians' hospital in Thief River Falls.

Yourself or child or some of your loved ones may be the next victim of tuberculosis. Buy Red Cross Christmas Seals and help to protect yourself and loved ones.

Aug Nass expects to have lots of help on the farm since the arrival of a baby boy at his home last week Thursday. Mother and babe are both getting along fine.

Relief quickly obtained through Dr. Albertson's Chiropractic Adjustments. Acute and chronic diseases successfully treated. Even those who have been pronounced incurable, have been restored to perfect health again. Phone No. 85. Crookston, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Horien, H. J. Oien and sister Miss Effie Christensen, W. Bakke and Burndetta Horien, P. L. Anderson and Miss Hobbs and Ole Johnson drove to Thief River Falls Friday evening to attend the play "A Pair of Sixes." They report the play as being very good and everyone enjoyed the evening, especially the journey home. It required two of Ed O'Hara's best teams to haul the bus in which the crowd rode, to their destination on schedule time.

Shipping tags for sale at this office

Our Train Service

A daily mail and passenger service was resumed on this branch of the G. N. yesterday.

Albin Knauf of Thief River Falls visited relatives and friends here Friday.

Clarence Larson and Engebreth Moe were business visitors in Warren Monday.

Ole Hamernes and Art Brotten arrived here Monday from Moose Jaw, Canada.

English preaching at 12 o'clock Sunday by Miss Randklev at the Mission church.

As we are going to celebrate Christmas this paper will be one day late next week.

Andrew Tobiason went to Mud Lake Saturday to do some work on his homestead there.

Edwin Nelson came up from Thief River Falls Monday evening for a few days visit at home.

An eleven pound baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nels Johnson, of Anita, one day last week.

Our basket ball team went to St. Hilaire yesterday to play a game with the boys of that hamlet.

The Ringbo Y. P. S. will give a program in their church at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening Dec. 21st.

Fine assortment of hankerchiefs for men, women and children. Take a look at them. R. Reierson.

Alvin Lee departed Thursday for Leeds, N. Dak., where he will run the mail route for his father, A. E. Lee, during the rest of the winter.

School closes Friday for a two weeks vacation, Miss Lawrence going to her home in Minneapolis and Miss Erickson to Goodhue, Minn.

Rev. Geo. Larson will hold services in Ringbo church at 11 o'clock Sunday Dec. 28th. The Ladies Aid will meet the same afternoon at John Udstrand's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simmonson have been at Warren this week where the latter had a slight operation performed Tuesday morning at the hospital in that city.

Your letters and packages will go safely, if you use enough Christmas Seals on the backs to hold them securely. The money from their sale may save you from tuberculosis.

After Jan. 1st. 1921 all draft sleighs used on the roads must be four feet six inches from center to center of the runners. It will be a fine to sell or use sleighs not of the above or standard width as fixed by law.

The boys and girl scouts enjoyed a party Friday night at Prof Prushek's log cabin which is about completed. The open fireplace and the general appearance inside and out, makes it a fine rendevous for the scouts. On the whole it is quite a curiosity to many and dear to the heart of the scouts.

S. Svenkeson brot home the last of the hunters from Beltrami county, Friday. The party was composed of Andrew Sorum, Eddie Davidson and Arnold Boernstein, and they succeeded in bagging a couple of fine moose. Mr. Boernstein had a narrow escape from what might have been a serious injury when knifing one of the moose to make him bleed. They thot the animal was almost dead but he had life enough left to give Arnold a hard kick right on the forehead which left a scar as a reminder of the incident.

Notice.

Cream received on Mondays, only these next two weeks on account of Christmas and New Years coming on Thursdays.

P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker

Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Confirmants Dec. 20th. at 1 o'clock, Sunday School at 1 o'clock, also Christmas tree practice.

Services in Thorvick next Sunday at 11 o'clock. Y. P. S. in Holt at 2 o'clock.

Services at Chris Norbeck's in Golden Valley Dec. 24th. at 11 o'clock. and in East Valley at 3:30. Services in Holt Dec. 25th. at 11 o'clock. Christmas tree and program at 8 o'clock.

Five families were taken in as members at our yearly meeting the 15th. of this month. We are glad to announce this news.

M. B. Ordahl, Pastor.

Wood Wanted

Bids wanted for furnishing fifty cords of split green poplar wood on the creamery grounds in Holt, to be delivered on or before April 1st 1920. Sealed bids for the above will be received up to Jan 3, 1920 by

J. A. Sorum Secy.,
Holt, Minn.

The devil never takes a vacation. Dr. Darley will be here again Dec. 26th.

Christmas program at the Mission church at 3 o'clock Christmas Day. Everyone invited.

Henry Hult came up from T. R. Falls Monday to do the plumbing in D. B. Bakke's new house.

The government has decided to continue the sale of Thrift and War Saving Stamps during 1920.

The world did'nt come to an end Dec. 17th. but we got a little snow storm instead, which answered the purpose just as well with most people.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Young and Mrs. B. J. Bakke were pleasantly entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken.

The Oslo Tribune got out a fine Christmas edition with a colored cover, last week. Bro. Wilson is making a success of the newspaper game in that city.

Red Cross Christmas Seals for sale by the schools, bank, postoffice and printing office. The money is to be used in a tuberculosis campaign for cure and prevention.

The three months old baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Albin Dahl died Monday night from an attack of convulsions. Funeral services were held yesterday at Golden Valley by Rev. Ordahl.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the grief stricken parents and other members of their families.

The U. S. census will be taken next month. The work will commence Jan. 2nd. and all information gathered is strictly confidential and will not be used as a basis for taxation.

Their is a heavy penalty for refusing to answer the questions asked by the enumerators. The government wants the information for their own use and truthful answers to all questions cannot bring any harm to any one. Also the enumerator is not allowed to give out any information to any one and no one has need to be afraid to answer all questions.

Free Mission Church

Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Myhrer will hold services here next Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock. All are welcome.

Miss Randklev will hold English services immediately after the Norwegian services by Rev. Myhrer.

Everyone invited to attend both of these services.

Chrismas program at 3 o'clock Christmas Day. Everyone Welcome.

For Sale

Milk cows for sale.

Nels A. Fosen,
Sec. 26 East Valley P. O. Holt

Notice!

Men are wanted to cut fence posts on the S. W. 1-4 —25—156—43, Enquire at the Holt State Bank.

For Sale or Trade.

36x60 Separator in good running order for sale or will trade for land or anything we can use.

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Notice

Several men wanted at once for cutting timber and clearing land in the corporate limits of Holt.

Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Hay for Sale.

Sixty tons of good wild hay. Hay is stacked on the NW 1-4 Sec. 7, in Mud Lake township.

Holt State Bank

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt Address the

Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will

Estate of Olof Johnson

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Olof Johnson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota To Albertina Johnson, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the Will of said decedent:

The petition of Albertina Johnson being duly filed in this Court, representing that Olof Johnson, then a resident of the County of Marshall State of Minnesota, died on the 1st day of October 1919, leaving a last Will and Testament which is presented to this Court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last Will and Testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Albertina Johnson.

Now Therefore, You, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren County of Marshall State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of January 1920, at 11 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness The Honorable, Peter H. Holm, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 12th day of December 1919.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Judge

A. N. Eckstrom,
Att'y for Petitioner,
Warren, Minnesota

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Wheat No. 2	2 76
Wheat No. 3	2 66
Wheat No. 4	2 56
Wheat No. 5	2 41
Flax	4 71
Oats	75
Barley	1 30 to 1 35
Rye	1 34
Flour, Best Patent	7 35
Shorts	$2 50
Bran	$2 35

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You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed. And they'll be in fine condition to earn more for you next year.

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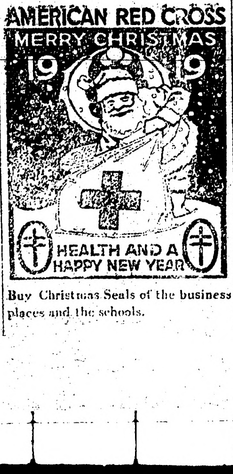
Holt, Minn.



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State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
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THE WAY ONE LADY FEELS AFTER SUFFERING TWO YEARS

Judging from her letter, the misery and wretchedness endured by Mrs. Charlie Taylor, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 144, Dillon, S. C., must have been terrible. No one, after reading her letter, can continue to doubt the great healing power of PE-RU-NA for troubles due to catarrh or catarrhal conditions in any part of the body. Her letter is an inspiration to every sick and suffering man or woman anywhere. Here it is: "I suffered two years with catarrh of the head, stomach and bowels. Tried two of the best doctors, who gave me up. I then took PE-RU-NA and can truthfully say I am well. When I began to use PE-RU-NA I weighed one hundred pounds. My weight now is one hundred and fifty. I cannot praise PE-RU-NA too highly, for it was a Godsend to me. I got relief from the first half bottle and twelve bottles cured me. I advise all sufferers to take PE-RU-NA."

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You can buy PE-RU-NA anywhere in either tablet or liquid form.

High Notes.

"Money talks."

"With what sort of voice?"

"Tenner."

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In a Limousine.

Nell—I like a man with some go to him, don't you?

Belle—Yes, if he takes me along.

Most women are born leaders and most men are born followers thereof.

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Kill the Cold. At the first sneeze take

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THE "BLUES" Caused by Acid-Stomach

Millions of people who worry, are despondent, have spells of mental depression, feel blue and are often melancholy, believe that these conditions are due to outside influences over which they have little or no control. Nearly always, however, they can be traced to an internal source—acid-stomach. Nor is it to be wondered at. Acid-stomach, beginning with such well defined symptoms as indigestion, belching, heartburn, bloat, etc., will, if not checked, in time affect to some degree or other all the vital organs. The nervous system becomes deranged. Digestion suffers. The blood is impoverished. Health and strength are undermined. The victim of acid-stomach, although he may not know the cause of his ailments, feels his hope, courage, ambition and energy slipping. And truly life is dark—not worth much to the man or woman who has acid-stomach!

Get rid of it! Don't let acid-stomach hold you back, wreck your health, make your days miserable, make you a victim of the "blues" and gloomy thoughts! There is a marvelous modern remedy called EATONIC that brings, oh! such quick relief from your stomach miseries—sets your stomach to rights—makes it strong, cool, sweet and comfortable. Helps you get back your strength, vigor, vitality, enthusiasm and good cheer. So many thousands upon thousands of sufferers have used EATONIC with such marvelously helpful results that we are sure you will feel the same way if you will just give it a trial. Get a big 50 cent box of EATONIC—the good tasting tablets that you eat like a bit of candy—from your druggist today. He will return your money if results are not even more than you expect.

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The Christmas Gift

by Merrill Walrath Burton

THE day before Christmas. Why don't you make it one of rest, Joel, and begin the new one fresh and ready and bright for the work before you?"

The Rev. Joel Brierly regarded his estimable better half with smiling thoughtfulness. "It happens to be a day when both of us must live up to imperative duty, dear," he replied. "There are the Mason children. I have placed the two older ones with some very good people. The little girl of four and the boy of six, however, are still in need of a home. I have been thinking; suppose you see if you cannot find some one to adopt the girl and I will do the same for the boy."

"Who are we ever going to get to take them?" inquired Mrs. Brierly, growing fussy and excited.

"I shall trust your busy and sensible mind to enlist the interest of some of your charitably inclined lady friends," answered Mr. Brierly gallantly. "I will undertake trying to influence some benevolent husband or father."

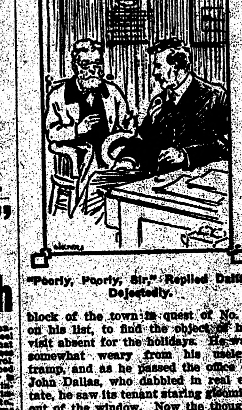
So, with holiday cheer warming his honest heart, the best liked minister Paxton ever had started forth on his misson. Before doing so, however, he sat down on the porch for a quarter of an hour compiling a list of possible "prospects." Thomas Dalrymple, the village magnate, was among them, and he listened with apparent interest to the minister's story of how four children had been left homeless and penniless through the death of their mother, a poor widow.

"Tell you," said Mr. Dalrymple, "my wife is an invalid and any variation in our regular life would greatly disturb her. I shall be only too glad to join in a fund to provide for the care of one of the children at some school or institution."

"We have none here adaptable locally," demurred Mr. Brierly, "and I promised Mrs. Mason that I would exert supervision and care over her little ones until they were able to take care of themselves."

Levi Brodie, a well-to-do merchant, turned out also a disappointment.

Two more calls, further excuses, and Mr. Brierly entered the office block of the town in quest of No. 5 on his list, to find the object of his visit absent for the holidays. He was somewhat weary from his useless tramp, and as he passed the office of John Dallas, who dabbled in real estate, he saw its tenant staring gloomily out of the window. Now the thought never occurred to Mr. Brierly that here might be a possible benefactor. John Dallas was gray and grizzled. He had changed a good deal of late years, and all his old-time cheeriness seemed to have vanished after his children had grown up and married and went away. The clergyman had heard that Dallas and his wife lived a lonely and, it was said, rather unhappy life. Dallas looked it as he greeted his chance visitor.



"Poorly, Poorly, Sir," Replied Dallas Dejectedly.

"Just dropped in to rest for a minute or so," announced the latter. "How are you getting along, Mr. Dallas?"

"Poorly, poorly, sir," replied Dallas dejectedly. He had left home that morning wretchedly dissatisfied. Insensibly since the youngest and last of the family brood had chosen a wife and had settled in another section of the country, like himself, Mrs. Dallas had changed greatly, and the holiday season as it came around seemed almost unbearable.

The two would sit evenings amid a loneliness that really placed them as far apart as if they were separated by illumitable space.

John Dallas opened his soul to the broad-minded, genial souled minister who had looked to the spiritual welfare of his family for over a quarter of century. He had not one word of blame, of censure, for Mary, but he pathetically described the forlornness of the dull, uneventful life they led.

"Maybe it's because we are growing old," he sighed. "We don't seem to have any mutual interests any more. The house is as grim and silent as a jail, with the children all gone. I find Mary sitting alone crying, and I'd like to myself when she forgets to kiss me good-by as she used to do mornings, when I would start out for the day."

"Why, you persistent pessimist!" railled Mr. Brierly, "you two people are in the very prime of life and ought to be happy as the day is long. You talk about there being no more Christmas or New Years for you!

"Rouse up, John Dallas! what you want is something to interest you, to break the dull monotony in your quiet life, and, happily, I am the very man who can suggest to you how you are going to do it."

John Dallas regarded his visitor hopefully, almost pleadingly. "If you will follow my advice," continued Mr. Brierly, "you will bring into your home tonight a gift for your dear wife that will wake up in her all the old-time interest in the world and you."

"I hope it—I long for it," declared Dallas eagerly.

"Very well," resumed Mr. Brierly, "I am looking for some one to adopt little Benny Mason, whose mother died last week. Come, old friend,

"There Is the Present I Have Brought You."

brighten up heart and home with a loving, grateful little guest, who will surely bring a blessing to your threshold. Go home then every night to find your wife happy, because she has had some one to cling to her and love her all the day long, and the happy little fellow will twine himself close about your longing hearts."

John Dallas arose from his chair and fervently grasped the hand of his friend and adviser. There was a new-born light in his rugged face.

"Bring along the lad as soon as you like," he said. "It won't be my fault that he doesn't have a pleasant home, and I hope Mary will say the same," and just after noon Mr. Brierly appeared with the little outcast.

"Mr. Brierly says you are to be my new father," prattled the bright faced little fellow, running up to Mr. Dallas, "and won't you please take me to my new mamma?"

Not within five years had the old-time cheering, winning smile deepened on the face of John Dallas as now. He took his little charge around the stores and fitted him out newly. Somehow he was thrilled, as, clasping his hand lovingly, Benny ran by his side as late in the afternoon he started for home. As he went up its steps he told Benny to go to the end of the porch and stay there till he came back. His wife met him in the hallway.

"Mary," he said, and his voice showed deep emotion, "I've got something to tell you. You know tomorrow is Christmas. Well, I'm going to turn over a new leaf."

"How strangely you talk!" spoke Mrs. Dallas. "Aren't you a pretty good man as it is?"

"Why, you think that!" floundered John, all taken aback by the sudden and inexplicable change in his wife, who seemed bubbling over with extraordinary animation. "Anyhow, Mary, I'm going to think more after this of your needs and wishes, and I have a present for you which I hope will give you very much pleasure."

"Oh, John!" interrupted Mary tumultuously, "it seems as if everything good and grand is happening all at once. Come in, I want to show you something," and she seized his arm, hurried him into the sitting room, and there, lying asleep on the couch, was a lovely little girl of four—Benny's sister.

"It was that kind hearted Mrs. Brierly, the minister's wife, who came to see me this morning," explained Mary. "She's given us the dear little child for all our own. Oh! think of it, John, and—what was that?"

It was the little lad left on the porch, who had discovered the family cat and was talking to and petting it.

"Mary," said John, as they went outside, "it seems a double gift day, all around. There is the present I have brought you—if two ain't too much. I say, the more the merrier."

"Are you my new mamma?" prattled Benny, running up to Mrs. Dallas, who gathered him up in her arms.

"Yes, you sweet dear!" she cried, and, the tears rolling down her face, she kissed her husband first on one cheek and then on the other. "Oh, John!" she sobbed, "I am a happy, happy woman, indeed, upon this glad Christmas eve!"

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SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS DRY ACT

Wartime Prohibition Not Unconstitutional, Says Highest Tribunal.

DRY CHRISTMAS LIKELY

Decision Covers Only Country's Legal Status as Regards Peace—Terms of Volstead Law and Per Cent Alcohol Content Untouched.

Washington, Dec. 16.—By a unanimous decision, the constitutionality of the wartime prohibition act was sustained yesterday by the supreme court. The opinion, given by Associate Justice Brandeis, held, however, that the war-invoked "dry" period may yet be terminated by presidential proclamation of demobilization. In rendering its opinion the court did not act upon the validity of the Volstead prohibition enforcement act or on appeals involving the alcoholic content of beer. Opinions on those cases may be handed down next Monday, just before the court recesses for the Christmas holidays. Yesterday's decision practically swept away all hopes of a "wet" Christmas, as the possibilities of repeal of the wartime act before constitutional prohibition becomes effective one month from today, were considered remote.

Congress did not intend the wartime act to terminate on the conclusion of the war but at the end of demobilization, in the view of the court, which held that "conclusion of the war clearly did not mean cessation of hostilities."

RAIL RECEIVERSHIP FEARED

Cummins Urges Rail Lines Should Not Be Left Without Protection.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Congress was warned yesterday that if the railroads were turned back to their owners before enactment of legislation for protection of the properties, two-thirds of the roads would be in hands of receivers within thirty days. Speaking with earnestness and frankness, Senator Cummins, chairman of the interstate commerce committee that drafted the pending railroad bill, argued the senate could not afford to set it aside in view of the apparent determination of President Wilson to end government control the first day of the new year.

Breaking into the debate while senators were pleading for postponement of action on all railroad legislation until after recess, Senator Cummins told the senate its duty was too plain.

"If the roads are returned without effective legislation they could exist for a month," the Iowa senator declared, "and then fall into hopeless confusion with two-thirds of them quickly ending in receivership."

In hope of expediting the measure the senate remained in session last night, but as new fields of argument were opened there developed little indication of final action this week.

WAR EXPENSE REPORT ASKED

House Has Exciting Two-Day Bout Over Consideration of Document.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Twelve roll calls, interspiced with charges and counter charges extending over two legislative days, brought adoption late yesterday in the house of a special rule permitting immediate consideration of the report of the committee which investigated war-time expenditures of the war department. The vote was 177 to 124.

Democratic members waged a hard fight to prevent consideration of the report, which they asserted made no specific charges and was only a series of veiled hints at fraud. In reply, Republican representatives charged the Democrats with blocking proceedings "to conceal the fraud and incompetency of the war department."

The report, which was filed several weeks ago by the committee of which Representative Graham of Illinois is chairman, attacked war department officials for alleged wasteful expenditures of money and suggested reopening of all claims for unexpired contracts settled by the war department and submission of these claims to an impartial board for final approval.

Pandolfo Denied New Trial.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—Federal Judge Landis overruled a motion for a new trial on behalf of Samuel C. Pandolfo, late president and fiscal agent of the Pan Motor company of St. Cloud, Minn., recently convicted of using the mails to defraud. The maximum sentence which can be given Pandolfo under the verdict is twenty years in the penitentiary and a fine of $20,000.

America to Get German Dyes.

New York, Dec. 16.—A six months supply of German vat dyes, to tide American consumers over until American manufacturers have available a full line of these imported colors, is assured, said a cablegram received today from the German dye syndicate by Dr. Charles H. Herty, chemical adviser to the American section of the reparations committee of the peace conference. Part of these dyes are to be supplied by the Germans on highly advantageous financial terms, it is said.

New Burglar Alarm.

A burglar should have a hard time to "get by" the new alarm which is recommended as simple and inexpensive. It makes a noise, turns on a light, and registers the time of the burglar's attempt, as well as delaying and preventing its success.

The Hindus and the Lotus.

The Hindus compare India to the lotus, the petals representing Central India and the surrounding leaves the divisions of the country. The design is much used in eastern temples and architecture generally, and the plant is cultivated in public gardens. A pond in the Taj gardens at Agra holds pure lotus blossoms.

Powerful Nitroglycerin.

The greater part of the world's output of glycerin is used for nitroglycerin, prepared by the action of a mixture of nitric and sulphuric acids on glycerin, which forms the chief ingredient of many modern high explosives and smokeless powders, used for military, mining and agricultural purposes.

Must Have Been Moving Rapidly.

One day I sent Ralph to a store several blocks away. In the meantime it rained, and immediately at the close of the shower he returned and I asked him anxiously: "Why, Ralph, where were you when it rained?" He replied: "I wasn't anywhere—I was running."—Chicago American.

Birds With Brains.

Naturalists have arrived at the conclusion that the brain in birds is large in proportion to the body. If it is admitted that intelligence depends upon the weight of brain, then the goldfinch must be placed at the top of the list of birds; the brain weighs one-fourteenth of its whole body.

Napoleon's Temper.

Defeat was so distasteful to Napoleon that, so it is recorded, when he found an opponent at chess getting the better of him he would with a quick movement sweep board and pieces off the table to the ground.

Electric Shotgun.

A patent has been granted for an electric shotgun in which sparks discharge cartridges that may be filled with an explosive gas or liquid as well as powder.

Lighter Than Cork.

Sunflower stalk pith, which is about ten times lighter than cork, is used in a life saving apparatus invented by a Russian.

Pike Popular in Belgium.

The bicycle is popular as a means of cheap locomotion in Belgium, women as well as men using wheels.

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP.

A cold is probably the most common of all disorders and when neglected is apt to be most dangerous. Statistics show that more than three times as many people died from influenza last year, as were killed in the greatest war the world has ever known. For the last fifty-three years Boschee's Syrup has been used for coughs, bronchitis, colds, throat irritation and especially lung troubles. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning. Made in America and used in the homes of thousands of families all over the civilized world. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Hee-Haw!

"Blank is simply an educated jackass." "A burro of information, so to speak."—Boston Post.

True to Form.

"I noticed your visitor just pecked at his dinner." "But, then you know he is a bird man."

Colds Break

Get instant relief with "Pape's Cold Compound"

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a cold and ends all grippe misery.

The very first dose opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of your head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness, stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist on Pape's!—Adv.

Uncertain.

"I know a fellow who is very successful in handling a grip."

"Is he a doctor or a bellhop?"

HOW RHEUMATISM BEGINS

The excruciating agonies of rheumatism are usually the result of failure of the kidneys to expel poisons from the system. If the irritation of these uric acid crystals is allowed to continue, incurable bladder or kidney disease may result. Attend to it at once. Don't resort to temporary relief. The sick kidneys must be restored to health by the use of some sterling remedy which will prevent a return of the disease.

Get some GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. They have brought back the joys of life to countless thousands of sufferers from rheumatism, lame back, lumbago, sciatica, gall stones, gravel and other affections of the kidneys, liver, stomach, bladder and allied organs.

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All others are imitations. Ask for GOLD MEDAL and be sure the name GOLD MEDAL is on the box. Three sizes, at all good druggists.—Adv.

Diamond Shoes.

Shoes covered with diamonds were recently worn by a woman at a ball in Paris.

Christian Era.

The Christian era was not adopted as a means of reckoning time until several centuries after Christ's time. An error was made in the reckoning then and it is now agreed that the time assigned for the birth of Christ was at least four years out of the way; that is, according to the accepted reckoning Jesus was born in the year 4 B. C.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Fargo, N. D.

Force of Habit.

Parson—Who is making that terrible noise and using that terrible language in your house, Mrs. Petersen?

Mrs. Petersen—It's only my husband. He wants to go to church and can't find his prayerbook.

Near Father.

Mr. Younghusband—Here is a letter from your father asking us to economize!

Mrs. Younghusband—I'm not surprised. He told me the other day we were living far beyond his means.—Cartoons Magazine.

Budding genius doesn't always bear fruit.

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For illustrated literature, maps, description of farm opportunities in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, reduced railroad rates, etc., write Department of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

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Canadian Government Agents.

BAD BLOOD, BOILS

Davenport, Iowa. — "Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery at one time saved me a lot of suffering. My blood was in very bad condition, which resulted in my having numerous boils. I could not get them out of my system until I took the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and it so purified my blood that I have never had any more such trouble.

"At one time I became ill with something that the doctors did not seem to understand. I finally consulted Dr. Pierce by mail, and was wonderfully helped by the medicine he prepared and sent me. I shall always feel very grateful to Dr. Pierce and his medicines for the benefit received."—A. S. Brown, 1832 N. 8th St.

Biliousness and Constipation

Muscatine, Iowa.—"I have used Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets for three years. I have found them pleasant, reliable and a first-class medicine for biliousness and constipation."—R. B. Williams, 705 E. Fifth St.

FELT NO DESIRE TO TRAVEL

Newly Elected President of Big New York Corporation Paid No Attention to Precedents.

Frank Hedley, newly elected president of the Interborough Rapid Transit company, told a recent gathering of reporters summoned to his office for a first interview that they would find the Interborough's new head "the same kind of rabbit" that he was as a switchman years ago. He also made it plain that he hoped to keep a firm grip on his sense of humor.

"When do you leave for Hot Springs?" asked a facetious reporter at the close of the interview.

"Hot Springs? What do you mean?" inquired Hedley.

He was told that it was almost an invariable rule for all men upon being chosen to high office to pack up and go away to Hot Springs or some other nice resort.

"Well," replied Hedley, "you can count me out. This place is hot enough for me."—New York Evening Post.

CHEST CLOGGED UP WITH HEAVY COLD?

Don't give it a chance to "set in"—use Dr. King's New Discovery

THAT dangerous stage where a cold or cough or case of grippe might get the better of you may be nearer than you think. Prompt action with Dr. King's New Discovery will avert a long siege.

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GARFIELD QUITS AS FUEL CHIEF

Administrator Dislikes Terms of Peace In Coal Strike, Is Report.

FORESEES RISE IN PRICE

Had Been Firmly Against Proposal Submitted By President To Miners—Believes Combination Will Result.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Fuel Administrator Garfield's resignation is in the hands of President Wilson, given because he disagrees on the principle with the coal strike settlement proposal arranged by the government and the mine workers' union.

Dr. Garfield himself refused to confirm, deny or discuss the report, but at the White House it was said that a personal letter from him had been transmitted to the President.

Men close to the fuel administrator understand that he believes that the work of the commission, authorized under the settlement, to be made up of one coal mine operator, a coal miner, and a third person named to represent the public, will result in an increase in the price of coal to the consuming public.

Garfield Opposed Proposal.

Against this form of a settlement, Dr. Garfield has been unalterably opposed. It has been learned on good authority that he took no part in the negotiation with the mine workers union chiefs during the last week and that though informed and consulted after their initiation, the terms laid out as finally accepted contravene his conception of the main principle involved.

It was recalled in connection with the resignation, that in suggesting a 14 per cent wage increase as fair for the miners and possible to be paid from present profits of mine owners, Dr. Garfield suggested a commission representative of the industry to review findings, but expressed the conviction that such a body should not have powers to fix prices. His belief is said to be that with this power granted, a combination of the employer and employe in the industry to mulct to public by price raises, is certain to result.

RAILROAD BILL IS DELAYED

Hope of Quick Action On Cummins Measure Abandoned.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Hope of enacting railroad legislation by January 1, the date on which President Wilson has announced the roads would be turned back to private control, virtually has been abandoned by Senate leaders.

Strong and unexpected opposition developed during consideration of the Cummins bill, designed to meet conditions with the end of government control.

In view of the short time remaining before the Christmas recess and the fact that the Cummins bill, if passed, must be sent to conference with the Esch bill, recently passed by the House, Republican and Democratic senators predicted that it would not be possible to frame a law by the end of the month even if Congress kept steadily and continuously at work.

CLAIMS WALLACE TO BLAME

Carranza Tells U. S. American Responsible for Own Death.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Complete blame for the killing of James Wallace, an American citizen, by a Mexican soldier, two weeks ago, near Tampico, Mexico, is placed on Wallace himself by the Mexican government in its note replying to the urgent inquiry made by the United States.

The note which has been handed to the American embassy in Mexico City, was summarized in a dispatch received at the State department.

The notes amount to a charge that Wallace while intoxicated, passed a sentry stationed at a "dangerous spot" and the American, failing to halt, was shot and killed.

MADE HOMELESS BY FLOODS

Fourteen Lose Lives and Millions In Damage Done In South.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 12.—Several thousand persons are homeless and many more out of employment as a result of flooded rivers in Alabama, Georgia and Mississippi. Railroad schedules particularly in lower Alabama and Mississippi, were demoralized and property loss was estimated in millions. Rivers in the three states had reached their highest stages in many years as a result of the heavy rains, but generally were receding at last. 14 persons lost their lives.

$1 Worth But 60 Cents In China.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Plans to adjust the pay of American troops stationed in China to meet the depreciation of American gold there will be takenup by the House Military committee. "China is the only place in the world where the exchange rate is so against us," Representative Anthony, chairman of the committee, said. The War department informed the committee that American gold was being accepted from the troops only at a rate of 61 cents in Chinese silver on the dollar.

WOMAN WORKS 15 HOURS A DAY

Marvelous Story of Woman's Change from Weakness to Strength by Taking Druggist's Advice

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The Point of View.

"Do you think you can get me out of this scrape?" asked the confidence man of his shifty lawyer.

"How much would it be worth to me?"

"Suppose we say $1,000?"

"And you made $50,000 out of the deal? No, sir. I don't see the slightest chance to get you acquitted for $1,000, but, ahem, we might view the matter from another angle."

"What do you mean?"

"Looking at your case from a $5,000 angle, I don't see the slightest chance for you to be convicted."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

DON'T WHIP!

Stop Lashing Your Bowels with Harsh Cathartics but take "Cascarets."

Everyone must occasionally give the bowels some regular help or else suffer from constipation, bilious attacks, stomach disorders, and sick headache. But do not whip the bowels into activity with harsh cathartics.

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Page the Preacher.

Manager (to a new guest)—Ah! And how did you find the service this morning?

Reverend One—I didn't find it at all, sir. Although I have heard great praise about the fine service of this hotel, for the life of me, I could neither find preacher nor congregation.

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DOG LEADS TO GRUESOME FIND

Shows Extreme Fright When Owner Tries to Put Him in Cellar.

FIND WOMAN'S FOOT

Evidence of Attempt to Burn Portion of Female Body in Furnace Discovered—Murder Mystery Baffles Police of Denver.

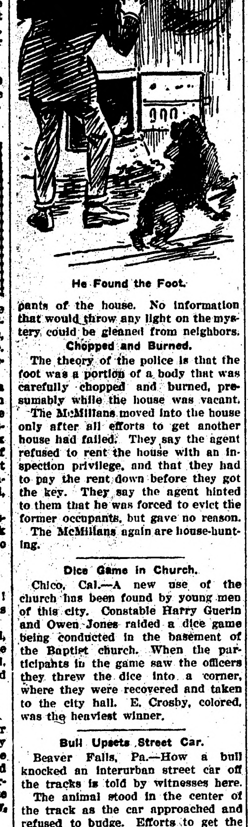
Denver.—The terrified refusal of an Airedale dog to enter the basement of a house in this city has brought to light evidence of what the police authorities believe may be the clew to one of the most mysterious crimes in the history of the city. The right foot of a young white woman was found in the furnace and there was abundant evidence that the rest of the body had been cremated. Ashes from the furnance were found buried in the soft earth under the back porch.

A bloody corset cover, a black army necktie with dark stains upon it and pieces of flannel underwear with apparent bloodstains on them, were sifted out of the ashes and debris by the police.

Dog Shows Fright.

The discovery was made by James McMillan who rented the house and moved into it a few days before. McMillan tried to put the dog in the basement, but the animal whined and refused to remain there alone, showing every evidence of extreme fright.

The peculiar conduct of the dog decided Mr. McMillan to investigate the cellar. He found the foot and immediately notified the police. A hasty investigation by the police quickly convinced them that a crime had been committed. The Airedale refused to accompany the police to the basement when they dug over a portion of the cellar in the expectation of finding other traces of a body. No bones were found but oiled paper and ashes were uncovered in generous quantities. The police are trying to trace former occupants of the house. No information that would throw any light on the mystery could be gleaned from neighbors.



He Found the Foot.

Chopped and Burned.

The theory of the police is that the foot was a portion of a body that was carefully chopped and burned, presumably while the house was vacant.

The McMillans moved into the house only after all efforts to get another house had failed. They say the agent refused to rent the house with an inspection privilege, and that they had to pay the rent down before they got the key. They say the agent hinted to them that he was forced to evict the former occupants, but gave no reason.

The McMillans again are house-hunting.

Dice Game in Church.

Chico, Cal.—A new use of the church has been found by young men of this city. Constable Harry Guerin and Owen Jones raided a dice game being conducted in the basement of the Baptist church. When the participants in the game saw the officers they threw the dice into a corner, where they were recovered and taken to the city hall. E. Crosby, colored, was the heaviest winner.

Bull Upsets Street Car.

Beaver Falls, Pa.—How a bull knocked an interurban street car off the tracks is told by witnesses here. The animal stood in the center of the track as the car approached and refused to budge. Efforts to get the animal to one side only enraged it until finally in a mad rush of fury it dived into the car and derailed it. There were six passengers aboard, one of whom was slightly hurt.

Powdered His Nose.

Chicago.—Edward Iwicki's habit of using powder on his nose inspired the quarrels which made life unbearable to Mrs. Margaret Iwicki. Judge George F. Barrett granted a divorce

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If straightened out, an ounce of spiderweb would extend over 350 miles.

When a boy spins a top he doesn't begin at the bottom.

The harder a man works the less time he has to whine.

Get the grin habit.

The Price of Pork Chops and Bacon

Here are reasons why the fine, fresh pork tenderloins and pork chops, or savory ham, or crinkly bacon, which you enjoy for breakfast, cost much more per pound than the market quotation on live hogs which you read in the newspaper:

An average hog weighs 220 pounds.

Of this, only 70 per cent (154 pounds) is meat and lard.

So, when we pav 15¢ a pound for live hogs, we are really paying more than 21¢ a pound for the meat which we will get from these animals, even after taking into account the value of the by-products.

But people show a preference for only one-third of the whole—the pork chops, fancy bacon, and choice cuts from juicy hams.

This means that when we are selling Premium bacon at 43½¢ per pound wholesale and Premium hams at 30¢, there are other parts for which we get as low as 6¢ or 8¢ per pound. The net result is an average profit to us of less than 1¢ a pound.

The choice cuts are higher because of a demand for them.

Another thing: Only 35 pounds of the entire hog—or about 1/6th—is usually marketed at once. The rest must be pickled, cured, or smoked. This takes months, and adds to the costs which must be met.

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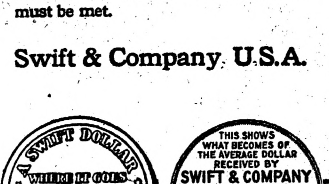

Do your Christmas shopping in Holt's business places.

All letters and packages should be made secure by placing a Christmas Seal on the back of them.

The Republican National Convention will be held in Chicago, June 8th to nominate the next president.

Miss Warner, the Red Cross Field Worker, having been here for the last two Thursdays and it is beginning to look as tho their money is all gone too.

The people in need of relief are anxious to have the state get busy with the work soon as possible.

If you are going to have a sale, see Clarence Larson for auctioneer.

Good size shipping tags for sale at this office.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Bertha Giller, a widow, and Maurice Giller and Beatrice Giller, his wife, Mortgagors, to Farmers State Bank of Maple [illegible], a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 8th day of June, 1916, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of June, A. D. 1916, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. in Book 80 of Mortgages, on Page [illegible], which said mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by the said mortgagee to the Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls by written assignment duly executed, dated December 1, 1919, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, Minnesota, on the 18th day of November, 1919, at 8:00 A. M. in Book 90 of Mortgages on Page [illegible], which default has continued to the date of this notice, by the failure and neglect of said Mortgagors to make payment of the sum of $48.00, interest, by said mortgage secured, which by its terms became due and payable on the 9th day of June, 1919, and which default has continued for more than 150 days.

AND WHEREAS The said Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Eight Hundred Seventy-two Dollars and Fifty Cents ($872.50), and whereas the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The North Half (N½) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) and the South Half (S½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Nineteen (19) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty-one (41), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof, in Marshall County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Marshall County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Warren in said County and State, on the 20th day of January, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Seventy-two and 50/100ths Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 1, 1919 A. D.
Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Bayberry Shrub.

The plant from which the bayberry candle is made is the shrub Myrica cerifera, a plant which is common in New England and especially along the coast of Maine. The bayberry shrub [illegible] related to the Myrc[illegible] India bay, from [illegible] bay rum is obtained by distillation.

Christmas program at the school house to night.

We want to commence business Jan. 1st with a new set of books and would appreciate the settlement of all accounts before that date.

For Sale: Red Poll bull, 2 years old, 8-16 Avery tractor. [illegible]

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen Dollars ($[illegible]) which became due on the 1st day of August, 1919, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Charles H. Rossmund, a single man, Mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee, bearing date August 1, 1918, and duly filed and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of October, 1918, at 8:00 o'clock A. M. in Book 82 of Mortgages, on Page 74 thereof, and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage by reason of said default the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid to wit: Sixty Dollars ($60.00) became at once due and payable and was so declared by the Mortgagee and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Sixty-seven Dollars and Fifty Cents ($67.50), and the further sum of Fifty-five Dollars ($55.00) with interest thereon at five and one half per cent per annum (5½) since August 1, 1918, and the further sum of Fifty-five Dollars ($55.00) with interest thereon at five and one half per cent per annum (5½) since August 1, 1919, the two latter amounts being for interest paid by the Mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) on said land, default having been made in the payment of same by the Mortgagor, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being One Hundred Eighty-two Dollars and Three cents ($182.03), and said mortgage containing the power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage to wit: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Three (3) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North of Range Forty-one (41) West in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the court house in the City of Warren in said County and State of Minnesota on the 20th day of January, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of One Hundred Eighty-two Dollars and Three Cents ($182.03), and interest from date of this notice and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) as stipulated in said mortgage and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 1, 1919.
Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls
Mortgagee
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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Holt, Dec. 25

Mission Church
3 o'clock P. M.

Synod Church
8 o'clock

Merrie Christmas

We feel that the Christmas Season should not pass without an expression of our gratification over the cordial relations existing between This Bank and its Customers.

We desire to convey the Season's Best Wishes for your Happiness and Prosperity. We will welcome every opportunity to be of service in the Year ahead.

Holt State Bank

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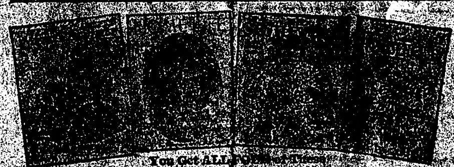

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Local Items

We wish you all a Happy and Prosperous New year.

Miss Hilma Sovde departed Wednesday for her home at Greenbush.

Mrs. Tom Severson went to [illegible] to spend Christmas with [illegible].

[illegible] returned to his [illegible] at Middle River Tuesday after a few days visit at home.

Bergman Folden came Wednesday from Rainer, Minn., to spend Xmas with home folks.

[illegible] Berg of T. R. Falls and [illegible] from [illegible] visited over Sunday with Martin Olson.

[illegible] returned Tuesday from [illegible] N. D. where he has been [illegible].

[illegible] the Warren [illegible] Mrs. John Simonson [illegible] as well as could be [illegible].

[illegible] came down from [illegible] Tuesday to run the [illegible] for Olai Sovde for a [illegible].

[illegible] went to Litchville [illegible] last week to spend the holidays with her mother [illegible].

Miss Gladys Hagen who has been [illegible] Grand Forks for some [illegible] to spend Xmas with home folks.

Miss Alice Johnson who has been working in T. R. Falls, came Wednesday to visit at the John Engstrom home.

Misses Olava and Elevena Sollom arrived here Friday from Minneapolis to spend the holidays at home with their mother.

Miss Alma Knutson returned Wednesday from T. R. Falls where she has been working for sometime, to spend Xmas with home folks.

Miss Selma [illegible] who has had employment in Minneapolis for sometime, returned home Tuesday to spend Xmas with home folks.

[illegible] Olson and Miss Larson [illegible] Tuesday to spend [illegible] with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson and family.

The Holt Basket Ball team defeated the St. Hilaire Stars by a score of 11 to 6 on Thursday the 18th. Altho the Stars played a fast game and did good team work, the Holt boys proved too much for them. Those who witnessed the game, say that not enough credit could be given our team. Holt sure can boast of a snappy and fast team. The return game will be played Tuesday the 30th. on the home floor and those wishing to see the boys in action may do so on that date.

Pretty Double Wedding

A pretty double wedding took place at the Norwegian Lutheran parsonage in Holt on Tuesday Dec. 23rd, when Mr. Elling Tollefsrud and Miss Ragna Larson, and Mr. George Johnson and Miss Matilda Sophie Wendt were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. M. B. Ordahl.

Both brides were dressed in white and carried boquets of pink carnations.

These are both popular young ladies living near Holt and have a host of friends who wish them a hearty much joy on their journey thru life.

Mr. Tollefsrud was formerly employed as mail carrier from Golden Valley to Holt, before entering the army in which he served for about eighteen months, returning to this country late last summer.

Mr. Johnson has been employed by the Standard Oil Co. for about the last ten years. He also answered his country's call in April 1918 returning to this country the fore part of Aug. Both couples left immediately after the ceremony for Thief River Falls, leaving there the same evening on the flyer for an extended honeymoon.—Con.

The Holt News extends hearty Congratulations.

Dr. O'Hara, recently of Milroy, has located at Gryg[illegible].

Herb Severson went to T. R. Falls Thursday to have dental work done.

Dr. R. L. Olson went to Thief [illegible] physician.

Dan Ness went to Thief River Falls Monday to visit relatives for a couple of day.

Clarice Spokley came home from Crookston Monday to spend the holidays with her parents and sister.

Miss Inez Breese returned to Middle River Monday after a few days visit at the Erick Johnson home.

Mrs. Paul Siljestrom and little daughter and Miss Anna Olson were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

Miss Nellie Saastad came home Friday from Strandquist where she has been teaching, to spend Xmas with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Olai Sovde went to Golden Valley Wednesday to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Johnson.

Mrs. Emma Austin of Timber Lake, S. Dak. arrived here Monday with an emigrant car also a car of cattle and moved onto a quarter section farm which she has purchased a few mile east of Gryg[illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Olson of Golden Valley took their little six year old girl to Thief River Falls Saturday for an operation for appendicitis. The operation was performed that evening and at last reports the little girl was doing fine.

Relief quickly obtained through Dr. Albertson's Chiropractic Adjustments. Acute and chronic diseases successfully treated. Even those who have been pronounced incurable, have been restored to perfect health again. Phone No. 85. Crookston, Minn.

The following census enumerators have been appointed for this vicinity and will commence work Jan. 2nd.

Christian Rustad for Holt and Newfolden township and villages, J. M. Ryan for the townships of East Valley, Eckvold, Grand Plain and Mud Lake.

STEINER NEWS

Mrs. S. R. Rogers and daughter visited at the Warren home Sunday.

Harry Copp did business in Holt last Saturday.

Bill Sorenson did business in this place Saturday.

S. R. Rogers met his son Henry at the train here Saturday.

Lewis Meyers and his mother visited at the Ed. Werner home Sunday.

Emmons Rogers helped Harry Copp butcher one day last week.

G. L. Leisner, Mayor of Steiner left here on the south bound train Saturday. He expects to spend the balance of the winter in sunny Cuba where it don't snow.

Message of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all friends who have participated in the great surprise and Christmas gift of $130.45 extended to my wife in the church basement during the Young People's Society last Sunday.

I regret that I could not be present at the gathering. Thanks to all donators and to all who have helped to complete this memorial surprise to me and my family.

Best wishes for Christmas and the New Year to you all.

Yours Truly
M. B. Ordahl

Miss Gunhild and Eleonora Sollom were Thief River Falls visitors Monday and Tuesday.

As we are going to celebrate New Years this paper will be one day late next week.

Fine assortment of handkerchiefs for men, women and children. Take a look at them. R. Reierson.

The Karlstad Advocate got out a big Christmas and Booster edition last week, with a colored supplement.

We want to commence business Jan. 1st with a new set of books and would appreciate the settlement of all accounts before that date.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Horien took up their abode Wednesday evening in the the little cottage prepared for them by the owners, Bakke & Docken.

The Misses Hilma Nyberg, Celia Olson and Myra Knutson, returned home Wednesday from their work in Fargo N. Dak. for a short vacation with home folks during the holidays.

A fine school sign was placed upon the schoolbuilding Monday, which shows off well and can be easily read from passing trains and autos. Also a substantial flag pole was erected this week.

The Roseau basket ball boys came down here Tuesday for a game with our boys, but as the former were lacking in practice they could not put up much of a game and were badly beaten by our boys, the score being 74 to 4.

The friends of Rev. and Mrs. Ordahl subscribed a nice sum of money for them and were going to present it to them Sunday afternoon at the Young Peoples meeting. It was intended to be in the nature of a surprise, but the surprise was not all one sided as Mr. Ordahl did not return home from Thorvick until about 7 o'clock as he stayed there to help them with their Christmas program, while Mrs. Ordahl had to bear the surprise alone for the time being.

For Sale

Milk cows for sale.
Nels A. Fuseth,
Sec. 26 East Valley P. O. Holt

Notice!

Men are wanted to cut fence posts on the S. W. 1-4—25—156—43. Enquire at the Holt State Bank.

For Sale or Trade.

36x60 Separator in good running order for sale or will trade for land or anything we can use.
Box 107 Newfolden, Minn.

Notice

Several men wanted at once for cutting timber and clearing land in the corporate limits of Holt.
Inquire at Holt State Bank.

Hay for Sale.

Sixty tons of good wild hay. Hay is stacked on the NW 1-4 Sec. 7, in Mud Lake township.
Holt State Bank

For Sale or Trade!

Double store building for sale, or will trade for an improved farm at Holt. Address the
Merchants State Bank,
Red Lake Falls,
Minnesota.

Notice.

The telephone office will be closed at noon next Thursday (New Years Day) the same as on other legal holidays.

Clarence Swan returned home last week Thursday.

Miss Betty Johnson was a Thief River Falls visitor Monday.

Miss Tillie Nyberg returned home Monday from the sanitarium.

Knute Brown arrived here Wednesday from Wishek, N. Dak.

The Farmers elevator have a car of corn on track here which will be sold at reasonable prices.

The winter term at the Northwest School of Agriculture will open on January 5th. New classes will be organized at that time.

H. Dovre had three work horses and a Ford with tractor attachment shipped here last week which he had taken in on a deal for his Beltrami county land.

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Wheat No. 2	2 66
Wheat No. 3	2 56
Wheat No. 4	2 46
Wheat No. 5	2 31
Flax	4 31
Oats	72
Barley	1 27 to 1 42
Rye	1 60
Flour, Best Patent	7 35
Shorts	$2 50
Bran	$2 35
Corn per bu	$1.60

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Wood Wanted

Bids wanted for furnishing fifty cords of split green poplar wood on the creamery grounds in Holt, to be delivered on or before April 1st 1920. Sealed bids for the above will be received up to Jan. 5, 1920 by
J. A. Sorum Secy.,
Holt, Minn.

Mrs. John Swan is on the sick list.

Miss Johnna Larson is spending the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Knauf of T. R. Falls came Tuesday to spend Xmas. with relatives.

Rev. Geo. Larson will hold services in Ringbo church at 11 o'clock Sunday Dec. 28th. The Ladies Aid will meet the same afternoon at John Udstrand's.

Cream received on Mondays only this next week on account of Christmas and New Years coming on Thursdays.
P. L. Anderson, Buttermaker

1920

Here we come to the Gateway of NINETEEN TWENTY.

Let's start off right with a spring in our step, a strong steady purpose, and a song in our hearts.

Let us make it a Happy and Prosperous New Year. This is a pretty good old world—anyway it's the only one we have.

So with a growing account at this Bank and a smile on your face the Battle of NINETEEN TWENTY is half won.

May we see you often and help you win the other half.

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Northwest

A proposition to bond Fond du Lac county, Wis., good roads $4,600,000, was carried by a majority of 947 in an election.

Senator Edsell H. Sikes, Mountrail county, N. D., died in a Minot hospital. The remains were shipped to Stanley, N. D., for burial.

The ninth annual road school will be conducted under the auspices of the Wisconsin highway commission at Madison, Jan. 26 to 31.

Starvation, due to storms, and last summer's drouth, and the ravages of coyotes bid fair, it is said, to wipe out antelopes in sections of Montana.

The body of Harold M. Morrison, a United States forest ranger, missing in the Cache forest, Utah, has been found, the report saying Morrison was frozen to death.

J. Q. Adams, locater and founder of the city of Three Forks in Gallatin county, Mont., died in Chicago, aged 73. He sold the townsite to the Milwaukee railroad.

The State Association of County Commissioners of South Dakota held its three days meeting at Aberdeen with a discussion of the good highway improvement law.

The Farmers-Grain Dealers association of South Dakota will stage its annual convention at Aberdeen Jan. 13, 14 and 15. It is expected that more than 200 delegates will attend.

Wood county has voted road bonds amounting to $1,500,000, the biggest proposition provided for in the road program [illegible] miles of concrete road between Grand Rapids and Marshfield.

Plans and specifications for the $1,000,000 wagon bridge which is to span the Missouri river at Bismarck, N. D., prepared by C. A. P. Thurner, of Minneapolis, are now in the hands of the commission, and it was stated today that work on the structure will begin next spring.

With a record of having killed at least 100 sheep, King, a large gray wolf, is dead. Hunted for seven years by farmers of Rock county, Minn., he was shot by Burr Jones and his son, Arthur, of Evansville, who ran him down in the deep snow. Two shots did the trick.

North Dakota will vote at the presidential election March 16, on four laws initiated by petitions filed with the secretary of state. The bills proposed provide for the creation of a state boxing commission, licensing the sale of cigarets and legalizing Sunday baseball and Sunday theaters.

The mill and elevator of the Farmers Co-operative Milling and Elevator company at Casselton, N. D., was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin. The loss is estimated at about $175,000. Insurance amounting to $125,000 was carried. The mill had a capacity of 800 barrels a day.

The Mitchell, South Dakota, fair price committee will commence operations at once, according to Roscoe [illegible], chairman, who is awaiting information from United States District Attorney Fiske. Any violations of the scale fixed by the committee, it is declared, will be prosecuted by the federal government.

Judgment for $12,600 against H. F. Scott, formerly a pharmacist in Aberdeen, in favor of Mrs. Nellie Moberg, whose husband, August Moberg, she alleges, died from the effects of drugs containing opium said to have been furnished by the druggist, was affirmed by the state supreme court. The case was tried three times in circuit court at Aberdeen.

Miss Thelma Lucile Foght, daughter of President Harold W. Foght of Northern Normal, has been admitted to membership in Sidney L. Smith post of the American Legion at Aberdeen, being one of few women in South Dakota eligible to membership in the order. She served as first class yeoman in the paymaster's office at the Washington navy yard.

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The First Methodist church at Mandan, N. D., was burned to the ground with all its contents in a fire which started from unknown origin. Plans are already being formulated for the erection of a $50,000 building to replace it.

According to the December report for the U. S. Bureau of Crop Estimates the fall sown rye acreage in North Dakota is less than half of the acreage sown a year ago. Fall condition is below average. Wages paid to farm labor substantially increased over 1918. Acreage of fall plowing is above average.

St. Paul.—Possibilities of a diversion of the center of the steel industry from Pennsylvania to Minnesota will be discussed by Judge Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the board of directors of the United States Steel corporation at the second annual convention of the State Realty Owners' and Dealers' association which will be held in St. Paul on Jan. 15 and 16.

Washington

Senator John Sharp Williams, (dem.), Mississippi declared in a letter that he would not be a candidate for reelection.

Forest green was made the official color of the American Red Cross field uniforms, in an order issued by Secretary N. D. Baker.

The immigration committee's bill providing for the deportation of all aliens affiliated with anarchists organizations was passed by the House. The vote was unanimous.

Senators D. U. Fletched, H. F. Ashurst and H. P. Myers advocate shooting on the spot reckless chauffeurs as a drastic but effective remedy for perilous traffic conditions in the capital.

The director of the census bureau, asking congress for $2,550,000 in addition to $15,000,000 granted for expenses said enumerators cannot make a living wage on the old per capita basis.

Mexico's reign of terror, costing, in the last nine years, 551 Americans, is illustrated in an indexed map submitted to the senate foreign relations committee, showing the location and approximate death of the killings.

The national capital's actual population, as determined by a police census just completed, is 455,428, an increase of 60,000 since 1917. The increase caused by the influx of war workers was not as great as generally was supposed.

President Wilson overruled his physicians in arising from his bed and walking about his room, Dr. Grayson said, when it became known that the president had been up. White House officials said the president's walk set at rest rumors that his right leg was paralyzed.

Nomination of Edward E. Clark of Iowa to the interstate commerce commission for the term expiring Dec. 31, 1926, and appointment of Nelson B. Gaskill of New Jersey to the federal trade commission to succeed former Governor J. Franklin Fort were confirmed by the senate.

Foreign

Large numbers of German naval officers are being employed by Swedish shipowners and the government in preparing a bill to combat the movement.

Bolshevik assertions that 60,000 Japanese troops are stationed between Vladivostok and Omsk to guard the trans-Siberian railway, are reported in dispatches here from Helsingfors.

After further consideration of Austria's requirements for food relief, the supreme council decided it would be necessary to furnish relief to the amount of $70,000,000 at least, to go forward at the rate of $8,500,000 monthly.

Women more than 21 years old would receive the franchise by a bill introduced in the Brazilian senate.

Captain Sir John Alcock, trans-Atlantic flier, was seriously injured when his plane crashed. Later he died from his injuries.

It is announced unofficially that an agreement between Gabriele d'Annunzio and the Italian government has been reached. D'Annunzio, it is stated, will leave Fiume immediately, as well as his troops, who will be replaced by regulars.

Germany's reply to the last notes from the supreme council of the peace conference has been sent to Versailles. Nothing has been given out relative to its contents, aside from a hint that its general tenor reciprocates the conciliatory tone of the last communication from the Entente.

Domestic

Forty young women, Christmas brides-to-be of former American soldiers in France, arrived at New York, from Brest.

Two Negroes accused of the murder of J. Week, Island Creek, were taken from a train at Chapman-Villa, W. Va., and lynched.

Milwaukee Elks initiated 1,100 members, the second largest class ever initiated in the United States in the history of the order.

Major George Augustus Armes, 75, U. S. A., retired, last surviving member of the staff of Major General Winfield Scott Hancock in the Civil war, died in Ventnor, N. J.

Senora Felipe Angeles, widow of General Angeles, Mexican leader, who was executed by the Carranzistas, and who died in New York shortly after her husband's execution, left personal property valued at $2,450 and no real estate.

Four hundred Illinois mayors, state's attorneys, heads of civic organizations, fair price committees and representative of women's organizations were in Chicago for a conference with A. Mitchell Palmer, United States attorney general, to reduce prices.

Lieutenant Norris S. Bailey of Worcester, Mass., was killed and Lieutenant E. W. Brandenstein was injured in the collision of their airplanes at an altitude of 4,000 feet.

Gold dust worth approximately $400,000 brought by dog teams over the winter trail from the Kuskokwim and Iditarod regions of Alaska, is at Seward awaiting shipment to Seattle.

An attempt to defraud the United States of a part of its income tax of $67,239, has cost Hyman Benowitz, a New York cotton jobber and wholesaler, $113,788 and a day's imprisonment.

HAPPENINGS IN GOPHER STATE

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Plainview.—City authorities planning to launch a campaign to interest the voters in a $100,000 bond issue for street paving.

Duluth.—William Howard Taft will lecture in Duluth Feb. 10 under the auspices of the American Legion, relative to the Legion's work.

Duluth.—The annual meeting of the Minnesota Dairymen's association was set for Jan. 19, 20 and 21, at Duluth, at a meeting of officers here.

Winona.—William Decker, 85 years old, pioneer hotel man, died here. He is survived by five children, 15 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Hastings.—Mrs. Henrietta S. Dean, 88 years old, mother of Steward A. Dean, businessman of Hastings, died here. Interment was at Rockford, Minn.

Owatonna.—More than $10,000 damages were awarded in six cases by juries in the Steel county district court which adjourned here after a 14 day session.

Lake City.—Ice on Lake Pepin is 16 inches thick, according to the ice cutters who declare that the ice harvest will begin soon and will be the best in years.

Pipestone.—At the reopening of the Pipestone public schools following the Christmas vacation, manual training will again be a part of the courses offered the students.

Marshall.—Walter Schmidt, 21 years old, was killed while loading gravel at a pit near Vesta. A large amount of the sand and gravel at the top of the pit caved in and buried him.

Lake City.—John Magnusen of Rushford, shot and killed himself at his home here. Despondency is given as the cause for the act. He is survived by his widow and six children.

Virginia.—Struck by a falling tree he had felled while employed at one of the lumber camps of the Virginia district, Henry La Page, International Falls man, suffered a broken back.

Owatonna.—In the first interscholastic debate of the Minnesota High School Debating league, Owatonna high school was given unanimous decision over the Blooming Prairie school.

Winona.—Mrs. Margaret Lyons, 89 years old, one of Winona county's oldest pioneers, died at her home near St. Charles. She was a resident of the town of St Charles for more than 60 years.

Worthington.—Rev. F. F. Clackmore of Mitchell, S. D., has been called to become pastor of the Worthington Congregational church. It is understood that he will accept and take up his work Jan. 1.

Grand Rapids.—Unless further delays are experienced in securing needed transformers, Grand Rapids, Cohasset and Deer River will be supplied with electric current from the Minnesota Utilities company.

Duluth.—The subregional coal committee with E. D. Brigham and W. H. Groverman will continue to mobilize cars for the distribution of the coal stored at the head of the lakes, until coal production becomes normal.

St. Cloud.—Minneapolis has been selected as the meeting place for the second reunion of Company K, the old "St. Cloud company," organized for service on the border and later Federalized and sent to France and Germany.

Minneapolis.—Two serious Minnesota train wrecks on the Chicago and Northwestern railroad resulted in injuries of 35 passengers and demolition of five engines, a baggage car and one passenger coach. None were killed.

Waseca.—Waseca county's farm bureau drive to increase the membership of that organization to 800 has almost reached the goal set, according to figures announced at the farm bureau's annual meeting here when 560 paid memberships were recorded. Officers were elected.

Duluth.—W. H. Groverman subregional fuel administrator, has left here after two months duty during the coal shortage. Although his work is not yet completed, it has taken on a routine character and will be handled by the committee here under charge of E. D. Brigham, chairman.

Owatonna.—Because Nels Jacobson was awarded $4,431.50 in the first of a series of 10 appeals of property owners to the district court for damages resulting from the opening of three new streets in the city, the Owatonna city council last night dropped all proceedings relative to the opening of the new thoroughfares.

Fairmont.—District Judge E. C. Dean granted an extension of one month to attorneys for A. C. Townley and Joseph Gilbert to file their briefs to support their motions for new trials for the two who were convicted at Jackson last summer of having conspired to teach disloyalty.

Crookston.—A new crop for the Red river valley is expected to be raised next year following a meeting of 200 Polk county farmers here with representatives of the Chaska sugar refinery. A large number of the farmers contracted to plant part of their acreage with sugar beets.

Aurora.—Fire destroyed the Matt Alto business block, including a restaurant, store and garage. Damage was $35,000.

Crookston.—W. I. Nolan of Minneapolis was the principal speaker at the Red River Valley Dairymen's association in annual convention here.

St. Paul.—There were 207 fires in Minnesota in November compared with 181 in November last year, and a total loss of $506,056, to $330,200 in 1918.

Hastings.—Joseph Putzma, section foreman, was seriously injured and one of his crew badly bruised when a passenger train struck a handcar they were trying to lift from the rails.

Duluth.—Timber wolves, running in packs, are destroying livestock in districts near Duluth, one farmer reporting the loss of several hogs, while others report wolves attacking cattle in fields.

St. Paul.—Governor J. A. A. Burnquist has issued an order suspending Treasurer Martin J. O'Mally from office, following disclosures of alleged frauds and peculations in the Ramsey county treasury.

Hibbing.—The St. Louis county agricultural society has decided to offer several hundred dollars in premiums which will be open to the boys and girls of the county for the best poultry displayed at the county fair next year.

Buhl.—William Peltonen is one of the youngest moose hunters in the state of Minnesota. He returned to the village with a moose shot at Anfora. Peltonen is only 16 years old and is one of the best shots on the range.

Albert Lea.—Four township district schools in Freeborn county have voted to consolidate and a large central building will be erected in the village of Freeborn next spring. This will be the first consolidated school in this county.

Moorhead.—Farmers of the Averill neighborhood in Clay county will form a co-operative potato shipping association with a central cellar and warehouse at Averill. The association will be ready to handle the 1920 crop for its members.

Canby.—Poker games have become so common at public farm auctions and other gatherings in this county, that the township supervisors have served notice that they will do all in their power to stop the practice of gambling at public sales.

St. Paul.—Charles Monroe Start, former chief justice of the Minnesota supreme court, died at his home here. Judge Start was 80 years of age and had been a resident of Minnesota since 1865 and of St. Paul since 1893. Judge Start had been ill for the last six months.

Fergus Falls.—Considerable smallpox has been reported in this district and the state board of health has made an investigation. It is possible that the holiday vacation may be extended as one or two local teachers were stricken. It was said that the disease is of the ligh variety.

Euclid.—Funeral services over the remains of Herman Helm, 21, who committed suicide by drinking strychnine and chloroform at a farm house east of Euclid, were held here. Helm committed suicide because of his love for the wife of his brother.

Redwood Falls.—The little son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Piersol of Claremont is dead from burns received when he fell into a vessel of boiling water. The accident occurred while the members of the Piersol family were visiting with friends in this city.

Duluth.—The Duluth Railway company as a basis for discussion by the city council at its request for increased fares and other relief agreed to furnish the council with a complete itemized statement of its fares covering each month for the last three years. Duluth now has a 5 cent fare.

Ellsworth.—Four workmen had a narrow escape from death at Rock Valley when a 15,000 gallon gasoline tank exploded. The men had been repairing a leak and supposed that all of the gasoline had been drained from the tank. Windows two and three blocks away were broken. No one was injured.

Eveleth.—Commercial and other businessmen's clubs of six Mesaba range towns were represented here at a meeting for the purpose of forming an organization to fight the proposed tonnage tax. Among the communities represented were Grand Rapids, Hibbing, Biwabik, Chisholm, Ely, Eveleth and Virginia.

Halleck.—While digging a well on the Kvark farm, three miles from this place, gas was struck at the depth of 95 feet. It gushed up with such force that it was ignited from a heater being used by the well diggers. The fire was extinguished and the shaft plugged awaiting the arrival of experts from St. Paul.

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Austin.—More than 1,700 chickens, geese, ducks, pheasants and other fowl now on exhibition at the Austin poultry show will be forced to remain here indefinitely due to the lack of shipping facilities. The railroad and express companies have refused to guarantee the safe shipping of the birds and the owners are not taking any risks.

Minneapolis.—The University of Minnesota by a verdict of 2 to 1 defeated Iowa in a debate here on the question of whether congress should enact into law the Cummins plan for administration of railroads. Minnesota supported the affirmative.

PREMIER STATES PLANS FOR IRISH

British Government's New Home Rule Policy Outlined in Address to Commons.

2 SEPARATE COUNTRIES

Northern and Southern Sections to Be Provided With Separate Lawmaking Bodies With Power to Coordinate.

London, Dec. 23.—Premier Lloyd George addressed the house of commons this evening on the Irish question, presenting the details of the government's Irish home rule bill. In opening his address Mr. George remarked upon the extreme difficulty of his task, "after such a discreditable outrage as has just been perpetrated in Dublin."

Ireland, said the premier, was the only country in Europe except Russia where the classes who elsewhere were on the side of law and order were out of sympathy with the machinery of the government. While Ireland was never so prosperous as today the fact remained, he declared, that Ireland was never so alienated from British rule.

Secession Would Be Resisted.

Any attempt at secession, the premier announced, would be fought with the same determination, force and resolution as had been shown by the northern states in America.

To Create Two Legislatures.

The premier said it was proposed to establish self-government over the whole of Ireland and to create two parliaments, one in the north and one in the south, every opportunity would be given Ireland to establish unity if she desired it and a council would be established at the outset, selected by the two legislatures and form a connecting link between the two parts of the country.

The two legislatures to be created in Ireland, the premier said, would be clothed with full constituent powers to create a single Irish legislature to discharge all powers not specifically reserved to the imperial parliament.

Joint Exchequer Board.

The premier said that the Irish contribution to the imperial services was estimated at £18,000,000 annually. A joint exchequer board would settle the rate of contribution for the future and the question of taxable capacity. It was proposed to place £1,000,000 at the disposal of each of the two parliaments to cover the initial expenditure.

SENATORS DISCUSS PEACE

Many Conferences Among Leaders Indicate Agreements May Be Reached.

Washington, Dec. 23.—Compromise efforts for ratification of the peace treaty moved forward with increasing impetus yesterday, when the leaders of both parties in the senate, released from executive duties by the holiday recess of congress, came actively into negotiations for an agreement on reservations.

The acting Democratic leader, Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, canvassed sentiment on both sides of the controversy and arranged in the coming week to see every Republican senator who remains in Washington over the holidays.

As soon as congress reassembles he plans to have a general conference of those who favor ratification, with or without reservations.

Notable in the day's long series of conferences was a meeting between Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the Republican leader, and Senator Underwood of Alabama, a prominent Democratic advocate of a speedy compromise.

The day's activities seem to indicate a desire on all sides to get together and see if the controversy cannot be closed. In some quarters there is an optimistic belief that peace may be declared by January 16.

COAL MINE LEADER JAILED

Howatt of Kansas Held for Contempt of Judge Anderson's Court.

Indianapolis, Dec. 23.—Alexander Howat, president of the Kansas district (No. 14) of the United Mine Workers of America, is in jail here awaiting hearing on a charge of contempt of court for alleged violation of the federal court injunction against furtherance of the strike of coal miners. Hearing has been set for next Monday at 2 p. m.

Judge Anderson yesterday denounced Howat for his attitude in connection with the court's injunction against the strike and declared: "Either I have to vindicate the law or abdicate in favor of Mr. Howat."

Attorney General Optimistic.

Washington, Dec. 23.—Expectation of a decline in retail food prices between January 1 and March 1 was expressed by Attorney General Palmer in a statement summing up the efforts of the government to date in forcing down the cost of living. "The cost of living, already under control," said the attorney general, "can be reduced if everyone who produces will produce his utmost, if those who buy and consume will save, and if all honest people will help the department of justice's work."

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New Year Thoughts

EVERY first of January that we arrive at is an imaginary milestone on the turnpike track of human life; at once a resting place for thought and meditation, and a starting point for fresh exertion in the performance of our journey. The man who does not at least propose to himself to be better this year than he was last, must be either very good or very bad, indeed! And only to propose to be better is something; if nothing else it is an acknowledgment of our need to be so, which is the first step towards amendment. But, in fact, to propose to oneself to do well, is in some sort to do well, positively, for there is no such thing as a stationary point in human endeavors; he who is not worse today than he was yesterday, is better; and he who is not better, is worse.—Charles Lamb.

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WE ARE on the threshold of a new year. We do not know what the year holds for us, but we are not afraid of it. We have learned to look for kindness and goodness in all our paths, and so we go forward with glad hope and expectation.

It is always a serious thing to live. We can pass through any year but once. If we have lived negligently we cannot return to amend what we have slurred over. We cannot correct mistakes, fill up spaces, erase lines we may be ashamed of, cut out pages unworthily filled. The irrevocableness of life ought alone to be motive enough for incessant watchfulness and diligence. Not a word we write can be changed. Nothing we do can be canceled.—J. R. Miller.

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THE every-day cares and duties, which men call drudgery, are the weights and counterpoises of the clock of Time, giving its pendulum a true vibration, and its hands a regular motion; and when they cease to hang upon the wheels, the pendulum no longer swings, the hands no longer move, the clock stands still.—Henry W. Longfellow.

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DO NOT dare to live without some clear intention towards which your living shall be bent. Mean to be something with all your might.—Phillips Brooks.

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THAT great mystery of Time, were there no other; the illimitable, silent, never-resting thing called Time, rolling, rushing on, swift, silent, like an all-embracing ocean-tide, on which we and all the universe swim like exhalations, like apparitions which are, and then are not: this is forever very literally a miracle; a thing to strike us dumb—for we have no word to speak about it.—Thomas Carlyle.

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BEAUTIFUL is the year in its coming, and in its going—most beautiful and blessed, because it is always the "year of our Lord."—Lucy Larcom.

NEW YEAR'S GIFTS

English Monarchs Practically Extorted "Offerings" From Their Subjects.

HENRY VI is probably the first English-speaking ruler to make capital out of New Year's gifts. During the reign of Elizabeth the custom rose to its greatest extravagance. The Virgin Queen, who apparently never lost an opportunity for extracting money from her subjects, practically ordered an astonishing collection of gorgeous presents of all kinds. The donors ranged from the highest officers of state down to the very street cleaners. Sums of money, costly ornaments, caskets studded with jewels, necklaces, bracelets, gowns, looking-glasses, fans and curiosities from the newly discovered continents of North and South America were among the presents.

Jester's Greed Costly.

Another story of New Year's gifts concerns Archy Armstrong, a court jester of Charles I, which appears in "The Banquet of Jests," printed in 1634. Archy was given a few gold pieces by a certain nobleman from [illegible] he expected a larger gift. He [illegible] over discontentedly in his [illegible] that they were too [illegible] man, who would undoubtedly [illegible] a success in modern [illegible] marked: "Prithee, then, [illegible] see them again; and, by the way, [illegible] is one of them which I would be loath to part with." Archy, expecting a larger gift, returned them to the nobleman, who pocketed them, saying calmly: "I once gave money into the hands of a fool who had not the wit to keep it."

New Year's Eve Masques.

Masques in which the youngsters took part were often given on New Year's eve. An old writer says of the performance: "For this purpose they don old shirts belonging to their fathers and mount mitre-shaped casques of brown paper. Attached to this is a sheet of the same paper which, falling down in front, covers the whole face except where holes are made to let through the point of the nose and afford sight to the eyes and breath to the mouth. Each is, like a knight of old, attended by a sort of humble squire, who assumes the habiliments of a girl with an old woman's cap and a broom stick and is styled 'Bessie.'

"Bessie goes before her principal, opens all the doors at which he pleases to exert singing powers and busies herself during the time of the song with sweeping the floor with her broomstick or in playing any other antic that she thinks may amuse the indwellers. The common reward for this entertainment is a halfpenny, but many churlish persons fall upon the unfortunate guisers (masqueraders) and beat them out of the house. Let such persons, however, keep a good watch upon their cabbage gardens upon the coming Halloween's eve!"

There were also curious dramas which groups of masquers performed. They were generally given in the kitchens of the "great house," but often the family as well as the servants were present. Sir Walter Scott insisted on having a New Year's play in his home every year.

Seeing the Old Year Out.

In some cities of this country it used to be the custom to fire off cannon and muskets. The ringing of bells is a result of the religious side of New Year's. After the midnight services were started the ringing of the church bells followed as a natural sequence and was intended to remind absent members of the congregation that the year was passing.

Many superstitions are connected with New Year's day in all lands. In Hartfordshire, England, the peasants believed that if a woman was the first person to enter the house on the first day of the year the whole twelve months would be unlucky. It was supposed to be unlucky to meet a lame or blind man, a monkey, a weasel or a cat.

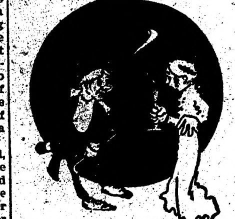
Odd Christening Custom.

In the north of England, if a child was christened on New Year's day, a little boy was engaged to meet the baby as it was taken from its home, so as to avoid the possibility of meeting a woman first. The boy received a cake and cheese wrapped in paper, for his services.

And so when you hear the bells ring out this year, whether you hear them from your bed, a pew in some church, an easy chair by a smoldering fire or a chair at a restaurant table, don't think that what you are doing is anything new. You are watching a year die and hoping or praying for the year which is just born.

And back through the ages, through a thousand generations men and women have done the same and left some trace of themselves in some half-forgotten custom as you may do, quite unconsciously, when 1920 makes its bow to the world.

HAD HER THERE.



"You made a New Year's resolution not to drink any more."

"I did."

"But here you are drinking as much as ever."

"Well, that isn't any more, is it?"

Christmas in the Barnyard

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

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"CHRISTMAS is coming," crowed Mr. Rooster.

"Christmas is coming," gobbled Mr. Turkey.

"Don't be too happy about it, for you may be eaten, Mr. Turkey," said Miss Hen.

And then she clucked. "Christmas is coming."

"Gobble, gobble, gobble," said Mr. Turkey; "you needn't be so sure that you won't be eaten yourself."

"Well, it's the best time of the year to be eaten. It's an honor."

"That's what I've always said," gobbled Mr. Turkey. "Please, Miss Hen try to be original."

"I may try to be many things," clucked Miss Hen, "but it is impossible for me to try to be original."

"Why?" asked Mr. Turkey, who was much puzzled.

"Because I don't know what it is to be original. I don't know what the word means. How can I be something if I don't even know what that something is? I can't try to be a thing I don't know anything about."

"You could ask what it means, couldn't you?" inquired Mr. Turkey. "Are you too proud for that?"

"You May Be Eaten, Mr. Turkey."

"Not too proud," said Miss Hen, "but I don't ask favors. I like to have them handed to me without the asking. It makes me appear so superior."

"Absurd," said Mr. Turkey.

"Well, if you think so then," said Miss Hen, "I suppose I will have to swallow my pride or my superiority and be friendly at this time of the year. Yes, I will actually ask you. What does it mean to be original?"

"I will tell you," said Mr. Turkey, "but first of all let me say that you cannot swallow your pride nor your superiority. Those are not things to eat."

"You may rise above your pride, but it is impossible to swallow it."

"Now, Mr. Turkey, I may be only a poor hen, but I know a few things. It's a saying and a perfectly good saying when I speak of swallowing my pride. Everyone knows no one means to chew it and swallow it actually. Besides, as far as that is concerned, I might say to you that it was not correct to talk about rising above your pride as though pride were the ground and one took a trip in an airplane above it."

"Let us not quarrel," said Mr. Turkey, "for the joyous Christmas season is fast approaching."

"Yes," muttered Miss Hen, "and I was fast approaching victory in that argument."

Mr. Turkey pretended he hadn't heard.

"Oh, by the way," he said, after a moment's pause, "you wanted me to tell you what it meant to be original."

"Yes," clucked Miss Hen, while a smile passed over her hen face.

"Well," continued Mr. Turkey, "when a creature is original and says original things it means he is saying things he has thought up himself and hasn't copied from someone else. A person who has original ideas all his own. A creature who says original things, says things no other creature says."

"Everyone Should Give Me Presents."

"You copied me when you said it was an honor to be eaten at Christmas. That was what I have always said."

"Don't be so fussy, Mr. Gobbler," said Miss Hen; "we can't all be original, as you call it. Besides words are words and we all have to use the same ones to be understood, so what difference does it make how we put them together?"

Mr. Turkey walked proudly about, as though some creatures really hadn't enough brains to bother talking to, but soon a great noise was heard.

The pigs were all squealing and grunting.

"It is the time of the year when everyone should give me presents," squealed Pinky Pig.

"Everyone should give me presents. That is what Christmas means," said Porky Pig.

"They should all give them to me," said Brother Bacon, "or you pigs don't know the spirit of Christmas giving."

"You don't know it yourself," said Miss Ham. "Christmas is coming. I'm all ready for presents."

But the other animals sighed and shook their heads.

"Pigs don't even forget they are pigs during the Christmas season!"

Mrs. Coutts' Strange Belief.

In London they tell this animal ghost story. A member of the famous banking house of Coutts' was extremely fond of a tame robin that came and fed out of his hand. The bird died before the banker did, but Mrs. Coutts, who afterward married the duke of Devonshire, held that the bird appeared at the window of the room Mr. Coutts had occupied, and when she was dying she begged to be taken to the room in question so that she might again see the phantom robin. Mrs. Coutts, however, always believed that the apparition was her husband in bird form.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
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All It Lacked.

"Gloria, who lived in a large city, made a visit to the country for the first time. She often had seen pictures of cows with horns, but on seeing a mulley cow she did not know what it was.

"Well," said her uncle, whom she was visiting, "what do you think it is?"

"I don't know," replied Gloria, with a puzzled shake of her head; "but if it had horns it could be a cow."

Seven hundred thousand of the first draft could neither read nor write.—Coffman.

The boy is the big item, not the book.—Linke.

THAT CHANGE IN WOMAN'S LIFE
Mrs. Godden Tells How It May be Passed in Safety and Comfort.

Fremont, O.—"I was passing through the critical period of life, being forty-six years of age and had all the symptoms incident to that change—heat flashes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proved to be. I feel better and stronger in every way since taking it, and the annoying symptoms have disappeared."—Mrs. M. GODDEN, 925 Napoleon St., Fremont, Ohio.

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Lumber Industry Leads.

The annual freight bill of the lumber industry is estimated at about $215,000,000. Lumber and forest products furnish about 11 per cent of the total tonnage of the American railroads, of about 215,000,000 tons yearly. This is greater than the movement of all agricultural products, and is exceeded only by the tonnage of general manufactures and mine products.

Cuticura for Pimply Faces.
To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura Talcum.—Adv.

Using a Wrench.

A monkey-wrench should never be drawn backward from the jaws, as this movement is likely to bend the bar. The wrench should always be pulled toward the jaws.

Elegant Illusion.

"There is a great deal in being carefully raised."

"Sometimes too much. I took in a two-dollar bill that had been carefully raised to look like a twenty."

Nosing In.

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GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER.

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"My name is Marion?"

"Yes."

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents ($2.50) which became due on the 1st day of July, 1918, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by [illegible] O. Nygaard and Karen Nygaard, his wife, Mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee, bearing date the [illegible] day of July, 1915, and duly filed and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the [illegible] day of August, 1915, at 3:00 o'clock A. M. in Book [illegible] of Mortgages on Page [illegible] thereof [illegible] [illegible] the conditions of said mortgage by reason of said default [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Seventy Cents [illegible] there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of [illegible] Dollars and Seventy Cents [illegible] [illegible] ($18.60) with interest thereon at [illegible] per cent ([illegible]%) per annum since [illegible] [illegible] paid by the Mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage [illegible] Thousand Dollars ($[illegible]00) on said land, default having been made in the payment of same by said Mortgagors, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being One Hundred Fifty-eight Dollars and Ten Cents ($158.10), and said mortgage containing the power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The South [illegible] Quarter of the Southwest Quarter ([illegible]) of Section [illegible] and the [illegible] HOLT [illegible] South Half of the Southeast Quarter (S½ of SE¼) of Section Five (5) and Northeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of SE¼) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-six (156) North of Range [illegible]-nine ([illegible]) West, in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the court house in the City of Warren in said County and State of Minnesota on the [illegible] day of February, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of One Hundred Fifty-eight Dollars and Ten Cents ($158.10) and interest from date of this notice and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) as stipulated in said mortgage and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 15, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Notice

All copy for news items, correspondence and advertising should reach this office not later than Tuesday, and sooner if possible.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of Fifteen Dollars ($15.00) which became due on the 1st day of August, 1918, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Charles H. Rosse[illegible], a single man, Mortgagor, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee, bearing date August 1, 1918, and duly filed and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of October, 1916, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages on Page 74 thereof, and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage by reason of said default the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit: Sixty Dollars ($60.00) became at once due and payable and was so declared by the Mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Sixty-seven Dollars and Fifty Cents ($67.50), and the further sum of Fifty-five Dollars ($55.00) with interest thereon at five and one-half per cent per annum (5½%) since August 1, 1918, and the further sum of Fifty-five Dollars ($55.00) with interest thereon at five and one half per cent per annum (5½%) since August 1, 1919, the two latter amounts being for interest paid by the Mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) on said land, default having been made in the payment of same by said Mortgagor, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being One Hundred Eighty-two Dollars and Three cents ($182.03), and said mortgage containing the power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Three (3) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155), North of Range Forty-[illegible] ([illegible]1), West, in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the court house in the City of Warren in said County and State of Minnesota on the 20th day of January, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of One Hundred Eighty-two Dollars and Three Cents ($182.03) and interest from date of this notice and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) as stipulated in said mortgage and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 1, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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Shipping tags for sale at this office.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twelve Dollars ($12.00) which became due on the 17th day of August, 1917, and in the payment of other amounts since falling due upon a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Elmer N. Johnson and Anna Johnson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee, bearing date the 17th day of August, 1916, and duly filed and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Marshall County, State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of August, 1916, at [illegible]:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 82 of Mortgages, on Page [illegible] thereof, and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage remaining unpaid, to-wit: Sixty Dollars ($60.00) became at once due and payable and was so declared by the Mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Seventy-four Dollars ($74.00) and the further sum of Thirty-six Dollars ($36.00) with interest thereon at six per cent (6%) per annum since August 17, 1917, and the further sum of Thirty-six Dollars ($36.00) with interest thereon at six per cent (6%) per annum since August 17, 1918, and the further sum of Thirty-six Dollars ($36.00) with interest thereon at six per cent (6%) per annum since August 17, 1919, the three latter amounts being for interest paid by the Mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of Six Hundred Dollars ($600.00) on said land, default having been made in the payment of same by said Mortgagors, the total amount so claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice being One Hundred Ninety Dollars and Sixty-four Cents ($190.64), and said mortgage containing a power of sale and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Five (5) in Township One Hundred Fifty-eight (158), North of Range Thirty-nine (39) West, in Marshall County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Marshall County at the front door of the court house in the City of Warren in said County and State of Minnesota on the 10th day of February, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of One Hundred Ninety Dollars and Sixty-four cents ($190.64), and interest from date of this notice and taxes, if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) as stipulated in said mortgage and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 17, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Olaf Kristofferson Viken, a single man, Mortgagor, to B. L. Backe, Mortgagee, bearing date the 19th day of December, 1913, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of December, 1913, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 70 of Mortgages, on Page 498, and which mortgage together with the debts secured thereby was duly assigned by said B. L. Backe, Mortgagee, to Eide Strand by written assignment dated December 24, 1913, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 7th day of February, 1914, at 9:30 A. M., in Book 62 of Mortgages on Page [illegible], and which mortgage was assigned together with the debts secured thereby by Eide Strand, Assignee, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls by written assignment, dated June [illegible], 1919, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 27th day of June, 1919, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 87 of Mtgs., Page 3[illegible], which default has continued to the date of this notice, by the failure and neglect of said Mortgagor to make payment of the Seven Hundred Forty-four Dollars and Twenty-two cents by said mortgage secured, which by its terms became due and payable on the 19th day of December, 1918, and which default still continues,

AND WHEREAS The said Mortgagee [illegible] elected, and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Seven Hundred Eighty-eight and 94-100ths Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Six (6) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155), North of Range Forty-one (41), West, in Marshall County, and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said [illegible] County, at the front door of [illegible] House in the City of Warren [illegible] o'clock A. M. of that day, [illegible] vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of Seven Hundred Eighty-eight and 94-100 Dollars and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 19, 1919.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Your New Barn

Build it now. Have your new Barn earning [illegible] just that much sooner.

You will enjoy the winter more, knowing that the stock is properly housed, and in better condition to earn more for you next year.

Take advantage of the fall [illegible] to [illegible] all your building [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to get your buildings in shape now, so you won't be interrupted during the rush spring work next year.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company
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Holt, Minn.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will

Estate of Olof Johnson.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Olof Johnson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota To Albertina Johnson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the Will of said decedent:

The petition of Albertina Johnson being duly filed in this Court, representing that Olof [illegible] Marshall, State of [illegible] on the 1st day [illegible] leaving [illegible] [illegible]

Therefore, You, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the City of Warren, County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, 1920, at [illegible] o'clock [illegible] why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Honorable Peter H. Holm, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 19th day of December 1919.

[COURT SEAL] Peter H. Holm,
Judge.

A. N. Eckstrom,
Att'y for Petitioner,
Warren, Minnesota.

Wonderful Cuba Caves

The wonderful caves of Bellamar, Cuba, to the east of Havana, attract the attention of the ambitious tourist. They are on a plateau as level as a table top, which presents no signs of the existence of such caves. After descending into the earth, however, a picture unfolds itself. Then come many passages, and at last the great "Gothic temple," 250 feet long and 80 feet wide.

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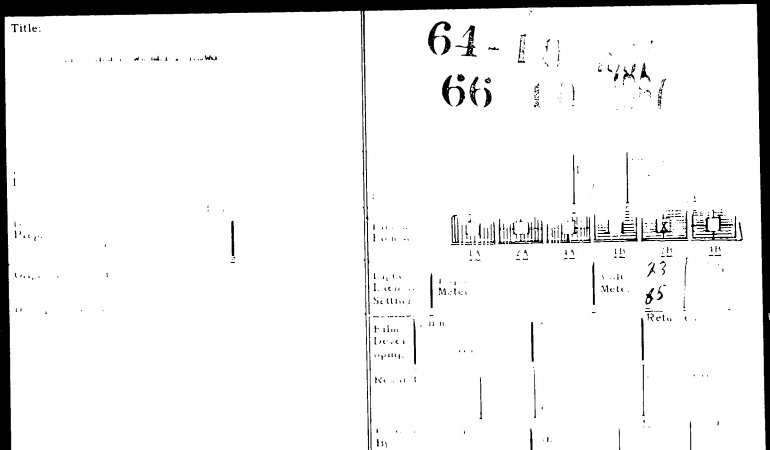
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